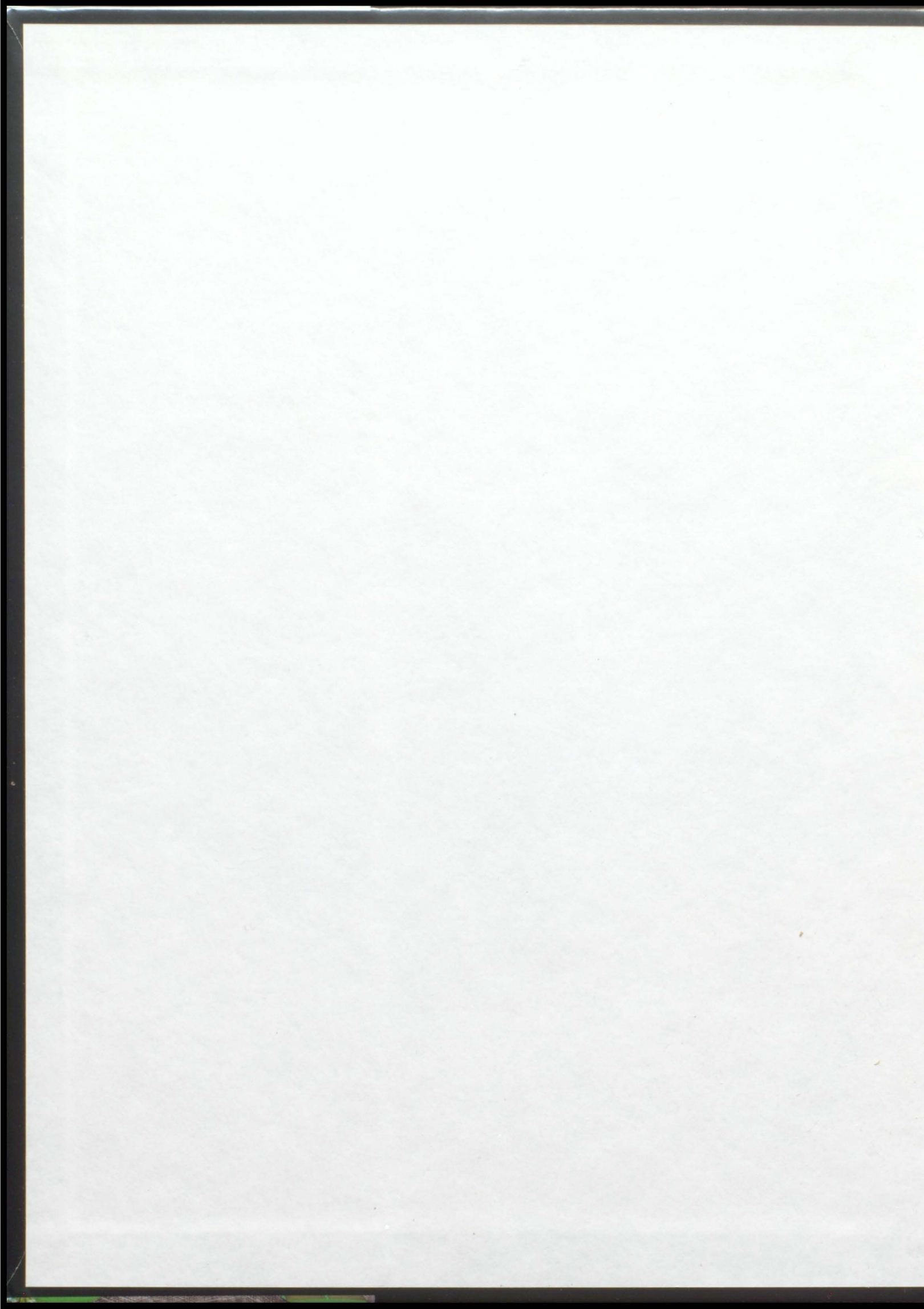


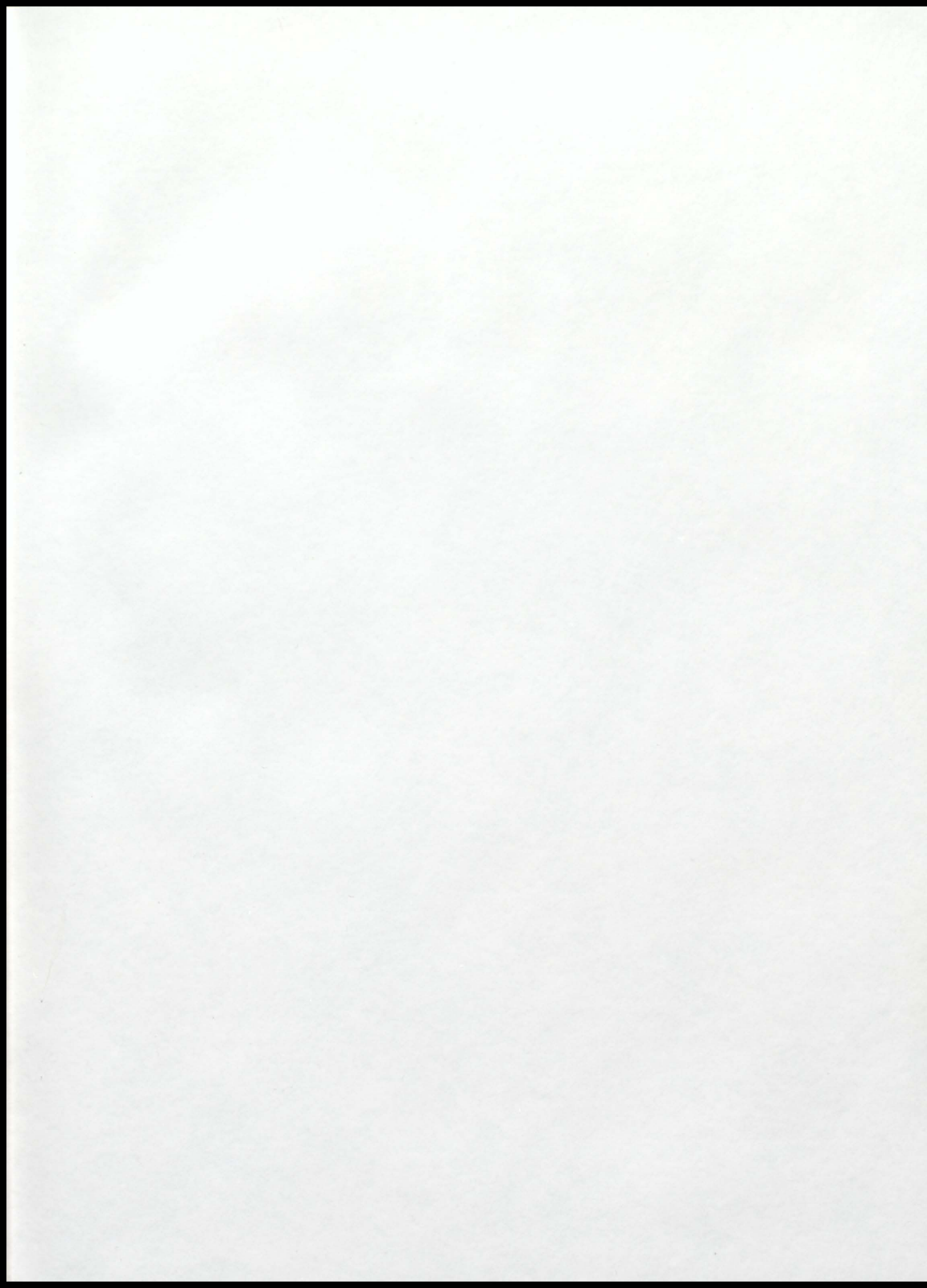
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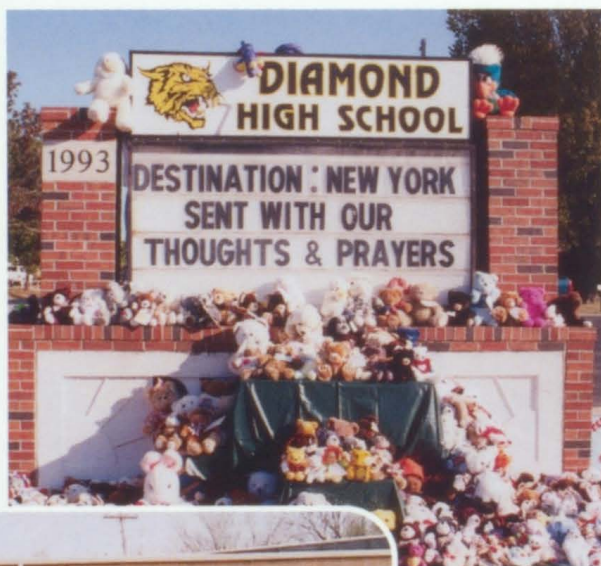
**T**he way it was. The way it is. As the year began, we anticipated our move from high school into the new building, which was still under construction. We knew there would be a change in our perceptions resulting from the move. We expected a renewed sense of pride and excitement about being in a newer, bigger, better school.

What we found was that the greater the expectation, the greater the potential disappointment. Our anticipated move never materialized! So this year's seniors didn't get to be the first class to graduate from the new high school, but they have the distinction of being the last class to graduate from the old school.

In retrospect, the way it was/the way it is hasn't changed as much as we thought it would -- at any rate, our sense of pride is still intact and as strong as ever! The 2001-2002 school year was definitely not a disappointing year....



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1. Krystal Allan marches in practice for the Stockton parade. 2. Diamond Schools gathered stuffed animals to send to New York City for families shaken by the events of Sept. 11. 3. For the first time in school history, Racheal Waggoner, Amanda Jones, and the seniors get to paint their parking spots.



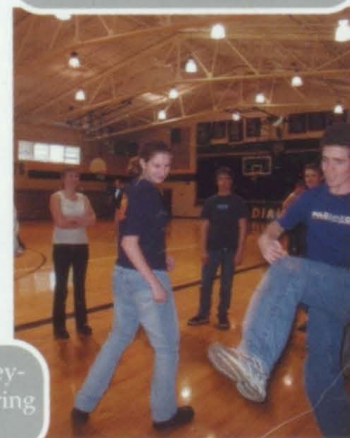
Carla Garoutte collects money at a fund raiser for FFA in Connie Martin's home economics room.



Jeanie Hurn climbs "The Hill" at Roaring River State Park on the Biology trip.

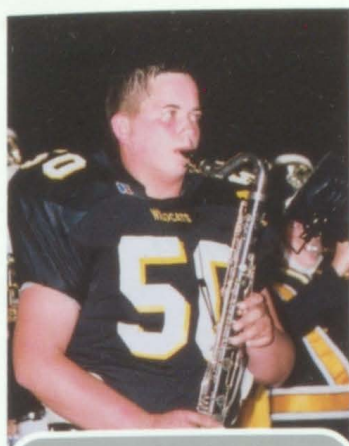


Chelsey Waddell stirs in a mix in Home Economics class.



Students play hackey-sack in the gym during lunch.

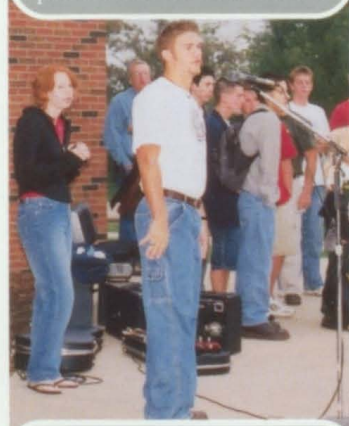




Bobby Taylor plays his saxophone at halftime of the football homecoming game.



Kathy Harrell readies herself for a pitch against Wheaton. Kathy also pitched for the Wildcats.



Skyler Powers speaks to 132 fellow students at the annual See You at the Pole gathering.



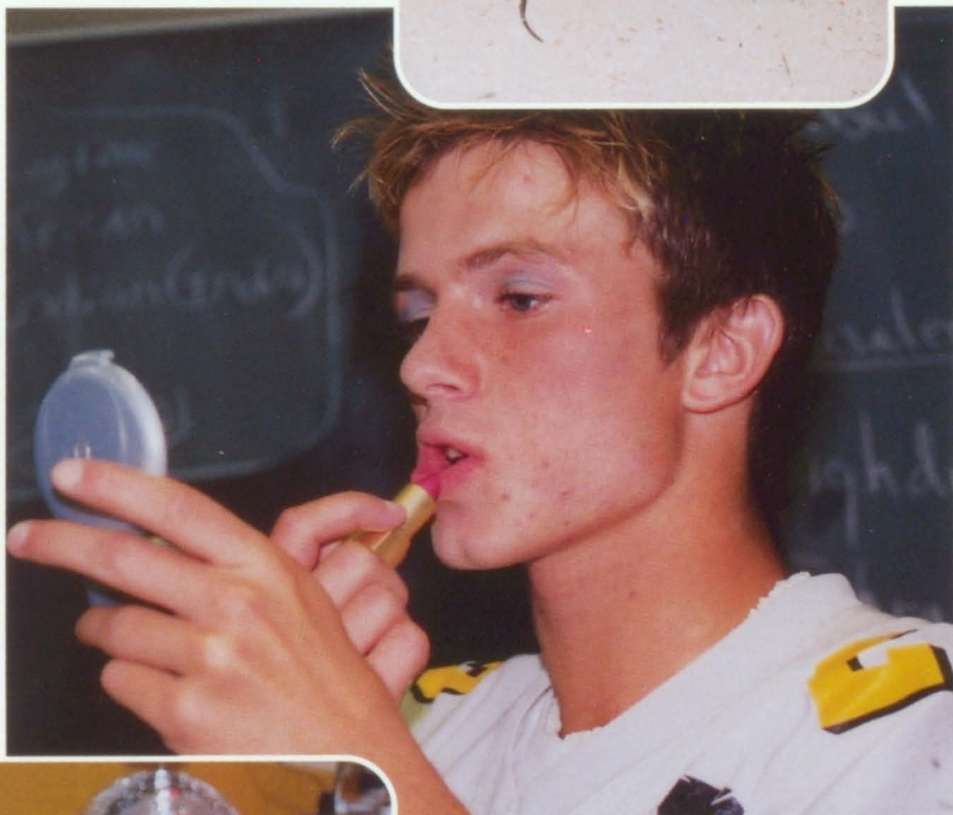
At an assembly dedicated to the events of Sept. 11, Nathan Getz reads an original poem to the student body.

1. While students form a circle around him, Kody Kelso break-dances at the football homecoming dance.

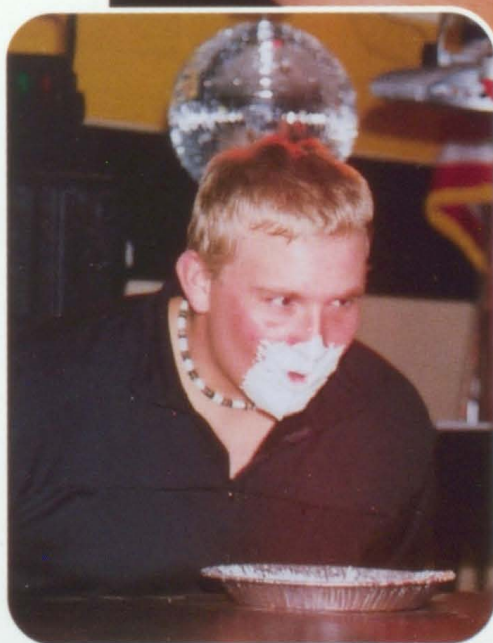
2. Denton Jones applies lipstick for a Psychology demonstration of classical conditioning. 3. The Yearbook staff gets a preview of the commons area in the new school. 4. Cody Daniels competes in a pie eating contest at the football homecoming dance.



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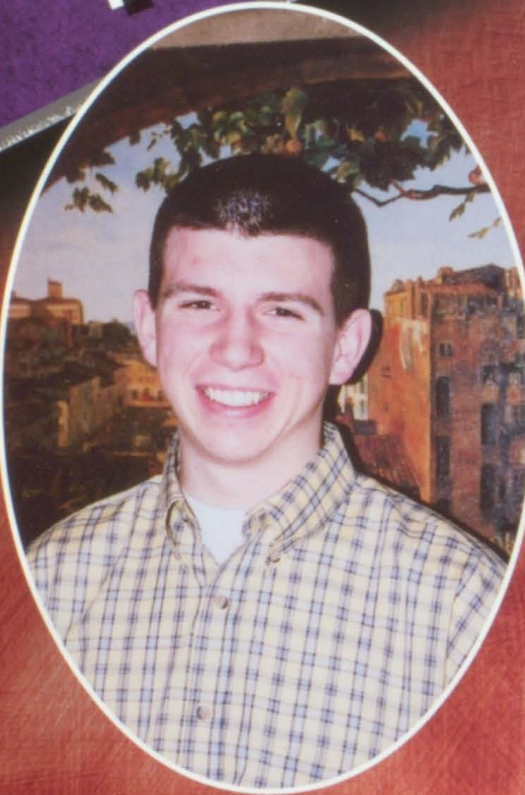


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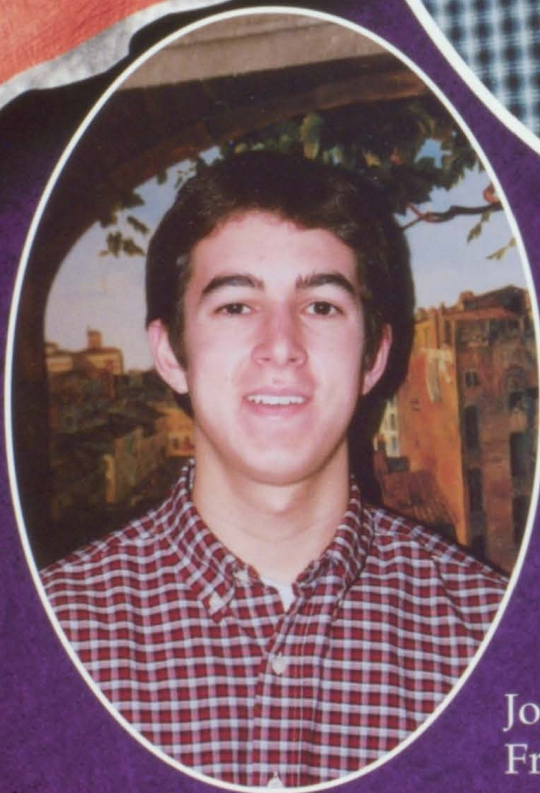
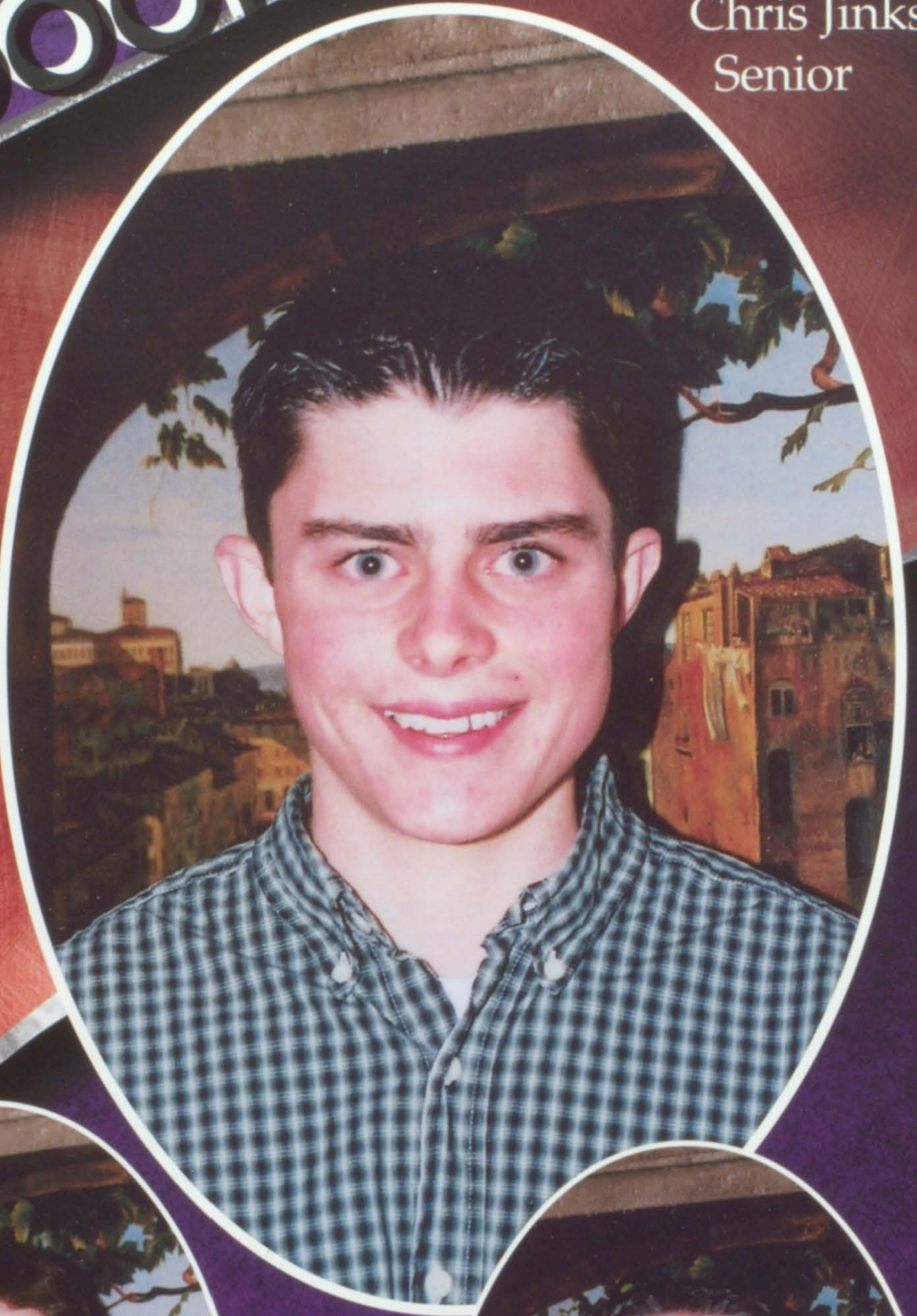


# Yearbook

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Chris Jinks  
Senior



Deke Beckett  
Junior



Greg Feters  
Sophomore



Jordan Macy  
Freshman



**Queen**  
Audra George  
Senior

# Royalty



Rachel Whiteley  
Junior



Megan Kinney  
Freshman



Dezarae Powers  
Sophomore



# Senior Gems

## ① Best Personality

Racheal Waggoner & Denton Jones

## ② Best School Spirit

Jeri Rinehart & Skyler Powers

## ③ Best Dressed

Chelsey Waddell & Ryan Green

## ④ Best Scholars

Krystle Boman & Seth Bingman



## ⑤ Best Athletes

Amanda Farley & Justen Shull

## ⑥ Best Talents

Teresa Stone & Frank Chimero

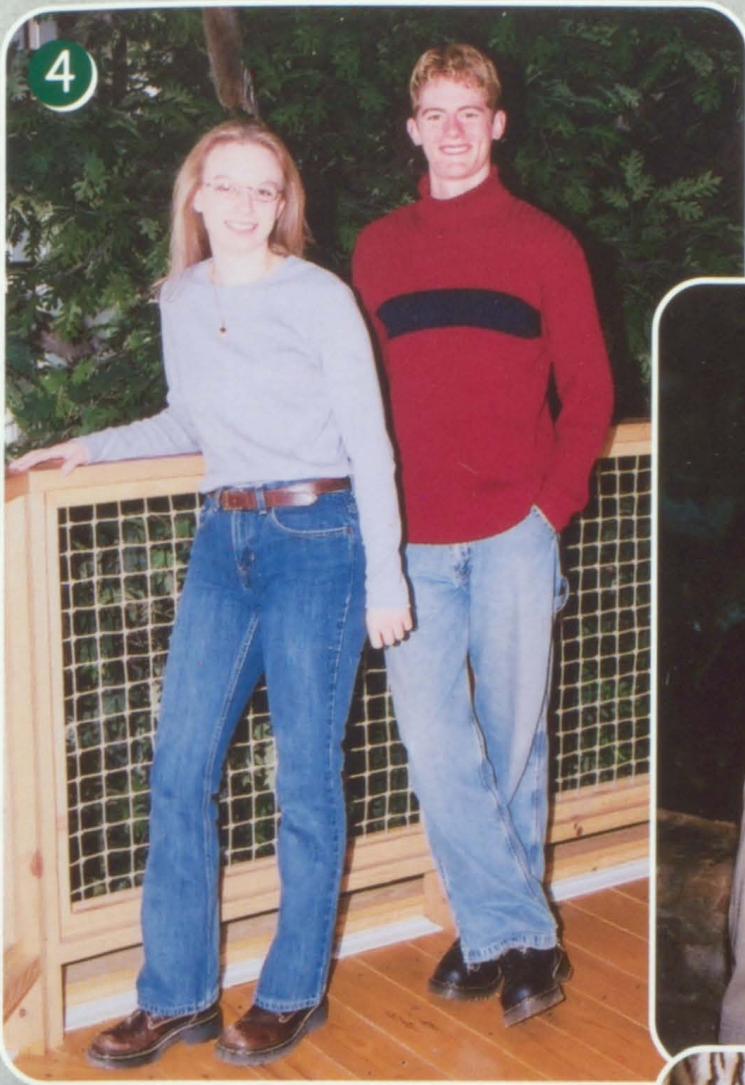
## ⑦ Mr & Miss Diamond

Skyler Powers & Jeri Rinehart





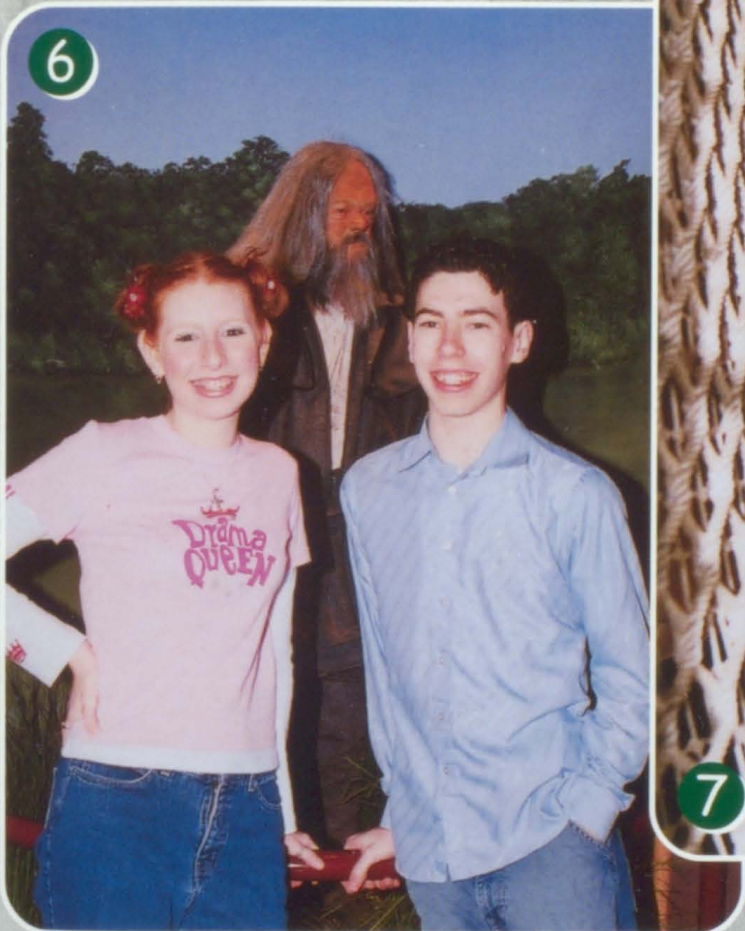
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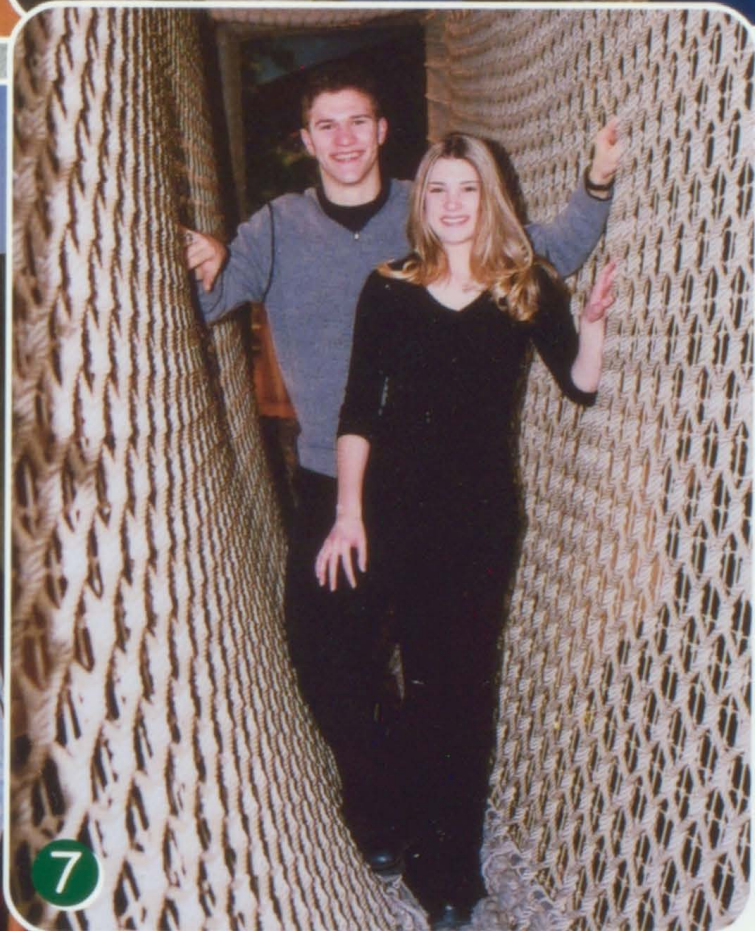
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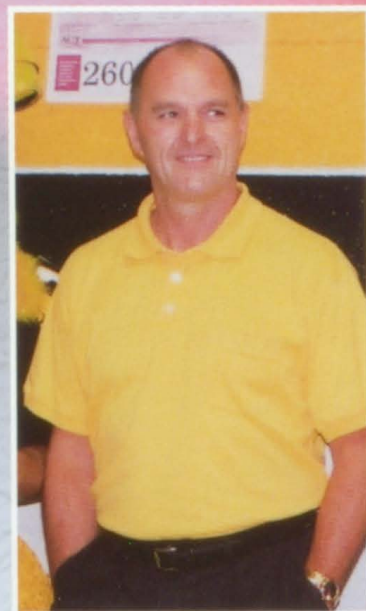
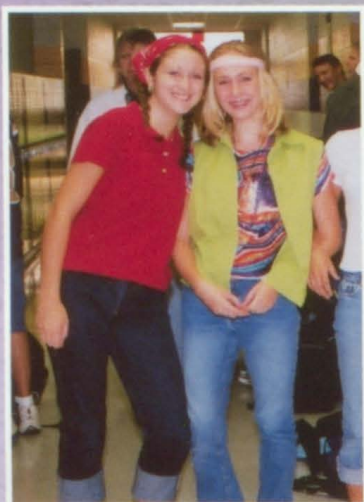




# Football

Powers throws a block for Kyle Kelso.

Atkins and Sarah Simpson show off their sixties outfits on Flashback Day of Spirit Week.



Darrell Tash sports the spirit on Black and Gold Day.



Homecoming Court: front: Rachellé Gilliam, Jennifer Ferguson, Heather Leake, Dezaræ Powers, Megan Atkins; back: Kody Kelso, Denton Jones, Skyler Powers, Jake VanLue, Anthony Shipman.



Rob Lundien, director, leads the band in playing "Barbara Ann" during a timeout.



# Homecoming



Zack Cope turns the corner after a quick screen pass.

Amanda Farley and Chelsey Waddell are prepared to catch all the animals on Jungle Day.



Aaron Smith and Kathy Harrell are "twinky" twinkies for Twinky Day.



Cody Daniels, Kelso, and Rachel Whiteley, assisted by Ashley Shelton, race to find the bubble gum in the whip cream and be the first to blow a bubble. Daniels won the competition.



Leake and Powers are all smiles after being crowned Football Homecoming Queen and King.

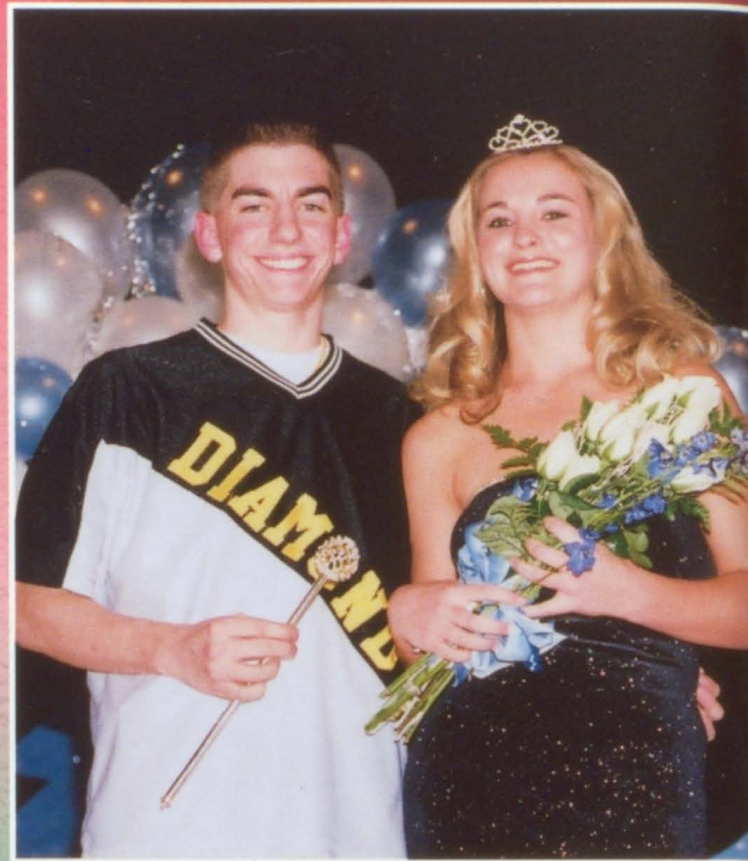
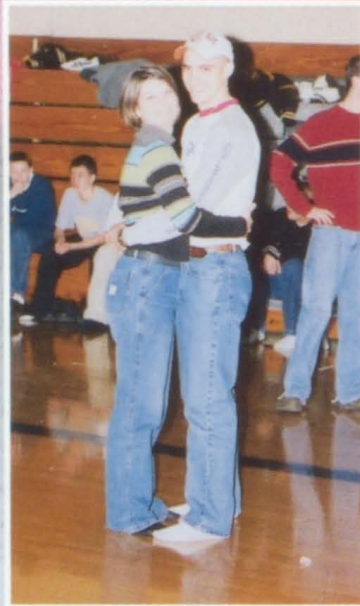


# Basketball

Ryan Jones and Amanda Farley are crowned King and Queen.

Tara Danner and Jared Addington hit the floor for a slow song.

Hannah Nelson, Sarah Hale, and Chrissy Hail donned duct tape for the day.



The candidates compete in a cherry-pushing-with-your-nose-through-whipped-cream-to-see-who-is-the-most-honorable-and-courageous-of-them-all-contest.



Terry Bessman gets back and Skyler Powers gets rebound position as Rusty Gibbs goes up for two.

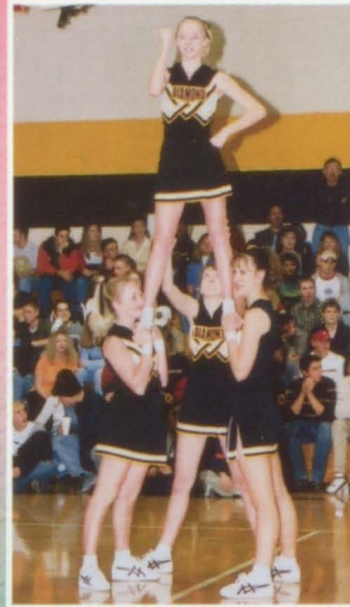


# Homecoming

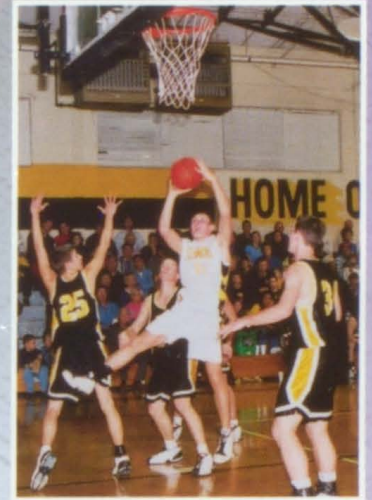


Powers is ready to assist Farley as he moves in for the basket.

The cheerleaders perform a stunt during halftime of the varsity game.



Justen Shull gets by three defenders for the easy bucket.



Homecoming Court: Josh Beckett, Sarah Simpson, Casey Holland, Jessi Youngblood, Bubby Farley, Ashley Parker, Ryan Jones, Chelsey Waddell, Ryan Green, Amanda Farley.











# A blast from the class

1. Sitting with his dog, Hershey, and holding a banded goose, Kyle Kelso sits with his 18 trophies in Chyenne Bottom, KS. 2. On opening day of deer rifle season, Deke and Josh Beckett hold their seven point buck and doe, respectively. They shot their deer in Sarcoxie, MO at there grandparent's home. 3. In Pleasant Hill, MO, Rachel Coker comes out with a first place finish in the barrels.



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After the eight and a half mile run in Austrailia is over, Kent Patrick jogs back to his USA team.



On a missions trip with the Diamond Christian Church, Justin Taylor takes time out for a picture with the local kids.

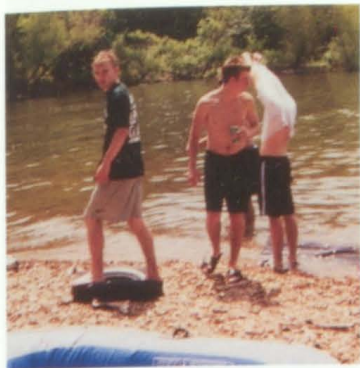


Meghan Drake and Chaunda Blankeship sit in Meghan's truck making some phone calls before going to Main St. in Joplin.



Starting out as the bullpen catcher, Skyler Powers goes on to catch in the championship game of the USA Tournament of Stars.





When the month of July comes, Justin Lane, Justin Mosley, and Elliot Sutherland fish, tube, and ski near Patricia Island.



After sneaking backstage, Amanda Farley sits with Kenny Chesney at his concert in Pittsburg, KS in November



Before starting their 3rd Annual dance recital, Stephanie Barwick (right) and her Center Stage Dance Company partner wait to perform 30 dance routines.

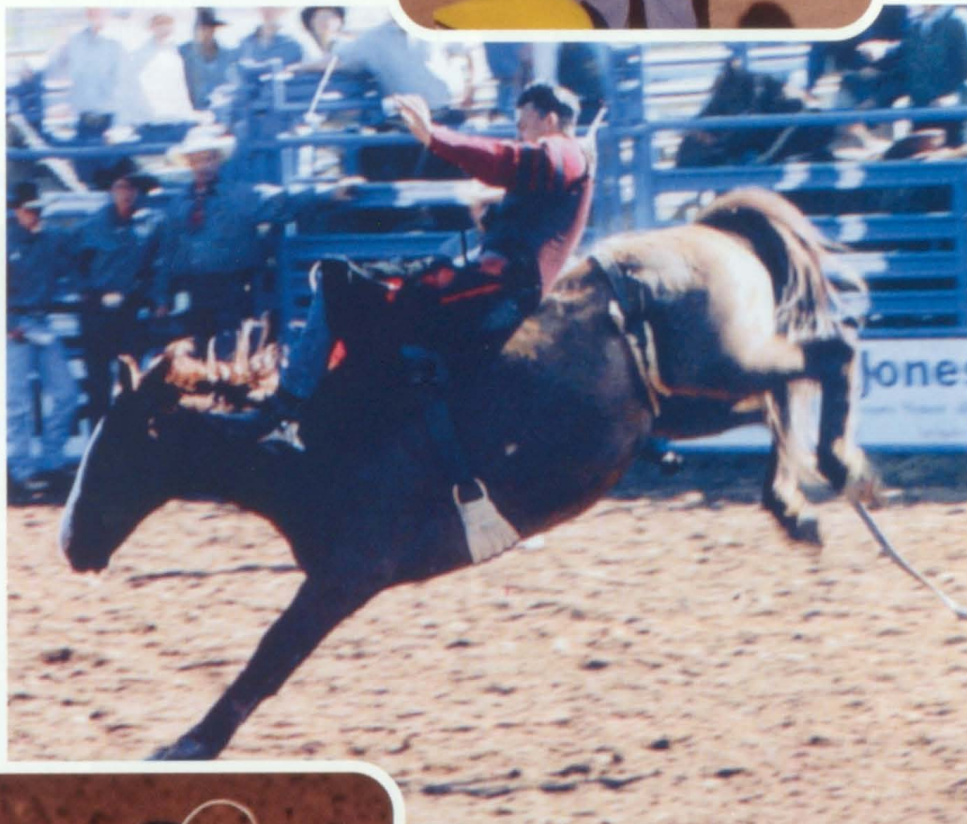


During the summer, Lindsey Tutor and T. J. Holland prepare to dismount onto the rope swing after arriving at Wildcat Park.

1. Learning to see the world with a different perspective, Cheryl Johnson stands with her father's plane, which she flies. 2. Competing in the IFYRA bronc riding contest, Derek Cullum said he was doing what he loved. 3. On a Photography Group trip to the Renaissance Festival, Kristina Buerge and Katie Holmes get a picture with the King of England. 4. Holding the goat's feet, Kristi Coker prepares to put the final tie on during the IFYRA contest in Shawnee, Okla.



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# Take My Picture!

**Matt Harp, Addie Whitehead,  
Frank Chimero, Seth Bingman**



**Aaron Smith, Bob Taylor**



Almost everyone, at one time or another, has held a camera at arm's length and taken a picture of him or herself. Why do we turn the camera on ourselves and take our own picture? Why not ask someone else to take the picture? The answer is that we don't really know why. It's fun. It's silly. It's tradition!



**Melissa Bishop, Megan Kinney**



**Dusty Newsum, Zack Billings**



**Becca Jones, Amanda Brown**



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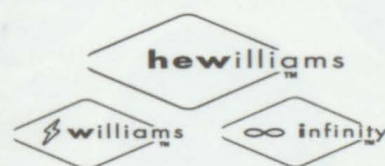
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# Academics





Todd Forest works on the clock he is building as his Industrial Woods project.

Third hour, Terry Bessman, John Cendroski, and James Riediger test the weight of the blimp the Physics class made as their final project.



Zack Cope plants various seeds in the garden for first hour Biology II.

