

Senior Chad Abrams reminisces with Co-valedictorian Karla Kershaw about the memories and moments of the past school year and beyond.

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Capturing the moments of 2003

Moments. Every second of our lives can be separated into a single moment in time. Whether we are cheering on the Blue Streaks at a football game or cramming for the latest English test, everything we do is a snapshot in the album of life.

It is those snapshots that act as a display of our lives to those around us. As A&E Biography routinely says, "Every life has a story." Each unique story brings out the true person that lies within us all.

While our days are filled with running around from class to practice to work and home, we try to remind ourselves that everything has its end. No matter how hectic or challenging life can be, those times are only temporary. The only thing we have after those moments fade are the memories.

The book you hold tells many stories. It is a collage of the moments of 2003. Obviously, not every story can be told, but what you see is our best attempt at collecting life as only those at MHS know it.

Combining the moments within this book and the ones you still hold onto inside your mind will keep the memories of 2003 alive long after the years have passed.

Here's to the laughs, the tears, the late night study parties, the big victories...and all the moments of 2003...



What's going on here? Seniors Kristi Jackson and Matt Distin trade places for a party during Halloween time.

Move. Shiver. Blush. Wink. Cheer. Run. Question. Dance. Listen. See.



Hollywood Homecoming! It may not have been a night with the celebrities, but Madison High School got its touch of Hollywood with the annual Homecoming Dance.



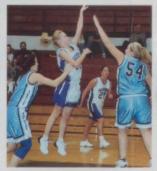
A festival for October! MHS experienced its firstever Octoberfest featuring apple-bobbing, pumpkincarving, and pie-eating contests. The event was sponsored by The Streak and Student Council.



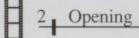
Fridays are for football The weekly games signify another aspect of the start of a new school year. MHS had a lot to celebrate this year as the team finished 9-2, assuring a spot in the Division I Football Playoffs.



Dancing in December! Members of the MHS show choir, Eclectica, keep in step during their Nutcracker routine. The dance was part of the MHS Winter Concert which showcased some of the various talents of the MHS Music Department.



A new year, a new run at the playoffs! The girls basketball team made it to the Division I Sectional Tournament, giving students something to celebrate during the long winter months.



Football frenzy! The 2002 season was one filled with lots of excitement for the varsity squad. MHS finished the season at 9-2, making it to the first round of the playoffs.

Surprise! Surprise! Members of the softball team throw freshman Maggie Mackura a birthday party during one of the team's tournament games in Columbus.





Study. Party. Sleep. Practice. Cry. Perform. Laugh. Smile. Love. Visit. Learn.



The enchantment of the evening lives on for Prom Queen Jessie Hart and King Josh Ferra. A record number of students packed Manakiki Country Club for the 2003 dance.



Seniors Molly Gehring, Chris Burden, and Monica Ungers hold up their caps in triumph after putting in four memorable years at MHS.



Clear the way! Homecoming Queen Stephanie Sparkman and Mike Dunkle head on up to the stage for the crowing of the king. Senior Vanden Kovacs earned the honor at the 2002 dance.



We're #1! Juniors Amanda Titman and Amber Nowakowski, and seniors Allison Izzarelli and Rachel Pike display some unity before the Riverside game. The girls basketball team went on to play in the Div. I Sectional Tournament.

Communicate. Think. Create. Relax. Go. Stand. Watch. Impress. Live.



It was a winter wonderland! Or it at least seemed like that to those who attended the 2003 Winter Formal Dance. Students danced under the theme of "Oriental Odyssey" during the Key Club sponsored event.



Spring and spirit! The 2003 MHS Spirit Week was brought to a close with the annual tradition of decorating the hall-ways. The annual powder-puff football game also took place during the busy week, with a victory by the senior girls.



Swinging into sports! Softball, tennis, track, and baseball started another season of athletics at Madison High School. Here, a member of the MHS Baseball Team steps up to bat.



May madness! Prom, finals, award ceremonies, and senior projects kept students busy as the year began to wind down. Above, the 2003 Prom Court poses for one last picture before the evening comes to an end.



That's a wrap! Another school year comes to a close with the mark of the 127th Commencement Ceremony at MHS. Best of luck to all the members of the Class of 2003.

Opening

Dedicated in loving memory of Terry A. Hietanen



"Where your talents and the needs of the world cross, there lies your vocation."-Artistole

Everything he said pertained to softball and life. He taught me so much without knowing it. I'll miss him.-Jessica R_ose Mr. Hietanen was a caring, supportive teacher who strived to make everyone feel successful and make everyone feel important. His passion for teaching will be truly missed by students and his friendship missed by many.--Mrs. Linda Craigo Mr. Hietanen-You were more than a teacher, a helper and a friend, You pulled us through our problems When there seemed no end.

My memories of Mr. Hietanen

4 Opening



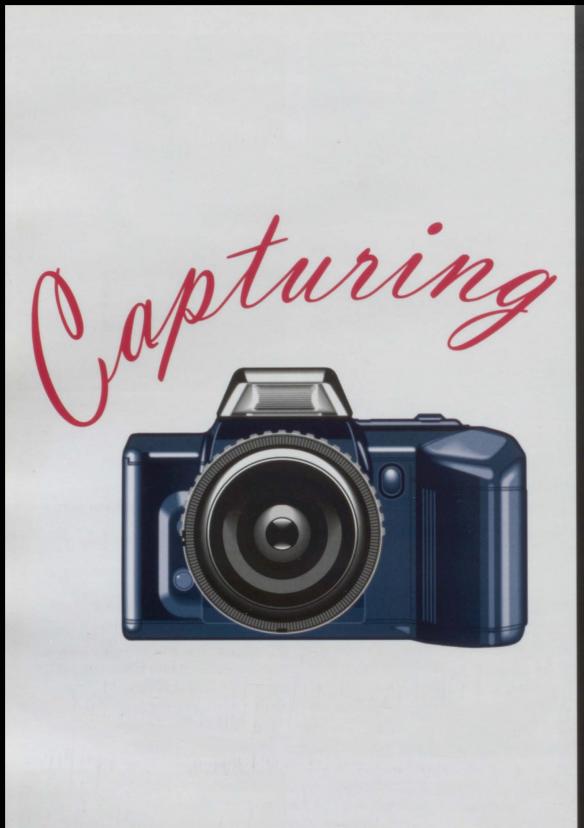




TER.R.Y. You were always: worried about whether you were a good teacher ... wondering if you were doing enough ... wondering if you were coaching to develop character... concerned about being a good dad to Paul ... Well you were! Good job, good and faithful servant GOOD COACH, TEACHER, DAD AND WOR KER. -Mr. Mike Hanes



He will be missed as a teacher, a coach, a colleague and a friend Dedication 5





....The Spirit of MHS



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rom the elegant dresses of Prom to the rugged wife-beaters of football games to the creative costumes of Spirit Week, the changing faces of the students of MHS expressed an array of enthusiasm and excitement. Stepping into the beautifully decorated hall of Manakiki and seeing the stunningly dressed students, it was almost unthinkable to imagine these same students months earlier screaming at a football game, tackling each other in a vicious game of powder-puff football, or dressing themselves in a variety of funny, and sometimes repulsive, costumes in the name of school spirit. The character and individuality of this group of students knew no bounds. Whether it was attending a school dance, cheering on the football team, or decorating a spirit hallway, the students of MHS united as a team, upholding their right to a year filled with anticipation, enjoyment and irreplaceable memories.

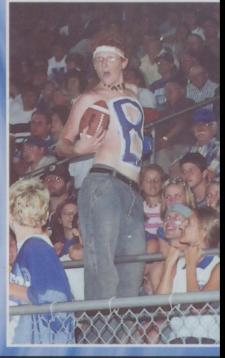
"I celebrated my birthday by supporting my team and smearing paint on guys' chests!!" senior Kim Piorkowski exclaimed. Fellow seniors Rachelle Orris and Melissa Kuntz didn't appear to have much trouble painting these 13 well-sculpted guys, either.



Later on that night...these 14 spirited Streaks proudly display the hard work of artists Kim Piorkowski, Melissa Kuntz, and Rachelle Orris. These fans definitely supported their team, painting up for every home game.



"Are you ready?!" Senior Charlie Gorman keeps these fans entertained by showing them the proper way to carry a football, as well as keeping them ready for every kickoff. It's no wonder this enthusiastic senior got voted Most School Spirit!



Taking a break from the action, juniors Amber Nowakowski and Jen Butram refuel their energy at halftime of the last football game of the season against VA-SJ.

8 Spirit Fans







There are no fareweather fans here! Bethany Moles, Jessica Kallio, Felicia Zirkle, Lyndsay Schmid, Rachel Haury, and Eric Hughes cheer as the football team takes their last game into overtime.

Hangin' out at halftime. Joey Naso, Mike Blauman, Chuck White, Chet Delong, Tim Brunner, Nick Verdi, Kevin Craigo, Charlie Gorman, and Paul Compton take a break from cheering to stop at the refreshment stand.

Spirited streaks show their support

The Human Pyramid...these guys might not be cheerleaders, but they sure have their technique down. Seniors Chris Burden, Chris Durham, Nick Horvath, and Nick Jefferson show some support for freshman Kory Piorkowski, as well as the Blue Streaks' football team.





Touchdown! The football team gives the spirit fans something to cheer about as they score their first touchdown against Warren Howland.



Now we know why there are no male cheerleaders although these guys seem to have the moves down to an art. Seniors Nick Horvath and Chris Durham mimic the cheerleaders during their "Let's Go Blue" cheer.



Giving his friend a little boost, Nick Horvath helps balance Charlie Gorman on the rails at Euclid's stadium, allowing him to lead the crowd in the kick-off cheer. "Blood makes the grass grow, killl, kill kill!"



Loud and proudof it... senior Josh Sumpter has nothing but love as he proudly participates as the "E" of "LET'S" in cheering the Streaks on to a victory over Geneva. "Let's Go Blue Streaks!"



Josh Nunnally, Matt Patton, Paul Compton, Jon Earley, Rachel Pike, Dylan Morris and Sara Fike yell in encouragement to the boys basketball team during their overtime win against Geneva.



After cheering the boys basketball team through an all out brawl against cross-town rival Geneva, Jared Pikor, Kit Lashley, Chris Anderson, and Chris Zundel take a breather on the stage to show everyone who's number one in their eyes...Madison!



Spirit Fans 9

One look at these screaming fans is enough to get anyone on their feet. especially when trying to get the attention of Governor Taft, who paid the game a special visit.

Caught on Film Spirit Week 2003





1. We're gonna B-U-S-T bust 'em! Even with their valiant efforts, the senior powder puff cheerleaders got busted by the juniors. 2. Waiting for the volcano to errupt,

watching for the volcano to errupt, freshmen Alicia Hess and Colleen Smith hang out in their hallway.
 Getting jungle fever, sophomore Caitlin Kawalec tries not to go bananas during spirit

week

4. Prepared for a long day of hiking through the halls, seniors Nick Verdi and Chris Zundle wade in the river of the senior hallway.

Shaken Stars:

Snaken Stars: Senior Cassi Menko catches some rays in the Freshmen Hawaiian Paradise. Cooling off from the hot summer sun, juniors Amanda Argo and Tara Zgodinski stop for a drink at the lemonade stand. That has to hurt! Junior Joe McFarland demonstrates his flexibility. Two of a kind, junior Elena Casisas and sophomore Amanda Shepard look identical

on twin day.





Monday: Pajama Day



Tuesday: Hat/Crazy Hair Day Wednesday: Twin Day

10 Student Life



 Keeping warm in Camp Senioritis, Kristy Jackson and Erica Baird sit by a blazing fire.
 Allison Izzarelli runs for a touchdown with juniors right on her tail. The seniors won with a score of 35 to 20.
 Making a jungle of their hallway, sophomores Tyler Hannak and Ryan Welsh hang vines from corner to corner.

Hannak and Ryan Welsh hang vines from corner to corner. 4. The winning squad, the junior boys, work hard to rev up the crowd.





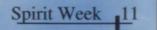








Thursday: Blue and White Day Friday: Dress Like Your Hallway Day Friday: Powder Puff Game



One Enchanted Evening Capturing the magical moments at Manakiki

2003 Prom Court



Is this a new dance move? Looking their best in their two-piece suits, Joe Franczek, Joe Deak, Shane Brennen, Aaron West and Dylan Morris hold up Charlie Novak on the dance floor.

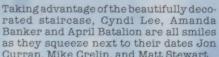
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Brittany Kehn and Chad Butler cuddle together in the upstairs dining room of Manakiki.

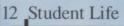
The 2003 Prom Court: Matt Stanic, King Josh Ferra, Queen Jesse Hart, Jeremy Gerger, Vanden Kovacs, Joe Judd, Melissa Kuntz, Molly Gehring, Josh Dean, Kim Piorkowski, Stephanie Sparkman, and Monica Ungers.

Huddling together on the dance floor, Joe Garisek, Benny Barrette, Joe Lander, Matt Patton, Ricky Evans and Aaron Parks take a break from their dates to do some male bonding.





Curran, Mike Crelin, and Matt Stewart.



Displaying the most popular colors for "The Enchanted Evening," Allison Izzarelli, Kaylee Emmett, and Lauren Kidder smile as brightly as their dresses sparkle.

2003 Prom Court

Stephanie Sparkman and Vanden Kovacs

Joe Judd and Kim Piorkowski

1. Nichole Chernikoff shows her enthusiastic smile as she dances with date and boyfriend Keith Krejci.

2. Seniors Rachel Pike, Ingrid Brainard, and Lindsay Schmid show the boys how it's done on the dance floor.

3. Expressing his love for veggies, Mike Dunkle chomps down on his beans during dinner.

4. Chuck White and Heather Britton dance during a slow number.



Queen Jesse Hart and King Josh Ferra

Molly Gehring and Josh Dean

Monica Ungers and Jeremy Gerger







Melissa Kuntz and Matt Stanic

Signing up to get their pictures taken, Tom Collinsworth gives fellow senior Ann Brackman a hand in filling out a picture form.



Sarah Piercy and Mike Samplak eye each other up on the dance floor.

Prom 13









1. & 4. At the end of the night these seniors will have to say good-bye to Hollywood and their final homecoming, but they will never say good-bye to the close friends they have made at MHS.

2. This year's homecoming court starred: (frontrow) Kitt Lashley, Charlie Gorman, Mike Fade, Mike Dunkle and (top row) Kimothy Piorkowski, Molly Gehring, Stephanie Sparkman, Vanden Kovacs, Karla Kershaw, Monica Ungers.

5. Wild and crazy! Sarah Johnson, Brittany Nowakowski, Val Johnson, and Cherish Thomlison chill for a second near the refreshment stand before they go strut their stuff on the dance floor.

5. The night before the dance premiere, Katelyn Orris and Liz Bettie take the first walk down the red carpet.

8. Let's go, girls Danielle Cline teaches Ashley Wickert, Brittany Burkholder, and Dawn Bittner a new country line dance.

7. Volleyball anyone? Seniors Tess Polivka, Rachelle Orris, Kimothy Piorkowski and Melissa Kuntz take a dance break and play a quick game.

8. Having a blast! Alex Hearn gets really pumped and jumps off the stage and crowd-surfs over the out-of-control dancers.











B Homecoming A Hollywood Extravaganza







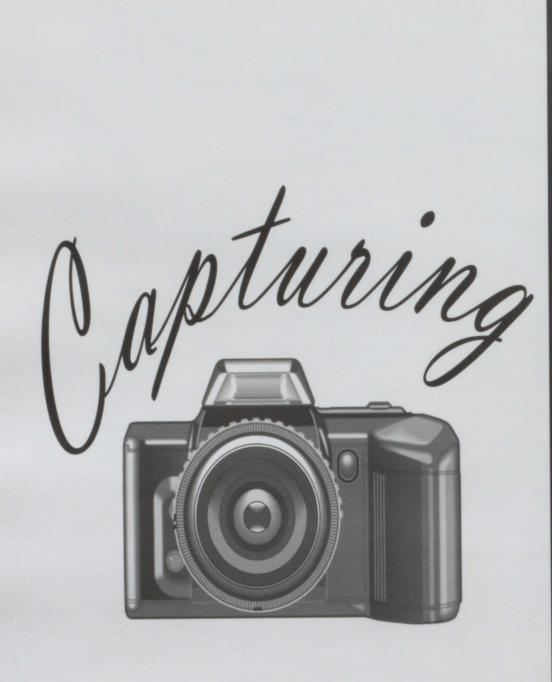
1. Getting ready for the dance floor, Mandy McCabe and Shannon Cavanagh ditch their uncomfortable shoes.

2. Working late into the night, Kristi Jackson covers the walls of the cafeteria with sheets of gold stars to add a touch of Hollywood. 3. In the spotlight, Stephanie Sparkman and Vanden Kovacs stole the show when they were crowned king and queen.

4. These "Rebels Without a Cause" chill with their new friend James Dean on the outskirts of the dance. 5. And the winner is Mike Walbeck sheds a tear as he accepts a giant-sized Oscar.

6. Dressing like their favorite stars Erin Coughlin, Andy Stoltz, Elise Caunter, Stefani Hines, Adam Greer, Heather Britton, and Matt Van Kirk really get into the theme "Hollywood Nights."

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...Sense of Belonging

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I ong after we leave this place most of us call home, we will all take lasting memories which will be cherished for a lifetime. Most memories each of us have involve our friends and activities we took part in. We danced at the Winter Formal and gave blood for the blood drive, both sponsored by Key Club. FCA helped the community by putting on a soup kitchen for the Salvation Army, the drama club entertained us with plays such as *Skin of our Teeth* and *Little Shop of Horrors*, and NHS adopted a platoon in Iraq to support. Clubs and organizations helped bring us together to meet new people and work as one accomplishing many goals. From Ski Club to Student Council, students with all different personalities joined hands to make memories happen. Whether making a difference in the lives of the community and the school, or entertaining us with tremendous acting performances, or keeping us safe through grim reaper activities, these clubs and organizations taught us many lifelong lessons which will be carried with us forever, wherever the journey takes us.



1. She has the easy job. Junior Lindsey Taylor helps do her share by making some popcorn for guests at the Halloween party.

2.Just in time for the holidays. Club members Alison Fisher, Carolyn Fisher, Casey Toward, and Maria Soriano present a check from the club for their donation to the Madison Ministerial Association.

3. They must be whipped! Some club members find time to rest after participating in the March of Dimes Walk at Six Flags Worlds of Adventure. Members raised a minimum of \$125 each to participate in the walk.







We're not cold...really! Sarah Robinson, Jason Wild, Shanon Weber, and Nick Verdi huddle together to warm up while doing some community service work at Bill Stanton Community Park.

Singing songs of the season

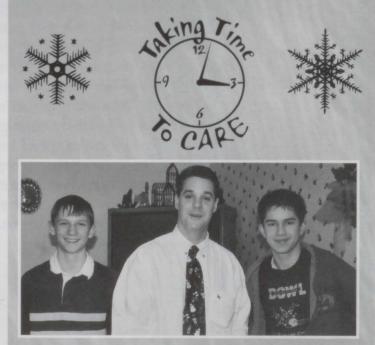
Club goes caroling to Inn-Madison



Juniors Monica Porostosky, Sarah Robinson, Bethany Moles, Erin Robinson, and sophomore Justine Harper seem to be having a great time at Inn-Madison. The Club traveled to the nursing home to sing Christmas carols and talk with some of the residents.



Did somebody say "Bingo?" Junior Amanda Sadowski and seniors Ashley Moles and Maria Soriano play a little game of Bingo with two of the residents of Inn-Madison.



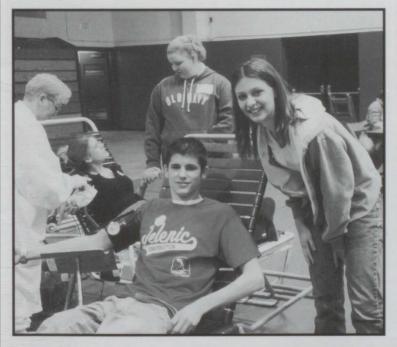
We look busy, right? Freshman Torrie Wakefield, Advisor Mr. Steve Hertrick, and Junior Tom Weiss try to show a sense of authority at the Club's gathering at Inn-Madison.

18 Clubs

Simplicity Is Just an Illusion Key Rub continues track of excelling in community service



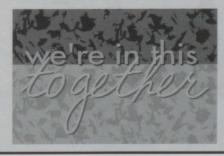
It's a party! These students take a break during the Second-annual Community Halloween Party at Stanton Park. The Key Club helped run the games, concessions, and events scheduled for the day.



Helping others do a good deed. Sophomore Ashley Wrobleski supports Junior Justin Nowakowski during the school blood drive. The club helps sponsor the event twice each year, along with the American Red Cross.

Club Officers

PresidentCasey TowardVice-PresidentRachel KlimcowiczSecretaryCarolyn FisherTreasurerKristen AndresPublic RelationsBrad Eckert





two worlds 'Oriental Odyssey' spices up Winter Formal extravaganza

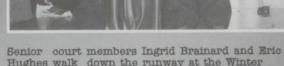




out in the Orient, full of dancing, laughing,

and partying hard!" -Kori Egeland

sophomore Alicia Weiss have a great Winter



Hughes walk down the runway at the Winter Formal.



Katie Varner brought their friends with The oriental theme of the Winter Formal reminded foreign exchange students Shino Yoshimoto and Sui Iino of their life-styles back home.



King and queen Joe Kulman and Kristen Andres enjoy their moment during the

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Clubs



These girls are having the time of their lives at the dance. Kori Engelend and them to the Winter Formal for a girl's night out.



Work it! Let me see youwork it!It looks like sophomore Sarah Mullen and juniors Brandon Seitler and Rose Gluvna show that they can flip and reverse it out on the dance floor.



Check out those rambunches teens at the Winter Formal. Audrey Leonard, Elizabeth Beattie, Kristen Andres,



Senior Mike Stoltz and sophomore Ashley Wrobleski take a walk on the bridge of love at the 2003 Winter Formal.



Who is that? It's none other than our own cameraman, Charlie Gorman, as he gets ready for the big event.



There they are in soaring colors the 2002-2003 Winter Formal Court. (top row:) Tiffany Teske, Jesse Hart, Ingrid Brainard, Kristen Andres, Joe Kuhlman, Heather Britton, Amy Findak and Kori Egeland. (Bottom row: Matt Buchanan, Dan Gehring, Eric Hughes, Juan Granda, Jed Powell and Josh McFarland.



Mastermind Dana Poling offers his thoughts during the Winter Formal, "If you were lucky you might of gotten a dance.."



See, the king and queen aren't just dramatic on the stage. Joe Kuhlman and Kristen Andres give each other the thumbs up after being crowned.



Yallii These girls really know how to get down and funky. Jesse Rose, Jacqueline Bende, and Amanda Argo dance the night away.



Look at those crazy people clowning around at the Winter Formal. Vicki Smith, Felicia Zirkle, Jen Shafer, Carl Stahl, Mike Walbeck, Brittany Phelps, Shane Brennen and guest really get into the grove.

1. Freshman Sam Wharram receives a Math Club award from co-advisor Mrs. Meshginpoosh at the 9th grade awards banquet.

2Math Club co-advisor Mrs. Collins is excited to hand over a honorable award to senior Alex Hearn. 3. This year's Model United Nations members, Bryan Pelich, Scott Fahle, Dan Niederkorn, Stephanie Niederkorn, Chris Johnson, Eric Baker, Rick Boonstra, and Britney Wells, gather one last time before the year is over.









Accept the CHALLENGE



22 Clubs

Celebrating after a competition, these Model UN members show off their certificates.



Model UN Mrs. Bralley Mrs. Gilligan



Academic Decathalon Team Mr. Hupertz



Math Club Mrs. Collins Mr. Morgan



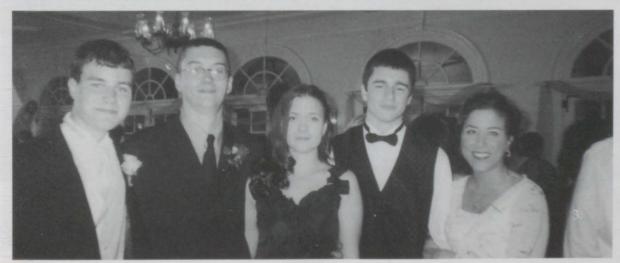
Books, Brains, and Beyond MHS takes academics to a new level





1. The **Math Club**: Mike Walbeck, Corey Green, Joe Judd, Dan Loesch, Kristi Jackson, Erica Baird, Carolyn Fisher, Alison Fisher, Hayley Kilroy, Jodie Toward, Kate Nicholson, Matt Distin, Brandon Lichtinger, and Alex Hearn smile after receiving their awards.

2. This year's Academic Decathlon Team members, Dan Loesch, Sam Orogvany, Josh Perkins, Joe Judd, Brandon Lichtinger, and Hayley Kilroy, receive their awards for their dedication and hard work from advisor Mr. Hupertz. 3. Mrs. Gilligan shares a special moment at prom with her senior Model UN members.





Achieving Excellence MHS awards its outstanding students











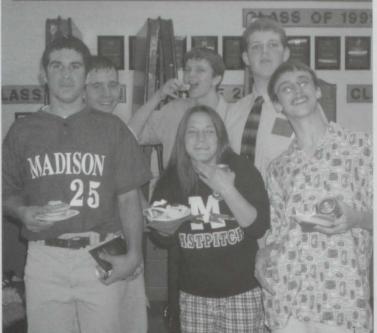
1. Mr. Fisher congratulates the National Merit Finalists for 2002, Carolyn Fisher, Hayley Kilroy, and Brandon Lichtinger.

2. Julia Kershaw happily accepts her art award from Mrs. Oravecz.

3. Members of the stage band provide entertainment for the

4. Chessa Pikor and Kristina Romano smile about their awards at the freshmen awards banquet.

5. Mrs. Meshginpoosh presents an award to Samantha Wharram for her achievements in math.











- 1. These freshmen chow down on the yummy food at the
- These freshmen chow down on the yummy food at the freshmen awards banquet.
 Yearbook advisor, Miss Thurston, presents her year-book students with awards for achievement and honor.
 Karla Kershaw accepts a scholarship for her great achievements during the awards assembly.
 Brothers Mark and Mike Nagy receive awards for their leadership roles in student council this year.
 Taylor Gondek receives an award from a member of the Navy during the scholarship assembly.
 Carolyn Markgraf, Colleen Smith, and Aja Rendek talk and eat at the freshmen awards banquet.





