

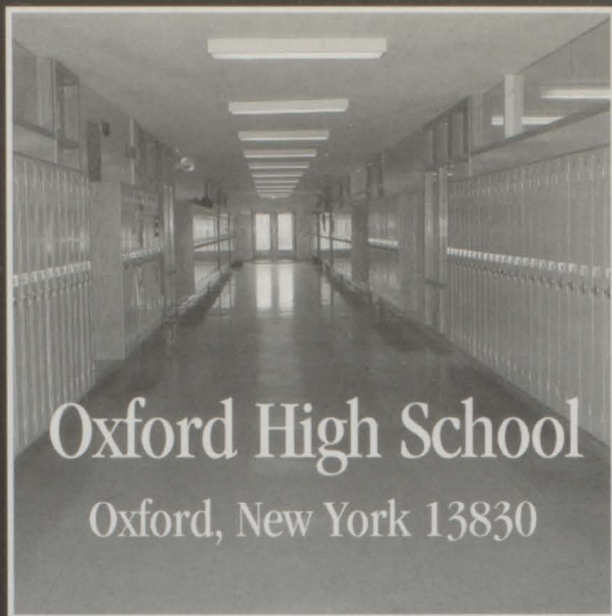
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IN WITH THE....



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Oxford, New York 13830

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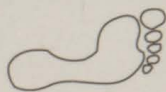
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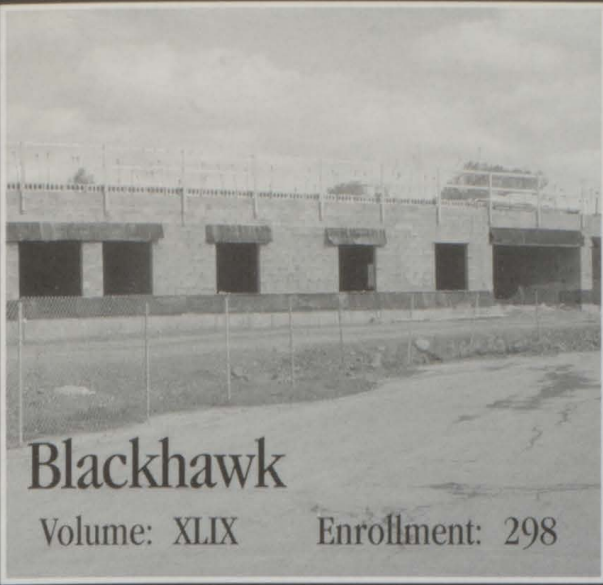


Matt and Jessy are hard at work on their art projects.

Here's Brittany, Jess, Jeff and Thom waiting anxiously in line for their lunch!

Nicki and Lynette truck down the hallway to get to their next class.





Blackhawk

Volume: XLIX Enrollment: 298

Academics **104**

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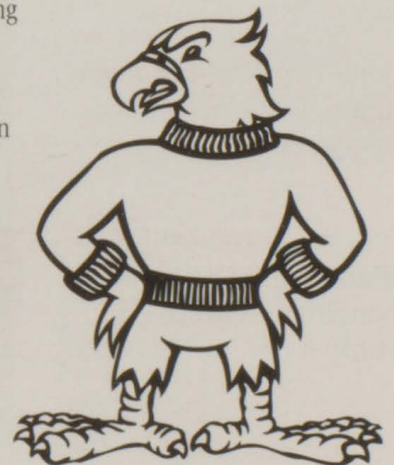
Two thousand and three
hundred and thirty
two

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Rachel, Reebe and Brandi grab a quick snack from the snack machine during break.

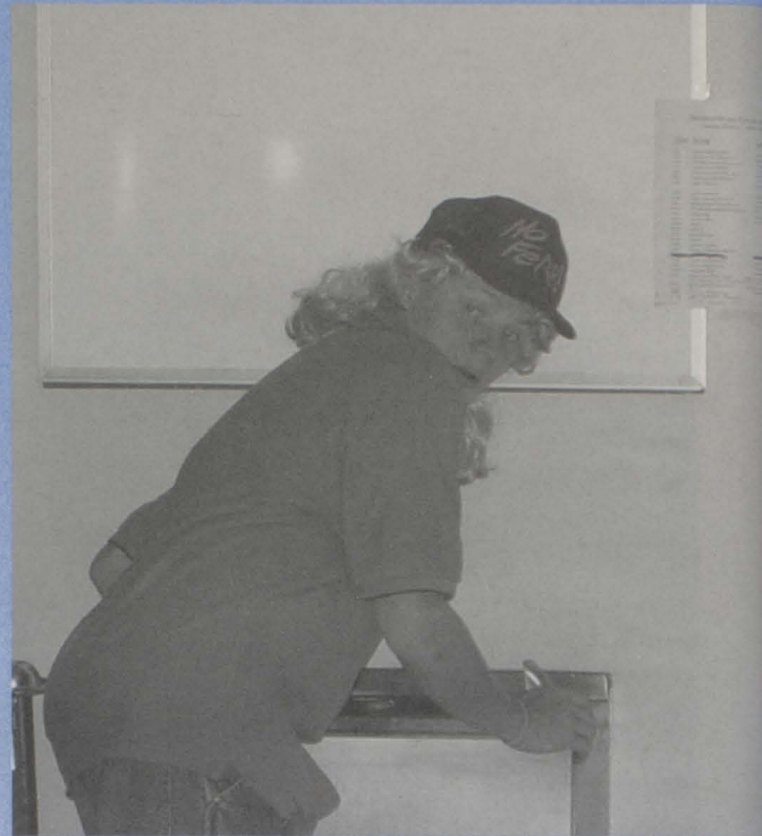
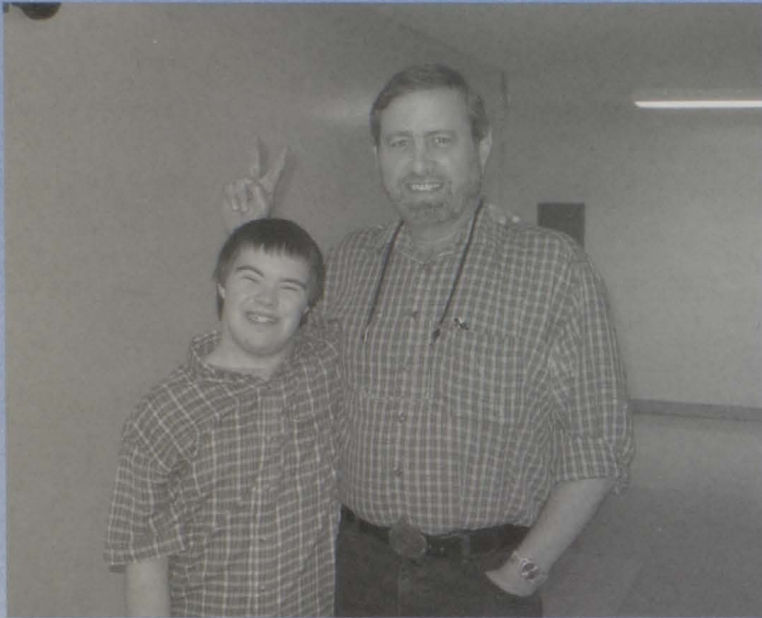
Ann, Maegan, Sara, Jess and Adrian are using their time well working hard in study hall.



Layout by: Reebe

Below: Well, that's not nice, Mr. Greenwood, but as long as Eric doesn't know, we won't tell!

Right: Nate Ford's caught off guard while getting a drink. It's a good look for you Thanny!



Tom, Dustin, and Chad use the computers on their lunch break.

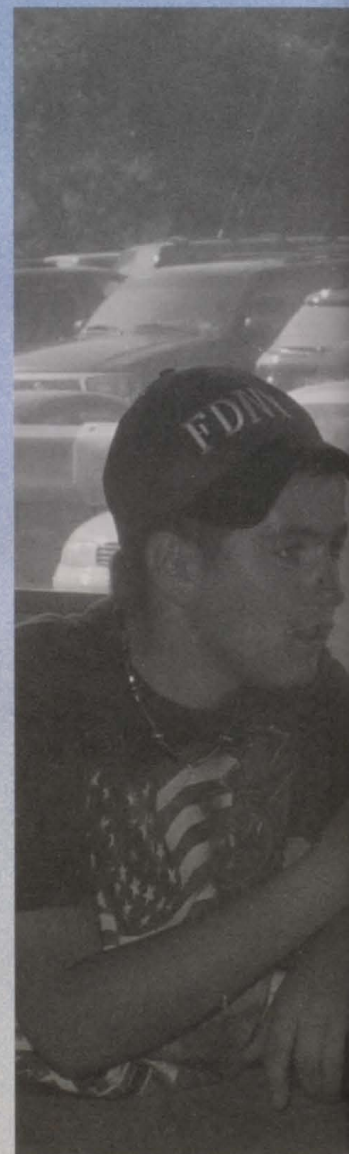
Joe's happy about something, while he's in the media center!



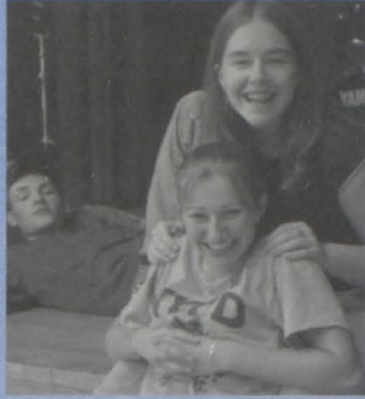
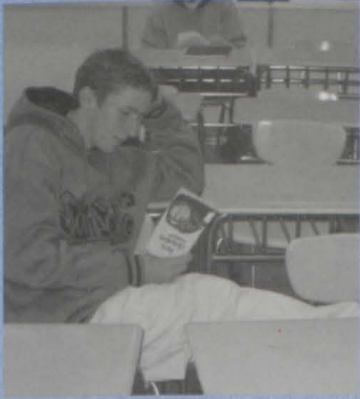
Rachel and Danica are hanging out during a study hall.



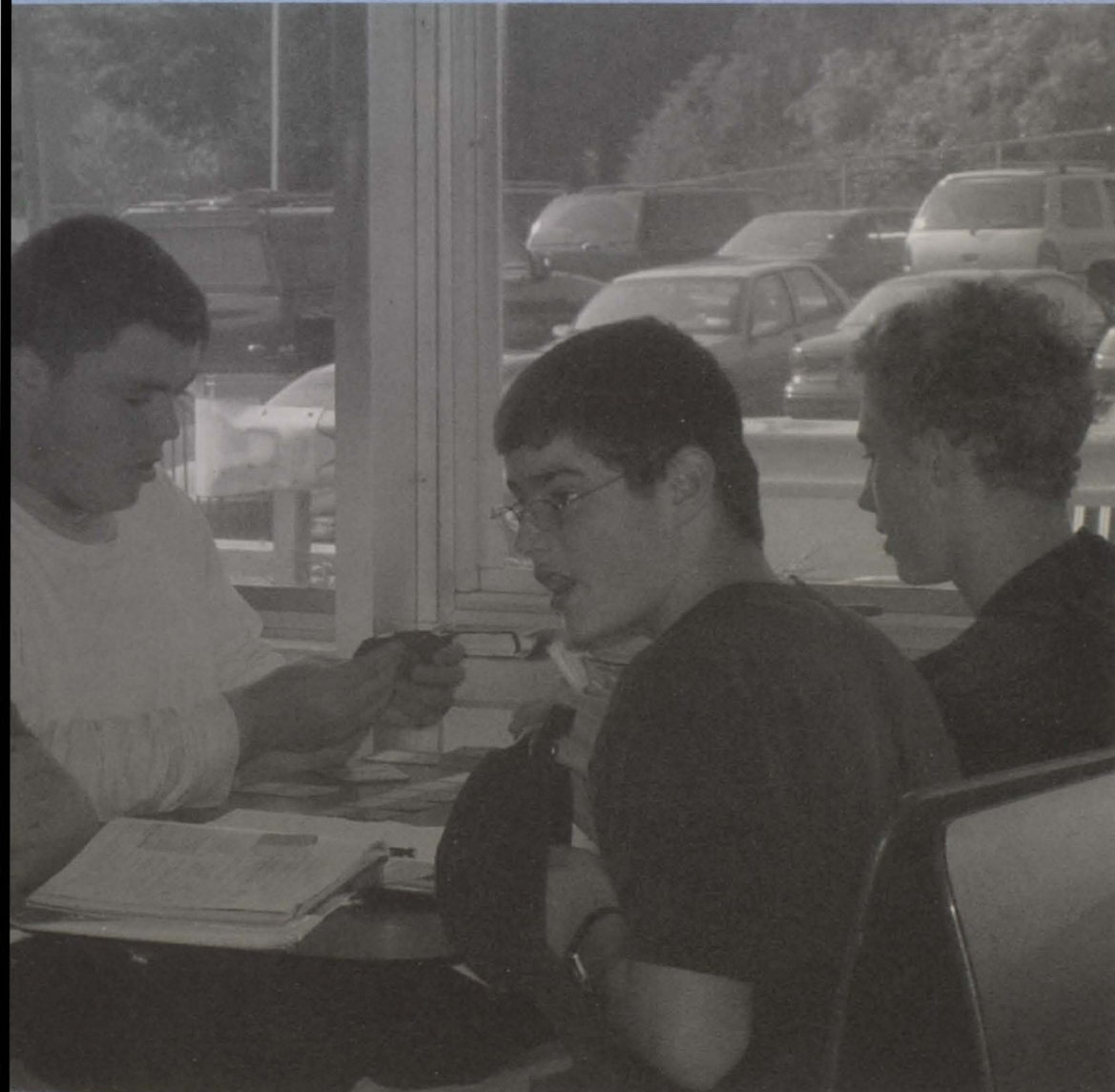
Trisha, Toni and Freas sit on the stairs during lunch and enjoy each other's company.



Just hanging around...



Students take a break and enjoy their free time.



Top: Dan, Katie, Ben, Ryan, Dexter and Justine take a break during lunch to relax.

Bottom: Sara and Luke get close before class.

Left: Mike, Nick, Freas, and Jared play cards in study hall.

Before & after

Mr. Hine talks about the new school.

"I am very excited about the new building. It's going to bring a lot of new opportunities to improve instruction. There will be state of the art science labs, the newest technology, wireless computer labs, video projectors, a modernized phone system and more classrooms. A 600 seat auditorium will accommodate concerts, plays and ceremonies. Eventually a 265 space parking lot will provide ample space for all events. All in all, this new building is a step forward for the district."



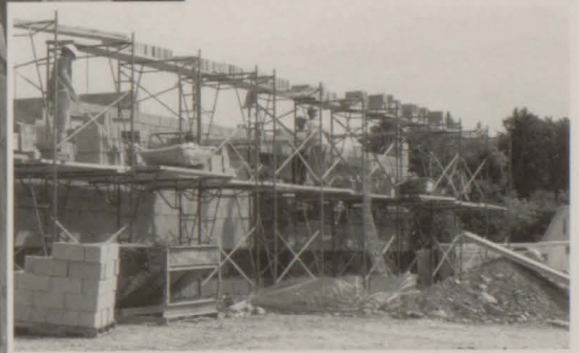
This is the last group of Freshmen to be entering our old high school which was built in 1963.

This is a familiar view of the existing high school that will be missed.



On the right it shows a sequence of events with our building project starting with the groundbreaking ceremony held on Saturday, March 9, 2002. Next came the grading process that started in January and then construction began. At this time the construction continues...





Here is the last group of seniors leaving the old high school behind....





Superlatives

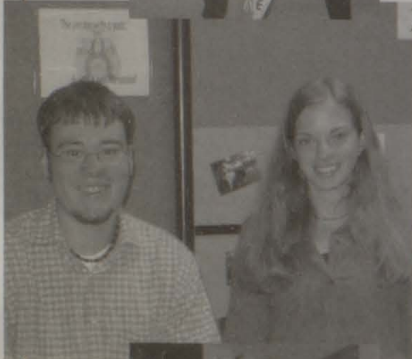


BEST STYLE

Ashley Bartle
and
Andy Gates



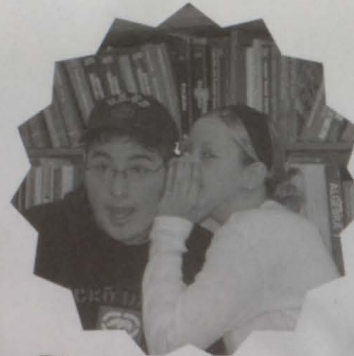
**MOST DAZED AND
CONFUSED**
Rachel Reynolds
and
Jeremy Wakefield



MOST MUSICAL

Jessica Freeman
and
Paul Williams

MOST INVOLVED Lisa Seaman and Andy Gates



**CLASS GOSSIP AND
LOUDEST**
Brittany Cole
and
Tim Taranto



MOST CREATIVELY EXPRESSIVE

Heather Seaman
and
Darren Golden



CLASS CLOWN Nicki Dean and Paul Williams



NICEST SMILE

Michelle Mayhood
and
Thom Kelsey



**MOST
SARCASTIC**
Nicki Dean
and
Gabe Morgan



MOST HELPFUL

Jess Bartle
and
Thom Kelsey

BEST SENSE OF HUMOR Nicki Dean and Tim Taranto



**MOST
TALKATIVE**
Michelle Baker
and
Tim Taranto



MOST ARTISTIC Heather Seaman and Tim Taranto

MOST HONEST Tom Locke

Class of 2003

ATTACHED AT THE HIP

Stephanie Green
and
Jeff Cronk
Nicki Dean and Lynette
Roys



FAVORITE TEACHER Ms. Benson and Mr. Godfrey

BEST PERSONALITY

Jenna Paul
and
Ben Gross



FRIENDLIEST Stephanie Green and Thom Kelsey



MOST GULLIBLE

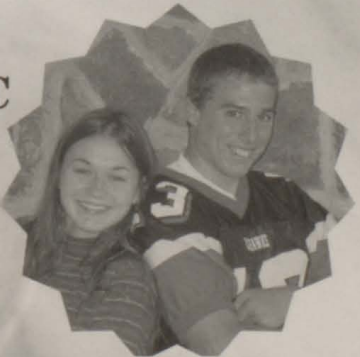
Katie Bates
and
Dan Zimmerman



BIGGEST WHINER Ashley Bartle and Dave Canaday

MOST ATHLETIC

Jessy Nelson
and
Brad Aldrich



BEST DANCER Katie Bates and Andy Gates
and Michelle Mayhood



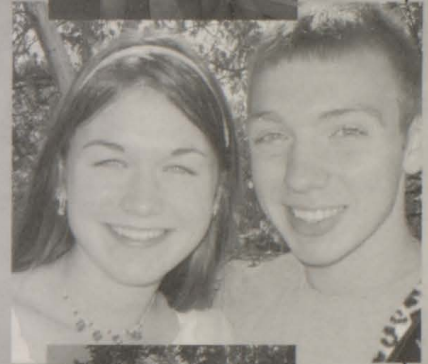
BIGGEST MOOCH

Katie Bates
and
Matt Franklin



NICEST EYES

Jessy Nelson
and
Thom Kelsey



BIGGEST FLIRT

Nadine Cook
and
Jeremy Wakefield



MOST AMBITIOUS

Lisa Seaman
and
Paul Williams



QUIETEST

Vicky Cluff
and
Tom Locke



WORST DRIVER

Elizabeth Spreutels
and
Frank Diamond



Prom 2002



King and Queen
Jeffrey Chesebro & Jessica Nelson



*From This
Moment*

The fountain on the promenade.

2002 Prom Court

Back Row: Paul Williams, Frank Diamond, Ben Gross; Front Row: Katie Bates, Jamie Sabines, Dan Zimmerman, King: Jeff Chesebro, Queen: Jessy Nelson, J.J. Shapiro, Ashley Bartle, Nadine Cook, Michelle Mayhood





Look at all the Juniors shaking their things.

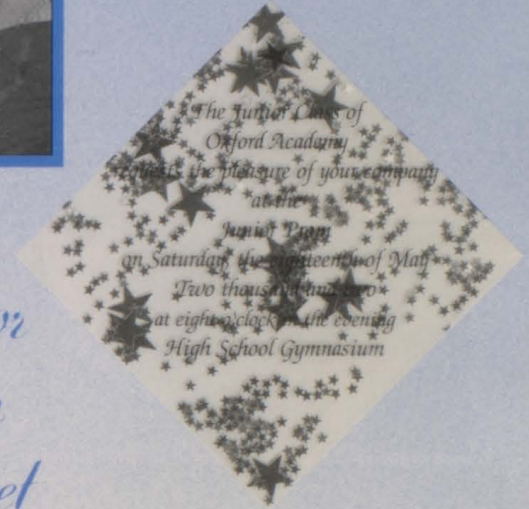


Paul and Sam show us their break dancing moves. You go guys.



Jammin'
Nadine, Amanda, and Jenna show off their dancing skills. Show 'em what you're working with.

Junior Prom Ticket



The Junior class of Oxford Academy requests the pleasure of your company at the Junior Prom.

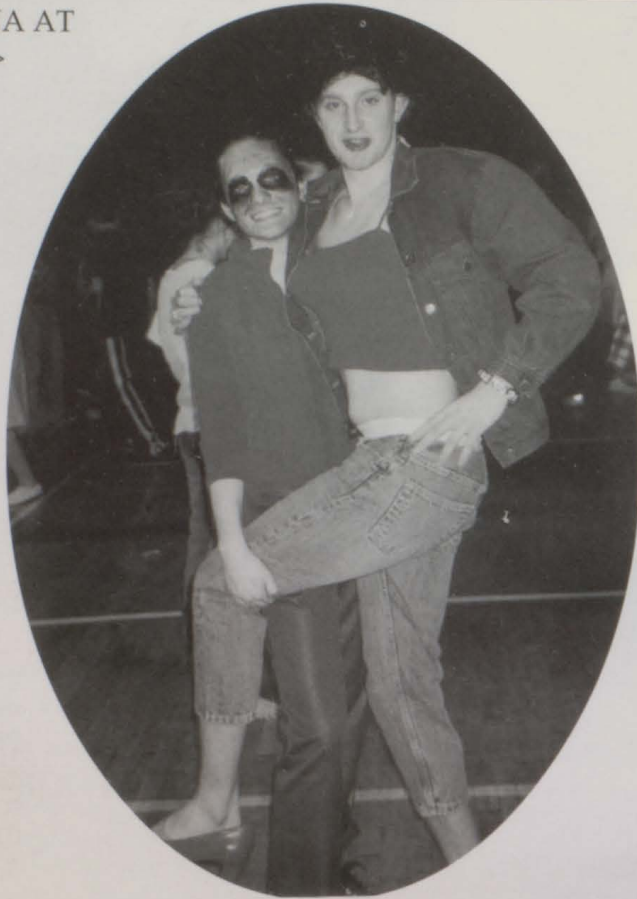
An experience I'll never forget

Our prom really brought out our class unity. Everyone on the prom committee gave a helping hand to setting up and taking down our many decorations. Prom was an experience that many of us won't forget. Besides just setting up and taking down, we had a chance to express our creative ideas and just be with friends.

~Jenna Paul

Looking Back...

>ANDY AND JENNA AT AIR BAND IN '01!! >



FROM TOP: NICOLE, LYNETTE, MIRANDA LAUREN- THE 2nd GRADE AT MARSHMAN FARMS -AWW THEIR FIRST DAY OF PRE-SCHOOL!



ANDY!...WHAT ARE YOU DOING TO DAN!?!?



ABOVE :THE "BROWNIE'S" HALLOWEEN PARTY!

FROM TOP LEFT JESS, NADINE, AND HEATHER
- NATE, ANDY, JENNA
- ANDY'S 12th BIRTHDAY PARTY!
-THOM, ANDY, TIM, BRAD





HAVING FUN AT THE ZOO GUYS?!?!



MICHELLE AND NICOLE
AT THE SPRING TALENT
SHOW IN MIDDLE
SCHOOL



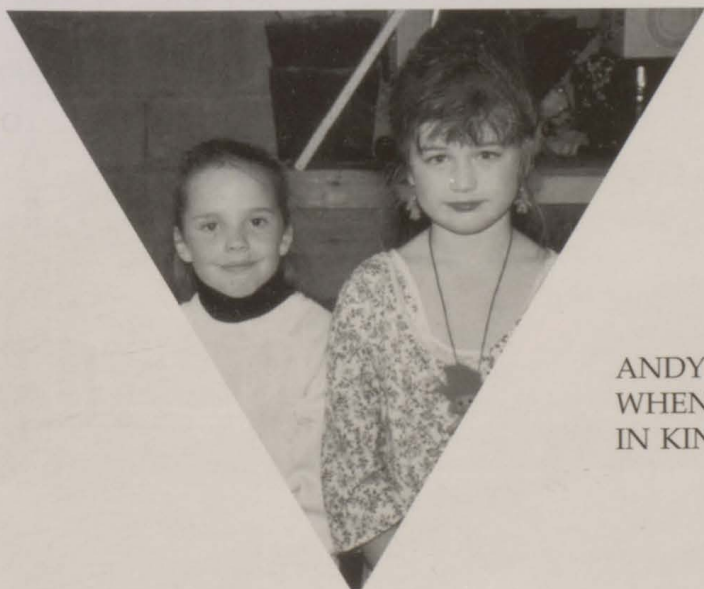
THEIR OM TEAM CAME
IN 2ND PLACE! GREAT
JOB!



> THESE BOYS ARE
CHEERLEADERS
FOR THE GIRLS'
GAME!!

THE GANG!

AWW, ASHLEY AND JESSY ARE SO CUTE!!



ANDY AND JOSH
WHEN THEY WERE
IN KINDERGARTEN!



Youth Center

She-Ra

Pete and Pete

Milli Vanilli

Power
Wheels

LEGOS

T.G.I.F

Osh Kosh B'Gosh

Skip-It

Family Matters

Bill Nye the Science Guy

M
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H
A
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Vanilla Ice

“Old School”

New
Kids on
the
Block

J
E
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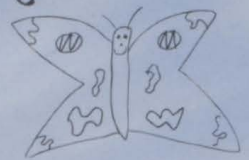
THE GOONIES

Saturday morning
cartoons

Scrunchies

Stirrup pants

Mouse Trap



J
A
C
K
E
T
S

Garfield

Night
Lights

Strawberry
Shortcake

American
Gladiators

L.A. Gear

wide leg jeans

DJ Jazzy Jeff

Clueless

Ghostbusters

90210

kick-ball

POGS

Paula Abdul

Full
House

light up shoes

Mario Bros.

Barbies

Easy Bake Oven

Tiffany

SALUTE YOUR SHORTS

OYSP

Saved By
The Bell

Rat-Tails
Bowl Cuts

My Little Pony

“Nickelodeon Shows”

Fresh Prince

GIGAPETS

Truth

KrIsS-kRoSs

or Lite Brite

Goosebumps

The Oregon
Trail

Dare

Thundercats

Pee Wee
Herman

The Grind

Banana Seat Bikes

Spin the Bottle

Salt 'n' Pepa

Fraggle

Mini Backpacks

A
T
A
R
I

G.I. Joe

Rock

Blossom

Ace of Base

Are you
afraid of the
dark?

Cabbage

Ninja Turtles

Patch Kids

Hey Dude
ALF

Where in the World is Carmen Sandiego?

Scooby Doo

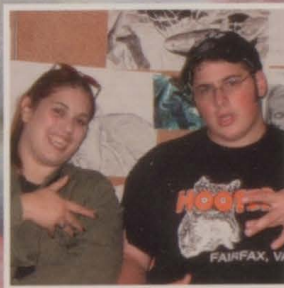
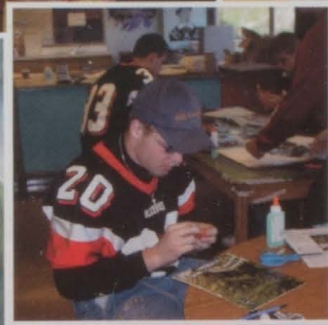
Snap Bracelets



Ren and Stimpy

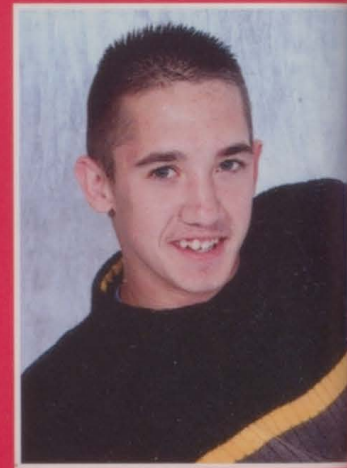
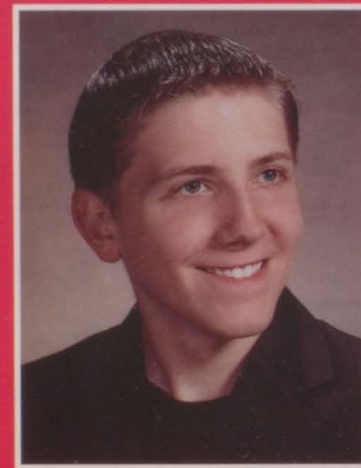
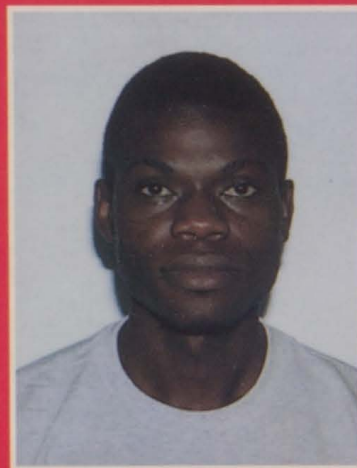
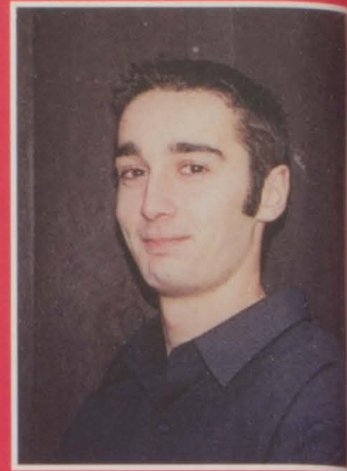
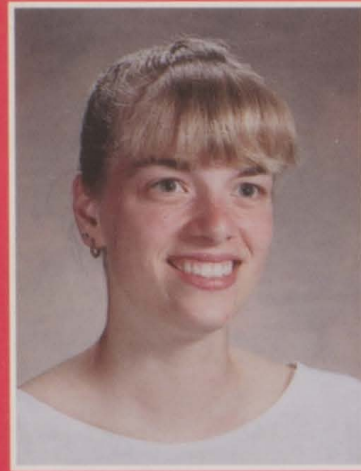
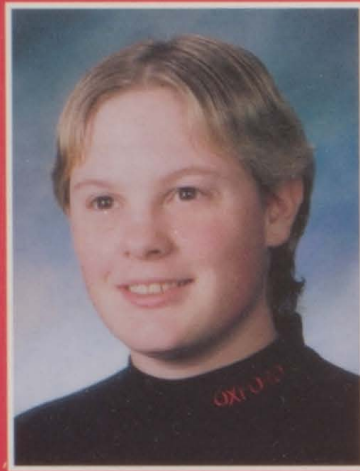


THE BEST OF THE TIMES



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Bradley C. Aldrich II
Ashley Bartle
Austin Bessong

Michelle E. Baker
Jessica Diane Bartle
Carine Bessong

Jennifer Barrows
Katie Bates
John Bradigan

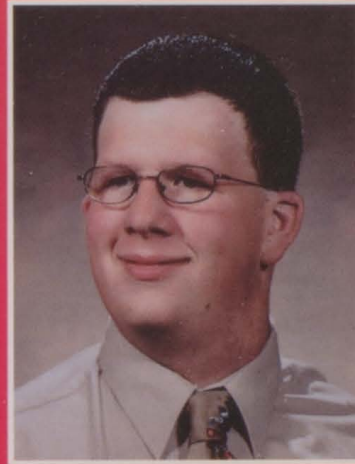
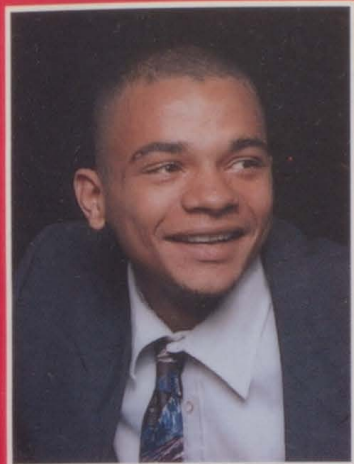
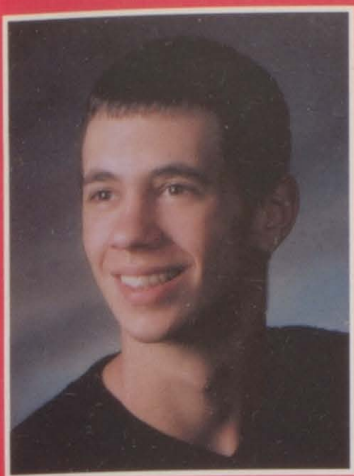
Timothy M. Barry
Lauren Benedicto
Mike Bush

Stephanie Vigus and Betsy Spreutels show their Halloween spirit.



Katie Bates tries to be like Megan Chesney.





Jeffrey S. Chesebro
James E. C. Davis
Lisa M. Favorito

Victoria Dawn Cluff
Nicole Anne Dean
Heather Lynn Fredenburg

Nadine Marie Cook
Frank H. Diamond
Jessica J. Freeman

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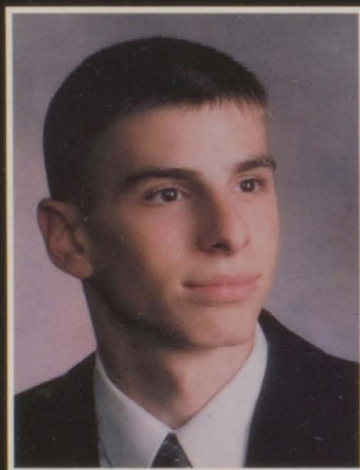
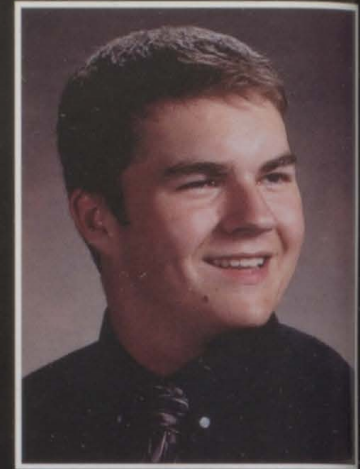
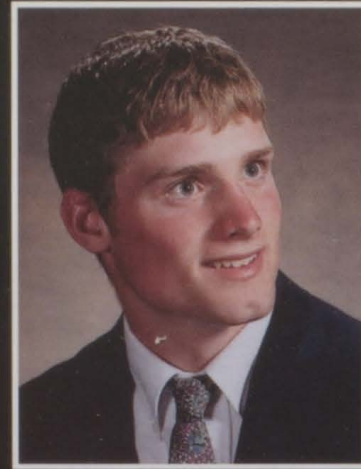
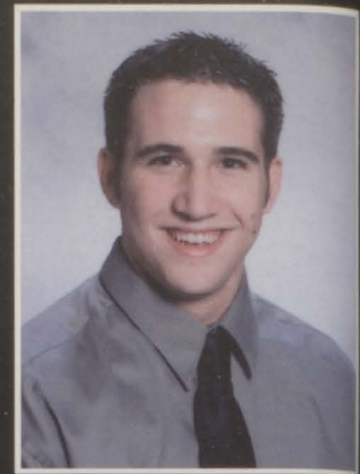
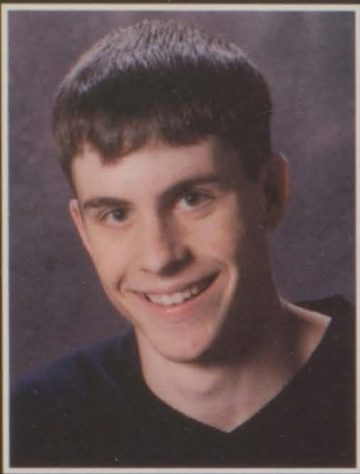


John Bradigan dresses up in his favorite hair style, the "MULLET".



Katie Bates, Jenna Paul, Ben Gross and Tim Taranto hang around in study hall.

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Darren R. Golden
 Katherine M. M. Kappauf
 Bradford S. Magnani

Lori M. Gomes
 Thomas Kelsey
 Michelle E. Mayhood

Stephanie Sue Green
 Thomas Locke
 Jessica Lee Nelson

Benjamin Gross
 Dustin M. Loomis
 Nicole Elyse Nenarella

J.J. Shapiro is working on homework in the Learning Center:

Andy Gates and Ashley Bartle show us their wonderful style of clothing.



Class of 2003





Shannon L. O'Connor
 Rachel Reynolds
 Jamie Sabines

Jenna Paul
 Evan Romaine
 Hezabea Seaman

Jillian Portuese
 Lynette Renée Roys
 Lisa Seaman

Jessica N. Reiss
 Melinda Leigh Ryan
 Joseph Michael Shapiro

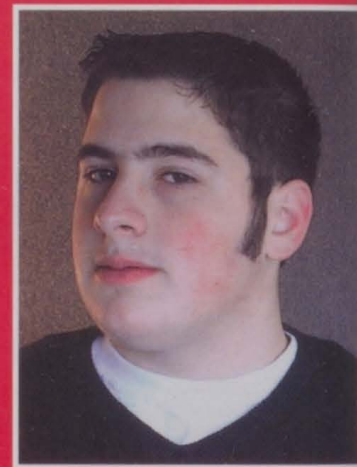
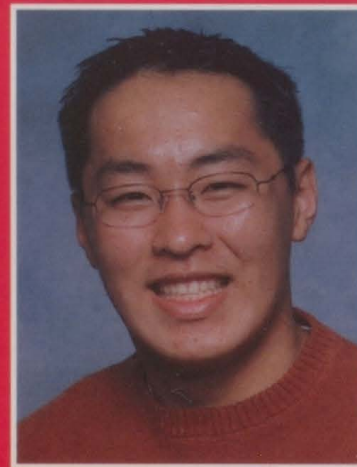


Carine Bessong is showing her face
 around the school.



Stephanie Green and
 Darren Golden do their
 work in class.

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Simon Shore
Missy Thurston
Paul Daniel Williams

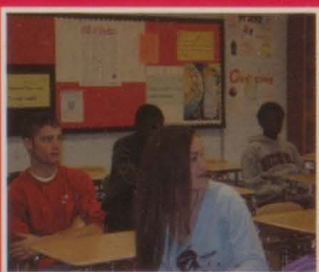
Chasity M. Simpson
Danielle M. Tomsa
Cassandra Zimmerman

Joshua M. Stanton
Stephanie L. Vigus
Daniel Lee Zimmerman

Jonathan Stazzone
Jeremy "Jerome" Wakefield
Timothy Taranto

Not Pictured

- Richard Button
- David Canaday
- Brittany Cole
- Matthew Franklin
- Josh Goda
- Ashley Menard
- Gabriel Morgan
- Yvette Smith

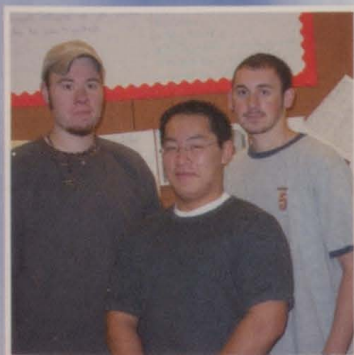
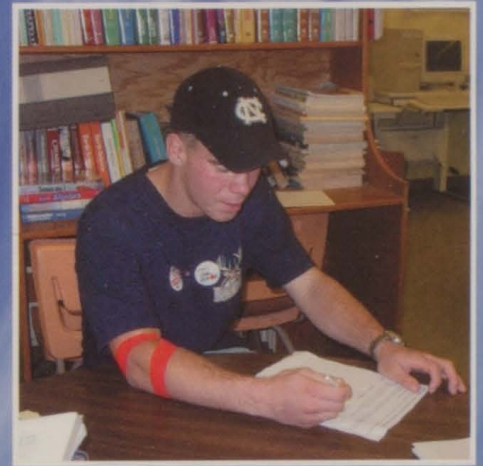
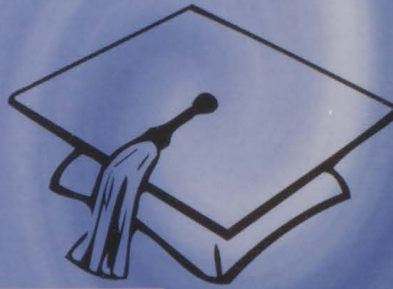


Jessy Nelson and Tom Locke are in homeroom waiting for the bell to ring.

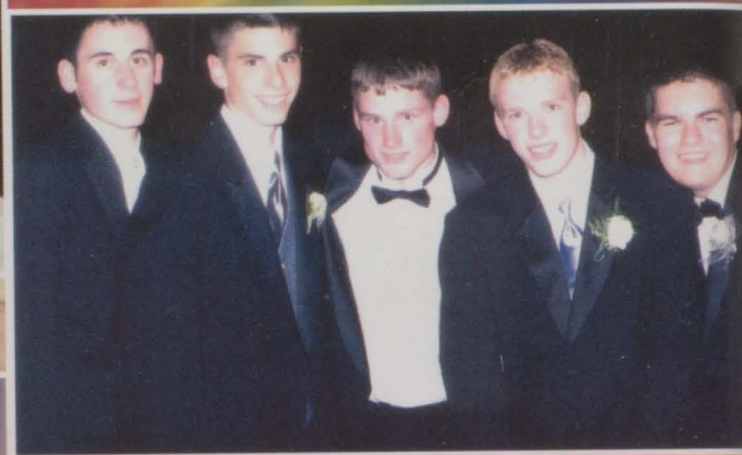
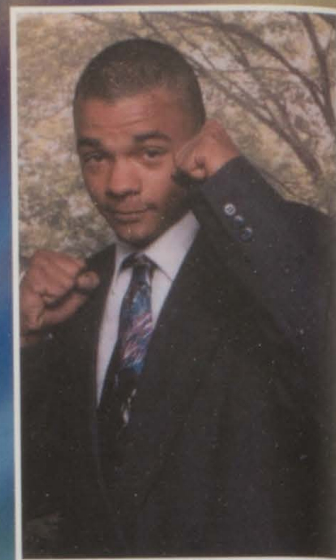


Brittany Cole is at prom with her date!