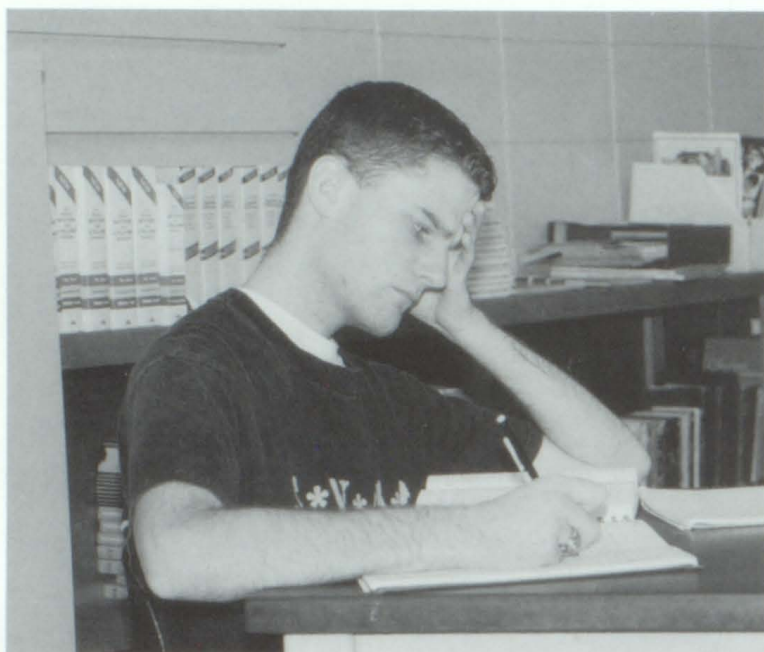
Kenzie Greenwood shows her Nutrition and Wellness class the proper way to prepare a chicken.



Whitney Brushwood and Cara (Abblet) Clark study the effects of static electricity.



Justin Taylor answers questions from his Writer's Reference book in English 101.



Katie Holmes and Amos Carrick dissect a pig for Biology II.

Cheryl Johnson takes notes in Trigonometry class.





Jordan Macy works in the computer lab on an American History project.



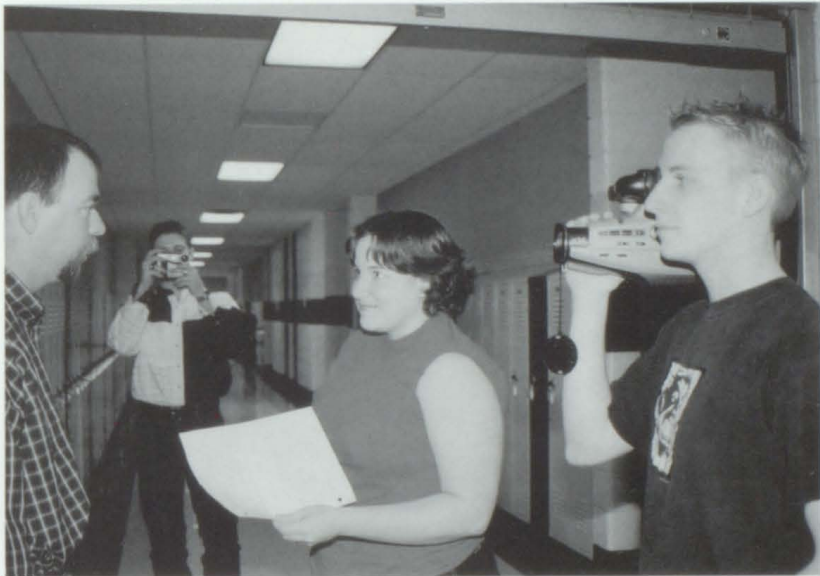
Kyle Castor, Amanda Brewer, and Sarah Hale respond to questions "en español" in Spanish I.



Julia Price-Allison explains a math concept to Lindsay Wawrzyniak, Amanda Brown, Whitney Brushwood and Melissa Gallagher.



Andy Bradley pumps iron on the stage in weights.



Richard Curran is the "Man on the Street" for American Government students Tara Creekmore and Jason Little. In the background, Skyler Powers records the action for *The Prowl*.

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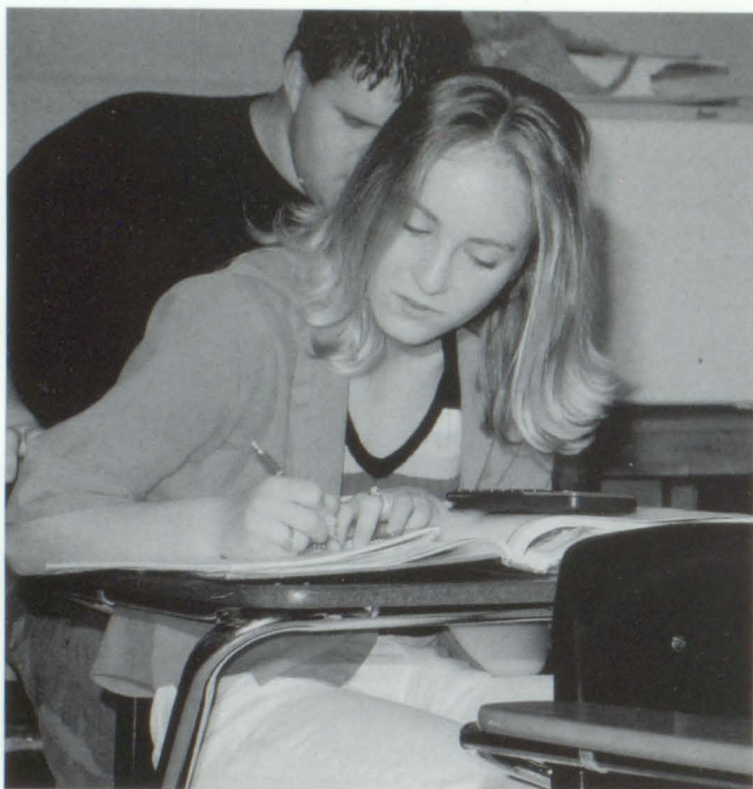
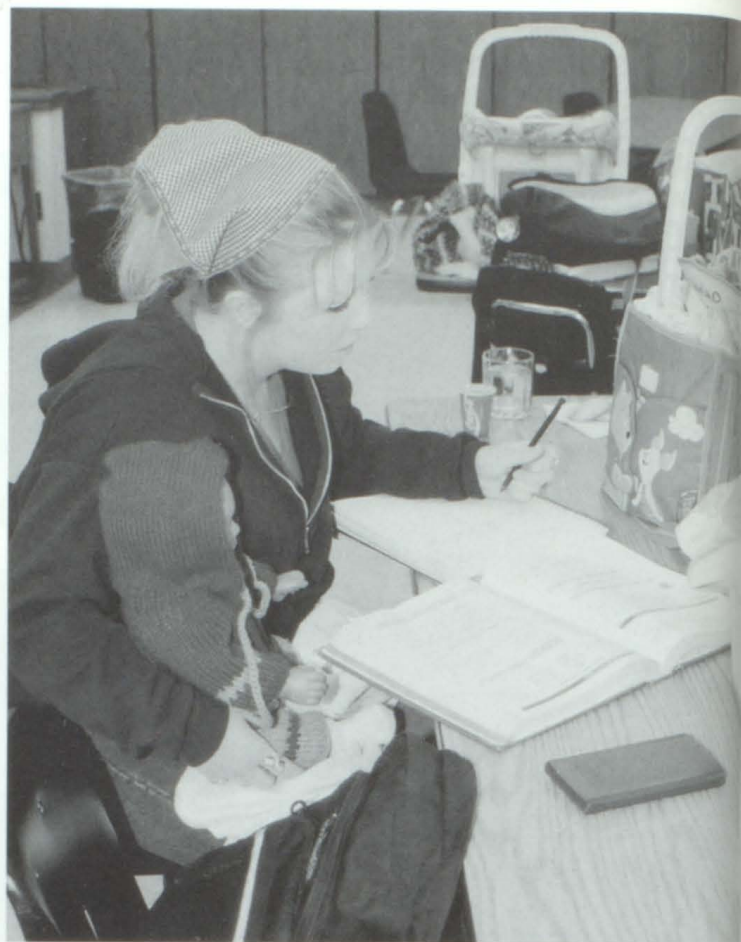
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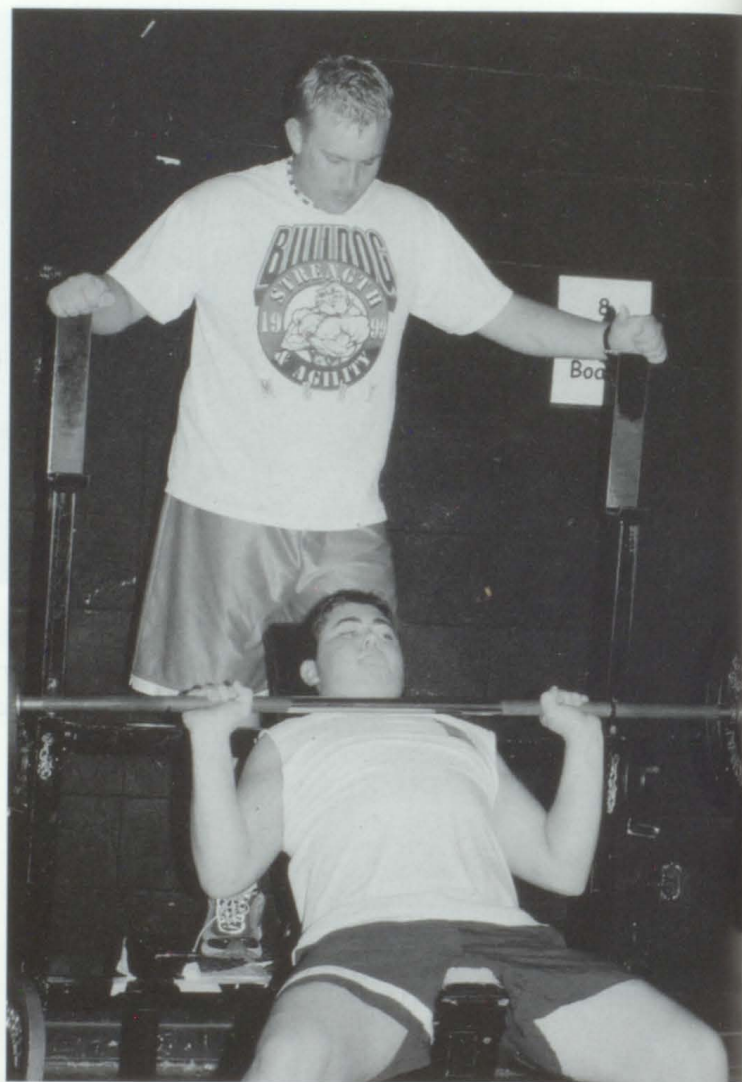
Ashley Shelton looks over some home work while holding her "Baby Think It Over" for her Child Development class.

Ashley Richardson utilizes "operant conditioning" in the form of Snickers bars to reward Denton Jones for successfully learning a new skill in Psychology.



Sarah Simpson works on her American Government assignment.

Cody Daniels spots Nate Getz in first hour weight lifting.

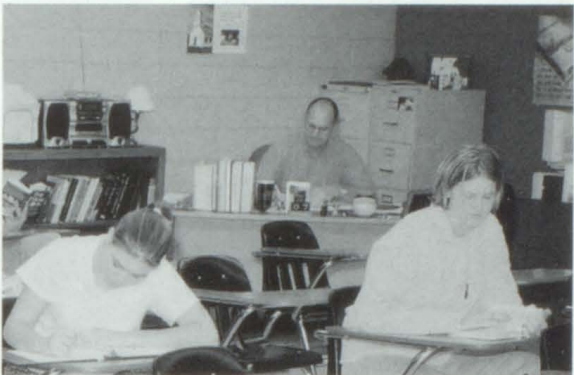




Nicki Bunn and Renee Forest keep an eye on their biology experiment.



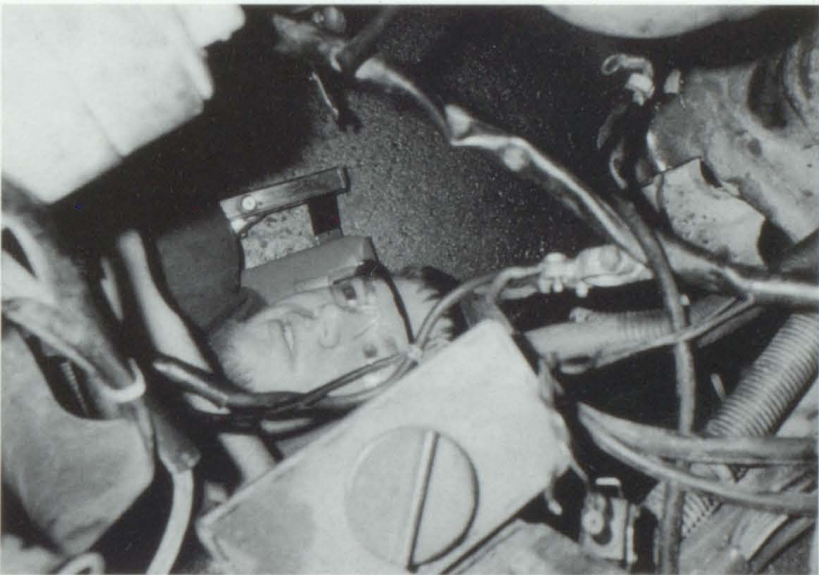
Danial Brown completes a General Business worksheet in reviewing for a test.



Holly Renfro and Stephanie Barnett study in Darrell Tash's Language Arts II.



Amanda Jones, an office aid in the elementary, picks up absentee slips.



Justin DeGonia works on an engine in his vo-tech class.

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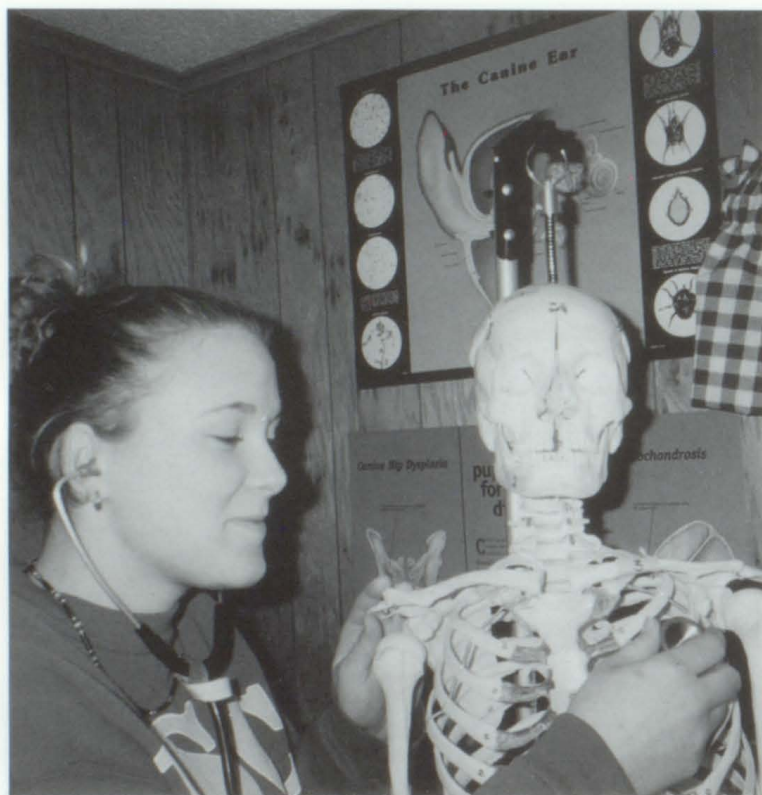
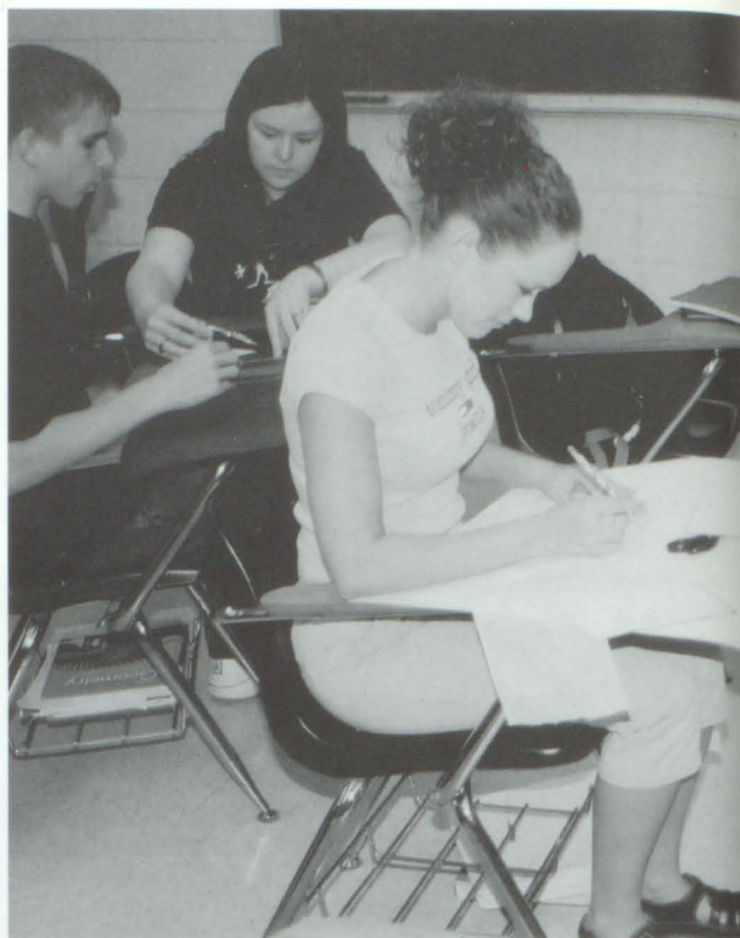
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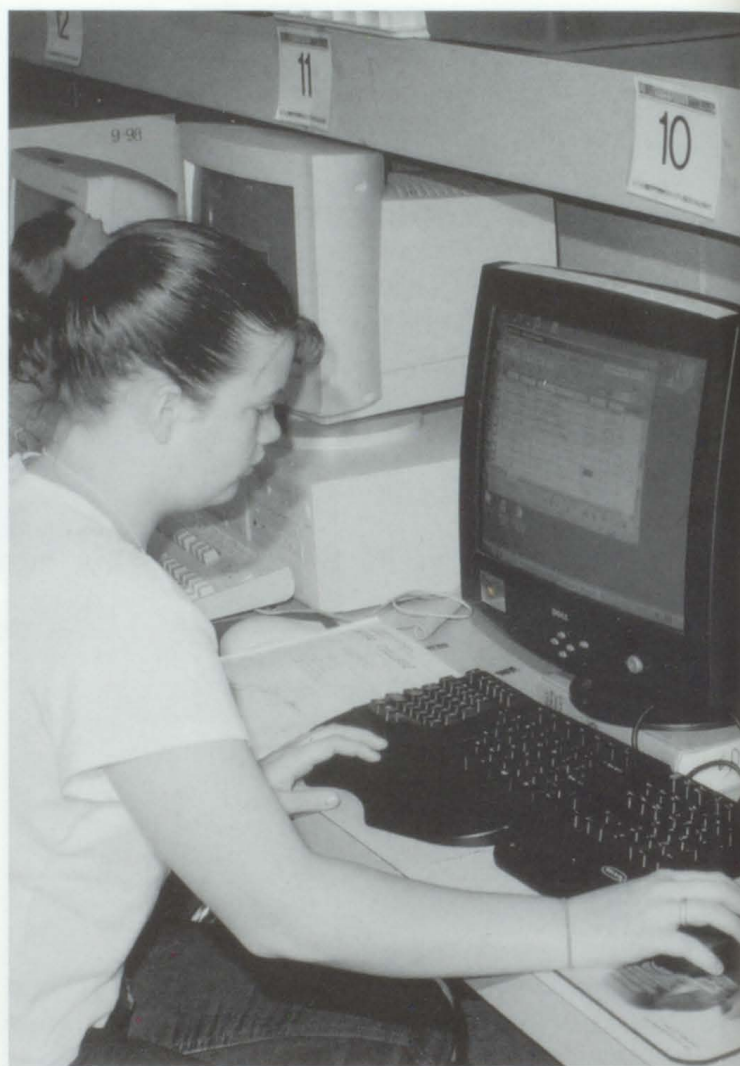
Shawn Buzzard, Amanda Brown, and Brittany Gilliam draw out patterns for their parts of the the Geometyry class quilt.

Isaac Drake, Zach Weaver, Nathan Long, Zack Testerman, Kristen Long, and Jeff Carr find that coop-  
erative effort speeds up the completion of a crossword.



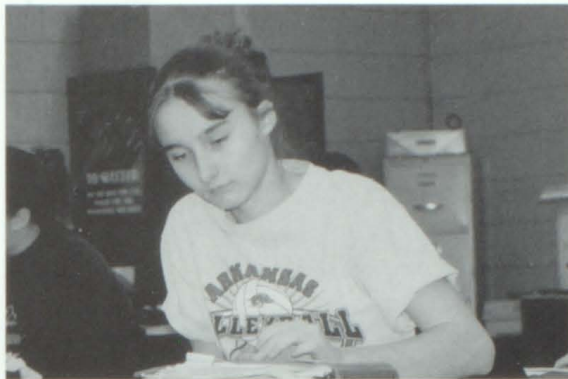
Kristina Buerge uses the skeleton to show her vo-tech nursing class that she knows where to place a stethoscope to to listen to a heart.

Courtney Payton creates a table in keyboarding.





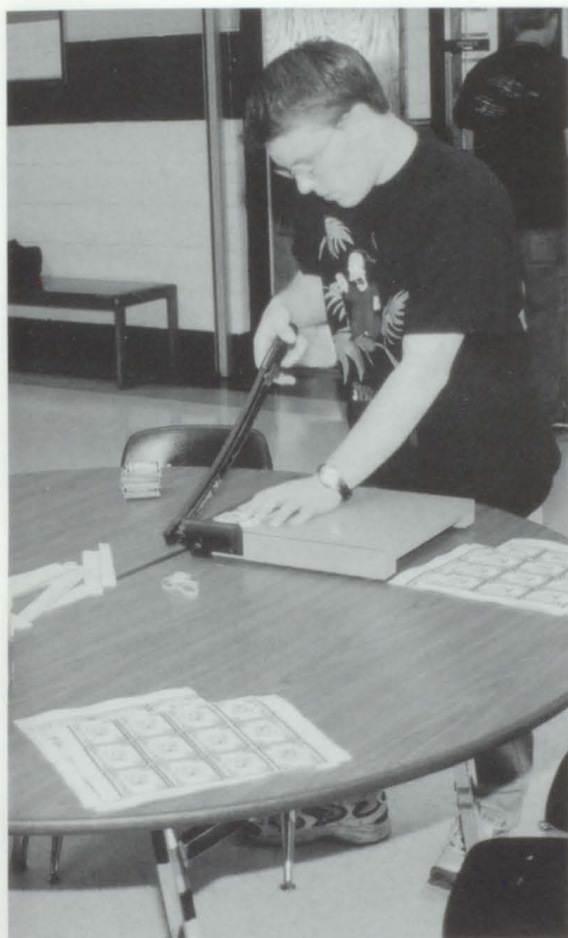
Becca Jones fills a birdfeeder for the garden that the Biology II class is helping plant.



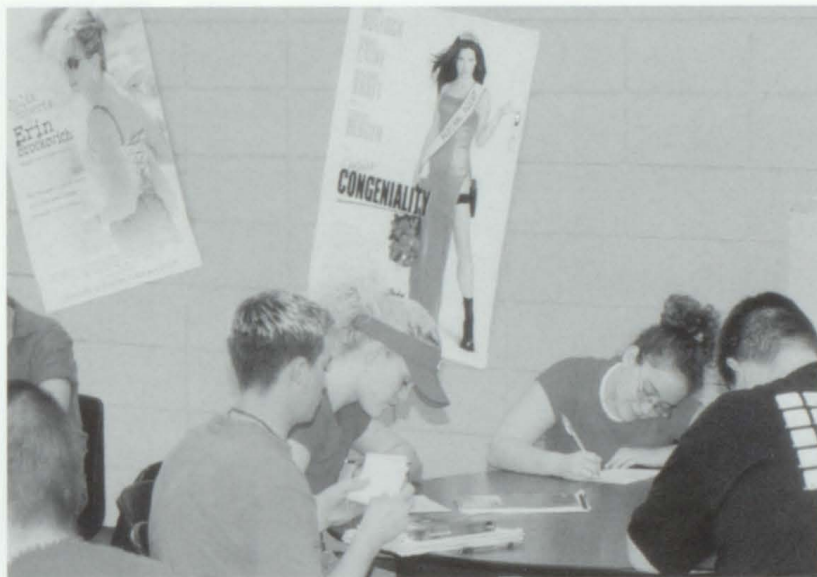
Falicia Phipps works on an Algebra II problem.



Kelli Price looks up information for an American Government assignment.



Nate Billings, counselor's aide, cuts M.A.P. bucks during 1st hour.



Bubby Farley, Rachel Whiteley, and Carla Garoutte create notecards for their Language Arts II research papers.

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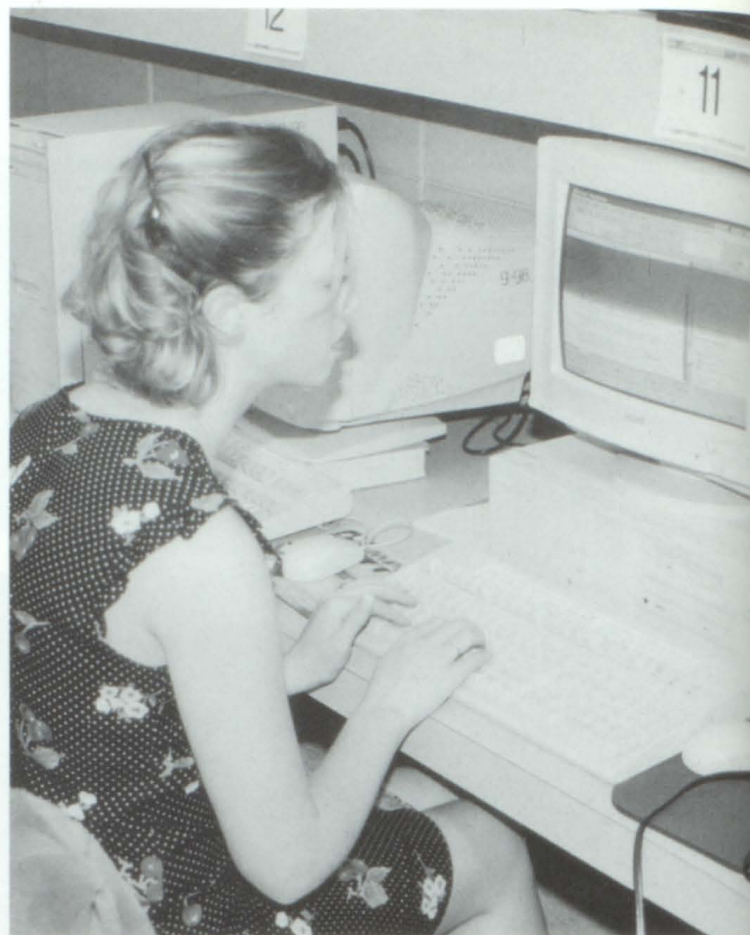
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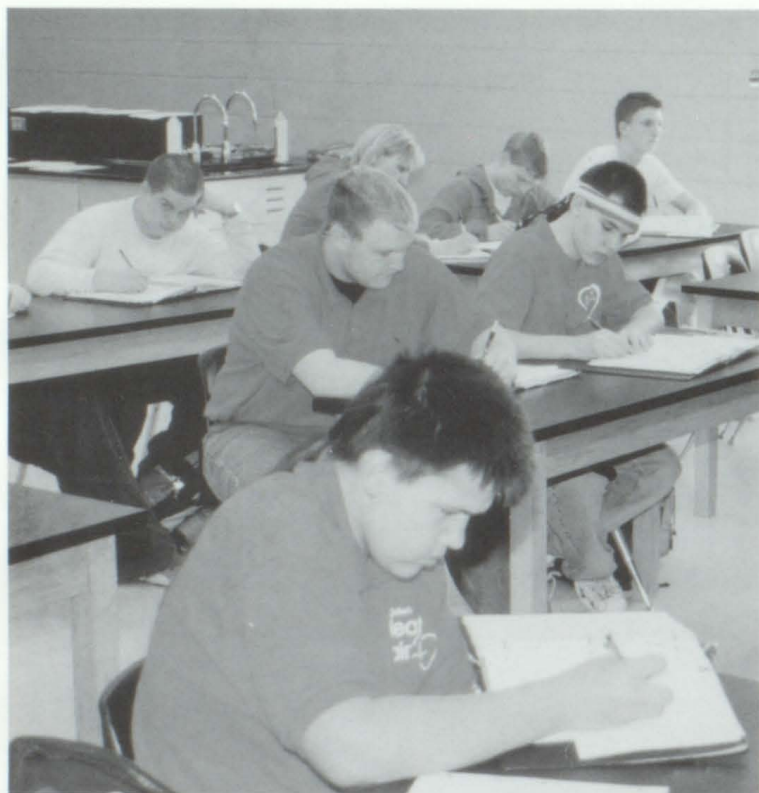
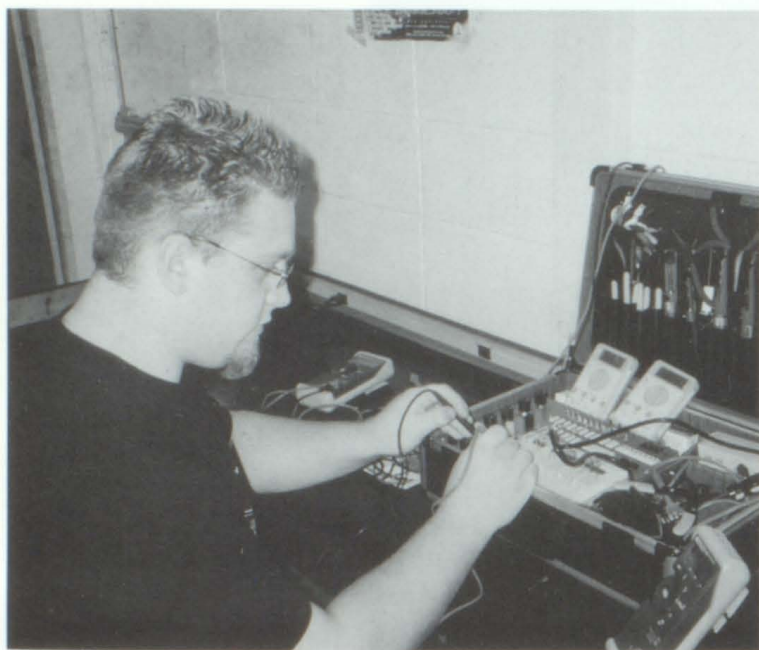
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Audra George formats a business letter in Business Tech.



Jason Baker checks the voltage on various connecting wires in his vo-tech class.



Mike'l Jackson, Josh Gill, Brent Jackson, Joey Garrison, Jonathan Cook, and Kyle Bridges take notes in Mrs. Kirk's Integrated Science class.

Jeremy Thomas sprays a clear coat on the guitar he is making in Industrial Woods.





Snoopy sings and dances for supper during the second act of "You're A Good Man Charlie Brown."



The cast of "You're A Good Man Charlie Brown:" Teresa Stone (Lucy), Justin Taylor (Schroeder), Shirley Gollhofer (director), Andrew Hoffman (Charlie Brown), Denton Jones (Linus), Emily Petty (Patty), Racheal Waggoner (Snoopy).



Taylor, Stone, Hoffman and Lyndsey Tuter act out fractured fairy tales in the play, "Right Before Your Eyes."



Lucy plays psychiatrist and listens to Charlie Brown tell her all of his problems.



The cast of "Plaza Suite" performed at Crowder College: Stone, Audra George, Gollhofer, Adam Alford, and Taylor.

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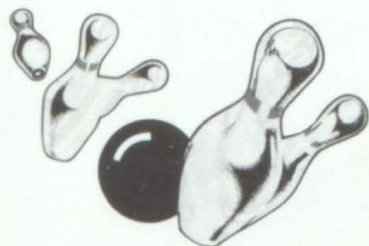
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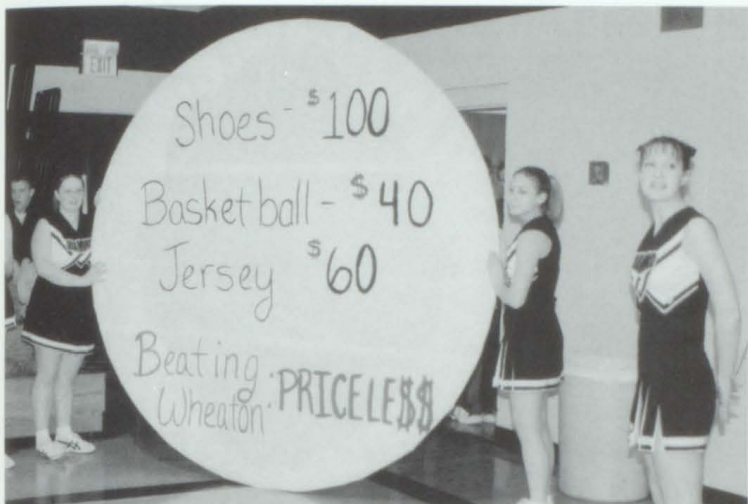




# More Numbers, More Spirit



Roxy, J. Hail, Price, and Beau involve the crowd in a cheer. Cheerleaders attend football games to help cheer the boys.



Cheerleaders design a spirit ring for the players to run through before each game. Forest and Clouse hold the ring for the boys before the Wheaton game while Price waits for fans to help welcome the team.



Football: front: mascot Corey Stripling, Brittany McBride, mascot Heather Barnett; middle: Candace Clouse, Renee Forest; back: Jackie Hail, Kelli Price, Coach Kimber Cook, Melissa Gallagher, Dezi Powers.



Powers is tossed up in a stunt performed during a timeout at a home basketball game.



Forest and C. Hail try to get the crowd involved during a timeout at the NEO tournament.



Performing a stunt during a football game at Strafford, McBride, J. Hail, and Powers "fly" as Clouse, Forest, and Price hold them and Gallagher spots J. Hail.



Basketball: front: Powers, Price; middle: J. Hail, Chrissy Hail; back: Coach Cook, Clouse, Gallagher, Forest, mgr Whitney Brushwood.

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# Cross Country

## Leading The Pack

Harp(#134) runs at the State Championships. He finished 16th, earning All State Honors.

## J.V. Sets The Pace

Crane, Jinks, and Buzzard stick together while running at Southwest. The J.V. helps push Varsity runners by challenging them for a varsity spot.



Front: Matt Sutherland, Addie Whitehead, Jeannie Hurn, Chrissy Hail, Rikki Dardenne, Jordan Macy; middle: Korey Scribner, Elliot Sutherland, Casey Crane, Tracy Killion, Josh Beckett, Zach Billings, Kyle Bridges; back: Chris Jinks, Matt Harp, Justin Lane, Kent Patrick, Deke Beckett, Shawn Buzzard, Coach Larry Cunningham.





Bingman sets his pace at the State Championships. He was the second Wildcat to cross the finish line, helping his team to earn fifth place. He was awarded the Sportmanship Award at the end of the year by his teammates.



## Meet Results

Meet	Placing
Monett	tie 3rd
Nixa	3rd
East Newton	4th
Purdy @ Monett	1st
Conference	2nd
Carl Junction	
@ M.S.S.C.	4th
Southwest	tie 2nd
Dia. Invitational	1st
Wheaton	1st
Districts	2nd
STATE	5th



Harp(center) recieved his All State medal at the state meet. He was the first Wildcat to cross the finish line.



Patrick, Bingman, Beckett, Lane, and Harp sprint out into the lead at the Diamond Invitational. Diamond won the meet, placing 4 runners in the top 6 spots.



Whitehead runs at the state championship meet. She finished 143rd at state, the only girl runner on the team to qualify for state.

The Junior Varsity team lines up at the starting line, awaiting the gun to begin their race at the Diamond Invitational meet.



# A Turn Around Season



"The kids gave us an opportunity to have a successful season. It was a total team effort."  
Coach Brad Hocker

Jones, Kelso, Powers, and Gibbs lead the way down the hill to the field. The Wildcats finished the season 6 and 5, their first winning season ever.



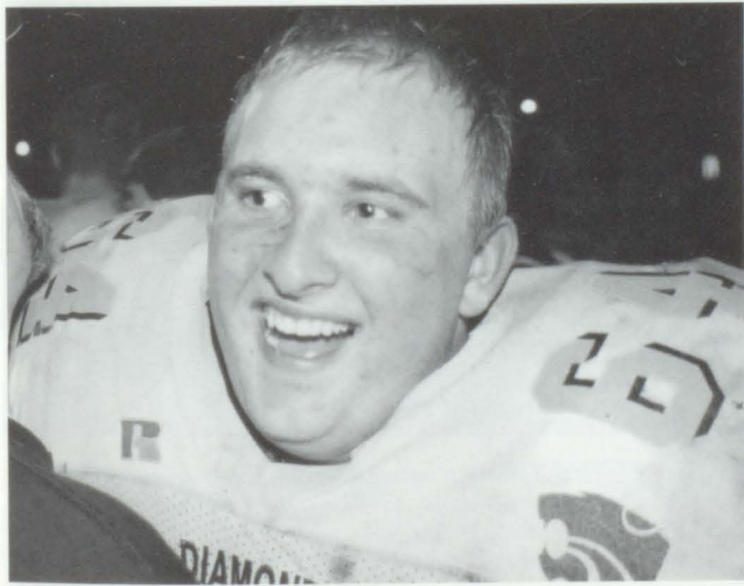
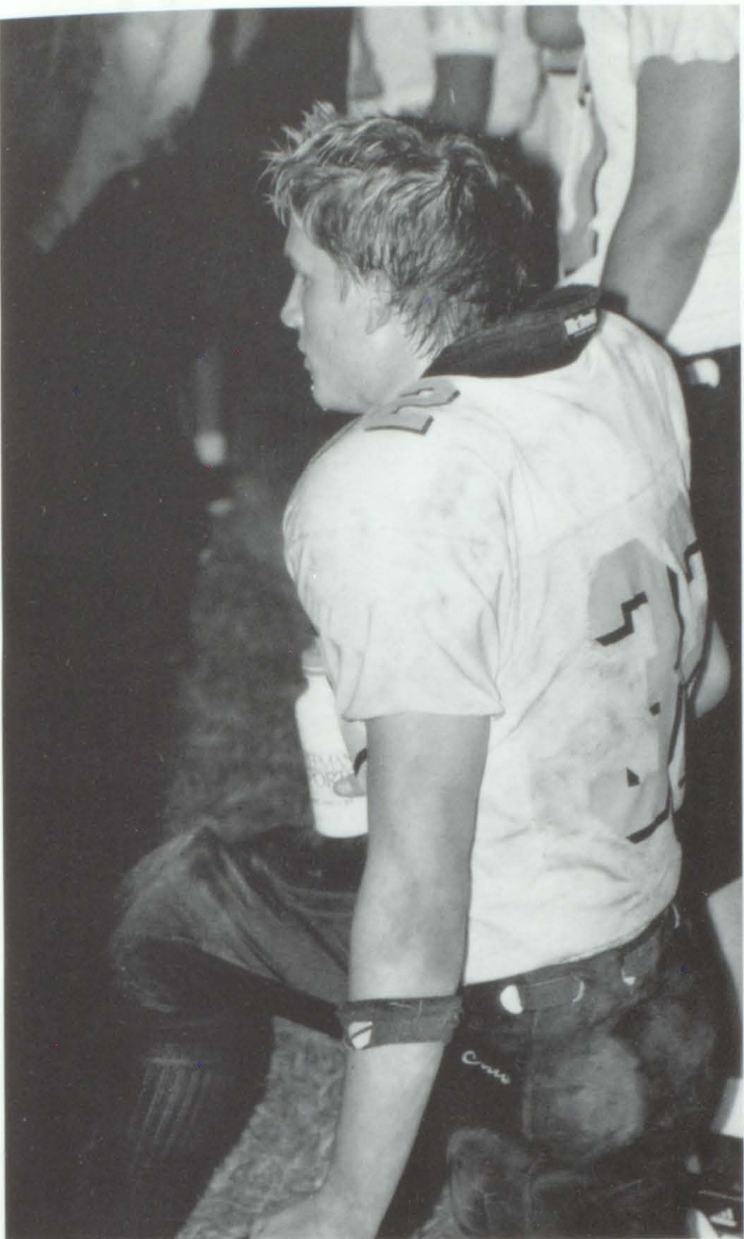
Powers, the leading rusher for the Wildcats, breaks through the Greenfield defense. Powers rushed for 176 total yards against Greenfield.

Addington listens closely to Coach Grant Reed as he tells Addington to switch up the defense.





Kelso takes a knee on the sideline to take a break as the offense takes the field. Kelso played nose guard and tailback throughout the season.



# Score Box

	Us	Them
Pierce City	6	20
Fair Grove	7	18
Ash Grove	0	38
Oswego	26	20
Strafford	31	37
Osage	28	0
Sarcoxie	47	12
Miller	33	0
Greenfield	26	22
Pierce City	26	24
Lockwood	6	48



Jones positions himself to run the ball back on a kickoff return against Greenfield.



Cope returns a ball in the final game at home against Lockwood. Cope finished the year as Diamond's leading receiver, tallying over 500 yards total.



Daniels reacts to the Cat's win against Timothy Mathews; middle: Coach Grant Reed, Randy Pierce City, Callis, Josh Gill, Ryan Waggoner, Andy Bradley, Grant Gibbs, Greg Feters, Anthony Shipman, Bobby Taylor, Kody Kelso; back: Coach Joe Douglas, Jared Addington, Skyler Powers, Cody Daniels, Zack Cope, Denton Jones, Rusty Gibbs, David Long, Zack Weaver, Daniel Brown, Kyle Kelso, Coach Brad Hocker.





"We started off slow but showed a lot of improvement late in the year going 5-3 in our last eight games."  
-Coach DeWitt

# Foundation In Process Softball



Most valuable player Brummett pitches the ball during a junior varsity game at Diamond. Buerge waits in the outfield for the hit. This was Buerge's first year to play softball for the Wildcats, while Brummett is a second year letter winner.



Farley rounds the bases on her way to homeplate during a game against Stafford. Farley has lettered in the sport for three years.



Harrell waits for the pitch during the competition at Diamond against Carl Junction.



During a home game against Wheaton, Waddell throws the ball to first baseman, Drake, to try and get the out. The Wildcats won the game 19-6.



