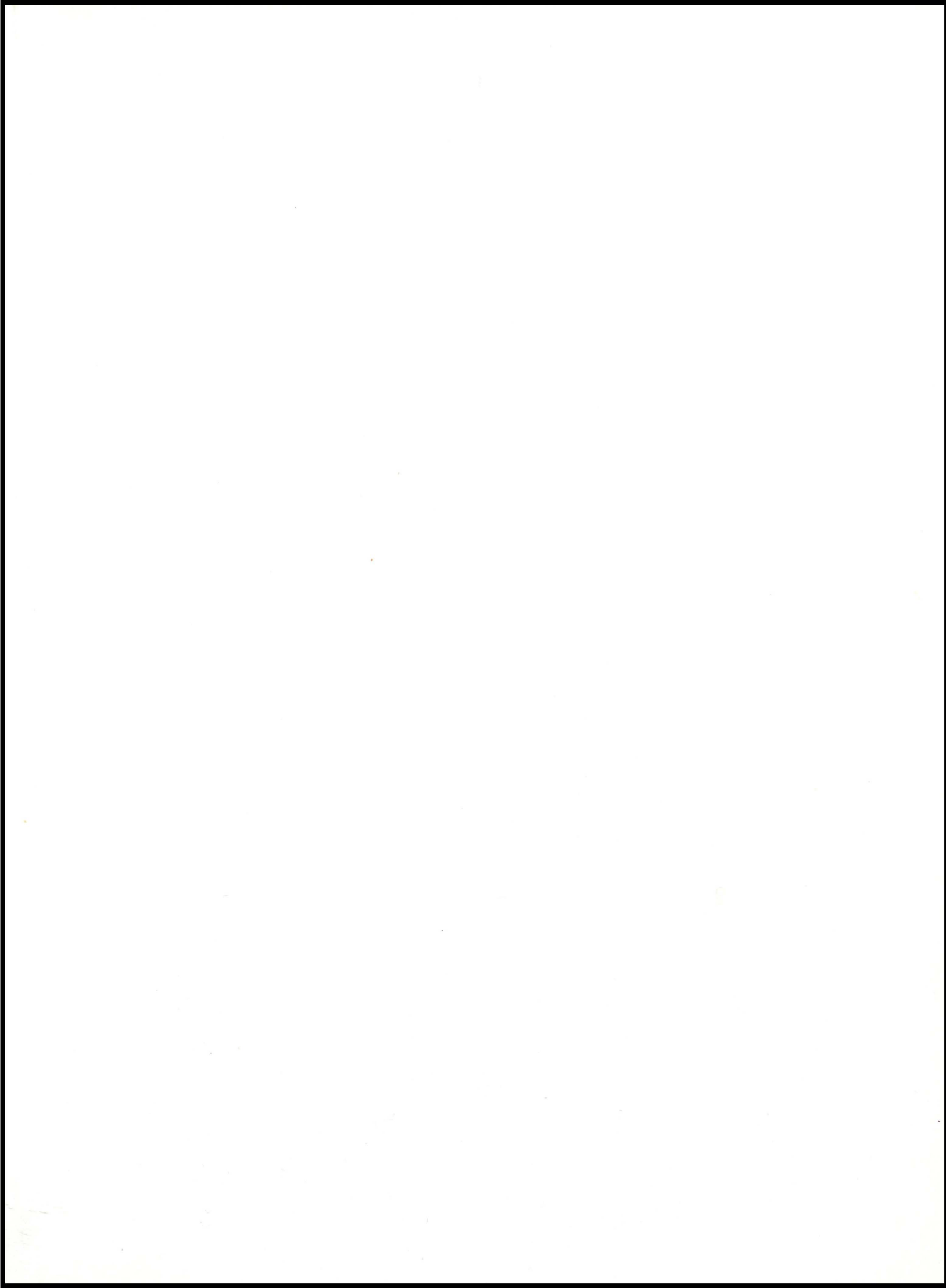




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Student Population

Seniors	105
Juniors	84
Sophomores	115
Freshmen	105

Student Council Members. Front Row: Wisper Wagner, Kassy Shellenberger, Erica Rakes, Betsy Cook, Alissa Jones, Jamie Pickup, Tonya Renfro, Jerra Pyles. Second Row: Chris Patterson, Bill Aulick, Tim Gripka, Bryan Johnson, Matt VanWinkle, Kirsti Allphin, (Not pictured: Megan Massie and Lindsay Steele.) and Robert Anderson, Advisor.

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NOW OR NEVER

The theme for the 1995-96 yearbook is "Now or Never." The staff chose this theme as a reflection of our attitudes. As you go through life, we hope you will always keep this thought in mind. "If we do not make it happen now, it may never happen."

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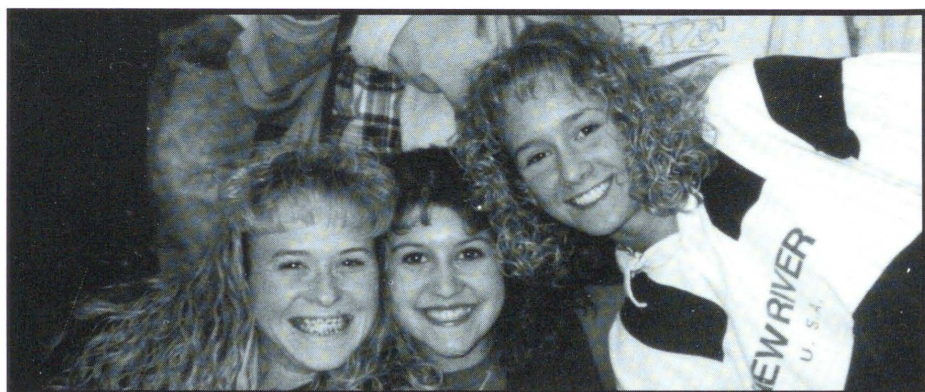
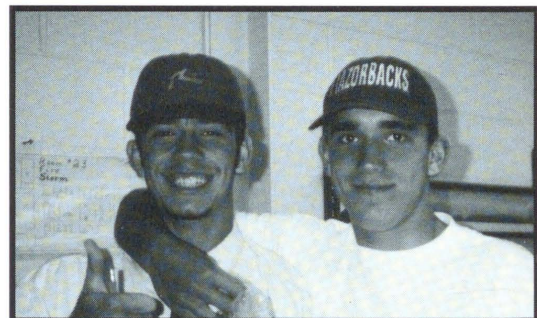
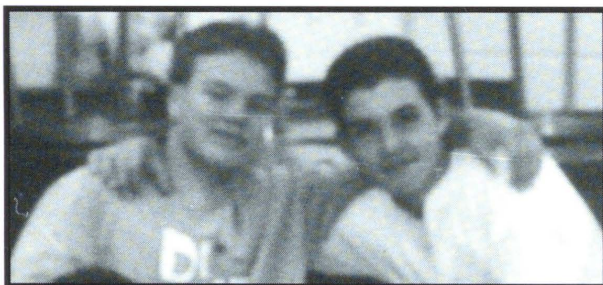
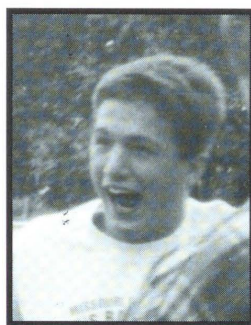
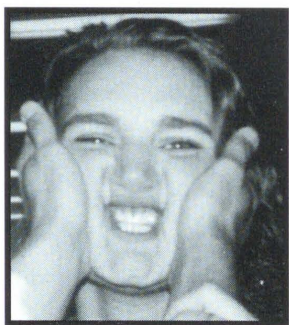
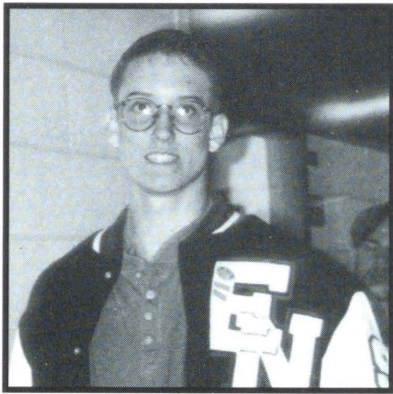
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STUDENT CONFERENCE

School Spirit takes over at E.N.

At East Newton, spirit weeks are a big part of having some fun at school. The Student Council comes up with several fun games that students can participate in during spirit weeks. These spirit weeks are held the week before Football and Basketball Homecomings. Some games have included a seed spitting contest, hat, tie, and shades day, banana relay, and chariot races. As Patriots, we should all take time to participate in these school activities.

Chuck Cook

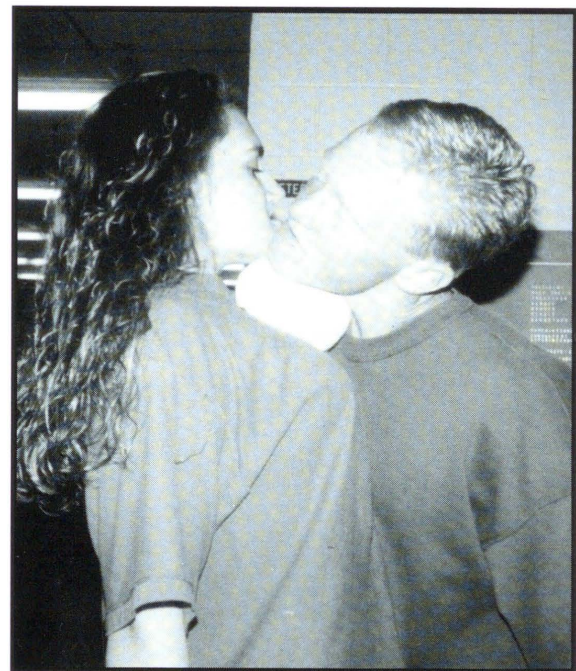
Sophomore Autumn Brown shows her school spirit by posing next to the Patriot mural in her flag jump suit.



Sophomore Beau Rickman and Freshman Clay Brown try to slow dance at lunch activities.



Senior Dawn Brady and Junior Nicole Forsberg successfully pass a lifesaver on toothpicks.



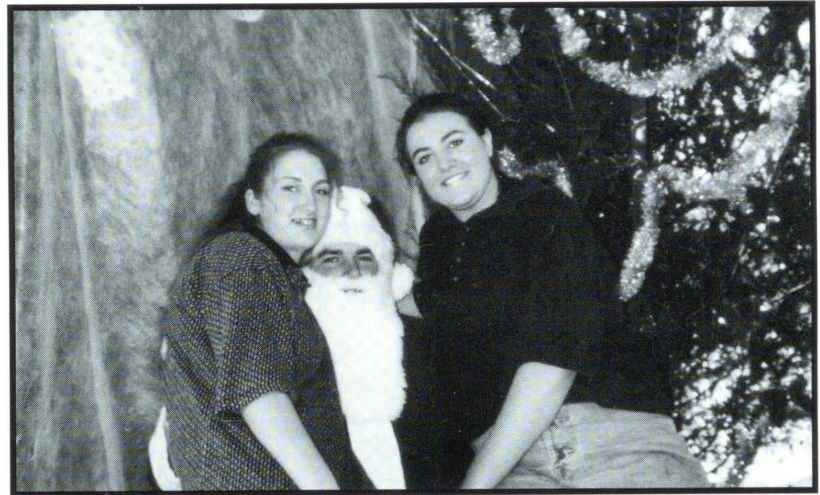
Senior Kerri Richardson and Freshman Clay Brown unsuccessfully try to pass a softball at lunch.



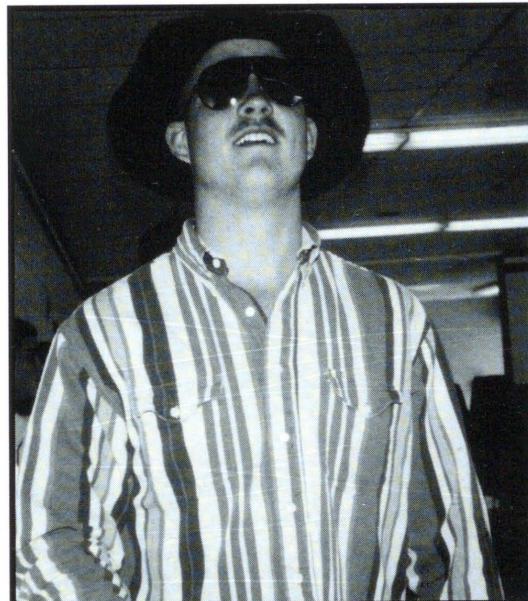


Seniors Lindsay McFarland, Sarah Johnson and Yari Granda show their holiday spirit.

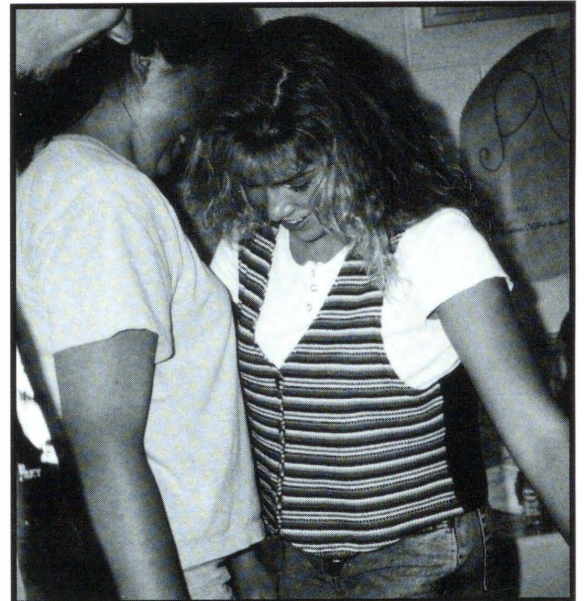
Sophomores Jerra Pyles and Kirsti Allphin sit on Santa's lap to get into the Christmas spirit.



What a Hat! Senior Erica Rakes shows off her hat on hat and tie day.



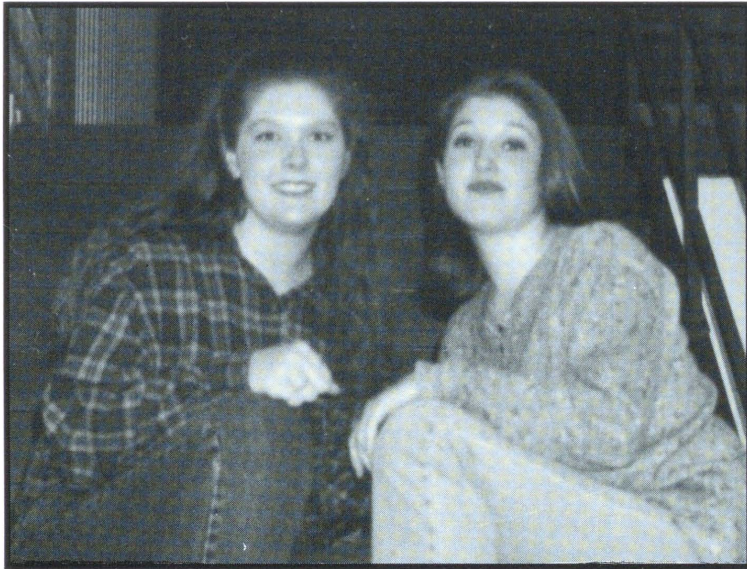
Senior Marcus Thogmartin does what he does best.



Sophomore Kirsti Allphin and Junior Mindy Turner argue over who has better shoes.

The Best of Friends

Deidera Clouse and Della Chenoweth have been best buds since they can remember. "Forever" they agree!



Best Friends Betsy Courtney and Janet Cooper seem to fit in together anywhere. Even in trash cans!



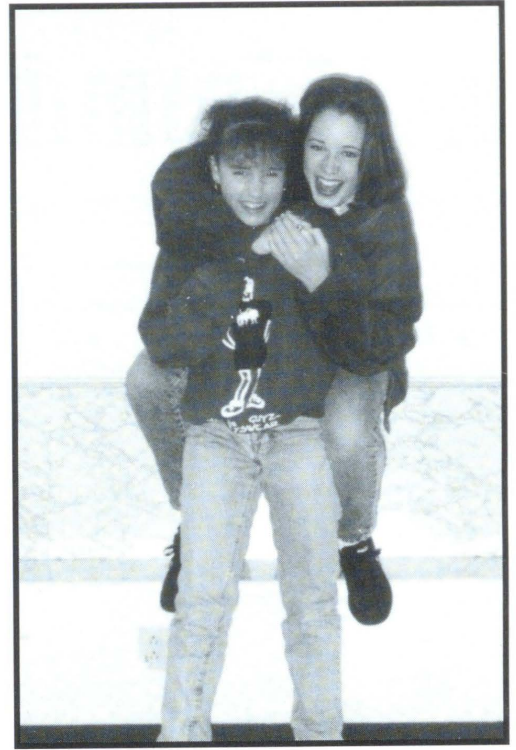
Lindsay McFarland and Yari Granda always have a hug ready for the other when one is needed.



Through the best and the worst of times best friends Sarah Yates and Sarah Johnson have stayed together through it all.



For almost two years Brandon "Slinky" Hayes, Stephanie Bailey, Dianna Fehlberg, and Jered Jackson have always and will always lean on each other when needed.



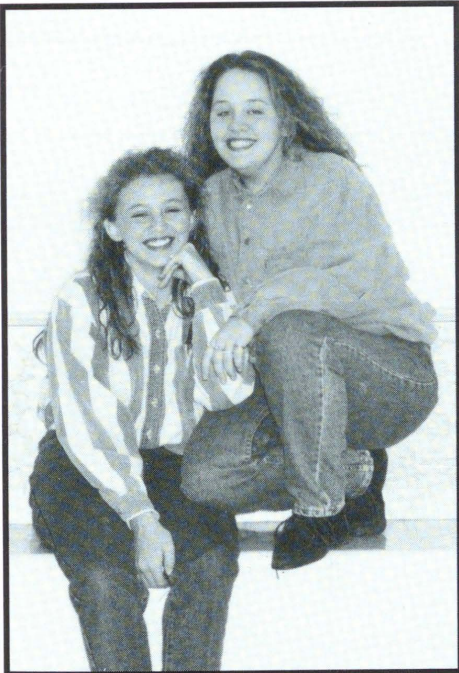
Now that's a true friend! Best friends and also cousins, Jenifer Carlton and Laura Carter give rides to each other when one of them is tired.

FRIENDS



FOREVER

Together as best friends, Carrie Presley and Rachel Bish made it to their senior year and hope to have many more years together as best friends.



No matter what Misti McNee and Autumn Brown have been there for each other.



From Brazil to America

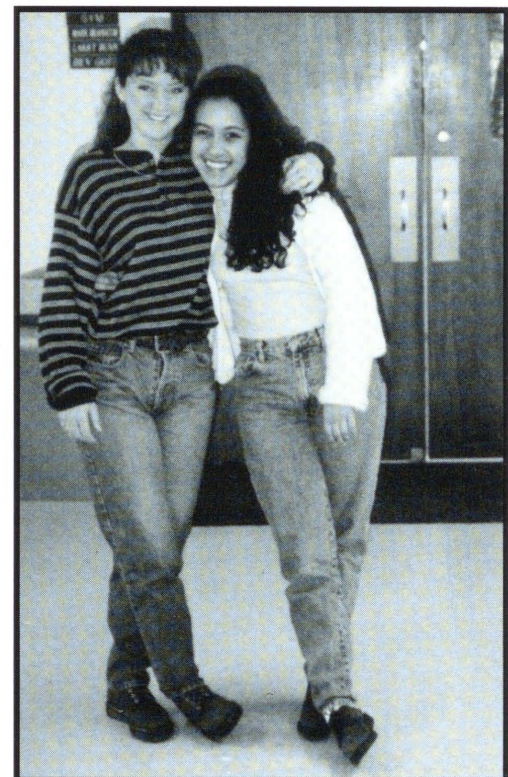
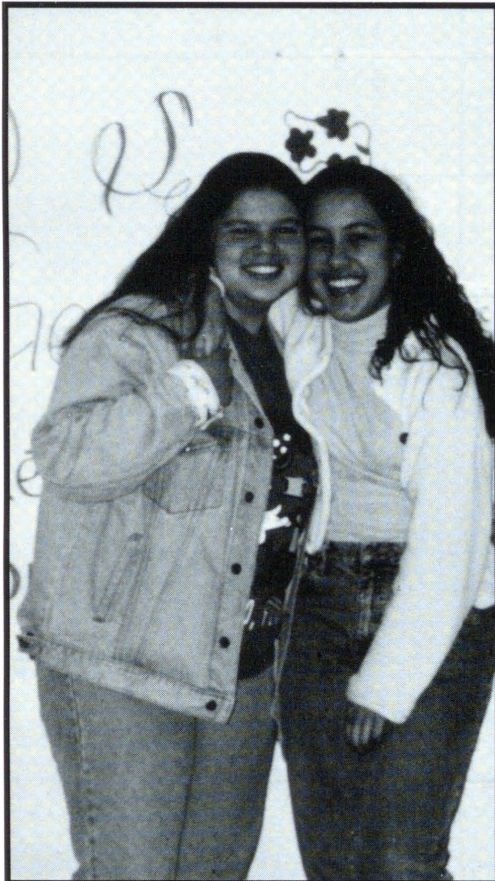
This year East Newton had two foreign exchange students with us. Laisa Lins and Sabrina Gerbaldo were both from Brazil.

Laisa and Sabrina both said that they like it here very much and that it has been a very rewarding experience. Laisa and Sabrina wanted to thank their host families for their kindness and love, and they said that they would miss everyone.

Everyone at East Newton hopes that they have enjoyed their stay as much as we have enjoyed having them with us. We will miss them greatly and hope they keep in touch.

Stephanie Bailey

East Newton's foreign exchange students Sabrina Gerbaldo and Laisa Lins, have made life-long friends with their host sister's Dawn Brady and Lindsay McFarland.



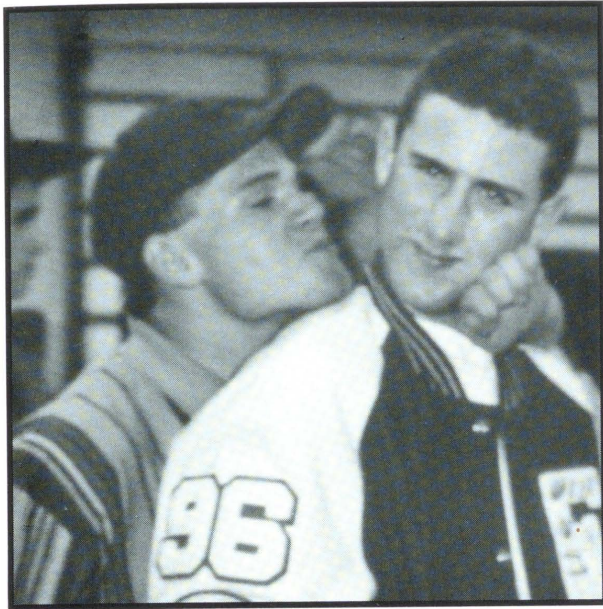
Laisa Lins and Sabrina Gerbaldo show how much they've enjoyed the U.S. by the smiles on their faces.

Sabrina was given the chance of a lifetime by coming to America from Brazil. It has been a great experience for Dawn and Sabrina!

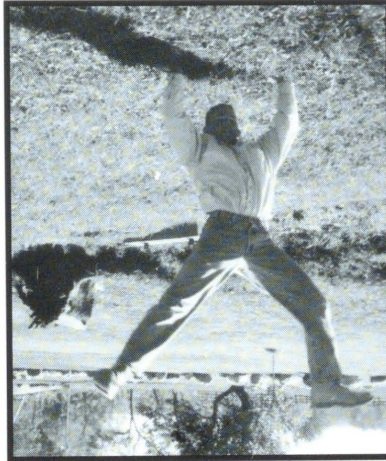
"Laisa is truly the sister that I never had. She is loved by my whole family and always will be. I love ya sis," says Lindsay.

Had To Be There

Billy Davison's and Joe Guinn's feelings for each other are not Smoochual!



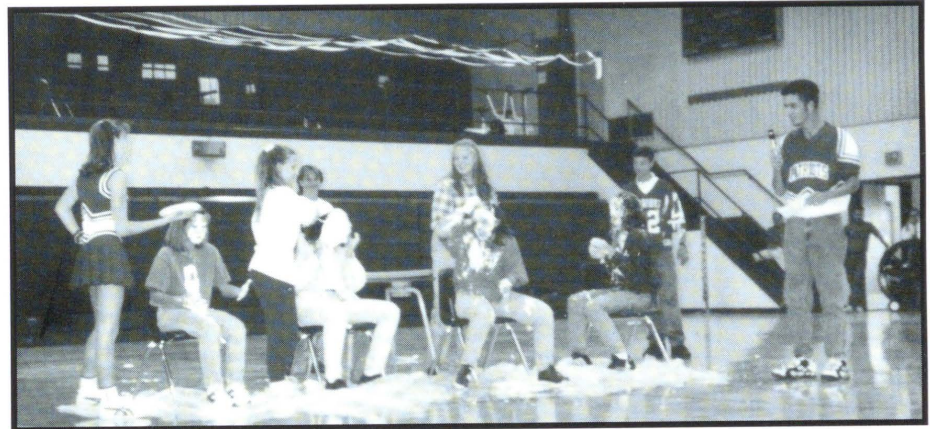
Matt VanWinkle walking on cloud nine at Jolly Mill.



Jered Jackson seems to have lost his lunch.



A Culture Clash!? Matt Ward & Jered Jackson are all mixed up.

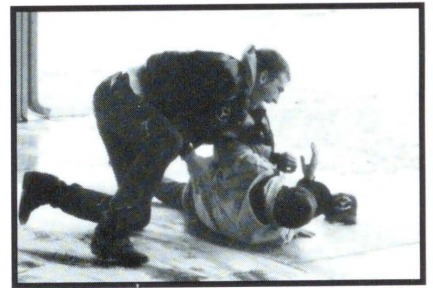


The Football homecoming candidates try a new whipped cream face mask to refine their beauty.

Marcus Thogmartin shows us his famous touchdown dance.

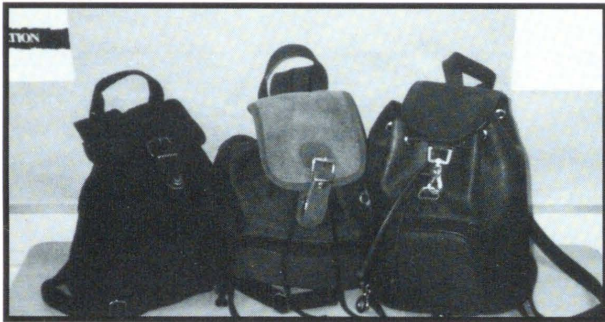


1..2..3..Brent H. is down for the count, pinned by Bubba J.



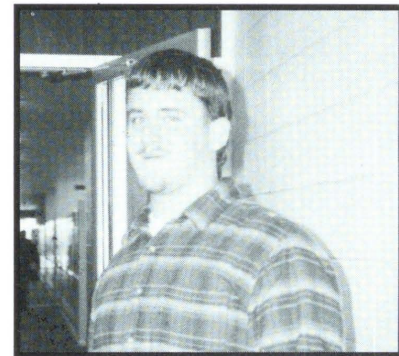
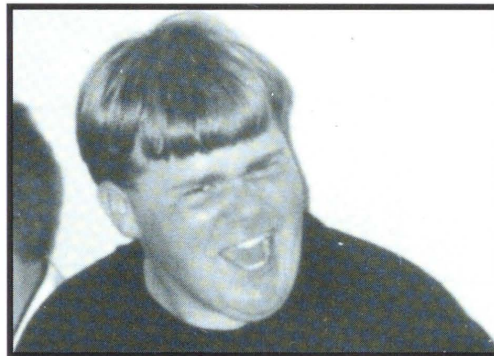
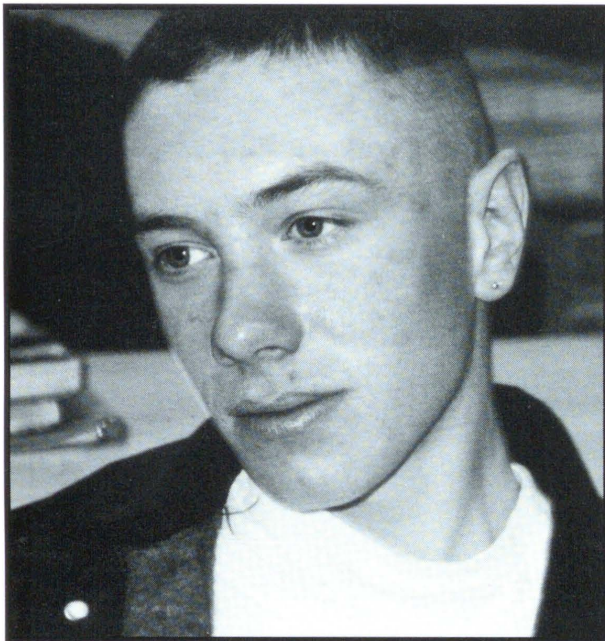
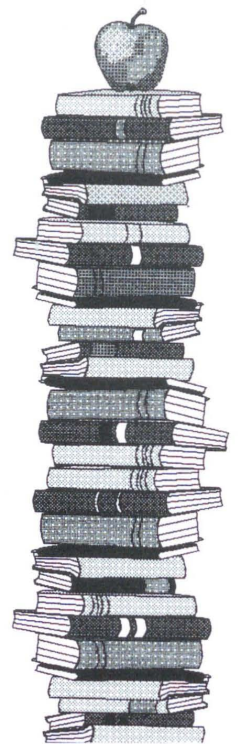
Life Goes on at East Newton

One of the fads for '95-'96 school year are the fashionable backpack purses, which most of our girls carry.



Senior Jason Morris is caught not doing his work, but he better work hard for those good grades and diploma.

Lions, and Tigers, and Bears, Oh My!! Alfred Hagen smiles as the cowardly lion.



Dale Johnson shows off his earring. This is another fad of the E.N. guys.

The "Lucky" people in this shot represent the "Lucky" style of the school.



Geoff Cook stops in the hallway during his busy schedule of studying and joking to give a mischievous grin.

Brandon Whitesell and Seth Wasson have caught "Senioritis" only half way through the school year.

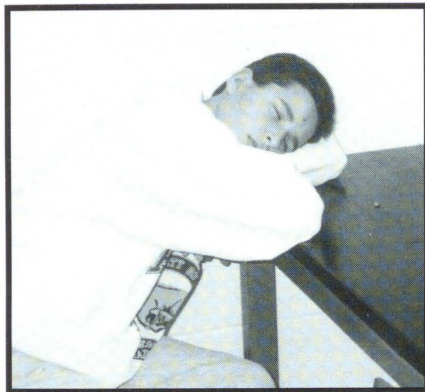
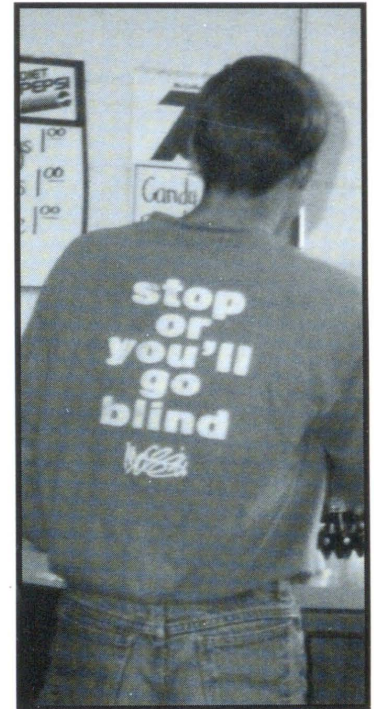


Sarah Yates smiles as she poses for her "Lucky" jeans fad picture.

Just one of the guys, Kathy Ford sits in on this lunch time conversation with David Guinn, Fred Burge, and Michael McCool.

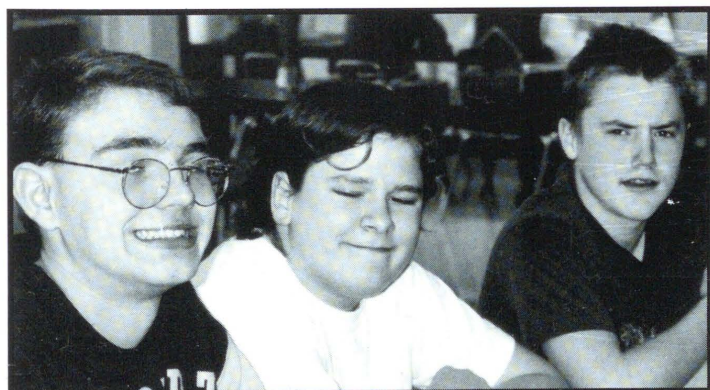
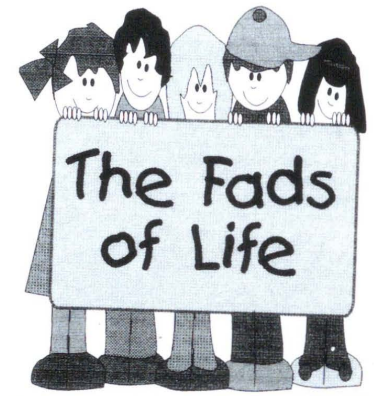


Noah Woodward shows us his version of a Mossimo T-shirt. This is one of the many fads found in the halls of East Newton.



If Mr. Cook only knew how his students were willing to work, Isaac Gripka sets the example.

Fashion Statement! Mindy Turner, Autumn Brown, and Carrie Presley are caught showing off their "fadacious" purses.

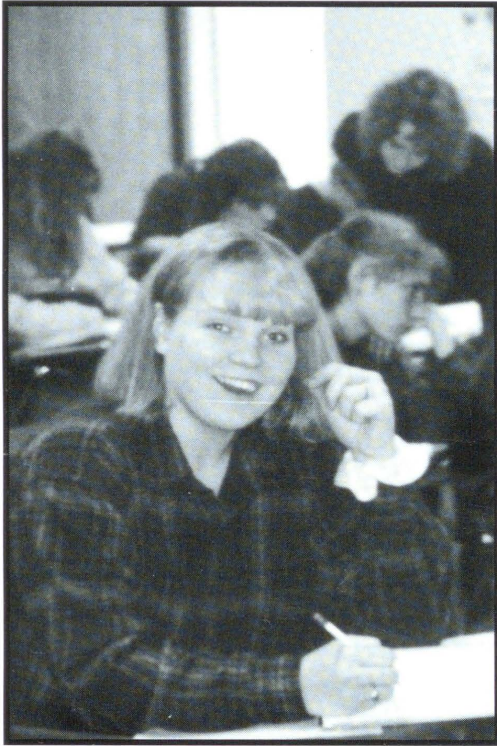
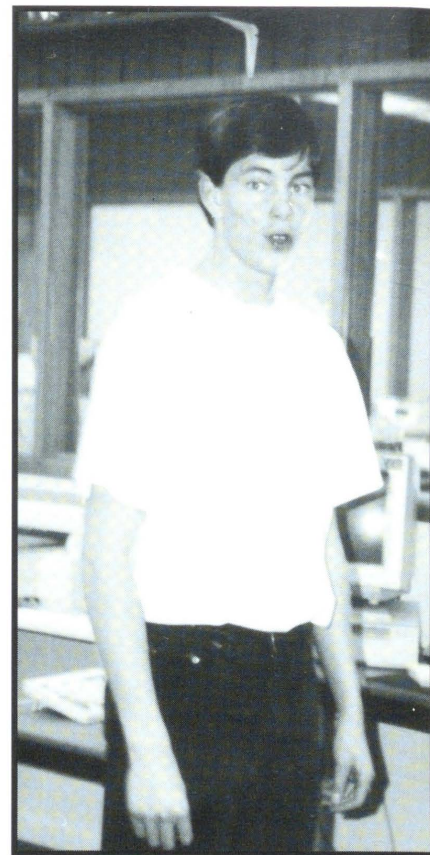


Can you figure out what these girls all have in common? Claw Clips are another way to pull your hair up in style.

"Smile!" said the camera. Brandon Hobson, Jake Channel, and Scott Perkins did just that during their lunch hour.

After a long time of persuading the cameraman to take their picture, Laisa Lins, Lindsay McFarland, and Yari Granda pose for a quick snapshot during barnwarming.

What can we say? It's just Autumn Brown!



Junior Tracy Fehlberg shows that math really can be exciting.

Freshman Kim Putman and Sophomore Betsy Cook lounge around on Insideout and Backwards day.

After a hard days work in third hour P.E., Juniors Shelly Patterson and Tara Sartin still have energy to smile for the camera.

Was it that unusual? Ryan Willis' facial expression makes us wonder.

"Quick, nobody's looking!" Seniors Marcus Thogmartin and Geoff Cook display their affection for each other.

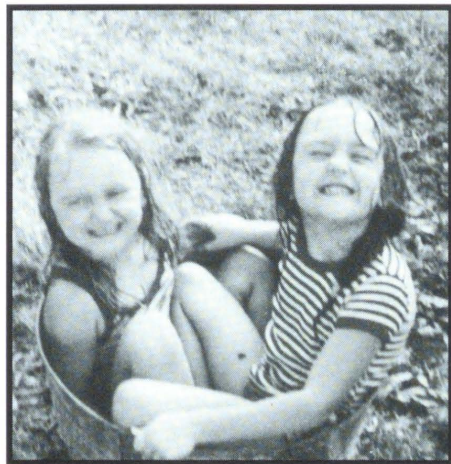
STORIES
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Treasured Times



Kerri Richardson and Mindy Mosley are having a barrel of fun on a hot summer day in 1982.

Havin' a blast, D. Brady, R. Thomlinson, Y. Granda, L. McFarland, and L. Cook are rewarded for good behavior at a Star party in the 5th grade.



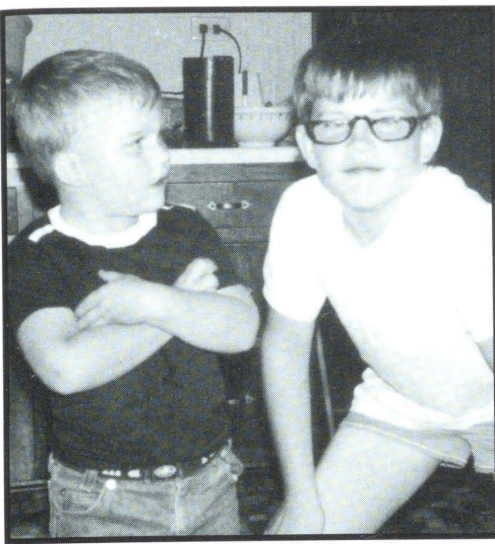
Best friends, Joe Guinn and Kevin Mayfield, show off their short shorts and stripped socks at Pea Ridge Battlefield in the summer of 1986.



Carrie Presley celebrates her 11th birthday at a party at Dick Smith Park with R. Thomlinson, K. Richardson, A. Swartz, S. Johnson, M. Ward, S. Wasson, J. King, B. Mohn, S. Yates, R. Boles, and C. Presley.

Those all-time cuties! Brian Hill, Daniel Cullers, Marcus Thogmartin, and Geoff Cook have a blast at the 7th grade Winterball held at Granby's new gym.





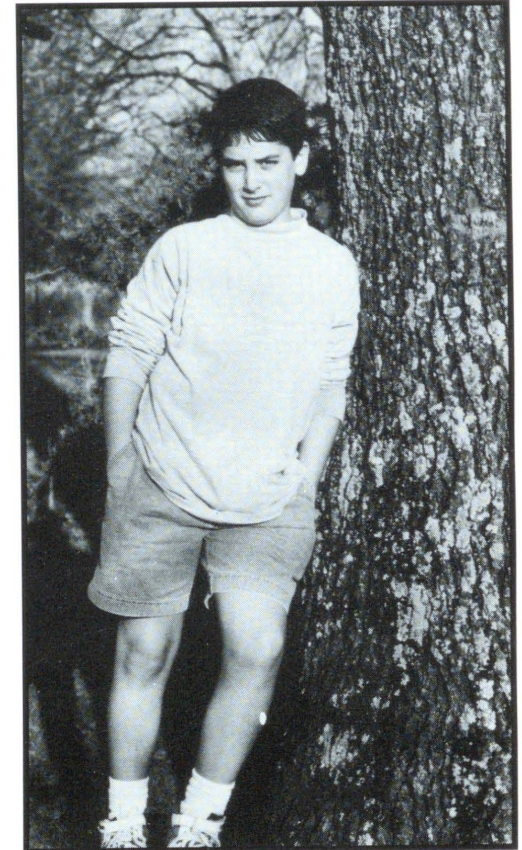
Oh what a nerd! Marcus Thogmartin shows off his study glasses at his 8 year old birthday party.

What a group! Brian Gray, Jason Morris, Joe Guinn, and Kevin Mayfield hang out in the halls before going to lunch their 5th grade year.



Look at those bright smiles! Jason James, Sarah Johnson, Leigh Arnall, and Brandie Williams celebrate Jason's 9th birthday party at McDonald's.

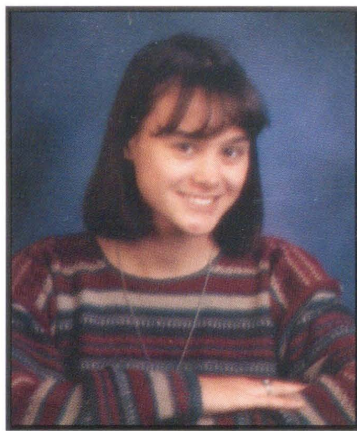
A young stud strutting his stuff, Jeremy King stands looking tough.



L. McFarland, R. Thomlinson, and D. Brady dress up for a play in 1983.

This group of Triway 6th graders celebrate the end of school at a party at Lindsay McFarland's house.

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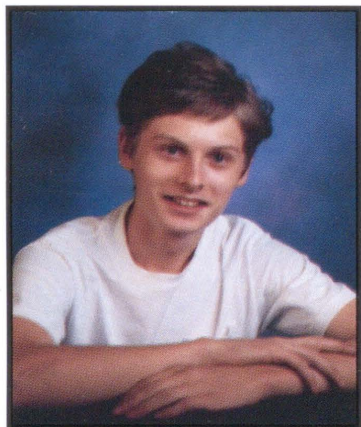
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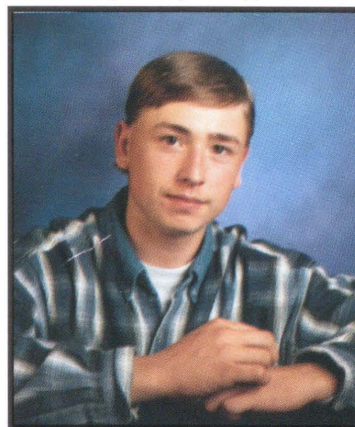
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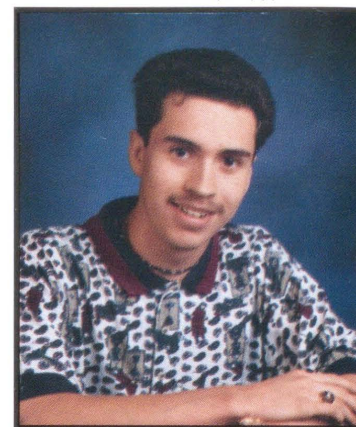
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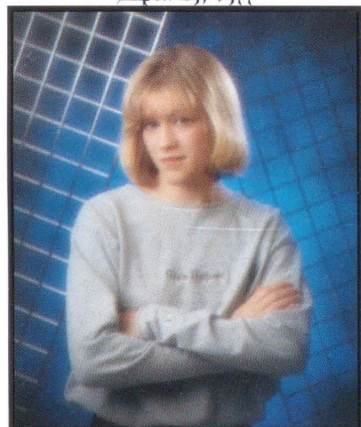
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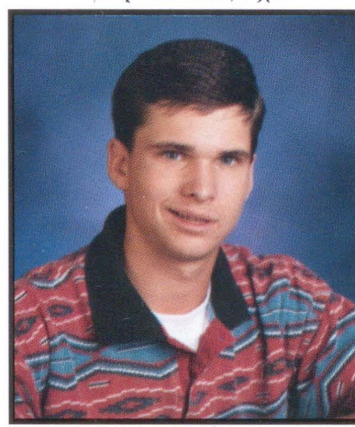
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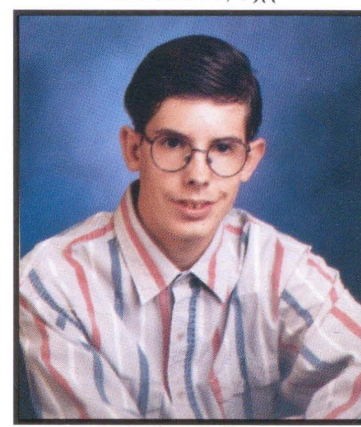
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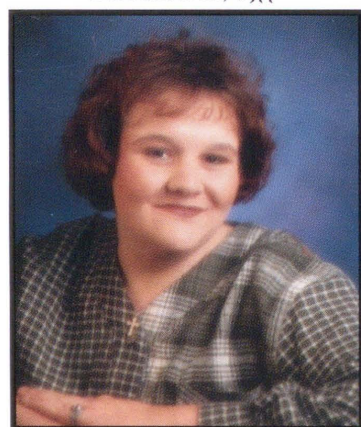
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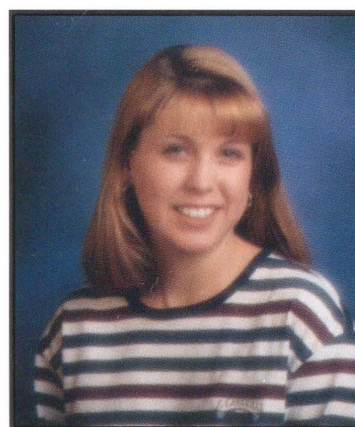
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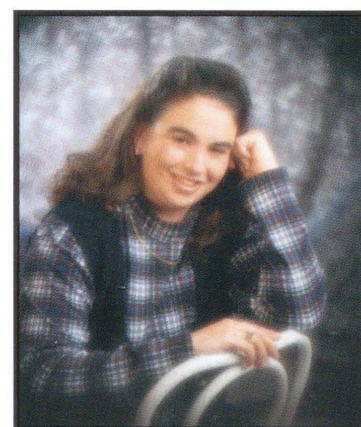
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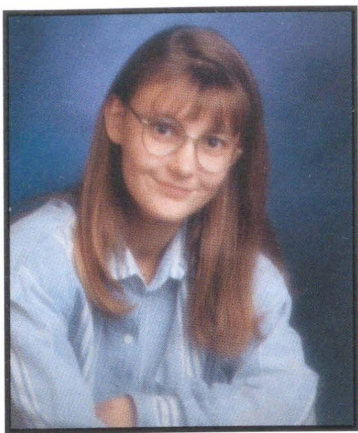
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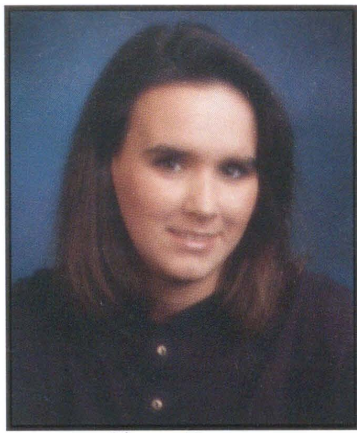
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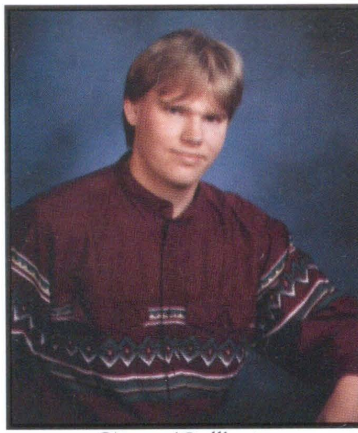
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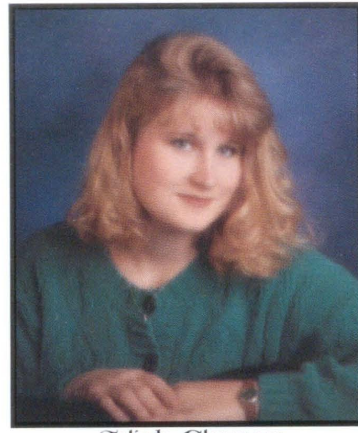
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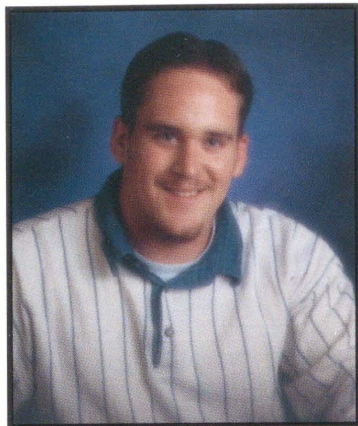
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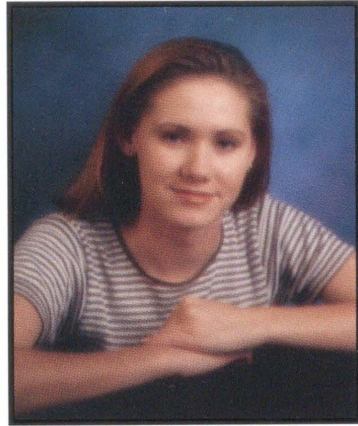
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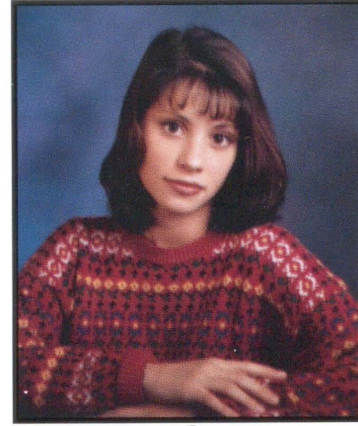
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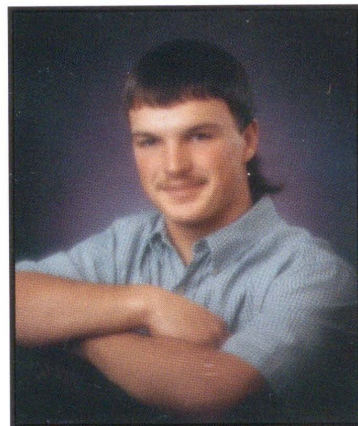
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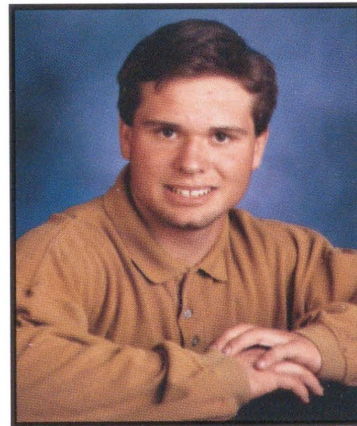
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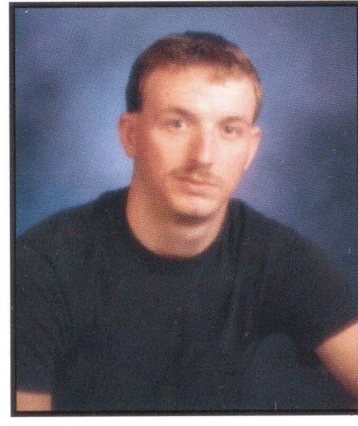
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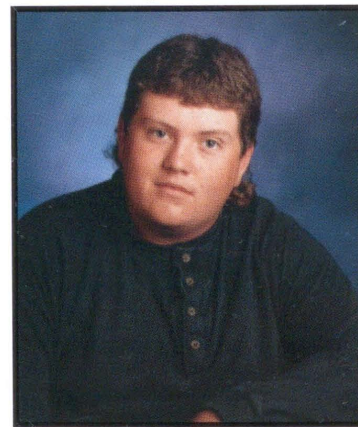
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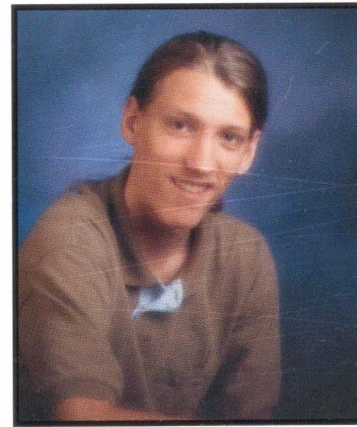
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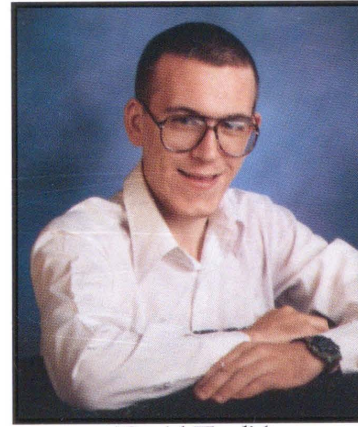
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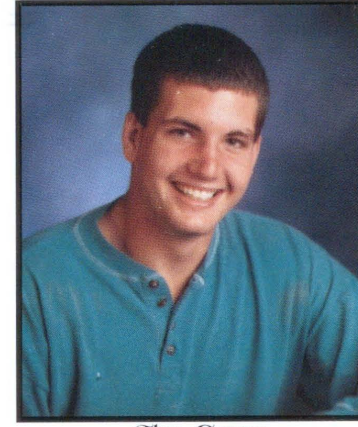
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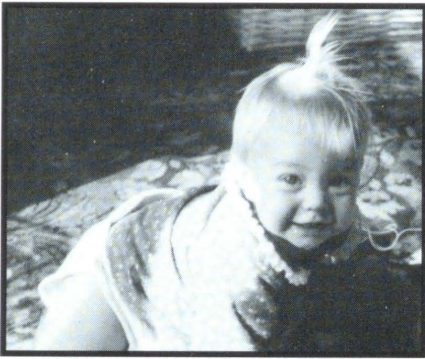
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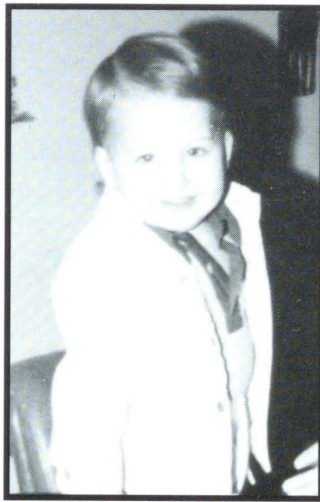
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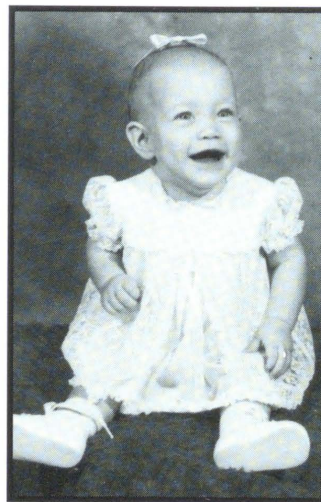
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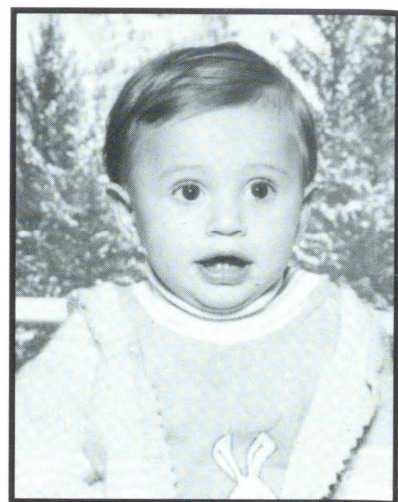
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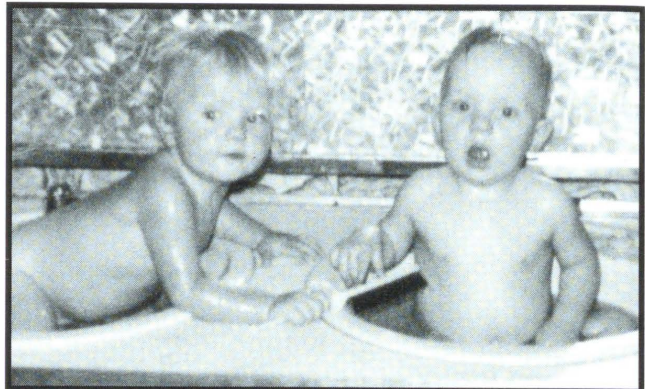
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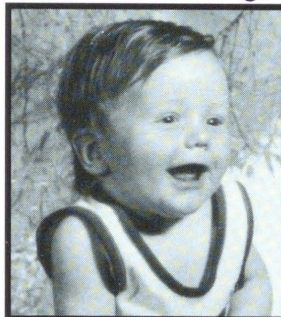
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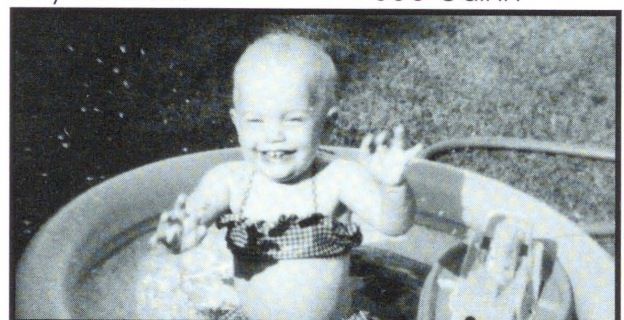
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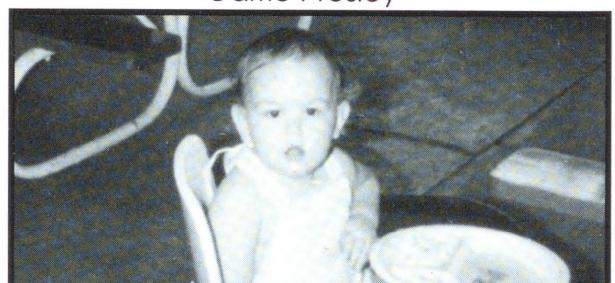
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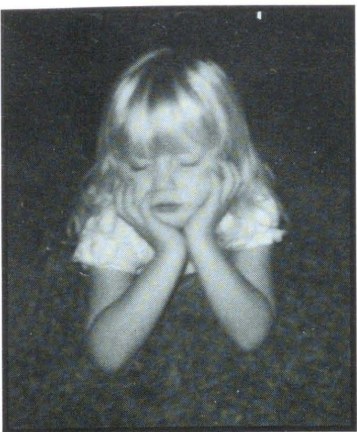
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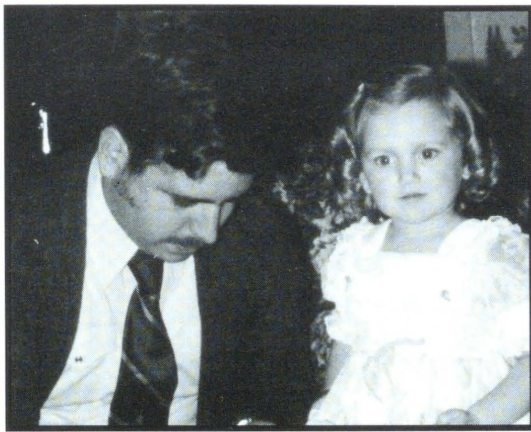
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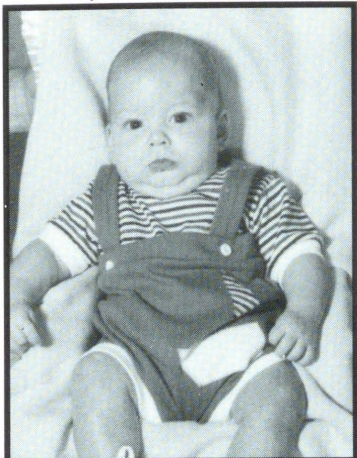
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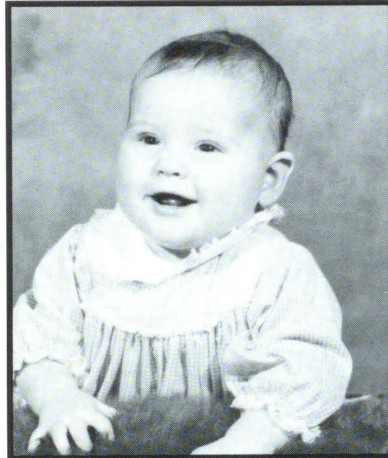
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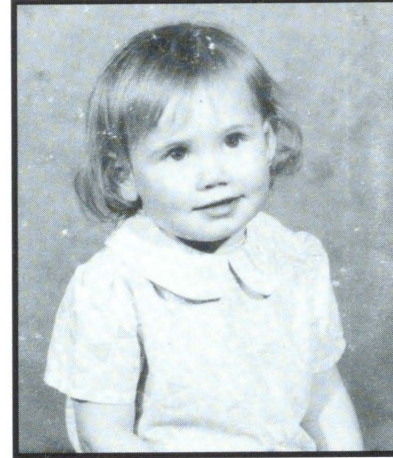
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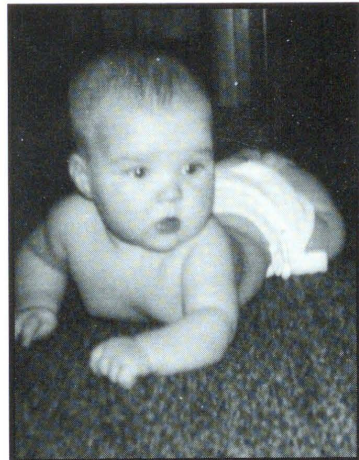
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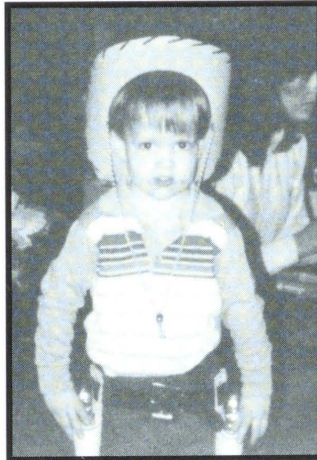
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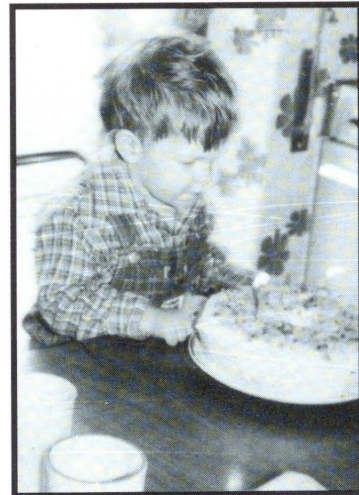
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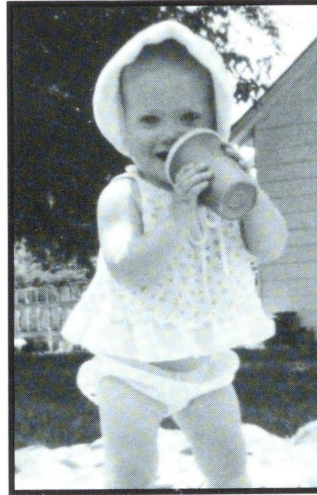
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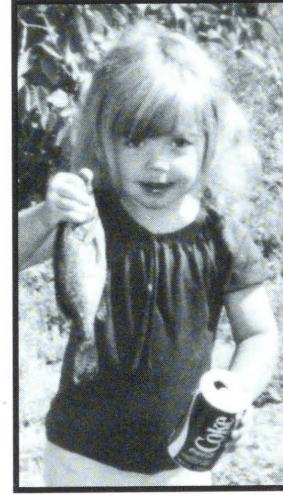
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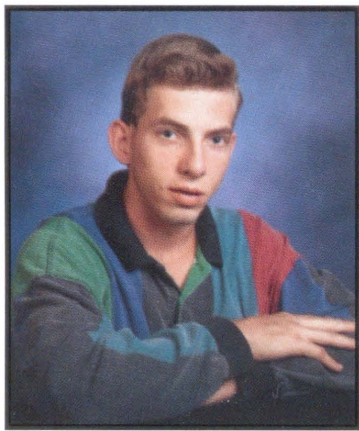
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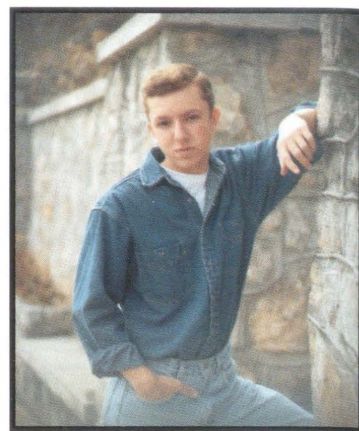
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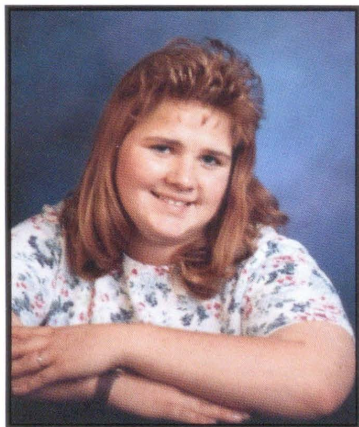
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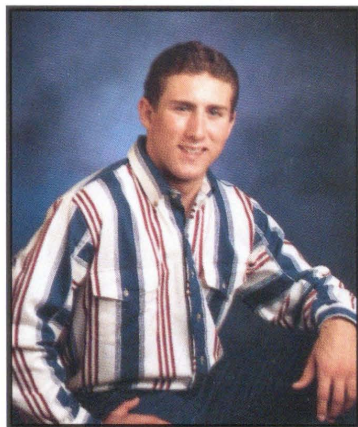
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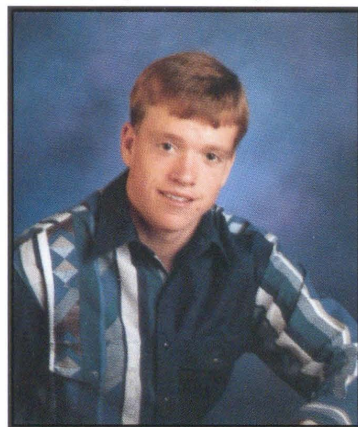
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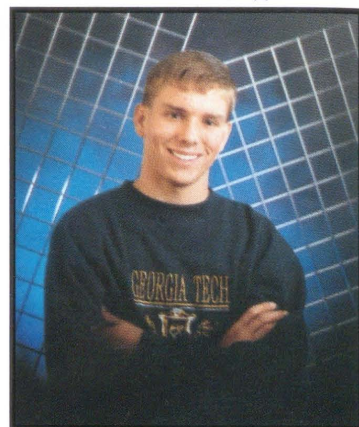
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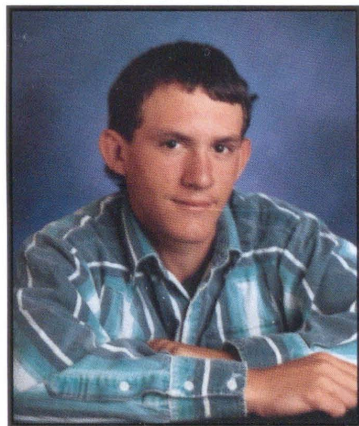
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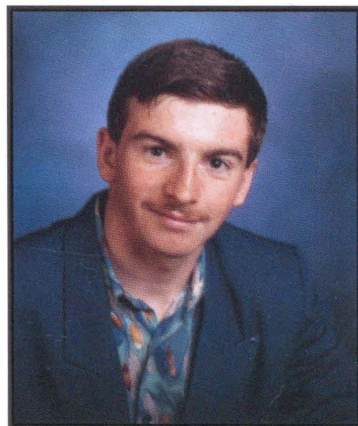
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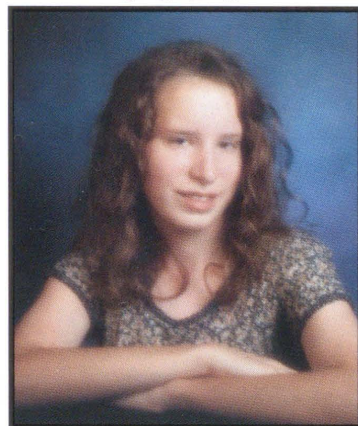
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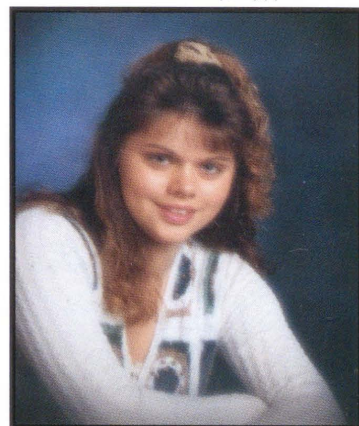
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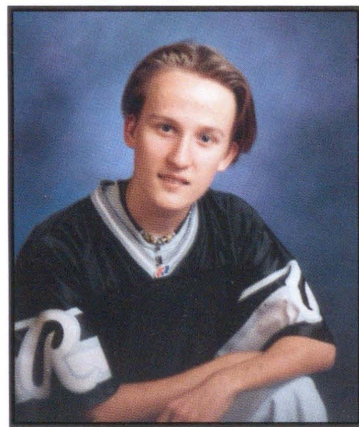
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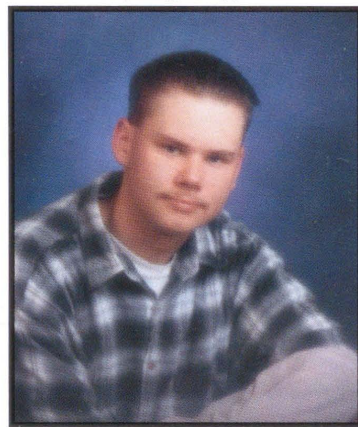
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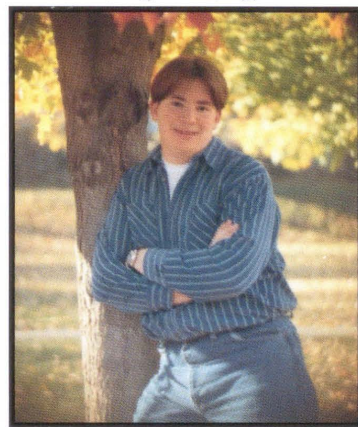
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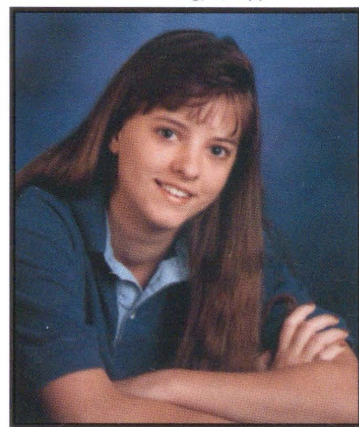
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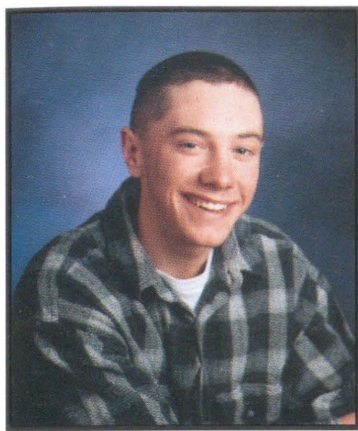
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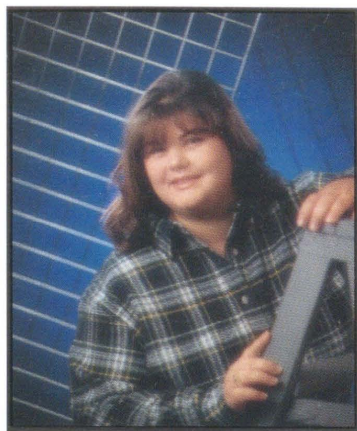
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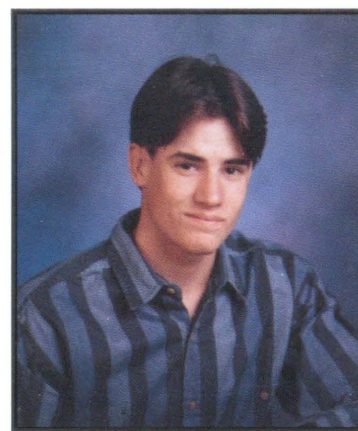
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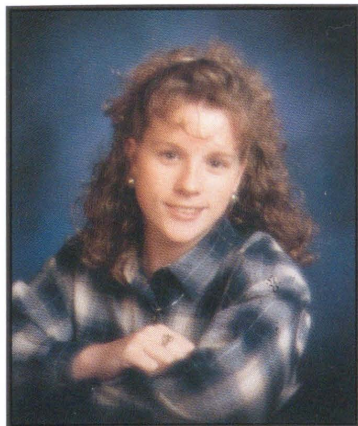
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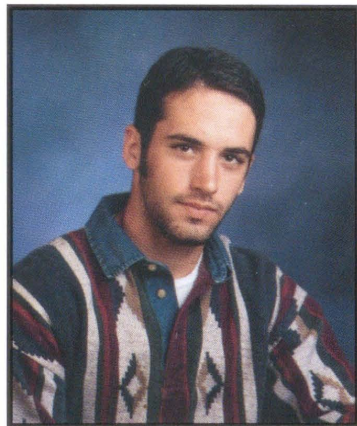
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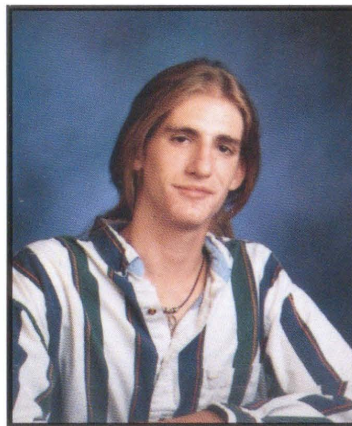
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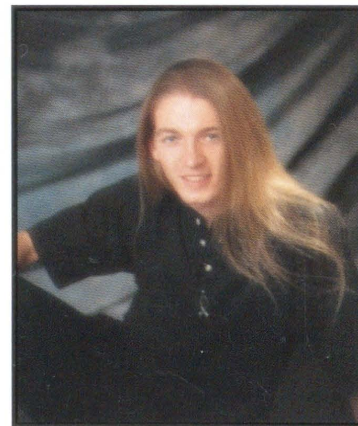
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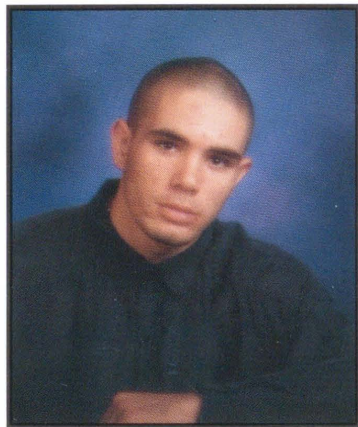
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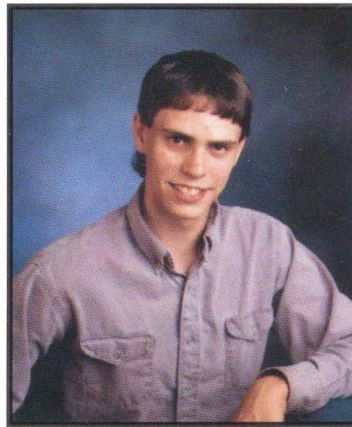
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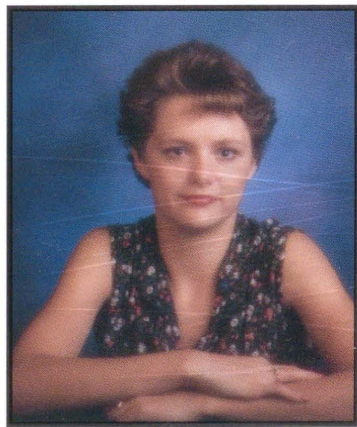
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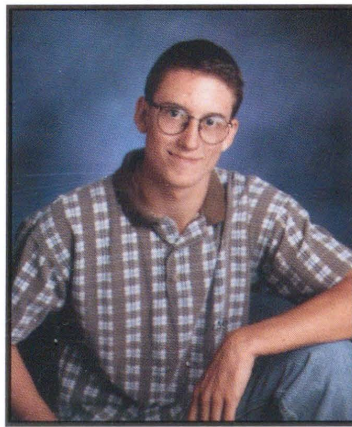
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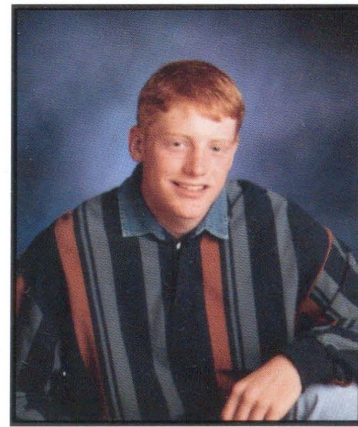
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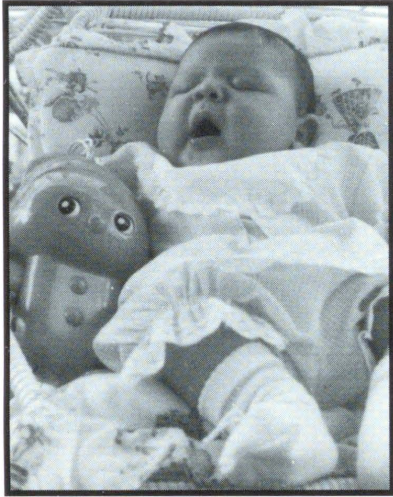
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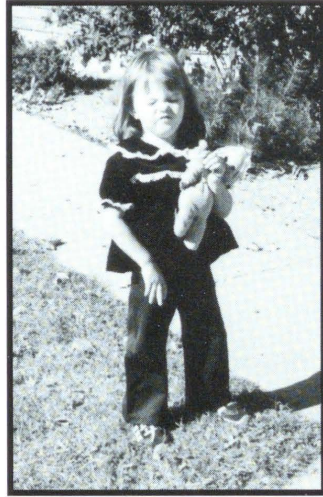
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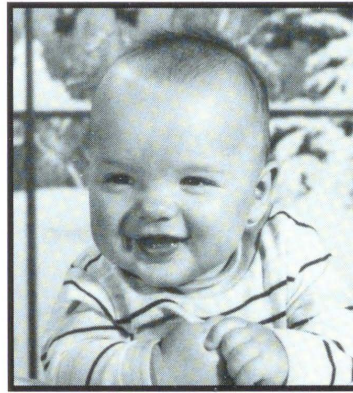
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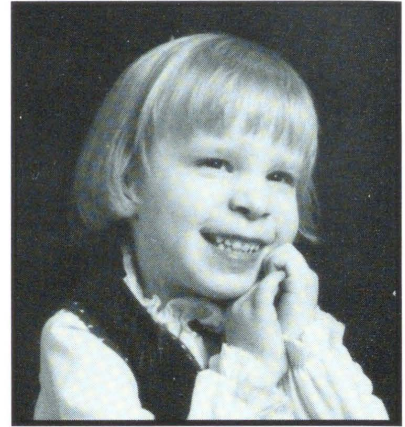
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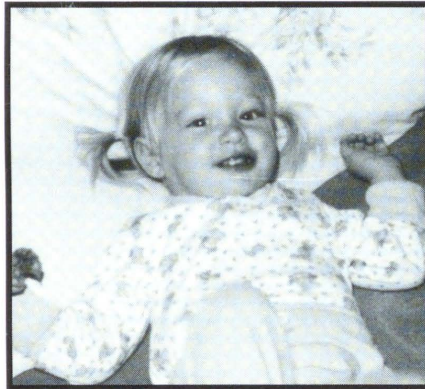
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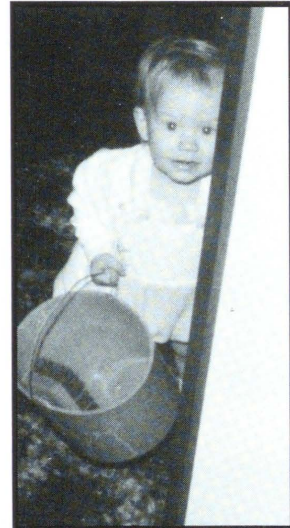
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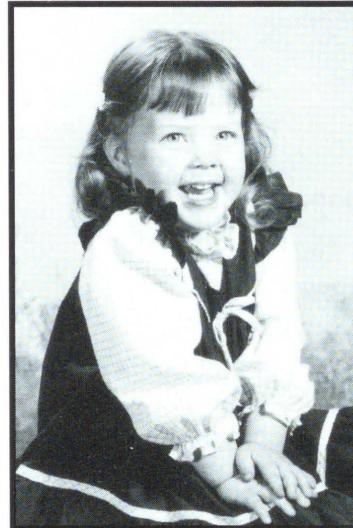
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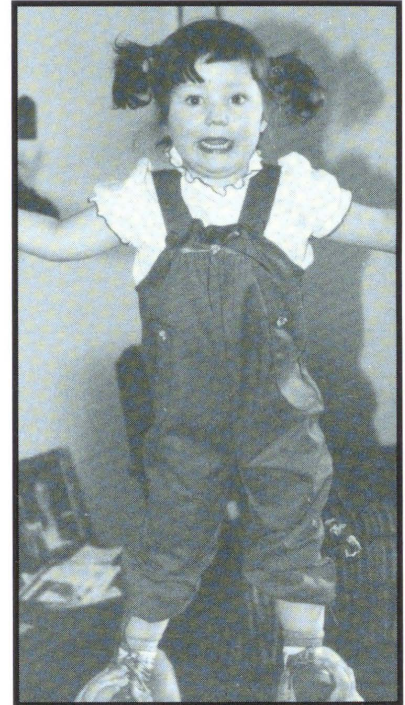
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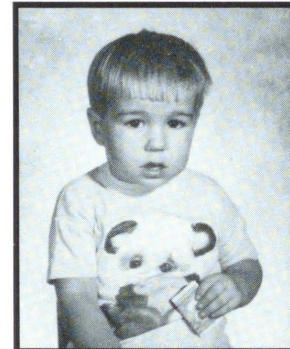
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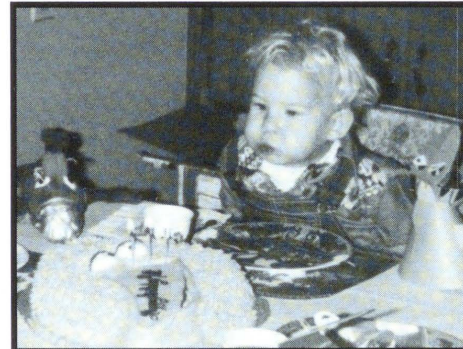
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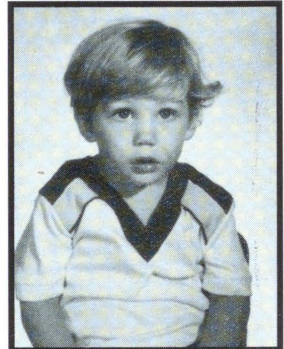
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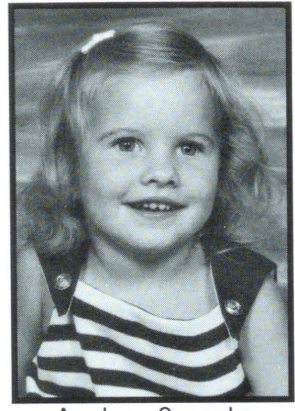
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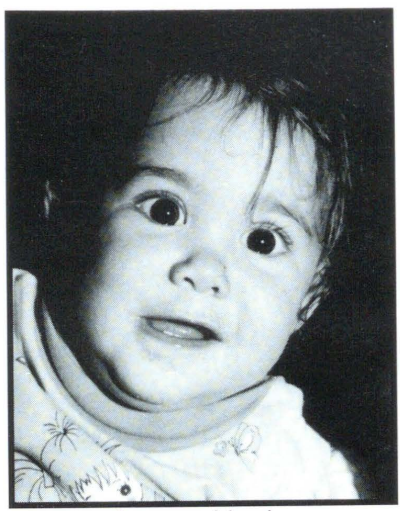
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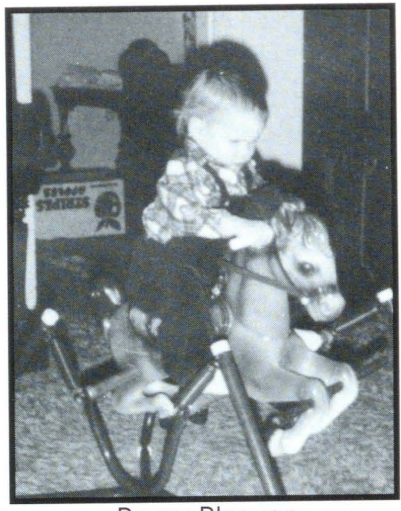
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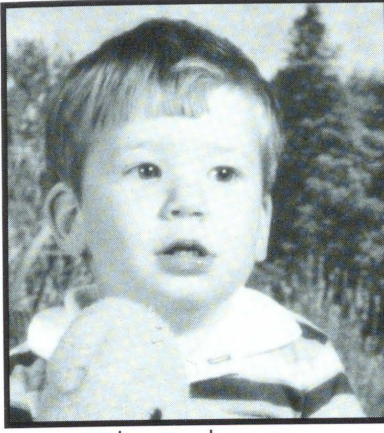
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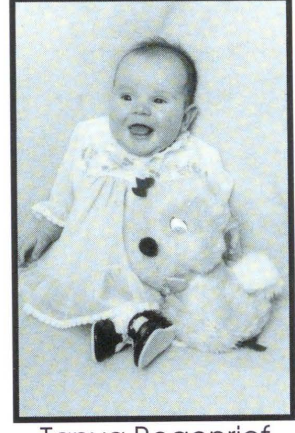
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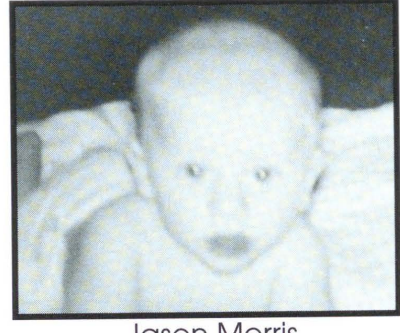
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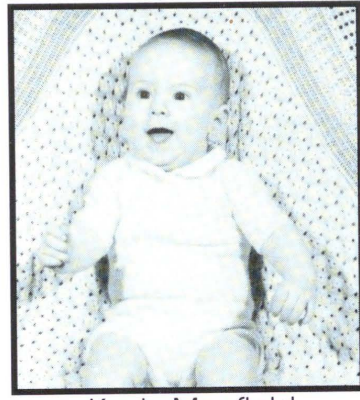
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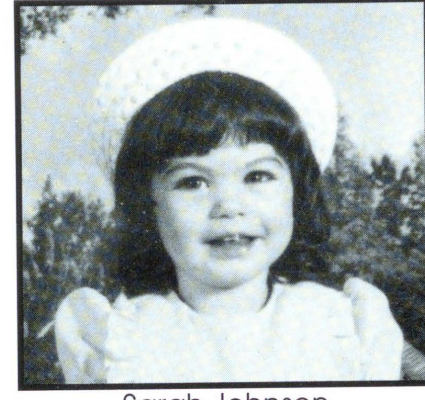
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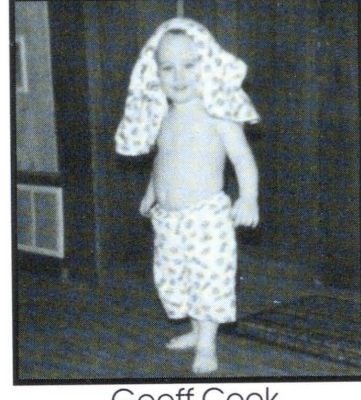
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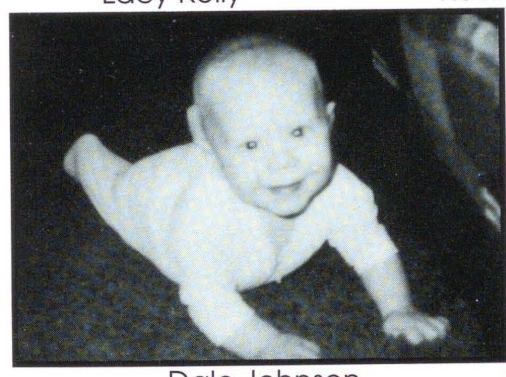
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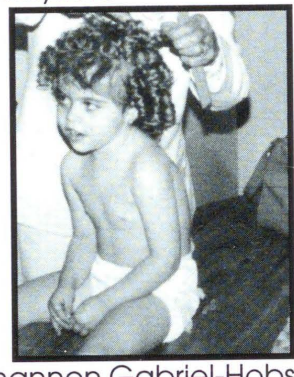
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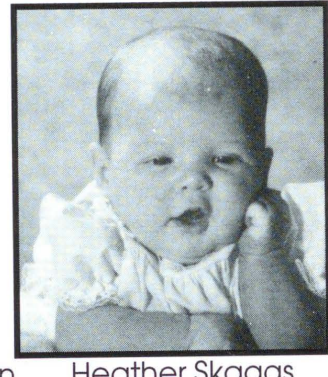
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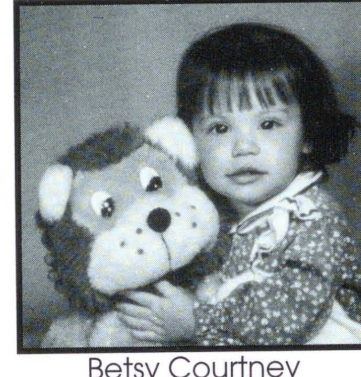
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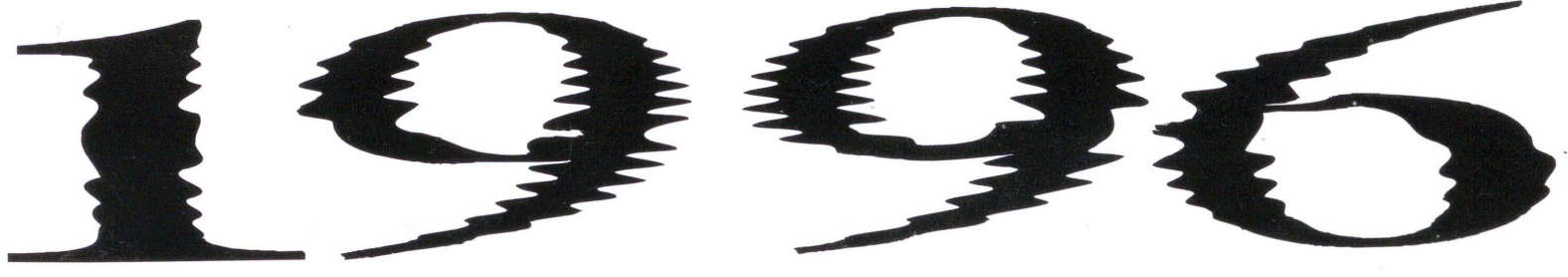
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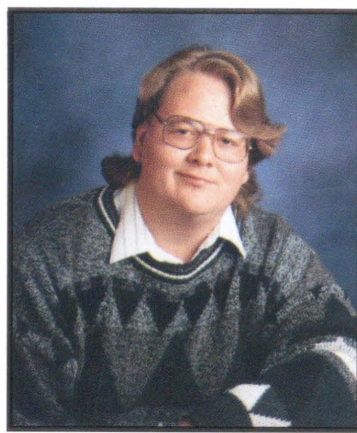