First Year Award Winners

(top row:) Kasey Drzazga, Chris Koehnke, Matt Bertleff, Eric Baker

(row 4:) Keith Anderson, Scott Fahle, Nick Babic, Melissa Allen, Sam Elder, Jacquelynn Farrar, Kelly Keenan

(row 3:) Frankie Jastrzembski, Brittany Holroyd, Jaci Isabella, Dave Hobson, Ryan Haury, Jenny Grabel, Sabrina Forstein, Sam Forstein

(row 2:) Melissa Klug, Ashley Carsey, Annie Kinney, Apple Cleaves, Amanda Cline, Valerie Booth, Katie Bevan

(bottom:) Jessica Curran, Rachel Burnette, Heather Davis, Reanna Blake, Priscilla Barnes, Kacie Hocking, Kristina Friday

First Year Award Winners

(top row:) Tabitha Zukoski, Sam Wharram, Torrey Wigfield, Chris Welniak, Ben Valvoda, Loraine Turkenburg

(row 3:) Kelly Woodworth, Randall Tonelli, Dominic Szabados, Kerin Stephens, Brian Smith, Mike Saeger

(row 2:) Jason Zupan, Josh Rindin, Vanessa Richmond, Nicole Repinski, Aja Rendek, Collen Smith, Brandy Pudder

(bottom row:) Carolyn Markgraf, Brittany Marion, Kelly Mandato, Brock Malinowski, Josh Malek, Maggie Mackura





Second Year Award Winners

(top row:) Eric Grice, Sui Iino, Juan Granda, Cyndi Lee

(middle row:) Tim Reed, JoshGottron, Aleesha Sprafka, Katja Klose

(bottom row:) Mike Turner, Annamarie Smith, Katrina Varner, Holly Marion





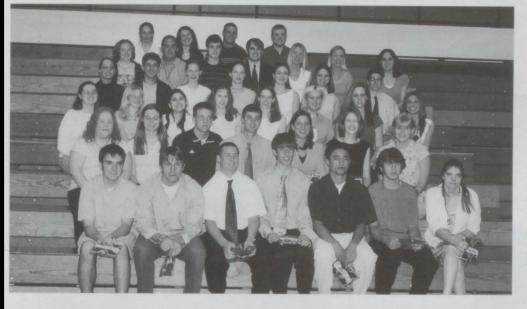
26 Clubs



Academic Effort Has its rewards

Second Year Academic Awards (top row:) Alicia Egy, James Brooks (row 7:)Alison Woodworth, Tyler Granger, Linda Turner, Matt Nicholson, Joe Naso (row 6:) Alicia Weiss, Meridith Misich, Kelly Loughry, Shannon Pavlovic, Brandy Nightman, Andrea Oliver, Becky Wilson (row 5:)Sarah Neminic, Trishia Nye, Steve Novotny, Jay Pavlinak, Kristin Rediger, Sammie Leodard, Ryan Welsh (row 4:) Ashley Wickert, David Smithberger, Kristen Woitella, Shannon Weber, Peter Swanson, Kyle Shuttleworth, Ian Steger (row 3:) Brian Kiper, Katie Burr, James Barber, Paul Bodager, Steven Auciello, Tabitha Blalock, Lauren Curtis (row 2:), Tyler Hanak, Alyssa Hill, Jordon Herron, Matt Gehring, Brittany Fako, Jessica Boonstra, Tim Brunner (bottom row:) Jacqueline Bender, Jaqueline

Barnes, Renee Bradbeer, Stacy Bukovac, Ashley Estabrook, Justine Harper, Morgan Galloway, Ashley Felleisen, Stefanie Cellitti, Mark Nagy



Third Year Award Winners

(top row:) Abby Wayman, Rose Gluvna, Dylan Morris, Mike Wawrowski (row 5:) Angie Wickert, Nathan Whipple, Josh Perkins, Brandon Lichtinger, Sarah Robinson, Erin Robinson, Leah Shumaker (row 4:) Lindsay Taylor, Thomas Weiss, Jodie Toward, Hayley Kilroy, Emily Byers, Heather Kincaid, Michael Romano (row 3:) Amanda Sadowcki, Sarah Holl, Amy Findak, Carolyn Fisher, Alison Fisher, Valerie Johnson, April Gregory, Monica Porostosky

(row2:) Margaret Dever, Shannon Daugherty, Stephen Epple, Todd Anderson, Vicki Smith, Jessica Scott, Jessie Rose (bottom row:) Glen Alexander, Ross Chasko, David Collinsworth, Greg Church, Kevin Cotingham, Kevin Craigo, Bobbie Raikes



FourthYear Award Winners

(top row:) Mike Walbeck, Matt Distin, Alex Hearn, Mike Bukky,

(row 5:) Karen Winland, Jessica Wainio, Maria Soriano, Kristen Andres, Stephanie Cline, Audrey Leonard, Casey Toward, Joe Kuhlman

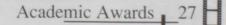
(row 4:) Corey Green, Rick Boonstra, Chris Durham, Eric Hughes, Rachelle Orris, Tiffany Howard, Stephanie Sparkman, Maria Norman, Dan Loesch

(row 3:) Rachel Klimkowicz, Zach Powell, Randy Schultz, Victoria Tomsic, Benjamin Vaidean, Megan Clark, Brad Eckert, Ashley Moles, Samantha Orogvany

(row 2:) Vanden Kovacs, Joe Judd, Ingrid Brainard, Kristy Hickman, Lindsay Schmid, Sara Fike, Tiffany Fulmer, Shannon Cavanagh, Amanda Venable

(bottom row:) Ann Brackman, Heather Britton, Kate Nicholson, Erica Baird, Beth

Balaban, Courtney Peine, Rachel Pike, Karla Kershaw, Crystal Moniot



I like everything about ski club, except when I would fall on the hill and people on the ski lifts would laugh at me and try to spit on me. -Jordan Reed



Junior Jordan Reed with senior Andy Repko.

Just arriving, Jenn Dulac, Carly Locke, Ryan Wintersteller, Ryan Miller, Andy Repko, Daniella Nunally, Michelle Mayer, and Katja Klose gather together before starting their long day in the mountains.



Senior Dan Gehring with juniors Amy Findak and Sara Holl get all buckled up and are ready to try again.



The thing I will remember about ski club was when Carly Locke and I got hit on by this nasty kid with snot all over his face. Now it's a big inside joke. -Michelle Mayer



28 Clubs

Sophomores Carly Locke and Michelle Mayer with junior Jordan Reed.



Ready to start their fun-filled winter day on the slopes. Juniors Amy Findak and Sara Holl along with senior Dan Gehring are eager to begin.



Midday senior Kristi Jackson continues her adventure on the slopes.



Ending the day, sophomore Michelle Mayer, juniors Jordan Reed and Daniella Nunnally, along with senior Ryan Wintersteller make the long ride home a little more interesting.

Sophomore Tyler Hanak checks to make sure that no one saw his wipe-out.



When a Snowilake Leaves The sky it turns to say, good-bye dear douds, so cool and gray! Then lighty travels on its way. -Mary Mape Dodge



(top row) Andy Repko, Ryan Miller, Ryan Wintersteller, Jenn Dulac, Michelle Mayer, Carly Locke (middle row) Katja Klose, Daniella Nunnally (bottom row) Mr. Morgan.



Andy Repko, Katja Klose, Ryan Miller, Jenn Dulac, Ryan Wintersteller, Daniella Nunally, Michelle Mayer, and Carly Locke take a quick rest before heading to the ski lifts.



I will miss the season. It was a fantastic year for skiing. -Mr. Morgan



Juniors Daniella Nunnally and Jenn Dulac with sophomores Carly Locke and Michelle Mayer warm up after their long cold day.





Katja Klose gets all suited up and ready to try her luck on the hill again.



(top row) Ryan Miller, Dan Gehring, Dan Loesch, Andy Repko, Kristi Jackson, Brandon Lichtinger, Monica Byram (middle row) Amy Findak, Sara Holl (bottom row) Katja Klose, Rachel Andres Ski Club 29

Faith, Fun, Food, and Fellowship Four F's of the MHS Fellowship of Christian Athletes





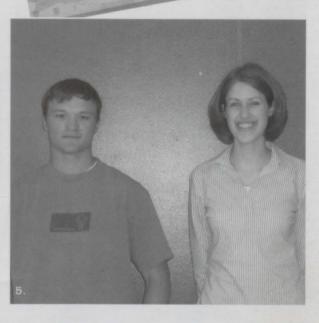


Reed, Jessica Scott, Eric Hughes, and Mr. Pniewski relax after a Monday meeting at Taco Bell. 2. Cassi Menko and Daniella Nunnally dance the night away at the middle school dance. 3. Eric Hughes gets down with his bad self at the middle school dance sponsored by FCA. 4. FCA members Angel Pasquierelli, Crystal Miniot, Ingrid Brainard, and Bethany Moles are all bundled up after going out in the cold to get to a meeting at Taco Bell. 5. Ben Pniewski and Jessica Scott were honored with the awards given to underclassmen for outstanding effort and dedication to the Madison High School FCA.

Taylor Pniewski, Steve

FCA was always very encouraging, and it was nice to know that there were other people in the building that I could talk to or pray with. -Crystal Moniot





30 Clubs



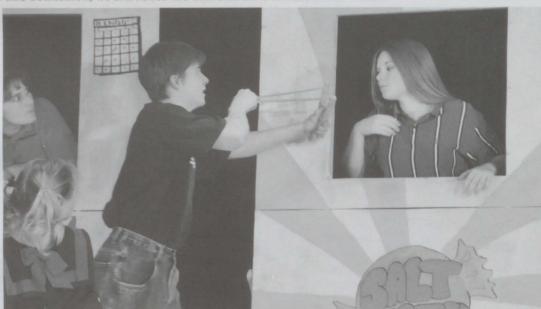


 Members of the FCA meet at Pizza Hut to discuss plans for the year.
 FCA chaperons Cassi Menko and Vicki Smith, chill at the middle school dance.
 Mr. Brainard feels right at home while he and Michelle Mayer tend the refreshment stand at the middle school dance.
 Right: Members of FCA read the bible before discussion at a Monday meeting Monday meeting.

Anthony Campofredano Ben Pniewski Fellowship of Christian Athletes 31



Ladies and Gentlemen, we introduce the cast and crew of Skin of Our Teeth.



Henry Antrobus (Josh Dean) kindly asks Ms. Tremayne (Ashley Elder) for some saltwater taffy.



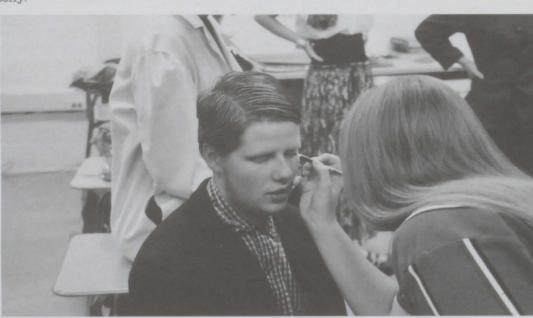
Rachel Gerard delivers her monologue as Esmerelda, the fortune teller.



Sabina the maid (Audrey Leonard) shows her frustration with Mr. Antrobus.



"Ohh Mrs. Antrobus!!" cries Sabina (Audrey Leonard) as she clings to Mrs. Antrobus's (Rachel Klimkowicz) leg.



Ashley Elder puts the finishing touches on Joe Kuhlman's makeup before show time. Clubs

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Behind the scenes, Jessie Scheve gets Rachel Klimkowicz ready for the stage.

Written by Thorton Wilder Directed by Ms. Kathy Jackson

After hearing the title, the audience assumed this year's play would be anything but normal, and they were right. From pet dinosaurs to the Greek philosopher Aristotle, this play kept the audience's attention glued to the stage from curtain to curtain. The story begins in Excelsior, New Jersey, at the home





of George Antrobus (played by Joe Kuhlman) and his wife and children. The play takes the audience through the invention of the wheel and survival during the Ice Age. Using amusing situations, it portrays how we, the human race, have survived many crises and hardships and pulled through "by the skin of our teeth.'



Rick Boonstra ponders his next line before delivering his monologue.



The face of a genius, Homer (Brandon Egy) waits to go on stage.



After a long business trip, George Antrobus (Joe Kuhlman) arrives home to his wife, kids, and dinosaur.



Brandon Lichtinger and Matt Gehring in a last minute run through discuss the meaning of life. Fall Play 33

Sui Iino, a foreign exchange student who fit right in at MHS, gets snugly with Madison's very own white ape.

Foreign exchange student Elisa Turchetti hangs out with her fellow teammates before the Christmas relays in Cleveland Heights.







It was a girl's night out for foreign exchange students Sui Iino, Shino Yoshimoto and Camilla Gerbassi. All three of them enjoyed their first prom night.

During a spring International Club meeting, Rose Gluvna chooses the colors she wants to use for the flowers she is going to make.



Experiencing Other Cultures



Foreign Exchange students Juan Granda, Sui Iino, Katja Klose, Shino Yoshimoto and Camilla Gerbassi are happy to be at the awards banquet standing with Mr. Fisher and Ms. France.



Teamwork was the most important aspect of International Club. Everybody helped each other trying to get things done.



Maria Norman poses with an Asian dish she made for the International Club meeting.

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Expanding Their Horizons

In the Foreign Exchange Program and International Club







Andrea Oliver proposes that the club sponsor an International Night.

2003 International Club: Mrs. Lennox, Branden Setler, Becky Wilson, Andrea Oliver, Linda Turner, Maria Norman, Rose Gluvna and Holly Engler.

Mrs. Lennox took over as advisor for the International Club and did a very good job this year. President Kristen Andres welcomes everyone to the 2003 NHS Induction Ceremony.

Senior Dan Loesch and Vanden Kovacs wait for the induction to begin.









Brandon Lichtinger and his mom share a moment of pride after the 2003 NHS Induction Ceremony.

Alison and Carolyn Fisher file into the lecture hall with all of the other inductees.

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Junior Greg Church signs the induction book as senior NHS member Karla Kershaw looks on to serve as a witness.

CITIZENSHIP--SERVICE--LEADERSHIP--SCHOLOARSHIP



Senior Joe Kuhlman



Senior Maria Soriano



Senior Stephanie Niederkorn

During the NHS Induction, candles were lit by the speakers. Each candle represented one of the four traits that NHS members should embody.

NHS—The Honor of a Lifetime Or at least of a junior or senior year





As new NHS inductees, these students are finally able to experience fully the acknowledgment of their hard work.

A feast fit for kings? Close. After the 2003 NHS Induction Ceremony the members and their friends and family members were invited to celebrate with some refreshments.





Rachel Klimkowicz and Alicia Egy hand Emily Byers her NHS pin and certificate.

Shelley Herron and Katie Nicholson spend a few moments together before entering the lecture hall.



Our Fearless Leaders



Mr. Madore









The Newspaper Staff

 Mark Nagy and Brandon Egy work together to proof their article.
 Glen Alexander and Stephanie Cline look over the final product.



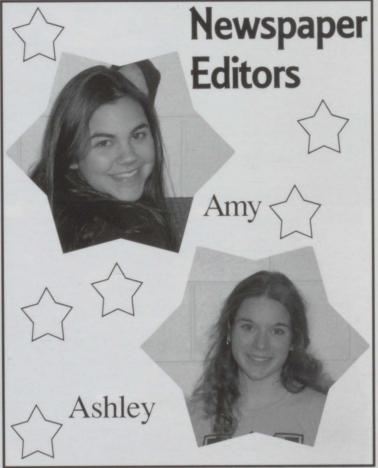
 Amanda Titman and Stacey Bukovac work to get the job done.
 Editor Ingrid Brainard takes a rest before getting to work.



5. Look! It's Jessica Scott in a tree! 6. Jessie Rose looks for a person to interview.







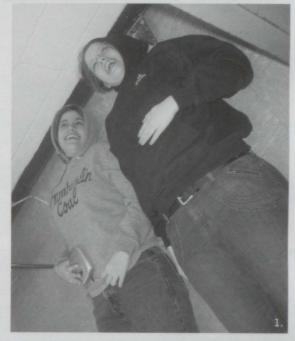
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Capturing Our Year Yearbook and Newspaper gather our memories

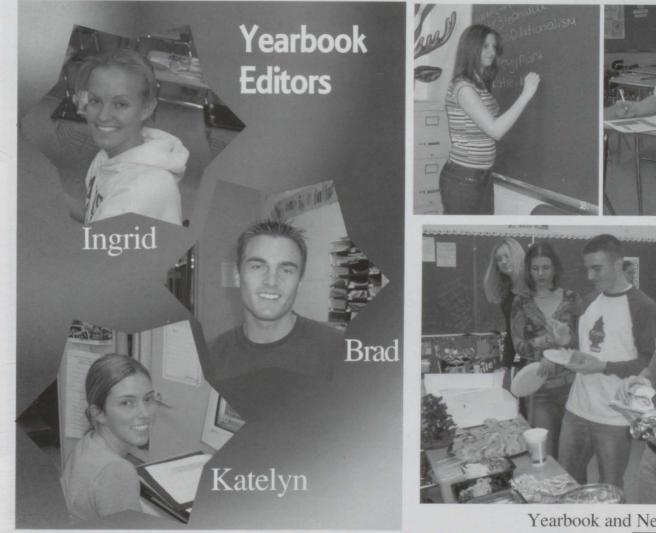


The Yearbook Staff

1. Working hard, or hardly working? Cassi Menko and Heather Warowski relax during newspaper. 2. Newspaper staff member Ashley Wrobleski writes story assignments on the board.

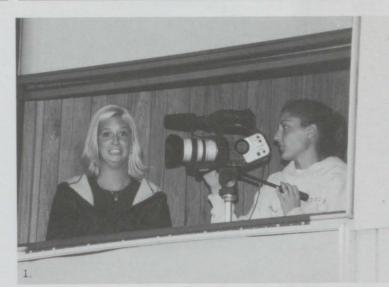


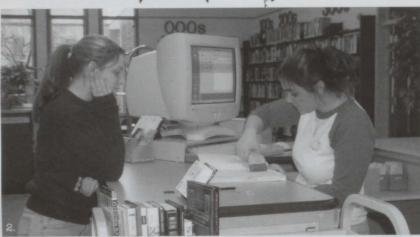
3. Brittany Burkholder, a member of the yearbook staff, makes a spread and is checking it twice. 4. Members of the yearbook staff chow down on a big, reward lunch after making their first deadline.



Getting A New View Of The Year Through books and camera lens









Eek! A.V. isn't as easy as it looks! Monica Ungers and Karla Kershaw go for the perfect angle.

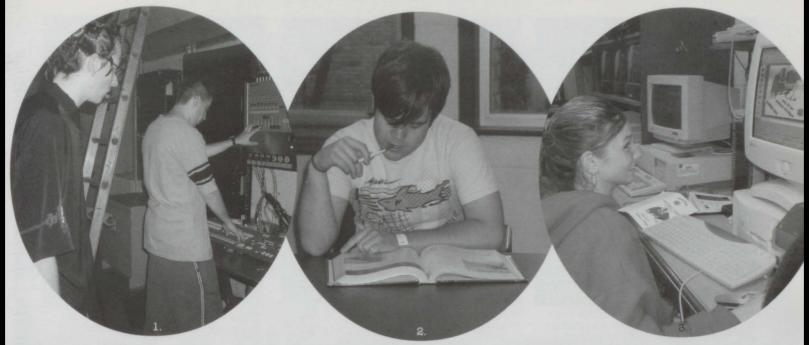
Amy Findak helps out in the library by checking out Leia Gerard's books.
 These students find the new computers in the library very helpful!
 Samantha Krotz and Mikah Allen enjoy a reward luncheon for all their help

in the library this year.





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1. Britton Nicholls and Matt Caudill make things perfect as they prepare

2. Mike Schiberl crams for a final in the library's new by-permission-only study table.

3. Putting on the finishing touches, Sarah Dunkle works on the comput-

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ers.
4. Erin Kuester, also known as Mini-Mosk, does an expert taping job at Prom 2003.
5. Charlie Gorman, Dustin Osborne, and Alex Hearn take a break from all their head merk in A V.

6. Josh Hehmeyer gets the perfect shot during a pep assembly this year. 7. All work and no play. Matt Buchanan reads through a book in the library







A.V. and Library 41



"SADD was really successful this year, and I'm proud of everyone who helped out. Thanks guys!"- SADD president Katie Spath.



"Don't do drugs!" says everyone's favorite TI advisor Mr. Hertrick.

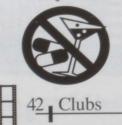


Well it looks like TI's president Mike Delillo agrees with Mr. Hertrick.



Members of SADD (top row:) Officer Caswell, Samantha Wharram, Crystal Dooley, (middle row:) Priscilla Barnes, Tabitha Blalock, Liz Petry, Amanda Cline, Matt Mcguire, Erin Kuester, Becky Perty, (bottom row:) Annamarie Smith, Ashley Wickert, Michael Turner, Katie Spath, Jennifer Torok, Marsha Reynolds, and

Members of Teen Institute: Casey Toward, Rachel Andres, Sarah Holl, Kristen Andres, Brandon Lichtinger, Jodie Toward, Audrey Leonard, Krystal Posavad, Joe Kuhlman, Ashley Elder, Tom Weiss, Lindsey Taylor, and Amy Findak.





Raising Awareness Throughout the year students are faced with tough decisions. SADD and II around the community, and to the here do other programs



Look at the beautiful flower Teen Institute planted!

Throughout the year students are faced with tough decisions. Students Against Destructive Decisions (SADD) and Teen Institute (TI) try to demonstrate the right choices to make. With activities like the Grim Reaper, Prom Promise, Rocking the Ramps, and various dances these groups work hard to raise money. The money then goes to specific organizations

around the community, and also to help do other programs the rest of the year. Both groups do their part to show kids the right choice to make. Without them there wouldn't be the dances after football games in the beginning of the year and more importantly there would be less awareness of the dangers of drugs and alcohol.



The grim reaper and her associate find new ways to bring justice to those who dink and drive.



TI members Brandon Egy, Joe Kuhlman, Ashley Elder, Krystal Posavad, Sarah Holl, and Lindsey Taylor goof off instead of doing their work at the Rocking the Ramps.



Katiel What in the world is the president of SADD doing out of the meeting?



Tom Weiss and Mike Delillo are so dedicated . They went to every event that TI hosted.







1. Seniors Kristen Andres, Maria Soriano and junior Jessica Rose strut their stuff for the audience.

2. Baily Venable and Dawn Bittner love having the job of costage managers.

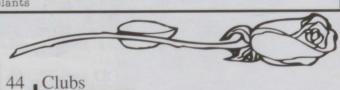
3. This is one girl you don't want to upset. Don't be late for a date, unless you want to be the dinner.

4. The men behind the music. Mark Weiss, Juan Granda, and Sammy Leonard make sure every song has its beat. They did have Miss Groah on piano to help them.

5. Rachel Andres and Matt Gehring try hard to get Josh Dean to make the deal.

6. Techies Kyle Garcia, Matthew Gilmer, Gregory Shaner, Hayley Kilroy, Michael Turner, Jessica Fleischer, Tabitha Zukoski, Sara Uveges, Brittney Holroyd, Baily Venable, Dawn Bittner. They give their all working backstage and certainly deserve a thumbs-ups.

7. Members of the choir plead with the crowd to not feed the plants











Little Shop of Horrors A romantic comedy that will eat you up!

"Lights, camera, action!" The stage goes dark, the music starts and the show goes on. With a dedicated cast and crew who worked hard during practices, the show was a huge hit. "I really loved it. It was so funny," says sophomore Nicole Meeker. That was the general response from everyone who went. "It was a lot of fun working with all the crew, and meeting new people," says backstage crew member Jessica Fleischer. The cast and crew got along very well together and put on a great show. Thanks to all the cast and crew for an awesome performance.

The cast and crew thank Mrs. Bowden for all her hard work in pulling the show together.



Just another day at the office for Brandon Lichtinger, but Josh should check to see if he has good medical insurance.



Parting is such sweet sorrow. The time has come for Audrey to leave, but she'll always be in Seymor's



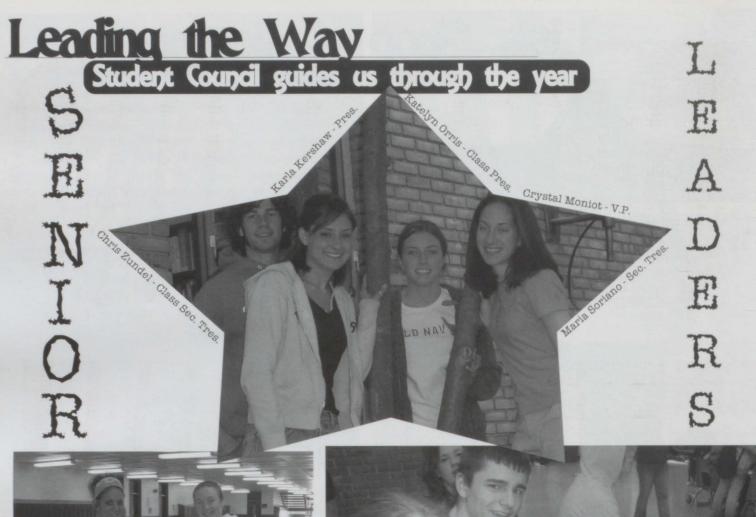
Kristen Andres and her little sister Rachel love performing together. They just brighten the mood of those around stage with their smiles.



Techies Brandon Egy, Hayley Kilroy, Michael Turner, Tabitha Zukoski hang out backstage instead of working. Shame, shame, shame.



Heidi Baker, Maria Soriano, Emily Byers, Heather Kincaid try to remain calm as they hang out backstage.





Showing off their Madison Pride, Seniors Allison Izzarelli and Angela Wickert strut their stuff.

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Hoping to take first place at Madison's Octoberfest, Kristen Andres and Rick Boonstra carve a beautiful pumpkin.





Lauren Kidder - Pres. 46 Clubs

Monica Porostosky - V.P.

Lindsey Taylor - Sec. Tres.

Sophomores

Mark Nagy - Pres.

Meridith Misich - Sec. Tres.



Matt McGuire chows down a piece of pie putting him in Kicking back, Jessica Scott sports the junior hallway theme of summer fun. second place.















... The Changing of Faces

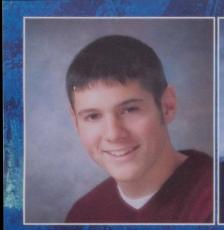


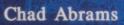
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No doubt all of us will nonchalantly flip through these pages, a barrage of faces, some known some not. However, this assortment of faces is also an archive of characters with eccentricities and personalities galore that filled our lives and hallways with moments of true friendship, or perhaps just a little conversation. These are the faces of Madison High School. At a glance they each seem to fit within a group such as the overachievers, the loners, or the jocks. Yet to label a face to a group is untrue to the individual. With forty pictures of telling eyes per page one ought to think of Helen Keller's famous quote, "I am one but still I am one. I cannot do everything but still I can do something." Deep within each pair of eyes in each face, in each picture, on each page lies a talent, a mind, and soul. These expressions and smiles will without a doubt change, but will hopefully greet us again, whether in the hallways or at class reunions, in the years to come.