Front: Chelsey Waddell, Amanda Farley; middle: Chrissy Hail, Nicki Bunn, Kathy Harrell, Meghan Drake, Carla Garoutte, Robin Bullis, Amanda Ferguson; back: Coach Racheal Madden, Rikki Dardenne, Meagan Wirth, Kristina Buerge, Ashley Brummett, Brandi Rifenberg, Erica Welch, Coach Danny DeWitt.

# Game Results

	Us	Them
Monett	17	15
Seneca	3	9
Purdy	1	11
Carl Junction	0	16
Miller	3	15
Carthage	0	15
Miller	10	11
Lamar	0	10
Ash Grove	0	13
Ozark	4	8
Purdy	1	5
Stafford	2	8
Wheaton	19	6
Wheaton	7	5
Monett	12	9
Cassville	13	1
Wheaton	2	3
East Newton	2	12
Miller	3	2
Ash Grove	1	9



After taking first place at the Cassville tournament, Drake receives a game ball from Coach DeWitt. Drake hit two grand slams and a home run during the tournament.



Second baseman Waddell prepares to throw the ball to first during the second inning of a home game against Carl Junction.



Welch tosses the ball to Wirth during a junior varsity game at Diamond. Wirth said that she enjoyed softball more this season because they worked better as a team. "Even though we didn't win that much, it was still a good season."



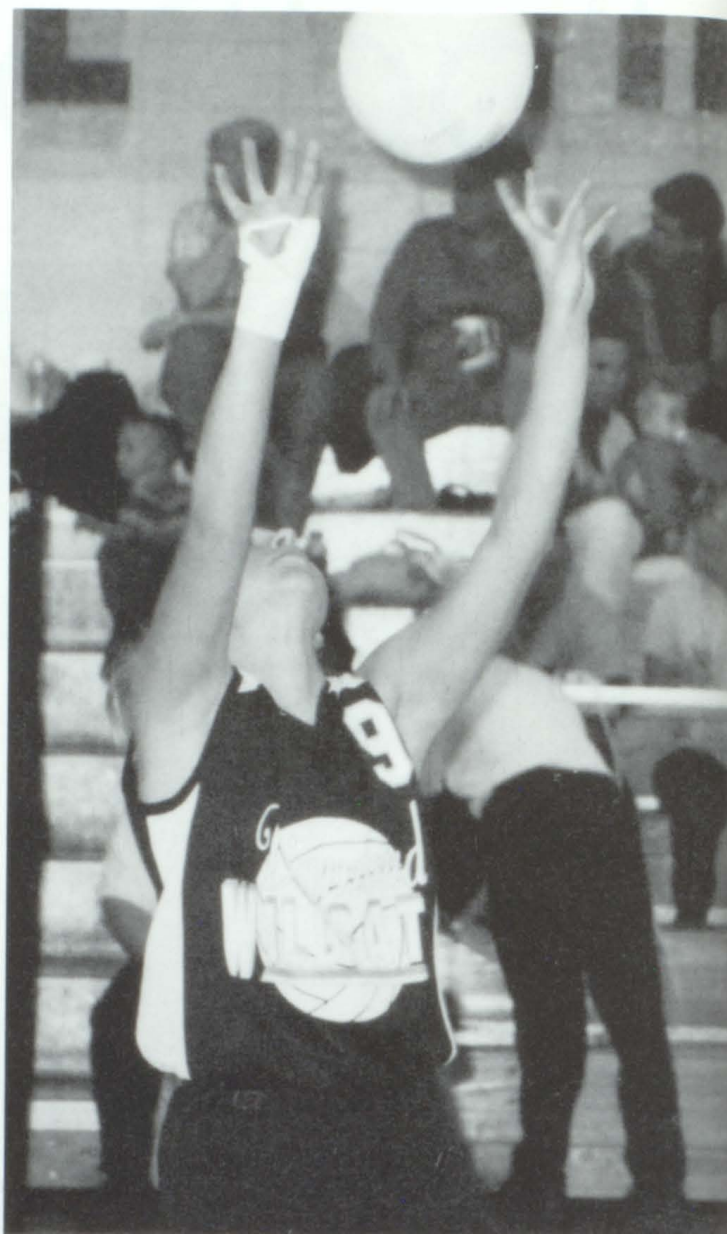
# Score Box

	Us	Them			
Jasper	2	0	Verona	2	0
Sarcoxie	2	0	Exeter	2	0
Neosho	2	1	McDonald Co.	2	0
Thomas Jefferson	2	0	Wheaton	2	0
Mt. Vernon	0	2	Carthage	2	1
Buffalo	2	0	Cabool	2	0
Glendale	2	1	Lamar	2	0
Willard	0	2	Cassville	2	0
McAuley	2	0	Neosho	0	2
Joplin	2	1	East Newton	1	2
College Hts.	2	0	Pierce City	2	0
Southwest	2	0	Purdy	2	0
Southwest	2	0	Nevada	1	2
Carthage	2	0	Pierce City	2	0
McDonald Co.	2	0	East Newton	1	2



During a time-out in Jasper, the varsity team listens to Coach Tony Allmoslecher as he explained the opportunity for them to become part of something bigger than themselves.

Leake backsets the ball in the Diamond tournament. The Lady Wildcats beat Southwest, Carthage, and Mac County to earn the first place trophy.



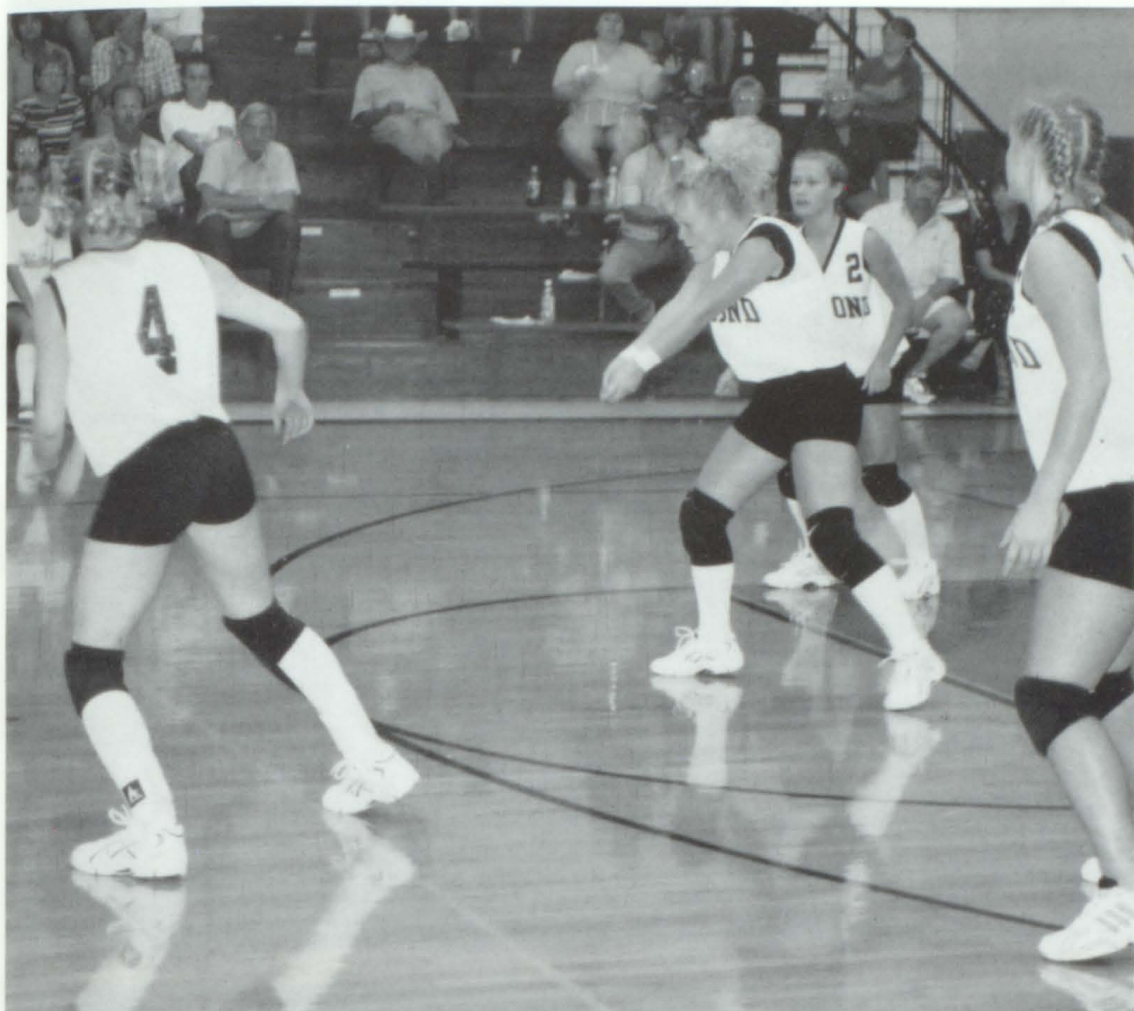
Youngblood attempts an outside hit against College Heights, while her surrounding teammates cover her.

VARSDITY: front: Heather Leake, Emily Petty, Jeri Rinehart; middle: Jessi Youngblood, Brit-tany Gilliam, Rachel Whiteley, Megan Kinney; back: Ashley Parker, Coach Jim Madden, Rachellé Gilliam.





# BOOM!!



volleyball  
team  
explodes

Whiteley passes the ball while Rinehart gets out for an approach in the Wildcats' victory over Jasper in their first game of the season.



JUNIOR VARSITY: front: Ashley Beegle, Kenzie Greenwood; middle: Brittany Gilliam, Kristen Bishop, Falicia Phipps; back: Jessi Youngblood, Coach Jim Madden, Megan Taylor.

Rinehart attempts the "pancake," by placing her hand flat on the floor under the descending ball. Diamond won the game against Neosho in three sets.





Carrick rebounds the ball during warm ups before playing in the NEO tournament, in which Diamond finished with a first place plaque.

"My last season was a lot of fun. I've learned about life along the way, as well as basketball. I enjoyed playing with a tight-knit group of seniors."

-Justen Shull

Jones defends the Joplin player as Green and Shull anticipate the pass.

Green fights for the ball as Bessman and Jinks wait to offer help if needed. The victory over Wheaton gave the Diamond Wildcats the title of Conference champs.



Freshmen: front: Justin McLees, Jonathan Cook, Josh Beckett, Trent Jones; back: Brandon Webb, Kyle Bridges, Jordan Macy, Coach Jim Madden.



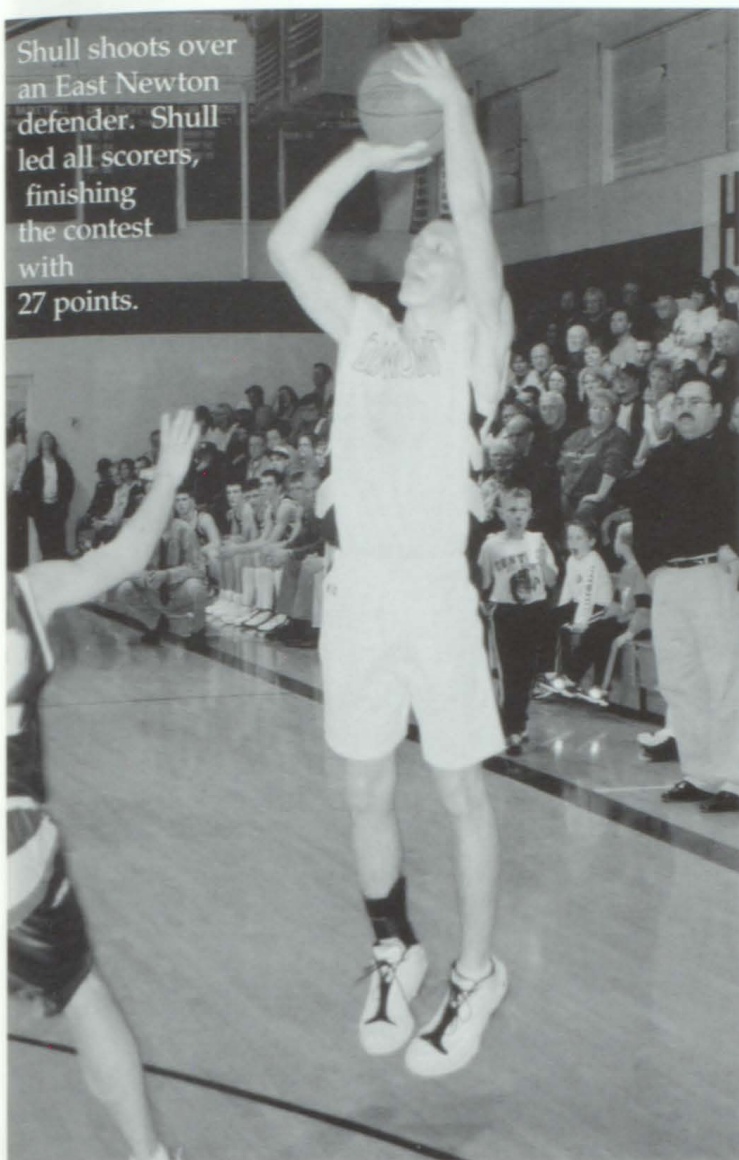
JV: front: Josh Beckett, Justin Lane, Bubby Farley, Deke Beckett, Greg Feters, Coach Jim Madden; back: Coach Eddie Jones, Casey Holland, Grant Gibbs, Sheldon Booyer, Casey Crane, Jake VanLue.

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# SUCCESS IN A NEW LIGHT...

Shull shoots over an East Newton defender. Shull led all scorers, finishing the contest with 27 points.



Varsity: front: Coach Eddie Jones, Bubby Farley, Jake VanLue, Deke Beckett, Justin Lane, Coach Jim Madden; back: Skyler Powers, Justen Shull, Terry Bessman, Rusty Gibbs, Ryan Green, Chris Jinks, Ryan Jones, Amos Carrick.

## A Winning Season

	Us	Them
Southwest	76	59
Carl Junction	53	47
Purdy	69	63
McAuley	74	35
Verona	68	64
Purdy	64	40
Thomas		
Jefferson	66	54
McAuley	78	38
East Newton	72	60
Cassville	67	62
Southwest	63	55
Seneca	76	71
Verona	53	64
T.J.	53	45
Wheaton	67	58



Farley shoots a short jumper over the Afton defender as Gibbs blocks out for the rebound.



Powers defends the wing as Gibbs defends the post in the championship game of the Diamond Tournament. Powers assisted the win by scoring 10 points while Gibbs tailed 9 points.



Lane defends the ball as VanLue and Beckett anticipate the pass. The J.V. ended the season undefeated with a record of 27-0.





"There is not substitute for hard work. Thomas Edison's words ring loud and true for the Lady Wildcats this season. We overcame many obstacles this year, including being plagued with injuries and adjusting to each other. The team improved dramatically from start to finish and Diamond fans can't be anything but extremely proud of their efforts. We really earned respect!"  
-- Racheal Madden



Heather Barnett wins the beginning jump ball over Wheaton's Amanda Baker.



Jessi Youngblood drives past East Newton opponent, Casey Courtney, in the district game at Ash Grove.



The Lady Wildcats celebrate their victory over Afton. This win earned the girls a spot in the championship game of the NEO tournament.

Amanda Farley breaks the press and drives past McAuley player, Falcia Chiu.





# R-E-S-P-E-C-T BASKETBALL TEAM EARNs IT



## SCORE BOX

	Them	Us
Southwest	62	45
Purdy	52	57
McAuley	53	23
Verona	40	51
College Hts.	44	36
Wheaton	56	49
East Newton	69	43
Cassville	71	36
Thomas Jeff.	47	35
McAuley	61	39
Lamar	59	35
Purdy	25	55
Sarcoxie	30	44
Southwest	46	51
Verona	58	34
Thomas Jeff.	45	29
Wheaton	49	62
East Newton	62	51



Brittany Gilliam sticks to Amanda Baker, denying her the lane.



Megan Kinney dribbles down the floor against two Wheaton players while Jessi Youngblood fills the lanes.



Front: Brittany Gilliam, Ashley Parker, Amanda Farley, Megan Kinney; middle: mgr. Eli Hicks, Libby Sherill, Heather Barnett, Jessi Youngblood, mgr. Devon Greenwood; back: Asst. Coach Kent Greenwood, Coach Racheal Madden, Ashley Brummett, Andi Ingersol, Jolene Topham, Asst. Coach Shirley Gollhofer.

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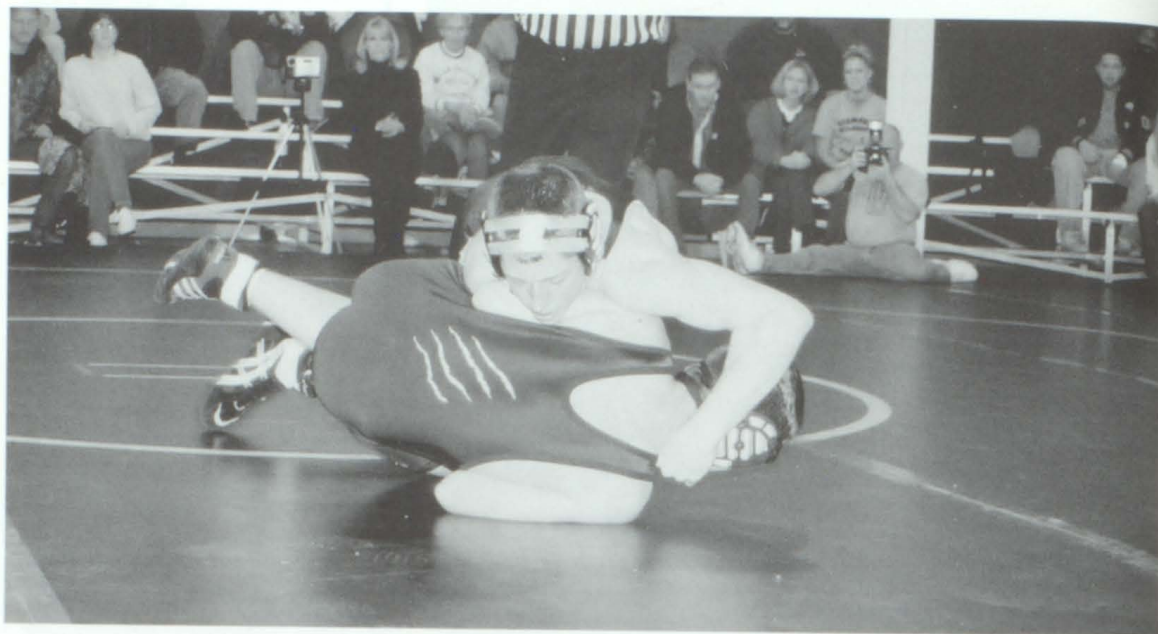


# A first for DHS



"We had a great year. It was a good starting point for the kids and we got a lot of compliments from other schools about our wrestling program. A lot of credit goes to our kids club team and Tim Matthews for helping out."

Coach Joe Douglas



Bessman takes down his Carthage opponent at Diamond. Bessman wrestled in the 140 pound weight class.

Taylor grapples with a Seneca wrestler at home. Taylor often wrestled with opponents who outweighed him by over 50 lbs.



Front: Coach Joe Douglas, Kyle Kelso, Cody Daniels, Zack Cope, Erica Welch; middle: Amanda Ferguson, Kody Kelso, Danial Brown, Brandon Jessip, Bob Taylor, Jesse Sweet; back: Timmy Matthews, Anthony Shipman, Dusty Newsum, Cliff McKee, Greg Vincent. Not pictured: Justin Bessman, T.J. Holland.



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Matthews attempts to change the momentum against his opponent at the district meet. The Wildcats qualified three wrestlers for sectionals: Newsum, Bessman, and Brown.



# Grip It, Rip It



In the middle of the fairway on the 16th hole at Carthage Municipal Golf course, Beckett prepares to hit an iron shot to the green.

Testerman lines up his putt, while Farley and Kelso stand reading the green for their own putts.



After the golfers are loaded, Coach Jones fills the van before being caught off guard by a snapshot.

"This is the best golf team yet. We didn't play as well as we could early in the season. If we would all play to our potential we could be in the top two or three in the district."

---Coach Jones



At the top of his backswing, Bessman stands anticipating a long drive down the fairway.



Front: Josh Beckett, Justin McLees; middle: Shawn Buzard, Deke Beckett, Terry Bessman, Zack Testerman, Brandon Webb; back: Coach Eddie Jones, Korey Scribner, Bubby Farley, Kody Kelso, Graham Cox, Adam Alford, Tyrel Decker, David Spry, Justin Bessman.



# Team Finds Unity



**Coach DeWitt**

"We had to overcome several internal problems early on but we started playing like the team I had anticipated us being this year."

**Chris Jinks**

"There is a lot of senior leadership on this team."

**Skyler Powers**

"We have to play every game as if it were our last chance."

Skyler Powers watches a "ball" go by during the game against Jasper.

Brent Morgan, Denton Jones, and Chris Jinks await their batting positions, while Amos Carrick searches for a helmet.



After a good inning at Joe Becker Stadium, the team huddles up for a short celebration during the game against McAuley.



Todd Forest and Jordan Macy sit back and enjoy the game against McAuley.



Rusty Gibbs prepares for the quick throw from the pitcher to tag the runner out.



Front: Greg Feters, Aaron Garbet, Jordan Macy, Casey Holland; middle: Todd Forest, Aaron Smith, Justin Lane, Grant Gibbs, James Riediger; back: Coach Danny DeWitt, Amos Carrick, Denton Jones, Rusty Gibbs, Skyler Powers, Justen Shull, Chris Jinks, Coach Joe Douglas.

## Baseball

	Us	Them
<u>Stockton Trny</u>		
Marionville	18	0
Stockton	19	6
El Dorado	2	10

Purdy	2	7
Monett		rainout
Aurora		rainout
East Newton	11	19
McAuley	8	4
Miller		rainout
Southwest	5	3
Lockwood	5	1
McAuley	12	3
Wheaton	10	0
Sarcoxie	11	2

<u>Conf. Trny</u>		
Purdy	9	4
McAuley	19	1

Purdy	12	2
Jasper	12	11

### Mickey Owens

Humansville	13	0
Mt. Vernon	9	10
Billings	11	4

### Districts

Purdy	12	5
Lamar	5	6



Caught in the middle of a dugout joke, Aaron Smith, Grant Gibbs, and Coach Danny DeWitt share a laugh.



Greg Feters and Casey Holland stand in the dugout as they wait to go in the game.



Denton Jones steals second on an East Newton player.

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"Overall, we had a pretty good year. We didn't qualify as many athletes for the state meet as we expected to, but the kids gave it their all. I think most of the kids enjoyed this year's track season."

Coach Larry Cunningham

Kinney clears the high jump bar with ease. At the Diamond meet, she set a new high jump meet record at 5'2". At the state meet, she tied for sixth place, earning all-state honors.



Kelso runs the 110 meter hurdles at Wyandotte. Kelso broke his own previous school record with a time of 43.7 seconds in the 300 meter intermediate hurdles.

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Front: Rikki Dardenne, Holly Renfro, Jeri Rinehart, Lyndsey Tutor, Addie Whitehead; middle: Megan Atkins, Sarah Simpson, Amanda Ferguson, Megan Kinney; back: Coach Larry Cunningham, Melissa Gallagher, Megan Taylor, Erica Welch, Coach Brad Hocker.



Whitehead runs the 110 meter hurdles at Wyandotte. Whitehead also participated in many of the girls relays.



Bridges clears the pole vault bar with ease at Commerce. Bridges cleared 9' 6" this year in his first year as a vaulter.

# PERSONAL BESTS

**Boys:** D. Beckett (400=58.25, 800=2:27), J. Beckett (800=2:23), Billings (400=1:03, long jump=14' 5"), Bingman (400=56.75, 800=2:15, triple jump=35' 2"), Bradley (400=1:03, shot put=29' 7"), Bridges (discus=94' 4", pole vault=9' 6"), Cope (long jump=16', high jump=5' 6", discus=103'), Daniels (shot put=34' 3", discus=83'), Gibbs (long jump=16' 6", triple jump=33' 8"), Gill (100=14.73, shot put=30' 3"), Harp (1600=4:44.8, 3200=10:48), M. Jackson (100=13.8, 200=28.2), Kelso (110 hurdles=16.87, 300 hurdles=43.7), Patrick (1600=5.24, 400=1:01, 800=2:21), Shipman (100=13.03, 200=27.29, pole vault=8' 6"), Shull (100=11.8, 200=24.75), E. Sutherland (110 hurdles=20.03, 300 hurdles=51.83, high jump=5' 2"), M. Sutherland (1600=5:36, 3200=12:12); 3200 relay=9:16 (Harp, Patrick, Cope, Bingman), 800 relay=1:44 (D. Beckett, Cope, Gibbs, Shipman), 400 relay=49.11 (Kelso, Cope, Bingman, Shull), 1600 relay=3:49 (Harp, Cope, Bingman, Kelso)

**Girls:** Atkins (100=14.46, triple jump=25' 6"), Ferguson (100=15.65, 200=33.0), Dardenne (400=1:17, 800=2:58), Gallagher (400=1:27, 800=3:26), Kinney (100=13.34, 200=28.36, high jump=5' 2"), Renfro (shot put=26', discus=86' 4"), Rinehart (long jump=15' 2", high jump=5' 2", triple jump=30' 3"), Simpson (300 hurdles=58.04), Taylor (shot put=27' 3.5", discus=74' 4"), Tuter (100=16.0), Welch (shot put=21' 5.5", discus=50' 2"), Whitehead (100 hurdles=20.32); 3200 relay=12:37 (Whitehead, Gallagher, Dardenne, Simpson), 800 relay=2:03 (Atkins, Whitehead, Simpson, Kinney), 400 relay=56.5 (Atkins, Simpson, Whitehead, Kinney), 1600 relay=5:46 (Dardenne, Gallagher, Renfro, Taylor)



Patrick runs his leg of the 4x800 meter relay, which placed second at the conference meet



Matt Sutherland runs with the pack in the 1600 meter run. Sutherland participated in the 1600 meter run and the 3200 meter run.



Front: Matt Sutherland, Mike'l Jackson, Josh Beckett, Kyle Bridges; middle: Joey Garrison, Josh Gill, Zach Billings, Anthony Shipman, John Barnett; back: Brent Jackson, Coach Cunningham, Kent Patrick, Zack Cope, Matt Harp, Seth Bingman, Elliot Sutherland, Cody Daniels, Deke Beckett, Kyle Kelso, Coach Hocker.



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# ORGANIZATIONS





Bingman addresses the crowd at the Veteran's Day Assembly.

Frank Chimero (Sr. Class Pres.), Seth Bingman (StuCo Pres.), Ryan Green (StuCo VP), Brittany Gilliam (Soph. Pres.), Kent Patrick (Soph. Boy Rep.), Megan Atkins (Fr. Girl Rep.), Nicki Bunn (Soph. Girl Rep.), Kristina Buerge (Jr. Girl Rep.), Jeri Rinehart (StuCo Sec.), Anthony Shipman (Fr. Boy Rep.), Addie Whitehead (Jr. Pres.), Sarah Simpson (Fr. Pres.). Not pictured: Justin Taylor (Sr. Boy Rep.)



# S t u d e n t

Keeping a healthy balance between work, play, and the average disgruntled student.

# C o u n c i l



Whitehead counts ballots for King and Queen nominations of the Christmas Dance.



StuCo meets every Tuesday morning at 7:45 a.m. in the high school library to discuss any upcoming activities and to take care of any problems reported by students or teachers.

Kristina Buerge and Nicki Bunn keep track of donors at the Blood Drive. This year's theme was "Ghostbusters - We ain't afraid of no needles!"



Shipman, Green, Bingman, and Chimero load canned food into Mr. Blizzard's truck to deliver to the community.



Chimero and Bingman narrate a short skit put on by StuCo to promote the canned food drive.

In response to the tragedy on September 11, StuCo collected stuffed animals to be sent to the New York City area children.





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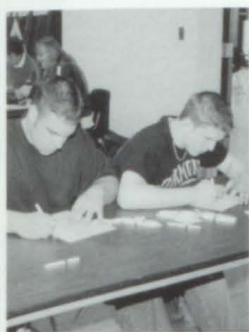
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# D r i v e

Teresa Stone talks with Audra George in the recovery area after giving blood.



Tyler Brown and Kyle Kelso fill out paperwork before they can give blood.

Nate Getz, Justin Lane, and Derek Cullum eat pizza and talk about their experience in the recovery area.



Lindsey Tuter, Jenna Holland, and Katie Holmes comfort each other after giving blood. All three were first time donors.



Green wears the blood drop suit that is provided each year by the Community Blood Center. Green has been the blood drop the past two years.

Denton Jones and Kody Kelso give each other support right before giving blood. Both were first time donors this year.



Every individual who gave blood received a blood drive t-shirt.



Bingman, Chimero, and Taylor go all out as Ghostbusters to support the theme of the blood drive.



# Honor and Commitment

Johnson and Whitehead serve refreshments following the induction ceremony.

Bingman receives his 'stole' from NHS advisor, Anne Bryan. Senior NHS members wear their stoles at graduation.



NHS President Powers addresses the members and guests.

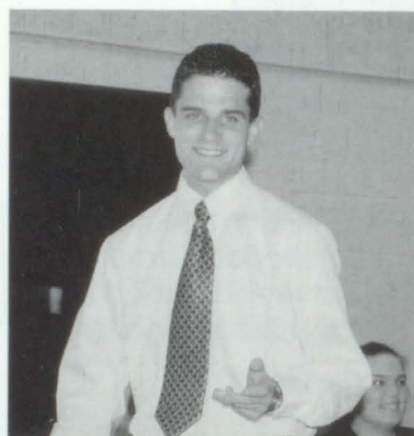


Farley watches as Ashley Parker receives the Honor Society pin from her mother.



2001-2002 members: front: Addie Whitehead, Krystle Boman, Jeri Rinehart, Amanda Farley, Cheryl Johnson, Frank Chimero; back: Seth Bingman, Skyler Powers, Rusty Gibbs, Ryan Green.

Chimero leads new members in saying the pledge: front: Nate Billings, Lindsey Lawson, Justin Taylor, Matt Harp; back: Brittany Gilliam, Ashley Parker, Elliot Sutherland, Rachel Whiteley.



Taylor, honorary senior NHS member, does a quick run down of the family members who accompanied with him.



Gibbs lights a candle to represent scholarship.



Chimero explains the meaning of service.



Johnson tells guests and new members about leadership.



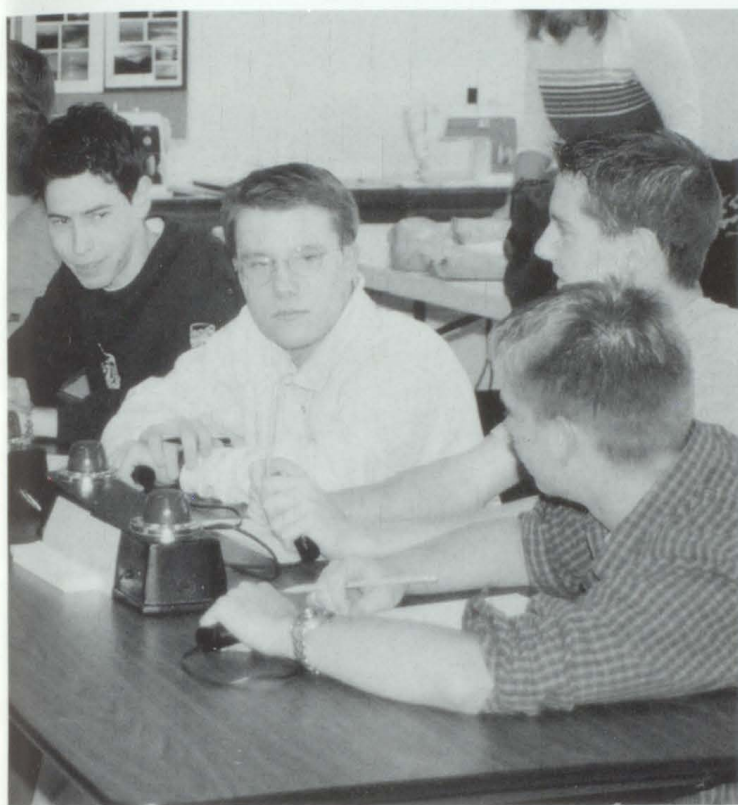
Whitehead describes what character is in NHS members.

**Scholarship  
Service  
Leadership  
Character**



Chimero, Billings, Wall, and Riediger wait for the next question to be read.

Chimero, Billings, Harp, and Sutherland work together on the question. Players are allowed to work together on the bonus questions.



Front: Elliot Sutherland, Frank Chimero, Ryan Green, Seth Bingman, James Riediger, Nate Billings; back: Matt Harp, Chris Wall, David Forest.

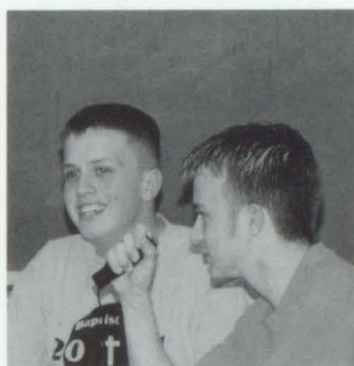
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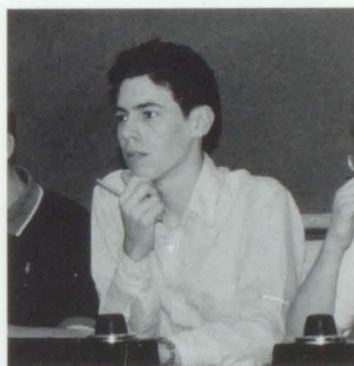
## Quiz Team



Sutherland works on a math question. Math questions are timed, so speed is of the essence.



Wall and Riediger share a laugh over a question. The competitions can be stressful, so a few laughs are important.



Chimero concentrates on the question. The first to answer correctly gets the point, so it is essential to hear all of the question.

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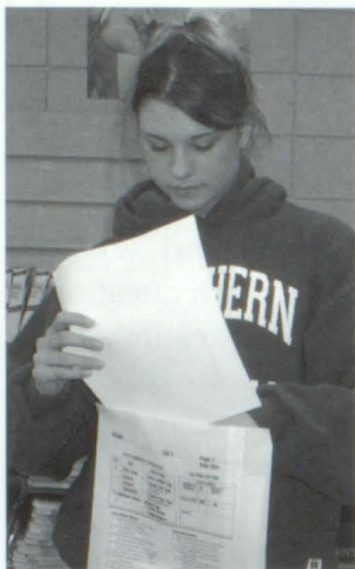
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# A Picture is Worth . . .



Powers takes a knee to get a better angle for a yearbook picture at a volleyball game.

Rinehart put her layout in an envelope, preparing it for shipping just before deadline.

George, Whitehead, and Harp go through other schools yearbooks to get ideas at yearbook camp last summer.



Shull proofreads captions to help out a staff member.



Green works out the kinks in his layout on the computer.

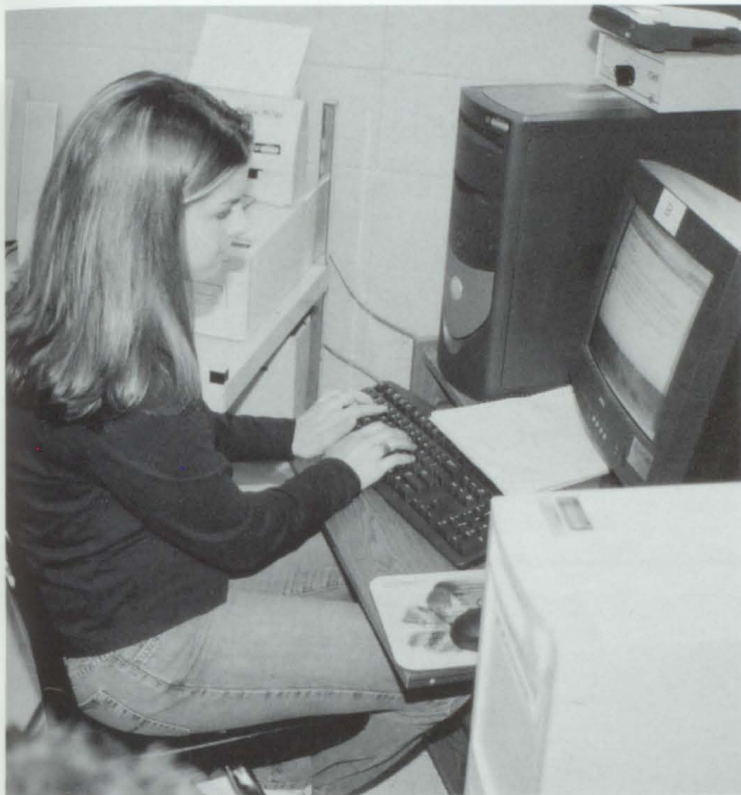
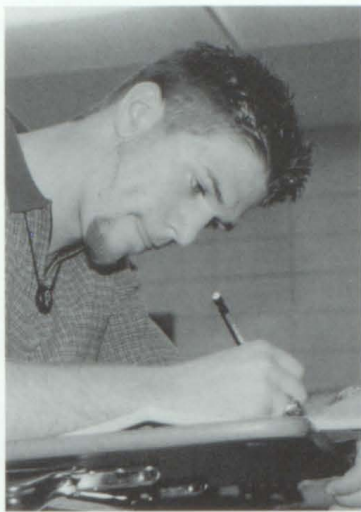


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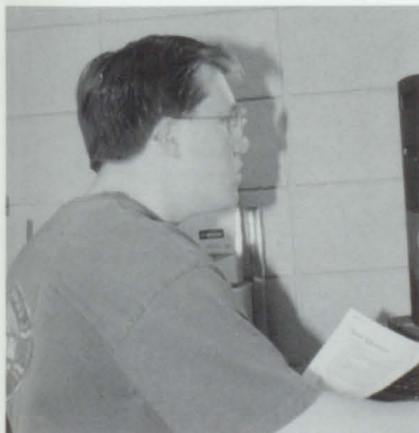




Krystle Boman, left, and Skyler Powers, below, write out the rough drafts of their articles before typing them in the computer.



Working on the computer, Ashley Parker revises her story.

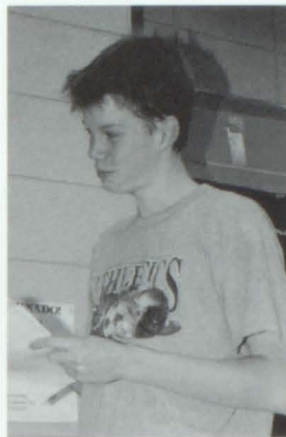


After instruction from Journalism Advisor Karin Miller, Nate Billings revises his story.

## Reporting

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Casey Crane interviews the high school counselor, Anne Bryan, for a news story.

"This class requires a lot of time and hard work, but it's a lot of fun to talk to people just see what they have to say."



Rachelle Gilliam works to make corrections in time to meet deadline.

"Journalism is a lot of fun. I've had the chance to speak with people I might not have otherwise spoken to without this class."



Jessi Youngblood brainstorms ideas for a new story.

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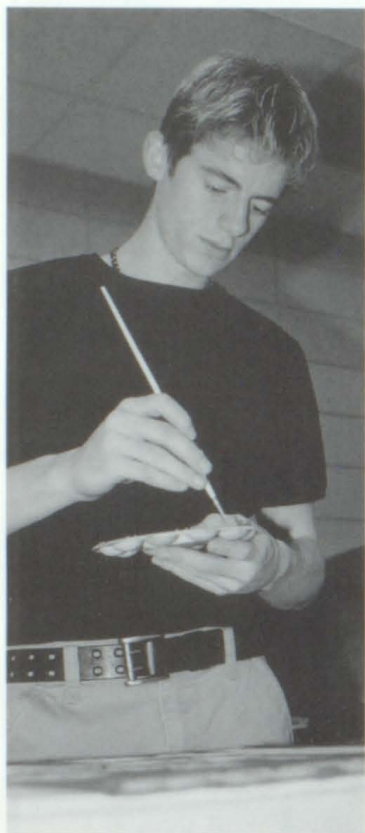
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and views



Dustin Brashear paints his picture of a lighthouse in advanced art.

Seth Bingman tries to mix paint to match his painting of the comic book character, Flash.



Frank Chimero receives a blue from art instructor Dustin Miller. Chimero won the 'Student Choice Award' at the Ozark 8 Art Show at Crowder College.



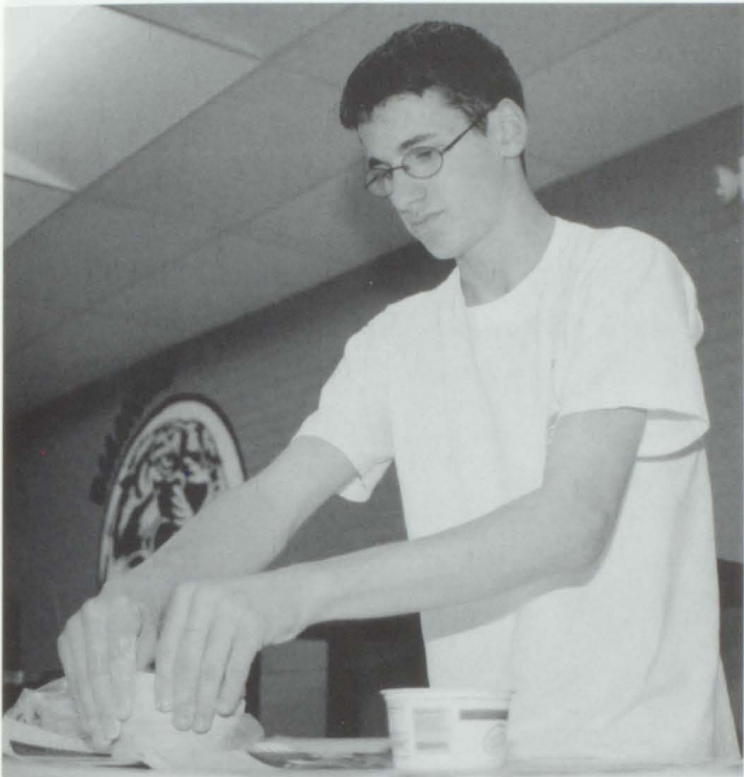
Patrick Beckett paints 'warm colors' in his Art 1 class. 'Warm colors' are red, orange, and yellow. Students in Art 1 also learned the 'cool colors' which are blue, green and white.





Audra George, advanced art student, adds some detail to her colored pencil drawing of a flower.

Art 1 student, Ashley Shelton, works on her oil pastel project.



Tracy Killion molds and shapes a bowl made from coiled clay.



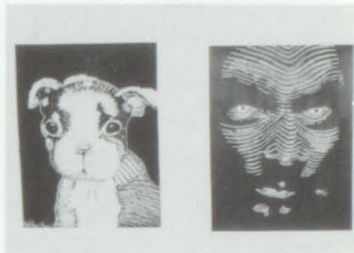
Tyler Brown blends the colors on his oil pastel project in Art 1.

