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"Academic Super Bowl's Social Studies team rules!" Vanessa Shafer, junior

"Don't eat yellow snow." Darcy Replogle and Dina Coverstone, seniors

"There will always be someone better than you, but always try your best!" Shiloh Butler, senior

"To Danielle Powell- We are the semis and they're the pedestrians." Amber Baker, senior

"SENIORS! WE'RE FINALLY OUTTA HERE. WATCH OUT WORLD. HERE WE COME!" ALICIA PRATER, SENIOR

"The memories we build today, make lasting impressions. "Danielle Powell, junior

"Sophomores rule. We beat the seniors in powder puff." Stephanie White, sophomore

"Joe thinks he's cool." Mary Noburn, senior

"I remember when I was a freshman I was walking up the stairs, tripped and grabbed Clint Beasley's butt." Becky Neterer, junior

"Tippy rocks my world." Blake Knisely, junior

"who's matt's dad?" dora mihaly, senior and emily minnick, sophomore

"Ryan Speicher is my twin brother." Rustin Mikel, junior

"Steven Ummel is everybody's relative!" seniors

"SENIORS RULE." DARCY R. AND LINZ S., seniors

"I remember when Miguel Roa paid me his lunch money for a semester so I wouldn't give him a wedgie." Scott Ousley, senior

"Hey Ken , Hi ya Barbie." Sarah Korenstra and Kassie Biddle, seniors

"The Crew is Loose." Scott Frantz, senior

"MMM THIS LEMONADE IS GOOD." MARY COCKBURN AND KARI KNISELY, SENIORS

"HIGH SCHOOL IS NOT A TIME OR PLACE BUT A STATE OF MIND." RACHEL SPIEGEL, SENIOR

"YOU BETTER WATCH OUT, CHEWY, I'LL CALL THE ANIMAL CONTROL CENTER!" RYAN PERLANOWSKI, SENIOR

"I remember when Scott Ousley threw the guts of a crayfish on me in biology." Travis Johnson, senior

"O Do you hear the joyful sound Jesus Saves, Jesus Saves." Misti Cosinger, sophomore

"LIFE IS A LOT MORE FUN IF YOU REMEMBER TO SMILE." C. MARTIN, TEACHER

"Is it cold?" Tyler Campbell, freshman

"Smile." Melinda Cook, Sophomore

"Joe is cool!" Joe, senior

"Whiz kidz rule!" Rusty VanLue, senior

"Whiz Kidz Rule!!!" Peter Wagoner, senior

"How fast were you going when you unhitched your trailer?" Rob Schlipf, senior

"Procrastination is like a credit card, it's lots of fun until you get the bill!" Dina Coverstone, senior

"I'LL NEVER FORGET WHEN I WAS EXCUSED FROM MRS. HARKLEROAD'S CLASS." JASON HAAB, SENIOR

"A way of life can be a slow death." anonymous

"I'll never forget when AKA played at the talent show." Will Glaser, freshman

"We are all worms, but I consider myself a glowworm." Katie Jones, sophomore

"Moerchen, how's your nose?" from The Guys

"It's time for the perkilater!" Ashlie Knisely, freshmen

"Da Whiz Kidz Rule!" Da Whiz Kidz, seniors

the crew rocks! shang beer. senior

"powderpuff is fun." amanda aronhalt

"I'm single." Seth Scantlen, senior

"We love Hacienda and we will miss Scoop D' Doos." Laura Lundin and Katie McCauley, sophomores, and Mary Cockburn, senior

"Fox Fire," Da Frosh Cheerleaders

"Homework ticks me off." Jon Flees, senior

"We love you, Manson." The Preps

"coletrain- wait till you see tomorrow." jeff moerchen

"Praise God for Tippy." John Heckaman, junior

"Rock on witcha bad self!" Tracey Gradle and Alicia Holterman, seniors

"Diane, can hearing problems be cured in a roller coaster?" Mari Heininen, senior

"Steve Ummel you know you want Kara Mathew as your wife!" Kari Wortinger, senior

"W'sup skippy?" Shiloh B. and Kara M., seniors

"THE CREW IS AWESOME!" RYAN SPEICHER, SENIOR

"BOOM!" anonymous

"UKAY... UKAY... UKAY, UKAY, UKAY!" MARY COCKBURN AND KARI KNISELY, SENIORS

"Is it flubber?" Emily Cline and Shasta Gearhart, freshmen

"the day i walk into my dorm will be the day i actually enjoy school!" kyle wurtzel, senior

"THATA-WAY!" LYDIA CARPENTER, SENIOR

"BRAD BROWN, I'M STILL WAITING TO SEE YOUR 4.4 SPEED." MR. BERG, TEACHER

"Kari Wortinger, you still owe me $5!" Travis Coy, senior

"Futang! Futang!" Justin Clark, junior

"WHO'S YOUR DADDY?" KARCH SHIPLEY AND JESSICA CHRISTOFFEL, SENIORS

"Let freedom ring forever." Ben Hire, senior

"Totally Awesome!", Angie Beer and Colleen Hickey, sophomores

"Dustin Silva needs to follow John Hulley's steps." John Hulley, senior

"It's all your fault." Kari Knisely, senior

"I love you Shquyen!" Krista Bestul, sophomore

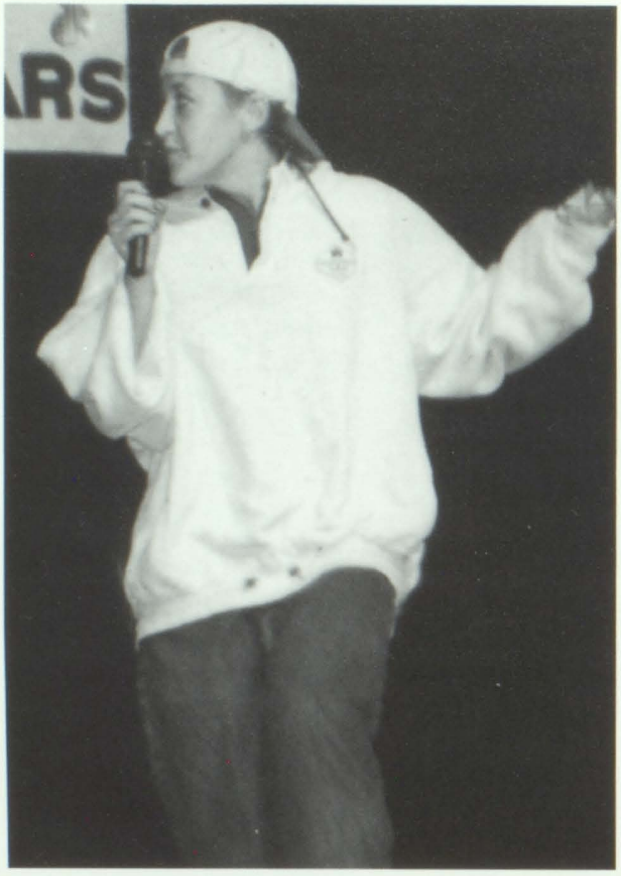
"I love you Jace Stewart." Todd Lovellette, sophomore

"Come hang with the doggs!" Aaron McFarland, senior

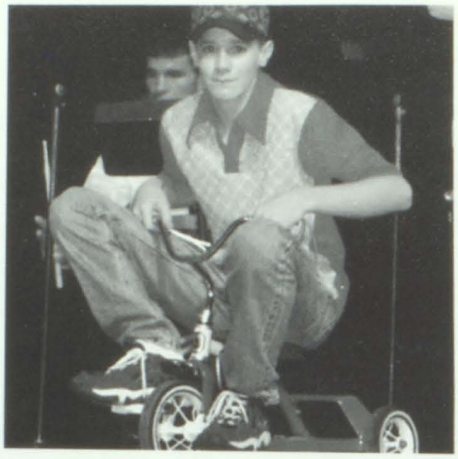
"I remember having the greatest time at the Phish concert! It literally kicked butt! Speaking of rear ends: to Christa Olson, always remember to land on your feet when falling and watch out for flying sun glasses!" Tina Dang, senior

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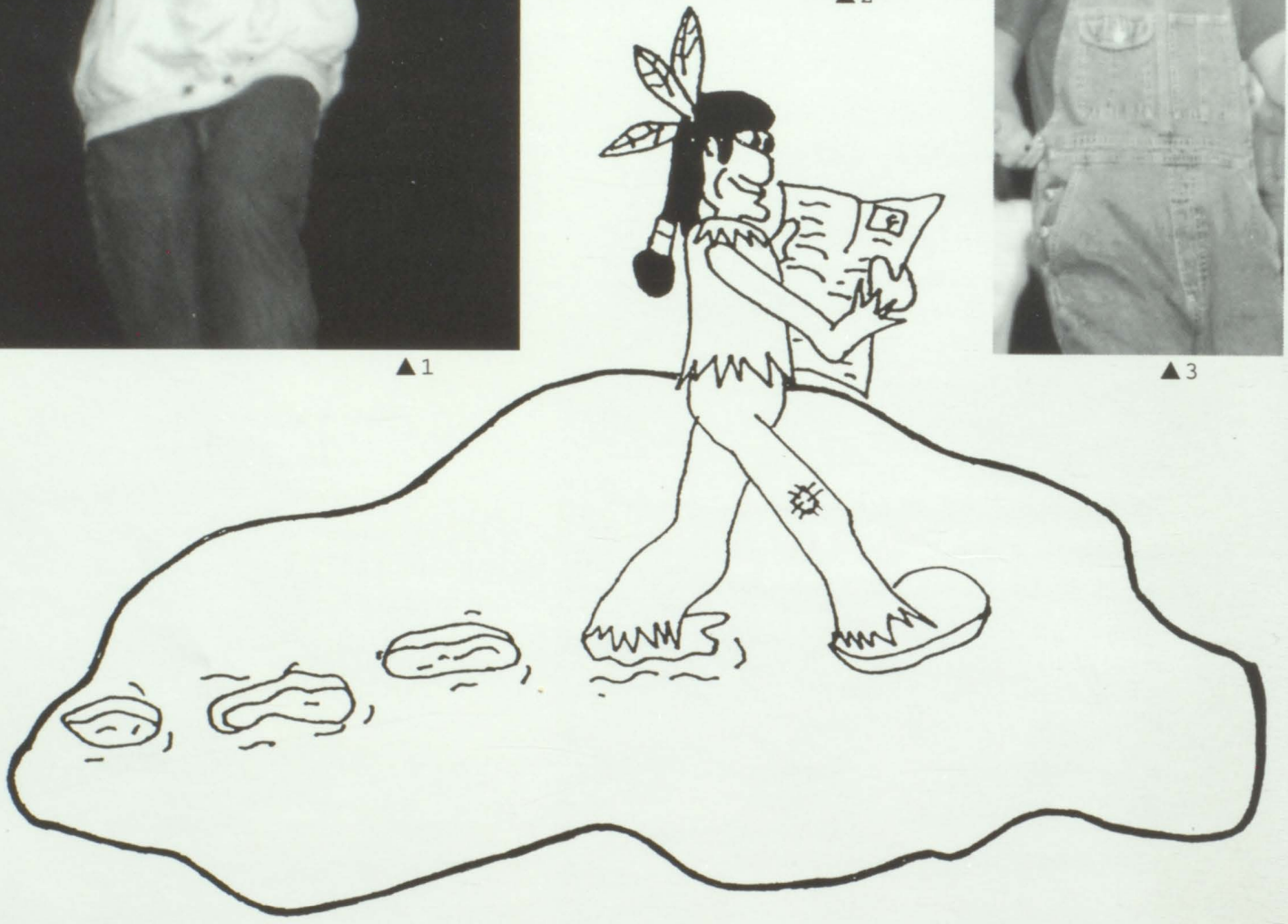
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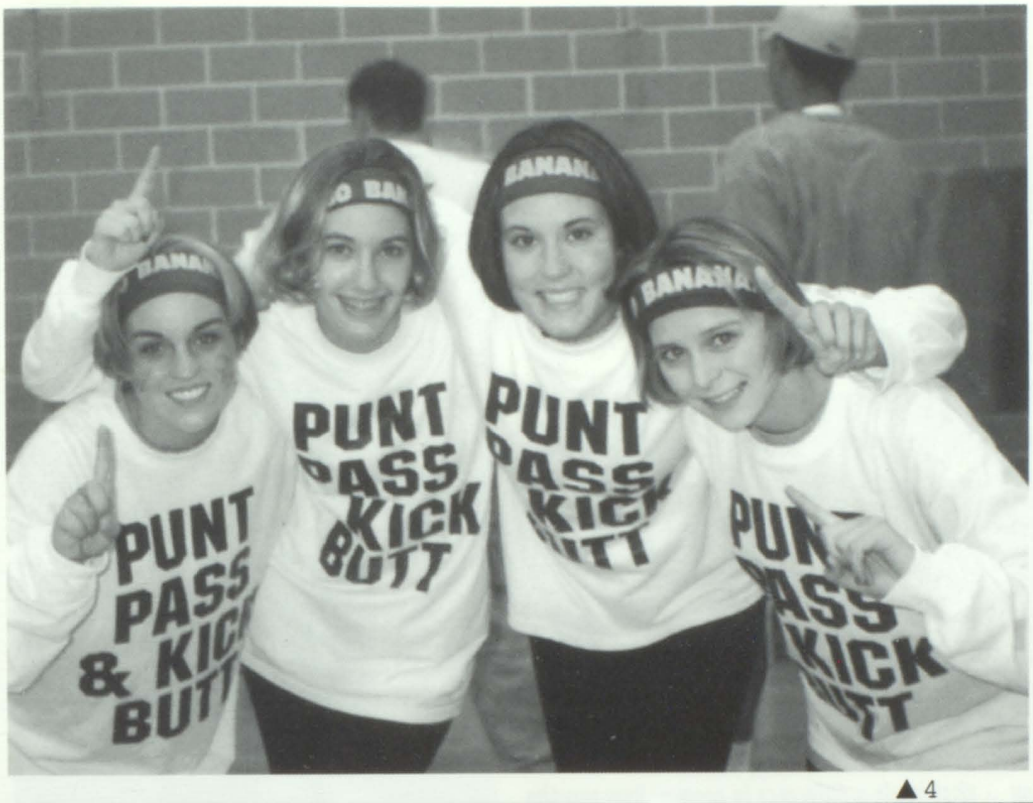
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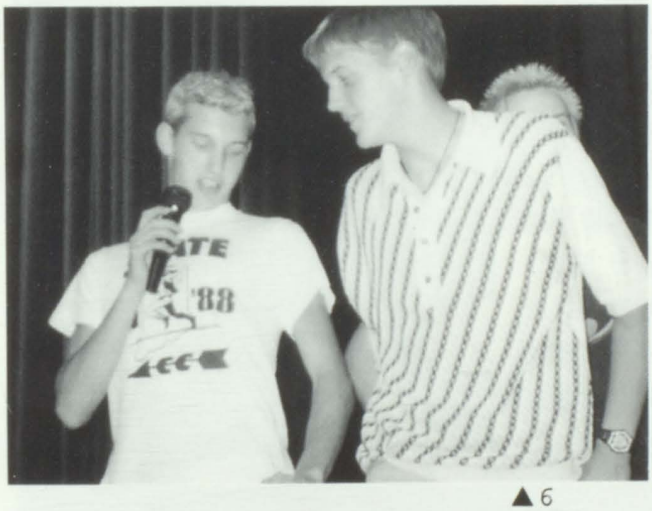
Student Life



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1. Jane Wamsley performs her lip synch at the talent show. 2. Rob Schlipf rides his tricycle in the senior skit. 3. Brenda Wong dances during her performance with the Varsity Singers. 4. Abby Bultemeier, Sarah Korenstra, Kassidy Biddle, and Shiloh Bulter show who is number one before the power puff game. 5. Thomas Vanness and Terry Sahagun show their school spirit during hat day. 6. Jeff Moerchen checks his hand for the team's cross country record , while Curtis Shoemaker listens to make sure he is correct. 7. Sara Frantz and Christy McGowen are happy to be at the football game. 8. What are Josh Cole, Rustin Mikel, Miguel Roa, and Chad Wortinger doing?

Creating good impressions

Many people in the school and the community often got the wrong impression about teenagers. Most of the things they heard about were negative, but there were also a lot of positive things that kids did that often did not get recognized. There were many times throughout the school year that students did good things for the school or community. One example of this was KYLA. The Kosciusko Youth Leadership Academy was an organization dedicated to making young people aware of and involved in the community as they neared graduation and prepared for college or the workforce. Four WHS students attended monthly meetings in Warsaw. Yet another example of students showing great action was the student council. They had three projects: recycling, penny pitch, and sponsoring a family at Christmas. The students collected paper every Thursday and emptied it into large bins. The paper was then taken by the Papers, Inc. The Council also held a penny pitch where each class competed to see who had the most spare pocket change. The money was then put towards gift certificates for needy families in the community. The SRC also sponsored a family every Christmas. They held a fund raiser to get money and then gave the family presents and food. One more group of students that made a difference in peoples' lives was the wrestling team. They also sponsored a family by raising money and then buying necessities for them. Yet another group of students that really helped people was the Key Club. The club was organized and supervised by Mrs. Pletcher. They were dedicated to helping people through many different projects such as big brothers, big sisters. In reality there were many students that positively contributed to the school and community.



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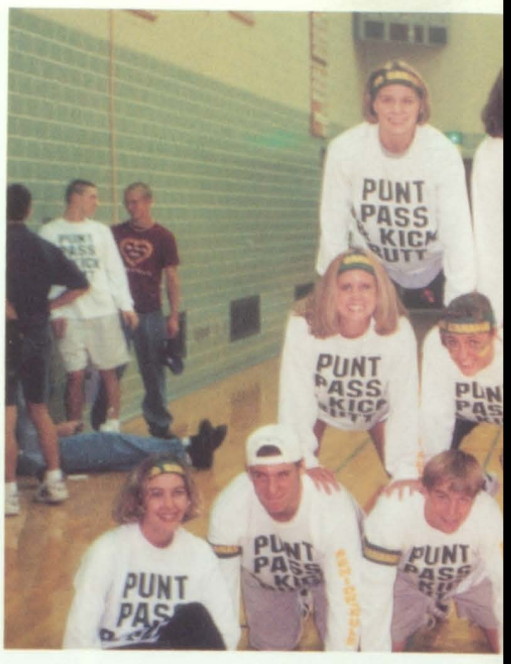


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1. Leigh Anne Gerber and Jordan Bender count change for penny pitch. 2. A child plays cards at the big brothers, big sisters party. 3. Amber Baker and Danielle Powell count change for penny pitch. 4. Children play games at big brothers, big sisters, sponsored by Key Club. 5. Sarah Korenstra is having lots of fun recycling for SRC. 6. The KYLA members are row 1: Jena Bessinger, Lindsey Boyer, WHS; Jennifer Young, Kathryn Masur, Marissalyn Hicks, Teri Neer; row 2: Amanda Morphew, Kristi Brandon, WHS; Amanda Hatton, Stephanie Moore, Emily Brown, Jenny Workman, WHS; row 3: Stephanie Warner, Shana Miner, Laura Petersen, Tabatha King, WHS; Tamar Strohschein, Kacey Kotkamp, Adam Goble.; row 4: Brandan Chapman, Andy Price, Benjamin Ashpole, WHS; Kyle Smith, Chris Osbeck, Ian Webb. 7. The wrestling team sponsors a needy family. 8. A big brother plays a card game.

Celebrating previous decades

Wawasee's Homecoming was as exciting as ever with the theme "Warriors through the Decades." Each class was assigned a decade for the week: seniors-60's, juniors-80's, sophs-70's, and frosh-90's. The freshmen placed first in the penny race, with sky high totals. Sophomores came in first in the float and powder puff competitions. Juniors gave forth an outstanding effort coming in first in the skit and the mural. Seniors stepped down, making way for the underclassmen and did not come in first in any of the competitions. Overall, the juniors placed first with sophomores second, seniors third, and freshmen fourth. Throughout the week the students dressed up in their hats, their appropriate attire for their assigned decade, and decked out in green and gold. Parking lot spaces were rented and decorated by the student that bid the most. On homecoming night Shiloh Butler and Luke Matz were crowned king and queen. The football players battled against Mishawaka Marian. They finished off the homecoming week impressively winning 14-3. "It was a very exciting and memorable time for me, as well as for everyone else who participated," stated Shiloh Butler, homecoming queen. It was a week to remember.





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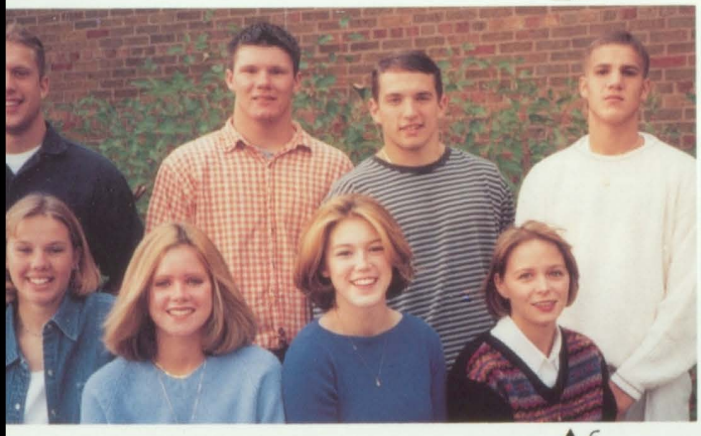


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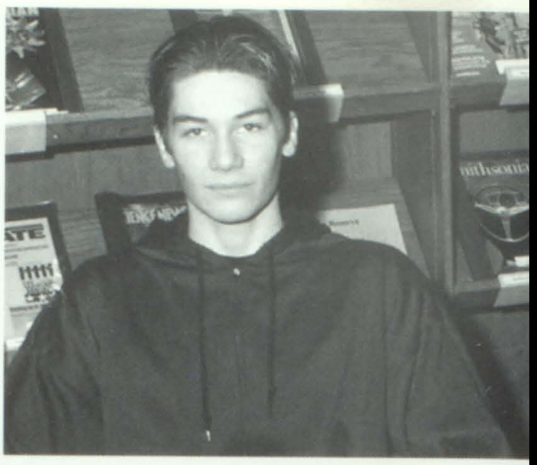
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1. The senior powder puff team builds up spirit before the game. 2. The underclassman court includes Sam Korenstra, Angie Beer, Jeff Moerchen, Traci Speicher, Logan Lees, and Lindsey Bender. 3. Freshmen Rachel Neal, D'anna Miller, and Cassandra Wells perform in the freshman skit at the talent show. 4. The Warrior Color Guard proudly marches in the homecoming parade. 5. Luke Matz and Shiloh Butler are crowned the '97 king and queen. They are pictured here at the half time of the game. 6. Luke Matz, Scott Ousley, Brad Swope, and Jay Haugh are the king candidates. Kari Wortinger, Tracey Gradle, Mary Cockburn, and Shiloh Butler are the queen candidates. 7. Ready for their talent show performance are Andrew Gradle, Sam Korenstra, Paul Gilliam and R.J. Wilson. 8. The Juniors display their class decade theme in the parking lot.

Discovering Industrial Revolution



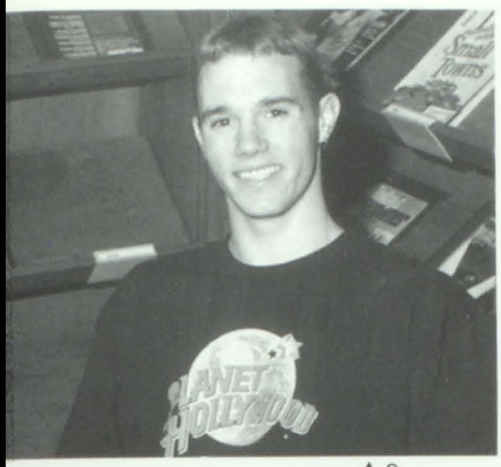
The Industrial Revolution was the topic of study for the academic teams. The five-member teams involved themselves in the subjects of fine arts, English, science, social studies, math, and interdisciplinary. Teams met weekly from January through April and worked from a study outline. The English team read Willa Cather's novel *My Antonia.* Science students looked at Charles Darwin, heredity and genetics, power/fuel sources, and the periodic table. The fine arts team outlined photography, architecture, music technology, and the development of woodwinds. Math students explored quadratic functions, natural logarithms, and analytic geometry. The social studies students studied the industries and power sources of both Britain and the U.S. The coaching staff included Mrs. Lant, Mrs. Hursh, Ms. Wilcoxson, Mr. Nussbaum, and Mrs. Dubach. The team competed in two invitationals and a sectional in the spring.



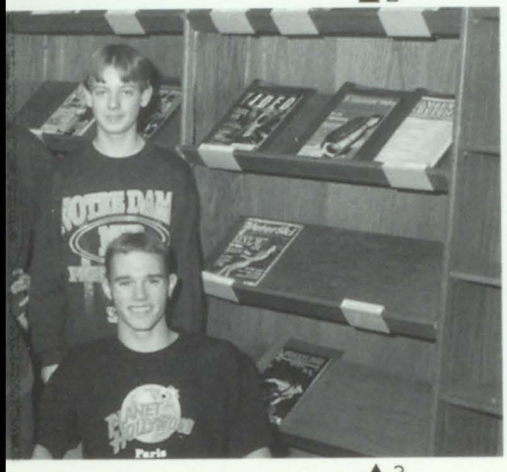


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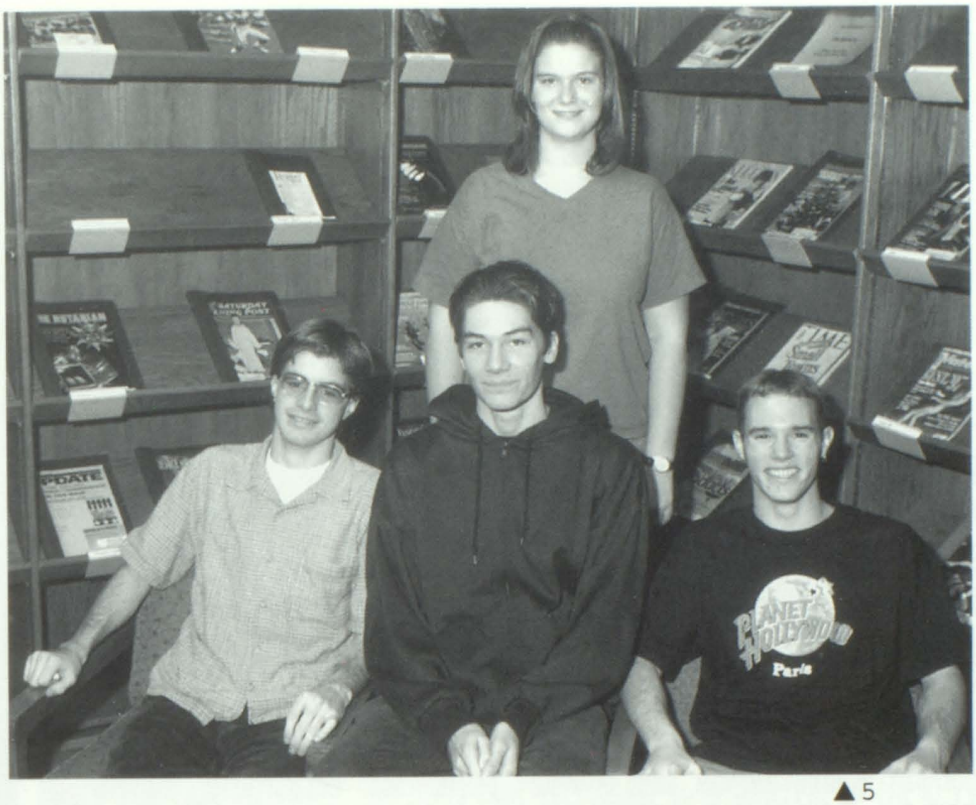
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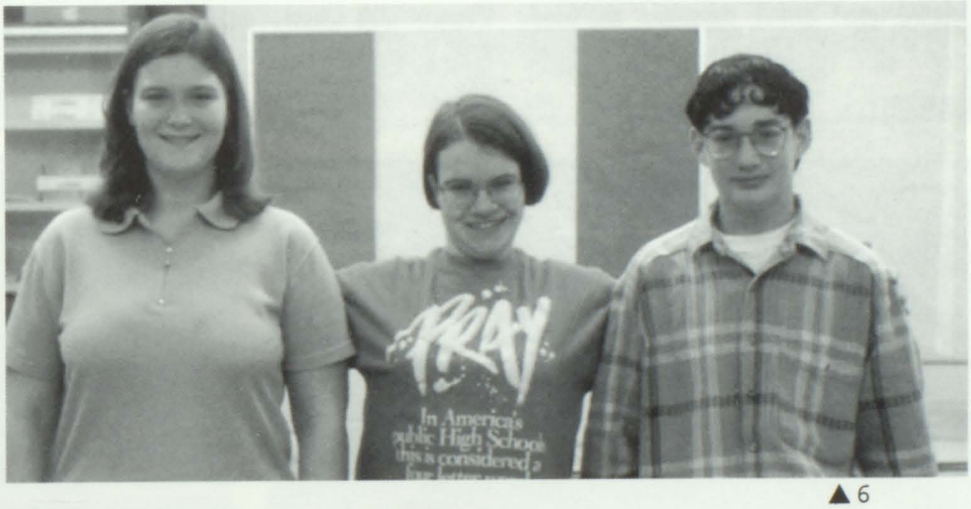
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1. The members of the math team are row 1: Rusty VanLue, Joe Baumgartner; row 2: Cliff Schwartz, Alicia Prater. 2. Daniel Cone and Joe Baumgartner are members of the fine arts team. 3. The science team includes row 1: Rusty VanLue, Glenn Strycker, Joe Baumgartner; row 2: Alicia Prater, Paul Strycker, Jonathan Trojan. 4. The English team consists of row 1: Stephanie Wong, Elizabeth Rehling, Kristi Brandon; row 2: Stephanie Bess. 5. Rounding out the academic teams is the social studies team, row 1: Michael Oswald, Daniel Cone, Joe Baumgartner; row 2: Danielle Smith. 6. Danielle Smith, Vanessa Shafer, and Ryan Yoder buddy up for a study session. 7. Vanessa Shafer ponders the effects of the Industrial Revolution on society.

Travelling new lands



Six new faces entered Wawasee High School from Austria, Brazil, Finland, Germany, and Switzerland. Every year a selected number of foreign exchange students visited the school and stayed with area families. Doing this the exchange students learned a new culture and practiced their English. This year's students took part in many activities, some of which included soccer, tennis, swimming, and band. They all enjoyed Wawasee's friendly atmosphere. Learning more about the American culture and English language were added bonuses. Clarissa, Dora, and Mari all travelled around the U.S. They went to California and New York plus many more exciting new places while Bruno, Kardia, and Lukas took part in soccer, tennis, and band respectively. They enjoyed the atmosphere, people, and extracurricular activities of Wawasee High School. All the students took home memories of fun times and new friends.



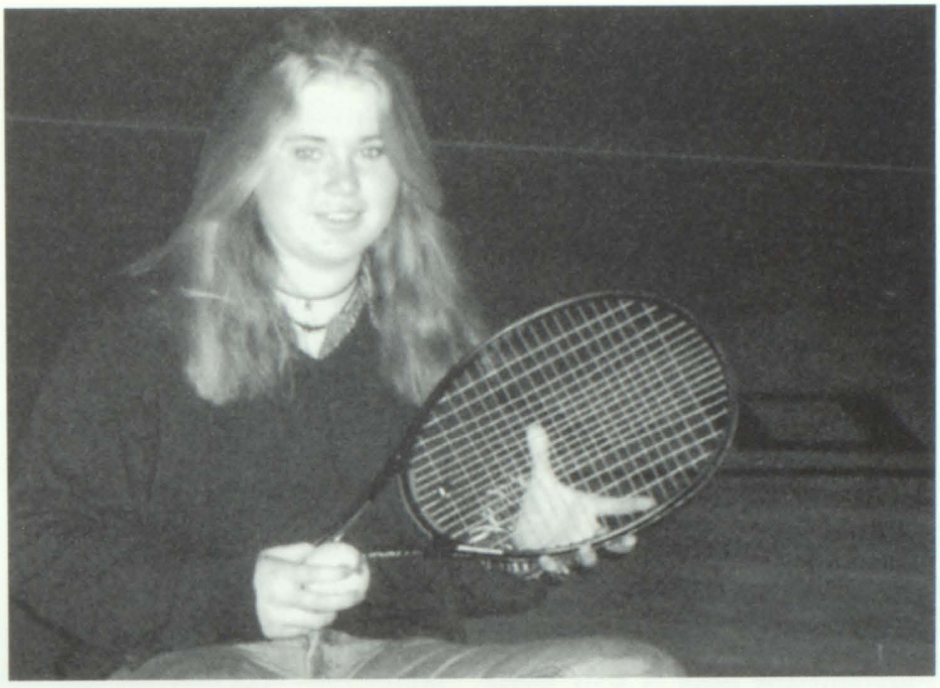
Bruno Amaral is currently staying with Paul and Martha Stoelting. He is 17 and from Goiamia, Brazil. In his free time he enjoys roller hockey, swimming, and sky diving. He likes learning from a different culture and eating junk food best about the U.S. He misses the warm weather and his friends in Brazil.

Mari Heininen travelled from Suomusjarve, Finland, to the U.S. She is staying with Van and Patsy Lantz. She is 17 and misses her friends and family in Finland. She likes the relaxed atmosphere and the nice people here at Wawasee. In her free time Mari enjoys dancing and spending time with her friends.





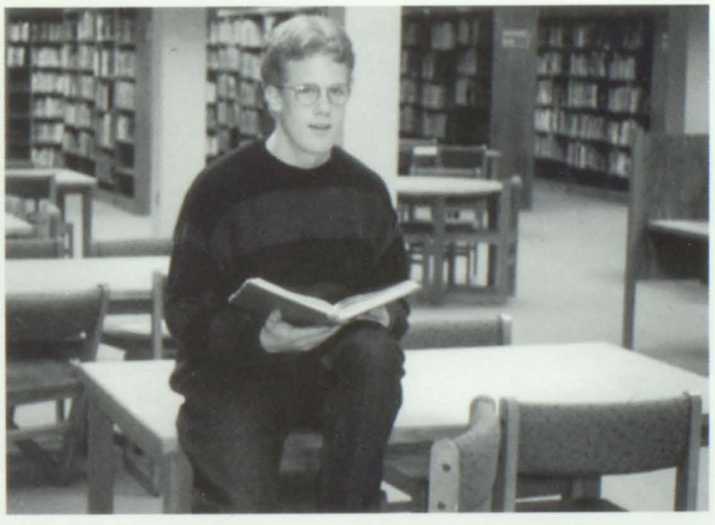
From Porto Alegre, Brazil, to the U.S. comes Clarissa Finger. She resides with Dennis and Julie Dubois. She is 17 and enjoys dancing, swimming, and going to the movies. She also misses Brazil's warm weather. The most exciting things about being in U.S. for her are snow and travelling. She is glad to be learning English.



Kardia Senkspiel flew over from Hamburg, Germany. She is currently living with Gary and Pam Pletcher. She notes that everything is so different in the U.S. with the presence of skyscrapers and big shopping malls. She participates on the girls' tennis team and manages the boys'.



From Vienna, Austria, Dora Mihaly visits. She is 17 years old and is staying with Don and Sheila Richards. She misses her family, her friends, public transportation, and the warm weather of Austria. She said, "When I return home to Vienna, I am going to miss all my friends from Wawasee High School." Dora enjoys going out with friends and watching movies. She also manages both WHS swim teams.



Lukas Wampfler comes from Birmeustorf, Switzerland. He is currently 17 and living with Charles and Sue Koser. He misses the food in Switzerland, but enjoys getting to know different people and the culture of America. He likes the marching band at WHS the best. His hobbies include playing the saxophone, soccer, and being in the jazz band.

Portraying little women

The fall play was presented on November 21 and 22 to a full auditorium. Little Women was the chosen production. This was the story of the March sisters, Meg, Jo, Amy, and Beth. The sisters were played by Kristy Sullivan, Corrie Whitesel, Ashley Whitesel, and Heather Whiteman, respectively. The play looked at the lives of the girls as they grew up with their father at war in Act I. The story was told through the eyes of Jo, the second oldest sister. In Act II their father lived through the war to return home. Throughout the play the sisters matured and fell in love. The play was directed by Kristin Wooldridge. Her assistants were Cyndi Thornburg and Joy Swartzentruber. Miss Wooldridge made the statement that, "The story can be enjoyed just for being charming or can stir deep emotions-just depending on the viewer...I love it." Everyone's hard work and determination made the play a huge success.



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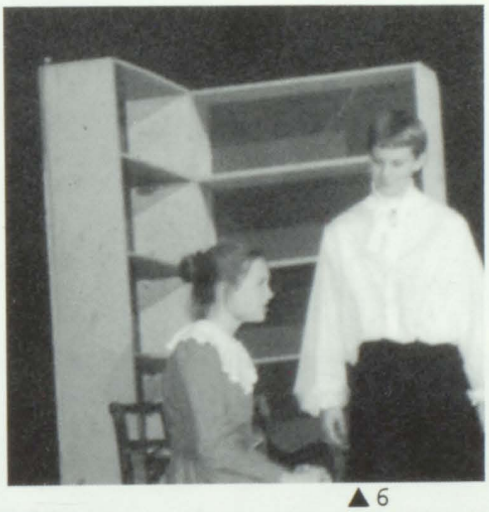
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Cast Of Characters

Mrs. Tomlinson	Rosey Butler
Josephine March	Sarah LeCount
Mr. March	Chris Boyts
Marmee	Amy Gingerich
Meg	Kristy Sullivan
Jo	Corrie Whitesel
Beth	Heather Whiteman
Amy	Ashley Whitesel
Hannah	Amii Bischof
Aunt March	Margaret Shutske
Mr. Laurance	Cliff Schwartz
Laurie	Rob Schlipf
John Brooke	Ryan Means
Mrs. Moffet	Jane Wamsley
Clara Moffet	Stephanie Russo
Jenny	Brooke Cunningham
Mary	Mary Craig
Sarah	Kim Reuter
Katy	Katy Schlipf
Schoolgirl	Dana Campbell
Mrs. Kirke	Rosey Butler
Kitty	Jessica Walker
Minnie	Brenda Wong
Professor Bhaer	Mike Oswald
Extra male at party	Matt Pederson

Student Director: Stephanie Wong

Assistants: Matt Pederson and Chris Boyts

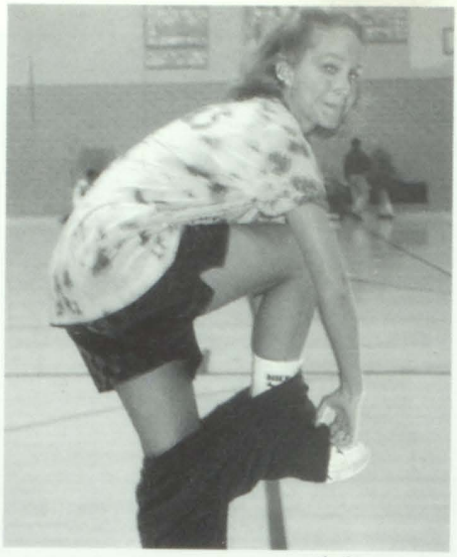


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1. Corrie Whitesel is the actress in the family. 2. Ashley Whitesel, Kristy Sullivan and Heather Whiteman practice for their play, "The Witch's Curse." 3. Rosey Butler introduces the club's speaker, Jo, who narrates the play. 4. The Christmas guests watch the March sisters present their play. 5. Amy Gingerich reads a letter from their father. 6. Rob Schlipf and Corrie Whitesel meet for the first time. 7. Margaret Shutske distributes the Christmas gifts to Amy Gingerich and Kristy Sullivan. 8. Ashley Whitesel and Heather Whiteman decide they don't want to be actresses.



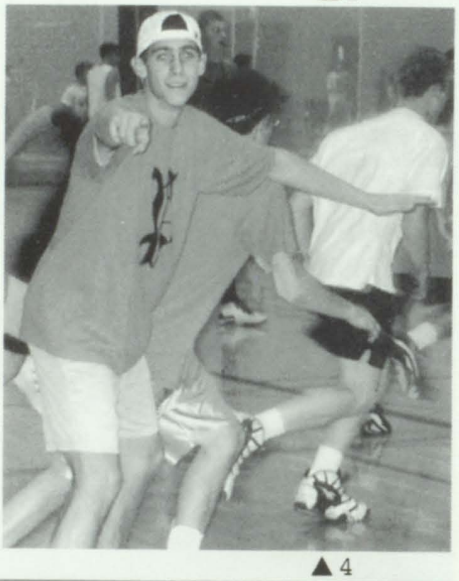
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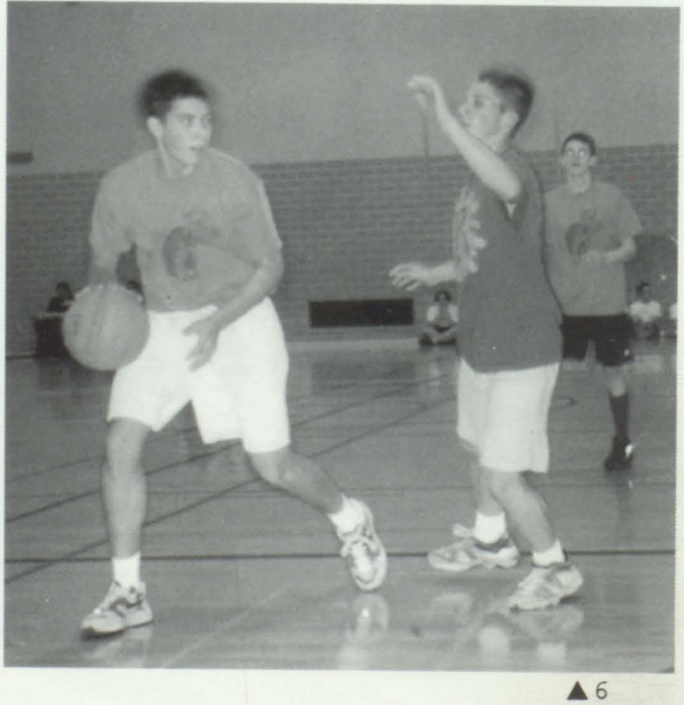
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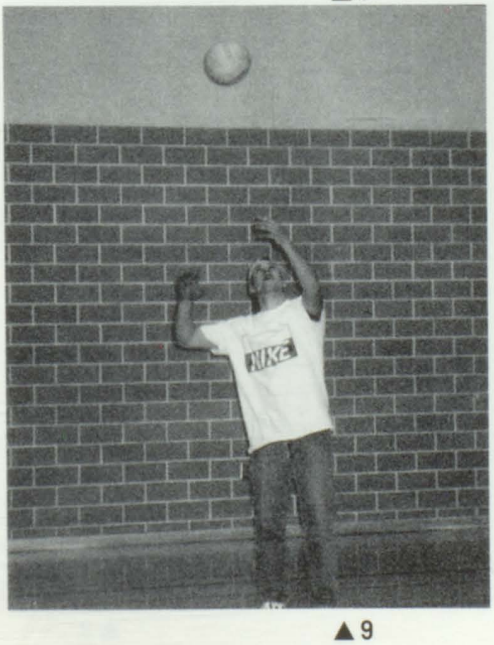
Having intramural fun



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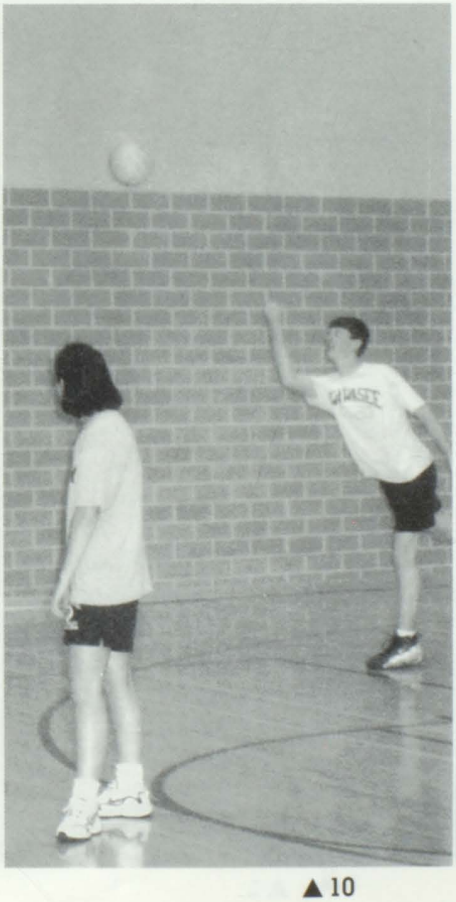
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There were 18 teams in the intramural basketball league. This was the most teams Wawasee had ever had. A new rule was that no matter how bad a student's grades were, he/she was still eligible to play. Mr. Martin Casey was in charge of the intramural basketball league. He said, "I am tickled pink to see so many kids come out this year and play." There were so many teams that each team only played five games, not including tournament games. Wookie's Ewoks won the tournament with Playas in second place.

Mr. Casey was also in charge of intramural volleyball. The five teams had their first game April 27, and had other games on May 4, and May 11. All games started at 6:00 PM and ended at 9:00 PM. Teams were Dunkey Hays, Pimptas, Da Whiz Kidz, The Young Revolutionaries, and JonnyJet Ride. All games were held in the P.E. annex. The teams were matched up pretty evenly, but there were a few exceptions. The tournament started later in May



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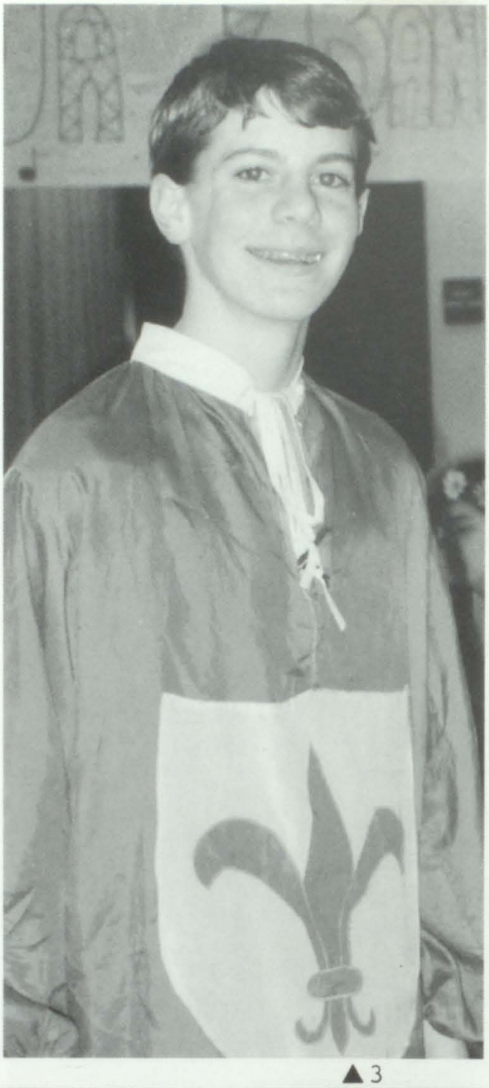


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1. Greg Ummel shows confidence in his team. 2. Megan King is taking it off for the big game. 3. Team Skyhigh members are Todd Hege, John Hulley, Shaun Belin, Ryan Hilgenberg, Dustin Silva, Josh Eby, Trent Gaff. 4. Blake Knisely pays little attention to the game. 5. Andrew Thornburg is being blocked by John Szynal. 6. Justin Bell tries to get around John Glon. 7. Kyle Metcalf and Kara Mathew are waiting for the serve. 8. Crystal Blair serves it up. 9. Richard Kidd gets ready to serve the ball. 10. Derek Stump shows good form and Amanda Ellis gives him team support. 11. Jason VanderReyden dives for the return.

Enduring many mattresses

The spring musical, Once Upon a Mattress, became one of the most highly enjoyed musicals ever performed at Wawasee. This was the result of the very talented cast and everyone's hard work. The play was performed on March 20 and 21, and it was a huge success in the community. It was the story of a prince, played by Cliff Schwartz, who was desperate to find a princess to marry. The only thing standing in his way was his mother, the queen, played by Sarah LeCount. The king, played by Seth Scantlen, was unable to voice his opinions as a result of being mute. Only a princess who could pass the queen's test would be suitable. After thinking all had failed, a less than fair candidate arrived from the swamps. This princess was played by Lindsay Schwartz. After having a sleepless night because of a pea placed under twenty mattresses, the two lovebirds were allowed to marry. This was much to the delight of the members of the kingdom, for now everyone could be united in marriage. The story reminded many of the childhood fairy tale they all remembered, "The Princess and the Pea." A few twists were added for the play. The cast got along in a magnificent way, allowing the production to be a smash hit.



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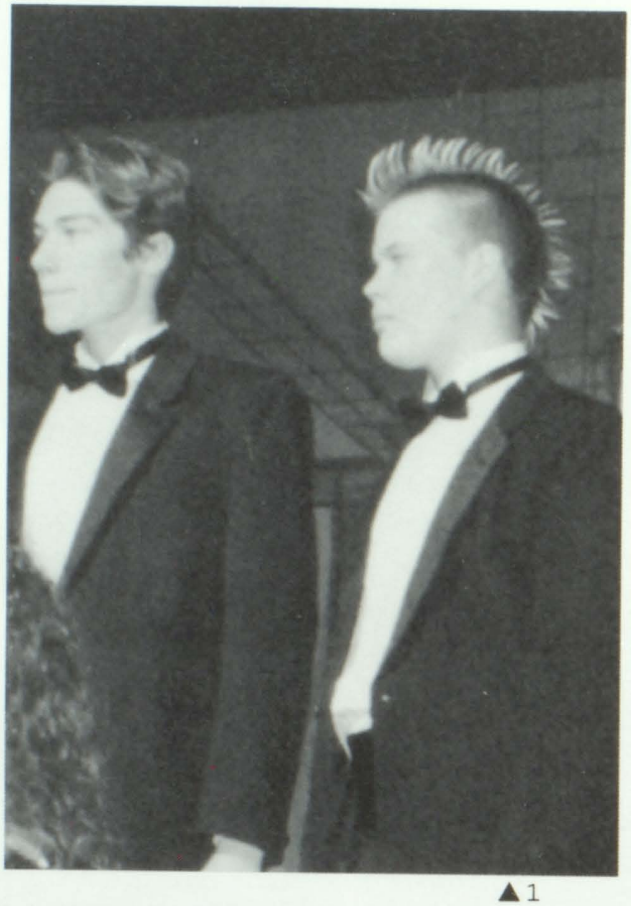
Cast of Characters

Minstrel	Matt Pederson
Princess #12	Ashley Whitesel
Wizard	T.J. Gibson
Lady Larken	Traci Speicher
Queen Aggravain	Sarah LeCount
Prince Dauntless	Cliff Schwartz
King Sextimus	Seth Scantlen
Jester	Sarah Schwartz
Winnifred	Lindsay Schwartz
Sir Harry	Chris Boyts
Sir Studley	Marshall Baumgartner
Sir Luce	Tomir Denton
Knight #1	Rusty VanLue
Knight #2	Brandon Boyts
Knight #3	Will Glaser
Lady Rowena	Corrie Whitesel
Lady Merrill	Brooke Cunningham
Lady Lucille	Margaret Shutske
Lady Mabelle	Clarissa Ruschel Finger
Kitchen Wench, Emily	Hayley VanLue
Lady #1	Stephanie Wong
Lady #2	Kristi Brandon
Lady #3	Dana Campbell
Nightingale	Colleen Hickey

Director:
Kristin Wooldridge

Assistant Directors:
Cyndi Thornburg
Becky Moss
Ray Moss

1. Prince Dauntless (Cliff Schwartz) finds everyone pointing to him. 2. Sarah LeCount, who plays the queen, takes a stride to accentuate her power. 3. Rob Schlipf takes a break during rehearsal. 4. Corrie Whitesel and Margaret Shutske sing a little backup music to add some flair to a song. 5. Princess Winnifred (Lindsay Schwartz) shows her talented musical abilities. 6. Brenda Wong and Seth Beer dance together. 7. Seth Scantlen, Matt Pederson, and Sarah Schwartz take time to discuss their plans.



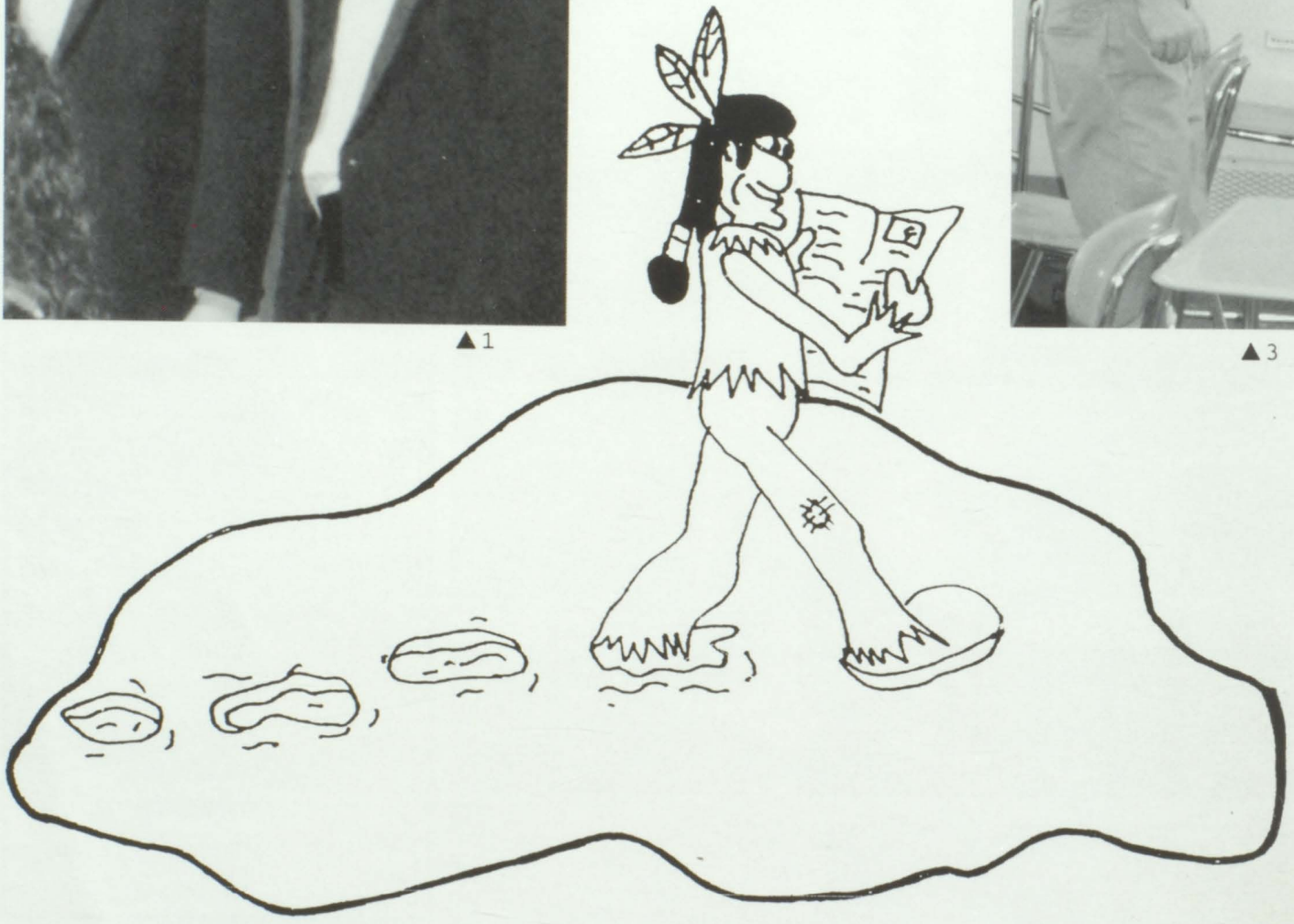
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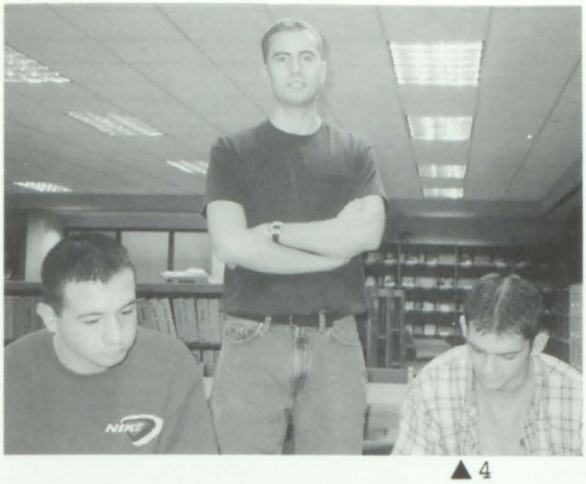
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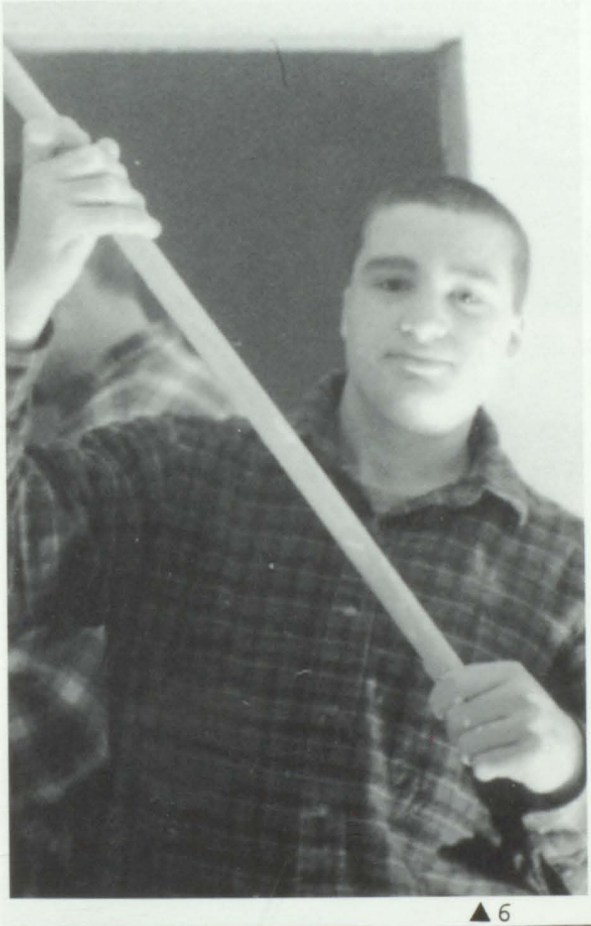
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1. Dan Cone and Seth Scantlen enjoy Varsity Singers. 2. Quyen Tran is glad that he is at work in the co-op program. 3. Daniel Cervantes returns to his seat during math class. 4. Brad Andrews, Scott Frantz, and Ryan Speicher work hard on their homework in the library. 5. Adam Brown has no idea what is going on in biology. 6. Steve Hollar paints the wall during building trades. 7. Karen Shipley and Shiloh Butler work on body copy for yearbook. 8. Chad Olson works on his engine in auto mechanics.

Setting new goals

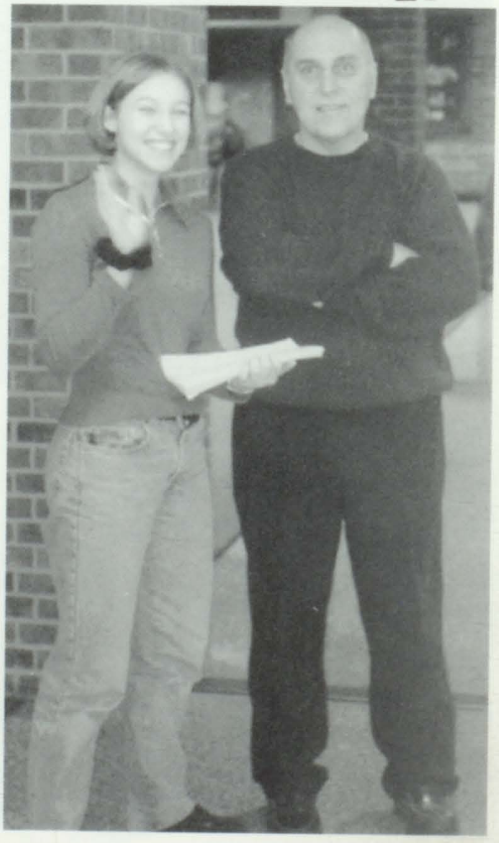
Mr. Frank, in his second year as principal, set goals for the school as well as personal goals. He hoped that teachers would "spend more time on guided practices. The more practice, the better." He also wanted to "raise student achievement. School should come before clubs and athletics. We need to focus hard on the purpose of school, learning." Mr. Matz's goals were similar to Mr. Frank's. He wanted to "increase the style and quality of alternative assessments. Students should not only understand how to do something, but also understand why something is done as well as the concept of it." Mr. Matz, along with Mr. Frank, was attending the Indiana Principal Leadership Academy in Indianapolis. He intended to improve the interpersonal relations with students and staff. "Things are progressing, but it takes time. This is only the beginning." Mr. Mitz was giving his best effort to provide a safe environment for all students. His goal was to "promote school spirit and good attendance." One way that he encouraged students to have good attendance was by rewarding them for their efforts. Every week each student that had perfect attendance had his/her name put into a drawing. The winner of that drawing received $10. At the end of the semester, students that managed to have perfect attendance were eligible for a stereo. Michelle Lamb was the winner for first semester. Another goal that Mr. Mitz wanted to accomplish was to be able to walk down the hall and know every student's name, not because he knew him/her for his/her disciplinary problems, but because he knew him/her personally. He also wanted to establish a Dean's List by the end of the year, recognizing students that had improved their citizenship. Mrs. Hurley had another good year directing the Warrior athletics. She was very pleased with the performance of the athletes and the way they showed good sportsmanship. "I'm proud to be a representative of the Wawasee athletic department."



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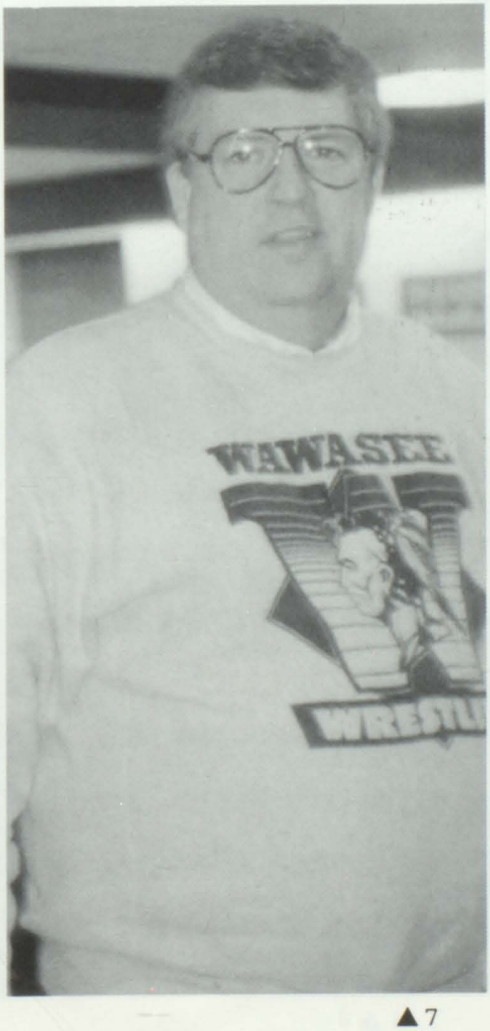
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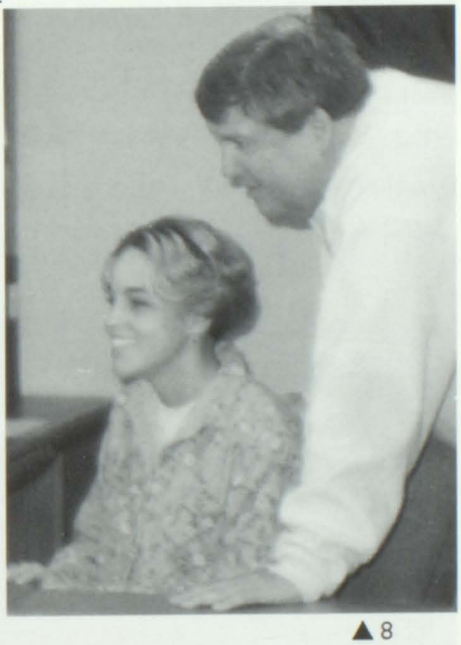
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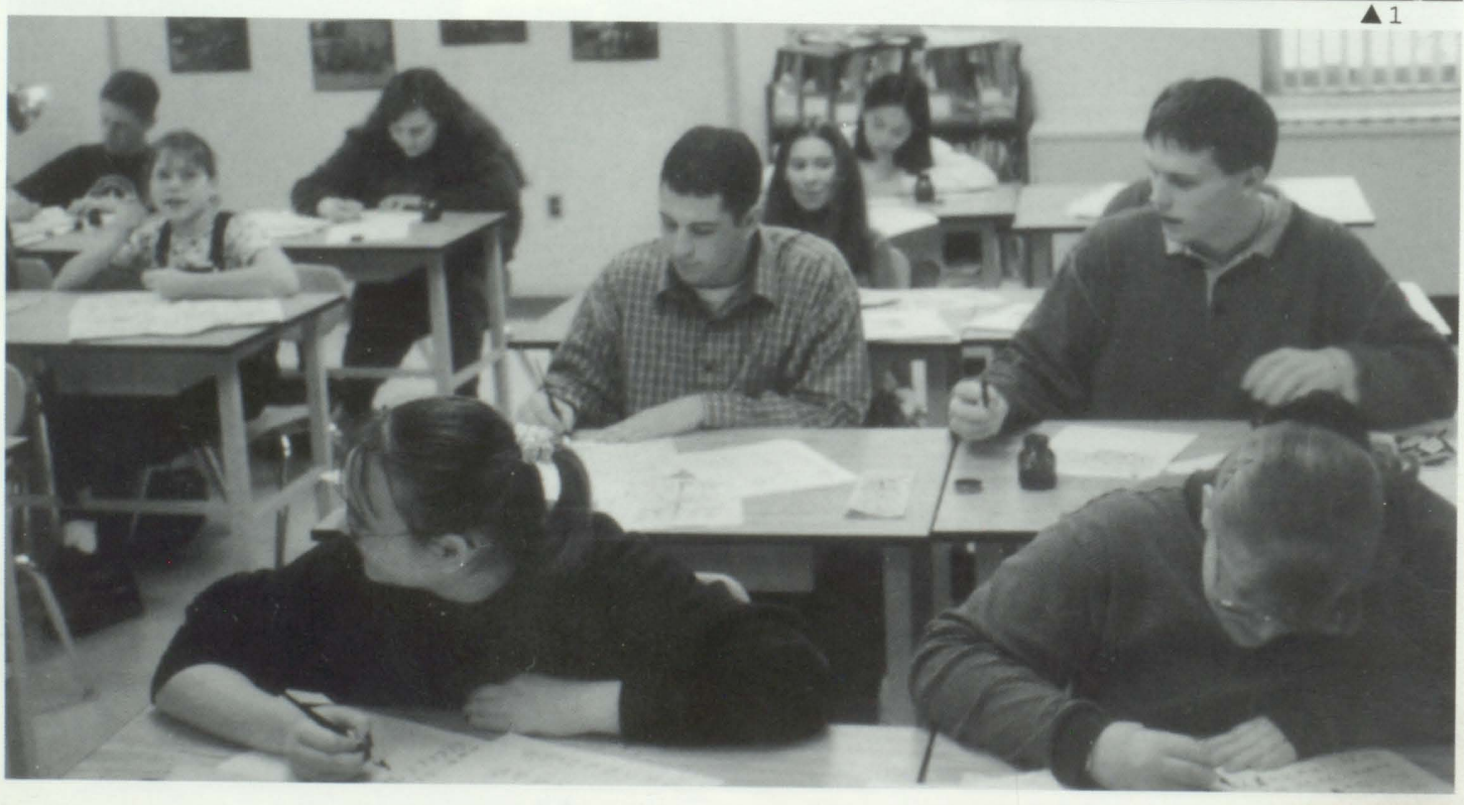
1. Mr. Matz fills his tray in the cafeteria. 2. Mr. Frank and Mr. Matz converse in the cafeteria. 3. Mr. Mitz and Christa Olson make a cute couple. 4. Wawasee administration includes row 1: Mr. Frank, principal; Mr. Matz, assistant principal; row 2: Mrs. Hurley, athletic director; Mr. Mitz, dean of students. 5. Mr. Matz has a snack. 6. Mrs. Hurley puckers up. 7. Mr Frank is surprised by the attention. 8. Mr. Frank assists Abby Bulteneier.