Zachary Anderson



Kristen Andres



Devin Artz



D.J. Askew



Erica Baird



Beth Balaban



Heather Balaban



Julia Ball



Jennifer Bierer



Liz Beattie

Dawn Bittner



Stephanie Beller



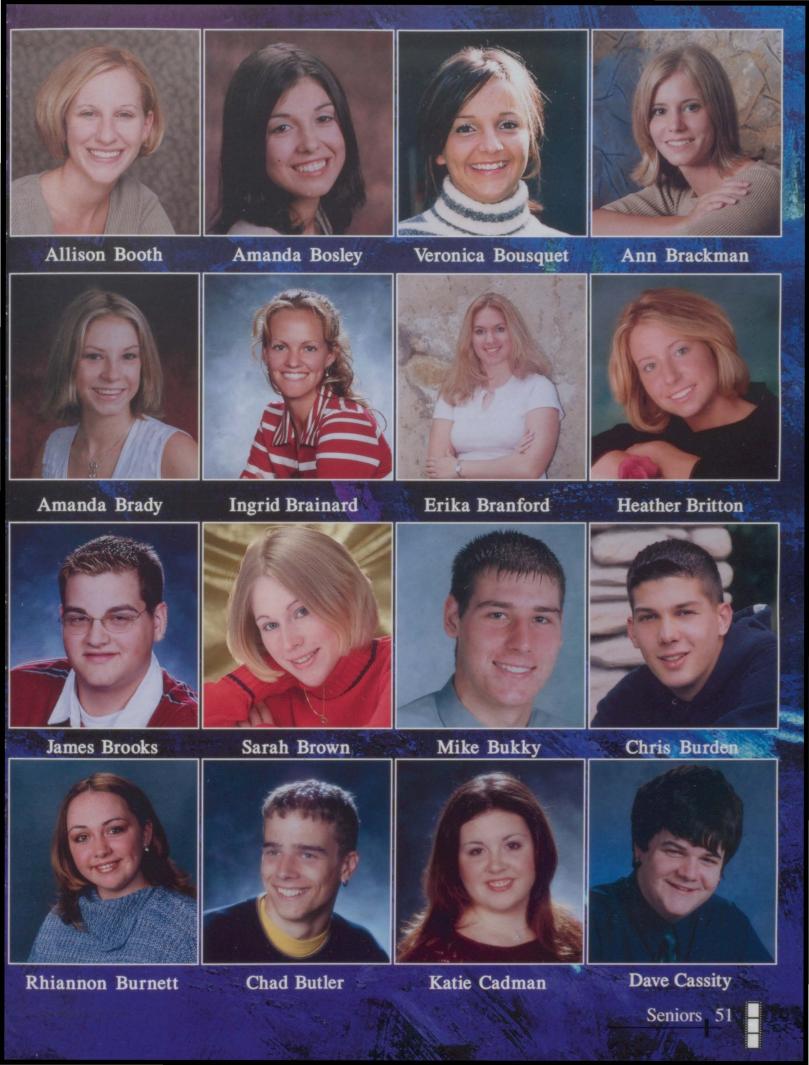
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Scott Bennett



Rick Boonstra





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Shannon Cavanagh



Mike Cavender



Cory Chartier



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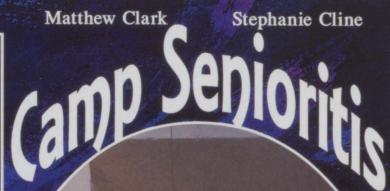
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Liz Collins



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Crystal Cottos



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Movie Tommy Boy The Ring Super Troopers Dumb & Dumber Pretty Woman 8 Mile

TV Show Friends Saved by the Bell Simpsons MTV That 70's Show

Seniors survey the superstars...

Song "No Such Thing" "Lose Yourself" "Dirrty" "The Good Stuff" "A Moment Like This"



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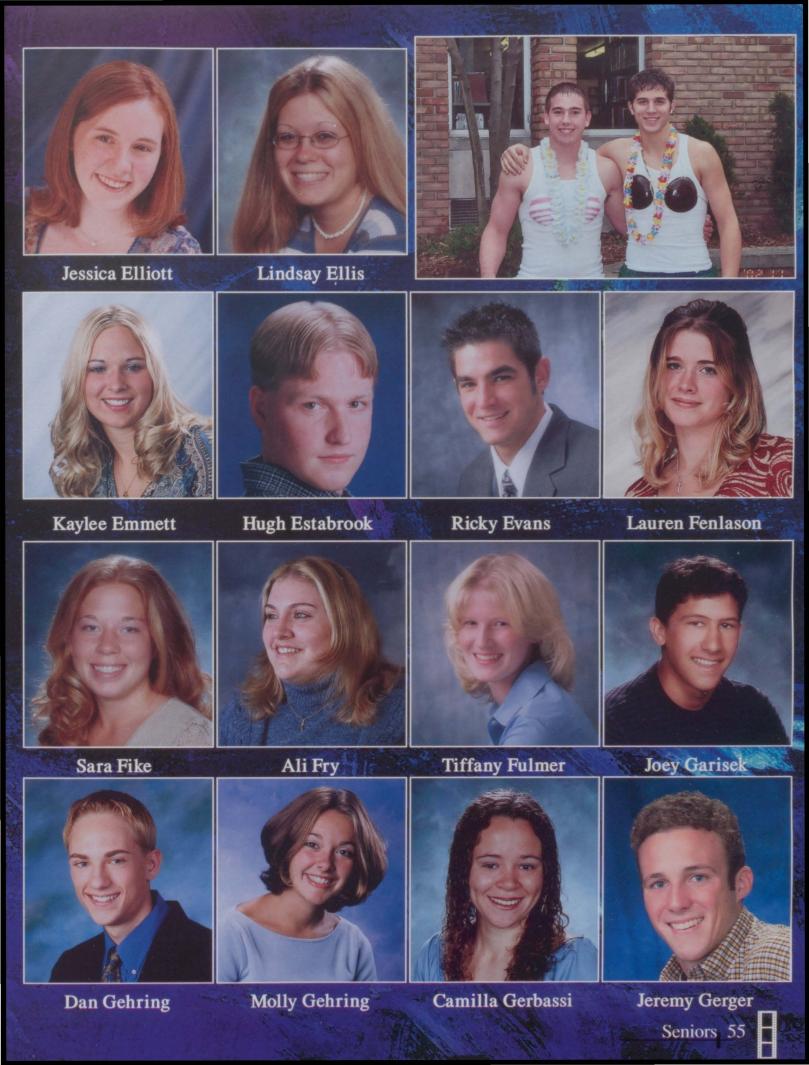
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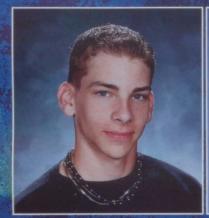


Seniors on the g Place to shop Salvation Army American Eagle Express Abercrombie & Fitch Hang Out A friend's house **Giant Eagle** Subway The mall

> **Favorite Teacher** Mr. Loeffel Mrs. Sampson Mr. Hanes Mrs. Moskowitz







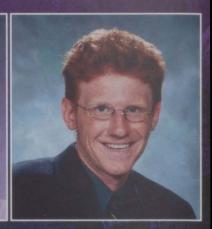
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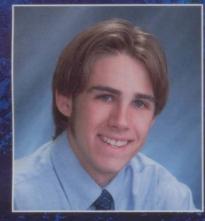


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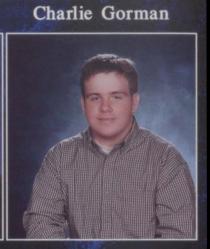
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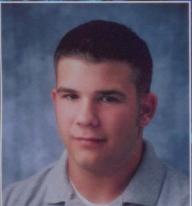
Jeff Hallenbeck



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Dave Harris

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Jessica Hart



Corey Haycox



Nickolas Hayes



Alex Hearn



Tim Heckman

"Work like you don't need the money, love like your hearts never been broken, dance like no one is watching." Kate Nicholson

"If you see a turtle on a fence post, you know it didn't get there by itself. Ali Fry





Don't let anyone catch you frowning; at that moment, they could be falling in love with your smile. Chad Abrams

"Wear a smile, give it your best, and let God do the rest. Ingrid Brainard

It's better to let people think you're an idiot than to open your mouth and prove it." Liz Beattie

Seniors 57



Shelley Herron





Allison Izzarelli



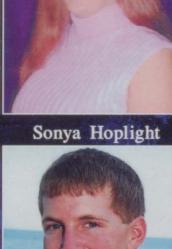
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Kristi Jackson



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Nick Jefferson



Danielle Johnson



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Jay Judy



Brian Jeratovac 58 Classes



Sherri Johnson



Chris Joyner



Joe Judd

WARNING... future ahead

Reasons Seniors Chose Their Specific Colleges:

> Academics Location Tuition Sports Partying Religon



Best way to Keep in Touch With Madison Friends After Graduation:

> Email Telephone Live with friend AOL Visit each other

What's Your Dream Car?

Honda S200, Mustang Convertable, BMW, Eclipse Convertable, Mercedes Benz, Ford Focus, Toyota Celica, Lexus, Orange Jeep, Dodge Viper, Porsche



Jessica Kallio

Rachel Katona



Chris Kehn



Carly Keipert

Seniors remember their high school "OOPS"

"When I was a freshman, the senior guys made me hit on older girls." -Keith Krejci

"My friends pulled my chair out from under me at lunch." -Jessie Hart

"My bra fell out of my bookbag and some guy picked it up and started yelling "A bra, A bra!" -Rachel Klimkowicz

"When I was walking a shoe flew off someone's foot and hit me in the head." -Katie Cadman

"My pants dropped during a soccer game." -Dustin Osborne "Falling down the bleachers at a football game." -Amanda Bosley

"I farted in front of my math teacher." -Jared Pikor "Getting caught on tape stealing zebra cakes." -Josh Hehmever

"Dropping a 150-pound weight on my neck and going to the hospital." -Cassie Menko

"Hitting Ashleigh Perkins while driving in front of everybody." -Randy Schultz

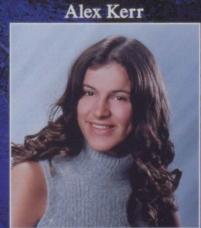


Karla Kershaw



Aaron Keiss

Heather Kincaid



Rachel Klimkowicz



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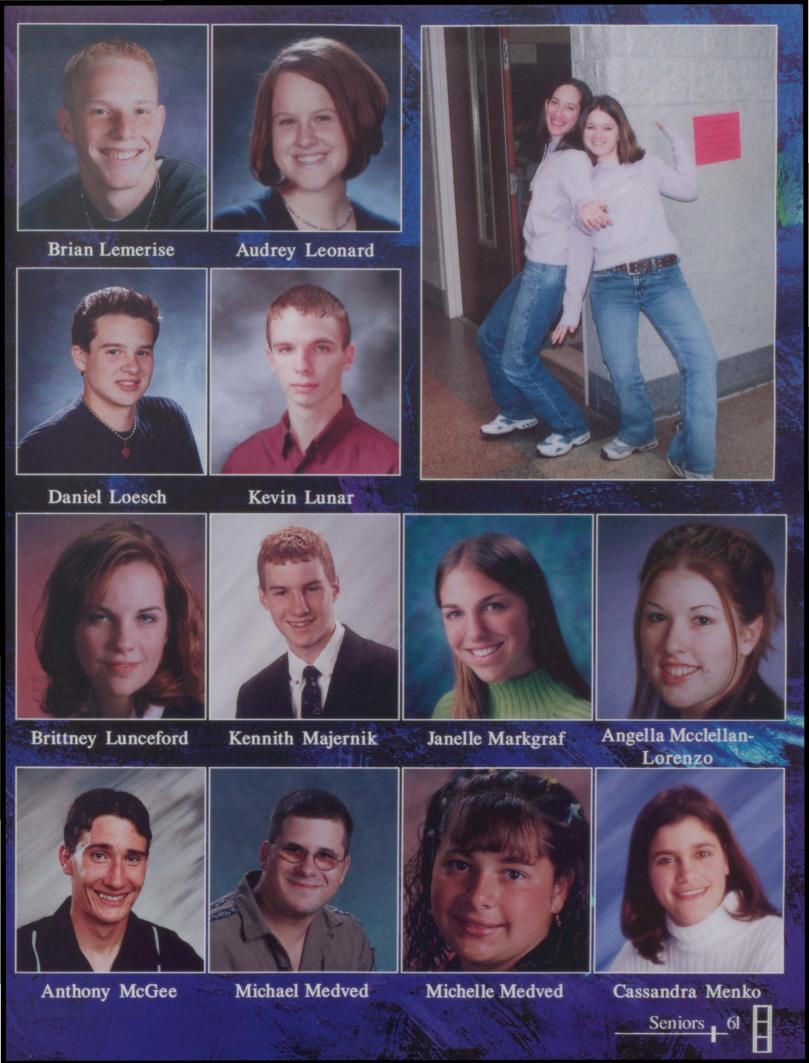


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Joe Kuhlman Seniors 59







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Ashley Moles



Crystal Moniot



Traves Moody



Kate Nicholson



Stephanie Niederkorn



Maria Norman



Jamie Oelbracht

Classes



Matt Norris

Samantha Orogvany





Josh Nunnally Dan O'Flaherty Seniors favorite pick-up lines

Do you believe in love at first sight, or should I walk by again? -Alex Kerr/Liz Beattie/Aaron Kiess If I wrote the alphabet, I'd put "u" and "i" together. -Katelyn Orris Did it hurt when you fell out of heaven? -Allison Booth/Amanda Bosley/Lauren Fenlason Are you Greek?...'cause I thought all goddesses were. -Garrett Csepegi/Joe Judd Are you Jamaican?...'cause Jamaican me crazy. -Mike Schiberl Are you a parking ticket?...'cause you have fine written all over you. -Kristen Andres/Heather Britton



What don't you understand about the opposite sex?

Why they act like they're gay -Liz Beattie/Kate Nicholson

What is their obsession with same-sex relationships -Tiffany Howard

Why they say safety when they fart -Katleyn Orris Why they lead you on and break your heart -Ali Fry

Why they're afraid to say how they feel -Katie Cadman

Why they obsess over their cars -Stephanie Bellar Why they are fascinated with body functions -Shannon Cavanaugh

Why they won't ask for directions -Julia Ball How they can play vidoegames for hours and hours -Kim Piorkowski

Why they think they're always right -Keith Krejci When you give them compliments and they take them the wrong way and get mad -Jeremy Gerger Why they have so many mood swings -Ricky Evans/Dustin Osborne

Why they go to the bathroom at least two at a time -Mike Schiberl/Randy Schultz

Why what they say isn't really what they mean -Matt Osborne/Mike Samplak

Why they take so long to get ready -Chad Abrams

Why they date people who treat them bad and then just keep coming back for more -Joe Judd





Katelyn Orris



Dustin Osborne



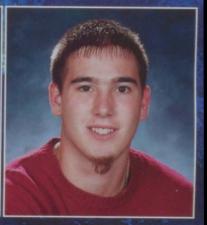
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Courtney Peine



Rachelle Orris



Matt Osborne



Angel Pasquarelli



Matt Patton



Sarah Pearson



Ashleigh Perkins





Tess Polivka Classes



Jessie Potter

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Charles Robinson



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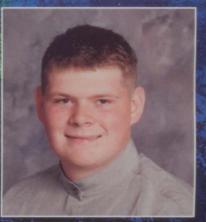
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Thomas Rose



James Rosier



William Ryan

Michael Samplak

Seniors 65

If I could capture one moment from this year, it would be ...

...my trip to Dayton with the tennis team and winning the doubles tournament. Katelyn Orris

...getting my tongue pierced and going to California. -Pam Lawrence ...being introduced with my team at "Madtown Madness." -Rachel Pike

...playing Unionville football with friends. -Matt Osborne

...my Algebra 2B class. It was the best! -Katie Schultz

...when the boys cross country team won the P.A.C. -Randy Schultz ...all the fun the girls soccer team had together. -Molly Gehring/Alicia Egy/ Janelle Markgraf

...salt in Earley's kool-aid. -Aaron Kiess

...any time Jordan and Dana sang "I will eat your face." -Kristen Andres ...walking down the line at Homecoming and seeing Kovie crowned king. He deserved it. -Mike Dunkle

...being on stage for the last time with the family I have made in the show choir. -Heather Kincaid

...Zundel dressed like a girl...so gross! -Josh Heymeyer

...sophomore year going to Homecoming with my best friends in a limo. -Jessica Kallio

...Mr. Fickenscher explaining the upcoming welfare class to Chem A.P. -Joe Judd/Melissa Kuntz

...the sewage problem we had. -Angella Mcclellan

...the two nights we toilet papered Mr. Zundel's house. -Matt Toward ...the night the volleyball team beat Riverside...it was awesome! -Crystal Moniot ...my first concert (Tim McGraw), my first boyfriend, our first b-ball championship, and the first time I heard Keith called "Mr. Brainard." -Ingrid Brainard ...all the football games: beating South by one, VASJ in overtime, beating Chardon to win the P.A.C. for the first time, painting up, making the Playoffs, and the atmosphere in general. -Keith Krejci/Ricky Evans/Mike Samplak/ Jeremy Gerger/ Sarah Fike/Kristi Jackson/Rachel Klimkowicz/Maria

Soriano/Chris Burden/Heather Britton/Tom Collinsworth

...Homecoming! -Allison Booth/Stephanie Bellar/Kate Nicholson ...Graduation! -Amanda Brady/ Lauren Fenlason/Julia Ball/ Kaylee Emmett



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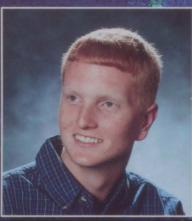
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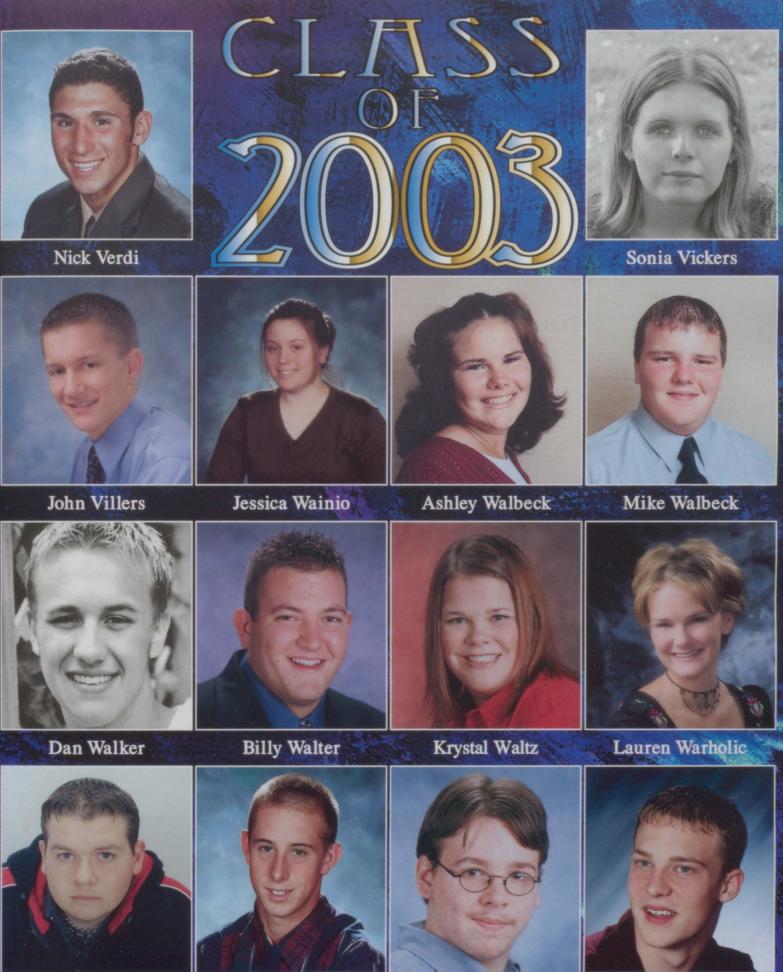


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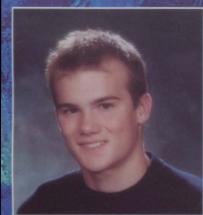


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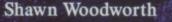


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Josh Perkins

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Capturing Our Youth Seniors reminisce about the good ol' days

A little dirty, Erica Baird and Beth Balaban freeze after rolling around in th

> Aaron Keiss and Josh Hehmeyer prepare for their next karate class.

Strike a posel Casey Toward, Rachelle Orris, Allison Booth, Shelley Herron, and Vicky Tomsic have lots of fun at Camp Fitch.



These seniors enjoy the life outdoors at Hidden Valley



Up all night, Beth Balaban, Kristi Jackson, Ingrid Brainard, Erica Baird, Crystal Moniot, and Karla Kershaw have a big sleepover.

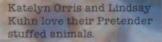


Friends forever (top row) Devin Daughters, Nick Horvath, Keith Kreji, Charlie Gorman, Eric Hughes (bottom row) Chris Durham, Chris Kehn, Aaron Parks, Randy Schultz, Chris Zundel, Dan Sprague.

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Having a little too much fun, Eric Hughes, Chris Kehn, and Ricky Evans experience a day in the life of the opposite sex.







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Ann Brackman

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Audrey Leonar

he Fish Box

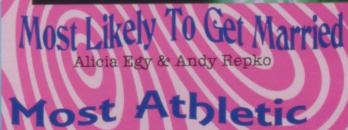
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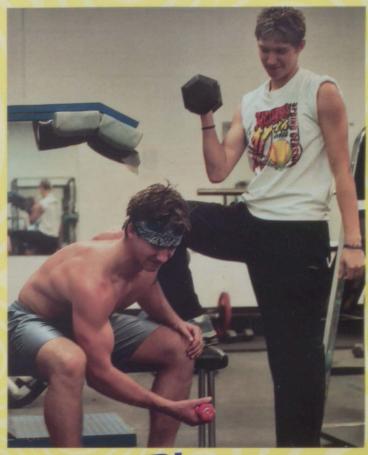
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Most Friendly

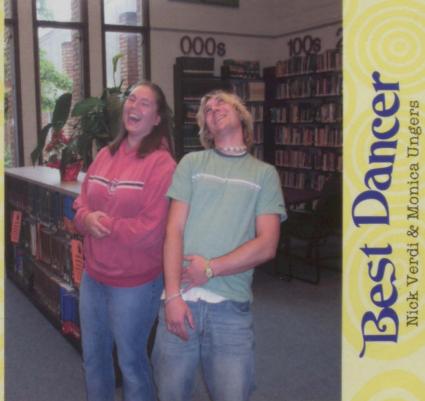
Vanden Kovacs & Stephanie Sparkman



Best Physique

Rachel Pike & Aaron Parks

Superlatives 75



Most Notable Laugh

Senior Advice

Wisened seniors advise the underclassmen

Jeremy Gerger: "Work really hard for your first three years and do some partying, so you can party hard and barely do any work your senior year."

Joe Kuhlman: "Always bring a towel."

> Amanda Venable: "If you plan on applying for a lot of scholarships, do a lot of service hoursplus they're good to do."

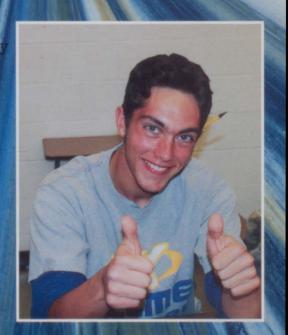
Beth Balaban: "Do Post-secondary. It'll prepare you for life after High School, and yes, there is life beyond Madi son High.

Joe Judd: "(You) (but don't be obnox

Monica Ungers: while it lasts becaus end before you know













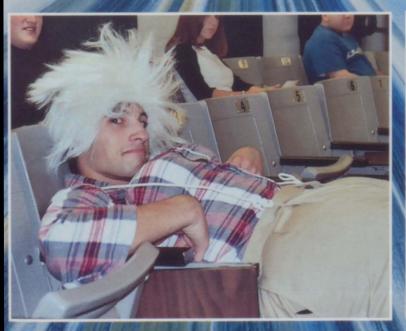
And the Seniors Did It Their Way

And now, the end is near; And so I face the final curtain. My friend, I'll say it clear, I'll state my case, of which I'm certain.

I've loved, I've laughed and cried. I've had my fill; my share of losing. And now, as tears subside, I fin<u>d it</u> all so amusing.

