

The Golden Key



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A Beautiful End to a New Beginning



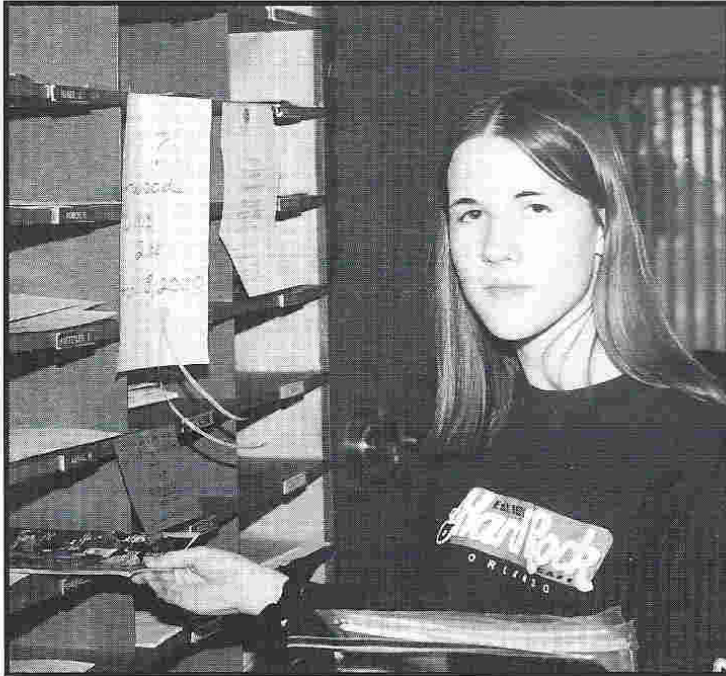
The year we thought we would never reach has now come to an end. All of our memories together are forever etched in our minds, and the laughter still rings in our ears. Our books are shut, our lockers cleaned out, and the doors of our high school lives are closed forever. The time has come for all of us to go our separate ways and start our lives over again. As the Class of 2000, remember that this is not a time to say goodbye, this is a time for us to take what we've learned, and fly. The world awaits our arrival with concerning questions and confusing answers. Each one of us has to walk out of these doors prepared to make our dreams become reality. To turn our tassels on our old lives, and accomplish what we have only imagined and more in the new.

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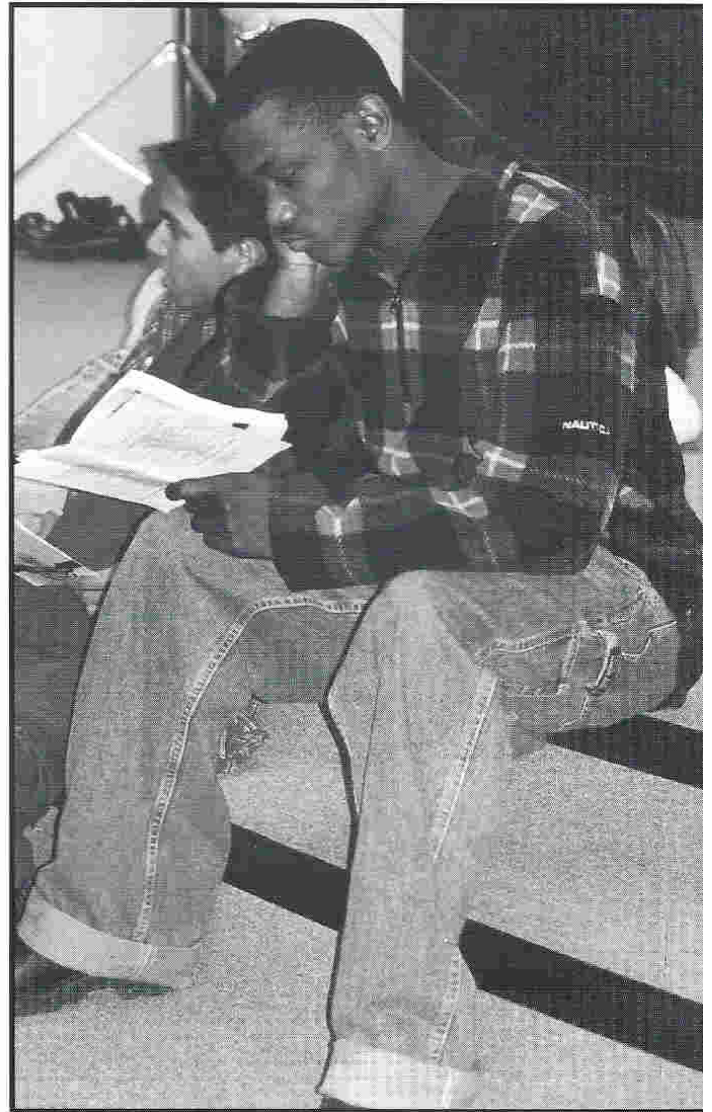
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Below: Lending a helping hand in the office is senior Jennifer Maniak. Jennifer helped out as an office aide by doing things like filling up the teacher's mailboxes.



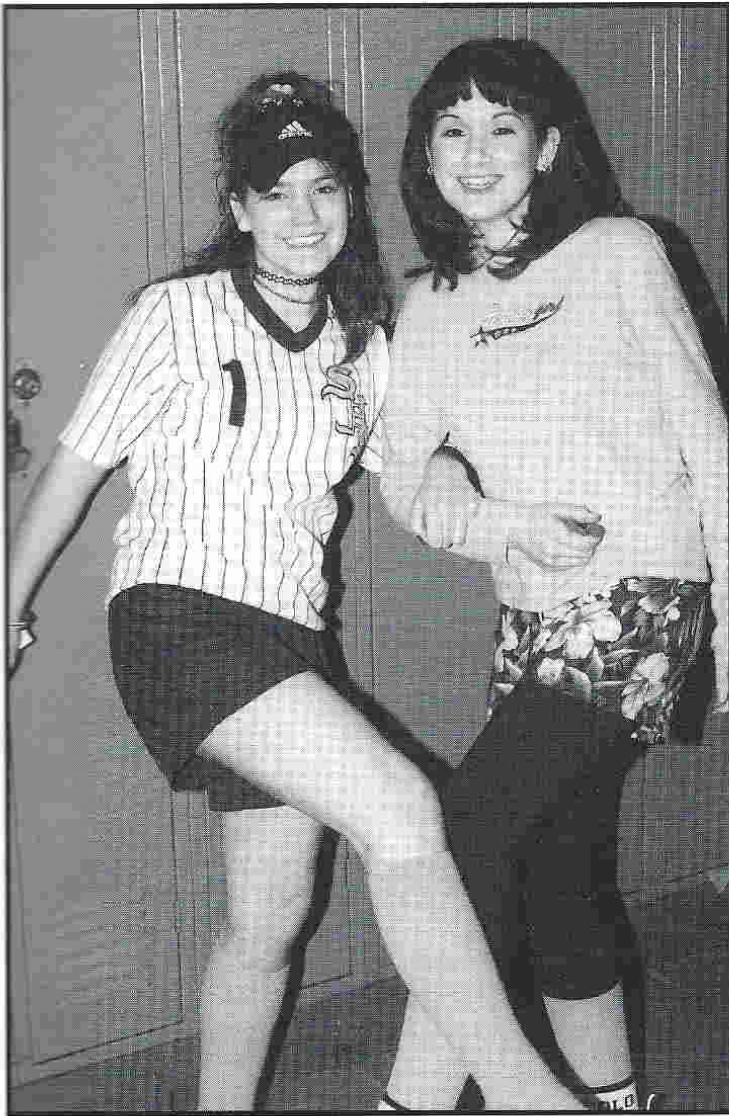
At right: Studying his lines in deep concentration for Mrs. Peterson's acting class is sophomore John Petty. While others might slack, John gets those lines memorized.



Above: Seniors Naomi Daradar and Monika Bleck stand confused with teachers Christine Conti and Tom Fesemyer at the senior-teacher basketball game. Monika is our foreign exchange student from Germany.

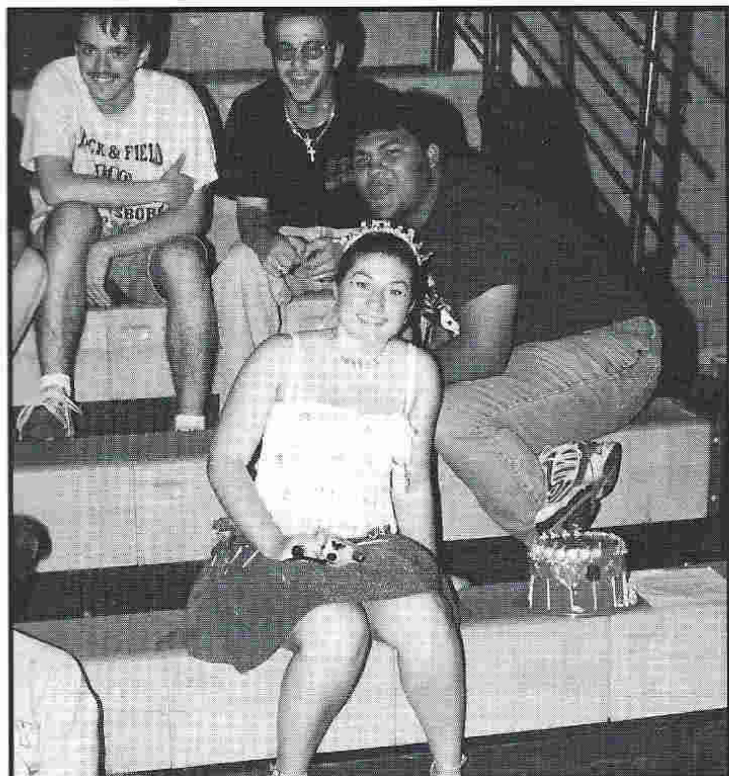
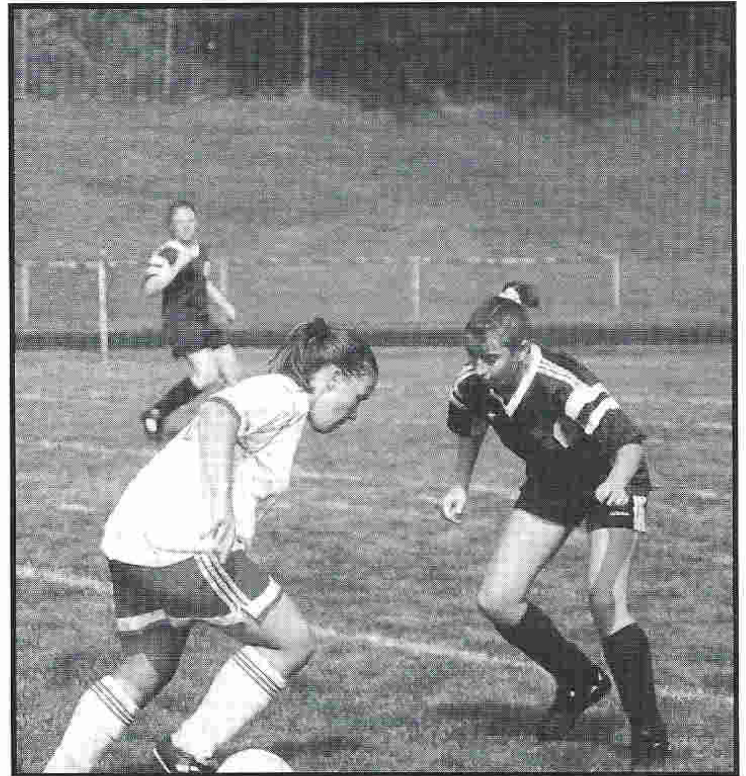
At right: Playing Celtic music for this year's talent show is junior John Holcepl. Seniors Sean Horton, Steve Pavlick, Liam Lowery and junior Jason Zimmerman dance a little jig to spark up the performance.





At left: Displaying their spirit for Streetsboro High School are freshman Lisa Krakora and Kristen Bali. These two ladies helped keep the spirit in our school during blue and gold day.

Below: Defending the goal against her opponent is Candace Vadaj. The Rockets took a hard loss against Kent Roosevelt.



At left: Sitting next to her owner junior Victor Lester is senior Becca Moors. Becca was a candy girl in candy land for the senior auction.

Above: Accepting their prize for passing portions of the senior proficiencies are L to R Kim Schneider, Sean Horton, Shauna Estep and Christine Sourek. Principal Mr. Tom Giovagnoli smiles with much pride towards these students.

At left: Spreading the Christmas spirit during the holidays is senior Becky Wolff. Becky received The Service Award for all the hard work she has put into the school.

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Right: Sophomore girls accompanied by the junior male cheerleaders cheer on the junior Powder Puff members on the night of the game.



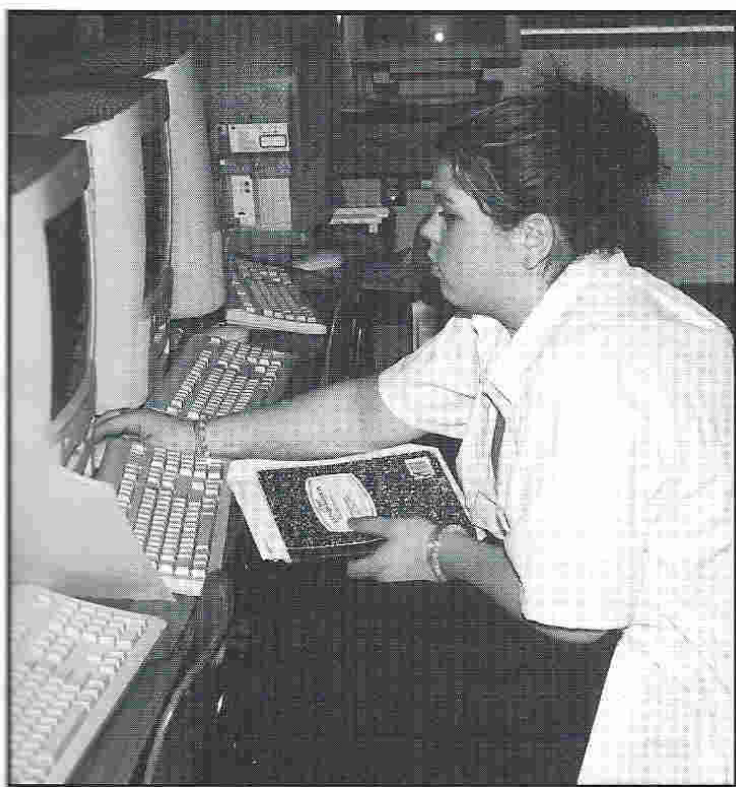
Above: Junior Amy Lyzen takes a break from her school work while catching up on her sleep in Mrs. Pam Rumsey's office.

Right: Superintendent Dr. Mary Linton camps out on the roof of Campus to illustrate the importance of the tax levy. The entire school district population was gathered for the morning rally.

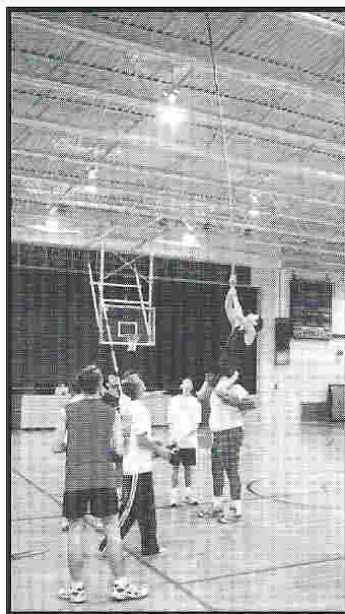


Right: Seniors Natasha Maryland and Katie Beck prepare French cuisines for a group of first graders taught by Mrs. Debi Black and her French IV class.



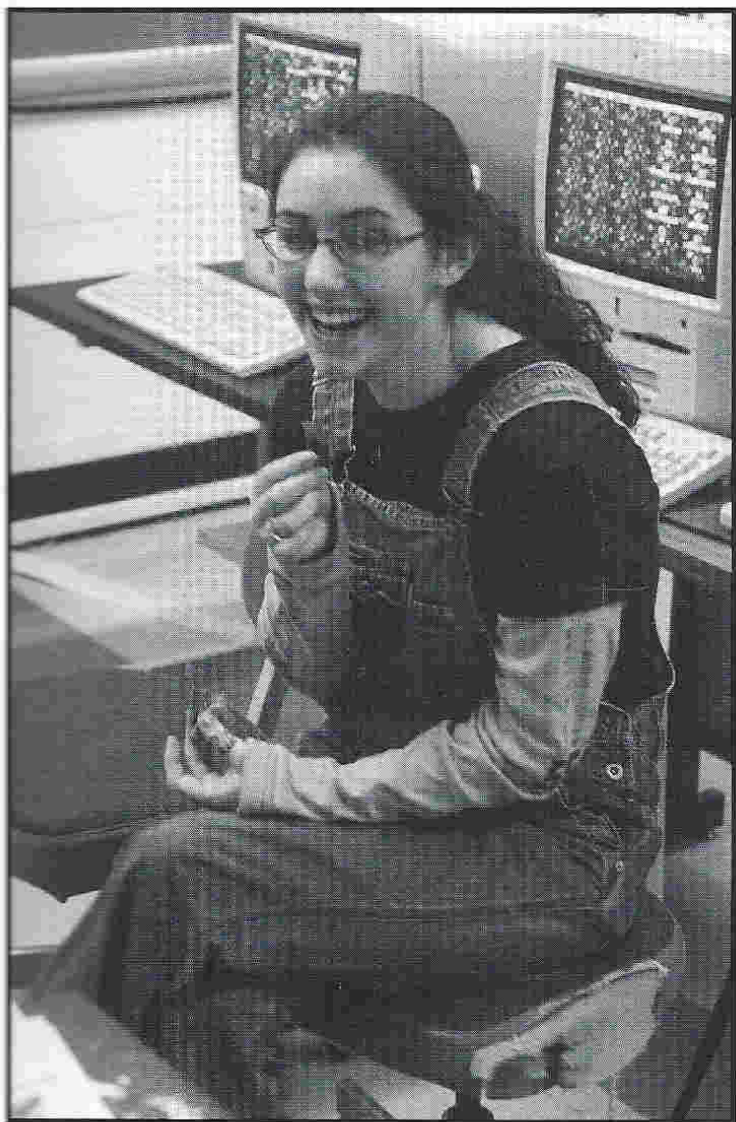
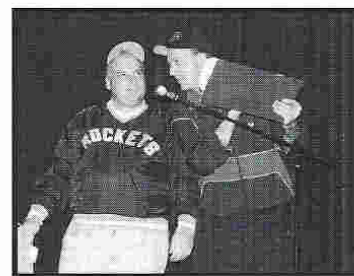


Left: Sophomore Michelle LaRupe works contently on her final project in Mr. Dave Hostetler's second period desktop class.



Left: Members of the track team use their ingenuity in an effort to retrieve a volleyball from the gymnasium rafters.

Showing off a comedic sense of timing that would have made Abbott and Costello proud are Mr. Greg Ceilec and Mr. Terry Peterson, who performed "Who's on First?" at the talent show.



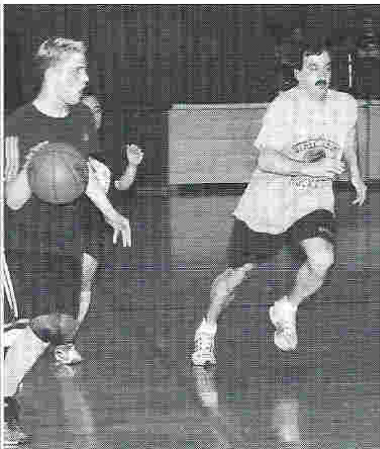
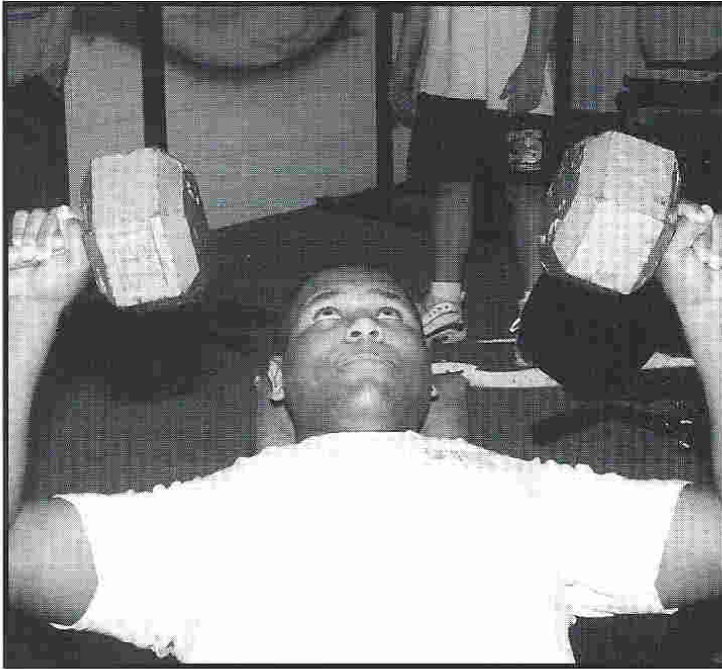
Left: Sophomore Jessika Rini shares a fruit-roll-up and a smile during her fourth period journalism class.

Above: Members of the Streetsboro High School band play their hearts out for the Streetsboro Community Showcase.

At right: Cropping the senior favorites page for yearbook class is senior Danielle Johnson. She was one of this year's senior yearbook editors.

Below: Getting pumped for the upcoming football season is sophomore Daniel Means. Many football players use the schools weight room to prepare themselves.

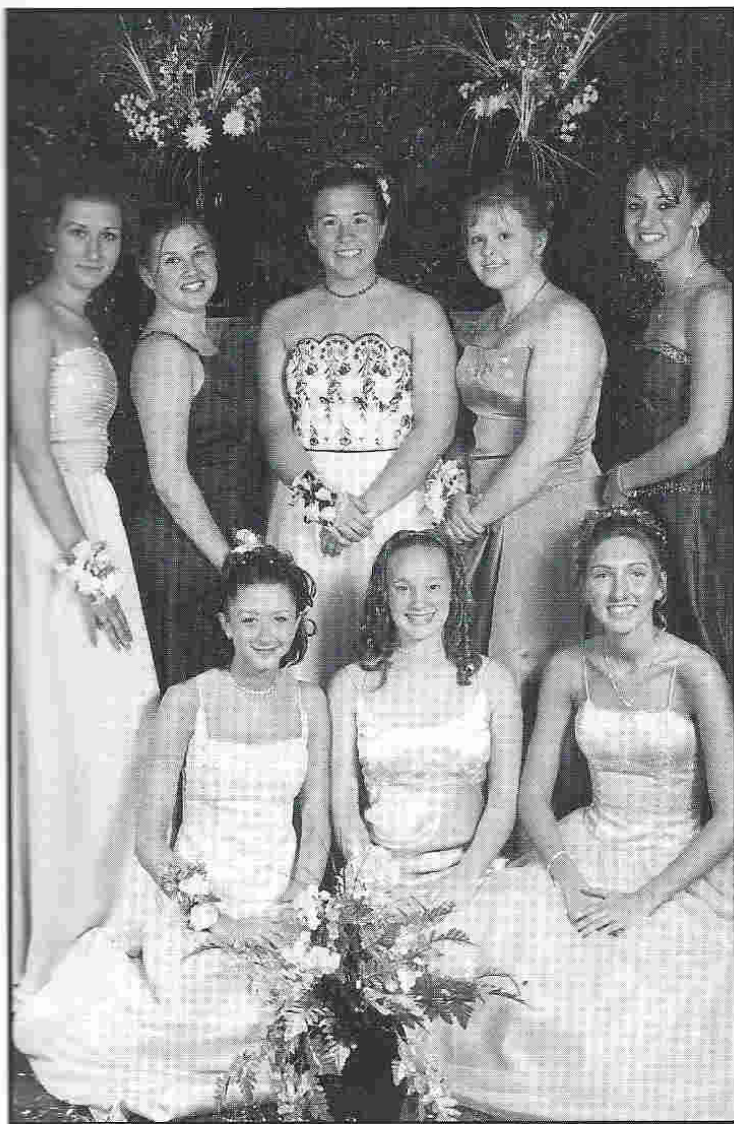
At right: Showing off her silly side in Mr. Hostetler's yearbook class is senior Crystal Baus. This personality is what might have gotten her on both homecoming and prom courts.



Above: Chasing after one of our star athletes senior Eric Bora, is teacher Mr. Tom Fesemyer at the senior teacher basketball game.

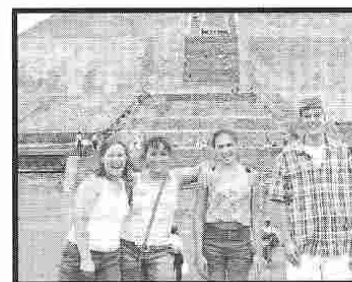
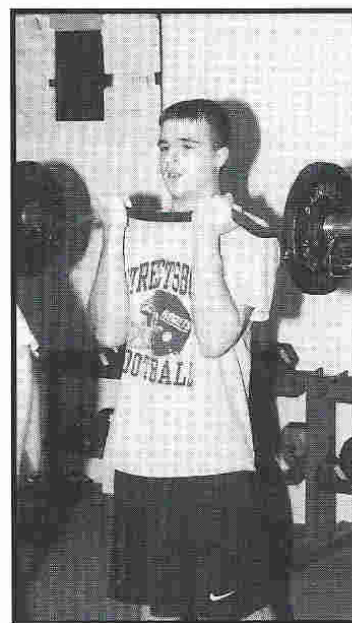
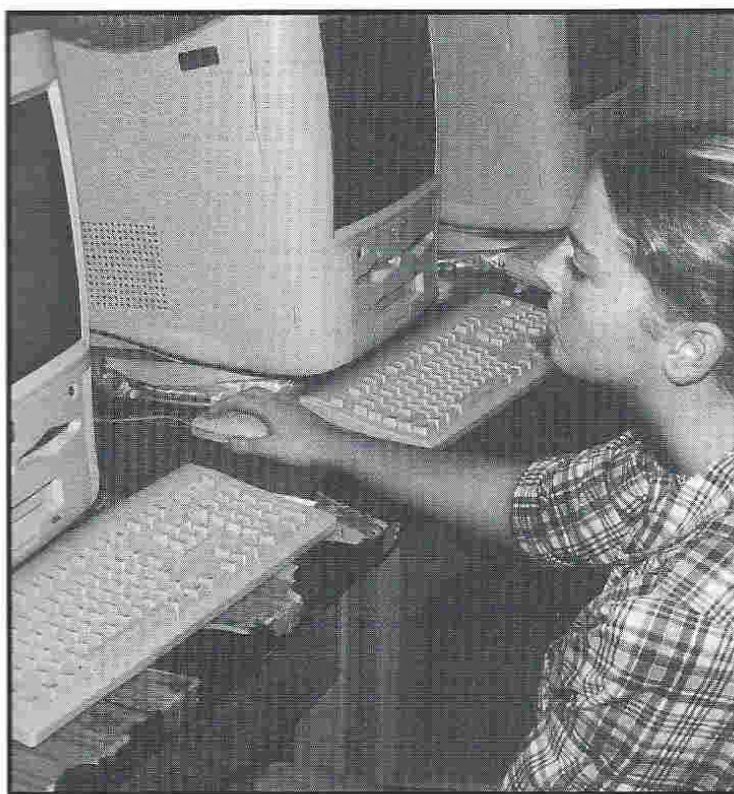
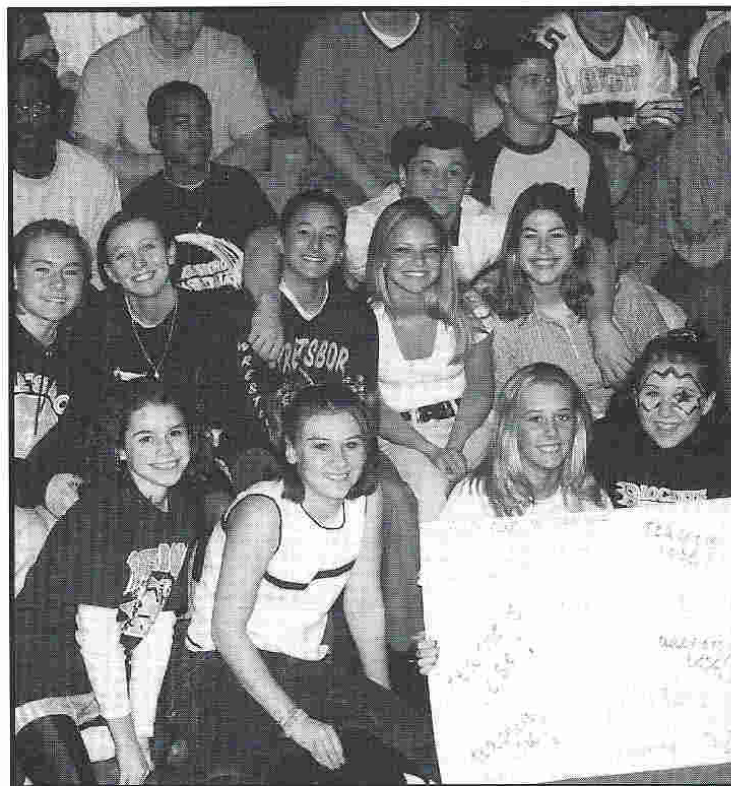
At right: Band seniors say farewell to band director Mr. Ken Granville. Mr. Granville has been the band director for Streetsboro for 30 years, and is retiring this year.





At left: Juniors Jessica Moldvay, Tammy Sos, Jenica Grafton, Gretl Cowling, Cameron Watson, Rachel Beale, Melissa Blazek and Megan Bourque, get all glammed up for this year's prom, "A Night at the Oscars."

Below: Cheering for their fellow classmates during the teacher-senior basketball game are a group of sophomores. Unfortunately, the teachers beat the seniors.



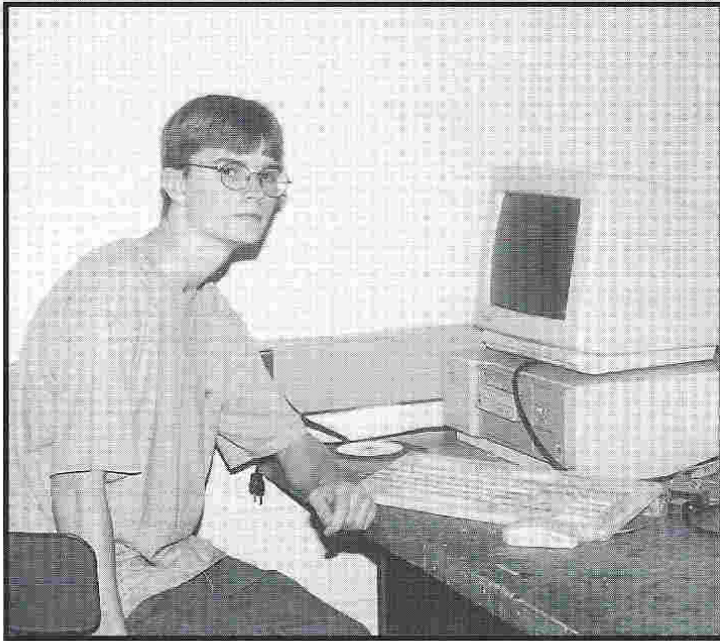
Above: Taking a picture in front of the Pyramid of the Sun in Mexico are juniors Rachel Beale, Holly Grubaugh, Michelle Yusko and Canaan Christ. These students went to Mexico over the summer with Spanish teacher, Mrs. Connie Evans.

At left: Showing fellow football players how to lift weights in the weight room is freshman Justin Docherty. Justin played for the varsity football team this year.

At left: Typing her story for the school's newspaper, The Orbiter, in Mr. Dave Hostetler's advanced journalism class, is junior Kari Earle. Mr. Hostetler retired at the end of this year.

Maplewood

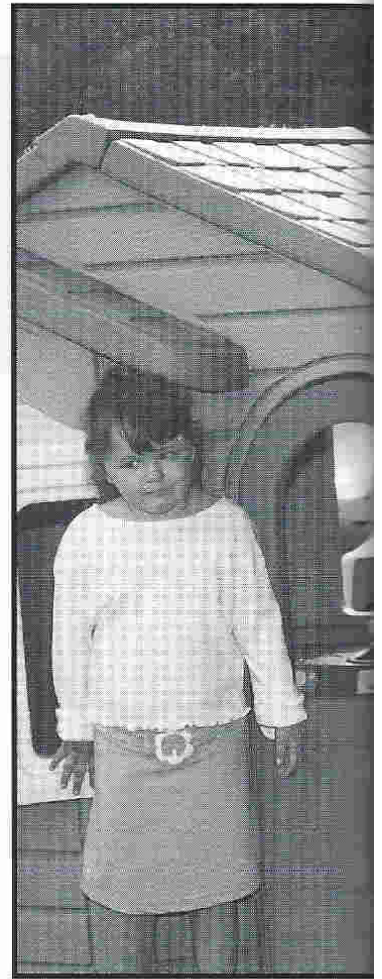
Building for future career



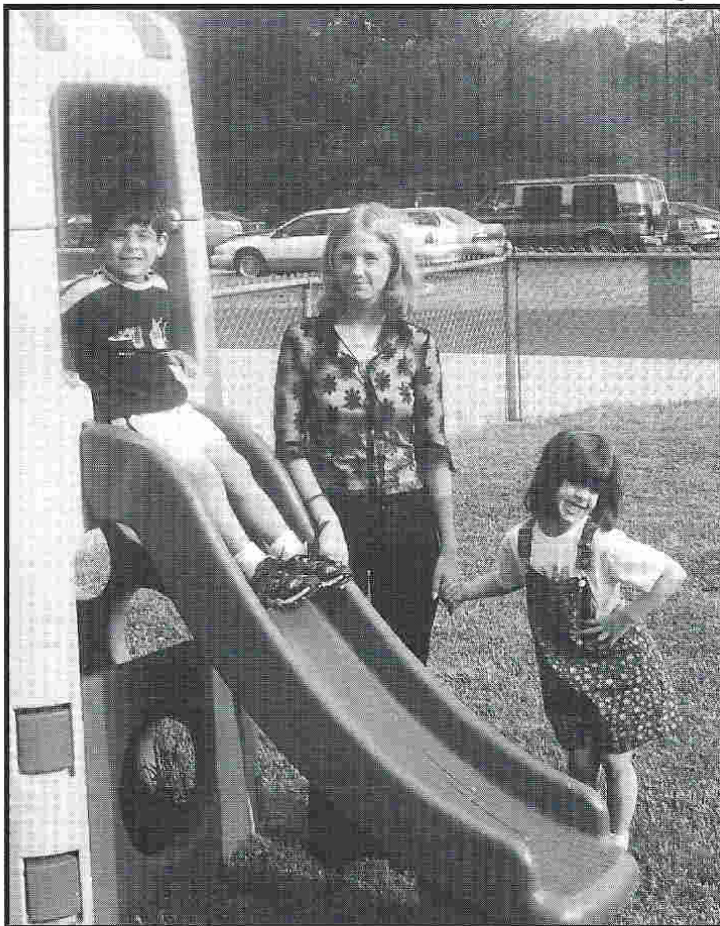
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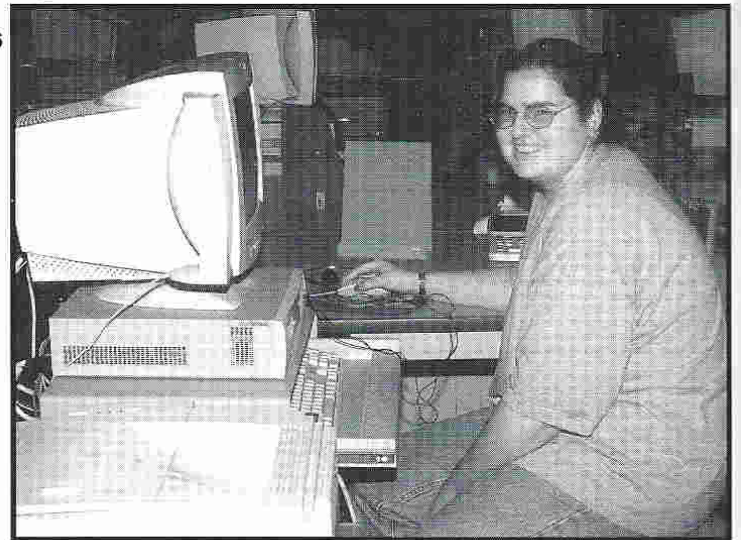
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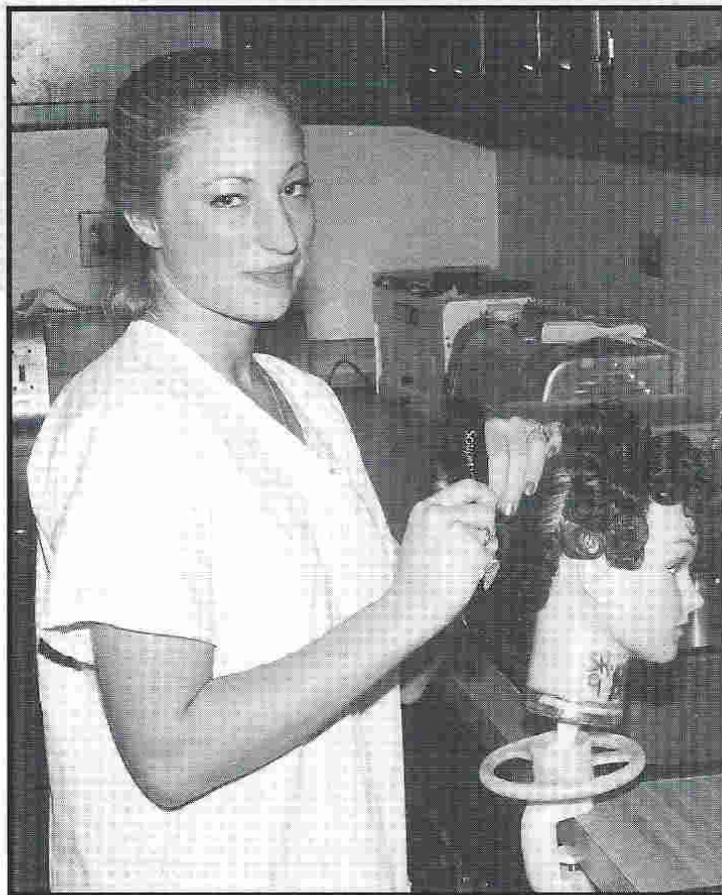


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Junior Patrick Gregory takes time out from electronics, (1).

Junior Nicole Detwiler explores a career caring for young children, (2).

Senior Laura Pinter minds two of her charges, (3).

Junior Brandi Pinkus practices on a wigged mannequin, (4).

Senior Melissa Lintz minds two of her charges, while learning careers with children, (5).

Senior Kelly Ranta is learning computer business technology at her computer, (6).

Nicole Johnson works with a wig in cosmetology, (7).

Junior Gary Washington works on a tire in Auto Service Tools, (8).

Working on some forms in cosmetology is Michelle Victor, (9).

Karri Wilson is all smiles in her business class, (10).

spirit week

students' spirit still strong



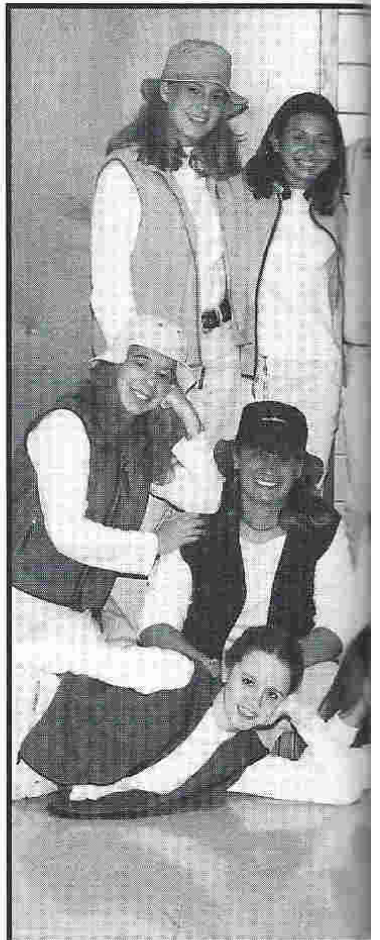
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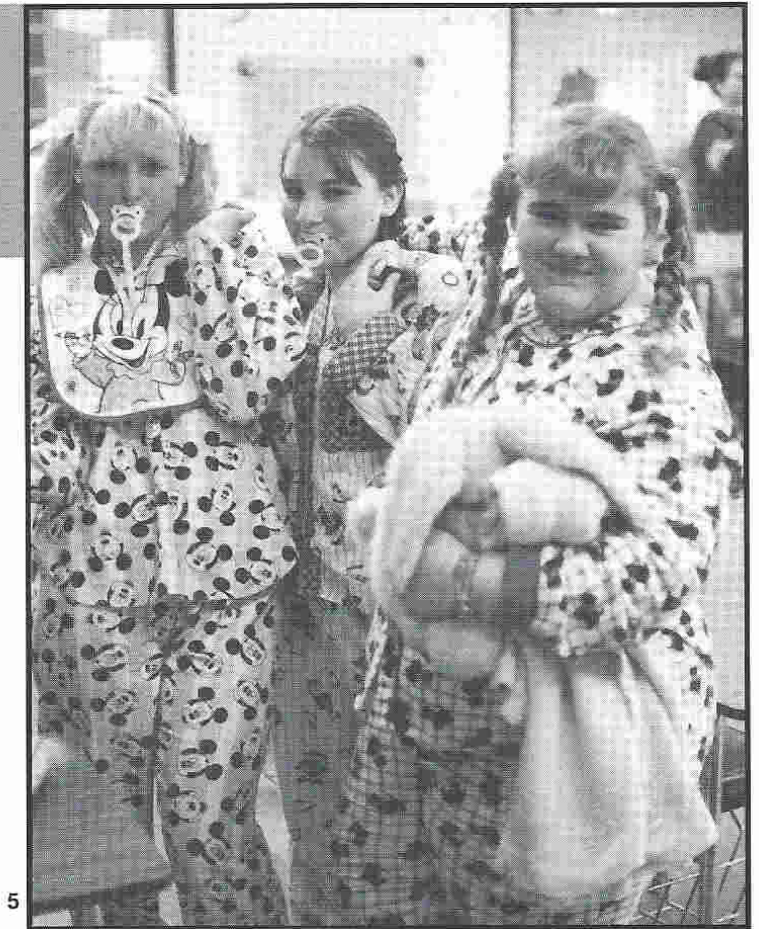
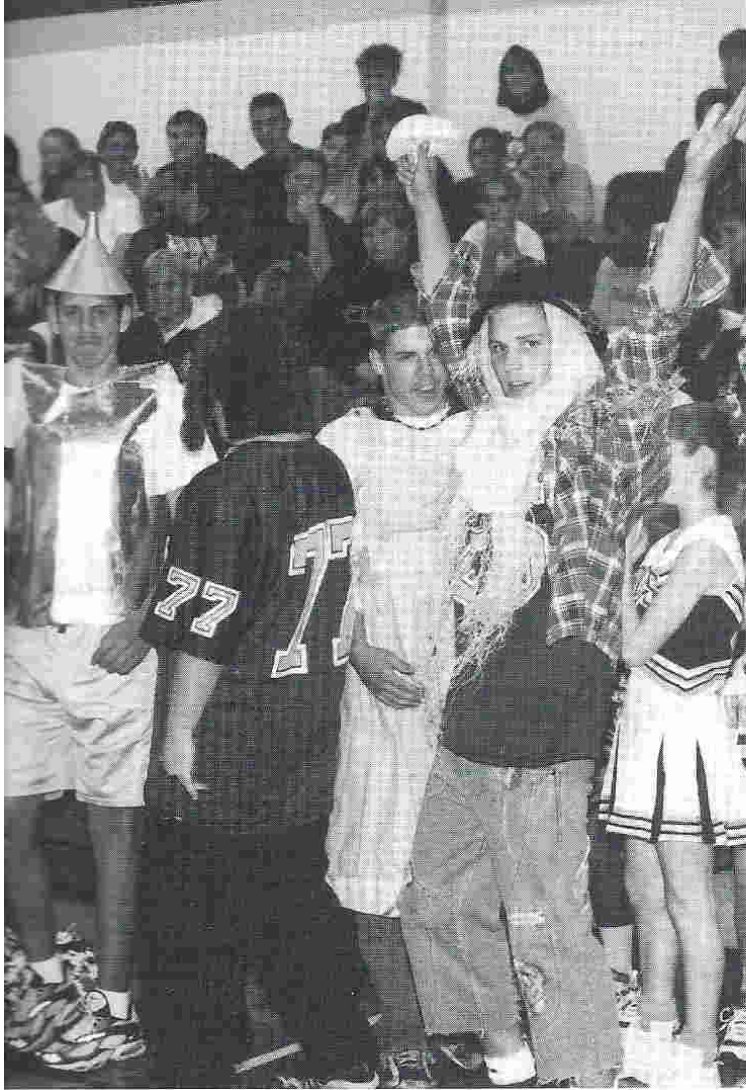
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The senior football players join the cheerleaders in a cheer during the homecoming pep rally, (1).

Dressed as the cast from The Wizard Of Oz, the senior football players rejoice after finding the heart and brain, (2).

Seniors Marie Kaiser, Christine Sourek, Manjot Tukhar and Crystal Baus show their strength by wearing togas on toga day, (3).

The junior girls showing off their school spirit by dressing as twins on junior twin day, (4).

Freshmen Christa Connelly, Michelle Basinger and Mindy Wargo help the freshman class show their true colors by dressing as babies, (5).

Junior Gretl Cowling brings peace to SHS on hippy day, (6).

Homecoming 2000

captured in a dream



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Seniors' creativity pays off when they take all in the hallway decorating competition, (1).

Freshman Jason Andrella and date Crystal Miller take a break in the cafeteria from dancing the night away, (2).

Seniors' charm the viewing student body with their exquisite fence designing, (3).

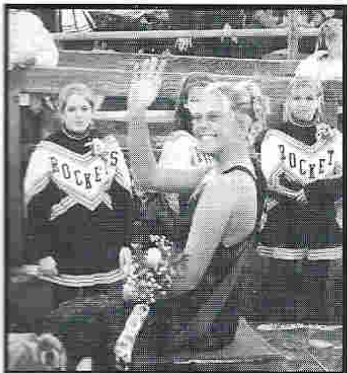
Seniors Jessica Cushman, Rebecca Wolfe, Tara Harcom, Jessica Shanks and Tiffany Baab make one memory that will be held in their hearts forever, (4).



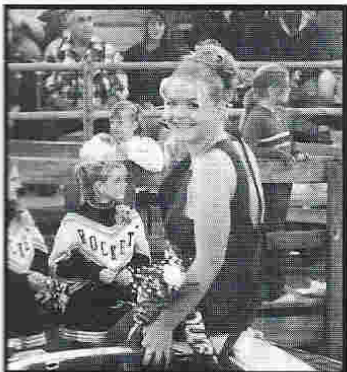
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Senior Rebecca Moors takes a final spin around the track while eagerly awaiting the announcement of Homecoming queen, (1).

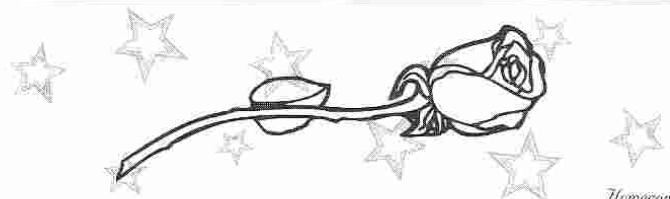
Senior Jessie Mementowski practices her might-be queen smile during the last minutes before our 1999-2000 queen was about to be crowned, (2).

Seniors Kathleen Beck shows off her princess-like wave to the eager crowd, (3).

Senior Angela Kirtley smiles nervously at the camera while only being able to watch and wait while the final verdict was being tallied, (4).

Senior Homecoming King Wayne Weingart and Queen Angela Kirtley stand tall and proud while cameras are flashing and the royal two take their place in front of their fellow friends and family, (5).

Senior James Yates shows off his mad dancing skills in front of the student body who attended this special dance, (6).



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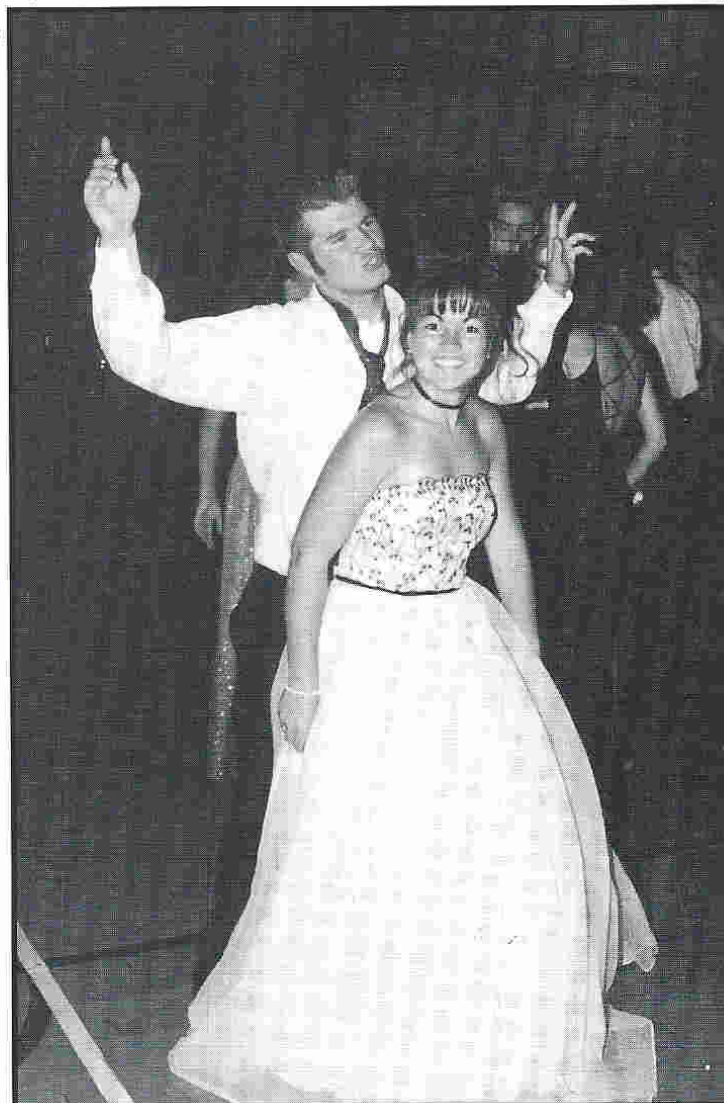


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Senior Jonathan Gilbert and junior Jennifer MacDowell make a glamorous appearance at an unforgettable dance, (1).

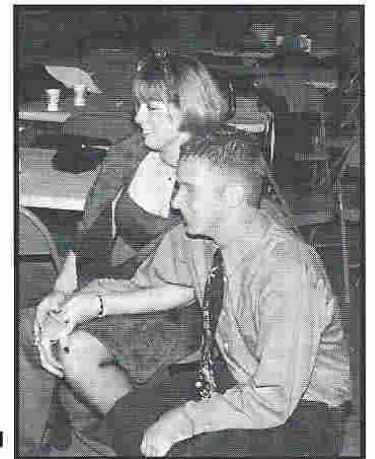
Juniors Ashlee Turner, Melissa Kramer, Traci Vorell and Jennifer Krakora stand arm and arm making memories to last a lifetime, (2).

Junior Alison Horton and Senior Joseph Lanham sign up for the pictures taken by Bear's Photography, (3).

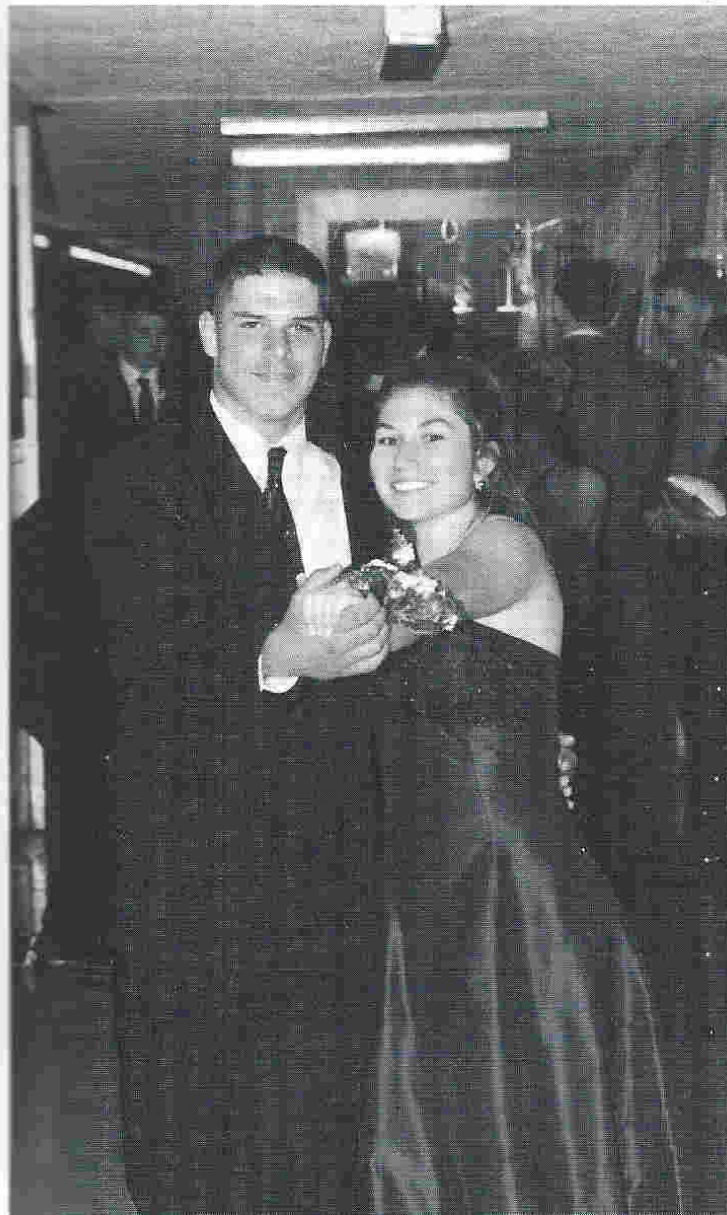
Junior Holly Grubaugh takes a break to smile for the camera as junior Paul Veverka grooves on and shows the student body just what moves he has, (4).



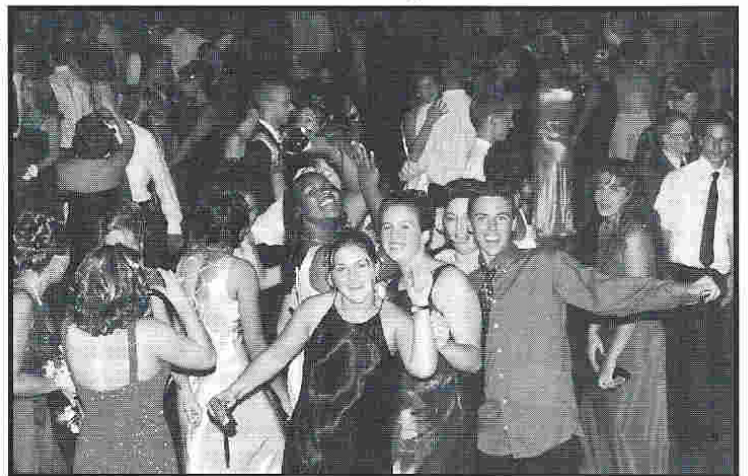
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The 1999-2000 Homecoming court: (top row) Freshman Kristen Balli, Junior Jolene Hall, Senior King Candidates Jason Whitelock, Wayne Weingart, Eric Bora and David Pastiva, Junior Danielle Fouquet, Freshman Cynthia Rogers, (bottom row) Senior Queen Candidates Jessie Mementowski, Kathleen Beck, Rebecca Moors and Angela Kirtley, (1).

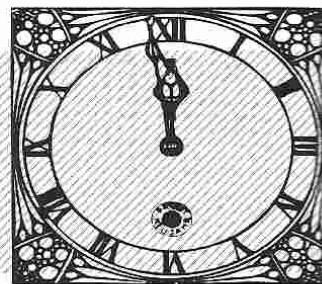
Sophomore Gabriel Hutchins and date Tanya Thome take a breather from a night of hard dancing and excitement, (2).

Seniors Jason Whitelock and Rebecca Moors tango down the hall showing all the underclassman how it's really done, (3).

Seniors RoseAnn Denison, Bisa Harris, Lisa Kelly, Chandra Workman and Lawrence Connelly break apart from the crowd to show all the people around them just who they are and the right way to have a good time, (4).

Millennium Dance

Dancing into the millennium



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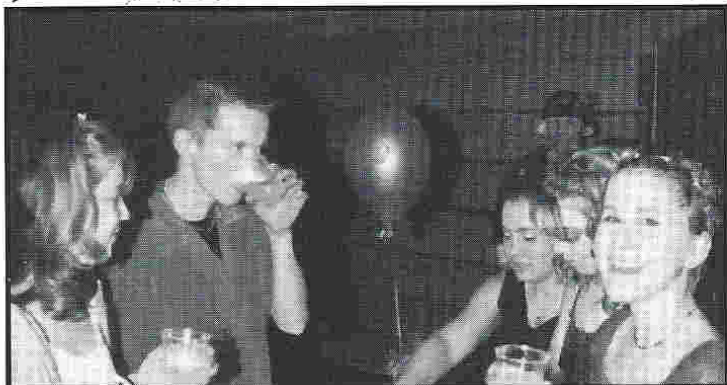


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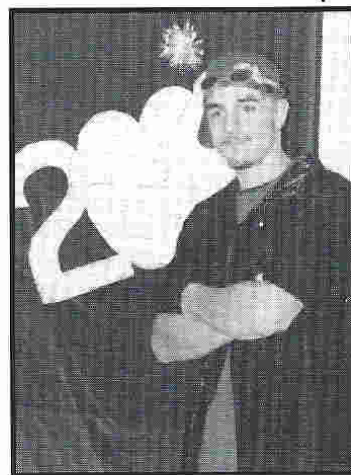
Gretl Cowling and Jenica Grafton stop to smile, (1).

Sophomores get ready to dance, (2).

Lisa Krakora, Seth Tipton, Becky Wolf and Shannon Lambert take a break for all the action, (3).

Mike Jones shows off his style, (4).

Jen Brown, Jessica Cushman, Tiffany Baab, Michele Hearn, Stephanie Miller, Heather Bora, Becky Wolff pose for a picture, (5).



Talent Show

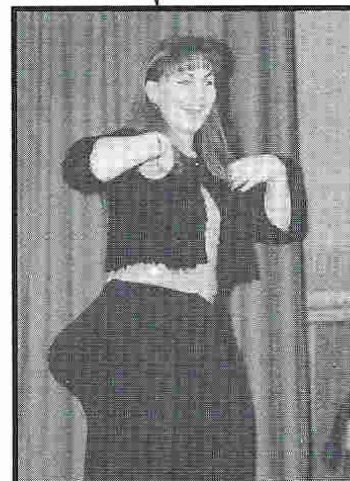
Bringing out the talent in you



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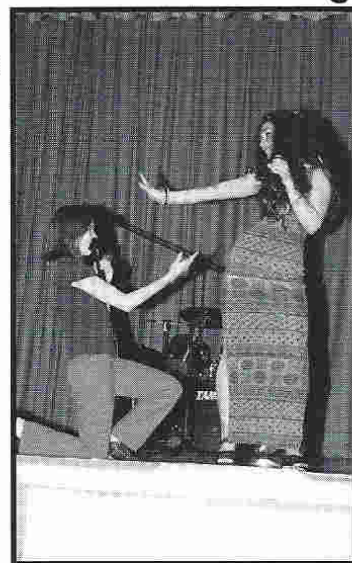


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Matt Fredmonsky and Sean Horton rock the crowd, (1).

Winners of the lipsync, the senior girls are all smiles, (2).

Russ Schaeffer entertains by singing the lyrics of his original song, (3).

Holly Grubaugh shows her butt while dancing to "Baby Got Back," (4).

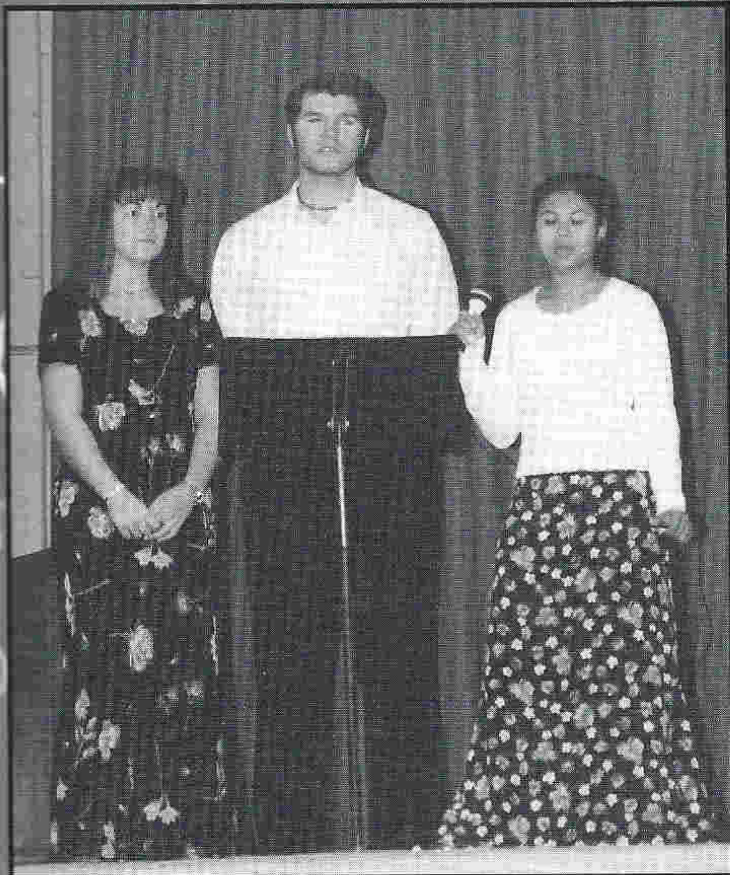
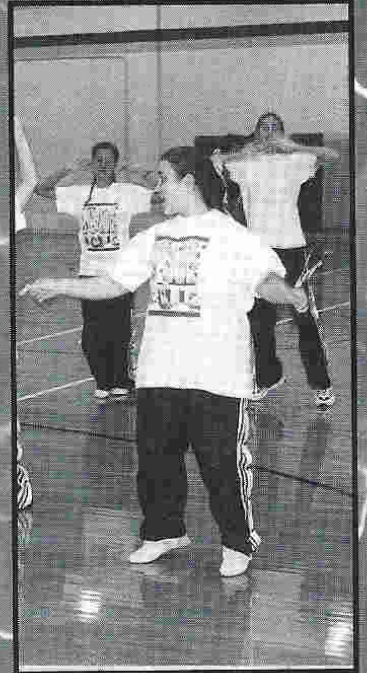
Teachers makes everyone laugh during their version of YMCA, (5).

Jenn Krakora and Cindy Fresenko sing to the music of Sonny & Cher, (6).



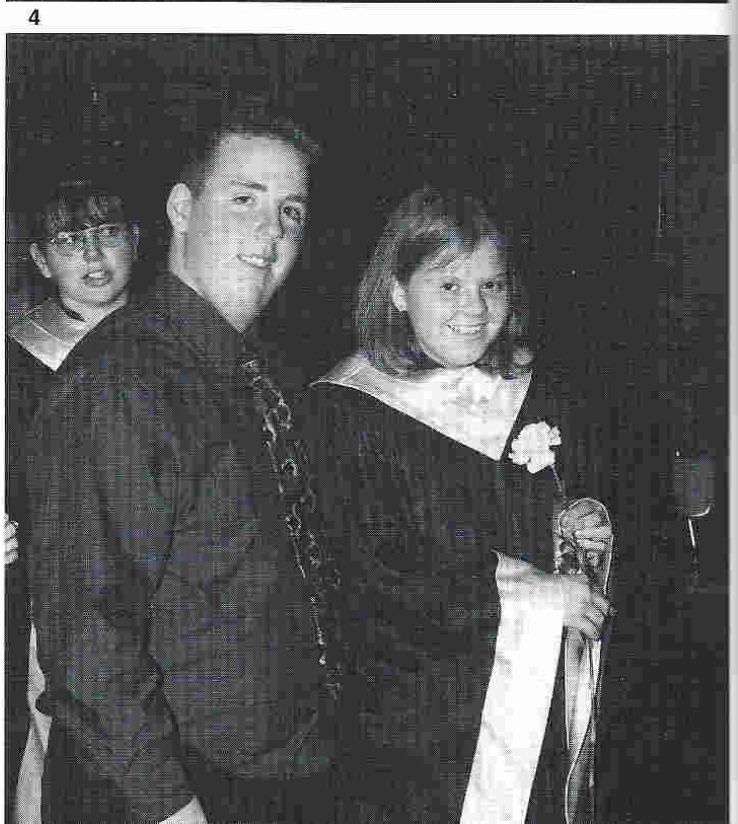
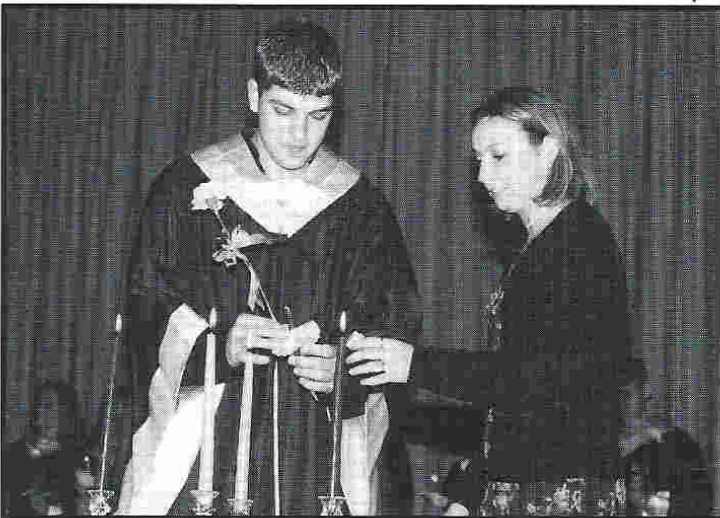
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Clubs



national honor society

students excel toward a successful future



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The 1999-2000 National Honor Society inductees are as follows, (top row left to right) Senior Michael Matheis, Juniors Canaan Christ, Jonathan Ogden, William Holcomb, Michael Broska, Ryan Friend, Michael Cobb, Daniel Kuznicki, Alicia Thomas (second row) Angela Bennett, Gretl Cowling, Jennifer MacDowell, Jenica Grafton, Cynthia Frensenko, Megan Bourque, Connie Bogucki, Michelle McCurry, Holly Grubaugh.

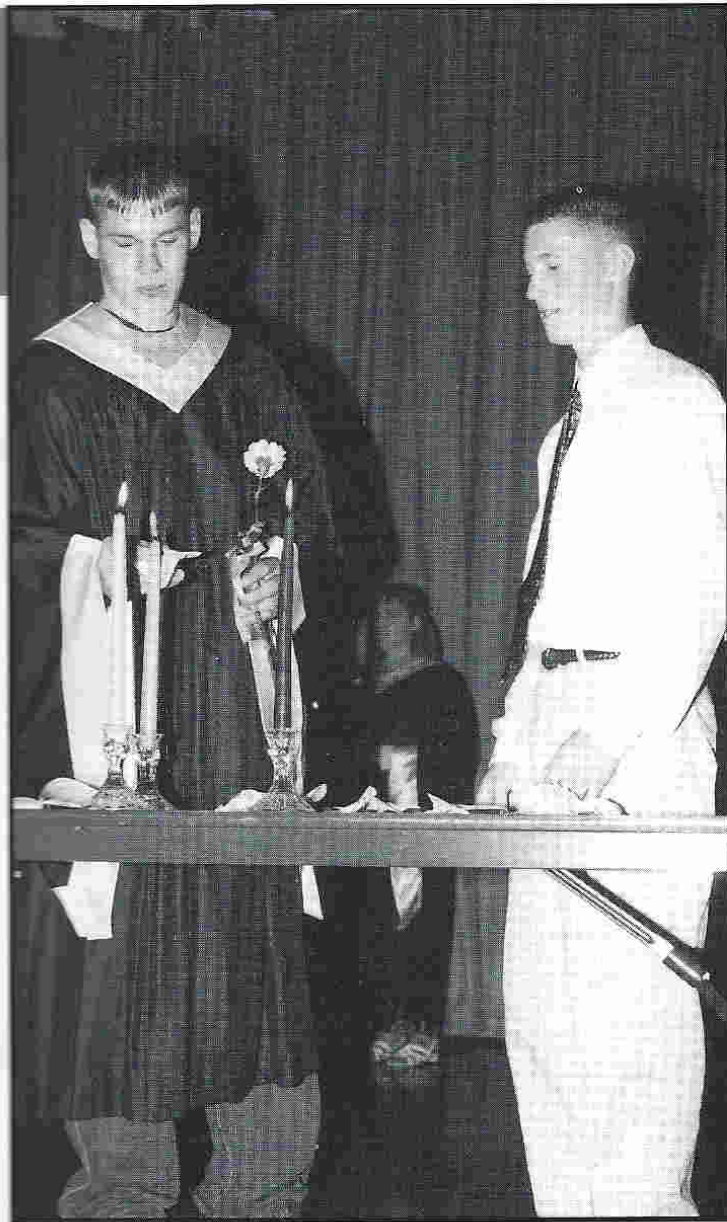
(Bottom row) Melissa Blazek, Kristyn Wegman, Heather Richardson, Danielle Fouquet, Melissa Kramer, Cameron

Watson, Thomas George, Toshia Bachtel, Mandy Cortnik, Kristi O'Neal, (1).

Senior Kimberly Schneider helps junior inductee, Canaan Christ in the lighting of his induction candle during the ceremony, (2).

Junior inductees Michelle McCurry, Connie Bogucki and Jennifer MacDowell congratulate one another in the hall and gather in celebration, (3).

Senior Kyle Kendrick and junior Melissa Blazek share smiles as they walk proudly off the stage towards the library ready to celebrate, (4).