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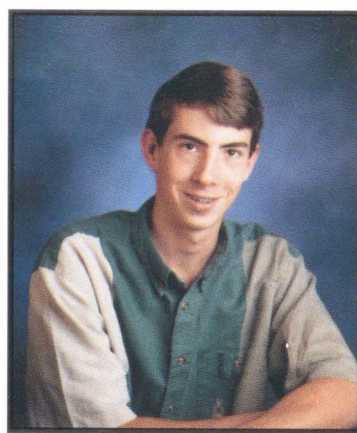




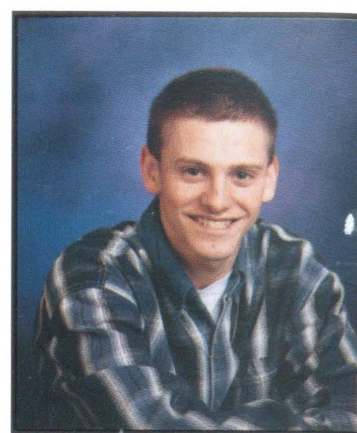
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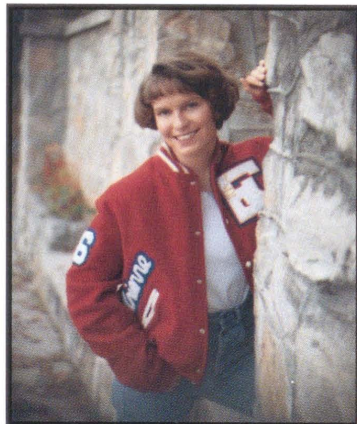
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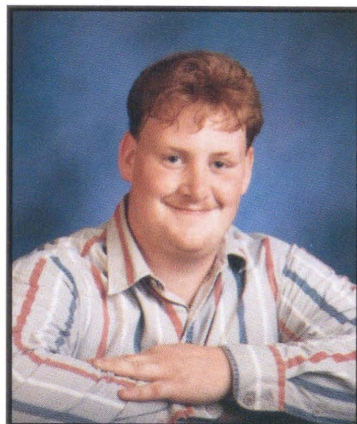
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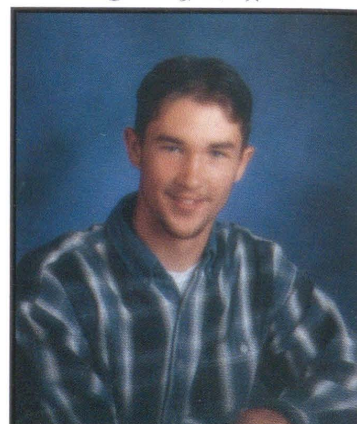
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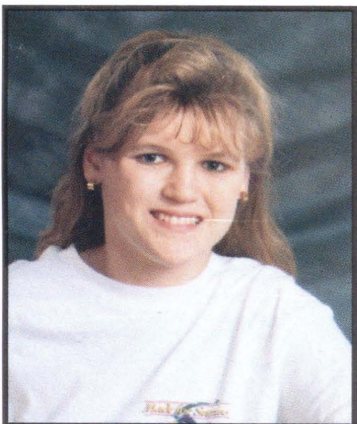
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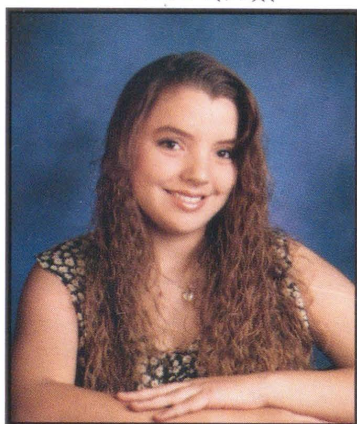
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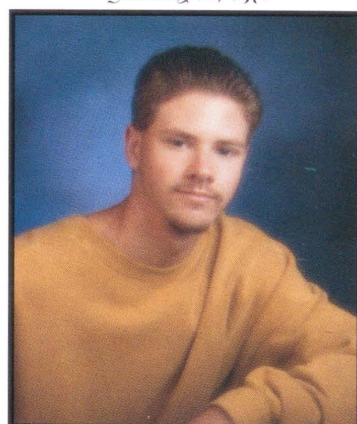
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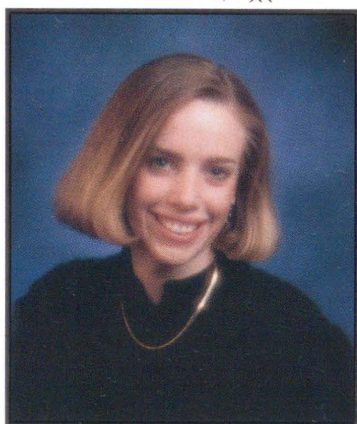
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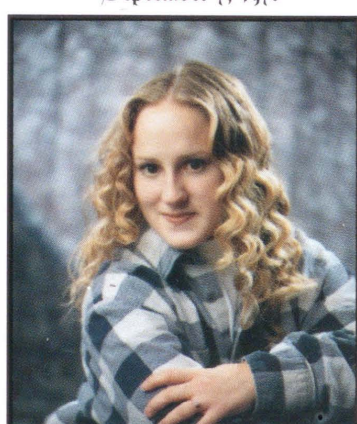
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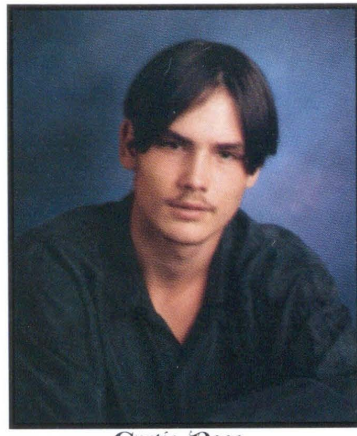
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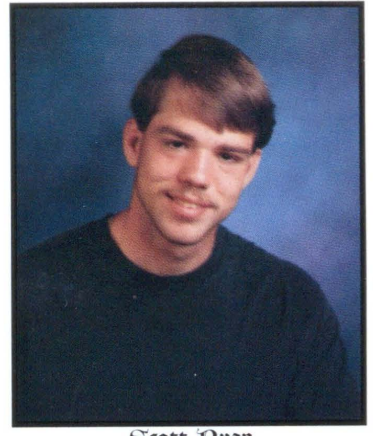
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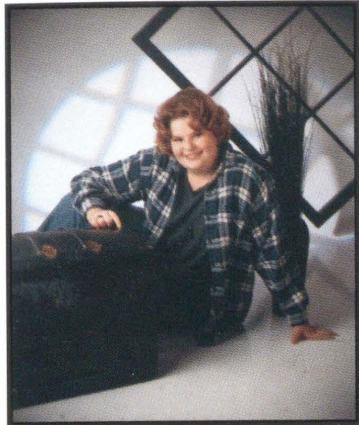
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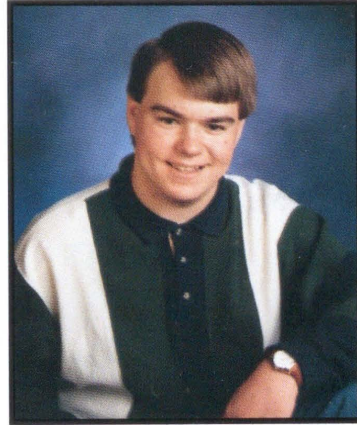
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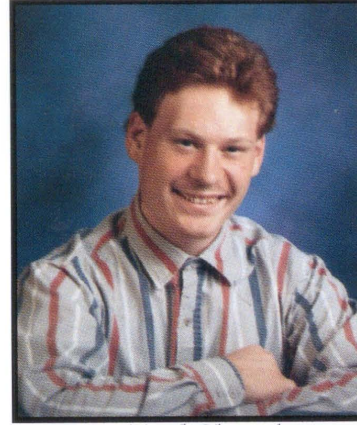
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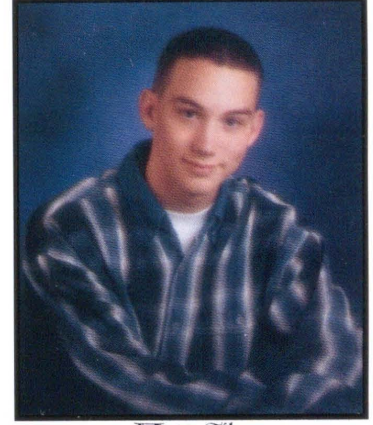
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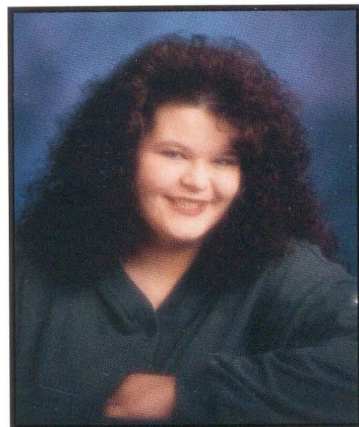
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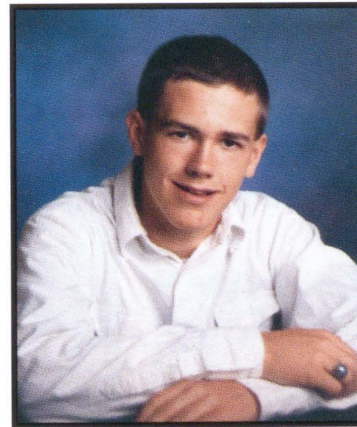
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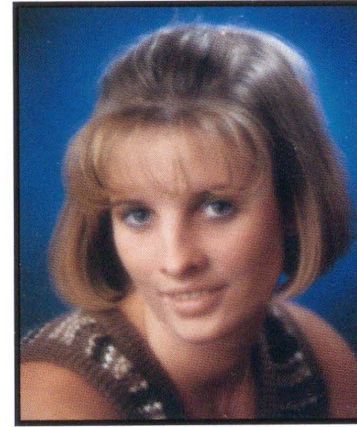
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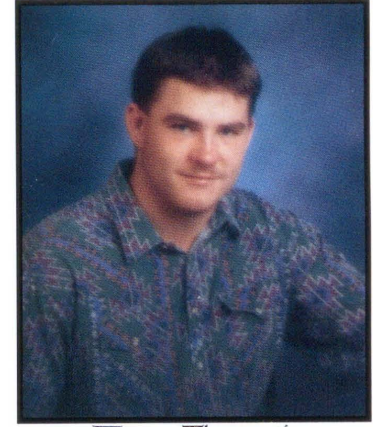
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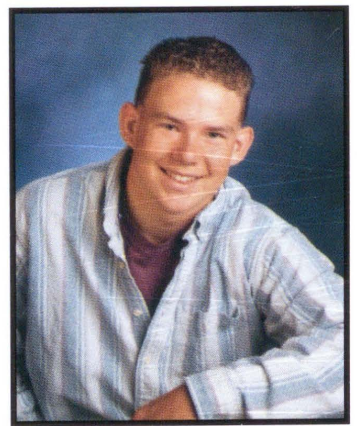
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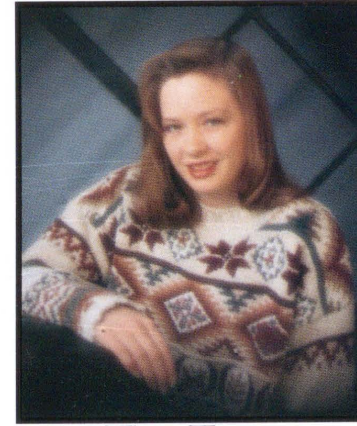
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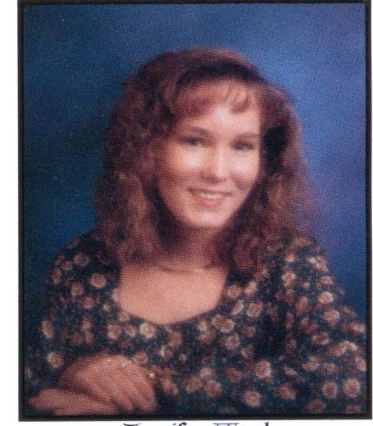
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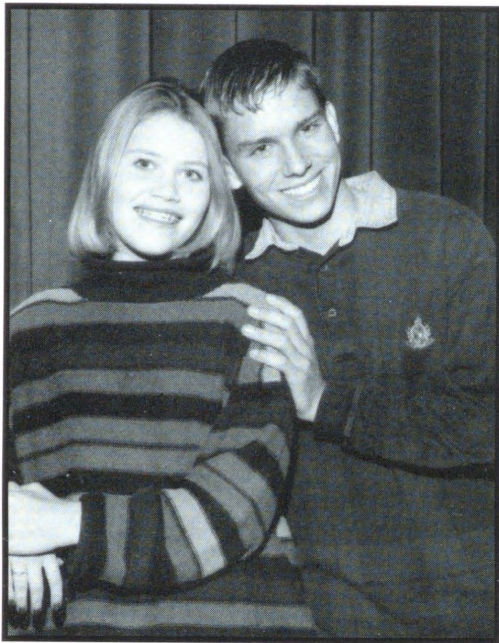
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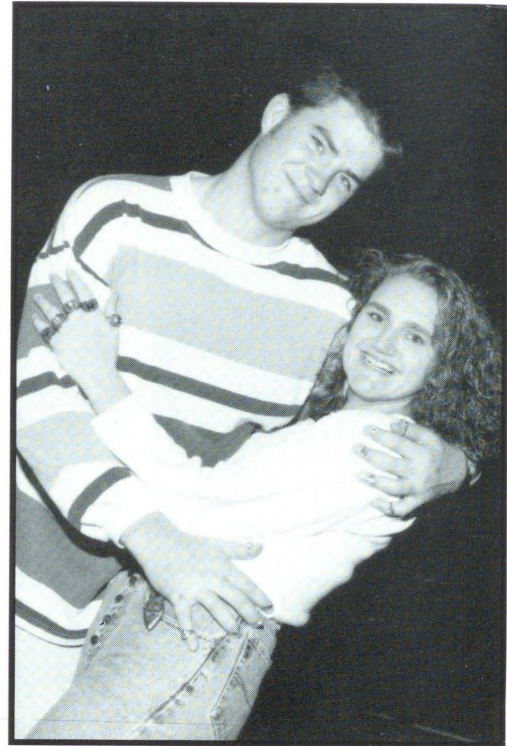


Best Personality
Leesa Cook and Joshua Hanes

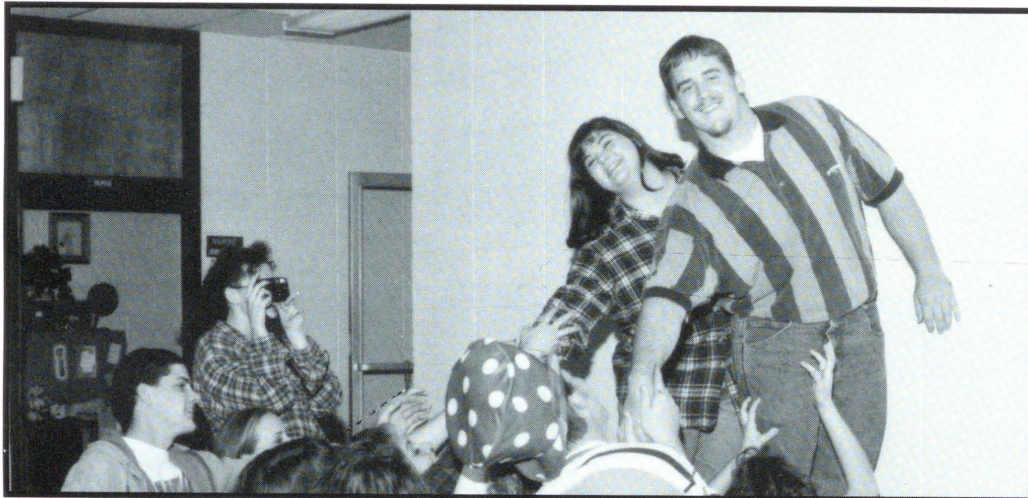


Prettiest Eyes
Sarah Yates and Joe Guinn

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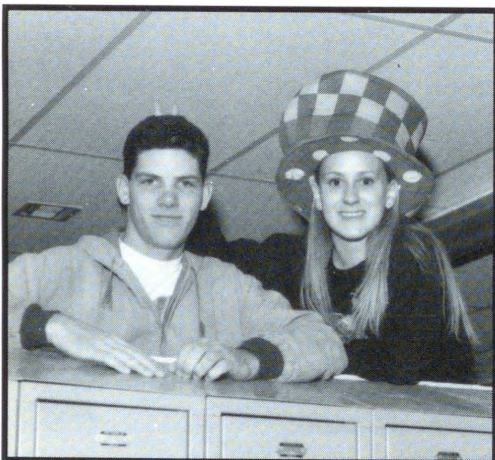


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Marcus Thogmartin & Kerri Richardson

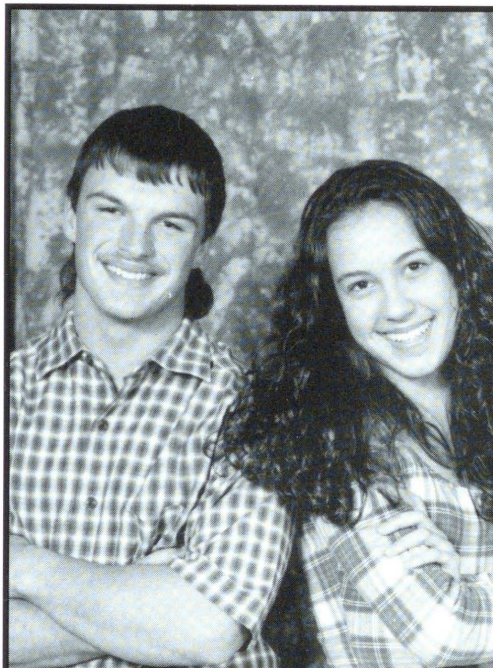


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Sarah Johnson and Geoff Cook

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Class Clown
Matt Ward and Erica Rakes

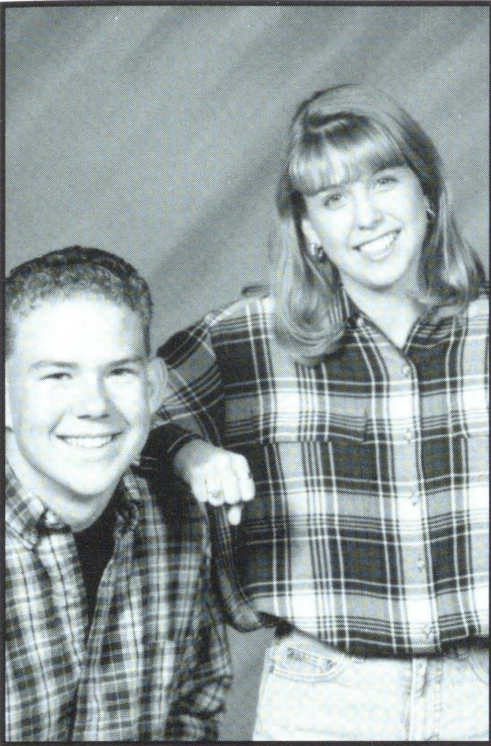


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Daniel Cullers and Laisa Lins

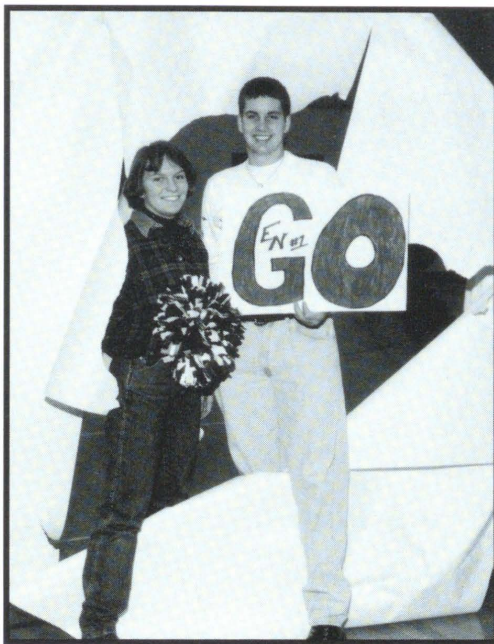


Most Talented
Michal Mathis and Jason James

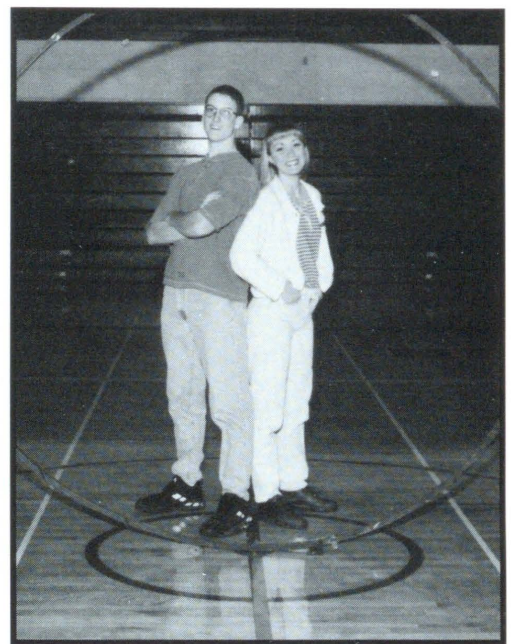
Who's Who



Best Dressed
Matt VanWinkle and Robyn Bowman



Most Spirit
Adrienne Nielsen and Shea Garren



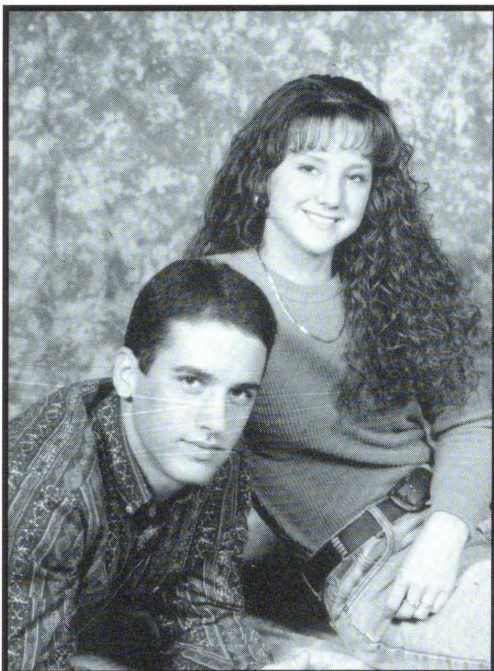
Best All Around
Kevin Mayfield and Yari Granda



Most Likely to Succeed
Terrell Shewmake and Rendi Thomlinson

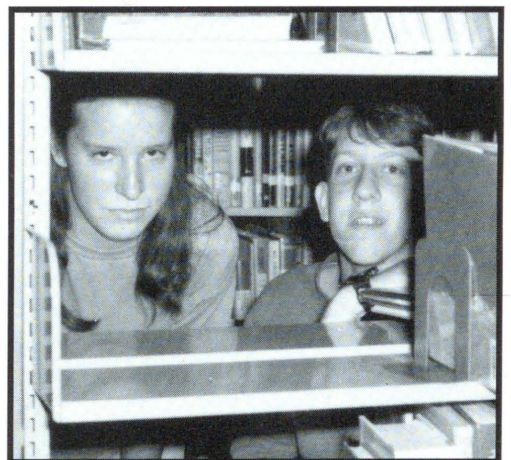


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Rusty McCool and Mindy Mosley

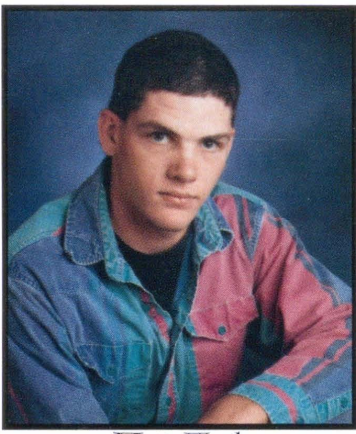


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Jeremy King and Lindsay McFarland

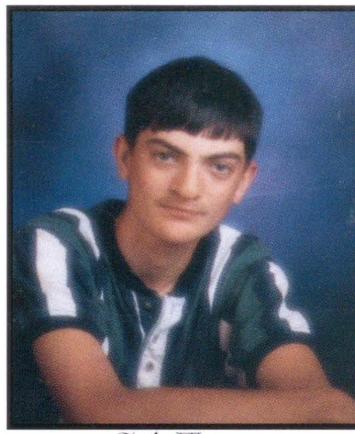
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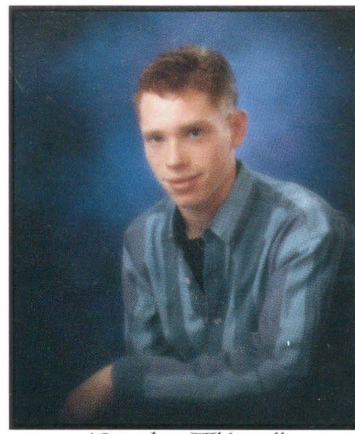
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Vicki Higginson and Alec Jordan



Matt Ward
February 9, 1978



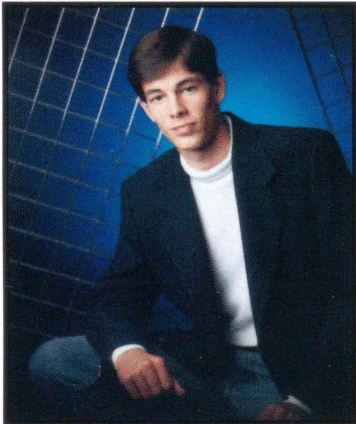
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June 18, 1978



Brandon Whitesell
December 5, 1977



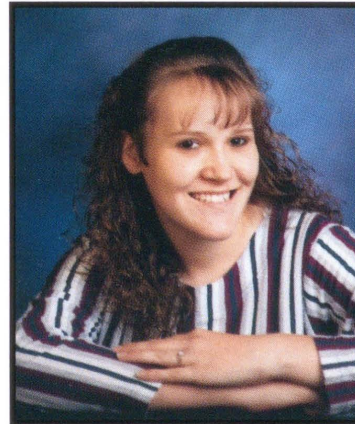
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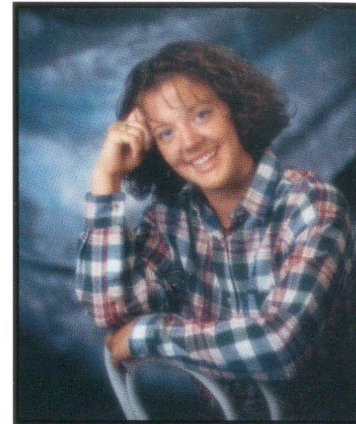
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Leany Wood
October 27, 1978



Becky Cormington
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July 27, 1978

Not
Pictured:

Jason Darch
September 10, 1977

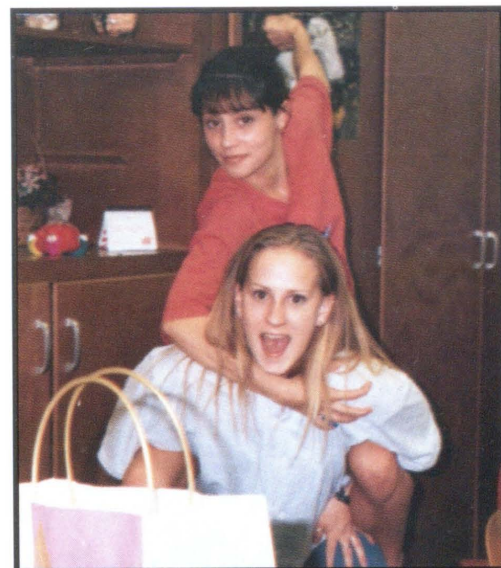
Steve Wirth
August 10, 1978



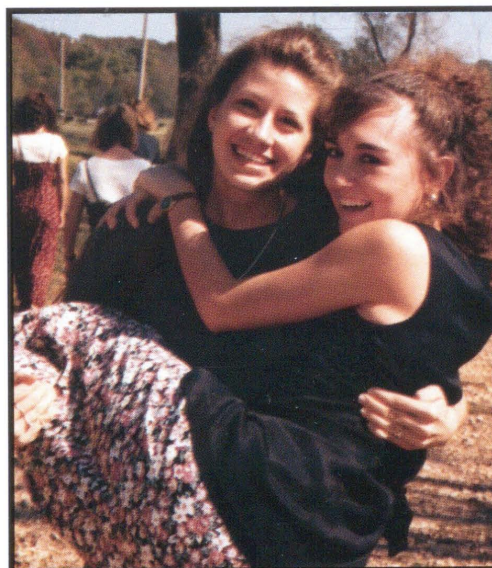
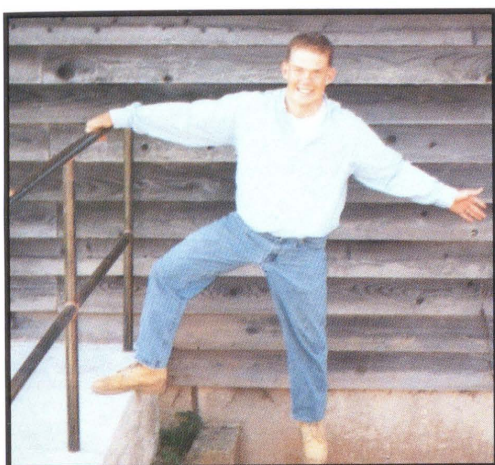
Class of 1996. Senior Class Officers: Jeremy King, Treasurer; Marcus Thogmartin, Secretary; Geoff Cook, President; Joe Guinn, Vice-President.

ninety six

Hi Ho Silver Away!!! Betsy Courtney and Erica Rakes show off their talent in the Home Economics Room.



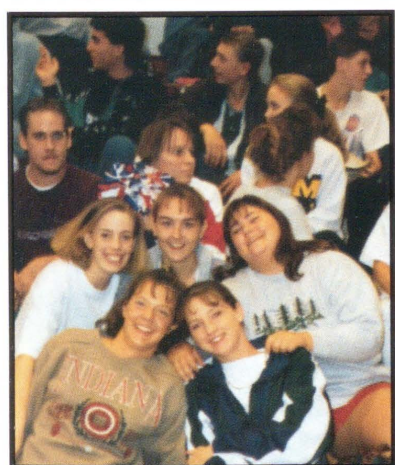
What a classy group. This group of seniors went to the Monett College day and on their way back stopped at Jolly Mill for a memorable afternoon.



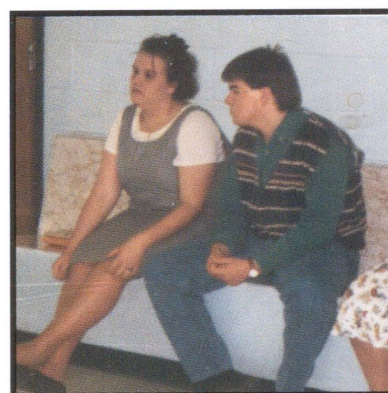
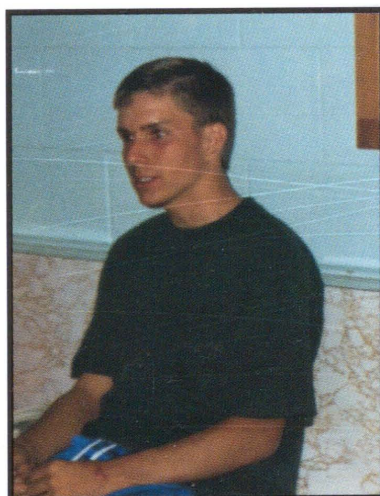
Hanging on for dear life, Matt VanWinkle portrays the dare devil inside of him.

Follow the yellow brick road, Vicki H., KaDee B., Laura A., and Rachel B., go for an exotic walk after a long day.

Giving a helpful lift, Michal M. uses her strength to carry Mindy M. across the creek.



Josh H. takes a breather from all the dancing he was doing at one of the school dances.



After a long day, Tanya B. and Terrell S., rest on the bench before going home.



Oh what a cold creek!! Sarah J. searches for her hidden shoes in a nearby tree stump.

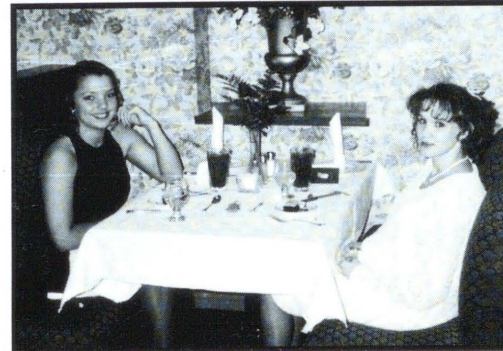
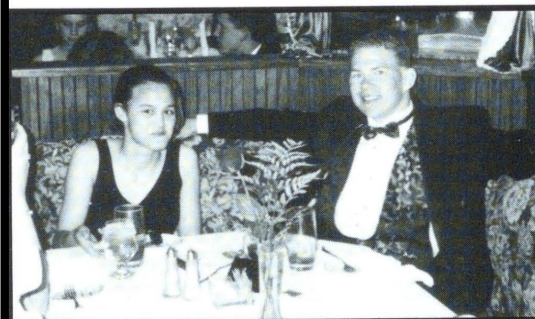
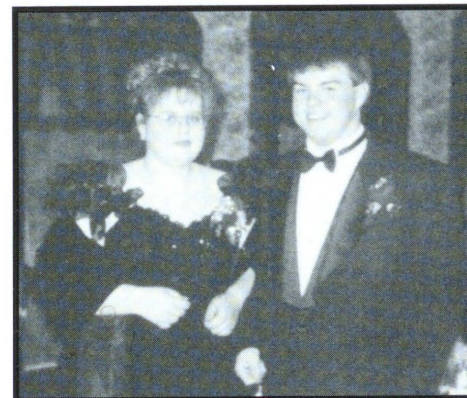
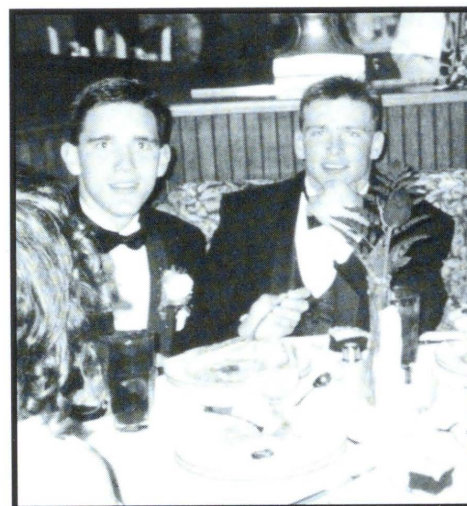
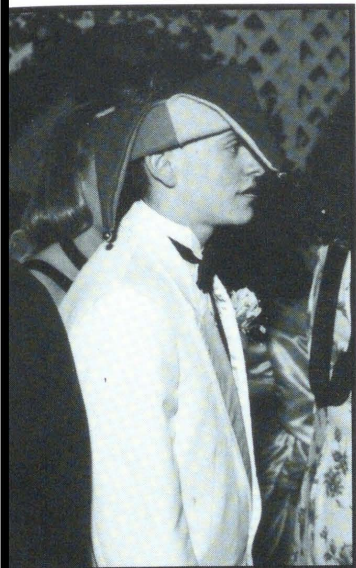
Keeping the spirit alive, Carrie P., Mindy M., Sarah J., Lindsay M., and Sarah Y., show that they are the most spirited.

Remember When's

Remember When. . .

- Leesa Cook and Beth Carter were pretending to give a strip tease and were caught "sweaters in the air" when a man walked into the auditorium and saw their faces, full of embarrassment.
- Tanya Bogenrief and Lori Letts were almost arrested for distracting the inmates in Newton County Jail.
- Chancy Brown and Marla Clarkson totaled out every car they had their junior year, and Becka Pendergraft just happened to always be with them.
- Tressa Ferguson had to wear a Ninja Turtle cast on her leg the entire first semester of her senior year.
- Janet Cooper gave Amalie Blalock an ex-lax bar and told her it was a candy bar. Janet felt bad so the next day she brought her a candy bar.
- Betsy Courtney followed Erica Rakes to her house in kindergarten and couldn't find her way home.
- Adam Meadows got his arm ran over by a bus in elementary school while chasing after a ball.
- Sarah Yates, Yari Granda, Lindsay McFarland, Sarah Johnson, and Annie Ouellet, from Canada, took a mud bath in Sarah J's freshly dug pond.
- Janet Cooper tripped the fire alarm and no one could turn it off.
- Robyn Bowman fell from a basket toss and received a concussion her sophomore year.
- Lindsay McFarland and Yari Granda were stuck in the Taco Bell parking lot after breaking their truck key in two. Then after being escorted to Wal-Mart by the police, finding out they couldn't have their key made, being hit on by really weird guys, running to a phone to find out it was dead, and being stranded in a hotel lobby they wait for some one to pick them up. What A Night!!
- J.J. Lane got suspended on the first day of school for sagging his pants.
- Betsy Courtney lost her skirt during a drill team performance at a pep rally and kept on dancing.
- Adam Meadows fell on Alec Jordan in Jr. High P. E. and Alec had an asthma attack.
- Lacy Kelly and Michal Mathis broke a teeter-totter at the grade school when they were Juniors.
- Everybody would ride in Sarah Johnson's Tracker in the freezing cold with the top off.
- Shannon Reynolds let Rendi Thomlinson and Adrienne Nielsen take her truck their sophomore year. Rendi had just gotten her license and neither her nor Adrienne knew how to get gas. It took them almost a half an hour to put five dollars worth of gas in their tank.
- Lacy Kelly, Michal Mathis, and Sarah Johnson went ice-skating in Sarah's pool. Sarah thought she could float on a piece of ice, like they do in cartoons, and fell in.
- Miranda Ford put some of Jason James' itching powder down John Tidwell, one of their eighth grade classmates', shorts.
- A group of seniors went to Springfield to go "spook housing," and all twenty of them packed into one horse and sang country songs at the top of their lungs, while traveling from one spook house to the other.
- The Varsity Volleyball girls' performed their famous skit at the summer CMSU Volleyball camp starring Sarah Yates as Forest Gump, Yari Granda as Jenny, and the rest of the team as a loud, taunting truck. Remember how much fun it was making this skit up, practicing it, and how bad our stomachs hurt from laughing so much.
- Marcus Thogmartin and Geoff Cook showed their outrageous talent by singing "Sloppy Joe" in the talent show their junior year.
- Sarah Johnson and Yari Granda went to Little Rock for the FHA Cluster meetings on Halloween and couldn't leave their hotel room because of the threat of gangs.
- Jason James and Carrie Presley melted red-orange crayons on Mr. Randolph's radiator heater.
- Kerri Richardson ran into the side gate at the school while trying to turn into the parking lot because she was late for cheerleading practice.

Several Precious Moments



A Precious Moment

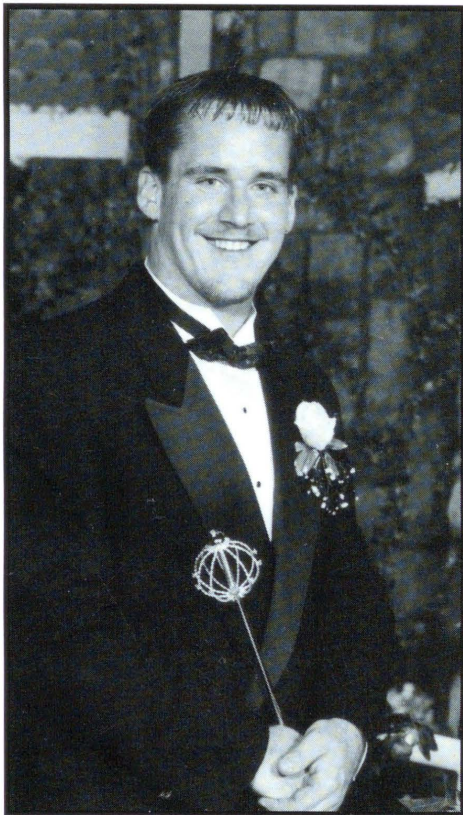
The 1995-96 Junior/Senior Prom was held April 20th at Precious Moments in Carthage. The theme was *A Precious Moment*, and the colors were silver and hunter green.

The crowning ceremony was held at 7:30 p.m. and the dance was from 8:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. Sound Explosion returned as our D.J. again this year. The Prom candidates for king were Seniors Geoff Cook, Daniel Cullers, and Billy Davison. The queen candidates were Seniors Rachel Bish, Sarah Johnson, and Sarah Yates. The 1995-96 Prom King and Queen were Geoff Cook and Sarah Yates. Sarah was crowned by last year's Queen, Lou Anna Hanes.

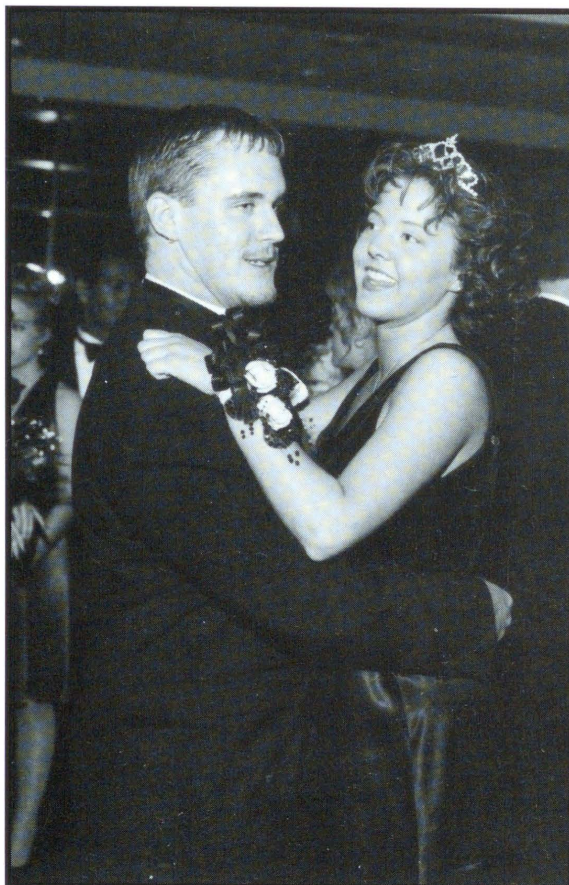
Mindy Turner



Prom King and Queen Geoff Cook and Sarah Yates



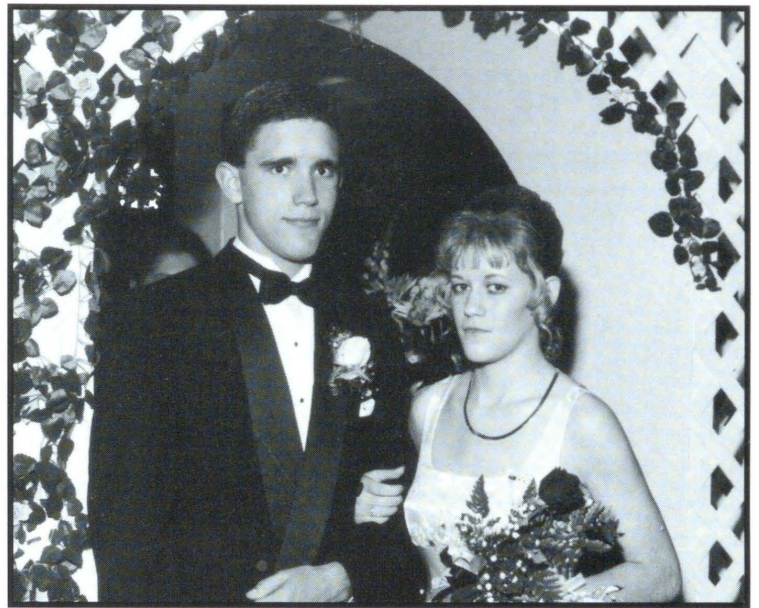
King Geoff Cook



Queen Sarah Yates



Senior Geoff Cook escorted by Mindy Turner



Senior Rachel Bish escorted by Tim Gripka



Senior Daniel Cullers escorted by Deidera Clouse



Senior Sarah Johnson escorted by Jake Hobson



Senior Billy Davison escorted by Stephanie Bailey



Senior Sarah Yates escorted by Bill Hulick

Before the reality, there is a dream.

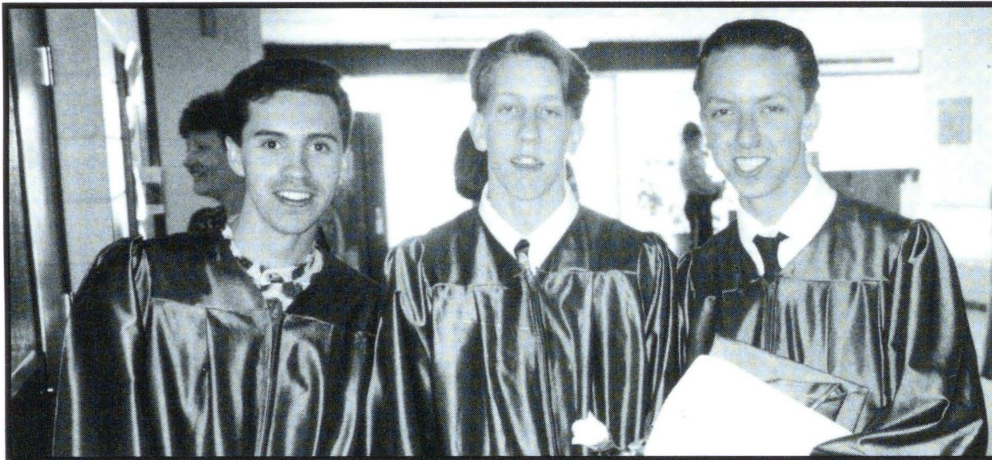
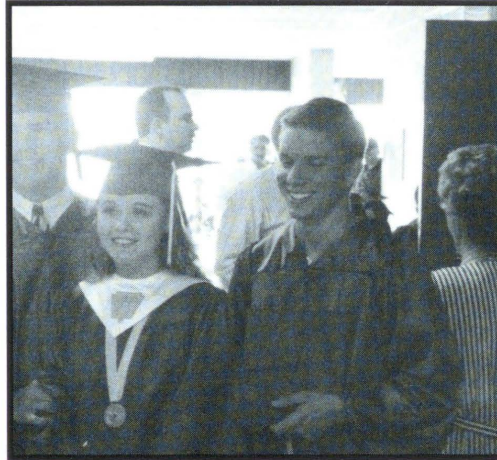
East Newton Baccalaureate services were held in the East Newton High School gymnasium on Sunday, May 5, 1996, at 7:00 P.M. The processional was performed by the East Newton band and the invocation was given by M. Mathis. "This Day," was performed by L. Cook and T. Bogenrief. The sermon was given by Tom Casady of Sweetwater Baptist Church and L. Cook gave the Benediction to close the service.

Commencement was held in the East Newton High School gymnasium on May 12, 1996 at 2:00 P.M. The Processional was performed by the East Newton band and the invocation was given by T. Bogenrief, addresses were given by Rendi Thomlinson-Valedictorian and Laura Abeln-Salutatorian. Don Johnston, first principal of East Newton, addressed the seniors on the pyramid of success.

Seniors sang a song "Remember Me this Day," T. Shewmake gave the Benediction.
Amber Gorman

The first principal of East Newton High School, Don Johnston, waits to make his address.

M. VanWinkle, R. Thomlinson and J. Hanes wait for the beginning of Commencement.



T. Benton, A. Jordan, and B. Gray take time out to pose for one last picture.

"Which side was this thing supposed to go on," says D. Cullers, "it just doesn't want to stay."

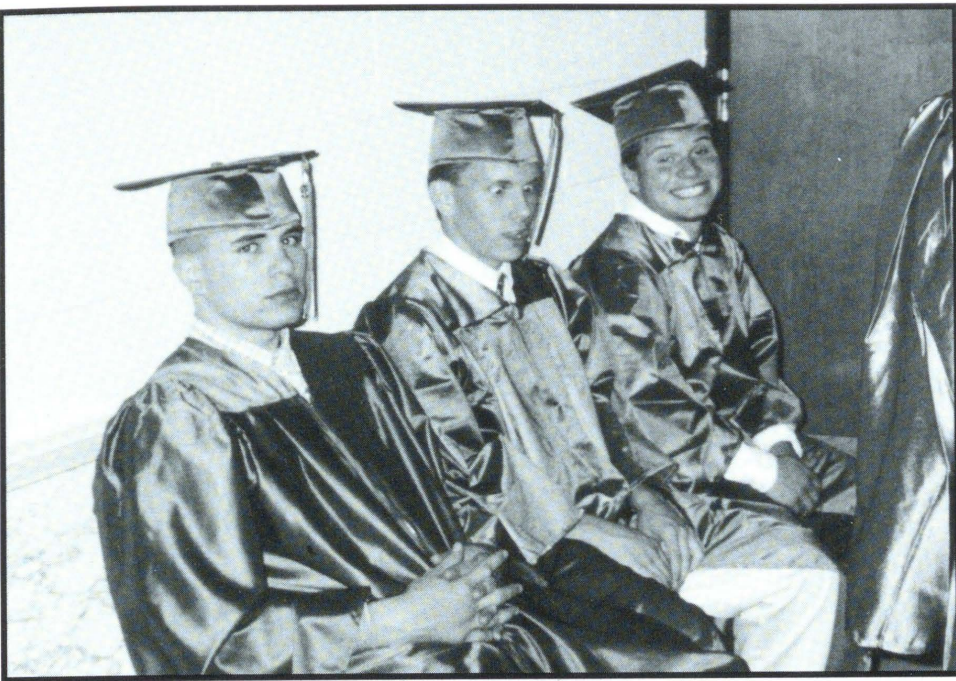


Best Friends since grade school S. Yates and S. Johnson take their picture now as East Newton alumni.



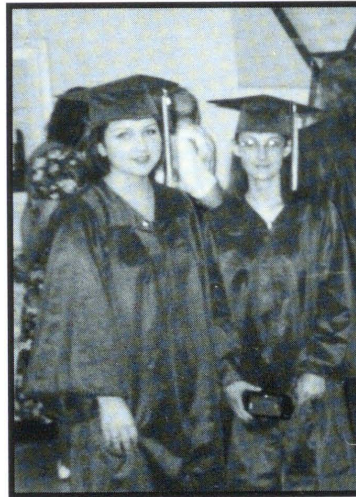
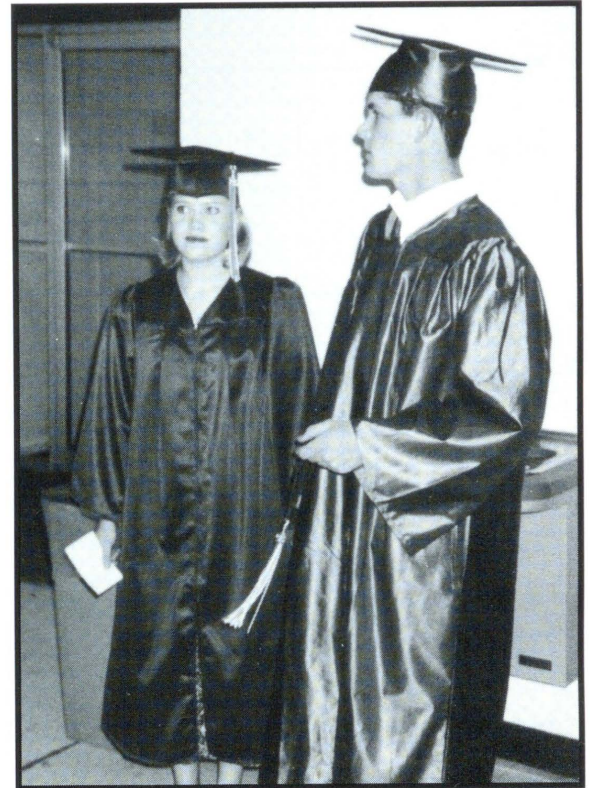
C. Presley proudly displays her broken hand after the graduation ceremony.





The three stooges, Larry, Moe, and Curly - J. Lane, J. Hanes and B. Davison decide to veg out.

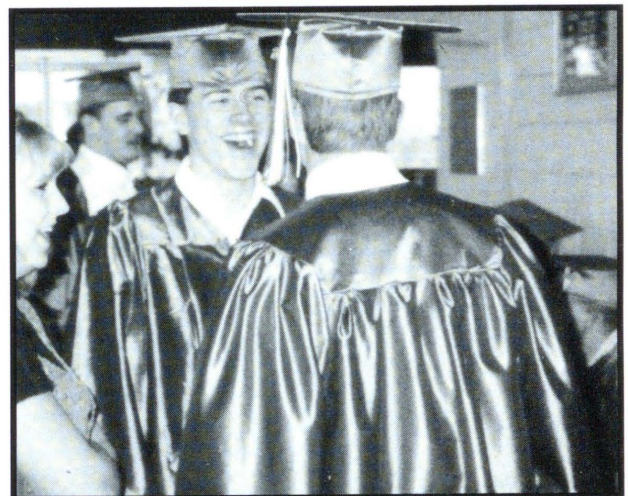
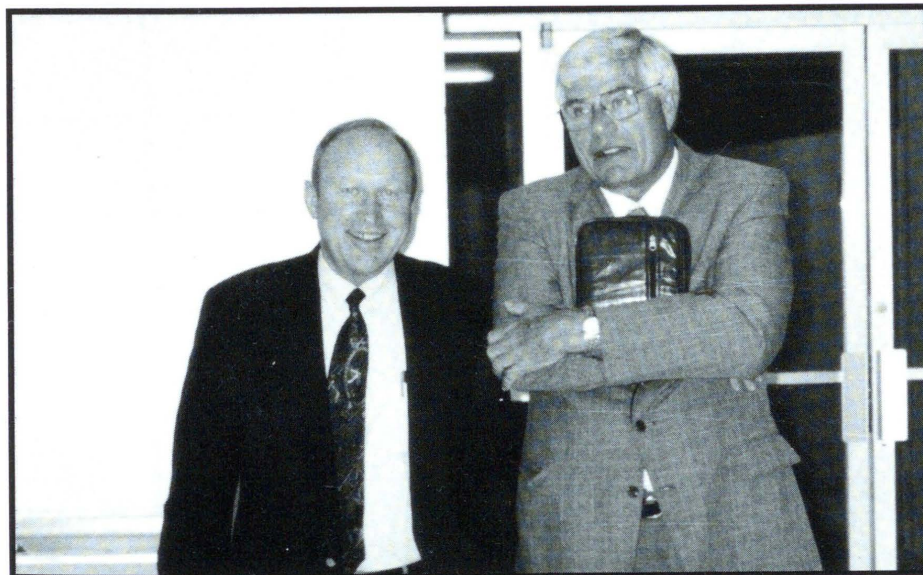
Looking just a little nervous, Lessa Cook and Matt Ward wait for the beginning of Baccalaureate.



Sitting together the last time as seniors, Kevin Mayfield and Lacy Kelly talk over their future plans.

The speaker, Reverend Tom Casady, waits with Superintendent Doyle Price for the beginning of Baccalaureate.

Tressa Ferguson and Vicky Bronson pose for a picture during Baccalaureate.



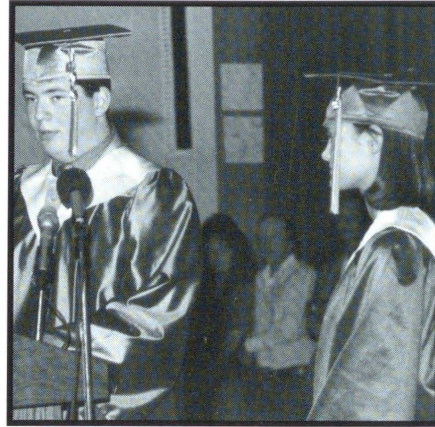
Happy to be graduating, Jay Stewart shows his abundant amount of enthusiasm.

GOODBYE GRADS!



Rendi Thomlinson, Valedictorian, gives her speech to an overwhelming crowd at graduation emphasizing that hard work will take you where you want to go.

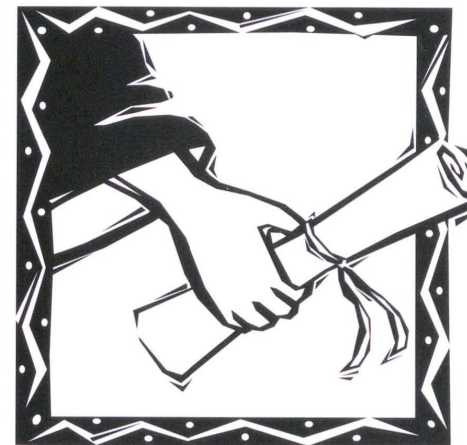
Laura Abeln, Salutatorian, finally lost more than her marbles, she lost her voice a day before graduation forcing Jason James to say her speech.



Remember me this way!! The Senior Choir sings the theme song from the movie "Casper," hoping that the message of friendship would reach the class of 1996 and that each graduate would remember all the memories that they shared with their friends.



The cure to a 13 year depression, graduation stirs joyous emotions among the 99 graduating seniors, one of the biggest graduating classes ever, as they throw their hats while squirting silly string and making much noise. CONGRATULATIONS AND GOOD LUCK GRADUATES- YOU DESERVE IT!!!



Graduates readily received their diplomas from Jim Riggs during commencement on May 12, 1996, Mother's Day, as shown by Jason James.



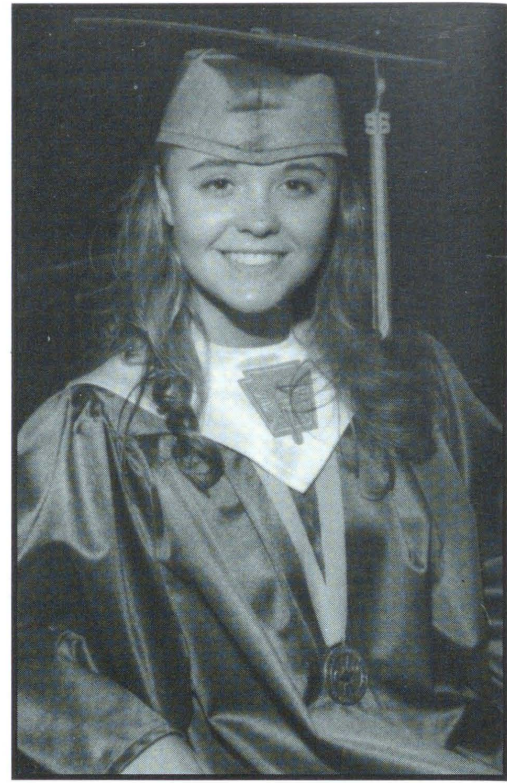


Formal Senior Group



Front: Jason James, Rendi Thomlinson, Laura Abeln, Carrie Presley, Michal Mathis, Yari Granda, Sarah Johnson, Adrienne Nielsen, Amber Swartz, Terrell Shewmake, 2nd: Daniel Cullers, Billy Davison, Dawn Brady, Heather Skaggs, Vicki Bronson, Miranda Oxendine, Erica Rakes, Shannon Mathis, Robyn Bowman, Shannon Hobson, Leesa Cook, Jennifer Ward, Brandie Williams, Eric Harris, Eric Hagedon, 3rd: Joe Guinn, Jason Darch, Crystal Alexander, Selinda Clevenger, Chancy Brown, Tressa Ferguson, Leigh Arnall, KaDee Ball, Rachel Bish, Vicki Higginson, Amalie Blalock, Wisper Wagner, Betsy Courtney, Janet Cooper, Tammy Jerome, Lacy Kelly, Chris Fosdick, Rusty McCool, 4th: Shea Garren, Jeremy King, Kerri Richardson, Becky Wormington, Shannon Bridgewater, Sheila Mathis, India Bowers, Tanya Bogenrief, Jenny Putman, Sabrina Gerbaldo, Laisa Lins, Lindsay McFarland, Sarah Yates, Sarah Scott, Mindy Mosley, Brian Gray, 5th: James Baldwin, Seth Wasson, Marcus Thogmartin, Geoff Cook, Josh Hanes, Peter Jordan, J.J. Lane, Steve Wirth, Matt Van Winkle, Matt Siler, Michael Gasche, Wesley Fitzgerald, Thomas Benton, 6th: Mickey Osborn, David Feiser, Nathan Blinzler, Brent Harris, Beau Blewer, Brandon Whitesell, Ryan Willis, Jason Morris, Skeeter Lamp, Jay Stewart, Jared Shewmaker, Johnny Jacobs, Alec Jordan, Mike Hopper, Daniel Fosdick, 7th: Derric Lollar, Shaun Phillips, Leany Woods, Matt Ward, Dale Johnson, Curtis Rose, Phillip Parker, Kevin Mayfield, Shane Kyger, Jason Olinghouse, Brian Mohn.

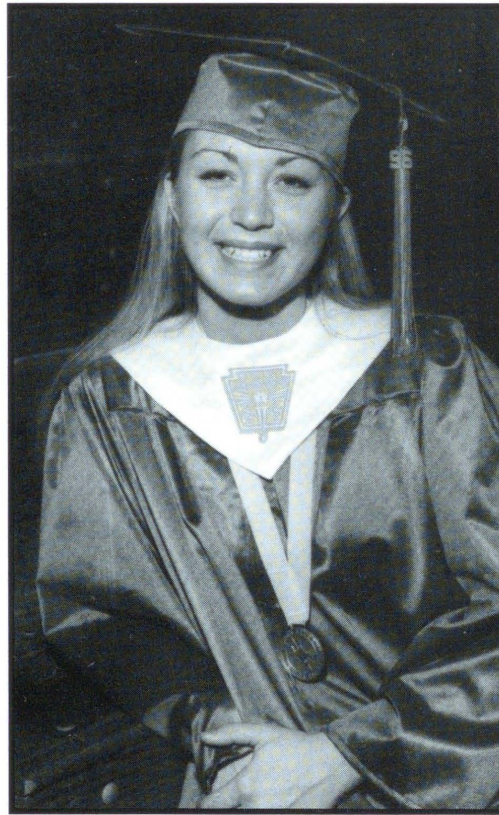
Top Ten



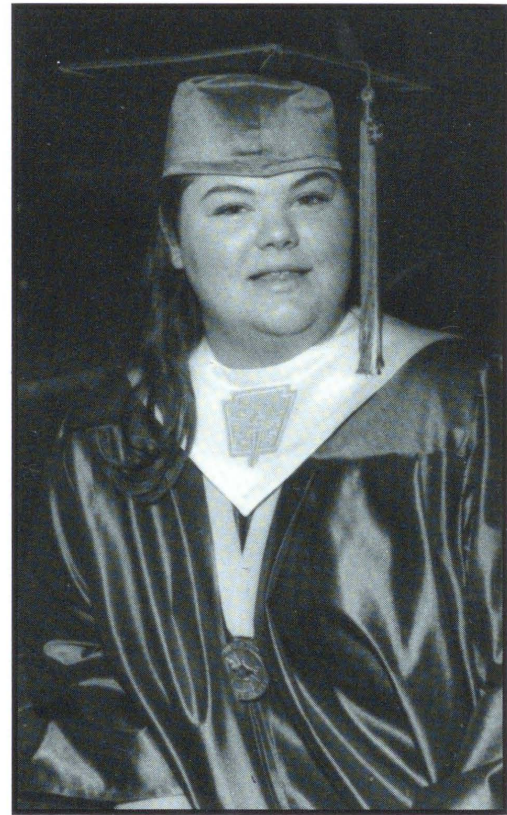
Rendi Thomlinson
Valedictorian



Amber Swartz
5th



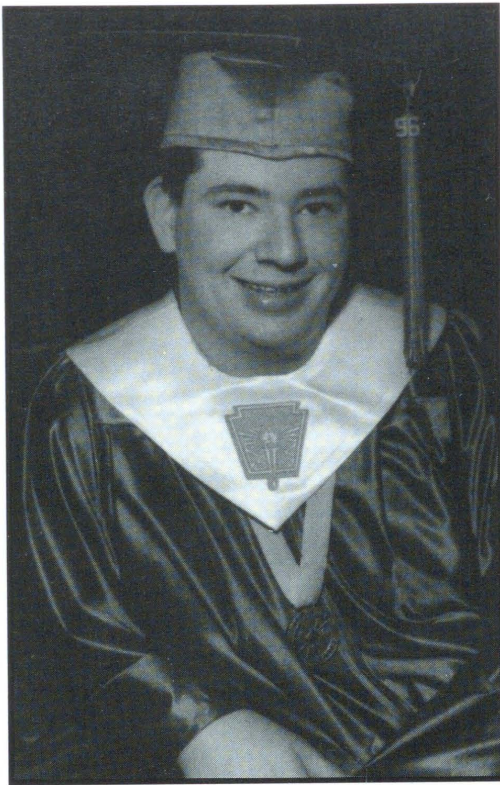
Yari Granda
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Sarah Johnson
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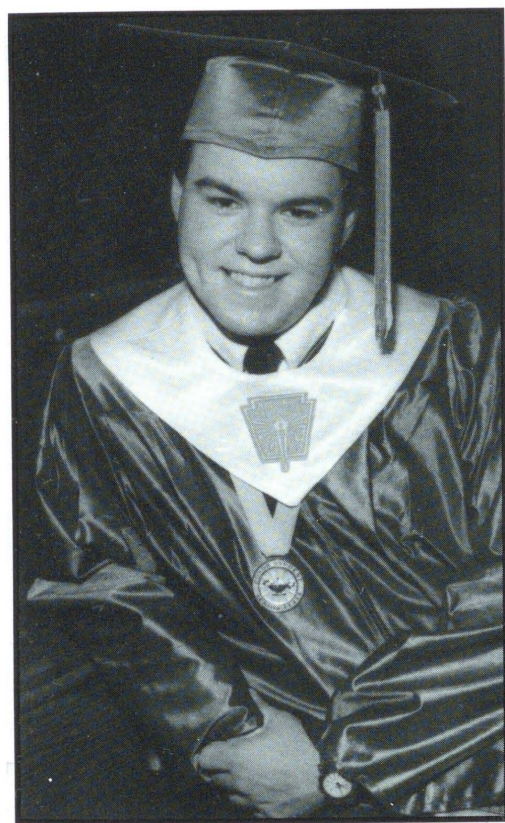
Laura Abeln
Salutatorian



Jason James
3rd



Adrienne Nielsen
4th



Terrell Shewmake
8th



Michal Mathis
9th



Carrie Presley
10th

STRIVING FOR SUCCESS

This year Senior Awards were held on Friday, May 10, 1996.

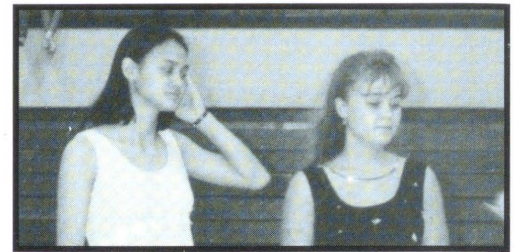
Scholarships and Awards given were Collegiate Scholarships, and Local Scholarships, Regional Awards, and Departmental Awards.

Congratulations Seniors and may God bless you in all that you do.

Autumn Brown

L. Abeln and R. Thomlinson received the Presidents Scholarship from Missouri Southern State College.

This group of Seniors were awarded with being the Top Ten out of all the Seniors.



Rendi Thomlinson was rewarded for being Valedictorian, first in her class.

Laura Abeln was rewarded for being Salutarorian, second in her class.



Leesa Cook was honored for being SODA President by Sheriff Ron Doerge.

M. Osborn received an award for being a distinguished athlete from Sgt. Gunzenhauser.

Mrs. Clymer gave Matt VanWinkle and Leesa Cook awards for Science Club.

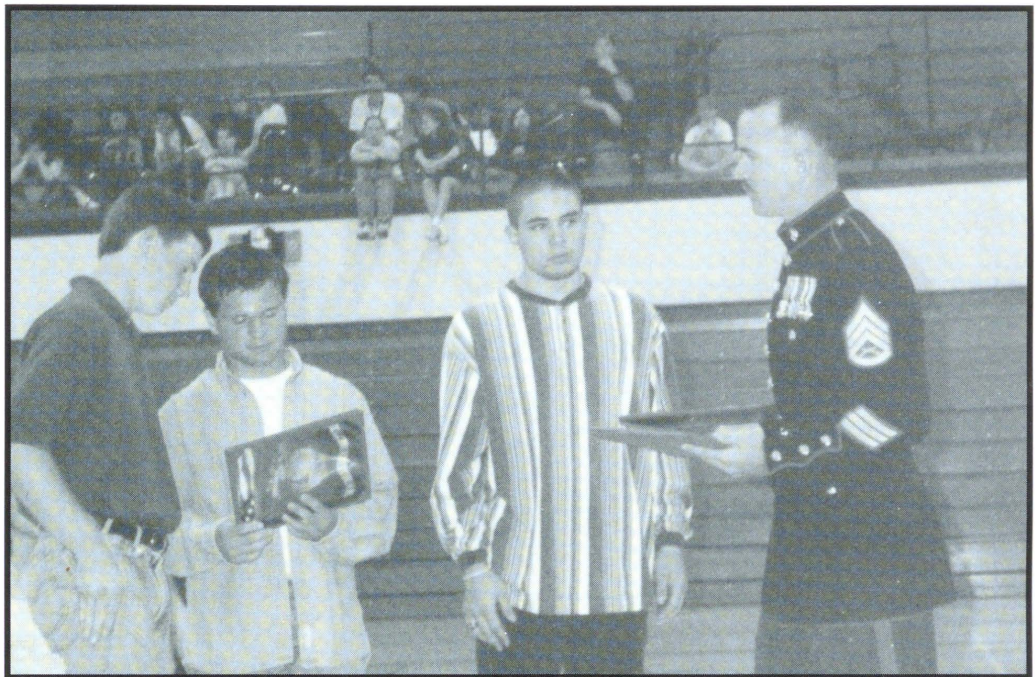


Shannon Hobson was recognized for being Top Senior at Vo-Tech for Health Occupations.

James Baldwin got an award for perfect attendance during his senior year at Vo-Tech by Mrs. Hines.



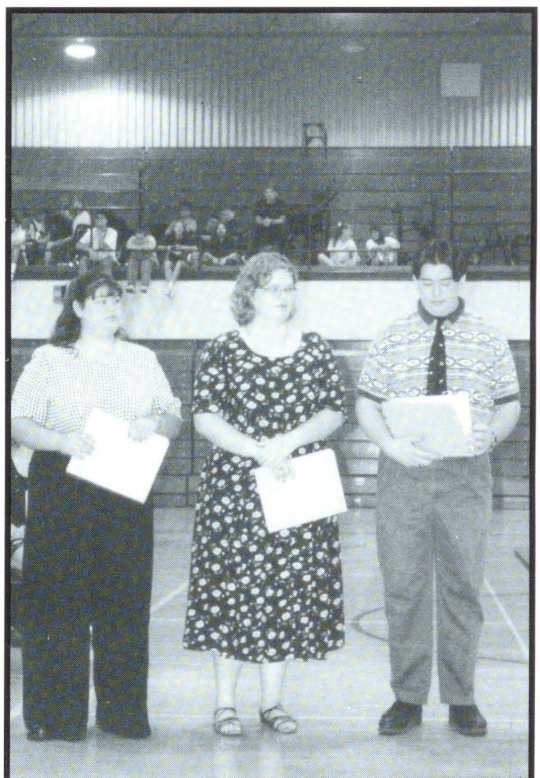
B. Courtney, E. Rakes, A. Nielsen, and S. Hobson received Drama Awards.



Steve Wirth, Billy Davison, and J.J. Lane are going to the United States Marine Corps. They were presented an award by Sgt. Gunzenhauser.

Amber Swartz got a Collegiate Scholarship from MO Valley College for Athletics.

S. Johnson, S. Scott, and J. James all received scholarships from Southwest Missouri State College.



Kiss My Class Goodbye

The 1995-96 Project Graduation was held at the Joplin Olympic Fitness Center with 80 members of the graduating class present.

There were five fun-filled games for the graduates to enjoy. Sumo wrestling, bungee run, acrobungee, karaoke, and scuba diving. Many of the graduates participated. They were also allowed to swim on their own time.

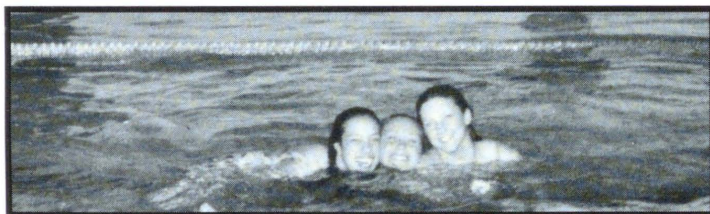
Prizes were given away during many drawings. Anything from money to compact disc players. Everyone who went received a t-shirt and a two dollar bill. Everyone had a good time.

Wisper Wagner



Presenting America's newest supermodel, Betsy Courtney flaunts her stuff for the camera!

Superwoman, Michal Mathis, thinks she can fly!

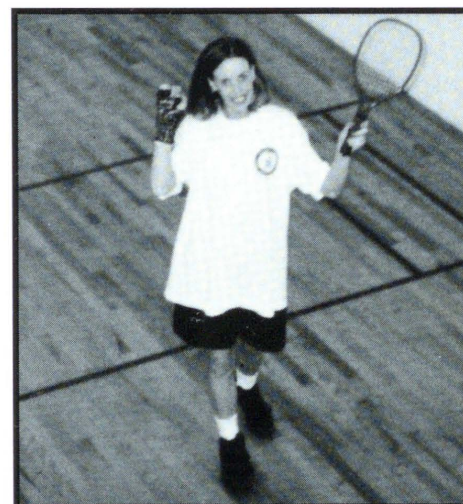


Some of the ex-senior's prepare to swim like fish as they get scuba lessons at the Olympic Fitness Center.

Laisa Lins, Yari Granda, and Lindsay McFarland, practice their Three Stooges act underwater.

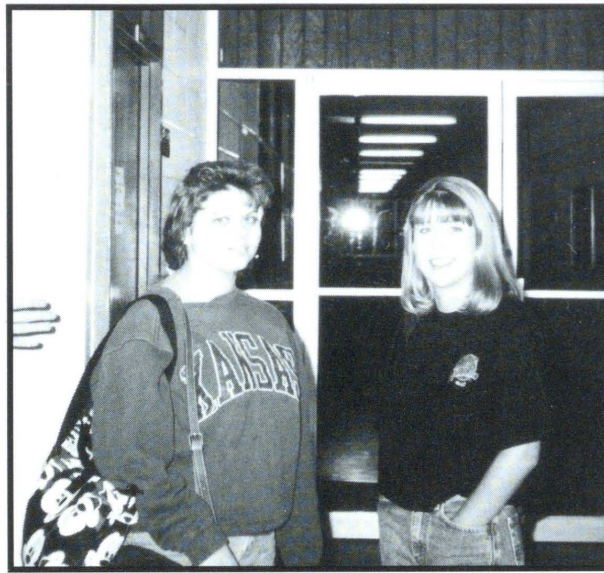


Sumo wrestlers Nathan Blinzler and Eric Hagedon go at it back to back to pop the balloons which were squished between the contestants.



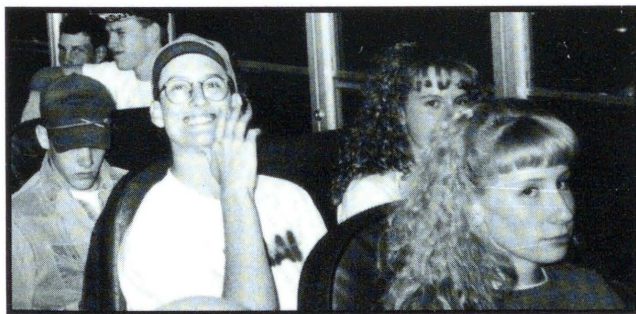
Carrie Presley can still play racquet ball even though she broke her hand the last week of school during her gym class.

Is Laura Abeln training to be in the circus or just practicing acrobatics.



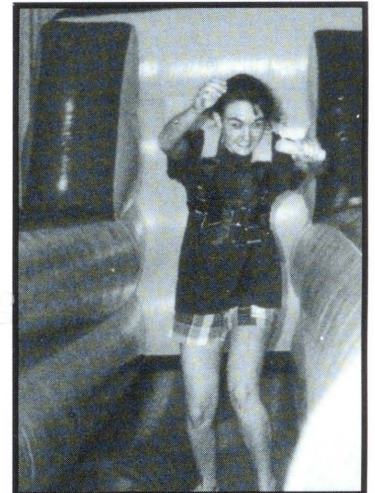
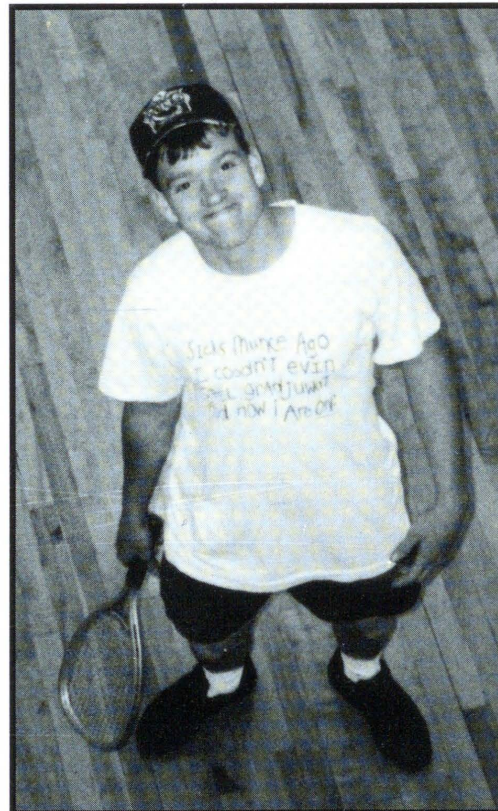
Robyn Bowman and Shannon Hobson prepare for their first night out of high school. Where will their lives take them?

What to sing what to sing? So many songs so little time, Kerri Richardson and Sarah Johnson try to pick a song for karaoke.



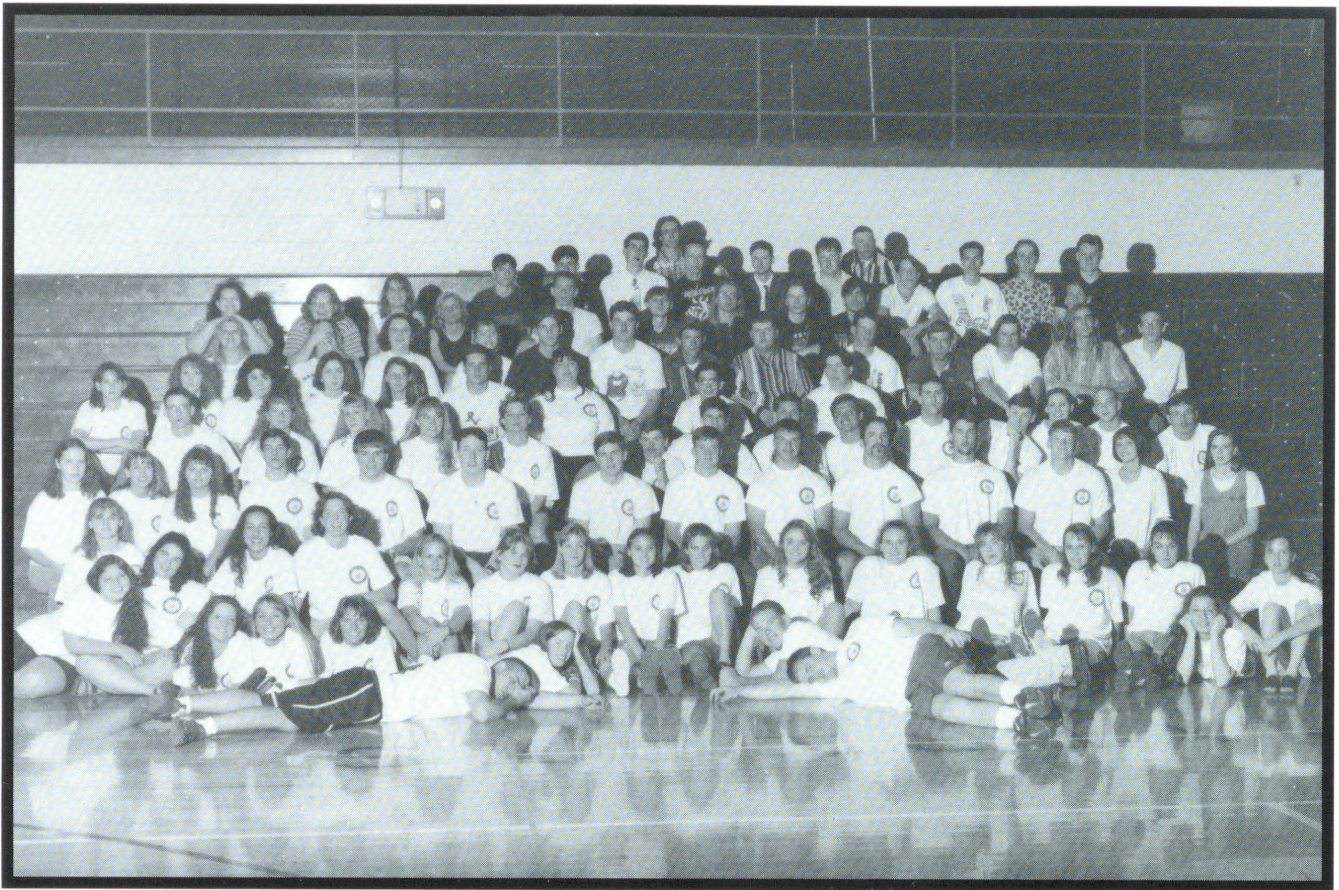
Shiny happy people linking arms, Janet Cooper and Beau Blewer hurry back from the pool.

