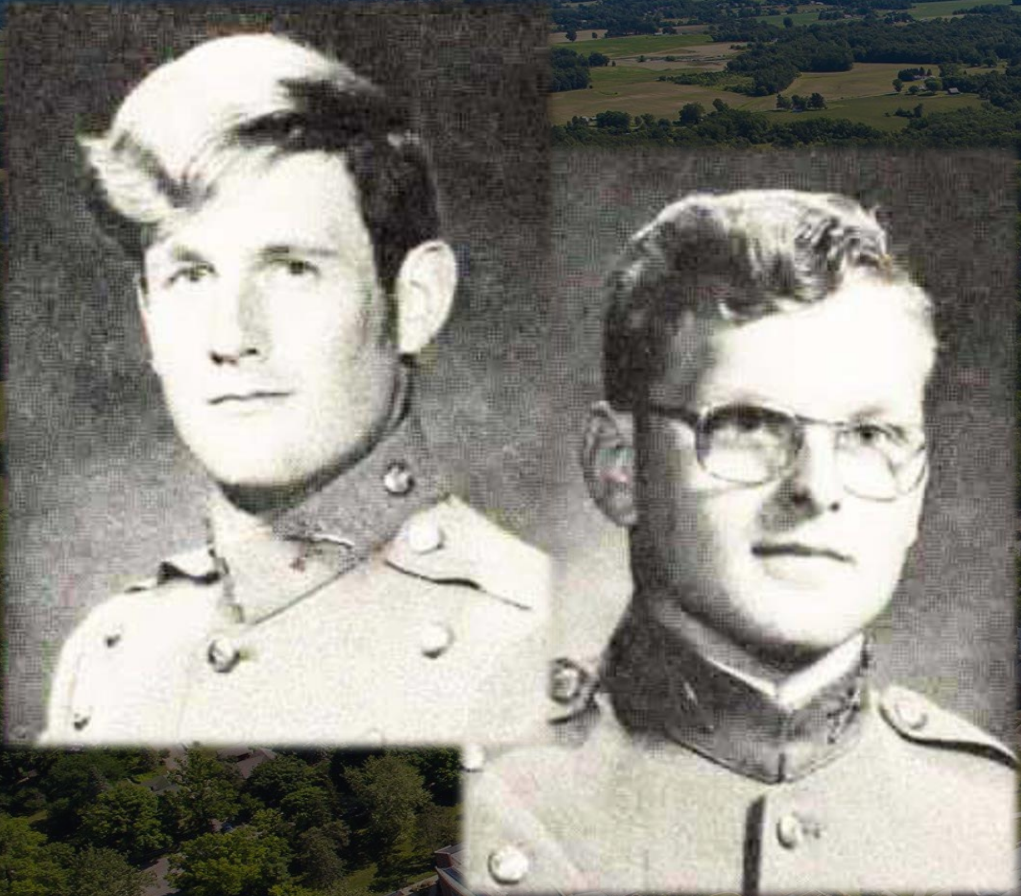


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**Captain
Bill Brewer
Lee Robinson**



**Coach
Phil Mallory**

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The following students have been awarded Varsity and Junior Varsity Letters in Canoeing for the 1974 season:

<u>VARSITY</u>	<u>Org.</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>No. Yrs.</u>		<u>JUNIOR VARSITY</u>	<u>Org.</u>	<u>Class</u>
			<u>Award</u>	<u>Won</u>			
Bozie, P.J. ✓	C	2		1	Barry, P.F. ✓	C	4
Brewer, W.H. (Co-Capt) ✓	C	1		3	Bortner, G.L. ✓	Bd	1
Dettmers, K.R. ✓	B	2		1	Duntzman, J.B. ✓	BC	4
Faulkner, J.C. ✓	A	3		1	Kim, C.Y.B. ✓	C	2
Graham, W.M. ✓	C	1		1	Loupee, B.J. ✓	BB	2
McCullough, R.H. ✓	C	2		1	Luke, R.M. ✓	C	1
Murray, L.E. ✓	BB	2		1	McGraw, R.V. ✓	BB	4
Robinson, L.G. (Co-Capt) ✓	E	1		3	McKee, R.A. ✓	Bd	1
Sharkey, G.C. (Mgr) ✓	BA	2		1	Newcomb, W.C. ✓	BC	3
Shumate, J.P. ✓	TA	2		1	Perbix, J.M. ✓	Bd	3
					Springston, R.S. ✓	BB	3
					Warr, D. ✓	B	3

Charlett, R.L. ✓ GN 4
Shriber, A.J. ✓ GN 3

NUMERALS

Conner, C.P. B 5
Lane, J.D. BC 5
Mills, S.J. E 5

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Culver Canoeist Paddles To National Championship

Attaining the title of champion brings moments of intense satisfaction and pride.