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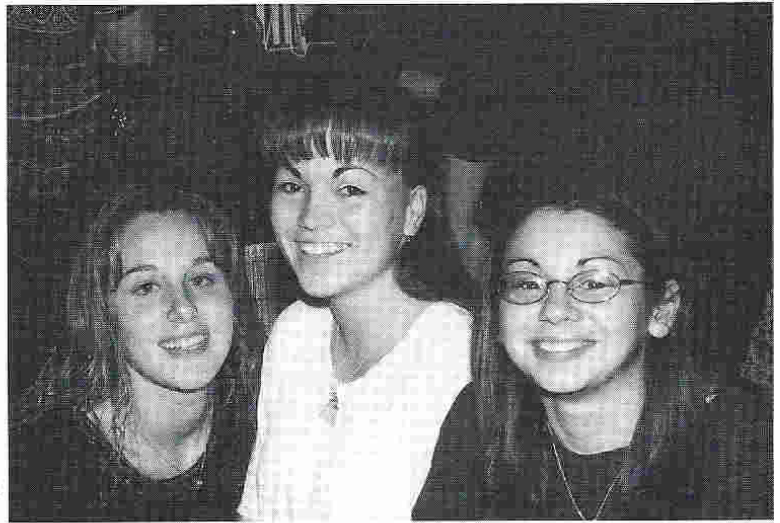
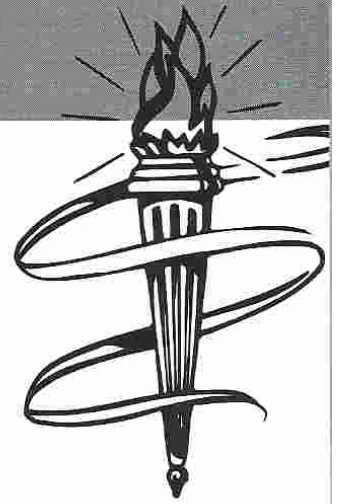
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Senior Michael Matheis ignites his candle after Senior Tim Mcvay tapped him from the audience and introduced him to the school. (1).

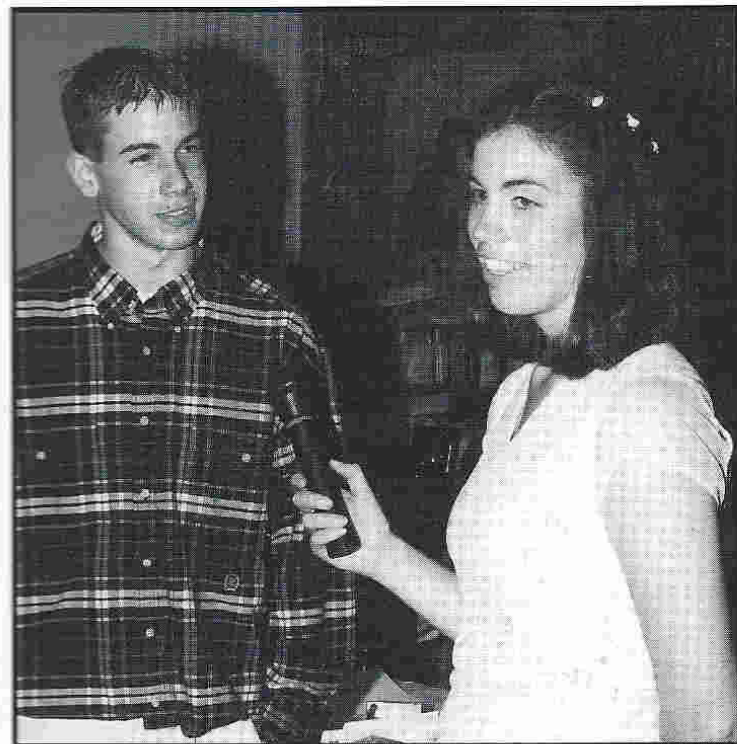
National Honor Society junior members, Angela Bennett, Holly Grubaugh, and Heather Richardson take a break from celebration in the library and smile for a picture, (2).

Senior member Melissa Banashak interviews newcomer Jonathan Ogden about his acceptance into the National Honor Society after the ceremony, (3).

New member, Cameron Watson smiles in appreciation after getting flowers and cards for her induction, (4).



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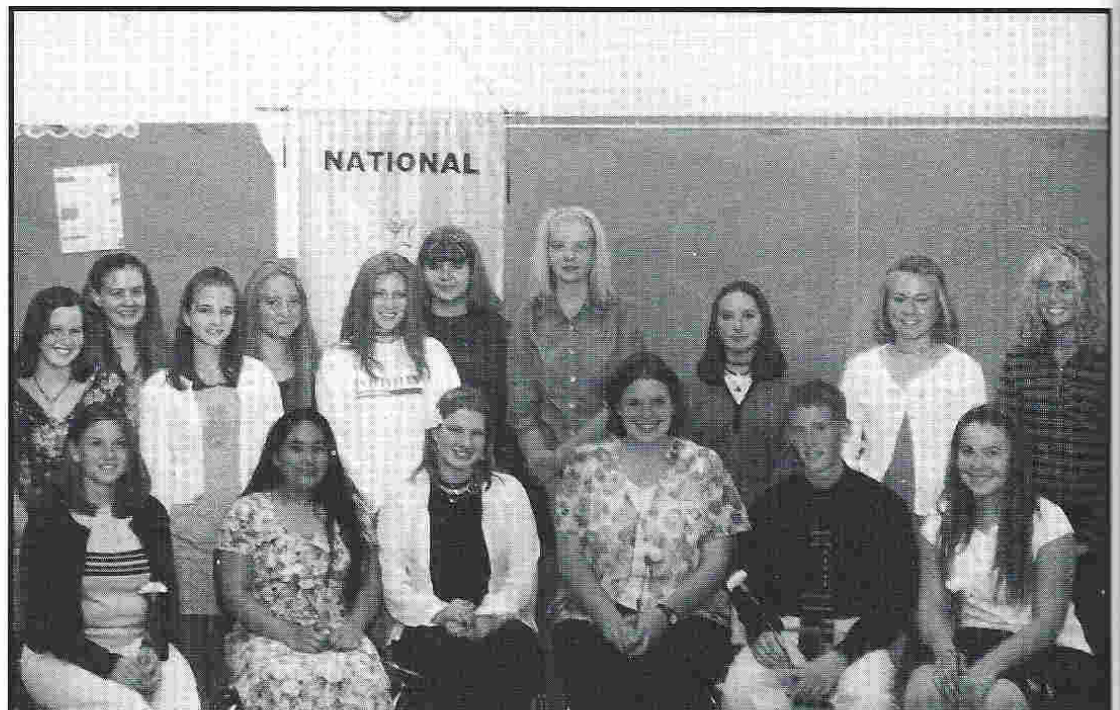


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beta club

Working hard to be the best



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Naomi Daradar smiles proudly wearing her Streetsboro Beta Club shirt, (1).

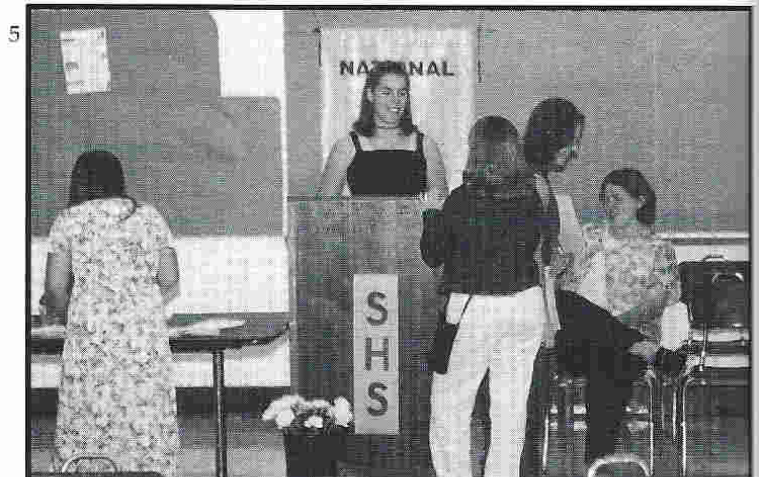
New Beta Club members for 1999-2000 sit and relax after their inductions, (2).

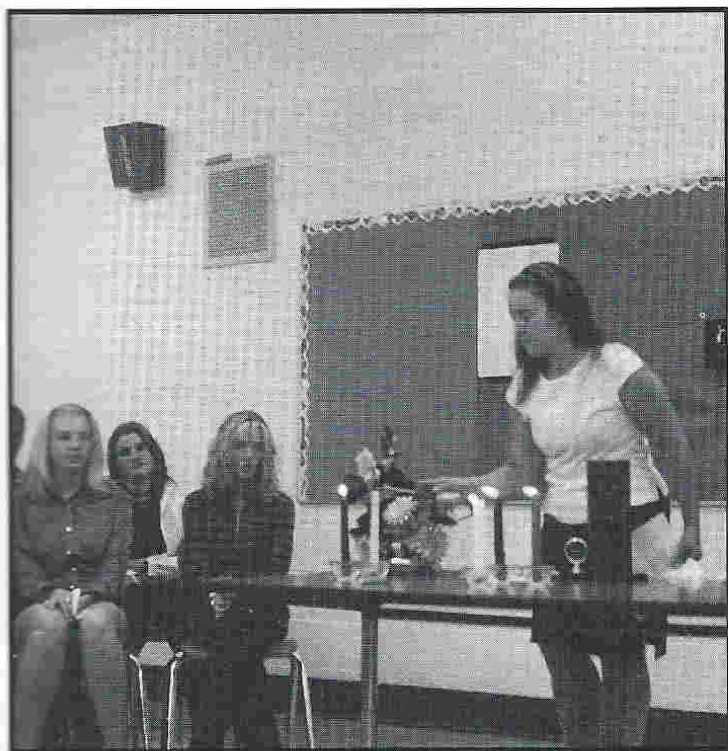
Beta Club advisor, Mrs. Gaye Bricker gives a welcoming speech to the new members, (3).

1999-2000 Beta Club members and new Beta Club members (L to R)

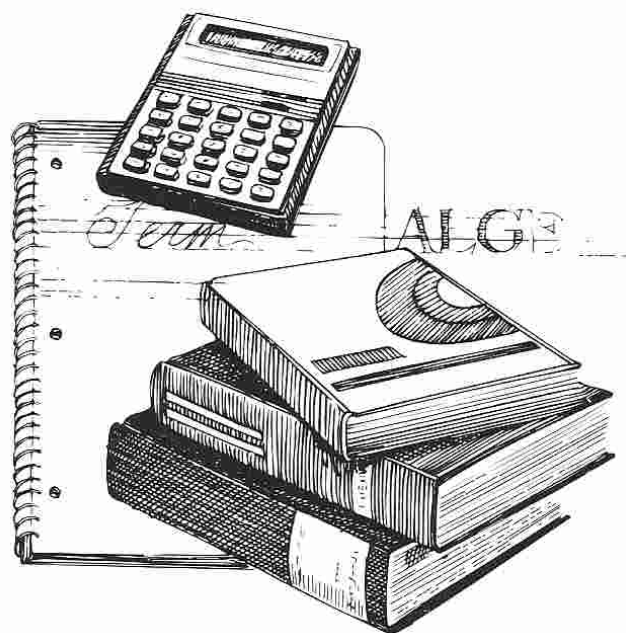
Row 1: Cameron Watson, Naomi Daradar, Alison Horton, Michelle Posten, Tim McVay, and Becky Wolff. Row 2: April Monegan, Becky Prijatel, Amanda Peel, Tara Woodson, April Dolovacky, Tanya Harkcom, Lindsey Broska, Katie McGing, Krystin Mementowski, and Alexandria Beck, (4).

Seniors of the National Beta Club, prepare for 1999-2000 Beta Club ceremony, (5).

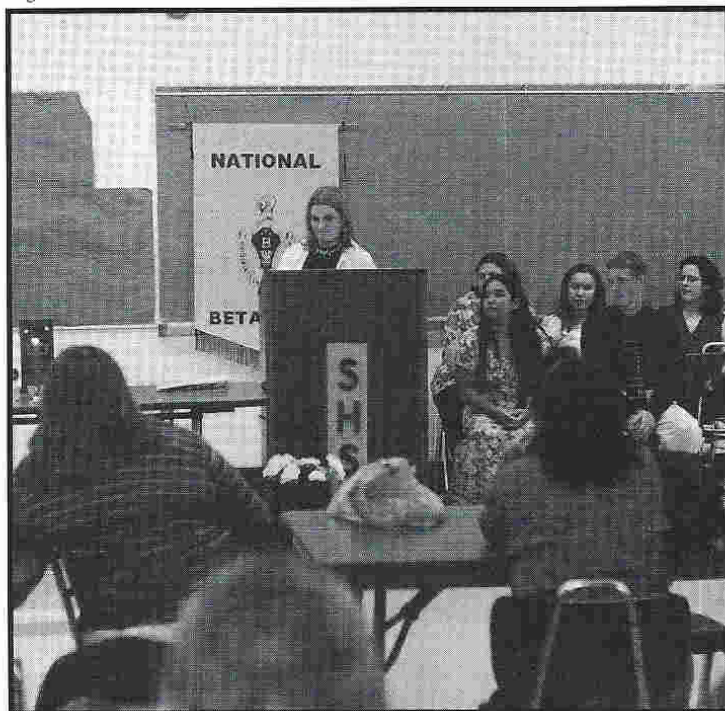
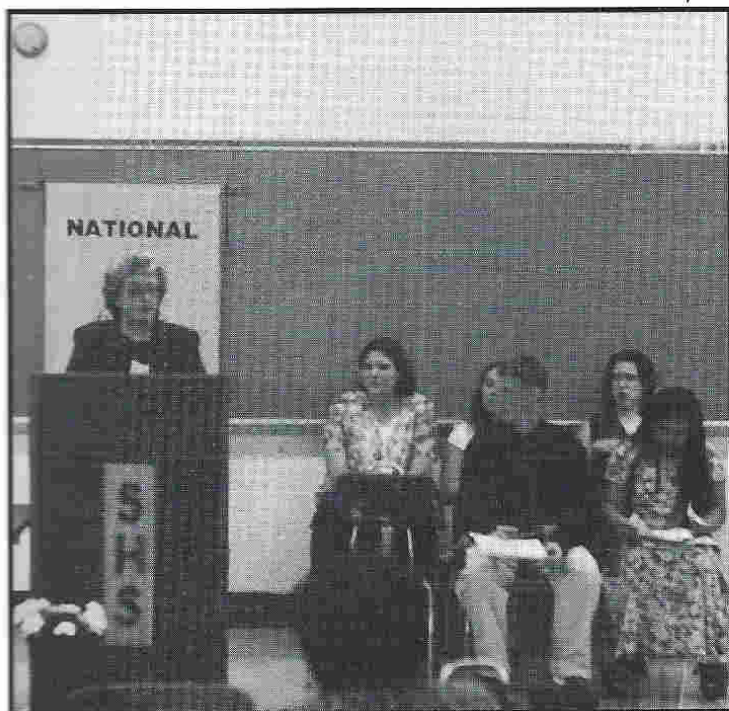




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Senior Becky Wolff lights one of the many candles in the induction ceremony, (6).

Senior members wait patiently to induct the new members of 1999-2000 Beta Club, (7).

Sophomore Alison Horton prepares herself after the candles are lit, (8).

Senior Tim McVay passes flowers out to the new members of Streetboro Beta Club, (9).

student council

the backbone of school spirit

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Showing off their school spirit during spirit week is sophomore Cindy Rogers and seniors Nicole Thomas, Liz Gracia, Cristin Reardon and Nikole Sauer, (1).

Slamming a pie in Mr. Gene Easter's face is junior John Holcepl, (2).

Winning the best present costume is freshman Jodie Manijak, (3).

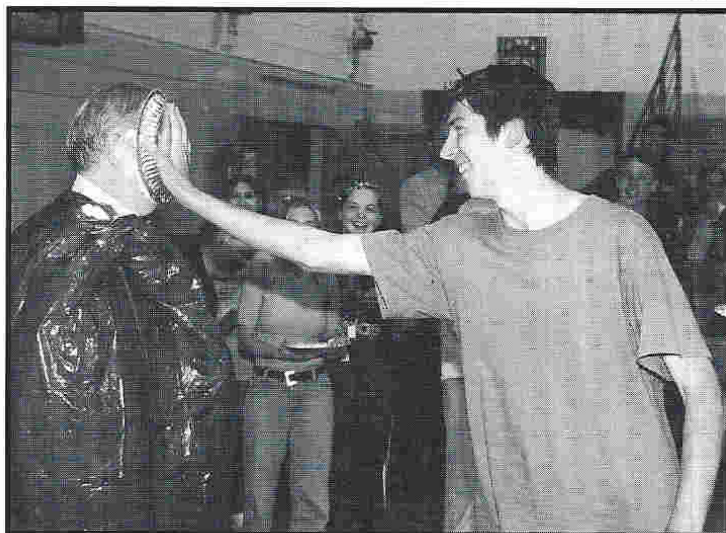
Scampering down the hall is sophomore Alicia McMichael and freshman Andrea Kruza dressed in their halloween costumes, (4).

Showing off their holiday spirit are seniors Amanda Fouquet and Crystal Baus, (5).

Junior Gretl Cowling accepts the money from sophomores David Broska and Mark Creque after they brought senior Kim Schneider during the senior auction, (7).



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Taking Time To Care



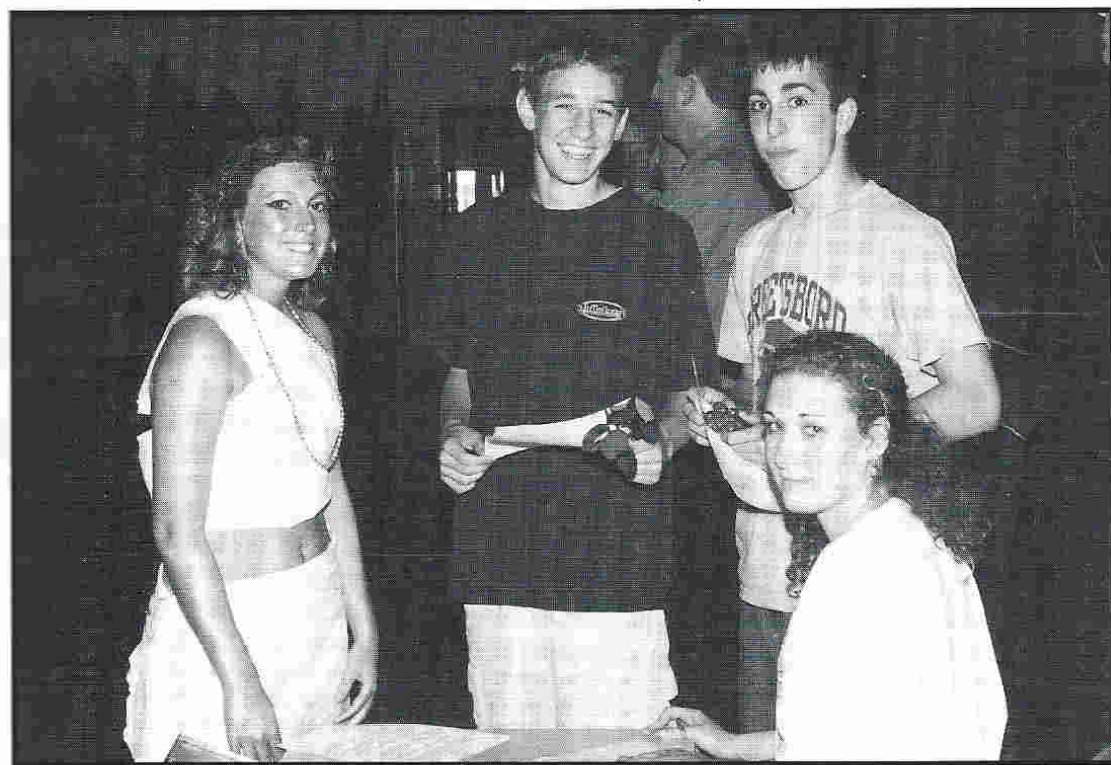
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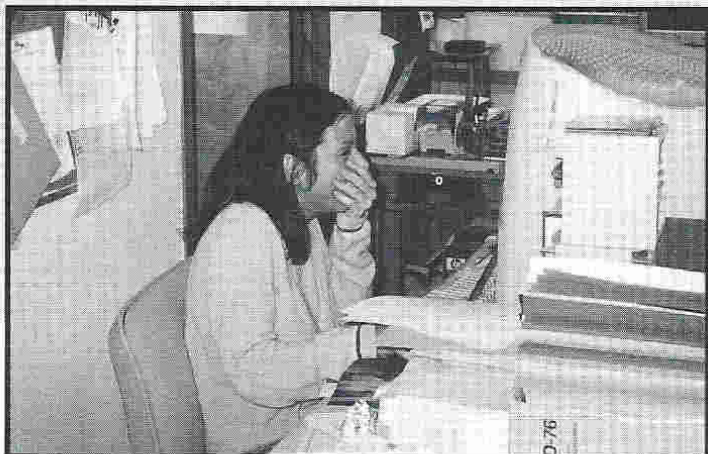
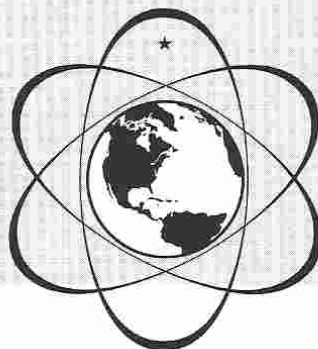
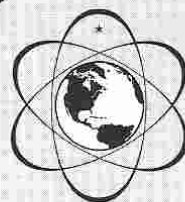
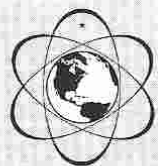
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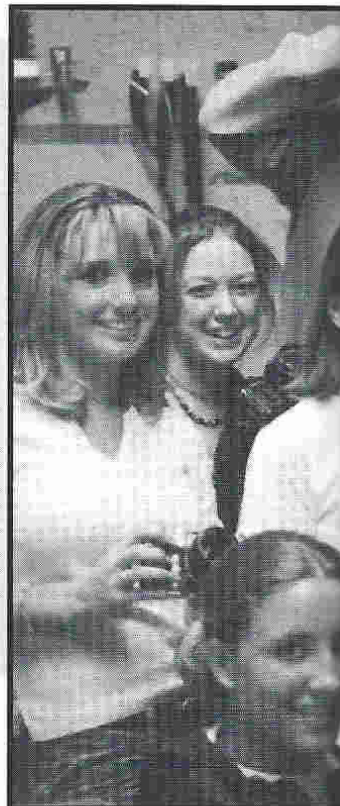
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The Orbiter

voice of the Rockets



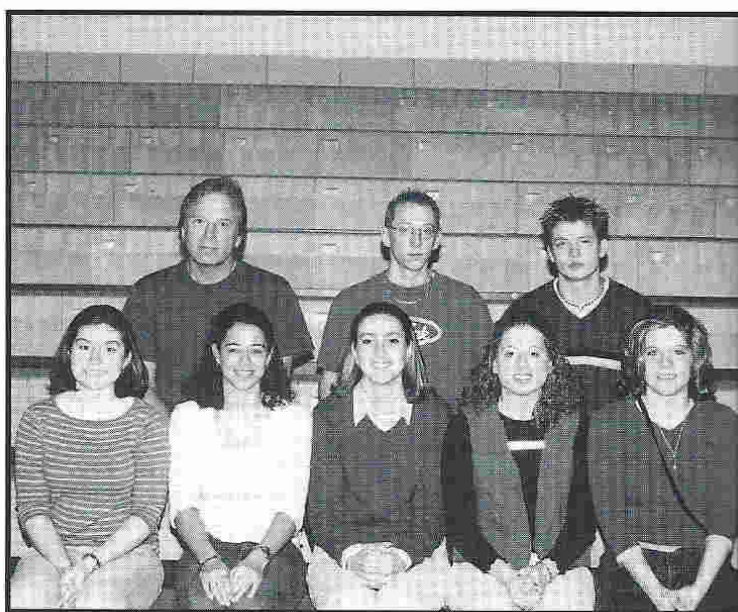
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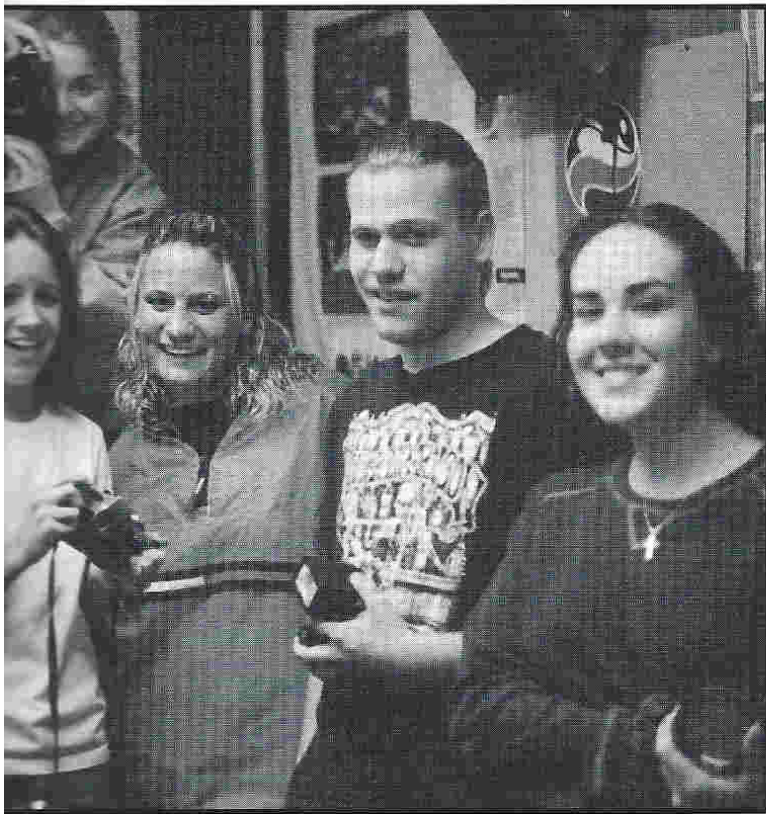
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Junior Heather Richardson laughs as she writes her story, (1).

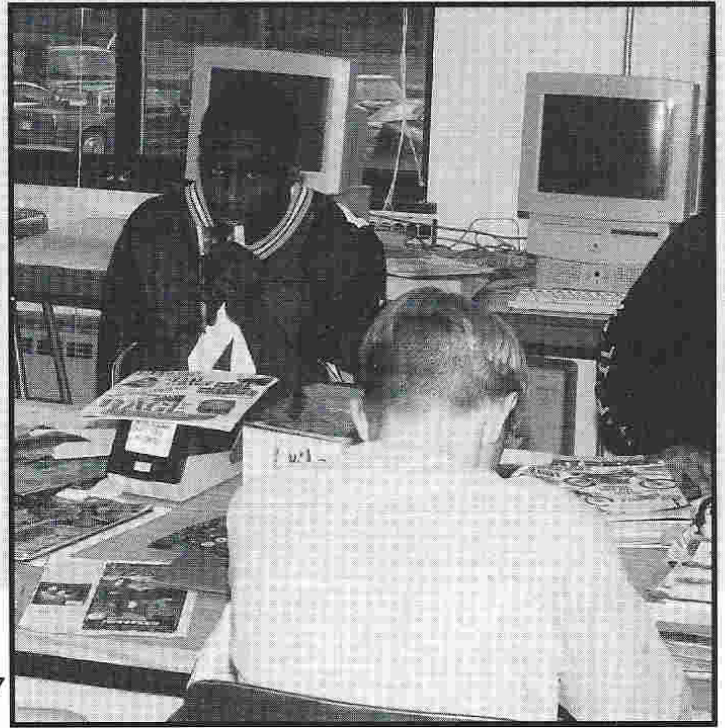
Senior Angie Kirtley as well as juniors Dawn Szakacs, Cindy Fresenko, Missy Kramer, Chad Gindlesperger, Connie Bogucki and Amy Busser prepare to take pictures during their journalism class, (2).

Hard at work are seniors Crystal Baus, Marie Kaiser, Angie Kirtley and Roseann Denison, (3).

Posing for a picture is The Orbiter advisor Mr. Dave Hostetler and senior editors Liam Lowery, Sean Horton, Becca Moors, Christine Sourek, Kim Schneider, Michele Dillie and Amy Smith, (4).



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Posing for a picture is the journalism class and Orbiter staff, (5).

Startled senior Amy Smith forces a quick smile, (6).

Freshman Johnny Petty stops to take a break as sophomore Brandon Davis continues to work hard on his journalism magazine, (7).

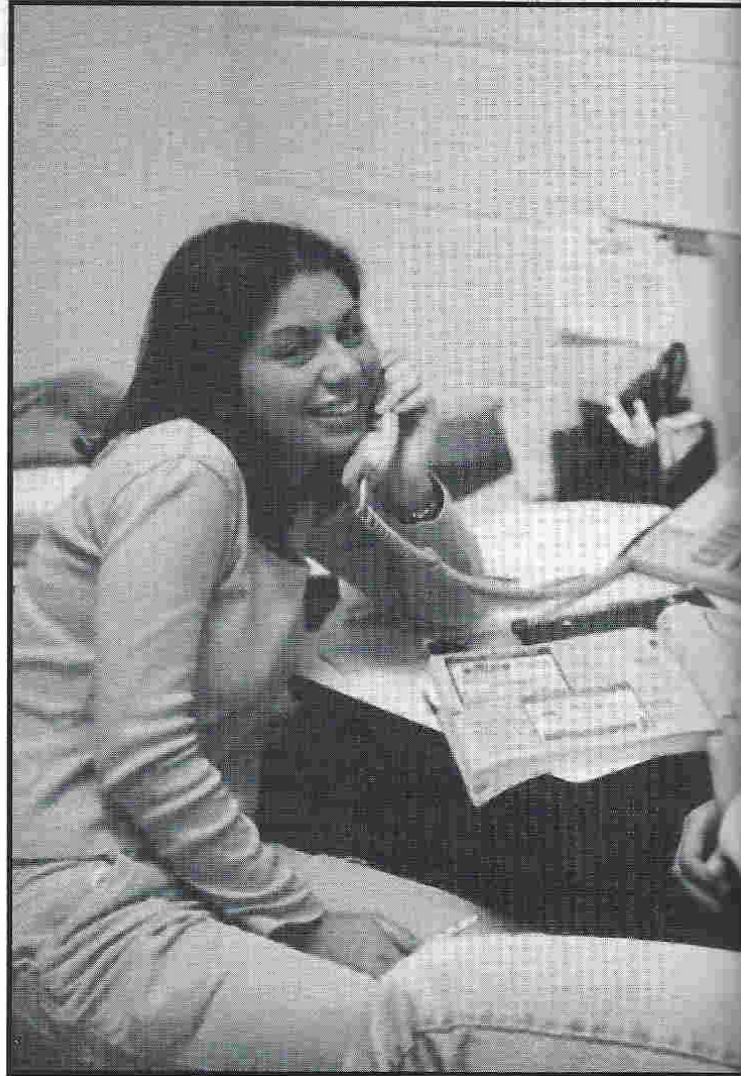
Senior Melissa Thomas and junior Dawn Szakacs work together on the newspaper, (8).

Junior Amy Busser proudly shows off her rubber cement, (9).

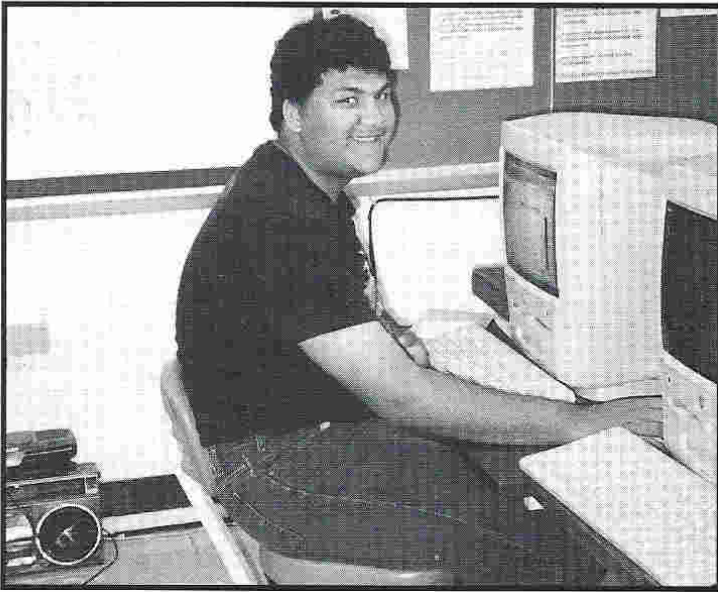
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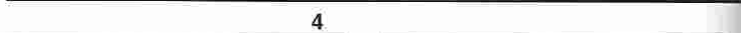
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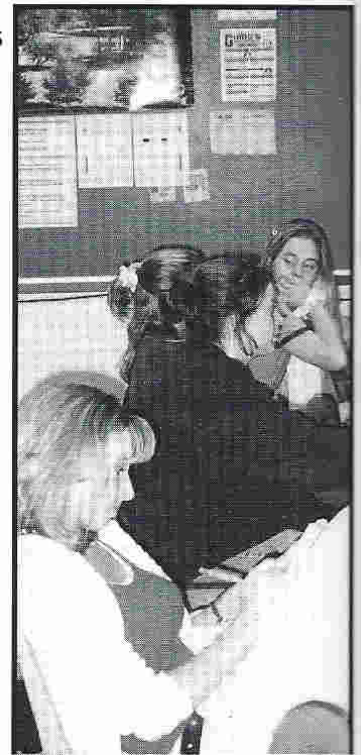
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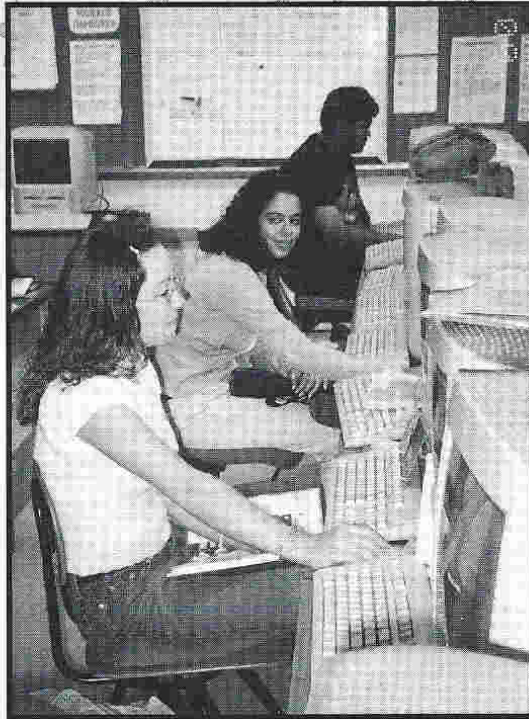


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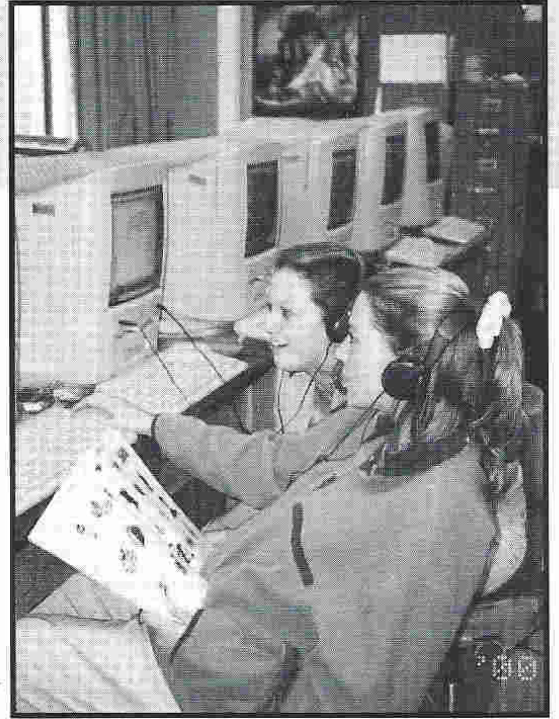




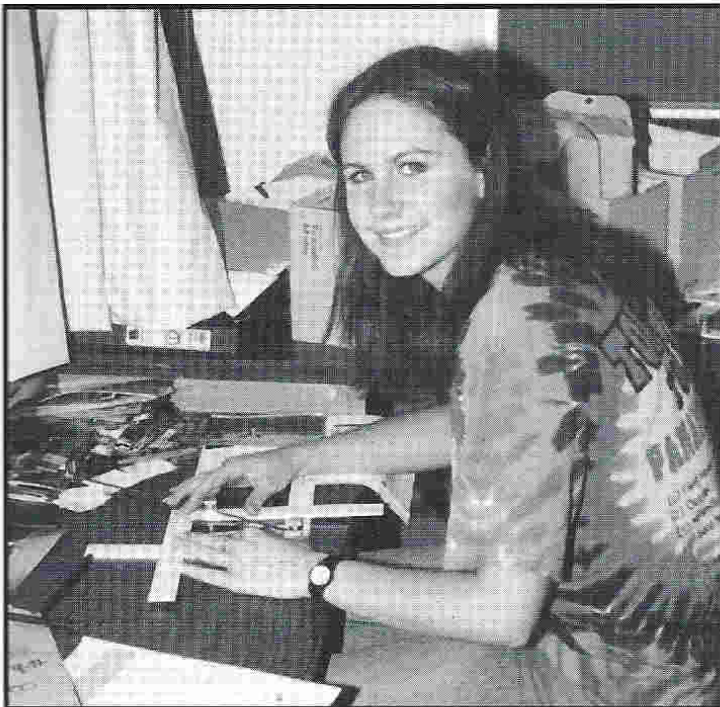
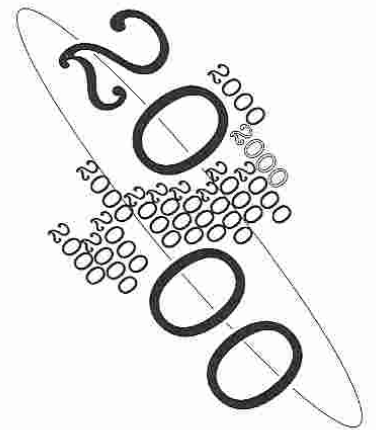
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Kimberly Schneider, Becca Moors, and Angela Kirtley are busy cropping pictures for the last yearbook they will be working on during their high school career, (1).

Victor Lester gets ready to begin a page, (2).

Heather Richardson and Danielle Fouquet are enjoying themselves as they make some money selling advertisements, (3).

Danielle Johnson happily crosses off another page that has been completed, (4).

Melissa Thomas organizes her billing agenda while Desiree Butcher helps her fellow classmates design a layout, (5).

Christine Sourek gives Allison Strauss advice for her page, (6).

Kari Earl and Dawn Szakacs pick out some clip art to spice up their pages, (7).

Cameron Watson and Rachel Beale take a second to glimpse at the camera, (8).

Marie Kaiser is busy at work cropping pictures, (9).

band

marching with spirit

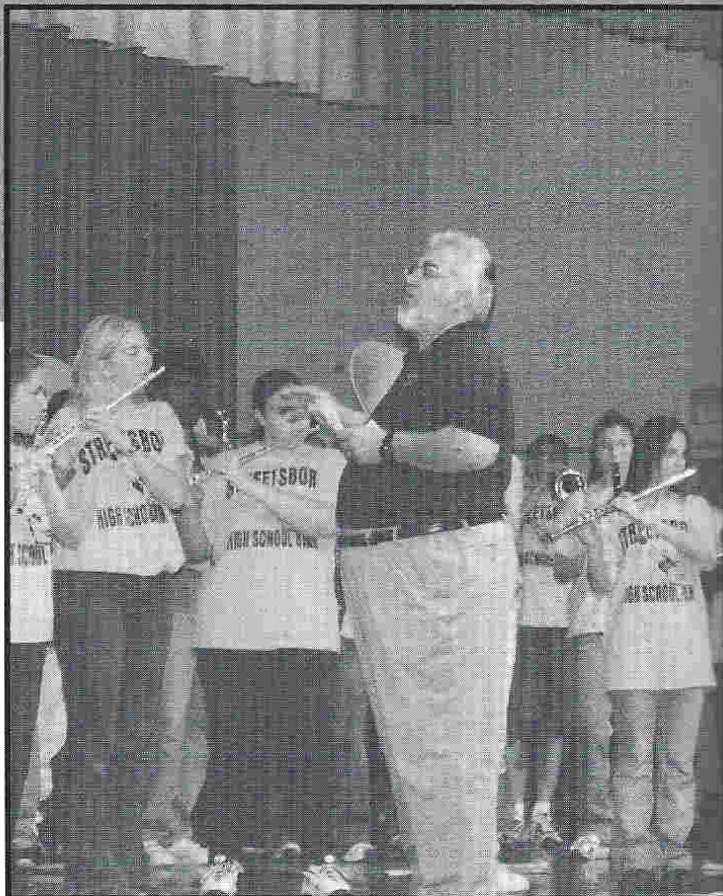
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Enjoying his final year as band director is Mr. Ken Granville. With 30 years of directing, the band members will surely miss his direction and guidance, (1).

Pausing on senior night is German foreign exchange student Monika Bleck, (2).

Posing together is Streetsboro High School's 1999-2000 band, (3).

The band marches and plays at the halftime of a football game, (4).

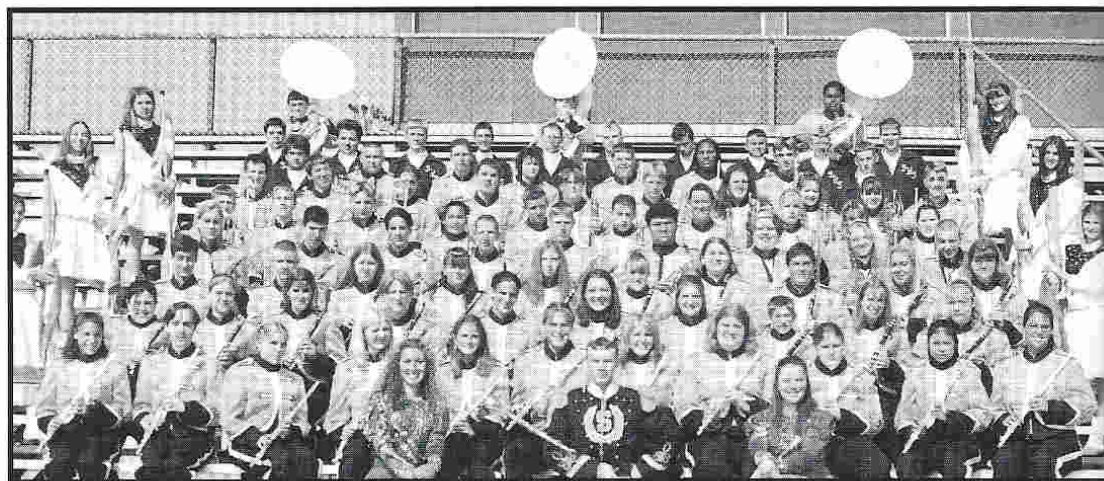


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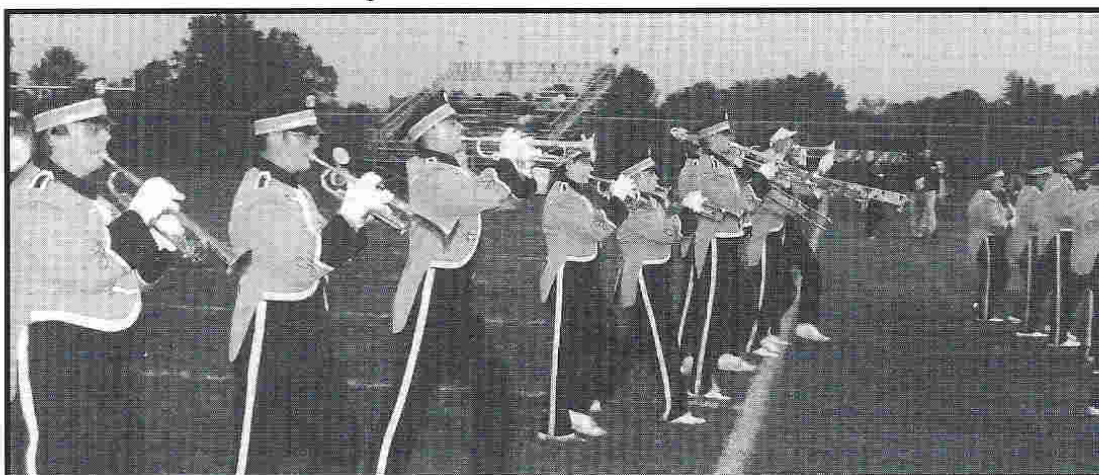
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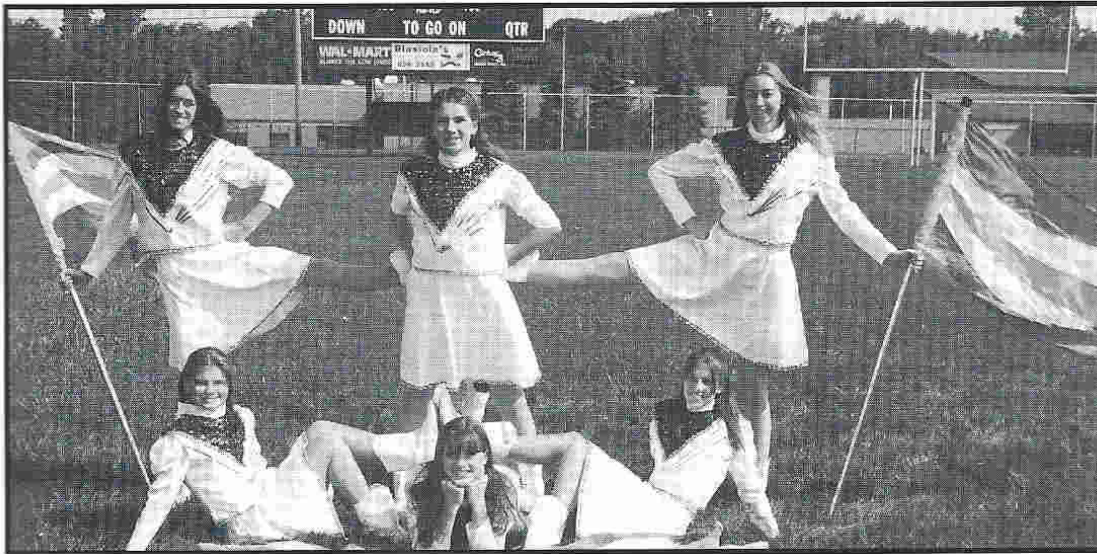
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majorettes and flags *twirling to 2000*



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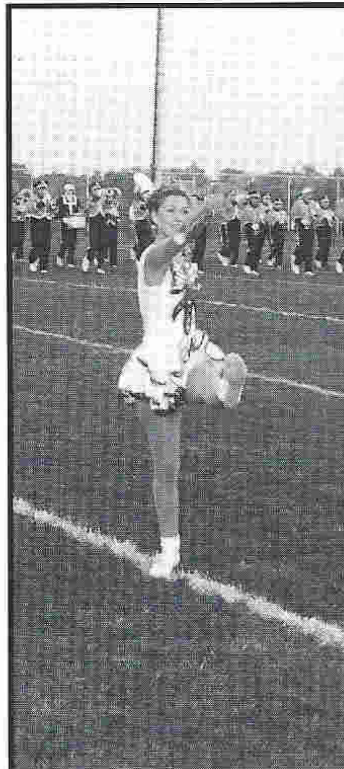


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Give 100%



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Streetsboro High School's flag corp members include (Back L to R) Kari Kaiser, Candace Manijak, Jennifer MacDowell, Toshia Bachtel and Michelle Herns, (1).

Senior Becky Wolff dances in front of the band while smoothly twirling her baton, (2).

Streetsboro High School's majorettes include (L to R) Gretal Cowling and Becky Wolff, (3).

Junior Gretl Cowling shows her love for dancing at a football game, (4).

choir...singing into the new millennium

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Holly Grubaugh and Mary Ann Perez sing together in perfect harmony, (1).

Treble Ensemble:

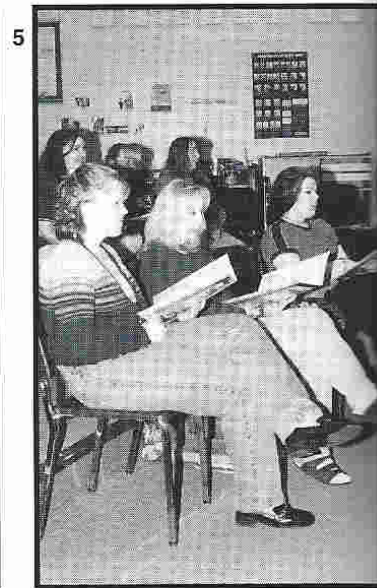
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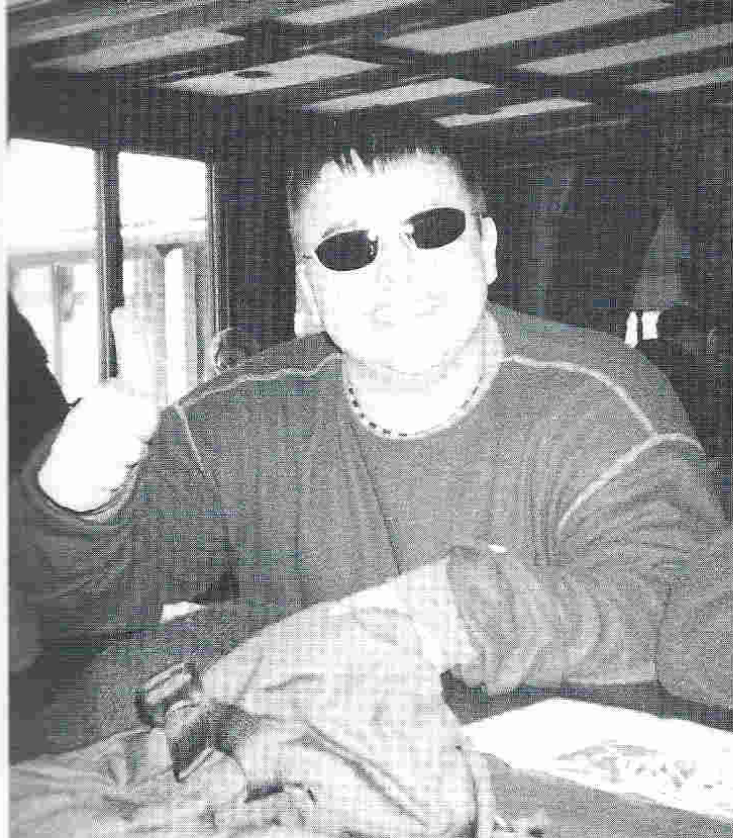
Choir teacher Mrs. Susan Spurlock gets the entire classes attention as she explains the next song, (3).

Choir:

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Waiting patiently for the next song to begin are Melissa Blazek, Nicole Rumplick, and Michelle La Rupe, (5).

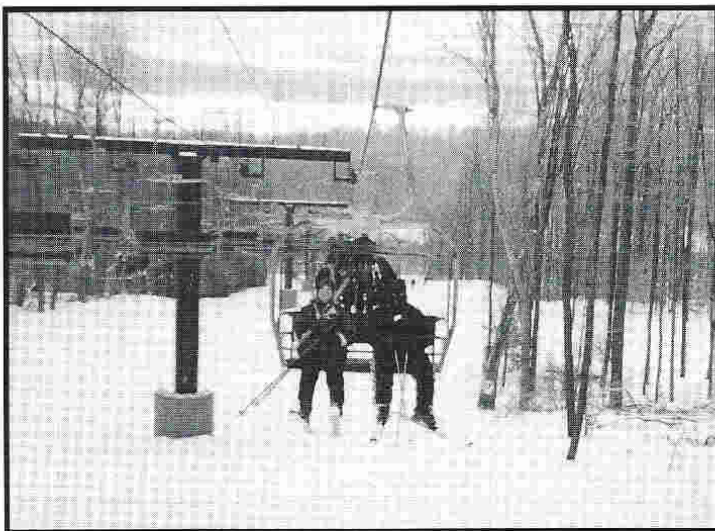




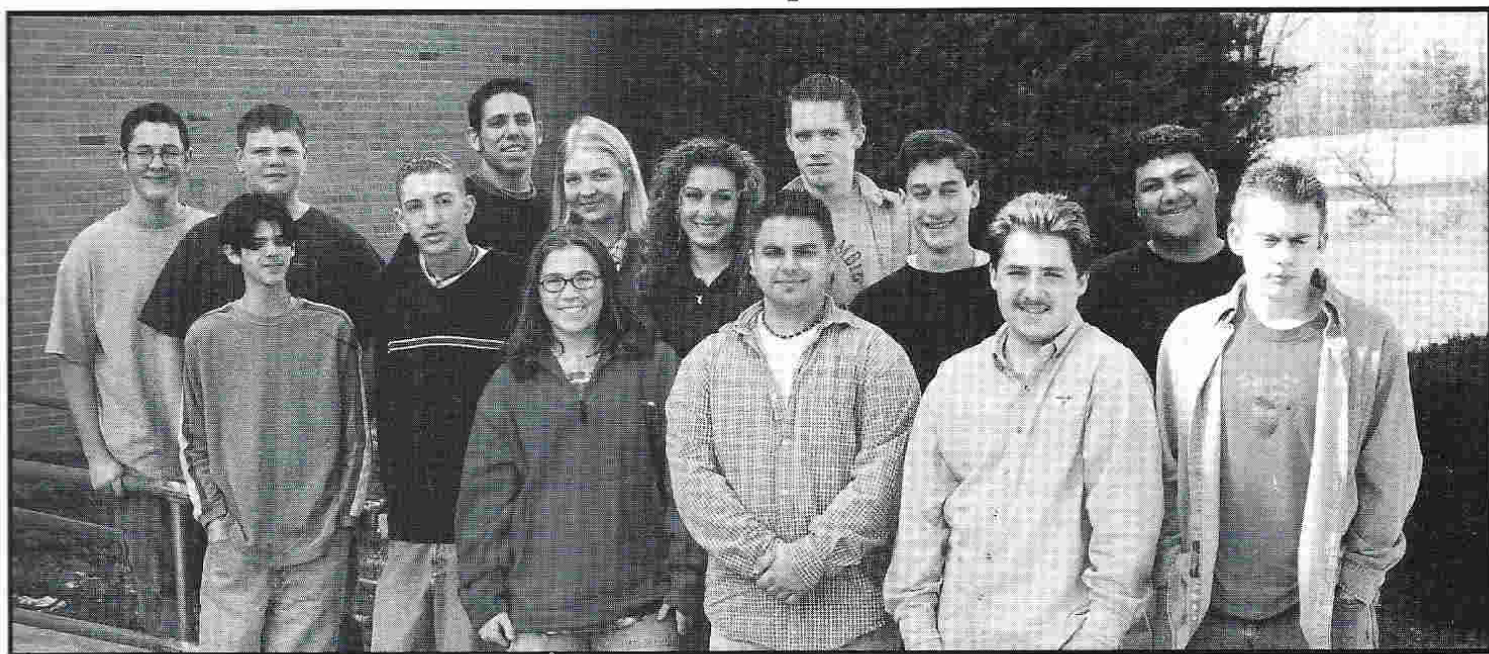
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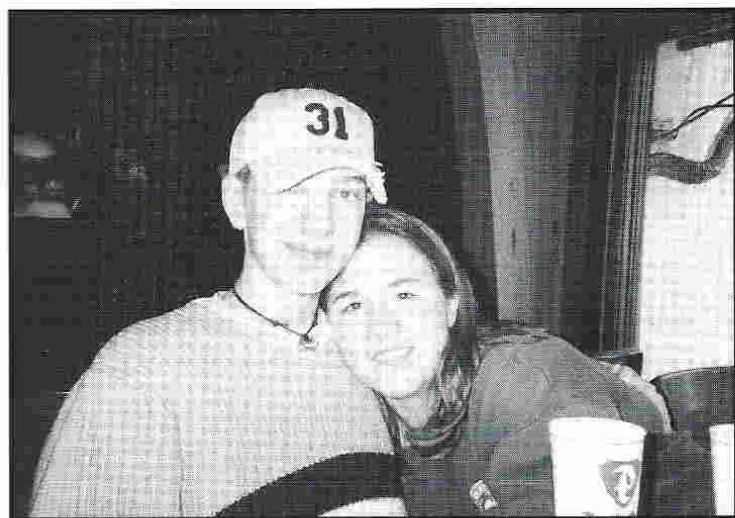
skiers glide through winter



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Tom George gives a thumbs up after an exhausting day on the slopes of New York, (1).

Smiling happily Lindsey Broska and Jay Kovolyan ride the ski lift up the hill for another exciting glide down, (2).

(L to R) 1999-2000 ski club members Chris Wiles, Richie McIntyre,

Dave Pastiva, Seth Tipton, Vince LaBonte', Mike Broska, Lindsey Broska, Gretl Cowling, John Cowling, Victor Lester, Rachel Beale, Tom George, Craig Syverstein, and Kevin Andexler, (3).

Mike Broska and Rachel Beale snuggle up close to beat the cold at Peek'n Peek Ski Resort, (4).

office aides

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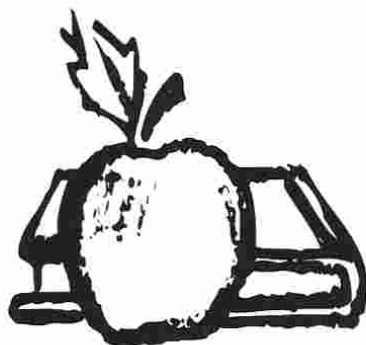
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The attendance office aides from left to right: Amy Busser, Allison Strauss, Roseann Denison, Jon Ogden. Second row: Jaqueline Zeppetella, Angela Kirtley, Jessica Moldvay, Mrs. Pam Rumsey. Third row: Marie Kaiser, Tracy Hayward, Jessie Mementowski, Erin Skulina, Melissa George and Danielle Johnson, (1).

The library aides from left to right: Tara Harkcom, Jennifer Brown, Traci Vorell, Holly Grubaugh, (2).

The main office aides from left to right, front row: Tosha Bachtel, Rebecca Wolff, Nichole Cubbison, Danielle Fouquet, Kathleen Beck. Second row: Amanda Weyant, Jenica Grafton, Jamie Zeigler, Jessie Mementowski, Jolene Hall. Third row: Katherine Stutzman, Chandra Workman, Kimberly Schneider, Cristina Costiuc, Christine Sourek, Melissa Thomas, Kristyn Wegman, Natasha Maryland, Cameron Watson. Fourth row: Melissa Banashak, Eric Bissler, Larry Connelly, Victor Lester, Jason Sabol, Jennifer Minard, (3).



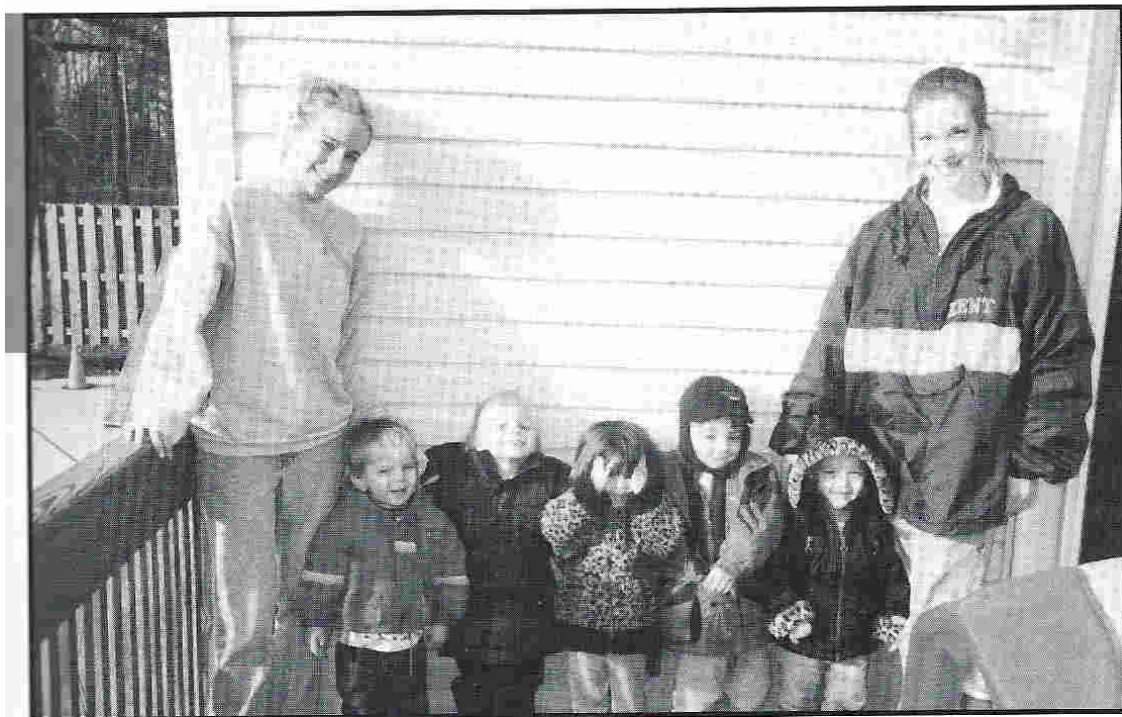
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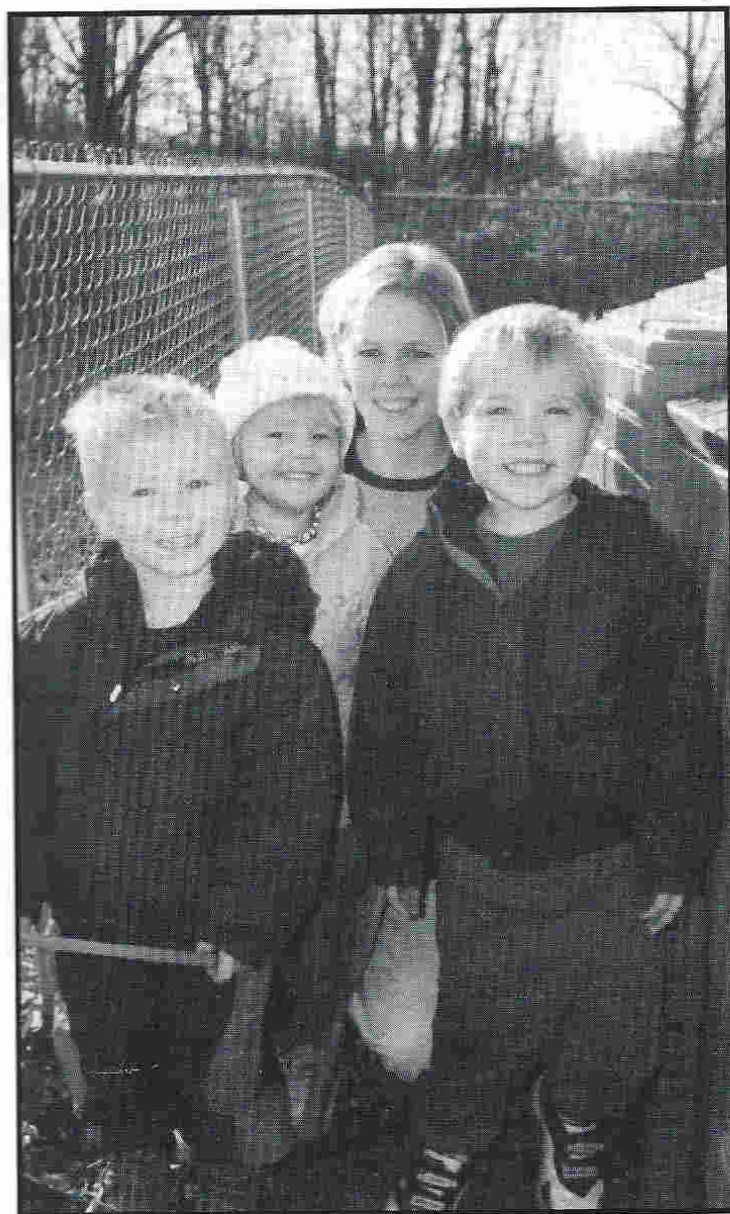




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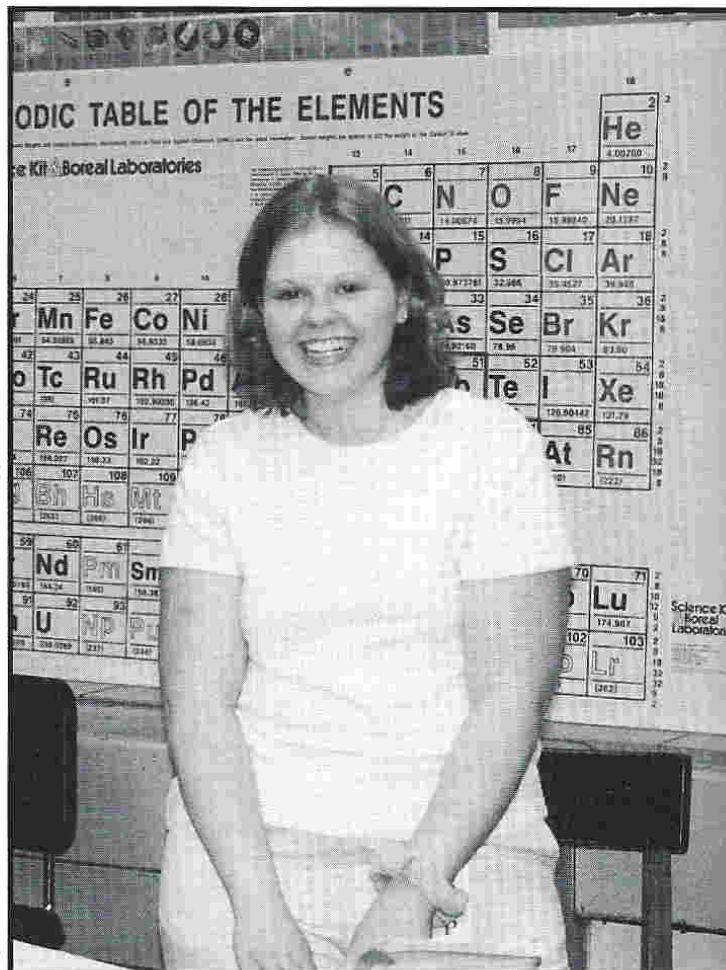
Sara Purcelli lines some kids up to head indoors, (1). Magic's DayCare children pose for a picture with their new friend, Erin Skulina, (2).

Sara Stebner, Angie Kirtley and Crystal Baus smile for the camera at an Initiation and Installation Banquet for JOG Officers, (3).

Cleaning a fire truck for community service at Streetsboro's Fire Department is Mike Austin, (4).

science club

further exploring science



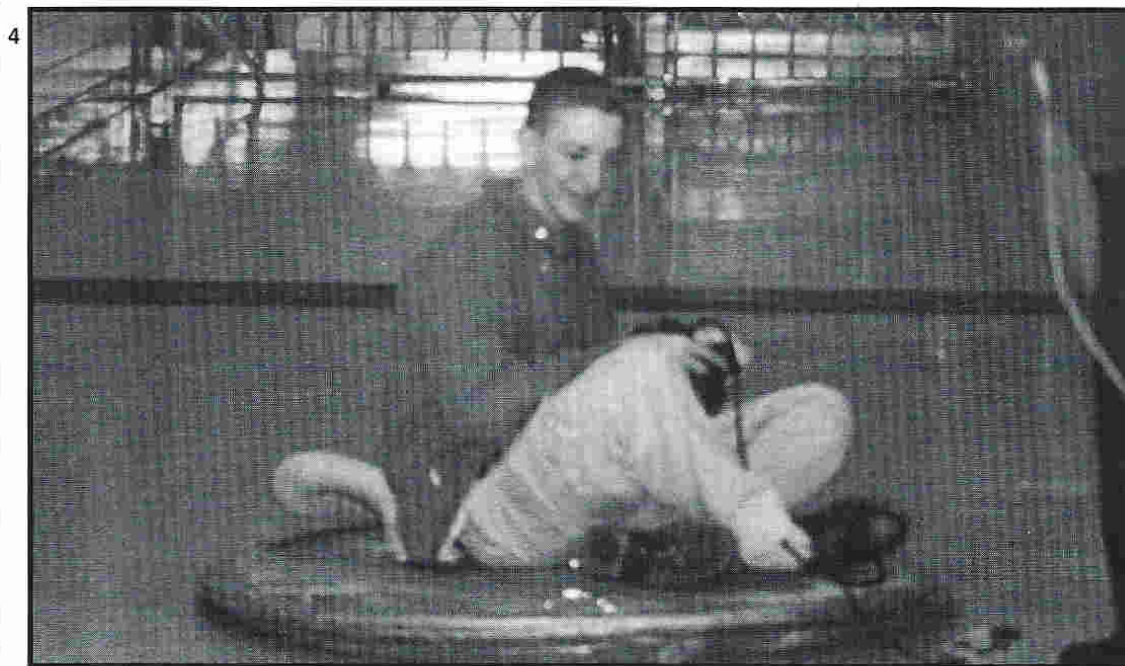
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This year's science club members are (L to R) first row: Larry Connelly, Lisa Kelly, and Jennifer Manijak. Second Row: Tosha Bachtel, Amanda Fouquet, Amanda Weyant, Naomi Daradar, Becky Wolff, Alison Horton, Connie Bogucki, and Tim McVay. Third Row: Miss. Hadyk, Amanda McMichael, Jolene Hall, Holly Grubaugh, Katie Beck, Gretl Cowling, Michelle Poston, Tiffany Babb, Sean Horton, Mr. Gene Easter and Tara Harkcon, (1).

Creating slime at The Science Carnival is sophomore Heather Bora, (2).

Gliding on a hover craft at The Science Carnival is junior Mike Broska, (3).

Tracing over fossils with a crayon is junior Melissa Blazek, (4).



A Time To Discover



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Getting a head start on their future careers

FNA

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Visiting a physical therapist at work are juniors Jolene Hall and Traci Vorell, (1).

An active member of Future Nurses of America, Traci Vorell takes a moment to pose at a local health museum, (2).

FNA's current club coordinator, Ms. Brenda Alderson flashes a sophisticated grin. She has planned all of the activities in this club for 15 years, (3).



new format brings listeners to new level

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Taking a break from their radio responsibilities are John Holcepl, Russ Schaeffer and Jason Zimmerman, (1).

Air personality Matt "Freddy" Fredmonsky takes a deep breath as he finishes his on-air break, (2).