Having just graduated, Kevin Mayfield with his girl by his side, has every reason to be all smiles.



The look on Mindy Mosley's face shows her determination to win the bungee race.

Eric Hagedon practices his monkey impression during a break in racquet ball.



Class Motto
Before the reality, there is a dream.

Class Flower
White Rose

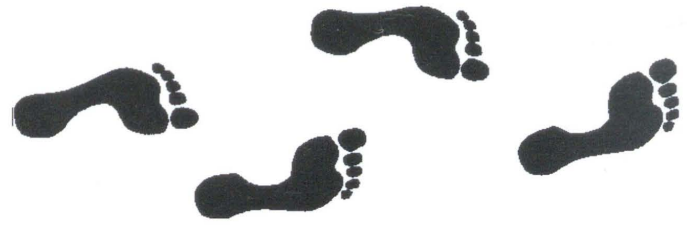
Class Song
The River

Class Colors
Navy Blue and Silver

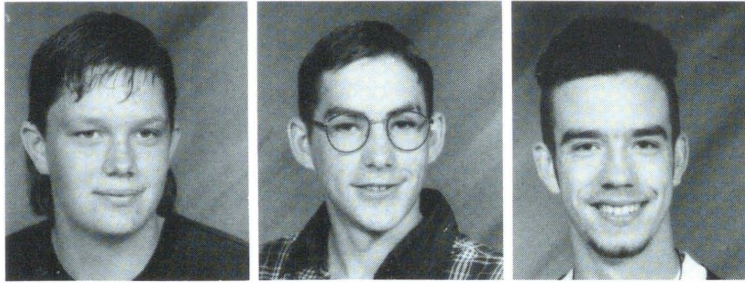
Class Sponsors
Ms. Judith Guinn and Mr. Kevin Smith



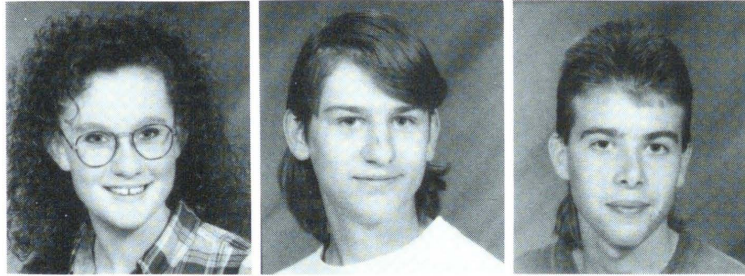
Juniors



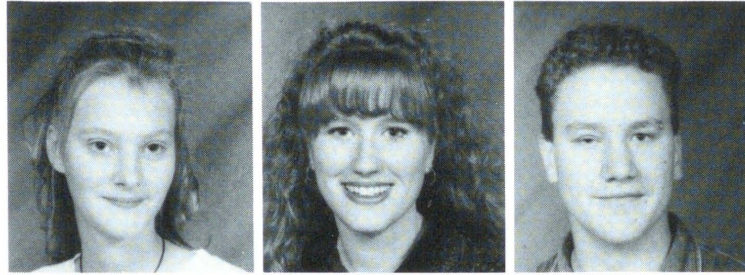
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Jonathan Arnall
Bill Aulick



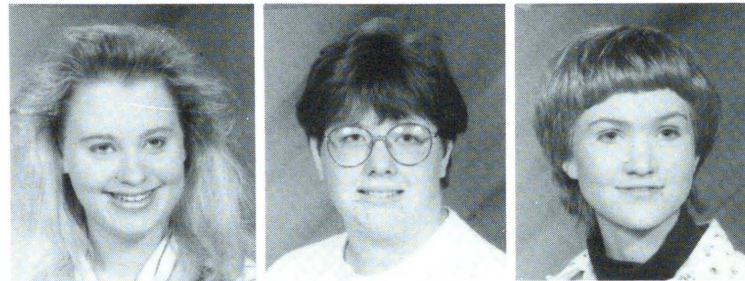
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Richie Baker
Dustin Balmas



April Barker
Sarah Bartley
Jesse Beims



Jennifer Boyd
Heather Brattin
Lisa Bromlow
Pam Bronson
Casey Brown

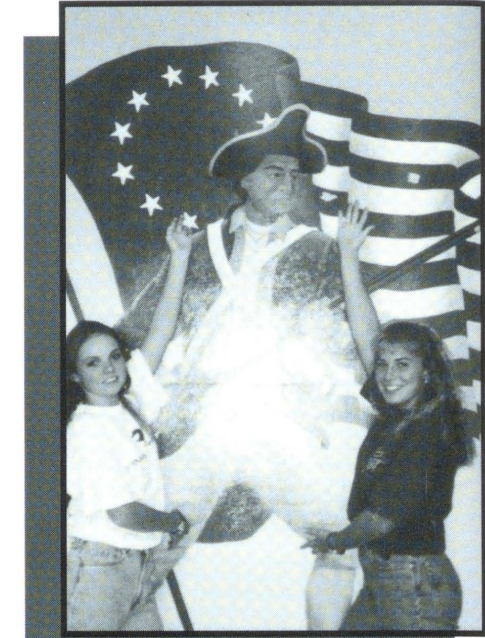
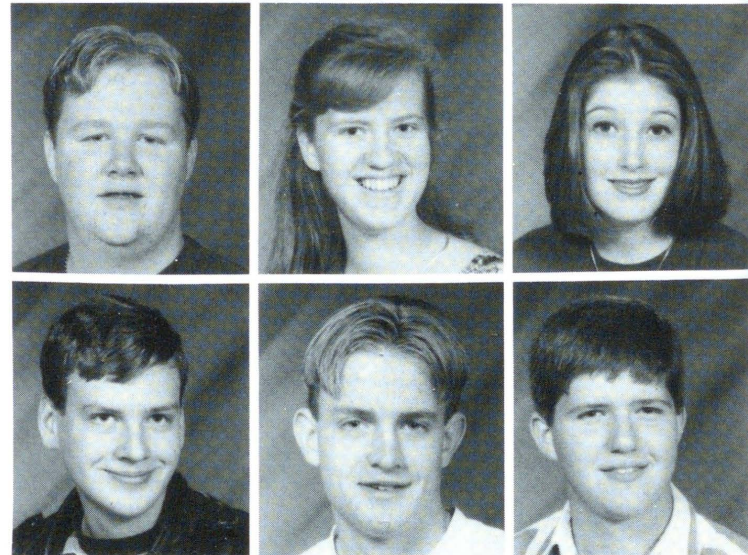


Justin Camerer
Ann Carter
Della Chenoweth



Jeremy Chupp
Stephen Chupp
Nathan Clymer

Football homecoming candidate Nicole Forsberg is still smiling after being creamed in the face by Senior student council member Erica Rakes.



Dianna Fehlberg and Mindy Turner proudly display the new mural in the cafeteria purchased by the student council from Chris Leiter.



Kevin Cook
Corinna Deal
Shane Dockins
John Erickson
Dianna Fehlberg

Tracy Fehlberg
Karen Ford
Kathy Ford
Brandon Forester
Nicole Forsberg

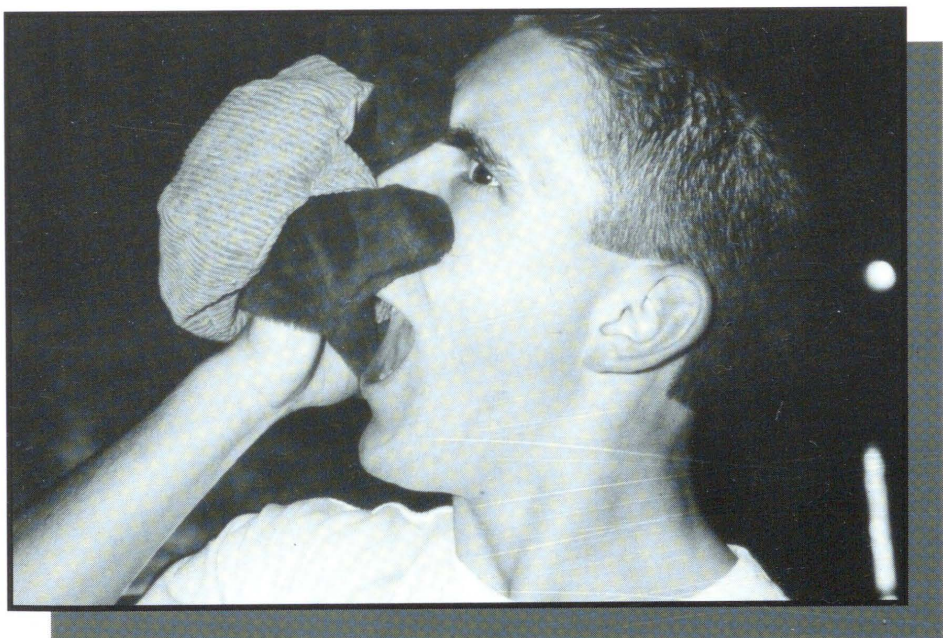
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Keya Gulley
Alfred Hagan
Amber Hamilton

Rebecca Hansen
Mathew Harris
Delaina Haught
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Jacob Hobson

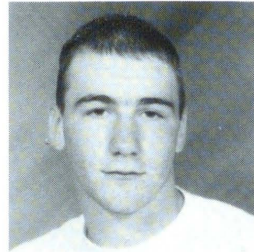
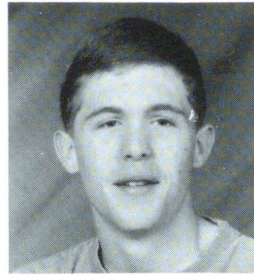
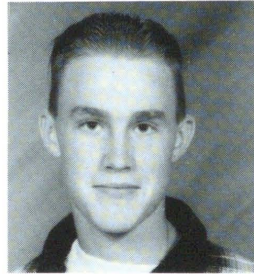
Jered Jackson

Billy Jagger

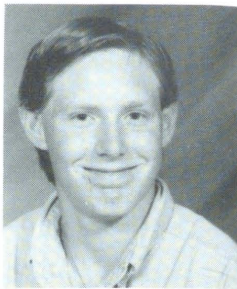
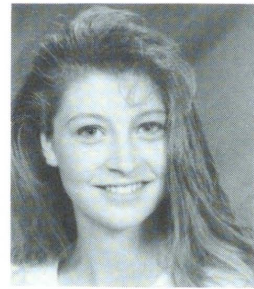
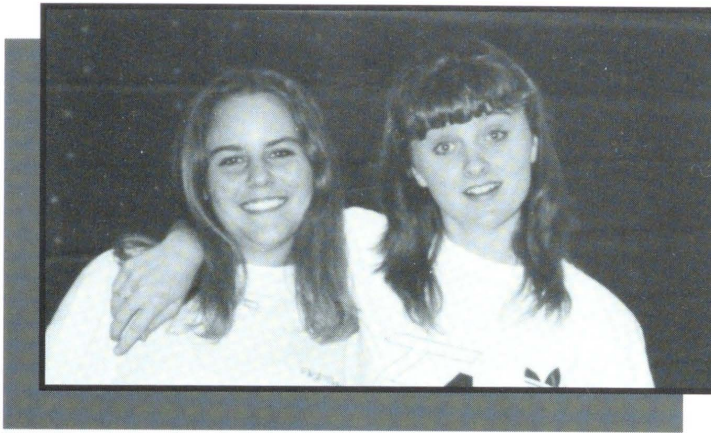
Bubba Johnson



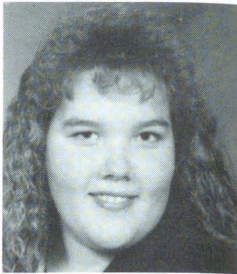
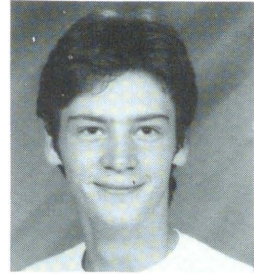
Ahhh! The mean green turtle is attacking Tim Gripka's face during the science club field trip.



Leandra Johnson
Stephen Johnson

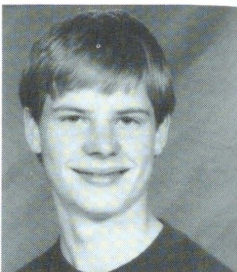
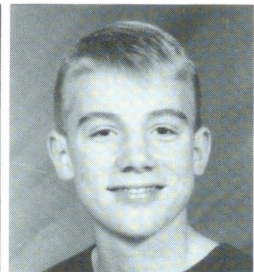
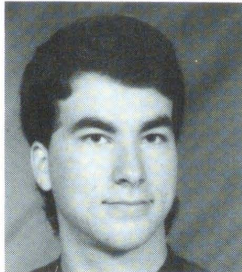
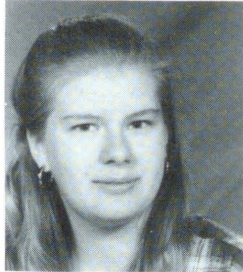


Jamey Jordon
Amy Litchfield

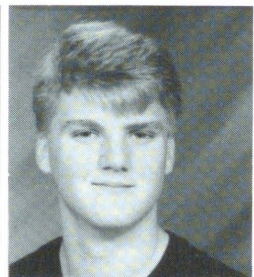
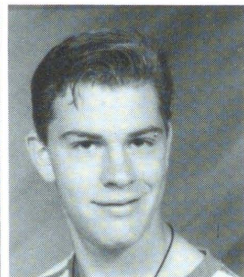
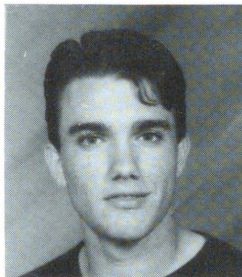
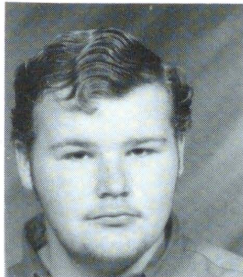


Kathy Ford and Keya Gulley are getting ready to pump iron during P.E.

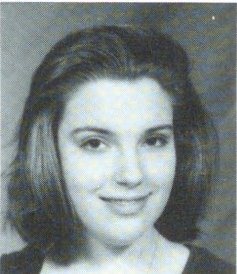
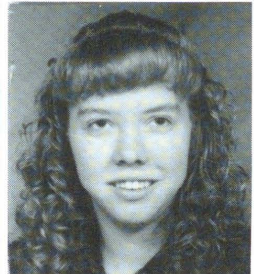
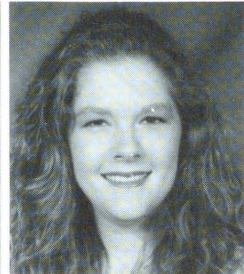
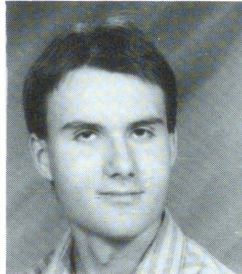
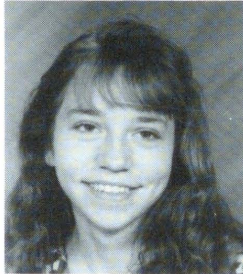
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Michael Marion
Megan Massie
Michael McCool
Toby McDonald



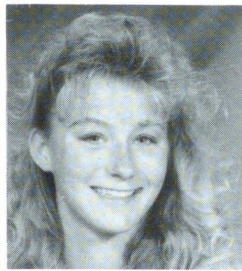
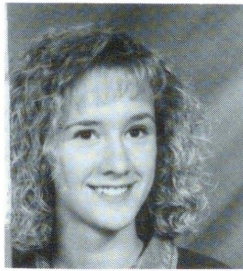
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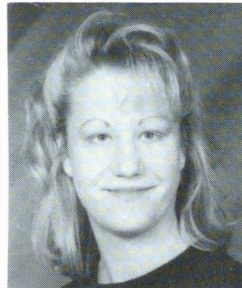
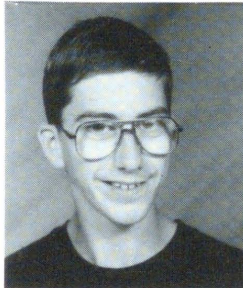
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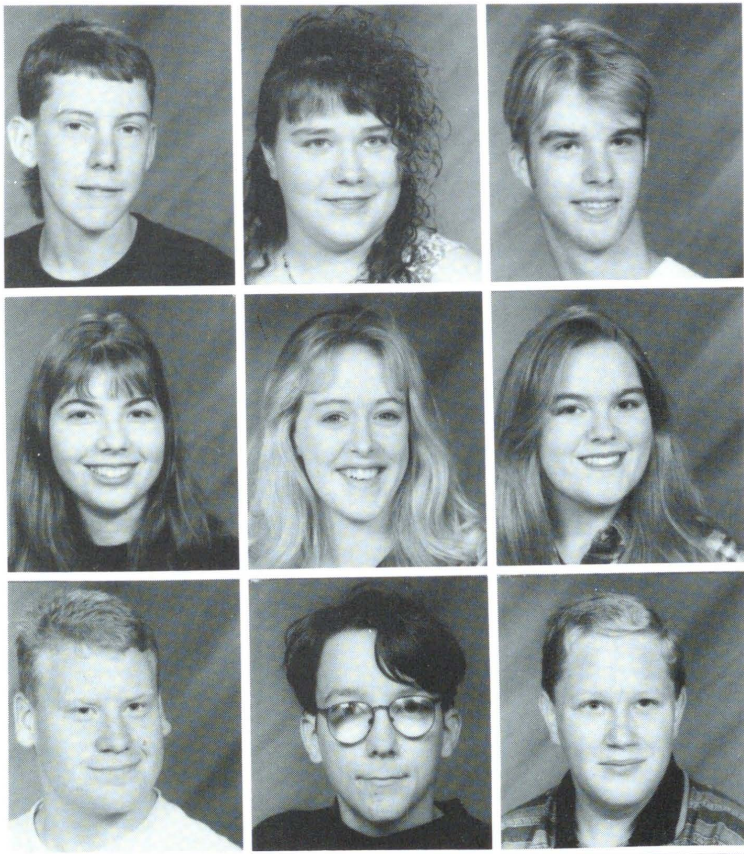
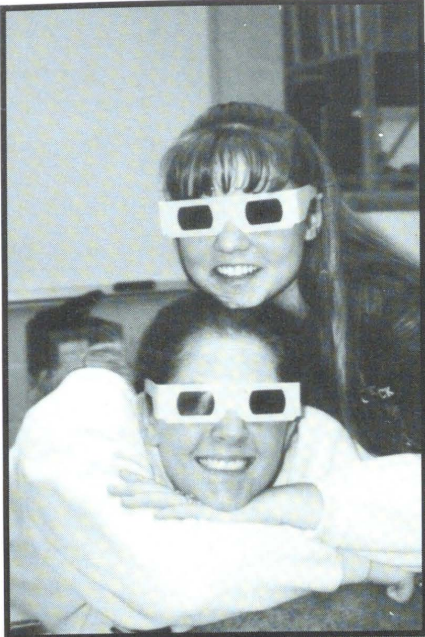


Brian Porter
Chadalle Purcell



Caught off guard Stephanie Bailey and Mindy Turner try to pretend they're innocent.

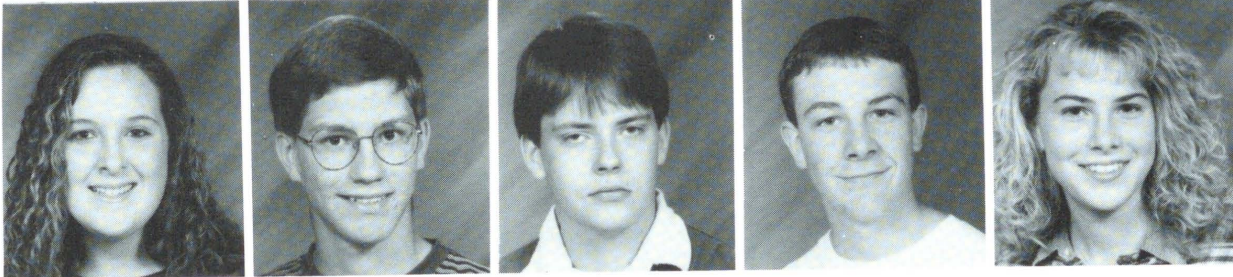
Mrs. Wilkie is so bright that Dianna Fehlberg and Deidera Pate-Clouse have to wear their shades during year-book.



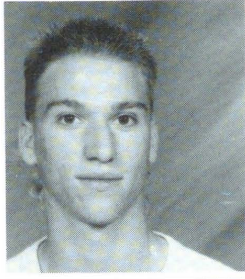
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Michael Ryan

Jill Sandtorf
Tara Sartin
Kassy Shellenberger

Kris Shoemaker
John Skaggs
Nathan Stafford



April Stewart
Justin Stewart
Aaron Surber
Mark Talley
Mindy Turner



Jonathan West
Bonnie Williams



NOT PICTURED:
Chris Collins
Jamey Gossett
Nick Granger
Robert Horner
James Johnson
Shelly Whaples

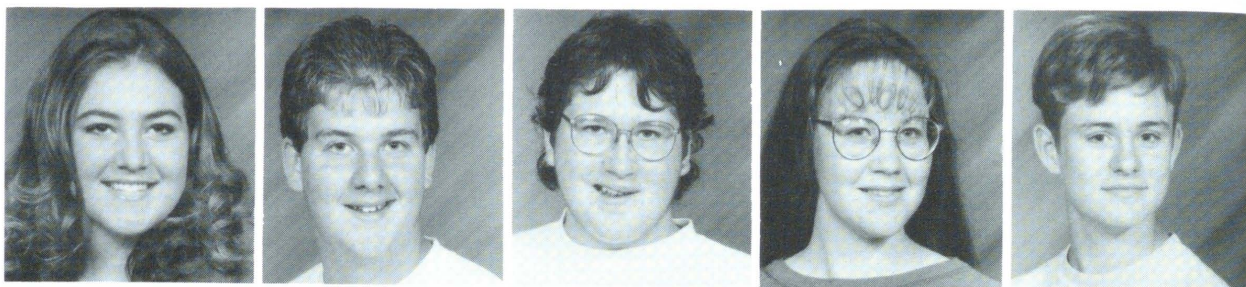
Say Cheese! Shelley Patterson, Tara Sartin, and Della Chenoweth are definitely three of a kind.

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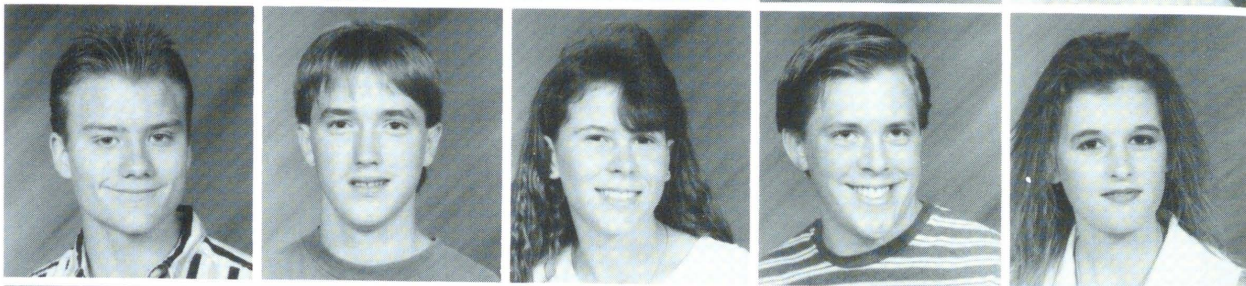
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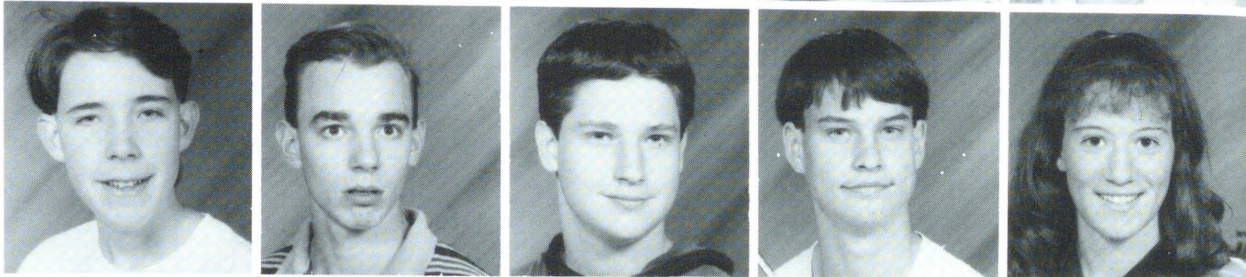
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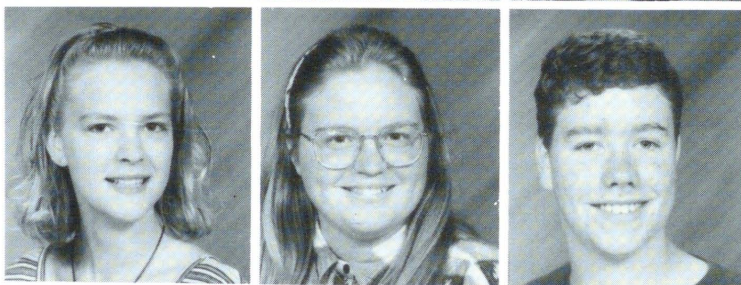
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Jada Blewer
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Trenna Bogenrief



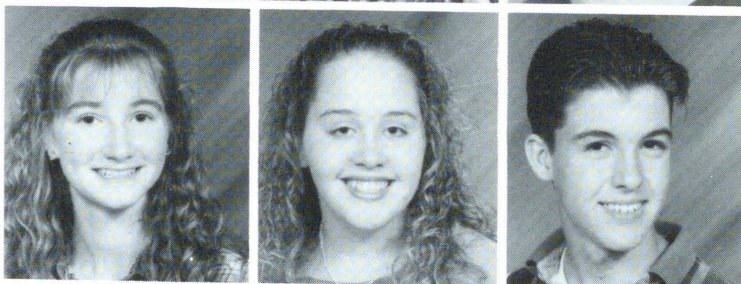
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Samantha Bridges



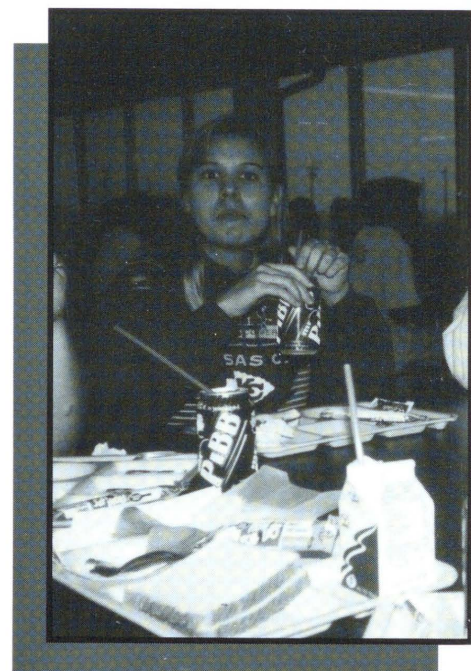
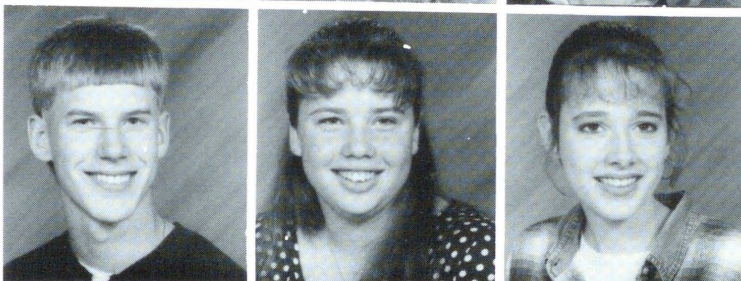
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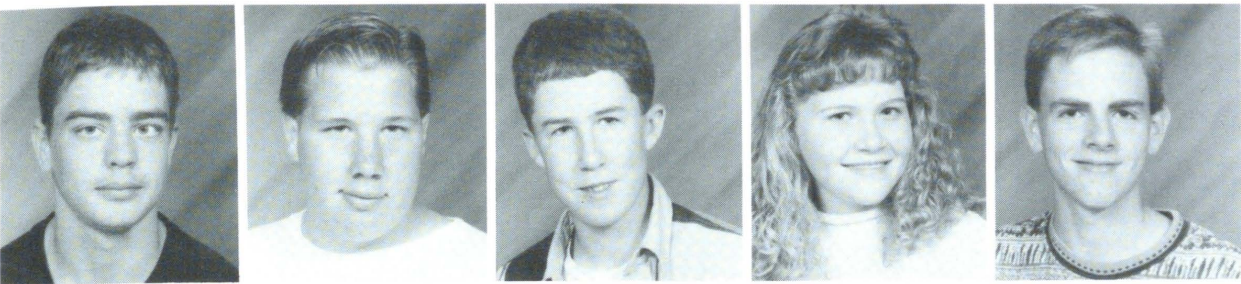
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Autumn Brown
Fred Burge



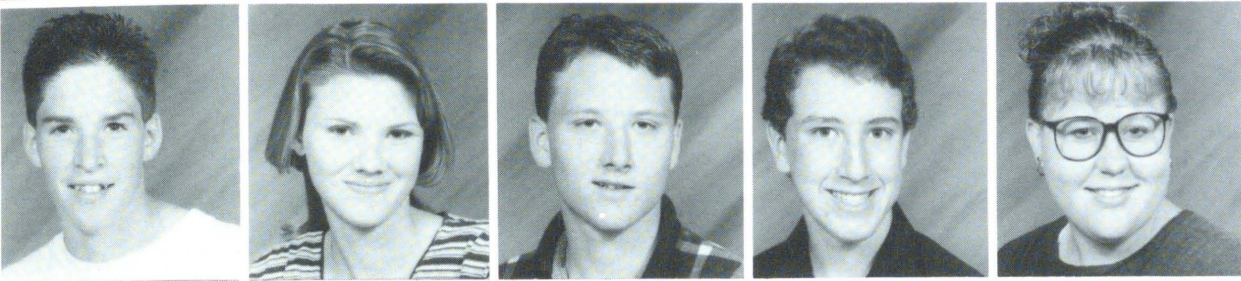
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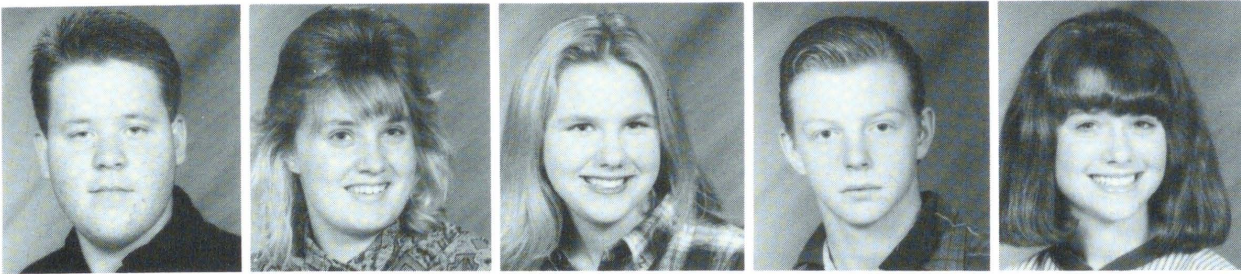
"Mmmm! Not bad for a buck ten," thought Carrie Pumpkin.



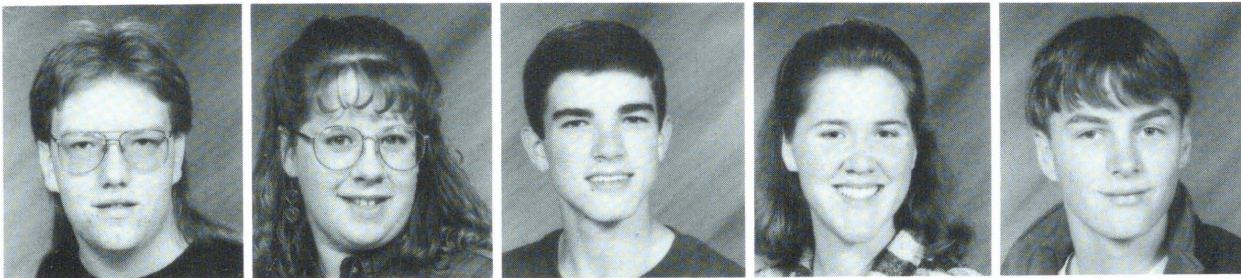
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Chuck Cook



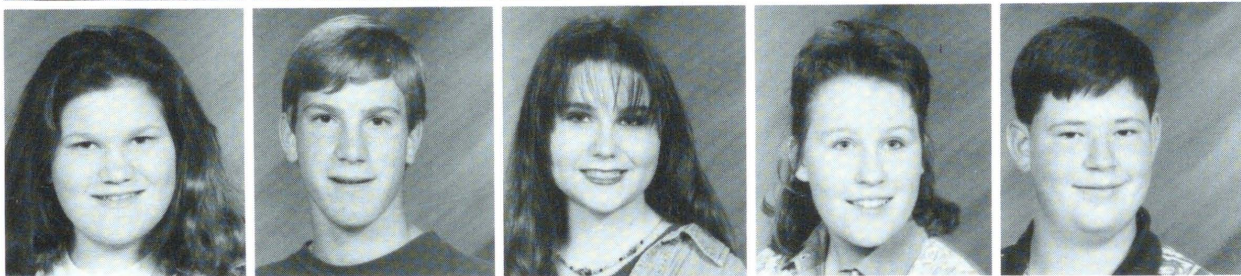
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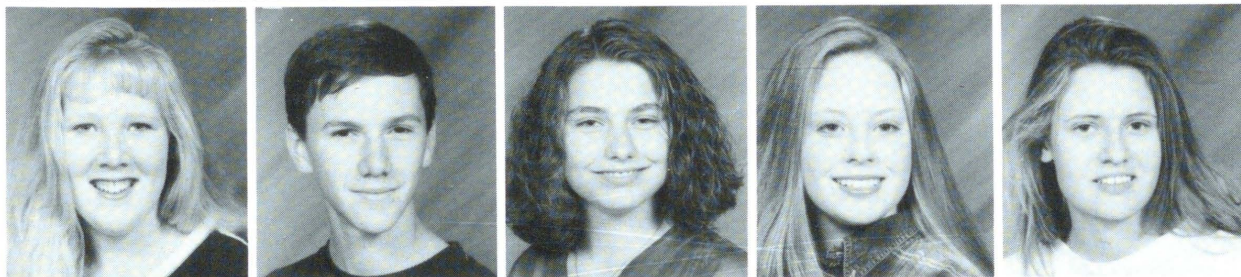
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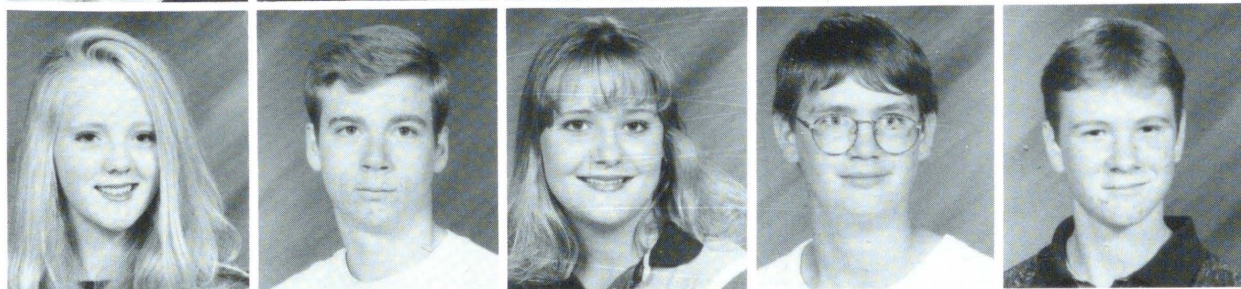
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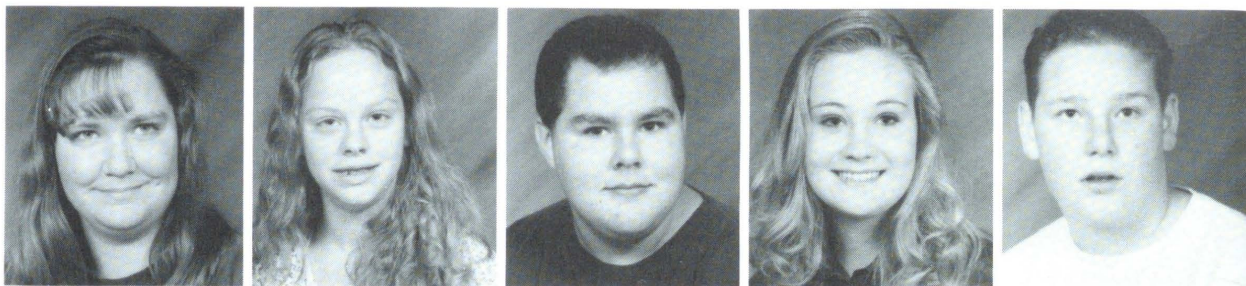


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Wendy Jordan

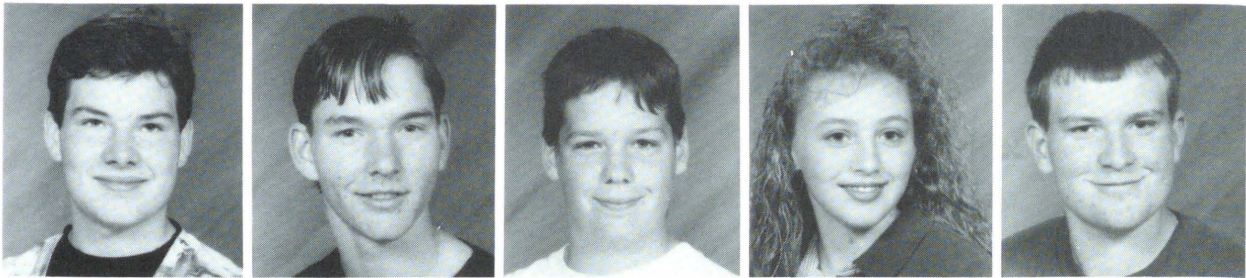


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Shantell Kyger
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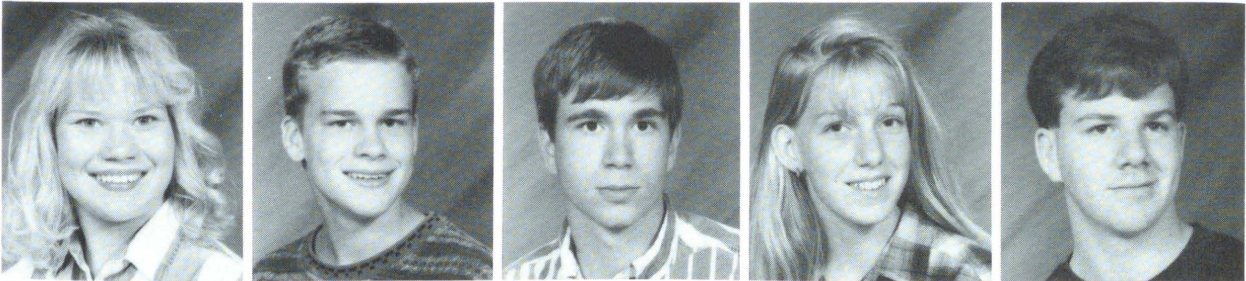
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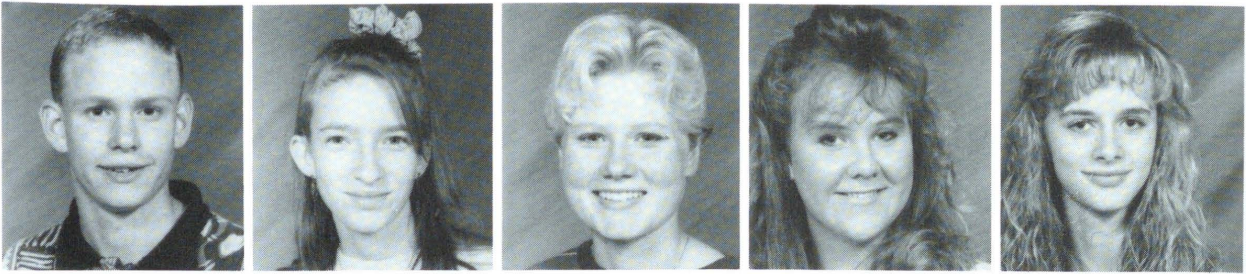
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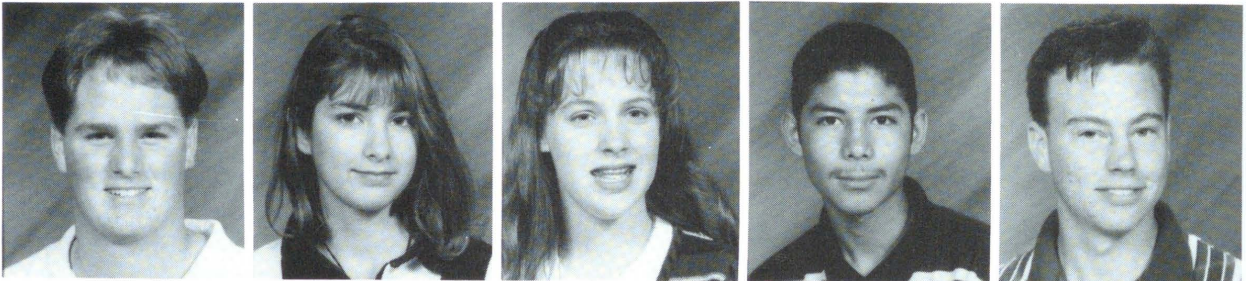
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Daniel Olsbo
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 Priscilla Parrish
 Sheila Patterson



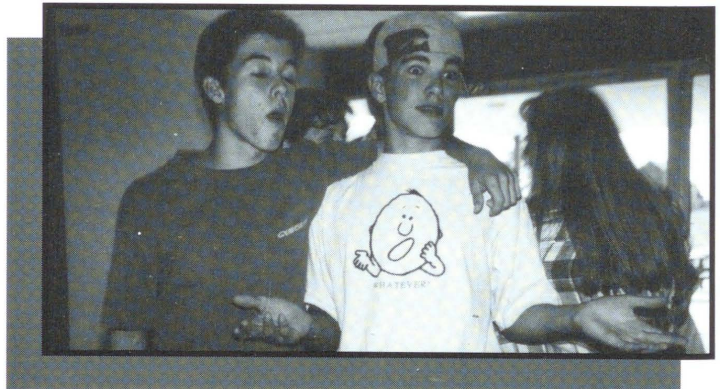
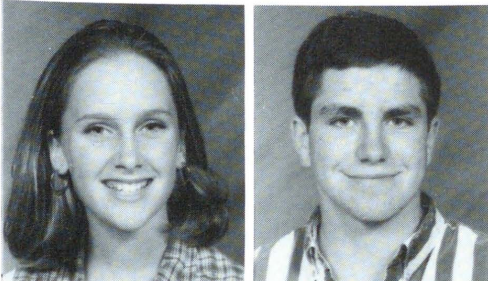
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Carrie Pumpkin
 Jerra Pyles

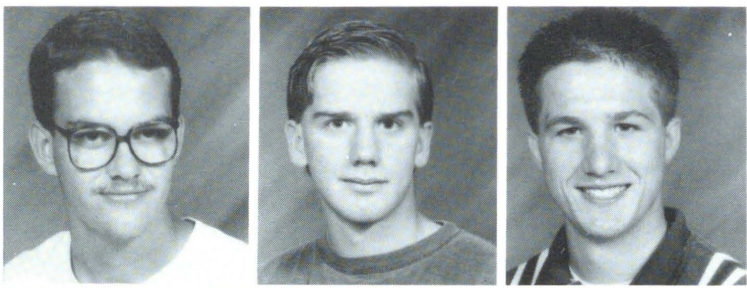
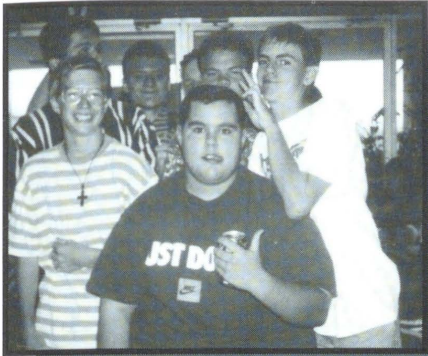


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 Floyd Renner

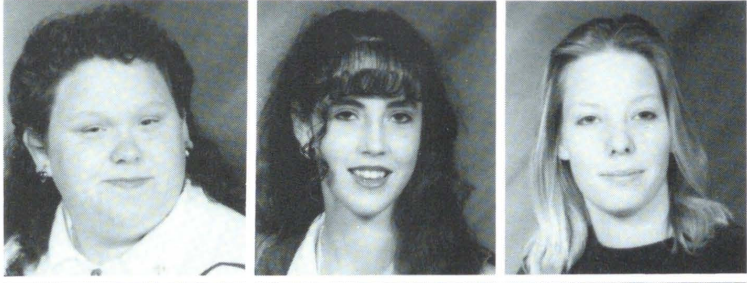


"Whatever!" Fred Burge and David Guinn show their true selves during lunch time activities.

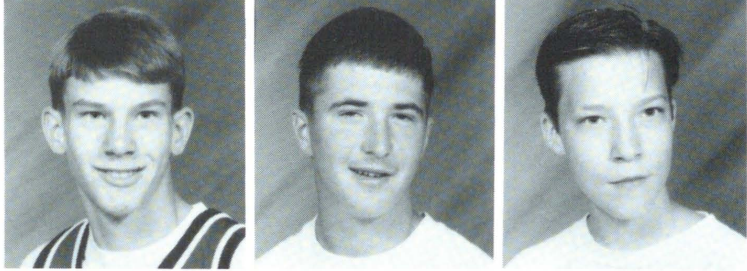
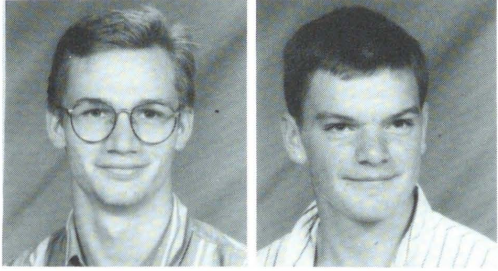
Looks like troubles brewing with the mischievous four Devin May, Don Wagner, Chuck Cook and Michael Blake.



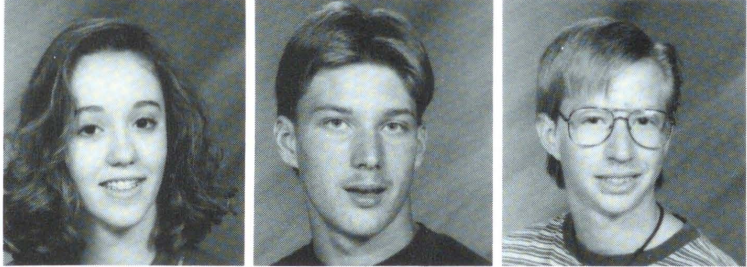
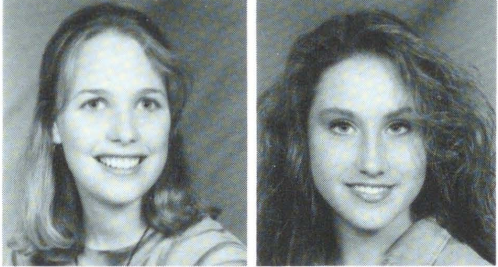
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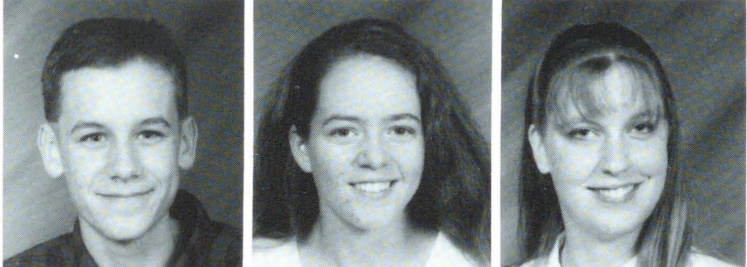
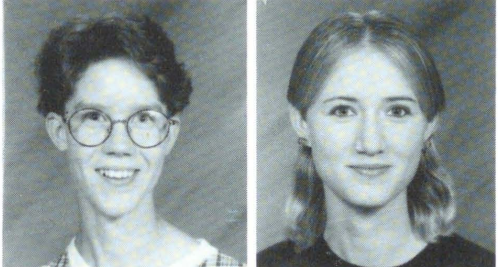
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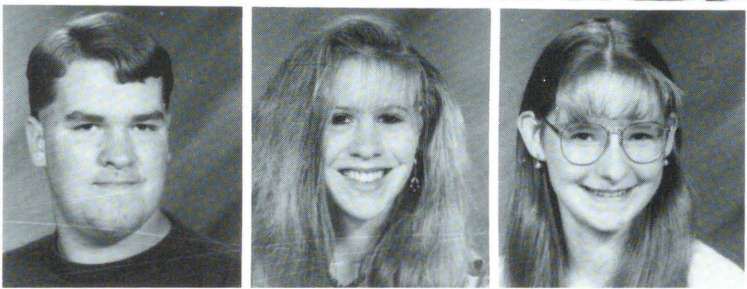
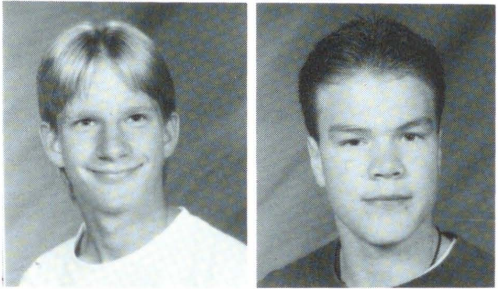
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Nathan Siler
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Patricia Starr
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Tuesday Williams



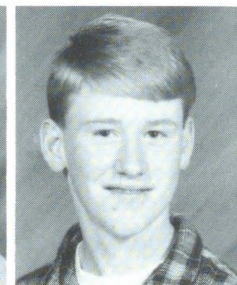
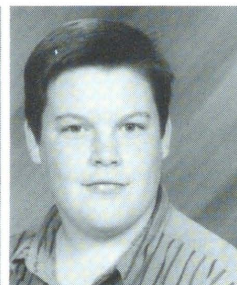
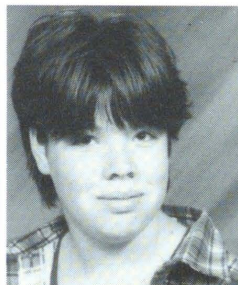
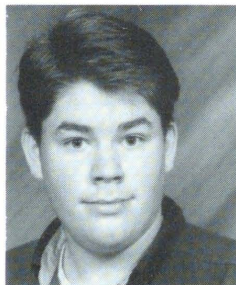
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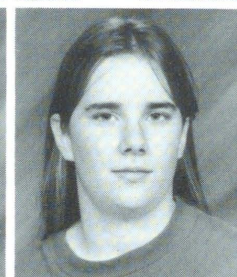
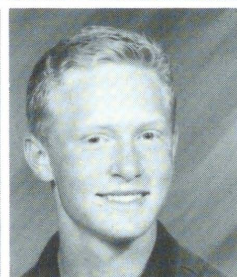
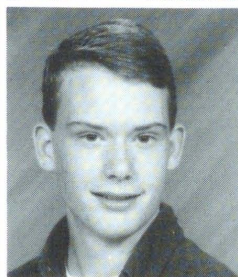
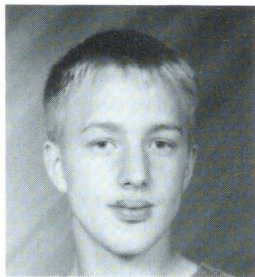
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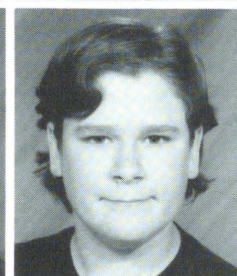
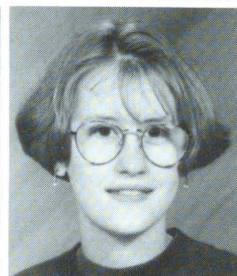
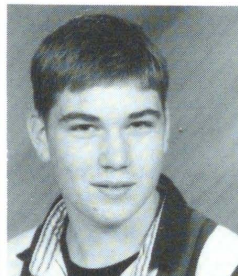
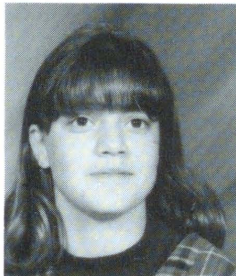
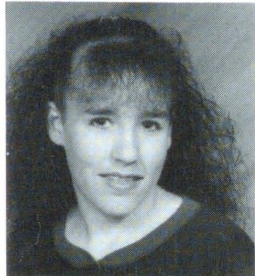
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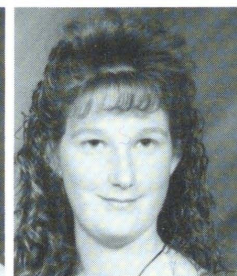
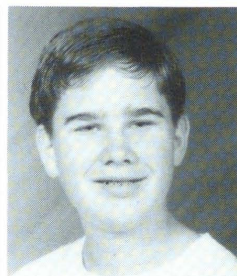
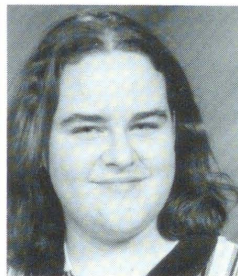
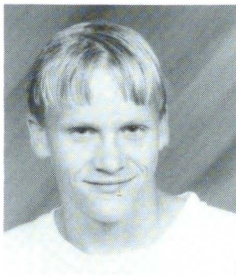
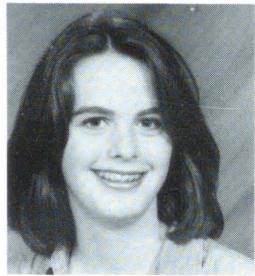
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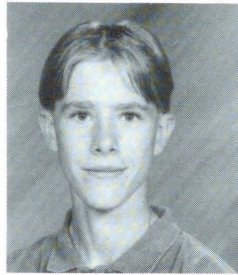
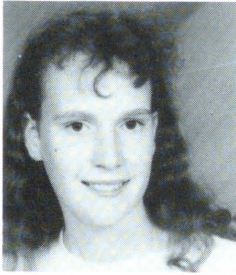
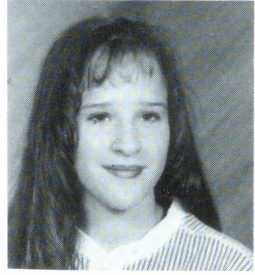
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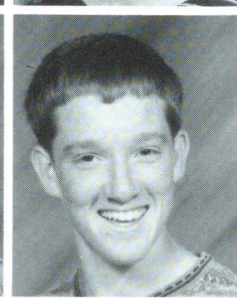
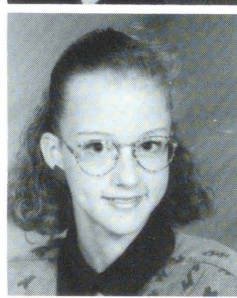
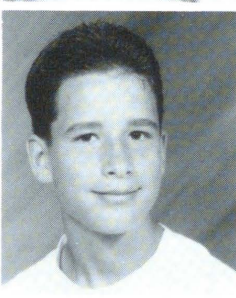
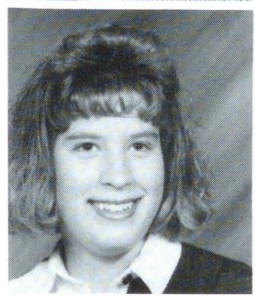
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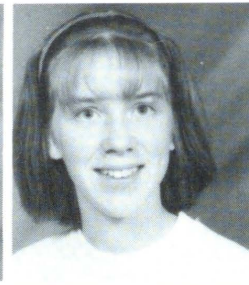
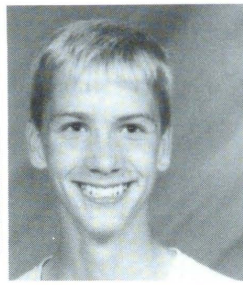
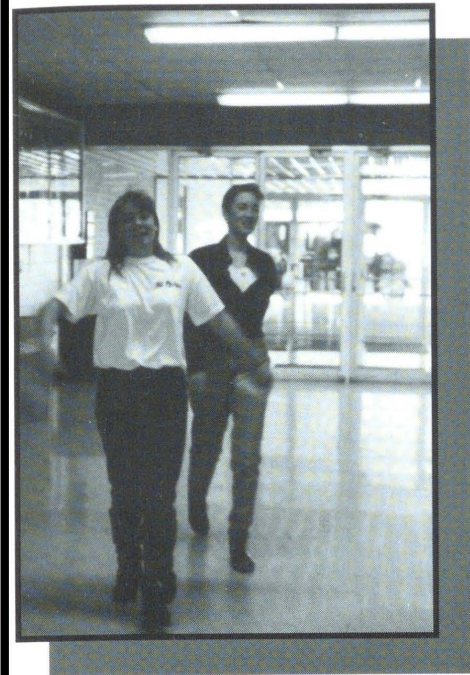
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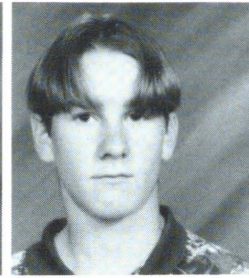
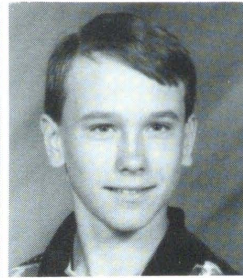
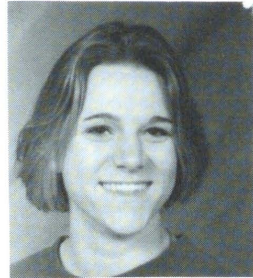
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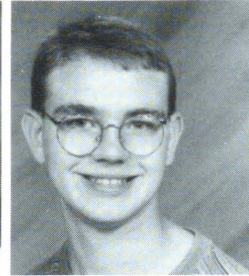
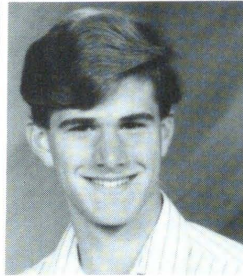
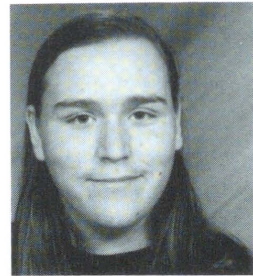
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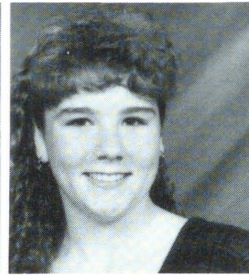
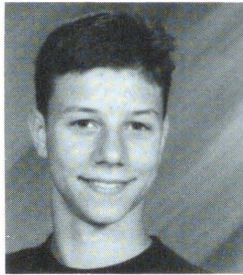
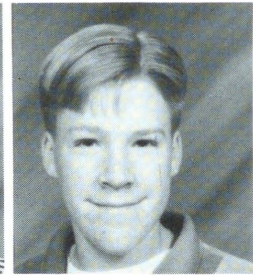
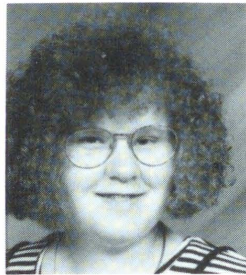
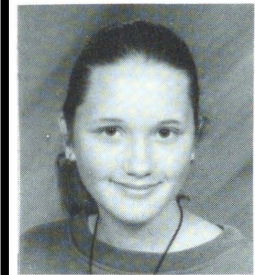
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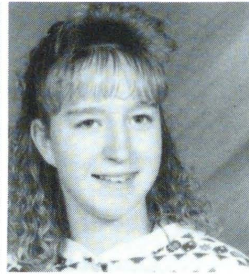
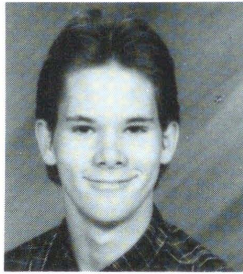
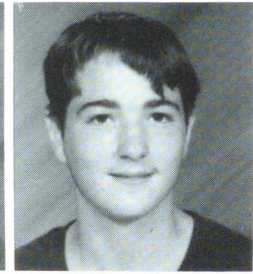
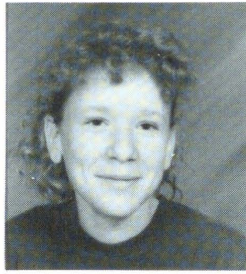
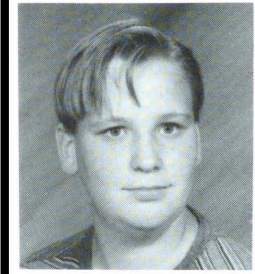
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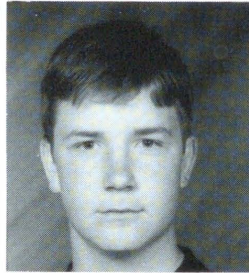
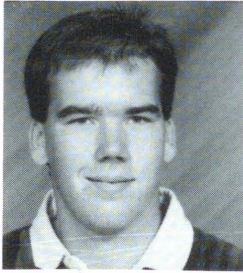
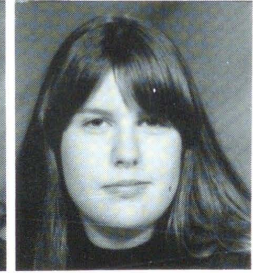
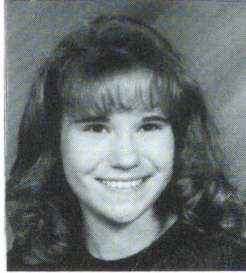
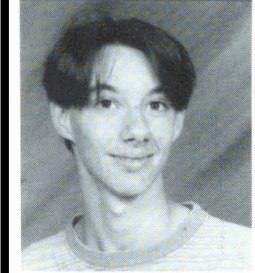
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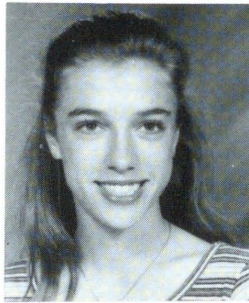
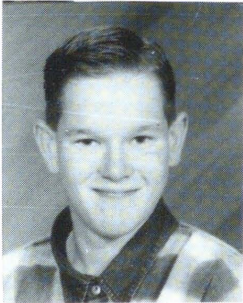
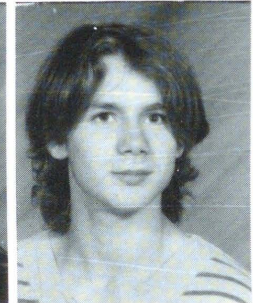
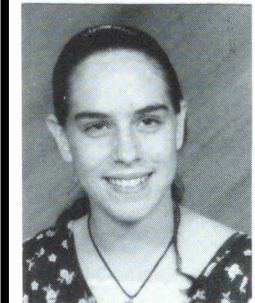
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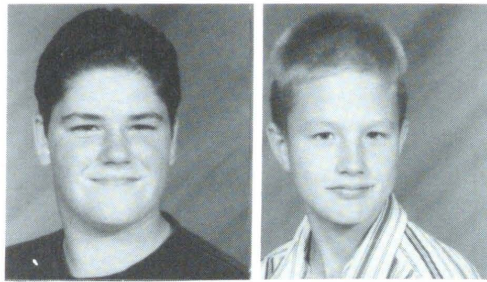


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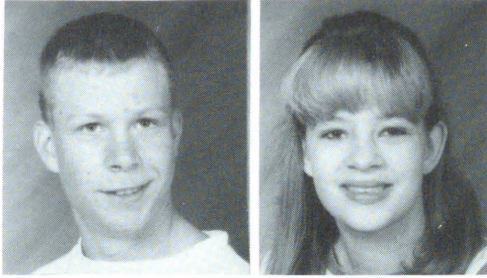


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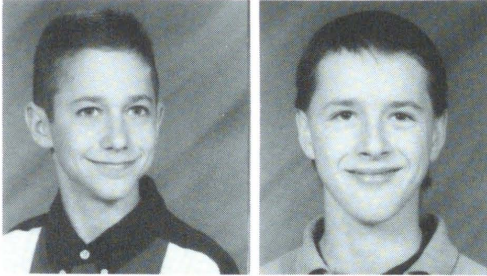
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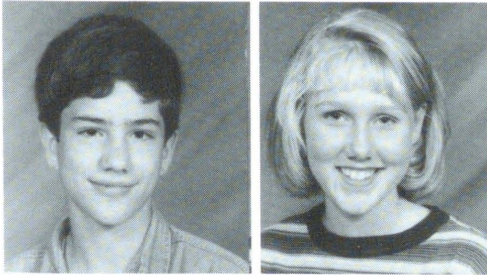
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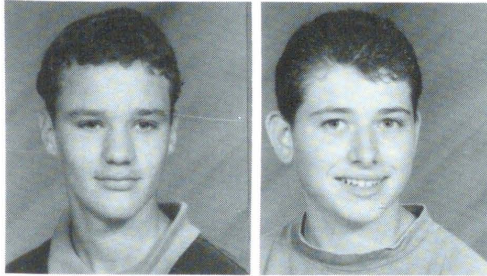
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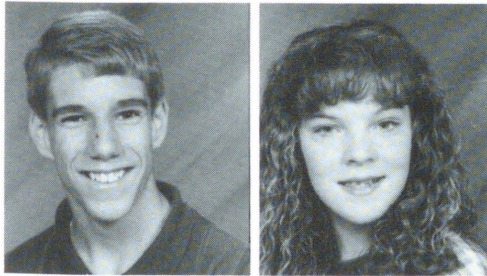
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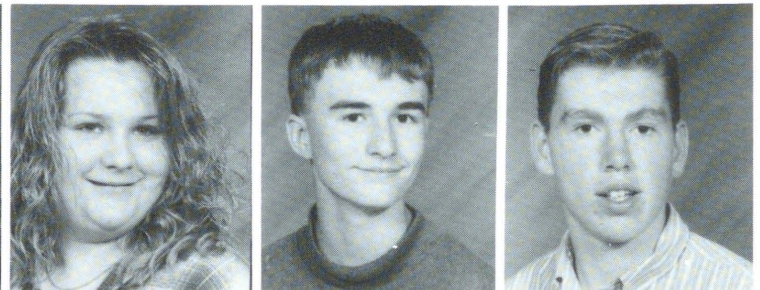
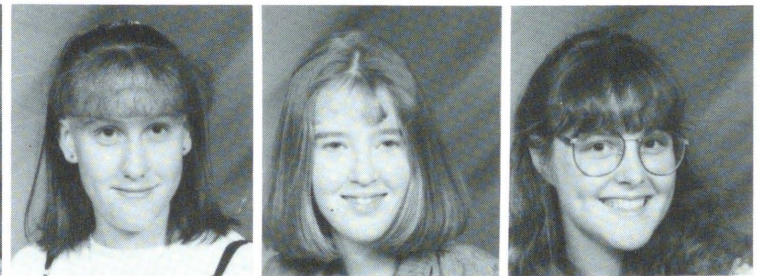
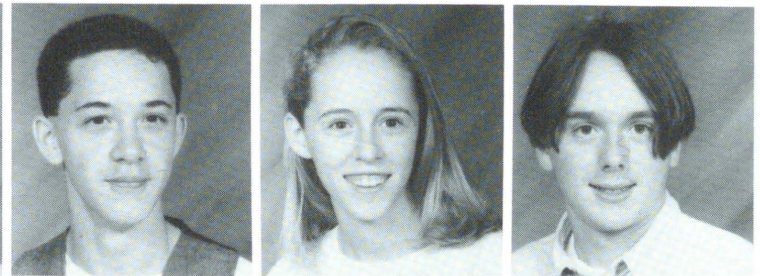
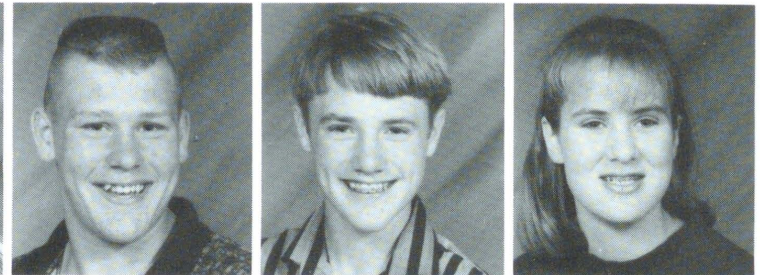
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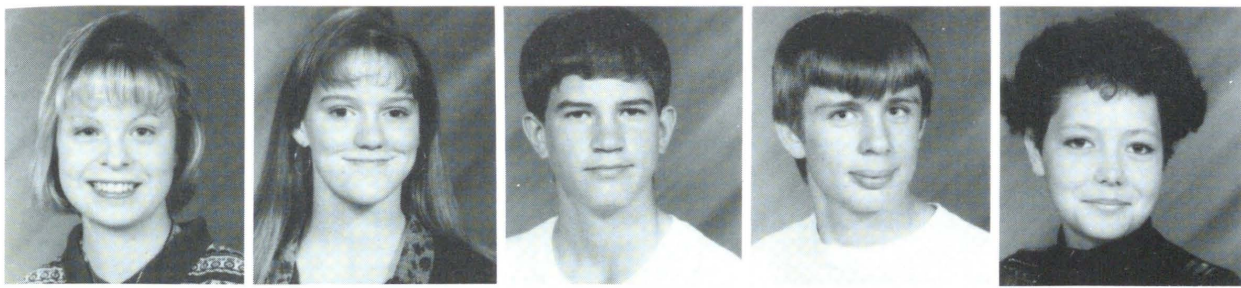


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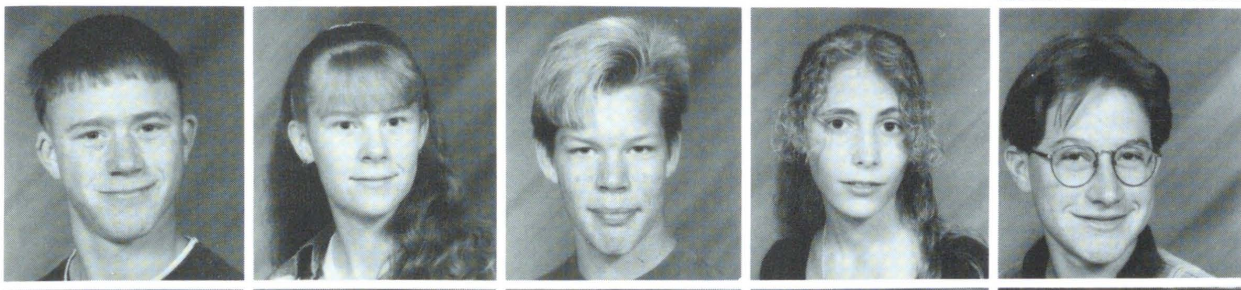


During their lunch shift these freshman guys: B. Wilkie, C. Miller, I. Gripka, B. Johnson, A. Hagedon, E. Watts show some amusing faces.

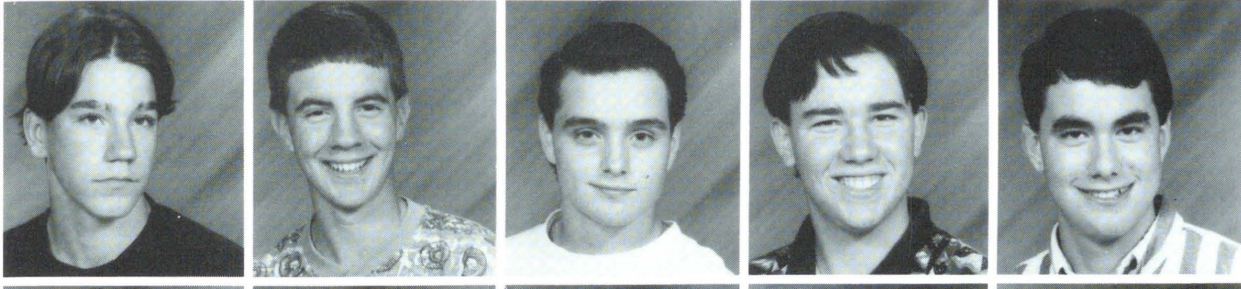




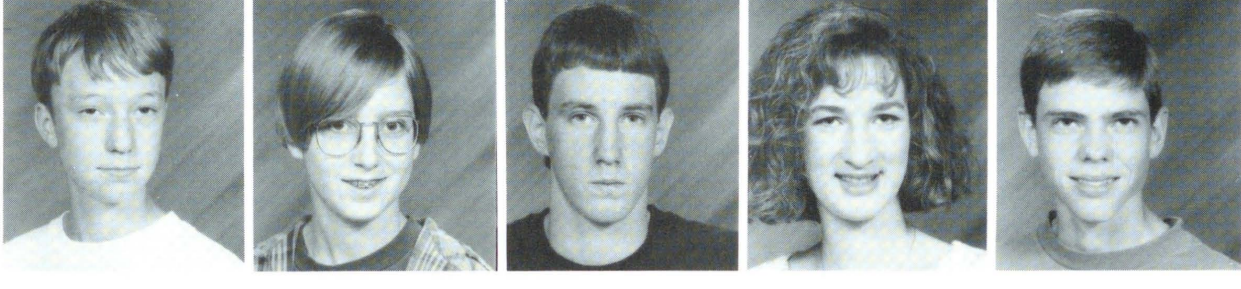
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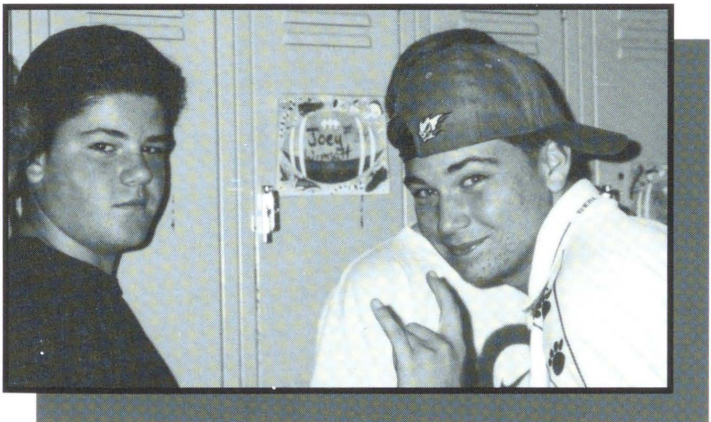
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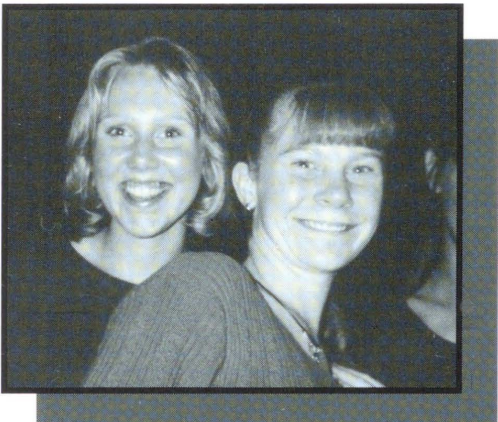
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Tim Weems
Nathan Wheeler
Brandon Wilkie



Levi Williams
Eric Wimpee
Kenny Wirth
Amy Wolgamott
Noah Woodward



What are these freshmen up to? Chris Miller and Cody Casady show their mischievous smiles.



Dancing the night away, Barbara Troxell and Amy Oxendine enjoy Homecoming.

Not Pictured:
Carmalett Dominguez
Bobby Maxwell
Robbie McFarland
Michael Smith
Richard Waterhouse



CLASS of 1999

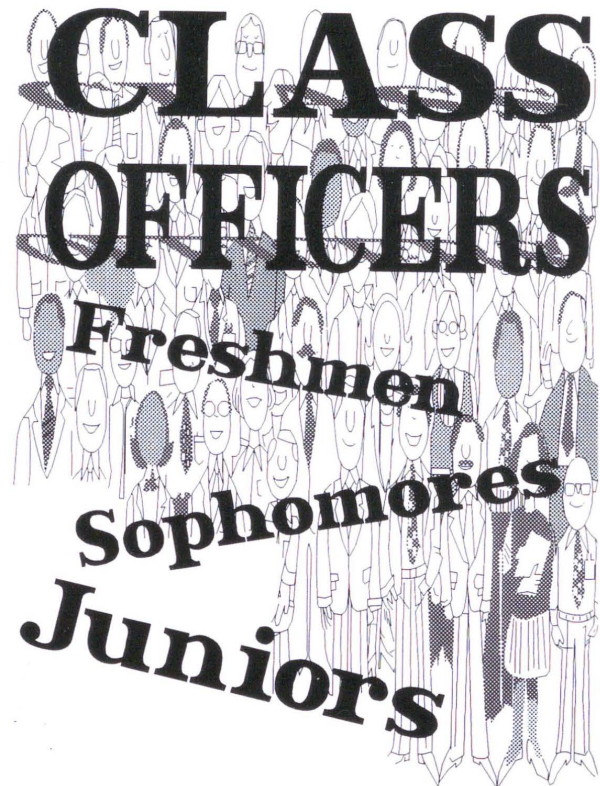
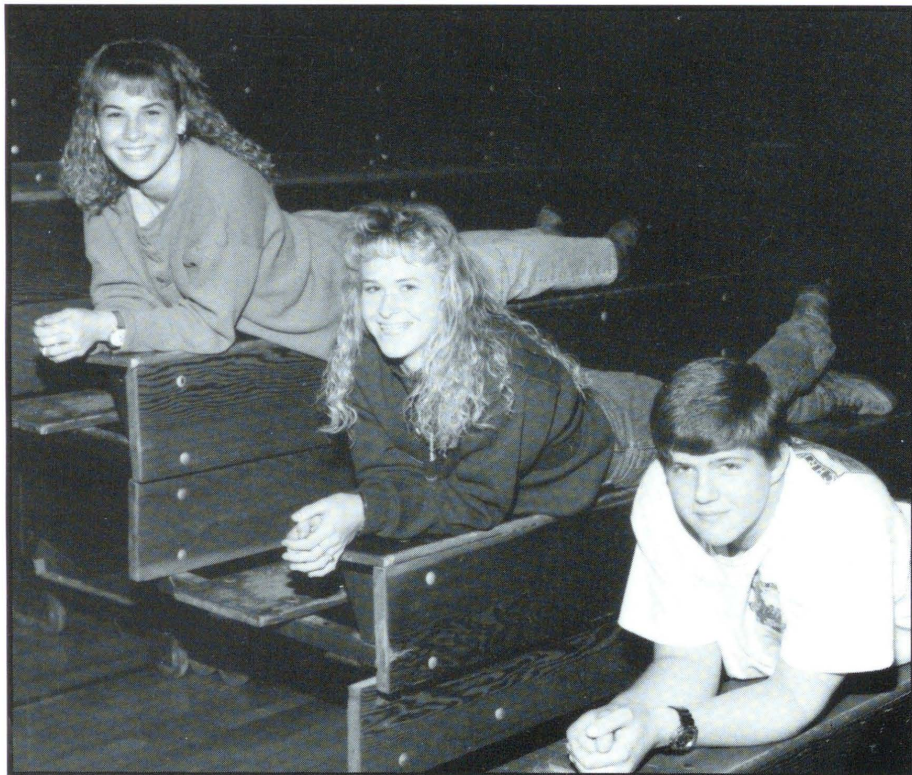
Underclassmen Officers: 1999; 1998; 1997.

Freshmen- President- Cody Cassidy; Vice-President-Matt Hanes; Secretary/Treasurer-Isaac Gripka.



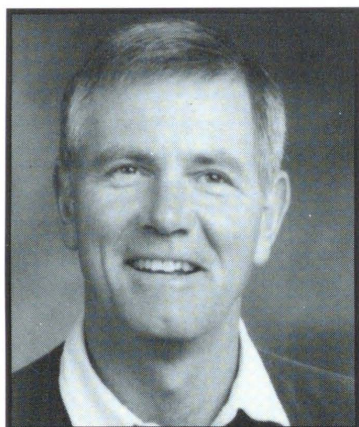
Sophomore- Treas.- Kristina Judd; Pres. -Zach Shockey; Sec. Beau Rickman; Vice-Pres.-Jera Gallemore.

Junior- President- Mindy Turner; Vice-President - Casey Brown; Secretary/Treasurer- Nathan Clymer.

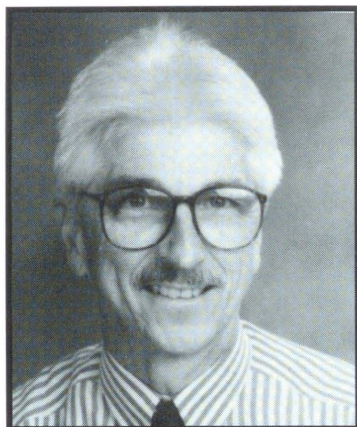


PERSONNEL

Teaching for the Future



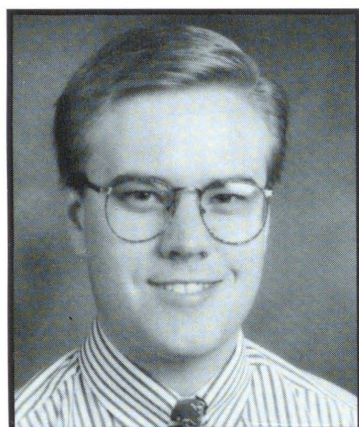
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Trans./Athletics Director



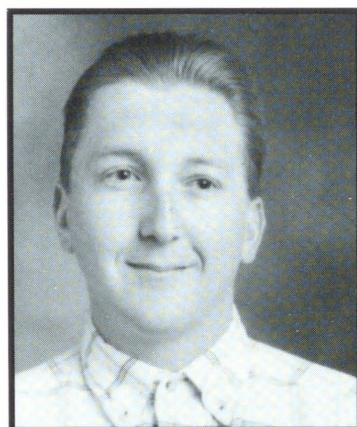
Jack Andris
Administrative Assist.

Ms. Berry shows that she doesn't want her picture taken by growling at the camera.

