



National Honor Society Induction

—Jeremy Bradley and Katie Blankenship



Students Justin Corbin and Heather Correll enjoy refreshments after the induction.



Seniors Adam Roth, Elizabeth Platt, and Robert London.

National Honor Society Officers

Crystal Burkle, president
 Haley McCreery, vice president
 Brittony Schulte, secretary
 Drew Scherderer, treasurer
 Kai Blankenship, reporter



Vigil for peace held Sunday, 1600 world-wide communities in more than 80 countries join candlelight vigils to express their opposition to the war.

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"I think it is a good thing that people on both sides of the issue are showing how they feel."

—Heather Mottz, III

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New members: Crystal Burkle, James H. McCroory, and James H. McCroory.



NIS President Crystal Burkle inducts new members.



Vice President Haley McCroory speaks on scholarship.



Junior Kisha Daulton sings "I Hope You Dance."



Direct Jimmy Wood, Patricia Yeckle, Tim Starwal, Shanna Sullivan, Matt Miller

2003 Inductees

- Mykal Abbott
- Matthew Box
- Michael Blair
- Melanie Boots
- Jacob Bradley
- Ryan Brooker
- Jody Bunn
- Jamie Burditt
- Katie Burkle
- Sarah Cox
- Amber Davenport
- AJ Degaffer
- Becky Duran
- Lucas Eisenberry
- Nichole Flaugh
- Megan Forester
- Lindsey Gambill
- Jeremy Haley
- James Hanks
- Janna Harden
- Amanda Herriman
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- Jessica Kirkweg
- Tanya Kosler
- Britney Lodge
- Brittany Maher
- Colleen McDevitt
- Matt Miller
- Keri Mueller
- Bryan Nalkous
- Travis Schaller
- Angeline Schulte
- Shawn Schulte
- Christin Smith
- Timothy Starwal
- Shanna Sullivan
- Joseph Welch
- Jeremy Wolphmeyer
- Kesha Wiskamp
- Jimmy Wood
- Patricia Yeckle



Choir Concert



Dunkita Hort, Nikki Sanders, Dumelle Albertson, Megan Twyman, Katy Lory



Tilly Crane, Aaron Salisbury, Casey Parkhurst, Dorek Wood, Gruba Blyskal, Patrick Smith, Levi Chapman, Danny Nahrad



Choir members directed by Ms. Julie Platt, prepare for contest during a spring concert.



junior Olympics

— — — Jenny Raynor



Genesis Cain takes a break from the competition.



Sophomore Isabelle Smith helps out the little kids.



All the kids start to love the Olympics after the games.

Current Events

The US invades Iraq. The invasion is called Operation Iraqi Freedom.

"We feel that the Iraqi people deserve freedom and democracy. It is time for Saddam's removal."

Kevin Doherty and Chey O'Neil

"War kills innocent people and makes me sad. It is uncalled for."
Cora Elliott, 10



Junior Justin Daulton shows good sportsmanship by cheering on the other teams.



Junior Mandi Long cheers for the kids.

Students Coach Elementary Students



Bandits of Love

Cast

Freddie - Kyle Quigley
 Beatty - Jamie Kerner
 Chuck - Tony Sammons
 B.B. Jacobs - Sean Ryan
 Bubbs - David Berke

Sonny - Aaron Ferguson
 Lisa - Sarah Tallershall
 Dolores - Louise Hubner
 Mrs. Van Derade - Katy Lucy
 Officer Rooney - Joe Davis

Carla - Deanna Boardman
 Mr. Ferrage - Abby Knapp
 Bank President Hobbs - Adam Raynor
 Actor - Jeremy Bradley
 Actor - Dawn Dreyer

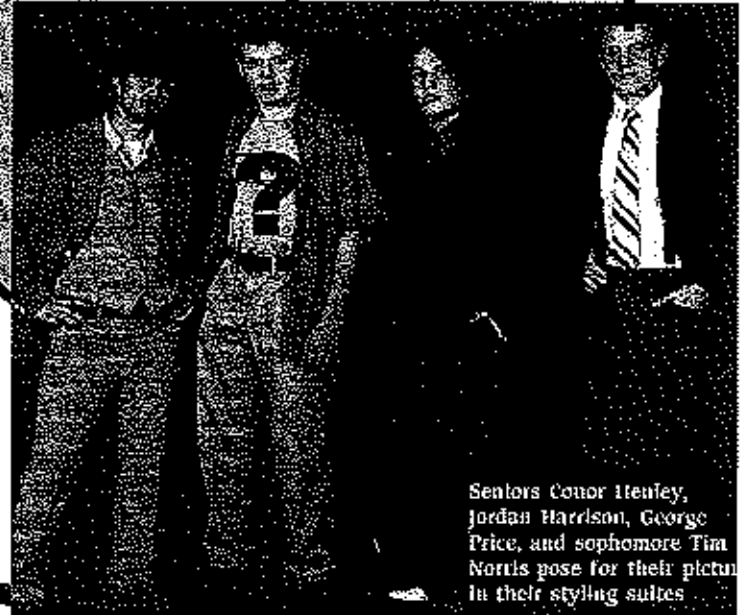


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March Madness



The crowd circles to watch Oad on the dance floor



Seniors Conor Henley, Jordan Harrison, George Price, and sophomore Tim Norris pose for their picture in their styling suits



Senior girls bring back the 80's in 2003



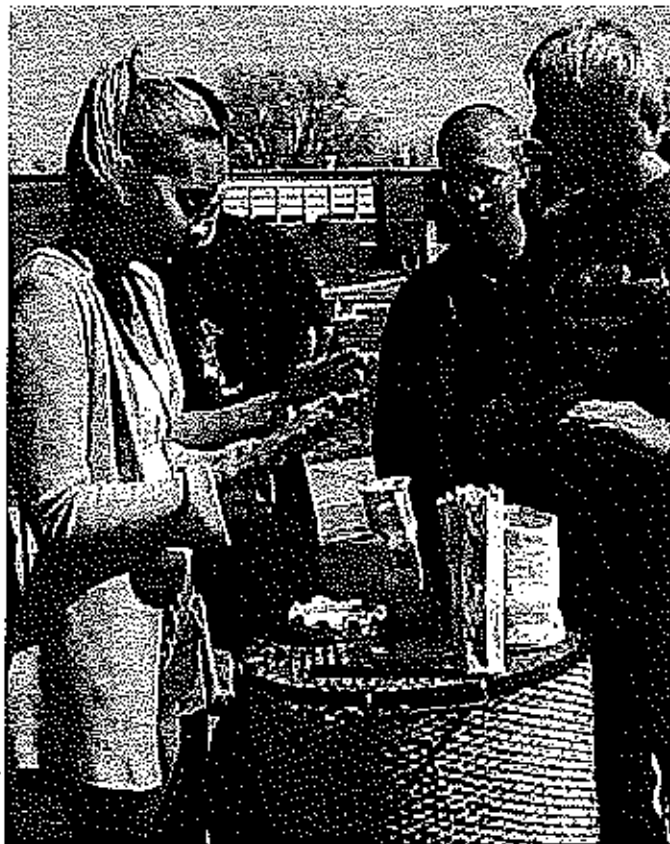
Senior Kyle Grimes breaks out her dance moves

Current Events



raku firing

Jeremy Bradley & Katie Blankenship



Sophomore Amanda Pratt waits as her pot is being fired in the kiln.



After all of the pottery was fired and glazed students sold their pottery during lunch shifts.



Senior Trista Sanders prepares to take her pot out of the smoldering heat.

Ms. Gainey's art students finished up their pottery/ ceramics unit with a raku firing and pot sale. After the pots were built, glazed, and bisque fired, it was time for the raku firing.

The pots were first put into the kiln to start the process. After 10-15 minutes of intense heat, the cover was lifted and students took their pots to a container of wood chips and straw. The containers were covered and the lack of oxygen caused color changes in the glaze. Then the students quickly took their pots to a bucket of water to stop the color from changing. After the pots were scrubbed, the vibrant teals and blues shined.

Ms. Gainey and her art students had a successful and firing day of pottery. "It was very interesting, and I thoroughly enjoyed the instant gratification of my finished piece of artwork," said junior Ashley Durcan.

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Relay for Life Held at Eldon High School

On April 4, 2003, FCCLA sponsored the first ever Youth Relay for Life event at the high school track. Several clubs and classes sponsored teams, with each team member raising \$50. This money went to cancer research efforts. Due to the cold weather, the event was moved to the high school gym. A student from each team walked continuously throughout the night until 6 AM Saturday, April 5.

Senior Kari Blankenship said, "The night was a lot of fun, and it served a very good cause. It was cool to have everyone together, all night, at once. It would have been even greater if it had been warmer outside."

A good time was had by all and much money was raised to aid cancer research efforts.



Above: Students stayed out all night in the cold to raise money for cancer research.



Left: Students made quilts a display as they pitched their tents along the football field.

current event

Secretary of State Colin Powell says Iran must stop its drive for weapons of mass destruction, and Syria must end its support for terrorism.

- Justin Conklin, 11th -- *In my view, Powell couldn't possibly be more on track with his statement. Recently, it was mentioned that Syria was aiding Iraqi forces with night vision goggles, and Iran has offered aid as well. I believe this must be stopped.*

Relay for Life



City Slickers

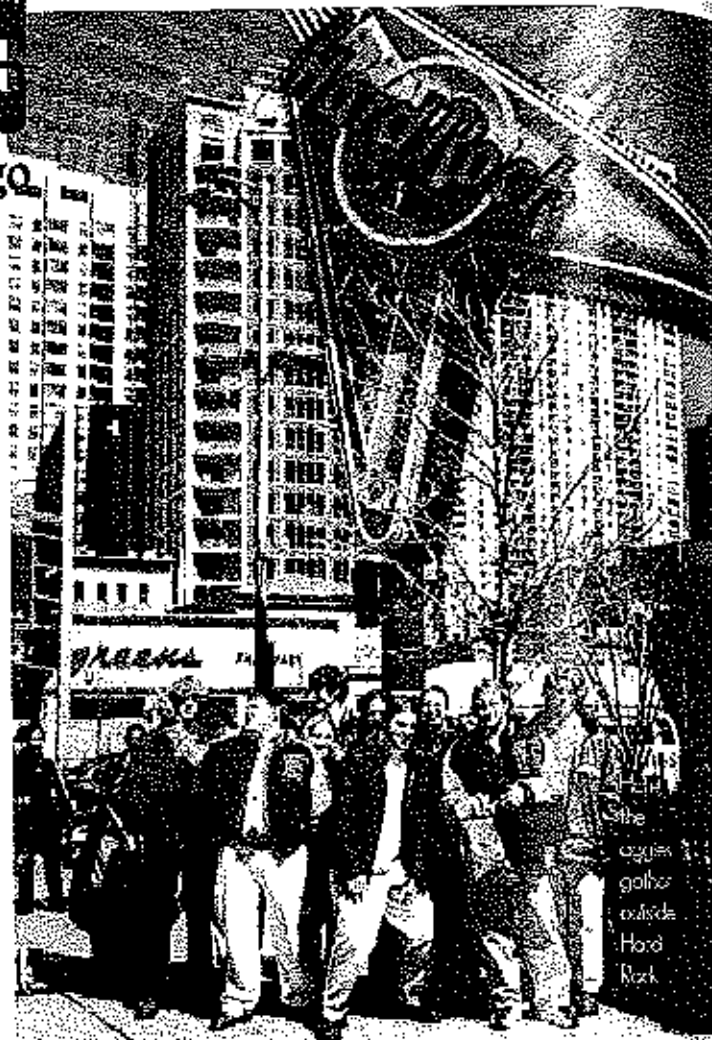
FFA Members head to Chicago

After an early morning flight to Chicago, FFA members visited the Chicago Board of Trades, where they saw the stock exchange of agriculture crops. Then they ate at Hooters and Rainforest Cafe. After lunch they went to the Chicago Mercantile Exchange where they witnessed the animal exchange. Next, they visited the Sears Tower, went to the top, and overlooked the city. Their last stop was at the shopping centers downtown. After a busy day, they headed back to catch their flight. Brandon Bysor affirms, "We had a great time. It was worth it."

