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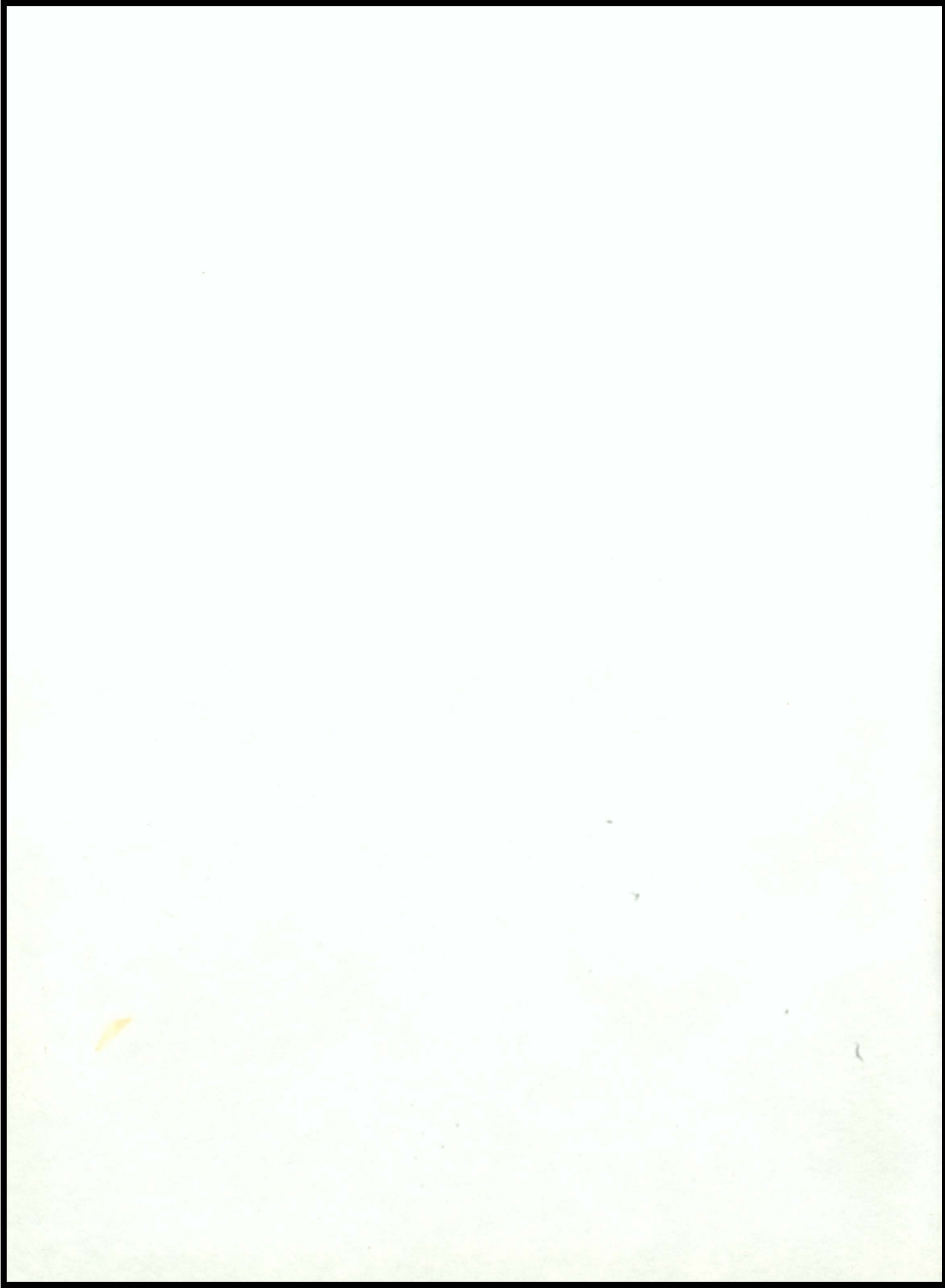
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A PIECE OF THE ACTION



Connecting the pieces of the puzzle. Common bonds unite activities, classes, clubs and teams together, connecting our spirited student body.



A bonding school, a growing body. Shown here is the southeast corner of the current high school. This is the last year this building will be big enough to accommodate this population. Due to the passing of the bond and massive growth, the high school will expand into the old middle school building as the current middle schoolers move into their new building.

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'Piecing it all Together' was a theme conceived to

display the unity and togetherness of Lincoln High

School. It was chosen to show that we are a whole body.

A body cannot function without All the pieces within,

Piecing It All

Together

much like a puzzle. A lot of changes took place, with

one main goal for Lincoln in the year 2001— to become

closer and stronger by working Together.

A class that cheers together, wins together. The members of the junior class put their voices together to help cheer for their classmates. This proves that even a crowd can work together.



Two bodies are stronger than one. Putting their strength together, Jack Brown '02 and Kristin Husty '02 try their hardest to help win the Tug-O-War. This is a true test of teamwork.

The newest class in 2001. Kenneth Henderson '04, Matthew Brown '04, Jonathon Guthrie '04, Lisa Bulmer '04, Melissa Mejia '04 and Kristin Easter '04 show that even freshmen help to piece together the 2001 school year.

By Kelly Stange '01, Editor-In-Chief

COMMON BONDS



Rushing toward the finish line. Roy Wilson '04 and Anthony DiDonato '04 work together in the wheel-barrow race to reach the end. Pep assemblies are a great opportunity to bond with each other to share an accomplishment.



In the eyes of the beholder. WildEyes contact lenses feature several designs, including a starburst, black eight ball, and cat's eyes. Ashley Williams '02 shows her wild personality with her cool blues. These eyes are sure to make anyone take a second look. Williams stated that she likes wearing the contacts because "they are unique".

Student Life

It's what you did for six hours a day, five days a week, 36 weeks a year. It's student life; the whole year crunched down into one theme. Participating in spirit week, dances, and anything else that interests YOU! In student life, the student body comes together to create 'common bonds' to finish a task. Without each and every piece of the puzzle, we would be incomplete. Making new friends and attending new classes are part of this bond, creating memories that will last a lifetime, both in and out of school.



Who? Students took a little time out of their busy high school schedules to show some school spirit.

What? Five days of mayhem make up spirit week.

Each day is a new theme. First there was Pajama Day, the only day literally wake school. Then Color Day, show off their After that came

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Packed with Pride

When? The up to the ing game,
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Why? To give chance to

week leading Homecom- Oct.2-6. LHS campus. students a show off a

How? Piecing together an interesting mixture of competition and pride, spirit week, the pep assembly and float building were a huge success.

Do the Hula! Anxious for a tropical getaway, Jonathan Scherer '02 joins in and shows his great island spirit for Hawaiian Day. Aloha!



Heave Ho! Tugging away, Jillian Fattel '01 and Steven Kovalak '01, pull their team toward victory at the pep assembly. Laura Portera '01 and Linsey Pinter '01 jump and cheer for their classmates.



Spirit Week Winner: Senior Class of 2001

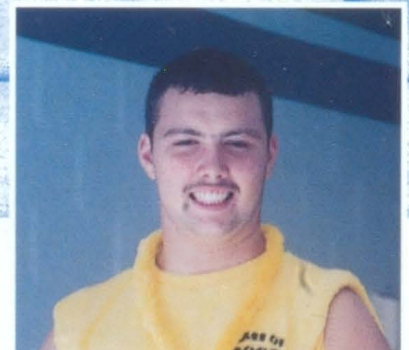
Which was your favorite spirit day?



"Blue and Gray day was my favorite, because we had the pep rally and it really showed our school spirit."
-Jack Brown '02



"Wacky Wednesday, because everyone gets dressed up wild and crazy. You see sides of people you never thought existed."
-Jill Pluciniczak '01



"Pajama day, because I didn't have to get ready for school. Plus, I was comfortable so I could go to sleep in class."
-Anthony Young '02

By Brian Lucier '02 and Amanda Fisher '02



Who? Students, dates, chaperones and Queen's Court nominees attended.

What? The Homecoming Dance

Where? Lincoln High School Gymnasium

When? Saturday
October 7,
8:00 pm -

Why? Home-coming is not just a dance.

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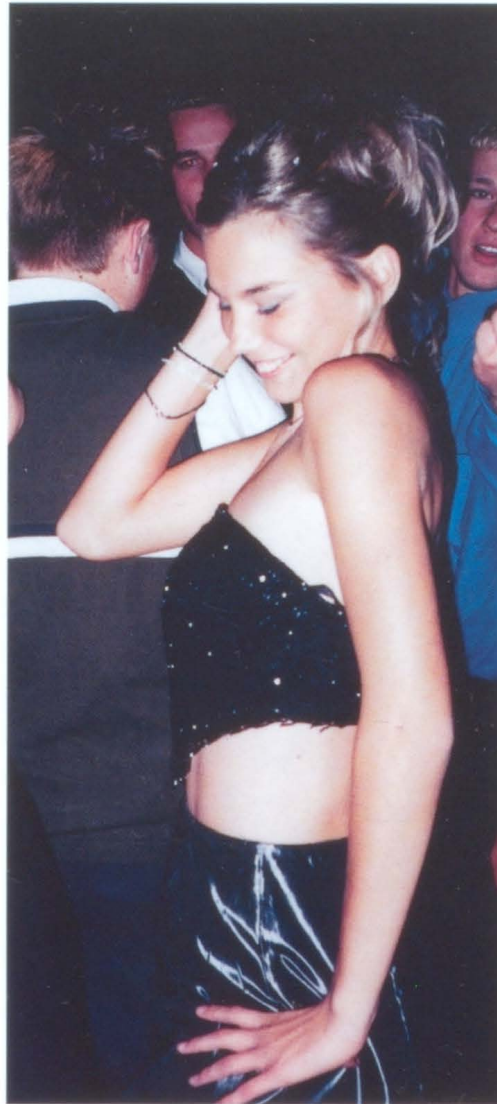
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How: After preparations decorating the hair and nails up corsages, going to dinner, students arrived at the dance in pairs and groups. By 8:30, the dance was full and didn't clear out until the last song was played. "This year's Homecoming was more spirited and livelier than ever," said Gail Stec '01.

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such as:
gym, getting
done, picking
dates and

Back that thang up! Getting down on the dance floor is Jessica Jackson '01. Jackson gets plenty of practice every weekend when she and her friends go to "La Boom", a teen dance club in Walled Lake.



A Queen and her Court. Kymarie Allen '01, Connie Fullerton '01, Breah Whitlow '01 and Candace Reynolds '01 bestow their victory smiles.



Homecoming Queen: Breah Whitlow

What will you remember most about Homecoming?



"How the DJ played my favorite song for the last dance, because I was the queen."
-Breah Whitlow '01



"I will always remember our dinner party of twenty going to Kmart in our dresses and Alex Motts pushing Rudy Ruffer around in a cart! It was hilarious!"
-Karen DeGryse '02



"That one kid who knew the Britney Spears dance. He had everyone going. He needs to be on "Say What Karaoke!"
-Kymarie Allen '01



Busta move!

Dancing the night away, Laquandra Cain '01 and Chelsea Poole '03 break it down on the dance floor! "Since this year was my last year at the dance I tried to have as much fun as possible and made a huge fool of myself," said Cain '01.



All together now!

Shake it fast, but watch yourself, girls. Stephanie Ellis, Joanna Withrow '02, Debbie Hoffman and Sharmel Teall '02, show everyone what their working with out on the dance floor. The night was filled with much excitement, which continued long after the dance was over.



Presenting the 2000 Homecoming Court: Annmarie Nolan '02, Ashleigh Peoples '03, Adriana Eberbach '04, Desiree Sims '03, Tara Lore '01, Breah Whitlow '01 (center), Candace Reynolds '01, Kymarie Allen '01, Connie Fullerton '01, Karen DeGryse '02 and Kristina Zielinski '02.



From start to finish. It takes teamwork, time and effort to put together Homecoming dances, thanks to Student Council. Each year Homecoming gets bigger and better than the year before. Top left: Kristina Zielinski '02. Top right: Tara Lore '01 and her date Ray Williams. Bottom left: Tammy Lawson '03, Brook Burba '03 and Abby Smith '03 hanging out at the dance. Bottom right: Molly Adcock '01 and her date Mike Ingraio.

"A true friend is one soul in two bodies," according to Aristotle. Everyone wants someone to depend on, trust and relate to. "My best friend, Sarah, and I are friends because our personalities complement each other," said Tahirah Gray '03. A friend is a true gift.

But what happens when friendship turns into something more? You start to worry about if it will change the friendship," said Amber

IT'S LOVE THAT MAKES THE WORLD GO ROUND

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Hand in Hand

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"L" word. LOVE! love? Some say question that swered. Others feeling you get care so much for a person that you can't imagine yourself without them in your life. Whatever love means to you, it's something special. So whether you have good friends or are "in love", building relationships is a very important part of school.

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A show of affection. Walking down the hall before and after school, you are sure to see dozens of couples, holding hands. This is a very popular sign of affection and friendship. Sometimes it is just a simple touch that shows how much you truly care about a person.



What do you think love is?



"When you really care about someone and can't imagine them not in your life. When you would do anything for that person."
-Katharyn King '01



"Knowing you want to spend the rest of your life with that person. Dedicating yourself to him or her."
-Robert Robinette '01



"I think that love is the only true thing in this whole world. So if you find it, hold onto it."
-Brian Selter '02



Hugs to go around!
When you care about a person, you let it show. Walking down the hallway with your arm around someone is nothing new. Lots of friends and couples hug. Brandon Neel '03 and Kira Weber '04 are no exception. You can tell they care!

The Top 5 Couples at LHS*:

- Eirik Vitso '01 and Stephine Dougherty '01
- Jason Williams '01 and Rebecca Crews '01
- Wesley Potter '02 and Cherlynn Bayus '03
- Jeffrey Hampton '02 and Cristin Russell '02
- Mr. Derek Gonzales and Mrs. Kariana Gonzales

2001's Top 5 Famous Couples*:

- Tim McGraw and Faith Hill
- Brad Pitt and Jennifer Aniston
- David Arquette and Courtney Cox
- Marshall Mathers and Kimberly Mathers
- Ryan Phillippe and Reese Witherspoon

*by student survey



The Top 5 Qualities That are Important in a Friend*:

- 1) Trust
- 2) Caring
- 3) Personality
- 4) Common Interest
- 5) Humor

* by student survey

Someone to lean on. True friends are always there to help each other out, to lean on and to have fun. Paul Wanty '02, Stephanie Wallman '03, Roland Lynn '01, Danaya Peterson '01, Eirik Vitso '01, Stephine Dougherty '01, Sarah Lambert '03, Tahirah Gray '03 and Naomi Gates '03 all know what the real meaning of friendship is.

What? Tattoos and piercings have become a common sight in high schools around the country, and Lincoln is no exception.

Why? Teens get pierced and/or branded with tattoos (tats for short) for various reasons.

However, it all starts with being different, asserting individuality. Simply stated: being "a rebel".

Where? Tats and piercings show up all

over teen's bodies. Stanley Roberson '01 has his name tattooed across his

When? The law requires a person to be 18 years of age to get a tattoo or body piercing, or have parental consent.

Who? Many students, and some teachers, have tats or piercings, but one

student stands out. Kevin Brunell '01 boasts eight piercings and wants more, as well as a Celtic tattoo. "It's a matter of taste and opinion," said Brunell.

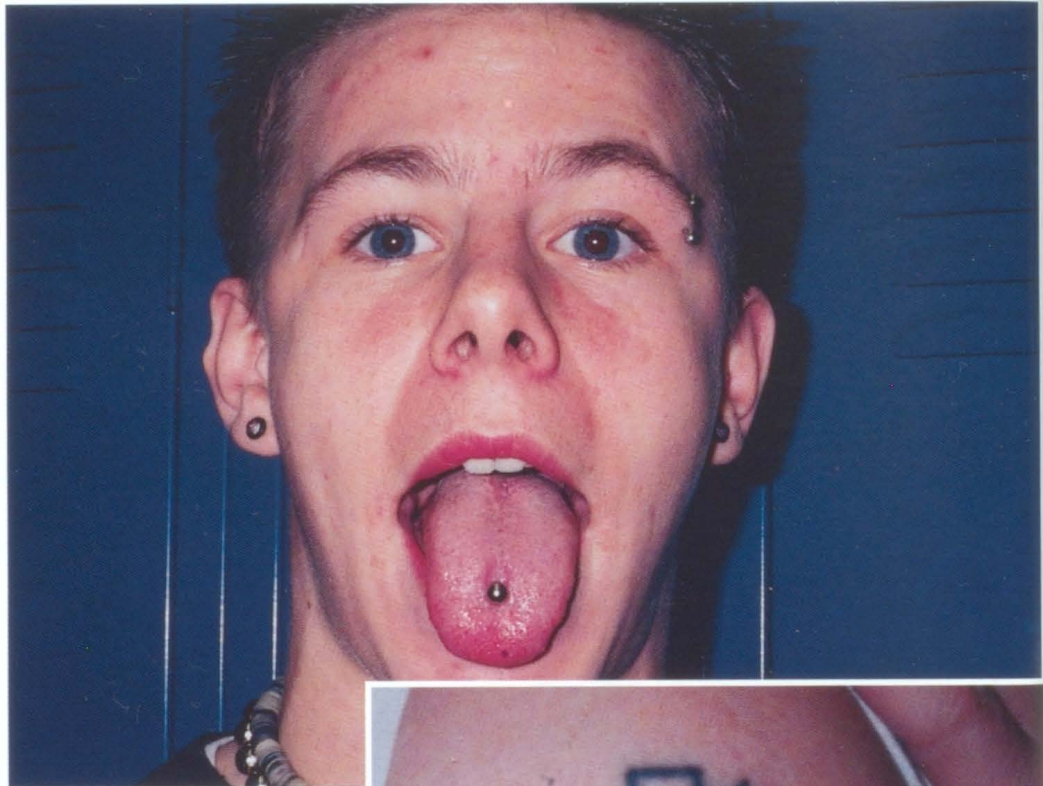
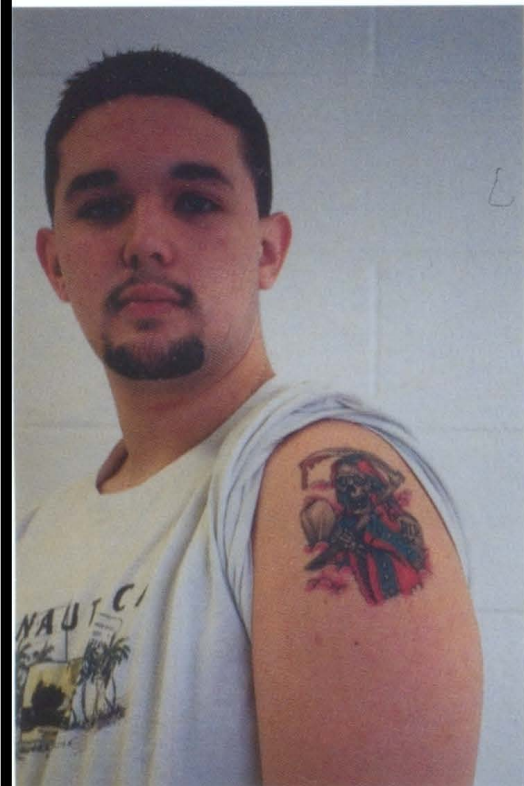
A LIFE SENTENCE?

Popularity of Tattoos and Piercings Can Be Seen in Lincoln Hallways

stomach, but would "probably get it somewhere else" if he had it to do over. Roberson also has a pierced ear. He has plans for more of each.

Rebel without a cause. This is the saying that comes to mind when you see the tattoo on Michael Oberle's '02 arm.

Hole in 4?? No, this isn't miniature golf. It's Ryan Sparks '02. He has a hole in each ear, a hole in his eyebrow and one in his tongue.



Ouch! Didn't that hurt? This is a common question asked in the halls of LHS. Kevin Brunell '01 shows off his variety of piercings. Stephanie Peterson '01 presents her Tinker Bell tattoo proudly, while Richard Belisle '02 sticks his tongue out for to show everyone his latest piercing.

Keeping it simple. Deciding to keep it subtle but elegant, Amber Harris '01 displays her tattoo. Just because you get a tattoo doesn't mean it has to be extreme.

By Kelly Stange '01, Steven Perkins '02, Brian Lucier '02 and Ms. Revord, Adviser

Struttin' your style! Khakis and layers are definitely seen often throughout the halls. Here, Tara Lore '01 and Steven Lore '03 show that they have style during homecoming.



What's on your tag? The top four favorite stores to shop at are: Abercrombie & Fitch, American Eagle, Old Navy and The Gap. These logos are quite popular with teens.



Go with the green! Teens like Kelly Stange '01 find themselves constantly looking through what seems to be endless clothing racks, trying to find the greatest outfit.

Lookin' Good! Even during a tough school day, Laura Portera '01 shows that looking good just comes naturally.

Who? Anyone who wears clothes. Anyone who *likes* clothes. "I wear what I like or I think looks cool," said Katharyn King '01.

What? Fashion hots and nots. Old and new fads.

Ins and Outs. "If it's hot it's hot, if it's not, it's not," said Amanda Alliston '04.

Where? Both in and out of school. All

the top stores, companies and brand names. Wherever you look.

Whenever you may need new clothes or you just have to get "that new look".

Why? To achieve the look we want. Eirik Vitso '01 explains, "I usually like what's hot, but sometimes there is something else I like."

How? However possible! Use your own money, as well as your parent's. Melissa Mejia '04 said, "If I am lucky, my parents pay, but usually, I pay."

FASHION SHOW?

Teens Board the Fashion Train to Look Their Best During High School

When? The new millennium. The years 2000-2001. Joyce Kenville '01 said, "It is the kind of year to wear whatever you want."

Who? The spirited student body
What? The pep rally, spirit week and hall decorating. The pep rally was a huge success, with the juniors beating the seniors for the first time in history. The three-day spirit week with very little participation. well in hall the seniors top.

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week dwindled student Each class did decorating, but came out on

When? The place on Feb. Spirit Week 7-9. The posters used for ing were made school, but until Friday before the big

Pep Rally took 9, 2001. ran February ters and pic-hall decorat-all week after were not hung evening game.

In Good Spirits

Where? Hall held in the hall-gym. The pep in the middle **Why?** To get and players

decorating was way by the MS rally was held school gym. the students pepped up for

the Cominghome game on Friday night.

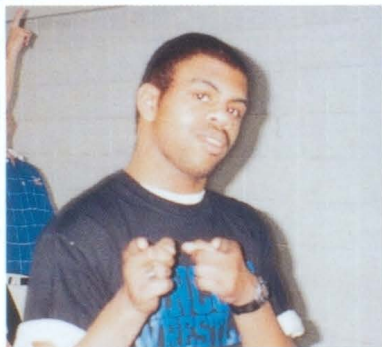
How? With a nice mix of games, cheering and artwork dedicated to the players, the basketball team went on to win the Cominghome game.

Biting off more than they can chew! The juniors tried their hardest to hold on. Kristin Hustyi '02 and Donald Phillips '02 grin and bear it through the long race. The juniors did an excellent job trying to keep together, but the chain of people kept breaking. The seniors had a strong lead and won the caterpillar walk.



Spirit Week Winner: Senior Class of 2001

Student's Thoughts On Cominghome Events:



"Juniors rule! We dominated the pep rally. I knew we would win from the beginning. The freshmen and sophomores had no chance and the seniors weren't expecting us to be so good."
 -Michael Williams '02



"Next year, we'll do better. It was our first year, so we didn't know what to expect or how competitive the other classes would be. We did win the cheer-off though, so it wasn't all bad."
 -Ryan Yargeau '04



"Seniors can't always win; the juniors just got lucky this time. Everyone will still remember that the class of 2001 was the best, even though we didn't win the pep assembly."
 -Stanley Roberson '01

By Jamie Edwards '02 and Jessica Butzin '02

We're number one! The sophomores have high hopes for their class. However, they did not do as well as they expected. They plan to do better next year, claiming that they will win the Pep Rally and Spirit Week. Can't wait to see what happens!



Touch of Pride. These "kids" show their love for the school mascot. Brian Bond '04 dresses up like good ol' Abe, while Jon Riggs '04, Geoffrey Fontana '04, Thomas Lavery '04, Dawn Martin '04 and Laurie Hooper '04 have fun at the Pep Rally.



Hand in Hand. The juniors work together to make their wall the best this year. Students decorated sections of the wall by the middle school gym instead of an entire hallway. "Hall decorating is a time to get together with your friends and have a lot of fun and also experience the thrill of competing with the other students in your school," said Lonnie Scott '01. The seniors won the hall decorating this year.



Fun and Games. Hard work pays off for these students. Close competition gets everyone on their feet! The students enjoyed games like the orange pass, tricycle race, tug-o-war, cheer-off and wheelbarrow race, among others. Even the faculty got involved when the class sponsors hopped on the tricycles and spun their wheels! They also joined their classes for a free throw shoot-out, which the seniors won.

Get your freak on! Students dance the night away while having a blast. William Lawson '02 said, "This year's Cominghome dance was sweet and I really had a lot of fun dancing and just hanging out with friends." Isn't that what dances are all about anyways?

Who? Lincoln High School students, and their dates (whether they go to LHS or not) and friends. This year's Cominghome Court consisted of Joel Nolan '04, John McCue '03, Kenneth Gupton '02, Alexis Correa '01, Jason Williams '01, Aaron Brewer '01, Dante Herron '01, '02, William Fox Andrew Poole

BREWER TAKES THE CROWN!

Anthony Young '02 and '01. Cominghome

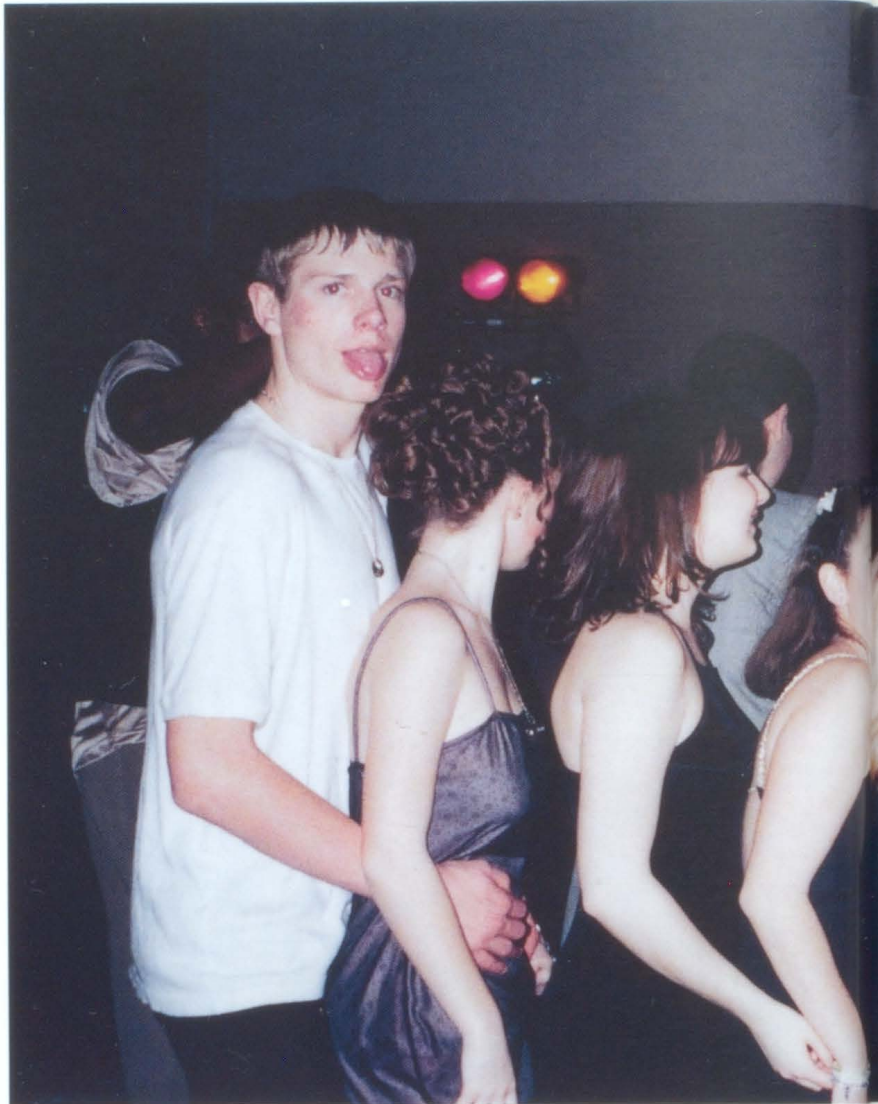
When? February pm-11pm.
Where? Lincoln Gymnasium.
Why? After a preparing for the basketball game, place to celebrate dance is the perfect

Let's Get This Party Started

10, 2001; 8 High School week of Cominghome students need a victory. A opportunity.

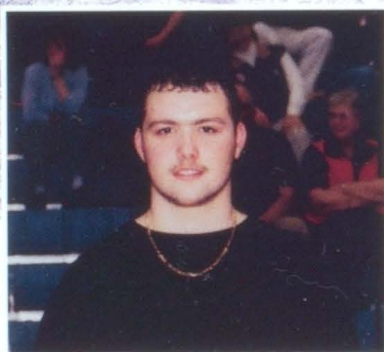
How? Getting Cominghome day event... hair, dress (or suit), to be perfect. takes place before in some cases, afterwards. Then LHS students and their dates take to the dance floor to get their groove on, shake it fast, whatever comes to mind. We know how to get the party started--Right!

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Cominghome King: Aaron Brewer

What was the best part of Cominghome week?



"The best part of the week was all the hype for the game and the pep assembly."
-Anthony Young '02



"The dance had to be the best. I had lots of fun all night. Spirit week days were great, too. Pajama day was my favorite of all."
- Steven Fifield '01



"I'd have to say being a representative of the Freshman class on the court was the best part of Cominghome week."
-Joel Nolan '04



What a mouth full! Before the Cominghome dance, LHS students enjoy dinner with friends at the Olive Garden. Joshua Alper '02 said "It was a fun night. I just feel kind of bad, I was looking so G.Q., I must have made my friends look bad."



Royalty on the court. In the middle school gym, Aaron Brewer '01 takes a stand as the 2001 Cominghome King for the Lincoln Railsplitters. "It was an honor to be named Cominghome King this year, it could have been any one of us," said Brewer.



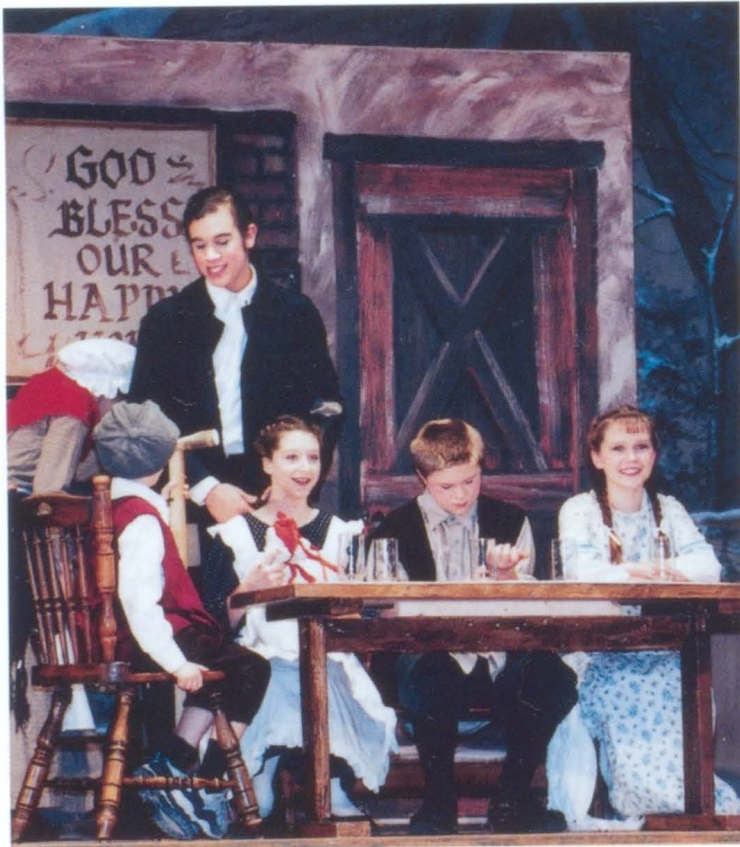
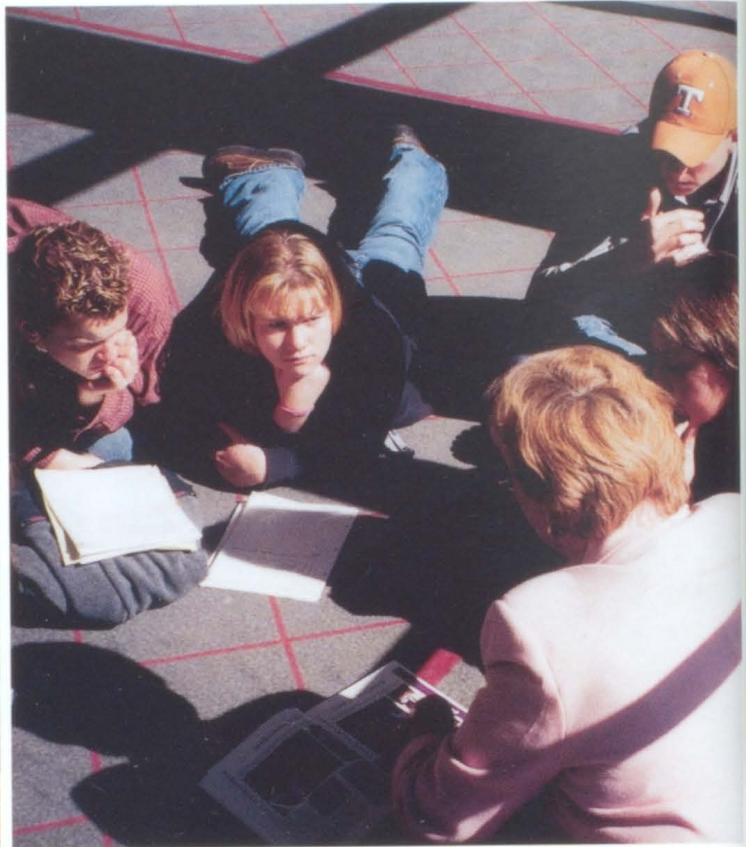
Dance it up fellas! Dancing like crazy are Eric Houston '01 and Jason Hall '02. "I was just there to have fun and that's exactly what I did. Dancing with Jason was a spur-of-the-moment thing...definitely not planned!" said Houston.

"Boys Will Be Boys." Representing the Lincoln High School Cominghome Court for 2001: Dant'e Herron '01, William Fox '02, John McCue '03, and Alexis Correa '01 are escorted across the floor at the basketball game on Friday by their mothers.

Singing Their Hearts Out! Lincoln High School choir students practiced many long hours to get ready for the drama production of "Scrooge". The choir also put on many concerts throughout the year.



Getting It Right! The yearbook staff meets with a judge at the MIPA Fall Workshop at Michigan State University. The judge assessed the quality of the 1999-2000 yearbook, giving constructive criticism.



Showtime! The Dickens Christmas classic "Scrooge" is performed. Drama members spent long, hard hours rehearsing to put on a hit performance which garnered a standing ovation.



Showing that Spirit! The bands at LHS also practiced many long hours for numerous events. Here, the pep band hypes up the crowd at one of our home basketball games.

JOIN THE CLUB



Extra, Extra! Read All About It! Kristina Zielinski '02 and Amanda Fisher '02 work on layouts for the Lincoln Pride newspaper. Students work hard to put out a great edition of the paper.

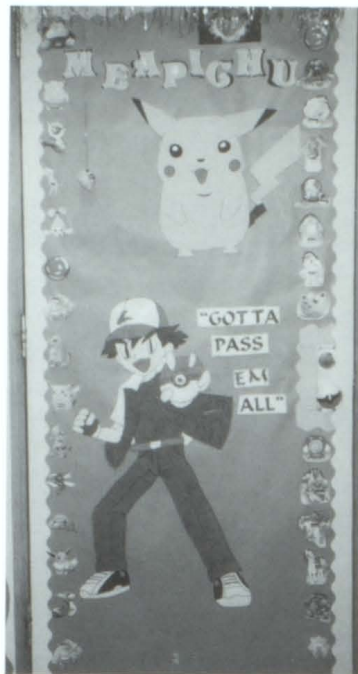


Ride 'Em Cowgirls! Members of the LHS equestrian team "ride" in the Homecoming Parade. Equestrian is one of three club sports offered at Lincoln. The other two include hockey and lacrosse. Although they aren't considered school sports, they work just as hard as any other team.

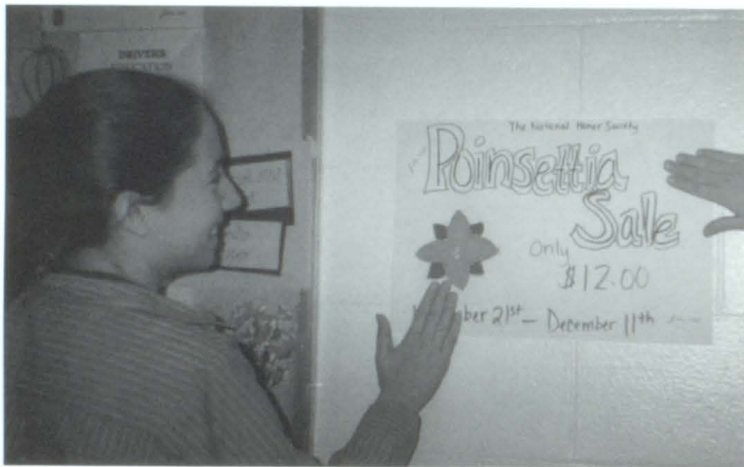
A ctivities

English, Math, Science... these are your basic courses of the day. But what ties it all together to form well-rounded students? Electives serve to provide outlets of interest for students. These are the classes that students elect to attend; classes which provide for freedom of choice and expression. Joining clubs and other activities provide the opportunity to bond and support our school, and each other, for a good cause. Without activities, our day just wouldn't be the same.

Meapichu! Student Council members came up with a great idea to help get students more excited about the MEAP. They organized the door decorating contest and the winners received a prize of \$50. One of the winners was Mrs. Minthorn's class, who decorated their door with Pokemon.



A helping hand. Molly Adcock '01 helps out the National Honor Society by hanging up signs for the annual Poinsettia sale.



Smile! Anna DeJesus '01 is all smiles, along with Mrs. Bertson, while waiting to be inducted into the National Honor Society. This is DeJesus's first year as a member of the NHS.

Look out below! Ms. Revord's year-book class sported a message plane dropping useful items for college as their door decoration for MEAP.



By Amber Harris '01

"Being in the National Honor Society makes me feel good to know that I have a positive effect on people's lives through the service projects that I accomplish."



Jill Pinter '01



"The thing that I like best about the National Honor Society is doing all of the service projects and being able to help out with different activities at school and throughout the community."

Laura Quashnie '01

"I think that its really cool and fun to be a member of the Student Council. I get to be involved in a lot of the decisions that get made at the school in regards to dances, activities and so on. It's a great thing to be a part of."



Christopher Bielak '01



"I really enjoy being in the National Honor Society because it lets me be able to help out in the community and be a part of something that not too many people get to."

Andrew Poole '01

"I'm really glad that my father pushed me to join NSH because I have a lot of fun and really enjoy doing things in the community, plus it looks good on college applications."



Michael Zeoli '01

Service & Excellence

This year, there were only two programs which fit the criteria for service and excellence. Those programs, which upheld ideals in community service while maintaining academic prosperity, include the National Honor Society and Student Council. Usually there are three: NHS, Student Council and Students Against Drunk Driving, but due to a lack of participation and organization, SADD is no longer active at LHS. NHS and Student Council took part in a lot of activities this year. Student Council helped decorate at both dances and held a canned food drive and a Toys-for-Tots drive to help the homeless. They also donated money for the MEAP Door Decorating Contest. The National Honor Society held both blood drives and sold poinsettias at Christmastime.

Welcome to the club. Kelly Williams '03 is welcomed to the National Honor Society by Jill Pluciniczak '01. This is her first year in the NHS.

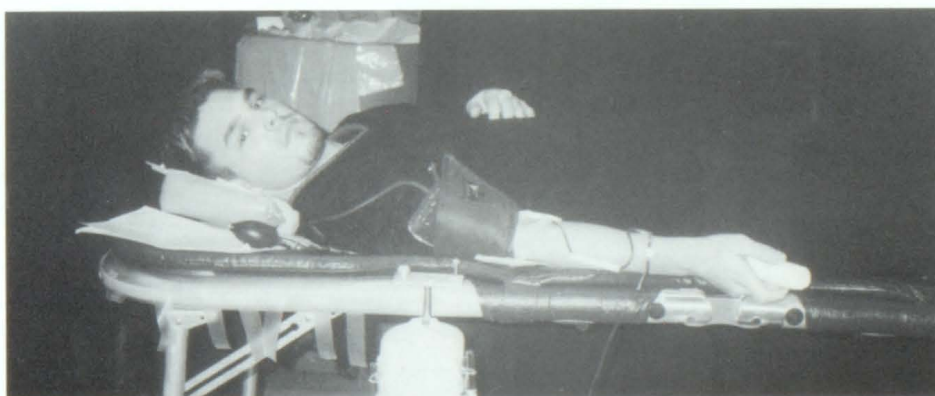


Fun in the sun. NHS members sure know how to enjoy themselves both in and out of school. Emily Lambros '01, Kelly Burba '01 and Laura Quashnie '01 have all been close friends and members of the National Honor Society since their sophomore year.



Scooby-do! Student Council members Erin Allen '02 and Laura Portera '01 enjoy decorating Mr. Welch's door for the MEAP contest.

Food for thought. This year the Student Council spent two weeks before Thanksgiving collecting food for the homeless.



A Good Cause. Adam Czarnecki '01 gives blood at the National Honor Society's annual blood drive.



Congratulations! Erin Allen '03 is being welcomed to the National Honor Society by Mrs. Bertzos.



Sitting Pretty. Student Council members Shawn Brown '02, Eniale Beachem '01, Jason Williams '01, Lauren McParlan '02, Christopher Bielak '01, Jeanette Jayne '03, Kathryn Wright '03, Jason Branham '01, Samantha Mayville '01, Ezekiel Joubert '02, Laura Portera '01, Christopher Larson '02 and Rebecca Crews '01 gather together to begin one of their meetings.

Together they stand. USO members Ericka Cross '02, Jasmine Frazier '01 and Ka'shania Thrower '01 stick together during spirit week. These girls are a really close group.



USO Pride! USO members show their USO spirit as they march down the street during the Homecoming Parade, which is held in October. USO is a good club for students to get together and do activities with each other and make new friends.



Riding high. Chalynn Fields '02 practices her beauty pageant wave as she passes the crowd with her fellow United Student Organization members. She is definitely caught in the moment and has the pride that many USO members have.

Limo like me! We definitely know who is the coolest group in the Homecoming Parade. It's got to be USO! Members Amanda Stumbo '02, Megan Ransome '02 and future USO member Chase Dixon '04 hang out the moon roof as they cruise down Willis Road.



"I think that USO is fun because you get to be with your friends. You also get to work with kids and celebrate other minorities while educating yourself and others. I like to celebrate other culture's holidays, too."



Ezekiel Joubert '02



"The reason why I wanted to join USO is because I wanted to give back to the people of the community and just the overall principle of the whole organization."

Megan Ransome '02

"Being part of Foreign Exchange was a great opportunity to get a chance to travel and experience a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity. France is awesome, we learned a lot about the culture. I would definitely travel back to France."



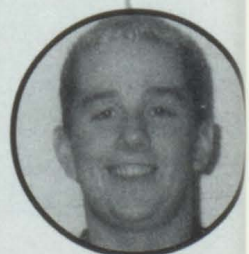
Lauren Burdette '01



"I wanted my children and I to take part in the club to have a opportunity to travel. I thought it would be interesting to learn about another culture. My greatest memory will be the children I have hosted and enjoyed also my three trips to Germany as coordinator."

Mrs. Patricia Burt, Foreign Exchange Coordinator

"I decided to be in Foreign Exchange because it's intriguing to go to another country and see that your morals and everything you learned can be flipped upside down."



Nicholas Ingrao '02

Cultural Connections Promote Lifelong Unity

Diversity & Enrichment

Lincoln programs such as Foreign Exchange and United Student Organization (USO) cover topics in diverse cultures. Each program teaches students about the world surrounding them by enriching and enhancing the educational experience. Foreign Exchange offers students the opportunity to travel and learn about distant countries, while USO increases connections between the diverse cultures in our own community.

Zzzzz! Henrik Rang '01 and Justin Soest '01 catch a quick nap on their flight home. Soest is going to feel that in the morning. Sweet dreams, guys!



Magnifique! The exchange students visit an artist's studio during their stay in Germany. With all of those smiles, there is no doubt a new Picasso will be discovered.



Break time! The group stops to chill in front of the cool castle known as New Shawnstein.



How pretty! This castle's beauty catches the eye of many a tourist. Our foreign exchange group is no exception, as they take a closer look at the New Shawnstein Castle.

Wow! With all of this magnificent landscape to gaze at, who would ever want to go home? Wait, take a look at this beautiful castle on a hill. How would you like to live there?



Bonding in Bonn. The Foreign Exchange Students have a visit with the famous musician, Ludwig Von Beethoven.



Prepare to hit the books. Tania Snipes '02, David Rolls '01, Kelly Morawski '01, Amanda Thompson '01, Kelly McCue '01, Rudolph Ruffer '01 and Justin Soest '01 adjust to their school in Germany for the next two and a half weeks.

By Laquandra Cain '01

Sing it Loud! To everyone's surprise, Mr. Rick Ross, former principal and current ninth grade counselor, joined the cast as one of the major roles in the musical *Scrooge*. He played the infamous "Ghost of Christmas Present". Boy, can this guy sing a tune!



Encore, Encore! The townpeople in *Scrooge*, ecstatic with Scrooge's overnight transformation, deliver a spectacular finale to an outstanding performance. Being in the musical not only requires acting talent, but the ability to sing and dance as well.



Places, People, Places! Participating in the One-Act Festival, Kristen Russell '03, Taqqee-Shaheen Khabir '02 and Dant'e Herron '01, take direction from a student-director. This play, *Jewels of the Shrine*, was a big hit!

The Rise Of A Monarchy! A new king comes to power in *Antigone*. Lonnie Scott '01 played the lead role, Creon, a middle-aged man with a leadership role like no other, who fought treason all across the land to bring peace to the town.



By Jonathon Houston '02

"The 'Scrooge' musical was really fun; it took a lot of hard work and dedication from all the cast and everybody that was involved. It also helped a lot that the community and school was very supportive."



Lonnie Scott '01 (as Scrooge)



"Drama is very challenging, but it is worth all the hard work. In the end when it all comes together, it is a great feeling you get. In the middle of all the hard work, you get to meet some really great people."

Matthew Watson '01

"Practice took a lot out of everyone involved with 'Scrooge'. It took a lot of time and effort to get everything perfect for opening night. It is a challenge, but most definitely worth the work"



Eric Blake '02



"Drama has been the one thing in school that I can rely on for friends and fun. I've gained friends that I love, and I've learned that I'm very good at things that I never even thought about before. Don't be afraid to try out for drama."

Erin Tate '02

"Drama has presented itself to me with many challenges throughout my time here at Lincoln High School, and it has helped me as an individual make me who I am today and tomorrow."



Sara Wachtmann '02

Practice Makes Perfect Performance

The Drama Department, which consists of both the drama classes and drama club, works extremely hard to put on both a musical and a play each year. Under the direction and leadership of Mr. Martin Jacobs, this year's agenda included *Scrooge* and *Antigone*. In addition to these major productions, each year the Drama Club manages to fit in the One-Act Festival (in which students direct the short plays), the annual Children's Show and an All-School Talent Show. Every production requires extensive rehearsal, choreography and set design.

Got Spirit Anyone? Ghostly apparitions adorn the Lincoln stage. Daniel Douglas '01 and Lonnie Scott '01 act with spooky accuracy.

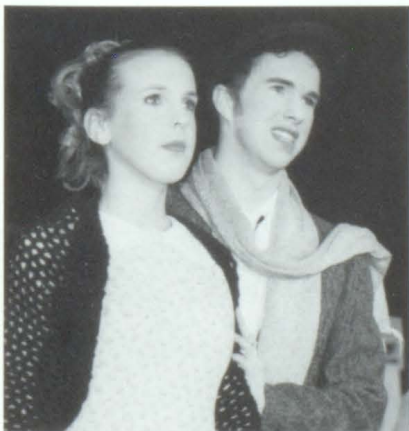


Home Sweet Home. As the Cratchitts' sit down for dinner, they take a moment to be thankful for what they have and the life that was given to them.



En Garde! Battling to the death, as Matthew Watson '01 plays the soldier and Ruth Dunstan '02 plays the citizen in a fight for justice. This was a key scene in *Antigone*.

At Center Stage! Drama students perform with, and teach, middle school students as Bethany Michowski, Eric Blake '02 and Briana Smith act with style and grace.



Caught in a Moment. The sweat was just a-pourin' down as Erin Allen '02 and Jeffrey Burden '01 hold on tight.



Putting it all together. Check out this showcase put together by the LHS Drama Department. Now that's creative.

United As One. Singing and dancing along in a wonderful display of togetherness, Jeffrey Burden '01 and Sara Wachtmann '02 show their great abilities to work and get the job done. Their effort was rewarded with applause.

By Jonathon Houston '02



Color me blue and gray. Color guard captain Heather Archer '02 smiles as she performs her routine. "The color guard makes band fun," Archer said.

Sing out! Members of the second soprano section have fun using their hands to help them understand the music. Work can be just like play.



Standing Proud. Katharyn King '01 joins the rest of the marching band at an eagerly-anticipated halftime show. These shows are as exciting and as fun to watch as the games themselves.

The band comes marching in. Keeping a steady pace, the band members work very hard to play their instruments and march simultaneously. It requires a lot of practice and determination to do it right.



"Some of the fundraisers that the band had were pizza sales and car washes. One time, we raked leaves. The best part is hanging out with my friends!"

Kelly Burba '01



"I became a member of band because I thought it would be fun to play a musical instrument and be part of the band. I've been part of the band for seven years."

Emily Lambros '01



"We had a lot of fun on the Boston trip. Mrs. Nevins is great - the choirs don't realize how lucky we are to be able to work with her every day. She does a lot."

Lonnie Scott '01



"I see choir as a great way to hang out with my friends while still doing something I love. We have such great times together."

Chalynn Fields '02



"I like band because of the cool music that we play. The main reason I joined was for the love of music. I've been first chair for four years in a row."

Richard Roe '04

Give Me A Beat

Music Appreciation

The Lincoln choirs and bands have turned dull auditoriums into live stadiums. Their performances have become something to look forward to at football games and concerts. There are five choirs: Women's Chorus, Concert Women, Men of Lincoln, Split Dimensions and Concert Choir. There are three bands: Concert Band, Symphonic Band and Jazz Band. The music programs had many fundraisers such as bottle drives, car washes, pizza sales and even raked leaves to earn their money. Band and Choir pride themselves on enhancing their talents.

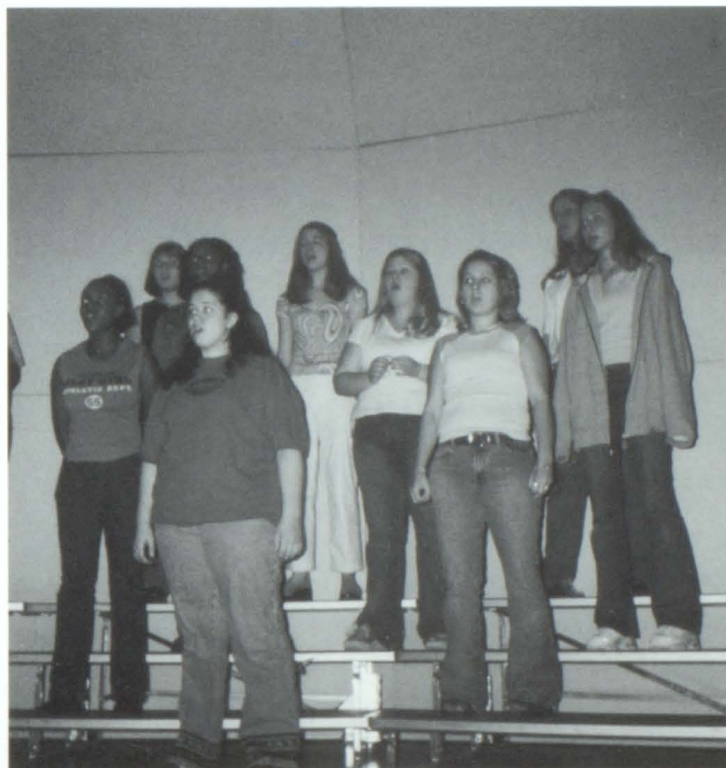
Play it loud. Focusing on doing his best for the halftime show is Stephen Gage '02. It takes concentration to get the job done right.



Freshman Talent. Saxophonist Michelle Taylor '04 plays her heart out at the pep assembly. It's important to gain as much fresh talent each year to expand the band.



