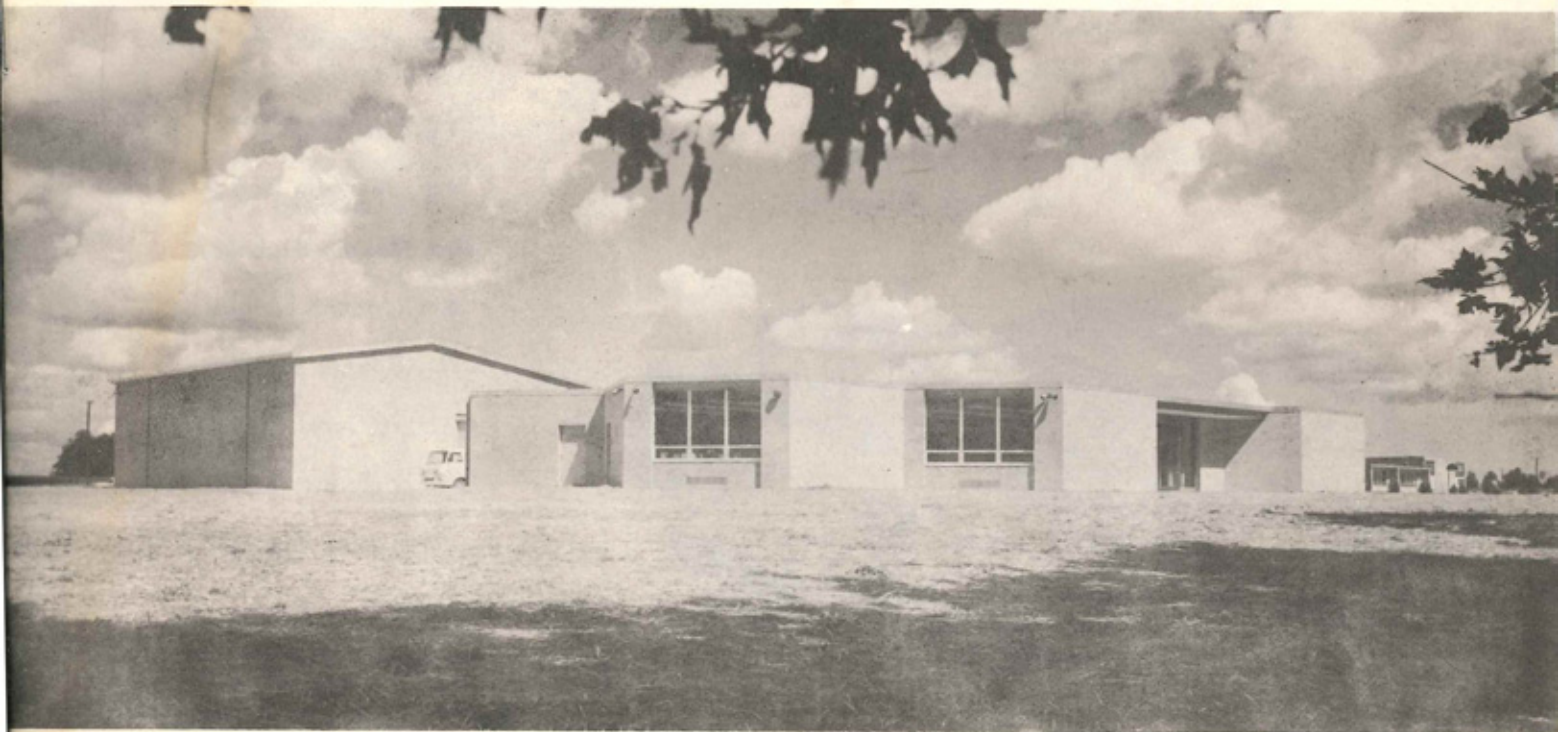


AN INVITATION TO THE WOOSTER COMMUNITY

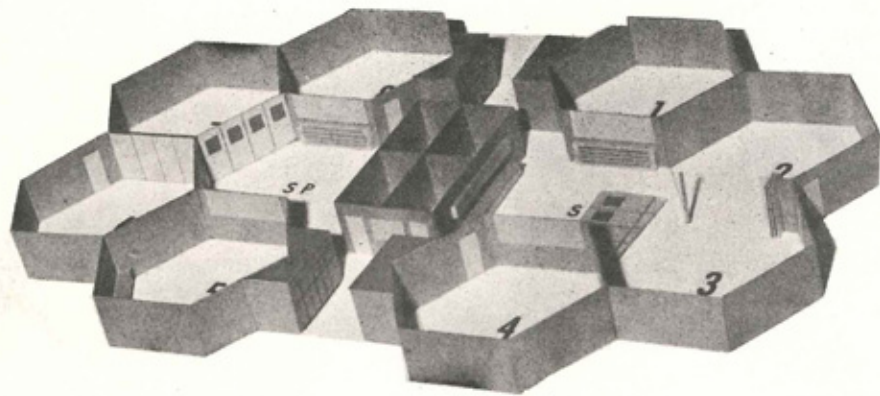
Dedication: Lura B. Kean School



SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1966 (2:30-4:30 P. M.) OLDMAN ROAD WOOSTER, OHIO

DEDICATION CEREMONY 3:30 P. M.

DESIGN
FOR
EDUCATION



SCHOOL DESIGNED TO MEET STUDENT NEEDS

SCHOOL STAFF

Mr. James Grand, Principal

TEACHING STAFF

Mrs. Jeanette Bowen

Mrs. Maxine Brubaker

Mrs. Joanne Leiner

Mr. Ronald Martin

Miss Carol Rex

Mrs. Harriett Secrist

Mrs. Mary Stucker

Mrs. JoAnne Koller, Secretary

Mr. William Evans, Custodian

Mrs. Marjorie Silver, Cafeteria Staff

GENERAL INFORMATION

Architects	Outcalt, Guenther, Rode, & Bonebrake
General Contractor	Freeman Construction
Mechanical Contractor	Remlong - Reece, Inc.
Electrical Contractor	Hilscher - Clarke Electrical Company
Site Development	Roland A. Getz, Inc.

BUILDING COSTS

Bids received September 16, 1965

General Contract	\$193,700.00
Mechanical Contract	50,325.00
Electrical Contract	30,850.00
Site Development	49,681.00
Fixed Equipment	6,824.00
Total Projected Costs	\$331,380.00

Construction Cost Per Square Foot \$15.11

FACILITIES

CLASSROOMS	8	TEACHERS' WORK AND STUDY ROOM	1
KINDERGARTENS	1	STAGE	1
SHARED ACTIVITY AREAS	2	STORAGE ROOMS	4
INDIVIDUAL STUDY AREAS	2	CLINIC	1
MULTI-PURPOSE ROOM	1	ADULT LAVATORIES	2
OFFICES	2	STUDENT LAVATORIES	2