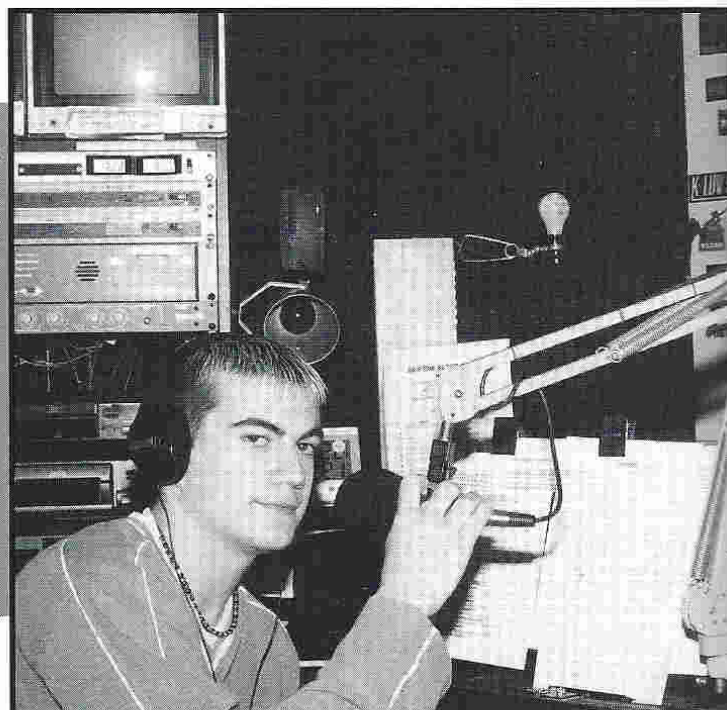
D.J. Russ Wagner prepares to go on air in Master Control during his fourth period radio shift, (3).

This year's staff of the newly formed Alter-nation gather together to hold up the new banner. Members include (l to r) Melissa Banashak, Josh Pretnar, Sean Horton, Music Director Liam Lowery, Program Director Matt Fredmonsky, Bill Maag, Promotions Director Mike Matheis, Jason Zimmerman, Traffic Manager Joe Lanham, Operations Manager Dave Pastiva, Jerry Lowery, Russ Schaeffer, John Holcepl, Russ Wagner and Jonathan Gilbert, (4).



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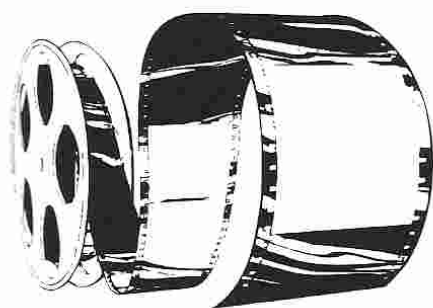


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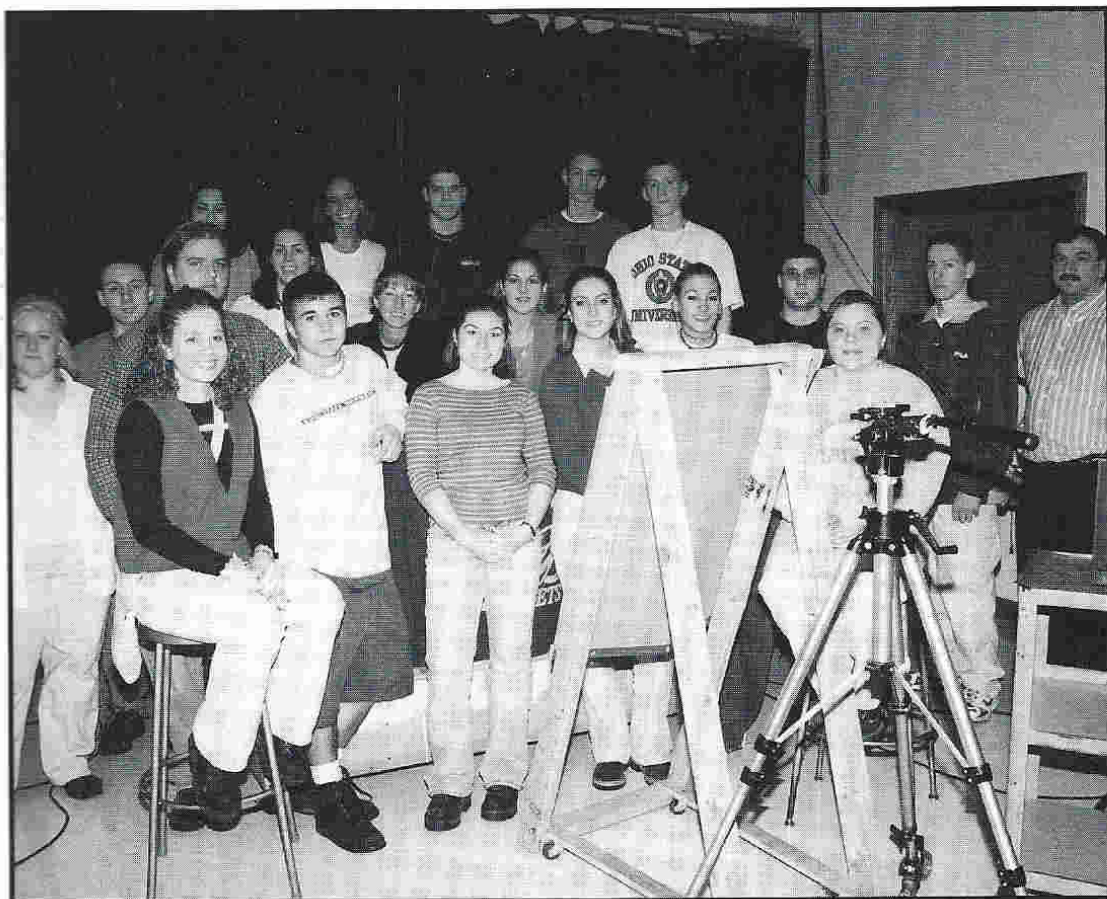


tv production

lights, camera, action!



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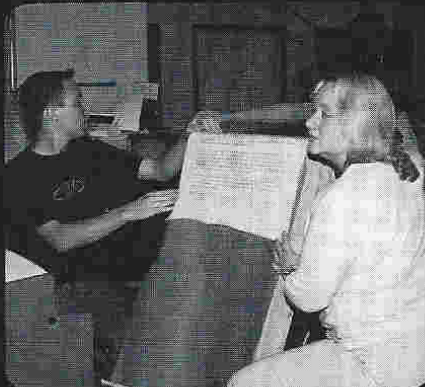
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The TV Production crew consists of first and second semester classes, including (back row, l to r) Chandra Workman, Katie Stutzman, Jason Whitelock, Dave Broska, Tim McVay, (second row, l to r) Kerrin Carr, Ryan Friend, John Matheis, Melissa Banashak, Jenica Grafton, RoseAnn Denison, Jason Strong, Brett Hill, Mr. Tom Fesemyer, (front row, l to r) Michele Dillie, Danny Alexander, Becca Moors, Kim Schneider, Jen Krakora, and Amanda Fouquet, (1).

The lights shine on Christine Sourek and Bob Kirtley as they smile for the camera while taping the morning announcements, (2).

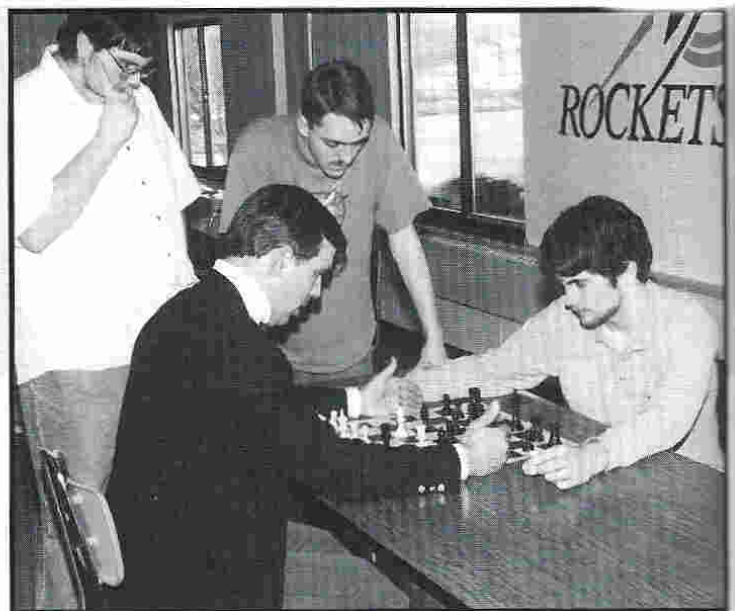
Scrolling the script for the talent are juniors Ryan Friend and Kerrin Carr, (3).

Back in the editing bay working hard to bring the announcements together is John Matheis and Jenica Grafton, (4).



chess club

*Team receive new members
for millennium*



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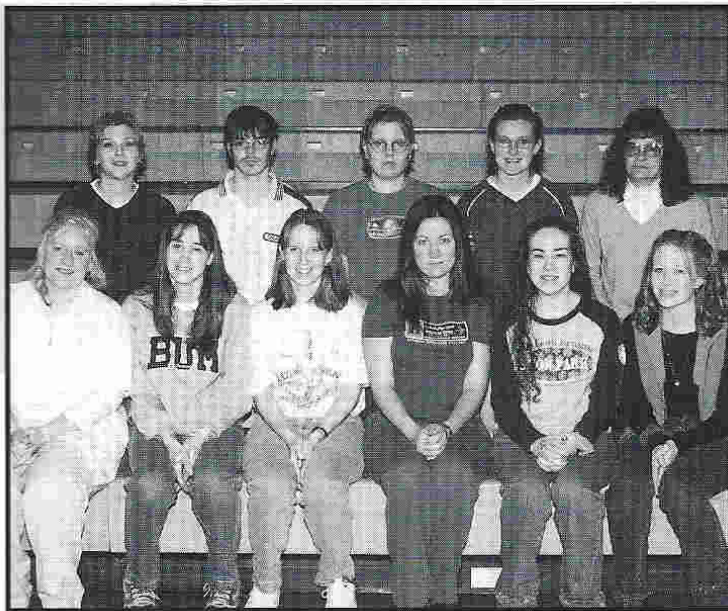
The Streetsboro B-Team competes in a match with another school to play for the county chess match, (1).

Maurice Davies, Mike Cobb, and Ryan Franz are getting good tips to win in chess by one of Mr. Larry Marek's friends, (2).

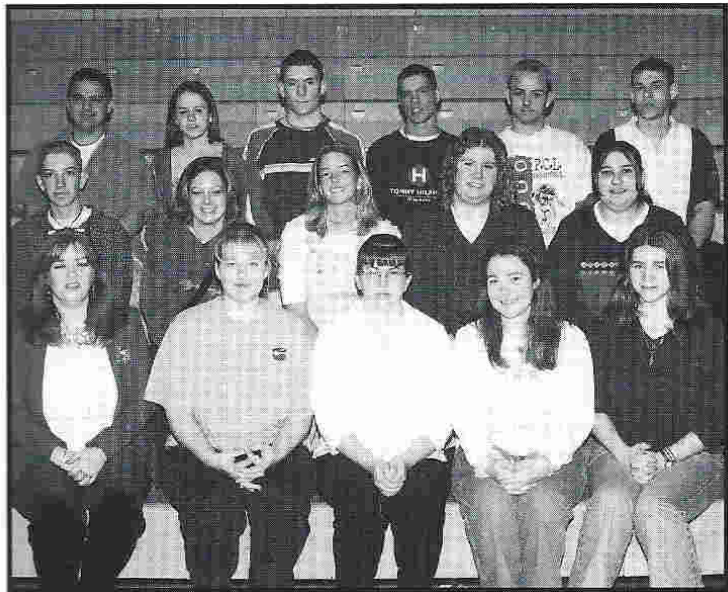
Victor Lester makes sure that the piece he moved is the best way to win, (3).

The 1999-2000 chess team is made up by (left to right), Row 1: Justin Bloomquist, Jonathan Gilbert, Victor Lester, and Jennifer MacDowell. Row 2: Mike Cobb, Maurice Davies, Stephen Ferrell, Mr. Larry Marek and Ryan Franz, (4).





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Foreign talent spans streetsboro high



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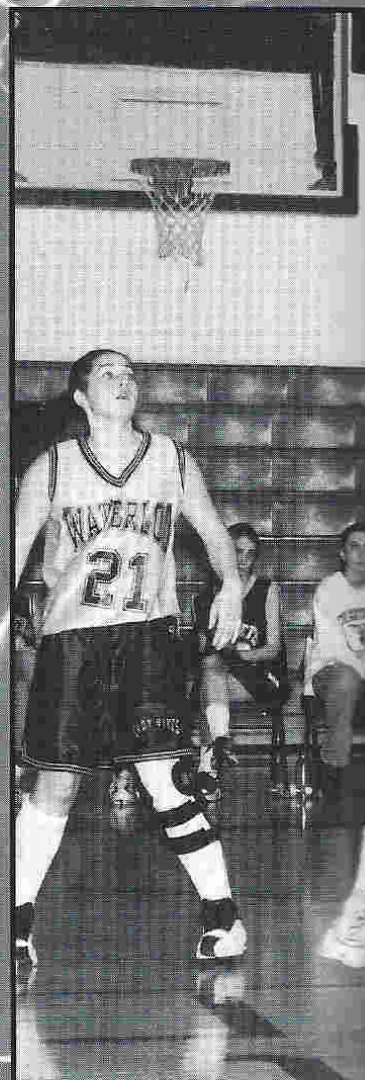
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Spanish club (left to right) row 1: Kerrin Carr, Christina Buehner, Kristin Beedle, Michelle McCurry, Connie Bogucki and Michelle Farley. Row 2: Jessica Slusni, D.J Earls, Rachel Zeigler, Traci Varell, and Mrs. Connie Evans, (5).

ICC club (left to right) row 1: Mrs. Debi Black, Alicia Thomas, Mandy Cortnik, Becky Wolff and Nicole Lanham. Row 2: Mike Broska, Dawn Szakacs, Kari Earle, Tara Harckom and Tiffany Baab. Row 3: Tom George, Cindy Fresenko, Brian Baker, Bobby Kisner, Eric Bissler, and Mike Matheis, (6).

Jessika Rini and Ashley Rogers stand to get a picture before heading out to perform 'Panic in Paris' for the middle school students, (7).

Becky Wolff and Tara Harckom help serve a French dessert to some elementary students just to give so they can taste a variety of foods, (8).



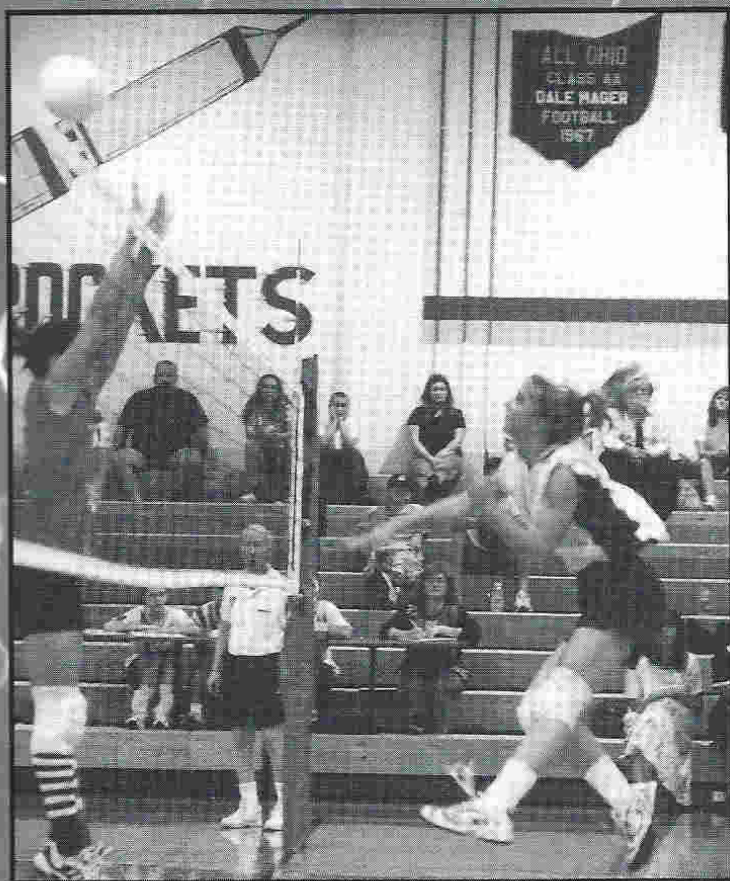
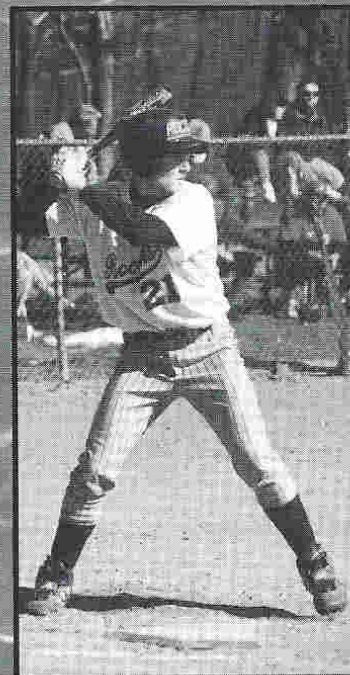
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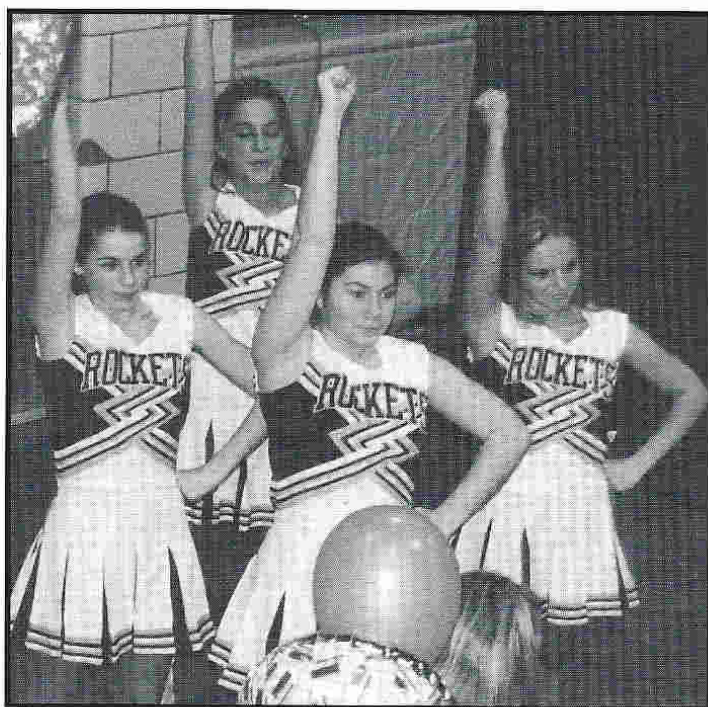
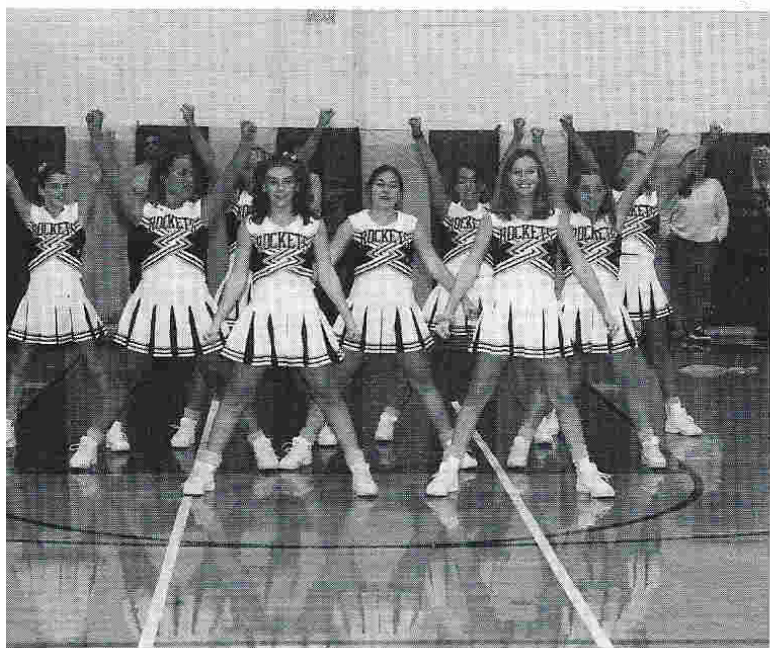
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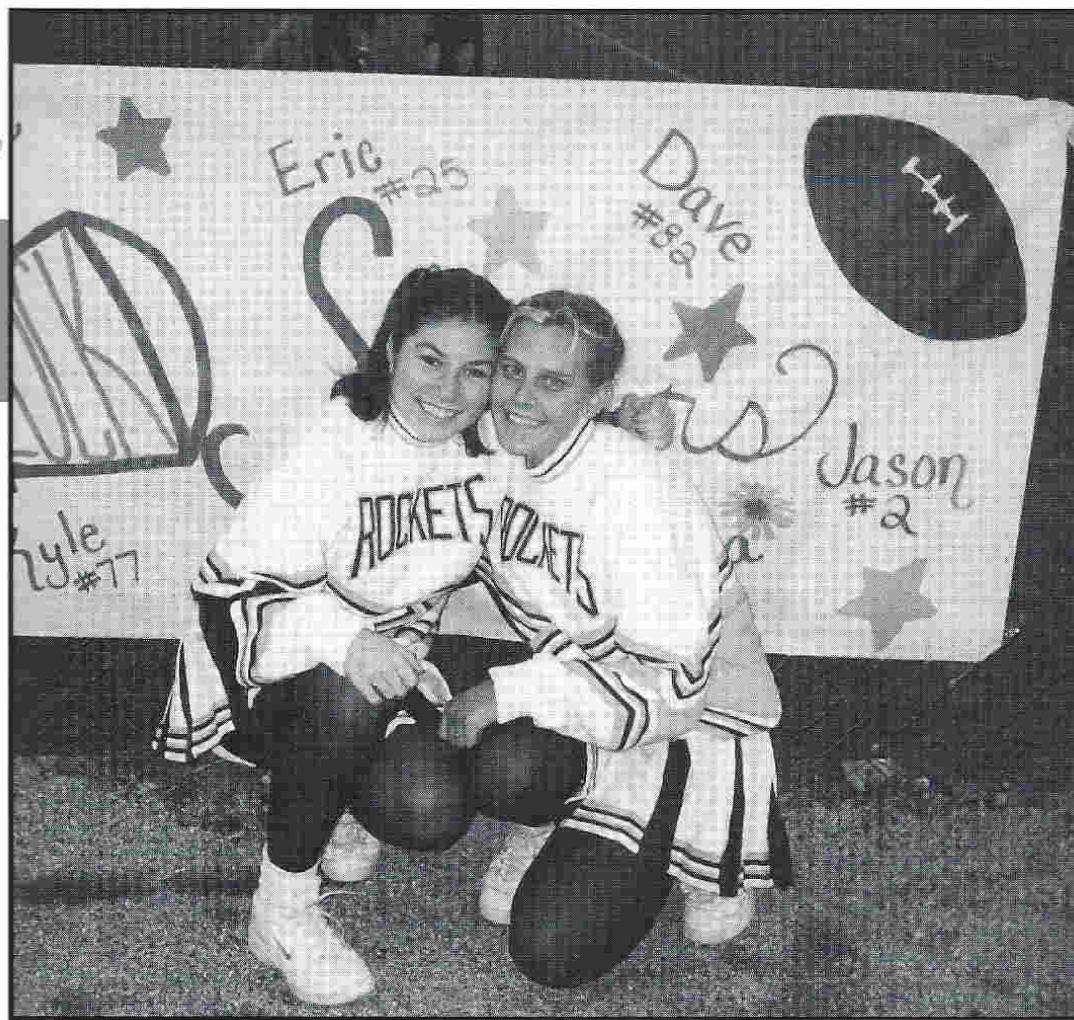


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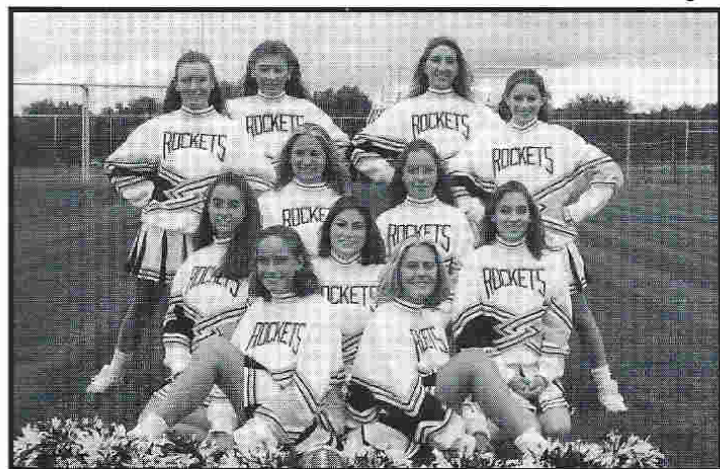
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During the girls' Senior Night, Becca Moors and Katie Beck hug for the last time in Glinatsis Stadium, preparing for the finale of football season. (4).

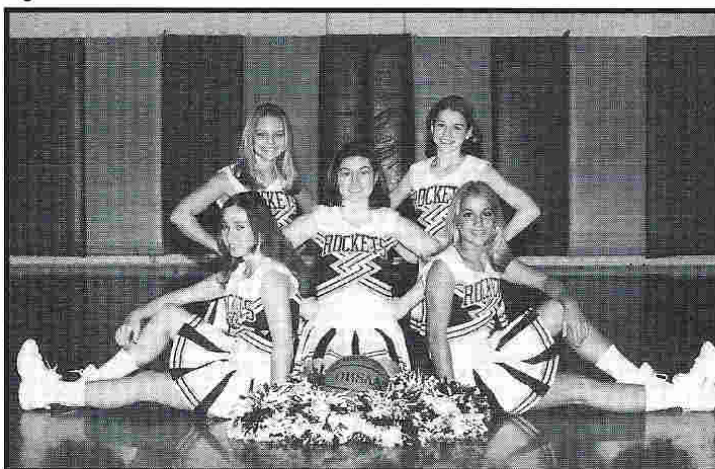




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The varsity football squad consists of (front row, 1 to r) seniors Katie Stutzman, Becca Moors, Katie Beck (second row, 1 to r) Jolene Hall, Missy Kramer, Allison Strauss, Jen Krakora (back row, 1 to r) Tiffany Reneau, Brandi Claar, Jenica Grafton and Cristy Lintz, (5).

Varsity basketball cheerleaders include (front row, 1 to r) Allison Strauss, Becca Moors, Alicia McMicheal (back row, 1 to r) Jacki Zeppetella and Cristy Lintz, (6).

Freshman and Varsity cheerleaders surprise the students at this year's Homecoming pep rally by wearing football jerseys and dancing to "Girls" by the Beastie Boys, (7).

Senior Becca Moors and junior Jolene Hall prepare to lift sophomore Cristy Lintz into a difficult split mount, learned at summer camp, during the Homecoming pep rally, (8).

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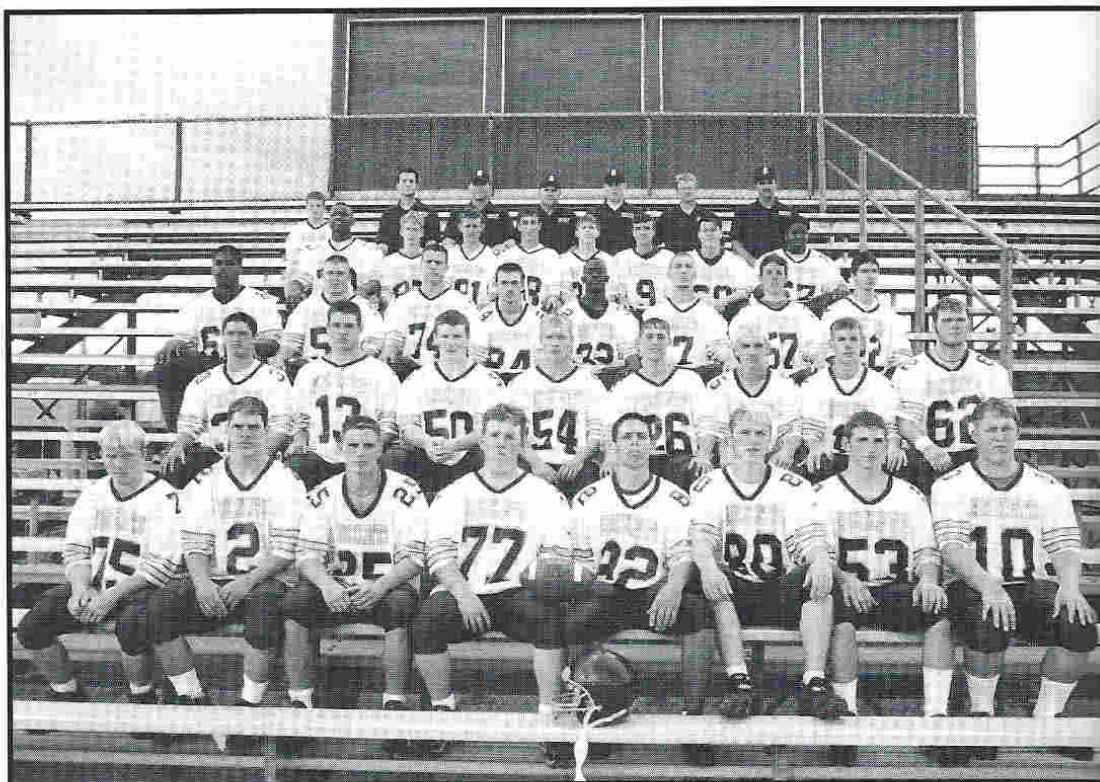
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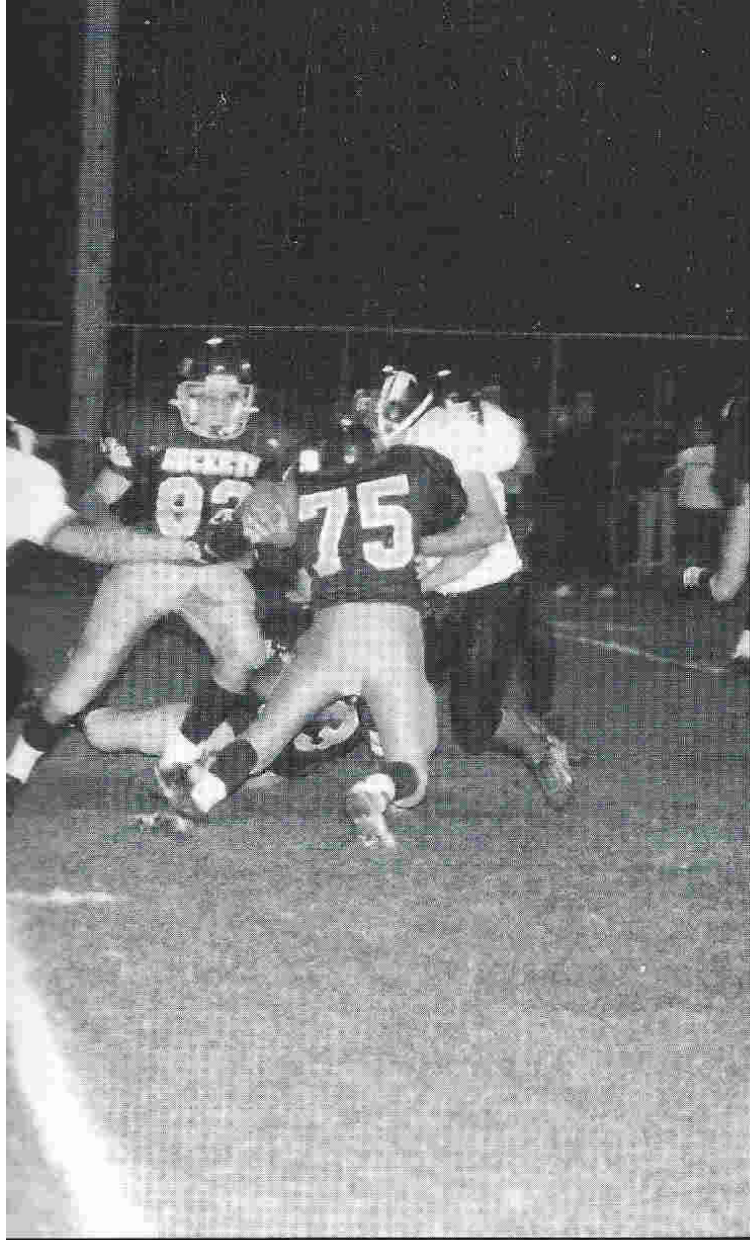
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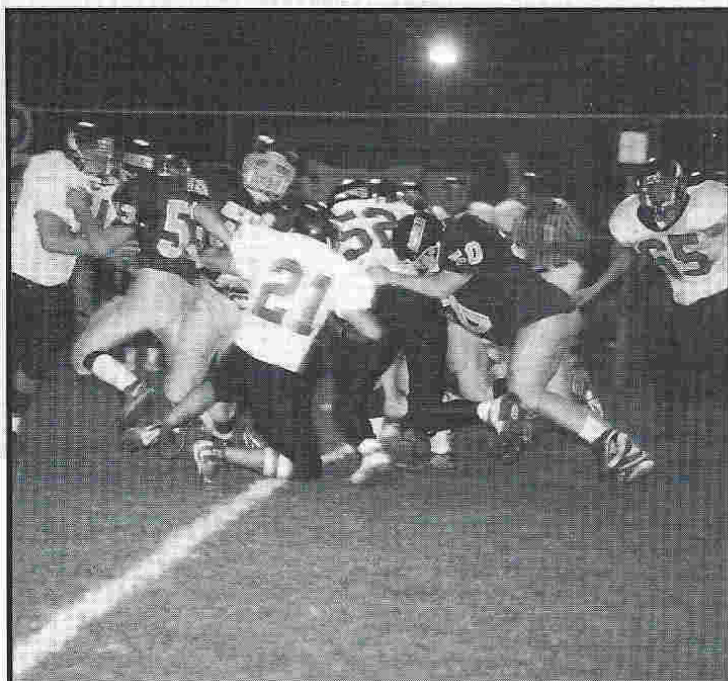
The 1999 Streetsboro Roxkets football team First row (L to R): Frank Manijak, Jason Whitelock, Eric Bora, Kyle Kendrick, Dave Pastiva, Jordan Gleason, Mike Cushman, Matt Williams. Second row: Robert Blunk, Adam Ward, Brian Baker, Dan Baus, Bill Holcomb, Mike Jones, Jon Ogden, Paul Veverka. Third row: Jamil Smith, Charlie Shepper, Vince Yost, Brandon Woods, Johnny Petty, John Brunnett, Kyle Teague, Jason Sabol. Fourth row: Kyle Skonieczny, Asst. Coach Tim Budd, Asst. Coach John Smith, Head Coach Rob Atwood, Asst. Coach Jerry Klaczko, Asst. Coach Mike Ondash, Asst. Coach Tom Fesemyer, (5).

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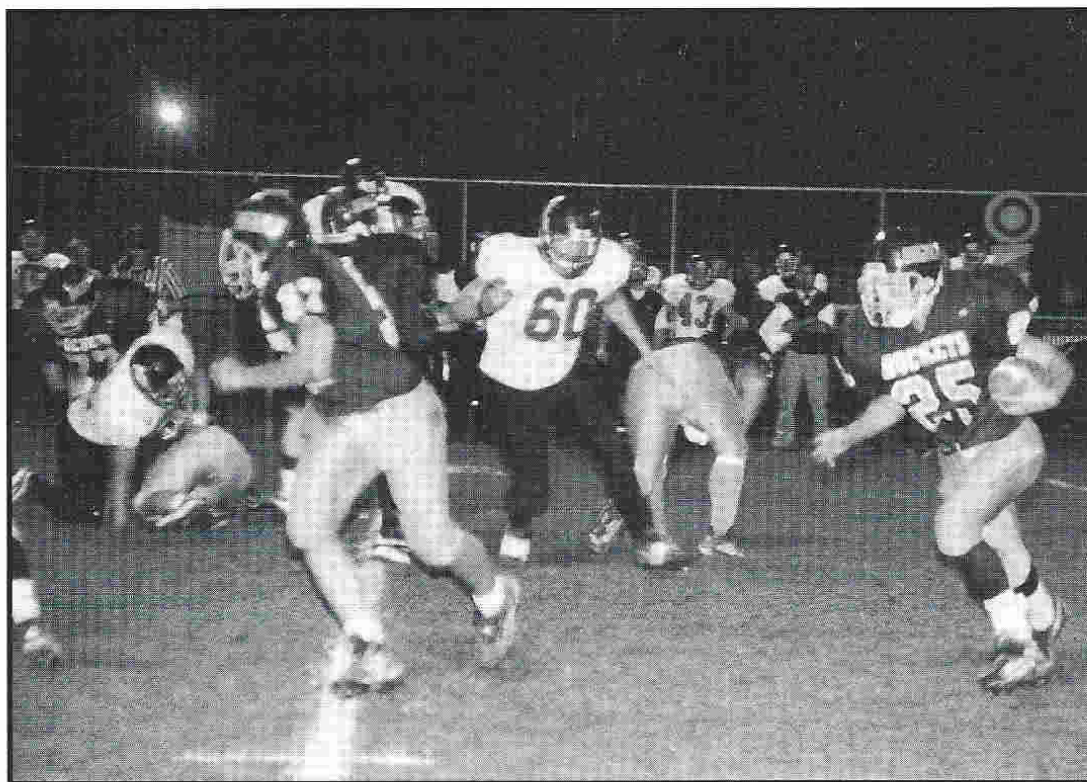
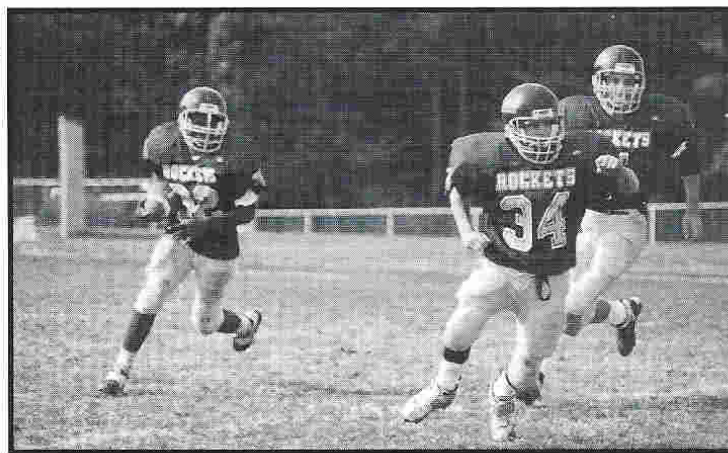




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Senior Jason Whitelock blasts through the run-through against the Field Falcons as senior Katie Beck and junior Missy Kramer hold it, (1).

Senior Dave Pastiva runs with the ball, as senior Frankie Manijak helps block, (2).

Juniors Scott Chappell, Mike Cushman and Brian Baker block for Eric Bora against Field to get the first down, (3).

Sophomore Johnny Petty sweeps around right end with sophomores John Brunnett and Matt Benci blocking, (4).

Taking the pitch from quarterback junior Matt Williams is senior captain Eric Bora at the last home game against Field, (6).



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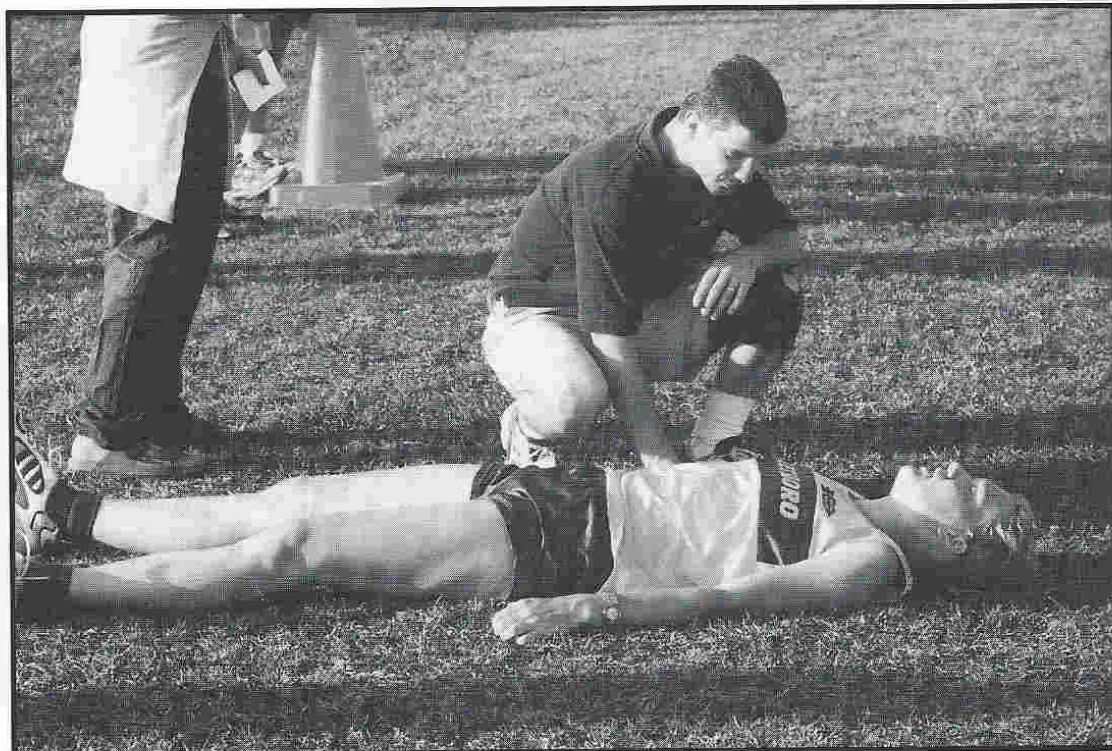
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Coach Jim Boardwine congratulates senior Monica Bleck while she cools down after completing her race, (1).

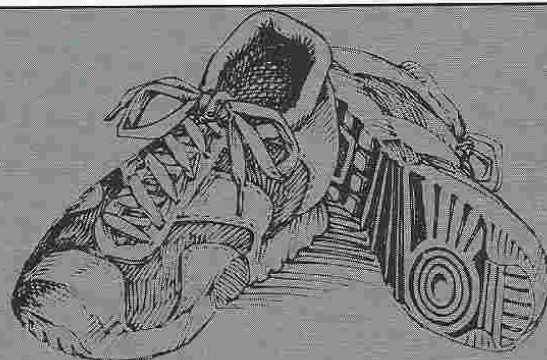
Sophomore Mike Aquista and Freshman John Cowling sprint towards the finish line to win against their Crestwood opponent, (2).

Junior Mike Cobb gets competitive while remaining in front of his Field opponent as he heads towards the finish line, (3).

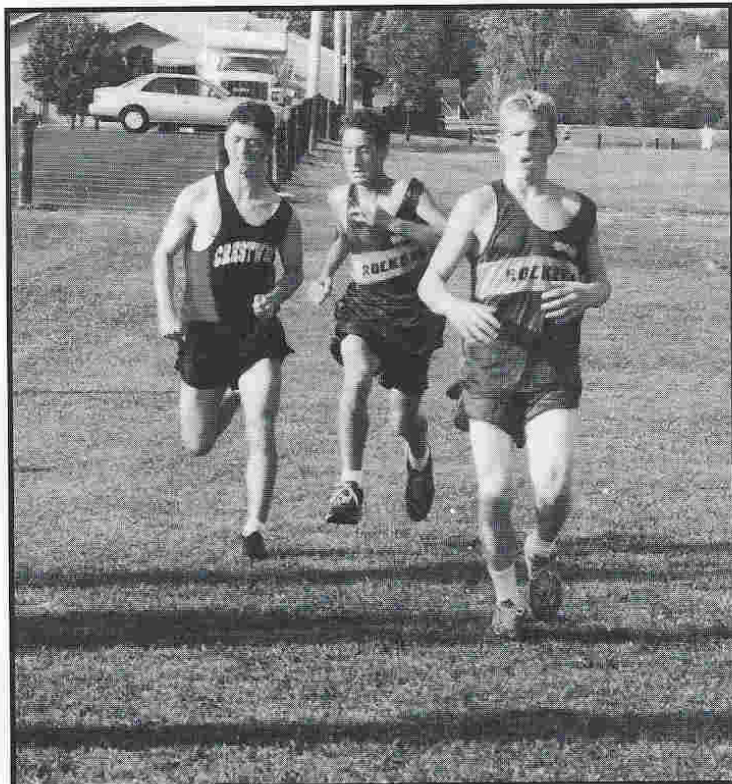
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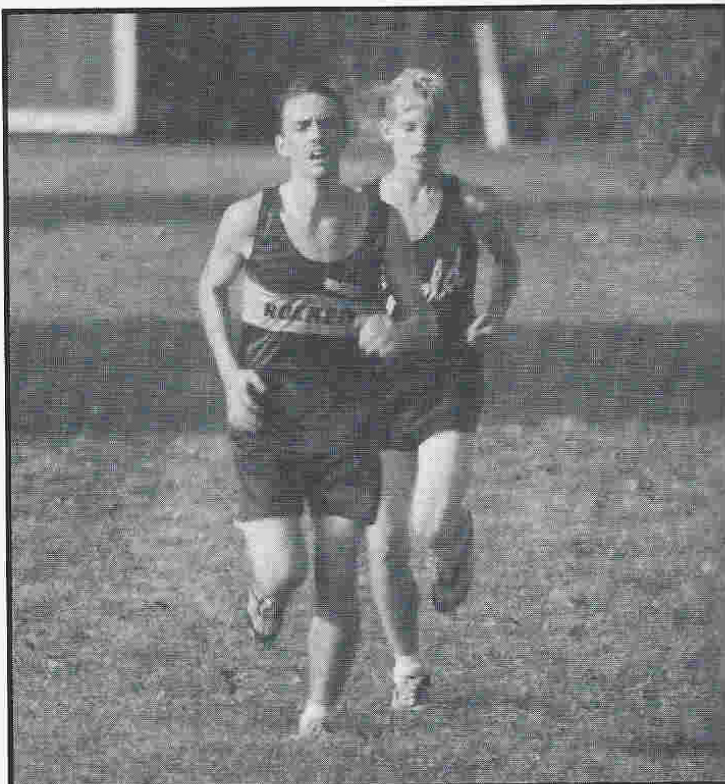
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runners to your mark*

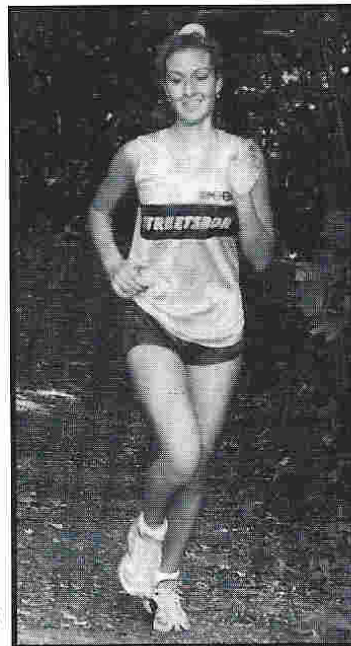
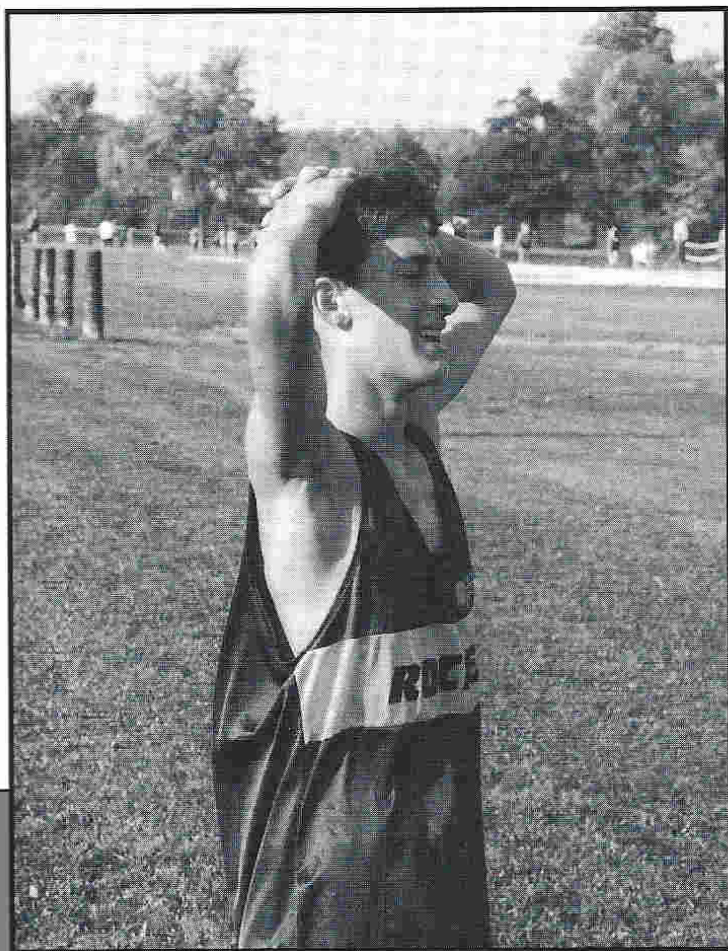


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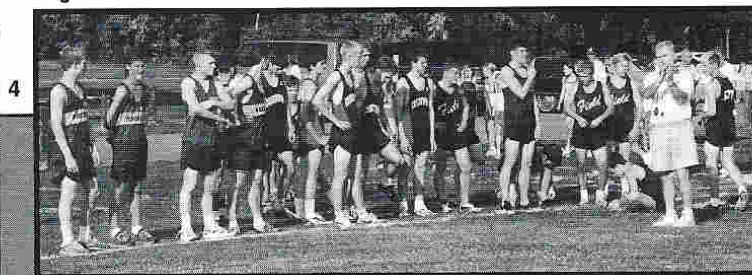
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Freshman John Cowling stops to take a breath after completing his race, (4).

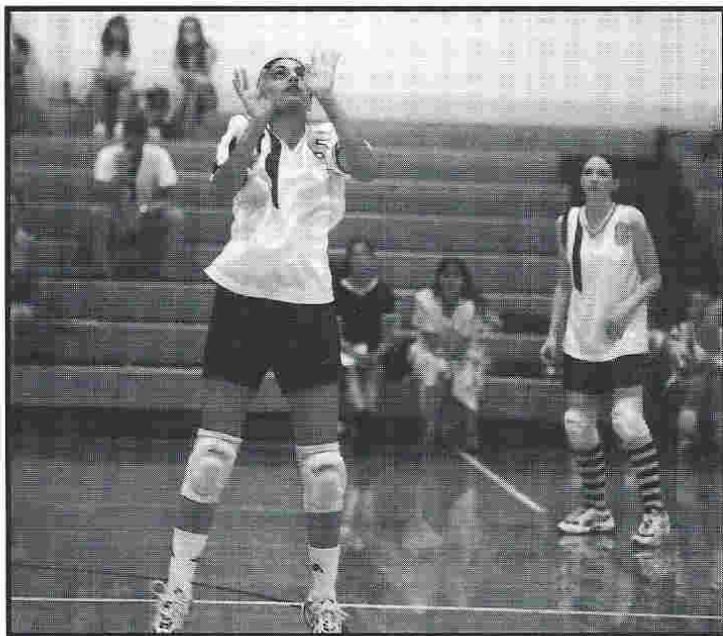
No matter what, junior Gretl Cowling always runs with a smile, (5).

The boys team lines up at the starting line with opponents Field and Crestwood, (6).

(L to R) Back: Coach Jim Boardwine, John Cowling, Mike Detwiler, Monika Bleck, Melissa Banashak, Mike Cobb, Clayton Watson, Coach Coni French. Front: Caitlin Bourque, Holly Grubaugh, Gretl Cowling, Cameron Watson, Megan Bourque, (7).



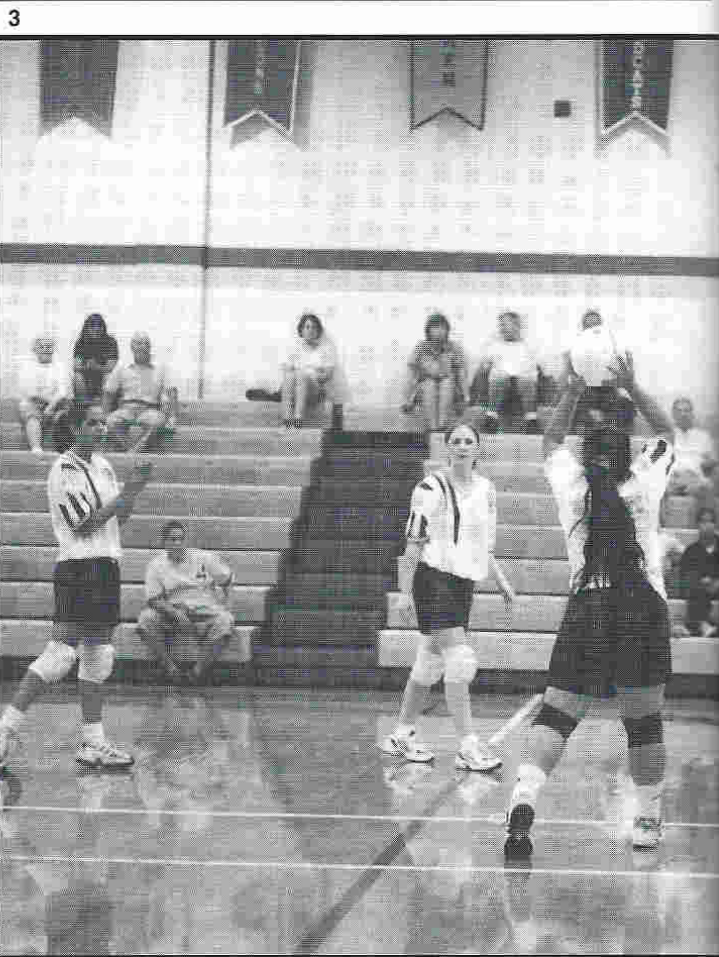
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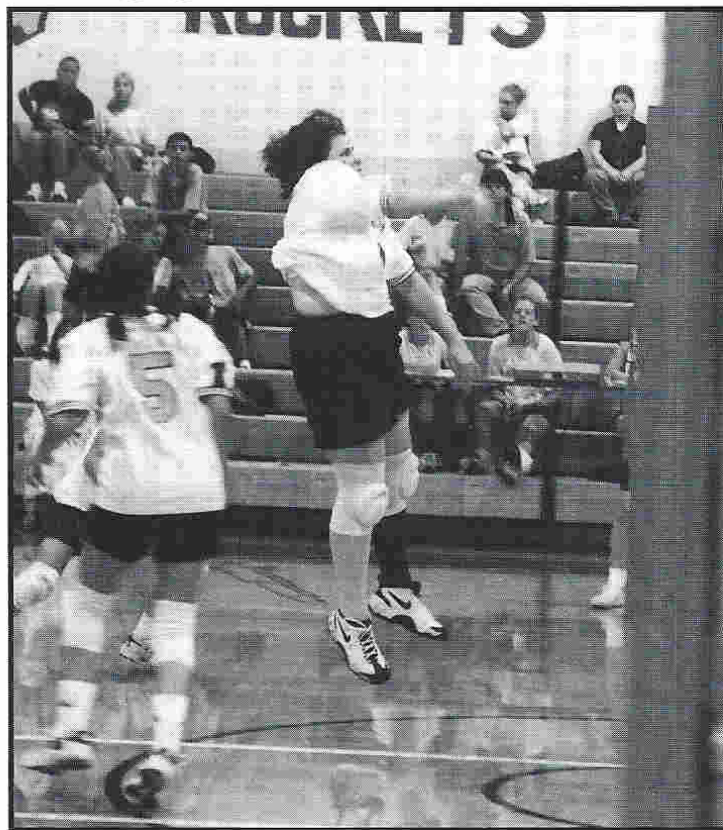


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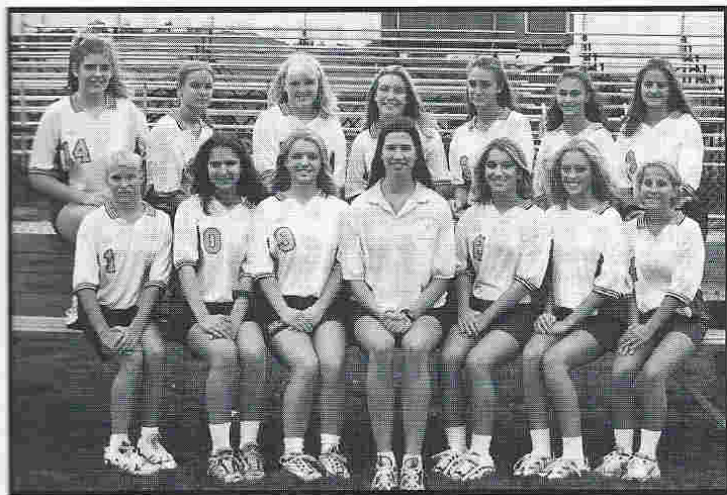
volleyball diggin' memories



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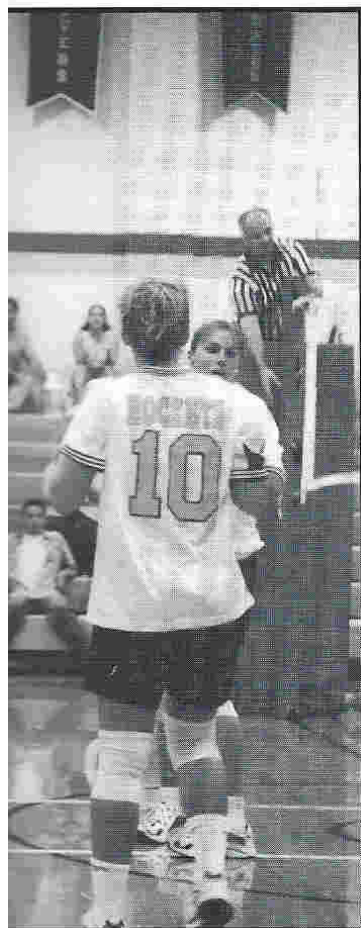
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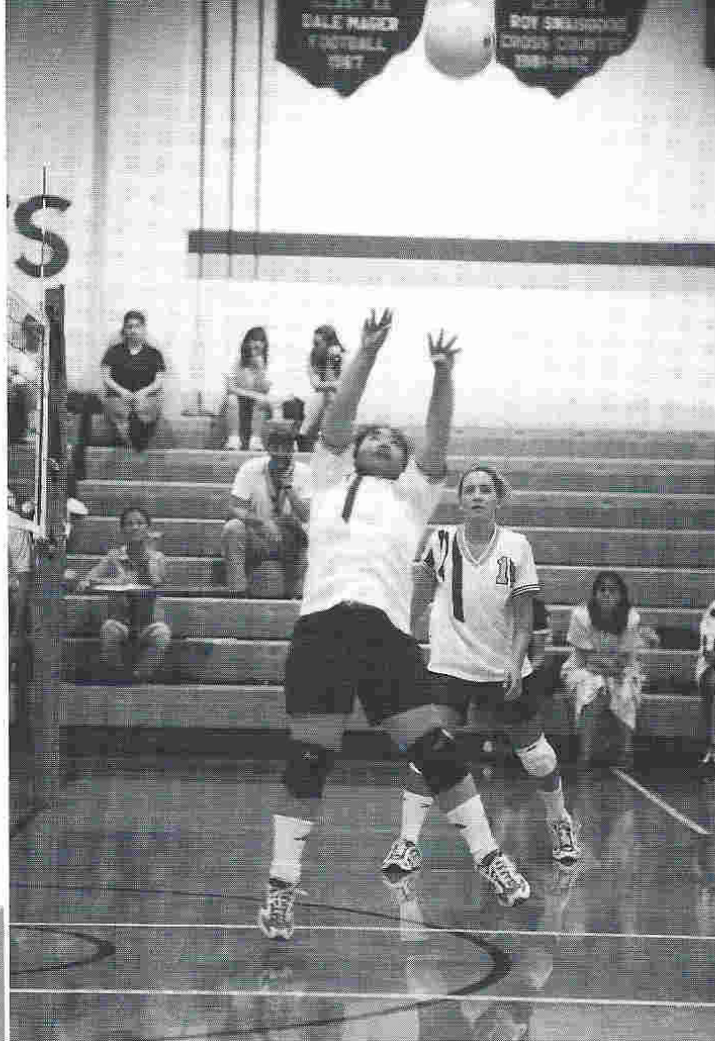
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Manjot Tukhar gets ready to set up the ball for one of her teammates to slam it down on the opposing team, (1).

The varsity team picture starting from top left Michelle Poston, Manjot Tukhar, Angie Bennett, Coach McQuian; second row Marie Kaiser, Christine Sourek; third row Naomi Daradar, Crystal Baus, Amy Busser, bottom row Cindy Fresenko and Amanda McMicheal, (2).

Various players victoriously sideout, (3).

Poston gets high up on the net in order to get a side out for the team, (4).

Senior girls squeeze into the lockers for the last time to make one more volleyball memory from left to right Michelle Poston, Christine Sourek, Naomi Daradar, Marie Kaiser, Crystal Baus and Manjot Tukhar, (5).

The junior varsity team picture includes; from top left Brianna Owens, Missy Bennett, Christa Connelly, Sara Ziggler, Destini Fronek, Lori Harrell, Amanda Peel; bottom left Erin Plaso, Amber Lyzen, Amanda Rader, Coach Naglia, Alicia McMicheal, Lexi Beck and Shannon Lambert.

Naomi sets up her teammates for the option of making the other team dig for the ball after a hard spike, (7).

Missy Bennett is in position to give her fellow teammates a good up to make an awesome play, (8).

Erin Plaso tips the ball so it falls to the Falcons side, (9).



boys' soccer

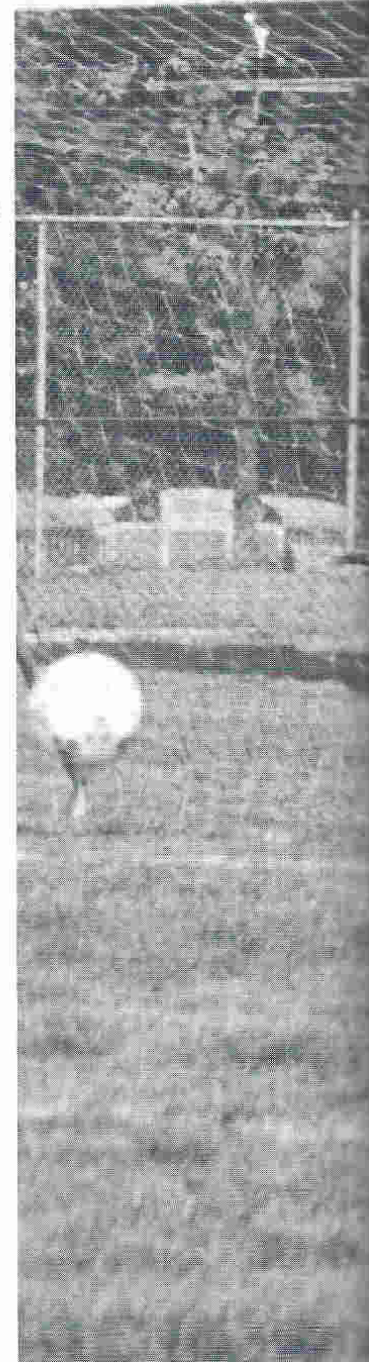
team blasts back with strong numbers



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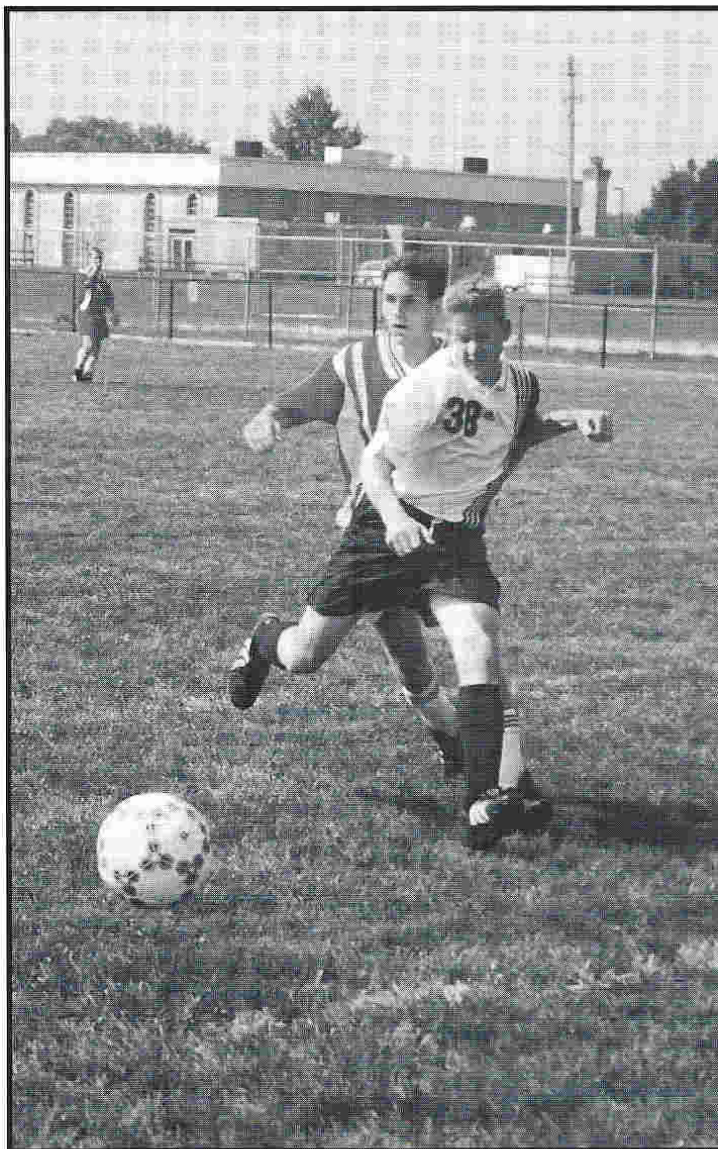
From front left to right is the 1999 boys' soccer team, Greg Moors, Aaron Yanesky, Ryan Franz, Brett Hill, Jeff McVicker, Jason Richardson, Noah Allooh, Moses Allooh, Colin McNeely, Seth Tipton, and Gene Lepke. Back row Left to right is Nedam Allooh, Bob Long, Jonas Allooh, Chris Wiles, Stephen McVay, Brian Zimmerman, Kurt Krizek, Derek Adams, Nick Corlett, Mike Vest, Tim McVay, Matt Fredmonsky, Head Coach Greg Fehrenbach, (1).

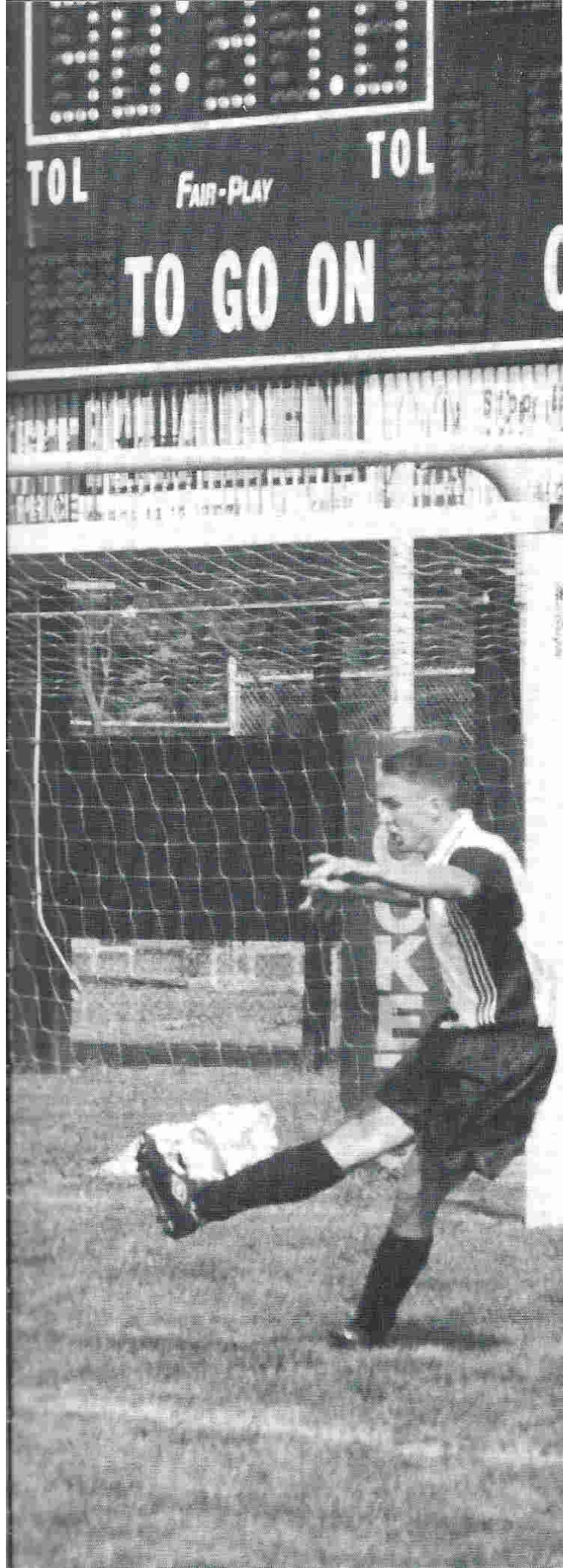
Clearing the ball away from the goal is Senior Matt Fredmonsky. Matt received First Team PCL and Rocket MVP, (2).

Driving the ball up the field is senior Colin McNeely as senior Derek Adams and freshman Josh Harding watch on, (3).