Creating new art



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It was another exciting year in the art department. Classes included introduction to two dimensional design, advanced two dimensional design, photography, ceramics, drawing, and three dimensional design. These classes had different difficulty levels. Certain classes were prerequisites to other art classes. Commercial art class and painting class were not among the offerings, but plans were to return them to the curriculum. Student work was displayed in the many cases found throughout the building. The displays changed as new projects were completed. The annual student art show was held in the gymnasium surge area during the last of April. Art students selected some of their nicest pieces of work to be displayed in the show. A "Best of Show" was selected again to hang in the hallway along the auditorium. The commercial design class submitted cover designs for the 1998 yearbook, and Nick Flenar's design won with "The Impression That You Get."



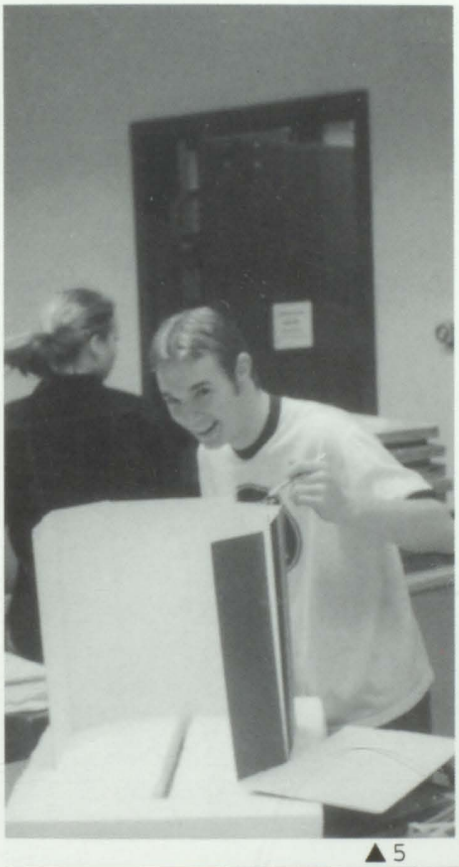
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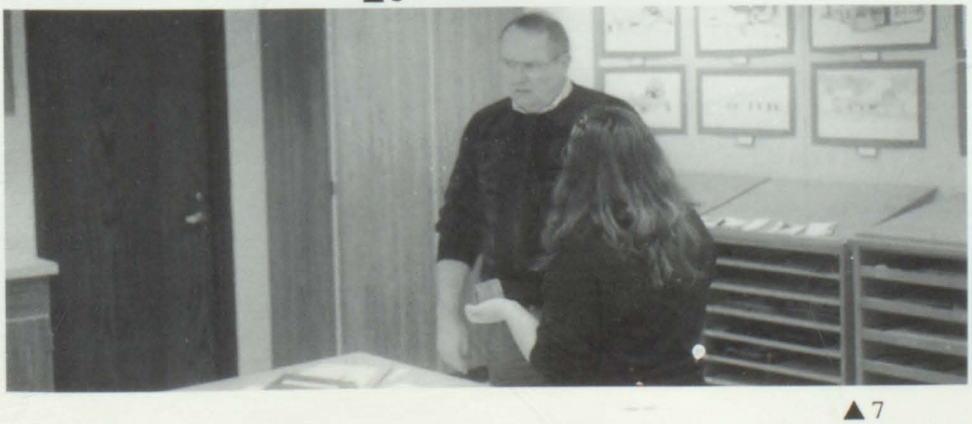
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1. Mr. Johnson and Mrs. Bryan help students advance in art. 2. Aaron McFarland and Chris Kozon carry on a conversation about how to perfect their artistry while Amy Holubek and Dawn Bartels work on how to perfect their penmanship. 3. Jeff Howey, Richard Kidd and Jon Hurst are all working hard on their art design projects. 4. Tina Dang shows the class how to put their clay away for the day. 5. Joe Baumgartner is having fun in class building and painting his model sculpture. 6. Kassi Kindlesparker is deciding what to draw next while Tasha Blankenship gets to work on her next project. 7. Mr. Johnson is busy helping one of his many ceramic art students to finish her project.

Rocking all competition

It was a great year for the Wawasee High School band. "We accomplished a lot. The biggest accomplishment would have to be how we learned to focus on how to win and not on winning. I am very proud of all of my students," said Mr. Clark, the band director. This was the first year that the band ever won in a marching contest. The band swept every possible award out from under the competition's feet at the Bremen and East Noble Invitationals. There were a record number of 106 participants in the band compared to 75 when Mr. Clark started teaching at WHS. The concert band moved from division two to division one, which was the highest division possible. "We also developed better relationships among the members than there have been in years prior," stated senior Chris Boyts. Next year the band was planning on taking a trip for a competition, which they were very excited about.



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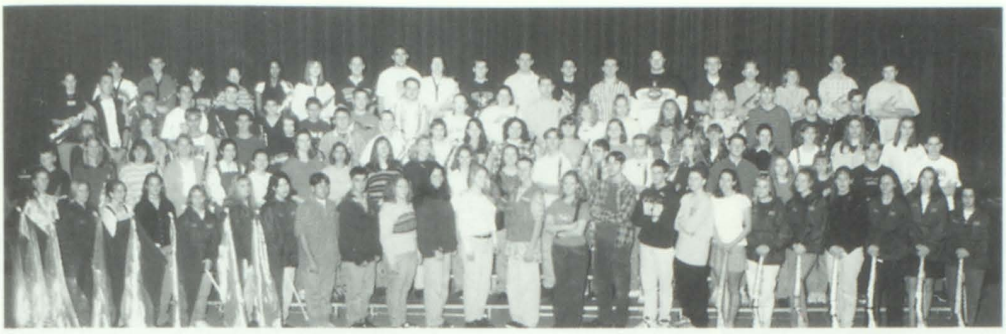
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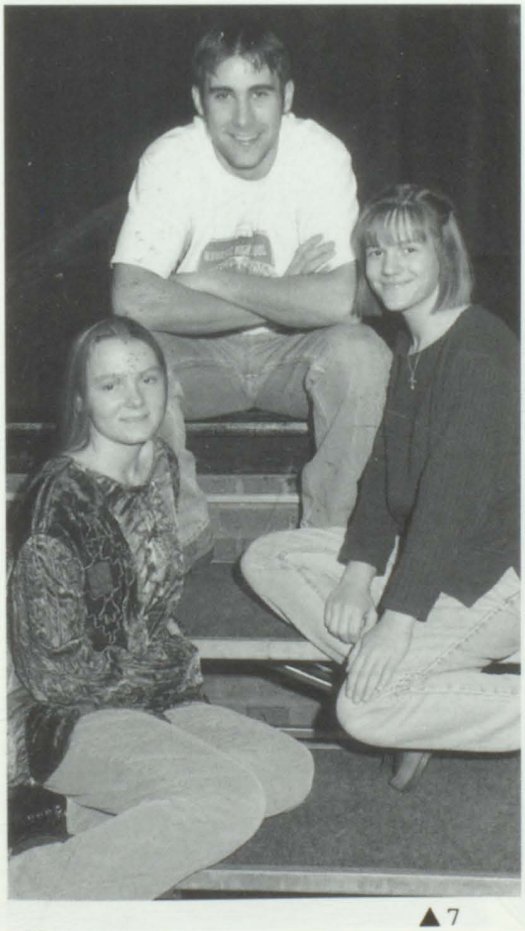
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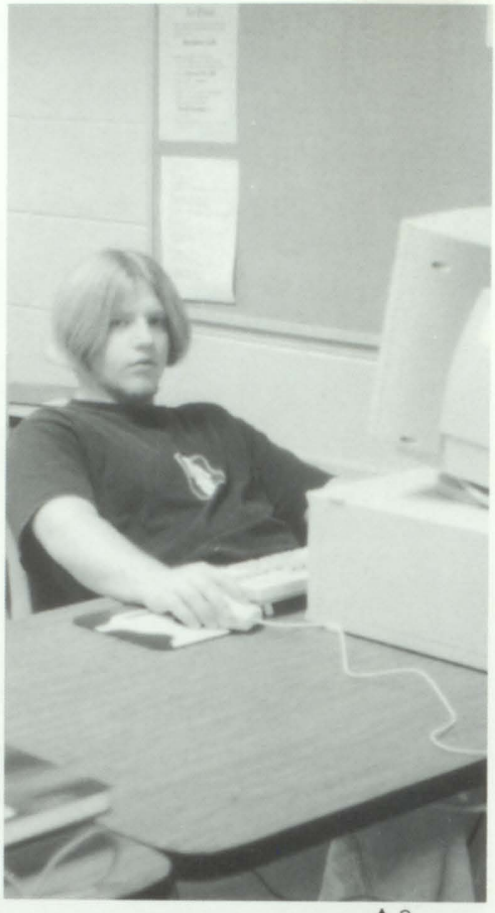
1. Lucas Wampfler is taking a break from a hard band practice. 2. Sarah Newman and Amii Bischof discuss the next tune to be played. 3. The band warms up before their practice. 4. Members of the marching percussion are row 1: Ryan Means, Taia Pletcher, Summer Ferverda, Misti Casinger, Cameron Beer; row 2: Brian Martin, Ashley Ward, Chauncey Wiggs, Stefanie Coquillard, Ryan VanCuren; row 3: Rachel Spiegel, Ross Cook, Josh Gunkel, Ryan Rosbrugh; row 4: Jacob Mikolajczak, Andy Elliott, Brandon Boyts, Traci Hughes, Franklin Mishler, Chris Cunningham. 5. Members of the band are row 1: Rebekah Thompson, Rachael Gabbard, Hailey Templeton, Jacklyn Mosco, Becky Phillips, Jessica Weaver, Andrea Chupp, Ryan VanCuren, Ryan Rosbrugh, Ashley Ward, Stefanie Coquillard, Rachel Spiegel, Brian Martin, Traci Hughes, Chris Cunningham, Jacob Mikolajczak, Ryan Means, Vanessa Amburgy, Carly Janacek, Katie Richardson, Tami Miller, Cheryl Muzyka, Melissa Meyerick, Sunshine Popenfoose; row 2: Robby Trame, Jennifer Niles, Margaret Baumgartner, Amii Bischof, Tara Niles, Paty Stroebel, Danielle Smith, Heather Kirkwood, Heather Ruch, Sarah Losee, Robyn Elliott, Chauncey Wiggs, Brandon Boyts, Franklin Mishler, Andy Elliott, Misti Casinger, Josh Gunkel, Taia Pletcher, Summer Ferverda, Ross Cook, Cameron Beer; row 3: Evelyn Boesenburg, Kim Reuter, Matt Pederson, Dusty Lytle, Becky Newcum, Aaron Eikenberry, Josh DeGood, Jessica Walker, Malissa Fawley, Kelly Hickman, Rosie Butler, Tiffany Alfrey, Lori England, Romettia Montel, Erin Murdock, Gina Holderman, Lindsay White, Amanda Jeffery; row 4: Nick Scribner, Kara Price, Josh Nicholl, Neil Higginbotham, Seth Beer, Alex Hernandez, Drew Heincker, John Pearson, Chris Becker, Candice Beer, Randy Watts, Kristi Brandon, Sarah Newman, Sue Villalovos, Amy Francis, Mark Merchant, Paul Strycker, Travis Miller; row 5: Jessica Hively, Justin Magid, Scott Carrington, Jonathan Trojan, Laura Reel, Shyla Belin, Dana Campbell, Matt Heincker, Chris Boyts, Latisha Powell, Glenn Strycker, Charlie Doss, Paul Dodds, Scott Bryan, Tony Chriswell, Bob Phillips, Jeremiah Nicholl, Julie Blakeslee, Angela Kime, Adam England. 6. Members of the flags include row 1: Cheryl Muzyka, Vanessa Amburgy, Carly Janacek, Katie Richardson, Tami Miller; row 2: Sarah Newman, Melissa Meyerink, Andrea Chupp, Rachael Gabbard, Sunshine Popenfoose, Rebekah Thompson, Robyn Elliott. 7. The drum majors are row 1: Chaucey Wiggs; row 2: Evelyn Bosenberg; row 3: Chris Boyts. 8. The band is directed by Mr. Clark.

Learning business skills

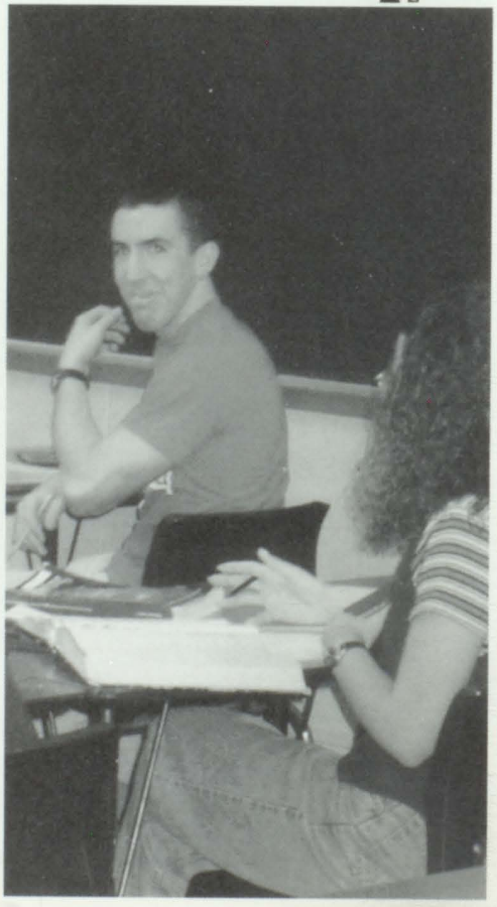
It was another exciting year for business. To start with, there was a new teacher in the business department named Cory Schutz. He took over for Mr. Story when he retired. Mr. Schutz taught keyboarding and typing. Mrs. Miller had her hands full teaching accounting again this year. Mr. Murphy was reassigned to teach introduction to marketing and advanced business. He also was still doing interdisciplinary cooperative education (I.C.E.) and the DECA club. The I.C.E. program enabled students to have a wider choice of work opportunities. The computers this year seemed to be working well since the upgrading of the system. Mrs. Huber's administrative support services class were working in computer labs in the business area. Students could learn on the job, earn pay, and receive credit.



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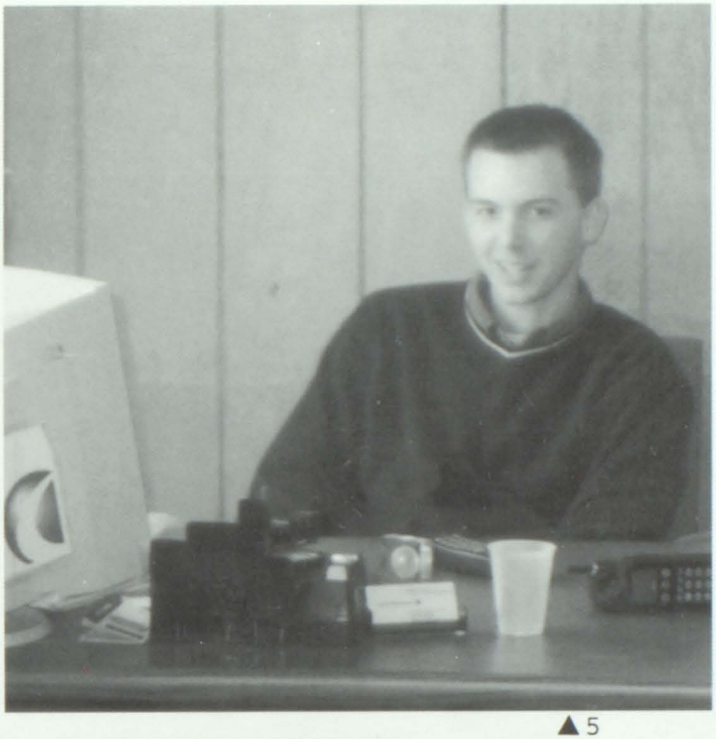
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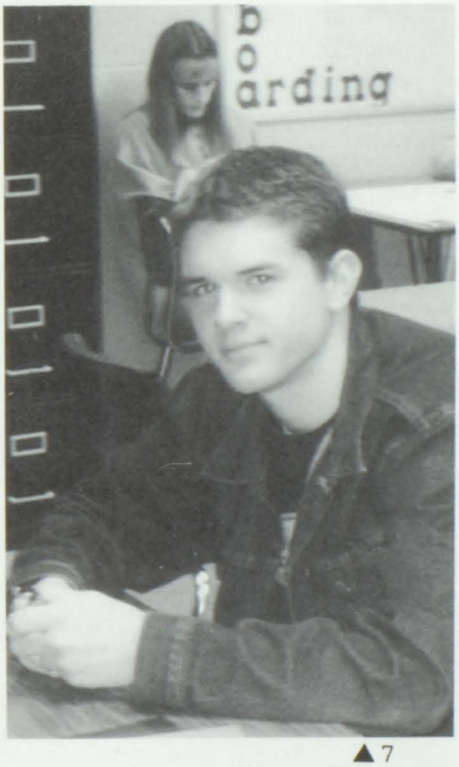
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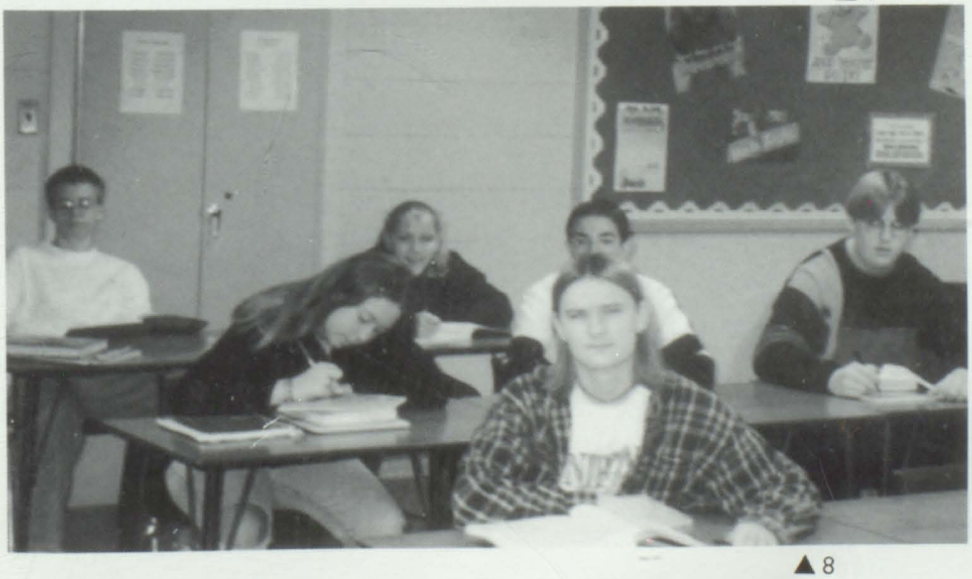
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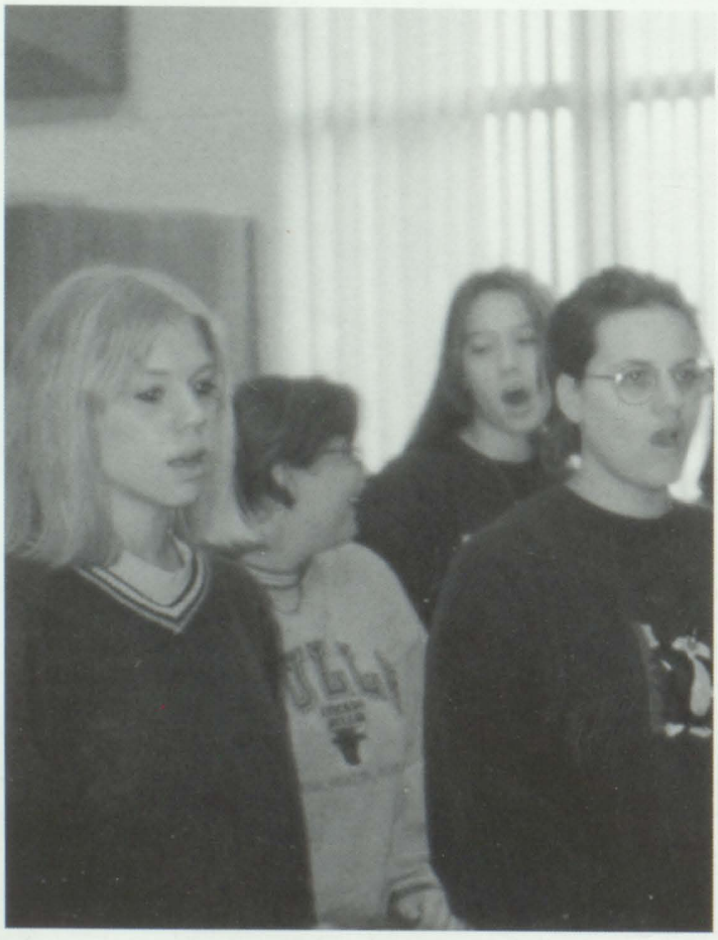
1. Business teachers are, seated: Mrs. Huber; standing: Mr. Murphy, Mrs. Miller, and Mr. Schutz. 2. Kris Locklin is typing on the computers. 3. Niko Ioannou always pays attention in class. 4. Rachel Neal and Jake Baker take a break from keyboarding. 5. Nathan Scherer takes advantage of the I.C.E. work release program. 6. Yvette Aguinaga, Ryan Anderson, and Rob Chalfant study hard in class. 7. Greg French thinks of a floor plan for his project. 8. Travis Niles listens to every word Mr. Schutz has to say.

Singing sensational songs

Once again choir proved itself an important part of Wawasee High School. Choir allowed students to have fun while entertaining the community. Both mixed and treble choir were offered to beginning students. Choir gave many students a chance to get more involved in school. It also gave students a chance to perform in numerous concerts and shows. The choir, orchestra, and show choirs showed their stuff at this year's Christmas festival. They then performed the program for the student body to enjoy Christmas week. In March the choir participated in the Corporation Music Festival. The choir, along with middle school and high school bands, choirs, and orchestras, performed to the theme Magical Moments in Music. The choir competitions gave individual students a chance to compete with other area high school students.



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1. Dan Cone acts as Santa Claus for the Christmas concert. 2. Connie Willett and Jennifer Biesemeyer practice their songs. 3. The choirs join together at the holiday concert. 4. The treble choir members are row 1: Christie Schmidt, Shanon Troup, Heather Reed, Lindsay Gunderson, Melissa Meyerink, Andrea Gingerich, Candie Beer, Brooke Arnold; row 2: Ashley Dean, Connie Willett, Kristina Lyons, Mandi Shidler, Carrie Walton, Melinda Cook, Jennifer Biesemeyer; row 3: Bambi Harris, Heather VanDusen, Kristen Vandiver, Amber Hall, Becky Thompson, Brooke Dickinson, Rebecca Phillips, Janelle Gause. 5. The mixed choir members are row 1: Heather Feeny, Dana Carr, Laura Reel, Katie Adams, Angela Sterling, Nina Shankster, Amanda Stidams, Crystal Ashton, Tasha Parker, Hailey Templeton, Jaclyn Mosco, Jasmine Miller, Jamie Brazel, Brandy Swinehart; row 2: Tia Marie Parker, Shae LaTour, Jessica Brito, Sarah Shock, Amber Patton, Stefanie Camire, Kim Lyons, Kariann Plickerd, Nichole Miller, Liseth Ortiz, Dana Wallen, Ashley Ward, Amanda Jeffrey, Teryn Sahagun, Lindsay White, Elsa Gibson, Megan Bell; row 3: Sherry Sumwalt, Alycia Graham, Katie Adkins, Angela Brungardt, Jamie Pletcher, Crystal Wade, Mandi Tarner, Sarah Kennedy, Ashley Whitesel, April Plack, D'Anna Miller, Emily Cline, Shalesta Newcomer, Bria Pletcher, Schaya Thomas, Jessica Phillips, Cara Richards, Kim Gillenwater; row 4: James Mikolajcak, Jason Trojan, Aaron McCray, Robert Elkins, Andy Minear, Derek Cornelius, Andrew Packer, Tomir Denton, William Glaser, Mark Jackson, Liseth Ortiz.

Speaking foreign languages

The Wawasee foreign language department had great year. With the addition of TPR story-telling, more classroom involvement was required. By using this method, not only were the words said, but they were demonstrated with gestures and then finally with a story. With the many different teaching styles, all of the different learning styles were covered. The Spanish teachers also looked ahead to their biannual trip to Spain on June 8, 1999. They would be there for nine days as tourists. The French teachers had a great year also. They celebrated Mardi Gras with both their classes and the faculty and had tons of fun. They were also planning on going their biannual trip to France. Mrs. Hursh said, " I had very good students this year." The German students also hosted a group of students from Germany at the first of April.



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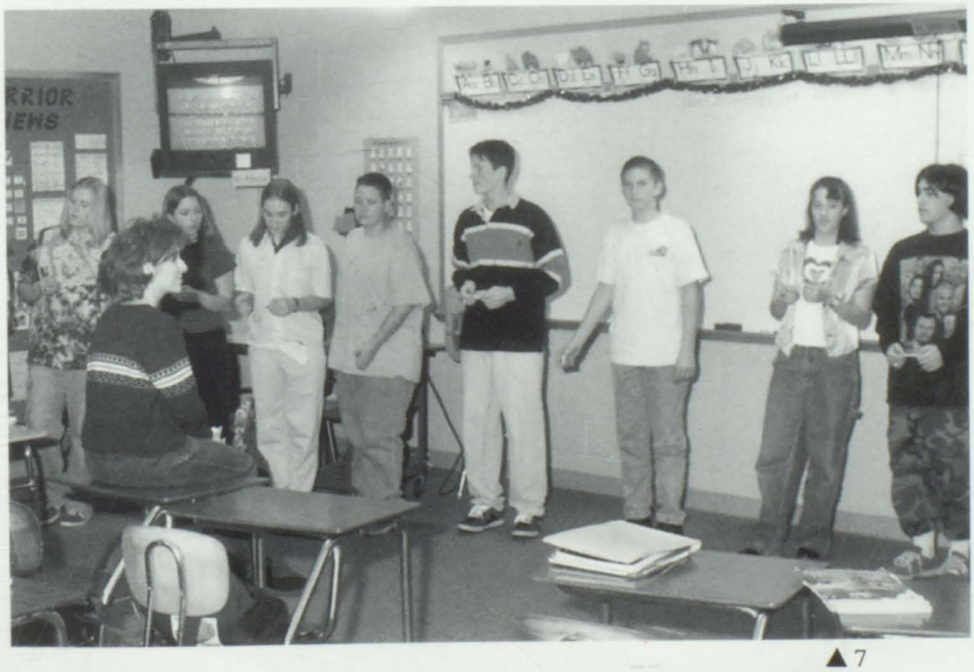
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1. Mrs. Bruce concentrates on grading homework. 2. Belinda Rangel works on her homework. 3. Does it look like Erika Auker is paying attention? 4. Stephen Schaff, Lydia Carpenter, Tina Thompson, and Jimmy Duncan give a presentation in Spanish. 5. The foreign language department is Mrs. Hursh, Mrs. Yargosz, and Mrs. Coblentz. 6. Sarah Barker reads a very interesting book. 7. Mrs. Coblentz's class tells a story using the TPR story-telling method.

Guiding perplexed students



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The guidance department was very busy again making new changes. This was Mrs. Thomas' second year being the secretary. She said that she was still adjusting to the change from the LRC. One of the changes made was instead of having the students change with the counselors each year, each counselor was assigned a group of students by alphabetical order. This allowed the counselors to have all four grade levels of students. Dividing up the student body enabled the counselors to spend four years with the same students. The head counselor, Ms. Angle, had A-G; Ms. Flueckiger had H-O; and Mr. Hunsberger had students P-Z. Another change made by the state was with the ISTEP testing. This year's sophomore class had to pass the test in order to graduate from high school.



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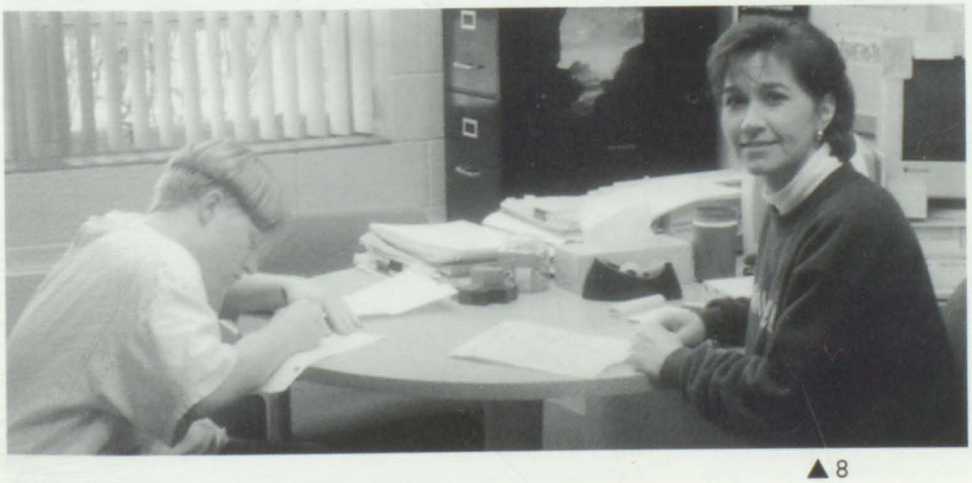
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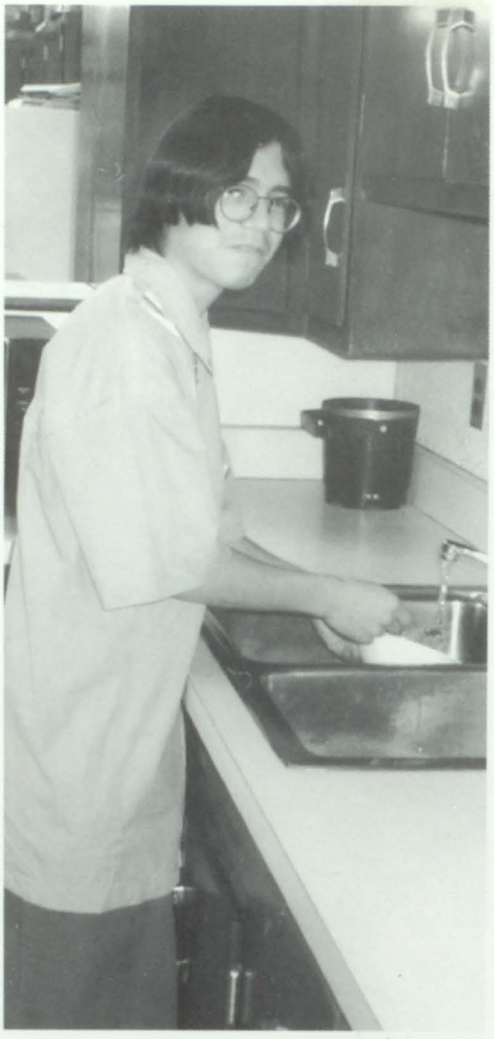


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1. Sarah Hartley and Amanda Dull are thrilled to be working in the guidance office. 2. Mr. Hunsberger takes a break from his paper work. 3. The guidance aides are row 1: Shasta Gearhart, Jessica Christoffel, Janelle Gauze; row 2: Christa Olson, Sarah Hartley, Sarah Losee, Bryce Schaefer. 4. Special needs teachers and aides are row 1: Mrs. Linkey, Mrs. Wolfe, Mrs. Maule; row 2: Mrs. Waltz, Mrs. Lancaster, Mrs. Bowser, Mr. Berg, Mrs. Rogers. 5. Ms. Angle is the head counselor. 6. Mrs. Thomas hides behind her desk. 7. Karissa Evans is confused by all the scholarship choices. 8. Ms. Flueckiger helps Brooks Kuhl schedule classes.

Tasting new cuisine

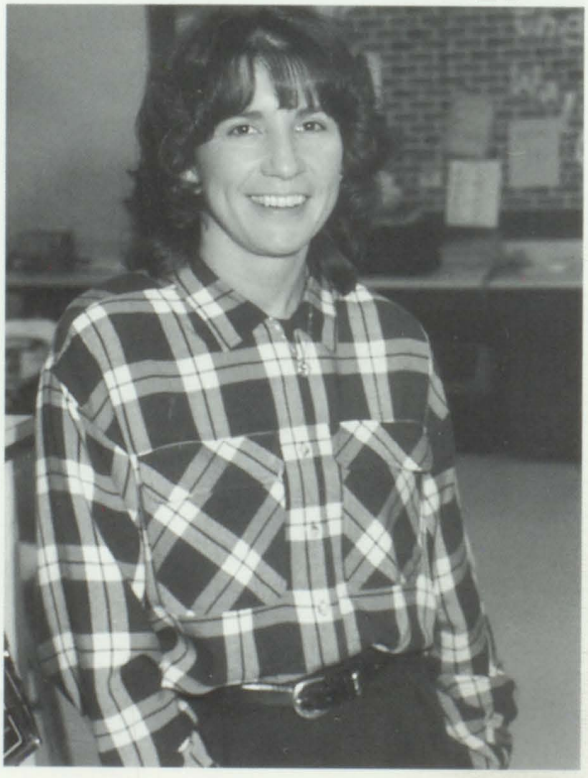
Mrs. Oswald, as the home ec. teacher, taught high school students how to survive as adults in a real home environment. There were a wide variety of classes available to the students. Males and females grades 9-12 could enjoy Foods I. There they learned all the basics of the kitchen. Students in grades 10-12 expanded their knowledge of the kitchen in Foods II. In Foods II students planned full meals and explored more complex cooking methods. All of the athletic sectional meals were prepared by the Foods II class. Child development was another busy class. The empathy belly was in full use as males and females experienced the simulated pains and weight gain of a pregnant female. Children filled the high school as the child development students had guests for 1/2 day. The children were from 2-5 in age. The interior design class was another option for many students. In this class students designed and decorated their dream homes. Family relations was also a fun class. In there students learned the tough skills of parenting and balancing a budget. The purpose of the home ec department was to prepare students for the real world and many of the problems they might encounter.



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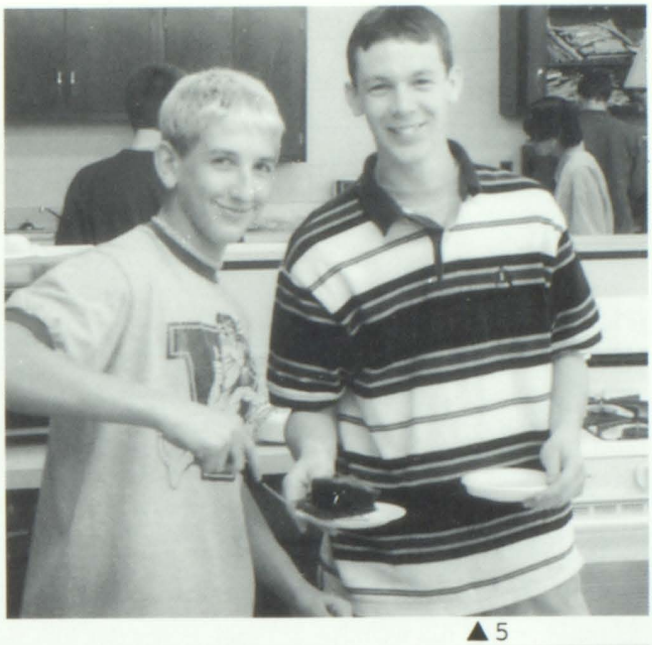
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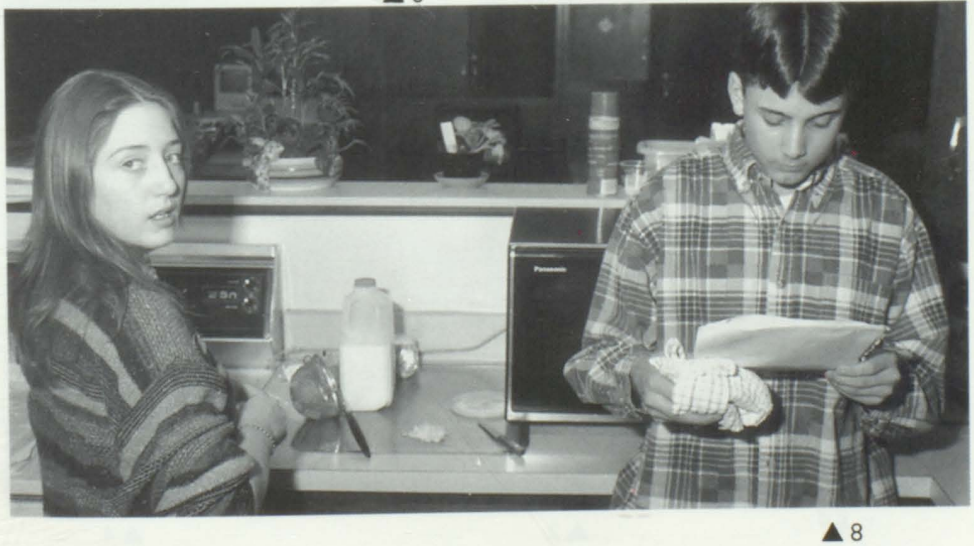
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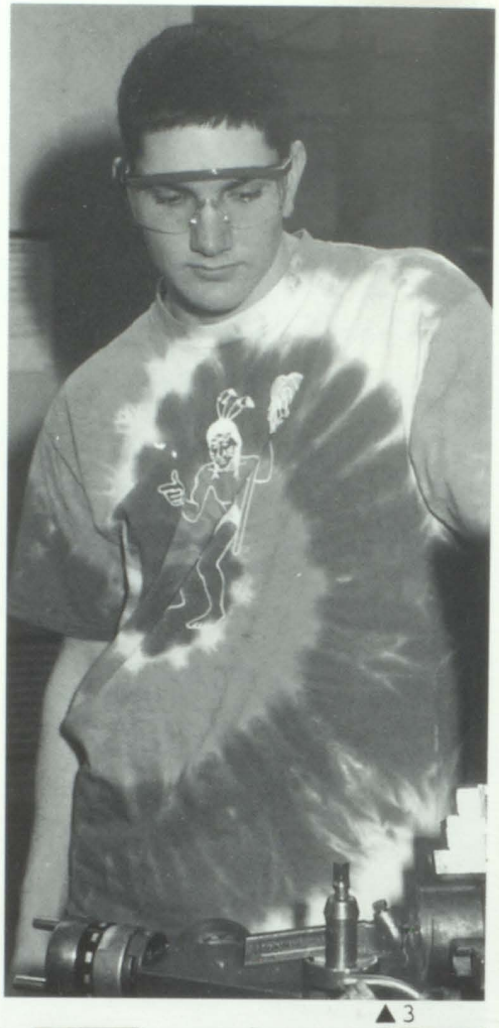


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1. Izzy Perez washes his group's dishes after they have cooked. 2. Ryan Hilgenberg and Travis Cox cover the chocolate cake they have baked for the sectional lunches. 3. Mrs. Oswald enjoys teaching home economics. 4. Justin Brinegar, Janelle Gause, and Eddie Zuniga enjoy cooking. 5. John Heckaman and Travis Cox dish out the cake. 6. Shanna Miller looks for pots and pans in the cupboard. 7. Beth Buhrt, Davis Jackson, and Holly Silva look for a recipe for their group. 8. Amy Hickey and Brandon Ley ponder which ingredient to stir in next.

Learning many trades

The industrial technology classes covered a wide variety of projects ranging from metal to woodwork. These classes acquainted students with various types of construction and design. They had individual and mass production projects with wood and metal. They sometimes made a shed or just small wooden objects. They also did a lot of metal work. The classes introduced many different job ideas such as welding, construction, manufacturing metals, design CAD, design drafting, design construction, design EN-architecture, and other related fields. Computers were used often in these classes to design various types of projects. CAD students designed floor plans for their own houses. They had the opportunity to design the houses of their choice, to build a water tower, and design pickup trucks. The metals class made tools such as hammers. The construction and woods classes built furniture and repaired piers. The design construction class designed a hotel. The students worked hard all throughout the year and were always busy. The classes were taught by Mr. Coblentz and Mr. Vitaniemi.



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1. Tim Barrett doesn't seem too hard at work. 2. Adam Nofsinger looks like he is having fun. 3. Rick Lemberg knows what he 's doing. 4. George Coquillard and Adam Nofsinger are doing some woodworking. 5. Jonathan Bradley and George Coquillard work with a drill press. 6. Justin Ryder is working hard while Mr. Vitaniemi keeps track of his progress. 7. Mr. Coblentz is caught off guard. 8. Mr. Coblentz and Mr. Vitaniemi make up the industrial technology staff . 9. Scott Baldwin is cutting some wood on the bandsaw.

Communicating intellectual thoughts

The language arts department was the largest department in the school. The curriculum contained four required English classes over four years and four elective classes. There were ten teachers in the department. A new class that was added to the curriculum was stagecraft taught by Miss Wooldridge. New efforts were taken to prepare students for the ISTEP tests with the use of DOL, Daily Oral Lessons. Also a panel of administrators and school board members was brought in to help the sophomores understand how the questions would be stated on the test. First semester the two students chosen for the NCTE (National Council of Teachers of English) writing contest were Alena List and Jane Wamsley. They had to complete a topic essay and an impromptu essay. The department was working towards two major goals: reinstituting the ACP English class for seniors and a school reading program where the entire school would take a break, maybe a homeroom period, and read for 30 minutes on their own.



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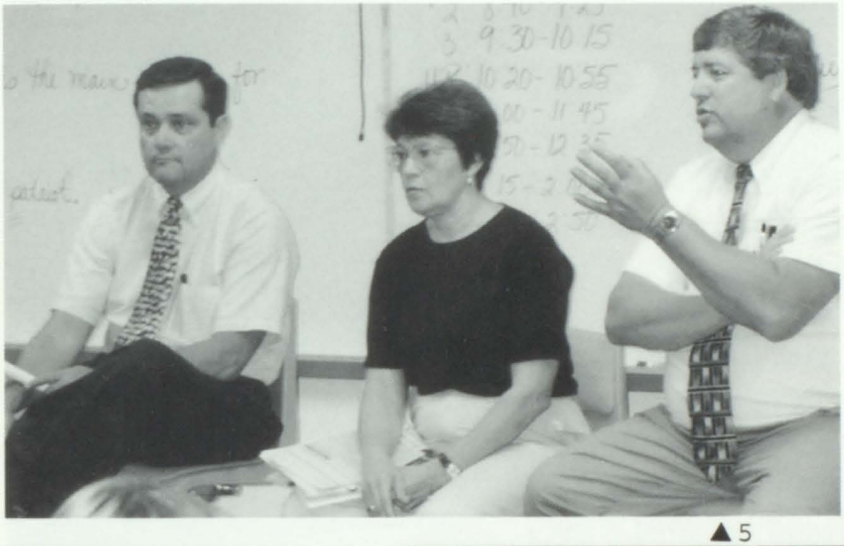
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1. Mrs. Miller helps Latausha Gardner in English class. 2. The language arts department is row 1: Miss Wooldridge, Mrs. Thornburg, Miss Swartzentruber, and Mrs. Miller; row 2: Mr. Iden, Mr. Robbins, Mrs. Moss, Mrs. Pletcher, and Mrs. Harkleroad. 3. Julie Blakesley relaxes in the hall while taking a test. 4. Ryan Skaggs and Adam Niles look through Miss Wooldridge's desk during speech class. 5. Mr. Tumey, Mrs. Swartzendruber and Mr. Frank speak to the sophomores about the importance of ISTEP. 6. Nathan Coy and Joe Thorn pay close attention in class. 7. Taia Pletcher, Liz Rehling, Vanessa Amburgy, Carissa Coverstone, Roz Chamberlin, Stephanie Bess, Tamie Swihart, and Darcy Replogle have fun wearing togas during Mr. Robbins' English class. 8. Adam Niles and Laura Karns wait for their turn to give their speeches in speech class. 9. Ryan Hilgenberg, Jonah Story, Bob Phillips, Chris Boyts, Niko Ioannou, Tim Barrett, and Shane Beer dress up to celebrate Ancient Greece.

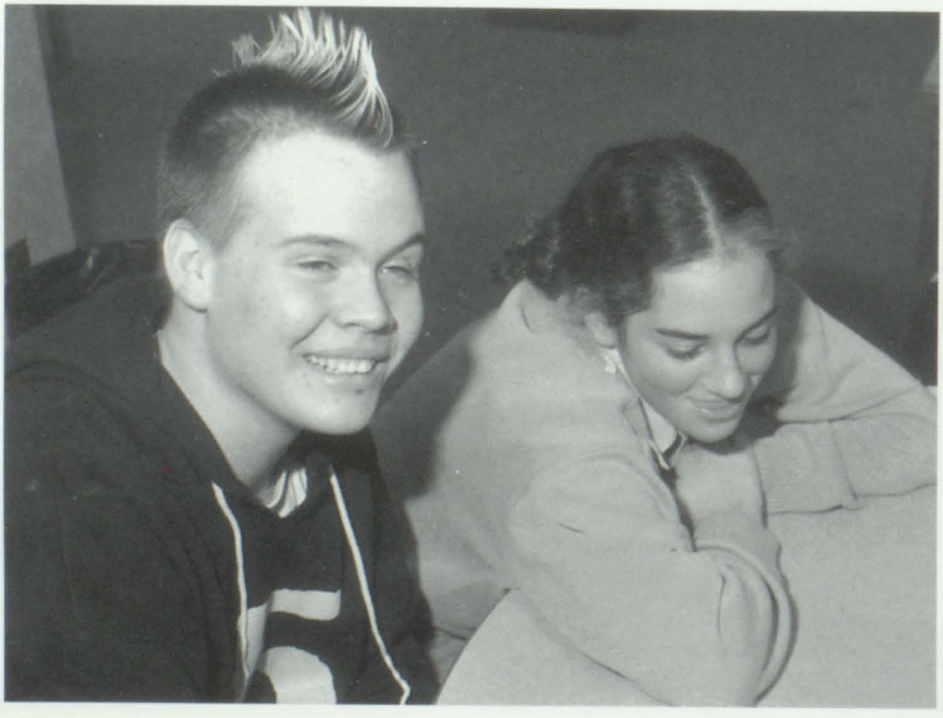
Uncovering new software

The LRC added new software to its program. They received a new multi CD changer which included disks for *National Geographic* programs, a new *Grollier's* edition, and programs for the Net. They had *Facts on File* and they were also bringing up the Chronicle Guidance from 95-96 to be available on the network. Students could also use a special computer for crossword puzzles and word search makers on the Net. These programs could be used by students in the morning and after school. Bill Guinther and Rose Olszewski were the librarian and aide respectively. They were also assisted by many student aides.

Along with the LRC was the television production studio. Located at the south end of the building, they provided the school with live telecasts on a daily basis. Mrs. Christoffel and her helpers assisted teachers and students in making video term papers for a variety of classes. They also did video shoot programs for the Wawasee School Corporation. They were involved with the Indiana Higher Education Telecommunications System (IHETS) for faculty and administrators in Indiana Lake Conference. This program helped them succeed in putting together documentaries and commercials for companies in Kosciusko County.



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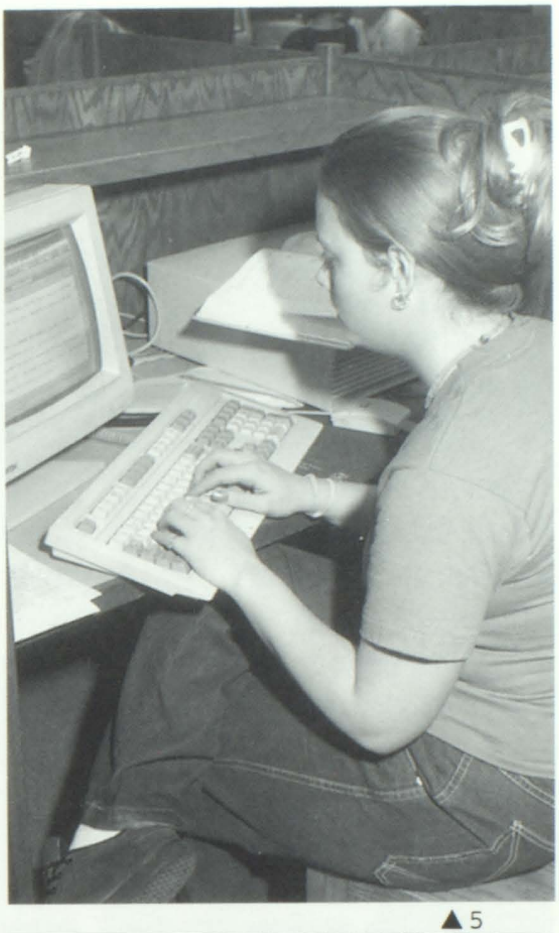
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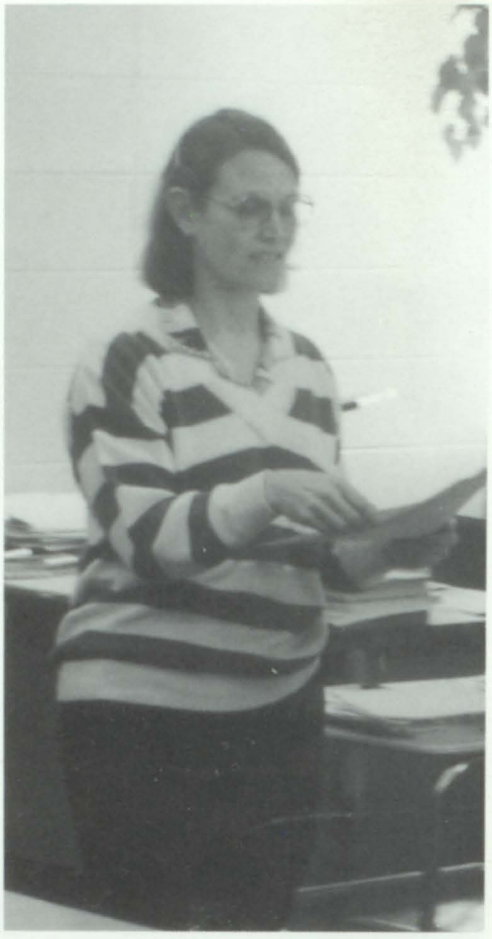


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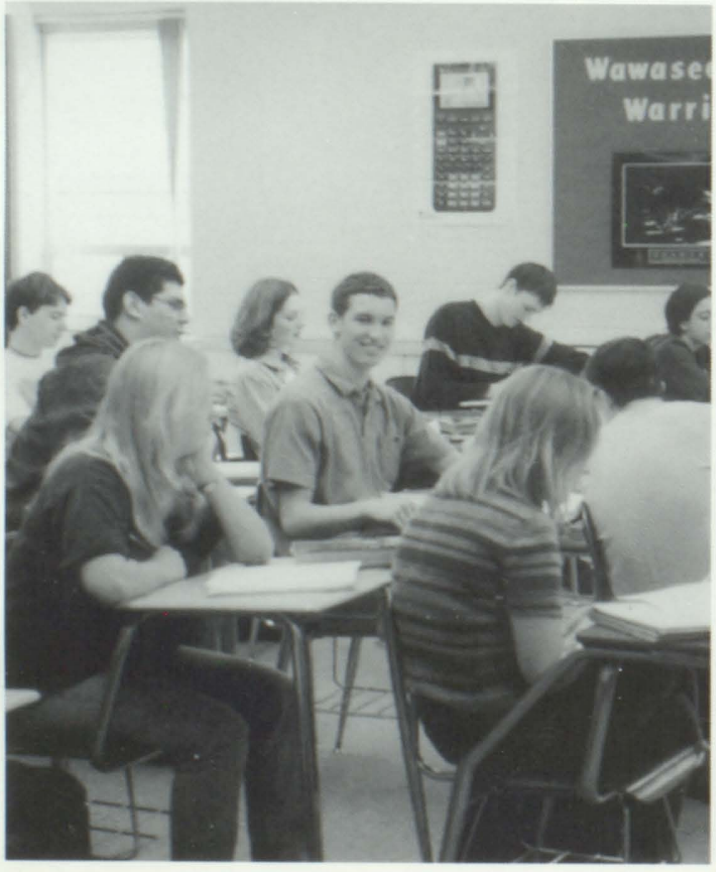
1. Bill Guinther and Rose Olszewski enjoy helping students find information for school projects while supervising the library. 2. Seth Scantlen and Sandy Drake use their time wisely in the LRC. 3. Mrs. Christoffel and Chris VanderReyden launch excellent news casts every morning. 4. LRC aides are row 1: Emily Cline, Chauncey Wiggs, Lee Boyer, Jon Fussle; row 2: Steve DePlanty, Tim Cotton, Trent Nabinger; row 3: Joe Baumgartner and Cole Thomas. 5. Traci Hughes takes her time typing her report out on the computer. 6. TV production aides are row 1: Jon Fussle, Chris VanderReyden, Brandon Moe, James Mikolajczak; row 2: Dan Cone, Jacob Mikolajczak, Glenn Strycker, Matt Moe, Jon Pearson. 7. Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Meyers are adult volunteers in the LRC. 8. Mr. Guinther and Jesse Schaefer write passes for students wanting to use the LRC.

Adding new solutions

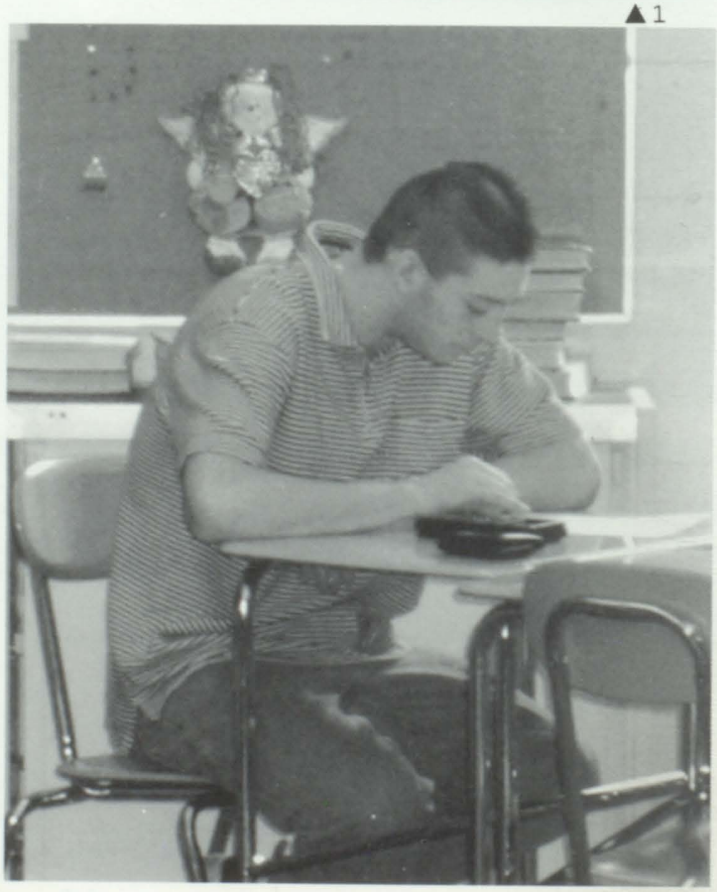
The math department had several new members join the faculty. Mrs. Szynal, Mr. Company, and Mr. Nussbaum all joined the staff. There were a total of eight teachers in addition to Mr. Metcalf, the department chair, who was only in the building two days a week. The other three days Mr. Metcalf worked in conjunction with Ball State University to help revise the teacher education program there. Another addition to the mathematics department was the new sign in the hallway outside the math office. It was painted by Mr. Johnson and one of his art classes. Among all the excitement, this year was also text book adoption year. Members of the department reviewed and edited present curriculum to meet all school and state requirements. They reviewed several books before they finally made their selection. Their goal was to find the best and most relevant curriculum to give students proper preparation for the future. The new books that were selected would be used for the next six years.



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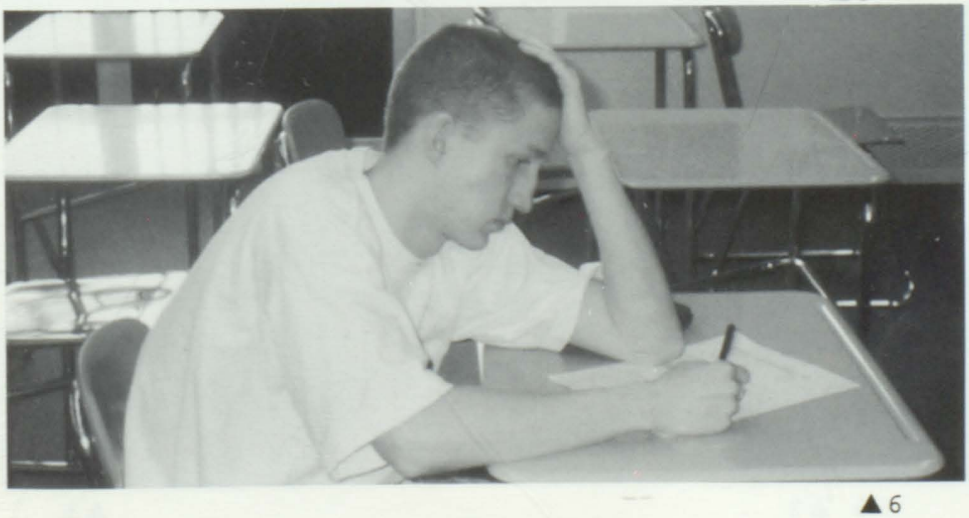
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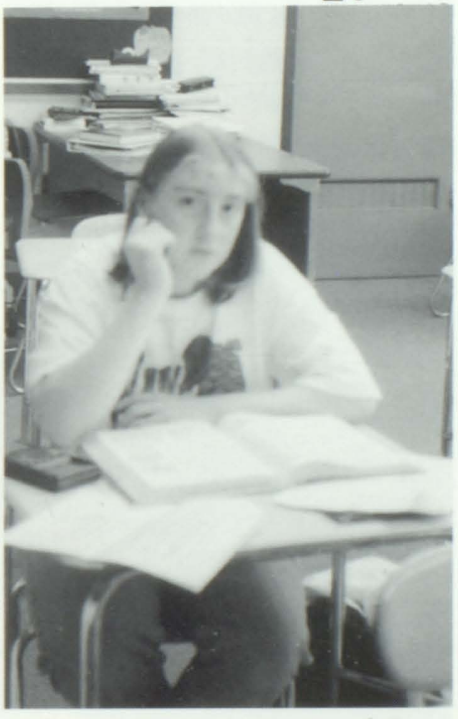
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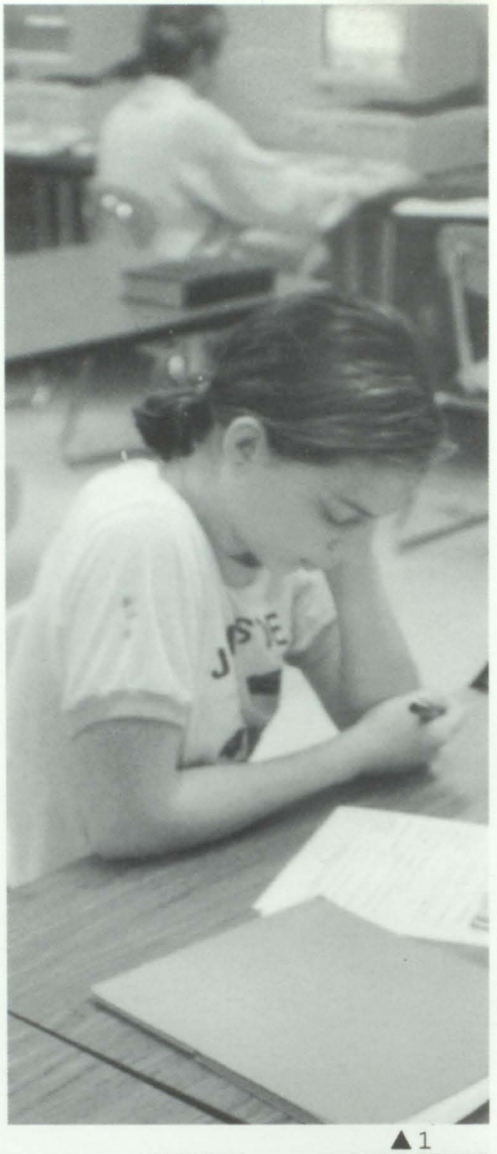


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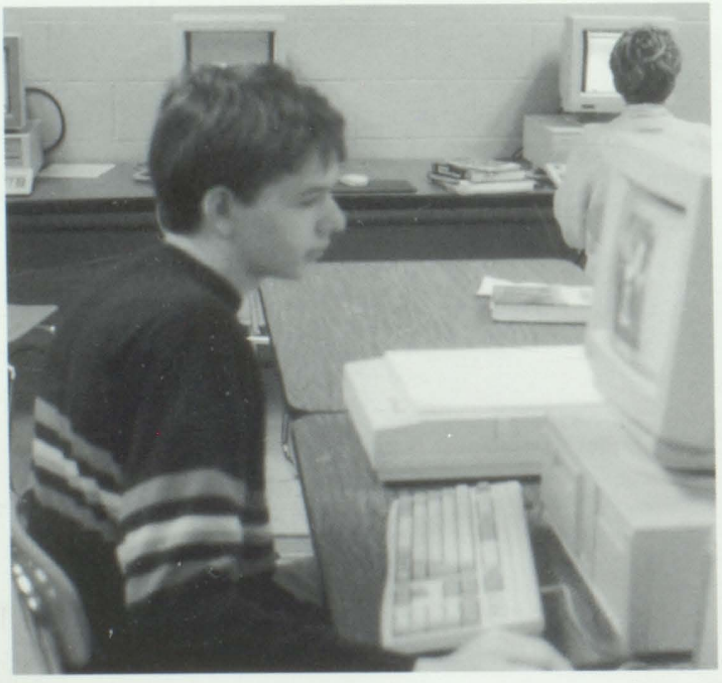
1. Mrs. Szynal passes back papers during class. 2. Jamie Salazar, Jeff Moerchen, and Lori Eddy pay attention during class. 3. Brad Brown finishes up a test. 4. Members of the math department include row 1: Mr. Nussbaum, Mr. Hassan, Mrs. Szynal, Mrs. Martin, and Mr. Metcalf; row 2: Mr. Company, Mr. Zolman, Mr. Hawkins, and Mr. Davis. 5. Seth Beer, Jonathan Trojan, and Bruno Amaral finish up their geometry. 6. Bryan Martin thinks long and hard about a problem. 7. Kara Price takes a break from her studies.

Signaling student achievement

Wawasee High School had the privilege of having its own newspaper to keep the student body up to date on important information about the activities and students at the school. The newspaper class, taught by Mr. Robbins, had eleven members. The editor-in-chief was Jaxon Swain. The assistant editor for first semester was Jane Wamsley, and Dan Cone took over the position second semester. Nicole Pope was the photographer for the newspaper. *Smoke Signals* was put out monthly. Some of the features and columns represented in the paper were sports, student life, clubs, and movie and music reviews. All members of the staff were important to the paper and each contributed to the articles that composed the final copy. One interesting thing that the newspaper staff did was return to Notre Dame for a conference held there yearly. There they were able to attend a number of clinics and classes that taught them about the different areas that made up a newspaper. Local newspapers from all over the area contributed to this learning activity. Alexis Culver received the honor of first runner up in the Michiana Professional Journalism contest held in the spring. The staff also put out a magazine in March. It was called Eklektikos. It featured stories about students, friendship, different schools, local bands, and summertime activities.