## ART

# Different strokes for different folks



Fruit painting by Frank Chimero




Scratch boards done by Ashley Brummett and Jessi Youngblood



Emily Petty's work earns a blue.



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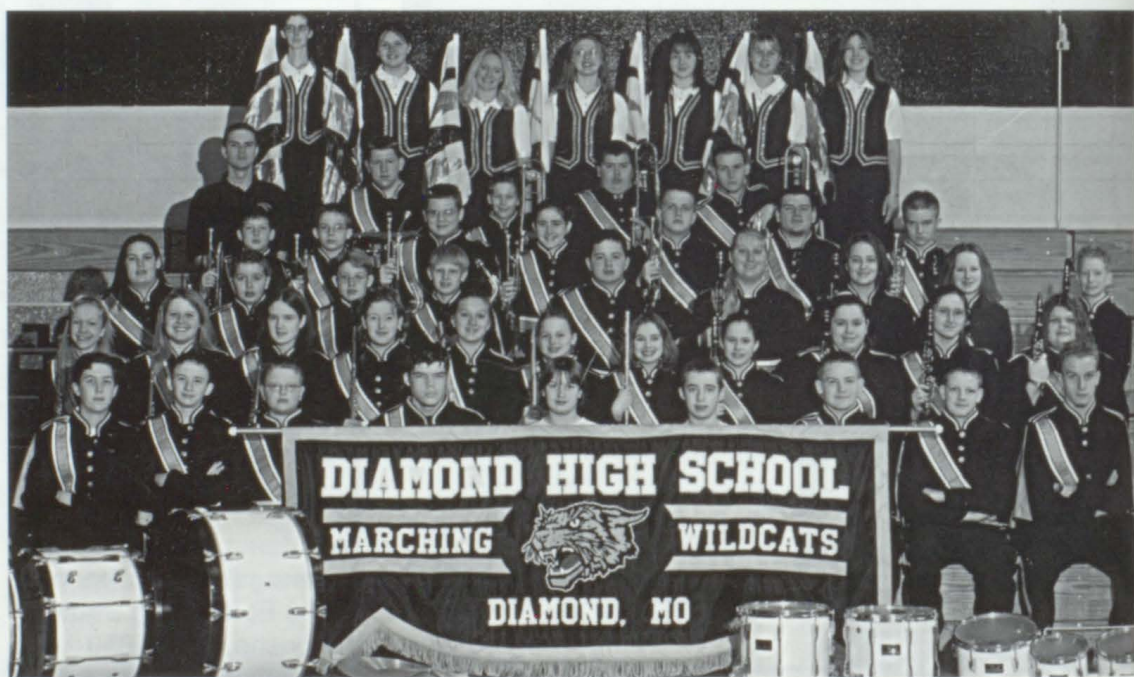


Wall leads the march at the beginning of the Stockton parade route.

Hale stands at attention before she joins the band in their march at the Diamond parade.



Dardenne and Nelson twirl their flags at the Veteran's assembly.







Director Rob Lundien sorts through shirts for band members at state.

Stirewalt, Forest, and Powers play at the Spring Concert. All three advanced to state competition at the University of Missouri in Columbia.



The band performs at a home football game.



Powers plays her flute during a pep assembly in the gym. Powers received a one rating at the State Band Contest and was selected to All-District Choir.

## Band Makes Music/History



Jason Little plays the drums during a football game held at Diamond. Little has been in band for four years.

"I enjoy being in band because I get to play drums. Drums have been a huge part of my life for about 13 years."



Kendra Sharon, first year band member, twirls her flag during a halftime performance at football homecoming.

"I really like being in band because I really like making up routines for colorguard, and it is just really fun to be a part of the band."



Sarah Hoffman marches while playing the drums during one of Diamond's football games. Hoffman is a five year member.

"I enjoy going on the band trips, and going and competing in the events. Most of all I enjoy learning new techniques and experiences."

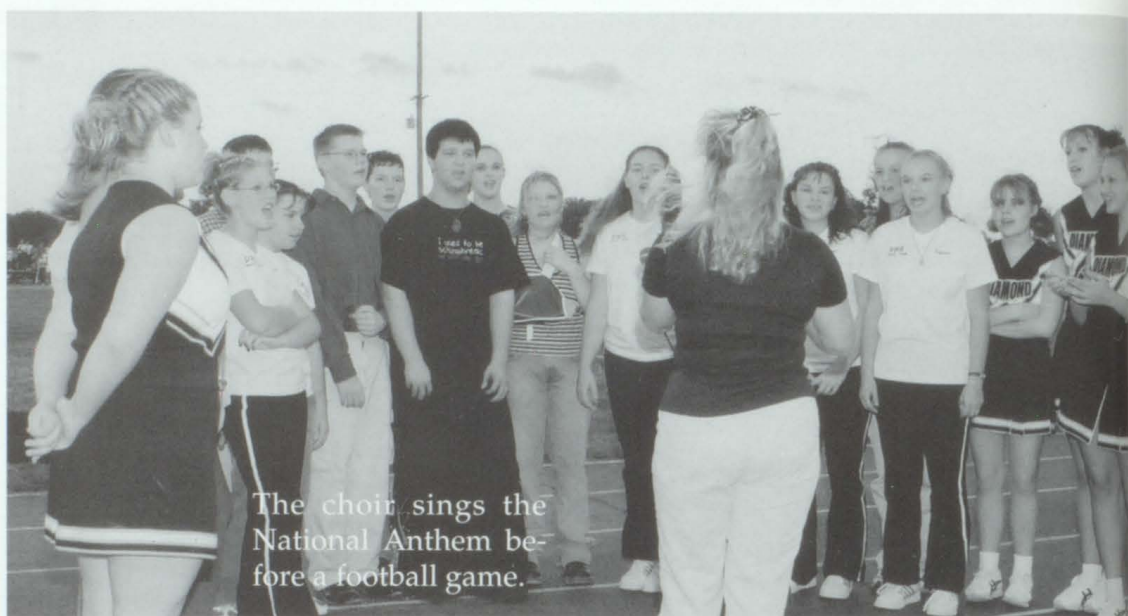
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During their last performance of the year Show Choir ends with a bang. Front: Kaci Testerman, David Forest; middle: Hannah Nelson, Zack Testerman, Renee Forest; back: Dezi Powers.

Singers wait to join the chorus during the Veteran's Day Assembly.



The choir sings the National Anthem before a football game.



A fall performance finds choir members in fine voice.



Front: Carla Garoutte, Renee Forest, Kristen Long, Sean Wiggins, Rachel Whiteley, Dezi Powers, Lindsay Wawrzyniak; middle: Megan Wirth, Ashley Shelton, Heather Leake, Aaron Smith, Zack Testerman, Tabitha Wiggins, Sheena Vincent, Candace Stebbins, Melissa Gallagher; back: Sarah Hale, Hannah Nelson, Stephanie Barnett, Emily Petty, Krystle Boman, Katie Holmes, Kaci Testerman, Megan Taylor, Becca Jones, Amanda Brown, Chelsey Waddell, Candace Clouse.





Choir members sing a melodic number during the spring concert.

At the Christmas concert the choir presented a medley of holiday tunes.



Show Choir fall members: front: Hanna Nelson, Lindsey Wawrzyniak, Kaci Testerman; middle: Zack Testerman; back: Melissa Gallagher, Sarah Hale, Renee Forest, Dezi Powers.



Students perform during the Christmas Concert.

## Choir & Show Choir



D. Forest and K. Testerman perform to "Your Mama Don't Dance" during the spring choir concert.



Billie Jo Hardy, choir director, leads the choir in the National Anthem during an assembly following the September 11th attacks on the Pentagon and the Twin Towers.



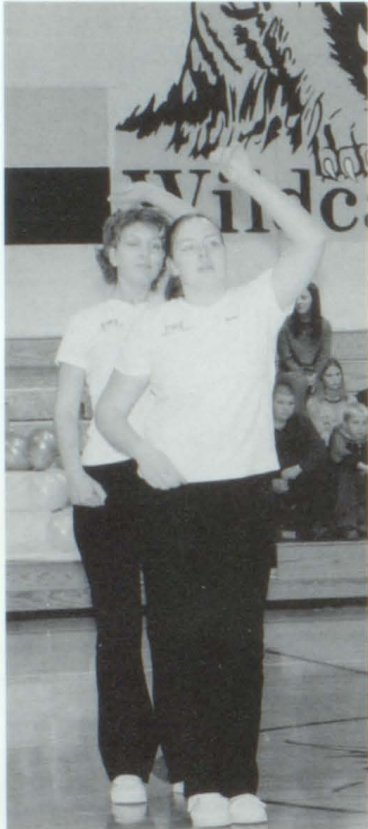
Show choir members Testerman and Nelson perform a choreographed routine during the spring choir concert.



# Dance Team

## They dance anyway...

Jones and Brown dance during basketball homecoming. The team performed a dance choreographed by Barwick to the song "Rockefeller Skank."



Barwick, Hale, and Boman dance to "Da Funk" during a home football game.



Barwick, Kirk (behind Vincent), and Vincent perform during the Christmas parade. The team danced to an N'Sync Christmas song.



Front: Captain Stephanie Barwick, Brandy Porter; middle: Sheena Vincent, Crissy Kirk; back: Co-Captain Krystle Boman, Co-Captain Becca Jones, Amanda Brown, Sarah Hale.



# Food, Fundraisers, &

Meghan Drake serves up some chile as Jake VanLue and Jeannie Hurn wait to place the bowls in the buffet line during a fall fundraiser luncheon.



# Fun!

Carla Garoutte and Kathy Harrell collect Donna Dorsey's lunch money and mark her name off the reservation list.



Dustin Brashear and Emily Petty assist in setting up the serving table for use by the M.S.I.P. school evaluation team.



Chelsey Waddell and Tabitha Wiggins are two of the chefs providing hors d'oeuvres for a fall Newton County officials meeting held in the high school library.



Rachel Coker reacts to the feeling of the inside of a cow's stomach during a field trip to a Missouri University research farm.

Rachel Whiteley works in the greenhouse during 5th hour Horticulture.



Chris Shaner uses his welding skills to work on his project for the Agricultural Mechanics class.



Members of the Diamond FFA Chapter.





Addie Whitehead licks her plate clean as Amos Carrick watches the competition. The object of this game was to clean off the plate with using nothing but your face.

Amanda Jones guides a blindfolded Amos Carrick through an obstacle course made of chairs.



Senior candidates Lindsey Lawson and Rusty Gibbs participate in one of the many games during Barnwarming.



After digging through a whipped cream pie, Jesse Sweet and Josh Beckett prepare to launch a piece of candy to their partners.

## Learning To Do

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## Doing To Learn



Carla Garoutte feeds her four-week old puppy during Food for America.



Randy Callis takes a break from the day's activities and practices his roping abilities.



Kristi Coker tells elementary students about the difficulties and rewards of owning a horse.

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The Photography Interest Group at the 25th Annual Renaissance Festival in Kansas City: Judith Hoyt, Jason Baker, Larry Doennig, Addie Whitehead, Kristina Buerge, Katie Holmes, Donna Dorsey, Kobi Miller, Karen Miller, Dustin Miller.



The Photography Interest Group listens to the "Rat Lady" at the Renaissance Festival, as she explains that rats carried the plague in Medieval times.

Groups



Jeff Bearden, Judith Hoyt, Corey Stripling, Charlene Gibson, and Cristie Minyard talk before a Library Club meeting.



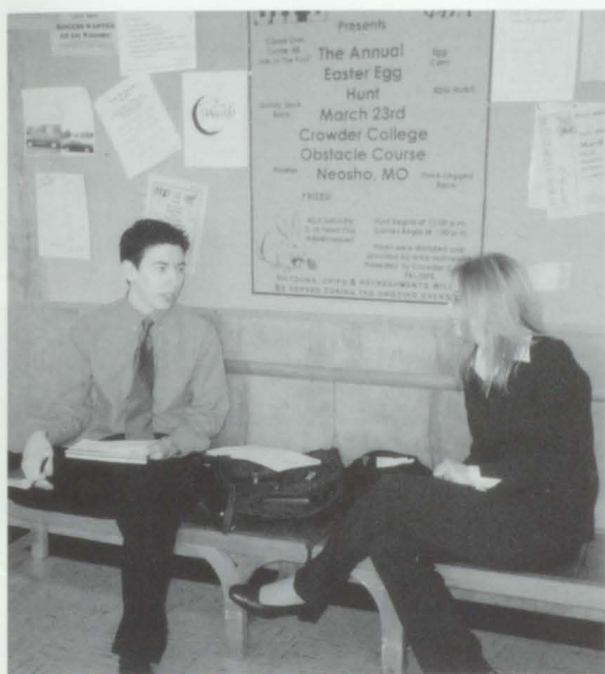
Minyard listens to Marion Abrams, Librarian, talk about the new books being offered in the library.

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Robin Bullis and Nikki Bunn take a break at Future Teachers of America districts in Springfield.



Chimero and Boman discuss how their testing went during FBLA district competition.



Future Business Leaders of America: front: Katie Holmes; second: Terry Bessman, Rusty Gibbs, Seth Bingman; third: Krystle Boman, Frank Chimero; top: Addie Whitehead.



Bessman and Gibbs head into their tests at FBLA Districts.



# The Scientific Method

Richard Curran, club advisor, talks to members TJ Bowman and David Spry about a possible trip.

Allan signs up for a duty at another club meeting. Meetings were held in Mrs. Kirk's room every other Friday morning during Channel One.



Front: Krystle Allan, Kaci Testerman, Sarah Simpson, Courtney Payton, Crissy Kirk; back: Zach Billings, Frank Chimero, Seth Bingman, Nate Billings, Anthony Shipman, David Spry. Not pictured: TJ Bowman.



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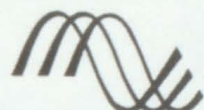
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Juniors: Jenna Holland, Vice-President; Addie Whitehead, President; Kristina Buerge, Girl Rep.

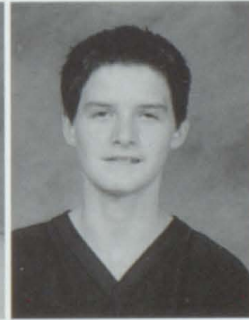


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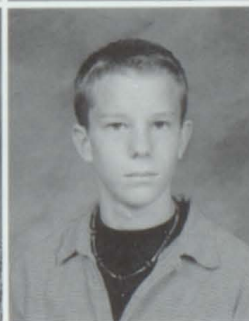
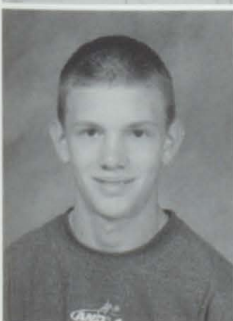


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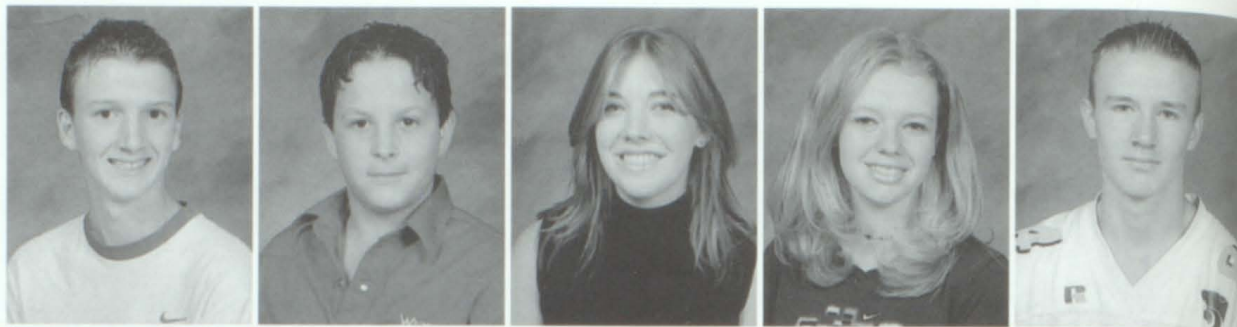
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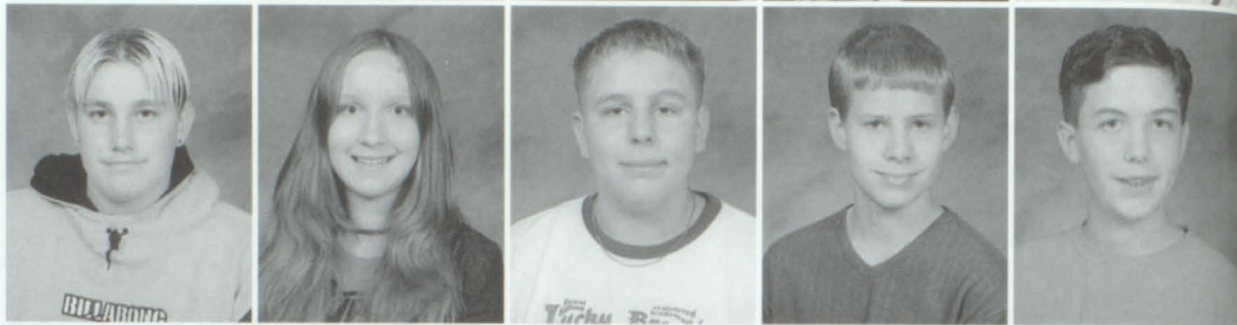
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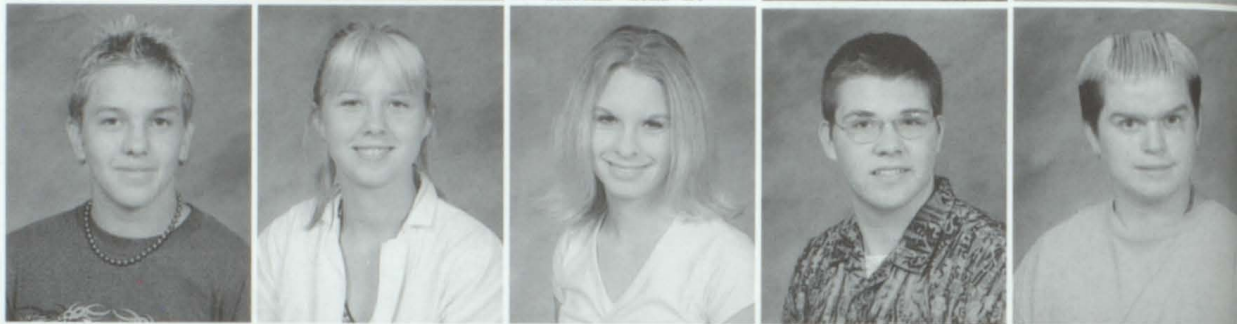
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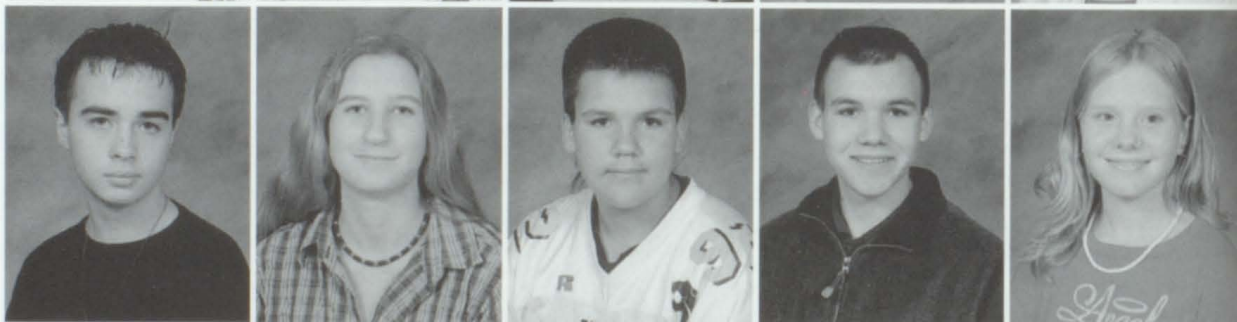
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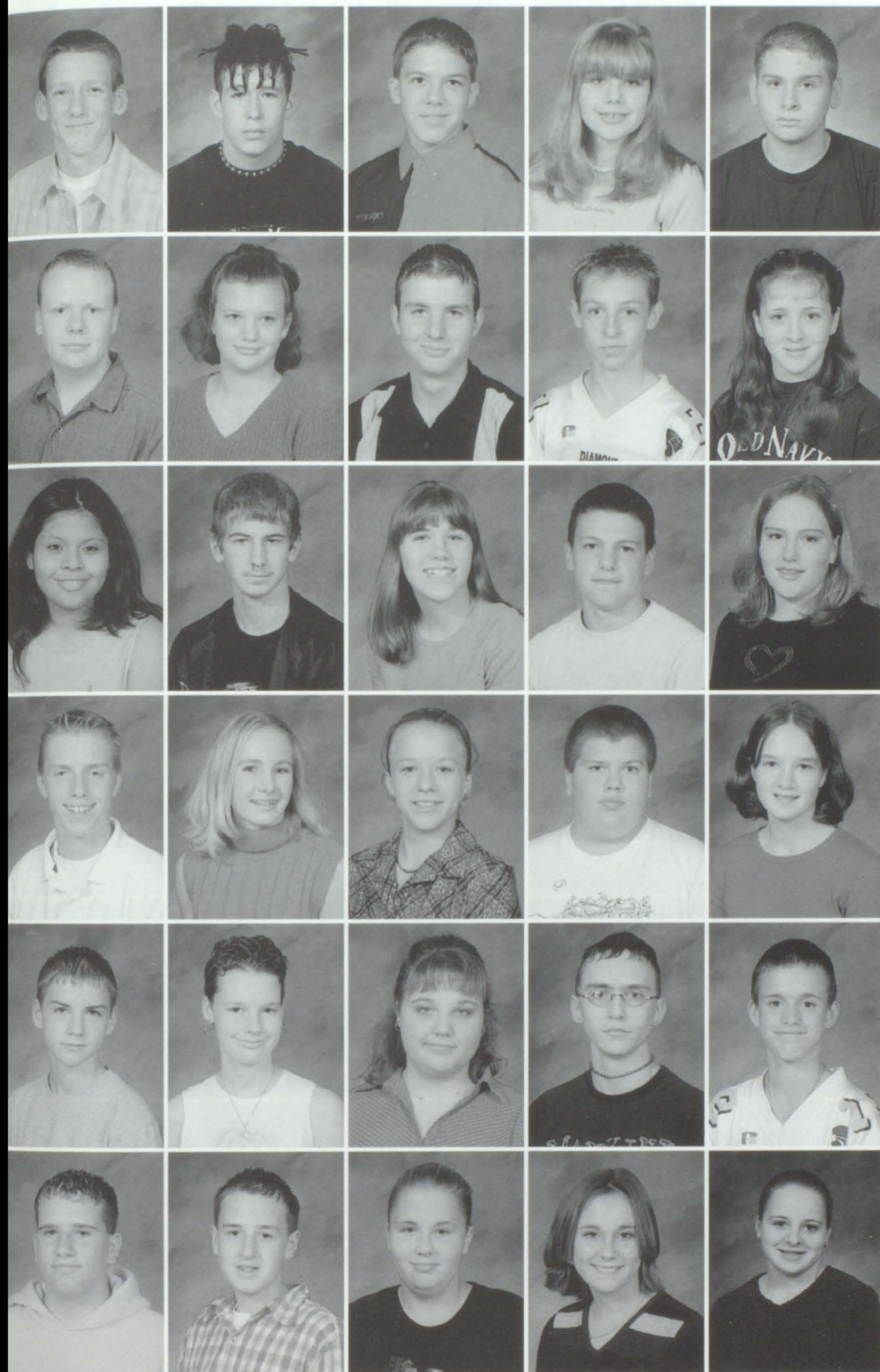
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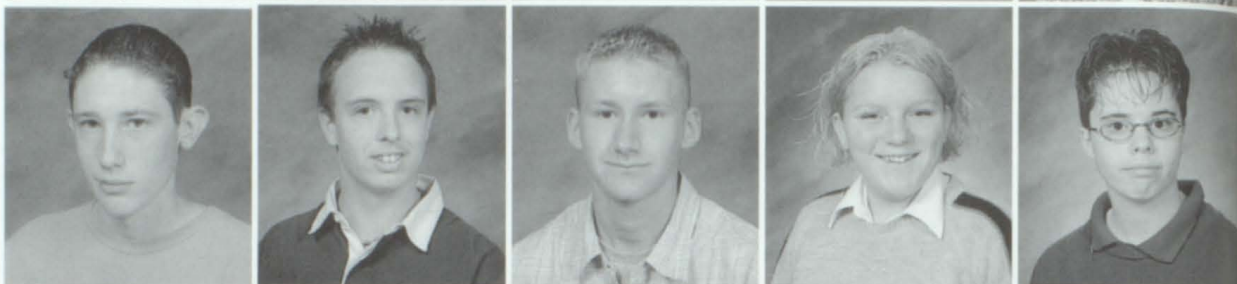


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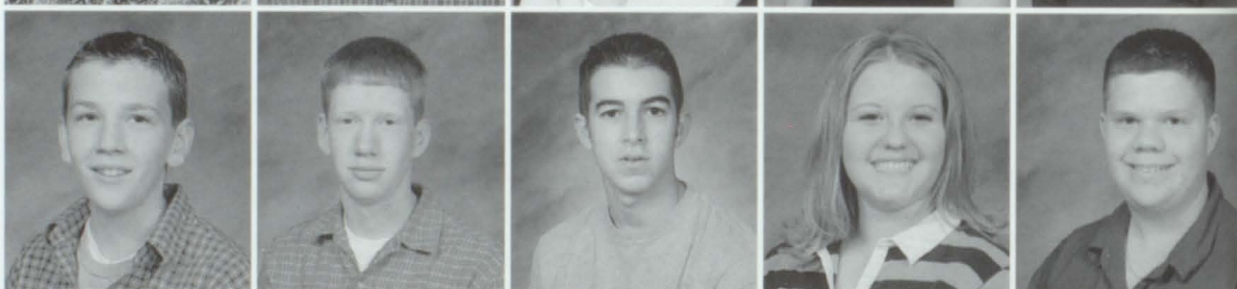
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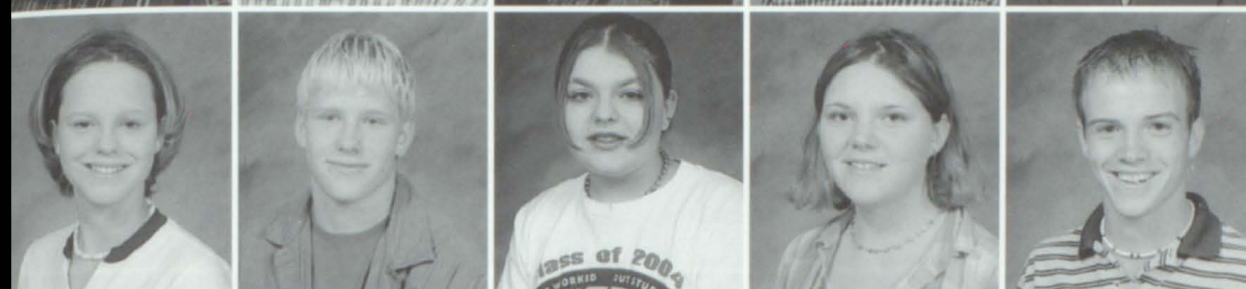




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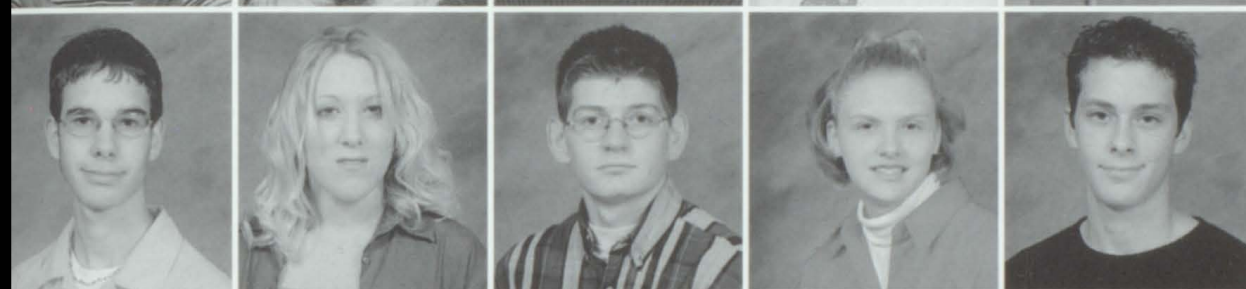
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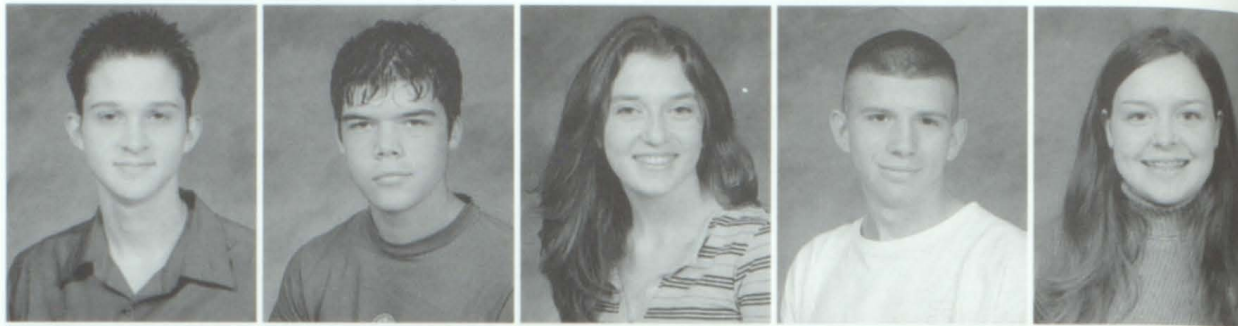


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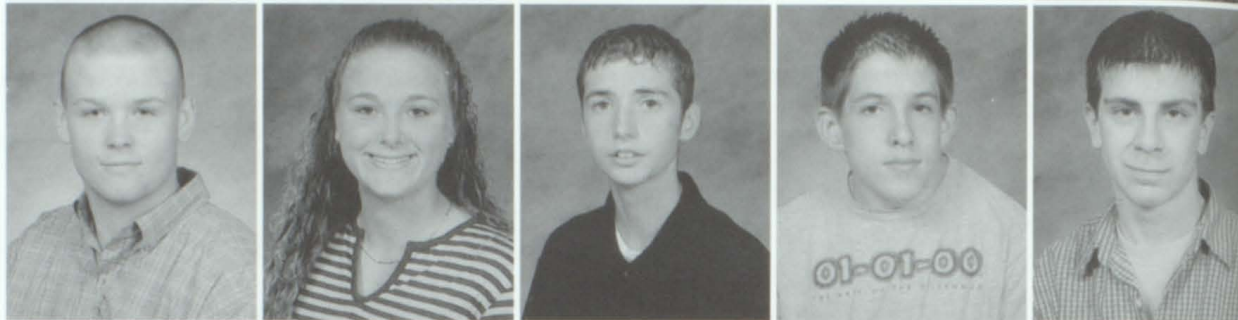


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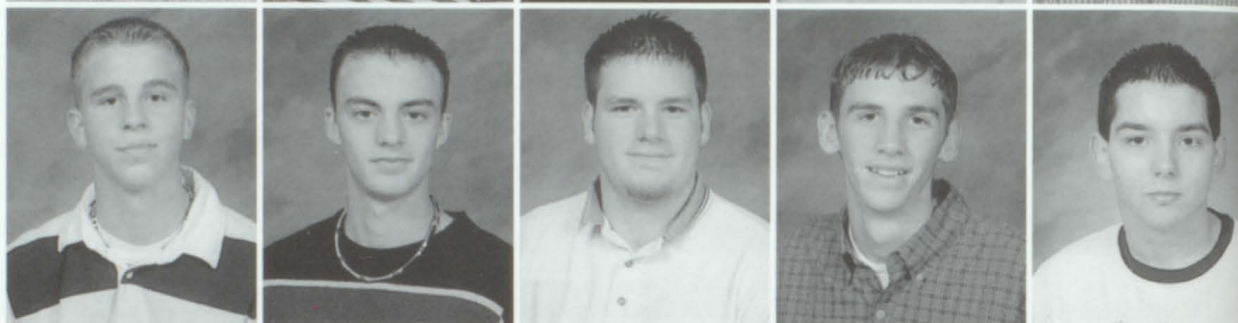
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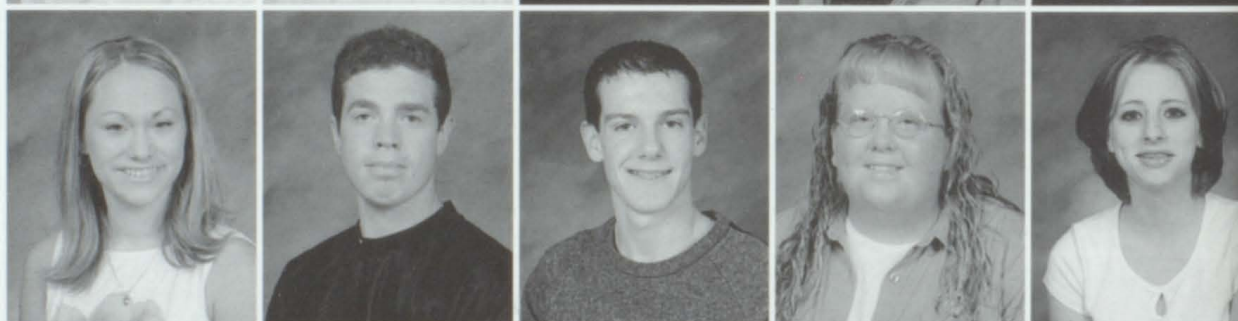
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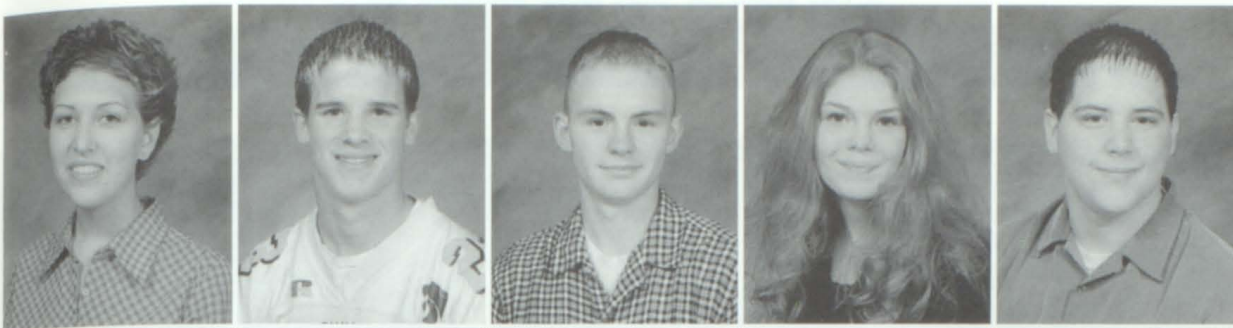
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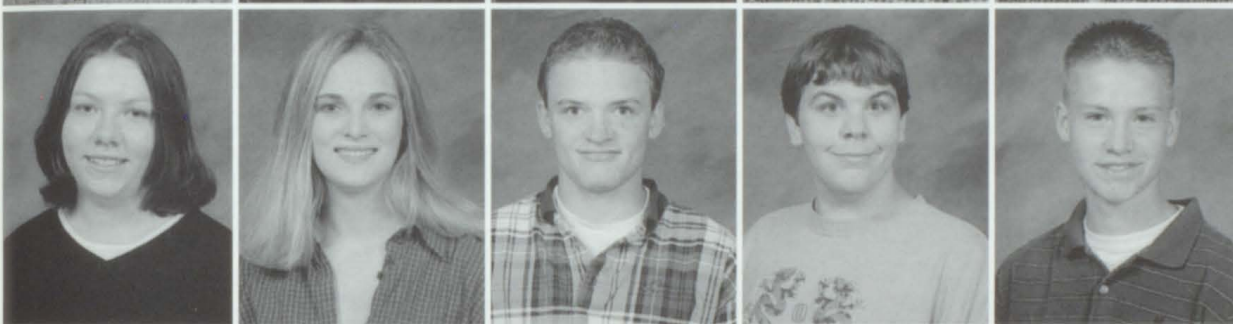
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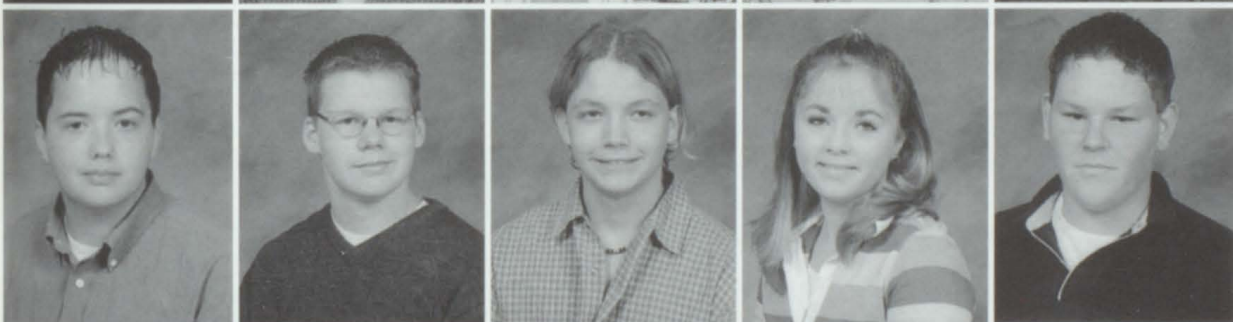
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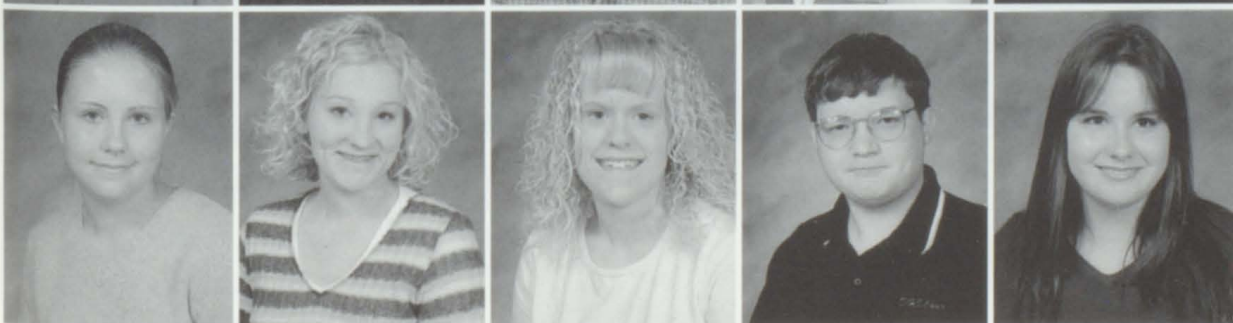
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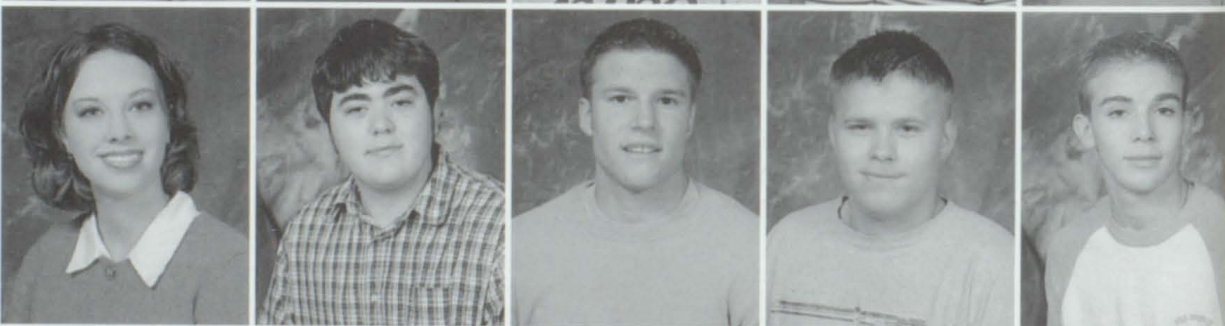
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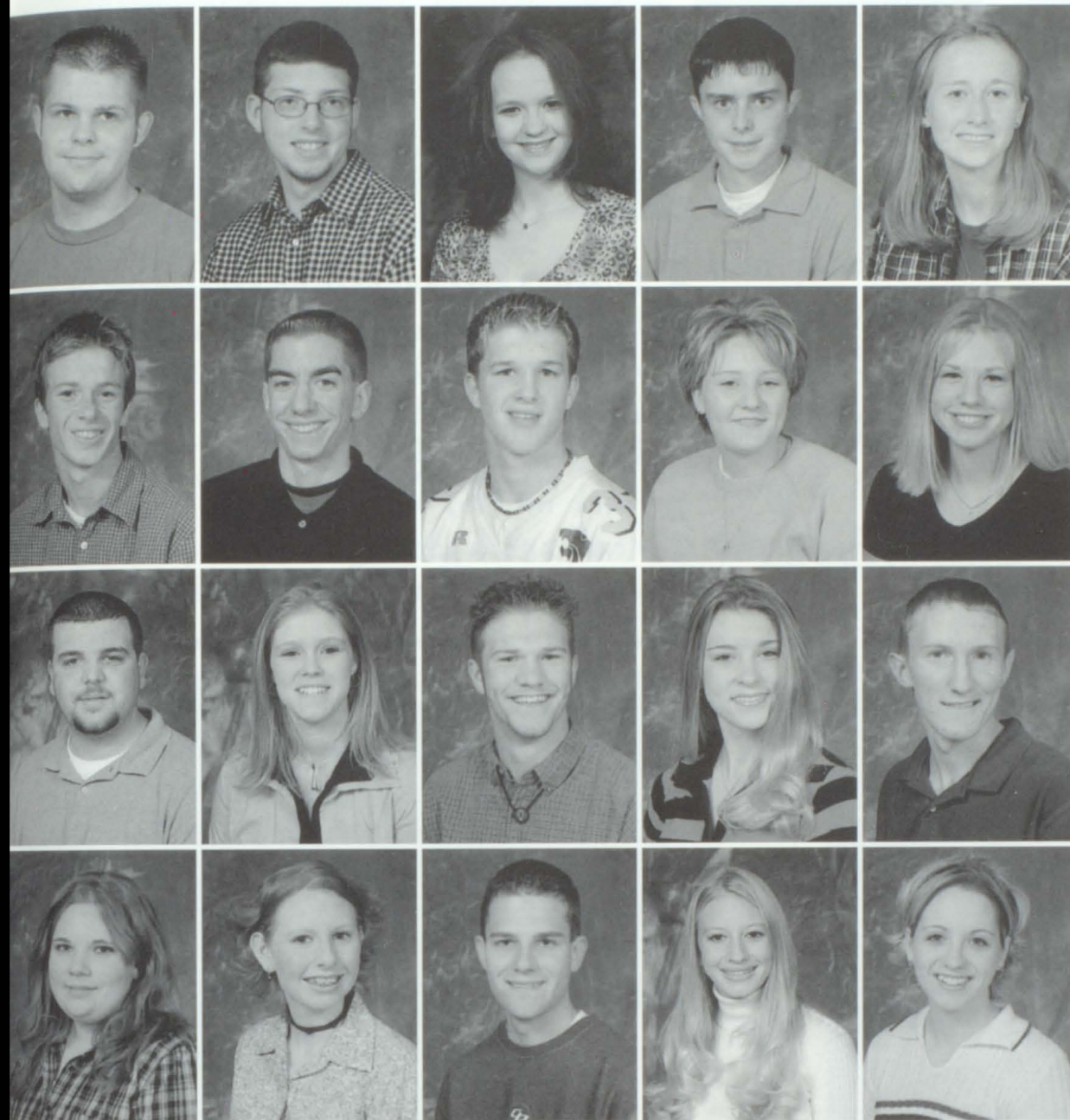


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mark on this world. Keep Jesus in your  
heart and let Him guide your path.