Waiting in the wings. Drum major Nicholas Ingrao '02 waits for his turn in the spotlight.



Practice makes perfect. Members of the alto section rehearse before their spring concert. Both the band and choir holiday concerts were canceled due to inclement weather in December.

Getting Intense. Percussionist Kevin Griffin '01 focuses on doing well. The band played the halftime show at the Homecoming game, as usual.



Drumroll please! Percussionists Laura Quashnie '01, Steven Harwood '04, Douglas Patton '01 and Rachel Vonck '01 add their sounds to the band. The informal attire indicates that this is another pep assembly show!



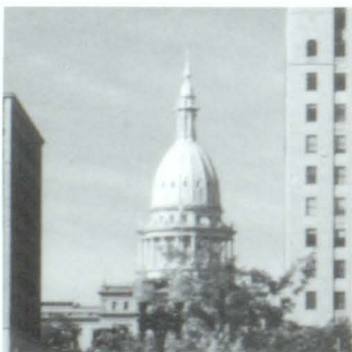
Three in a row. Kevin Mullins '01, Karin Bakkila '04 and Emily Lambros '01 perform at yet another football game halftime show.

By Amanda Burton '03 and Jakera Frazier '02

Exercising the mind. Every morning, a good workout was key to getting motivated to learn. Emily Nichols '01, Kelly Stange '01 and Heather Ringrose '02 did some stretches before attending the the summer workshop sessions.

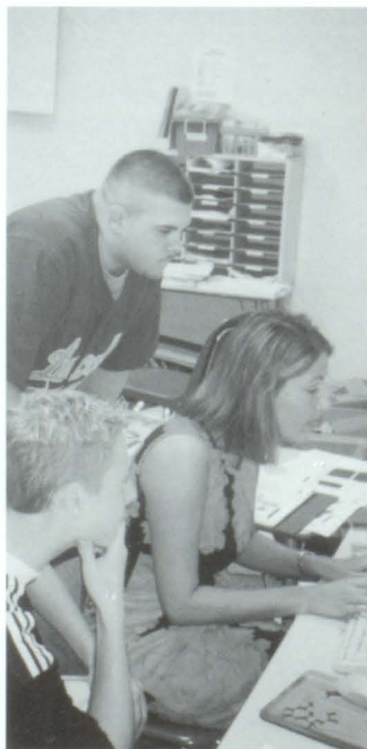


Extra! Extra! Read all about it! Kristina Zielinski '02 types up her latest story that will be published in The Lincoln Pride newspaper.



A trip to the capital. Each year current yearbook students attend the MIPA conference to better teach them the tricks of journalism, and to give them ideas for the following year. The conference is held annually in Lansing, on the Michigan State University campus.

Show and tell. Ms. Revord, the yearbook adviser, shows Carlos Lazono '02 and Steven Gage '02 a thing or two on the yearbook computer.



"Being editor-in-chief of the yearbook has been quite an experience. I have learned a lot about journalism. I have also started many friendships with my staff, as well as the adviser. It has been a long, hard journey, but it's one I will never forget."



Kelly Stange '01



"In newspaper class I have learned how to write things from a journalist's point of view, what rules you have to follow and how to make stories look appealing.."

Kristen Bredeweg '02

"Being in WLHS was really fun and it taught me a lot about technology and production. If I had a choice I would take this course again, it was a great experience. Also, it gave me a great excuse to do something entertaining for the entire school!"



Michael Zeoli '01



"I would take newspaper class again because I like to write and when your story gets in the paper it makes you feel good inside, and very proud of yourself."

Alicia Ellis '02

"I was really suprised to find out I had been chosen to be the editor-in-chief of the yearbook next year. It is a huge responsibility, but I'm looking forward to the experience. And besides, it will look good on my college applications!"



Jamie Edwards '02

Letting Students Speak Their Mind **Communications**

Communication.

One word can mean so much. Whether it's television, newspaper or the internet, Lincoln doesn't cut corners when it comes to teaching these courses that are as important today as they will be tomorrow.

With many classes to choose from such as yearbook, journalism or WLHS, any student can experience first-hand what it's like to work in different fields of communication. People use this tool everyday without even knowing it. Many people say that we are taking advantage of communication, but if we've got it so why not use it? Technological advances have broadened communication to the point where we don't even have to leave our houses to see friends or family that may be hundreds of miles away. These courses keep students aware of the world around them and prepare them for the future.

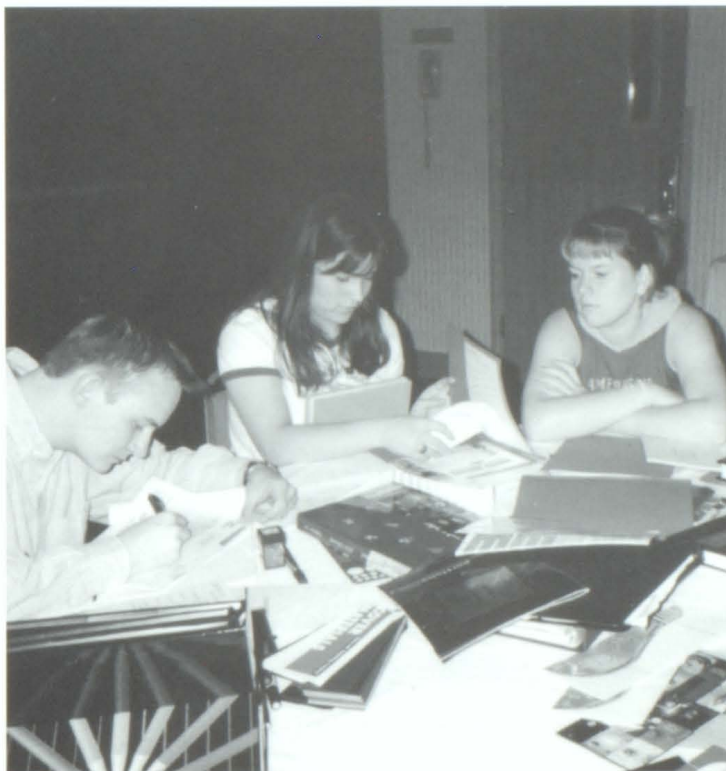
Broadcasting Spirit.

Jakera Frazier '02 looks over the news that will be shown on WLHS. WLHS gives students a chance to find out what's going on around them in school.



Top of the crop.

Amanda Burton '03 knows yearbook photo cropping takes time and precision to get the picture looking just right.



How it all began. After a long conference and many ideas, the editors Kelly Stange '01 and Emily Nichols '01 met with an artist to create the cover for the yearbook.

Stop the presses! Amanda Fisher '02 goes through a newspaper to get a good idea for her next story and layout idea.



Expressing the theme. After the theme was chosen, Heather Ringrose '02 and Kelly Stange '01 explained to the rest of the workshop attendees how the theme would be carried throughout the book.



Where it all comes together. This is the studio where all of the latest news is broadcast to Lincoln students throughout the school.

And...Where it all begins. Screening clips for the next show can be a hard job, but someone has got to do it. The WLHS staff puts on a great show that has something for everyone.

By Timothy Penird '02 and Kelly Stange '01

Feeling This One Out. As the second period comes to an end, Joshua Curmi '02 takes a quick break to relax from all the pressure of the game. This was a close one, though hard fought, resulting in a 4-3 lose under the Saline Hornets at the home ice in Ann Arbor.

One More Time! Keeping the horse under control while racing him around three barrels and back again, Samantha Mayville '01 rides like the wind. Mayville blew the competition away.



Come and Get It. Forced to face-off in their own zone, Lincoln Hockey gets the puck back in a scramble. Captain Todd England '02 takes the face-off like a graceful bull charging through Saline's defense like no other.

Set It Up! Working the ball around the goalie, Ryan Sparks '02 shows off his above average skills when it comes to controlling the ball and running the offense for the lacrosse team. In just their second year of play, the team displayed much improvement along the way



By JonathonHouston'02

"I had a good season for only my second year playing. I made a lot of improvements to my game from last season. As a team next year, we should be pretty decent considering we are only losing two seniors."



Michael Howard '03



"This was my first year ever playing lacrosse. When I first started, I really didn't know too much about the game, but by the end of the season I was hanging with everybody."

Bryan Fontenot '04

"The best parts of coaching equestrian are watching the riders grow in their talent and the smiles on their faces. The fact that they assume the responsibility for another living thing and take it to heart is truly a great learning experience. Most of them love their horses more than anything."



Coach Roxanne Mayville



"People think that it is just so easy to ride a horse, but it takes a lot of skill and hard work. It is really a lot harder than you think it would be. I love horses, and I love to ride. It is so much fun, but it takes dedication to learn to ride at this level."

Holly Malmquist '03

"We played a good hockey season; we had a lot of fun getting better and growing as a team, have high expectations for next year's season and plan to win a lot more games."



Todd England '02

Uniting As One for the Team Club Sports

Club sports at Lincoln require just as much practice, commitment and dedication as any of the recognized competitive varsity sports. However, a club sport involves a different set of rules. In club sports, different schools are able to join the team, as well as the ability for boys and girls to play for the same team. Also, club sports do not receive any funding from the school district, but are allowed to use the school name. A club sport must be in place for two years prior to becoming eligible for varsity status. The club sports at Lincoln include lacrosse, hockey and the equestrian team. Lacrosse, along with equestrian, have been teams here for two years, with hockey being here just one a year longer. In addition to the current club sports, there are plans for a Lincoln tennis team.

Charging down the field. Ryan Yargeau '04 runs through the defense and beats the goalie. This was his first year playing lacrosse.



Ride Like The Wind! Equestrian superstar, Chelsea Cutright '03 shows her ability to control and maneuver her horse over hurdles.



Way To Run It! With his soccer skills coming in handy, James Mack '01 flies downfield leaving the midfield in awe.

He Scores! The offense brings new hope to the rest of the team, evening a close game versus the Saline Hornets.



Run It Down! Showing his defensive skills, Ryan Rupprah '01 likes playing with their minds as he clears the ball down field.



Half Time Talks. The team listens close, as Jeff Daniels, coach of the lacrosse team, cheers them on to an 18 to 3 win over Avondale.



Bring It In, Guy. The Lincoln hockey team takes it in for a pep talk in the third period, looking for the comeback win over the Saline Hornets.

Making The Sale. Can you imagine working around oil, grease and other messy things all day? Kerry Edwards '01 can because she works at Murray's Discount Auto Store for Co-op.



Fax Away! She does it all! Dana Barnes '01 faxes, answers phones and escorts students, at her job at the high school office, where she works for Co-op.



"Hello, Lincoln Middle School, How can I help you?" Answering the phone is one of the many duties of Amanda Thompson '01, who works in the Middle School office for Co-op.

Screwing Around? No! That can't happen at the body shop where Nathaniel Caldwell '02 is working on a car for RCTC.



"RCTC helps me prepare for something I might be interested in doing later on in life. I am gaining the skills needed to do good graphic design, while enjoying the time I spend learning all these new things. It's a great program."



Priscilla Miller '02

"Cadet teaching is a lot of fun. I like working with the kids, and the teachers are cool, too. It gives me a chance to learn all the skills needed to be a good teacher. I have also learned that I don't want to be a middle school teacher."



Jennifer LaFerney '02

"I want to be a fashion designer when I get older, so RCTC is helping me with the things I need to be able to do that. It prepares me for what college might challenge me with."



Danaya Peterson '01

"Technology is challenging but very fun. It offers me the chance to learn things I might need in college or once I am older and looking for a job. We do a lot of cool things in technology."



Jonathan Scherer '02

"RCTC is cool because I only go to school for half a day, and then for the other half of the day, I am doing something I love. I love working with the cars here. It's a change of scenery. I am never bored with school anymore. It's cool."



Benjamin McCune '03



Future Preparations

Lincoln offers such programs as Co-op, when students go to school for half a day and work for the other half; RCTC, students go to learn trade skills; cadet teaching, students learn the teaching profession by going to classrooms of younger grades to help the teachers and students; and technology classes, all of which help students decide what they might want to do later in life.

These classes, along with the standard classes available, offer opportunities and experiences that will help students face challenges and make choices after graduation.

Playing with fire. Amanda Fisher '02 executes a perfect flame tornado to excite the crowd during this year's Chemistry Magig Show.



Point and Click. Showing off her amazing computer skills, cadet teacher Heather Arens '02 assists one of her students who is having trouble with his computer.



Making A Point. Technology teacher Mr. Nuzzo points out a correction in his typing to Bryan Mellinger '03.



Finger-Lickin' Good! Science teacher Mr. Gilbert reminds the class that you shouldn't eat the rat while dissecting. Biology classes dissect rats each year.

Whistle While You Work! Prepping a car for paint, Jake McKenzie '01 enjoys himself while working hard.



A Helping Hand. It is always good to have someone to talk to, and that's what cadet teacher Matthew Witt '01 is doing. He was always helping students work out problems.

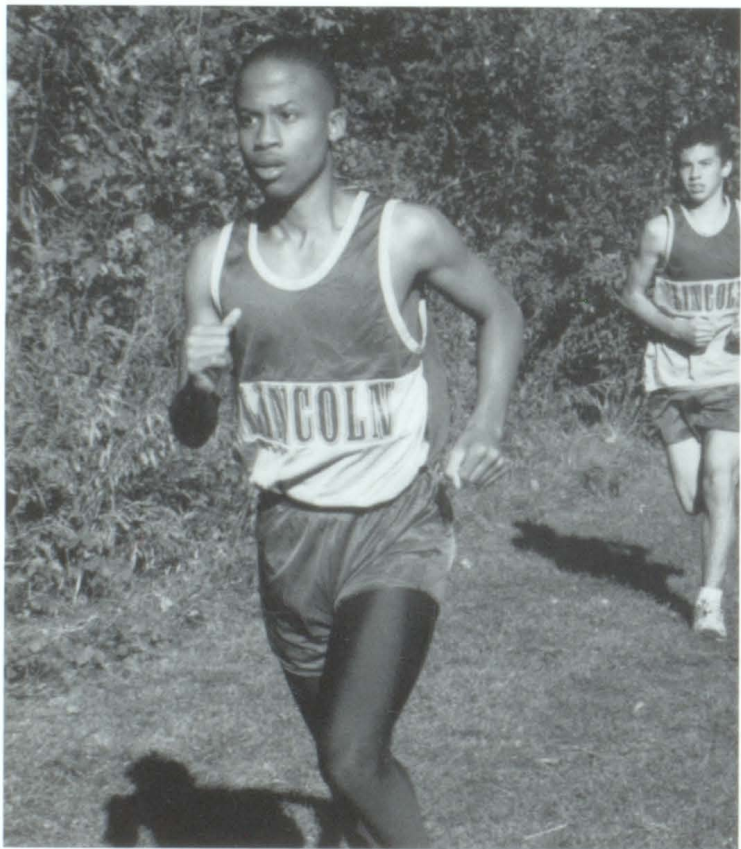
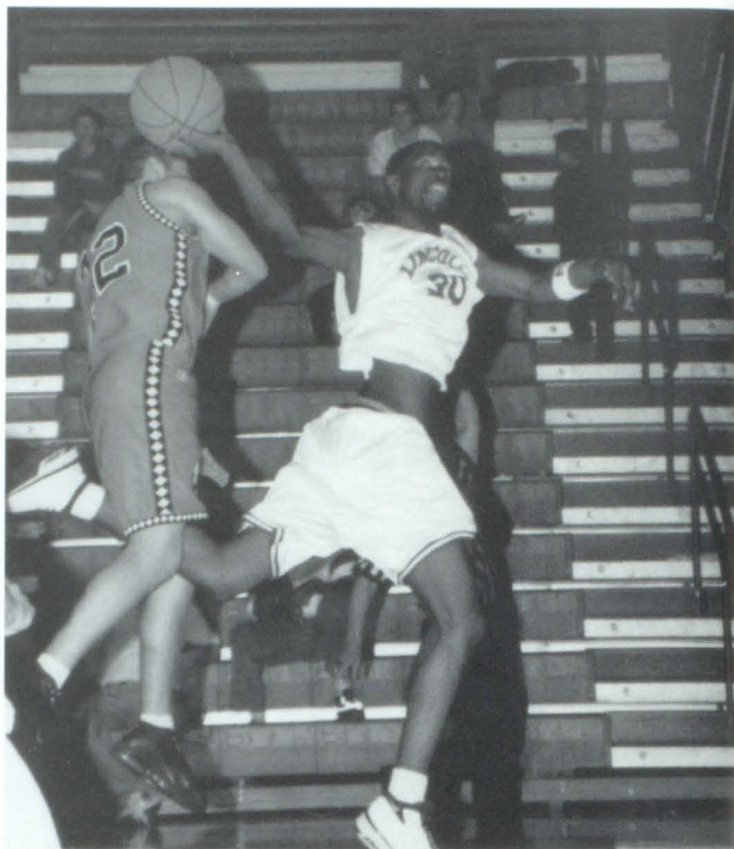


That's Where It Is! Helping a small friend is one of the things Stephen Napier '01 does as a cadet teacher. He's a sweetie, huh?

Team Effort. Taking a moment to prepare themselves and each other for the hard game ahead is the jv football team. This group of young men showed excellent teamwork throughout the season.



Twist And Shout! Making an awesome play once again is Kenneth Gupton '02. Gupton is looking forward to leading the basketball team to an even greater victory next year.

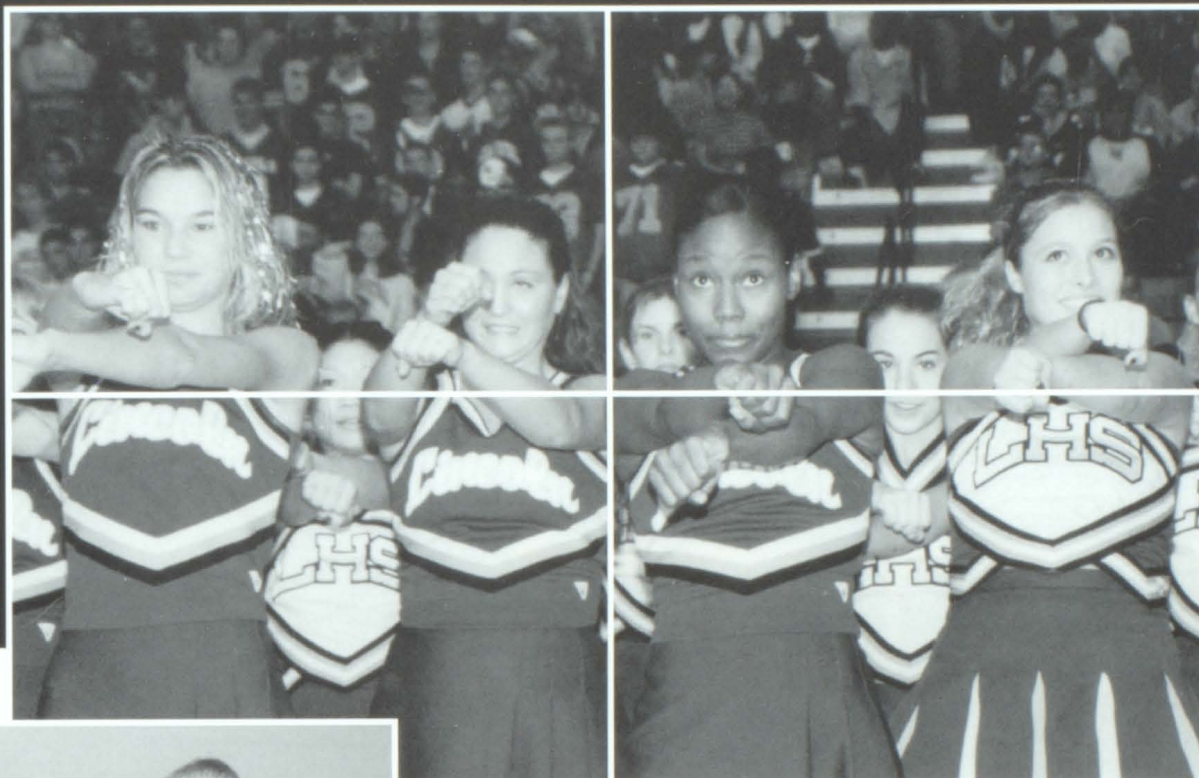


Run, Forrest, Run! Working up a sweat is Gabriel Peoples '02. Peoples was a key member of the cross country team this year. Nice legs, Gabe!



Holding Her Own. Dribbling down the field to the goal is Kelly Williams '03. Scoring four goals since being moved from defense to midfield, Williams has a bright future here at Lincoln.

UNITED WE STAND



This Is How We Do It! Varsity cheer team members Jessica Jackson '01, Shannon Carni '01 and Ka'Shania Thrower '01 demonstrate their smooth moves along with JV team member, Suzanne Young '04.



Dive Right In. Off to a great start is Stephen Gage '02. Gage usually swims the one hundred yard breaststroke and is excited about being a part of the swim team again next year.

Sports

Sports are very important to many students. Athletes must learn to balance schoolwork, sports, friends, family and sometimes a part-time job. A 2.0 GPA must be maintained to stay on a sports team.

Some of Lincoln's sports did extremely well this year. The boys varsity basketball team and the track team won their SEC white divisions. The girls varsity soccer team came in second in the SEC white division.

All Railsplitters displayed excellent sportsmanship and dedication.

Front and Center. Megan Allen '03 pumps her fist high at a homecoming pep assembly. The JV squad found themselves orphaned after the coach was relieved of her duties. Despite this, the team stuck together and toughed out the season.



Form it Up! Along with the varsity team, the JV squad pumps up the crowd at the Homecoming pep assembly. The varsity and JV squads worked and practiced together for at least three days a week to work on mounts and formations over the summer. They attended the UCA stunt camp and the Champion stunt camp in Alma, Michigan.



No Strings Attached! After working on their throws at camp, Jillian Kmet '02 shows extreme skill while being tossed up by her fellow teammates at the Homecoming pep rally, in an effort to hype the crowd.

Say it loud! JV Cheerleaders Breanna Cordle '03, Suzette Young '03, Natasha Norris '03 and Amy Pilote '03 cheer on the varsity football team, along with the varsity squad at the Homecoming football game.



What did you like best about being a part of the cheer team?



"I love being able to talk to my teammates. Getting to know each other was awesome. We're like one big family." - Suzette Young '03

"We do all kinds of stuff together and I even got to know a lot of people that I didn't really know before."



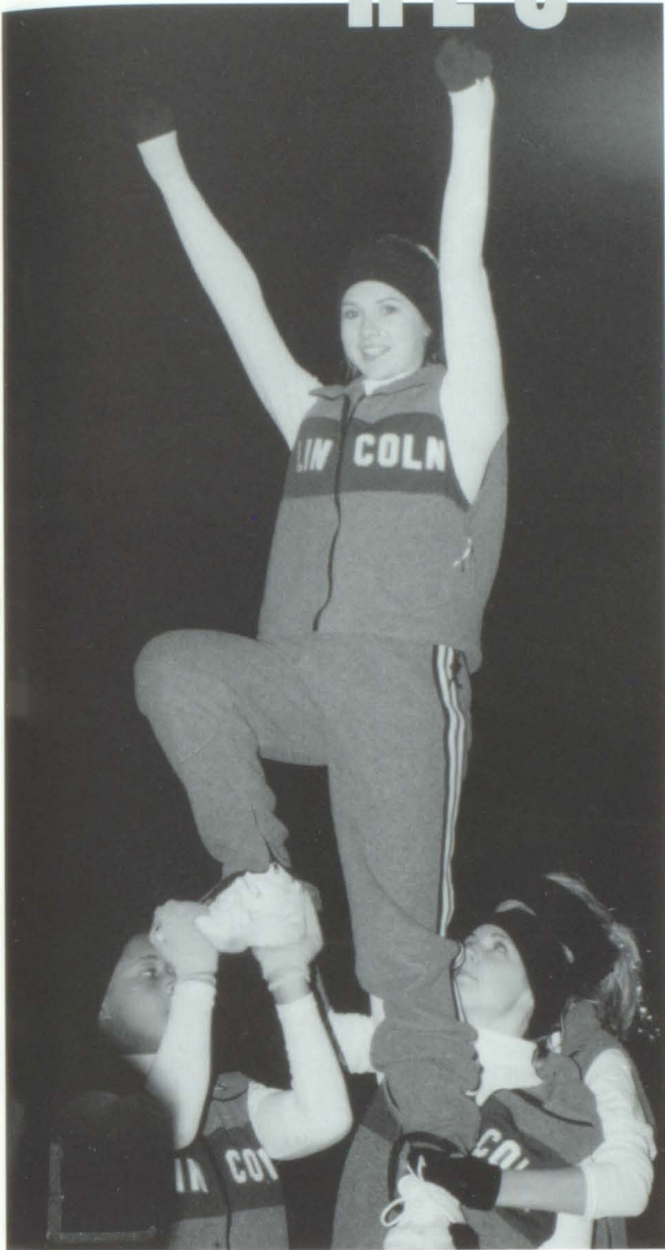
- Megan Allen '03

Don't Fall! Showing off their newly developed skills, Allyson Buntun '02 and Kristin Hustyi '02 hold up Brittanie Bondie '02 at a home Railsplitters football game. The key to this move is balance, but a little trust never hurt, either!

CHEERS ALL AROUND

Varsity and JV Teams Get Fired Up Early at Summer Cheer Camps

'Splitter Power! Hying up the crowd is Shyla Craiger '02, Janet Bumgardner '02 and Angela Cornett '02 at a home football game. "Cheering at games was so much fun, and to hear how loud we could get the crowd to yell was awesome," said Shyla Craiger '02.



Fall Cheer

Preseason Prep: The varsity cheerleading squad attended three camps. They went to two stunt camps and one general camp.

The Season: The cheer teams were at each home and away football game to show spirit and lead the crowd in cheering for their team.

Highlights: The team spent every Thursday working with the middle school cheerleaders to prepare for

the game on October 20, when they would join the varsity squad in cheering on the sidelines for the night.

Coach's Quote: "Camp was one of the best parts of the season. The girls were really nervous about going because we would be up against some of the best teams in the state, but the girls really proved to themselves that they were just as good," said Coach Kerin Carlson.



Let's Go 'Splitters! Leading the junior class at the Homecoming pep rally, Kristin Hustyi '02, Sarah Sancho '02 and Brittanie Bondie '02 get their class to cheer.



"Camp was awesome and we got to be really close friends."

-Janet Bumgardner '02



"The way people react to us. When people cheer it feels awesome!"

- Tiffany Godsey '01

Seniors Lead Young Varsity Football Team Through A Tough Schedule

Go Dre Go! Runningback Roland Lynn '01 runs the ball against frustrated Dexter defense. Lynn ran for 204 yards and had two touchdowns in this win against Dexter. "Lynn had an outstanding senior year," said Coach Roger Cox.



Going deep! Quarterback Christopher Lee '03 drops back to make the long pass while Roland Lynn '01 sets himself up to make a block. Lee finished second for passing in the area this year with 122 completed passes for 1,604 yards. Lee also threw for nine touchdowns, ran for five and had 271 rushing yards.

V Football

Preseason Prep: This year the varsity team had a three day camp, staying over night at the school. The team also lifted weights and ran all summer long.

The Season: What happens when you combine a rebuilding year with one of the toughest schedules in the SEC? You end up with a season played with a lot of heart, but only a 2-7 record, beating Temperance Bedford and Dexter. With five sophomores, 20 juniors and 11 seniors, this year's team gained experience which will help them in the seasons to come.

Highlight: The final score of the Homecoming game was 21-14 against Dexter. In this game, Captain Roland Lynn '01 rushed for a season high of 204 yards and two touchdowns. Another highlight of the year was Quarterback Christopher Lee '03, who tied for fifth in all-time passing attempts in a single game, with 53.

Coach's Quote: "I was very proud of our seniors this year. They stepped up and played with a lot of heart. I'm looking forward to next year's season and the kids returning," said Coach Roger Cox.

Watch out!

The varsity team takes the field and prepares to win their homecoming game against Dexter. In the end, Lincoln was victorious, 21-14. The Railsplitters finished the season with a record of 2-7.



What was the best moment of the season for you?



"When I scored my first touchdown of the year right before halftime at the Temperance Bedford game."
-Charles Reed '01

"When I got "offensive player of the week" over Carlos Lozano for the Saline game."
- Robert Robinette '01

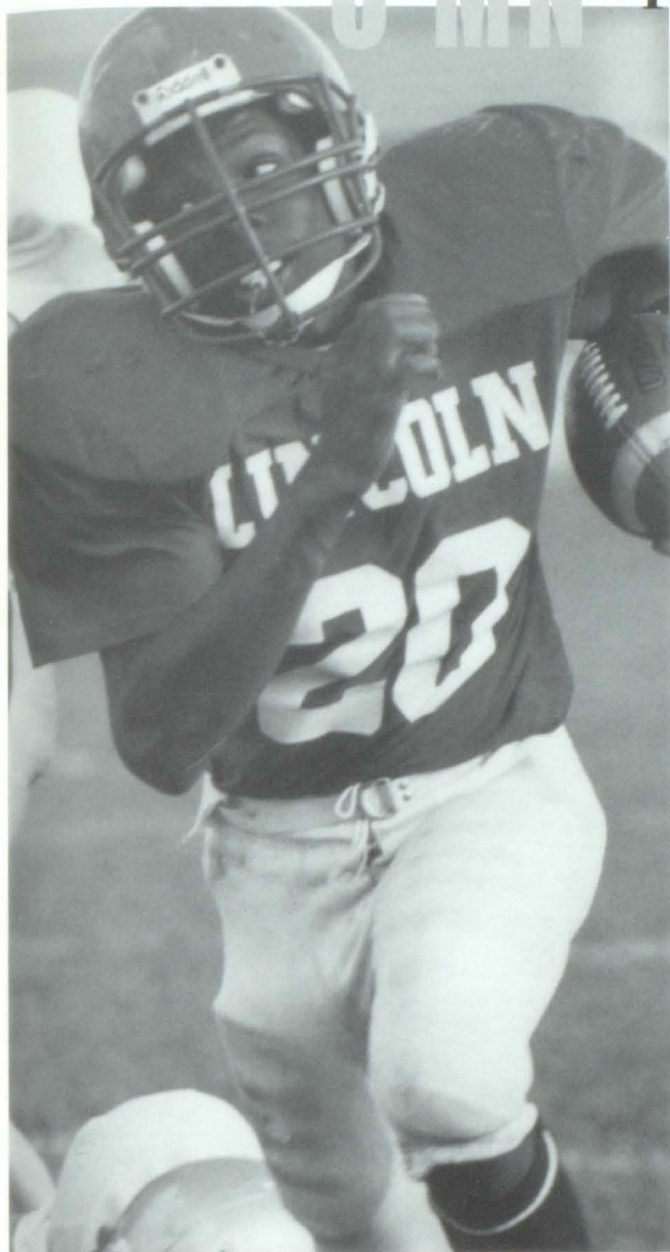


Run, Run! Runningback Eltaro Hooper '04 busts loose for a huge gain against Chelsea. The freshmen team finished the season with a 1-9 record, beating the Tecumseh Indians 21-7.



JV/Freshmen Teams Hope to Develop Future Talents

Out of my way! Runningback Christopher McGough '03 fights for yardage against the Chelsea defender. McGough ran for a touchdown in this game and had a season high of 101 rushing yards. The JV team ended the season with a record of 0-9.



JV/F Football

Preseason Prep: The JV and freshmen boys spent their summer lifting weights and conditioning.

Season: Even though the JV team had an off year, they still achieved their goals and worked hard all season. They ended with a record of 0-9. The freshmen ended 1-8, beating Tecumseh.

Highlight: The highlight of the season was when the JV team trav-

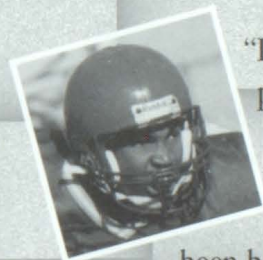
eled to Pioneer with only 14 players. Twelve of the players played both offense and defense in the game. Despite losing 33-0, this was their hardest fought game.

Coach's Quote: "Keep working hard in the off season to get better. If you stay committed and work together as a team, then there is no one who can stop you," said JV Coach Eric Johnson.



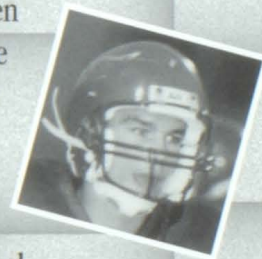
Loose Ball! Defensive lineman Joseph Murphy '03 recovers a fumble to get the ball back for Lincoln.

What are your thoughts on this season?



"It was pretty good, but it could have been better. I had a lot of fun, too."

-Rashard Jones '04



"I had a lot of fun even though we didn't win any games. We all worked hard though."

-Jeremy Brown '03

The Girls Swim Team Adjusts to Practice at Eastern Michigan Club Pool

Lending an ear. Captain Molly Adcock '01 gives fellow teammate Amanda Burton '03 some last minute advice before the meet. Adcock has swam all four years, and as captain this year, she worked extremely hard to promote team unity.



Group hug. The girls show just what kind of friends they are by giving a team hug after a long dual meet. This year's team was held together by hard work, both in and out of the pool, and strong friendships like this. "We might not win every meet or every medal, but we have each other. We love to swim, but we love each other too," said Chelsea Poole '03.



Girls Swim

Preseason Prep: Since Lincoln's pool was still under construction, the girls swam twice a day at Eastern Michigan University's Jones pool. They even took a training trip to Hillsdale College for the first time. "Our team seems to be closer this year. Our training trip helped us to become great friends," said Molly Adcock '01.

Season: Even though the team lost all of their dual meets, they swam great at SEC's and SMISL's, and more importantly, improved their strokes and times. "To me the season has been very successful because every meet I improve my times just a little," said Alaina Rendon '04.

Highlights: Despite not having a home pool and all the 4:30 a.m. practices, the team stayed together to improve everyone's personal records while also obtaining a few new school records. Amanda Burton '03 earned her name on the record board in the 100, 200 and 500 freestyle.

Coach's Quote: "The girls worked very hard this year and I expect many improvements next year," said Coach Kelton Graham.

Fluttering to the finish line. Laura Mamp '02 swims her best butterfly, though she usually swims freestyle. Previously, Mamp was the 200 and 500 yard freestyle record holder. Despite a knee injury, she has persevered as one of team's most valuable.



What was the funniest incident that happened during the season?



"After a meet, we stopped at McDonald's and saw some hot guys when we got off the bus. We asked if we could take a picture with them, and they said yes."

-Laura Mamp '02



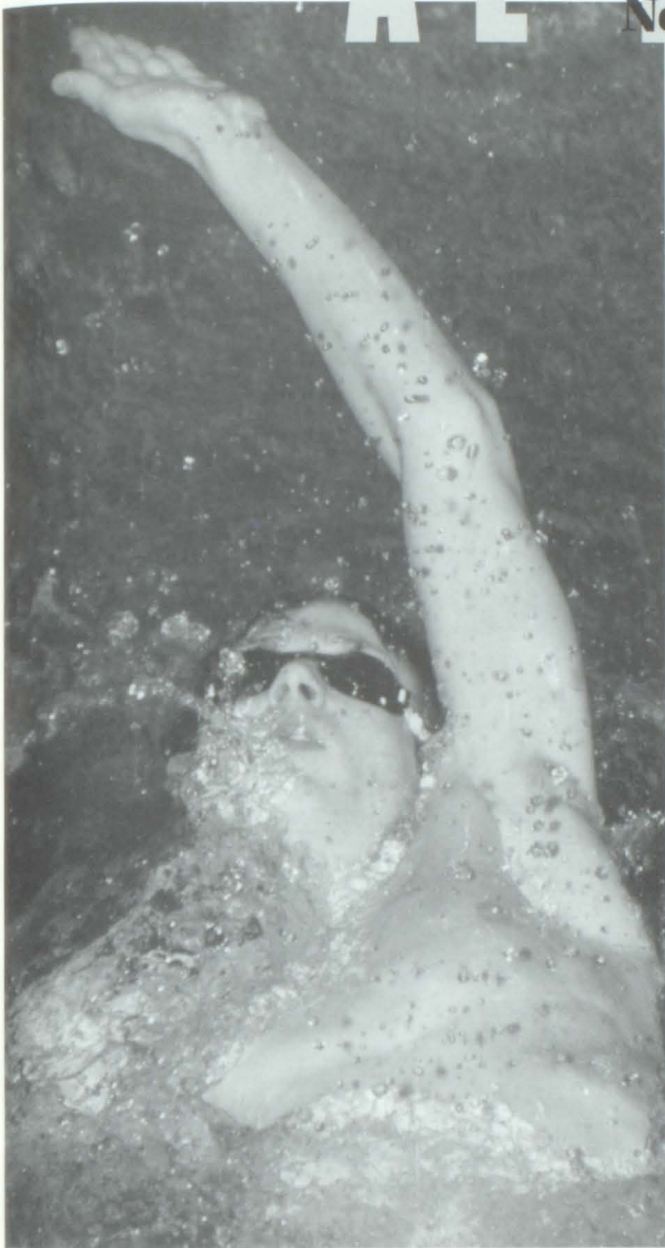
"We're constantly laughing, joking around, singing, yelling and being crazy.

That's what makes us a team!" -Chelsea Poole '03

Stretch the point! Working hard in the backstroke is William Lawson '02. "The best part of being on the swim team is the fun we have and the friendly competition," said Lawson.

Boys Swim Team is the First to Set Foot in the New Pool

Up and away! A good dive is important to every race, so Captain Joshua Alper '01 demonstrates a perfect start. "A team strength is our spirit; there are always people cheering no matter what," said Alper.



Boys Swim

Preseason Prep: The guys have been looking forward to their season since last year, especially since so many of them trained over the summer and with the girls' team.

The Season: The season started out rough with early morning and after school practice. In January, the LHS pool re-opened and the team returned. "I like the blocks," said David Cain '02.

Highlights: The team had several exceptional swimmers this year, including Nicholas Ingrao '02, who broke a school record with a Class A state qualifying 500 freestyle. Other key performers were Richard Roe '04, Stephen Gage '02, Joshua Alper '01 and Christopher Bielak '01.

Coach's Quote: "This is one of the best teams we've seen in many years," said Coach Kelton Graham.



Flying into the face of danger! It's tough, but Christopher Bielak '01 shows a perfect butterfly stroke. "This pool is more stimulating," said Bielak.

What is the best part of being on the swim team?



"The feeling you get after you win a race and the satisfaction of knowing that most people can't do what you can." -Stephen Gage '02



"Looking at your opponent on the block next to you and feeling confident that you can beat him." -Richard Roe '04

A PREP TO RETURN?

JV and Freshmen Girls Improve Their Skills and Prepare for a Future at the Varsity Level

Keep your hands off my ball! Keeping the ball from an Adriatic player, Angela Peoples '03 pressed on and successfully scored two points for her team. Great job Angela!



She shoots, she scores. Captain Jessica Lundell '04 prepares herself and concentrates as she shoots to score three points for her team. Lundell led her team in scoring this season and worked extremely hard throughout the season. "We improved a lot throughout the season mainly because we had good attitudes and worked together," said Lundell.

JV/F Girls Basketball

Preseason Prep: In the summer, some of the JV girls went to a U of M basketball camp for a week. Both JV and freshmen conditioned. Starting from the second week of summer break, the girls conditioned two to three times a week for about two to three hours each day.

The Season: The JV team ended their season with four wins and 17 losses, with one forfeit. The freshman team record mirrored the JV team. Both teams felt the record did not reflect their achievements.

Highlights: The team members on both JV and freshmen worked together and improved greatly over the course of the season. "Coach Banks never lost hope in us; he stuck with us and had faith that we could still win the game no matter how bad the score was," said Heather Witt '03, a JV player. Both teams had a lot of skilled players this season that were good in different areas.

Coach's Quote: "We did improve throughout the season, regardless of what our record shows," said Coach Christopher Banks.

Caught red-handed. Working aggressively for her team, Jessica Tompkins '03 steals the ball from her opponent and heads down the court for another two points for the Railsplitters.



Who is the person you look up to the most on varsity?



"Kelly Morawski, because she is a good player and has a lot of talent."

-Lisa Blummer '04



"Sonia Saddler. I liked the way she played. She had a lot of rebounds."

- Amir Alexander '04



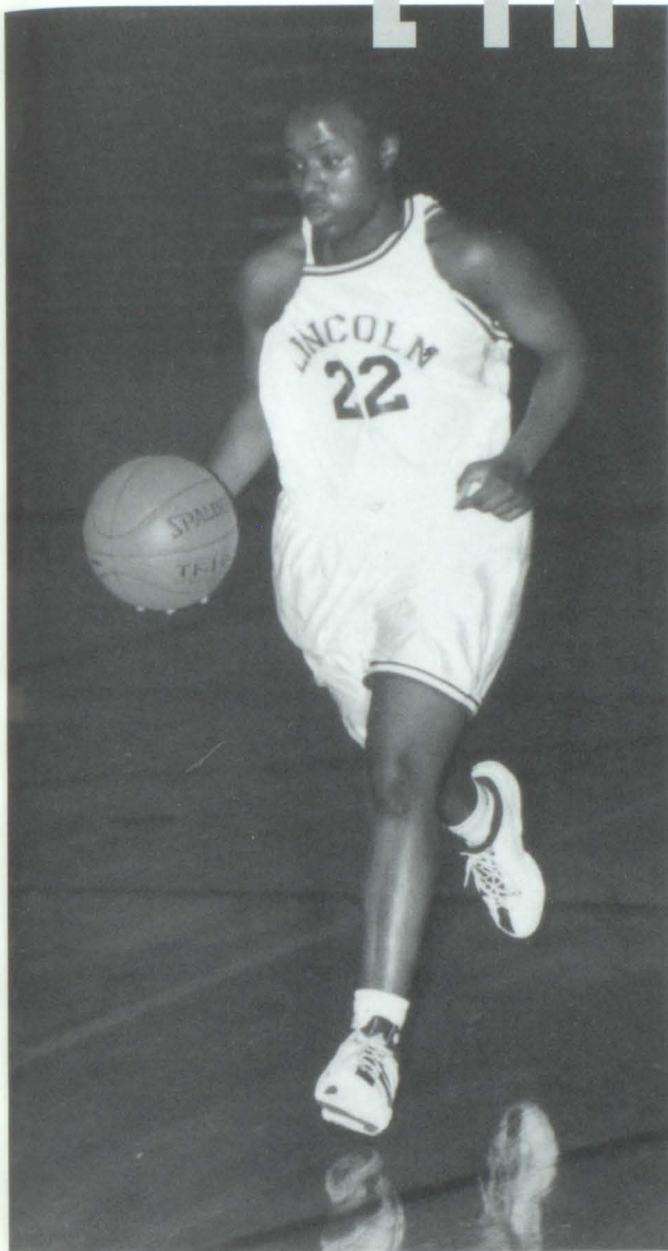
Dedication

As the newest member to the varsity team, Sonia Saddler '02 concentrates while quickly dribbling down the court. Saddler made a large impact on this year's team.

**Defense, Dedication, Discipline and Desire
Carry the Team Through a Tough Season**

Defense

Using quick feet, Captain Tara Lore '01 shows much desire to defend Lincoln's basket against an Adrian player.



V Girls Basketball

Preseason Prep: Over the summer, the girls attended many tournaments to get them ready for this year's season. The girls also spent a lot of time conditioning and lifting weights.

The Season: The team struggled with winning the season, but they had a lot of close games. The four D's: defense, dedication, discipline and desire were the key to getting

this year's team motivated. The season ended with a total of four wins and 16 losses.

Highlights: "When we played well and came close to beating teams that had blown us out before," said Jennifer Bargardi '02.

Coach's Quote: "Despite injuries and problems, the girls worked hard and improved a lot throughout the season," said Coach Keith Wade.



Desire
Showing intense concentration and desire, Captain Connie Fullerton '01 scores another two points for the team.

What was the hardest part about practice?



- Kelly Morawski '01

"I think that 'wall suicides' were the hardest."

"Conditioning was the hardest part for me."

-Megan Wysocki

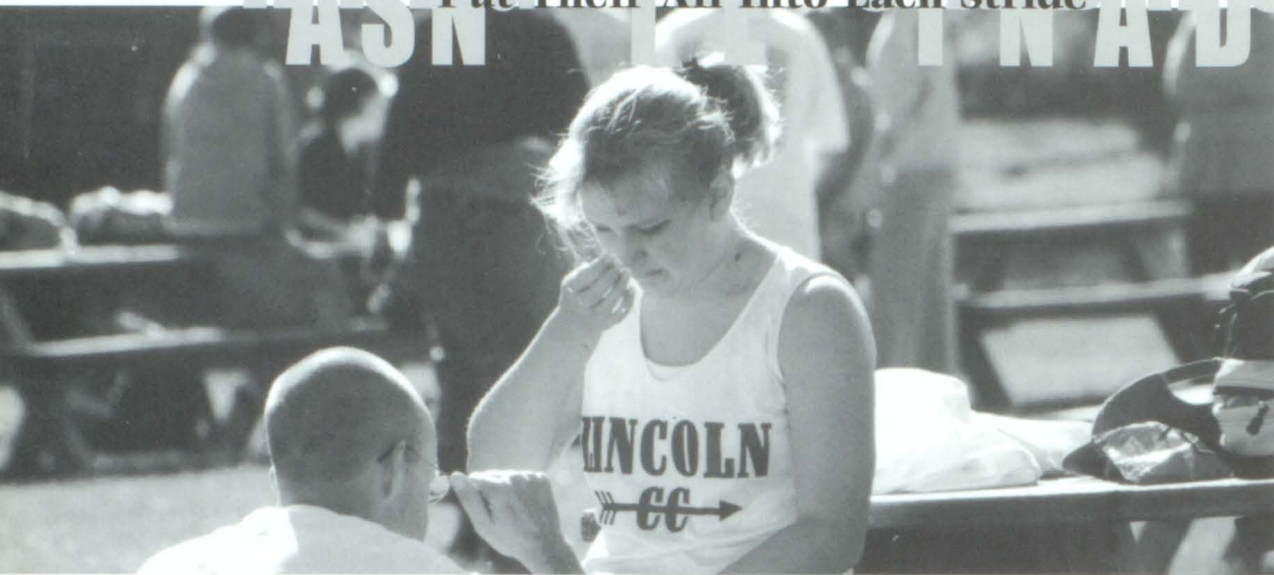


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RAISE THE STANDARDS

Despite a Tough Season, the Team Put Their All Into Each Stride

Go, Jess, Go! When the pressure is on, Jessica Alper '01 takes nothing for granted. Instead, Alper keeps a steady pace, and gives it all she's got. Just as with anything that you want, you have to go out and get it. It just doesn't come to you.



A vale of tears. After a hard run, Coach William "Kit" Moran comforts Tabitha Benyo '03, who shows pain and heartfelt emotion. Coaches always know how to boost team spirits and get everyone pumped up to do their best. With a little bit of advice from Coach Moran and support from the rest of the team, Benyo will be off and running in no time.

Girls CC

Preseason Prep: If you think that laying by the pool in the sweltering heat of the summer sun is exhausting, try running several miles in it. These girls did just that, trying to beat the heat to get themselves into shape for the upcoming year.

The Season: The season finally began in August, and after all the hard work that the girls had put into this, they were prepared and ready to begin. They continually pressed hard to meet their goals, but found that they weren't easy to come by. At the end of the season the girls began to see improvement in their abilities, and began to set new goals for themselves for next year. The team placed eighth at Regionals to close the season.

Highlights: Several girls showed individual courage in trying to overcome injuries. Also, year after year, the girls CC team enjoys one of the highest team grade point averages due to after-school study tables at the insistence of Coach Moran.

Coach's Quote: "We didn't live up to our potential this year, but hopefully we'll do better next year!" said Coach Moran.

Warming up. The girls put everything out on the trail and strive for even more. Jane Feidler '03, Danielle Massingill '01 and Rebecca Crews '01, continue to push themselves aggressively, helping to improve their talent and running ability.



What's your CC motto that you live by?



"Hills are obstacles that God has set before us."
- Tammy Lawson '03

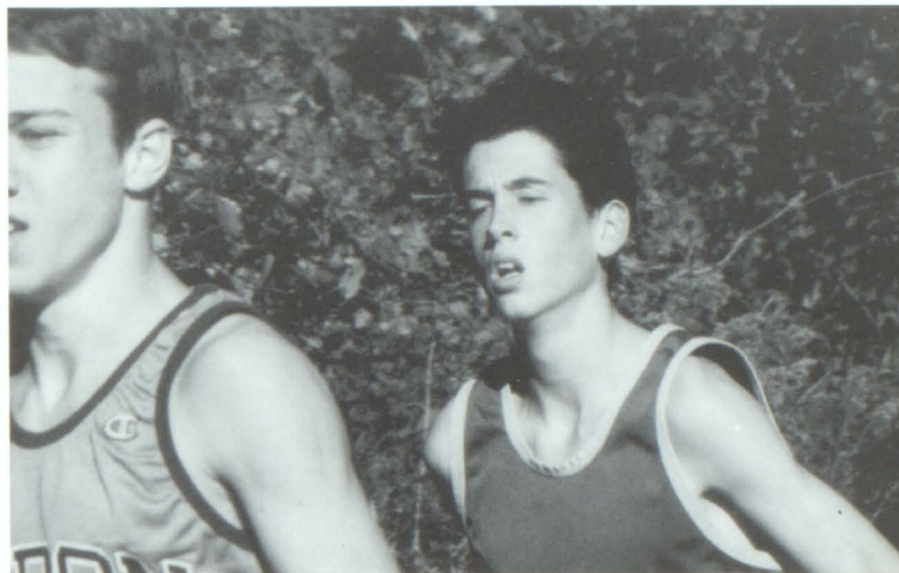


"Hard work pays off in the long run."
- Marian Altenbernt '03

Running Strong! With determination on his face, Noah Bukis '01 hustles toward the finish line. Bukis' best time is 20:02 for this season. He is one of many runners who have improved their times to make this season a productive one.

Three Things Motivated the Boys CC Team: To Be Faster, To Go Further and To Finish Strong

Keeping a steady pace. Following closely behind a Huron runner is Joshua King '02, trying to reach the lead. King's personal best is 18:12. He dropped his time by three minutes this season. King turned in some impressive performances, but hopes to reach his goal of 17:00.



Boys CC

Preseason Prep: The team practiced all summer and throughout the season. Jason Pinter '02 comments, "I have been working hard all season and on my own time."
The Season: The team had 11 meets, they placed first in one against Willow Run. There was a lot of improvements from new recruits such as Gabriel Peoples '02 who said, "I've never worked so hard in

my life until I joined the CC team!"
Highlight: Nathan Looze '01 placed third at the SEC Jamboree with a season best of 16:55. He recorded the highest placing of his Southeastern Conference career.
Coach's Quote: "The team kept improving every meet. The most rewarding thing about this season was watching the boys drop their times," said Coach Sid Wright.



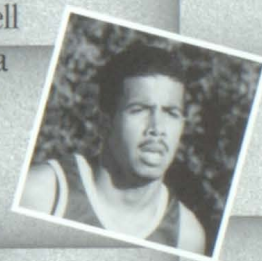
Shades of greatness! Casually striding past a Huron runner is Christopher Henderson '01 sporting those tight shades! Not far behind is Noah Bukis '01 who is running very hard.

What is your most embarrassing CC moment?



"When I tried to do a flip off of a table and landed on my back and on a lot of acorns with no shirt on!"

-Max Mitchell '02



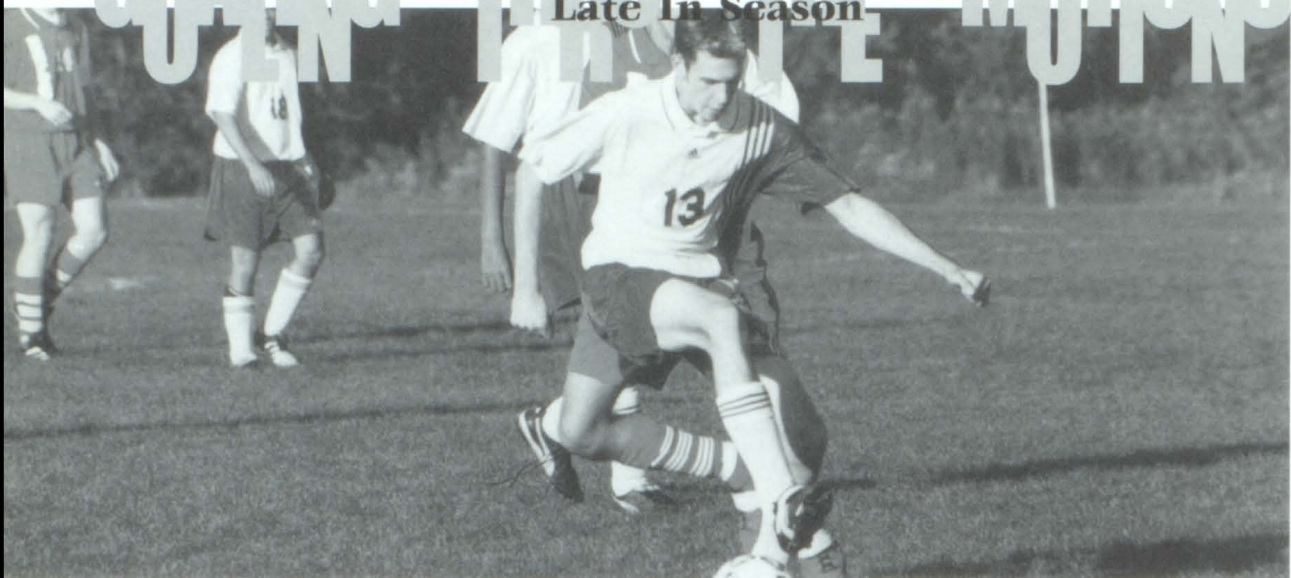
"I was in practice and I fell down a gravel hill really hard. Not once, but twice!"