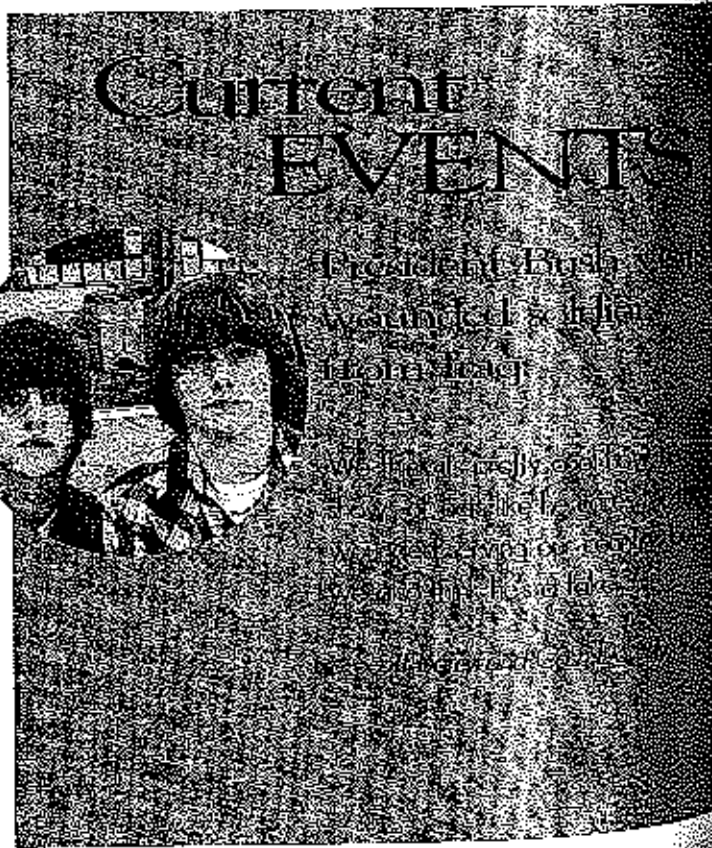
Kari Blankenship



Brandon Bysor, Joe Cronin, and another man enjoy their time at Hooters.



Here the aggies gather outside Hooters.



Current EVENTS

President Bush was awarded a lifetime achievement award.

Well, it's really a little bit of a joke, but it's a good one.

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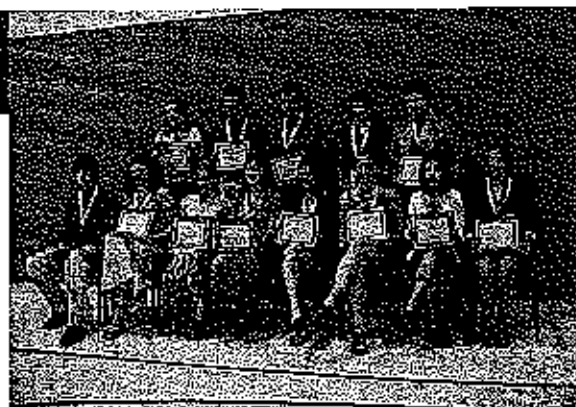
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TOP 10 PERCENT BANQUET

Freshmen

Scott Barry, Jessie Bever, Sarah Bisges, Dara Boardman, LeAnn DeGraffenreid, Nicole Griffey, Ashley Hildebrand, Sarah Jarrett, Rebecca Johnson, Brian Krank, Jennifer Langston, Sarah Pitman, Garrick Procter, John Schad, Patrick Smith, Clint Warnica



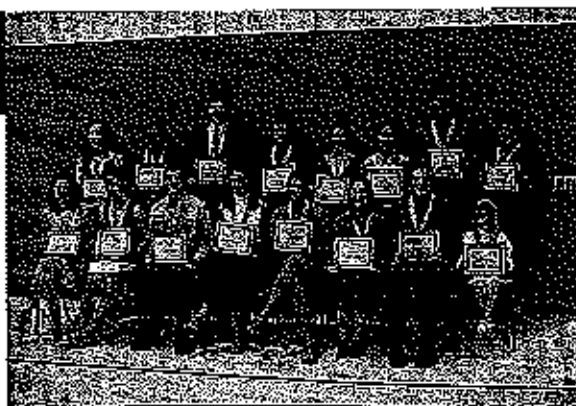
Sophomores

Michael Blair, Jamie Burditt, Katie Burkle, Mark Callison, Sarah Cox, Amanda Davenport, A.J. DeGraffenreid, Becky Doran, Cara Elliot, Lyndsey Gambill, Cooleen Huff, Britney Lodge, Colleen McDevitt, Keri Mueller, Angeline Schulte, Patricia Yeakle



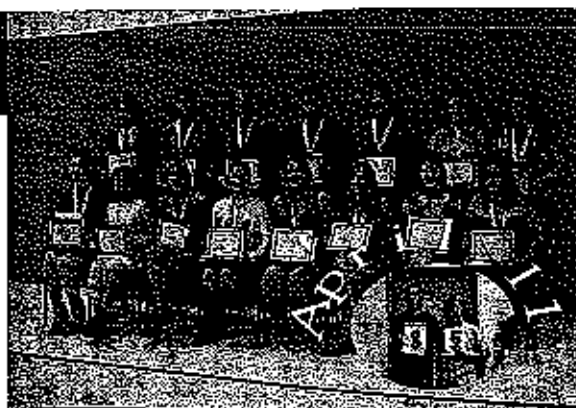
Juniors

Katie Blankenship, Heather Carroll, Jason Comer, Kasha Daulton, Jordan Drake, Haeli Dunston, Dylan Hex, Seth Jarrett, Jamie Koerner, Christopher Paynter, Adam Raynor, Drew Scheiderer, Brittany Schulte, Sarah Tattershall, Regan Wilson, Jaime Wright



Seniors

Katie Blankenship, Crystal Burkle, Erin Caine, Conor Greely, Shawn Hutchinson, Brittany King, Haley Greery, George Price, Kyle Quigley, Jenny Raynor, Tim Roth, Amanda Schad, Tarin Schmidt, Lacey Stark, Danille Stark

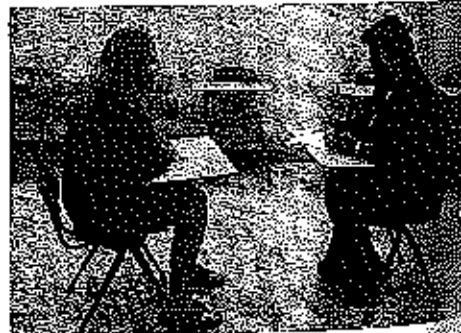


STUCO Officers Elected



2003-2004 Officers

- President,** Chris Paynter
- V. President,** Michael Groner
- Secretary,** Jordan Drake
- Treasurer,** Sarah Cox
- Reporter,** Colleen McDevitt



Juniors Jordan Drake and Michael Groner interview with STUCO sponsor Ms. Hess.



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State Proposes Cuts to Education Funding

Education funding became a critical topic for teachers, students, and parents as the Senate Appropriations Committee heard proposals to cut spending for the 2003-2004 school year. Under the proposal heard on April 14th, public schools and universities would face cuts between 10 and 15 percent during the next school year. Public elementary and secondary schools would lose \$275 million in state aid.

Superintendent Rodney Haley met with Board members and school administrators to discuss how those cuts would affect this district. According to Haley, "The Eldon R-I School District receives approximately 37% of total revenue from the state. When state funding is reduced, it affects our school district more than wealthier districts, but not as much as districts with less local wealth. In this geographic area the Eldon R-I District is affected more than some of our neighbors. Any time funding is reduced significantly enough to force budget cuts or to hinder the advancement of improvement it is an important issue. In order for the students of Missouri to compete in the World market, education should be a top priority when state monies are appropriated."

Funding cuts threatened the livelihood of certain programs. Specifically, the French and gifted programs were listed as possible cuts. The alternative school was also a consideration. Administrators were hesitant to make decisions before the state budget had been finalized.

Parents of graduating seniors would also be affected by education cuts. The proposal included cutting the Bright Flight scholarship from \$1,000 per semester to \$850 per semester. Likewise, students receiving funding from the A+ program would receive tuition but not books under the proposed plan.

Educators and parents were dismayed to hear that the school funding dilemma would probably continue over the next few years.

current event

After three weeks in captivity, seven American POWs were rescued by Marines.



Stephen Evers, freshman

"I'm happy for the families because I know what it is like not knowing where your loved ones are. My cousin is a Marine, and it must be nice knowing that your loved one is coming home."

Q & A How would cuts in education funding affect students?



"I really hate to see any class or teacher go. We have to realize what is best for the kids, but it's in the Board's hands."

Theresa Guthrie, 11

"I think losing the gifted program is bad. We need a gifted program to keep gifted kids busy and challenged."

Andy Homan, 10



"This will hurt the hard working strong academic student who is trying to go on to school and be better trained to be productive in our society."

Ms. Louise Jordan, Counselor





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Juniors Nizola Fonton and Keisha Daulton get wrapped up in the task of making trees.



April 21

Juniors Adam Raynix, Seth Jorrett, Regan Wilson, Kory Harnish, Jimmy Wood, Joel Baker, and Jason Marks.

Due to scheduling
juniors had no choice but to hold prom in the gym. The seniors were less than excited by the idea. However, the juniors were determined to cover every wall and to fill every corner. They began working on decorations three weeks before prom and worked late into the night the whole week prior to prom night. In the end, they gave everyone a memorable **Night Under the Stars.**

Katie
Prommanship

As prom night loomed ahead, the juniors faced a difficult task. problems, the



Left: Junior Jordan Drake glitters the stars that hang from the entryway.

Below: Juniors Leslie Hubner, Heather Carroll, Adam Raynor, and Kiesha Daulton glue together the staircase.



Before | How did you feel about prom when you found out it would be held in the gym?

"I had great expectations remembering proms of my past in school facilities."

"When I found out that prom was going to be in the gym, at first I had mixed feelings. I was used to prom at a fancy venue. I figured that they would decorate the gym well though."

"I was a little scared about what the outcome of prom would be, not necessarily for the juniors but for the seniors."



Mrs. Platt,
vocal director



Tanya Lasater,
senior



Nicole Fenton,
junior

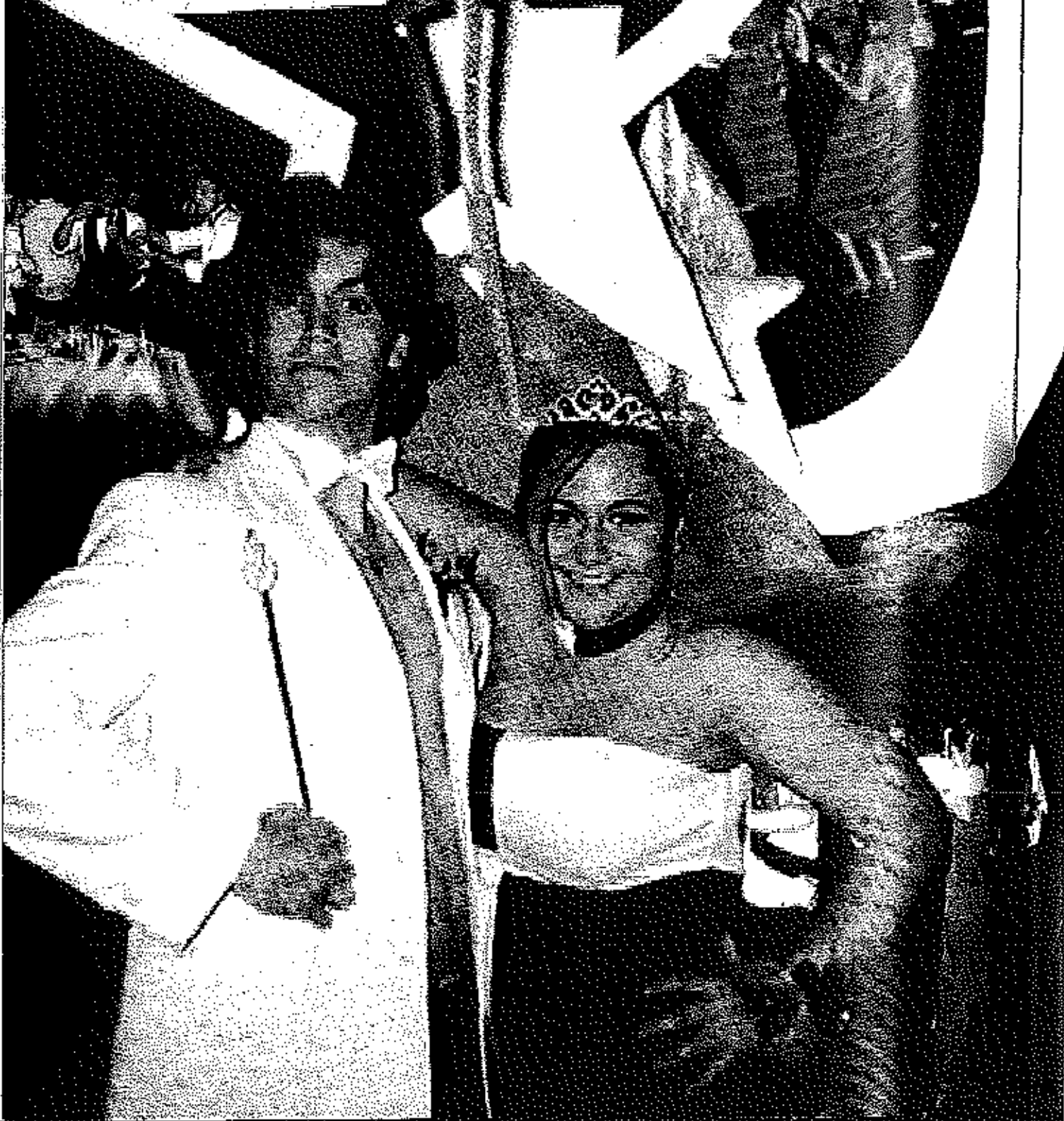
After | What was your reaction when you arrived at the gym prom night?