To think I did all that; And may I say - not in a shy way, "No, oh no not me, I did it my way".--*Frank Sinatra*



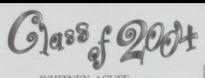


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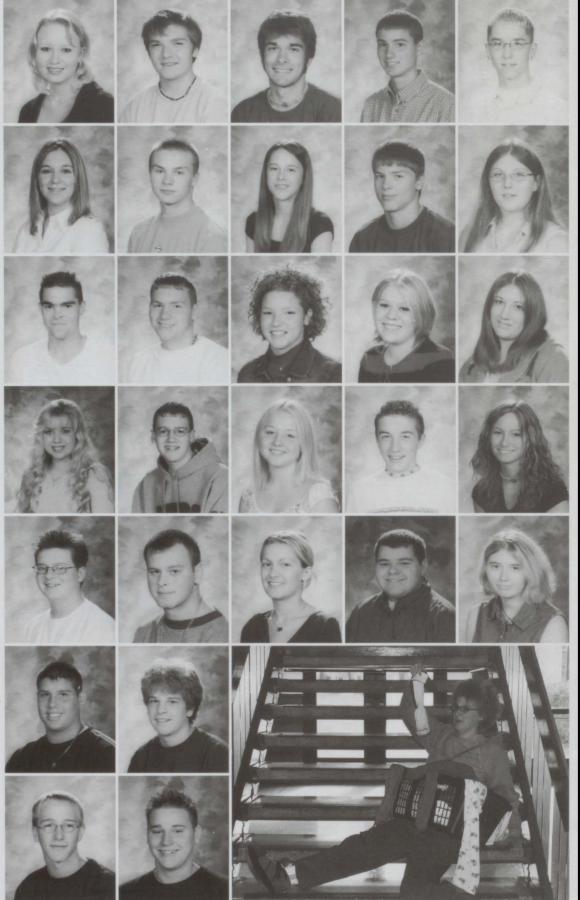
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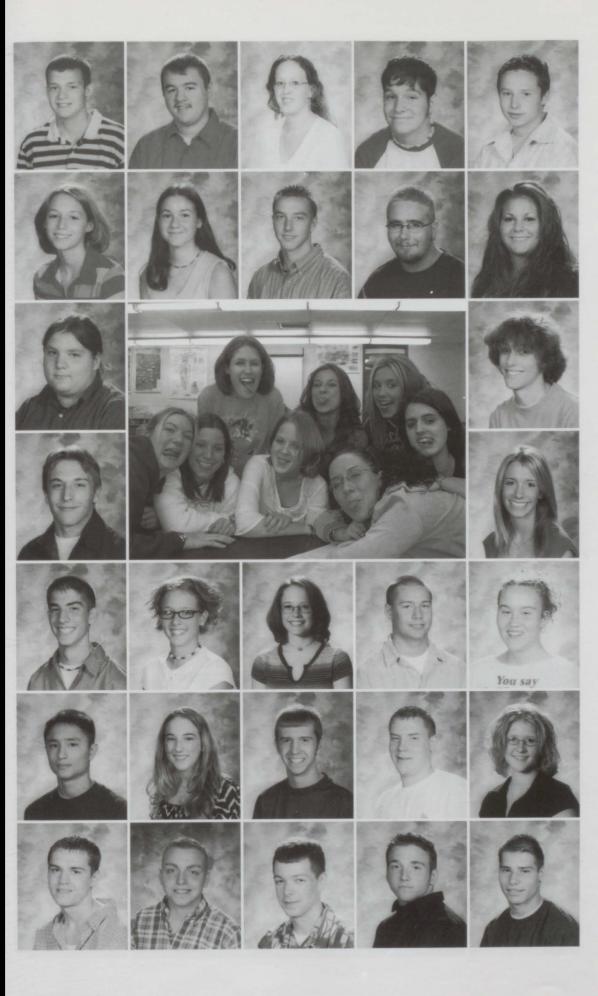
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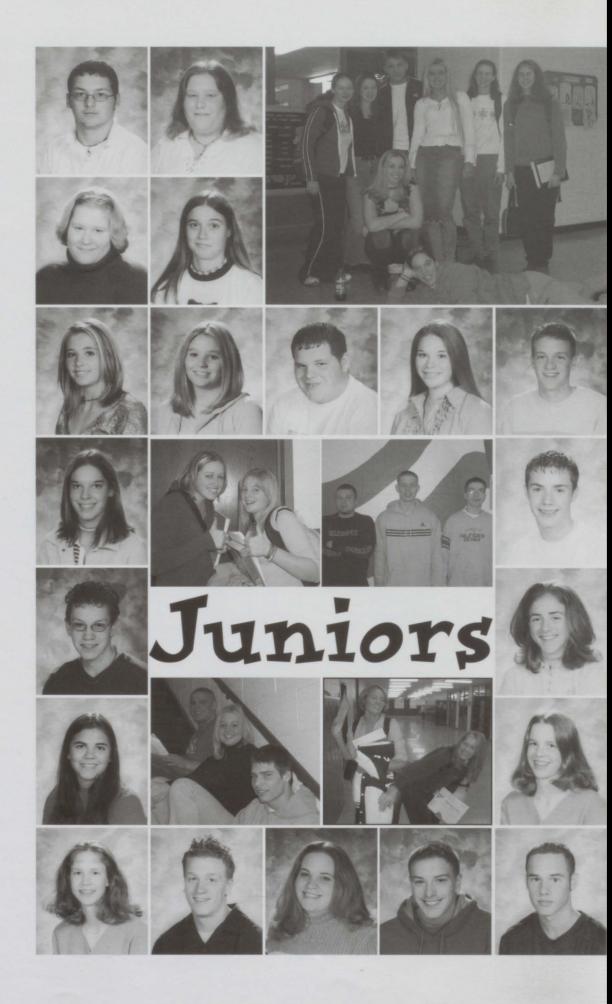
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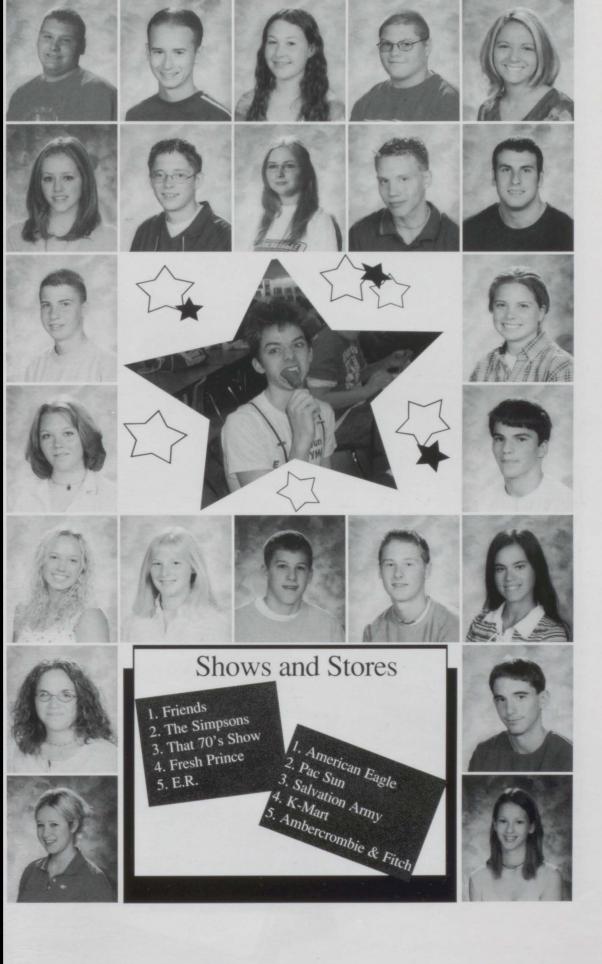
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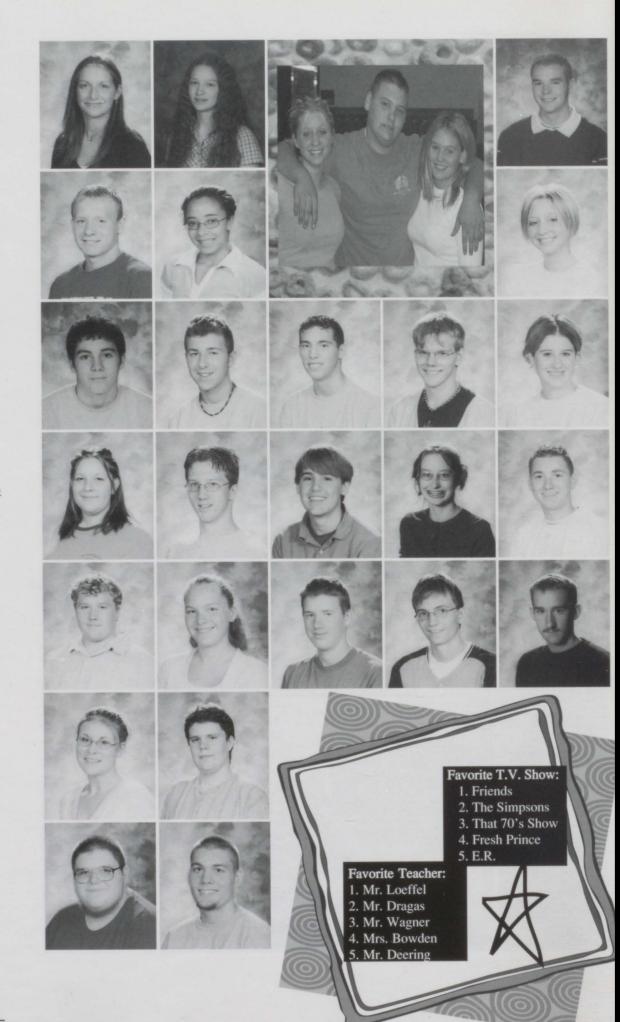
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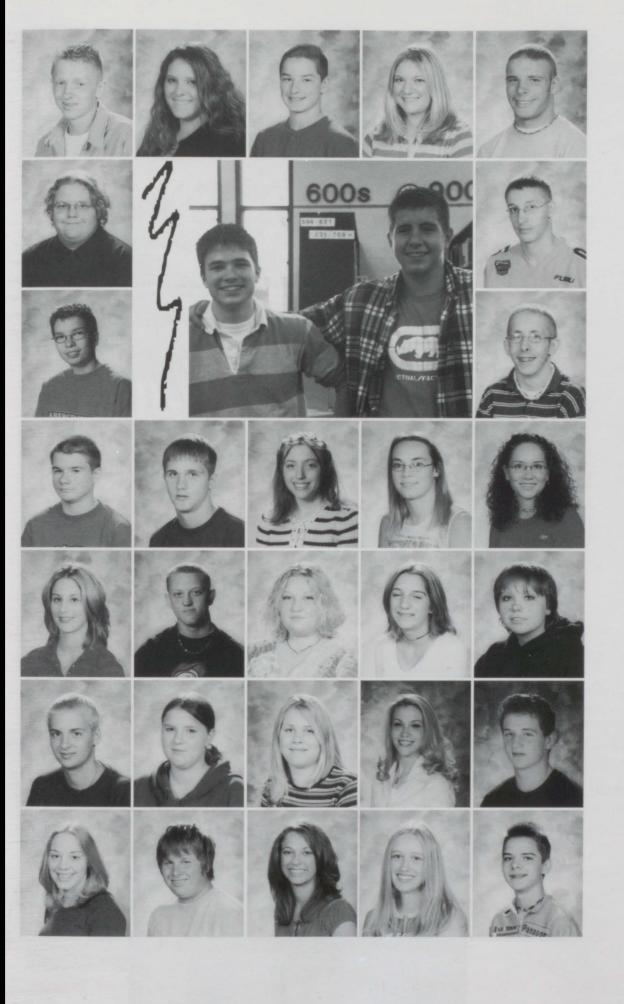
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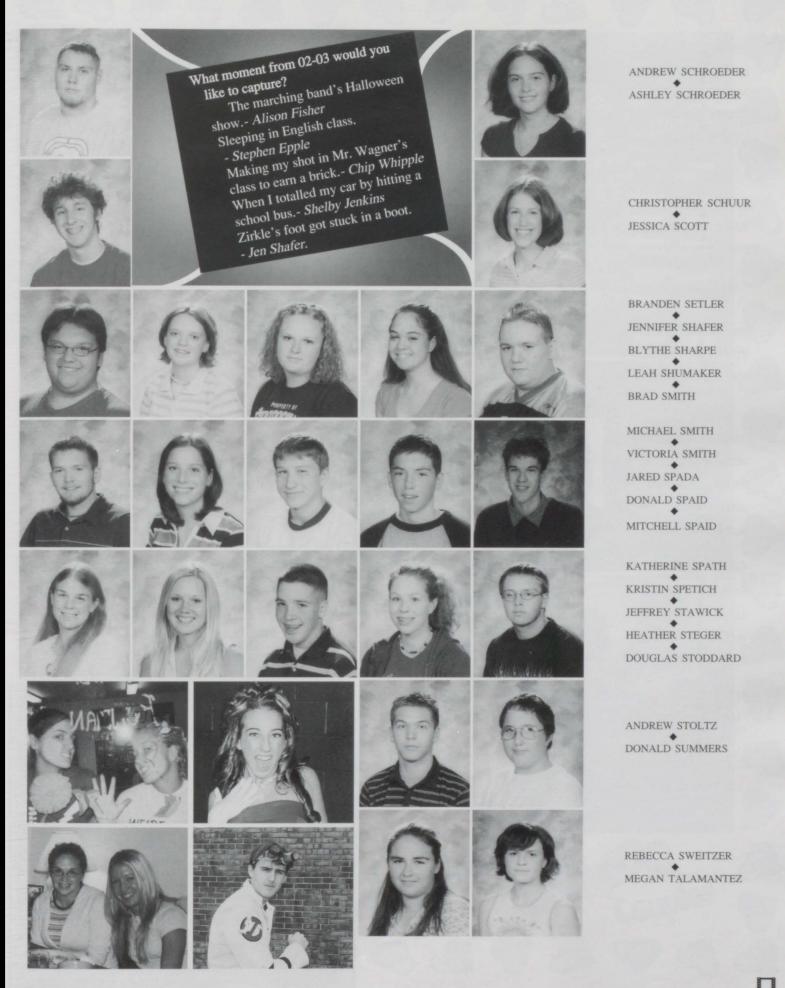
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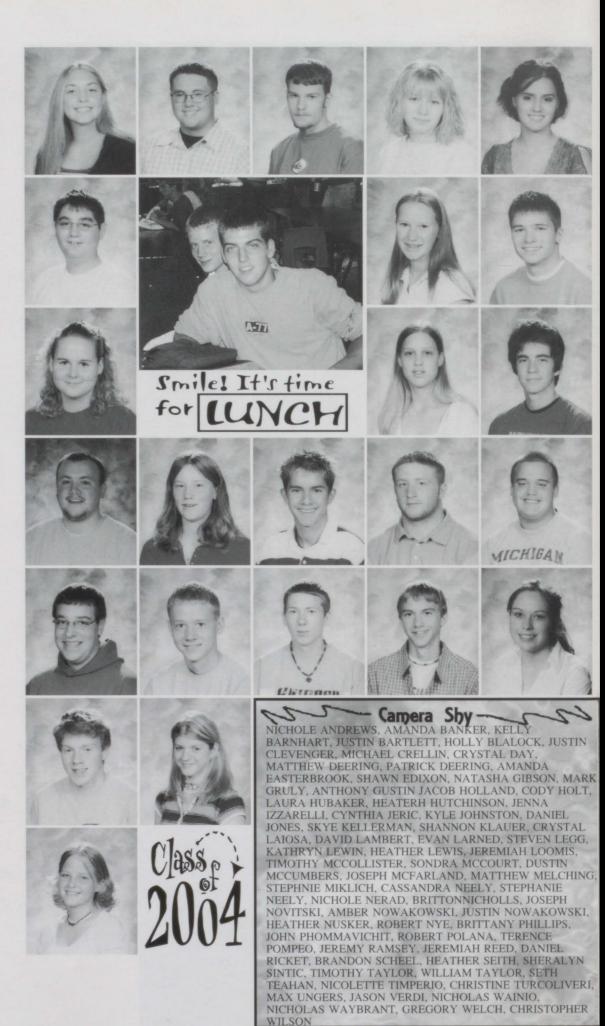
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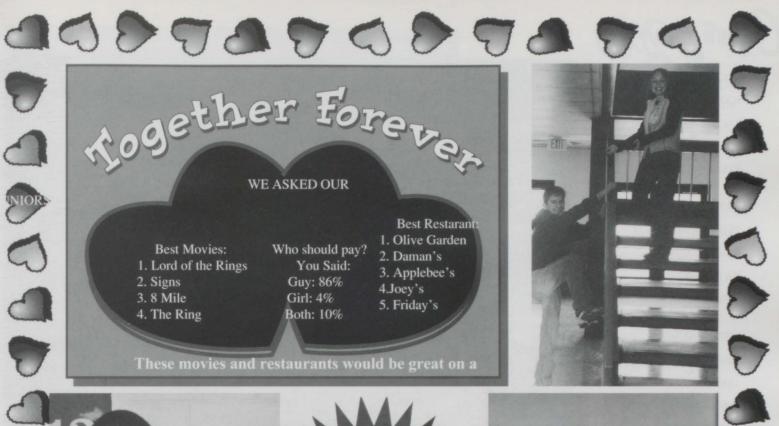
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We asked our juniors what signs people give if they like them...

"Googly eyes," Vicki Smith. "Buy you stuff," Kim Grabel. "They laugh at stupid jokes, make excessive eye contact, and balance a cup on their face while jumping rope in a pit of lions," Kevin Cottingham. "Jump on you and give you a big wet one," Viv Bently. "Guys are kind of rude," Monica Porostosky.

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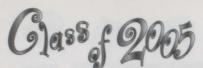