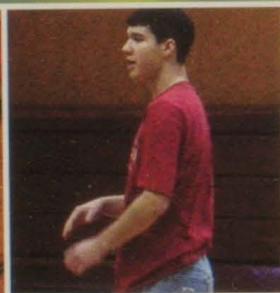
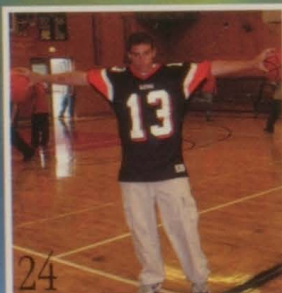
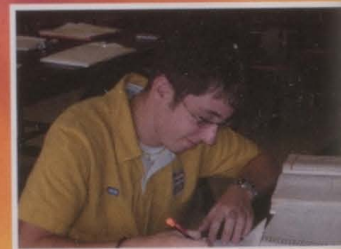
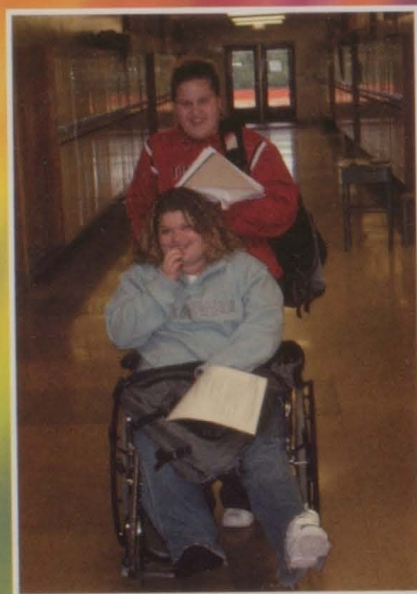
SENIOR



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Chad Reed Dougherty
 Nicknames: Chadly, Chader, CPK Sayings: "you know what", "Loser", "Freak", "who's driving the lag wagon? Oh wait I am." Fondest Memories: 5th grade dances on Thursdays. Washington trip. Cleveland trip. 7th Grade "Bud". Endless hours of 007 Golden Eye with Brad M, Josh S, Dustin L, Justin V, Brad A, Tom L, Darren G. Spying on Dustin and his GF at the movies. Riding 4 wheelers with Brad M, Josh S, Dustin L, and Tom Locke, playing hide and seek, and taping a flashlight

to my quad racer. That time when I was MIA and Dustin had to save me. The Oxfordians meeting the Norwichians. Soccer my senior year. Band, Jazz band, Marching band. The Guys coming over for late night jam sessions for our rock band Intermission. My 16th Birthday party, and my 18th Birthday surprise party at Brad's house. Home Comings. All the get-togethers after school. Weight lifting with Josh. Snowboarding with my brother and taking cool X games pictures. The incredible music created by Josh and Brad's farting hand's caught on tape. Police videos with Brad. Making Smart... tapes with Dustin. Making Smart... tapes with Darren. Snowboarding behind my Blazer with Dustin driving. My Blazer-good times. "oh hey ah..... we just came to play baseball with our glow in the dark bat and ball." Dustin's great campouts, and birthday parties like when it was below freezing. Brad's all-nighter Birthday parties. Countless hours of Counter Strike with Brad and Josh. Mine and Brad's stupid noises. Country Buffet with Dustin and his GF, Justin V, and my sister. The late night movie quoting time with Darren. Spying on Dustin and his mysterious. Darren and I Meeting the girls at 4th lake and then going on a road trip to see them. Boating at the lake with Brad and Dustin at 11:30pm. "The USS is taking on water." Bug spray is flammable. Yogurt fight. Running 2 miles on Virginia beach with Dustin. The Cabin. B-ball with the guys at lunch. Flipping the 4 wheeler. The Goldens PROM-Unforgetable, best times. All my friends, don't know where i would be without you. Thanks for everything.

Lisa M. Favorito

Nickname: Lisyy, Lousie Fondest Memories: Going bowling on saturday nights, hanging out at missy's and rex's. The time Michelle hit me with the car. Hitting the house at work. The time I put Michelle B in a chokehold in 4th grade, Rachel screaming at me to get off her. Bathroom floors. Having Michelle M living with me for my entire high school career. Prom 2002. Whale watch when Rachel got mad at me for trying to sneak someone into our room. Fighting with jerome. Lasting Impressions: Be smart don't do drugs. Future Ambitions: go to college, become a special ed teacher, marry jeff, have six kids, lots of horses, big house lots of land.



Matthew Franklin

Nicknames: matt, matty, matt-chew, rat boy sayings: its all good, to cool for me, i lost my way home can i go home with you, Rachel got any money!! Fondest memories: m3x all the way boys. "Its not just a game" good time on the hill with jiff dave and heather fire heather fire, prom with chip, rachel, chas, chelly, lisa and the others. turn itdown i cant see out in no mans land with frankys car or should i say no cars aloud, "jelly beans" fun time rachel if times, rachel you

going to kill me. Ohio trip, hey shut up wait what rachel what a fool , cow HORSE one of the the many fun night with the boys, jeff we shoot the same deer what the crap. fun times on down at the path. lasting impression: i want people to remember for always being there to make them laugh when there downor not in a good mood, always willing to have a good time and always there for my friends that are in need or just need to chill. Future ambitions: to STAY alive, go to collage maybe if i dont need it the better because its more school get a great paying job build my dream house where i can have a wife and kids to enjoy it with.



Heather Fredenburg

Jessica J. Freeman

Nicknames: Jess, Jessi, Jewel Sayings: I don't have any- with so many things to say, why should I say anything so many times that it is associated with me? Fondest Memories: Boston Trip, Mr. Cleney's pathetic effort to separate Ashley and me, Sherburne Pageant of Bands 2001, Jazz Competition in Pennsylvania - Taz, Literary Magazine, SOS-bed check and fire drill in the shower. Lasting Impression: Stand for yourself, independence is liberating, do everything you can, try anything once, take things one step at a time, but climb for the stars. Future Abitions: Music teacher, writer, give music to as many people as possible (music=joy), create a forum where creativity may prosper.



Brad Having the funniest kid in the world join us in fifth grade, Tim Taranto. Making the video for English with Thom at the library for some stupid book I never actually read. Playing basketball everyday in every summer since 5th grade with Thom. Spin the bottle and truth or dare being the best games ever in a 12 year olds mind. OM. Basketball camp with Brad, Nate and Goda. Playing ditch. Having camp fires. Bowling with Mule, Scott and Thom. Playing cards and smoking cigars with the fellas. Making sledding a competitive sport. Talking to Tim in the park 100's of times. Washington Trip and the Whale watch fiasco. Katie, Kristin and Thom takin' on Myrtle Beach and Florida. Summer nights with Ashley eating cheese pretzels and watching movies. Saturday night live, Survivor, Thriller and Jailhouse Rock. Prom 02' limo, dance and an amazing party -what more could you askfor. All the friends who have moved away during the years Matt, Garvey, Boykin, Whipple and my dawg Bennett. RYLA with Jessy. All the sports teams that meant so much. Faking to get out of class and to get a laugh (Mr. Kline had no idea I was faking) I still havent received that \$15 yet. Dan, Michelle, Katie K., Nadine, Jenna, Bradigan, Tory, Evan, Dave and anyone I am forgetting you know I still got much love for ya. 9/22 changed my life and Jenny I will always be your FDP. Lasting Impression: I hope I am remembered as being a good friend, having a good sense of humor and having fun, also being remembered as Michael Jackson's hot girlfriend and the one and only Elvis. Future Ambitions: Be rich and happy for the rest of my life.

Darren Are Golden

Nicknames-Macs, Witty, Son, Darren? Favorite sayings-Oh my aikin, oh boy, what a weirdo, Freak!, did I miss the song? crossfields!, PASS! Lasting Impression-HAVE FUN! Don't let anyone stop you from having fun. Future Ambitions-Go to College for art, and maybe pass a few classes while I'm



there. Fondest memories- pre-season soccer, being accused of stealing everyones girlfriends, prom!, Chad living in my house, Evan living in my house (durring soccer), pretending that I know how to sing for our band. INTERMISSION, HANK!(Amanda) Prank phone calls at Justins party. Going to vollyball games?????wow, diehard fan. trying to start a slowclap in EVERY CLASS. I ALWAYS ate it. Watching Tommy boy with Abi 100 times because it's THE best movie! Driving 10 different cars to school in ONE WEEK!?!? Party's with the guys. Having Ben and Nadine fight over my dad. Just not caring. Always laughing when Evan and Thom drove by. THRILLER! Playing THICKE of all things for Evan. Playing idiots solitaire for days on end, making those gum wrapper chains because of Abi, eating the same lunch EVERY DAY! Singing Lunch lady land by Adam Sandler while walking through the lunch line. Making the world record for most time spent on crutches. Paul counting how many times "someone" wore the SAME PANTS every day! "fellas", never hearing the announcements in homeroom. Scaring Jennifer on our night walk. Giving out OVER a million pieces of gum! Justin asking to kick me every day, always being called morbid, burying things for Heather, Going to sectionals with the best soccer team in the world! Dave Saving our lives at dustins party. Great art projects with glue Band BUS TRIPS! Playing tennis at lunch 10th grade. Playing the meow game with the soccer team. Spending most of my time in the nurses office. And I'm sure theres more but you all know I'm lazy, but I love you all, it's been a great 4 years!

Stephanie S. Green

Nicknames: Stephanie G., Step-On-Me, Jen, Stepher Bug Sayings: woohoo, stupid Fondest memories: "come here Jen" "her name is Stephanie", "Thank God for brothers", Romeo and Juliet, car shows, "they'll grow someday", serial killers, pool parties, walks through Norwich at midnight with Nicki and Lynette, Ygypt, eating a whole thing of raw cookie dough, Lynette's gum pants, Lynette's 16th b-day party, bowling with the girls, Danielle, bowling and Cassie, pigging out before practice at Lynette's, onion bagels and Cream Cheese, running over garbage cans, watching Shrek through Norwich, PIZZA HUT, Bing, with Nolan, Danielle, and Keith, "Only One" (Bates), "What are hotcakes" "Pancakes", late night talks with B, crushes and naming bears, Clyde Cole w/B, College Days with the gurls, Jeff: shopping, mac & cheese, movie days/nights, Shirley, chasing each other around the house, just walking in, gum wrappers, New Year's Party, just hanging out doing nothing, "my party", ~"Prom"- '01&'02, "the table", band trips, softball with cheese, Course 2, Florida, 4th of July weekends in Old Forge with Nolan, Homecomings, Sprit week (sophomore year), soccer bus talks, Dan Glover's party, my surprise 16th b-day party, bowling with the gang and Dan Z., 3rd period studyhalls, advise sessions in 4th period studyhalls, Chad stalling in the middle of an intersection, OZZFEST 02, Jess B. beating up my lil bro, Jess's house every weekend, Jess BFF!!!, Jessy N. and our talks about Jeff, massages, all the gum from Darren, Syracuse with Jeff and Jess R, Heather always there for me, Ben and our talks, "I LOVE YOU JOHN BRADIGAN", Dan G. and all the poking, talks with Sarah Locke, "I got shotty", Bing, w/Jeff and Heather, Throwing balls and toilet paper down the aisles of Price Chopper, "Chad" (J), camping with Heather, Amanda and Christie, table dancing, spotlights, "twist and go", "that's one nice piece of eye candy", Senior All-Star game, Darien Lake with Nolan and Schlane, Hershey w/the gang, "NO parents next year", sleeping in the camper w/4 people on one bed, "we are going to tip", WWF parties at J's, Nolan's Senior Banquet, and all the great times with Nolan The Lasting Impression you want to leave with others: That I was always there for someone when in need. I was the one that was always smiling or laughing. Future Ambitions: Graduate from college and become an elementary teacher. Marry a wonderful man and have 2-4 children.



Benjamin Paul Gross

Memories: Me and Brad lookin like twins, Washington trip 6th grade, 1st gus macker with thom, tom, brad, football at mikes house, waterboy (manager) for football team, Garvey, 5th grade dances, Tim's house being on fire, breaking my nose at Tims, wrestling after school at Tim's, Whale Watch, 8th grade science, Allman Brothers concert with my brother, all the GZ/LMT concerts, Freshman year Homecoming, June and all memories, Siberian Yak Cheese Orchestra, Josh Colin and Ryan, jamming with my bro and GZ, soccer sectionals as a senior and the senior classic, bball sectionals as a junior, all tournament team at the Harpursville tourney, all the Sidney Folks and my favorite one Jennifer, the Beatles, Mr. J and playin the sax. French 3 with Mrs. Schultz, my music that Jeg and June liked, all of the blues festivals, SRV, Prom and the other festivities, 3am on the rail-road tracks with Gabe, Dave's woods, playin ball with the greatest fellas in the world, all the days at the tennis courts, study halls with Katie and playin.



ping pong, Benny and Joon Foundation, JV football as a freshman, The night with Dennis and Jared, moe. In concert, bowling alley in Sidney with Scott, you ate it, senior homecoming dance, all the food at Andy's, FKAA, swimming at Thoms, my Queen, the Norwich bball tourneys, senior year preseason soccer, My Grandfathers and Mrs. Glover, OYSP playing/coaching/referring, student teaching with the 3rd graders, My senior year my sisters freshman year, my freshman year my brothers senior year, playing in jazz band with my brother, all the band trips, Rock and Roll hall of fame, Virginia Beach, Berklee Jazz fest. In Boston, art class, the good mornings from Mr. Tarzia, XSSL with Tory Tim and Nate, Band with Phil, 8th grade semi-formal dance with Nadine, Mr. Curtis during bball uhhh., Dusty coming to our school, play ball with Pat and Tyler, My stories, Bennett's war scar, My parents always supporting me, All the times in high school that I never want to end. Nicknames: Mule, Benny the Mule Sayings: You ate it, for real?, werd, all the movie lines Lasting impression: "You can't fake it, if you wanna make it, you've got to live it" Future Ambitions: Live in a van down by the river, and stay the way I am.

Katherine Mary Margaret Kappauf

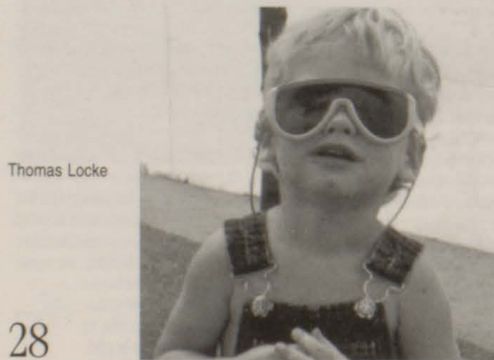
Nick Names: KT Katerbug Caitlynn Mary Margaret, Schnookums Memories: Hiding behind my living room chair with michelle and a knife. Camping at my cabin. Everyone always being scared out of their minds. Playing scrabble with Jenna, Ashley, and Tim, while eating chicken spied with chip dip. Hiding food fights with Andy place and Cory last year during lunch. Michelle and Jessy hiding in (the ghost room) with the guitar trying to scare Ryan. Jessy and Michelle on the runn a way horses god that was funny. Paddleboating with Jenna at the cabin. Monopoly in study hall with James, Nicki, Brandy and Brian. Ben and WAR. Taking drivers ed with Lauren, Shannon, and Lisa that was interesting. Nadia looking skinny I think you know what i mean. Always getting dafodilis from Jeff in the primary school. All those great times on the bus with Chuck :-). Thanks to Darren for the gum. My foot massage after prom thanks Chad. And of course we cant forget getting hit in the head all this year by DOC (thanks for relaying the family messages though). Thanks to my parents for being so supportive through out my educational years. Love you all. Lasting Impression: I would like to be remebered for always being there when you needed me. And always telling it like it is. Ambitions: Go to college and become a teacher and get a good job where I can have a positive effect on people.



Thomas Kelsey

Nicknames: Shake-N-Blake Sayings: "You ate it!" Memories: Washington Trip, Whale Watch Disaster, Undeafated, Gus Macker x5, Tennis courts, Andy's driveway, Beating Delhi, Soccer bus, Basketball bus, Stop DWI, Harpersville x-mas and Tom Schwan tourmys, New Years, Prom, Homecoming, Countless time spent at Tims and Andys, Marco Polo, Poker Nights, Jingle Ball, K-Rockathon/Dennys, Ben's Stories, Dave's house, WWF at Tim's house, Co-Birthday party with Tim, Ditch, SKH, Myrtle beach and Florida with Andy, Tree fort, Jackass tape, Ash's Cabin, Talking with Michelle about everything, Hanging out with the guys, The crash, Talks with Katie

B, Fires at A-trains, Sledding at andys, Floats and Spint week, and Having The Best Friends In The World!!! Lasting Impressions: Being a person that my friends can always come to if they have a problem and count on me in there time of need. Future Ambitions: Attend college and study Exercise Science and Fitness Development, Become a physical trainer, own a bloodhound, and be happy in everything that I do!



Thomas Locke

Dustin M Loomis

Nicknames:

Loomy, Loom-Dawg, Dust, Dancin' Dustin Sayings: "That's pensive." Per se, rock on, whatever floats your boat. Fondest Memories: 4-wheeling w/ everyone, b-day parties at Brad's, campouts in my backyard for my b-day, the tennis team and all the away games, bus rides w/Chad & Becky, the many car rides to Norwich w/Evan, Justin and all the ditch games at his house, Prom and after, many times at Kenny's, band trips, being the first to pee in Canada, the walk around the block w/ Dave, Tim's Sasquatch noises .getting ISI, almost dying of hypothermia at my campout, Albert-"Justin not breathing!" "I don't know how", saving Chad many a time, Tom's house and his home videos, Tom - "Just cover that part up.", shed windows w/ Brad, sledding accident w/ Brad, Josh's house after Sherburne, Tom and the cow calls, French Toast breakfasts w/everyone, Killing Ashley's bird w/ Brad and Josh at OM, The Norwich 4 and starting the Norwich dating thing; Josh, Lacey, Cait and Jamie swimming in the pond, wrecking Evan's dirt bike, countless dinners at Little Caesar's, and in general having the best friends a guy could ask for. Future Ambitions: To become a psychologist and live in a small town where I can still camp out like mad. Lasting Impressions: To always try to get ahead in life without bringing down the people around you and always be true to yourself.



Bradford S. Magnani

Sayings: "Rgr that" "zackly" Fondest Memories: That one Father's Day where Tom and I almost caught half of Tyner on fire. We were "burning bugs". Mr. Locke rushed over with a blanket thinking it was a wildfire (actually gasoline induced) and threw it on. In 20 seconds, there was nothing left of the blanket and the flames only got bigger. He ran back to get the hose and eventually it was put out.

Mr. Locke stated "Someone start explaining..." With Tom's quick, sharp thinking he said, "We were burning bugs..." Dustin and I thought we were "cool" back in 8th grade and decided to shoot out the glass windows in an old shed up behind his house that belonged to his stepfather, Bob. Nadine, Phil and I going on late night summer runs to get into shape for the fall sports seasons that started the next day. Chad inviting me up to his "studio" in his garage to play drumset and teach him new beats. Chad and I making a "COPS" video around town in Chad's Nissan Sentra. Downloading the COPS theme and siren .wav off of KaZaa gave it some realism. We blasted the theme and sound effect in the car while I filmed and Chad tackled a kid walking down the street and made the arrest. Many campouts in the "wilderness" (Dustin's backyard). Dustin's birthday it was below freezing and we were all in tents, so Tom and I took our 4 sleeping bags and went into the house, leaving everyone outside freezing with just one each. The never-ending nights of Goldeneye at birthday parties with Loomy, Geniusboy. There was never a time where Loomy and Geniusboy didn't get into a fight about "dark" and "anti-dark" The unity of "The Gang" at the Junior Prom was about the only time we all danced in our lives. Being dead tired at the after prom party and everyone falling asleep watching Roadtrip. Those were the times... The lasting impression I want to leave people with, is that even though the classes may seem really hard in High School, it'll help greatly in college if you challenge yourself early on. My future ambitions are going off to college and become a registered computer technician dealing with Computer Information Technology: End User Support. I also want to minor in Network Administration.

Michelle E. Mayhood

nicknames: Nick, shelly, shell, memy sayings: are you kidding me?!, OH MYY, don't lie Fondest memories: creed concert w/ jill and lo, lindy's with the gang, katie's cabin w/ the mac and cheese, parties with AG, jen, ash, jenna, and jugs, darrien lake w/ ash, jen, tim, katie, AG and ashley hitting my car, jenna and I going to darrien lake, jill climbing the stone wall in a bathing suit, going to the half way house store with amanda, and then again with ash, The dogs and laughing all the time, reeba and i know what reverse is, reeba sports car and driving it, rollerblading down the hill with nicki, OM at jenna's house, Nicki driving my car into ashley's, Jess and I spring break losers, Prom dancing with the girls, ash stealing my ez- mac, laying in the sun and macker with Jen, Playing in macker with ash, reeba, and cola, Jill and the gizzard, psycho and fatty, FH '02, don't we grad in '02 jess, hearing katie's stories over and over, spending every weekend at nicole's and after school, chinese firedrills in greene, Nicole floating in the hot tub, being nicole's only friend in 6th grade, study hall 3rd period, dirty



"some people come into our lives and quickly go a while and leave footprints on our hearts, and we are never, ever the same" Future ambitions: go to college, live an awesome life with no regrets, have fun, and be rich.

Ashley Menard

Nicknames: Ash Sayings:"uh-huh", "I don't get it." Fondest memories: going to the Y with Shannon; the mysterious "noise" in chemistry (Rache!!); the many Wal* Mart Adventures with Shannon; Halloween with Shannon (Sexy Pants!); countless "blonde moments"; Little Blue Betty (L-double-B for short); almost dying in the driver's ed van; counting down the days in Driver's Ed with Rachel; so many unforgettable moments with "him"; TOIL; 5/7/01; Prom, or lack there of; winterguard (I miss it already!) Lasting impression: Don't get caught up in things that seem big. In time, they may not be quite so important. Future Ambitions: To go to college and follow my heart.



Jessica Lee Nelson

Nicknames: Jessy Jig Ja Chinco Saying: I didn't know this but you aren't the first to ask Memories: Byron n the Wizard, Jive Wed, Bela 2x, Rusted Root 2x w Birdz n Cobb prom w Cake, Moe, W Birdz n Jonny, Steely Dan n Jeff, Neil Young w Mom, JuneDay, Missy n the fox, Trev n Trout, the Falls, prom w Timmy, Erik W n the Jon poster, ball with Drew, Thommy, Benny, n Brad, mornings w Milne, La n G, SkipDay w Buggy, Makin omelettes till 3, Zootica, Weer w Wentz, Sacks, Collins, n Corey..yikes, Lenny n the table, the gurls Mesh, Robin, Megga, Halloween w Chez n Jennay, persia, Easter w Fly n Beck, Reeke, Mathius n the Trey shirt, Bennett, M being my K, wonderful Kik Hampton trips, chillin w James n Troy, Happy Valley, Aztec 2 Step w B, Bavarnie, living at the Blackmans, boat rides w Jinka n Bug, KTK n sauce, years w Mick, Ash, Cole, Jen, Britty being my gurl, the intersection Jeff n Steph, JerryKid, CobbyTalks, DLeppard w Benny, Waileys, Missy n the cow, RYLA, my loves Seany n TimmyF, Siobhanie my BF, meeting Packy n Ned, hacky sack gang, The Edge, the towers, Sloth n Dan, June's daily JEEEGGY, Jerome n BronSON my cuzs, Gomer, T, Hune n the shack nights w Chris, "turn up the AC", me n Katie B's fashion photos, Missy being the funniest person I know, pulp fiction, Fly keeling in Arby's, braiding Junie n Joanie's hair, Story of the Birdz, Mish homecoming, Millies, John Bradigan being THE MAN, Sara C my sis, M n Cake at Scuzzy's, Ash M n Uenglish, french 4 w Nate n Joe, yearbook w Hune, fishing w Ross, Dok Jacksons fer Ash w Jake Mike Shawn n Garrett, Josh n Paul always my guys, Days w Dave B n Ryan, ThommyBK, Mule, Jannie house, Jee Stewart, Bri Ri, Ally Baby, Brendans, ping pong n swing nights w Milney, dancing at Dennys, n anything n everything. Future Ambitions: move to Europe next year, come back start the college life somewhere nearby, major in business n move into Law, get rich quick, Open up my Coffee n Tea House, sit back in a hammock and groov to the tunes all day long.

Nicole Elyse Nenarella

Nicknames: Cola, N-Dogg Sayings: "BnA" JDWAI Fondest Memories: Moving



here in 5th grade and Michelle was my only friend! Going to my house every day after school before practice with Michelle, Reebe and Jill. Jill & Reebe being my sisters! "MOH" -Nadine, Our parties! Oneonta! My sister Kristen being my best friend in high school. Hanging out with Bentley! All my good times with Willie n Michelle... Floating in the hot tub! Willie being my bestest friend (At 1 point! L O L!) All the good times with Ben and Mike (My daddy) Don't worry, be happy! Andy in Earth Science with Mr. Kline, I still owe ya \$15! The lasting impression I want to leave with others: Don't ever give up and Don't worry, be happy! Future ambitions: Go to school and Get out of Oxford!

Shannon O'Connor

Nick Names: Shannon "O", Shann-O, Mary, and SLO(W)
 Memories: the river, Lauren's house making "Jess," George Glass, sledding at Pauls with Jill, night sledding with Jess, getting chased by "something" at Jill's b-day party, Ben writing on my backpack adding a "W," Spiedie fest with Jess and Lauren, sledding at Jills and falling down her stairs, Clyde Cole, Clendawg, drivers ed, crashing at Laurens after Prom, chasing cats at Laurens, Jess teaching me how to rollerblade, eating at Wally world with Ash, the many "shopping" trips with Ashley, College FYI, University English when everyone tried to say my name, Jeff's new years eve party playing twister, 10th grade math with Chris, many, many wrestling tournaments, playing nintendo at Pauls, pizza at Jills, band trips with the gang and getting in trouble for being to loud, the tennis seasons with the many bus talks "got milk" and Lisa always reading her books to us because she didn't understand what things ment, amusement parks with Jess because she was the only one to ride the "scarey" rides, Rachel choking at McDonlads and alm-st having to save her, tennis stops on the ride home and guys following us, the Golf players at McDonalds and everything other crazy thing the gang and I have done.
 Future Ambitions: going away to college to become an elementary teacher



Jess Reiss

Nicknames: Jess, Jecketa, Twig, Jr Favorite Sayings: "good call," "yeah, good times..." "some fun stuff right there" Memories: My Little Ponies with Jill, being a bag of jellybeans in the Halloween parade and losing all my "beans." Dumping Shannon's tray and leaving her to clean it up, Safety Patrol Trip-Paul falling out of the tree, Whale Watch Trip-people crawling through the ceilings, Shannon falling into the river and not being able to get back up the muddy banks, the "Homecoming Queens," teaching Shannon how to rollerblade over wooden bridges, marching band trips, "shopping sprees," Course II with Chris L, lab partners with Chad, "heat of fusion," the banana incident in college FYI, the bacon-eater, the "real" bats at Jeff's house, soccer 01 and 02, watching Steph eat, shopping for prom-"Jess, why is your side all fogged up?" , the mexican/the cuban, creamcheese behind Jill's ear, Ozfest 02 with Steph, meeting Andrew W.K, night sledding with shannon on the hill, Lisa getting electricuted, Jeff's bizzare photography, wiping out of the school stairs, Paul's windpants, testing reflexes in global studies, "what if they took a cup and string and made a sling for it," working at Pet Street, the 2 and 3 some, the statue of liberty and sheet looker, the coconut song, SpeedieFest with Shannon and Lauren, talks with Jill, Clyde Cole weekend, Steph hanging out of Lauren's sunroof, getting chased by dogs at Jill's party-"Just take off the sandals! , cookie in the pants pocket, the turkey baster, University English, pepperoni, apples...and beans Future Ambitions: To go to college and major in something dealing with animals, the ocean, or law, to leave Oxford and move far far away the warmer climate closer to the beach, to be happy no matter what.



Rachel Daniela Reynolds

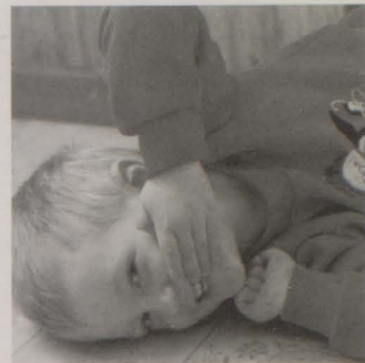
Nicknames: Raybabe, Doc Ray, Rachie, Rachie Dachie Sayings: uh huh..., monkey toota, lay down Chauncei!! , okie buddy Fondest Memories: dating SGD, the hill with the crew, bowling Saturdays, feeding Matt jelly beans, Lisa hitting the house, Heaths truck and the dumpster, MUSHUPS!, throwing pennies at Ryan, Fredds Inn with Sandra Dave and Seth. All the great times with MRC. Newburgh with Chas, Michael, and Glenn. "I like you cuz ur fat" Prom 9th, 10th, and 11th, and the nights at the TOT. All the memories of Scotty. Homecoming '02. All the fun times with Sandra. Softball, soccer. Dancing in Mr. Bancrofts room. Yelling at Mr. Runion. Getting into trouble because of Lisa on the Whale Watch!! The Washington DC trip. Dating Chad secretly in the middle school. The cemetery. watching cartoons with Joshua and Michael. Spending time with the Cashmans, Weekends at Craigs.Craigola, Peej, Sande and I on the bridge. the summer with Missie at Bills. I'm sorry if I forget everything:(Lasting Impressions:...make the best of what you have and never give up. High school isn't that hard and it goes really fast. OH



yeah .be smart don't do drugs! Future Ambitions: to go to college to become a massage therapist. Be happy with the man of my dreams(MRC), get married and have a few kids, live in a huge cabin with a couple lakes

Evan Romaine

Nickname: Noodle, Noods, Cnap'n Crunch King, E v e y Sayings: "Hey Hey Hey", "All right All right!" "Dropped my pen" "You Ate It!" "Oh man! "good god!" "Oh man I got you good!" Movie lines from every Adam Sandler, Broken Lizard, Chris Farley movie, and others! Fondest memories: Hanging out with the guys, Everything that's happened since I moved here, (14) grilled cheese at Justin's, , Racing Chad, Crazy times at Tim's house, Prom dinner and limo ride, My prom entrance because of Ben and Thom, Prom night, Running up the front and stomping on the top of Frank's car when he tried to hit me, Movies, Soccer Sectionals & season, Track, Concerts and the rides to them, Laughing at Ben when he broke his nose at Tim's, Moving in with Darren during soccer, Paintball, Indoor soccer, McDonalds Gear, the Bowling Alley, Living in "The Ferret Cage", Midnight run to McDonalds, Rocking out to Andrew WK, with Tim Tory, and Nate, My golf cart and hitting Brad with it, Wheelies with Ben in the trunk, Getting kicked out of Wal*Mart with Dave C., Tim, and Tory, Super gluing frog parts in Bio, Mrs. Burcroff's class(2x's), Camping, Homecoming float making at Andy's house, having the best friends in the world. Future Ambitions: To find out what my future ambitions are, because I can't make a decision! Or live in a van down by the river, next to Ben. Lasting Impressions: Laugh and have a good time, nothing is so important you can't have fun! Making someone laugh or smile is enough to make a difference in their life. To everyone I'm nothing but to someone I'm everything.



Lynette Renee Roys

Nicknames: Lu, Nettie, Fred, Lola... So many more Sayings: SWEET Fondest memories: This has gotta be the hardest thing ever to write all the



memories had with these people who i will never forget in my life Before starting t h e F O U R Q U A R T E R S : Jay B Na Lu If anyone believes anything believe that these four gurlz will be always there for eachother...8th grade Norwich FB games w/Na it started it all b e t w e e n u s - c a m p i n g @the falls- BillyBob- yellin @tha birds- NaDaniCass oMan our parents are gunna KILL US- Cheryl's- "Jenn" "her names Stephanie"-summer '01 Norwich parties BillyAshBna and everyone-B's BOYFRIENDS-Brewers-Ghetto van 14 people -Sweet convertible-my first party "there's a guy on ur floor" "no that was B"-my party@crash I didnt go to-Norwich gurlies-Newyrs Eve@Freds-my big brother Sandy :-(B too many good times with him 3 months that totally changed our lives-Him and Josh - me meeting JAMMER-Spring Break@my bro's wit Na and B-Fourth@Sylvan wit Jamar Na and Cwaig-Cortland boys since 8th grade swatchin to Willet-In Jenns Projects-Cos gurlis-Bates party-My second party wit Nad ,Lenny tellin me he could see evrythin we were doin--O -Utica..* NAWWWW-Nicki's PARTIES awww DANG...stayin up all night to clean the house-ONEONTA...first time busta rhyme JayNnAd...All the good times afterthat@MACDUFF, WW3, awesome times up there-All my good times wit Jamar/LUAWAFE...I will always be lookin at the moon believing u are too-Keith's house wit DaniJay and Na -cabin parties-Hillbilly style-My HEART BATES&her RedBull" T"-Cartag"-Clearbottom"-Jerky Boys-Aftershock-Brandi's every friday night-Bowman Lake Jens booty-Pizza hut wit aunt babe-ALL MY BK LADIES:Cassie Kd Jay and Dani-"ALWAYS LOVE YOU GURLS"-Lasting impression:As long as its not the gurl that was in the wheelchair...-JFuture Ambitions:Go to college get a REAL good paying job and marry "someone".

Melinda Leigh Ryan

Nicknames: Mindy, Min, Mind Sayings: "Ummm..Don't Smile!", Who's your daddy!?, Stutter Much Fondest Memories: The many weekends travelling up north, All the soccer bus rides with Meghan, Bouncing off the snow bank with Big Green, Dayna all the good times we have ever had, Meeting the love of my life (Greg), Four-Wheeling with all the guys, "This is a Chevy with four wheel drive, We wont get stuck!!", The Dungeon (Meghan), Softball with Timisha "Min we are the best ones on the team"-Timisha, study hall with Rachel, Chas, Jeremy, Matt, Mal, and Michelle, Taking Rays dad's van cruisin', the endless trips a day to the cafeteria cause Dayna was hungry, The many memo-

Jenna Renee Paul

Nick Names: Jen, J.P, Jemma, J-Nippss Sayings: I'm for real! Memories: KT's cabin(scrabble), parties with AB,MM,KB,NC, Norwich parties KS,MM,TG,CG,MC,NH, 3am(Nadine,Matt,Jim), Mick almost killing me on the sled by running me into a trailer, Prom(dinner and after party) Denny's@2am, Spring break Myrtle Beach ,B-ball camp, Field hockey: dinners, games, Chinese fire drills, Spirit weeks(airband) pudding eating contest w/ Ash, Katie's Tattoo, Sizzlin' 3 (NC, KB, JP), Tim singing Mr. Big, Dress up with Mick, Youth center, Girls night (dig at it,KB,NC) , Matt Clark: shopping, all our talks, movie theater(free popcorn), Ashley's old school N.Y.E Parties in the basement, Rock-a-bow l=NC,MM,TM,NH,TT:(throwing the ball behind me), Nate: my baby, trying to beat you up but never wining, scrabble, all our talks, being one of my best friends, your princess, (our promise)LUA!! Friday nights of dance w/ AC,AB,SS, DANCE NATIONALS!! (Las Vegas, Florida, Boston and NYC) Homecoming court, Whale Watch, Safety Patrol trip, Mick riding in the trunk, 4-wheeling w/Mick, Skiing/rollaring blading w/Ash, Wrestling since 7th grade w/Thom(I'll always beat you), Movie nights at Andy's w/the gang. Middle school talent show, O.M w/Nicki and Jess, Nicki-My rhinol, Jess B=BB(love you), Zoology w/Abby, Andy in Earth Science (Mr. Kline), Vacations to Virginia w/the fam, Katie's party (Gabe saving me) Ice house with Ashley, All the nights/talks hanging at Doliver's house(miss you), Todd Cole always making me smile, DMB Concert with BM,AC,ME, Twisted Groove (Nadine/Nate) Nick Andrews: Fools at Play, (ripping my pants), chasing each other with knives, SH fights w/Ash and Katie, Tim's Harlem shakes, my 16th birthday (NC,KB), Ash's 16th/18th birthday, Having the best friends in the whole world. Lasting impression: Having that unique personality, always ready to give a helping hand and being the girl that everyone knows Future Ambitions: Pursue the career of my dreams, live my life to the fullest (tattoos skydiving and all) and hopefully have a family like my own.



Jillian Portuese

Nicknames: led, JDP, Jiggs, and HB4 Fondest Memories: The Gossip Queen - When Jess tried to keep a cookie in her pocket - UNIVERSITY GEOLOGY with my volcano - all the band trips, and getting drowned at Busch Gardens - College FYI, where Andy found a new hat, Jess squished a banana, and we met Miss Jackson - People naming me "worst driver" and not realizing that I knew who the three of them are - TENNIS with Lauren, and Susanna telling us too much about breastfeeding - French with Oliver and Norm the Squirrel - Bus talks with Chad and The Tinted Light Theory - Losing the cake off my car - Football games with inverted umbrellas - The Three Homecoming Queens - Lauren's house and fake fudge - Jess's headband - The NEW trio - Stands being flung in band - Working at Mang with Jeanette - Struggling through Course 3 and getting a 90 on the Regents, - being called a Nazi in GS.. Grrr... - Cat Fight Provocations

Always putting a smile on someone's face who really needed it. Trying to be a good guy to everyone. Spending time with the ones who care about me the most. Always hanging out with my friends. All in all it was fun and there are a lot of memories I will always have with me. The lasting



impression you want to leave with everyone: That I am a nice guy who tries to like everyone. If u have a problem you can always talk to Jerome about it. The way i dop things will never be replaced by anyone. And most of all, I gave everyone a fair chance when it came to anything. Future ambitions: Hey i am still a kid for the most part and i have to live my life like there is no tomorrow and always go with the flow. So whatever happen happens, let us just hope it is something good.

Paul Daniel Williams

Nicknames: Paul The Wall, Hey you, Kenny's tall goofy friend, Am't you that field hockey player. Sayings: Uhhh..., Oh my good lord, Band Nerds, what the crap?, Ooo hurts Fondest Memories: Red Light band trips, Sherburne pagents, Homecoming 2002 with Kenny, working with Luke and Nolan in ag class, AMES, "what that?". Goldeneye at Brads and WWF, Prom night at Dustins house, Chad dancing with the dog, field hockey with Josh, Tennis with Mike and Larry, mudfights on the



hill, loosing Justin at state fair, Drama Club with Jason "The Tuba Daddie", Zelda in 8th grade, BB guns with Brad, Sonic and MegaMan at Tim's parties, Lightning bugs with Tom, everything with Jill freshman year, "Washing It", Lisa getting electrocuted, Subway, The German terror, bleeding lady in Cleveland, My first roller coaster with Josh, pizza at Jill's, BradFORD and his mom, Fighting with lisa every week, Mulletron, Hanging out with Luke and his Girlfriends, Beating Mario level 3-2 for the first time, N-dogg and the gamecube, my girls, Geology Class, Sam Sam the baker man, Jesse my brother, Tom and His bessy, Pdwillia, MACS and his freaky freshman, Bayouca with Evan, 5th grade dances, One time at all-county..., Dustin's campouts, shopping with Kenny, sledding, FH 02 (Pete), Kyle and the mexican exchange student "Dienah!", The tennis ball boy, Chimiewench, June and Jessy!, the losers Mike and Dan, Ashley and Dan fighting over silly putty, OM with Michelle, Nicole, Jenna, Tom, Jess, and Josh, Evan and Heather coming to Prom, washington trip with Andy, Tom and Ben, Loosing frank at the zoo, braking the lamp, and the water fight, Chad Buchanian, Turkey breast?, survivor with Stephanie, Driving with Jeff, rolling down the hill in my rain suit, middle school locker room, saving Stephanie when we were swimming, New York John, All the goofy, crazy, and fun stuff I've done with the 3 and all my other friends. Future Ambitions: Living in a cardboard box outside of the old Ames store deaming of better days when I was employed. Hopefully maybe after that and after I move out of my dumpster i will go to college and after 6 years do something with music. Lasting Impressions: Being a Hick and a Band Nerd all at once and still going through high school with good grades and a good attitude.

Cassandra A. Zimmerman

Nicknames: Cassie, Cass Saying's: "what" fondest memories: Having fun with friends and playing vollybal land mr.gilroys room The lasting impresion you want to leave with others: To succeed have a good Attitude Future ambitions: Go to a four year college and become a RN



Dan Zimmerman

Nicknames: Newman, Zim, Z-Man, Arthur Memories: The way back from the movies with Jill, Phil and Gretchen. Falling out of the hammock on my bday, Sledding at Andy's, Prom and all the stress with the limo and restaurant and then having fun after all. Sneaking Jill into the movies. Driver's Ed with Tim always getting picked on by Mr. Todaro. Going to Arby's with Jill. Playing Send em In and learning that I was a bad gambler.



Getting help on my global homework. 5th Grade poker sessions on wednesdays at Andy's with Tim and Thom. Getting hit by Andy's nefr bat. Sneaking subs into Hoyt's with John, Tory, Tim, & Phil. Learning how to use AOL. Playing in band and all of the trips. Eating Breakfast pizza for the first time. Future Ambitions: To be a good radiologist.

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Senior Class Officers



Tim Taranto, Treasurer; Jenna Paul, Vice-President; Katie Bates, Secretary; Lisa Seaman, President

Favorite Teachers

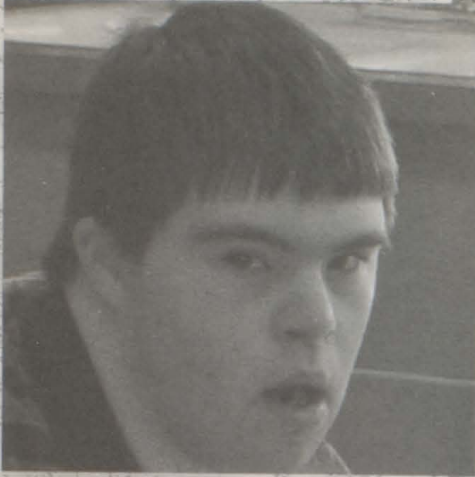


Mr. Godfrey, Ms. Benson



Senior Advisors

Mrs. Soeffing, Mr. Tarzia, Mrs. Barrows, Mr. Davis, Mrs. Perlman, Mrs. Burcroff



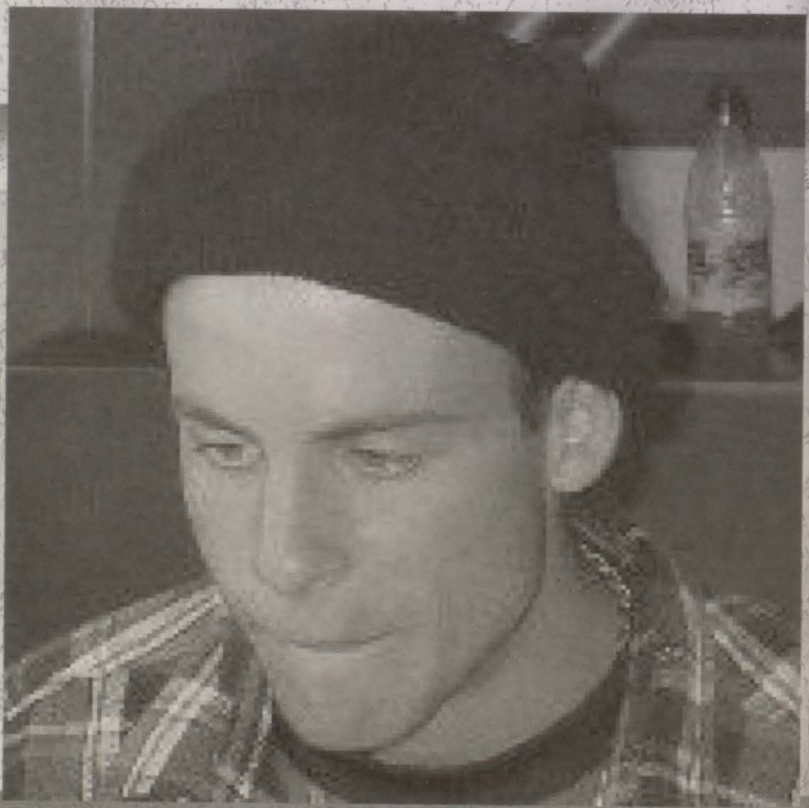
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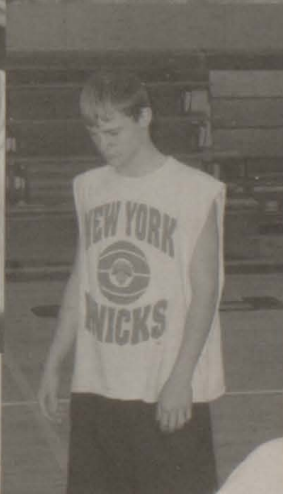
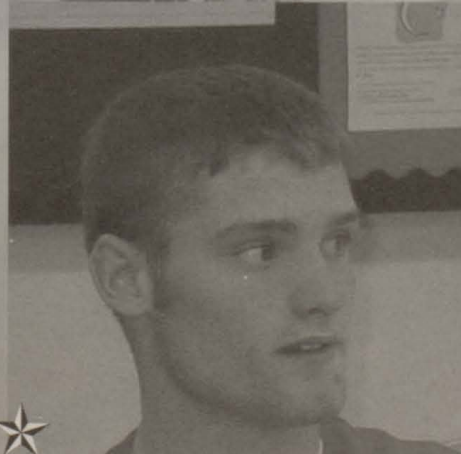
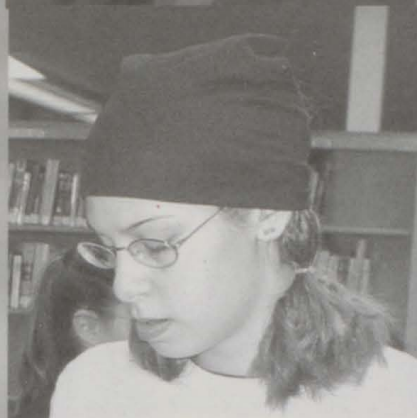
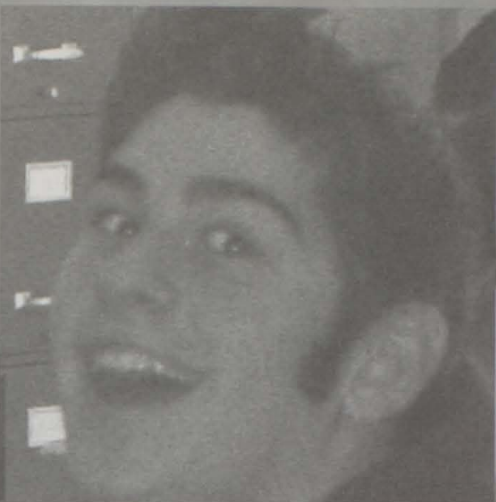


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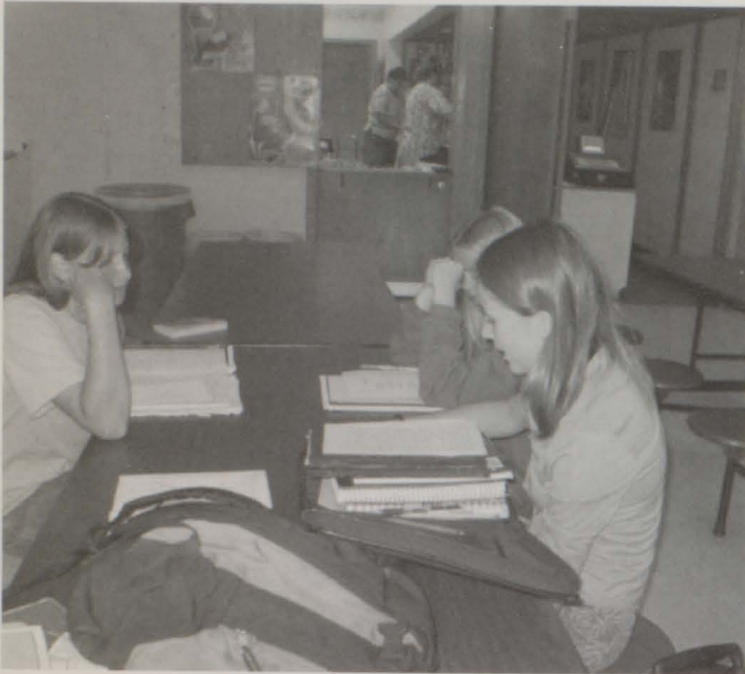
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Class of 2004

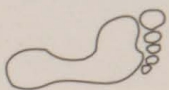


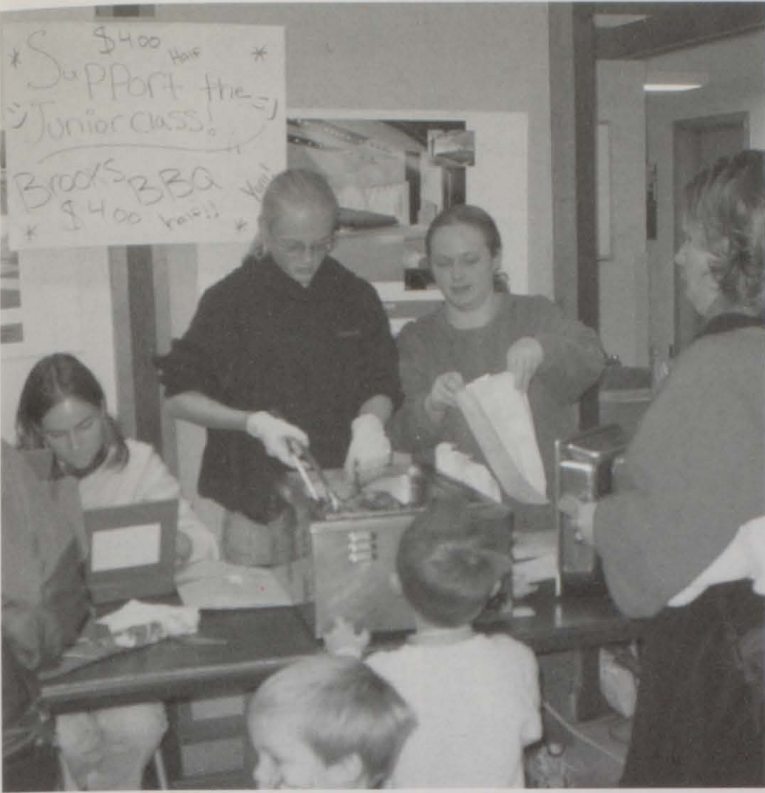
TOP: Anne, Jess, and Maegan are using their study hall to help each other with their homework.