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Justin, We are very proud of you and wish you the  
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in so many ways. Always remember that He has a  
plan for each of us.

Love, Dad, Missy and Stephanie

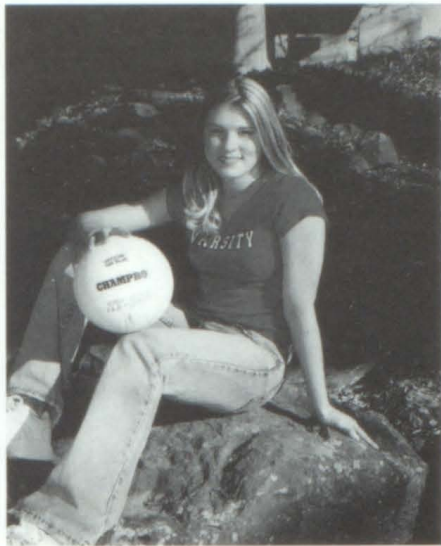
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*Dad, Mom, Dan, Shane, Kristi, Blakey, & Marty*



*Krystle, We are so very proud of you and your accomplishments. You'll always have our support, encouragement and love. Live each day to the fullest. May you accomplish everything in life you set out to do.*

*We love you, Dad, Mom & Gram*



*Rachel*

You are a winner! Through all the trials and events in your life you have always been strong. We are very proud of you and hope all your dreams come true. Keep believing in God and you'll always win the race. We love you!

*Mom, Dad, & Kristi*



*TERESA*

*IF SOMEONE BELIEVES IN YOU (AND WE DO)  
AND YOU BELIEVE IN YOURSELF  
AND CAN DREAM YOUR DREAMS  
EVEN WHEN YOU'RE AWAKE  
AND KEEP GOD FIRST IN YOUR LIFE  
ALL YOUR DREAMS WILL COME TRUE*

*LOVE,*

*DAVID & MOM*





Before you were conceived I wanted you.  
Before you were born I love you.  
Before you were an hour old I would die  
for you. This is the miracle of Love.

-- Maureen Hawkins

We know you will have a wonderful life  
Because you won't settle for less.

We Love You,

Dad, Mom & Bubby



Jen, we are so proud of you. You have  
grown to be such a beautiful, intelligent,  
strong, and independent young woman.  
We have no doubts that you will succeed  
and find happiness. But always remember  
that we are here for you if you ever need us.

Love Always

Mom & Dad



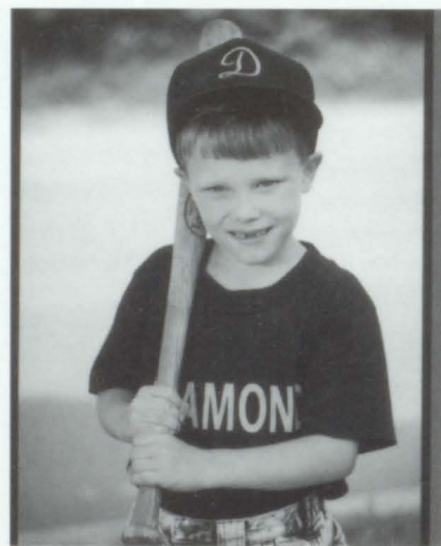
Seth, We constantly marvel at your ability to  
make success look easy, but also know how  
hard you work.

There is no doubt in our minds you will  
leave this world a better place than you found it.

We are very proud of you.

Love,

Mom., Dad, and Eli



Nate,

We are truly blessed to have you for our son.  
We love you so much and we are so proud of you.  
We know you will succeed in life as you always have.

Love,

Dad, Mom, & Zach





RACHEAL,

FROM THE FIRST TIME WE LOOKED INTO YOUR BIG BEAUTIFUL EYES, WE KNEW YOU WERE SPECIAL. YOU HAVE GROWN INTO A BRIGHT, BEAUTIFUL WOMAN. YOU HAVE BLESSED OUR LIVES WITH YOUR LOVE, SMILE, AND HAPPINESS. YOU HAVE MADE US SO VERY PROUD. WE KNOW ONLY GREAT THINGS ARE IN STORE FOR YOUR FUTURE. ALWAYS REMEMBER TO KEEP GOD FIRST IN YOUR LIFE, ALLOW GOD TO GUIDE YOUR DECISIONS, AND THAT WE LOVE YOU!

MOM, DAD, RYAN & RITA



Racheal, from Cabbage Patch Kid, to my Little Pony, playing house, and hide 'n' seek, to playing games in Grandma's pool, everyday of the week. I'll never forget when you pulled the dart out of my head, or the day you almost drowned in the pool, or when we crashed into the barbed wire fence, boy, weren't we cool! Don't forget, Barthcott from-looksgoodonya, lost-river water! Confident, & grace, well, you know the rest, "Somethings are best kept inside." We've had some good times... good times, and I know there's more to come, and even though we may just be consins, our friendship will outlaugh the sun. Congratulations!

We Love You,

Your consins,

Cassie & Crystal



TJ --

"What a long strange trip it's been!"

As always we want you to know we are behind you all the way in everything you do! You will succeed.

We Love You --

Mom & Dad



There is a time in life when you stop existing and you start living  
There is a time in life when you are given a new chance and new dreams  
There is a time in life when the old is to be forgotten and the new embraced  
There is a time in life  
And that time is now.

Congratulations -- We love You,

Dad, Cathy, Joey, Ben, Janell, Bill, Austin

You must be the change you wish to see in the world.

-- Gandhi





*Amanda*

*You've been a blessing from the start,  
and we love you with all our hearts.*

*Now it's time for new hopes and dreams  
-- just remember you can do anything.*

*Reach for the stars.*

*We love You!*

*Mom, Dad & Trent*



**AMOS,**

**CONGRATULATIONS. WE  
ARE SO PROUD OF YOU. YOUR  
HUMOR AND INTELLIGENCE WILL  
TAKE YOU FAR.**

**WE LOVE YOU**

**MOM & DAD**



**CHRIS**

**YOU ARE SUCH A BLESSING! WE  
LOVE YOU AND ARE VERY PROUD  
OF YOU. STAY CLOSE TO THE LORD  
ALWAYS AND YOU WILL SUCCEED.**

**LOVE,**

**DAD, MOM**

**ANDREW, JUSTIN**

**& RYAN**



*Audra,*

*Words cannot begin to express how  
proud of you we are. What an honor it is  
to be your parents. Your future awaits  
as a canvas for the painter. You hold all  
the colors. Paint boldly, lovingly; a  
masterpiece will unfold!*

*All our love and support,*

*Mom, Eddie and Harrison*



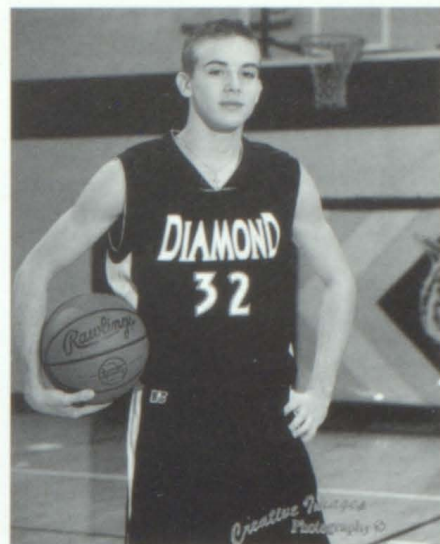


Zack,

Congratulations! We are very proud of you & the very special young man that you continue to become. You are truly blessed with many outstanding gifts and talents. Strive to achieve all that you truly desire. Live each day to its fullest. We wish you the best in life, and may all of your dreams come true.

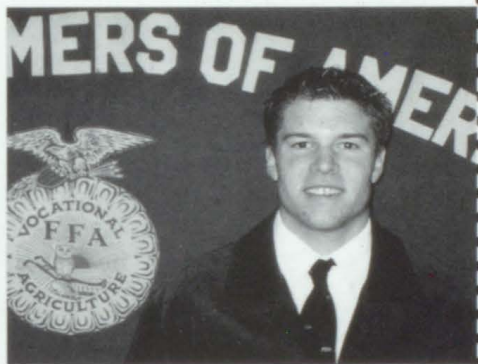
Love as always,  
Mom and Loyd

Ryan,  
Graduation is  
not the end,  
it is the  
beginning.  
It is the time  
that you can  
make your  
dreams become  
reality.



Our hope for you is to find true  
happiness in whatever you do,  
and remember to smell the flowers  
along your way.

We love you and are so proud of you.



Rusty --

Words cannot express how proud we are  
of you. Continue to work hard and you  
will achieve great happiness and success.  
Remember we love you and are always  
behind you in whatever you do.

Love you lots  
Mom, Dad & Grant



Chelsey,

It's impossible to put into words the love and pride we have for  
you. You've become a beautiful young lady both inside and out.  
You've risen above obstacles and challenges and learned from them.  
The next chapter of your life is about to begin. Remember, life is  
what we make it, don't sweat the small stuff, & enjoy every minute of  
every day.

We have no doubt you will achieve every goal you set for yourself.  
God Bless You, be happy, and don't ever forget we love you!!

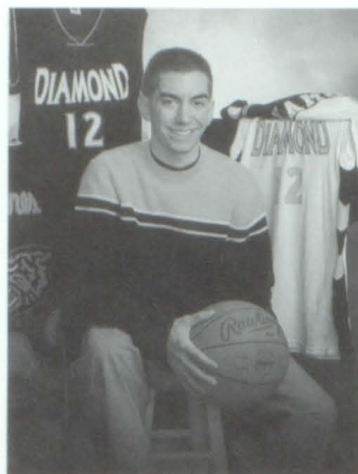
Mom, Dad and Zack





Your journey of life has been an incredible adventure so far. With the dreams and goals that you have nurtured since you were little, there is sure to be much more to your journey. We are honored to have been chosen by God to be your parents and siblings. You have created much joy, enthusiasm, laughter, and encouragement in all of our lives. We cannot express how proud we are of all of your accomplishments and the man you have become through God's blessings. It is awesome to see the hundreds of lives you have touched. We will always love you! Follow your dreams; we'll be right there with you.

Mom, Dad, Lacey, Aubrey, Dezarae



RYAN,

" OFFER THE BEST YOU HAVE AND ASSUME THE BEST IN RETURN  
 " SWEET ARE THE USES OF ADVERSITY  
 " CHARACTER CAN'T BE COUNTERFEITED  
 " WHEN YOU CANNOT MAKE UP YOUR MIND WHICH OF TWO EVENLY BALANCED COURSES OF ACTION YOU SHOULD TAKE -- CHOOSE THE BOLDER  
 " IT'S NICE TO BE IMPORTANT BUT IT'S MORE IMPORTANT TO BE NICE

WITH MUCH LOVE,  
 DAD & RENEE



Way to go,  
 Denton!!



*Kate, you have grown into a very special young lady. We want to wish you the best in life. We are so very proud of you and love you very very much.*

*Love, Mom, Gene,  
 Sami & Lexy*





Frank -- These words can only begin to express how very proud we are of you . . . of your scholastic achievements and most important of the wonderful young man you've become!

Your future is a book yet to be written by you. Embrace life, continue setting your goals and tackle them with drive and perseverance. Living means taking chances, so don't be afraid to take them. We'll be here to support you. Never settle for the path of least resistance -- and never, never forget to have fun doing it!

Love, Mom & Dad

HEATHER,  
CONGRATULATIONS!

WE ARE SO  
PROUD OF YOU.  
LIVE YOUR LIFE  
TO THE FULLEST  
AND ENJOY  
EVERY MINUTE.  
MAY ALL  
YOUR DREAMS  
COME TRUE.

LOVE FOREVER  
AND ALWAYS!  
MOM, DAD, BRAD



In this space I should convey profound words of wisdom and timeless advice -- you know, like the remarks I made every day in 1st hour ("Where did I put that picture/paper/book?"). And I know that, along with the remarks I made every day in 1st hour, you would remember and cherish them forever ("Did you say upper left, lower right or lower left, upper right?") OK, maybe not . . . Anyway, you were a great bunch to be my last yearbook staff -- thanks for the laughs!



# Students Receive Recognition

FACULTY RECOGNIZES OUTSTANDING ACADEMICS AND ATHLETICS

1. Krystle Boman is congratulated by Karin Miller on her participation in journalism.

2. Jeri Rinehart and Skyler Powers, Senior Girl Athlete and Senior Boy Athlete, display some of their athletic awards.

3. Dezi Powers, Renee Forest, and Kaci Testerman receive outstanding vocal awards at the music banquet.



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Ryan Jones receives a scholarship from PTSA president Bonnie Taylor.



Justin Taylor is honored for his participation in student council by advisor Becky Tremblay.



Jeremy Thomas receives an award for his woodworking project by shop instructor Jim Hettinger.



Cory Stripling receives a plaque from cheerleading sponsor Teresa Rogers for being a school mascot.





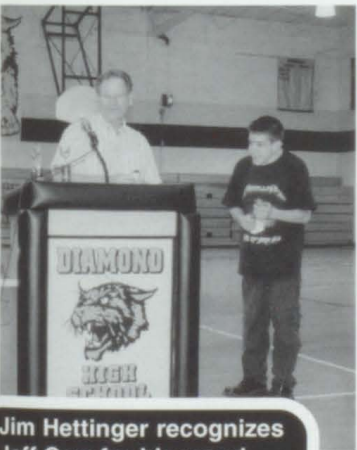
Adam Alford is thanked by Shirley Gollhofer for stage crew help for the school drama productions.



Ashley Shelton receives the outstanding female vocalist award from Rob Lundien.

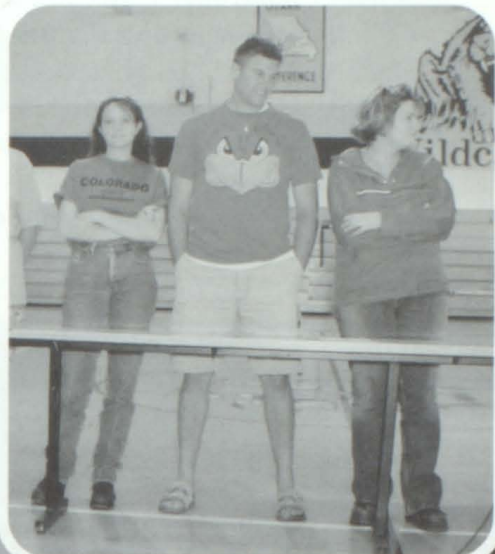


Rob Lundien presents a certificate from the MSHSAA recognizing the school band's state performance.

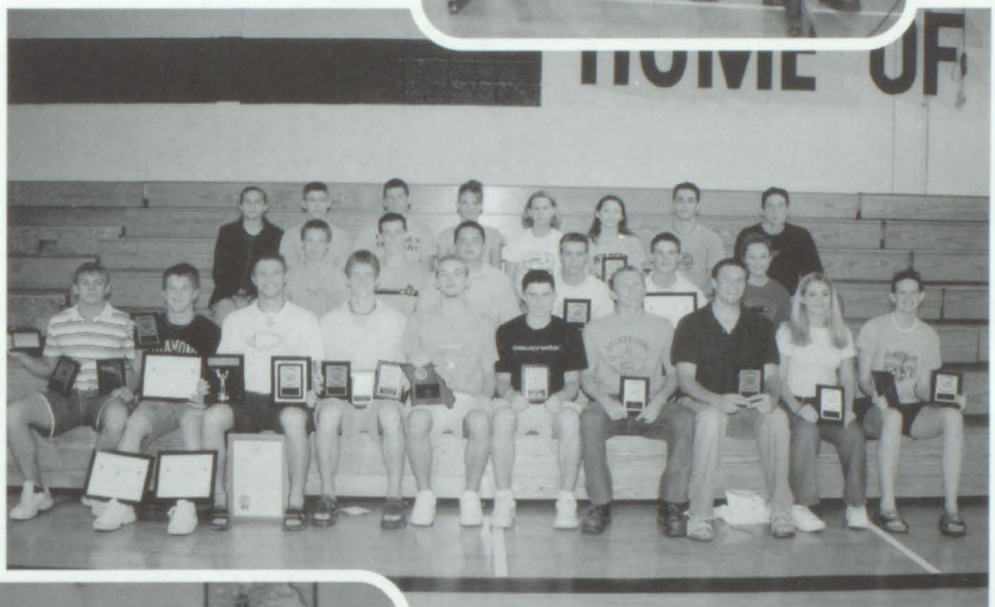


Jim Hettinger recognizes Jeff Carr for his wood-working achievements.

1. Rachel Coker, Rusty Gibbs, and Lindsey Lawson receive recognition for their contributions to FFA. 2. Athletes who won awards at the athletic banquets show their plaques. 3. Heather Leake is congratulated by Mr. Blizzard for receiving an award from the MSHSAA.



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Athletic awards--front: Zach Cope--most inspirational(wrestling); Kyle Kelso--most improved wrestler, most two point near falls, most three point near falls, most takedowns(wrestling), leading scorer(track); Skyler Powers--leading rusher, most tackles(football), basketball captain, DHS booster club senior boy athlete/athlete of the year; Seth Bingman--varsity cross country sportsmanship award; Ryan Green--academic all-state; Chris Jinks--basketball wildcat award; Justen Shull--most steals, most assists, best defense, mvp, best all-around player(basketball); Rusty Gibbs--leadership award, leading passing yards(football), leading rebounder(basketball); Amanda Farley--best defensive player(softball), leading rebounder, leading scorer, mvp, most assists(basketball); Heather Barnett--basketball wildcat award, most improved, most blocks(basketball); middle: Elliot Sutherland--JV cross country sportsmanship award; Matt Harp--all-state, most valuable runner(cross country); Bobby Taylor--wrestling wildcat award; Bubby Farley--most improved(basketball); Kody Kelso--most escapes(wrestling), outstanding golfer; Rachellé Gilliam--best defensive player(volleyball); back: Andi Ingersol--most improved(basketball); Timmy Matthews--most dedicated, best record, most team points(wrestling); Justin Bessman--most valuable wrestler, most reversals, most pins(wrestling); Megan Kinney--hustle award (basketball), most improved(volleyball), leading scorer (track); Ashley Brummett--best offense, mvp(softball); Jessi Youngblood--most steals(basketball); Jake Van Lue--JV basketball mvp; Sheldon Booyer--JV basketball most improved



## When you look back on the night

*You won't remember what you wore  
Or who fought to win the fight.  
The presence of the one you love  
Will seem to matter more.  
You'll look back just to remember  
Or maybe to forget.  
Put behind you nights long since over  
Here's to the night  
That isn't over yet*

*--Elliot Sutherland*



Jason Baker and Denelle White



Elliot Sutherland and Melissa Gallagher



Matt Harp and Sarah Simpson

Jared Addington and Tara Danner enjoy a dance at their senior prom.



Jeff Bearden and Cheryl Johnson sit with Brenda Leuellen and Corey Strippling.



Prom King T.J. Holland and Queen Meghan Drake sit at their designated table after being crowned.

Karin and Dustin Miller dance to a rock song after being dragged onto the dance floor. Mrs. Miller, junior class sponsor, was in charge of the prom preparations.





# Here's To The Night



Everyone crowds the dance floor for a group participation song. The D.J. challenged the group to dance to the "Cha-cha Slide" better than another high school. The group "blew the other school out of the water."

"Prom was better than I expected. Party of the year!"  
--Emily Petty



A group of seniors locks arms and sings together. It has always been a tradition for the last song of every dance to be for the seniors. This year the traditioal song changed from "I've Got Friends In Low Places" by Garth Brooks to "Right Where I Need To Be" by Gary Allan.



Teresa Stone and Zack Cope dance together to "I've Got Friends In Low Places."

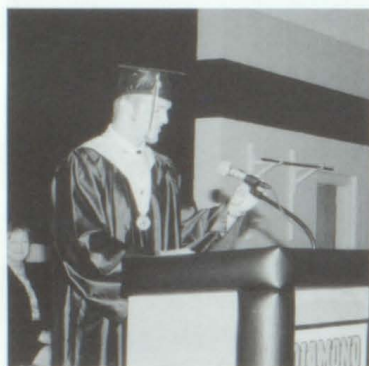


# Final Tour

## Breakin' Out

Katherine Duncan, Amanda Farley, Jenny Ferguson, Audra George, and Nate Getz await Principal Robert Blizzard's announcement of the graduating class of 2002.

Valedictorian Skyler Powers speaks to his fellow graduates about their promising futures.



Frank Chimero uses humor by quoting Dr. Seuss in his Salutatorian Address.



Principal Blizzard stands under a mountain of silly string after announcing the student's graduation from high school.



Ryan Jones smiles as he holds his diploma for the first time.



Lindsey Lawson, Rusty Gibbs, and Tara Danner take time out to pose for pre-graduation pictures.





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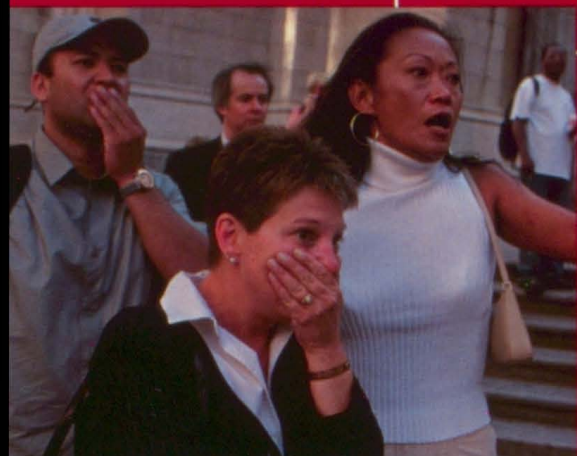
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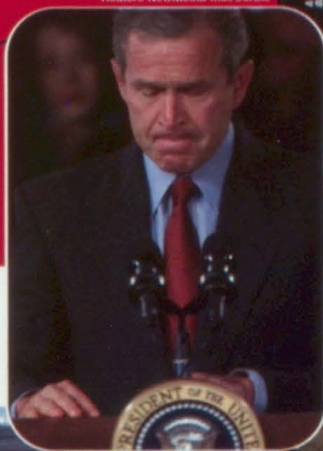


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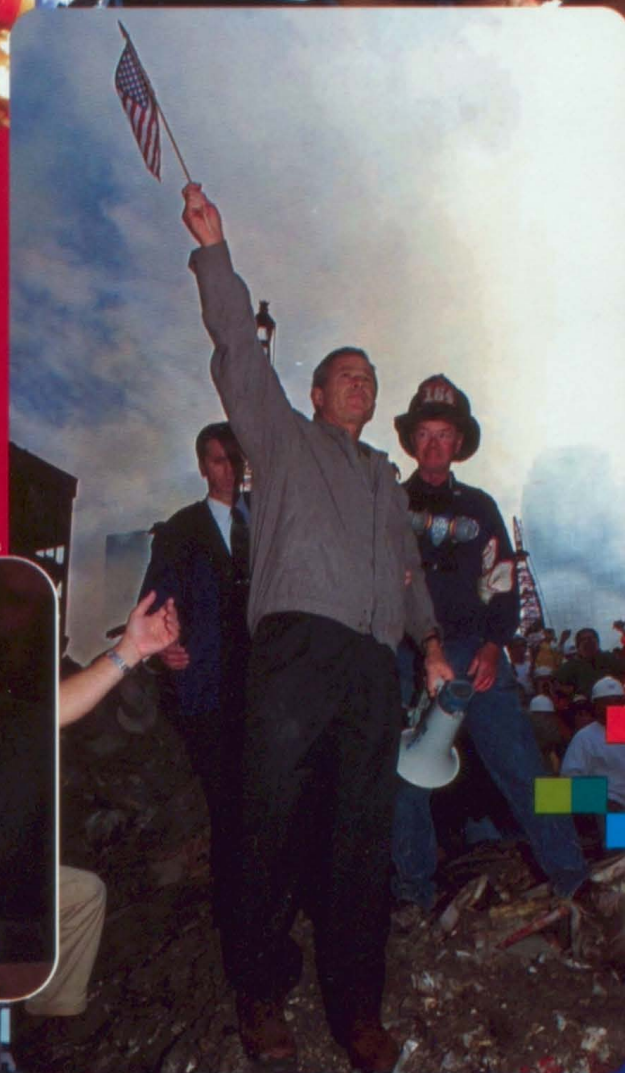
"We will rally the world to this cause by our efforts, by our courage. We will not tire, we will not falter and we will not fail."

—President George W. Bush

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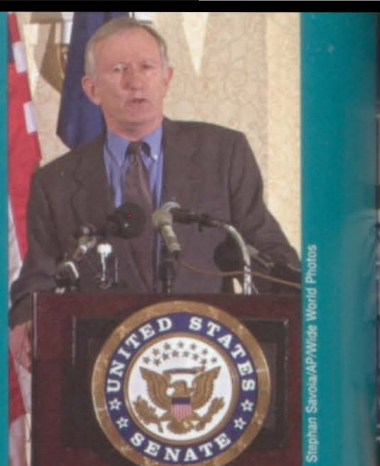




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← California residents endure drastic electricity shortages in the fall. To support energy conservation measures Jay Leno stages an "unplugged" episode of NBC's "The Tonight Show."

→ Democrats gain majority control of the Senate for the first time since 1994 when Vermont Senator James Jeffords leaves the Republican Party because of his opposition to President Bush's agenda.



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↘ Argentina's economy collapses, sparking deadly anti-government protests and looting as the country reaches an unemployment rate of 18% and a budget deficit of \$11 billion.

↓ During a year marked by economic recession, Americans open their hands, and wallets, to much-anticipated IRS rebate checks.



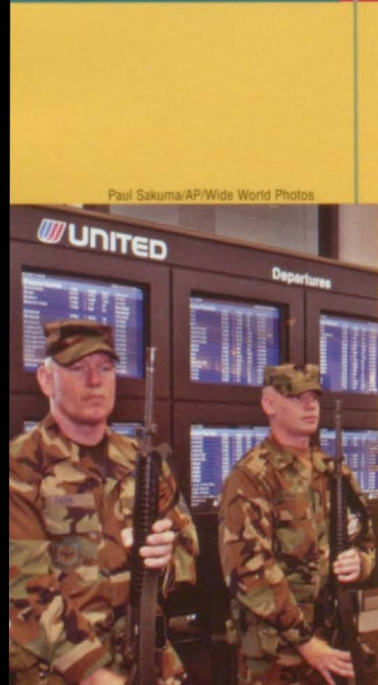
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## World



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↑ Russian President Vladimir Putin and President Bush agree to cut nuclear missile arsenals by nearly two-thirds. Later, Bush unilaterally pulls out of the 1972 Anti-Ballistic Missile Treaty to pursue a missile defense system.

← Americans face armed guards and tighter check-in procedures as airport security restrictions are heightened following the terrorist attacks on September 11.



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↑ Japanese Crown Prince Masako gives birth to a baby girl in December. The birth generates fresh debate about male-only succession to Japan's throne.

→ Americans face another form of terror when anthrax-laced letters are sent to members of Congress and the media. Five people are killed in the attacks, and clean-up of government buildings costs millions of dollars.



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↑ Former Yugoslav leader Slobodan Milosevic faces the International Tribunal in The Hague for U.N. war crimes, including the murder and persecution of ethnic Albanians in Kosovo.

↓ American Airlines Flight 587 crashes into a Queens neighborhood in New York City on November 12, killing all 255 people on board. Structural failure of the plane's tail assembly apparently causes the tragedy.



Yedioth Aharonoth/AFP

↑ Violent Israeli-Palestinian confrontations escalate as Prime Minister Ariel Sharon and PLO Leader Yasser Arafat struggle to find an answer to their countries' ongoing hatred for one another.

↓ The U.S. welcomes overwhelming support and aid from dedicated allies in Operation Enduring Freedom, including Great Britain's Prime Minister Tony Blair.



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↓ U.S. and allied forces mount Operation Enduring Freedom in Afghanistan, driving the repressive Taliban regime from power.

↓ President Bush establishes a new cabinet position, Director of Homeland Security, to coordinate the fight against domestic terrorism. Former Pennsylvania governor Tom Ridge becomes the first incumbent.

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↓ As Operation Enduring Freedom begins, the U.S. military airdrops food rations to the starving people of Afghanistan.



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↑ Twenty-eight youths are arrested for starting bush fires that destroy hundreds of thousands of acres of forest and farmland and kill thousand of koalas and kangaroos in southeast Australia.

↓ Convicted Oklahoma City bomber Timothy McVeigh is executed by lethal injection for destroying the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building in April 1995, killing 168 people.



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↑ After Houston energy giant Enron collapses, thousands lose their life savings, accounting firm Arthur Andersen encounters accusations of unethical practices, and the General Accounting Office sues the Executive Branch for confidential transcripts in its investigation of the scandal.

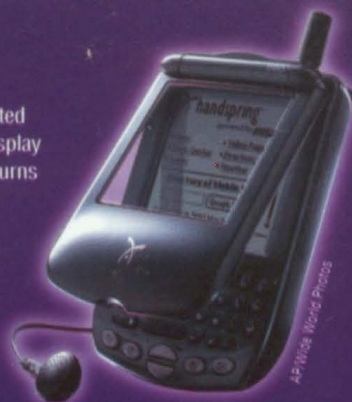




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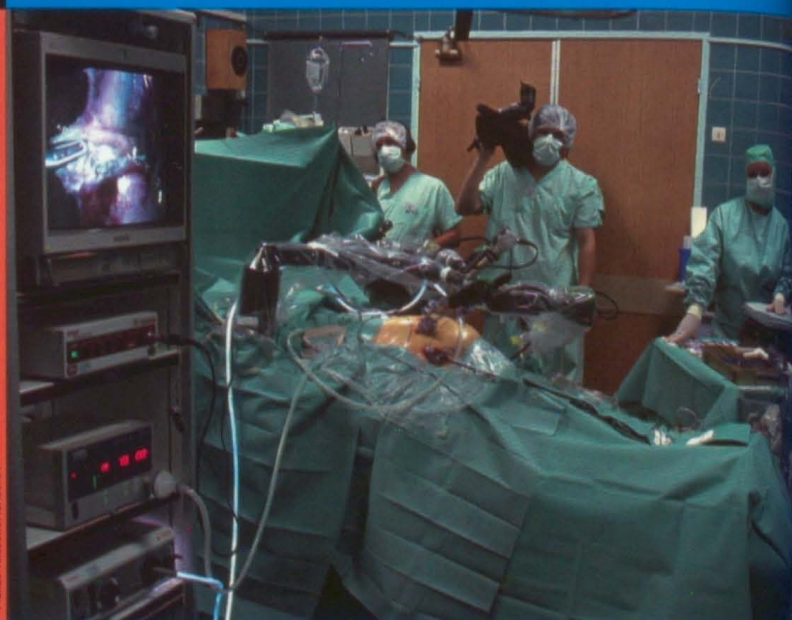
← In November, stargazers are treated to a spectacular shooting star display as the Leonid meteor shower returns after a 33-year absence.

→ Combination PDAs and cellular phones take portable communication to the next level of convenience.



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↓ American surgeons in New York perform the first remote control surgery. Signals sent through fiber-optic lines enable robotic surgical arms to operate on a gallbladder patient in France.



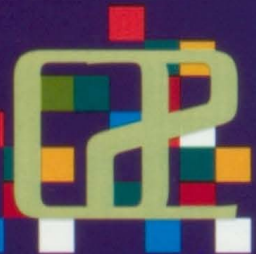
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← Researchers at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minnesota, unveil a new technology that uses facial heat patterns to detect lying. Blood flows to the face when a person lies, causing dramatic changes in heat patterns.

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## Sci-Tech



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↑ Scientists at Massachusetts General Hospital discover that beauty triggers a brain response in men that is similar to reactions to cocaine and money.



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↑ Winter weather buffs are left out in the heat as Americans experience record warm temperatures across the country in December and January.

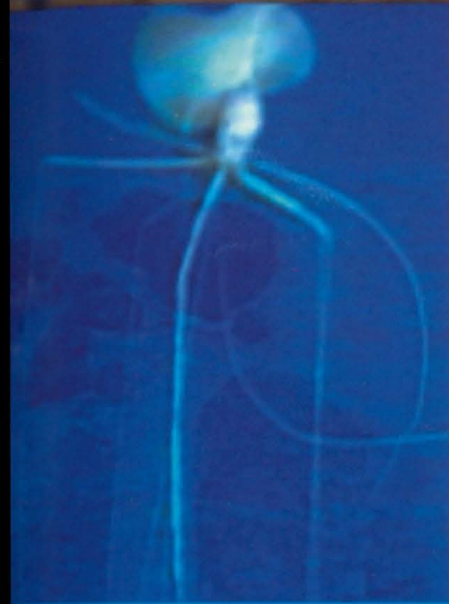
← President Bush approves stem cell research, but only on cells already extracted. The research is highly controversial because extracting the cells kills human embryos.

→ Scientists report that vast fields of carbon dioxide ice are eroding from the poles of Mars. Over time, this could possibly prompt the return of water to the Red Planet.

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↑ On November 7, the supersonic Concorde airplane flies for the first time since the July 2000 crash that killed 113 people. Flight F002 travels from Paris to New York in just under four hours.

↓ Dr. Judson Somerville donates his own DNA to researchers who produce the first cloned human embryo.

Japan Marine Science and Technology Center



↑ Scientists in Argentina discover several 80-million-year-old unhatched dinosaur eggs with petrified dinosaur embryos inside.

↓ Apple releases the sleek new iPod, allowing users to store up to 1,000 digital song files for on-the-go enjoyment.



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↑ The MR2 camera pill allows doctors to examine the inside of the human intestine without surgery. Patients swallow the "pill," which transmits digital images to a data recorder.

↑ A new class of giant squid is discovered. The new squid can grow to lengths of 25 feet, and has fins and 10 spidery arms with elbows.

↓ The Segway Human Transporter, a gyro-controlled scooter invented by Dean Kamen, is tested by police and postal workers in several states.

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↓ The AbioCor, the world's first fully implantable artificial heart, is given to 59-year-old Robert Tools. Sadly, Tools passes away in December from unrelated causes.

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← The American economy enters a recession in March 2001, and the situation worsens significantly after September 11. Unemployment rises to its highest rate in six years.

→ Winnie the Pooh, fondly known by countless children and adults as "the tubby little cubby all stuffed with fluff," celebrates his 75th birthday.



↓ Popular shoemaker Vans releases a shoe of a different color—white shoes that turn yellow, pink or blue in the sunlight.



← Summer camps that teach skills to prepare children for the business world become popular with career-conscious kids and parents.



Marnie Crawford Samuelson



## Lifestyle



↑ M&M/MARS acknowledges the growing Hispanic American population with a new M&M's flavor "dulce de leche," the caramelized sweetened condensed milk mixture popular in Latin America.



↑ Reacting against sexuality in advertising, music and the arts, young men and women across America join the "true love waits" movement.

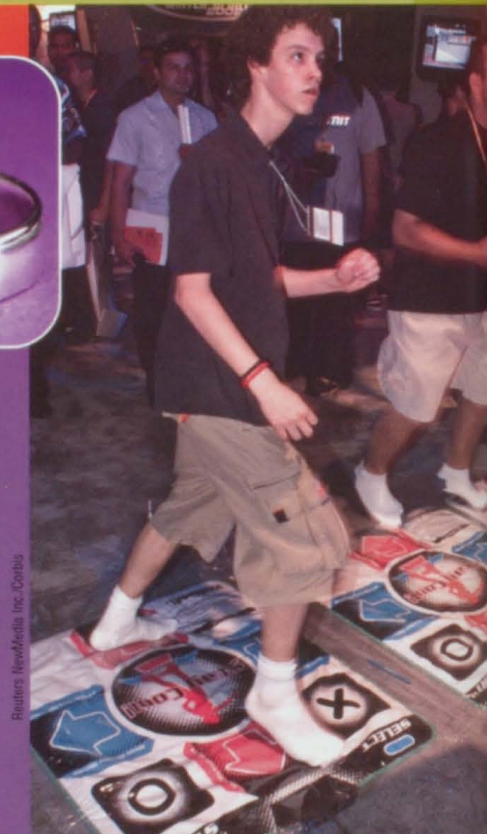
← Hollywood pledges support for New York after the September 11 terrorist attacks by making a variety of "I Love NY" fashion statements.

→ In the new arcade game Dance Dance Revolution, players watch a dance pattern onscreen and duplicate the moves on a corresponding dance floor.



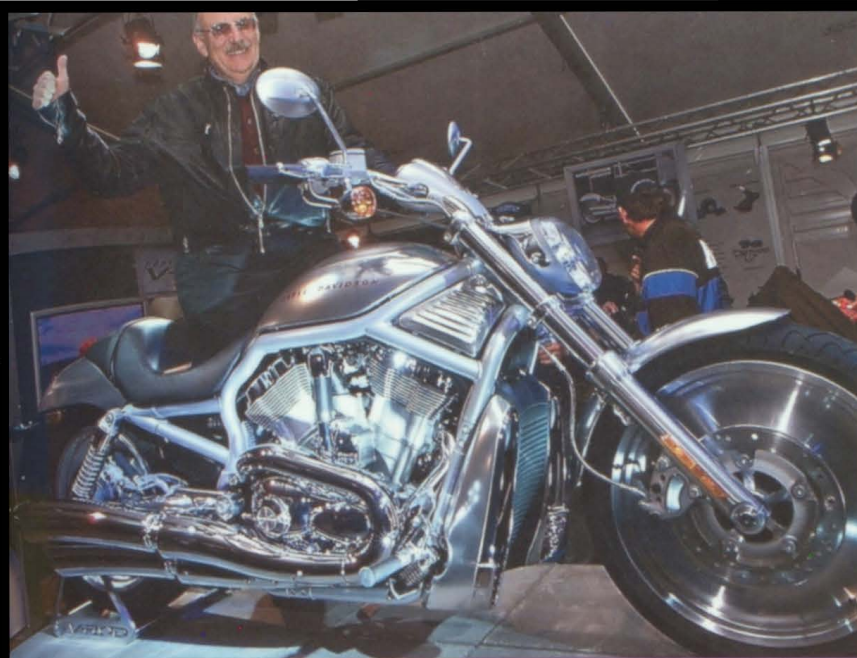
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↑ Hoping to perpetuate its mystique with motorcycle fans, Harley-Davidson unveils the V-Rod, its first new "hog" in a half-century.

↓ Teens across the country are on a roll with retro style roller skates and the newest fad: shoes with retractable wheels.



Sneakers Footwear USA

↑ Bobbleheads make a comeback, representing not only sports figures but also pop music superstars such as 'NSYNC.



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↑ The *Journal of the American Medical Association* reports that childhood obesity has reached epidemic proportions thanks in part to larger fast food servings and in-school soda machines.

↓ Cover Girl turns lips into a work of art with LipArt. The new fad comes complete with stencils, a freestyle lip brush and 26 shades for creating unique lip designs.



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Popisco

↑ Extreme soda drinkers receive another huge jolt of caffeine as Mountain Dew introduces its newest beverage—cherry flavored Code Red.

← Topps releases an "Enduring Freedom" card set featuring portraits and bios of many leaders involved, including President Bush and Secretary of Defense Donald Rumsfeld.

↓ At 10:45 a.m. September 11, Fox News Channel introduces the headline ticker. Other networks follow, creating a non-stop flood of headlines. Each "crawl" rotates nearly 80 headlines in a 7- to 15-minute loop.



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← The American flag shows up anywhere and everywhere as patriots across the country display their support for U.S. troops battling in Operation Enduring Freedom.





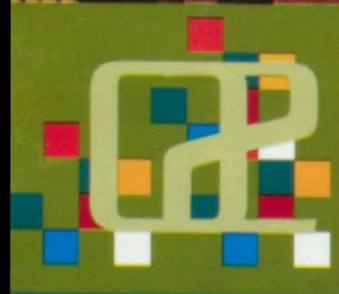
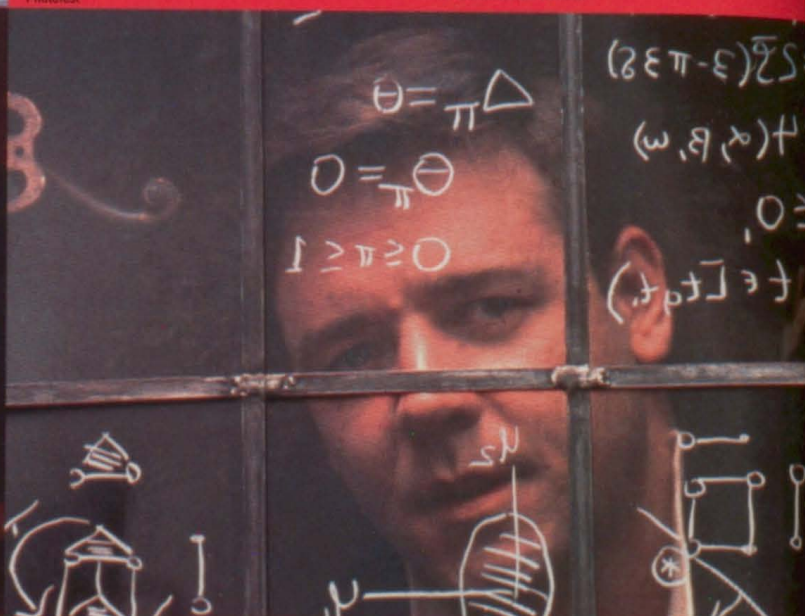
← Shrek and Donkey, voiced by Mike Myers and Eddie Murphy, hit the theaters to teach a valuable lesson about true love in *Shrek*.

→ MTV, the first television network devoted exclusively to popular music, celebrates its 20th anniversary.



← CBS's "Late Show with David Letterman" helps people cope with their emotions in the weeks after the September 11 terrorist attacks.