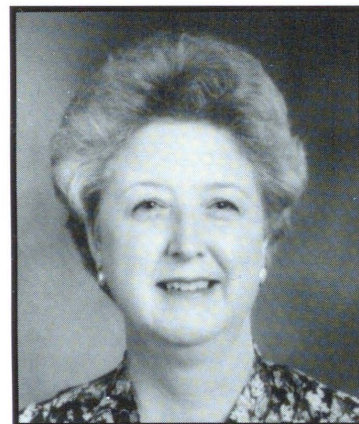
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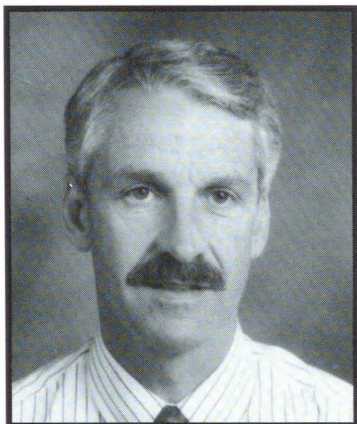
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Social Studies/Coach



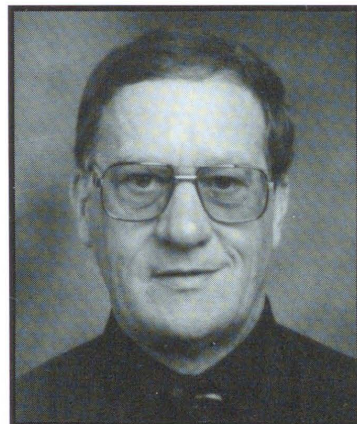
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Social Studies



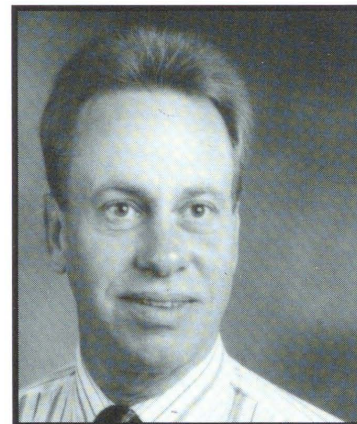
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Business



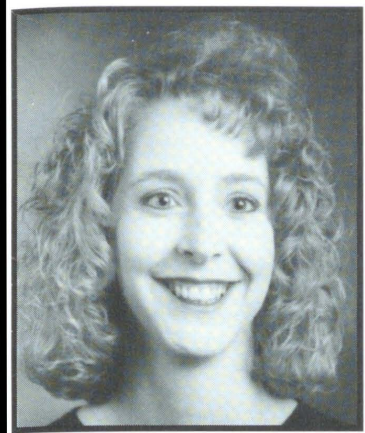
Mark Branscum
Physical Education/Coach



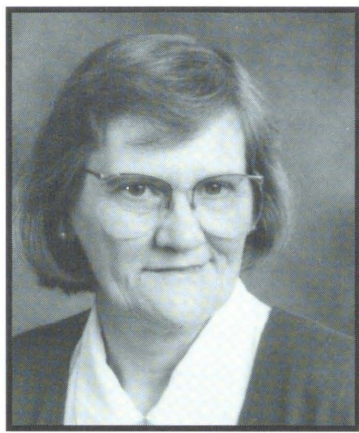
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Health/Coach



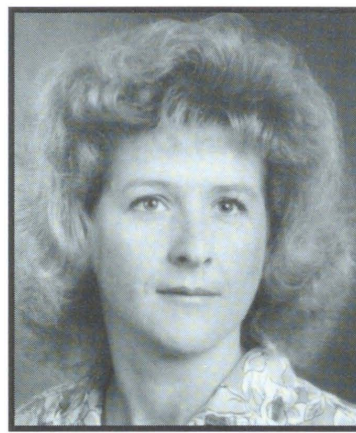
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I.S.S./S.Studies/Coach



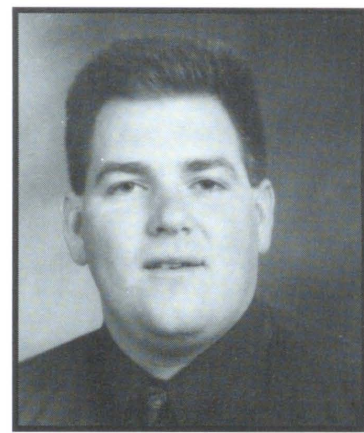
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Math/Asst. Girls Coach



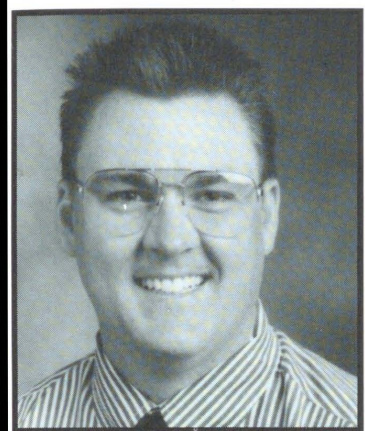
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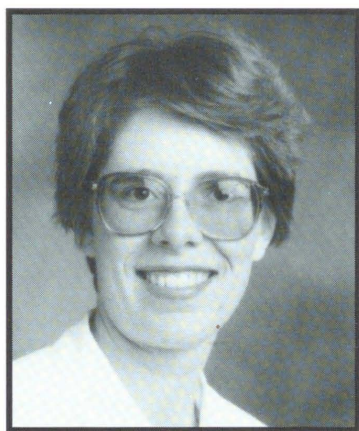
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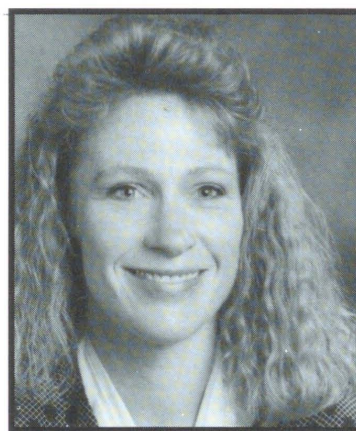
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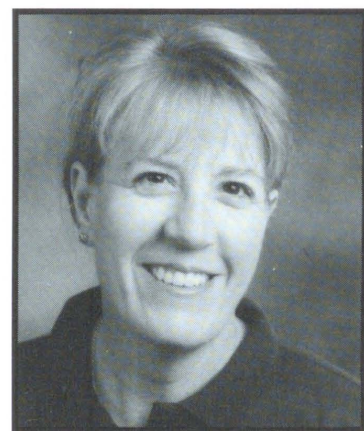
Denzil Davis
Industrial Tech./Coach



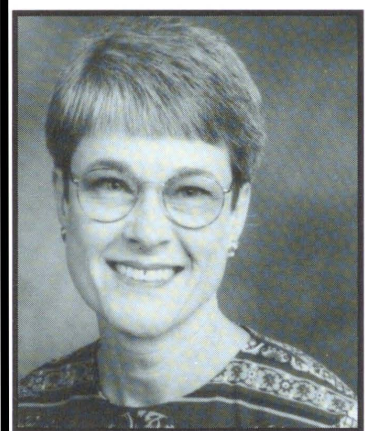
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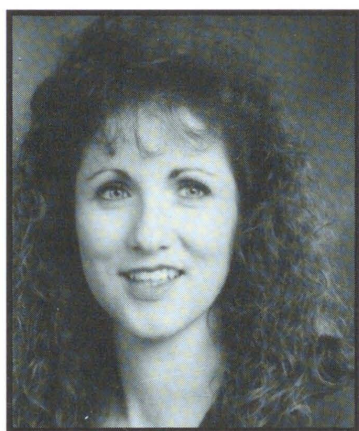
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P.E./I.S.S./Coach



Shirley Gollhofer
English/Speech/Drama



Betty Gorham
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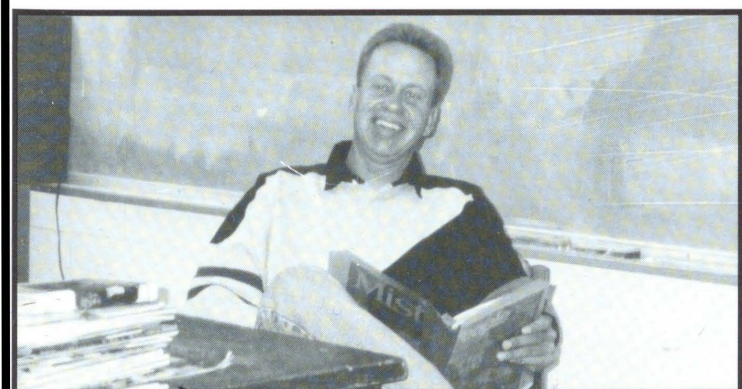
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Doug Hedrick
Principal

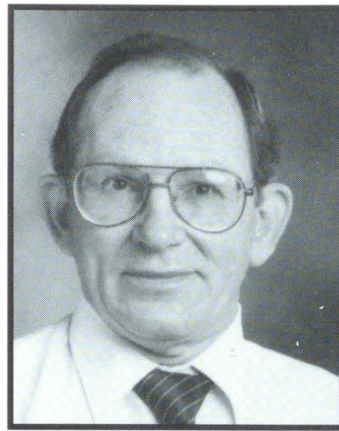


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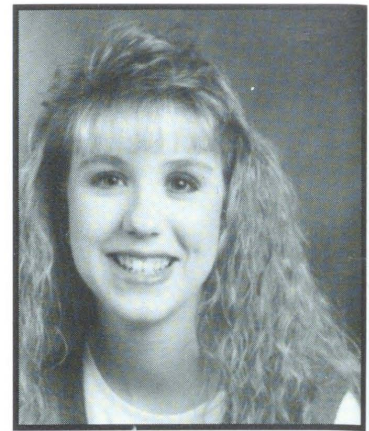


Mr. Butterfield takes a break from the latest gossip to smile for the camera.

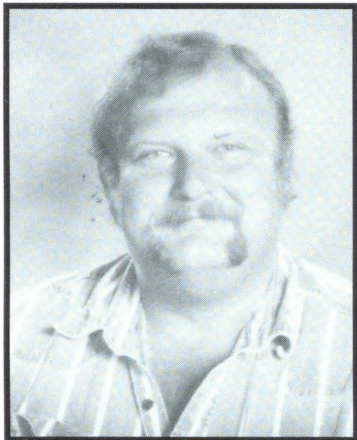
Mrs. Mason smiles for the camera as she separates the Avon orders.



Burney Johnson
Spanish/History



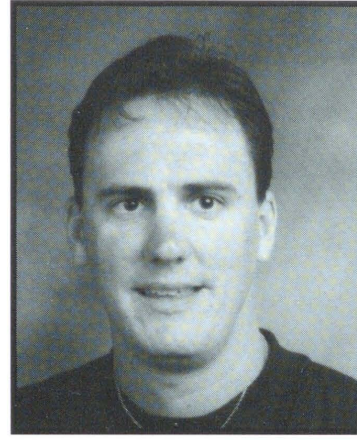
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Library Aide



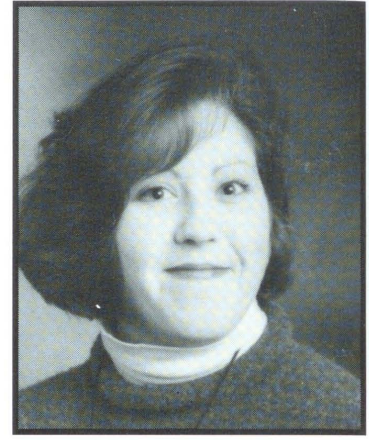
Duane Kaiser
Vocational Agriculture



Jean Lafoon
Librarian



Mike Lawrence
Typing



Tara Maddox
English



Mrs. Goff is caught off guard trying to hide a wet coffee spot.



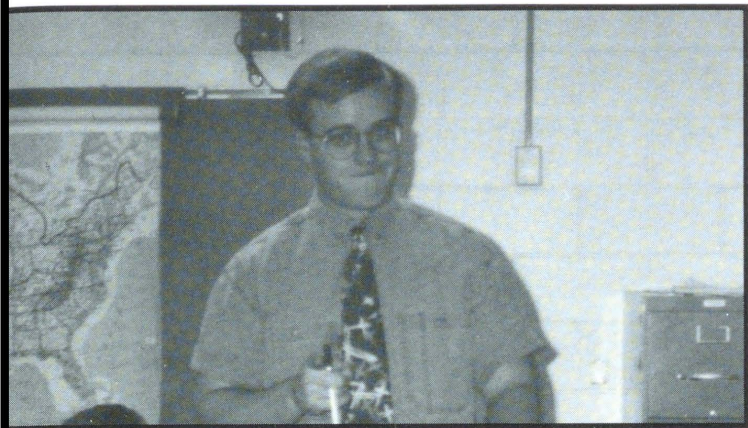
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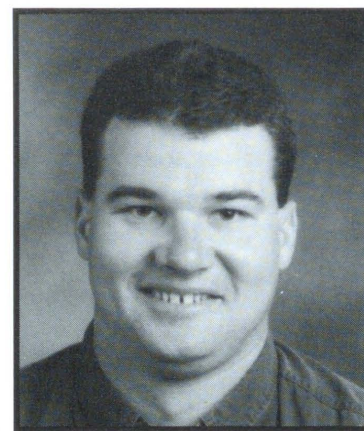
Darla Marbut
Art

1995/1996

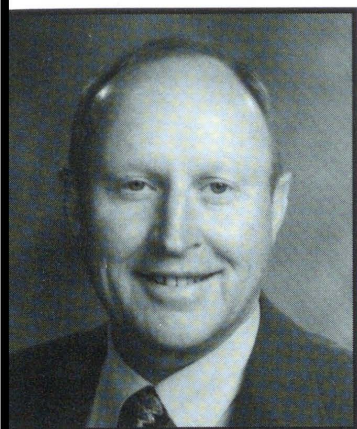
"Your mine." Mr. Anderson says as he prepares to throw our yearbook cameraman out of his class.



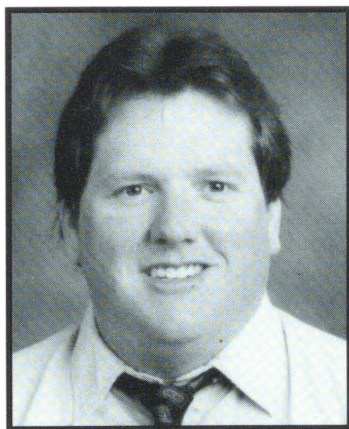
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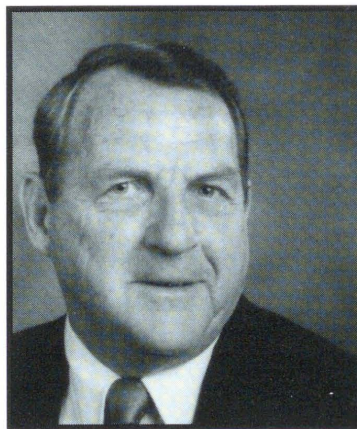
Larry Perkins
Mathematics



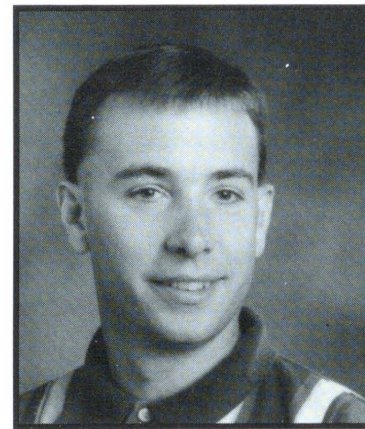
Doyle Price
Superintendent



Kevin Smith
Music



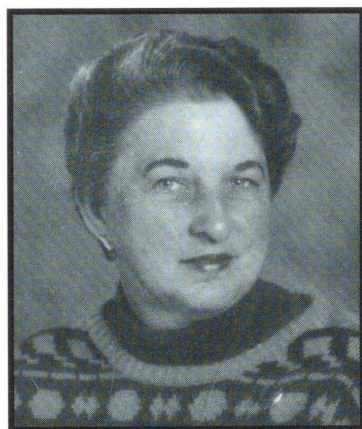
Bill Stufflebeam
Special Education



Eric White
Social Studies/Coach



Getha Wilkie
Business



Ouida Williams
Nurse



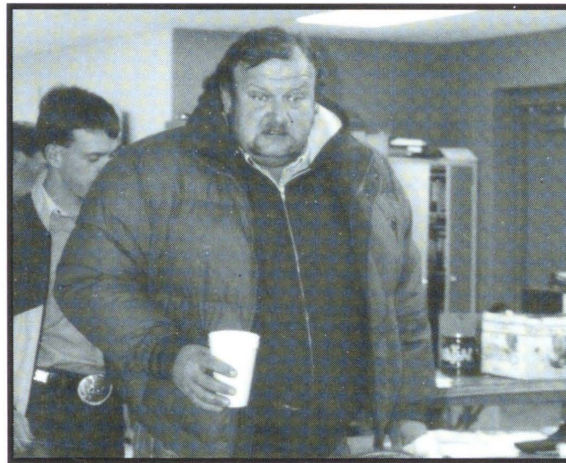
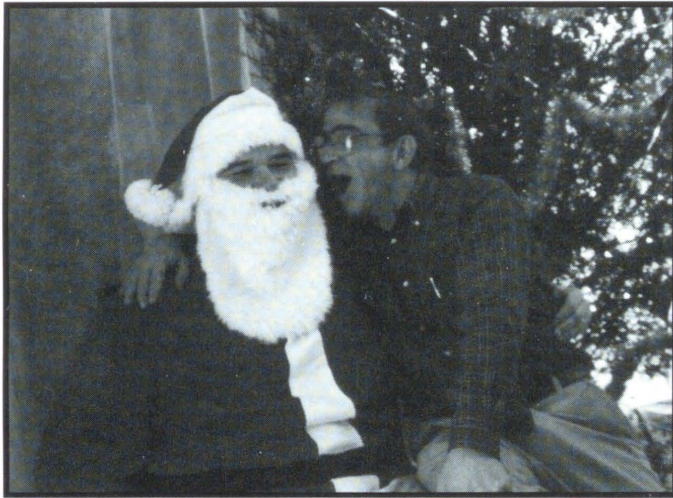
Mrs. Gorham shows us the proper typing technique as she works on a new computer in the computer lab.

Faculty

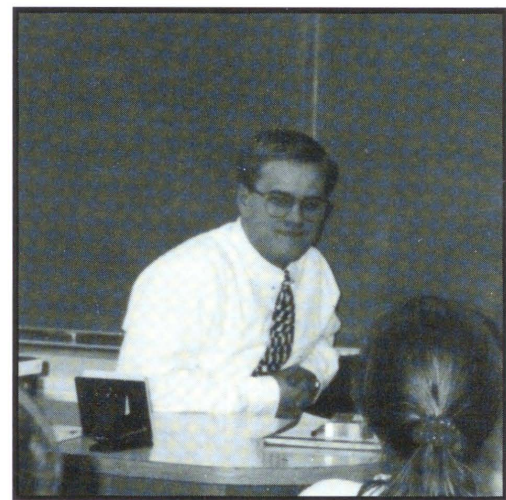
Teachers are the Solution!!

Santa, Mr. Perkins, checks Mr. Na'ayem's breath to see if he needs any breath mints for Christmas.

The two business teachers, Mrs. Wilkie and Mrs. Berry, show off their radiant smiles.



"All right, who spit on the Ag door?" wonders Mr. Kaiser.
Mr. Johnson prepares his Spanish class for a final.



Mrs. Marbut is a very valuable asset to East Newton's art program.

Ms. Guinn enjoys her second year of teaching English at E.N.

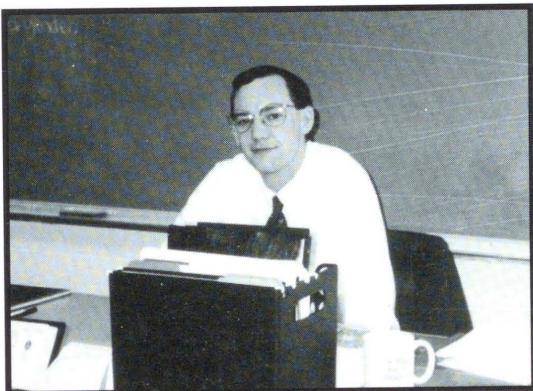
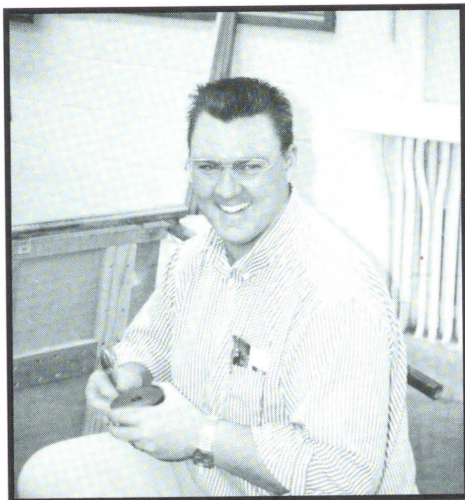
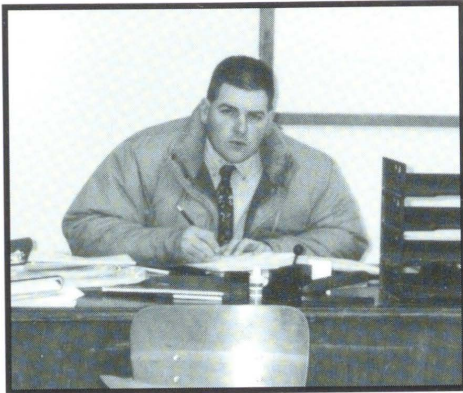
Mrs. Clymer prepares a biology test for her classes.

Mr. Anderson waits patiently for his class to finish their psychology.

NEW TEACHERS

There is nothing like an eskimo pie for Coach Cook.

Mr. Fix-It, Mr. Davis, tries to repair a table in the shop room.

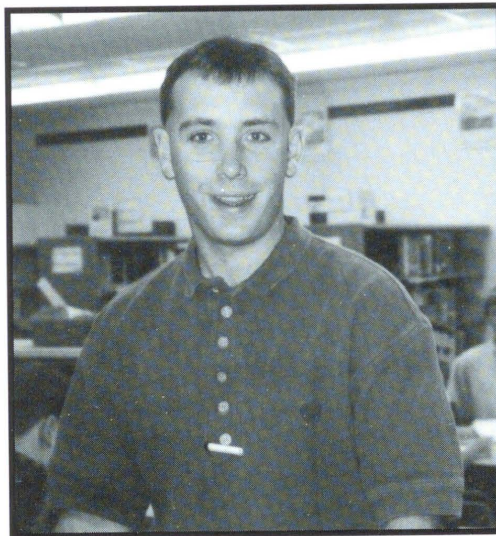


Mr. Garrison enjoys his first week of teaching after just finishing college.



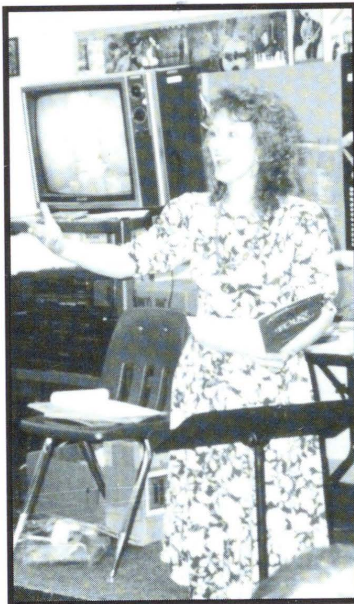
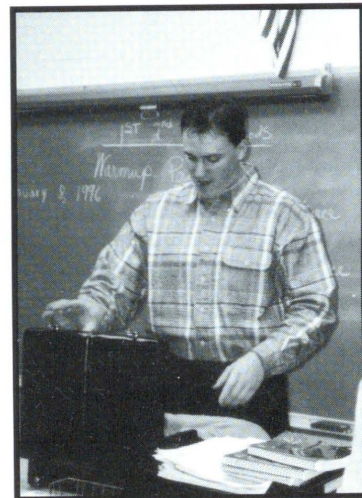
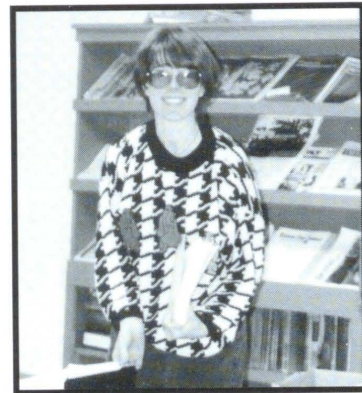
Mr. Arnold is maxin and relaxin while putting grades in the grade book.

Coach White, do you have a license to fly those ears?!



Mrs. Garnett is our new part-time Ag instructor.

Mr. Lawrence shows how to operate a briefcase.



"Two plus two is Uh..Uh.. four," says Mr. Perkins.

Mrs. Lusby enthusiastically helps her class hold a note.



Peek-a-boo! Coach Butterfield is all fun and games.

Striving for a Better Education

East Newton schools are very lucky to have such hard working people on our Board of Education and Administration.

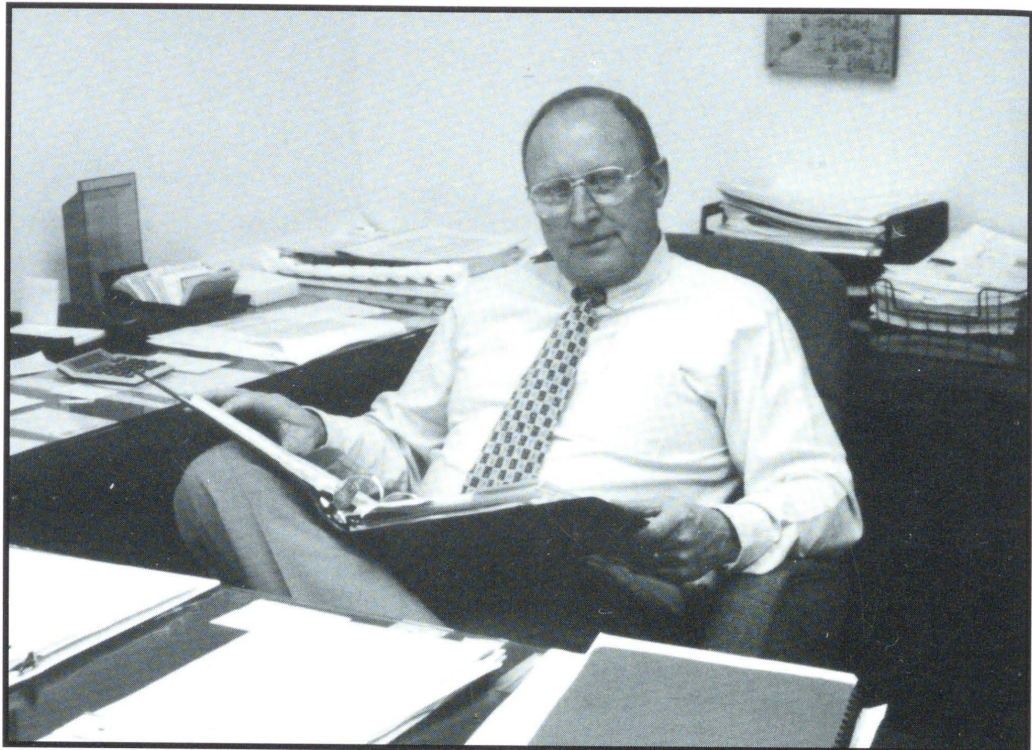
The seven-member Board of Education meets monthly to decide on issues, adopt policies and approve bills.

This year's administration consists of four individuals: The Superintendent, Doyle Price; The Principal, Doug Hedrick; The Administrative Assistant, Jack Andris; and Transportation and Athletic Director, Dave Allphin.

We appreciate all the hard work they do for our schools and hope they continue striving to improve our school system. Thank you!

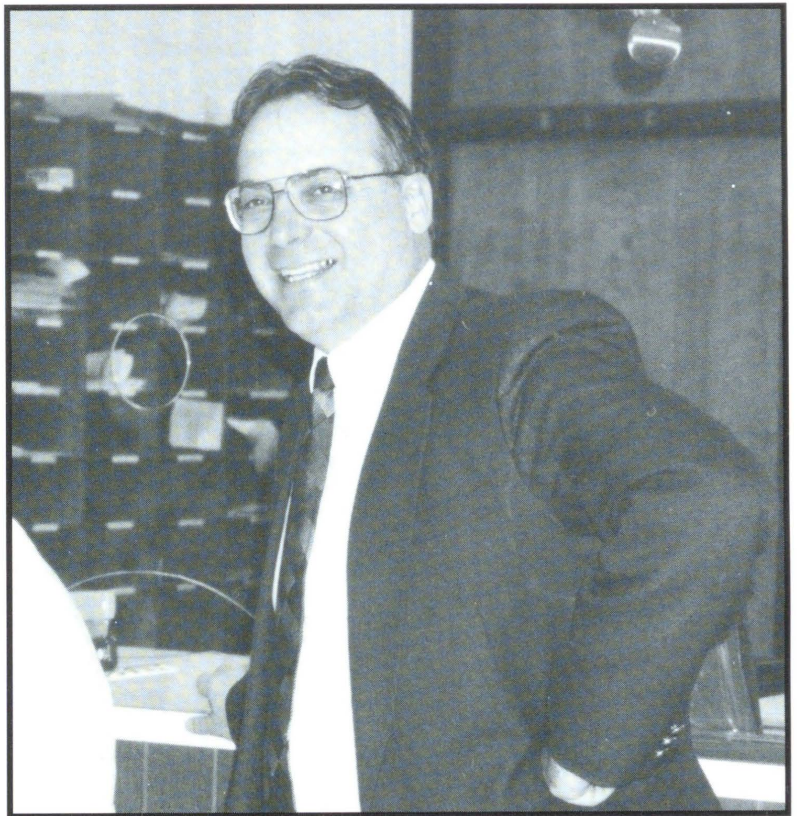
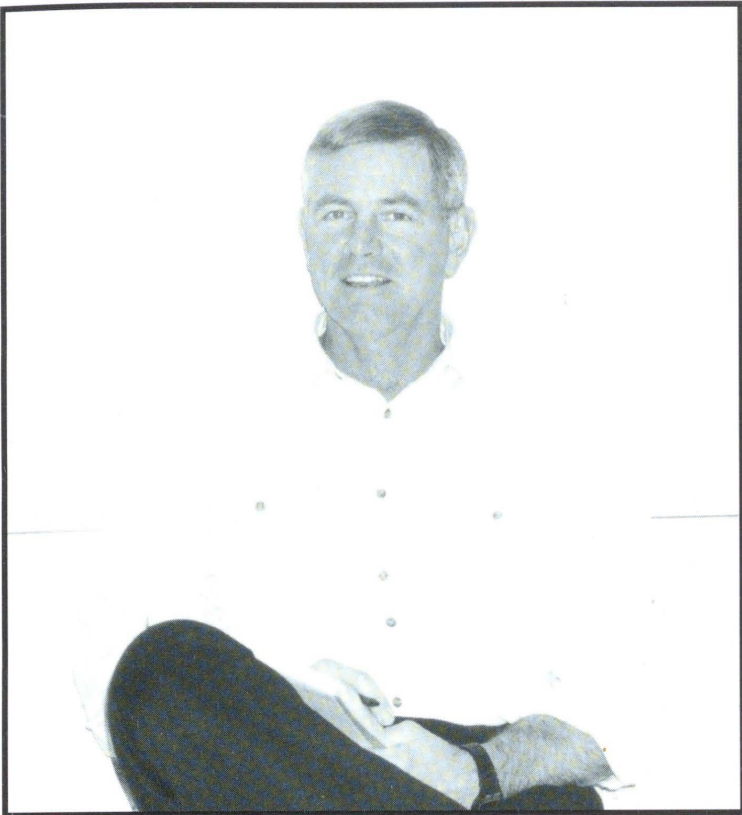
Dianna Fehlberg

You'd think he was "Just Relaxin", but Mr. Price actually has a lot of work on his hands. Or should we say in his lap?

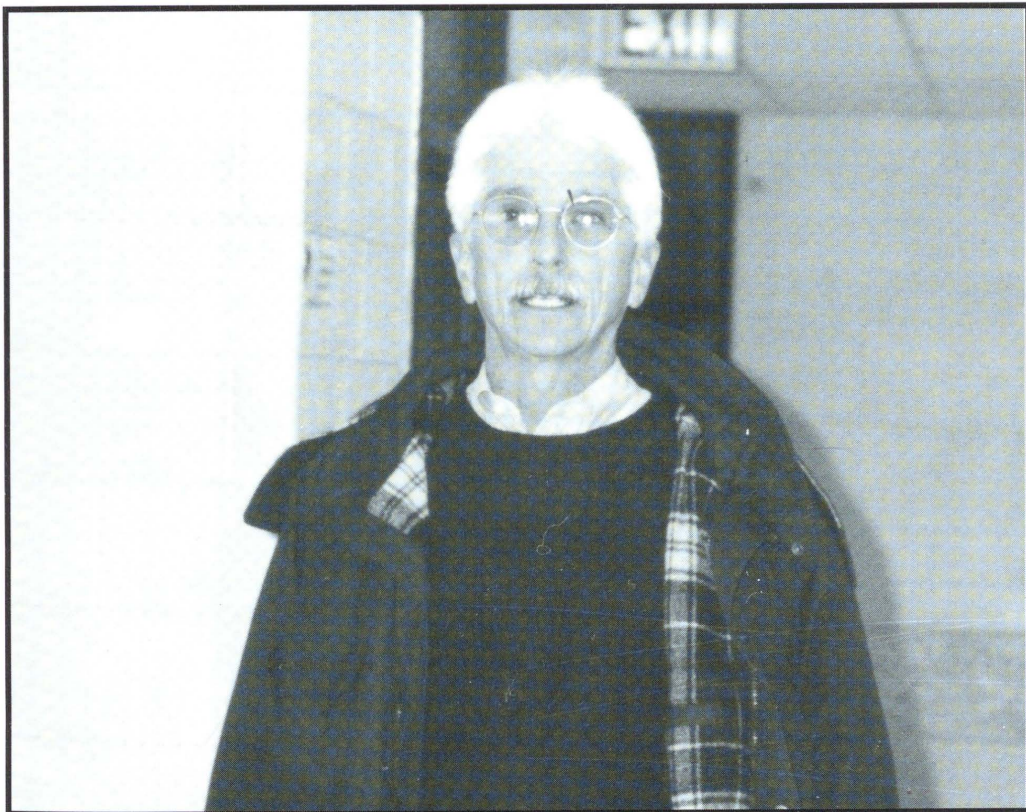


1995-96 Board of Education, Top row: Tony Grantham, Member; Jackie Stafford, Member; Hal Brown, Member; Billie White, Member; Joe Roszell, Vice President. Bottom row: Jackie Camerer, Secretary; Doyle Price, Superintendent; Jim Riggs, President; Mae White, Member.

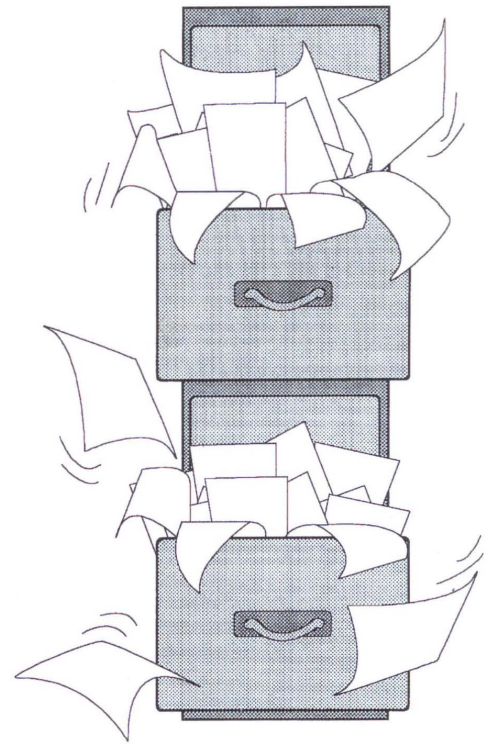
Dave Allphin the Transportation/Athletic Director, takes a break from his busy work schedule to sit down and enjoy a few minutes of his day.



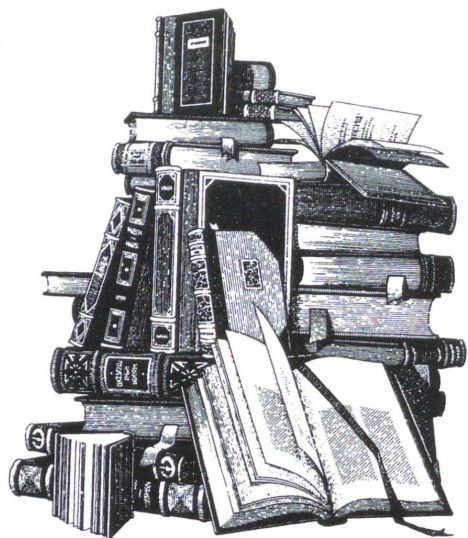
After being a principal at Bronaugh for two years, Mr. Hedrick decided to come to a bigger and better school. Can you blame him?



You hardly ever see this busy man, Jack Andris, the Administrative Assistant, but we caught him to smile for the camera.



Where would we be without our support staff?



Carolyn Sanders shows that work is never done as a secretary at East Newton High School, but someone has to do it! Carolyn seems to be perfect for the job.



Secretary Patty McKinney enjoys doing her work throughout the day. Keep smiling Patty!!!

Louise Faules has been working hard as the East Newton accountant for thirty years!!!



Jackie Camerer seems to enjoy working at East Newton, for forty years she has done a great job!



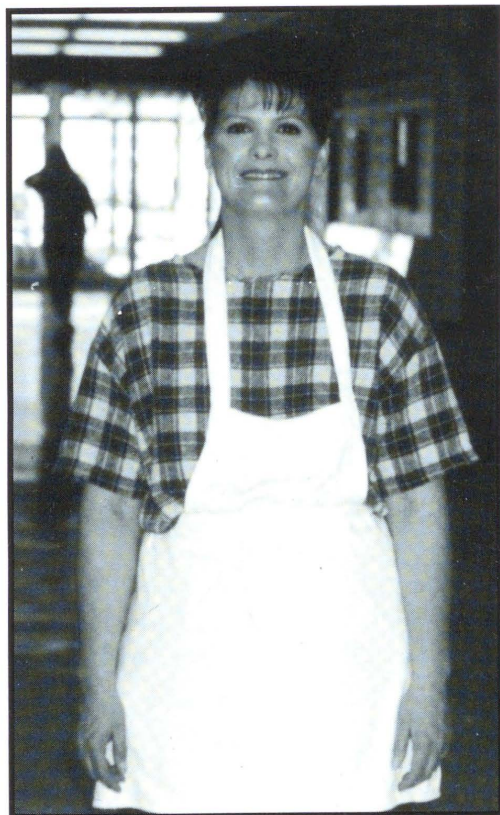
The East Newton cooks; Back row: Debbie Hobson, Diana Hawkins, Frankie Unzicker; Front row: Sandra Lipe, and Judy Woodwirth.



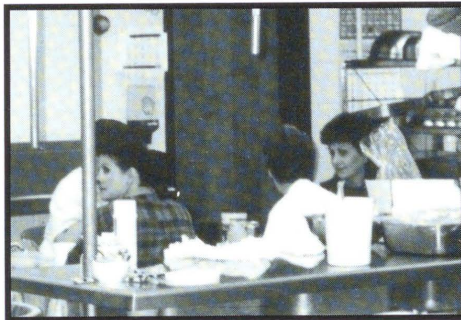
McCreery

Mary McCreery is taking care of business by ordering the food for East Newton school lunches.

Headcook Debbie Hobson returns to the kitchen.



The cooks are sitting down to a quiet meal but not for long!!!

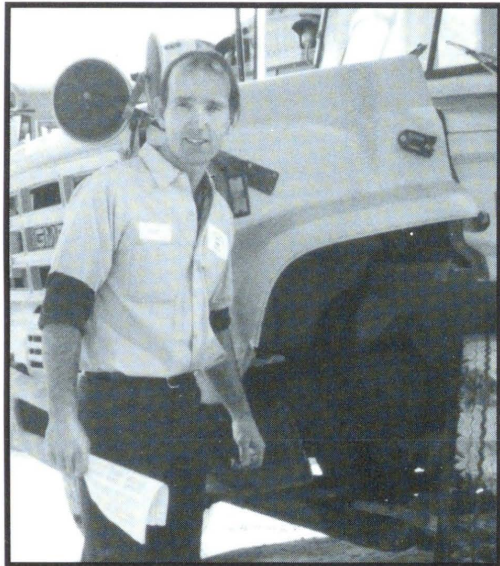


The E.N. cooks work very hard to prepare our meals each day.

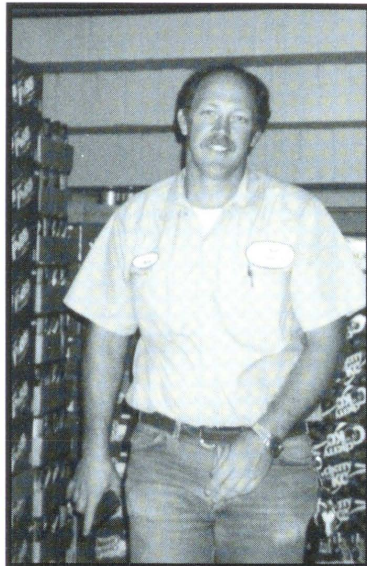


These gals do everything as a team to make E.N. lunches taste great!

The Fixer-Uppers



Looking very confused, Marty Hagedon tries to figure out where to begin the work on this wrecked bus.



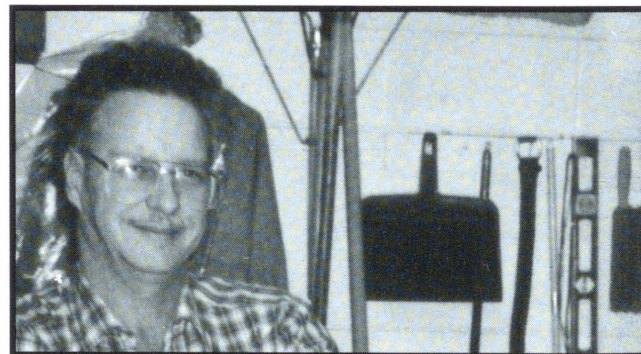
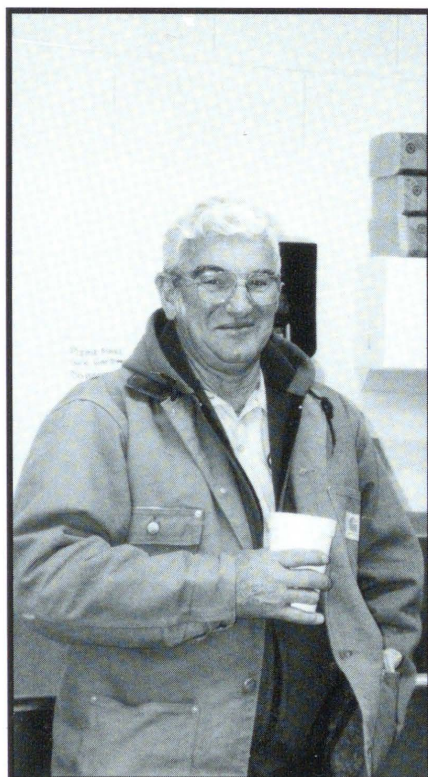
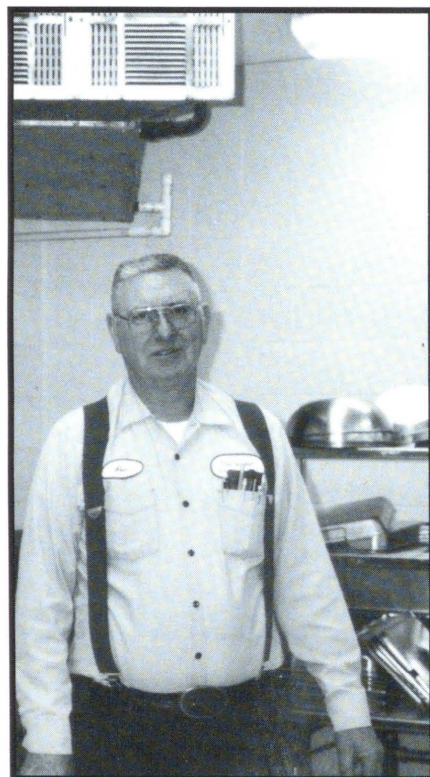
The energizer custodian, Steve Goade, seems to keep going and going!

I didn't do it!!! Kerry Stanberry tries to act innocently as he is caught in the act!!



Donny Culp snoops around the kitchen for leftovers in his free time. What free time?!

Troy Coburn is Kickin it back after a hard days work of fixin' things!



Marge Stockton, East Newton's housekeeper, "picks up" after the students each afternoon. It's a dirty job, but someone's got to do it.

David Wormington, the night watchman, takes a brief break to pose for the camera.

ORGANIZATIONS

Artists of the World

This year the Art Club returned for its second year with over 50 members. The Art Club revisited Precious Moments and Red Oaks in Carthage. Several times throughout the year, members stayed after school for workshops and also went on photography trips.

The Art Department was *again* successful at the annual District Art Show held in Lamar this year. E. N. won first place *again* with Amy Major and Jason James winning two of the three best of shows.

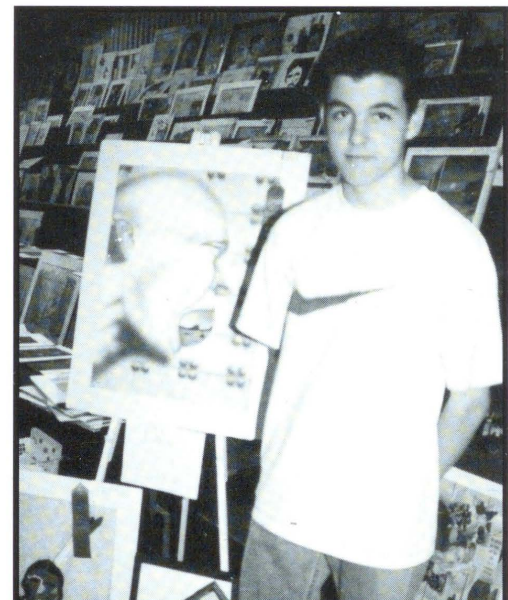
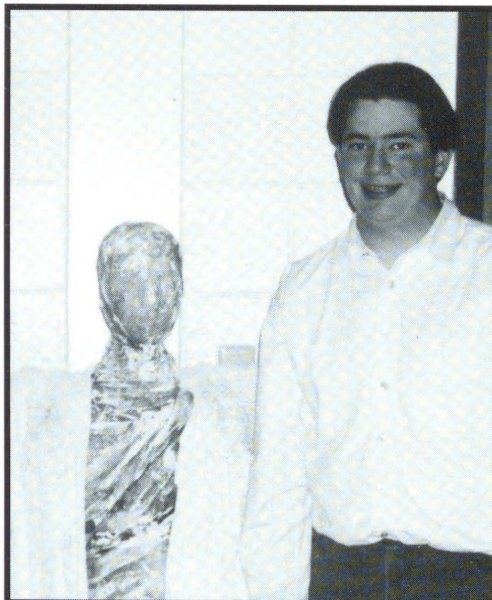
Mrs. Marbut helped several seniors get art scholarships at various colleges ranging from \$5,000 and below. This could be classified as the best year for the Art Department.

Jason James



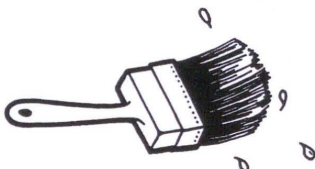
Mrs. Marbut, Art Teacher, critiques Sarah Scott's oil painting but Sarah strongly disagrees.

Art Club Members: Front: Mrs. Marbut-Sponsor, C. Alexander-Sec./Tres., F. Burge- V.Pres., K. Shellenberger-Hist., M. Mathis-Pres., 2nd: L. Lipe, K. Ford, D. Taylor, C. West, C. Pierce, C. Ford, L. Woods, V. Stripling, 3rd: M. Mosley, R. King, D. Olsbo, C. Brown, B. Rickman, M. Siler, J. Lane, D. McDonald, 4th: A. Powviriyya, A. Moffet, J. Barry, C. Reynolds, S. Clevenger, J. Johnson, J. Rittenberry, 5th: C. Atteberry, N. McCann, N. Hamilton, R. Diviner, M. McCool, S. Scott, J. James, 6th: J. Bowers, A. Rosinski, T. Weems, L. Erikson, K. Judd, W. Cooper, W. Jordan, 7th: J. Rakes, T. Lampkin, D. Tuomala, C. Cassady, J. Cooper, T. McDonald, K. Brock, C. Lollar, 8th: J. Skaggs, P. Jarvis, J. Channel, G. Cook, D. May, K. Putman, A. Wolgamott, 9th: B. Bohannan, A. Hamilton, I. Bowers, V. Payne, V. Higginson, S. Young, A. Major.



Setting the school record for most ribbons won in a year, Senior Jason James displays his sculpture that won best of show at district.

Sophomore Fred Burge won best of show on his creative airbrush this year at the local show.



Senior Michal Mathis diligently works on her oil painting- taking one brush stroke at a time to ensure the perfect effect.



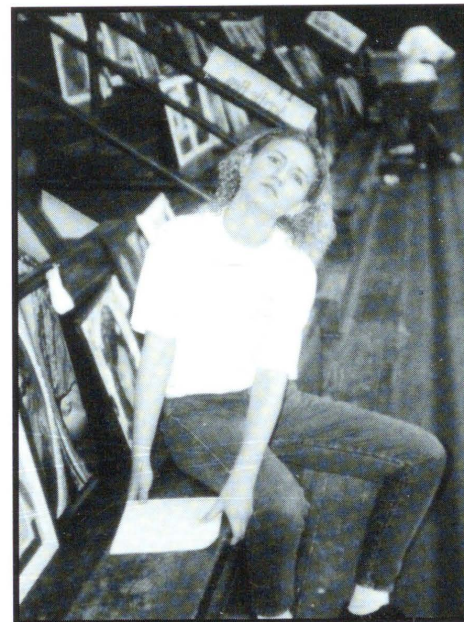
On the winter Art Club trip to Precious Moments, Crystal Alexander gets a quick hug from Timmy the Angel.



Dwon Taylor takes a moment from her daily gossip session to gawk enviously at another student's work.



Cassy Ford is "just bustin' her butt" to critique artwork at the district show in place of Mrs. Marbut's notorious final.



Cindy West takes a moment from the hard work demanded from setting up the district show to whine about it.

..... "Yah, Yah! We can handle this!" Thomas Benton reaches for his staple gun to help set up the district show.



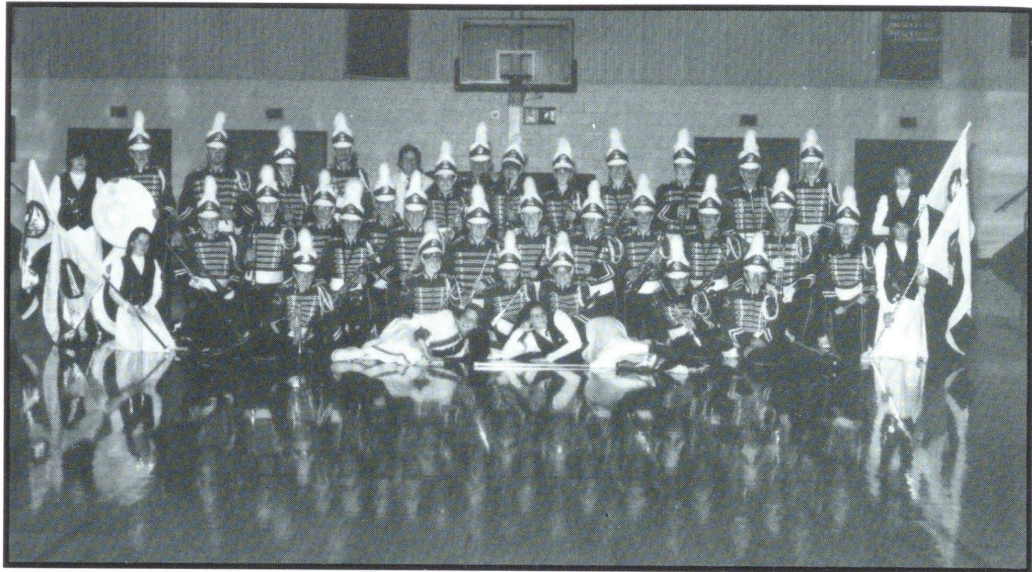
The Sound of Music

The 1995-96 Jazz Band/Band has had a very successful year with Mr. Smith as their director.

Many of the students have done an outstanding job this year. During the State Competition, Michael Ryan played the trumpet and received a three rating, Mary Hansen played the clarinet and received a three rating, and Sarah Young played the flute and received a one rating.

All the band students have put in a lot of hard work and effort to be the best that they could be. Great job guys and gals! You are greatly appreciated.

Stephanie Bailey



Band: top-S. Aulick, P. McKinney, A. Wolgamott, L. Lipe, B. Aulick, Mr. Smith, A. Brown, A. Hagan, B. Carterman, B. Troxell, L. Boettler, J. Bacal, I. Gripka, Z. Shockey, M. Hansen, J. Hopper, N. Stafford, T. McDonald, J. Arnall, P. Whitehead, B. Wilkie, A. Hansen, W. Hutchison, S. Becker, A. Rosinski, R. Willis, S. Ryan, M. Ryan, J. Sandtorf, S. Bridges, S. Perkins, S. Young, D. Haught, S. Goade, A. Darch, B. Porter, R. Hansen, J. Baker.



Band and Flag officers-Delaina Haught, Secretary; Michael Ryan, Librarian; Amanda Hansen, Reporter; Rebecca Hansen, Drum Major; Paula Whitehead, Vice-President; Bill Aulick, President; and Jennifer Baker, Flag Captain.

Who needs to practice? Alex Wolgamott and Jill Sandtorf decide to kick it back!

Tootin' their horns, Levi Boettler and Ryan Willis concentrate on playing their saxophones.





Jazz Band: Rebecca Hansen, Zach Shockey, Michael Ryan, Toby McDonald, Jill Sandtorf, Lindsay Lipe, Josh Bacal, Mr. Smith, Delania Haught, Bill Aulick, Ryan Willis, Jennifer Hopper, and Scott Ryan.

This trio of trumpets are tuning up to play a jazzy tune for Jazz Band.



Levi Boettler and Autumn Brown show the camera person how much fun band can really be.



Flag team: Stephanie Aulick, Jennifer Baker, Samantha Bridges, Jennifer Hopper, and Mary Hansen.



The band practices very hard for their District Music Festival where they played "Bonds of Unity" and "Joyant Winds."



Mr. Smith, the proud band instructor, has been with East Newton for four years, and has done a great job.

Singing Their Life Away

1995-96 Mixed Chorus: Bottom to top-Kris S., Ryan W., Jesse B., Aaron M., Trina B., Shelia P., Kelly P., Heather S., Mrs. Higginson, John L., Jason D., Tim N., Peter J., Jeff C., Jennifer L., Mrs. Lusby, Marcus T., Robert H., John L., Jennifer B., Jennifer H., Mandy O., Tresa F., Jessica J., Tanya B., Jenny P., Don W., Jada B., Paula J., Laura C., Tuesday W., Jennifer R., Heidi T., Dawn B., Renee B., Jamie H., Priscilla P., April B., Joann M., Cindy H., Misty M., Lisa B., Crystal G., Chancy B., Amanda W.

1995-96 Patriot Singers: First Row-Mrs. Higginson (accompanist), Tanya Bogenrief, Leesa Cook, Jesse Beims, Jason Darch, Adam Meadows, Mrs. Lusby. Back Row- Kelly Peters, Shelia Patterson, Ann Carter, Sarah Bartley, Dwon Taylor, Cindy West, and P.J. Starr.



On May 21, the Mixed Chorus performed the songs "Joshua" and "Angels Among Us" at their concert.



Singing and dancing to the song "Boogie Woogie" the Patriot Singers seem to be having a wonderful time.

So Much Talent

This years' talent show was sponsored by the 1995-96 Student Council. The talent show was held on April 5, 1996. There were thirteen acts in two categories, serious and comedy. This years' winners were Andrew Powvirya 1st place, Shelia Patterson and Sarah Bartley 2nd place, and Leesa Cook 3rd place. The winners of the comedy category were Geoff Cook and Marcus Thogmartin. All the winners were awarded cash prizes. Thanks for all your participation and good luck next year.

Dianna Fehlberg

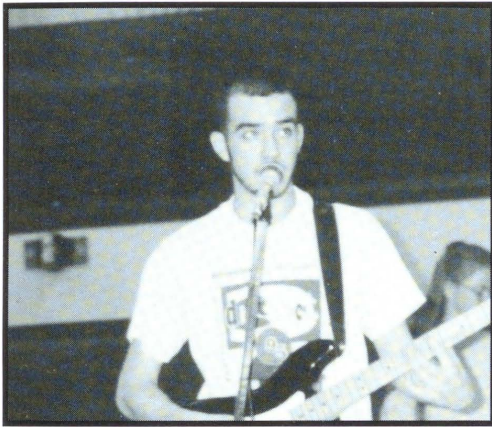
"Baby I Don't Care" placed first when Andrew Powvirya sang it at this years' talent show.



Leesa Cook received third place singing "Go Light Your Candle." Way to go Leesa!



Bill Aulick and his band sang an original song "Will You Love Me." Move over All 4 One!!!

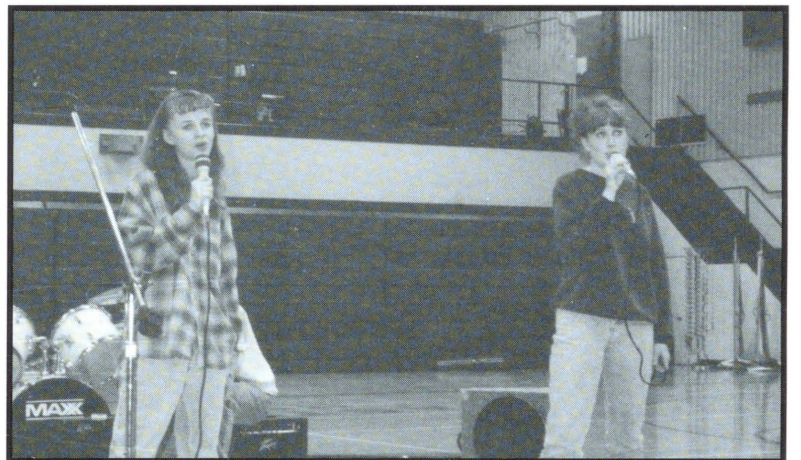


Doing a solo in front of the whole school, Tanya Bogenrief sings "When I Heal."

Talk about amazing! Crystal Dubois sings "Amazing Grace" with feeling and pride.



Bringing home first in the Comedy Category for the second year in a row, Geoff Cook and Marcus Thogmartin sang "Stayin' Alive."



Placing second, Shelia Patterson and Sarah Bartley sang a duet of the song "The Rose."

It's Showtime

This year East Newton High School put on two plays: "Right Before Your Eyes" and "Dogsbreath Devereaux, the Dastardly Doctor or Nurses! Foiled Again!"

Ms. Gollhofer presided over the plays and did a very good job getting everything together. This is her first year as an East Newton drama teacher.

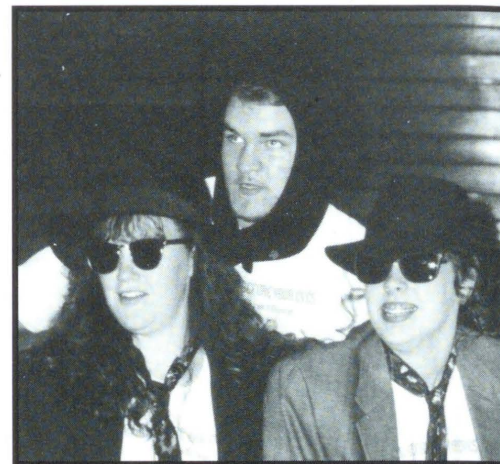
Both plays were comedies and kept everyone's attention until the end. It was a job well done, and we hope to see more of their performances.

Wisper Wagner



It's good to be king claims Shane Kyger as he poses as King Midas in this year's fall play.

Is it a wolf and the Blues Brother's? No it's Alex Wolgamott, Jennifer Baker, and Jamie Pickup.

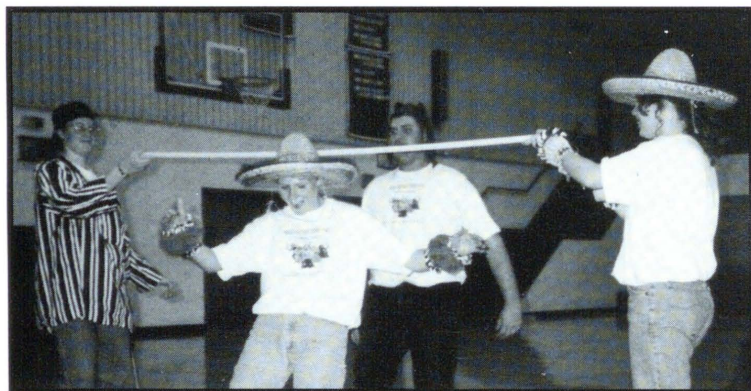
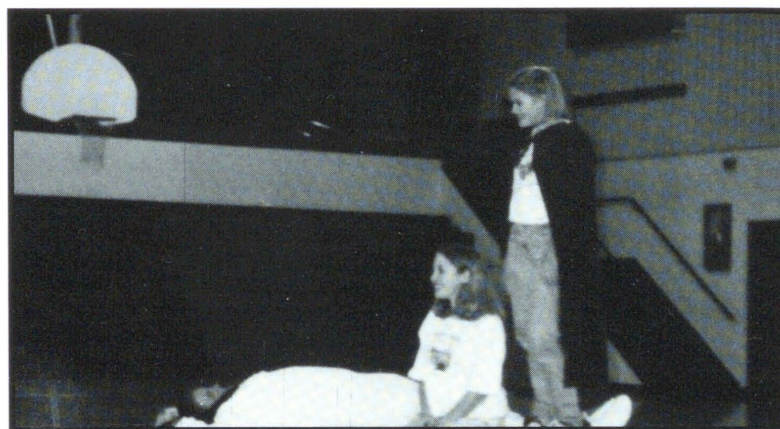


Help! The Princess is frozen. Quick, someone save P.J. Starr!

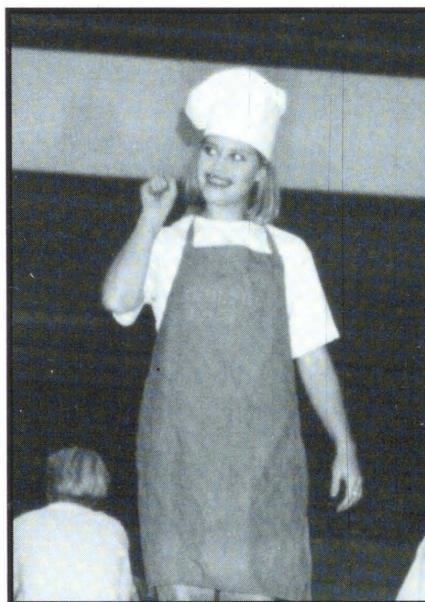
Mandy Oxendine, the tailor, knows the truth but will anyone listen to her or will they be tricked.



The wolf (Alex Wolgamott) is posing as grandma. Will Leesa Cook and P. J. Starr figure it out before it is too late or will the wolf eat them?



A little lower now, Mandy Oxendine and Alex Wolgamott see how low they can go under the limbo stick.

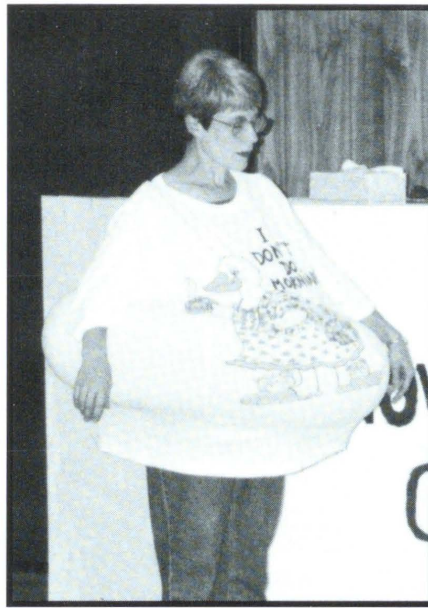
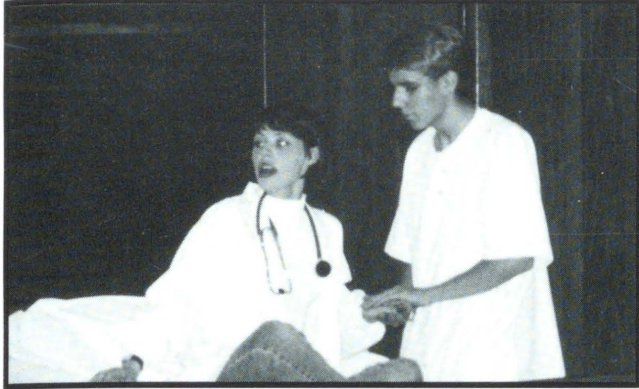


It's Mandy Oxendine and Jamie Pickup, the calypso dancers from East Newton.

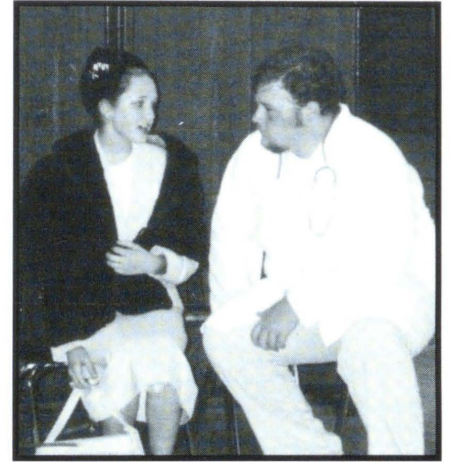
Leesa Cook poses as a chef for the play "Right Before Your Eyes."

Oh No! Mrs. Gorham can't see her feet--surely someone at the Hanover D. Cash Clinic can help.

Orderly Ward Helper (Jason R.) makes sure his sweetheart Nurse Ivy Dripp (Betsy C.) is feeling better.

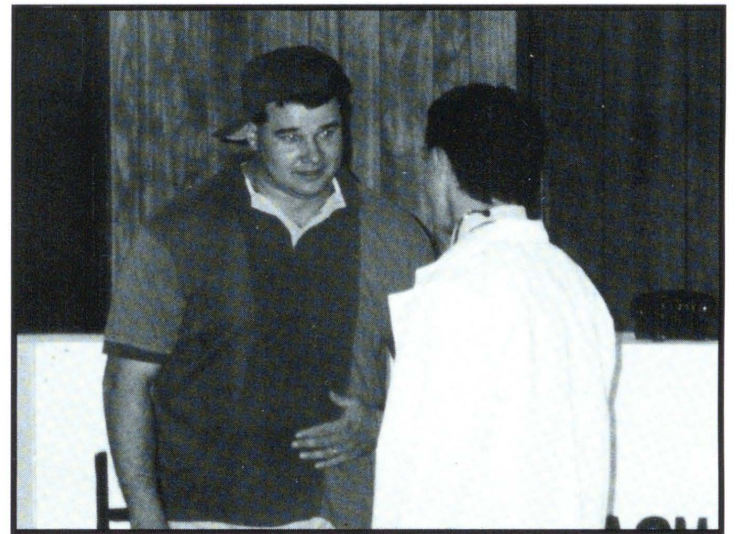
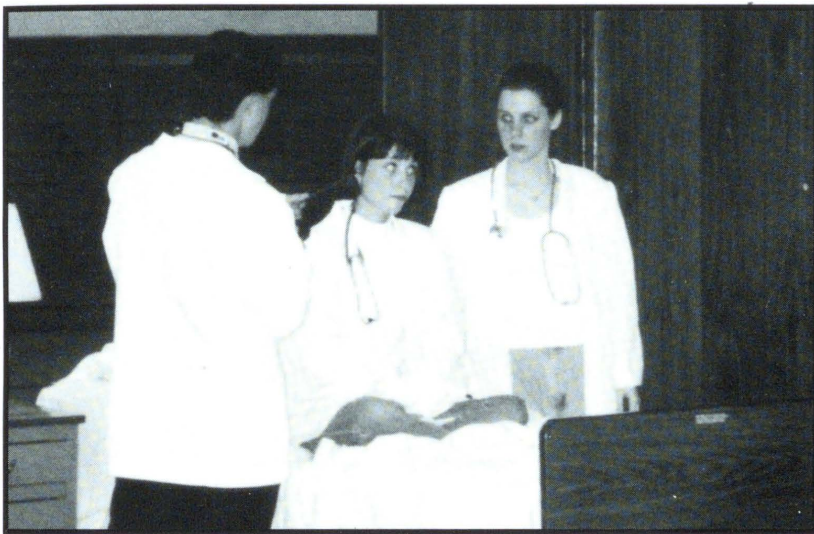


Doctor Dogsbreath Devereaux (Justin M.) tries to get Lotta Cash (Jamie H.) to marry him so he can have her money.



Dr. Phil Good (Andrew P.) helps Nurse Ivy Dripp (Betsy C.) pull out a pencil she inadvertently stuck in her ear.

Coach Perkins swallowed a penny, someone at the Hanover D. Cash Clinic will help him out.



Mr. Garrison got ran over by a bus while crossing the street but the doctors at the Hanover D. Cash Clinic can fix him up.

Nurse Wendy March (Jamie P.) stands to gain a lot if anyone can find out she is related to Lotta Cash.

Bro. Sunbeam (Jon A.) can perform the marriage of Dr. D. and Lotta Cash as soon as he gets better.

Catch The Spirit

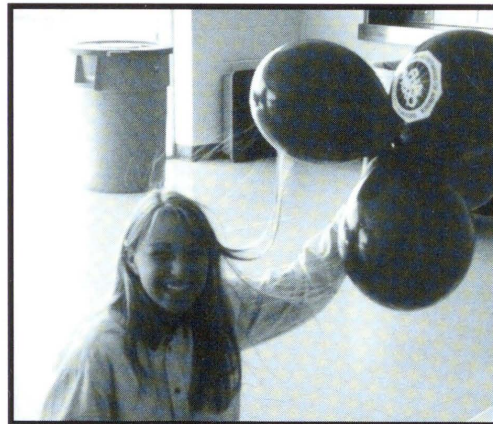
This year's FHA members had a lot of fun participating in many activities put on by the FHA chapter. FHA members participated in their annual decoration of the Granby House at Christmas time. This is very special to the elderly and to the kids who help decorate. During FHA week members enjoyed activities like **BYOB** (Bring Your Own Banana) Day, Red and White Day, Member Appreciation Day, and Locker Decoration Day. They also cooked breakfast for the teachers one morning before school.

Some of the FHA members sold enough Avon to attend the National Cluster Meetings held in Wichita, Kansas.

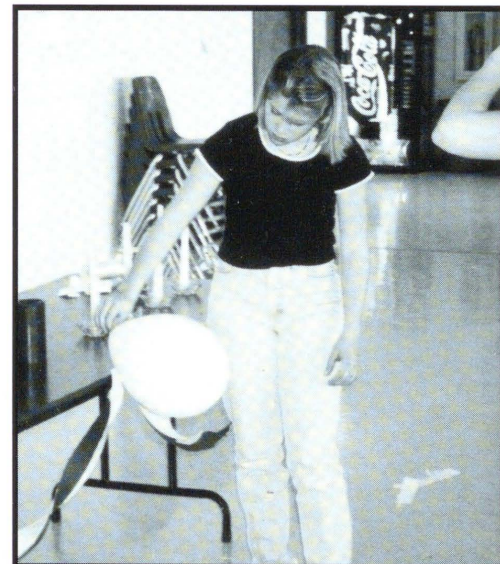
The FHA banquet was held in the cafeteria. This banquet was for the installation of officers. Parents, friends, and FHA members enjoyed the evening.

Yari Granda

1995-95 FHA; 1st Row-G. Cook, Y. Granda, L. McFarland, D. Brady, R. Divine, C. Pumpkin, L. Cook, A. Jones, M. Thogmartin, B. Cook; 2nd Row-H. Pfeifly, S. Yates, S. Johnson, R. Bish, C. Green, T. Renfro, Mrs. Mason; 3rd Row-S. Garren, A. Litchfield, D. Clouse, T. Shewmake, H. Skaggs, W. Hutchinson; 4th Row-K. Gulley, D. Guinn, J. Morris, K. Ford, J. Rozell, J. Riggs, T. Sartin; 5th Row-C. Heidrick, M. McNee, L. Bromlow, V. Payne, J. Lane, J. Ward, S. Cook, A. Lewis; 6th Row-S. Puckett, A. Brown, E. Rakes, B. Courtney, J. Cooper, L. Erickson, J. Schenck, J. Casey; 7th Row-M. Turner, J. Guinn, S. Mathis, J. Heatley, R. Canter, C. Lollar, S. Tuomala.



What an "estatic" personality! Yari Granda helps cluster balloons to use as banquet decorations.

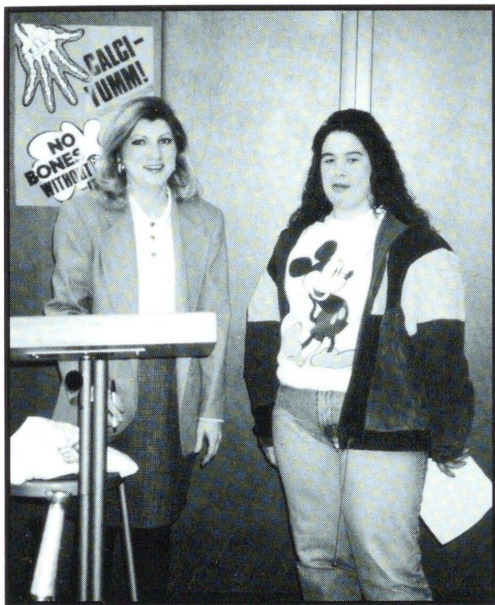
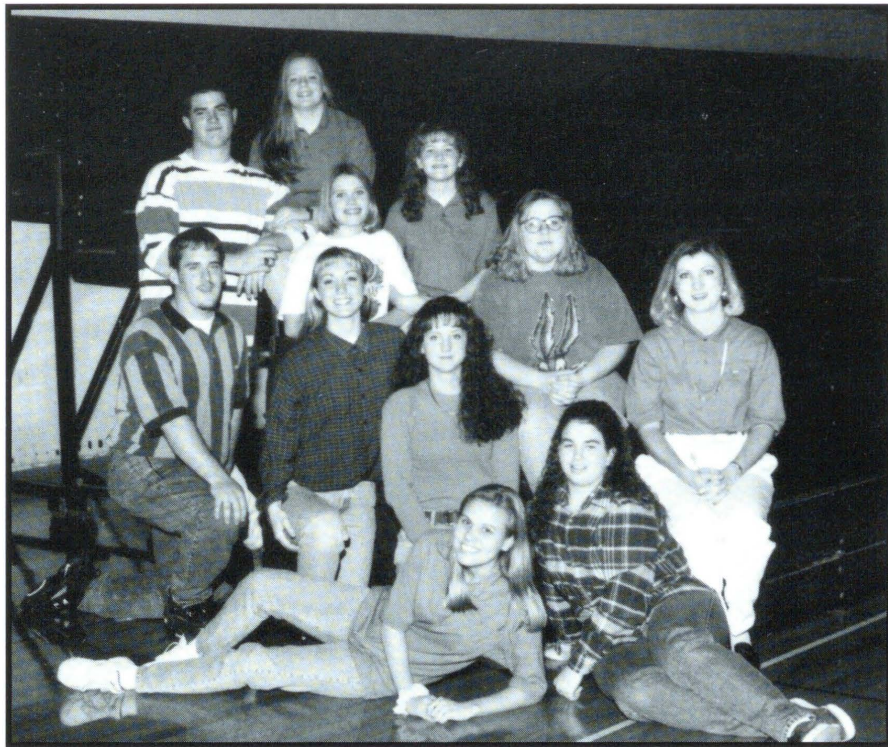
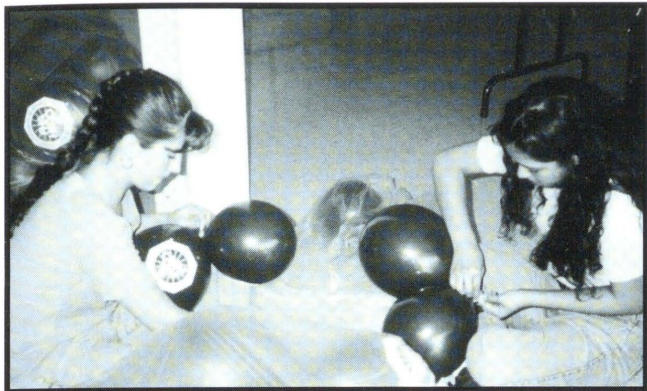


Should it go here? Leesa Cook puts balloons and streamers on the ceremony table.

Carrie Pumpkin, FHA's new president, and Rhonda Divine draw for FHA mugs and T-shirts.

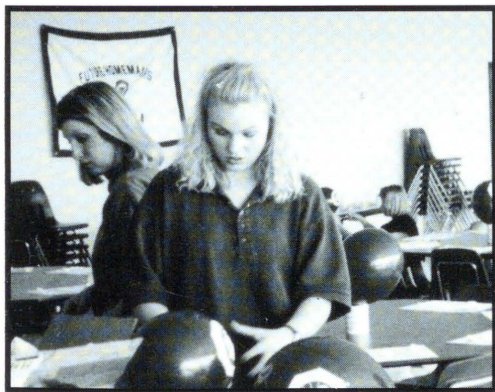
1995-1996 Officers, M. Thogmartin- Parl., A. Jones- Historian, L. Cook- Reporter, B. Cook- Regional Rep., G. Cook- Male Rep., Y. Granda- Secretary, L. McFarland- V. Pres., R. Divine- Rec. Leader, C. Pumpkin- Treasurer, D. Brady- Pres., and Mrs. Mason- Advisor.

Full of hot air! Lindsay M. and Laisa L. blow up balloons to decorate the cafeteria.



Out with the old and in with the new. The present office holders transfer the duties of their respective offices to the 1996-97 officers.

Working side by side, Advisor Mrs. Mason and President Dawn Brady prepare the agenda for one of the many activity hour meetings.



Lilly E. was a big help in decorating for the banquet. With all the help this banquet was a success.



K. Ford, V. Payne, and S. Cook listen intently at an FHA meeting.

FHA Male Rep., Geoff Cook, lights the last candle of the ceremony.

Teaching into the Future

The Future Teachers of America is organized to create interest in teaching as a profession. Mrs. A. Clymer and Mrs. J. Lafoon are advisors.

The years activities started with an impressive installation of the 1995-96 officers. These officers are: L. Abeln; president, A. Hansen; V. president, A. Swartz; sec. treasurer, and R. Thomlinson; historian. Several members completed a workshop through Crowder College to qualify as Academic Coaches. The volunteer tutoring helped several students throughout the district. The FTA also was responsible for the selection of Students of the Quarter. FTA held the annual Teachers Tea for teachers, retired teachers, administrators, and secretaries on November 15. The theme of the tea was Rock and Roll which included a menu of sandwiches, hotdogs, cones, and floats.

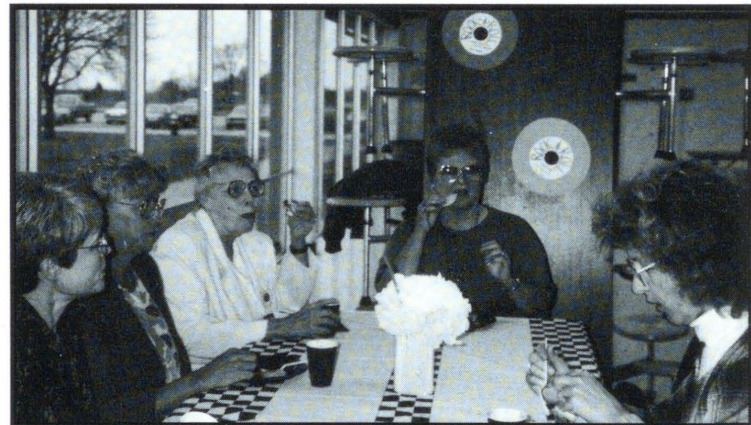


Front Row: Mrs. Clymer; Advisor, J. Rapp, R. Thomlinson, A. Swartz, L. Abeln, S. Chupp, A. Hansen, Mrs. Lafoon; Advisor, 2nd Row: S. Becker, D. Owen, Y. Granda, B. Aulick, T. Gripka, J. Stewart, 3rd Row: M. McNee, A. Brown, T. Shewmake, J. Baker, P. Whitehead, M. Hansen, Back Row: S. Clevenger, J. Pickup, J. Poynor, C. Lollar.



The 1995-1996 officers are installed at an impressive ceremony: R. Thomlinson; historian, A. Swartz; Sec.-Tres., A. Hansen; V. Pres., and L. Abeln; Pres.

Jean Lafoon, Librarian, serves as one of the advisors of the East Newton FTA chapter.



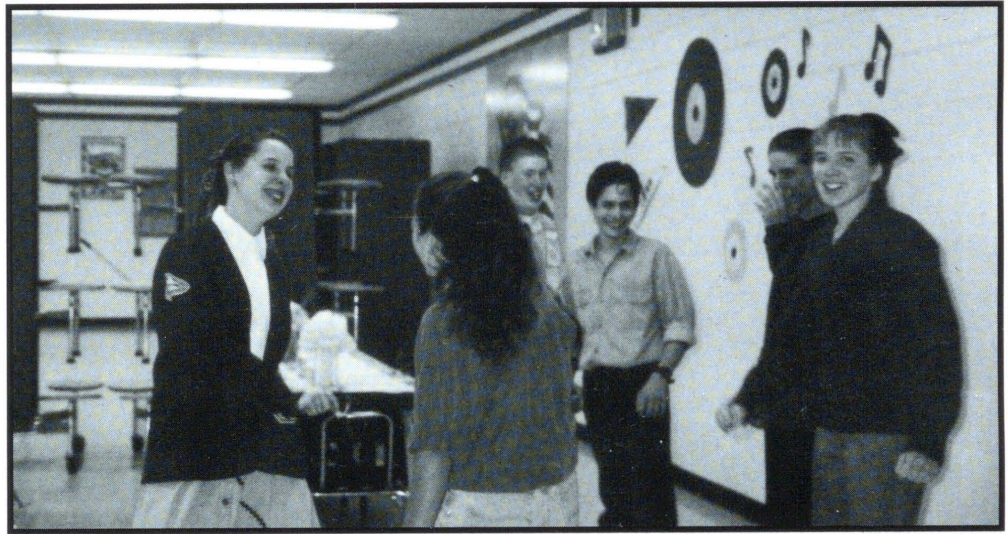
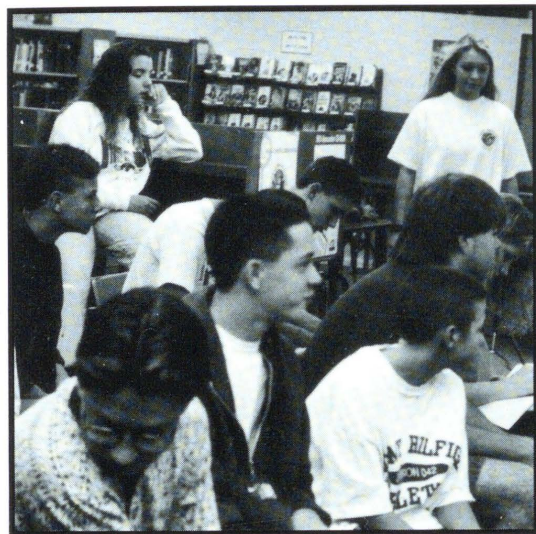
A lively group of future teachers listen intently during an activity period meeting.

Betty Gorham, Doris McCleary, Ann Standifer, Patty McKinney, and Rita Coburn enjoy the food and drinks served at the teacher appreciation tea.



A. Wolgamott, M. Hansen, and A. Hansen try their talent in fixing J. Rapp's hair in a '50's style.

Mr. White, Mrs. Clymer, Mrs. Lafoon, Mrs. Wilkie, and Mr. Smith take time away from their teaching duties to enjoy the tea.



FTA'ers wait patiently for the meeting to get started.

Jason Rapp waits to see if he can refill Ms. Guinn's and Ms. Berry's drinks.



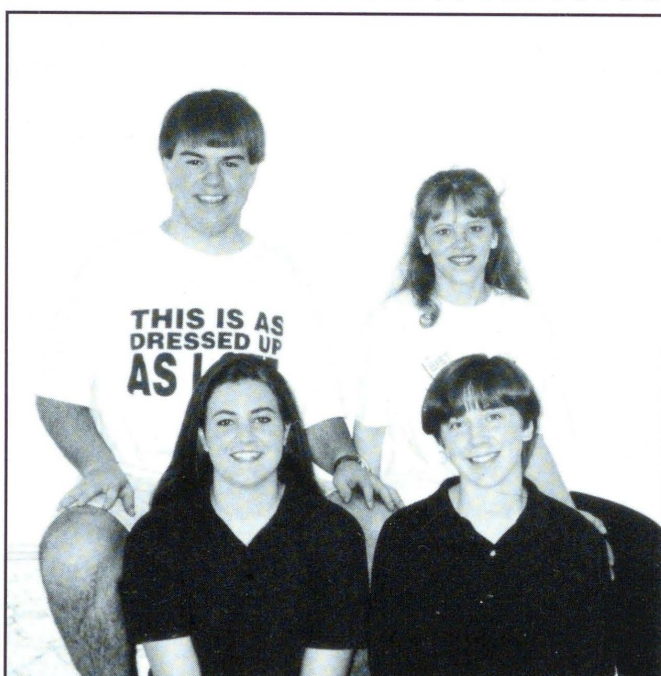
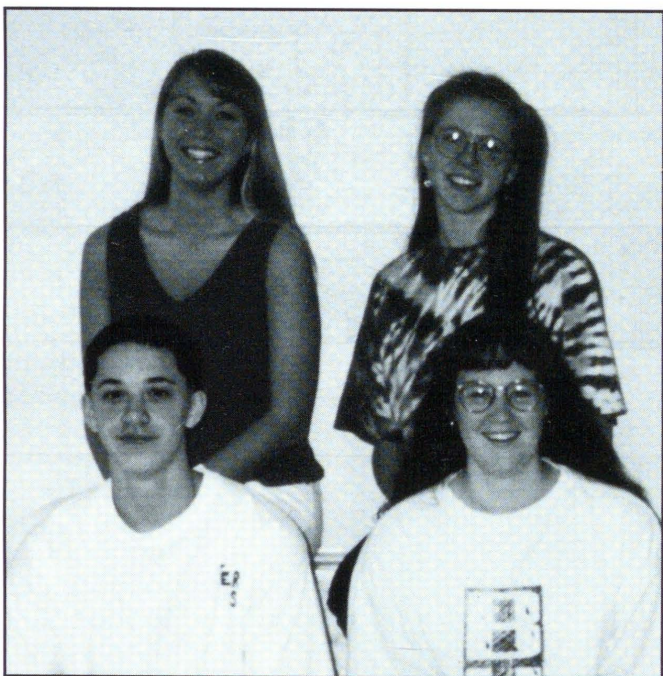
J. Pickup, P. Whitehead, S. Becker, D. Owen, T. Gripka and M. Hansen get ready to rock 'n roll.

Scott Becker seems to be a little unsure of Mary Hansen's Hair styling ability.

Outstanding Students of the Year!!!

First Quarter: Sophomore-Paula Whitehead, Freshman-Barbara Troxell, Senior-Leesa Cook, Junior-Mindy Turner.

Second Quarter: Sophomore-Amanda Hansen, Freshman-Lindsay Steele, Senior-Laura Abeln, Junior-Ann Carter.