ABOVE: Meghan is making her rounds trying to collect change for her daily needs..What a bum!!

TOP RIGHT: Jackie and Stacey are hanging out during their break.

RIGHT: Uncle Ruby, Hairy and Chunks are screwing around and avoiding work that needs to be done.





TOP LEFT: Jess, Brandi, and Stephanie are working at the Juniors Chicken Sale to raise money for prom.
 TOP: Joe and Mallory let us take a picture while they were in the Art room.
 LEFT: Christie is resting after working hard in her soccer game!

LEFT: Maegan is marching down the streets of Sherburne for the Sherburne Pageant of Bands.
 ABOVE: Robin and Brandi take a break from the BIG game to have their picture taken!

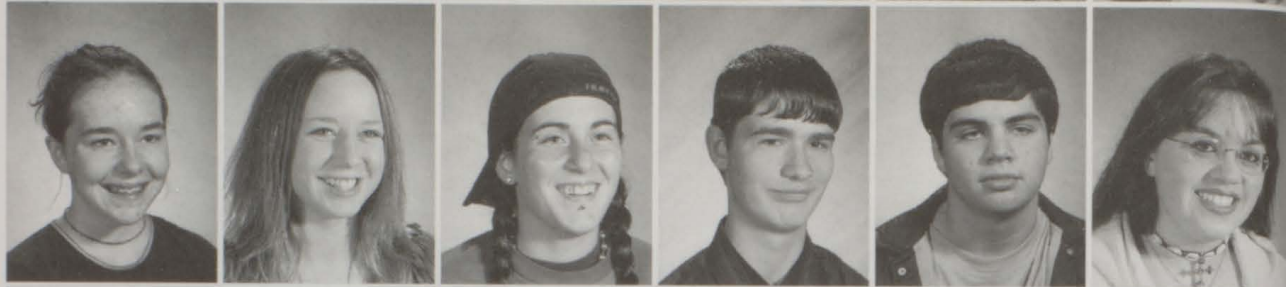
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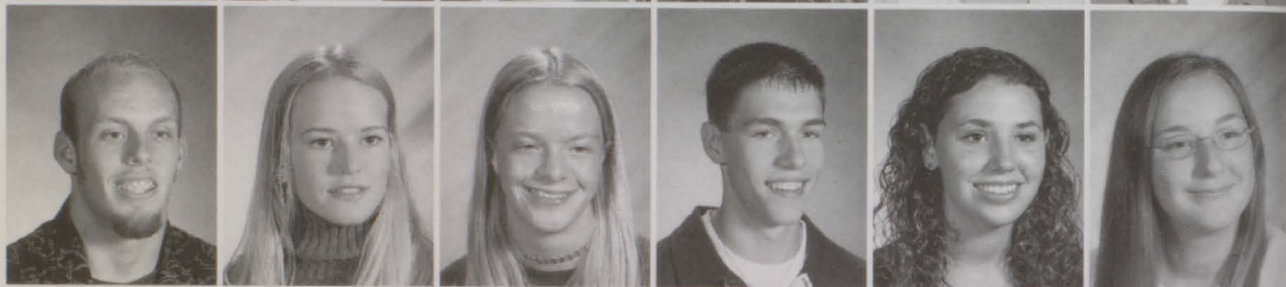
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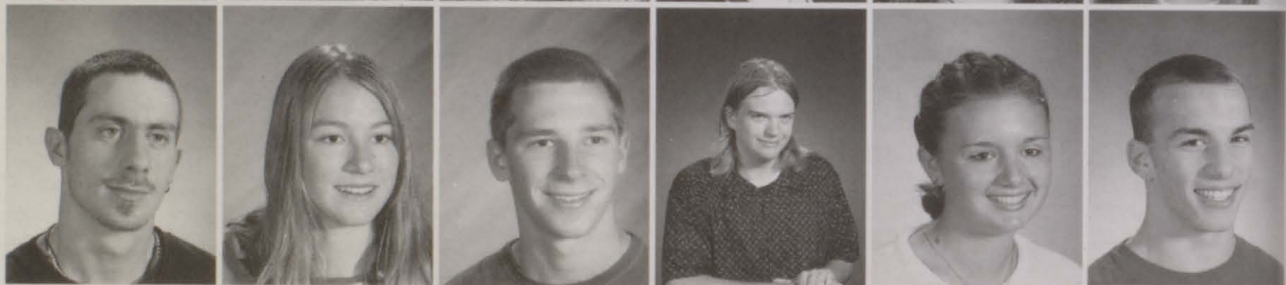
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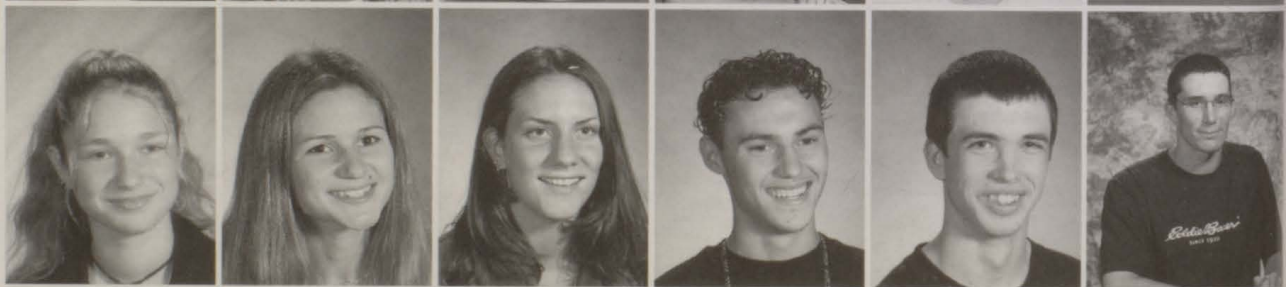
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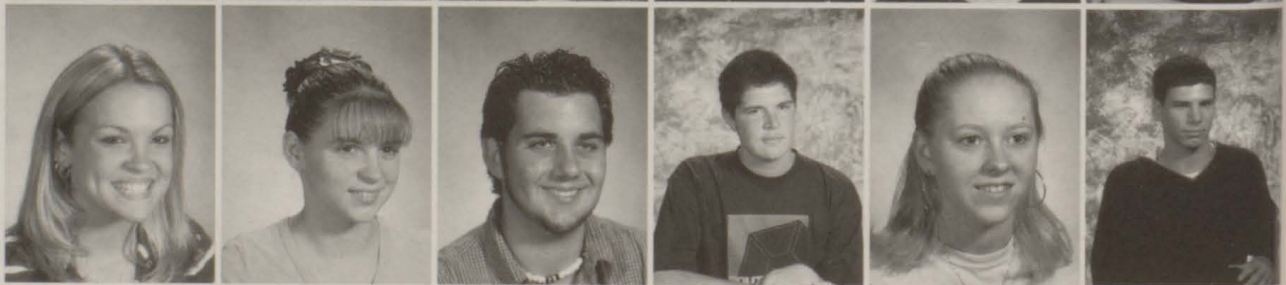
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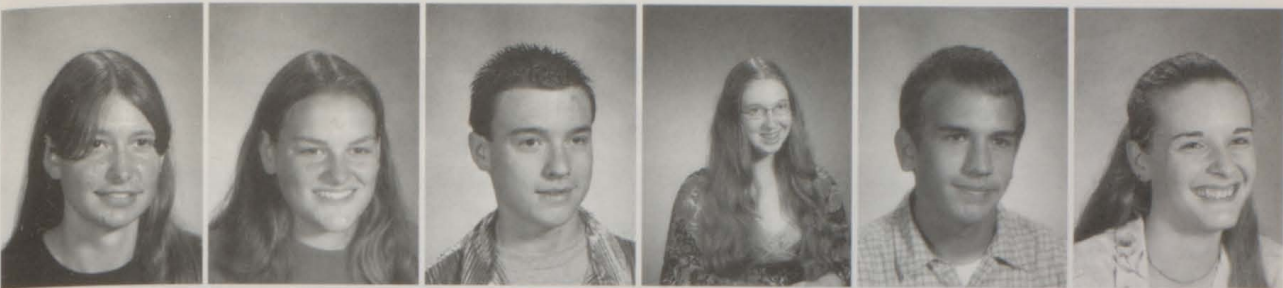


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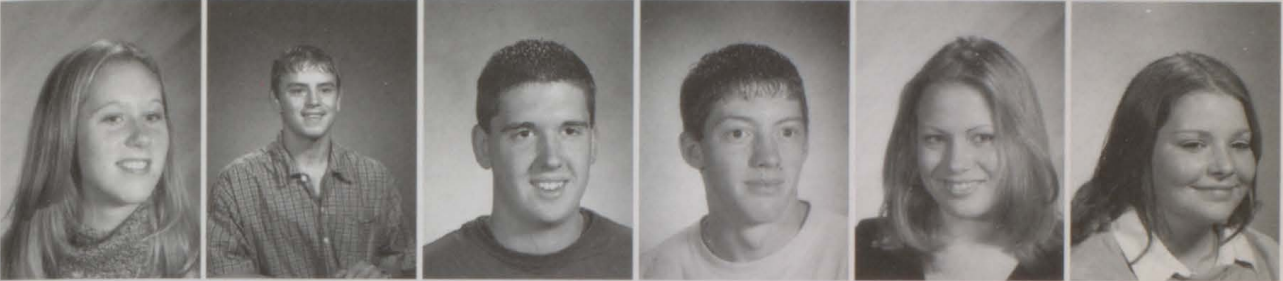




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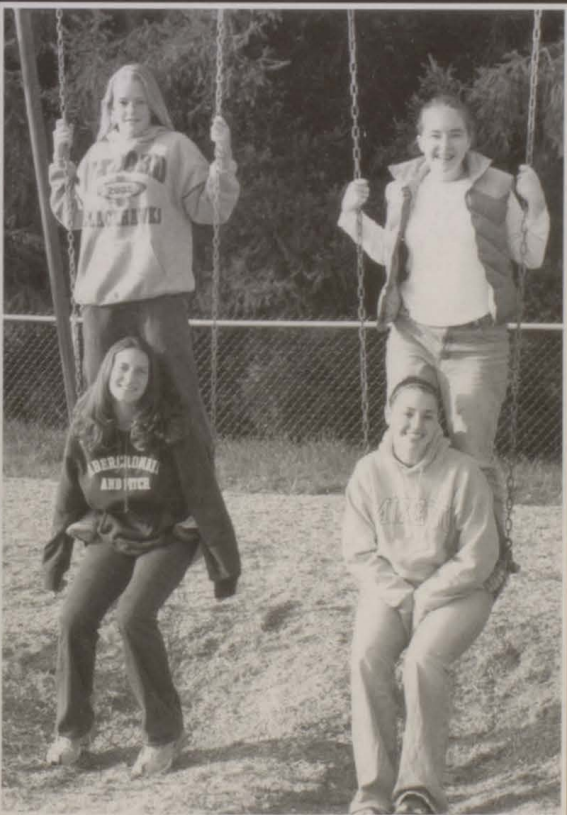


Rebecca Tompkins
Matthew Towndrow
Reuban Wall
Del Wilson
Tenaya Wolfe
Christie Wright



Jennifer Wright
Thomas Wright Jr.

CLASS OFFICERS



Top: Treasurer: Timisha Frank, Vice President: Mallory Carhart Bottom: President: Rachel Lewis, Secretary: Robin Hamilton

If one word could describe our class, that word would be "together." In the last 3 years our class has worked together to raise money for prom. We have been very successful in doing so. Our class really comes together when we need to. The last 2 years we have placed first in Spirit Week, and we hope to keep it going! Also now that prom is in the picture, there is a lot of stress to get things done. We wouldn't be anywhere without our advisors, Mrs. Pierce and Mrs. Paul. They have been a tremendous help with getting everything done. Prom has been very successful because of the unity of our grade. Now we only have one year left, so let's make the best of it!

~Rachel Lewis
President

Layout by: Rachel

Class of 2005

Officers

Jenna Nelson
Ryan Bishop
Shannon Barrows
Katelyn Muzzy



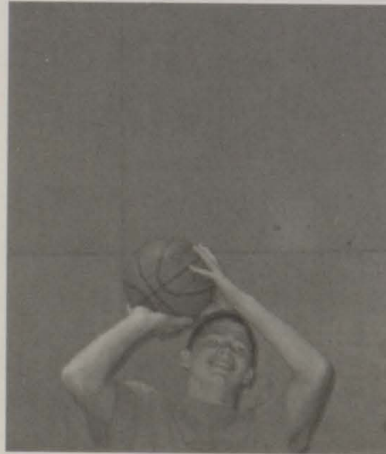
There is much diversity among the class of 2005. We have outstanding athletes, musicians, artists, and academic achievers, as well as many participants in school organizations such as, drama club, SADD, ADSIP, student government and multicultural club. Despite all our differences, we get along well and work well together. We seem to be gaining more class participation and school spirit as the years go by. The many talents of the class of 2005 make us a unique and well-rounded class that will be hard to forget.

Shannon Barrows

What does this word mean?! Jerry, Jack and Shane do work in their vocabulary groups in Mrs. Burcroff's class.

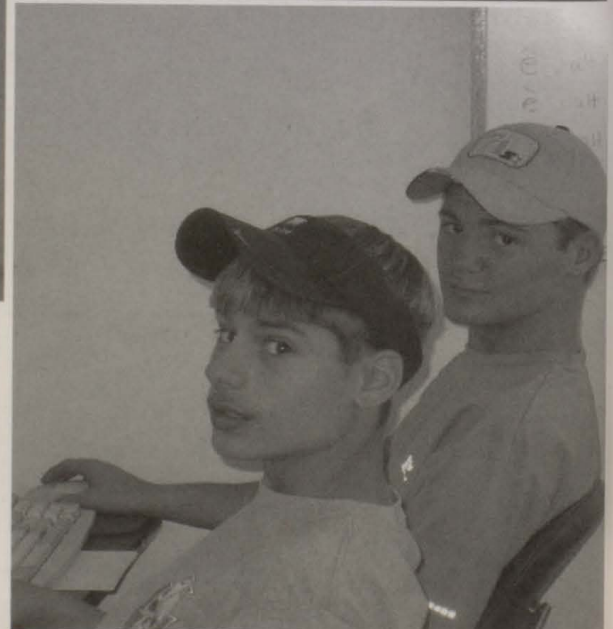
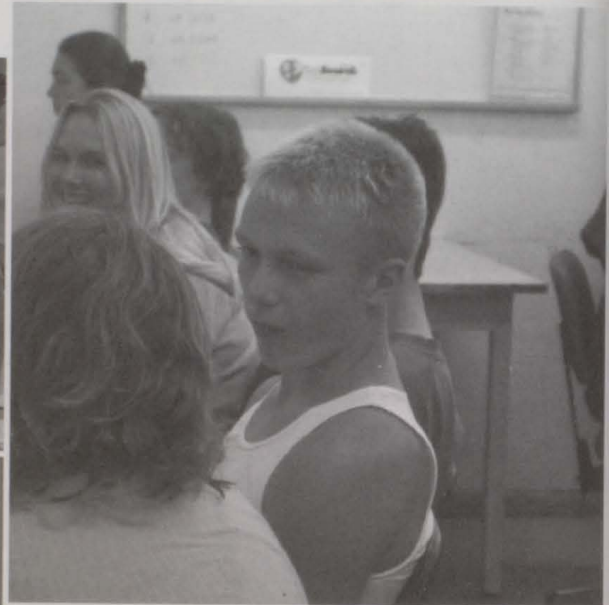


Dan Ohl shows off his basketball skills during his lunch period.



Lee Jones and Charlie Baker get some work done in the computer lab.

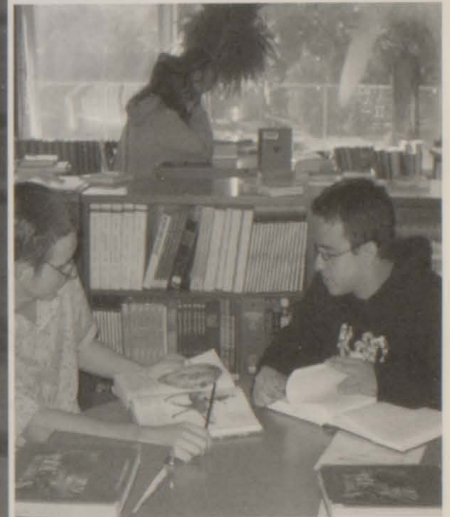
Isaiah Christopherson is in the library working on the computer.





The sophomore boys carry on an intense game of mat-ball in their gym class.

Alex and Jeff are in the library working on their reports.



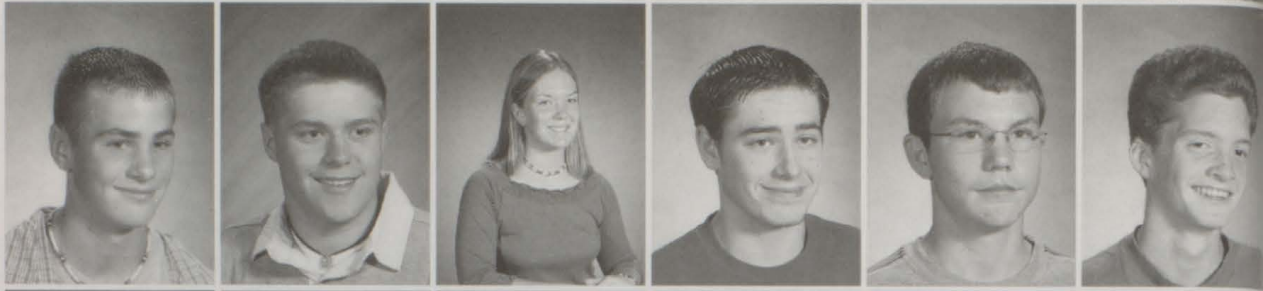
Jenn Bartle is taking notes to prepare her for her report.

What an awesome drawing!! Eric Wentz is creating one of his many projects for art.

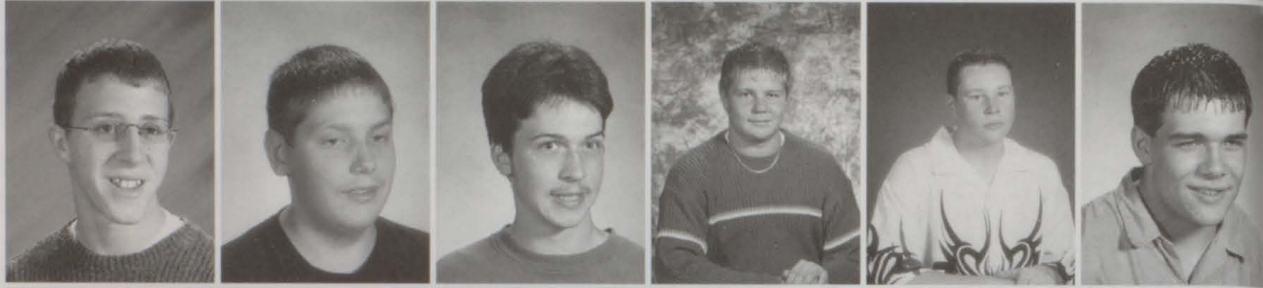
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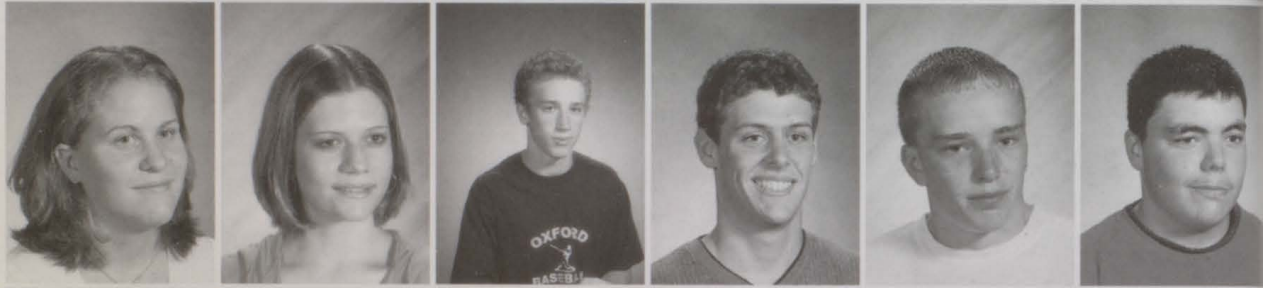
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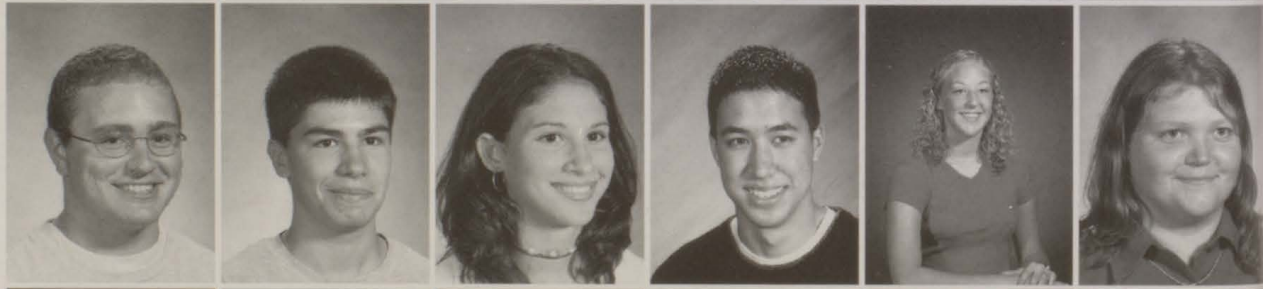
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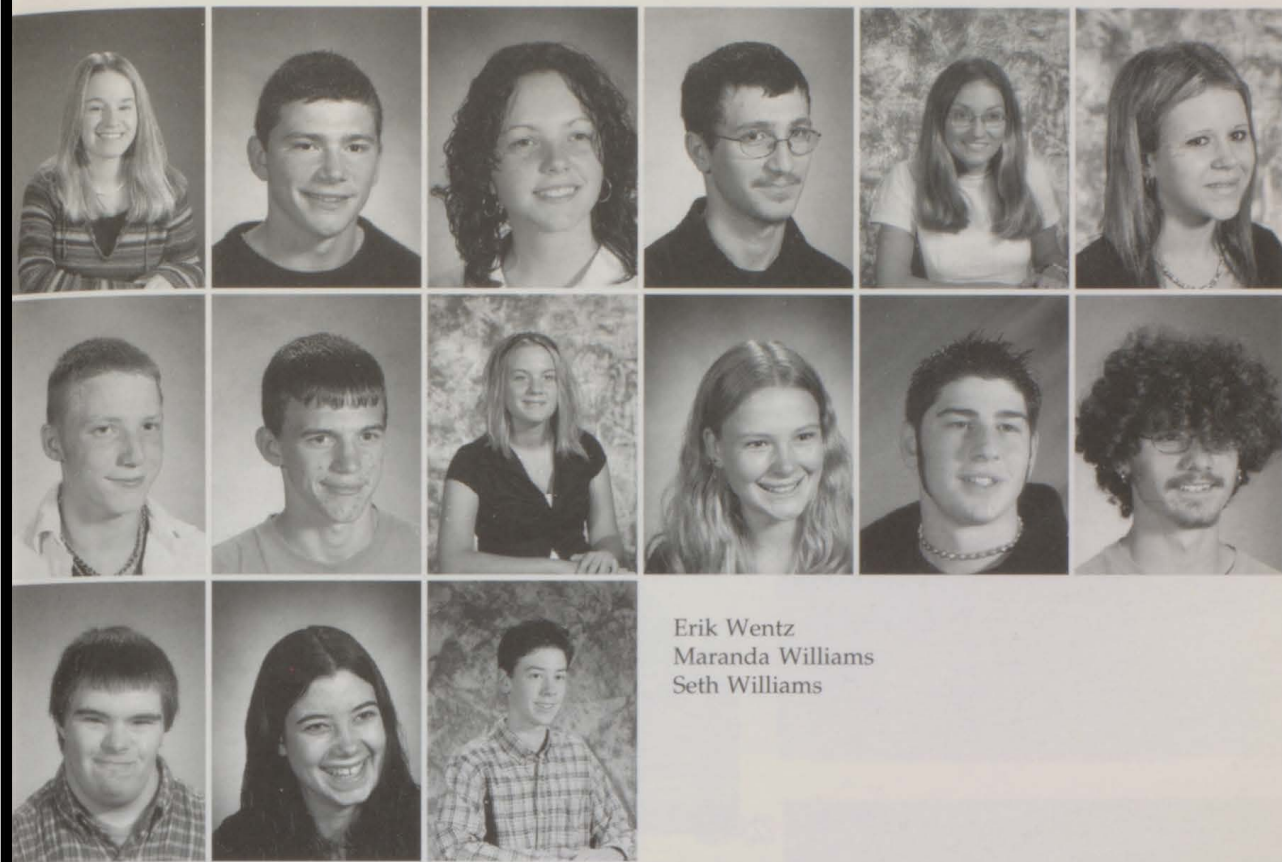


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Sarah Lazarus
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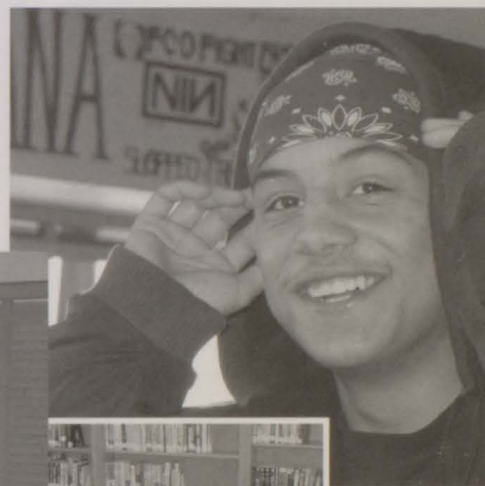
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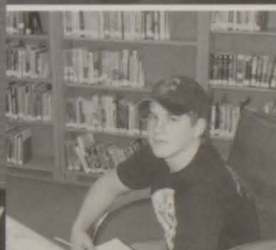
Moose is turning in his late homework!



Kevin adjusts his hat to prepare himself for a self-portrait.



Chris takes a break from typing his long report.



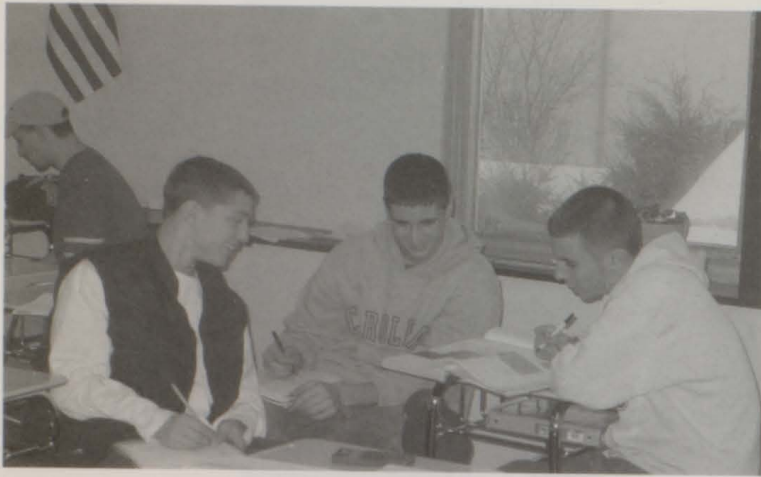
Cody draws a blank as he tries to remember the diploid number of chromosomes in a fruit fly.



Jenna and Seth study hard for their big upcoming test.

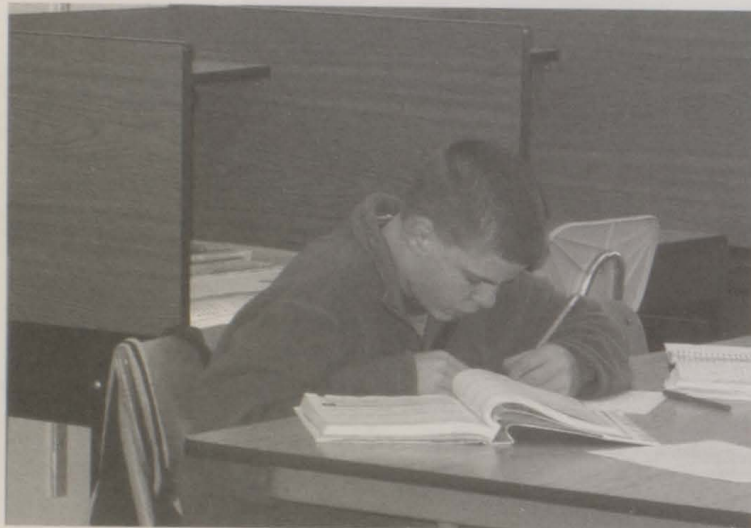
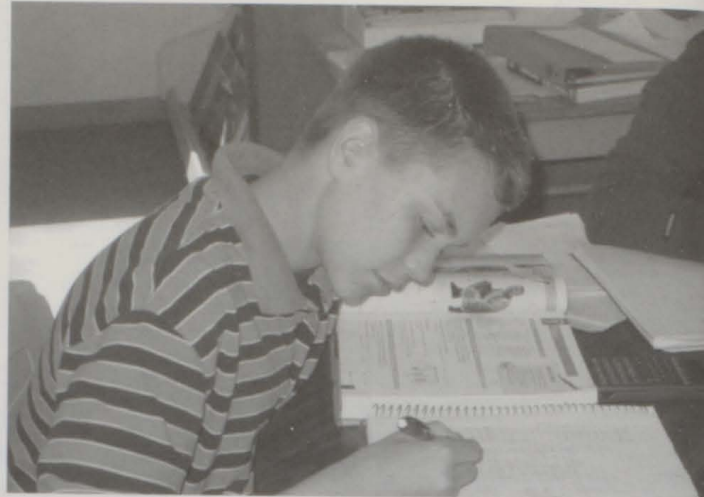


Steve Loomis, Jorge Post and Dave Todaro work hard in Math A/B.



Top: Cyle Farwell studies for his big test.

Middle: Sarah Chrystie and Luke Lewis take a break from class to show off their fantastic smiles.



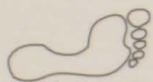
Ben Baker does his homework in study hall.



Shannon Hubbard laughs at one of her classmates jokes.

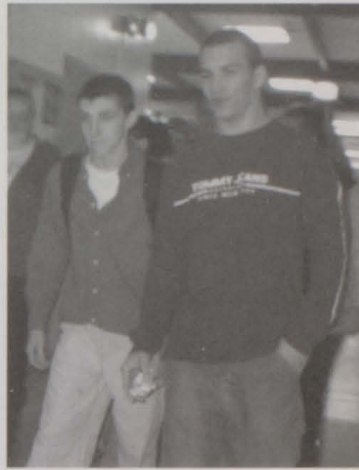


Christina Anderson and Nathaniel work hard on their homework.





Amber Towndrow and Ashley Winner stand in front of a collage of pictures.

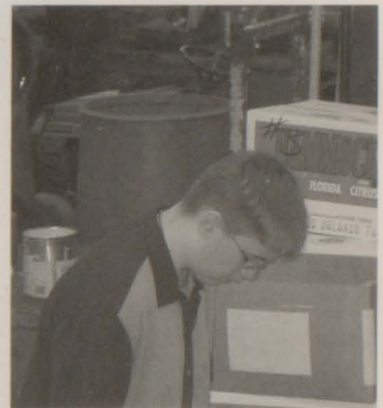


Chris LaFever walks wrestler bud J.P. to his next class.



Class Officers Kyle Green, Melinda Kuhn, Danielle Jackson, Britany LaMariana

Scott Stanley sorts fruit in the Ag room.



Alex Guzman with his awesome face painting for Halloween.

Class of 2006

Kyle Green states his opinion of the class.

I feel that our class is going to be very successful. We are a strong class, both academically and athletically. We have already made a good amount of money by selling cookie dough and plan to make much more in the future to sponsor our class. Many of us have future plans to make the world a better place.

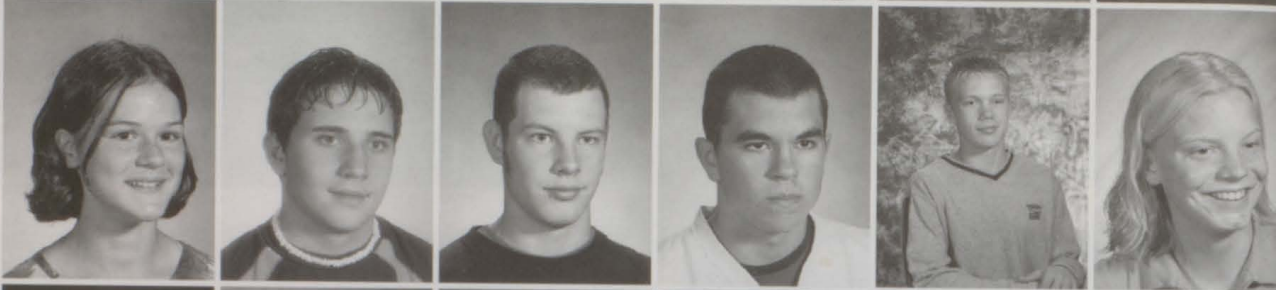
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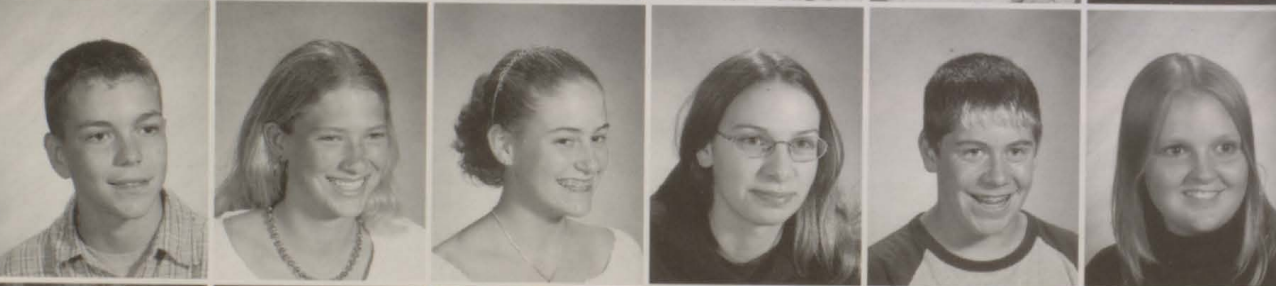
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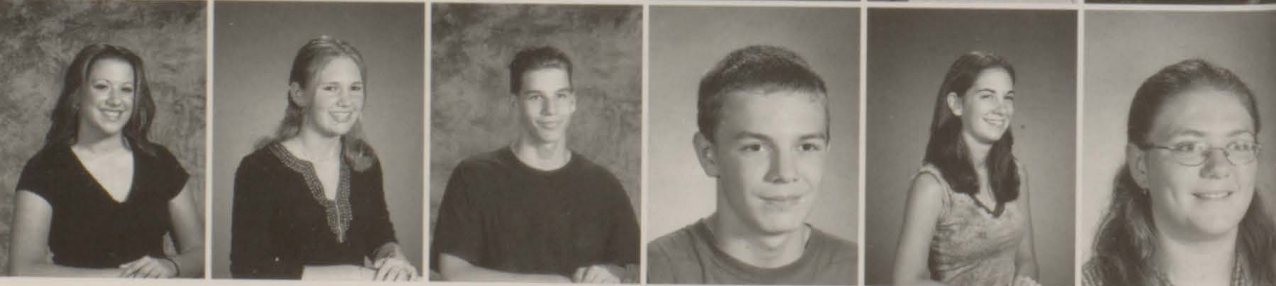
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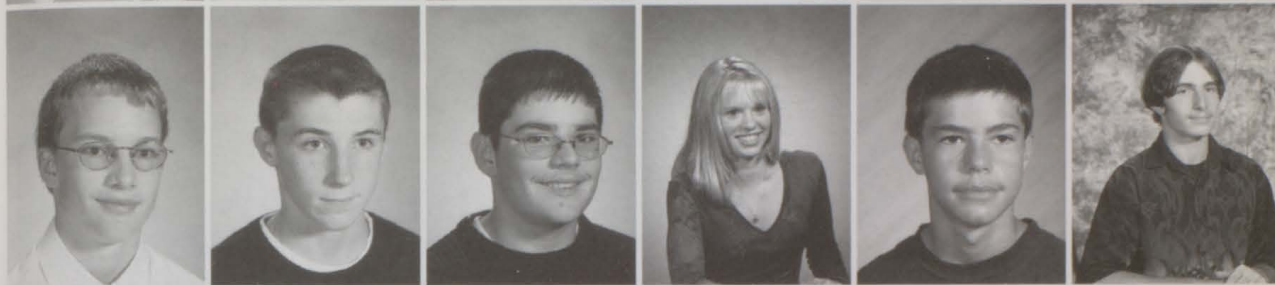




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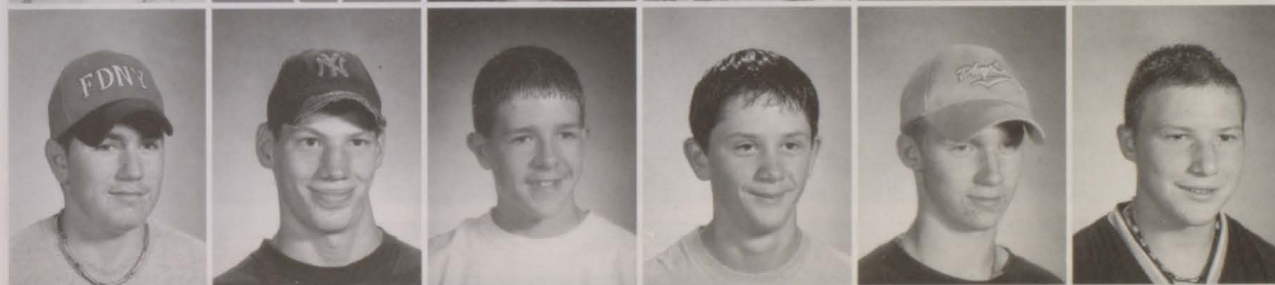
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Ian Pierson



Jamielyn Pisan
Jorgen Post
Desiree Prosser
Melissa Purdy
Dexter Race
Cristina Roberts



Gerrid Ross
Benjamin Ryan
Anthony Savory
William Shephard
Adam Simpson
Shawn Simpson



Trevor Squires
Scott Stanley
Denelle Stein
Brooke Tobey
David Todaro
Amber Towndrow



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Charmaine Barrows



Margo Barrows



Jena Benson



Randy Brazee



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Roger Carey



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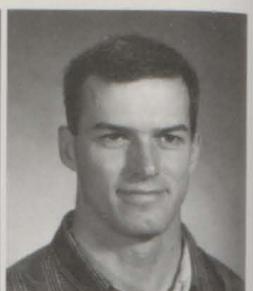
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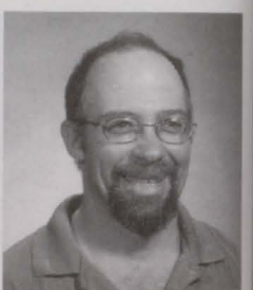
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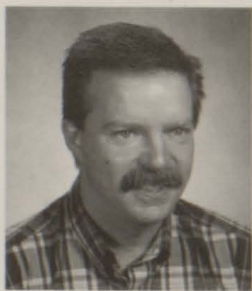
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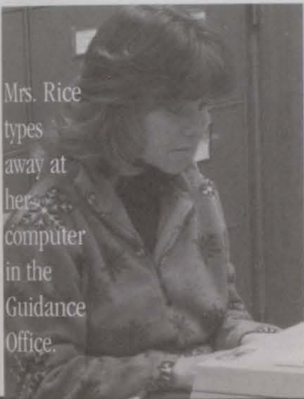
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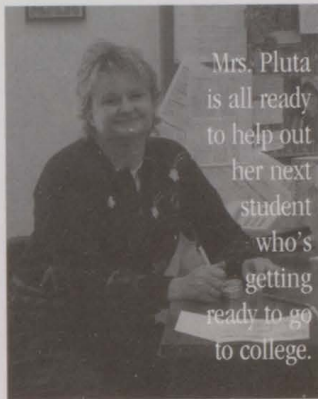
Mr. Dale Leach, Mr. John O'Connor, Mrs. Robin DeBrita, Mr. Lewis Ford, Mr. Jan Winner



Front: Mrs. Hodge, Mrs. Hoenninger
Back: Mrs. DeForest, Mrs. Northup



Mrs. Rice types away at her computer in the Guidance Office.