LURA B. KEAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IS THE SCHOOL OF TOMORROW--TODAY. PLANNING BEGUN BY YOUR SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION AND THE BOARD OF EDUCATION IN 1964 HAS RESULTED IN ONE OF THE MOST FLEXIBLE, FORWARD-LOOKING SCHOOL PLANTS IN THE COUNTRY. EVERY SCHOOL BUILDING SHOULD HAVE THE FLEXIBILITY TO PROVIDE AN ENVIRONMENT SUITABLE FOR ANY CONCEIVABLE KIND OF EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITY: INDIVIDUALIZED INSTRUCTION; LARGE AND SMALL GROUP INSTRUCTION; MUSIC, ART, AND SCIENCE ACTIVITY AREAS; CONFERENCE AND LIBRARY AREAS; SHARED AREAS FOR TEAM TEACHING; SEPARATED SPACE FOR INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC INSTRUCTION AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION; INDEPENDENT STUDY OR LEARNING LABORATORY SPACE; AND HOME ROOM OR HOME GROUP AREA WHERE BOOKS AND SUPPLIES ARE KEPT AND WHERE STUDENTS WILL SPEND A MAJOR PORTION OF THE INSTRUCTIONAL TIME OF THE SCHOOL DAY.

THE TWO CLUSTERS OF FOUR HEXAGONAL SPACES, EACH OPENING INTO A SHARED STUDY AREA THROUGH OPERABLE WALLS OR GLASS PARTITIONS, PROVIDE AN ENVIRONMENTAL FEELING OF FREEDOM AND SPACIOUSNESS WHILE ALSO ALLOWING FOR THE PROXIMITY OF OTHER TEACHERS AND GROUPS OF CHILDREN FOR INTERCLASS GROUPINGS OR TEAM TEACHING.

CHILDREN WILL MOVE FROM ONE LEARNING AREA TO ANOTHER; AND TO FACILITATE THEIR MOVEMENT, PORTABLE, DRAWER-LIKE PLASTIC TOTE TRAYS HAVE BEEN PROVIDED WITH WHICH TO CARRY THEIR BOOKS AND SUPPLIES TO THE NEW LOCATION.