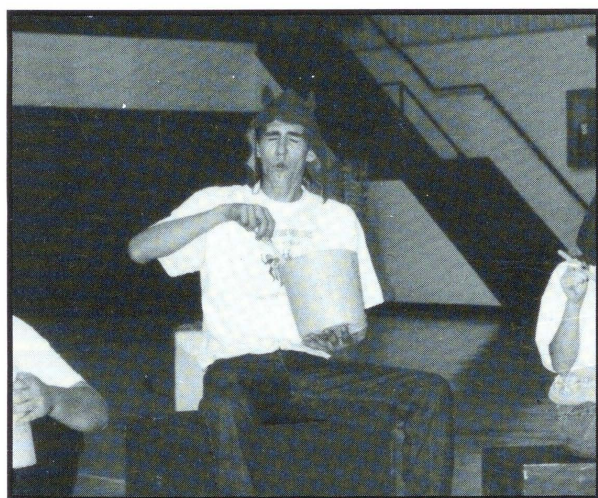
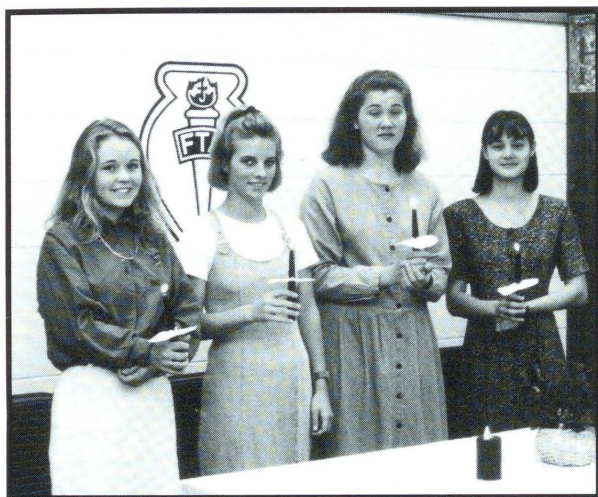


Third Quarter: Freshman-Andrew Powviriya, Sophomore-Jennifer Baker, Senior-Yari Granda, Junior-Rebecca Hansen.

Fourth Quarter: Sophomore-Kirsti Allphin, Freshman-Mary Hansen, Senior-Terrell Shewmake, Junior-Delaina Haught.

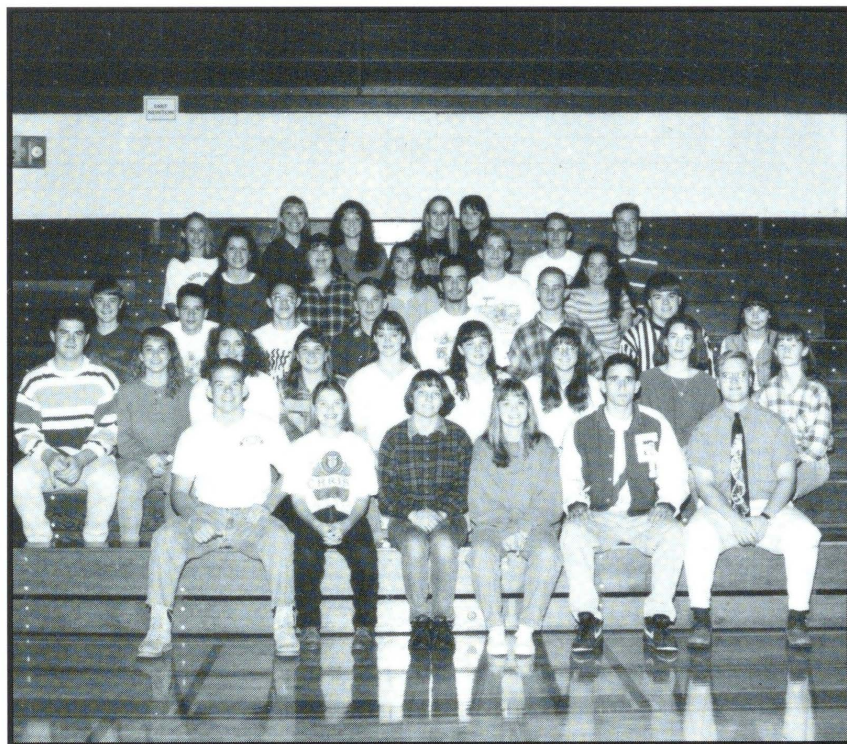
Science Club officers and members spend a minute with Joe Rothgeb after his presentation to the group.

Trying not to burn themselves, R. Thomlinson, A. Swartz, A. Hansen, and L. Abel the officers of FTA conclude the ceremony with the lighting of candles.



Having a hoe down, Senior Shane Kyger entertains a crowd of people during the fall play "Right Before Your Eyes."

FCA 1995-96: M. VanWinkle, L. Cook, A. Nielsen, T. Gripka, Mr. Anderson, M. Thogmartin, M. Turner, K. Richardson, R. Johnson, L. Steele, T. Renfro, A. Rosinski, A. Wolgamott, B. Troxell, S. Perkins, I. Gripka, A. Powviryia, B. Harvill, B. Aulick, J. Jackson, T. Shewmake, M. Marion, M. Mathis, S. Johnson, M. Mosley, S. Chupp, P. Whitehead, K. Putman, Y. Granda, L. McFarland, E. Rakes, B. Courtney, C. Cook, and J. Poynor.



FCA Officers 1995-96: Leesa Cook--Vice-President, Adrienne Nielsen-- Events Recorder, Rendi Thomlinson--President, Mr. Anderson--Advisor, Matt VanWinkle--Activities Director, Tim Gripka--Recruiter, Not Pictured--Kevin Mayfield--Treasurer.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Membership in the National Honor Society is one of the highest honors a student can achieve. The selection process is very competitive and explicit. Eligibility for consideration is determined by grade point average. Those students who are academically eligible are screened by a committee of faculty members. In addition to scholastic ability, students must exhibit the qualities of leadership, character, and service to be chosen.

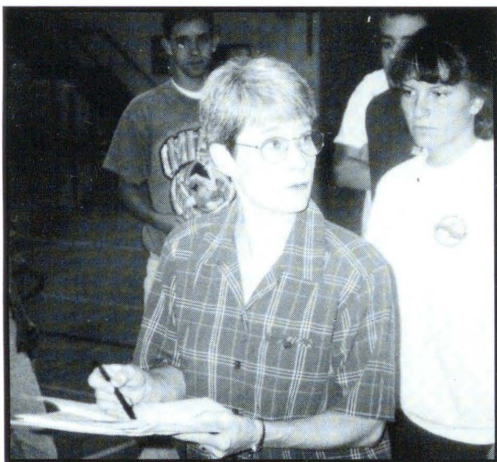
Throughout the year NHS sponsors activities which promote both teacher and student recognition as well as community service. This year these activities included a teacher recognition day and caroling at the Granby Senior Center.

In the spring, the NHS members are treated to a luncheon at the restaurant of their choice. This year they chose Tim Bobs. On their special day they had a group photo taken which will be displayed in the trophy case.

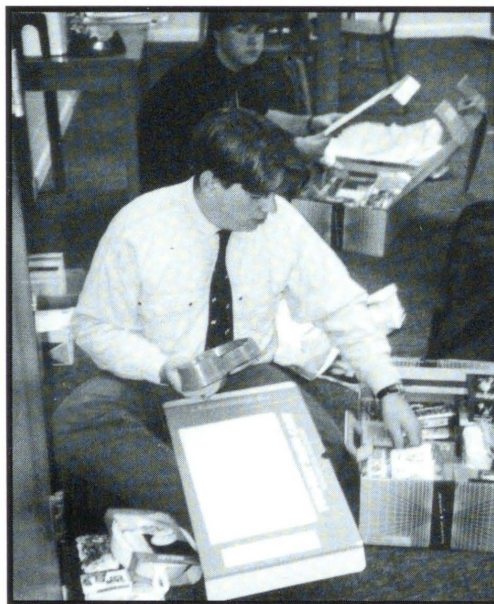
Jason James & Yari Granda



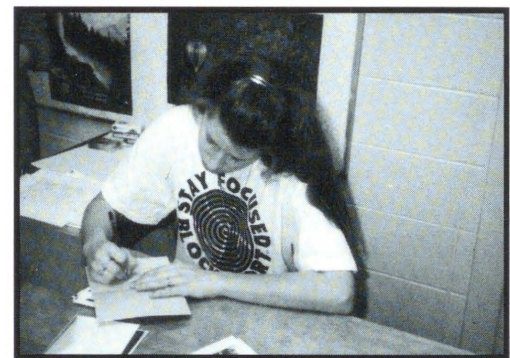
Front: Tim Gripka, Rendi Thomlinson, Carrie Presley, Yari Granda, Sarah Johnson, Adrienne Nielsen, Bill Aulick, 2nd: Jason James, Michal Mathis, Terrell Shewmake, Ann Carter, 3rd: Amber Swartz, Laura Abeln, Nathan Clymer, Rebecca Hansen, Delaina Haught, Mrs. Betty Gorham (Sponsor).



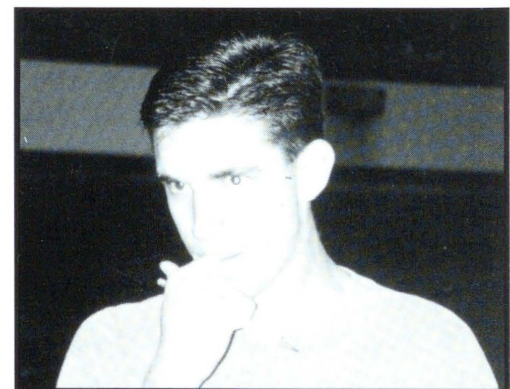
Sponsor Mrs. Gorham displays her leadership skills while trying to organize the annual induction ceremony.



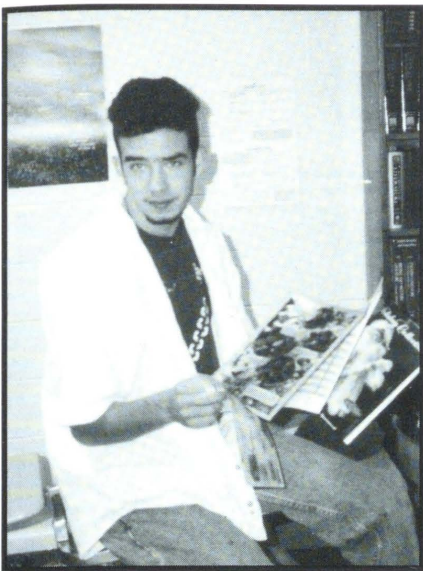
No, this isn't Christmas. Jason James eagerly digs through his Tom-Wat display case looking at all the wonderful merchandise.



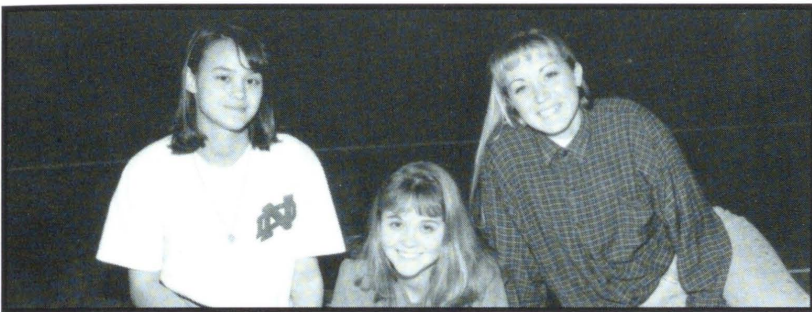
Michal Mathis autographs a Christmas Card that will be given to someone special at the Granby Senior Center.



Tim retreats into lala land to escape the pains of setting up the gym for the induction ceremony.



"We have to sell all of this!" Bill Aulick thumbs through the Tom-Wat fundraiser catalogs which the NHS has used as a fundraiser for the past several years to help raise money to fund the NHS scholarship.



Newly inducted, Amanda Hansen proudly receives the most honorable recognition that a high school student can receive. The awards were presented to the new members by Mr. Hedrick.

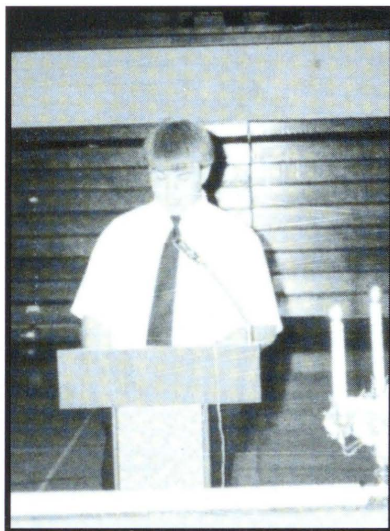
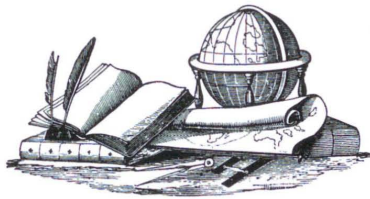
This years officers were Laura Abeln serving as Secretary/Treasurer, Rendi Thomlinson serving as President, and Yari Granda serving as Vice President.

Leadership, Scholarship, Service, Character



Mr. Hedrick addresses the audience on the selection process for getting accepted into the National Honor Society.

Terrell Shewmake challenges the National Honor Society to present themselves as outstanding citizens.



After the induction ceremony, the new members join the present National Honor Society members. This years new members were Seniors- Dawn Brady, Lindsay McFarland, Juniors- Nathan Stafford, Sophomores- Levi Boettler, Amanda Hansen, and Paula Whitehead.

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The Math Team went to MSSC Math Competitions six times during 95/96 school year to compete in individual and team events.

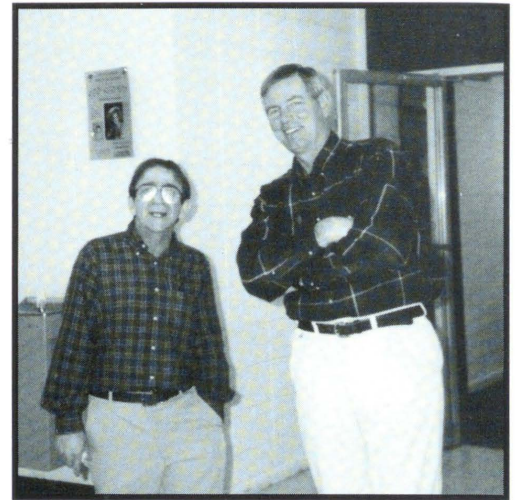
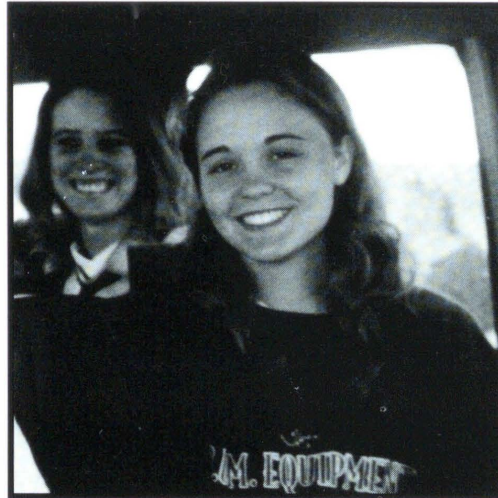
In February, the team went to Bolla to compete in Jets competition. Unfortunately they did not place, but good luck next year.

In April, the math team went to SMSU in Springfield to compete in Pummell Relays with the results of a first place, two second places, two honorable mentions, and the whole team together took honorable mention in the computer programming division.

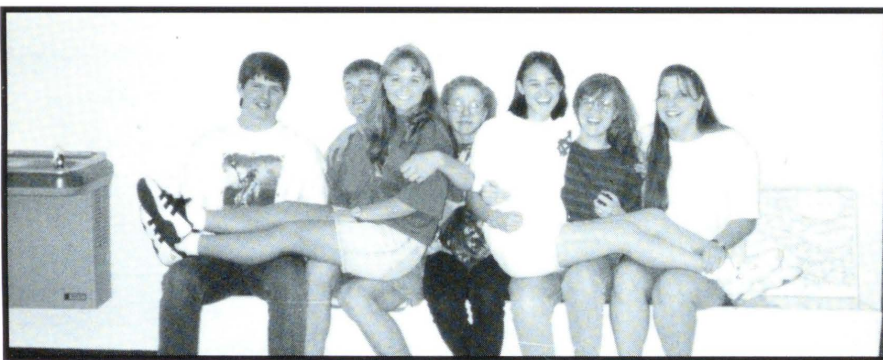
Congratulations to the team for a successful year, also to the coach for helping them keep their perseverance and patience.

Deidera Clouse

After a tiring day, Rendi Thomlinson shows her "thinking" smile on the way home.

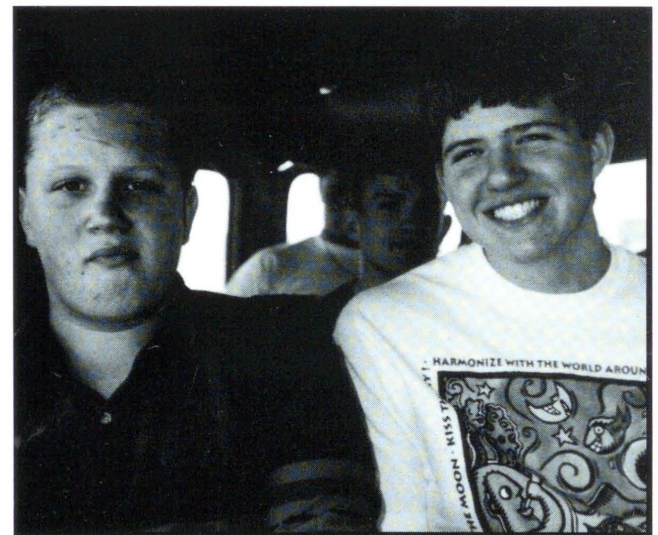


Mr. Na'ayem, Math League sponsor and Mr. Allphin discuss transportation for the team.



The Math League in their formal picture! NOT! Another day in the life of a "Leaguer."

Two peas in a pod! Nathan S. and Nathan C. up bright and early for a glorious day in competition.



Math League: L/R Front row: Mr. Na'ayem, Rendi T., Amber S., Amanda H., Rebecca H., and Ann C. Second row: Laura A., Nathan C., Nathan S., and Tuesday W. Back row: Bill A., Steven C., and Jimmie P.

FACE THE
FACTS

Ready for Jeopardy

The 1995-96 East Newton Quiz Bowl team accomplishments were great this year. They achieved second place at NEO, took second place at the Big 8 Conference, and brought back the first place award at District MSHSAA Competition.

They went to State Competition May 4, 1996. Laura Abeln, Billy Davison, and Rebecca Hansen have been named to the Missouri Academic Association All-District 5-A team.

Quiz Bowl's achievements this year reflect the effort and hard work of the team and the sponsors, Judy Berry and Judy Guinn. The team was composed of some of East Newton's finest students.

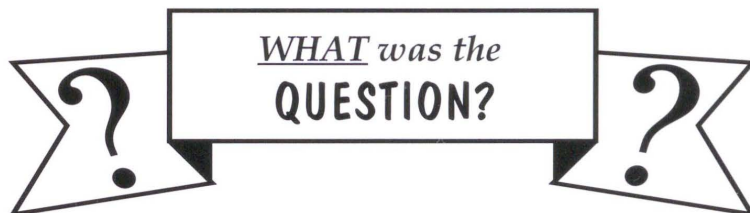
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Quiz Bowl Members: L/R Front row: Nathan S., 2yrs., Billy D., 4yrs., Second row: Mrs. Berry, Nathan C., 3yrs., Stephen C., 1yr., Laura A., 3yrs., Paula W., 1yr., Amanda H., 1yr., Mrs. Guinn, Third row: Justin S., 2yrs., Rebecca H., 2yrs., Jill S., 2yrs., Ann C., 2yrs., Levi B., 1yr., John P., 1yr.



Our infamous leaders, Mrs. Berry and Mrs. Guinn testing the team in an early morning round.



Getting ready to leave for state, these "Bowlers" show their courage and feelings on how they will manage competition.

All in a "round"! These members work together to achieve the team's goals.



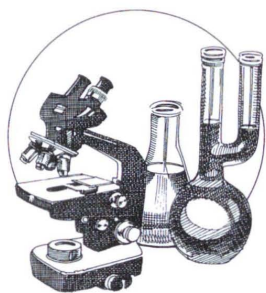
Learning about nature!!!

The 1995-96 Science Club went to the Springfield Nature Center at the first of the year and then traveled to Roaring River during the last quarter. This year's Science Club raised enough money selling candy bars to buy a computer for the science department. This took hard work and dedication from many of the Science Club members. It also took a lot of hard work and many hours of Mrs. Clymer's time. Mrs. Clymer has done a great job with the Science Club and has set up an excellent program at East Newton. Thank you Mrs. Clymer-we will miss you.

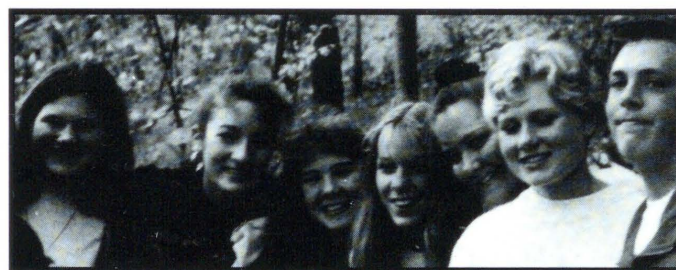
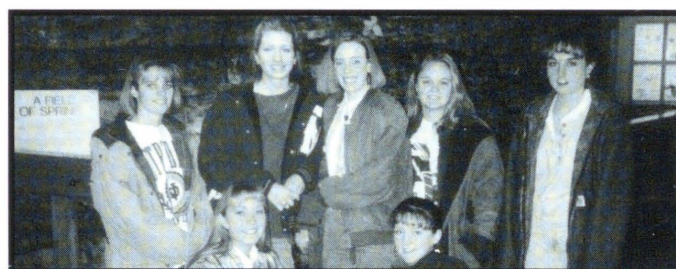
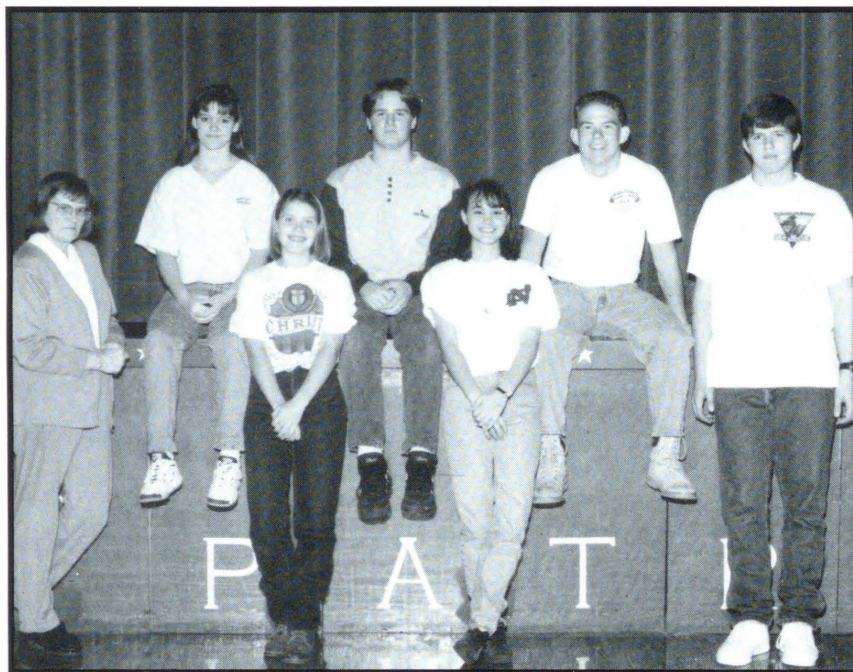
Chuck Cook



1995-96 Science Club top to bottom: J. James, K. Judd, J. Pyles, M. Massie, J. Gallemore, B. Johnson, D. Olsbo, J. Poynor, R. Johnson, A. Rosinski, A. Wolgamott, B. Troxell, M. Hansen, B. Cook, A. Hagan, C. Cook, F. Burge, K. Gully, K. Ford, K. Shellenburger, K. Ford, A. Oxendine, J. Sandtorf, J. James, S. Yates, D. Brady, D. Owen, P. Whitehead, S. Goade, S. Lollar, L. Woods, D. Sollenberger, S. Johnson, L. McFarland, Y. Granda, L. Boettler, J. Baker, J. Heatly, J. Lollar, A. Gorman, C. Green, S. Becker, M. Mathis, R. Thomlinson, A. Swartz, B. Misner, M. Blake, B. Williams, C. Earl, W. Hutchinson, M. Mosley, A. Powviriya, B. Rickman, C. Brown, T. Shewmake, A. Hansen, J. Pickup, S. Young, R. Hansen, A. Major, J. Rapp, J. Crowder, K. Hedrick, T. Gripka, B. Aulick, J. Chupp, N. Stafford, A. Clymer, J. Peters, N. Clymer, L. Cook, L. Abeln, M. VanWinkle, L. Steele.



Science Club Officers: L. Steele, Freshman Rep. J. Peters, Sophomore Rep., M. VanWinkle, Sec/Treasurer, L. Cook, Vice Pres, L. Abeln, Pres, N. Clymer, Historian.



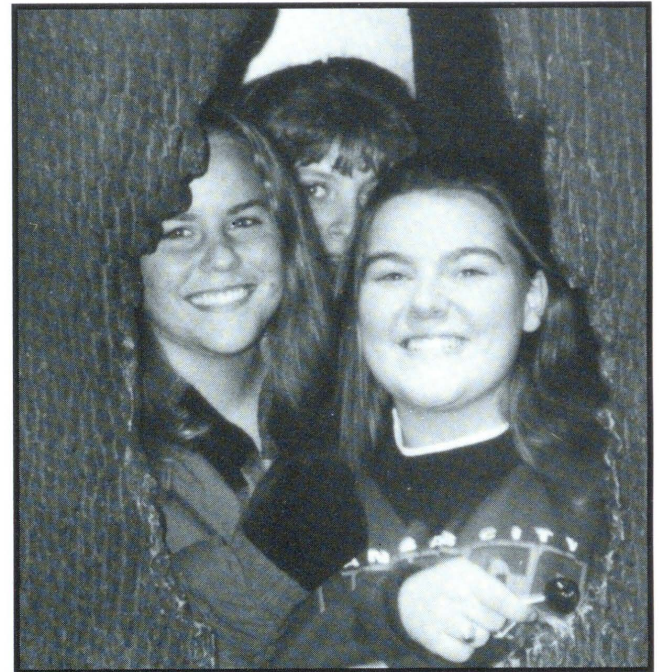
Seniors, A. Swartz, M. Mathis, C. Presley, R. Thomlinson, M. Mosley, Y. Granda and L. McFarland, sneak away to get a quick picture.

J. Heatley, A. Wolgamott, R. Johnson, T. Ohlhausen, J. Lollar, M. Oxendine and L. Boettler show how much fun it is to be in Science Club.



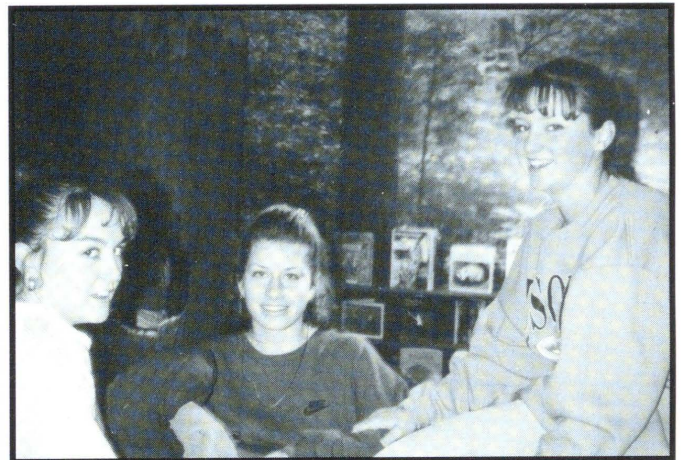
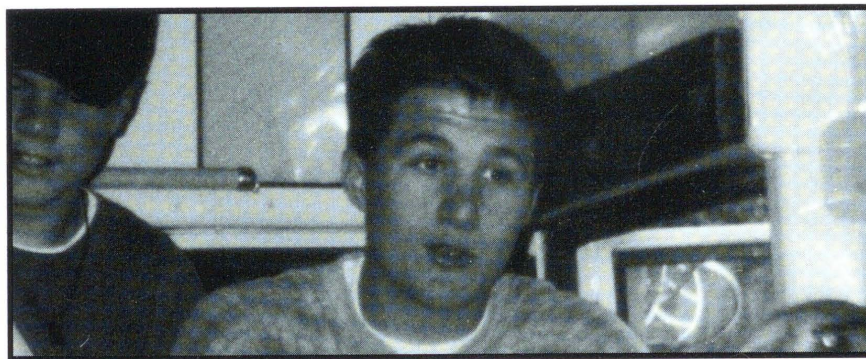
Smokey takes time out from preventing forest fires to spend time with our Science Club members on a trip to Roaring River.

Juniors, Karen Ford, and Kassy Shellenberger, seems to be having fun acting like squirrels.



Seniors Mindy Mosley, Michal Mathis, and Lindsay McFarland, pose for a picture at the Springfield Nature Center.

Sophomore, Beau Rickman, always seems to find girls to whistle at, even on a trip to Springfield.



Matt VanWinkle shows his enthusiasm on a trip to the Nature Center.

These "Three Muskateers", Tim, Matt, and Bill, always stick together.

Dare To Be Different

This years SODA's theme was "Dare To Be Different."

SODA was very busy this year. They hung up posters, gave out red ribbons for Drug Awareness Week, sold SODA floats for a \$1.50, and helped with the Preschool Fair. They also made a drug-free presentations at the elementary schools.

They did a successful Christmas Ball this year. The theme was "Holiday Magic."

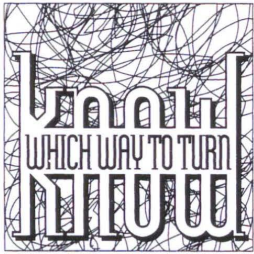
The end of the year trip was to World's of Fun with the band on Saturday, May 18, 1996.

This year was a very successful the group looks forward to a drug-free school in the future.

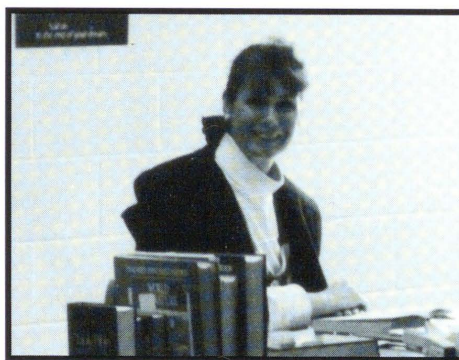
Autumn Brown



Bottom to Top. B. Aulick, L. Cook, P. Whitehead, and S. Young. Z. Shockey, B. Wilkie, K. Putman, M. Hansen, L. Boettler, T. Gripka, D. Haught, and the Advisor, L. Allphin. A. Wolgamott, R. Johnson, L. Steele, J. Riggs, A. Rosinski, B. Troxell, A. Major, C. Earl, R. Hansen, and A. Wolgamott. A. Powviriya, B. Harvill, S. Perkins, C. Pumpkin, J. Sandtorf, J. Baker, A. Hansen, S. Mathis, and K. Hadley. S. Becker D. Sollenberger, J. Pickup, S. Bridges, J. Rittenberry, and T. Shewmake. K. Richardson, M. Turner, C. Brown, J. Poyner, C. Cook, I. Gripka, and W. Hutchinson. K. Ball L. Arnall, T. Weems, B. Johnson, C. Brown, B. Courtney, E. Rakes, R. Bish, and L. Abeln. A. Moffett, C. Litchfield, J. Barratt, J. Peters, S. Goade, and C. Brock. M. McNee, A. Brown, B. Cook, K. Adams J. Martin, T. Williams, and A. Oxendine. J. Casey, S. Cook, and V. Payne.



During the SODA trip to Triway and Granby, Leesa Cook sang a solo, "Go Light Your Candle."



The SODA supervisor, Linda Allphin, has been with this group for three years, and they really appreciate her.



Mr. Smith played the guitar and sang "Shooting Star" by Bad Company during the SODA trip.

This group of SODA members wait patiently to say their lines at the SODA presentation at Triway.

Paula Whitehead, Amanda Hansen, and Sarah Young practice their flute trio called "The King's Pipes" for the SODA program.



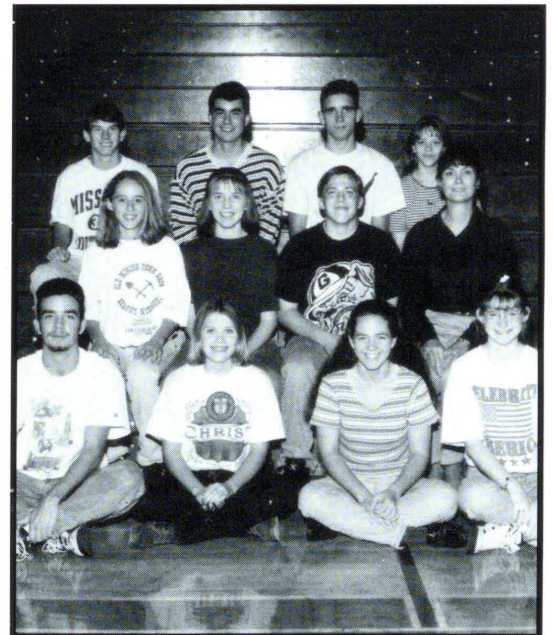
J. Hopper, P. Whitehead, T. McDonald, and L. Lipe, along with the rest of the jazz band, accompanied "Wind Beneath My Wings."

K. Allphin, A. Wolgamott, Z. Shockey, T. Bogenrief, L. Cook, K. Richardson, K. Putman, and J. Pickup sings "Wind Beneath My Wings" at Granby Elementary School.



A. Wolgamott, L. Steele, R. Johnson, J. Riggs, and A. Rosinski sign their names on the poster pledging to be drug free.

SODA Officers. First Row: B. Aulick, L. Cook, P. Whitehead, and S. Young. Second Row: K. Putman, M. Hansen, L. Boettler, and Advisor L. Allphin. Third Row: Z. Shockey, B. Wilkie, T. Gripka, and D. Haught.



Holiday Magic

The 1995-1996 Christmas Ball Queen- Kerri Richardson

The 1995-1996 Christmas Ball was sponsored by S.O.D.A. and the theme was "Holiday Magic." A lot of hard work and determination paid off for the members who helped decorate the gymnasium for a spectacular dance.

The Senior Queen Candidates were as follows: Laura Abeln, escorted by Tim Gripka; Leesa Cook, escorted by Matt Ward; and Kerri Richardson, escorted by Bill Hulick. The Junior attendant was Mindy Turner, escorted by Joe Guinn. The Sophomore attendant was Sarah Young, escorted by Alex Wolgamott. The Freshman attendant was Lindsay Steele, escorted by Bryan Johnson. Kerri Richardson, this year's queen, was crowned by last year's queen Melanie Myers.

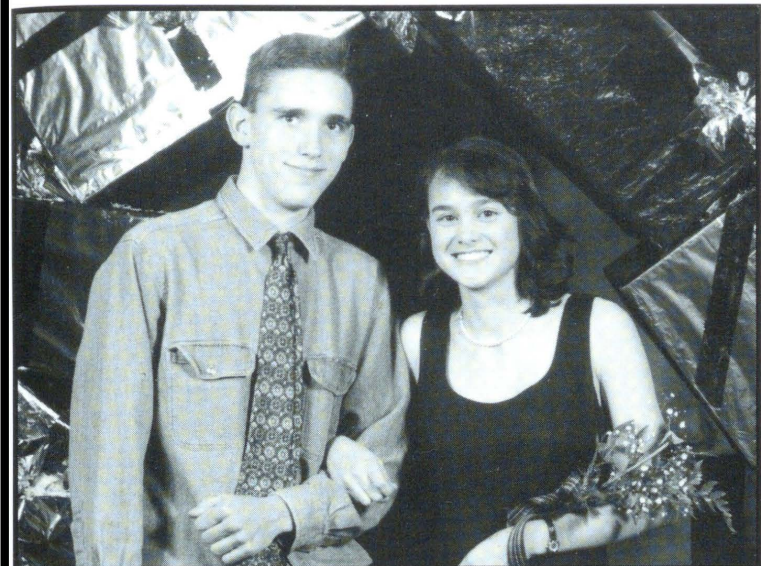
Sarah Yates



Escort Bill Hulick and Queen Kerri Richardson



Last year's queen Melanie Myers and this year's queen Kerri Richardson.



Senior Queen Candidate Laura Abeln
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Sophomore Attendant Sarah Young
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Freshman Attendant Lindsay Steele
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Leadership at Its Best

This year's Student Council has strived to provide the school and community with several different activities and services.

The students have benefitted greatly from the many dances, Spirit days, and other fun activities that Stuco has provided through hard work. Student Council also sponsors a Blood Drive, a Senior Citizens' Banquet, and they raise money for MDA.

As well as giving much time and effort, being a member of Student Council also requires a student to maintain a high level of academic standing.

The student body greatly appreciates the work that Student Council does and wishes them great success in the future.

Sarah Yates

1995-96 Stuco (bottom to top): B. Aulick, A. Jones, T. Gripka, J. Pyles, B. Cook, T. Renfro, Mr. Anderson (advisor), L. Steele, K. Allphin, C. Shellenberger, C. Patterson, M. Massey, B. Johnson, J. Pickup, E. Rakes, and M. VanWinkle



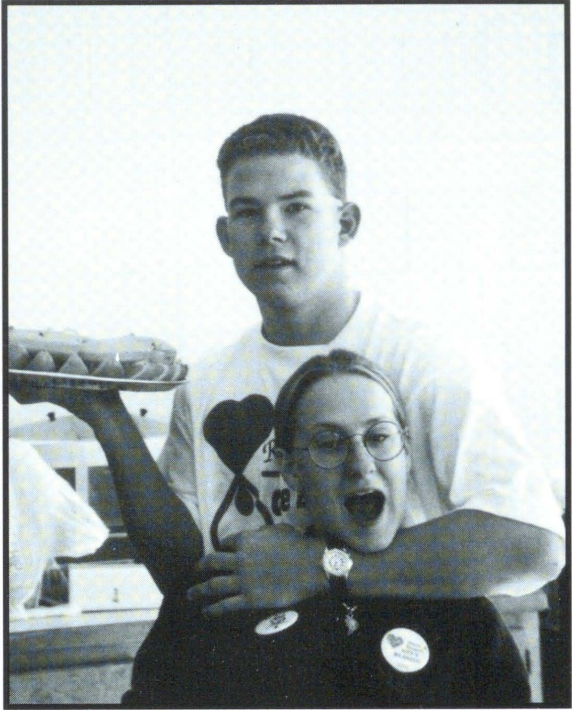
Sophomore J. Pickup helps the environment by picking up paper that Stuco will take to be recycled.

Freshman L. Steele and B. Johnson see whose taller. I think Bryan won!



Officers from top to bottom: M. VanWinkle, president; C. Shellenberger, historian; B. Aulick, corr. secretary; M. Massie, treasurer; Mr. Anderson, advisor; J. Pickup, secretary; E. Rakes, vice president; not pictured W. Wagner, reporter.

Sophomore Alissa Jones takes a moment out of searching for homecoming decorations to flash her beautiful smile.



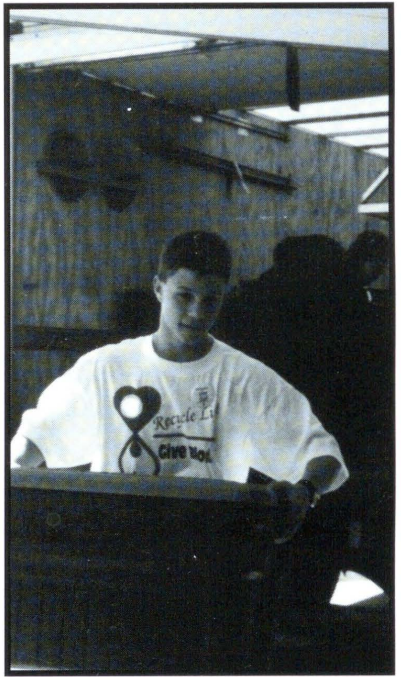
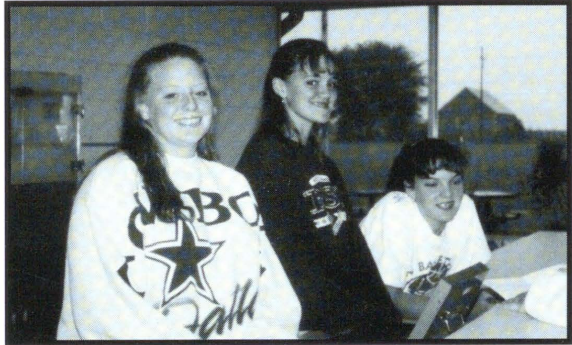
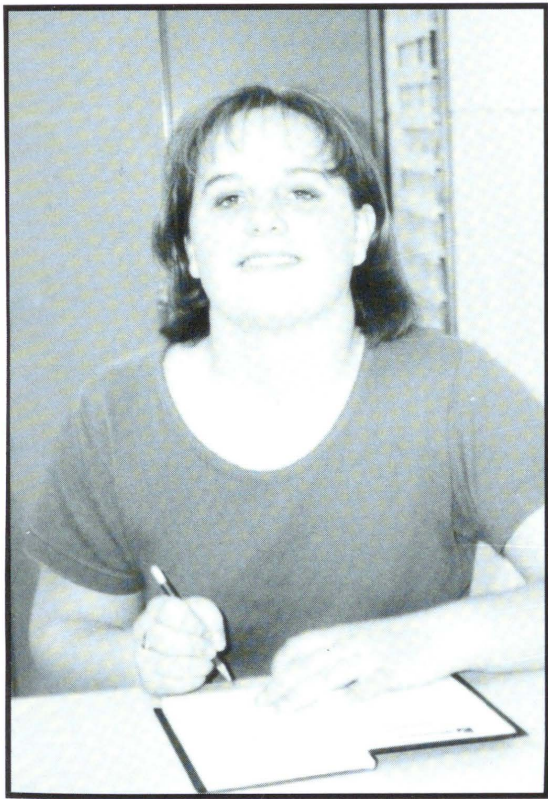
Not in my face! Erica Rakes tries to escape Matt VanWinkle from smearing a plate of fruit in her face.

You gotta love Michael! Sophomores Betsy Cook and Alissa Jones show their love for Michael Jordan and each other.



Don't they look busy! Stuco members Alissa Jones, Lindsay Steele, and Tonya Renfro wait for someone to buy football homecoming tickets.

Look what I got! Kassy Shallenberger, Wisper Wagner, and Erica Rakes show off the blood drive T-shirts they got for their hard work.



What a great helper! Freshman Bryan Johnson carries supplies in the cafeteria for the blood drive.



Treasurer Megan Massey stops from her duties of keeping up the Stuco ledger to smile at the camera.

Now or Never

1995-1996 yearbook members - Back row - Sarah Yates, John Poynor, Getha Wilkie, Jason James, Deidera Clouse. Middle row - Stephanie Bailey, Miranda Oxendine, Yari Granda, Carrie Presley, Mindy Turner. Front row - Wisper Wagner, Amber Gorman, Autumn Brown, Dianna Fehlberg. (Not pictured Chuck Cook)

The 1995-96 yearbook staff has had to work extra hard this year. Only three members returned leaving a novice staff. Mrs. Wilkie returned as advisor for the seventeenth year in a row. Yari Granda and Carrie Presley returned as this years' editor's. Miranda Ford is also a returning member. There are eleven new members. Together their hard work and determination has made this the best yearbook ever.

The members are required to take a wide variety of pictures, design layouts, write copies and captions, and meet the deadlines. The seniors will be greatly missed but next years yearbook staff is looking forward to a bright future.

Wisper Wagner
Dianna Fehlberg



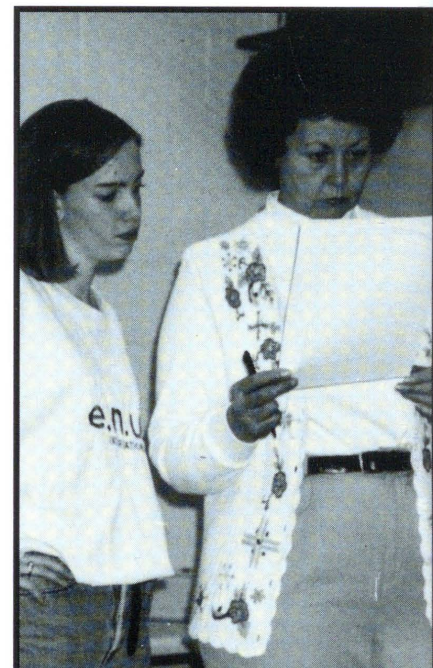
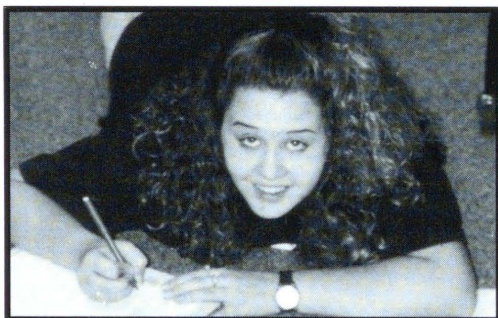
Deidera C., Dianna F., Mindy T., and Stephanie B., love to have their picture taken while working.

Uh Oh! Autumn Brown gets caught doing homework instead of yearbook work.



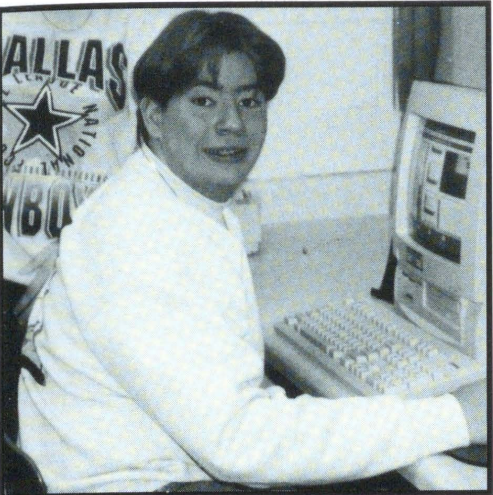
So long three musketeers, Yari G., Sarah Y., Miranda O., and Carrie P. are here to save the day.

Carrie Presley, one of the editors, and Mrs. Wilkie, the yearbook staff advisor, decide the fate of a future yearbook page.



Taking a moment from their busy schedule, the yearbook staff squeeze in for a snap shot.

Yikes! Not another mistake. Jason James' facial expression can't even begin to tell what he's done.

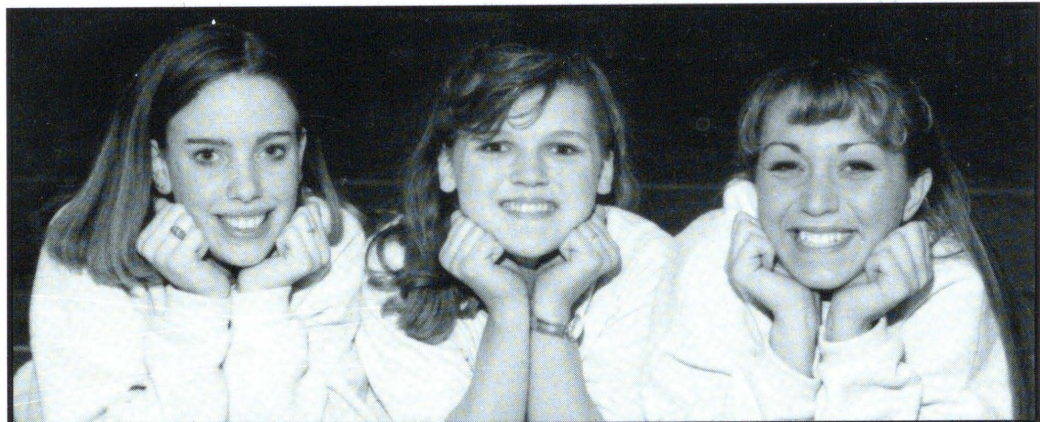
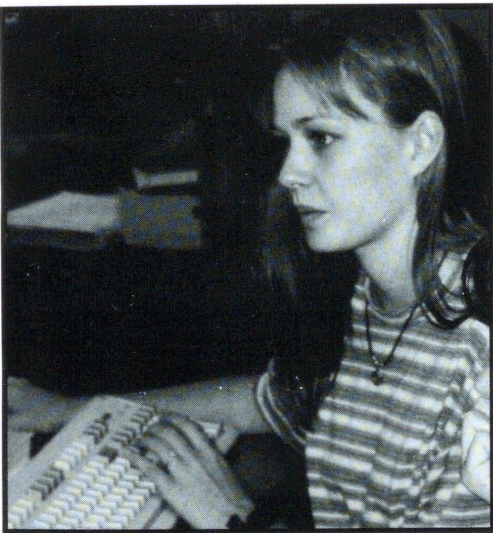


Always there when you need her, Miranda Oxendine can help tie your shoe or correct a layout.



Working together, Chuck Cook and John Poynor put the finishing touches on a layout.

First-year member, Wisper Wagner, tries to figure out the Yeartech program.



This year's three returning members: Carrie Presley, Miranda Oxendine, and Yari Granda. They are all smiles as they strive to make this yearbook the best ever.

Say cheese! Dianna Fehlberg and Amber Gorman show how much they enjoy yearbook class.

KSN Anchors Yearbook Royalty. . .

The 1996 Yearbook Ceremony was successfully presented to the students and faculty at 2:30 p.m. on May 3.

The royalty candidates were chosen on the basis of personality, appearance, academics, and good character. They were Seniors: Michal Mathis and Matt Siler, Juniors: Delaina Haught and Jake Hobson, Sophomores: Carrie Pumpkin and Fred Burge, and Freshmen: Erin Chapman and Andrew Powwirya. Shari Sanders and Jim Jackson of KSN-TV 16 selected the king and queen. Carrie Pumpkin was crowned queen by Graphics Editor Jason James. King Fred Burge was presented the scepter by Editor Carrie Presley.

Music was provided by the SN jazz Band, L. Cook and T. Bogenrief. The Flower Garden and Gifts floral shop provided the ferns and flowers.

Thanks again to everyone who helped to make this yet another successful yearbook ceremony. Good Luck to the future.

Carrie Presley and Yari Granda



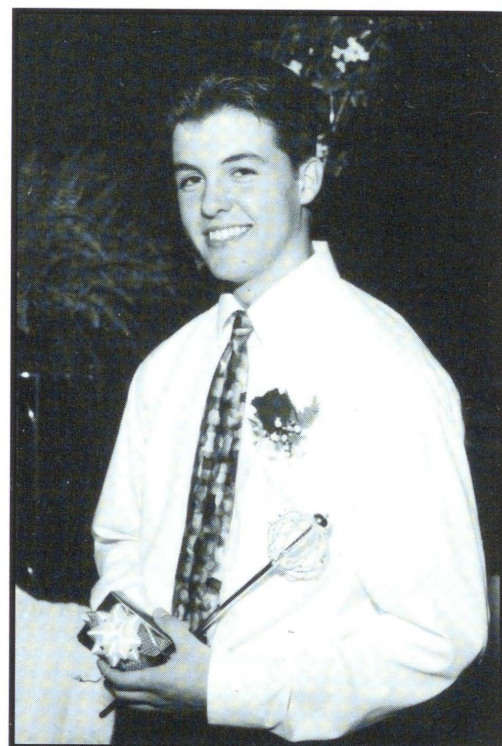
1995-96 Yearbook King, Queen, and Court: Queen-Carrie Pumpkin, King-Fred Burge, Jake Hobson, Delaina Haught, Michal Mathis, Matt Siler, Erin Chapman, and Andrew Powwirya.



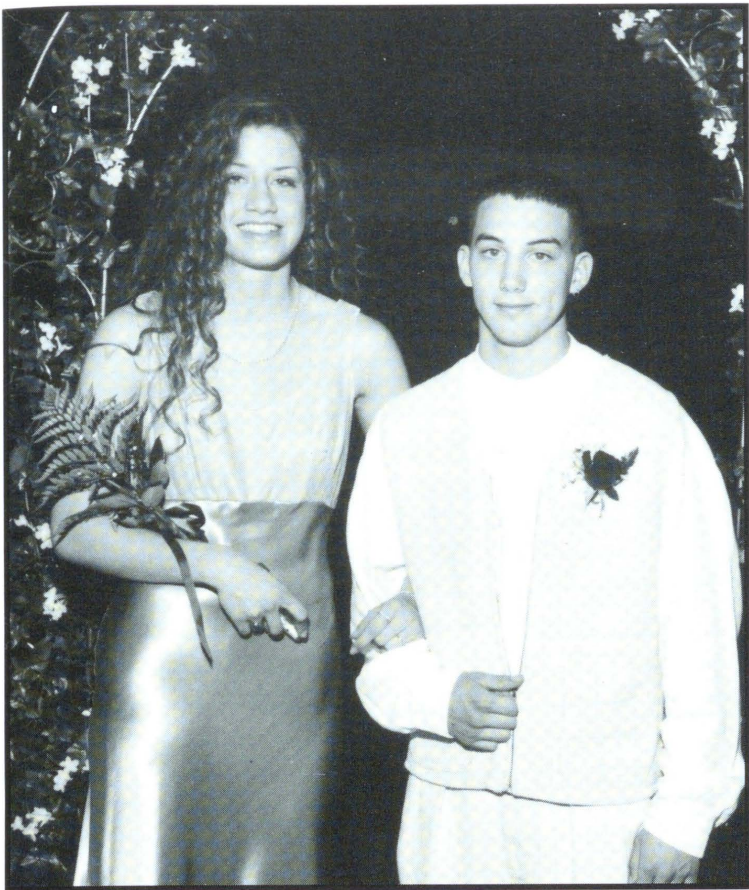
1995-96 Yearbook Queen
Carrie Pumpkin



1995-96 Yearbook King and Queen



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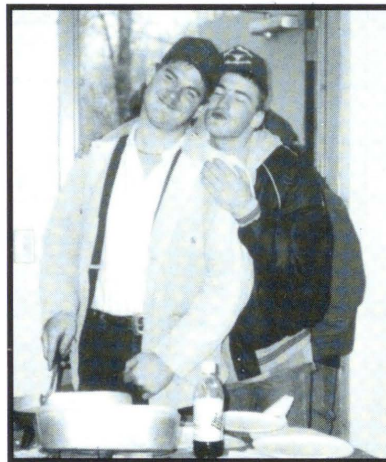
Learning to do... Doing to Learn

Girly-man B. Davison tries to fit in with the women officers M. Massie, L. Arnall, and C. Brown.

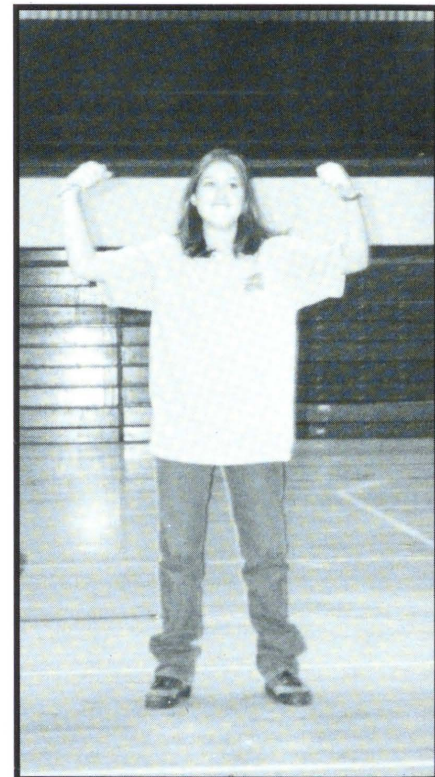


FFA Officers. 1st: E. Hagedon-President, L. Cook-Historian, A. Nielsen-Vice President, S. Reynolds-Ast. Reporter, T. Shewmake-Ast. Chaplain. 2nd: B. Johnson-BOAC, C. Brown-Reporter, M. Turner-Secretary, B. Davison-Tres., L. Arnall-Ast. Historian, M. Massie-Parliamentarian, K. Cook-Saffey. 3rd: A. White-Ast. Parliamentarian, F. Renner-Ast. Sent., S. Dockins-Ast. Tres., J. Stewart-Ast. Secretary. 4th: M. Thogmartin-Sent., J. Stewart-Chaplin.

M. Thogmartin and B. Johnson romantically stir the eggs for the teacher's breakfast.



K. Cook, A. Nielsen, and A. Litchfield show the Granby Elementary how much fun life on the farm can be.



D. Chenoweth puts all the guys to shame at the slave sale.



Slaving away C. Arnall, A. Wolgamott, M. Turner, and S. Bailey set up for the chapter banquet.

The 1995-96 FFA chapter had a busy and successful year. Many activities were held. The chapter sold fruit, held the annual barnwarming dance, sang Christmas carols for the elderly, held a faculty breakfast, and attended the National and State conventions, and held a Chapter Banquet.

Several students participated on judging teams. Livestock, Poultry, Public Speaking, and Greenhand Knowledge were the teams that qualified for state.

Mindy Turner



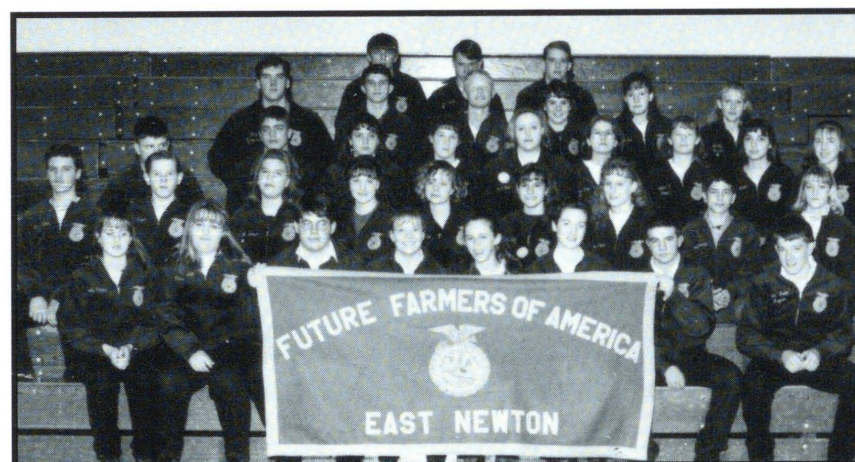
Seniors. 1st row: E. Hagedon, L. Cook, A. Nielsen, S. Reynolds, T. Shewmake, L. Kelly. 2nd row: J. Guinn, B. Davison, D. Brady, L. McFarland, L. Arnall, K. Ball. 3rd row: M. Osborn, D. Johnson, J. Darch, J. Stewart. 4th row: M. Thogmartin, B. Blewer, B. Mohn.

Juniors. 1st row: S. Goade, S. Bailey, M. Turner, C. Brown, D. Chenoweth, J. Jackson. 2nd row: M. Harris, M. Massie, N. Forsberg, S. Patterson, K. Shewmaker. 3rd row: S. Johnson, J. Stewart, B. Forester, B. Johnson, K. Cook, M. Marion, B. Hayes. 4th row: S. Dockins, B. Parman.



Sophomores. 1st row: M. Mettlach, F. Renner, D. Guinn, R. Divine, T. Newman, L. Vickrey. 2nd row: Z. Coberly, A. White, N. Siler, B. McFarland, H. Thomlinson, A. Brown, J. James, J. Gallemore. 3rd row: K. Brock, J. Cook, A. Wolgamott, P. Scott, B. Skaggs, F. Pina, A. Willman. 4th row: J. Shelton, J. Crumpton.

Freshmen. 1st row: B. Peters, V. Scott, C. Arnold, A. Morris, K. Putman, A. Wolgamott, E. Watts, A. Hagedon. 2nd row: J. Pooler, N. McCann, C. Gallentine, J. Schenck, M. Sollenberger, A. Louis, C. Foster, D. Owen, R. Bish. 3rd row: D. Livingston, J. Carterman, H. Canter, S. Daniels, K. Adams, J. Casey, B. Troxell, M. Marion, M. Hansen. 4th row: C. Litchfield, P. Stewart, C. Brown, R. Johnson, C. Earl, A. Oxendine. 5th row: S. Stewart, B. Harvill, J. Blake.



COUNTRY CRAZY!!!

The 1995-96 FFA Barnwarming was held on November 17th in the agricultural building.

Senior candidates Marcus Thogmartin and Lacy Kelly were crowned king and queen.

Marcus is a four year ag member and has cattle for his class project. Lacy is also a four year ag member and has dogs for her class project.

After the ceremony, ag members and guests enjoyed a relaxing night of dancing with music provided by junior, Shane Dockins. Lots of great food and apple cider were provided by the agriculture department.

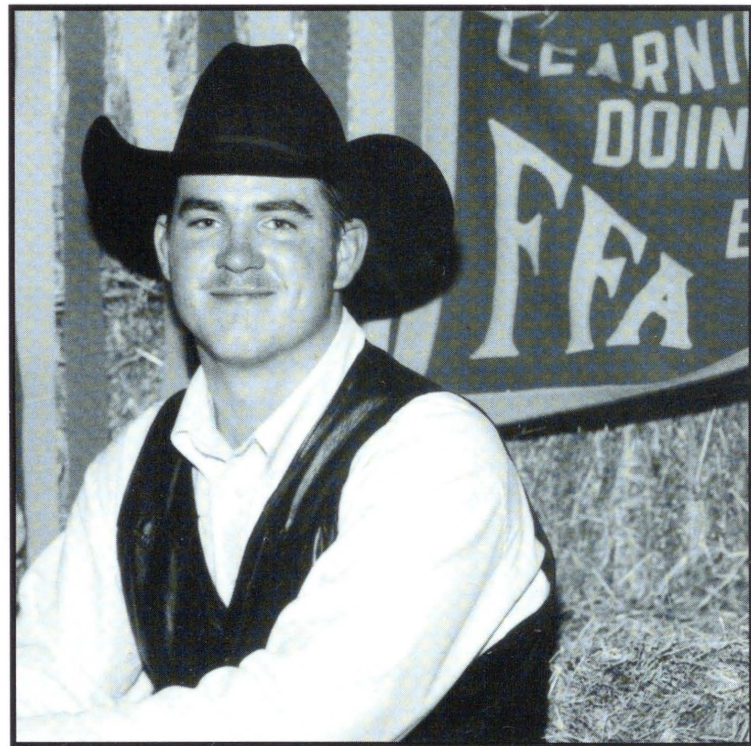
Mindy Turner



1995-96 Barnwarming Candidates: Front Row: Ryan Johnson and Adam Hagedorn. Back Row: Bubba Johnson, Della Chenoweth, Lacy Kelly, Marcus Thogmartin, April Brown, and Floyd Renner.



Senior Lacy Kelly
1995-96 Barnwarming Queen



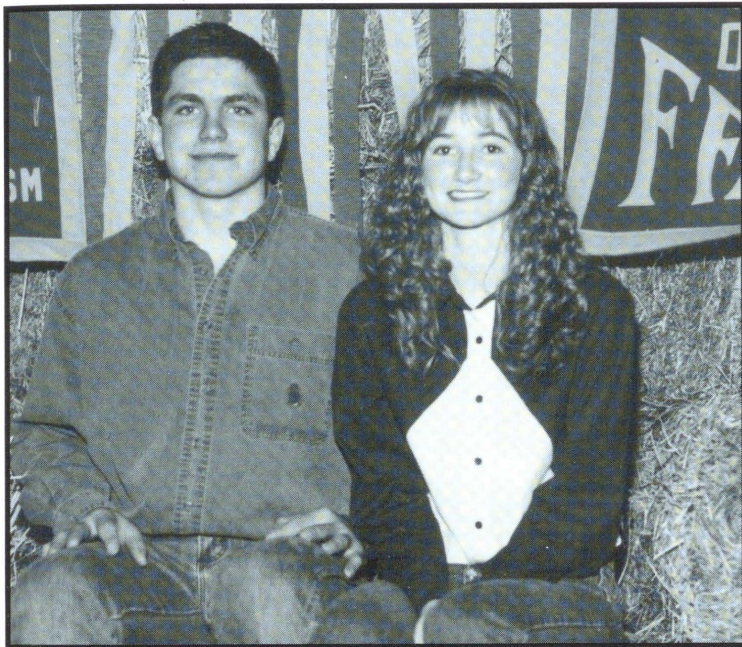
Senior Marcus Thogmartin
1995-96 Barnwarming King



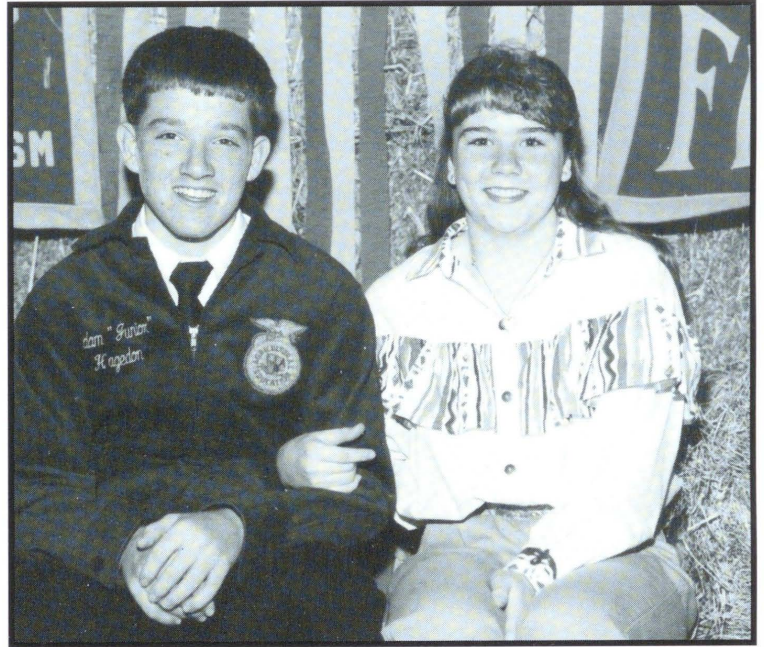
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Sophomore Candidates
 Floyd Renner and April Brown



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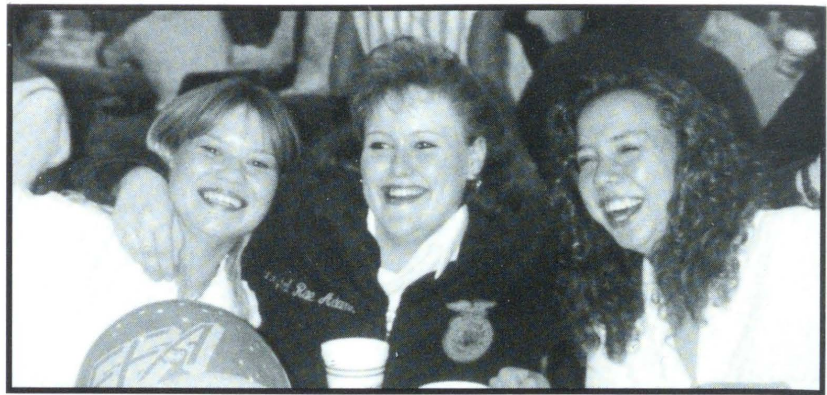


Looking into the crowd, D.J. Shane Dockins and Assistant Billy Parman try to decide what song to play next.

After being crowned Barnwarming King and Queen, Marcus Thogmartin and Lacy Kelly enjoy the first dance.

Look at how much fun the FFA members have at their banquet. Good job advisors and members!

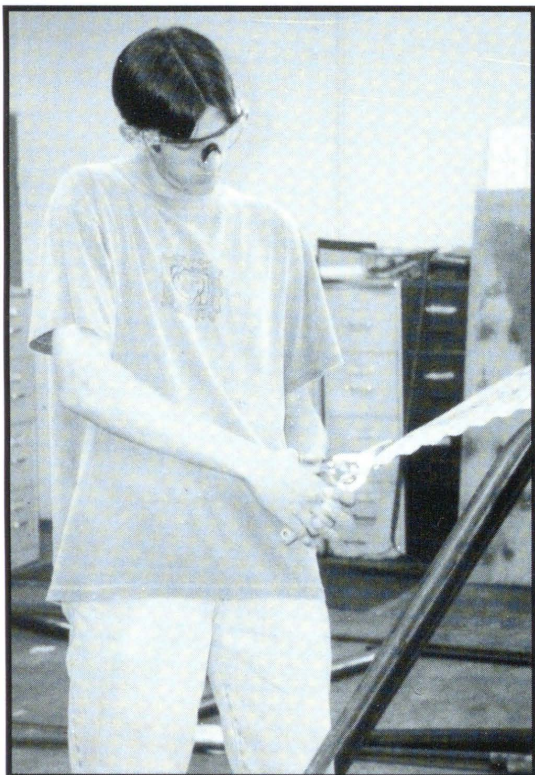
The more the merrier! These boys are working as a team to get this calf feeder set up.



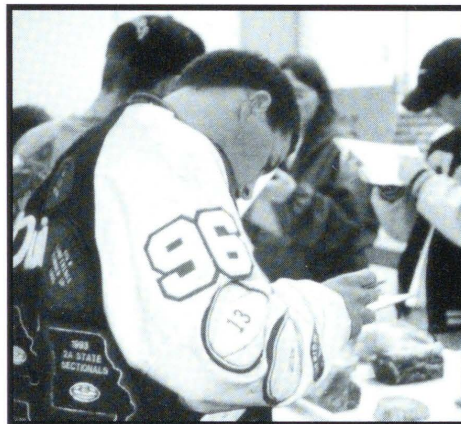
The 1995-96 FFA Officers took their stations at the FFA Chapter Banquet to give awards for the members.

Jay Stewart works very hard on his homemaking techniques at the faculty breakfast held by the FFA.

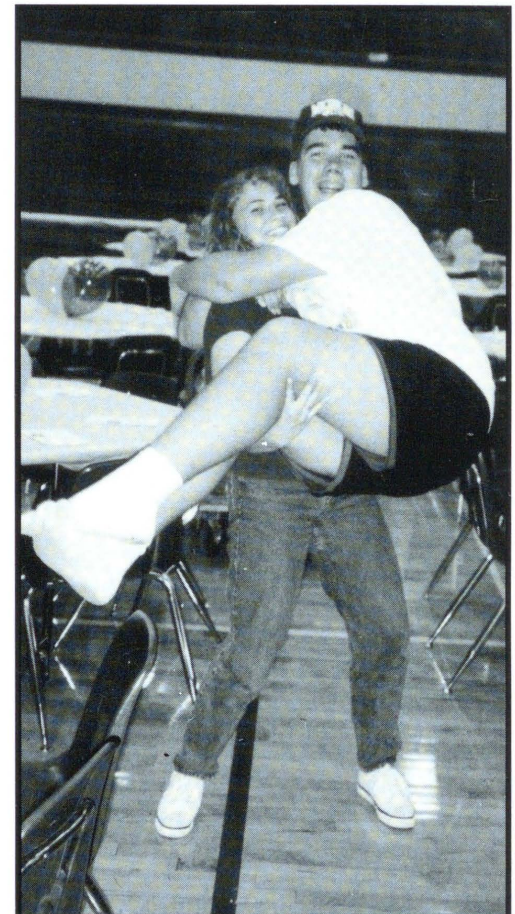
Brandon Hayes helps finish up a shop project before the end of the year rolls around.



Hurry up and take the picture! Mindy Turner strains to show us how buff she really is.



Dedicated Joe Guinn takes time out of his schedule to judge meat at Clouds meat locker.



On The Road Again

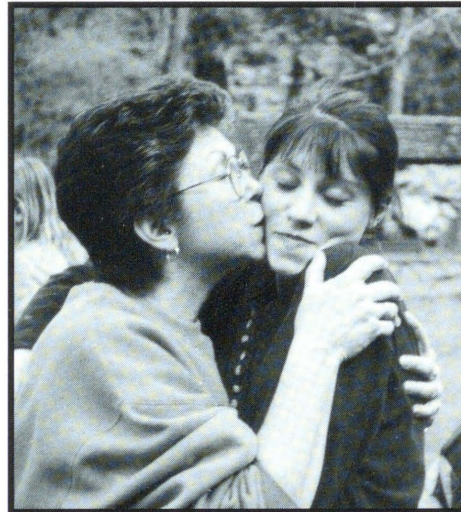
This group of band and chorus members look like they are having an excellent time at Worlds of Fun.



This year's library assistants were taken to Big Spring Park for an end of the year party.

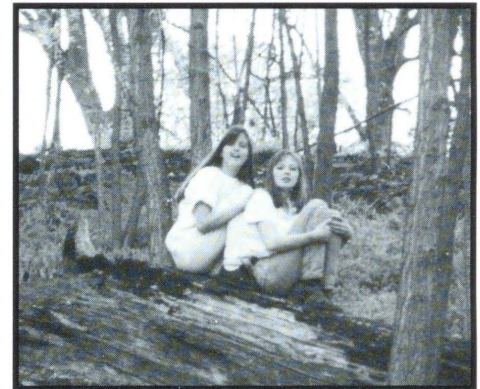


Who says listening to speakers for hours can't be fun?



Yes, Mrs. Lafoon shows Betsy Courtney how happy she is the school year is almost over.

Two bumps on a stump? No, that's Wisper Wagner and Tammy Jerome enjoying the view at the park.



Wow! Look at that! Mrs. Allphin cannot wait to get on that ride.



This year's FHA members sold Avon to pay their way to Wichita, Kansas for this year's cluster meetings.

Intelligence in Action



Business Day. Front: L. Boettler, L. Abeln, C. Presley, Y. Granda, D. Owen, S. Johnson, R. Thomlinson, J. Riggs, L. Steele, S. McCamish, R. Hansen, M. Hansen, E. Chapman, B. Aulick, N. Brockelman, B. Wilkie, J. Peters, J. Pickup, T. Shoemake, V. Higginson, A. Swartz, T. Renfro, and J. Gallemore.



Quiz Bowl members who went to state. Front: Ms. Guinn (sponsor), L. Abeln, J. Sandtorf, B. Davison, R. Hansen, J. Stewart, A. Hansen, L. Boettler, and N. Clymer. This group worked very hard and deserved the honor of going to state.



Math TEAMS attending competitions. Front: T. Williams, M. Hansen, N. Clymer, N. Stafford, J. Peters, S. Chupp, B. Aulick, C. Patterson, R. Thomlinson, P. Whitehead, A. Hansen, R. Johnson, A. Carter, L. Abeln, B. Johnson, and R. Hansen.



Leaders of various organizations were honored at a tea put on by the Stu-Co. The tea was held in the cafeteria and Mr. Price spoke to the students about the importance of leadership.

SPORTS

East Newton Makes History

East Newton had their first year of softball this year. Their best game was against MacCounty 17-5 for their first win in East Newton history on August 31.

They ended the season 2-10. Lindsay McFarland won the Top Pitcher award, the top hitter was Sarah Johnson. Shasta McCamish had the most R.B.I.'s, the coach's Award went to Paula Whitehead. Megan Massie scored the most runs, the gold glove award went to Jessica James, and most improved was Leesa Cook.

Congratulations to the players and the coaches for being a part of the first East Newton Softball team in history.

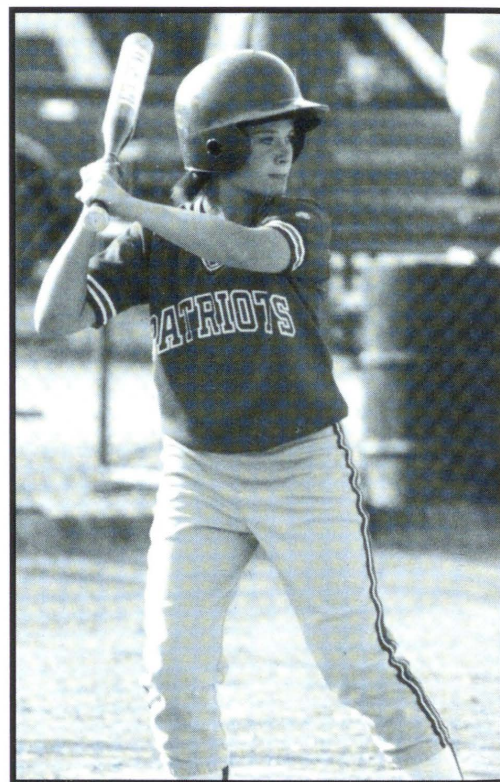
John Poyner



Front row: Jera Gallemore, Paula Whitehead, Kirsti Allphin, Jera Pyles, Jada Blewer, Megan Massie. Second row: Jessica James, Alissa Jones, Leesa Cook, Sarah Johnson, Lindsay McFarland, Kristina Judd. Back row: Coach Cook, Crystal Rawlins, Lilly Erickson, Amy Morris, Shasta McCamish, Kim Putman Rhonda Divine, Coach Branscum.

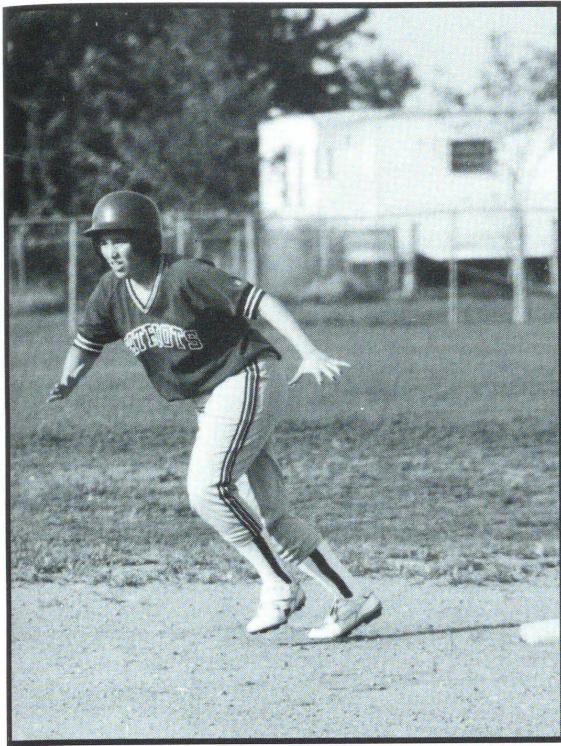


Coach Branscum and Coach Cook call the team in for a quick talk before they take the field.

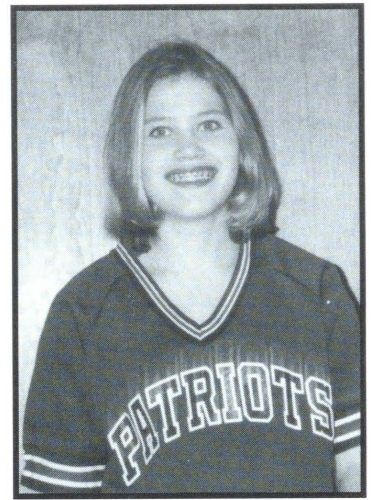
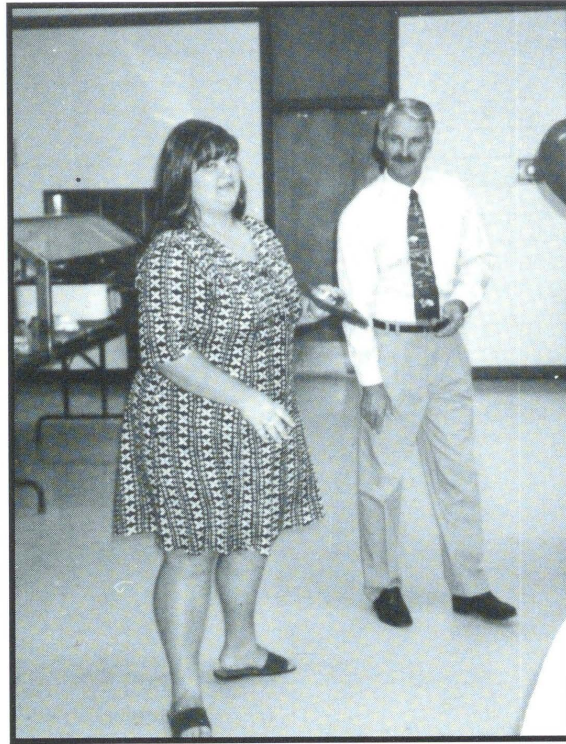


Sophomore Jera Gallemore bites her lip as she anticipates the pitch.

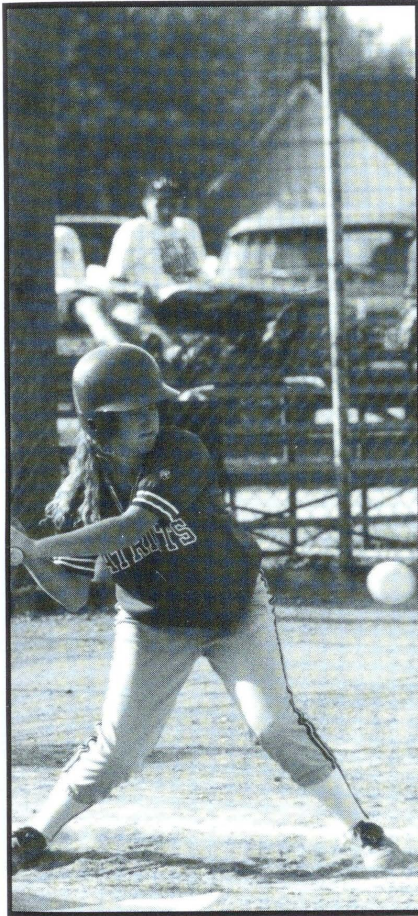
Freshman Lilly Erickson gets a good lead off in order to steal a base.



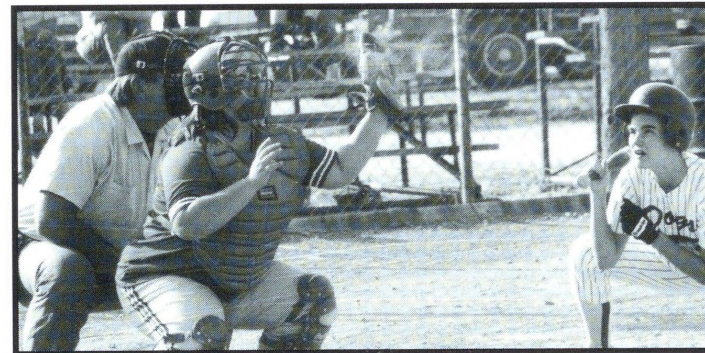
Senior Sarah Johnson receives her award for top hitter from Coach Branscum.



Leesa Cook
1 Year Letterman



Sophomore Jerra Pyles digs in and prepares to hit the ball.

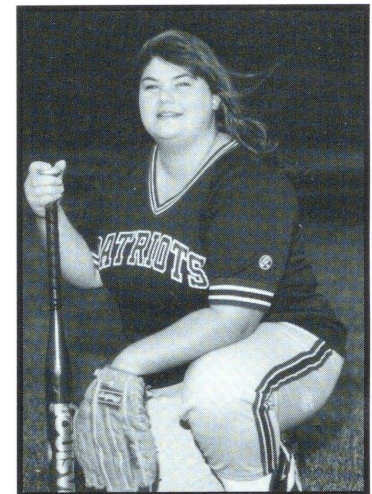


The first East Newton top softball players receive their awards and letters.

Sarah Johnson quickly jumps up to retrieve a high pitch from her teammate Lindsay McFarland.



Lindsay McFarland
1 Year Letterman



Sarah Johnson
Captain/1 Year Letterman

Rising to the Challenge

The 1995 Varsity Volleyball team had a terrific year filled with hard work and determination. They finished the season with a record of 16-8-4 and a conference record of 11-3. They had a 3rd place finish at Districts and 2nd place in conference.

M. Mathis, S. Yates, and A. Swartz were named 1st team All-Conference. A. Swartz was chosen as 1st team All-District and S. Yates was picked 2nd team. All-Area Neosho Daily News 1st teamers were M. Mathis, S. Yates, and A. Swartz. A. Swartz was also named 1st team All-Area.

Award winners were: Defensive player, M. Mosley; Server, S. Yates; Hitter, M. Mathis; Blocker, J. Roszell; and Server, Setter, Defense, and MVP were all given to Amber Swartz.

Sarah Yates

1995 Varsity team. Front Row: A. Swartz, M. Mathis, J. Roszell, Y. Granda, M. Mosley. Back Row: M. Turner, D. Brady, Coach Beverly Goff, S. Yates, C. Presley.

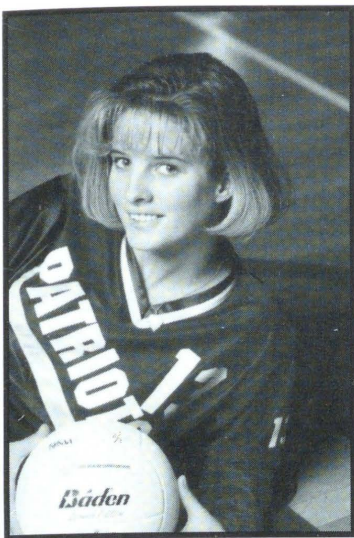


With her team paying close attention, Coach Bev Goff expresses her many words of wisdom during a timeout.

With excitement in the air, the team peeps themselves up before their upcoming game.



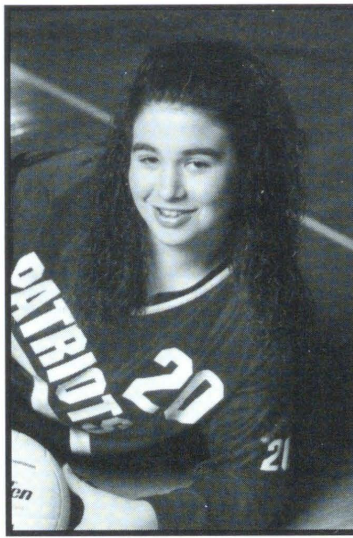
Looking for the kill, senior Mindy Mosley powers the ball over the net for a kill.