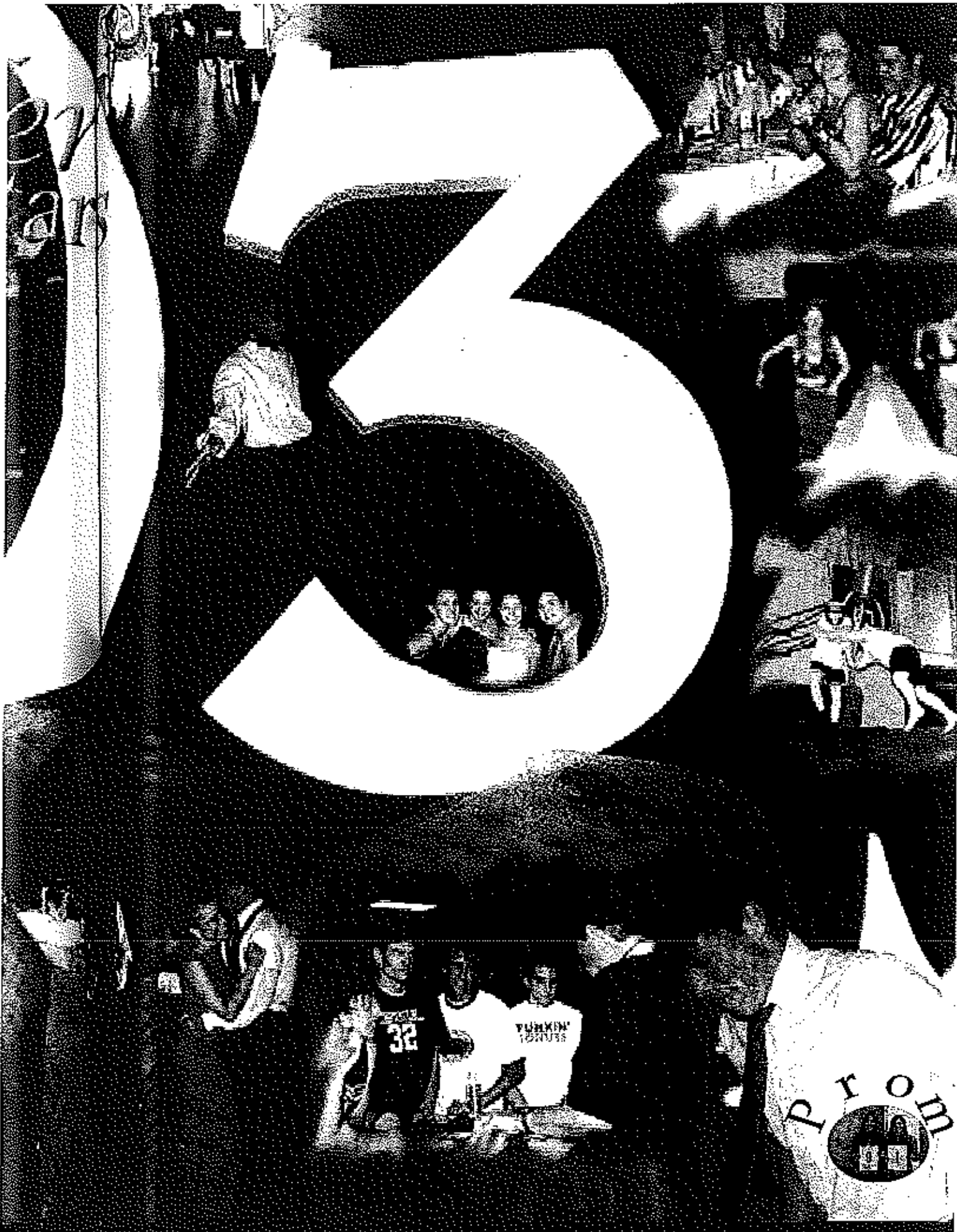
... proceeded very smoothly. All of the decorations were in place and the dancing was great. We had a great time and we had a wonderful prom. Overall, we had a great time and we had a wonderful prom. Overall, we had a great time and we had a wonderful prom.

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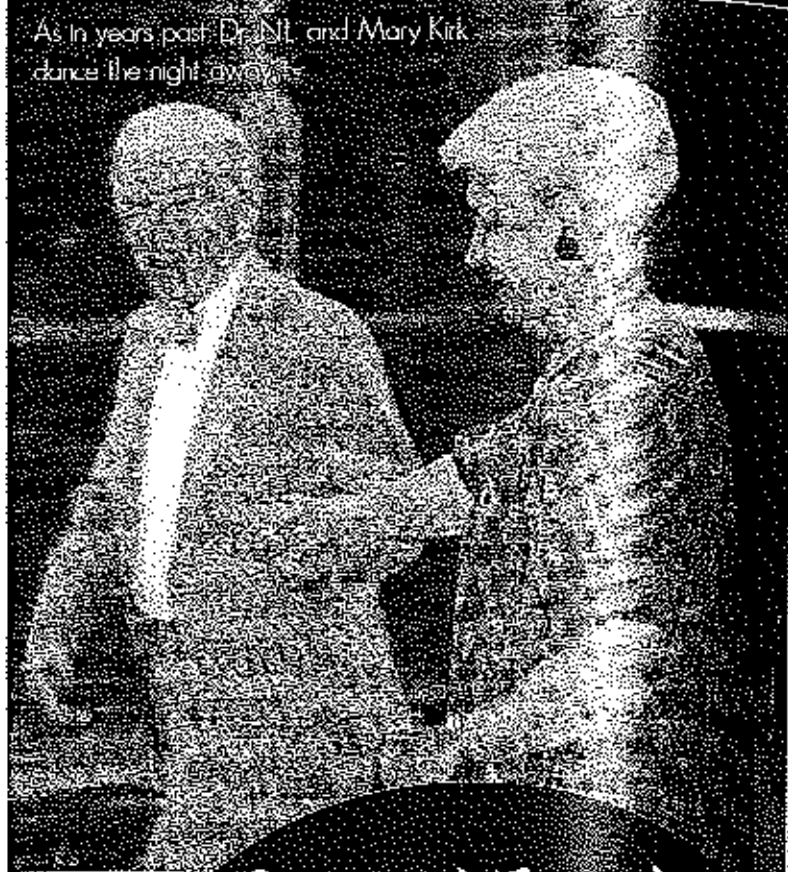
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PROM

Senior Citizens Prom



Attendees enjoy their time on the dance floor.



As in years past, Dr. DL and Mary Kirk dance the night away.



Tracy with his prize.



Tracy, Grade 12, spends time on the national flag.

Current Events

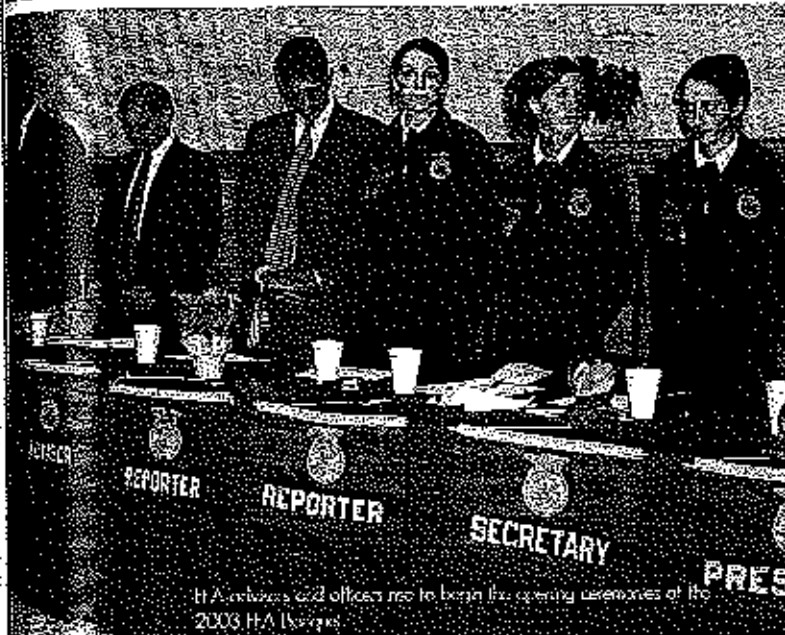
President Bush declares that the attack on Iraq is over and says that it is now time to begin the reconstruction of the Iraqi Government.



"I feel very glad that the war ended and not very many people got hurt."

Brandon Rodriguez,
freshman

Annual FFA BANQUET



FFA officers and officials pose to begin the opening ceremonies of the 2003 FFA National.



Formal dinner, pleasure items are received for 5th place of state.

Facing a New Day

The Midwest recovers from a week of tornado activity



Debris from the worst hit areas was found in neighboring towns and counties. This Stackton check was found in the yard of an Eldon resident.

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Where were you when the tornado sirens sounded in Eldon?



Chris Northrup
Senior



Kevin Groves
Senior



Eric Fanning
Junior



John Wood
Junior



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At least 51 died, including 17 deaths in Missouri.

Deaths were also reported in Arkansas and 13 in Tennessee.

The first of the deadly storms for the Missouri area hit the Camden area late Sunday evening between 7:30 and 8:00 p.m. The tornado killed three people and left dozens more injured. Emergency workers labored late into the night looking for survivors and clearing major debris, including fallen trees and downed power lines.

The storm also caused damage in Laclede, Miller and Morgan counties. In Pierce City, the damage was so devastating many residents questioned whether they would rebuild.

Some residents dug through the remains of their homes looking for their family mementos. They were stricken with fear as tornado warnings were issued Monday morning in several Missouri counties. Residents couldn't believe that they would be hit again.

On Tuesday afternoon, the weather sirens sounded in Mid-Missouri. In Eldon the baseball team had to take cover in one of the elementary schools. Many other students took shelter at home. In Jefferson City, the sirens sounded as some elementary students were preparing to board the buses home. Three schools decided to delay the buses to keep the children safe from the storm.

Later in the week President Bush announced that federal aid would be available to 39 Missouri counties that had been severely damaged by storms. In Mid-Missouri, Camden, Miller and Morgan counties would qualify for the federal aid.

Eldon Middle School Teacher Heidi Strobel is voted off SURVIVOR



"I thought it was really cool having a hometown hottie."



Mark Sidebottom,
sophomore

"I was surprised that she was voted off. I thought she would go a lot farther."



Lacey Asher,
freshman

"Heidi deserved to be voted off because she stabbed people in the back when it came down to the final four cut."



Sommer Taylor,
freshman

How did you react to seeing the destruction of the storms?

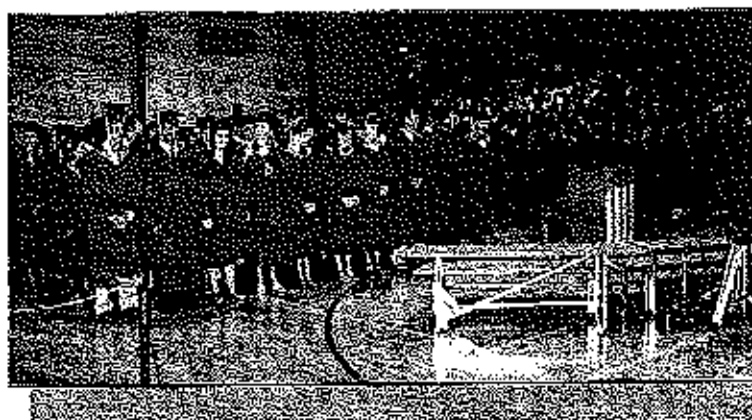
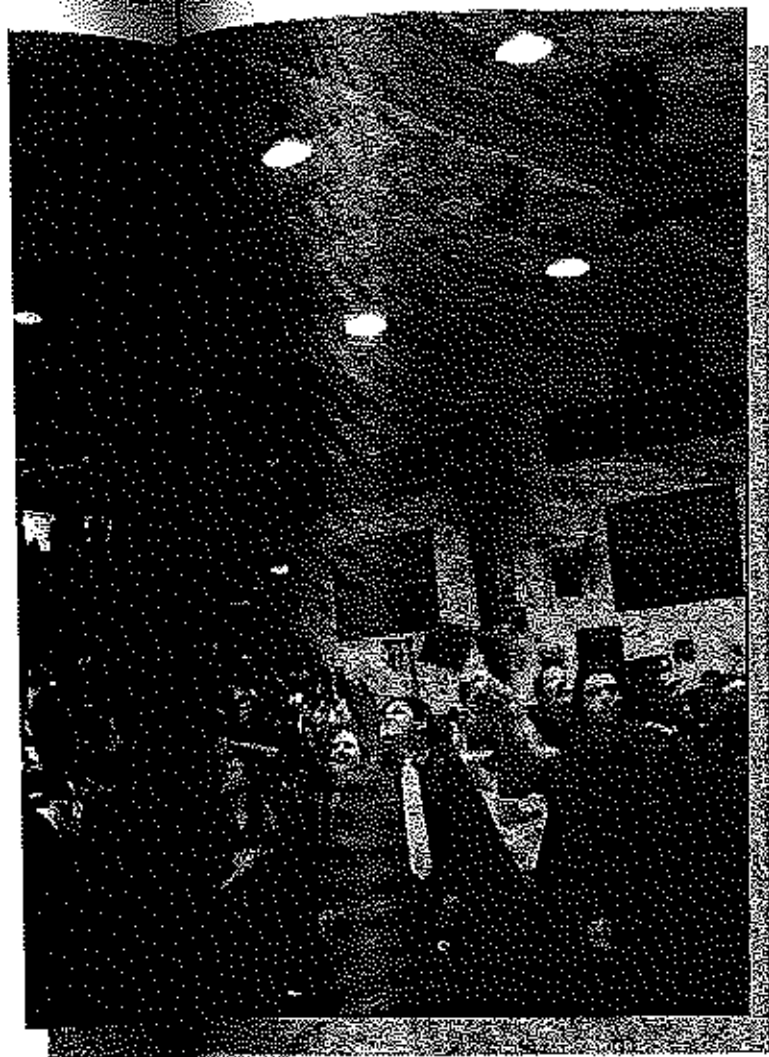




Valedictorian: Crystal Burke
Salutatorians: Conor Henley & Haley McCreary



Class of 2003



Coming Back after Memorial Day

"I didn't mind, but I thought it was counterproductive for the kids because they didn't take it seriously."