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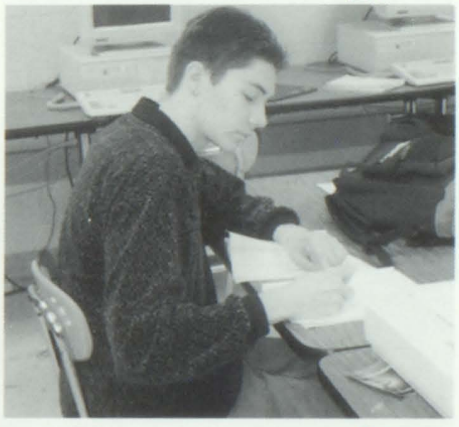
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1. Alexis Culver uses her spare time wisely in newspaper. 2. Jaxon Swain, editor-in-chief, works hard on his next deadline. 3. Nicole Pope and Bryan Martin work together on the computer for the next issue. 4. Sandy Drake writes her next column for the *Smoke Signals*. 5. Mr. Robbins helps a staff member use the computer. 6. Alexis Culver, Megan King, Bryan Martin, and Traci Hughes look through magazines for future ideas. 7. Dave Johnson prepares for the next deadline. 8. The newspaper staff is row 1: Karrie Foltz, and Stephanie Scott; row 2: Bobbi Clipfell, Erik Weaver, Megan King, and Dave Johnson; row 3: Peggy Curry, Traci Hughes, Heather Long, Nicole Pope, Sandy Drake, Jane Wamsley, Jaxon Swain, Dan Cone, and Mr. Robbins. 9. Dan Cone works diligently to finish a deadline.

Staying well organized

It was a smooth year for the secretaries, aides, and nurses. It was also a busy one as everyone adapted to a new phone system and new computers. The new phone system was installed at the end of last year and it seemed to be working well. Mrs. Holterman stated that she loved her new computer, referring to the new computers and new systems installed for the offices. Others also said they made a smooth adjustment to the changes. Mrs. Byrd, the bookkeeper, had another good year. "I like my job and enjoy interacting with the kids," she stated. This seemed to be the feeling of all the secretaries. Mrs. Bultemeier was in her second year in the main office. She said she enjoyed everything about her job. The attendance office had a busy year with an extremely high rate of absences. Everyone stayed organized and used the new resources to keep track of the students. The offices' many student aides helped out in a lot of ways. Doing everything from answering phones, running errands, and taking messages, the aides had fun doing their jobs. The ISTEP test became very important this year. Beginning with this year's sophomores, students would now have to pass the test in order to graduate. Mrs. Zielinski and Mrs. Clerkin with their ISTEP tutoring classes were two of the many people who helped the students get prepared to succeed . The year was a fun one for everyone in the offices.



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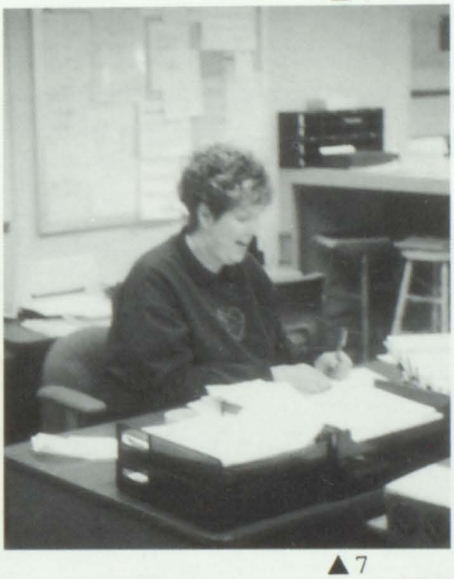
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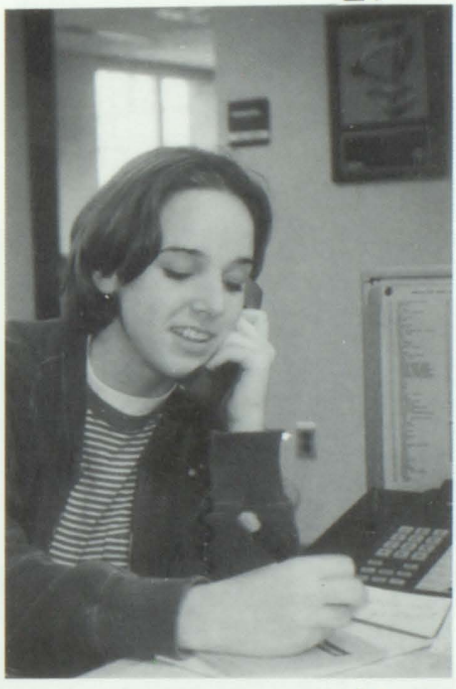
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1. Mrs. Thomas and Mrs. Dewart, the nurses, are in the Christmas spirit. 2. Mrs. VanLue is getting a scoop of chocolate ice cream. 3. Mrs. Bultemeier uses her new computer. 4. The student aides are row 1: Shaun Belin, Amanda Cripe, Heather Kirkwood, and Krista Bestul; row 2: Tanya Myers, Jeremy High, Christi Weicht, Crystal Tudor, and Lacey Robinson. 5. Mrs. Zielinski works 5th hour in the attendance office. 6. Mrs. Dodds takes a break in the athletic office. 7. Mrs. Holterman keeps track of students. 8. Kara Mathew answers a phone. 9. The secretaries and aides are row 1: Mrs. Zielinski, Mrs. Salazar, Mrs. Daniel, and Mrs. Thomas; row 2: Mrs. Bruch, Mrs. Byrd, Mrs. Holterman, Mrs. Rogers, Mr. Vasquez, Mrs. VanLue, Mrs. Dodds, Mrs. Clerkin, and Mrs. Olszewski.

Stringing lovely notes

Mrs. Dubach directed the orchestra to an exciting year. The orchestra performed at several different concerts: a delightful Christmas concert, the Corporation Music Festival, and an exciting spring concert, as well as entertaining people at Wander Wawasee. The orchestra also participated in the District Instrumental Organizational Contest. "It's especially exciting to work again with the best wind, brass, and percussion players from band," Mrs. Dubach commented, referring to the full orchestra which consisted of winds, brass, and percussion as well as strings. The orchestra performed a variety of pieces including "Festique," "Fredrick the Great," and arrangements from "Fame." Together the orchestra and full orchestra had a successful year. "Orchestra gives me a relaxing break during the day," commented freshman Shasta Gearhart.



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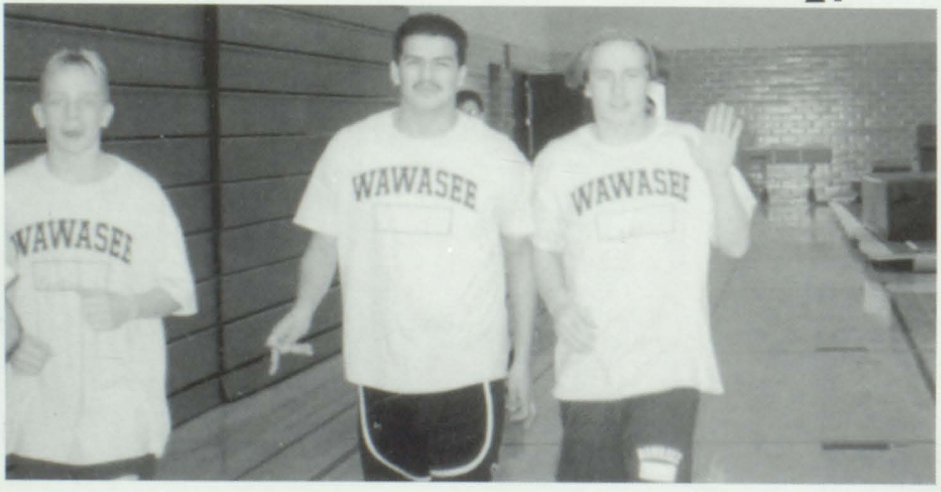
1. Orchestra conductor, Mrs. Dubach, leads the strings. 2. The full orchestra members are row 1: Josh DeGood, Stephanie Wong, Elizabeth Rehling, Heather Long, Beth Pinkerton, Amanda Weirick, Katie Millar, Addie Wright, Traci Hughes, Taia Pletcher, Rachel Spiegal; row 2: Rob Trame, Brenda Wong, Sarah Kennedy, Rachel Jackson, Andrea Chupp, Tabitha Shoopman, Amanda Lechlitner; row 3: Tara Niles, Robyn Elliott, Kathryn Rehling, Nicole Reynolds, Elizabeth Miller, Ann Corbin, Shasta Gearhart, Erin Hough, Candance Beer, Randy Watts, Dusten Lytle, Kim Rutter; row 4: Amii Bischof, Stephanie Russo, Will Glaser, Janice Bokhart, Andy Vester, Tammy Miller, Jill Mock, Brooke Cunningham, Kasha Barrett, Tony Criswell; row 5: Andy Ousley, Greg Brunjes, Mark Jackson, Emily Minnick, Alan Wilson, Heather Rich, Matt Brown, Nick Scribner, and Bob Phillips. 3. The string members are row 1: Stephanie Wong, Elizabeth Rehling, Heather Long, Beth Pinkerton, Amanda Weirick, Katie Millar, Addie Wright; row 2: Sarah Kennedy, Rachel Jackson, Brenda Wong, Andrea Chupp, Tabitha Shoopman, Amanda Lechlitner, Matt Brown; row 3: Nicole Reynolds, Liz Miller, Ann Corbin, Kathryn Rehling, Shasta Gearhart, Erin Hough; row 4: Stephanie Russo, Will Glaser, Andy Vester, Janice Bokhart, Tammy Miller, Brooke Cunningham, Kasha Barrett; row 5: Andy Ousley, Greg Brunjes, Mark Jackson, Heather Rich, Jill Mock, Emily Minnick, and Alan Wilson. 4. Addie Wright examines her bow. 5. Emily Minnick and Janice Bokhart demonstrate excellent technique. 6. Are you ready to play, Andy Ousley?

Keeping good health

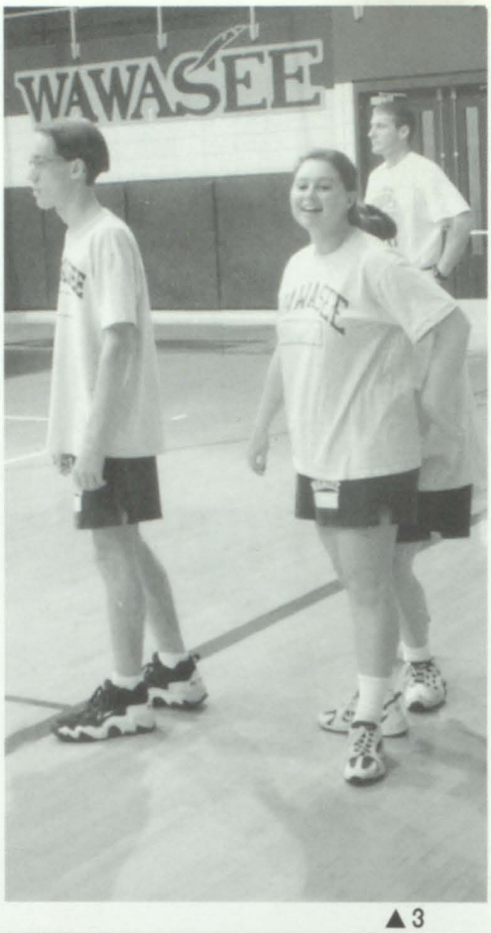
The physical education department had all sorts of different activities for students to choose from once again. The freshmen had to take at least one semester of physical fitness just like every year. Mrs. Peterson's classes were P.E. 9, Fitness 1, team sports, and lifeguarding. Mr. DeHart's classes were P.E. 9, team sports, Fitness 2, 3, and lifetime activities. Mr. Mishler taught P. E., team sports, and lifetime activities. Some team sports activities included football, softball, handball, floor hockey, and speed ball. Some life time activities were table tennis, archery, biking, bowling, and camping. To become a senior leader students had to attain an outstanding record in their physical education classes and could then elect this class in their senior year



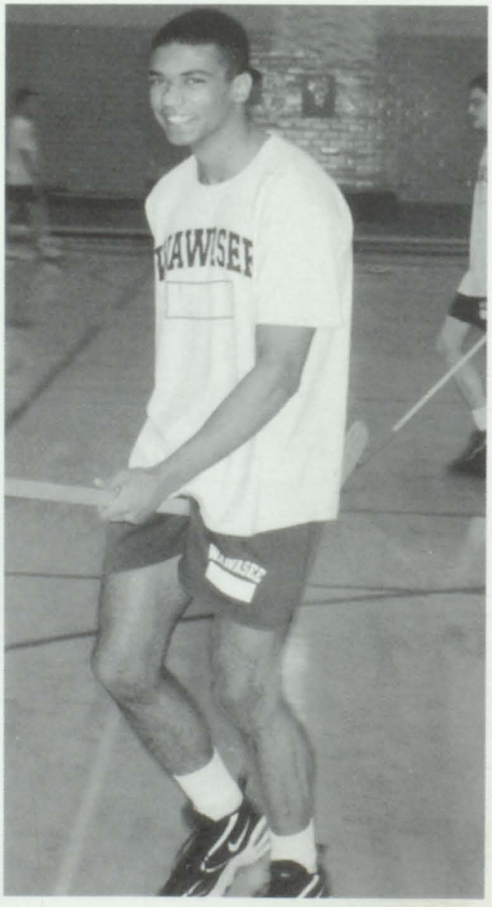
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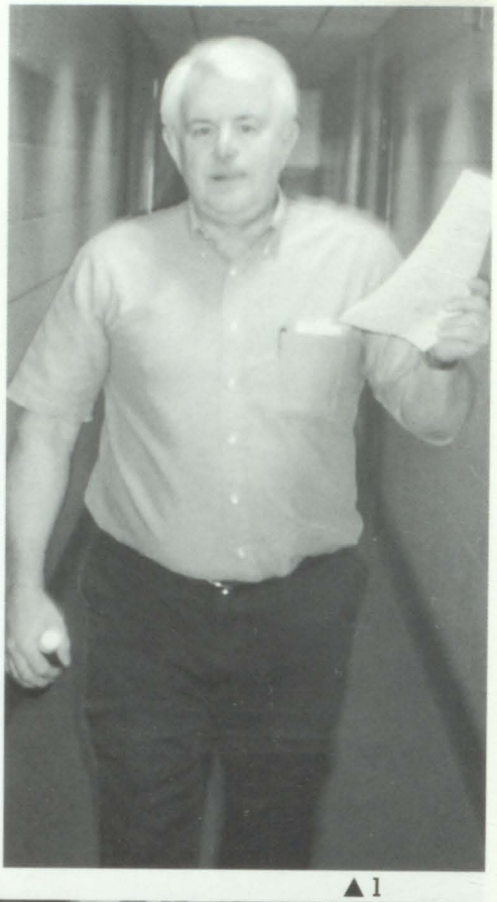


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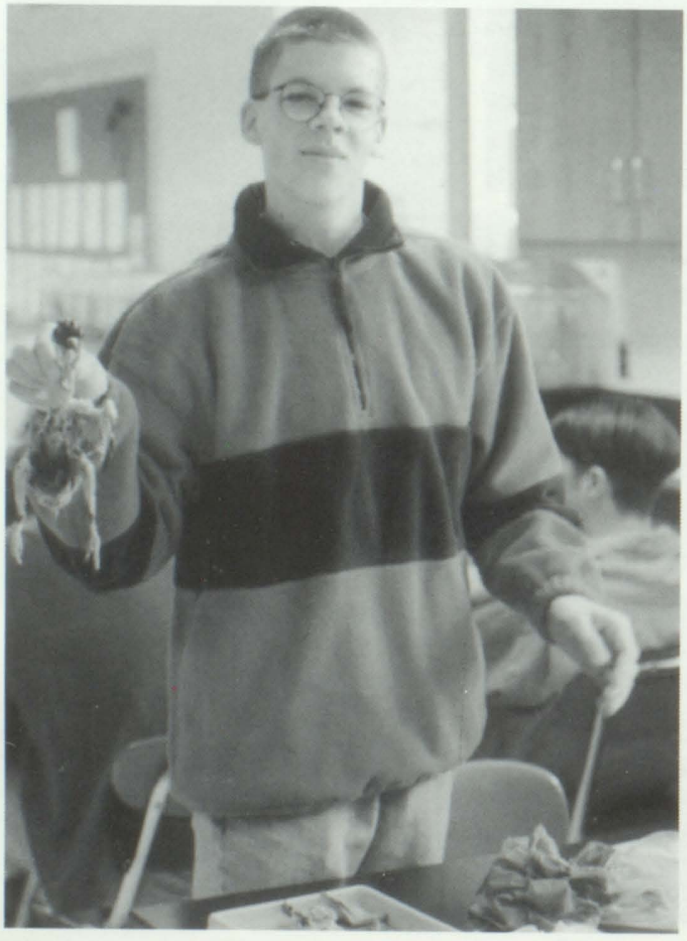
1. Drew Rabb, Farhan Haq, Jason Carr, and Chris Lambert are jogging in P.E. 2. Greg Ummel, Frank Perales, and Brandon Karbach show good participation in their gym class. 3. George Coquillard and Katie Krontz prepare to join in the activity. 4. Jason Carr says, " Let me ride that donkey, donkey." 5. Phil Mishler, Cindy Peterson, and Scott DeHart are the P.E. instructors. 6. Jaclyn Mosco appears to be waiting for something. 7. The first hour gym class sings the Wawasee fight song. 8. Alicia Holterman and Tyson Niles show their affection for each other.

Creating mad scientists

This year's science department consisted of Mr. Keiper, Mr. O'Dell, Mr. Lambert, Mr. Hite, Miss Kline, Mr. R. Kitson, Mr. W. Kitson, Mrs. Schumm, and Mrs. Wilcoxson. Miss Kline was the department chair for the science department. She taught chemistry and physical science. In Mr. Keiper's human physiology class, everyone had a special liking for the baby pig lab. In this lab the students worked with a baby pig, dissecting it through out the year. The physical science, chemistry, and physics classes did many experiments dealing with chemical reactions and the laws of nature. Physics was another class offered, taught by Mr. R. Kitson and there were two classes offered. Mrs. Schumm's biology classes were again busy making bacteria cells and other goodies in the lab. The students had more and more hands-on experience.



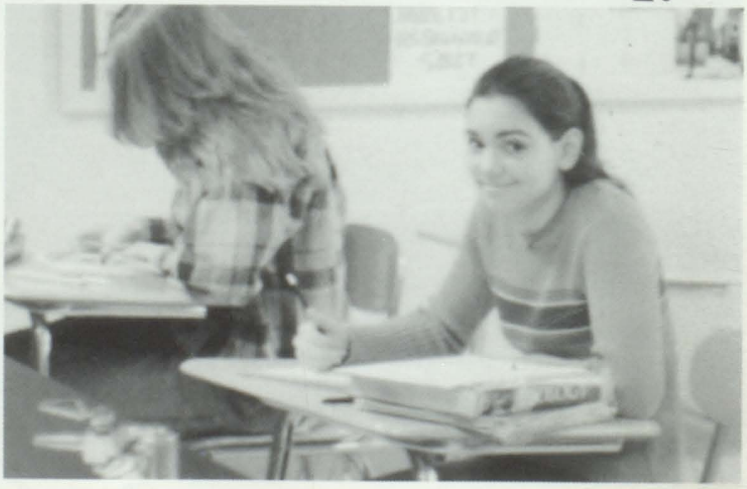
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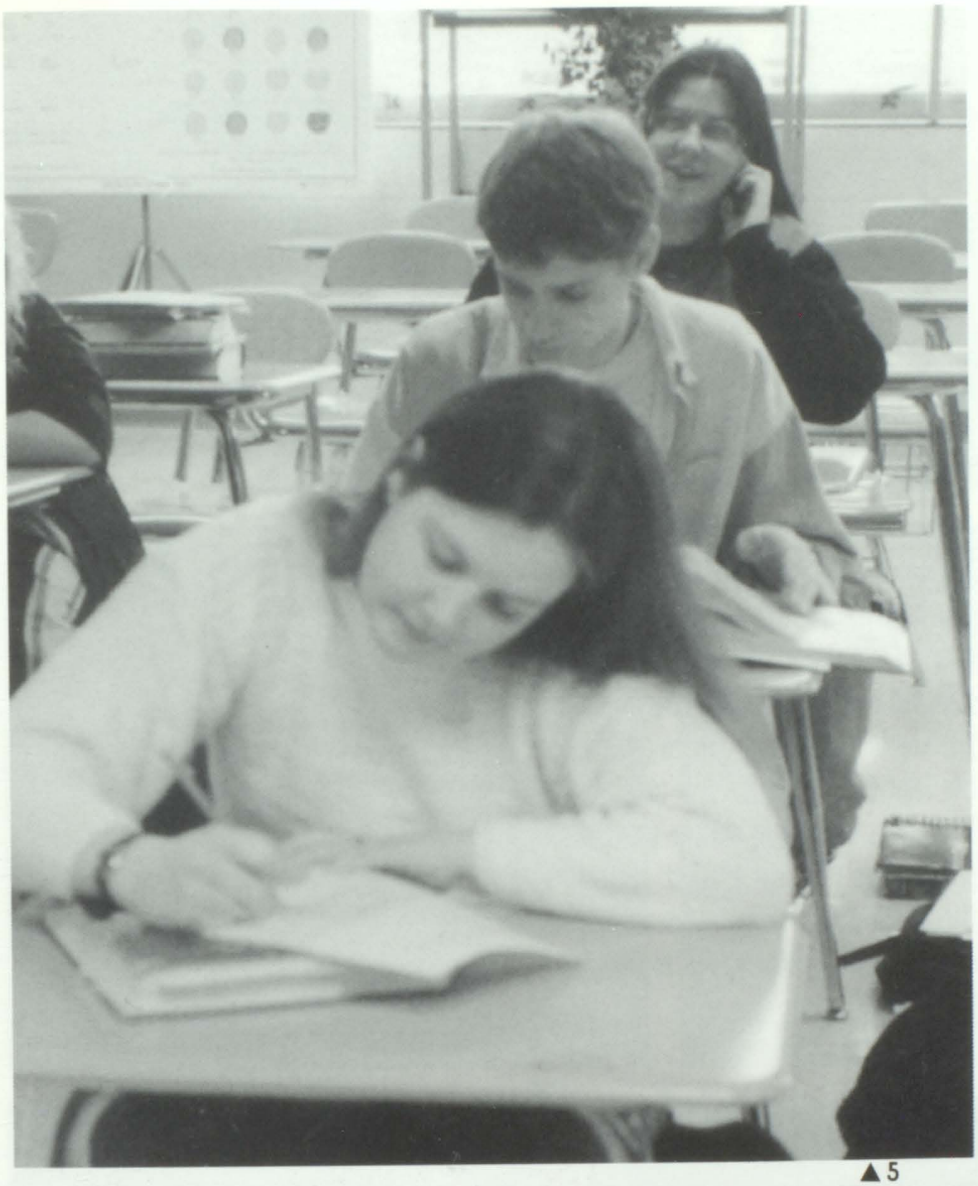
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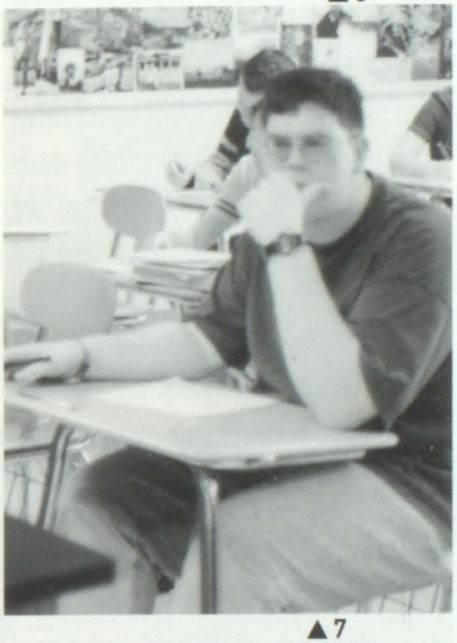
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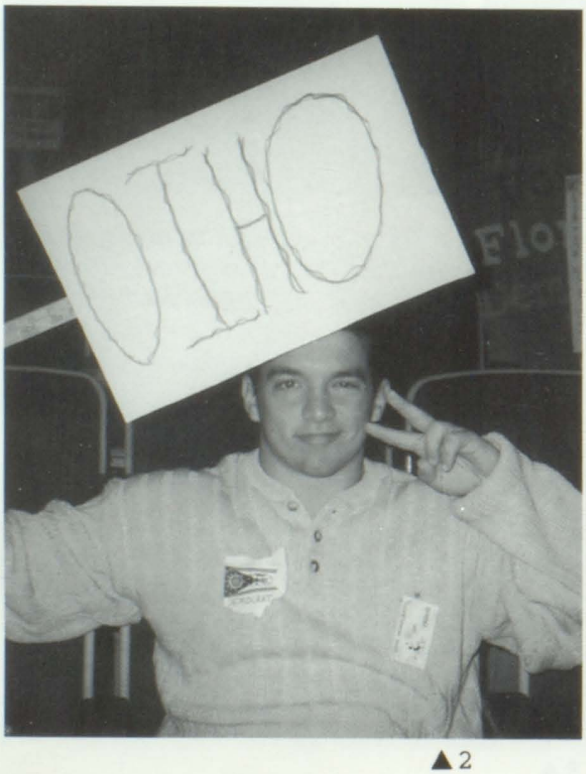
1. Mr Keiper lets everyone know that his test is going to be hard. 2. Jacob Mikolajczak shows off his half dissected frog. 3. Alicia Prater, Elizabeth Rehling, and Shawnte' Schritter work diligently during Biology II. 4. Sarah Shipley looks happy to be in Mr. Keiper's class. 5. Rosayln Chamberlin, Cory Hardin, and Latisha Powell finish their worksheet. 6. Mrs. Schumm looks happy to be working at her computer. 7. Bill Gerrity wonders what the answer is. 8. Members of the science department are row 1: Mr. Keiper, Mr. O'Dell, Mrs. Wilcoxson, Miss Kline, and Mr. Hite; row 2: Mrs. Schumm, Mr. R. Kitson, Mr. Lambert, and Mr. W. Kitson.

Socializing various cultures

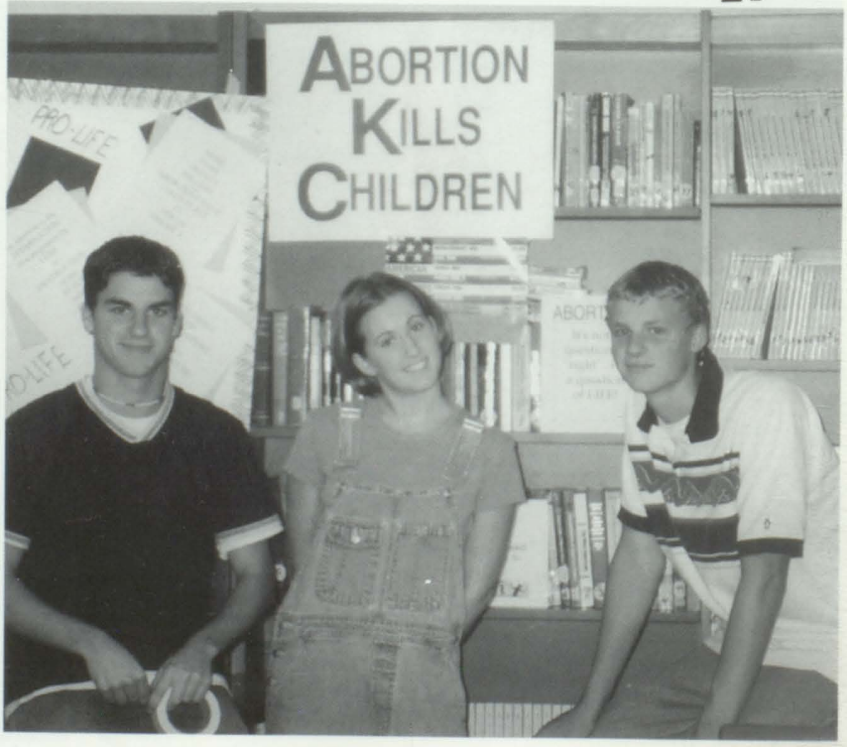
The social science department offered seven classes and had five teachers. The classes offered were government, economics, U.S. history, psychology, sociology, and world history. All of the history courses were required for graduation. Government and economics, also required, were offered in the summer to free up a class slot during senior year. Psychology and sociology were electives and were not required. Both of those classes taught students how the mind worked and how different areas of the world lived and survived among their cultures. The mock elections took place in the fall and registered students elected Ben Hire as president and Nathan Scherer as vice-president, both Republicans. The psychology classes did their annual maze experiments with the students of the school. These mazes tested the theory of trial and error and remembering where to go to avoid the stoppers. The A.P. U.S. history class had the opportunity to attend a speech given by Colin Powell, the retired chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, over spring break. The seniors once again did the power point presentation of their assigned country in March and April. Social science was an exciting affair for all who chose to participate in the learning experience.



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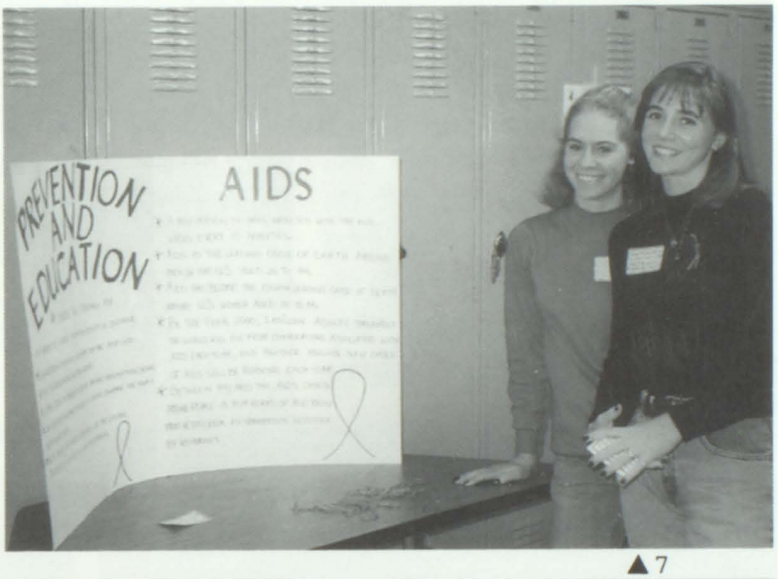
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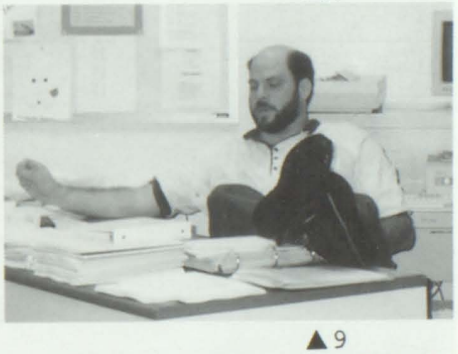
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1, Ben Hire expresses his political ideas as a Presidential candidate. 2. Brad Swope is for Ohio all the way. Is that spelled correctly Brad? 3. Andrew Thornburg, Katie Biddle, and Andy Cole state their view on abortion. 4. Seth Scantlen, Kristi Martin, and Troy Niles prepare for the mock elections. 5. Rob Schlipf, Kari Wortinger, and Heather Long ask Mr. Corson about the rules of the election. 6. Erik Weaver tells Nate Farber not to peek during the maze experiment. 7. Robin Elliot and Jackie Stanton educate the student body on AIDS and AIDS prevention. 8. The social science department faculty is Ron Corson, Randy Aalbregtse, Roger Karns, Rich Welborn and Jeff VanDrie. 9. Mr. Karns relaxes during his prep period.

Providing needed services

This year was a great one for the cooks and custodians of Wawasee. The cooks started out by trying some different student specials in the lunch line. New main dishes and new types of food were introduced to students. The new school year also brought some new faces. Sandy Farmer and Kathy Cole were two additions to the kitchen staff. The cooks stated that students seemed to enjoy some of the new lunches offered. Susie Kern commented, "We're just trying to please everybody." In the custodial department, the custodians kept very busy. They were responsible for all of the set-ups and tear-downs for the events at Wawasee. Along with maintenance and landscaping, they all stayed on task and kept everything looking great. Two new custodians were added to the department, along with a new groundskeeper. Helen Shuster, Jim Funderburg, and Keith Lahey were these additions. The custodians remarked that they had a good year and that students were very helpful.



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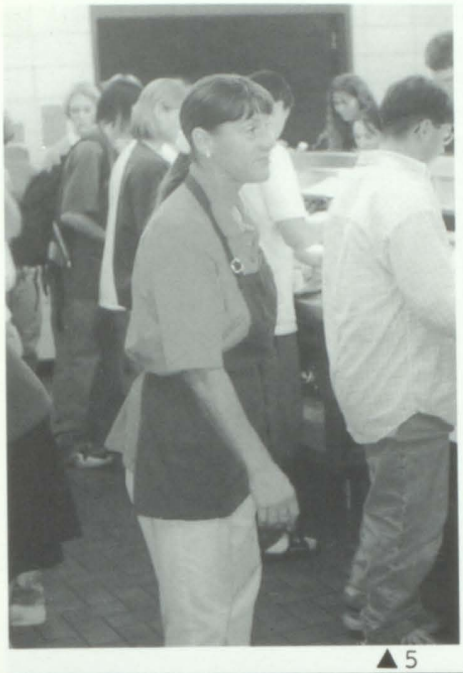
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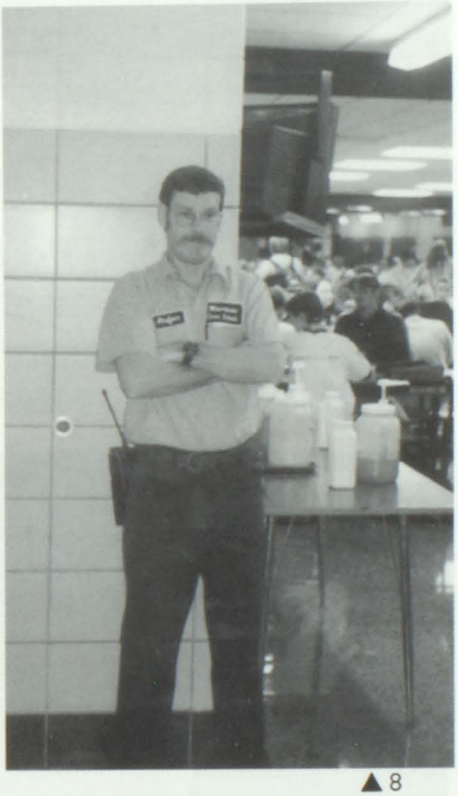
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1. Susie Kern makes a quick smile while keeping busy. 2. Rose White celebrates her 60th birthday in style. 3. Kathy Cole and Debbe Kuhn wash up after lunchtime. 4. Marleen Leamon serves the food nice and hot. 5. Jackie Wortinger is happy with the lunchtime crowd. 6. The cooks are Marleen Leamon, Sandy Farmer, Debbe Kuhn, Kathy Close, Jackie Wortinger, Rose White, Susie Kern, Vicki Brown, Marilyn Grindle, and Kathy Cole. 7. Rodger Brown, Edith Avery, Jonetta Bowser, and Byron Oswald make up the custodial staff. 8. Rodger Brown keeps his watch over the cafeteria. 9. Kathy Close works the cash register with a grin.

Producing countless harmonies

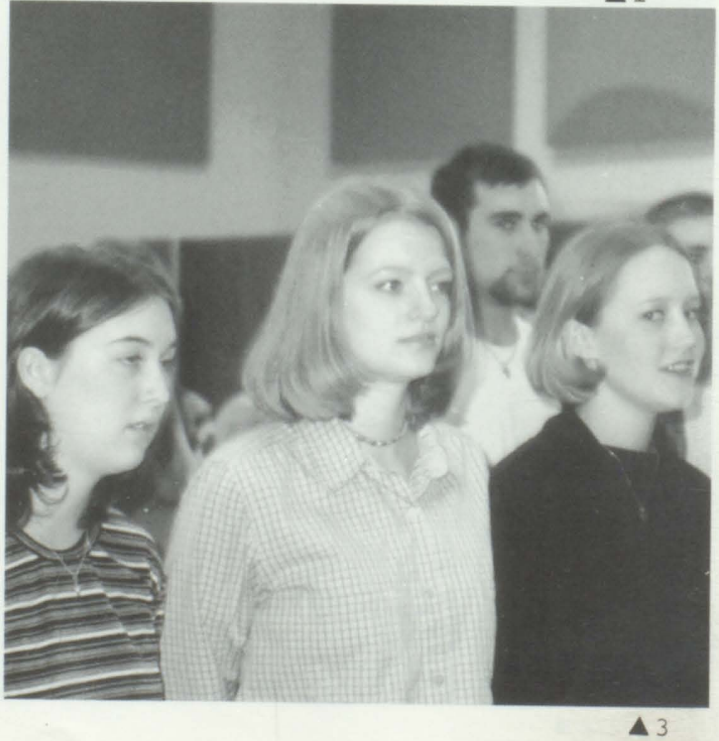
The show choirs performed a variety of concerts. The varsity singers and the dream company were conducted by Mr. Tom Beckett for half of the year as he led them through many different Christmas presentations to area groups such as the Rotary Club and the Lions Club as well as the Christmas concert at school and Christmas in the Park. When Mr. Beckett resigned, Mrs. Boucher took over for the remainder of the year. She was a graduate of Grace College and this was her first job in teaching. She directed the show choirs at the corporation music festival, and the jazz competition at Wabash High School. There they collected two first place awards. Some of the students then went on to perform in solo and ensemble competitions. The dream company also performed at Wander Wawasee. In the spring the show choirs performed for St. Andrew's United Methodist Church, at Quaker Haven for the Kiwanis and the spring concert at the end of the year.



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1. Mr. Beckett leads the show choirs in a successful year. 2. Margaret Shutske, Janice Bokhart, and Katie McCauley enjoy dream company. 3. Rachel Jackson, Marie Barrett, and Lindsay Schwartz warm up for varsity singers. 4. The varsity singers are row 1: Rachel Jackson, Angie Beer, Paige Gerber, Leigh Anne Gerber, Cara Belcher, Darcy Replogle, Lindsay Schwartz, Traci Speicher, Sarah Frantz, Evelyn Boesenberg, Colleen Hickey, and Kathryn Rehling; row 2: Sarah Schwartz, Stephanie Wong, Amy Gingerich, Ann Corbin, Marie Barrett, Erin Buss, Dina Coverstone, Katie Jones, Carrie Grothaus, and Brenda Wong; row 3: Seth Scantlen, Jonah Story, Steven DePlanty, Dan Rater, Jeff Beer, Jody VanLue, Dan Cone, Jamie Salazar, Andrew Waugh, Brandon Boyts, Matt Pedersen, and Courtney Knisley. 5. The varsity singers perform at the Christmas concert. 6. The dream company members are row 1: Jennifer Hively, Kristen Vandiver, Misti Cassinger, Crystal Pamer, and Stephanie Scott; row 2: Cheryl Grady, Carly Janacek, Kim Coldren, Janice Bokhart, Melissa Lee Johnson, Tiffany Bohnstedt, Heather Hall, and Margaret Shutske; row 3: Anna Snavley, Sherry Elkins, Megan Marshall, Jennifer DePlanty, Alicia Prater, Erin Buss, Vanessa Amburgy, Lisa Mitting, Katie McCauley, and Alisha Henderson. 7. The varsity singers blend their voices. 8. Jamie Salazar accompanies the varsity singers.

Developing new skills

The vocational department was directed by Mrs. Huber. The house Mr. Waltz's building trades classes built was located near Milford. Students taking building trades acquired knowledge of general construction techniques in carpentry, electricity, plumbing, heating, and masonry. Auto mechanics students also learned valuable skills. They learned about different parts of the automobile and how to service and repair them. Beginning students met during the first three periods while advanced auto mechanics met during the last three periods. Cosmetology was a possible class selection. Cosmetology students were trained for entering the field of beauty culture. This class was offered only at Fairfield. Printing offered at West Noble had a superb year. Students participating in this course learned about offset printing, letter presses, plate making, bindery, photography, and many other specialized printing jobs. Agriculture, home economics and the ICE program also offered students vocational opportunities.



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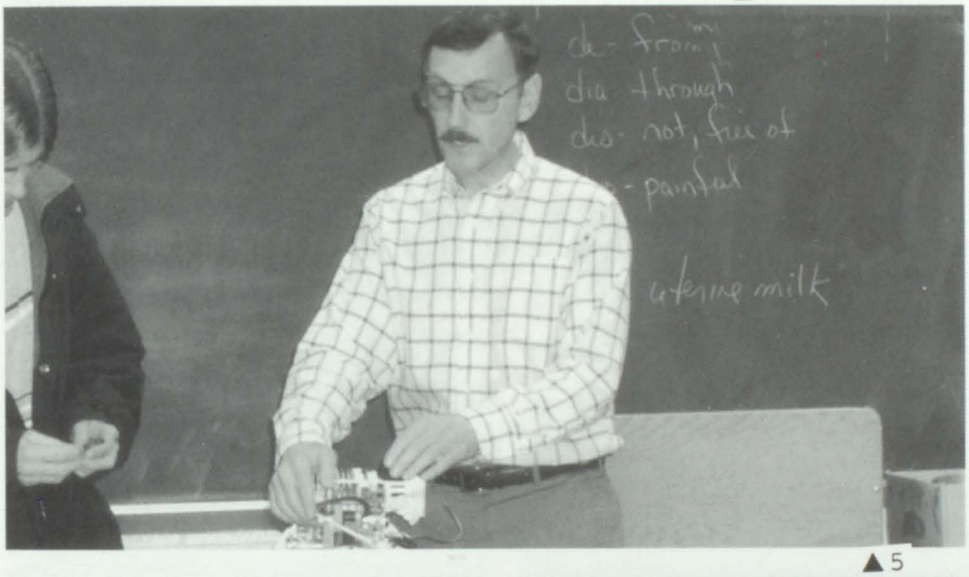
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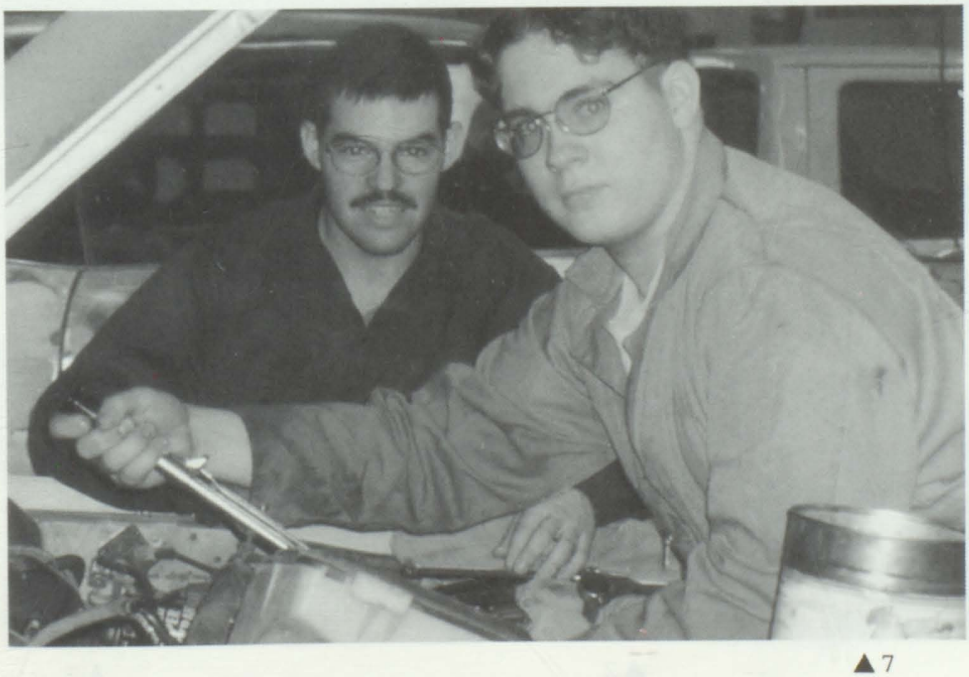
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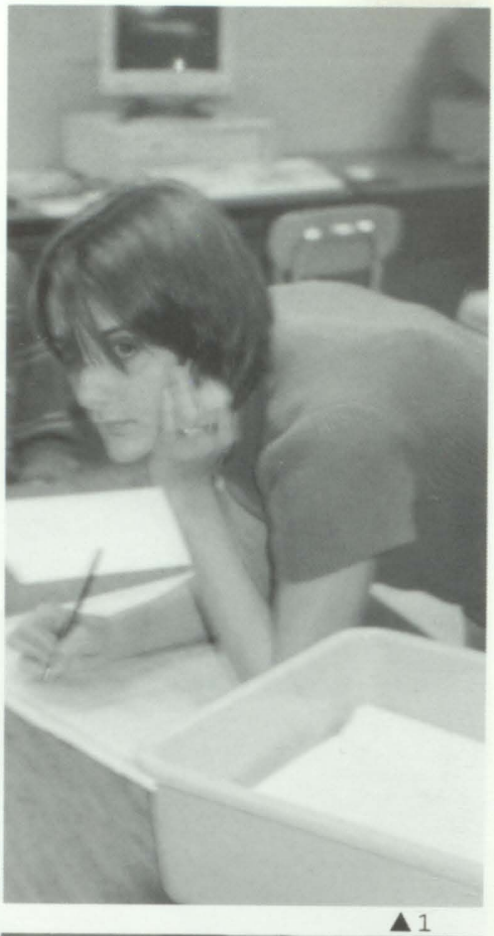


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1. Aaron Lindsey is checking a truck's oil. 2. The vocational staff is seated: Mrs. Huber; standing: Mr. Warren, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Waltz, Mrs. Oswald. 3. The building trades classes are making progress on the new house. 4. Luke Baker takes it easy in the cab of a truck. 5. Mr. Warren examines a small engine. 6. Chad Olson works under the hood. 7. Josh Fisher and Eric Pinkerton tighten up some parts.

Creating innovative layouts

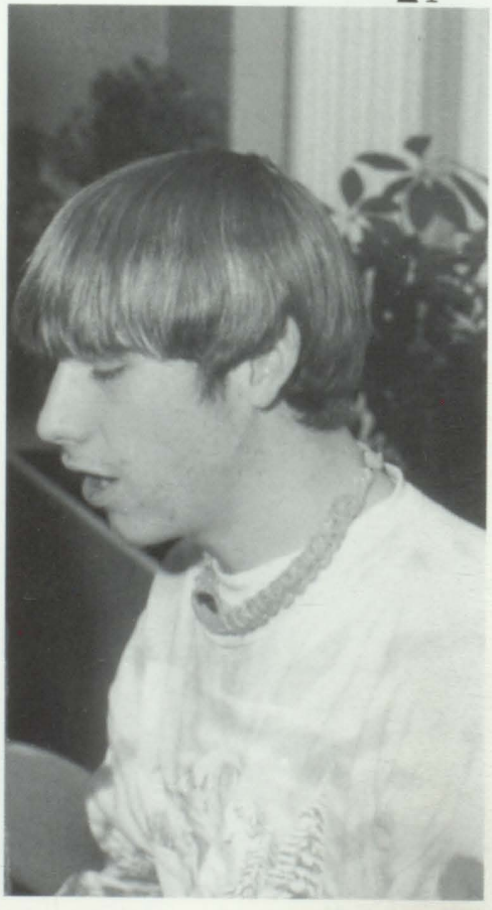
Being on the yearbook staff involved many different jobs. The staff took responsibility in contacting and visiting businesses in the area for the ad section of the yearbook first semester. A field trip was then taken to take pictures for ads, which helped make the yearbook less expensive for students. Putting together the *Legend* took a lot of time, but the staff of 16 members got the job done. The cover was conceived by Mr. Johnson's commercial design class, with Nick Flenar's design being chosen. The chosen theme, "The impression that you get" was selected first semester. Second semester the staff was responsible for six deadlines due to Herff Jones including the difficult color sections for homecoming and the color senior section. Also the staff worked on academics, sports, clubs and underclassmen. The staff was given one to two weeks to complete a spread, which made it hectic for everyone. A new addition of a theme header design at the top right of each spread added to every page. All this hard work together created one big book called the *Legend.*



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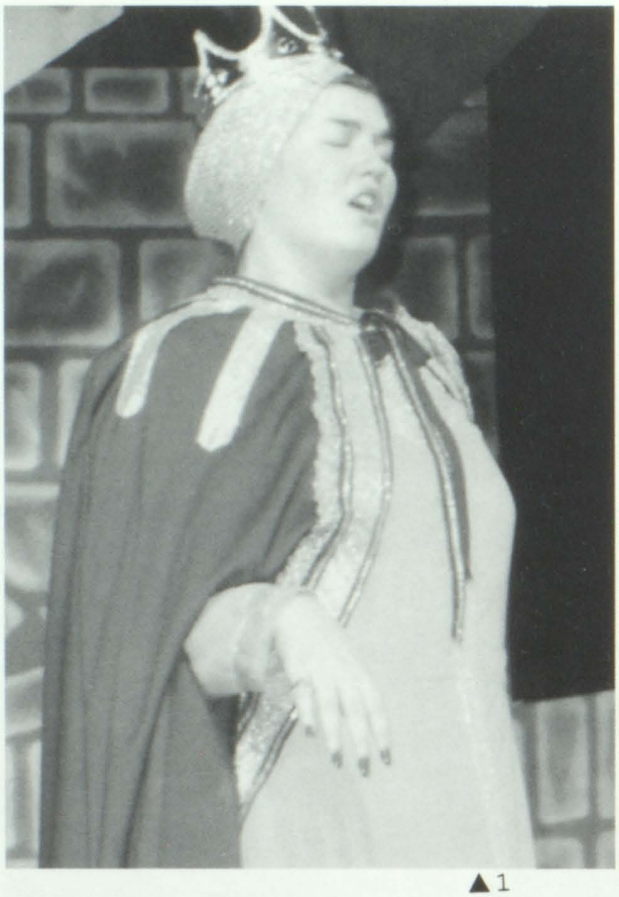


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1. Missy Miller starts her final layout. 2. Yearbook staff members are clockwise from bottom center: Justin Bell, Missy Miller, John Heckaman, Mary Cockburn, Kim Troup, Mrs. Harkleroad, Kara Mathew, Shiloh Butler, Kassie Biddle, Sarah Korenstra, Karen Shipley, Jessica Christoffel, Christa Olson, Ryan Hilgenberg, Josh Eby, Jon Hulley, and Blake Knisely. 3. Josh Eby meditates on his body copy. 4. Kim Troup writes her body copy for basketball. 5. Karen Shipley compares her layouts to complete a yearbook section. 6. Shiloh Butler finishes her homework in her spare time. 7. Ryan Hilgenberg types his body copy for the school's art page. 8. Kassie Biddle enjoys yearbook.



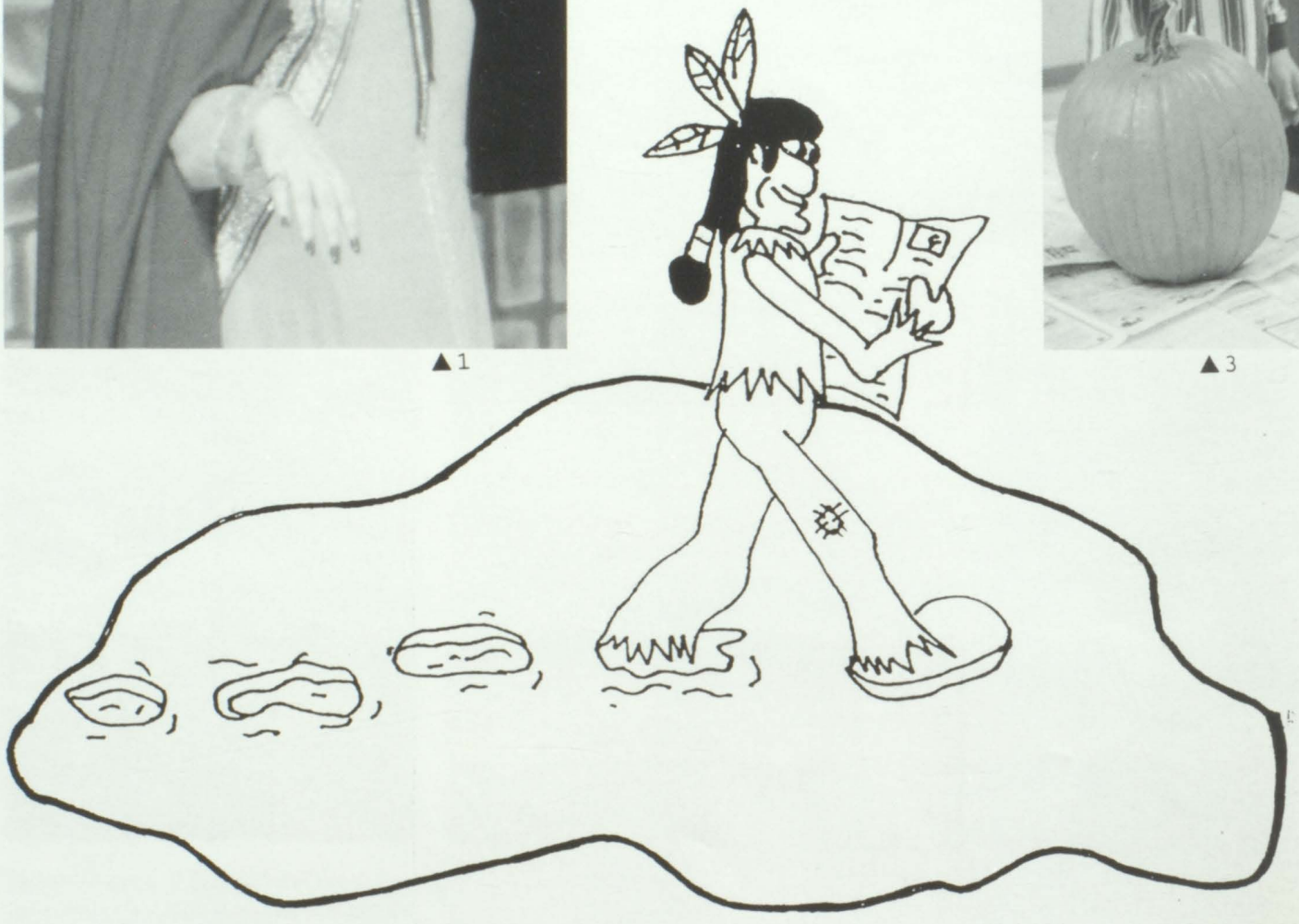
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1. Drama club member Sarah LeCount does a great job in her role as the queen in the spring musical. 2. The pumpkin carve is a favorite activity for the art club during Halloween. 3. Scott Bryan tells everyone that his pumpkin is going to be the best. 4. Megan Waugh, a member of art club, works on her ceramic project. 5. Abby Bultemeier and Amber Thomas donate their clothes for the NHS clothes drive. 6. Scott Ousley, Kassie Biddle, Sarah Korenstra, and Karen Shipley are happy to be decorating for the SRC sweetheart dance so early in the morning. 7. Sarah LeCount and Cory Whitesel sell drama club concessions for the play. 8. Peter Wagoner helps unload some Market Day products for Key Club.

Creating beautiful art

The art club had a very productive year. They took the train to the Art Institute of Chicago where they saw many priceless pieces of art. The club participated in a pumpkin carve around Halloween time. They carved many different interesting looking pumpkins. The club also had a Christmas party at Mrs. Bryan's house. The art club again helped set up and supervise the art show during Wander Wawasee. They planned, if time permitted, to go to an art museum, probably in Indianapolis, in the spring. The club did not elect officers or a president this year as they had done in previous years. The club consisted of 11 members who successfully accomplished many different pieces of art. Some of the art included drawing, painting, and sculpting. Mr. Johnson and Mrs. Bryan did a great job of keeping the club organized and planning different activities.



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1. Kristi Martin works seriously on her painting. 2. Jaxon Swain plays with his guitar strings during a meeting. 3. The art club members are row 1: Kristi Martin; row 2: Nicole Pope, Erik Weaver, Seth Scantlen, Jaime Conn, Megan Waugh; row 3: Matt Martin, Jaxon Swain, Mr. Johnson, Mrs. Bryan.



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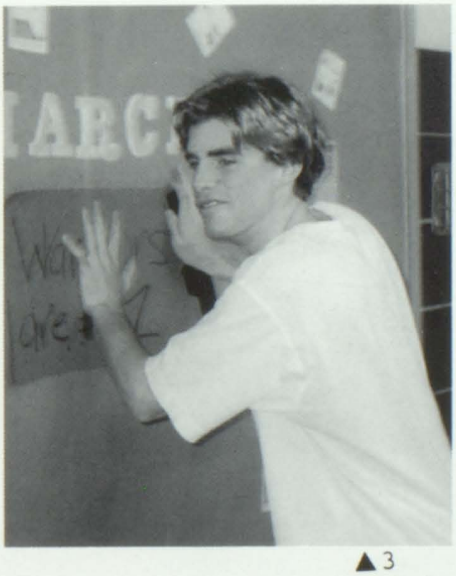
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Encouraging school spirit

Big Mouth had an exciting time making signs to support the many different sports teams. These teams included football, basketball, gymnastics, tennis, soccer, track, baseball, and swimming. Members of Big Mouth sponsored the seniors who dribbled to NorthWood for boys' basketball sectionals. The members sold barbecue brats at the football games to help raise money for school activities. Big Mouth had many tailgate parties before fall sporting events. Members participated in baking and barbecuing different foods to be sold at the events. Big Mouth club contributed a great deal of school spirit at athletic events. Most members attended sporting events and supported their teams. The Big Mouth members also helped support the athletes by placing decorative posters and signs on lockers. The Big Mouth club was the heart of school spirit.



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1. Lindsey Bender works on painting a spirit sign for the Warriors. 2. The Big Mouth members are row 1: Lindsey Bender, Erin Murdock, Josh DeGood, Megan Bell, Abby Bultemeier; row 2: Heather Coy, Mike Oswald, Dina Coverstone, Summer Ferverda, Brandi Hostetler, Amanda Boyer; row 3: Lisa Mitting, Stephanie Wihebrink, Joe Baumgartner, Becky Neterer, Becky Darr, Michelle Lamb, Stephanie Shivers; row 4: Sarah Korenstra, Ryan Johnson, Dustin Silva, Kassi Biddle, Karen Shipley, Jaime Conn, Alicia Holterman. 3. Mike Oswald hangs up a spirit sign in the hallway.

Achieving state recognition

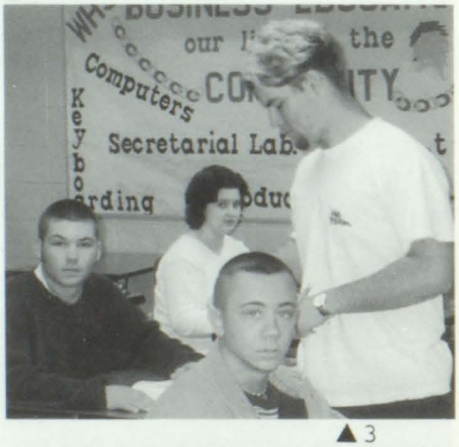


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DECA club had another awesome year. DECA was a club that involved business and the business world. It was also required for all I.C.E. students. DECA was a club that did not require a lot of effort, but students learned much in return. DECA sponsored the 50/50 drawings that were held at the home basketball games and sold entertainment books to help raise money for their trips. In the meetings the members used their time to organize for the competition that thirteen members participated in. The first of the two was a regional competition held at Scotsdale Mall in South Bend. At this competition members could qualify for the state competition held at the Westin Hotel in Indianapolis. Nathan Scherer, Sam Korenstra, and Paul Gilliam placed second in human relations at state. Officers of DECA were Nathan Scherer, president; Erin Griffith, vice-president; Bryce Schaefer, secretary; and Kassi Kindlesparker, treasurer.



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1. J.R. Wood, Erin Griffith, and Amanda Cripe take notes for an upcoming test. 2. Quyen Tran listens to Mr. Murphy lecture while Bryce Schaefer jots down notes for future use. 3. Derek Custer tells Josh McClintic about his homework grade as Natalie Scarbeary and Jeb Freeman look on. 4. DECA members are row 1: Derek Custer, Carissa McCullough, Staci Harris, Amanda Cripe, Erin Griffith, Crystal Bragg, and Russell S. Johnson; row 2: Nick Scribner, Renee Woods, Jamie Mock, Britt Phillips, Paul Gilliam, Lanyng Saul, Natalie Scarbeary, and Josh McClintic; row 3: Adrienne Weber, Jonah Story, Jeb Freeman, John Hoyt, J.R. Wood, Molly Hare, Lisa Mitting, Sam Korenstra, and Mr. Murphy; row 4: Ryan Speicher, Nate Scherer, Troy Niles, Kelly Myers, Bryce Schaefer, Aaron Jaress, Genny Carney, Anna Byrket, and Ray Belsan.

Performing great drama



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The drama club had another fun and exciting year. The president of drama club was Sarah LeCount; vice-president, Cliff Schwartz; secretary, Matt Pederson; and treasurer, Ryan Means. They put on two plays for the students at W.H.S. The first one was the drama LITTLE WOMEN and the second was a musical, ONCE UPON A MATTRESS. Sarah LeCount said, "The shows we performed were really fun to do. We worked really hard and in the end we gave the audience two of the best shows to ever grace the W.H.S. stage." Drama club sponsored the Data Match again raising money for their trip to New York City. The twelve members saw three shows when they were there, THE DIARY OF ANNE FRANK, MISS SAIGON, and TITANIC. The members also got to go on their own and see shows that they wanted to see. The club held its first Academy Awards in April to recognize its members' outstanding performances.



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1. Sarah LeCount and Corey Whitesel work out the details for the refreshments. 2. Members of the drama club are row 1: Amii Bischof, Becky Darr, Jim Baumgartner, Katie Millar, Kristi Gibson, Cassandra Reed, Tara Callahan; row 2: Jessica Kozon, Crystal Tudor, Marie Barrett, Jane Wamsley, Heather Whiteman, Ashley Whitesel, Erin Murdock, Tiffany Alfrey, Christy Cripe.; row 3: Jenny Carney, Rachel Kiefer, Brenda Wong, Sarah LeCount, Corrie Whitesel, Cliff Schwartz, Miss Wooldridge, Joe Baumgartner, Mike Oswald, Clarissa Finger; row 4: Kathryn Rehling, Kasha Barrett, Kim Reuter, Matt Pederson, Amy Likens, Brooke Cunningham, Rosey Butler, Jessica Walker. 3. Miss Wooldridge carries the idea of LITTLE women to an extreme.

Following set track

Fellowship of Christian Athletes was headed by new teacher Mr. Company. He was also involved in Athletes in Action. A group of four, Chad Campbell, Karissa Evans, Michelle Lamb, and Jamie Salazar, met with Mr. Company to discuss the planning of meetings, speakers, and field trips through out the year. Meetings were held every other Tuesday of the month. Speaker Tim Stiffler gave a presentation to the club about his faith and determination. The club also traveled to Ft. Wayne to watch a Fury basketball game. The members occasionally viewed various movies together. Members also participated in the world-wide demonstration of "See You at the Pole." Students and teachers around the world met outside of the school at 7:00 a.m. on a fall day to join hands and pray. Several students, not in FCA, shared in the experience of praying along side members at the flag pole. FCA had an exciting year full of new faithful faces.



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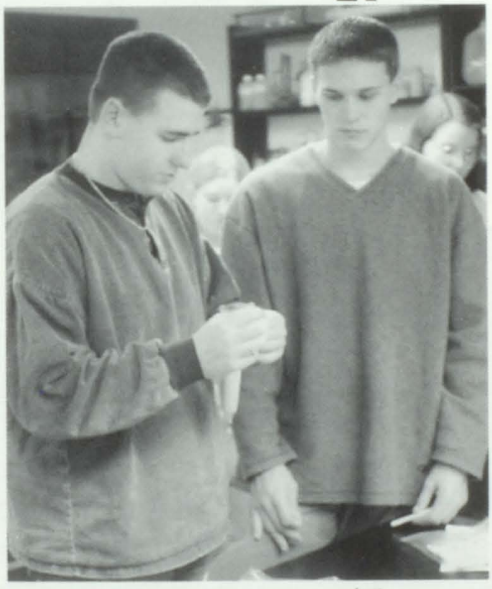
1. Traci Speicher reviews an FCA packet. 2. Andrew Jones chuckles before a meeting. 3. Members of FCA are row 1: Andrew Jones, Chad Campbell, Matt Martin; row 2: Candace Beer, Lindsey Bender, Paige Gerber, Shanda Bucher, Amanda Allles; row 3: Julia Neff, Kassie Biddle, Dina Coverstone, Karissa Evans, and Michelle Lamb.

Becoming future teachers



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New and exciting officials took charge of the Future Educators in Action club. In the role of the president was Kara Mathew; vice-president, Karen Shipley; secretary, Shiloh Butler; and treasurer, Jessica Christoffel. Mr. Iden, the sponsor of the club, had been supporting the students with his knowledge for many years. He and Ms. Angle were the first to introduce FEA to Wawasee 30 years ago. Meetings were held early in the mornings to accommodate schedules. The members consisted of students in the junior and senior classes. Members of the club participated in an observation day at area elementary schools and middle schools. Groups of two also made presentations to fifth graders on the topic of choosing not to smoke. Most members of the club were interested in becoming teachers after college. "We couldn't ask for a better leader. Mr. Iden is great!" commented seniors Shiloh Butler and Kara Mathew.