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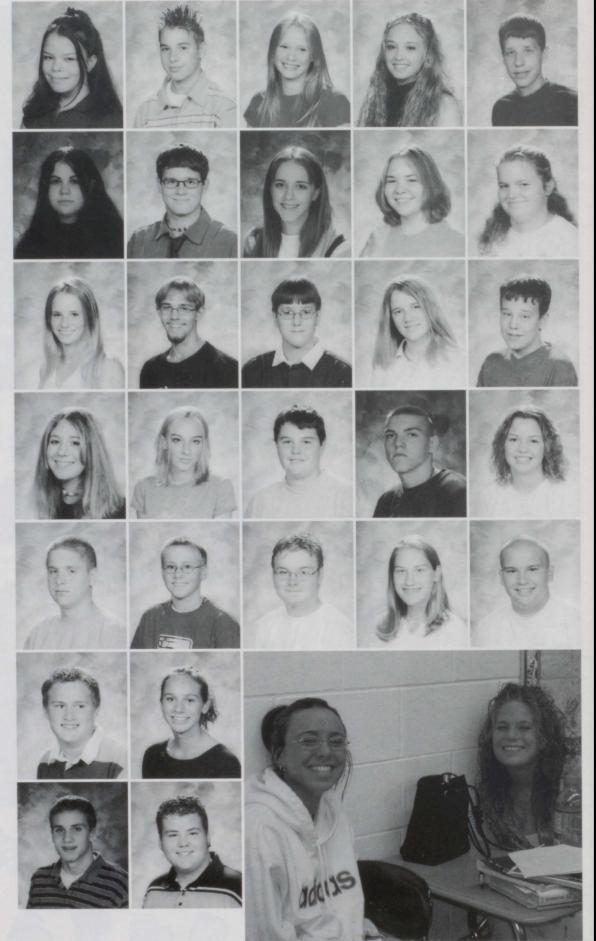
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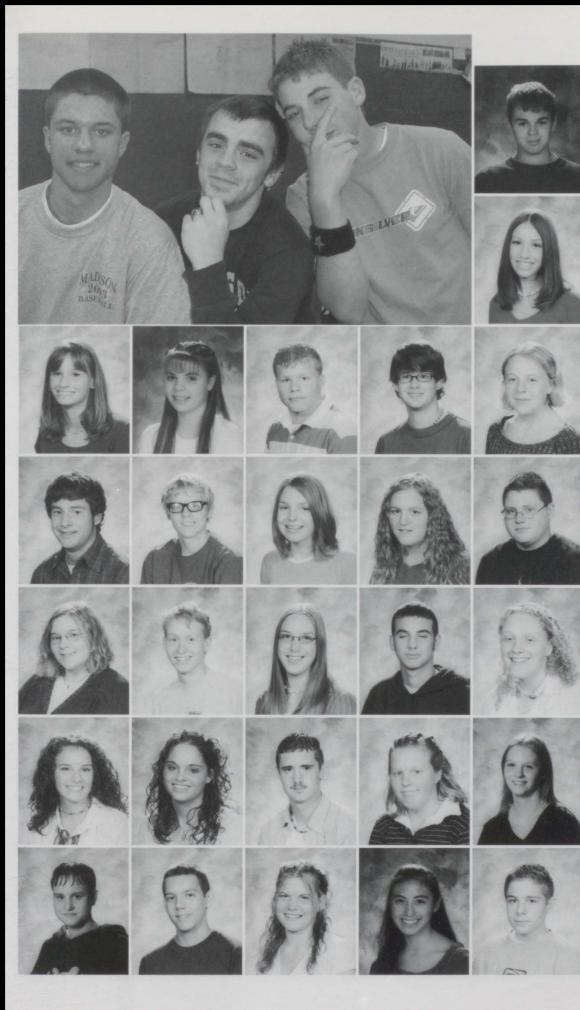
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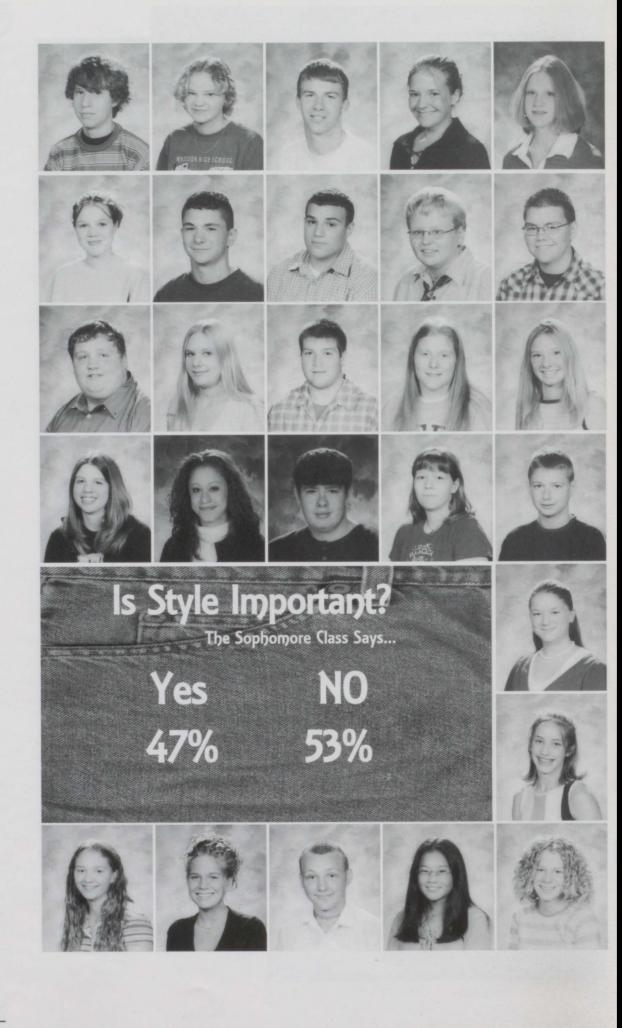
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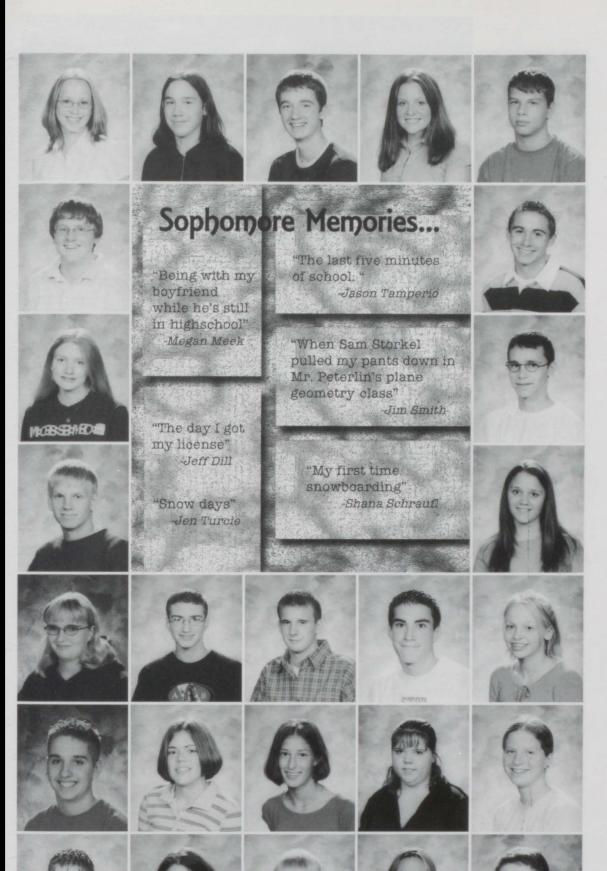
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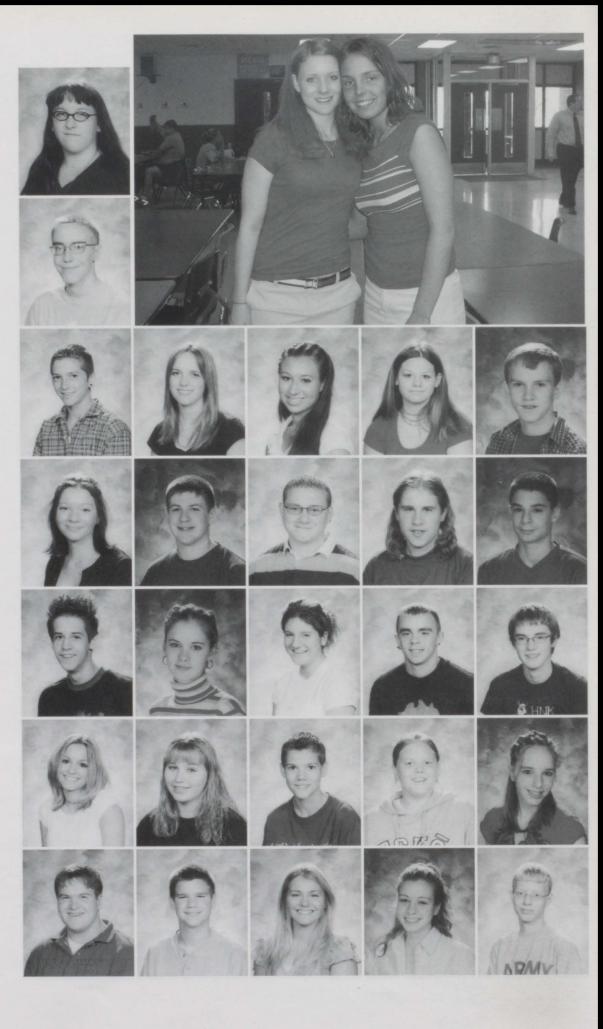
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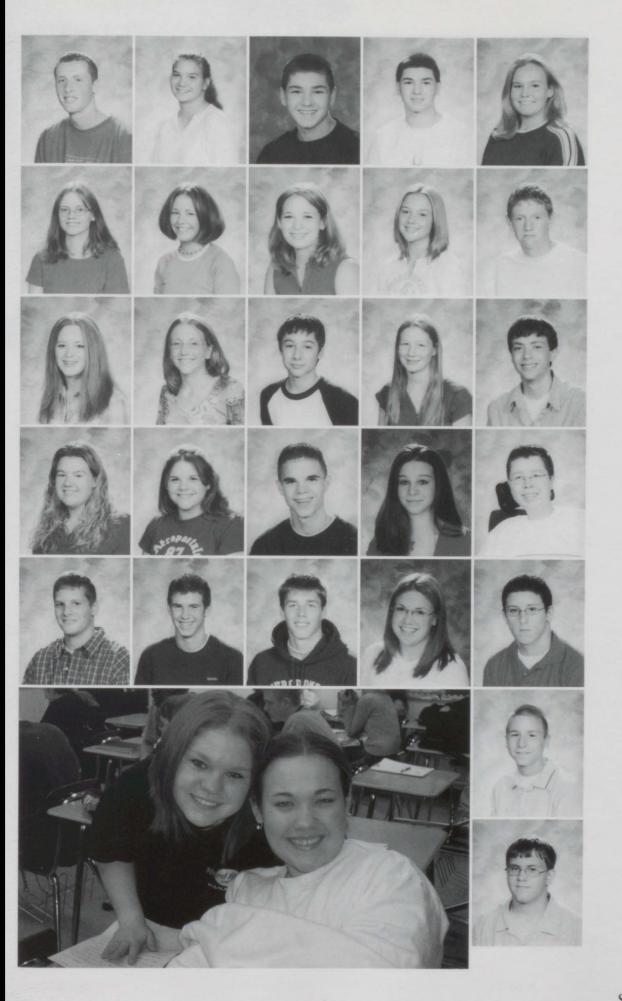
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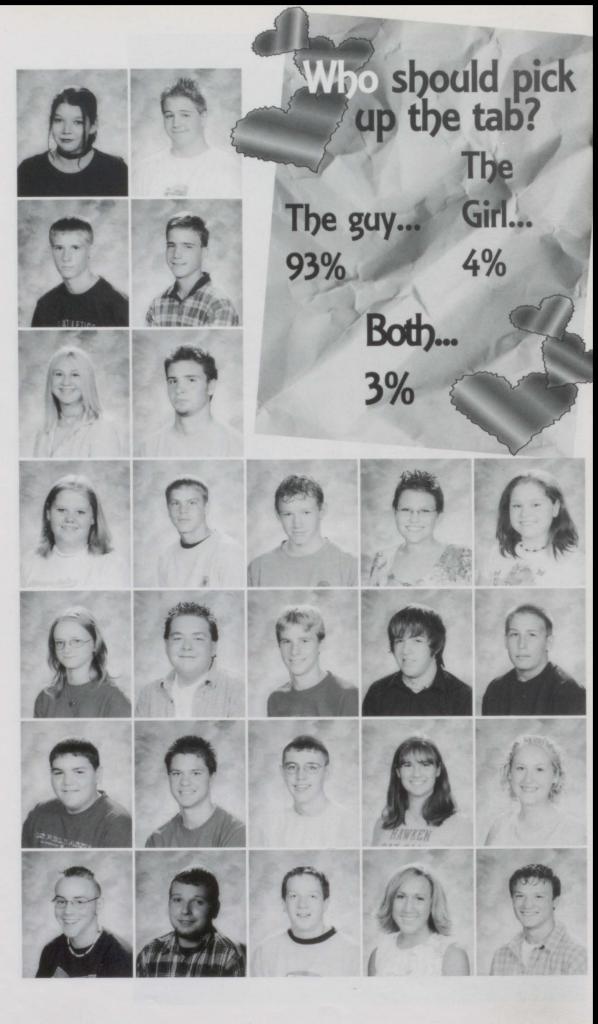
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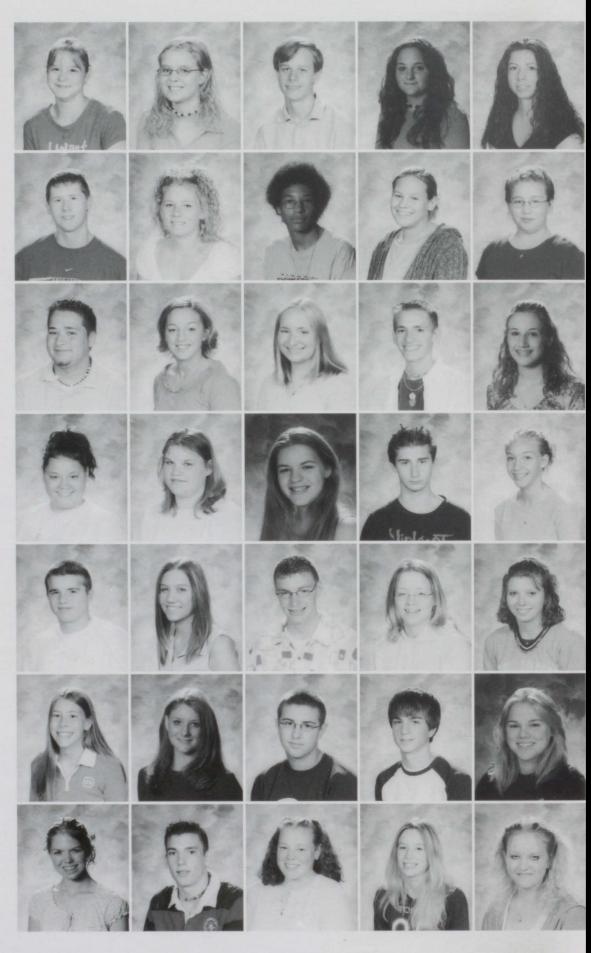
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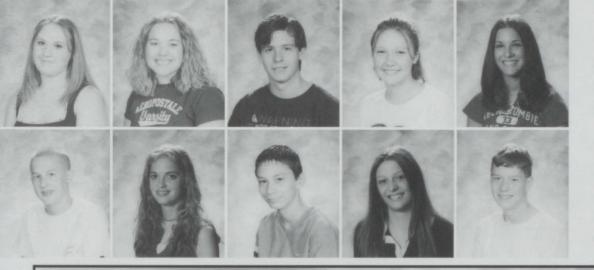
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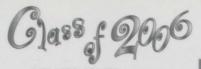
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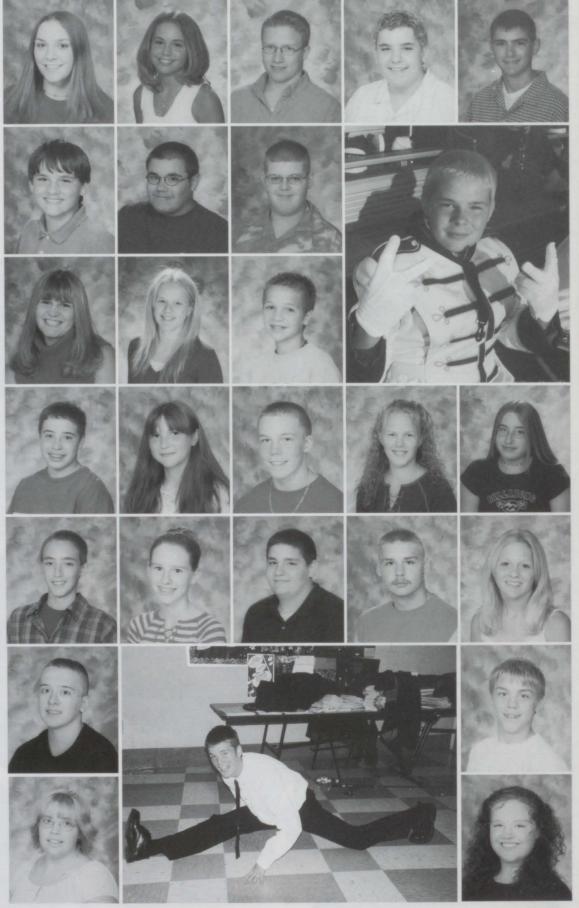
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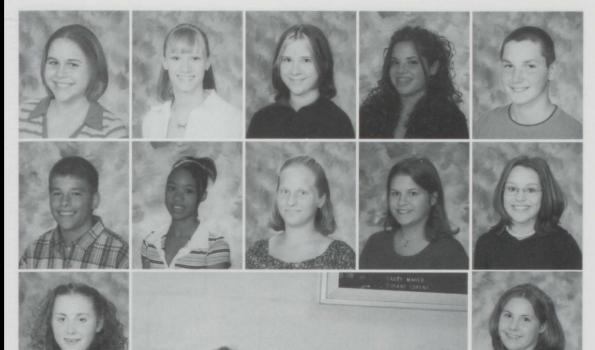
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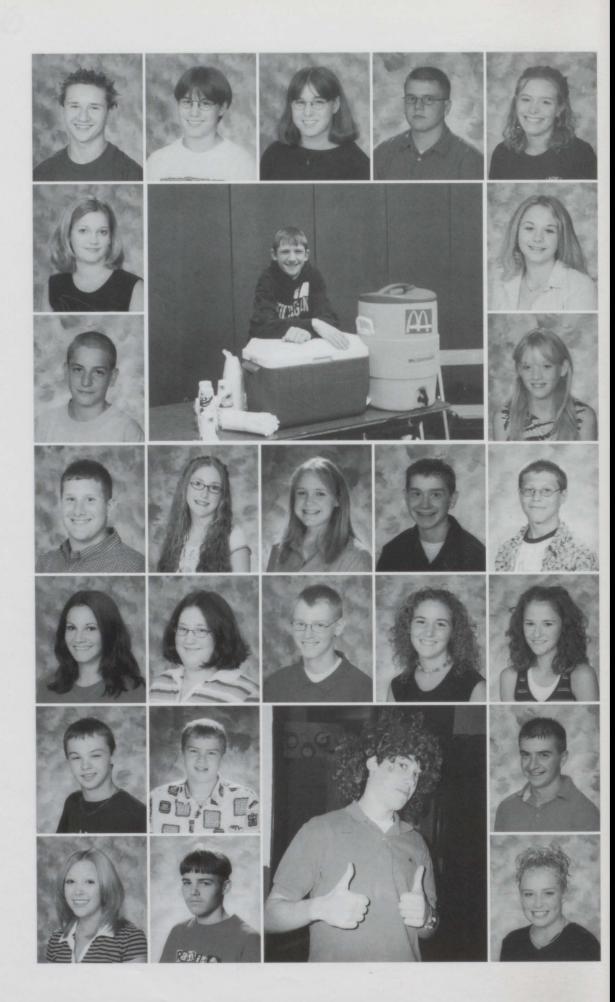
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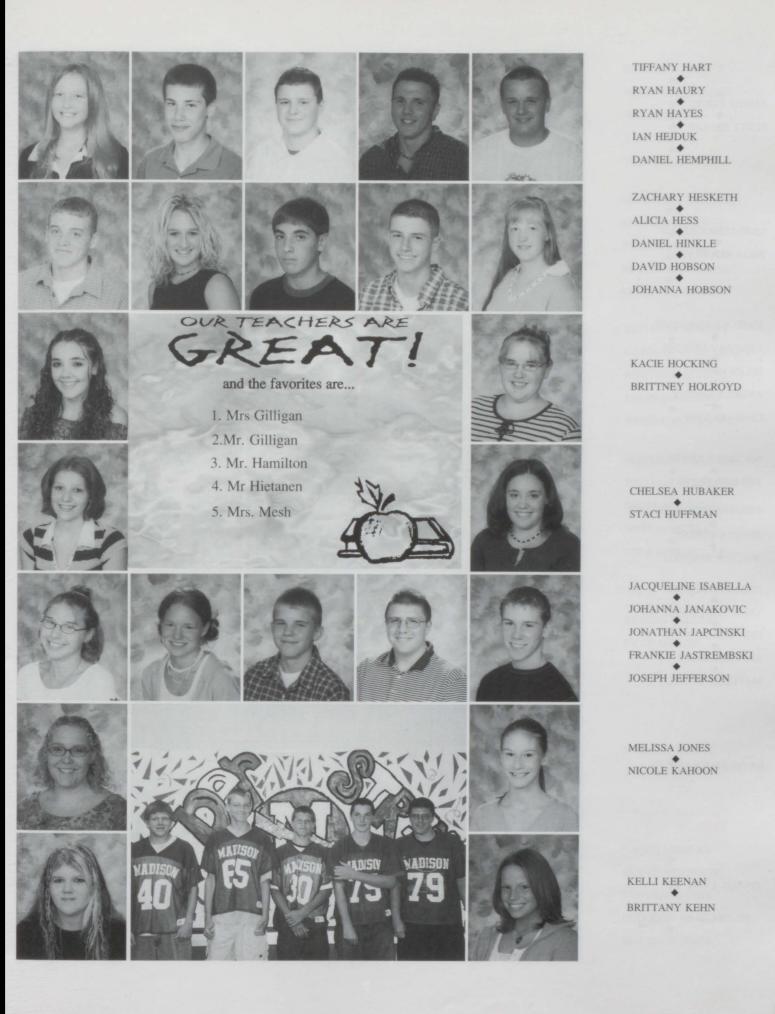
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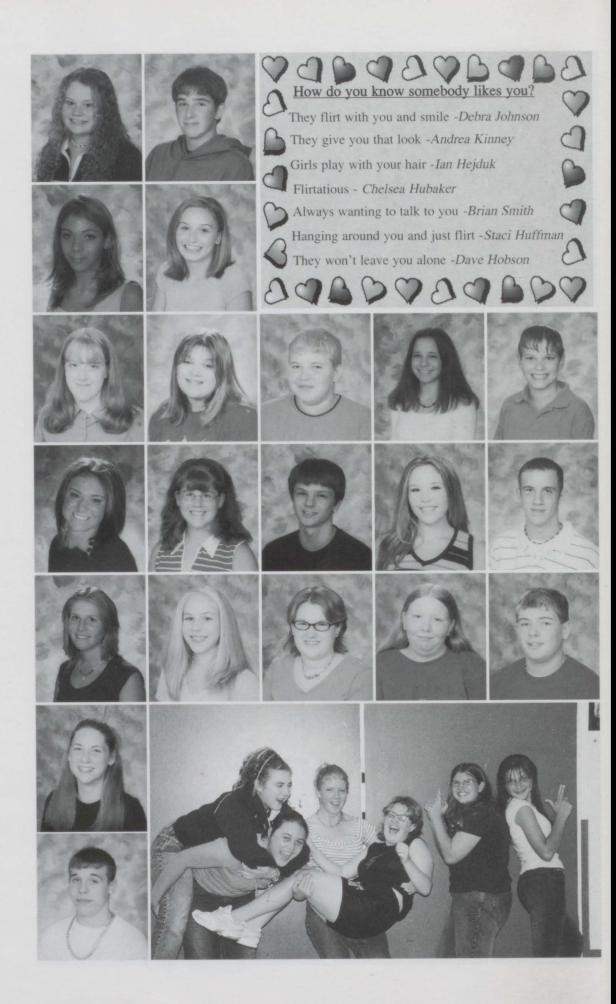
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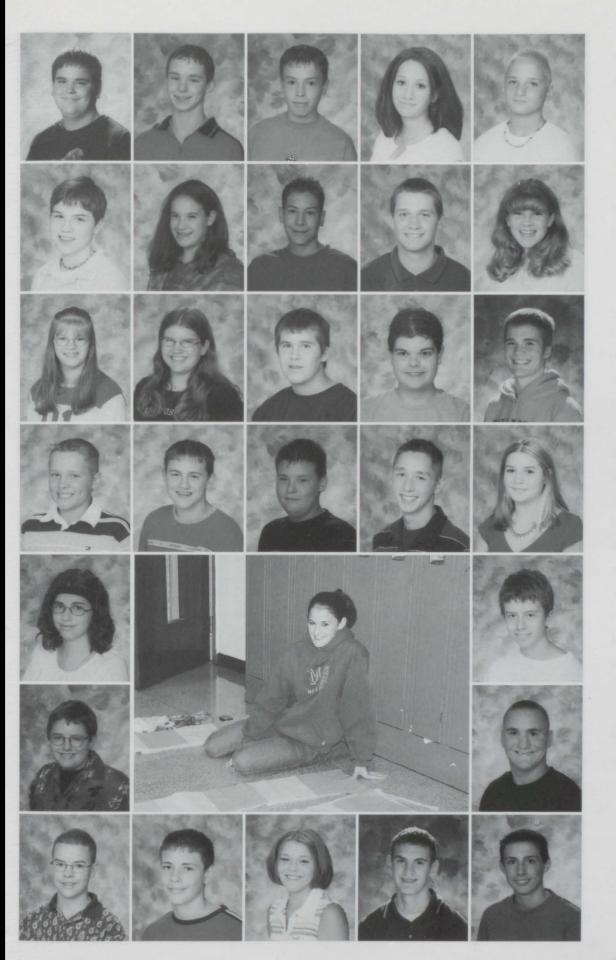
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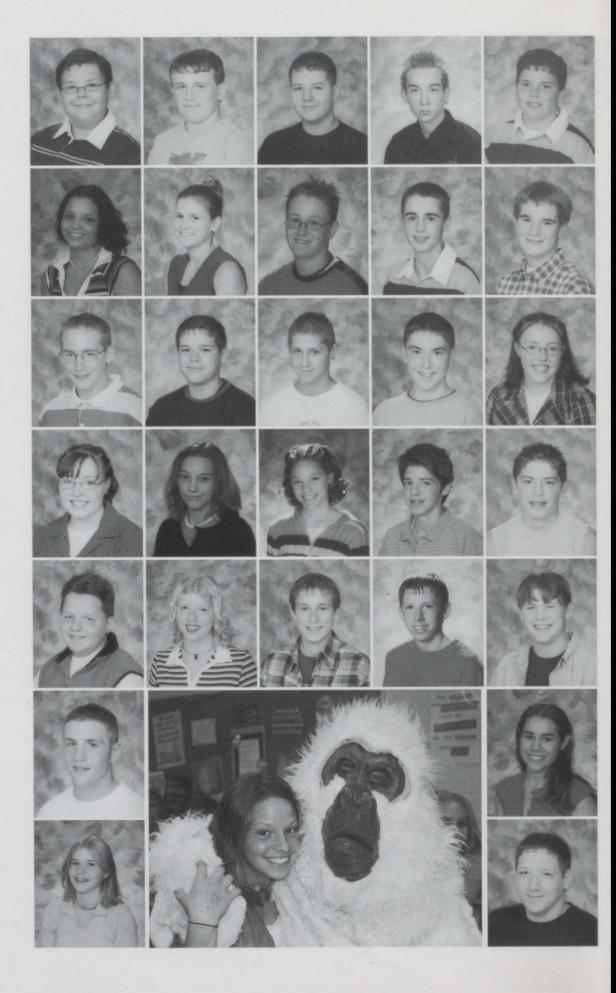
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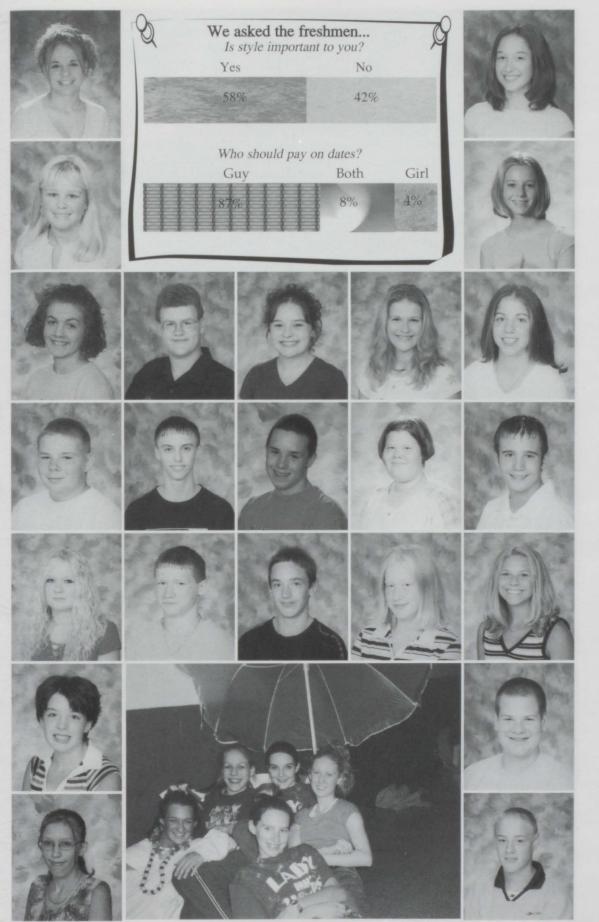
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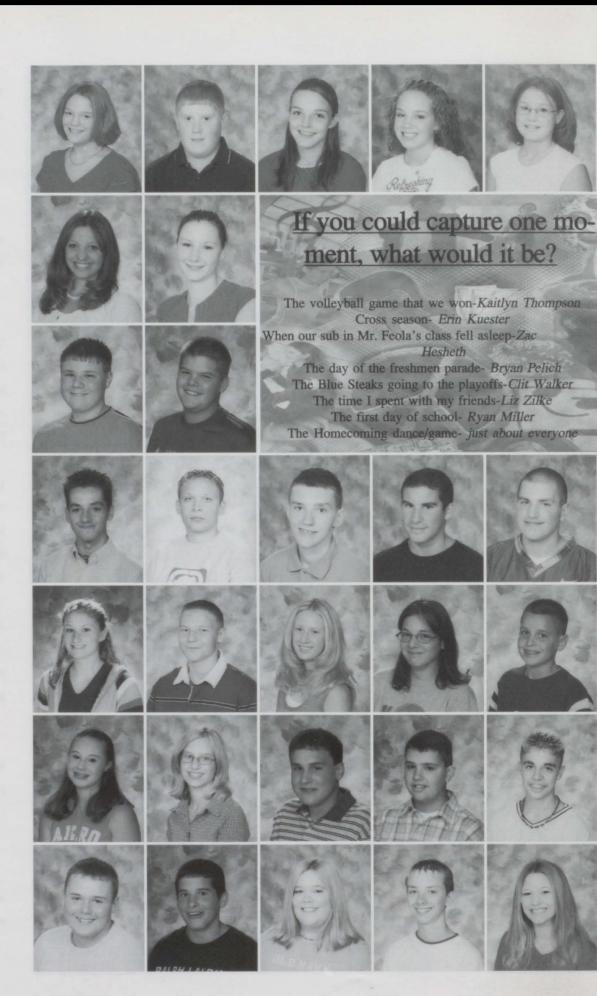
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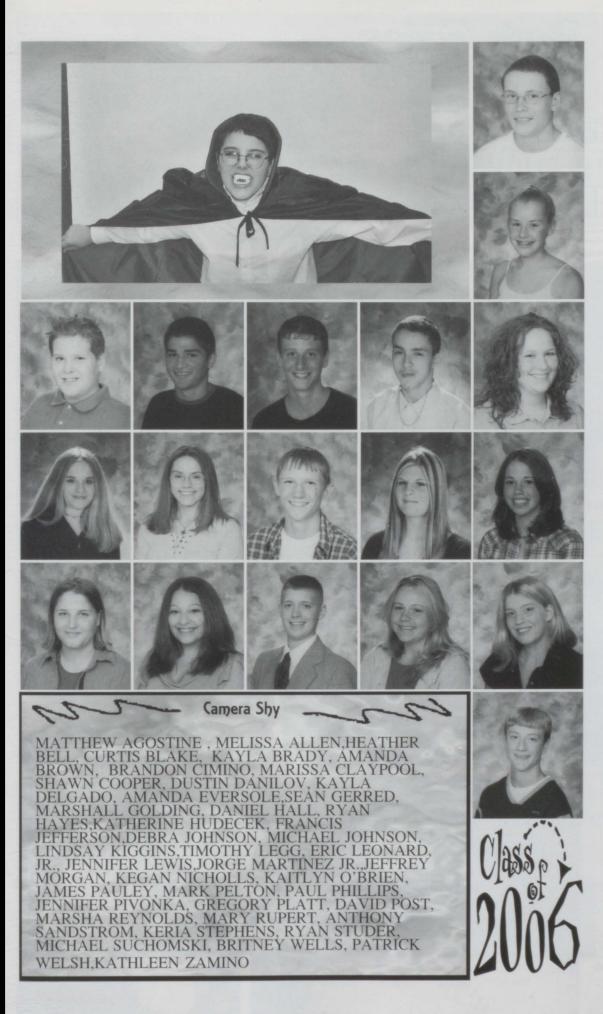
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KELLY WOODWORTH

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ELIZABETH ZILKE TABITHA ZUKOSKI

JASON ZUPAN

JO WILLS

CHELSEA WEBER

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1. Does Mr. Madore have a twin? No, that just Mark Nagy sporting a new look for spirit week.

2. Are there any future actress among us...or are these just the ladies of MHS having fun?

3. Mrs Bowden feels on top of the world at her wedding, or at least higher than all of her guests.
4. Clowning around, the cafeteria ladies show their Halloween spirit.
5. As an official pumpkin carving critic, Mrs. McKibben takes her last look before she casts her vote.
6. Mrs. May and her husband, Scott, bring in "Mini-May" for her first day

of school. 7. Mr. Morgan tailgates with the rest of the staff before the first home football game.

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Mr. Andrus SBH



Mrs. Ashton Home Economics



Mr. Baptie Guidance Counselor



Mrs. Battes Spanish



Mr. Becka Drafting



Mr. Bezzeg English





Mrs. Bowden English



Mr. Brady Asst. Principal



Ms. Bralley Social Studies



Mr. Caswell School Police Officer



Mrs. Collins Math



Mrs. Craigo Business & Typing Health



Mr. Collins Custodian



Ms. Craven Home Economics





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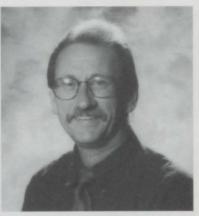
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Mr. Grier Art



Ms. Groah Music



Mr. Fickenscher Chemistry



Mr. Gilligan Social Studies



Mr. Hanes Science



Mr. Hertrick Resource Officer



Mr. Hietanen Science



Mrs. Kilpatrick English





Mrs. Lovejoy Aide



Mr. Madore English



Ms. Jackson Librarian



Mrs. McCue Special Education



Mrs. Meshginpoosh Math



Mrs. Morgan Special Education



Mr. Morgan Math



Mrs. Moskowitz A.V.

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Mrs. Mullan Health



Mrs. Oravez Art



Mr. Pelich Science



Mr. Peterlin Math



Mr. Petersen Woods



Mr. Petrus Business



Mrs. Quayle Secretary



Mr. Reigert Phys. Ed.



Mrs. Smith Asst. Principal



Ms. Thurston English



Mr. Tolchinsky Metals



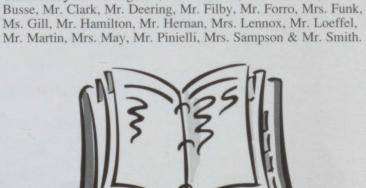
Mr. Wagner Math



Mr. Willis Phys. Ed. 112 People



Ms. Zupp Home Economics



Camera Shy-Mrs. Bangerter, Mrs. Blalock, Mr. Brainard, Ms.





Mr. Brady and Mrs. Smith's work is never done...but at least they can relax a bit at prom.

Mr. Fisher hard at work feeding his fish.





1. At the beginning of the football team's reverse raffle, Coach Willis explains how to win the grand prize. 2. Wedding guests, Miss Groah and Mrs. Kilpatrick, get into the spirit of things and feed each other.

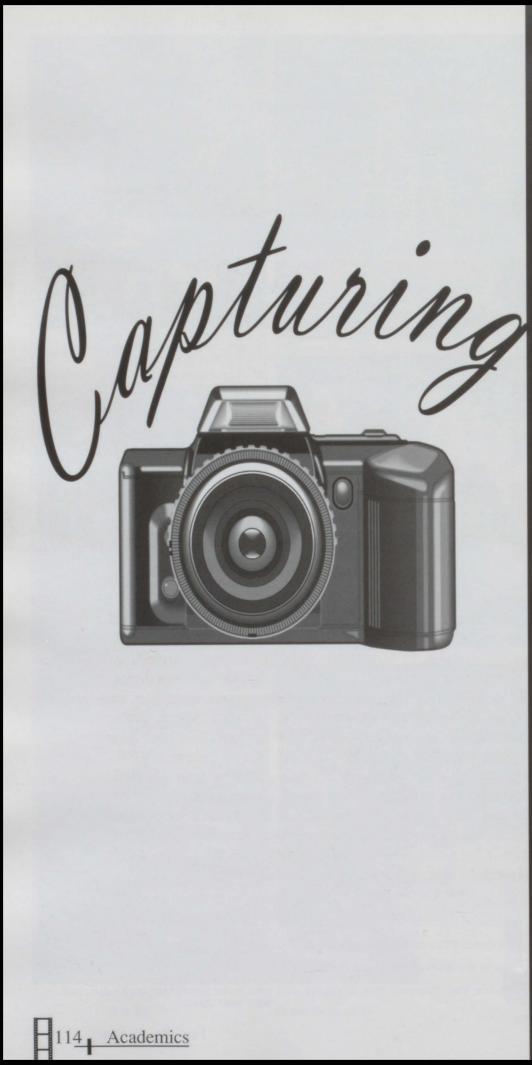
3. By making new friends at a Gifted and Talent Conference, Miss Thurston, Mrs. Kilpatrick, and tion, so he moved into the kitchen and Mr. Bezzeg get some new ideas to bring home to MHS.