Amber Swartz
Captain



Sarah Yates
Co-Captain



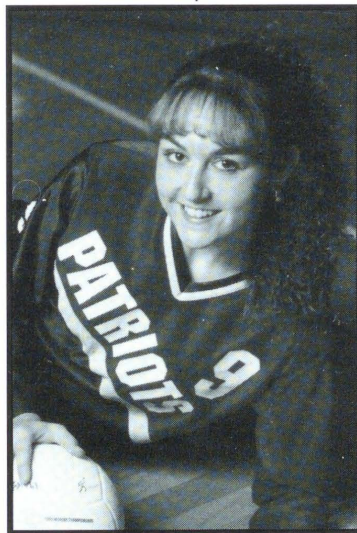
Dawn Brady



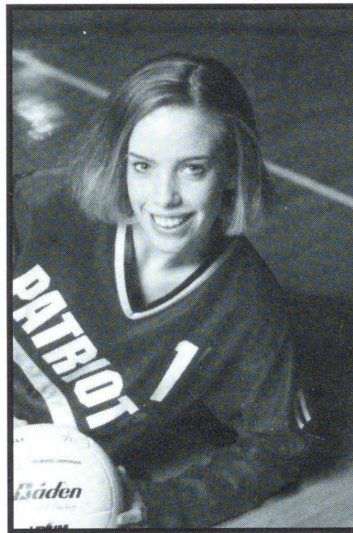
Yari Granda



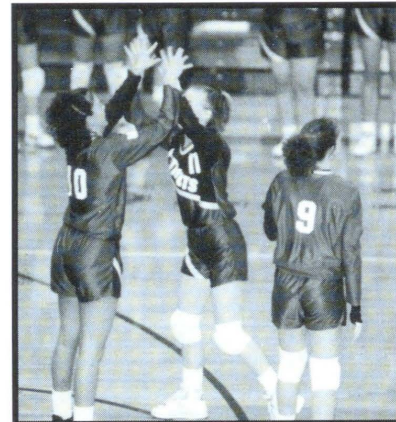
Michal Mathis



Mindy Mosley



Carrie Presley



S. Yates, C. Presley, and M. Mosley get pumped during their introduction for the game.



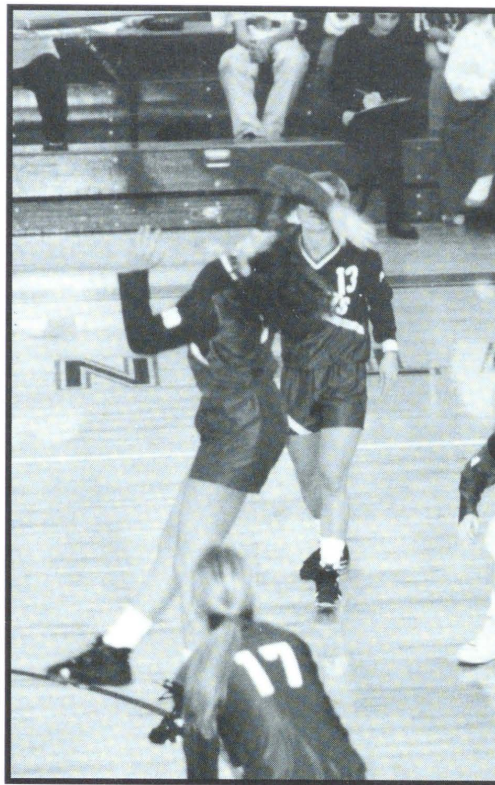
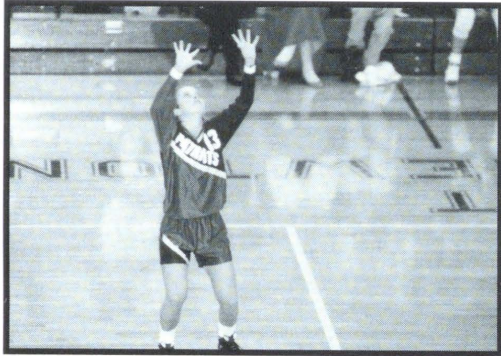
With the team in tight coverage, M. Mathis tips the ball away from the opposing team..

In honor of their accomplishments, senior varsity players receive a special cake after their game on senior night.



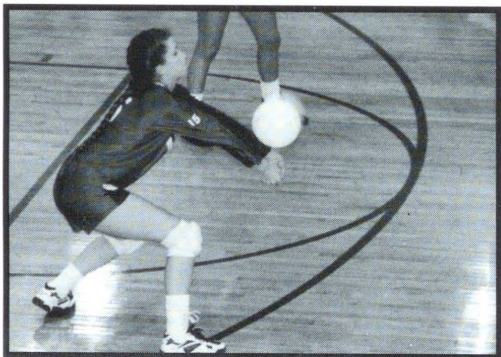
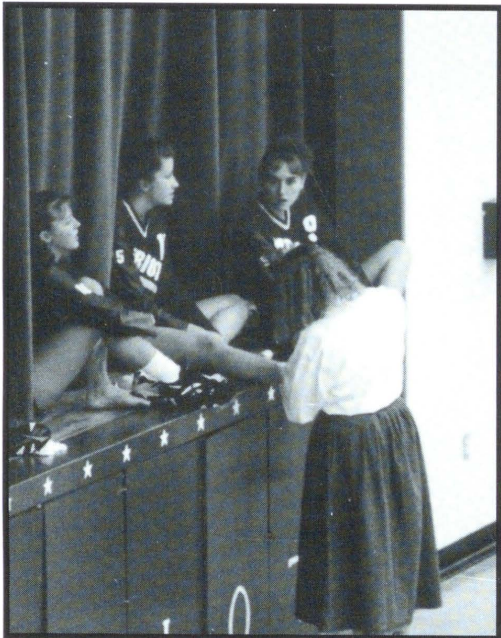
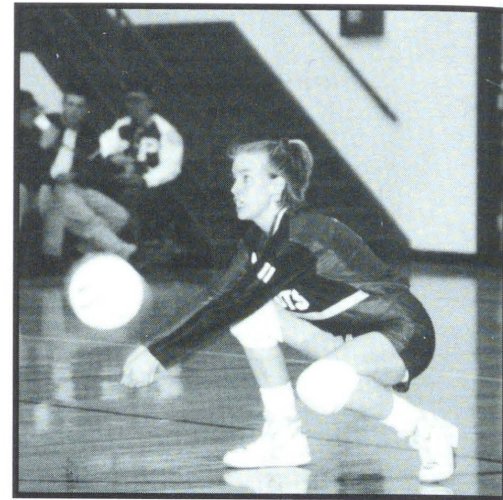
Skying high, Sarah Yates prepares to hammer one down while teammates cover her.

In good form, setter Amber Swartz prepares to set yet another ball during a varsity match.



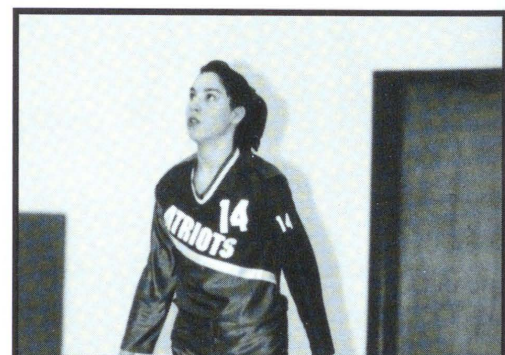
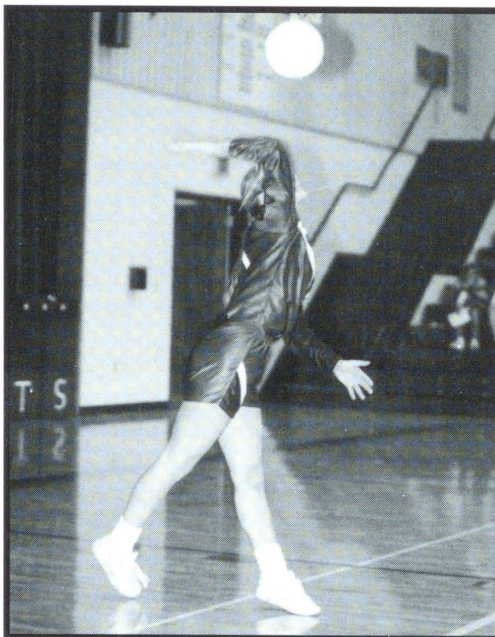
With all-out concentration, Carrie Presley once again passes the ball perfectly to the setter.

A line of Lady Patriots prepare to stun the crowd with another one of their exciting games.



Yet again, Coach Goff tapes S. Yates, M. Mathis, and M. Mosley's bad ankles and feet.

Demonstrating her great skill, Michal Mathis concentrates on another terrific pass.



With determination on her face, Jamie Roszell waits to make her next move on defense.

With perfect form, Yari Granda serves one of many perfect aces during a game.

Above and Beyond

The 1995 Junior Varsity Volleyball team, which consisted of only two sophomores and ten freshmen, ended the season with an outstanding record of 14-3. One of their bright spots of the season was beating Carthage and getting 1st place in the McAuley Junior Varsity Tournament. All of the volleyball girls worked very hard this year and were very deserving of their accomplishments.

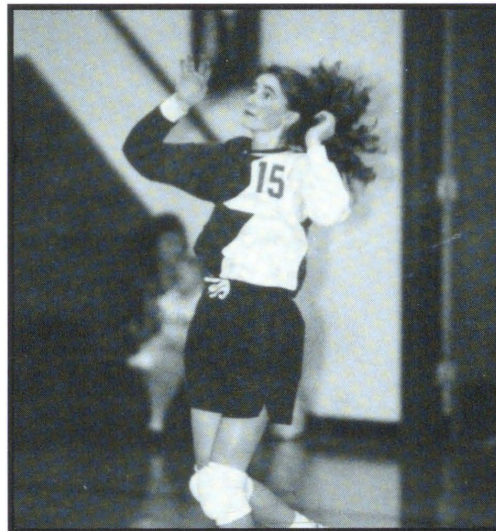
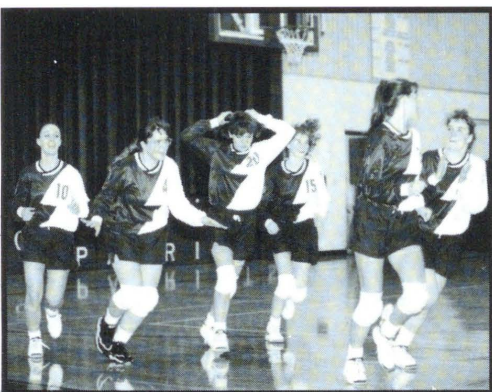
The J.V. team had an excellent year and exceeded many expectations set for them. With their good attitudes and great work habits, the future looks very bright for the talented upcoming team. Let's go girls!

Sarah Yates

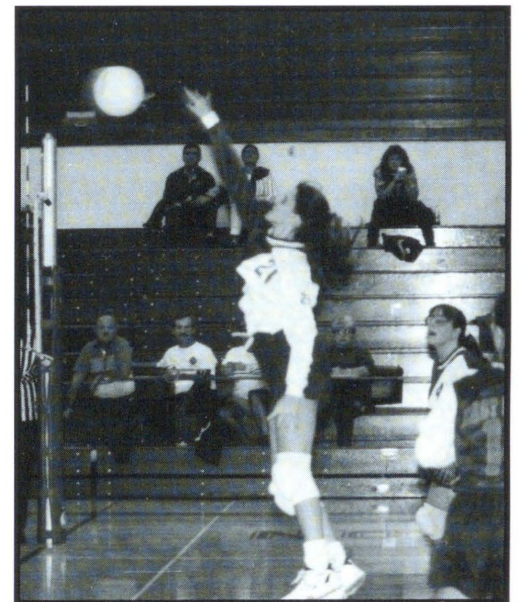
1995 Junior Varsity Team: Front Row; T. Renfro, J. Riggs, M. Marion, H. Thomlinson, Middle Row; A. Oxendine, C. Earl, L. Steele, A. Wolgamott. Back Row; A. Brown, A. Canter, Coach Jeannie Cambers, A. Rosinski, and R. Johnson.



Having a little bit of fun, the J.V. team runs a warm-up lap before their upcoming game.



Sophomore April Brown shows her fine skill in making an excellent serve during a J.V. game.



Freshman L. Steele drives down another great hit while teammate A. Rosinski watches.



Coach Jeannie Cambers gives an enlightening talk to the J.V. team before their match.

1996 Patriot Football Team

The East Newton Patriot football team started the 1995 season ranked 6th in the Big-Eight Conference. They held up expectations of their fans and faithful supporters by ending the regular season with an 8 and 2 record being beaten only by Lamar and Seneca. They were once again undefeated in District play-offs to clench their fourth consecutive District Championship title.

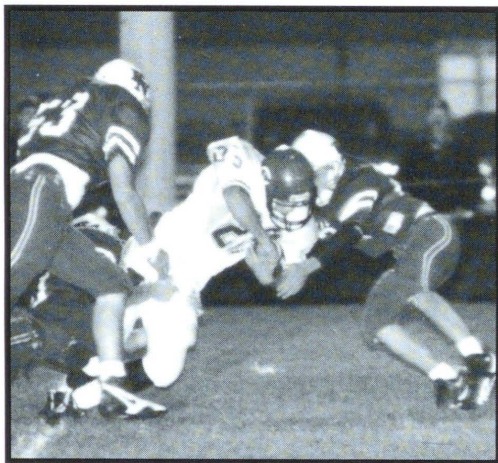
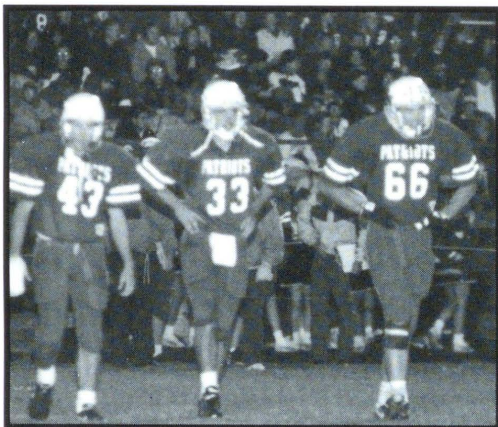
Good job guys and good luck next year, keep up the good work!

Wisper Wagner

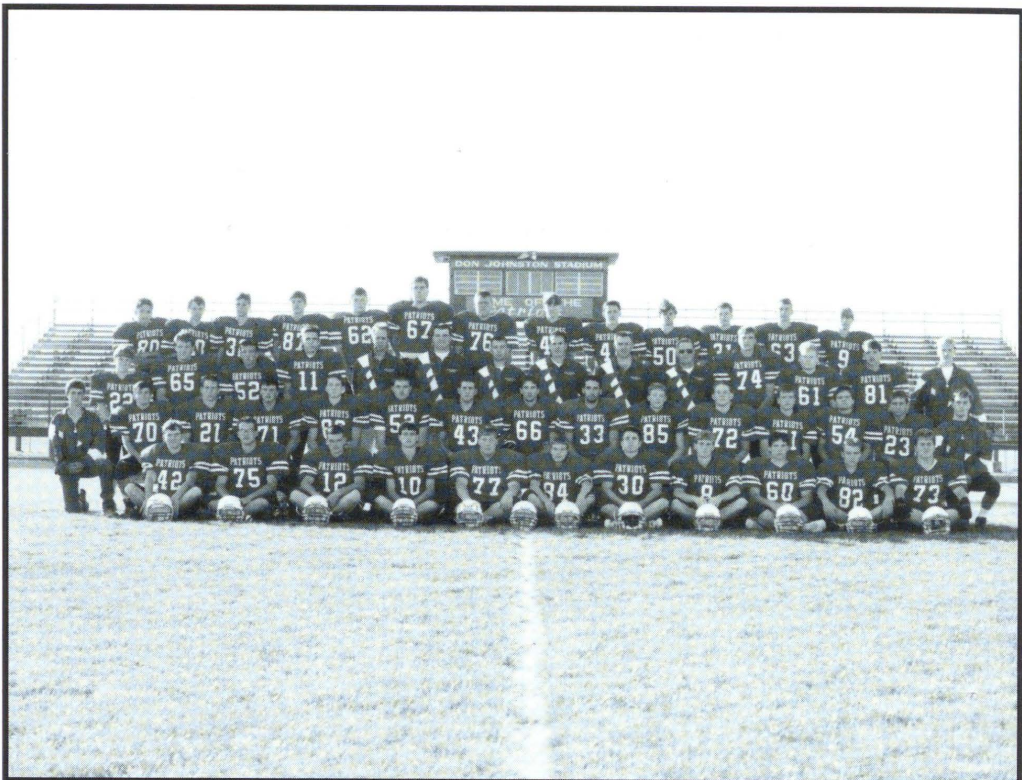
In a huddle, the Patriot football team prepares for another VICTORY!



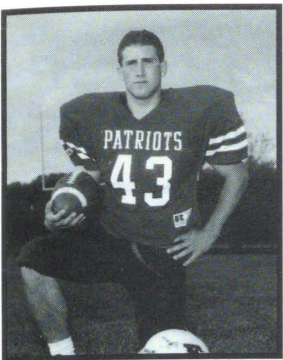
Ready or not here we come! Our three captains, Joe Guinn, Jeremy King, and Mickey Osborn, take the field for the coin toss.



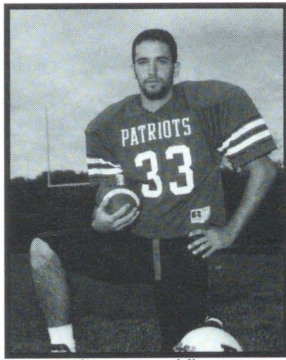
Steve Wirth and Marcus Thogmartin show the importance of teamwork as they help Joshua Hanes drag down an opponent.



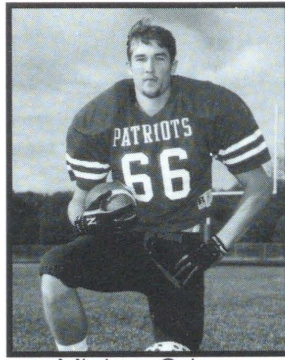
Left to Right, top row-Isaac Gripka, Brad Harvill, Brian Johnson, Phillip Stewart, David Livingston, Charlie Litchfield, Chris Patterson, Matt Hawkins, Andrew Powviriya, David Hess, Adam Hagedon, Jerry Blake, Chad English, 2nd row-Scott Perkins, Jamie Gossett, Jake Hobson, Tim Gripka, Coaches-Butterfield, Perkins, White, Lawrence, Davis, and Bunn - Matt Harris, Kris Shoemaker, Scott Ryan, Matthew Hanes (manager), 3rd row-Eric Watts (manager), Eric Harris, Steve Wirth, Dan Cullers, Kevin Mayfield, Marcus Thogmartin, Joe Guinn, Mickey Osborn, Jeremy King, Rusty McCool, Matt VanWinkle, Eric Hagedon, Billy Davison, Joshua Hanes, Brian Misner, bottom row-Brian McFarland, Clint Reynolds, Josh Shelton, Matt Breedlove, J.D. Clanton, Joey Wimsatt, Floyd Renner, Kyle Hedrick, Paul McKinney, Michael Blake, Josh Amey.



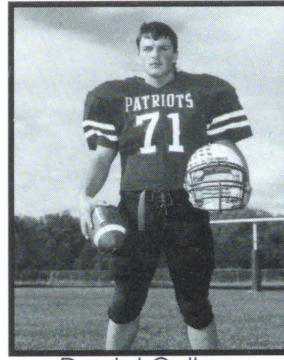
Joe Guinn
3 Year Letterman



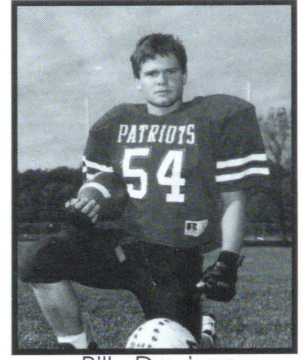
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4 Year Letterman



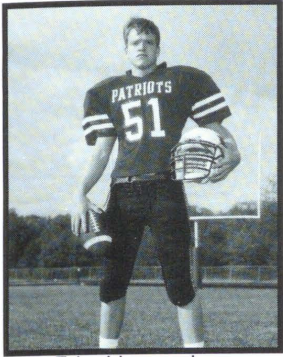
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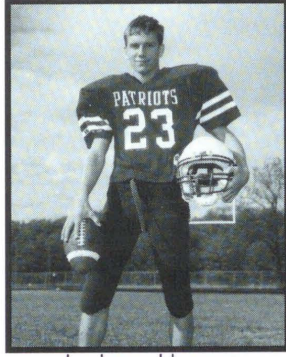
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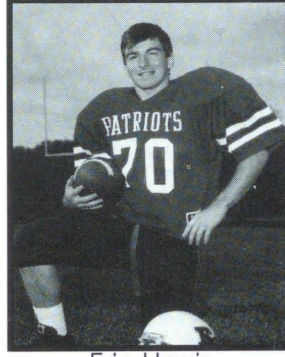
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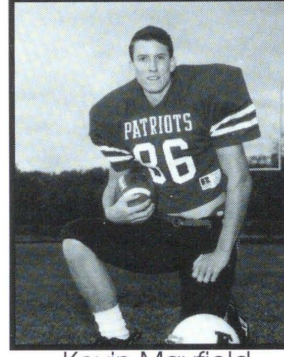
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2 Year Letterman



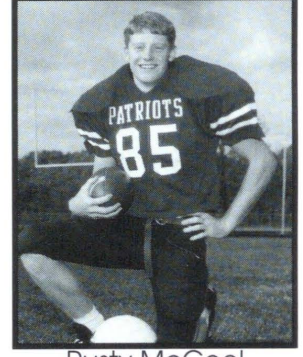
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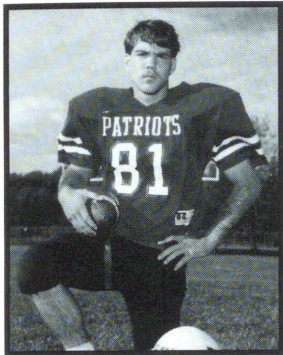
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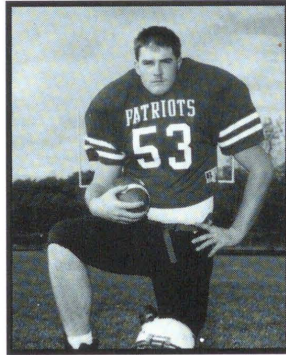
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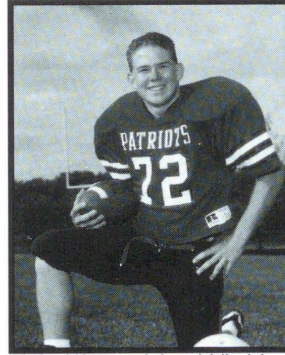
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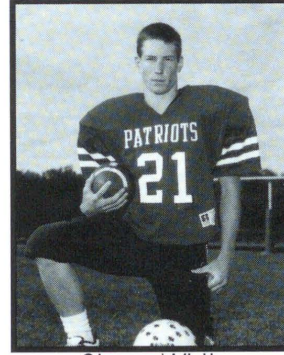
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Marcus Thogmartin
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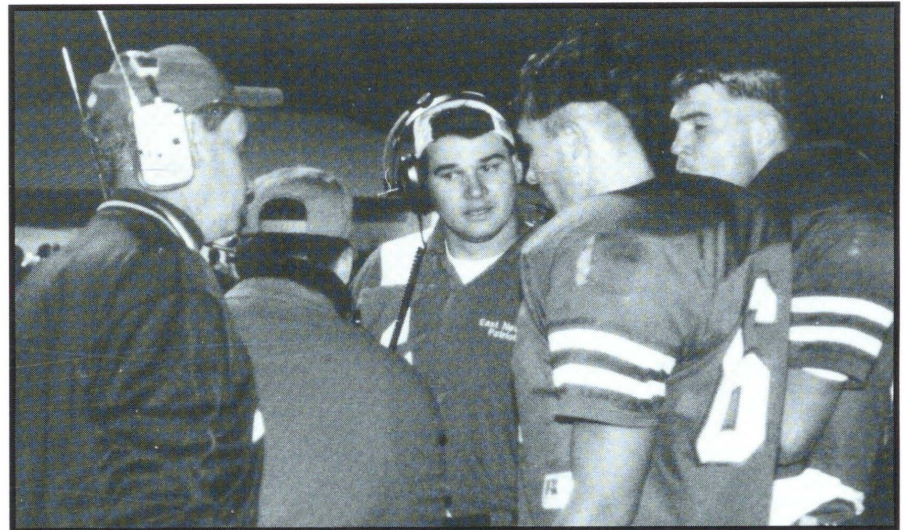
Matthew VanWinkle
2 Year Letterman



Steve Wirth
2 Year Letterman



Here, take this! Tim Gripka hands the ball to Joe Guinn during the Carl Junction game.



"I don't think so," replies Coach Perkins to Coach Davis as he suggests a play to Mickey O. and Marcus T.

E.N. Football works their way to the top!

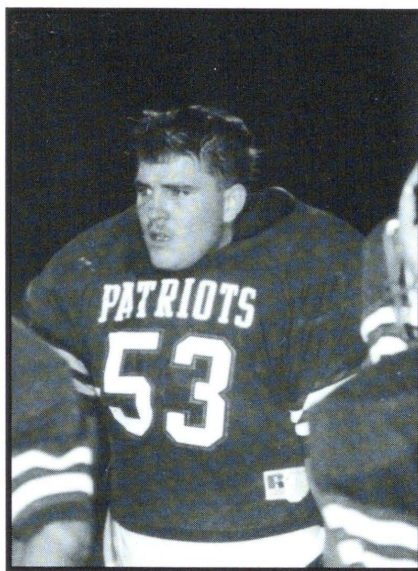
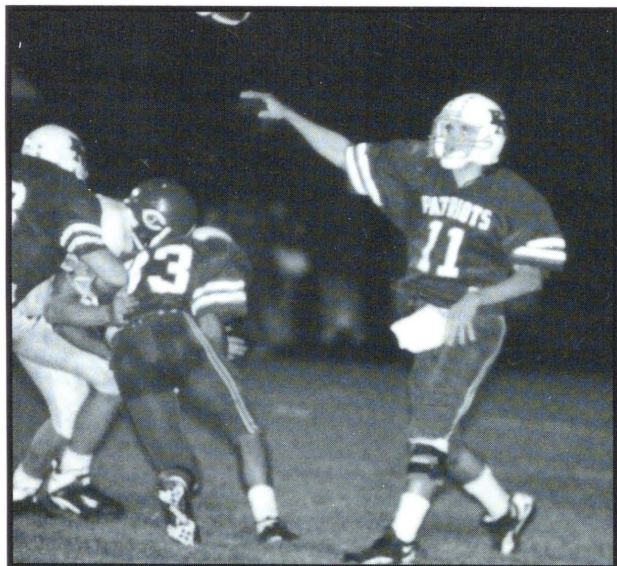
Senior Jeremy King proves he has offensive skills as well as defensive skills as he made All-State as a defensive back.



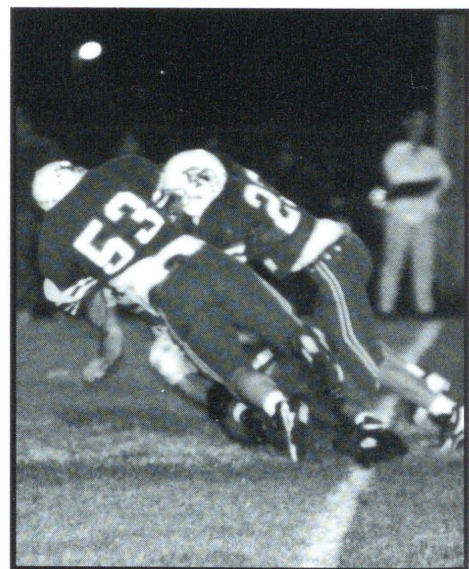
Four! Four! Four! East Newton's "Fourth Quarter Chant." Helps boost the players and fans enthusiasm.

Joe Guinn is getting ready to break the school record by gaining 1350 yards rushing his senior season.

Junior Quarterback, Tim Gripka, is getting ready to make a great pass.



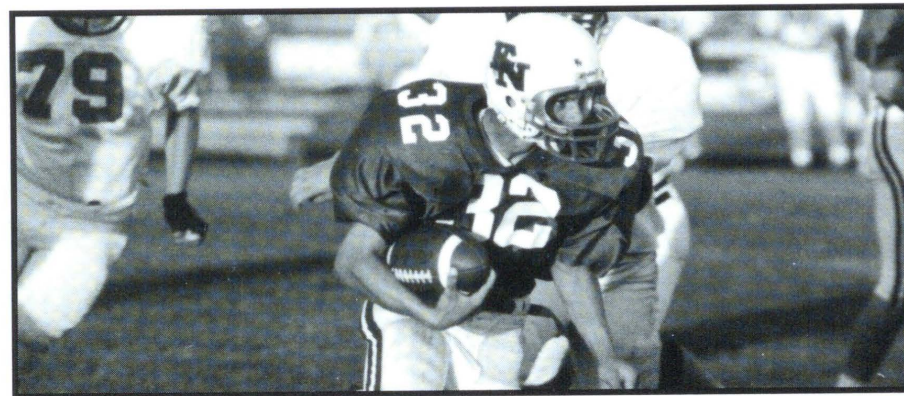
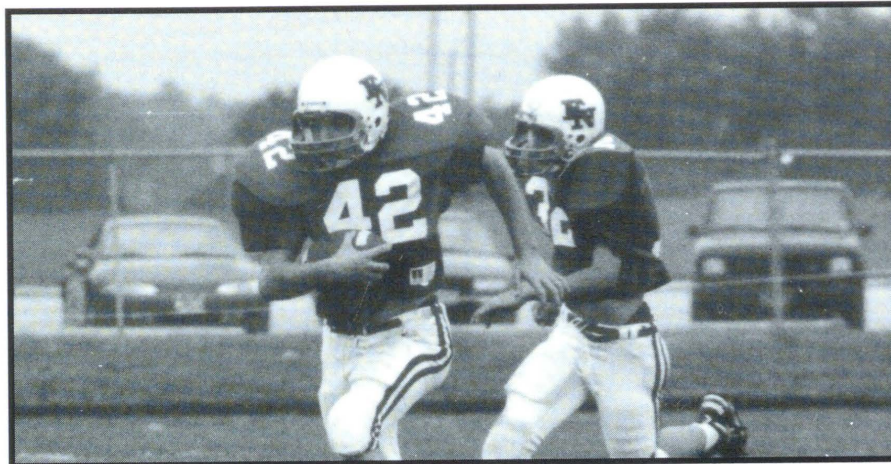
Senior Marcus Thogmartin rests after playing a great first half.



Marcus Thogmartin and Josh Hanes make a tackle behind the line of scrimmage.

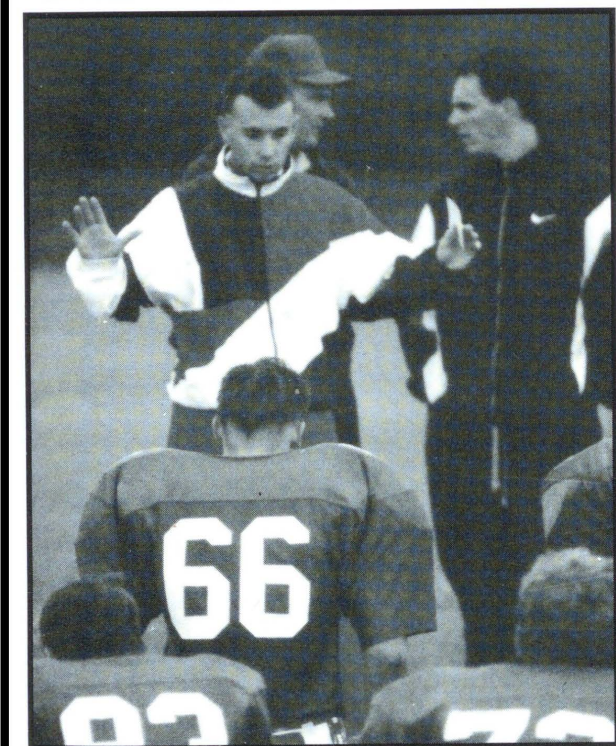
Sophomore Brian McFarland takes the ball for a big gain to clinch good field position.

Freshman Bryan Johnson is strutting his stuff after making an enormous play.

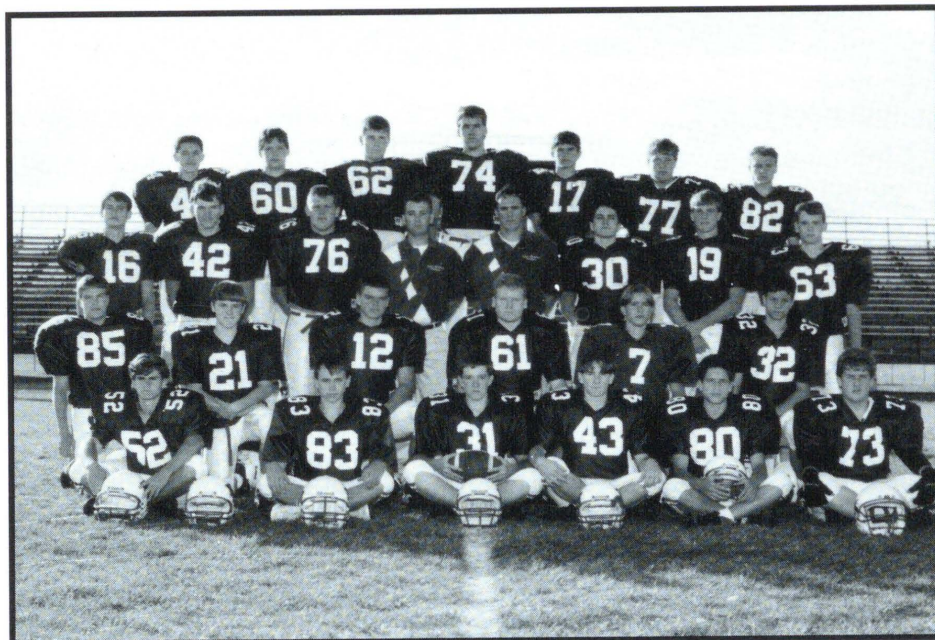


Freshman Bryan Johnson breaks out of the pack for a short gain against Aurora in a 32-8 Patriot victory.

Sophomore Quarterback, Kyle Hedrick, is getting ready to make a touchdown pass to score on Monett.



Coach Eric White is discussing game strategy with the J.V. team.



J.V. Football- A. Powviriya, P. McKinney, D. Livingston, C. Litchfield, P. Stewart, J. Clanton, M. Blake, M. Breedlove, B. McFarland, C. Patterson, Coach E. White, Coach M. Lawrence, F. Renner, K. Hedrick, J. Blake, J. Wimsatt, S. Perkins, J. Shelton, K. Shoemaker, C. English, B. Johnson, D. Hess, B. Harvill, A. Hagedon, M. Hawkins, I. Gripka, J. Amey.

Alhoa Beach Party

On the evening of September 22, 1995, Robyn Bowman was crowned by the reigning queen Summer Roszell, who was escorted by Jeremy King and Mickey Osborn. Robyn was escorted by Daniel Cullers and Billy Davison. The other candidates were Junior Nicole Forsberg, escorted by Joe Guinn and Marcus Thogmartin; Sophomore Heidi Thomlinson, escorted by Rusty McCool and Joshua Hanes; Freshman April Lewis, escorted by Eric Hagedon and Matt VanWinkle. Later in the evening, the Patriots defeated Carl Junction in a big win 20-13. You could feel the excitement during the game and in the gym as the students awaited the Homecoming dance. The Homecoming theme was "Alhoa Beach Party." Everyone danced the night away.

Amber Gorman

Robyn Bowman, senior candidate, was escorted on the field by Daniel Cullers and Billy Davison.



Robyn Bowman being crowned by Summer Roszell as Daniel Cullers looks on.



Homecoming Candidates April Lewis, Nicole Forsberg, Heidi Thomlinson, and Robyn Bowman.



Senior Robyn Bowman



Junior Nicole Forsberg



Freshman April Lewis



Sophomore Heidi Thomlinson

Working for Success

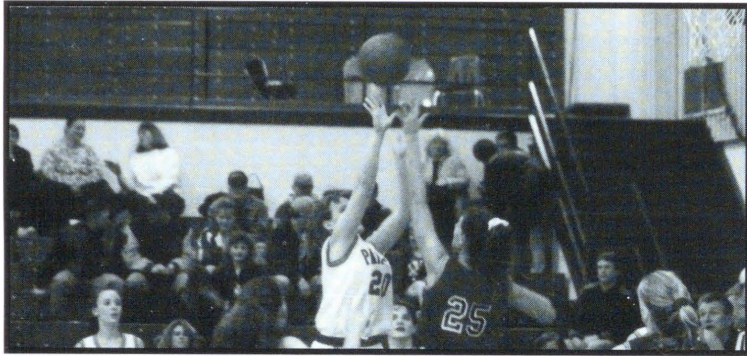
The 1995-96 East Newton Lady Patriot Varsity Basketball team worked very hard to be a success this year. Coach Bunn said that the Senior girls did a great job this year, and the younger girls picked up some valuable experiences.

The Lady Patriots Varsity team had a good year with 9 wins and 15 losses. They also took second place at the McAuley Tournament. This year Amber Swartz broke two school records: the all-time leading scorer and the all-time assist leader. She also had the leading free-throw percentage and Lindsay Steele received all-area honorable mention, and Amber Swartz received all-area second team.

With hard work and determination the Lady Patriots did an excellent job this year. Great job ladies!!

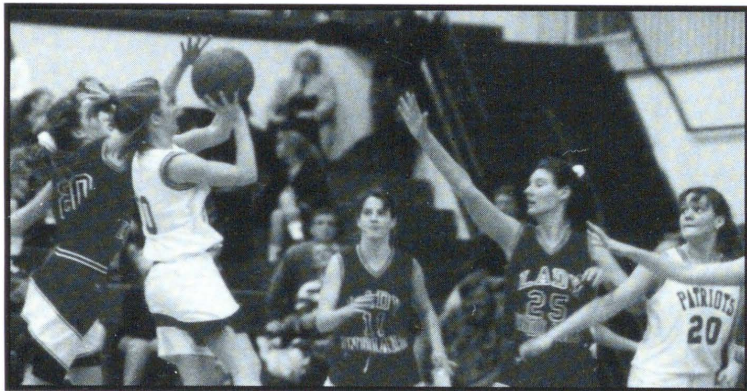
Stephanie Bailey

Front row: Jerra Pyles, Heidi Thomlinson, Mindy Mosley, Jera Gallemore, and Rendi Thomlinson; Middle row: Kirsti Allphin, Jamie Roszell, Shasta McCamish, Michal Mathis, and Lindsay Steele; Back row: Coach Cook Ryan Johnson, April Brown, Amber Swartz and Coach Bunn.



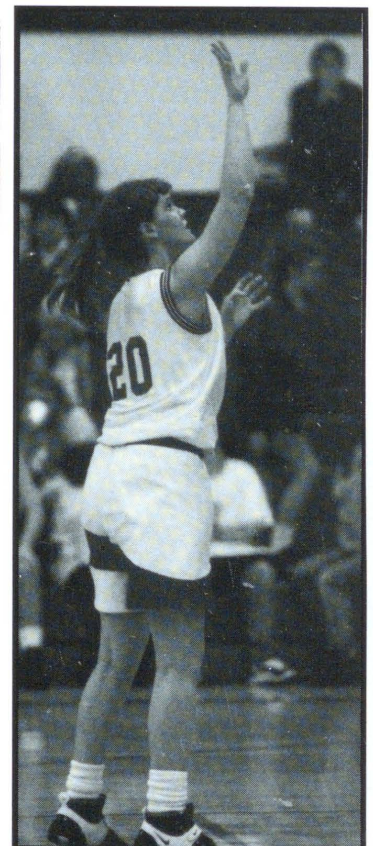
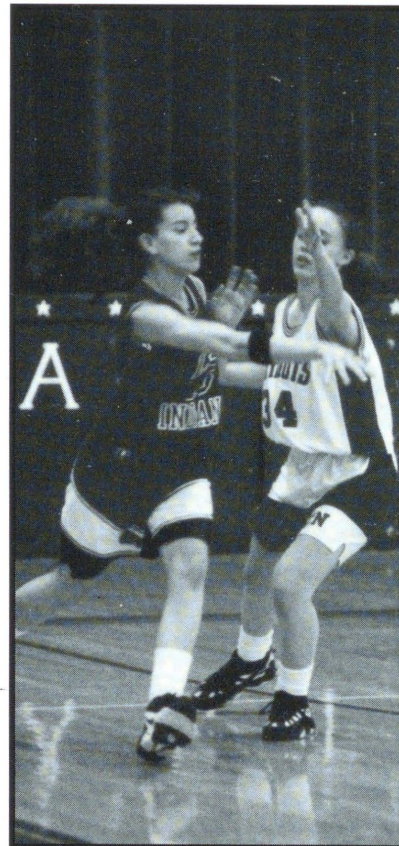
Heidi Thomlinson works hard to block the ball thrown by a Lady Indian.

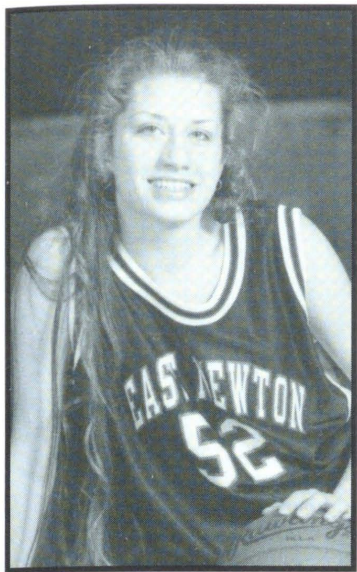
Lindsay Steele shows us her great shooting technique!



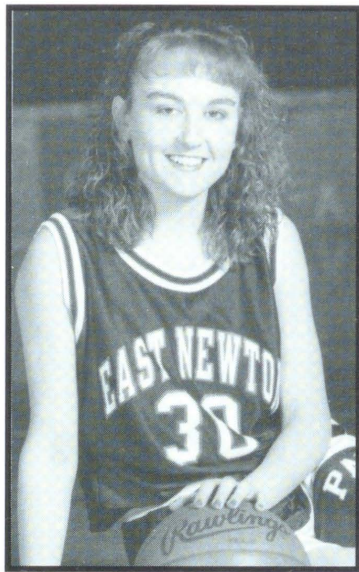
Lindsay Steele goes up for the shot while the rest of the Lady Patriots wait anxiously to see if the ball will make it in the net!

Amber Swartz jumps high in the air to get her shot over the Indian's defense.

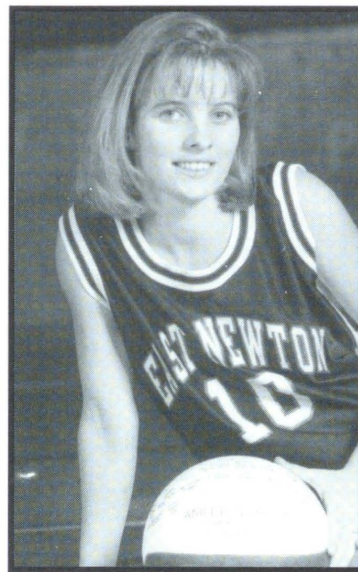




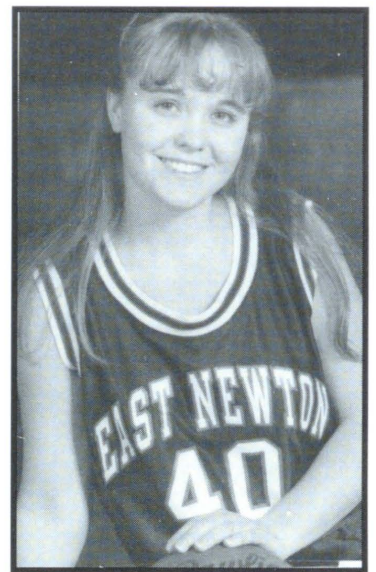
Michal Mathis
2-year letterman



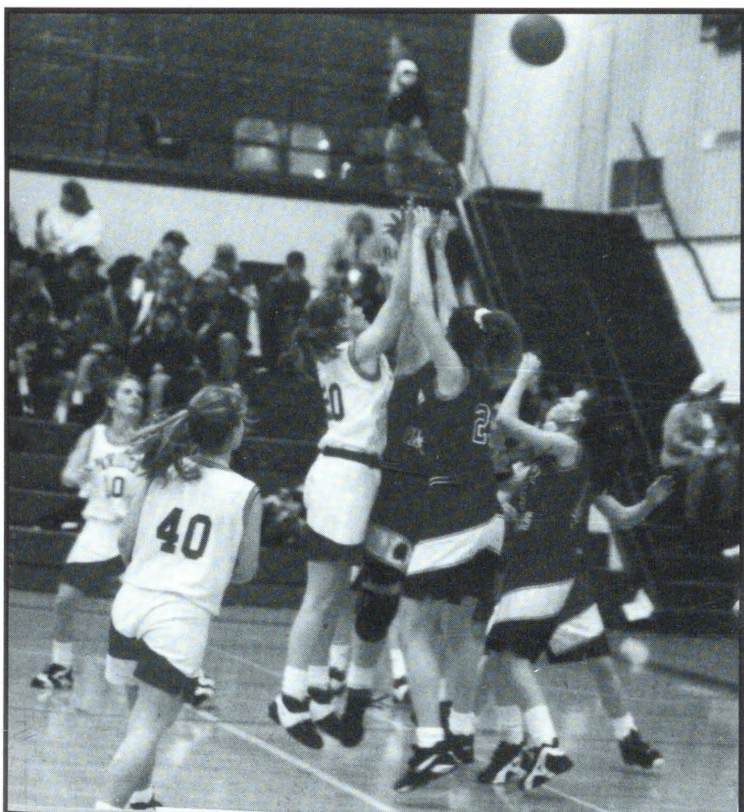
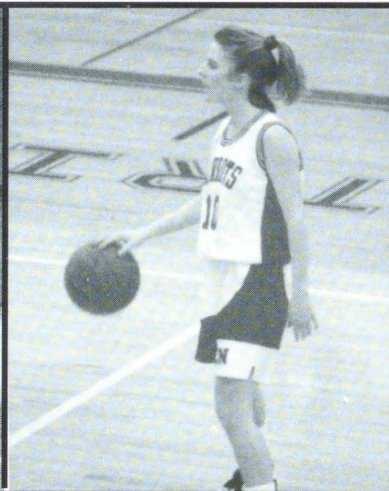
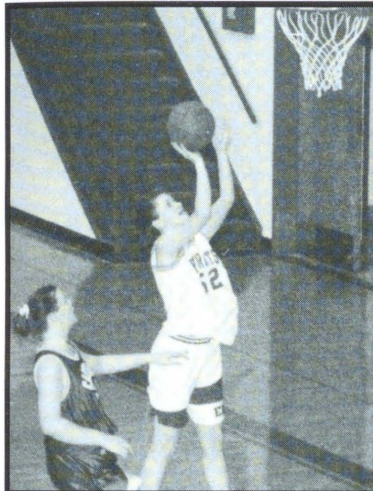
Mindy Mosley
3-year letterman



Amber Swartz
4-year letterman



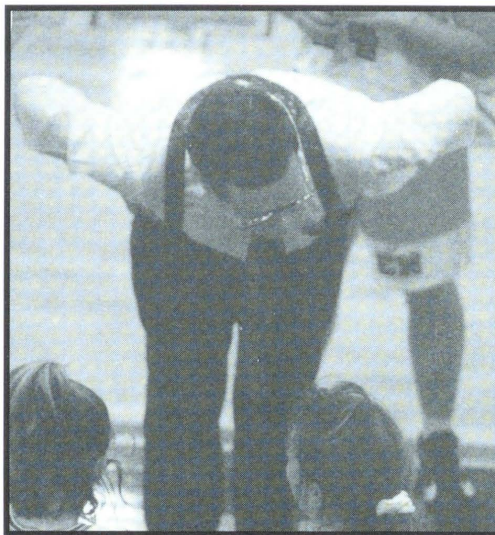
Rendi Thomlinson
1-year letterman



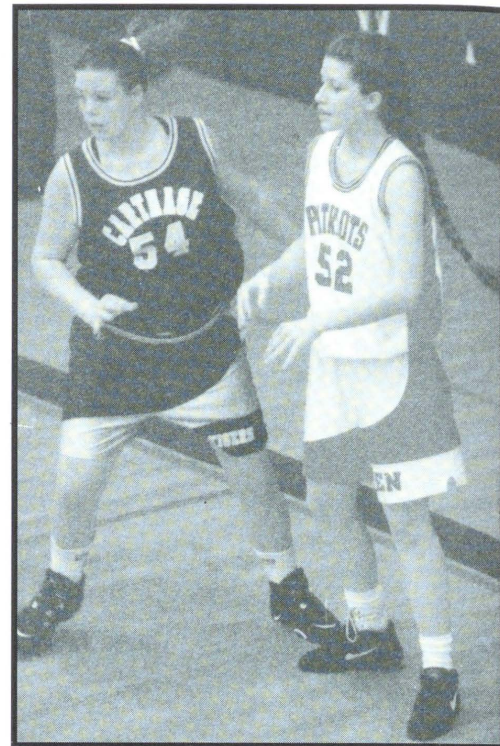
Will the ball ever come down? The Lady Patriots wonder while they all wait to rebound the ball.

The Lady Patriots all worked as a team to defeat the Seneca Indians 52 to 32.

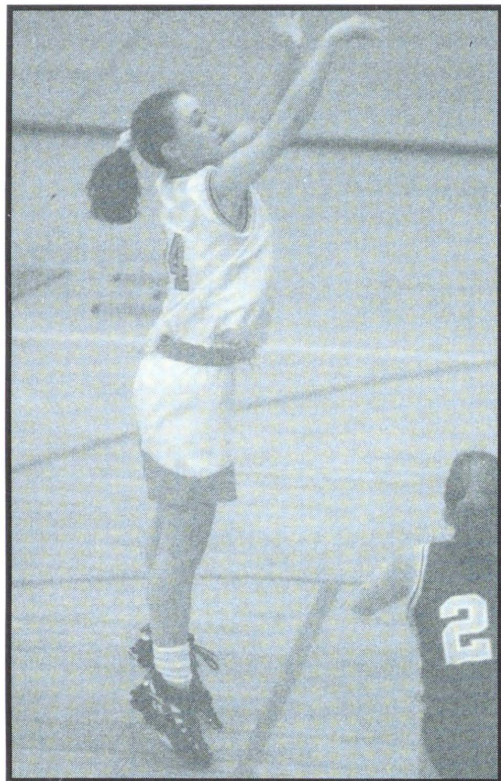
Varsity Girls basketball coach, Larry Bunn, gives "his girls" a quick pep talk during a time out.



Senior, Michal Mathis concentrates intently while she waits to make her next move.

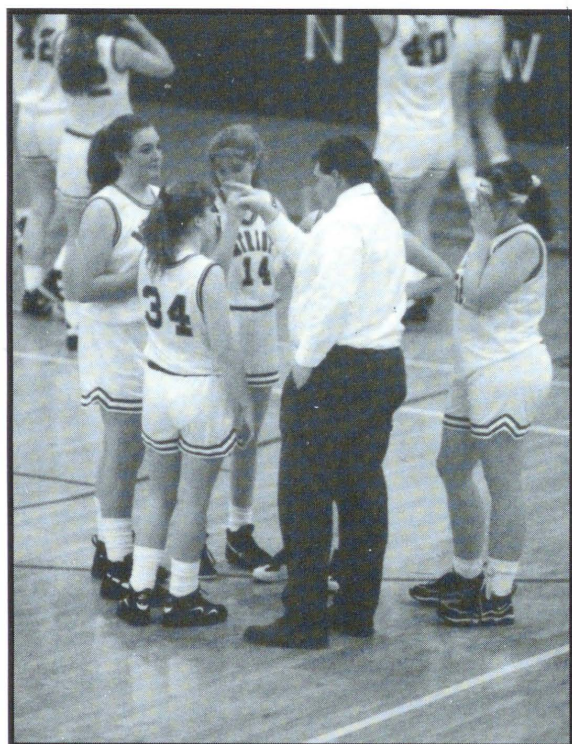


Free shot! Sophomore, Heidi Thomlinson shoots a free throw for an easy point against Carthage.

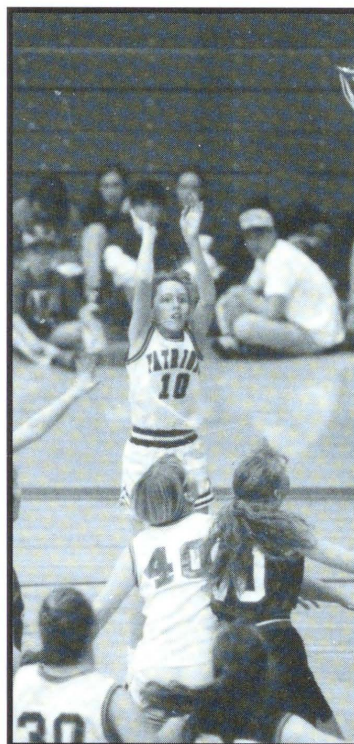
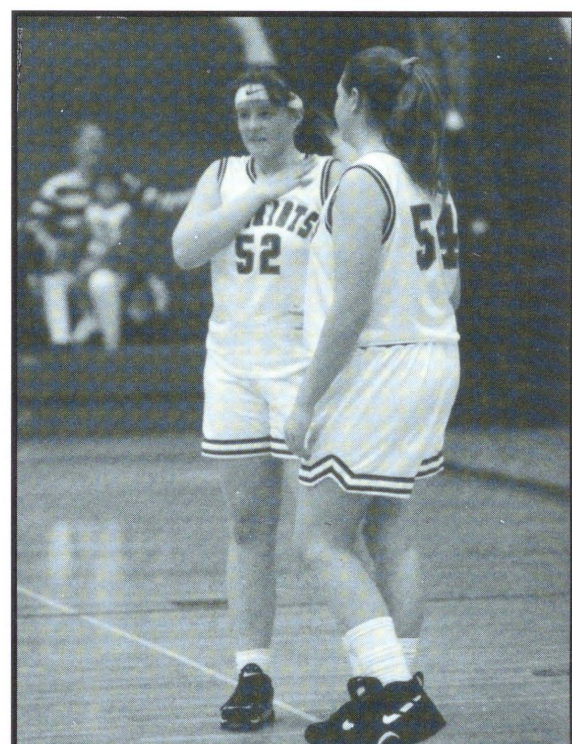


Senior, Rendi Thomlinson awaits a pass from the sidelines. "Oh no where did the ball go?"

During half-time Coach Cook gives the JV girls some advice, "go for the gold girls!"



Taking a short break, Freshman Amy Rosinski and Sophomore Kirsti Allphin, try to catch their breath.



Shooting for two, Freshman Kim Putman shoots for a basket against Seneca.

Dribbling into our hearts!

Girls Junior Varsity Basketball: Front Row Jerra Pyles, Shasta McCamish, Jamie Roszell, Ryan Johnson. Middle Row Jera Gallemore, Amy Rosinski, Kirsti Allphin, Amy Wolgamott, Sarah Young. Back Row Jennifer Riggs, Amy Morris, Kim Putman, April Brown, Tonya Renfro, and Coach Cook.



Striving to be the best, East Newton's Junior Varsity Girls dribbled their way into our hearts through and through. They showed determination during the 1995-96 school year. With 9 wins and 5 losses, they made East Newton proud.

If one thing could be said about this group of girls it is, "I was very proud of the way the girls continued to improve throughout the season," said their coach Darren Cook.

With the experience and continued hard work these girls are expected to make an exceptional group for a future varsity team.

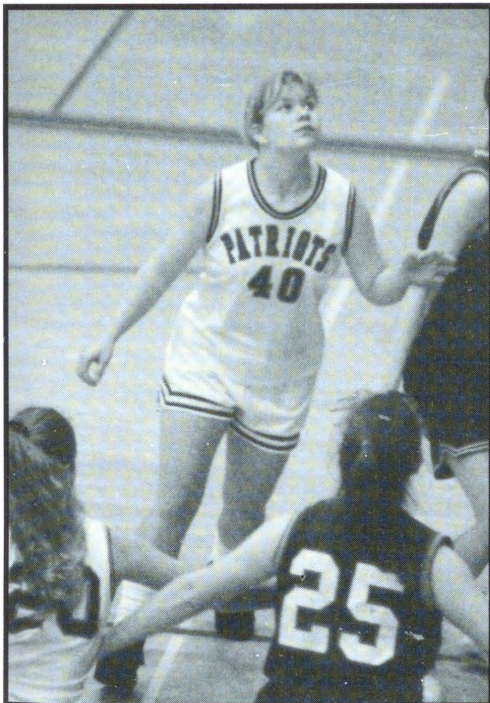
Amber Gorman

Freshman Tonya Renfro struts her stuff on the court. "Ok where did the rest of the team go?"

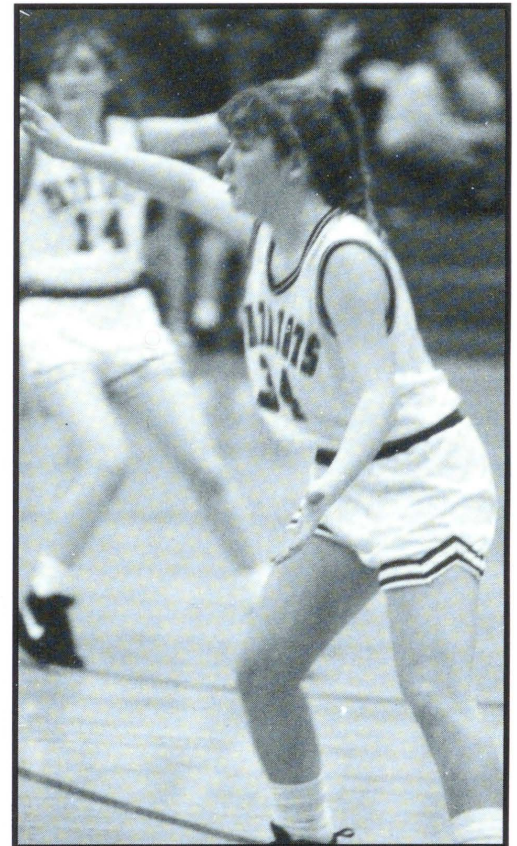


"Gimmie! Gimmie!," says Freshman Ryan Johnson, waiting for the opposing team to come down the court.

"No way this one's mine," says sophomore Amy Morris, to an opposing Seneca player.



Concentrating, Sophomore April Brown shoots a free throw in a game against Seneca.



Patriots on the Hardwood

We were anxiously awaiting the first day of basketball, me because I was curious to see what we were going to be like, and the guys because they were curious what I was like.

What we found out was that we were all fighters and hard workers. I am so proud to have been associated with these young men this year. I only hope I taught them as much as they taught me. Their loyalty and dedication was unmatched by any team I've ever coached.

Some of the highlights of the season were winning third place in the Pierce City Tournament. And Rusty McCool winning all tournament honors in the same tournament.

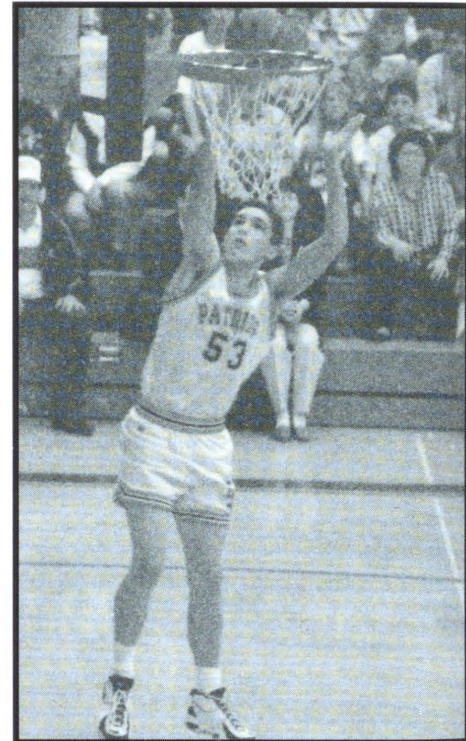
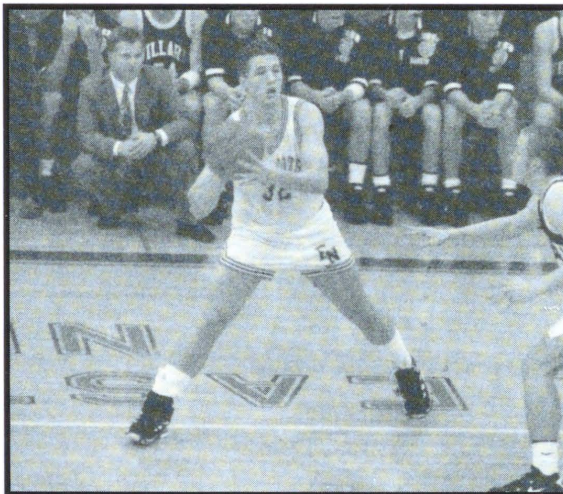
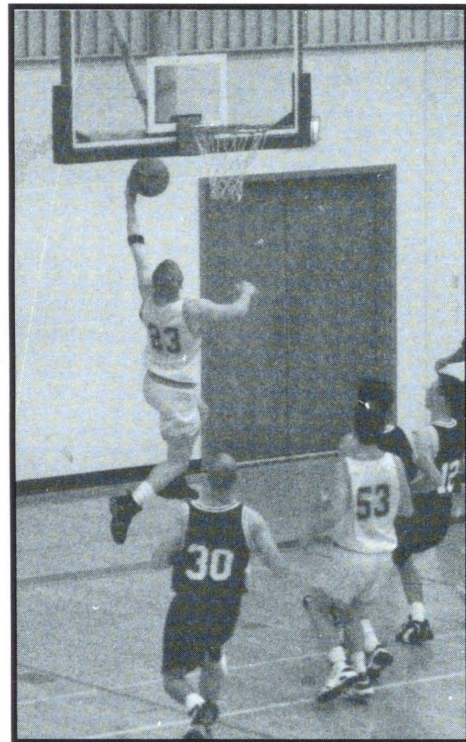
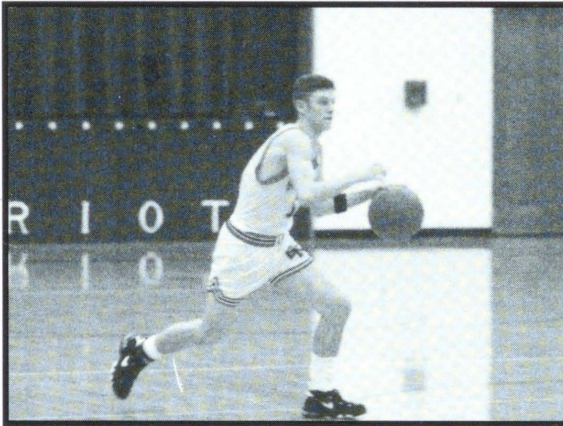
Coach Butterfield



Varsity Basketball: Bottom Row: J. Lane, J. Laughlin, D. Moore. Middle Row: R. McCool, B. Rickman, M. Thogmartin, J. King, T. Gripka. Back Row: Assistant Coach--E. White, Manager--N. Blinzler, J. Morris, D. Guinn, Coach--S. Butterfield.

Determination and hard work paid off for J. Morris, who was chosen the most improved player on the varsity team.

It's a bird, it's a plane, No! It's Rusty McCool going for a layup.

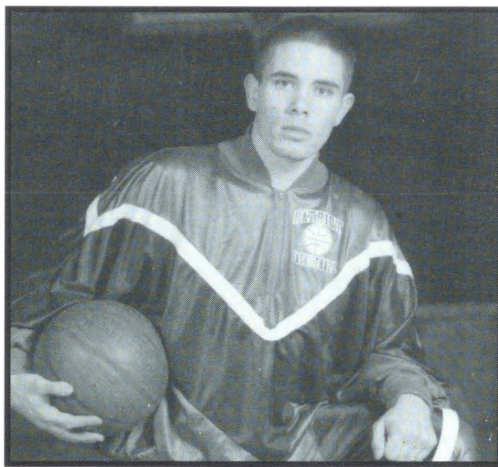


I think I can, I think I can! Tim Gripka scores two points. Yes! I can, I can.

Beau Rickman had a really good game against Willard, he scored 11 points and had 11 rebounds.



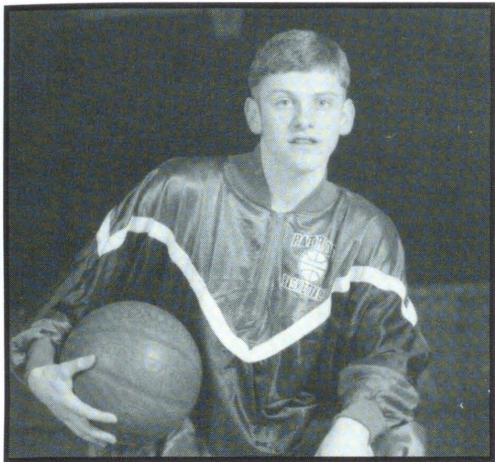
Jeremy King
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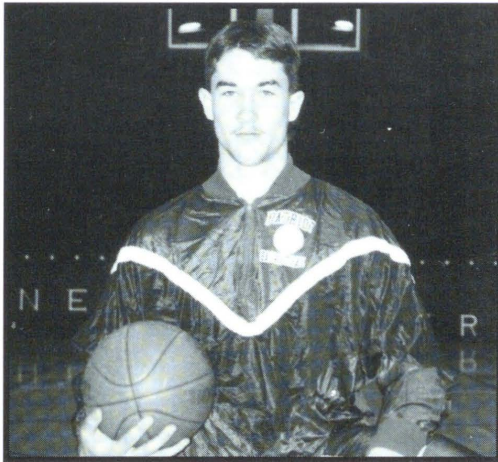
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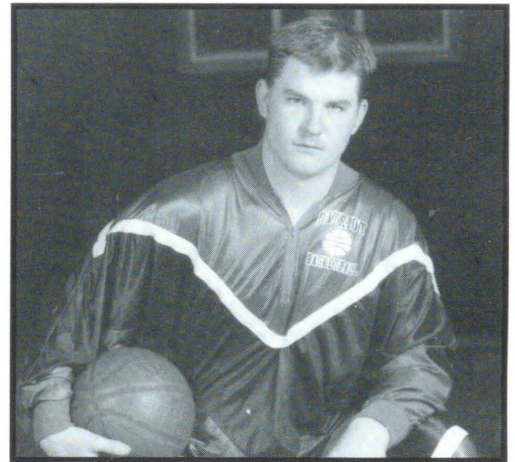
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3-year Letterman



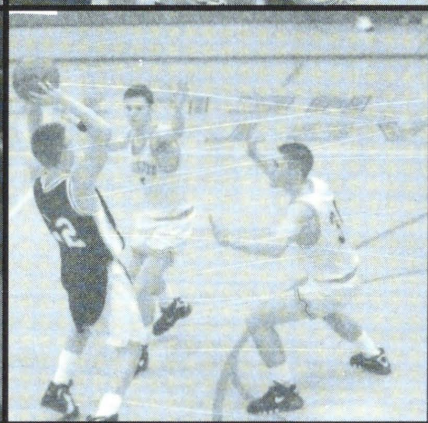
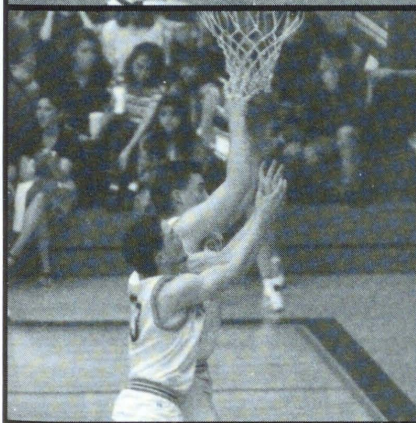
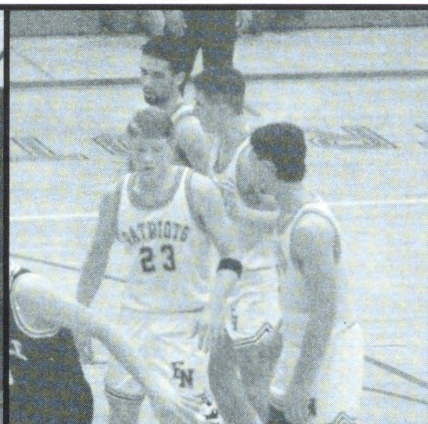
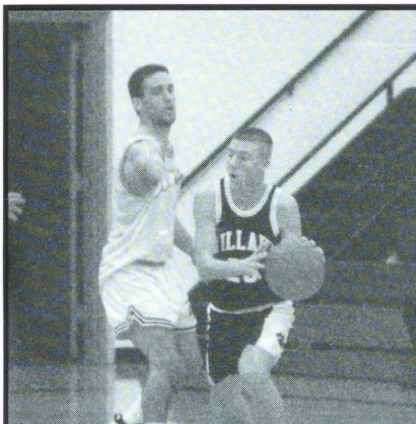
Jason Morris
1-year Letterman



Mickey Osborn
1-year Letterman



Marcus Thogmartin
2-year Letterman



Front Row: Jeremy King and Jason Morris; Back Row: Rusty McCool, Marcus Thogmartin, and J.J. Lane.

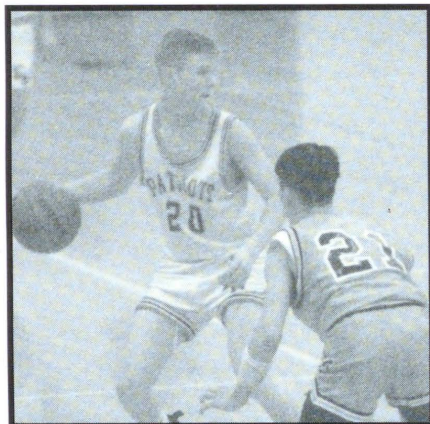
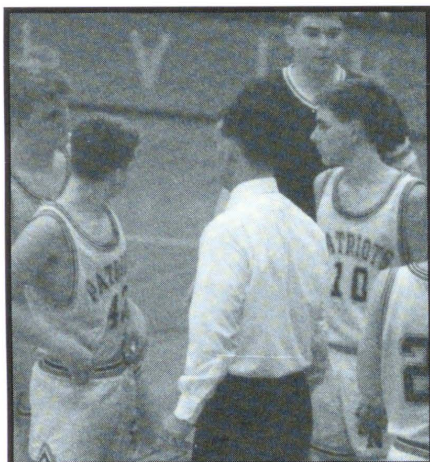
Patriots Bright New Future!!

The 1995-96 East Newton Basketball Team had a learning season, as E.N brought in three new Coaches. The Junior Varsity went 3-10 as the J.V. had a lot of close games but could not pull them out. The Freshman had a 13-4 record and won the Monett tournament and took second at the Seneca tournament. With these dedicated players, there are high hopes for next year's ball-team. They are sure to open a lot of eyes in the near future.

Chuck Cook

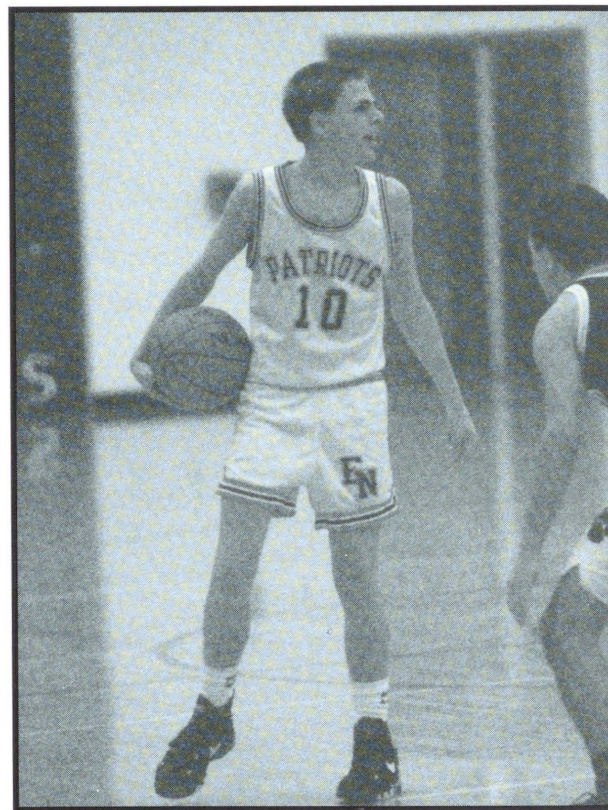
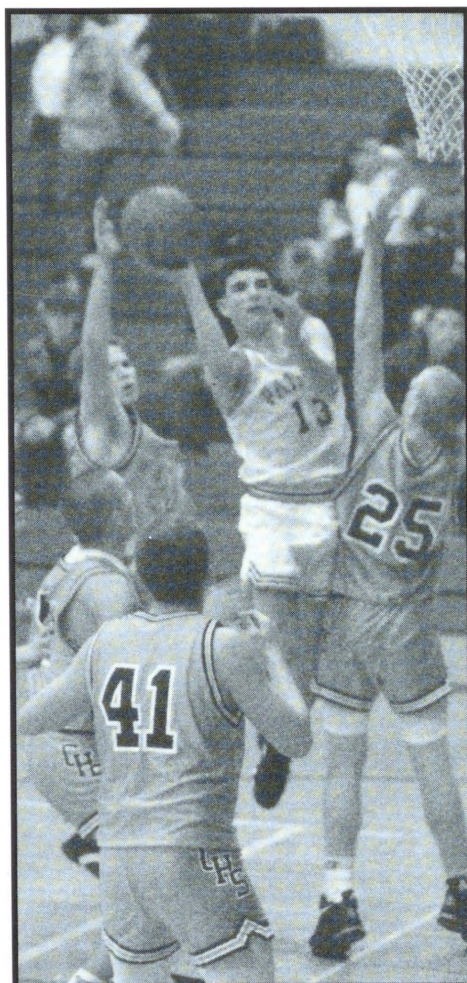


Junior Varsity Boys Basketball Front Row; Left to Right; Jeff Barratt, David Guinn, Second Row; Danny Moore, Levi Newman, Chuck Cook, Zach Shockey, Jason Laughlin, Back Row; Jimmie Peters, Coach Eric White, Nathan Siler.



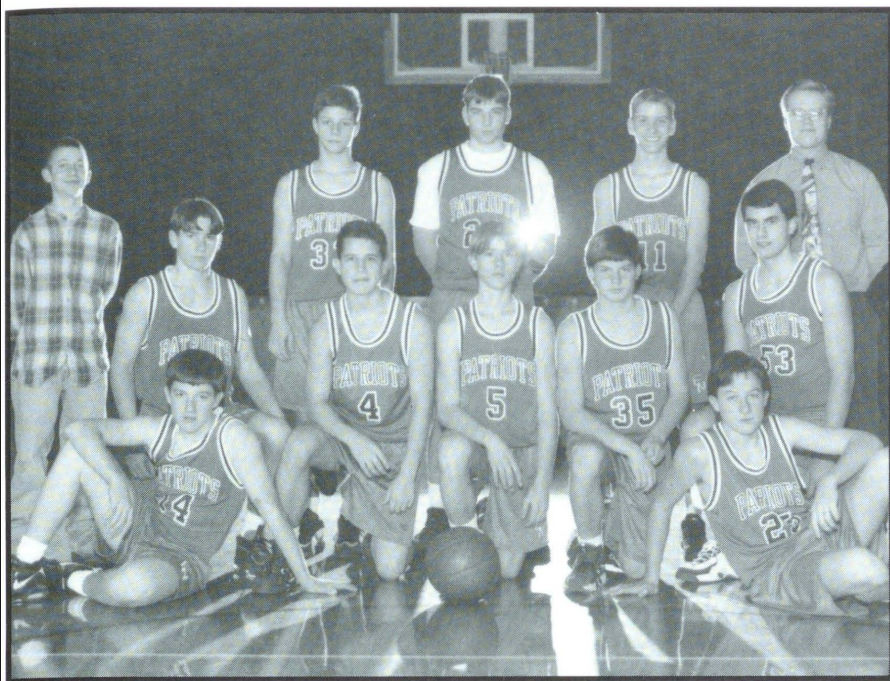
Coach Eric White gives a lecture after a play.

Sophomore, Jason Laughlin shows off his moves on the court.



Sophomore, Chuck Cook is looking for a crack in the defense.

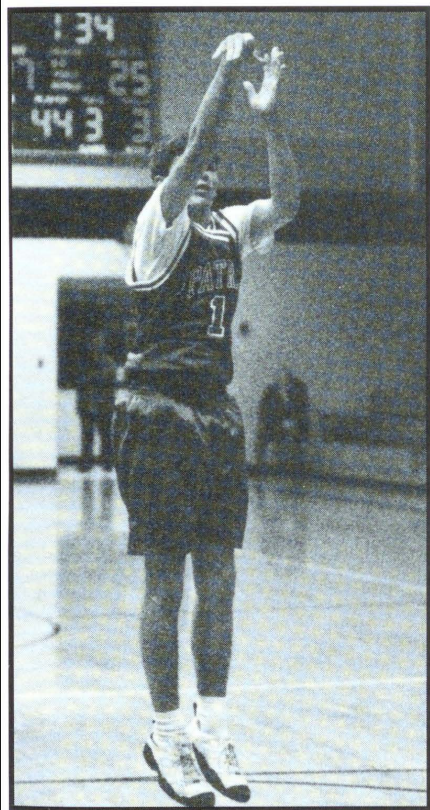
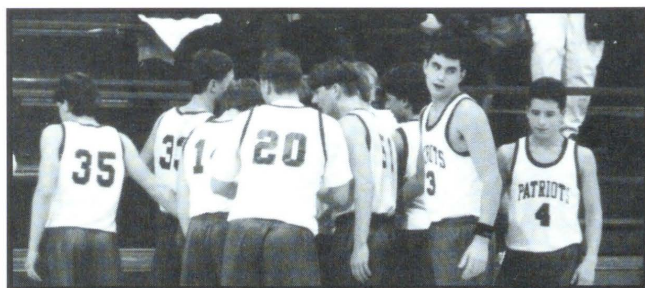
Sophomore, David Guinn gets high to do an acrobatic move.



Freshmen Boys Basketball Front Row:: Adam Hagedon, Jesse Wade, Second Row: Aaron Moffett, Matt Hawkins, Issac Gripka, Chad English, Robby McFarland, Brandon Wilkie, Back Row: Bryan Johnson, Cody Casady, Matthew Hanes and Coach Bob Anderson

1. 2. 3. Win!!! The Freshmen come out of an aspiring huddle.

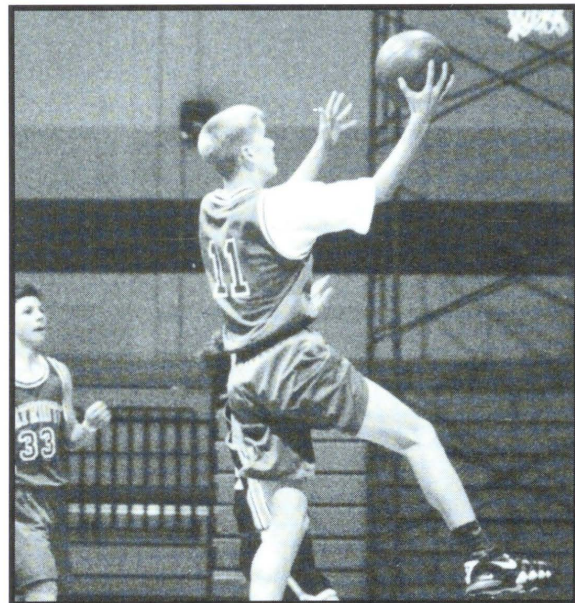
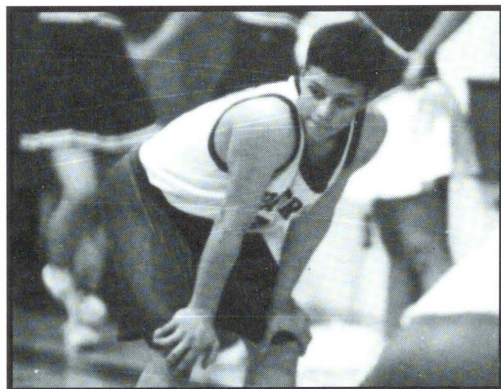
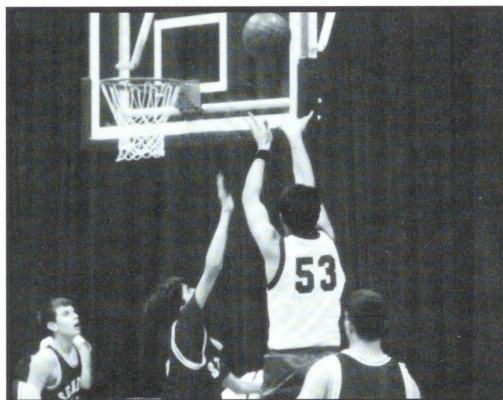
Coach, Bob Anderson is getting ready to explode as the freshmen make a crucial play.



Freshman, Philip Stewart, shows his near perfect shooting style.

Freshman, Brandon Wilkie gets the ball high over his opponents in order to score.

Freshman, Bryan Johnson rests as his teammate shoots a free throw.



Matthew Hanes, Freshman, soars as he lays it off the glass.



The Secret Garden

This year's homecoming game against Cassville was kicked off with the crowning of Senior Queen Vari Granda and Senior King Kevin Mayfield. The candidates were Juniors Michael McCool and Dianna Fehlberg, Sophomores Chuck Cook and Kristina Judd, and Freshmen Isaac Gripka and Tonya Renfro. It was a close basketball game with the Cassville Wildcats coming up victorious against the Patriots.

John Poyner



The 1995-1996 Basketball Homecoming court: M. McCool, I. Gripka, C. Cook, K. Judd, T. Renfro, D. Fehlberg, R. Rook, K. Mayfield, V. Granda, and P. Gripka.

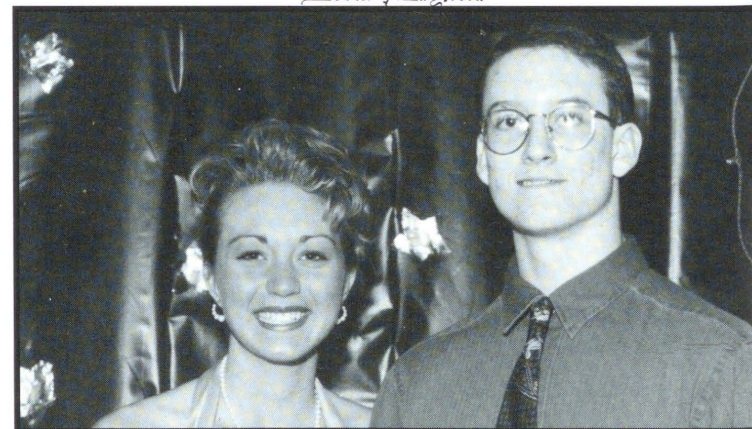
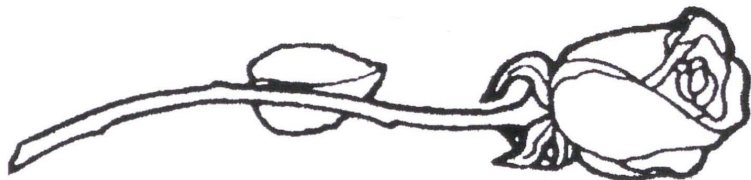


The 1995-1996 East Newton Basketball Homecoming Queen
Vari Granda



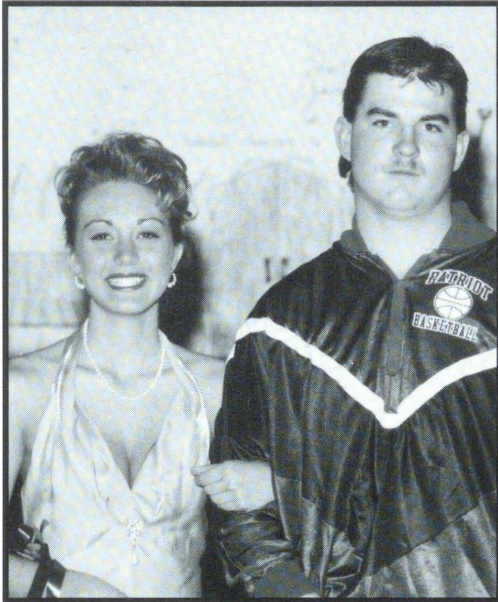
The 1995-1996 East Newton Basketball Homecoming King
Kevin Mayfield

The 1995-1996 Basketball Homecoming King and Queen

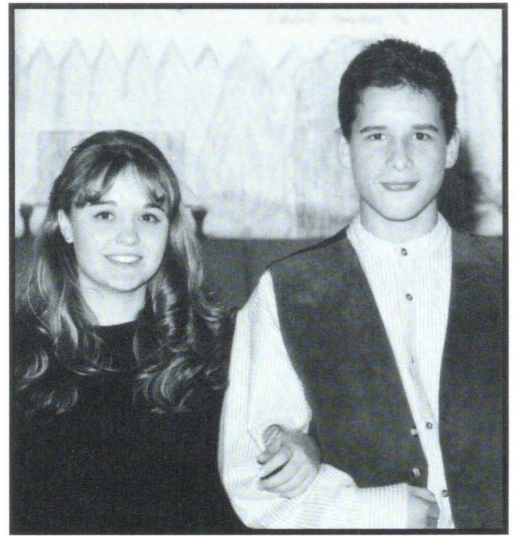




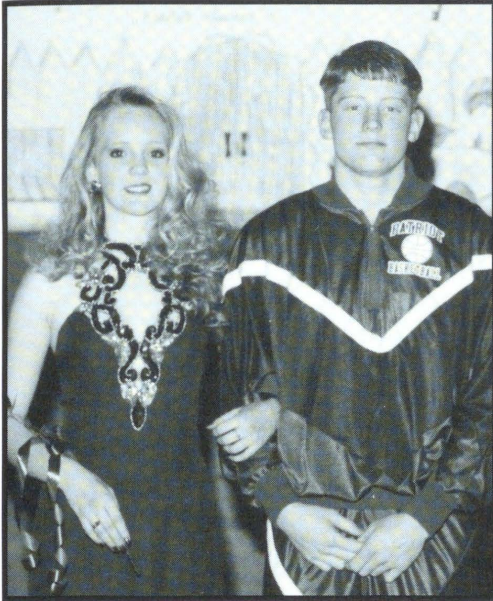
Freshman Queen Candidate
Tonya Renfro with Escort M. Osborn



Senior Queen Candidate
Yari Granda with Escort M. Thogmartin



Freshman King Candidate
Issac Gripka with Escort R. Tomlinson



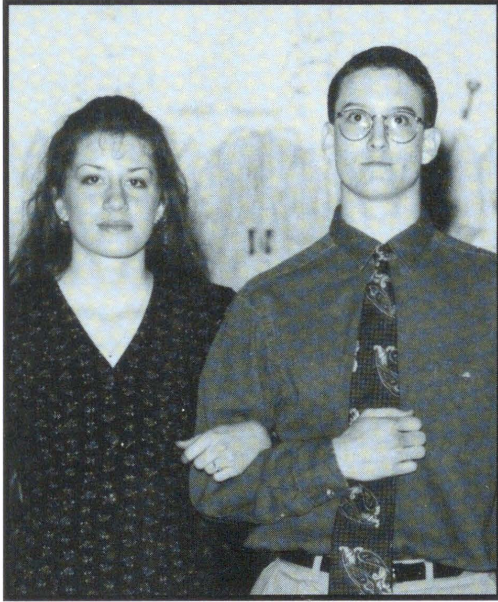
Sophomore Queen Candidate
Kristina Tudd with Escort R. McCool



Sophomore King Candidate
Chuck Cook with Escort M. Mosley



Junior Queen Candidate
Dianna Fehlberg with Escort J. King



Senior King Candidate
Kevin Mayfield with Escort M. Mathis



Junior King Candidate
Michael McCool with Escort A. Swartz

Against All Odds

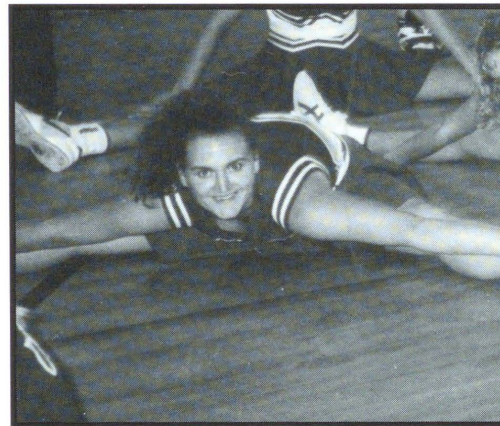
This year has been a challenging year for the 1995-96 cheerleaders. Having to find a new sponsor and retryouts made preparing for competitions a real team effort that the cheerleaders had to work extremely hard. At district competition they received second place which allowed them to compete at state in Columbia where they placed fourth.

