

My Drum Corps Scrapbook –Winter 1970 - 1971

The following are excerpts of what I wrote in my scrapbook and any programs, newspaper articles or corps contest announcements that I collected.

Sometime early 1970 a decision was made to go from Jr. B to Jr. A drum corps category.

We had a number of fundraising events:

- Parents Association Dance
- Sell Fertilizer
- Sell raffle tickets
- Sponsored Walk-a-thon
- Parades



March 13, 1970 Scarborough, Ontario, Canada. Ontario small group and Individual Championships at Cedarbrae Collegiate.

March 27, 1970 Ottawa, Ontario, Canada. National Individual Championships and Canadian National Colour Championships. Hosted by Cadets Lasalle.

We traveled from Toronto to Ottawa and stayed at the Beacon Arms hotel. Our room had 10 girls in a 4 person room. I stayed up all night because I had to go back to Toronto early in the morning because there was practice at the General Electric parking lot.



—Star photo by Frank Lennon

COMPETITORS WITH A LOT OF BRASS

Sharon Jensen and Debbie James, of Markham, Ont., calling themselves "The Collegiates," play a brass duet during the small group and individual champion-

ships of Ontario Drum Corps Association on Saturday at Scarborough's Cedarbrae Collegiate. Besides horns and drums there were sabre and rifle drill displays.