Varied styles step up the

pace on the dance floor as students and their guests wiggle their hips, wave their arms, and tap their feet. 1)Alif Umari, Foreign Exchange student at Davenport Central & sophomore Reagon Guy; 2)junior JJ Pierce; 3) senior Leland Houston, junior Tyler Cosner; 4)junior Juliet Bond, senior Andrew Willet, junior McKenzie Bauer; 5)sophomore Kielanie Sanders, junior Grace Lomelino.





Hot temps, hot gym, hot feet at HoCo







Securing the boutonniere,

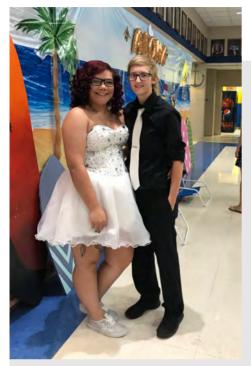
senior Coral Dillie cautiously attaches the peach rose wrapped in a shiny silver ribbon to senior Rudy Juarez's suspenders. "North dances are always fun and if they're not then you went with the wrong people," said Dillie. Photo by Emily Jones





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Hawaiian Paradise leis it on in hot



Aloha ambiance frames,

2016 graduate Selena Cuevas and senior Anna Shiltz as they take a break from the stifling dance floor in the coolness of the gym lobby. "Even though it was hot in the Big Gym, with the music and all, I had a cool time," said Shiltz. Photo by Liz Kriston

Not. only was Hawaiian theme hot, but the the past, even the music big gym was roasting as dance guests swayed, jumped, and wiggled to the beats of the three huge, high-powered

up my dress shirt sleeves, vents recycle the hot air." opened the collar, pulled "Even though the gym down the suspenders, and was very hot, 500 of our ditched my tie to be more comfortable in the heat," said senior Leland Houston.

One of the popular places to cool off was by the huge fan in the gym lobby by the concession stand.

"Girls let the breeze blow their skirts and guys let the cool air go up their shirts," said Mascot Victor of the heat, junior Tyler E. Wildcat as he watched from Richardson said, "It was so the coat check area.

In a survey of 50 dance attenders, 38 reported that the major improvement sophomore Haley some air conditioning because melt." overall they agreed that the

the dance was much better than in choices.

Though there fans, custodian Rita Long "Oh, I was so sweaty said, "Since there is no air on the dance floor. I rolled conditioning available, our

> students had a good time and the DJ did a good job with the variety of music selections," said Associate Principal Mike Orfitelli.

> With a twist of humor, senior Darius Green said, "The dance and the gym were almost as hot as me."

> To explain the effect hot that my girlfriend had to tell me to wipe my face off."

To sum up the heat, for the dance would have been thought she was "going to



2017 Homecoming Court

Front row: Kaitlyn Sparbel, Morgan Johnson: Row two: Coral Dillie, King Arif Saliu, Queen LaMya Lam; Row three: Rudy Juarez, Jared Beck; Back row: Derek Randolph, Darius Green, Kelsi Massengale. Photo by Mark Mess