

Boomers and Beyond

First senior ball a hit at Horizons

CANANDAIGUA — The disco ball glimmered in the spotlight, bubbles filled the air and a live four-piece orchestra laid the soundtrack as residents and students from the Canandaigua Academy's KEY Club ushered in the Big Band-era at Horizons. Dance cards were full during Horizon's first Senior Ball held May 22 at the DePaul Senior Living Community.

Champagne and sparkling cider were on tap as desserts, hors d'oeuvres and small boxes of butter mints adorned with the letter "H" were offered to attendees.

Residents, students and staff all donned their finest attire and one member of the KEY Club even saved his tuxedo from his Senior Prom the previous weekend for the occasion.

"The smiles, the laughter and interaction with the young adults were the



highlight," said Activities Director Curt Sanger.

Members of the Canandaigua Academy KEY Club, a Kiwanis International High School Program, have been volunteering at Horizons for about three years, according to Advisor Gail Kass-



Submitted photos

Horizons resident Charles VanDemar shares a dance with Canandaigua Academy KEY Club member Chloe Karnisky. At left, Horizons resident Jeanne Webster partners with KEY Club member Ian Brown.

Smith. They've spent time with residents during the holiday season and delivered homemade Christmas cards, said Kass-Smith.

For more information about Horizons, contact Administrator Melissa Brien (585) 396-3390 or visit Horizons on Facebook.