-Alex Correa '01



GOALS THAT MOVE MOTIONS

Experienced Varsity Team Gels Too Late In Season



Now you see him, now you don't. Showing off his fancy foot work for the home crowd, Daniel Lavery '01 shows Bedford who's in control. Lavery's experience comes from four years of Lincoln High School soccer. His leadership skills also set a good example for the younger, inexperienced players struggling to become a team.

Goal!!!!!! After scoring a beautiful goal, Ryan Reynolds '02, Captain Jason Williams '01 and Ezequiel Enriquez '01 know who's number one.



V Boys Soccer

Preseason Preparation: The season started in the blistering heat of June with conditioning. With lots of work, the guys got ready for the long season awaiting them. Their heads held high, the players stepped on the field and showed whatever they were capable of.

The Season: After a somewhat disappointing season record of 2-17, the players referred to it as a "rebuilding year" for Lincoln soccer. A roster including many seniors, most having played for all four years in high school, paved the way for future players.

Highlight: Although disappointed with the end result, many of the players said that the team improved over the course of the season, not only individually, but as a team.

Coach's Quote: Coach Greg Harwood comments on the year, "I think we did well, you never do as well as you like. We had high expectations this year. It may have been an all-around difficult season, but their improvements were the best part. I'm going to miss all of the seniors and it will be really hard for me to say goodbye."

Ouch! "No pain, no gain" is part of the victory plan for Ezequiel Enriquez '01. Enriquez takes the saying "way to take one for the team" to a whole new level.



Do you think that the team as a whole improved this season?



"We had the greatest potential, but we didn't use it correctly."

-Ryan Reynolds '02



"Individually yes, but by the time we did as a team the season was coming to a close."

-Eirik Vitso '01

Come on down! The price is right for Jordan Price '04, as he taps the ball for his own version of the "Showcase Showdown". Tell him what he's won!

Young JV Team Struggles with Lack of Experience and Works Toward Future Success

Like a rock. No one can stop this mighty brick wall formed by Christopher Treece '03, Aaron Day '04, Geoffrey Fontana '04, Jordan Price '04, Jason Adcock '04 and Brandon Neel '03 in an effort to block a free kick.



JV Boys Soccer

Preseason Preparation: The JV squad hit the season with eyes wide shut, learning that high school soccer is more challenging than expected. Conditioning along with the varsity players, the freshman team prepared for the long season ahead of them.

The Season: With zero wins, it was a rough end to a progressive season.

Highlight: Along with hard work comes a little fun. For Steven Harwood '04 it was during a water fight: "We were going to dump water on Coach B., then he took it and poured it on Mike Ellis."
Coach's Quote: "I think next year will be our rebuilding year, players will gain experience from this season and be able to apply it next year," said Coach Stanley Burgan.



If at first you don't succeed... After having his shot blocked, Daryl Groce '04 tries to recover the ball. Groce's dedication earned him the captain's title.

What did you like most about your teammates?



"Most of the team was well connected."

-Jason Adcock '04



"The best part would be being with my friends."

-Christopher Shukait '04

A Young Team Finds the Strength to Pull Together to Make the Best of a Difficult Season

Throwing everyone for a loop, Autumn Cleghorn '04 looks for an opening to get the ball to her team. One thing the girls worked on this year is spreading out and communicating more, which will prove to be helpful here.



Holding her ground. JV goalie Adeline Howell '04 fit right in, despite the fact that it was her first year as goalie. Howell's goalie season was cut short because of an injury, but she was able to contribute to the team on the rest of the field. Goalies are very well admired as the team member who is the last resort for stopping the other team from making a goal.

JV Girls Soccer

Preseason Prep: Conditioning was held every day after school from three to four for anyone interested in getting in shape, improving skills and preparing for the season.

The Season: The season got off to a slow start. Many of the girls were new to the team and it took a while for everyone to get comfortable with each other's performance. After the team became more familiar with each other, they were able to go on to win more games. Injuries also plagued the team early on. Many important players were forced to sit out during games because of their injuries.

Highlights: The biggest highlights this season were the team's wins. The girls scored high against Ypsilanti, Milan and Adrian. They were also able to tie against Chelsea.

Coach's Quote: "I was very pleased with the way the team progressed their skills, confidence, communication and determination. We had a good season all together and I expect an even better one next year. I look forward to coaching next year's girls," said Coach Kip Cicotte.

Run circles around 'em.

Deidra Ramey '04, Bridget Bureau '03 and Autumn Cleghorn '04 show off one of their team's strengths: speed. "We have a pretty fast team with a lot of skill; we just need to communicate more," said Bureau.



Why did you decide to play soccer?



"I had some friends who knew I would enjoy soccer and they talked me into trying out."

-Karin Bakkila '04

"I started playing in 6th grade because all of my friends were playing and I fell in love with it."

- Brooke Burba '03





Race against time. Chasing after the ball, Emily Lambros '01 shows her speed and determination to win. "This year we have more depth and more skill than ever. We play to win, not just to keep the games close," said Lambros.

1-2-3 SCORE

Talent Leads the Varsity Team Through a Successful Season

Shoot for the sky. Emily Nichols '01 shows off her great kick. Nichols' most amazing performance this year was against Saline, when she made 20 saves. "Before a game I think about what I'm going to do and how I'm going to save the ball," said Nichols.



Varsity Girls Soccer

Preseason Prep: The team had conditioning after school everyday, which included weightlifting, running and foot work drills.

The Season: This year's team was extremely close and confident in each other's performance. By having a team talk before games and setting goals for themselves, they were able to be at the top of their district all season.

Highlights: There were many highlights this year, from KyMarie Allen '01 falling with no one around to Emily Lambros '01 scoring with her head. One of the biggest highlights however, was the 1-0 win against Bedford that no one expected.

Coach's Quote: "I was extremely proud that the team finished better than any team in Lincoln's soccer history," said Coach Terri Allen.



A meeting of minds. There are many ways to prepare before a game, this team sets goals and works on areas that need improvement by sitting down with their coach and the rest of the team.

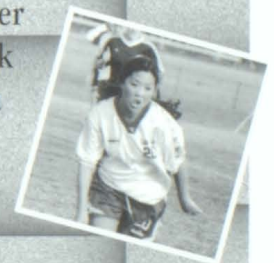
How does the team differ from previous years?



"We are a good team through and through and we are all really close."

-Kelly Burba '01

"We get along much better and work more as a team. We also have a lot more skill."



-KyMarie Allen '01

Girls' Golf Team Overcomes Lack of Experience for a Successful Season

Let it fly! Watching her shot as the ball flies into the air is Amanda Mate '01. Golf is a game of intense concentration, and she is doing her best to get the low score. The seniors played a big role in team leadership this year.



Time Out! Members of the team conference with Coach David Sarkett. "I love their enthusiasm and positive attitudes," said Jill Pinter '01. The group is extremely close as a result of their common goals. "I get to golf all the time, whenever I want!" said Cay Phipps '03. With attitudes like that, some form of success is guaranteed. After all, practice makes perfect!

Girls Golf

Preseason Prep: Several members of the team practiced on their own before the season began. "You just need to make the time for it, be at every practice and be willing to learn," said Jessica (Cox) Blair '03.

The Season: "This season was a lot more difficult than past ones because of a lack of new members with golfing experience," said Heather Lobach '02. However, the team was a close-knit group dedicated to the game. Although this year's team was relatively inexperienced, the girls agree that there is a lot of underclassmen potential. "I really hope that we can get more girls interested," said Cay Phipps '03.

Highlights: "The Pinckney Invitational, a tournament in which we played best ball with a partner, was a fun experience. Some of the players played 18 holes for the first time and did well," said Jill Pinter '01.

Coach's Quote: "I'm happy with the way the girls have worked hard to improve their game of golf. They've learned a sport that will last a lifetime. I'm proud of their progress," said Coach David Sarkett.

Say Cheese!

Smiling as she completes a perfect swing, Mary Adcock '01 said, "The challenge I experience every day on the golf course is the best part of being on this team. It's a mental commitment beyond anything I've ever done."



What did you enjoy most about the other members of the team?



"Their ability to stay positive and keep trying, no matter what."

- Mary Adcock '01

"They're all really great to be around. I always have fun when I'm with them."

- Jessica (Cox) Blair '03



Fore! Paul Czarnecki '04 hit a great drive. Looks a little painful, doesn't it? Czarnecki was one of the many freshmen joining the team this year and they all did extremely well for their first year, though more wins are on next year's agenda.

UP TO PAR

Young Team Members Set High Standards and Gave it Their Best Shot!

SHHHH! Be very, very quiet...Joey Carpenter '03 shows intense concentration as he attempts to line up his putt.



Boys Golf

Preseason: The varsity golf team played eighteen holes every day for a week before their first match. Practices were tiring, but fun, according to team members Andrew Wilson '03 and Jason Hull '02.

Season: Although the season did not turn out as well as hoped, the members were satisfied with their individual performances.

Highlight: The golf team unex-

pectedly won their match against Manchester by two points.

Outcome: The golfers emphasized enjoyment of the game rather than concentrating on the final score. However, some members would have liked to have posted a better record than 1-25.

Coach's Quote: "We were very young. We need to get out and play more," said Scott Schimmoeller.



Forming the "Master Plan". Preparing for his next big shot, Captain Rick Wilson '01 stretches his muscles. Wilson is one of the most valuable team members and his hard work and dedication will be missed.

What was the most memorable event of the season?



"Mike Adrounie set off the alarm in the cart barn when he snuck in there."
- Aaron Stiehl '03



"I hit a guy in his chest with a golf ball and he fell."
- Andrew Wilson '03

The Lincoln Railsplitters are Here to Keep the Spirit in Full Effect

Jumpin' Jumpin'! Ka'shania Thrower '01 kicks off a routine with this step, pumping up the crowd right before the pep rally games begin. Thrower has been a LHS cheerleader for the past four years.



Get Up Off Your Feet. Showing their best jumps are Amy Pilotte '03, Amanda Alliston '03, Kristin Easter '03 and Emily Vredeveld '04. The JV cheerleaders reach to their toes for this routine. "The season was hard, but we worked well as a team. It was always exciting because we would try new things," said Easter. Teamwork is one thing the girls never lacked throughout the season.



Winter Cheer

Preseason Prep: The winter JV and varsity cheer teams spent many hours perfecting their routines, including summer camps and long hours of practice. Cindy Whittenburg '03 said, "To get prepared for this season, I worked hard on my backhandspring, which took a lot of work."

The Season: The cheer teams strove to give a top performance each time out. More difficult jumps were perfected and new cheers heightened the excitement. "This season was long, but fun. We are always learning new things and improving what we learned," said Megan Allen '03.

Highlight: The season's highlight was placing second at the U.C.A. Regionals. Each returning cheerleader has the intention of making that first place victory next season.

Coach's Quote: Varsity cheer coach for the past three years Kerin Carlson said, "This season was very promising and the girls were especially motivated. We get stronger and better every year. I predict they will be ready to win the U.C.A. Regionals next year."

There is no "I" in team.

The JV and varsity teams work together to show off some new moves. The teams blend experience and enthusiasm to help build an overall sense of pride and accomplishment, which led to spectacular spirit.



What made you want to become a cheerleader?



"The skills and techniques that comes with it. Where else can you throw someone twenty feet in the air and it's okay?"

-Shyla Craiger '02



"Ever since I was young, I'd go to games with my family. All I did was watch the cheer team. I've always thought it looked like fun."

-Angela Cornett '02

Railsplitters Fly High. Standing tall are jv cheerleaders Jennifer Fink '04, Melanie Lay '03, Megan Allen '03 and Desiree Sims '03. They showed off their moves before the jv basketball players got on the floor at each game.



Reach for the Sky! Showing their strong arms are Megan Allen '03, Emily Vredevelde '04, Desiree Sims '03 and Jennifer Fink '04. The ladies gave a team effort with this move to get the crowd involved. Crowd participation is essential.



Laying It On...Back-Hand Style! Varsity cheerleader Kristin Hustyi '02 does a routine back flip. Hustyi took part in the action at the pep rally. Pumping up the crowds during the assemblies created a lot of spirit and unity amongst the students throughout the year.



Set It Up. Preparing to hoist Janet Bumgardner '02 in the air are Ka'shania Thrower '01 and Megan Allen '03. Whatever you do, don't drop her!



"I have always wanted to be a cheerleader, ever since I was a little girl."

- Melanie Lay '03



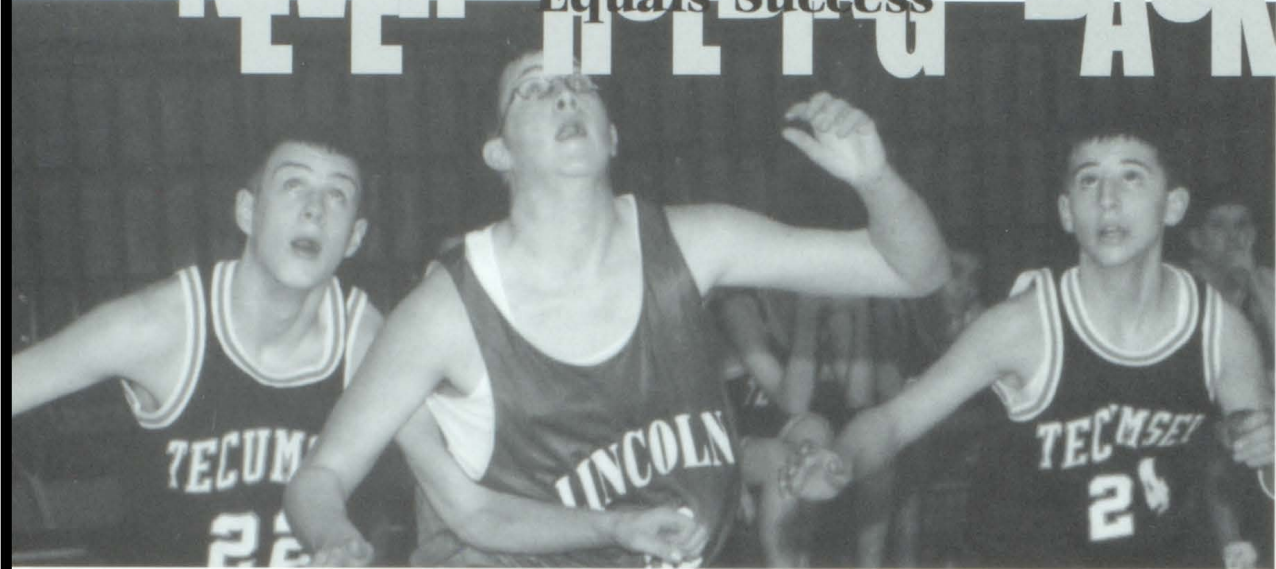
"I have cheered since the 7th grade and I was in gymnastics, so I became interested in it."

-Amanda Alliston '03

NEVER LETTING BACK

Preparation Plus Determination Equals Success

Fade Away Jumper!
Gerard Davis '04 makes a killer shot against Tecumseh! Fearing of nothing in his path, he puts shots up like this to take the team to victory. Davis, along with other players, strive to make these shots.



Box Out! Ryan Hawkins '04 prepares himself for a rebound. Nicknamed "Big Country", Hawkins knows how to box out when needed. He's keeping his eyes on the basketball to make the box out rebound against the Tecumseh defenders. As soon as Hawkins gets the rebound, he will surely get into the triple threat position that was highly stressed throughout the entire season.

JV/Freshmen Boys Basketball

Preseason Prep: The boys jv and freshmen teams worked extremely hard to develop their skills and to learn how to use them effectively. "We conditioned four times a week, shot a lot of shots, played a lot of ball and ran a lot of miles and suicides," says DeAnte' Teamer '02.

The Season: This season went much better than last season. The intensity was running higher and it went very well. "We had a great season, but we should have won more games than we did," said Anthony Young '02.

Highlight: Laurence Williams '03 said the season's highlight was "beating Adrian at home." That proved to be one of the season's toughest games. Another highlight was learning how to work as one unit when it counted most.

Coach's Quote: "I hope to accomplish the continuation of a winning tradition for next year's team. This season our team improved a great deal. Our ability to work well as a team is what I was most pleased with," said Coach Foley, freshmen coach for the past three years.

Quick Drive!

Michael Reese '04 recovers after a rebound. He searches down the court for an open teammate to receive the pass. The jv team proved to be a talented group of young players who went a long way over the year.



What is your favorite thing about playing basketball?



"I love the sport, the challenge and I especially love the rush I get when I play."
- Justin Russaw '03



"I like playing basketball because I like being part of the team and I just love the sport itself."
- Joel Ihrig '04

Slammin' it home!

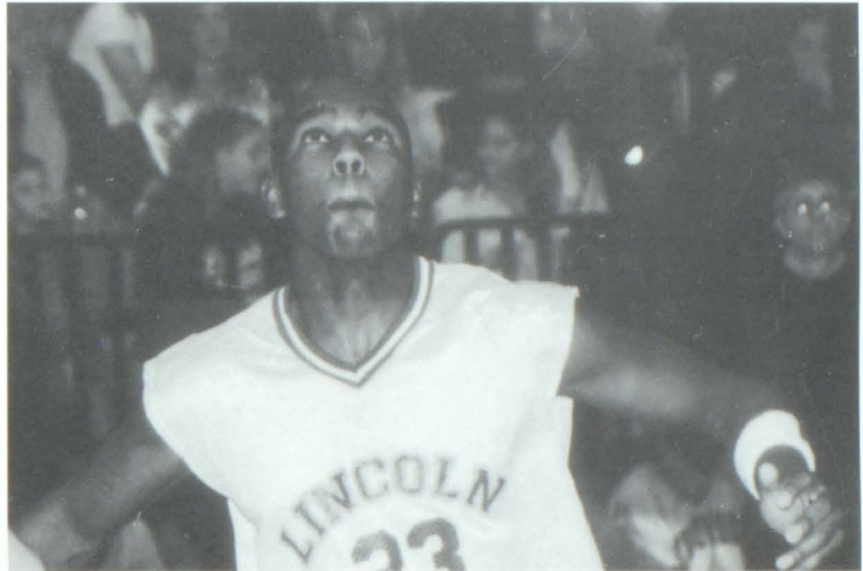
With this dunk, Corey Gupton '01 advances the 'Splitter lead against Tecumseh. Gupton's favorite thing about basketball is "winning the game and dunking with a vengeance!" And that he did!



Varsity Railsplitters Take It To The Next Level

Watch Out!

William Anderson '01 shows maximum intensity while he prepares himself for a rebound. Anderson said, "Having fun is my favorite thing about playing basketball. It makes the game a lot easier."



V Boys Basketball

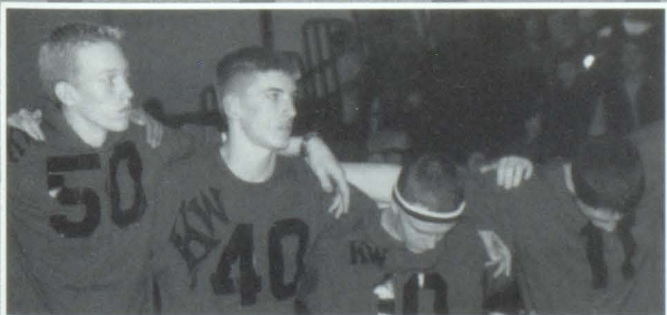
Preseason Prep: The team did a lot to become the great team they are today. "We went to scrimmages and tournaments," said Rashawn Quinzy '02. "We also went to summer team camps every week," added Jason Pinter '02.

The Season: Conditioning prior to the season proved to be very productive. They made good use of their efforts. The varsity squad had the

difficult task of parting ways with Coach and friend Keith Wade midway through the season.

Highlight: The highlight of the season was defeating Dexter, and as a result, winning the white division!

Coach's Quote: Coach Banks said, "This season was very successful. We achieved our goal, which was to win the S.E.C. championships. And next year we will do it all over again!"



United in Remembrance. Remembering former coach Keith Wade is Jason Hull '02, Christopher Lee '01, Aaron Brewer '01 and Scott Gurthre '01.

What was your most embarrassing moment this season?



"Thadmy shorts pulled down to my ankles

when I was running down the court!"

-Stanley Roberson '01



"I was so embarrassed when I was tripped by

Chris Lee at a home game."

-Charles Reed '01

SET THE PAGE

Varsity Leads Younger Teams By Setting A Good Example

One touch. Erica Cicotte '02 tests her limit to beat the opponent to the ball. Good physical strength is a must, to endure the constant jumping and spiking. It takes motivation to get the energy to stop the opponent from taking the win.



Perfect form. Stephine Dougherty '01 gets in position to send the ball flying, while AnnMarie Nolan '02 and Captain Kelly Morawski '01 get ready to help with the play. Teamwork was one major thing the girls had down. "High expectations were key for this year's volleyball team, led by seniors Dolly Aduroja, Stephine Dougherty, Connie Fullerton, Kelly Morawski and Breah Whitlow. The ladies were successful!" said Coach Mike Armstrong.



Volleyball

Preseason Prep: The varsity team practices every day for two hours. They practice skills that will be useful and necessary in games and are sure to pay special attention to areas that they are struggling in, such as passing, hitting, spiking, serving and receiving.

Season: Seventeen people tried out this year and 15 made the team. This year's team worked very hard to improve their serving and receiving skills while their killer offense kept them going strong. "When we win a game, we scream a lot; if we don't win, we find what we need to improve on and work on that area," said Breah Whitlow '01.

Highlights: The Lady Splitters were successful playing in the toughest conference in the state (Dexter #1-class B, Bedford #1-class A). They were also considered the favorite for districts this year, according to Coach Michael Armstrong.

Coach's Quote: "I never enjoyed coaching a team as much as I've enjoyed this group of athletes. Their hardwork has really shown on the court," said Coach Armstrong.

Close call. Dolly Aduroja '01 makes a last minute dive to save the play. The season has been full of close ones for the girls. "It's not going as well as we hoped, but I still think we are a good team. It's hard to do well with the changes this year," said Aduroja '01.



What's the best thing about being part of this year's team?



"Just being part of the team. We get along really well and always laugh a lot. We have gotten to be really good friends and we have great teamwork."

-Erin Allen '02



"I like the tournaments because we always talk about fun stuff on our breaks. It's a good time for team bonding."

-Martha Panzer '02

Falling to her knees, Katie Wagner '03 does what it takes to make a great save during her jv game. "I'm really athletic and I love volleyball. I like getting close with my team and it's a lot of fun when we're doing well," said Wagner.



Team Unity Brings JV and Freshmen Teams Together

Crack a smile. Before the game, jv members Jessica Copley '03, Stephanie Wallman '03, Emily Satanski '04 and Therese Willingham '03 exchange a few laughs. Friendship is one of many things shared during the season.



JV/F Volleyball

Preseason Prep: Both the freshmen and jv teams practiced two hours a day, almost every day, with the exception of game days.

Season: Once the freshmen found out what it took, the season picked up for the better. "Our strength is our ability and talent to play good volleyball; our weakness is how little confidence we have," said Karen Ok '04. The jv team relied on their

strong offense and team unity to stick out the season.

Highlights: The freshmen team placed fourth in a tournament at Dexter and placed in the silver division at Walled Lake's tournament.

Coach's Quote: "This is a wonderful group of athletes, not only in terms of volleyball, but also in terms of their character," said Coach Andrea Kuzich.



Team time out. Karen Ok '04 and Ashley Ingram '04 take a break while coach Kuzich offers last minute words of encouragement.

What was the funniest moment this year?



"When our coach tripped on a net and fell flat on her face! It was a riot! The whole team couldn't stop laughing."

-Kali Bobak '04



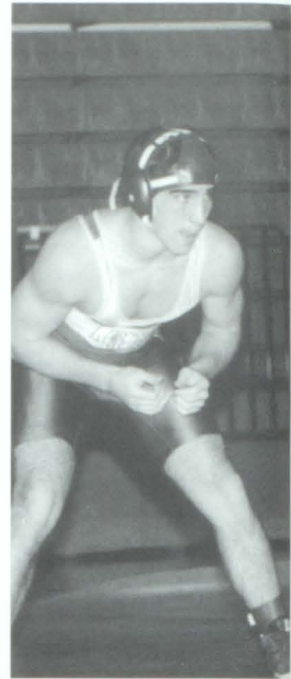
"When the ball hit Adrienne Weidmer in the face! The ball just lifted her off the ground!"

-Jessica Copley '03

PINNING HOPES

Rookie Roster Hopes to Develop Skills and Set Goals for Future Growth

Get Ready! With careful concentration, Gregory Dochych '01 gets ready to make his next move. Dochych had a good season, and though he spent half the season with an injury, he still ended with a record of ten wins and 11 losses.



Putting the hurt on! Squeezing with all his might, Christopher McGough '03 works hard to get the pin. McGough had a great season on varsity, finishing with 67 takedowns and 83 escapes culminating in a record of 34 and 16. He also placed fourth at districts which qualified him for regionals.

Wrestling

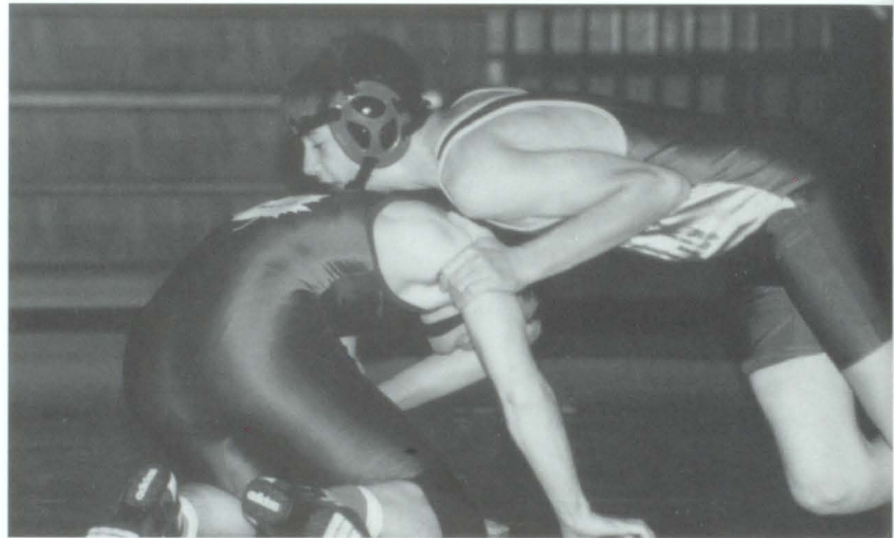
Preseason Prep: The wrestling team spent most of their time in the weight room. The team also performed a lot of endurance work to get in shape for the season.

Season: With three freshmen, eight sophomores, two juniors and three seniors in the varsity lineup, this year's team was looked at as "a work in progress". Even though they had a hard season with an even harder schedule, the team performed very well and worked very hard to achieve all of their goals. Their overall record was 10-20, but in five of their dual meets they only lost by less than three points. "We're right where I want to be," said coach Rick Dubay about the season.

Highlight: One of the highlights of the season was when the varsity team took second place at the Avondale tournament. Another highlight was when Christopher McGough '03 beat a wrestler from Pinckney who teched him twice in two previous matches. He ended up winning the match 10-5.

Coach's Quote: "Winning isn't everything, but wanting to is," said Dubay.

Don't even think about it! Throwing a block on an Adrian wrestler, Anthony DiDonato '04 stops his opponent from shooting on him. DiDonato was a first year varsity member and a great asset to the team. He contributed 10 wins and 19 takedowns.



How do you feel about your senior season?



"This was my first year on varsity and it was a great experience."

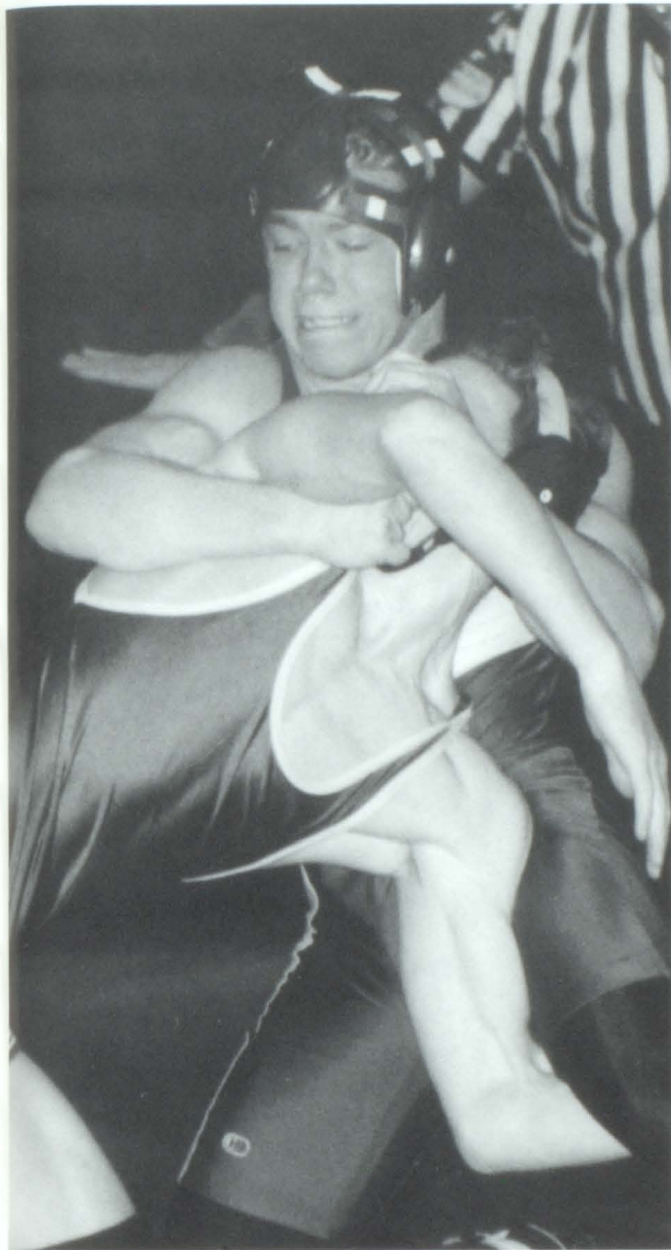
-Steven Kovalak '01



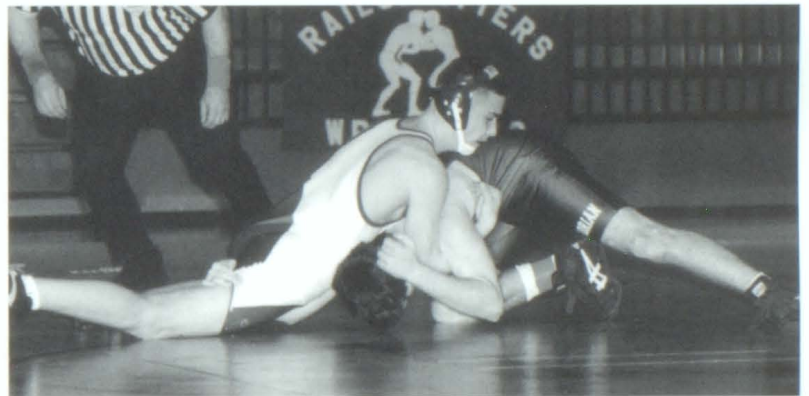
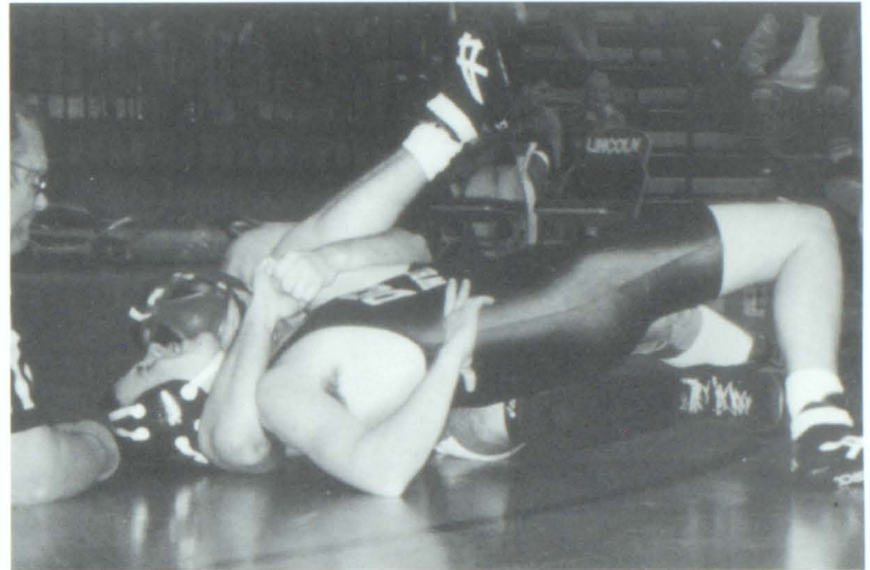
"Personally, I was happy with how my season ended. I had my best season ever."

-Robert Robinette '01

How's that feel? Giving an extremely hard cross face to his opponent, Jacob Viers '03 gets ready to make another move. Viers had one of the best records on the team this year with 42 and 13.



Pin his shoulders to the mat. Putting a Dexter wrestler in a cradle, James Allen '03 is about to get awarded six points for pinning his opponent. Allen had 12 pins this season and ended with a record of 14 and 21.



Not this time! As his opponent tries to shoot, Jeremy Brown '03 makes the block and begins to make his counter attack. Brown, on his first year of varsity, had a good season with nine pins, 16 takedowns and 16 escapes. His overall record was 12 and 18.



Do you give up yet? Using a half-nelson, Ezekiel Joubert '02 holds his opponent and waits for the referee to call the match. Joubert ended the season with an overall record of 20 and 14.

How was your first year of wrestling?



"It was my first year ever wrestling and it was a lot of fun."

-Bryan Hubert '03



"I had a decent season this year and I'm looking forward to the years to come."

-John Alford '03

Learning That Hard Work and Determination Can Lead a Team to a Successful Season and S.E.C



Taking a toll on the pole. Abisola (Dolly) Aduroja '01 takes advantage of her long legs and glides over the high-jump pole. This is Aduroja's fourth consecutive year in track and in the high jump event. As a senior, Aduroja shows underclassmen who are new to the event just what long jump is all about.



Working up a sweat. Kristina Zielinski '02 takes relaying to a whole new level. Zielinski keeps her eyes on the prize...the finish line that is. "Track is all about having fun and doing your best," said Zielinski.

Girls Track

Preseason Prep: This season, the girls did a lot of conditioning to get them ready for the long, hard season ahead of them. Conditioning included weightlifting, short to mid-distance running and sprinting, along with many other stretches and exercises that kept them in tip-top shape.

Season: Not only were the girls undefeated champions of the 2001 S.E.C., they also had five members who qualified for state races.

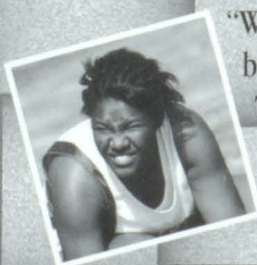
Highlights: The highlights are quite obvious when it comes to the girls track team. Jenifer Horn '03, alone, qualified for the 400m and 100m dash, while Gail Stec '01 qualified for the mile run. Other state qualifiers were Ashton Bullock '04 and Desiree Sims '04.

Coach's Quote: "The girls did very well this season. I am proud that their determination and strengths showed throughout the season and at S.E.C. The seniors were great mentors to the rest of the team. I am grateful to have such a mesmerizing team. Overall, I'm proud of the girls' ongoing A+ performance," said Coach Csaba Kovacks.

Leaping towards success. Megan Ransome '02 picks up the pace and beats out her competition, along with a few of her fellow teammates by taking first place in the 100 meter hurdles. It takes hard work and determination to clear any obstacle in track.



Do you have a ritual before each meet?



"We huddle and pray before each meet. Then we cheer 'What we gonna do? Take it to da house!' I also make it a point to wear blue undies on the day of the meet!"

-Kristen Russell '03

"We pray as a group and then we do a little cheer. Personally, I just pray."

-Jenifer Horn '03



Gettin' Dirty! With sand flying in his eyes, Joseph Cochran '03 jumps as far as he can. The long jump is one of Cochran's better events. This is his second year on the track team. He looks forward to two more years to come.

After a Four Year Absence from the Winner's Circle, the Men's Track Team is Once Again on Top of the S.E.C.

Flying High! Soaring through the air is Andrew Mitchell '02. Mitchell had a state qualifying vault of 12 feet six inches. Mitchell was also a key factor on this year's team.



Boys Track

Preseason Prep: This year the track team ran indoor track meets to warm up for the season. The boys also spent this winter lifting hard in the weight room.

Season: The men's track team got off to one of the best starts they have had in recent years. They finished the season with a undefeated dual meet record in the S.E.C. white division.

Highlight: One of the many highlights this season was when Stanley Roberson '01 broke his own record in the 400 yard dash. Some of the other highlights were winning their own invitational and having eight guys qualify for states.

Coach's Quote: "The team performed very well this year and had great leadership from our seniors," said Coach Derek Gonzales.



Is it a bird? No, it's Henrik Rang '01 flying over the 110 meter-high hurdles. Rang is a foreign exchange student this year and was a big part of the team winning the S.E.C.

How do you feel about this being your last year on the team?



"This year has been great. I'll miss my teammates, but

I'll miss my fellow seniors the most."

-Nathan Looze '01

What are your expectations for next year's team?



"Next year we need to work extremely hard because we are losing a lot of seniors."

-Lawrence Williams '03

SWING INTO ACTION

The Varsity Team Gains Experience and Sets High Hopes for the Years to Come

Strike 'Em Out! Concentrating on throwing a fastball, Stephanie Wallman '03 does her best to strike the batter out. "I did pretty good this year, but I'm going to keep working and get even better!" said Wallman.



Keep your eyes on the ball. Sneaking past the first basemen, captain Amber Harris '01 makes yet another great play. Harris was on the varsity softball team all four years of her high school career and her hard work, dedication and leadership will be missed. Good luck, Amber!

Varsity Softball

Preseason Prep: Before the season started, the girls conditioned, ran in the gym and some players lifted weights in their free time. The team didn't practice as much before the season as in earlier years, but next year they plan to get ready even earlier.

Season: The varsity softball team finished with a record of 2-28. There were eight seniors, three juniors, two sophomores and one freshman on the varsity team.

Highlights: The girls placed second in the Hudson tournament. Captain Amber Harris '01 said, "The best thing about that tournament is that everyone got a chance to play. Everyone doesn't always get that chance, so this tournament was really fun!"

Coach's Quote: "These girls put a lot of hard work and dedication into this season. Even though we didn't do as well as I would have liked, this team is something to be proud of. We all learned something about ourselves and each other," said coach Mike Armstrong.

Teamwork.

Working together to make a great play, Laura Quashnie '01 and Kelly Morawski '01 get their opponent out. Teamwork is one of the key factors for a team (and a play) to run smoothly and these girls seem to have it down.



What is your favorite part about being on the team?



"My favorite part about being on the team are the bus rides. We always have so much fun and get pumped up for the big game ahead!"

-Tiffany Godsey '01



"My favorite part is the friendship. You make life-long friends when you belong to a team like this."

-Jillian Fattel '01

Good Aim. Trying to get a runner out is Holly Malmquist '03. One of the reasons why the team did so well this year is because of the exceptional skill of each of the players. Each girl brought a different talent to the field.



UP TO THE PLATE

The Team Had A Great Season and Plans to Be The Best Next Year

Whack! Swinging with all her might, Brittany Hubbard '03 hopes to knock one way out into left field...And it's outta here!



JV Softball

Preseason Prep: The jv team worked hard this year to build up their skills and the way they work together. The team ran, worked out and had tough practices before the season even started.

Season: The jv softball team finished the season with a record of 7-20. Most players were very satisfied with this and all players expect to do much better next year.

Highlights: The highlights of the season were all the great catches that were made during the games and winning all the games that they did.

Coach's Quote: "My whole catch phrase this year was 'Hussle Up Girls!' That seemed to get them motivated. They really got moving then! This was a great group of girls," said coach Jeffery Gage.



Quick Tag! Doing her best to get her opponent out is Jessica Lundell '04, playing shortstop. This was another one of the skills worked on during the season.

What do you feel are the strengths and weaknesses of the team?



"Our strengths are team-work.

We all work together and have a great time!"

-Sarah Lambert '03

"Our weaknesses are hitting and pitching. In the beginning, we were good, but now..."

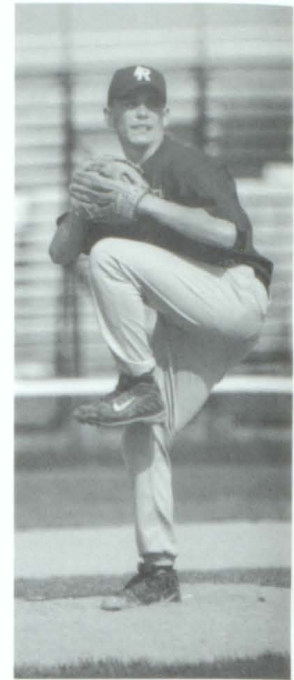


-Alex Tutor '03

PLAY BALL!

JV Team Sticks Together Through Thick and Thin

Here's the wind up...and the pitch. Jeremy Brown '03 gets set to deliver a fastball for strike three. Brown was a big help to this year's pitching staff. He was also used as a utility player helping at second base and in the outfield.



Safe at two! Sliding safely into second base is Jonathan Orr '03. Orr was the starting shortstop and a great help to this year's junior varsity team. "I'm looking forward to playing summer ball and next year's season. I think we are going to be even better and hopefully the program will be more successful," said Orr.

JV Baseball

Preseason Prep: Both teams had players who participated in summer ball. They also spent the fall and winter lifting weights and conditioning.

Season: The junior varsity team ended their season with a record of 2-15. They had a lot of new faces on the team this year, as well as some returners. The jv team improved throughout the season despite what their record shows. "I'm real proud of our team and the great character they showed. They proved that they can stick together and do things that other teams can't," said Coach Scott Barrett.

Highlights: One of this season's highlights for the junior varsity team was when they played Adrian at home and won. Each player got a chance to play and helped the team get a win. This was one of only two wins they received this year.

Coach's Quote: "I'm looking forward to next year and the kids I'll have returning. I think that we improved a lot this season, and that the boys learned a few things that will help them for when they play varsity," said Coach Barrett.

Get a lead! With careful steps, Justin Mcdade '03 gets ready to steal second base. Mcdade had the most stolen bases this year and was the catcher for the junior varsity team. He also helped share the pitching responsibilities.



What do you think of playing baseball at the high school level?



"It's great! I had a lot of fun this year being on the team. I learned a lot of things that I know will help me next year." -**Brian Fox '02**



"Playing baseball in high school is so much fun! You get to meet new people, and learn things that will help you in the future." -**Joel Ihrig '04**

Rock and Fire! On the mound, Robert Kitchen '01 pitches a curve ball to keep the batter on his toes. Kitchen was the only senior on the varsity team this year and he did an excellent job of showing the younger guys how things are done.

ROUNDING THE BASES

Varsity Team Takes It One Game at a Time

Frame It Up! Behind the plate, Todd Altstetter '03 gives the pitcher a great target to throw at. Altstetter hit a grand slam at the Adrian game.



Varsity Baseball

Preseason Prep: The varsity team joined the jv team this year with summer ball, weight lifting and conditioning in the fall and winter.

Season: The team practiced a lot and worked extremely hard this season. The boys just came up short in SEC's, where they played Saline. They played one of their best defensive games all season at districts against Ypsilanti.

Highlights: The team took a trip to St. Augustine, Florida to do some training during spring break. The boys had a lot of fun in the sun and made it a true learning experience.

Coach's Quote: "The kids worked hard this year and I was very proud by the way they came out for districts. They worked hard all year and I can't wait until next year," said Coach Howard Schroeder.



Put Your Back Into It! Swinging with all his might, William Fox '02 gets a hold of the ball to get a double. Fox showed his talents as a pitcher and third basemen this year.

How did this year compare to last?



"This year, we worked harder and were closer as a team. I think next year will be even better."

-Thomas Hudge '02



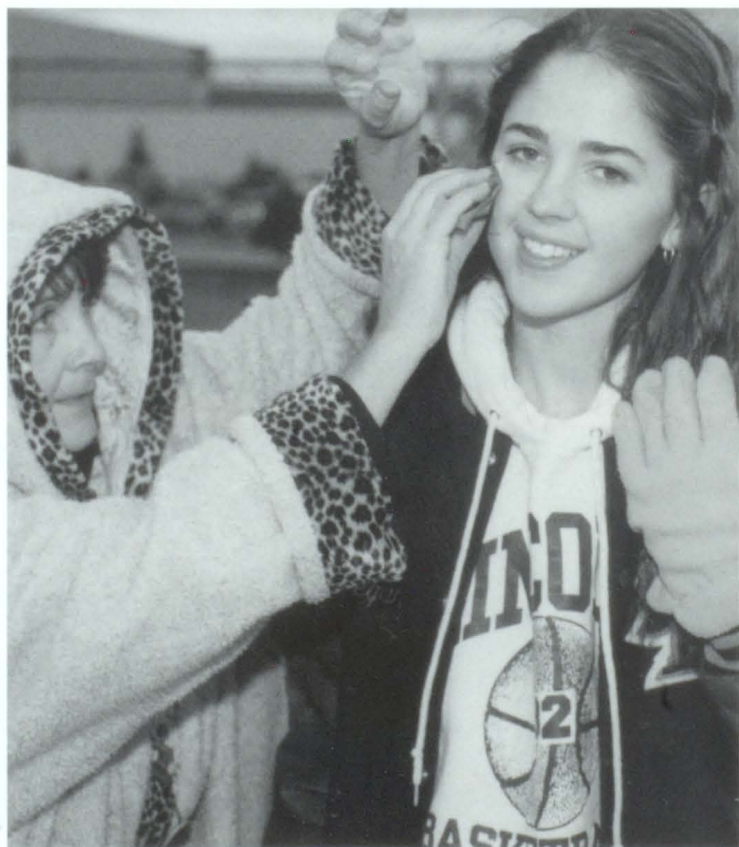
"I can see the improvement in each guy since last year. We gained a lot of new talent."

-Benjamin Weaks '03

Brrrrr! Trying to keep warm at a home football game, Therese Willingham '03, Amanda Fisher '02 and Kristen Pinter '03 huddle close.



Put your hard hats on! Stepping into that spirited crowd might prove to be a little dangerous. Be sure to be prepared. Thanks for the warning!



Lending a hand. A warm and toasty Lincoln mom helps Megan Wysocki '02 stay in school spirit by helping out with face painting for participation in the Homecoming Parade.

MAKING CONNECTIONS



Sticking together. Cheering for their team, Crystal McClain '03, Alexis Floyd '03, Erin Borrow '03, Meagan Ransome '03, Nina Battle '03, Dominique Page '03 and Brittany Lilly '03 gather together for warmth at the Homecoming football game.



Wednesday is Chicken Nugget Day. Beating the long line, Heather Arens '02 eats her chicken nuggets in peace. Chicken nugget day is the most popular day to buy lunch at Lincoln.

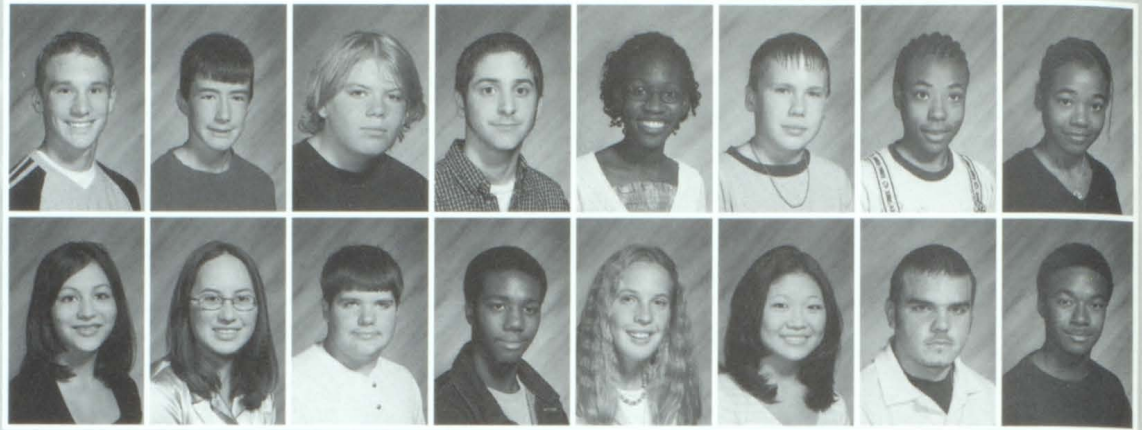
People

First and foremost, a school is only as good as the people inside. This includes students, teachers, support staff and administrators. The connections made over the course of four years will last throughout a lifetime, creating memories that will never fade.

High school doesn't just teach basic subjects, such as math, science, social studies and english; it also encourages personal growth, cooperation and unity.

Jordan Adams 11
 Jason Adcock 09
 Rex Adkinson 10
 Michael Adroumie 10
 Abisola Aduroja 09
 Joshua Alder 09
 Amir Alexander 09
 Azara Alexander 11

Kristina Alexander 09
 Maile Alexander 10
 John Alford 10
 Aaron Allen 11
 Erin Allen 11
 Han Na Allen 10
 James Allen 10
 Keith Allen 11



Got Your Lucky Sweat Socks?

*Sports
 Superstitions:
 Are They
 Realistic or
 Just a Myth?*

By Carlos Lozano '02



Superstitions are silly to most people, but to athletes superstitions can mean the difference between a great game and a bad game. Superstitions lead to rituals, which help athletes prepare for their game. Some athletes do a lot of rituals, some do just one, but they always do it the same because of the superstition. Superstitions can be just as simple as wearing the same socks or shirt every game. Other superstitions can be drinking something or walking or sitting in the same spot.

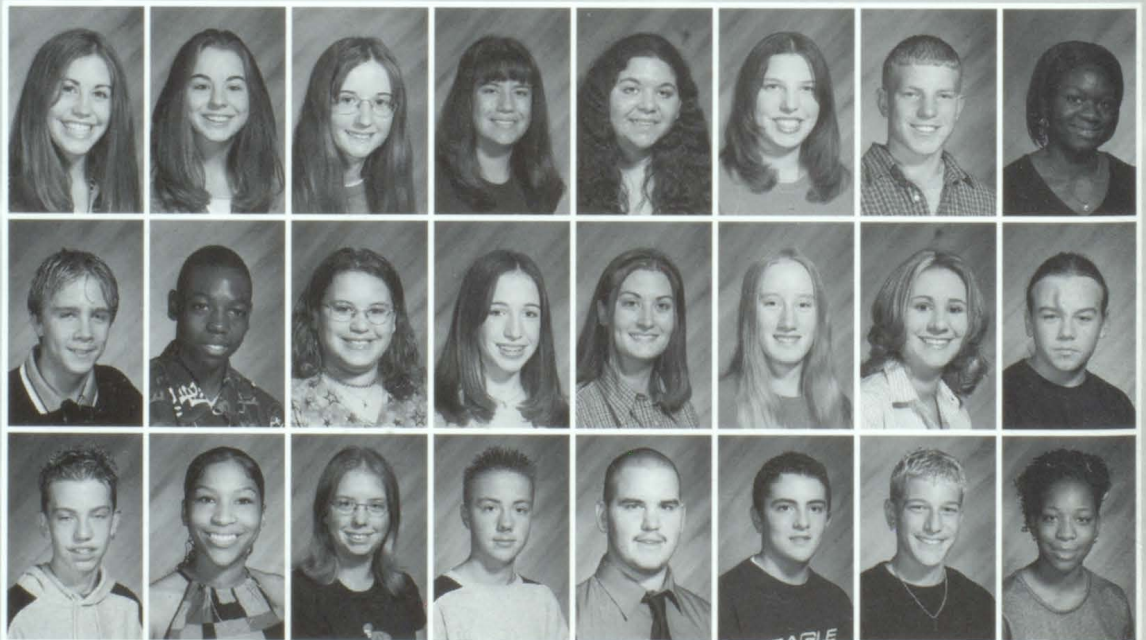
"Superstitions are real. Whatever is good luck to you is what you believe in and that is what you do," said Aaron Pilotte '01. "Superstitions work about seventy percent of the time, but when I do them they work ninety-five percent of the time for me," said Thomas Hudge '02.

Whatever you call them, whether rituals, superstitions or traditions, every athlete has one even though they might not know it. People say they are just luck, because if you really look at what you do it really has nothing to do with your performance. Some people don't understand why athletes believe in these things, but Bobby Rose '02 said it best: "You do them because it's a habit and you get used to doing them. That's why, game after game, you keep on doing the same thing over and over again. They get your mind set on what your task is at hand that you must to do."