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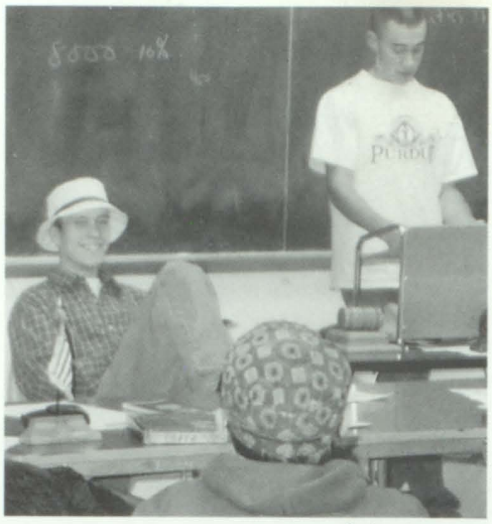


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1. Mr. Iden demonstrates how to use the foam lungs to Kara Mathew and Shiloh Butler. 2. Andrew Jones and Kris Kozon practice with the fake trachea. 3. Members of FEA include row 1: Julia Adams, Taia Pletcher, Amber Baker, Stephanie Bess; row 2.: Carrisa Coverstone, Jessica Christoffel, Sarah Korenstra, Karen Shipley, Shiloh Butler, Mr. Iden; row 3: Kris Kozon, Andrew Jones, Cliff Schwartz, Kara Mathew, Dina Coverstone, and Rachel Spiegel. 4. Kara Mathew and Karen Shipley run the show. 5. Mr. Iden is the great FEA sponsor!

Meeting high expectations

FFA met and exceeded their high expectations. They won many awards and blew away the competition. The soil judging team consisting of Kyle Wurtzel, Brian Warren, Matt Grady, and Rob Schlipf placed first in state and went to Oklahoma to compete in the national soil judging contest in May. The horticulture judging team of Cheryl Grady, Katy Schlipf, and Mary Sholtey took second at state. There were 43 members in the club. Teams and individual members won many awards and much recognition at contests throughout the year. The officers were Matt Grady, president; Brian Warren, vice-president; Kyle Wurtzel, secretary; Jason Haab, treasurer; Rob Schlipf, reporter; Marc Beer, sentinel. Mr. Warren was the sponsor of FFA. Senior Rob Schlipf said, "This was probably the best year over all. I really had a good time and enjoyed it. I was excited for the national soil judging contest participants."



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1. Jason Haab doesn't look as if he is paying attention. 2. Marc Beer tries to keep order. 3. Tanya Myers, Kara Waldbeser, Janice Bokhart, and Cheryl Grady take a break. 4. The FFA members are row 1: Kariann Plikerd, Tanya Myers, Amanda Hatfield, Kyle Wurtzel, Janice Bokhart, Paul Clingerman; row 2: Cheryl Grady, Katy Schlipf, Brian Warren, Trent Nabinger, Aaron Johnson, Eric Pinkerton, Ben Waldbeser, Steve Hollar; row 3: Mary Sholtey, Ollievia Patterson, Matt Roberts, Mike Taylor, Eric Hawkins, Lafe Huntsman, Shad Krull; row 4: Angie Wiggs, Derek Patterson, Ben Hess, Jason Haab, Matt Grady, Rob Schlipf, Andrew Gardner, Jon Mock.

Playing great tunes



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The jazz band had a great year showing their dedication to members of the band and the school. They played at the boys' basketball games which they really enjoyed and helped boost the team throughout the season. This was a different year because they tried something new by playing at the home girls' basketball games. "It worked out pretty well and was a lot of fun. I'm not sure that they will continue this though," stated a jazz band member. Jazz band earned a First Division rating at the Indiana State Jazz Contest for the fifth straight year. They had a great year and made many improvements. They practiced every Thursday before school, proving their dedication. Senior Taia Pletcher said, "This was a better year for me and I really enjoyed it." They were very dedicated and worked hard. The director of the jazz band was Mr. Clark. He commented, "The year turned out better than I had thought. I am very proud of them."



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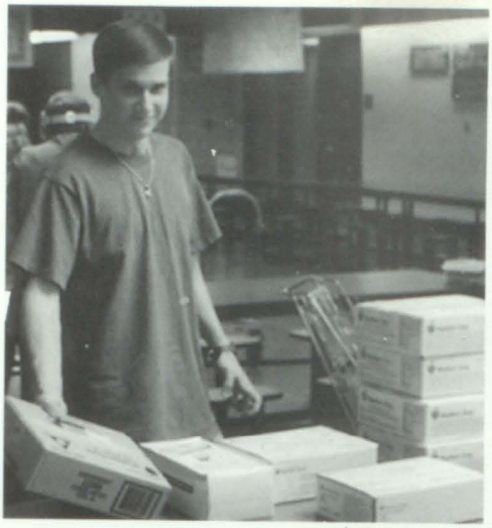
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1. Amii Bischof, Robyn Elliott, and Tara Evans take a break. 2. Sarah Losee shows her talent while Scott Bryan is amazed. 3. Jason Clark is surprised by something. 4. Bob Phillips, Nick Scribner, Ryan Yoder, and Randy Watts team up. 5. The jazz band members are row 1: Sarah Losee, Josh DeGood, Paul Strycker, Jonathan Trojan, Scott Carrington, Matt Heincker, Glenn Strycker, Latisha Powell; row 2: Scott Bryan, Shyla Belin, Heather Ruch, Rebekah Thompson, Amii Bischof, Sarah Newman, Tara Niles, Robyn Elliott; row 3: Taia Pletcher, Justin Magid, Chris Becker, Randy Watts, Candice Beer, Kristi Brandon, Josh Nicholl, Julie Blakeslee, Evelyn Boesenberg; row 4: Brian Martin, Jacob Mikolajczak, John Pearson, Charlie Doss, Paul Dodds, Travis Johnson, Tony Criswell, Bob Phillips, Nick Scribner.

Keying community involvement

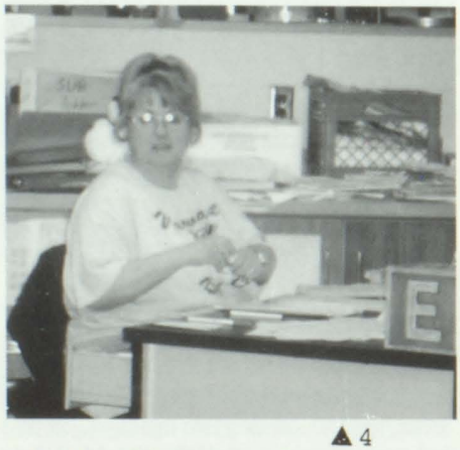


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Key Club, the world's largest high school service organization, played a very active part in the community. Officers for the year were Lieutenant Governor, Cassandra Reed; president, Andrew Jones; vice-president, Peggy Curry; secretary, Amber Reed; and treasurer, Christie Schmidt. The club was off to a quick start helping at the Lakeland Kiwanis corn and sausage roast in August. They also assisted at the Syracuse and Webster fall P.T.O. carnivals. Key Club was the sponsor of the Penny Pitch during English classes at Christmas, collecting money for the needy. Other important activities that the dedicated members participated in were the Big Brothers and Sister's First Friends Program, providing snacks for the Red Cross Bloodmobile, helping in the kitchen at Wander Wawasee, and running the refreshment table at parent teacher conferences. Of course Mrs. Pletcher and her crew still held the responsibilities of the Market Day program. The entire club played a very active roll. Key Club was very successful, sending eleven members to the state convention in Indianapolis and four to the International Convention in Atlanta, Georgia.



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1. Peter Wagoner sets out the Market Day orders. 2. Christie Schmidt goes to help distribute the Market Day goods. 3. Mrs. Pletcher takes a break from Market Day duties. 4. Members of Key Club are row 1: Anita Doherty, Peter Wagoner, Andrew Jones, Tamara Miller, Kristi Brandon, and Matt Brown; row 2: Taia Pletcher, Peggy Curry, Emily Robertson, Ashley Guy, Cassandra Reed, and Kasandra Lanham; row 3: Christie Schmidt, Mrs. Pletcher, Ryan Means, Sarah Huntsman, Andrew Waugh, Stephanie White, and Crystal Pamer.

Meeting high standards



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The qualifications for National Honor Society were obtaining a 9.5 grade point average and keeping in good standing with the school corporation. Each year a select number of juniors and seniors meeting these requirements were inducted into the club. Forty-six new members were inducted during January. Upon induction, members agreed to complete five hours of community service. They also focused on promoting scholarship, leadership, service, and character. National Honor Society provided many opportunities for members to obtain their service hours. Members had the chance to work in the kitchen at Wander Wawasee, donate goods in the NHS sponsored clothing drive before spring break, put current events on the school sign, and help with the Penny Pitch. The members could also work their community service on their own. Mrs. Cheryl Martin was the club sponsor for the second year. Officers included president, Alicia Prater and vice-president, Karissa Evans.



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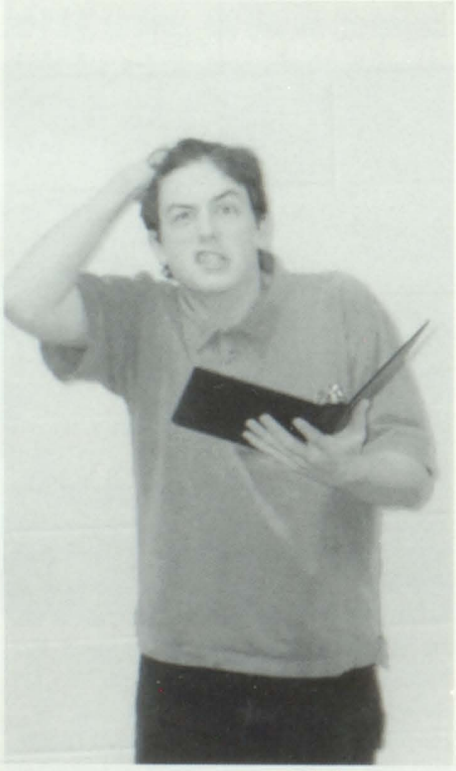
1. Dina Coverstone, Carissa Bailey, Elizabeth Rehling, and Amber Thomas listen intently to Alicia Prater at a meeting. 2. Alicia Prater works hard presiding over a meeting. 3. Senior members of NHS include row 1: Alicia Prater, Abby Bultemeier, Tara Niles, Rachelle Freeman, Cara Belcher, Mary Cockburn, Amanda Dull, Kyle Wurtzel, and Kathleen Roe; row 2: Peter Wagoner, Alicia Holterman, Tracey Gradle, Amber Thomas, Latisha Powell, Kari Wortinger, Travis Coy, Randy Watts, and Rob Schlipf; row 3: Mary Sholtey, Taia Pletcher, Stephanie Bess, Andrea VanCleave, Kassie Biddle, Kara Mathew, Dina Coverstone, Joe Baumgartner, Kyle Metcalf, Shane Beer, and Ryan Speicher; row 4: Elizabeth Rehling, Roz Chamberlin, Stephanie Wong, Andy Jones, Ryan Johnson, Rusty VanLue, Karissa Evans, Jared Mahnensmith, Scott Frantz, and Chris Kozon. 4. Kara Mathew collects the clothes after the clothing drive.

Making great speeches

The speech team had an exceptional year considering they had only five members. The speech team coach was Miss Wooldridge. Miss Wooldridge stated, "We had a really good year." Some of the events that made up a speech competition included duo interpretation, prose, and original oratory. The speech team participated in a total of eight competitions. At the sectional competition two individuals from the speech team advanced on to regional competition. These speech team members were Cliff Schwartz and Sarah LeCount. Tournament competition was stiff though with many exceptional speakers from other schools. The speech team offered many opportunities for those who enjoyed speaking.



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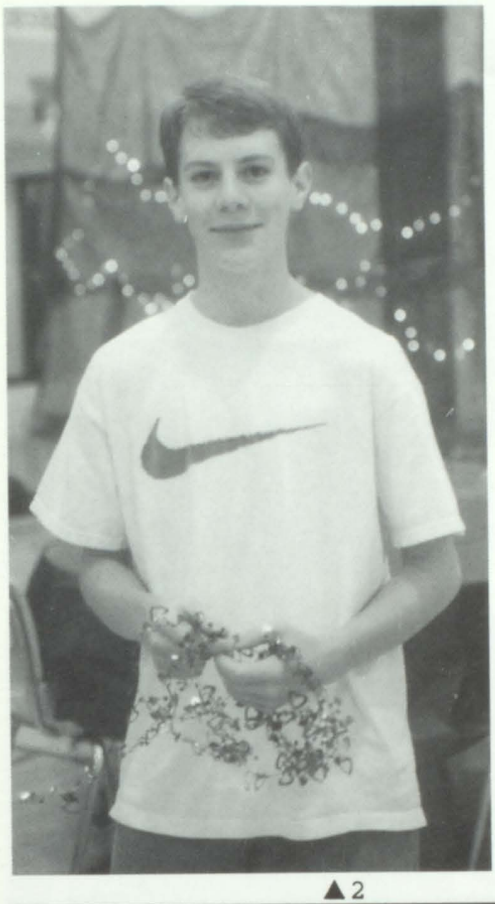
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1. Sarah LeCount practices for competition. 2. T.J. Gibson shows emotion during his speech. 3. The speech team members are row 1: Sarah LeCount, Matt Patterson; row 2: T.J. Gibson, Cliff Schwartz, Margaret Shutske.

Improving school environment



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The student council once again worked to improve the school. The SRC organized and sponsored the homecoming week activities. The week included powder puff, the talent show, and the parade through the town of Syracuse, but fall fling was excluded from this year's events. The council sponsored a Mardi Gras dance which followed a Wawasee home basketball game, and the annual sweetheart dance in February. The SRC added some Christmas spirit by decorating the hallways.

The SRC also helped the environment by recycling every Thursday. The group took on numerous individual tasks to improve the school. A canned food drive was held to support needy families in the community during the Christmas season. The student body president was Dina Coverstone and the vice-president was Joe Baumgartner. The sponsors of SRC were Mrs. Oswald and Mrs. Thornburg.



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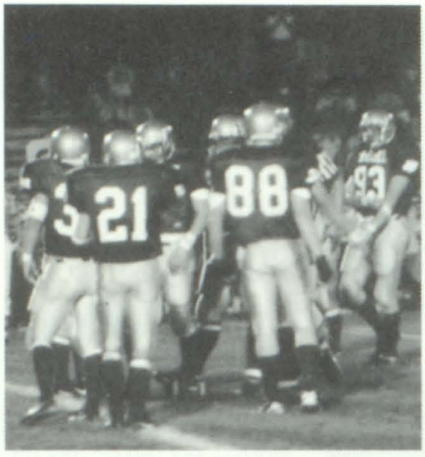


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1. Scott Ousley recycles on a Thrusday morning. 2. Rob Schlipf sets up for the sweetheart dance. 3. SRC members are row 1: Ashley Ward, Kristine Sprow, Lindsay Bender, Josh DeGood, Rachel Neal, Amanda Jefferies; row 2: Scott Bryan, Paul Gilliam, Alisha Henderson, Sam Korenstra, Laura Lundin, Katy Jones; row 3: John Glon, Andrew Thornburg, Mike Oswald, Becky Neterer, Jane Wamsley, Heather Whiteman, Traci Speicher, Megan King; row 4: Kyle Wurtzel, Abby Bultemeier, Rob Schlipf, Joe Baumgartner, Ryan Johnson, Kassie Biddle, Sarah Korenstra, Karen Shipley, Shawnte Schritter, Michelle Lamb.



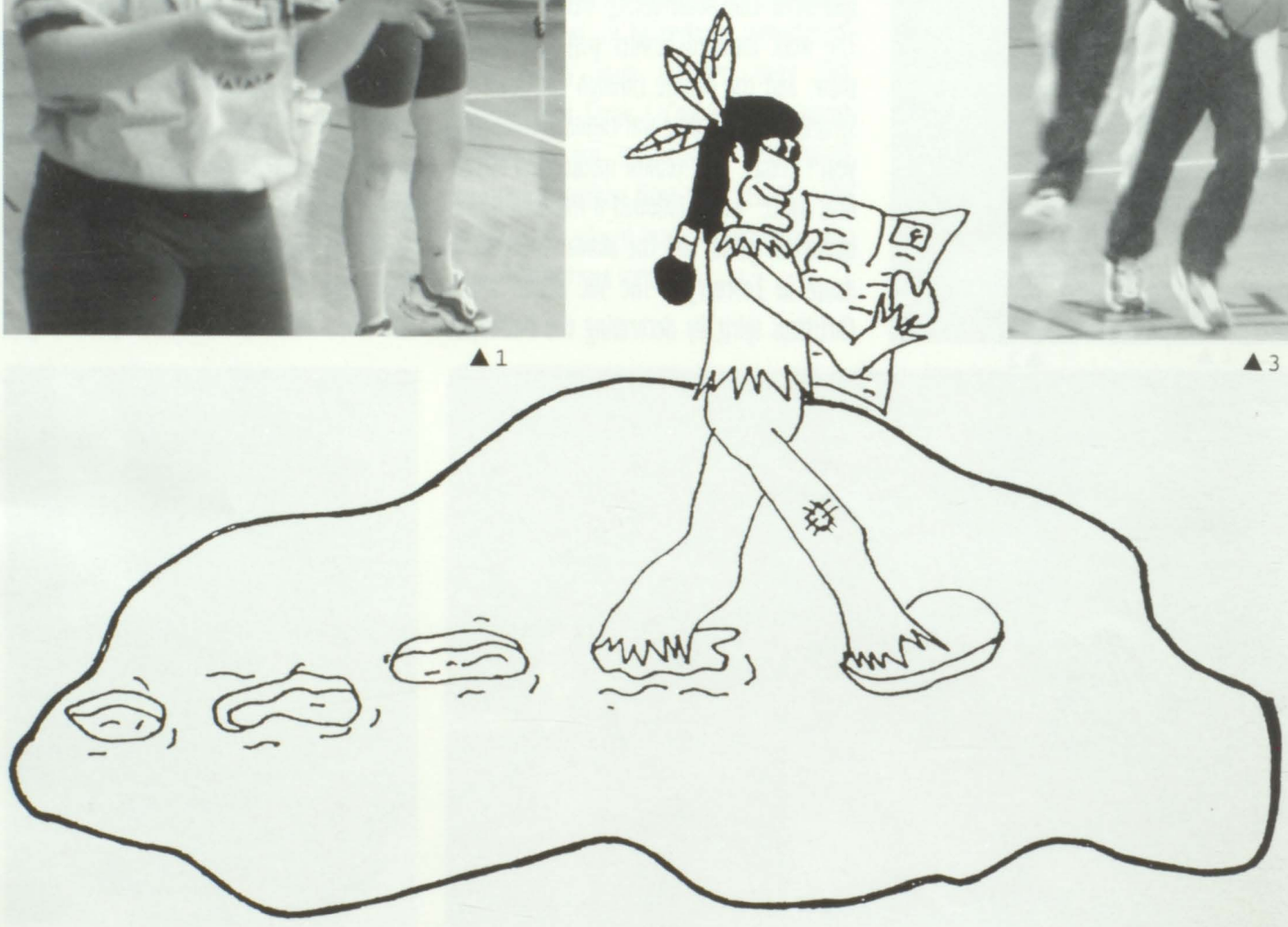
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1. Sarah Mason waits for a ball while Kara Mathew looks to be up to something. 2. The Warrior football team huddles up during a time out. 3. Brody Stipp dribbles during warm up. 4. Karen Shipley, Jessica Christoffel, and Kassidy Biddle look happy to be at the swim meet. 5. Jon Glon looks for the ball during his soccer game. 6. The girls' soccer team enjoys the time before the game. 7. Pete Melendez and Jeff Merchant finish a strong race during cross country. 8. Members of the Warrior coaching staff are row 1: Don Kinney, Cory Schutz, Bob Pilcher, Dennis Replogle, Paul Boyd, Cayle Woodard, Kem Zolman, Bill Cantz, Ed Waltz, and Jerry Davis; row 2: Dave Berg, Jason Fleming, Amy Scott, Amy Miller, Casey Kline, Dawn Guimond, Lori Boles, Mark Sumpter, Joe Company, Nick Salemi, and Steve Perek; row 3: Gene Mitz, JC Crane, Randy Stewart, Phil Mishler, Roger Karns, Randy Aalbregtse, Cheryll Martin, Scott DeHart, Bo O'Dell, Darrell Carr, Dave Stookey, Rick Shipley, and Jay Smith; row 4: Jon Reutebuch, Lynn Geyer, Leslie Jackson, John Blunk, Cindy Peterson, Mike Magid, Marge Emerick, Kerry Murphy, Betsy Hoffman, Nika Prather, Kevin Gilbert, Don Deck, and Tom Dickerson.

Scoring some goals

The boys' soccer team played a tough schedule. This was their fourth season to compete. The JV. team was led by a new coach, Mr. Beckett. The team did a good job of working together with a new coach on staff. The varsity team experienced a hard fought season. Jay Haugh stated, "This year was good because we all got along well and we played as a team and not as individuals." Justin Bell also stated, "I felt we played well as a team this year." The varsity team finished their season with a tough loss to Carroll 2-0 for a record of 4-3-10. The JV. finished their season with a loss to Northridge 2-4, leaving them with a winning record of 7-2-5. Award winners were Chad Wortinger, MVP; Jay Haugh, coaches' award; Justin Bell, most improved player; Sam Shipley, MVP -JV; Tomir Denton, coaches' award-JV; Jon Olson, most improved player-JV.



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1. Jerod Galloway and Jeb Freeman head for the game. 2. Niko Ioannou makes a great kick. 3. Jerod Galloway holds onto his balance. 4. Members of the varsity soccer team are row 1: Sam Shipley, Jeb Freeman, John Szynal, Sky Speakman, Matt Coy, John Glon, Chad Wortinger; row 2: Coach Beckett, Tabitha King, Kyle Swihart, Jay Haugh, Niko Ioannou, Chad Thorson, Tom Leary, Dan Cone, Shawn McMahan, Andrew Thornburg, Jerod Galloway, Jon McCullough, Coach Boyd. 5. Members of the JV soccer team are row 1: Chad Wooten, Case Hensler, Andy Miner, Ross Heil, Alex Hernandez, James Mikolajcak, Kris Shipley, Cody Silva; row 2: Coach Beckett, Alan Wilson, Ryan Skaggs, Brad Combs, Mike Oswald, Brian Belcher, Justin Bell, Matt Klaassen, Tomir Denton, Alex Ioannou, Jon Olson, Jon McCullough, Coach Boyd. 6. John Szynal takes a little breather.

Accepting new sport

The Wawasee girls' soccer team made history. It took four long years too convince the administration that the team would be successful. It was made up of 21 girls and they achieved a 4-12 record. The record may not have been too impressive, but according to Justin Bell, "The boys' soccer team was impressed by it being their first season." The ladies started off slowly, but soon came up with their first goal by Kimber Chang. Unluckily for the ladies, it wasn't counted, but that was all they needed to get fired up. Soon after they came away with their first victory against South Bend LaSalle. Senior Jessica Christoffel recalled, "We had our differences off the field, but on the field we worked as one." There were many opinions about this first year sport. Underclassmen Missy Miller stated, "We had a good year, but we're losing a lot of seniors." They were led by head coach Rick Shipley and assistant coach Jonie Christoffel who helped the girls achieve as many goals as they did. Each senior was given the opportunity to be a captain at one game while Sarah Shipley was elected permanent captain. The award winners were Missy Miller, MVP; Katie Brown, offensive player; Sarah Shipley, defensive player; Nicole Pope, coaches' award; and Angie Hollar, most improved.



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1. Kimber Chang waits to make a run on goal. 2. Girls' soccer team members are row 1: Heidi Hartley, Stacy Shipley, Jenni Gunden, Missy Miller, Sarah Shipley, Dana Clousing; row 2: Katie Richardson, Jane Wamsley, Megan King, Cara Belcher, Katie Brown, Kristy Sullivan, Kara Price; row 3: Coach Rick Shipley, Erin Griffith, Jessica Christoffel, Karen Shipley, Kimber Chang, Angie Hollar, Kristi Martin, Nicole Pope, and Assistant Coach Jonie Christoffel. 3. A nice throw in is made by Jane Wamsley. 4. Cara Belcher, Jessica Christoffel, Sarah Shipley, Erin Griffith, Erin Buss, Nicole Pope and Karen Shipley say good-bye. 5. Nicole Pope tries to make a run for Kimber Chang. 6. Goalie Jessica Christoffel makes another save while Sarah Shipley looks relieved. 7. Coach Rick Shipley and managers Erik Weaver and Heather Rich clean up after a tough sectional game.

Swinging wicked clubs

The Lady Warrior golf team had a busy schedule with a record of 6-17. The ladies beat Northridge in the regular season and placed sixth in the NLC standings, also taking out Elkhart Central, West Noble, Westview, and East Noble with no problems. There were many close matches. Kari Wortinger stated, "The girls improved over the year, and next year they should be right on track." The team was young with only one returning senior, four juniors, and five freshmen. Kari Wortinger was the only senior, and she was the number one player and team captain. Kari went on to win the Northern Lakes Conference match and the sectional championship. She then advanced out of the regional tournament to the state preliminaries. Kari was voted All Conference and MVP two years straight. Emily Robertson was the top newcomer. Megan Bell was voted the most valuable JV player.



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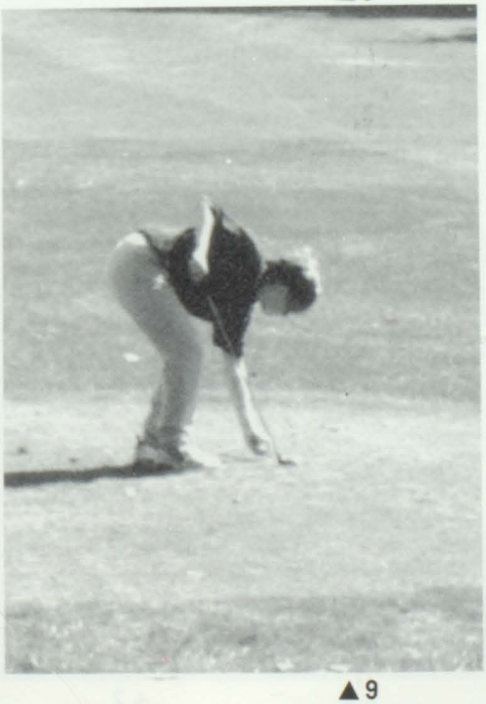
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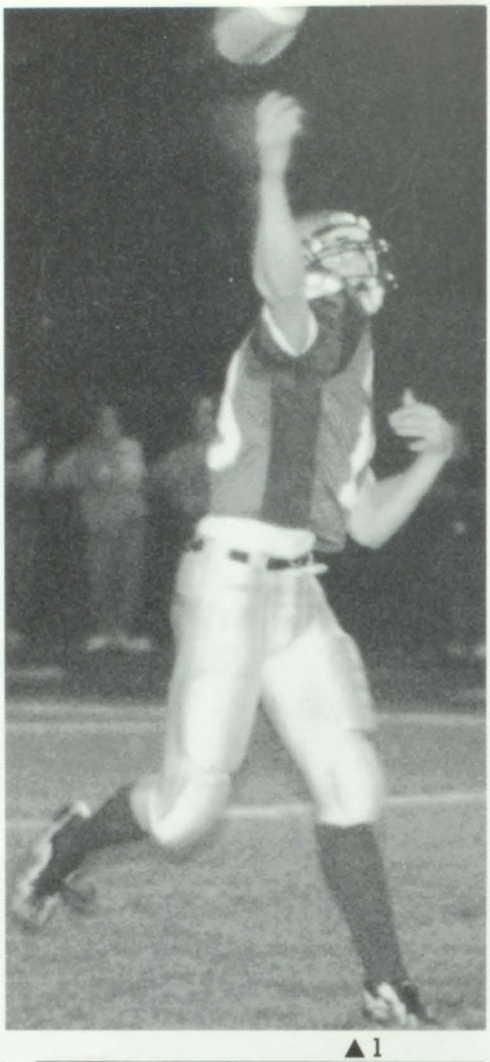


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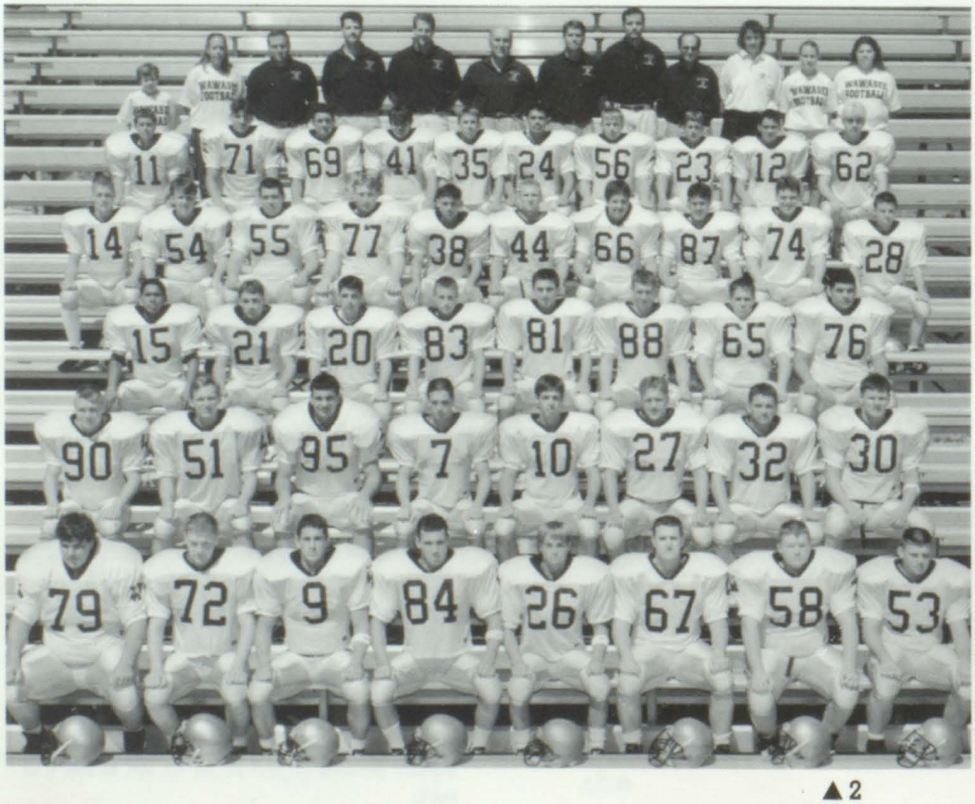
1. Kari Wortinger has thoughts about making the turn in sectionals. 2. Stephanie Wihebrink enjoys her golf game. 3. Emily Robertson approaches her shot. 4. Golf team members are row 1: Stephanie Wihebrink, Megan Bell, Kari Wortinger, Laura Reel, Tara Hile; row 2: Ashley Ward, Emily Robertson, Kelly Drake, Julia Wolfe, Sandy Drake, Coach Lantz. 5. Laura Reel questions her ball. 6. Emily Robertson is thinking about what club to use. 7. Kelly Drake approaches the green. 8. Kari Wortinger is very excited about her birdie on the last hole. 9. Stephanie Wihebrink prepares for her tee shot on hole 9 at Rozella.

Tackling all opponents

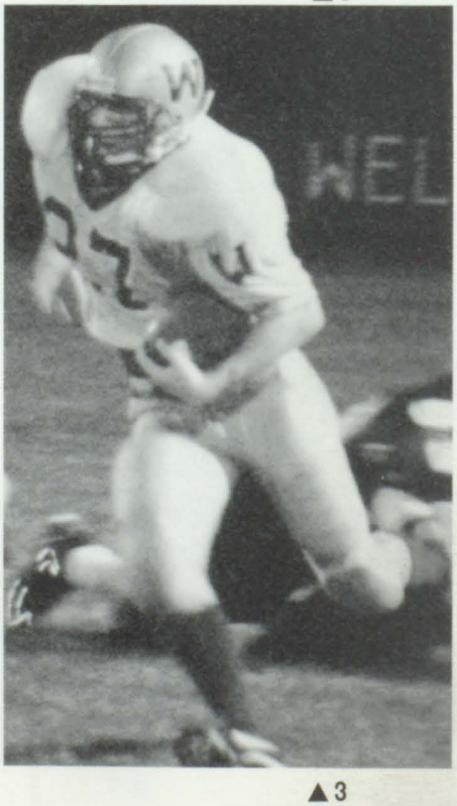
The Warrior football team had an impressive season, both offensively and defensively. Coach Mitz stated, "We got off to a great start. It was the best since 1986. We just had a few bumps in the road." Captains Brad Swope, Scott Ousley, and Luke Matz exhibited great leadership and poise. Coach Berg stated, "I think we had a good season. I just wish we could have won more games! I think the key is believing in ourselves and playing up to our potential." They ended the season 4-6 and 2-4 in the conference. Brad Brown, Scott Ousley, Luke Matz, John Flees, Brody Stipp, and Josh Cole were named to the All-NLC football team; Brad Swope was named honorable mention. The JV ended their season 4-5, with great performances by Adam Brown, Jeremy High, Mark Boggs, and Matt Binns. The freshman team finished their season 3-4-1. The freshman team showed many improvements. Award winners were Luke Matz, MVP; Jeff Beer, most outstanding offensive player; John Flees, most outstanding special team player; Jon Mock, most improved player; Scott Ousley, most outstanding defensive player; Brad Swope, coaches' leadership award; and Rusty VanLue, football scholar athlete award.



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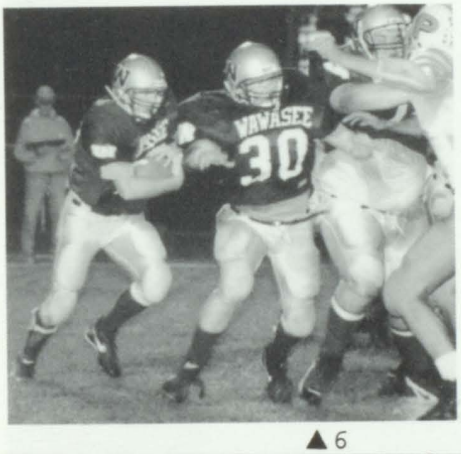
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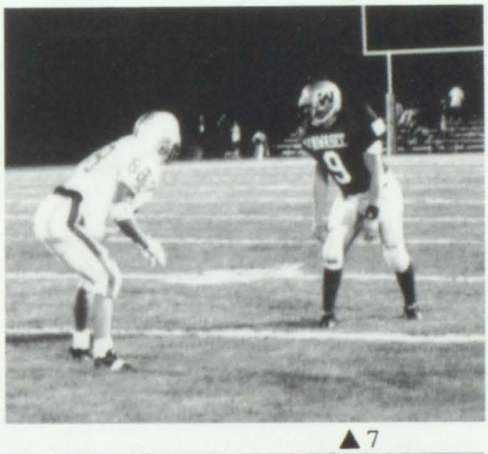
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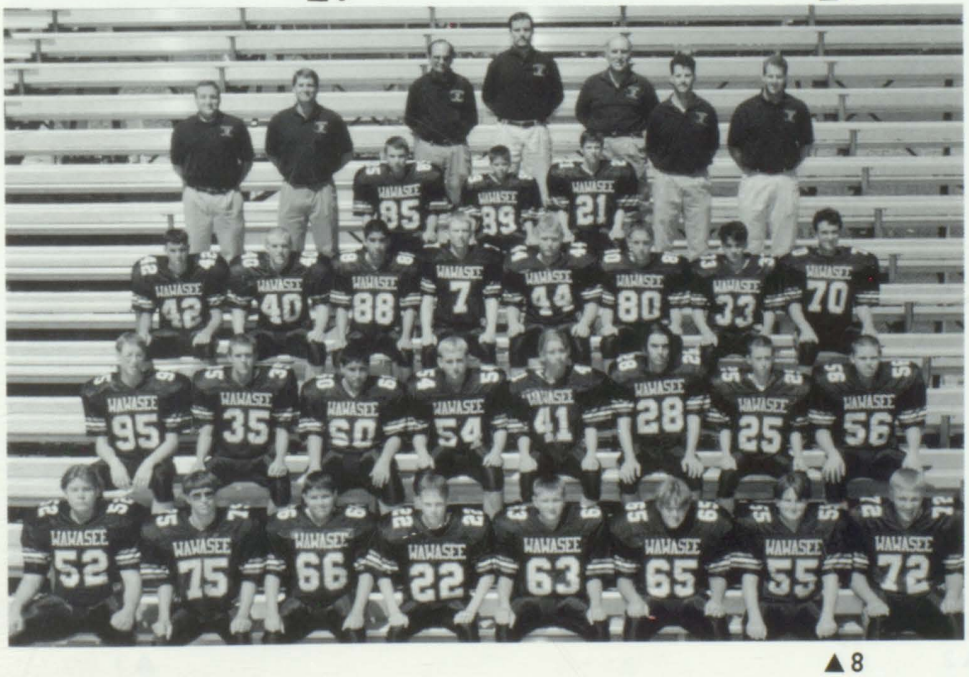
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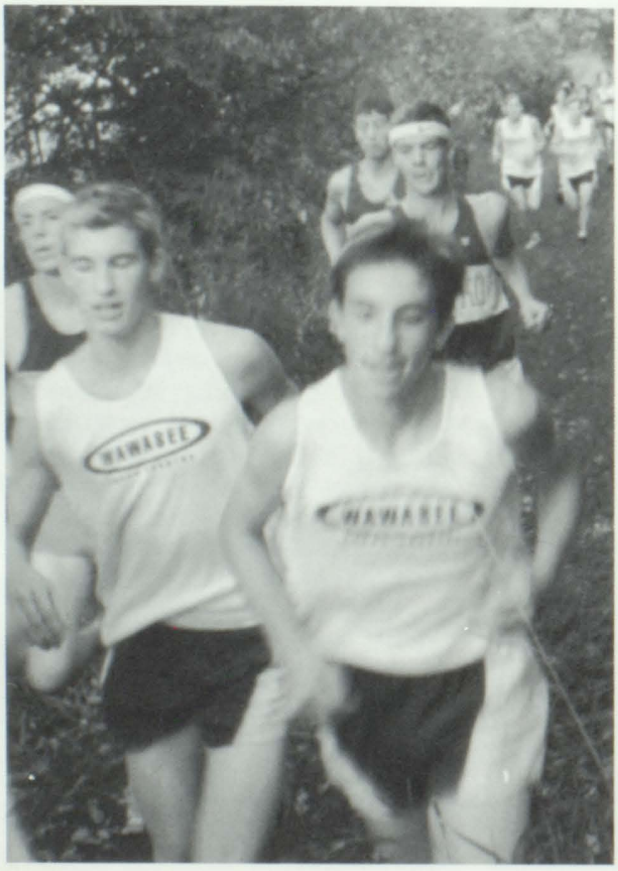
1. Jeff Beer throws a touchdown pass to one of his fellow team mates. 2. Varsity and JV football team members are row 1: Bryce Schaefer, John Flees, Aaron McFarland, Josh Cole, Ryan Johnson, Andy Jones, Tim Barrett, and Jesse Leonard; row 2: Nick Vanlaningham, Rusty VanLue, Brody Stipp, Brad Brown, Jeff Beer, Luke Matz, Brad Swope, and Scott Ousley; row 3: Miguel Roa, Rustin Mikel, Chris Adkins, Brent Berkeypile, Tony May, John Mock, Jonah Story, and Jamie Salazar; row 4: Adam Brown, Eddie Miller, Andy Napier, Nate Ousley, Aaron Drumm, Matt Binns, Mark Smith, Jeremy High, Todd Lovellette, and Doug Weaver; row 5. Paul Gilliam, Tom Bryan, Sam Korenstra, Toby Witmer, Mark Boggs, Frankie Peralez, Shadd Krull, J.D. Lang, Dustin Martin, and David Mahan; row 6: Joey Leach, Becky Patterson, Coach Murphy, Coach Berg, Coach Whitaker, Coach Mitz, Coach Reutebuch, Coach Jones, Coach Magid, Amy Scott, Christine Lewalllen, and Dina Coverstone. 3. Luke Matz finds the gap between the NorthWood defense. 4. Brad Brown sprints down the field for a touchdown. 5. Brad Swope fights for extra yards. 6. Scott Ousley is defending Luke Matz from the Plymouth defense. 7. Aaron McFarland is getting ready for the next big play. 8. Freshman football team members are row 1: James Snyder, Dillon Ritter, Brian Pickett, Josh DeGood, Charlie Smith, Cole Thomas, Bobby Elkins, and Dustin Miller; row 2: Justin Mock, Chris Cline, Derek Coy, Jason Dewart, Ryan Cheesman, Tyler Maule, David Carpenter, and Matt Martin; row 3: Justin Gerber, Logan Lees, Peter Chang, Ryan Anderson, Jimmy Meyer, Andrew Packer, Justin Magid, and David Tittle; row 4: Coach Murphy, Coach Reutebuch, David Tittle, Steve Mikolajczak, Nick Zumbrun, Coach Berg, and Coach Whitaker; row 5: Coach Magid, Coach Jones, and Coach Mitz.

Running long distances

The Wawasee boys' cross country team had an improving season. They won four NLC meets against NorthWood, Northridge, Concord, and Plymouth while only being defeated in two NLC meets against Warsaw and Goshen. The boys had outstanding runs in sectionals placing third. Competing in regionals was a challenge, but they still placed seventh out of ten teams, five of which went on to place in the top nine at state. John Heckaman stated, "This year was a big improvement from last year because we had six more people join." Everyone seemed to improve as the season moved on. All Conference runners were freshman Pete Melendez and sophomore Dustin Lytle. Team captains were senior Peter Wagoner and junior Jeff Moerchen. They were coached by Dave Stookey, Kevin Gilbert, and Betsy Hoffman. Award winners were Jeff Moerchen, MVP; Pete Melendez, low point; Dusty Lytle, runner-up low point; Rob Chalfant, most improved; Jerid Stoffel, coaches' award; and Peter Wagoner, coaches' award.



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1. Curtis Shoemaker runs for the gold. 2. Jeff Moerchen and Pete Melendez run side by side to finish in first place. 3. Andy Popenfoose, Peter Wagoner, Pete Melendez, Jeff Moerchen and Dusten Lytle start off strong. 4. Captain Jeff Moerchen leads the others in a warm-up run. 5. Andrew Waugh keeps pace with an opponent. 6. The boys get pumped up before their meet. 7. John Heckaman is happy to run for Wawasee. 8. Boys' cross country team members are row 1: John Heckaman, Rob Chalfant, Pete Melendez, Jerid Stoffel, Ken McIntosh and Jeff Moerchen; row 2: Coach Dave Stookey, Manager Stephanie Wong, Andy Popenfoose, Andrew Waugh, Peter Wagoner, Volunteer Coach Kevin Gilbert and Coach Betsy Hoffman.

Trekking many miles

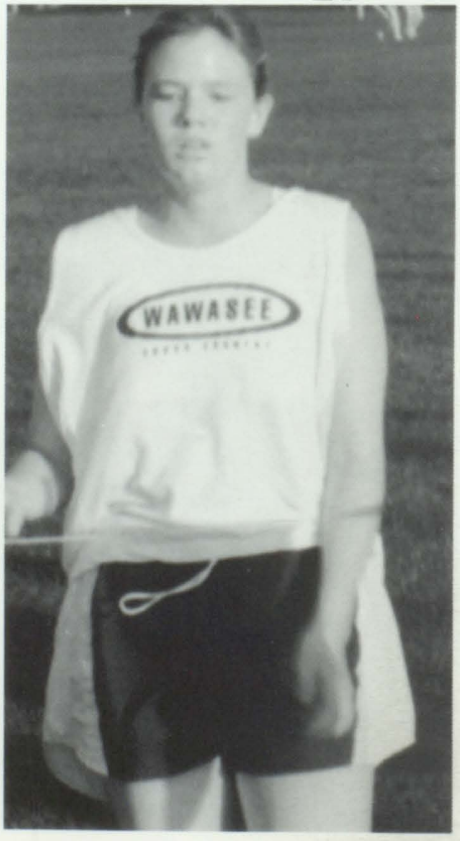
The girls' cross country team finished the season with a 4-5 record overall and a 2-4 record in the conference, finishing fourth. The girls advanced out of the sectional competition, placing third. They ended their season at the regional competition, placing sixth by a very small margin. Only the top five teams advanced on to the semi-state competition. Individually, Katie McCauley led the team, advancing to the semi-state competition where she ended an outstanding season. When asked about how the season went, Katie McCauley and Laura Lundin were both in agreement. "'We started out slowly this year, but we kept improving and ended up having a great season. Next year, we're going to semi-state!!!" Eight of the nine runners would return, with only one senior, Mary Cockburn, graduating. Award winners were Katie McCauley, MVP and low point; Alisha Henderson, runner-up low point; Laura Lundin, most improved; Mary Cockburn, coaches' award; and Megan Hoffman, mental attitude award.



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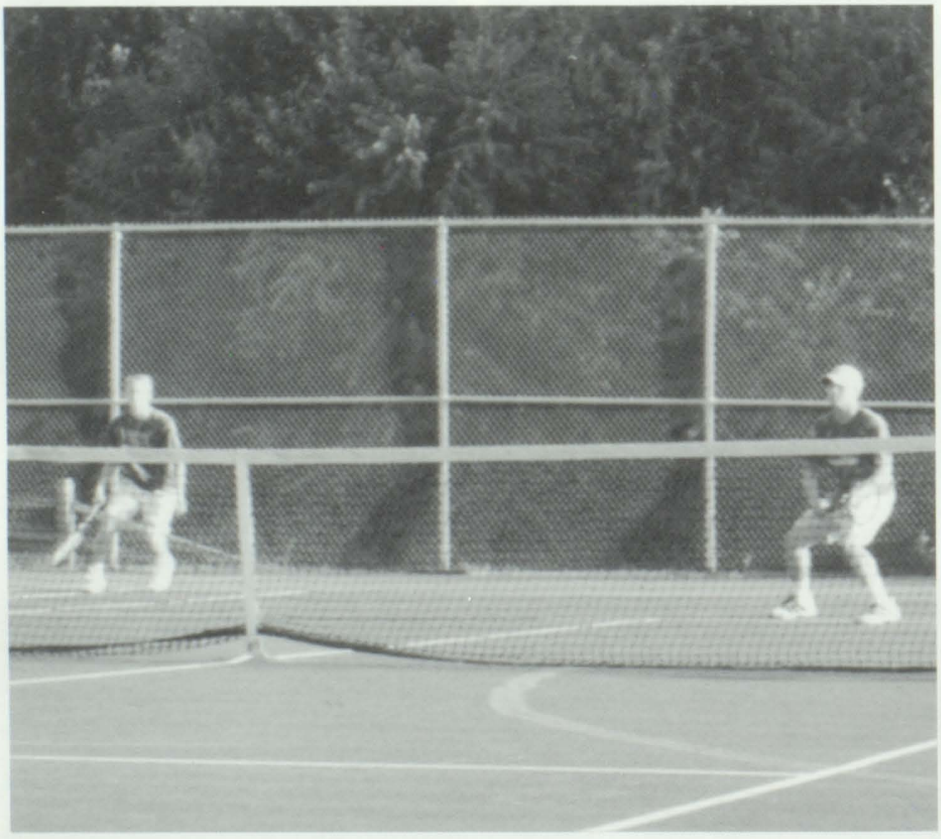


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1. Katie McCauley runs strongly to finish in first place for the Lady Warriors. 2. Brenda Wong and Alisha Henderson work together during the race. 3. Julie Blakesly finishes the race well against Whitko. 4. The team relaxes after a tough Northridge meet. 5. Mr. Frank looks on as Mary Cockburn finishes the race. 6. Laura Lundin loves to run. 7. Megan Hoffman, along with Brenda Wong, leads the pack of Plymouth runners. 8. Girls' cross country team members are row 1: Brenda Wong, Laura Lundin, Mary Cockburn, Katie McCauley, and Alisha Henderson; row 2: Coach Dave Stookey, manager Stephanie Wong, Julie Blakesly, Mandie Sawyer, Krista Bestul, Megan Hoffman, Coach Kevin Gilbert, and Coach Besty Hoffman.

Reaching high goals

The Warrior tennis team had a great year, ending with a winning season record of 13-5. This was the second best record a Warrior tennis team had ever achieved in school history. The team faired very well in an always tough Northern Lakes Conference. They played well to win the Northridge Invitational. They also tied for third place in the conference behind two powerhouse teams: Goshen and Warsaw. The varsity team was led by six seniors--Jared Mahnensmith, Farhan Haq, Shane Beer, Quyen Tran, Ryan Perzanowski, Steven Ummel; and junior, Andy Cole. The hard work and determination of all the players was evident in their spirit, dedication, and overall performance on the tennis court. All members of the team worked together and made the season a big success. With a lot of underclassmen training hard in winter, the next season should be a promising one also. The award winners were Ryan Perzanowski, MVP; Steven Ummel, coaches' award; Farhan Haq and Shane Beer, most wins; Kyle Farrell, JV award; Neil Higginbotham, frosh award.



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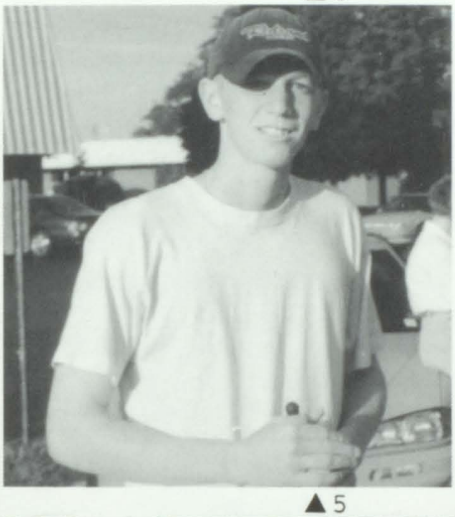
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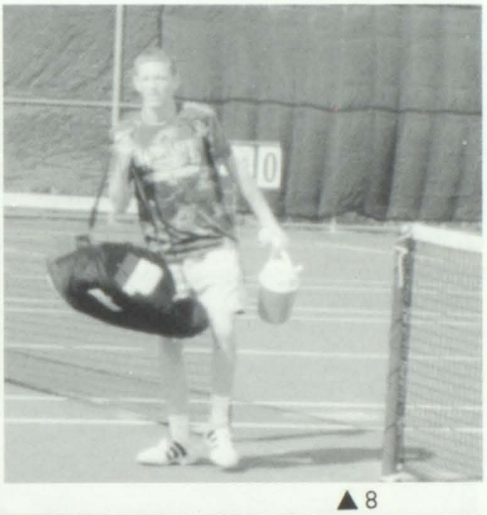
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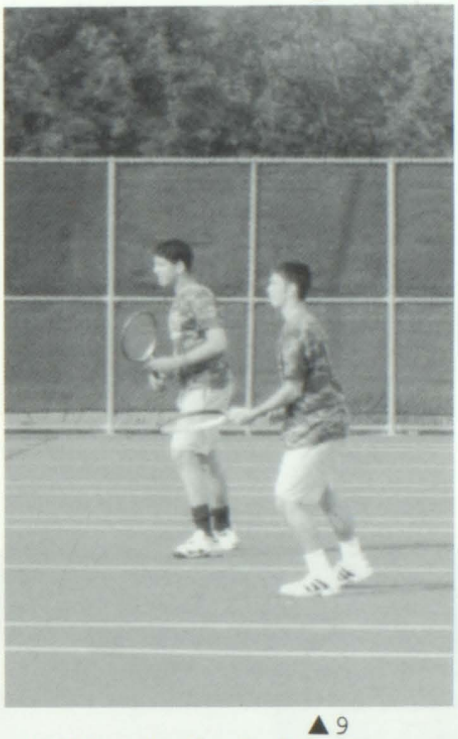
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1. Jared Mahnensmith and Quyen Tran double up for some action packed tennis. 2. Steven Ummel whacks a backhand. 3. Shane Beer hits a powerful serve. 4. Farhan Haq shows his mad skills. 5. Ryan Perzanowski leaves the court after a big win. 6. Junior varsity tennis team members are row 1: Aaron Eikenberry, Seth Beer, Robbie Trame, Adam Shock; row 2: Coach Phil Mishler, managers Mandy Perzanowski and Kardia Senkspiel, Kyle Hilgenberg, Neil Higginbotham, Kyle Farrell. 7. Jared Mahnensmith and Quyen Tran double up for some action packed tennis. 8. Ryan Perzanowski moves out.

Setting high standards

The girls' varsity volleyball team finished the season with a record of 18-16 and 2-4 in the conference. They made it to the final round of sectionals, but lost a tough match to NorthWood. The team captains were Kara Mathew and Lydia Carpenter, and they were coached by Jason Fleming. The junior varsity volleyball team had a record of 5-14. Coach Miller summed up the year best when she said, "You can look at our team from two different perspectives. We had a tough season and didn't win as many games as we should have. However, this was probably the closest group of girls I've ever seen or coached. Through the good and the bad, we stuck together. This type of friendship and comradery is what makes teams successful, and this is how I viewed my girls!" The freshman team showed a lot of potential and finished with a record of 6-14. The award winners were Kara Mathew, MVP; Lydia Carpenter, offensive player award; Andrea VanCleave, defensive player award; Danielle Powell, most improved; Andrea Gingerich, most promising player award-JV; Lindsay White, most promising player award-freshman.



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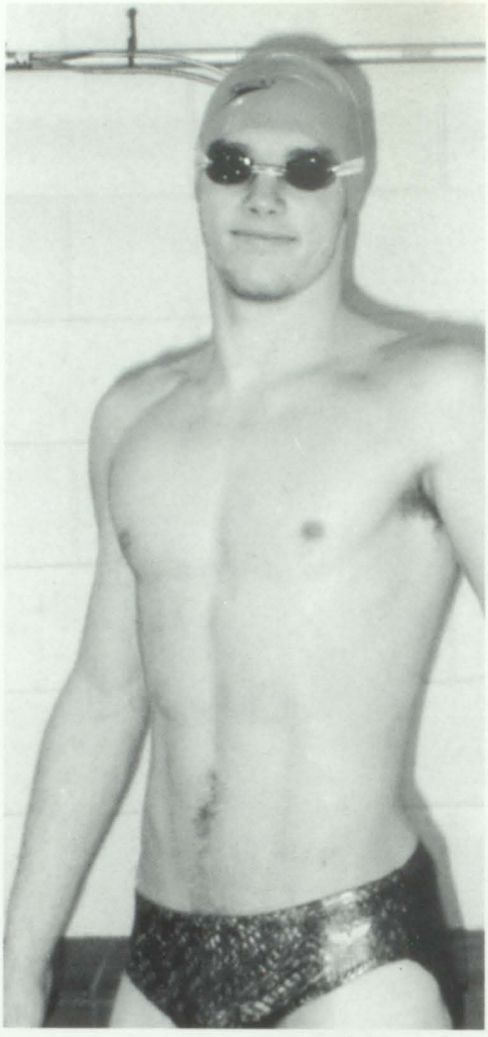


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1. The varsity volleyball team congratulate each other after a great play. 2. Kara Mathew spikes the ball as Lydia Carpenter and Sara Frantz play excellent defense. 3. The members of the varsity volleyball team are row 1: Andrea VanCleave, Darcy Replogle, Amber Baker, Kim Troup; row 2: Danielle Powell, Janice Bokhart, Sara Frantz, Angie Beer, Jennifer Mason; row 3: Amber Thomas, Coach Miller, Coach Fleming, Lydia Carpenter, Kara Mathew, Sarah Mason. 4. Excellent form, Lydia Carpenter! 5. Coach Miller talks to the girls during a rough match. 6. Sara Frantz serves it up! 7. The members of the junior varsity team are row 1: Viki Hunziker, Shalesta Newcomer, Bria Pletcher, Jennifer Mason; row 2: Betsy Leinbach, Amber Ramseyer, Andrea Gingerich; row 3: Coach Fleming, Coach Miller, Gennie Brissette, Lauren Stucky, Erica Auker, Emily Cline, Melissa Meyerink. 8. The members of the freshman volleyball team are row 1: Bobbi Clipfell, Shasta Gearhart, Brandi Hostetler; row 2: Kayla Tinkey, Kim Morgan, Erin Hough, Lindsay White; row 3: Coach Fleming, Coach Miller, Amanda Lechlitner, Stefanie Coquillard, Coach Kline.

Drowning all competitors

The Wawasee boys' swim team completed another good season under the reign of head coach Roger Karns. Their final record for the season was 7-4. The Warriors had a lot of close meets, but were unable to pull through in the end. They had six returning seniors: Dan Cone, Kyle Metcalf, Bruno Amaral, Rick Lemberg, Rusty VanLue, and Joe Baumgartner. Coach Karns stated, "The team made a really good improvement from the beginning of the season to the end of the season." The team ended up finishing second at sectionals behind Warsaw and they also tied for fourth at NLC's. The very talented sophomore Adam Brown was the only swimmer to advance to the state finals, and he placed very well among all of the other state qualifiers. All of the swimmers worked very hard and got a great deal accomplished. Award winners were Adam Brown, MVP; Mike Oswald, most improved swimmer; Bruno Amaral, 110% award; Rick Lemberg, coaches' award-improvement; Rob Trame, coaches' award-improvement; Adam Brown, high point award.



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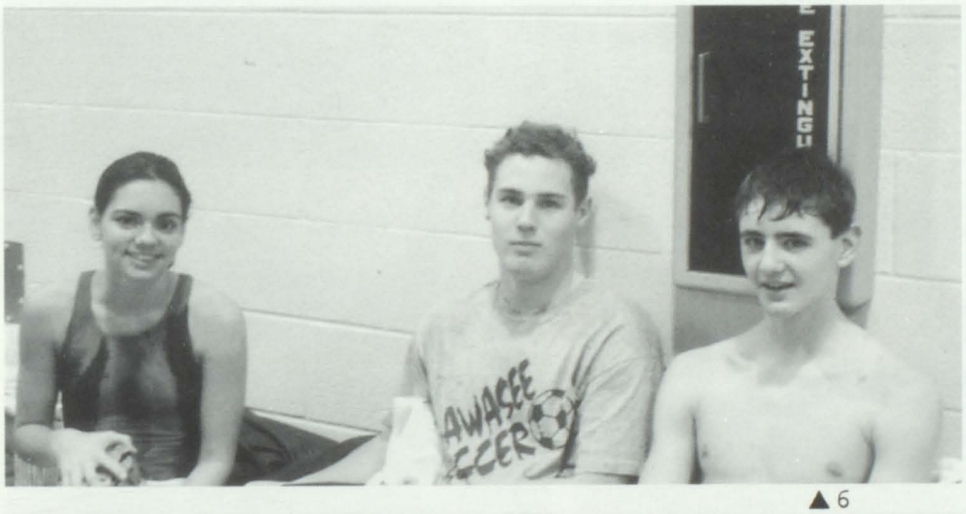
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1. Jim Baumgartner, Andrew Thornburg, Robby Trame, and Dan Cone prepare for a relay. 2. Adam Brown comes up for air. 3. Joe Baumgartner struts his stuff. 4. Coach Roger Karns looks focused. 5. Members of the swim team are row 1: Paul Dodds, Brad Ware, Robby Trame, Bryan White, Mike Taylor, John Szynal, Dusty Lytle; row 2: John Mock, Aaron Allen, Jim Baumgartner, Adam Brown, John Glon, Andrew Thornburg; row 3: Coach Roger Karns, Lori Boles, Bruno Amaral, Rick Lemberg, Kyle Metcalf, Rusty VanLue, Dan Cone, Joe Baumgartner. 6. Sarah Shipley, John Szynal, and Chad Thorson, take a break. 7. Jim Baumgartner, Andrew Thornburg and Rusty VanLue say "What's up?" 8. Robby Trame checks out his time.

Making immense waves

The girls' swim team had another exciting season, coached by Roger Karns and Lori Boles. Captains for the season were Kassie Biddle and Jenny Marty. Their record was 8-4, losing against Penn, Goshen, Northridge, and Concord. At the NLC meet the girls placed 3rd overall. The outstanding event of the season was winning sectionals at Warsaw for the second straight year. State qualifiers were Laura Lundin, 50 free, 200 medley relay, 200 free relay; Jenny Marty, 100 fly (placing 14th at state), 500 free, 200 medley relay, 200 free relay; Kristi Martin, 200 free relay; Jane Wamsley, 200 medley relay; Laura Karns, 100 free, 200 medley relay, 200 free relay. The 200 free relay placed 13th at state. Returning seniors were Jenny Marty, Vanessa Ambugry, Kassie Biddle, Kristi Martin, Jessica Christoffel, Karen Shipley, Jaime Conn, Carrie Grothaus, and Erin Griffith. Award winners for the season were MVP, Jenny Marty; most improved, Sandy Drake; high point, Jenny Marty and Laura Lundin; 110% award, Kristi Martin; coaches' award, Jane Wamsley and Laura Karns.



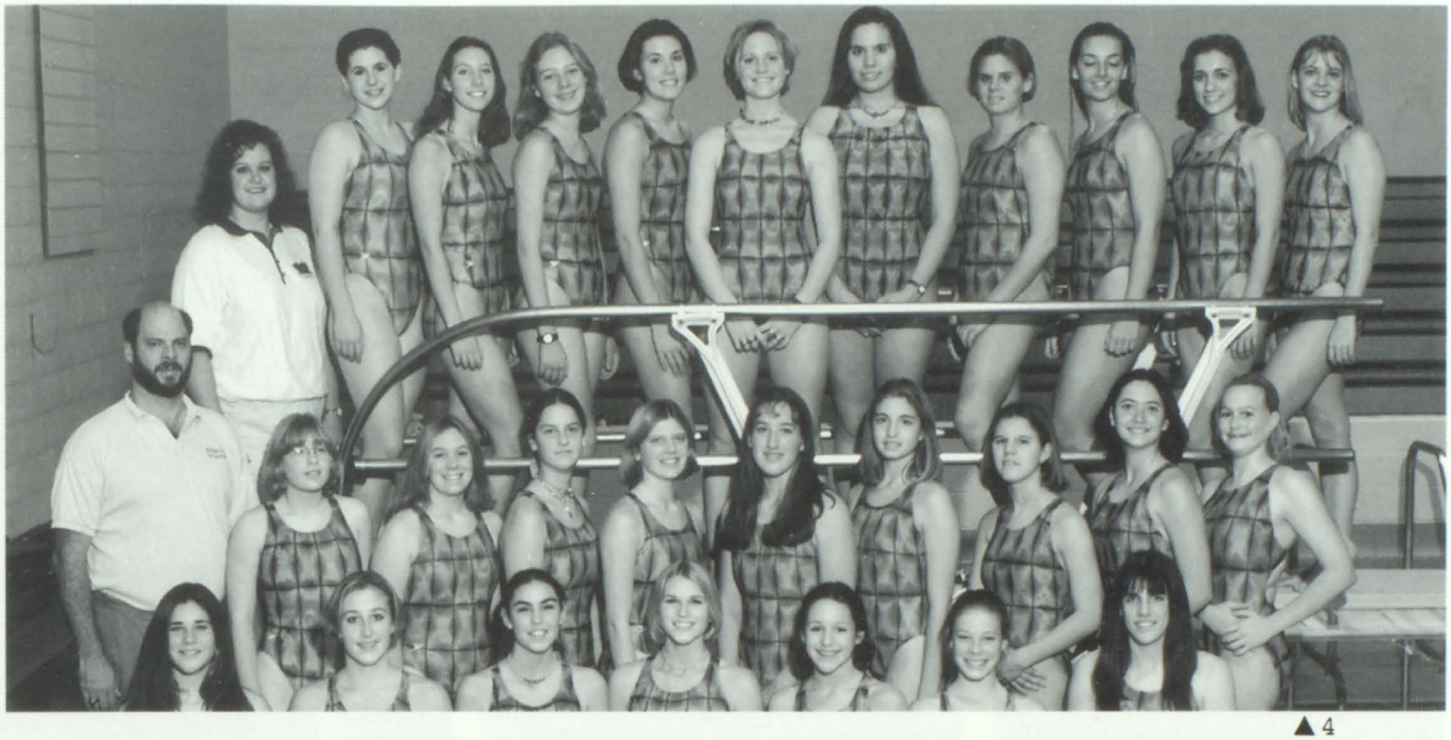
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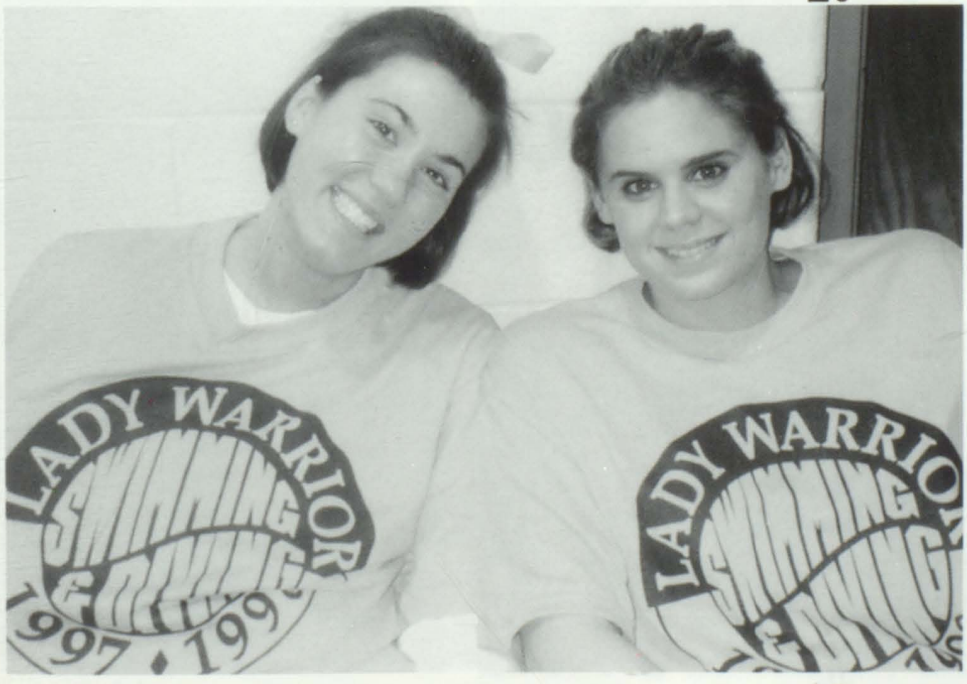
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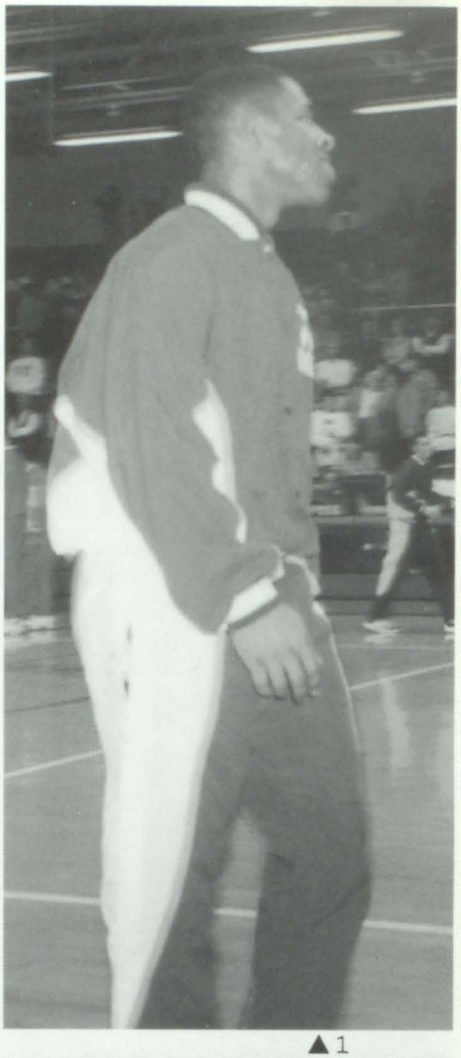


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1. Coach Karns explains the line up for the swim meet. 2. Laura Lundin, Cassie Wells, Kristi Martin, and Jane Wamsley are glad to be finished with their race. 3. Stephanie Shivers is nervous about the meet. 4. Girls' swim team members are row 1: Jessica Cooper, Jane Wamsley, Kerri Moorman, Laura Lundin, Cassie Wells, Laura Karns, Stephanie Shivers; row 2: Coach Karns, Jenna Rantz, Hayley VanLue, Sandy Drake, Jill Mock, Tammy Miller, Annalisa Woodard, Jenny Butt, Amanda Alles, Gennie Brissette; row 3: Coach Boles, Jennifer Marty, Vanessa Amburgy, Clarissa Finger, Kassie Biddle, Kristi Martin, Jessica Christoffel, Karen Shipley, Jaime Conn, Carrie Grothaus, Erin Griffith. 5. Managers of the swim team are Dora Mihaly and Erin Buss. 6. Jennifer Marty and Kristi Martin relax before swimming. 7. Kassie Biddle and Karen Shipley take it easy due to shoulder injuries.