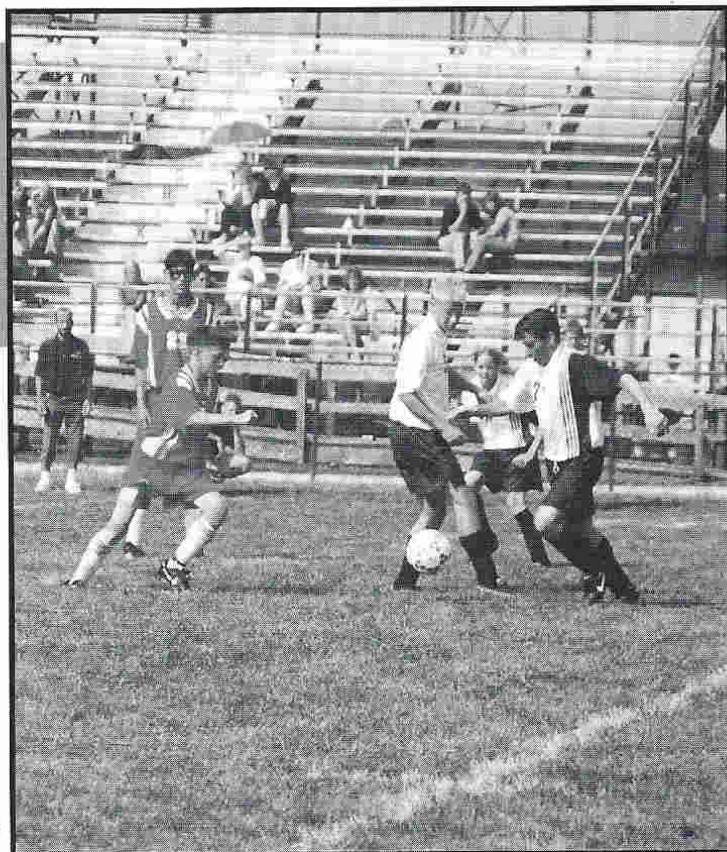
Playing keep away from a Field Falcon is sophomore Brett Hill, (4).

Gracefully stopping an oncoming ball is Senior Seth Tipton. Seth received Second Team all PCL, (5).

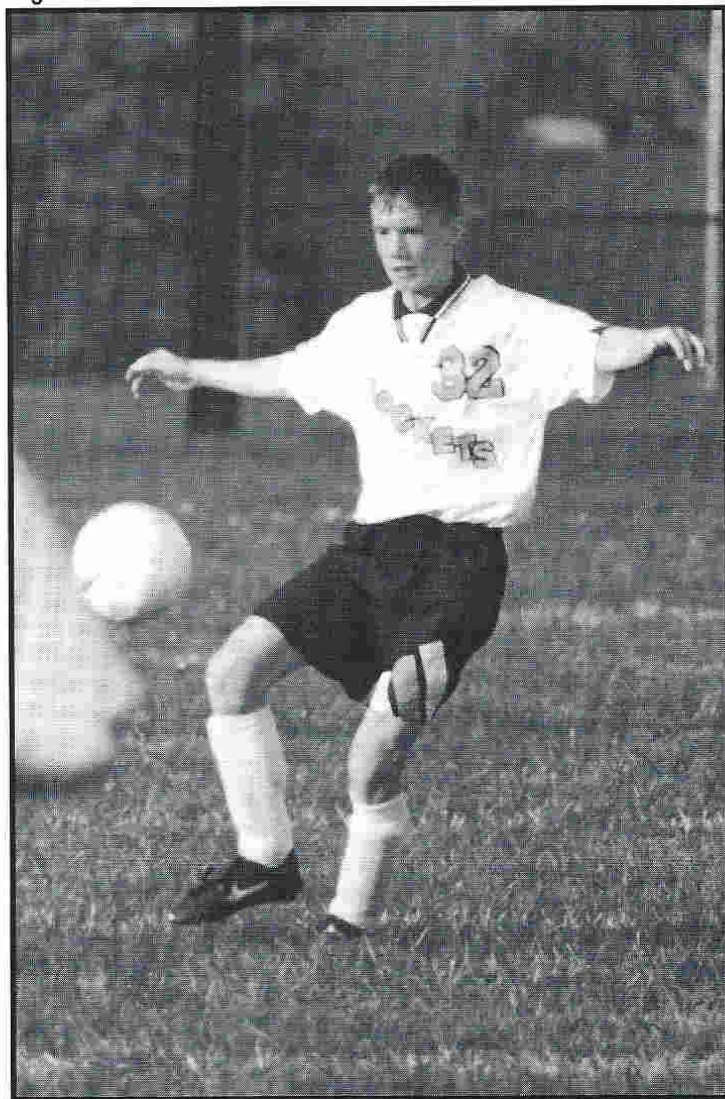




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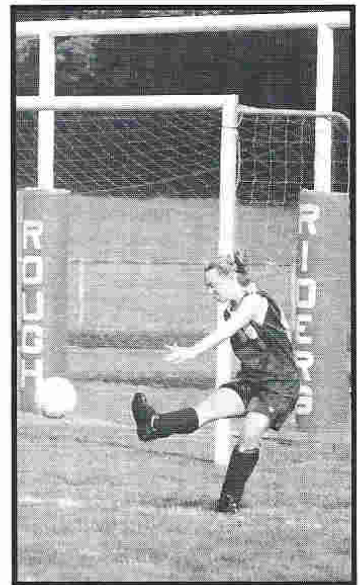
girls' soccer

team gets kick out of season





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Freshman Candace Vadaj and senior Kim Schneider zero in on the ball against Kent, (1).

Sophomore Rhianon Nola tries to kick the ball away from the goal as the rest of the team waits in anticipation, (2).

Sophomore Krystin Mementowski looks for an open teammate to throw the ball to, (3).

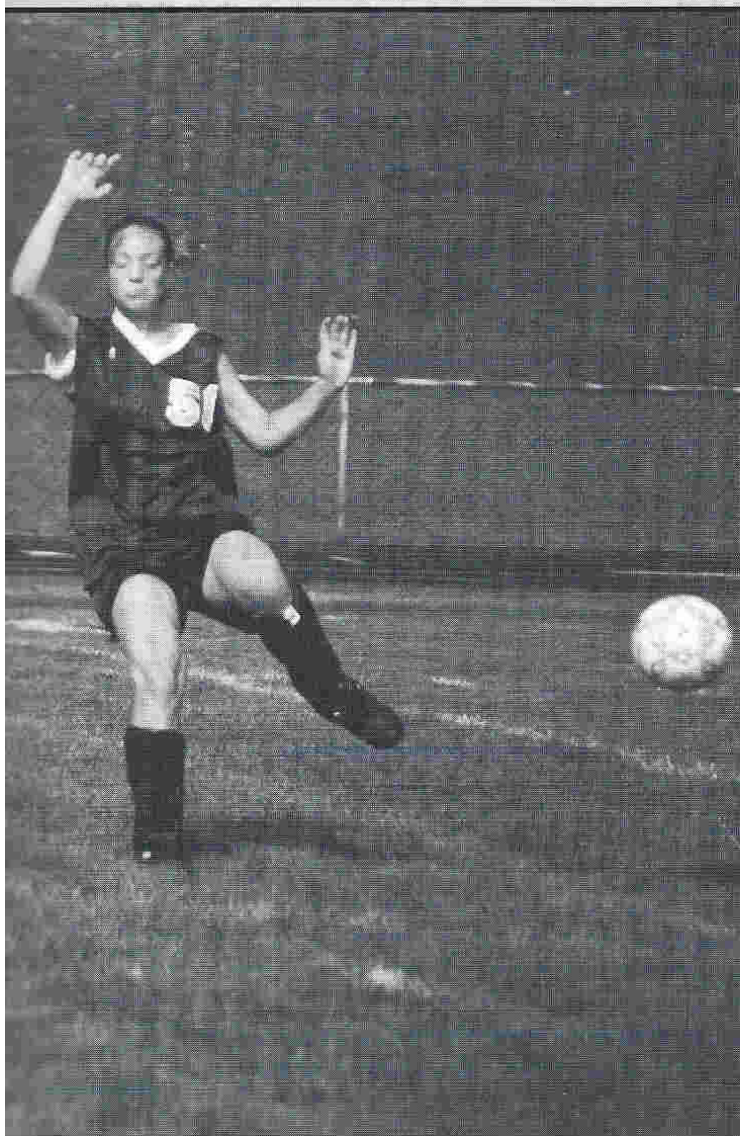
With a look of determination on her face, sophomore Rhianon Nola blocks a kick from the opponent. Nola was named first team All-PCL for her performance during the 1999 season, (4).

The varsity girls soccer team (front row L to R): Krystin Mementowski, Rhianon Nola, Danielle Hostetler, Melissa Smicklevich, Tiffany Lorence, Kristen Balli, Candace Vadaj, Jen Barry, Tara Christian, (back row L to R): Head Coach Danielle Lorence, Lindsey Hutton, Michele Dillie, Jessie Mementowski, Kim Schneider, Erin Skulina, Heather Bora, Brandy Owen, Melissa George, Shannon Lynch, Tammy Sos, Asst. Coach Sharon Nola, (5).

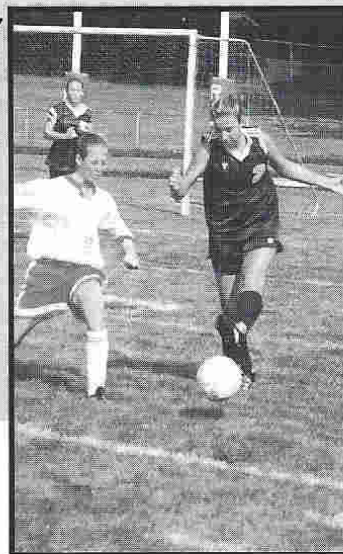
Clearing the ball is Rhianon Nola, (6).

Senior Kim Schneider gives a strong kick as she tries to move the ball up the field where her teammates will attempt to score a goal, (7).

Freshman Danielle Hostetler takes a break from playing defense as the action occurs on the other end of the field, (8).



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golf - teeing it up!



*team's positive attitude
leads to a successful season* ¹



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Jason Polak carries his golf clubs as he prepares for practice, (1).

Members of the 1999-2000 Streetsboro Golf team include from left to right (back row) Jason Polak, Coach Linton, Adam Abromowitz, Greg Shepper, Jeremy Knight, Coach Rainer, and Shawn Cunningham. (Front row) Russ Schaeffer, Sean Speck, Josh Polak, and Daniel Yusko, (2).

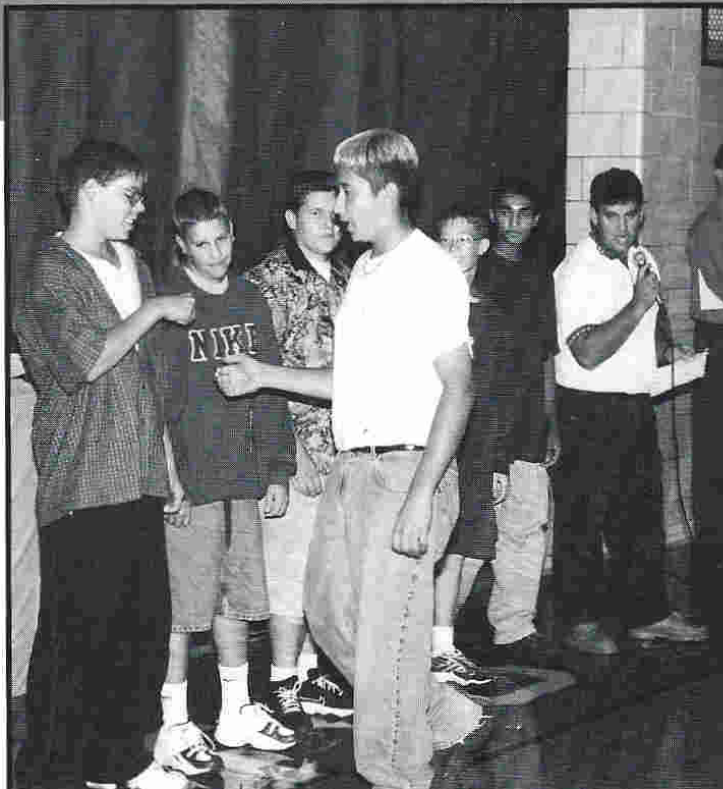
Josh Polak poses in his golfers' stance trying to successfully tap the ball into the hole, (3).

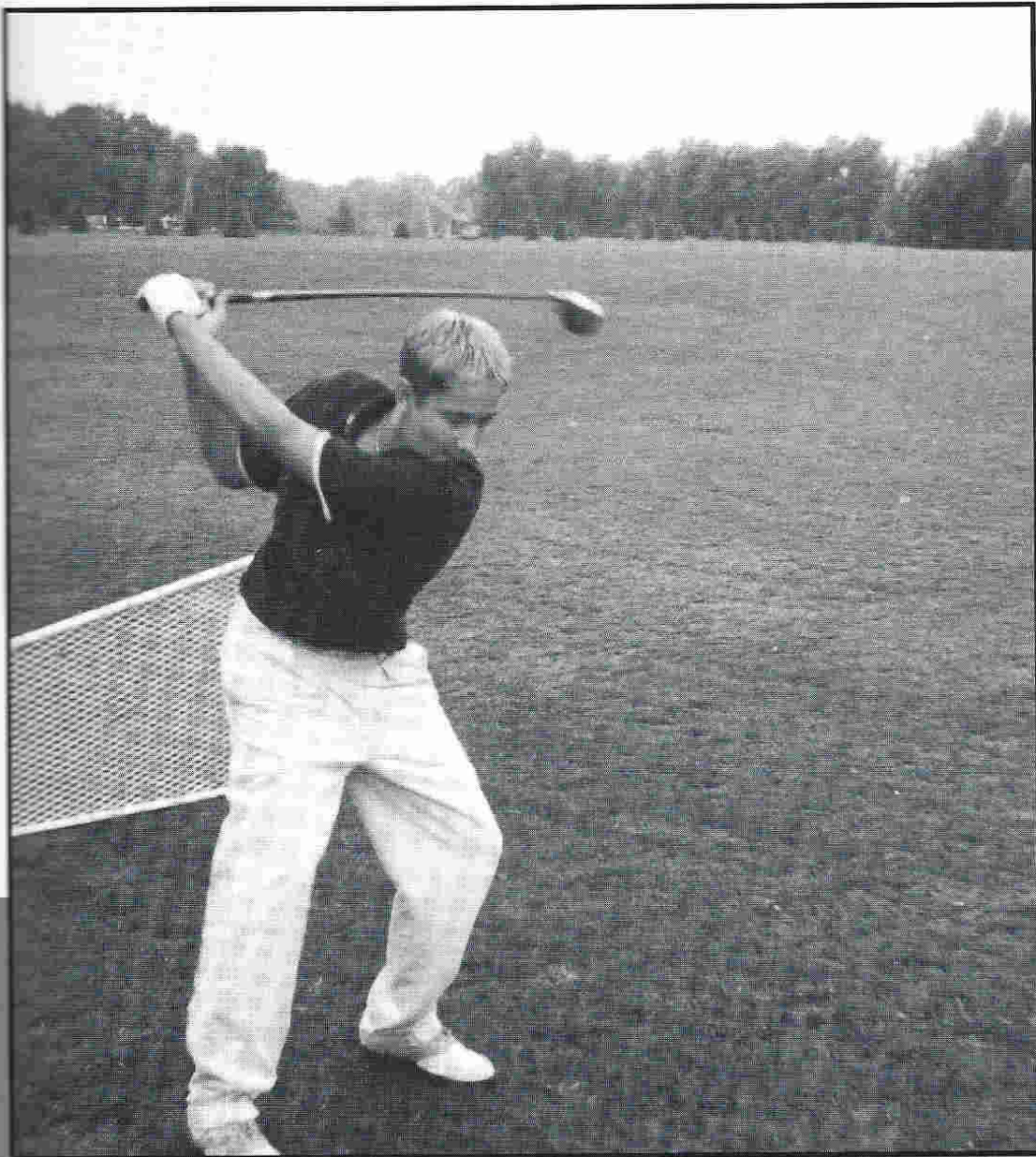
Members of the golf team are recognized at a school pep rally, (4).

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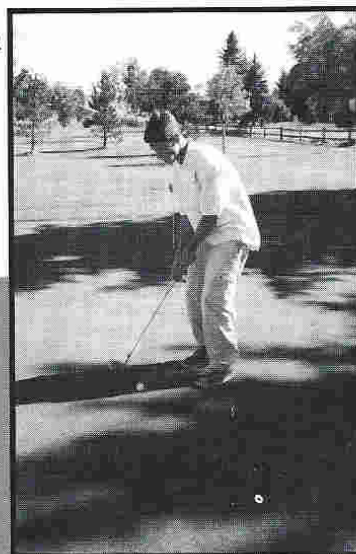
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Greg Shepper practices his swing with his team at the golf range, (1).

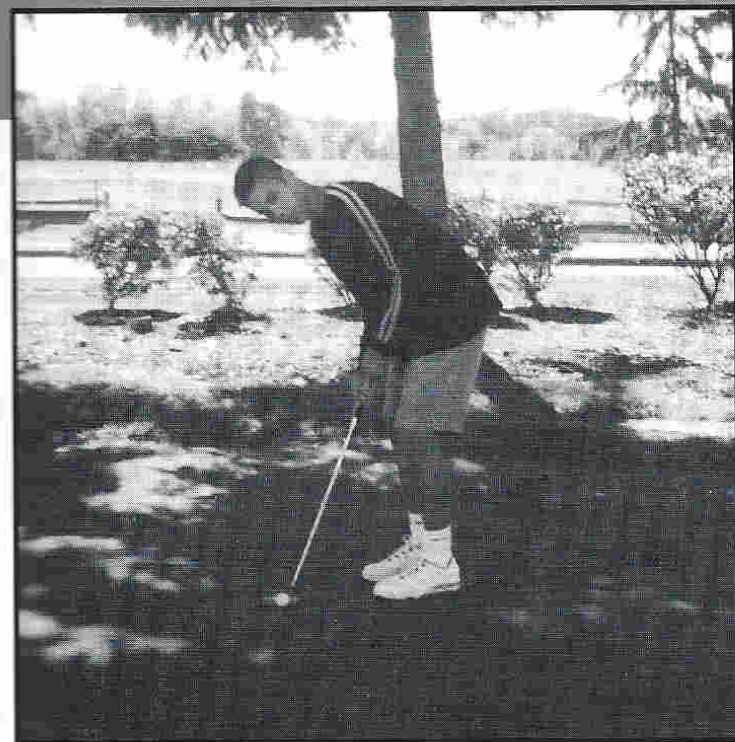
Russ Schaeffer concentrates on his putting technique while practicing on the green, (2).

Jason Polak focuses on the green, as he aims to get an even par, (3).

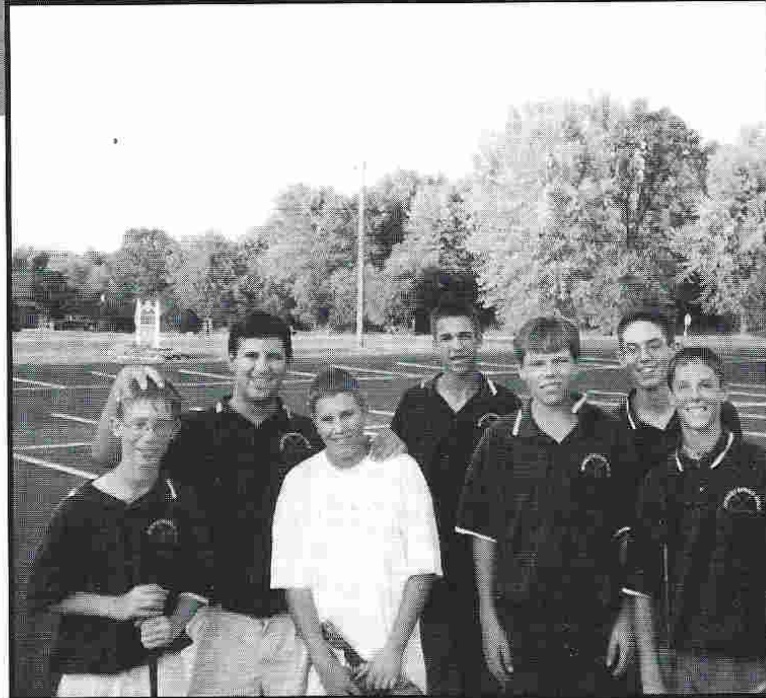
Pictured with Coach Rainer (from left to right) are teammates Shaun Speck, Josh Polak, Jason Polak, Jeremy Knight, Adam Abramowitz and Russ Schaeffer, (4).



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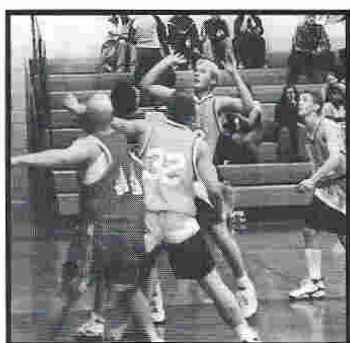
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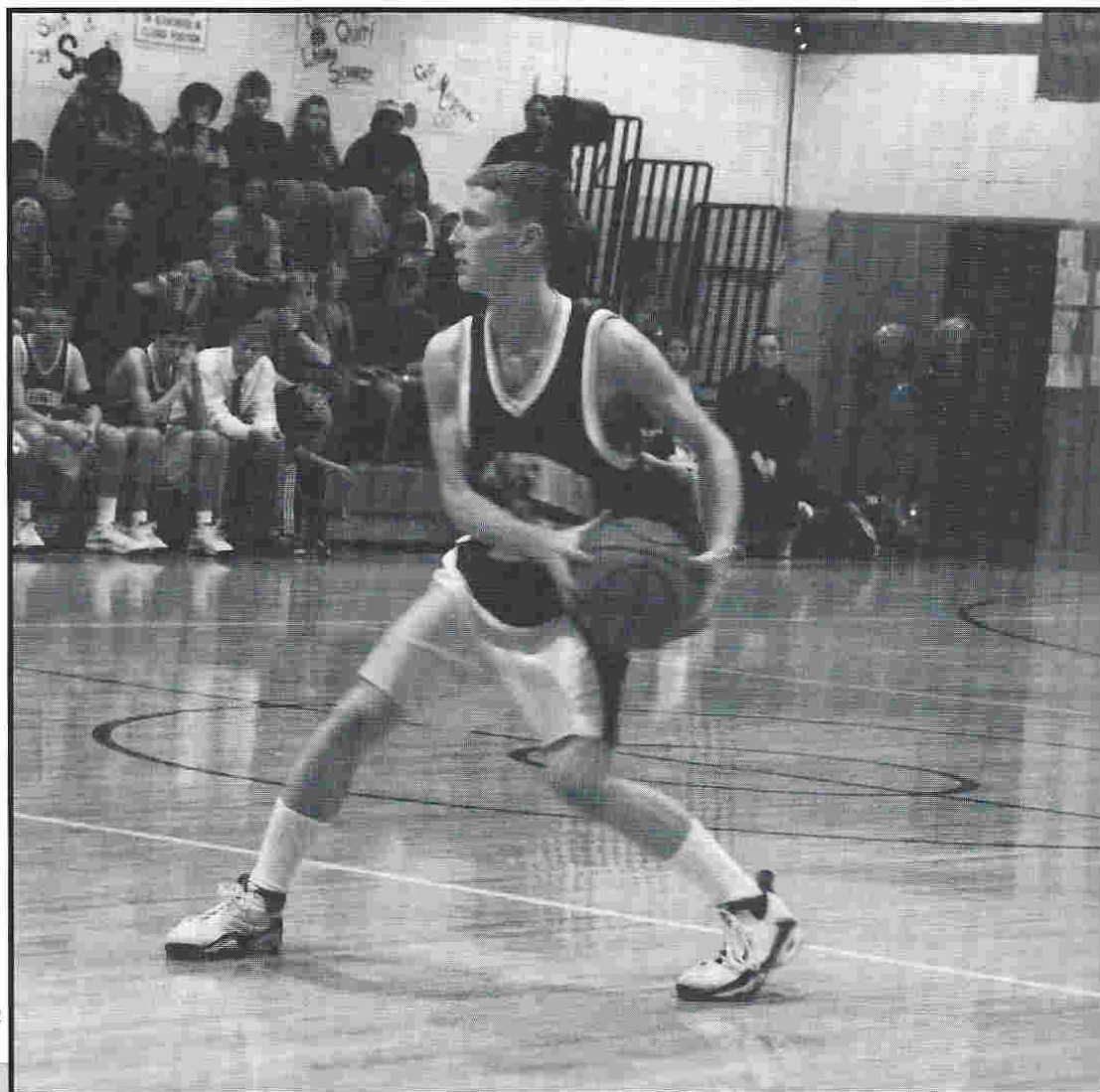
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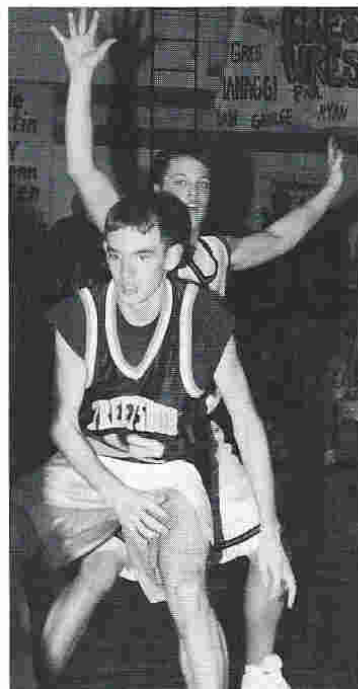
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Mike Matheis boxes out the opponents in order for Jordan Gleason to prepare for the rebound after shooting from the two point mark, (1).

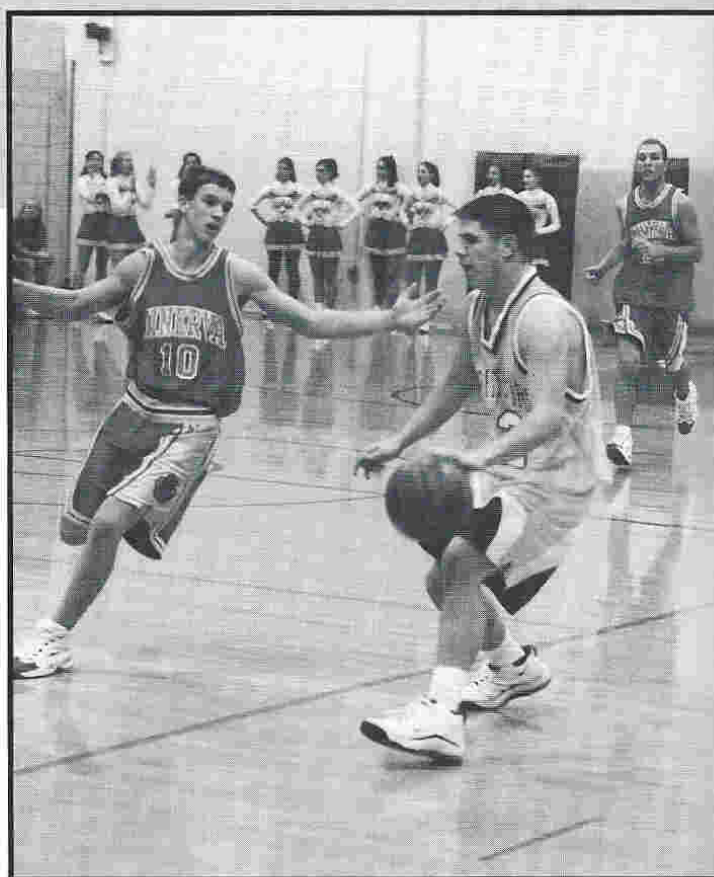
Tim McVay looks for the open man in a game against Crestwood, (2).

Mark Crawford blocks out an opposing player in order to receive the pass, (3).

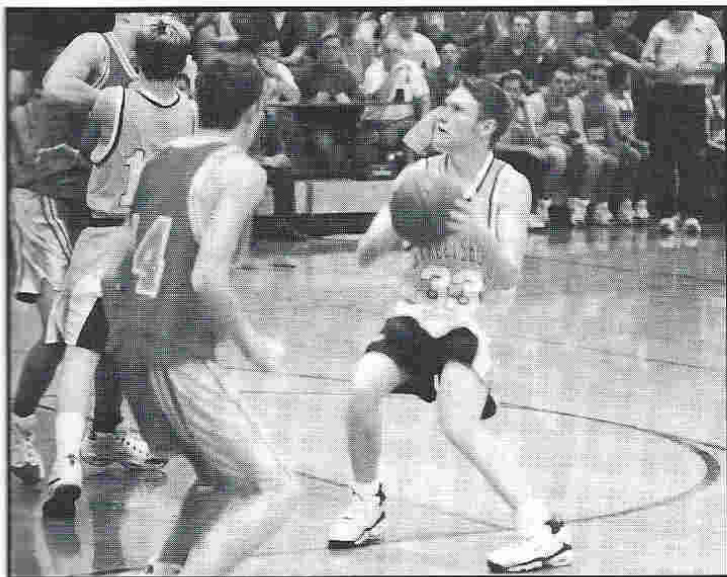
Setting up his offense is senior Jason Whitelock, (4).



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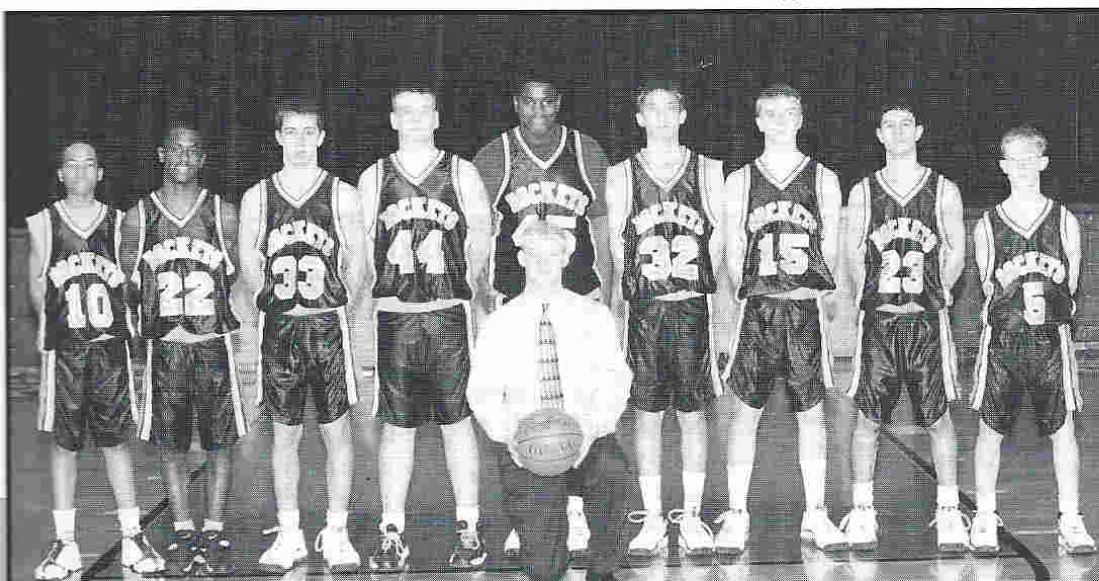
Mike Vest looks to take the shot against a Crestwood Red Devil, (1).

Nathan Agnes looks to pass the ball inside, (2).

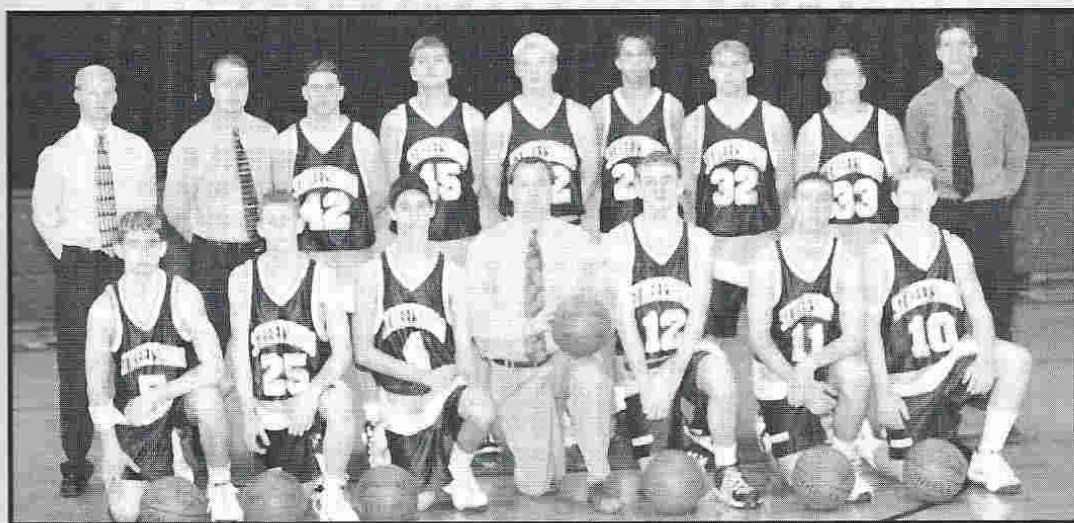
The junior varsity team picture includes starting from (LR) is Justin Tidmore, Johnny Petty, Mark Creque, Kurt Krizek, Dale Smith, Adam Abramowicz, Buddy Morris, Charlie Kocisko, Sean Speck and Coach Hinkle, (3).

The varsity team picture includes from (LR) back to front is Coach Hinkle, Coach Flood, Jason Whitelock, Canaan Christ, Jordan Gleason, Jason Polack, Mike Matheis, Mike Vest, Coach Polack, Nathan Agnes, Tim McVay, Jason Sabol, Coach Thomas, Mark Crawford, Johnny Brunnett and Tommy Stockard, (4).

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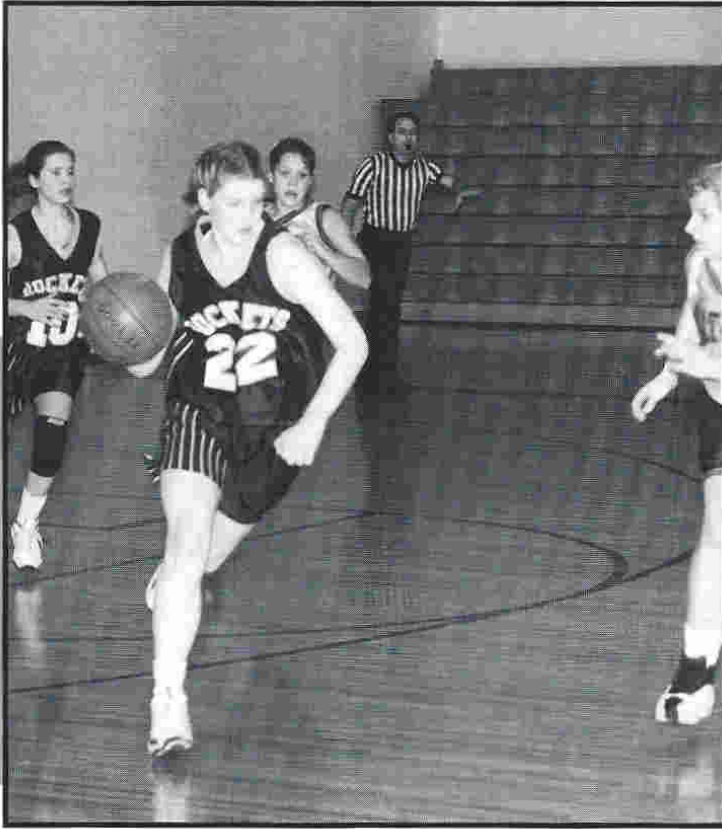


Basketball



girls' basketball

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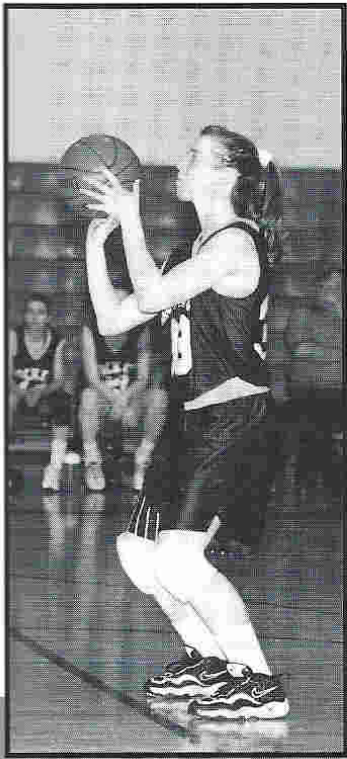
Sophomore Heather Bora flies past the defense on her way to the hoop, (1).

The varsity basketball team, (front row L to R): Kim Schneider, Amanda Weyant, Head Coach Jeff Rainer, Lisa Stoughton, Valerie Miller, (back row L to R): Asst. Coach John Cicero, Brandy Owen, Heather Bora, Michelle Poston, Angie Bennett, Kristyn Wegman, Junior Varsity Coach Harry Kraft, (2).

The junior varsity team (L to R): Tara Christian, Stephanie Digiovanni, April Dolovacky, Monika Bleck, Missy Bennett, Destini Fronek, Danielle Hostetter, Coach Harry Kraft, (3).

Looking for the outlet pass is senior Brandy Owen, (4).

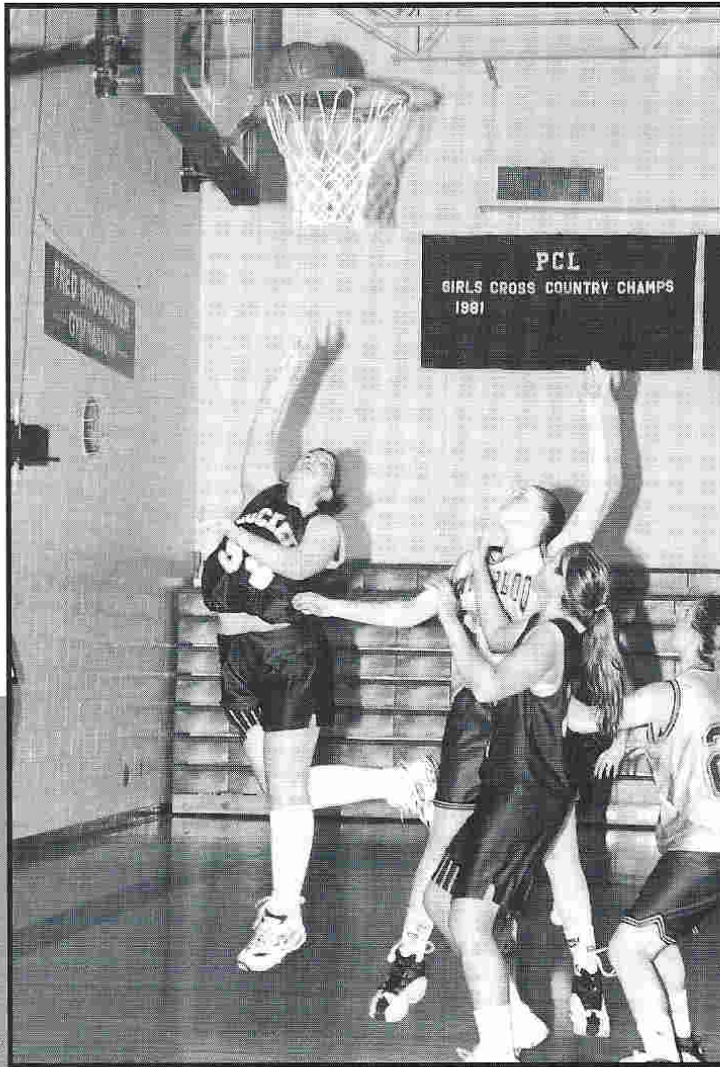




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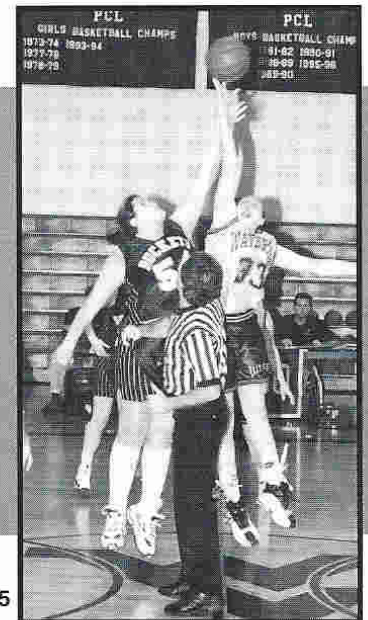
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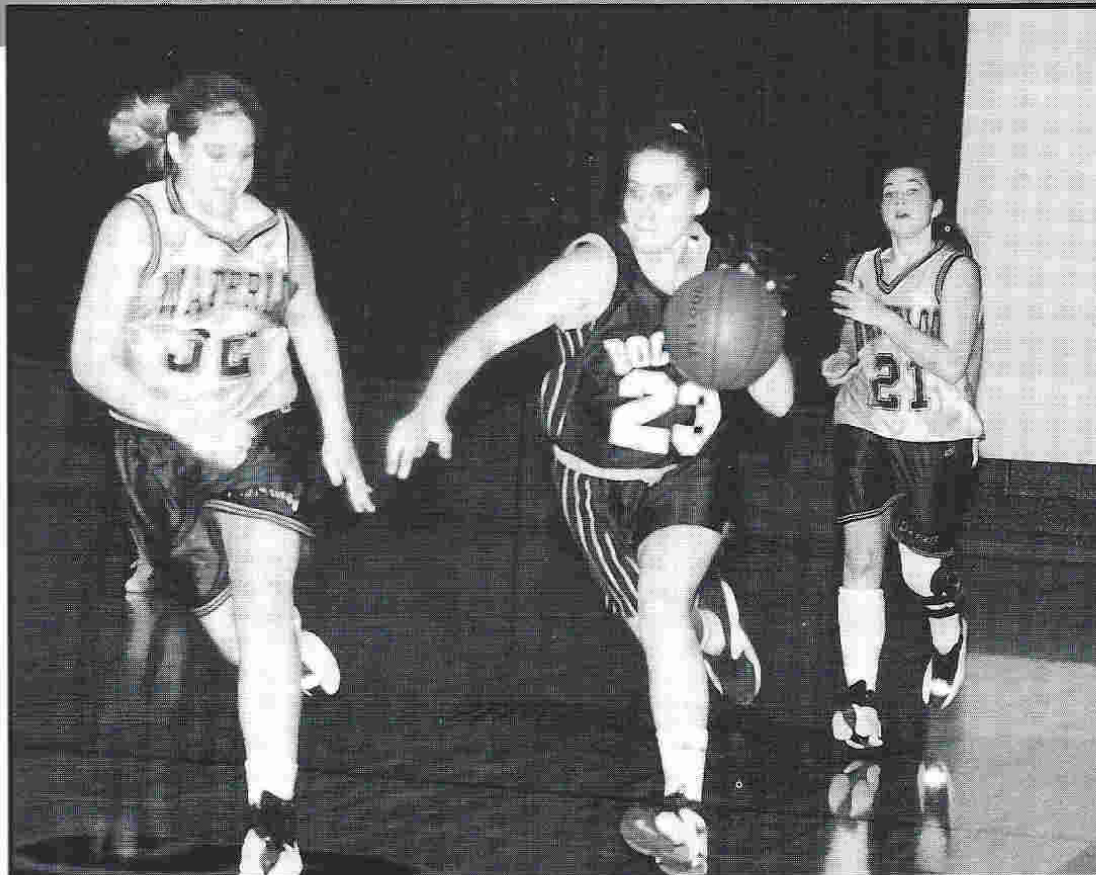
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Junior Kristyn Wegman concentrates on the rim as she attempts a free throw, (1).

Senior Michelle Poston leaps into the air to score two easy points, (2).

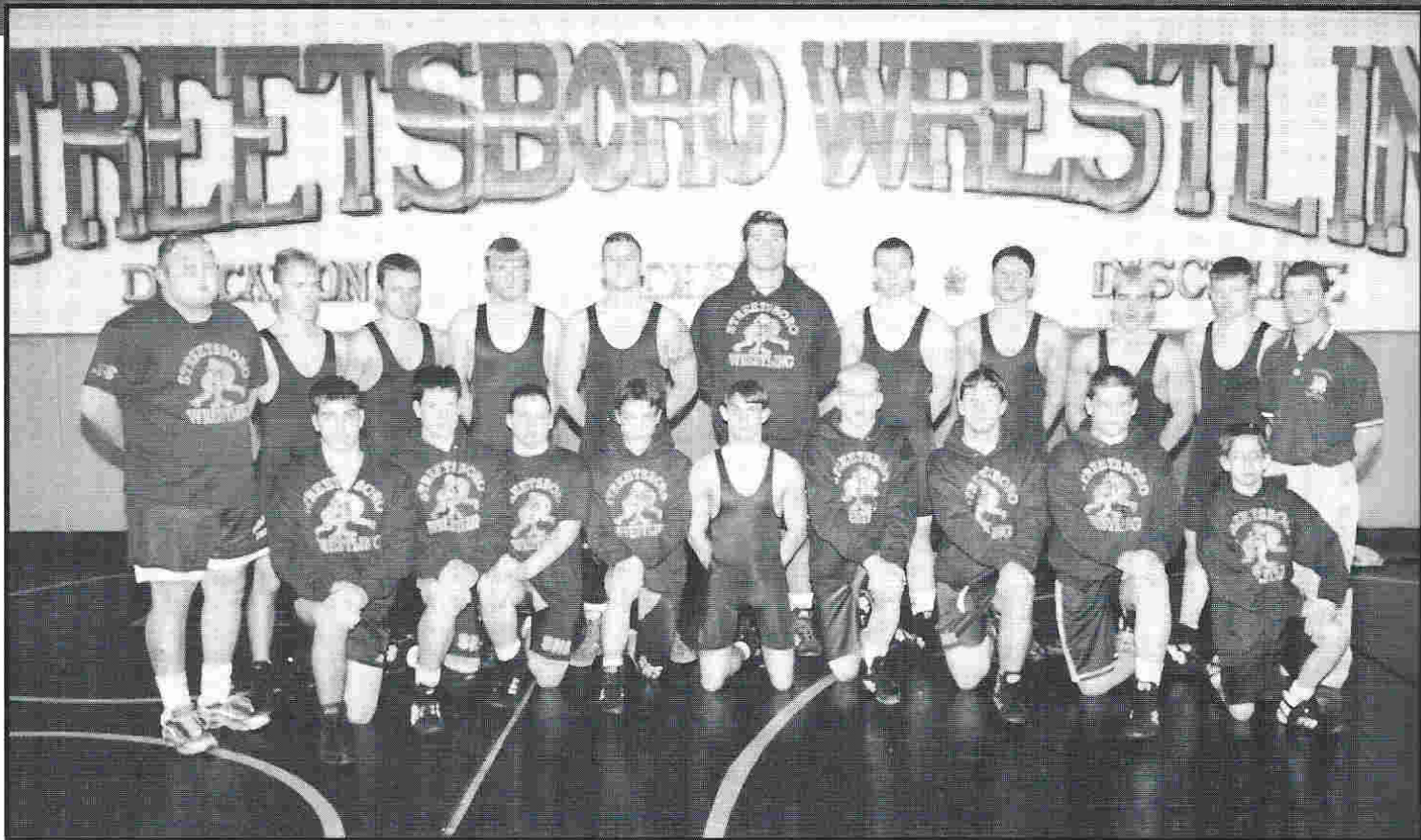
Senior foreign exchange student Monica Bleck gets the ball underneath for an easy basket against Western Reserve Academy, (3).

Sophomore Valerie Miller beats the defense press as she motors past them, (4).

Senior Michelle Poston reaches for the ball during a jump ball, (5).

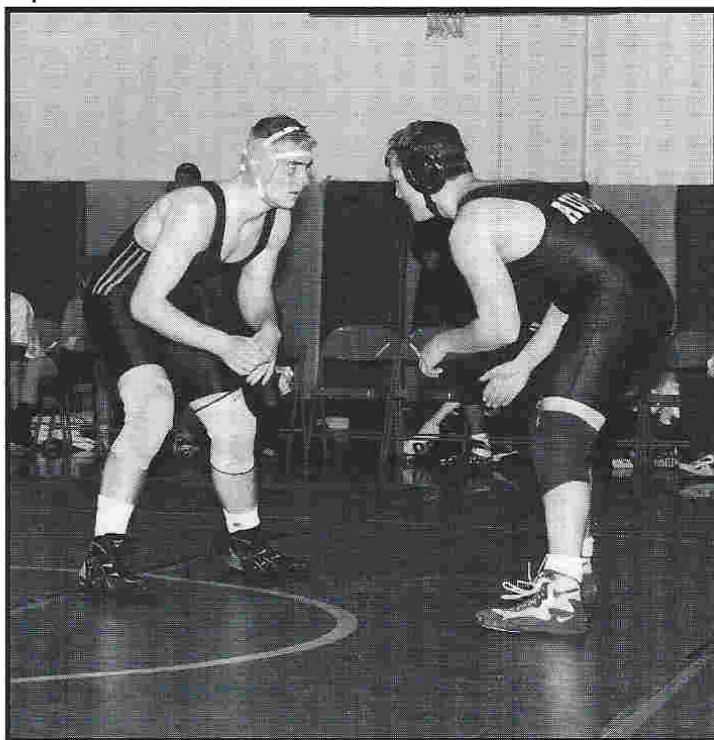
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State qualifier overcomes handicap

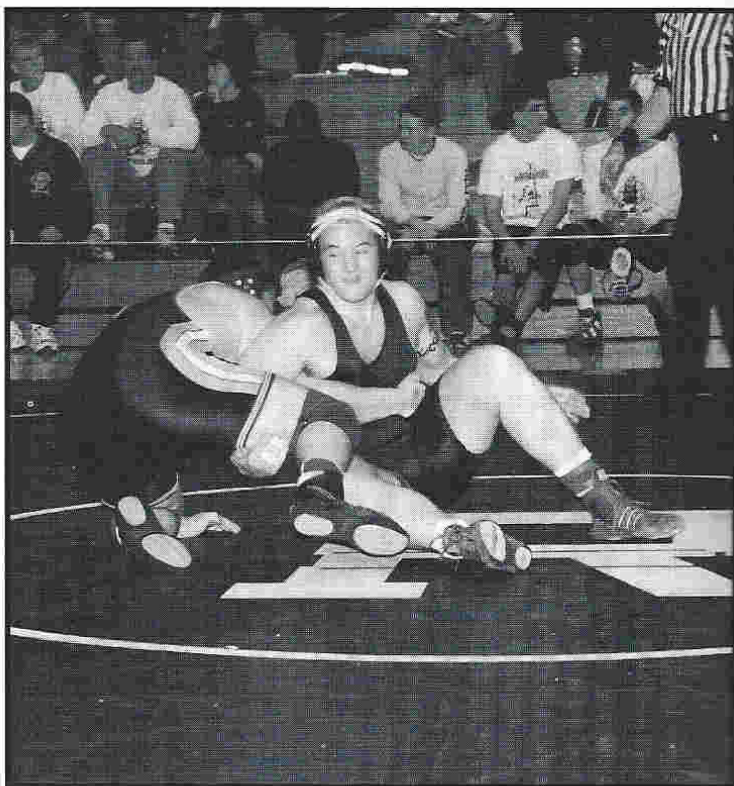


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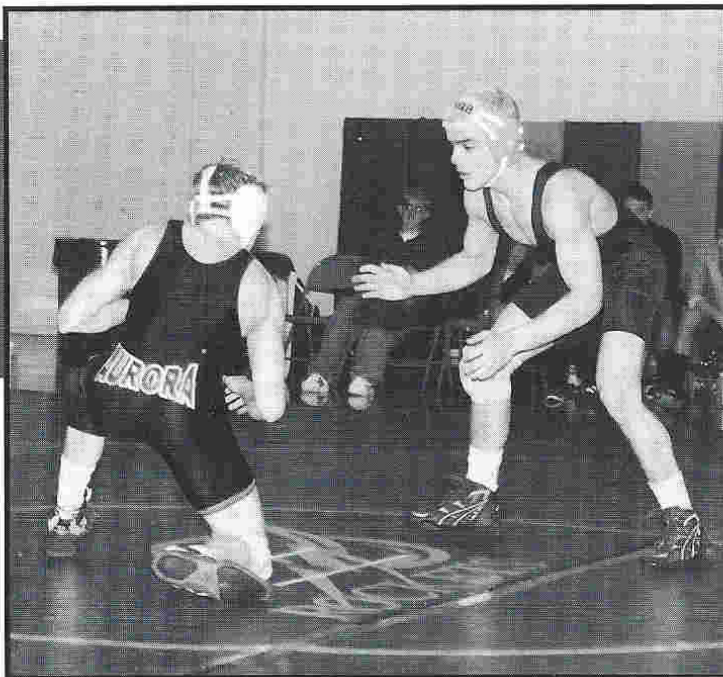
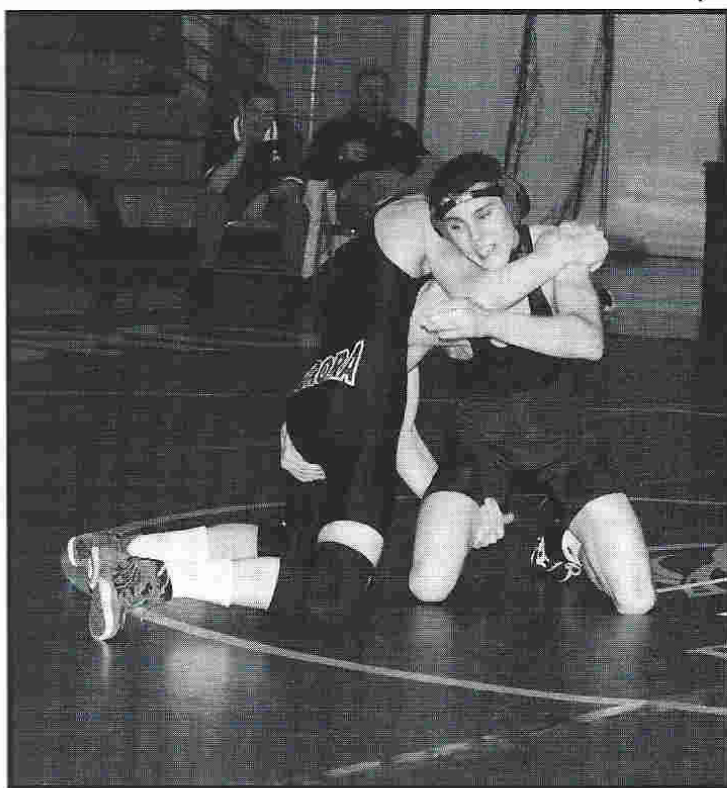


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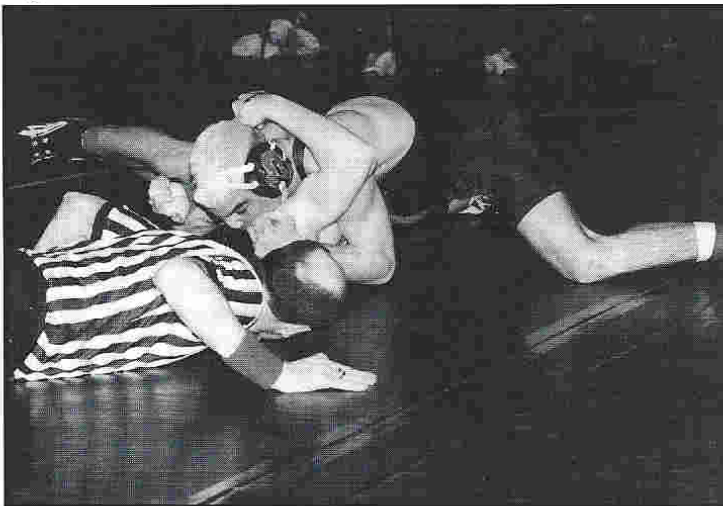




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The varsity wrestling team consists of Coach Eric Smith, Josh Adams, Eric Bissler, Scott Chappell, Wayne Weingart, Paul Veverka, Brian Baker, Robert Blunk, Robert Kirtley, Jon Basinger, Coach Jim Boardwine, DJ Earls, Robert Kern, Tony Valenti, Steven Scott, Keith Ward, Mike Aquista, Robert Stuczynski, Eddy Taylor and Nickolas Schuster, (1).

Junior Scott Chappell is waiting for the perfect time to takedown his opponent at the Boro Duals, (2).

Senior Wayne Weingart is getting ready to use a slick wrestling move for a win at PCL's. Weingart came back this season with a serious injury. He was told he would not wrestle. This season Weingart went to states and took sixth, (3).

Retiring Coach Mr. Larry Marek is saying his goodbyes, (4).

Junior Robert Kirtley is waiting for the perfect time to takedown his opponent at the Boro Duals, (5).

Senior Brandon DiDona has his opponent pinned flat to the mat for another six points at the PCL tournament, (6).

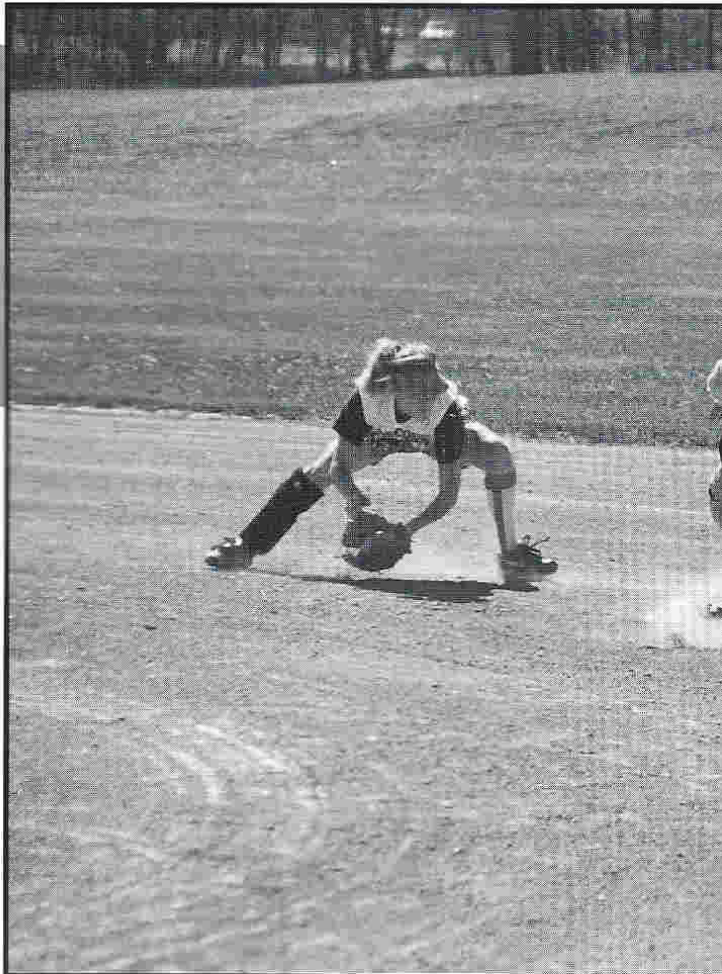
Junior Keith Ward is struggling while getting ready to pull a quick move on his opponent at the Boro Duals, (7).

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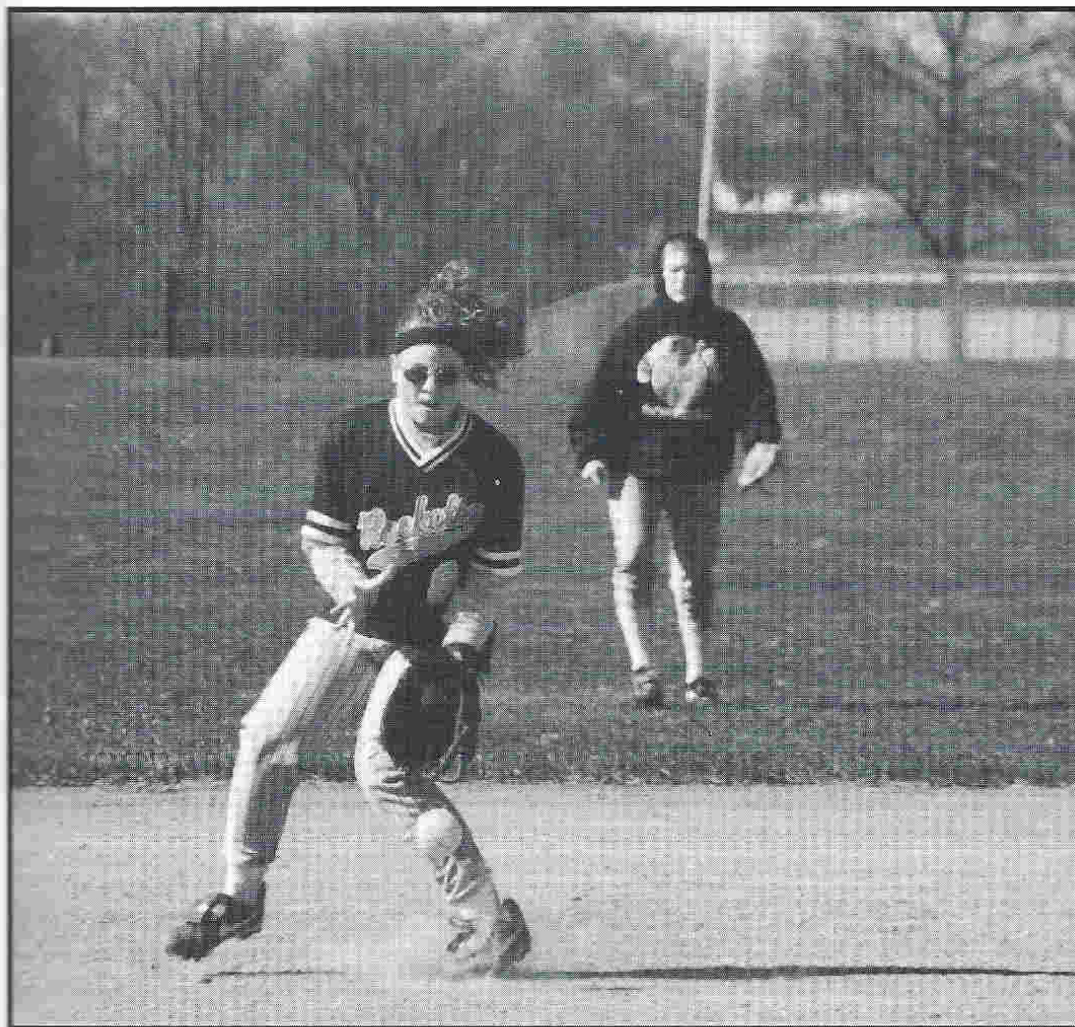
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Senior Jessie Mementowski takes a swing at the pitch, (1).

Sophomore Krysten Wegman slides into second base for a stolen base against the Field Falcons, (2).

The varsity softball team front row (L to R) Michele Dillie, Amy Smith, Jessie Mementowski, Kim Schneider, Becky Wolff. Back row (L to R) Tammy Sos, Amanda Peel, Holly Grubaugh, Heather Bora, Krysten Wegman, Missy Bennett, Amanda Rader, Krysten Mementowski and Coach Chris Mementowski, (3).

The junior varsity softball team front row (L to R) Tammy Sos, Julia Cushman, Christa Connelly, Michelle Farley, Lisa Krakora. Back row (L to R) Heidi Grubaugh, Heather Grubaugh, Sara Zeigler, Amber Lyzen, Brianna Owens and Coach Kim Natale, (4).

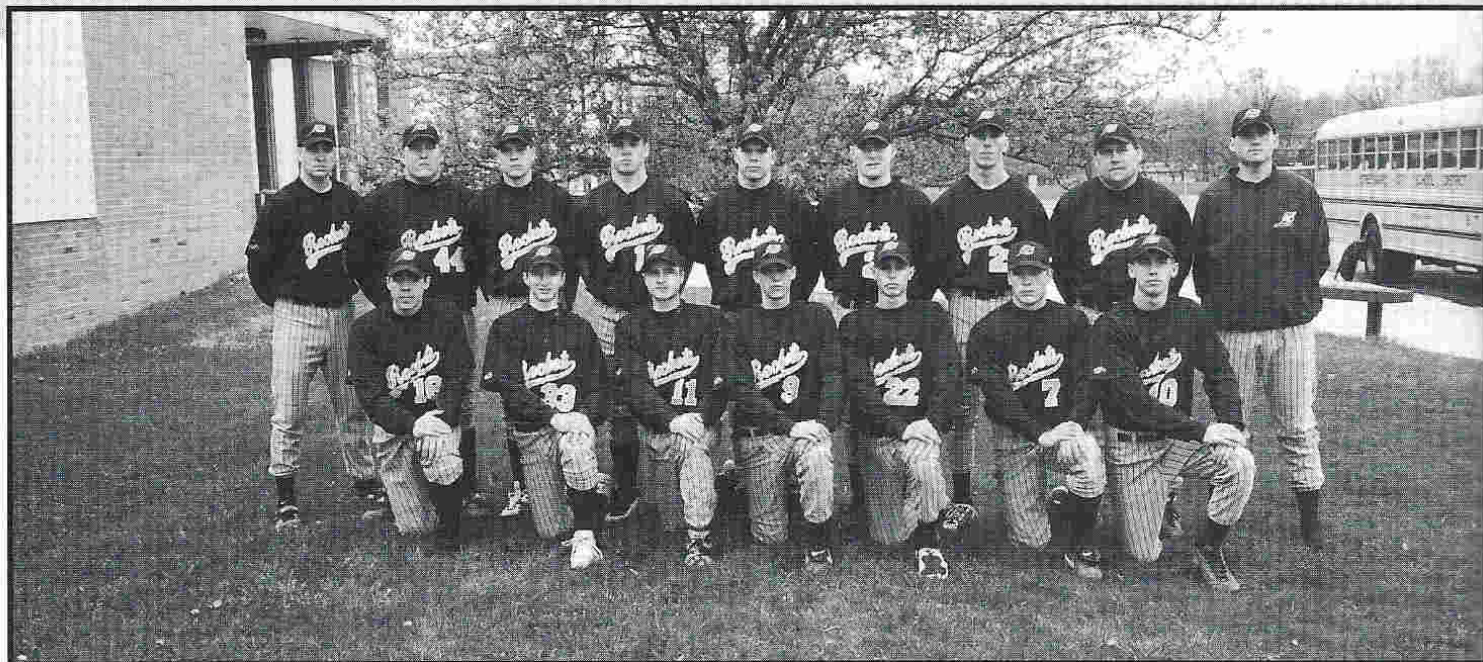
Sophomore Krysten Mementowski winds up for the pitch, (5).

Amy Smith tags a girl out at second; backing her up is Michele Dillie, (6).

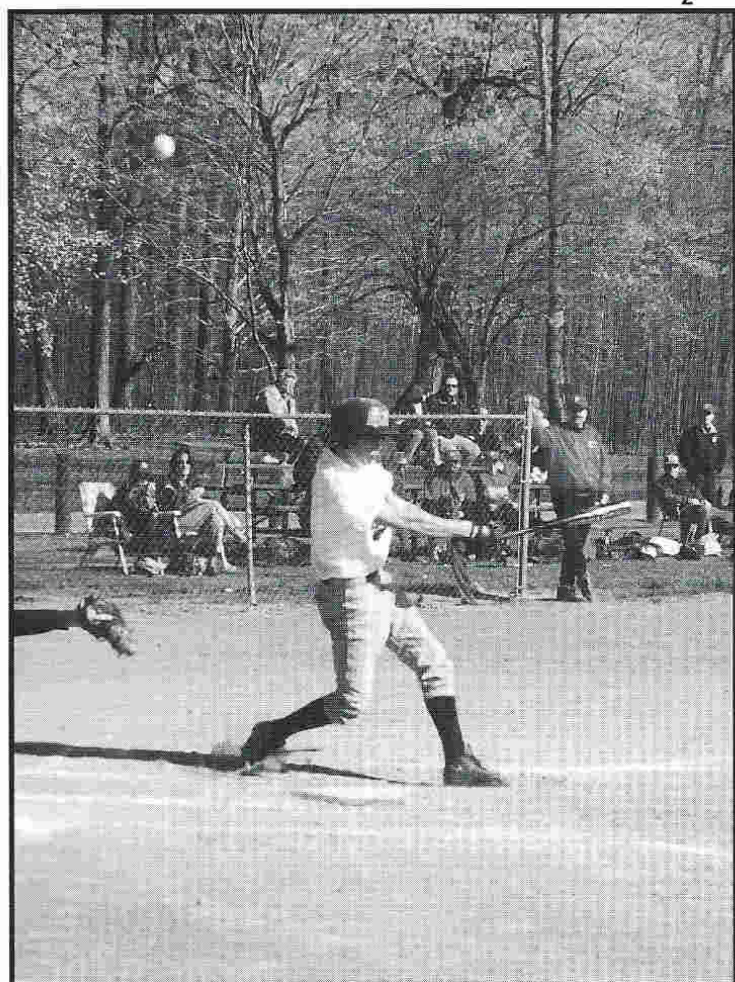
Senior Michele Dillie stops a ball hit to second, (7).

baseball

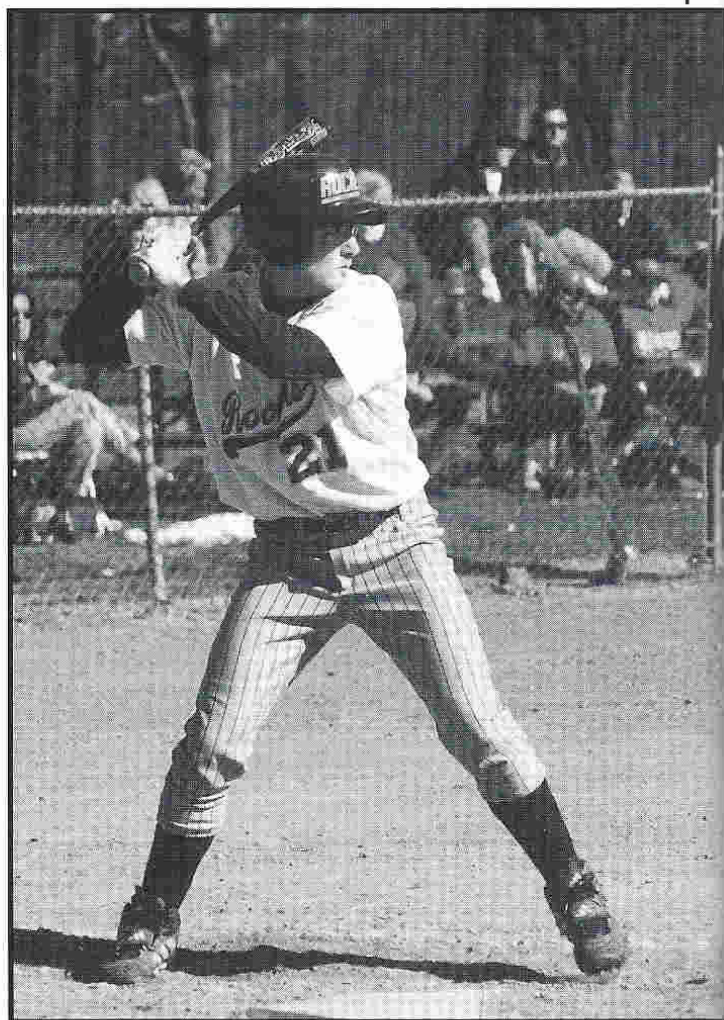
Rockets prevail with a young team



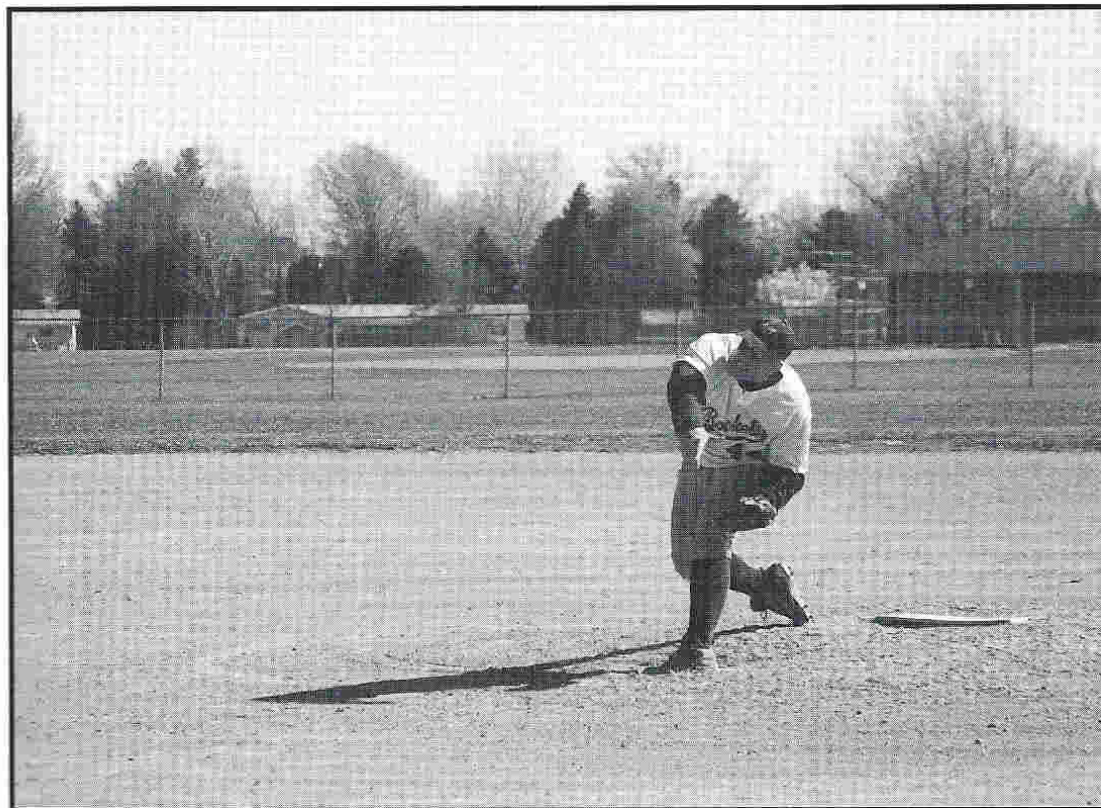
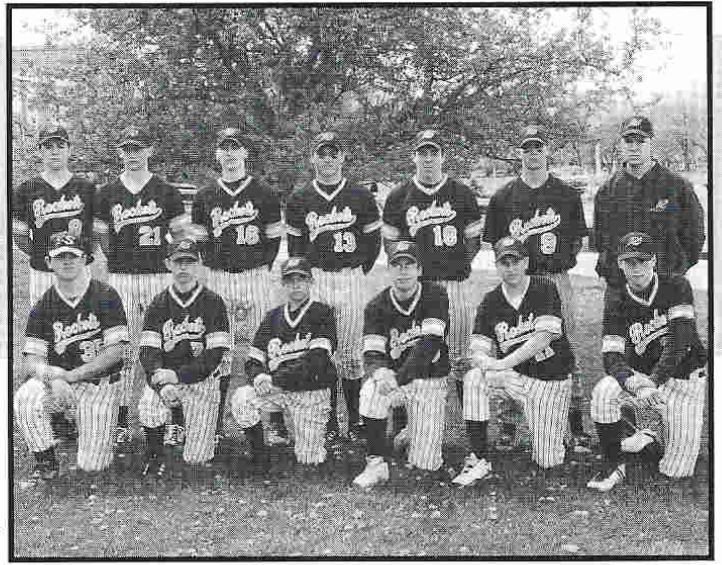
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The varsity team consists of Coach Flood, Matt Williams, Robert Kern, Adam Ward, Jason Whitelock, Scott Chappell, John Brunnett, Coach Atwood, Coach Budd, Kyle Teiggs, Thomas Stockard, Justin Docherty, William Holcomb, Daniel Baus and Jon Ogden, (1).