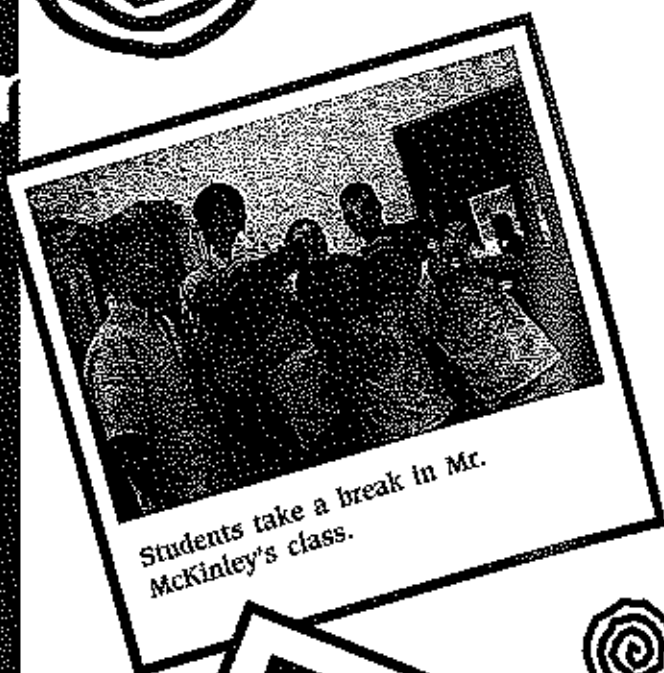
Mrs. Suzanne Henley

"I hated coming back after the holiday. I ended up grading finals instead of hosting the family BBQ."



Mrs. Tammy Martin

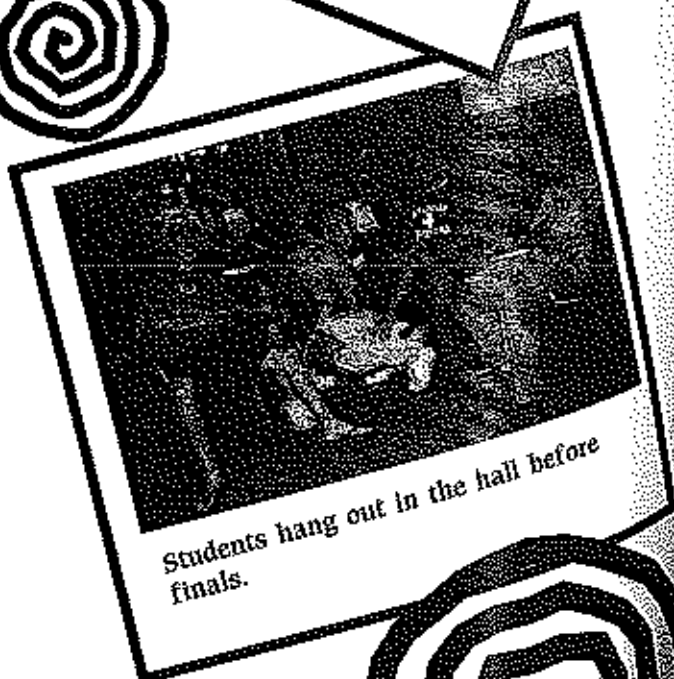
Last Week



Students take a break in Mr. McKinley's class.



Juniors Matt Mistler and Zach Wardenburg

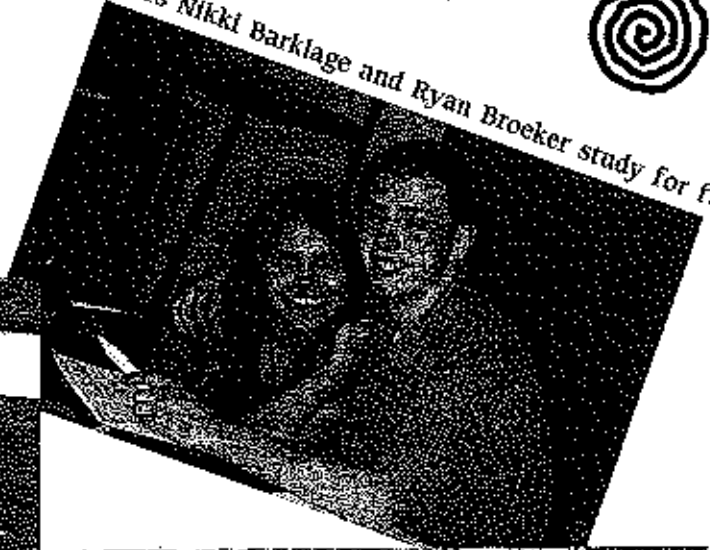


Students hang out in the hall before finals.

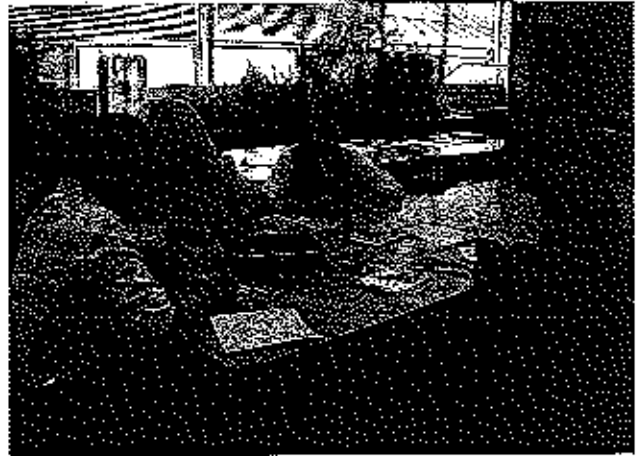
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School's Out for the summer!

Juniors Nikki Barklage and Ryan Broeker study for finals



Juniors Seth Jarrett and Adam Raynor clown around in Ms. Hess's room.



Mrs. Gainey, Sheri, Mrs. Townsley, and Mrs. Ramsey enjoy afterschool crafts in the art room.

Last Week



People
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CONNECTING

Us

— No man is an island

As independent as most of us think we are, we can't do everything by ourselves. There comes a time when we need others to help us out. Being in high school we have lots of friends that will always be there when that time comes. Not only are our friends there for us but also the staff at high school. I know we can all recall situations when teachers or secretaries have been there to assist. We are connected as humans, as high schoolers, as classmates, as friends. Without each other, life wouldn't be the same or nearly as fun. People need others in their life no matter how much they may think they don't, because no man is an island.



Cody Admire
Lacey Asher
Bryan Atwell
Scott Barty
Sara Beas



Jessie Bever
Sarah Biggs
Jordan Blansett
Dara Boardman
Ashley Boler



Brian Brewner
Colin Campbell
Justin Carpenter
Ian Carroll
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Jeremiah Clements
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 Chaston Farris

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 Joshua Fenton
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 Nicole Griffey
 Bryan Hand

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 Abbie Hartley
 Andy Hawk
 Alan Hees
 Tommy Helms

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 Frank Holleman
 Jennifer Holtz
 Mallory Hubbard

Thomas Hankapiller
 Tabatha Hurtubise
 Shaanon Inler
 Robert Jameson
 Sarah Jarrett

Levi Johannes
 Rebecca Johnson
 Trevor Johnson
 Alicia Jordan
 Joshua Juarez



Kendall Kompker
 Curtis King
 Penny Kirkweg
 Cody Klethermes
 Brian Kronk



Michael Kaykendall
 Joshua Landreth
 Jennifer Langston
 Taylor Lietzke
 Gregory Maples



Chris McDaniel
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 Nicole Milka
 T.J. Morris
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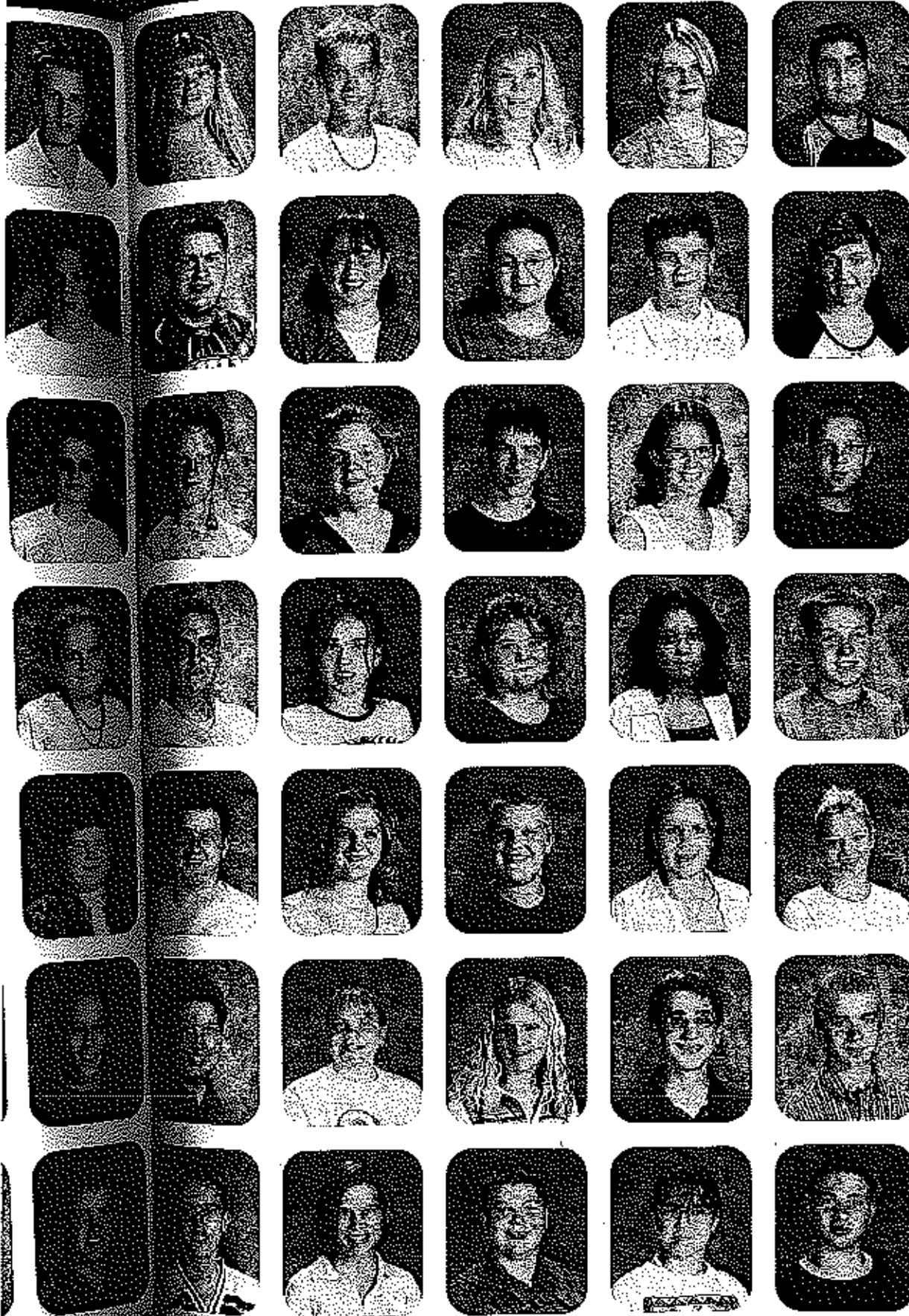


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 Beth Riley
 Brandon Rodriguez



Peter Rose
 K.C. Russel
 Bethany Ryno
 John Schad





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 Rita Scofield
 Cassandra Scroggins
 Christopher Scrna