Camp was another event they participated in where Wisper Wagner and Bill Aulick made the All-American Cheerleading Team.

The cheerleaders would like to thank Mr. Garrison for his determination and all he has helped them accomplish. A special thanks to the stunt helpers, without their help and strength the cheerleaders wouldn't have survived!

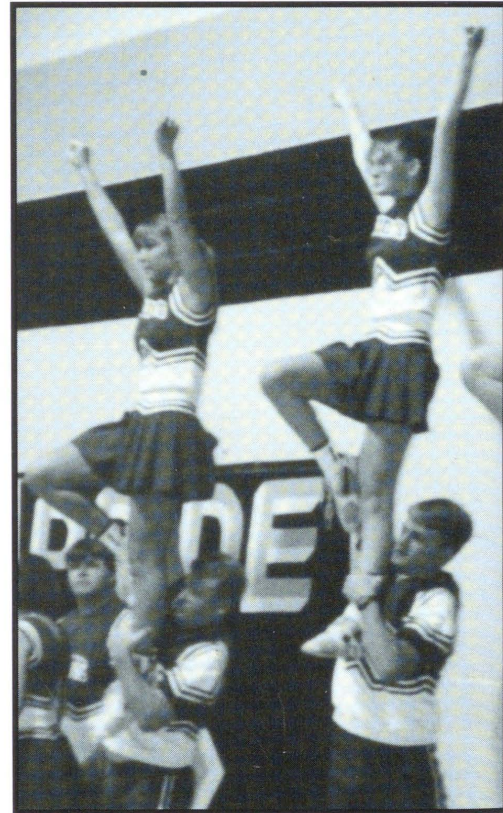
Dianna Fehlberg
Wisper Wagner

1995-96 East Newton Cheerleaders- Back row- Bill Aulick, Alfred Hagan, Jered Jackson. Middle Row- Kris Shoemaker, Stephanie Bailey, Wisper Wagner, Jake Hobson. Front Row- Dianna Fehlberg, Sarah Bartley, Kerri Richardson, Yari Granda, Heather Pfeify, and Adrienne Nielsen.

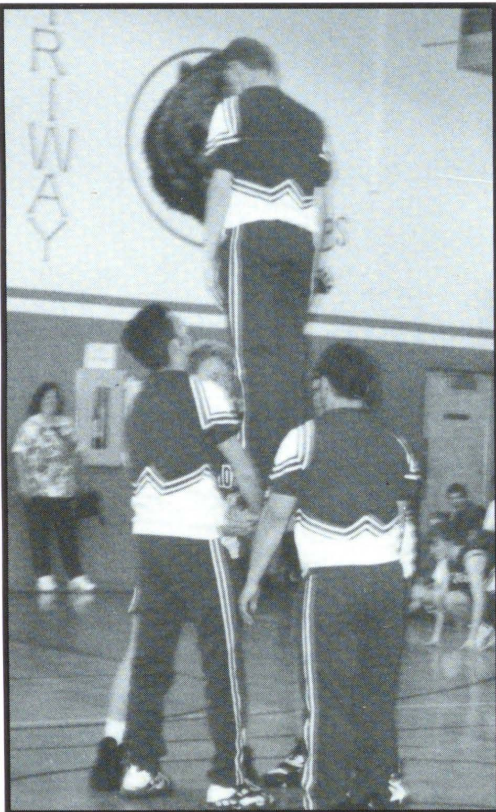


And they all squish in with huge smiles showing they are not nervous about their upcoming performance.

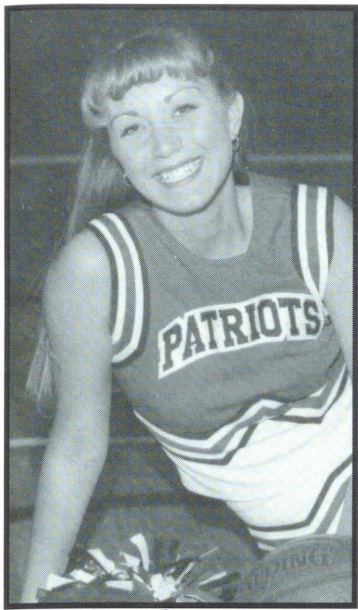
Look at that flexibility, Kerri Richardson knows how important it is to stretch before a performance.



Sittin' on the job! Yari and Stephanie watch the game as Kris and Steve do all the work.



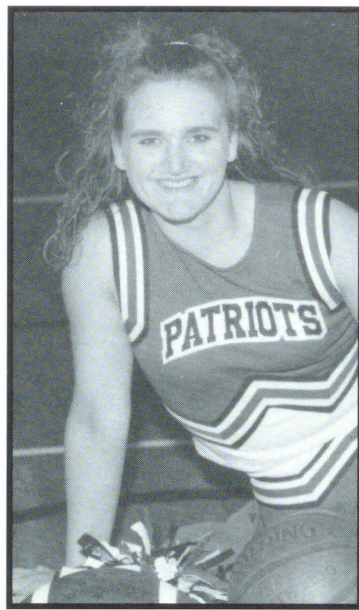
Preparing to fly, Jered Jackson prepares to do his spectacular back tuck basket toss.



Yari Granda
3-year Letterman
Captain



Wisper Wagner
3-year Letterman
Co-Captain

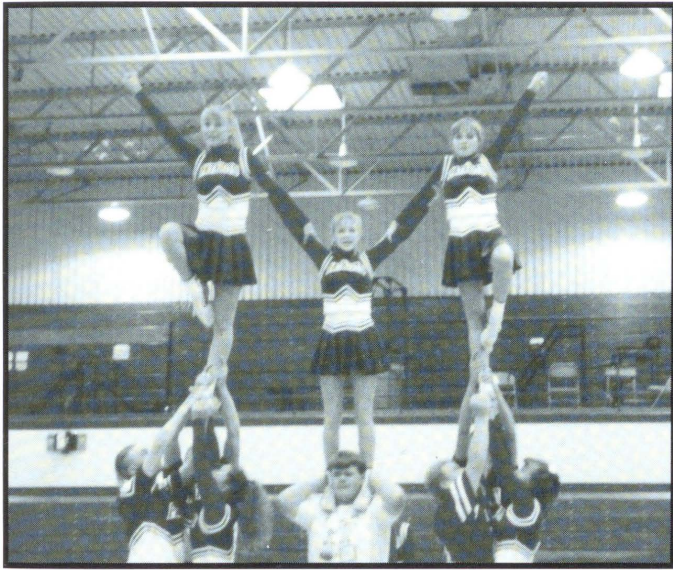


Kerri Richardson
4-year Letterman

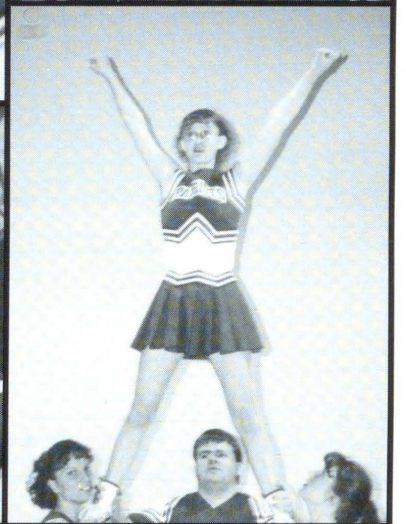
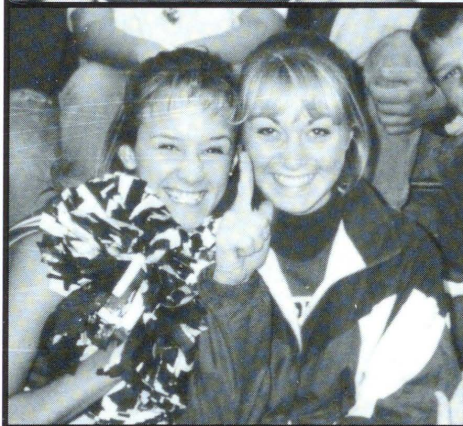
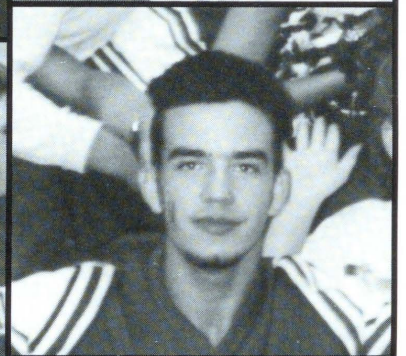
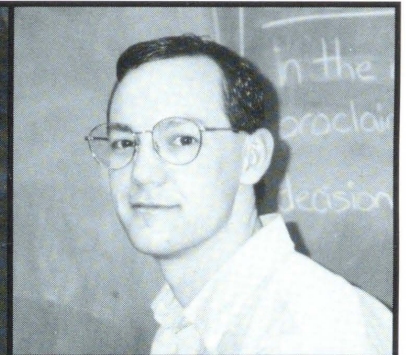


Adrienne Nielsen
1-year Letterman

This is just one of the gravity-defying pyramids this year's cheerleaders have perfected for their performances.



The East Newton cheerleaders wait patiently for their turn to perform their "Excellent" homecoming routine for the S.O.D.A. assembly at Granby Elementary School.



Right on Stride

The 1996 Lady Patriots Track Team had high hopes and high spirits for success during the year. With help and determination from their leaders, Coach Beverly Goff and Coach Janiece Cambers, they had a successful year.

With the Spring Sports Banquet came alot of happy people with awards. Most points scored: Tonya Renfro, 100% Effort: April Brown, Most Dedicated: Lindsay Steele, Most Improved: Tonya Renfro, Best Thrower: Sarah Johnson, Best Jumper: Tonya Renfro, Best Sprinter: Lindsay Steele, Best Distance: April Brown.

The coaches positive attitude helped the girls develop determination and persistence to make this track season a successful one.

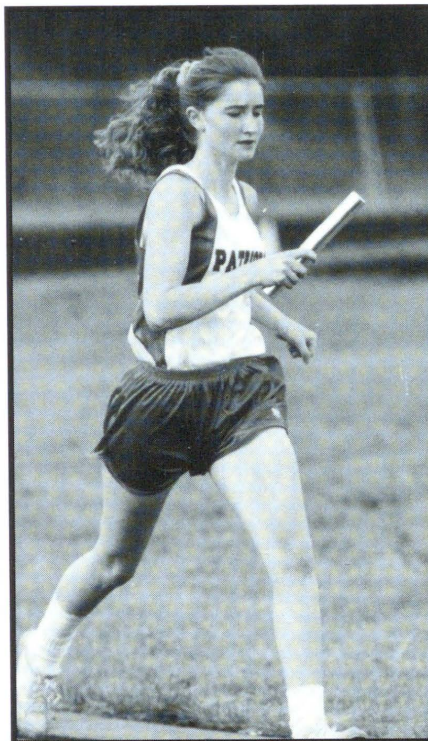
Deidera Clouse



Track Team: L/R Front row: Coach Cambers, T. Renfro, K. Richardson, S. Johnson, A. Nielsen, L. Steele, Coach Goff. Back row: J. Baker, B. Troxell, A. Wolgamott, A. Rosinski, M. Marion, R. Johnson, A. Brown.

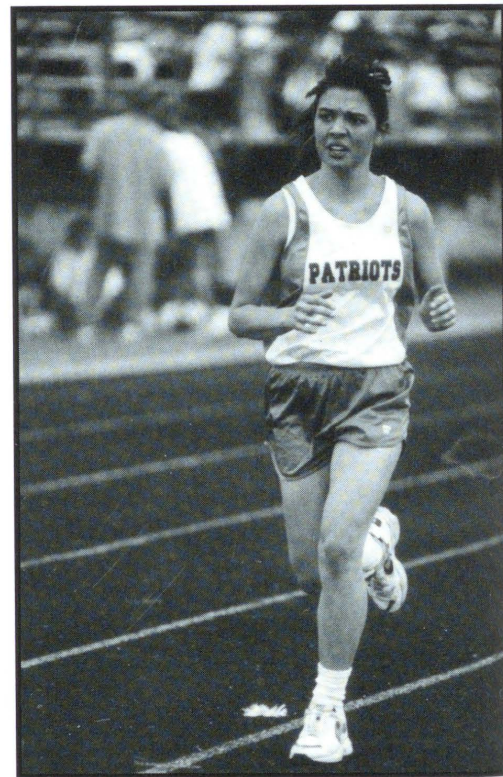


Leap frog? Nope, just B. Troxell taking a "wak" at long jump.

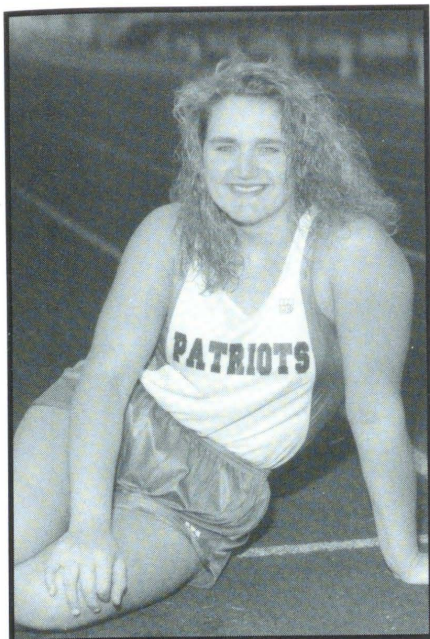


Handing off the baton in stride, A. Brown concentrates on that 100 yd. finishline.

Coming around the bend, M. Marion challenges the other girls to defeat her time.



From Start To:



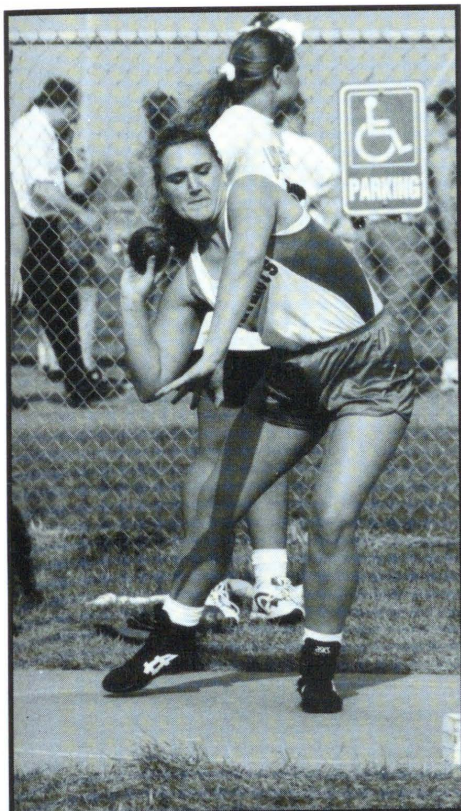
Kerri Richardson
3 Year Letterman



Sarah Johnson
4 Year Letterman

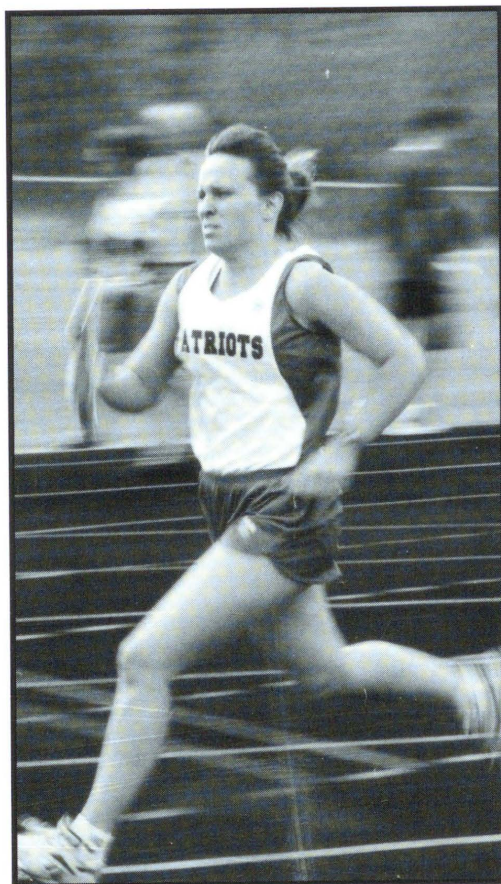


Adrienne Nielsen
3 Year Letterman



With determination written all over her face, K. Richardson lunges into her famous stanza.

Due to Speedy's (Adrienne's) speed, the relay she ran was a blurr.



Twinkle toes S. Johnson spins and twirls like a discus thrower should.

FINISH!!!!

Trackin' Em' Down

The 1995-96 Boys Track team was coached by Larry Bunn. This year's hard work and training will hopefully pay off at next year's Big 8 Conference. This year Mickey Osborn placed first in the High Jump at the Big 8 Conference, breaking his own record at six feet and ten inches. He then went on to state to take Fourth Place.

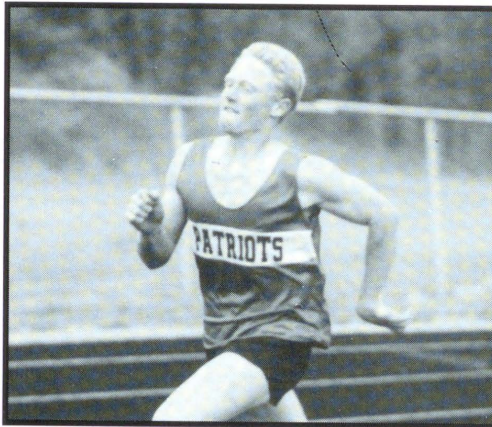
The boys' track team will miss the seniors but are looking forward to the future team.

Dianna Fehlberg

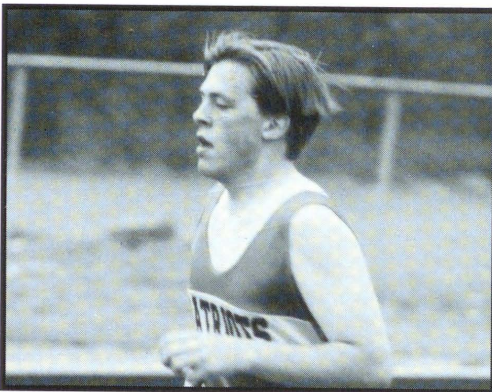
1995-96 Boys Track: Back to Front-Travis Richardson, Bryan Johnson, Daniel Olsbo, Jimmy Peters, Coach Bunn, Tim Gripka, Floyd Renner, Steven Johnson Micheal Blake, Aaron White, Patrick Chelf, Clay Brown, Mickey Osborn, Josh Hanes, Josh Shelton, Levi Boettler, Beau Blewer, John Poynor, Andrew Powvirya, David Hess, Kelly Mitchel, Don Wagner.



By the way Josh Shelton is signaling the judges, it seems he wants to place second.

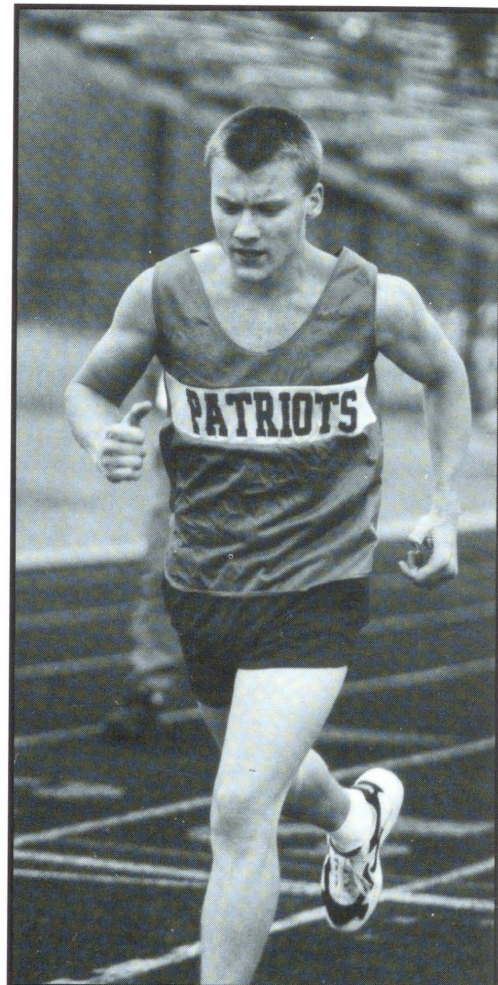


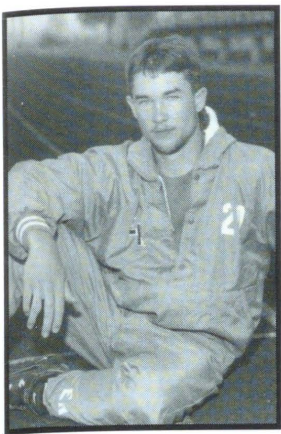
With the "Why am I doing this" look on his face, Micheal Blake has only a couple more races to run.



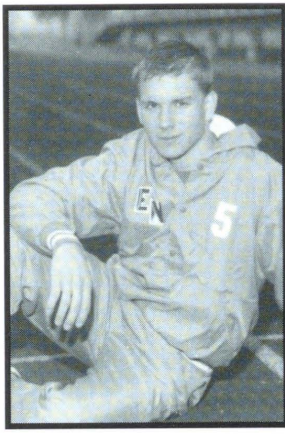
He keeps going and going! Clay Brown attempts to imitate the Energizer Bunny during a race.

Out of breath, Levi Boettler is determined to finish the race with a winning spot.



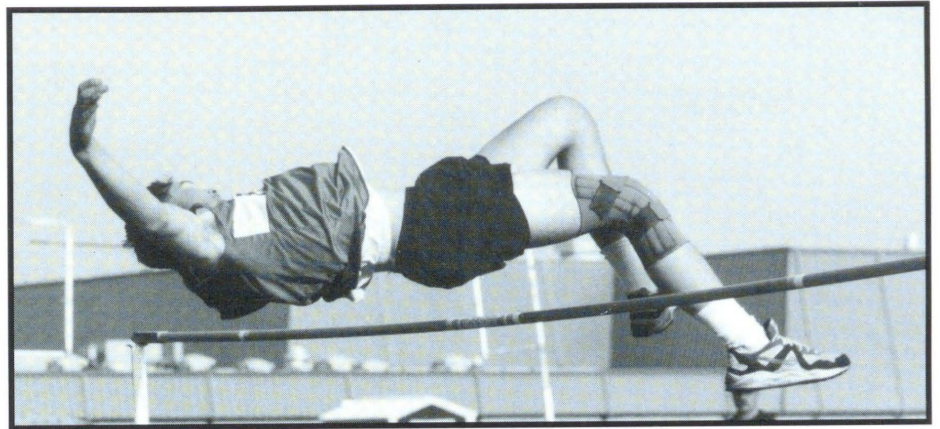


Mickey Osborn
4-Year Letterman



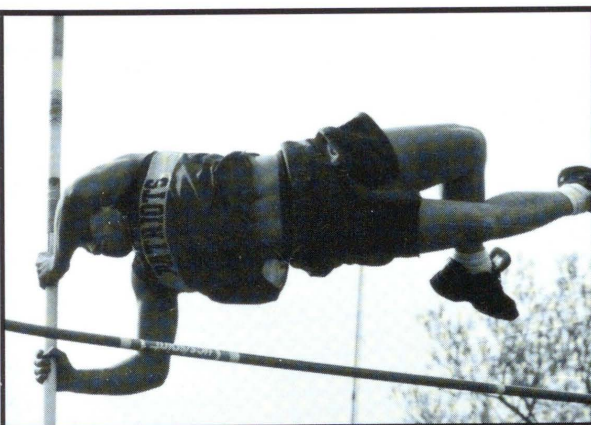
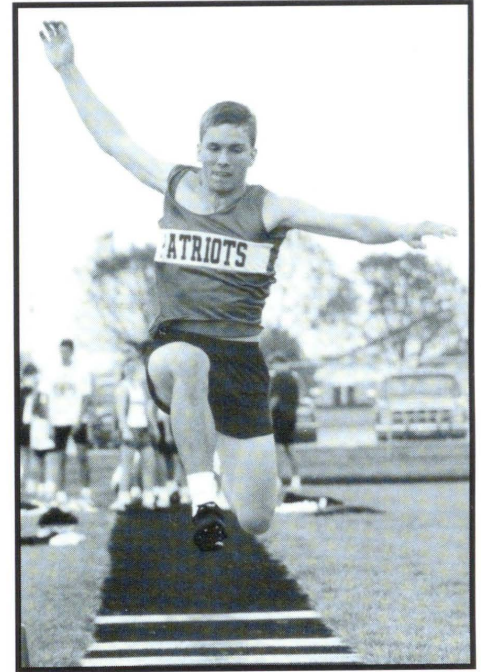
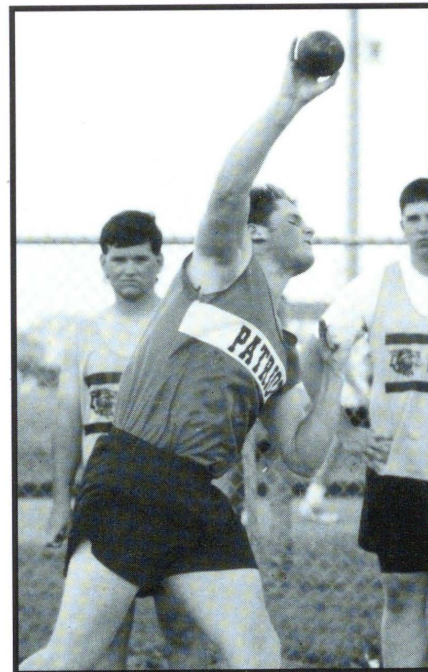
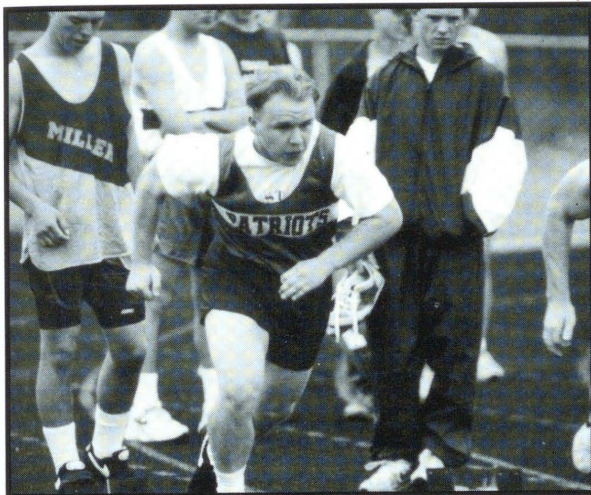
Joshua Hanes
1-Year Letterman

Apparently white men can jump! Mickey Osborn proves it by breaking his own record at six feet and ten inches.

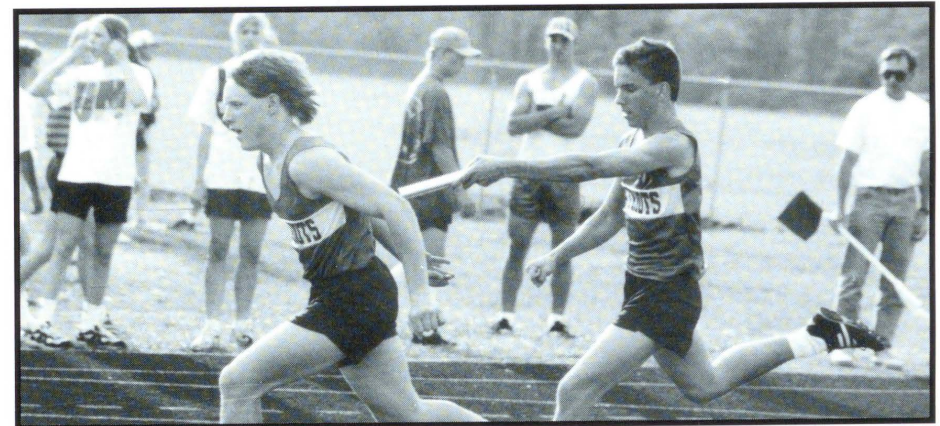


Heave Ho! Jimmy Peters thinks that clinching his other fist will make the shot-put go farther.

Ready, set, go. Patrick Chelf takes off like a speeding train to place in the 100 Meter Dash.

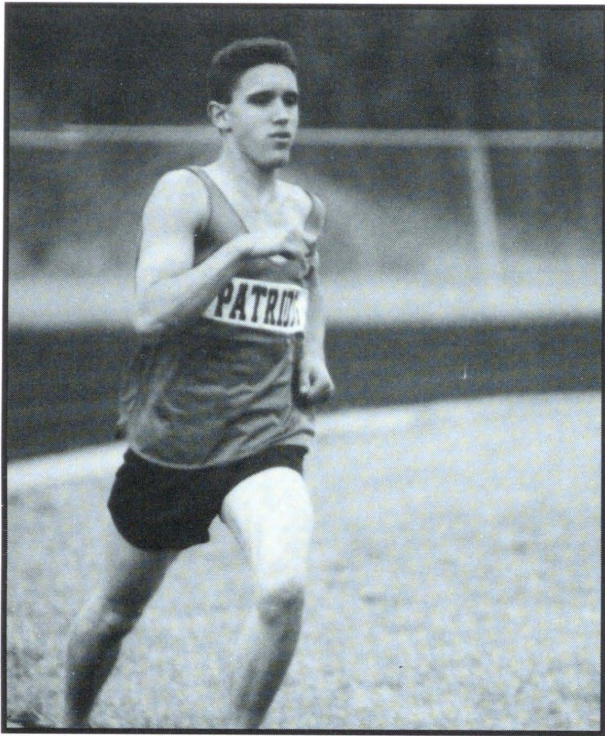


Looks as though Floyd Renner needs a little bit of his V-8 today!



Must be the wind beneath his wings that makes Joshua Hanes do the Long Jump extremely well.

There's no "I" in Team. Steven Johnson and Joshua Hanes show the importance of teamwork in the relay race.

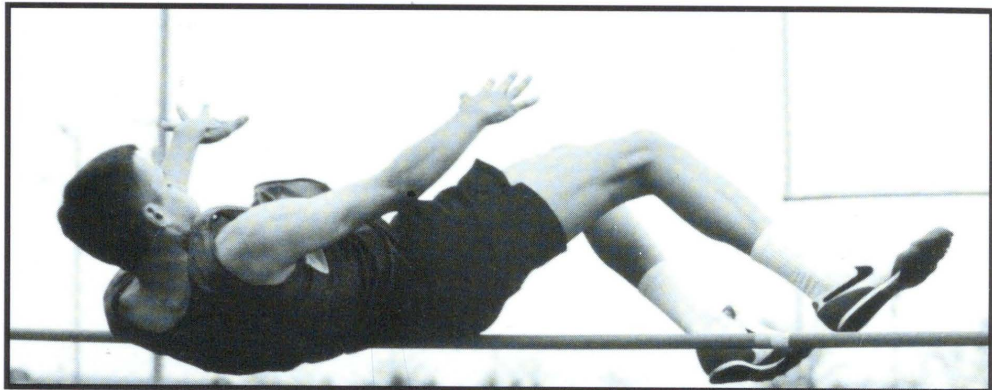


Junior, Tim Gripka runs faster with his no sock look.

Senior, Mickey Osborn jumps a school record at 6 feet 10 inches.



Sophomore, Josh Shelton gains an inch in front of his competition.



Sophomore, Aaron White uses his unique style to high jump.

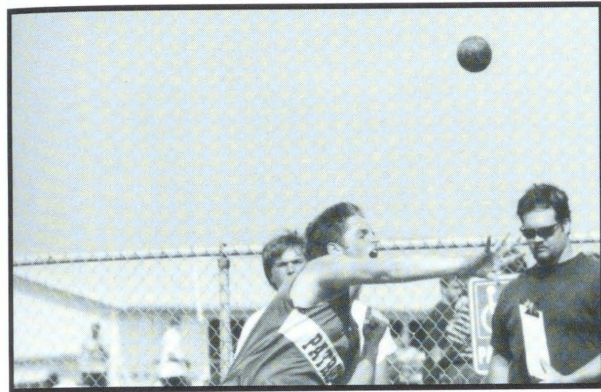
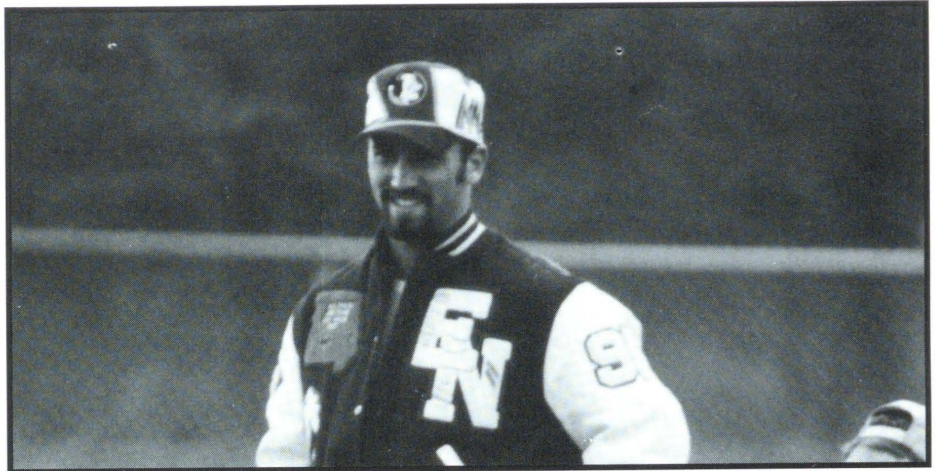
Junior, Steven Johnson uses his great start out of the block to win a race.





Junior, Patrick Chelf, strides out hard near the end of the race.

Senior, Jeremy King helps cheer the track team on.

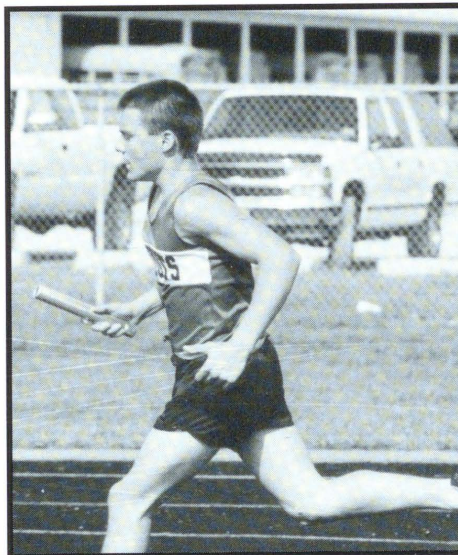


Sophomore, Jimmie Peters uses his Sampson-like strength to throw the shotput.

Freshman, Clay Brown uses one of his many talents in the pole vault event.

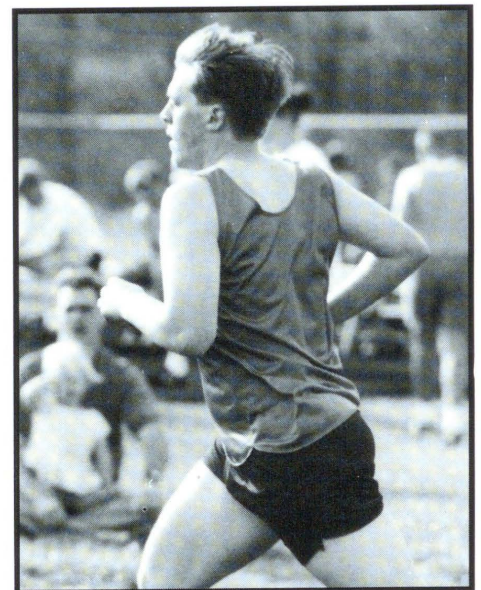


Daniel Olsbo uses his long legs to stride out near the finish line.



Sophomore, Micheal Blake appears to be eager to pass the baton to the next leg of the relay.

Sophomore, Levi Boettler uses his lightning fast speed to run.



Playing Hardball

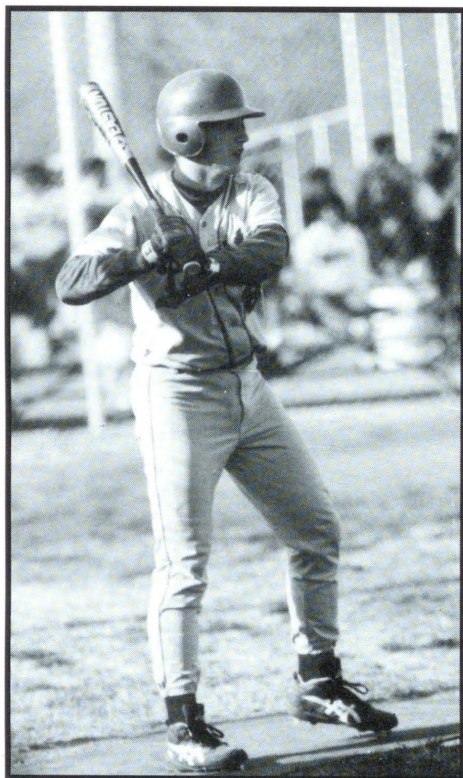
The 1995-1996 year was the first year for baseball since East Newton was opened. This was also a learning year because not many of the players had ever played together. The varsity finished the year with an 0-14 record, and the junior varsity finished with an 6-7 record.

The awards for this years winners were given out at the spring sports banquet. Rusty McCool received awards for the MVP, the most RBI's, Top Hitter, and the Gold Glove Award. Most Improved was Matt VanWinkle, the Top Pitcher was Kyle Hedrick, and the Hustle Award went to Chuck Cook.

John Poynor



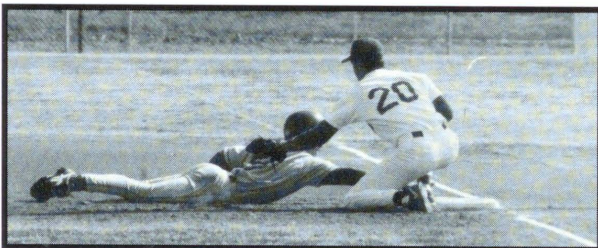
Top Row: Coach Anderson, D. Moore, T. Lair, J. Allen, K. Mayfield, R. McCool, M. McCool, C. Patterson, S. Wirth, D. May. Middle Row: M. VanWinkle, B. Rickman, J. Amy, Z. Shockey, J. Laughlin, C. Cook, P. McKinney, K. Hedrick, J. Hobson. Bottom Row: Mgr. R. McFarland, J. Barrett, B. Bates D. Jobe, C. Casady, S. Becker, J. Blake, Mgr. A. Moffett.



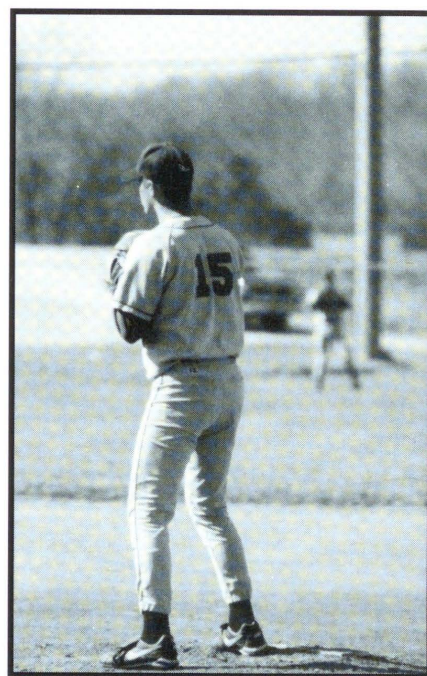
Sophomore short stop Beau Rickman warms up on the on-deck circle.



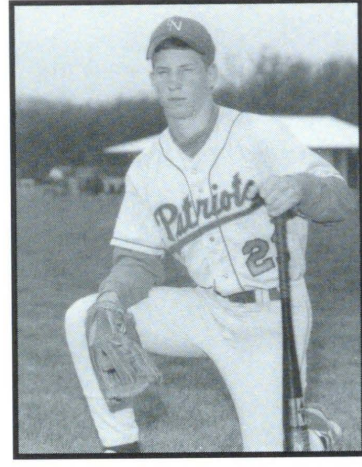
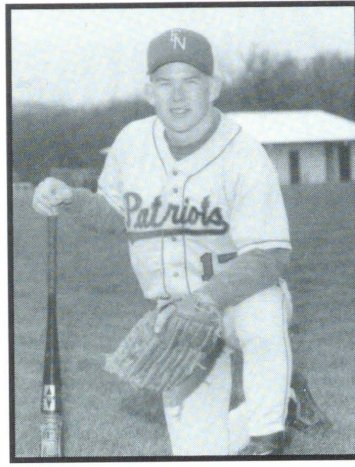
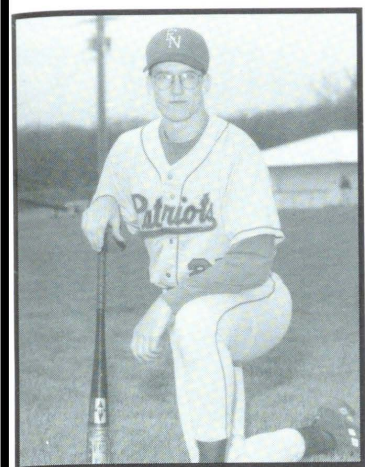
Junior catcher Jake Hobson dives for a wild outside pitch.



Senior outfielder Steve Wirth scrambles to get back to base before the tag.



Sophomore Kyle Hedrick takes a look to second to keep the runner on base.

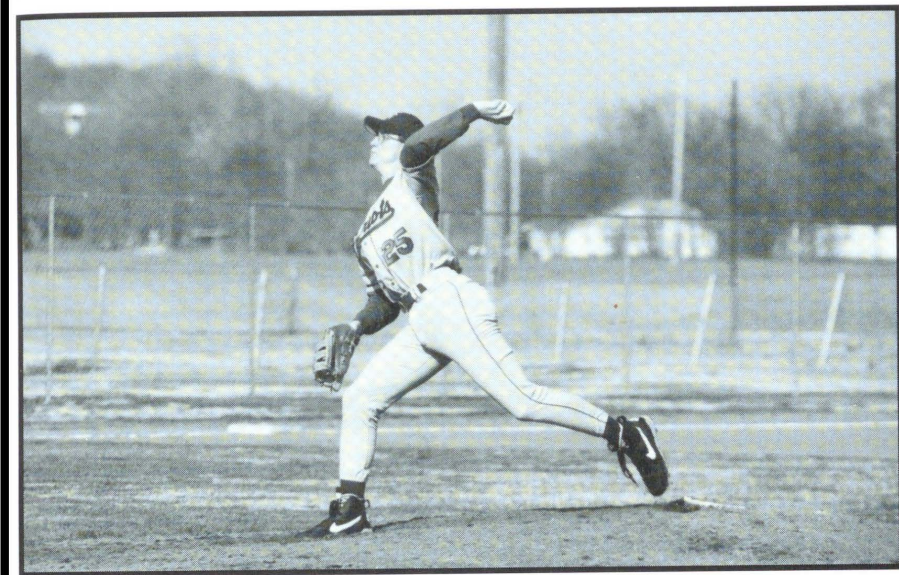


Kevin Mayfield
One-Year Letterman

Rusty McCool
One-Year Letterman

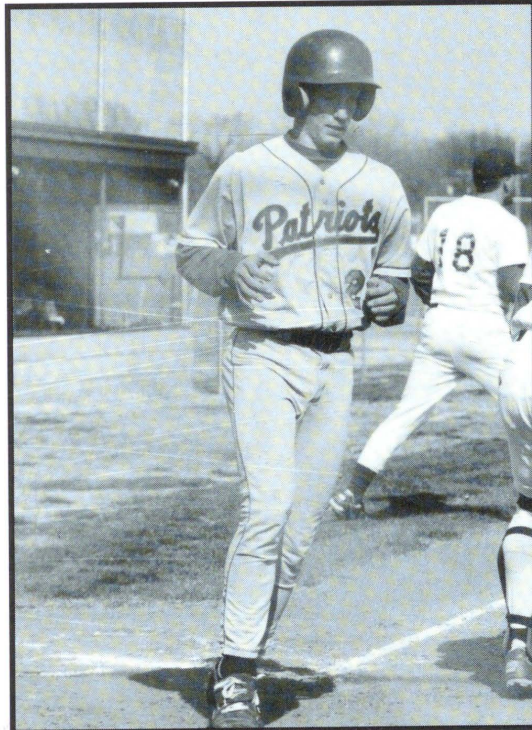
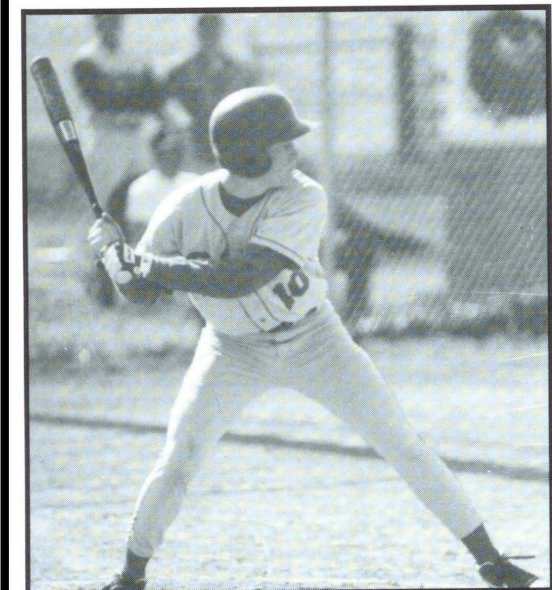
Matt VanWinkle
One-Year Letterman

Steve Wirth
One-Year Letterman



Senior pitcher Kevin Mayfield winds-up to fire one to the plate.

The baseball team stretches their arms out before a home game.



Senior Steve Wirth jogs home for an easy score against Seneca.



Senior Rusty McCool keeps his eyes on the ball and steps into a pitch.

Fall and Spring Sports Banquet

This year the Fall Banquet was held on November 20, 1996.

The awards for Girls Basketball were: Leading Rebounder-L. Steele, Best Field Goal %-L. Steele, Best Free Throw %-A. Swartz, Most Improved-L. Steele, Best Defense-A. Swartz, Most Assists-A. Swartz, Super Sub-J. Roszell, Hustle Award-H. Thomlinson.

The Boys Basketball awards: Most Charges-J. King, Most Improved-J. Lane and J. Morris, Most Assists-R. McCool, Top Free Throw %-T. Gripka, Leading Scorer-R. McCool, Leading Rebounder-M. Osborn, MVP-J. King.

The Girls Volleyball awards: Best Passer-S. Yates, Best Server-A. Swartz, Best Defensive Player-M. Mosely and S. Yates, Best Offensive Player-M. Mathis, MVP-A. Swartz, Best Setter-A. Swartz, Best Blocker-J. Roszell.

The Football awards: Defensive Back-R. McCool and M. Osborn, Offensive Back-J. Guinn, Offensive Lineman-M. Thogmartin, Defensive Lineman-D. Cullers, Most Improved Player-M. VanCinkle, Fighting Patriot-J. King.

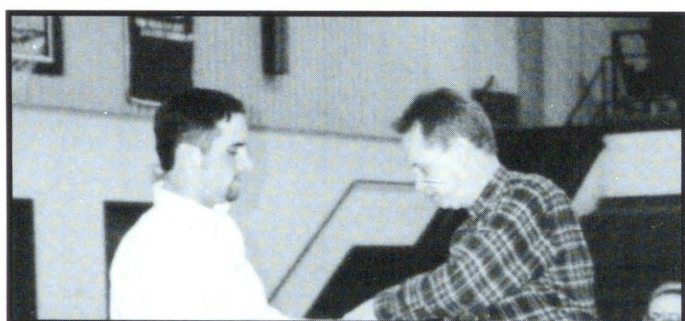
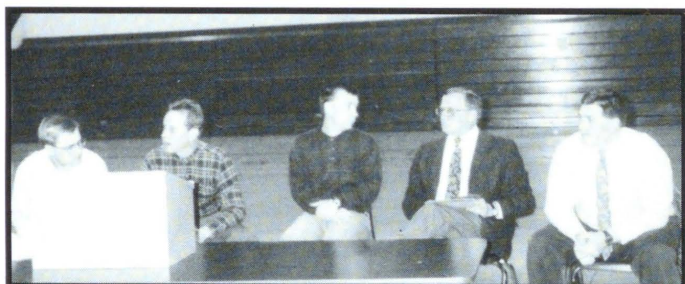
Autumn Brown

J. King, R. McCool, J.J. Lane, J. Morris, M. Osborn, T. Gripka, J. Roszell, L. Steele, A. Swartz, and H. Thomlinson were all awarded for their athletic abilities at the Fall Banquet.



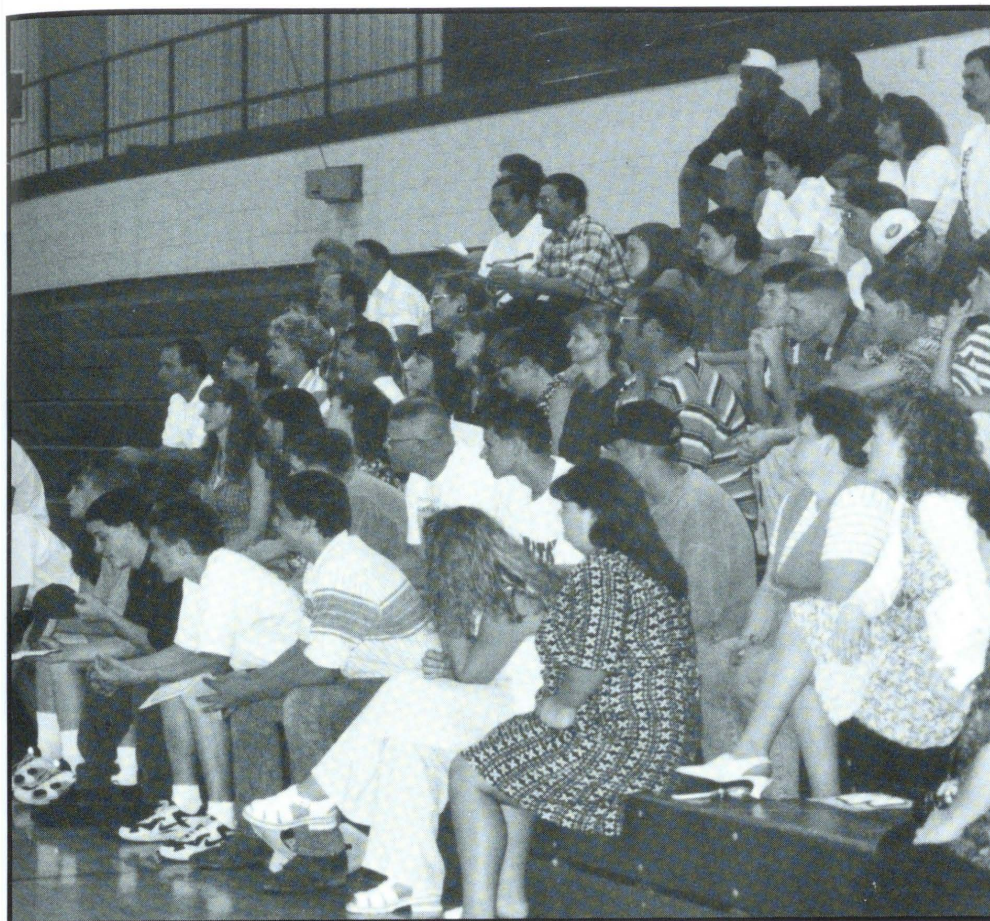
Coaches Anderson, Butterfield, White, Bunn, and Cook were handing out the awards at the Fall Banquet.

J. King was awarded for Most Charges and MVP for Basketball from Coach Butterfield.



Amber Swartz signing a letter of intent with Missouri Valley while her parents and coaches look on. Amber will be playing Basketball and Volleyball at Missouri Valley.

An outstanding audience for the Spring Sports Banquet turned out for the awards.



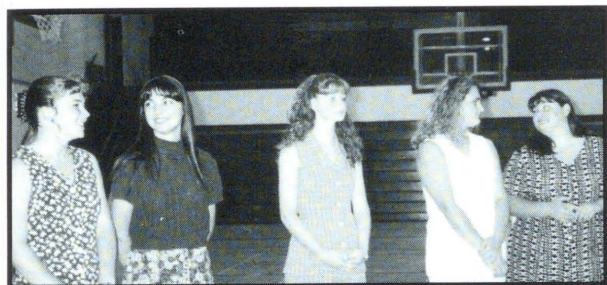
The Spring Sports Banquet was held on May 17. The Girls Track awards were: Best Distance-A. Brown, Best Sprinter-L. Steele, Best Thrower-S. Johnson, Best Jumper-T. Renfro, Most Improved-T. Renfro, Most Points Scored-T. Renfro, Most Dedicated-A. Brown; and 100% Effort-L. Steele.

The Boys Track awards were: High Point Field Event-M. Osborn, High Point Runner-C. Brown, Most Dedicated-B. Johnson, Most Improved-A. White, 100% Effort-J. Shelton.

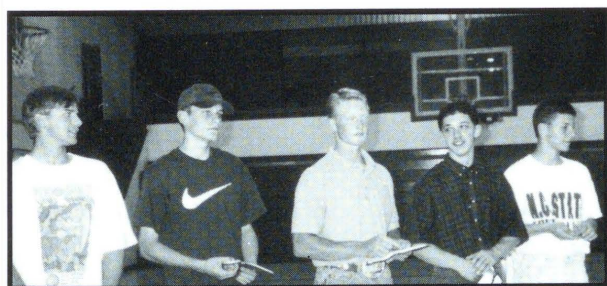
The Baseball awards were: MVP-R. McCool, Best Hitter-R. McCool, Golden Glove Award-R. McCool, Best Pitcher-K. Hedrick, Most Improved Player-M. VanWinkle, Hustle Award-C. Cook.

Thanks to all the athletes for their dedication and participation.

Autumn Brown

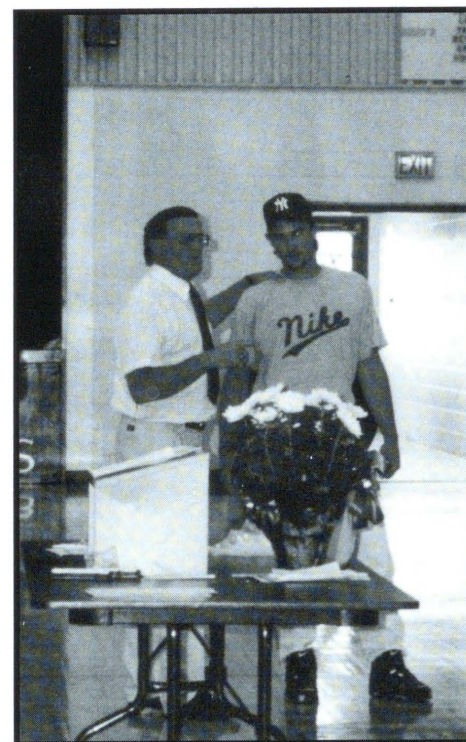
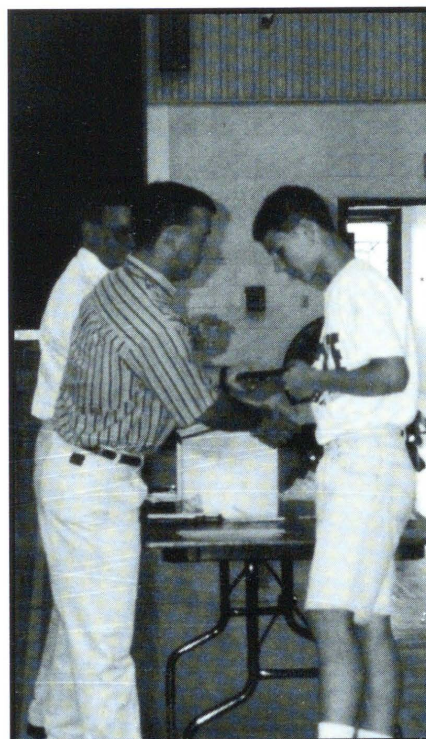


B. Johnson was awarded by Coach White for being the most dedicated during the track season.



R. Johnson, M. Marion, A. Brown, K. Richardson, and S. Johnson were awarded for being in Track.

T. Richardson, A. White, C. Brown, A. Powviriya, and B. Johnson received their letter for Track by receiving ten points.



M. Osborn was awarded for the High Point Field Event by Coach Bunn.

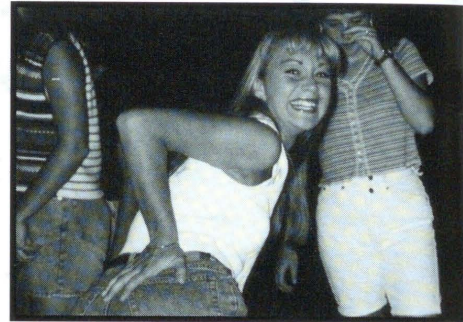
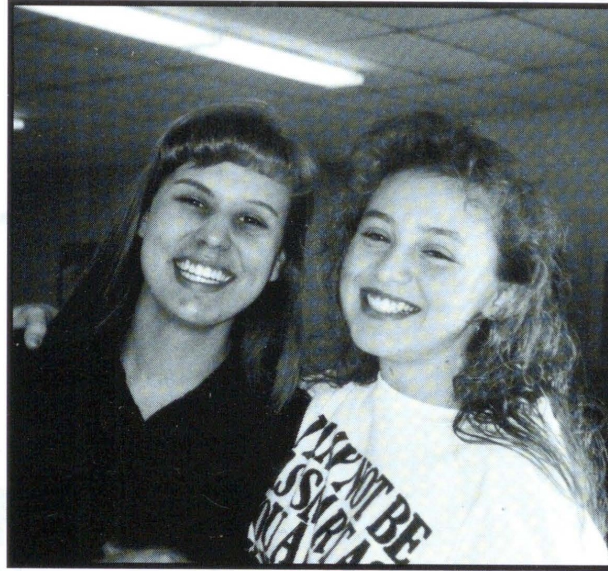
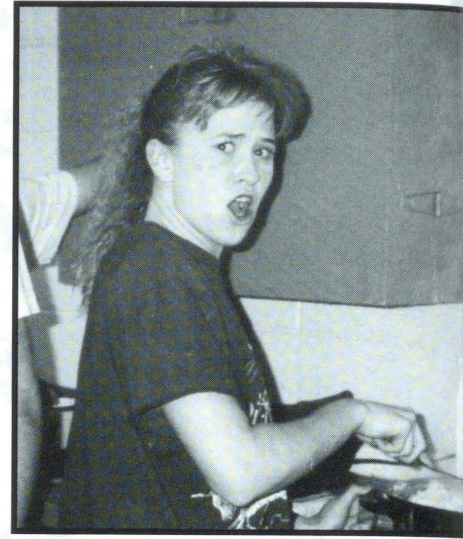
Adrienne Nielsen attempts to tackle Matt VanWinkle at Jolly Mill. Needless to say she never accomplished it.

Samantha Bridges hurries to get into the Avon bag to see what the Avon lady brought her.

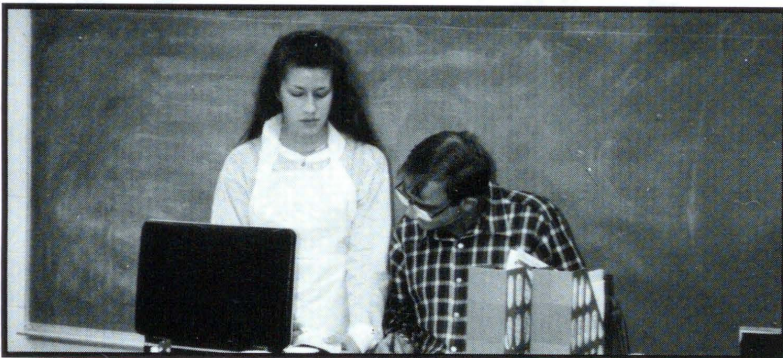


Yari Granda shows off what she thinks is her best side, at one of the school dances.

Don't take my picture! Casey Brown shows her anger as the camera person snaps the shot.

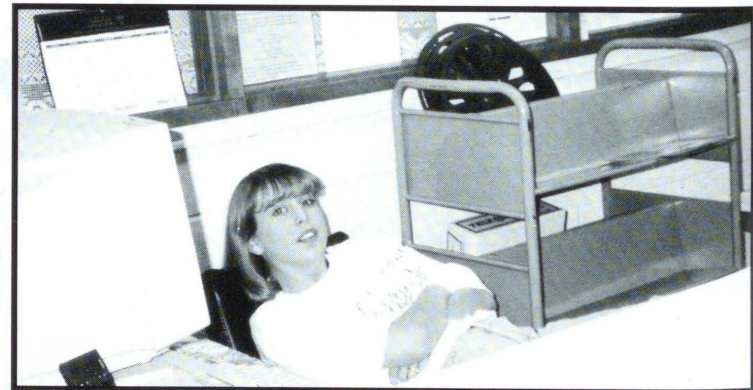


Carrie Pumpkin and Misty McNee happily show off their grins on their lunch period.



Michal Mathis and Mr. Na'ayem appear to be a little confused as they attempt to figure out a severely hard Chemistry problem.

Just sitting around on the job, Senior Robyn Bowman sits back during library class and watches over the library.

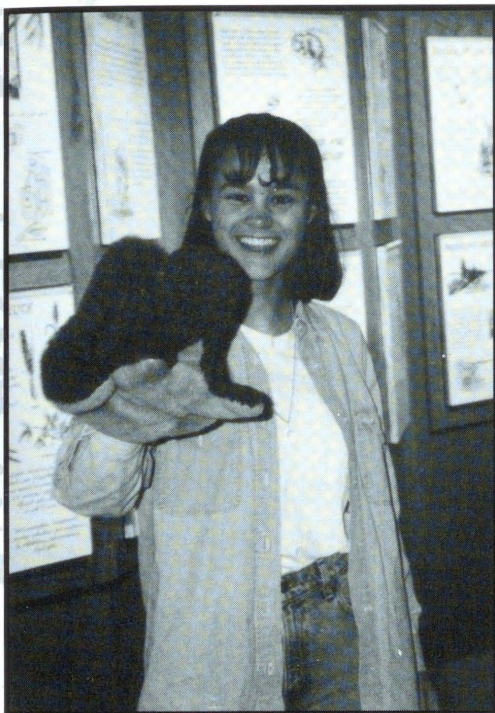


This group of Halloween dancers take a break from all the dancing to catch their breath.



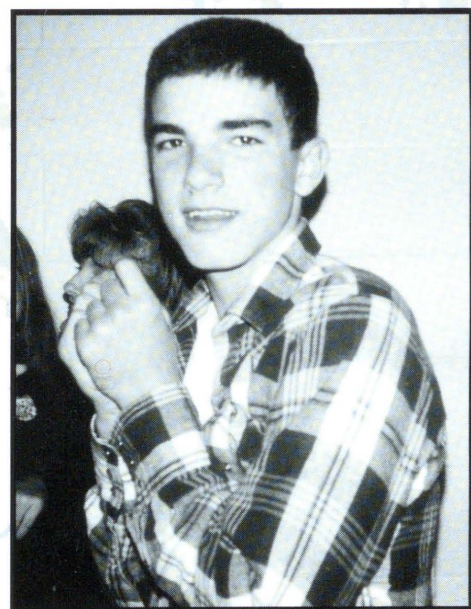
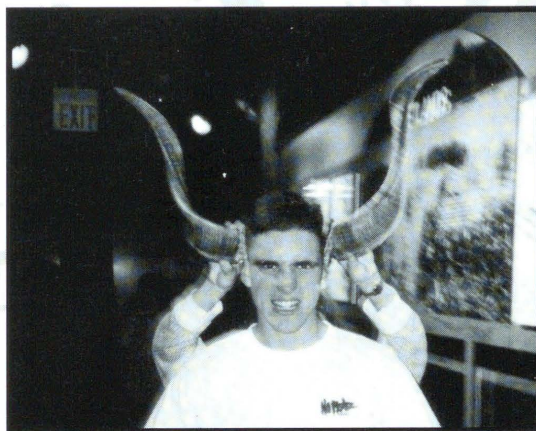
This group of softball players show off their pride after winning a game.

Billy Davison shows his friendship toward Bryan Johnson, but apparently Bryan doesn't feel the same way.

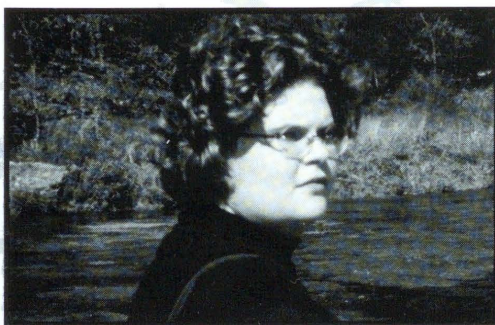


Heather Skaggs demonstrates her great talent of holding a softball under her chin at one of the many Student Council activities.

Oh no it's an antelope! No wait, maybe it's Tim Gripka just trying to act like one.

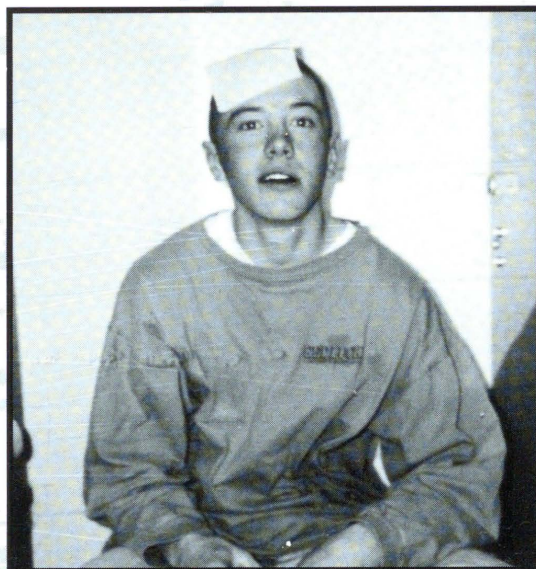


David Guinn gives a shy, mischievous grin on his way to class.



Sarah Scott looks on cluelessly and follows the rest of the group at Jolly Mill.

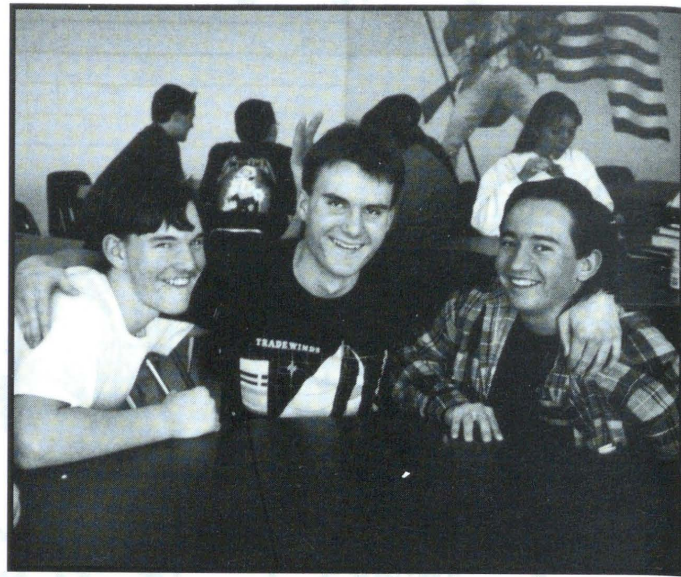
Laura and her pet turtle "Moe" explore the exhibits of the Springfield Nature Center.



What do I do with this? Dale Johnson looks confused as he is caught with toilet paper on his head.

Bryan McFarland, Billy Parman, and Shane Dockins demonstrate their classly smiles on their lunchshift.

Peek-a-boo! Tim Gripka, Yari Granda, and Matt VanWinkle seem to have found themselves a new friend to hang out with.



Jason Morris and Rachel Harris dance the night away at a Student Council homecoming dance.

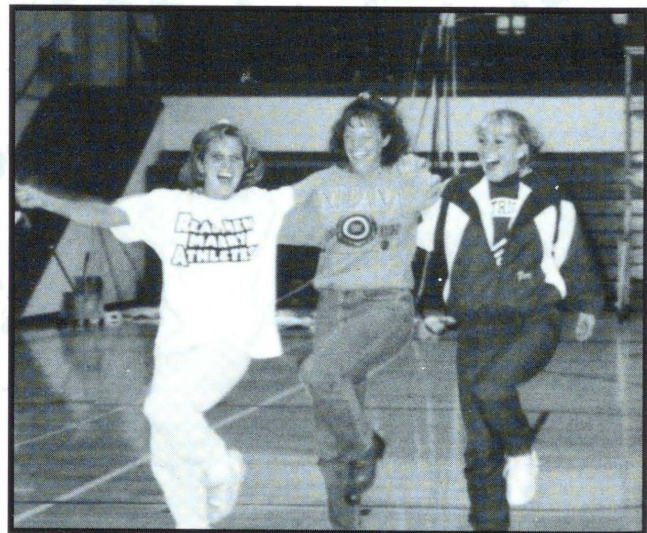
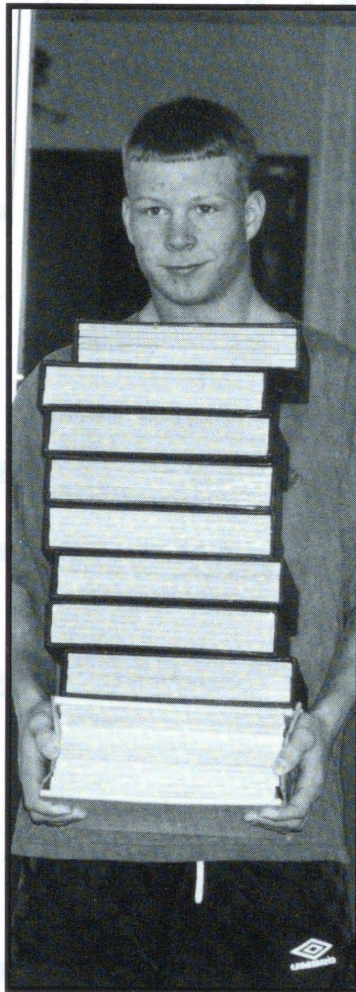


Stayin' alive, Stayin' alive! Carrie Presley "stays alive" at the basketball homecoming dance.

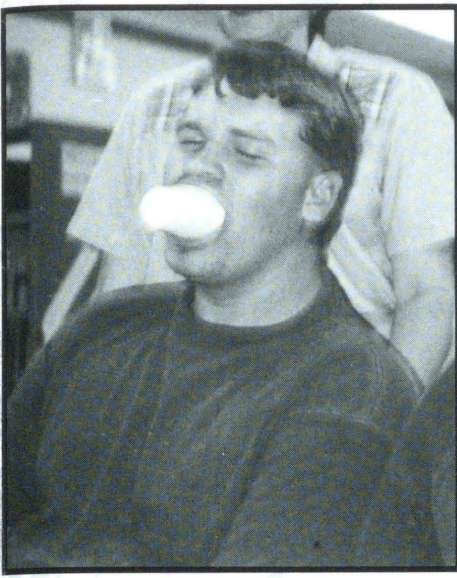


Where is the paper? Alissa Jones and Jerra Pyles participate in a STUCO lunch time activity during football season.

Kelly Mitchell demonstrates how he can carry eight books and a folder all at one time.

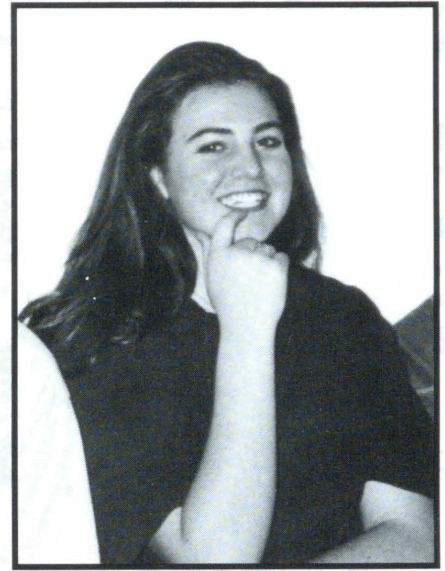


Amber, Sarah, and Yari show their friendship at the football homecoming pep rally.



Alex Wolgamott attempts to drink out of a cup but mistakenly puts the whole thing in his mouth, it is a common mistake he usually makes in life.

What's love got to do with it? Tina Turner look alike, Mrs. Hines, shows her windblown hairdo.

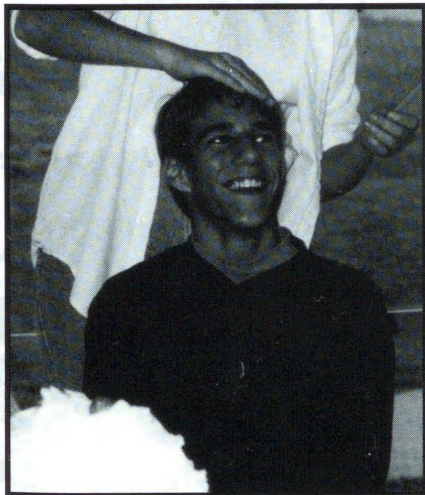


"I got something in my teeth" says Kirsti Allphin, "but maybe if I smile they'll take my picture and leave so I can get this out!"

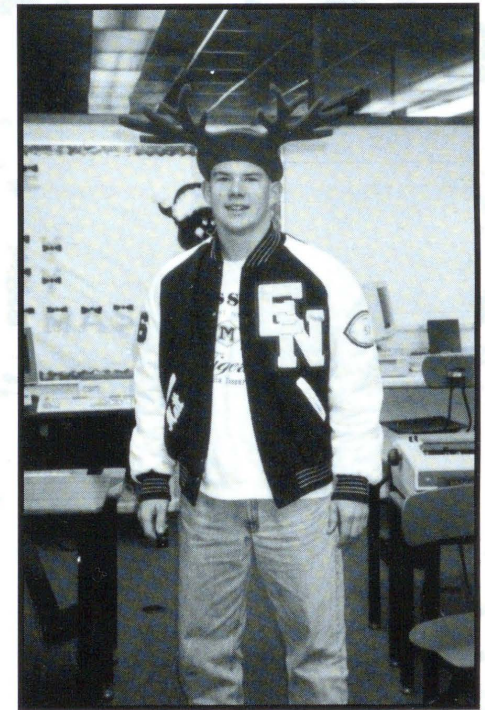
Deidera Clouse is caught sneaking into Mr. Smith's uniform boxes.



Corrina Deal is caught playing with her hair instead of doing her homework in Mr. Na'ayem's class.

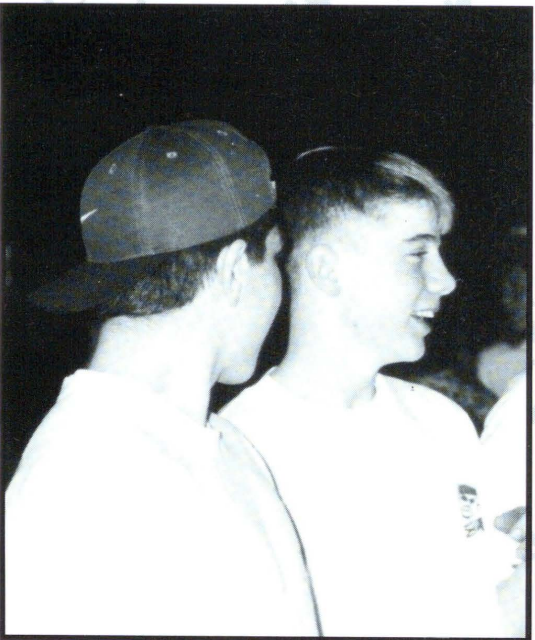
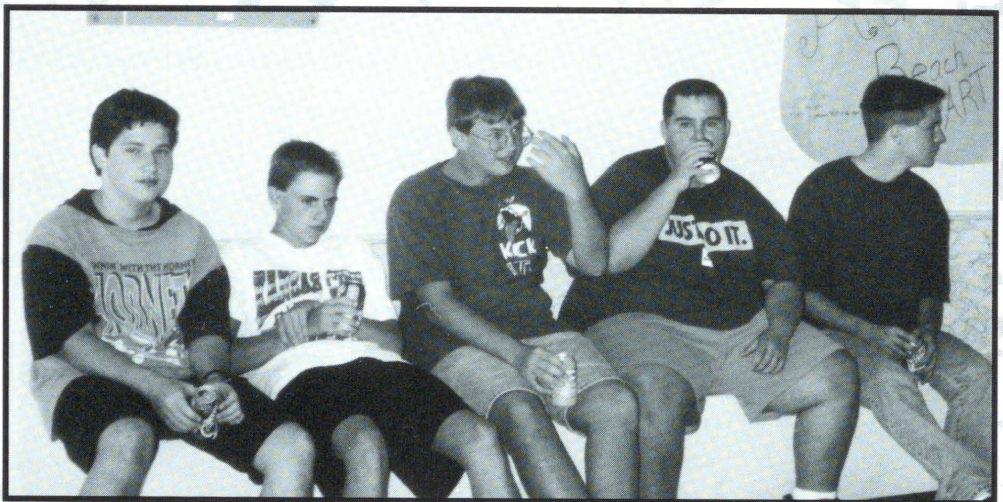
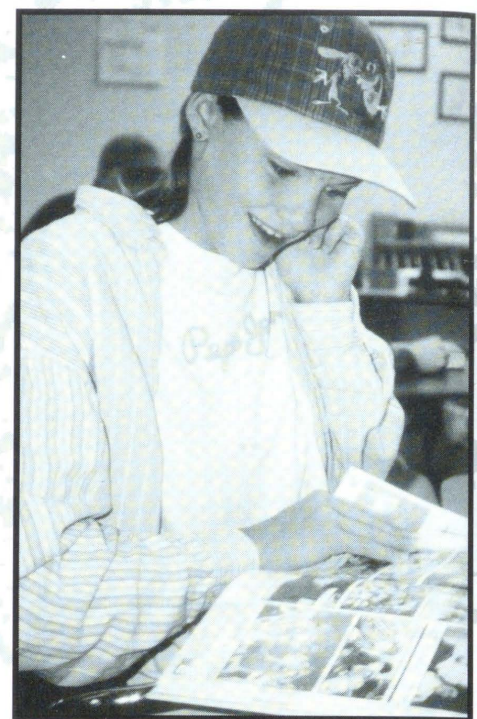
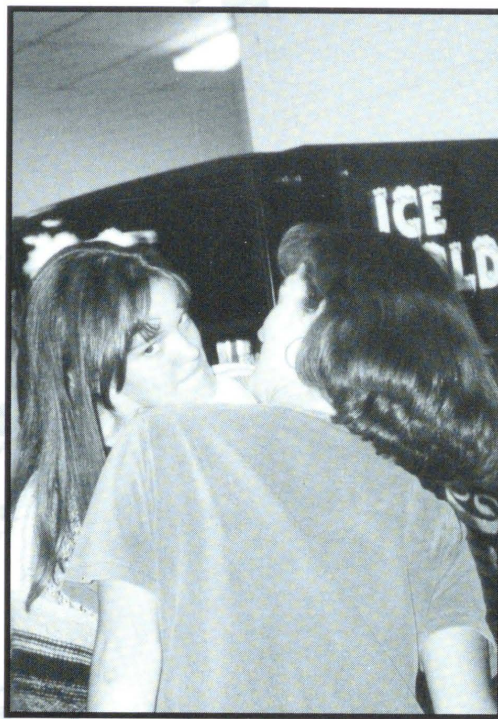
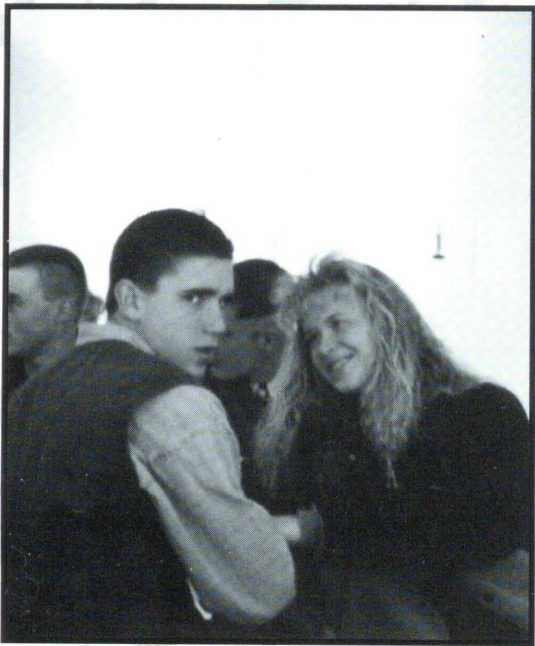


Freshman Jason Rapp is getting ready for the Rock 'n' Roll Teachers Tea held by FTA.



Matt VanWinkle shows his fashionable reindeer hat during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. Muscleman himself, Coach Bunn, displays his great achievement of opening the gym door.



You can get there from here.

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For the third time, Jostens Publishing Company in Topeka, Kansas, published the 29th volume of the East Newton High School yearbook. Tom Shields, Jostens sales Representative, helped coordinate the planning and preparation of the yearbook.

The book consists of 168 pages, 8 of which are color with a glossy finish, 10 of which are tempo 349 forest green spot color with a matte finish.

There were two fonts used throughout the book Goudy Text MT Lombardic Caps and AvantGarde. Goudy was used for headlines, folio number 12 pt. title line 9 pt. and Royalty Pages. AvantGard was used on Mugs, Captions and Copy all of which are 9 pt. The base ink color is black.

The cover is Basin Street Blue with the school mascot on the front. Name stamping is done in lazer foil circus.

Divider pages were designed by Senior Graphics Editor, Jason James. Artwork and graphics were taken from clipart books provided by our past and present year-book publishing companies.

There were 222 copies of the 1996 Partiot Yearbook sold. The cost of the book was \$20.00, name stamping was an extra \$2.00, and \$1.00 for a plastic dust cover. The fourteen member staff sold advertisements to businesses and seniors. The tootal amount raised from business advertisements was \$5,345.00. Pictures from previous years were also sold to reduce the cost of the yearbook.