Mrs. Pluta is all ready to help out her next student who's getting ready to go to college.



Ms. Nabinger and her mom set up for the craft fair.



Mr. Scoville looks at a book during one of his breaks.



Maria Santacrose



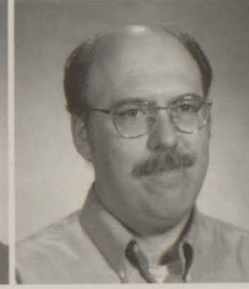
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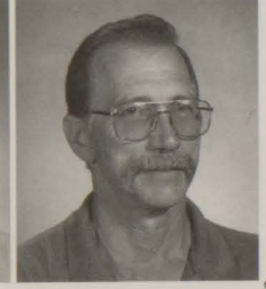
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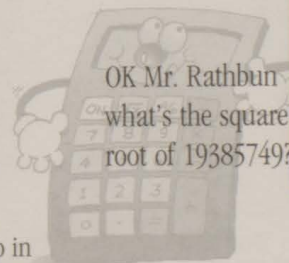
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Ms. Benson dresses up in her favorite outfit.

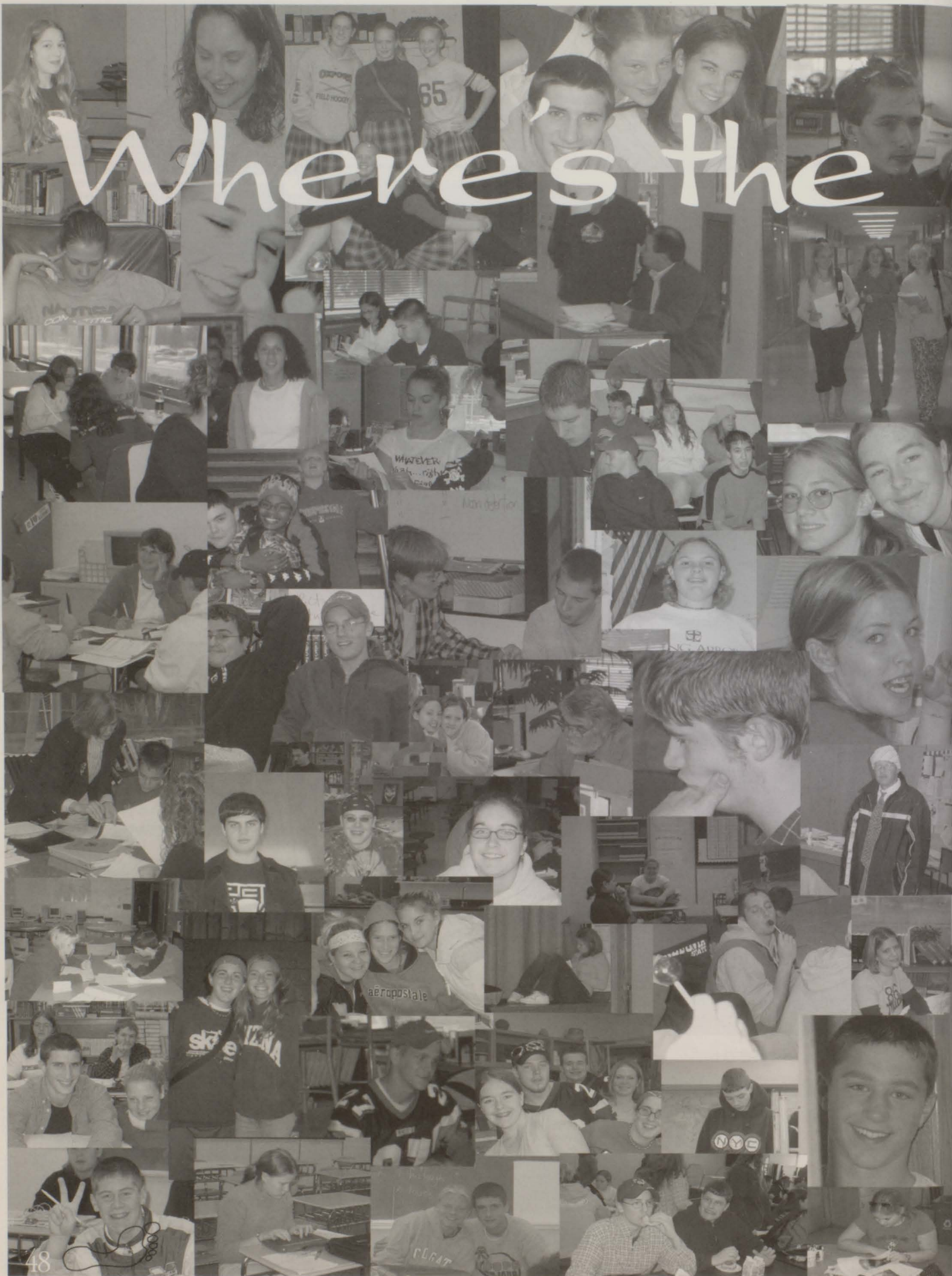


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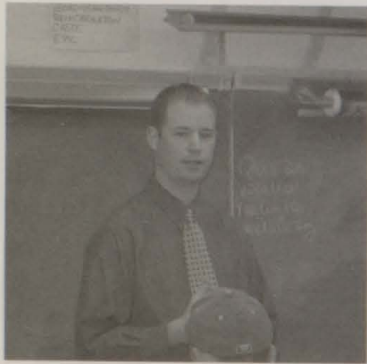
Meet Amber Morey, a new addition to our school! Amber came here from Waverly!



Here's Matt Dicks showing off his charming smile while sitting the bench in gym class!



Introducing Derek Davies, lookin' all cute in science class! He moved here from Binghamton.



Here's Mr. Palmer, a new addition to our history department. Mr. Palmer came here from Ithaca.



Welcome To Oxford, Mr. Scoville! Mr. Scoville is the new art teacher from Norwich and Richland.



Meet the newest member of our math department, Mr. Brown! Mr. Brown came here from Greene!

New Faces

These people are our newest members of Oxford High School. They come from all over the globe!



Hola Senora Videla-Schray! We all know her from last year but this year she was made full time!



Meet Shawn Dewey. It's Officer Dewey with his Deputies McShane and Wakefield.



Amber and Jamielyn Pisan adjust to the new school together!



Here's Shawn Simpson, looking bored in Art class! Shawn came here all the way from North Carolina.





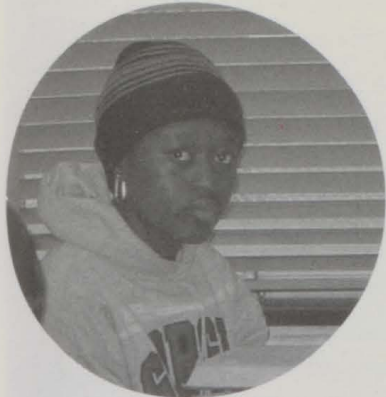
Here's Austin Bessong in deep concentration. He, and his sister Carine, moved here all the way from Africa!



Here's Jeff Stewart cracking a little smile for us! Jeff moved here from Binghamton!



Smile pretty Erin. Oxford loves you! Erin Gramstad came here from Virginia!



Meet Carine, Austin's sister! Hope you and your family are enjoying the change of scenery!



Introducing Deanna Dewey. She's waiting for the bell to ring. She and her brother came here from Unadilla Valley.



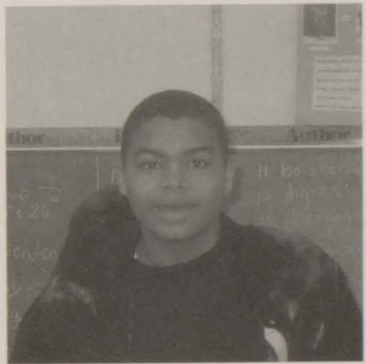
Here's Damien Chernoff fooling around in gym class!



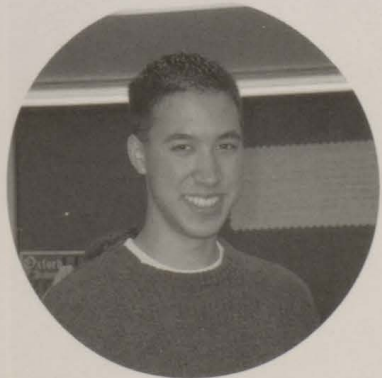
Welcome Curtiss Bush! He's studying hard in math class! Welcome back! Curtiss came back to Oxford from Greene.



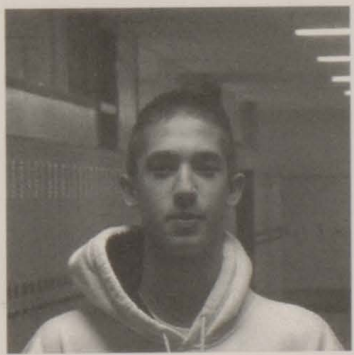
Meet Chris LaFever. He's from Chenango Valley.



Welcome back Cody Bess! Surprised?!



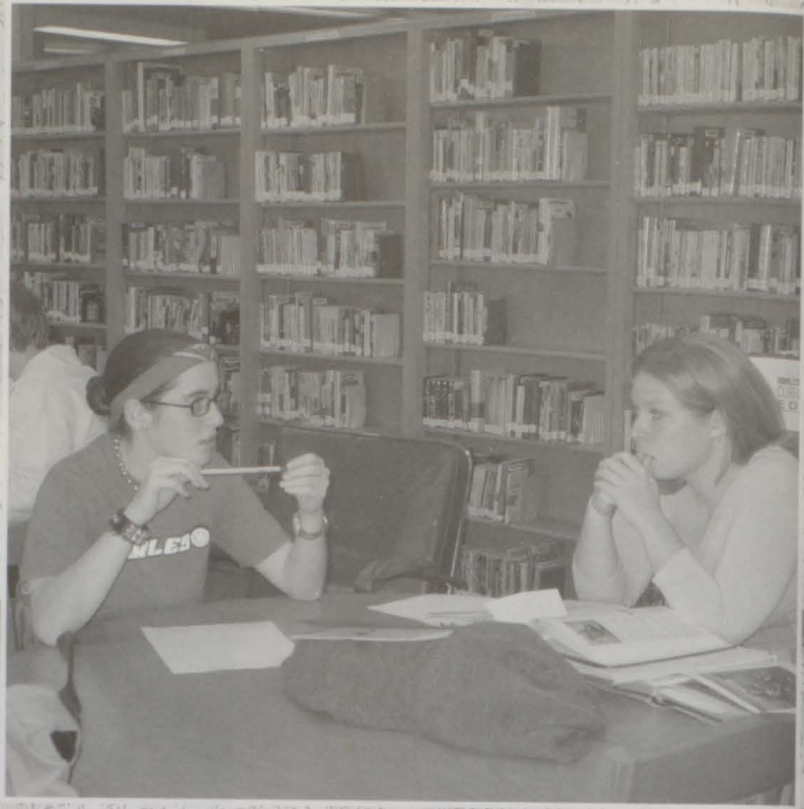
Meet Mike Lewis, flashing us that nice smile!



Here's another Mike! This is Mike Bush.



Meet John Catanzaro, another familiar face! Welcome back!

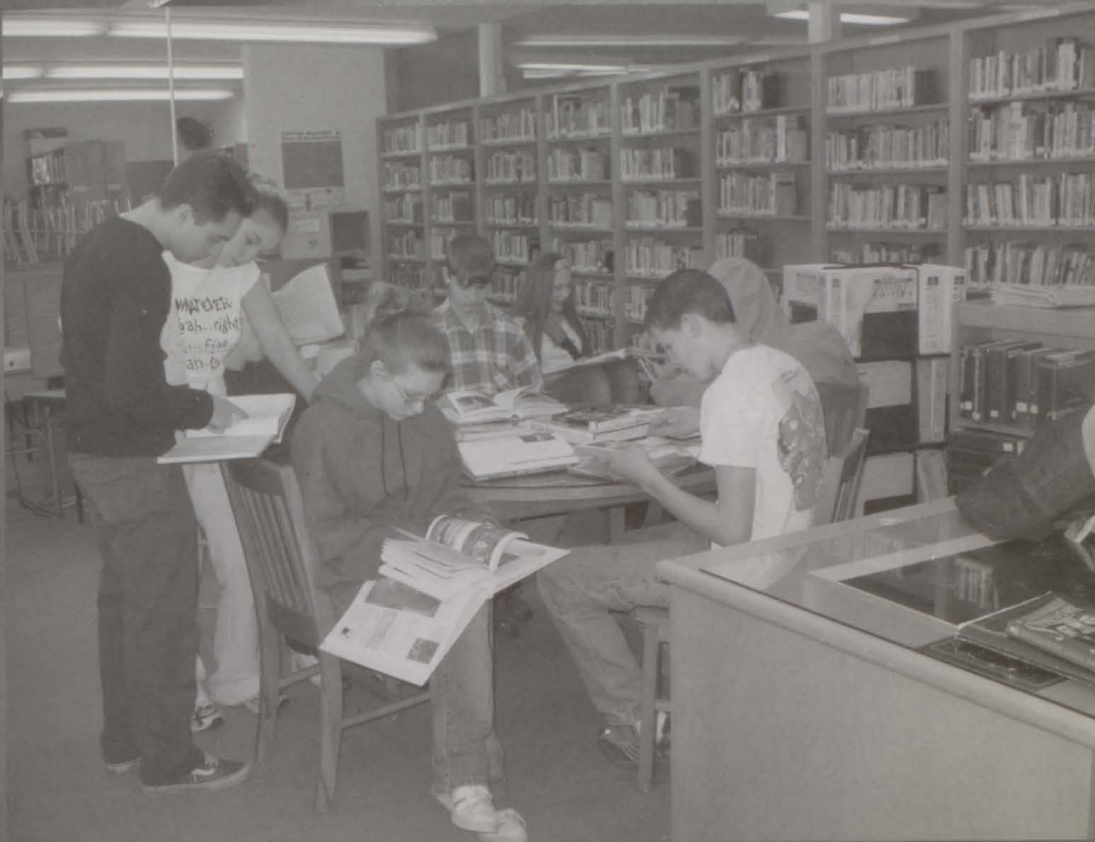


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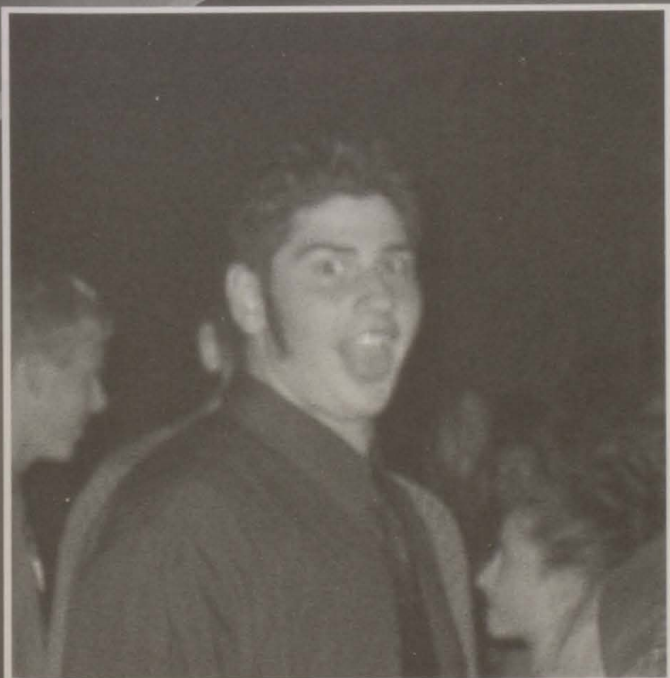


The Chorus is singing for the community and their Winter Concert! Great job Chorus and Band!



Mr. Scoville's art class is in the library for the period. Looks like they are looking up information for a report!

Ms. Benson dresses up for Halloween! She helped out for Spirit Week points for the teachers! She's not really a witch guys!!



Nice smile for the camera Tory! What exactly are you doing? haha



Carine has no idea that she got her picture taken!



Back Row: A. Lohan, R. Hamilton, S. Stanley, S. Magnani, C. Bradley, R. Birdsall, R. Lewis, T. Copeland, N. Edick 4th Row: Advisors Ms. Benson & Mrs. Burcroff, M. Abbott, S. Barrows, M. Carhart, T. Frank, R. Pulver, S. Lazarus, D. Jackson, M. Carey, B. Sheridan, V. Parent 3rd Row: J. Soyke, J. Ryan, M. Kuhn, B. LaMariana, M. Muzzy, J. Nelson, K. Green 2nd Row: J. Freeman, J. Smith, L. Loomis, K. Bates, S. Hubbard, J. Bartle, C. Farwell Front Row: R. Bishop, T. Kelsey, T. Taranto, A. Gal L. Seaman, M. Baker



How many pairs of gloves did we sell, again?! Michelle Baker and Britany LaMariana sell gloves like there was no tomorrow at the Craft Fair in the fall.

Jess Bartle, Ms. Benson and Meg Abbott separate the massive amount of non-perishable canned goods for the Food Drive.



"Get your popcorn...and your soda...Only a \$1!!" Heather Favorito and Meg Abbott are expert salesmen at one of the football games. Way to be ladies!

* Student Gov't *



This year we worked toward reaching our goals. While we weren't successful with all our endeavors, we did have a lot of fun. The year started off in chaos and ended in harmony. We had many new ideas and hopefully we created some things that will become a part of every school year. Spirit Week was a blast and we had more participation in it this year than we had in past years. Good luck to all seniors and all those still here: have fun next year. And thank you to the best fans in Section 4 for supporting our sports teams.

~Andy Gates; Student Body President

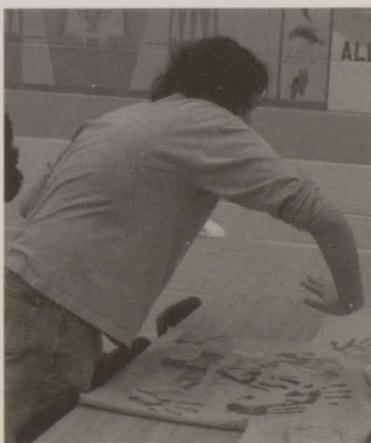
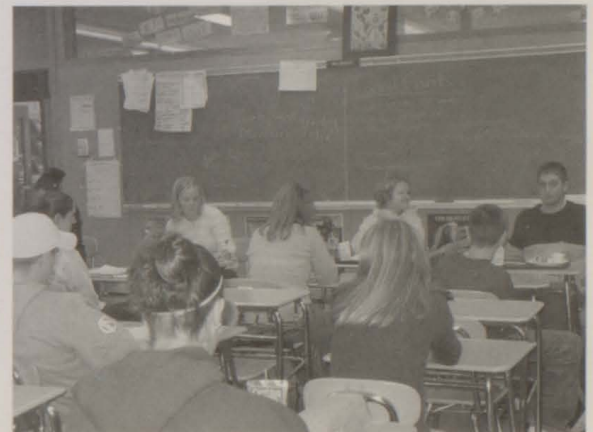
Student Government Officers Nikki Edick, Treasurer; Jess Bartle, Vice -President; Meg Abbott, Secretary; Andy Gates, President



Nikki Edick waits patiently for some business at the concession stand at a boy's basketball game.

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We are getting a whole lot done aren't we?!...Here is a typical weekly Student Government meeting.



Vicky Parent is making a t-shirt with her hand prints on it at a conference...Looking good Vicky!

Lisa, shouldn't you be working like Robin?! This is just one of the very many events that Student Government members do at conferences.



Doing the sign was always a responsibility of the Student Government members. Here are Jess Bartle and Rachel Lewis taking that responsibility and creating the sign one day during study hall.



Layout by: Megga



Homecoming Parade and Game



Far Left: The Freshmen were Kiss, to represent the 70's.

Middle: The teachers watched t.v. in the living room, with a visit from the Beatles.

Left: The Sadd organization participated too, with their banner.



Above: The Ag. Class expresses their 75th Anniversary on their float.



Homecoming Candidates



The Football players showed some team unity during the Parade

Nadine Cook, Ben Gross, Jenna Paul, Thom Kelsey, Katie Bates, Tim Taranto, Rachel Reynolds, Tom Locke, Jess Bartle, Jeremy Wakefield, Ashley Bartle, Brad Aldrich, Michelle Mayhood, and Andy Gates

Oxford Vs. Greene

This year's Homecoming game was a big disappointment to the team and me. We came into the game as big favorites and let that get to our heads. That loss brought us back down and refocused us on our goals.

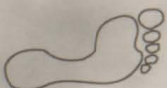
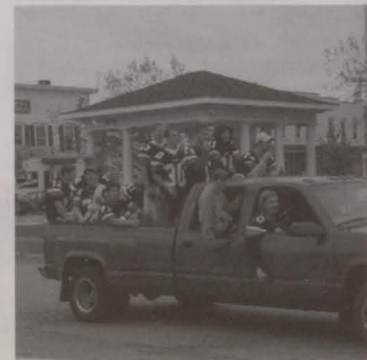
-Brad Aldrich, quarterback



Above: "We are the future." The Seniors showed class pride on their float.

2nd from top: Sophomores used t.v shows and 80's icons for their float.

3rd from top: The Juniors were music icons on their float of the 90's.



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Top: Ashley, Jill, Reebe, and Michelle all look great at this year's dance!



Top: Gosh I love my Ache! Rae and I had a ball, at Homecoming this year!!



Timmmy looks like he was right in the middle of saying something? Mostly likely a joke :)

One of the highlights of the dance was Austin breaking it down for the crowd!!



Homecoming Court

2nd Prince and Princess: Ben Gross and Nadine Cook-
King and Queen: Tom Locke and Rachel Reynolds-First
Prince and Princess: Jeremy Wakefield and Jenna Paul



Left: Amber, Justine, and Shannon are having a great time dancing. Good work girls:)



Right: Jenny and Meghan are having a blast. But Jennaayy, what are you doing??!



The Cha-Cha was a big hit at this years homecoming! Everyone joined in.

"Homecoming made me realize that all of us won't be together soon. From dances way back in 4th Grade, now we are graduating and attending OUR homecoming, and the last dance for US. Our class has so much fun in everything we do together. It will be a night I'll never forget."

-Jess Bartle

Homecoming Dance



Spirit Week

Monday

Shannon Hubbard feeds
Cody Bess and Mrs. Barrows
feeds Mr. Palmer.



A shocked audience gazes
at the seniors' incredible
victory in the pudding feed.

Andy Gates was fed by
Jenna Paul.



Shannon
O'Connor
and Lauren
Benedicto
dress up
for pajama
day.

Tuesday



Matt
Dicks and
Nate Ford
dash for
the finish
line.



Crystal Dibble
and Jessica
Sabines try to
win the three-
legged race for
their class.



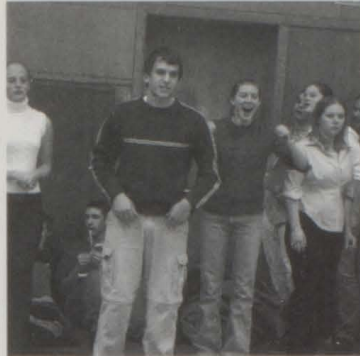
Christie Wright and
Heather Wakefield dressed
as twins for the day.

Kelly LaCotta and
Stacey Flanagan
dressed as twins!



Wednesday

Kyle Reiss is trying to spit his pickle the farthest to help his class pull off a victory.



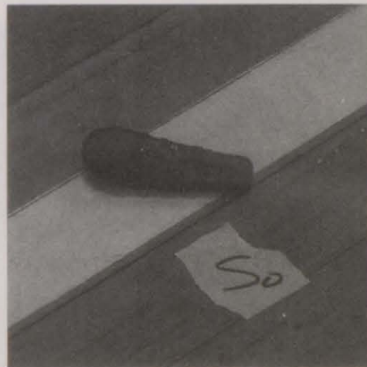
Cody Chapman just spit his pickle an incredible distance.



Arielle Bagg and Scott Stanley look nice for dress up day.



Mrs. Burcroff measures out the distances of everyone's post-spit pickle.



One of the sophomores' pickles lies on the line.

Thursday

Nick Ohl competes in the Dizzy-Izzy for his class.



Seth Magnani is on his last spin before he takes off to a stumbling finish.

Andy Gates, Jessica Freeman and Dustin Loomis help win the Academic Challenge for the seniors.

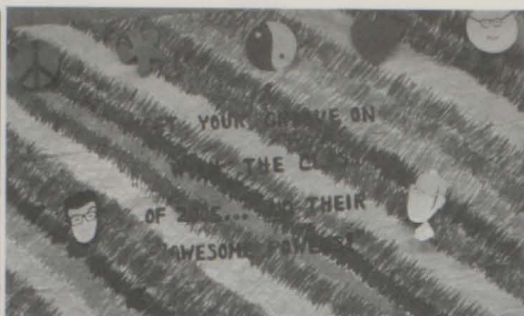
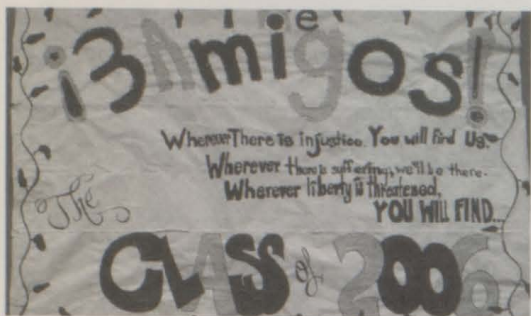


Joe Barrows dressed up as a construction worker for Occupation Day.



Friday

Freshmen, Sophomore and Teacher posters



Junior and Senior posters



Seth Magnani helps out his class in the hoola-hoop pass.



The Seniors pushed the limits of the rules and used John Bradigan as part of their sculpture.



The Freshmen tie up the ends of their relay race with the wheel barrel.

The Sophomores pass the ball along with their feet.



Spirit Week this year was the BEST! All the students got involved, dressed up and competed all week long. The freshmen, who were new to the event, did surprisingly well, as did the sophomores, who captured first in several events. The seniors did a great job in the pudding feed and turned John Bradigan into a living work of art for the junk pile. All of the posters were excellent and the airband contest was great with the seniors' "Men In Tights" skit. But it was the juniors who continued their reign as Spirit Week champs by winning numerous events.

~Tim Taranto~

Teachers	- 91
Freshmen	- 90
Sophomores-	102
Juniors	- 139
Seniors	- 133



AirBand

The Freshmen are shakin' it up with the theme of "Three Amigos".



The Sophomore class' Luke Williams is "Austin Powers".



The Juniors in "Little Shop Of Horrors."



Seniors take the win with "Men In Tights".



This year really showed our great school spirit, better than any other year I have been a part of. There was hard competition, many participants and wonderful performances, with great posters to wrap it all up.....and when do you ever get to see seven seniors BOYS in tights?? By the way, Seniors RULE!!

~Jess Bartle~



The saxophones lead the way during the parade.



The clarinets shake their groove thing.



Darren Golden and Cara Bradley keep the beat.

Paul Williams leads the band during the Memorial Day Parade.



Play On!



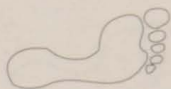
Jess Prewitt and Ryan Brown play Taps on the bridge at the Memorial Day Parade.



Dustin Loomis, Matt Franklin and Danica Landau jazz it up during the Sherburne Pageant of Bands.



Jess Reiss and Nikki Edick play their mellophones during Sherburne Pageant of Bands.





Marching Band



1st : D. Jackson, W. Gross, L. Mills, C. Wright 2nd: B. LaMariana, V. Parent, D. Stein, A. Davis, A. Menard, R. Meringola, M. Duncan, D. Nightengale, P. Williams, D. Glover, C. Bradley, P. Lazarus, J. Hinman, B. Magnani, C. Dougherty, L. DeBrita, J. Bateman, S. Hubbard, J. Bartle 3rd: K. Fowlston, L. Benedicto, J. Nelson, L. Loomis, K. Grundner, S. Green, E. Sheldon, T. Squires, A. MacLaury, C. McGowan, Jackie Brown, J. Mills, M. Freeman, Jessica Brown, C. Williams, C. Sabines, J. Portuese, S. O'Connor, A. Benedicto, D. Landau, K. Green, B. Sheridan 4th: A. Batsford, N. Edick, J. Reiss, M. Franklin, C. Russo, S. Williams, L. Seaman, D. Race, J. Duncan, D. Zimmerman, A. Wakefield, S. Magnani, B. Gross, P. Grundner, M. Ives, M. Caselles, C. Chapman, J. Davis, D. Fagnani, M. Russo 5th: J. Chmielowiec, C. Baier, S. Stanley, J. Wakefield, J. Prewitt, L. Mudge, J. Smith, R. Brown, J. Stanton, K. Reiss, D. Loomis, M. LaCroce, R. Hinman, J. Fowlston, R. Birdsall, K. Menard, K. LaCotta, M. Kuhn, T. Locke, S. Boyer



Maegan Freeman plays her clarinet proudly.



Ben Gross leads the saxophones.





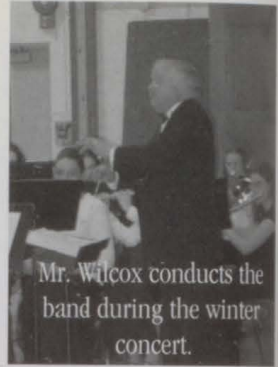
Band



Top: Mr. F. Wilcox, M. Kuhn, C. Chapman, J. Davis, A. Davis, D. Fagnani, V. Parent, J. Stazzone, N. Ford, T. Locke, J. Freeman, S. Stanley, P. Williams, C. Baier, Mr. Nivison 2nd: R. Birdsall, R. Brown, K. LaCotta, Justine Brown, D. Loomis, J. Stanton, J. Prewitt, J. Fowlston, J. Smith, M. LaCroce, R. Hinman, K. Reiss, P. Grundner, B. Gross 3rd: D. Landau, J. Reiss, J. Cummings, K. Green, N. Edick, M. Franklin, J. Portuese, J. Mills, K. LaCotta, M. Purdy, C. McGowan, T. Squires, A. Nisbet, A. Benedicto, S. Lazarus, H. DeSane, Jessica Brown, M. Freeman 4th: Jackie Brown, S. Hubbard, L. Loomis, K. Fowlston, J. Horshinski, C. Sabines, A. Towndrow, J. Nelson, J. Bartle, S. Green, A. Menard, L. Benedicto, B. LaMariana, W. Gross, A. Batsford, S. Williams, L. Seaman Bottom: I. Pierson, L. DeBrita, B. Magnani, D. Golden, P. Lazarus, J. Bateman, J. Hinman, M. Ives, C. Dougherty, S. Magnani, D. Race, D. Jackson, C. Russo, M. Caselles



The trombones play Jubilate



Mr. Wilcox conducts the band during the winter concert.



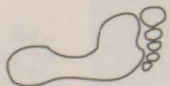
Jessica Freeman

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Jazz II



Top f-b: S. Williams, M. Ives, J. Bateman 2nd f-b: L. Seaman, D. Jackson, D. Race 3rd f-b: S. Stanley, M. Caselles, Mr. Nivison 4th f-b: J. Prewitt, M. LaCroce, L. DeBrita, J. Brown 5th f-b: R. Brown, D. Fagnani 6th f-b: M. Russo, J. Davis 7th J. Brown Standing: M. Kuhn Sitting: R. Hinman





Officers

On floor: L. Seaman-Band Vice President Sitting: P. Williams, S. Green - Band Treasurer, J. Portuese-Band Secretary, B. Gross-Jazz Chair, Standing: C. Dougherty-Band President, J. Reiss-Chorus Secretary, L. Benedicto-Chorus Chair, J. Freeman-Band Historian



Jill, Jackie, Lisa, Seth and Whitney smile for the crowd after their performance.

Area All-State

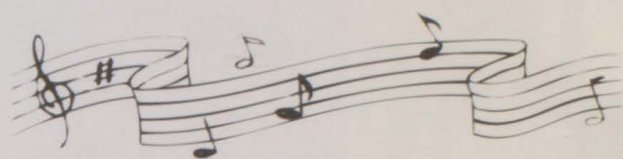


L. Seaman, J. Prewitt, L. Benedicto, J. Smith, J. Portuese, J. Freeman

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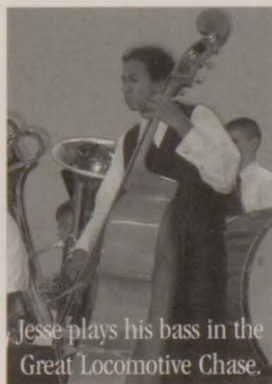
Jen, Kate and Jessica play their flutes in the Holst.



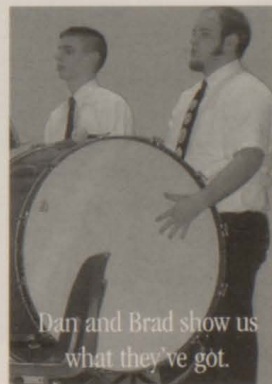
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Jesse plays his bass in the Great Locomotive Chase.



Dan and Brad show us what they've got.

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Singing with the '03 Chorus

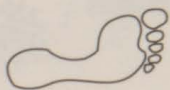
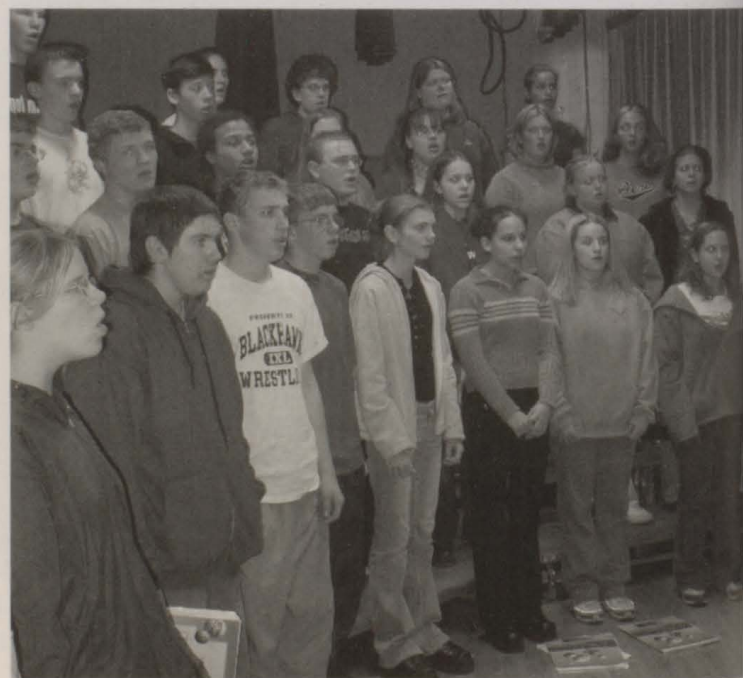


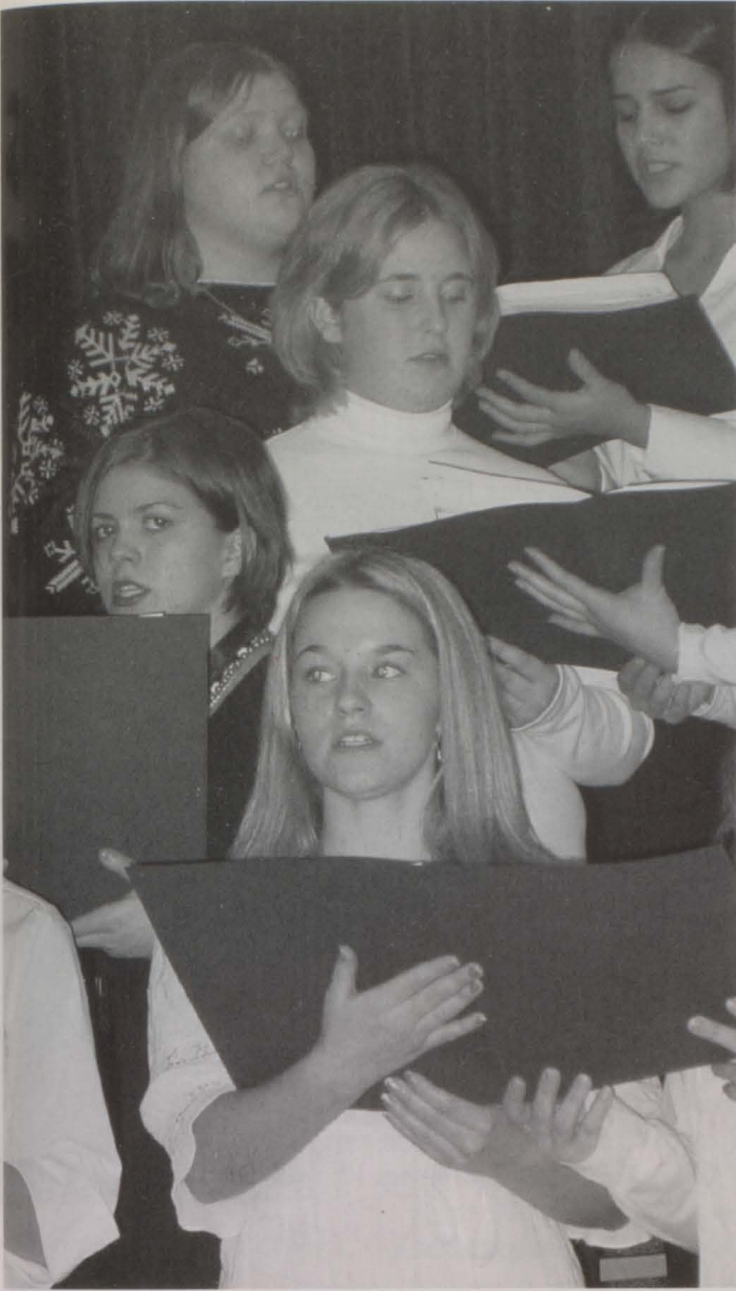
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Here is the very popular Barbershop Ensemble singing "Leaning On a Lamppost." From Left to Right: Kenne Menard, Dan Glover, Seth Williams, Kyle Reiss and Paul Williams

The Chorus is warming up on the stage getting prepared for their winter concert.





Here's the opener! The Chorus opened their segment of the Winter Concert with "Of Thee I Sing America," a Patriotic Medley.



Mr. Moren is conducting the Chorus practice, accompanied by Mr. Wilcox on the piano.

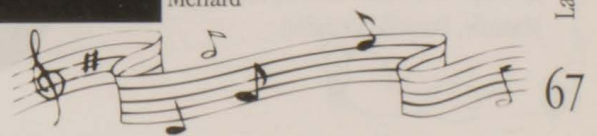
Bird's Eye View! Doesn't everyone look so formal dressed up in their black and white?!



La la la la....Maybe with a little more practice we could all sing like Mr. Moren!

Don't these gals look pretty...?! The crowd fell in love with the Women's Ensemble singing "Catch a Falling Star." From Left to Right: Jackie Smith, Lauren Benedicto, Jess Freeman, Lisa Seaman and Ashley Menard

Layout by: Megga





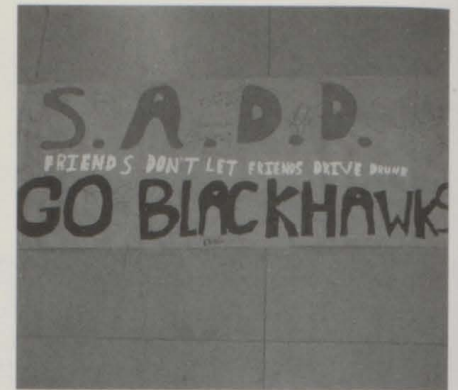
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Jessica Mills and Danielle Crandall work on the sign for the parade.



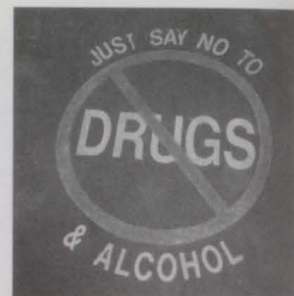
J.J. Shapiro and Danielle Crandall carry their sign in the parade.



The S.A.D.D sign hangs in the gym.

In the year of 2002-2003, the Oxford Academy SADD program had begun the usual programming and meeting that we usually do throughout the year. Then we came upon a new assignment called ADSIP. ADSIP, or Alcohol and other Drug Student Information Program, and YESCAP, Youth Educational Services Community Action Project, are two programs that the SADD program has taken over for the meantime. ADSIP trains high school students to serve as positive role models. Each individual is a leader that will be presenting important information to younger groups in lower grades. In the ADSIP program, high school students that decide to join this organization develop plays and skits that they will perform to the selected age groups that they have picked. Some of the projects that have been selected and students that have been working on are for 3rd graders. They help children develop positive self images, and help children make good life decisions. For the 4th graders they help teach resistance strategies, and help children understand the power of peer pressure.

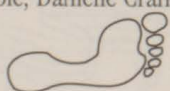
J.J. Shapiro President



Advisor Mrs. Graves, Jessica Mills, Shannon Barrows, Cara Bradley, Jess Bartle, Seth Magnani Front: Lisa Seaman, J.J. Shapiro, Lindsay Loomis, Ashley Mazzole, Danielle Crandall

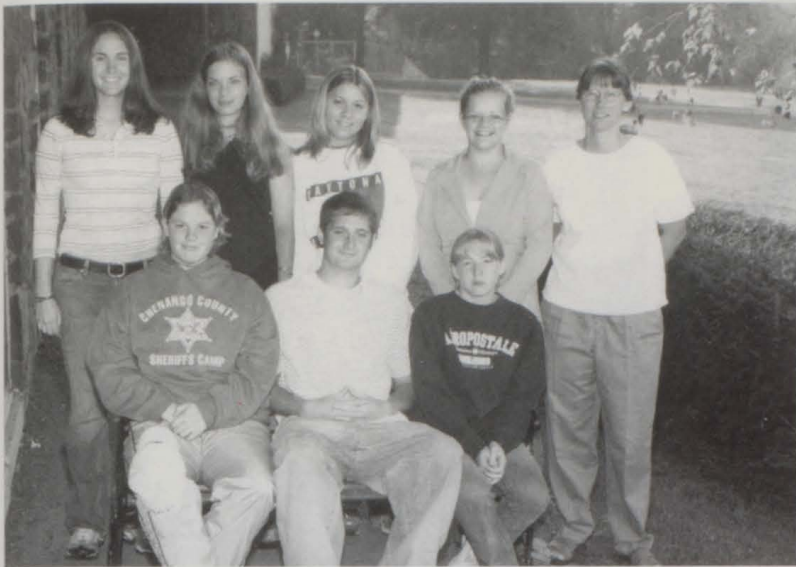


President: J.J. Shapiro
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Peer Mediation



Top: Lisa Seaman, Jessica Freeman, Michelle Moore, Jessica Bartle, Advisor Ms. Collier
Sitting: Michelle Baker, Andy Gates, and Lisa Favorito



Peer Mediators Michelle Baker, Amanda Kasmarcik, Jessica Freeman, Lisa Seaman, Ms. Collier, Michelle Moore, Lisa Favorito, Jessica Bartle during our training session.

Peer Mediation is a great way for students to solve their problems. Mediation is where students go to get help with a problem they are having with another person. We mediators have had training to certify us to do this job. It was a two day training. We did things from brainstorming what problems students may have to doing practice mediations. It is a fun class that also looks good on college applications, so give mediation a try.