Brian Shipman
 Amber Silvey
 Mary Ellen Smith
 Patrick Smith
 Tara Stone

Alex Sullins
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 James Baker



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Susan Geiger
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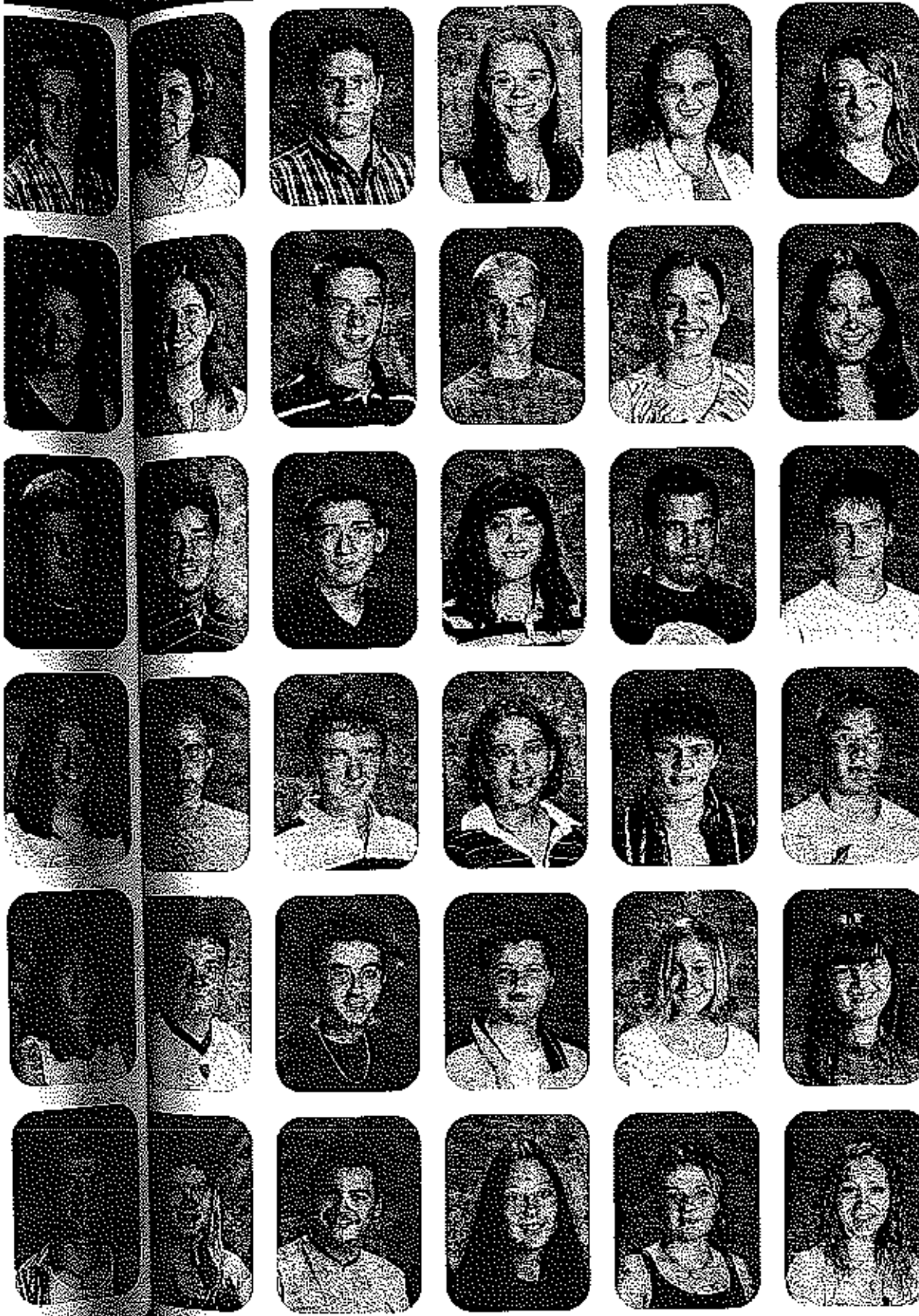


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 James Nemeth

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 Benjamin Porter
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Tara Riggs
 Kelly Robinson
 Lisa Roth
 Aaron Salisbury
 Nikki Sanders



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 Travis Schaller
 T.J. Schroeder
 Angelina Schulte
 Shawn Schulte



Ronnie Schwintek
 Rachael Scott
 Christopher Severns
 Ashley Shipman
 Mark Sidebottom



Travis Sidebottom
 Lydia Sloan
 Christa Smith
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Casey Stacks
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Kesha Wieskamp
 Joshua Wilson
 Kaitie Wilson
 Christopher Witt
 Derek Wood



Jacob Wood
 Laura Wood
 Samantha Wood
 Tyler Yakich
 Lindsay Yamry



Patricia Yeakle
 Cherle Yow



Loy King, Cody Brinkage, James Baker



Judge, Cory Ellicott, Amber Stutz, Caitlin Pritchett, Ashley Mothers



Frankie Arnold
 Jessica Atwell
 Kirk Becker
 Jodi Baker
 Nichole Barklage
 Kayla Barrett



Jordan Bauer
 Perry Behrens
 Katie Blankenship
 Danielle Boler
 James Boulware
 Jeremy Bradicy



Amy Branch
 Ryan Broeker
 Chris Brooks
 Kyla Bryant
 Jody Buace
 Kristen Bungert



Heather Calhoun
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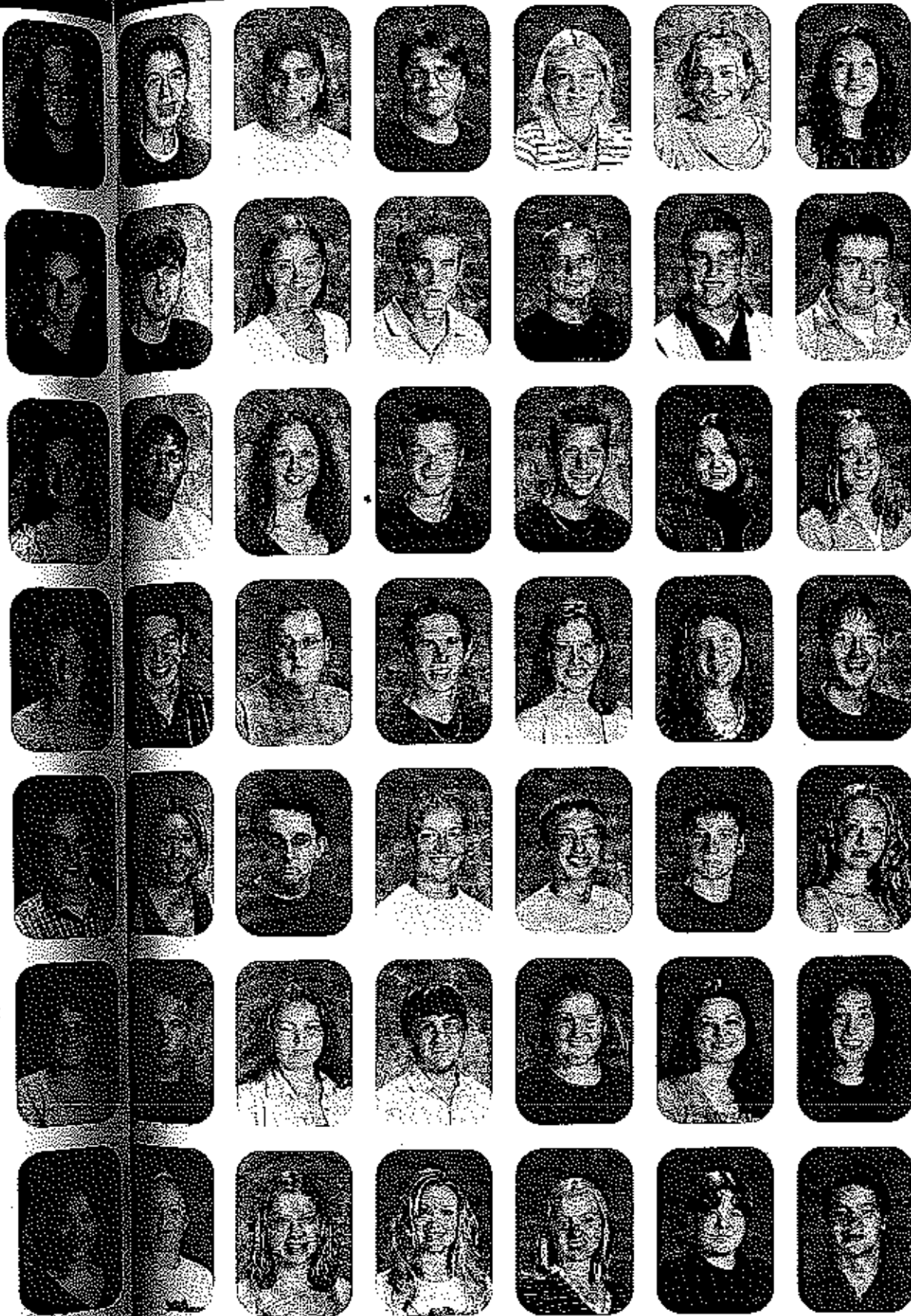


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Kevin Duck
 Jordan Drake
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Ryan Edmonds
 Heather Ellis
 Chris Evans
 Tiffany Evans
 Elizabeth Fenton
 Nicole Fenton

Michael Fischer
 Megan Furesler
 Scotty Frakes
 Ryan Gaze
 Nick Grisham
 Michael Groner

Melvin Gunn
 Theresa Guthrie
 Kory Hannah
 Justin Harden
 Patricia Hazel
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Dylan Herx
 Travis Hibler
 Jeffrey Hill
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 Courtney Humphrey
 Anthony Hatley

Crissy Irwin
 Brian James
 Trevor James
 Seth Jarrett
 Brandon Jeffries
 Candice Jesstion

Jacob Johannes
 Brandi Jones
 Drew Jordan
 Jessi Kirchner
 Nicole Kirkweg
 Jannic Koerner

Linsy Landreth
 Joelle Lawson
 Casey Lee
 Stephanie Lexa
 Kayla Litzke
 Jason Luttrell



Kyle Maginn
 Jason Marks
 Mary Melendez
 Kyle Miller
 Matt Mister
 Nicole Montavry



Heather Moritz
 Chelsey Oden
 Chad Oyer
 Tuwana Parsons
 Christopher Payater
 Ashley Penscrum



Deana Porter
 Heidi Porter
 Brandon Procter
 Michael Purl
 Andrew Raykowski
 Adam Rayner



Brian Robinell
 Gabriel Roe
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 Andrew Roulsen
 Samantha Sain
 Drew Scheiderer



Britlany Schalte
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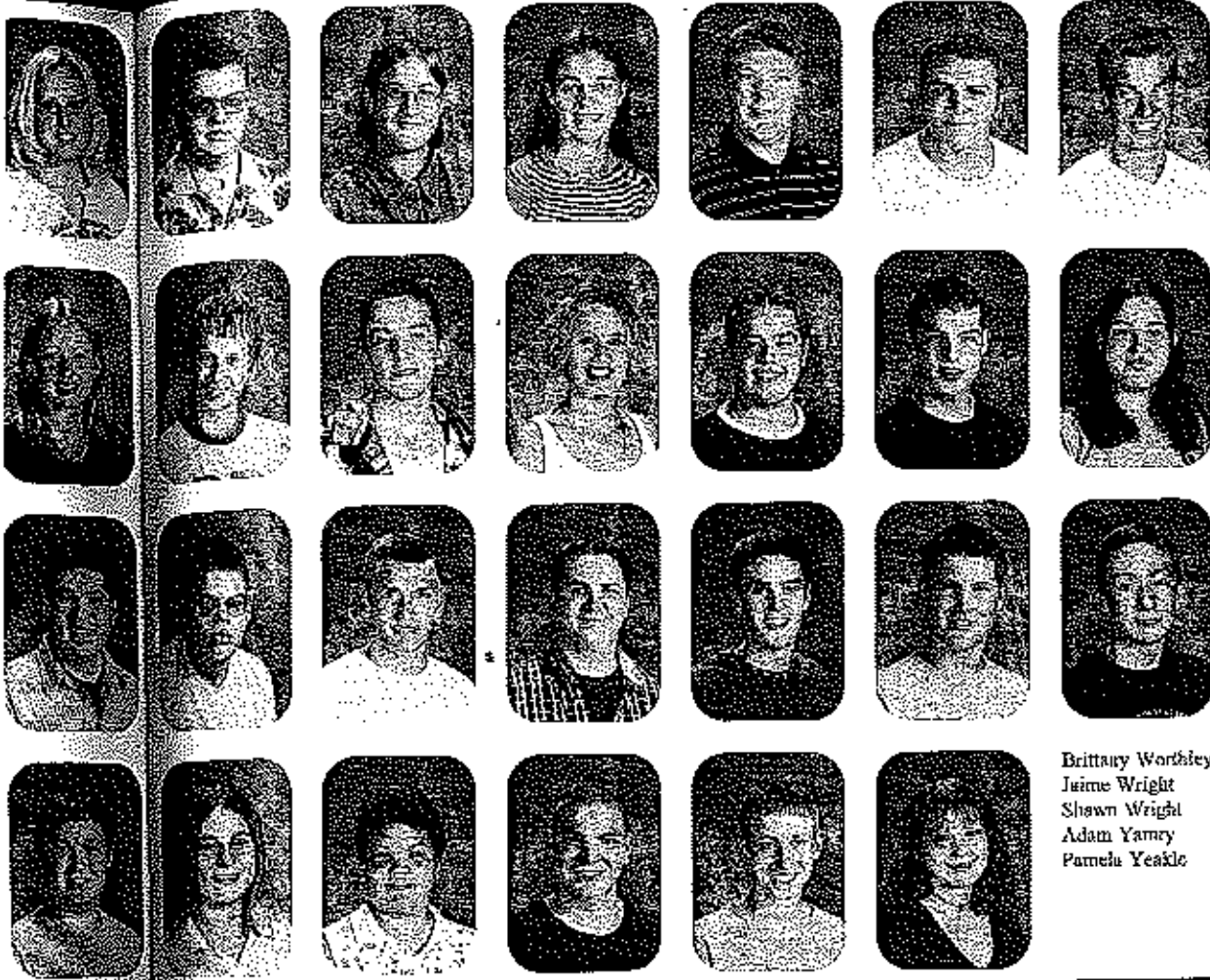


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 Jennifer Shoemaker
 Todd Smith
 Bradley Suelten
 Shane Stanley
 Jessie Sykes



Audra Tacker
 Sarah Tattershall
 Teasa Taylor
 Joshua Thompson
 Matthew Thorington
 Trevor Tompkins





Chris Turner
Christy Tye
Nicole Valcat
Kylie Vernon
Dennis Vieira
Grant Vincent

Michael Viner
Zachary Wardenburg
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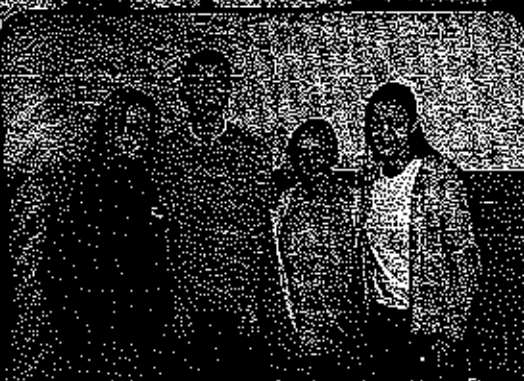
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Jaime Wright
Shawn Wright
Adam Yarny
Pamela Yeakle



Julie W. ... Kylan ...



