

'Desert Moonlight' Shines on Prom



Prom King and Queen, Jesse Fulwider and Julie Foley. (left) Scott Rader and Joy Albin become the first junior Prince and Princess at North Putnam. (right)



Prom preparations began several weeks before the official date of May 11, 1991. All of the juniors and their parents worked vigorously to complete "Desert Moonlight" on time. Upon entering "Desert Moonlight," the halls were dark, and the lights gleamed. A formal announcement was made prior to prom, "Princess___ escorted by Prince___."

The stage was filled with pillars, and there were fountains on the floor along the side of a huge King Tut face that over-looked a mirage.

The King and Queen, Jesse Fulwider and Julie Foley, were nominated by the juniors and voted on by both juniors and seniors. Following tradition, the King and Queen shared a dance to "More Than Words" by Extreme. Breaking tradition, however, the first junior Prince and Princess were elected. Like the King and Queen, they were nominated by the seniors and voted by both classes. The first Prince and Princess for North Putnam were Scott Rader and Joy Albin. Ironically, both couples in the court were actual couples, also.

With the help of parents Randy Patrick, Bruce Hale, Clod Fowler, Wally Birge, Rick Sharp, George Robertson and Jeff Elliott, the King Tut took stand. The pyramid stood high with the help of Brent Fowler. Sponsors Linda Patrick and Kay Greeson helped to decide the theme and put it together.

Following prom was post-prom, "Hurray for Hollywood." With several games and other types of entertainment, door prizes, and a comedy act. All of this, plus the decorations, were put together and decorated by the junior and senior parents. Refreshments were handled by Larry Windmiller.

All in all, everyone had a fabulous time.