↓ Russell Crowe receives his third straight Oscar nomination for Best Actor with his challenging role as a paranoid-schizophrenic in *A Beautiful Mind*.

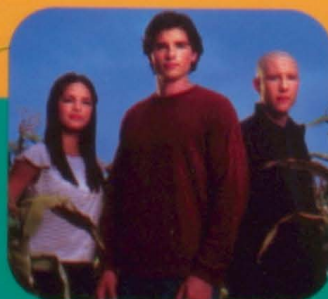


## Entertainment



↑ 1970s Swedish band Abba enjoys revival in the Broadway smash hit *Mamma Mia!* The musical features three intertwined love stories and over 20 of Abba's greatest hits.

← The Emmy Awards for Best Actress and Best Supporting Actress in a Comedy go to CBS's "Everybody Loves Raymond" stars Patricia Heaton and Doris Roberts.



↑ The WB scores a flyaway hit with "Smallville," the story of Superman's high school years. The show stars newcomer Tom Welling as the young Superman.

→ Actor Josh Hartnett solidifies his role as a leading man in Hollywood with a pair of blockbuster war movies: *Pearl Harbor* and *Black Hawk Down*.







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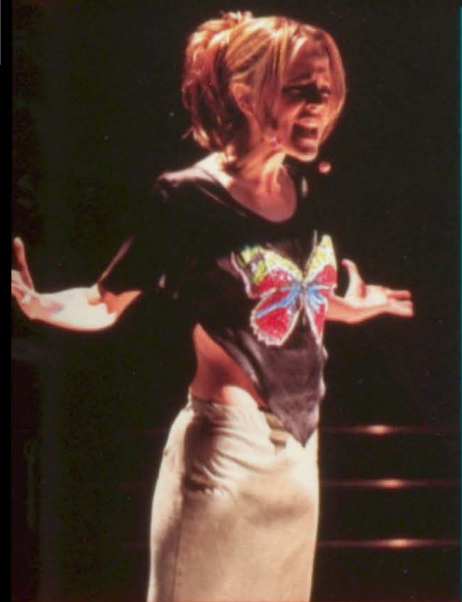


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↑ Entertainers and major TV networks come together in historic fashion for the "America: A Tribute to Heroes" telethon, raising over \$150 million for September 11 relief efforts.

↓ Nintendo's Gamecube and Microsoft's X-Box enter the video game market to compete with Sony's smash-hit PlayStation 2.



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↑ *The Lord of the Rings: The Fellowship of the Ring*, the first movie of J.R.R. Tolkien's fantasy trilogy, receives 13 Oscar nominations including Best Picture.

↓ Steven Spielberg and Tom Hanks collaborate to produce the 10-episode HBO World War II epic *Band of Brothers*, based on the best-selling book by Stephen Ambrose.

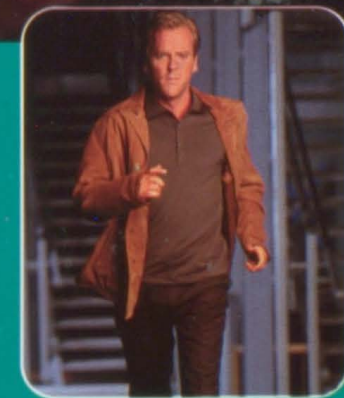
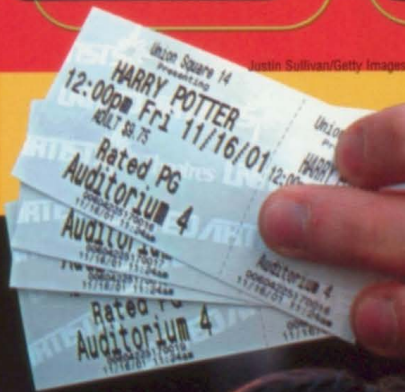


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↑ Kiefer Sutherland stars in Fox's Golden Globe winner "24." The show is delivered in two dozen real-time episodes based on one action-packed day in the life of fictional CIA agent Jack Bauer.

↑ Popular WB TV series "Buffy the Vampire Slayer" receives rave reviews for presenting an entire episode as a musical.

↓ The highly anticipated movie *Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone* sets records for opening weekend, and first, second and third place single-day box-office totals.



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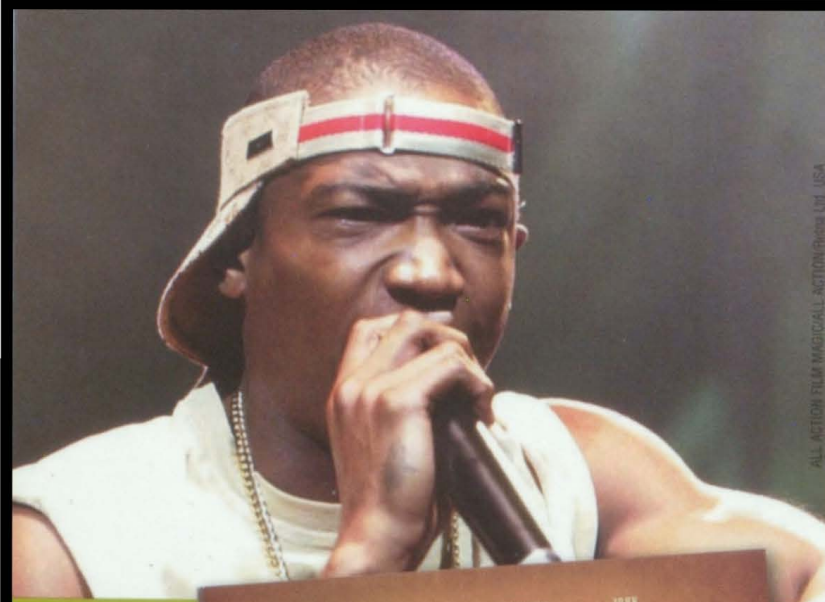
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↑ Sony Pictures, Warner Bros., Universal, MGM and Paramount movie studios discuss the joint creation of Moviefly—the first Internet-based downloadable movie rental system.





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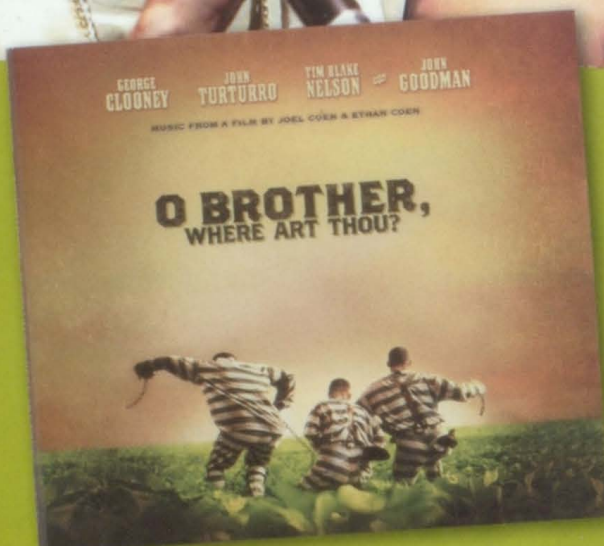
← Popular rapper Ja Rule is nominated for the 2002 NAACP Image Awards Outstanding Hip-Hop/Rap Artist for the song "Livin' It Up."

→ Singer/actress Aaliyah is killed in a private plane crash in the Bahamas. During her eight-year career, Aaliyah released three hit CDs and appeared in several feature films.



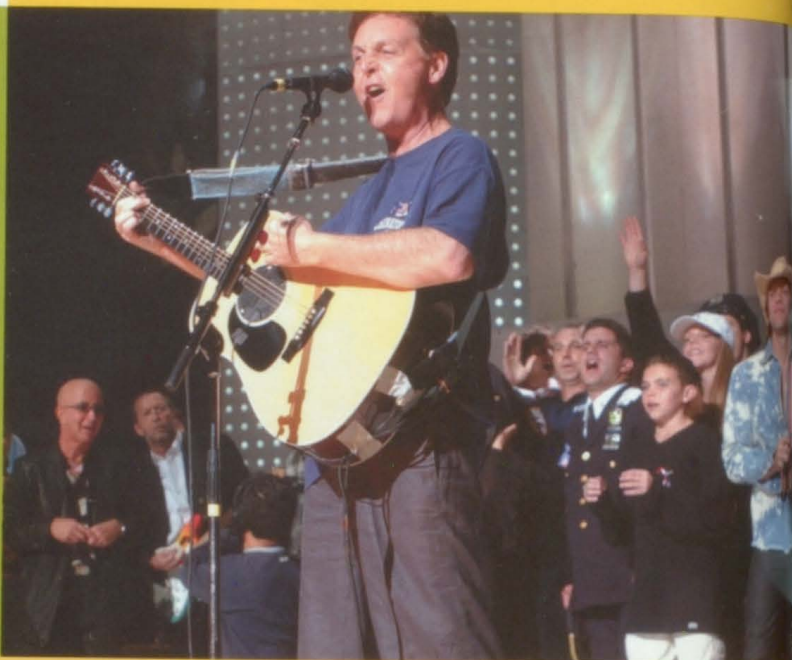
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→ Musicians join together for several concerts, including The Concert for New York City, to pay tribute to the victims and raise money for recovery efforts after the September 11 terrorist attacks.



↑ The music from the hit movie *O Brother, Where Art Thou?* becomes country music's top-seller for 2001 and receives a Grammy nomination for Album of the Year.

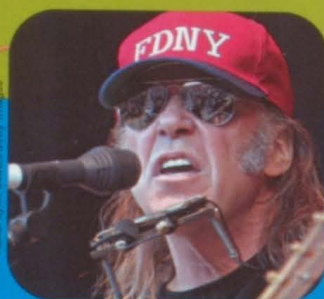
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## Music



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↑ Neil Young's song "Let's Roll" celebrates the spirit of the passengers who overtook hijackers on Flight 93 in Pennsylvania on September 11.

← Colombian music sensation Shakira brings her high-energy Latin pop to the U.S. with her first English-language album, *Laundry Service*.



↑ To benefit AIDS research and September 11 relief efforts U2's Bono recruits musicians to record Marvin Gaye's "What's Going On." Participating artists include Nelly Furtado, Fred Durst, Gwen Stefani, Moby and many more.

→ Modern rock group Incubus storms onto the music scene with the release of the widely acclaimed album *Morning View*.

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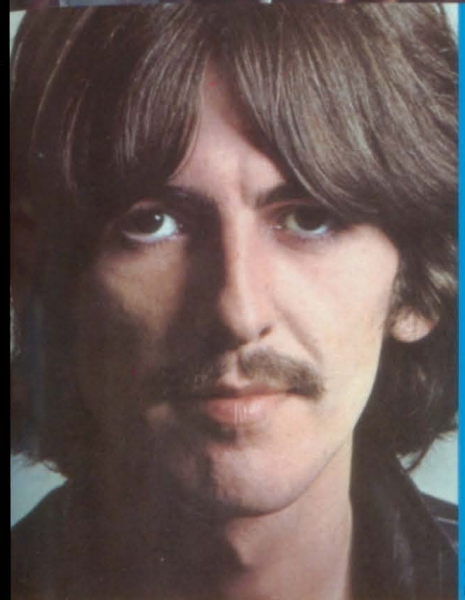




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↑ Legendary Beatles' guitarist George Harrison, the so-called "Quiet Beatle," dies after a three-year battle with cancer.

↓ Rock bands like P.O.D. use their faith to help bring the Christian rock/pop music message into the mainstream music scene.

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↑ Irish rock group U2's Elevation Tour is the top-grossing tour of the year, earning U2 the title of Band of the Year from both *Spin* and *Rolling Stone* magazines.

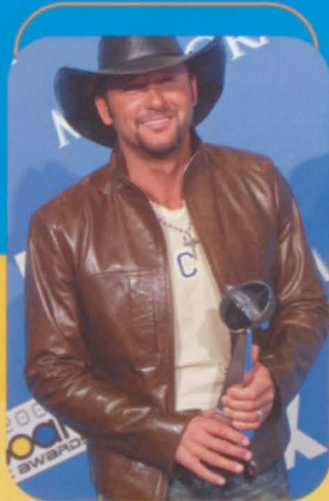
↓ Fatboy Slim wins six MTV Video Music Awards for his video for the song "Weapon of Choice," featuring a dancing Christopher Walken.



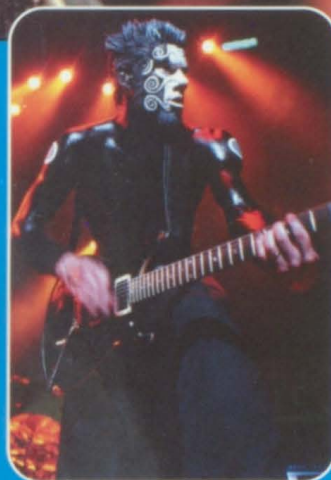
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↑ Alicia Keys wins two American Music Awards for Favorite New Artist in both the Pop/Rock and the Soul/R&B categories for her debut release *Songs in A Minor*.

↓ Country singer Tim McGraw wins five *Billboard* Music Awards, including Country Album of the Year for *Greatest Hits*.



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↑ Limp Bizkit guitarist Wes Borland leaves the band to pursue his own musical career.



← Australian female string quartet Bond reaches the top of the U.S. classical album charts—despite being blacklisted from the U.K. chart for sounding too similar to pop music.

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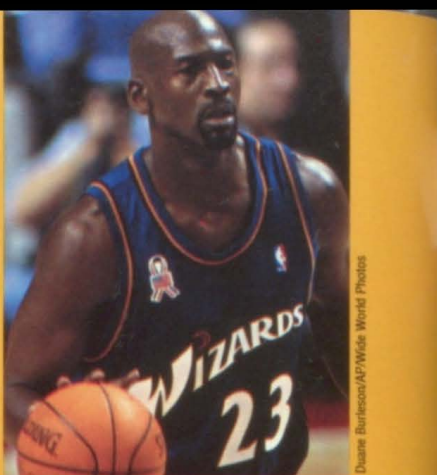






← The 14-point underdog New England Patriots shock NFL viewers by kicking a dramatic last-second field goal to upset the St. Louis Rams 20-17 in Super Bowl XXXVI.

→ Michael Jordan, 38, returns to the NBA with the Washington Wizards. Jordan fills arenas nationwide and propels the previously doormat Wizards to instant respectability with an over-500 record.



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## 2001 WORLD SERIES CHAMPIONS



↓ Swedish golf superstar Annika Sorenstam wins the 2001 money title, eight tournaments and Player of the Year, and sets over 30 LPGA records, including the all-time low score of 59.

↑ The Arizona Diamondbacks stun the New York Yankees to win the World Series with a two-run rally in the bottom of the ninth inning of Game 7.

← San Francisco's Barry Bonds makes baseball history with 73 home runs and an astounding slugging percentage of .863—both all-time records.



Scott Makenda/Report



# Sports



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↑ After her team loses only five games all season, playoff MVP Lisa Leslie leads the Los Angeles Sparks over the Charlotte Sting to win the 2001 WNBA Championship.



Danny Kass/Lisa Leslie/Chris Sponza

↑ Snowboarders Danny Kass, Ross Powers and J.J. Thomas give the United States its first medals sweep in the Winter Olympics since 1956.

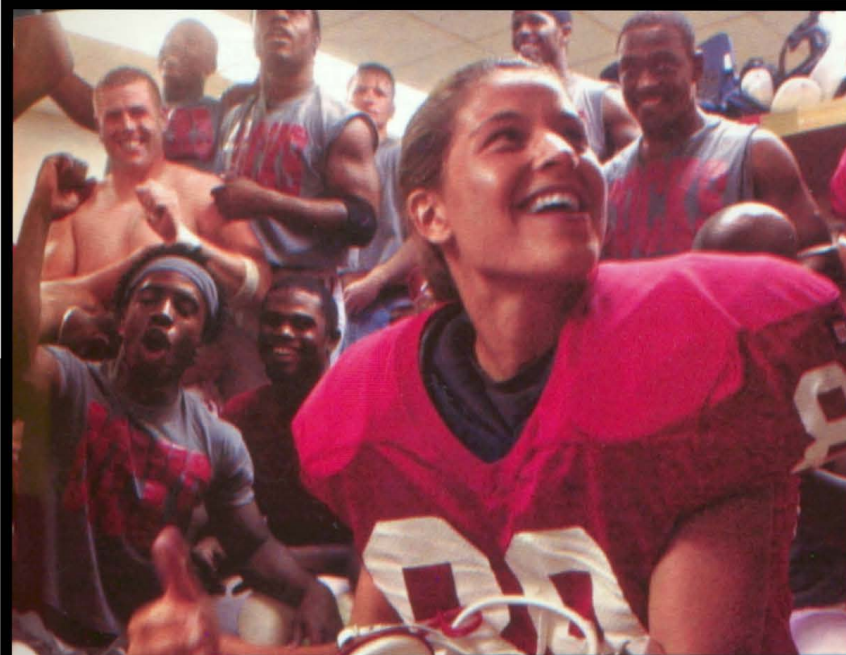
← In July, Dale Earnhardt Jr. wins the Pepsi 400 in Daytona, Florida. Ironically, Earnhardt's victory comes on the same track where his father died just five months earlier.

→ In November, NASCAR superstar Jeff Gordon wins his fourth Winston Cup Championship.

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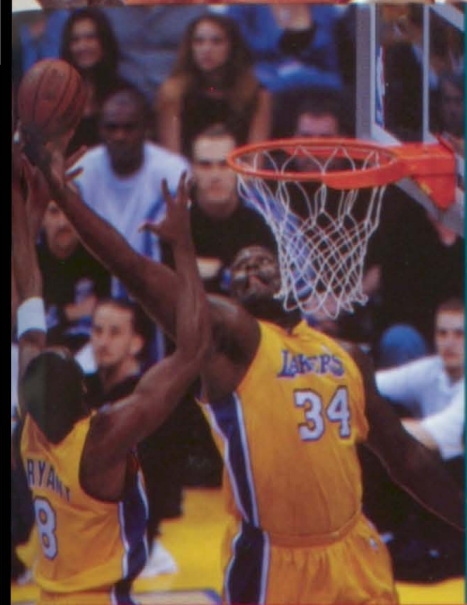
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↑ Former Georgia high school homecoming queen Ashley Martin becomes the first female to score in Division 1-AA college football by kicking three extra points for Jacksonville State.



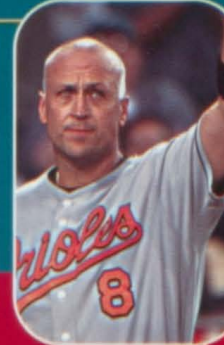
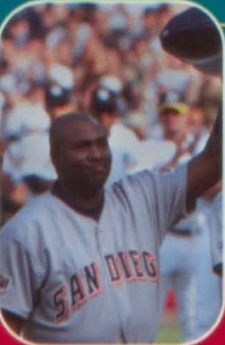
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↑ The Colorado Avalanche skate to victory in the 2001 NHL Finals against the New Jersey Devils, marking the first Stanley Cup win for 20-year veteran Ray Bourque.



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↑ In 2001, superstars Kobe Bryant and Shaquille O'Neal propel the Los Angeles Lakers to their second straight NBA title.

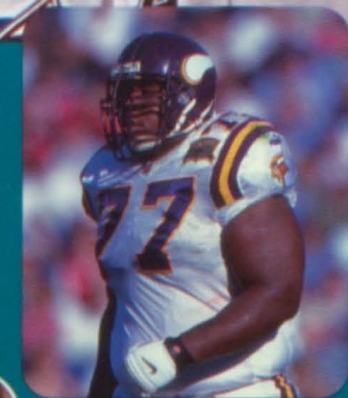


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↓ Future Hall of Famers Tony Gwynn, Mark McGwire and Cal Ripken Jr. all retire from major league baseball at the end of the 2001 season.



Rock Dunaway/Agouti

↑ The NFL season begins on a tragic note when Minnesota Vikings tackle Korey Stringer collapses at practice and dies a day later from heatstroke complications.

→ America welcomes athletes from all over the world to Salt Lake City, Utah, to compete in the 2002 Winter Olympics.

↓ On their way to an undefeated season and undisputed NCAA Football national championship, the Miami Hurricanes roll over the Nebraska Cornhuskers 37-14 in the 2002 Rose Bowl.

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↑ In the first Saturday night women's U.S. Open final, tennis ace Venus Williams defeats her younger sister Serena 6-2, 6-4.





→ An estimated 350 search-and-rescue dogs brave fire, dehydration, toxic fumes and rubble collapse as they comb the World Trade Center wreckage for survivors and victims.

→ Terrorist mastermind Osama bin Laden tops the FBI's most wanted list for his role in the September 11 terrorist attacks.

**FBI TEN MOST WANTED FUGITIVE**

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**USAMA BIN LADEN**

Photo: Osama bin Laden

**DESCRIPTION**

Item	Value	Item	Value
Date of Birth	1957	Place of Birth	Yemen
Height	5'10"	Weight	250 lbs.
Build	Medium	Complexion	Dark
Eye Color	Brown	Hair Color	Black
Complexion	Dark	Build	Medium

**CAUTION**

USAMA BIN LADEN IS WANTED IN CONNECTION WITH THE AUGUST 7, 2001, SHOOTING OF THE UNITED STATES SENATOR IN THE CITY OF BALTIMORE, MARYLAND, AND THE KILLING OF THE SENATOR'S DRIVER. USAMA BIN LADEN IS A FUGITIVE AND IS BEING SOUGHT BY THE FBI.

**REWARD**

The United States Government is offering a reward for information leading to the arrest of USAMA BIN LADEN.

→ Sarah Jane Olson, once known as Kathleen Soliah, is charged with domestic terrorism as a member of the Symbionese Liberation Army in the 1970s and sentenced to 20 years to life.

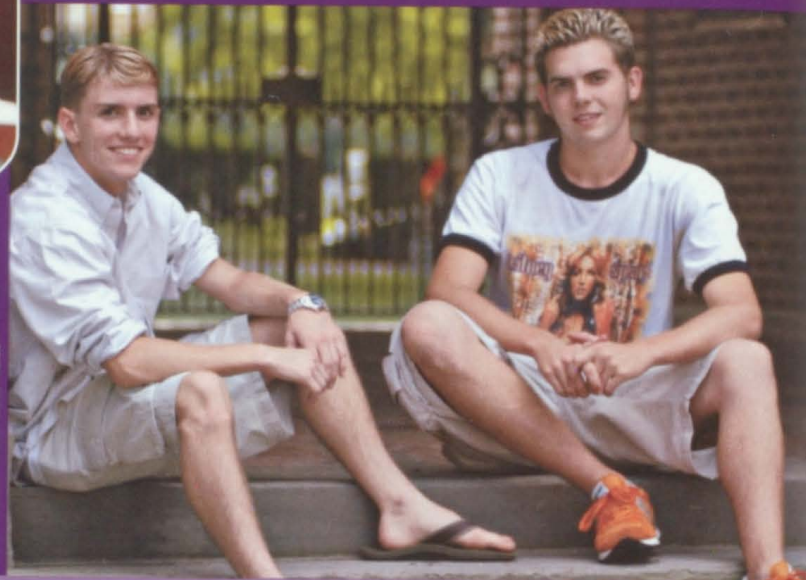
→ Hired as campus spokesmen for First USA Bank, New Jersey high school seniors Chris Barrett and Luke McCabe become the first students to finance their college educations through corporate sponsorship.



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→ New York Mayor Rudy Giuliani makes many public appearances in an effort to make New Yorkers and all Americans less afraid to return to normalcy after September 11.

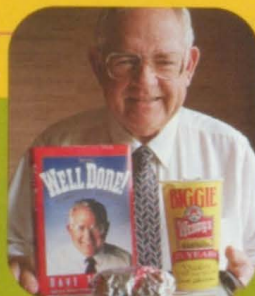
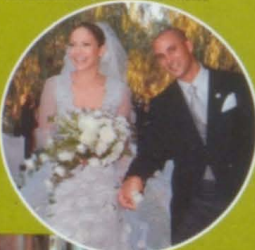
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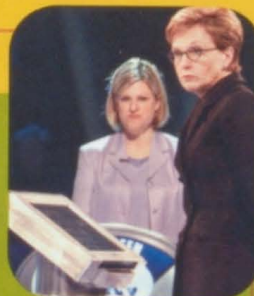
→ Actress/singer Jennifer Lopez marries dancer/choreographer Cris Judd in September.

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Chris Kasson/AP/Wide World Photos

↑ Wendy's founder and familiar television figure Dave Thomas succumbs to liver cancer at age 69.



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↑ NBC's TV game show "The Weakest Link" gains popularity thanks to the assertive demeanor of British hostess Anne Robinson.

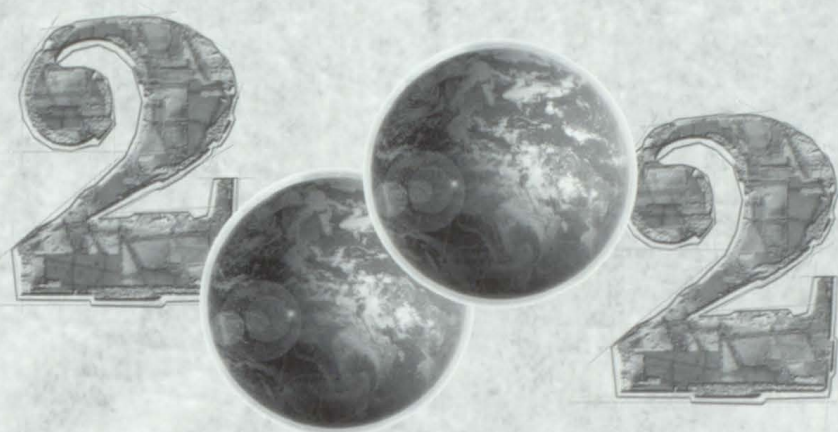
← John Walker Lindh, a 20-year-old California native, becomes a prisoner of war after he is found in Afghanistan fighting for the Taliban forces. As a U.S. citizen, Walker may face charges of treason.

→ The future king of England, Prince William of Wales, 19, enters the University of St. Andrews in southeastern Scotland.

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# MIDDLE SCHOOL

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# Student Faces in Lots of School Places

Tonya Loyd, Tiffany Stewart, and Laudi Kuri joined the sixth graders at an assembly.



Casey Welch, Thia Wiggins, Leanne Ross, and Alyshia Bowles go through the "YMCA" moves at a dance.

Crystal Harrall, Kayla Webb, and Jayma King show their school spirit by dressing up for "nerd day."



Blake Broaddus and Brittney Stevens dance to a slow song at one of the middle school dances.



Thia Wiggins, Alyssa Simpson, and Kacie Cooper get together for a country dance.



Stephanie David and Ryan Clouse smile at a dance held in the cafeteria.



Paul Holland and Brittan Barwick dance during middle school social.





Devin Greenwood dresses appropriately on "nerd day."



Tanner Stevens, Greg Dodson, and Blake Broaddus wait for an assembly to begin.



Social Studies teacher Rachael Madden appears in full "nerd" costume.



Kyle Lowry and Alyssa Simpson are among the students rewarded for their scholastic efforts with a ride in a limosine.



Ricki Fountain, Lauren Fетters, and Katie Hext work on their door decorations for the TA contest following September 11.



Jessi Smart, Cara Shaffer, Leanne Ross, and Spencer Snow are winners in the "Don't Do Drugs" art contest.



The sixth graders won a holiday hall decorating contest between the classes.

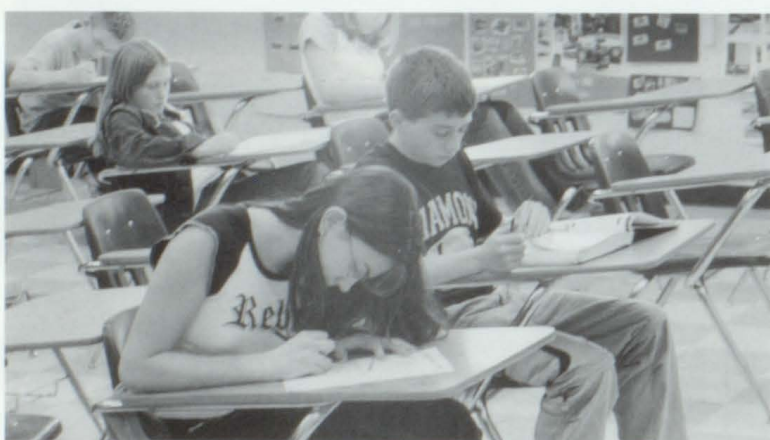


## Middle School Academics

# Ready To Learn

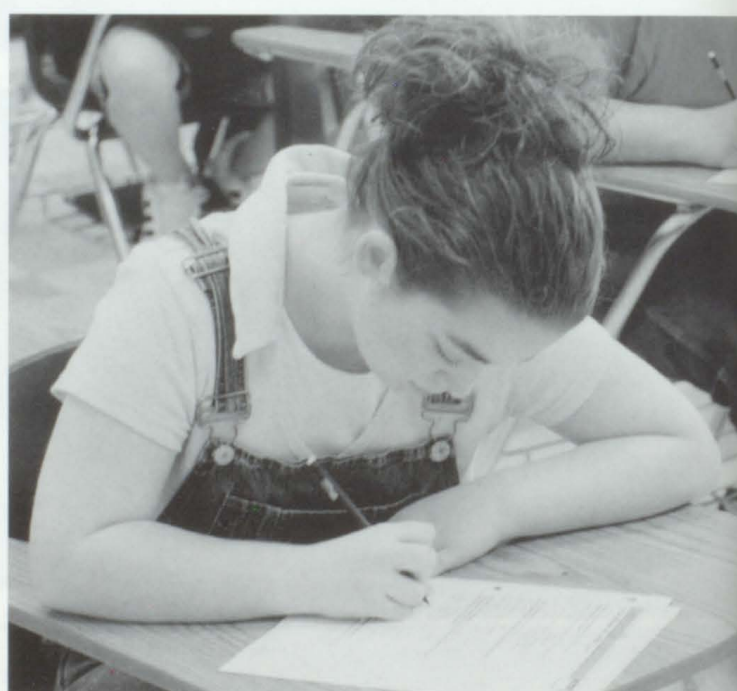
Ricki Fountain, Carra Shaffer, and Sam DeBoer test different solutions while Mrs. Patrick observes her students. The experiment tested different types of shampoo.

Greg Dodson, Kevin Barker, and Blake Broaddus work on a science project during 5th hour.



Stephanie David, Josh Dresslaer, and Brittney Stevens work on their English assignment.

Elizabeth Arnold concentrates on finishing her worksheet during her Language Arts class.

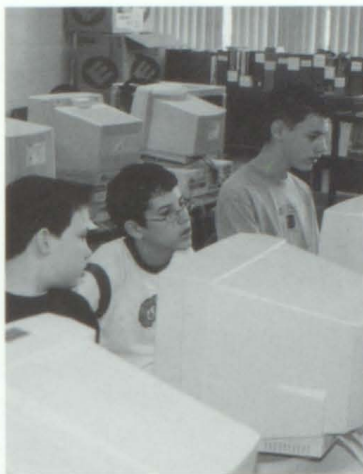




Dana Bridges prepares to throw the ball during a game of warball while Andy Struewing, Carrie Castor, and Whitney Booyer wait in the background.



Nick Long assists Caleb Lucas on the computer as Jake Newsum works on his own project.



Tanner Stevens, Casey Patterson, and Ryan Baker enjoy a movie in Mr. Turner's Current Issues class.



Raymond Tapp works on questions in Mr. Reed's social studies class.



Kyle Lowry, Jacob Nelson, Charles Forest, Kevin Ortega, Jessi Rawlings, Carrie Castor, and Katie Dodson work as a team on a science project involving eggs.

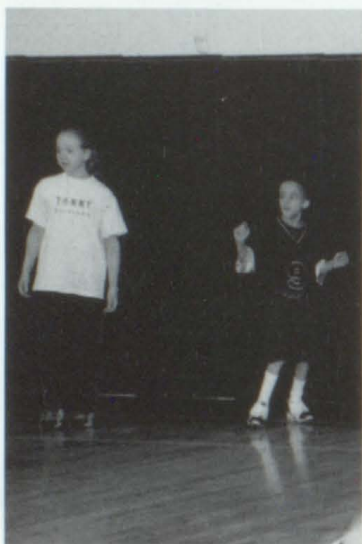
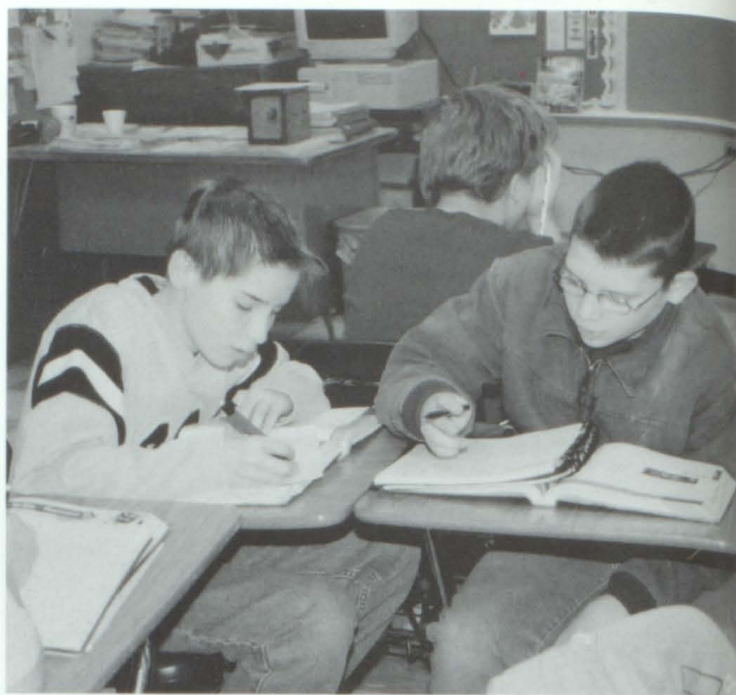




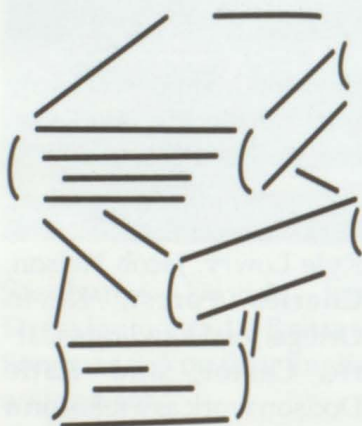
Courtney Sweet, Jessica Webb, Rylee Tomlinson, and Sarah Sweet draw different types of lines during Mr. Miller's 5th hour art class.



Devin Greenwood and Curtis Russell keep busy working on a daily assignment for Mr. Augustine.



Cassandra Cullum and Dakota Vincent take part in a game of warball during P.E.



Misty Conner listens to Mr. Hettinger during her study skills class while Dustin Watson watches from the background. The class is held in the shop; however, students do not do any wood working until they reach the seventh grade.



# Moving On Up



Carra Shaffer smiles as she receives her certificate of advancement from Superintendent Mark Mayo.



A smiling Luke Hockman steps off the stage after giving his Valedictorian Address.



Lauren Fetters addresses the audience as she gives her Salutatorian Address. Fetters congratulated her class for getting as far as they have together.



Amanda McKee and Tyler Youngblood stand and face the crowd of family, friends, and teachers.



Kayla Bass walks across the stage to shake the hand of the superintendent and receive her certificate of advancement from Mrs. Berry.



Shannon Keefer and Tia Finley make their way back down the aisle to celebrate their advancing to the high school.



The team huddles around Coach Douglas during a timeout to discuss what play is next.

## Ready for the Enemy

The Wildcats had yet another improving season. Under Head Coach Joe Douglas, the middle school football team was 5-1 for the season.



The Wildcat offensive line blocks Liberal's defensive line while Norwood and Estabrook get in position to receive the pass.

Quarterback Youngblood runs for the touchdown against Lockwood. Youngblood had seven touchdowns for the season.



The Wildcats keep Liberal back to allow for another touchdown. The Wildcats beat Liberal 43-6.





Diamond players stand on the sidelines and discuss calls.



Diamond players rush for another touchdown to add to their winning season.



Kelly, Estabrook, and Clouse assist players off the ground after the play was downed.



Front: Josh Dresslaer, Jeff Morris, Colton Griffin, Clay Norwood; middle: Robert Castro, Tanner Stevens, Kevin Ortega, Ryan Clouse, Colton Drake, Coach Joe Douglas; back: Tyler Youngblood, Luke Hockman, Blake Broaddus, Cole Shipman, Scott Gill, Caleb Lucas; not pictured: Derek Estabrook, Dylan Kelly, Josh Matthews.

## Score Box

	Us	Them
Pierce City	32	0
Stockton	20	53
Lockwood	38	0
Liberal	43	6
Sarcoxie	13	0
Jasper	22	6





# Crouching Wildcats, Hidden Talents



O'Donnell concentrates on the ball while serving an ace to an unready Granby team.



After a set from Fetters, Fountain swings for the kill against Liberal.



Preparing to serve receive, McKee gets low and ready so that she can provide the perfect pass and help the team get the sideout.

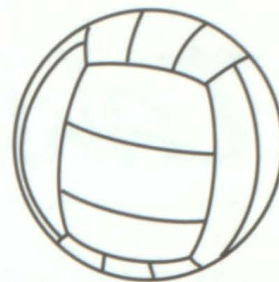


Seventh grade: front: Alyssa Simpson; LeAnn Dardenne; middle: Alyshia Bowles, Dana Bridges, Kat Dodson, Thia Wiggins, Brittany Barwick; back: Amanda Brashear, Coach Bobbi Sweet, Whitney Booye, Lydia O'Donnell, Coach Shirley Gollhoffer, Kacie Cooper.





Brown, Feters, and David get into ready position while waiting for a Liberal serve.



Warming up for the 7th grade game, Bowles passes a hit from Gollhoffer.

During a timeout in the Liberal game, the 7th grade team receives instruction from Coach Gollhoffer.



Eighth grade: front: Lauren Feters, Jessie Smart, Darcie Price; middle: Maggie Brown, Ricki Fountain, Casey Brown, Brittany Busse; back: Katy Hext, Coach Bobbi Sweet, Betty Thorp, Amanda McKee, Coach Shirley Gollhofer, Stephanie David.

## Middle School Volleyball

Wheaton  
Granby Jr. High  
Sarcoie  
Seneca Middle  
Sarcoie  
Jasper  
Wheaton  
Seneca Middle  
Granby Jr. High  
8th Seneca Tourney  
Liberal  
7th Seneca Tourney



# Taking it to the house

Norwood puts up a shot over the defense. Myers and Lane get in position for the rebound.

Lane takes a shot in the lane.



Holland breaks to get open for the inbounds pass.



Seventh: front: Ryan Clouse, Clint Myers, Michael Lane, Paul Holland; middle: Jake Edge, Daniel Stone, Clay Norwood; back: Kevin Ortega, Kyle Lowry, Zach Towers, Charles Forest.





Stevens takes a wide open three pointer.



Bass defensive slides with the opponent. Stevens moves in for the trap.



Broaddus, Bass, and Stevens clear the court for a time-out.



Eighth: front: Jeff Morris, Josh Bass, Josh Dresslaer; middle: John Gossard, Tanner Stevens, Luke Hockman; back: Blake Broaddus, Cory Bass.



Hockman stops the transition of the offensive player.



Diamond prepares for defense while Seneca inbounds the ball.

## MS Girls' Basketball

*"We worked on fundamentals from the first day of practice and the girls made the most improvement of any girls basketball team I have ever coached."*

*Coach Brad Hocker*



Bridges grabs the rebound and protects the ball from an opposing player.

Darr receives a pass and begins to bring the ball up the floor to set up the offense.



Fetters plays defense as a Seneca player attempts to make a pass.







Lasiter goes up for the shot to score two points for Diamond.

Castor steals the ball from a Seneca player and begins to bring the ball up the floor.



Seventh: front: Alyshia Bowles, Carrie Castor, Dana Bridges; back: Coach Grant Reed, Jacqueline Lasiter, Lydia O'Donnell, Whitney Booyer, Coach Brad Hocker.

Eighth: front: Ricki Fountain, Darci Price, Michelle Darr; middle: Taunie Brewer, Brandi Johnson, Brittany Busse, Katherine Hext; back: Coach Grant Reed, Casey Brown, Lauren Feters, Alyson Brown, Coach Brad Hocker.



# *We keep running and and vaulting and running and*

## Cross Country and Track

Cross Country:  
Zach Towers,  
Michael Lane,  
Samantha Vincent,  
Coach Larry  
Cunningham

Below: Lane gets ahead of  
the competition at the  
Wheaton meet.



Right: Vincent runs alone  
at the Southwest meet.



Towers kicks it in on the  
last straightaway at the  
Southwest meet.





# jumping and running

## and throwing and running and hurdling and running



Far left: Towers runs away from the competition in the open 1600.

Left: Nickolaisen finishes up a long run.

Below: Booyer is neck and neck with her opponent.



Track: front: Casey Welch, Lydia O'Donnell, Michelle Nickolaisen, Amanda McKee, Darci Price, Brittany Stevens; middle: Jacque Lasiter, Dana Bridges, Whitney Booyer, Tia Finley, Casey Brown, Cynthia Wiggins, Samantha Vincent, Jessica Harrison; back: Kevin Harrall, Aaron Johnson, Coach Grant Reed, Paul Holland, Cole Shipman, Daniel Price, Zach Towers, Cory Bass, Luke Hockman, Caleb DeVillier, Josh Dresslaer, mgr. Lauren Feters, John Gossard.



# Cheerleading

*it's just the beginning*

Welch and Chavana perform a cheer during a timeout. The job of the cheerleaders is to get the crowd verbally involved in the football game.

Chavana, Brashear, and Barwick watch the game from the sidelines as a cue for their next cheer.

Baldwin and Dame pep up the crowd during a home football game.



Dame contemplates the current cheer while pepping up the crowd.



Front: Nicki Dame, Brittany Barwick; middle: Michelle Nickolaisen, Alicia Bradley, Amanda Brashear; back: Kacee Baldwin, Casey Welch, Alex Chavana, Thia Wiggins.