Shooting hot hoops

The boys' basketball team had a frustrating year. There was a lot talent in the program, and they showed much improvement over the season. The change to class basketball seemed to be a positive move for the sport. Head Coach Davis stated, "The boys continued to work hard. They improved each week. They came together after Christmas break which was very helpful. Overall, we became the best basketball team we could be. We also have good, strong, talent coming up through the program." Seniors Brad Brown, Jared Mahnensmith, Jordan Bender, Narron Graves, and Brody Stipp demonstrated much leadership and poise throughout the season. They ended the season 6-14 and 1-5 in the NLC. Brody Stipp was named to the All-Conference team. Brad Brown, Jared Mahnensmith, and Narron Graves were named honorable mention. The JV ended the season 3-17 and the freshman ended 4-14. Award winners were Brody Stipp, MVP; Jared Mahnensmith, free-throw, points scored, and assist leader; Narron Graves, three point percentage and steals leader; Jordan Bender, Mr. Energy; Brad Brown, Mr. Defense; R.J. Wilson, coaches' award; and Travis Klenke, coaches' award.



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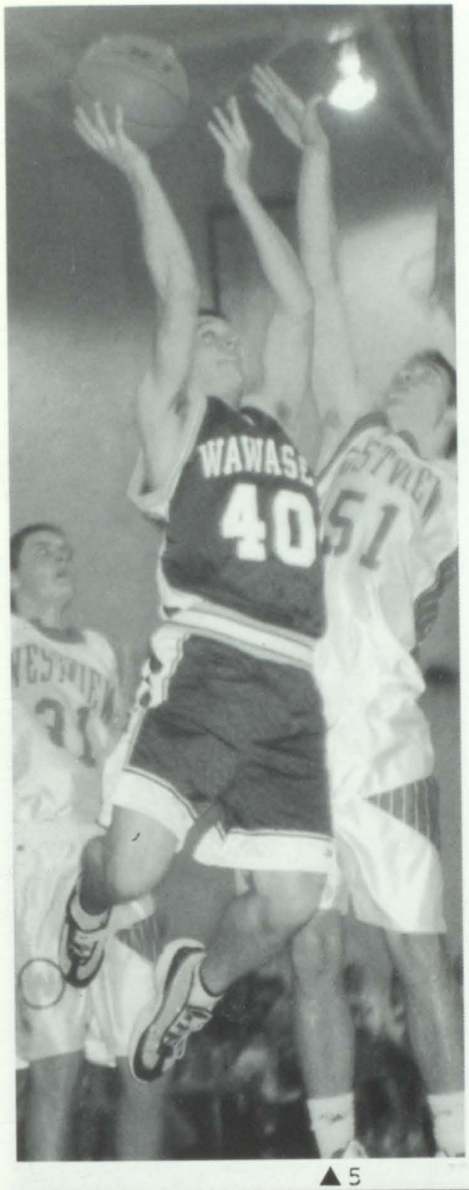
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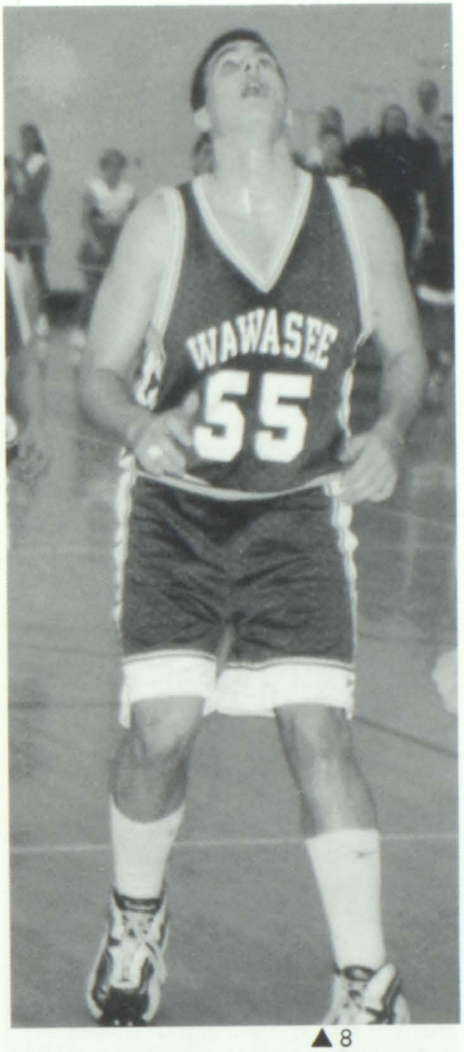
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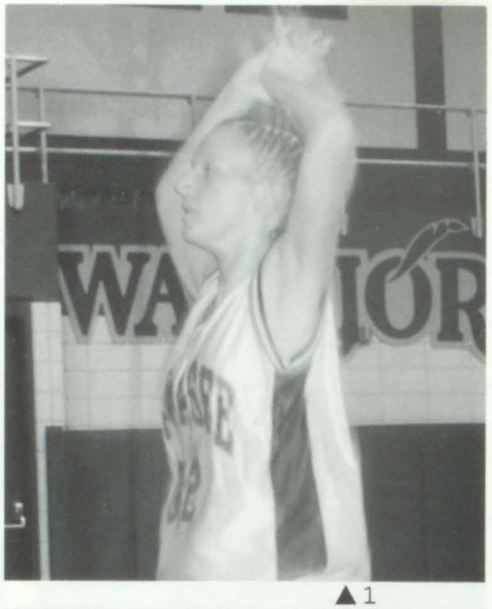


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1. Narron Graves warms up for a game. 2. The varsity boys' basketball team is row 1: managers Becky Patterson, Carissa McCullough, Emily Minnick, Jeremiah Nicholl, Sarah Kennedy, Teryn Sahagun, and Lindsay White; row 2: Brad Brown, Jared Mahnensmith, Jay Haugh, Josh Zolman, Chris Lambert, Narron Graves, and R.J. Nethaway; row 3: Head Coach Davis, Coach Waltz, Jordan Bender, Brody Stipp, Andrew Warner, Justin Shilling, Kirt Kaiser, Coach Woodard, and Coach Zolman. 3. Brad Brown mentally prepares for a game. 4. The JV boys basketball team is row 1: managers Becky Patterson, Carissa McCullough, Emily Minnick, Jeremiah Nicholl, Sarah Kennedy, Teryn Sahagun, and Lindsay White; row 2: Cameron Beer, R.J. Wilson, Chris Lambert, Josh Zolman, Carter Ploszek, Kyle Farrell, and Drew Gradle; row 3: Head Coach Davis, Coach Waltz, Jeremy High, Kirt Kaiser, Jared Ganshorn, R.J. Nethaway, Coach Woodard, and Coach Zolman. 5. Brad Brown "takes it to the hoop." 6. Jordan Bender follows through on a shot. 7. Jared Mahnensmith encourages Jordan Bender before a tough game. 8. Brody Stipp rebounds the ball. 9. The boys' freshman basketball team is row 1: Manager Lindsay White, Tony Silva, Travis Klenke, Michael Wilson, Drew Heincker, and Manager Sarah Kennedy; row 2: Tyler Campbell, Pete Melendez, Adam Shock, and Brian Adkins; row 3: Head Coach Davis, Coach Waltz, Ryan Anderson, Andy Popenfoose, Andrew Packer, Peter Chang, Coach Woodard, and Coach Zolman.

Dribbling full court

The Lady Warrior basketball team had a rough season. They started off strong, and at mid season they were forced to change. Head Coach Aalbregtse resigned in January due to his health. Assistant Coach Sumpter was thrust into the head coaching position. Although Coach Sumpter did an excellent job filling Coach Aalbregtse's role, the girls had a hard time adjusting. "It was hard dealing with Mr. Aalbregtse's absence, but by the end of the season we adjusted to Coach Sumpter's coaching style and had a lot of fun!" stated senior Mary Cockburn. The staff was filled with new coaches. Bob Pilcher assumed the position of junior varsity coach while Mr. Shutz was freshman coach. When sectional time came around, the Lady Warriors again had a challenge to face. It was the first year for class basketball. There were four classes. The girls ended their season with a tough Class 3A sectional. They were defeated by a solid Lakeland team during the semi-final round. All the teams completed successful and fun-filled seasons. The JV had a record of 3-17 and the freshmen were 4-14. Award winners were MVP, field goal percentage, and rebound award, Lydia Carpenter; defensive award, Karissa Evans; assist award, Kari Wortinger; coaches' award (JV), Mandy Perzanowski; coaches' award (Frosh), Mandie Sawyer. Captain honors went to Kari Wortinger and Lydia Carpenter.



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1. Mandy Perzanowski plays great defense. 2. Hannah Rensberger makes a hard cut to the basket. 3. Members of the varsity girls' basketball team are row 1: Kari Wortinger, Mary Cockburn, Dina Coverstone, Sonya Beer, Sara Frantz, and Kara Price; row 2: Coach Pilcher, Coach Aalbregtse, Karissa Evans, Lydia Carpenter, Hannah Rensberger, Michelle Lamb, Coach Sumpter, and Manager Elicia Ellis. 4. The varsity bench watches the game intently. 5. Kari Wortinger gets the ball down the court. 6. Members of the J.V. girls' basketball team are row 1: Keshia Hunt, Rachel Scarbeary, Viki Hunziker, Amber Ramseyer, Jenni Gunden, and Mandy Perzanowski; row 2: Coach Pilcher, Coach Aalbregtse, Shyla Belin, Candace Beer, Tara Hymer, Shanda Bucher, Lauren Stucky, Coach Sumpter, and Manager Elicia Ellis. 7. Members of the freshman girls' basketball team are row 1: Shasta Gearhart, Bria Pletcher, Mandie Sawyer, and Shalesta Newcomer; row 2: Manager Bobbi Clipfell, Erin Hough, Gina Holderman, Kim Morgan, and Manager Erin Murdock; row 3: Sarah Shock, Emily Cline, Erica Auker, Amber Hershberger, Amy Francis, Amanda Jeffrey, and Coach Shutz. 8. Lydia Carpenter and Karissa Evans celebrate after being named to the all tournament team.

Pinning all opponents

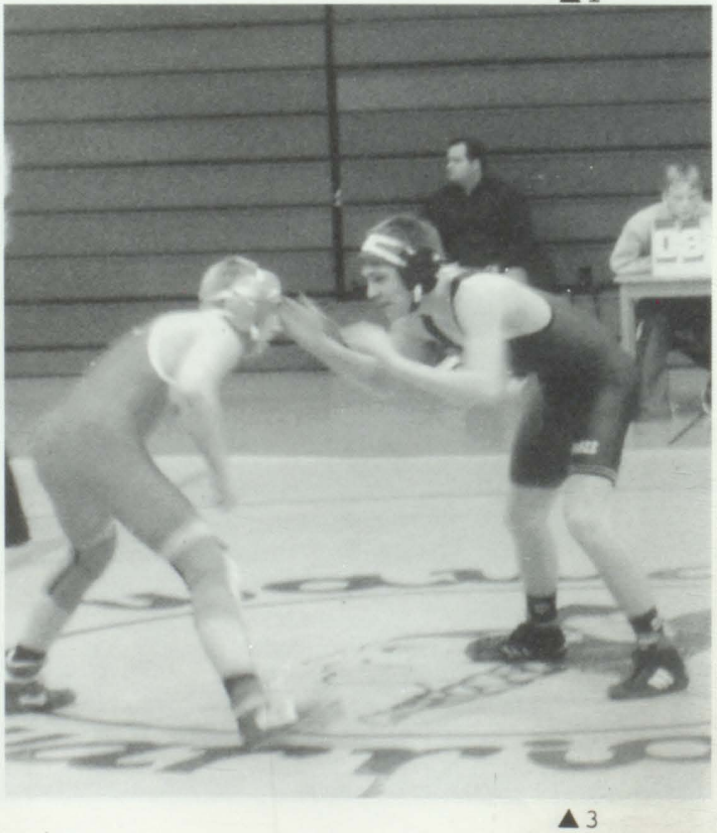
The Wawasee Warrior wrestling team once again finished a spectacular season with the team advancing to semi-state competition, where they lost. The Warriors also had four individual wrestlers go to state competition. Those wrestlers were Jason Carr, Ryan Johnson, Chet Wortinger, and Kevin Carr. Jason finished first in state while his brother Kevin placed second. Chet finished eighth and Ryan qualified. The four earned enough points for 3rd place at individual state. Chet's philosophy was, "Motivate your mind and the body will follow!" Jamie Salazar noted, "Hard work and determination was what paid off in the end." The Warriors definitely worked hard and showed their abilities this season. The varsity squad finished the season with a 16 and 1 record in dual meets. The Warrior season also included Wawasee Invitational, NLC, sectional and regional wins. The JV finished a winning season with a 6 and 5 record. Award winners were Jason Carr, MVP; Tom Bryan, most improved; Travis Coy, mental attitude award; Rob Chalfant, outstanding junior varsity; and Josh DeGood, rookie of the year.



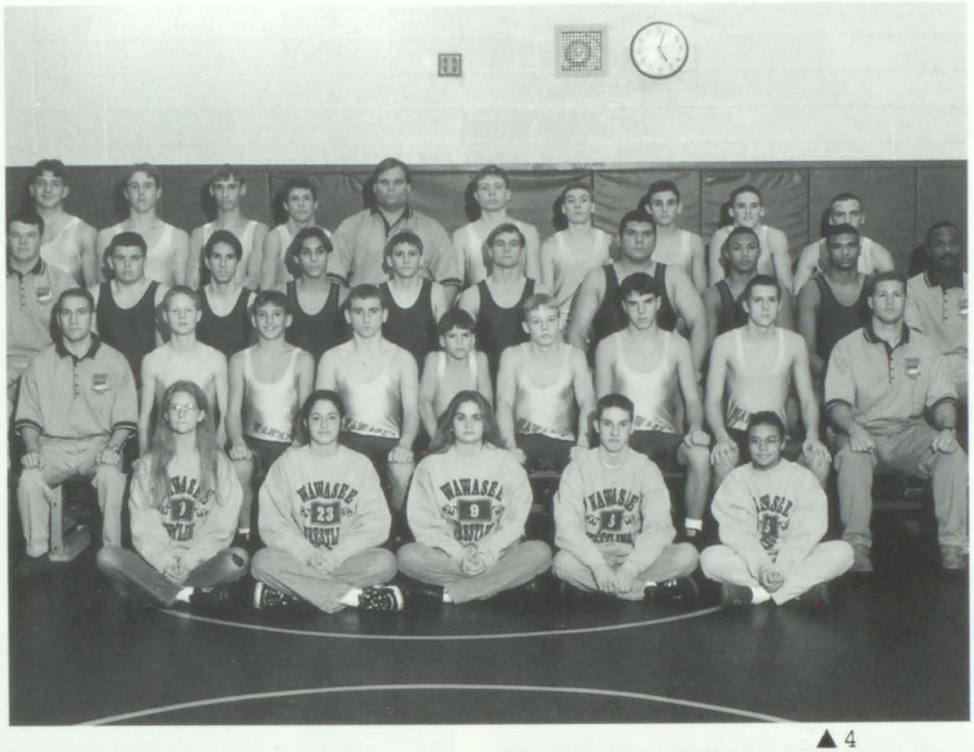
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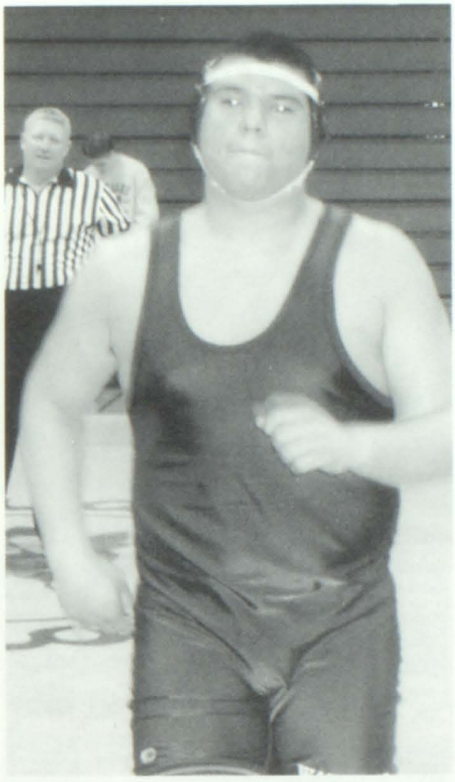
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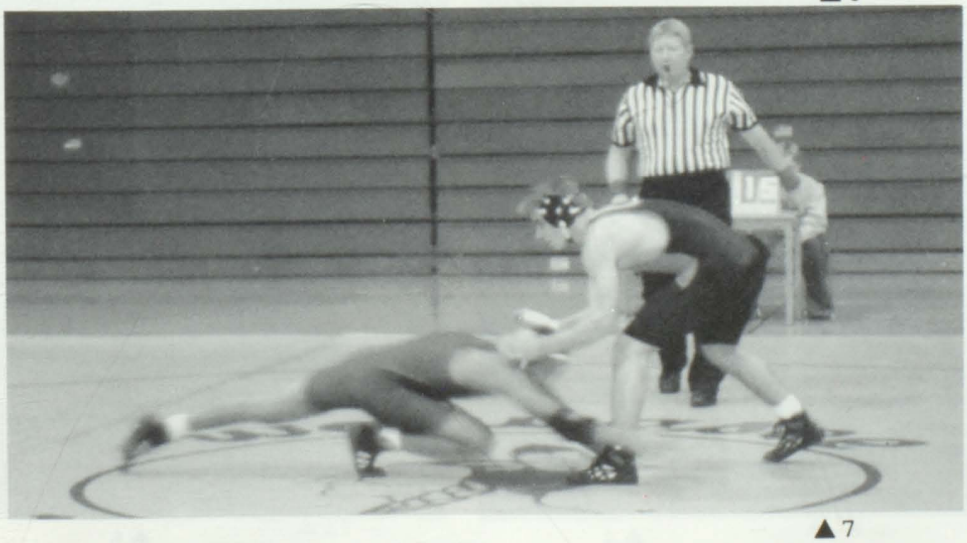
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1. Coach DeHart offers advice. 2. State champion Jason Carr and his family are recognized on senior night. 3. Travis Coy is ready to attack on the mat. 4. The Warrior wrestling team is row 1: Becky Thompson, Stephanie Coquillard, Tamie Swihart, David Long, Dana Carr; row 2: Coach Taylor, Josh DeGood, Rob Chalfant, Jason Dewart, Steve Mikolajczak, Jeremy Tackitt, Justin Gerber, Chris Cline, Coach Perek; row 3: Coach Bridinger, Jesse Leonard, Tim Cotton, Shane Heimann, Travis Coy, Ryan Johnson, Jamie Salazar, Kevin A. Carr, Jason Carr, Coach Carr; row 4: Tom Bryan, Craig Jenson, Andrew Waugh, Ken Macintosh, Coach DeHart, JJ Davis, Kevin M. Carr, Jacen Hendricks, Chet Wortinger, Tyler Cline. 5. Jamie Salazar runs off the mat after a victory. 6. Jacen Hendricks is focusing in on his opponent. 7. Kevin Carr goes for the takedown. 8. Steve Mikolajcsak is ready to wrestle.

Flipping high gymnasts

The gymnastics team looked great again pulling the season together, reaching for and accomplishing many goals. The talented Lady Warriors had their roughest year of all ending the season with a record of 8-3. They hosted the sectionals taking second place. "We never did compete with a full varsity squad, not even during sectionals, due to illness and injuries throughout the season. I am very proud of the team with the hard work and effort they put forth for such a tough season," stated the head coach Nika Prather. The team had more injuries and illness than ever before, but still managed to pull off a winning record once again. Angie Beer, sophomore, was awarded most valuable player; Summer Ferverda, freshman, received the junior varsity award; Christa Olson, senior, received the drive, desire, determination award; Lisa Ummel, sophomore, was named most improved; and Katie Millar, freshman, received the outstanding rookie award.



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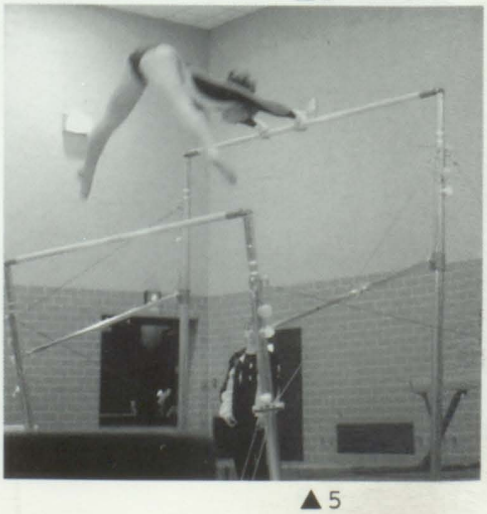
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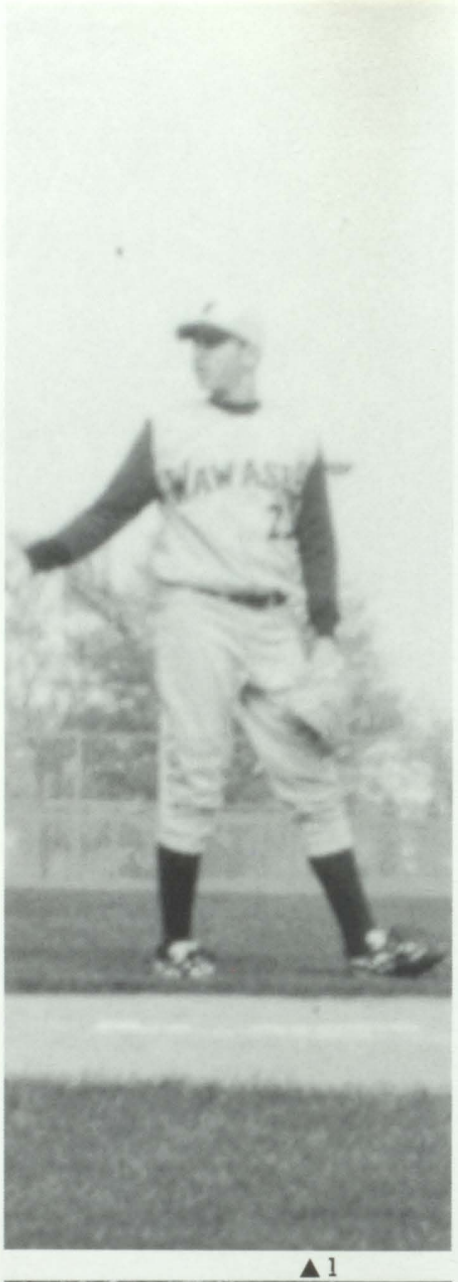


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1. Darcy Replogle winds up for her dismount off the bars. 2. The team warms up before the competition. 3. Katie Millar performs her bar routine. 4. The team lines up for introductions at the beginning of the Manchester meet. 5. Katie Brown shows her talented gymnastic abilities. 6. The gymnastic team is row 1: Angie Beer, Jennifer Mason, Becky Phillips; row 2: Vanessa Peterson, Lisa Ummel, Summer Ferverda; row 3: Katie Brown, Jean Allen, Katie Millar, Darcy Replogle, Alissa Sherman; row 4: Coach Nika Prather, Christa Olson, and Coach Niki Harter. 7. The team sets up bars while preparing for the meet. 8. Angie Beer continues her floor routine. 9.. Christa Olson begins her tumbling pass. 10. Everyone is having a good time while practicing her handstands. 11. Summer Ferverda looks relieved. 12. Lisa Ummel impresses the judges.

Running all bases

The Warrior baseball team had a rough start, but made many improvements throughout the season, receiving a third place in the Wawasee Tourney. Many of their games were close, which meant it could have gone either way. By trying out new things to improve the team's record, the team relied on pitching a great deal. The primary pitcher was Farhan Haq. Seniors on the team were Jeff Beer, Brad Brown, Ryan Carrington, Farhan Haq, Jesse Leonard, and Scott Ousley. These guys were depended on for leadership and positive attitudes. Many underclassmen were also critical and produced when times got tough. There were also three new coaches: Shane Bucher, Cory Shutz, and Jeff Shutz. In addition, renovation was done on the field. The JV and freshman teams also had a productive year. By playing and getting new experiences, they learned new techniques that would make them the future for the Warrior baseball team.



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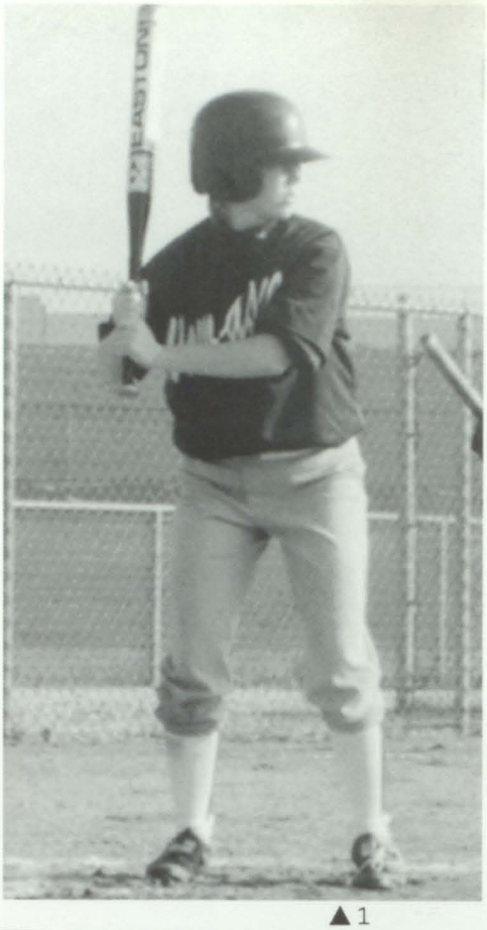


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1. Farhan Haq prepares to pitch a no hitter. 2. The varsity baseball team is row 1: Krystle McLaughlin, Ashley Roth, Tyson Niles, Carrie Grothaus; row 2: Brian Milligan, Andrew Gradle, Brent Berkeypile, Luke Baker, Josh Witmer, Ryan Carrington, John Szynal, Matt Coy; row 3: Coach Blunk, Brad Swope, Brian Adkins, Tony May, Scott Ousley, Farhan Haq, Jeff Beer, Brad Brown, Jesse Leonard, Coach Smith. 3. Josh DeGood looks around for a good throw. 4. The junior varsity baseball team is row 1: Ashley Roth, Terry Gerke, John Shock, Krystle McLaughlin, Brian Milligan, Chris Adkins, Tyson Niles; row 2: Coach Schutz, R.J. Wilson, Sam Korenstra, Kyle Swihart, Justin Bell, Ronnie Black, John Szynal, Toby Witmer, Jason Yotter, Coach Schutz. 5. Andrew Packer is amazed with his play. 6. Tony May rounds it up after a good warm-up. 7. Luke Baker is confused about what to do next. 8. The freshman baseball team is row 1: Krystle McLaughlin, Ashley Roth, Tyson Niles; row 2: Travis Klenke, Michael Wilson, Drew Heincker, Josh DeGood; row 3: Coach Kenny, Curtis Smeltzer, Ryan Anderson, Andrew Packer, Tyler Campbell, Jake Baker, Coach Bucher.

Winning sectional crown

After last year's slow season, the softball team jumped off to a quick start. The varsity team began its season over spring break, playing three games and returning to school with a record of 2 and 1. Midway through the season the varsity record was 8 wins and 4 losses, much improved from last year. Coach O'Dell said, "The season went great. The pitchers did a super job." Junior Megan King and senior Jaime Conn pitched the team in their outstanding start. Conn impressively pitched a no hitter. Senior short-stop Kari Wortinger stated, "The season started very well. I hoped we could win another sectional championship. It would be a great way to end my senior year." This goal was achieved as the girls brought home a sectional championship. However, the team fell to Ft. Wayne Northrup in a tough regional contest. The J.V. team also began their season well with a record of 5 wins and 3 losses.



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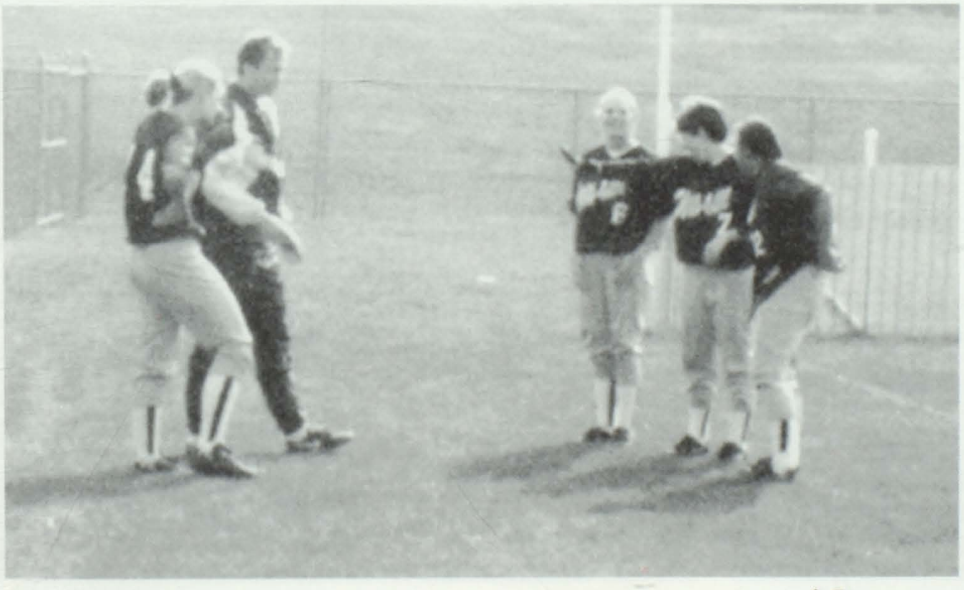
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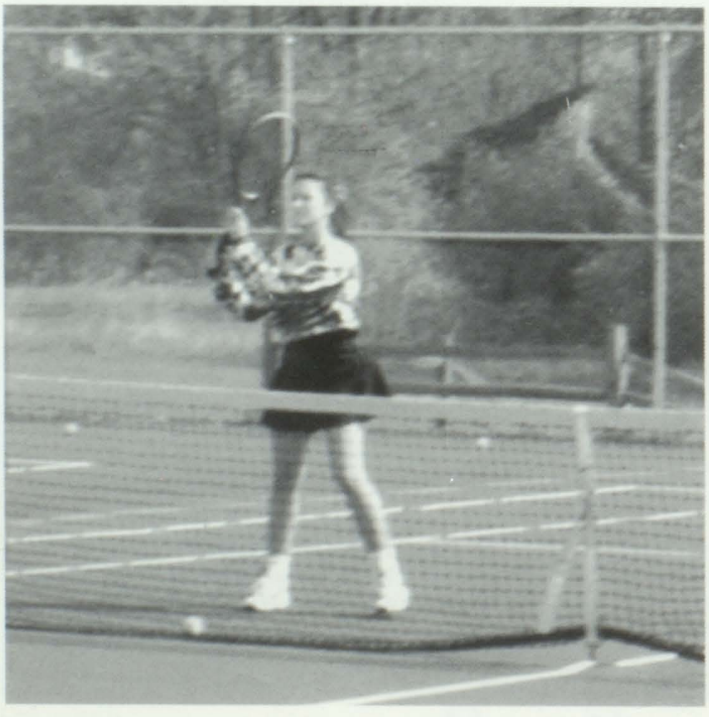
1. Kari Wortinger is in position to hit a home run. 2. Sonya Beer is at the plate. 3. Jaime Conn pitches while Megan King waits in the outfield. 4. Danielle Powell prepares to catch a fly ball. 5. The junior varsity softball team members are row 1: Bobbi Jo Clipfell, Hayley VanLue, Bria Pletcher, Laura Karns, Julie Blakeslee, and Sarah Shock; row 2: Stephanie White, Manager Ashley Ward, Candice Beer, Shyla Belin, Kim Morgan, Gina Holderman, Gennie Brissette, Kayla Tinkey, Stefanie Coquillard, Jessica Walker; row 3: Coach Salemia and Coach Coquillard. 6. Varsity softball team members are row 1: Jennifer Mason, Amy Gingerich, Jaime Conn, Danielle Powell, Tara Hymer; row 2: Manager Amanda Jeffrey, Amber Ramseyer, Megan King, Sara Frantz, Sonya Beer, Kari Wortinger, Andrea Gingerich, Amber Hall, Manager Ashley Ward, and Manager Melissa Meyerink; row 3: Coach Marge Emerick, Coach James O'Dell, and Coach Hill. 7. Coach O'Dell, Jaime Conn, Sonya Beer, Sara Frantz and Andrea Gingerich plan strategy before a game.

Claiming first sectional

The girls' tennis team started training at the beginning of March. Their season was only three months long and swung into action the middle of April. They practiced after school everyday for about two and a half hours. To get themselves ready, they were weightlifting and practicing intensely as if in an actual game. Sophomore Mandy Perzanowski was the number one player on the team followed by her teammate sophomore Laura Lundin. "We had a strong varsity team and our J.V. was working their way up from scratch," said Coach Phil Mishler. The team kept open minds and experienced a great season. "If we played like we did in practice, winning wasn't a problem," said junior Krista Richey. The girls' tennis team had meets three to four times a week. Their first match was against Westview and the Lady Warriors took home a victory to begin the season. Everything came together at the end of May when the team pulled out an impressive sectional title, a first ever sectional title for Wawasee girls' tennis. In regional action they defeated DeKalb in the first round, but lost to 19th ranked Northridge in the finals.



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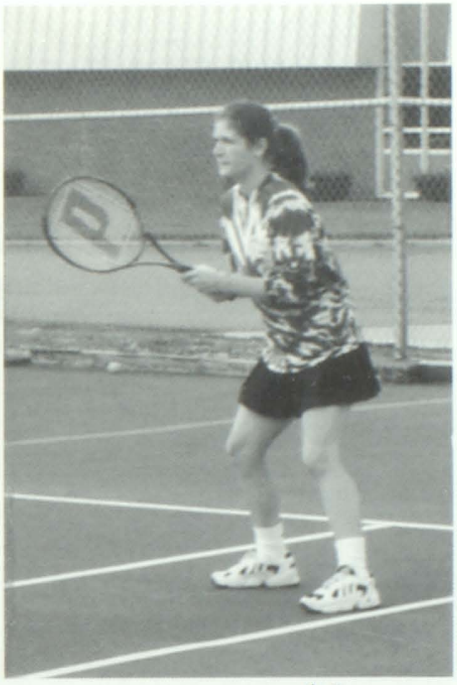
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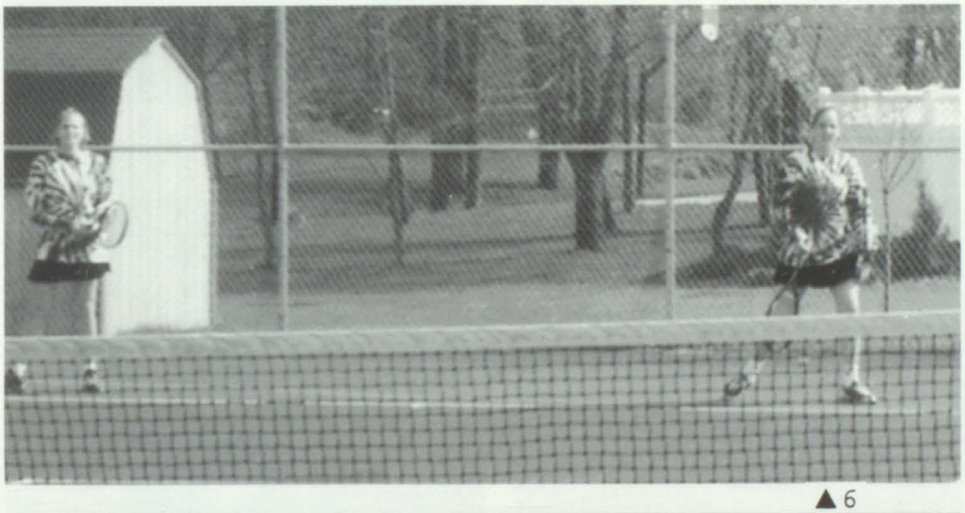
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1. Laura Lundin appears confused. 2. Kim Troup completes her follow through swing. 3. Brooke Freeman waits for her turn. 4. The girls' tennis team members are row 1: Shanda Bucher, Kara Mathew, Kim Troup, Laura Lundin, and Mandy Perzanowski; row 2: Kardia Senkspiel, Brenda Wong, and Stephanie Shivers; row 3: Brooke Freeman, Kristy Sullivan, Danielle Smith, Cassie Wells, Krista Richey, and Mandy Mitchell; row 4: Adam Stock, Coach Phil Mishler, Assistant Coach Cindy Peterson, and Ryan Perzanowski. 5. Kristi Sullivan concentrates on the ball. 6. Laura Lundin and Kara Mathew love to play doubles together. 7. Reach, Krista Richey, reach! 8. Kristi Sullivan and Krista Richey warm up before a match.

Challenging all opponents

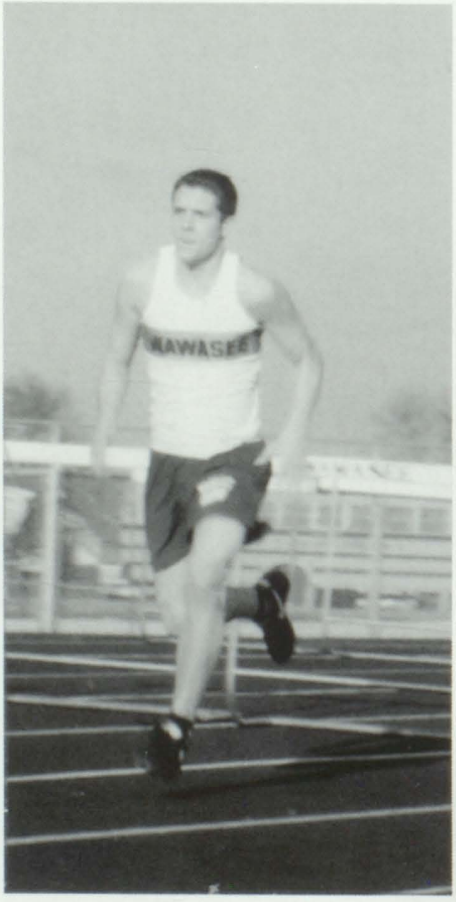
The boys' track team had a shaky season. The team did place well in several of their invitationals. They placed 11th in the very tough South Bend Classic at Notre Dame University. The team placed an honorable 6th at the Northside Relays. They also placed well at the always difficult Goshen Relays. In dual meets the boys beat Northridge and Columbia City respectively. The team was carried by the upperclassmen the whole year. The juniors and seniors contributed greatly to the team's success. If the team needed to accumulate points, upperclassmen could be depended on. Jeff Moerchen had this to say about their season. "We had a good all-round season and we had a lot of fun." Rustin Mikel added what he thought about the year. "We all had a ton of fun and worked really hard."



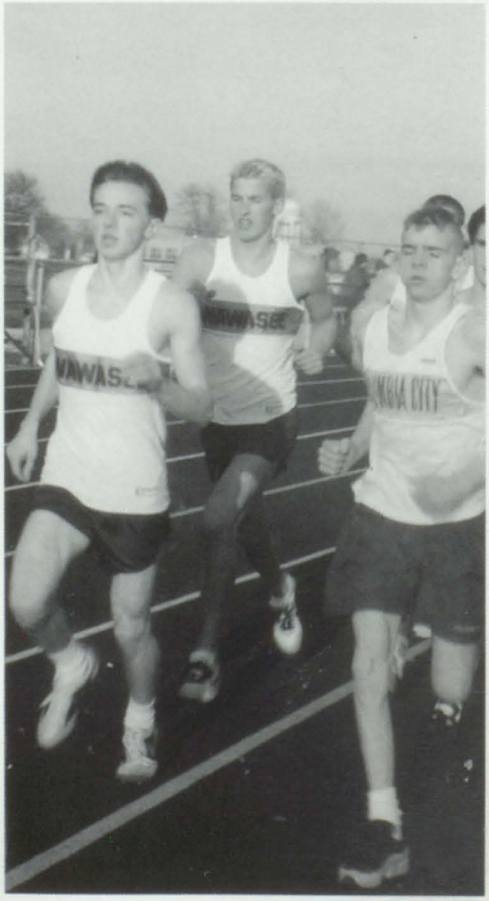
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1. John Olson soars over the bar. 2. Chris Kline is going for it. 3. Rustin Mikel is looking good. 4. Jerrod Stoffel and Jeff Moerchen dominate the pack. 5. Chris Lambert struts his stuff. 6. Ryan Johnson finishes hard. 7. Aaron McFarland says, "I believe I can fly." 8. The Wawasee boys' track team members are row 1: Brian Pickett, Rob Chalfant, Dustin Young, Dustin Miller, Matt Binns, Jimmy Meyers, Clayton Schmucker, Troy Rogers, David Carpenter, Ryan Cheeseman, Justin Mock; row 2: Pete Melendez, Dillon Ritter, Nick Zumbrun, Chris Kline, Jason Dewart, Rustin Mikel, John Glon, Jeff Moerchen, Miguel Roa, Tom Leary, Lucas Wampfler, Doug Weaver; row 3: Coach Murphy, Coach Wichern, Coach Reutebuch, Dusty Lytle, Jerrod Stoffel, Curtis Shoemaker, Ryan Johnson, Josh Cole, Aaron McFarland, J.D. Lang, Chris Lambert, Peter Chang, John Olson, managers: Tiffany Alfrey, Dana Clousing, Tami Miller; row 4: Andy Popenfoose, Mark Smith, Tom Bryan, Andrew Waugh. 9. Jeff Moerchen leads the pack as always.

Starting new traditions

The Lady Warrior track and field team was off and running. Even though the ladies did not run at Purdue's Boiler Bomber Relays, they had a short but successful indoor season, opening their indoor season with a win against Culver Girls' Academy and a fourth place finish at the South Bend Classic. They continued their winning streak as they traveled to their first outdoor meet at Westview. There they defeated both West Noble and Westview. Their big challenge came when they met conference team NorthWood for their first meet after spring break. The Lady Warriors were defeated, but looked forward to running against them again at the conference meet. The ladies had an excellent finish at the Churubusco Turtle Town Relays, finishing third in the gold division out of nine teams. "Everyone was really working together as a team, and the season was a great success with everyone continuing to work hard," stated the team's only senior, Kassie Biddle. With big goals in mind for the championship meets, the Lady Warriors looked forward to state.



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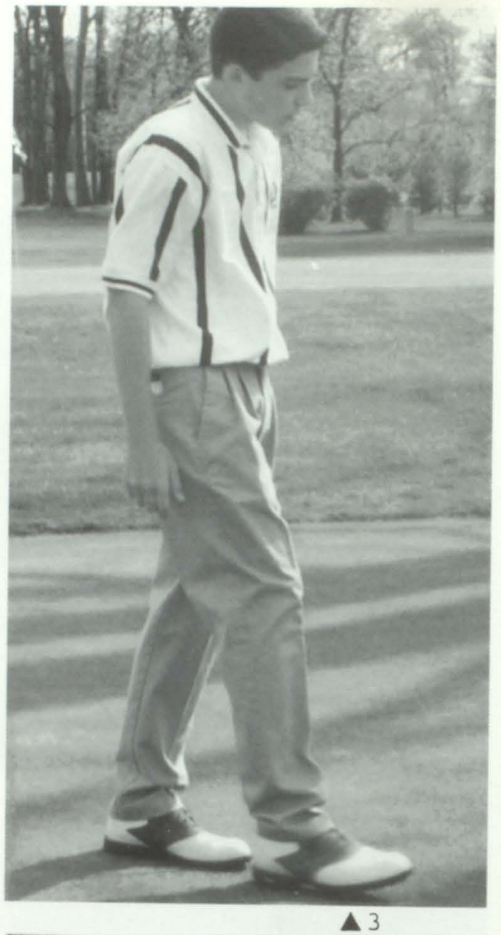
1. Katie McCauley and Alisha Henderson pace off each other to get in a good race. 2. Kassie Biddle finishes her race strong. 3. Katie Brown competes in the 100 dash. 4. Members of the Lady Warrior track team are row 1: Shalesta Newcomer, Alexis Culver, Katie McCauley, Kassie Biddle, Alison Morgan, and Alisha Henderson; row 2: Viki Hunziker, Krista Bestul, Jill Mock, Megan Hoffman, and Stephaine Huffman; row 3: Mandy Sawyer, Jackie Stanton, Alena List, Cassie Glassburn, Katie Brown, Angie Beer, and Dana Carr; row 4: Manager Amber Thomas, Erica Auker, Kimber Chang, Michelle Lamb, Amy Francis, Keshia Hunt, Staci Weisser, Coach Company, and Coach Whiechurn. 5. Kim Reuter starts her race strong. 6. Angie Beer and Alexis Culver clear the last hurdle . 7. Shalesta Newcomer pumps her arms toward the finish.

Reaching state tournament

The Warrior golf team began their season just as spring rolled around. The coaching staff consisted of Don Deck, Ed Raymond, Terry Skaggs, and Steve Dodds. The team was led by Senior captain Travis Coy, and home meets and practices took place at South Shore. The team started the season out right with a 157-167 win over South Bend Riley. They kept up their winning ways by defeating Fairfield, Elkhart Central, and West Noble in a four-way match. Coach Skaggs commented on the numerous amount of freshmen playing this year. As a result of this large number, a third team was added made entirely of freshmen. "We were very excited to have the large number of freshmen trying out; this was helping us build a strong program for the future," stated Coach Skaggs. It also provided a strong team for this season as the team finished second at sectionals and third at regionals, winning them a spot in the state tournament at Avon. There their terrific season come to a close in the first round of competition.



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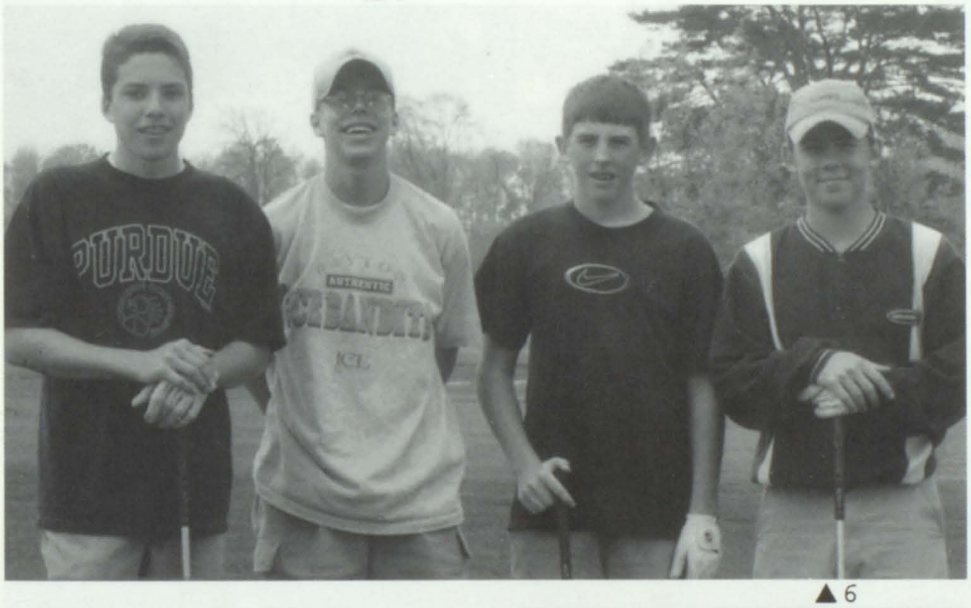
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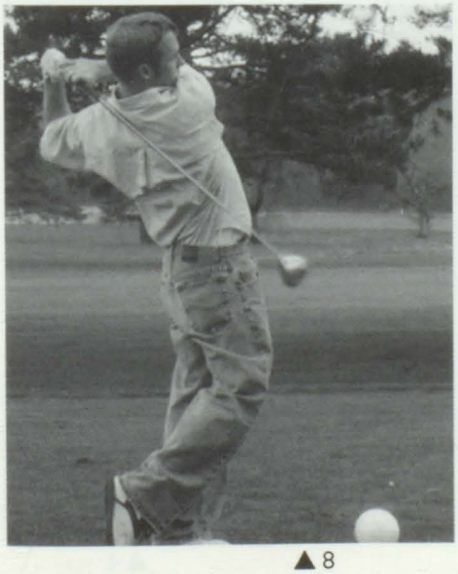
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1. The boys' golf team is row 1: Ross Cook, Rob Trame, Kyle Lundy, Aaron Eikenberry, and Justin Rider; row 2: Lucas White, Travis Coy, Ryan Skaggs, and Chandler Tenney; row 3: Jeff Chandler, Chad Wortinger, Jay Haugh, Ryan Speicher, Carter Ploszek, and Scott White; row 4: Coach Steve Dodds, Head Coach Don Deck, and Coach Terry Skaggs. 2. Carter Ploszek shows his strength while warming up. 3. Lucas White retrieves his ball after putting. 4. Jay Haugh is showing his musical talent with his club. 5. The varsity squad discusses strategies with Coach Deck. 6. Lucas White, Carter Ploszek, Kyle Lundy, and Ryan Skaggs really enjoy golf practice. 7. Ryan Speicher works on his chipping. 8. Chad Wortinger drives with force. 9. Travis Coy grits his teeth in reaction to his shot.

Cheering Warrior athletes



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The cheerleaders' extensive season was jam packed with fundraisers, clinics, camps, and fun! The varsity, J.V., and frosh squads all traveled to Saint Mary's College for an instructional camp. The four days were filled with learning new cheers, chants, and dances that were performed throughout the season. All five senior members, Abby Bultemeier, Shiloh Butler, Leigh Anne Gerber, Tracey Gradle, and Alicia Holterman were selected as UCA All-Star Cheerleaders. The cheerleaders raised money for new uniforms and poms by sponsoring a car wash and gas pumping for donations, a pie sale, and "kiddie" clinics. All three squads competed at the Fort Wayne regional in November. The girls started out with the football team in the fall and ended up with the basketball boys in the winter. The varsity squad was given a boost by the male lifters. The lifters helped build all of the big pyramids and throw the sky-high basket tosses. Both football and basketball seasons came to an end during the first round of sectionals. Coaches for the season were Lynn Geyer, varsity; Cheryl Martin, J.V.; and Leslie Jackson, freshman. Award winners for the season were Chris Boyts, leadership; Shiloh Butler, MVP; Jennifer DePlanty, spirit (J.V.); Leigh Anne Gerber, spirit (varsity); Krystle McLaughlin, spirit (freshman); Tyson Niles, mental attitude (J.V.); and Traci Speicher, mental attitude.



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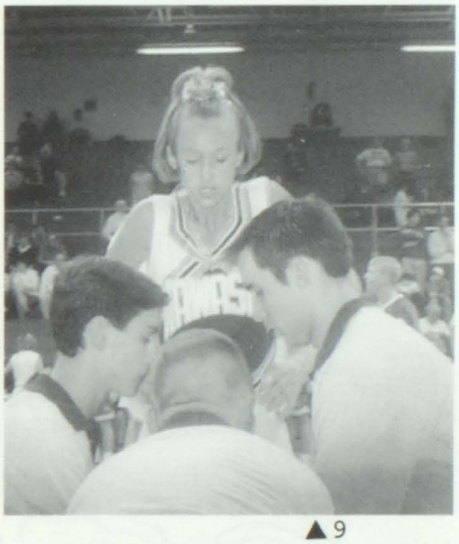
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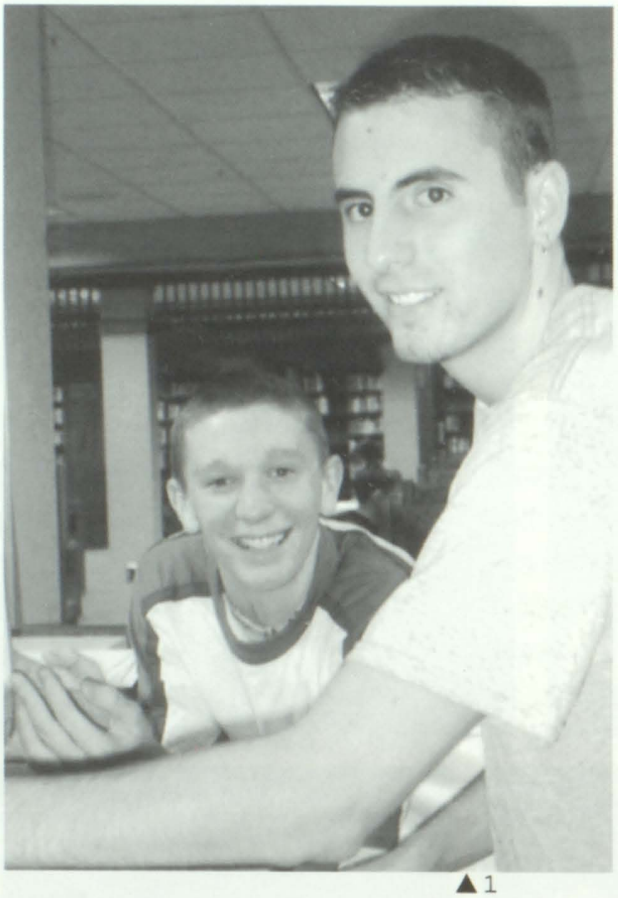


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1. Tyson Niles gets a lift from Jennifer DePlanty and Katie Jones. 2. Rah-rah Shiloh Butler cheers at a football game. 3. Members of the freshman squad are row 1: Krystle McLaughlin and Kayla Haab; row 2: Lindsey Bender and Kayla Brumbaugh; row 3: D'anna Miller, Ashlie Knisely, Amanda Marshall, and Dana Wallen. 4. The cheerleaders do the "Warrior chop." 5. Varsity members are row 1: Nick Vanlaningham, Travis Johnson, Aaron McFarland, Joshua Cole, Christopher Boyts, and James Meyer; row 2: Jenny Workman, Lucas Baker, Abby Bultemeier, Joshua Nicholl, and Alicia Holterman; row 3: Colleen Hickey, Shiloh Butler, and Tracey Gradle; row 4: Traci Speicher and Leigh Anne Gerber. 6. The girls work on locker signs after school. 7. The varsity squad cheers on the football team. 8. Members of the J.V. squad are row 1: Katie Jones and Jennifer DePlanty; row 2: Amber Hoover, Tyson Niles, and Ashley Roth; row 3: Paige Gerber and Beth Buhrt. 9. Colleen Hickey prepares to be tossed.



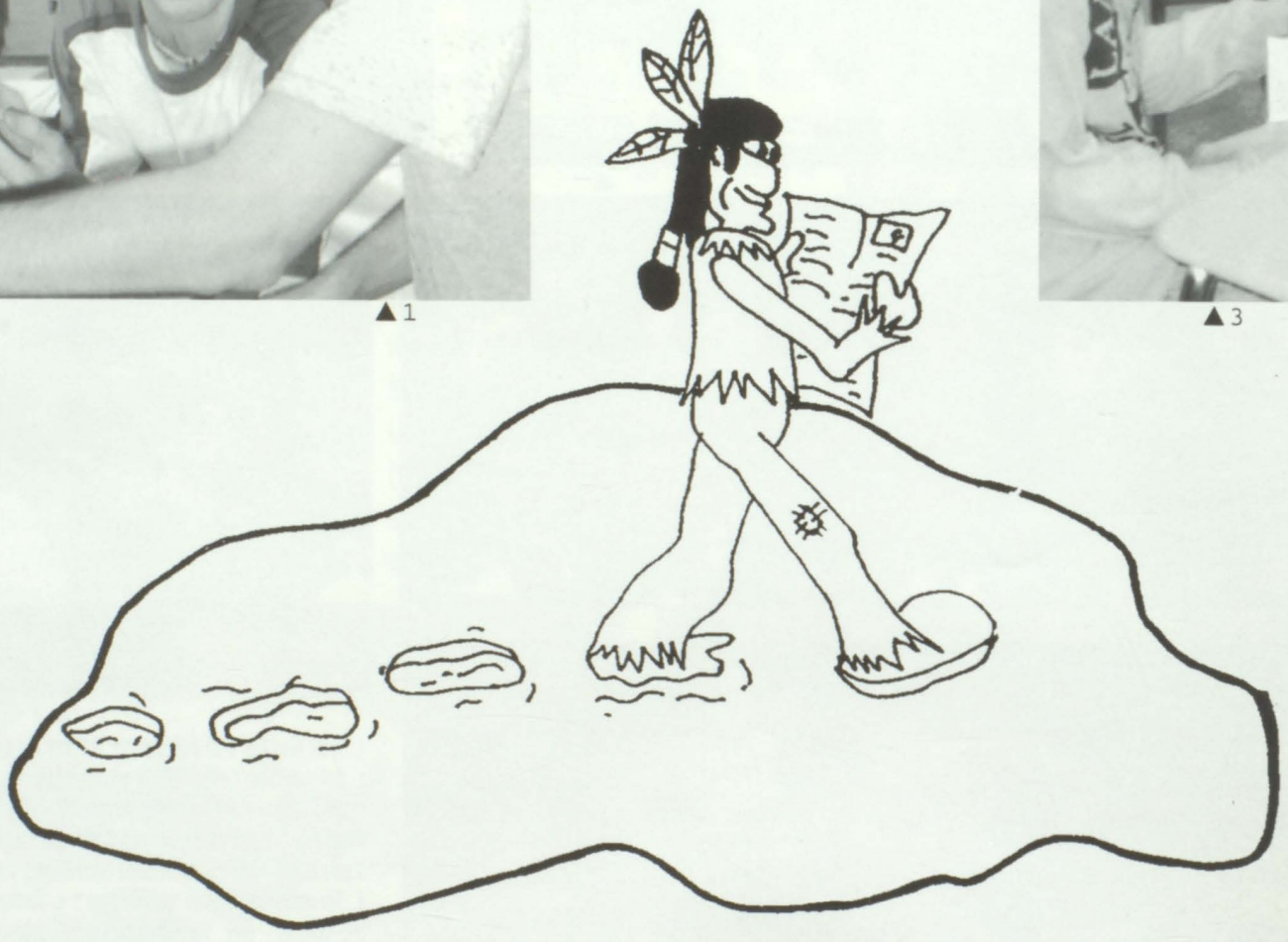
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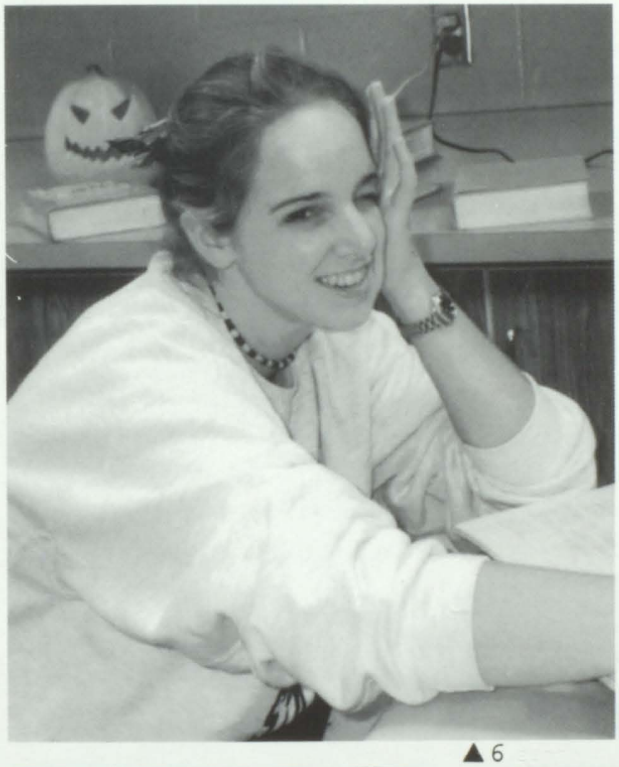
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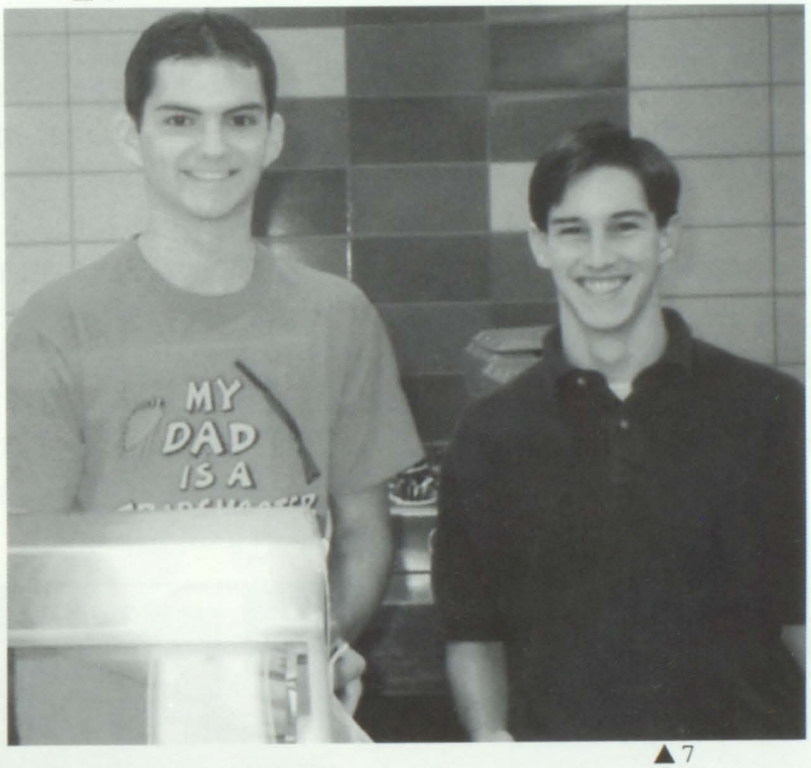
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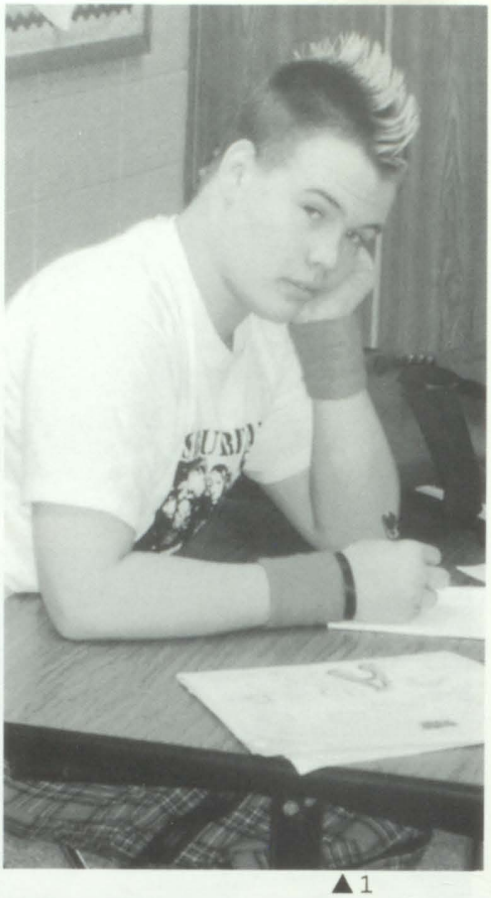


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1. Ryan Perzanowski and Scott Frantz love spending time in the library. 2. Chris Kozon is having fun in art class. 3. Vanessa Amburgy reads her book in English class. 4. Darcy Replogle, Abby Bultemeier, and Andrea VanCleave are goofing around during lunch. 5. Shane Wallace signals that his essay is finished. 6. Kara Mathew looks frustrated over something. 7. Ryan Speicher and Steve Ummel enjoy each other's company. 8. Ryan Johnson, Niko Ioannou, and Josh Cole will always remember their wonderful times at lunch.