Michelle Baker ~Peer Mediator

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ADSIP members: Advisor Mrs. Graves, Brooke Tobey, Whitney Gross, Toni Copeland, Luke DeBrita, Justine Brown, Cyle Farwell, Kate Fowlston, Vicki Parent, Dexter Race, Shannon Barrows, Lindsay Loomis, Jackie Brown, Amber Bailey
Sitting: J.J. Shapiro, Ashley Batsford, Britany LaMariana, Danielle Crandall, Ashley Mazzone



Dexter Race works hard during his meeting.

Drama

THE MUSIC



Back: Paul Williams, Kisha Estelow, Maegan Freeman, Brandi Estelow, Rachel Pulver, Jessica Brown, Whitney Gross, Danielle Jackson, Mr. Moren Middle: Heather Seaman, Amber Bailey, Ashley Batsford, Seth Williams, Lauren Benedicto Front: Brittany LaMariana, Lisa Seaman, Vicky Parent, Danica Landau, Nicole Edick, Jess Prewitt, Heather DeSane, Mallory Carhart, Jackie Smith

- Director: Mike Moren
- President: Paul Williams
- Vice President: Lauren Benedicto
- Treasurer: Mallory Carhart

This year's Drama Club production was Meredith Willson's "The Music Man". It's the story of a con-man (Harold Hill) who enters a town expecting to pull the usual heist. Unfortunately for Harold Hill, he gets caught in his own trap and falls in love with the town librarian, Marian Proo. This year's production was perhaps the most colorful, and extravagant ever. The costumes were vibrant and authentic. I really, really enjoyed being a part of this fantastic production. We rehearsed for about nine weeks, learning a ton of music, many different types of dance steps, and staging. Many in the production had never been through dance instruction before, which made for very entertaining rehearsals! Paul Williams played our leading man, Harold Hill. Lauren Benedicto was our prim and proper Marian Paroo. Kenne Menard was a perfect Marcellus. Lisa Seaman played Marian Paroo's mother, Mrs. Paroo. John Bradigan was a hilarious Mayor Shinn. Jackie Smith played Mrs. Shinn and along with her posse, Nikki Edick, Jessica Brown, Vicki Parent and Rachel Pulver, (Maud Dunlop, Alma Hix, Ethel Toffelmier, and Mildred Squires) they were the uproarious Del Sarte ladies. The barbershop quartet consisted of Jess Prewitt, Seth Williams, Kyle Reiss and Dan Glover. Winthrop Paroo was played by the very talented Noah Auwarter, and the adorable Gracie Shinn was played by Amber Kida. There were numerous townspeople who made large numbers such as "Iowa Stubborn" very believable. We could not have done this play without ANYONE who was involved. It was very successful, playing to a full house on Friday night. I really look forward to next year.





Kenny and Paul enjoy their one-on-one scene on the stage.



Kyle, JJ, Brandi and Lisa show off their boyish figures in the first scene of the show.

Club '02



These Grecian Urns enjoyed themselves a little too much on that stage!

The Music Man's townspeople sing "Pick a Little".



Lauren played the part of Marion, the librarian.



This page is just a representation of the different things that the students here at Oxford do. Some of the kids do some pretty funny stuff. The wall paintings were put in to remember them, since we are getting a new school and they will no longer be there. This year for Halloween the students dressed up to earn points for Spirit Week later in the year.



Abi Benedicto and Tory Taranto. Studying?!

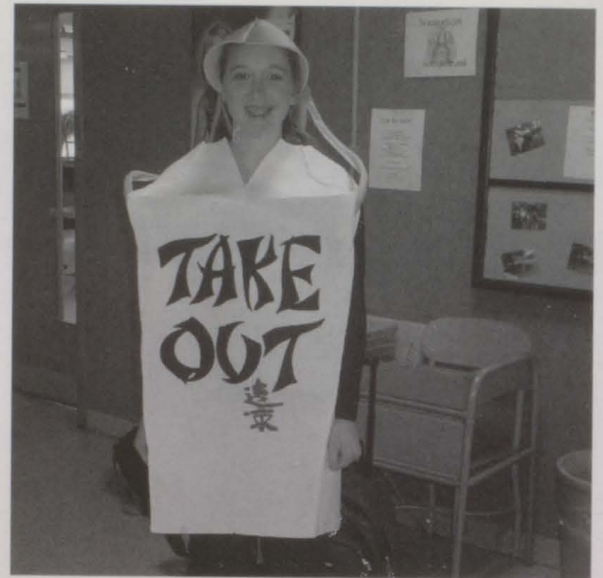


A painting of Jimi Hendrix is on the wall in the art room.

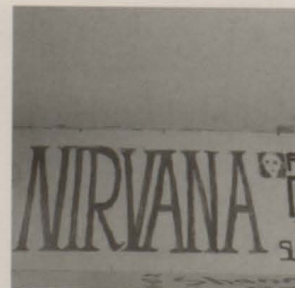
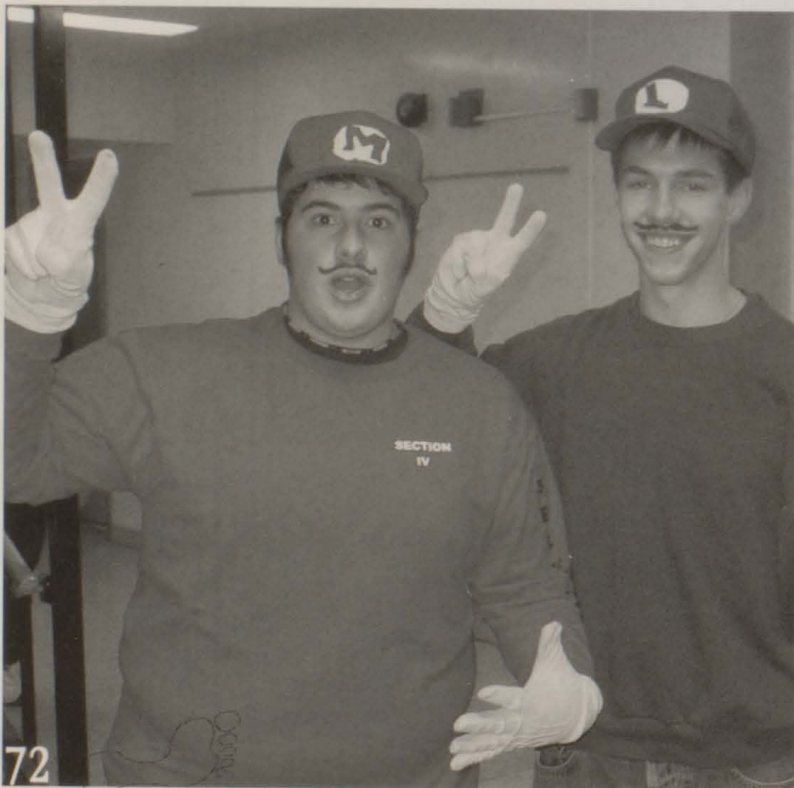
Dressing up our walls - and ourselves



Brooke Tobey joins the Mafia. Just kidding. This was her Halloween Costume. Tim Taranto and Phil Grundner dressed as Mario and Luigi.



Rachel Pulver is Chinese food take-out for Halloween.



Nadine and Brittany sleep during study hall. Way to use the time wisely ladies.

Wall art around the school: A big fish, a dragon, and a rose by Jenny Ryan.



Katie and Heather love art class. Looking good ladies.



Amber, Ashley, and Erica. Wait, that's for Halloween? Just kidding guys.



Sheriff's Camp 2002. Michelle, Meghan and Jenny all were counselors at this camp. Poor kids.



Whitney and Erin in study hall. Looks like they've been working hard.



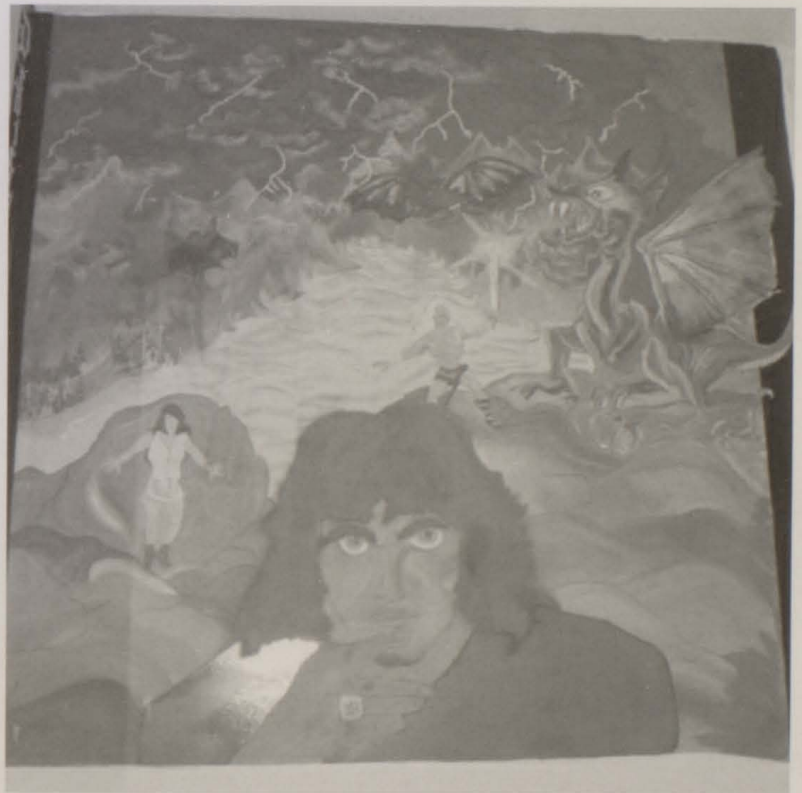
Wall paintings of "All around the World" and Mountains.

Chris LaFever dressed as a cat woman October 31.

Matt and Michelle study/rest (?) during study hall. Wake up Matchu.



Michelle and Mally take a fun picture for the yearbook. Hey, we finally made it in the yearbook Mal.



Mrs. Burcroff and Mr. Palmer dressed as Lady and Lord MacBeth. Is this what they mean by parallel instruction?

Fashions

GO OUT!

Who has a butterfly tattoo?
That's Nadine Cook!



Lynette Roys shows us her tongue ring, along with her nose piercing.

Nikki Edick has her eye-brow pierced along with her nose. I wonder if they hurt?



Heather Seaman has her own type of fashion.



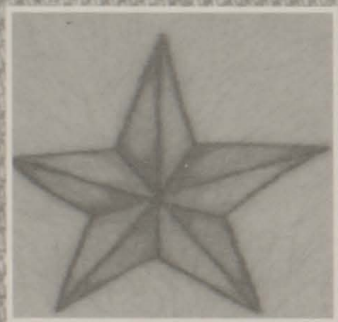
Toni Copeland has a tattoo on her leg



Katie Bates has a tattoo, now isn't that beautiful!

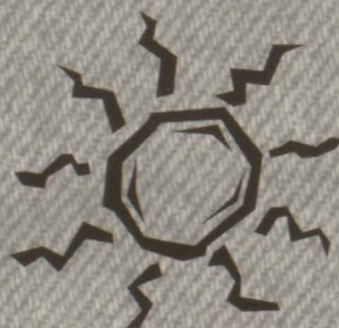


Jess Bartle and Meg Abbott have a neat fashion trend at school.



Meghan Chesney has a tattoo of a star... ain't that neat.

Tattoos



Lynette Roys has a butterfly tattoo with a different twist.

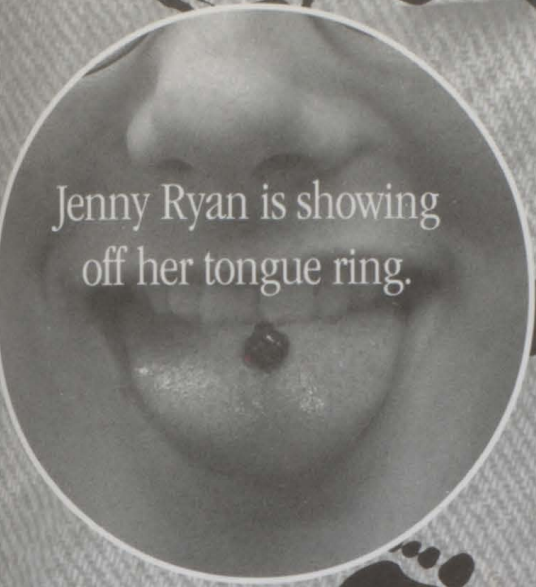


Trends



Express Yourself

Jenny Ryan is showing off her tongue ring.



Meghan Chesney shows us her many different piercings.



Matt Dicks has a tattoo on his arm.



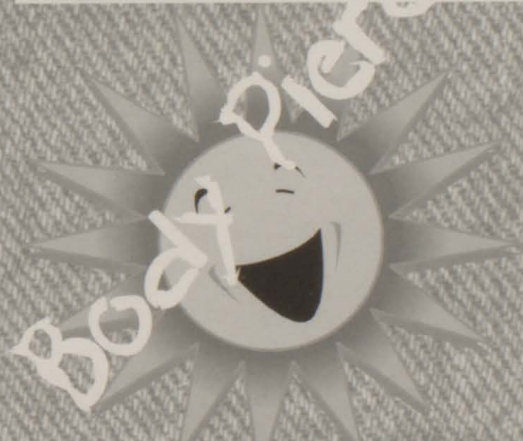
Nicki Dean has a tattoo of stars and a moon on her foot.



Michelle Mayhood has a tattoo of a butterfly. How spectacular!.



Jess Szabelski has her lower lip pierced.



Layout by: Nicki Dean

DARE
TO BE
different



Field goal



Touchdown



Spike Block



Football Softball



Winter Guard



Wrestling

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Basketball

Sports Volleyball



Home Run
Hoop it up
Steal
Hat Trick
Pin em
Safe
Out
Strike
Set
Single
Double
Triple
Drive
Middle
Outside



TENNIS

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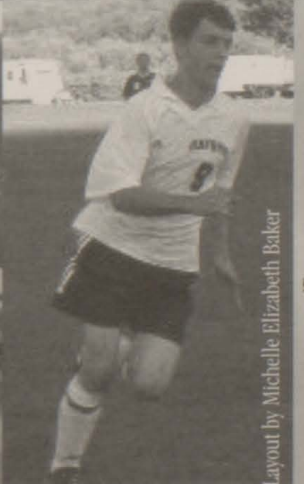
FOOTBALL

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BASKETBALL

HOCKEY



WRESTLING

Layout by Michelle Elizabeth Baker

BASEBALL

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TRACK & FIELD

VOLLEYBALL

Soccer



The JV team gets a pep talk during half-time.



Tyler takes a shot and hopes for the best.



Chris works hard to get to the goal.

Even though this was my first year playing soccer, it was a great one. From the beginning I could tell that we had something that few other teams had. We had a strong sense of unity, a driving force that took us to sectionals. No one expected us to go that far. Our record of 8-6-1 proved a lot of the doubters wrong, and almost set Oxford Soccer history. We even went to the Soccer Hall of Fame in Oneonta and took third in the tournament there. With each game our talent, teamwork and momentum built. At one point we had a 5 game winning streak, the first one in a long time for Oxford. A lot of hard work and determination was poured into this team every time one of us touched a soccer ball. I wish the best of luck to the returning guys, and a salute to all the seniors. For old time's sake...dominate on 6! - Evan Romaine



Cyle makin' his move



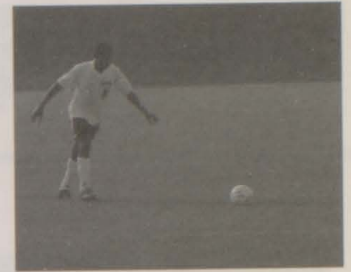
JV Captains: Cyle Farwell, Seth Magnani, Luke DeBrita



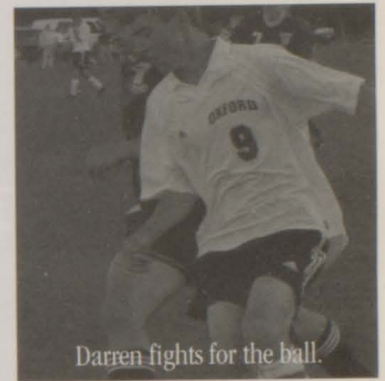
Back: Austin Nisbet, Ryan Brown, Seth Magnani, Jason Chmielowiec, Marcus Carey, Joe Burdick and Cody Chapman Middle: Kyle LaCotta, Orrin Kenyon, Cyle Farwell, Luke Debrita and Trevor Squires Front: Seth Williams



Austin goes for the goal!



Darren fights for the ball.



The team cheers each other on at the Tournament.

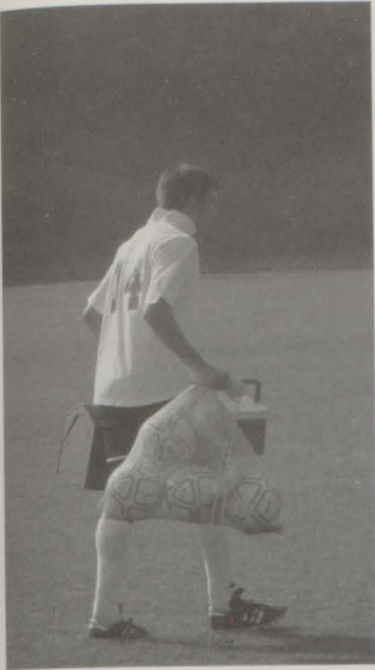


Clockwise from top left:
Ben is getting ready for the game.

Seniors: Top: John Bradigan, Evan Romaine, Thom Kelsey, Ben Gross, Andy Gates Bottom : Darren Golden, Chad Dougherty, Austin Bessong and J.J. Shapiro

Kenne Moore takes a break during half-time.

Chad, Kenne, and Thom are hustling to the ball.



Back: Sr. J.J. Shapiro #23, Sr. Evan Romaine #13, Sr. John Bradigan #12, Sr. Thom Kelsey #10, Sr. Andy Gates #11, Kenny Menard #21, Sr. Darren Golden #9, Robert Birdsall #19, Coach Cummings, Coach Paden *Middle:* Sr. Chad Dougherty #24, Tyler Smith #17, Sr. Ben Gross #14, Kyle Reiss GK/#25, Jesse Bateman #22, Kenne Moore #16. *Bottom:* Billy Hatton #18, J.P. O'Connor #15. Not Pictured: Sr. Austin Bessong #8

Varsity

	Us	Them
Sidney	0	3
Greene	1	8
BG	4	3
Port Jefferson	2	4
Greenville	4	3
Walton	4	3
Greene	1	6
GMU	6	2
Unatego	5	5
Delhi	0	2
Greene	0	2
BG	5	1
Walton	3	2
Delhi	2	0
Unatego	4	1
Sidney	2	5
UV	10	1



Kenny Menard gets upset after missing a shot.

Captains: Thom Kelsey, Kenne Moore and Ben Gross

Layout by: Nicole Edick

Lady Blackhawks *Field*

JV Captains: Back: Jenna Nelson
Front: Lindsay Lomis, Shannon Hubbard

The JV team gets down and dirty, stretching for their game.



Scores

JV

Team	Us	Them
Whitesboro	1	3
Greene	2	3
Afton	4	0
Walton	1	2
Owego	4	0
Deposit	1	0
H'ville	2	1
Delhi	3	1
Hancock	0	0
Afton	2	0
Walton	1	0
Deposit	3	0
H'ville	1	2
Delhi	0	3

Varsity

Team	Us	Them
Hamilton	8	0
Whitesboro	6	0
Marathon	2	3
Afton	1	2
Sidney	5	1
Walton	1	0
Owego	2	1
Deposit	0	0
H'ville	3	2
Delhi	5	0
Hancock	8	0
Afton	2	0
Walton	4	1
Sidney	4	2
Deposit	2	0
H'ville	2	0
Delhi	6	0
Hancock	6	0
Sectionals		
Hancock	6	1
Afton	2	1
Marathon	0	1



Reebe dribbles around an H-ville player while her teammate Josh waits for a pass.

Cara shows off her madd skills by dodging an H-ville player. Keep up the awesome work Cara!



Back:Tina Roberts, Justine Brown, Vicky Parent, Jackie Brown, Lindsay Loomis Middle: Katlyn Muzzy, Jenna Nelson, Shannon Hubbard, Ashley Mazzole, Jamielyn Pisan Front:Kate Fowlston



Hockey Win Division

Back Row: Paul Williams, Timisha Frank, Sara Chrystie, Meg Abbott, Coach Ryan, Rachel Lewis, Jessy Nelson, Ashley Bartle, Josh Stanton Front Row: Jess Bartle, Brandi Estelow, Reebe Tompkins, Robin Hamilton, Jenna Paul, Cara Bradley, Jenny Ryan, Michelle Mayhood



Seniors Back row: Jenna Paul, Ashley Bartle, Jess Bartle, Michelle Mayhood, Jessy Nelson Front row: Paul Williams, Josh Stanton

Michelle Mayhood looks determined to make a good hit out on a penalty corner.

The Varsity team takes a quick lap before a big game.

The Captains say a little something about the season.

Jessica Bartle



"This season, an incredible team was formed working on the field, getting along, and staying tough through all the problems with having boys on the team. This team showed the real meaning of a TEAM and with all the strengths, not necessarily on the field, OUR team made Division II Champs."

Ashley Bartle



"I think that we had a great season. The team we had this year was by far my favorite. We all really got along and truly played as a team. I think that is what made it so successful. Everyone contributed to the great memories for my senior season."

Jessy Nelson



"This year has been one of the most memorable seasons of my career. This team had a lot of heart and knew how to see past differences in order to become a stronger more efficient team. I am so happy that I have gotten the opportunity to work with such talented players and I know in the next few years of Field Hockey a lot of skilled players are going to shine. Thank you to all the great athletes who have made this season one to be proud of and a coach to stick behind us."





Captains: Top row: Ryan Bishop, Luke Lewis, Dexter Race, Bottom Row: Dave Todaro, Steve Loomis.



Here the J.V. shuts down Hancock's run.



Second: Bryce Brown makes an excellent catch for a few yards.

Third: The team gets ready to take a break from their tough game at halftime.

Bottom: The team huddles up to get advice from Coach Champlin during a time out.

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Football

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Varsity

	Us	Them
Trumansburg	14	20
Candor	36	8
Deposit	20	36
Newfield	14	6
Hancock	34	6
Greene	8	36
Unatego	6	32
O.M.	50	0
Deposit	36	20
Newfield	6	14



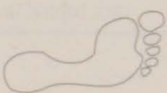
Back: R.Button, C.Nightengale, S.Ryan, C.Taranto, B.Ryan, M.Dicks, J.Jankowski, C.Fowlston, B.Magnani, T.Barry, Coach Curtis Middle: Coach James, D.Zimmerman, J.Wakefield, J.Goda, N.Ford, P.Grundner, C.LaFever, C.Hunter, M.LaCrocce, S.Shore, T.Taranto, Coach Andrus Front: T.Locke, D.Andrus, G.Morgan, B.Aldrich

J.V.

	Us	Them
Unatego	0	32
Lansing	12	32
Deposit	42	26
Hancock	12	21
Greene	12	6
Sidney	12	56
Hancock	6	18
Harpursville	12	21



Back: B.Shephard, S.Braze, C.Baker, J.Chesebro, J.Davis, D.Race, B.Brown, M.Dougherty Middle: Coach Champlin, R.Bishop, L.Lewis, C.Baier, D.Todaro, T.Frank, J.Hinman, Coach Franklin Front: I.Pierson, K.Green, C.Bush, S.Loomis, S.Bevan, S.Drwal





Nate Ford's first year starting for the Blackhawks was an outstanding one. He had 100 rushes for 700 yards, 9 receptions for 70 yards and 12 touchdowns. Good luck with next year's Blackhawk season.



Tom Locke's amazing second season ended with 4 rushes for 60 yards and 16 receptions for 300 yards, scoring 2 touchdowns. He also scored 6 two point conversions for the Blackhawks and threw a touchdown pass.



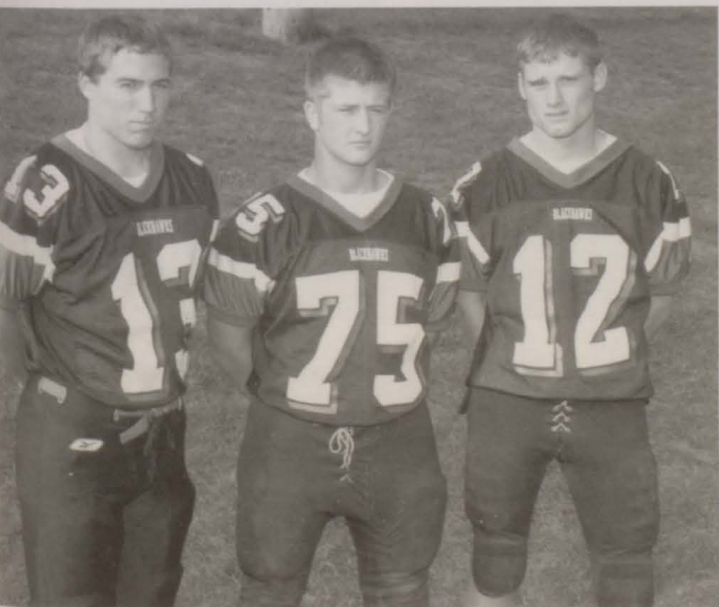
Brad Aldrich, the two-year starting Quarterback, finished his second season with 116 rushes for 550 yards. He completed 62 of his 136 attempts for 900 yards, scoring 8 total touchdowns between the two.



Below: Team chanting KILL after a big win!!!



Jeremy Wakefield's first-ever season running the ball after being moved from lineman was an exceptional one. He carried the ball 31 times for 170 yards, scoring 2 touchdowns.



Captains: Brad Aldrich, Gabe Morgan, Tom Locke



Seniors: Top: Simon Shore, Brad Aldrich, Gabe Morgan, Tom Locke, Bottom : Dan Zimmerman, Tim Taranto, Rich Button

Layout by Gabe & Nicki





Girls



SOCCKER

This year's soccer team was different than past years. It was the first time we had a JV and Varsity team instead of one big team. Sadly, the Varsity will be losing eight seniors. They had an outstanding year. They won a game for the first time in two years and is becoming stronger each year. As the program continues to build, you will see more success. Senior and Captain Danielle Tomsa

Team Spirit

Rachel Reynolds waits for the pass in from the sideline.



Michelle Moore and Jess Reiss chase after the ball.



Luci and her opponent are neck and neck. Who will get there first?



Ashley Winner and the opposing team are all tangled up.



The Girls show off their moves. Well, some of them.



Go for the Gold.

Danielle Tomsa punts the ball downfield.



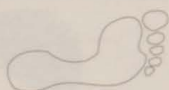
Dodge ball.

Katie Bates dodges around a defender to get to the ball.



Who Does that??

Megban Chesney trips after a BGA girl falls. Way to take one for the team.





Varsity

Top : Coach DeFrancisco, Jessica Freeman, Chasity Simpson, Jessica Reiss, Mindy Ryan, Stephanie Green, Michelle Moore Middle: Meghan Chesney, Danielle Tomsa, Maegan Freeman, Katie Bates, Amber Towndrow, Christie Wright Front : Anne Place

Junior Varsity

Top Left: Danica Landau, Jennifer Bartle, Sheena Hatton, Ashley Lohan, Mindy Ives, Erica Flowers, Jennifer Soyke, Coach Hendricks Middle Row: Jamie Lott, Trisha Green, Katie Seiler, Luci Monfort, Ashley Winner, Brittany LaMariana Front Row Toni Copeland



Captains

Katie Bates Danielle Tomsa

Scores

Junior Varsity

	Us	Them
Milford	0	4
Sidney	0	9
BGA	0	2
Greene	1	4
Port Jefferson	0	3
Newfield	0	4
Walton	1	2
Delhi	3	9
Unatego	0	5
UV	0	7
Walton	3	1
Delhi	0	4

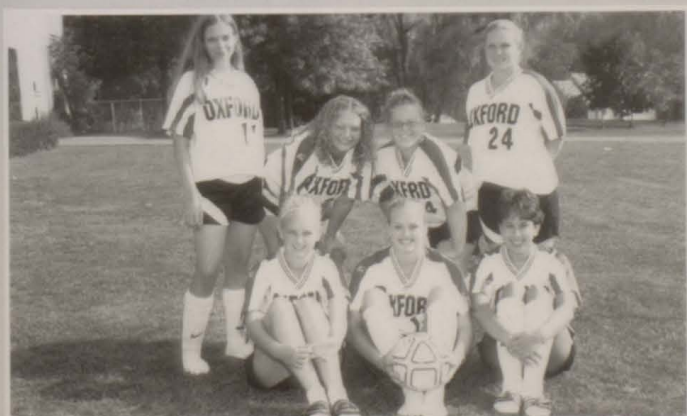
	Us	Them
BGA	1	4
GMU	0	1
Delhi	2	2
Unatego	0	5
UV	0	5
Sidney	2	6
Greene	1	6
BGA	1	7
GMU	0	2
UV	0	6
Delhi	2	6
Greene	0	5

Toni Copeland saves the ball.



You Can't Catch me.

Erica Flowers chases down the opponent.



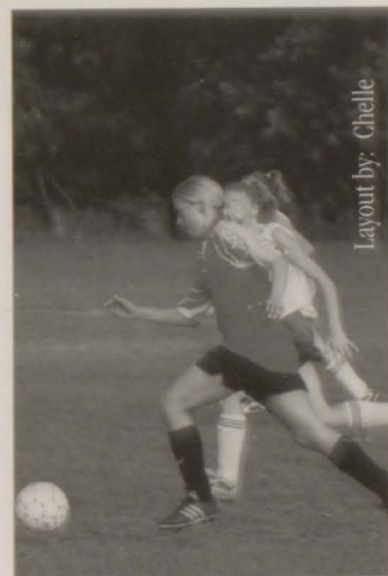
Seniors

Top : Jessica Freeman, Danielle Tomsa, Steph Green, Katie Bates
Bottom : Chasity Simpson, Mindy Ryan, Jessica Reiss



J.V. Captains

Jennifer Bartle and Toni Copeland



Layout by: Ghelle

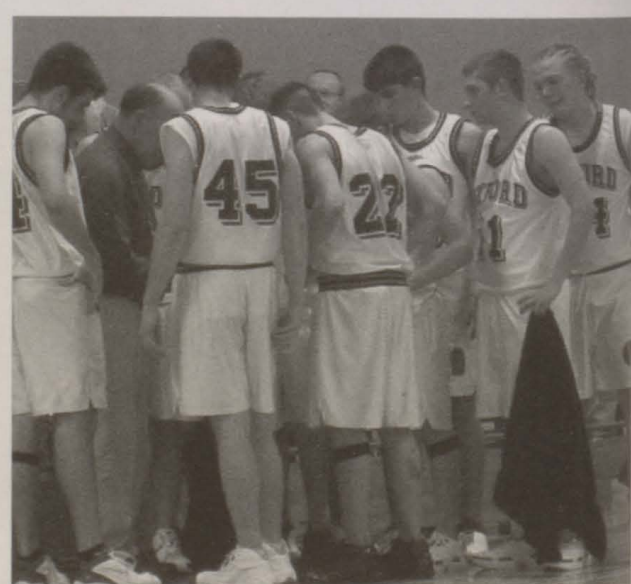
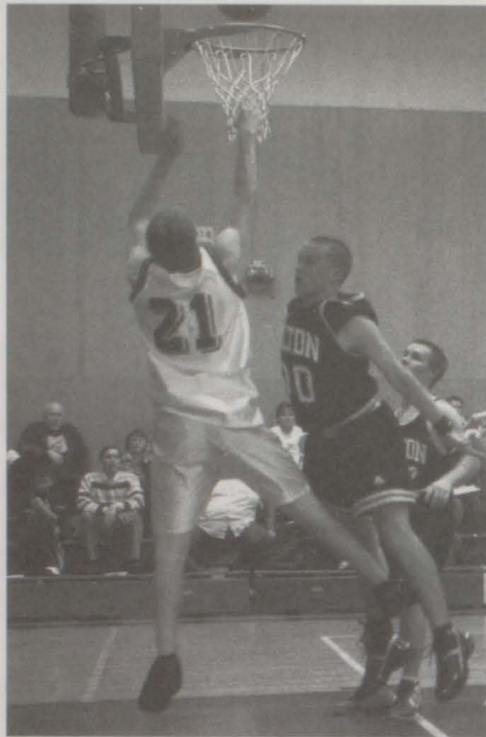
BoYs Basketball

Nate takes the ball to the hoop during a Home game against Walton....good job boys!

TOUGH "D" ANDY! Andy's playing awesome Defense during his game against Sidney

Mr. Davis takes a time out to tell his team what to do to win the game! LETS GO JV!

Cy Cy throws a pass into the post for a basket!



Bottom four pictures, clockwise:

NICE PASS! Luke Lewis just made an awesome pass during their win against Deposit!

Kyle Reiss sets up a play from the top of the key.

Mr. Curtis calls a timeout to tell his team what to do next!

Ben, James and Thom hustle to get the play off before 3 seconds elapses.



'02 - '03



JV Captains Ryan Bishop and Luke Lewis

JV Basketball

	Us	Them
Norwich	48	68
CF	46	49
Greene	42	51
Sidney	48	69
Deposit	65	35
Delhi	63	53
Walton	67	63
B-G	45	44
Unatego	56	61
Walton	63	50
Hancock	71	37
Harp.	58	44
Afton	73	77
Deposit	71	43
UV	56	58
Hancock	46	37
Harp.	57	30
Afton	70	46
UV	32	46
BG	48	29

Varsity Basketball

	Us	Them
Norwich	50	60
CF	62	50
Greene	62	45
Sidney	59	35
Deposit	64	41
Delhi	55	57
Walton	58	63
B-G	67	49
Unatego	47	46
Walton	72	52
Hancock	64	25
Harp.	69	37
Afton	58	68
Deposit	71	56
UV	47	39
Harp.	46	37
Hancock	76	50
Afton	60	62
UV	68	49
BG	64	46
Franklin	61	54
Afton	38	51



JV Top: T. Smith, J. Fowlston, J. Davis, Coach Davis, J. Post, D. Fagnani, D. Ohl, R. Bishop Bottom: C. Farwell, B. Hatton, L. Lewis, L. DeBrita, I. Pierson, K. Davis



Varsity Top: Coach Curtis, C. Nightengale, P. Lazarus, J. Jankowski, B. Gross, J. McNitt, C. Fowlston Bottom: T. Kelsey, N. Ford, B. Aldrich, A. Gates K. Reiss



"One way to describe Oxford Basketball this year is TEAM. The guys really came together and showed a lot of heart and team spirit."

Thom Kelsey
(senior)



"This year's team was a deep and well-rounded team that performed extremely well. I had a lot of fun with this great group of guys. Good luck next years fellas."

Andy Gates
(senior)



"This team was a well-rounded team. The guys all played well together, especially on the defensive end with our man-to-man defense. I had a great deal of fun with this team. I wish next year's team good luck."

Ben Gross
(senior)



"This year our team came together very well. We accelerated at the defensive end and that sparked a lot of big wins for us"

Brad Aldrich
(senior)

Layout by: Rachel

Spectacular Season

Girls make it to state semis

This season has been an unforgettable experience. This year our basketball team advanced further than any other team in Oxford's history. Luckily this year we had a very understanding coach, and a team that could play well together and stay strong through tough games and make Oxford history.

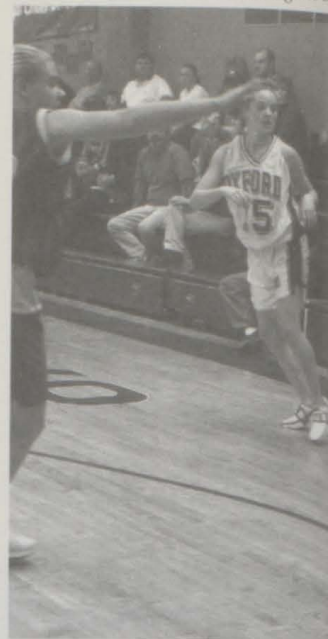
Jessy Nelson

This was definitely an unforgettable season. Making it to the state championship was an experience like no other. In many games when we were down, we pulled together as a team. We had faith in ourselves, even if no one else did. I think that showed best when we played Harpursville at home and Richfield Springs for the regional championship. Going further than any

other basketball team in Oxford's history gave us a feeling of pride and accomplishment that you can't find anywhere else. I know, as a senior, I couldn't have asked for a better way to end my high school basketball career or a better team to have played with. This season has been full of memories I know none of us will forget.

Ashley Bartle

Ashley Bartle steps in after in-bounding the ball



Reebe Tompkins is taking her time while setting up for her foulshot.

Sara Chrystie goes in for an easy layup for 2 points.



Ashley and Jessy set a nice trap for a steal against Afton.



Seniors: Ashley Bartle, Nicole Nenarella, Jessy Nelson
Captions: Ashley Bartle, Jessy Nelson

The girls anxiously wait for the ball to come down so they can get the rebound and make the layup.



Girls Varsity Basketball

-A Team To Remember-

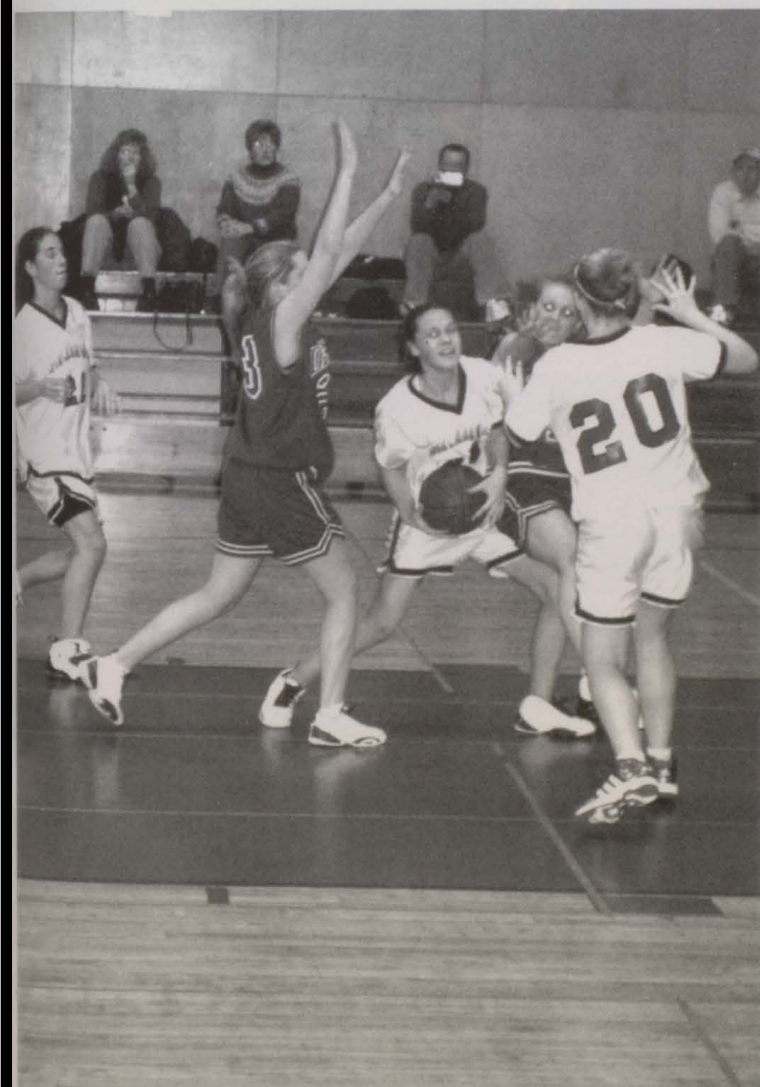


Varsity: *Front Row:* Ashley Bartle, Reebe Tompkins, Cara Bradley, Lindsay Loomis *Back Row:* Sara Chrystie, Nicole Nenarella, Rachel Lewis, Jessy Nelson, Sarah Lazarus

Girls JV Basketball



JV: *Front Row:* Sheena Hatton, Katy Seiler, Alyssa Law, Melinda Kuhn *Back row:* Shannon Hubbard, Jennifer Bartle, Julie Davis, Kate Fowlston, Erica Flowers, Teresa Lazarus



Nice work! The JV team fights for the ball under the basket to get a jump ball.



Jessy Nelson eludes her defender with great ball-handling. The defense shows what they're made of.

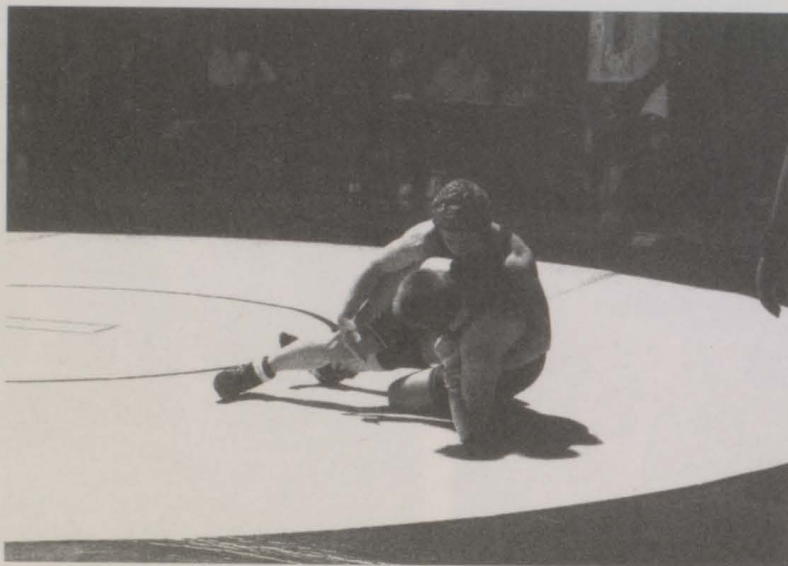
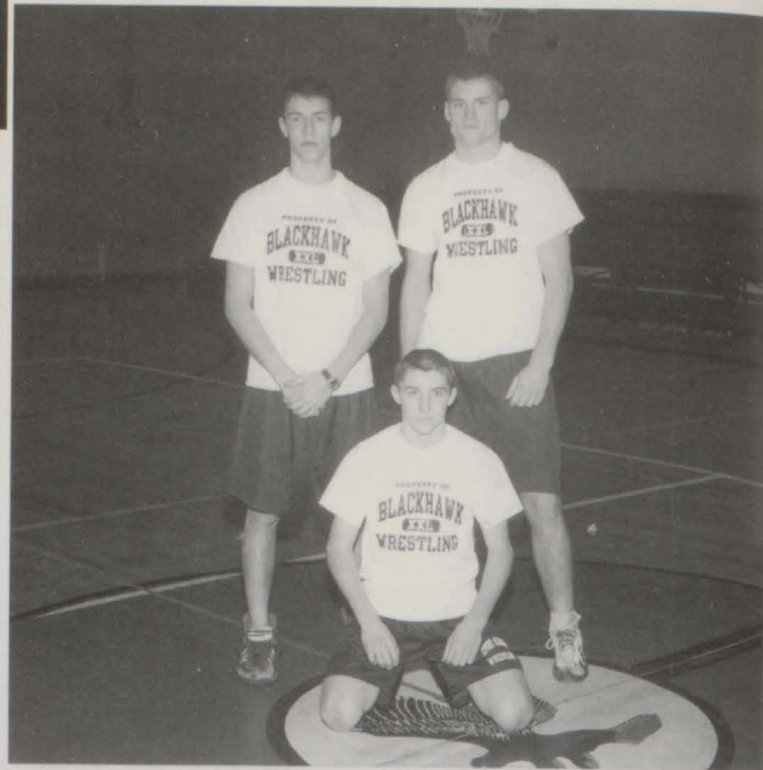
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Phil Grundner, Tom Locke, and J.P. O'Connor

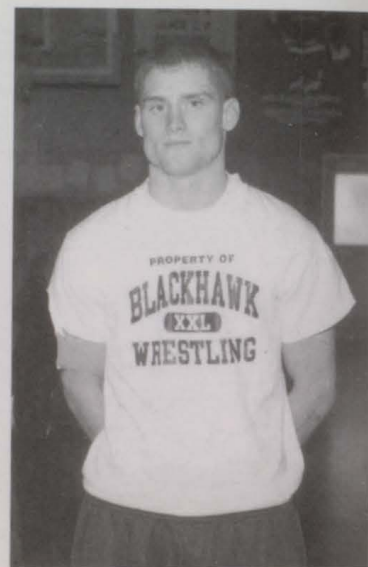
Wrestling

The gaining of a new coach, Coach Green, helped us to become one of the best teams in Section Four. He helped a lot of young guys on the team become highly competitive wrestlers. That and our experience with some of the older guys made this season very productive. We took first place at the MAC Championship tournament, which hasn't been won by Oxford since 1974. Winning this was definitely a high point in the season. Due to hard work and great coaching we had several guys place high in the section to finish out the year.

