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NHS students' opinion: They don't have one

Uncommitted wins; Dole second

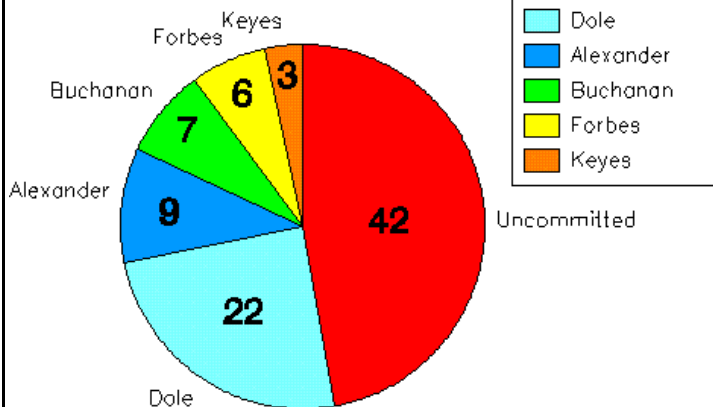
In all of the seven Presidential Primaries in Connecticut history, there has always been a space on the ballot labeled "uncommitted." It's for voters who want to exercise their right to vote, but don't have a preference among the field of candidates.

Uncommitted has never been a major factor in past primaries. It has never reached double-digits, or even won a single delegate.

But if you believe the results of a *LR Times* poll conducted Thursday, Friday, and Monday at NHS, that may change this year.

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Who is your choice for the Republican nomination?



IT'S ON TO THE FINAL FOUR

With win, Indians reach semifinals



"Now is the time to rest your hopes on Hope Hill Road and believe."

Those were the words of wisdom from Newington girls basketball head coach Sandy Pilz Monday as the team bus moved towards their big tourney showdown with Masuk High School of Monroe.

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Masuk's streak is over; Indians' run continues



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Hope Hill Road is the name of the road where Sheehan High School, the host site of the game, is located.

And Newington had plenty of reason to hope and believe in themselves Monday night, as they defeated third-seeded Masuk, the seventh-ranked team in New England, which had previously won fifty consecutive games. Newington won by eleven, but at one time, they actually led by 24 points.

"Even in my wildest dreams, I didn't ever expect us to be ahead of a team with a 50-game winning streak by 24 points," Pilz said after the game.

Newington advances to play #2-seed Norwich Free Academy, #3 in New England, on Wednesday at 7:45 PM in Glastonbury in a Class LL semifinal.



Uncommitted wins *Times* student poll

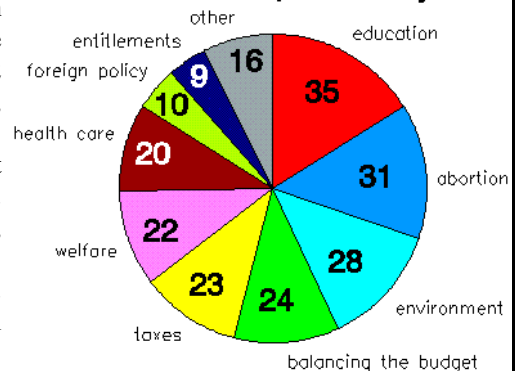
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The survey, which was taken by students in Mrs. Norby's third, fourth, sixth, and seventh period classes, indicated a landslide win for Uncommitted. The no-preference choice got 42 votes, 47% of the total cast. Bob Dole, the leading candidate vote-getter, received 22 votes, followed by Lamar Alexander with 9, Pat Buchanan with 7, Steve Forbes with 6, and Alan Keyes with 3.

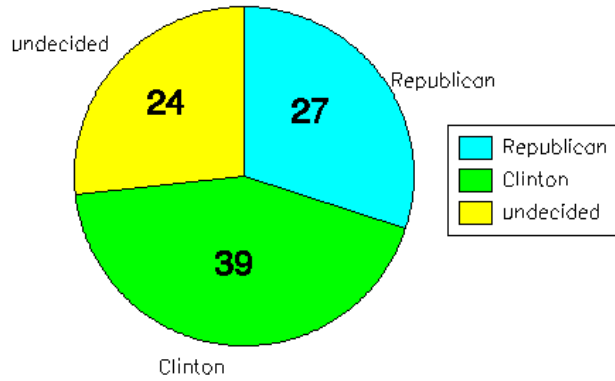
Another part of the survey asked what campaign issues are most important to students. Students could vote for three issues or less. Education got 35 votes; abortion had 31 (21 pro-choice, 10 pro-life), followed by the environment with 28.

For results of other parts of the poll, please see charts on page three. Also, more comprehensive information about this entire survey will be printed in a special Thursday edition of *The Living Room Times*.

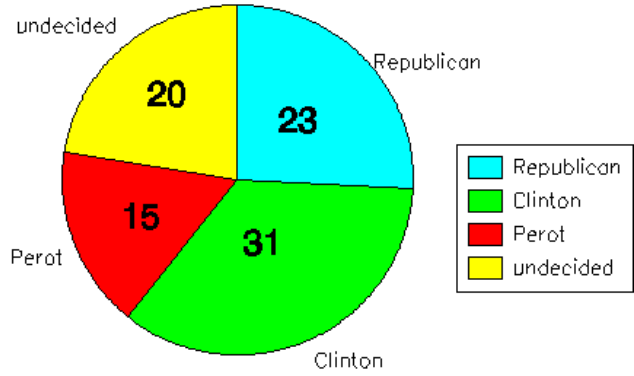
What three campaign issues are the most important to you?



Who are you likely to support in November without Perot on ballot?



Who are you likely to support in November with Perot on ballot?



How Ross Perot supporters voted when Perot was not a ballot choice