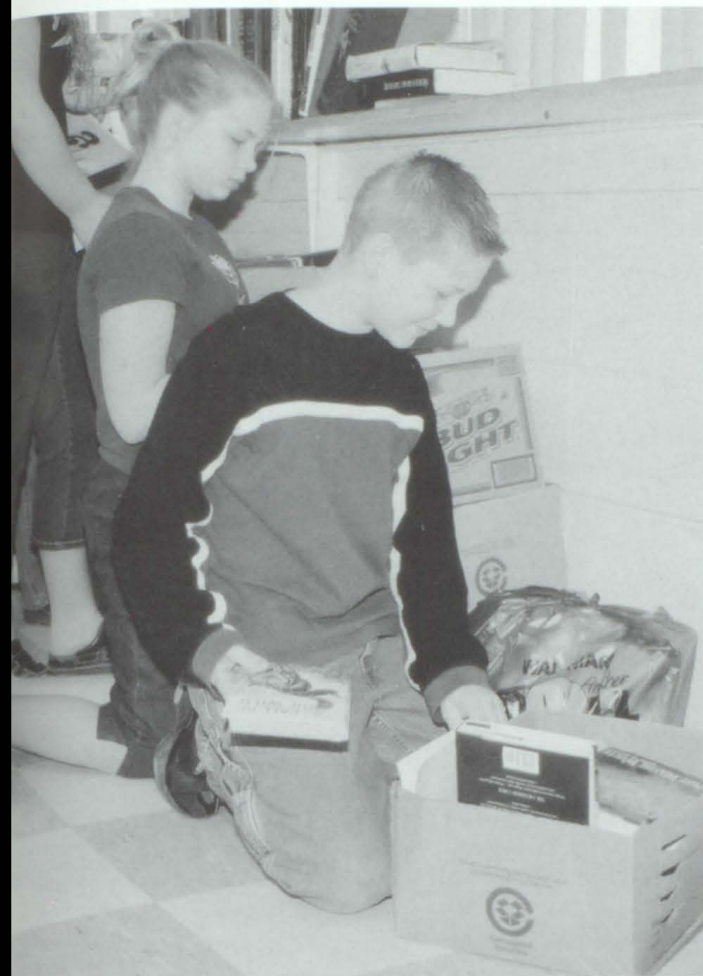
*Learning the values of leadership  
while helping the student body improve...*

# Middle School Student Council

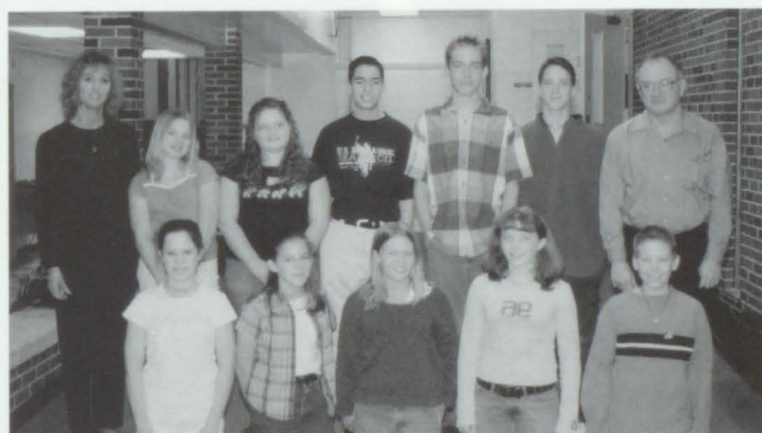
Members of the middle school academic quiz team prepare to challenge their teachers to an academic match, an event sponsored by the student council.



Clint Myers sorts books that will be used to create next year's new middle school library.



Addie Whitehead and Seth Bingman, members of the high school council, talk to middle school students about some of the responsibilities of a student council member.



Front: Kacie Cooper, Kelsey Henson, Brittany Stevens, Michelle Darr, Clint Myers; back: Renee Jones, advisor, LeAnn Dardenne, Leanne Ross, Ryan Cosby, Zach Towers, Colter Jones, Randy Turner, advisor.

Advisor Renee Jones participates in spirit week, a stuco-sponsored event.

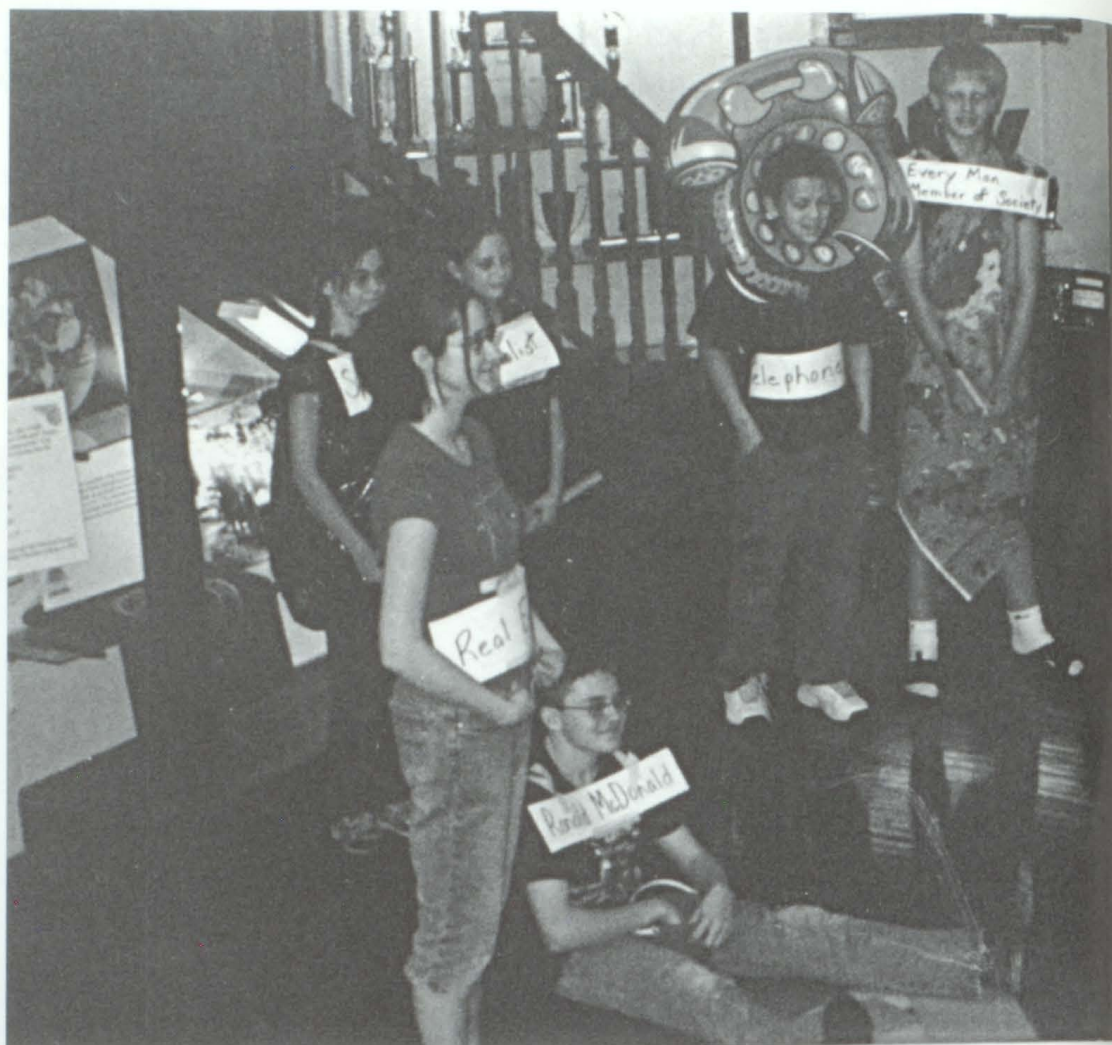




# Brain vs. Brain

Students in the gifted class prepare to participate at the state competition in Future Problem Solving.

Alicia Bradley and Luke Hockman receive first place medals at the National History Day.



Ozark 8 Math and Science conference participants: front: Amanda McKee, Lauren Feters, Tanner Stevens, Mikeal Meister, Leanne Ross; middle: Shane Gallagher, Taunie Brewer, Stephanie David, Ryan Clouse, Cameron Harrington, Jake Edge; back: Lydia O'Donnell, Elizabeth Arnold, Carra Shaffer.



During state competition Hockman displays the flags while Bradley explains their future problem solving plans. They are preparing to go to the National competition in June, 2002, in College Park, Maryland.



*Learning the scales of music while  
using the instruments to experiment with new ideas*

# *New meaning for musical instruments*



While Mrs. Hardy tunes the music maker, Jamya King waits to finish playing her songs.

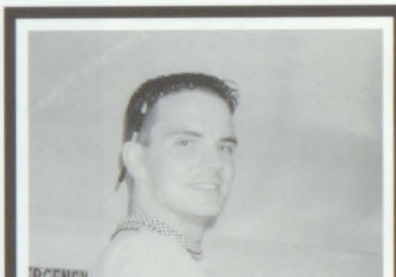
During the Spring Concert, Lee Hollars plays his saxophone to the song "Windsor Overture."



With their shades in place, Kasey Hockman and the sixth grade band play "Louie Louie."

Mrs. Hardy's first hour choir plays a song using the boom whackers. Each student plays when his or her note is called upon.

Concentrating on staying together, Amanda Harris and Jennifer Buening play a song on the bells.



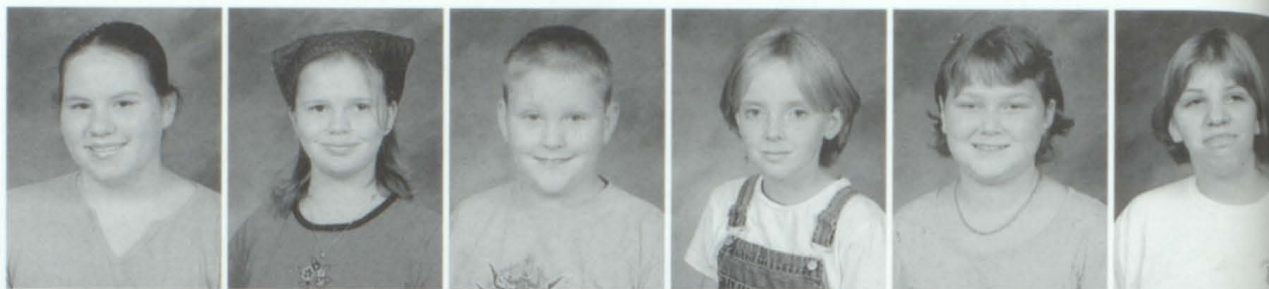
"The students are very energetic. They are a lot of fun, and they keep me on my toes!"

Band Teacher  
--Mr. Rob Lundien

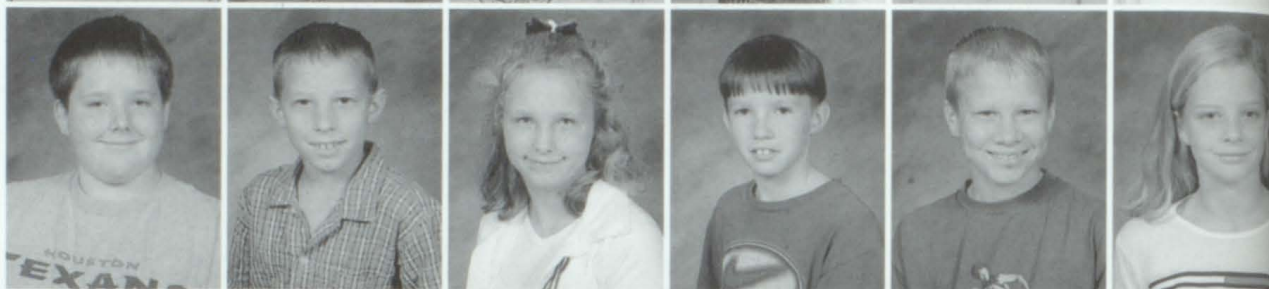


# SIXTH GRADE

Jessica Adkins  
Kelsee Anderson  
Aaron Bailey  
Shala Bass  
Haylee Berliaw  
Heather Blackwell



Gram Boman  
Toby Brown  
Jennifer Buening  
Bradley Buzzard  
Daniel Callis  
Lacey Carneal



Caitlin Carter  
Tim Carver  
Misty Conner  
Paul Connors  
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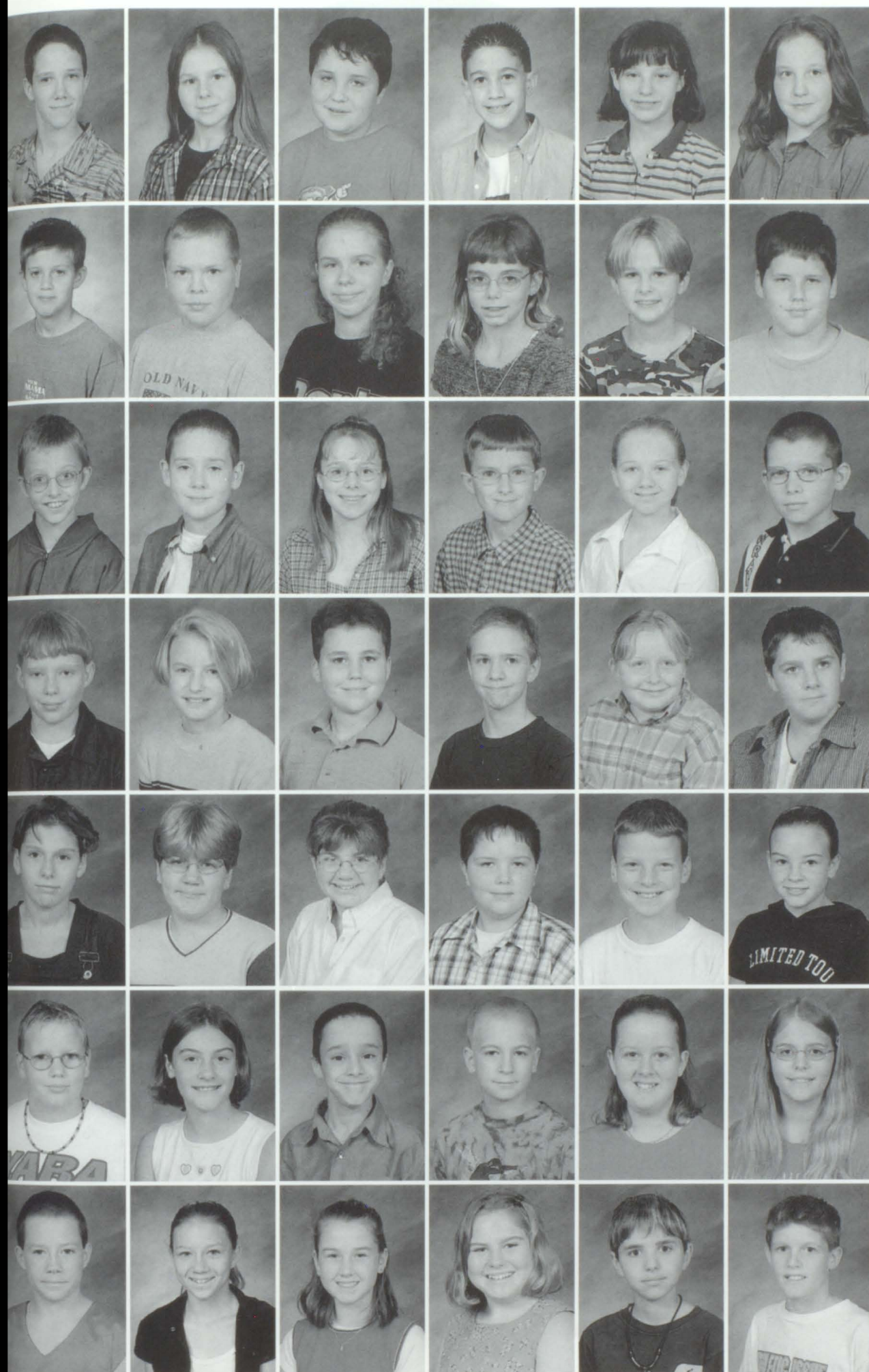
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Amanda Harris



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Kasey Hockman  
Justin Holden  
Lee Hollars







Clinton Jones  
Jayma King  
Kevin Kuhn  
Laureano Kuri  
Katelyn Long  
Tonya Loyd

Kyle Marshall  
Issac McLees  
Dayna Moon  
Krystal Morgan  
Amanda Morris  
Bradley Morris

Zachary Newland  
Cody Palmer  
Lindsey Patterson  
Brice Reavis  
Ashley Robinson  
Curtis Russell

Cody Sales  
Kaci Scribner  
Tanner Seward  
David Simons  
Tiffany Stewart  
Blake Stoops

Catherine Stuckey  
Courtney Sweet  
Sarah Sweet  
Benjamin Taylor  
Coty Taylor  
Stephanie Taylor

Joshua Todd  
Rylee Tomlinson  
Dakota Vincent  
Michael Waddell  
Courtney Wall  
Rebecca Warthen

Dustin Watson  
Nicole Watson  
Jessica Webb  
Kayla Webb  
Matthew Witt  
Casey Youngblood



# Seventh Grade

Cody Allerton  
Chelsie Baker  
Kacee Baldwin  
Kevin Barker  
Brittany Barwick  
Clint Blizzard



Whitney Booyer  
Alyshia Bowles  
Alicia Bradley  
Amanda Brashear  
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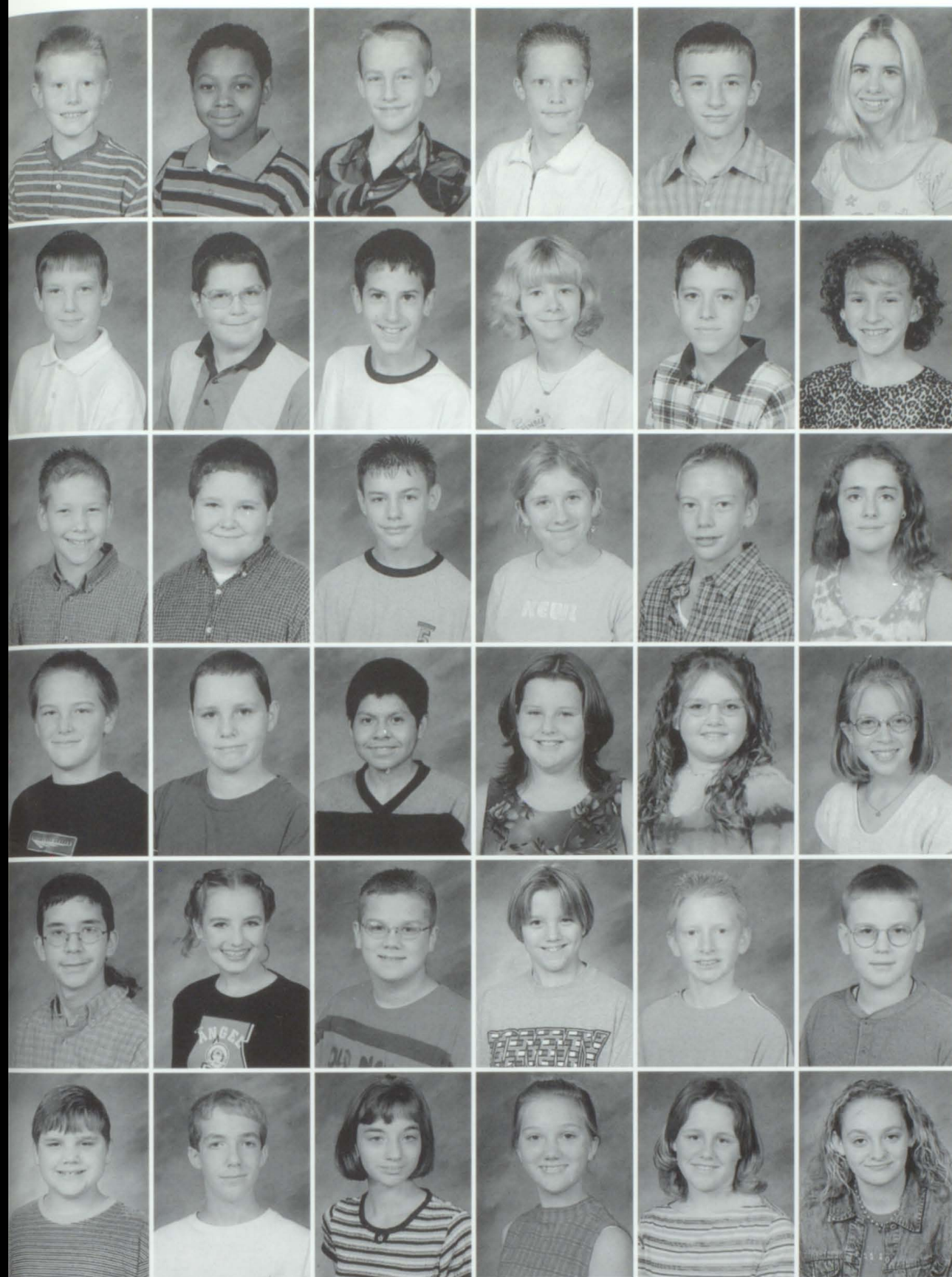
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Aaron Johnson  
Daniel Johnson  
Kyle Jones  
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Jaquie Lasiter

Nick Long  
Kyle Lowry  
Caleb Lucas  
Stacia Martens  
Josh Matthews  
Samantha McCallum

Clint Myers  
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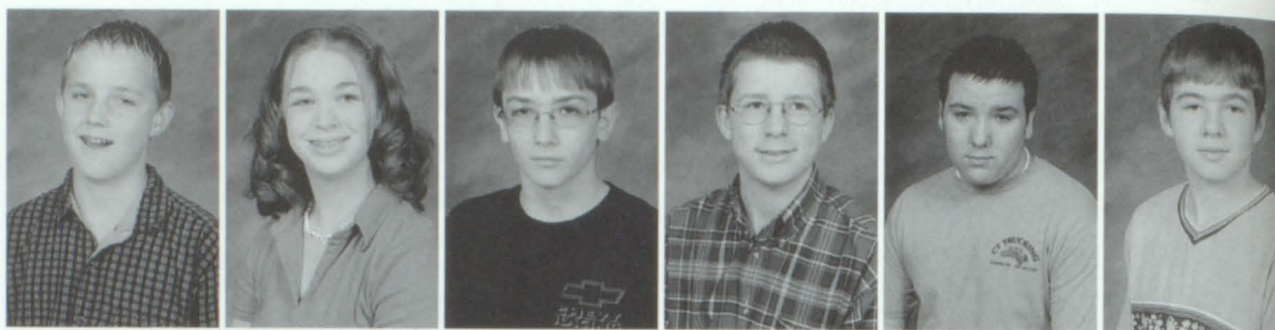
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Cynthia Wiggins  
Jenessa Williams



# Eighth Grade

Kalen Allerton  
Elizabeth Arnold  
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Kevin Barker  
Cory Bass



Joshua Bass  
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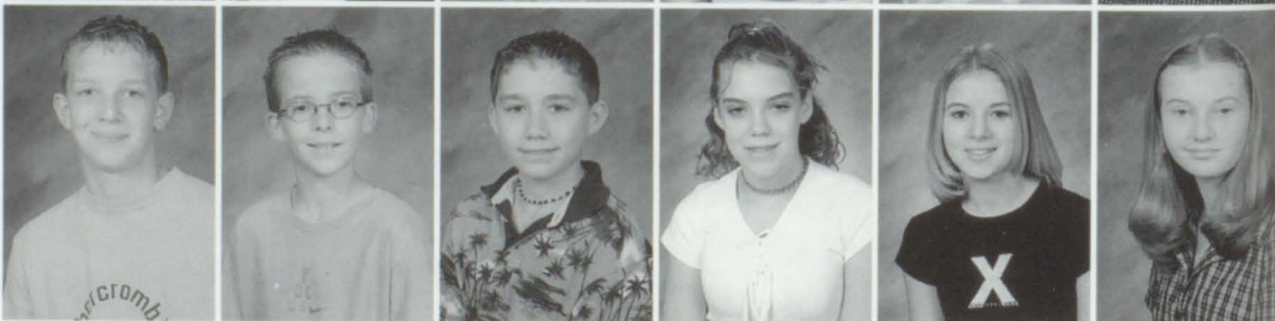
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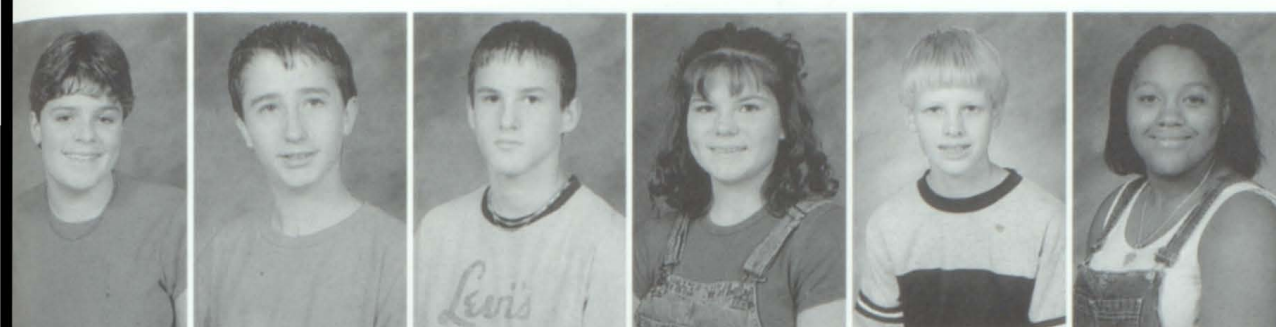
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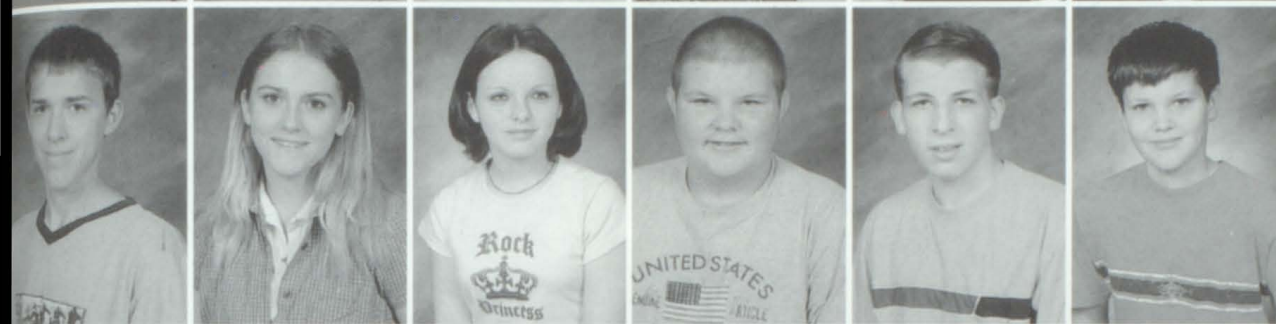
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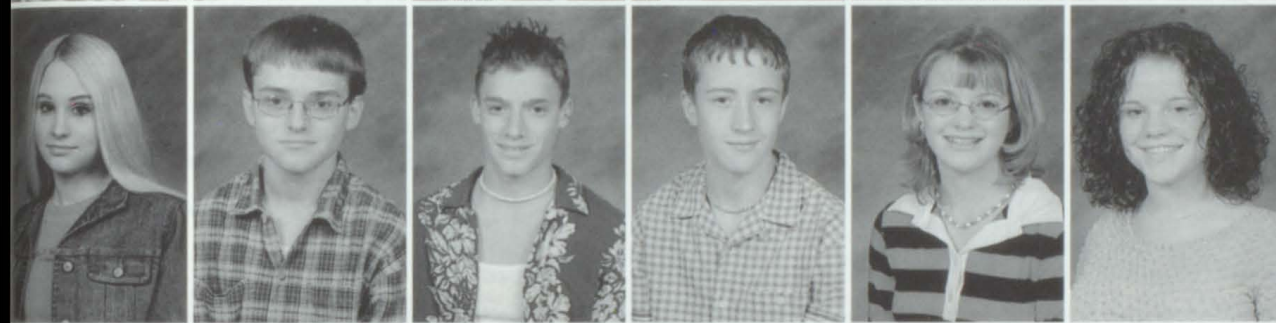
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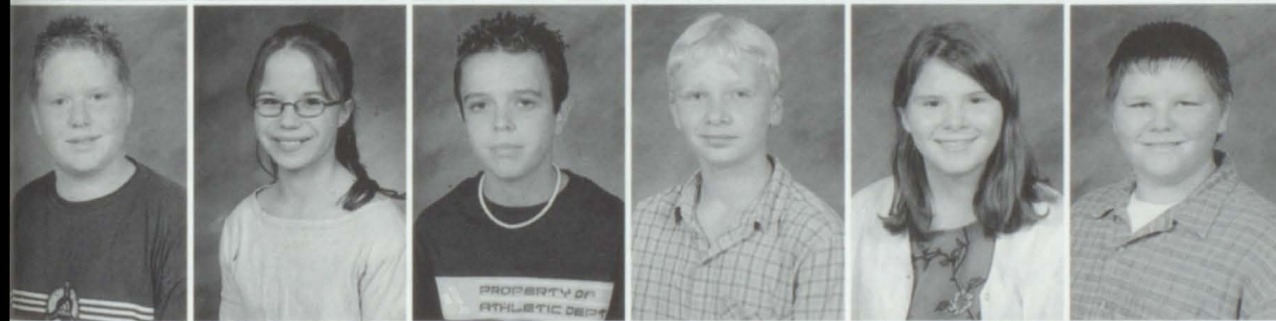
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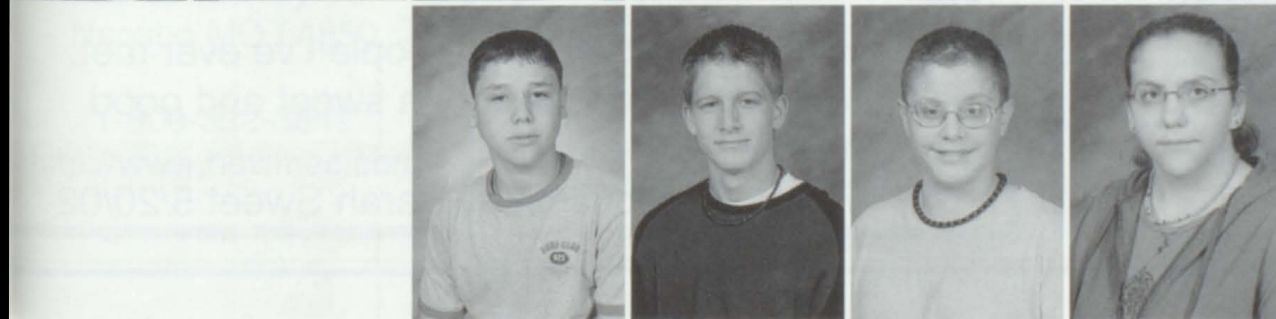
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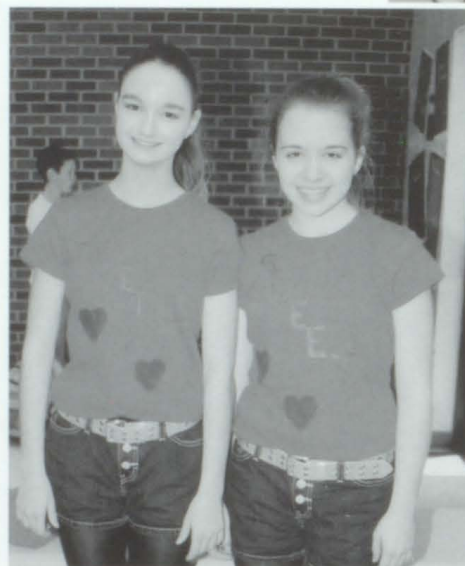


Jacob Youngblood  
Tyler Youngblood  
Chris Zamen  
Susan Zamen

(not pictured)  
Brittney Stevens



# Twinkies Make Good Friends



*Kelsee Anderson*  
6/21/90-- 5/16/02

You shouldn't take people or life for granted. The next thing you know that person you take for granted is gone. . . .

Kelsee was one of the nicest people I've ever met. She didn't talk much, but she was a sweet and good person.

From "Reflections" by Sarah Sweet 5/20/02



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# ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

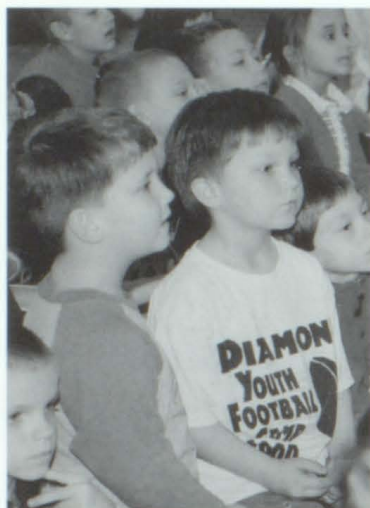
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Brandon Jones attempts to take candy from Ashley Richardson after the drama performance of "Right Before Your Eyes."

Clayton Stevens and Zach Renfro watch their classmates at the Young Authors assembly.



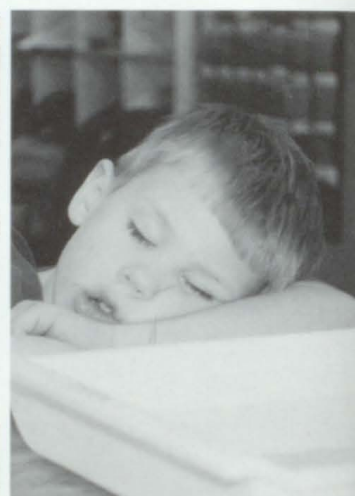
Awaiting the assembly, Eric Esposito puts a few finishing touches on he costume and gets his signs ready to go.



Some of Mrs. Bachmann's third grade students pile in for a group picture on field day.



Thia Elkins adjusts her pig nose as ashe waits to see Mrs. Yokley kiss a pig.



Dakota Studyvin takes time out from an ex-hausting science experi-ment.



# LIFE IN ELEMENTARY



Kourtney Soncrant and Brady Dowds get a laugh out of their art project.

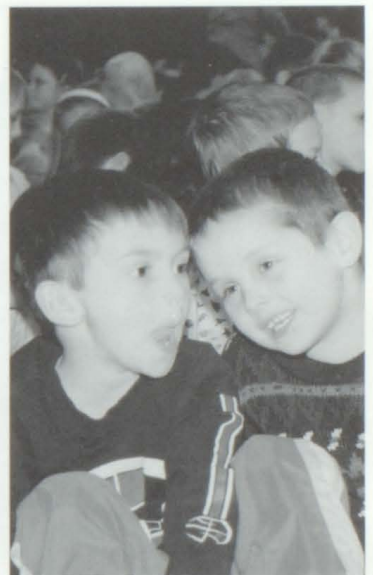
On the 100th day, Wesley Bowles, Colton Walstead, and Blake Alford made hats to celebrate.



Elyssa Esposito struggles to put on a pair of oversized overalls during a race on Elementary Field Day.



Jesse Sweet holds the pig; Mrs. Yokley gives it a smooch.



Tyler Putman (right) tells Cole Davy a story during the young author's assembly.



Inside Fantastic Caverns, second graders learn about different types of rocks.

Second graders walk down the bridge at Fantastic Caverns.



Mrs. Stirewalt's third grade class gets a hands-on view while visiting Roaring River.



Third graders climb on the playground equipment.



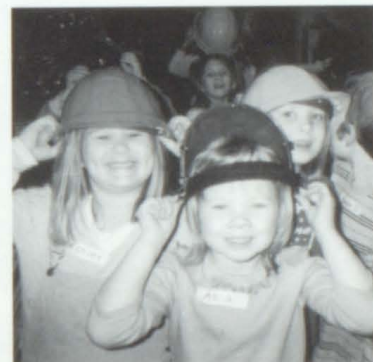
# Looking For Education...

## *In All Different Places*



Fifth graders visit George Washington Carver National Park.

Kindergardeners wear hard hats during a fieldtrip to Atwoods Hardware Store.



These kindergardeners hang on to their (hard) hats at Atwoods.

A fieldtrip activity requires full attention.

First graders stand on the overlook by the fish hatcheries at Roaring River.



# RECESS

Nakoma Osborne, Dakota Studyvin, Megan Kirk, and Dalton Farmer fill the slides for some playtime fun.



Frances Bentz and Alex Wilson collect rocks underneath the bleachers by the softball field.



Alexandra Short runs to the merry-go-round.



Stephani Thomas gets ready to punt a football.

Tyler Burt and Colten Walstead hang out during early recess.

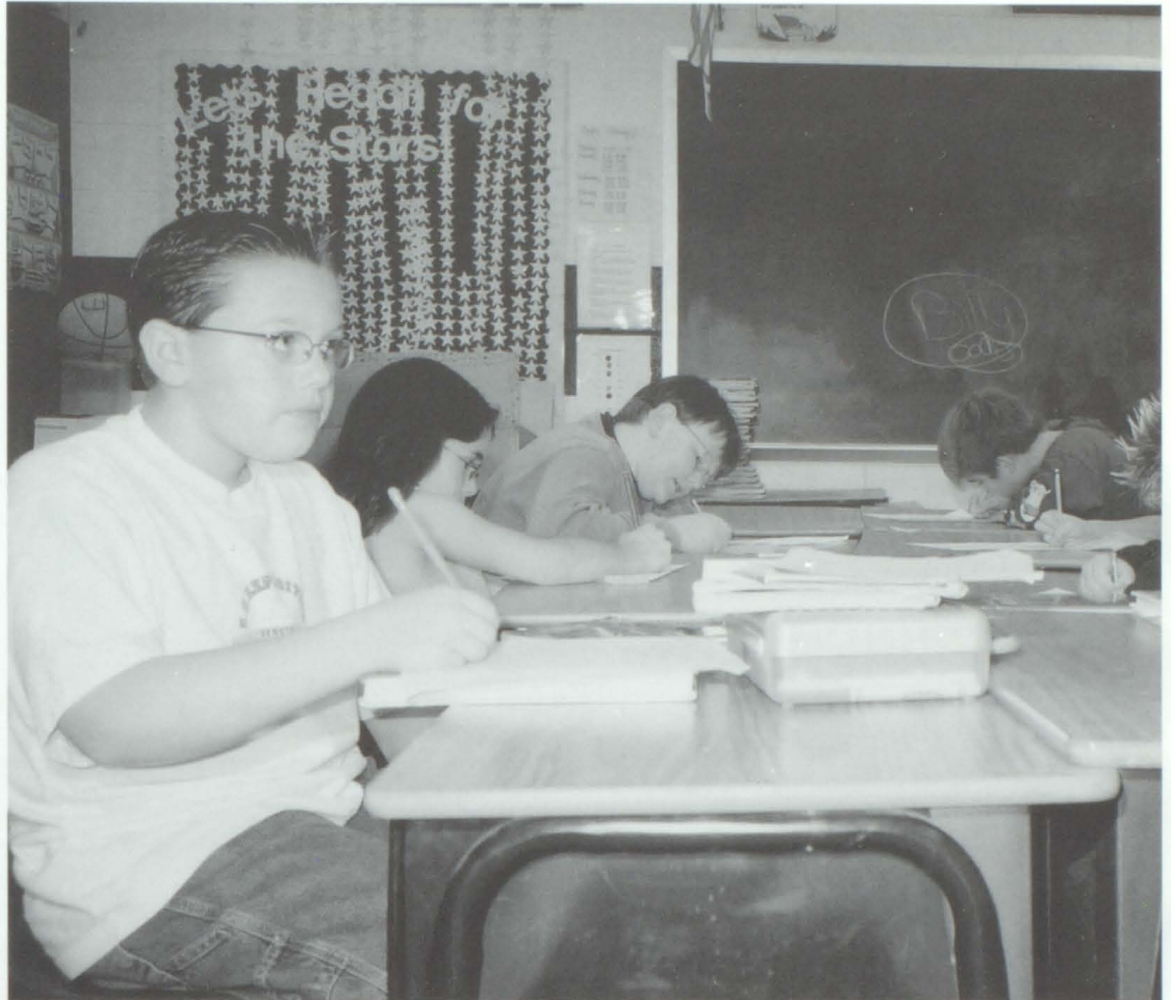




*Elementary Students learn about life by asking questions--  
sometimes a lot of them!*

# THE QUESTIONS ARISE

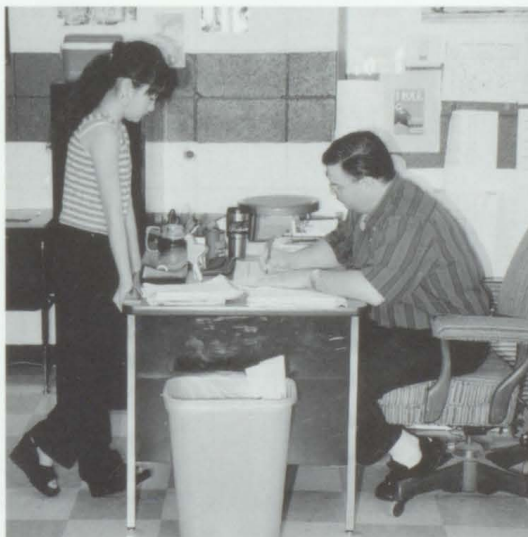
While waiting on the response to question, Jonathan Paul looks up waiting for Mrs. Esposito's response.



During the first annual elementary health fair, a local police officer helps Casey Chung make prints of his fingers. The fair had stations to check students' eyes, blood pressure, and hearing.



Keasha Webb raises her hand as she waits to be called on by the teacher.



As Mr. Roszell explains the problem, Sheena Chung watches and listens.



During parent career day, Ryan Bateman asks chiropractor Dennis Olson a question about a demonstration.



*Through drawing, coloring, and creating art, the elementary students show another side of life--creativity.*

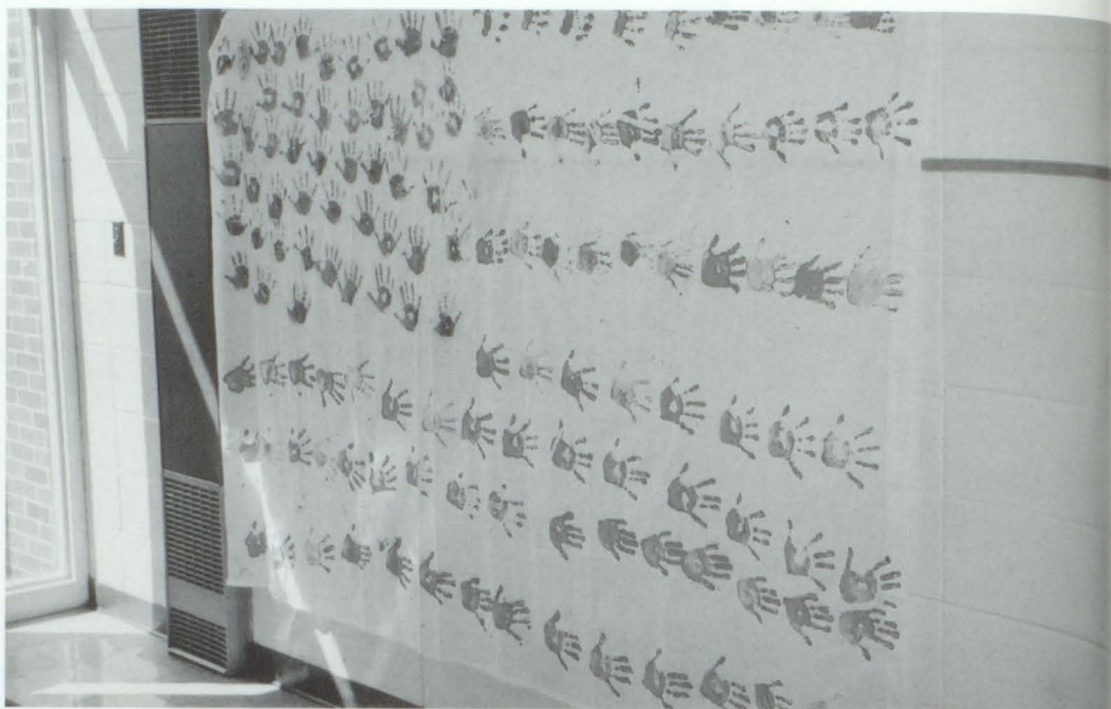
# CREATIVITY SHOWS IMAGINATION

After the tragedy of September 11, Mrs. Johns' first grade class showed their spirit by creating a "hands-on flag."