Megan Allen 10
 Amanda Alliston 09
 Kelly Allstetter 09
 Marian Altenbernt 10
 Rachel Gay Altenbernt 11
 Jessica Altstetter 11
 Todd Altstetter 10
 Maame Ameyaw 11

Frank Anderson 10
 John Anderson 10
 Amber Andress 09
 Nicole Angulm 09
 Heather Archer 11
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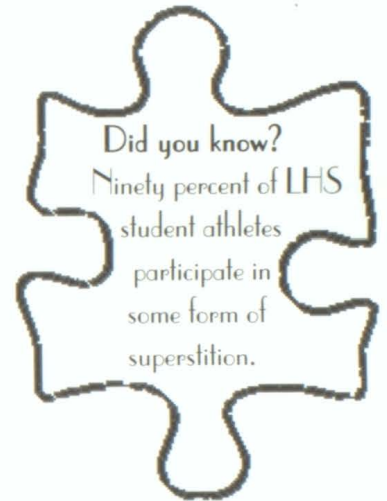


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 Jennifer Bargardi 11
 Laura Bargardi 09
 Jean Bargert 11
 Tiffany Barnes 09

Erin Barrow 10
 Dawn Barton 09
 Sarah Barton 11
 Amanda Bassett 09
 Cheryln Bayus 10
 Chadwick Bean 09
 Amanda Beaudry 09
 Danielle Behrendt 09



Check out them shoe strings! Neon green shoe strings are what make James Allen '03 different from other wrestlers. Allen's superstition is something that he has always done. "Superstitions are a big part of the way I get ready for either a game or a match. I have so many different superstitions, but the green shoe strings are my favorite and is the one that I always do, no matter what sport I'm playing," said Allen. What others can you think of?



David Behrendt 10
 Chester Bell 10
 Matthew Bennett 09
 Adrienne Benson 09
 Jimmie Bentley 11
 Tabitha Benyo 10
 Misty Berry 09
 Jacob Bicksler 10

Christopher Billiu 10
 Jennifer Blair 11
 Eric Blake 11
 Leslie Blank 11
 Lisa Blank 09
 Jessica Blazer 11
 Jacob Blose 10
 Darrell Blumhardt 10

Kali Bobak 09
 Christine Bogoian 11
 Brittanie Bondie 11
 Jennifer Booth 11
 Jennifer Boskat 11
 Renee Bower 09
 Amberly Bowman 11
 Joel Boyd 09

Chantil Brandon 09
 Kristen Bredeweg 11
 William Brezzell 09
 Leon Bridgeman 10
 Wallace Bridges, Jr. 11
 Alicia Briggs 10
 Lauren Brock 09
 Derrick Brooks 10

Keon Brooks 11
 Kevin Brooks 11
 Dorothy Brown 10
 Jack Brown 11
 James Brown 09
 Jaymie Brown 09
 Jeanette Brown 11
 Jeremy Brown 10



Excuse Me, Where Are Your Morals?

*Shocking Truths
 About Lincoln
 Students
 Revealed!*

By Amanda Thompson '01
 and Ms. Jessica Revord, adviser



How moral are Lincoln students? What is "morality" anyway? Morals pertain to the internal, unwritten rules that tell us the difference between right and wrong. For example, if you accidentally scrape the side of a parked Porsche and nobody sees you, do you leave an apology note with your number and/or insurance information? Seventy percent of Lincoln students would not, though morally, we know it is the "right" thing to do. Your morals determine your conscience.

There are six stages of morality, though most people never get past the first three or four. All small children, and some adults, fall into the first stage in which right and wrong is determined by a person's own personal gain and avoidance of punishment. In the second stage, a person is still basically out for himself, but is willing to help others reach their goals, too, as long as there is a reward in return.

Stages three and four members understand and follow laws and rules. Stage three people do so in order to be viewed as "good people" by others, and stage four do because they realize it is for the good of society to follow rules. Most people never move beyond stages three and four.

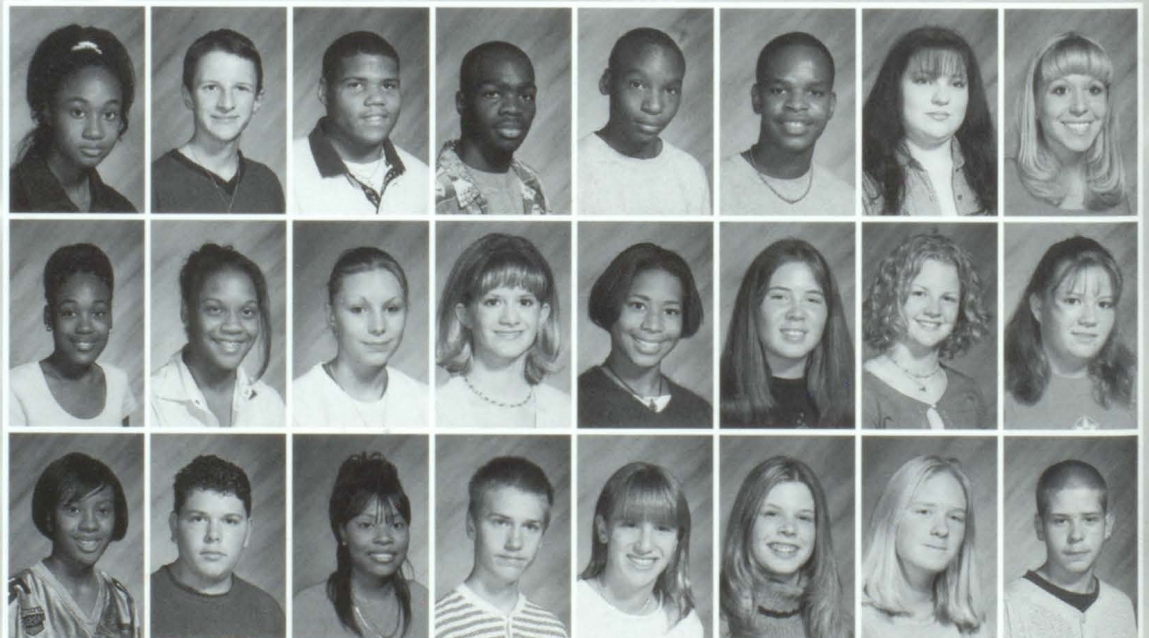
Highly moral people fall into levels five and six. Five's see beyond laws to uphold rights. Think Rosa Parks, for example. Very few have ever reached level six--they generally are willing to give their lives for their moral beliefs. Examples include Jesus, Gandhi and Martin Luther King, Jr..

So how do Lincoln students measure up? See for yourself: Fifty-five percent of students would be willing to cheat on a test to get into college, and forty percent would cheat even if they had signed an honor code. According to the survey, freshmen ranked highest in morality with fifty-two percent of the class having the "highest" morals, and doing what is considered to be the "honest and right thing to do". Following the freshmen, the juniors came in second with only forty percent of the class having good morals. The sophomores and seniors seem to have the same morals with only thirty-six percent of the class having "good morals" and sixty-four percent having a difference of opinion.

Kristee Brown 09
 Matthew Brown 09
 Michael Brown 11
 Shawn Brown 11
 Kenneth Brown-Lovelace 09
 Martez Brown-Lovelace 09
 Brandi Brunell 09
 Erica Buczek 10

Davisha Buford 09
 Ashton Bullock 09
 Lisa Bulmer 09
 Janet Bumgardner 11
 Allyson Bunton 11
 Brooke Burba 10
 Jessica Burdette 10
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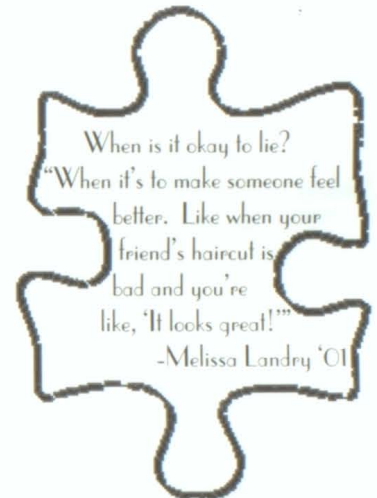


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 Susan Butler 11
 Bryan Butzin 09
 Jessica Butzin 11
 Justin Cadreau 09
 David Cain 11
 Nathaniel Caldwell 11

John Calloway III 10
 Anton Cannon 10
 Samuel Cannon 11
 Tanya Cantrell 10
 Gabrielle Carey 09
 Christine Carpenter 10
 Joey Carpenter 10
 Keri Carpenter 10



Stop, Thief! Decisions, decisions. Does Jason Pinter '02 find the owner to the wallet or does he keep it for himself? We asked a similar question to the student body to find out what they would do. While sixty-three percent said that "yeah, of course I'd give it back," a low thirty-seven percent would pocket the wallet and not say a word. Tracy Fox '02 said that she would "probably give the money back to the person who dropped it." But for now, the decision is all Pinter's.



When is it okay to lie?
 "When it's to make someone feel better. Like when your friend's haircut is bad and you're like, 'It looks great!'"
 -Melissa Landry '01



Dion Carriger 09
 Brandon Carter 09
 Kevin Chambers 10
 Christopher Charboneau 09
 Donya Charles 09
 Ashley Cheeks 09
 Robin Chevette 11
 Alicia Childress 10

Matthew Christophel 09
 Erica Cicotte 11
 Amber Claborn 11
 Autumn Cleghorn 09
 Antonio Clifton 10
 Jessica Cloud 09
 Johanna Cochran 10
 Joseph Cochran 10

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 Jamillah Coleman 11
 Angelise Coley 10
 Natasha Coley 09
 Mia Collie 10
 Mandie Combs 11
 Kelly Conley 11
 Paul John Cook 09

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 Breanne Cordle 10
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 Angela Cornett 10
 Lillian Cornett 11
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Nathon Couturier 10
 Joseph Covell 10
 Jessica Cox 10
 Christa Craddick 09
 Robert Craddick 09
 Dominique Craig 09
 Shyla Craiger 11
 Courtney Crawford 09



These days, students are very involved in what they listen to. Everywhere you turn you can hear someone's stereo system, whether it's a walkman, a discman or a car stereo, it's there blaring.

In a survey, fifty percent of the students polled would spend \$400 - \$600 and twenty-five percent would spend \$800 - \$1000 on a car stereo. When asked what she thought when she heard loud car stereos, Gayle Legault, mother of Heather Ringrose '02, stated, "They're way too loud. I don't like them at all and they drive me absolutely crazy."

What about the medical statistics verifying that loud stereo usage damages hearing? The facts do not seem to affect a teen's decision to "crank the sound way up". Jack Brown '02 said, "I don't really care that loud music can damage my hearing, I'm not going to be able to hear when I am older anyway." Brown, owner of a Pioneer stereo system, spent \$750 on his sound system and plans to buy a new, louder system in the next six months.

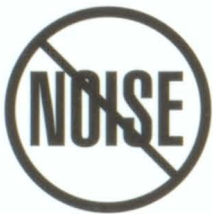
Whether students have a car with a system or not, nearly all students have a walkman or a discman. Walking down the hallway before and after school, you see many students sitting in the cafeteria and in other various places in the school listening to their discmen, even though it is against the rules to bring them to school. This just goes to show that music must be an important part of a student's everyday life.

Some may say that students listen to their music way too loud, or way too much, but music will always be important in students' lives. Sounds like better and better stereos are here to stay.

Safe and Sound

*Music Plays
 A Major Role
 in Students'
 Lives*

By Jonathon Houston '02



Jonathon Crawford 09
 Paul Crews 11
 Melissa Crossley 09
 Gregory Crouch 09
 Jayson Cummings 09
 Brett Cunningham 10
 Robbie Cureton 11
 Joshua Curmi 11



Chelsea Cutright 10
 Aaron Cyburt 09
 Paul Czarnecki 09
 Benjamin Czinski 09
 Thomas Czinski 10
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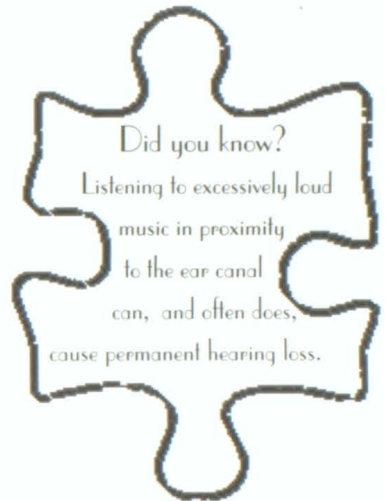


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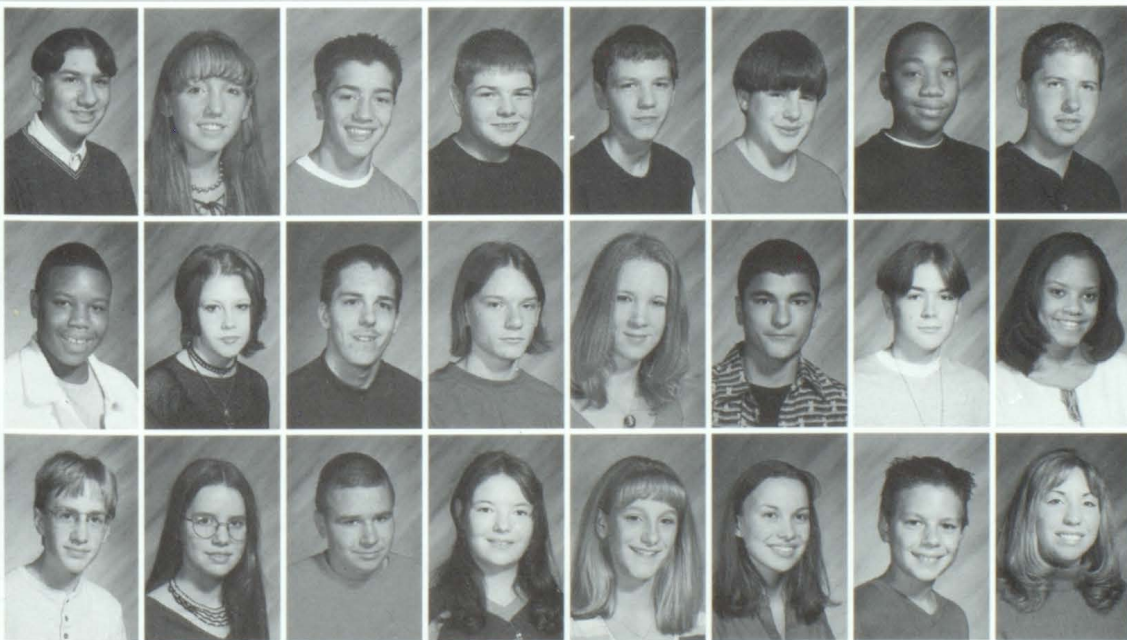
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Amy Delaroque 10
Joby Dennings 09
Sara Denny 10
Michelle Detroyer 11
Daniel Dew 10
Jessica Dewalt 09



Sounds Grrr-eat!
Kyle Hall '03 listens to his discman while talking to his friends before school every morning. Many students at Lincoln bring discmen and walkmen to school to listen to before class starts. Many students will even sit out in their parked cars just so they can listen to music from their car stereos. Then after school, the discmen and walkmen come out as students leave school to board the bus. You can always count on hearing at least one loud car stereo as cars leave the parking lot.



Did you know?
Listening to excessively loud music in proximity to the ear canal can, and often does, cause permanent hearing loss.



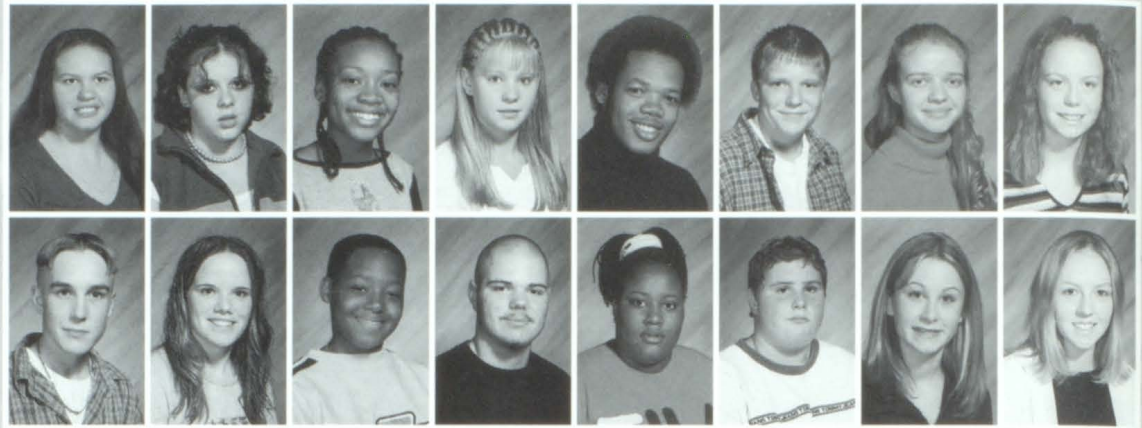
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Paul Doepker 10
William Dornbos 10
Tabbatha Downing 09
John Dreffs 10
Adam Dreher 11
Talisha Dudley 10

Jonathon Dunstan 09
Ruth Dunstan 11
Keith Dyer 11
Lisa Earley 09
Kristin Easter 09
Adriana Eberback 09
Ryan Ebright 09
Jamie Edwards 11



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 Cory Fairley 09
 Nicholas Favot 09
 Samantha Ferency 10
 Jessica Ferrell 11

Testing Our Traditions

*Some Things
 Aren't What
 They Used to
 Be... and Some
 Will Never
 Change*

By Heather Ringrose '02



"Traditions". What do you think of when you hear that word? Tradition means many different things to many different people. Whether it be a holiday tradition, family tradition or something to do with the school.

Some students at Lincoln think we have a lack of tradition due to lack of school spirit. More pep assemblies and more activities having to do with the sports teams are just a few of the things students would like to do more traditionally. Some students, and even some teachers, believe that the lack of tradition and spirit may be due to the fact that we don't really have a town or city to identify with, like surrounding schools do. "I think it would be cool to have something with businesses around here who give discounts to students from Lincoln. But everyone lives in Belleville, Milan or Ypsi and those towns have their own schools," said Sarah Pearson '02.

One thing that has been tradition in the past is changing this year. In previous volumes of the Liberator, Senior Mock Elections were featured. This year they will be omitted due to complaints about the 2000 publication. "I can't believe there is going to be no mock elections this year. That's the first thing I turn to and I was really looking forward to voting my senior year," said Tiffany Ball '02.

Whether you like or dislike tradition, you're going to find it everywhere you turn. A tradition can be started with just one event. Here's a challenge for the entire LHS student body: Let's take it upon ourselves and start some positive, long-lasting traditions for the years to come.

Jane Fiedler 10
 Brian Fields 09
 Chalynn Fields 11
 William Figueroa 09
 Jennifer Fink 09
 Jeremy Finley 11
 Kasey Finnigan 09
 Amanda Fisher 11



Jonathan Flexon 10
 Alexis Floyd 10
 Geoffrey Fontana 09
 Bryan Fontenot 09
 Edward Ford 10
 Heather Fordyce 10
 Darnell Foreman 10
 Derrick Fowler 09



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 Lacy Frausto 09
 Jakera Frazier 10
 Jeffrey Frisbee 10
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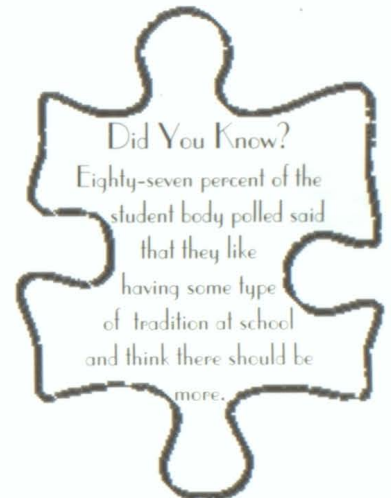
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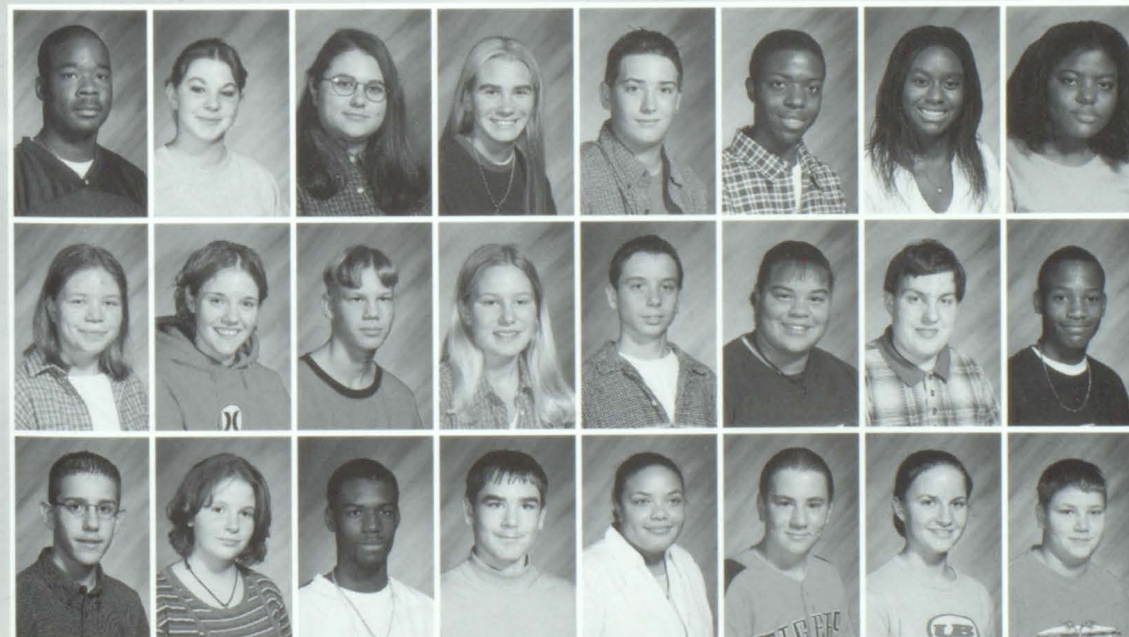
Spirit At Its Best!

Showing great sportsmanship, participants in the Tug-O-War, Kenneth Disney '04 and Brandon Vacek '04 tried to "out tug" the opposing class. The Tug-O-War competition is one of the pep assembly traditions. Other traditions with the students during spirit week are painting faces and hair blue and gray to try to show off their pride in Lincoln High School colors.



Did You Know?

Eighty-seven percent of the student body polled said that they like having some type of tradition at school and think there should be more.



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Lisa Goodman 10
Sarahann Goodwin 10
Jennifer Goscicki 11
Nicholas Grabiec 09
Gary Gray 11
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Zenovia Gray 09

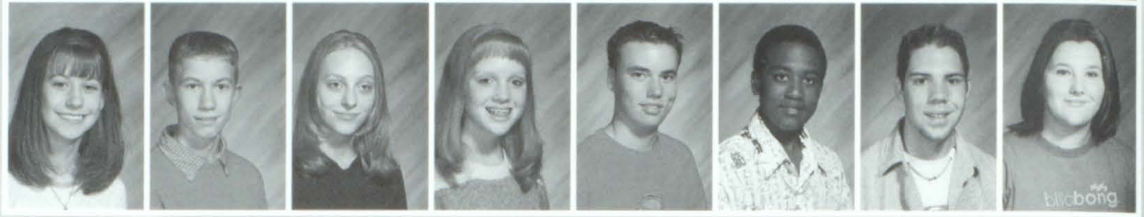
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Patricia Griebe 09
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Tamika Griffin 09
William Griffin 09
Darryl Groce 09

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Jolynn Groves 09
Kenneth Gupton 11
Jonathon Guthrie 09
Joy Haley 10
Cody Hall 10
Danielle Hall 09
Jordan Hall 09

Joshua Hall 11
 Keith Hall 09
 Kyle Hall 10
 Markay Hall 10
 Chelsea Hammond 10
 Dejuan Hammond 10
 Jeffrey Hampton 11
 Ryan Hankins 09



Danielle Hardecki 11
 Nicholas Hardecki 09
 Rachel Hardy 11
 Michelle Harper 09
 Nicholas Harrington 09
 Darwin Harris 09
 Kyle Harris 10
 Stephanie Harris 10



There's a whole other world out there; a world of music which never quite makes it to "TRL". And that's OK. The musicians stick to basements, coffeehouses and other small venues. Their fans didn't hear them on the radio or see them on MTV. People hear about them by word of mouth and flyers. Picture this: you go to see the band and there are 100 people in this small building. Most are familiar faces and good friends. The show begins, the lights go out and the music starts. Kids line the walls and the back of the room. In front of the band is the mosh pit. The temperature rises and the pit starts to collide. It's a beautiful thing.

A popular place for local and indie band shows is Mr. Mugs, located on Michigan Avenue in Ypsilanti. Patrons go there to see bands such as *Friction*, *Nobody's Heroes (R.I.P.)*, *The Falsies*, *One Degree Off*, *Ten Inches Soft*, *Poison the Well*, *Foley*, *Thirteen* (all Lincoln sophomores!) and many others.

Mark Michalik '03 is the bassist for the band *Thirteen*. Other members of *Thirteen* include Joshua Delano '03, Glen Davidson '03, Kyle LaFave '03 and William Dornbos '03. They have been a band since October, '99. They usually practice in Davidson's basement once or twice a week. As well as being in his own band, Michalik is also a fan of other local bands. When asked why he likes this type of music, Michalik said, "It's normal people who are really talented and make really great music."

Banding Together
Local Bands Bring Lincoln Students Together

By Kevin Brunell '01



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 Jesse Hartness 09
 Marissa Hartness 11
 Brooke Hartsoe 10
 McKinnley Harvey 09
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 James Hasse 11

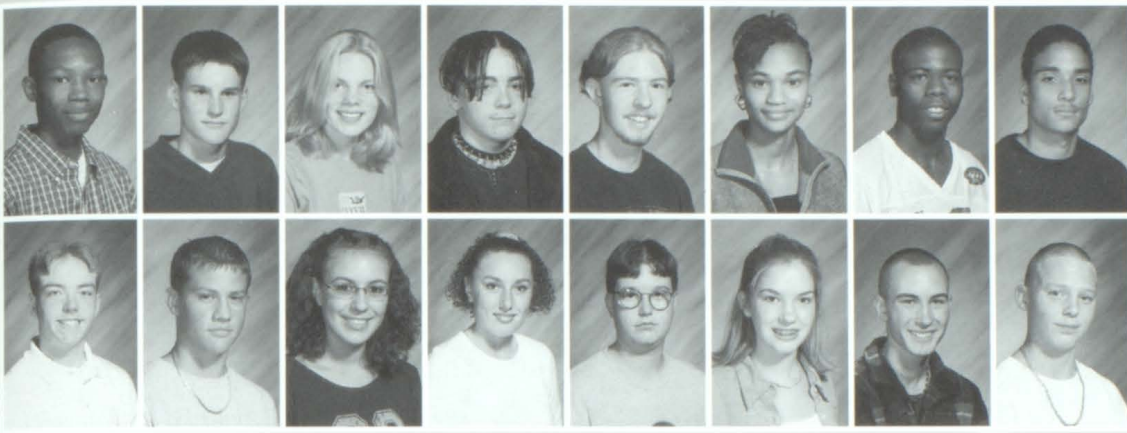


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 Justin Heiser 10
 Heidi Heiss 11
 Kenneth Henderson 09
 Nathan Henderson 10
 Justin Herron 10
 Dan Hessler 11
 Amanda Higgins 09



Andrew Hillebrand 09
 Constance Hohl 09
 Joshua Holland 10
 Brian Holmes 11
 Crystal Holmes 10
 Brian Hooper 11
 Eltar Hooper 09
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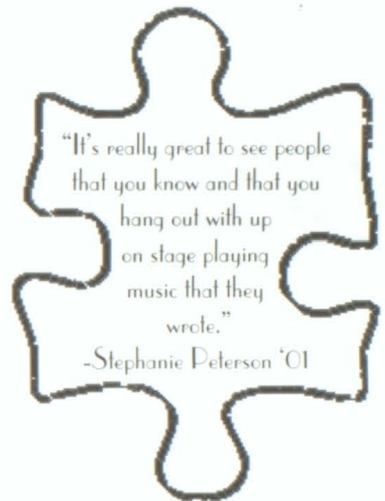
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Michael Howard-Pearsall 10
Adeline Howell 09
Brittany Hubbard 10
Bryan Hubert 10
Brooke Hudge 09
Thomas Hudge 11
Travis Huff 10



Where's your brown bag?
Thirteen plays at a lunchbox performance. Glen Davidson '03 on drums, Mark Michalik '03 on bass and Joshua Delano '03 screaming.



Just Chillin'... at Mr. Mugs. Back row: Benjamin Burrell '01, Amanda Berry '01, Stacey Borough, Shannon Gagnon '01, Bobby Digital, Stephanie Peterson '01, Candace Reynolds '01, Tishia Carrol. Front: Hunter Boyd, Ryan McTaggart and Brian Borguno.



"It's really great to see people that you know and that you hang out with up on stage playing music that they wrote."

-Stephanie Peterson '01



Sarah Hughes 10
Jason Hull 11
Eric Husketh 09
Heather Husketh 11
Kristin Hustyi 11
Michael Hustyi 11
Heather Hyde 09
Nicole Idzior 11

Joel Ihrig 09
Jessica Ing 09
Kenneth Ing 11
Ashley Ingram 09
Krystalynn Ingram 10
Nicholas Ingram 11
Stephanie Ivan 09
Lisa Jackson 10

Jeanette Jayne 10
Timothy Jayne 11
Sean Jenvey 10
Logan Johns 10
Cecil Johnson 10
Eddie Johnson 11
Emily Johnson 09
Holly Johnson 10

Jessica Johnson 10
 Lucas Johnson 10
 Scott Johnson 11
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 Tina Johnson 10
 Victoria Johnson 09
 Isaiah Jones 10
 Mario Jones 10

Nathaniel Jones 09
 Rashard Jones 09
 Steven Jones 11
 Ezekiel Joubert 11
 Adam Kalza 09
 David Katanski 09
 Jason Katke 11
 Ann Kaufmann 10



You Snooze, You Lose

How Much Sleep do you Really Need??

By Angela Cornett '02



How much sleep do teenagers really get? On average, the teens here at Lincoln get approximately 30 to 40 hours of sleep per week. The average teen only gets approximately five to seven hours of sleep per night. Since teens tend to get such little sleep it is likely that "students will sleep at least one class hour each day," according to Stanley Roberson '01. Most students said they would sleep mainly during tests or during note-taking time. Not getting enough sleep at night can be very stressful, especially when you are involved in sports or some other school activity.

Most students prefer to sleep in complete darkness. Lillian Cornett '03 said, "I tend to sleep better if I have some kind of background noise such as a fan or the radio."

Ninety percent of the students surveyed said they can concentrate more in school if they have had a good night's sleep. The other ten percent said it makes them really goofy and hyper.

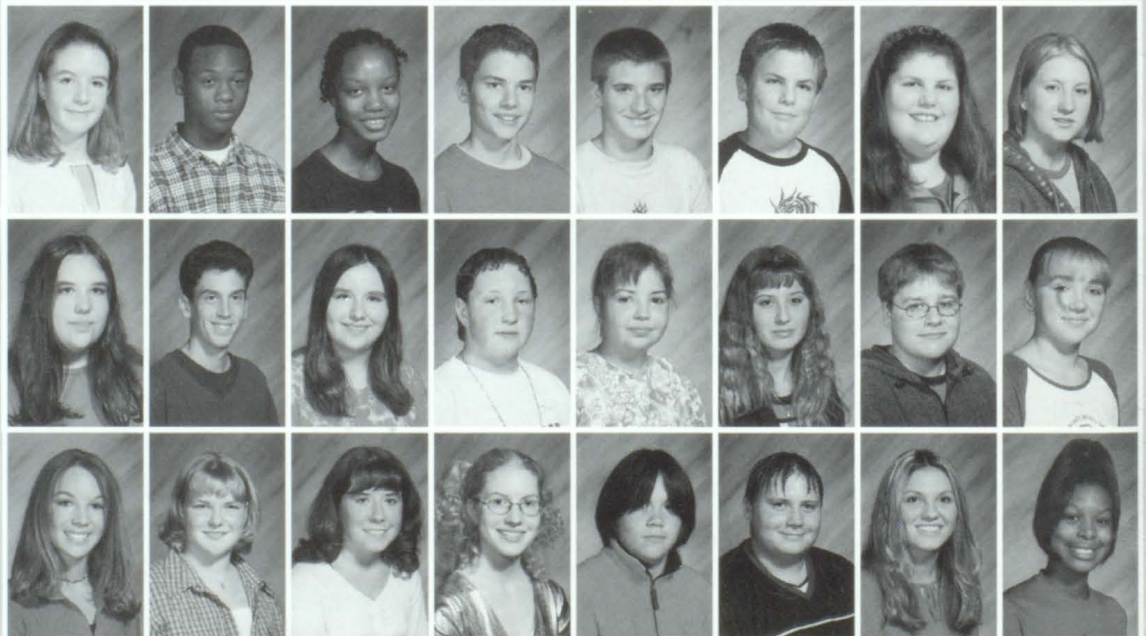
Students find it very hard to get up in the morning, no matter what time they go to bed. Though the Lincoln average is between 11pm and midnight, Allyson Bunton '02 said, "No matter what time I go to bed, it doesn't help me get up any earlier."

Sleep is a very important part of everyone's lives. It is important that your body gets the proper amount of sleep each night so that you can perform each day in school to the best of your ability.

Valerie Keefe 10
 Taqee-Shaheen Khabir 11
 Tohfa Khabir 09
 Matthew Kibler 09
 Kevin Kidder 10
 Aaron Kinder 09
 Amber Kinder 11
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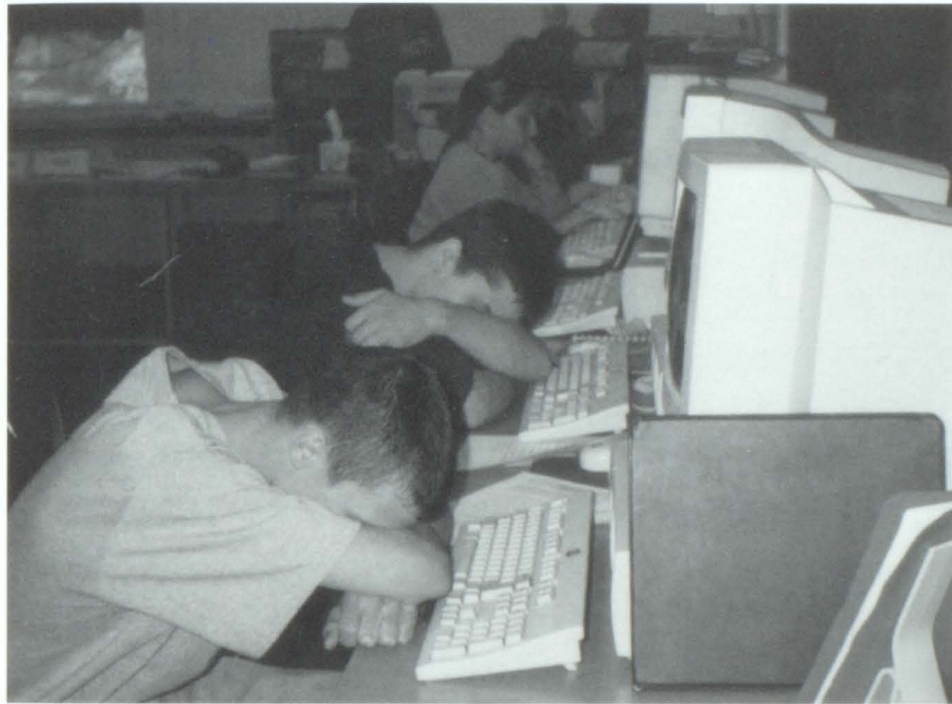
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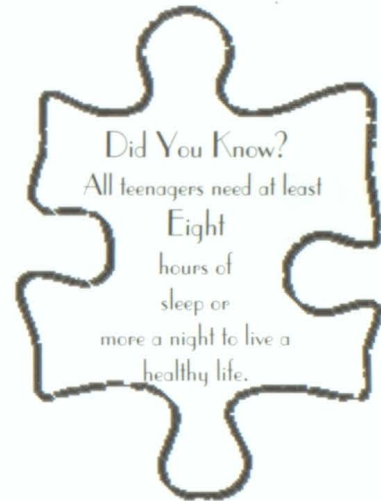


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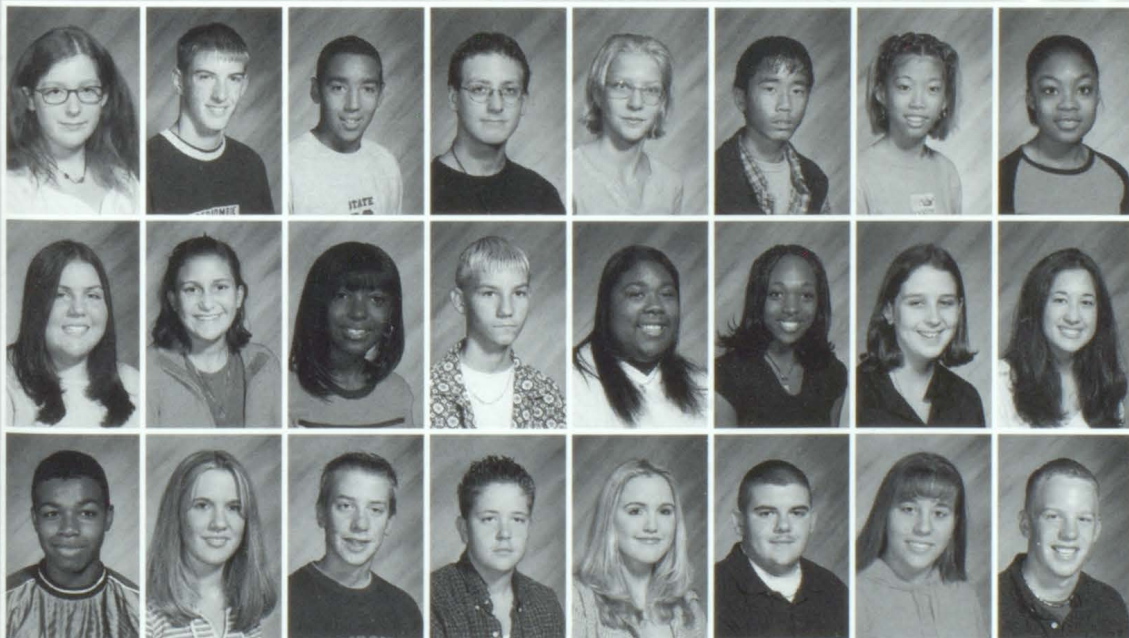
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 Christine Laughren 11
 Starlet Laurell 09
 Thomas Lavery 09
 Tammy Lawson 10
 William Lawson 11
 Melanie Lay 10



Sweet Dreams, don't let the computer bug bite!!
 Robert Tackett '01 and James Poitevint '01 catch a nap in Mr. Bargardi's computer class. A survey showed that the majority of students go to bed between 11 pm and midnight, and wake up anywhere between 5:30 and 6:30 am. "We don't go to bed too late, school just starts too early!" said Brian Lucier '02. Studies indicate that teenagers need more sleep than any other age group due to rigorous schedules and rapidly changing bodies.



Did You Know?
 All teenagers need at least
 Eight
 hours of
 sleep or
 more a night to live a
 healthy life.



Kayleigh Lebak 10
 Christopher Lee 10
 Jonathan Leonard 11
 David Lesatz II 09
 Sharina Letson 10
 Brandon Letterman 09
 Jennifer Letterman 09
 Nara Lewis 10

Erica Liddicoat 10
 Jessica Liddicoat 11
 Brittney Lilly 09
 Scott Linderman 09
 Alana Little 11
 DaPrisha Littlejohn 09
 Jennifer Litton 09
 Heather Lobach 11

Jason Logan 09
 Jillian Lombardi 10
 Steven Lore 10
 Christopher Lowry 09
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 Carlos Lozano 11
 Rebecca Lozon 09
 Brian Lucier 11

Heather Luker 11
Corey Luna 10
Jessica Lundell 09
Jessica Lynch 10
Lauren Mabbie 11
Nicole Macshara 09
Brittney Maggard 09
Holly Malmquist 09



Gary Malone 10
Jessica Malstrom 11
Laura Mamp 11
Joshua Marlatt 11
Justin Marsiglia 10
Adrius Martin 10
Katie Martin 09
Robert Mashatt 10

*Lincoln Pet
Owners Share
Pet Stories
and Responsi-
bilities*

What pet is the best pet? Jennifer Bargardi '02 or Erica Cicotte '02 said they would pick yellow Labrador Retrievers, but with so many animals to choose from, how can you tell which pet is right for you? Chances are, if you asked someone around you, they would tell you the pros and cons of pet care in no time at all. Caring for pets, however, is no "walk in the park." Each pet brings about different needs and responsibilities. Allyson Bunton '02 likes her pet gerbils because, "they are easy to clean up after and care for", while Amber Glasgow '03 thinks that her horses are "Fun. But if you're not responsible, you shouldn't own one".

Pet owners always have tales to tell, both good and bad. "I lost my Cairn Terrier puppy in the back yard a week after we got him," said Aimee Kolesar '01. Cameron Richardson '04 reveals the fear she felt when her Golden Retriever had to have surgery on his leg. "I wasn't sure that he would make it through," Richardson said. Some stories make us cry, others make us laugh, but whatever the case may be, animals hold a special place in our hearts.

Along with classic pets such as cats and dogs, fish, hamsters and birds prove to make popular pets. However, some people would prefer something a little different. "I would love to have a monkey; they are so cute and funny," said Jamie Edwards '02.

Whatever kind of pet you choose, it is sure to bring the entire family joy for many years to come. "Pets help bring a family together," said Emily Satanski '04.

By Jessica Butzin '02



Shawn Mason 09
Nicholas Mata 09
Ryan Mathe (Fetters) 10
Ryan McCann 09
Crystal McClain 10
Ryan McClure 10
Joshua McCostlin 09
John McCue 10



Benjamin McCune 10
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Kimberly McDaniel 11
Amanda McDonald 09
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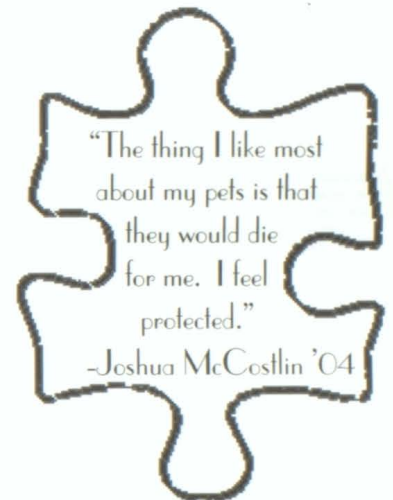


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 Sharon McWilliams 10
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 Sara Meddaugh 10

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 Melissa Mejia 09
 Bryan Mellinger 10
 Ryan Mercer 09
 Mark Michalik 10
 Lyndsey Michels 10
 Samantha Middlebrook 09
 April Miller 11



Double Trouble. After chasing them all over, Allyson Bunton '02 manages to catch her two gerbils, Bear and Pepper. These mischievous rodents are always getting loose, ending up in closets, dresser drawers and almost everywhere. Part of the excitement of owning a small pet is searching for them. Who knows where they will show up next? All animals, whether big or small, add fun and excitement to their owner's lives.



"The thing I like most about my pets is that they would die for me. I feel protected."
 -Joshua McCostlin '04



Daniel Miller 10
 Doug Miller 11
 Meghan Miller 10
 Priscilla Miller 11
 Taran Miller 10
 Darryl Miller Jr. 09
 Nicole Minard 10
 Jeff Mink 10

Andrew Mitchell 11
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Emily Mussengil 11
Valerie Napier 09
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Anthony New 11
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Tai Nguyen 09
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Julie Noe 09
Annmarie Nolan 11
Joel Nolan 09
Natasha Norris 09



Unsportsmanlike Conduct

Parents Take School Sports to the Extreme

By Amber Harris '01



Picture this: it's a Friday night and you're at your football game. Things are going well when suddenly a fight breaks out in the stands. You look from the field or court to try and see which two kids are fighting, when you realize that it's your mom fighting with some other woman! Sound familiar? Although it seems like a nightmare, it's becoming a reality. All over the news there have been stories of parents fighting with other parents, coaches and/or refs and even their own children. This year, there was an incident at a little league game in Texas. A parent came down from the stands and started screaming at his son in front of everyone because he struck out. Last winter at a youth hockey game, two parents from opposing teams also got into a fight over a penalty, which resulted in the death of one father. Lincoln's JV Football Coach Eric Johnson said, "I think it is unfortunate that athletes have to see their parents behave in such ways."

Why are parents allowing themselves to get so caught up in their child's sport? It's understandable that they love their children and want to see them succeed, but is it really fair for them to behave the way they do? Part of the problem parents sometimes have is that they think their child is the best and the coach should play them where they want them to play. They make it a point to always be at practices and always be that little "bug" in the coach's ear. How are other players supposed to feel when they get their spot taken away by someone who didn't earn it? Varsity football player Greg Dochych '01 said, "It makes me feel like I can't win no matter how hard I try. I also feel like what's the point of going to practice and working my butt off if I'm never going to get my chance."

Another problem with a parent always being around the coach at practice is that it affects the decision-making process of where the athlete gets to play. Is it because of all the hard work and dedication the athlete puts in or is it simply because of how influenced the coach is by what the parent has told him or her? In some cases it is true that the coach overlooks all of one athlete's accomplishments just so he can please a parent and let their kid play where they want them.

Parents need to stop living their sports dreams through their children. They need to let the coaches make the decision of which spot is best for the athlete to play. They need to be better "sports" or stay home.

Kimberly O'Bryan 10
Meme Oates 11
Michael Oberle 11
Karen Ok 09
Lisa Oliver 11
Casper Olson 11
John Orr 10
Rebecca Orrison 11



Mathew Ousley 09
James Owens 09
Dominique Page 10
Amy Palmer 09
Martha Panzer 11
Ashlee Parker 09
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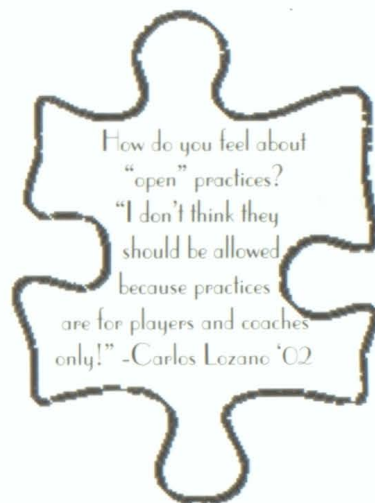


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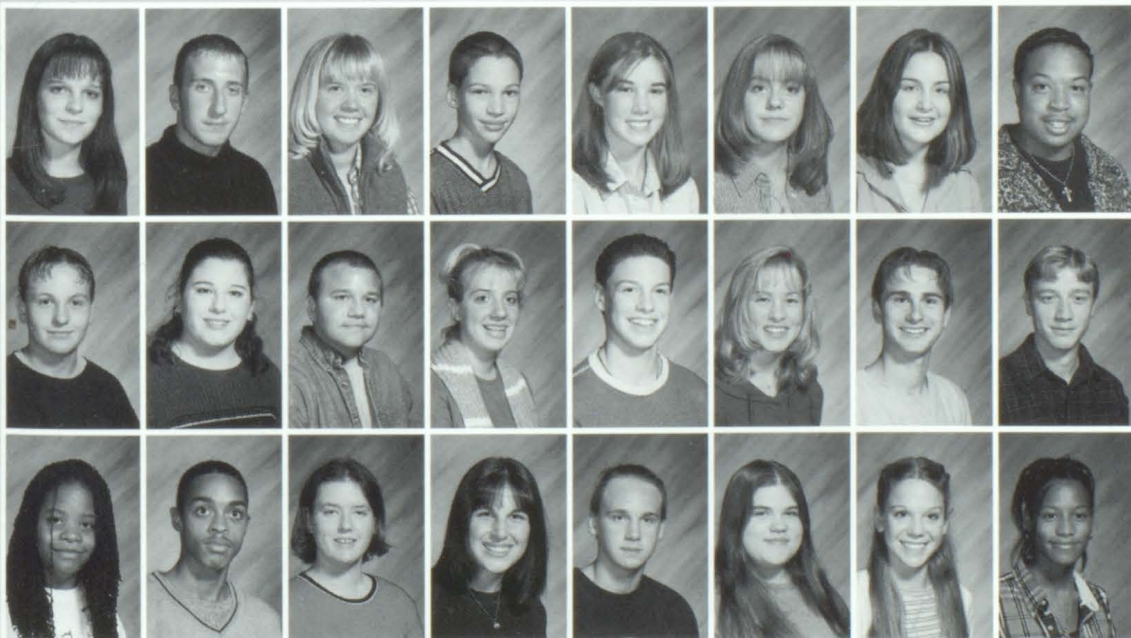
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Donald Phillips 11
Cay Phipps 10
Nichole Pilkington 10



Defense, Defense! Lifelong-sports-fan Mike Bargardi, a teacher at Lincoln High School and father of basketball players Jennifer '02 and Laura '04 Bargardi, cheers loud at a recent boy's basketball game. "I can always tell where my dad is sitting because of how loud he is yelling. It's usually at me or the refs," said Jennifer about her father. Mr. Bargardi tries to attend all of the games he can for both basketball and softball.



How do you feel about "open" practices?
"I don't think they should be allowed because practices are for players and coaches only!" -Carlos Lozano '02



Amy Pilotte 10
Jason Pinter 11
Kristin Pinter 10
Matthew Polzin 09
Rachel Pomeroy 10
Christina Pontius 10
Chelsea Poole 10
Donald Pope 10

Wesley Potter II 11
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Brian Priano 10
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 Autumn Ricketts 10



Censored: Say What?

Warning! The Contents of This Story Refer to Explicit Song Lyrics and May Offend Some Readers

By Jamie Edwards '02



How many times have you been listening to music and thought to yourself, "I can't believe they just said that!?" Well, according to freshmen, this has happened many times. Eighty percent of freshmen said they have been offended by song lyrics, compared to sixty percent of seniors, forty percent of juniors and twenty percent of sophomores. These results may suggest that the ones most offended by degrading lyrics are younger teenagers and mature young adults. Most of the lyrics that offend students are rap lyrics, such as the words spoken by Eminem, Sisco, Ruff Ryders, Cash Money Millionaires, etc., said to degrade women and/or homosexuals.

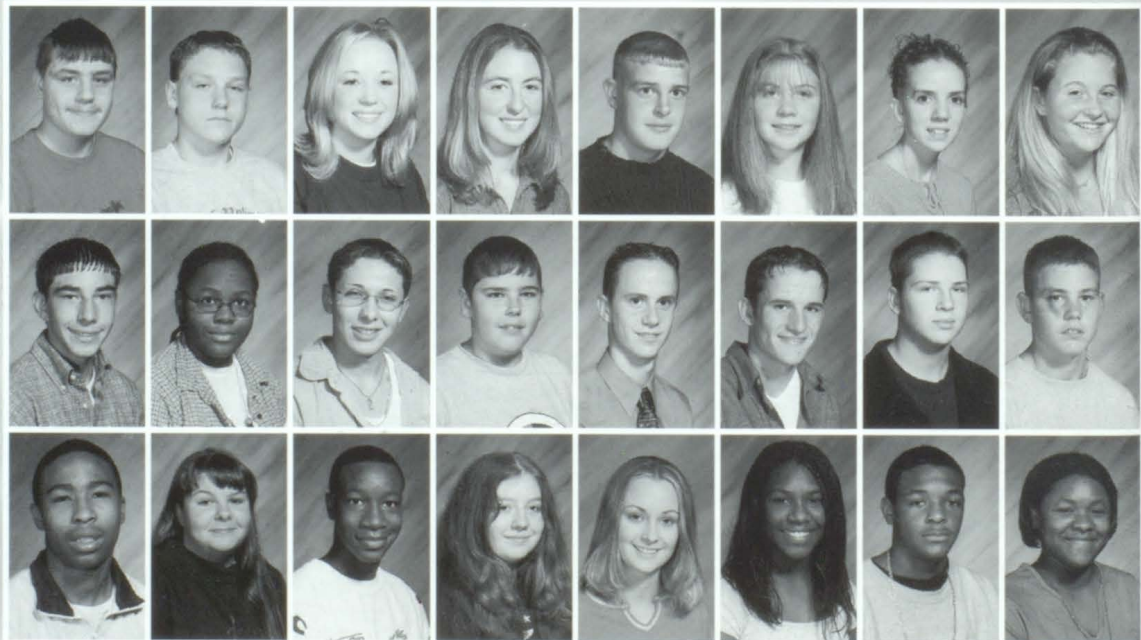
But the real question is, should something be done about it? Eighty-five percent of students polled said that there is nothing we can, or should, do about it since the First Amendment allows freedom of speech. However, the remaining fifteen percent said that something *should* be done. "Singers nowadays are allowed to say whatever they want. They are supposed to be role models," said Christopher Perino '04.