Mr. Reigert's home was taken for gradua-

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... The Sweet Smell of Success

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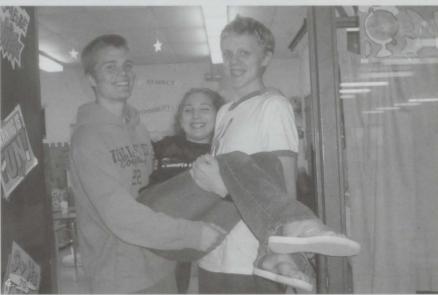


Pictures can capture many things that words may not. This year was filled with unforgettable experiences that will forever shape our memory at MHS. Whether it was studying late for a math test, finally finishing a science project, or getting an A on an English essay, these tasks were the real focal point of our lives during school. These pictures help us remember the everyday ups and downs of getting an education. We experience again the setting and accomplishment of our academic goals. Although recognition may not come from a stadium full of cheering fans, accolades and honors that range from first place in a math competition or placement as a National Merit Scholar finalist, provide the school with a sense of pride and achievement that sets MHS apart from the others. Education helps to further every aspect of ourselves. According to Sydney J. Harris, "Most people are mirrors, reflecting the moods and emotions of the times; few are windows, bringing light to bear on the dark corners where troubles fester. The whole purpose of education is to turn mirrors into windows." All the memories of academics at MHS will be captured in pictures for everyone to remember.









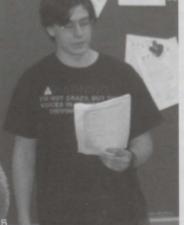
1. After conning Mrs. Smith to teach his class on her birthday, Mr. Bezzeg brings her a beautiful bouquet of balloons.

2. Taking advantage of a beautiful day, Mr. Bezzeg plays a game with his class.

3. An intricate map based on the book The Marines of Autumn by James Brady earns Alan O'Connell an A!

4. Josh McFarland, Shana Schraufl, and Matt Buchanan goof off during their English class.

5. Powerful presenter Sam Wilson gives his interpretation of The Rime of the Ancient Mariner: Part One.



6. Proud readers. Ms. Thurston's class shows off their reading projects after they presented them to their classmates.



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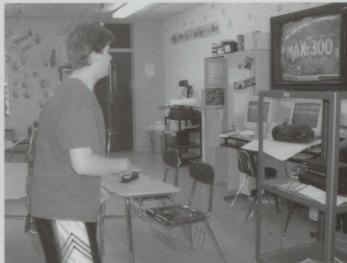
1.& 2. Students from Mrs. Bowden's class present a sitcom to their class which they wrote themselves. These special skits were even taperecorded!

Skits English is more than just bookwork









Showing how far technology has really come, Ja-S O n Mausling dances on an electronic dance pad during his speech presentation for M S Thurston's class.





4. With perfect skill, Kristina Romano presents her lines.

5. Who's that mystery man? It's Steven Auciello all ready for his presentation. 6. Eric Burkholder ponders his answer during a t.v. show skit in drama class.



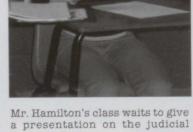
Who can resist a smile like that? Mr. Gilligan looks up from teaching.

Paul Passerell works hard to get his homework finished.

Taylor Linden talks to Mrs. Gilligan's classes about the court system. Mrs. Linden is a Madison alumni who is a prosecutor for Lake County County.

Mr. Hamilton takes a break to plan for his next class.

Tiffany Teske isn't afraid to show off her pearly white teeth.



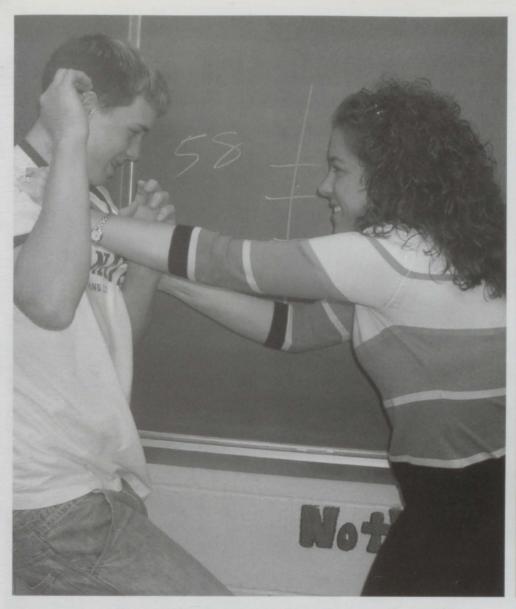
Jay

court system.



Valerie Booth, Joshua Rindin, Joshua Mickle, and Katie Bevan





Brandon Vaidean looks over his notes for his final.





"Did you do your homework?" screams Mrs. Gilligan as she grabs Zack Ruck. Ruck's work was done, so he survived unharmed.

Amber Keisel and Kayla Brady take a break from doing their work.

Gaining a Work of Knowledge All from the social studies classrooms



Jason Zupan is studying very hard for his Unified Social Studies CP final.



Brian Stefanski seeks the council of his friend Zack so that he can do well on the assignment.



Students watch attentivly as a fellow classmate delivers a presentation.



Rudy Nadbath, Zach Ruck, and Lauren Piercy goof off in Mrs. Gilligan's class.

Capturing A New Culture A look inside our foreign language classrooms



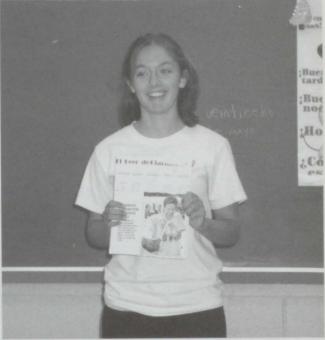
These boys enjoy learning from Mrs. Battes in their Spanish class.



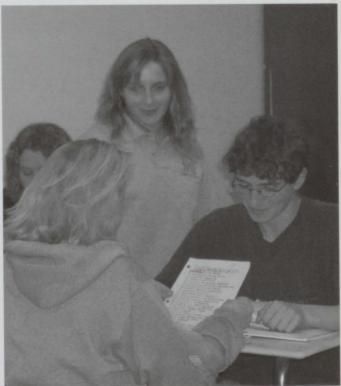
Randall Tonelli and his other serious classmates are working on their Spanish I project.



Bryan Pelich, Mark Porostosky, and Aja Rendek enjoy a fiesta on the last day of Spanish 1 class.



Molly Gehring really out did herself on her Spanish newspaper. She was so proud of it that she had to show the whole class.



Spanish teacher Miss Busse helps her students grasp a better understanding of the language.



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Tiffany Teske and Cassandra Kelly are all smiles in Mrs. Battes' Spanish I class.



These girls are enjoying their exotic food during Spanish class.



These senoritas know how to get down to business. They are all working very hard together to finish their Spanish I project.



Karla Kershaw shares her Spanish newspaper during Mrs. Battes Spanish III class.



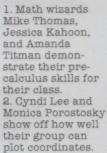
Look at all that food that the Spanish classes get to eat. There is a variety of Spanish foods for the students to explore.



Mrs. Eickelberger, the German teacher here at M.H.S., often integrates technology into her curriculum.

Making the Most of Our Math Skills

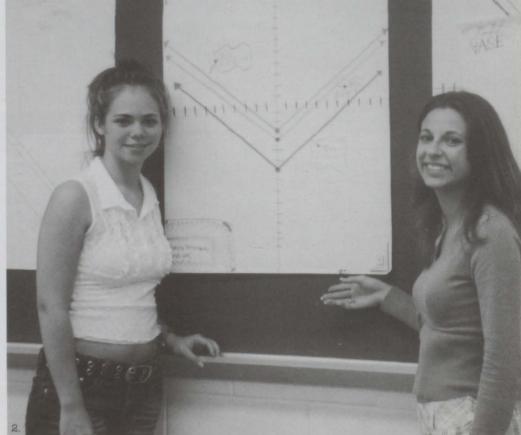
So we can move on in life







Math lover Mrs. Collins presents awards for outstanding math students at the academic awards banquet.



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Math 123

These math students are working hard on their assignment in math class.
 I get by with a little help from my friends! Amanda Titman was always willing to share her math expertise.

a. Math expertise.
b. Math McGuire, Evan Larned, and Nick Horvath chat a little bit in between math problems.
c. Mr. Brainard comes to his student's rescue during class. Many mornings and planning periods he could be seen tutoring his students as well.
c. Amanda squared! Amanda Hirsch and Amanda Hennessey solve some tough problems.
d. Mrs. Mesh participates in an evening of professional development geared toward raising student achievement. She helped plan the event.

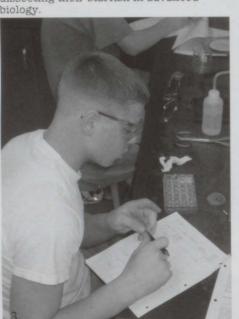
1. Juniors Joe Deak and Matt Davis hope to be successful in their difficult chemistry lab. 2. A question

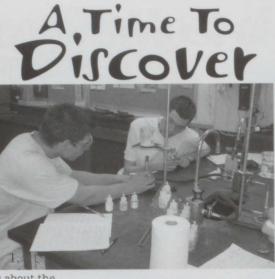
answered by science students in every class is "Why?"

3. Jon Occkial explores his results in his extensive sludge lab.

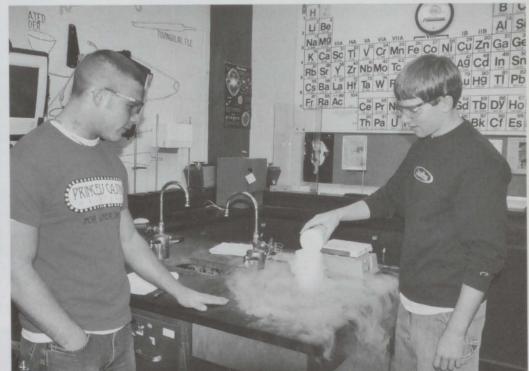
 In Mr. Fickencher's AP chemistry students Dillon Morris and Eric Hughes perform one of Fickencher's alwaysinteresting labs.
 Mr. Fickencher

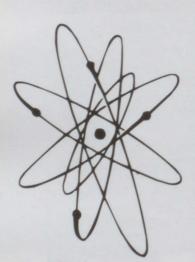
enlightens his students about the many perks of chemistry. 6. Juniors Vicki Smith and Monica Porostosky take a quick breather while dissecting their starfish in advanced biology.













Exploring and Explaining Science comes to life





 Junior Jeremy Sandvig prepares his baby shark for his latest lab in Mr. Hane's advanced biology class.
 Always ready to help, Mr. Hanes answers a few questions for lab partners Shannon Doherty and Brandon Settler.

Exploring The Outdoors

Mr. Pelich's ninth-grade Unified Science class enjoys a fun lab outside.





Erin Divirro



Re

Ashley Carsey & Samantha Nowakowski

Katherine Lashley



Ian Steger takes a swing at the ball as he serves up an ace in Mrs. Mullan's gym class.



Right: A helpful and caring p.e. and health teacher, Mrs. Mullins motivates her students to work hard on the tennis courts.

Christopher Satterfield grips the bench press bar in determination as Anthony Campofredano spots him.

Debra Johnson shows perfect form as she guides a forehand over the net.







Christopher Satterfield spots Paul Compton as Paul pumps some iron in Madison's weight room.



Right: In gym class, Brandon Brennen and Christopher Bush get in ready position for a strenuous game of tennis on a warm spring day.

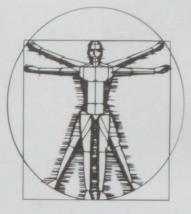




Mr. Lutz, a guest speaker from Operation Keepsake, loads on the baggage as Tony Longo pretends to get hitched to Jessica Williams. He wanted to prove that you "carry" your past with you, even after you find "the one."

Mrs. Craigo demonstrates how to properly clean a Little Anne doll.





Kids in health class turn the "Wheel of Misfortune" to find out what sexually transmitted disease they may end up with by having unprotected sex. Louis Nicholson's and Curtis Blake's poster displays the effects of Gonorrhea.



Kayla Brady offers Ben Retcofsky a drink from a cup containing the saliva of everyone in the class. No Way? Mr. Lutz suggested it is the same thing when you kiss someone. They have kissed others and those others have kissed others.



Health and P.E. Find Fun Toughing out the life lessons, with a few laps







Alex Lee checks the ABC's, airway, breathing, and cardio, on "Anne," while Jessica Miller tilts her dummy's head to open the airway. Both are now primed for rescuing in an emergency situation. During this year's health fair, the Madison's gymnasium was covered with signs and filled with people who had knowledge on many hot health topics. Above: The poster tackles a popular problem among many high school students, stress. One of the fair's nurses talk to Rachel Burnette and Brittany Marion about the Perry Nuclear Power Plant.

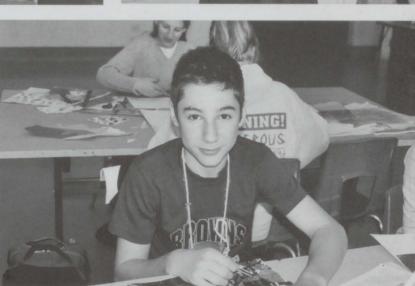
Health & P.E. 127







 Kelly Woodworth holds her beautiful artwork proudly.
 Showing off his massive muscles, Tim Heckman stands next to Brandon Hunter's papier-mache warrior.
 Concentrating hard, Ashley Estabrook puts the finishing touches on her project with a Sharpe.
 Ryan Megliss works diligently to complete his masterpiece.





by Josh Dean

by Tiffany Howard





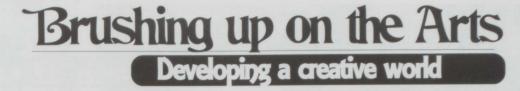
by Mr. Grier

5. Branching out, Alison Fisher draws a tree.

 Looking closely at her plans, Ms.
 Oravecz prepares for a great day of art.

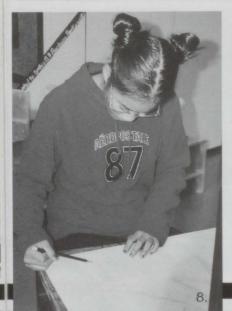
7. Not even a fire could stop Mike Dunkle's creative flow.





 Jessica Fleischer silently sketches.
 In her free time Carolyn Fisher enjoys "painting the roses red."









All smiles, Valerie Booth glues another object onto her collage.





by Jessica Greanya

by Erica Baird

by Zach Anderson Arts 129







Junior Sarah Piercy is making a cake and checking it twice.
 "Hey where does this go?" Sophomore Dan Nahm tries to thread his machine.
 It is a band ich but och her bant do it Ma Gmithed

3. It's a hard job, but someone has to do it. Mr. Smith and Mr. Bezzeg give their expert opinions during the cake frosting contest.

4. "Hey it's a pineapple!" Senior Mike Schiberl shows junior Rachael Haury he really knows his fruit.





Alicia Hess



Angela Mcclellan, Shana Schraufl, & Kelly Valardo



Tiffany Fulmer

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Whipping Things Together Home Ec. dasses learny how to use their skills in life



 Caretakers of the goldfish, Nichole Sansalone and Heather Balaban make sure no one drinks the decorations.
 Senior Rachel Pike strives for perfection while decorating her cake.

Dustin Osborne proves that men can sew too.





4. "Winning the battle," junior Shelby Jenkins overcomes her sewing machine during Clothing & Crafts.
5. No, that isn't a real baby. Cindy Lee's boyfriend, John Curran, is feeding her "baby-think-it over" to help her get a good grade in her parenting class.





Ms. Zupp shows her students the best way to frost a cake.





Brittany Rowe



Chad Abrams, Josh Hehmeyer, & Chris Burden



Steve Auciello Home Ec. 131



By keying in on her topic, Jesse Sceve has the information she needs to start her research paper for Mrs. Bowden's class.



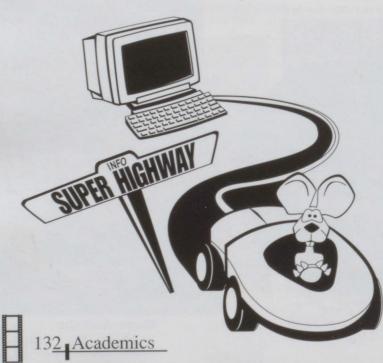
With one last click, Ashley Frankina and Stephanie Wilson tweak their presentation to perfection.



I wonder if they like computer class? Kelly Barnhart, Ann Brackman, and Jen Butram are obviously having fun in Ms. Gill's class.



"We love computers!" say Andy Stoltz and Amanda Sadowski.

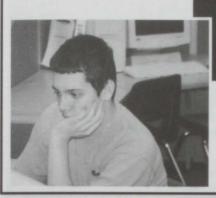




Kevin Palinsky and Jeremy Seitz show their enthusiasm for the assignment

Teensand Technology Really do mix we

Robert-Jon Pyle works on his master virus to destroy the government ... not really.





All Aaron Cottos can think about is his favorite teacher. Ms. Gill, as he finishes up his

work

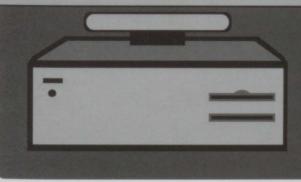
Chet Delong proving the effi-ciency of the school's computer filtering system.





Twenty years ago teaching "surfing" in school would have been absurd. However Bruce Murnyack is studying just that.

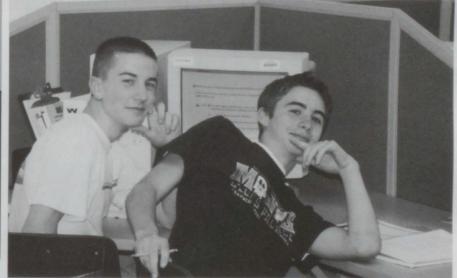




Matt Caudill receives one of his six awards for excellence in the area of computers. Matt was always willing to lend a helping hand or offer some advice to students and staff members who had computer problems.



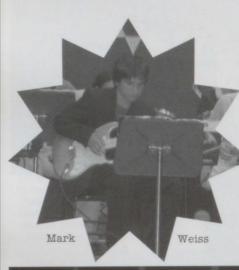
All hail Mike Delillo, the king of computers!



Dan Booth and Josh Gottron take a break from the grueling work load from Ms. Gill.

Technology 133

Tuning up the Entertainment Choir and Band steal the show





Mrs. May

Nicky Bales

Kim Baldwin



Ian Hejduk, Dawn Purkis, Scott Metzung, Brandy Pudder, and Josh McFarland hang out in the choir room before their concert.

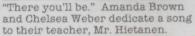


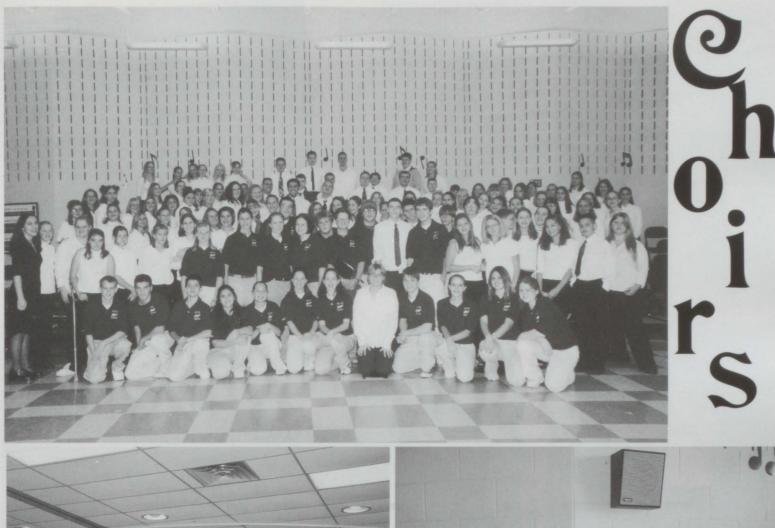
The members of the women's ensemble sing their hearts out at the fall choral concert. The girls went on to get the highest honors at the Solo and Ensemble Competition.



Jordan Reed and Matt Gehring have their own way of warming up for the concert.









Eclectica, our MHS show choir, performs one last time at the spring concert.



Kati Burr, Lauren Curtis, Samantha Forstein, and Sabrina Forstein chat before their last concert.















The members of The Chamber and Jazz Ensemble concentrate hard and blend beautifully at the fall choral concert.
 Andrea Oliver takes a bow after her performance at the first solo and ensemble recital ever attended by MHS.
 Solo spotlight: Jordan Reed takes a deep breath and plays his best.
 These freshmen are all smiles before their last choir concert of the year.





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We want you! Joe Kuhlman and Jessie Rose strike a pose in their Austin Powers attire.
 Men of constant sorrows, the boys of Eclectica sing a little ditty.
 The saxophone players of the stage band perform their best at the

winter music concert.

 Bobby Kosch and Gabe Argo chill at the winter music concert.
 Members of the chorus show how much they love choir at the fall choral concert.

6. Tabitha Zukoski, Michael Turner, Linda Turner, Katrina Varner, Becky Wilson, and Cassi Menko hang out and try to get rid of the pre-show jitters before the spring choral concert.





Leaving their mark on the school With their innovative designs







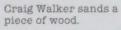
Crista Poe hammers away at fireplace tongs.



Mike Saeger shows his skill at mig welding.



Scott Pace and Jon Occkial practice mig welding.





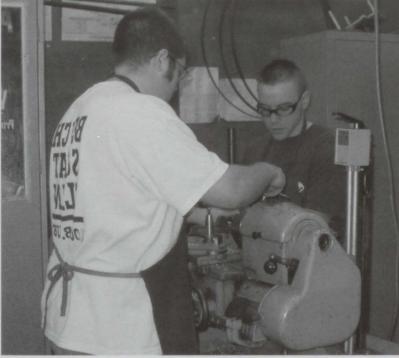


Eric Bennett cuts wood on the table saw.

Mike Suchomski shows his gas welding talent.







Jeff Dodd and Jared Petry are hard at work on the lathe.

Tim Lowery works on the drill press.

Metals



Nick Romig measures a piece of wood.





Mike Samplak repairs the table used for bending metals.



Lewis DeSalvo bends some sheet metal.

David Sweeney looks for a piece of metal that is the perfect shape for his next project.







EMERGENCY ER. TO OPEN PULL HANDLE PUSH



1. Crystal Clutter demonstrates her newly learned skills in

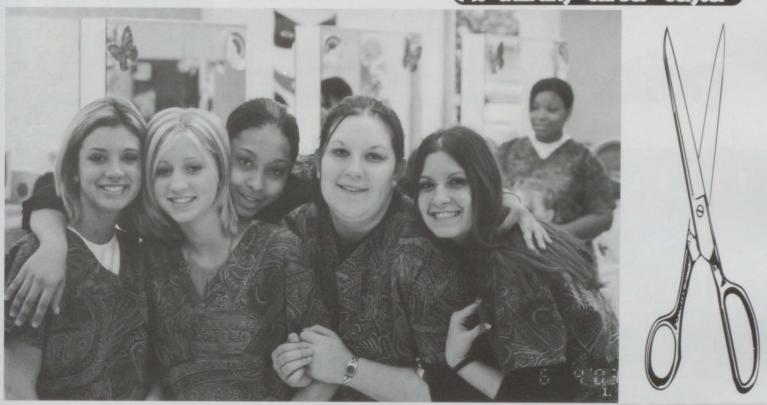
Building memories with new friends, Chris Satterfield uses his trusty hammer to get the job done.
 Catching some Z's . . . sleeping was a tradition on the bus to Authors

Auburn.

4.Bill Taylor and Bobby Nye stand strong on the job.



Making Memories and Careers At aubury career center

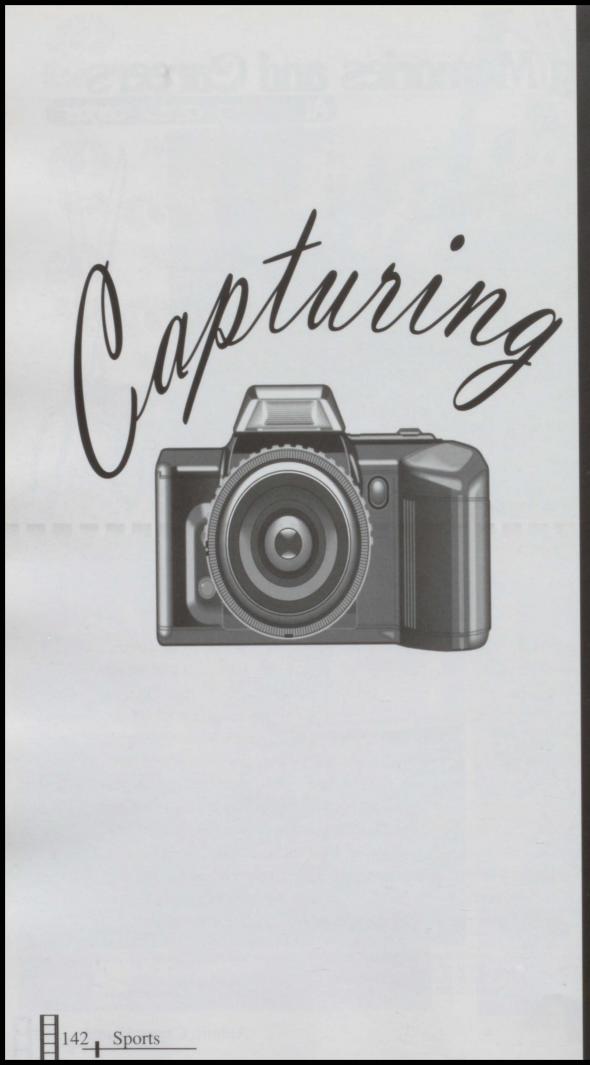




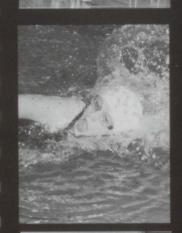


Heather Lampert and Bailey Ledford take a smile break with some new friends they made at Auburn.
 Heather Lampert focuses hard on getting the job done right.

3. Bill Taylor stands by the machine he uses while at Auburn Career Center.







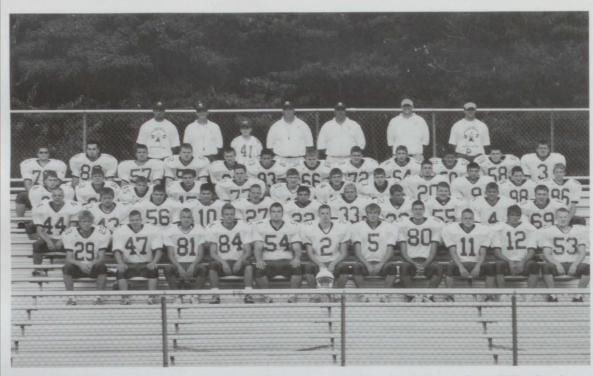


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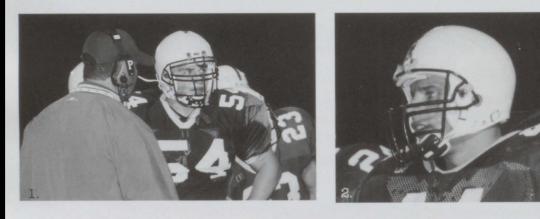
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These snapshots of MHS sports contain the thrills of victory, the agony of defeat, the painful sweat, the shrieking laughter, and the ties of teams. All of these innumerable moments are imprisoned vividly on brown sheets of film. Perhaps neither words nor pictures can substitute for the emotions our players felt and the effort they put into each and every play. Yet one will surely find that a simple photo will trigger a memory of the original raw enthusiasm. We are proud of our sports teams this year. They gave us a reason to stand up and shout--even if it was to honor a single improvement. Demonstrating the ability to work hard toward achievements and bring goals to life, our players set new standards. According to the Persian poet Rumi, "Life is a picture constantly undergoing change." Each moment, each day brought bright victories and disheartening defeats that only made the players' hearts pump harder. We tried our hardest to be there on the fields, courts, paths and pool side to put our teams' moments of glory on the page. Congratulations MHS athletes for a successful year.