-Phil Grundner



Ryan is trying to gain control against opponent. LOOK FOR THE PIN!!!

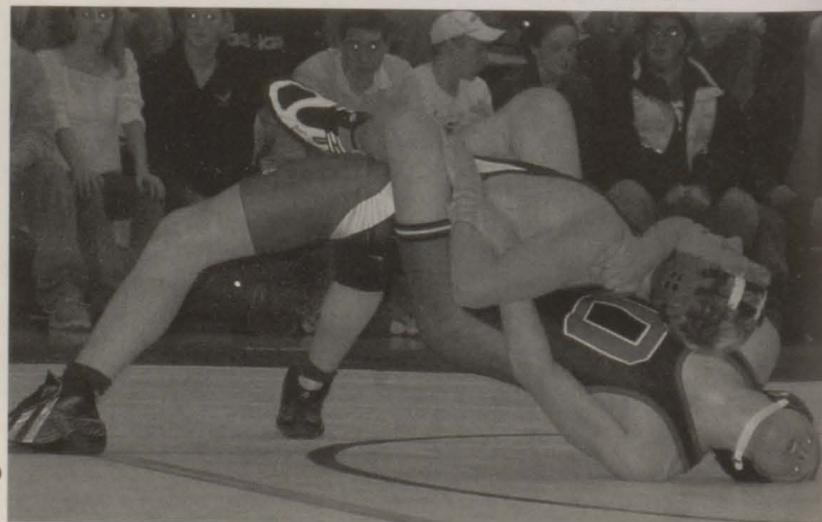


Senior
Tom Locke



State Champion

Freshman J.P. O'Connor was the third wrestler since 1986 to win his weight class at the State Wrestling Tournament. This year his record in the 96 pound class was 33-3 and his lifetime record improved to 108-11. Great job!



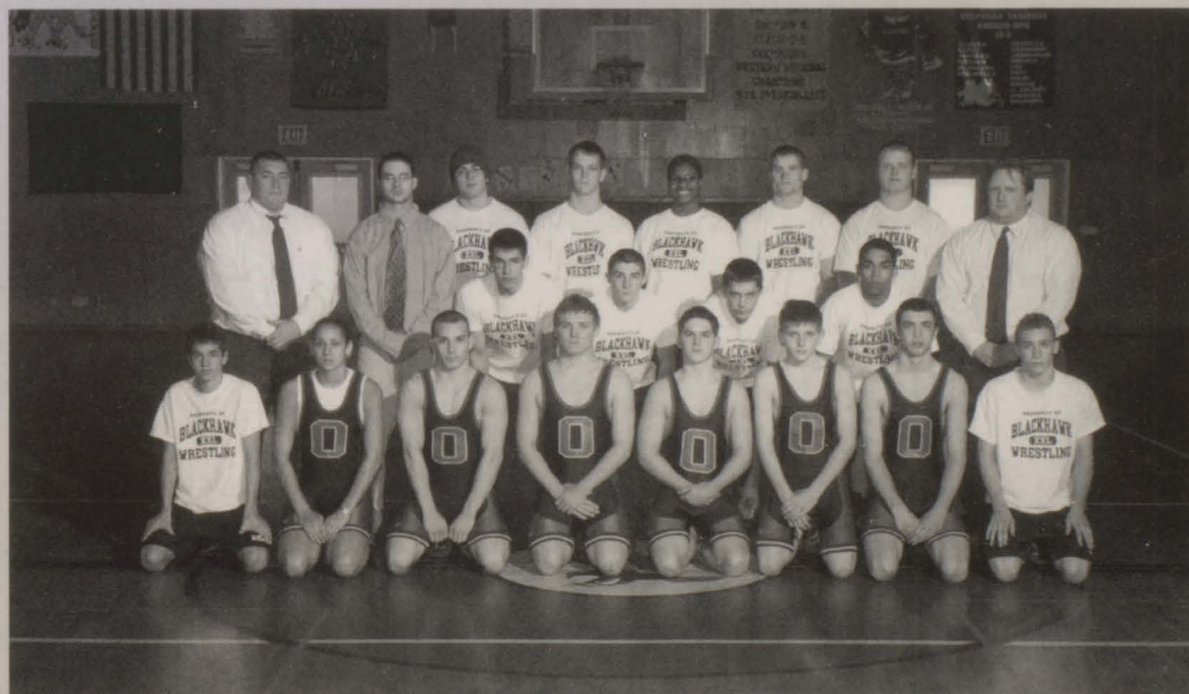
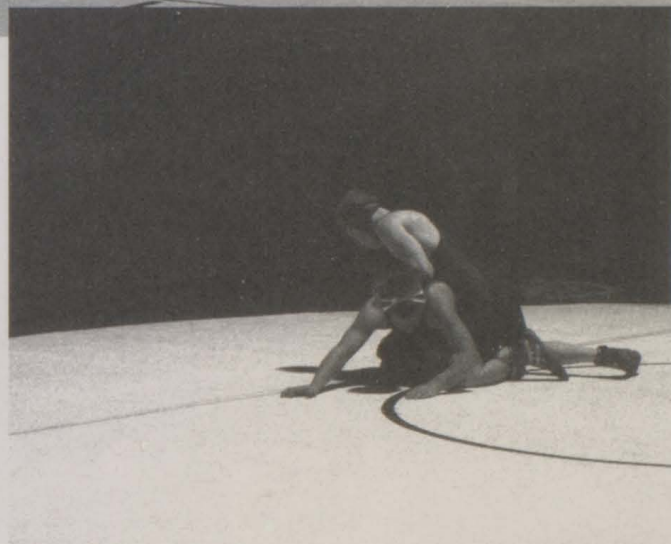
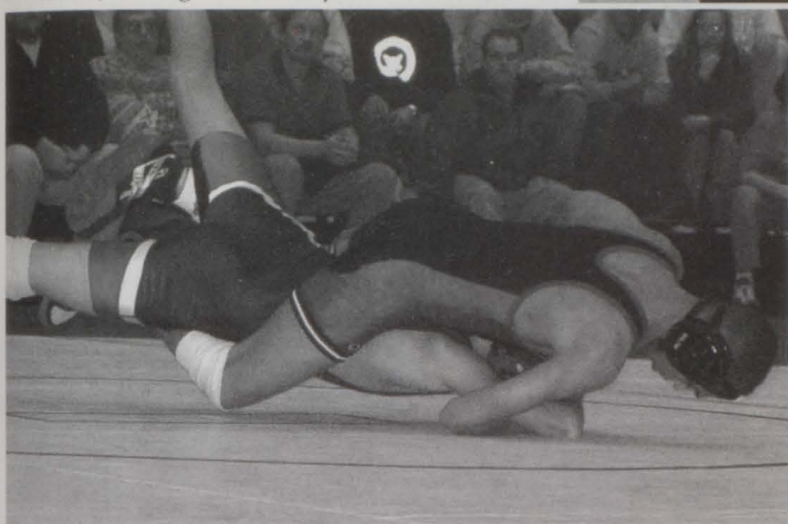
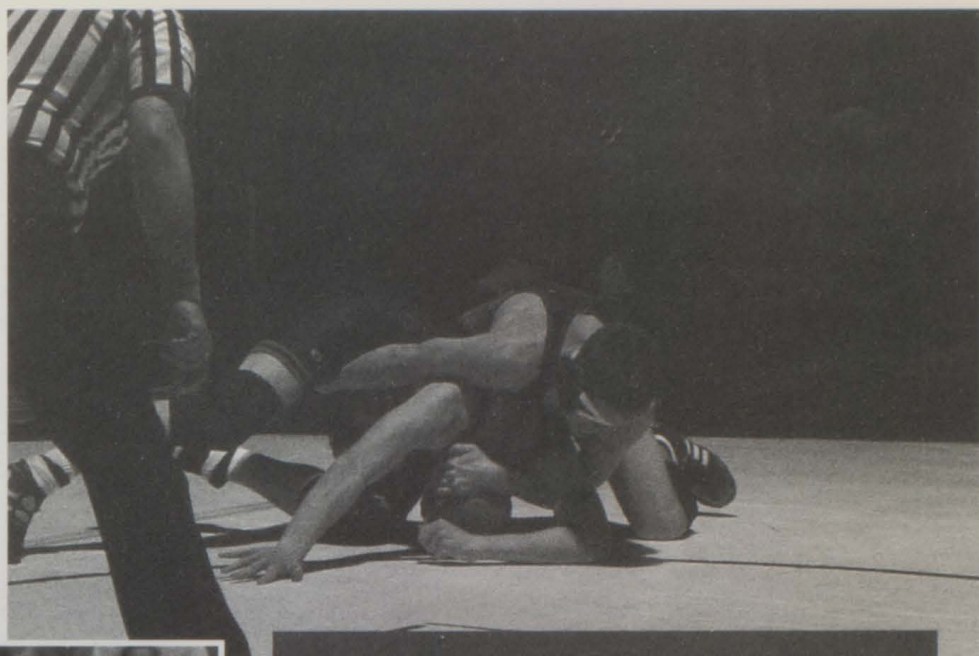
J.P. is looking for some back points to confirm a victory over his opponent.



Right: Phil is just about ready to pin his man, with a couple of more moves. GOOO PHILL!

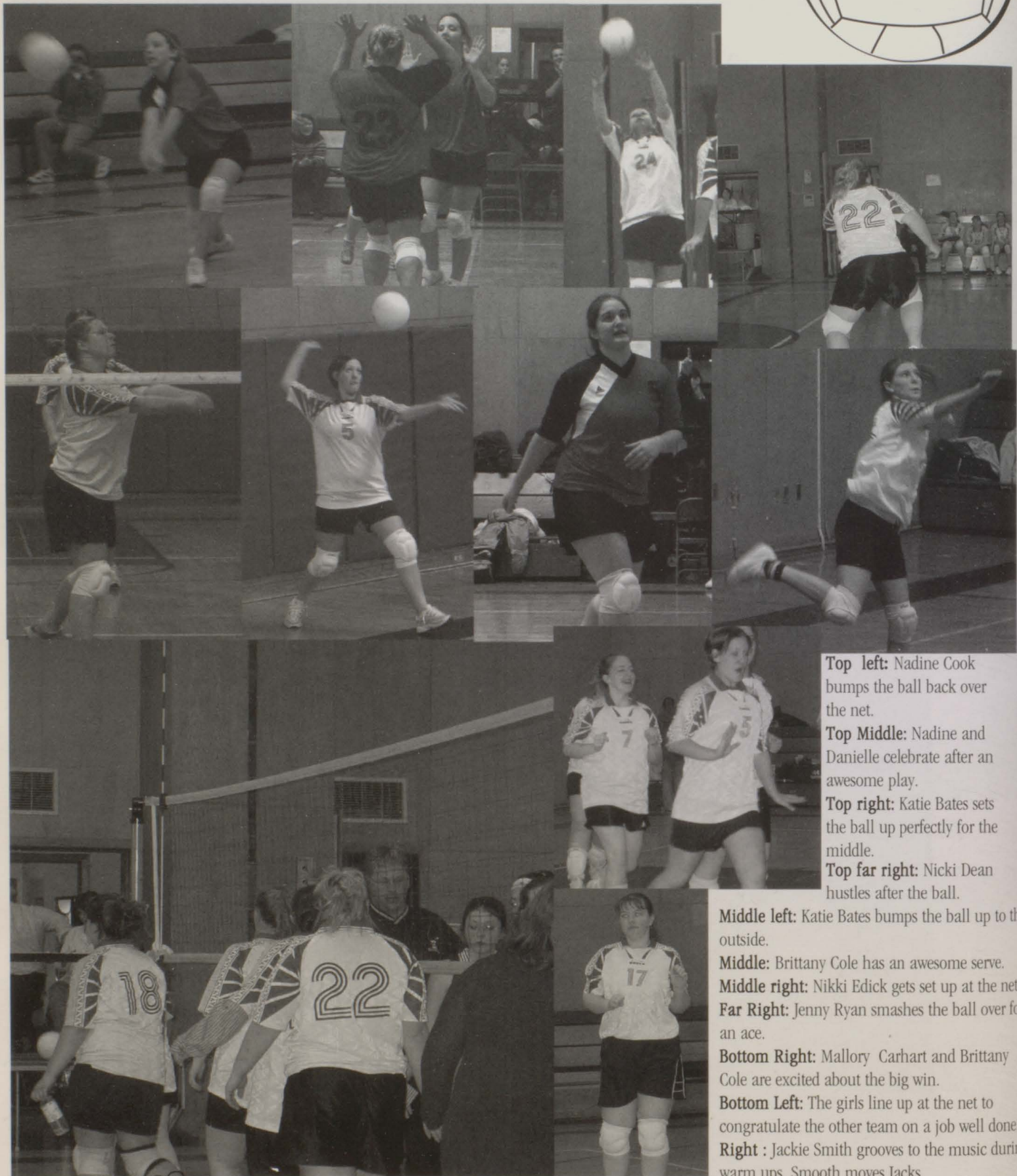
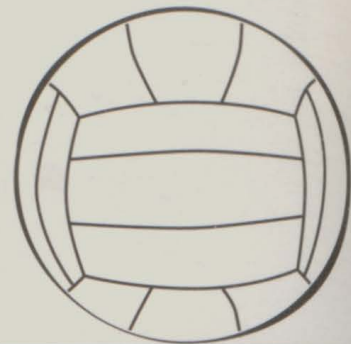
Lower Right: Mike Dougherty is looking to tilt his man, to finish out the match

Below: John Rue is torturing his rival with the boots, leading to his victory.



Back: Christian Taranto, Matt Dicks, Toni Copeland, Tom Locke, Rocky Ryan Middle: Coach Tefft, Coach Burke, Phil Grundner, J.P. O'Connor, Steven Loomis, John Rue, Coach Green Front: Ian Grundner, Ashley Lohan, Chris LaFever, Ryan Hinman, Chris Hill, Andy Hadlock, Bronson Marrone, Mike Dougherty

Volleyball



Top left: Nadine Cook bumps the ball back over the net.

Top Middle: Nadine and Danielle celebrate after an awesome play.

Top right: Katie Bates sets the ball up perfectly for the middle.

Top far right: Nicki Dean hustles after the ball.

Middle left: Katie Bates bumps the ball up to the outside.

Middle: Brittany Cole has an awesome serve.

Middle right: Nikki Edick gets set up at the net.

Far Right: Jenny Ryan smashes the ball over for an ace.

Bottom Right: Mallory Carhart and Brittany Cole are excited about the big win.

Bottom Left: The girls line up at the net to congratulate the other team on a job well done.

Right : Jackie Smith grooves to the music during warm ups. Smooth moves Jacks.



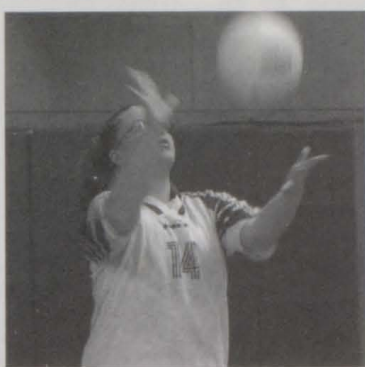


Meghan Chesney chases after the ball during warm ups. We're not playing soccer any more Megs!

Danielle Tomsa goes up for the spike. Look at how high she is.



Back row: N. Dean, S. Green, M. Baker, J. Ryan, M. Carhart Middle row: D. Tomsa, N. Cook, M. Chesney, K. Bates, J. Smith Front: J. Cummings, N. Edick



Stephanie Green serves up another ace.

Nadine Cook smashes the ball over the net for the kill.



Michelle Baker gets set for the next play.

Nicki Dean writes Going to the S-E tourney and always having the same corner in the cafeteria. That was my favorite time because the team got along so well.

Katie Bates remembers rapping to "Ladies Night" with Nadine, singing Joyful Joyful, and Oh Happy Days on the bus.

Senior Memories

When asked what their most memorable moments from this season or years past, the seniors came up with these:

Danielle Tomsa remembers our last year at the tourney when she went into the locker room sat down in the shower and got soaked because she didn't know the shower had a sensor.

Nadine Cook says: Rapping on the bus with Katie, The scary people from Walton with the mullets. Always getting the same corner for the tourney.



Captains

Danielle Tomsa and Nicki Dean

	Us	Them
Greene	0	3
Sidney	1	3
Unatego	0	3
Deposit	2	3
U-V	3	0
Delhi	0	3
Walton	1	3
Hancock	3	2
H'Ville	3	2
Afton	0	3
Deposit	3	1
U-V	2	3
Hancock	3	0
H'Ville	0	3
Afton	3	1

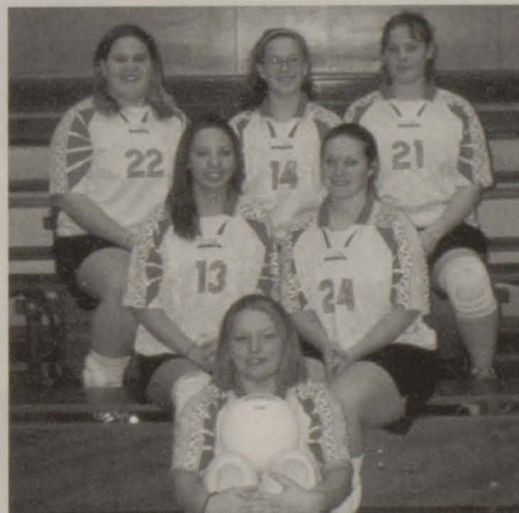
Scores



In order: ok well sort of. The girls line up after a game.

Seniors

Back Row
Nicki Dean,
Stephanie
Green, Michelle
Baker
Middle: Nadine
Cook, Katie
Bates
Front: Danielle
Tomsa



Layout by: Mitchellle

GOLF



The Golf Team stands around getting everything in order waiting for their match to start.



Joe DeShaw and John Jankowski take a seat and sit there waiting until it is their turn.



John Jankowski concentrates very hard on making the perfect hit.



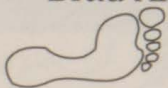
YAY!! Brad Aldrich has the perfect swing to make the ball go right to the hole!



Brad Aldrich



Back Row: David Milne, Chad Somers, John Jankowski, Coach Anderson, Dennis Smith, Abi Costello, Joe DeShaw First Row: David Todaro, Cara Bradley, Sara Pulver, Tenaya Wolfe, Dexter Race, Brad Aldrich



FANS



Layout by: Nicki Dean



This was truly a great year to be an Oxford Blackhawk fan. Both our boys and girls athletic teams excelled, several of which reached sectionals. It was great to see the enthusiasm from all the students which really gave people from other towns a feel for what Oxford Pride is all about. And with all the bright young athletes and growing amounts of fan attendance and participation, I think the best fans in Section IV will continue to be from



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AND THE CROWD GOES WILD!



Way to GO!



Oxford. OXFORD BLACKHAWKS RULE!
Oxford's #1 fan - Timmy Taranto



Toni Copeland is reaching for new heights with her awesome high jump!

Track- Young team, fun times

Track this year was fun; everything from victorious relays to playing soccer or football in the dark (while waiting for the coaches' meeting to be over with after a very long track meet). Our season also took a lot of determination and hard work. We attended more invitationals (very long track meets that usually take all day where we compete against a variety of different schools, in the scorching hot sun or the cold and hard rain... remember Lansing?), and the girls team came closer to winning at some of the local meets. Although we haven't won a meet yet, our team continues to build and become stronger. This year, Justine Brown won the MAC Championship for the 200M Dash and Sara Chrystie made it to states for the Long Jump. I'm confident that in the future we'll be able to win, even as a fairly young team. I'm looking forward to working with all you track people again and making it another memorable experience.

Jessica Brown



Justine Brown makes a successful hand-off to Anne Place and keeps the momentum going.



Marcus Carey flies by his opponent with ease. Way to go Marcus!



Shannon Hubbard is determined to cross the finish line in the 400 relay.





There's Nate Ford giving all he's got to get the big win!



Mike LaCroce throws the shot put farther than anyone else... What an arm!



Liz Spreutels hurdles the competition to get the victory.

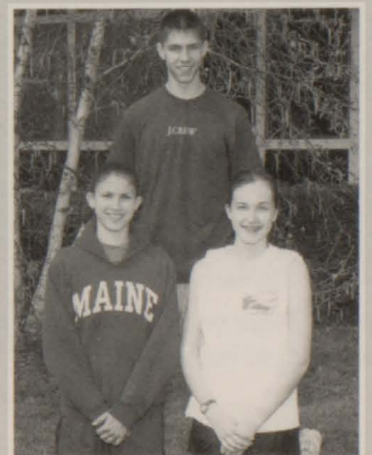


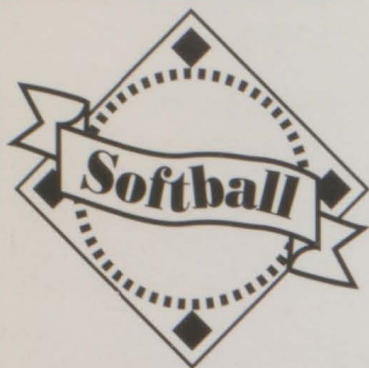
Back Row: J. Brown, J. Brown, P. Grundner, D. Glover, T. Copeland, N. Ford, E. Romaine, S. Chrystie, Mrs. DeJager Middle Row: A. Place, M. Freeman, S. Lazarus, S. Hubbard, T. Lazarus, L. Lewis, M. LaCroce Front Row: S. Spreutels, L. Spreutels, K. Grundner, R. Hinman

Captains

Sarah Chrystie wins her heat in the 100.

Phil Grundner, Sarah Lazarus, Jessica Brown





This year's softball team was young. Even though we had a JV and a Varsity team when we started, we ended up with only a Varsity. Despite the fact that we only won a few games, we still had fun playing. As the season went on we became more like a team. We finally began to look past any differences we may have had in school and left them off the field. I think the thing everyone looked forward to the most was stopping to eat. The trip to Wendy's, and Mrs. Barrows telling Cheese that she should walk up to the drive through and ask for 50 packets of ketchup and a glass of ice water, was probably the funniest stop ever. We bonded the most at that time. Just being together as a team whether we won or lost was fun. I am going to miss you all next year. Good luck ladies! -Michelle Baker (Senior)



Lindsay pitches another strike!



Timisha gets ready for the pitch!

WOW..something exciting must have happened for everyone to be watching!!

AWESOME HIT!...Jenna Nelson makes a BIG HIT for her team!



Katlyn gets in position to get the out, but the girl is already safe!



JV

Top : C. McGowan, A. Lohan, J. Bartle, A. McShane, Coach DeFrancisco Bottom: K. Muzzy, J. Nelson, A. Menard, C. Wright



Varsity Softball Team

	Us	Them
B-G	2	18
Sidney	5	25
Unatego	4	21
Greene	1	16
Harpurville	0	11
Afton	0	31
Deposit	5	22
S-E	0	21
Hancock	1	33
Harpurville	2	11
Afton	1	22
U-V	24	21
Hancock	7	11
Deposit	0	24
U-V	7	6



Seniors

Rachel Reynolds,
Stephanie Green,
Michelle Baker,
Mindy Ryan



Stephanie sprints to first base after she hits the ball! GO STEPHANIE!!



Michelle swings and the ball flies!!



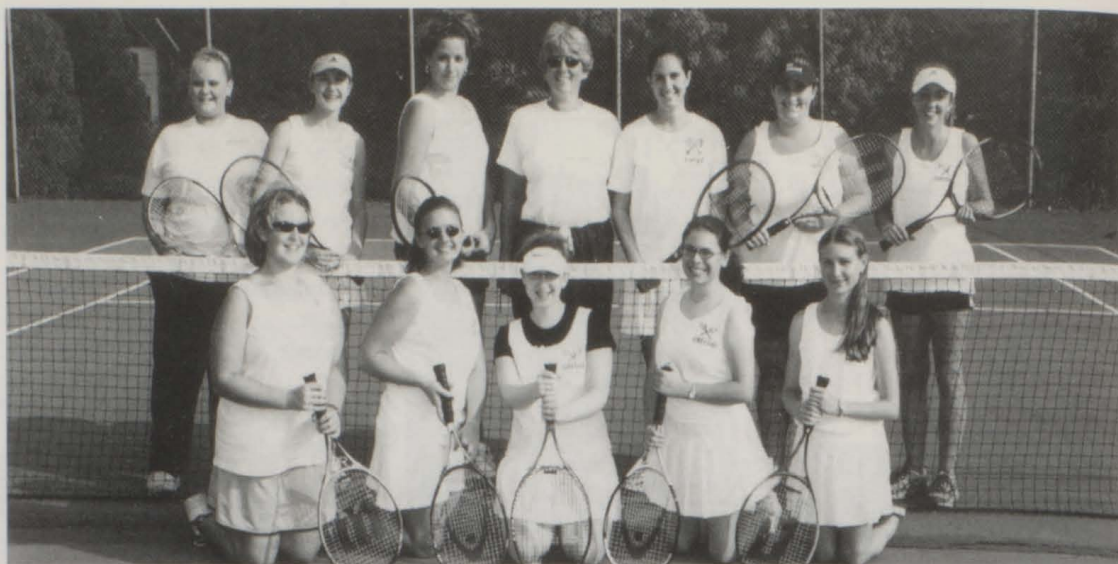
Varsity Softball Team Top: K. Muzzy, J. Nelson T. Frank, R. Reynolds, L. Loomis Bottom: M. Abbott, J. Bartle, M. Ryan, S. Green, S. Chesebro, M. Baker Front: Coach Barrows



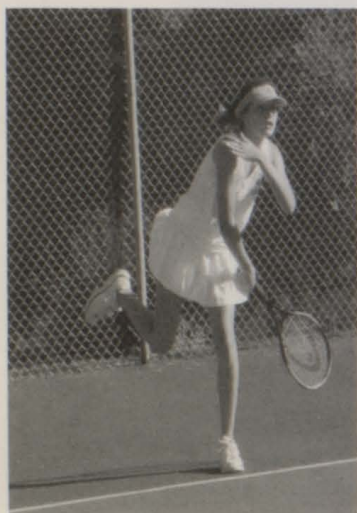
Ashley, Jennifer, Timisha, Amanda, Meg and Christie are trying to get away from the rain...but they are gonna have to go out there sooner or later!!

Young team learns from their experiences this year!

Back Row: Amber Bailey, Jessica Brown, Whitney Gross, Coach Colquitt, Lisa Seaman, Shannon O'Connor, Ashley Batsford
 Front Row: Melinda Kuhn, Kelli LaCotta, Rachel Pulver, Lauren Benedicto, Jillian Portuese

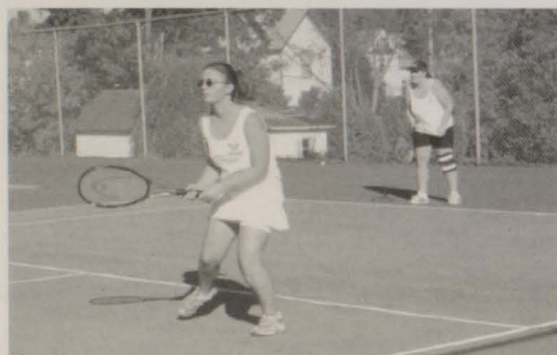


Girls Tennis



Watch Jess as she hits another great ball.

Kelli and Shannon prepare themselves for the return.



Oxford vs. Delhi

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Oxford vs. Sidney

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Oxford vs. Hancock

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Oxford vs. Greene

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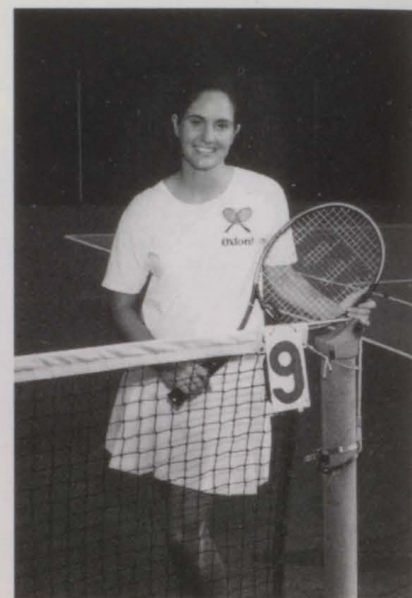
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Oxford vs. Walton

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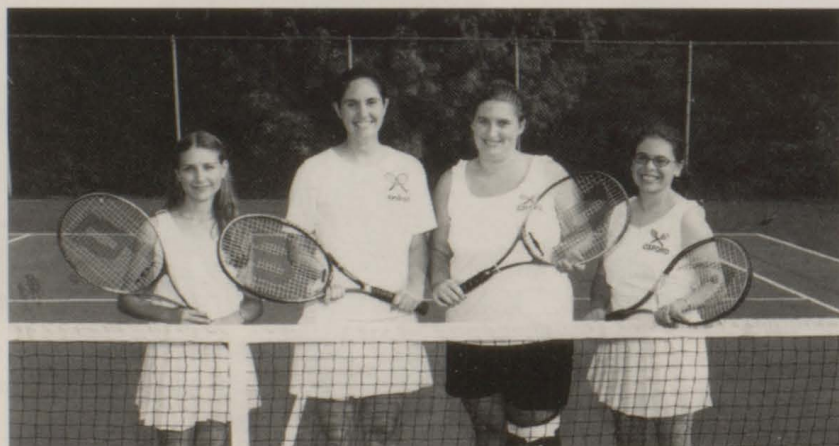
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Captain



Lisa Seaman

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Jillian Portuese, Lisa Seaman, Shannon O'Connor, Lauren Benedicto

A lot has changed since I was a freshman: things like coaches, number of players, and bleachers at the courts (yes, we do have spectators)! One thing that has not changed is all the good times on and off the court. Tennis has brought so many good memories that I know I will look back on and laugh at. Yet, it is not all fun and games. I have learned so much not only about the sport but also about myself, especially after a hard match, and I'm sure everyone else on the team has as well. Another thing that has changed is the quality of the players. This was definitely the best season the Girl's Tennis Team has seen in the past four years (I'm sure it's all because of Susanna's tapes of Oscar Wagner "You've got to puuuush the ball!"). It was a great season girls! I hope everyone continues to play. Good luck next year.

Lisa Seaman



Oxford vs. B-G

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4-0

Oxford vs. Hancock

5-0

Oxford vs. Delhi

2-3

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Oxford vs. Sidney

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Oxford vs. Walton

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Oxford vs. Greene

3-2

2-3



Dustin Loomis, Brad Magnani, and Paul Williams have a little fun!

...everyone ended the season a better player...

This season was great. We had a lot of team unity and everyone ended the season a better player. Practice was fun and the mood was always stress-free. All the hard work done by individuals and the team as a whole really paid off in the end.

Dustin Loomis



Here's Brad with a great serve.

Kyle has another awesome hit.



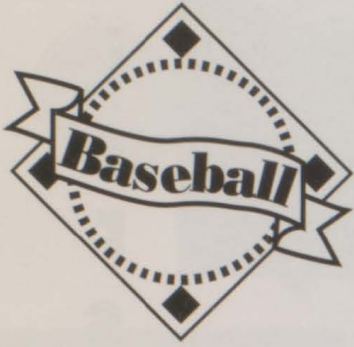
Boys Tennis



Back Row: Joe Place, Brad Magnani, Paul Williams, Dustin Loomis, Coach Fazio
Front Row: Mike Russo, Seth Williams, Jason Chmielowiec, Kyle Reiss

Layout by Mally

Rocky defends home plate for the J.V. Baseball team.



Senior Tom Locke

Baseball

Varsity

	Us	Them
B-G	3	4
Unatego	2	15
Greene	0	8
Harpursville	1	2
Afton	1	4
Deposit	6	22
S-E	1	2
Hancock	7	4
Harpursville	7	4
Afton	3	7
UV	1	3
Hancock	5	7
Deposit	3	12
UV	7	3



Back Row: V. Favorito, J. Fowlston, C. Vincent, Coach Paden, B. Yarnes, A. Place, T. Locke, J. Hewitt **Front Row:** R. Bishop, K. Muzzy, J. O'Connor, C. Baker, S. Loomis, H. Bruno

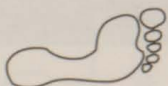


Back Row: Coach Finch, C. Chapman, B. Brown, J. Fowlston **Front Row:** J. Parks, C. Russo, S. Ryan, R. Wall, S. Loomis

Young team improves while having fun.

This year the baseball program was young and full of many first year players. Despite our youth, we were still able to pull off three wins. I had a lot of fun playing this year and can't wait until next year.

-Tom Locke

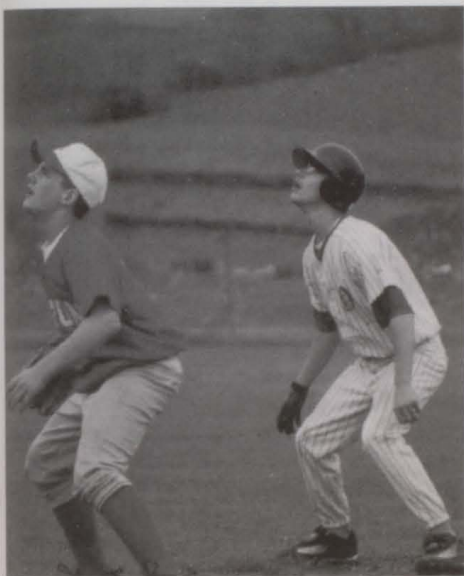




Tom Locke pitches another strike to get his opponent out!

Left: Josh is waiting to see if someone catches the ball before he runs.

Steve Loomis pitches for the J.V. team in one of their games. Strike...!!



J.P. gets ready to hit the ball. Get ready outfield.



Bryce rounds third and sprints to home for the run!



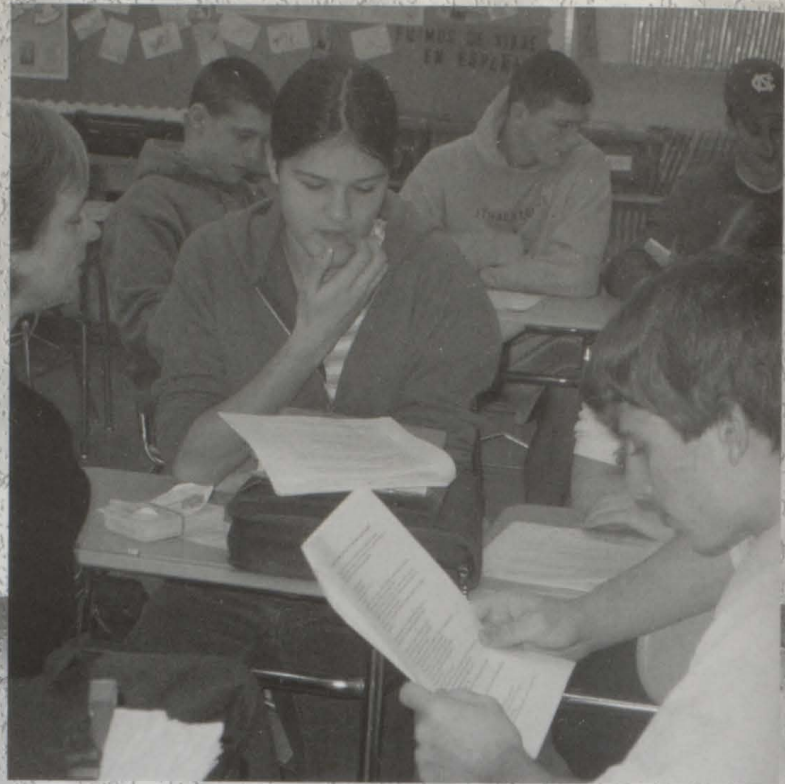
Ryan Bishop swings and hits the ball for Oxford. Nice hit Ryan!!



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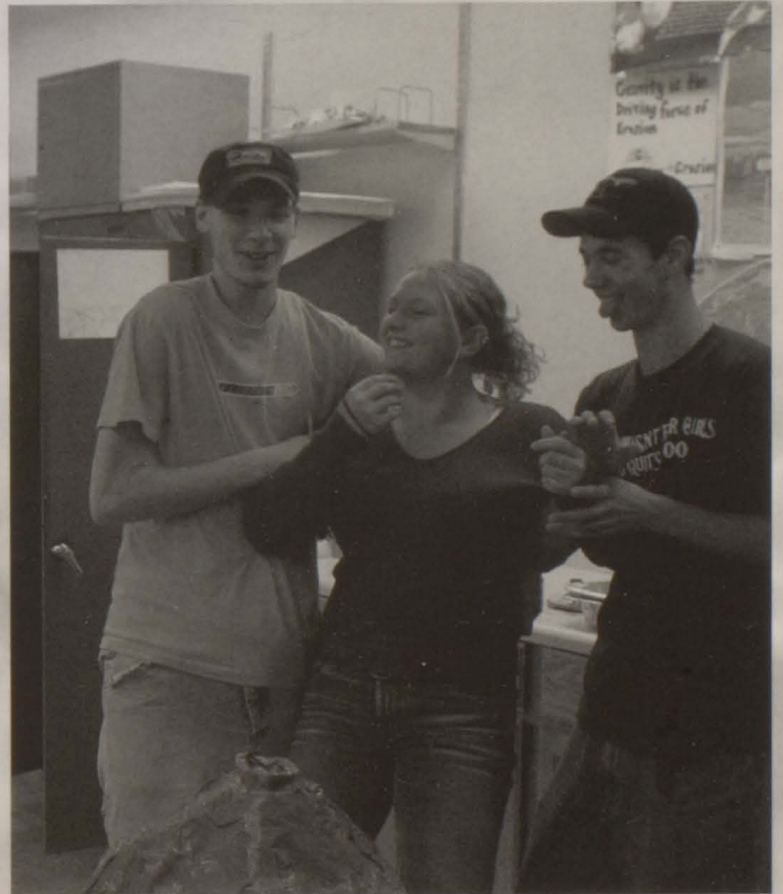
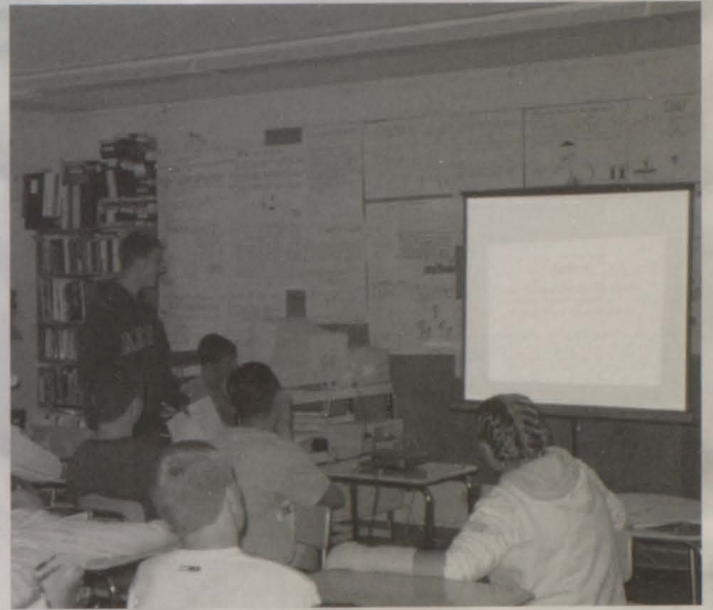
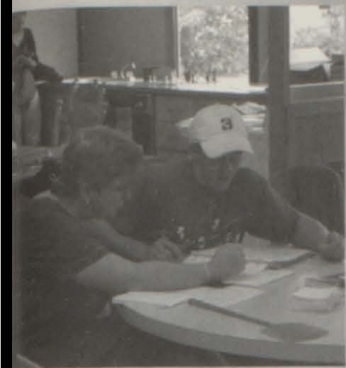
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Everyone has a little something to say about their once-in-a-lifetime experience...

"Boys' State was a good time where you had the opportunity to meet new people and learn new ideas about the government and life."

--Brad Aldrich

"Boys' State taught discipline and gave me a better understanding of how the U. S. government functions."

--Thom Kelsey

"Although Boys' State was tough, it was a once-in-a-lifetime experience. I really enjoyed the activities they planned for us to do."

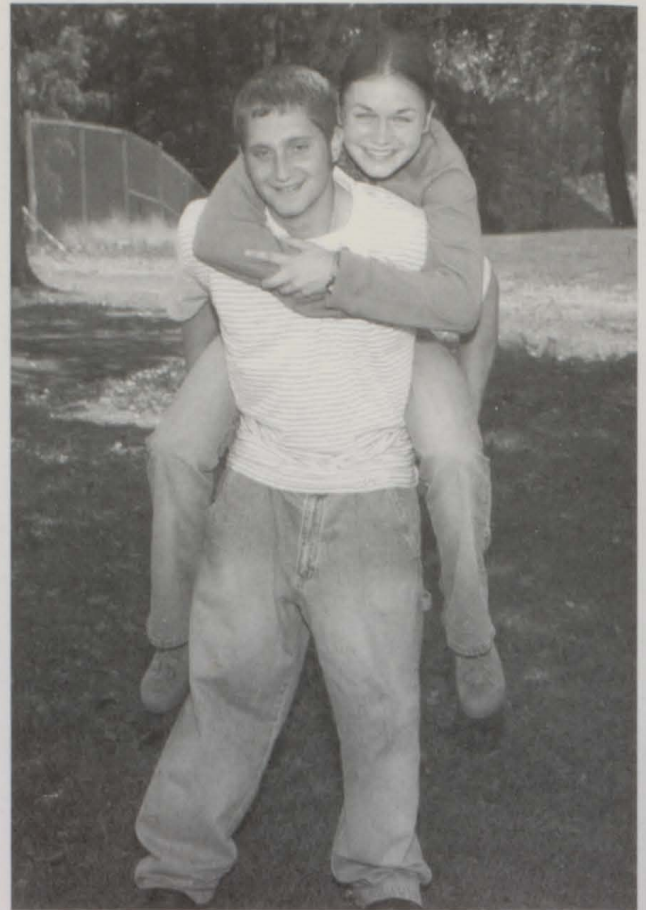
--Tom Locke

"Boys' State was the most challenging event that I have ever faced through high school."

--Paul Williams



RYLA



"RYLA was a lot of fun. The friends and memories will last forever. There were also a lot of hot chicks. HAHA"

--Andy Gates

"RYLA was the best week of my life. Six days to goof around with 120 people you just meet. You really learn something about yourself."

--Jessy Nelson

Leadership Conferences

Girls' State



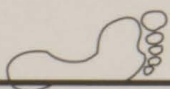
"Girls' State was a great learning experience and I made lasting friendships."

--Lisa Seaman

HOBY

"HOBY was a very interesting experience. I had a lot of fun and met a lot of nice people. San Dimas football rules!"

--Nate Ford



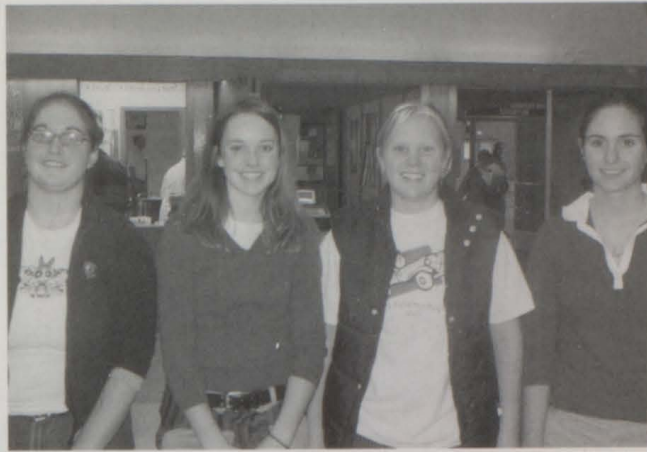
NYLC

"NYLC was a really great experience to have been able to be a part of. The conference teaches you to be outgoing and make new friends. It was a lot of fun and I made some great friends that I still keep in contact with today."

--Ashley Bartle

"NYLC was a great experience that I hope everyone has a chance to endure."