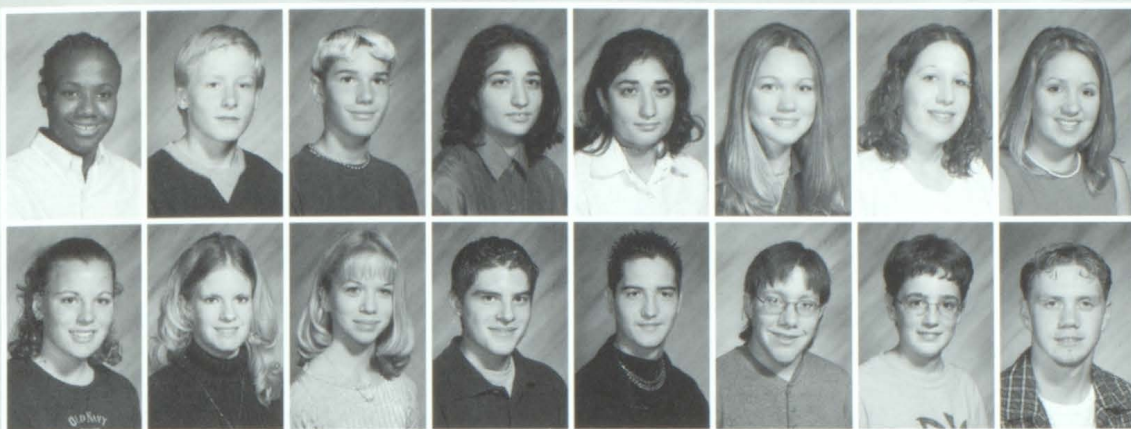
Some people think that singers should be censored because it may influence what a child does. When asked if song lyrics affect how teenagers behave, Tabatha Waller '04 said, "It really all depends on the person. I feel that if you want your music to influence you, most likely it will. And if you think music has nothing to do with the way you act, it won't." Who knows? Next year, we might be living in a world with nothing but boy bands, pop teen queens and country music crossovers. And that's a scary thought to some.

Jamie Riddle 11
 Jay Riddle 10
 Carmen Riedel 10
 Heather Riggs 11
 Jon Riggs 09
 Codi Riggsby 09
 Heather Ringrose 11
 Tami Roberts 09

Tobie Robinette 10
 Brittney Rodgers 10
 Palomino Rodriguez 10
 Robert Rodriguez 09
 Richard Roe 10
 Bobby Rose 11
 Kurt Ross 11
 Todd Ross 10

Nigel Royster 10
 Trina Rudesill 09
 Justin Russaw 09
 Britney Russell 09
 Cristin Russell 11
 Krysten Russell 10
 Raushod Russell 11
 Talitha Russell 11



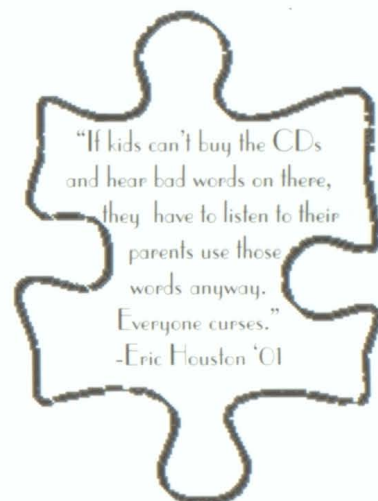


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 Thomas Salan 09
 Craig Salajan 09
 Sanaa Samadani 09
 Sidra Samadani 09
 Sarah Sancho 11
 Jennifer Santoro 10
 Shannon Santure 11

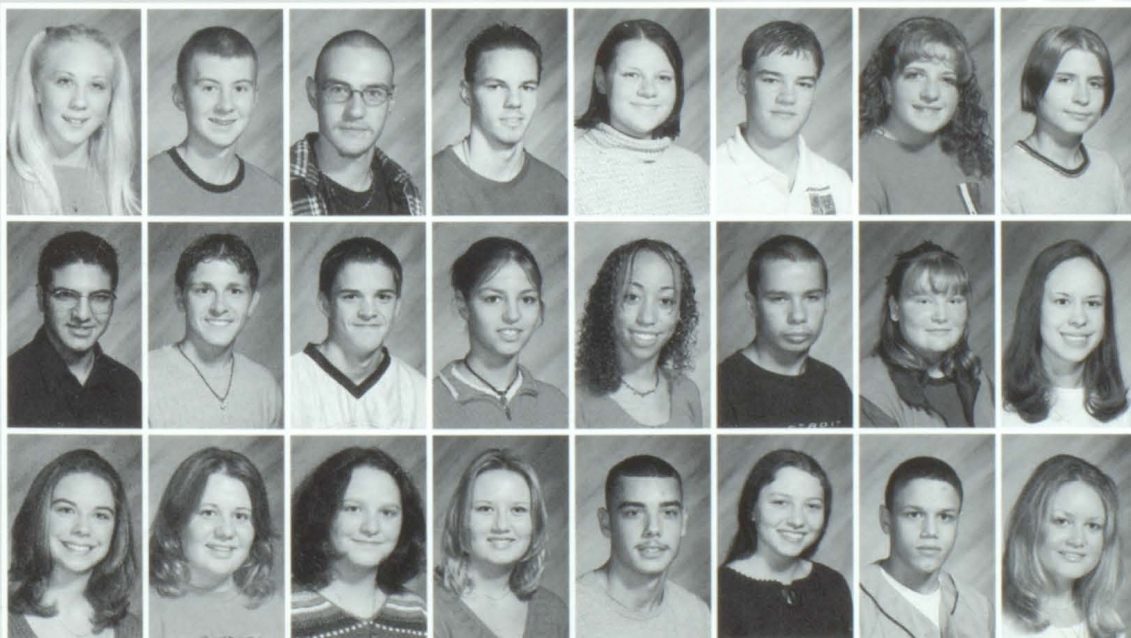
Emily Satanski 09
 Jennifer Saylor 11
 Melissa Scherdt 10
 Jonathan Scherer 11
 Jonathan Schmidt 10
 Timothy Schneider 09
 David Schrag 09
 Adam Schrock 11



WARNING! This is the label Andrew Wilson '03 sees on his new cd. This label may prevent some children from buying music considered inappropriate. Censorship is defined as: The act of suppressing or deleting anything considered objectionable. Elizabeth Lanctot '01 said, "Censorship is protecting us from what the government thinks is bad... taking away our freedom of speech." Is it okay for the government to decide what we can listen to?



"If kids can't buy the CDs and hear bad words on there, they have to listen to their parents use these words anyway. Everyone curses."
 -Eric Houston '01

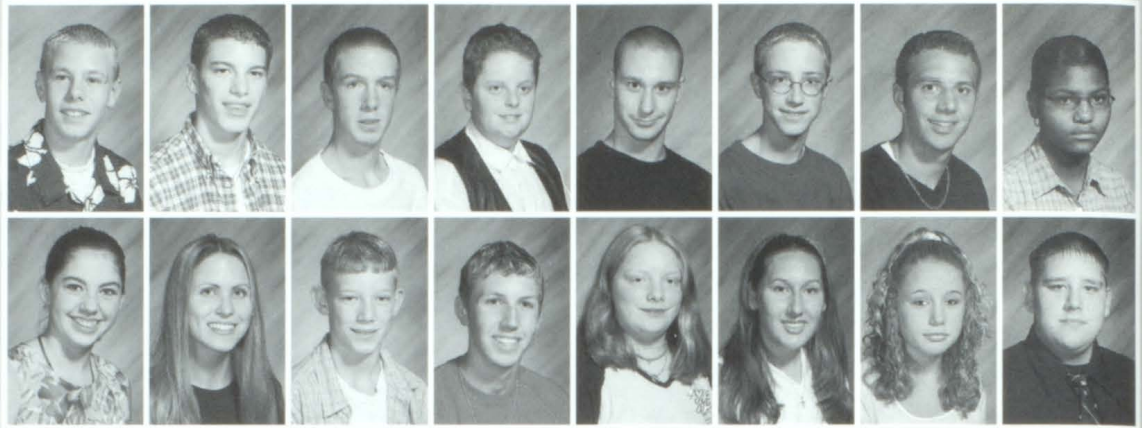


Anna Schrock 10
 Toby Schroeder 10
 Jason Seaver 11
 Brian Selter 11
 Destiny Seyuin 11
 Ryan Shell 10
 Melissa Shepler 09
 Brian Shevovich 10

Shaheen Shidfar 09
 Aaron Shukait 10
 Christopher Shukait 09
 Kimberly Silva 09
 Desiree Sims 10
 Brian Sirois 09
 Lisa Slovinski 10
 Ashley Smalley 11

Laura Smerek 10
 Abby Smith 10
 Amber Smith 09
 Jennifer Smith 11
 Jeremy Smith 11
 Libby Smith 11
 Jimmy Snipes 10
 Tania Snipes 11

Ryan Sparks 11
 Kyle Spears 10
 Brian Spencer 10
 John Springer II 09
 Nathan Spurlock 11
 Benjamin Stack 09
 Christopher Stacy 11
 Christina Starks 09



Susan Steffen 10
 Ashley Stephens 11
 Jeffery Stephens 09
 Aaron Stiehl 10
 Venessa Stier 09
 Jesslyn Stocker 10
 Amanda Stocks 10
 Michael Stokes 09

Ring in the Years

Sophomores Get Excited About Class Rings

By Laquandra Cain '01



It's sophomore year, and you just picked up your new class ring. What are you going to do with it? Flaunt it, of course! You put all that work into choosing the right ring for you and spent all that cold, hard cash on it, so why not? That's the glory of it all. Sophomore year is the time for students to choose personalized rings from Jostens' wide variety of styles, colors, karats and engraving. What could be better than this and graduation for a teenager? It's a major milestone. The most important part of the ring for Tobie Robinette '03 is, "It symbolizes me and it's mine."

Choosing a ring is one of the biggest decisions of a teen's young life. They will have it forever, literally, since rings are covered by Jostens' Lifetime Warranty and Ring Insurance policies. "If my ring was lost, since it's insured, I'll get a new one," said Sarah Lambert '03. So there is no need to worry.

The ring's cost has a wide range, depending on the type of ring chosen such as "Heritage" or "Achiever". The detail and stone also make a difference. In the end, the final cost can range anywhere from \$75 to \$500. This can be a hefty amount for a fifteen-year-old. Not to worry, because Mom and Dad usually end up with the bill; you are all taken care of.

So when it's your senior year and you are so sad to be leaving all your friends and your memories behind, you can just look at your class and remember all your high school years. It will help you to remember all those old friends and long-forgotten gossip. It's a significant experience and you will want to "ring in the years" over and over.

Amanda Stolt 11
 Carrie Stone 10
 Matthew Storms 09
 Trebreh Story 09
 Stephanie Stratz 11
 Samantha Stricklin 09
 Michael Strimpel 10
 Amanda Stumbo 11



Adam Supeck-Holtgreen 11
 Brittany Sullivan 09
 Sheldon Sullivan 10
 John Sykes 11
 Katrina Sykes 11
 Alexandra Szakaly 09
 Rebecca Szakaly 11
 Eddie Szurek 09



Robert Tackett 11
 Erin Tate 11
 Brian Taylor 09
 Michelle Taylor 09
 Samantha Taylor 10
 Shawnte Taylor 10
 Traci Taylor 09
 Dorian Teague 09





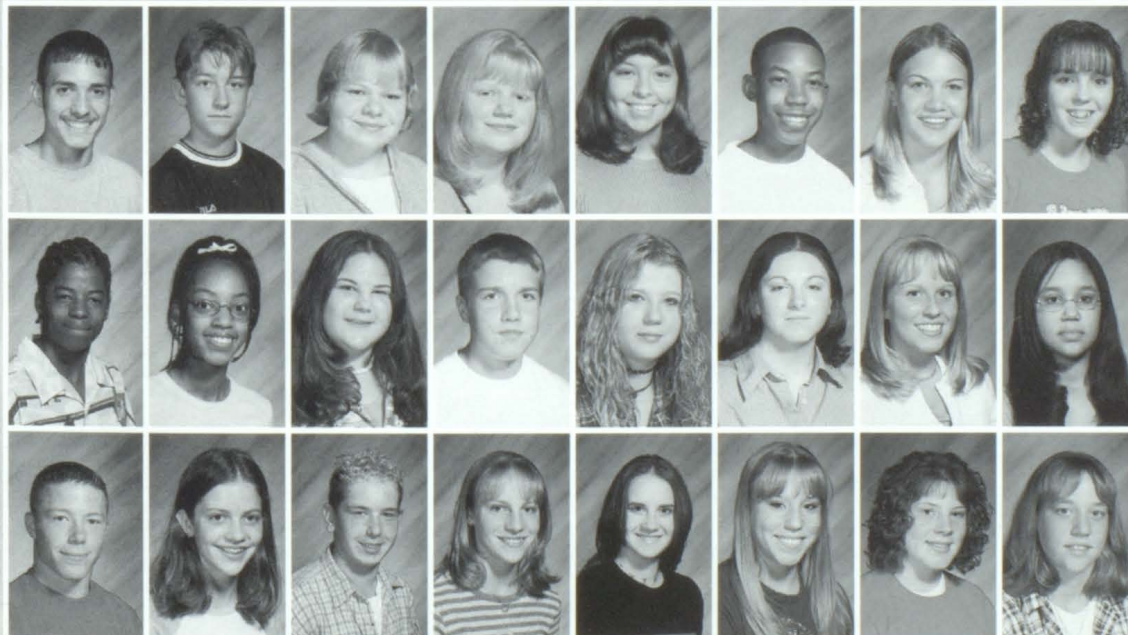
Sharmel Teall 11
 Timothy Teall 10
 Deante' Teamer 11
 Donovan Terry 10
 Aaron Thacker 09
 Melissa Theodore 10
 James Thomas 09
 Michael Thompson 09

Miranda Thompson 10
 Ricky Tomlin II 10
 Jessica Tompkins 10
 Scott Toth 09
 Christopher Towler 10
 Kaylee Towler 09
 Rebecca Towler 09
 Terrance Townsend 09



Oooh Ahhh!! Best friends Tahirah Gray '02 and Sarah Lambert '02 smile giddily like kids in a candystore. They are sharing their first look at their class rings together. It is obvious they are both very satisfied with their choices. This class has patiently awaited the delivery of their class rings, which was delayed due to several snow days. The rescheduling caused some anxiety, but finally the rings arrived. It was definitely worth the wait for these girls.

Did you know?
 The cost of a class ring ranges from \$75 to \$500, depending on style, stone, weight, etc.

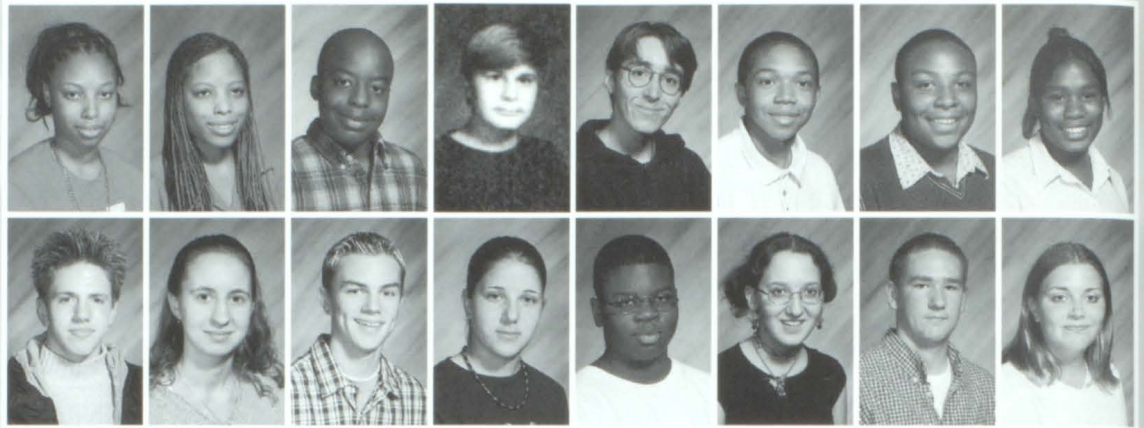


Christopher Treece 10
 Michael Truax 09
 Chelsea Trull 11
 Sarah Trull 09
 Stacy Trzeciak 09
 Brian Tucker 11
 Sarah Tupacz 10
 Amanda Turner 10

Desi Turner 09
 Latasha Turner 10
 Alexandra Tutor 10
 Brandon Vacek 09
 Kayleigh Van Buskirk 09
 Krista Vanderlip 10
 Jessica Varney 11
 Jerrica Ventour 09

Jacob Viers 10
 Elise Vitso 09
 Marc Vivian 09
 Emily Vredeveld 09
 Sara Wachtmann 11
 Katie Wagner 10
 Tabatha Waller 09
 Stephanie Wallman 10

Kayla Walls 10
Keisha Walls 10
Tommie Walls 09
Nicholas Walters 09
Sean Wanty 10
Corey Warren 11
Charles Washington 09
Tamara Washington 09



Jacob Watson 10
Jessica Watts 11
Benjamin Weaks 10
Kira Weber 09
Lamar Wheeler 09
Anna White 10
Brian White 10
Christina White 09

What Would We Do Without...?

*There Have
Been Countless
Inventions, but
Which are the
Most
Important?*

By Jakera Frazier '02



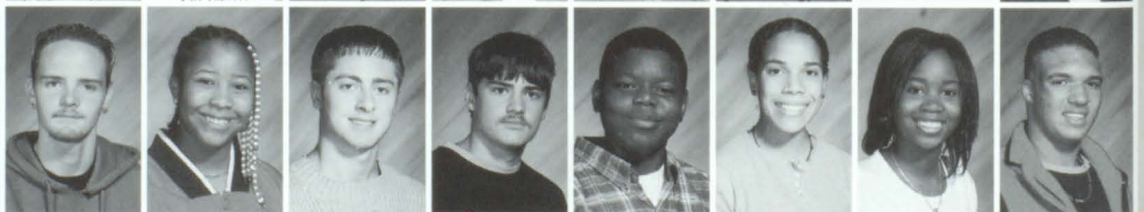
When we step into our cars, we turn on the stereo. When we need information, we look it up on the computer. When something happens at school, we use the telephone to call our friends. And finally, is the television *ever* off in your house? But which of these inventions could you *not* go without? Students were asked this question. Here's what was chosen by LHS students: Thirty-two percent chose the telephone, twenty-five percent said the television, twenty percent voted for the stereo and fifteen percent selected the computer. It's highly unlikely that anyone could go one day without using one of the choices above. "I can live without the other choices, but I need my music! The computer is my second choice," said Genia Dean '03. Eight percent chose "other" for the invention they could not live without.

Each of these inventions are a big part of our daily lives. Meme Oates '02 said, "I have to be able to talk with my friends and family everyday. Without the phone I would be lost." The telephone *is* very important, but what about the leftover eight percent of votes going to the "other" category? What other inventions can teens not live without? Some suggestions offered were: Playstation, cars, video games, aiplanes, air conditioning, VCRs, etc. "What about light? Who could possibly live without that?" said LaTasha Turner '03. Good point! And finally, " I think deodorant is the best invention because if we didn't have it, there would be a lot of funky people in the world! I know I wouldn't talk to anybody if they didn't wear deodorant," said Rashawn Quinzy '02. What invention would you choose?

David Whitehead 10
Keri Whitlow 09
Cynthia Whittenberg 10
Adrienne Wiedmer 10
Jennifer Wier 09
Jonathan Wilde 10
Steven Wiles 09
Jasmine Wiley 09



Shawn Wilkins 11
Ashley Williams 11
Cody Williams 10
Cory Williams 09
Jerome Williams 09
Kelly Williams 10
Lauren Williams 10
Lawrence Williams 10



Ledaryll Williams 10
Michael Williams 11
Therese Willingham 10
Christina Willis 10
Julius Willis 10
Tyron Willis 09
Andrew Wilson 10
Brandon Wilson 11



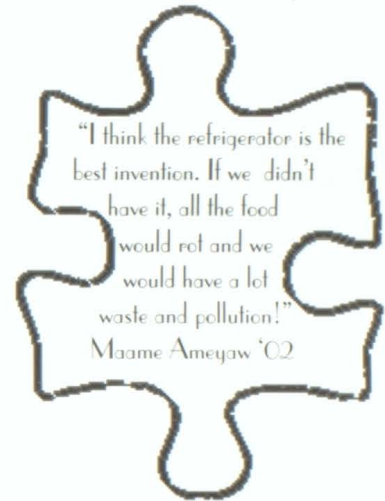


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Johnathon Wilson 10
Nijea Wilson 11
Patrick Wilson 09
Roy Wilson 09
Walter Wilson 11
Gregory Winans 11
Susan Winkle 09

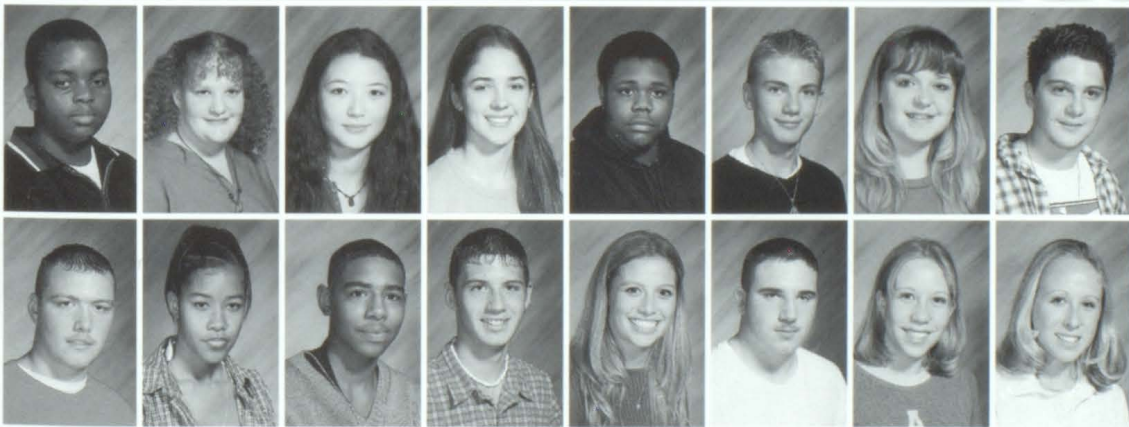
Adam Wirick 10
Jared Withrow 09
Joanna Withrow 11
Heather Witt 10
Nicholas Woodall 09
Travis Woods 09
James Woolf 11
Kathryn Wright 10



Typing towards the future! "I grew up using computers, if they were banished, I'd drop off the face of the Earth!" said Robbie Cureton '01 (left). Most of us wouldn't go that far, but we get the picture. Next to Cureton is Jasmine Frazier '01. Both girls are working very hard on their government project; a due date is steadily approaching. Like countless other LHS students, they're using the library computers to do so. By the look on their faces, they've got a long way to go.



"I think the refrigerator is the best invention. If we didn't have it, all the food would rot and we would have a lot waste and pollution!"
Maame Ameyaw '02



Marc Wyche' 09
Melissa Wylie 10
Marcia Wynne 10
Megan Wysocki 11
Sherman Yarbrough 11
Ryan Yargeau 09
Taylor Yates 09
Christopher Yonge 11

Anthony Young 11
Crystal Young 11
Joseph Young 11
Matthew Young 09
Suzette Young 09
Ryan Zahn 10
Jessica Zielinski 09
Kristina Zielinski 11

Not Pictured:

Melissa Arnold '04, Carrie Asher '02, Leslie Barry '04, Kyle Baseti '03, Jessica Beagle '04, Andrea Belcher '03, Richard Belisle '02, Amanda Bentley '02, Crystal Boggs '02, Issac Bolin '03, Jillian Brown '02 Brian Captain '04

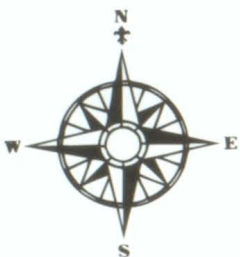
Derek Cichewicz '03, Gregory Collins '03, Chrystal Cowan '03, Ambur Croll '04, Ericka Cross '02, Jonathon Cruze '03, Scherell Dodson '04, Todd England '02, Ryan Franklin '02, Timothy Frisbee '02, Tracy Fryer '02, Melissa Garrett '02,

Brian Generazio '02, Christopher Gillum '04, Angela Gilmore '04, Stephanie Gobie '04, Jennifer Gutierrez '03, Shasta Guy '02, Robert Hamel '02, Jane Hammond '03, Jessica Hanink '04, Tiffany Hardiman '04, Rachel Hardiman '03,

I Will Survive...

Which Three Items Would You Bring with You on a Deserted Island?

By Timothy Penird '02



When you think of being on a deserted island, the first thing that possibly comes to mind is the hot sun beating down on your face, with no food or water and being all alone with no one to talk to (except maybe a beat-up volleyball named "Wilson" if you're Tom Hanks in *Cast Away*). Another thing that might come to mind is the television show that kept Americans of all ages glued to their TV sets Wednesday nights all last summer watching people of different ages, orientations and ethnic backgrounds duke it out on an island to see who is the biggest, the boldest, the baddest of them all...*the* "Survivor"! (For those who *do* live on a deserted island--Richard won Survivor I).

So, if *you* were trapped on a deserted island you surely would not want to stay there empty-handed. You would want to bring things that you use in everyday life, things that you just can't live without. Which three things would you bring on a deserted island? Suprisingly, not one Lincoln student said the television set. Some of the things people picked were lap top computers, cell phones, cd players and Mountain Dew.

Who would you want to be trapped on a deserted island with? A majority of students said that they would bring their girlfriend or boyfriend with them, but beating that out were celebrities such as Britney Spears, Carmen Electra and Justin Timberlake of *NSYNC. "Justin Timberlake is the hottest guy ever," said Heather Riggs '02.

Overall, as society moves into the age of technology and communication, we are increasingly unable to live without the tools which keep us connected to family and friends. Oh, and don't forget the Mountain Dew.

Richard Hill '03, Alec Houston '02, Steven Inch '04, Melissa Ivey '03, Niniah Jones '03, Nissan Jones '03, Bradley Jordan '02, Dimitar Karaytchev '02, Slava Karaytchev '02, Yvonne Kierczak '03, Julie Kordupel '02, Christopher Larson '02, Caitlin Lawson '03, Tiffany Lenderman '03, David Lewis '03, Nicholas Majeski '03, Tamika Mann '03, Alisha Maples '03, Bridgette

Marcell '03, Samuel McCormick '02, Matthew McCurdy '02, Lukas McParlan '04, Matthew Mercer '03, Natalie Mitchell '03, Brandon Neel '03, Anthony Nyberg '04, Emma Pagano '04, Joshua Pillinger '02, Rashawn Quinzy '02, Christopher Ramirez '02, David Randall '04, Lauren Roberts '02, Alica Sarr '04, Jonathon Schultz '03, Kenneth Seeley '03, Brandon Sewell '02, Jamie Shaner '02, Rachel Shankle '03, Robert Sims '03,

Jwan Smith '03, Sharmin Smith '03, Raechel Swanigan '02, Lauren Taylor '02, Ka'shania Thrower '02, Matthew Truax '03, Latoya Turner '04, Stephanie Turner '04, Brett VanWasshnova '03, Ian Waldron '02, Paul Wanty '02, Joesph Wetzel '02, Ronald Wilson '04, Danielle Wojtowicz '03, Lawrence Woodall II '04 and Gerald Woodard '03. *Apologies to anyone we may have missed!*

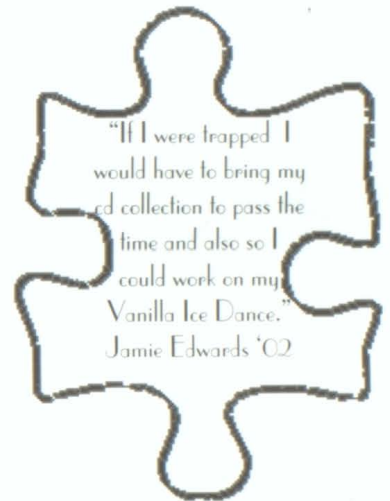
Faculty and Staff



Donna Beem
Genevieve Bertsoz
Beaty Bowman
Robyn Brezealy
Kerin Carlson
Sharolyn Dixon
Maureen Dunlop
Don Fillion



Telephones for all! Talking to her mom on a cell phone, like she might do if she were stranded on a deserted island is Jessica Cox '03. "One of the three things I would bring on a deserted island would be a cell phone so I can keep in touch with my friends and family. And also to call for help to get me the heck off that island!" Just like Cox, a majority of students chose cell phones as their number one choice as what they would bring if they were trapped on a deserted island.



"If I were trapped I would have to bring my cd collection to pass the time and also so I could work on my Vanilla Ice Dance."
Jamie Edwards '02



Colleen Foerster
Marsha Frank
Kariana Gonzales
Marge Gunther
Kyla Gurganus
Claudia Gutierrez
Carol Harris
Cindy Hill

Martin Jacobs
Leslie Kinder
Karen Lewis
Wanda Lewis
Darlene Markiewicz
Ron McCarty
Terri McManus
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Jessica Revord
Troy Seidel
Julia Sullivan
Kelli Taylor



In On the Action

Teachers Take an Active Part in Helping Students With After School Activities

By Heather Ringrose '02



Sponsoring a class is not something that is easy to do, but it can be a lot of fun and a great learning experience. "It's great working with students on more entertaining (at least most of them) projects. It allowed me to see another side of the students," said senior class sponsor, Ms. Cynthia Maxwell.

There are many reasons for becoming a class sponsor, but all who replied said that they wanted to more involved in the school and with the students. Junior class sponsor Mr. Ron McCarty said, "I had given up coaching and still wanted to be involved with extracurricular activities. I like watching kids take on more than they can handle, then helping them find ways to get through it."

Some of the responsibilities of being a class sponsor are: supervising the building of floats, fund raising, decorating halls, decorating walls, Prom and Graduation organization, class meetings, Homecoming and Cominghome organization and the senior class trip. All the sponsors who responded said they had enjoyed sponsoring their class.

This year's class sponsors were: Seniors - Ms. Diane Briggman and Ms. Maxwell; Juniors - Ms. Kerin Carlson and Mr. McCarty; Sophomores - Mrs. Cassandra Joseph and Ms. Karen Lewis; and Freshmen - Mr. Jonathan Follo.

"The best part of being a class sponsor had to be watching the sophomores make grown-up decisions. I would probably do it again, but it is somewhat time consuming, I have three children who are very involved at their own schools," said Lewis, a sophomore class sponsor.

Susan Thompson
Cheryl Waldenmyer
Renee Whitley
John Zrioka



Not Pictured:

David Andon, Donna Anuskiewicz, Debroah Arington, Michael Bargardi, Gayanne Bates, Kathy Betrus, Chris Boskay, Diane Briggman, Leslee Cassel-Bonilla, Jonathan Follo, Jamii Gilbert, Anitra Gordon, Cathy Huber, Cassandra Joesph, Edward Manning, Cynthia Maxwell, Joesph Nuzzo, Jan O'Leary, Kevin Reynolds, Jennifer Roberts, Michelle Shadwick, Daniel Stearn, Julia Sullivan, Gunther VanHorsen, Ann Walz, William Welch, Robert Westcott, Cindy Wilson.

The Finishing Touch. As the junior class finishes up their portion of the wall during Cominghome week, they take a second to chat with Ms. Carlson.



Taking Charge! Sponsors helped make the walls great. Here are the senior class sponsors, Ms. Maxwell and Ms. Briggman.

Administration

Mr. Al Widner

Current Position: Superintendent of Lincoln Consolidated Schools

Universities Attended and Degrees Earned: Michigan State University-- Educational Specialist in Education Administration; Western Michigan University -- Masters of Arts in Counseling and Personnel; Bachelor of Science in Physical Education and Speech.

Previous Positions Held: Superintendent of Concord Community and Dundee Community Schools; Principal at Concord High and Concord Middle Schools.

Dr. Sandra Harris

Current Position: Assistant Superintendent of Lincoln Consolidated Schools

Universities Attended and Degrees Earned: Eastern Michigan University-- Bachelors Degree in Buisness Education; Masters Degree in Guidance and Counseling; Educational Specialist Degree in Educational Leadership; Doctorate Degree in Educational Leadership.

Previous Positions Held: Director of Human Resources; Administrator of Human Resource Services; Assistant Director in Career Technology Education, Ann Arbor Public Schools; Assistant Principal and Vocational Coordinator, Pioneer High School; Buisness Education Teacher, Clague Intermediate School.



Ms. Wanda L. Lewis

Current position: Assistant Principal

Universities Attended and Degrees Earned: Eastern Michigan University--Bachelor of Science, Master of Arts, Specialist of Arts; Oakland University--Specialist Degree.

Previous Positions Held: Teacher, Eastern Michigan University; Ypsilanti Community Education; Teacher/Supervisor, Ypsilanti Public Schools; Guidance Counselor, Ypsilanti Adult and Community Education; Junior High School Counselor and Teacher, Forsythe Intermediate School, Ann Arbor; High School Counselor, Ferndale High School, Ferndale.



Mr. Lonnie Proffitt

Current Position: Principal of Lincoln High School

Universities Attended and Degrees Earned: Central Michigan University--Bachelors Degree in Education, and currently enrolled in Masters Program at Eastern Michigan University.

Previous Positions Held: Social Studies Teacher and Assistant Principal, Lincoln High School; Computer/Science/Social Studies Teacher, Lincoln Middle School and Bessie Hoffman Elementary.

Mr. J. Calvin White

Current Position: Assistant Principal of Lincoln High School

Universities Attended and Degrees Earned: Eastern Michigan University--Masters Degree in Educational Leadership and Bachelors Degree in Buisness Education and Marketing; Maintenance Officer's Basic Course, Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Maryland.

Previous Positions Held: Assistant Principal, Comstock High School; Business Teacher, Saginaw Township Heritage High School; At-Risk Teacher, Center for Occupational and Personalized Education; Environmental Services Supervisor, University of Michigan; Supply Sergeant/Fire Direction Chief, United States Army, Promotion from Captain to Major, United States Army.





R. Robinson



K. Allen



D. Rivers



J. Harris



J. Harris



J. Harris



J. Harris



J. Harris



A. Harris



A. Harris



J. Harris



C. Harris, J. Harris



C. Harris, A. Harris, J. Harris, S. Harris, M. Harris, C. Harris, B. Harris, J. Harris, M. Harris, J. Harris, M. Harris, M. Harris, J. Harris

Senior Directory

A
Mary (Molly) Adcock: Swimming: 9, 10, 11, 12, F Volleyball: 9, JV Volleyball: 10, Golf: 9, 10, 11, 12, NHS: 10, 11, 12, Cadet Teaching: 12, 6th Grade Camp: 11
Kymarie Allen: Cross Country: 10, 11, JV Soccer: 9, 10, V Soccer: 11, 12, Foreign Exchange: 10, 11, 12, Cadet Teaching: 12
Keith Allen: JV B-ball: 11, Track: 12, Symphonic Band: 10, Concert Band: 9, 11, 12, Marching Band: 9, 10, 11, 12, Pep Band: 9, 10, 11, 12, USO: 10, 11, 12
Jessica Alper: Cross Country: 9, 10, 11, 12, Track: 9, 10, Foreign Exchange: 10, 11, Newspaper: 11
Joshua Alper: JV Soccer: 10, V Soccer: 9, 11, 12, Swimming: 9, 10, 11, 12, Foreign Exchange: 10, 11, WLHS: 10, 12, Teacher's Aide: 12
Rachel Armstrong: Senior Ad Pg: 122 Teacher's Aide: 12

B
Mike Baker: RCTC: 10, 11, Co-op: 12
Dana Barnes: Senior Ad Pg: 125
Robert Barta: F Football: 9Jv, Football: 10, JV Baseball: 9, V, Baseball: 10, 11, 12, Wrestling: 9, 10, Coop: 12
Eniale Beachem: The Men of Lincoln: 9, 10, 11, 12, Student Council: 12, SADD: 12, Drama: 11, 12, USO: 9, 10, 11, 12, 6th Grade Camp: 11, 12, Teacher's Aide: 12, Office Aide: 10, Co-op: 12
Amanda Berry: Women's Chorus: 9, Concert Choir Women: 10, 11, 12, Split Dimensions: 12, Drama: 9, 12
Elizabeth Bell: Concert Choir: 9, 10, 11, 12, NHS: 11, 12, Student Council: 10, 11, 12, Drama: 9, 10, 11, 12, USO: 11, 12
Christopher Bielak: Lacrosse: 11, 12, Swimming: 9, 10, 11, 12, NHS: 10, 11, 12, Student Council: 12, WLHS: 12
Eric Bobak: Lacrosse: 11, 12, Cross Country: 9, 10, V. Soccer: 11, 12

Swimming: 9, 10, Track: 9, WLHS: 12, Talent Show: 9
Amberly Bowman: Women's Chorus: 9, 10, 11, 12
Thomas Bradner: F Football: 9, JV Football: 10, Newspaper: 10, Student Council: 9, Cadet Teaching: 12, Co-op: 12
Jason Branham: Jazz Band: 11, 12, Symphonic Band: 9, 10, 11, 12, Marching Band: 9, 10, 11, 12, Pep Band: 9, 10, 11, 12, NHS: 10, 11, 12, Student Council: 9, 10, 11, 12, Foreign Exchange: 11, Drama: 9, 10, 11, 12, Class Rep: 9, 10
Lysa Bredeweg: Symphonic Band: 9, 10, 11, 12, Marching Band: 9, 10, 11, 12, Pep Band: 9, 10, 11, 12
Ben Brewer: F B-ball: 9, Co-op: 12
Aaron Brewer: Senior Ad Pg: 121
Kevin Brunell: Senior Ad Pg: 135 Foreign Exchange: 9, 10, 11, 12, Drama: 9, 10, 11, USO: 10, WLHS: 11, Yearbook: 12, Talent Show: 11, 6th Grade Camp: 11
Noah Bukis: F B-ball: 9, JV B-ball: 10, Cross Country: 9, 10, 11, 12, Track: 9, 10, 11, 12, WLHS: 12, Teacher's Aide: 12
Kelly Burba: F B-ball: 9, JV B-ball: 10, V B-ball: 11, 12, V Soccer: 9, 10, 11, 12, Jazz Band: 11, Concert Band: 9, Symphonic Band: 10, 11, 12, Marching Band: 9, 10, 11, 12, Pep Band: 9, 10, 11, 12, NHS: 10, 11, 12, Teachers Aide: 11
Jeffery Burden: Drama: 10, 11, 12, WLHS: 12, Cadet Teaching: 11, 12, Talent Show: 11, 12
Lauren Burdette: Senior Ad Pg: 122 NHS: 11, Foreign Exchange: 9, 10, 11, Drama: 11 Cadet Teaching: 12, 6th Grade Camp: 12
Lisa Burdette: F B-ball: 9, Track: 9, SADD: 10, 11, RCTC: 12
Robyn Burns: Concert Band: 9, Marching Band: 9, Foreign Exchange: 9, 10, RCTC: 10, 11
Benjamin Burrell: RCTC: 10, 11
Theresa Burris: Track: 11, USO: 9, 10,

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Shane Cantrell: Foreign Exchange: 9, 10, Teachers Aide: 12, Library Aide: 11, Co-op: 12
Shannon Carni: Fall Cheerleading: 12, Winter Cheerleading 12, Concert Choir Women: 11, 12
Shannan Carpenter: Senior Ad Pg: 131 RCTC: 12, Women's Chorus: 9, 10, Teacher's Aide: 12
Keiyana Chambers: Concert Choir: 9, Women's Chorus: 10
Nicole Charboneau: Cross Country: 12, JV Soccer: 11, Class Secretary: 12, Teacher's Aide: 12
Bethany Cordle: Golf: 10, Women's Chorus: 11, Foreign Exchange: 10, 11, Newspaper: 11, Teacher's Aide: 11, Library Aide: 10, Co-op: 12
Lisa Cornett: Senior Ad Pg: 134 SADD: 10, RCTC: 11, 12
Alexis Correa: Cross Country: 11, 12, Jazz Band: 11, Symphonic Band: 11, 12, Concert Band: 9, 10, Marching Band: 9, 10, 11, 12, Pep Band: 9, 10, 11, 12, Drama: 12
Rebecca Crews: Cross Country: 10, 12, NHS: 11, 12, Student Council: 12, SADD: 9, Foreign Exchange: 9, 10, 11, Drama: 9, 10, 11, 12, Class Rep: 12, Talent Show: 10, 11
Robbie Cureton: RCTC: 12
Adam Czaeneccki: Drama: 10, 11, 12, Newspaper: 11, 12, Cadet Teaching: 12
D
Tiffany Davis: RCTC: 12
Greg Deardurff: F Football: 9, JV Football: 10, V Football: 11, Concert Band: 9, Marching Band: 9, Wrestling: 9, 10, 11, 12, Newspaper: 12
Anna DeJesus: Symphonic Band: 10, 11, 12, Concert Band: 9, Marching Band: 9, 10, 11, 12, Pep Band: 9, 10, 11, 12, NHS: 12, 6th Grade Camp: 12, Teacher's Aide: 12
Anthony Dewalt: Lacrosse: 11, 12 JV Baseball: 9, Yearbook: 11, Teacher's Aide: 11, Co-op: 12



J. Jackson



K. McCune



K. Hamlin, J. Bristol, K. Russell, J. Baskette



J. Foster

Steven Diehlman: Lacrosse: 11, 12, V Soccer: 9, 10, 11, 12, Jazz Band: 11, Symphonic Band: 10, 11, 12, Concert Band: 9, Marching Band: 9, 10, 11, 12, Pep Band: 9, 10, 11, 12, Foreign Exchange: 11, WLHS: 12, Talent Show: 12
Stephine Dougherty: Cross Country: 9, 10, 11, 12, F Volleyball: 9, JV Volleyball: 10, V Volleyball: 11, 12, JV Soccer: 9, 10, V Soccer: 11, 12 Class Rep: 9, 10, 11, 12
Daniel Douglas: F Football: 9, JV Football: 10, V Football: 11, Track: 9, 10, 12, Wrestling: 9, 10, 11, 12, Drama: 9, 10, 11, 12, WLHS: 12, Cadet Teaching: 12, Class Rep: 9, Talent Show: 9, 10, 11, 12

E

Elizabeth Eberbach: Drama: 11, Concert Choir: 9, 10, 11, 12, Split Dimensions: 11, 12
Kerry Edwards: Senior Ad Pg: 135
 F B-ball: 9, JV B-ball: 10, Concert Choir: 9, 10, 11, 12, Split Dimensions: 10, 11, 12, Co-op: 12
Evan Eldred: RCTC: 12, 6th Grade Camp: 12, Library Aide: 10
Ginny Elrod: Symphonic Band: 11, 12, Concert Band: 9, 10, Marching Band: 9, 10
Ezequiel Enriquez: V Soccer: 9, 10, 11, 12, Foreign Exchange: 9, 10, 11, 12
Justin Ernest: Track: 10, Talent Show: 12

F

Steven Fifield: Cross Country: 9, Golf: 10, The Men of Lincoln: 11, 12, SADD: 9, 10, Drama: 9, 10, 11, 12, WLHS: 12, 6th Grade Camp: 12
Matt Foster: F Football: 9, F B-ball: 9, JV B-ball: 10, Track: 9, 10
Jasmine Frazier: JV B-ball: 10, USO: 10, 11, RCTC: 12
Connie Fullerton: JV B-ball: 9, V B-ball: 10, 11, 12, F Volleyball: 9, JV Volleyball: 10, V Volleyball: 11, 12, Track: 9, 10, NHS: 10, 11, 12, Newspaper: 12, WLHS: 12

G

Shannon Gagnon: Drama: 9, 10, 11, Women's Chorus: 9, Talent Show: 9, 10, 11, 6th Grade Camp: 12, Teacher's Aide: 12
Rochelle Gobie: Co-op: 12
Tiffany Godsey: Fall Cheerleading: 10, 11, 12, Winter Cheerleading: 10, 11, 12, JV Softball: 9, 10, V Softball: 11, 12, Women's Chorus: 9, Concert Choir Women: 10, 11, Split Dimensions: 11, Cadet Teaching: 12, Office Aide: 11

Kevin Griffin: Senior Ad Pg: 122
Christopher Gupton: JV Football: 10, JV B-ball: 9, V B-ball: 10, 11, 12, Track: 9, 10, NHS: 10, 11, USO: 12, WLHS: 12
Scott Guthrie: F B-ball: 9, JV Boys B-ball: 10, V B-ball: 11, 12, Track: 9, 10, 11, 12, Library Aide: 11, Co-op: 12

H

Sandra Haddad: Office Aide: 12
Jeremy Hall: F Football: 9, JV Football: 10, V Football: 11, 12, V Baseball: 10, 11 Co-op: 12
Kevin Hamlin: Senior Ad Pg: 131
 V Soccer: 9, 10, 11, Swimming: 10, Track: 10, The Men of Lincoln: 9, 10, 11, 12, Foreign Exchange: 9, 10, WLHS: 9, 12, Cadet Teaching: 12, 6th Grade Camp: 12
Amber Harris: Senior Ad Pg: 127
 F B-ball: 9, JV B-ball: 10, 11, V B-ball: 12, V Softball: 9, 10, 11, 12, Yearbook: 12
Chad Harwood: Senior Ad Pg: 120
 V Soccer: 9, 10, 11, 12, Swimming: 9, 10, Track: 9, 10, 11, 12, NHS: 10, 11, 12, Class Vice Pres.: 12, Class Rep: 10
Julie Hayes: F B-ball: 9, F Volleyball: 9, Women's Chorus: 9, 10, Co-op: 12
Christina Heath: V Soccer 11, 12, Teacher's Aide: 12
Aids Henderson: Cross Country: 9, 10, 11, 12, Track: 9, NHS: 12, Newspaper: 11, 12, Teacher's Aide: 11, 12, Co-op: 12
Dante Herron: Swimming: 12, The Men of Lincoln: 11, 12, NHS: 10, 11, Drama: 9, 10, 11, 12, 6th Grade Camp: 12, Teacher's Aide: 11
Amanda Higgins: Women's Chorus: 9, 10, RCTC: 12

J

Jennifer Higgs: Senior Ad Pg: 137, 6th grade camp: 12, Cadet Teaching: 12
Nicole Hook: SADD: 11, 12, Cadet Teaching: 12, Co-op: 12
Eric Houston: F B-ball: 10, JV B-ball: 10, Talent Show: 9, 10, 12, 6th Grade Camp: 12

J

Jessica Jackson: Fall Cheerleading: 12, Winter Cheerleading: 12, Concert Choir Women: 9, 10, 11, Split Dimensions: 11, Co-op: 12
Angelica Johnson: Women's Chorus: 9, Concert Choir: 9, 10, 11, 12, Split Dimensions: 9, 10, 11, 12, NHS: 11, 12, Student Council: 12, SADD: 12, Drama: 10, USO: 9, 10, 11, 12, Talent Show: 9, 10
Michael Johnson: F Football: 9, JV Football: 10, V Football: 11, 12, Co-op: 12

Paul Jolly: Co-op: 12
Naniah Jones: RCTC: 11, 12, Co-op: 11

K

Joyce Kenville: Winter Cheerleading: 10, Symphonic Band: 12, Marching Band: 12, Pep Band: 12, Cadet Teaching: 12
Kathryn King: JV Soccer: 9, 10, 11, V Soccer: 12, Symphonic Band: 11, 12, Concert Band: 9, 10, Pep Band: 9, 10, 11, 12
Aimee Kolesar: Senior Ad Pg: 138
 Women's Chorus: 9, Concert Choir Women: 10, 11, 12, Teacher's Aide: 12
Stacey Kotlarczyk: Fall Cheerleading 9, Winter Cheerleading: 9, JV Softball: 9, Newspaper: 12, Cadet Teaching: 11
Steven Kovalak: F Football: 9, JV Football: 10, V Football: 11, 12, Wrestling: 9, 10, 12
Brandon Kwiatkowski: SADD: 9, RCTC: 11

L

Laura Lambe: Women's Chorus: 9, 10, 11, Concert Choir Women: 12
Emily Lambert: F B-ball: 9, JV B-ball: 10, V B-ball: 11, V Soccer: 9, 10, 11, 12, Jazz Band: 11, Symphonic Band: 10, 11, 12, Concert Band: 9, Marching Band: 9, 10, 11, 12, Pep Band: 9, 10, 11, 12, NHS: 10, 11, 12
Race Lamkin: Hockey: 9, 10, 11, Lacrosse: 11, Yearbook: 11, Co-op: 12
Elizabeth Lanctot: Senior Ad Pg: 135
 Yearbook: 11, Teacher's Aide: 12
Melissa Landry: Fall Cheerleading: 9, 10, Winter Cheerleading: 9, 10, SADD: 9, Foreign Exchange: 9, Yearbook: 11, Cadet Teaching: 12, Class Rep: 9, 6th Grade Camp: 12
Michael Larvadain: JV Baseball: 11, RCTC: 10, 11
Katie Lay: Co-op: 12
Daniel Lavery: Lacrosse: 11, 12, JV Soccer: 10, V Soccer: 11, 12, Foreign Exchange: 10, Cadet Teaching: 12, 6th Grade Camp: 12
Daniel Lewis: RCTC: 11, 12
Nathan Looze: Cross Country: 10, 11, 12, V Soccer: 9, NHS: 10, 11, 12, Track: 9, 10, 11, 12

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J. Kovalak

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J. Hill



M. Simon, J. Smith



J. Adams, J. Smith, J. Hays



M. Hill



M. Smith

Tara Lore: Senior Ad Pg: 121
 JV B-ball: 9, V B-ball: 10, 11, 12, F.
 Volleyball: 9, V Soccer: 12, Track: 9, 10,
 11, Student Council: 9, 10, Newspaper:
 12, Teacher's Aide: 11, 12
Roland Lynn: F Football: 9, JV Football:
 10, V Football: 11, 12, F B-ball: 9, JV B-
 ball: 10, V B-ball: 12, Track: 9, 10

M

James Mack: Lacrosse: 11, 12, V. Soccer:
 10, 11, 12, Co-op: 12
Lisa Martin: F Volleyball: 9, Concert Band:
 9, 10, 11, Marching Band: 9, 10, 11, Pep
 Band: 9, 10, 11, RCTC: 12, Teacher's
 Aide: 12
Samantha Massey: RCTC: 12
Amanda Mate: Golf: 10, 11, 12, Teacher's
 Aide: 12
Samantha Mayville: Senior Ad Pg: 137
 Equestrian: 11, 12, Concert Choir
 Women: 9, 10, 11, 12, Split Dimensions:
 10, NHS: 10, 11, 12, Student Council: 10,
 11, 12, Drama: 9, 10, 11, 12
Melinda McNulty: Senior Ad Pg: 136
 RCTC: 11, 12
Kelly McCue: Cross Country: 9, 10, 11, JV
 Soccer: 9, V Soccer: 10, 11, 12, Foreign
 Exchange: 10, 11
Gary (Jake) McKenzie: RCTC: 10, 11, 12
Sherry McLemore: Women's Chorus: 10,
 USO: 10, 11, 12, 6th Grade Camp: 11,
 Co-op: 12
Alana Mellinger: Drama: 11
Nicholas Merkel: Senior Ad Pg: 134
 V Soccer: 9, 10, 11, 12, Track: 10, 11,
 12, NHS: 10, 11, 12, WLHS: 11, 6th
 Grade Camp: 11, 12
Sean Middleditch: Drama: 10, 11
Kelly Morawski: JV B-ball: 9, V B-ball: 10,
 11, 12, F Volleyball: 9, JV Volleyball: 10,
 V Volleyball: 11, 12, JV Softball: 9, 10, V.
 Softball: 11, 12
 Foreign Exchange: 9, 10, 11, 12, WLHS:
 12, Co-op: 12
Alex Motts: Hockey: 9, 10, 11, 12,
 Lacrosse: 11, 12, Wrestling: 9, Talent
 Show: 12

N

Steven Napier: The Men of Lincoln: 12,
 Drama: 9, Cadet Teaching: 12,
 6th Grade Camp: 11, 12, Teacher's Aide:
 12, Office Aide: 12, Library Aide: 12

Sarah Navin: Student Council: 11, Drama:
 9, Newspaper: 10, Class Vice President
 10, Class Rep: 11, Library Aide: 12
Emily Nichols: Senior Ad Pg: 130 F B-ball:
 9, JV B-ball 10, 11, Cross Country: 12, JV
 Soccer: 9, V Soccer: 10, 11, 12, Concert
 Band: 9, 10, 11, 12, Marching Band: 9,
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 NHS: 10, 11, Yearbook: 11, 12, Cadet
 Teaching: 12, 6th Grade Camp: 12,
 Teacher's Aide: 12
Amanda Nitz: Concert Band: 9, 10, 11,
 Marching Band: 9, 10, 11, Pep Band: 9,
 10, 11, Cadet Teaching: 12
Lonnie Norris: RCTC: 11, 12, Office Aide:
 10