Grabe ... J. ...



Cassandra Lee, Susan ...



Mykel Abbott

worked at Sonic with
Brian Acs

has a name that is hard
to pronounce like

Aphwat Aanaakmanee
is an adventurous
person like

Ketrina Appel

likes a Ford like

Rachel Backes

is funny like

Danielle Bailey

has the same last name as

Jessica Bailey

likes to travel like

Alma Elena Barrientos

has several kids that will

Heather Barry

wears Dove like

Derick Beanland

owns a big dog like

David Benke

is Junior High level and with

Karl Blankenship

played volleyball with

Deanna Boardman

has two brothers like

Margaret Brown

has a colorful hat some like

Violet Brown

has bleek hair like

Crystal Burkle

has beautiful blue eyes like

Brandon Bysor

lives on the same gravel road as

Erin Caine

has long hair like

Bea Calton

works in Sider like

Jennifer Conner

took a snack from school like

Danny Cox

Tyri Crane

enjoys regular Nintendo
game like

Shawndae Creasy

Joe Crismon

has a definite voice like

Jessica Davenport



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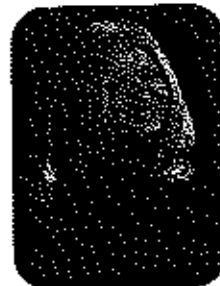
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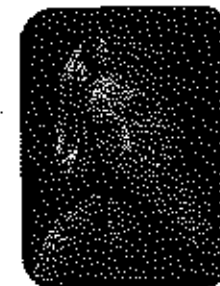
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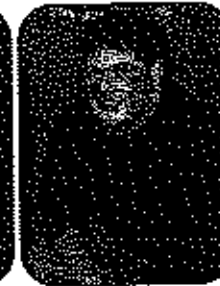
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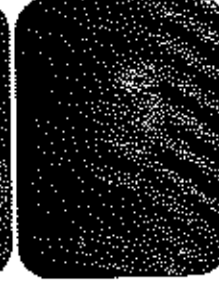
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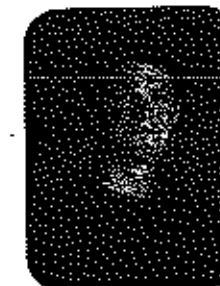
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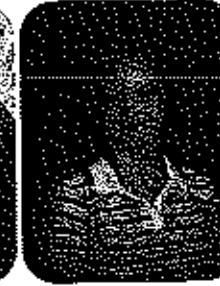
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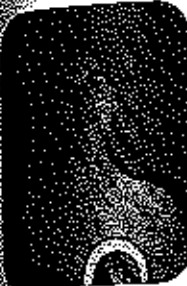
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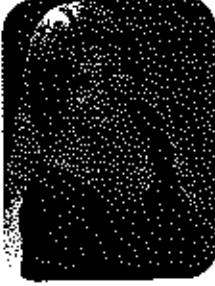
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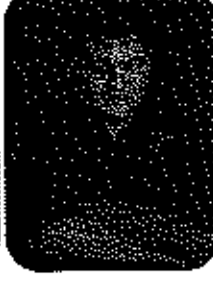
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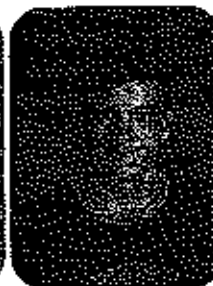
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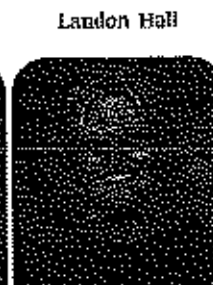
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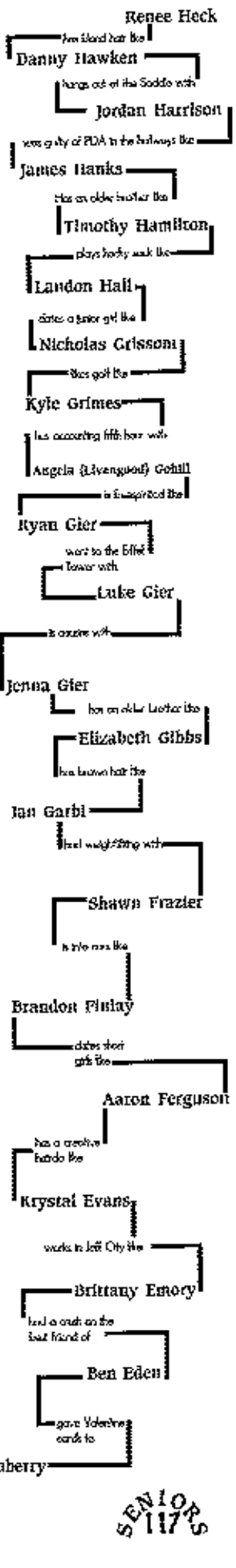
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Landon Hall



Renee Heck



Melissa Hegg

helped build the senior float with

Jason Hendricks

is an egghead like

Conor Henley

was a promising candidate with

Chris Herriman

has brown hair with blonde highlights like

Ashley Hodges

has a great smile like

Breanna Honeycutt

is kind like

Nicholas Hornbuckle

is nice like

Anthony Howard

has the same trick as

Ashley Hudak

has high boots like

Ryan Huston

has a letter like

Joe Hutchinson

has the same last name as

Shawn Hutchinson

enjoys surfing like

Josh Janowiak

has an older brother like

Brandi Jones

has the same last name as

Daniel Jones

who enjoys football like

Matthew Jones

who worked at CrumMee with

Kasey Jones

has few friends like

Brittany King

has a special meaning like

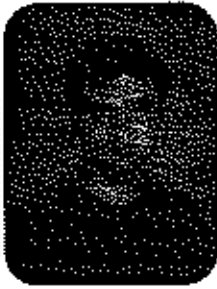
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has curly hair like

Kurtis Kinsey



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Joe Hutchinson



Shawn Hutchinson



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Joshua Janowiak



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Brandi Jones



Daniel Jones



Matthew Jones



Shane Cassidy Jones



Brittany King



Nathan King



Kurtis Kinsey



Curtis Kirchner



Matt Klein



Abby Knopf



Katy Lacy



Robin Landon

has curly hair like

has a "dick without a penis" like

has a dad that's a grand crack like

is fluent in Spanish like

is a drama queen like

was a glen like

has a special meaning like

has a special meaning like



Ashley Hodges



Tanya Lasater



Jennifer Lawrence



Joshua Long



Meegan Marks



Amanda Martz



Ryan Huston



No Not Available



Haley McCreery



Kyle McGiri



Corinna Mejia



Anastasia Melendez



Daniel Jones



Jackie Milan



Bradley Miller



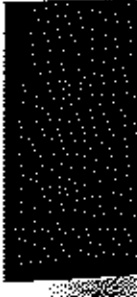
Betsie Moesch



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Bryan Nations



Kurtis Kibbey



Jeanie Neel



Amy Lynn Neil



Daniel Noland



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Elizabeth Platt



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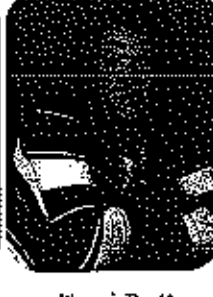
Samuel Poertner



Justin Pope



Ryan Porter



Tanni Pratt

Tanni Pratt
speaks by mind like

Ryan Porter
loves the outdoors like

Justin Pope
is musically inclined like

Sam Poertner
is intelligent like

Jennifer Platz
goes to the same church as

Elizabeth Platt
has been in band since 6th grade like

Katie Otterbine
has her set of Cheetos like

Danny Noland
has broken his leg

Amy Neel
has the same last name as

Jeanie Neel
has the same last name as the brother of

Bryan Nations
has the same first name as

Beth Nations
is a geography student like

Betsie Moesch
had a teacher that was the mother of

Brad Miller
has curly hair like

Jackie Milan
is in Spanish 2 with

Anastasia Melendez
has an Hispanic last name like

Corinna Mejia
is the football like

Kyle McGiri
had step through the same line as

Haley McCreery
was born in the county like

Landon
is a student leader like

Tanya Lasater
is a student leader like

Josh Long
has forensic science with

Meegan Marks
will vary tall like

Amanda Martz
has a set hair like

Scott Mayhew
was glad to graduate like

George Price

is a member of the Foreign Working Association of America Inc

Kyle Quigley

is petite like

Paul Ray

helped every year with the class book like

Jenny Raynor

was in Mrs Scott's Kindergarten class with

Jodie Redus

went to a party of the house of

Bethany Reed

inspected at HBA vehicle with

Stacey Reed

has marketing with

Rita Robe

has working with computers like

Adam Roth

works at an IBM business like

Stephanie Rugen

graduated with

Doug Ruth

has dark hair like

Craig Ryan

has the same last name as

Tonya Ryan

has a pony tail like

Sean Ryan

is an artist like

Trista Sanders

she graduated in 2001 with the sister of

Laura Sash

loves Huggies like

Amanda Schad

is an Aggie like

Tarin Schmidt

has dark hair like

James Schoenberger

is a waver like

Lori Schulte

has blonde hair like



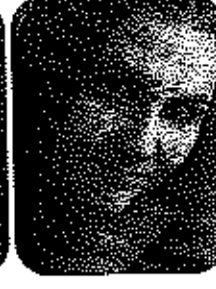
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Kyle Quigley



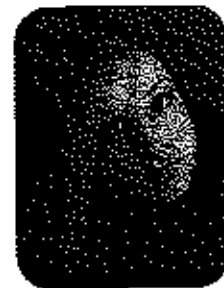
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Jennifer Raynor



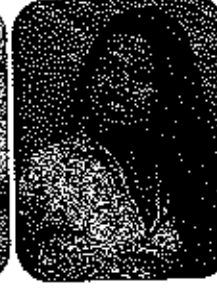
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Stacey Reed



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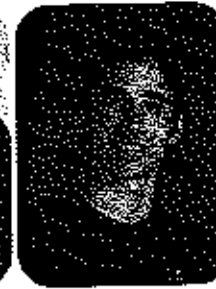
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Stephanie Rugen



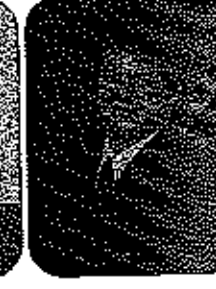
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Tonya Ryan



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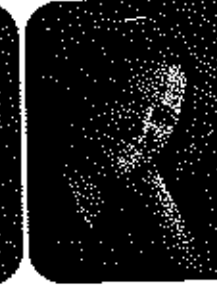
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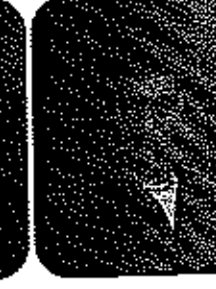
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Amanda Schad



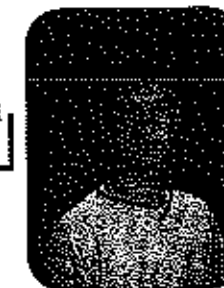
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James Schoenberger