The Big Blue Wrecking crew.(top row) CoachGilligan, Coach Bradley, Mitch Krotz, Coach Willis, Coach Dragas, Coach Martin, and Coach Filby (fourth row) Russell Golding, Dan Gund, Creig Walker, Tim Reed, Jim Novak, Shawn Newton, Nick Blackie, Kyle Johnson, Ross Chasko, Dan Nahm, Jeff Dodd, and Joe McFarland. (third row) josh Mcfarland, Jon Occkail, David Bowins, Joe Franczek, Jared Spada, Charlie Novak, Dan Nebraski, Matt Nunley, Ben Pniewski, and Nathan Mix. (second row) Dylan Morris, Aaron West, Shane Brennen, Joe Deak, Brian Lemerise, Taylor Pniewski, Matt Patton, Devin Daughters, Mike Walbeck, Jared Pikor, and Mike Canvender.(bottom row) Josh Hehmeyer, David Collinsworth, Chris Kehn, Keith Krejci, Vanden Kovacs, Jon Early, Aaron Parks, Mike Bukky, Mike Samplak, Rick Evens, Matt Distin.





VARSITY FOOTBALL

	Us	Them
John Marshall	27	0
Geneva	30	13
Edgewood	51	0
Lake Catholic	42	12
Lakeside	24	28
South	7	6
Riverside	30	14
North	21	19
Chardon	28	12
VA-SJ	21	14
Howland	6	28



1."Hard work equals success. If you believe in something, it can happen," says senior Vanden Kovacs. This was a great outlook to the season and led them to a 9-1 record, which sent them to the play-offs.

 None of us are as strong as all of us," thinks junior running back Dylan Morris. This thought brought the team to the success they've had this year.
 Concentrating on the play call from Coach Gilligan, senior QB Ricky Evans worked his hardest in every play.
 Senior Keith Krejci works hard to hold on tight. He succeeded to get the first down against the rebels.

5. Getting his players pumped up, Coach Martin tells junior linemen Shane Brennen,"keep working hard."





Madison Earns Their Dues Hard work pays off



United as one, senior captains Vanden Kovacs, Mike Bukky, Keith Krejci, Jon Early, and Aaron Parks stride out on the field together to see which team gets the ball.

this football season would be a great one. These boys paid their the off-season, and it paid off.

hard work with a 9-1 winning record. They paid the price during their Homecoming Game with their only loss. However, losing to the Lakeside Dragons exciting. inspired them push themselves even more.

put into this season, the boys think they deserve. earned the title of P.A.C.

The players weren't just pay- Champs. The cost of one more ing lip service when they said loss could have meant not making it to the playoffs. However, when it came time to pay the dues by working hard during piper, the team pulled through and earned a fourth seat hosting They were rewarded for their the Warren-Howland Tigers. They may not have won against the Tigers, but the team had a thrilling season and paid back their fans by making every game

The boys look forward to working even harder next sea-With all the hard work they son and earning the dues they







2. Down in a stance, junior Joe Franczek gets ready to make a big stop. 3. Working his hardest to keep his man covered, senior Jared Pikor's man never

catches a ball unchallenged. 4. A team is only as strong as its weakest link, And Senior Mike Bukky was definitely not that.





5. Jon Early and Ricky Evans talk about the next play during a time-out 6. Senior Taylor Pniewski is working hard to get

the extra yard. 7.Coach Willis gives Mike Samplak a pep talk

during the pregame stretch.





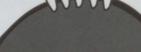
The Freshman Football Team (top row:) Zack Hesketh, Dominic Szabados, Frank Jastrzembski, TJ George, Alan O'Connell, Cory Webb, Brock Malinowski, William Powell, Ian Hejduk, Sean Gerred, Nate Cherry, Arick Blackie (middle row:) Coach Fortuna, Ian Gough, Mike Peplowski, Matt Mauck, Clint Walker, Doug Deak, Ryan Vickers, David Hobson, Miles King (bottom row:) Marshall Golding, Brian Smith, Matt Nagy, Ryan Haury, Kurt Gardner, Kyle Piorkowski, Tony Samplak



Fancy footwork by Chris Welniak gets Madison extra yardage.



Madison defense swarms around the Chardon ball carrier.





Look at him go! Freshman William Powell flies past the other team.

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FRESHMEN	FO	DTBALL	
	Us	Them	
Shkr Hts.	0	22	
Geneva	12	14	
Mtr. Sh.	12	16	
Lk.Cath	35	14	
Lakeside	14	22	
Will Sth	42	7	
Riverside	14	16	
North	0	20	
Chardon	28	20	
V.A./St.Joe's	\$ 14	12	



Zack Hesketh fights to get the ball from hid opponent.



Teamwork helped Douglas Deak fight through the attack.

Freshmen & J.V. Teams







 Though usually neglected, the Madison chain gang, Jed Powell, Jason Wild, and Ian Steager, are an important part of the team.
 Freshman Josh McFarland really knows how to work it out on the field as he punts the ball.

3. Dave Bowins gets his offensive teammates ready to take their victory.

J.V. FOOTBALL

Ţ	Js T	hem
John Marshall	52	0
Geneva	42	6
Edgewood	44	12
Lakeside	36	6
Will South	24	12
Riverside	20	0
Eastlake North	12	14
Chardon	22	9



Tackle the competition

The Madison Freshmen Football Team finished the season with a 4-6 overall record and 2-2 in the P.A.C. This included victories over Lake Catholic, Willoughby-South, Chardon, and VA St. Joes. This year's team gained the first freshmen victory ever over Chardon. The young Blue Streaks were very competitive with four of their six loses by a margin of less than six points. The team was led by some outstanding players such as Clint Walker, Doug Deak, Dave Hobson, Matt Mauck, Chris

Welniak, Brock Malinowski, Dominic Szabados, Ryan Vickers and Zac Hesketh. With a solid nucleus of 30 players, the future looks bright for this group of young dedicated athletes.

The J.V. team finished their season really well. Their total record was 7-1. Ben Pniewski, Dan Nebraski, Jared Spada, and Josh McFarland are just a few teammates who helped their team win the many games that they did. Maybe next year the team will go undefeated!





5. Dan Nebraski buckles down and breaks a tackle by Chardon's defense.6. Jared Spada and the Madison defense bring down the Chardon

o. Jared Spada and the Madison defense bring down the Chardon runningback.

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Coaches



Coach Craigo and Assistant Coach Miss France

Seniors

Captain Kaylee Emmett "Ready, 1-2-3-4, step back, take notice, we're going to steal the show!" chanted the Madison High School Cheerleaders at the start of their games, and they did steal the show numerous times. The squad of 15 was led by its captains and backed by its experience with only five newcomers to the wellknown team. Four seniors supported the squad and pushed it to achieve its goals.

In addition to cheering on the football players, the girls were involved in two victorious competitions. The first was at the Ashtabula Mall. The cheerleaders prepared their routine for the whole month of August and by September 8 were ready to strut their stuff. The spirit spreaders captured the win and held the title for the third year in a row. The next title to take was at the Chardon High School competition. Their competitors were tough and all had great routines, but in the end Madison's name was captured at the top for the second year in a row. Junior Stefani Hines said, "The year was a lot of work but in the end it paid off."

While competing, there were fans that needed to be pleased and while cheering at

games, there were players that needed the cheerleaders' spirit. The girls supported the victorious football team through the season as they captured many wins. The team made it in to the Play offs and had a special visitor at their game. Governor Bob Taft was there and ready for his cheer. It went to the tune of a crowd favorite with a few adjustments, "T-A-F-T, Welcome Bob Taft." The Play offs were broadcasted by WKYZ Channel 27, who captured the Madison and Warren-Howland cheerleaders telling everyone watching that they loved Friday night football. This was a high point in the season and an immense experience for the cheerleaders.

Overall this year, the cheerleaders captured the spirit of MHS, in all the right ways. The seniors made a year's worth of great memories and the underclassmen gained a good understanding of the way this sport works. "The season was very successful and was a great experience that will be missed," said senior Heather Britton about the season.

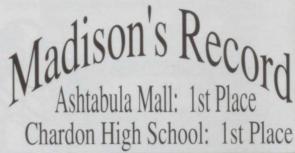


" Bluestreak Rumble," "are you ready to rumble with us"? The cheerleaders make a line to perform the crowd favorite.

Danina Daughters



"Yea, we know we're it. You don't need to tell us we're #1." The cheerleaders show their talent and competition routine at the Homecoming Assembly.





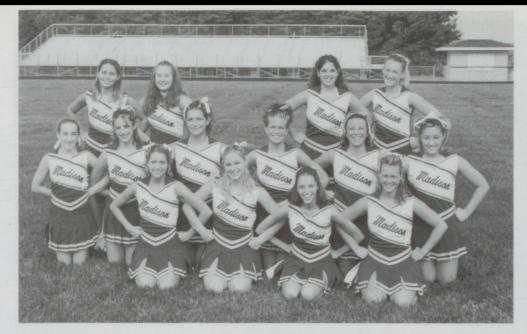
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Smilel Say "Spirit." The girls capture the game with a team picturel (top row:) Mikah Allen, Loraine Turkenburg, Courtney Chernikoff, Alicia Hess. (middle row:) Erin Coughlin, Ashley Estabrook, Lauren Kidder, Ashley Felleisen, Mackenzie Johnson, Jennifer Turcie. (bottom row:) Heather Britton, Kaylee Emmett, Tiffany Howard, Danina Daughters.



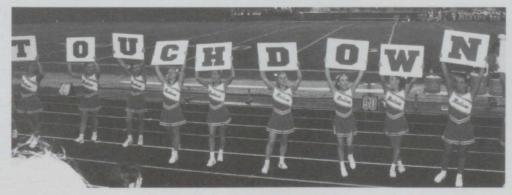
Stefani Hines captures the game by kissing a great season goodbye.



Shake your body with the cheerleaders as they perform a crowd favorite. MHS spirit is always captured with "Jump! Shake Your Booty!"



"We love Friday Night Football!" yell the MHS and Warren-Howland cheerleaders, accompanied by Governor Bob Taft.



"Touchdown! You see it, so yell and spell it with us!" The cheerleaders try to involve the fans by using their flashy signs.



"T-A-F-T, Welcome Bob Taft," the cheerleaders chant to welcome the Governor to the Play off Game.



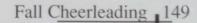
Senior Heather Britton holds on to her mom and dad on Senior Night as she rounds up her last year of cheering.



Ashley Estabrook waits eagerly for the chant to start.



The four senior girls hold on to the memories of their last year as football cheerleaders for the Streaks.





A true team. The girls show their fun spirit with a little "endzone dance" after winning a huge rally. This became their trademark as the year went on, and they'll always remember it.

Showing a little finesse, Alison Fisher tips the ball over for a sneaky winner.







The one and only Kristi Jackson! This varsity volleyball setter had an amazing set percentage. She was also the leader of the team, constantly cheering and supporting her friends.

Opponent	
Perry Tn.	2nd Place
Lakeside	W
Jefferson	W
Conneaut	W
Geneva	W
Cardinal	W
Kenston	L
Willoughby S.	W
VASJ	W
Riverside	L
Eastlake N.	W
Chardon	W
Mayfield	W
Avon Lake	W/L



Junior Amber Nowakowski desperately stretches for the ball to put up a perfect pass to the setter. Amber expertly played back row this year and is looked upon as being an important instrument in next year's team.



A Bittersweet Season Volleyball takes the good with the bad



A season of good-byes. The girl's 2002 varsity volleyball team said farewell to their mentor and coach, Paul Stofan. Also leaving were seniors Rachel Pike, Lindsay Schmid, Taylor Gondek, Kristi Jackson, Crystal Moniot, and Jessica Kallio. All seven were instrumental in the team's success. "The team won't be the same next year, so we definitely cherished the moments this year," remarked junior Amanda Titman.

Along with the gloomy times, days of sunshine came too. Eating their way to victory upon victory, the girls had spaghetti dinners and ice cream parties galore. Those carbs and sugars added up to an outstanding 18-6 record this season that resulted in a Co-PAC Championship.

Other achievements included first team PAC for Pike, Schmid, Jackson, and Gondek, and second team PAC for junior Alison Fisher. The Blue Streaks also took second in the Perry Tournament. The team was sad the season was over, yet they didn't have to wave good-bye to the memories, only those who helped make them.





With the majestic look of shooting abow and arrow, Rachel Pike leaps up to make the kill. Rachel was key in intimidating opponents.

Amanda Titman and Carolyn and Alison Fisher laugh as the seniors open their gifts from the underclassmen during senior night.





A team huddle to get pumped up before every game was always a must. Strategy was discussed and support was offered.



The blocking duo. Lindsay Schmid and Taylor Gondek had some of the best verticals on the team. On the front line the two defended the team against fierce spikers.





In Micheal Jordan style, Lindsay Schmid leaps up to smash the down.

A Building Year

J.V. & fresh. volleyball learn what it takes

"One good thing that got built out of this season was friendships," said junior Bethany Moles.

This years junior varsity volleyball season did not quite stack up the way they might have wished. They had an unstable year, playing almost every match in three games.

"We came into practice one day after a rough loss and coach had our whole practice sketched out around building a together team attitude," said junior setter Vicki Smith.

The team then realized they all needed each other. They needed the passers as a base, because they started it all out with a steady pass. They needed strong support walls from the setter Vicki Smith, and she had to stay strong the whole game. The hitters served as the walls to put the ball down and block incoming hits.

Altogether the girls realized they were a great structure, but it came too late in the season. The girls can't wait for next season where they will start out strong and stay steady the whole year.

Learning what it takes to build a strong high school volleyball team, this years freshmen team had a tough season. The team had a lot of first year players who had to learn the base of the game. The team together learned to build an attitude on how to take a lose.

This was not only a learning year for the players' but it was also the coach's first year.

"I tried to teach the girls as much as I could about volleyball and I think we all learned a lot along the way," says coach Mindy Bartlet.

	Us	Them
Lakeside	1	2
Jefferson	2	1
Conneaut	2	1
Geneva	1	2
Cardinal	2	0
Kenston	2	1
South	2	0
VA-SJ	0	2
Riverside	1	2
North	2	1
Chardon	2	1
Geneva	1	2
Lakeside	2	1
South	1	2

JV VOLLEYBALL



FRESH VOLLEYBALL

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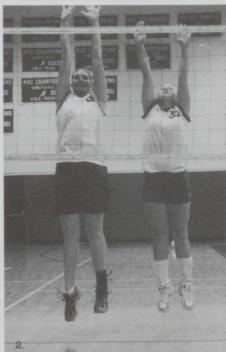


(top row) Coach Poshecs, Jenn Dulac, Brittany Mennypenny, Brittany Phelps, Megan Estep, Sarah Mullen, (bottom row) Alyssa Hill, Vicki Smith, Mandy Stiner, Justine Harper.

1. The starting six for the J.V. volleyball team. Amand Titman, Bethany Moles, Jenn Dulac, Sarah Blake, Vicki Smith, and Brittany Phelps, have a team talk before the match.

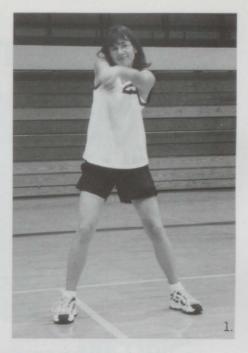
2. 'The Big Wall' Bethany Moles and Sarah Blake jump up to get a clean block.







(top row)Coach Bartlet, Katlyn Thompson, Jenn Stauffer, Sam Whorrom, Jordon Baldwin, Sam Krotz,(bottom row) Val Booth, Lizzy Petry, Sam Nowakowski, Becky Petry, Amanda Cline, Kacie Hocking.







 Having a fun outlook on the game Katlyn Thompson enjoyed her freshmen season.
 J.V. setter Vicki Smith serves the ball for a game point against Chardon.





3. Keeping her eye on the ball', Amanda Cline gets down and makes a great pass.

4." I had a fun season and learned a lot my first year playing J.V." says sophomore Justine Haper. 5. The Petry twins work hard "peppering" before a game.

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6. Along with her team, coach Mindy Bartlet had a great first year in high school volleyball.

On the Court with



Starring . . . This year's hottest, brightest, and strongest. The girls ran the courts ragged this 2002 season. With a phenomenal 14-4 record and two District qualifiers, this experienced team shined true. The drama played out on many stages, including the Dayton Tournament, Brush Sectionals, and rival Willoughby South's courts. First doubles team Erica Baird and Katelyn Orris took home the championship at the Dayton Vikings Invitational after a sweaty, harrowing three-set final. Karla Kershaw and Ingrid Brainard were the team's Sectional finalists. Underdogs the entire way, these two teammates battled their way uphill to find themselves victorious against top-seeded opponents. They finally met in a pinnacle match against each other that ended in a hug instead of a handshake.

Another aspect that characterized the girls was the almost tangible feeling of closeness. Since most of them had been friends since elementary school, there was a serious sense of support on the court that was always connected to the silliness off the court. With three sets of sisters, including twins, the team had a true bond. It was with those ties and tenacity that the girls of Madison Tennis walked onto the stage of competition and will walk into life.



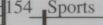
2. Ingrid Brainard, protecting herself against nosy photographers, knows how to play a little defense. She beat many top players with a little expert counter-punching.

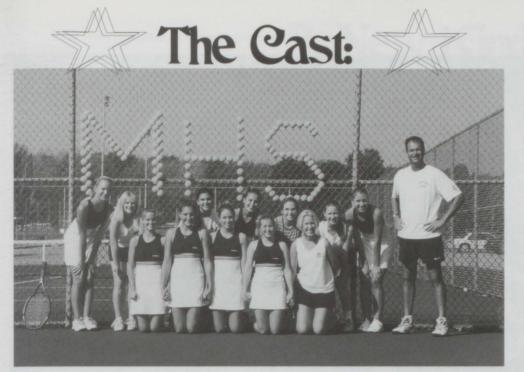
3. Shining faces paired with sparkling shots and personalities, sisters Karla and Julia Kershaw relax together before their matches in the Miamisburg Tournament.

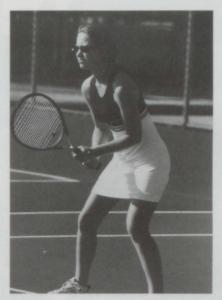


Karla Kershaw, Casey Toward, and Ingrid Brainard watch as their crisp, clean forehands and backhand clip the line acrosscourt for an eye-popping winner.









Jodie Toward freezes in ready position. Prepared for anything, even a sunny day, she waits for her opponent's return.



4. Beth Balaban eyes the likes of Katelyn Orris and Shelby Jenkins, only before prancing over there herself.

5.-6. A little lackadaisical? Only in practice! With a perfect balance between goofing around and practicing for serious matches, these two will be shaping up by game day.







They play tennis, dance, and hang out with one another. Karla Kershaw, Beth Balaban, and Katelyn Orris relax in between matches at the Miamisburg Tournament.

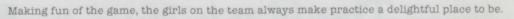
Varsity Tennis	
Riverside	W
Revere	L
Lake Catholic	W
Geneva	W
Eastlake North	W
Harvey	W
Willoughby South	L
Mentor	W
Chardon	W
Euclid	W
Perry	W
Brush	W
Cleveland Hts.	L
NDCL	W



Katelyn Orris and Erica Baird embrace after receiving medals for their win in the Dayton Tournament. Girls Varsity Tennis 155



Sophomore Lola Judy attempts to get a perfect serve.







Enjoying each other's company, freshmen Kelly Woodworth, Tara Longo and Katie Bevan hang out before a match.



Practice makes perfect. Sophomore Stacey Bukovac prepares her game.



Always looking to improve, sophomore Leia Gerard gets a few pointers from Head Coach Vidmar.



Keeping her eye on the ball, sophomore Caitlin Barnhouse practices her serve.

A New Kind of Victory



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J.V. tennis team keeps it personal

Victory is "a successful outcome in a contest or struggle," according to Webster's Dictionary. This year's junior varsity tennis team brought this definition to life. Although most of the players started out as beginners, they conquered the game of tennis in their own way.

Sophomore Leia Gerard said, "The team really worked quite well together and that helped us all reach

Coach Nelson and Katie Bevan check the scores to see where Katie will be playing in the upcoming match.

our personal goals."

Even though the team didn't always triumph over their opponents, each girl improved amazingly throughout the season.

Sophomore Stacey Bukovac said "I hope next year's team has the experience I did."

All in all it was a successful season in that the girls had their own personal victories.

TENNIS



Playing around before the match, freshman Katie Bevan and sophmores Bailey Venable, Leia Gerard, Heidi Baker, and Linda Turner have a great time.



Taking a break, Jessica Dawson and Lola Judy chit chat at practice.



(top row:) Kesslie Nelson, Stacey Bukovac, Renee Bradbeer, Heidi Baker, and Bailey Venable.

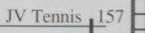
(middle row:) Leia Gerard, Jessica Dawson, and Linda Turner. (bottom row:) Tara Longo, Lola Judy, Kelly Woodworth, and Caitlin Barnhouse.

J.V. TENNIS	
Eastlake North	L
Willoughby South	L
Mentor	W
Euclid	L
Perry	L
Chardon	L
Willoughby South	L
Nortre Dame	L





Sophomores Bailey Venable and Leia Gerard wait for the match to begin.





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Fighting to save the ball, junior Steve Epple puts his heart and feet into it.





Making a spectacular catch, senior Nick Verdi saves the game again.

After helping to capture the victory, junior Chris Anderson proudly leads his fierce players off the field.



Coach Dave Zundel

Us Them 2 0 Perry Kenston 1 1 Edgewood 6 1 South 1 1 Riverside 0 1 North 0 0 Chardon 3 0 2 2 Geneva 2 0 South 0 Riverside 3 North 1 1 Chardon 2 0 Geneva 3 0 Euclid 2 1 1 Aurora 1 0 4 Geneva 3 Mayfield 1

VARSITY SOCCER



As junior Jeremy Woodworth goes for the goal, he puts his all into it. In the end, he was victorious.





moment was when they had to will never forget.

All their competition was combat Aurora. They came from becrushed because the team was hind and tied, keeping their oppolead into battle by a very wise nents from victory. Some fierce warcoach, Dave Zundel, and brave riors to keep an eye on next season are captains. This was a year to Chris Anderson, Josh Waltman, Ray remember for the boys soccer Garcia, and Todd Anderson. Also, team. They had a victorious sea- Jeremy Woodworth had his best season. Their toughest competitor son on defense. In the end, the team was Eastlake North. In their cru- had a record-breaking season. Their sade against North, they gained record was 8-1-6, the best in the hisone victory and engaged in one tory of Madison High School soccer. stallmate. Their most honorble This is one conquest that the seniors



As the opponent breathes down his neck, senior Chris Durham does all it takes to keep the ball out of his reach.

All for one and one for all. The team unites before their fight for victory



While the team members catch their breath during a timeout, Coach Zundel gives his words of wisdom.



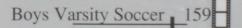
(top row): Coach Zundel, Josh Waltman, Joe Judd, Chris Zundel, Chris Durham, Matt Toward, Dustin Osborne, Alex Hearn, Chad Butler, Stephen Epple, Brandon Granger. (middle row): Ray Garcia, Jim Smith, Chris Burden, Josh Mickle, Jeremy Woodworth, Josh

Nunnally, Chris Anderson, Gerard Beattie, Tyler Granger, Todd Anderson (bottom row): Eric Bennett, Lou Nicholson, Jason Hadley, Nick Verdi, Dan Booth, Steve Raske,

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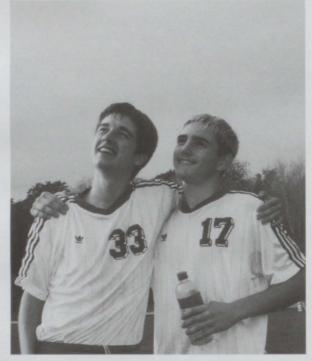


2002 Varsity Captains: Chris Zundel, Nick Verdi, Chris Anderson, and Joe Judd (not pictured)









Looking like he lost his best friend, Jim Smith watches the game from the bench.

The best season wouldn't have happened without the best captains. Matt Gehring and Jim Smith plan their victory party.



Matt Gehring tapes up for the big game.

Trying his best, Eric Bennet successfully keeps the ball away from Chardon.



It's best to keep hydrated during the game. Todd Anderson, Jim Smith, and the others take a break.



Deep in thought Gerard Beattie prepares for the win.

Nothing but the Best J.V. boys soccer delivers excellence

The best coach and the best team together make the best season. The team worked and played hard all season. With a record of ten wins, two ties and only two losses, this was the best season the J.V. team had in a long time. This record was achieved thanks to a superior coach and a talented team. The season went really well, even with two ties. Coach Granger commented on the two ties as "better than any of our ten wins." Granger's team attributed their success to him. Everyone on the team loves Coach Granger. Freshmen Louie Nicholson said, "Coach Granger is the best, He lets us learn on our own." Coach Granger thinks just as highly of his team. "I had a great bunch of kids," said Granger.

This combination of the best players and best coach helped the team show their best side this season. We hope they will continue to strive for excellence next season.



Coach Granger and Josh Nunnally are the best of friends.



Senior Chad Butler runs up on the ball to keep Geneva from scoring.



There is no distracting the team from the best part of the game.... the pep talk.



Keeping the other team in check, captain Jim Smith races for the ball.

J.V. SOCO	CER	
Us Them	1	
Реггу	4	0
Kenston	1	1
South	3	0
Riverside	5	3
North	0	8
Chardon	5	0
Geneva	5	0
South	4	2
Riverside	4	1
North	0	4
Chardon	5	1
Geneva	2	1
Euclid	4	2
Aurora	0	0
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Coach Granger. The team appreciated him and learned many new skills from him. "Thanks coach!"



The 2002 Varsity Girls Soccer Team:

(top row:) Liz Beattie, Katie Nicholson, Kim Grabel, Felicia Zirkle, Angela Wickert, Alicia Egy

(bottom row:) Janelle Markgraf, Kelly Barnhart, Ann Brackman, Bridget Clough, Michelle Medved (not pictured:) Jessica Boonstra, Alison Woodworth, Aimee Dickman, Colleen Smith, Amanda McGill, Molly Gehring, Brittany Kehn, Morgan Galloway, Alicia Weiss, and Coach Chad Burguard

VARSITY SOCCER

	Us	Them
Lakewood	1	2
Aurora	1	1
Regina	0	2
South	1	1
Geneva	4	1
North	1	4
Chardon	2	2
N.Royalton	1	2
Perry	0	0
South	0	3
Trinity	2	2
North	0	3
Chardon	2	1
Lake Catholic	0	0
NDCL	1	1
Geneva	2	0
Clev.Heights	1	5





Smiling big, parents of Brittany Kehn congratulate her and friend Katie for their hard work.