Leaving old memories

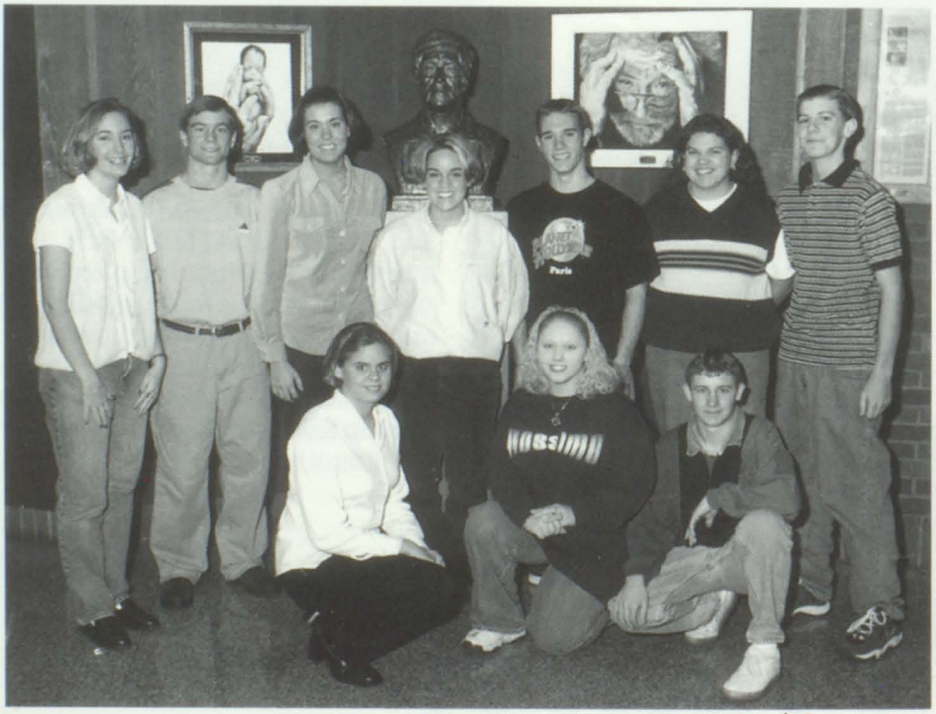
Senior year came and went quickly. Homecoming events went well with seniors being the decade of the sixties. In the festivities the best results for the seniors were skit-2nd, and Powder Puff-2nd. Overall the Senior class came in 3rd for the whole event. King and Queen were announced with Luke Matz and Shiloh Butler the winners. Other candidates were Mary Cockburn, Tracey Gradle, and Kari Wortinger, Jay Haugh, Scott Ousley, and Bradley Swope. In November, the mock elections took place. The Republicans led by Ben Hire (president) and Nathan Scherer (vice president) overthrew the Democrats in a tight race for votes. The Penny Pitch went well bringing in a total of $3,029.19. The seniors contributed with $773.38, 26% of the total, and came in 2nd. Homeroom came only twice a month which made it difficult to gather all the important college scholarship and graduation information. Other fun times for the seniors were spring break, prom, and graduation. All in all it was a very busy year for the graduates of '98.



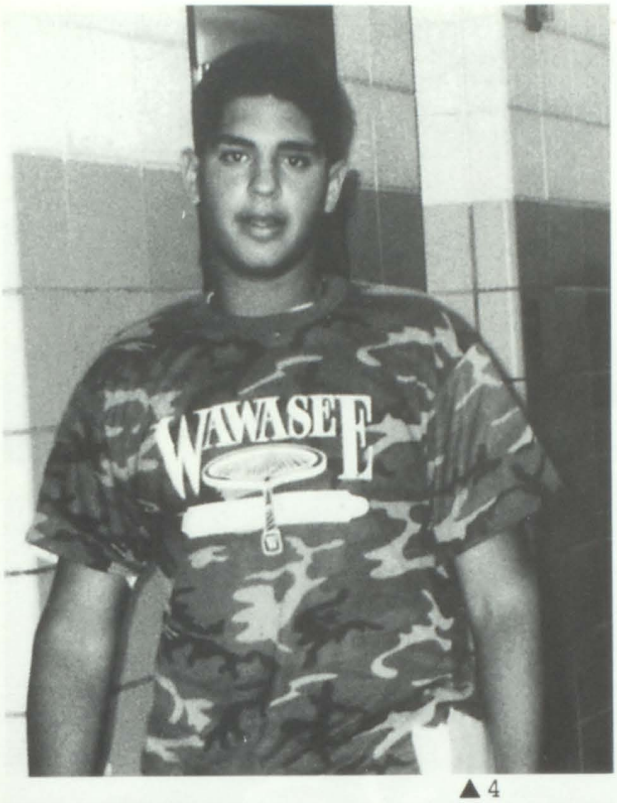
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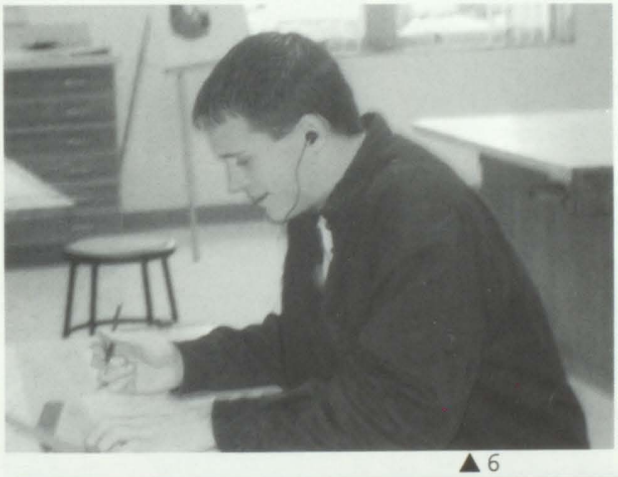
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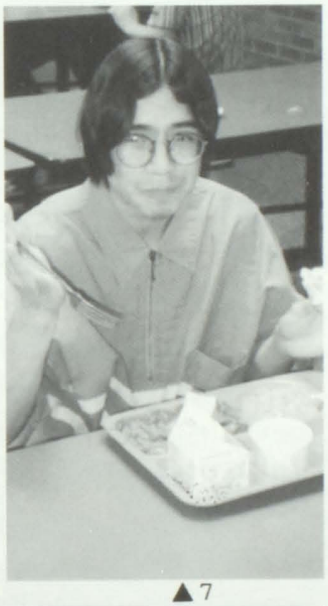
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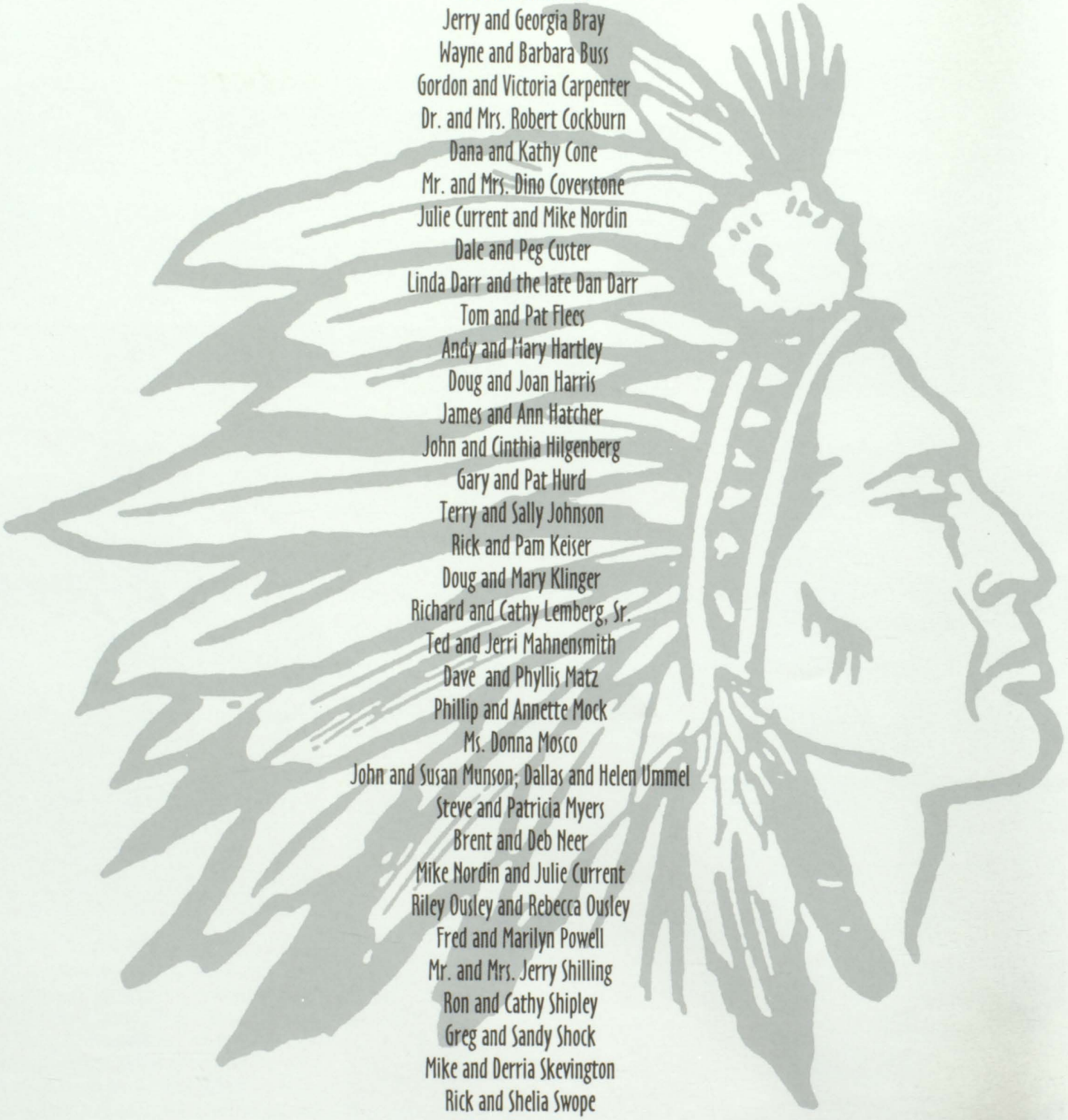
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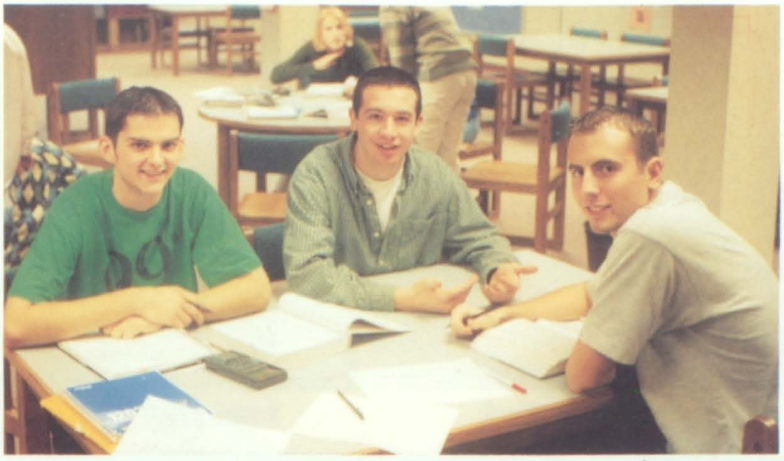
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1. Seth Scantlen sketches in one of his classes. 2. Russell E. Johnson enjoys his lunch. 3. Senior SRC members are row 1: Karen Shipley (president), Shawnte Schritter, Kyle Wurtzel; row 2: Sarah Korenstra (secretary), Ryan Johnson, Kassie Biddle, Abby Bultemeier (vice-president), Joe Baumgartner, Dina Coverstone, Rob Schlipf. 4. Farhan Haq preps up before his tennis match. 5. Jeff Beer and Tina Dang wander the halls during class. 6. Kris Kozon, just lets the music flow. 7. Izzy Perez takes time out to eat lunch. 8. Bob Phillips warms up his horn before band. 9. Carissa Bailey and Rachelle Freeman study in HIT.

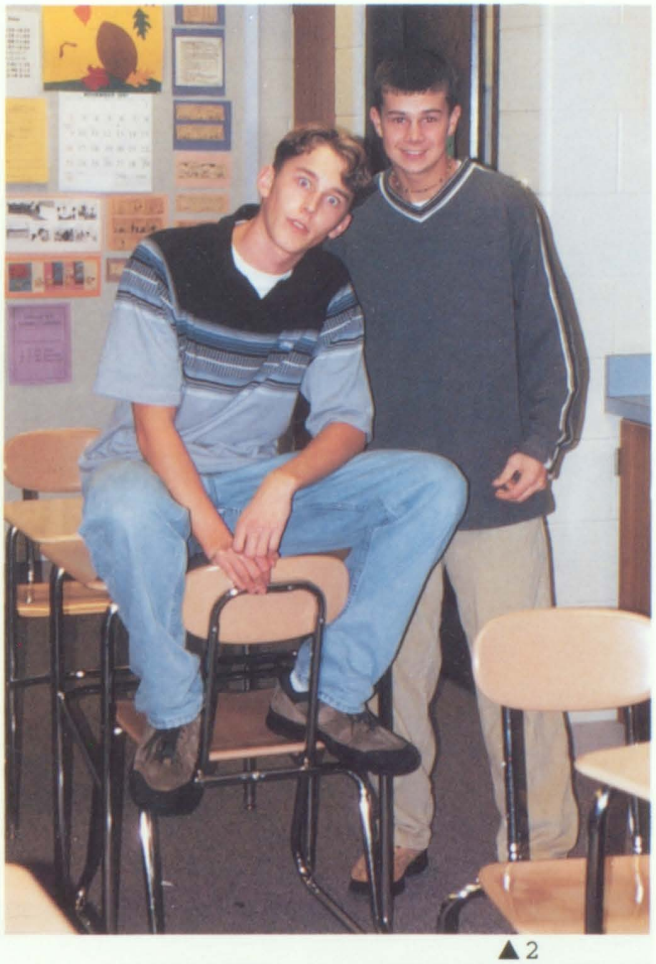
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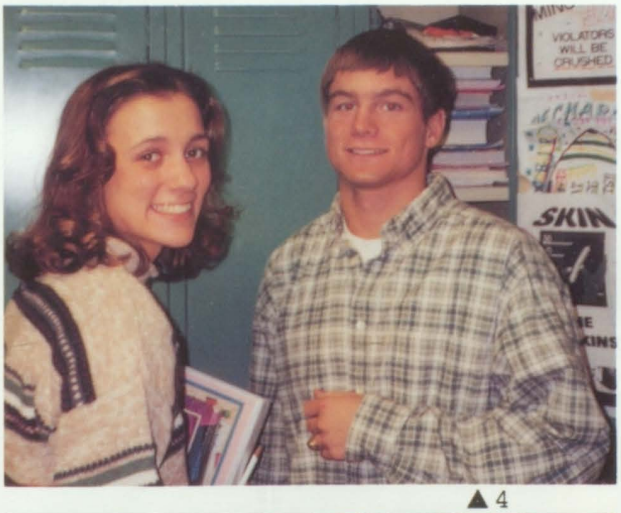
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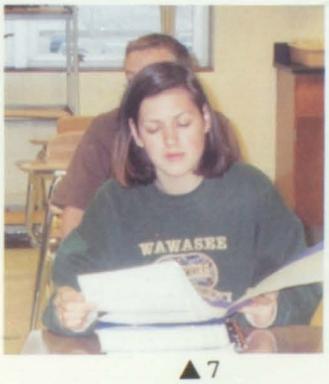
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1. Ryan Speicher, Brad Andrews, and Scott Frantz spend their time in HIT productively studying. 2. Ryan Hilgenberg and Johnathon Hulley are just kickin' it in yearbook. 3. Shawnte Schritter takes a stroll to her next class after lunch. 4. Carrie Grothaus and Ryan Johnson meet between classes to talk about their studies. 5. Cara Belcher, Kari Knisely, Mary Cockburn, and Andrea VanCleave say goodbye to their Senior year. They seem to be all smiles. 6. Rachel Spiegel, Carissa Coverstone, Amanda Dull, Sarah Hartley, Stephanie Hartoin, and Bryan Sohl always enjoy eating their lunch together. 7. Liz Rehling takes good notes in Mr. Keiper's room for an upcoming test.



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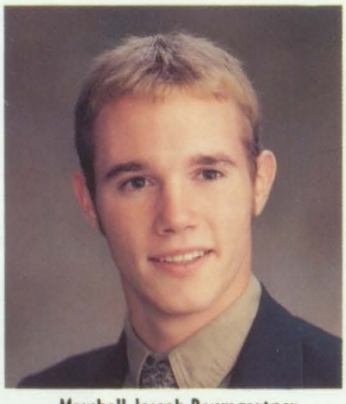
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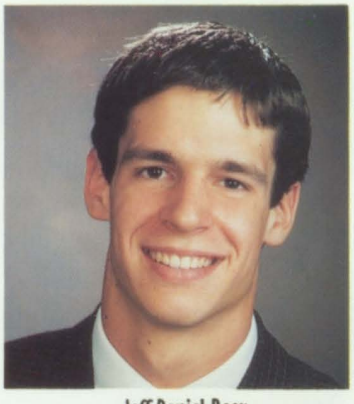
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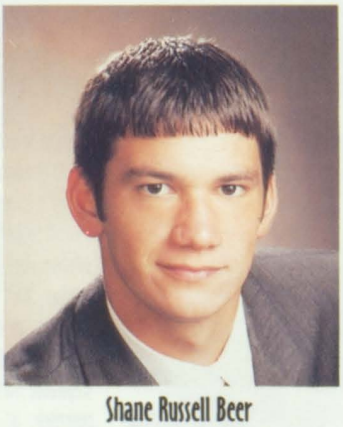
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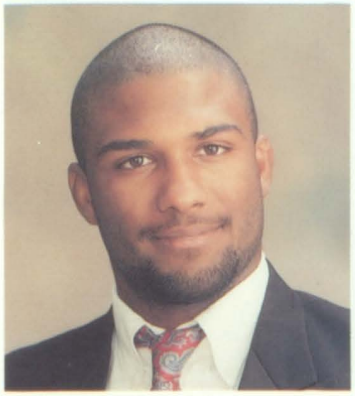
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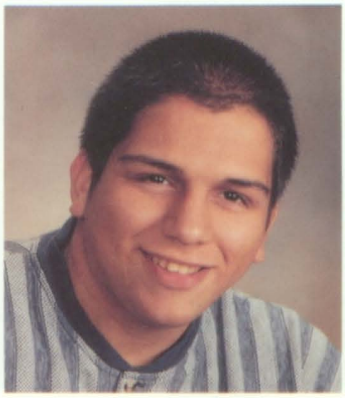
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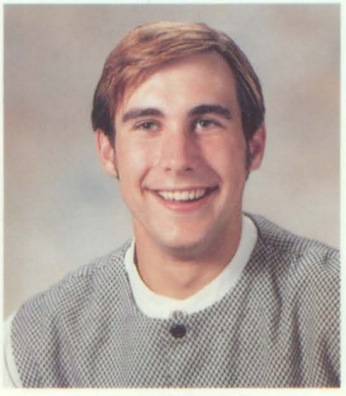
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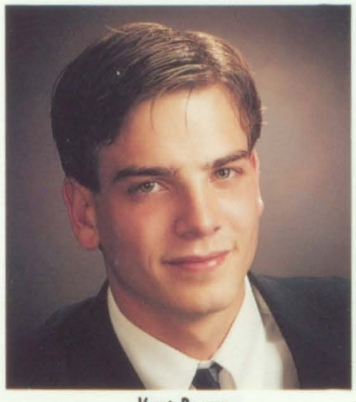
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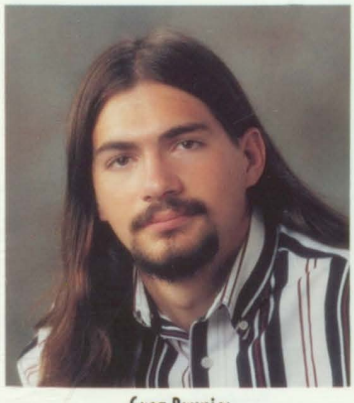
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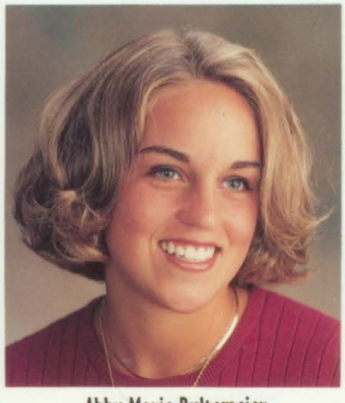
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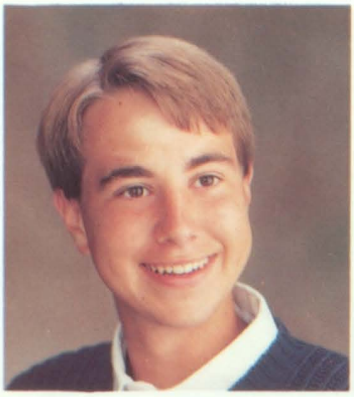
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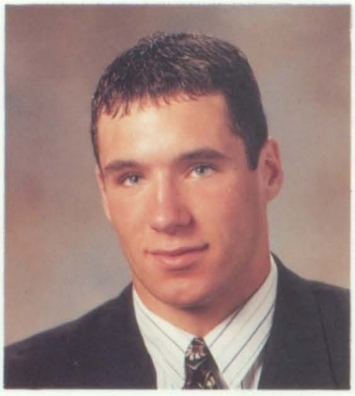
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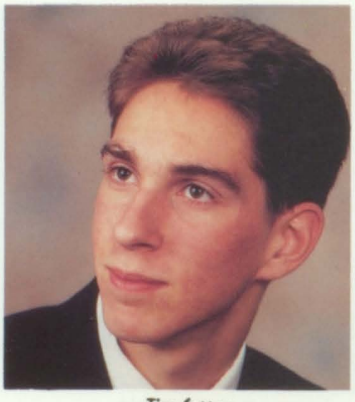
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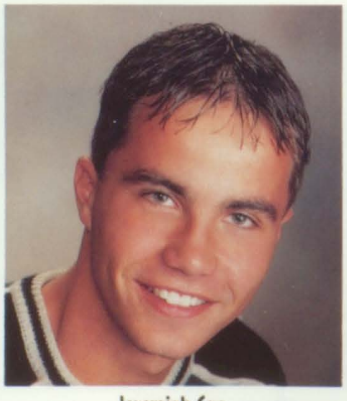
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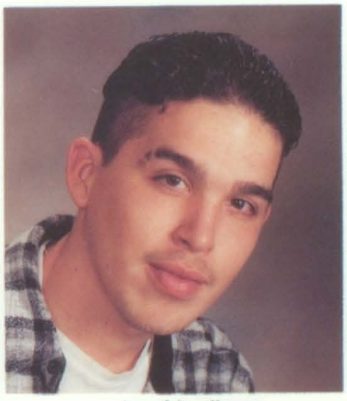


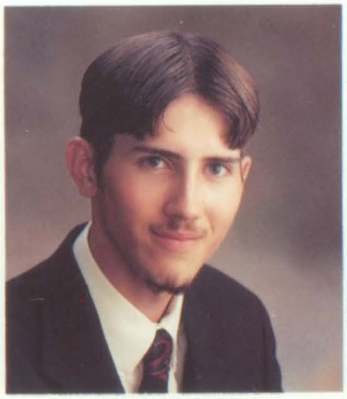
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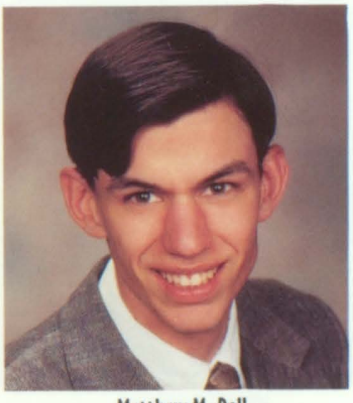

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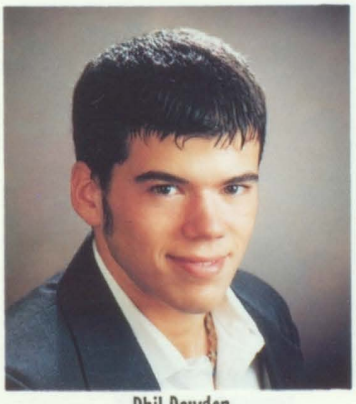

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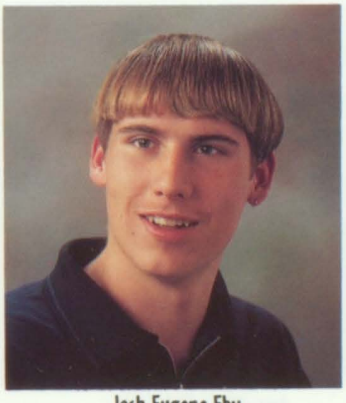

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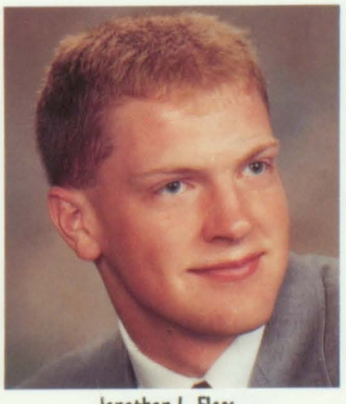

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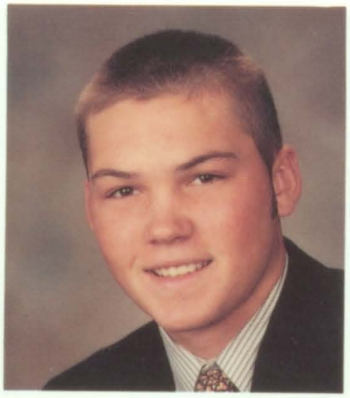

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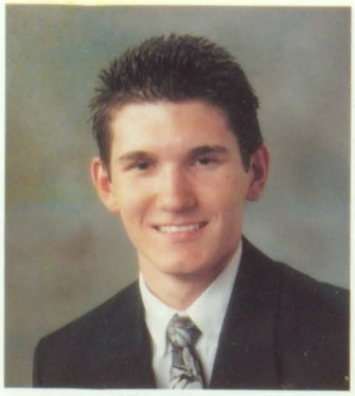
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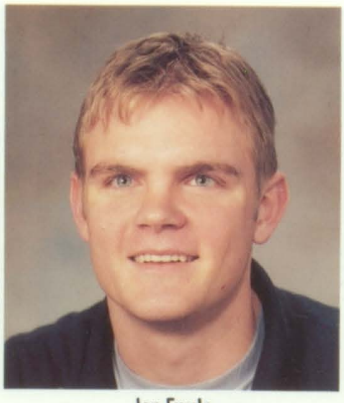
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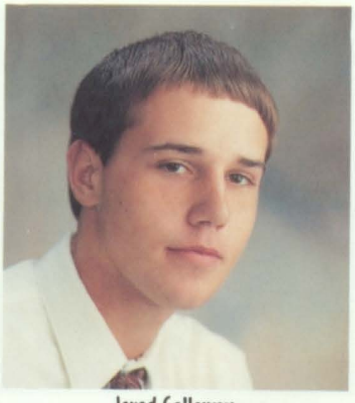
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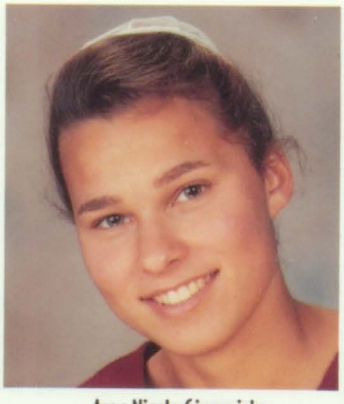
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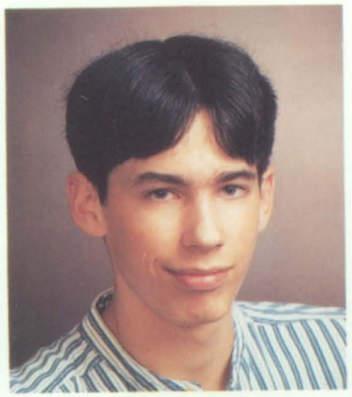
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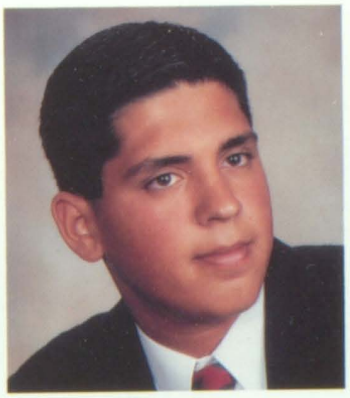
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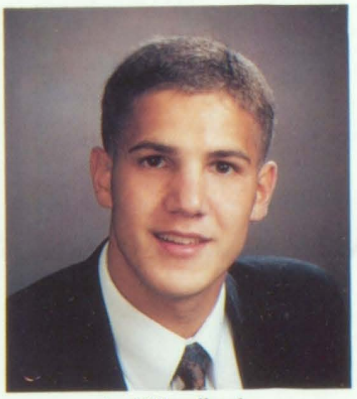
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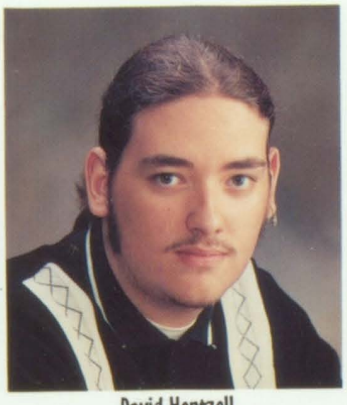
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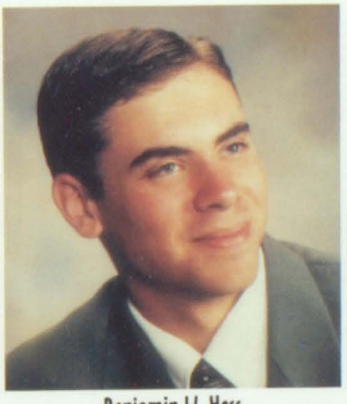
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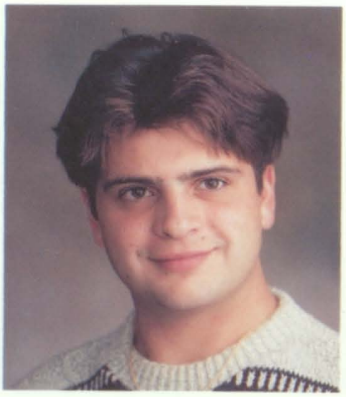
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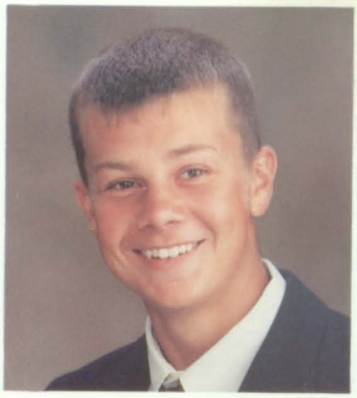
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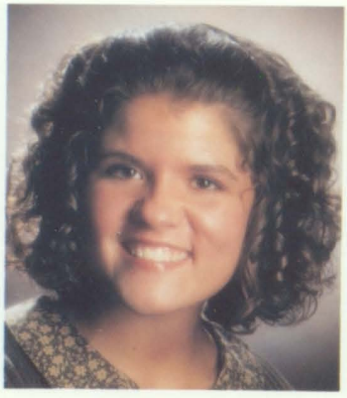
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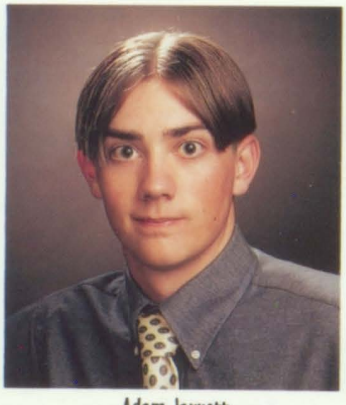
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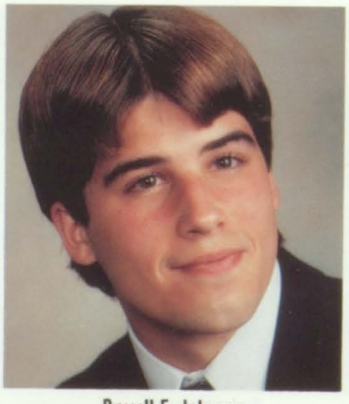
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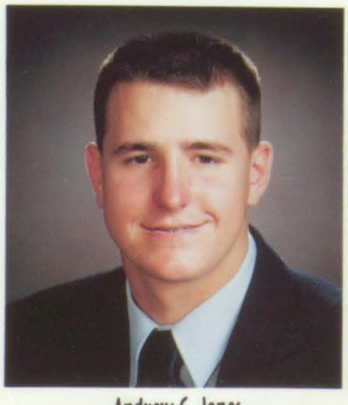
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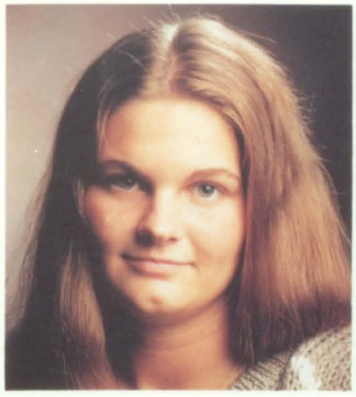
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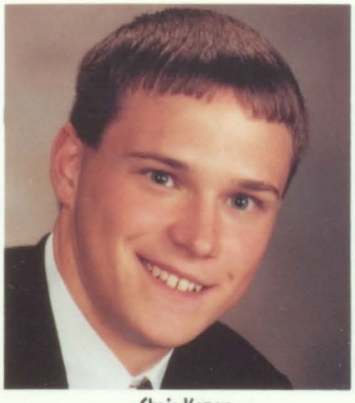
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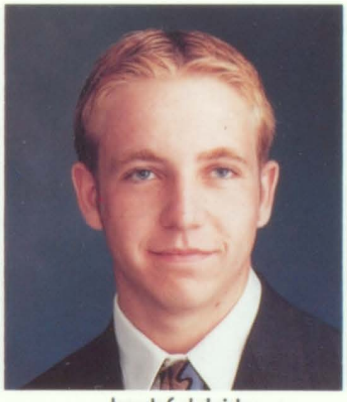
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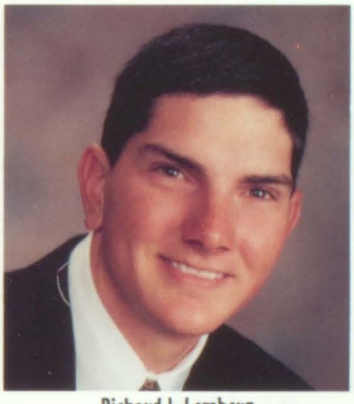
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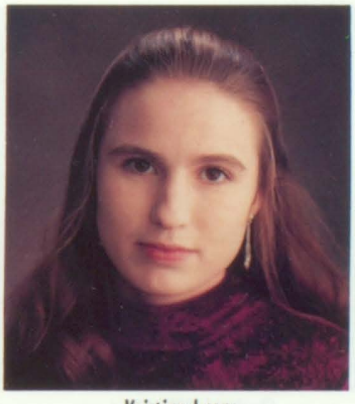
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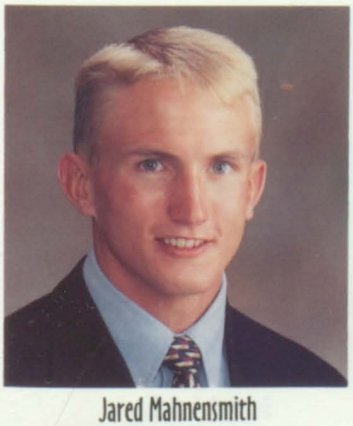
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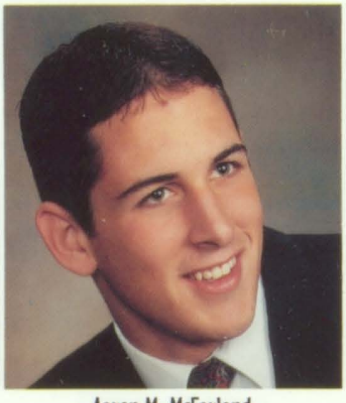
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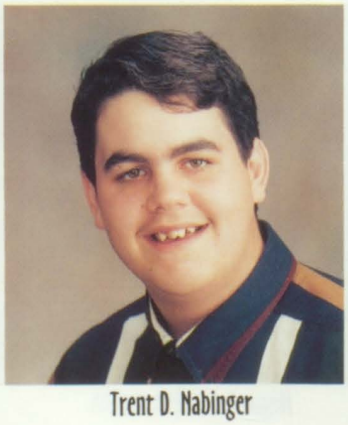
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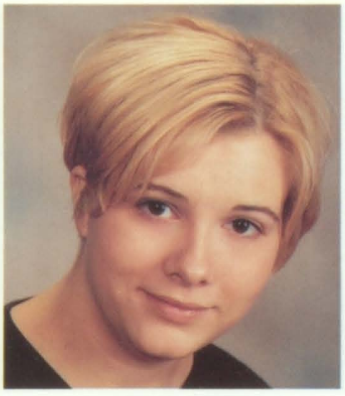
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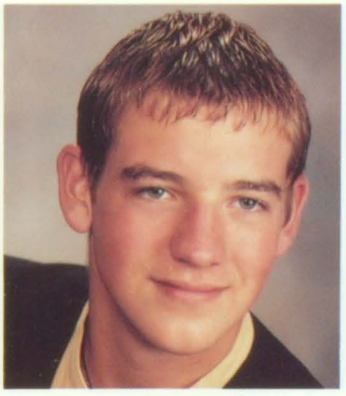
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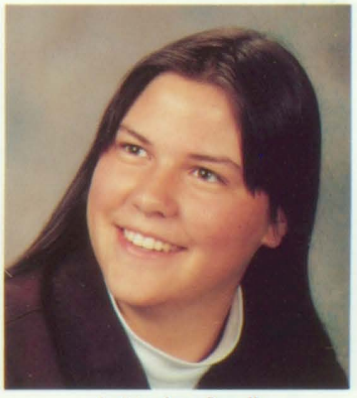
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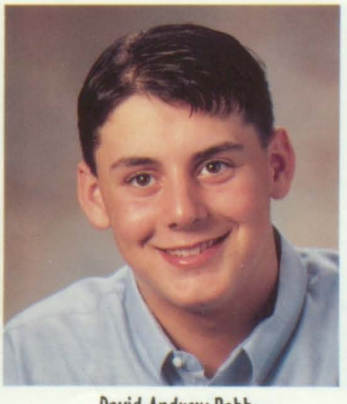
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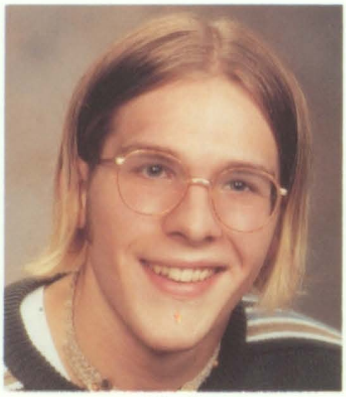
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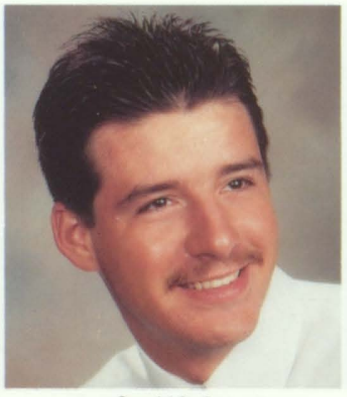
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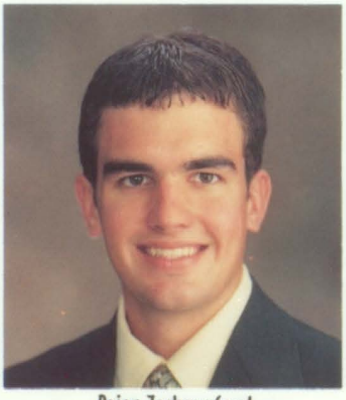
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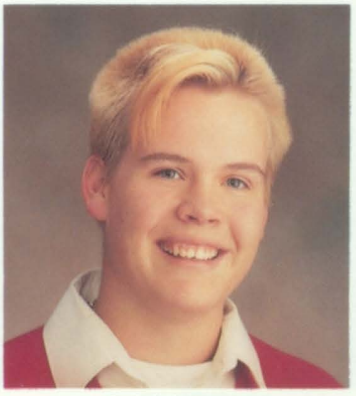
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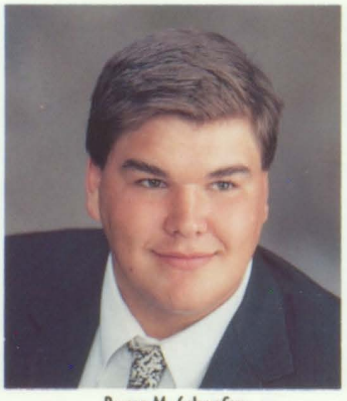
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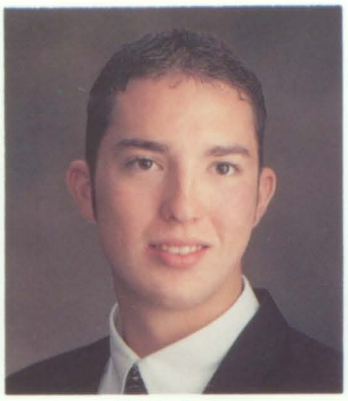
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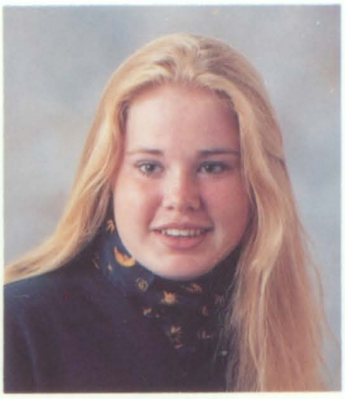
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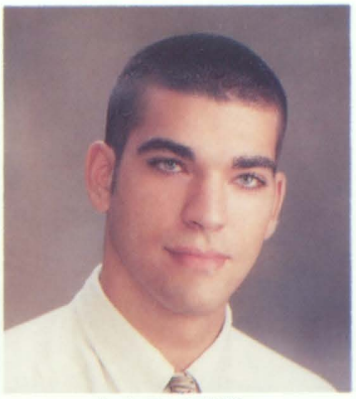
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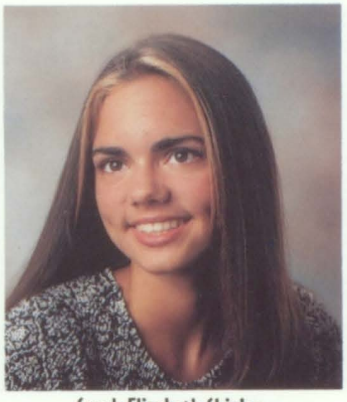
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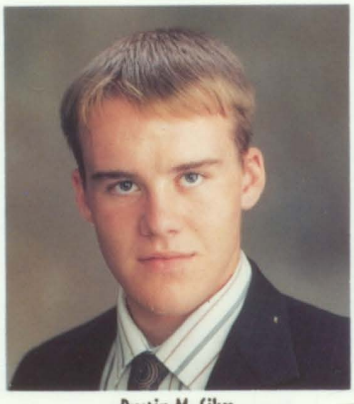
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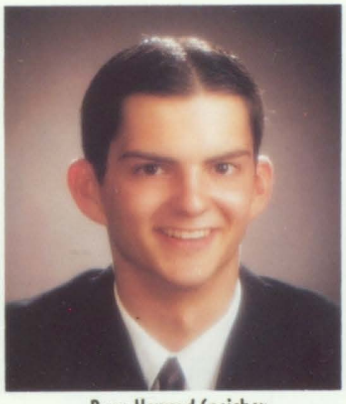
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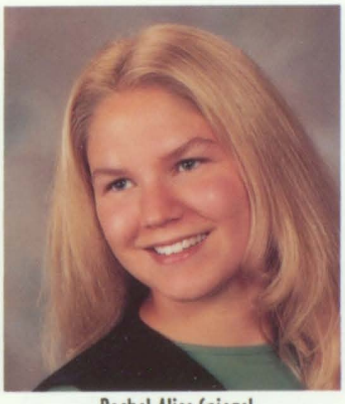
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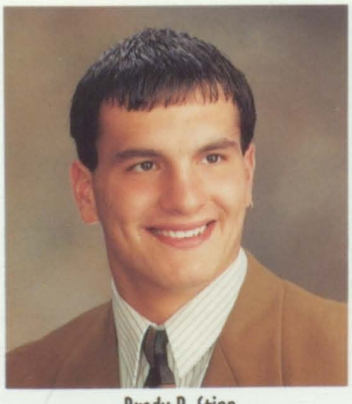
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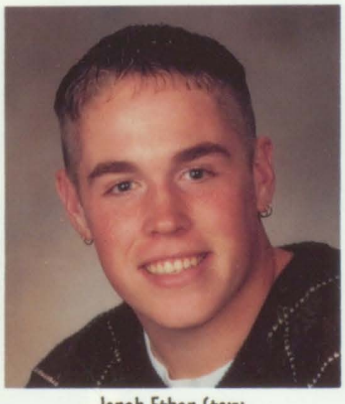
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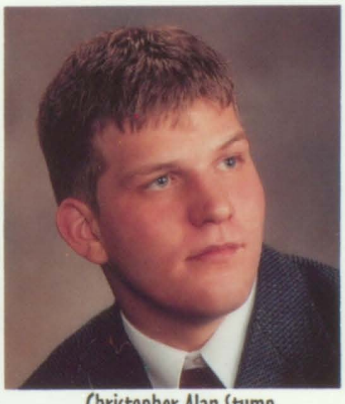
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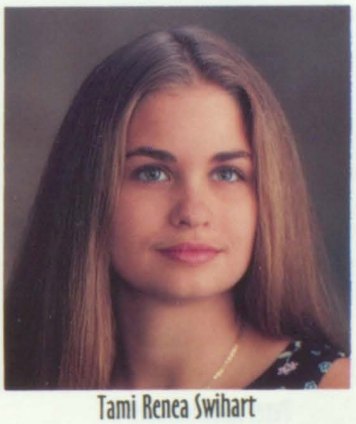
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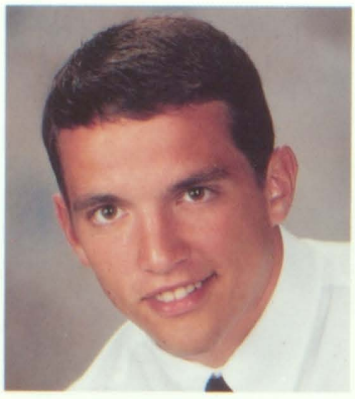
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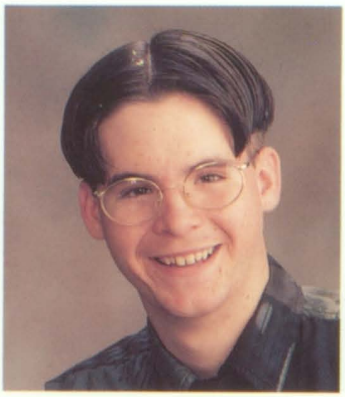
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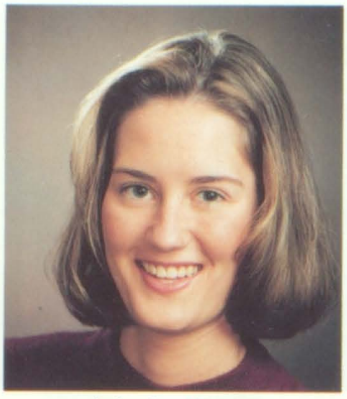
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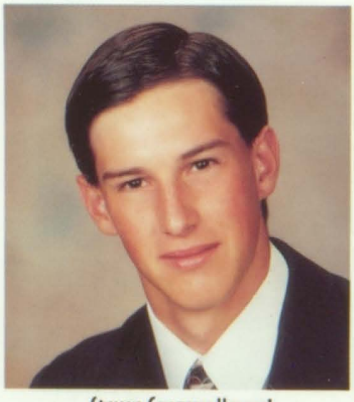
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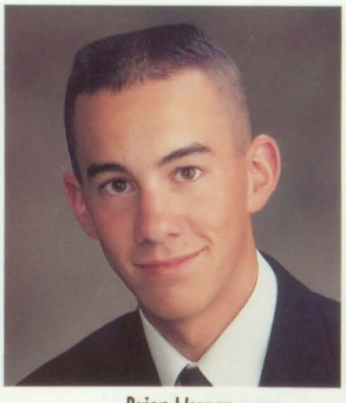
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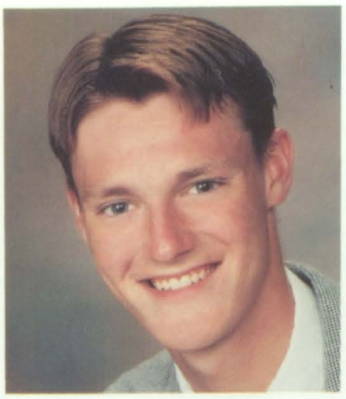
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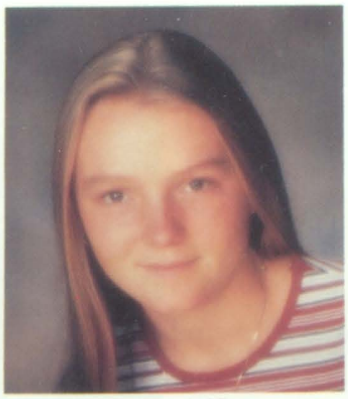
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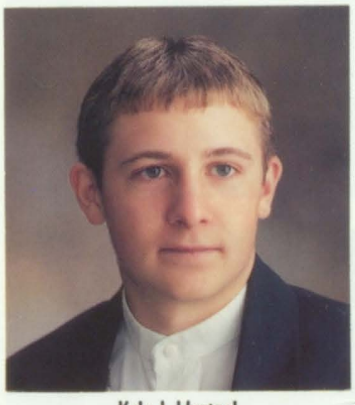
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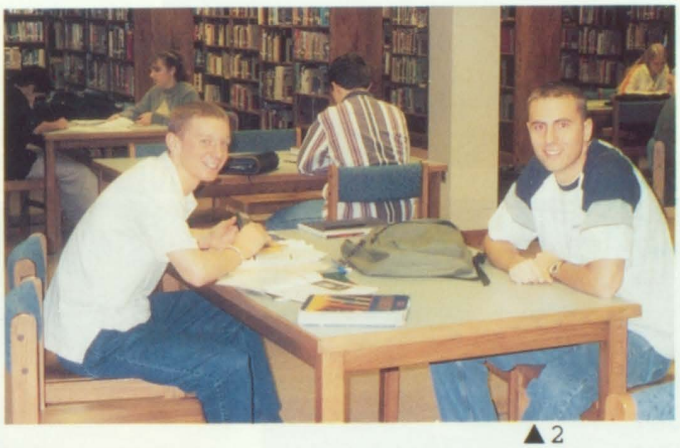
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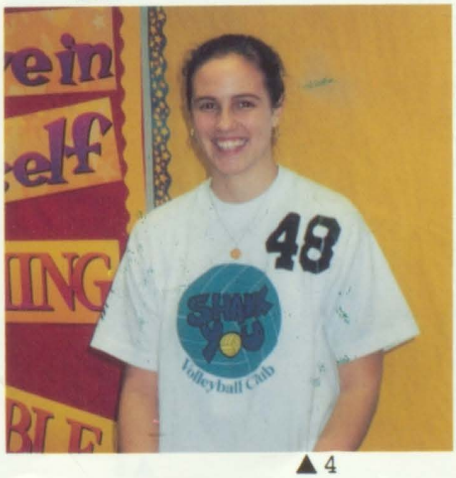
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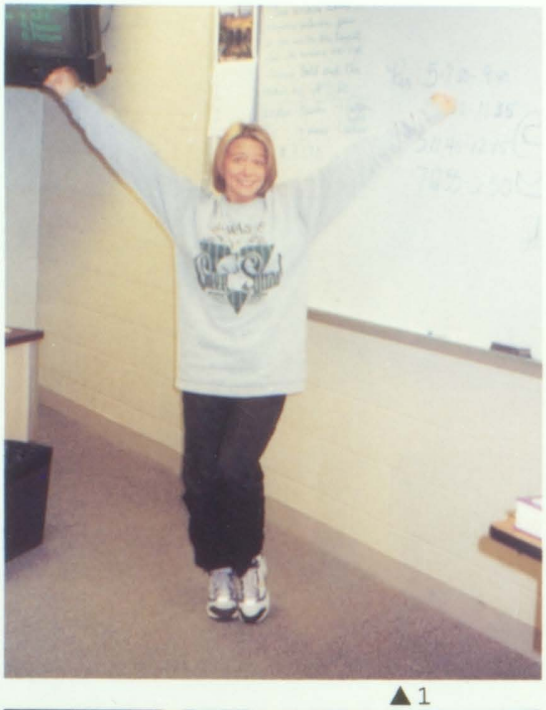


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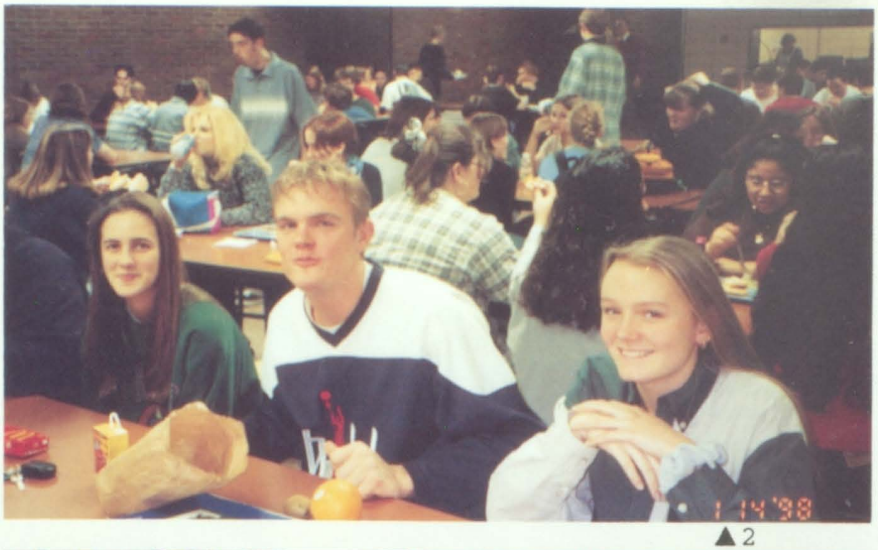


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1. Sarah Hartley is caught in the hall without a pass. 2. Ryan Perzanowski and Scott Frantz don't seem too busy in the LRC. 3. Farhan Haq, Ryan Speicher, Jered Mahnensmith, Nathan Scherer, Ryan Perzanowski and Scott Frantz hang loose at a girls' basketball game. 4. Amber Baker shows her enthusiasm for volleyball.



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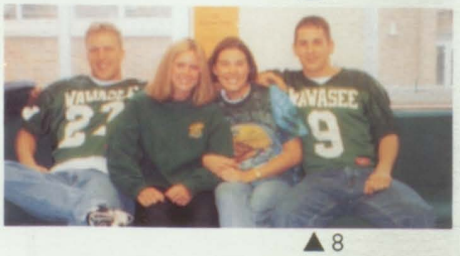
1. Shiloh Butler, is this cheerleading practice? 2. Amber Baker, John Fussle, and Chauncey Wiggs talk during their lunch. 3. Amanda Current loves school lunch! 4. Dina Coverstone tries to study while Brad Brown interrupts her. 5. Roz Chamberlin takes biology notes.6. Dina Coverstone studies for calculus. 7. Sarah Hartley and Erin Griffith love to be in the library. 8. Luke Matz, Tracey Gradle, Kassie Biddle, and Aaron McFarland enjoy the alcove.



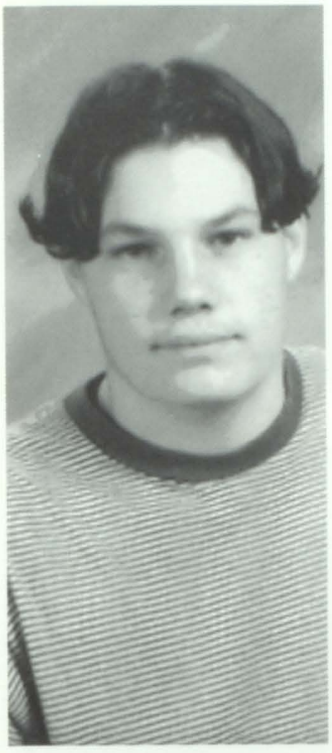
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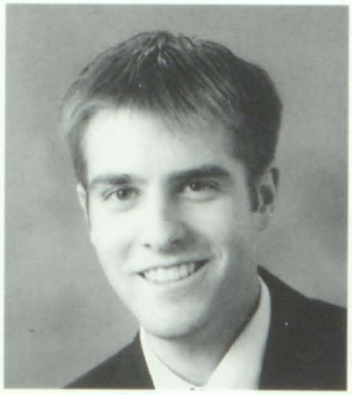
Going to heaven!
I don't know when,
Pray do not ask me how,-
Indeed, I'm too astonished
To think of answering you!
Going to heaven!-
How dim it sounds!-
And yet it will be done
As sure as flocks go home at night
Unto the shepard's arm!

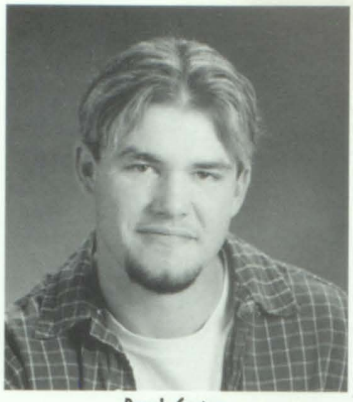
Perhaps you're going too!
Who knows?
If you should get there first,
Save just a place for me
Close to the two I lost!
The smallest "robe" will fit me,
And just a bit of "crown;"
For you know we do not mind our dress
When we are going home.

Emily Dickinson

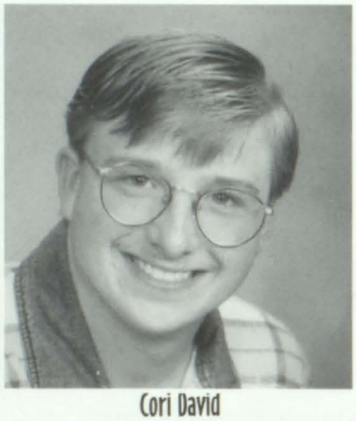

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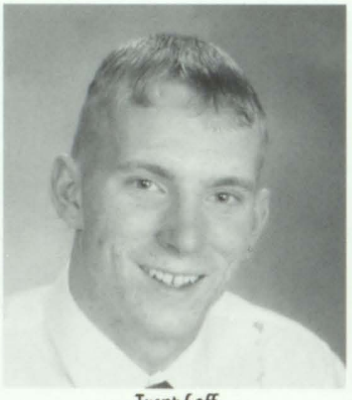

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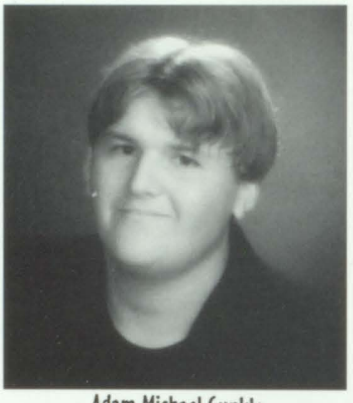

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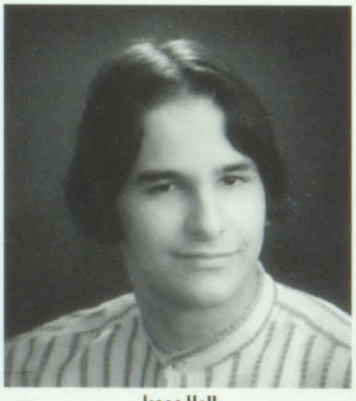

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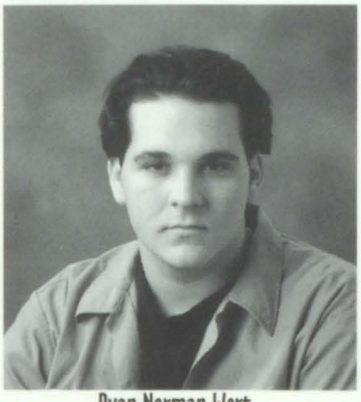

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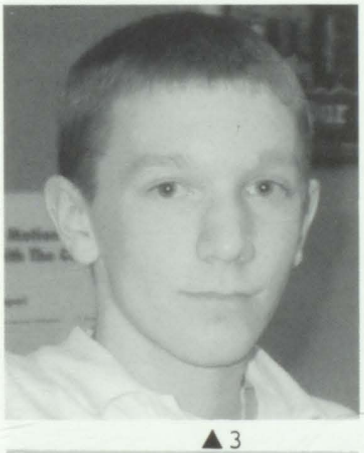

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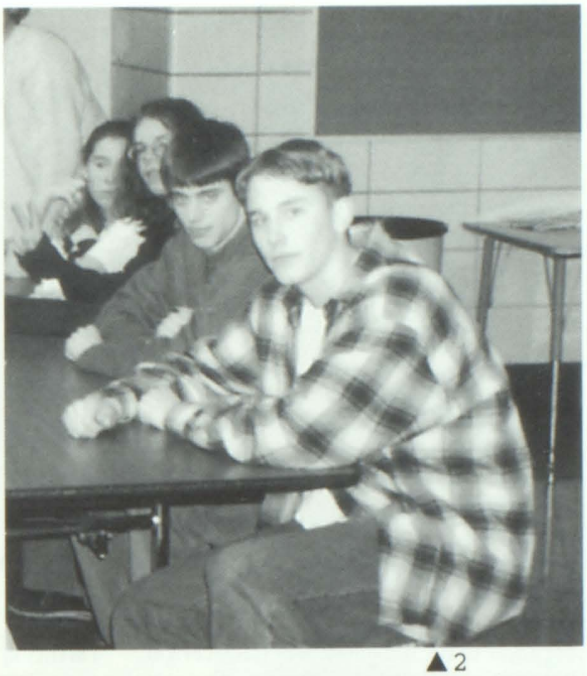
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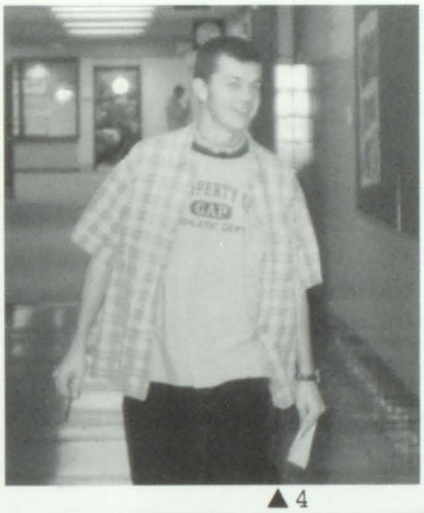
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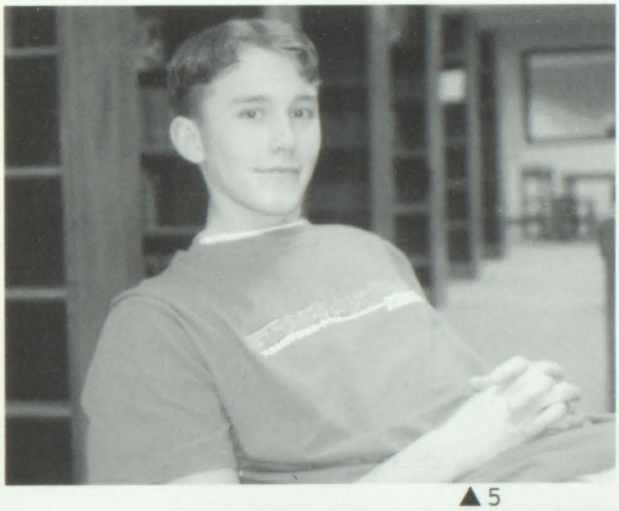
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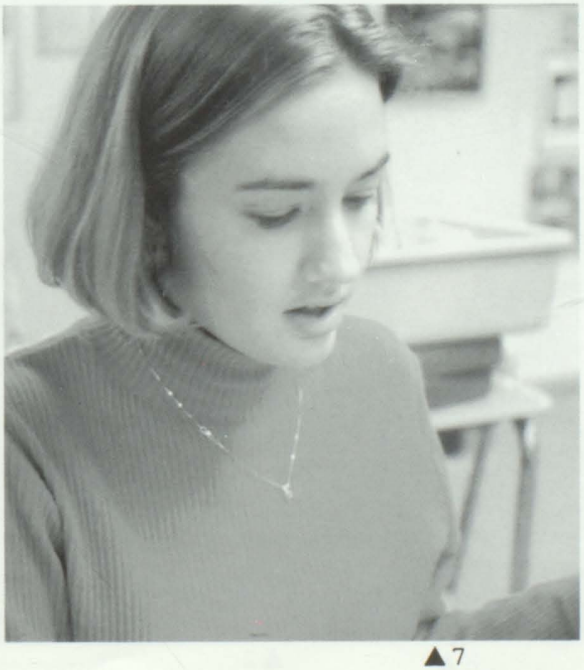
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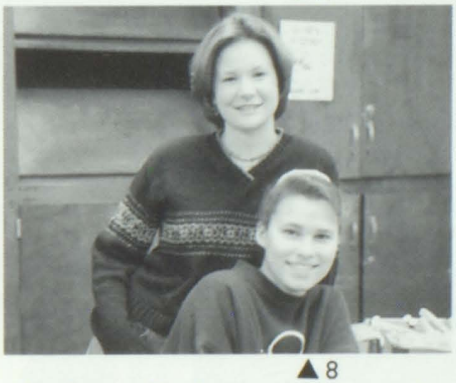
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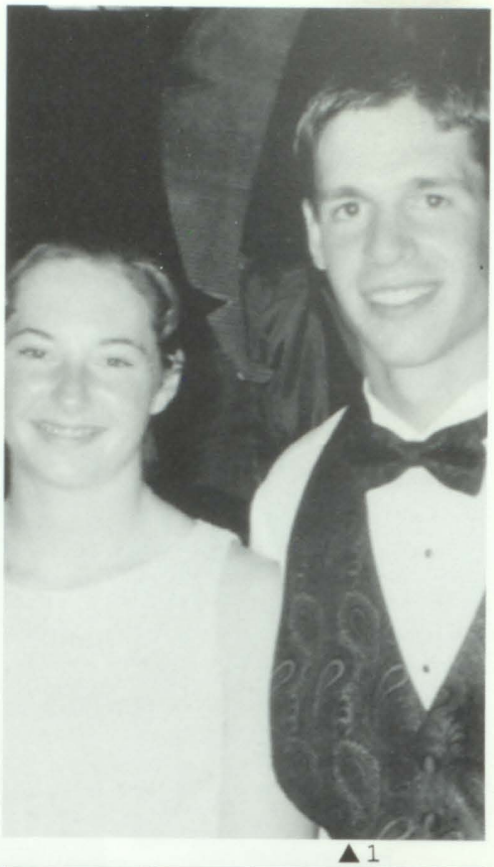


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1. Darcy Replogle and Dina Coverstone enjoy their time together. 2. Ryan Hilgenberg is not very enthusiastic about lunch. 3. Ryan Perzanowski is thinking deeply. 4. John Hulley is messing around in the halls. 5. Ryan Hilgenberg relaxes in the LRC.. 6. Mary Cockburn and Tracey Gradle are very happy. 7. Sarah Korenstra is thinking too hard. 8. Cara Belcher and Amy Gingerich are enjoying their HIT time.