Junior Jon Ogden battles off a fast ball, (2).

Junior Scott Chappell gets ready for the pitch, (3).

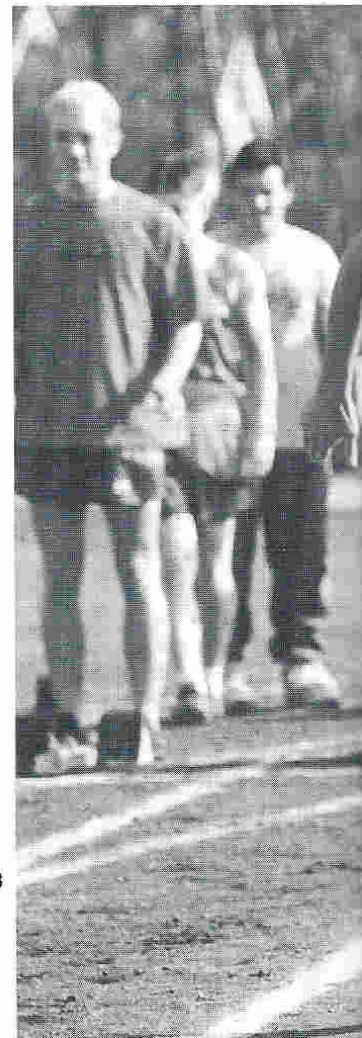
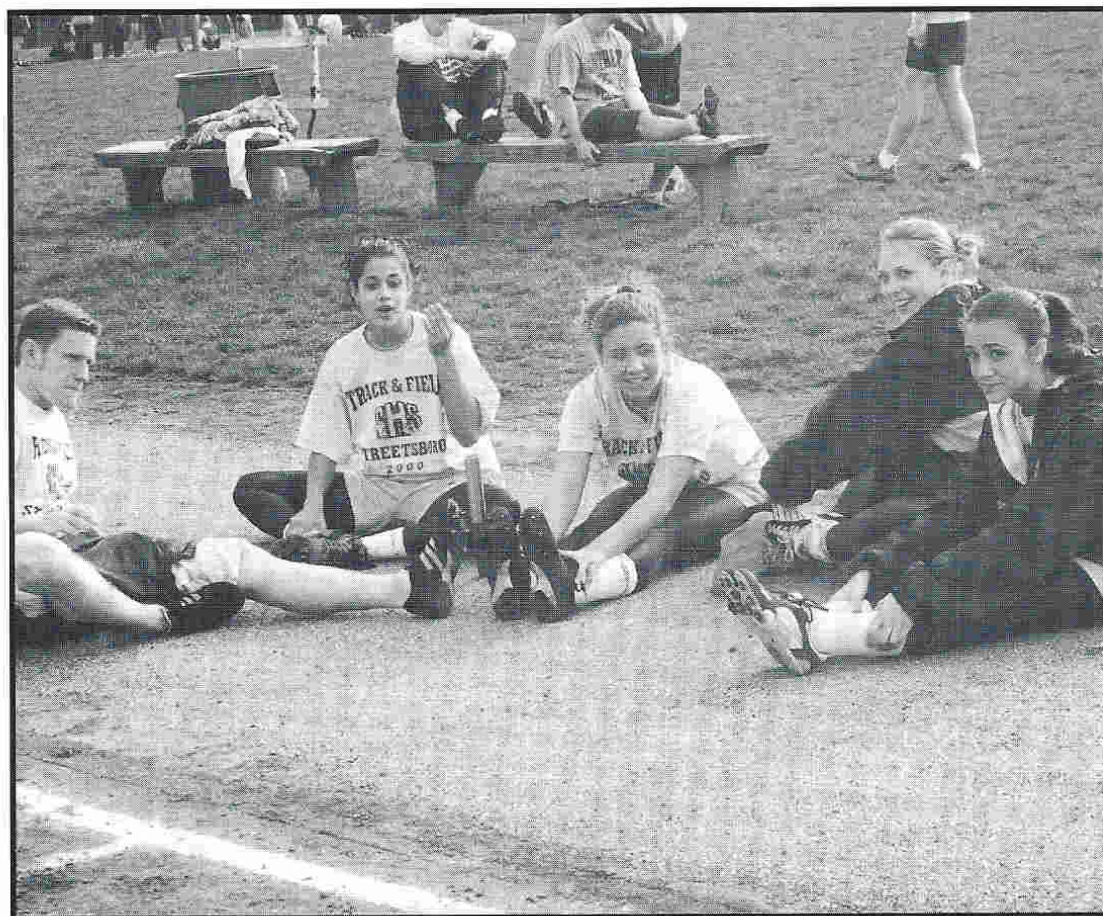
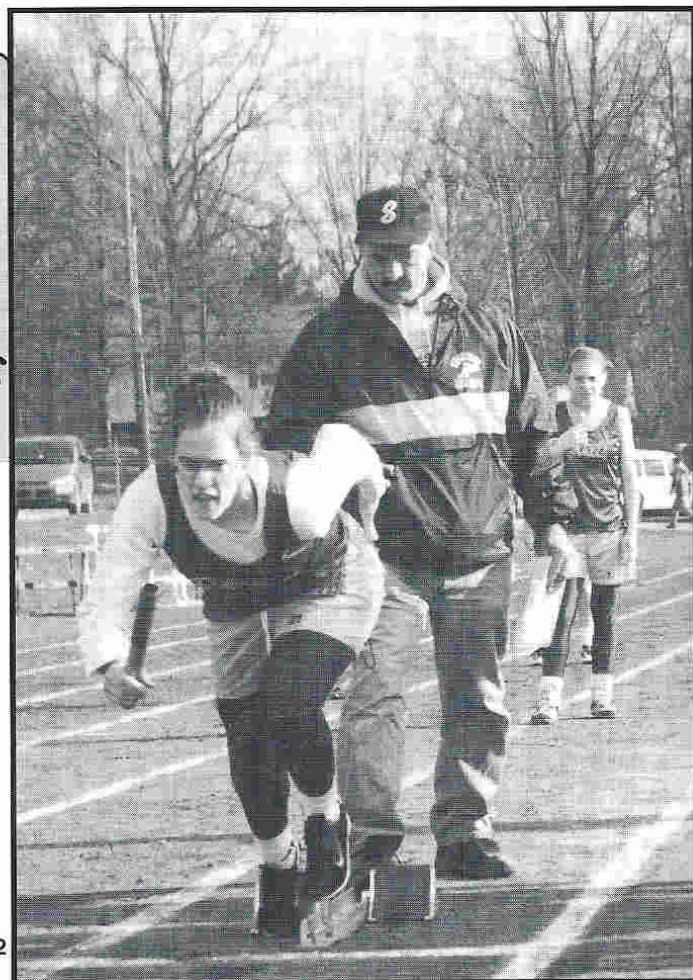
Junior Billy Holcomb is waiting for the ball to get the runner out as Senior Jason Whitelock is there to back him up, (4).

The JV baseball team, (5).

Pitcher Matt Williams throw the ball to first baseman Dan Baus to tag the runner out, (5).

Junior Matt Williams is warming his arm, (6).

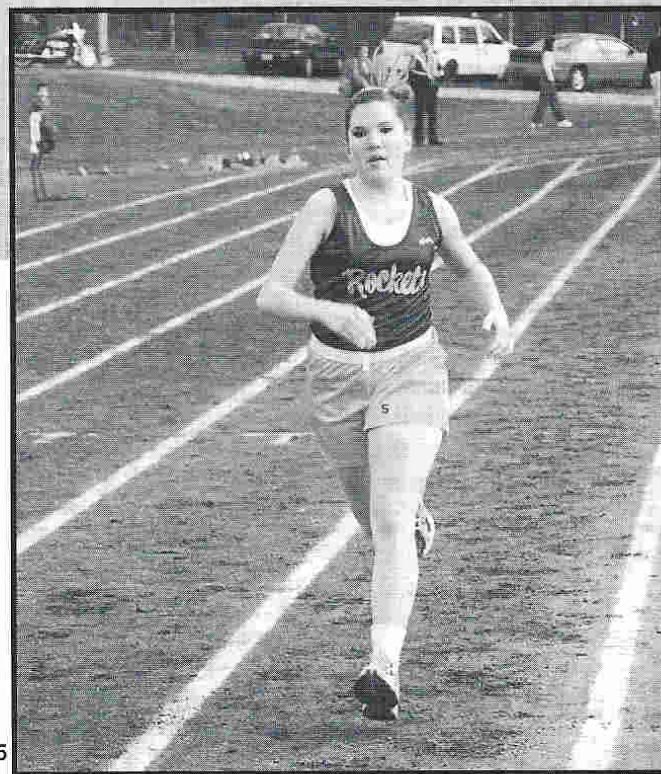
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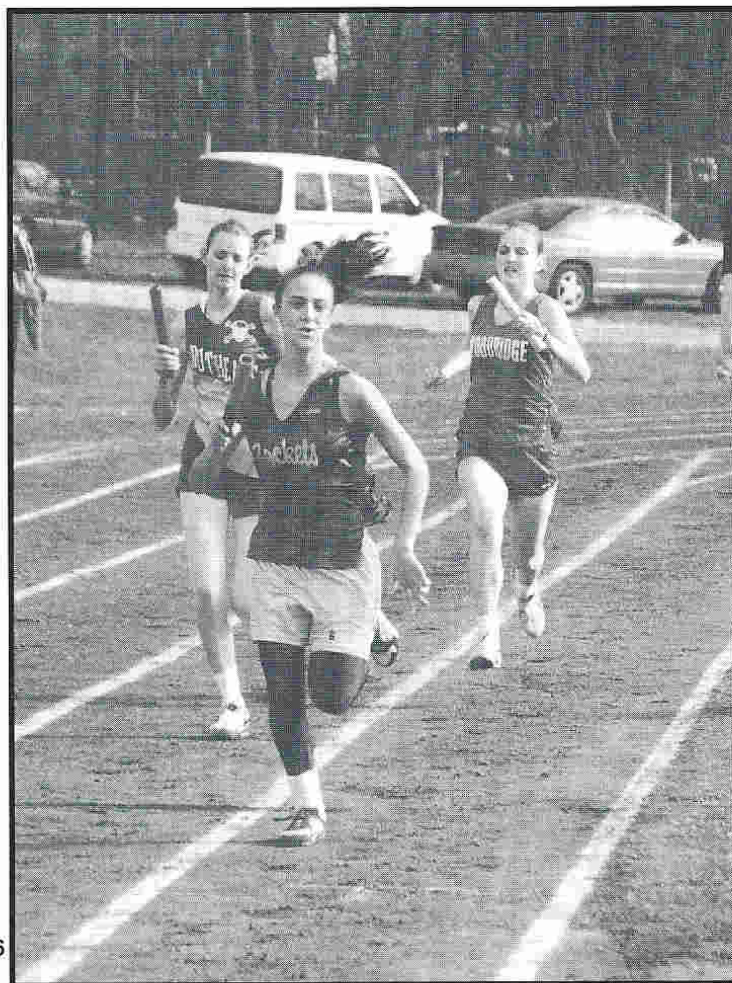
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The varsity girls' track team stops to pose for a picture before a track meet, (1).

The girls' head track coach, Mr. Tom Fesemyer holds the blocks for senior Amanda Weyant as she starts the 4x200 meter relay, (2).

Stretching before the race are seniors Mike Vest and Christine Sourek, junior Amy Busser, sophomore Rhianon Nola and freshman Destini Eronok, (3).

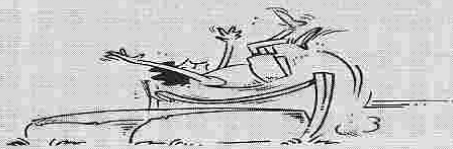
Sophomore Rhianon Nola receives the baton from junior Amy Busser in the 4x200 relay, (4).

Freshman Julie Manijak runs the 1600 meter race, (5).

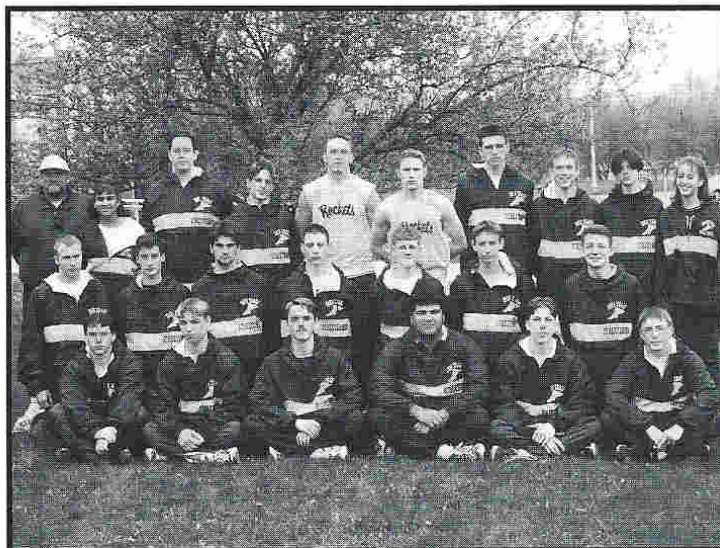
Keeping the lead in the 4x400 relay is freshman Destini Eronok, (6).

Getting off to a good start is senior Christine Sourek in the 100 meter dash, (7).

boys' track



team eyes comeback with more numbers



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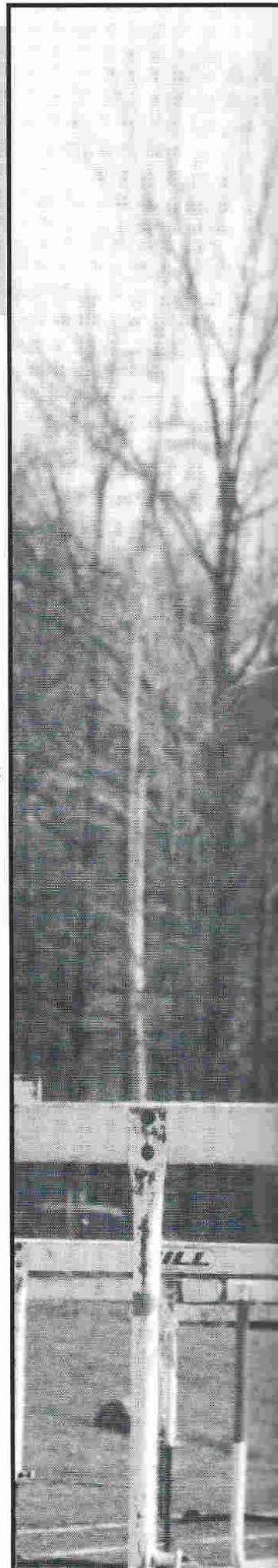
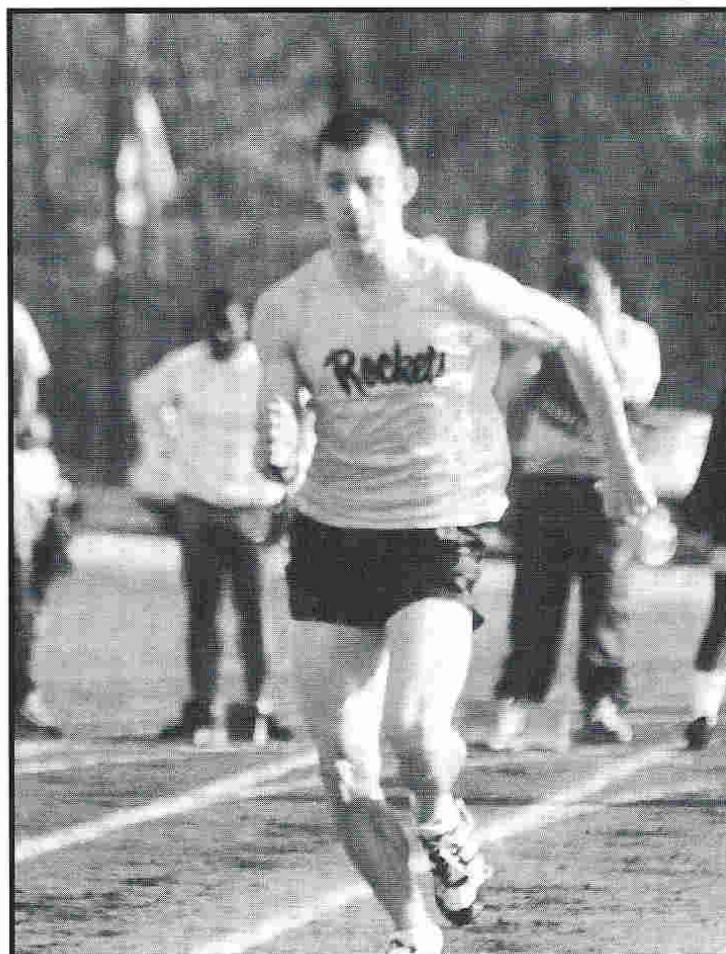
The team is made up of row 1 Robert Stuczynski, Ryan Livaich, Mike Cobb, Victor Lester, Brian Zimmerman, Steve Capps, Row 2; Len Miller, John Cowling, Ryan Franz, Jeri Greathouse, Steve McVay, Dave Broska, Aaron Yanetsky, Row 3; Coach John Keegan, stat Danielle Hostetler, Jason Owens, Noah Allooh, Matt Fredmonsky, Mike Vest, Adam Swiger, Chris Davison, Vince LaBonte, and stat Candace Vadaj, (1).

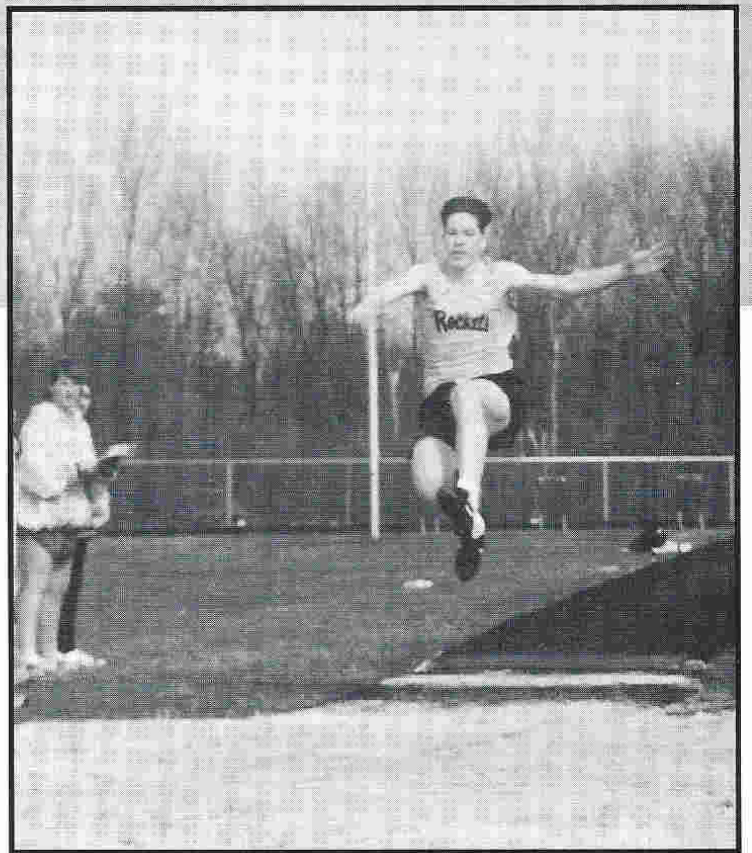
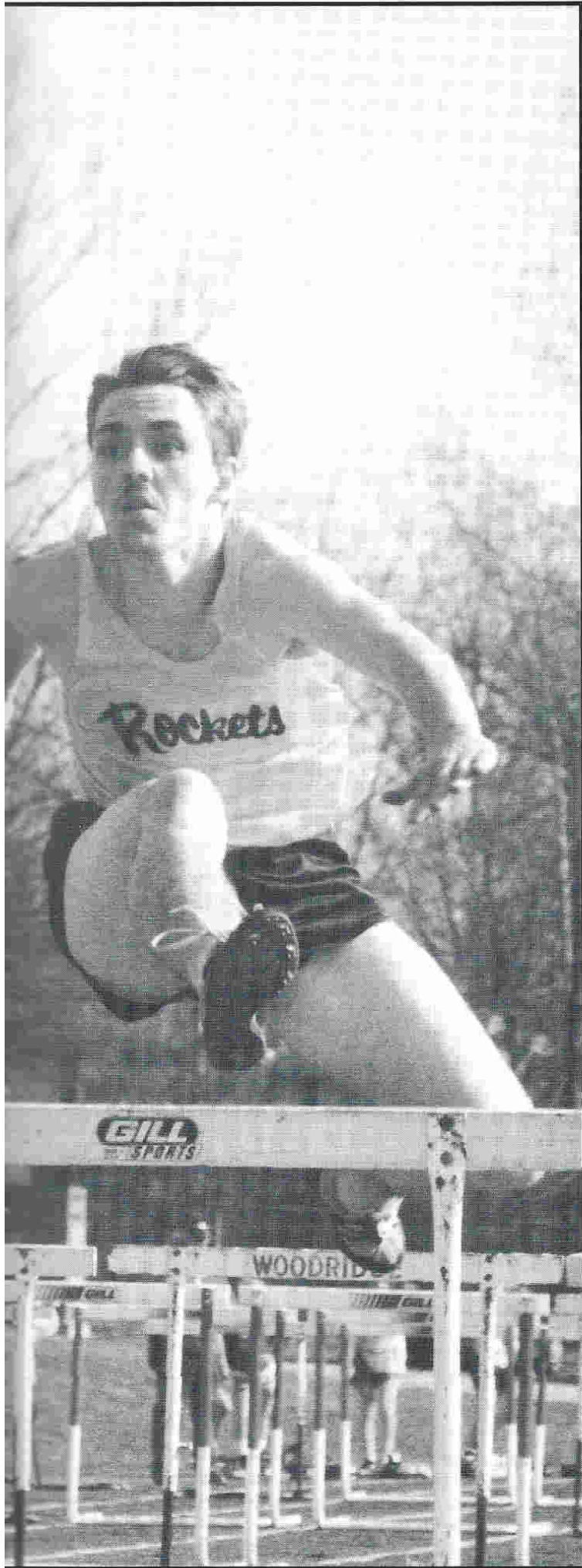
Mike Cobb leaps over the hurdles in perfect form at Woodridge, (2).

Jeri Greathouse runs at the Woodridge meet to earn himself a letter, (3).

Brian Zimmerman leaps to get height and distance for the long jump, (4).

Getting good height on his release is Adam Swiger in the shot put event, (5).

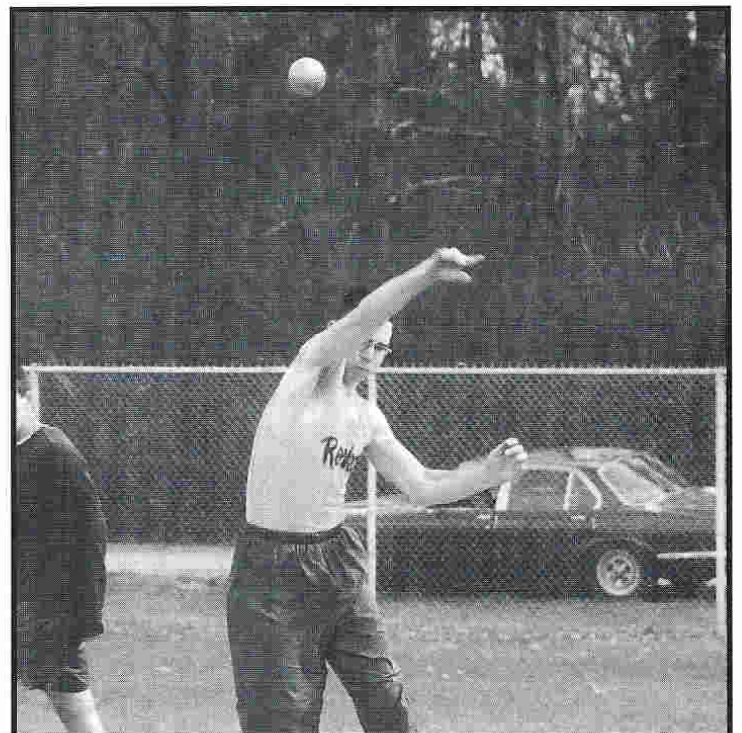




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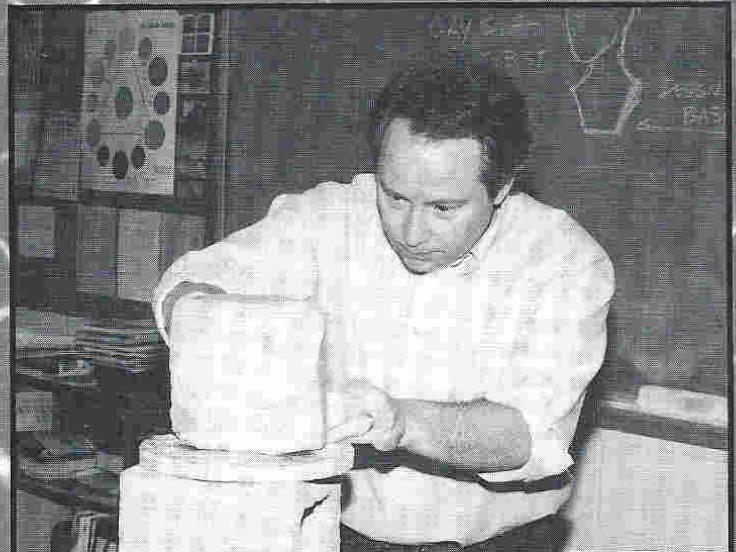
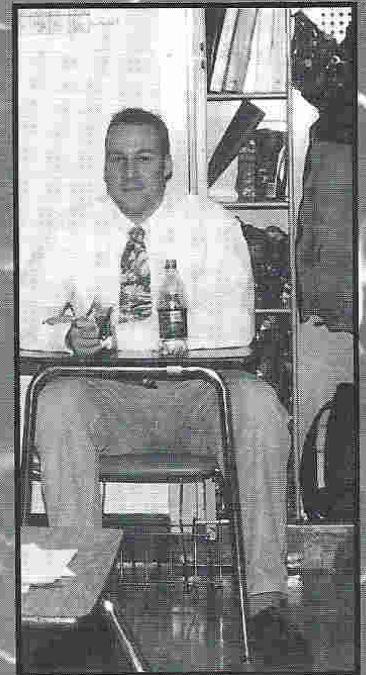
TRACK & FIELD





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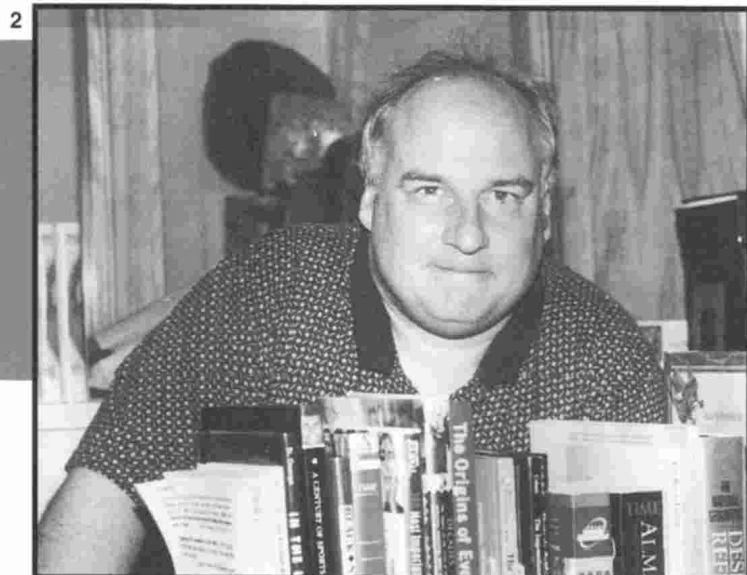
Faculty



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Brenda Alderson, Typing
Marjorie Arida, Special Education
Christina Conti, American History
Gene Easter, Chemistry/Physics



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Male staff members prepare to take on seniors in the teacher-senior basketball game, (1).

Greg Ceilec, English, poses for a picture in the library, (2).

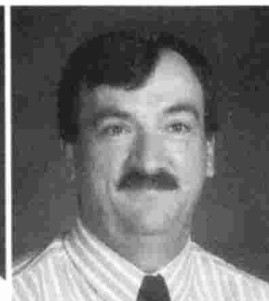
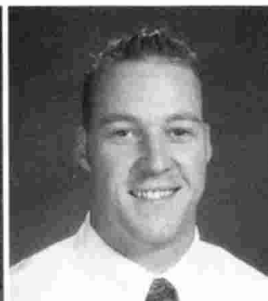
Bob Long, Broadcasting, (3).

Larry Marek, American History, celebrates at his retirement party, (4).

Rob Atwood, Physical Education, with seniors Michele Dillie and Amy Smith, (5).

Jim Boardwine, English, shares more than just a music lesson with his English class, (6).



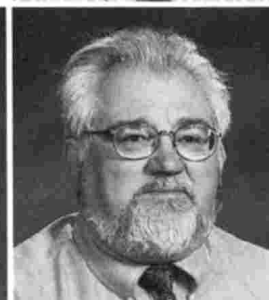


Connie Evans, Spanish

Matthew Featherstun, Science

Tom Fesemyer, Industrial Arts

Dan Flood, Algebra

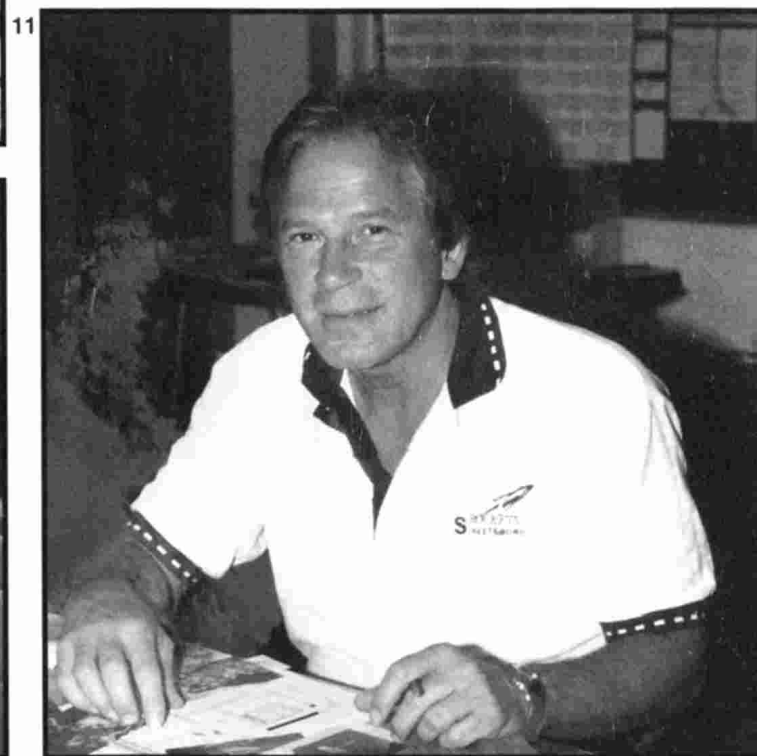
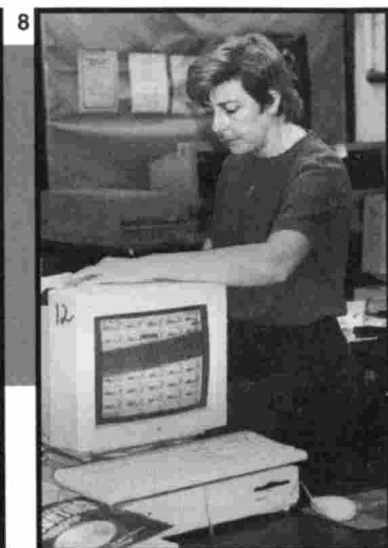


Constance French, English

Cathy Gentner, Home Economics

Ken Granville, Band

Maureen Haska, Biology



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Tracy Davidson, JOG, (7).

Jolyn Taylor, Accounting/Web Page Development, (8).

Pat North, Dianne Whitelock, Rosanne Moldvay, Diana Ondash, Cafeteria Staff, (9).

John Smith, Physical Education, (10).

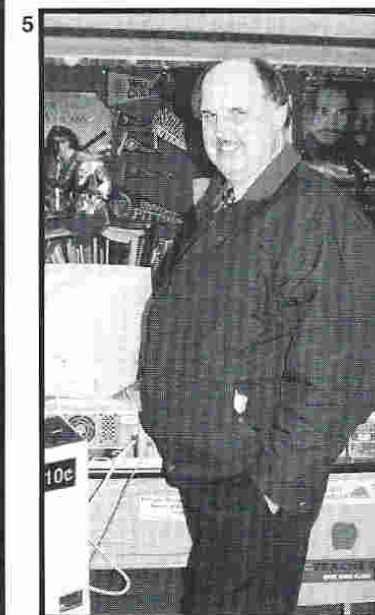
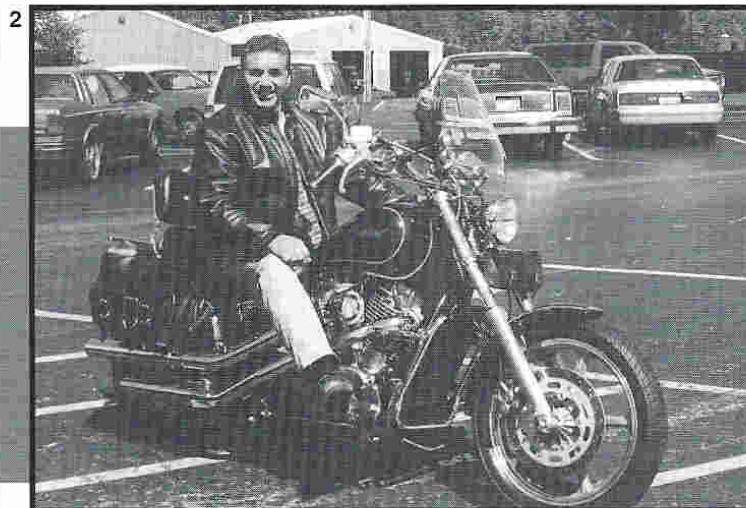
Dave Hostetler, Journalism/Yearbook/Desktop, (11).

A special thanks to those teachers that are retiring this year, Dave Hostetler, Ken Granville and Larry Marek. You'll never know how many lives you have touched, all the best wishes and good luck.

Joseph Huber, School to Work
Ann Huston, Guidance Counselor
Carol Lutz, Earth Science
Gary Motz, Advanced Math



Nannette Peterson, English
Terry Peterson, Assistant Principal
Jeff Rainer, Special Education
Diane Roberts, Guidance Counselor



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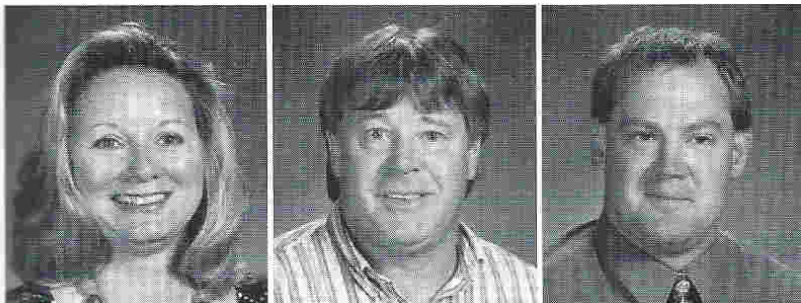
Conner Yeager, Art, gets organized to start the next project, (1).

Tom Giovagnoli, Principal, shows up at school on his motorcycle, (2).

Lisa Thomas, Secretary, works on her computer, (3).

Bob Simerlink, Algebra, figures out the answer to an algebraic equation, (4).

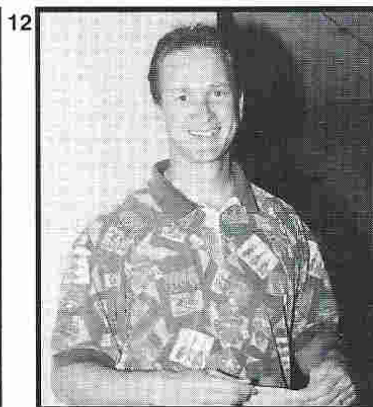
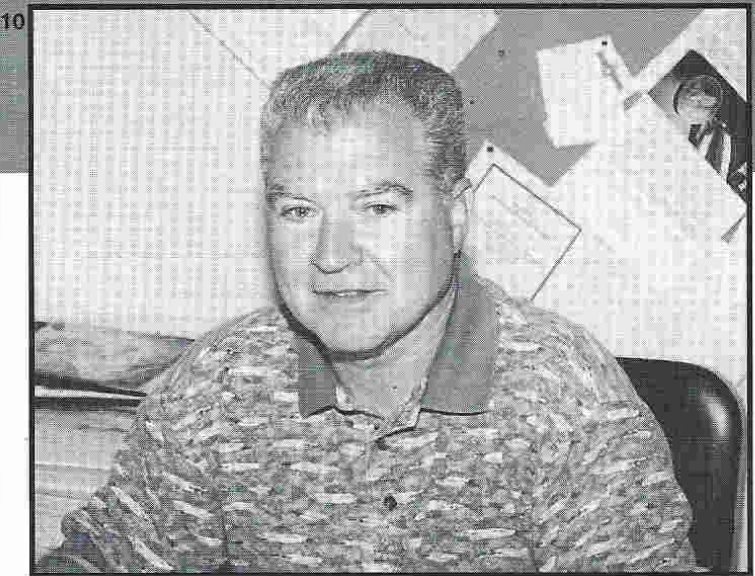
Ken Motz, Transition Math, stops to pose for a picture in the library, (5).



Lisa Spalding, Science

Ken Stoner, Geometry

Bruce Thomas, Government



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Loraine Tupa, school nurse, finishes her paperwork, (6).

Brenda Jankowski, guidance secretary/Joyce Wilcox, secretary, (7).

Dennis Ellsworth, custodian, cleans the cafeteria after lunch, (8).

Pam Rumsey, Attendance Officer, always knows where you are, (9).

Gary Huber, Athletic Director, organizes Rockets sports events, (10).

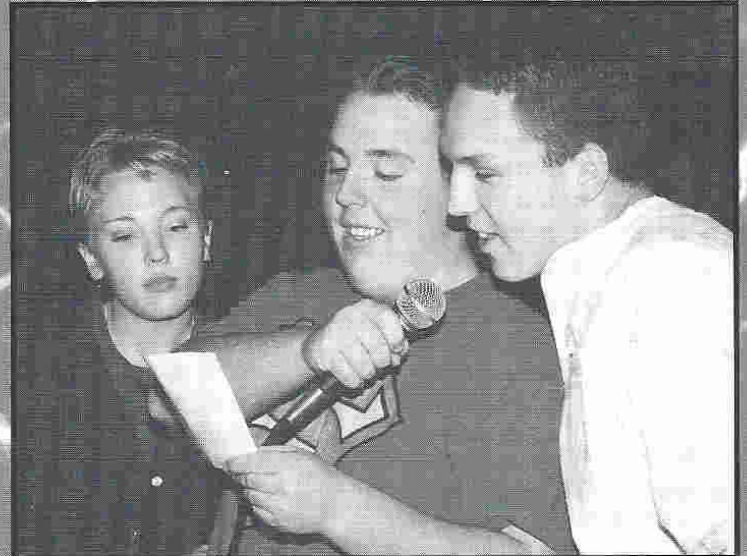
Nancy Yenulanis, secretary, (11).

Jerry Judd, American History, teaches his freshmen all they need to know about early American History, (12).



2000

Seniors



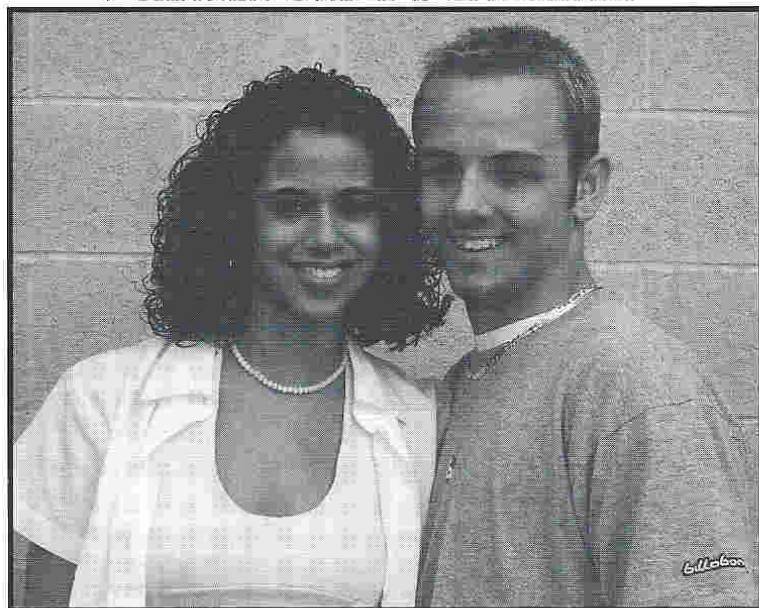
Senior Favorites

senior stars top the charts



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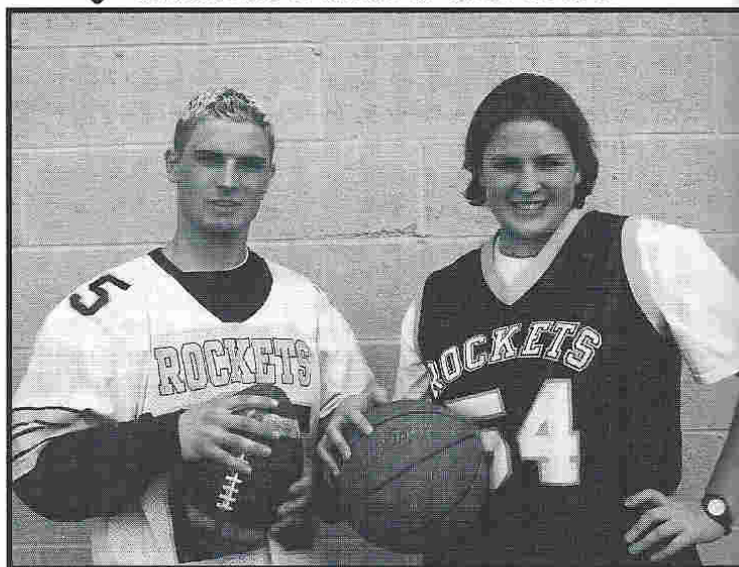
Christine Sourek & Eric Bissler



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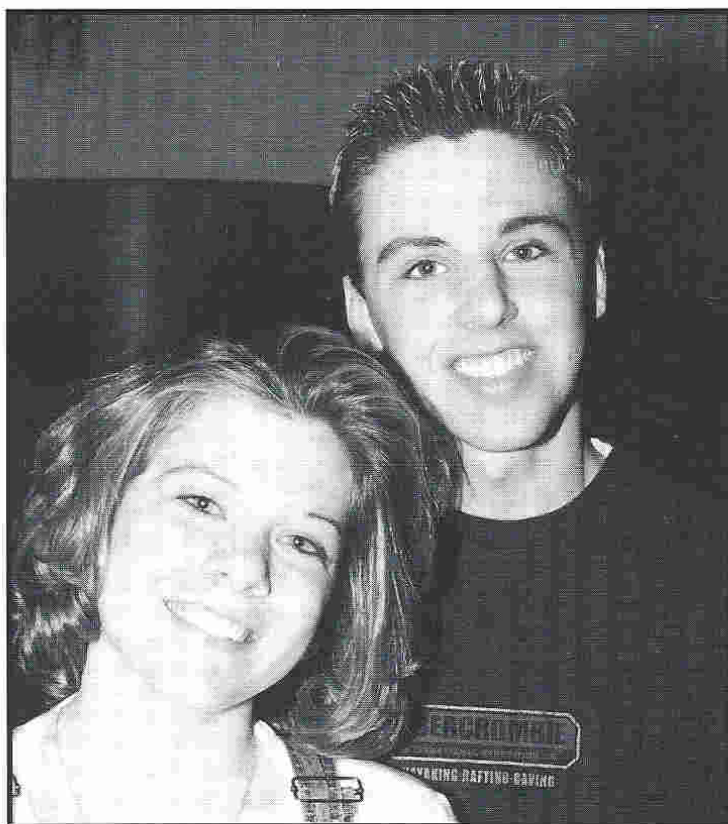
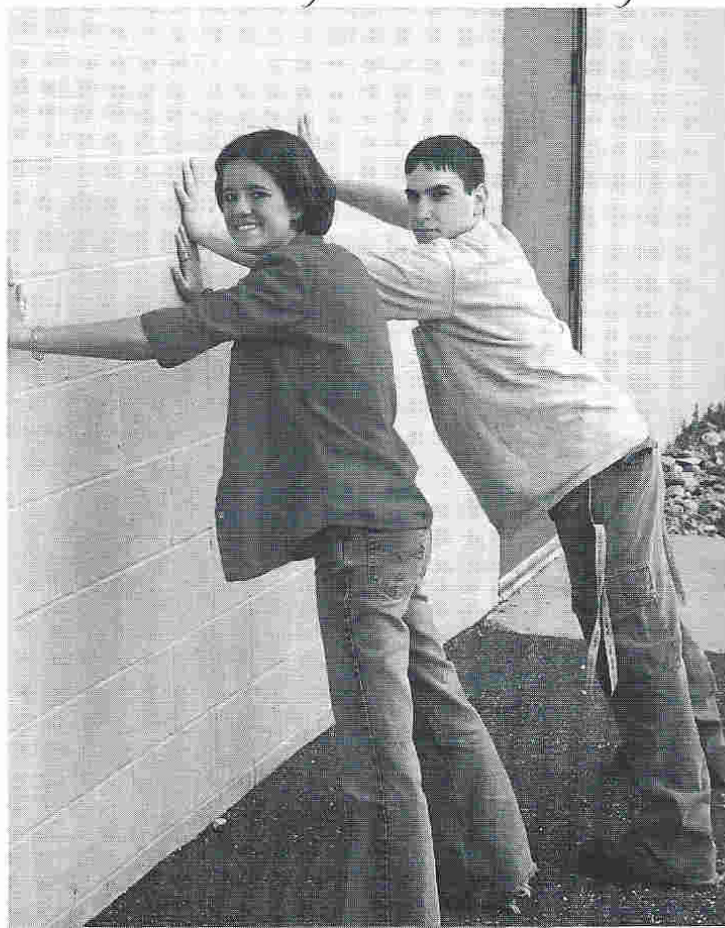
Most Athletic

Michelle Poston & Eric Bora



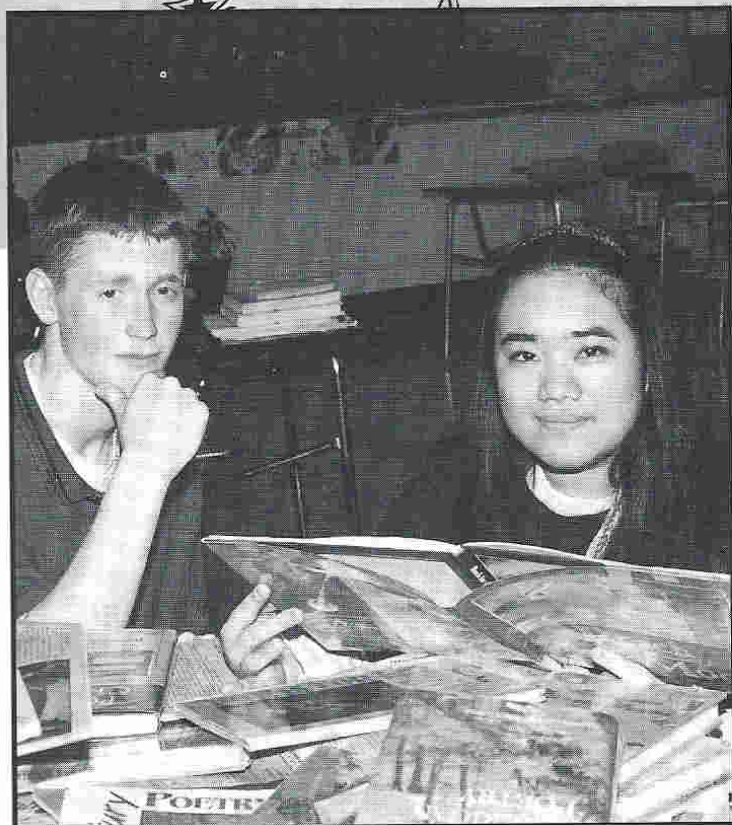
Trouble Makers

Melissa George & Colin McNeely

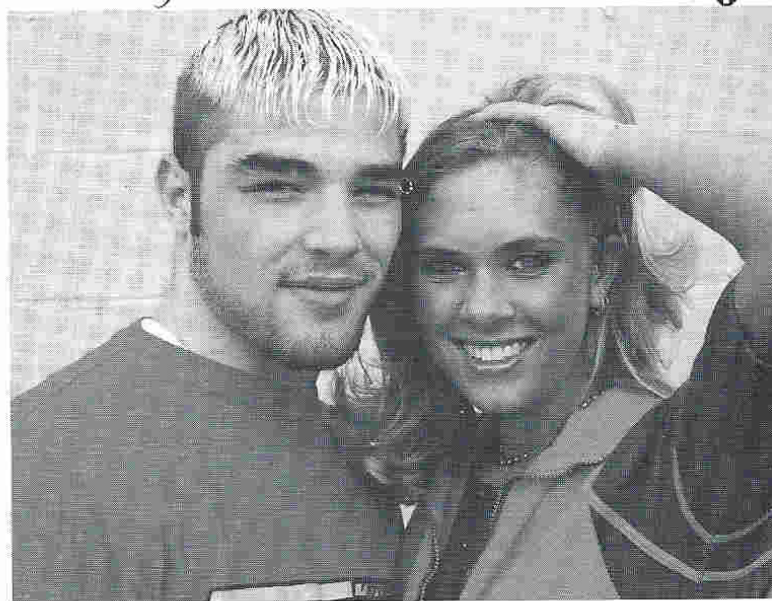


Best Eyes

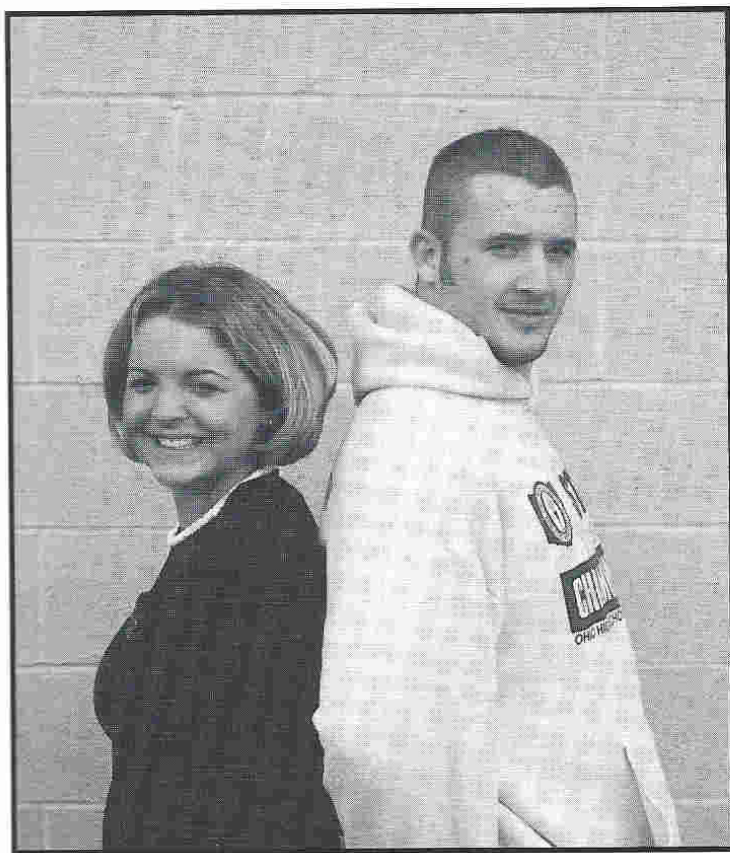
Amy Smith & Larry Connolly



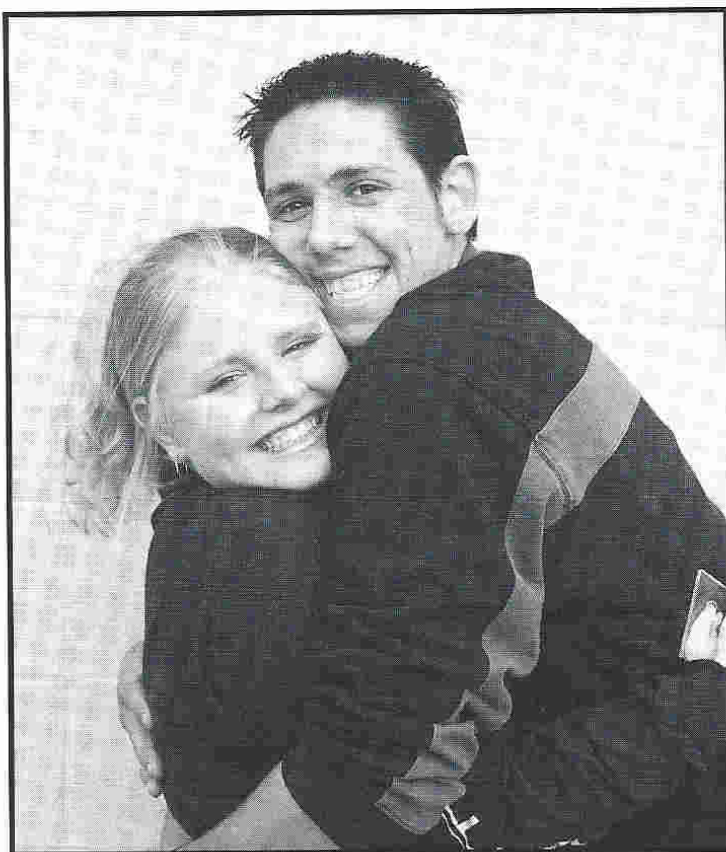
★ ★ *Most Likely to Succeed*
★ *Naomi Daradar & Timothy McVay*



Best Looking 2009
Crystal Baus & Brandon DiDona



Most Popular
Angela Kirtley & Wayne Weingart

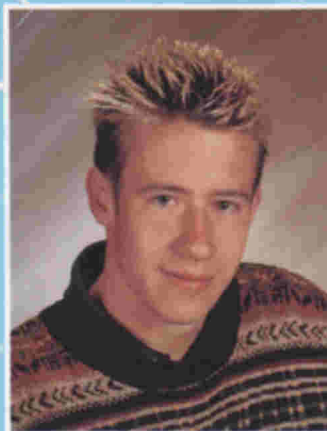


★ ★ *Most Friendly*
★ *Kassandra Summers & David Pastiva*

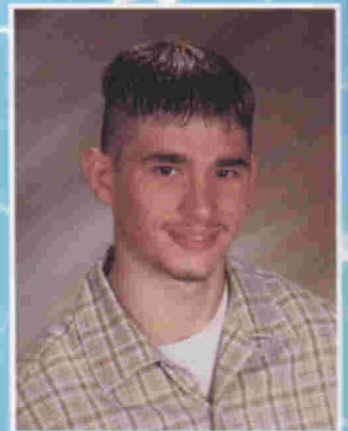
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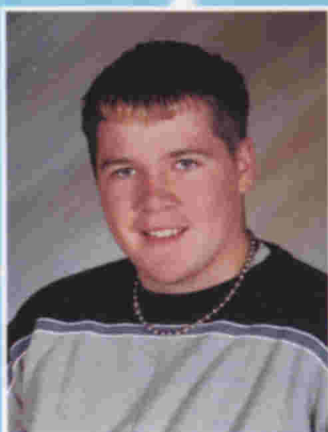
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Derek Adams



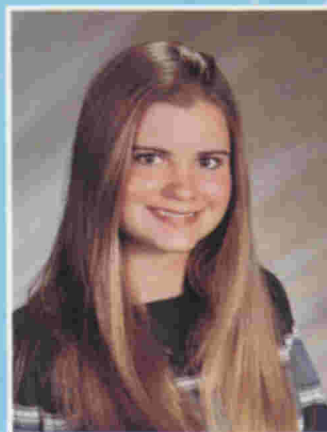
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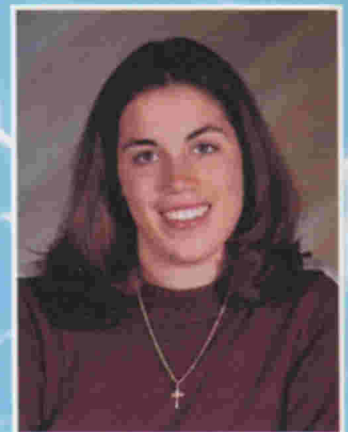
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Tiffany Dosh



Joshua Bachtel



Melissa Banashak



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Kathleen Beek



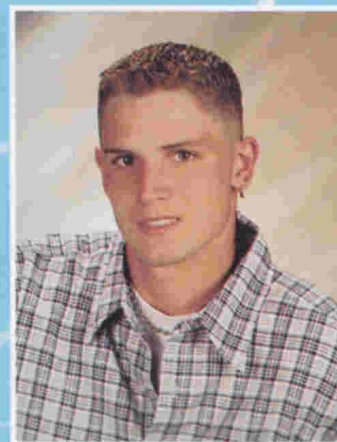
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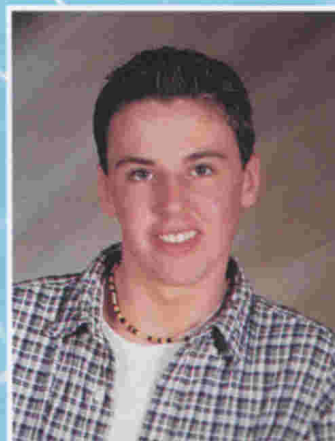
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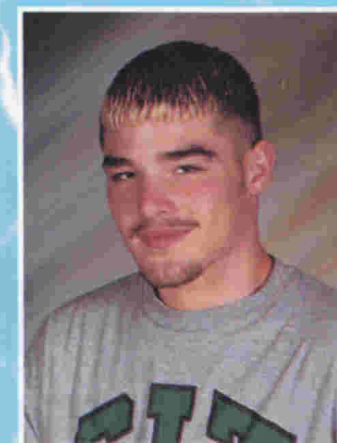
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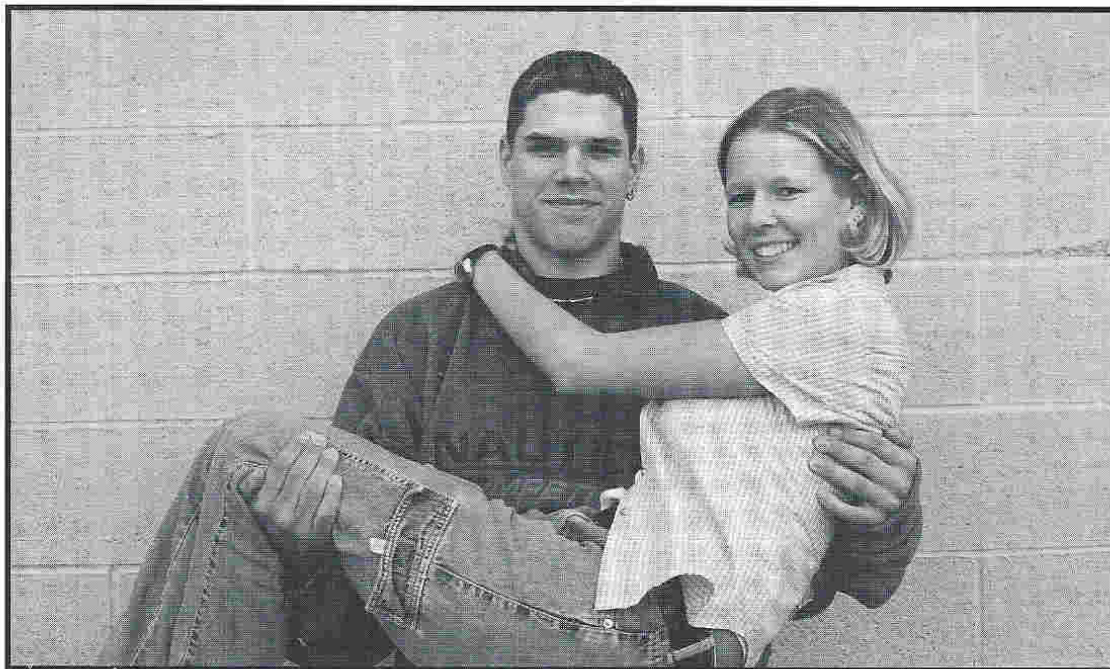
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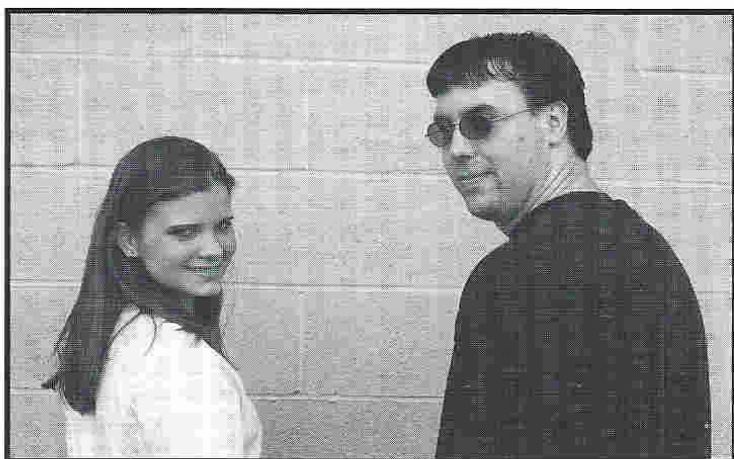


Biggest Hirts

Erin Skulina

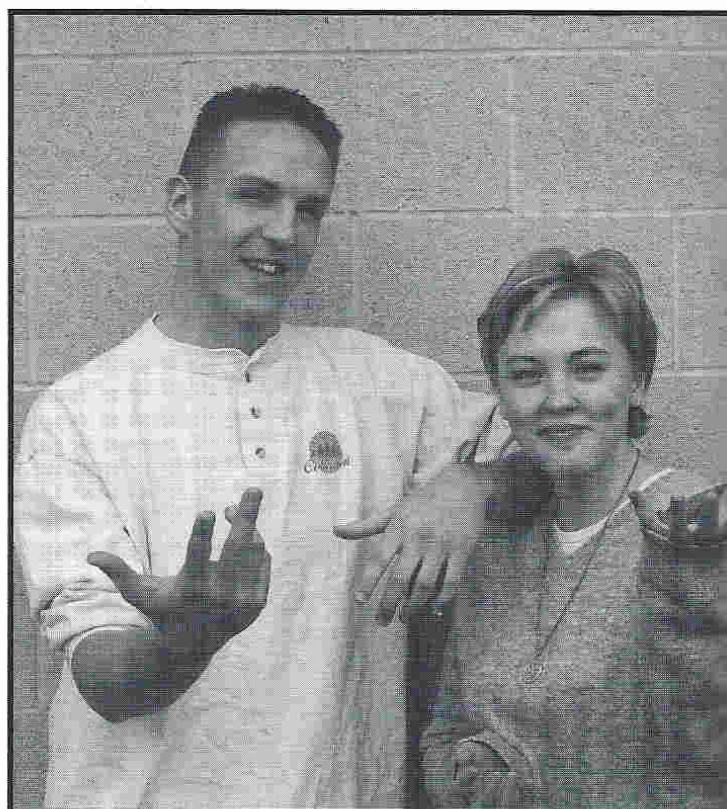
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Jason Whitelock



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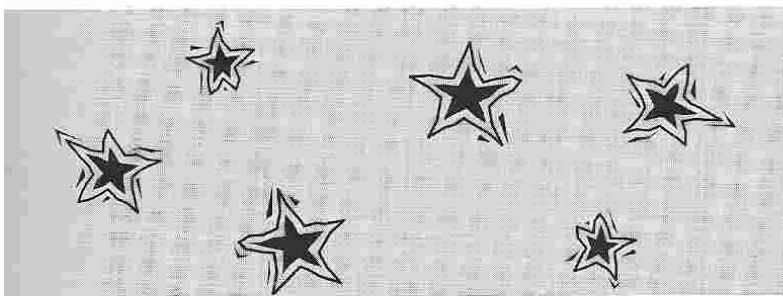
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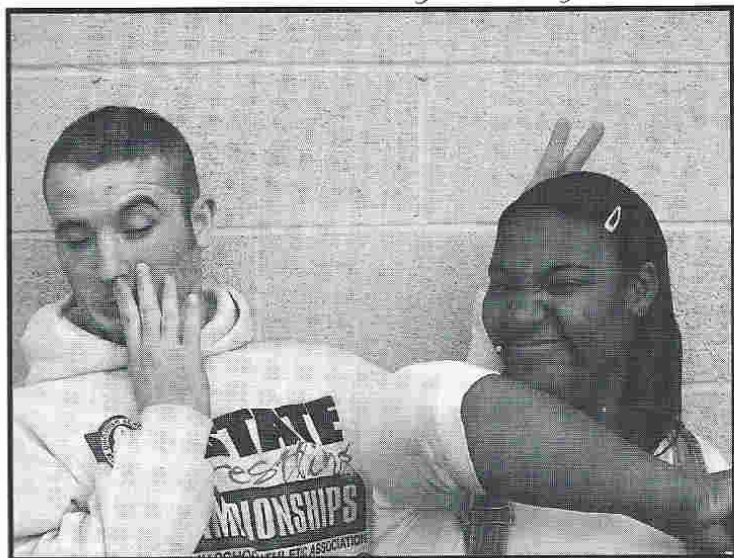
Most Talented