Lori Schulte



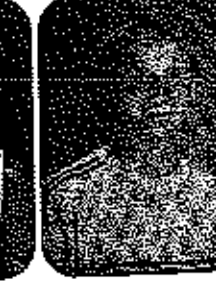
Tony Scott



Steve Scrivner



Deanna Secrest



Nathan Seifert



Sheena Shipman

Steve Scrivner

owns a best friends with

Deanna Secrest

Nathan Seifert

is under 5'5" like

Sheena Shipman

doesn't wear glasses like

has blonde hair like

Tony Scott

drives a Range Rover like

Lori Schulte

had classes at TCU like



Jodie Redus



Kyle Skokowski



Lacey Sloan



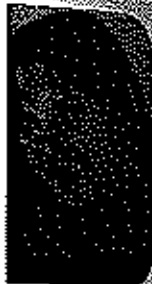
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Tony Sosnowski



Danielle Stark



Stephanie Miller



Jeremy Stone



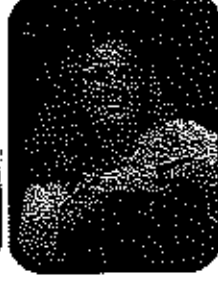
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Todd Stone



Meghan Sullivan



Tina Surface



Krista Sanders



Zachary Thompson



Rex Vernon



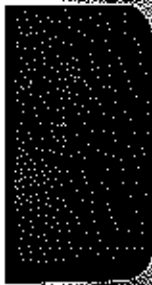
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Charles Vieira



Trista Wagner



Lori Schulte



Christina Wall



Jennifer (Crockett) Ward



Morgan Whitworth



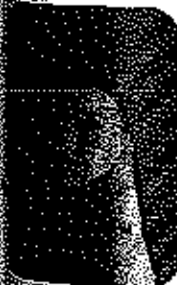
Richard Wilkins



Chrissy Wood



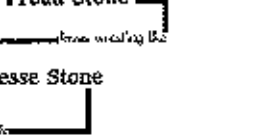
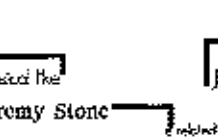
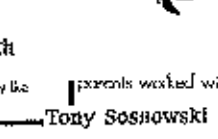
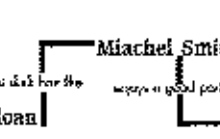
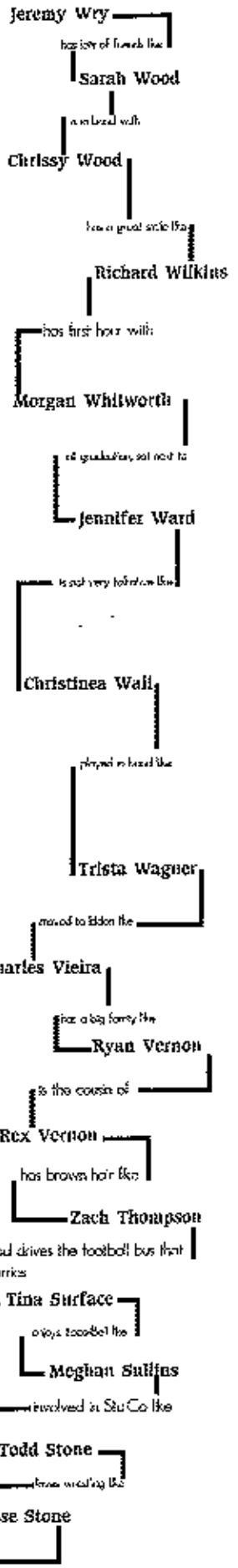
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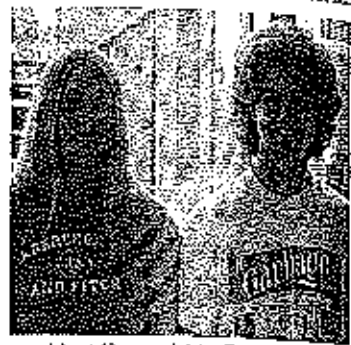




Best Smiles: Jessica Bailey & Luke Gier



Most Likely to Get Married: Ryan Gier & Lori Schulte



Most Dependable: Erin Coine & Connor Henley



Biggest Aggies: Alexandria Schaad & Luke Gier



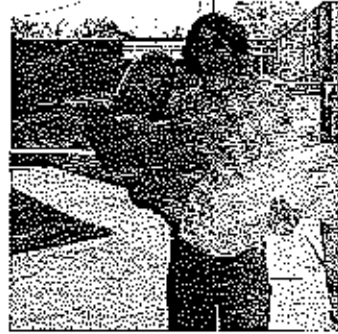
Best Cars: Kyle Grimes & Chris Herriman



Most Thoughtful: Dan Cox & Crystal Burkle



Best Dressed: Rex Vernon & Kyle Grimes



Most Athletic: Erin Coine & Mykel Abbott



Best Legs: Mykel Abbott & Erin Coine



Most Musical: Joe Davis & Katy Fox



Biggest Politicians: Ian Garbi & Kari Blankenship



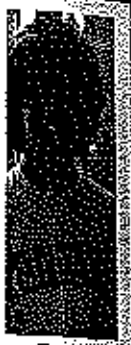
Most Memorable: Laci Schulte & Dan Cox



Most School Spirit: Tim Hunston & Jeremy Royner



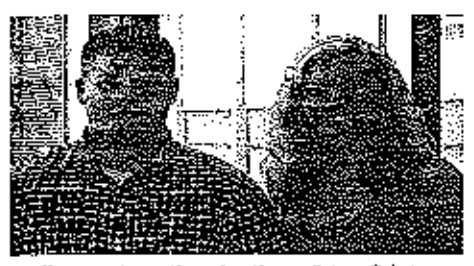
Best Hair & J...



in Caine
by



Most Popular: Erin Caine
& Chris Harrison



Prettiest Eyes: Brandon Byssor & Lori Schulte



Most Likely to Succeed: Kari
Blankenship and Cora Hartley



Friendliest: Shawn Hutchison
& Crystal Burkle



Most Involved: George Price
& Kari Blankenship



Funniest: Dan Cox & Jenny Rayner



Most Changed: Luke Gier
& Melissa Hegg



Teacher's Pet: Kari Blankenship
& Ryan Gier



Biggest Flirts: Chris Harrison
& Abby Kropf



Smartest: Hiley McCreech
& Cora Hartley



Best Dancers: Tony Sosnowski & Laura Sosh



Caine



Best Hair: Trista Sanders
& Jordan Harrison



Sassiest: Kyta Grimes
& Rex Verran



Most Talkative: Curtis
Kirchner & Corina Mejia



girl: Tim Harrison
by Rayner



Kevin Alewine
 David Bailey
 Connie Bashore
 Matt Biddle
 Eileen Bisges



Angie Blittie
 Bill Blittie
 Chuck Campbell
 Linda Christner
 Adriana Creath



Joe Davis
 Matt Davis
 Robin Dunsmuir
 Karen Dunmire
 Nancy Dunstan



Deanna Eli
 Keith Egelbrecht
 Cara Enos
 Mary Galney
 Dixie Glenn



Cindy Hagans
 Jerri Haley
 Rodney Haley
 Willard Haley
 Kent Hannah



"Education's purpose is to replace an empty mind with an open one." ~ Malcolm Forbes

FACULTY



Retiring teacher Mrs. Patty LaDuke LaDuke served in the Eldon District 45 years.



Library Staff: Sandy Ingersoll and Sally LeDra



Guidance Staff: Wanda Hess, Terry Kruse, and Tracy Johnson



Kristina Harwood
Shelly Henderson
Steve Henderson
Roger Hendrick
Suzanne Heald



David Herren
Clare Herriman
Jim Herriman
Chris Hess
Carey Hughes

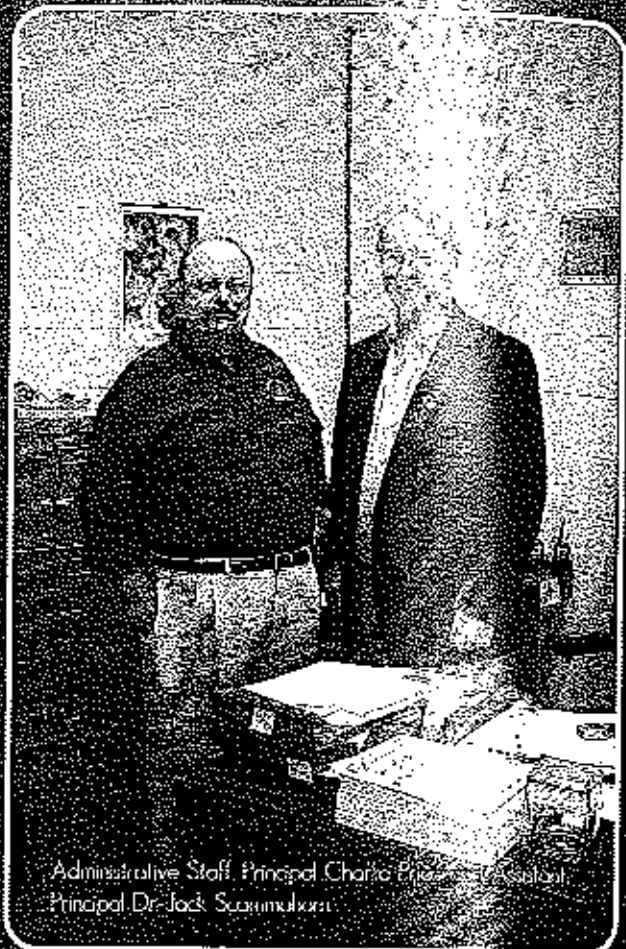


Louise Jordan
Anthony Kindy
Cloyce Klein
Jill Klethermes
Terry Kruse





Food Service Staff: Corrie Bashore, Dina Webster, Shawna Rubinfeld, Cindy Rogure, Barb Wood



Administrative Staff: Principal Charlie Price, Assistant Principal Dr. Jack Suomakari





Sheri Rice
Shawn Robnett
Jack Scammalhorn
Samuel Schulte
Allen Schwantes



Todd Shockley
Linda Simon
Mike Starr
Mary Townsley
Amy Wackerman



Dixie Webster
Linda White
Rick White
Hazel Whitehead
Irvin Whitehead

Assistant



Barbara Wood
Jim Wright
Lisa Wyatt

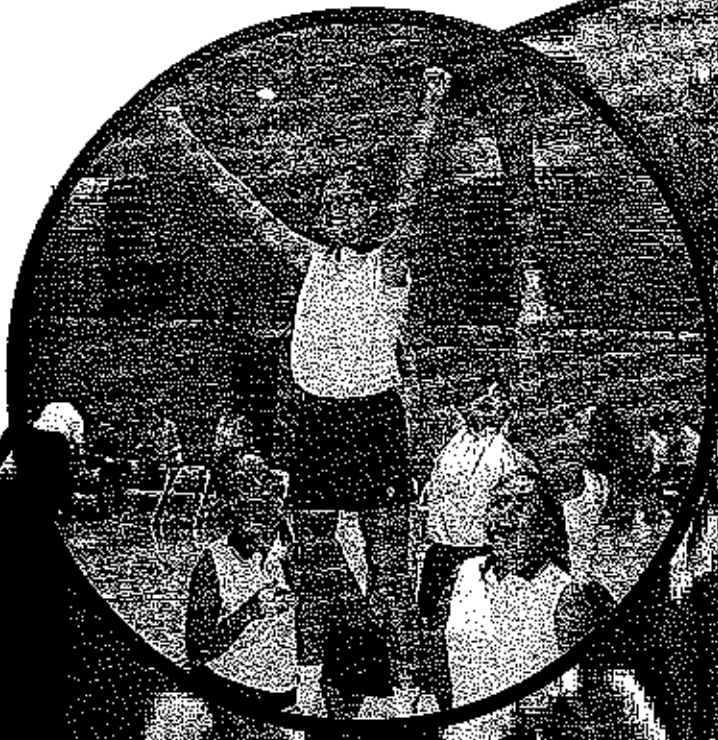


Secretaries Donna
Reid, Nancy
Dunston, Sheri
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Superintendent Rodney Haley; Assistant Superintendent Jim Wilson; Board Members John Caine, Mike Hess, Mary Reed, Rob Frazee, Roger McCreery, Jay Dunham, Greg Jarrett; Assistant Superintendent Tony English





SPORTS





CONNECTING E T I N G

Athletes *There's No "I" in Team*

Looking back throughout our lives we can all recall several times that we have relied on support from other. We have asked people to be part of a team to accomplish a goal. With team work, great things can be done. Athletes know this as much as anyone. They rely on their team members to encourage and support them, as well as help them to win. A game is not won by an individual but by the actions of the entire team. Not only is it won from the players' team work but also from the support of the crowd and cheerleaders. Athletes may be the front man, but without a strong backbone to support them, they are weak. A strong team is connected as one; there's no "I" in team.