O

Robert Ostrowski: Senior Ad Pg: 139

P

Daniel Panzer: Lacrosse: 11, 12, V.
 Soccer: 9, 10, 11, 12, Yearbook: 11, 12,
 Co-op: 12
Kimberly Parker: Concert Band: 9, 10, 11,
 Marching Band: 9, 10, 11, Pep Band: 9,
 10, 11, Co-op: 12
Danaya Peterson: Drama: 10, Yearbook:
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Stephanie Peterson: Senior Ad Pg:
 125 Women's Chorus: 10, SADD: 11,
 Drama: 9, 10, 11, 12, Cadet Teaching: 12,
 Talent Show: 10, 11, 12, 6th Grade Camp:
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Laura Petsch: Concert Band: 9, RCTC: 11,
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Aaron Pilotte: Wrestling: 12, Co-op: 12
Jill Pinter: Senior Ad Pg: 122 F B-ball: 9,
 JV B-ball: 10, Golf: 9, 10, 11, 12, NHS: 10,
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 11, Teacher's Aide: 11, 12
Linsey Pinter: Senior Ad Pg: 127 Fall
 Cheerleading: 11, 12, Winter Cheer-
 leading: 11, 12, F Volleyball: 9, JV
 Volleyball: 10, JV Softball: 10, V Softball:
 10, 11, 12, Track: 9, SADD: 11, 12,
 Drama: 9, WLHS: 9, 12, Cadet Teaching:
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 Secretary: 11
Jill Pluciniczak: Senior Ad Pg: 132 F B-
 ball: 9, JV B-ball: 10, 11, Swimming: 12, F
 Volleyball: 9, JV Volleyball: 10, JV Softball:
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Andrew Poole: Senior Ad Pg: 138 JV
 Soccer: 10, V Soccer: 9, 11, 12, NHS:
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Laura Portera: Senior Ad Pg: 129
 Fall Cheerleading: 9, 10, 11, 12,
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Q

Laura Quashine: F Volleyball: 9, JV.
 Volleyball: 10, JV Softball: 9, 10, V.
 Softball: 11, Symphonic Band: 9, 10,
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 Pep Band: 9, 10, 11, 12, NHS: 10, 11,
 12, Foreign Exchange: 9, 10

R

Henrik Rang: Track: 12, Foreign
 Exchange: 12, Library Aide: 12
Charles Reed: JV Football: 10, V.
 Football: 11, 12, JV B-ball: 10, V B-
 ball: 10, 11, 12, Track: 10
Candace Reynolds: SADD: 9, 10, 11,
 12, Foreign Exchange: 9, 10, 11, 12,
 Drama: 9, 10, 11, 12, USO: 9, 10, 11,
 12, WLHS: 11, Cadet Teaching: 10, 11,
 Talent Show: 9, 10, 11, 12
Robert Robinette: Senior Ad Pg: 121
 F Football: 9, JV Football: 10, V
 Football: 11, 12, Track: 10, Wrestling:
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David Rolls: Senior Ad Pg: 125
 Foreign Exchange: 9, 10, 11, 12, 6th
 Grade Camp: 12
Ryan Rose: F Football: 9, RCTC: 11,
 Co-op: 12
Julie Rozell: RCTC: 12, Library Aide: 12
Rudy Ruffer: WLHS: 12, Cadet
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Maceo Russell: USO: 10, 11, RCTC: 10,
 Talent Show: 11, Co-op: 12

S

Tia Salajan: JV Soccer: 9, 10, 11,
 Cadet Teaching: 12, Teacher's Aide:
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Julie Schaller: F B-ball: 9, F Volleyball:
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 Concert Band: 9, 10, Symphonic Band:
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 Band: 9, 10, 11, 6th Grade Camp: 12,
 Teacher's Aide: 11, Co-op: 12



A. Thompson



A. Corino



K. Allen



C. Keith



G. Dochow



K. Edwards



R. French, K. King, C. Heath, K. McCann, T. Lane, K. Barber, J. Dougherty, C. Nichols, C. Johnson, K. Allen, C. Lambson



R. Kitcher

Stephanie Schrock: Women's Chorus: 9, 11, 12, Co-op: 12
Adam Schrock: Wrestling: 11, 12, RCTC: 11, 12
Staci Schubert: Fall Cheerleading: 9, 11, Winter Cheerleading: 9, 11, JV Softball: 9, 10, 12, Women's Chorus: 9, 10, Student Council: 9, 11, Foreign Exchange: 10, Drama: 9, USO: 9, 10, Yearbook: 11, 12, Cadet Teaching: 11, Class Secretary: 9, Class Rep: 11, Co-op: 12
Lonnie Scott: Senior Ad Pg: 124 The Men of Lincoln: 9, 10, 11, 12, NHS: 10, 11, 12, SADD: 9, Drama: 9, 10, 11, 12, WLHS: 9, Class President: 10, 11, 12, Class Rep: 9, Talent Show: 12, 6th Grade Camp: 11, 12
Patrick Smith: Senior Ad Pg: 129 Lacrosse: 11, 12, JV Soccer: 10, V Soccer: 9, 11, 12, Swimming: 9, 10, 11, Foreign Exchange: 11, WLHS: 12, 6th Grade Camp: 12
Justin Soest: Hockey: 10, 11, Co-op: 12
Kelly Stange: Senior Ad Pg: 126 WLHS: 10, Teacher's Aide: 11, 12, 6th Grade Camp: 11, Talent Show: 9
Gail Stec: Cross Country: 9, 10, 11, 12, F. Volleyball: 9, JV Volleyball: 10, Track: 9, 10, 11, 12, NHS: 10, 11, 12, Newspaper: 11, WLHS: 12, Teacher's Aide: 12

T

Bob Tackett: JV Football: 10, V Football: 11, 12, RCTC: 11, 12
Adam Thompson: RCTC: 10
Amanda Thompson: Senior Ad Pg: 123 Track: 9, 10, 11, 12, Foreign Exchange: 12, Yearbook: 11, 12, Co-op: 12
William Tutor: The Men of Lincoln: 9, 10, 11, 12, Library Aide: 12

V

Eirik Vitso: Senior Ad Pg: 137 V Soccer: 9, 10, 11, 12, Track: 11, 12
Rachel Vonck: F B-ball: 9, Cross Country: 10, 11, 12, JV Soccer: 9, 10, V Soccer: 11, 12, Symphonic Band: 9, 10, 11, 12, Marching Band: 9, 10, 11, 12, Pep Band: 9, 10, 11, 12, NHS: 10, 11, 12

W

Brian Wade: WLHS: 12, Co-op: 12
Mamie Waller: RCTC: 12
Shawn Washington: JV Football: 10, V. Football: 11, 12

Joseph Weber: Senior Ad Pg: 9, 10, 11, 12, Symphonic Band: 12, Concert Band: 9, 10, 11, 12, Marching Band: 9, 10, 11, Pep Band: 9, 10, 11
Breah Whitlow: Senior Ad Pg: 134 F Volleyball: 9, JV Volleyball: 10, V. Volleyball: 11, 12, Symphonic Band: 10, 11, 12, Concert Band: 9, Marching Band: 9, 10, 11, 12, Concert Choir Women: 10, 11, 12, Split Dimensions: 10, 11, 12, Student Council: 12, USO: 9, 10, 11, 12, 6th Grade Camp: 12
Greg Wier: Senior Ad Pg: 133 Yearbook: 11, Ski Club: 10, RCTC: 11, Co-op: 12
Jason Williams: V Soccer: 9, 10, 11, 12, Track: 9, 10, 11, 12, Student Council: 9, 10, 11, 12, Drama: 11, 12, Foreign Exchange: 9, 10, Class Secretary: 12, Class Rep: 9, 10, 11
Miriam Williams: Concert Band: 9, 10, Marching Band: 9, 10, Pep Band: 9, 10, RCTC: 12
William Wilson: Golf: 9, 10, 11, 12, JV Baseball: 10, NHS: 10, 11, 12, RCTC: 12
Mathew Witt: Senior Ad Pg: 128 Lacrosse: 11, 12, F Football: 9, JV Football: 10, V Football: 11, 12, Swimming: 9, JV Baseball: 9, 10, Foreign Exchange: 11, Ski Club: 10, 11
Brian Woods: Library Aide: 12
John Woolf: Teacher's Aide: 11

Y

Ryan Yoakam: Concert Band: 11, 12, Marching Band: 11, 12, Pep Band: 11, 12, RCTC: 12

Z

Michael Zeoli: V Soccer: 9, NHS: 12, Drama: 10, 11, 12, WLHS: 12, Talent Show: 11, 12, 6th Grade Camp: 11, 12, Teacher's Aide: 11

The Road Not Taken
by Robert Frost

Two roads diverged in a yellow wood,
 And sorry I could not travel both
 And be one traveler, long I stood
 And looked down one as far I could
 To where it bent in the undergrowth;

Then took the other, as just as fair,
 And having perhaps the better claim,
 Because it was grassy and wanted wear;
 Though as for that the passing there
 Had worn them really about the same,

And both that morning equally lay
 In leaves no step had trodden black.
 Oh, I kept the first for another day!
 Yet knowing how way leads on to way,
 I doubted if I should ever come back.

I shall be telling this with a sigh
 Somewhere ages and ages hence:
 Two roads diverged in a wood, and I—
 I took the one less traveled by,
 And that has made all the difference.

-1916

Senior Directory by
Emily Nichols '01,
Co-Editor



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J. Smith



S. Spitzer

S. Suggs, B. Swartz

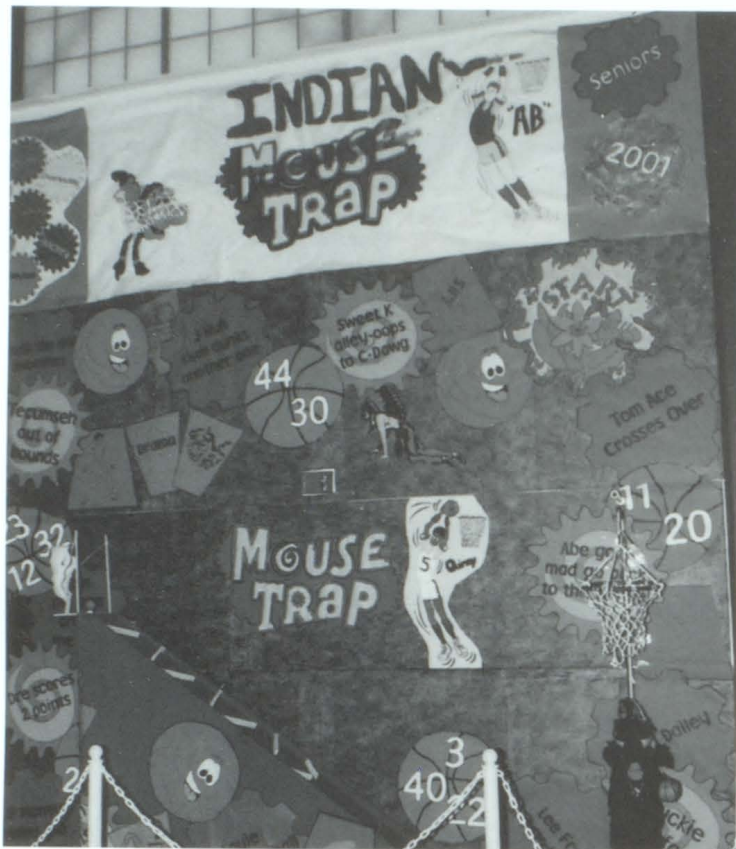
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M. School, J. Santos



Deck the wall with senior spirit! New for Cominghome this year, students decorated a wall by the gym. This year's theme was board games. Seniors came in first place with their version of "Mouse Trap".



Tears of joy. Breah Whitlow '01 was crowned Homecoming Queen. Celebrating her Homecoming win, Whitlow hugs Dolly Aduroja '01. She was crowned during the halftime festivities at the Homecoming game.

A lasting moment. Stephanie Peterson '01, Candace Reynolds '01 and Alex Motts '01 come together to make their last Homecoming Pep Assembly one to remember.

A BRIDGE TO OUR FUTURE



Seniors! Seniors live up to their name. Spreading "Senioritis" throughout the gymnasium during the Homecoming Pep Assembly. Seniors came in first place against the underclassmen.



One, two, three...PULL! Determination is on this senior's face to pull the sophomores out of the game. Jillian Faitel '01 participates in tug-o'-war during the Cominghome Pep Assembly.

Seniors

Everyone looks forward to their senior year; it is a year of respect and honor. It's an ending and a new beginning. We are finally seniors and we won't let anyone forget it.

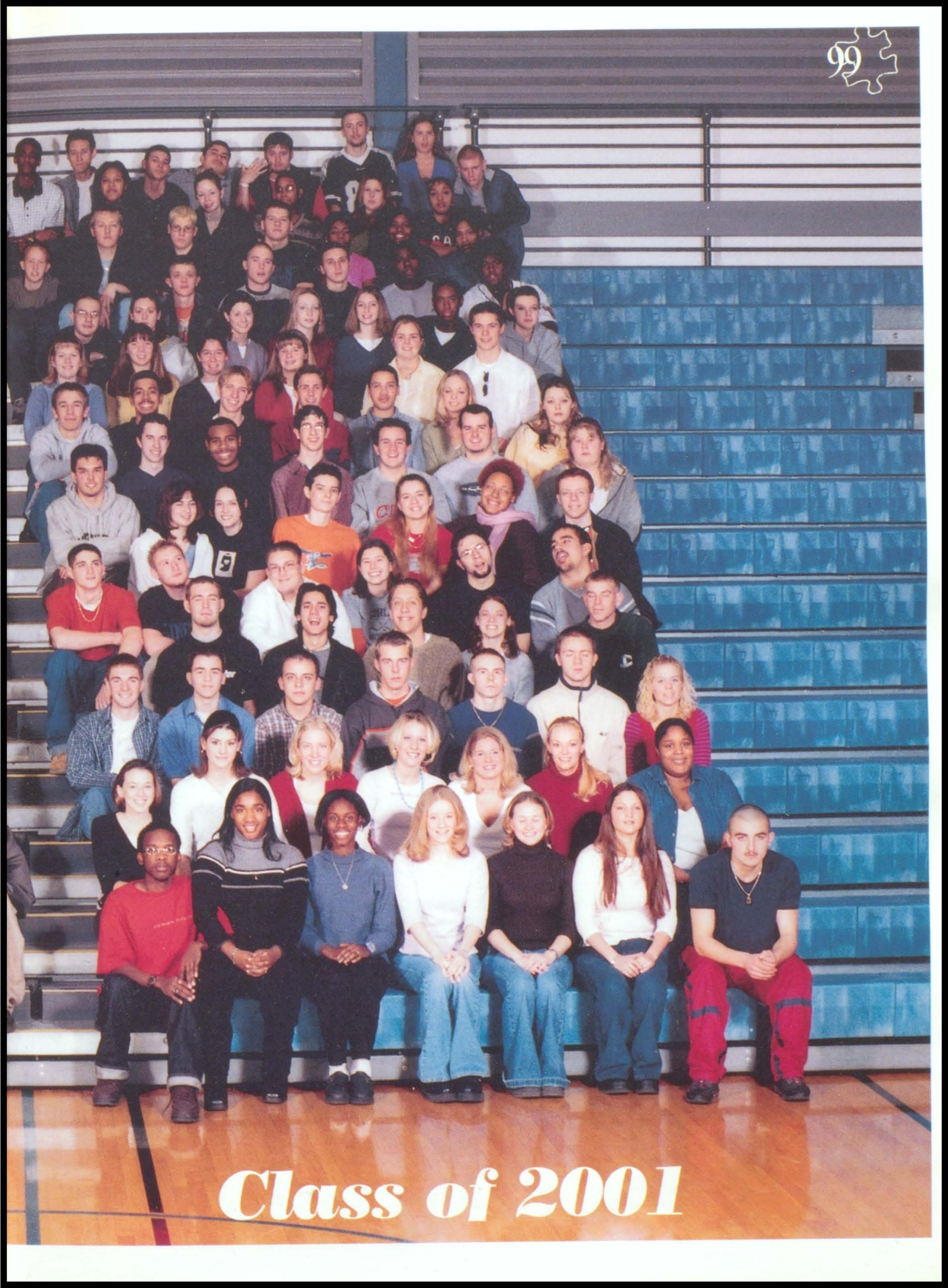
Despite our excitement at the advent of graduation, we can't forget how far we have come in the past four years. The memories we have will last us a lifetime. Now we go forth to face the challenge of a new independence, a new life and a promising future.

Congratulations Class of 2001!

By Emily Nichols '01

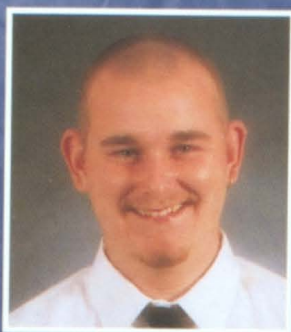


Congratulations



Class of 2001

Class of 2001: Adams - Beachem



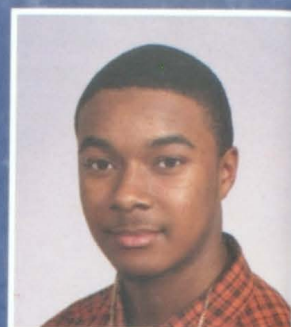
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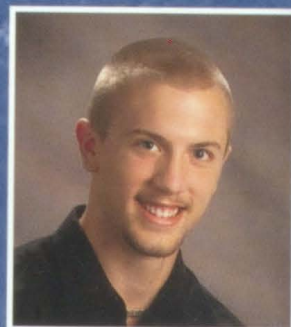
"When one door closes, another opens. But so often we look so long and so regretfully upon the closed door that we do not see the ones which open for us."
-Stephen Napier

From Adam Czarnecki:
"I guess I could be pretty depressed about everything that's happened over the past few years. But it's hard to stay mad when there is so much beauty in the world."

-Kevin Spacey, in the movie *American Beauty*

From Rachel Vonck:
"Who knows where thoughts come from? They just appear."
-Empire Records

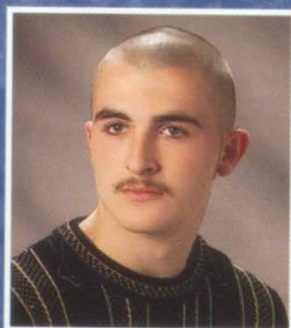
"When I was here, I often wished that I wasn't. Now that I can't be, I often wish that I would have."
-Justin Ernest



*Michael
Baker*



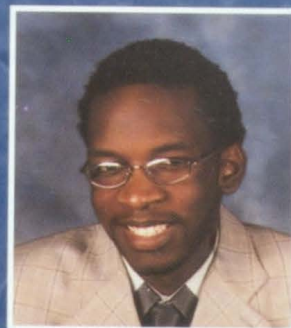
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Class of 2001: Bell - Bukowski



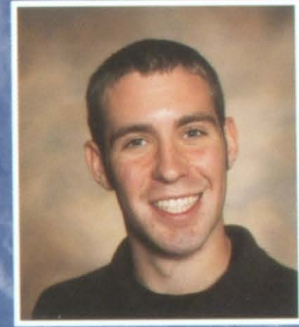
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Berry*



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Bielak*



*Eric
Bobak*



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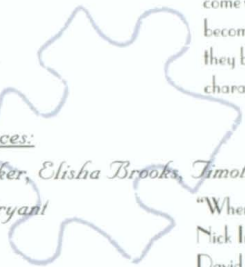
From Candace Reynolds:
"You only live once, so live
for yourself, not everyone else.
You were born into a mind of
your own for one reason only...
to think for yourself."

-Unknown

Missing Pieces:

*Nicole Booker, Elisha Brooks, Timothy Browning,
Brittany Bryant*

"Do 'em dirty!"
(Cross Country saying)
-Noah Bukis



From Charles Reed:
"Watch your thoughts they be-
come words, watch your words they
become actions, watch your actions
they become character, watch your
character, it becomes destiny."

- Unknown

"When we won the 700 free relay,
Nick Ingrao, Jon Leonard,
David Cain and I started
rappin' Country Grammar."
-Joshua Alper



*Thomas
Bradner*



*Jason
Branham*



*Lysa
Bredeweg*



*Aaron
Brewer*



*Ben
Brewer*



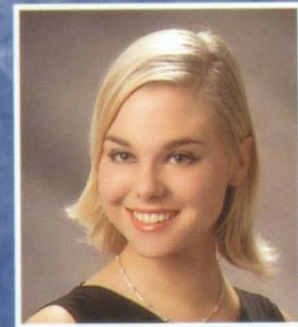
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Brinks*



*Kevin
Brunell*



*Noah
Bukis*



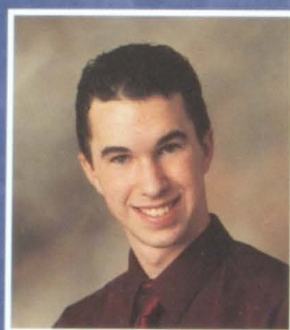
*Luzanna
Bukowski*



Class of 2001: Burba - Crews



*Kelly
Burba*



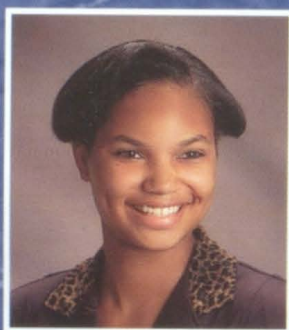
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Burden*



*Lauren
Burdette*



*Lisa
Burdette*



*Robyn
Burns*



*Benjamin
Burrell*



*Theresa
Burris*



*Laquandra
Cain*



*Shannon
Carni*

"My time at Lincoln has been great. I'm very happy that I had the chance to accumulate the friends that I have and the skills that I have gained. Goodbye Lincoln High."
-Eniale Bechem

Missing Pieces

Shane Cantrell, Bethany Cordle

"It is no small thing to be who you are, instead of who the world wants you to be. It is no small thing."
-Kevin Hamlin

From Amberly Bowman:
"If you want to be somebody and if you want to go somewhere you better wake up and pay attention."
- From the movie *Sister Act*

From Daniel Holland:
"Success usually comes to those who are too busy to be looking for it."
-Steven Napier



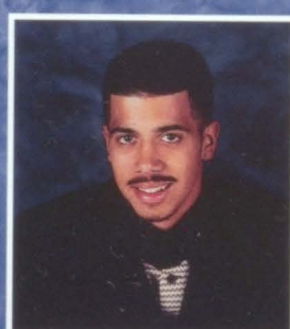
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Carpenter*



*Nicole
Charboneau*



*Lisa
Cornett*



*Alexis
Correa*



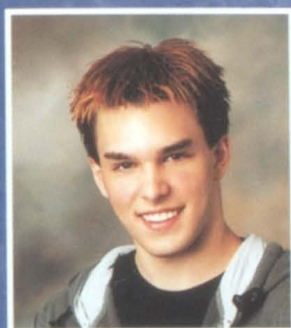
*Rebecca
Crews*



Class of 2001: Cromwell - Faitel



*Jason
Cromwell*



*Adam
Czarnecki*



*Tiffany
Davis*



*Anna
Dejesus*



*Anthony
Dewalt*

"Even though life is a mystery,
know this: there is good in all things."
-Kelly Stange

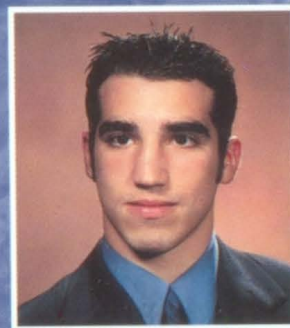
"If you want something said, ask a
man, if you want something done,
ask a woman."
-Molly Adcock

Missing Pieces:

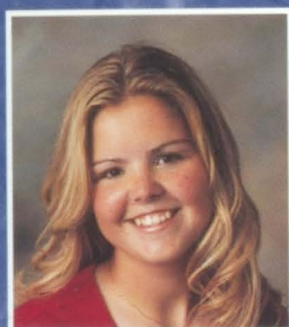
*John Dalton, Gregory Deardurff, Steven Diehlman,
Alfred Dorsey Jr., Justin Ernest, Leticia Espinosa,*

From Jason Williams:
"I do not regret the things I have
done, only the things that I have
not done."
-Roosevelt

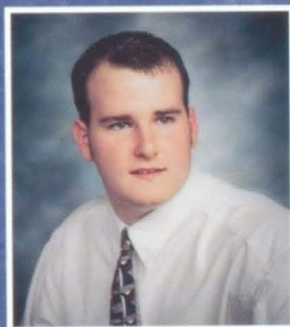
From Steven Kovalak:
"Without struggle there is no suc-
cess."
-Frederick Douglass



*Gregory
Dochyeh*



*Stephine
Dougherty*



*Daniel
Douglas*



*Elizabeth
Eberbach*



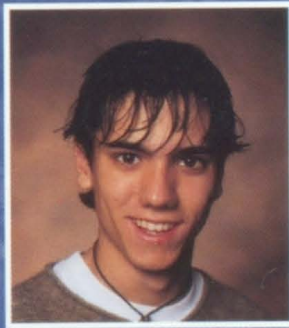
*Kerry
Edwards*



*Evan
Eldred*



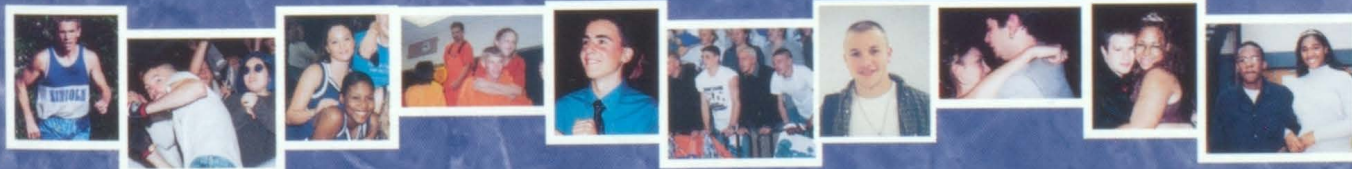
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Elrod*



*Ezequiel
Enriquez*



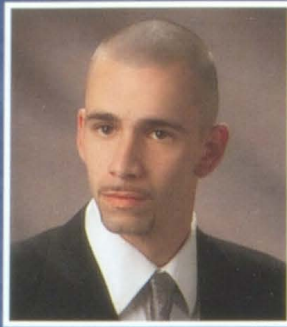
*Jillian
Faitel*



Class of 2001: Fifield - Hall



Steven
Fifield



Matthew
Foster



Jasmine
Frazier



Connie
Fullerton



Shannon
Gagnon



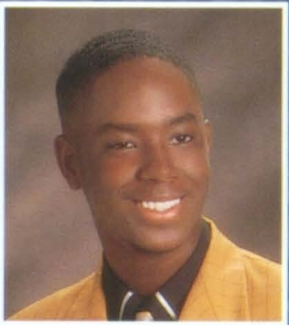
Rochelle
Goble



Tiffany
Godsey



Shannon
Gray



Kevin
Griffin

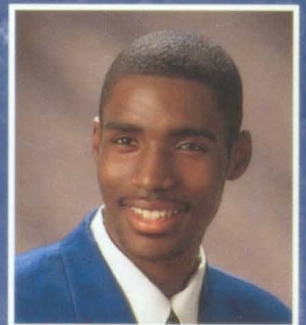
From Amber Harris:
"Some people see things as they are
and say why, I see things as they
may be and ask why not?"
-Robert Kennedy

Missing Pieces:
John Finley iii, Eric Fowler,
Scott Guthrie

My view toward
everything- "I'll do it later."
-Patrick Smith

"It was an honor to be able to
perform on stage with such a tal-
ented group of people this year in
our musical, "Scrooge". The whole
production, including the people
involved, will be something I will
always remember."
-Jeffrey Burden

From Emily Nichols:
"You must look into people as well
as at them."
-Chesterfield



Christopher
Gupton



Shasta
Guy



Sandra
Haddad

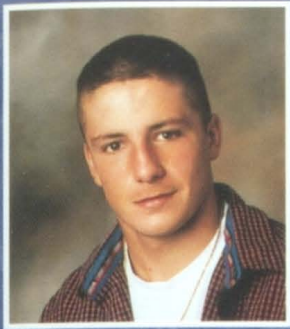


Julie
Hagerman



Amy
Hall





*Jeremy
Hall*



*Kevin
Hamlin*



*Amber
Harris*



*Chad
Harwood*



*Julie
Hayes*

"No matter who your friends are or what types of things you like to do, you are yourself. So have fun being you, and don't worry about what other people think."
- Lonnie Scott

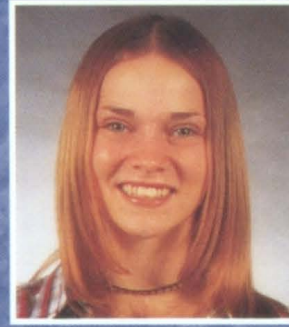
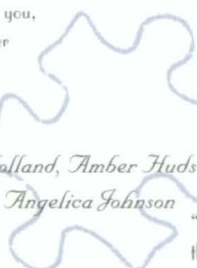
Missing Pieces

*Daniel Holland, Amber Hudson, Russell Huff,
Angelica Johnson*

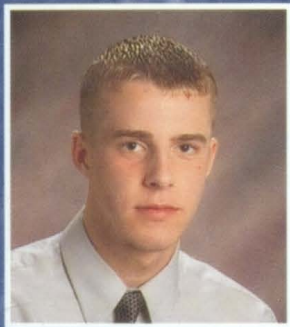
"There will never be a better Spanish 4 class than Mrs. Huber's 4th hour this year!"
- Erik Vitso

"In the game of blackjack, as in the game of life, it is better to take a chance and lose by going over, than not to take the chance and lose by default."
- Shawn Washington

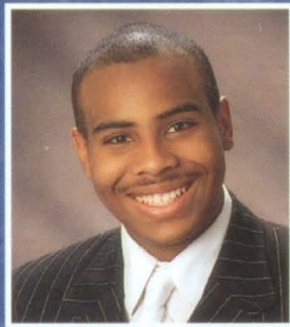
"If you're capable of making something of yourself, don't let silly things like reasoning get in the way."
- Michael Zeoli



*Christina
Heath*



*Christopher
Henderson*



*Dan'e
Herron*



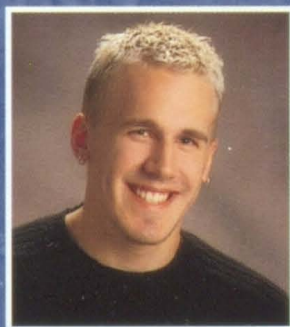
*Amanda
Higgins*



*Jennifer
Higgs*



*Nicole
Hook*



*Eric
Houston*



*Jessica
Jackson*



*Michael
Johnson*



Class of 2001: Jolly - Landry



Paul
Jolly



Blake
Jones



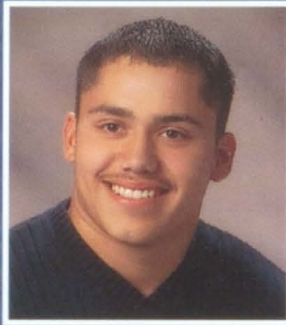
Naniah
Jones



Tabatha
Nailimai



Katharyn
King



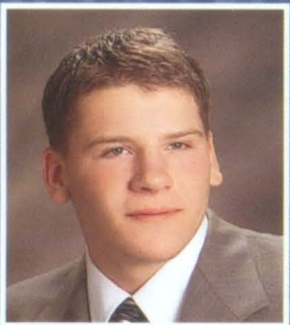
Robert
Kitchen



Aimee
Kolesar



Stacey
Kottarczyk



Steven
Kovalak

From Aimee Kolesar:
"What doesn't kill us makes us
stronger."
-Nielsche

Missing Pieces

Joyce Kenville, Brandon Kwiatkowski, Race Lamkin,

From Sarah Navin:
"The pen is mightier than
the sword."
-Lord Byron

"Enjoy high school while you are
here. Graduation may be the start
to a new, free life, but it's the end to
everything and everyone you have
ever known."
-Robert Robinette

"The best memory would have
to be the friendships I've made
and will keep after this is over."
-Alana Mellinger



Kumi
Kuroya



Laura
Lambe



Emily
Lambros



Elizabeth
Lanctot



Melissa
Landry



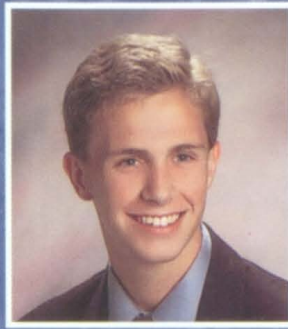
Class of 2001: Lay - McKelvey



*Katie
Lay*



*Renee
Leverette*



*Nathan
Looze*



*Tara
Lore*



*Roland
Lynn*

From Emily Lambros:
"A man of genius has been seldom
ruined, but by himself."
-Unknown

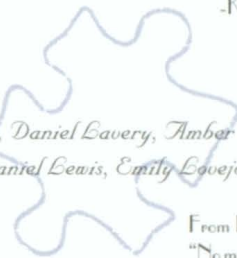
"Thirty-Nine cent hamburger
Wednesday!"
-Kelly McCue

Missing Pieces:

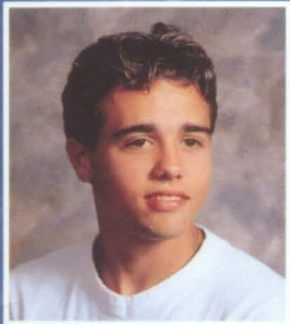
*Michael Savadain, Daniel Lavery, Amber Letizio, Michael
Levi, Calvin Lewis, Daniel Lewis, Emily Lovejoy, Charles Lyons,
Danielle Massingill*

"Forty-Nine cent cheeseburger
Sunday!"
-Gail Stec

From Kelly Burba:
"No matter how thin you slice it, it's
still baloney."
-Alfred Emanuel Smith



*James
Mac Donald ii*



*James
Mack*



*Lisa
Martin*



*Samantha
Massey*



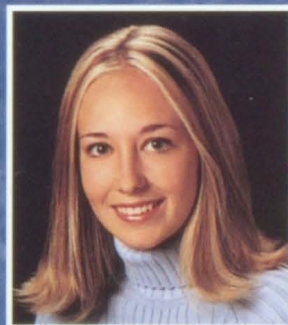
*Amanda
Mate*



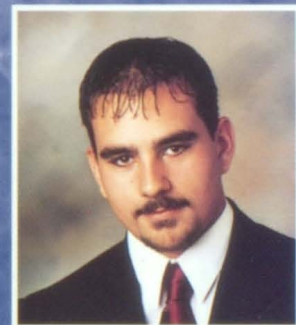
*Samantha
Mayville*



*Melinda
McNulty*



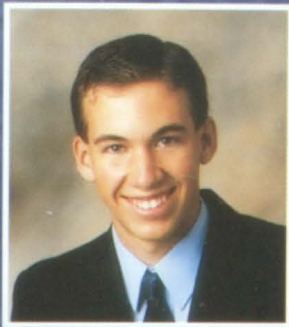
*Kelly
McCue*



*Matthew
McKelvey*



Class of 2001: McKenzie - Ostrowski



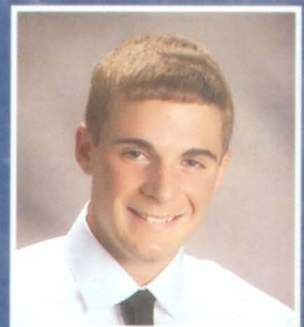
*Gary
McKenzie*



*Sherry
McLemore*



*Alana
Mellinger*



*Nicholas
Merkel*



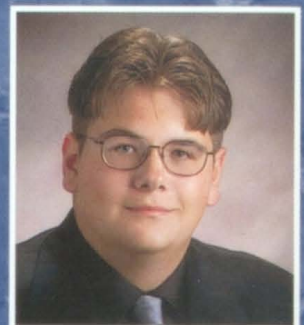
*Patrick
Michels*



*Kelly
Morawski*



*Alex
Motts*



*Stephen
Napier*



*Sarah
Navin*

From Jill Pinter:
"In the middle of difficulty lies opportunity."
-Albert Einstein

"Don't frown, you never know when someone is falling in love with your smile."
-Amanda Berry

Missing Pieces
Sean Middleditch, Leonard Newland, Daniel Ostrander

From Anthony Dewalt:
"It's great to be here."
-Jeff Daniels

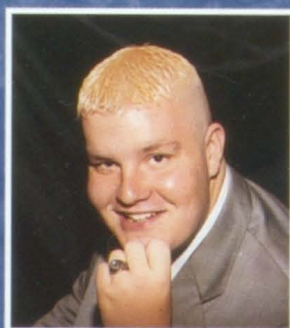
"Running into the pole in volleyball at Ann Arbor, my sophomore year! I had to go to the hospital for ten stitches."
-Linsey Pinter



*Emily
Nichols*



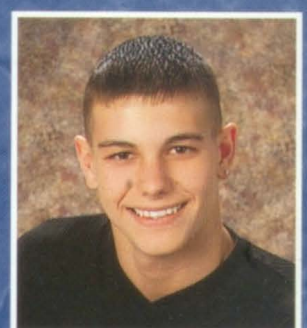
*Amanda
Nitz*



*Lonnie
Norris*



*Robert
Oatman*



*Robert
Ostrowski*



Class of 2001: Panzer - Reed



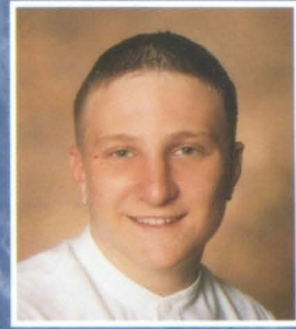
*Daniel
Panzer*



*Adam
Pearce*



*Stephanie
Peterson*



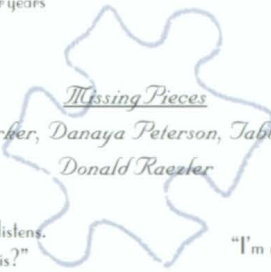
*Aaron
Pilotte*



*Jill
Pinter*

"For Bobo, Denny's and Parsimonious! For midnight riders and AP Biology reviews. For four years of memories. Thank you!"
- Steven Fifeild

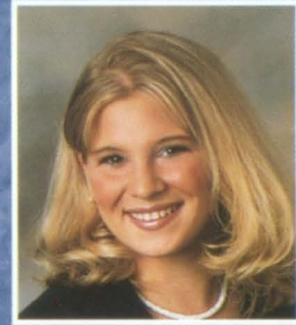
"Uh...ya don't say."
-Jasmine Frazier



Missing Pieces
*Kimberly Parker, Danaya Peterson, Jabbetha Pollard,
Donald Kazler*

"Knowledge speaks, wisdom listens.
So why am I telling you this?"
-Sean Middleditch

"I'm mad you said that."
-Katie Lay



*Linsey
Pinter*



*Jill
Pluciniczak*



*James
Poitevint*



*Christin
Polzin*



*Andrew
Poole*



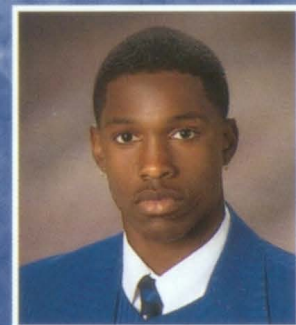
*Laura
Portera*



*Laura
Quashnie*



*Henrik
Rang*



*Charles
Reed*



Class of 2001: Reynolds - Stec



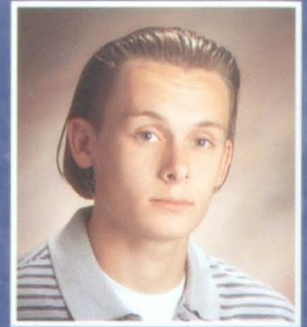
*Candace
Reynolds*



*Robert
Robinette*



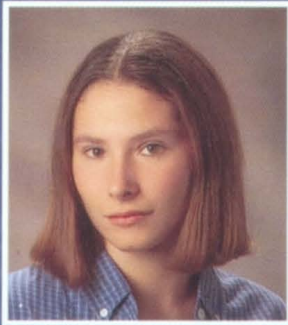
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Rolls*



*Ryan
Rose*



*Julie
Rozell*



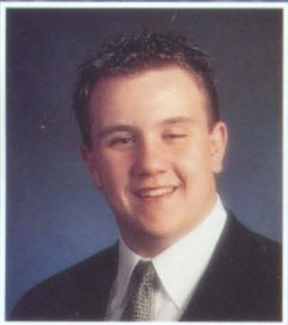
*Tia
Salajan*



*Julie
Schaller*



*Staci
Schubert*



*Lonnie
Scott*

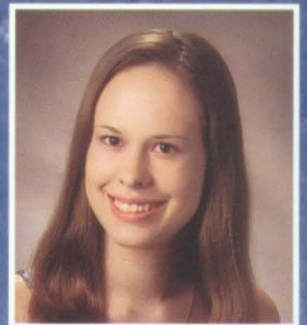
"If you have a good attitude, you will get far in life. A bad attitude will slow you down"
-Theresa Burris

Missing Pieces

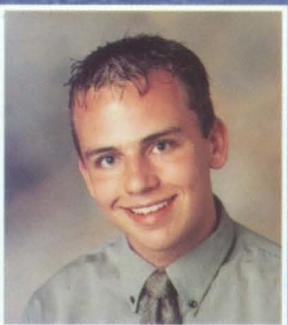
Purdrell Rhimes, Stanley Roberson, Rudolph Ruffer, Ryan Rupperecht, Maceo Russell, Stephanie Schrock, Derrick Schultz, Lindsay Shaner, Jennifer Sponaugle

"Stay on top of your grades and don't fall behind. Listen to your parents, because what they say is true."
-Keith Allen

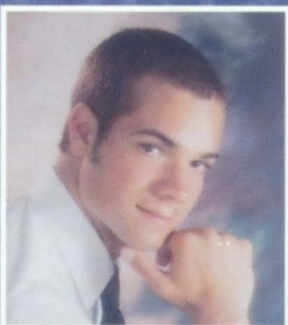
From Keiyana Chambers
"You let man ride above us, you took us through fire and water, but brought us to a place of abundance."
-Psalm 66:12



*Ashley
Smalley*



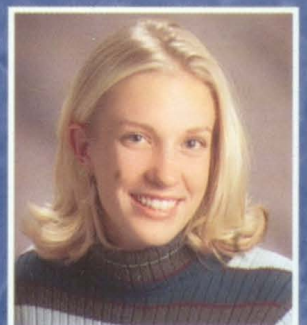
*Patrick
Smith*



*Justin
Soest*



*Kelly
Stange*



*Gail
Stec*



Class of 2001: Stumpf - Watson



*Jennifer
Stumpf*



*Jennifer
Theodore*



*Adam
Thompson*



*Amanda
Thompson*



*Ka'shania
Thrower*

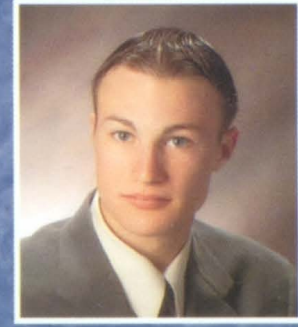
"Spirit week is my best memory. Everyone should do it because it is one of the only times you can have an excuse to dress like an idiot."
-Jonathan VanRyn

*Missing Piece
William Tutor*

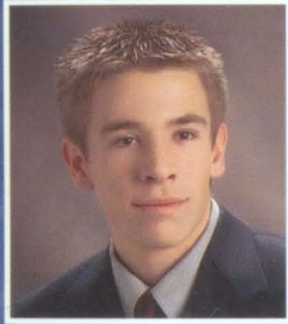
"My best memory was cheering on my class during the Pep Assembly. Seniors Rule!"
-Laura Portera

"Don't screw up your freshman year. It'll hurt you in the long run."
-Dolly Aduroja

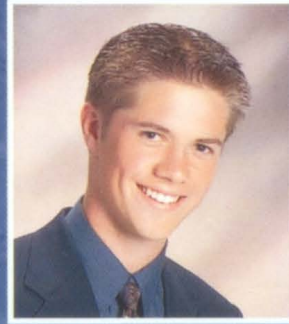
"The senior Pep Assembly and playing basketball were my best memories."
-Kelly Morawski



*Scott
Tupacz*



*Jonathan
Van Ryn*



*Eirik
Vitso*



*Rachel
Vonck*



*Brian
Wade*



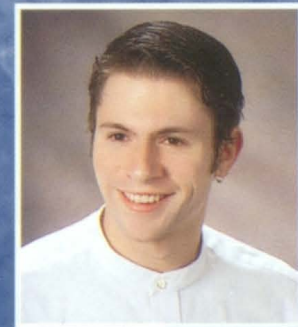
*Mamie
Waller*



*Lyndsy
Ward*



*Shawn
Washington*



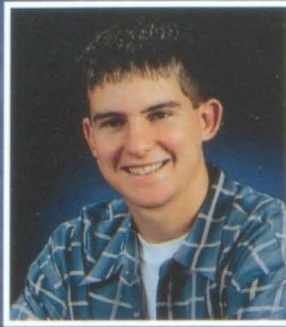
*Matthew
Watson*



Class of 2001: Whitlow - Zielinski



*Breah
Whitlow*



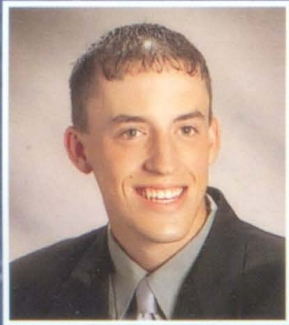
*Gregory
Wier*



*Jason
Williams*



*Miriam
Williams*



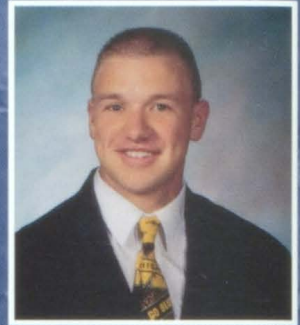
*William
Wilson*

From Nathan Looze:
"In the end, we will remember not
the words of our enemies, but the
silence of our friends."
-Martin Luther King, Jr.

"If we can't be free at least
we can be cheap."
-Eric Bobak



Missing Pieces
Joseph Weber, Robert Williams, Ronald Willis,
Christopher Woods, John Woolf iii



*Matthew
Witt*



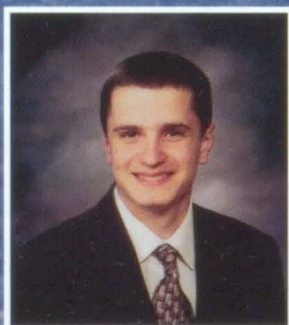
*Natalie
Woloszyn*

From Daniel Lavery:
"Yesterday is history, tomorrow is
a mystery, today is a gift."
-Taproot

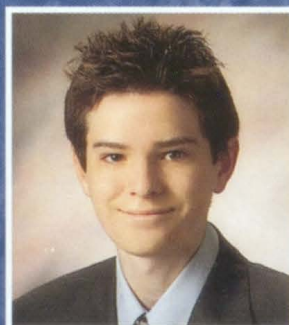
From Kevin Brunell:
"Nothing gold can stay."
-Robert Frost



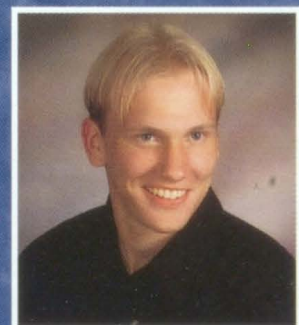
*Brian
Woods*



*Ryan
Yoakam*



*Michael
Zeoli*



*Daniel
Zielinski*



Lights, Camera, Action! The sixth graders acted out skits on Wednesday night. Matthew Watson '01 gives an example of what skit night is all about.

Cabin Leaders:

Jan. 29- Feb. 3: Andrew Archer '02, Eric Blake '02, Lauren Burdette '01, Erica Cicotte '02, Steve Fifield '01, Jimmie Hasse '02, Heidi Heiss '02, Dant'e Herron '01, Angelica Johnson '01, Lauren McParlan '02, David Mitchell '02, Douglas Mourer '02, Douglas Patton '02, Elizabeth Smith '02, Patrick Smith '01, Sara Wachtmann '02, Breah Whitlow '02.

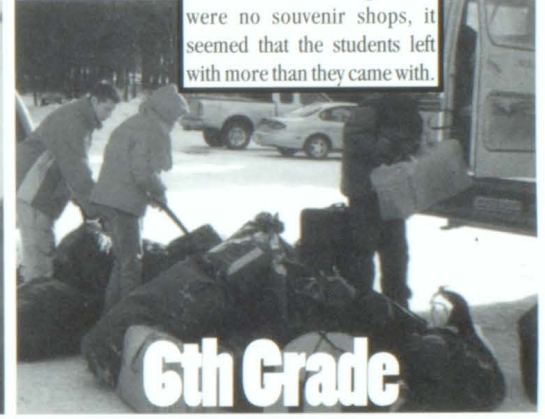
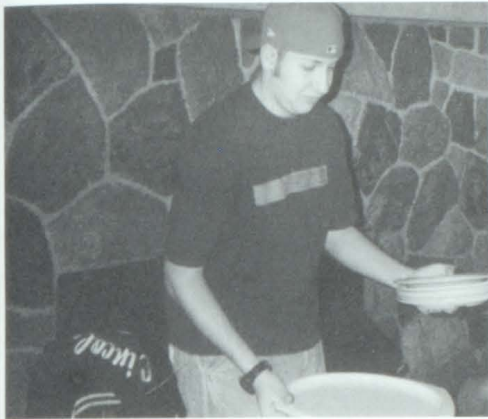
Feb. 12-16: Heather Arens '02, Heather Atkins '02, Tiffany Ball '02, Jack Brown '02, Robin Chevrette '02, Anna Dejesus '01, Michelle Detroyer '02, Matthew Dewalt '02, Ezequiel Enriquez '01, Tracy Fox '02, Timothy Jayne '02, Melissa Landry '01, Daniel Lavery '01, Lauren Mabie '02, Steve Napier '01, Emily Nichols '01, Timothy Penird '02, Julie Schaller '01.

Feb. 26-March 2: Dolly Aduroja '01, David Cain '02, Amanda Fisher '02, Shannon Gagnon '01, Jennifer Higgs '01, William Lawson '02, Stephanie Peterson '01, Ryan Reynolds '02, David Rolls '01, Lonnie Scott '01, Rebecca Szakaly '02, Matthew Watson '01, Megan Wysocki '02, Michael Zeoli '02.

Lunch time. Just because you're not at home, doesn't mean you don't have chores. Ryan Reynolds '02 sets the table for the hungry kids outside.

Creepy Critters! "In Cold Blood" was one of the many classes at camp. In this class they learned about reptiles and their habitat.

Homeward Bound. It's time to pack up and go home but loading so many bags takes teamwork. Even though there were no souvenir shops, it seemed that the students left with more than they came with.



Camp

Counselors Use Outdoor Skills to Survive a Week at Camp!

Every year excitement and joy overwhelm the sixth grade students. It's the year they get to pack their bags and leave their families for a whole week. For most students, this is their first experience away from home. During the week the campers do many activities to keep their minds off the people they miss at home, but for many high school students it's a good excuse to miss school.

High school cabin leaders were faced with the challenge of being good role models. They had to become more like parents, and watch the sixth graders' every move. However, it's not all about laying down the law. A cabin leader has to be outgoing and have a good personality. Having fun is what it's all about.

The high school cabin leaders especially enjoyed participating in skit night and the square dance night. It was a time to cut loose and just have fun.



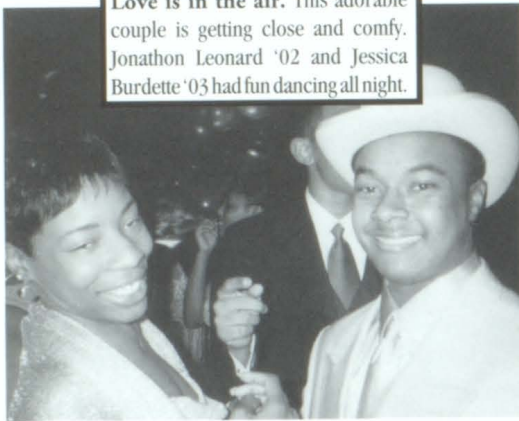
True Survivors! In the class "Give me Shelter," students learned to build temporary shelter out of sticks, leaves and twigs. Once their shelter was built, it was evaluated by a camp supervisor. This class taught them how to survive in the wilderness.

By Emily Nichols '01 & Timothy Penird '02

Dressed to kill! Keith Allen '01 and date, Theresa Burris '01 are having a ton of fun in their formal wear. This is definitely one very stylish couple. Looking great guys!

Where's my ride? Waiting for their cars to be brought back by the valet dads, Jessica Varney '02, Katie Wagner '03, Christopher Ramirez '02, Erica Buczek '03 and Alex Motts '01 hang out together just outside the community college, where the prom was held. What's taking so long?

Love is in the air. This adorable couple is getting close and comfy. Jonathon Leonard '02 and Jessica Burdette '03 had fun dancing all night.



Aww-Yeah! Having a fantastic time at prom are Staci Schubert '01 and Ashley Kwiatkowski '02. They were having so much fun, they only stopped dancing for about fifteen minutes the entire night. They will be looking back at this one twenty years from now and laughing!

Your majesties. Announcing your 2001 prom king and queen...Andrew Poole '01 and Kymarie Allen '01! Allen could not believe it when her name was called, "I was so excited!" Allen said.