Stephanie Wells & Matthew Fredmonsky

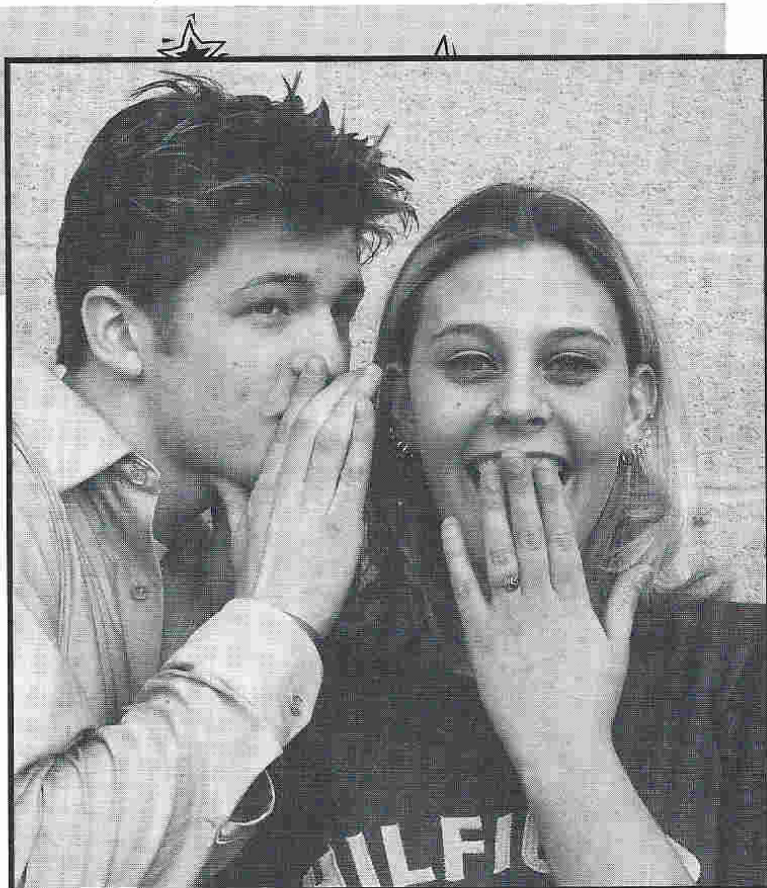




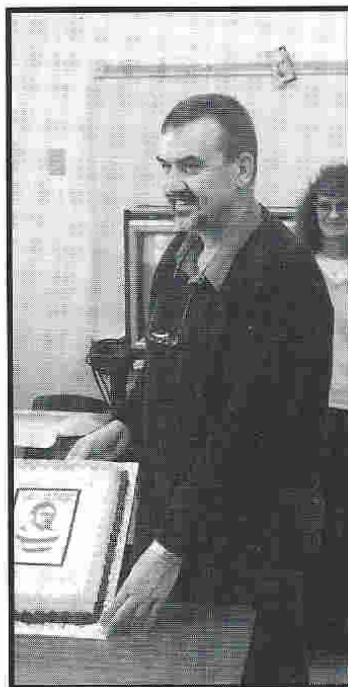
Class Clowns
Bisa Harris & Wayne Weingart



Best Dressed
Michele Dillie & Seth Tipton



Most Gullible
Kathleen Beck & Sean Horton



Favorite Teacher
Larry Marek



Favorite Teacher
Constance French





Nichole Dillie



Shauna Cstep



Victoria Fleck



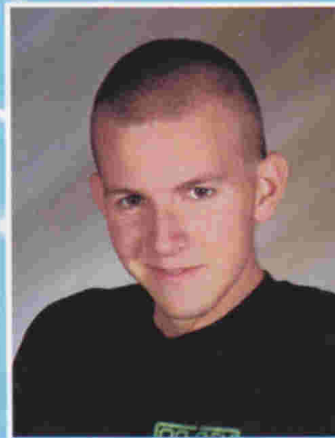
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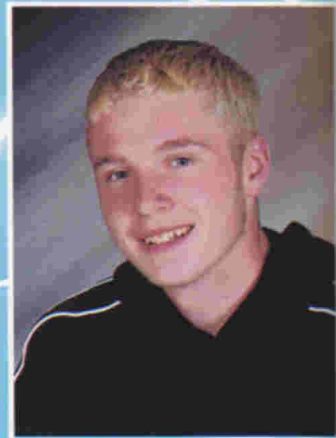
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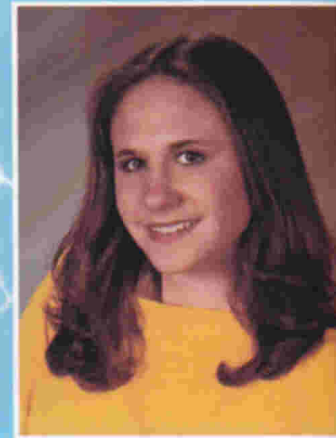
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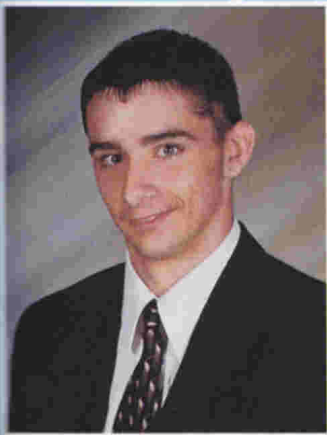
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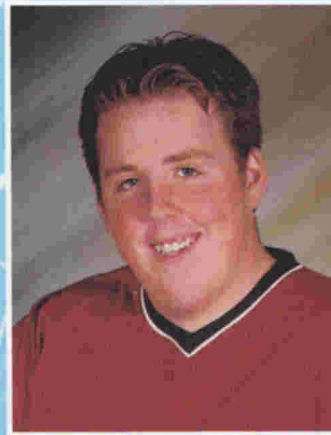
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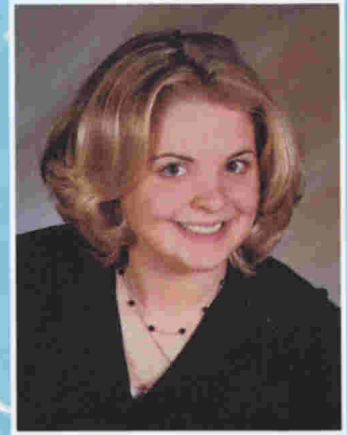
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Lisa Kelly



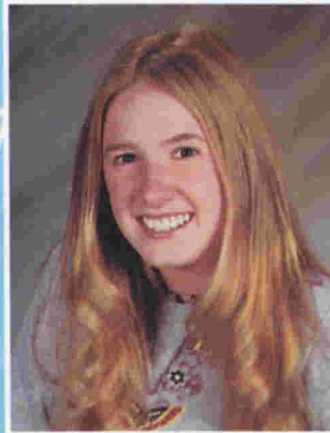
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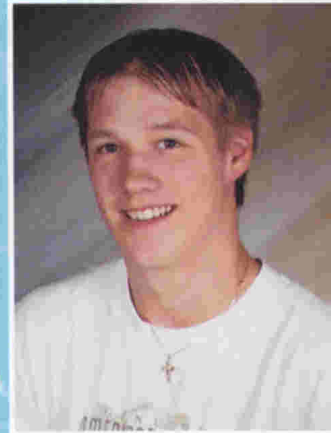
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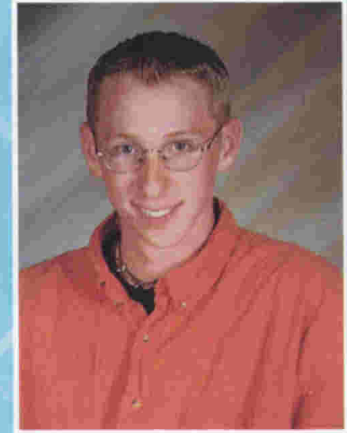
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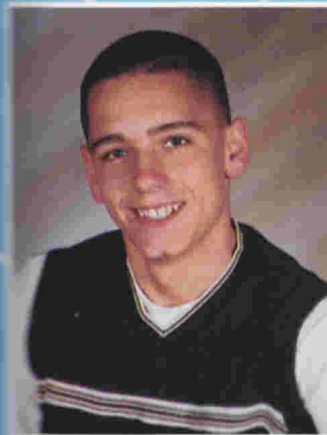
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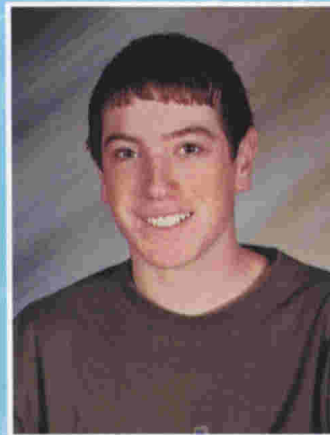
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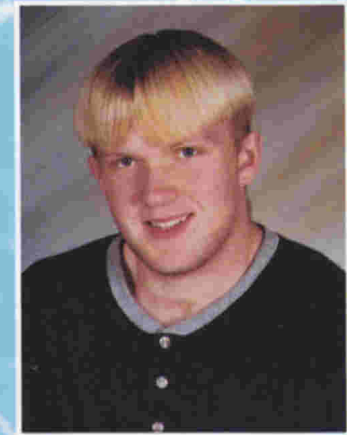
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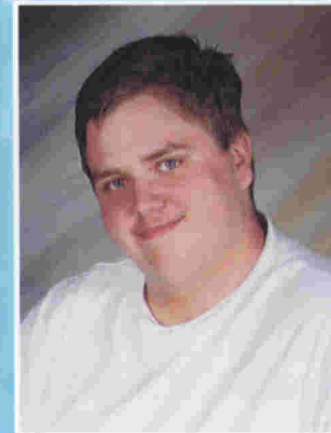
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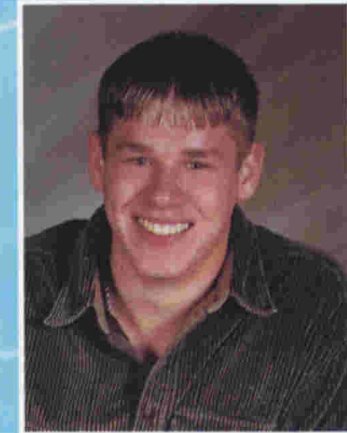
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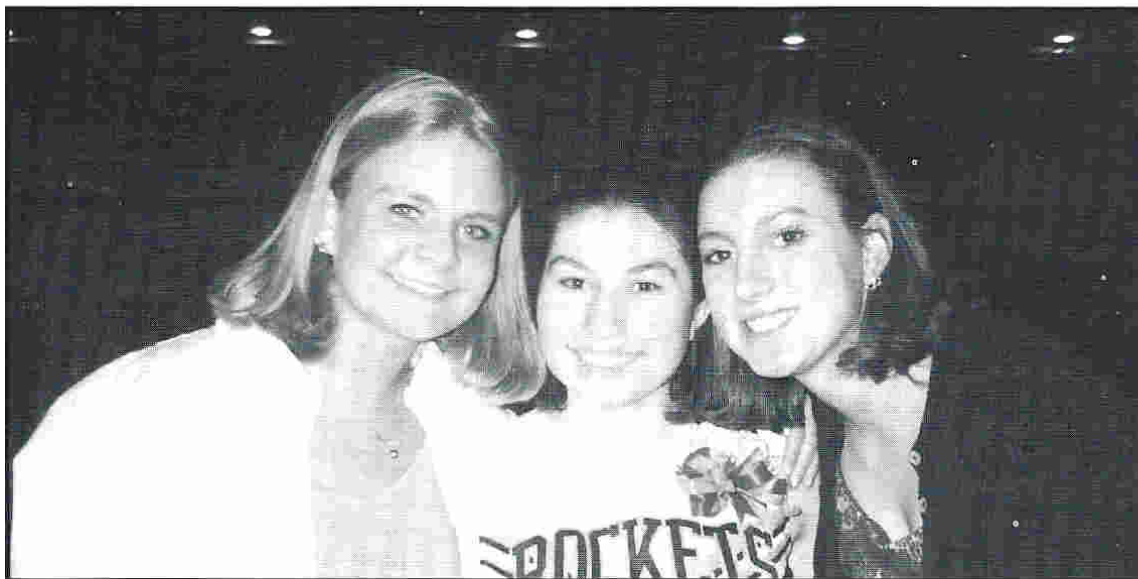
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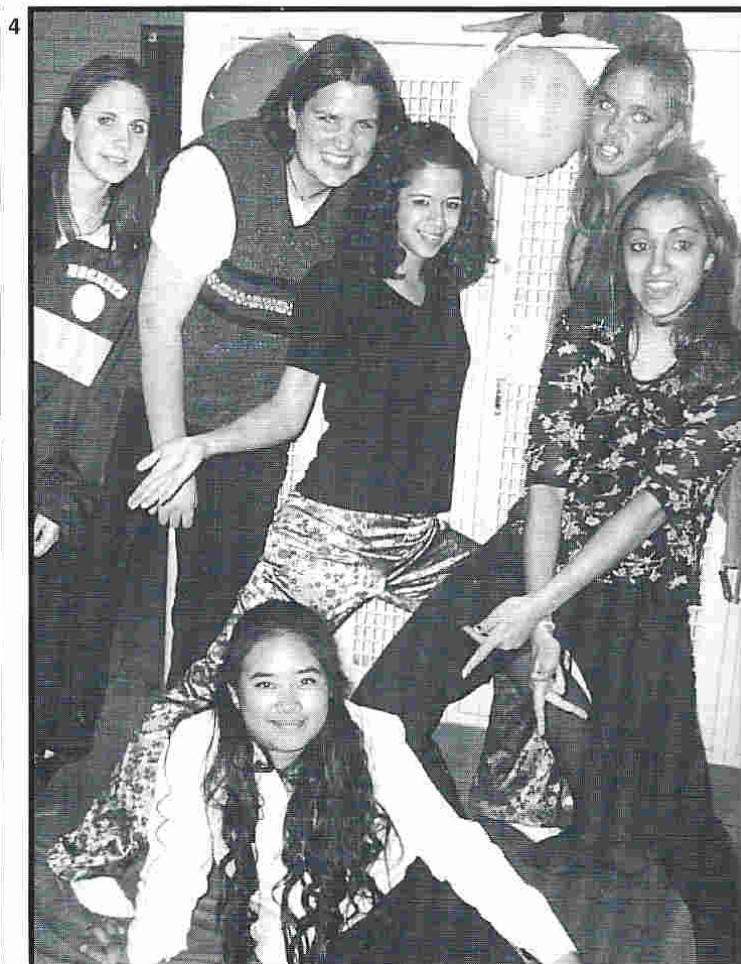
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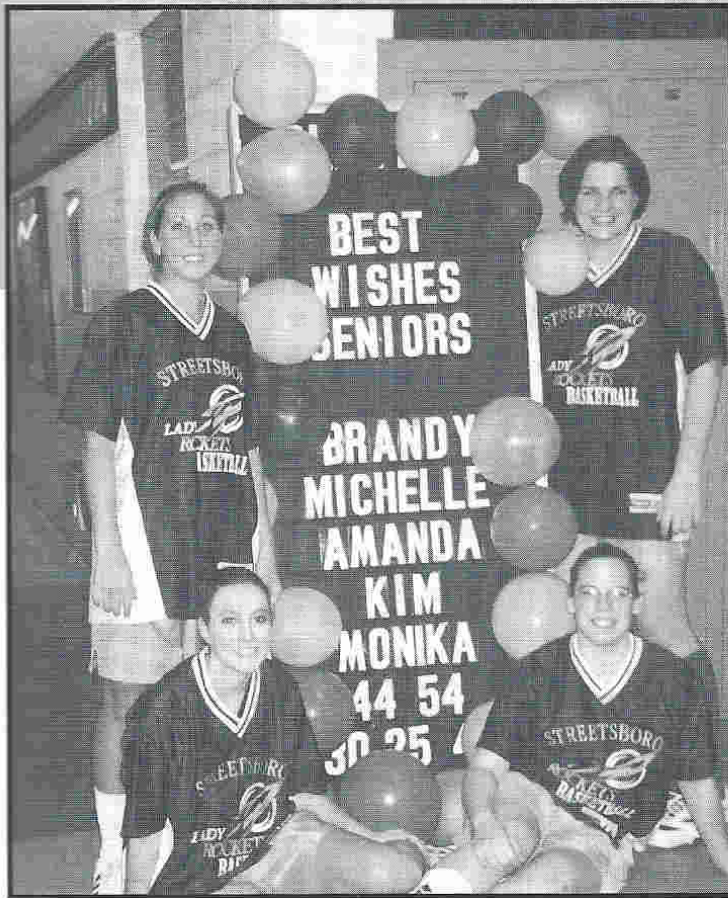
Jessie Mementowski, Rebecca Moors and Kimberly Schneider celebrate their last senior basketball night, (1).

At her final National Honors Society induction party is Amanda Weyant smiling away, (2).

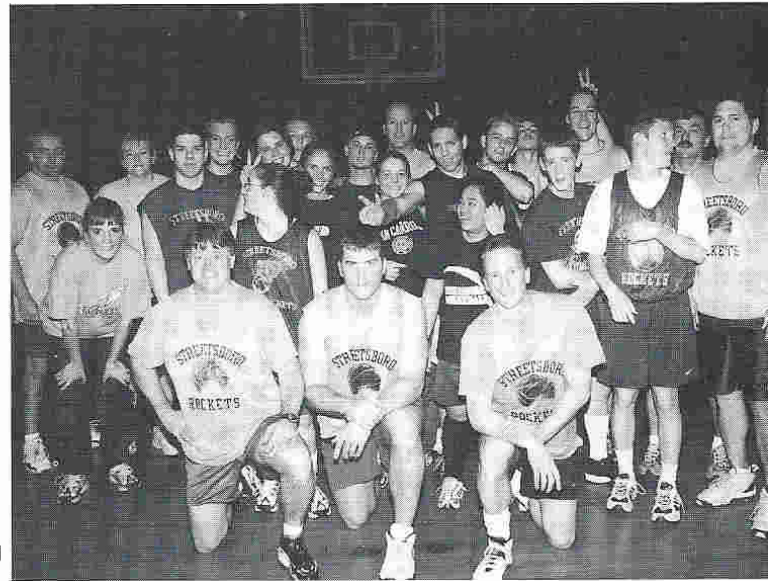
Marie Kaiser, Michelle Poston, Christine Sourek, Crystal Baus, Manjot Tukhar and Naomi Daradar end their volleyball season with many heart shaped memories, (3).

Dressed up for 80's day is Nickole Sauer and junior Jolene Hall, (4).





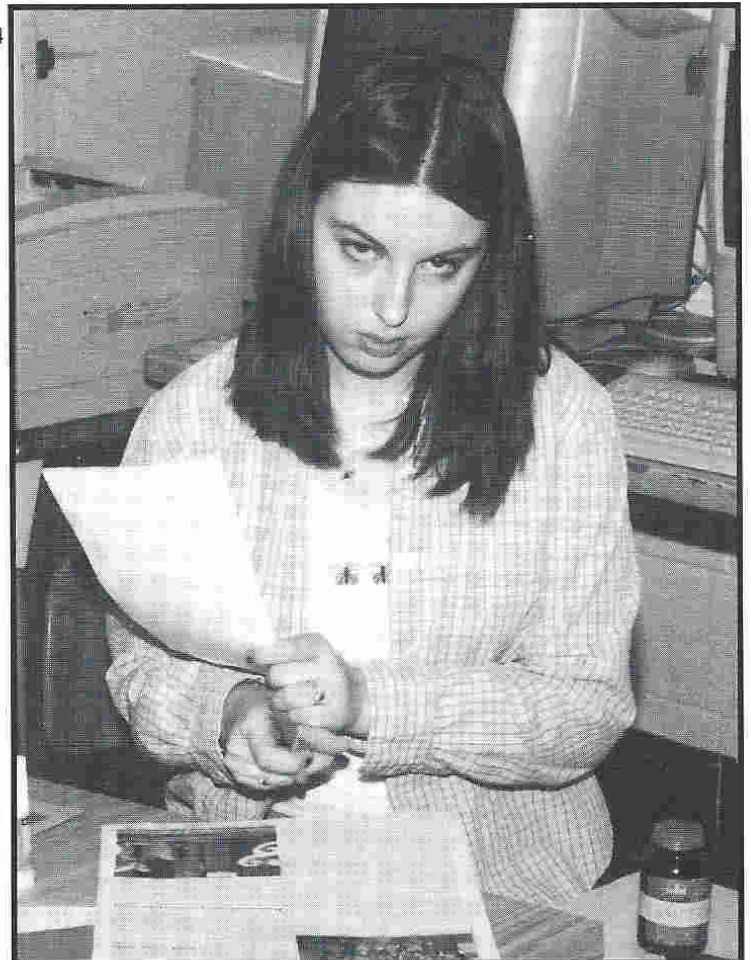
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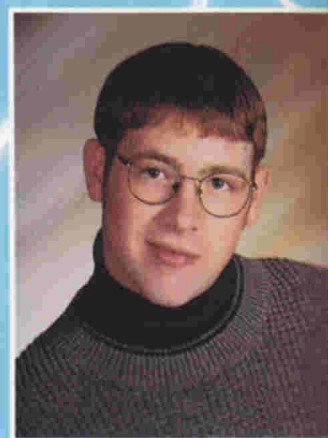
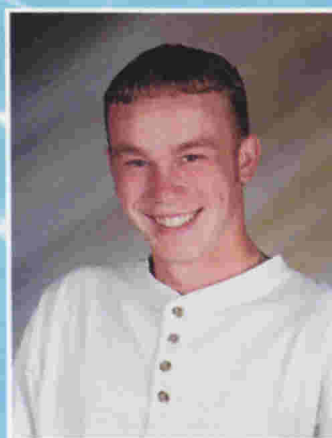
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Brandy Owen, Michelle Poston, Kimberly Schneider and Amanda Wyant pose for their last picture together before their final departure from the girls' basketball team, (1).

In the annual Senior-Teacher basketball game seniors, Jason Whitelock, Monica Bleck, Matthew Fredmonsky, Michelle Poston, Amanda Wyant, Crystal Baus, Eric Bora, Angela Kirtley, David Pastiva, Eric Bissler, Naomi Daradar, Timothy McVay, Steven Pavlick and Michael Vest, lost to the teachers, Robb Kidd, Christina Conti, Coni French, Ken Stoner, John Smith, Jerry Judd, Matt Featherstun, Tom Fesemyer and Rob Atwood by a score of 65-56, (2).

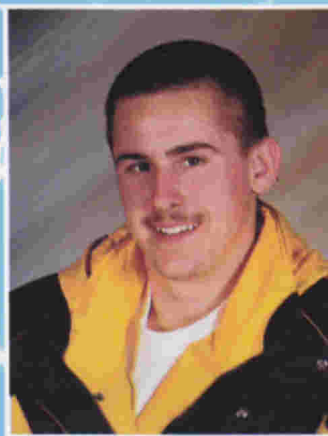
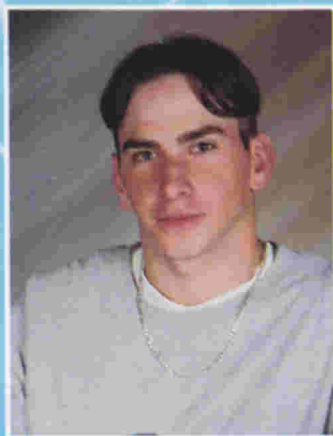
Sleeping off her busy schedule during class is Bisa Harris, (3).

Working on her newspaper project for journalism is Chandra Workman, (4).



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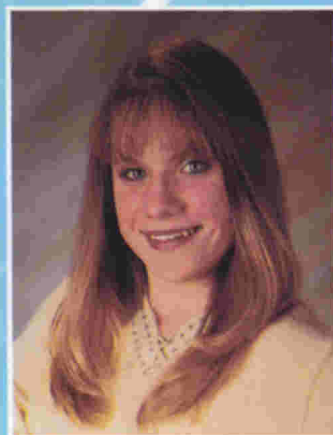


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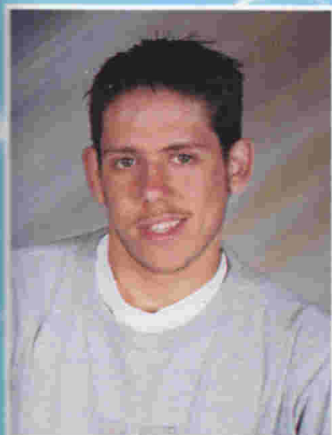


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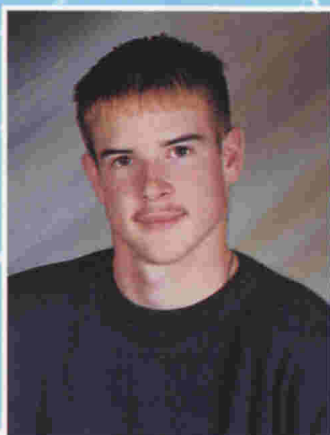
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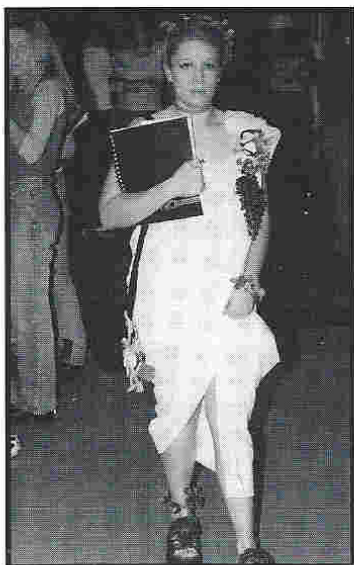
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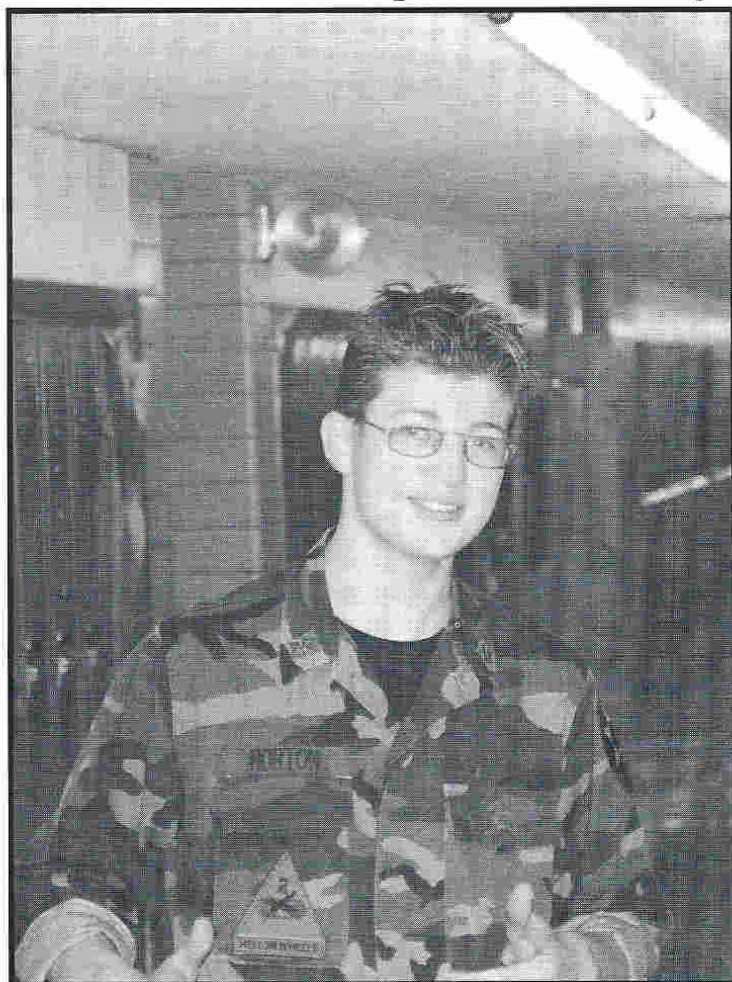


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A Beautiful End to a New Beginning

MILLENNIUM

Senior Liz Gracia shows off her toga on Thursday during spirit week back in September, (1).

Senior girls (first row) Traci Stavropoulos, Tracy Hayward, Danielle Johnson, Kimberly Schneider, Michele Dillie, (second row) Lindsey Hutton, Melissa George, Jessie Mementowski, Erin Skulina, Victoria Fleck, Rebecca Moors, (third row) Amy Smith, RoseAnn Denison, Crystal Baus, Christine Sourek, (fourth row) Angela Kirtley, Marie Kaiser and Manjot Tukhar get pumped before the Powder Puff football where juniors beat the seniors 8-6, (2).

Sean Horton gives two thumbs up to the seniors class of 2000, (3).

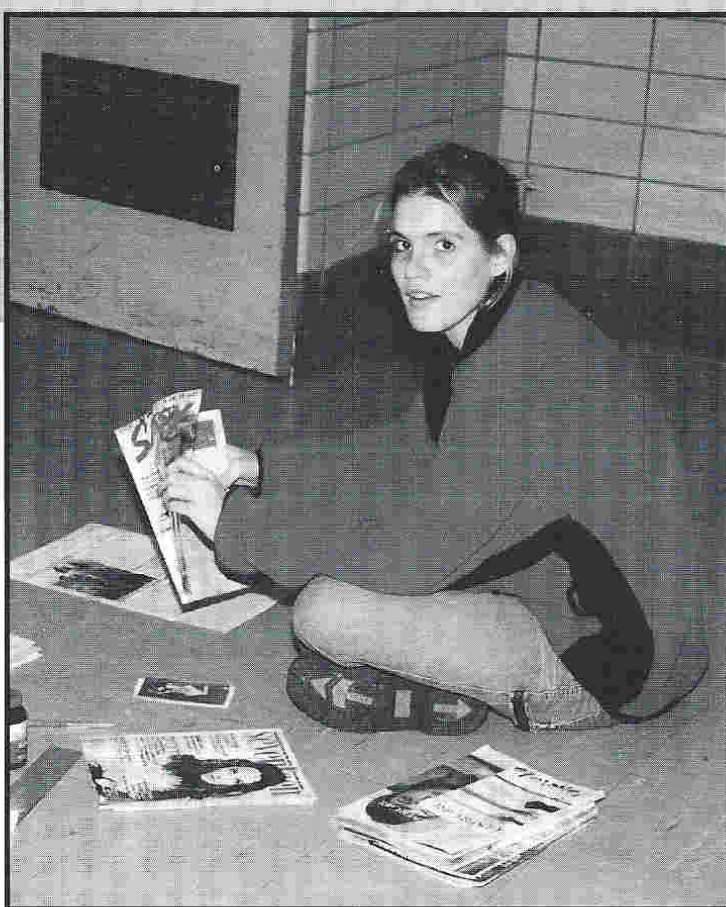
Every underclassmen knows not to dare step into Senior Territory during the hall decorating contest for spirit week. Seniors took the competition, making their last year the most memorable year ever, (4).



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A Beautiful End to a New Beginning **MILLENNIUM**

Christine Sourek and Lisa Kelly take a break from Spanish class to quench their thirst, (1).

Cristin Reardon is busy getting her magazine done by deadline, (2).

Michelle Poston and Monica Bleck cheer with the crowd at a spirit assembly, (3).

Katie Stutzman designs background for the Jog class Christmas fundraiser, (4).

Shawna Estep sits at her desk waiting for her class to start, (5).



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Amy Smith



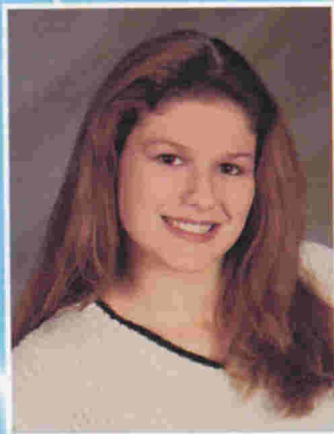
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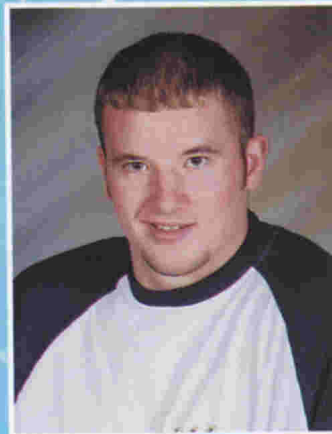
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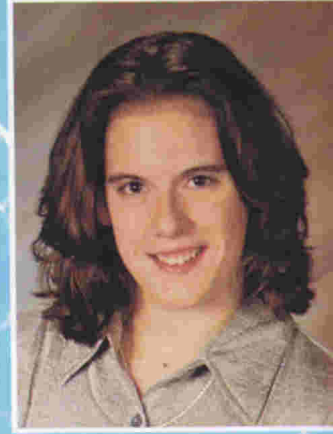
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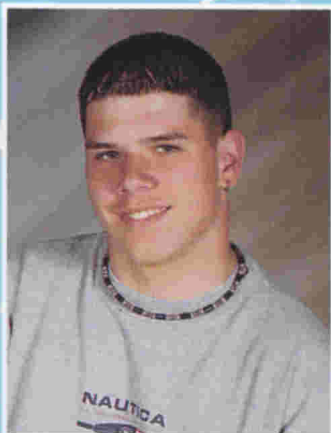
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Stephanie Wells



Amanda Weyant



Jason Whitelock



Rebecca Wulff



Chandra Workman



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"If we don't create the future, then no one else will." Jason Strong

"Don't go to dances intoxicated." Seth Tipton

"Hakuna Matata." Katie Beck

"Be yourself, quit trying to be like everyone else." Mike Calori

"Look forward to the future without forgetting the past." Roseann Denison

"You get what you give, but you can only give what you got." Linda Bates

"I'm the coolest guy in the school, so get to know me while you can." Jason Whitelock

"Never tell your friends if you think a teacher is hot!" Angie Kirtley

"Don't be sad because it's over, but smile because it happened." Sarah Dodds

"Take to the future a little of the past." Amy Smith

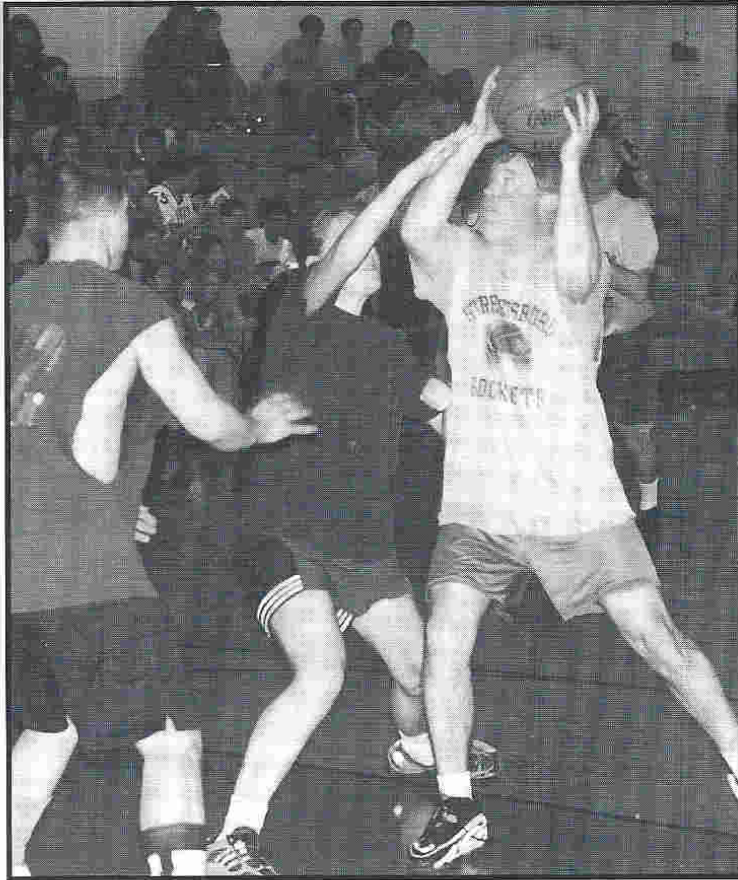


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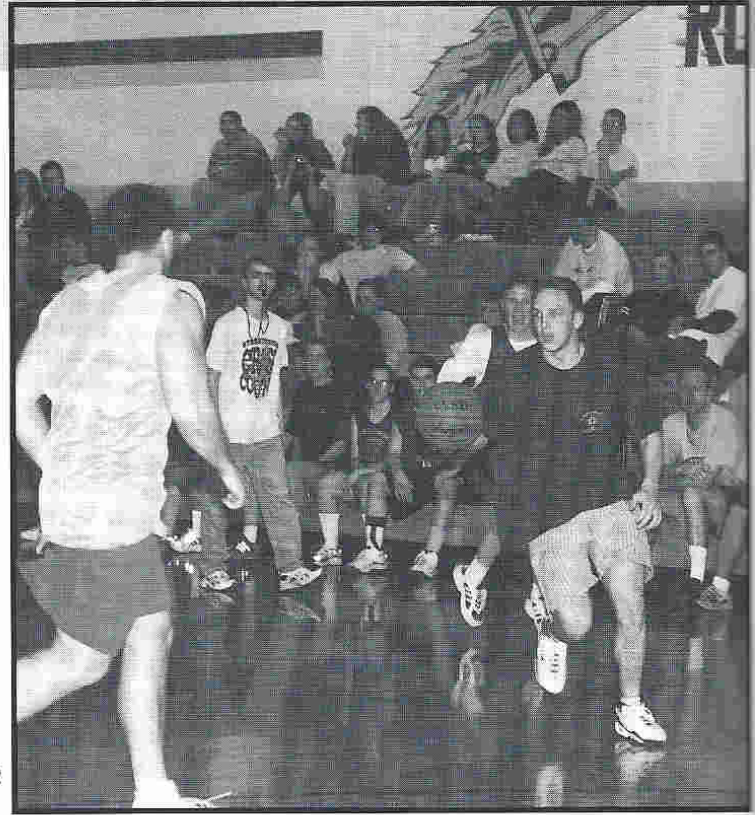
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MILLENNIUM

Seniors Jason Whitelock and Monika Bleck try stealing the ball from Mr. Ken Stoner, (1).

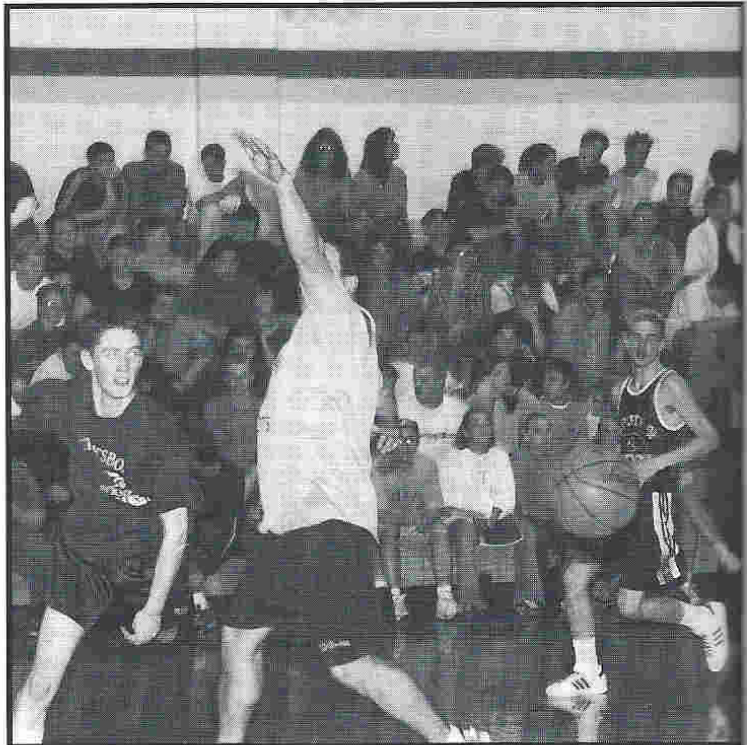
Senior Matt Fredmonsky prepares to try and dribble the ball past Mr. John Smith, (2).

Senior Naomi Daradar gets a chance at scoring as Mr. Tom Fesemyer looks on, (3).

Senior Tim McVay prepares to catch a pass, while Mr. Tom Fesemyer gets ready to block, (4).



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senior auction

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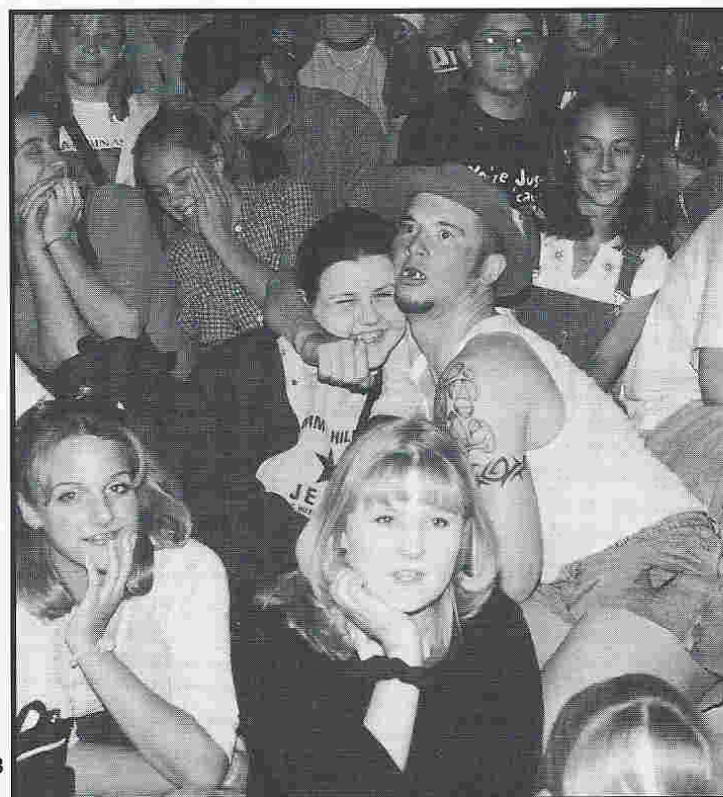


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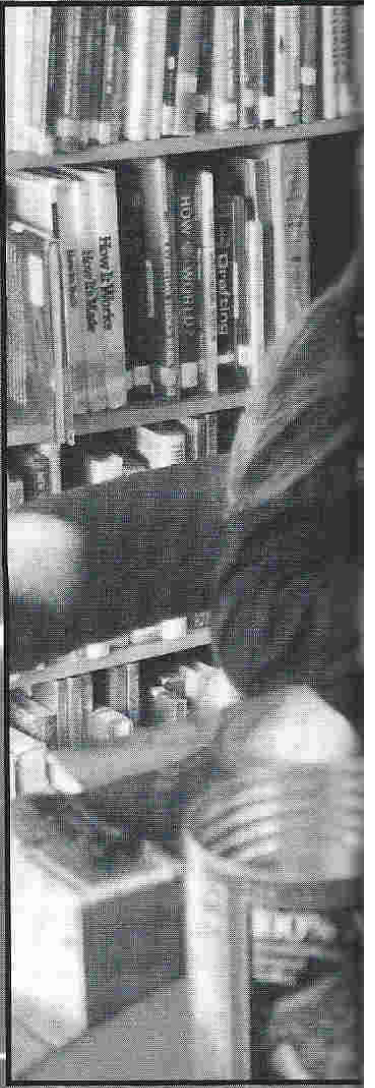
A Beautiful End to a New Beginning **MILLENNIUM**

Slaves Jessie Mementowski, Dave Pastiva and Crystal Baus sit with their masters, (1).

Hillbilly Jason Whitelock and Sugar daddy Eric Bora prepare to be enslaved by the faculty, (2).

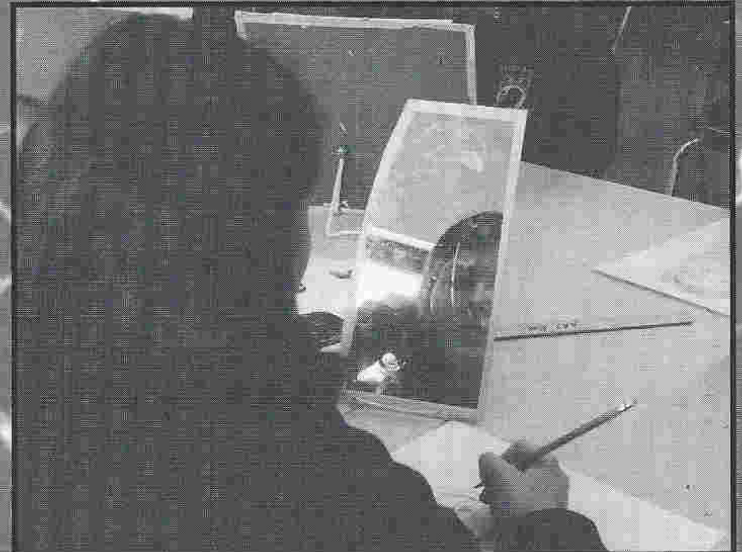
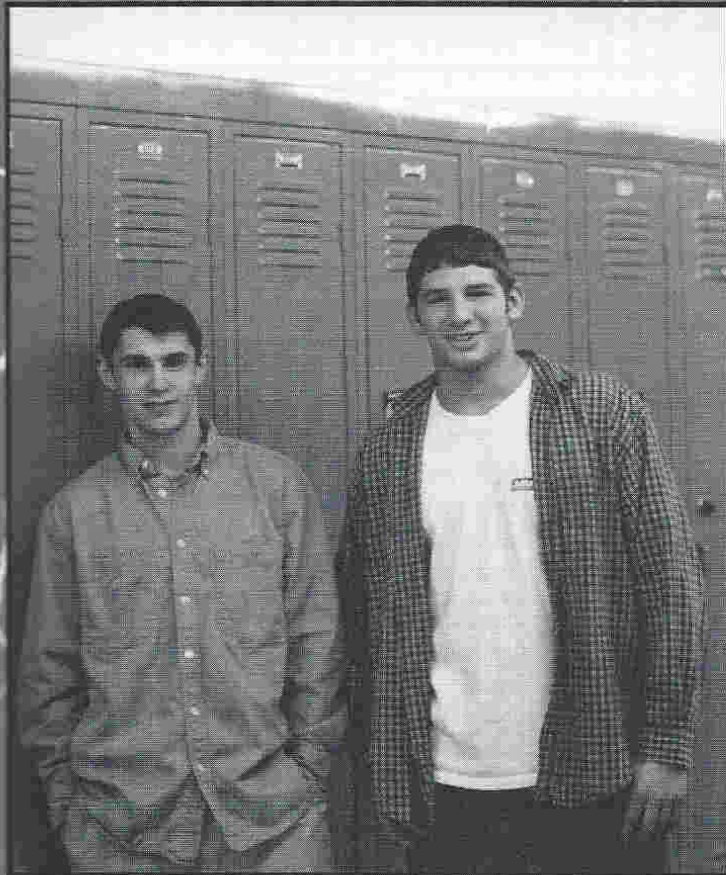
Wayne Weingart gets into the spirit of being bought, (3).

The brave seniors preparing to be sold, (4).

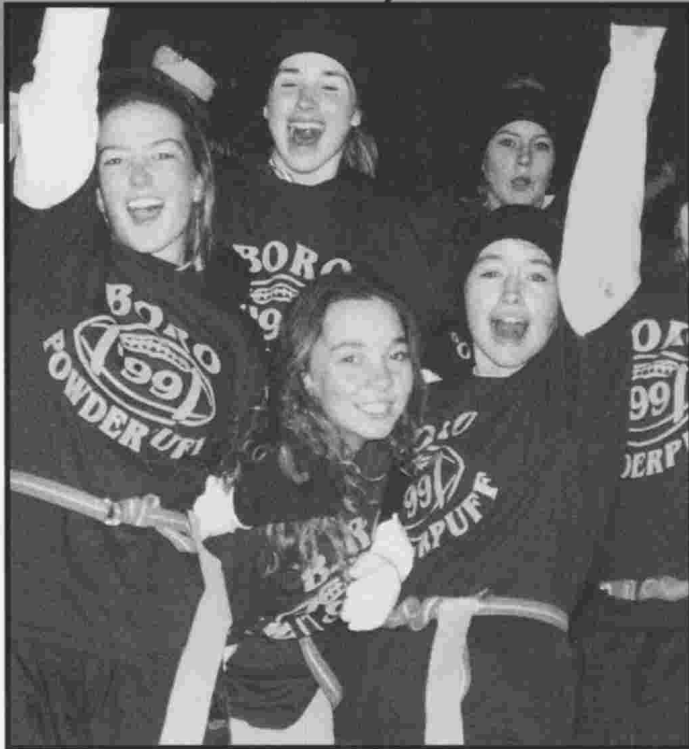


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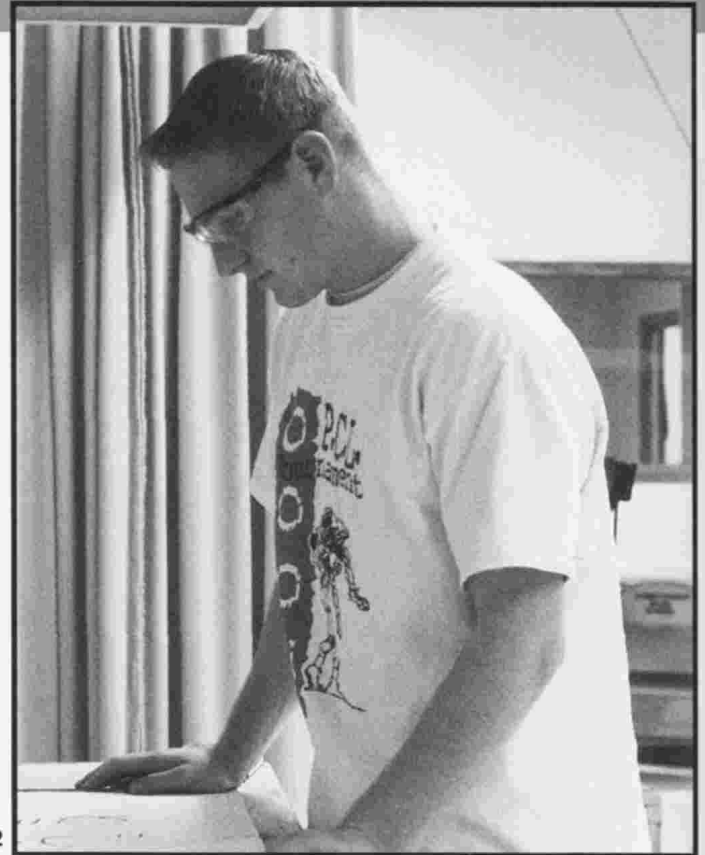
Juniors



Class of 2001 *juniors*



In celebration of their victory, junior Powder Puff members show their enthusiasm after defeating the seniors in the annual game held in November after the fall football season is over, (1).



Taking a break from Mr. Fesemyer's woodshop class, Scott Chappell develops a plan for his next project, (2).

Crystal Adams
Daniel Alexander
Amanda Awin
Brian Baker
Kattie Barnhart
Daniel Baus
Rachel Beale



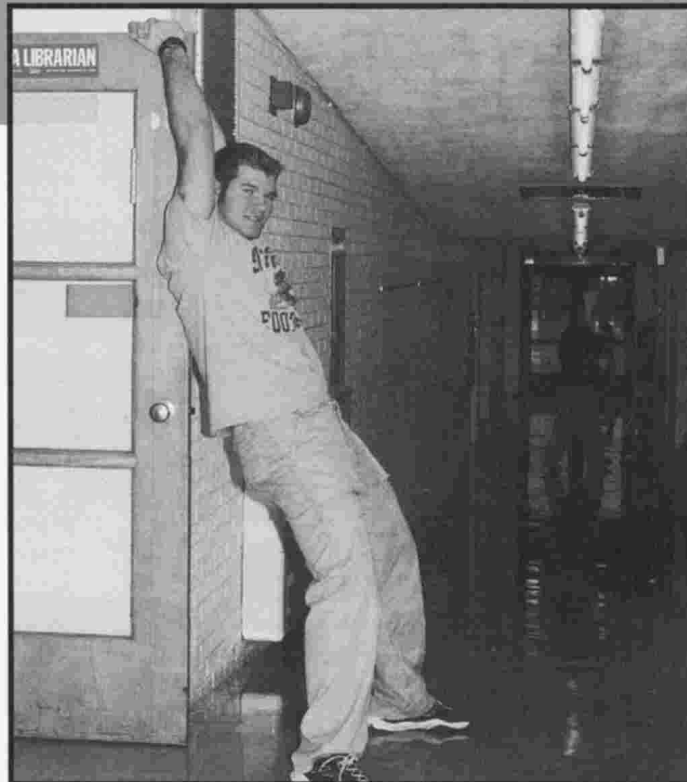
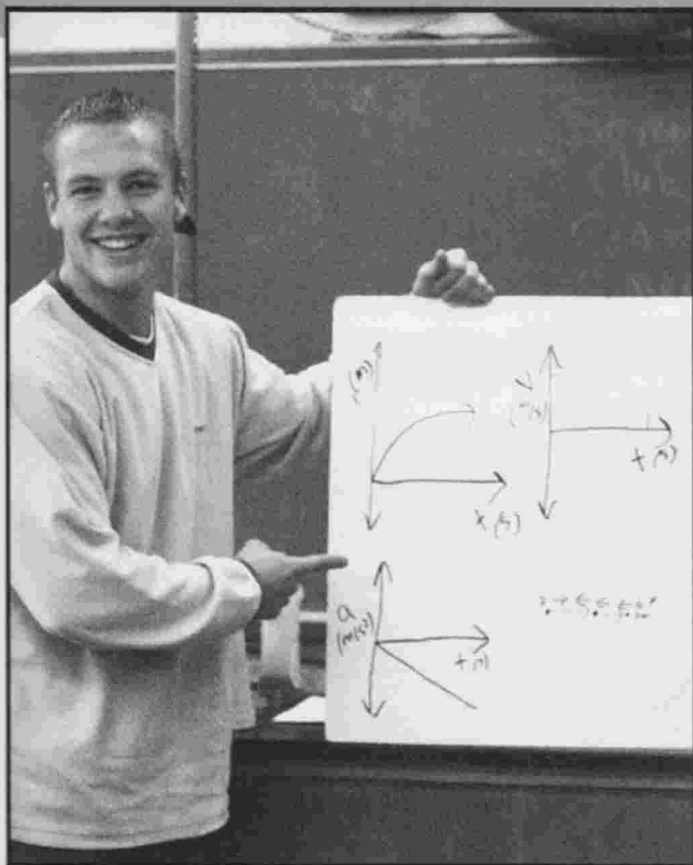
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Connie Bogucki
Megan Bourque
Michael Broska
April Buchkoski



Christina Buehner
Amy Busser
Kerrin Carr
Scott Chappell
Canaan Christ
Michael Cobb
Mandy Cortnik



Class of 2001 *juniors*



4

Paul Veverka expresses his love for the library, (4).

Dan Baus smiles for the camera as he shows off his chemistry skills to Mr. Easter and the rest of the class, (3).

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Gretl Cowling
Stephanie Cristou
Michael Cushman
Kari Earle
Amanda Ebling
Jeff Folan

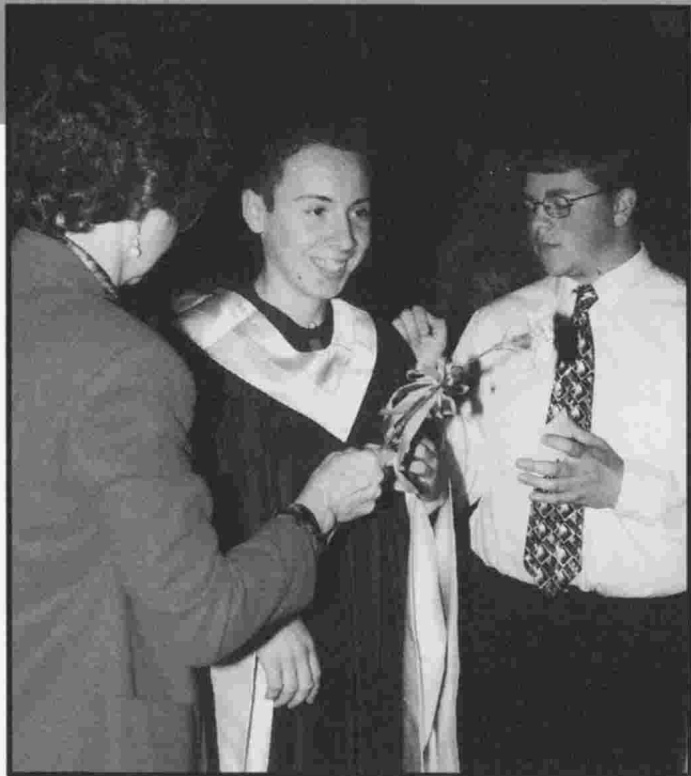


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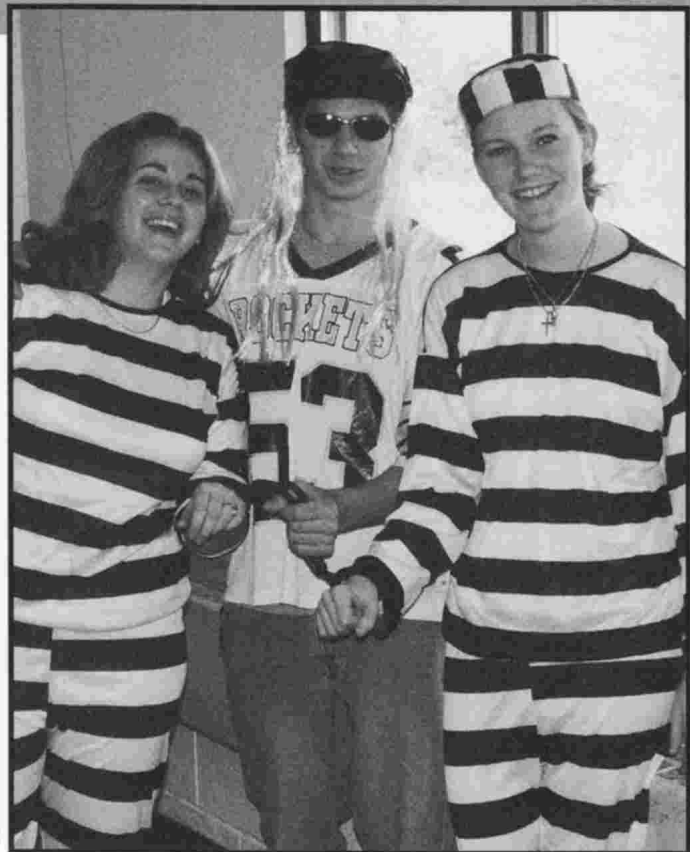
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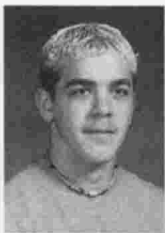


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Congratulated by guidance counselor Mrs. Roberts and Joseph Lanham, Ryan Friend is accepted into Streetsboro High's National Honor Society, (1).

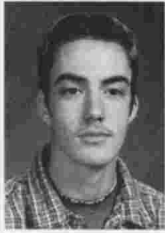
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Getting in the October halloween spirit, Biker Mike Cushman is accompanied by dangerous escaped prisoners Ashlee Turner and Traci Vorell, (2).



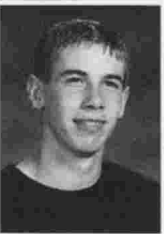
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Melissa Kramer
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Nichole Lanham



Thomas Lester
Bradley Lintz
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Jennifer Mac Dowell
Candace Manijak
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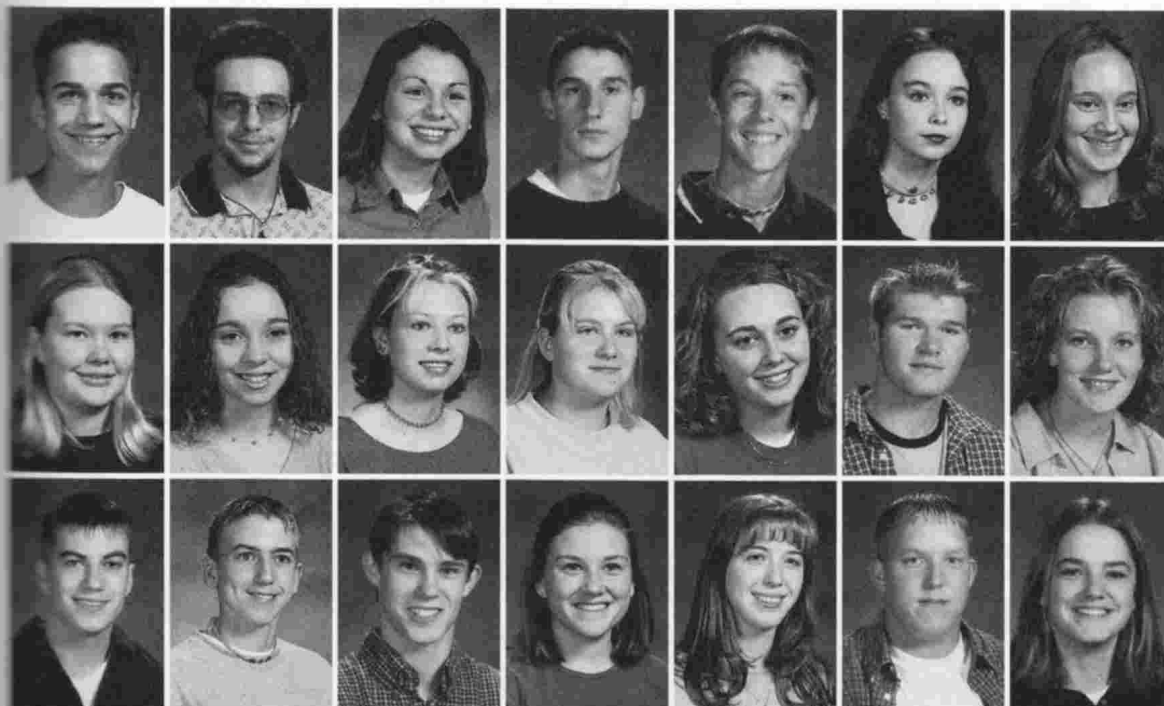


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4
Showing off her artistic talent in Mr. Yeager's art class, Mischele Seng shows intense concentration as she paints another masterpiece for the art room, (3).

Another junior who showed her halloween spirit this year was fairy princess, Heather Richardson, who goes over her homework in Mr. Stoner's geometry class, (4).



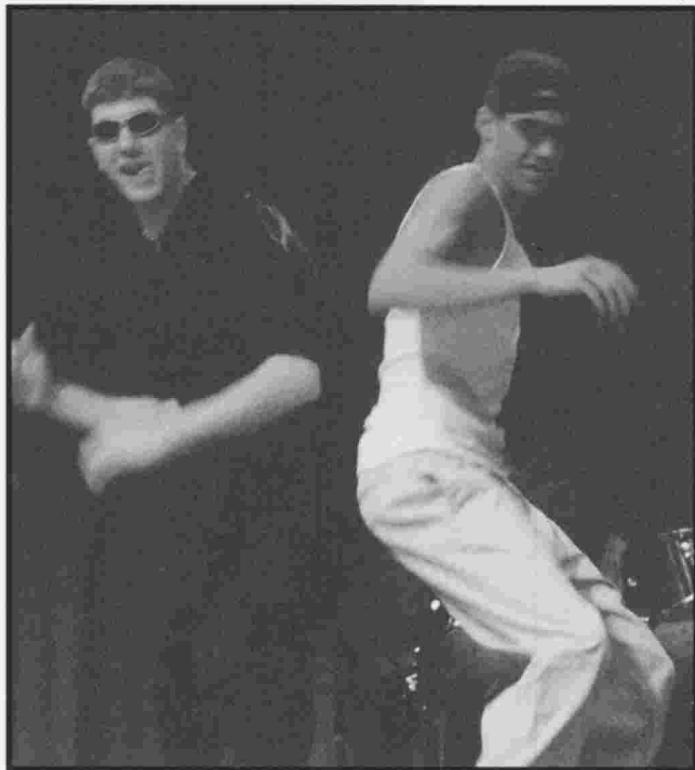
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Heather Richardson
Jason Sabol
Russell Schaeffer
Mischele Seng
Tammy Sos

Lisa Stoughton
Allison Strauss
Lindsey Swift
Alicia Thomas
Ashlee Turner
Paul Veverka
Traci Vorell

Russell Wagner
Michael Walker
Keith Ward
Cameron Watson
Kristyn Wegman
Matthew Williams
Melissa Withers

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Jason Polak and Canaan Christ humor the crowd with their performance in the Talent Show, (1).



Allison Strauss recreates the image of Dr. Seuss' "The Cat in the Hat" for Halloween, (2).

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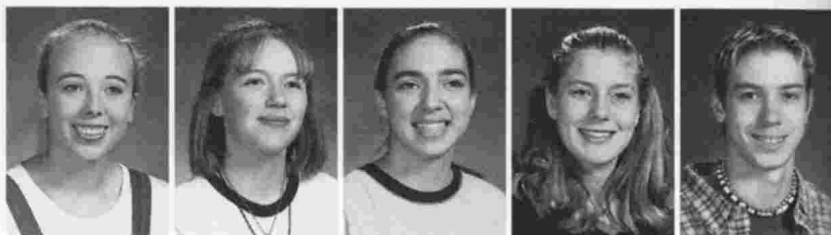
The holidays this year were celebrated with zest by the students and faculty of SHS.

Jolene Hall, Amy Busser, Amanda McMichael and Melissa Kramer pose as elves in light of their Christmas spirit, (3).

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Melinda Workman
Kimberly Yanovich
Michelle Yusko
Jayme Zeigler
Jason Zimmerman



juniors



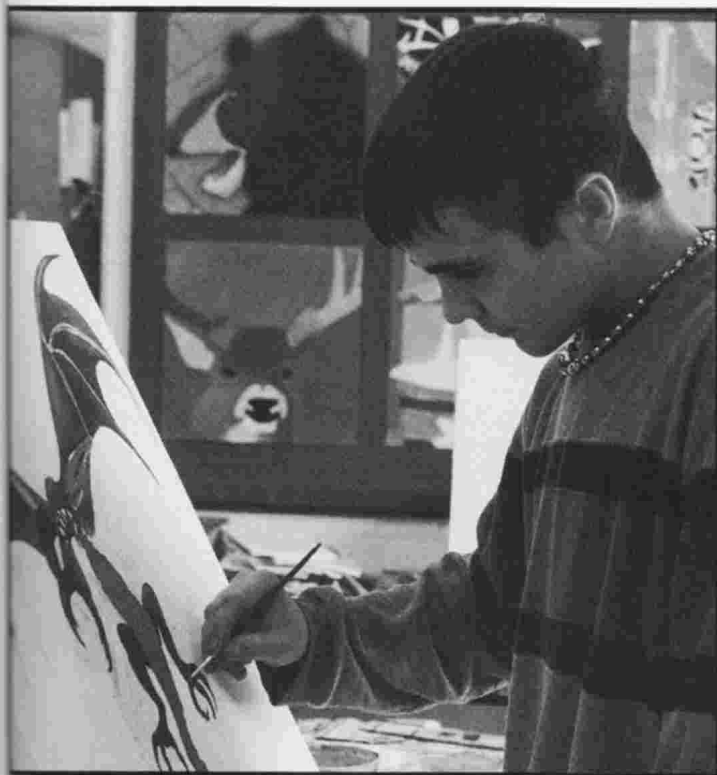
Vampire of the night, Melina Plecha, lurks around the deserted halls of Streetsboro High, (4).

Flaunting their affection for each other, juniors Mike Jones, Jon Ogden and Russ Wagner gather in the halls for a picture, (5).

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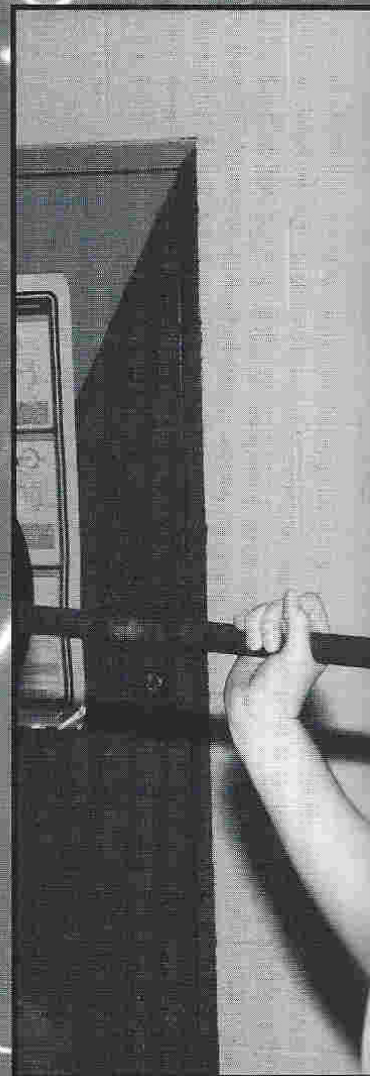
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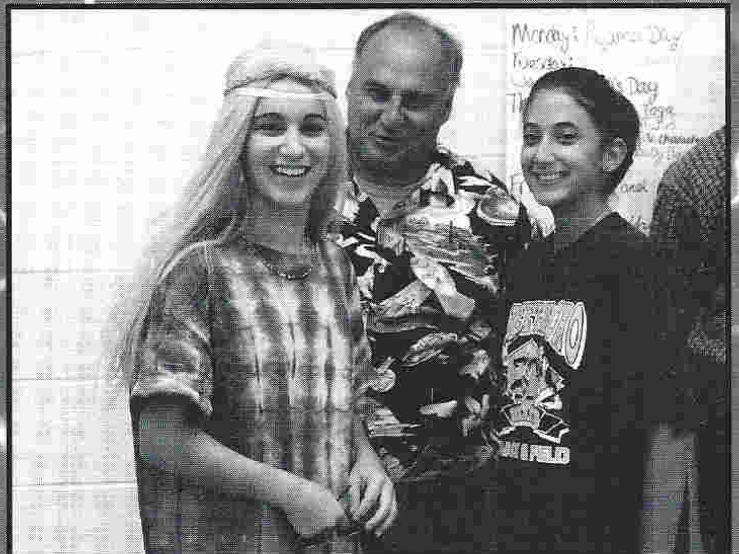
The National Honor Society's newest members, Melissa Blazek, Jenica Grafton, Cameron Watson, Gretl Cowling, Megan Bourque and Kristyn Wegman celebrate their induction with smiles all around, (7).

Danny Alexander patiently sketches his interpretation of a dragon, (6).