Corey Walstead gets the pins from the box as he prepares to set up for capture the flag in gym class.



Eric Bower smiles during coloring time.

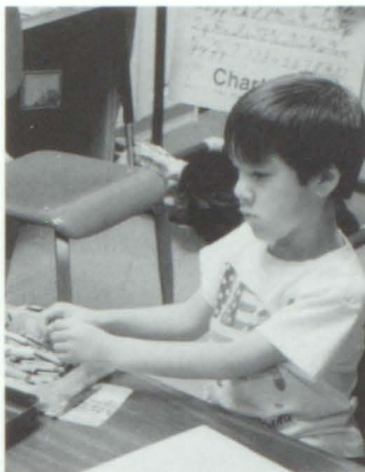


Working on a page for her water cycle book, Jayde King adds a little decoration and color to her art. Mrs. Stirewalt and her class made the books to apply and understand the information learned about the water cycle.





Starting the day off right, Katie Henson leads the Pledge of Alligence while Jacob Johnson takes a look back at the class.



Daniel Biano considers his selection of crayons and markers, pondering what picture to draw.



Scooping, brushing, and playing in the sand, Megan Kirk, Kenzie McAlister, and Becky Wilson work on a clay project for their class.



Caitlin James leans forward with brush in hand to clean it in the tub of water.



After a few designs are in place, Asia Mahen gets more paint and starts to make a new image.



Mrs. Ogle teaches her class about the letter "W" by using words that start with "W," and by demonstrating how to write it.

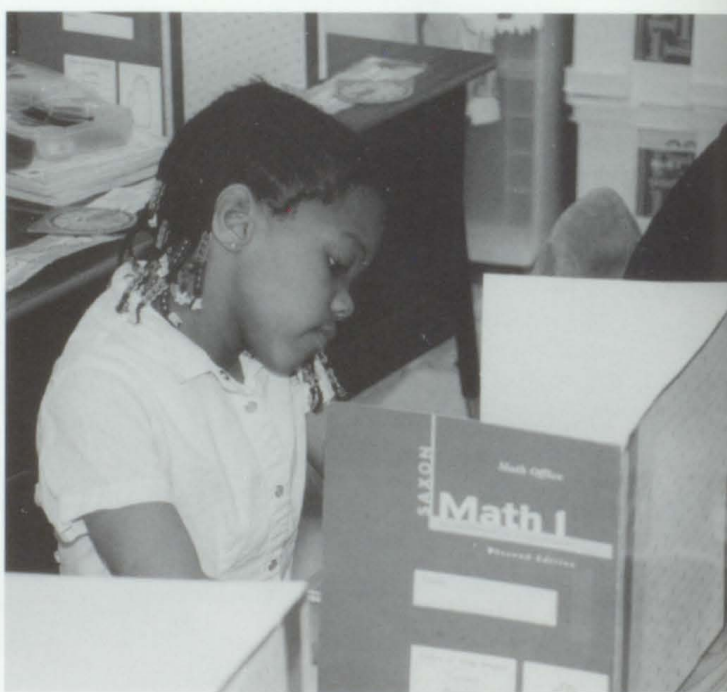
Chris Springer follows along in his textbook while the others read aloud in Mr. Rakestraw's class.

Before going to get the milk for the class, Mackia Wagner takes down the tallies for each kind so they know how many to get of each.



Mrs. Johns' first grade class learns how to catalog books from Mrs. Tilton, elementary librarian.

Nicole Allen gets a little privacy by putting her math folder up during a spelling test. The folders are often used for tests and math assignments during class.





*After asking questions, the students work to apply the knowledge they learned.*

## APPLYING THE BASICS



Mrs. Badley's second grade class celebrates the 100th day of school by bringing 100 items. Each student brought a piece for the trail mix they are getting ready to enjoy.

During reading day, Bellany Moss concentrates on one of his library books.



Looking for a book of interest, Levina Hayzlett goes to the small library the teacher has in the classroom. The students tried to read and get points as a way of getting Mrs. Yokely to kiss a pig--a deal she made with them during the year.

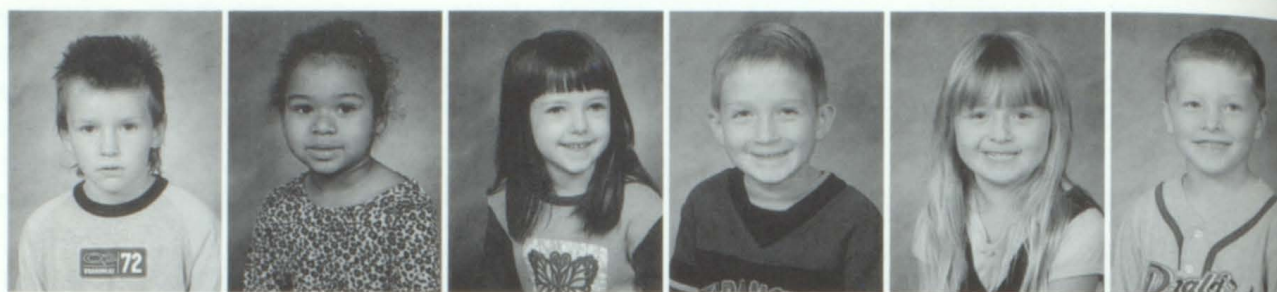


Taking a test about his reading, Ethan Lucas sits at the computer completing the reading book points system.



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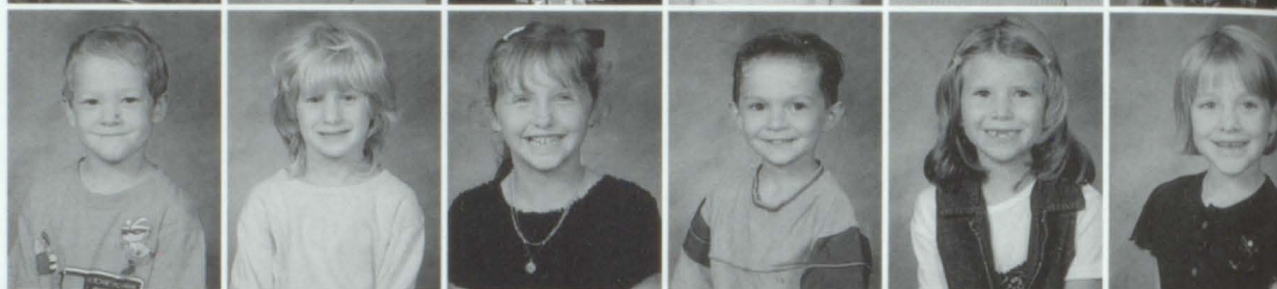
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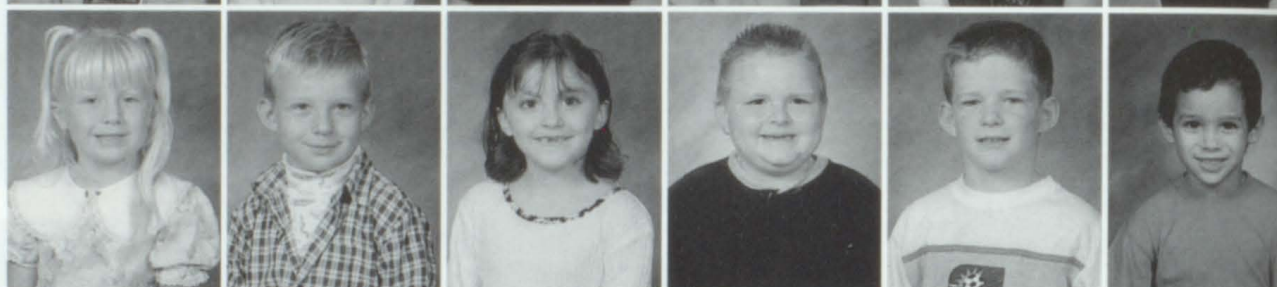
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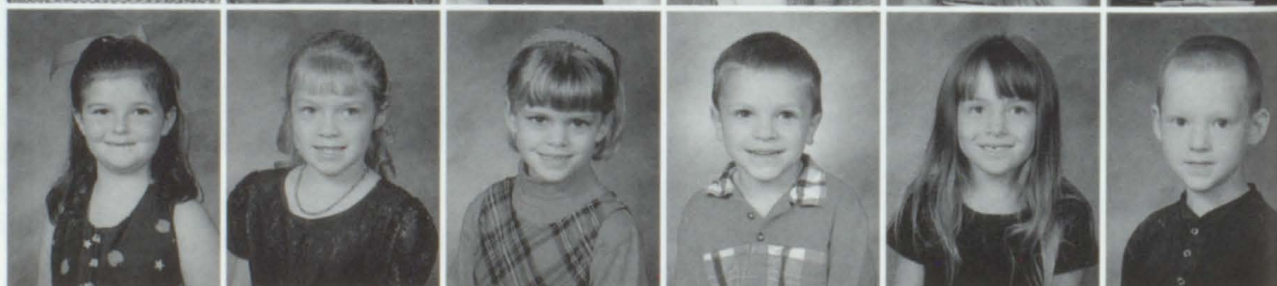
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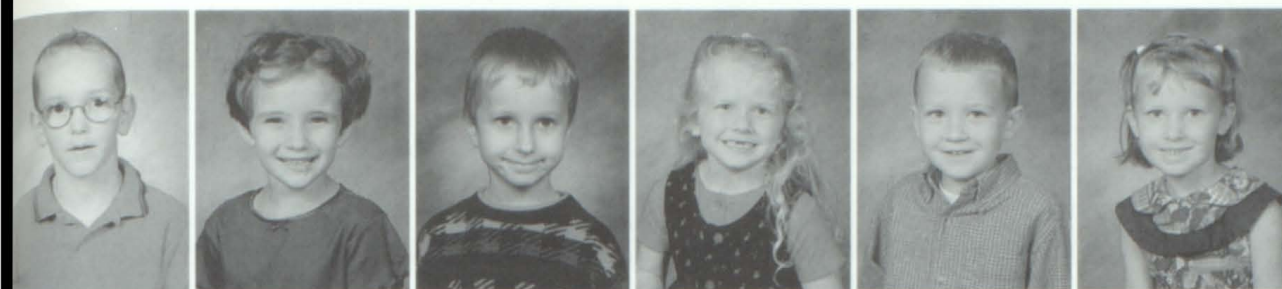
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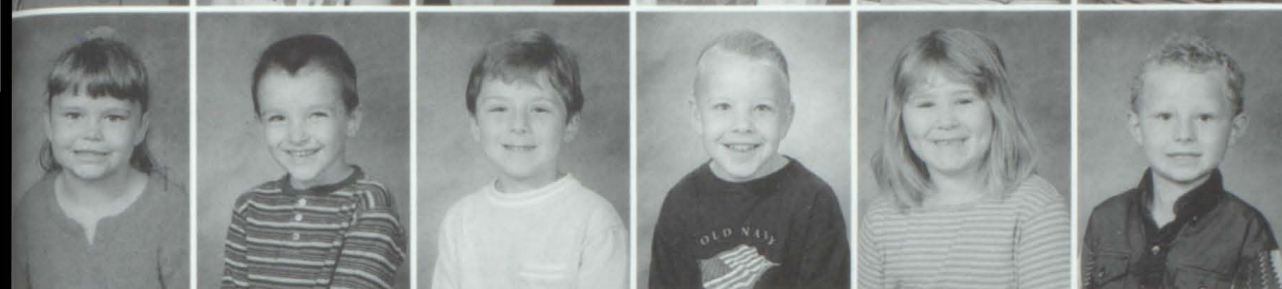




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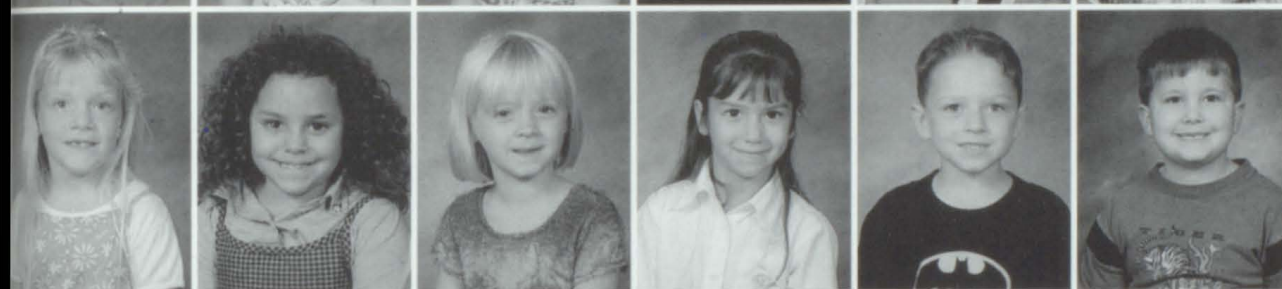
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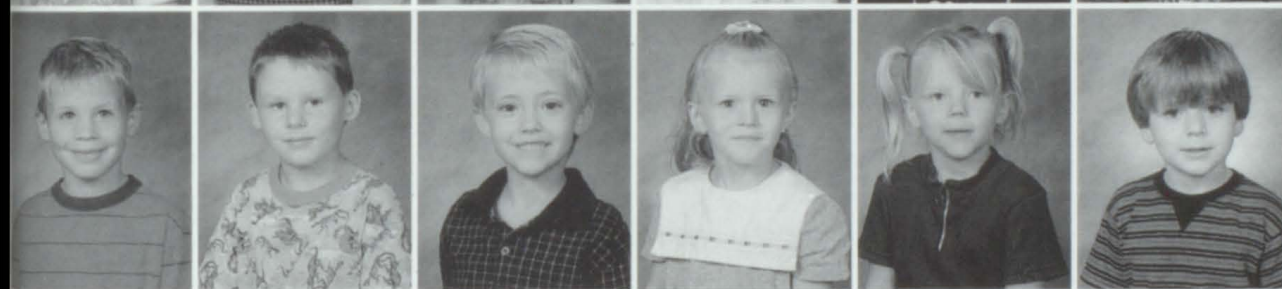
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Josie Bass  
Daniel Bianco



Koty Bottom  
Wesley Bowles  
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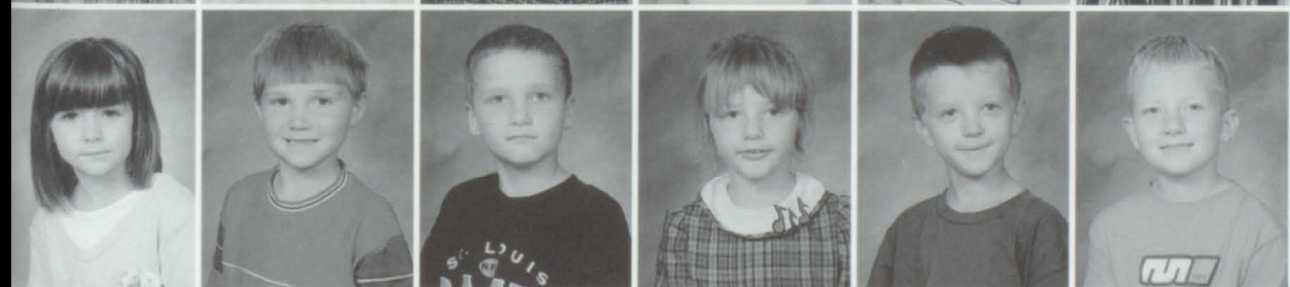
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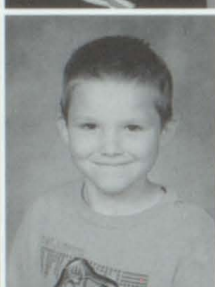
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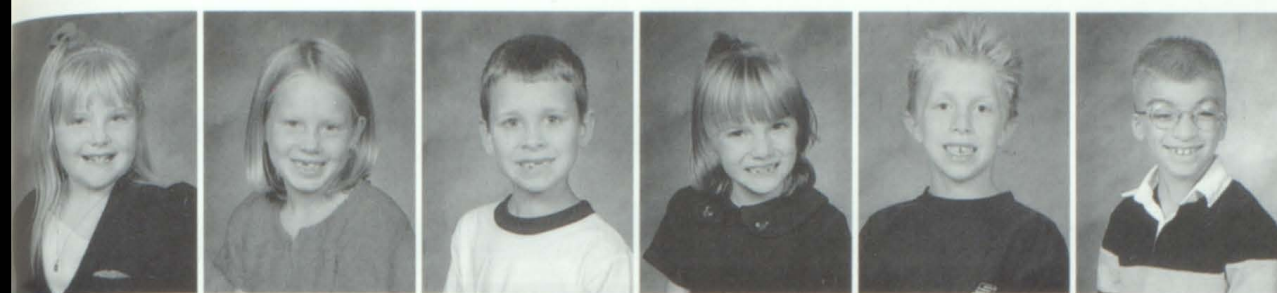
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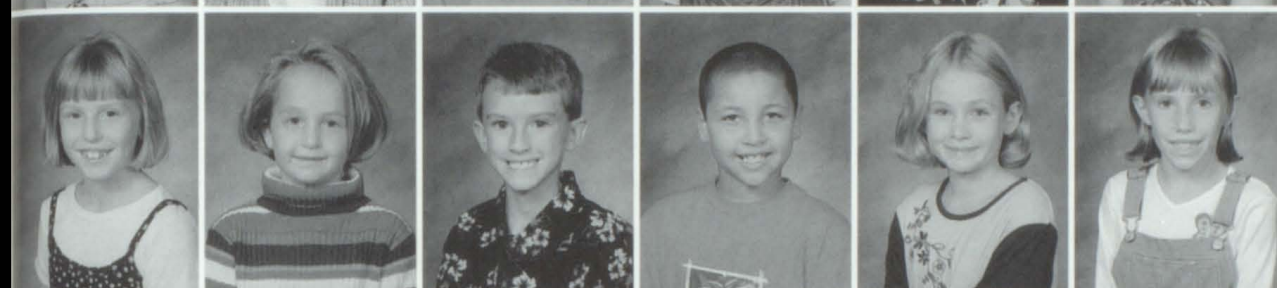
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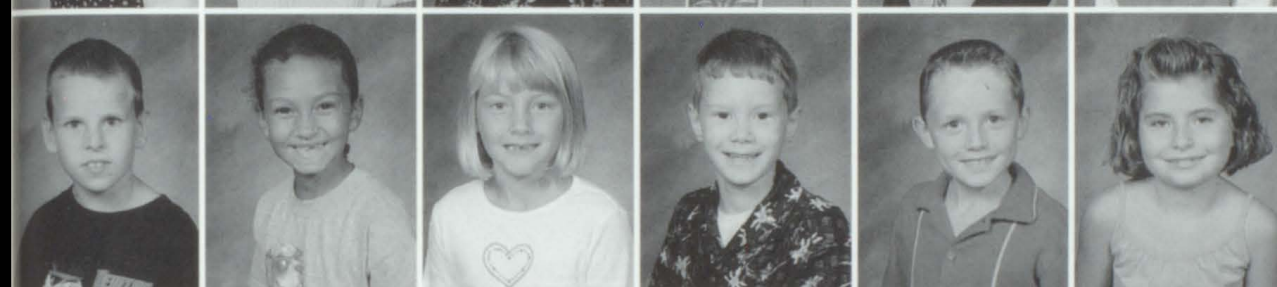
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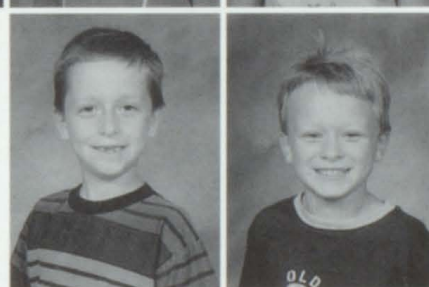
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Heather Simpson  
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Makenzie Thomlinson  
Michael Trentham  
Jake Tuter  
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Clayton Woehl



# THIRD GRADE

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Shannon Bearden  
Sarah Bentz  
Steven Bianco



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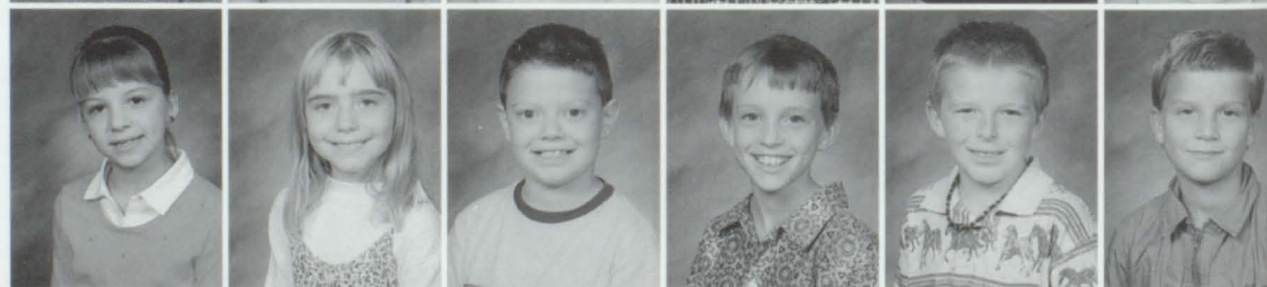
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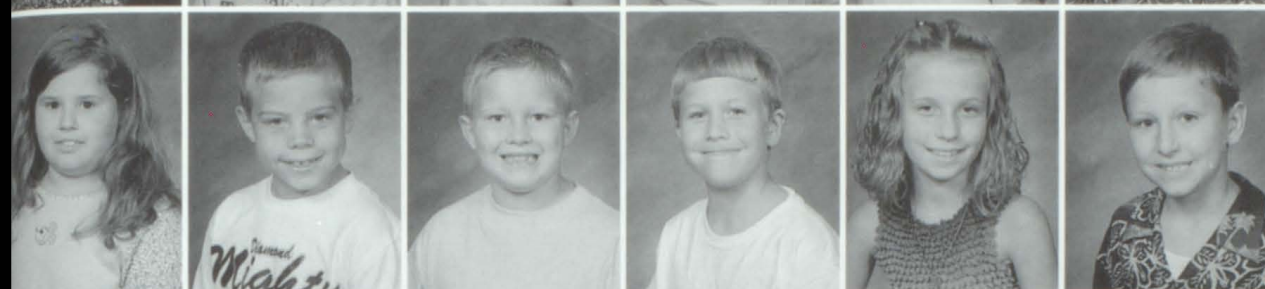




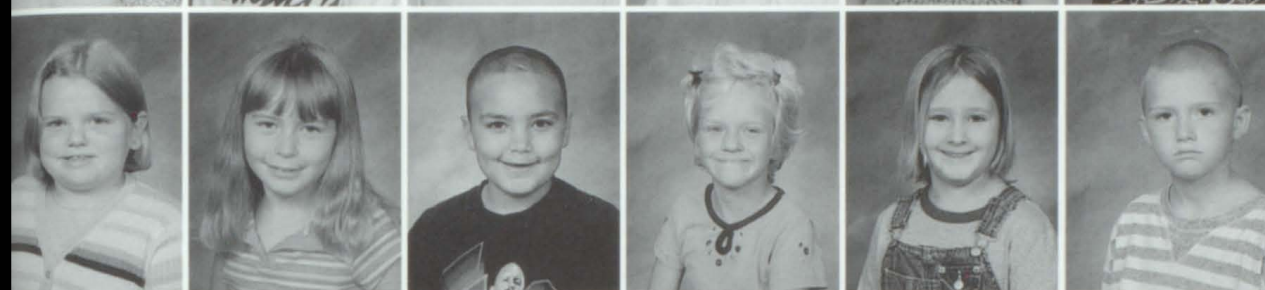
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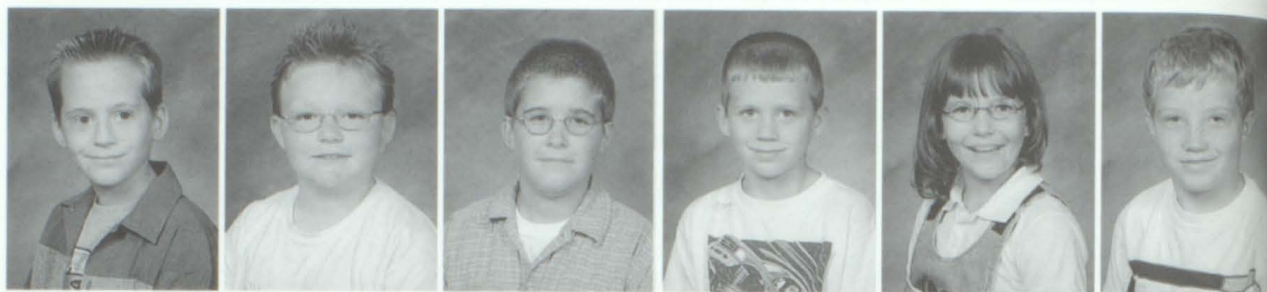


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Amanda Brand  
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Chris Brown  
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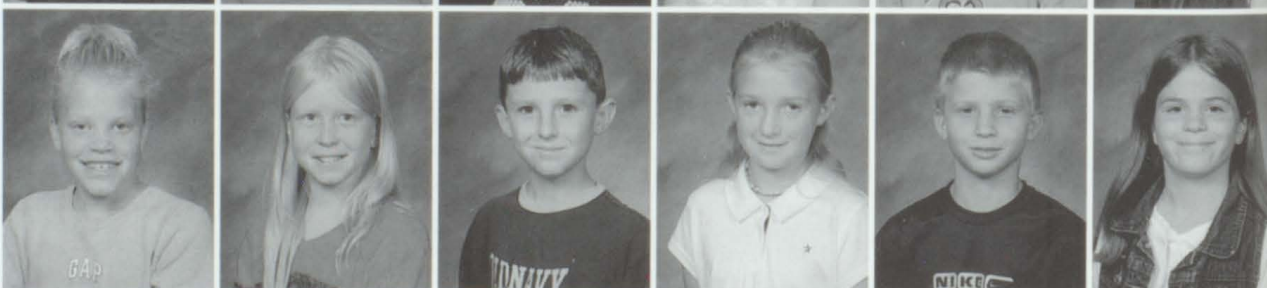
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Kimberly Elder  
Samantha Enayati



Erin Esposito  
Nychelle Goad  
Cody Grant  
Tridel Green  
Korey Griffin  
Samantha Hare







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Justin Jinks  
Andy Johnson  
Krisana Jones

Katie Long  
Blake Magathan  
Kelsey Marshall  
Tyler Miller  
Kevin Nally  
Matthew Newman

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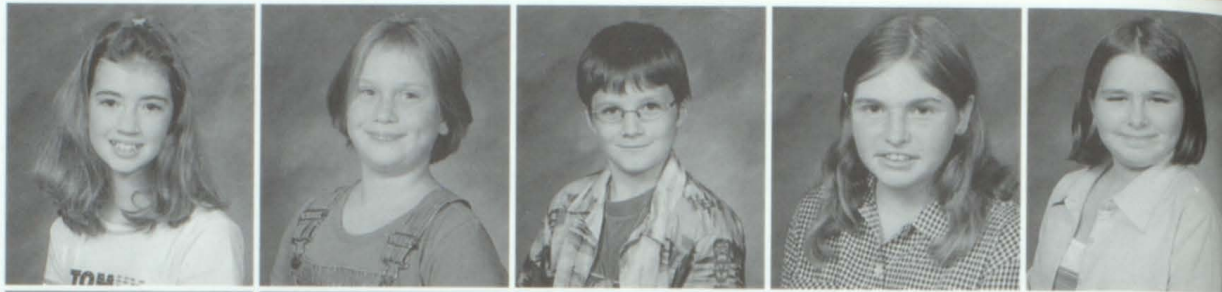
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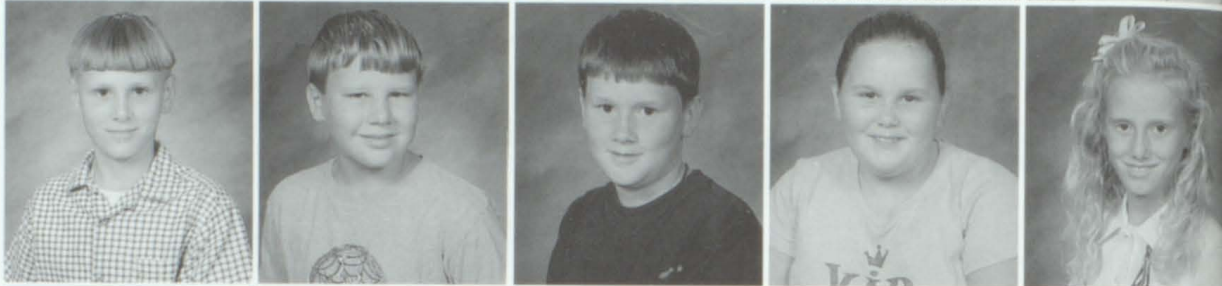


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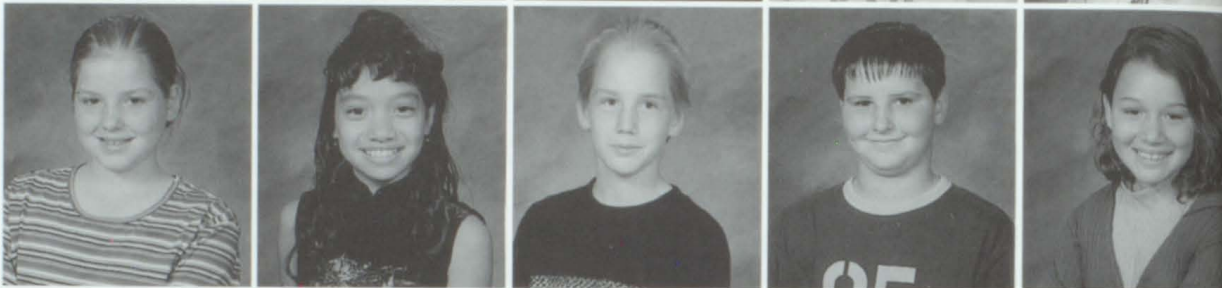
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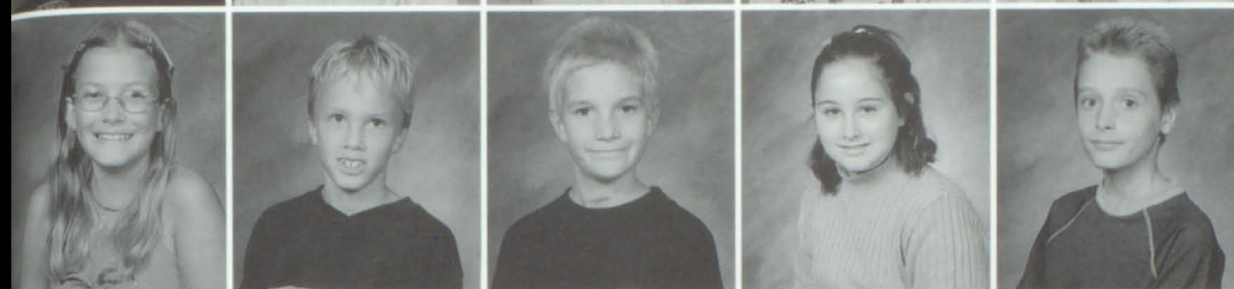
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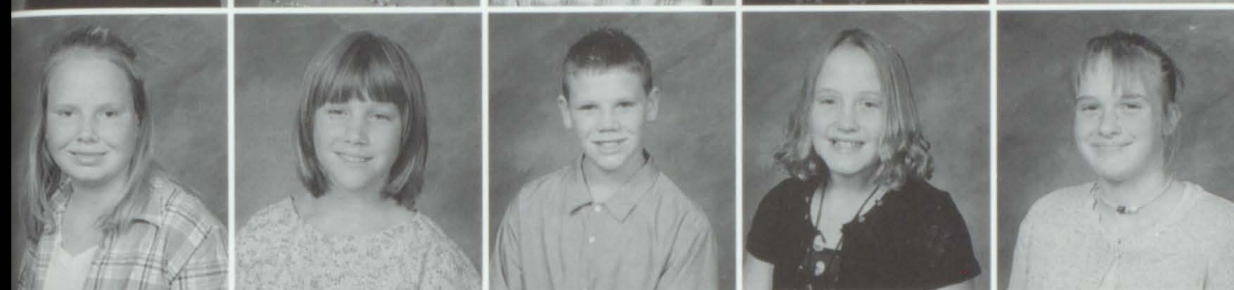
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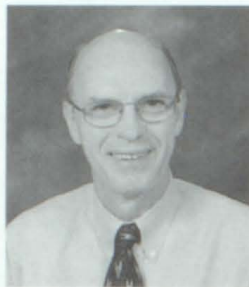
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MS Principal

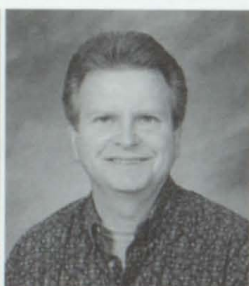


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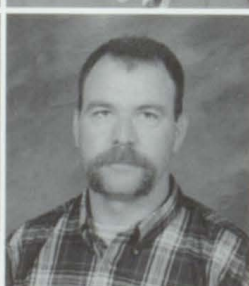
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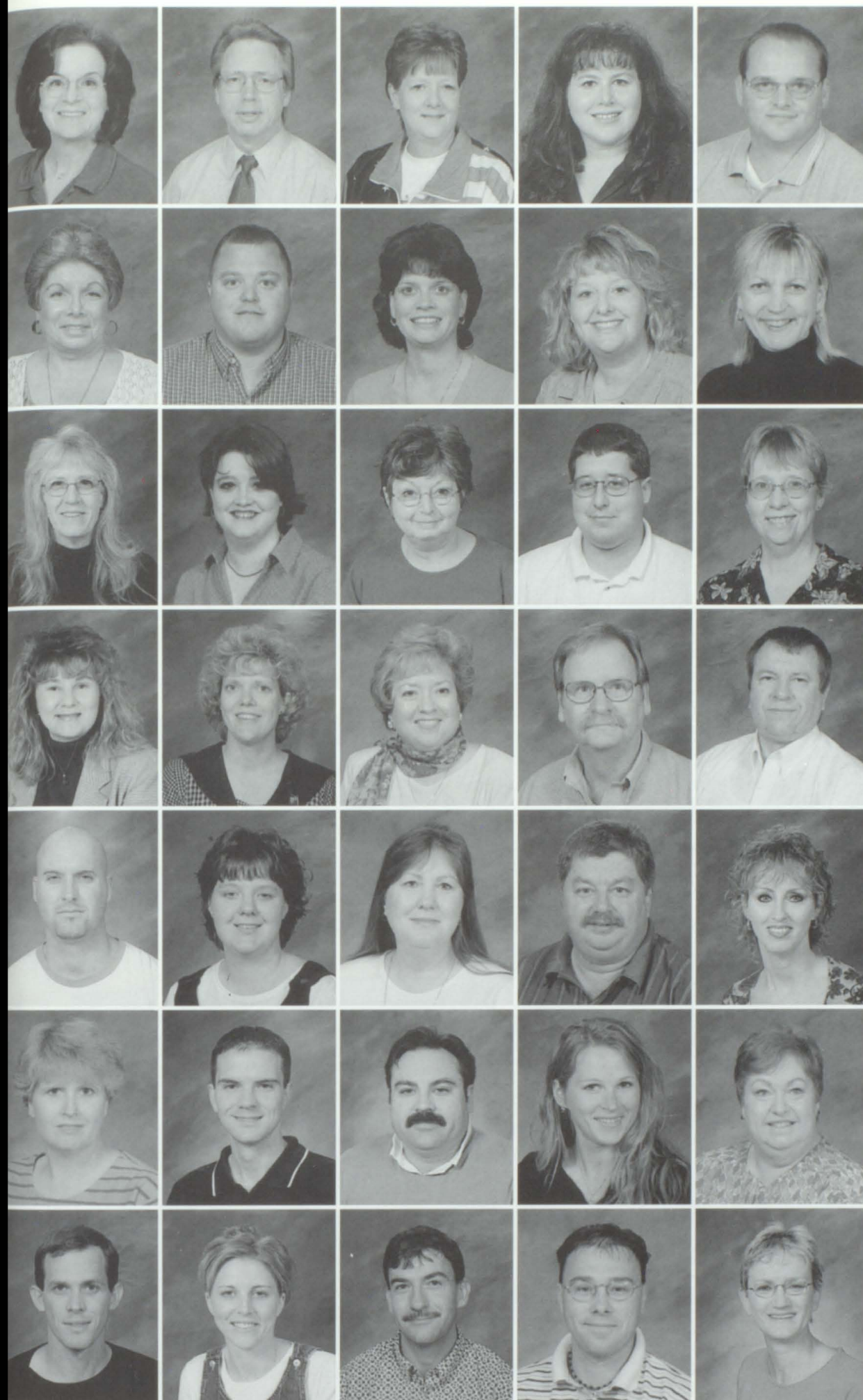
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HS Counselor  
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Elem Counselor



**Rita Coburn**  
Spec Ed Director  
**Denise Crowell**  
2nd Grade  
**Larry Cunningham**  
PE/Health  
**Richard Curran**  
HS Science  
**Danny DeWitt**  
HS Social Studies







**Dotty Doennig**  
HS Eng/Spanish  
**Larry Doennig**  
HS Soc Studies  
**Donna Dorsey**  
HS Business  
**Jean Douglas**  
Elem Spec Ed  
**Joe Douglas**  
MS Science

**Janet Driskill**  
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**Frank Esposito**  
Phys Ed  
**Jodi Esposito**  
4th Grade  
**Christina Frampton**  
1st Grade  
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HS Spec Ed

**Shirley Gollhofer**  
HS Lang Arts  
**Robyn Gordon**  
HS Lang Arts  
**Kay Graves**  
Elem Art  
**Chris Hamm**  
4th Grade  
**Rebecca Handshy**  
1st Grade

**Billie Jo Hardy**  
Music  
**Leah Heidlage**  
1st Grade  
**Cheryl Henning**  
Kindergarten  
**Jim Hettinger**  
Ind Arts  
**Tim Higginson**  
At Risk

**Brad Hocker**  
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**Dawn Johns**  
1st Grade  
**Cathy Johnson**  
Remedial Reading  
**Eddie Jones**  
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**Renee Jones**  
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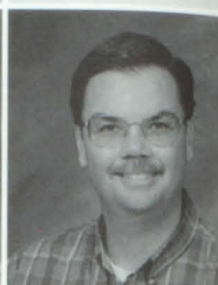
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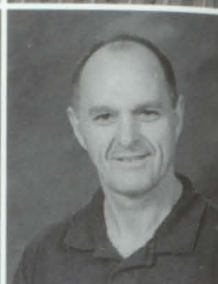
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3rd Grade  
Bobbie Sweet  
Spec Ed  
Darrell Tash  
HS Lang Arts



Martha Tilton  
Elem Librarian  
Randy Turner  
MS Lang Arts



#### Nurses:



Debbie Baker

Donna Friesen



Aides: front: Dee Carneal (1 on 1), Judy Billings (1st Grade), Cathy Shipman (Library), Jada Oxendine (1 on 1), Bonnie Taylor (1 on 1); back: Cathy Patrick (2nd and 3rd Grade), Ami Judd (Kindergarten), Beth Baker (Kindergarten), Kristi Harp (Badley), Peggy Tuter (4th and 5th Grade)



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Harold Bridges,  
Head of Maintenance

Custodians: Bill Lentz, Joyce King, Gloria Benward, Ray Williams, Lisa Crandall. Not pictured: Jim Moore, Andy Woods.



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# Faculty Retirees



Donnie  
Abernathy,  
Head Custodian



Cheryl Henning, Kindergarden; Dotty Doennig, H.S. Language Arts, Spanish, Yearbook; Ron Badley, H.S. Math, P.E.



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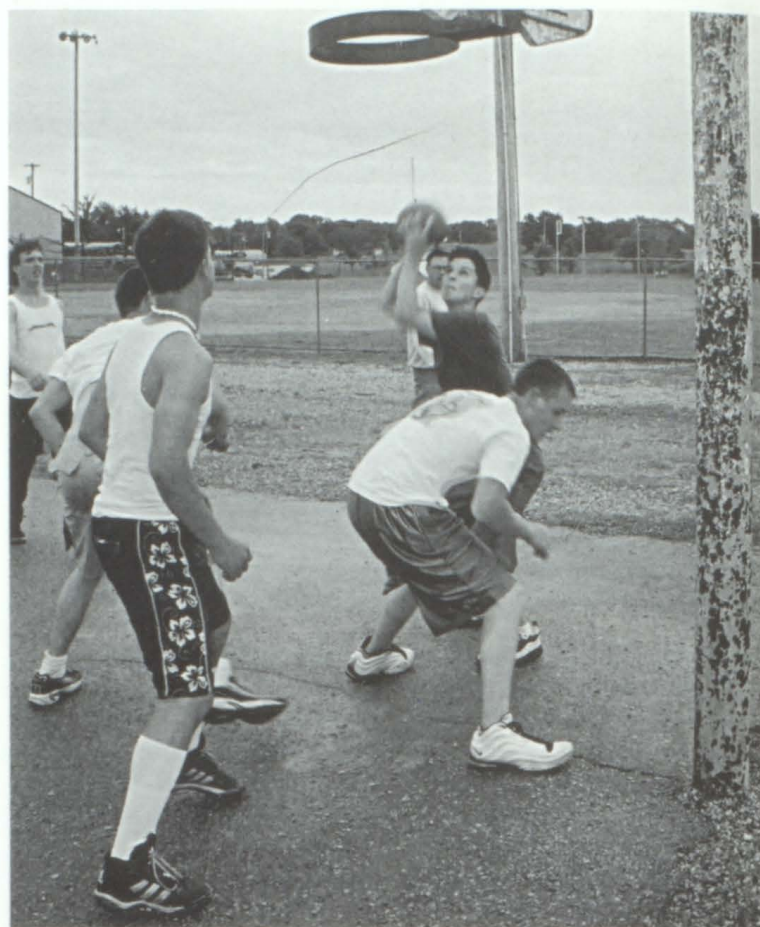
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