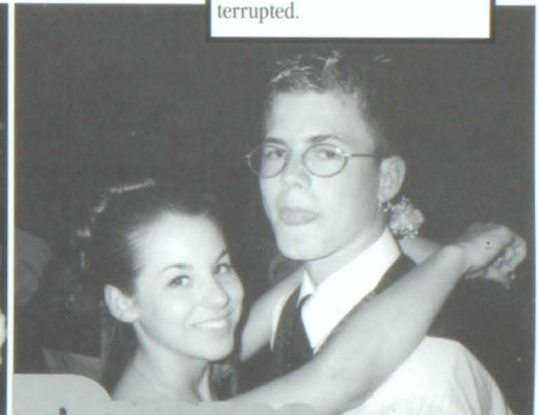


Honey, don't choke. Laughing and choking are just two of this special night's memorable events. Danielle Hardecki '02 and former Lincoln student Robert Williams dine at Damon's steakhouse in Canton before prom.

Ham it up! Winning class clown is very prestigious. Candace Reynolds '01 accepts the award for herself and Scott Guthrie '01 (not pictured), while Michael Zeoli '01 congratulates.

Group shot. Spending their last high school dance together are Aaron Brewer '01, Connie Fullerton '01, Tara Lore '01 and Laura Portera '01.

Sorry to interrupt. Brian Fox '02 and Amanda Alliston '04 are not looking too happy to be interrupted.



Prom

A Red Carpet Affair To Remember

Once again, prom was a great success! The prom was held in the Morris Lawrence Building at the local Washtenaw Community College, on April 28, 2001.

The theme this year was "A Red Carpet Affair." Prom was decorated with tons of gold and glitter. There was a red carpet leading into the building from the parking lot, where dads had volunteered to valet cars. There were huge Oscar statues, a balloon arch and lots of beautiful stars.

Spinning discs was DJ and former Lincoln student Marshall Poole '99, who played a wide variety of music, with songs ranging from "Baby Got Back" by Sir Mix-A-Lot to "One Step Closer" by Linkin Park, to the 2001 class song "I Hope You Dance" by LeeAnn Womack.

Mock elections were held, and Kymarie Allen '01 and Andrew Poole '01 were voted the 2000-2001 prom queen and king.

As the evening came to an end, each attendee received a picture frame, to keep the memories of the night forever. As if anyone could ever forget.



Acting Out. Receiving their drama award is D'ante Herron '01 and Lonnie Scott '01.

In Remembrance. The parents of Nathan Estermeyer award Sarah Navin '01 and Kelly Burba '01 with scholarships for the winning essays they wrote in honor of Nathan, who would have graduated with the class of 2001.

On A High Note. Recognized for being in band all four years, these seniors received medals: Ryan Yoakam, Breah Whitlow, Laura Quashnie, Emily Nichols, Christin Polzin, Emily Lambros, Rachel Vonck and Joyce Kenville.



Best of the Best! Standing in the limelight are several of the 2001 Honors Convocation recipients. Valedictorians, salutatorians, class officers and NHS members are represented.

Sea of Blue. As Rachel Vonck '01 receives her Honor Cord from Assistant Principals Ms. Wanda Lewis and Mr. J. Calvin White, her fellow peers look on. The rest of the National Honor Society stands before the senior class.



By Jonathon Houston '02, Carlos Lozano '02, Jamie Edwards '02 and Jessica Butzin '02



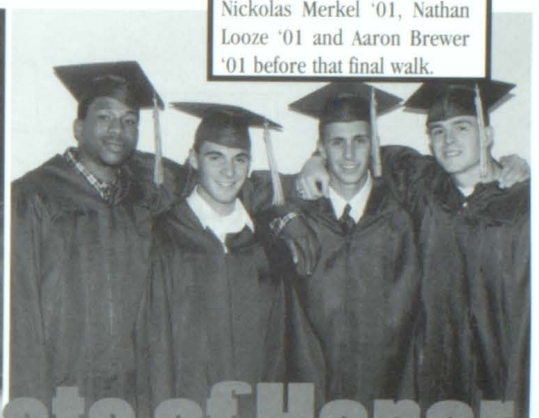
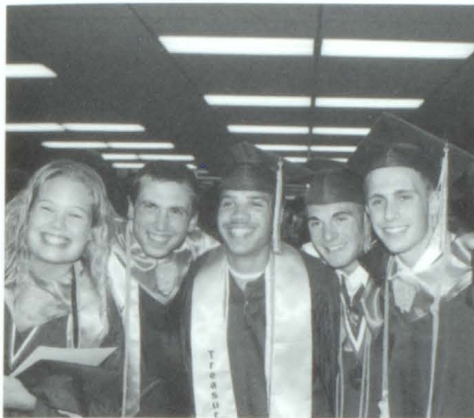
They're Golden!

Mr. Joe Nuzzo gives out his technology awards to Eirik Vitso '01, Nickolas Merkel '01, Noah Bukis '01 and Christopher Bielak '01 for their outstanding performances.

With all Smiles! Proud as can be, Rachel Vonck '01, Chad Hardwood '01, Jason Williams '01, Nickolas Merkel '01 and Nathan Looze '01 cheese their way into Lincoln academic history.

Scientifically Sound. Physics is "phun" when you get an award for it. Chris Bielak '01, Jill Pinter '01, Chad Harwood '01, Kelly Burba '01 and Mary Adcock '01 receive the science flask from Ms. Kathleen Betrus.

One Last Pose! Hugging are Stanley Roberson '01, Nickolas Merkel '01, Nathan Looze '01 and Aaron Walker '01 before that final walk.



Quests of Honor

Seniors are Awarded for Their Honorable Work

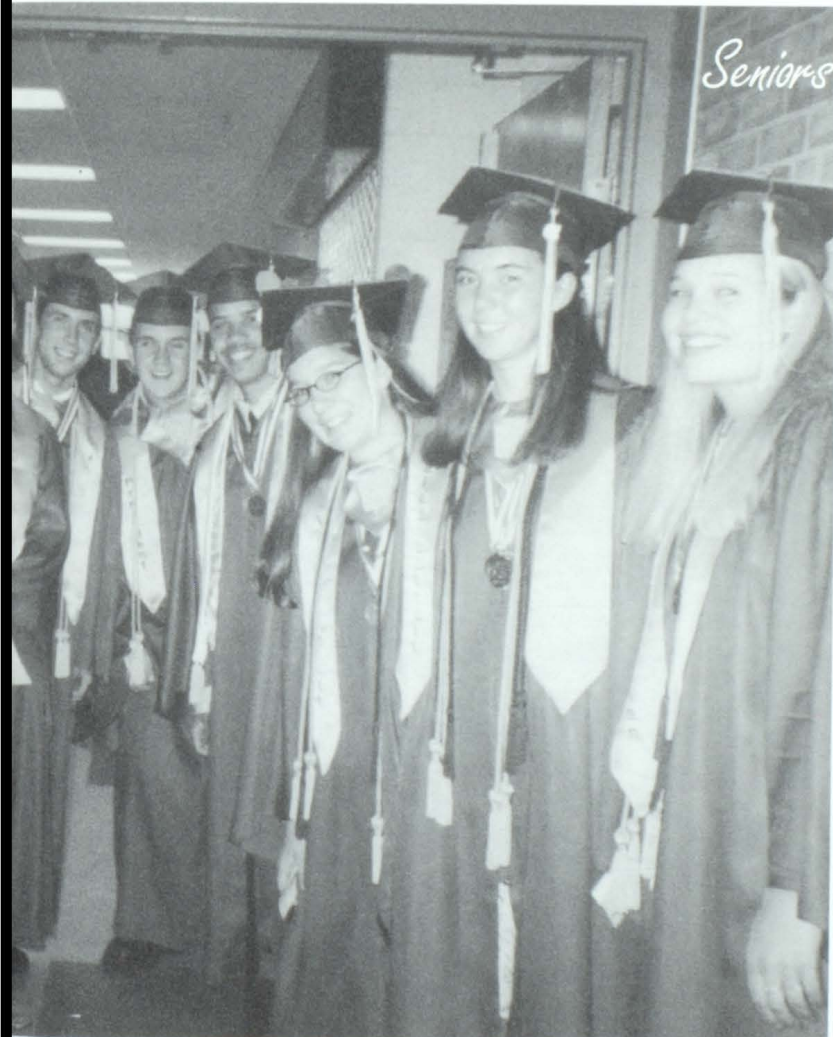
The Honors Convocation started off with excitement and confusion as everyone rushed to get in their spots. "Don't talk to me!" shouted a busy Ms. Maxwell, one of the senior class sponsors, as she organized the graduates for the ceremony.

Many students, parents and faculty attended the convocation to support the those being honored.

Students were not only recognized for their academic successes, numerous awards were given for sports, technology, choir, band, yearbook, foreign language classes and scholarship winners as well.

The evening started with the introduction of this year's valedictorians and salutatorians, followed by class officers, class representatives and student council members. Awards were also given to students who received a 3.0 GPA and those with a 3.5 GPA for all four years.

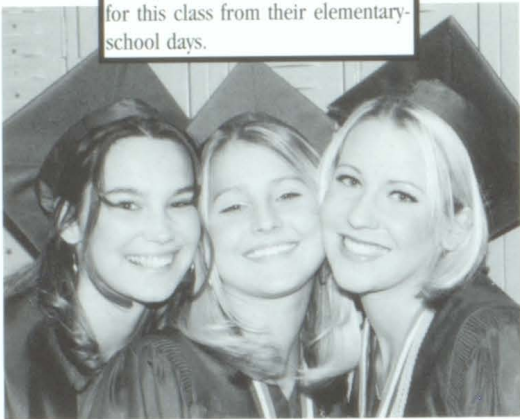
Many scholarships were awarded and the evening was capped off with a slideshow tribute to the graduates. Although long, the ceremony was both inspirational and memorable.



Big smiles! Enjoying one last chance to be with friends before graduating are Jessica Jackson '01, Amanda Thompson '01 and Tara Lore '01.

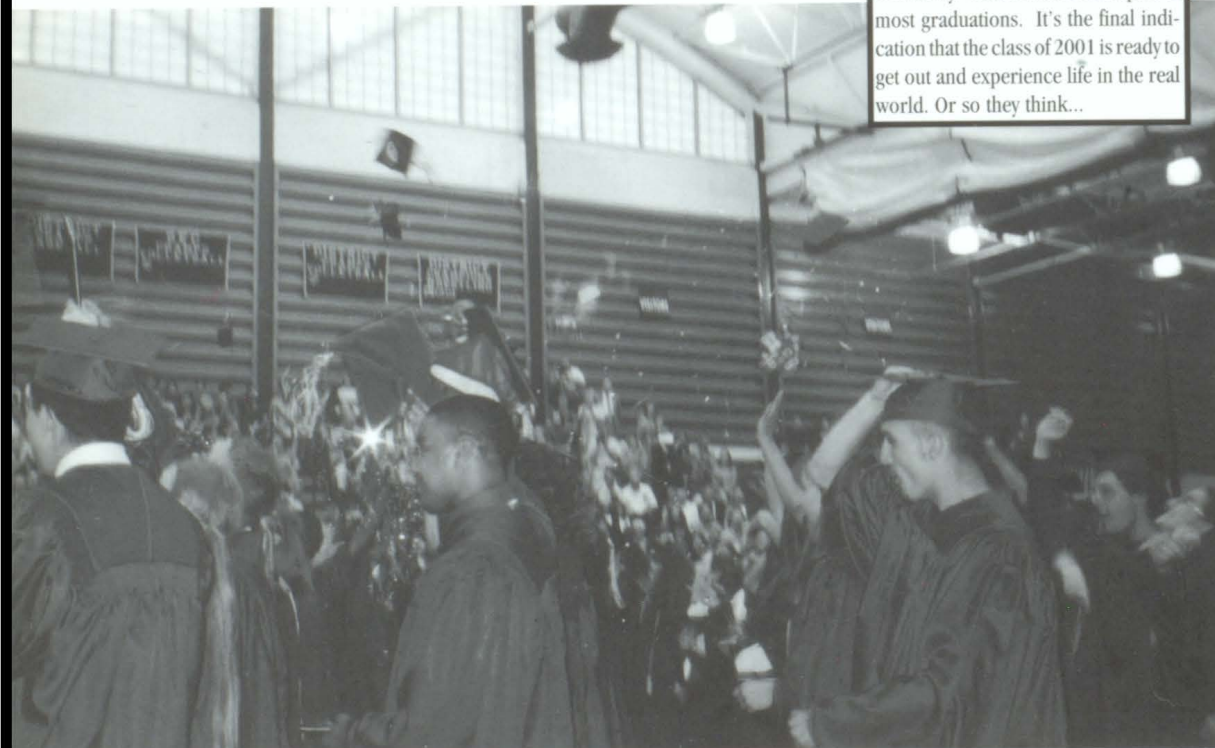
Best of the best. One of three valedictorians, Kelly Burba '01 captivates the audience with her speaking abilities.

What a speech! The crowd loved Mr. Nuzzo's memorable speech. He brought back many special memories for this class from their elementary-school days.



How do I look? Before the ceremony, Samantha Mayville '01 helps Jason Branham '01 with his gown. Everything must be perfect for this special night -- the first of a new beginning.

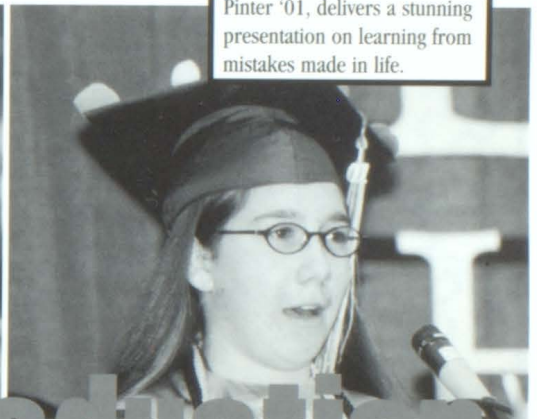
It's finally over! Graduates toss their caps into the air at the end of the ceremony. This is a traditional part of most graduations. It's the final indication that the class of 2001 is ready to get out and experience life in the real world. Or so they think...





Is it over yet?
Eagerly waiting on the edge of their seats are soon-to-be graduates Aaron Brewer, Elizabeth Lanctot '01 and Michael Baker. After 12 years, only a few minutes remain until the big moment.

Be all you can be. The first speech of the night was given by Mary Adcock '01 as one of three class salutatorians. It was the first of many meaningful messages.
Mr. Cool. After the ceremony, Alexis Correa '01 ponders which post-graduation parties to attend.
Nice hat! Underneath a decorative cap, another one of Lincoln's valedictorians, Jill Pinter '01, delivers a stunning presentation on learning from mistakes made in life.



Graduation

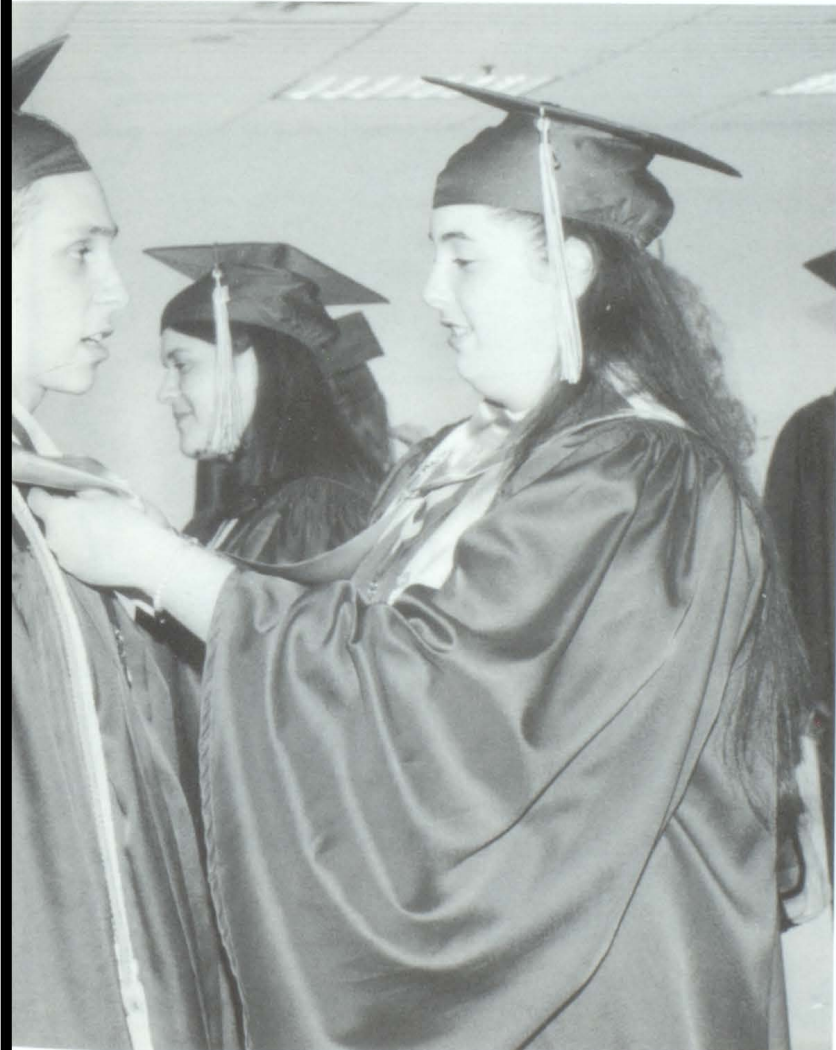
The Beginning of A New Life

To some, graduation seems like the end of the only life they've known. It means the end of seeing friends every day, hearing all the latest gossip and, of course, doing homework. To others, graduation seems like a beginning of a new life, full of independence and college or work.

Now that each of the trials of high school have been overcome, all the questions answered and all the challenges met, there are only a few puzzles left to be solved. What is next? What will our class become? What am I going to do? What am I going to be, now that I am all grown up?

This question was in the minds of each of the graduates on the night of commencement, June 8, 2001. The night was full of memories relived, tears shed, hugs given and promises made. Moving speeches were delivered by class leaders as the class of 2001 received their diplomas.

Whatever graduation means, the class of 2001 has no choice but to find out. It's time to show the world what being part of the class of 2001 really means!



Chad,

My brother, My friend

When we were young, we thought we were twins and when mom told us different, we didn't believe her. We never argued growing up - We only laughed and trusted each other with everything. As we grew older our bond grew stronger. I'm proud of you Chad, but I'm going to be lost without you. Always know, no matter what the future holds, I'll be here for you. Never forget these important things...
What Alan Shepard said to the Nazi's at Bunker Hill, "Remember the Alamo"...

Or, "Once there was a story about a man named Ed"...

Or, "Old man, who lives in that castle?"...

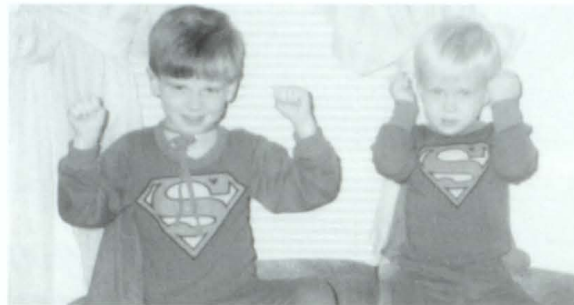
Or, "Water Burger"...

Or, "Imagine if you will"...

Or, "I remember that tree, take a picture"...

Or, "Leave me, I can't go any farther"...

Or, "Gargoyles, Gargoyles, Gargoyles"...



And last but not least: "What do innovators say children?"
"Moss is always greener on the other side of a rolling stump when
a bird kills two stones with a glass house."

Love, Steve



Congratulations Chad!
You have worked so hard to accomplish your dreams, and we are so proud of you. You are a true blessing in our lives. We are going to miss you so much.

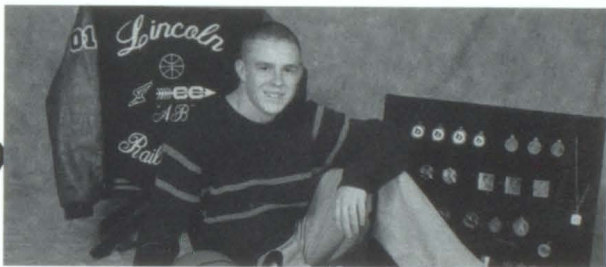
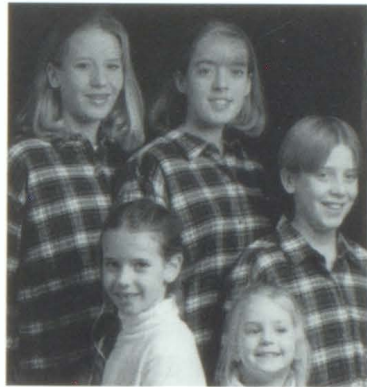
With all our love and prayers,
Dad, Mom, Steve, Dave and Gen





Congratulations Tara!
We want to wish you the best
of luck in everything you do!

Love Always & Forever
Mom, Dad, Amy, Jason,
Steve, Tiff and Ashley



Dear Aaron,
Congratulations!

It seems like yesterday when you were saying, "I don't care what you say, I'm not going to school" (you wanted nothing to do with kindergarten). The years have flown by, it's been a pleasure to watch your athletic ventures and see you develop into a loving and caring young man.

We're very proud of you, son. Continue to do your best and stay true to yourself.

Love,
Mom, Dad, Tamra, and Danielle



Congratulations Bobby!
It's quite an accomplishment to achieve academic excellence, to compete in a variety of athletics, while developing meaningful friendships and maintaining moral and spiritual strength. I couldn't be more proud of you son!
God bless all your endeavors.

I love you! Mom



CONGRATULATIONS LAUREN!

The day you were born, our lives changed forever. As you have grown we have learned that you are a special person. Full of life and love, you faced the world filled with challenges, and you have succeeded.



With each success, comes new challenges and new responsibilities, we know that you will meet them and that you will succeed. Live fully and with love; and you will teach others to become special, also.
With love,
Mom, Dad and Jessica



Dear Rachel,
We are so proud of all your accomplishments. Congratulations on the great job you have done and the beautiful person you have become.
Love,
Mom & Dad



Jill,
You were just a little girl. Those weeks and months have grown into years. You have worked so hard. Your music makes the angels sing. We are so proud of you. We know that your hopes and dreams will come true.

Love, Mom, Dad, Bob and Mike



**Good Luck To
Our Son
Kevin,
We are very
proud of you.
Love
Mom & Dad**



Amanda Jane Thompson

Within you is an ideal,
a voice of youth
and a promise of achievement
still to come.

Within your mind is the source of
your dreams.

Within you is the strength to carry
your dreams to completion.

Within your heart is the desire
to meet the world on your own terms,
and I never doubt that you will.

You are strong; you are wise;
you have a dream.

You have a spirit and confidence
I never knew;
you have faith.

You are your own person,
and you always will be.

Within you is something
so precious and rare.

Within you is the promise
of the future,
and I believe in you.

(Poem by Jean Lamey)

With all our Love,
Mom & Dad



To My Son: Do You Know Who?

From the moment they placed you in my arms, I knew my life was about to change. And what a change that has been. I went from being Aunt _____, to being a mom. That was what I thought of as being the best day of my life, but that was just the beginning.

I really want you to know how proud I am of you, but the words won't come. I don't think there's enough. I only wish you could look into my heart.

Here's a few reasons why, and a few clues to who and what you are:

You've always been a little impatient. You wanted to talk before the words were there. Remember that "damn" bunny?

You always play by the rules; the kid who sucked his thumb, he needs to grow up, eh?

You're more adult than I will ever be. We struck out on our own; You loved that apartment, that is, until we moved out. (Then you told me the truth.)

Have you figured it out yet? You've been seen as a lot of different faces, but your heart is always the same. You shared one of the biggest days of your life with me. Thank you, as it was my first prom.

You didn't, or wouldn't, ask for that Camaro, that's why I gave it to you. I only wish that I could give you more.

We signed a contract that I can only hope you will keep. If you have that drink, please call me. I will always be there. If you have a problem you can't solve, call me. Two heads and hearts are better than one.

Do you know yet, Punkin? Yeah, you still have a way with words. "Mom, the heat set on hell or what?"

You helped a friend of mine by representing her son that was killed by a drunk driver. This is only a few reasons why I'm so proud of you. By now, you and your friends (who have been a big part of our lives) should know who you are, so keep all those dreams and work to make them come true. I know you can do it.

Some day the world will see your name in lights.

*Love,
Mom*





*Dana,
Words cannot express how proud we are of you. You are the apple of our eye. We know that your mother is looking down on you with joy and admiration. Congratulations on your achievements and we wish you much success in the future.
From your loving Grandparents*



DAVID,
WE HAVE WATCHED YOU GROW FROM A WONDERFUL LITTLE BOY INTO AN INTELLIGENT, THOUGHTFUL, CARING, AMAZING, YOUNG MAN. WE ARE SO VERY PROUD OF YOU AND LOVE YOU VERY MUCH.

LOVE,
MOM & DAD



Stephanie,
You are a precious thought to me, a pleasure to heart, you are a daughter who has played a very special part.
All the beauty, life can give, is summarized in you, I am proud and I am glad, that life presented you.
All my love and all my hopes, give time a special hue, all my days and all my years are full because of you.
Love,
Mom



Dear Kelly,

If words were not so vague and hugs not so bland; if letters were not so distant and kisses not so trite; if gifts were not so simple and being together not so untelling - you would know this Kelly: You have so many that would lay down their lives for you - that love you and want only what's best for you. Our family is but a small fraction of the family of Christ that supports and loves you. Know that always. With all our love and hopes for tomorrow,

Pat, Marion, James & Sheila



Congratulations Kelly,

I know mom would have been proud of the choices you have made, because she is in my heart, and I am.

Love, Sara



Congratulations to the entire class of 2001! We've made it through so much together, and we share so many memories. Now, as we embark on a new life, let us all remember the great friendships we've created. I wish everyone the best, in everything you do! We did it!!

Love, Kelly Lynn Stange



Kelly,

This last year has been completely amazing. You have come a long way in life. You are a very special person. I hope you had a great senior year. Don't forget God. I love you and I'm always here for you.

Love, Ryan





AMBER CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR LITTLE TEXAN!

From the moment you were born in that great, big state of Texas, we knew you were special. You are such a blessing to personality, inner and outer strength and beauty, and outstanding athleticism. It has been a joy watching you blossom into the beautiful young woman you've become. We are so proud of you and love you more than words can say! Good luck in your collegiate career- both academically and with softball. We can't wait to see your first game! And whatever else unfolds before you, always remember that you belong to God and it is He that gives you life! May your soul always be filled with His love.

Love,
Mom, Dad, Stephanie and Zach



"And higher and higher straight up you'll climb,
Higher and higher leave it all behind. Baby dry
your eyes, save all the tears you've cried, Cause
that's what dreams are made of."

Van Halen



CONGRATULATIONS

Little Linny Kid!

It's been a special ride "Nalacat". Now, follow your dreams. Stay the fun loving, caring and respectful person you are. We will always be here for you with pride.

Love,
Mom and Dad

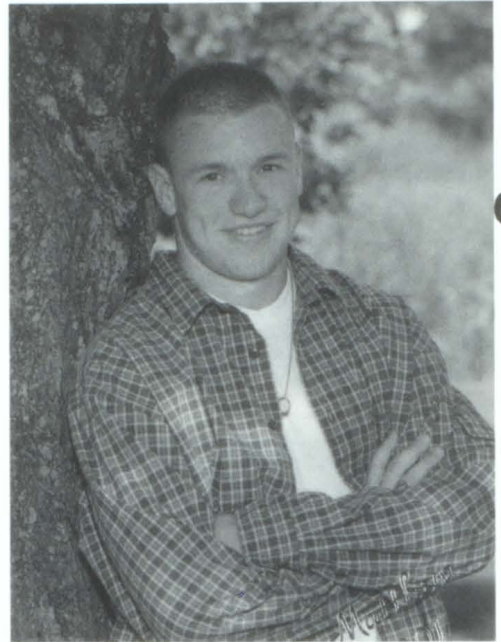


Matt

Throughout your lifetime, we have traveled many miles and have seen many places. As you approach graduation, remember those good times as you travel toward your goals and dreams. Go with God.

...be ye steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, for you know that your labor is not in vain in the Lord. I Cor. 15:58

Grandma Jean & Grandpa Wilbur Witt



You're my brother
My loyal friend
No matter what happened
you were with me till the end.
Leading me out of trouble,
keeping your eyes on me.
You taught me about real life
and how I need to be.

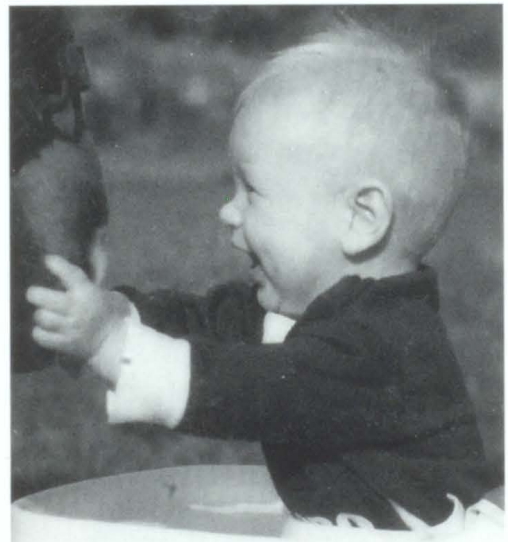
When you leave for college,
I just don't know what I'll do,
but just always remember
that I will always love you.

Heather

If you have the pleasure of meeting my grandson, he's a unique young man. He is witty, tenderhearted, compassionate, honorable, faithful and full of the love of the Lord.

I'm proud of you, and may your future be filled with God's blessings.

Grandma Fannie



Son, we've been proud of you as we've watched you grow from a young cowboy, to a teenager, to a young man. We've been blessed with a son who stood up for what he believes. So now, as you start your life in college, may you remain faithful in God and soar to great heights.

..So you will find favor and good repute, In the sight of both God and man, Trust in the Lord with all of your heart and do not lean on your own understanding, In all your way acknowledge Him and He will make your paths straight. Proverbs 3:4-6

Your parents



Laura,
You are a source of "Pride and Joy"
Congratulations on a phenomenal
start in life.

Love,
Dad, Mom, Rob, Angel, Co-Co, Boy
and Guenevere.

Embrace The Humor.
Dream
Believe In Yourself.
Be Fair.
No Regrets.
Know God Is Always There.



Congratulations Patrick!

When did you grow up?
Can't we go back and do it again?
Time has gone by too quickly.
We are proud of the young man you have
become. You have accomplished many
things, and we know you will
succeed in whatever you want to do.
Always remember how very much
WE LOVE YOU.
May God watch over you and be there
for you in all you do.

Love, Mom & Dad
Andrew & Abby too!





Congratulations
Emily!

We are very
proud of you in
all of your
achievements,
Love Always,
Dad & Mom



Laquandra Jenkins-Cain
“ Quannie-Bear”
“Quannie”
“Talulah”



**Memories of who you
 were; gratitude for who
 you've become. We love
 you Quan!**



**Love,
 Mom and Julie**



Kevin,
 Our greatest joy has been the gift of watching
 you grow and knowing the fine young man you
 have become. Never lose your kind heart, it's
 the greatest treasure you have and what the
 world needs most.
 Love Always and Forever,
 Mom, Dad and Katy



Shannan,
 Look at you all grown up
 and graduating! All of us
 love you very much. You
 have made us very proud.
 We have faith in you and
 know that you will
 accomplish whatever you
 set out to do. Remember
 to hold onto your dreams
 and work hard towards
 your goals and success will
 be yours. CONGRATULA-
 TIONS!
 We love you always and
 forever!
 Mom, Dad, Keri & Jack





Jill,

For the past 17 years, we have watched you grow into a beautiful, confident young woman, as well as a scholar and an athlete. We are so proud of you. You have brought us much happiness, and we wish you all the best as you go off to college.

Congratulations!

Love Mom and Dad





Gregory,

It seems like yesterday we were bringing you home from the hospital, and now you're all grown up! You are a very special young man and we have enjoyed spending these years with you, and look forward to many, many more.

Good luck in your future, we're sure it will be bright. We love you! You have made us the proudest parents possible. Thank You!

Love,
Mom and Dad

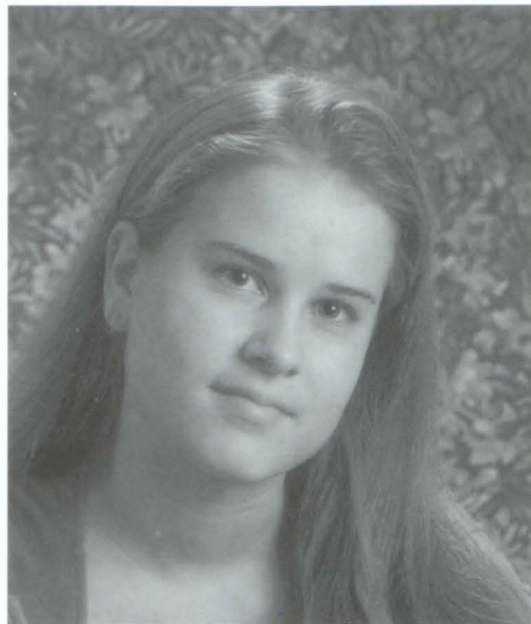




From A Little Girl To A Young Lady.

Congratulations, Peepeep!

We All Love You! Mom, Dad, Lucinda, Lilly and Lacy



CONGRATULATIONS,
BREA
MARIE
WHITLOW
CLASS OF 2001!



Congratulations Nick!

You've been to the mountain top!
Remember that in life it's not just
the "GOAL", but the journey that
counts. God has greatly blessed
you and we know that you will
succeed in whatever path you
choose.

All Our Love,
Dad, Mom and
Molly





**CONGRATULATIONS KERR-BEAR!
WE ARE SO PROUD OF YOU AND ALL
YOUR ACCOMPLISHMENTS!**

**LOVE,
DAD, JEANNIE, JAMIE AND KIRBY
(NOT ALFIE)**



*Elizabeth Caroline Lanctot,
On the day you were born you became our "Baby Girl". As you grew you have become many other things to us, a source of joy, a sense of pride, a constant companion as well as a true friend. Your life is ever changing and will take you many places. No matter what challenges the future brings or where it takes you one thing will remain constant, our unconditional love and support. You will always be our "Baby Girl".*

Love, Dad and Mom

To my wonderful son,
Kevin.

You have grown into a very responsible young man, I am so proud of you! Keep your dreams close to you and never let them go. You made it! Congratulations!

Love,
Mom



Kevin,
You are the most super friend: sweet, wise and strong. Congratulations!
We love you,
The 402 Crew



Our Dear Daughter...

We know we are critical of you sometimes, but it's only because we have experienced so much more of life, and we can often see that the path you are taking today may not take you to where you want to be tomorrow.

We know, too, that you still have to experience life for yourself. If we can, we just want to spare you some of the pain we had to go through on our own path in life...

When the words don't come with all we want to say, we can still say this: We love you tremendously. We would do anything for you. And promise we will try to be more patient and understanding of you, and we pray that you will do the same for us.

**Congratulations!
Mindy**

**Love Always
Mom, Dad and Michelle**





Congratulations Jennifer!

Dear Jennifer,
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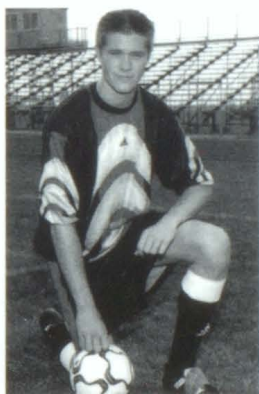


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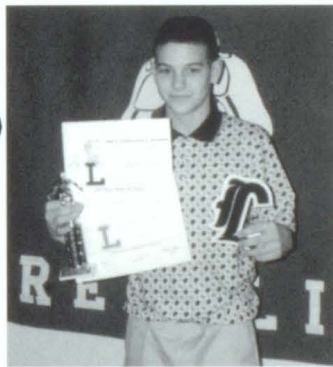
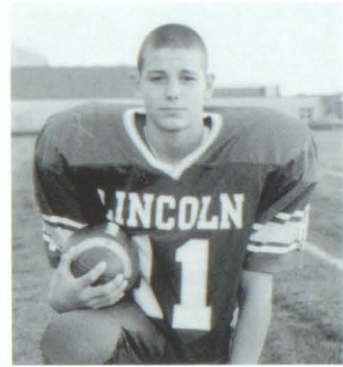
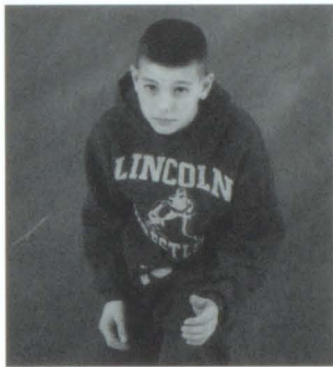
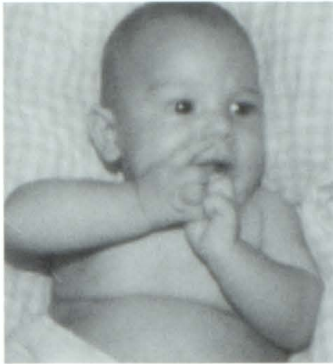
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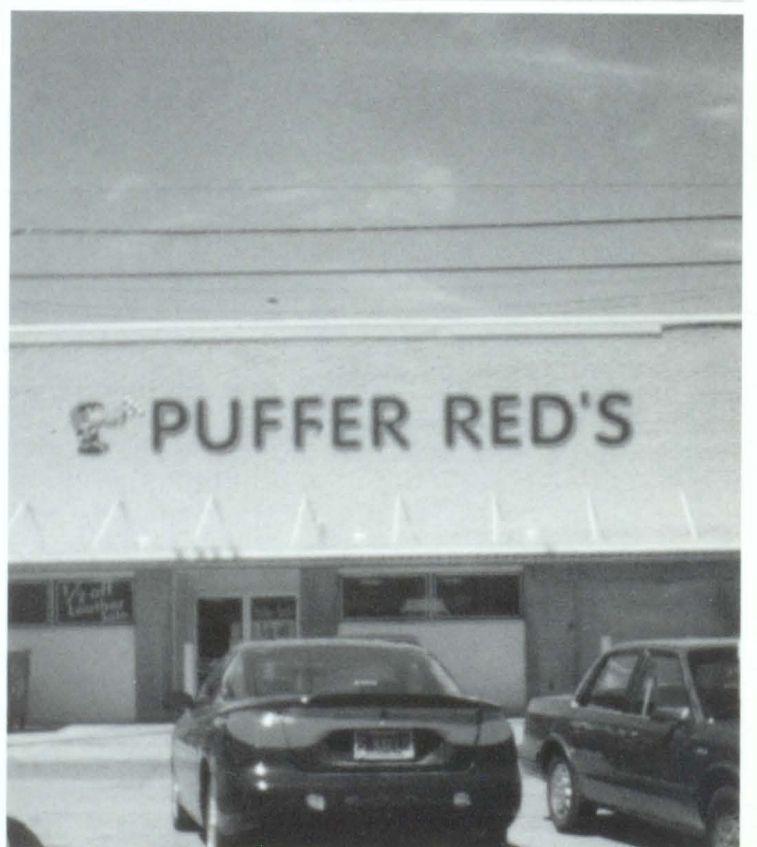
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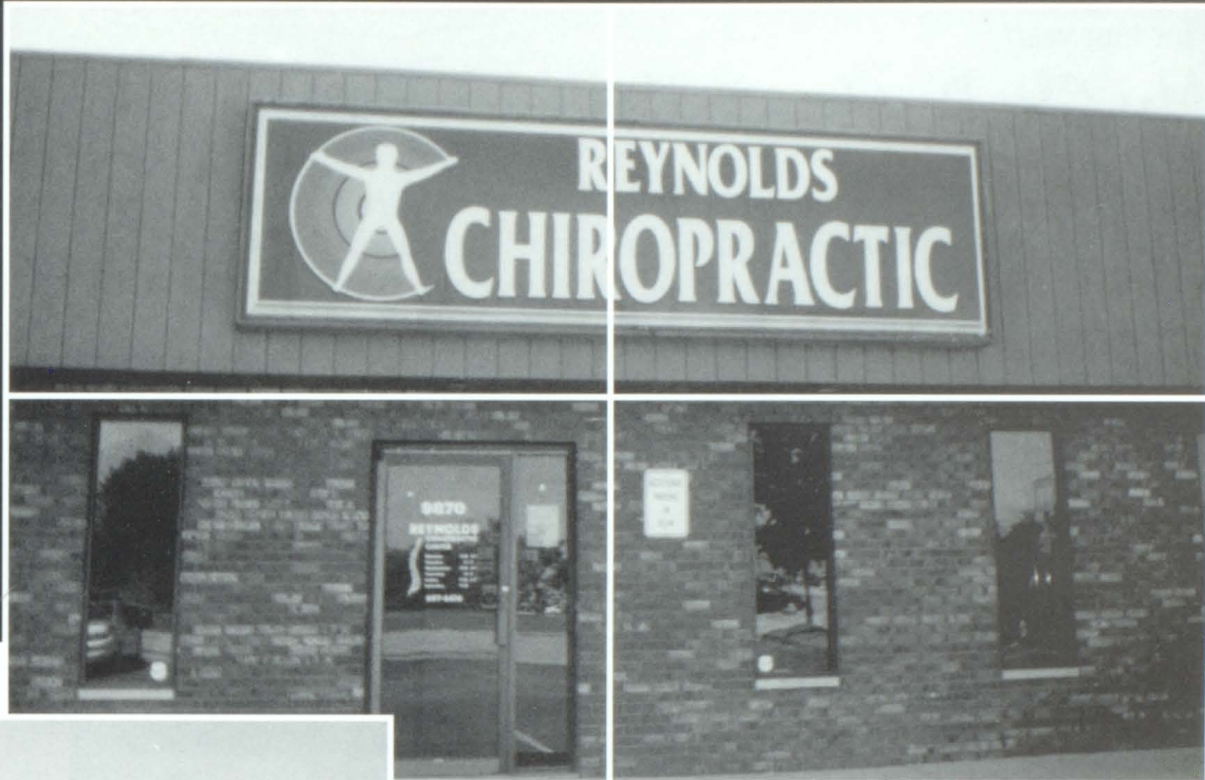
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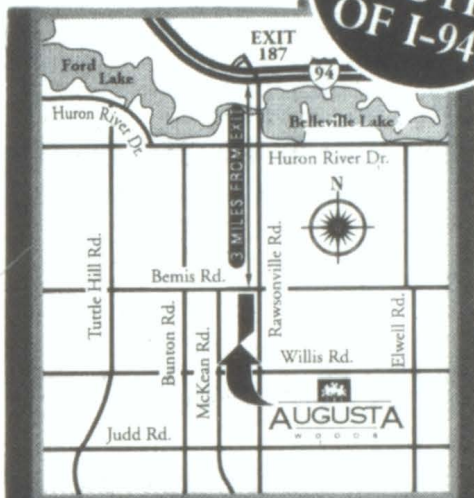
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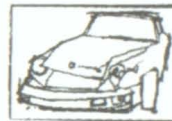
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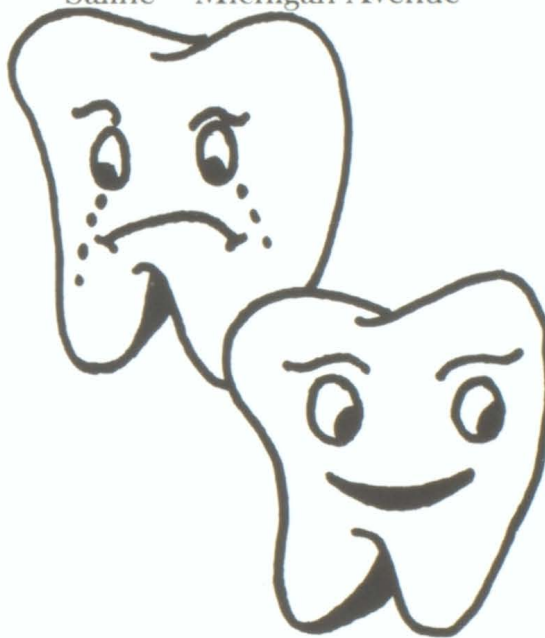
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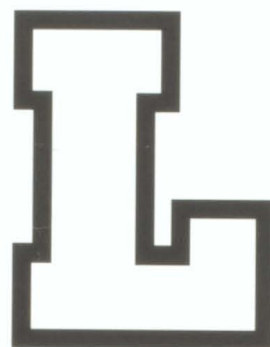
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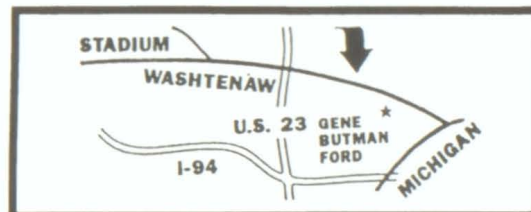
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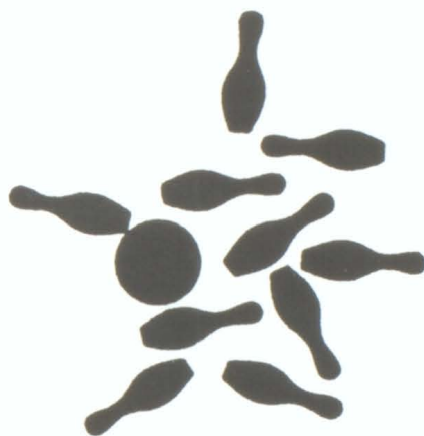
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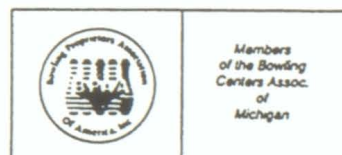
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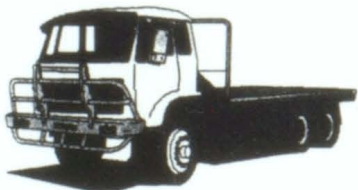
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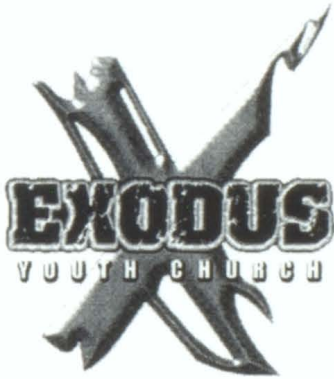
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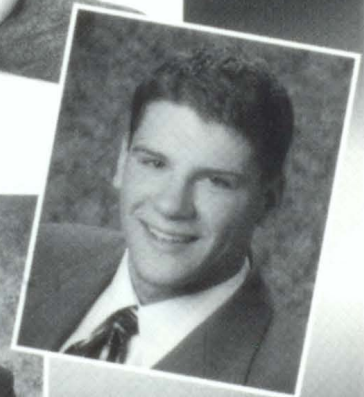
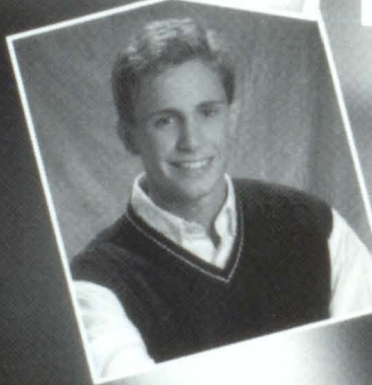
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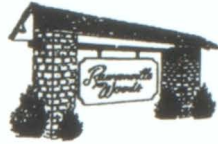


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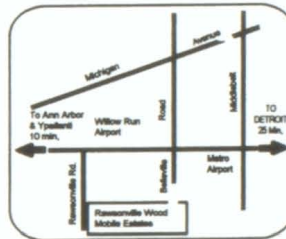
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"Come to the edge," I said.

"No, We're afraid."

"Come to the edge."

"No... We're afraid. We'll fall."

"Come to the edge," I said again.

And they came.
And I pushed them.
And they flew.

-(Anonymous)



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Not because of its greatness, and a great year it was, but because of the rash of threats that left us out in the cold and hot in the media most of March. Fortunately, we came out smarter, safer and stronger. But at what price? We lost our rural innocence and had our spirits tested along the way. Things will never be the same, and maybe a change for the better is what we needed to grow closer, stronger.

Recovering Lincoln unity, pride and sense of trust is essential if we hope to "piece it all back together" again. And we will. Together.