2004

Sophomores



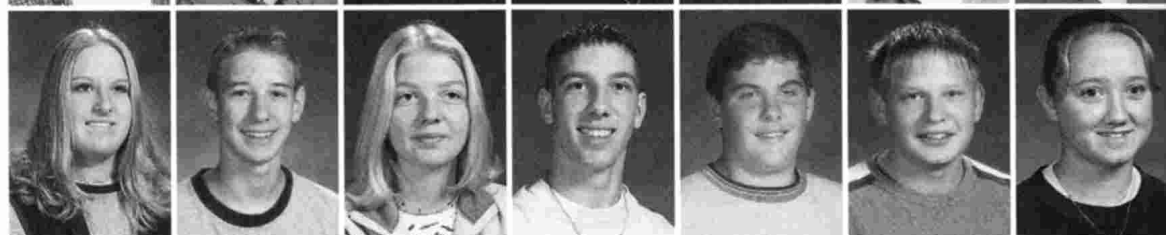
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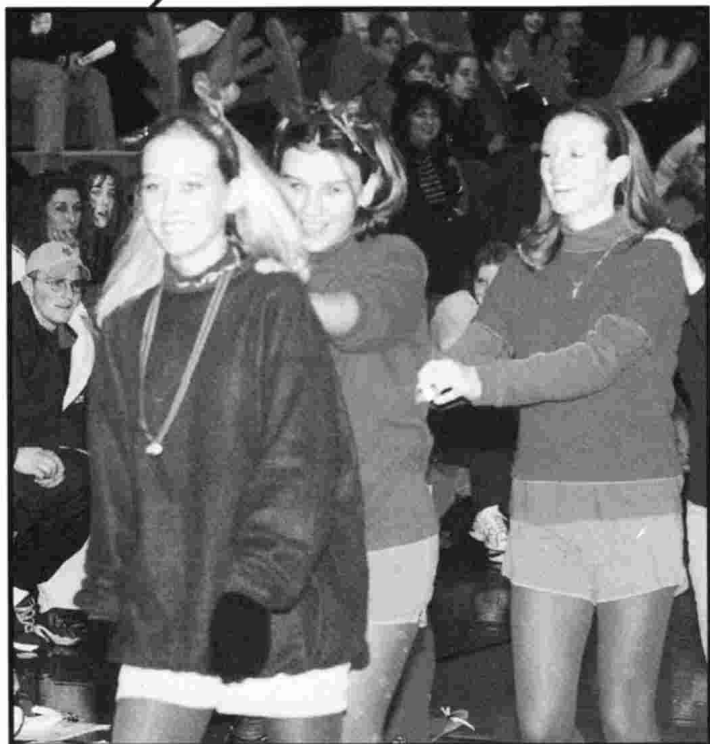
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Kurt Berry
Joshua Bleiweiss
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Tara Christian



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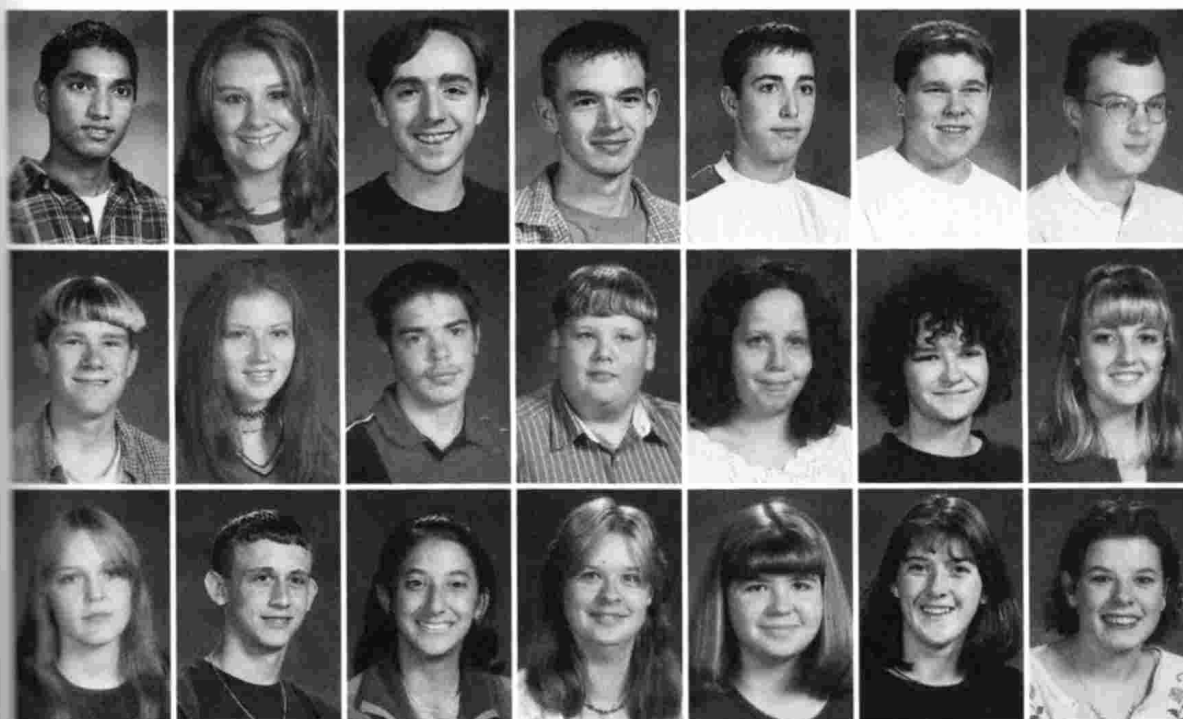
Parading around the gym in their reindeer costumes are Lexie Beck, Brandi Claar and Tiffiny Reneau, (1).

Celebrating her birthday at a SHS pep rally is Tara Christian, (2).



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Vijay Christian
Brandi Claar
Joshua Cobb
Mark Crawford
Mark Creque
Sean Cunningham
Bradley Cupp

Brandon Davis
April Dolovacky
David Earls
Regis Faivre
Kelly Fiebig
Julie Fraedrich
Heather Friede

Mary Genter
Christopher Godley
Erica Graci
Lucy Hanlin
Tanya Harkcom
Halle Hartung
Stephanie Henderson

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Demonstrating the perfect push-up for his gym class is Matthew Benci, (3).

Glancing away for a moment, Amber Kendall practices her cooking skills with freshman Kyan Yates, (4).

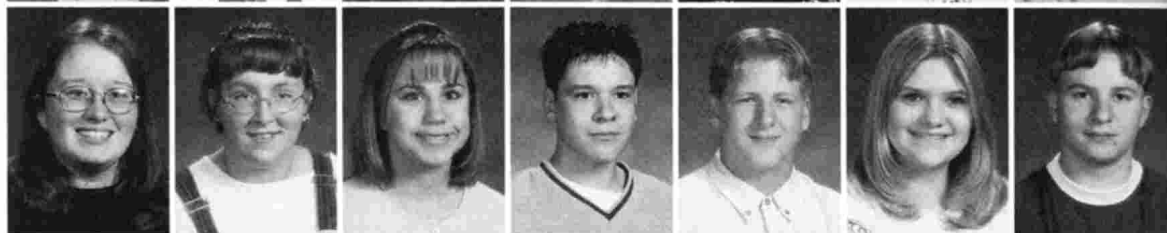
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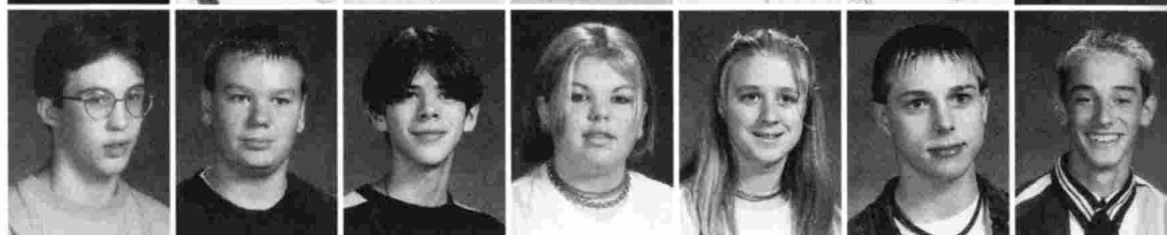
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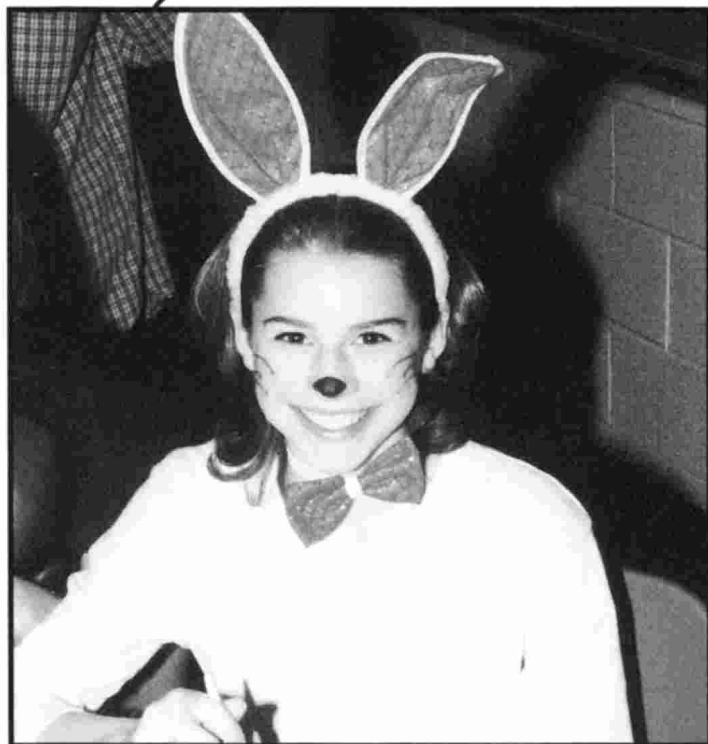
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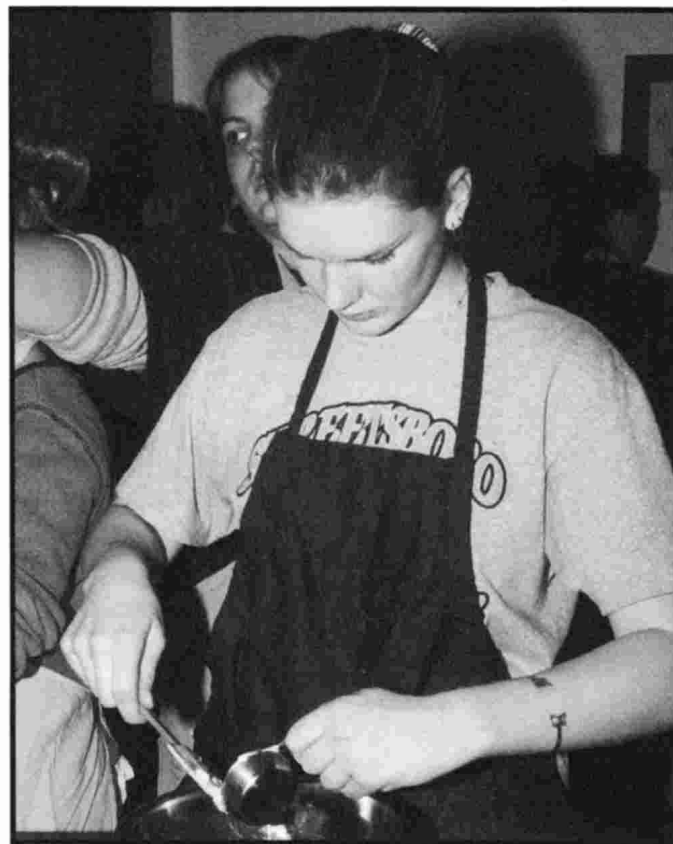


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Munching on her lettuce is rabbit look alike Cristy Lintz. Cristy, like many other students, showed off her halloween spirit, (1).

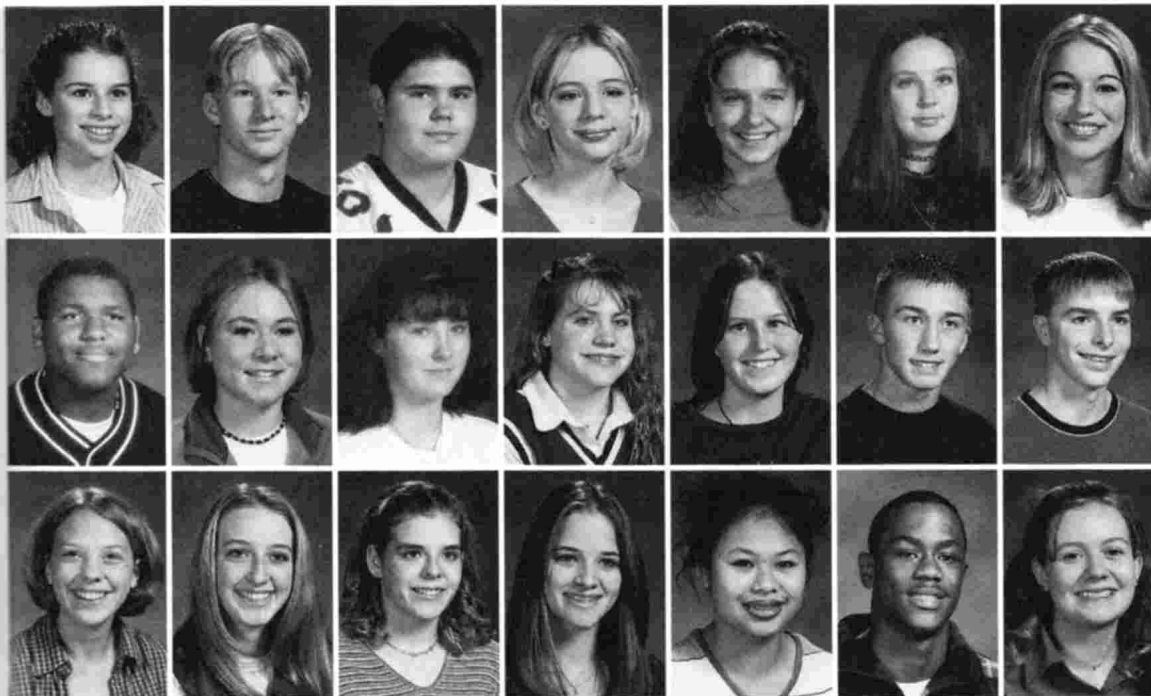
Practicing her cooking skills is Heather Bora. Students often learn how to cook in one of the many classes taught by Mrs. Gentner, (2).



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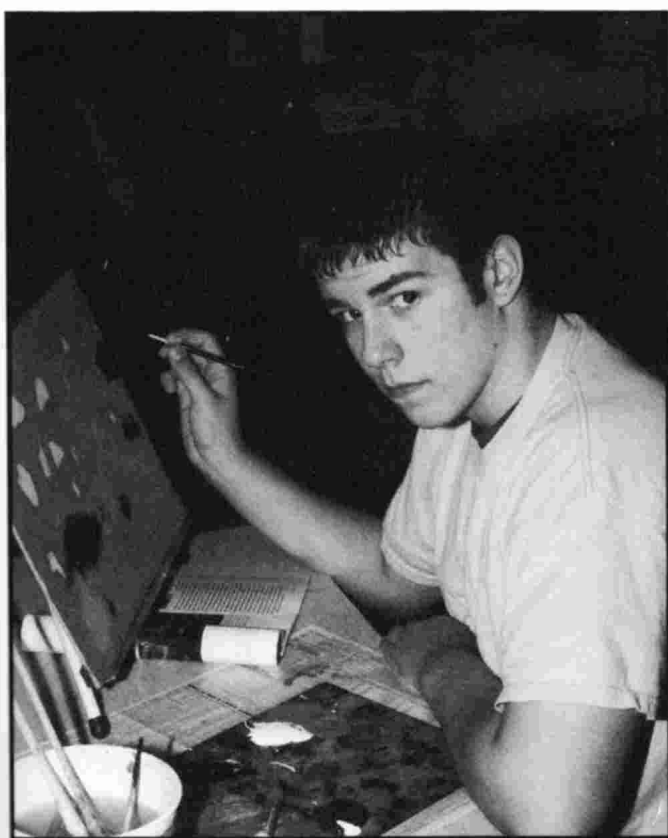


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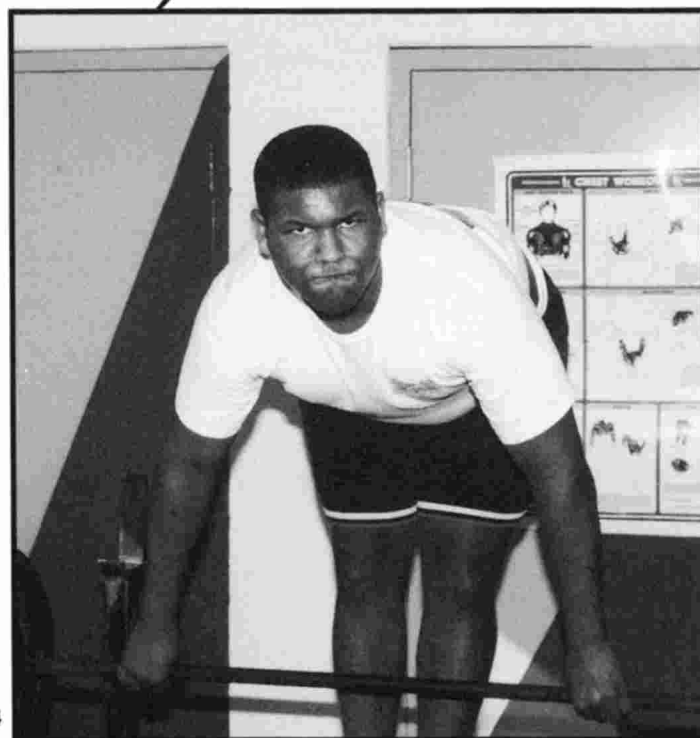
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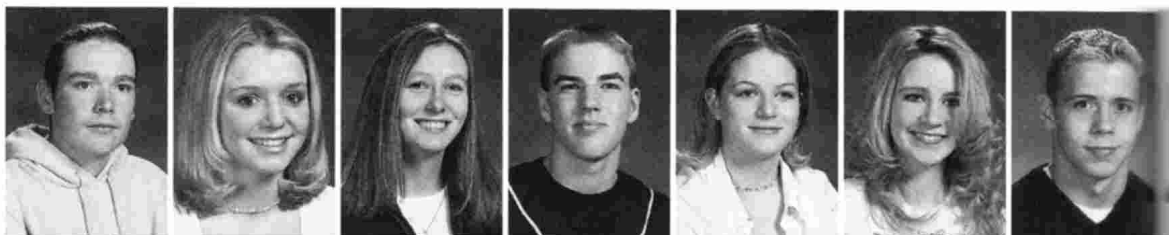
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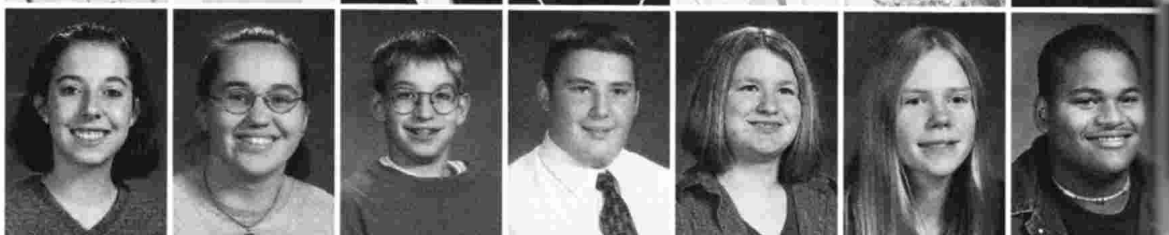
Painting a scenery of the mountains is Vincent Yost. Vincent is so studious, that he does not want to be bothered with the camera, (3).

Struggling to be a macho man, Daniel Means shows his stuff in the weight room, (4).

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Amanda Rader
Tiffany Reneau
David Ridgeway
Ashley Rogers
Cynthia Rogers
Bruce Rosser



Miranda Ryman
Jennifer Sanders
Nicholas Schuster
Charlie Shepper
Amanda Skelley
Emilee Smith
Jamil Smith



Katie Sonner
Sean Speck
Natalie Stebner
Stephanie
Steinheiser
James Stewart
Laura Stuart
Craig Syvertsen



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Dressing up as a witch, is Laura Stuart. Her evil glare gave the final touch to her costume, (1).

Holding on to her fluffy friend, is sleepy Cynthia Rogers, on Pajama Day, (2).



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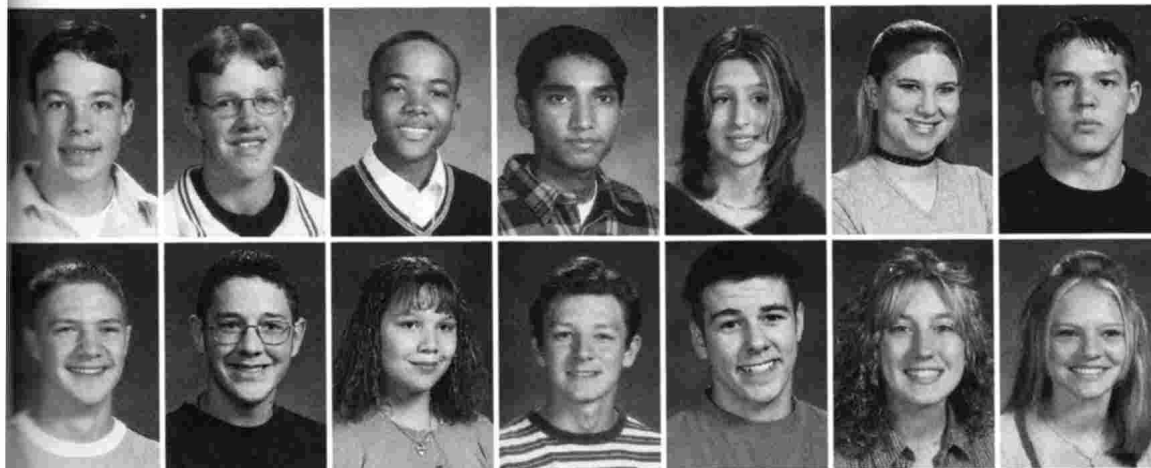
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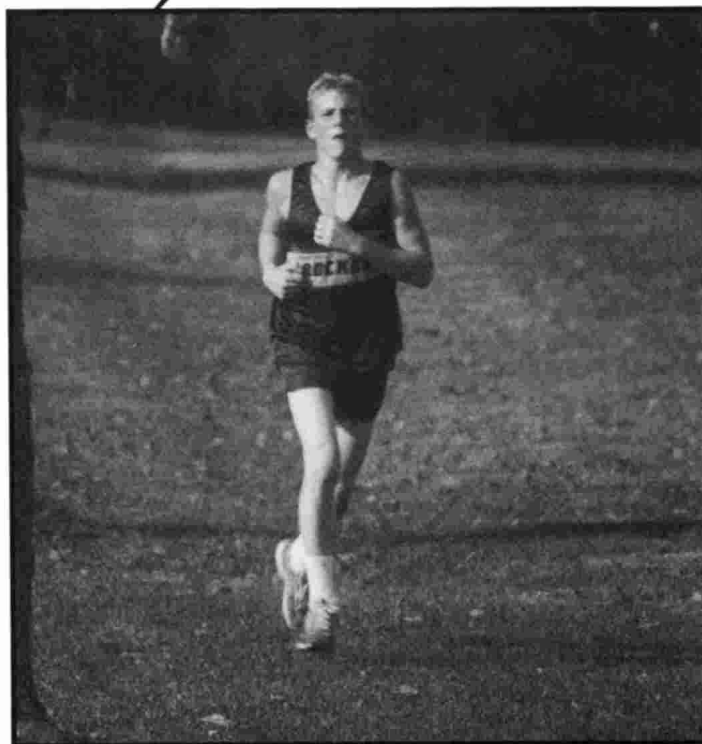
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Vincent Yost
Sarah Zeigler
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This big grin shines through all of Rhianon Nola's shades of blue, (3).

Sprinting his way to the finish line is Michael Aquista, (4).

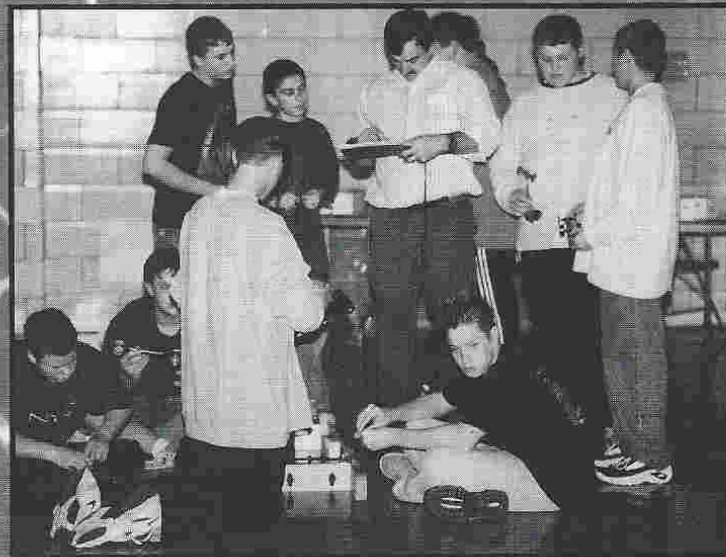
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Freshmen



Class of 2003

Freshmen



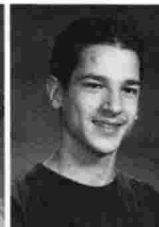
Here are some freshmen showing off their school spirit for Christmas as Santa's gifts. It was a competition between classes and students, (1).

Freshmen Julia Cushman and Lisa Krakora were one of the several twins one can find in the high school during spirit week, (2).

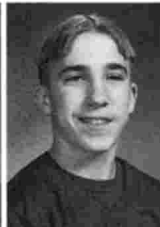


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Jason Adams
Joshua Adams
Chase Adkins
Jonas Allooh
Moses Allooh
Lee Jicha



Noah Allooh
Jason Andrella
Heather Austin
Kristen Balli
Jonathan Basinger
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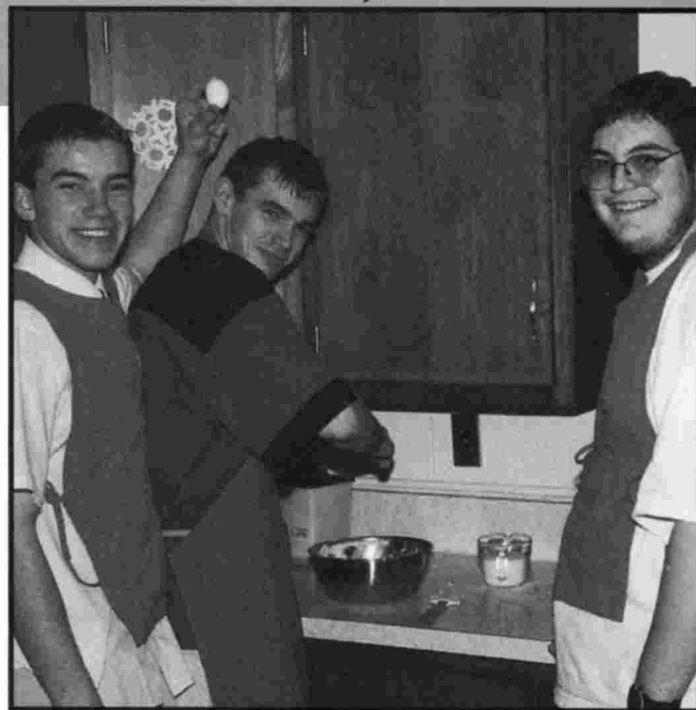


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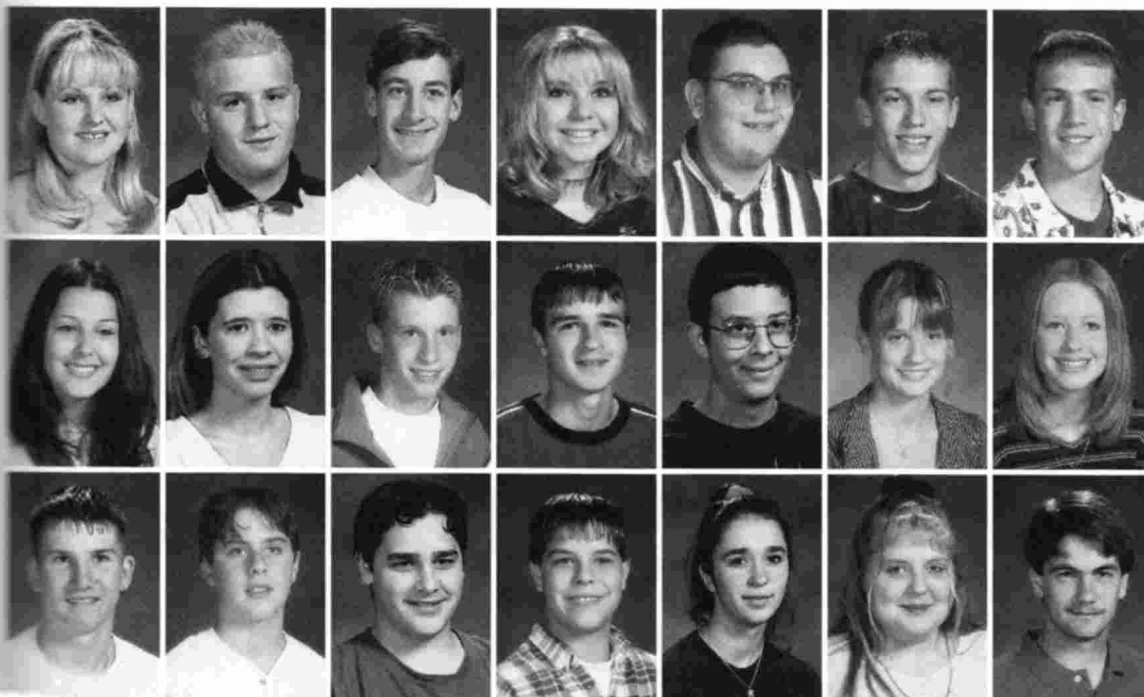
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Freshmen Kristy Kinder dressed up in her pajamas for spirit week. Freshmen Michelle Farley dressed up as a cowgirl to show off her spirit, (3).

Freshmen Owen Ward, Mark Crawford and Jim Lallathin are making a lemon pudding for home economics class, (4).



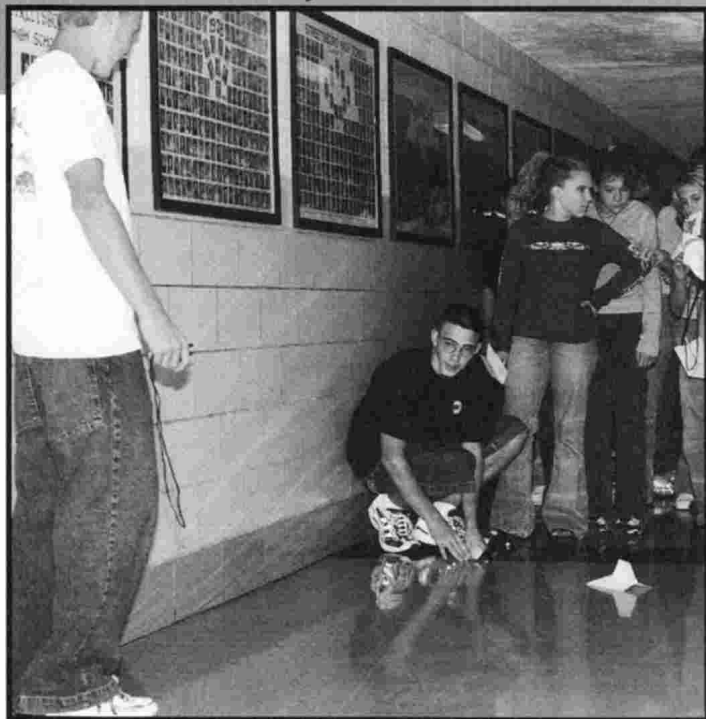
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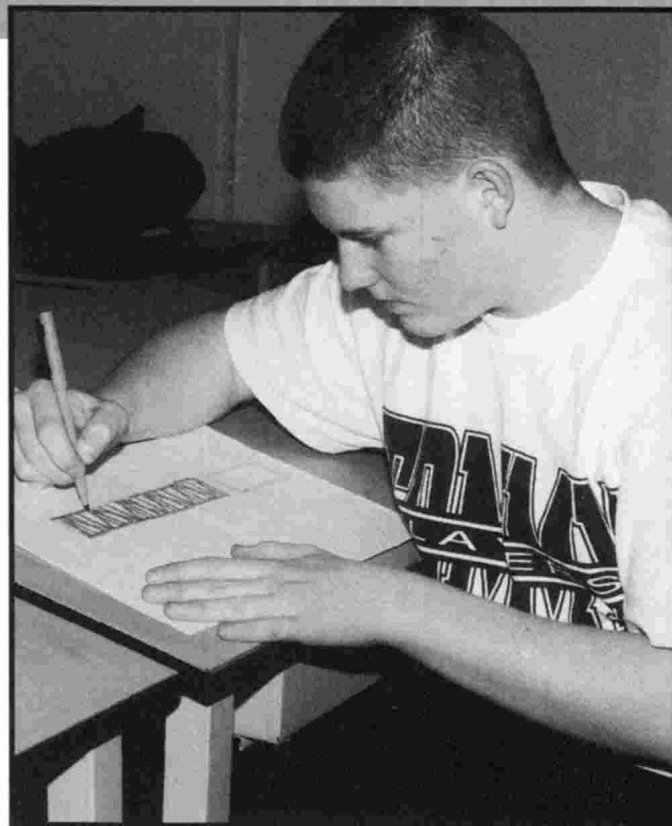
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Mr. Featherstun's class is testing the making and the flight distance of paper airplanes. The reason for this is to see how gravity works on different objects, (1).

Freshmen Eddy Taylor is carefully coloring his blueprint project to show off his creativity, (2).

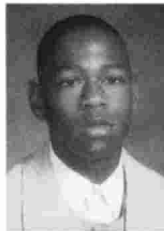


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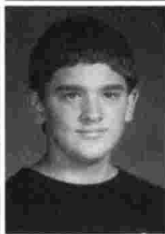
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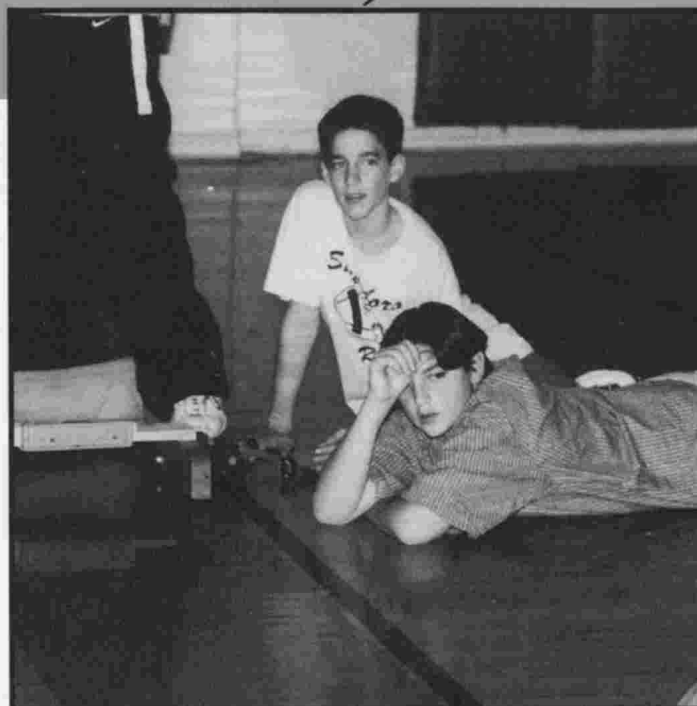


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Freshmen Stephanie Digiovanni wonders if she mixed the pudding just a little bit too much. This class contains a lot of instruction before the cooking starts, (3).

Freshmen Raymond Schmitt and Daniel Yusko wait for the chance to race their cars made in shop. They were given a brief talk on car safety, (4).



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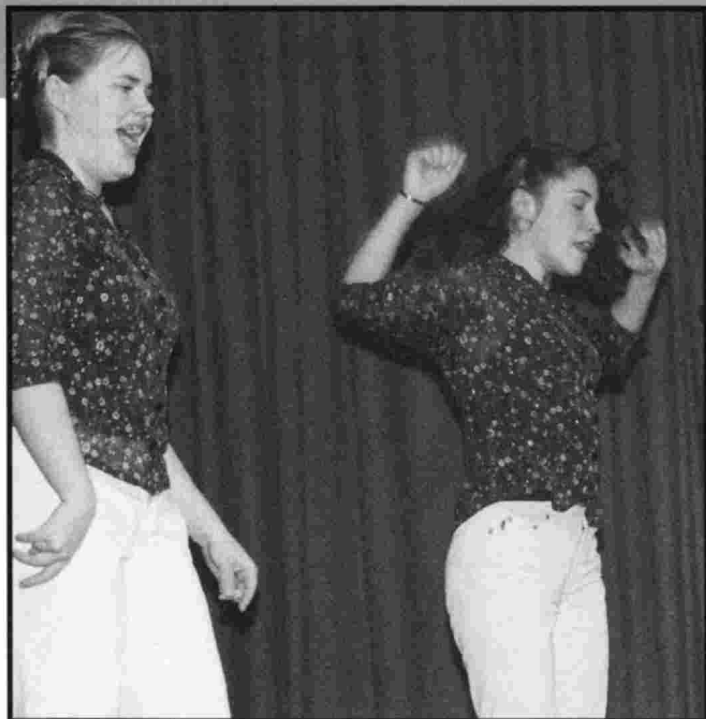
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Freshmen Angie May and Erica Gotschall show off their talent in dance and lipsync for the talent show, (1).

Freshmen Moses Allooh and Senior Jennifer Manijak were caught in the dream of the homecoming dance, (2).

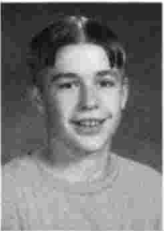


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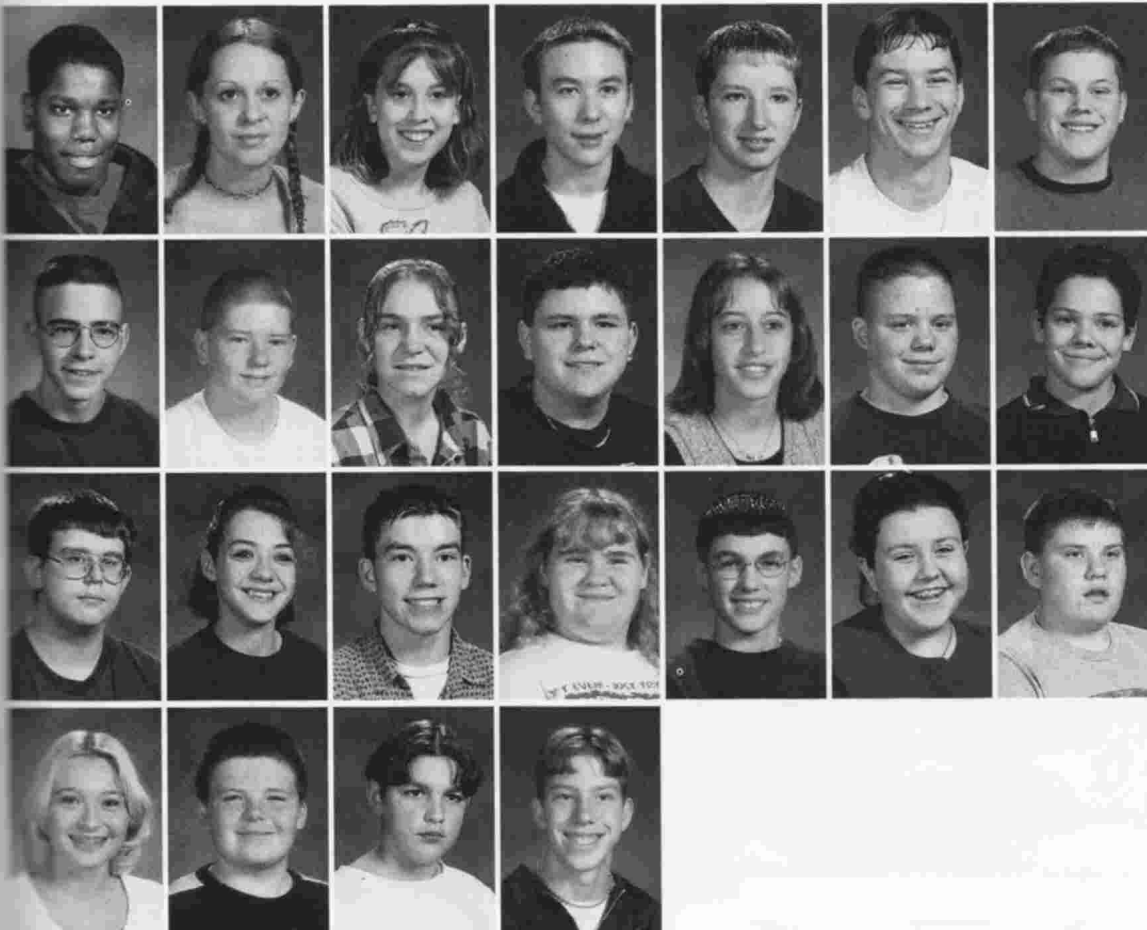
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Freshmen Michelle Basinger and Christa Connelly look back on their memorable baby days, (3).

Santa and Mrs. Claus sleep as some freshmen take the place of reindeer and elves for a song, (4).



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Prom



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A Beautiful End to a New Beginning

MILLENNIUM

(left to right) Seniors Manjot Tukhar, Kathleen Beck, Amy Smith, Jason Whitelock, Christine Sourek, Rebecca Moors, Valerie Surace, Michelle Dillie, Jessie Mementowski, Amanda Fouquet, Victoria Fleck and RoseAnn Denison let the cameras eyes focus on the "Time of their lives," (1).

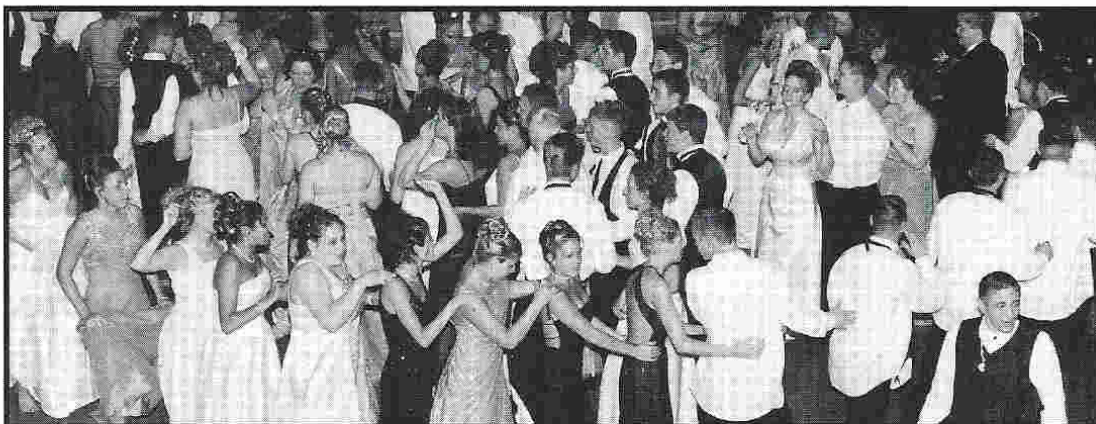
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Chu Chu is all that is heard while the train rolls around the dance floor, (2).

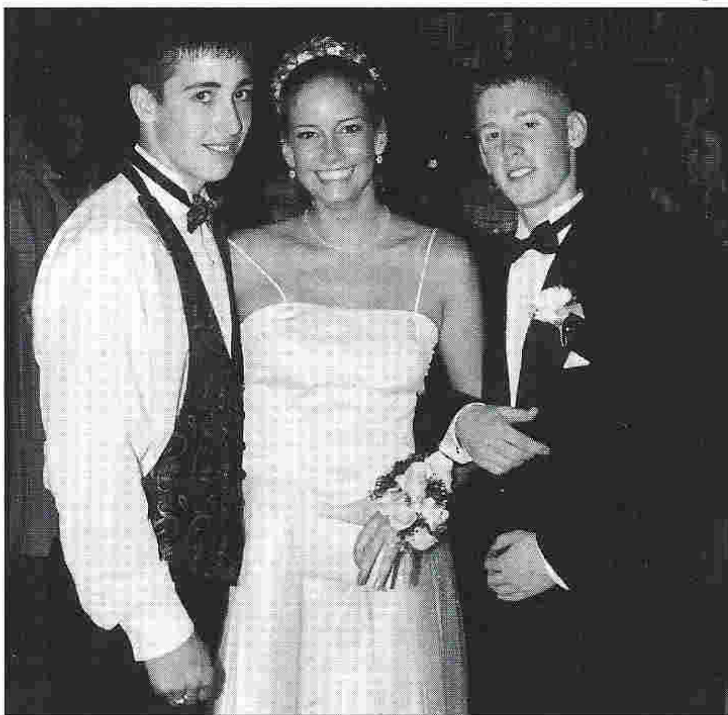
Sophomore Mark Creque, Seniors Katherine Stutzman and Timothy McVay walk in arm to arm with charming charisma, (3).

Senior Michael Matheis and date enjoy a break before going out on the dance floor to shake it, (4).

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1999-2000 Prom court consisted of Senior King candidates David Pastiva, Jason Whitelock and Eric Bissler and the Senior Queen candidates consisted of Rebecca Moors, Tracy Hayward and Crystal Baus, (1).

Dancing the floor with all they have, the prom attendants don't see the flashes from the above balcony. See anyone you know? (2).

Senior Brad Long brings drinks back to the table for him and his date to cool off with between dances, (3).

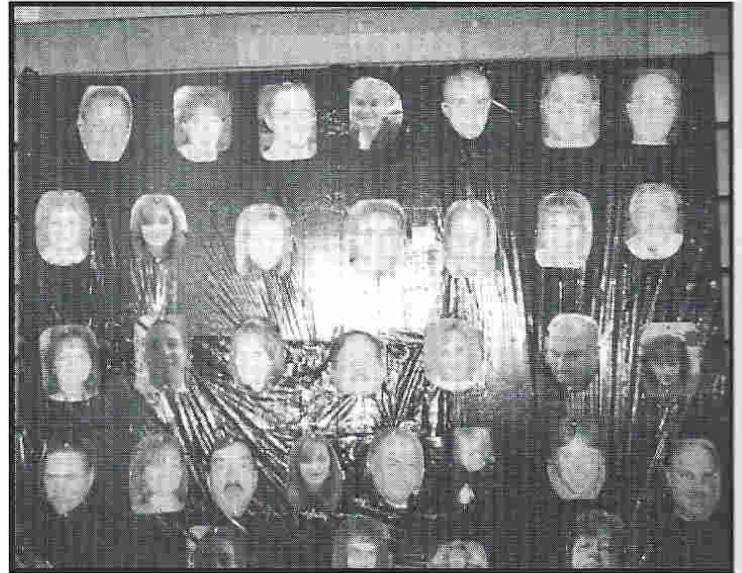
The 1999-2000 Prom queen and king, Tracy Hayward and David Pastiva take their royal picture together in front of loving friends and family, (4).



Prom *Hollywood sweeps* *through Streetsboro's afterprom*



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A Beautiful End to a New Beginning

MILLENNIUM

Seniors Lindsey Hutton, Eric Bissler and Brad Sweet get deep into conversation while waiting for the dance to begin, (1).

At afterprom, held at the high school this year for the first time, students got to take darts to their favorite teachers in revenge for the detentions and the bad grades given to them from the past years, (2).

To much of the students' amazement, even our teachers know how to have a good time and show off to the students that even teachers know how to have the best of times outside the classroom, (3).

As everyone walks in, the hussle and bussle of how good everyone looks and the good times awaiting raises eyes in the crowds of students, (4).



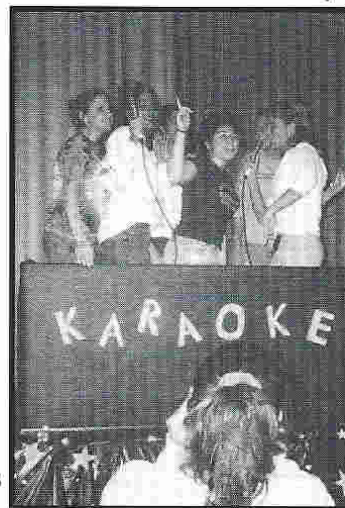
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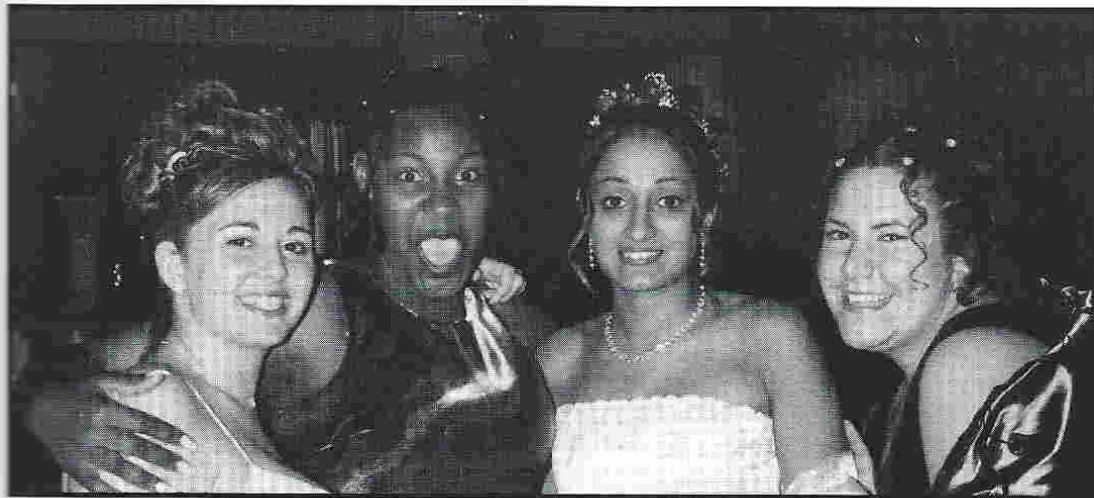
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European spy Mike Broska and his groovy partner in crime Rachel Beale take a break from fighting crime to show off their shaggadelic figures, (1).

The moment of truth is captured in a thousand words as Prom Queen Tracy Hayward is showered by roses from last year's queen Mindy Rogers, (2).

Juniors Paul Veverka and Holly Grubaugh practice their sumo wrestling techniques over each other at this year's Hollywood theme afterprom, (3).

Seniors Marie Kaiser, Manjot Tukhar, Christine Sourek, Rebecca Moors, Kimberly Schneider and Crystal Baus give the juniors a lesson in vocals while singing "Baby Got Back", (4).

Junior Ashlee Turner and Seniors Bisa Harris, Manjot Tukhar and Valerie Surace enjoy Ashlee's first prom and the seniors lasting memories, (5).

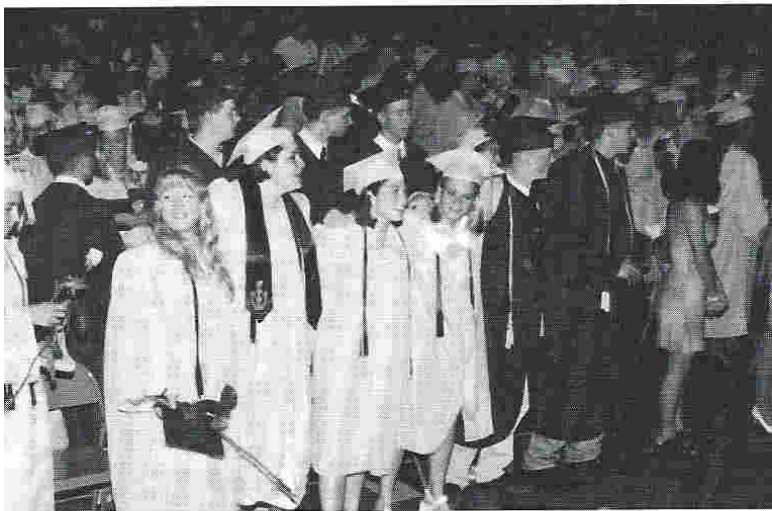
At Right: Amanda Weyant receives some pre-ceremony help from Mrs. Gaye Bricker. Mrs. Bricker is senior class advisor.



At Right: Valedictorian Tim McVay gives his graduation day speech to his classmates. Tim earned a 4.0 GPA in his four years in high school. Tim was a member of beta club, science club, quiz bowl, band, the basketball and baseball team, soccer, football, DARE and WSTB.

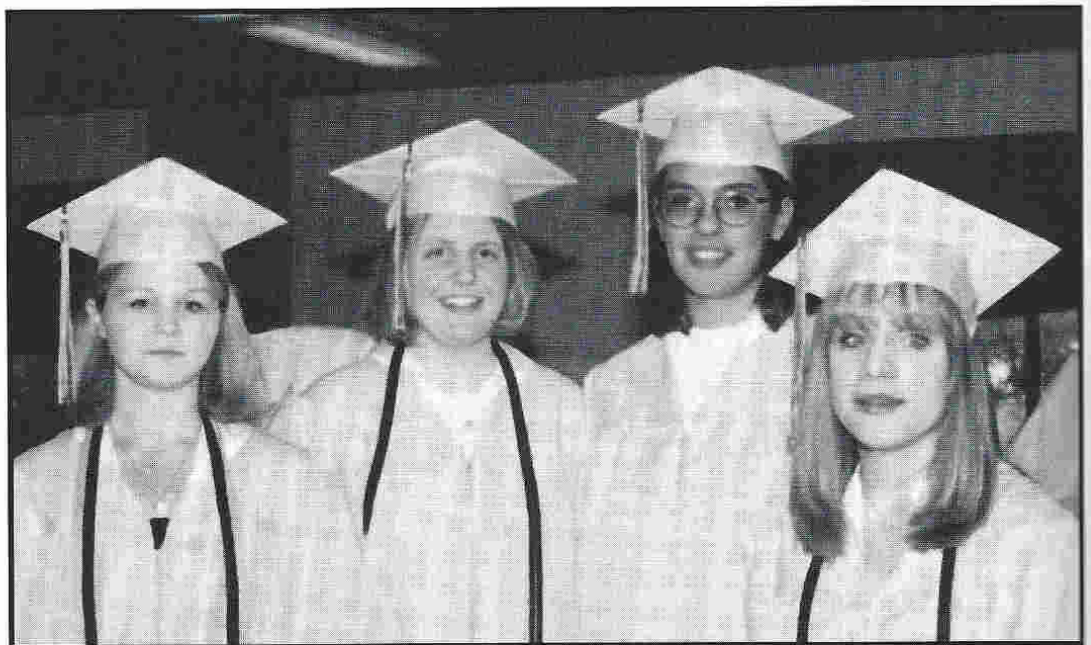


Below: Members of the senior class get ready to celebrate as the ceremony comes to a conclusion.



Above: Senior class president Becca Moors delivers her speech to the graduates. Becca was seventh in her class with a 3.688 average. She was the captain of the cheerleading squad and a member of student council, beta club, NHS, the Orbiter staff and the yearbook staff.

Right: Looking a bit apprehensive as they await the graduation ceremony are Jessica Shanks, Jessica Cushman, Becky Gould and Stephanie Miller.



SHS graduates its first class of the new millennium
Class of 2000 tosses tassel



Left: The senior girls make sure no one forgets what class they belong to.

Below: Taking her rose from junior Gretl Cowling is Sarah Dodd.



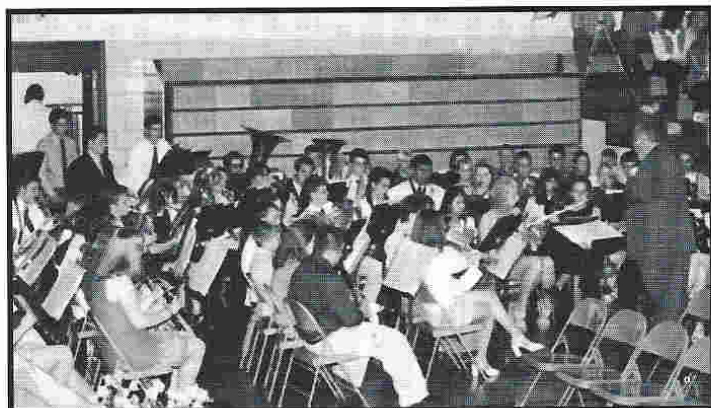
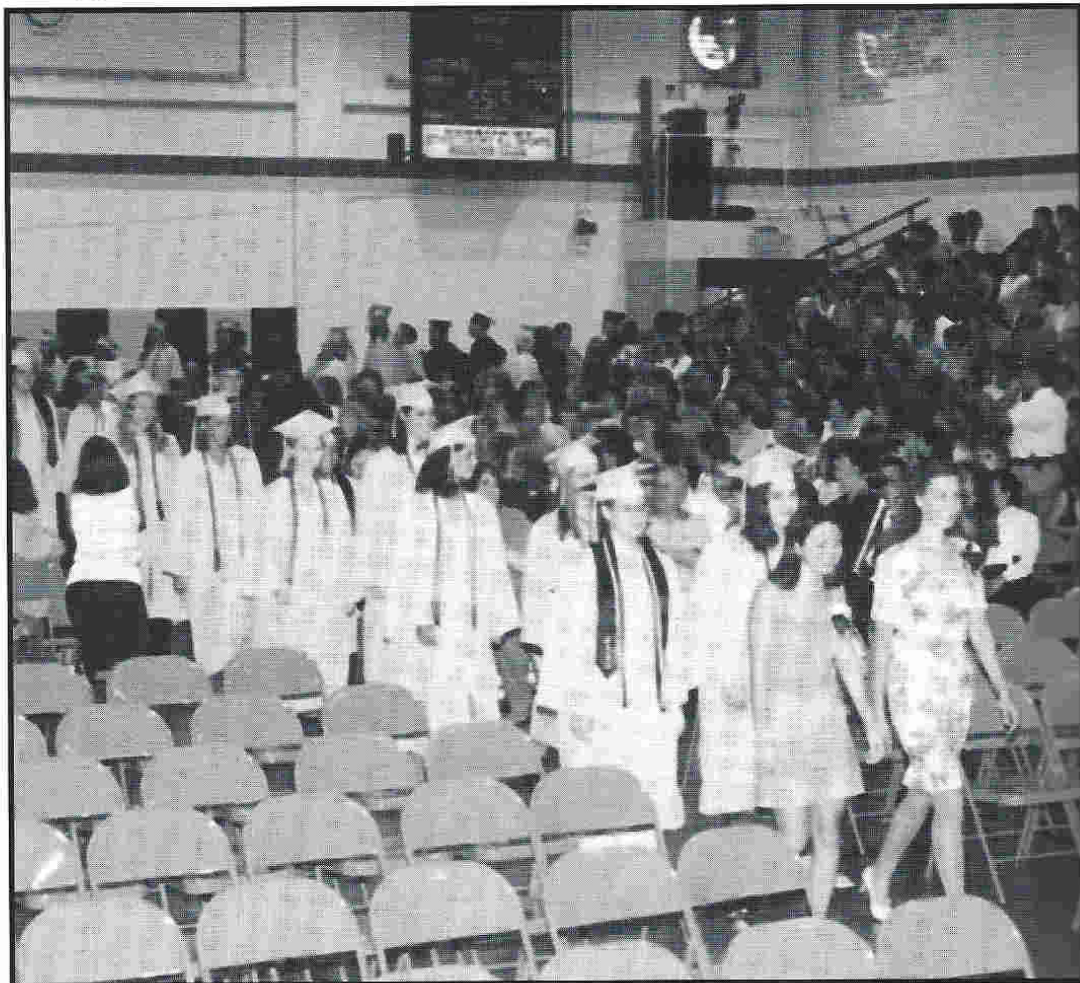
Left: Receiving her diploma from Superintendent Dr. Mary Linton and Board president Mr. William Koleszar is Jessica Cushman.

Above: A packed house of parents, relatives, teachers and friends watches as Streetsboro High School graduates its first class of the Millennium.

facing the new millennium

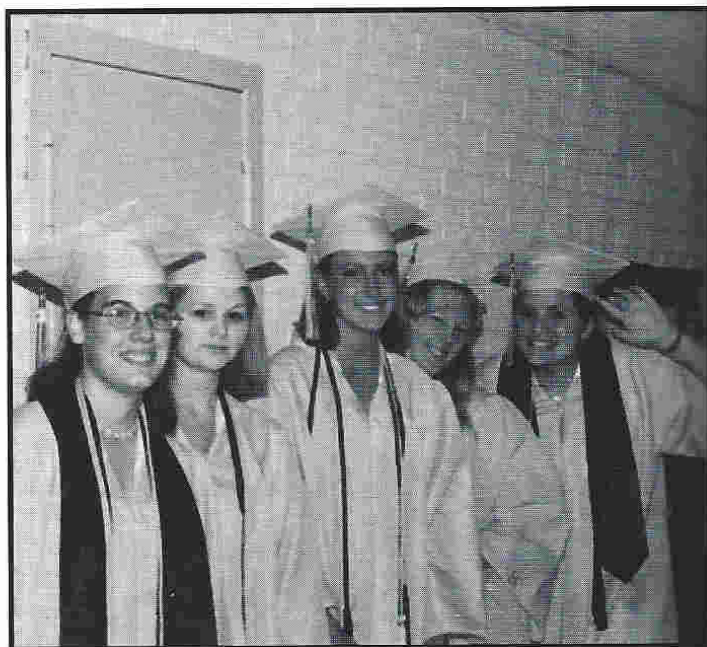
Right: Junior class officers Heather Richardson and Gretl Cowling lead the graduates into the gym as the band plays "Pomp and Circumstance."

Below: Salutatorian addresses the members of her class. Melissa earned a 3.980 average and was a member of beta club, NHS, science club, the track team and cheerleading squad and the radio station. She plans to join the army after graduation.



Above: The band under the direction of Mr. Ken Granville plays for the audience. This was Mr. Granville's last graduation as he retired after 30 years of service.

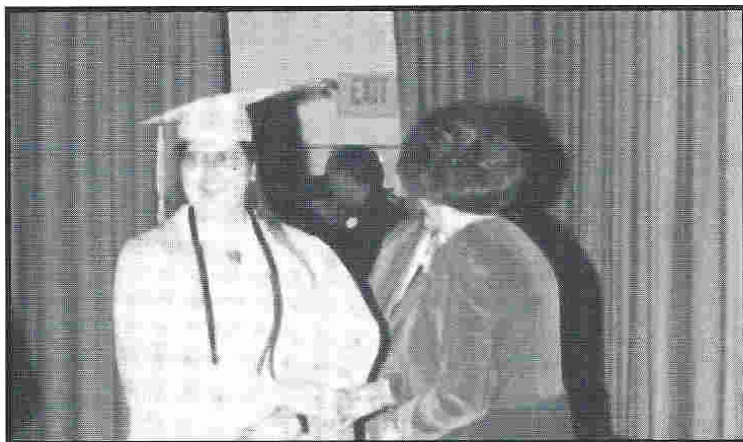
Right: Ready to go are graduates Amanda Weyant, Jessica Shanks, Kim Schneider, Heather Schall and Michelle Poston.





Left: All smiles is German exchange student Monika Bleck. Monika was on the cross country, basketball and track teams during her stay in the US.

Below: Enjoying her moment on the stage, Kelly Ranta accepts her diploma from Dr. Linton.



Above: "Let the party begin..." The class explodes in celebration as the ceremony comes to a close.

Left: Having received their diplomas, members of the class wait patiently for the next part of their graduation experience.