This pride can also come to a group which claims some association with a champion. Culver, and in particular, its canoe team, can readily justify such a feeling.

LEE G. ROBINSON, a member of Company B, received an opportunity this past summer that to many can only be a remote dream. Travelling to Buchanan, Michigan, Lee participated in the Canoe - Kayak Jv. World Championship Training Camp from July 9-21. On July 15, he was chosen to represent the United States in Poland.

His contingent left Chicago, bound for Frankfurt, Germany, on July 22 and made its way through Berlin, then East Germany to Poznan, Poland. Walcz, Poland, was the final destination and site of the Polish training encampment. There they trained twice a day, at 6:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., in preparation for paddling events.

Robinson was a member of both the C-7 (seven-man) and C-2

(two-man) teams. Those teams of which he was a member ranked fifth and tenth, respectively. In Russia, Rumania, Hungary, and Poland, canoeing is the national sport, and often government endowed. From these countries came the teams which bested the U.S. A total of 24 nations competed.

The athletes then returned to the states, moving directly for Seattle, site of the 1973 National Champions. As a member of the C-4 team which claimed first in C-4 Junior Men and Senior Men in the 1000 meter, Lee was twice named a National Champion. Working with a noted Indiana paddler, John Diebold, he shared second place in the C-2 Jr. Men's 500 meter competition.

Lee embellished his record of experiences once again when he was selected to participate in the North American Championships in Toronto, Ontario, on Aug. 25-26. Facing spirited competition in the C-4 1000 meter races, his team lost a third place to the Canadians by .3 of a second, while the Canadians also swept the first two.



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1973-74 Racing Schedule

Sept 16

**Wabash River
Wabash, IN**

Oct 13-14

**Whitewater River Race
Indianapolis, IN**

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The outlook for this year's varsity canoe team perhaps is not too favorable, since, according to Coach Phil Mallory, "I expect to have only one boat in the top three in every race, but out of 20 boats, only one boat really has racing experience. The sport is growing and competition is becoming stiffer."

Lee Robinson, who represented the U.S. in junior world competition last year, is this year's captain, accompanied by Bill Brewer as his first canoe partner. Together, they will lead this year's squad into five canoe races, including one at South Bend on Mothers' Weekend, the biggest race in the U.S. except for the Nationals.

The other four races will be with Crawfordsville; Alpha, Ohio; Elkhart, and Sydney, Ohio.

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1973-74 Racing Schedule

April 20-21 **Sugar Creek River Race**
Crawfordsville, IN - 22 miles

April 27 **Beaver Creek Race**
Alpha, OH

May 5 **Mid-America Race (Fox River)**
St.Charles, IL

May 11 **St. Joseph River**
South Bend, IN

May 18-19 **St. Joseph River**
Elkhart, IN b

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Young teams take to the waters

The Culver Varsity Canoe team paddled with much success this year.

Guided by Co-captains, Lee Robinson and Bill Brewer, and coached by Mr. Philip Mallory, a young, restless group of newcomers worked hard among a strong frame of experienced canoeists.

Outstanding members were Lee Robinson, who competed in the Junior World Championships in Europe, and Bill Brewer, who teamed up with Robinson to paddle one of the fastest boats in Indiana.

Next year holds great promise with returning lettermen Barney McCullough and Greg Sharkey.



A. Junior World Champion Lee Robinson and Bill Brewer take it slow after a vigorous workout. B. Two of Culver's top canoeists, Bill Brewer and Lee Robinson, pose with Mr. Phil Mallory. C. Crew team works hard to beat the...

The canoe team, captained by Bill Brewer and Lee Robinson, rounded out the season with nineteen trophies and numerous ribbons from all events.

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