Volleyball



FOOTBALL

- Eddie Gier: American Family Sportsmanship
- Brod Miller: Most Improved
- Ryan Porter: November of the Year
- Mykal Alford: Best Defensive Back
- Best Receiver
- Nathanael King: Best Linebacker
- Best Running Back
- Brandon Byers and Zach Thompson: Best Offensive Lineup
- Chris Payton: Best Special Teams Player
- Joe Ellison: MVP Defense
- Walt Kuhn: MVP Offense
- Chris Herley: Mustang Overall MVP



Softball

MVP Outfield - Jessi Kirchner
MVP Infield - Laura Wood
Most Catchable - Paige Blanzett
Most RBIs - Tanni Schmidt
Most Team Spirit - Katie Blankenship
Most Improved - Jessie Sykes
Most Dedicated - Jamie Wright
Halter - Sarah Jarrett



Laura Wood, MVP Infielder



Jessi Sykes, MVP Outfielder

AWARDS



Basketball

Most Improved - [Name]
 Most Dedicated - [Name]
 Top Schoolistic - [Name]
 Best All-Around - [Name]
 Most Spirited - [Name]



Cheerleading

Best Jumper - Kayla DeGraffenreid
 Best Tumbler - Jamie Bordini
 Best Dancer - Haley Durston
 Most Improved - Laura Sath
 Most Dedicated - Jennifer Lawrence
 Top Schoolistic - Heidi Durston
 Best All-Around - Brittany Schulte
 Most Spirited - Melissa Heug



TRACK

Boys Track

- Most Pts. - Shawn Hutchinson
- Most Field Event Pts. - Joe McDevitt
- Most Running Event Pts. - Shawn Hutchinson
- Most Dedicated - George Price
- Best Relay - Maria Mykel Abbott
- Best Distance Runner - George Price
- Newcomer - Ben Eder



Girls Track

- Heart and Soul - Liz Platt
- Extra Mile - Meredith Schafeld
- All-Around Pts. - Colleen McDevitt
- Running Points - Tasha Melendez
- Field Event Points - Colleen McDevitt
- Miss Leadership - Laura Sash
- Miss Dependability - Tasha Melendez
- Newcomer - Kendall Kemper

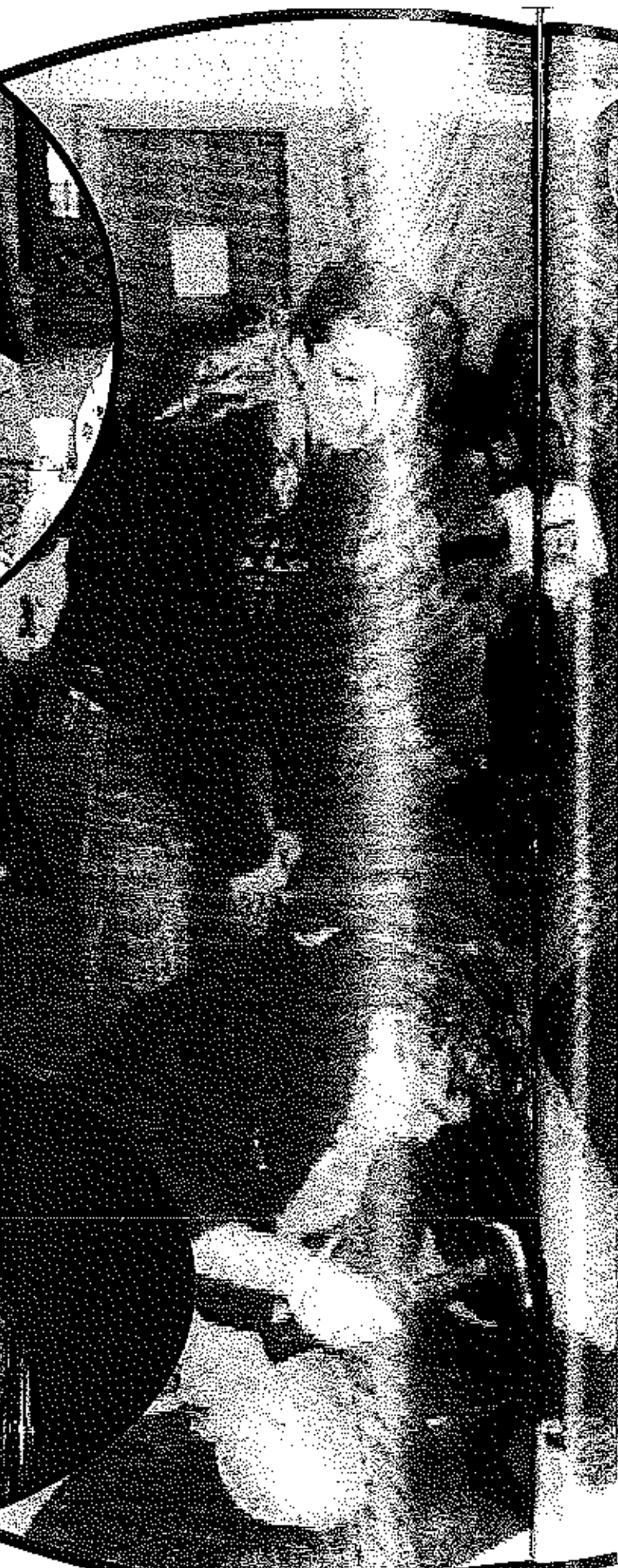


Baseball

GOLF



AWARDS





CONNECTING

Interests

The Ties That Bind

People have all kinds of different interests and hobbies. When they find others who share the same feelings as them, they find new friends. In high school there are many different clubs and organizations where people can come together and connect their interests. Being a member of a club is an enjoyable part of high school. The activities and contests club members participate in allow them to experience many aspects of life. When they can share these experiences with other club members, there will always be a tie that binds.





NHS members Jordan Dicks, Inessa Guthrie, Kory Herrick, and Hayley Carroll



FBI members Chris Harmin and Dayal Berry



Southside members [Name] and Chad Oyer



Art Club members Chris Davis



Art Club members Jaymie Connor



NHS instructors Travis Siskiller and Angelina Szekely



FBI members Melissa [Name], Amanda Avants, & Katie Bunkle



FBI members Sam [Name]



Members Penny Kirkweg, Jenny Holtz, Charity Fisher, Courtney Sanderberg, and Dana Boardman



Bunk Members Clara Fowler, Nicole Kirkwood, Patrick Smith, Briana Lodge, Megan Twyman, and Schille, and Jess Kirkner



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Chamber Choir



Davidson



French Club



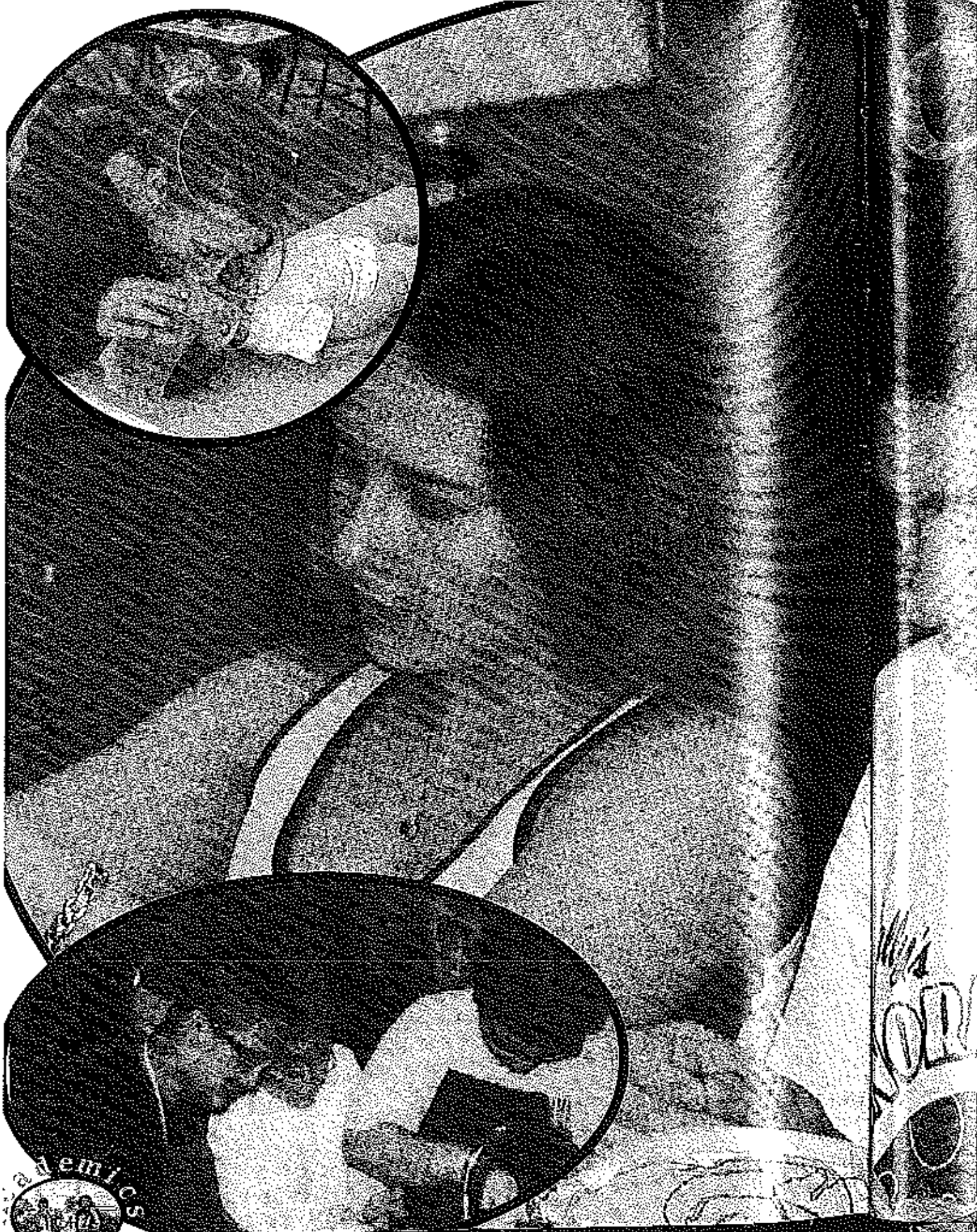
Armasda Avants & Kalia Buzle



French Club members Armanda Stord, Megan Forester, Theresa Quaine, Clara Fowler, and Haley McCroery



Members Todd Stone and Kyle Qualey



Academics

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CONNECTING

Minds

Common Knowledge

High school is a time to grow and learn as young people. The classes we take allow us to be filled with knowledge. They challenge us and push us to learn new ideas. Some courses are definitely harder than others, but when we excel at them, it feels rewarding. Although we all complain about our classes, in the end the more you give them more you will leave the class with. So, that homework we always put off or the test we never want to study for pays off when we complete it. The mind is a terrible thing to waste, but that's just common knowledge.





Seniors Gailean McEwen and Nichole Smith improve their cartography in art.



Senior Ben Eden finishes his homework just in time.



Junior Eric Blakeney hurries to complete his yearbook and...

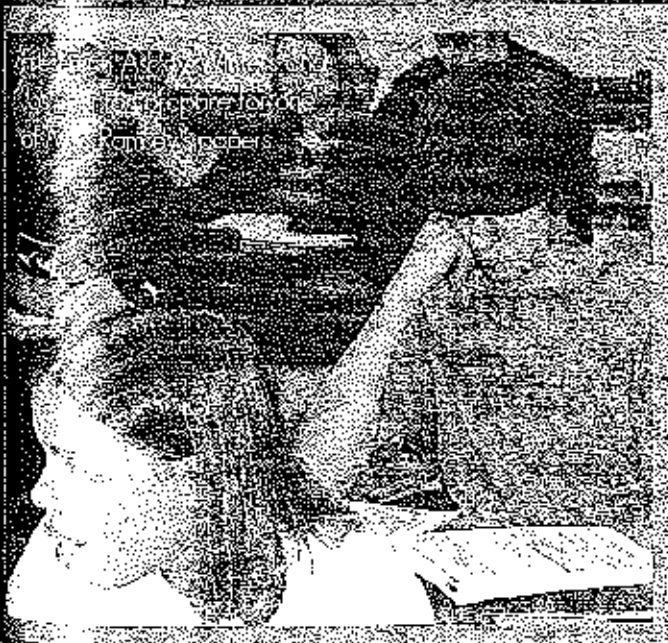


Junior Gregory Gaither works on his assignment on the pod in the library.



Freshmen Cash Edwards and Kiana Rose produce their award winning art class...

Académicos





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Communities

It Takes a Village

Eldon High School receives much help from the community. The community members have always been loyal fans at the sports events as well as wonderful sponsors for various events. Our school wouldn't be as strong without the support from these members. Not only do the businesses lend their support to the school, but they also provide services to students. They provide jobs for many high schoolers and a place for teens to hang out with their friends. The connection between school and community is a very important one. The high school is just one building in the town of Eldon. In order for it to improve and be successful it takes a village.



CONNECTIONS



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As the school year draws to a close, the class of 2003 heads in many different directions. However, they will always remember the connections that tie them to EHS. Along with the graduating class, several faculty members leave the staff, but this leaves returning students the opportunity to connect with the incoming freshmen and the new faculty members. Whether people are coming or going, through EHS we will all remain **CONNECTED.**



Closing

ELDON HIGH SCHOOL

Connections

Like the ocean and sand - Connect
Like the wind and the wing
Like the notes we sing
Like life connects death and birth
The roots connect the trees to the earth
Dawn and dusk connect day by night
Like a string and tail connect to a kite
Like one hand in another
Sister and brother
And each of us can have an effect
We are only here to connect

Bob Reid