Making memorable moments

The Senior prom was huge a success with attendance at an all time high of 301 dancers. The prom committee worked hard to come up with the theme of "Life's a Dance." The president of the committee was Mark Lavigne, the one who produced the idea. All of the committee worked hard on the morning of prom to set up and prepare for the evening. Prom was held in Goshen at Greencroft Center on May 16 from 9:00-12:00 P.M. A few of the activities that took place at prom were the announcements of couples upon arrival; the toast, given by class president Karen Shipley; the garter ceremony; and the crowning of the king and queen. The king and queen were voted on by the seniors only, and Scott Ousley and Kari Wortinger were chosen. The parents were also a big help in the creation of prom. Parents of some of the seniors provided valet parking at the dance and also planned after prom activities. After prom had a good turn out also. Some of the activities at after prom were a DJ, lots of food, basketball, volleyball, and the ever famous hypnotist. Parents also sponsored a bus trip to Cedar Point on Sunday for the seniors. It appeared to the sponsors that the class of 1998 was very enthusiastic about prom and all of the activities.



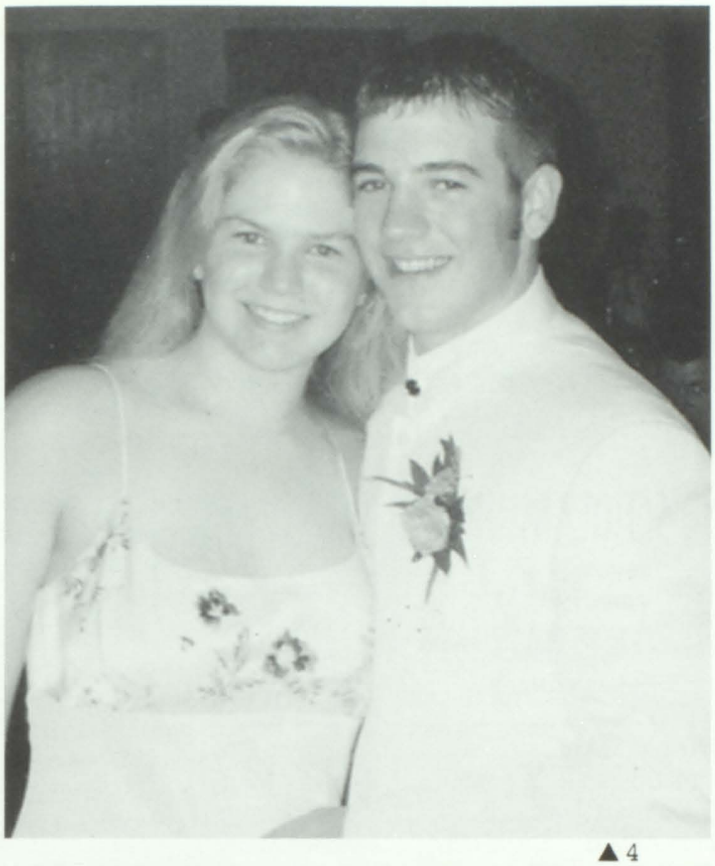
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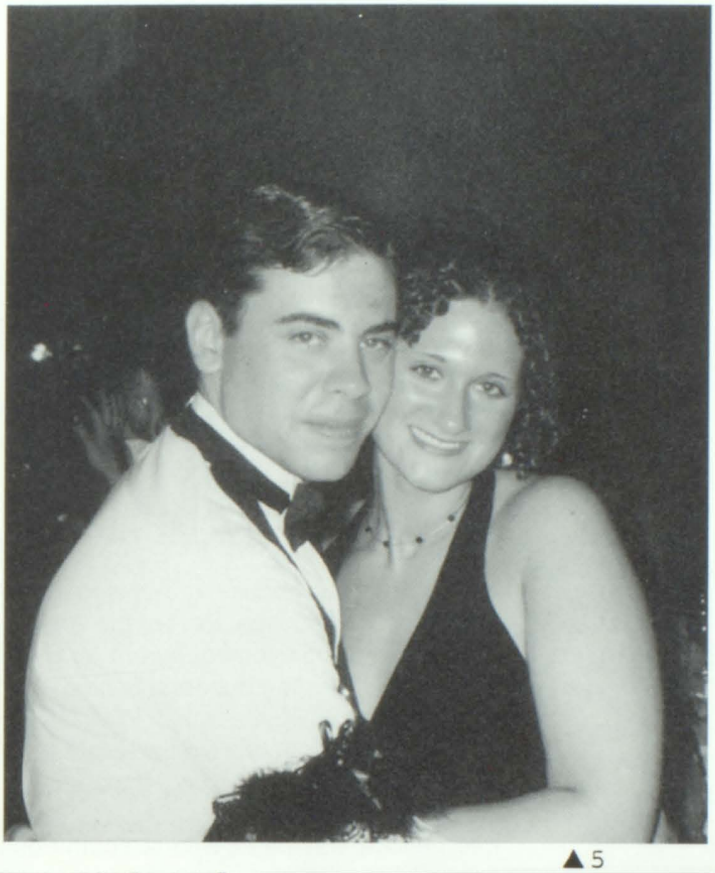
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1. Jeff Beer and Katie Brown have a good time together at prom. 2. Kara Mathew, Bud Losee, and John Heckaman take a break from dancing. 3. Garry Tom and Jessica Weaver dance the night away. 4. Rachel Spiegel and Robert Phillips get ready to gyrate on the dance floor at the prom. 5. Ah, what a cute couple Ben Hess and Christy McGowen are. 6. Prom King and Queen are Scott Ousley and Kari Wortinger. 7. Steve Ummel and his date Kristi Brandon enjoy some punch at their table .

HONORS AND AWARDS

DEPARTMENT AWARDS

Agriculture.....Garry Tom
Art .....Kristi Martin
Business.....Sonya Beer
Music.....Taia Pletcher
Boys' Physical Education.....Jason Carr
Girls' Physical Education.....Breann Koher
Industrial Technology.....Nick Vanlaningham

Language Arts.....Karissa Evans.....Alicia Prater
Social Studies.....Shelley Phoun
Mathematics.....Travis Coy
Science .....Travis Coy
Foreign Language, French.....Cliff Schwartz
Foreign Language, German.....Stephanie Wong
Foreign Language, Spanish.....Rosalyn Chamberlin

SPECIAL AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

Senior Athletic Scholarship Achievement Award.....Travis Coy.....Kari Wortinger
Wawasee High School Best of the Art Show Award.....Scott Bryan
Outstanding Achievement Award for Excellence in Mathematics.....Joe Baumgartner
Marilynne J. Curtis Founder's Scholarship.....Karissa Evans.....Amber Thomas
First Federal Savings Bank of Wabash Citizenship Award.....Karissa Evans
Wendy's High School Heisman State Finalist Award.....Travis Coy
Michael Johnson Memorial Scholarship.....Chris Boyts.....Jennifer Marty
.....Josh McClintic.....Cliff Schwartz
International Palace Of Sports Youth Foundation Award.....Chris Boyts....Jennifer Marty
.....Chris Kozon.....Amber Thomas
Selma McKrill Brown Educational Trust.....Shane Beer...Stephanie Bess...Chris Boyts
.....Ryan Carrington...Travis Coy...Karissa Evans...Alicia Holterman
.....Rachel Hurd...Russell E. Johnson...Chris Kozon...Sarah LeCount...Scott Ousley
.....Seth Scantlen...Robert Schlipf...Karen Shipley...Mary Sholtey...Kim Troup
.....Peter Wagoner...Stephanie Wong
Warrior and Lady Warrior - Athlete of the Year.....Scott Ousley.....Lydia Carpenter
Charles W. Hursh Family Scholarship in Memory of Joseph M. Zeichner.....Alicia Prater
.....Stephanie Bess
Chore-Time Brock Scholarship.....Stephanie Bess...Melissa May...Peter Wagoner
.....Jay Haugh...Lindsay Schwartz...Andrew Jones...Darcy Replogle...Seth Scantlen
.....Christy McGowen...Mary Sholtey
Syracuse Elementary PTO Scholarship.....Chris Boyts
Syracuse Business & Professional Women Scholarship.....Kari Knisely
North Webster American Legion Auxiliary Scholarship.....Lydia Carpenter
.....Lindsay Schwartz.....Rachel Spiegel
Lakeland Kiwanis International Career Award.....Shelley Phoun...Andrew Jones
Lakeland Eagles Thornburg Scholarship.....Sarah Schwartz
Dr. June Reed Memorial Nursing Scholarship.....Carly Janacek
Thomas & Anne Marie Walters Scholarship.....Alicia Prater
B. Franklin & Eleanor M. Ringle Scholarship.....Robert Schlipf
Cecil Armstrong Foundation Scholarship.....Ryan Carrington
.....Mary Sholtey...Steven Ummel
Milford Kiwanis Scholarship.....Andrew Jones...Amber Thomas
Wawasee Kiwanis Scholarship.....Cliff Schwartz...Jared Mahnensmith
Kosciusko Endowment Youth Services Award.....Stephanie Wong...Rusty Van Lue
Psi Iota Xi Sorority Karen Parr Scholarship.....Lindsay Schwartz
Kosciusko Board of Realtors Scholarship.....Seth Scantlen
Rotary of Syracuse/Wawasee Auto Mechanics Scholarship.....Randy Rucker
.....Matt McDonald

Group Dekko Scholarship Award.....Melisa Klinger
.....Brad Swope...Heather Long
Phi Delta Kappa Scholarship.....Taia Pletcher
Wawasee Kiwanis C. Molder Scholarship..Andrew Jones
American Legion Post 223.....Josh McClintic
Syracuse-Wawasee Garden Club.....Matt Grady
.....Brian Warren...Jon Mock
R. & L. Frantz Scholarship.....Rob Schlipf...Marie Barrett
Ruth Ladd Medical Scholarship.....Amber Thomas
IU Latino Scholar Award..Alisha Henderson...Liseth Ortiz
.....Alexander Hernandez...Lilia Martinez...April Salazar
.....Kalina Salazar
Math Contest Award.....Glenn Strycker
Karen Wiggs Drudge Memorial.....Jaime Conn
National Merit Commended Student.....Rob Schlipf
D.A.R. Award.....Karissa Evans
Milford P.T.O. Scholarship.....Jeff Beer...Kim Troup
WMS PTO Scholarship.....Alicia Prater...Rich Lemberg
Hoosier Scholars.....Travis Coy...Kari Wortinger
Knights of Columbus.....Chris Kozon
Dana Corp. Scholarship...Brad Andrews...Peter Wagoner
Gasaway Scholarship.....Stephanie Bess...Alicia Prater
.....Scott Frantz...Rachelle Freeman...Ryan Carrington
Wawasee Building Trades.....Adam Jarrett...Ron Rucker
Wawasee Wrestling Club Award.....Jason Carr
Principal's Leadership Award.....Alicia Prater
Psi Iota Xi Sorority Fine Arts.....Amber Thomas

Milford Lion's Club Scholarship .....Amy Gingerich
WCEA Teachers' Scholarship.....Kara Mathew
McDonald's Scholarship.....Dina Coverstone
Women of Today.....Jennifer Marty
Lakeland Eagles Forrest Plank Scholarship.....Kim Troup
Jason Mitz Memorial.....Andrew Jones
Group Dekko Teacher Awards.....Nance Bruce
.....Cindy Bryan...Dave Stookey
Copyrite/Ikon Scholarship.....Shane Beer...Chris Kozon
.....Kari Knisely...Shelley Phoun...Alicia Prater
Sprint Scholarship.....Randy Rucker
North Webster Lioness Scholarship.....Amanda Dull
Altrusa Club of Warsaw.....Alicia Prater...Shelley Phoun
A. Dahlstrom Memorial Scholarship..Hannah Rensberger
Philip K. Fawley Scholarship.....Kara Mathew
Wilson - Rhodes Memorial Scholarship.....Shelley Phoun
Tri Kappa Scholarship.....Chris Boyts...Shelley Phoun
.....Alicia Prater
Archibald Baumgartner Scholarship.....Abby Bultemeier
Dr. M.L.King Academic Excellence.....Shelley Phoun
National FFA Scholarship.....Jeff Beer...Rob Schlipf
David & Dovetta Wilson Scholarship.....Chris Boyts
South Bend Tribune Best Staffer Award.....Jaxon Swain
Legend Most Valuable Staff Member.....Kara Mathew
Ralph Thornburg Family Scholarship.....Shiloh Butler
North Webster PTO Scholarship.....Russell E. Johnson
Karen Parr Memorial Scholarship.....Daniel Cone

HONORS DIPLOMA

Vanessa Amburgy
Carissa Bailey
Joe Baumgartner
Stephanie Bess
Kassidy Biddle
Brad Brown
Shiloh Butler
Chad Campbell
Ryan Carrington
Rosalyn Chamberlin
Mary Cockburn
Daniel Cone
Dina Coverstone
Travis Coy
Amanda Dull
Karissa Evans
Scott Frantz
Rachelle Freeman
Leigh Anne Gerber
Tracey Gradle
Carrie Grothaus
Jay Haugh
Alicia Holterman
Rachel Hurd
Russell E. Johnson
Ryan Johnson
Travis Johnson
Melisa Klinger
Kari Knisely
Breann Koher
Jared Mahnensmith
Jennifer Marty
Kara Mathew
Christy McGowen
Kyle Metcalf
Tara Niles
Taia Pletcher
Latisha Powell
Alicia Prater
Elizabeth Rehling
Darcy Replogle
Zachary Sand
Rob Schlipf
Cliff Schwartz
Lindsay Schwartz
Sarah Schwartz
Mary Sholtey
Amber Thomas
Steven Ummel
Andrea Van Cleave
Nick Vanlaningham
Rusty Van Lue
Peter Wagoner
Randy Watts
Stephanie Wong
Kari Wortinger
Kyle Wurtzel

ACADEMIC HALL OF FAME

Vanessa Amburgy
Carissa Bailey
Joe Baumgartner
Jeff Beer
Marc Beer
Shane Beer
Sonya Beer
Stephanie Bess
Kassidy Biddle
Bradley Brown
Ryan Carrington
Rosalyn Chamberlin
Mary Cockburn
Dina Coverstone
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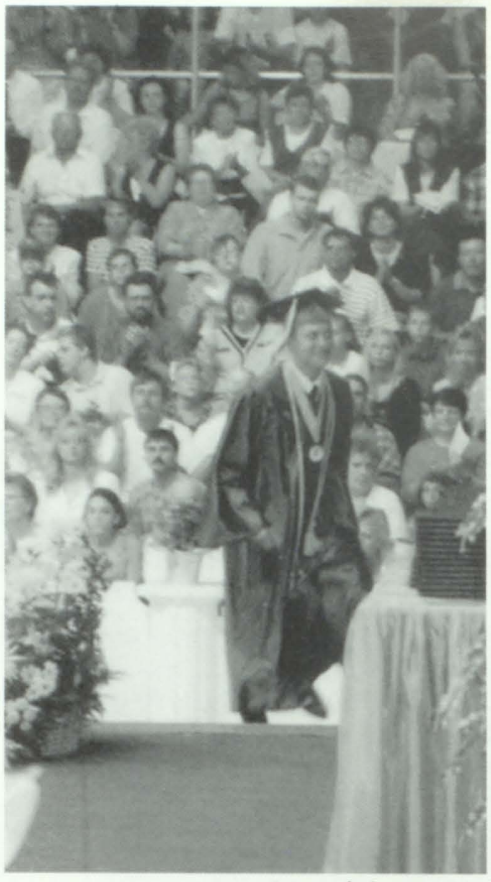
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Beginning new journeys

Even though it was an incredibly hot and humid day, everyone survived. After the welcome was given by Mr. Mark Stock, superintendent, and senior class president Karen Shipley, the seniors marched into the gym to the traditional "Pomp and Circumstance." Following the processional, Bud Losee gave the invocation. Salutatorian Kari Wortinger, introduced by Abby Bultemeier, and Travis Coy, valedictorian, introduced by Karen Shipley, then spoke. After a few remarks, Mr. Alan Frank, principal, handed out diplomas to 239 graduates and six certificates of attendance to the foreign exchange students as Mr. Dave Matz, vice-principal, read the names. The traditional candlelighting ceremony and benediction by Alicia Prater followed, and the new graduates marched out of the gym and into the real world.



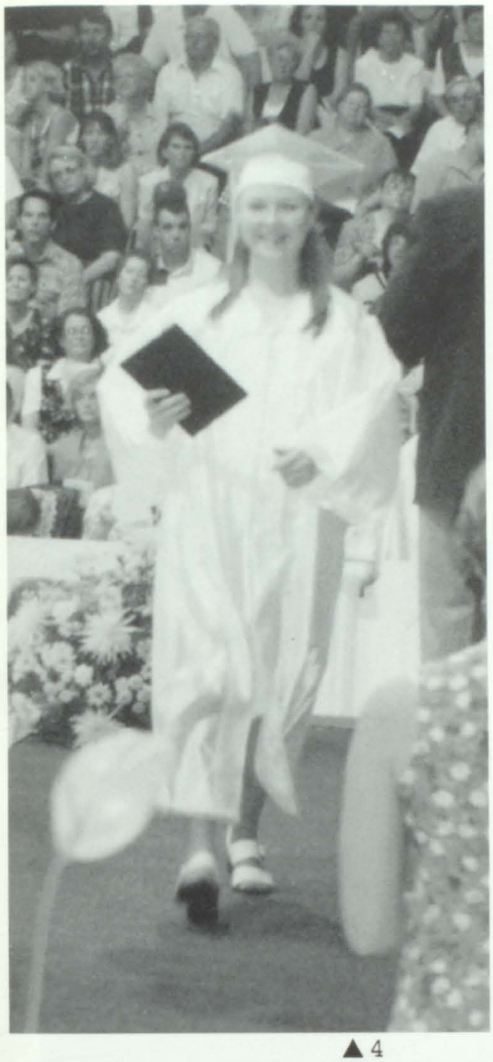
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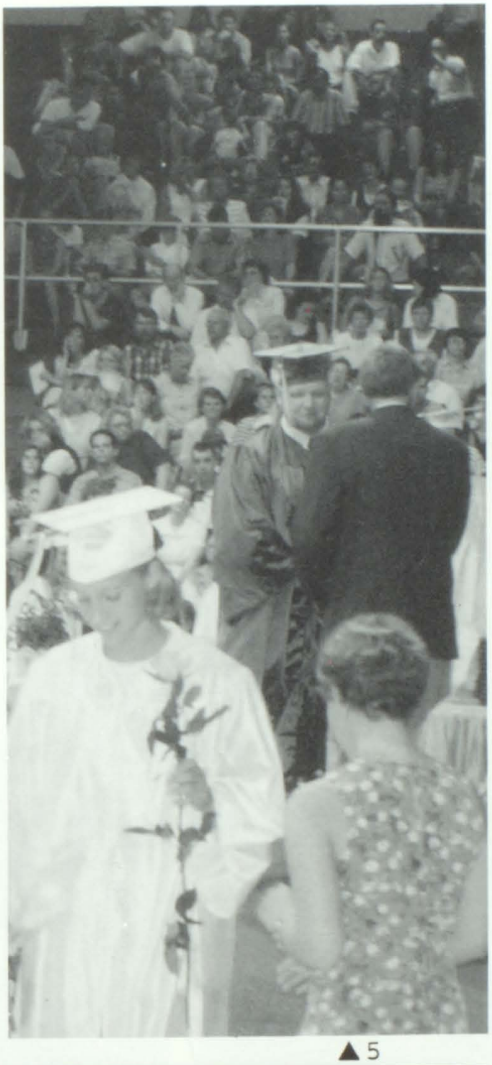
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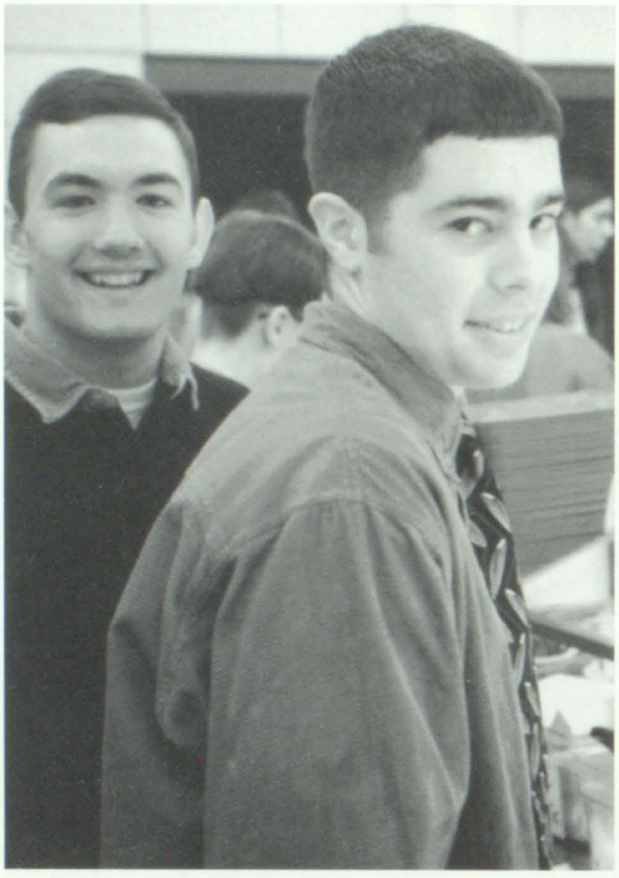


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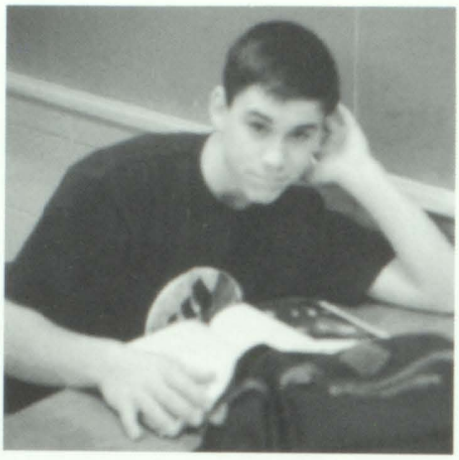


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1. Valedictorian Travis Coy prepares to speak. 2. The graduates toss their hats in celebration after the commencement exercises. 3. Salutatorian Kari Wortinger looks to the future as Mr. Stock and Mr. Matz listen. 4. Tammy Avery is proud of her achievement. 5. Bud Losee shakes Mr. Frank's hand as Christa Olson leaves the platform. 6. Junior usher Jane Wamsley directs Niko Ioannou to his seat. 7. The front row listens attentively to Mr. Frank's remarks. 8. This group of graduates wonders if it is possible for it to get any hotter in the gym.



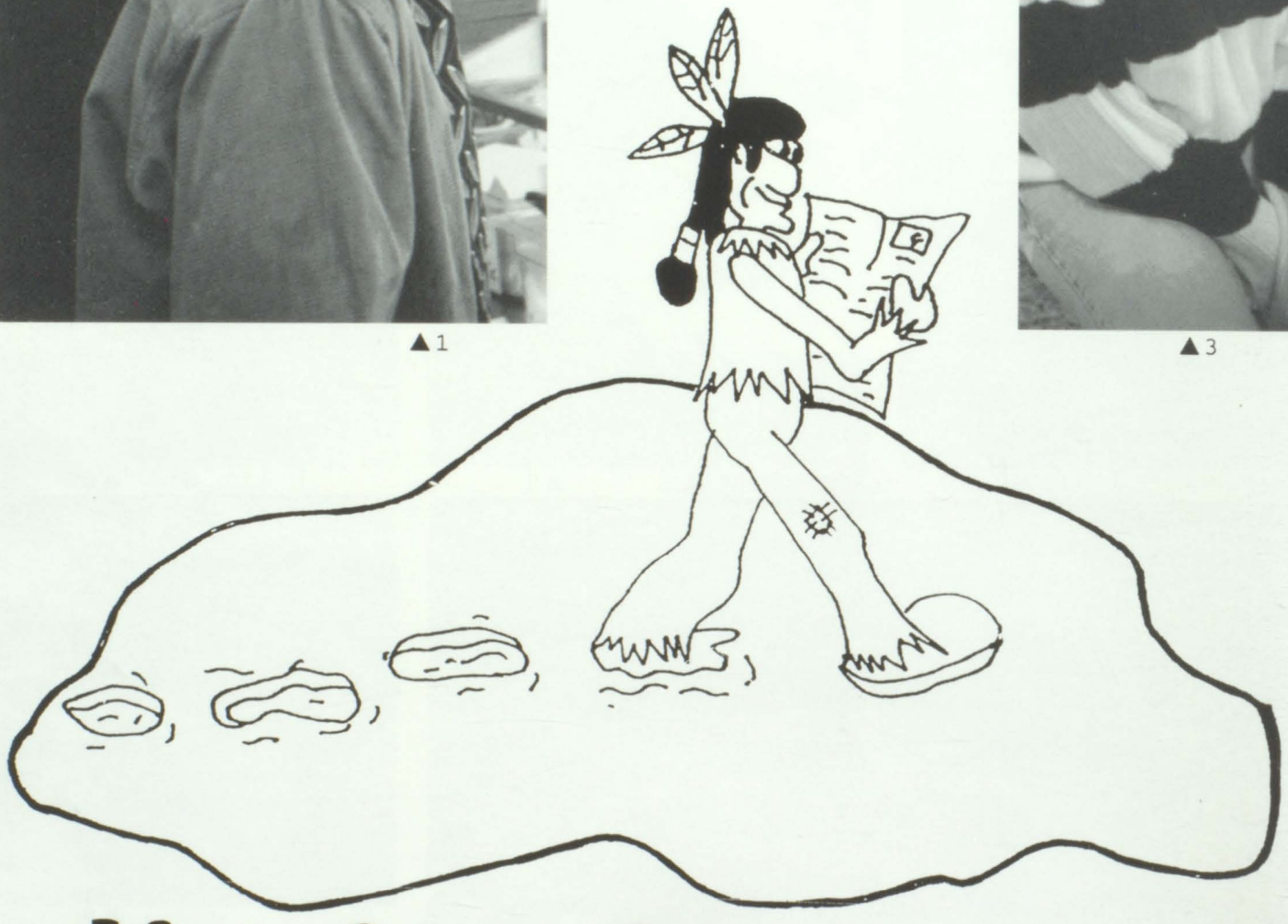
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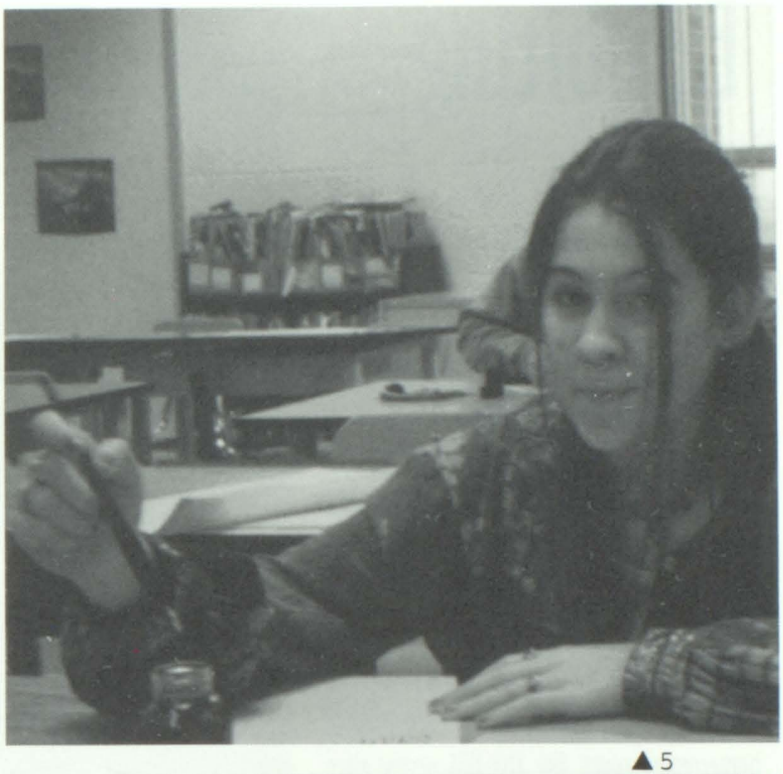
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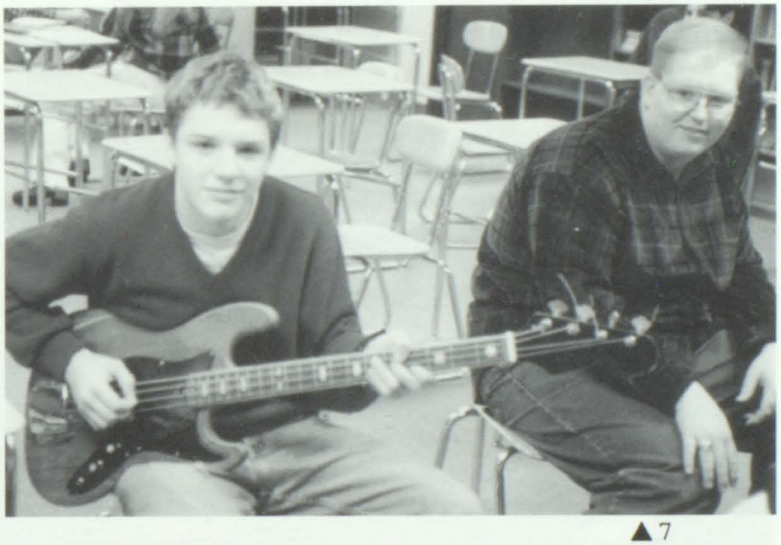
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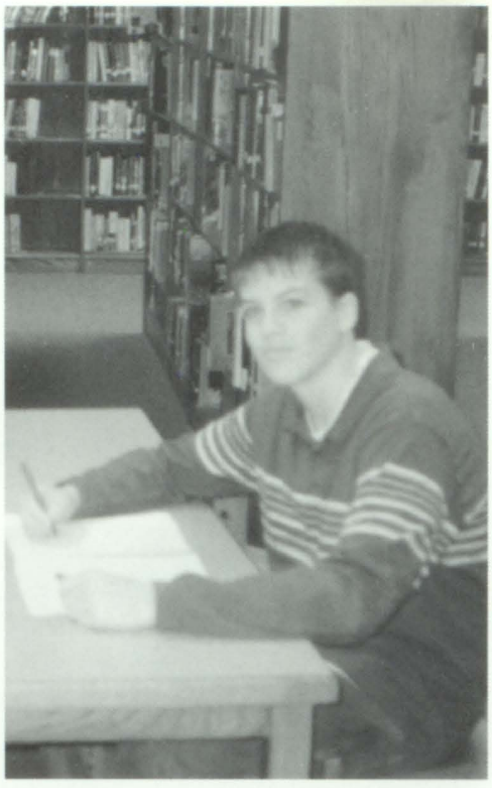


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1. Sam Korenstra and Paul Gilliam are excited to eat a school lunch. 2. Dustin Martin enjoys his HIT period. 3. Jennifer Harwood looks happy to be in school. 4. Chad Wortinger thinks that he is all that and more. 5. Kassi Kindlesparker has fun doing calligraphy in art. 6. Jessica Marshall and Dena Harter love each other's company. 7. J.J. Evans has a good time entertaining Mark Jackson with his guitar. 8. Hayley VanLue, Katie Jones, and Kathryn Rehling gather in the hallway.

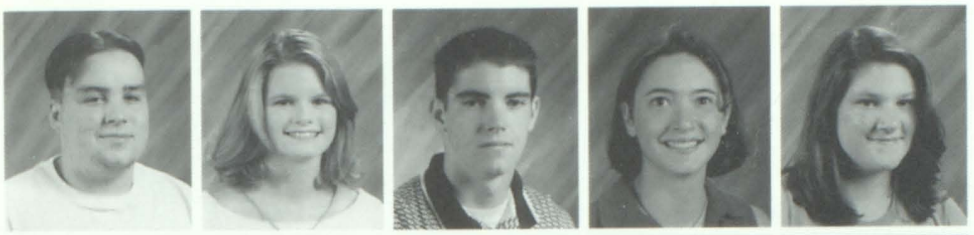
Exhibiting much liveliness

The juniors displayed loads of spirit. They crushed all the other grades in the homecoming festivities representing the decade of the 80's. A hilarious skit was performed at the talent show to bring in first place. The juniors also won the mural contest. Jeff Moerchen and Traci Speicher were the representatives on the junior homecoming court. For the NHS penny pitch competition they placed third with a respectable $571.46. In the fall, candy and other merchandise were sold. All of the proceeds went to prom and graduation funding for their senior year. Junior members of the SRC were as pictured below row 1: Andrew Thornburg, John Glon, and Traci Speicher; row 2: Stephanie Wihebrink, Michelle Lamb, secretary; Megan King, vice-president; Michael Oswald, treasurer; Jane Wamsley, president; Rebekah Neterer, and Heather Whiteman.



Patrick Price spends quality time in the LRC.

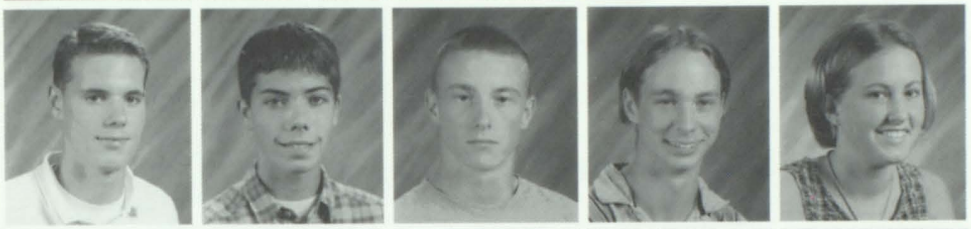




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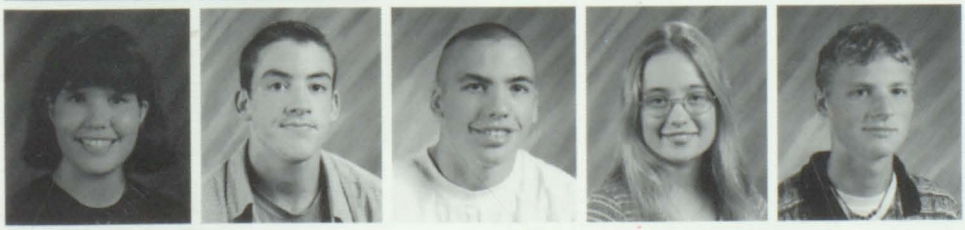
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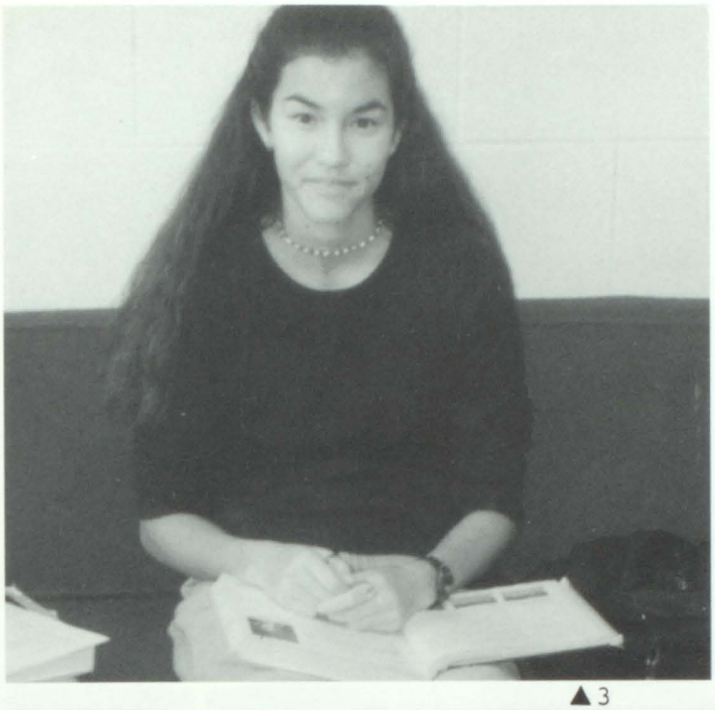


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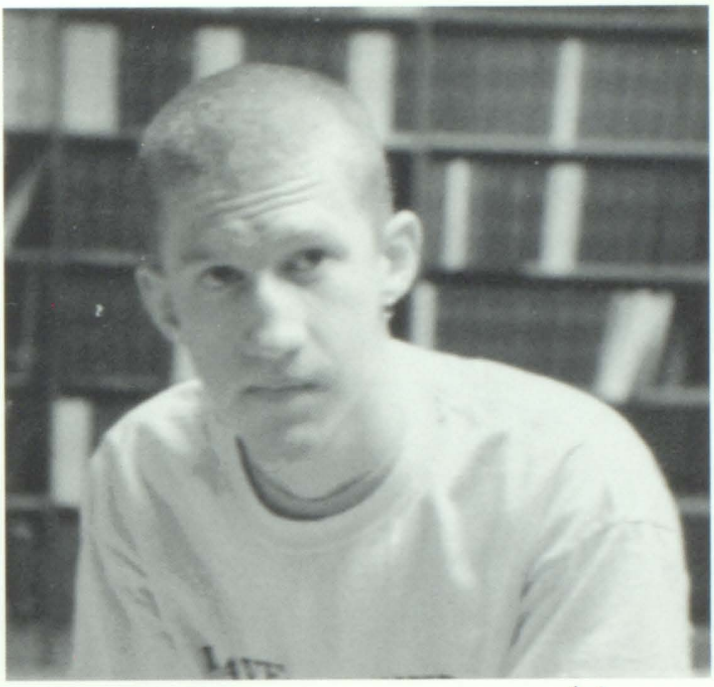
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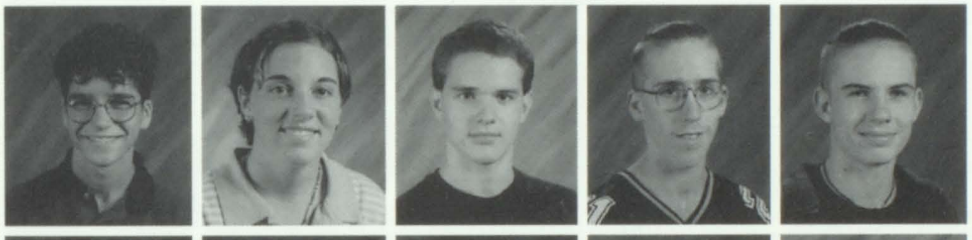
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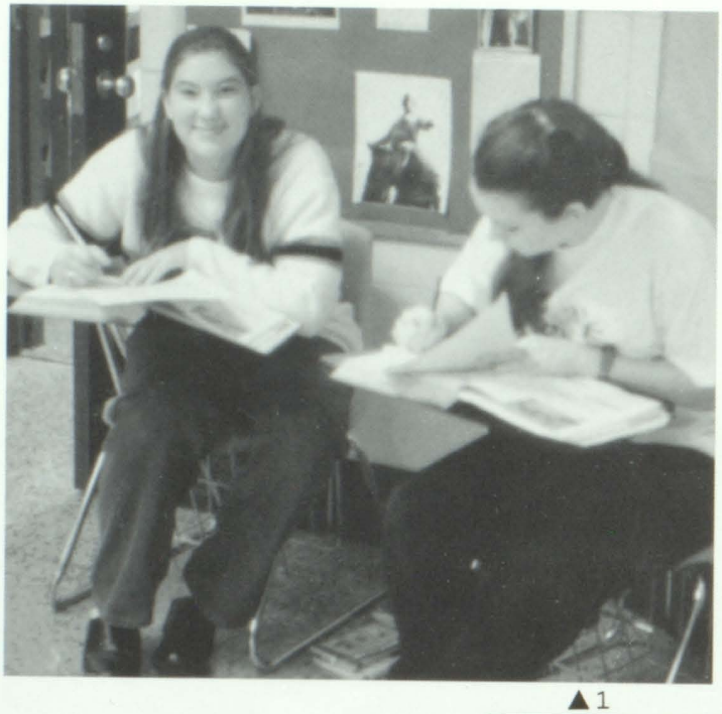
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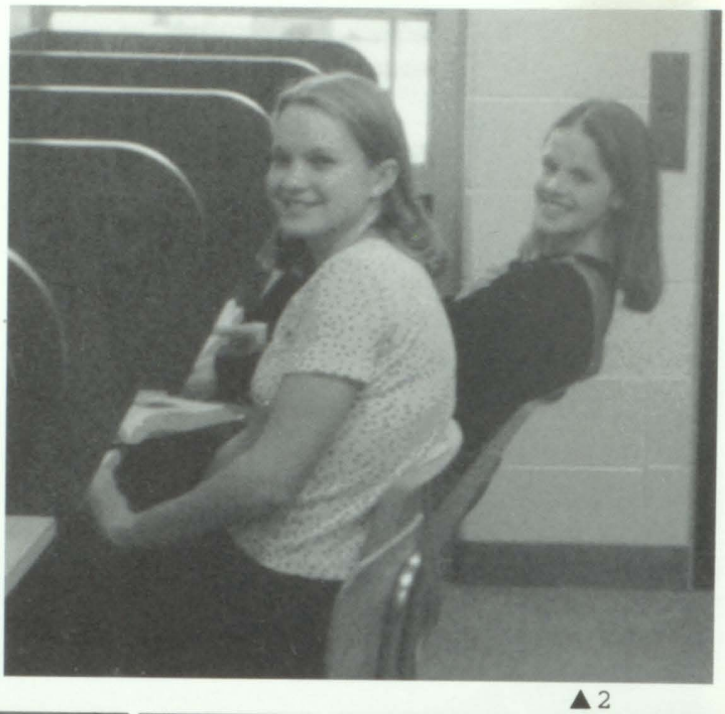
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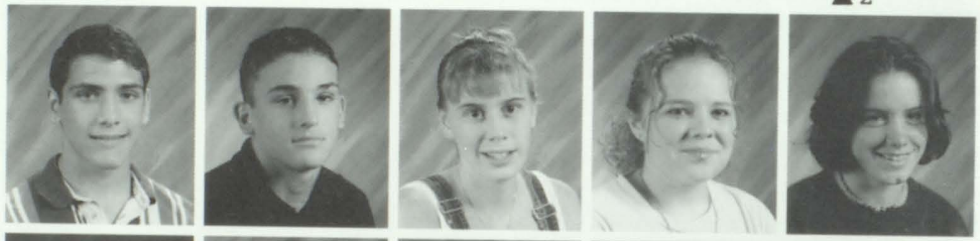


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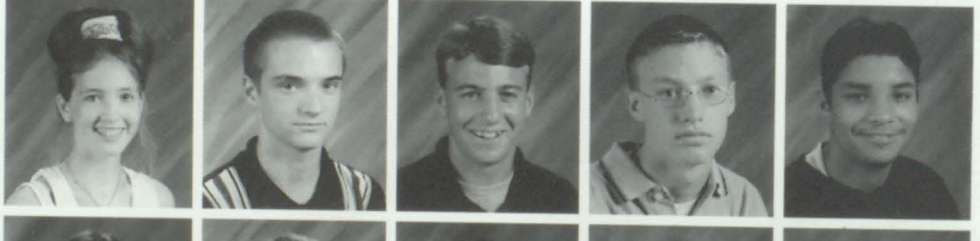
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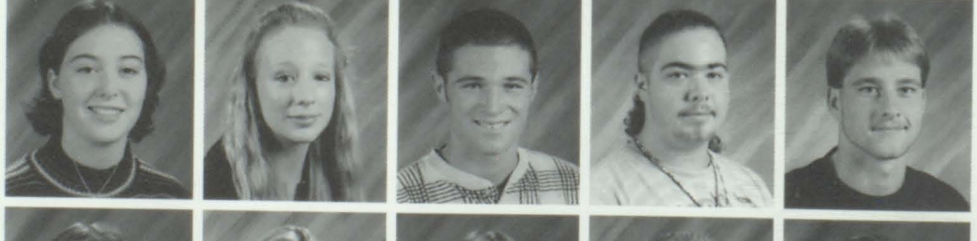
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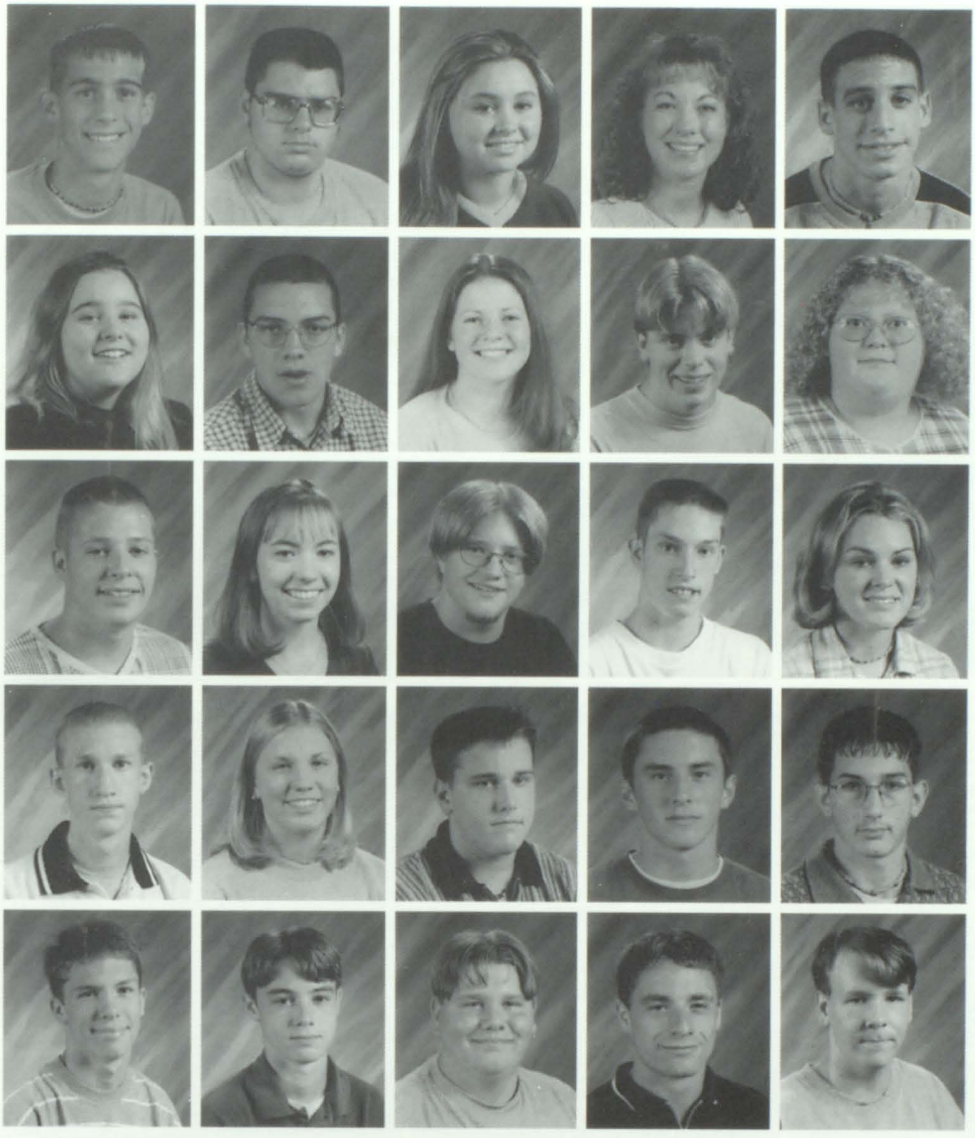
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1. Danielle Powell and Julia Neff do their homework outside the history rooms. 2. Do your math, Alison Morgan and Traci Speicher! 3. Kristi Brandon, Tamara Miller, and Cassandra Reed look up a question before a test. 4. Erica Bowser attempts to answer a history question.

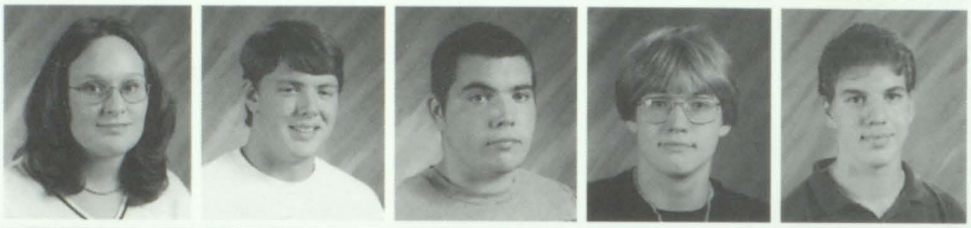
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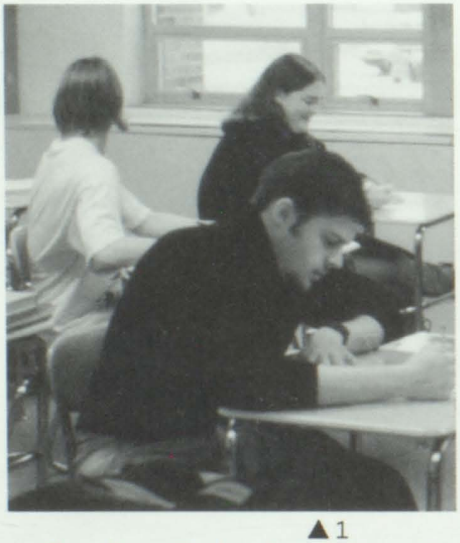


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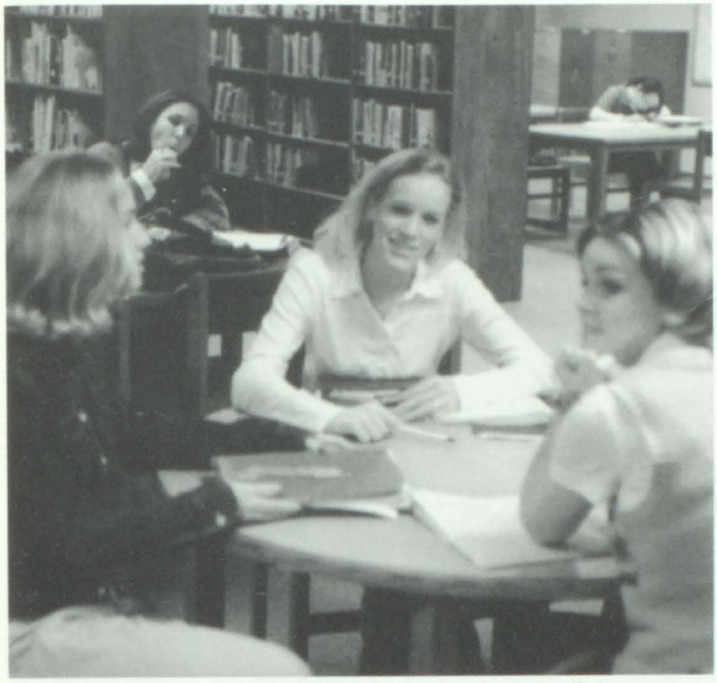


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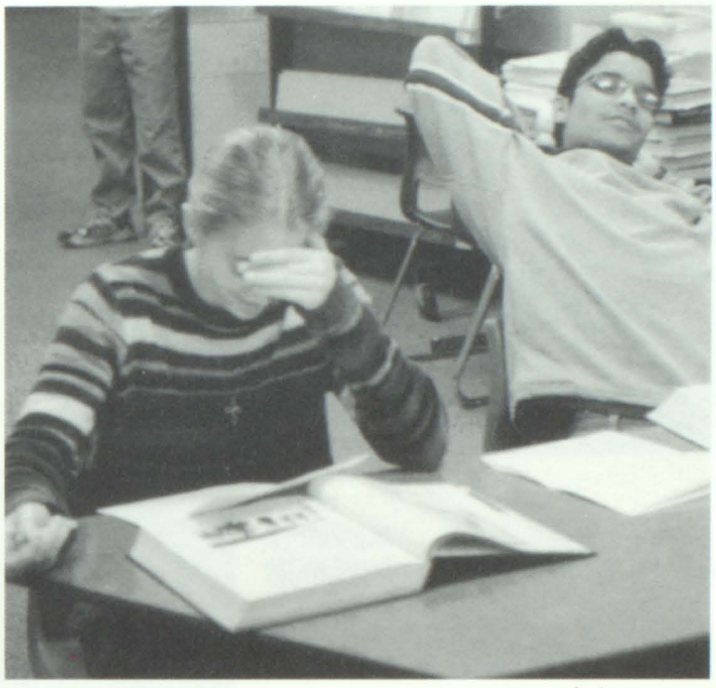


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1. Thomas Vanness diligently studies his English. 2. Kent Flannery, Jon Brock, and Steven Neibert triple -up for history. 3. Dena Harter, Jessica Marshall, and Heather Whiteman chat in the library. 4. David Jackson stretches during class while Janice Bokhart continues to study.



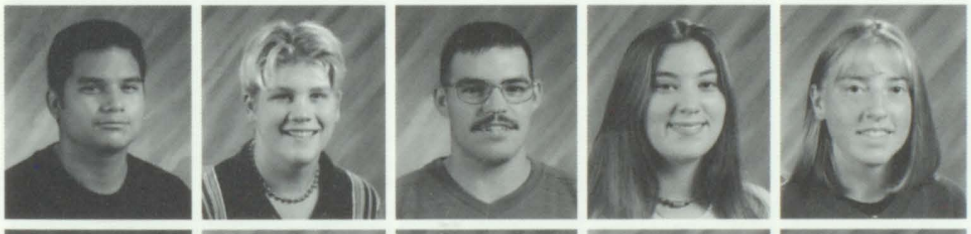
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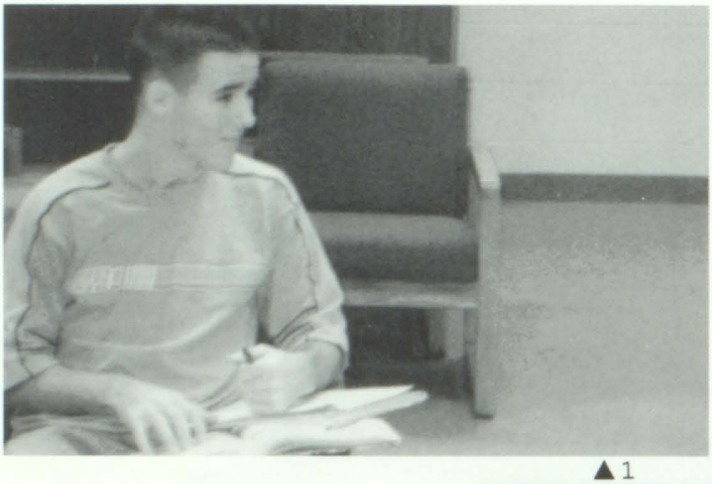
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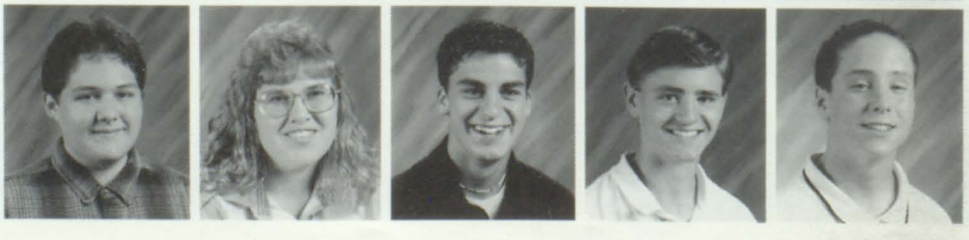
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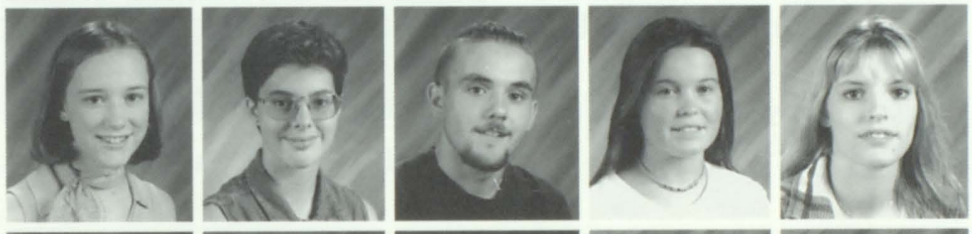
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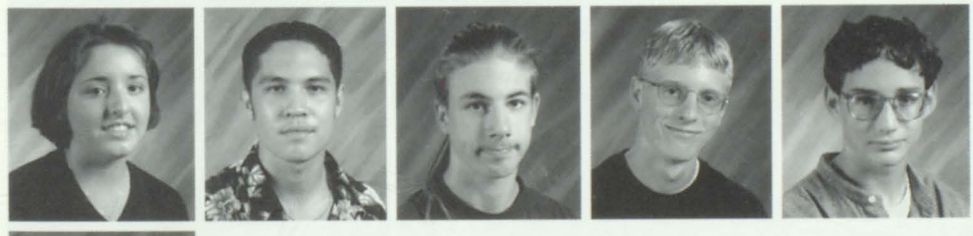
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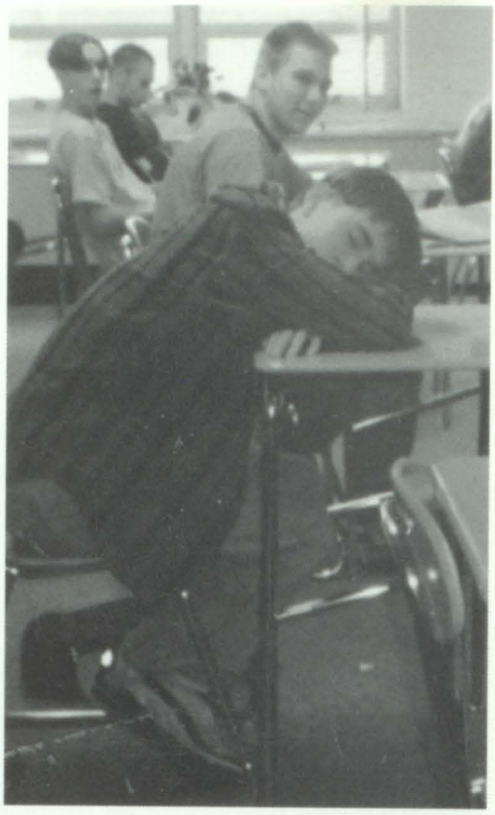


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1. Chet Wortinger looks for the answer. 2. Lanyng Saul yaks on the phone. 3. Angie Wiggs enjoys a break. 4. Surprise , Jane Wamsley!

Leaving their mark

The class of 2000 made their sophomore year a great one. They began the year with an outstanding performance in the homecoming competition. The talented participants gained first place recognition with their float and another first place in the powder puff games. Overall they received second in the activities. The sophomore class voted Angie Beer and Sam Korenstra as their representatives for the homecoming court. The sophomores also had an excellent performance in the penny pitch activities. All of them dug deep in their pockets to help out. The annual chicken barbecue in the spring helped to raise money for their anticipated senior activities. Everyone did his/her part and the barbecue was a success. Members of the student council below were row 1: Alisha Henderson, Laura Lundin, and Katie Jones, secretary; row 2: Sam Korenstra, president; Paul Gilliam, vice-president; and Scott Bryan, treasurer.

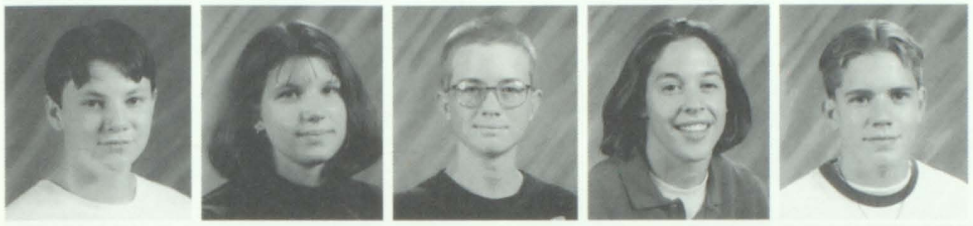


Jerid Stoffel takes a quick nap during class as Matt Binns looks on.