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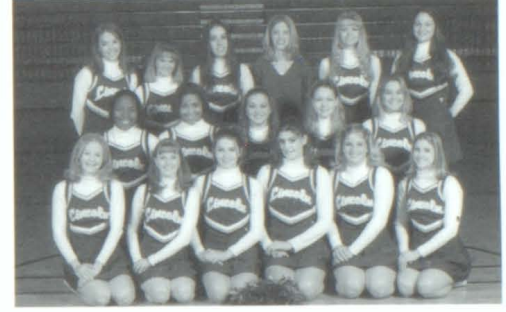
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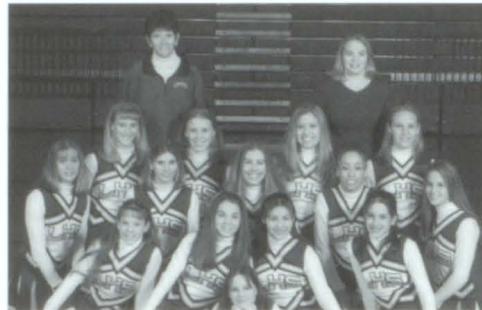
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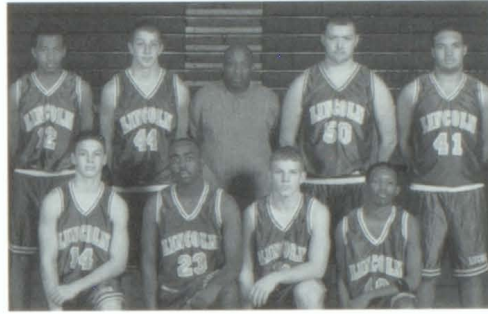
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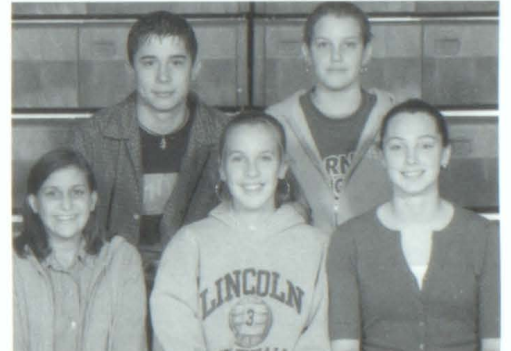
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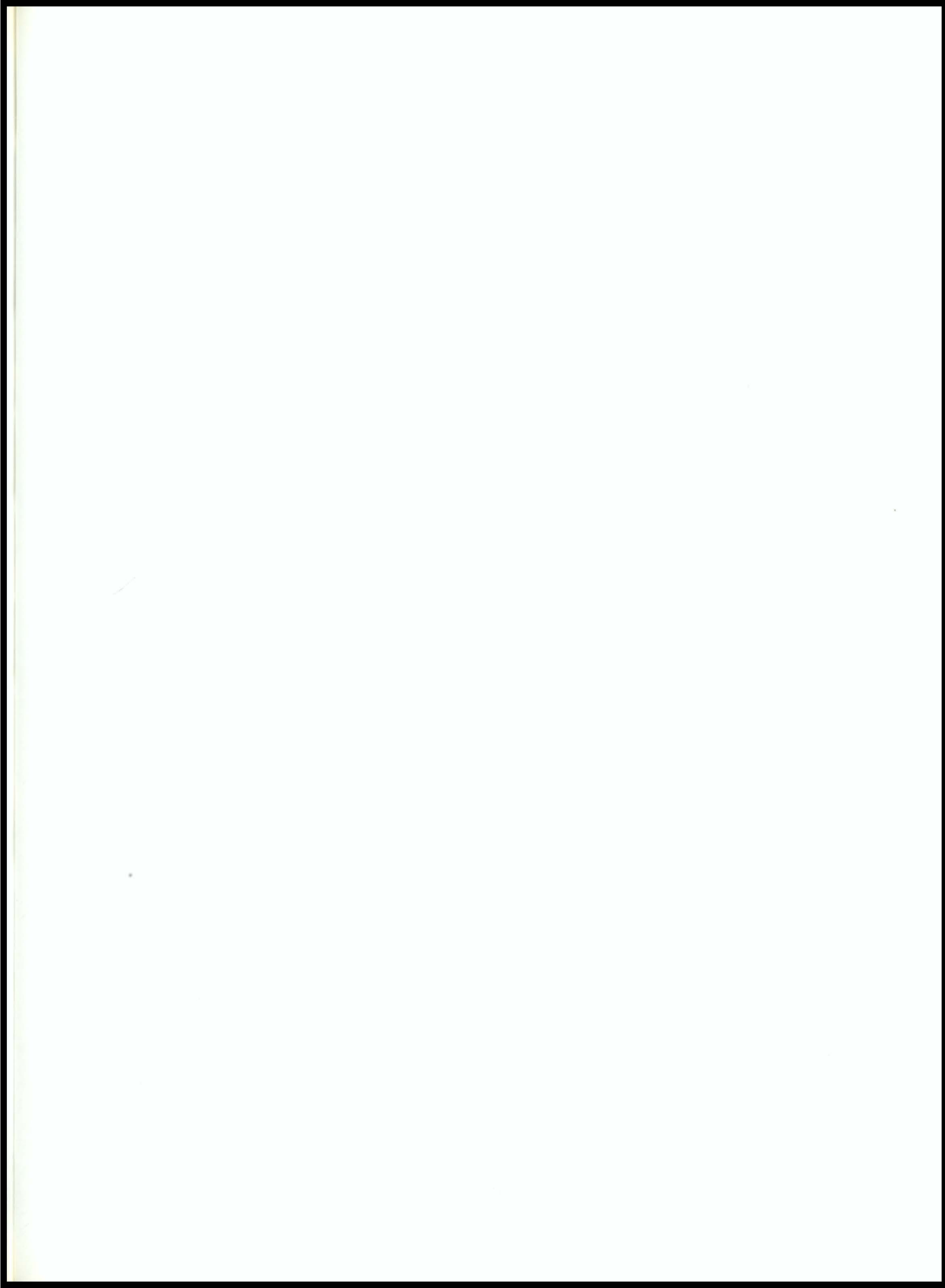
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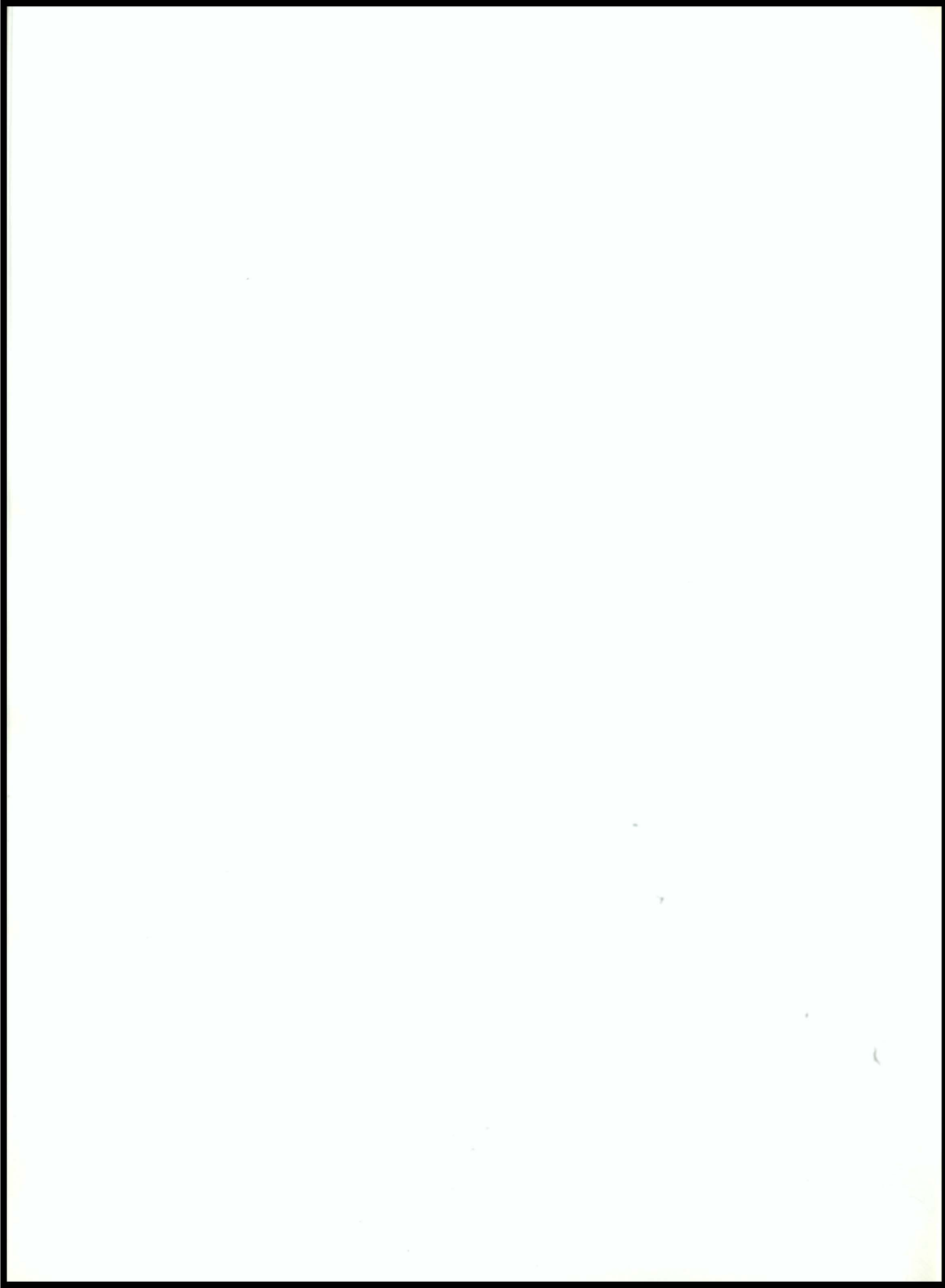
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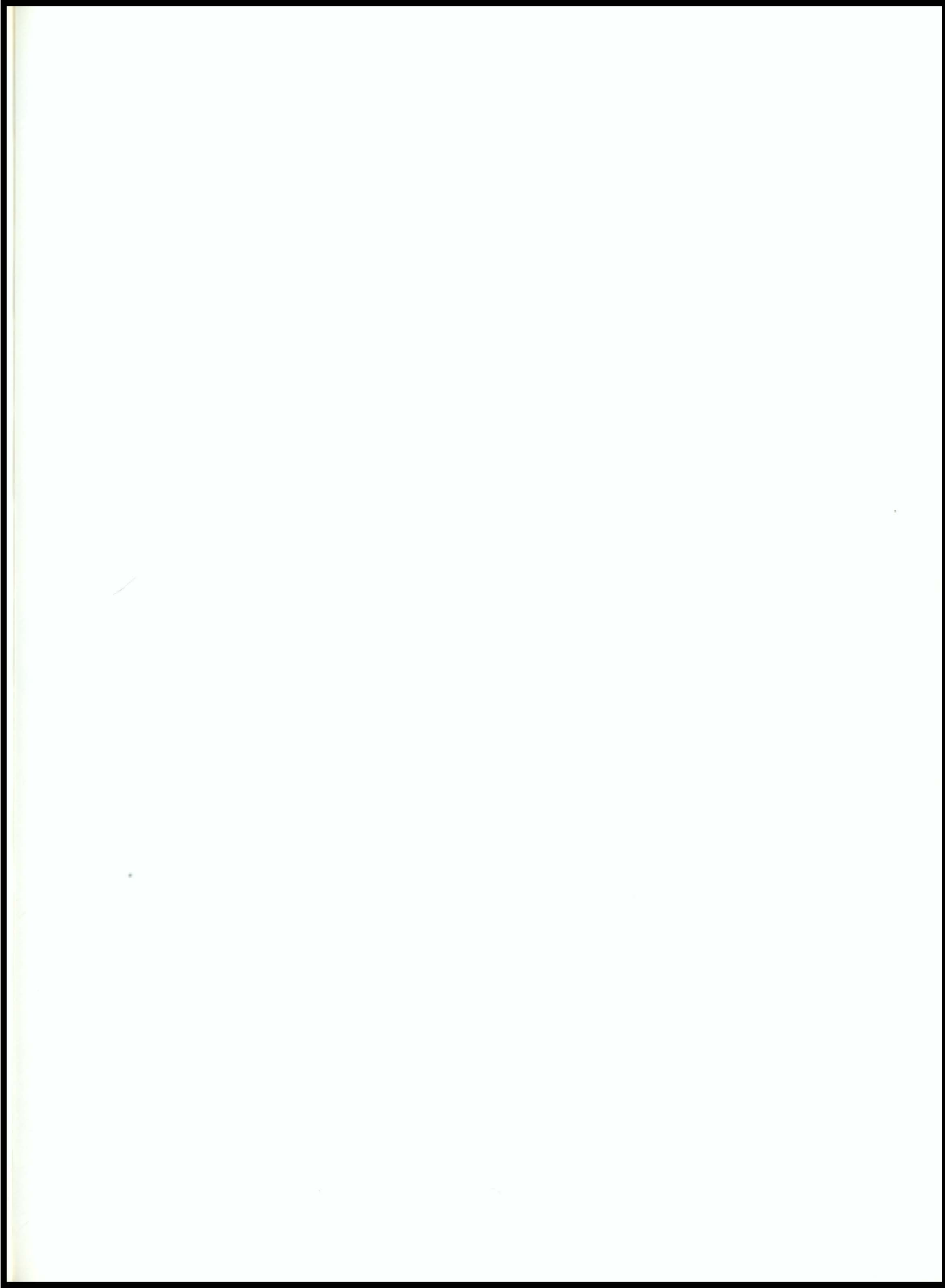
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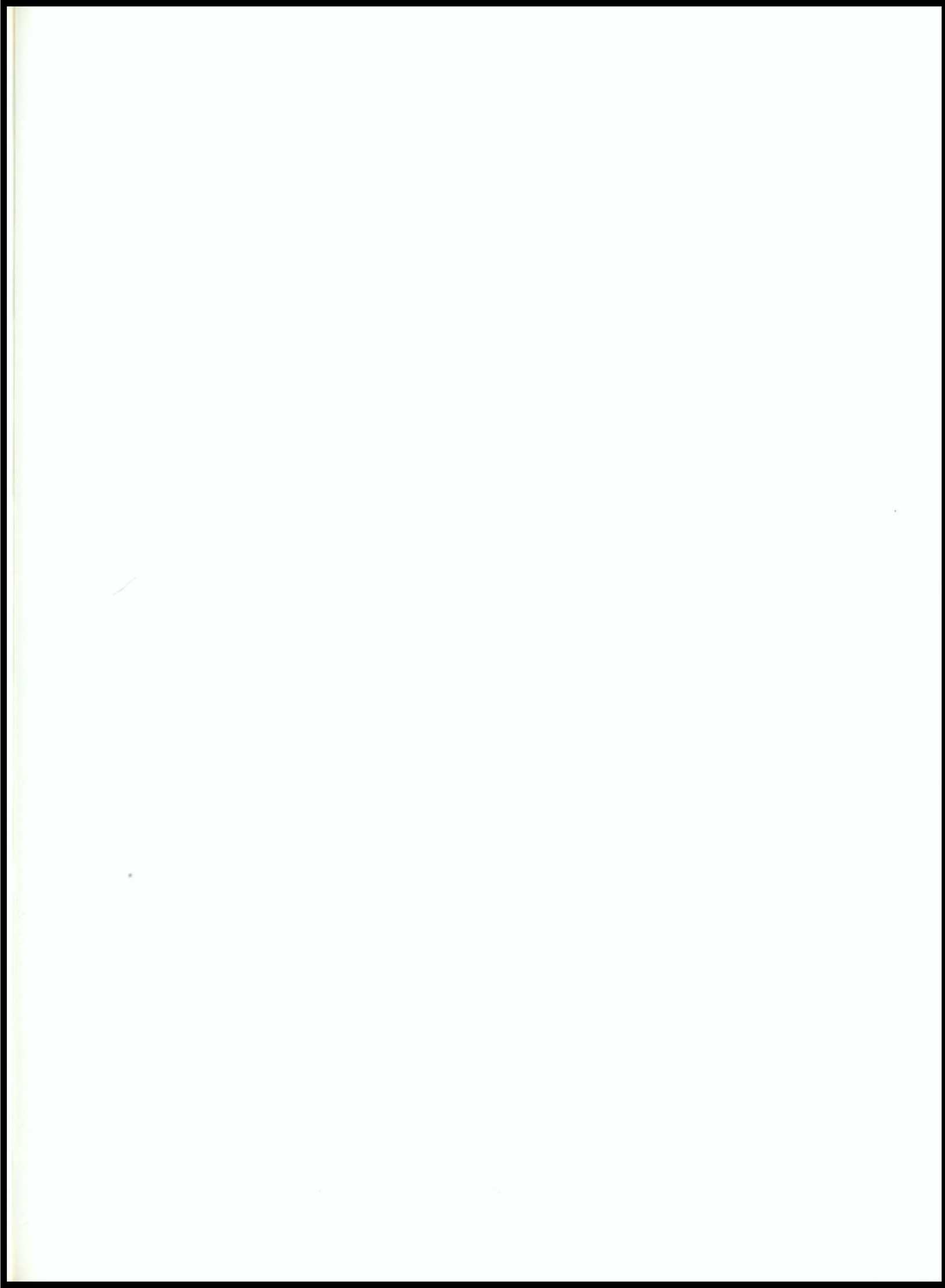
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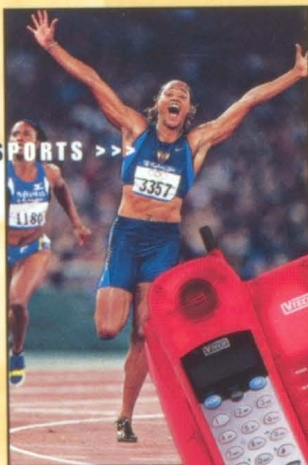


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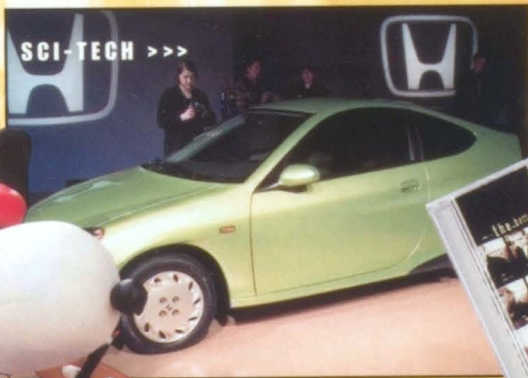


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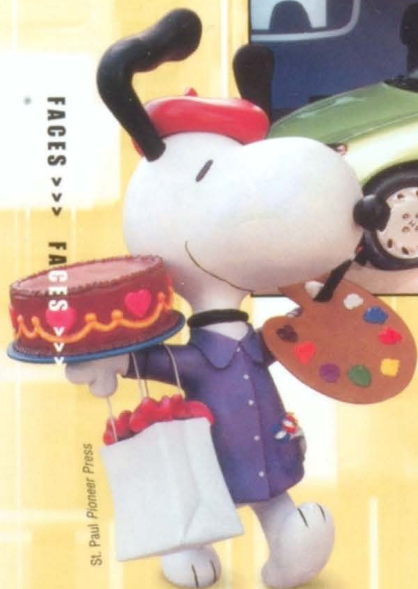
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▲ Gas prices soar across Europe. Heavy taxation policies in France and England cause massive protests and transportation blockades. Both governments eventually promise relief.

✓ The Millennium Bridge, a footbridge across the River Thames connecting London's St. Paul Cathedral with the Tate Modern Art Gallery, opens in June. It is the first bridge to be built over the Thames in 100 years.



▲ Former KGB agent Vladimir Putin is sworn into office as Russia's new president in May 2000, succeeding long-time leader Boris Yeltsin. Despite fears of an authoritarian style, Putin's public approval ratings remain high.



▲ Floods in Southeast Asia are caused by days of pounding rain. Millions are forced to leave their homes and more than a thousand people die in the region's worst flooding in decades.



▲ President Clinton travels to Southeast Asia in November to help mend relations between the United States and Vietnam. He is the first U.S. president to visit Vietnam since the end of the war in 1975.



▲ A cable car carrying skiers and snowboarders in Austria catches fire inside a tunnel, killing more than 150 people on board. It is the worst Alpine disaster in the country's history.



▲ Yugoslav President Slobodan Milosevic is ousted from office in October, ending 13 years of violent rule. Vojislav Kostunica becomes Yugoslavia's first democratically elected president.

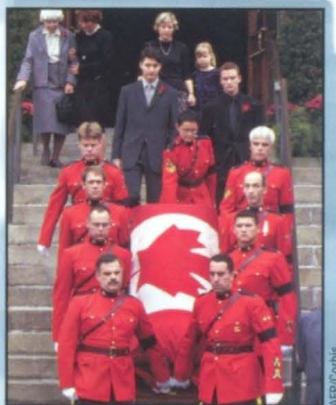


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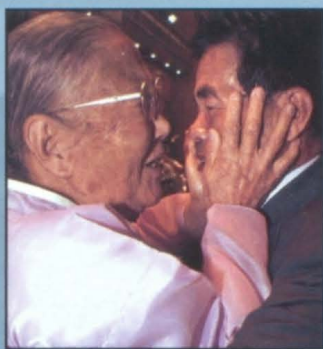
◀ Australian street artists called "Strange Fruit" perform gravity-defying feats around the world. The performers float above the audience on 15-foot fiberglass poles.

President Clinton makes a last-ditch effort to broker a Middle East peace deal before his term ends in January 2001 by drafting a plan for leaders of both Israel and Palestine to review. Israeli Prime Minister Ehud Barak and Palestinian Yasser Arafat agree to review Clinton's proposal, but no deal is signed before month's end.

A Singapore Airlines jumbo jet crashes during takeoff in Taiwan, killing 81 of the 179 people on board. In a blinding rainstorm the pilot uses the wrong runway and collides with construction equipment.



▲ Canada mourns the death of former Prime Minister Pierre Trudeau, who served the country for nearly 16 years. Trudeau, who was 80, is remembered for his flamboyant style and his commitment to keeping Canada a single nation.



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▲ Two hundred North and South Koreans separated from family members since the 1950-1953 Korean war reunite in August. The four-day visits are a goodwill gesture by both countries' leaders, who met for the first time in June.

▼ In August, the Russian nuclear submarine *Kursk* sinks to the bottom of the Barents Sea after an unexplained explosion. All 118 crew members are killed.



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AIDS reaches epidemic proportions in southern Africa. Leaders and citizens throughout the world conduct a massive educational campaign on World AIDS Day December 1 to teach people about the disease that is killing 6,000 sub-Saharan Africans each day.

Uganda is struck by an occurrence of the deadly Ebola virus that is linked to more than 100 deaths. The outbreak is traced to a Gulu woman who died in September and whose body infected other people during the ritual cleansing of the dead.



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▲ In January 2001, a 7.9 magnitude earthquake devastates Gujarat in western India. The huge quake causes an estimated \$5.5 billion in damages and kills more than 20,000 people.



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▲ In August, Somalia elects its first president in nine years. President Abdiqasim Salad Hassan promises to bring peace and economic recovery to the African nation.



Wesley Becker/Liaison

▲ Former Coca-Cola executive Vicente Fox, of the National Action Party, is elected president of Mexico in July, ending the Institutional Revolutionary Party's 71-year reign.



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▲ More than 150 world leaders meet at the U.N. Millennium Summit in September to discuss war, poverty, disease and other global problems. The meeting is the largest gathering of world leaders in history.



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▲ In July, an Air France Concorde supersonic jet catches fire and crashes outside Paris, killing 113 people. The crash is blamed on metal debris which punctured the tires and damaged the fuel tanks.

▼ The worst wave of Middle Eastern violence in years erupts between Israelis and Palestinians, leaving more than 350 dead. A visit by Israeli opposition leader Ariel Sharon to a Jerusalem holy site on September 28 is claimed to have sparked the fighting.



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▲ In the worst forest fire season in 50 years, more than 20,000 firefighters battle blazes in the western United States. More than 80 major wildfires burn across 13 states, forcing hundreds of people to leave their homes.

✓ The U.S. Senate passes the Permanent Normal Trade Relations bill in September to open up trade between the United States and China. The bill is expected to increase U.S. exports by \$13 billion annually.



Michael R. Brown/Liaison

▲ Firestone initiates the largest tire recall in history after dozens of rollover accidents appear to be caused by faulty treads. At least 148 deaths in the United States are linked to the defective tires, although other problems with sport utility vehicles also are under investigation.



David Young-Worff/PhotoEdit

▲ Summer air travelers wait out some of the worst flight delays on record. Bad weather and heavy air traffic cause delays that reach a peak in June, when only 66% of the flights arrive on time.



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▲ Illegal downloading and missing computer tapes threaten the security of the Los Alamos nuclear weapons lab in New Mexico. Several workers at the lab are penalized for mishandling nuclear secrets.



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▲ The Women's Museum: An Institute for the Future opens in September in Dallas. The museum profiles 3,000 remarkable American women and features more than 20 interactive exhibits.



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▲ Many brands of taco shells and corn chips are pulled from store shelves and restaurants after a consumer group detects traces of genetically modified corn not approved for human consumption.

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◀ Convicted of monopoly practices in the software industry, Microsoft Corporation is ordered by a federal district judge in June to break into two separate companies. Company chairman Bill Gates files for an appeal.

A wave of Internet startup companies, once the darlings of the online economy, file for bankruptcy after falling short of stockholders' earnings expectations. The NASDAQ stock exchange, where most dot-coms are traded, loses 39% of its value for the year.

Millions of Californians go for hours without power in January 2001 as utility companies cut off electrical supply due to low reserves. The crisis, blamed on aging generating plants, deregulation, soaring wholesale prices and debt-ridden utilities, spurs other states to begin devising prevention plans.



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▲ The Oklahoma City National Memorial is unveiled in April 2000. The memorial is built to honor the 168 people who died in the 1995 bombing of the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building.



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▲ In the closest presidential election in more than 100 years, Republican George W. Bush of Texas beats Democrat Al Gore from Tennessee. The race isn't decided until 36 days after the popular election, when Florida's hotly contested 25 electoral votes are awarded to Bush.

✓ On December 4, 2000, the U.S. presidency remains in limbo as both Florida and New Mexico officials recount ballots to determine who will win their state's electoral votes. New Mexico goes to Gore. Ultimately, Bush wins Florida which gives him a narrow victory.



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On election night, several TV networks prematurely declare Al Gore the winner in Florida, only later to reverse themselves, twice. The fiasco confirms many Americans' distrust of polling and early "calling" of elections.

In one of his first duties as President-elect, George W. Bush nominates Colin Powell to be Secretary of State. The four-star Army General becomes the first African-American in history to serve in this role.



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▲ Chads, dimpled chads and butterfly ballots become common terms during the election as Florida officials assess voter intent. The confusion generates national discussion for uniform methods of voting.



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▲ The U.S. Supreme Court casts the deciding vote in the nation's election. The court ends the Gore-Bush legal battles in Florida by stopping all recounting, an action that effectively gives Bush victory.



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▲ In a fiery and highly publicized political battle, Hillary Rodham Clinton beats Republican Rick Lazio decisively to become senator from New York. She is the first first lady to be elected to public office.



Dean Curtis/Liaison Agency

▲ Missouri Governor Mel Carnahan is elected to the Senate days after he dies in a November plane crash. His widow, Jean Carnahan, agrees to serve as senator in his place.



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▲ In October, the USS Cole is bombed while refueling in Yemen. A number of terrorist groups are suspected of the blast that kills 17 sailors and injures 39.

✓ The Federal Trade Commission charges the film, recording and video-game industries with marketing violent and adult-rated materials to teens. The entertainment giants are requested to stop the practice or face legal intervention.

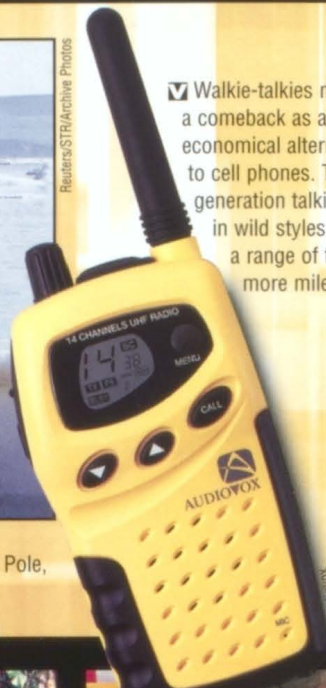


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▲ In August, a mile-wide patch of open water is spotted at the North Pole, dramatizing concerns about global warming.



✓ Walkie-talkies make a comeback as an economical alternative to cell phones. The new generation talkies come in wild styles and have a range of two or more miles.



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▲ New photos of fiery streams of gas that can reach 300,000 miles high may explain why the sun's atmosphere is hotter than its surface.



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▲ In July, Stephen King shakes up the publishing world by releasing one of the first online books, *The Plant*. More than 150,000 copies are downloaded the first week at \$1 per chapter.



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▲ In a Guatemalan jungle, archeologists uncover remains of an ancient Mayan palace. Bigger than two football fields, the palace is one of the largest ever discovered.



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▲ Internet appliances that provide surfing and e-mailing capabilities make their way to homes and schools. The devices offer less expensive Internet access to consumers without home computers.



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▲ In 2000, more than 200 animal species join the Iberian Lynx on the World Conservation Union's List of Threatened Species. Their addition brings the world total to 11,046 plants and animals having threatened status.



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✉ Personal Digital Assistants (PDAs) capable of calendar scheduling, note taking, e-mailing, phoning and Web browsing go mainstream in 2000. Competition among manufacturers heats up with Microsoft, BlackBerry, Palm and other brands vying for shares of the teen and business markets.

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Paleontologists identify a new species of dinosaur from fossils found in northern Italy. The 26-foot-long, meat-eating *Saltriosaur* is one of the world's oldest dinosaurs, dating back 200 million years.

Scientists are forced to rethink the traditional definitions of a star and planet when 18 massive planet-like bodies that don't revolve around a sun are discovered in the Sigma Orionis cluster.

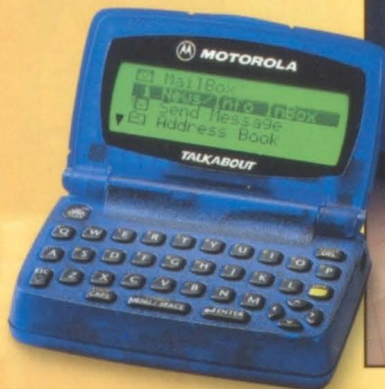


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▲ Final touches are made to the International Space Station for its first residents. American astronaut Bill Shepherd and two Russian cosmonauts live on the space station for four months starting in November.



✔ Wireless devices that send real-time personal messages between users become the latest communication craze. The "instant messages" can be typed, written or spoken, depending on the brand, and devices cost less than \$100.



✔ In 2000, both Honda and Toyota launch gas-electric hybrid cars. Operated by a battery-powered electric motor and a gas-run engine, the hybrids get up to 70 miles per gallon on the highway and release minimal emissions.



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New Internet domain names are created to lessen the load on the old .com standard. The new names, slated for use in mid-2001, include .info for general use, .biz for businesses, .name for individuals and .pro for professionals.

Scientists complete a rough "map" of the genetic code that makes a person human. The map will aid in the detection and prevention of cancer and other illnesses.



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▲ PlanetPortal unveils the WebRemote, a remote built for use with the Internet. Users can surf their favorite sites at the touch of a button instead of keying addresses or scrolling a list of bookmarked pages.

▲ Scientists discover an ancient standing lizard fossil in a German quarry, suggesting that dinosaurs may not have been the first creatures to walk upright.

▲ The Hubble Space Telescope shows never-before-seen details of a "cosmic butterfly," material ejected by a star in the later stages of its life.

▲ Computer scientists at Brandeis University make a robot that can design and build other robots with minimal help from humans.

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▲ Amtrak introduces the nation's first high-speed train in November. The "Acela Express" travels up to 150 miles per hour and runs between Washington, D.C., New York and Boston, with other routes planned for coming years.

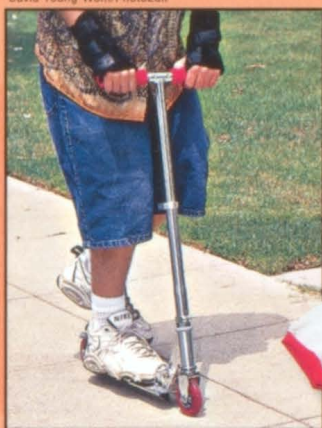
✔ Apple Computer unveils its new G4 Cube computer in July. The 8-inch crystalline cube is commended for its small size, high speed, low noise level, touch-sensitive power activation and padless optical mouse.



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▲ High-tech, fold-up metal versions of the old scooter are one of the year's hottest modes of transportation but also a leading cause of injury.

✓ Message T-shirts become fashion statements among teen girls. "Foxy Lady," "Princess" and "Monkey Around" are just a few of the tongue-in-cheek logos that appear on the popular shirts.



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By the end of 2000, an estimated 75% of U.S. universities offer courses online and more than 5.8 million students have logged on.

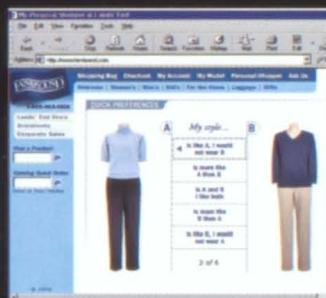
With the 2000 unemployment rate at a low of 4%, college students working as summer interns command wages up to \$20 an hour, along with compensation packages, from high-tech and Internet companies.



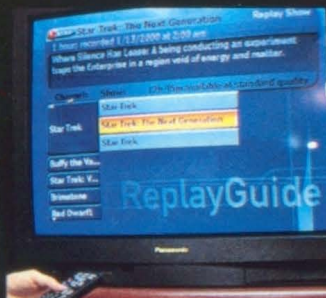
▲ Companies like Estee Lauder, Origins, Hermes and Blistex begin to market products in portable single-use packets. Products include nail polish remover, scented wipes, hair conditioners and moisturizers.



▲ Stick-on crystals and gems become popular fashion accessories for teen girls, accenting the face, neck and shoulders.



▲ Mail-order clothing pioneer Lands' End introduces "scan wear." The technology captures customers' body measurements, and allows users to virtually "try on" clothing when ordering via the Internet.



▲ "Personal TVs" by TiVo and ReplayTV allow users to control live TV by pausing or rewinding and to record their favorite shows without having to set a VCR timer or purchase videotapes.



▲ Chrysler rolls out its 1930s retro car, the PT Cruiser, in spring 2000. The five-door "personal transportation" wagon is a hot seller, beating the popular Volkswagen New Beetle by two to one in the first month. It also wins *Motor Trend* magazine's 2001 Car of the Year.

✓ Teens involved in anti-smoking organizations such as The Truth and Target Market strike back at Big Tobacco for marketing to youth, by launching their own in-your-face advertising campaigns targeting cigarette makers. The print and broadcast ads are sponsored by funds won from tobacco suit settlements.



Chris Hondros/Newsmakers/Liaison

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Target Market



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▲ The Millennium Force, the world's tallest and fastest roller coaster, opens in May 2000 at the Cedar Point amusement park in Sandusky, Ohio. The ride has a 300-foot drop and travels up to 92 miles per hour.

✓ A new computer video game called "The Sims," which simulates the life of a suburban family, develops a fanatical following with teens. Players create the characters and guide them through building a house, furnishing it, finding a career and running a family in their pursuit of happiness.



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▲ Jim Carrey stirs up trouble in the town of Whoville in an adaptation of the Dr. Seuss classic, *How the Grinch Stole Christmas*. *The Grinch*, which opens in November, is the highest grossing film of 2000.



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▲ *Meet the Parents*, starring Robert De Niro and Ben Stiller, opens in October. The movie wins Favorite Comedy Motion Picture at the People's Choice Awards, and De Niro earns a Golden Globe nomination.

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▲ In July, CBS launches "Big Brother," a reality-based show in which 10 people share living quarters for three months until all but one are voted out. Viewers can monitor contestants 24/7 on the show's Web site.



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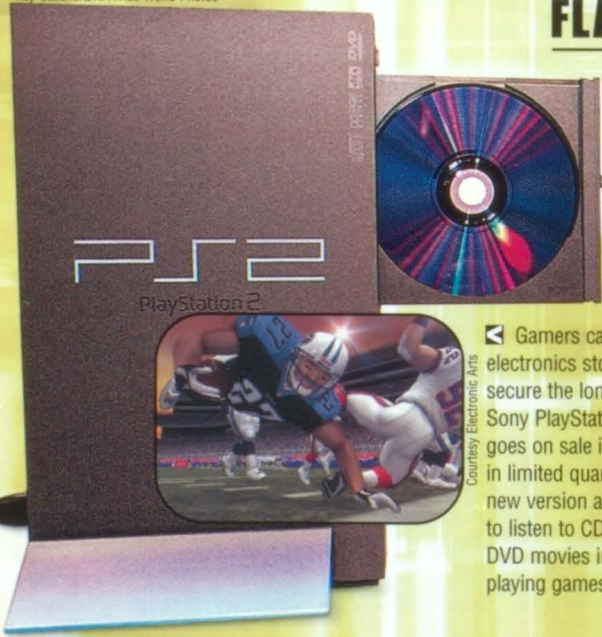
▲ UPN's weekly series "WWF Smackdown!" starring professional wrestler The Rock is the network's most-watched show in 2000, with 7.3 million viewers.



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▲ In December, *Cast Away* is released, starring Tom Hanks as a crash victim stranded on a desert island for four years. For his nearly one-man performance Hanks wins Best Actor at the Golden Globes.

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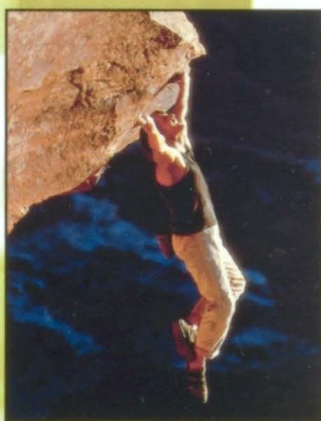


◀ Gamers camp outside electronics stores to secure the long-awaited Sony PlayStation 2, which goes on sale in October in limited quantities. The new version allows users to listen to CDs and watch DVD movies in addition to playing games.

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The first big hit in 2001 is *Save the Last Dance*, which opens in January. The teen romance, starring Julia Stiles and Sean Patrick Thomas, earns close to \$50 million in its first two weeks.

Pay It Forward, a movie based on the idea of performing random acts of kindness, opens in October starring Haley Joel Osment, Kevin Spacey and Helen Hunt.



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▲ Tom Cruise reprises his role as Ethan Hunt in the action sequel *Mission: Impossible 2*. The May release is summer's biggest box-office draw and 2000's second-highest grossing film, earning more than \$215 million.



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▲ NBC's White House drama "The West Wing," starring Martin Sheen, Allison Janney and Richard Schiff, sets a record for receiving the most Emmys in a single season with nine wins, including Outstanding Drama Series.

▼ Popular television series prompt the introduction of board game versions. "Survivor" and "Who Wants To Be a Millionaire" lead the list of new releases.



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In November, illusionist David Blaine is encased in ice for 62 hours in New York's Times Square, assisted only with air and water tubes and a catheter. Blaine, who was seeking notoriety over national TV, survives the stunt but requires hospitalization.

Russell Crowe becomes a household name with the release of *Gladiator*. The epic film wins a Golden Globe Award for Best Drama as well as an acting nod for Crowe.



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▲ NBC's "Will & Grace" is one of television's 10 most watched shows in 2000. Actors Sean Hayes and Megan Mullally win Emmys for their roles as Jack and Karen.



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▲ *Scary Movie*, the Wayans brothers' spoof on horror movies, is among the year's 10 highest grossing films. The July release earns more than \$157 million and is voted the Teen Choice Awards Movie of the Summer.



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▲ Fox's "Dark Angel" is voted Favorite New Television Dramatic Series at the 2001 People's Choice Awards. The series, set in the year 2019, explores the life of a genetically enhanced heroine named Max.

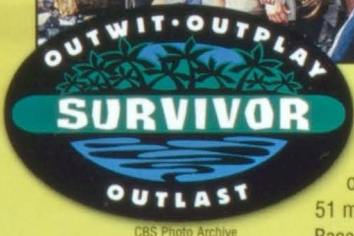


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▲ In July, Wolverine, Cyclops, Storm and other super-powerful comic book characters are brought to life in *X-Men*. The movie grosses over \$157 million, one of the year's 10 biggest box-office draws.



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▲ The year's hottest TV show is CBS's "Survivor," in which 16 contestants compete for a million dollars by surviving on a tropical island for 39 days. More than 51 million viewers tune in for the final episode. Based on its success, CBS launches a second "Survivor" series in January 2001 set in the Australian Outback.

▼ *Charlie's Angels*, based on the popular '70s TV series, is one of the top 20 box-office draws in 2000. The movie, starring director Drew Barrymore, Cameron Diaz and Lucy Liu, earns \$40 million its opening week in November and grosses more than \$123 million during its run.



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▲ In response to the growing interest in Latin music, CBS airs the "1st Annual Latin Grammy Awards" in September. The show is the first primetime network Spanish language telecast on American TV and draws 7.5 million viewers.



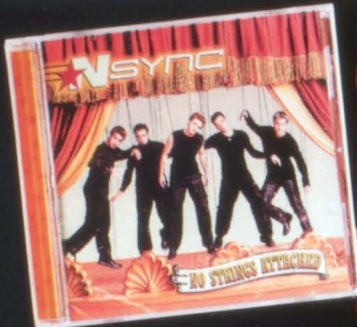
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✓ A new board game called "Hip-Hop Hall of Fame" capitalizes on the popularity of the music genre. Players make their way around an album-like board by answering questions about Hip-Hop performers, songs, culture and history.



Tara Canova/Rena Limited, USA

▲ Hip-Hop remains one of the year's dominant sounds, with acts such as DMX, Jay-Z and Ludacris all making *Billboard's* Top 40 with new songs and selling more than a million copies of their latest CDs.



▲ 'N Sync's *No Strings Attached* becomes the top-selling album of 2000 with 10 million units sold. The lead single "Bye Bye Bye" wins three MTV awards and receives a Grammy nomination for Record of the Year.



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▲ Pop star Björk wins MTV's Breakthrough Video Award for "All Is Full of Love." The Icelandic newcomer is also nominated for a Golden Globe and a Grammy for her music in *Dancer In the Dark*.



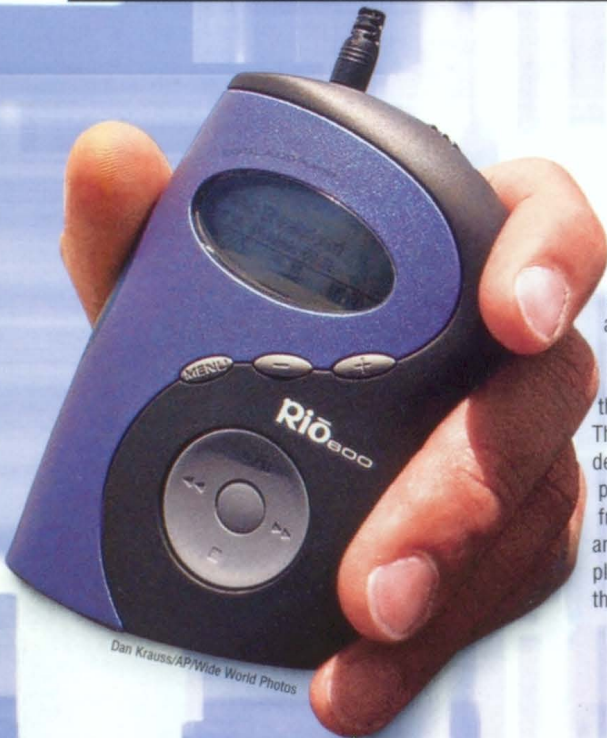
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▲ Macy Gray wins MTV's Best New Artist in a Video award for her hit single "I Try." Gray is also nominated for three Grammys.



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▲ Lee Ann Womack wins the Country Music Association's award for Best Single with "I Hope You Dance." Womack also receives several Grammy nominations.



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☞ New brands and styles of portable MP3 players inundate the market in 2000. The new-generation devices store and play digital music from the Internet and feature more playing time than their predecessors.

Madonna scores a record-setting 12th No. 1 single with the release of "Music." In December, she weds director Guy Ritchie in a Scottish castle.

Irish artist Samantha Mumba makes the music charts in 2001 with her hit song "Gotta Tell You." The 17-year-old joins fellow countrymen U2 and The Corrs on the American airwaves.



Christopher Lee Helton/Rena Ltd, USA

▲ Creed, with lead singer Scott Stapp, proves to be one of 2000's hottest rock bands, with their singles "Higher" and "With Arms Wide Open" hitting the top 5 on *Billboard's* Hot 100 singles list. The group wins American Music Association's Favorite Alternative Artist and Favorite Pop/Rock Album.



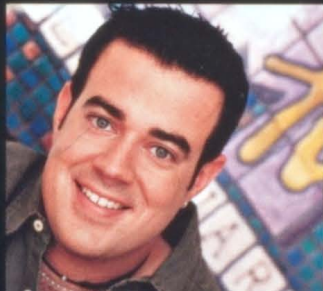
Opening week sales records are shattered in 2000 with benchmarks set for the number of albums sold. Britney Spears' *Oops...I Did it Again*, Eminem's *The Marshall Mathers LP*, Limp Bizkit's *Chocolate Starfish and the Hot Dog Flavored Water* and Backstreet Boys' *Black & Blue* all break the million-unit mark.

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The Beatles begin 2001 atop the *Billboard* album chart with the album *1*. The CD sells more than 5 million copies over the holiday season.

Sisqo, a member of the R&B band Dru Hill, goes solo in 2000. The singer tops the singles chart with "Incomplete" and "Thong Song" and takes home awards from *Billboard* and the American Music Association.

Napster loses several court battles with the recording industry over copyright infringement. The popular online music sharing service, with over 60 million users, faces shut-down unless it can create a new business formula that satisfies the major recording labels.



MTV's "Total Request Live," which allows viewers to vote for their favorite music videos, continues to gain popularity. Host Carson Daly becomes one of the year's best-known faces.

Destiny's Child achieves three back-to-back No. 1 singles in 2000, making the band *Billboard's* Top Pop Artist of 2000. The group is nominated for five Grammys, four for the single "Say My Name."

Faith Hill and Tim McGraw perform to sellout crowds on their Soul 2 Soul tour. Hill and McGraw win the Country Music Association's Female and Male Vocalist of the Year, making them the first couple to win in the same year.

Pink is one of the year's top new artists. Her debut album, *Can't Take Me Home*, sells 2 million copies, and two of her songs are Top 10 hits.

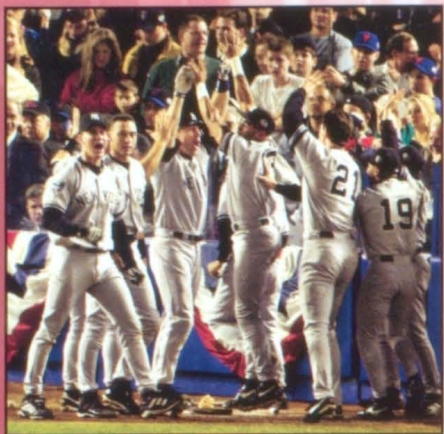
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Baha Men's hit song "Who Let the Dogs Out" reaches anthem status at sports stadiums across the country. The song also wins a Grammy nomination for Best Dance Recording.

Rock music dominates the music charts and award shows in 2000. Groups including matchbox twenty, Vertical Horizon and 3 Doors Down top both the rock and pop singles charts with their respective singles "Bent," "Everything You Want," and "Kryptonite."

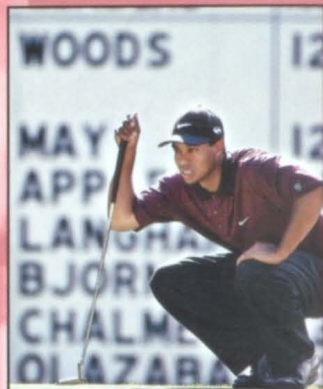




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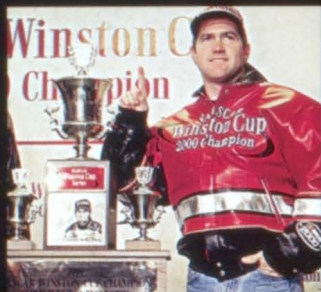
▲ The New York Yankees defeat the New York Mets four games to one in the first "Subway Series" since 1956. It is the Yankees' third straight World Series win and their 26th overall.

▼ American Marion Jones, 24, becomes the first woman to win five track and field medals in a single Olympic Games at the 2000 Summer Games in Sydney. Jones wins the 100- and 200-meter sprints and the 4x400 relay, and finishes third in both the 4x100 relay and long jump.



Chantel Neuberg/AP/Wide World Photos

▲ Tiger Woods, 24, wins three of golf's four major tournaments to become the youngest player to win a career grand slam. Woods also breaks the earnings record for a single year with winnings of more than \$9 million.



Ric Field/AP/Wide World Photos

▲ Bobby Labonte wins the 2000 NASCAR Winston Cup, his first after eight years on the circuit. Labonte and his brother Terry, winner of two previous Winston Cups, are the first brothers to win titles.



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▲ The Houston Comets beat the New York Liberty to win the 2000 WNBA championship. The win is Houston's fourth in a row, and star Cynthia Cooper is named the finals MVP.



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▲ In the 2001 Orange Bowl, the underdog Oklahoma Sooners defeat the Florida State Seminoles 13-2 to win the National Championship. It is Oklahoma's first title in 15 years.



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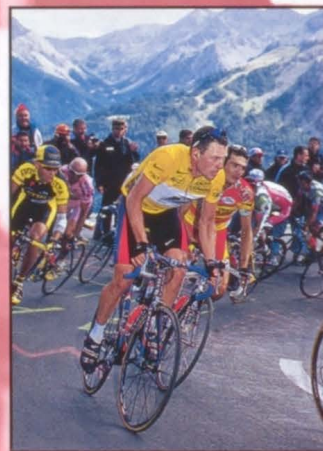
▲ Australian Karrie Webb is named the LPGA's Player of the Year for the second time in a row. Webb wins seven titles in 2000, including the U.S. Women's Open in July, and sets an earnings record of \$1.8 million.

▼ Venus Williams dominates women's tennis. The 20-year-old has a 35-match winning streak, which includes the titles at Wimbledon and the U.S. Open as well as an Olympic gold medal.

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With a win against the University of Dayton in September, Yale becomes the first college team to win 800 football games.

In January 2001, after a three-year hiatus, legendary Mario Lemieux returns to play for the Pittsburgh Penguins, the hockey team he now part-owns. Lemieux becomes the first owner/player in the history of the NHL.

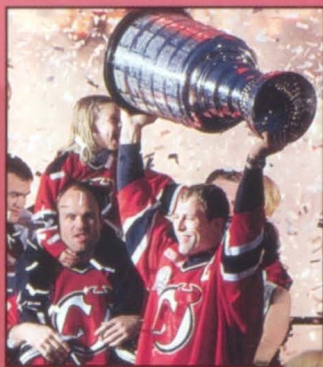


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▲ Cyclist Lance Armstrong wins his second consecutive Tour de France in July. Armstrong, a cancer survivor, also writes his autobiography *It's Not About the Bike: My Journey Back to Life*.



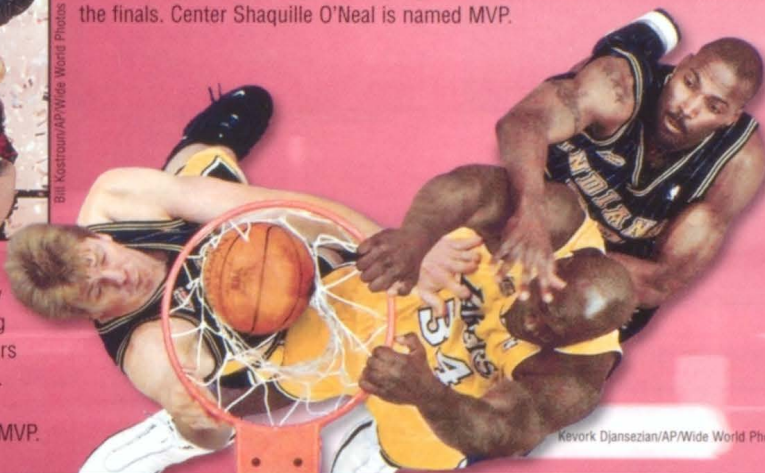
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✓ The Los Angeles Lakers win the NBA championship, the franchise's first in 12 years. The Lakers beat the Indiana Pacers in game six of the finals. Center Shaquille O'Neal is named MVP.

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The racing world is stunned when NASCAR legend Dale Earnhardt Sr., a seven-time Winston Cup champion, is killed on the last lap of the Daytona 500 in February 2001. NASCAR does not retire numbers, but car owner Richard Childress said he will never again race Earnhardt's black No. 3 car.



Kevork Djiansean/AP/Wide World Photos

Xtreme Football debuts in February 2001. The game combines conventional football rules with some of the mayhem of professional wrestling. Eight teams play in the league's first season.

▲ In June, the New Jersey Devils win their second Stanley Cup in six seasons by defeating defending champion Dallas Stars four games to two in the finals. Scott Stevens wins the Conn Smythe Trophy for postseason MVP.



▲ Laura Wilkinson overcomes three broken toes to win the women's 10-meter platform diving competition. Wilkinson is the first American woman to earn the gold in this Olympic event since 1964.

▲ In a huge upset, American Greco-Roman wrestler Rulon Gardner defeats Russian legend Alexander Karelin for the gold in the super heavyweight class. The loss is Karelin's first in 13 years.

▲ American swimmer Misty Hyman beats out heavily favored Susie O'Neill of Australia to win the 200-meter butterfly. Hyman's winning time of 2:05.88 is an Olympic record.

▲ American runner Michael Johnson makes history by winning the 400-meter run for an unprecedented second time in a row at the Olympics. Alvin Harrison, also from the United States, wins the silver medal.



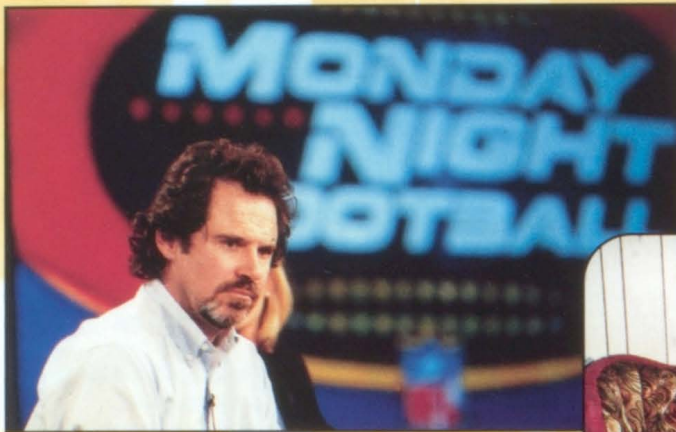
▲ Cathy Freeman carries the Olympic torch at the opening ceremonies of the 2000 Summer Games in Sydney. Freeman goes on to win the 400-meter dash, becoming the first Aboriginal Australian to earn an individual Olympic gold medal.

✓ The Baltimore Ravens beat the New York Giants 34-7 in Super Bowl XXXV for their first NFL title. Ray Lewis of Baltimore's highly touted defense is named MVP of the game.



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Paula Prince of Port Richey, Florida, wins the sixth annual Ugly Couch Contest, sponsored by a slipcover manufacturer, with her vintage '70s entry. Prince and two other contest finalists appear on ABC's "Live! With Regis" in October.

Comedian Dennis Miller debuts as co-announcer on ABC's "Monday Night Football." Miller's offbeat humor gets a mixed reaction from fans, and the series earns some of the lowest ratings in its 31-year history.



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Fred Rogers, host of the children's PBS show "Mister Rogers' Neighborhood," announces he will tie his tennis shoes for the last time, when his final new episode airs in August 2001. Rogers will continue to work on Web sites, books and special museum projects.



Daniel Huhshizer/AP/Wide World Photos

To observe society and learn about himself, New Jersey native Brett Banfe, 18, takes a one-year vow of silence. He communicates by e-mail, facial expressions and business cards.



Andy Lyons/Alisport

Runner Marla Runyan, who is legally blind, becomes the first U.S. Paralympian to compete in the Olympics. Runyan places 8th in the 1,500-meter run at the 2000 Summer Games in Sydney, Australia.



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England celebrates the 100th birthday of the Queen Mum, mother of Queen Elizabeth, in August. The beloved Mum becomes the oldest living royal in the history of the British Monarchy.



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In October, Slovenian climber Davo Karnicar becomes the first person to ski down Mount Everest. Karnicar's two-mile descent down the world's highest mountain takes five hours.

In honor of the late cartoonist Charles M. Schulz, 101 fiberglass Snoopy statues — each in a theme wardrobe — are displayed in Schulz's hometown of St. Paul. Several are auctioned off in October to raise money for aspiring cartoonists.

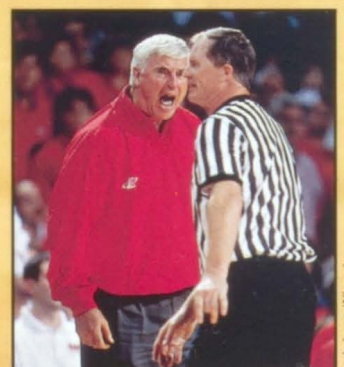


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Video gamer Josh Griffith, 17, starts a business filling in for other gamers involved in an online roleplaying game called "Asheron's Call." Players are required to put in hours of game time to keep their online characters powerful. Busy executives pay Griffith up to \$40 an hour to play for them.

After a record 3,545 wins and \$81 million in earnings during her 19-year career, jockey Julie Krone becomes the first woman inducted into the National Racing Hall of Fame.



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Controversial Indiana University basketball coach Bob Knight is fired in September after allegedly violating a University-imposed code of conduct. During his 29 years at Indiana, Knight was often criticized for temper outbursts. His dismissal provokes student protest demonstrations.

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