EDUCATORS, ARCHITECTS, AND NEWSPAPER MEN THROUGHOUT OHIO HAVE SHOWN HIGH INTEREST IN LURA B. KEAN SCHOOL. THESE VISITORS STATE THAT WOOSTER'S NEWEST SCHOOL IS ONE OF THE FINEST AND EDUCATIONALLY SOUND SCHOOL DESIGNS IN THE COUNTRY TODAY.

DEDICATION PROGRAM
LURA B. KEAN SCHOOL
WOOSTER, OHIO
3:30 P.M.

INTRODUCTIONS -

MR. LEROY R. WATT, SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

INVOCATION -

DR. JOHN KINDSVATTER, PASTOR, ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH
OF WOOSTER

INTRODUCTION OF HONORED GUESTS -

BOARD OF EDUCATION
ADMINISTRATION OF WOOSTER CITY SCHOOLS
PRINCIPAL OF LURA B. KEAN SCHOOL
TEACHING STAFF
ARCHITECT
CONTRACTORS

PRESENTATION OF THE BUILDING -

MR. JOHN BONEBRAKE OF OUTCALT, GUENTHER, RODE &
BONEBRAKE ARCHITECTS

ACCEPTANCE OF THE BUILDING & DEDICATION -

MR. GEORGE GROOP, PRESIDENT, WOOSTER BOARD OF EDUCATION

DEDICATION RESPONSE -

MR. JOHN McSWEENEY, STUDENT, TEACHER, AND SCHOOL BOARD
MEMBER DURING MISS KEAN'S TENURE

INTRODUCTION OF SPECIAL GUESTS -

STAFF MEMBERS WHO SERVED IN THE WOOSTER
SCHOOLS WITH MISS KEAN

FORMER STUDENTS WHO ATTENDED SCHOOL DURING
MISS KEAN'S TENURE

MISS FRANCES KEAN

BENEDICTION -

DR. JOHN KINDSVATTER, PASTOR, ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH
OF WOOSTER

MISS LURA B. KEAN



THE WOOSTER BOARD OF EDUCATION DEDICATES THIS BUILDING TO THE SERVICE AND MEMORY OF ONE OF THE MOST RESPECTED AND DEDICATED TEACHERS AND ADMINISTRATORS OF THE WOOSTER CITY SCHOOLS.

IN THIS MANNER, THE BOARD OF EDUCATION HOPES TO HONOR NOT ONLY MISS KEAN BUT ALSO ALL OF THE FACULTY MEMBERS WHO HAVE SERVED THE CHILDREN OF WOOSTER WITH COMPETENCE AND DEDICATION.

MISS LURA B. KEAN WAS BORN IN WAYNE COUNTY, OHIO. SHE ATTENDED SCHOOL IN WAYNE COUNTY AND COMPLETED HER BACHELOR OF PHILOSOPHY DEGREE FROM THE COLLEGE OF WOOSTER IN 1889.

BEFORE COMING TO THE WOOSTER CITY SCHOOLS, MISS KEAN TAUGHT IN MASSILLON, RICHWOOD, AND MIAMISBURG.

MISS KEAN CAME TO THE WOOSTER CITY SCHOOLS IN 1896 AND HELD THE POSITION OF PRINCIPAL UNTIL HER RETIREMENT IN 1931.

DURING THESE 35 YEARS SHE TOOK A VERY ACTIVE LEADERSHIP ROLE IN THE EDUCATION OF THE YOUTH OF THE WOOSTER COMMUNITY.

SHE ALSO WAS ACTIVE IN THE LOCAL, STATE, AND NATIONAL EDUCATION ORGANIZATIONS SERVING AS A MEMBER AND AN OFFICER IN THE WOOSTER EDUCATION ASSOCIATION, THE NORTHEAST OHIO TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION, AND THE NATIONAL EDUCATION ASSOCIATION.

MISS KEAN WAS ALSO ACTIVE IN CIVIC ORGANIZATIONS AND WAS A MEMBER OF THE METHODIST CHURCH IN WOOSTER.

MISS KEAN WAS STERN, FAIR, DEDICATED, AND COMPETENT IN THE FIELD OF EDUCATION; BUT MOST IMPORTANT, SHE WAS A CONCERNED FRIEND OF ALL THE YOUTH OF HER TIME.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

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Mr. Ralph Beechy, Assistant Superintendent

Mr. Richard Dragin, Director of Elementary Instruction

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