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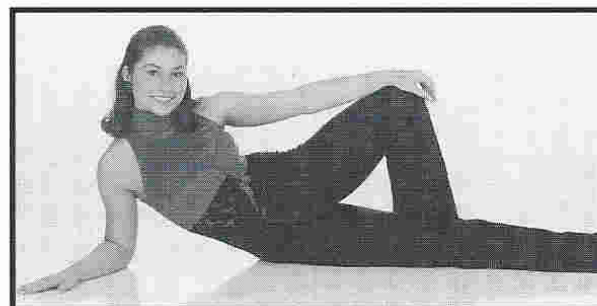
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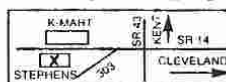


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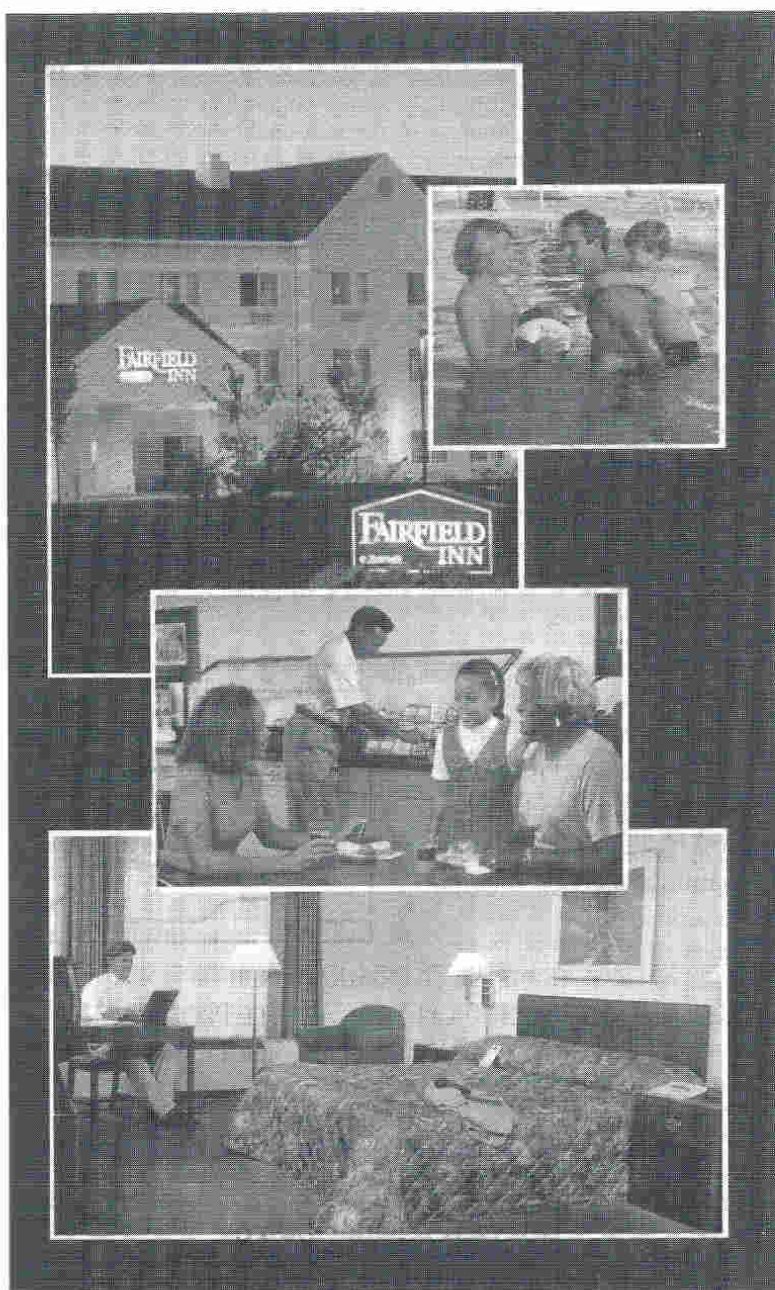
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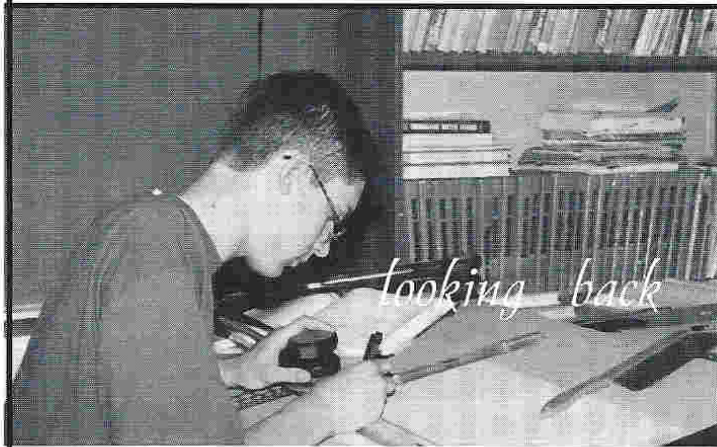
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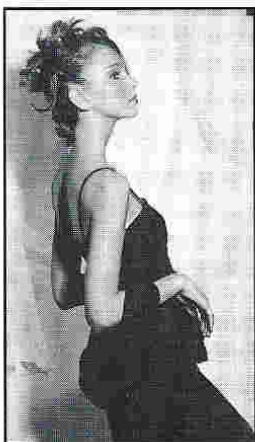
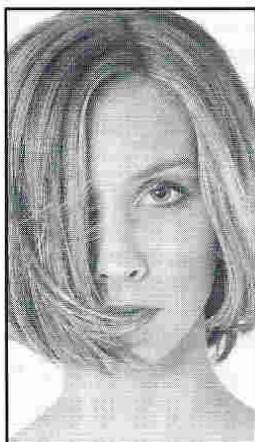
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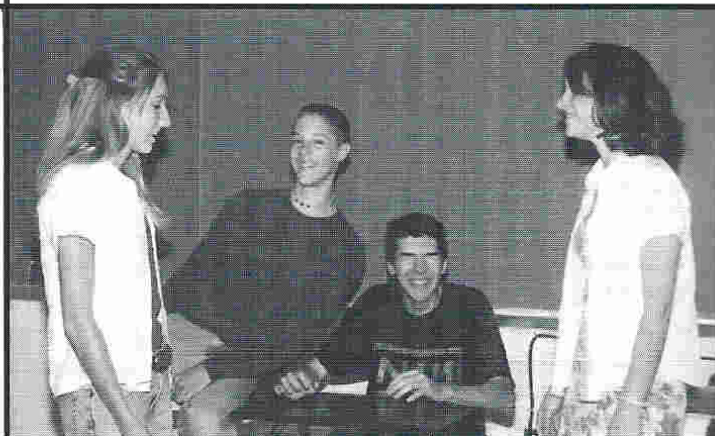
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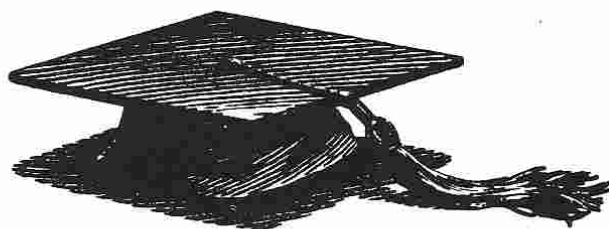
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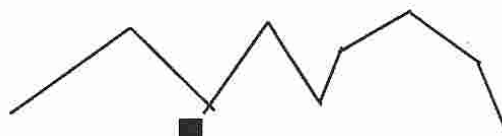


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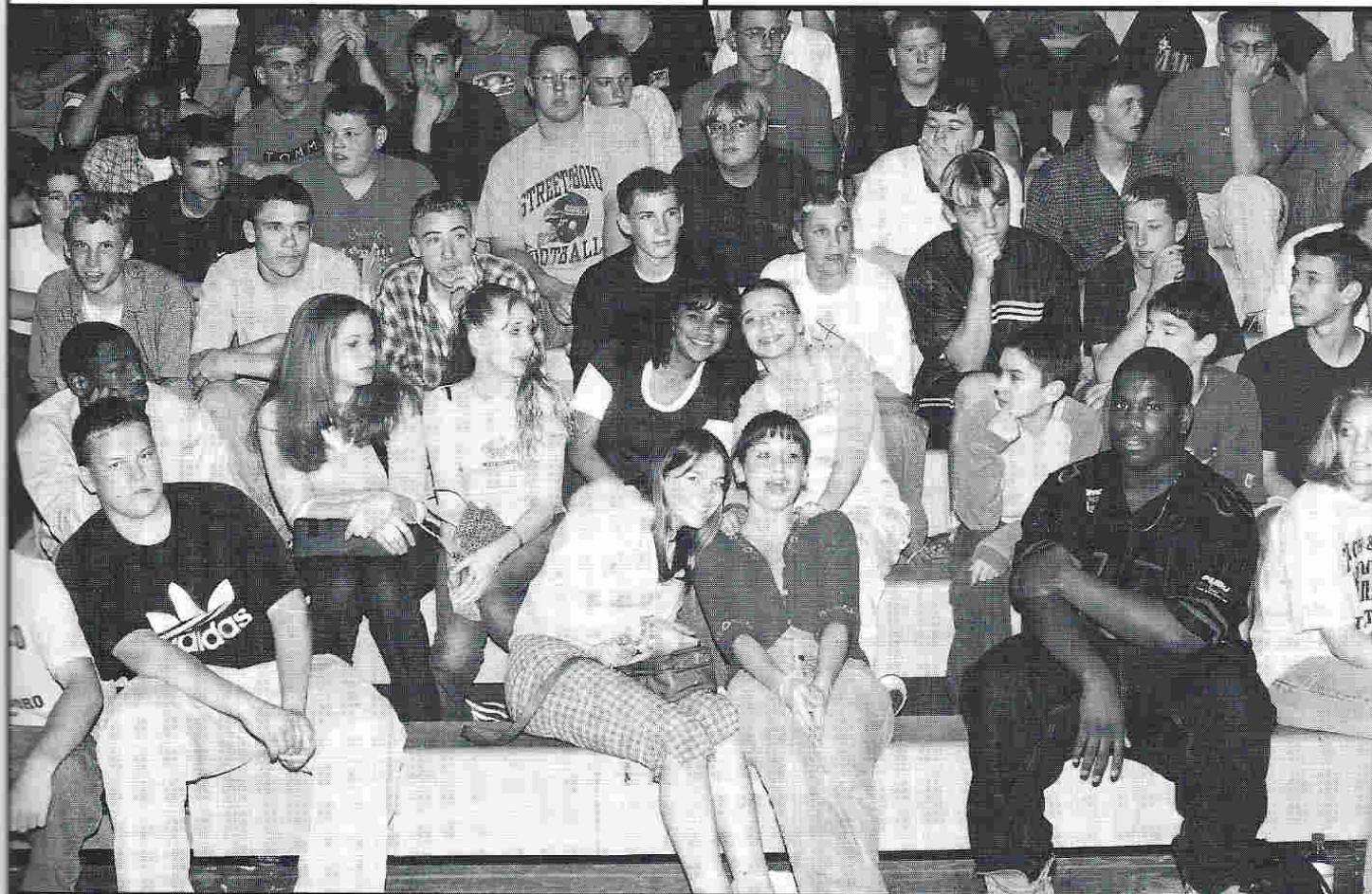
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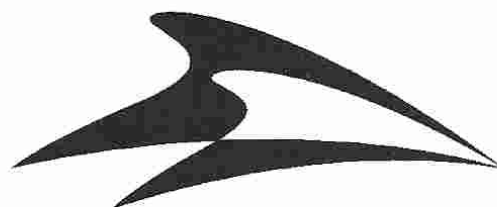


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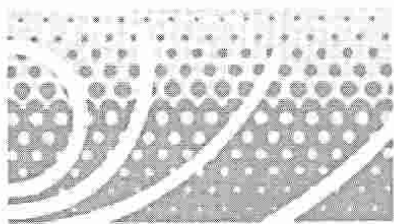
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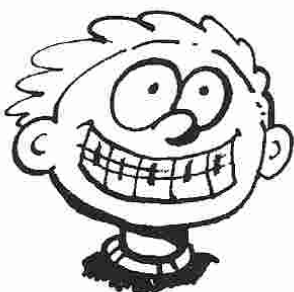
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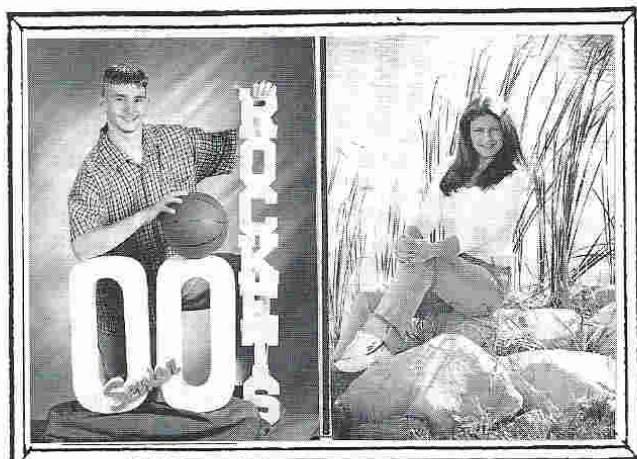
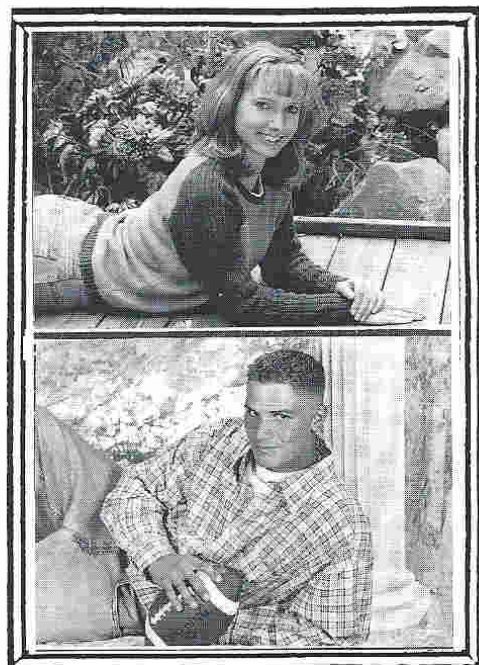
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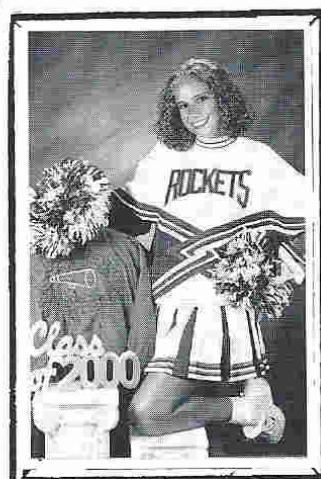
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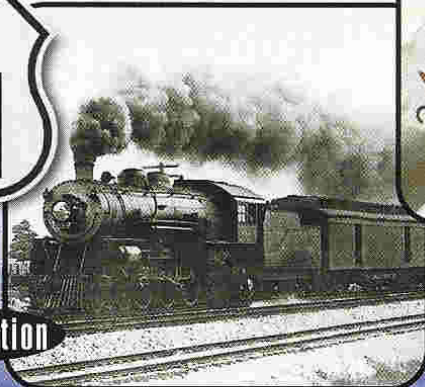
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1000 Pilgrimages to religious sites are seen as acts of faith. Roads and towns develop along the pilgrim routes, expanding trade and communication in Europe. Beginning in 1096, Crusades to the distant Holy Land expose Europeans to Arab culture.



Granger Collection

1492 Thinking he has pioneered a westward route to the spice-rich East Indies, Christopher Columbus lands in the Bahamas. At the time of first European contact, about 90 million Native Americans live in North and South America.



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1840 Stagecoaches offer public passenger service, and covering 15 miles a day is considered a good speed. The coaches travel in stages, changing horses at each stop. As a result, the stagecoach line is born.



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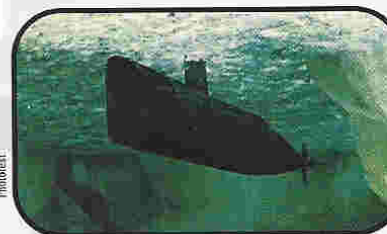
- 1000** Leif Ericson reaches North America.
- 1119** Chinese invent magnetic compass.
- 1271** Marco Polo travels to China.
- 1586** Mercator creates his world map.
- 1750** First Conestoga wagons are built.
- 1838** Vulcanized rubber is invented.
- 1869** Transcontinental railroad spans U.S.
- 1084** Gondolas first appear in Venice.
- 1176** London Bridge is built.
- 1441** Portuguese explorers start slave trade.
- 1620** Mayflower lands at Plymouth Rock.
- 1804** Lewis and Clark explore American West.
- 1860** Practical internal-combustion engine appears.
- 1900** Public rides first escalator.

1690 Pirates terrorize the seas between 1690 and 1730. One of the most notorious pirates is Edward Teach, known as "Blackbeard." The fictional Captain Hook first appears in the 1904 play "Peter Pan" which inspires books, musicals and films throughout the century.



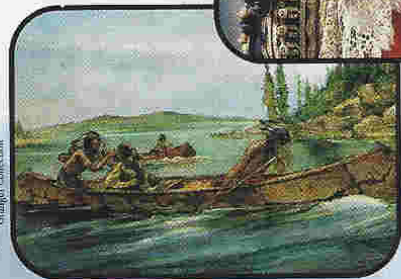
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1780 The first practical wheelchairs provide new mobility for those unable to walk. Early models of wheelchairs have three wheels and hand cranks to propel the chair forward.



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1776 During the Revolutionary War, a submarine is used in battle for the first time. Built by American David Bushnell, the one-person vessel is powered by a hand-cranked propeller. Twentieth-century submarines are complex, nuclear-powered craft used for defense and scientific purposes.



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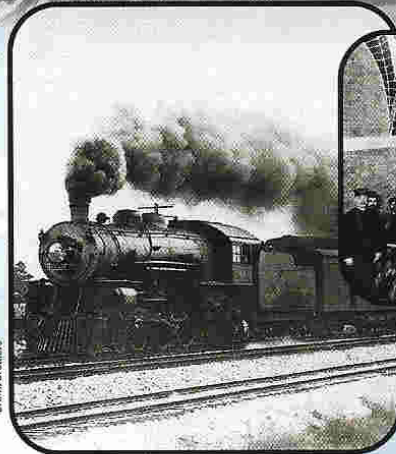
1700 Birchbark canoes provide transportation for many Native Americans. The canoes are made with a light wood frame covered with pieces of bark sewn together and made watertight with melted pitch.

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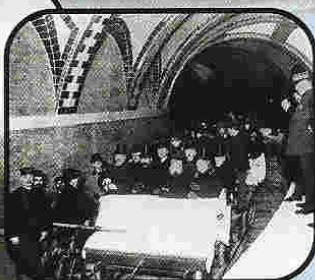
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1783 France's Montgolfier brothers launch the first hot-air balloon. Filled with smoke, the silk balloon rises to 6,000 feet. Later that year, the first passengers go aloft—a rooster, a duck and a sheep.



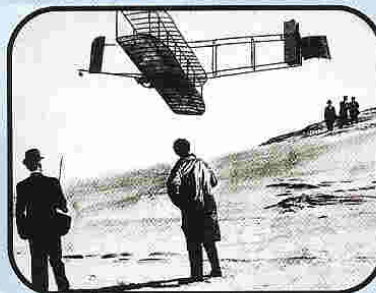
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1825 Travel by rail revolutionizes land transportation. British engineer Richard Trevithick invents the first steam locomotive in 1804, but it is 1825 before railroads haul passengers.



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1863 Humans achieve powered flight. The first flight of Wilbur and Orville Wright's *Flyer* lasts 12 seconds and carries Orville to a height of 10 feet above the beach at Kitty Hawk, N.C.



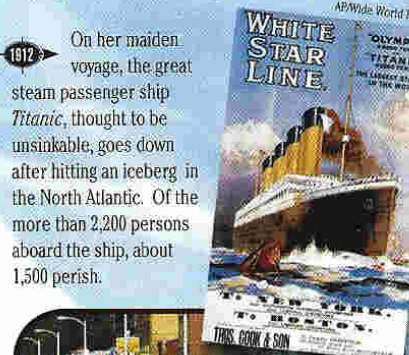
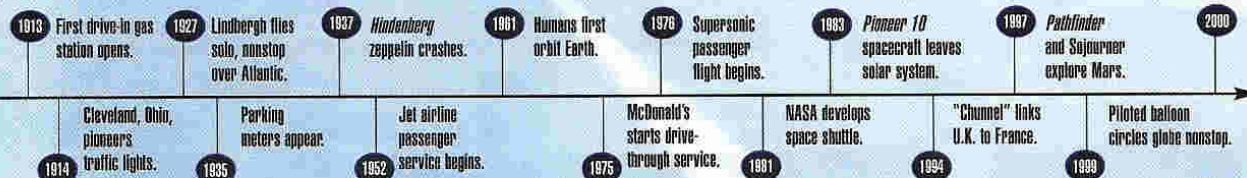
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1863 Subways provide a new way to get around in ever-more-crowded cities. The world's first underground railway opens in London in 1863. By 1994, New York City inaugurates its first rapid-transit subway.



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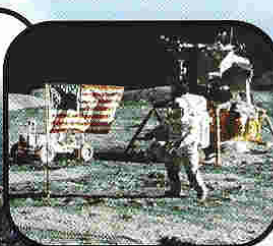
1908 Henry Ford's moving assembly line makes cars affordable to the masses. Ford produces the first Model T in 1908. In 1964, the sporty Ford Mustang rolls out at \$2,368 and sets an all-time record for first-year sales of a new model.



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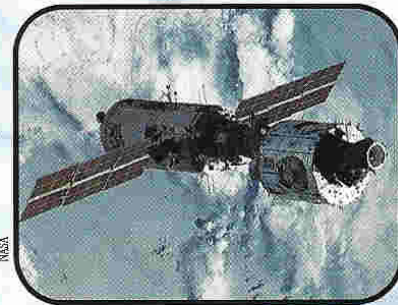
1969 Man walks on the moon. Apollo 11 astronauts Neil Armstrong and Buzz Aldrin plant the American flag 238,000 miles from Earth as an estimated 600 million people on Earth watch on television.



Patrick Ward/Cortis

1960 First built in 1903, the Harley-Davidson becomes America's best-known motorcycle in the 1950s. Raw power and a distinctive rumble appeal to rebels of the 1950s and 1960s and to business executives of the 1990s.

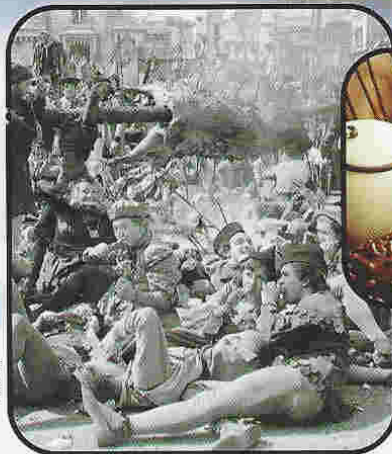
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NASA

1998 Orbital construction of the International Space Station (ISS) begins in 1998 when space shuttle *Endeavor* crew members connect the station's first two sections. ISS is to become the largest cooperative space mission in history.

Food



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1000 As the millennium begins, European peasant food is plain and often scarce. Feasting on meat is reserved for the wealthy. Table utensils include only a knife; most people just eat with their hands. Slabs of dense bread, called trenchers, serve as plates.

Bruce Forster/Tony Stone



1650 Europe's first coffeehouse opens in England. By 1700, there are 2,000 coffeehouses in London alone. Early coffeehouses are important places to transact business. Lloyd's Coffeehouse evolves into Lloyd's of London, the giant insurance brokerage.

1520 Chocolate from the New World takes Europe by storm. Brought to Spain from Mexico, chocolate is so costly that Europeans water it down for use as a drink. Natives of Mexico have prized chocolate since ancient times.

1762 John Montagu, 4th Earl of Sandwich, instructs his servants to bring him his meat between two pieces of bread. This way he can eat with one hand while continuing to play cards with the other. The term "sandwich" is born.

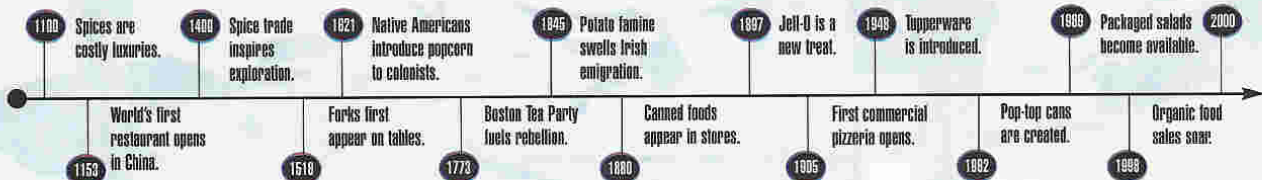
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1840 Domestic ice chests provide early refrigeration. Blocks of ice are cut, delivered to homes and sold for use in kitchen ice chests. It is the early 1930s before reliable electric home refrigerators are in common use.

Mark Segal/Tony Stone



Everett Collection

1954 Swanson creates the TV dinner, sold in boxes designed to look like television sets. Frozen dinners are possible because of Clarence Birdseye's 1929 invention of early methods for freezing food.

1878 Alexander Campbell, Brooklyn, is the first to deliver milk in glass bottles. For many years the neighborhood milkman is the most common way to obtain fresh milk, before the age of supermarkets.



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1932 America's first large self-service supermarket opens, followed by the invention of the grocery shopping cart in 1937. During the Depression, supermarkets become a significant part of the food distribution network.

Davis Barnett/PhotoEdit



1988 Choices expand in school lunch programs. A growing number of public schools begin featuring national fast-food outlets and soft drink brands in the school lunchroom.

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Sports and Games



1100 Archery competition is a common pastime in the Middle Ages. Archery skill is so important that English kings ban football because it takes men away from archery practice.



The Stock Market

1552 Golf is a popular sport in Scotland. In 1552, Saint Andrews is a favorite place for golfing. Mary, Queen of Scots is reportedly the first woman golfer and helps spread golf's popularity in Europe.



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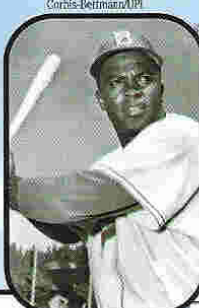
1800 Soccer is first played in America, using a sheep's bladder as a ball. As the millennium closes, millions of American youth play in organized soccer leagues. In 1999, the U.S. women's soccer team wins the World Cup.



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1846 Baseball is first played as an organized sport at Hoboken, N.J., when the New York Club defeats the Knickerbocker Baseball Club on June 19. More than 100 years later, Jackie Robinson breaks the color barrier in major league baseball in 1947.



Corbis-Bettmann/AP



1932 Parker Brothers introduces Monopoly, which becomes one of the world's most successful board games. By the late 1990s, the popular game is available on interactive CD.



Tony Esparzo/CBS-Entertainment Communications

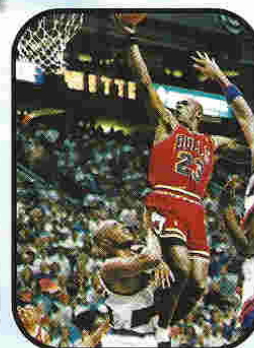
1959 Game shows become widely popular TV fare in the 1950s. One of the top 10 shows of 1959, NBC's "The Price Is Right," still draws large audiences in 1999 on CBS, where it is the longest-running game show in television history.



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1896 Athens, Greece, hosts the first modern Olympics. Winter Games are not held until 1924. At the 1998 Winter Olympics, American figure skaters Tara Lipinski and Michelle Kwan win the gold and silver medals respectively, and China's Lu Chen wins the bronze.

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1999 Michael Jordan, considered by many to be basketball's greatest player, retires from the NBA. His talents lead the Chicago Bulls to six NBA championships in the 1990s.

Communication



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1000 Literacy is reserved for the clergy and a few students. Monks and scribes laboriously copy books by hand using goose-quill pens. Books are such rare treasures that in some libraries they are chained to the shelf.



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1455 Johann Gutenberg invents a way to mass-produce the written word. He devises the first Western movable-type system and a new kind of printing press. Gutenberg's inventions speed the spread of knowledge and literacy.

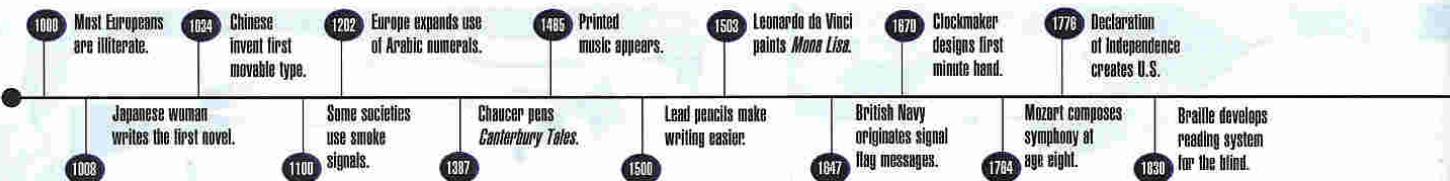


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1594 William Shakespeare's "Romeo and Juliet" is first performed. London's Globe Theater opens in 1599, where many of his plays are staged. By 1600, the great playwright pens at least 20 plays.



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1695 The first regularly printed newspaper is a four-page weekly publication, the *Relation*, printed in Germany. It is 1702 before the first daily newspaper appears, *The Daily Courant* of London.



Lambert Collection Photos



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1826 Frenchman Nicéphore Niépce creates the first permanent photograph. His partner, Louis Daguerre, carries Niépce's work further by inventing a process of capturing images on metal plates.

1836 Instant long-distance communication is possible. Samuel Morse invents the telegraph and a dot-dash code to carry messages over a wire. In 1851, Hiram Sibley founds Western Union Telegraph Company.



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1867 American Christopher Sholes invents the typewriter. To keep rapid typists from jamming the keys, Sholes designs the keyboard so that frequently combined letters are located far apart. This layout lasts into the computer age.



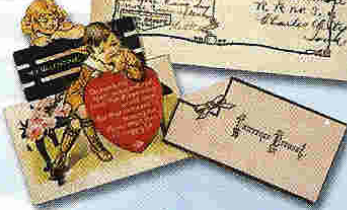
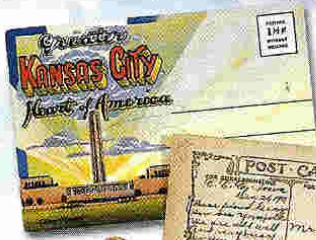
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1775 One if by land, two if by sea. Lanterns signal the advance of British troops, and Paul Revere rides to warn American colonists of the attack. His famous ride also signals the beginning of the American Revolution.

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1899 Austria introduces the first postcards. For only pennies, postcards keep people in touch before telephones are common. Calling cards, commercial valentines and other printed personal greetings are popular customs.

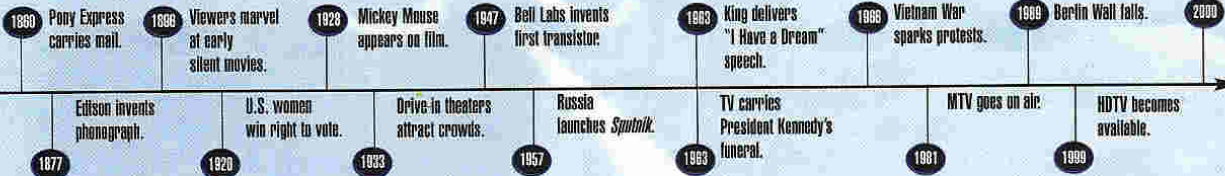


1879 Inventor Thomas Edison patents a practical electric light bulb. Electric lights have a profound effect on society, increasing opportunities for reading, writing, socializing and working.



1876 Alexander Graham Bell patents the telephone. By the end of the millennium, missing a phone call is almost impossible as answering machines take instant messages. Cell phones, beepers and voice mail expand communication options.

1895 Guglielmo Marconi invents the radio, providing a way for sound to travel long distances without the use of wires. During the 1920s and 1930s, radio is the primary source of news and family entertainment for most Americans.



1939 Movie making experiences a "golden age" in the late 1930s and early 1940s. In 1939, *Gone With the Wind* and *The Wizard of Oz* premiere. *Citizen Kane* follows in 1941, and *Casablanca* in 1942. Studio giants are MGM, Paramount, RKO and Warner Brothers.



1956 Elvis Presley's unique blend of blues, country, rock and gospel draws adoring fans and makes him "the King" of rock and roll. In 1956, his debut album becomes the first in history to sell a million copies.



1978 Personal computers become available to the mass market, thus paving the way for desktop publishing. By 1990, laptop notebook computers allow people to compute from almost anywhere.



1925 Television is invented in 1926, and regular network TV broadcasts begin after World War II. One of TV's most popular shows is CBS's "I Love Lucy," premiering in 1951. Television transforms almost every aspect of life in the twentieth century.



1997 Millions of people worldwide cruise the Information Highway via the Internet, and instantaneous e-mail communication becomes common. As the millennium ends, computer, TV, video and telephone technologies begin to converge.

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Fashion



Jon Gustafson/Photo Fennell Collection

1100 Medieval knights wear a short wool tunic and a coat of chain mail. Gauntlets (heavy leather gloves) and sword complete the attire, which is so costly only wealthy men can afford to be knights.



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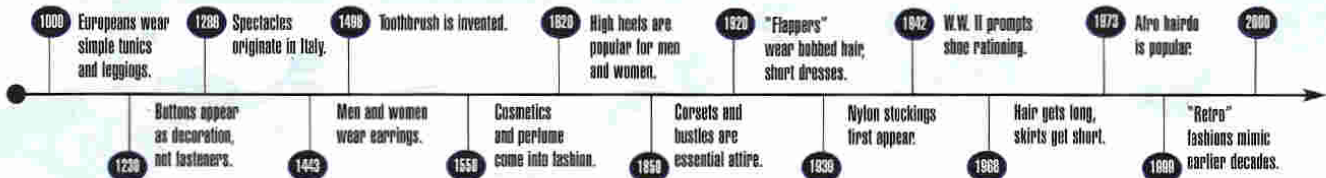
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1300 Medieval men's shoes have long, pointed toes. Individuals of higher social status are allowed to have longer points on their shoes, some as long as 18 inches. Moss stuffed into the toe maintains its shape.

1550 Queen Elizabeth is the fashion trendsetter, popularizing the wide skirt, jeweled wig, high bald forehead, and decorative ruff around the neck. She is rumored to have 3,000 dresses.



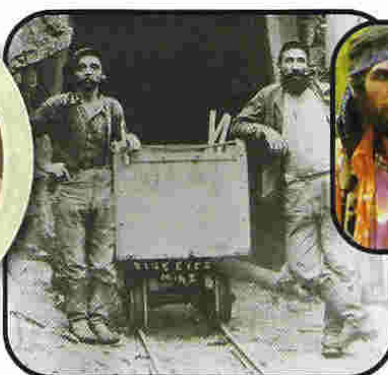
Photofest



1670 Men and women wear elaborate powdered wigs made of human hair, horsehair and goat hair. Because the large wigs are heavy and hot, some people shave their heads and wear a cloth cap under the wig to absorb perspiration.



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1855 Young Levi Strauss comes to America in the 1850s and makes riveted canvas work pants for California gold miners. When he switches from canvas to blue denim, Strauss unknowingly creates one of America's greatest contributions to fashion.



Henry Diltz/Corbis

1960 With flowers in their hair and everywhere, hippies express their philosophy of world peace and love. Hippies favor bell-bottom jeans, granny dresses, bare feet, long hair, beads, headbands and bright colors.



Susan Adler, Textile Designs, vol. 1

Granger Collection

1800 The Industrial Revolution brings mass-produced textiles, standard clothing sizes and the first ready-to-wear garments. In 1851, Isaac Singer invents the home-use sewing machine.



Made Over/Stock Market

1992 Indoor malls are popular with teens not only for shopping, but also for socializing. The first enclosed mall is built in 1956. In 1992, the Mall of America, the largest mall in the U.S., opens in Minnesota.

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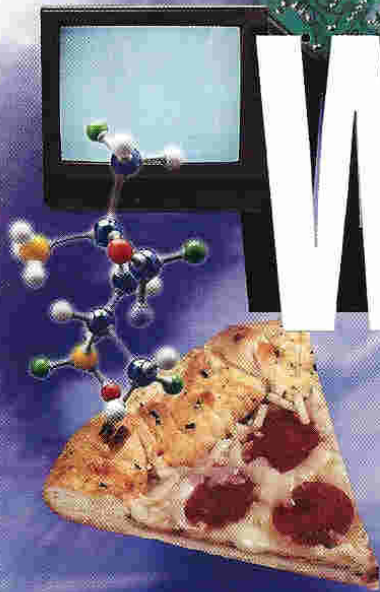
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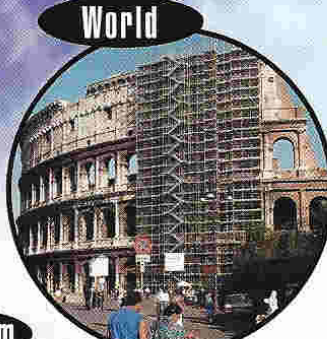


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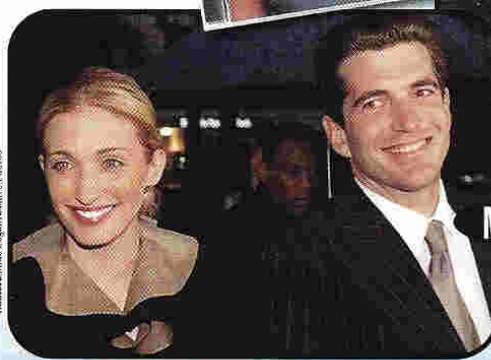
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World News



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As part of Rome's continuing restoration, the city unveils a plan to create an 18,000-square-yard rambling space connecting the Imperial Forums with the Roman Forum.

EgyptAir Flight 990 crashes into the Atlantic Ocean on October 31, killing all 217 people on board. Although suspicious actions of a pilot are under scrutiny by American and Egyptian officials, the cause of the crash remains a mystery.



Reuters/Invision Photos

On October 12, the world's official population hits 6 billion. The designated 6 billionth human is a baby boy born in Sarajevo.



AP/Wide World Photos

In September, more than 300,000 Japanese are checked for radiation exposure after an inadvertent nuclear reaction at a uranium processing plant.



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Nearly a million ethnic Albanians flee Yugoslavia and thousands are killed after Serbs begin a violent ethnic cleansing campaign in 1998. Seventy-eight days of NATO bombing bring the war to an end in June. An international tribunal later charges Yugoslav President Slobodan Milosevic with crimes against humanity.

In an October coup, the Pakistani army dismisses elected Prime Minister Nawaz Sharif and his government after Sharif announces the removal of his powerful military chief, General Pervaiz Musharraf.



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Flash

Britain's Prince Edward marries longtime girlfriend Sophie Rhys-Jones on June 19.

Cuban Elian Gonzalez, 6, becomes the center of a bitter citizenship debate after surviving a November boat wreck off the Florida coast in which his mother dies.



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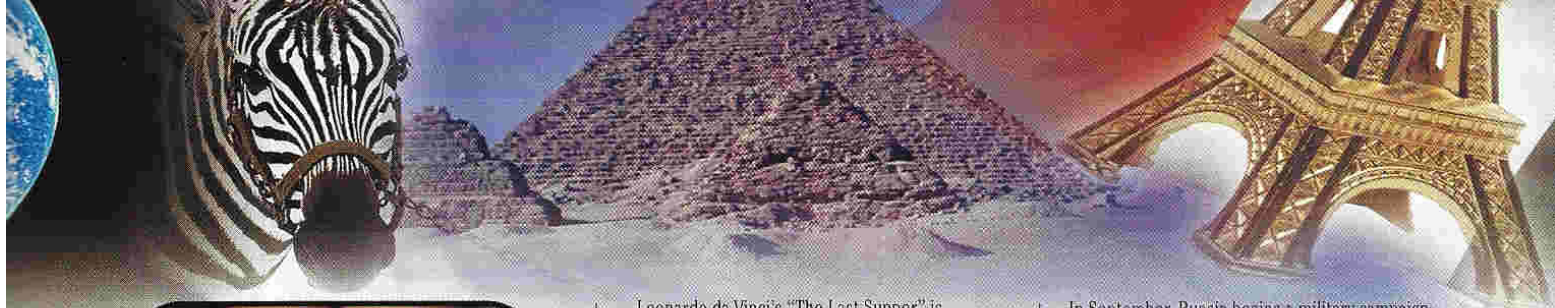
In a violent October coup, gunmen storm the Armenian Parliament and assassinate Prime Minister Vazgen Sarkisian and six other top officials.



AP/Wide World Photos

In India, two trains collide head-on in August, killing 285 people and injuring more than 300. It is one of the worst train disasters in the country's history.

1999



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In June, Thabo Mbeki succeeds President Nelson Mandela, South Africa's first democratically elected president.



Liaison Agency

Leonardo da Vinci's "The Last Supper" is unveiled in June after 21 years of restoration. The centimeter-by-centimeter rehabilitation cost \$7.7 million and involved electronic microscopes.



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After almost nine years in power, Russian President Boris Yeltsin announces his resignation in January 2000. Yeltsin names Prime Minister Vladimir Putin acting president pending elections in March.



Pierre Vautier/Corbis Sygma

In September and October, powerful earthquakes strike around the globe, killing 15,000 people in Turkey, 1,450 in Taiwan and at least 122 in Greece.



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Archaeologists excavate 105 mummies in a 2,000-year-old underground Egyptian tomb believed to contain a total of 10,000 mummies. The necropolis will shed new light on the Greco-Roman era and will allow scholars to chart demographic data and the incidence of disease.



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Flash

A tropical depression producing heavy rain hits Mexico in November. The resulting floods kill more than 350 people and cause 100,000 to evacuate.

In August, the U.S. pays \$4.5 million to victims of NATO's accidental bombing of the Chinese embassy in Belgrade. Three Chinese are killed and 27 are wounded in the May 1999 bombing.



AP/Wide World Photos

On December 31, the U.S. returns control of the Panama Canal to Panama. Opened to the world in 1914, the canal is considered one of the greatest construction achievements in American history.



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In December, torrential rains cause Venezuela's worst natural disaster of the century. Mudslides and flash floods kill up to 30,000 people, while damage estimates run into the billions of dollars.

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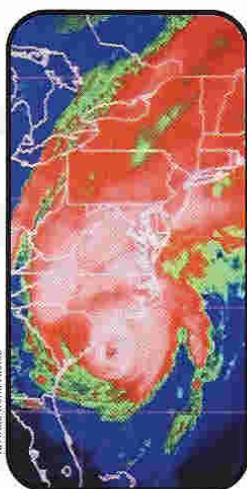
National News



Reuters/Mike Segar/Arline Photos

◆ In July, John F. Kennedy Jr., 38, his wife, Carolyn Bessette Kennedy, 33, and her sister, Lauren Bessette, 34, die in an airplane crash in the Atlantic Ocean near Martha's Vineyard. Kennedy, a relatively inexperienced pilot, is believed to have become disoriented in heavy fog.

◆ Hurricane Floyd strikes the East Coast in September, killing 51 people and destroying over 4,000 homes. North Carolina is hardest hit with total damages estimated at a record \$6 billion.



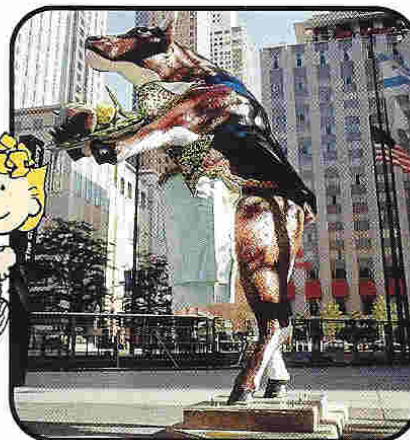
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◆ Cartoonist Charles M. Schulz retires in January 2000, bringing an end to PEANUTS, America's most popular comic strip for almost 50 years. Schulz dies in February, the night before his last strip runs in the national newspapers.

◆ As a way to boost tourism, Chicago displays 301 life-size, fiberglass cows decorated by local artists. The public art exhibit lasts all summer until the cows are auctioned for charity.



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◆ The drought of 1999 causes severe damage to Northeastern and mid-Atlantic farms. Several states impose mandatory water use restrictions and emergency federal loans are made available in Maryland, Pennsylvania, Kentucky, Ohio, Virginia and West Virginia.



◆ Lewis and Clark's Native American guide Sacagawea is featured on a new gold-colored dollar coin released into circulation in early 2000.



◆ Beginning in 1999, the U.S. Mint releases specially designed state quarters, the first five representing Connecticut, Georgia, Delaware, Pennsylvania and New Jersey. By 2008, each state will have its own quarter.



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◆ President Clinton announces the removal of the American bald eagle from the endangered species list. In 1999, there are over 5,800 breeding pairs, an increase from 417 in 1963.

Flash

In August, a rare tornado strikes downtown Salt Lake City. Winds up to 112 miles per hour make it Utah's second-worst tornado in history.

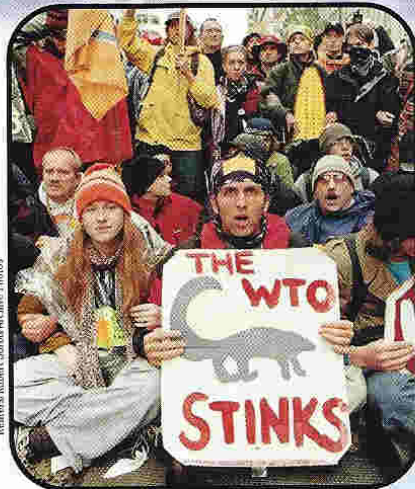
In July, Air Force Colonel Eileen Collins, 42, becomes the first woman to command a U.S. space shuttle mission.



Dave McErmauld/Bryan College Station Eagle/Corbis Sygma

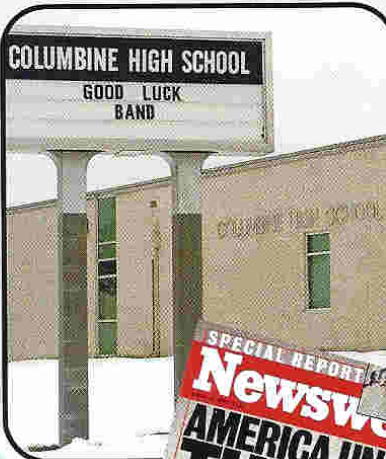
◆ In November, a 60-foot log tower collapses at Texas A&M University, killing 12 students and injuring 27. The tower was to be burned at a traditional bonfire pep rally.

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In November, protesters at the World Trade Organization (WTO) summit in Seattle provoke a show of force by local, state and federal officers. Protesters blame the WTO for eroding human rights and labor and environmental standards.



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On April 20, 1999, the nation mourns after two students go on a shooting rampage at Columbine High School in Colorado, wounding 23 and killing 15, including themselves. Schools across the country take extensive security measures to ensure the safety of students and staff.



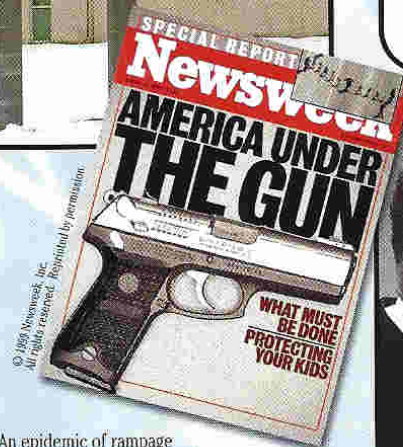
Timothy C. Sharp

In an effort to ease the burden on the traditional courts, most states now offer teen court for juvenile offenders. After determining guilt, a jury of teens along with a judge decides the sentence, typically community service and financial restitution.



Ron Garrison, San Diego Zoo/Reuters/Active Photos

In August, a female panda is born at the San Diego Zoo. Hua Mei, which can mean "China USA" or "Splendid Beauty," is the first panda born in the Western Hemisphere in nearly a decade.



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An epidemic of rampage shootings intensifies America's growing concern over gun control. Many state legislatures pass new gun-control measures despite nationwide controversy over restrictions vs. Second Amendment rights.



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Despite 30 years of official denial, in December a jury finds the assassination of Reverend Martin Luther King Jr. was the result of a conspiracy, not the act of a lone gunman.

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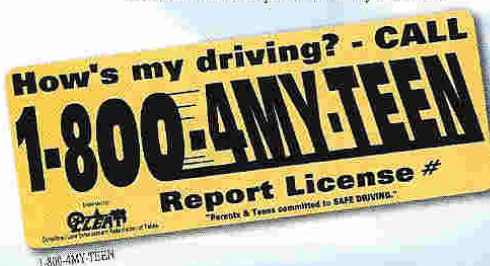
In the first such admission by a cigarette manufacturer, Philip Morris publicly concedes tobacco is addictive and can cause serious diseases.

Hillary Clinton announces her candidacy for a U.S. Senate seat from New York. As law requires, Clinton establishes New York residency in suburban Chappaqua.



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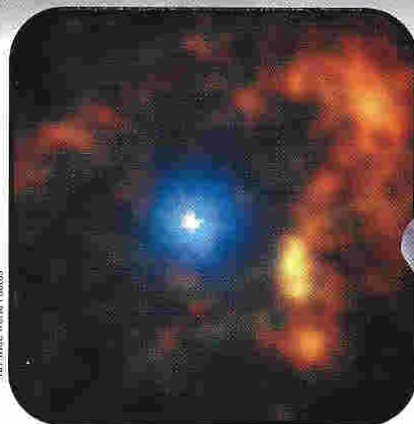
In September, Microsoft Corp. Chairman Bill Gates and his wife Melinda announce the creation of the Gates Millennium Scholars Program. The Gateses will donate \$1 billion over the next 20 years to finance scholarships for minority college students.



A bumper sticker invites drivers to call a toll-free number to report reckless driving. Officials hope the system will help parents stay informed about their teenagers' driving habits.

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Science News



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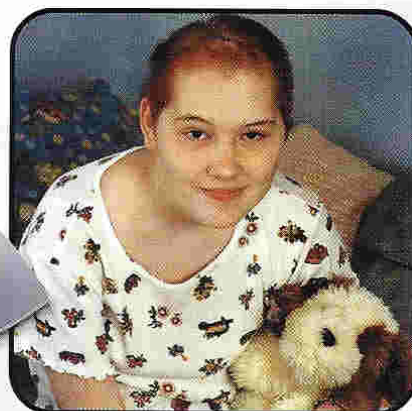
In August, NASA releases photos from the Chandra X-ray orbiting telescope of a hot cloud of gas from a star that exploded more than three centuries ago. The telescope took 23 years and \$1 billion to develop.

FEELit technology allows users to experience computer technology through their mouse. Users can "feel" buttons, text, the weight of a stuffed desktop folder and the groove of a scroll bar.

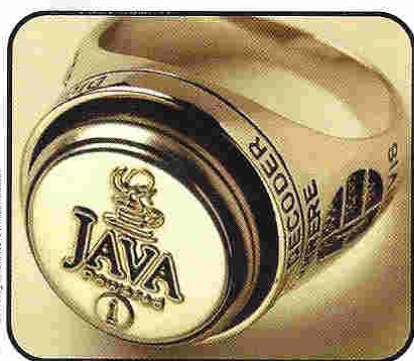


Immersion Corporation

Fifteen-year-old Amber Ramirez undergoes surgery in which half of her brain is removed to stop the spread of a rare neurological disease. Doctors hope the remaining portion of Ramirez's brain will compensate for the removed tissue.



Lincoln Journal Star



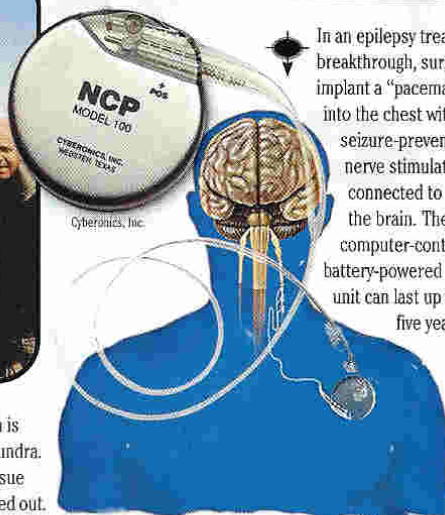
Courtesy of Dallas Semiconductor

The Java Ring contains a computer chip providing electronic access into buildings for students. Eventually the ring could be used as a library card, digital wallet, electronic ID and authentication for students' online homework.



AP/Wide World Photos

The body of a 23,000-year-old woolly mammoth is discovered in October frozen in the Russian tundra. Study of the preserved fur, organs and soft tissue could unlock the mystery of why the species died out.



Cyberonics, Inc.

In an epilepsy treatment breakthrough, surgeons implant a "pacemaker" into the chest with a seizure-preventing nerve stimulator connected to the brain. The computer-controlled, battery-powered unit can last up to five years.



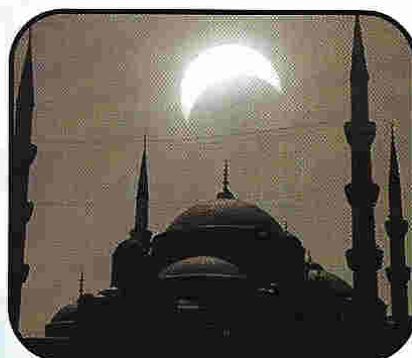
Cellura/Science Photo Researchers

In August, U.S. surgeons begin using computer-enhanced robotic technology for heart bypass surgery. Because the chest cavity is never opened, this technique reduces pain and shortens recovery time.

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Researchers announce in July the creation of a cancerous human cell by genetically altering a normal one. This significant breakthrough is an important step toward developing drugs that could potentially wipe out cancer.

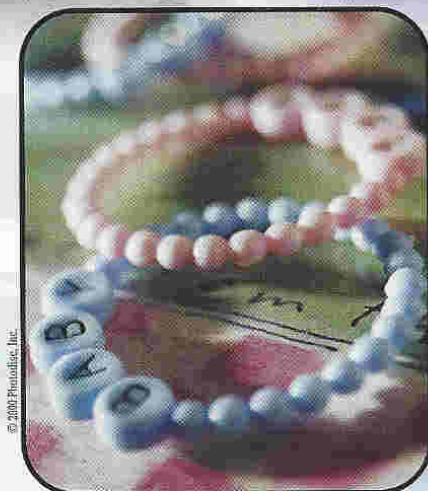
In December, IBM announces a \$100 million research initiative to build a supercomputer 500 times more powerful than current models.



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On August 11, the last total solar eclipse of the millennium crosses the globe. Thousands of people from Canada to India experience daytime darkness during which the moon completely covers the sun.

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Parents, with help from their doctor, select the gender of their baby using a technique called MicroSort, which separates X-bearing (female-determining) and Y-bearing (male-determining) sperm. The success rate is about 92 percent for females and 69 percent for males.



Boeing Media



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Researchers report they have successfully altered the learning and memory behavior of mice by inserting a gene into their brains. This genetic-engineering breakthrough may be helpful in treating human learning disorders and Alzheimer's disease.



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Researchers at Massachusetts General Hospital reveal in July that they have successfully regenerated the central nervous system of lab rats with severed spinal cords. Applications for human paralysis treatment are very encouraging.



A new board game, Infection, hits stores in July. Fun and educational, players race around the board catching diseases, described in detail, and trying to be cured.

In October, Sea Launch Company, a multi-national consortium, launches the first commercial satellite into space from a floating platform in the Pacific Ocean. Boeing is a major partner in the venture, along with companies in Russia, Ukraine and Norway.

The jawbones of two kangaroo-sized dinosaurs are discovered in Madagascar in October. Dated to the early Triassic period, 230 million years ago, the bones could be the oldest dinosaur fossils ever found.



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In October, biologists isolate one of the enzymes that sets Alzheimer's disease in motion. This scientific discovery will lead to new treatments and, possibly, a cure. Over 4 million Americans, including former President Ronald Reagan, are living with the disease.

Flash

In June, scientists announce the creation of two new elements. The nucleus of new, super-heavy element 118 decays into element 116 within a millisecond.

Scientists studying Albert Einstein's preserved brain report it has unique characteristics. The region governing mathematical ability and spatial reasoning is significantly larger than normal.



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To mark the 30th anniversary of the first moon landing, astronaut Neil Armstrong's lunar footprint is featured on a 1999 postage stamp.

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Lifestyle News



Cosmetic companies increasingly use entertainment celebrities instead of models for their advertisements. Sarah Michelle Gellar, Jennifer Love Hewitt, Jennifer Lopez and Shania Twain are among the celebs who appear in ads.

The fashion accessory of 1999 goes by many names—power beads, mood beads and prayer beads. Many sellers claim the beads boost tranquility, energy, creativity and intelligence.



Airlines begin installing elaborate in-flight entertainment systems that allow passengers to watch movies, play computer games, listen to music, read headlines or browse the Internet.



With the huge increase in cell phones, many cities enact laws restricting their use while driving. Restaurants and theaters are also requiring patrons to turn phones off as a courtesy to others.



In August, a Levi Strauss & Co. megastore opens in San Francisco. The store features a hot tub where shoppers can soak in their jeans for the perfect fit and a computer-scanning system to help customers get the right size.

A continuation of the cargo pants trend, messenger bags with pockets galore hang at the hips of teens everywhere.



Flash

In December, Honda introduces Insight, a car that combines a conventional gasoline engine with a small electric motor, decreases ozone and carbon dioxide emissions and gets 80 mpg.

Several companies offer "digital wallets" for teens who want to shop online but don't have credit cards. Parents deposit money into an online account; then teens can spend the money at designated Web sites.



Apple Computer introduces its new iBook laptop in September. The super-slim, neon-colored units follow the highly successful launch of the translucent iMac desktop.



A new line of scented candles called Aromapharmacy comes in amber glass containers and looks like prescription drug bottles with creative names such as Ritalert, Cramprin and Valiumello.

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Wireless Web access becomes a reality in September when Sprint PCS announces the first nationwide wireless data service. Shortly thereafter, several other providers debut similar service for hand-held Web phones.

Globe Photos Inc./Andrew Russell



Shawls and wraps show up everywhere in the fashion world. Hollywood celebrities like Salma Hayek sport the fashion trend in all colors and fabrics.

Inline skaters can now power themselves along with the new Roller Cycle Personal Power Accelerator featuring a 1.5-hp-driven wheel. An optional spiked rubber tire for traction makes it also possible to use while cross-country skiing.



Roller Cycle

Kwame Redwine/WOL, Inc.



A Gap TV advertisement for vests starts a trend across America that has teenagers wearing the fashionable sleeveless jackets.

Several rappers start their own clothing lines, making hip-hop wear big business. Popular artist labels include FUBU, Roc-A-Wear, Phat Farm, Wu Wear, Sean John and X-Large.

Flash

Teenagers need an average of nine hours and 15 minutes of sleep a night, according to research at Brown University's Bradley Hospital. The study also shows a direct correlation between school grades and duration of sleep.

An influx of dot-com companies advertise on television. Ads during the Super Bowl sell for an average of \$2.2 million per 30-second commercial.

Courtesy Magellan Corporation



Magellan, a satellite navigation system for motorists, offers complete U.S. mapping data, voice and visual instructions in seven languages, turn-by-turn directions and a library of points of interest.

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Stretchy nylon jewelry that looks like skin tattoos is a big hit in 1999. The nylon bands are worn around necks, wrists, arms and ankles, and come in several colors.



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California Prune Board

A growing number of U.S. school cafeterias offer pruneburgers, a healthy low-fat combination of hamburger and prune puree. Other prune items in the works include hot dogs, pizza sauce, barbecue sauce and gingerbread cookies.

Entertainment News



The Sixth Sense with Bruce Willis and Haley Joel Osment is the No. 1 box office hit for five consecutive weekends in the summer.



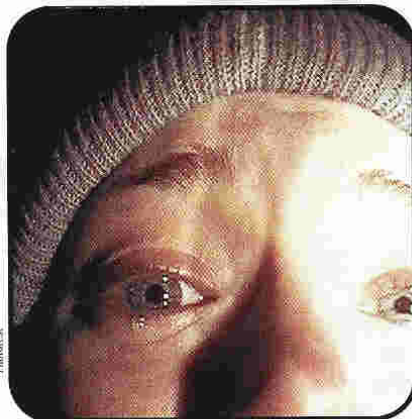
Video game fans snap up a record 15,000 copies of Sega's highly anticipated Dreamcast system in the first 24 hours after its launch in September.



ABC's summer fill-in quiz show "Who Wants to Be a Millionaire," with host Regis Philbin, returns in November and is a huge hit with viewers. By January 2000, several major networks launch quiz shows of their own.



After 19 nominations, Susan Lucci finally wins an Emmy Award for best actress in a daytime drama series for her role as Erica Kane on the ABC soap opera "All My Children."



The Blair Witch Project, the year's surprise movie hit, is the documentary-style footage of three students lost in the Maryland woods and threatened by the presumed Blair Witch. The film costs \$100,000 to make and grosses \$140 million.

Launched in January 1999, MTV's "The Tom Green Show" becomes one of the season's most popular shows. The Canadian host's bizarre man-on-the-street pranks are the show's main attraction.



Flash

Tom Hanks and Tim Allen return as the voices of Woody and Buzz Lightyear in the animated feature *Toy Story 2*. The sequel breaks box-office records during its Thanksgiving release and wins a Golden Globe award.

In a botched stunt, WWF wrestler Owen Hart falls from the rafters at Kemper Arena and dies in front of 16,300 fans.



Jennifer Love Hewitt leaves "Party of Five" to star in her own Fox television drama, "Time of Your Life." The show focuses on Hewitt's character trying to make it in New York while searching for her biological father.

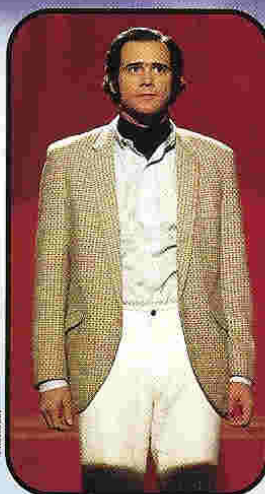
In June, Mike Myers' sequel *Austin Powers: The Spy Who Shagged Me* proves to be a bigger hit than the 1997 original. Dr. Evil's alter ego Mini-Me is extremely popular even though he has no lines.

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Konami Corporation of America, Inc.

The new arcade game Guitar Freaks features two guitar controllers and a screen to help players follow along to popular songs.



PhotoFest

In December, actor Jim Carrey portrays zany comedian Andy Kaufman in *Man on the Moon*. Carrey wins a Golden Globe award for his performance.

American Beauty, starring Kevin Spacey, Annette Bening and Thora Birch, captures the Golden Globe Best Drama Award. The dark satire of suburbia and family dysfunction receives a total of six Golden Globe nominations.



PhotoFest



Dreamworks Television

Set in 1980, the critically acclaimed NBC show "Freaks and Geeks" follows two groups of teens trying to make their way through high school.

The long-awaited prequel *Star Wars: Episode I The Phantom Menace* hits theaters in May 1999, taking in a record-breaking \$28.5 million on its opening day and going on to gross more than \$420 million.



PhotoFest



Six Flags Great Escape

Medusa, the world's first floorless roller coaster, opens in August at Six Flags Great Escape in New Jersey. The 4,000-foot, toe-dangling ride has enough drops, loops, rolls and corkscrews to thrill every rider.



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In September, the New Roc City entertainment center opens in New York. The complex includes an amusement park ride on the roof, two skating rinks, 19 movie screens, restaurants, an arcade, a health club, a supermarket and a hotel.

Flash

Michael J. Fox announces in January 2000 he will leave the popular ABC sitcom "Spin City" at the end of the season to promote awareness of Parkinson's disease in hopes of finding a cure.

After 10 seasons, Fox cancels the hit show "Beverly Hills, 90210." The show followed characters through high school, college and careers.



The Everett Collection

The Talented Mr. Ripley, starring Matt Damon, Gwyneth Paltrow, Jude Law and Cate Blanchett, opens in December and earns popular and critical praise.

2000

Music News



Reuters/Inigo Pelaez/Archive Photos

Released in June, Santana's *Supernatural* shoots up the *Billboard* album chart, sells over 6 million copies, and earns 10 Grammy nominations.

Britney Spears' album *...Baby One More Time* is the second-best-selling album of 1999, earning Spears the *Billboard* Music Awards Female and New Artist of the Year Awards.



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U.S. sales of music by Latin artists shoot up 48 percent in the first quarter of 1999 thanks to artists such as Ricky Martin, Jennifer Lopez, Enrique Iglesias and Marc Anthony.



AP/Wide World Photos/Laura Rauch

Superstar Mariah Carey releases *Rainbow* in November and begins a world tour in February 2000. Carey is named *Billboard* Music Awards Artist of the Decade and is awarded the distinguished American Music Award of Achievement.



© Mitchell Serfati/Corbis

Limp Bizkit leads the way in the resurgence of rock music, along with Kid Rock and Korn. In September, MTV showcases the trend by airing "1999: Return of the Rock," which examines the history and future of rock music.

Saturday Night Live: The Musical Performances Volumes 1 and 2 are released in September. The CDs feature 30 of the 600 musical acts that have appeared on SNL over the past 25 years.

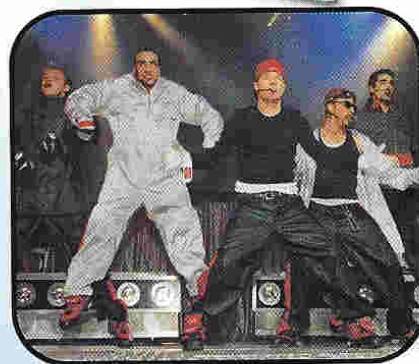


Computer games feature big music stars on their soundtracks. Sheryl Crow contributes her talent to the *Tomorrow Never Dies* soundtrack; Metallica to *Hot Wheels Turbo Racing* and Naughty by Nature to *NBA Live 2000*.

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Sheryl Crow, Eric Clapton and the Dixie Chicks are a few musicians who rock Central Park in a first-ever trimulcast concert seen and heard on the radio, television and Internet.

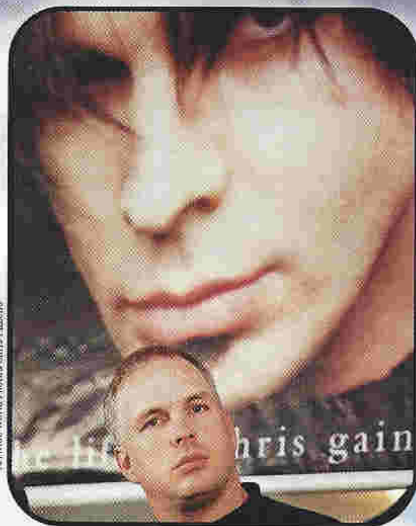
More than 1 million viewers tune in each weekday to vote on their favorite videos on MTV's "Total Request Live" with host Carson Daly and popular musical guests.



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Backstreet Boys' *Millennium* wins the *Billboard* Music Awards Album of the Year and becomes the best-selling album of the year with over 10 million copies sold.

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In a strange twist, Garth Brooks releases the album *The Life of Chris Gaines* in which he pretends to be a fictional rock star. Gaines will be the main character in a movie called *The Lamb*, currently in development.



Lou Bega's rhythmic "Mambo No. 5" hits the Top 40 in August after selling 2 million copies overseas and topping the chart in 15 countries.



MP3, technology that compresses sound into a very small file, becomes a popular alternative to the CD. MP3 files are downloaded from the Internet onto computers or portable player units, making it possible to take a personal music selection anywhere.

VH1's "Concert of the Century" spotlights the importance of music education in schools. The all-star show includes Lenny Kravitz, Sheryl Crow, Eric Clapton and B.B. King, as well as high-profile actors.

Flash

After a successful New Year's Eve reunion performance, the Judds begin their first tour in almost 10 years in February 2000. Since they disbanded in 1991, Naomi has recovered from Hepatitis C.

Best New Artist Grammy nominee Christina Aguilera gives an exciting performance during the Super Bowl XXXIV halftime show.

"NetAid," a concert dedicated to relieve hunger and poverty, airs live in October on MTV, VH1, the BBC, as well as radio stations in 120 nations, making it the widest-heard musical performance in history.



Shania Twain becomes the first woman since 1986 to win the Country Music Association's Entertainer of the Year Award at the 33rd annual awards show.



Fiona Apple releases her long-awaited second album to rave reviews in November and begins a tour in February 2000. The album features a 90-word title, which is commonly shortened to *When the Pawn*.

2000

Ricky Martin takes the music industry by storm after his show-stopping performance at the 1999 Grammy Awards show. Martin's first chart-topping single, "Livin' la Vida Loca," helps him win the *Billboard* Music Award for Male Artist of the Year.



Sports News



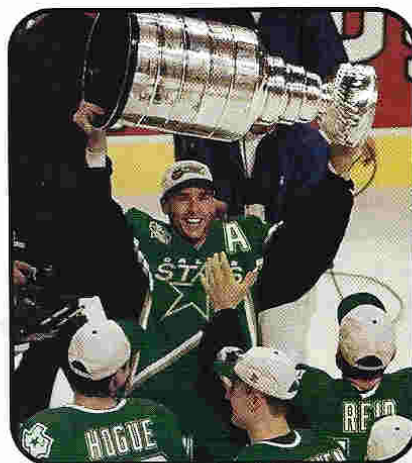
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David Cone of the New York Yankees pitches a perfect game against the Montreal Expos in July. Cone's feat is the 14th perfect game in modern baseball history.



William Stott/Liaison Agency

Lance Armstrong wins the 1999 Tour de France in July. Armstrong, who survived a three-year battle with testicular cancer, becomes the second American to win the event.



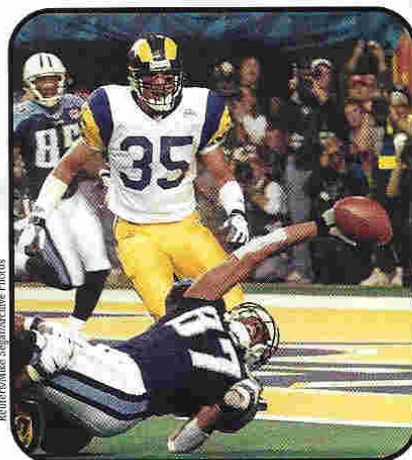
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The Dallas Stars beat the Buffalo Sabres 2-1 in triple overtime to win the 1999 Stanley Cup championship, four games to two.

Golf champion Payne Stewart is killed in a bizarre airplane accident in October. After the airplane's takeoff from Florida, an apparent loss of cabin pressure incapacitates everyone aboard. The aircraft flies on autopilot for four hours until it runs out of fuel and crashes in South Dakota.



Rusty Jarrett/Allsport



Reuters/Alta Sigurdson/Photo

The St. Louis Rams stop the Tennessee Titans at the 1-yard line on a final play to save their 23-16 Super Bowl XXXIV victory.



AP/Wide World Photos

In September, tennis phenom Serena Williams, 17, overpowers Martina Hingis to win the 1999 U.S. Open title.



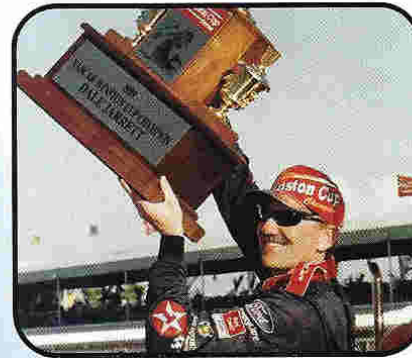
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The Houston Comets earn their third straight WNBA championship in September, beating the New York Liberty 59-47 to win in three straight games.

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Both Detroit Lions running back Barry Sanders and German tennis star Steffi Graf announce their retirement in 1999.

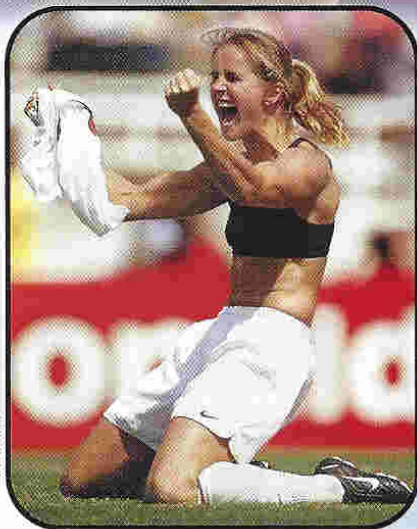
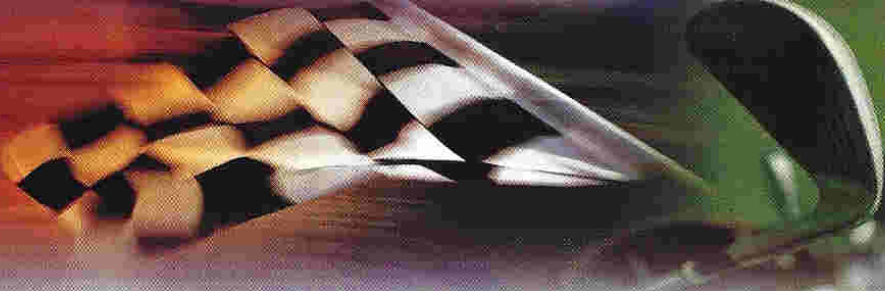
On February 7, 2000, Tiger Woods wins his sixth consecutive PGA Tour event, tying Ben Hogan's 1948 winning record.



AP/Wide World Photos/Tony Kenna

Dale Jarrett wins the 1999 NASCAR Winston Cup championship after a four-victory season.

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▲ In July, the U.S. women's soccer team wins the 1999 World Cup by beating China 5-4 in penalty kicks following a 0-0 tie. More than 90,000 fans attend at the Rose Bowl and another 40 million watch on television.



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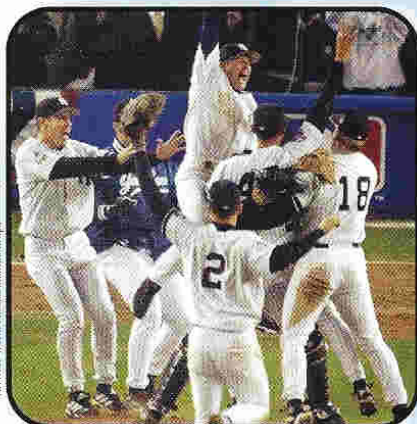
▲ Travis Pastrana, 15, wins the gold medal in the X Games' inaugural Moto X freestyle motocross event. The fifth year of this ESPN-sponsored competition is held in San Francisco in June and July.

▲ In the January 2000 Sugar Bowl, No. 1 Florida State beats No. 2 Virginia Tech 46-29 to capture the National Championship.

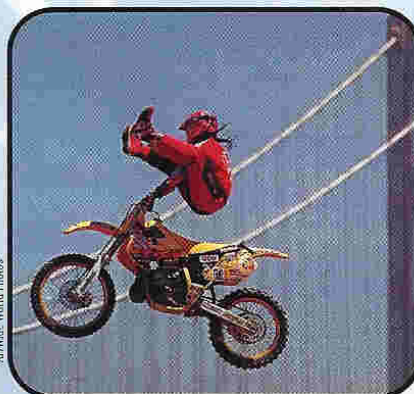
▲ Andre Agassi wins the French Open in June and becomes the fifth man ever to complete a career Grand Slam. Agassi goes on to win the U.S. Open in September.



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▲ The New York Yankees win the 1999 World Series in a four-game sweep against the Atlanta Braves.



AP/Wide World Photos

▲ In June, the San Antonio Spurs win their first NBA championship by defeating the New York Knicks four games to one.



AP/Wide World Photos

▲ The U.S. team beats the European team to win golf's Ryder Cup at Brookline, Massachusetts, in September. The American's stirring comeback is marred by unruly galleries and a premature victory celebration.

Flash

In July, many major league baseball umpires announce their resignation as a labor protest. The strategy backfires when owners accept the resignations and in September, 22 umpires lose their jobs.

In January 2000, Michael Jordan returns to pro basketball as part owner and President for Basketball Operations of the NBA's Washington Wizards.



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▲ Twenty-year professional hockey veteran Wayne Gretzky announces his retirement in April 1999 after setting or tying 61 records. Two months later, "The Great One" is inducted into the Hockey Hall of Fame.

2000

Millennium

Clock Tower
Ottawa, Canada

Pyramids
Cairo, Egypt

Times Square
New York City,
New York

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Patrick Robert/Corbis Sygma

As time zones welcome the new millennium on January 1, the world celebrates with grandeur, pageantry and spectacular fireworks. President Clinton gives a hopeful speech in the minutes before midnight at the Washington Monument, and 2 million people gather in Times Square to watch the specially built 1,000-pound Waterford crystal ball drop at midnight.

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The Eiffel Tower
Paris, France

Space Needle
Seattle, Washington

Flash

The public and private sectors spend hundreds of millions of dollars to ward off the Y2K bug. The world lets out a sigh of relief after midnight strikes and no major computer malfunctions occur.

The FBI warns of possible terrorist acts on New Year's Eve and stays on national alert throughout the celebration. After the arrest of one man with bomb-making materials, Seattle decides to cancel its Space Needle celebration.

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Fearing the collapse of the world's banks, utilities and transportation systems, thousands of people stock up on food, water, money, ammunition and generators. After midnight, it soon becomes apparent that the preparations were unnecessary.

A surprising number of people, appalled by the exorbitant costs of travel and events, decide to stay home on New Year's Eve. Many companies and performers drastically slash prices as a last-minute lure.

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