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Congratulations Yari:

**Do what you love. Love what you do.
The rewards will follow aplenty.**

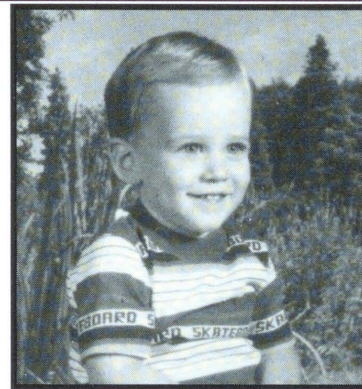
Love, Dad



Kerri Richardson

**Sis,
Good Luck! I'm proud
of you. You have
accomplished much.**

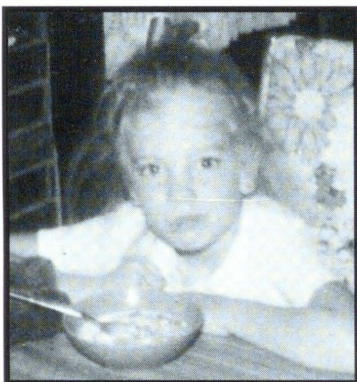
**Love,
Mom**



Geoff Cook

**Geoff,
The years have passed so
quickly. We wish for
you the best that life
has to offer. Always
remember that we love
you.**

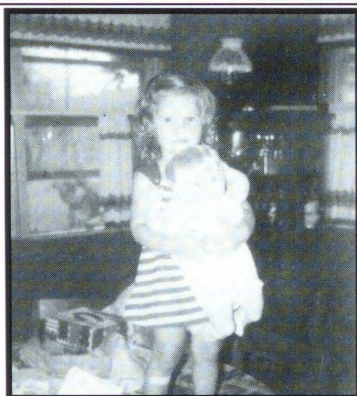
Mom & Dad



Carrie Presley

**Carrie,
First day to last day we have
watched you grow, fill your
dreams and become a spe-
cial person. Keep your
head high and always re-
member dreams do come
true!**

**Love ya,
Mom & Dad**



Amber Swartz

**The difference between
ordinary and extraordi-
nary is that "little
extra." You have a lot
of that "little extra."
We love you Amber!**

**Love,
Mom, Dad, & Rosie**

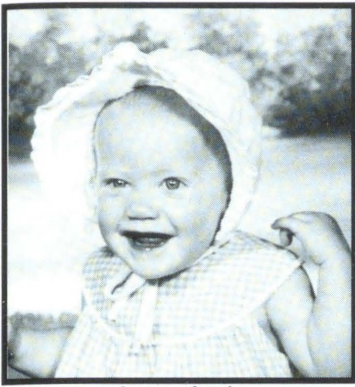
Sarah Johnson



**Dear Sarah,
From the be-
ginning when
you let go of
our hands and
took your very
first step, you have been preparing
for this day. Once again you let go
of our hands and take another big
step. The whole world is waiting for
you. Go For the Gold!**

Go Aggies!

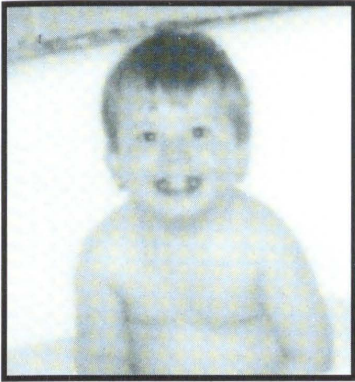
**Love,
Dad, Mom, Jacob & Cemma**



Leesa Cook

Congratulations Leesa!
We are proud of you.
You are a blessing from
God. Our Love and
Prayers are always with
you.

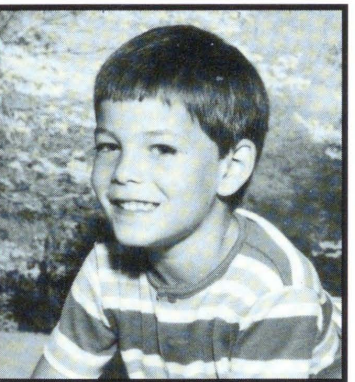
Love,
Mom, Dad,
Betsy, & Sam



Jason James

Jason,
We think you're great.
Congratulations and
best of luck.

Love,
Dad, Mom, Chris,
Sarah, Daniel,
Melissa, &
Grandma James



Ryan Willis

Ryan,
Run the race, fight the
fight, and be the best
you can be. Congratu-
lations and best of luck
now and always.

With Love,
Mom & Dad



Adrienne Nielsen

We remember when you were
just this big, Adrienne. Now
you're all grown up. Remember
to give 110% to reach your
goals, but don't forget to smell
the roses along the way. Suc-
cess is fleeting so make joy of
the struggling process. Wear
your gloves, keep your feet dry
and always wear a smile.

Love,
Mom & Dad

Sarah Yates



Sarah,
Live your life
with the enthu-
siasm and val-
ues you have
now and you
will have no
limits. We are
now, and always will be, so very proud
of you.

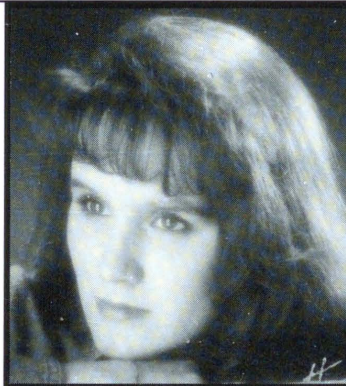
Love,
Mom & Dad



Michal Mathis

Congratulations Michal.
We are very proud of you. Re-
member Proverbs 3:5-6 "Trust in
the Lord with all thine heart, and
lean not unto thine own under-
standing. In all thy ways ac-
knowledge him, and he shall
direct thy paths."

With all our love,
Dad, Mom, Erin, Shane & Kori



Chancy Brown

Chancy,
For 18 years, we've tried to lead
you the right way. Now it's time to
make your own life.

Happy Trails
Mom, Dad, Kassi & Kody

Train up a child in the way they
should go, and when they are old,
They will not depart from it.

Prov. 22:6



Shannon Gabriel-Hobson

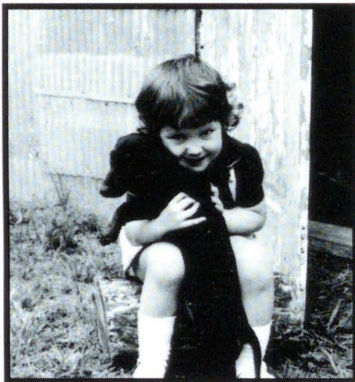
Shannon,
 Congratulations on your Big Day!
 Over the years I watched you grow and learn
 as you progressed thru the school years.

You've make me very proud with all the
 accomplishments you have achieved over the
 years.

You've made all my dreams come true about
 you. May all your dreams come true for you.

May God Bless you and Joshua

Love always,
 Dad

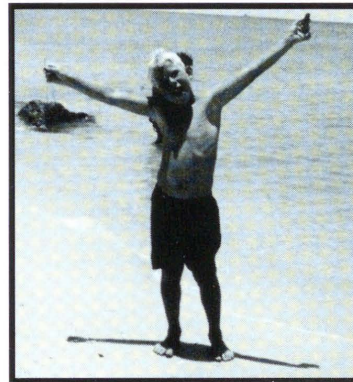


Lindsay McFarland

Lindsay
 Remember When? Dad
 & I do, as if it was yester-
 day.

Remember Now? Your
 special sister, Laisa and all
 the fun you've shared.

Remember Always!!
 Mom & Dad
 Love you!!



Matt VanWinkle

Matt,
 Do you remember when..., and do you
 remember when..., we've had so much
 fun with you. You were always there
 when needed whether it was work or
 play. Remember your past but look
 to the future. Live each day like it
 was the last play of the game. Always
 make your name proud. " I wish we
 could do it all over again and not
 change anything."

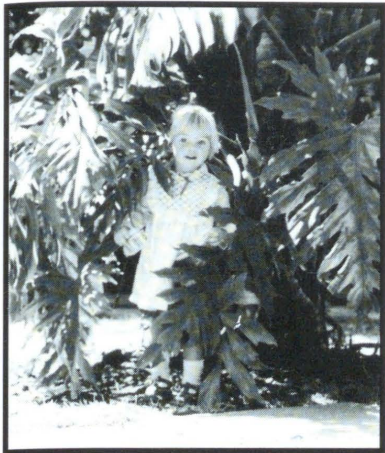
Dad and Ellen

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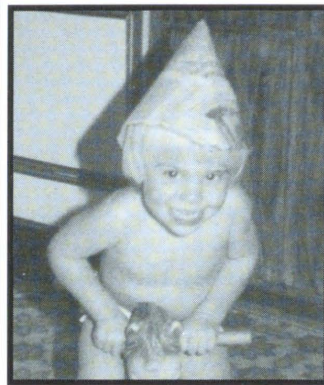
Yari Granda



Yari,
All your life you
have shown much
wonder and
fasination for
the things
around you.

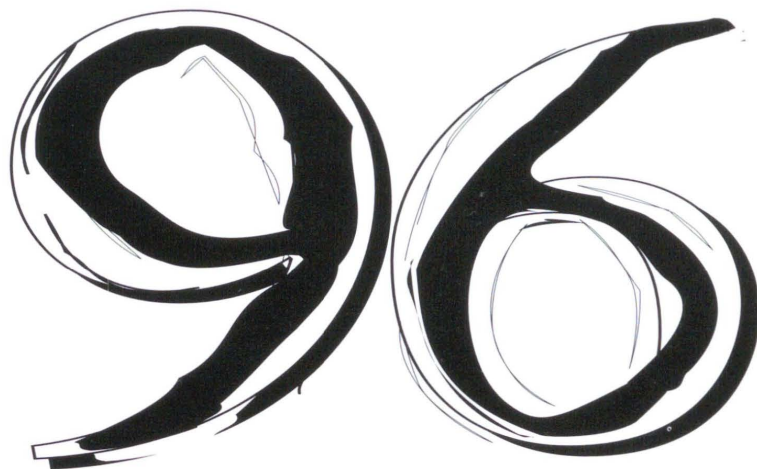
Your compassion and determination
will take you far in your life. I've
always been so proud of you.
Congratulatons for a job well done.

Con mucho carino y amor,
Mom



Josh Hanes

Josh,
Reach for the stars as
you follow your dreams
and always keep the
laughter in your heart.
We love you always
Mom & Dad



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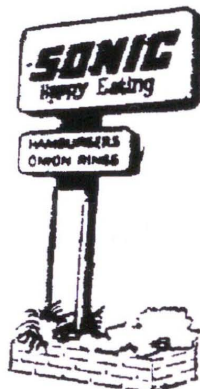


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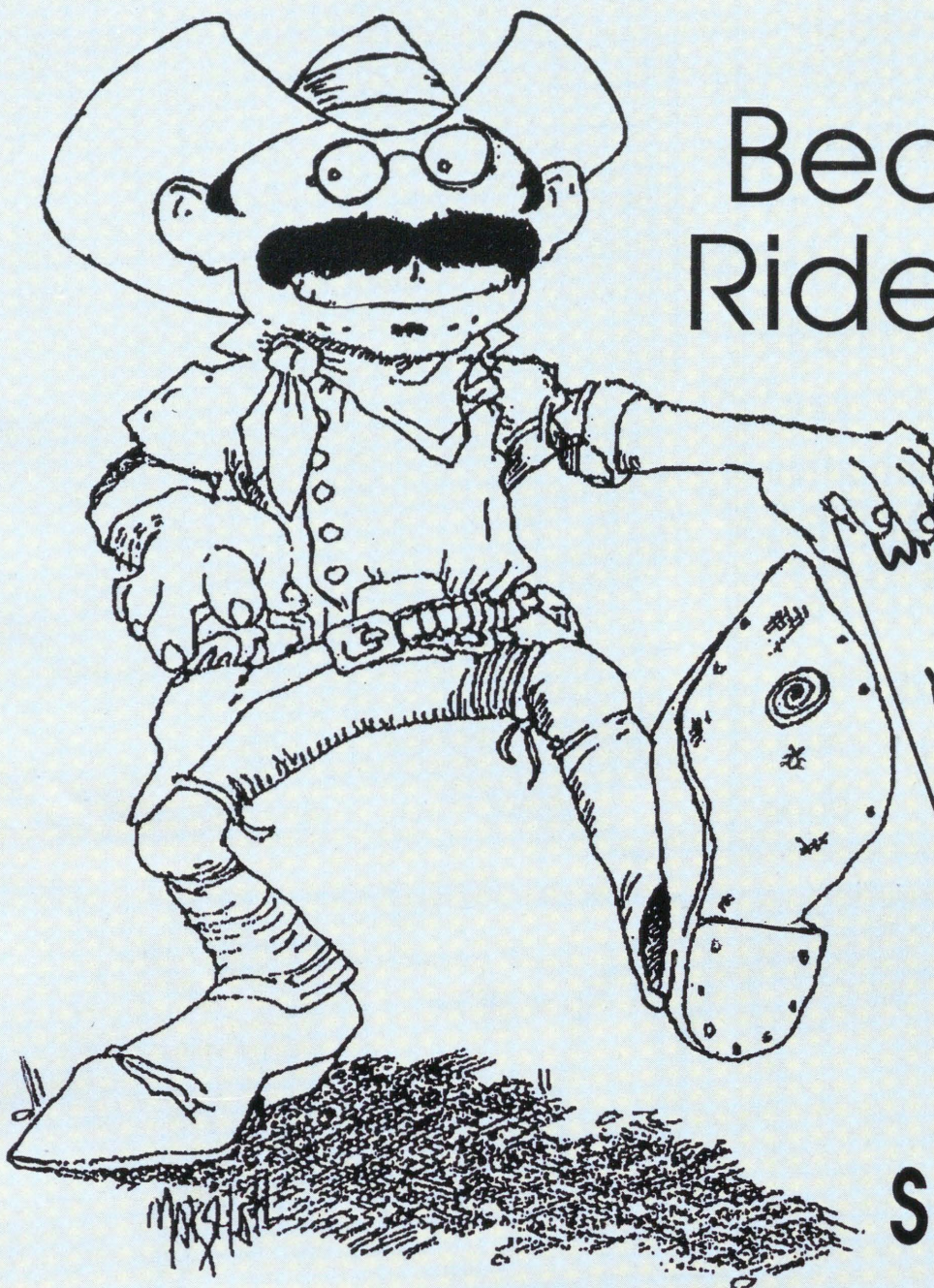
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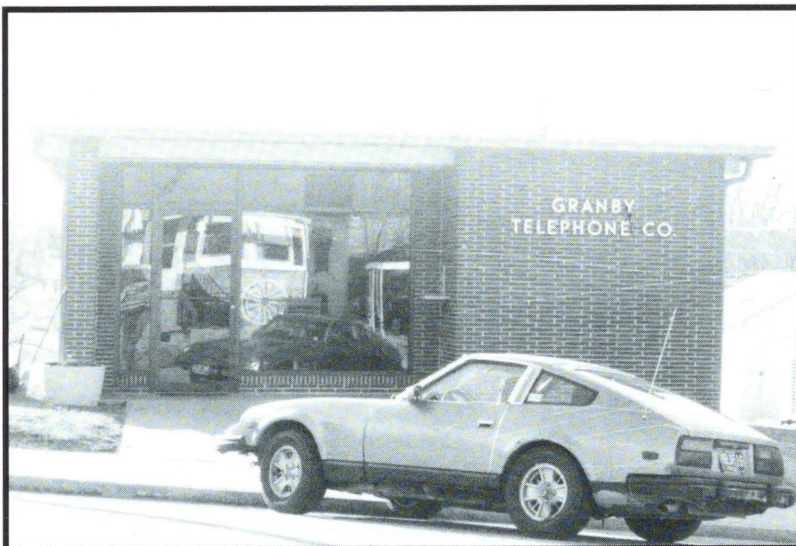


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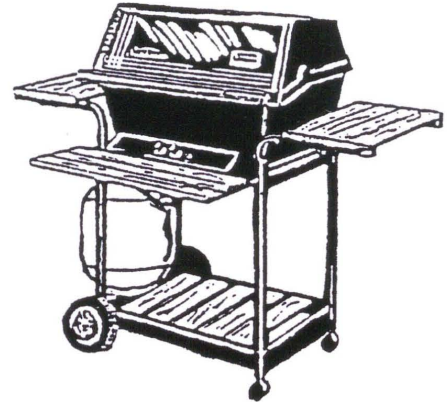
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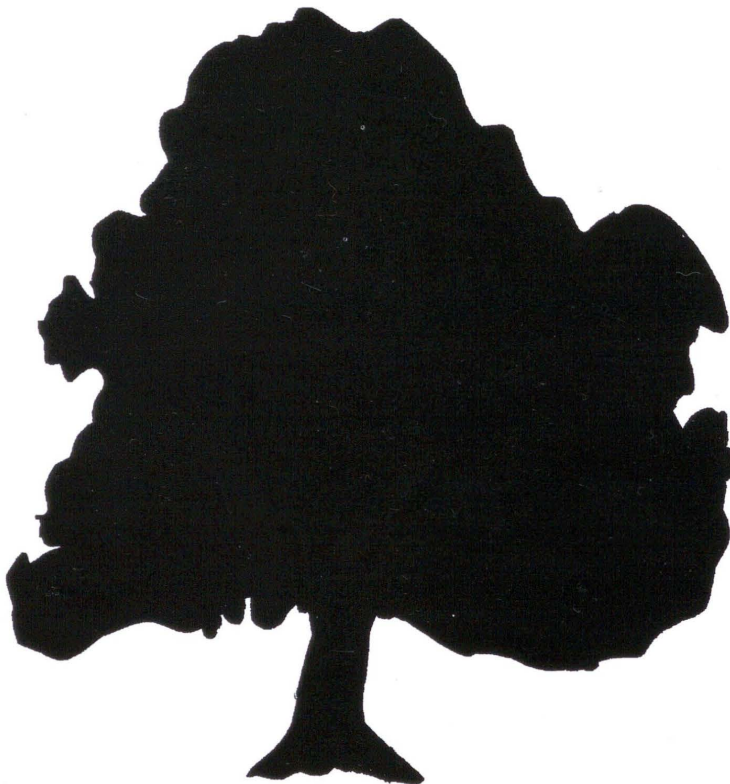
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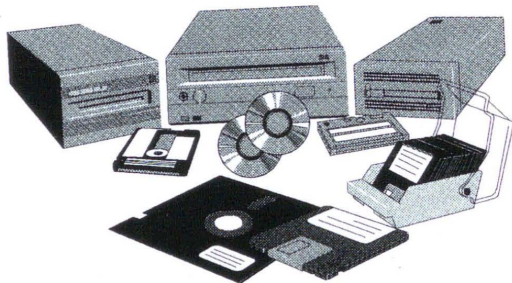
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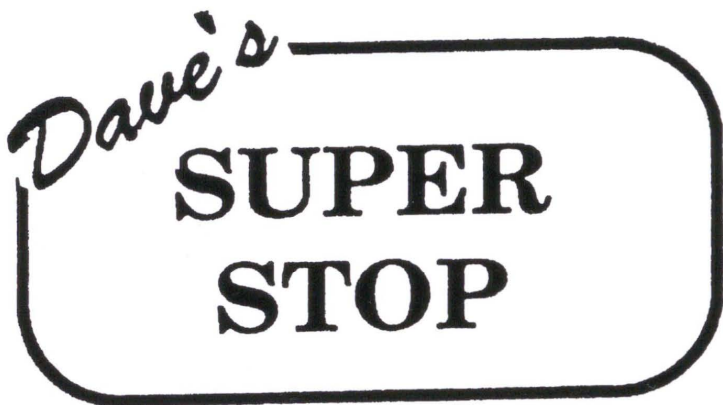
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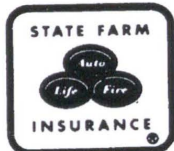
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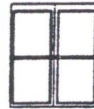
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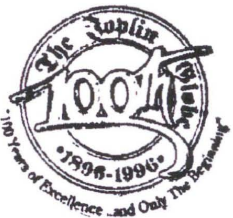
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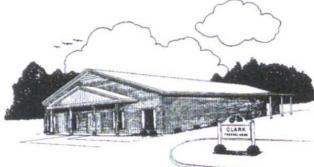


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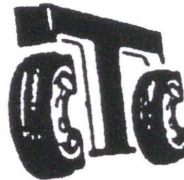
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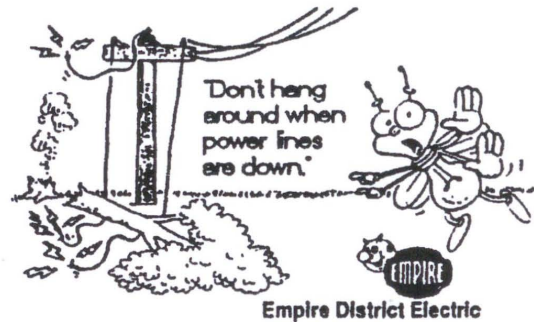
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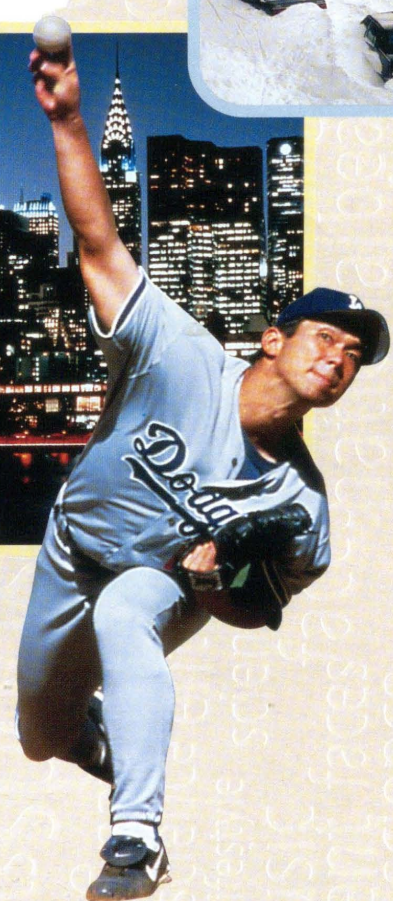
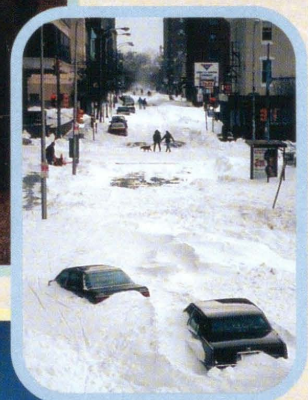
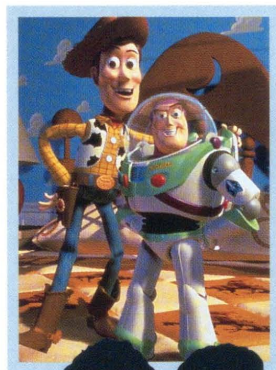
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J. Ficarra, Sygma

The first U.S. president to visit Northern Ireland, President Clinton receives a warm Christmas welcome for his show of support for peace between Irish Protestants and Catholics.

Hurricane Marilyn inflicts millions of dollars of damage in the Virgin Islands in September. Winds up to 127 miles per hour severely damage half the homes on St. Thomas.



G. Williams, Gamma/Liaison

flash

In November, the Republic of Ireland narrowly passes a referendum calling for an end to the country's 1937 constitutional ban on divorce.

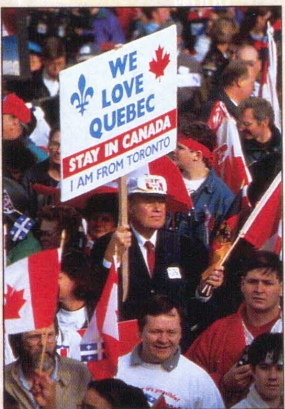
While competing in an international balloon race in September, two hot air balloonists, one English and one American, are shot down when their balloon floats off course over Belarus. The Belarussian army sees the balloon as a security threat and fires without warning. The balloonists fall to their death.

More than four years after Desert Storm, Iraq's President Saddam Hussein remains in power, though two of his sons-in-law defect to Jordan on August 8 and call for Hussein's overthrow.



AP/Wide World

Hope blooms for peace in Bosnia when Bosnia's President Izetbegovic (left) shakes hands with Serbia's President Milosevic on the opening day of the November cease-fire talks in Dayton, Ohio. Croatia's President Tudjman looks on. The ensuing Paris peace agreement of December sends 60,000 NATO peacekeeping troops to the war-torn country.



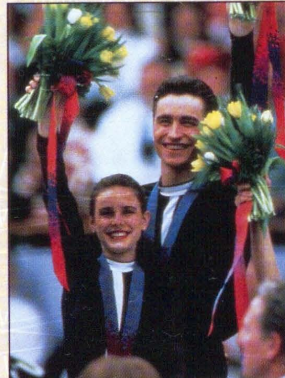
Brooks Kraft, Sygma

Quebec, Canada's largely French-speaking province, defeats an October referendum on Quebec independence by a margin of less than one percent.



Thomas Renault, Gamma/Liaison

In July, without public explanations, Burma's military rulers free the country's most famous political prisoner, Daw Aung San Suu Kyi, leader of the pro-democracy movement and Nobel peace laureate, after six years of house arrest.



Clive Brunskill, Allsport

Russian figure skater Sergei Grinkov, 28, collapses and dies from a heart attack during practice with his wife-partner Ekaterina Gordeeva on November 20. The pair won two Olympic gold medals and four world pairs titles.



Gamma/Liaison

Great Britain's Princess Diana shocks Buckingham Palace with a tell-all BBC interview. Defying royal protocol, she discusses her marriage to unfaithful husband, Prince Charles, her struggle with depression and bulimia, and an extramarital affair. The majority of English people express their support and sympathy.



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Securities trader Nicholas Leeson is arrested in Germany in March 1995 for fraud, forgery, and breach-of-trust. Leeson racked up a \$1.32 billion loss that caused the collapse of Barings PLC, the 233-year-old British bank.

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A San Francisco sewer line bursts under pressure from battering rainstorms, creating a monster sinkhole that swallows a \$2-million house in the Sea Cliff district. One-hundred-mile-per-hour winds knock out power to tens of thousands of homes and nearly blow a truck off the Bay Bridge.

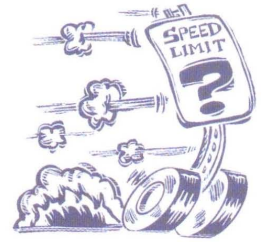


Brant Ward, San Francisco Chronicle/Gamma/Liaison

Three days of drenching rains in the Pacific Northwest swell rivers to overflowing, causing severe flooding in Washington in December. In the town of Carnation, a pastor conveys a woman to dry land with a wheelbarrow.



AP/Wide World



The federal government repeals the national 55-mile-per-hour highway speed limit, enacted in 1974 during the oil embargo. The legislation allows states to set their own limits. On Montana highways, speed limits are eliminated completely.



African-American men from across the country converge on Washington, D.C., for the Million Man March on October 16. The march, led by Nation-of-Islam minister Louis Farrakhan, promotes African-American unity, dignity, and family values.

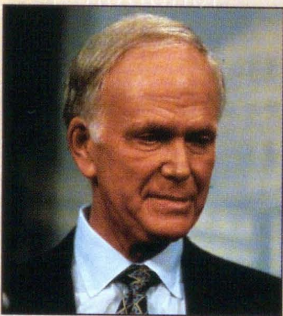


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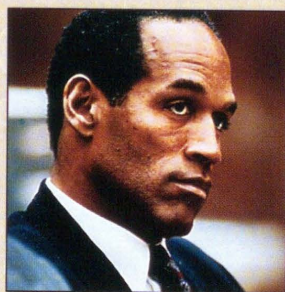
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Air Force Captain Scott O'Grady (right) is rescued from pursuing Bosnian Serb forces by U.S. Marines on June 8, six days after his plane is shot down over Bosnia. O'Grady survived on insects, plants, and rainwater.



Markel, Gamma/Liaison

U.S. Senator Bob Packwood of Oregon resigns on September 7, the day after the Senate Ethics Committee voted unanimously to expel him for sexual misconduct, embarrassingly detailed in his diaries, which were made public.



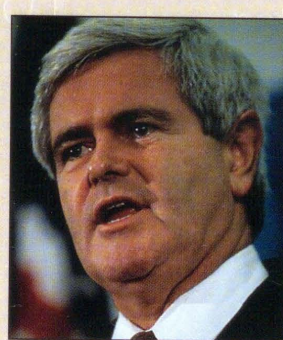
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The nation comes to a standstill on October 3 as more than 150 million people watch live TV coverage of the outcome of the nine-month-long trial of the century. After less than four hours of deliberation, the jury finds former football star O.J. Simpson not guilty of the murders of his ex-wife Nicole and her friend Ronald Goldman.



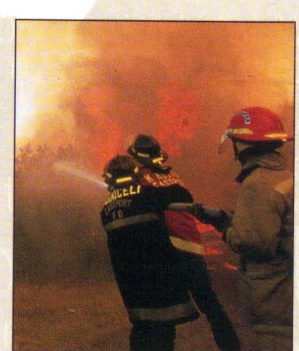
Scott Olson, Sipa Press

Illinois suffers a record heat wave in July, with temperatures as high as 104°. The heat takes the lives of 457 people statewide. At Wrigley Stadium, Jaime Navarro helps faithful Chicago Cubs fans stay cool.



Gifford, Gamma/Liaison

After a year of fame as a conservative revolutionary, Speaker of the House Newt Gingrich slumps in popularity, tainted by the government shutdown, his stalled Contract With America, and investigations into his political action committee and his financial affairs.

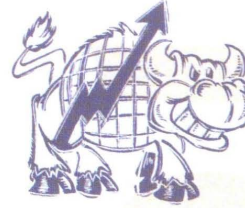


Lee Stone, Sygma

Two-thousand volunteer firefighters battle a raging wildfire in eastern Long Island, New York, for three days in August. The fire, following a 21-day drought, consumes 5,500 acres of pine barrens and damages a dozen homes. There are no injuries or fatalities.

The image of firefighter Chris Fields holding one-year-old Baylee Almon, who later dies, comes to symbolize the horror of the April 19 bombing of the Oklahoma City Federal Building that killed 150 adults and 19 children.

As more Americans invest, Wall Street enjoys a bull market. In November, the Dow-Jones Industrial Average hits 5000, a milestone indicating healthy corporate profits and low interest rates.



flash

Despite Americans' doubts and fears, U.S. troops head for Bosnia in December. The 20,000 U.S. forces, serving under NATO command beside 40,000 European allies, face the task of keeping peace among the country's warring Serbs, Croats and Muslims.

The State of South Carolina sentences Susan Smith to life in prison for the drowning murder of her two young sons in 1994.

An anonymous donor sends St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital in Memphis \$1 million in the form of a winning ticket from McDonald's November "Monopoly" sweepstakes game.

In the wake of a growing number of random attacks from assailants with knives and guns, White House security is forced to close Pennsylvania Avenue to traffic.

After allegedly ignoring federal pollution regulations for years, General Motors agrees under threat of an \$11-million fine to recall 500,000 Cadillacs at a cost of \$45 million.



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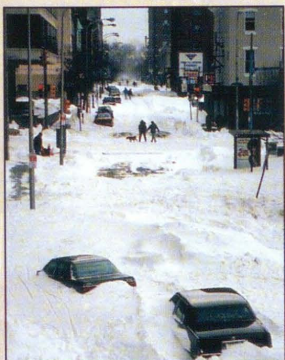


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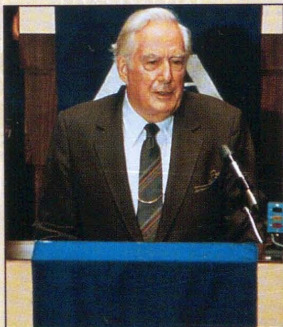
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The government shuts down for six days in November after the President and Congress fail to agree on how to balance the federal budget. The shutdown affects non-essential federal services, including the National Park Service. A longer shutdown follows in December.



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A record snowfall paralyzes the East Coast in January 1996, stranding travelers and killing 100 people. Seven states, from Virginia to Massachusetts, declare emergencies. Philadelphia gets 30.7 inches of snow.

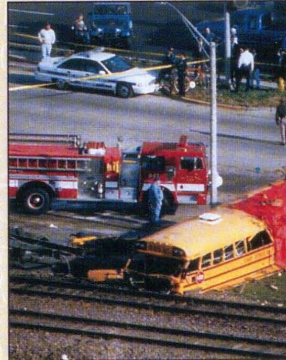


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Warren E. Burger, Chief Justice of the U.S. Supreme Court from 1969 to 1986, dies in June at age 87. Though appointed by President Richard Nixon, he ordered Nixon to turn over tapes in the Watergate hearings that effectively ended the president's career.

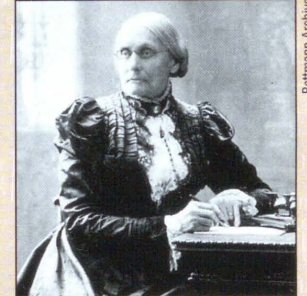


The Washington Post publishes a manifesto written by the unidentified killer known as "The Unabomber," at large since 1978 and wanted for 16 mail bombs that have killed 3 and injured 23. FBI agents scrutinize the article for clues to the bomber's identity.



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A Chicago commuter train slams into the back end of a loaded school bus. The accident, allegedly caused by a poorly timed spotlight placed too near the tracks, kills 7 students and injures 28 on October 25.



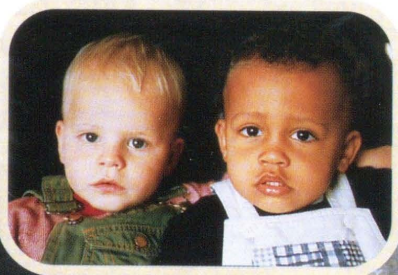
Bettmann Archive

American women celebrate the 75th anniversary of the 19th amendment to the U.S. Constitution, which granted women the right to vote. Women's suffrage leader Susan B. Anthony (1820-1906) first organized the fight for suffrage in 1848.

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As the result of an improperly cleaned test tube at a fertility clinic, a woman in the Netherlands gives birth to twin boys, each from a different father.

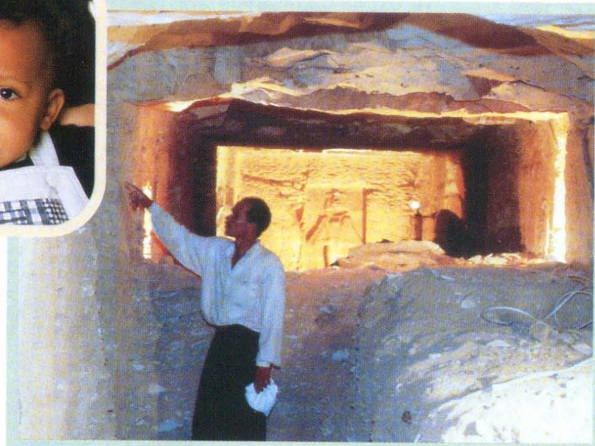


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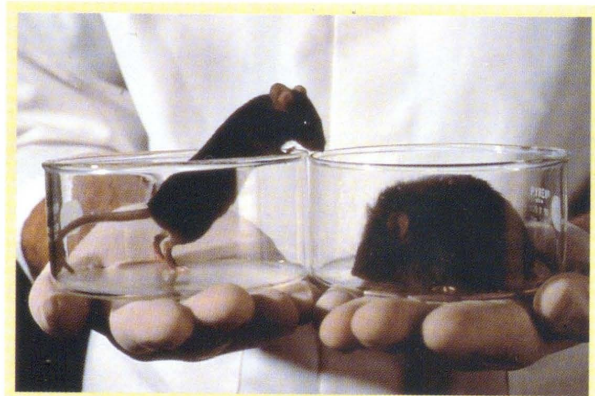
A stunning photograph from the Hubble Space Telescope captures a moment in the birth of a star in the Eagle Nebula, 7,000 light years from Earth. Light from the young star's nuclear furnace lifts towering pillars of hydrogen gas and interstellar dust.



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In March, the Federal Drug Administration approves a chicken-pox vaccine. Rarely fatal, chicken-pox affects 3.7 million Americans annually.

Archaeologists discover a 3,000-year-old tomb in May that is believed to hold the remains of 52 sons of Ramses II, Pharaoh of Egypt.



Dr. Jeffrey Fried, Gamma/Liaison

Researchers announce that they have isolated a gene in mice linked to obesity. Mice with a mutated OB gene are injected with the hormone leptin, resulting in dramatic weight loss. The public is tantalized at the prospect of leptin as a slimming treatment for use in humans.



© Cincinnati Zoo

The world's first test-tube gorilla is born at the Cincinnati Zoo in October as part of an effort to save the western lowland gorilla, an endangered species that numbers fewer than 450 animals.

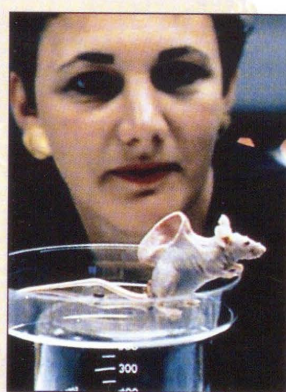


Fossils of a jawbone (left) and leg bone (right) found in Kenya in August reveal a previously unknown species of upright hominid that lived four million years ago, pushing the emergence of bipedalism back half a million years. Walking upright is a key adaptation that separates humans from apes.



Vai Maczenoga/Chicago Tribune

Media attention focuses on melatonin, a naturally occurring hormone used to induce sleep and slow the effects of aging. Lauded as a wonder drug, a kilogram of synthetic melatonin sells for as much as \$10,000.



AP/Wide World

In a procedure known as tissue engineering, scientists grow a human ear under the skin of a laboratory mouse. Researchers hope the procedure will play an important role in the future of transplant surgery.



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As a protective measure against counterfeiting in the era of digital publishing, the Treasury Department redesigns U.S. currency bills, to be issued over the next five years, starting early 1996 with the new \$100 bill.

Former rivals in space become comrades in space after the historic docking of the U.S. space shuttle *Atlantis* and Russia's *Mir* space station on June 29. Astronaut Robert Gibson (in red) greets cosmonaut Vladimir Dezhurov.

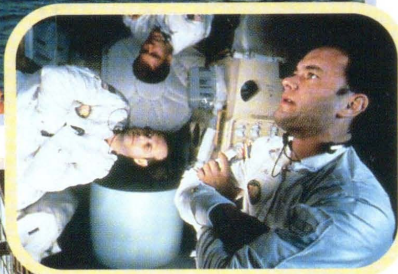


NASA

In June, volcanic eruptions give birth to a baby island. A new member of the Tonga Islands emerges near New Zealand, 900 feet high and 140 feet wide.



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After a decade-long search, scientists isolate what may be the most important cancer-related gene. The defective gene known as ATM is associated with cancers of the breast, colon, lung, stomach, pancreas and skin, and may be carried by two million Americans.

Astronomers using the Hubble Space Telescope observe new moons orbiting the planet Saturn, adding at least 2 moons and possibly 4 to Saturn's previously known total of 18.

A team of French and British explorers believe they have found an ancient breed of horse previously unknown to scientists. In November, the four-foot high horse with a triangular head, which resembles the vanished horses of European Stone Age drawings, is named Riwoche for its home region in Tibet.

October satellite photographs show the recent rapid deterioration of the earth's ozone layer above Antarctica. Pollutants produced mostly by the U.S. cause the hole in the atmosphere's protective layer to increase to the size of Europe.

Buyers rush to stores for the new computer operating system Windows 95, spurred by Microsoft Corp.'s \$700-million publicity barrage and the promise of a friendlier interface.

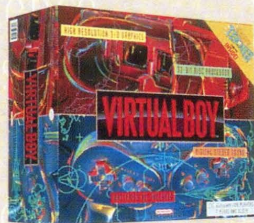


A. Tannenbaum, Sygma

The movie *Apollo 13* opens in the summer after filming many of its scenes inside NASA's "zero gravity" plane, which mimics the weightlessness astronauts experience in space by diving into a 23-second freefall.



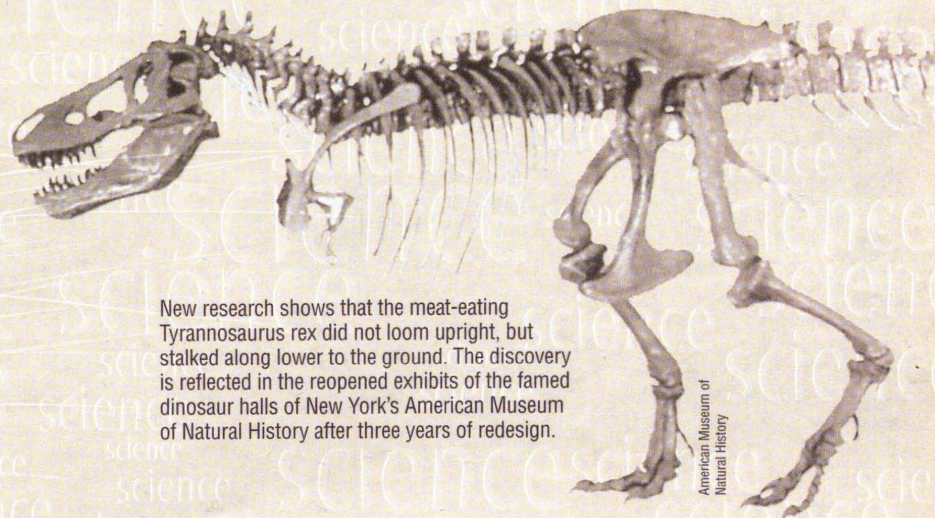
VISA International



Nintendo of America

Now virtual reality comes in a handy travel size with Nintendo's latest, Virtual Boy, a portable 3-D video-game system with stereophonic sound.

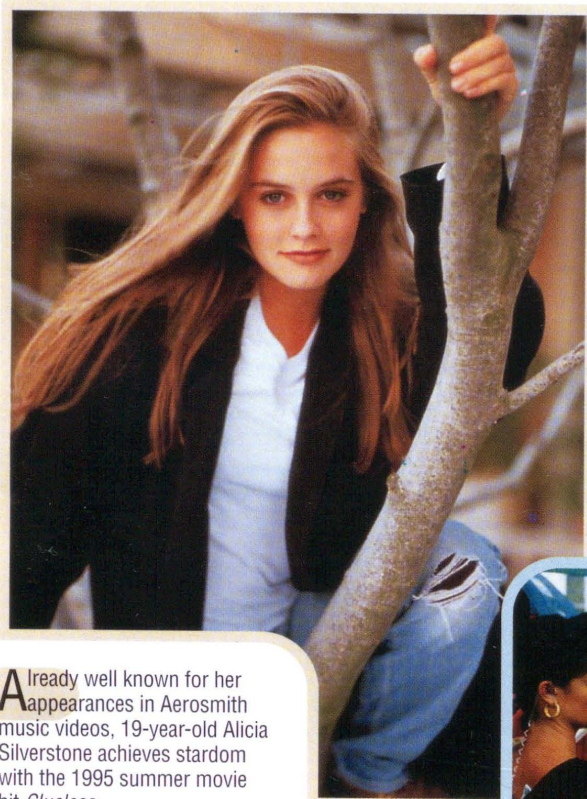
In November, Visa introduces a cash-storage card that eliminates a pocketful of loose change. A chip in the plastic card tracks the amount of available cash, which is accessed with a reader at the place of purchase. The card can be taken to the bank and reloaded.



New research shows that the meat-eating *Tyrannosaurus rex* did not loom upright, but stalked along lower to the ground. The discovery is reflected in the reopened exhibits of the famed dinosaur halls of New York's American Museum of Natural History after three years of redesign.

American Museum of Natural History

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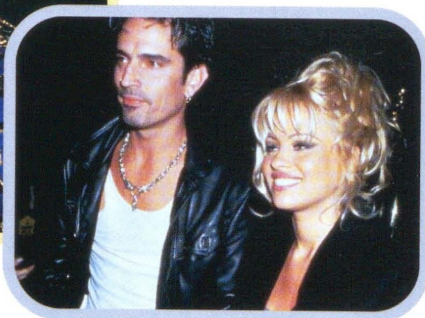
Dana Fineman, Sygma

Already well known for her appearances in Aerosmith music videos, 19-year-old Alicia Silverstone achieves stardom with the 1995 summer movie hit *Clueless*.



J.L. Bulcao, Gamma/Liaison

With \$150,000 saved during her 75 hardworking years as a washerwoman, Oseola McCarty establishes a scholarship fund for African-American students at the University of Southern Mississippi. For her selflessness, she is awarded the Presidential Citizens Medal.



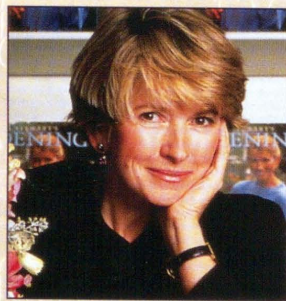
Ron Davis, Shooting Star

Pamela Lee of "Baywatch" fame and husband Tommy Lee, Motley Crüe drummer, are the life of the party this year, frequently caught by the press engaging in public displays of affection.



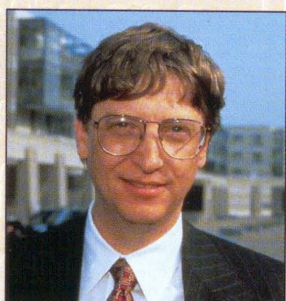
Bill Jordan, Charleston Post Courier from Sipa Press

Trailblazer Shannon Faulkner (hand to head) withdraws from the Citadel after collapsing during "hell week." Faulkner singlehandedly attempted to bust the gender barrier at the all-male South Carolina military institution.



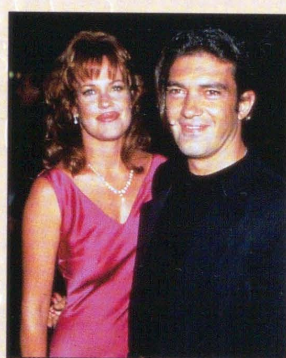
Frank Capri/Saga from Archive Photos

Millions of Americans tune in to Martha Stewart's TV show, subscribe to her magazine, and read her books. The popular cooking and home-decorating entrepreneur builds an empire by packaging a distinctive American nostalgic style.



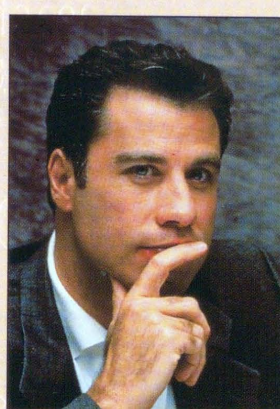
Marc Deville, Gamma/Liaison

Bill Gates, founder and chairman of the computer giant Microsoft, becomes the wealthiest man in the world on the success of his company's software. His book *The Road Ahead* hits *The New York Times* best-seller list.



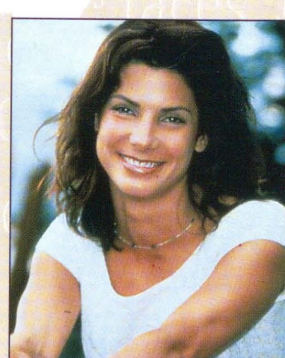
Ron Davis, Shooting Star

Hot actor Antonio Banderas falls in love with another screen sex-symbol Melanie Griffith during the filming of *Two Much*. Banderas will co-star with Madonna in the film version of *Evita* and will star in Steven Spielberg-produced *Zorro*.



Yoram Khatana, Shooting Star

Seventies superstar John Travolta's motion-picture comeback in the 1994 hit *Pulp Fiction* continues with starring roles in *Get Shorty* and *Broken Arrow*.



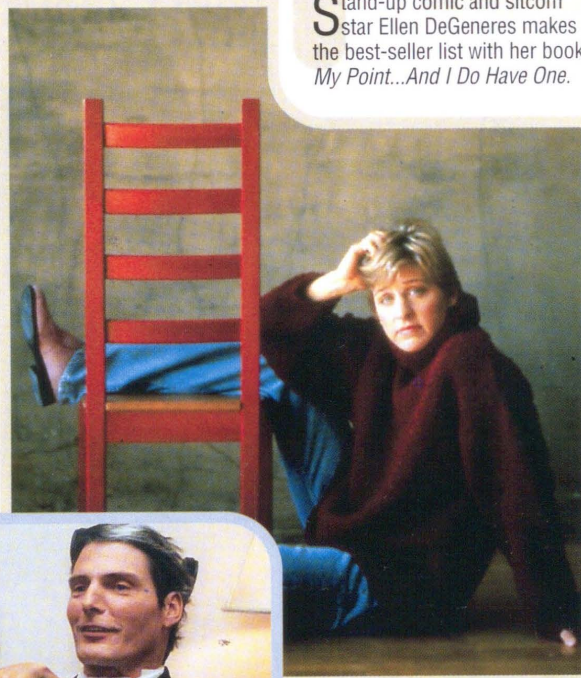
Fotex from Shooting Star

Sandra Bullock follows up her star-making role in *Speed* with the gentle romance *While You Were Sleeping*. Bullock's fresh, wholesome image earns her an "Entertainer of the Year" nomination from *Entertainment Weekly* magazine.

America is disappointed in its high hopes for Colin Powell's 1996 presidential candidacy. At the close of his whirlwind book tour for *My American Journey*, the General and his wife Alma announce in November that he will not seek the Republican nomination.



Pete Souza, Gamma/Liaison

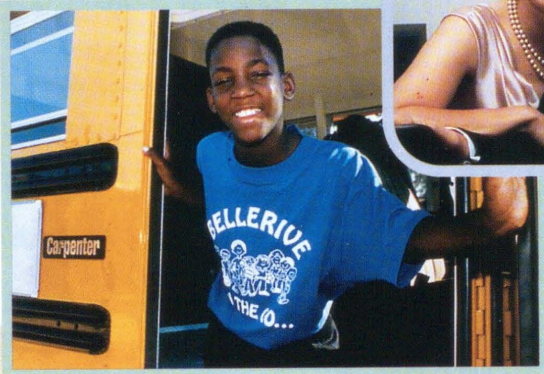


Stand-up comic and sitcom star Ellen DeGeneres makes the best-seller list with her book *My Point...And I Do Have One*.



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Christopher Reeve, in a wheelchair and hooked up to a portable respirator, appears with his wife, Dana, at the American Paralysis Association's annual gala on November 9, less than five months after a fall from a horse left him almost totally paralyzed.



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A 10-year-old St. Louis schoolboy, Larry Champagne III, becomes a hero by taking control of his school bus after the driver suffered a stroke. Champagne is later awarded a \$10,000 scholarship by the bus company.

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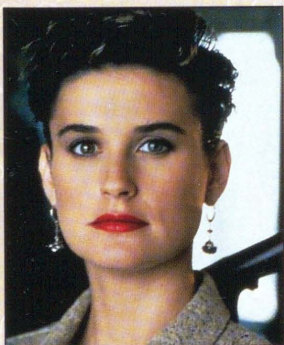
Calvin Klein's provocative CK Jeans campaign causes an uproar in August, bringing nasty headlines, threats of retailer boycotts and an FBI investigation. The scandal only seems to help sales.

Michael Jackson and Lisa Marie Presley announce their divorce almost a year after their surprise marriage. The tabloids have a field day speculating about the reasons for the marriage (was it a cold-hearted career move?) as well as the causes for the break-up (was he after Elvis' fortune?).

Breaking the Surface, the autobiography of Greg Louganis, former U.S. Olympic gold-medal diver who revealed earlier that he has AIDS, debuts at No. 2 on the best-seller list.

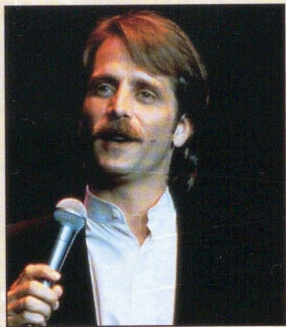
Popcorn magnate Orville Redenbacher, who transformed popping corn into a gourmet item, dies on September 19 from heart failure.

Two Chinese women set a new Guinness world record in November by living in a room for 12 days with 888 poisonous snakes. The previous world record, set in Singapore in 1987, was 10 days with 200 snakes.



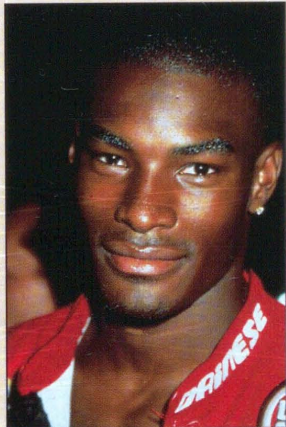
Marissa Roth, LGI

Actress Demi Moore becomes the highest paid woman in Hollywood, able to command \$12.5 million per movie, even after this year's flop at the box office *The Scarlet Letter*, loosely based on Hawthorne's classic.



Tim Mossmelder, LGI

Favorite of America's heartland for his *You Might Be A Redneck If...* jokes, Georgia-born stand-up comic and author Jeff Foxworthy gets his own ABC sitcom in which he plays himself.



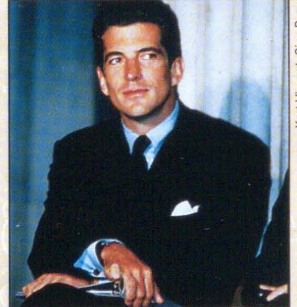
Nancy Kaszerman, Shooting Star

Model Beckford Tyson, singled out by Ralph Lauren for his all-American looks, signs an exclusive contract with the fashion designer in 1995.



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Miss Oklahoma Shawntel Smith is crowned Miss America on September 16. During the broadcast of the 75th pageant, viewers phone in their votes to retain the swimsuit competition.



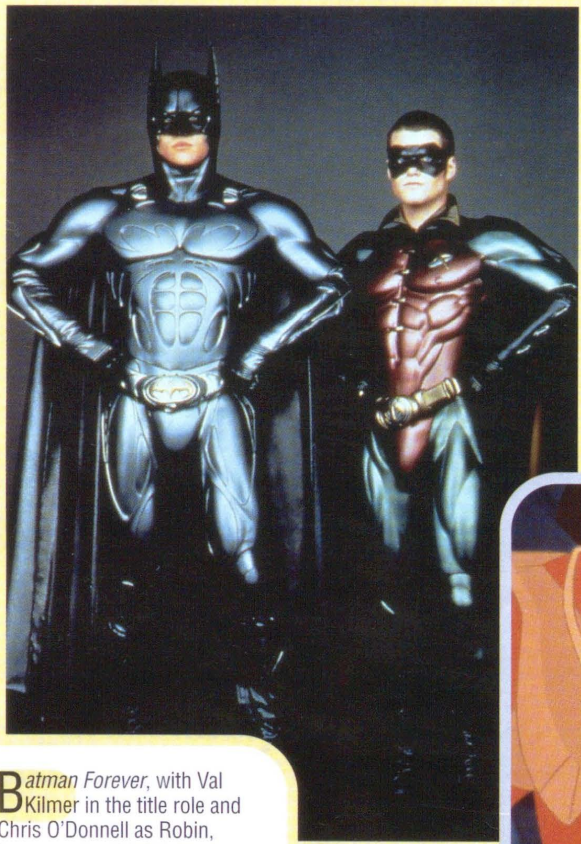
Kurt Vivanti, Sipa Press

John F. Kennedy, Jr., is cofounder and editor-in-chief of *George*, a glossy new magazine covering American politics. Hounded all his life by the press, Kennedy joins their ranks, contributing a feature interview to each issue.

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Batman Forever, with Val Kilmer in the title role and Chris O'Donnell as Robin, becomes the third Batman movie and the summer's top-grossing film.



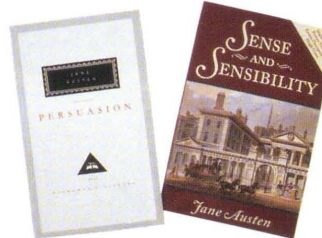
United Artists from Shooting Star

The fifth actor to play 007 in the enduring film series begun in the 1960s, Pierce Brosnan abandons his Aston Martin for a BMW Z3 Roadster in *Goldeneye*, the latest and, some say, best James Bond movie.

Three 1995 movies bring Jane Austen classics to the silver screen: *Clueless*, based on Austen's novel *Emma*, and *Sense and Sensibility* and *Persuasion*.



Disney Pictures from Shooting Star



Disney Pictures continues its line of animated blockbusters with the Native American legend *Pocahontas*. The picture previews in New York's Central Park to an outdoor audience of 200,000.



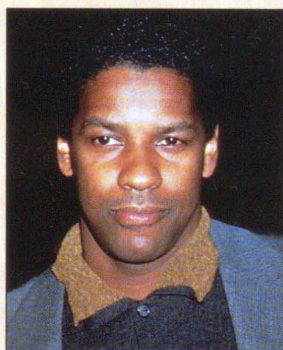
M. Gerber, LGI

After an unpromising start, Conan O'Brien quietly gains popularity as host of NBC's "Late Night," a slot previously filled by David Letterman. Letterman's current show on CBS slowly loses viewers.



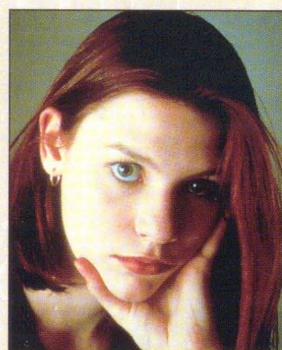
Yoram Kahana, Shooting Star

Whitney Houston stars in the December film release, *Waiting to Exhale*, adapted from Terry McMillan's best-selling novel about the lives of four middle-class African-American women. Houston sings the title song for the movie soundtrack, which enjoys brisk sales.



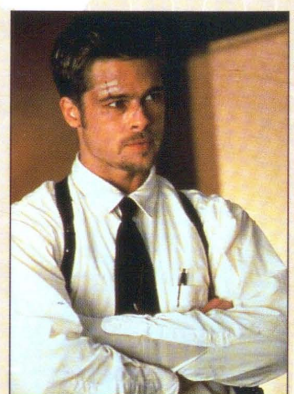
Ron Davis, Shooting Star

Denzel Washington, critically acclaimed for his performances in films *Crimson Tide* and *Devil in a Blue Dress*, receives highest praise from the City of Los Angeles, which honors him with the Martin Luther King, Jr., Award for his philanthropic work on behalf of children.



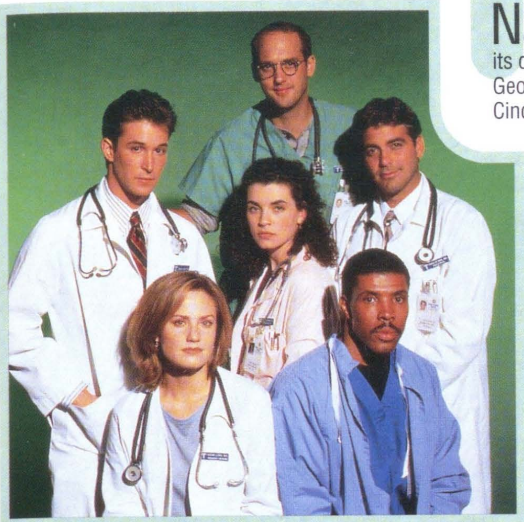
Bedford Falls from Shooting Star

Although ABC cancels her TV series "My So-Called Life," 17-year-old Claire Danes hits the big screen in *How to Make an American Quilt*, *To Gillian on Her 37th Birthday*, and *Romeo and Juliet* with Leonardo DiCaprio as her co-star.



Pacha, LGI

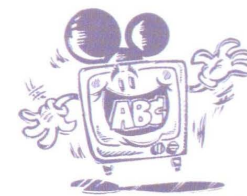
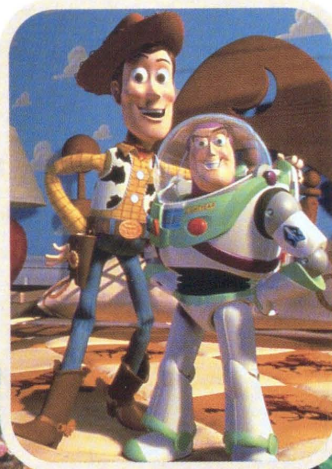
In the suspense-thriller *Seven*, heartthrob Brad Pitt attracts a wide male audience with his performance as a detective on the trail of a serial killer whose murders are based on the seven deadly sins.



Jeff Katz, Gamma/Liaison

NBC's hospital drama "E.R." continues to draw high ratings throughout 1995 thanks to its dramatic realism and the appeal of handsome George Clooney (middle right), supermodel Cindy Crawford's latest date.

Disney Pictures from Shooting Star



Disney Entertainment spends \$19 billion to purchase the ABC television network in July.

Toy Story is the world's first entirely computer-animated film. Released by Disney during the Christmas season, it features the voices of Tom Hanks, Tim Allen, and Don Rickles.

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MTV introduces "Singed Out," an over-the-top dating game show where contestants ask random, pointless questions of a crowd of untilers, zany answers have eliminated all but that one perfect love match.

According to a Roper Youth Poll, the two hottest TV shows among teens this season are the daytime soap "Days of Our Lives" and the evening soap "Melrose Place."

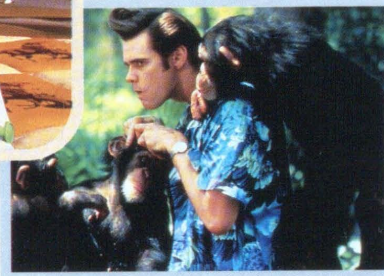
"The Jon Stewart Show," a late-night talk show aimed at Generation X, fails to catch on. During the final taping, host Stewart says, "To all those people who said I have only one thing to say. Good call."



Sam Jones, Gamma/Liaison

Jim Carrey earns \$20 million for the starring role in the comedy *Ace Ventura: When Nature Calls*, a sequel to the extraordinarily popular *Ace Ventura: Pet Detective*.

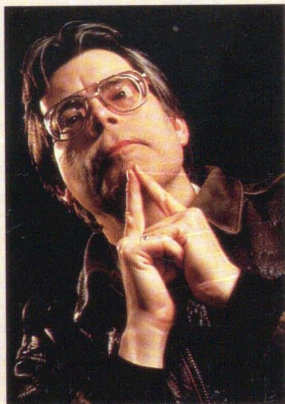
The popular NBC TV series "Friends" returns for a second highly rated season. Its runaway success inspires less successful imitations by other networks.



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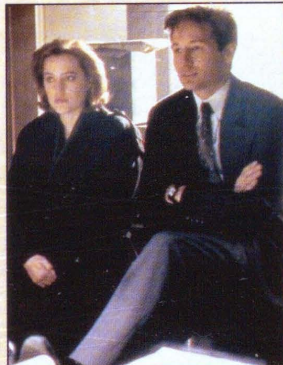


Ten years after creating the popular comic strip "Calvin and Hobbes," cartoonist Bill Watterson retires in December.



Horror-fiction author Stephen King signs a deal with Signet books to release his upcoming story, *The Green Mile*, as a paperback series.

Steve Hill, LGI



Fox TV's "The X-Files" stars David Duchovny as an FBI agent who investigates supernatural phenomena. The show becomes a surprise hit, giving millions of viewers reason to look forward to staying home on a Friday night.

Fox from Shooting Star



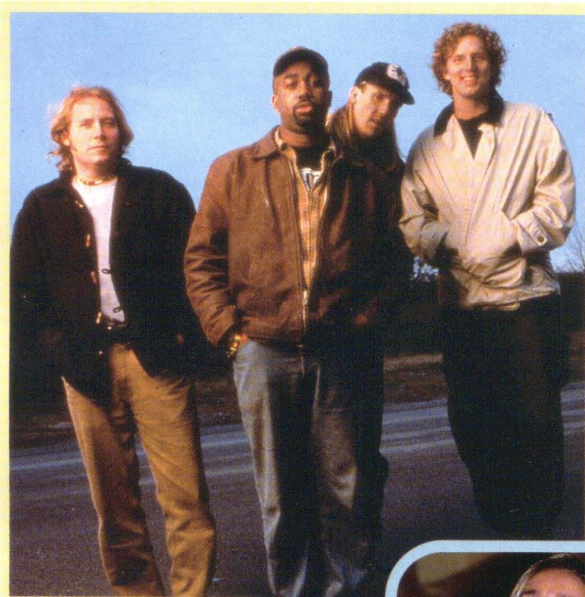
Devoted fans will not be denied another season of NBC's sitcom "Seinfeld" after all. Creator Jerry Seinfeld decides to keep his "show about nothing" going for an eighth season.

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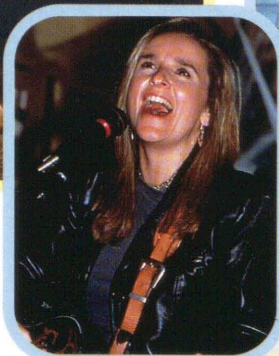


Steve Granitz, Retna



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Their down-to-earth style and soulful pop songs make Hootie and the Blowfish popular favorites. Their debut album *Cracked Rear View* sells over 5 million, and the group is named Best New Artist at the MTV Music Awards in September.



John Bellissimo, LGI

Rocker Melissa Etheridge follows top-selling *Yes, I Am* with her fifth album, *Your Little Secret*.

Blues Traveler emerge from the underground scene to widespread popularity with their album *Four* and the single "Run-Around."

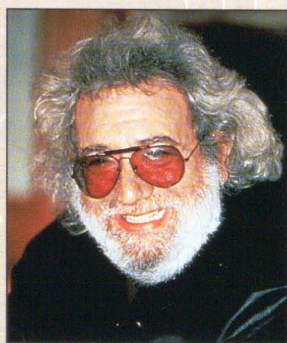
Cleveland-based rap group Bone Thugs-n-Harmony vault to the top of the charts with some old-fashioned harmonizing on the album *E. 1999 Eternal*.

Yoko Ono and Little Richard join a host of celebrities at the opening of the glitzy Rock-and-Roll Hall of Fame and Museum in Cleveland on September 1.



Tim Mosentfelder, LGI

Twenty-year-old Canadian newcomer Alanis Morissette raises some eyebrows with her up-front, aggressive lyrics and attitudes. Nevertheless, her album *Jagged Little Pill* goes double platinum.



Fotek from Shooting Star

Sixties icon Jerry Garcia, guitarist of The Grateful Dead, dies of a heart attack on August 9 at age 53. Garcia's musical roots in blues, country and folk are apparent in hits like "Truckin'." Legions of Deadheads mourn his passing.



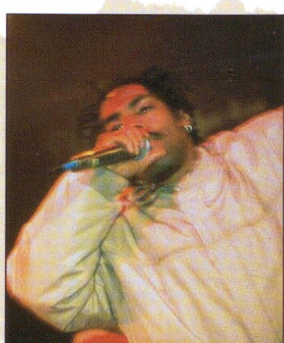
Todd Gray, LGI

Brandy, whose self-titled platinum album and single "I Wanna Be Down" hit high on the R&B charts, sweeps the first Soul Train Music Awards in August. The 16-year-old singer wins Best New Artist, among other awards.



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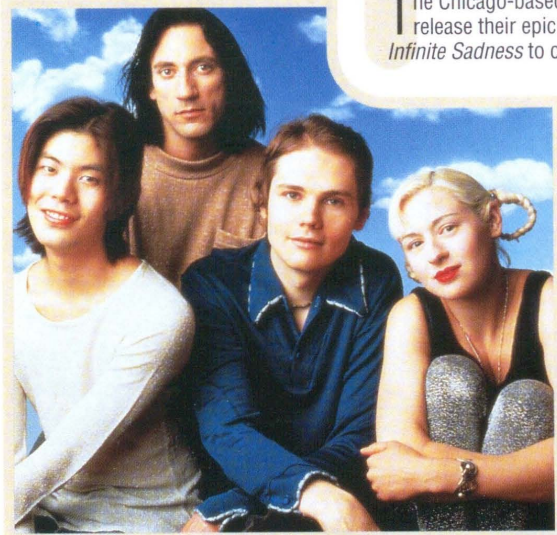
Beatlemania returns in 1995 with ABC's six-hour documentary *The Beatles Anthology*, the video releases of *A Hard Day's Night* and *Help!* and the album collection *Anthology*, featuring previously unreleased material.



Dea Willie, Retna

The chart-topping movie soundtrack *Dangerous Minds* features Coolio's rap anthem "Gangsta's Paradise," the number-one single of the year according to *Billboard* magazine.

Live dedicate their single "Lightning Crashes" to victims of the Oklahoma City bombing. The rock band's *Throwing Copper* album yields three hit singles; Billboard Music Awards names them Rock Artist of the Year.



The Chicago-based rock band Smashing Pumpkins release their epic double album *Mellon Collie and the Infinite Sadness* to critical and public acclaim.

Joe Giron, LGI

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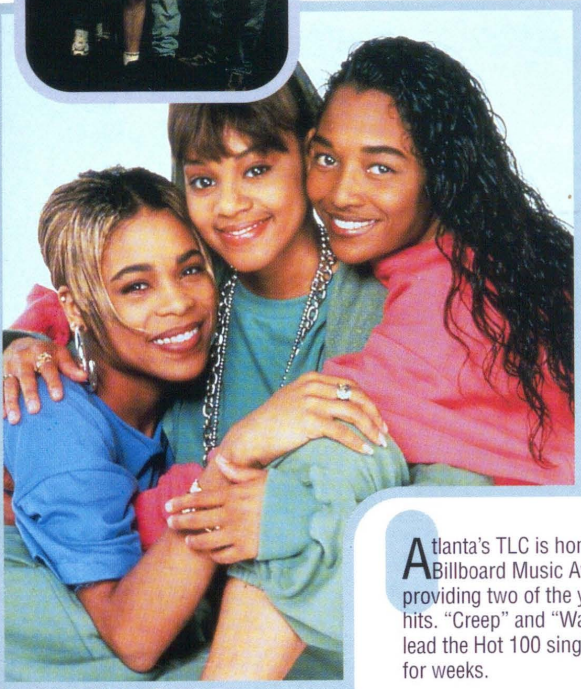
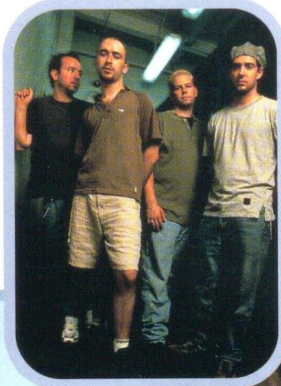
Mariah Carey's *Daydream* sells over 5 million copies, taking number-one spot on the *Billboard* album chart. Carey performs with Boyz II Men on the hit single "One Sweet Day."

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R.E.M.'s summer tour is interrupted by medical emergencies for three of the band's four members. The tour, their first in five years, is eventually completed with all members in good health.

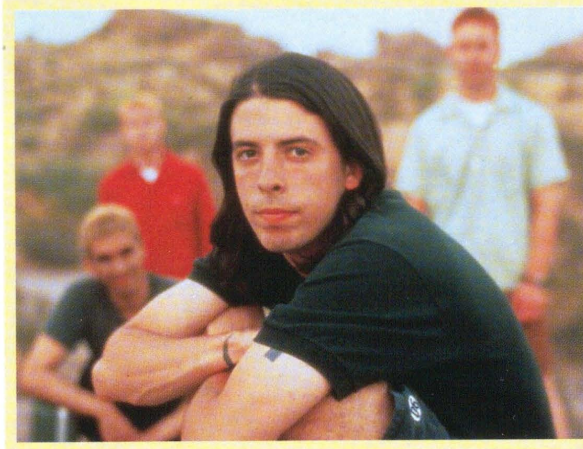
In October, David Bowie and Nine Inch Nails wrap up the U.S. portion of Bowie's world tour. At each show, Bowie and Trent Reznor's band play a set together. In December, Bowie tours Europe with Morrissey as his opening act.

The Red Hot Chili Peppers tone down their trademark bawdiness in their newest album, *One Hot Minute*.



Atlanta's TLC is honored at the Billboard Music Awards for providing two of the year's biggest hits. "Creep" and "Waterfalls" both lead the Hot 100 singles charts for weeks.

Jeffrey Scales, LGI



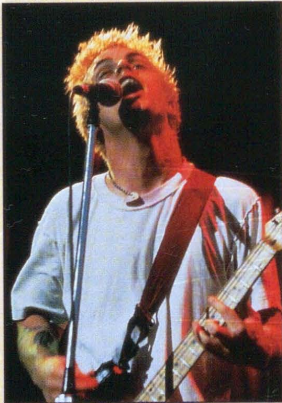
Steve Double, Retna

Former Nirvana drummer Dave Grohl plays a new sound as guitarist and lead singer in the Foo Fighters, an alternative rock band that enjoys three singles off their self-titled debut album in 1995.



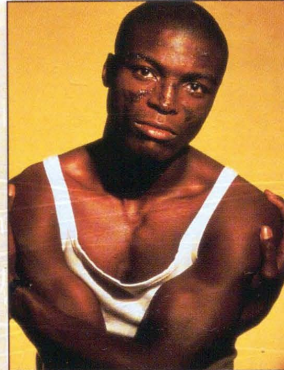
Ron Davis, Shooting Star

A hard-luck story turns into overnight success in the case of Canadian Shania Twain, born in poverty to an Irish mother and an Ojibway Indian father. Twain's 1995 hits include "Whose Bed Have Your Boots Been Under?" "Any Man of Mine" and the title tune to her 3-million-selling album *The Woman In Me*.



Steve Simons, Shooting Star

Success doesn't mellow the style of alternative rock band Green Day, who release their anxiously awaited fourth album *Insomniac*, their fastest and darkest album to date.



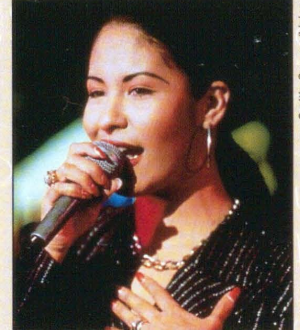
Steve Jennings, LGI

Seal's hit off the *Batman Forever* movie soundtrack, "Kiss From a Rose," is all over the summer playlists. The single propels the artist's self-titled album to the double-platinum mark.



Marc Morrison, Shooting Star

With the record-setting sales of his album *Fresh Horses*, only three musical acts in U.S. history outsell country music icon Garth Brooks: the Beatles, the Eagles, and Billy Joel.



Smith, Gamma/Liaison

Selena, the 23-year-old Tejano music queen, is gunned down in Corpus Christi in March 1995 by Yolanda Saldívar, former president of her fan club. The July release of a collection of Selena's hits, *Dreaming of You*, sees some of the fastest sales in music history.

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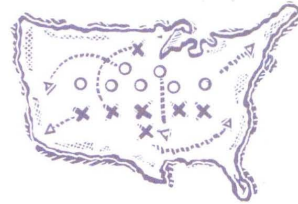
International soccer star Michelle Akers, world's top woman player, leads the U.S. women's soccer team to a 2-1 sudden-death victory over Norway in the U.S. Cup title game in August.

Chris Cole, Allsport



Focus on Sports

The New Jersey Devils win the National Hockey League's Stanley Cup, beating the heavily favored Detroit Red Wings in four straight games.



The most controversial moves are off the field this season as the Cleveland Browns NFL franchise announces its move to Baltimore and the Houston Oilers announce their move to Nashville.



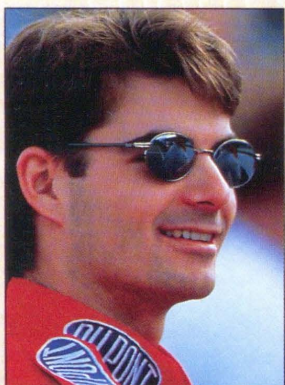
Clark Campbell, Sipa Press

In May 1995, Peter Blake's Team New Zealand in "Black Magic 1" defeats Dennis Conner's team in "Young America" in the first 5-0 sweep in the 144-year history of the America's Cup.



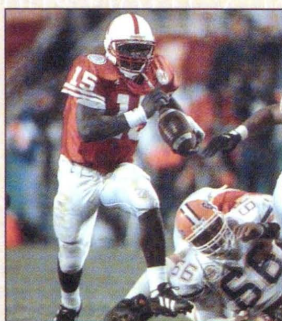
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In Super Bowl XXX, the heavily favored Dallas Cowboys beat the Pittsburgh Steelers 27-17. Dallas cornerback Larry Brown ices the game for the Cowboys with the second of his two interceptions, and is named MVP for his heroics.



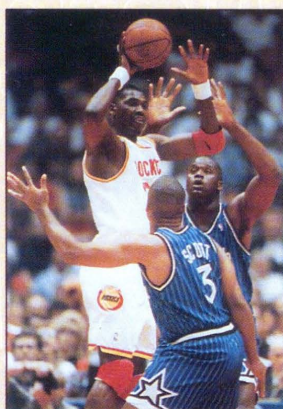
David Taylor, Allsport

Jeff Gordon, 24, dominates the National Association for Stock Car Auto Racing's Winston Cup, winning 7 of NASCAR's 31 races and earning \$4.3 million in 1995, a record for the sport.



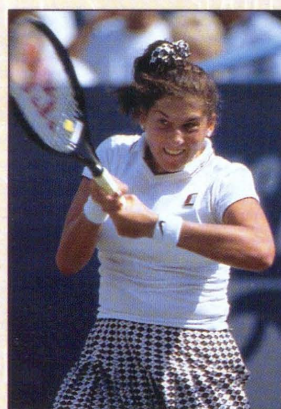
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The University of Nebraska demolishes the University of Florida, 62-24, in the 1996 Fiesta Bowl to win their second consecutive national college football title and cap Cornhuskers coach Tom Osborne's 23rd season.



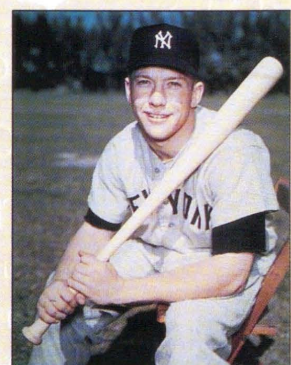
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The Houston Rockets, led by center Hakeem Olajuwon, win their second consecutive National Basketball Association championship in June, sweeping the series with the Orlando Magic in four games.



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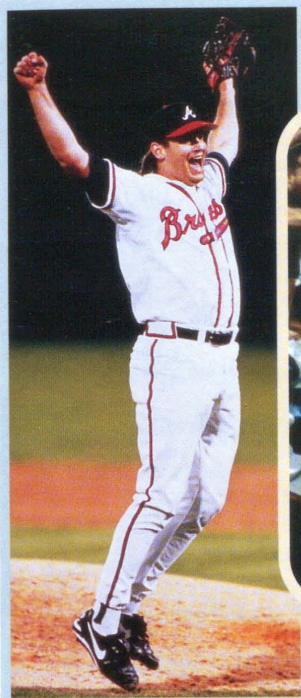
Twenty-one-year-old tennis champ Monica Seles, returning to competitive play two years after being stabbed at a tournament in Germany, wins the 1995 Australian Open.



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Hall-of-Famer Mickey Mantle, a switch-hitter and one of the great sluggers in baseball history, dies of cancer on August 13. Mantle hit 536 home runs in his 18-year career and compiled a lifetime batting average of .298.

The Atlanta Braves edge the Cleveland Indians 1-0 in game six to win the World Series on October 28. Closing pitcher Mark Wohlers leaps for joy.

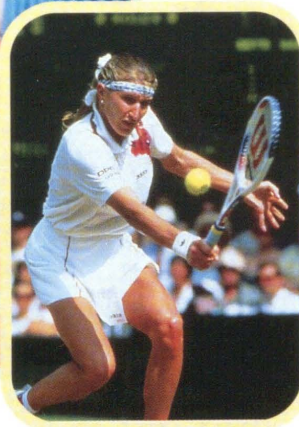


Ric Stewart, Allsport



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The National Basketball Association fines the Chicago Bulls \$25,000 when Michael Jordan wears his previously retired number 23 jersey for luck during championship playoffs against the Orlando Magic in May 1995.



Clive Brunskill, Allsport

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Former L.A. Lakers point guard Earvin "Magic" Johnson announces a return to basketball in January 1996. Johnson retired in 1991 when he discovered he was HIV positive.

The Northwestern University Wildcats—long a gridiron laughingstock—pile up ten victories in 1995 and go to the Rose Bowl for the first time since 1949.

In his first fight in four years, former world heavyweight champ Mike Tyson disposes of challenger Peter McNeeley in 89 seconds. Tyson, who in March finished a three-year jail term for a rape conviction, earns \$25 million for the August boxing match.

Pete Sampras, winner of the 1995 men's singles championships at Wimbledon and the U.S. Open, ends the professional tennis season with a number-one world ranking.

German tennis star Steffi Graf, who won three of five Grand Slam titles in 1995, ends the professional tennis season ranked number one in the world.

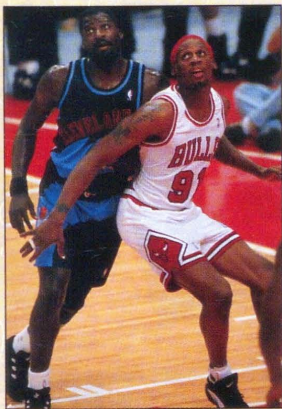
National Basketball Association referees strike against the league for much of the autumn. Fill-in officials spark complaints of substandard refereeing.



Doug Pensinger, Allsport

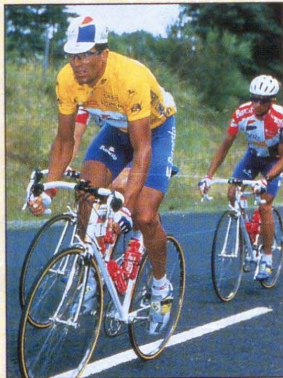
In September, Baltimore Orioles shortstop Cal Ripken, Jr., achieves a record-setting 2,131 consecutive games.

Master of the sinking fastball and still learning to speak English, L.A. Dodgers pitcher Hideo Nomo, formerly with the Kintetsu Buffaloes in Japan, is named Rookie of the Year. Nomo is the second Japanese-born player to join the U.S. major leagues, and the first All-Star.



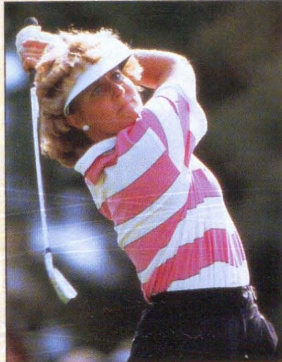
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Known for his temperamental personality, his many tattoos and his aggressive playing style, basketball center Dennis Rodman (91) debuts with the Chicago Bulls after his trade from the San Antonio Spurs.



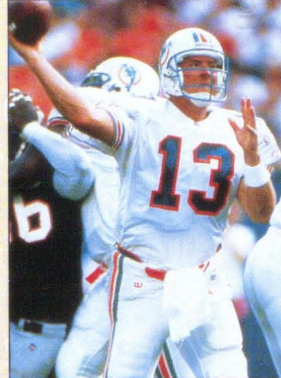
Mike Powell, Allsport

For a record fifth straight time, Miguel Indurain of Spain wins the 22-day, 2,270-mile Tour de France, the world's premier bicycle race. On the 15th day of the race, Italian road-race champ Fabio Casartelli is killed in a seven-man crash.



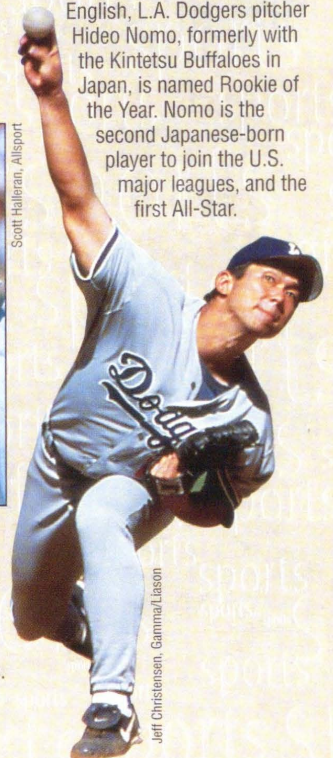
Focus on Sports

Betsy King wins her 30th tournament on June 25 and gains entry to the Ladies' Professional Golf Association's Hall of Fame, one of the most difficult attainments in sports.



Scott Halleran, Allsport

Quarterback Dan Marino of the Miami Dolphins sets four lifetime passing records during the 1995 football season: 47,003 yards, 342 touchdowns, 3,686 completions and 6,467 attempts.



Jeff Christensen, Gamma/Liaison

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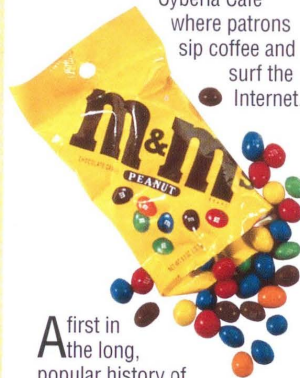


The most recent fad in purses takes the form of small backpacks.

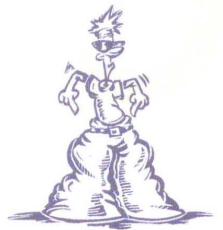
Designer water spreads to the pet world. Doting pet owners buy tuna-flavored bottled water for Fluffy and beef-flavored bottled water for Spot.



Diners are treated to variations on theme cafes, as Hard Rock Cafe is joined by Fashion Cafe, Planet Hollywood, Harley-Davidson Cafe, and London's Cyberia Cafe where patrons sip coffee and surf the Internet.



At first in the long, popular history of M&M's candies: a new blue M&M joins the colorful candy-coated mix.



Young people continue to follow the wide-leg jeans trend, forsaking tight jeans for a loose baggy fit.



The tattoo craze leads to some regret but recent laser developments keep people from being marked for life. Pulsed laser light, a different wavelength for each color in the tattoo, removes pigment without leaving scars.



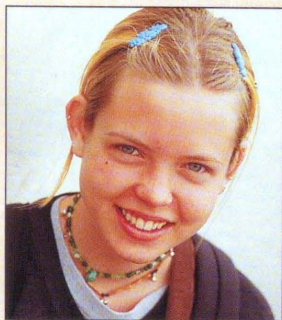
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Americans consume culture and history as attendance at America's 8,000 museums climbs to 600 million per year, more than movie, theater, and sports attendance combined.

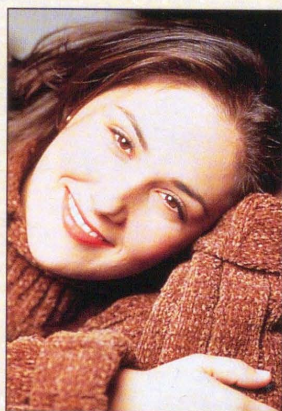
Matthieu Pojak, Sygma



Logo-wear reaches a new level of sophistication. Among the reigning makers of athletic wear, only Nike can spark recognition without the use of its name.



Girly things enjoy a surge in popularity with young women, who wear baby barrettes, knee socks, tiny t-shirts, little jumpers, and funky Maryjanes, and kid around with "Hello Kitty" accessories.



Lynn Goldsmith, L&L

Taking her place among controversial talk-show hosts as the "Oprah for the junior set," Ricki Lake speaks to such concerns as, "Mom, when my boyfriend gets out of jail, I'm taking him back."



The angel message of "fear not" strikes a deep chord with Americans' yearning for spiritual growth and comfort in a stressful time. People enjoy angel collectibles, angel sites on the Internet, and angel books and magazines.



"Some pretty cool people drink milk" is the message carried by a high-profile ad campaign featuring a raft of popular celebrities sporting a white upper lip on behalf of the healthy beverage. The milk-mustache effect is created with latex, a rubber-based paint.