--Lisa Seaman



"NYLC was an amazing experience. I learned so much about the U.S. government and the great city of Washington D.C. I will never forget the different people that I met from all over the country."

--Meg Abbott

"It was interesting to see the different points of view that teenagers throughout the country had on various issues."

--Nikki Edick

Academic 'O's

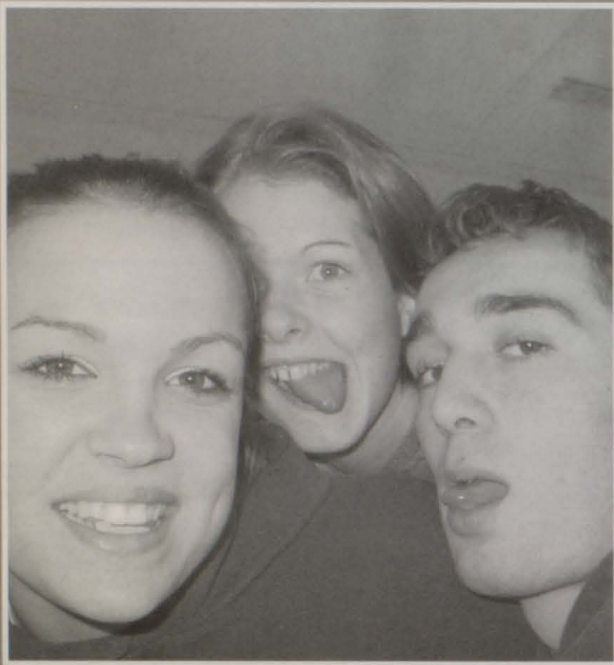


Top Row: R. Lewis, K. Reiss, S. Williams, S. Magnani, J. Fowlston, B. Magnani, T. Locke, J. Chmielowiec, B. Gross, P. Williams, D. Loomis, A. Gates, N. Ford, J. Stanton, J. Prewitt, D. Golden, C. Bradley 3rd Row: T. Kelsey, B. Aldrich, M. Mayhood, S. Barrows, J. Freeman, R. Hamilton, V. Rood, A. Bagg, J. Reiss, L. Seaman, N. Edick, J. Bradigan, J. Brown, Y. Smith, A. Place, R. Brown 2nd Row: K. Kappauf, A. Menard, B. Estelow, J. Soyke, M. Ives, V. Parent, J. Nelson, M. Abbott, M. LaCroce, L. Loomis, D. Landau, J. Berensten, S. Place Front Row: T. Taranto, S. O'Connor, A. Attrino, E. Wentz, S. Vigus, M. Freeman, S. Flanagan, M. Baker, J. Nelson, J. Portuese, L. Benedicto, K. LaCotta, S. Green, J. Smith



Phil Grundner is very proud to receive his Academic "O" at the awards ceremony in the fall.

Tech

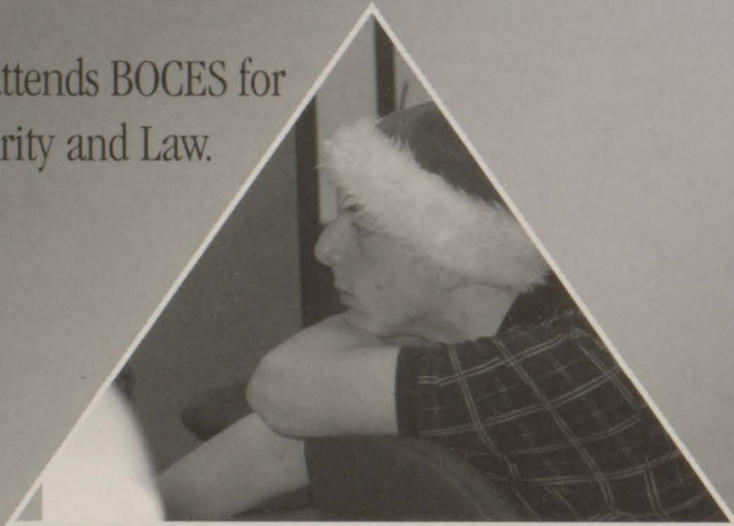


Amanda, Ashley and Tim pose on the bus ride back to Oxford.

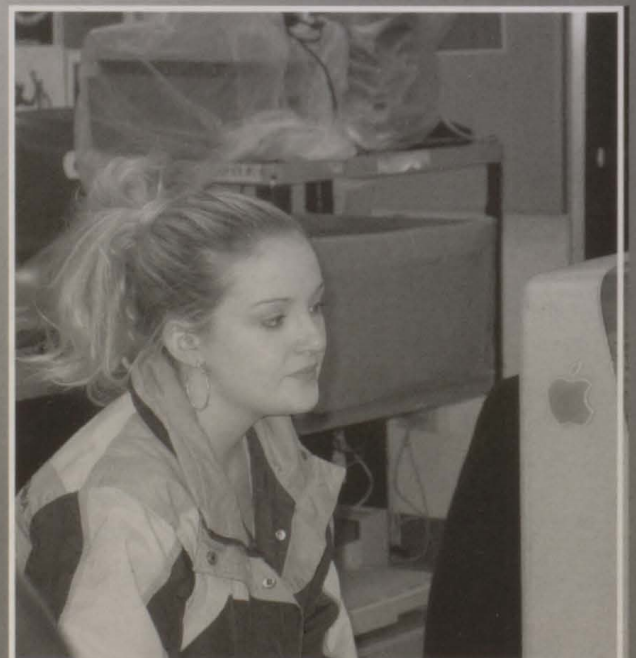


Amanda goes to BOCES for cosmetology. She spends her days getting her nails done and doing people's hair!

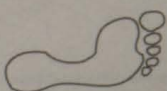
Joe attends BOCES for Security and Law.



Jennifer goes to BOCES to study Graphic Arts.



Cosmetology, Auto Body, Security and Law, Culinary, Graphic Arts...



Center



Heather also attends BOCES to study cosmetology.



Ashley goes to BOCES to cook! Nice carrot!



Stairs: Joseph Shapiro, Brittany Cole, Nadine Cook, Clint Fowlston, Trevor Moore, Bronson Marrone Middle: Sean Dewey, Tim Barry, Cassandra Barrows Front: Amanda Attrino, Jennifer Barrows, Melissa Thurston, Brianne Chapman, Christie Wright, Jennifer Wright, Ashley Wakefield, Amanda McShane, Heather Favorito, Heather Fredenburg, Elizabeth Spreutels

Honor Society



Back row: S. Green, J. Reiss, L. Seaman, S. O'Connor 2nd row: T. Locke, B. Magnani, R. Hamilton, J. Freeman, A. Menard 3rd row: P. Williams, J. Nelson, J. Prewitt, R. Lewis, D. Loomis, J. Smith, S. Vigus, L. Benedicto Front row: K. Kappauf, J. Stanton, K. LaCotta, B. Aldrich, J. Portuese, N. Edick



S. Green - Treasurer, L. Seaman - Secretary, J. Nelson - President, J. Paul - Vice-President



Josh Stanton, Kyle Reiss, Rachel Lewis, KT Kappauff, and Robin Hamilton take the Honor Society Pledge.



Jessica Brown signs the Honor Society Contract.



Kyle Reiss gets his sash from Katie Lee.



Ashley Bartle watches as her friends get inducted.



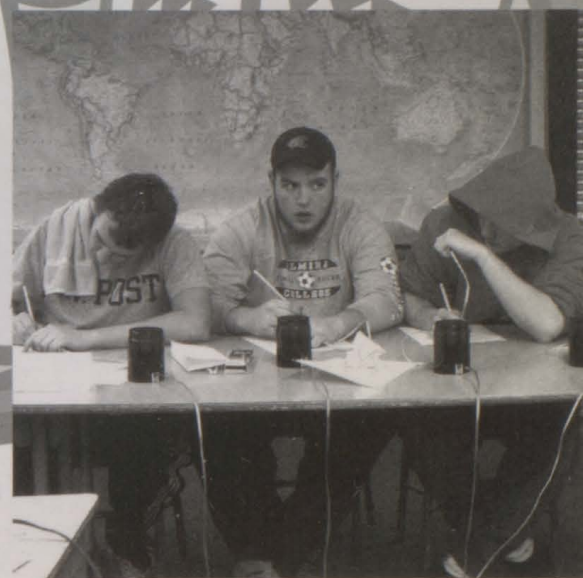
Maegan Freeman and Nicole Edick walk with their Induction Ceremony candles.



Academic Challenge



Dustin and John laugh at some of the interesting Academic Challenge questions.



Kyle, Dan and Kenne work up a sweat at Academic Challenge.

Academic Challenge was very exciting this year. We beat our long-time rival, Cooperstown, at the TC3 Tournament. Overall, it was one of the most enjoyable years of Academic Challenge.

Dustin Loomis

mock Trial



Kyle Reiss, Cody Bess, Shawn Bevan, Jessica Horshinski, Jen Wright, Adrian Bagg, Christie Wright, David Todaro, Mr. Tarzia

Mock Trial Club was a massive learning experience for the students. They not only got to learn about the trials and tribulations behind building a court case, but the vast amounts of emotion and stress tied to the presentation of their case. The competitions were fierce on a mental level where the opponents savagely lashed out at each other with words and accusations.

Evan Romaine

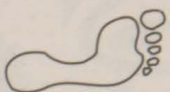


Staff: Front:
 Nicole Edick,
 Rachel Lewis,
 Robin Hamilton,
 Michelle Baker
 Back: Rebecca
 Tompkins, Meg
 Abbott, Nicki Dean,
 Gabe Morgan
 Not Pictured:
 Mallory Carhart



Yearbook 2002

Yearbook this year has been fun and exciting, but yearbook isn't all fun and games. There's a lot of hard work and patience that has to be put into making this book. Deadlines must be met and work must be put into each page. Everyone has worked very hard this year and we are very happy with the way things turned out. We had a very creative and fun group. Good work guys!
 -Mallory Carhart



Art



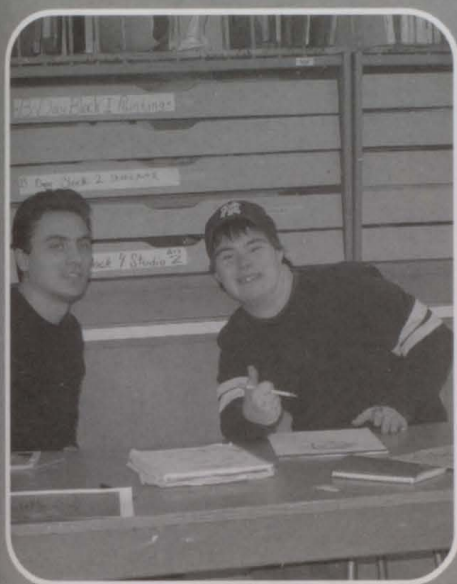
Jeremy cleans up after art class.



Damien is working hard on an art project.



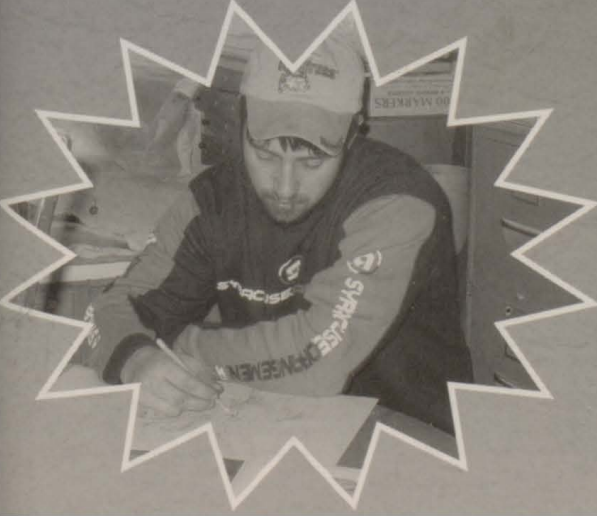
Mr. Scoville helps Eric with a sketch.



Here's Meghan wandering around. Shouldn't you be doing something Meg?!



Hard at work or just avoiding the camera Simon?!



Heather shows off a piece of her work! Great mask Heather!



Layout by: Mally

FFA: Justin Chesebro, Scott Stanley, Anthony Savory, Tom Lord, Joe Barrows, Nick Ohl, Gerrid Ross, T.J. Frank, Rocky Ryan, Adam Simpson, Bryce Brown, Paul Williams, Ben Baker, Del Wilson, Mike Hubbert, The Man...aka, Reuban Wall, Chris Parks, Bill Shephard

dude

Where's my tractor?

-Reuban Wall



The Ag Class put the lights back in this year, and Ag-Tech fixed engines and tractors.

The Technology class built race cars this year, and worked on the computer during Design and Drawing.



Agriculture and Technology

Physical Education and Business

Pull Back!! Ashley Winner and Jessica Berentsen fight for the ball during their game of floor hockey!



The girls gym class looks excited while listening to directions before they start a game.



Shannon Hubbard and Luke Lewis are working hard to get their typing done for Mrs. Pierce's class.

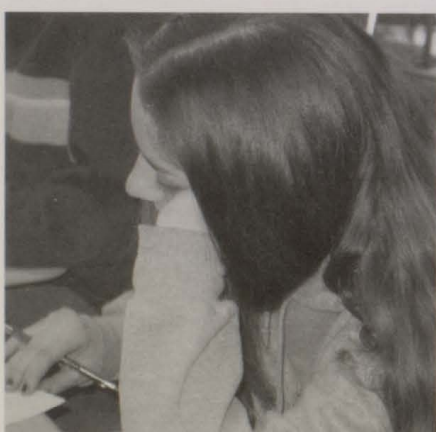
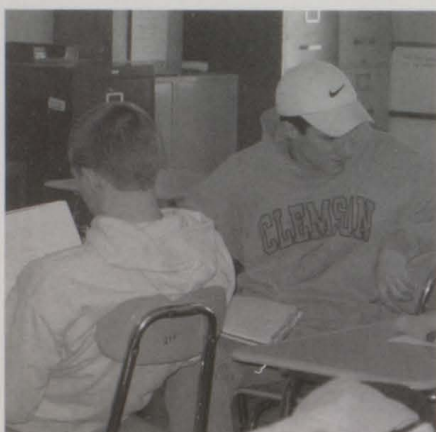
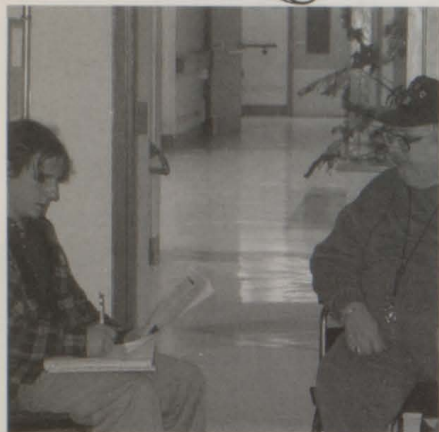
Dan Glover must've done something wrong to be doing sit ups during class! Good job Dan!

Cody Bess and Dexter Race are playing flag football in gym class...Gooo Cody!!

Mike Hubbert runs down the field during flag football....get em' Mike!!!



English Literary Magazine



Top Left: Shawn Bevan interviews a man at the Vets home for a project in English 10.

Middle: Ryan Hinman also interviews someone at the Vets home.

Top: Literary Magazine; Advisor Mrs. Anderson, Nicole Edick, Lisa Seaman, Jessica Freeman, Jessica Nelson, Jessica Horshinski

Far left: Justine Brown gets help from Mrs. Locke during Spanish class. Looks like their work is pretty hard.

Left: Luke Lewis helps Chad Hunter during class.

Bottom Left: Dan Fagnani works hard on his quiz during French.

Left: Brooke Tobey works diligently on her quiz.

The Literary Magazine

is a yearly publication that compiles the writings of students K-12. The magazine was started in the 2001-2002 school year by Mrs. Anderson. The editing staff consisted of student writers who read all of the submissions and decided what would be in the magazine. Submissions included poetry, short essays, memoirs and art work. The staff laid out a wonderful magazine and will do so again this year.

~Senior Jessica Freeman



Spanish

Right: Timisha Frank works in a group during her Spanish class.

French

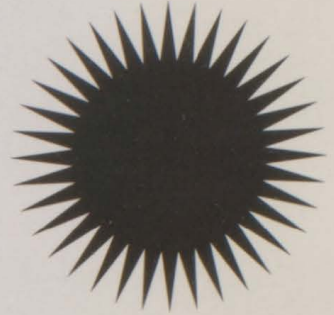
Languages



Renaissance



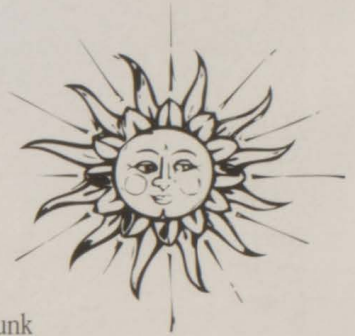
Jeremy Wakefield is dressed in a perfect outfit for the Festival. Looks good Jerome.



Dani and Beth also show off their clothing.



Hail to the Queen. Jessica Freeman wears her nice dress and her beautiful crown.



Poetry Club

The Poetry club was started in November 2002. It is a liberal forum for those who love or write poetry. We have been meeting from 3-4 after school in the library twice a month. So far, we have done some round table writing, read some of our favorite poems and shared some of our own. We plan to submit some of our group work to the literary magazine. It has been a great success, enjoy! ~ Senior Jessica Freeman



Dan Glover poses as a drunk village man. Funny face Dan.



Romeo and Juliet, though we know them as Dexter Race and Shannon Hubbard. Looks like love is in the air.



Faryn Lehmer is dressed in a cute outfit as a Fairy.



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Nicole Nenarella, Lynette Roys and Nicki Dean sit in the jury chairs in the County Court House during the Government field trip.



Mr. Tarzia's 1st semester classes pose with Judge Howard Sullivan.



Jen Bartle and Crystal McGowan get ready to work in Mr. Palmer's Global Studies class.



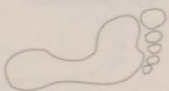
Mr. Carey's US History class takes a break for a quick picture.



Evan Romaine reads the paper to the Government class.



Marcus Carey gives a presentation to his Global Studies class.





Exchange Student

Lucía Monfort

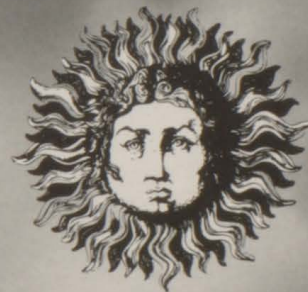


Hi! I'm Lucia and I'm the Exchange Student from Spain. When I came here I was scared because it was my first time on my own, without my family there to help me. But thanks to my host families and the

friends that I've made, I've had the most exciting year of my life. I would like to say thank you to all the teachers who have helped me, to my host families for taking me in, to all my new friends for being patient when I'm having trouble speaking, and to the Rotary Club for giving me this opportunity. I know that I will never forget Oxford and all the people who have helped me. Thank you and see you soon.



Multi-Cultural Club



Back: J. Freeman, M. Baker, L. Loomis, D. Landau, L. Seaman 2nd: P. Williams, J. Nelson, Jess Bartle, J. Ryan, T. Frank, R. Hamilton, J. Reiss, B. Magnani Front: Jen Bartle, N. Edick, J. Portuese, L. Benedicto, J. Smith, J. Brown, S. Lazarus



Nikki Edick makes crepes.



Jackie Smith helps with the meatball soup.



Danica Landau makes a truffle.

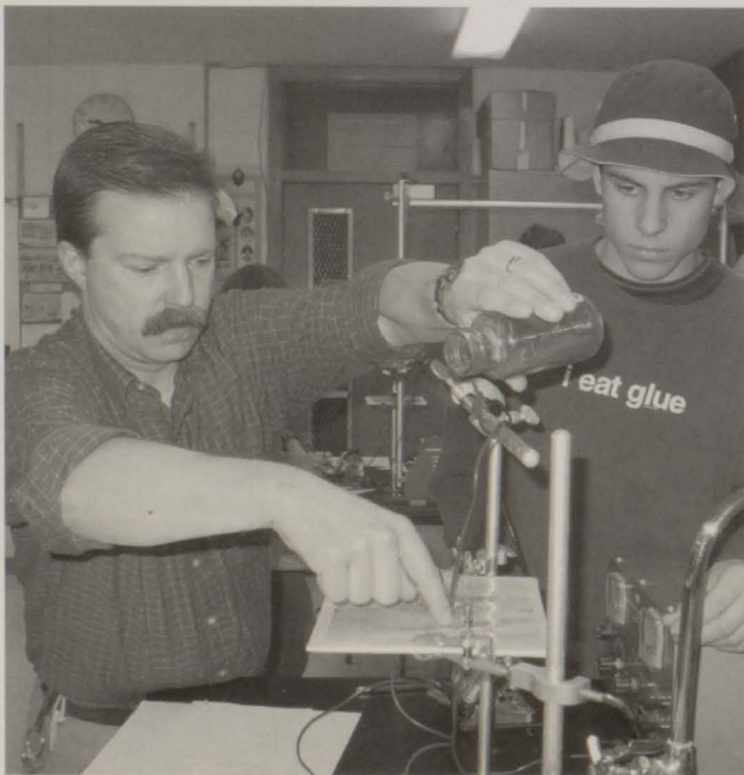
Luncheon

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Rock it Like a Scientist

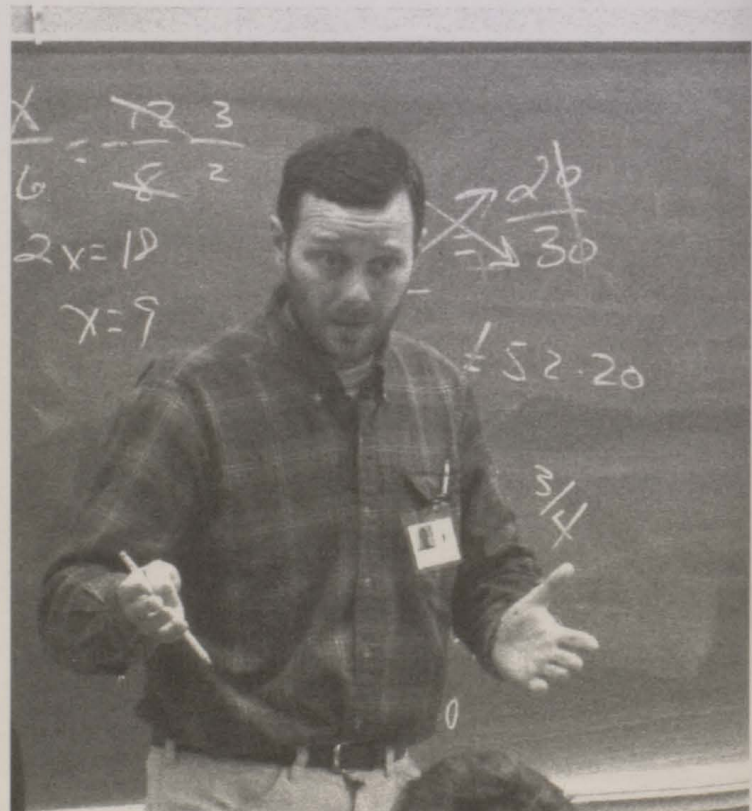
It looks like Steph is having a bad hair day...or is she just testing out how tall her fro can be...?!

For once, it looks like Mr. Rathbun is teaching his class something that can be useful to them in the future!



Mr. Mason is pouring iron filings so that the students can see the electromagnetic field of a current as Darrin watches in awe.

What is a corollary again, Mr. Brown? Mr. Brown is a new addition to the math department.

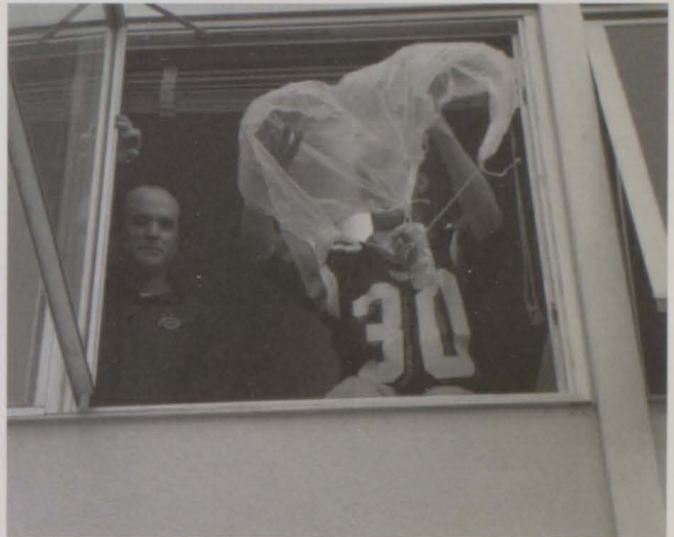




Jill is pouring a special mixture and she and Paul watch as their volcano erupts.

MATH COUNTS 4 FUN

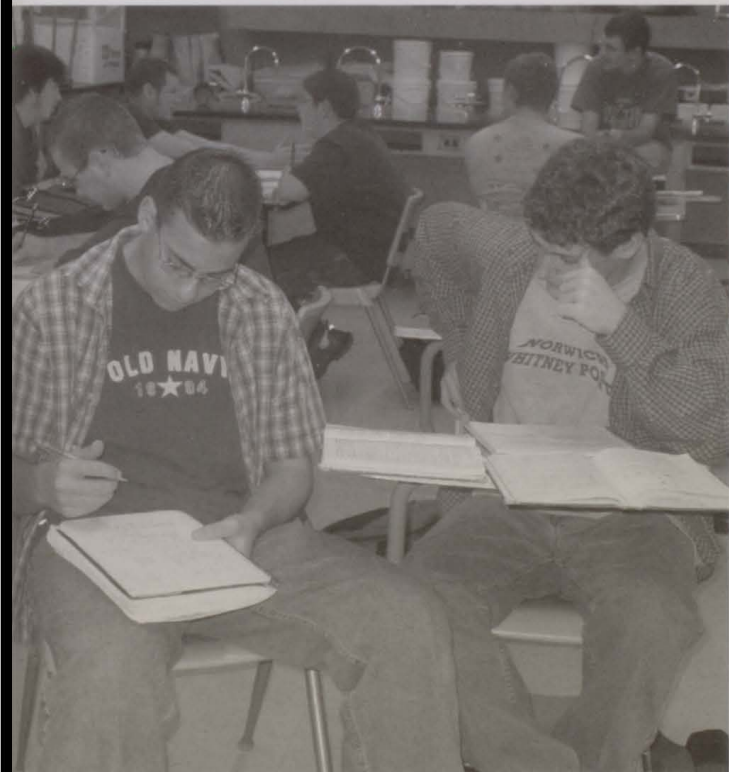
Chris LaFever and Mr. Ryan watch anxiously as Chris drops his egg experiment out the window during Earth Science to see if it cracks. Wonder if it survived?!....



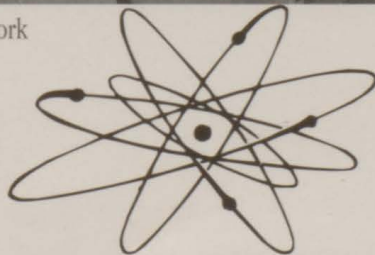
Robert Birdsall listens patiently to what Doc tells the class to cut up next.



Doesn't Lindsay look thrilled to be the one who has to do the cutting when dissecting a frog in Bio?!....That would probably be a NO!!!



Seth Magnani and Jack Fowlston work hard to get a lab done.



Mrs. Nabinger offers some information about the 1st year University Geology Class.

“University Geology, created and taught by Mrs. Nabinger, offers juniors and seniors a chance to earn four college credits. Students are given an exciting opportunity to explore physical geology, including making and exploding volcanoes.”

--Mrs. Nabinger

James Davis



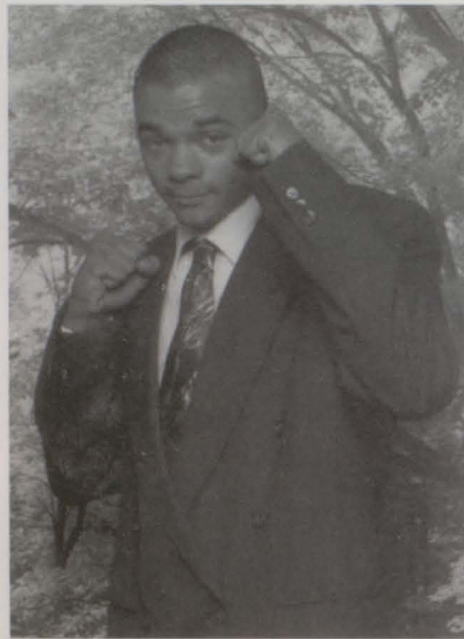
I TOLD YOU ONCE.



SORRY! BUT YOU ASKED FOR IT.



FLOATS LIKE A BUTTERFLY



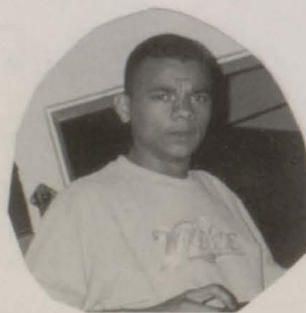
STINGS LIKE A BEE



DETENTION AGAIN?



THINGS ARE LOOKING UP



WHAT?



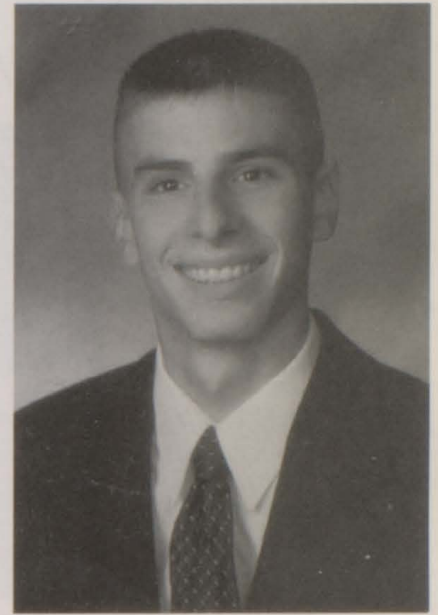
YEAH, I'M CUTE

CONGRATULATIONS PROUD OF YOU LOVE MOM



Dear Bradford,
 What a wonderful young man you have become-a great example for your brothers to follow. You have worked hard to achieve great heights and we are so proud of you! Keep reaching for your goals and dreams as you have the ability to achieve whatever you set your sights on. We are behind you all the way. Here's to the first chapter completed in your life and the next one waiting to be written.

We will certainly miss your great sense of humor and warm smile while you're away at college. Love you honey! XXOO



Mom, Dad
 Seth & Matt

JNR,

Congratulations an a job well done!
 Remember that we will always be there for you.

We are proud of you!

Love,
 Mom, Dad, Kellie, Mike & Kyle

Michelle

You are the first born. Good Luck in your endeavors. Make sure the path you forge for your brother and sister is straight and honest.

Love, Mom, Dad, Charlie, and Christi



LYNETTE -

You've been a shining star in our hearts -

Stay happy as you shine on into your future -

We are very proud of you,
 Love, Hugs & Kisses,

MOM & DAD



Nicole,



You have shown us your will to overcome obstacles to achieve success. We couldn't be more proud of you than we are right now. Take advantage of that character to experience all the great things life can offer. We love you very much.

Congratulations!

Love, Dad & Sharil



Daniel

We are very proud of you! God Bless you always in all you do.

Love Always,
 DAD & MOM

Michelle
Congratulations

To a wonderful daughter. We are very proud of you and your accomplishments. Continue to be yourself.



*With love,
Mom & Dad*



~DREW~

The best years of your life are still to come! Follow your dreams & have a great college experience.

Love, Kylee



Rach

From the little girl with the shy smile that started out collecting strays but now is collecting other things. We have watched that smile turn into a brilliant glow that Will fight for whatever you think is right and go after what Ever you really want. You know that we will always be there For you.

Love,
Dad, Mom and Artie

Darren,

You have been entertaining and have brought us great joy. No matter how you dress. We are all very proud of you and we love you very much.

Love, Mom & Doug and Dad & Dawn



Timmers:

It's now your time to be unleashed into the world to conquer and amaze.

You make us proud.



Love,

Bunny & Kate
XO XO XO

Dear Ashley:

From the first, you were the little girl with the curl in the middle of your forehead. When you were good you were very very good and when you were bad you were horrid!

We do have some great memories:

When Onyx used to knock you down 'cause you were so little and he was so big

When you and Jared caught the snake, let it loose in the house and then took it to school to show Mrs. Harrington and Mrs. Collier. They were really impressed!! Godzilla couldn't have gotten out of that box with all the books piled on top!

When you rode your new bike off the bridge, cut your chin and caused your poor father to pass out in the emergency room. We'll never let him forget that one!!

Being sick at Disney World and throwing up on the plane on the way home. Mom was sure glad you were sitting with Krista!

The year you pulled out all your eyelashes and looked like a plucked chicken!!

Five years of early morning exercise classes with Mom

All those Old Maid games with Grandma Ruthie

The family vacations at the beach

Running smack into the mailbox on Butler Street.

You and Jared disrupting church

Getting lost in the Marriott Hotel in Florida (thanks to Jared)

Having Krista borrow your clothes and never getting them back

All the OM meetings, basketball and field hockey practices and games

Always trying to get the last word in with Dad. It hasn't worked yet!!!!

All the good times at the lake with Mere & Popeye (How many clams can you eat??!!)

All those years of dance: Classes, recitals and competitions in Vegas, Florida, Boston and this year NYC.

You are the last of our brood and the only one we didn't have to say "Do your homework."

Seriously, Ashley, you are a beautiful, bright and well rounded young woman. We are very proud of you and look forward to watching you accomplish more and more. You can be anything you want and we know you'll knock 'em dead. We love you with all our hearts.

Love, Mom, Dad, Krista & Jared





Look out world! Here he comes. Tim Taranto: the fun guy, the instigator, the party guy, the guy with the heart as big as all outdoors, sometimes the pest, but mostly the guy who brings it all together. Where would we be without you? I don't even want to know. You're the one we'll say

someday, "We knew him when..."

Congratulations, Tim!

You are truly one of the Best. We are so proud to be your Mom & Dad.... with love



Jillian

You have brought us such joy in our lives. You have grown up just the way we always hoped you would and have made us so proud. We love you and hope your future is very bright! Congratulations!

We love you always,
Mom & Dad



Jeff
Congratulations!!

What a fine young man that you have become. We are so very proud of you!

*Love,
Mom, Dad, Sarah, Justin,
Jason, Jonathan & Jaden*



Nicole

Be true to you.
Find humor in things you do.
Live each day wisely.
Take time to shine brightly.
We're proud of you.

Love,
Mom & Doug



Jenna

From your first day of school at Oxford to your last everything you have done has made us proud of you.

Congratulations & good luck in all your new endeavors.

Love,
Mom, Dad, Jaret & Ethan



ANDREW

“What lies behind us and what lies before us are tiny matters compared to what lies within us.”
Wherever you have gone, you have always brought your own sunshine. Be proud of who you are and all that you have become! Learn, love, laugh and enjoy the journey toward your dreams.

WE'LL ALWAYS REMEMBER YOUR.....



INNOCENCE



COMMUNITY SPIRIT



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SENSE OF HUMOR



PASSION FOR
ADVENTURE



STYLE

THANKS FOR THE WONDERFUL MEMORIES!!!!

Love you AMKRRJG
Mom & Dad

YOUR NAME SAYS IT ALL

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WITH THESE QUALITIES, SET YOUR GOALS HIGH IN LIFE. WE LOVE YOU AND ARE VERY PROUD OF YOU.

MOM, DAD, HEATHER AND VINNIE



Simon -

What a special young man you've become - smart and handsome, kind and caring, hard-working and dedicated with a great sense of humor and adventure.

We love you and are so proud of you!!

Here's hoping all your dreams come true. There's nothing you can't achieve.

CONGRATULATIONS!!

Mom and Dad



P is for provoking, persistent, perturbing, but perceptive

A is for aspiring, accountable, annoying, but admirable

U is for unconventional, upright, unique, but understanding

L is for laudable, laughable, level headed, but lovable

There are not enough words to describe you adequately! We are so proud of the young man that you have grown into. Your firm beliefs, strong character and the ability to achieve your goals are a wonderful testimony to us all. There is no end to what you can accomplish! Keep your priorities straight, and know that we love you and will always be there for you!



Love and prayers,
Dad, Mom, Sarah, Luke & Seth

Days, weeks, months and years how quickly time passes. On August 2, 1984 Katie Leigh was born. She brought joy and happiness to many. As a baby she was curious. As a toddler she found independence. With each passing day we watched Katie grow into an honest and caring child. Before we knew it, the teenage years were upon us. She now begins a new chapter in her life.



Dear Katie,

We want you to know that we love you very much. We are proud of the young woman you have become. We wish you the very best of luck in your life choices. Remember: life is only what you make of it

Love,
Mom and Dad

Brad -

You have made us very proud of the young man you have become and your many successes in the classroom and sports. From the time you were old enough to walk, it was basketball, football or golf. We have enjoyed watching all your many games. May all your hopes and dreams come true. Brad, you are the best son, brother and friend; you



are a special blessing to all of us.



We love you,
Mom, Dad, Brooke
and Dukey



Remember September, nineteen-ninety? Standing straight like a little soldier, you waited for the bus, so serious, but ready to begin a new life.

Time really flew! Now 13 years later waiting, ready to begin a new life, remember your teachers, classes, games, friends, what you learned, your dreams, and who you are.

Love, Dad and Mom, Cal, Sarah,

130 Steve(#12)

Dustin,

Reach for the stars, you are worth it! We couldn't have picked a better son; we are very proud of you!

Love,
Mom, Bob & Amber

Thom

Thank you for bringing such joy into our lives. Your humor, kindness, love of sports, and always giving 110% in all you do, have made your family so proud of you. Congratulations on all your successes and always follow your heart.



Love,
Mom, Rebecka, Jim and Dad in Heaven

Michael

(Bush)

There seems to be no end to what you can accomplish. Many doors will now open for the man you have become.

Congratulations!

We are all so proud of you.

Love 😊

Your family



As a Daughter, You Are This Kind of Beautiful

You have the kind of qualities and characteristics that make people around you glad you're in their world. You have the kind of character that reaches out to others to make the world a better and more beautiful place in which to live. Your beauty is not consumed with its own needs and prejudices but finds satisfaction in giving hope and acceptance and approval to others. It is an internal, soothing kind of beauty that activates the love and appreciation mechanisms in other people, making it easier for everyone to live together. You're this kind of beautiful.

You're the kind of beautiful that doesn't change with the weather or a crisis in life. It is a kind of beauty that provides light in the world for others to use to guide themselves out of difficult circumstances. Although its glow may dim at times when presented with a new challenge, yours is the kind of beauty that will survive the hard places in life, allowing you to learn from them. It will sustain you. You have this kind of beauty.

This kind of beautiful comes from the heart and is powered by a love for others, a desire to be good, to do good, to help and not hurt anyone. It's easy for someone to enhance their appearance on the outside, but to be beautiful inside means reaching out to others with kindness and thoughtful-

ness and generosity. It is wanting the best for everyone, not just for yourself. It has to do with compassion. That's the way you are. That's the kind of beauty you have.

Being this kind of beautiful allows you to identify with other people's shortcomings in life. This kind of beautiful knows that you must be able to love, forgive, and accept others, or your beauty will lose its essence and its gift, which is the desire to love.

This kind of beauty is soft and easy to be around. It gives more than it takes. It doesn't judge others harshly. It's not egotistical or proud. It doesn't try to change others. It accepts. It shows itself with open arms, not clenched fists; with smiles, not frowns; with joy and laughter, not negativity and reprimands. Being this kind of beautiful is contagious; it lifts others up to accept themselves and to experience their own gift of beauty. Being this kind of beautiful makes others glad to be alive and to know you. You're this kind of beautiful. Thank you for your wonderful example.

"C'est Rien Que Bonheur"
"Nothing But Happiness"

Jessy Tout Ce Cela
Jessy's All That

She's all that
A family could ask for
All that a daughter should be
All that and a "Bag of Chips"
I guess that's what that means
Friend, Savior, Confidante
Hero to you and me

She'll comfort you with something she made
...or her company...
If you're lucky enough
To be flashed those blue eyes
or that **Prom Queen** smile
You'll know that you've been
Touched by an Angel
Someone Out of this World, Mais Oui!

She's all that's **Sweeter than 16**
Celestial, Spiritual, Sweet
Painter, Poet, Protector, Star
How can she be that Neat?

She's all that's
Unselfish, Forgiving,
Righteous, Talented
Soft but Strong
She'll make her mark on this big world

She made a mark here
On our Hearts
She filled like a **Song**
That makes us **HAPPY!**
She's **ALL THAT** to us and more!

A Jessy, Rien que bonheur!
Les filles ne sont pas parfaites.
Mais vous, Jessy, venez de prés.
Vous nous avez donné plus de bonheur que
vous connais! Merci. Avec l'amour and sommes fiers.
Toujours, votre famille.



Brad



Hit 'em high, hit 'em low... It doesn't seem possible that you're college bound already. I am so proud of you, you're everything I could want in a grandson. Hold to your values and you'll always be happy and successful. May God keep you in His hands always.

Love forever,
Grandma-ma Nuzzolese



P.S. Those eyes and that pretend pout - what they do to me... Gram

Ben,

We are all so very proud of you! All of your wishes will come true. You are a special young man.

Love,
Mom, Dad Nate and Whitney



Jessica,

Congratulations to you - you have made us very proud and you will always be our little girl.

Love,
Mom & Dad

Frank

From trikes and curls to cars, girls and buzz cuts, you've come a long way and we are proud of you!



Love,
Mom & Dad

Congratulations, Brad
Good luck next year and
always.