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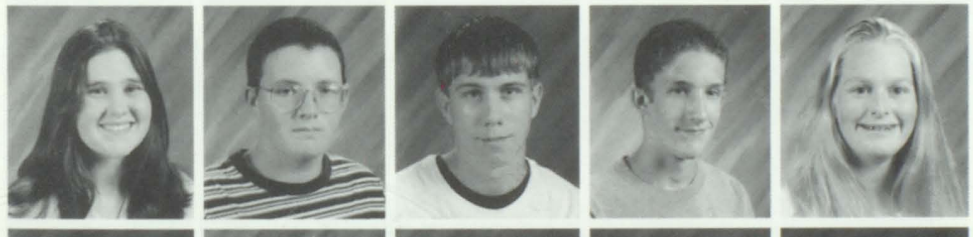
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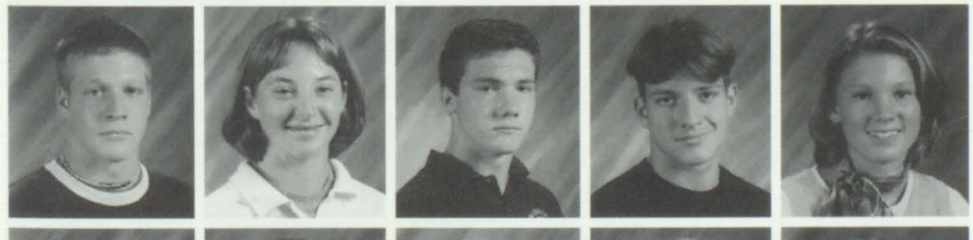
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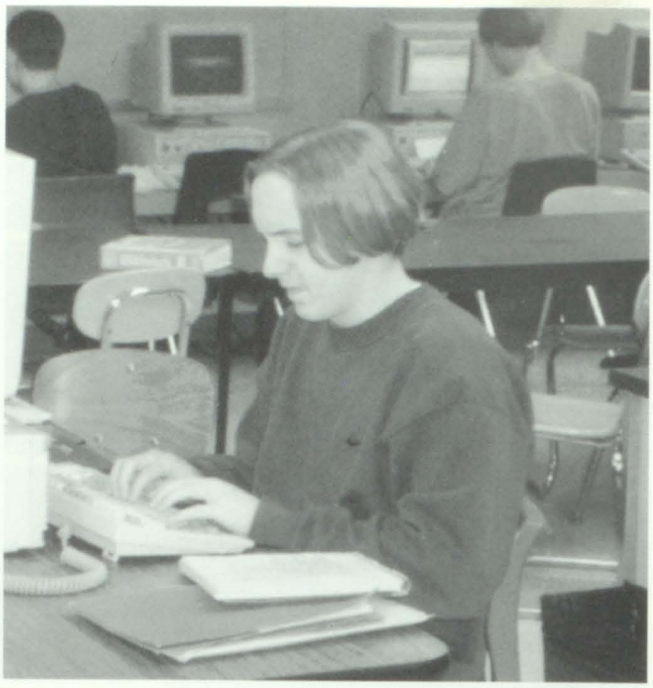


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Dana Campbell
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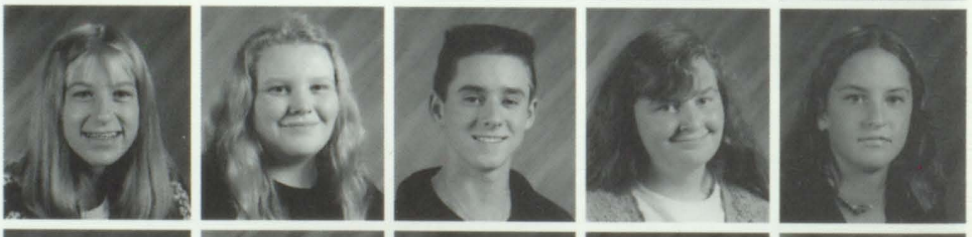
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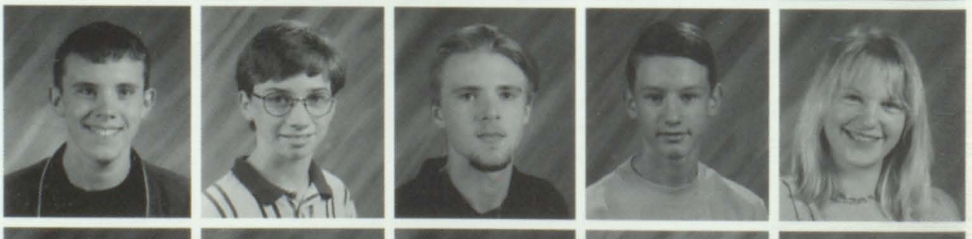
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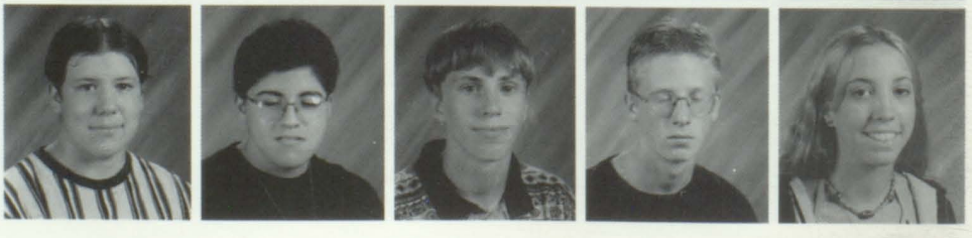
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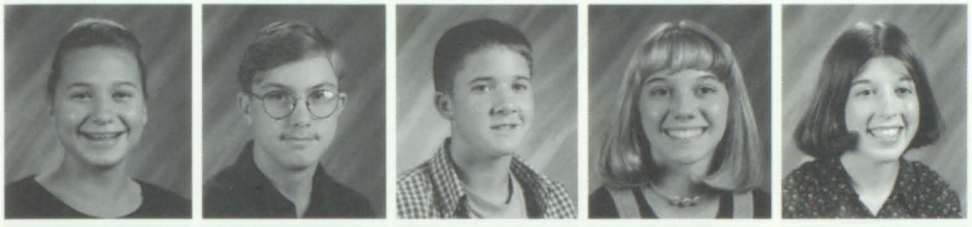




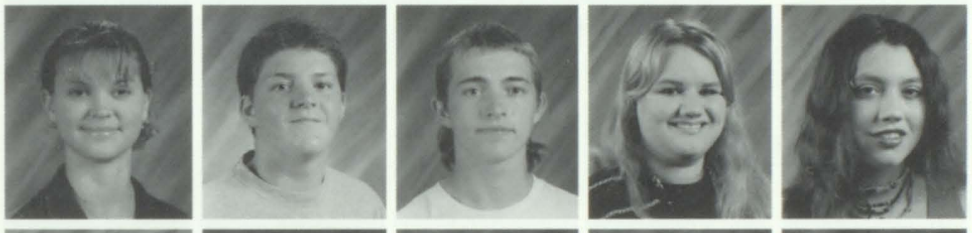
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Kristina Gibson
Eric Gillem
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Andrea Gingerich
Scott Good
Andrew Gradle
Cheryl Grady
Jenni Gunden



Lindsey Gunderson
Joshua Gunkel
Jodi Halsey
Sara Halsey
Jennifer Harwood



Josh Hecker
Ross Heil
Shane Heimann
Matthew Heincker
Dustin Heldenbrand



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1. Angie Beer and Sam Korenstra represent their class well for homecoming. 2. Greg Ummel works diligently on the computer. 3. Gennie Brissette, Betsy Leinbach, and Andrea Gingerich are all smiles. 4. Brenda Wong is dressed for success.

Alisha Henderson
Case Hensler
Amy Hickey
Colleen Hickey
Jeremy High

Kyle Hilgenberg
Chasity Hollingsworth
Lyndsay Hooley
Amber Hoover
Sara Hoover

Nathan Horn
Angie Houser
Keshia Hunt
Sarah Huntsman
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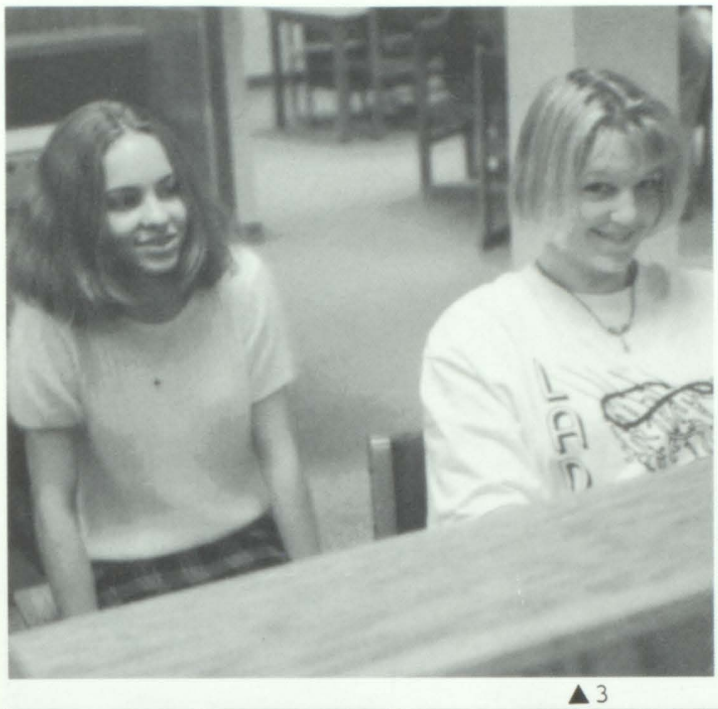


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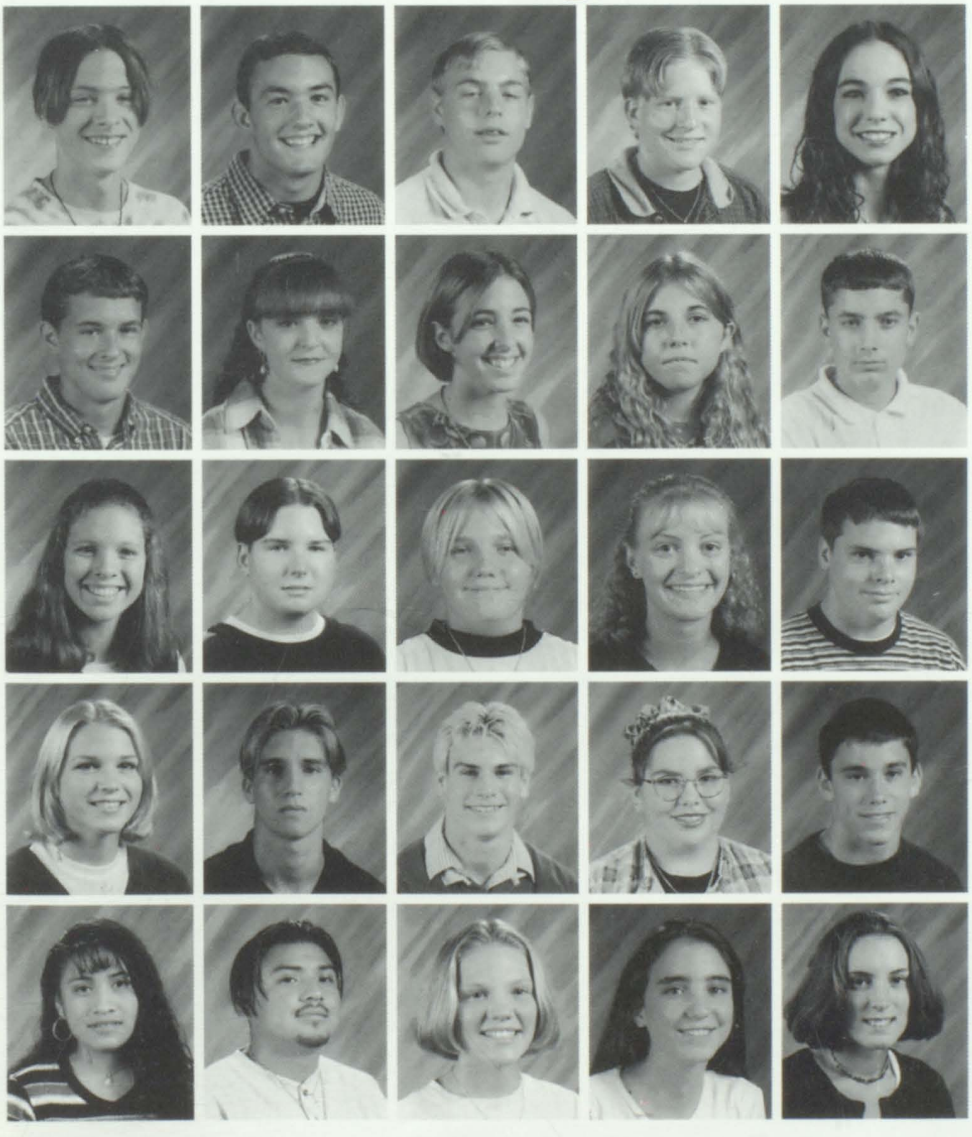
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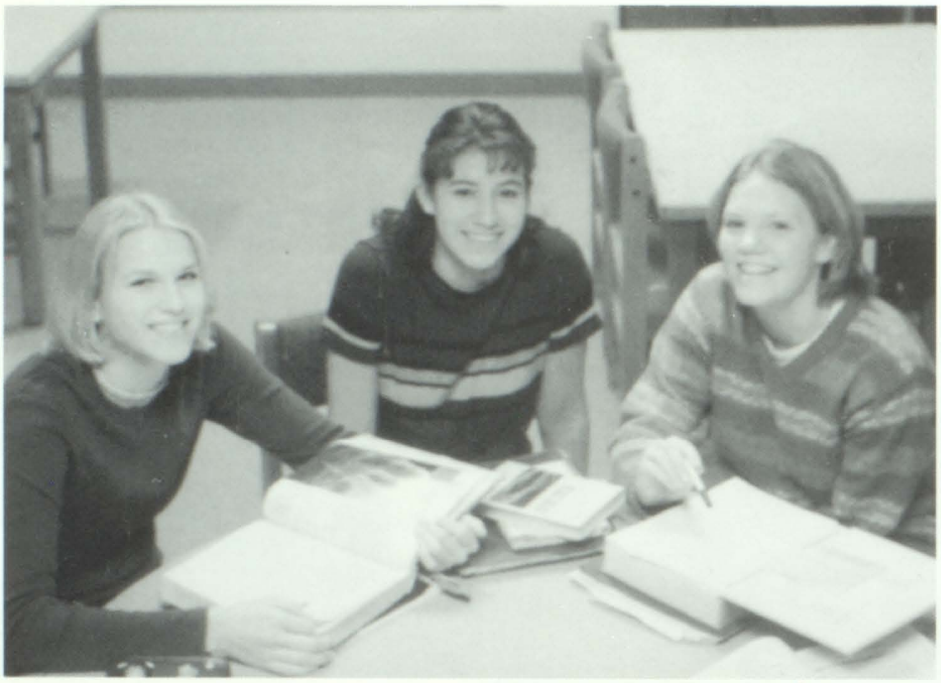
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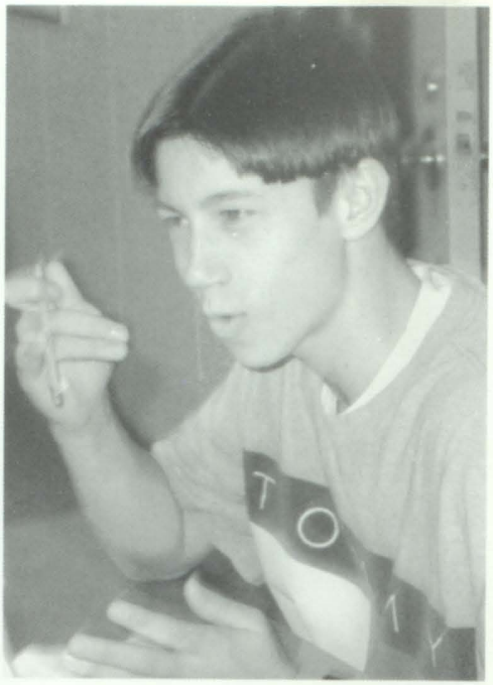
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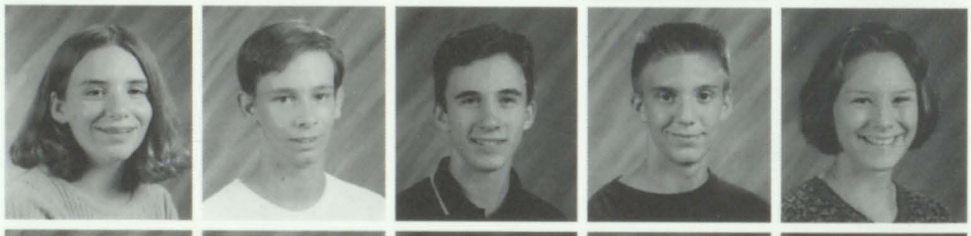


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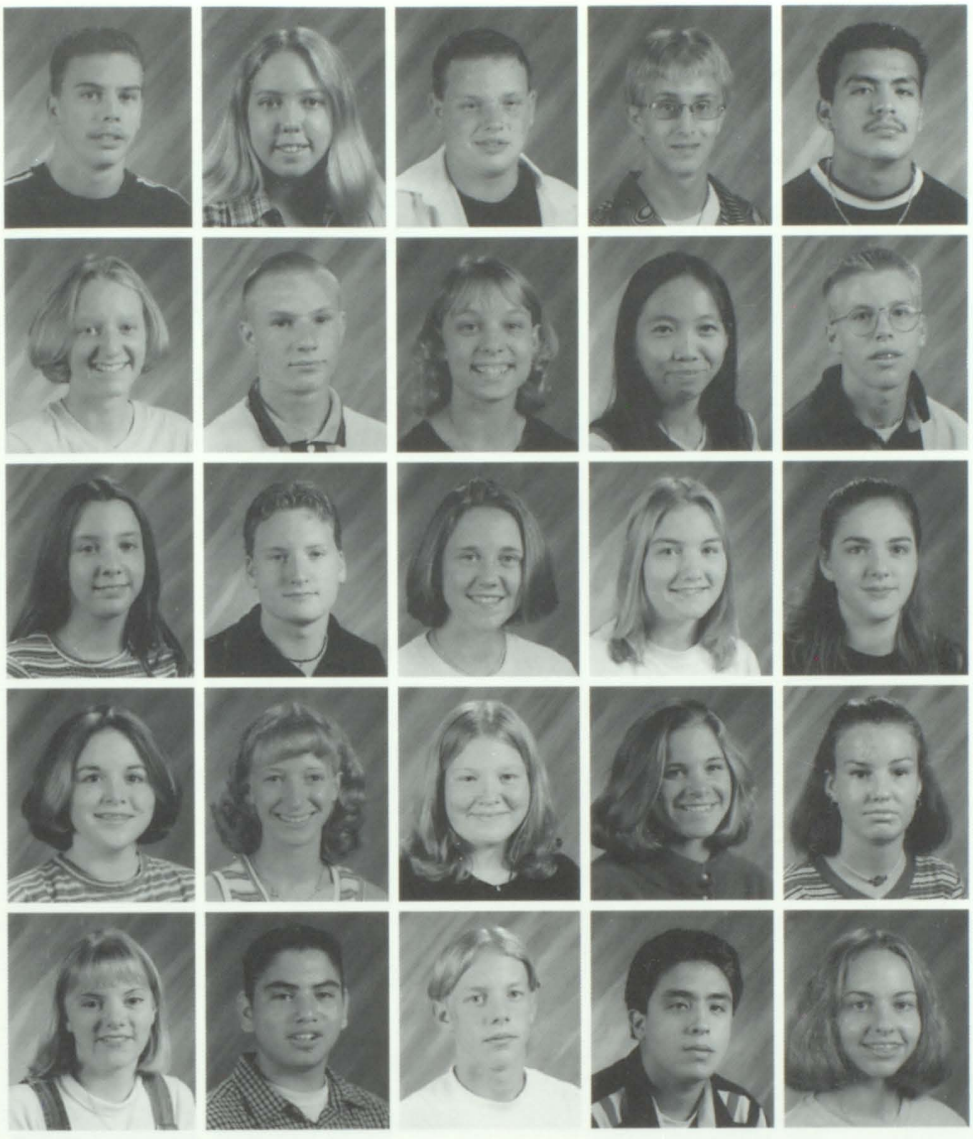
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Jennifer Niles
Andrew Ousley
Matthew Owens
Tom Palacios
Crystal Pamer



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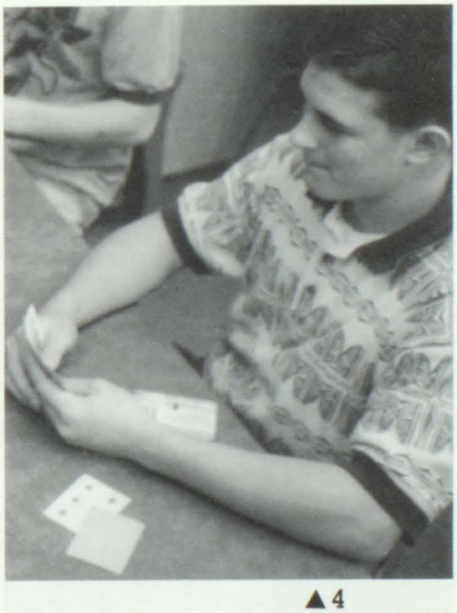
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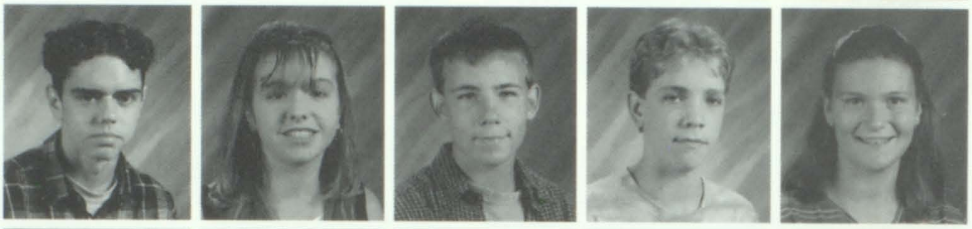
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1. Laura Lundin, Alisha Henderson, and Jen Mason enjoy the LRC. 2. Ross Heil is speechless. 3. Jon McCullough strums his guitar. 4. J.D. Lane tries his hand at cards.

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Rebecca Shaw
Alissa Sherman
Dana Shery
Mandi Shidler



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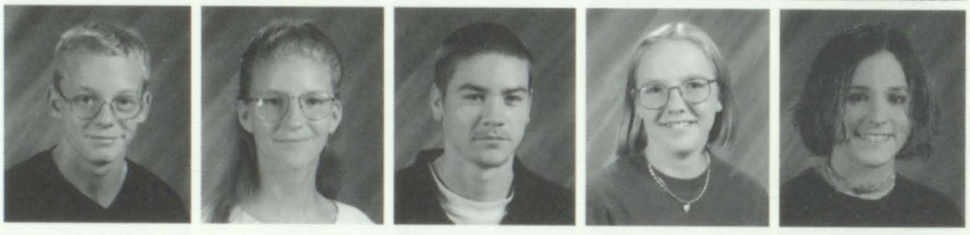
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Jeremy Tackitt
Rebekah Thompson
Joe Thorn
Tracy Tom
Shannan Troup



1. Dana Campbell has some juice. 2. Laura Karns, Katie Brown, Lauren Stucky, Colleen Hickey, Jenni Gunden, and Angie Beer enjoy their lunches. 3. Alan Wilson, Ross Heil, and Kyle Swihart take a break with Abe Lincoln. 4. Amy Gallmeier, Amber Hoover, and Krista Bestul study hard during HIT.



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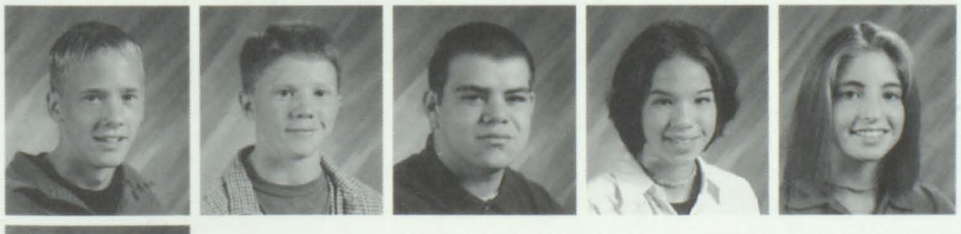
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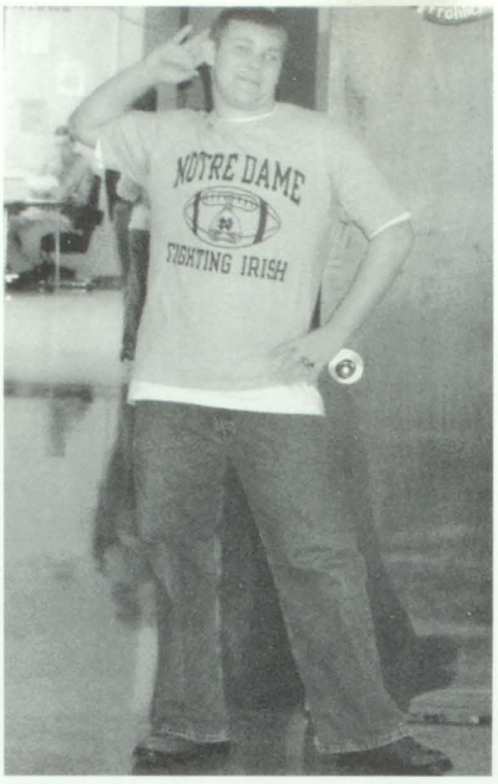
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Toby Witmer
Brenda Wong
Annalisa Woodward



Eddie Zuniga

Experiencing new concepts

The freshman class came to the high school in a big way with 302 members. The class had a great first year. They showed up the upperclassmen by beating them in several of the class competitions. Proving to have a lot of school spirit, they placed first in Penny Pitch, donating 34 percent of the money collected for the penny pitch. Of the $3,029.19, the frosh pitched in $1,012.33. In homecoming activities, they also placed first in the penny race, setting a record. For homecoming, over-all, they placed fourth. The class of 2001 began in the spring to save for their prom and graduation with the annual magazine sales which were a big success. Student council members below are row 1: Lindsey Bender, secretary; Josh DeGood; Jessica Walter; row 2: Rachel Neal, president; Amanda Jeffrey, treasurer; Ashley Ward.



Jimmy Meyer does the cat walk for the foreign language department.

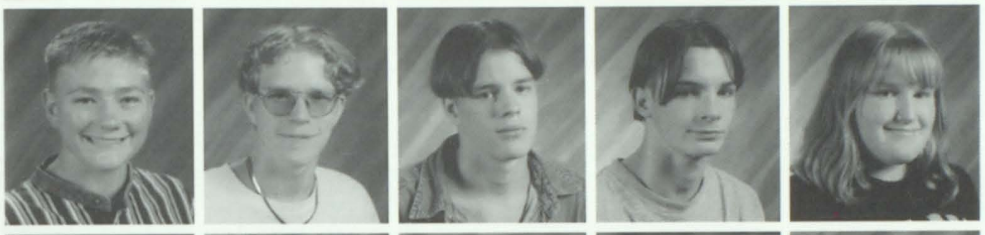




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Kathy Adkins
Yvette Aguinaga
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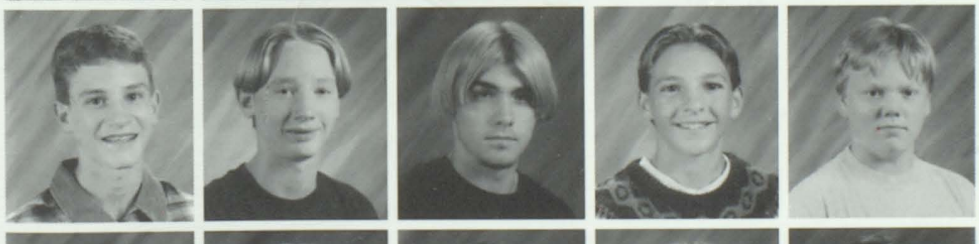
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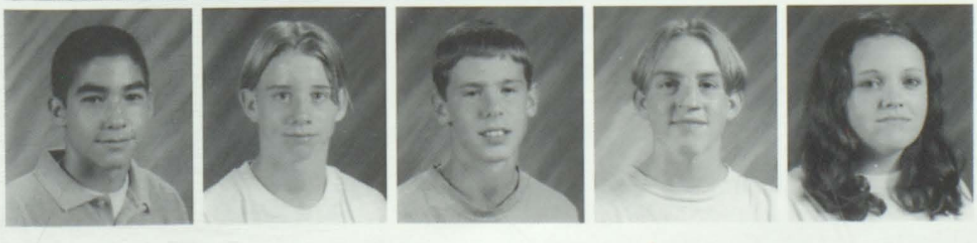
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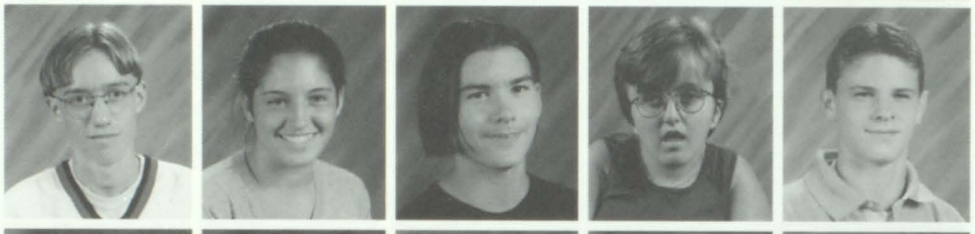
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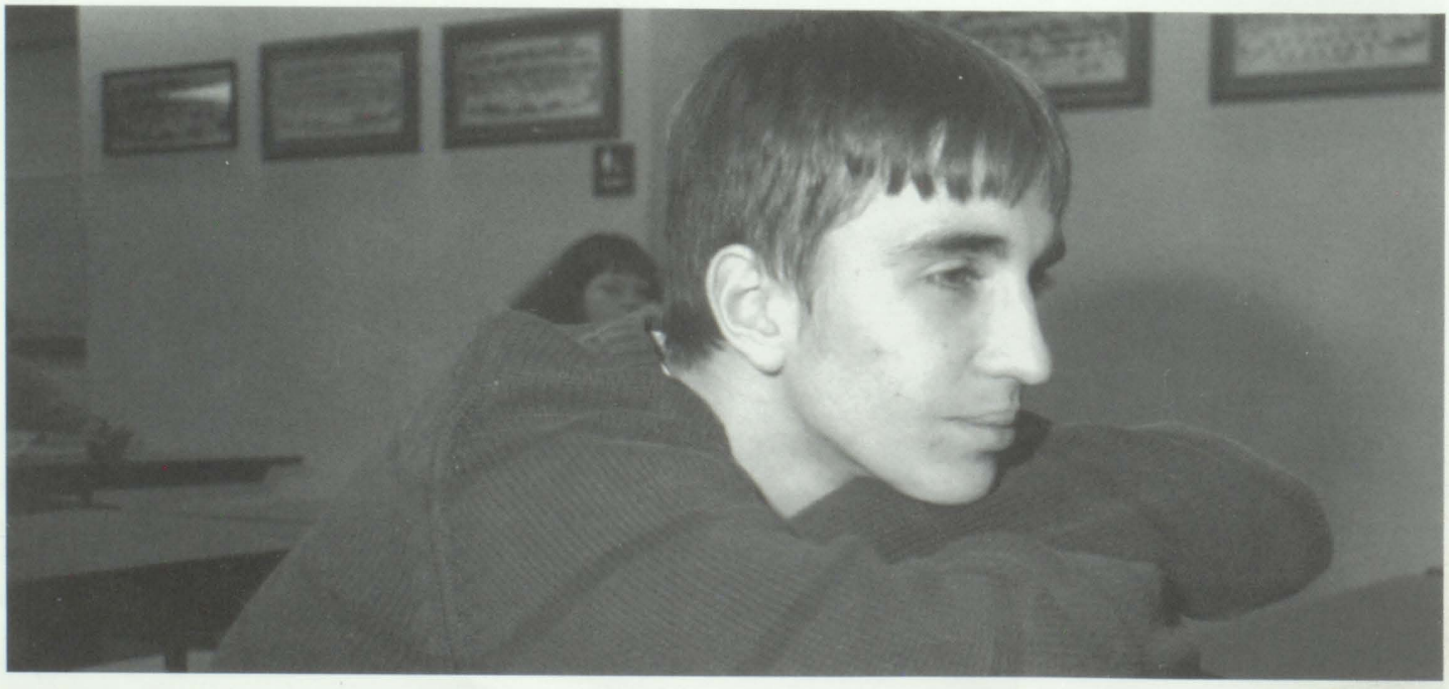


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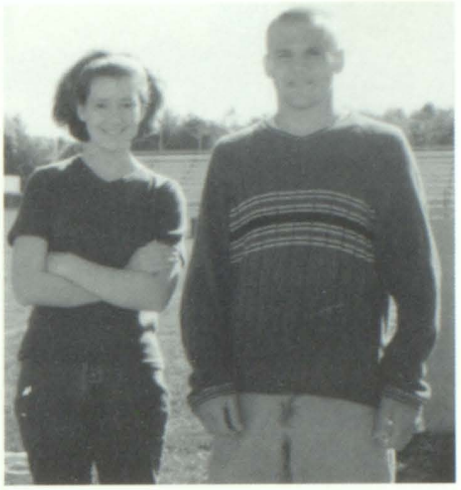




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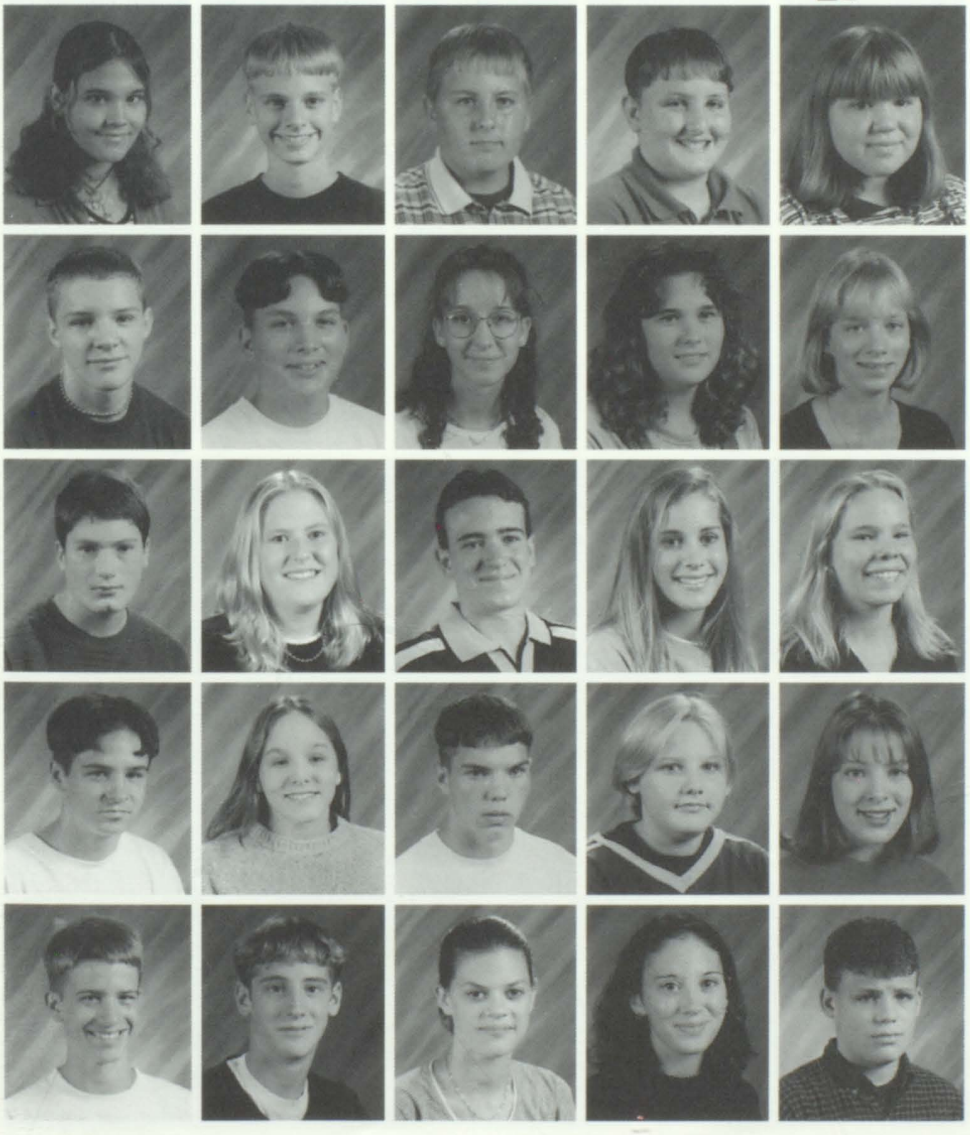


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1. Tomir Denton decides against homework during study hall. 2. Stephanie Camire and Sarah Shock mingle at their lockers. 3. Lindsey Bender and Logan Lees, frosh homecoming court members, prepare for the big night.



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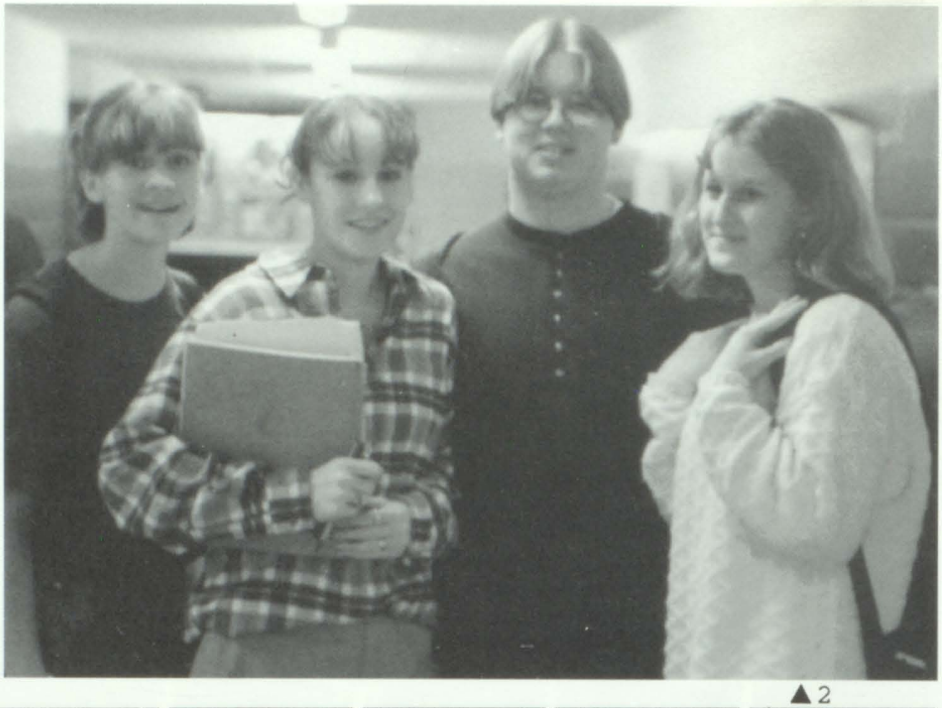
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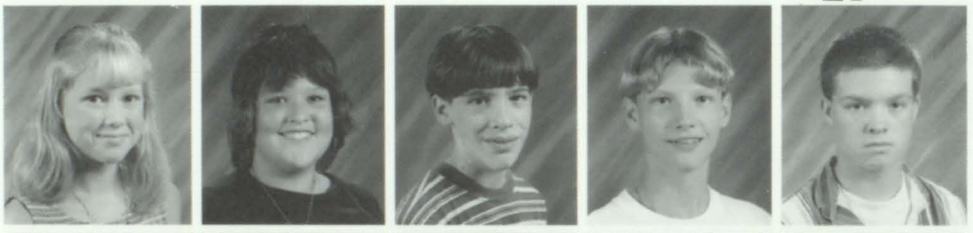


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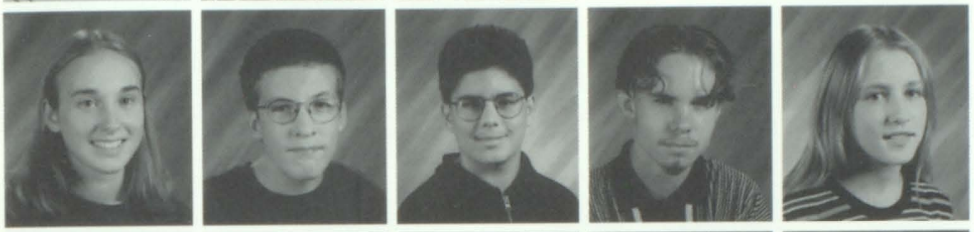
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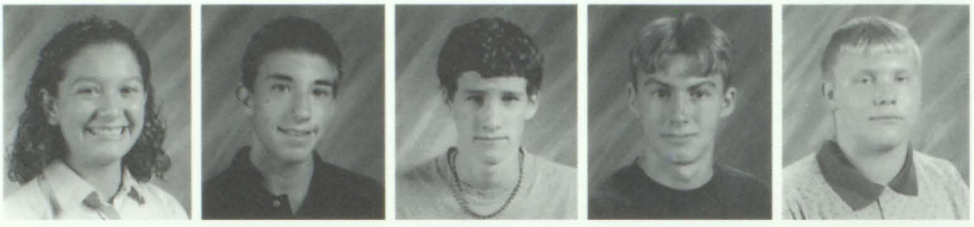
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1. Tara Williams takes a break from her studies. 2. Stefanie Camire, Sarah Shock, Ross Cook, and Gina Holderman walk together to their next class. 3. Bobbie Jo Clipfell and Sarah Kennedy get their fill at lunch. 4. Jon Olson tries to hide behind his desk.

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Aaron McCray
Jesse McDonald
Brian McFarland



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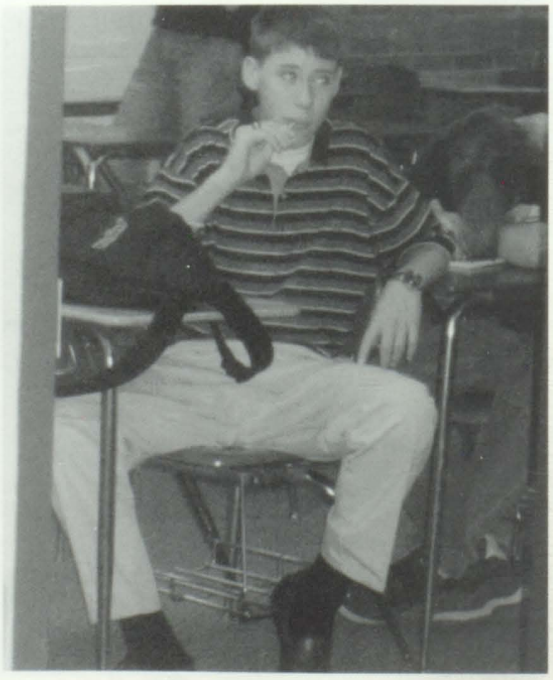


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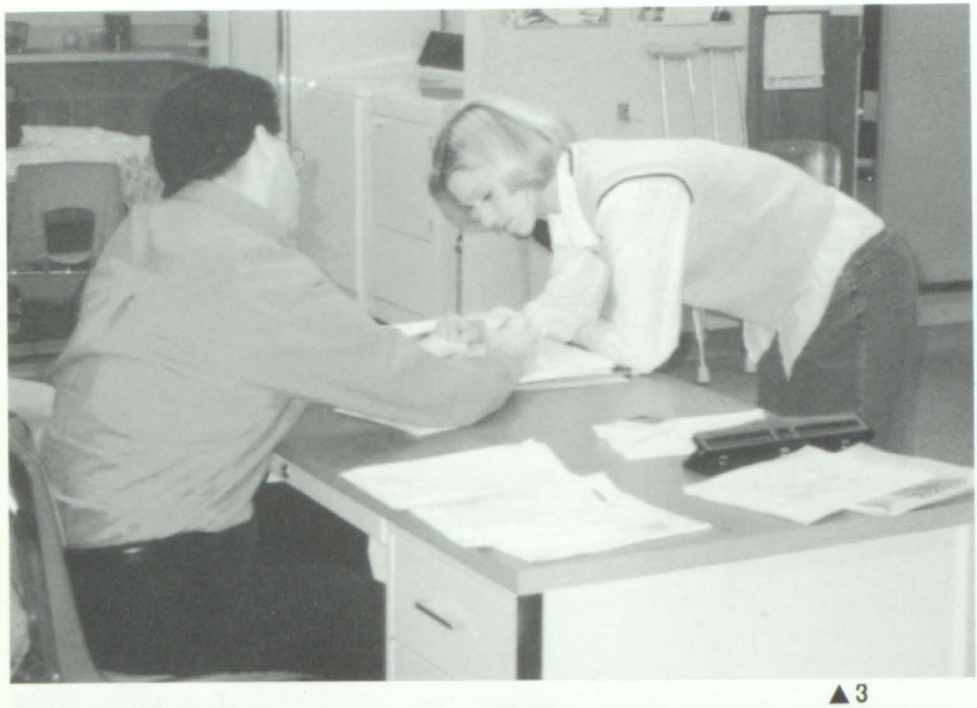




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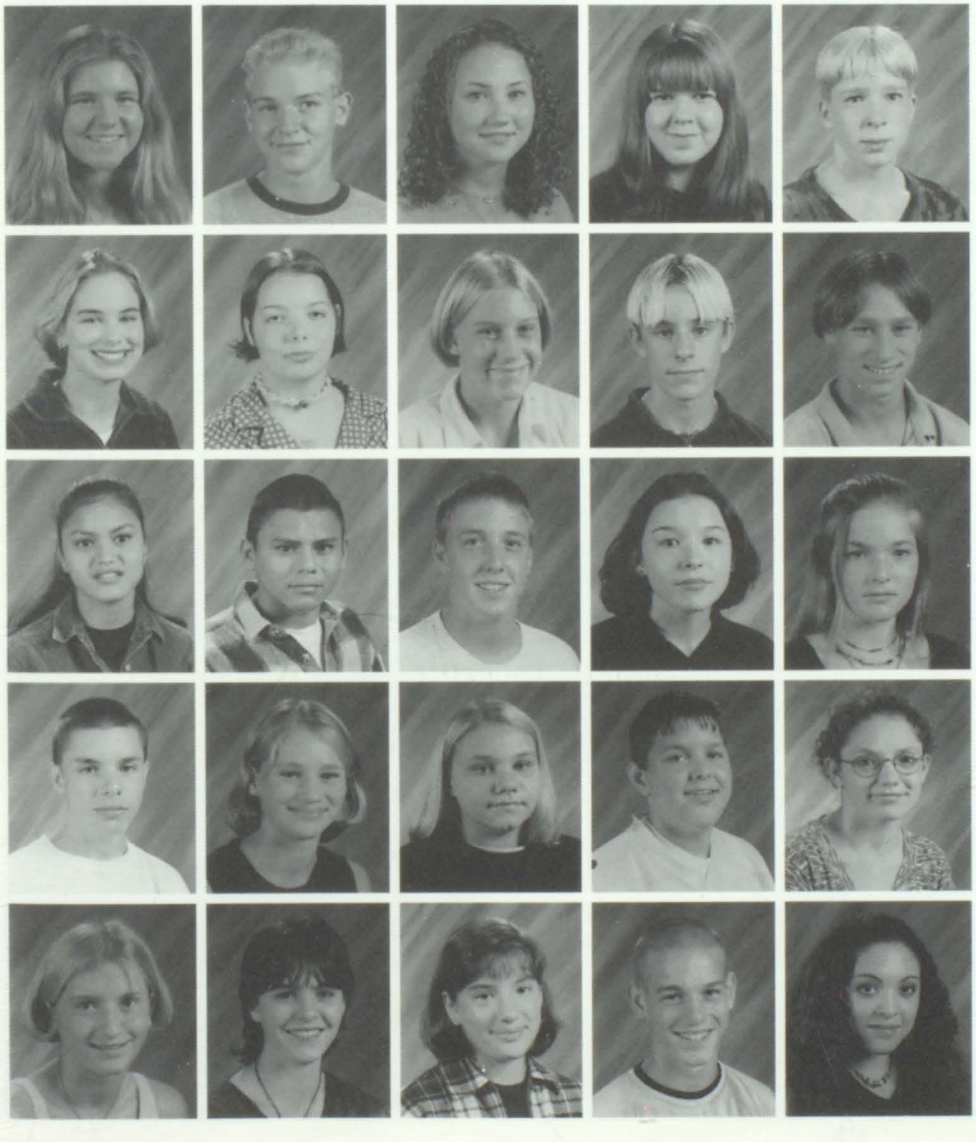


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1. Justin Lewallen and Ryan Cheesman kick back. 2. Adam Shock anxiously awaits the bell. 3. Mr. Berg assists Ashlie Knisely with her homework. 4. Chase Collier gives someone the stare.



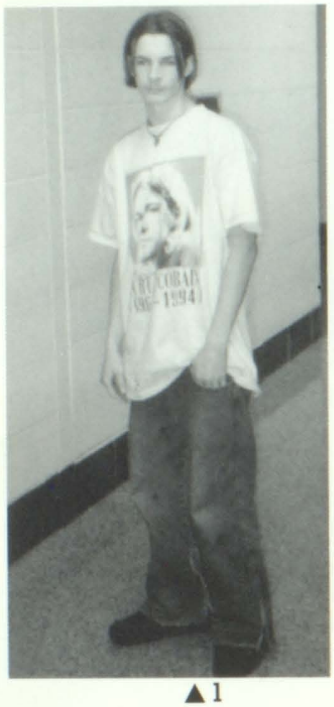
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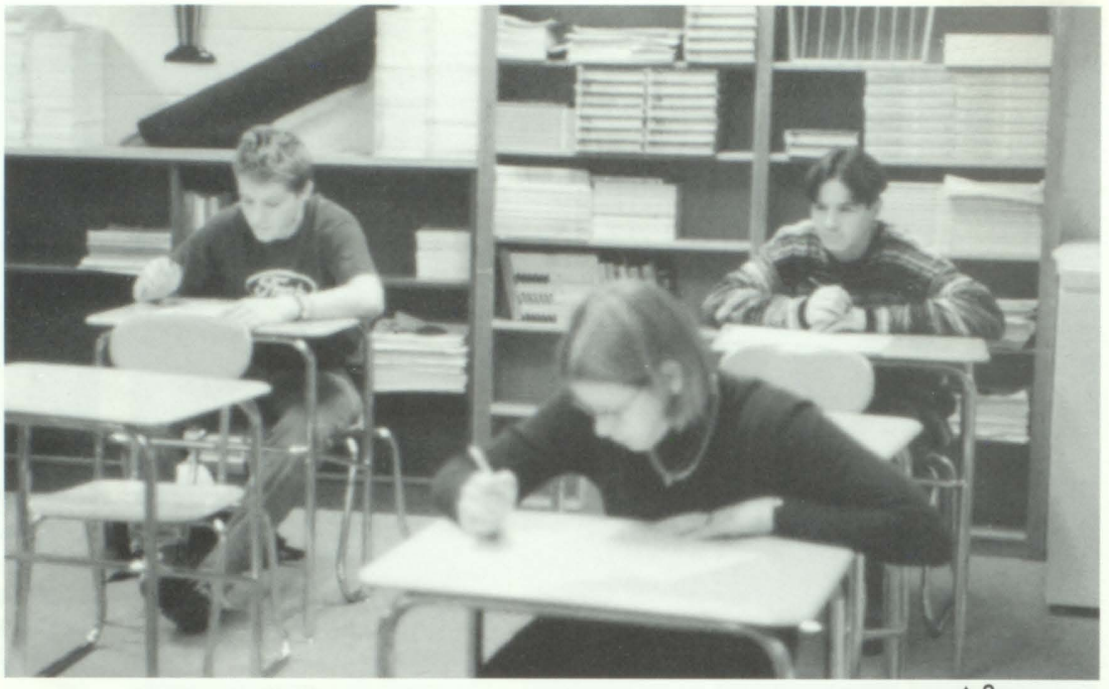
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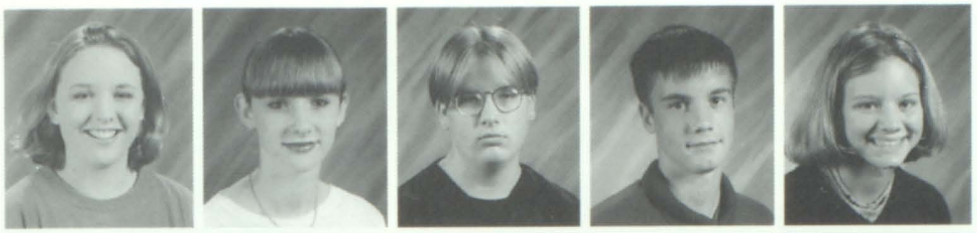
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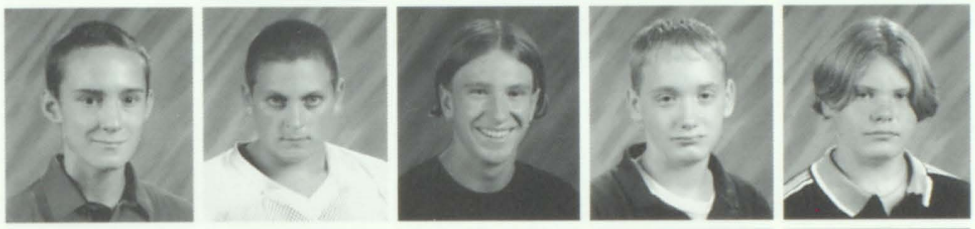
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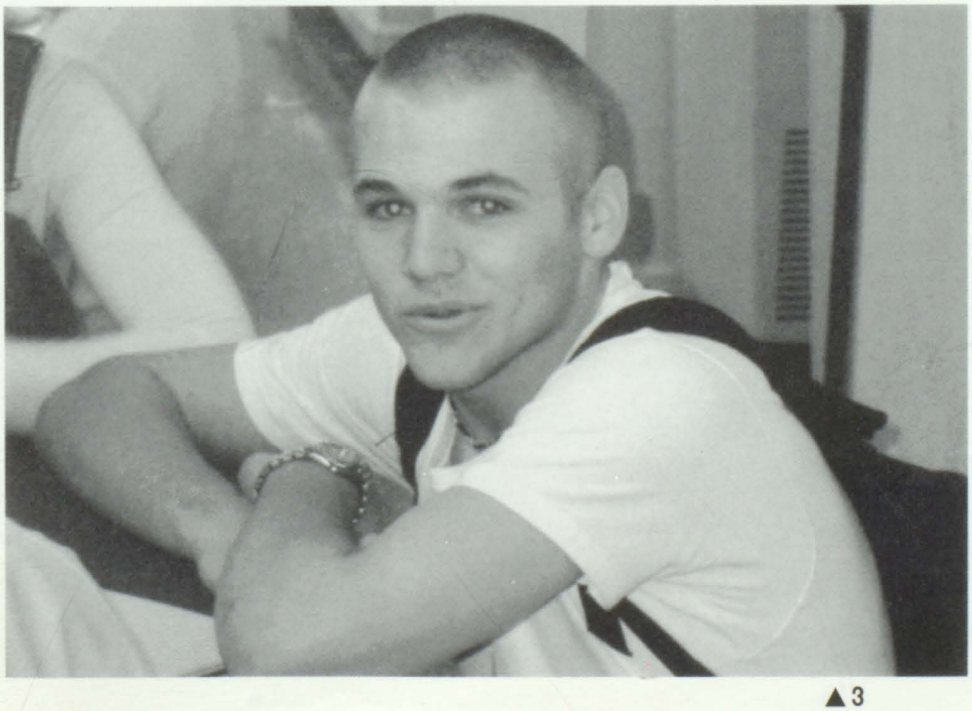
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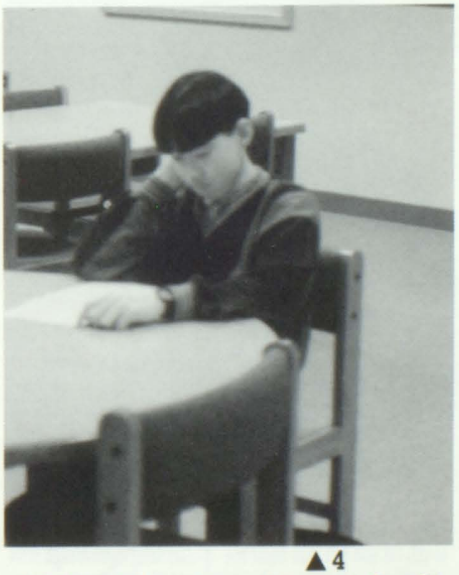
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1. Billy Barley decides to take up modeling. 2. J.J.. Evans, Eric Garman, and Shae LaTour are hard at work in Mrs. Pletcher's class. 3. Logan Lees socializes during his lunch hour. 4. Sung Hun Yi is deep in thought.





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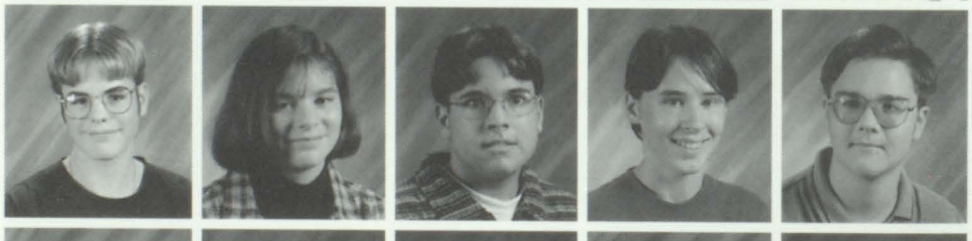
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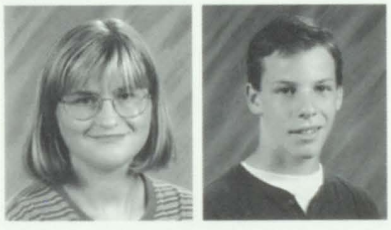
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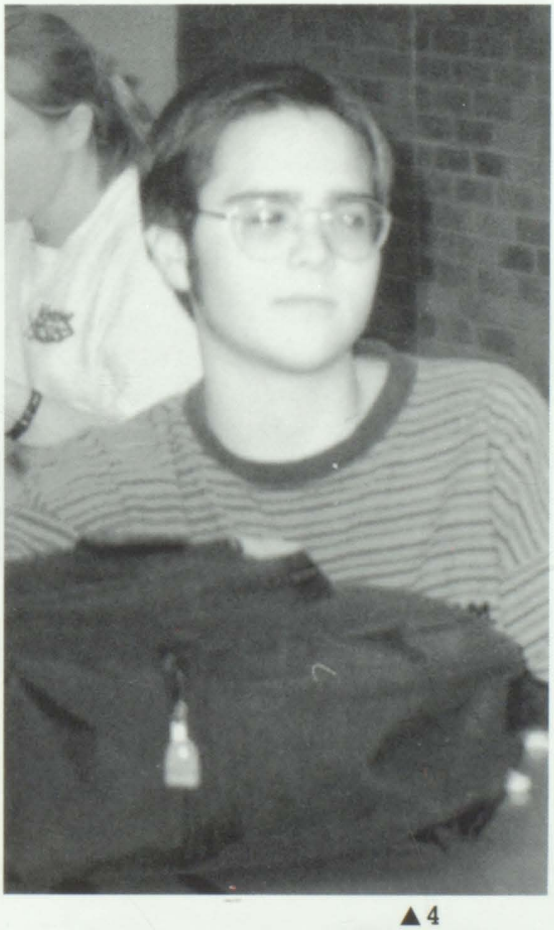
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Margaret Zimmerman
Nicholas Zumbrun



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1. Andy Popenfoose looks like he's up to something. 2. Casi Wells tries to look innocent. 3. Jon Olson likes the way his day is going. 4. Tyler VanSickle thinks about his homework for his next class. 5. Jessica Hively hangs on to her backpack while walking through the hall way.



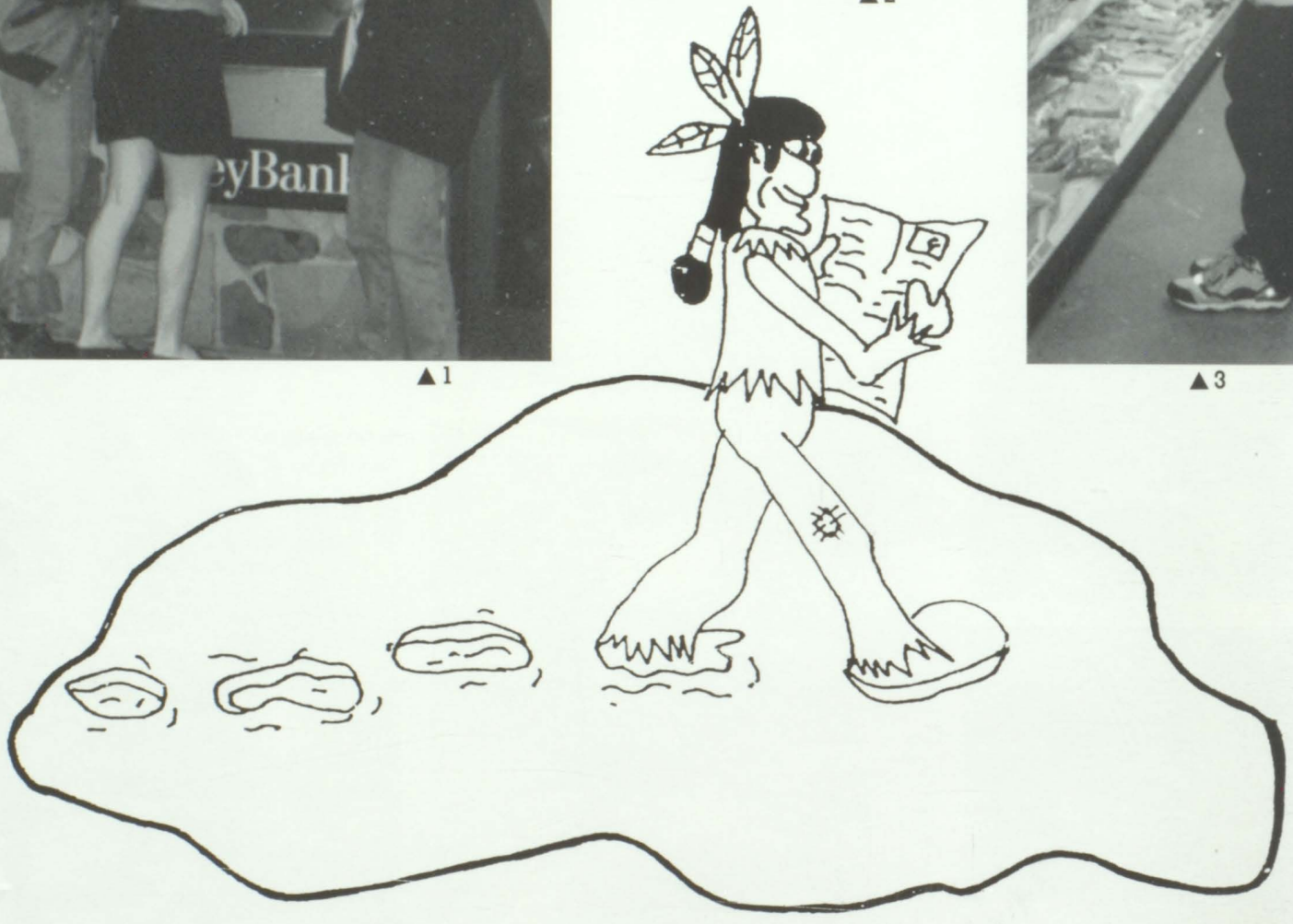
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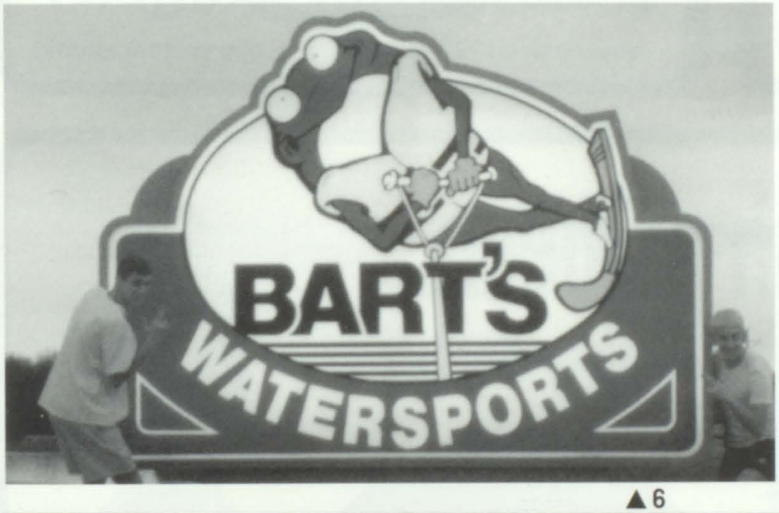
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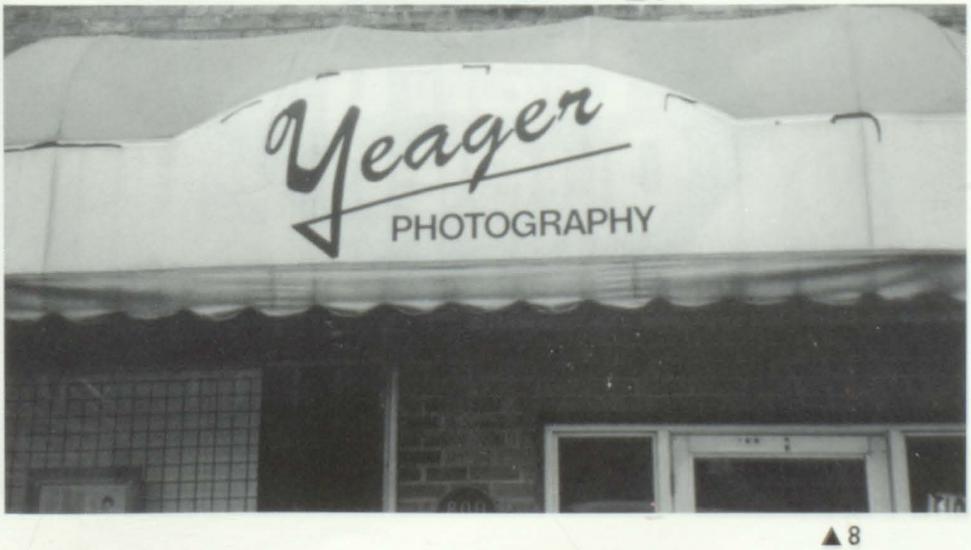
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1. Kim Troup, Kari Knisely, and Christa Olson are trying to get money from the automatic teller at Key Bank. 2. Monteith Tire is a proud supporter of Wawasee High School. 3. Shiloh Butler picks out some candy at Park Pharmacy. 4. Sarah Korenstra, Kassidy Biddle, Shiloh Butler, and Kara Mathew are having fun printing shirts at Butler's. 5. Mrs. Richcreek and Mrs. Stoelting of Village Florist often deliver flowers and balloons to Wawasee High School. 6. Blake Knisely and John Heckaman love to hang-ten with the Bart's logo. 7. Josh Eby, Johnathon Hulley, and Ryan Hilgenberg are busy finding parts at NAPA. 8. Yeager Photography is a proud supporter of Wawasee.



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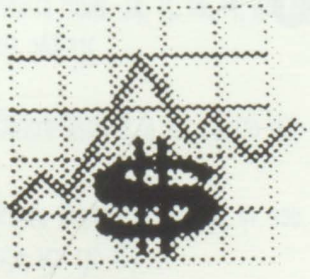
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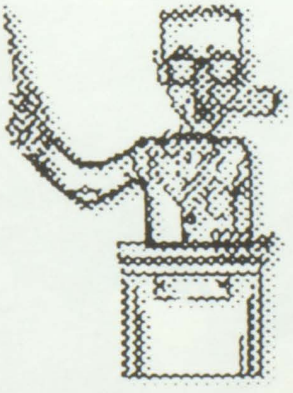
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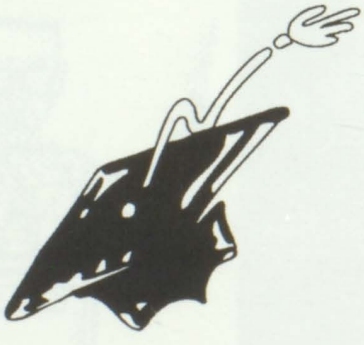
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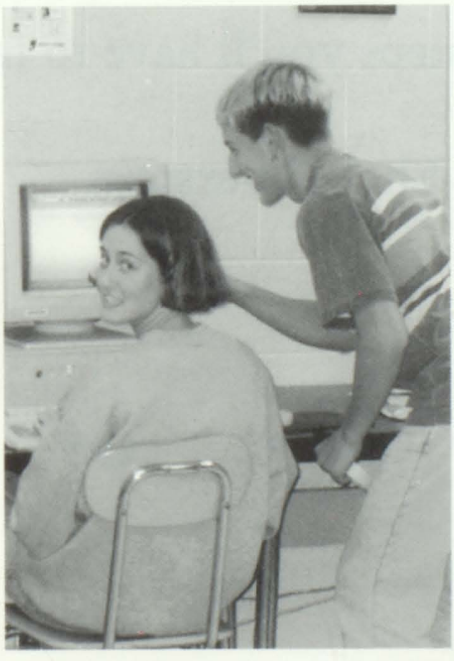
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