

## FCA, SADD inspire, educate students

by Christine Burton

Two clubs that tried to make an impact on students' attitudes and behavior were the Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA) and Students Against Driving Drunk (SADD).

FCA met every Wednesday morning in the Home Economics room to socialize and talk about spiritual matters. Sponsor Jim Brothers took the group to an Indianapolis Ice game, co-hosted a "See You at the Party" gathering with South Putnam FCA, and sold Avon products and bubble bath to raise money for club projects. Finally, members capped the year by going to King's Island amusement park.

On any given day, 75 students in grades seven through twelve would get up early and make the trip to school to join friends in sharing their Christian faith.

North Putnam opened a SADD chapter and organized early in the year to educate students about the dangers of alcohol abuse. Teacher Linda Patrick and guidance counselor Joe Salisbury supplied students with information to set up posters and bulletin board displays throughout school.

In March SADD members emphasized the importance of wearing seat belts by rewarding buckled up drivers with Lifesavers candy.

Junior Craig Robertson takes time to eat a doughnut after the discussion at FCA. Doughnuts were a traditional treat at almost every meeting.

SADD sponsor Linda Patrick leads an after-school meeting in September. Guidance Counselor Joe Salisbury assisted Patrick in sponsoring the group.



SADD ROW 1: Carol Strotman, Tammy Witt, Heather Osburn, Melissa Lamb, Mary Rutherford, Amy Kirk, Angela Miller, Melanie Schreiber, Craige Phipps. ROW 2: Becky May, Becky Cantonwine, Kristen O'Hair, Jennifer St. John, Linda Campbell, Julia St. John, Kelli Payne, Jennifer Walker, Bobby Hatch. ROW 3: Bob Miller, Emily Hanks, Monica Folck, Amanda Elliott, Nikki Spencer, Jamie Patrick, Sam Green, Breanna Adams. ROW 4: Dan Parent, Tyler Ritz, Debbie Flint, Lora Rossok, Melanie Settles, Kathy McGaughey, Toby Hanks, Tammy Coleman. ROW 5: Josh Propes, Heather Rutherford, Lisa Gearld, Tina Coleman, Laura Blubaum, Craig Robertson, Cory Clark, Jeff Henderson.