Love, Grandpa Nuzzolese



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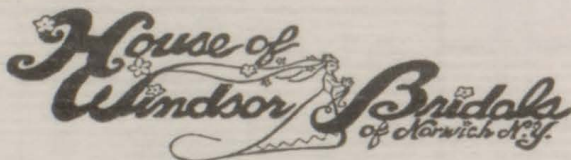
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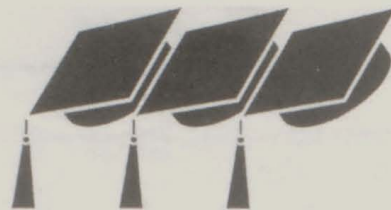
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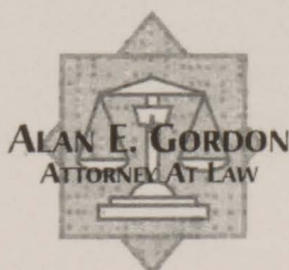
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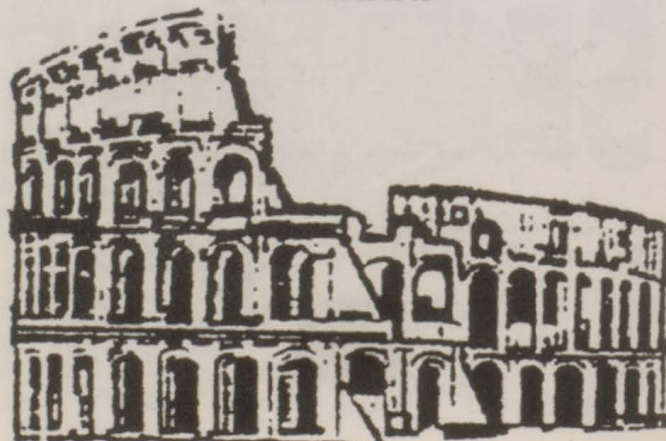
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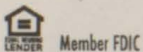
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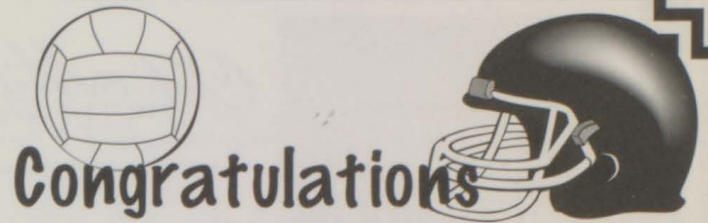
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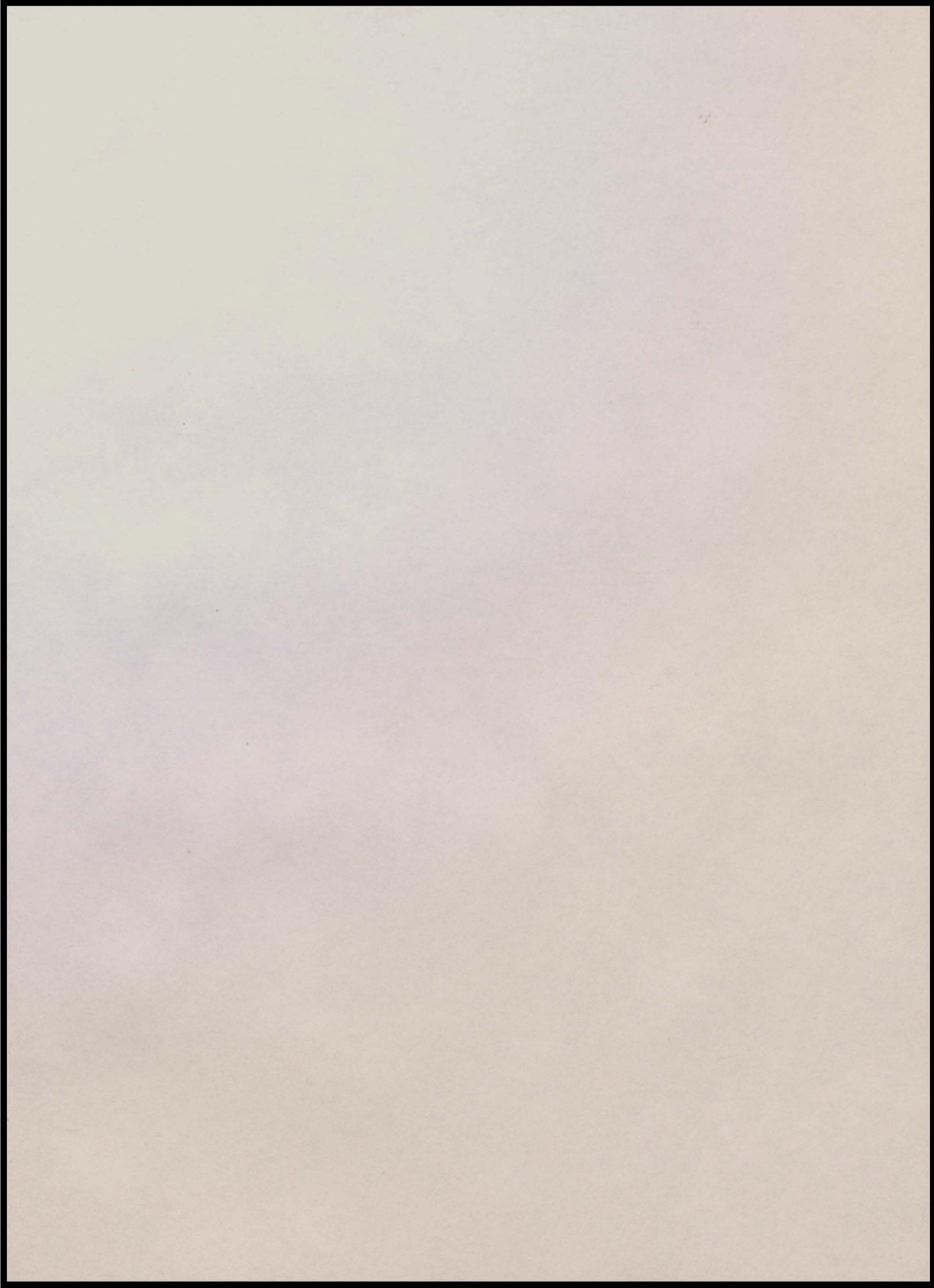
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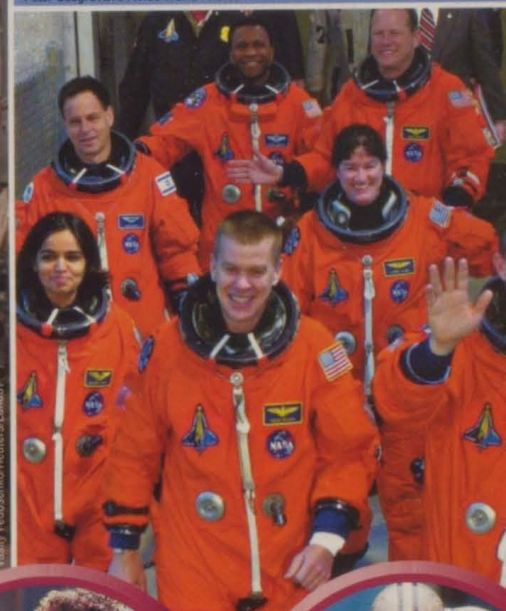


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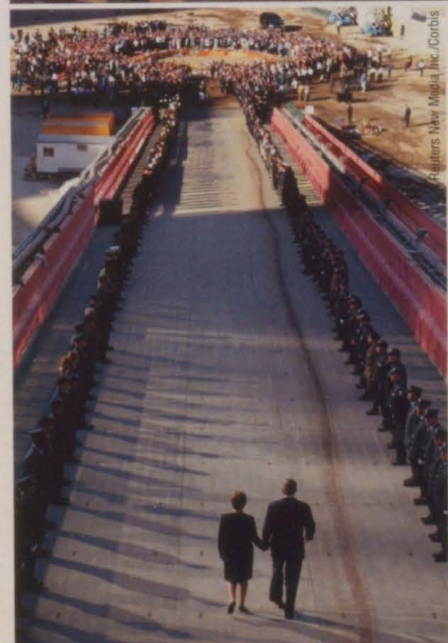
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- > U2's humanitarian lead singer Bono visits Africa and tours Midwestern America to raise awareness and support for African AIDS epidemic relief.
- > Nuclear crisis arises when North Korean leader Kim Jong Il breaks a 1994 pledge with the United States not to build nuclear weapons.



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- > U.N. inspectors return to Iraq to investigate Saddam Hussein's alleged production of weapons of mass destruction.

IRAQ



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- > A Halloween earthquake in San Giuliano di Puglia, Italy, topples an elementary school, killing dozens of children.
- > China's one-child-per-family policy creates an imbalanced boy-to-girl ratio that will result in tens of millions of men finding themselves single in the year 2020.



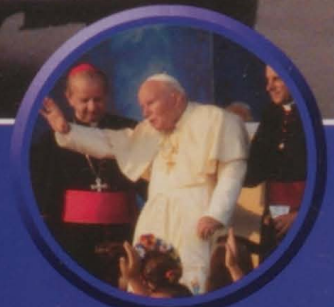
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- > In October, a Moscow theater siege by Chechen rebels ends in a Russian special forces raid that kills the captors and at least 129 hostages.



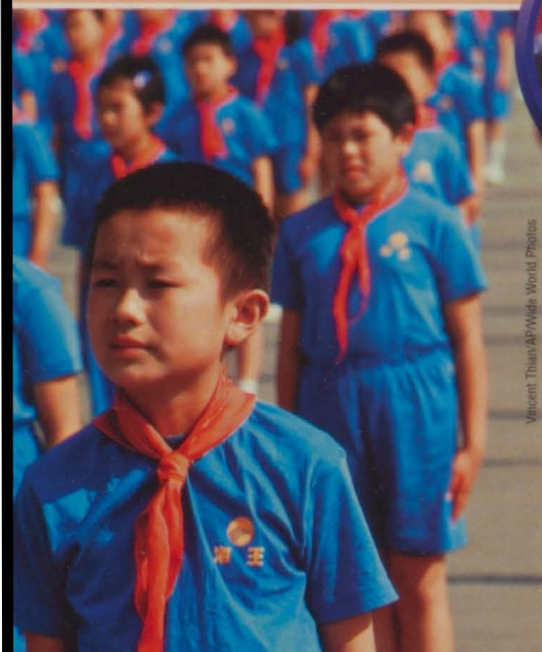
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- > Thousands die as storms and floods cause billions of dollars in damage in China and many countries across Europe.



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- > Pope John Paul II travels to Toronto's Downsview Park in July to lead the World Youth Day vigil.



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▼ The Miss World beauty pageant leaves Nigeria after Islamic fundamentalist protest groups kill more than 100 people.

▼ In Venezuela, an opposition strike demanding President Hugo Chavez's resignation paralyzes the country's oil exports and turns to bloodshed as Chavez supporters retaliate.

▼ The oil tanker *Prestige* spills more than 5 million gallons of oil off the northwestern coast of Spain before splitting in two and sinking.

▼ Former U.S. President Jimmy Carter receives the Nobel Peace Prize for his decades of work for peace, democracy and human rights worldwide.



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WAR ON TERRORISM

➤ Once presumed dead, Al-Qaeda leader Osama bin Laden returns to Middle Eastern air waves with recorded anti-American threats.

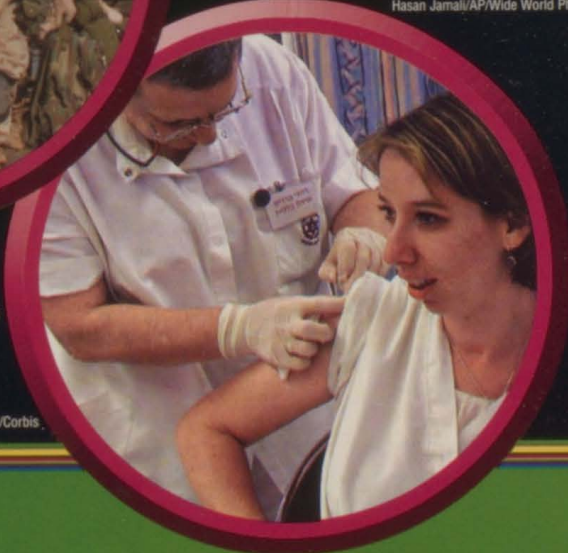
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▲ In an effort to eliminate Al-Qaeda, the United States continues its war on terrorism by maintaining a steady military presence in Afghanistan.

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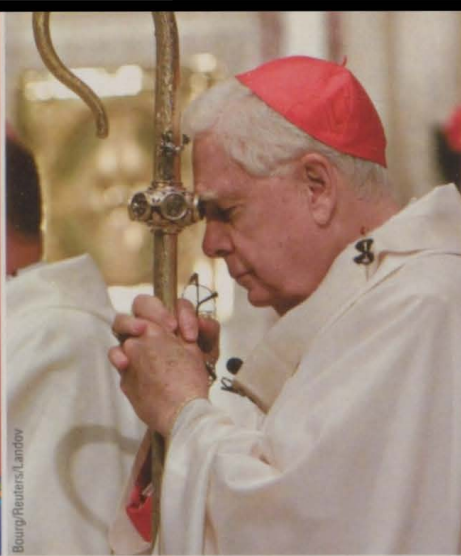
▼ Over 100 people, mostly foreign tourists, are killed in an October terrorist bombing of two nightclubs in Bali, Indonesia.



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◀ Emergency workers in the United States and overseas receive smallpox vaccinations as a preventative measure against bioterrorism.

- After being subpoenaed to testify before a Massachusetts grand jury about sex abuse among Catholic priests, embattled Boston Cardinal Bernard Law resigns.
- More than 25 states implement the Amber Alert System, which posts information about abducted children on TV and interstate signs, leading to the recovery of dozens of children nationwide.



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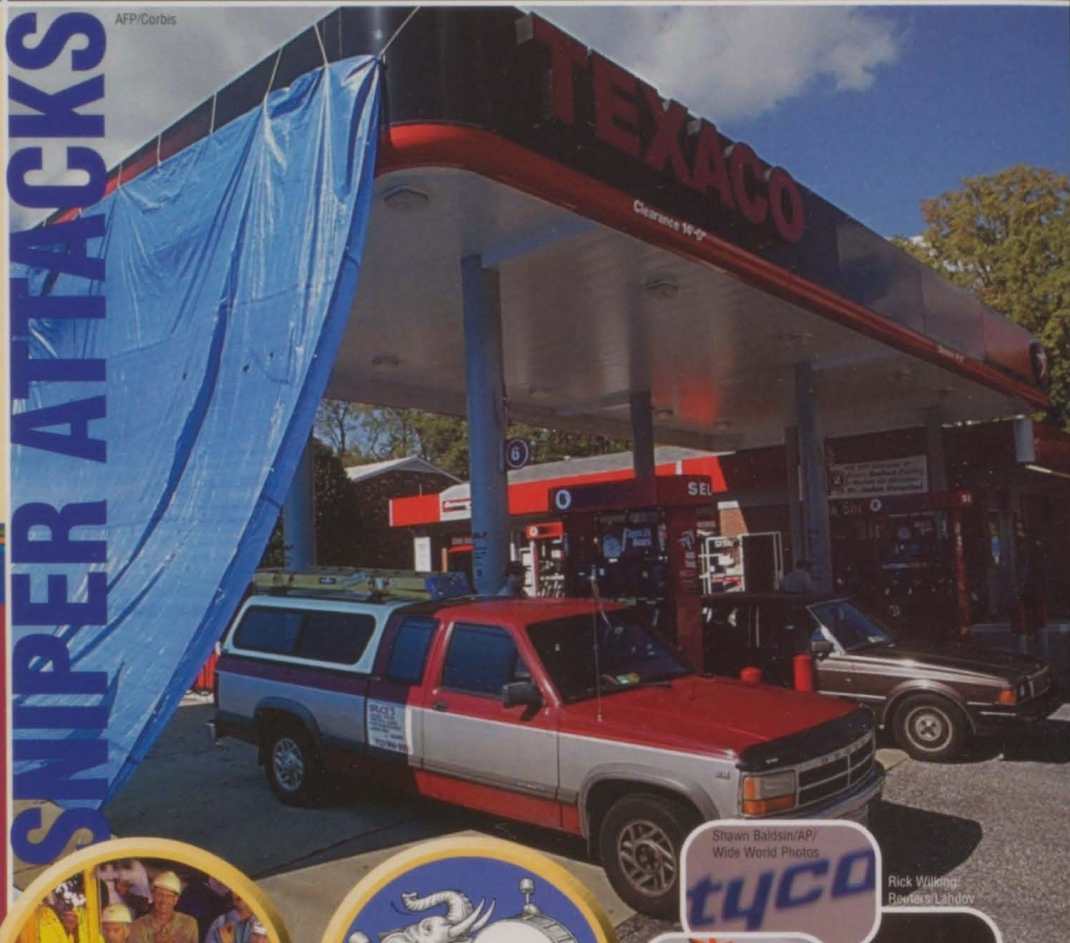
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- For weeks in October, alleged snipers John Muhammad and Lee Boyd Malvo terrorize Washington, D.C., Maryland and Virginia, randomly killing 10 people and injuring three others.
- ✓ The space shuttle Columbia breaks apart on reentry into the Earth's atmosphere, killing all seven astronauts aboard.

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SNIPER ATTACKS

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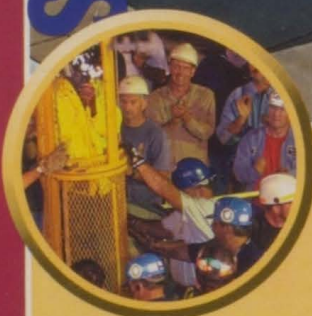
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"The crew of the shuttle Columbia did not return safely to Earth, but we can pray they are safely home."

— President George W. Bush



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➤ On July 28, nine Pennsylvania coal miners are rescued after being trapped for three days in a mineshaft flooded with over 70 million gallons of water.



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➤ Midterm elections make history as Republicans, the party controlling the White House, gain congressional seats rather than losing them.



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➤ Several large corporations inflate profits while top executives make off with millions in accounting scandals that send shock waves through global markets.

▼ In October, Minnesota Senator Paul Wellstone dies in a plane crash along with his wife, daughter and five other victims.

▼ Sparked by summer drought, wildfires—including one set accidentally by a forlorn forest ranger—tear across the western United States.

▼ A weakened economy repeatedly drives down interest rates and delivers retailers their worst holiday shopping season in decades.

▼ President Bush signs the Homeland Security Act, officially creating a Department of Homeland Security dedicated to preventing terrorist attacks.

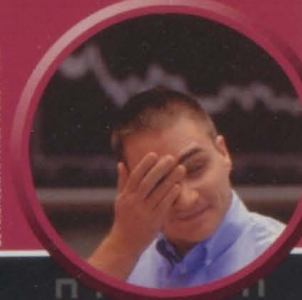
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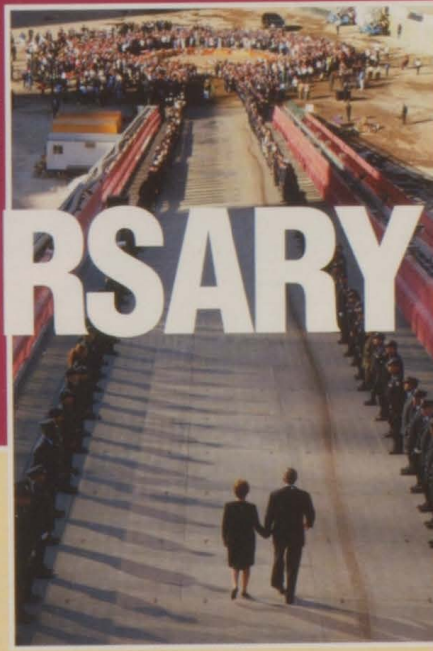
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PROTECTING THE HOMELAND

9/11 ANNIVERSARY

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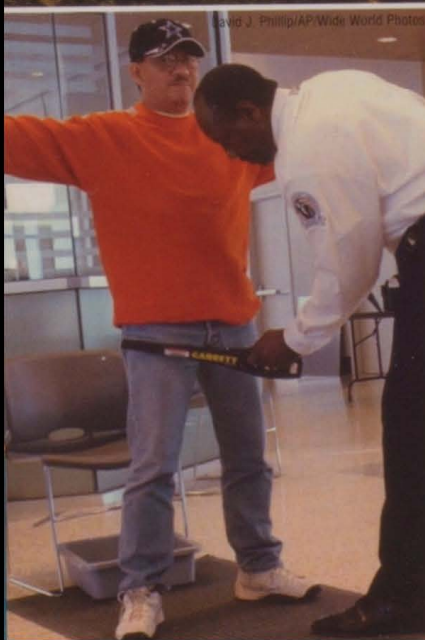
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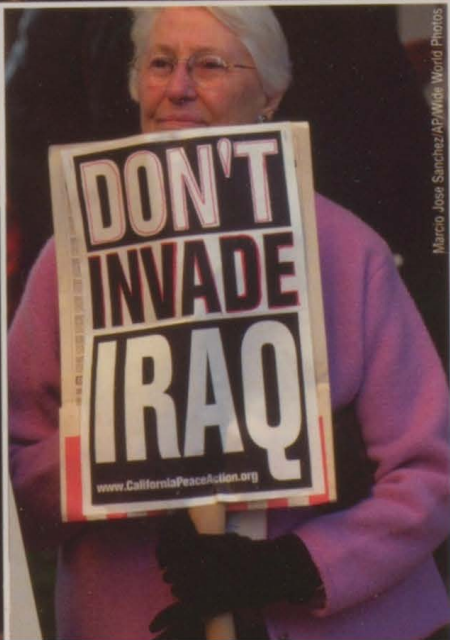
▲ Throughout 2002, Americans search for ways to recover and rebuild from September 11. On the one-year anniversary, survivors, families and friends gather at all three sites to commemorate the lives lost.

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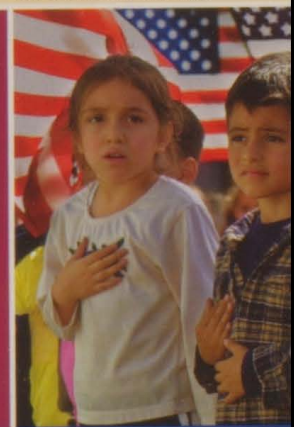


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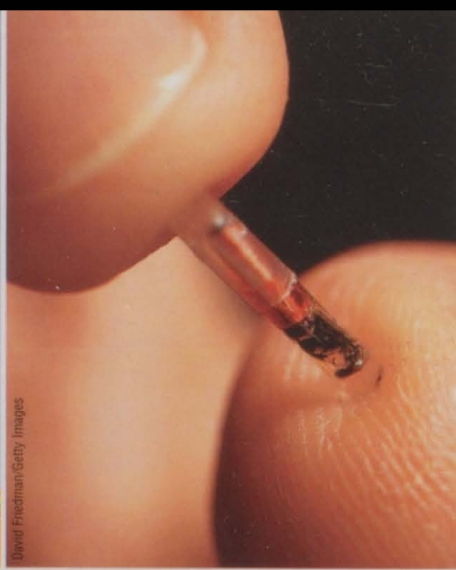
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- ◀ Federal employees from the Transportation Security Administration begin screening all checked baggage and random passengers at airports.
- ◀ The possibility of the United States waging war against Iraq meets disapproval both at home and abroad.
- The U.S. Senate passes a resolution condemning a Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals ruling that reciting the Pledge of Allegiance in schools is unconstitutional.

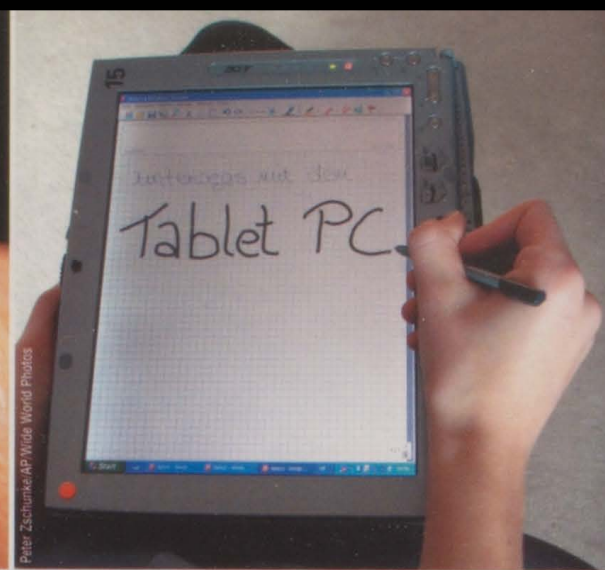


➤ Patients in Florida are the first to receive the VeriChip, a computer chip bearing personal medical data that is injected into the forearm.

➤ Microsoft's Tablet PC enables users to write directly on the screen rather than typing on a keyboard.



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SCI-TECH

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➤ The *Journal of the American Medical Association* reports that children who grow up with pets have a reduced risk of developing common allergies.

ALLERGIES



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➤ Maria de Jesus and Maria Teresa Quiej-Alvarez, 1-year-old Guatemalan twins born joined at the head, are successfully separated after over 22 hours of surgery.

➤ Just before burning up in Jupiter's atmosphere, the Galileo spacecraft captures the closest shots ever taken of Jupiter's moon Io.

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➤ Both Italian doctor Severino Antinori and Raelian scientists at Clonaid, who believe aliens created humans, claim to have produced the first cloned human. Neither claim is proven genetically.



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➤ El Niño causes snow and ice storms up and down the East Coast, rainstorms in California and a devastating December tornado in Mississippi.



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➤ A blanket of pollution over South Asia, dubbed the "Asian Brown Cloud," threatens the lives of millions worldwide with respiratory disease.

▼ Early tests indicate an experimental vaccine to be 100 percent effective against the human papilloma virus that causes cervical cancer.

▼ University of Arkansas researchers discover that microorganisms grow in conditions similar to those on Mars, suggesting the planet once hosted or currently hosts life.

▼ For \$300 to \$1,000 per injection, people craving eternal youth attend BOTOX parties to inject the FDA-approved paralytic toxin into their skin to relax their muscle tissue.

▼ General Motors introduces the Hy-wire—a car powered by hydrogen and oxygen that emits heat and water rather than harmful exhaust.

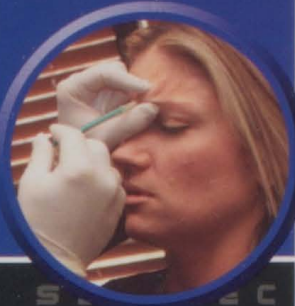
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WEST NILE VIRUS

◀ The nation's largest outbreak of the West Nile Virus hits in summer 2002. The disease is spread by migrating birds and transmitted by mosquitoes.

▼ The gun turret of the historic Civil War ironclad USS *Monitor* is raised from the floor of the Atlantic Ocean.



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◀ President Bush orders construction of a system that would defend the United States from ballistic missile attacks by 2004.

◀ The newly discovered hunger hormone ghrelin is found to play a role in obesity by regulating what you eat and how much weight you gain.

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- The U.S. Education Department reports that average geography scores of the nation's fourth and eighth graders, while low, have improved from 1994.
- Ellula introduces HotAir Speakers, a set of battery-powered, inflatable speakers that are small enough to fit in your pocket when deflated.

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LIFESTYLE

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- Nickelodeon's "SpongeBob Squarepants" ignites imaginations across the nation and appears on store shelves on everything from slippers to suspenders.

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- McDonald's unveils new lower-fat french fries due to the new Healthy Eating Pyramid and in response to many former patrons suing for making them overweight.
- ✓ 1970s peasant shirts are alive and well on runways and in school halls.

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SPONGE BOB SQUANT'S PANTS



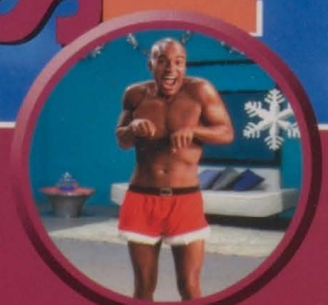
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- The Institute of Medicine announces that maintaining health now requires one hour of exercise daily, doubling the previous recommendation.



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- Jewelry designers Le Ann Carlson and Denise Gaskill add style to safety with Lauren's Hope for a Cure medical ID bracelets.



Kmart Corporation

- Kmart rejuvenates the Joe Boxer brand with ads featuring the dancing Joe Boxer guy, Vaughn Lowery.

Everyone from hot young movie stars to aging rock stars sports the newest fashion trend, turquoise jewelry.

Theodore Wood/Camera Press/Retna



The cola war puts new flavors to the test, including Dr. Pepper Red Fusion, Pepsi Blue and Vanilla Coke.



Krispy Kreme lovers start a new tradition by celebrating their vows with doughnut wedding cakes.

Courtesy Krispy Kreme



Several companies introduce flavored water enhanced with vitamins and other nutrients.



European fashion hits the sidewalks and clubs of the United States with retro-style bowling shoes.

Busy singles try out speed dating, which gives couples several minutes to talk one-on-one before moving to a new partner at the next table.

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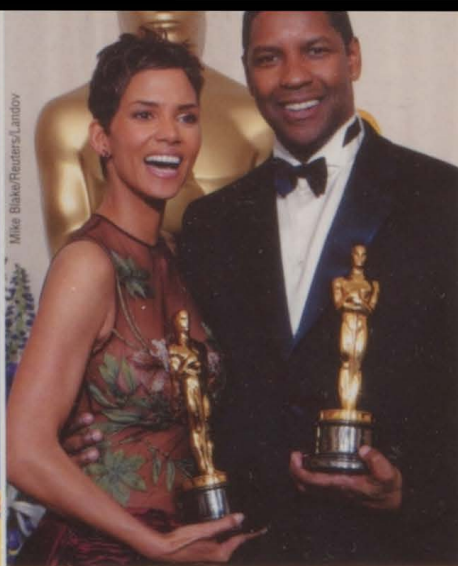
SPEED DATING

The Mohawk makes a hair-raising comeback after being donned by everyone from U.S. World Cup star Clint Mathis to actor Ryan Phillippe.

Digital innovations include camera phones — cell phones that can transmit still and video images through mobile phone lines.

➤ At the 2002 Academy Awards, Halle Berry and Denzel Washington win Best Actress and Best Actor Oscars. Berry is the first female African-American to win the award.

➤ *Spider-Man*, starring Tobey Maguire and Kirsten Dunst, spins a \$114 million opening weekend box-office record.



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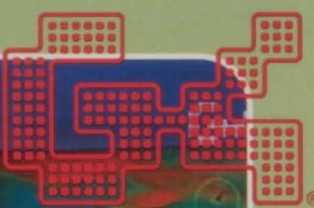
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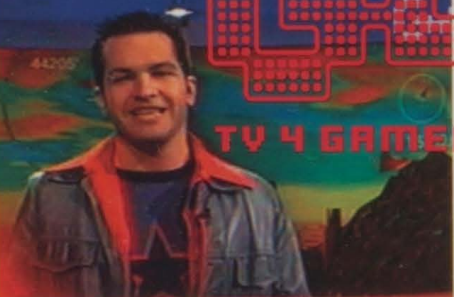
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➤ With over 6 million viewers, "The Osbournes" is the biggest hit in MTV's 21-year history.

G4 TV



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BILL SINDELAR

➤ Avid gamers tune in to G4, the first cable TV channel dedicated solely to video games.

➤ Viewers return week after week for a bit of innocent American nostalgia on NBC's hit drama "American Dreams."



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OSBOURNES



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➤ Ron, Harry and Hermione are back to hitting the books and battling evil forces in *Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets*.

➤ "The Bachelor" and "The Bachelorette" keep millions tuned in to ABC to see who will receive an on-air marriage proposal.

➤ PBS's "Sesame Street" introduces the Muppet Kami, an HIV-infected orphan, in an effort to educate young people worldwide about AIDS.

✔ Jennifer Aniston wins her first Emmy Award and a Golden Globe for her role as the new mother Rachel Green on NBC's popular comedy "Friends."

✔ Virtual unknowns Nia Vardalos and John Corbett steal America's hearts in the year's surprise smash hit *My Big Fat Greek Wedding*.

✔ Peter Jackson receives a Golden Globe Best Director nomination for *The Lord of the Rings: The Two Towers*, the year's most anticipated sequel.

✔ Cynical Simon Cowell and company stir up big ratings for Fox's "American Idol" and big record sales for winner Kelly Clarkson, a waitress from Texas.



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✔ After a two-year hiatus, Leonardo DiCaprio returns to the big screen with two holiday blockbusters, *Gangs of New York* and *Catch Me If You Can*.

✔ *Chicago*, a film adaptation of the hit Broadway musical, wins three Golden Globes, including Best Picture: Musical or Comedy, and receives 13 Oscar nominations.

CHICAGO



Miramax/David James/Cortessa Album

✔ HBO Films' comedy *Real Women Have Curves* promotes positive self-image with the dazzling debut of Latin-American actress America Ferrera.

✔ CBS scores a ratings doubleheader with a pair of forensic investigation dramas, "CSI: Crime Scene Investigation" and "CSI Miami."



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➤ Newcomer Norah Jones takes home five Grammys, including Album of the Year, for *Come Away With Me*.

➤ Multi-talented Eminem raps up five Grammy nominations for *The Eminem Show* and big box-office success in *8 Mile*.

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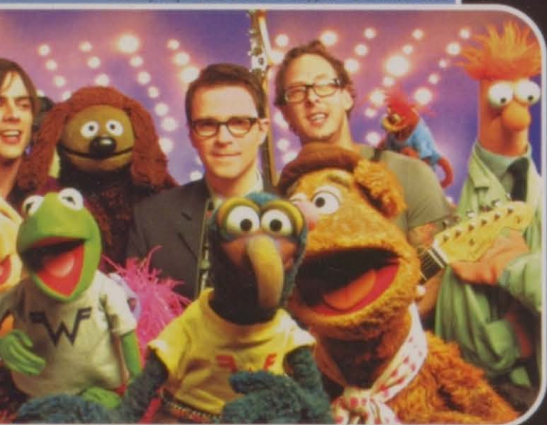
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➤ Rocker Avril Lavigne and other "anti-Britneys," such as Vanessa Carlton and Michelle Branch, represent the new face of women in music.

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➤ Weezer teams up with the Muppets in the video for "Keep Fishin'," the second single from their hit album *Maladroit*.

➤ Pop takes a new direction when former boy band favorites Nick Carter and Justin Timberlake break out with solo albums and tours.



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➤ Spanish trio Las Ketchup lands a summer hit with the catchy "Asereje" aka "The Ketchup Song (Hey Hah)."



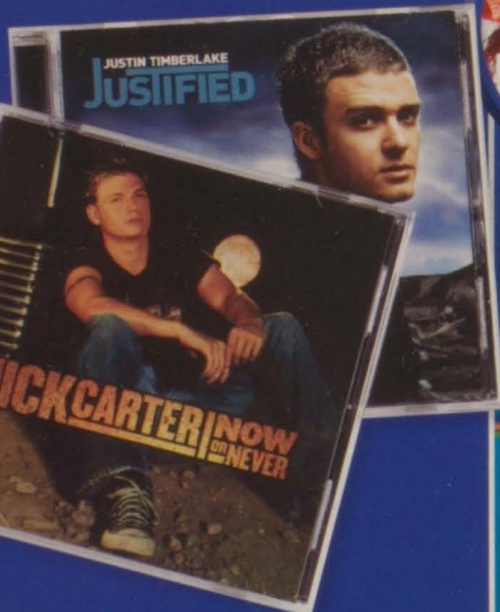
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➤ R&B newcomer Ashanti becomes the first artist since the Beatles to have three singles from a debut album in *Billboard's* Top 10 at the same time.



Chris Pizzello/AP/Wide World Photos

➤ In April 2002, Lisa "Left Eye" Lopes, 30, of R&B band TLC, dies in a car crash on a Honduran highway.



▼ In October, legendary hip-hop DJ Jam Master Jay of Run-DMC is shot and killed in a Queens, New York, music studio.

▼ After a six-year romance, No Doubt's Gwen Stefani marries Bush's Gavin Rossdale in September.

▼ Country crossover star Shania Twain hits No. 1 on the *Billboard* albums chart with *Up!*, a double CD with every song in both a pop and country version.

▼ Former Beatles rock legend Paul McCartney brings in \$2 million a night, for a total of \$103 million, on the year's top-grossing tour.

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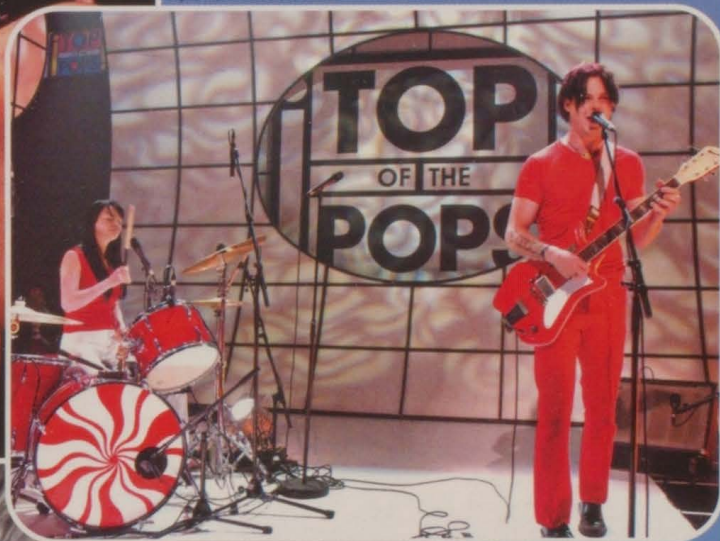
TOP CONCERT

◀ The Strokes, *Spin* magazine's 2002 Band of the Year, lead a resurgence of rock 'n' rollers, including The Hives and The Vines.

▼ Armed with a steady beat and punk-rock-blues riffs, The White Stripes' stripped-down rock shines on the highly acclaimed *White Blood Cells*.

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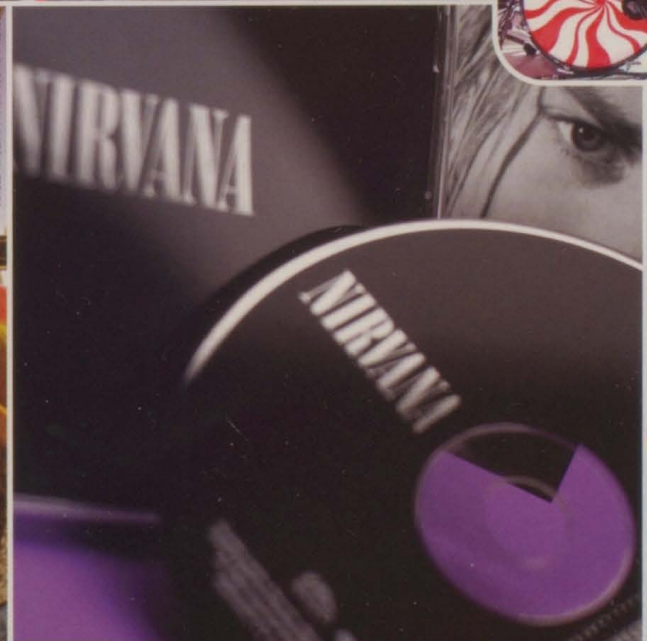
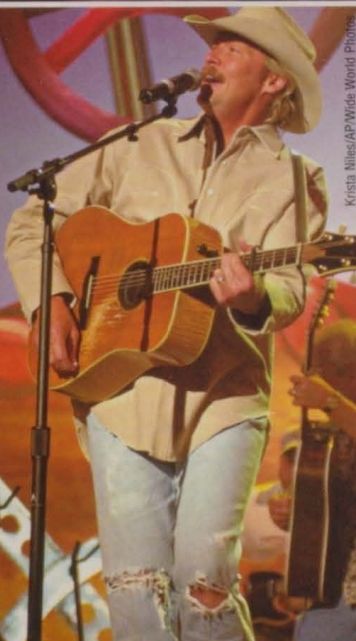
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◀ Alan Jackson's triple-platinum album *Drive* wins five Country Music Association Awards and is named the *USA Today* No. 1 country album of 2002.

◀ *Nirvana*, the famed grunge band's long-awaited greatest hits album, features "You Know You're Right," the last recording Kurt Cobain made before his 1994 suicide.

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- ▶ Dallas Cowboy running back Emmitt Smith breaks Walter Payton's 16,727-yard mark to become the NFL's all-time leading rusher.
- ▶ The Detroit Red Wings capture the 2002 NHL Stanley Cup over the Cinderella Carolina Hurricanes. It's a record ninth cup for retiring coach Scotty Bowman.



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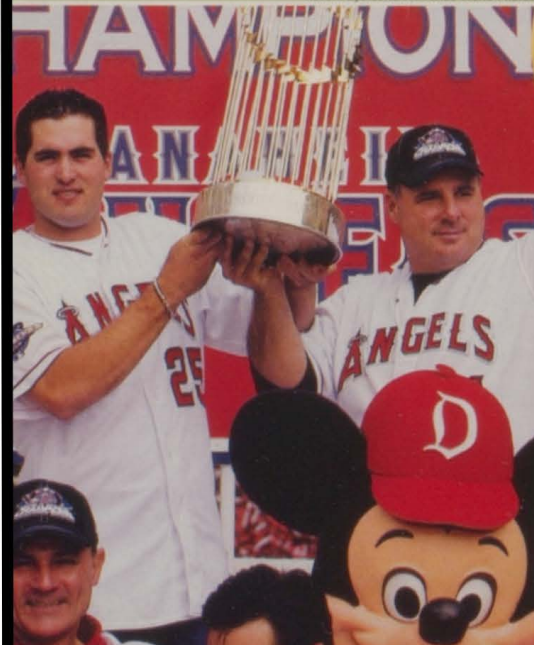
- ▶ Serena and Venus Williams continue to dominate women's tennis, becoming the first sisters to be ranked No. 1 and No. 2 in the world.

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- ▶ The college football season is marred by violent confrontations involving fans, students and even coaches.
- ▶ MVP Troy Glaus leads the scrappy Anaheim Angels to the 2002 World Series win over Barry Bonds and the San Francisco Giants, four games to three.

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SISTERS



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- ▶ Martha Burk of the National Council of Women's Organizations battles with Augusta National chairman William Johnson over the issue of female membership at the famous Georgia golf club.
- ▶ An 18th place finish in the NASCAR season finale at Homestead-Miami Speedway is enough to earn Tony Stewart his first Winston Cup Series championship.
- ▶ Despite an injured toe, Shaquille O'Neal powers the unstoppable Los Angeles Lakers to a third straight NBA championship title in May 2002.

✓ The U.S. men's soccer team advances to the World Cup quarterfinals for the first time, by defeating Mexico 2-0.

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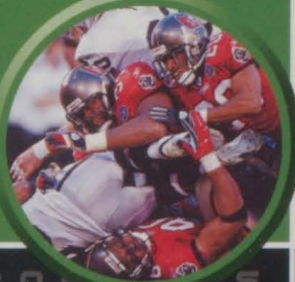
✓ The U.S. Postal Service team propels *Sports Illustrated* magazine's Sportsman of the Year Lance Armstrong to his fourth consecutive Tour de France victory.

Mike Powell/Getty Images



✓ The top-rated defense of the Tampa Bay Buccaneers shuts down the No. 1 offense of the Oakland Raiders to win Super Bowl XXXVII 48-21.

Matt A. Brown/Newsport/Corbis



✓ LPGA pro Annika Sorenstam, after a record-setting 13-win 2002 season worldwide, accepts an invitation to play the Colonial tournament on the men's 2003 PGA Tour.



Steve DiPaola/Reuters/Landow

◀ The Ohio State Buckeyes beat the heavily favored Miami Hurricanes in double overtime to win the BCS National Championship. The 31-24 victory is the school's first national football title since 1968.

✓ The new sport of SlamBall takes basketball to the extreme on a specially designed court with four trampolines in front of each hoop.



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◀ Skateboarding reaches new popularity heights thanks to the high visibility of the X Games and the "Tony Hawk's Pro Skater" video game series.

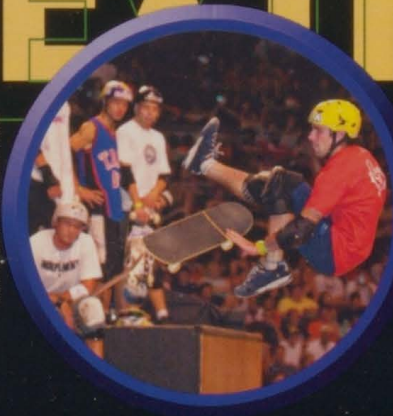
◀ Surfing welcomes a tidal wave of women to the sport after receiving a Hollywood endorsement in the popular summer flick *Blue Crush*.



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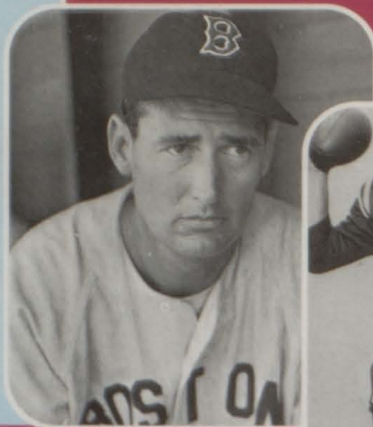
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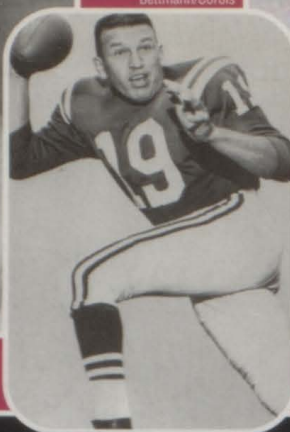
SPORTS

▶ The sports world loses two legends—baseball's "Splendid Splinter" Ted Williams and Johnny Unitas, one of football's greatest quarterbacks.

▶ Zacarais Moussaoui, widely believed to be the 20th hijacker, goes on trial for his involvement in the September 11 terrorist attacks.



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▶ Martha Stewart faces charges of illegal stock trading after former Imclone president Sam Waksal allegedly tips her off regarding the company's demise.

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▶ In show business since they were 9 months old, Mary-Kate and Ashley Olsen, 16, have amassed a \$76 million fortune through their Dualstar Entertainment Group.

▶ Veteran actor Richard Harris, known for his role as Hogwarts wise headmaster Albus Dumbledore, dies of Hodgkin's disease at age 72.

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▶ Mentally challenged Ohio high school senior Jake Porter—who suited up for every practice and game for four years but never played—scores his first touchdown.



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▶ California's Linda and Loretta Sanchez make history as the first sisters ever elected to Congress.



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▶ Mississippi Senator Trent Lott is widely criticized for apparent racist remarks he made at Senator Strom Thurmond's 100th birthday party. In December, Lott resigns as majority leader.