Can't help but think that Liz Beattie is bragging about the amazing amount of goals she had this season.



Looking for an open teammate, Michelle Medved hopes to soar the ball pass her defender.



Leaving behind a good season to next year's varsity team, the seniors gather around to say their goodbyes.

"Can I Get a Heck Yeah?"



Seniors bring team together

Despite losing eight seniors from last year and suffering injuries, the girls tried to stay strong and stick together as a team. These girls had some rough times because they had little or no practice together before the season began. This young team realized they were in a difficult situation. There was hope though. According to Liz Beattie, "The seniors brought the team closer and helped the players come together to unite as one."

There were many rough injuries for them to overcome as well. For instance, Liz Beattie hurt her knees and ankles, Brittany Kehn got a concussion, Kim Grabel suffered from a jaw injury, and Kate Nicholson sustained a head injury. Despite the loss of players, they still had a positive attitude.

Because of the lack of preseason practice and the abundance of injuries, they lost some games. However, they had a lot of ties as well. "This team overcame the frustration and never gave up. We may not have accomplished all of the goals we set this year, but we had fun trying," said Coach Burgard.

Making another great save, Kim Grabel leads the team to a victory.





Beaming after a hard season, Camilla Gerbassi walks down the field with host parents Mr. and Mrs. Grabel.

Always coming through, Liz Beattie makes another successful kick.



Always defending the ball, Alison Woodworth rushes to help out her teammates.



Taking charge, Molly Gehring blocks the ball.



The varsity soccer team lines up as the game gets underway. Varsity <u>Girls Soccer</u> 163







Using awesome defensive skills, Felicia Zirkle keeps control of the ball.

Sarah Nemanic doesn't let the other team bother her; she lets them bounce right off.



Taking a break and having fun, Sarah Nemanic and Lindsey Swartlander rest up during halftime. Watching intently, Coach Curtindale and the team keep a look out for an

Watching intently, Coach Curtindale and the team keep a look out for an exciting play.



Even though she is injured, Heather Davis still warms up just like everyone else.



Shannon Weber goes for the goal with ease.



Kaitlyn O'Brien bounces past the defense and strides on down the field.



Dionna Walbeck shows how she bounces the ball off her foot for perfect offense.

Captains Bre Granger and Felicia Zirkle led the team this year with outstanding effort and spirit.

Bouncing over Barriers Girls J.V. soccer team overcomes

"Every time someone went down, we put someone else in and they bounced right along. They also bounced into different positions on the field," says Coach Curtindale.

This year, the J.V. soccer team had a great season, a huge team, and a large amount of injuries, and they learned to do a lot of bouncing.

The girls were led by Coach Curtindale and Captains Felicia Zirkle and Bre Granger. The team this year was very large, with 22 girls total. Coach Curtindale thought the large team would be a problem at first, but with all the injuries, the extra girls proved to be a good thing because she always had someone to substitute for the injured girls.

Even through all the injuries, the girls kept a positive attitude and an awesome willingness to go all out and give it their absolute best.

Captain Felicia Zirkle said, "It hurt the team to have so many people get injured and have a few girls quit, but we stuck together and we did okay anyway."

The girls finished the season with a record of 4-7-2 including an awesome big win against Lakeside with a score of 10 to 0.



Tori Earl gets the ball with help from her teammate Shannon Weber.



Saving her team once again, Jenny Grabel goes for the block.



Excited about their awesome season, Rachel Andres, Nicole Meeker, and Jessica Fleischer can't help but smile. Girls J.V. Soccer 165

Preparing for a big game, Kelly Mandato helps Camila Gerbassi loosen up.

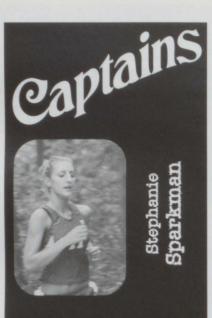
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Chardon	1	0
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Edgewood	2	2
NDCL	1	7
Eastlake N.	0	4
Lakeside	6	0



(top row:) Melissa Klug, Brittannia Granger, Jennifer Grabel, Felicia Zirkle, Katherine Lashley, Amber Keisel, Kelly Mandato, Lindsey Swartzlander, Rachel Andres, and Coach Curtindale

(middle row:) Camilla Gerbassi, Kaitlyn O'Brien, Rachel Sawyer, Dionna Walbeck, Shannon Weber, Carolyn Markgraf, and Nicole Meeker

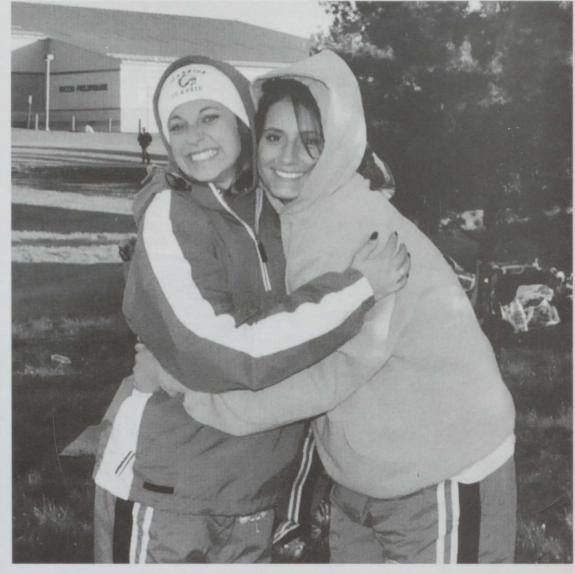
(front row:) Victoria Earl, Bridget Clough, Sarah Nemanic, Heather Davis, Jessica Fleischer.



Piorkowski Kimothy

Sparkman Stephanie





Hugs all around. Junior Monica Porostosky and senior Melissa Kuntz share a smile and a hug before they get ready to stretch at the team's meet on October 2. The team went on to qualify for Regionals, marking their tenth consecutive appearance at the prestigious event.



What a great way to finish a day! Members of the girls and boys cross country teams enjoy a nice treat after their tough practice at the Perry Outdoor YMCA.



Kicking up their feet, these ten girls from the cross country team come together for one final stretch at the end of practice.

Stretching to the limits are senior captains Kimothy Piorkowski and Rachelle Orris. The two are warming up before an early October practice.

Taking One More Stride Girls cross country advances to Regionals



Setting records is what it takes to bring a successful season to a close. The girls cross country team pushed themselves so that they could take their decade of victories in stride. The girls helped MHS reach their tenth consecutive appearance at Regionals. "I really enjoyed this year's season and I'm already looking forward to next year," said junior Rose Gluvna. The team ended the 2002 season with a final record of 25-8 (1-3 in the PAC). The seniors ended the season by looking back fondly on the strides they have taken together the past four years. "Cross country has been the best four years of my life," said tri-captain and senior Stephanie Sparkman. "It has been a pleasure running with Rachelle Orris and Kimothy Piorkowski since we were all freshman."



One step in front of another. Senior Stephanie Sparkman and freshman Kristina Romano stay ahead of some of their fellow runners during the team's district meet.





Above: Freshmen Mark Porostosky and Tiffany Teske stay warm before their meet begins. Left: Coach Pelich and junior Rose Gluvna walk towards the meeting place at an away meet.



Girls Cross Country: (back row:) Coach Pelich, Holly Engler, Kristin Rediger, Jordan Herron, Kristina Romano, Tiffany Teske (middle row:) Rose Gluvna, Katherine Fedele, Rachael Haury, Cassandra Neely, Jennifer Butram, Nicole Chaves, Monica Porostosky (front row:) Shannon Davis, Vicki Tomsic, Rachelle Orris, Stephanie Sparkman, Kimothy Piorkowski, Melissa Kuntz



Cross Country Captain Stephanie Sparkman walks with her parents during Parents Night at the Eastlake North football game.

Freshman Kristina Romano stays ahead of a Riverside runner during the district meet at the Outdoor Family YMCA. Madison's overall record in the PAC was 1-3



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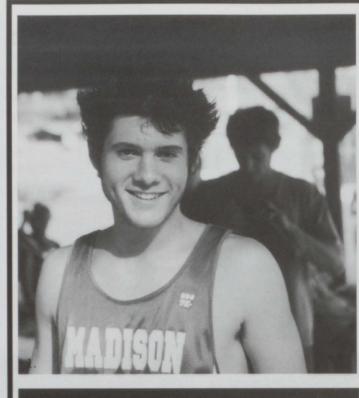
Deep in concentration, Junior Anthony Gustin pushes himself on towards the finish line. Gustin's PR this year was 18:03.





Senior Tim Heckman rounds the bend at the outdoor Y at this year's P.A.C. cross country meet. Heckman's PR of the year was 18:20.

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1. Nice Hairl Senior Chad Abrams takes time before the P.A.C. meet to flash a smile. Abram's PR of the year was 21:32.

2. Senior Randy Schultz gives his all at this year's P.A.C. meet. Schultz's PR of the year was 17:57.

3. The family man Kitt Lashley, captain of the cross country team this year, escorts his parents across the football field on senior night. Lashley's PR of this year was 18:18.



Strength in numbers, Keith Anderson, Brian Kiper, and Mike Goda stick together during their race. Their PRs this year were: Anderson : 20:55, Kiper : 20:42, and Goda: 21:35.

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Zundel	18:16	DNR	18:20	17:54	18:23	17:51	17:47
Schultz	19:26	19:05	19:07	18:53	20:16	18:32	18:29
Gustin	18:17	18:43	18:08	18:03	18:36	18:52	18:14
Lashley	19:07	DNF	19:32	18:53	18:56	19:11	18:18
Heckma	n DNR	19:46	20:21	18:53	19:11	19:01	18:26
Romano	19:18	19:37	19:23	18:54	20:01	18:45	18:28
Harper	19:55	20:23	DNR	DNR	20:02	19:26	
Abrams	19:20	19:16	19:24	19:15	19:31	20:07	



Seniors Tim Heckman, Randy Schultz, Chris Zundel, and junior Anthony Gustin are mid-stride in this year's P.A.C. meet.

Captains Kitt Lashley and Kevin Craigo get a good start on the race. Craigo's PR of the year was 19:10.



ing the Distance Cross Country goes the extra m

Coach Pelich had no idea what he was going sophomore Derek Daughters helped make to do with his cross country runners. "They things happen. Suddenly the team wasn't had the ability, but not the attitude," com- just showing up for practice, they wanted mented Coach Pelich. They needed runners to step up and lead the unmotivated team, and step up they did. Seniors like Chad Abrams, Coach Pelich's "shining light in a from last year, proving the runners now sea of darkness," shaved three minutes off understand what it takes to win. "Last year his last year's time.

Captains Kitt Lashley and Randy Schultz Pelich. gave the team solid senior leadership.

From late last season to early this season, Runners like Captain Kevin Craigo and victory, and they wanted it bad. The team became theirs; they made it happen. The almost-undefeated team was a turn around we ran; this year we raced," bragged Coach



Sophomore Derek Oelbracht, junior Greg Church, and senior Kevin Zimmerman cross the two mile marker at this year's PAC meet. PRs of this year were: Oelbracht 20:22, Church 20:12, and Zimmerman 20:14



One more mile is all senior Josh Sumpter can think about as he crosses the two-mile mark at this year's P.A.C. meet. Sumpter's PR of the year was 20:59.



Senior Chris Zundel passes his opponent at this year's PAC meet. Zundel's PR of this year was 17:47



The Leader of the P.A.C. Sophomore Derek Daughters sets the pace at Districts. Daughter's personal record or PR of the year was 17:19.



The 2002 Boys Cross Country Team: Kevin Craigo, Randy Schultz, Derek Daughters, Josh Sumpter, Kitt Lashley, Chris Zundel, Kevin Zimmerman, Clint Chasko, Greg Church, Anthony Gustin, Derek Oelbracht, Michael Turner, Chad Abrams, Josh Ferran, Tim Brunner, Mike Romano, Michael Goda, Keith Anderson, Bryan Kiper, Bryan Pelich, and Peter Swanson.



Junior Clint Chasko tries to break out of the cluster at this year's P.A.C. meet. Chasko's PR of the year was 21:32.



Coach Beans-"The team played its heart out this year falling just two shots away from a team championship. Hughes, Delong, and Horvath led the team all year."



Asst. Coach Hughes-"They had a good season. They all have a lot of potential and I look forward to next year."



After a hole well-done, juniors Brad Brueggeman and Geoff Pinkney walk down the fairway to hit again.



Capt. Eric Hughes-"We had a decent year. We started out strong like we would have a promising season. But not enough of us performed well on the same days."



Capt. Nick Horvath-"Everything went well during the season, but we kind of fell apart at the end."



With amazing force and accuracy, sophomore Chet Delong tees off onto the fairway.

GOLF Score 179-165 177-201 167-169 182-185 173-210 180-194 182-174 175-163 176-185 183-186 186-169

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8/20/02	Geneva, Mayfied, Jefferson	360-320-360-416	Riverside	177-2
8/22/02	South	162-144	North	167-1
8/27/02	Riverside	165-189	Chardon	182-1
8/28/02	Jefferson, Conneaut, West G.	167-196-198-172	Lakeside	173-2
8/29/02	North	154-165	Euclid	180-
9/3/02	Chardon	161-151	South	182-1
9/4/02	Lakeside	144-152	Geneva	175-1
9/5/02	Aurora, Lakeside, Fairport	161-171-185-225	Riverside	176-1
9/10/02	South	161-169	North	183-1
9/12/02	Riverside	154-165	Geneva	186-1
9/17/02	North	140-162	Final Reco	ord 7-4
9/19/02	Chardon, Lake Catholic	168-185-170		
9/20/02	Lake Catholic, Perry	168-166-169		



Junior Max Ungers takes his final stroke to victory.



Having a good putting game is an important part of keeping a score low. Freshmen Jordan Kreuter closely watches her ball approach the hole.



Exhibiting textbook form, Senior Nick Horvath completes another successful drive.

Playing Up To Par The MHS golf team comes out swinging

The Madison High School golf team came out swinging as they ended the 2002 season. The team had a regular season record of 17-6 and were 6-2 in the Premier Athletic Conference. Upon traveling to Sectionals on October 3rd at Fairway Pines, they placed 9th out of 22 teams. Senior Eric Hughes and Nick Horvath led the team throughout the season.

Horvath and Chet Delong were named First Team All Conference.

were named First Team All Conference. Delong was chosen as MVP of the league at the PAC Championship meet. The PAC meet was held at Fairway Pines and the team lost by only one stroke. However they came out with a strong finish earning 2nd place in the PAC. Hughes hit a 33 at The Reserve at Thunderhill Golf Course, one of the toughest courses in the area, to set a school record.

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After a hard day on the green, junior Geoff Pinkney and freshmen Scott Metzung take a break from playing.

(top Row): Coach Mike Hughes, Scott Mcintyre, Eric Hughes, Chet Delong, Mike McGuire, Nick Horvath & Coach Tom Beans. (bottom Row): Kory Piorkowski, Jordan Kreuter, Matt Nicholson, Greg King, Brad Brueggeman & Geoff Pinkney. Not Pictured: Max Ungers & Scott Metzung.







The 2002-2003 Marching Band brought a whole new style to their show this year. That was in part due to the addition of new director, Mrs. Kristy May. May had many plans for the band, which already possessed a lot of talent. The band was just waiting for someone to release it.

The beginning of the season started back in July. At first the band was nervous about whether there would be enough time to get all their goals accomplished. But in the end they pulled it together to create two crowd-pleasing shows.

Their first show took the fans back to the 70's with the tune "Freeride." Here the band performed some fancy footwork that got the crowd to clap their hands to the music.

Then during "Dance to the Music," the band whipped out a dance that amazed the audience.

Finally the show ended with the lovable bullfrog song "Joy to the World," featuring the funky tubas. They really got the crowd involved in their performance.

Midway through the season the band switched gears to their scary show by playing, "Lady Marmalade." Then the majorettes were featured in a dance to the mysterious theme to *Ghostbusters*.

Finally, the whole band showed the audience what they could really do as they performed a shocking dance to the hip Michael Jackson song, "Thriller."

This show was a huge success, especially when the band surprised the audience by dressing in Halloween costumes. Each squad dressed up in a different theme, and the directors had a style of their own.

The crazy directors were a dynamic trio. They were dressed up as "The Wizard of Oz" characters. Director May could have fooled anyone in her "Glinda, the good witch" costume. Then, assistant director Miss Nicole Groah tried to be scary and maked you wonder about her true colors in her character of the "wicked witch." Last, there was the majorette advisor, Mrs. Sally Rogus. Rogus portrayed Dorothy.

"I have been in band for the past four years, but this year we really pumped it up. Our new band director really helped our band be all it could be and so much better," said senior Heather Britton.



The shining and the shimmering saxophone players mimic Michael Jackson during the song "Ghostbusters." The clan was led by junior Greg Church and consisted of sophomore Shannon Weber, and freshman Keith Anderson and Kristina Romano.



Hanging out and having fun is what the majorettes do when they are not performing. Seniors Shannon Davis, Ashley Moles, Stephanie Cline, and Lindsey Davis hang out on the bus before the game against Chardon.

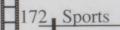


The 2002-2003 Madison High School Marching Band





It's the freaky, the chilling, and the crazy! That is what sums up this year's band directors. Head director Mrs. Kristy May, assistant director Miss Nicole Groah, and majorette advisor Mrs. Sally Rogus got all decked out for the Halloween Show. It was there they showed a little bit of their wild side.





Look at that silly monkey. Freshman Steven Church practices his cymbals before the Halloween

Show.

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Look at those flute players go. Sophomore Rachel Andres and freshman Melissa Klug get into the song "Ghostbusters."





Hey sister, go sister, let me see you throw sister. Senior majorettes Ashley Moles, Shannon Davis, and Lindsey Davis strut their stuff to the hit "Lady Marmalade."



Those tu-tu wearing tuba players are always at it. Audrey Leonard, Ashley Elder, Amy Findak, Paul Bodager, and Jaqueline Bender get all psyched up before their Halloween Show.



Cool, right? Band directors May and Groah get a bit groovy at the first home game against John Marshall.

Left: Styling it in the big house! Senior majorette Stephanie Cline shows her moves at the band's performance during a game at the Cleveland Browns' Stadium. The band was asked to perform a pregame show for the Browns preseason action.



Who is that scaring everyone out there? It's No one other than drum majorette, Kristen Andres. Here she performs her salute at the Halloween Show .



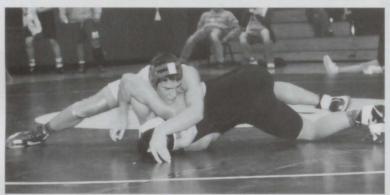
Thriller! Mellophone players senior Angie Wickert, junior Jesse Rose, and sophomores Aaron Knight and Peter Swanson get down and freaky to this hit.



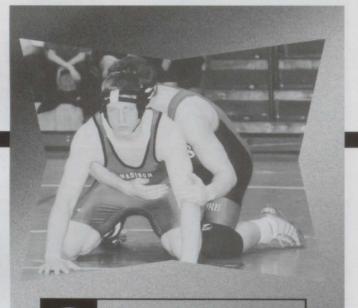
Coming Together Team work equals success

The varsity wrestling team had a goal this year--to come together as a team. They knew that they had to work hard together to get what they wanted. These boys had a difficult schedule this season and knew it would take the whole team to get where they wanted to be. By coming together as one, the team earned a P.A.C. Championship and had

a 14-2 respectable winning record. Spending endless hours away from their families, the coaches and players became more like a family than a team. Together, they put in a lot of time... in the weight room and the wrestling room. The time and hard work was all worth it. They retained their reputation--the one that makes their opponents afraid to come to Madison.



Stretching out to get a better position, junior Joe Deak tries to put this North Ranger on his back.

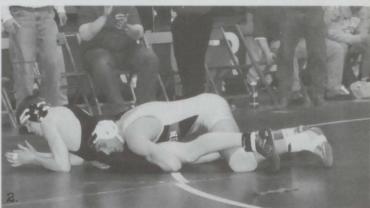


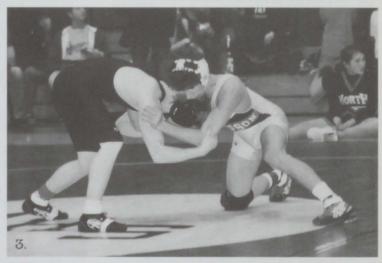
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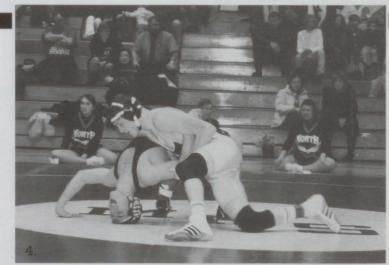
"We had to come together as a team or die as individuals. We came together, and everything was great." **Junior Joe Franczek**.

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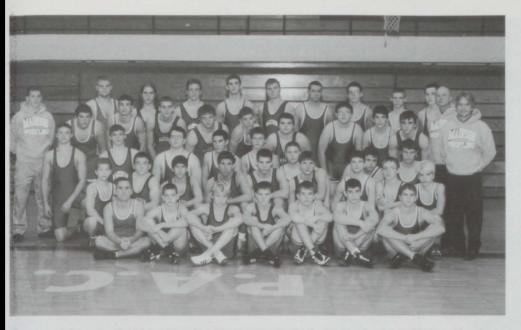




 $1. \ \mbox{Sophomore Derek}$ Oelbracht gets this wrestler on his back for a clean and quick pin.

2. Senior Nick Verdi uses all his strength to pull in his opponent. 3. Going in for the move, senior Joe Garisek works hard to pull his competitor down.

4. Wow! That looks like it hurts. Senior Brad Suchomski knows how to make his opponent scream "Mercy!"



(top row:) Tim Reed, Bobby Kosch, Joe Franczek, Rudy Nudbath, Nick Blakey, Brock Brananowski, Cory Webb, Jim Novac, Nate Mix, (fourth row:) Coach Shears, Domanic Sbonose, Athony Campo, David Bowins, Aaron West, Matt Hopkins, Creig Walker, Milles King, Klint Walker, Ryan Lardy, Coach Becka, (third row:) Ben Penuski,Brad, Adam Foller, Marshal Golding, Eric Bennet, Vickers, Cody Tompson, Coach Fortuna, (second row:)Brian Bennet, Andy Dawson, Joe Garisack, Nick Verdi, Joe Deak, Charlie Novac, Matt Vankurck,Brandon Hunter, Kyle Pyrocowski, (bottom row:) Sam Moore, Kurt, Derek, Sam Sjon jobsinski, Doug Deak, Jon Ockal.

Varsity Wrestling

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Preview	W
Super Duals (8 teams)	W
Benedictine	W
Valley Forge	L
Orange	W
Brecksville Tourn.	W
South	W
Chanel	L
Top Gun	W
Top Gun	W
North	W
Willard Tourn.	W
Riverside	W
Chardon	W
N. Canton Hoover	W





Sophomore Dave Bowins muscles this hill topper into the floor.



1. Sophomore Sammy Storkel uses all his might to roll this Beaver over to get the win.

2. Coaches Zirm, Shears, Fortuna, and Wickert watch intensely as one of their Blue Streaks battles for a big blue win.

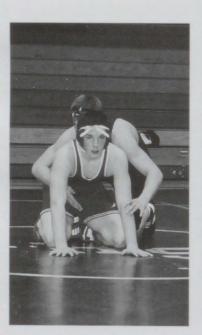
State Alternate, junior Charlie Novac, wrenches the arm of this hill topper.

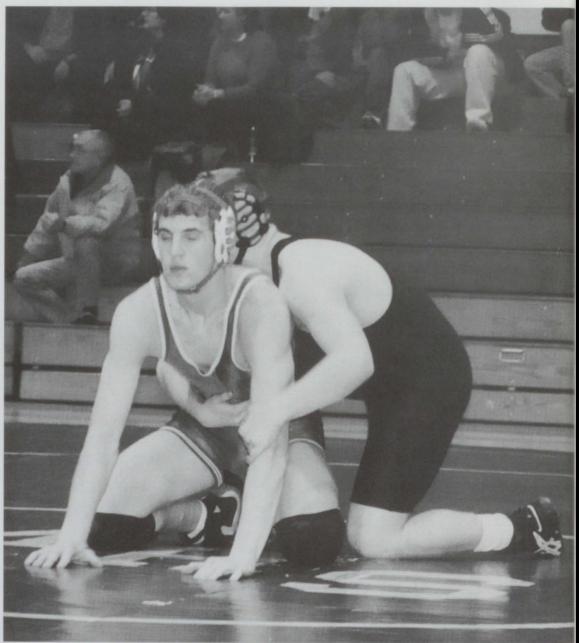
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Right: Freshman Rudy Nadbath sets himself in position to complete his match.

Below: Waiting for the whistle, Freshman Nate Cherry appears ready to take on his opponent from Eastlake North. The Streaks defeated North, keeping their PAC Championship alive.





What is defeat? Nothing but education; nothing but the first step to something better" ~Wendell Phillips~

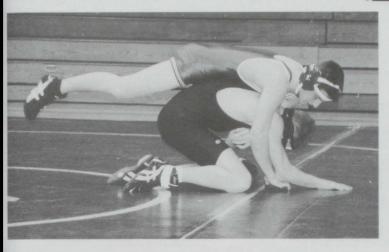


Staying in control is important during a match and that's exactly what this match proves. The MHS J.V. Wrestling team had a great season and learned many new skills to carry over into their Varsity Wrestling careers.



Flying without wings! Freshman David Hobson attempts to stay in control against one of his opponents, as he flies over his back.

Taking it to the mat J.V. Wrestlers begin new journey



New beginnings are always filled with worry, excitement, and anxiety. But through it all, confidence needs to shine through. Without confidence, people fall apart in new situations. As Plato once said, "If you have no confidence in self, you are twice defeated in the race of life. With confidence, you have won even before you have started."

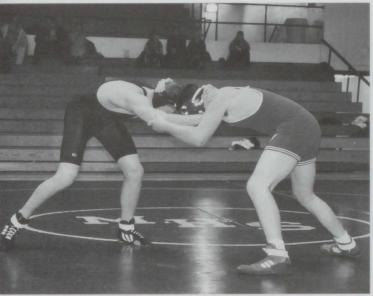
Confidence definitely made its presence known during the 2002-2003 Junior Varsity Wrestling season. With a lot of first year wrestlers on the team, the team

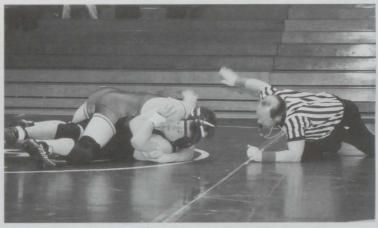
we beginnings are always did surprisingly well. Many firstfilled with worry, excitetimers won their matches, which doesn't happen too often.

> "Coach Becca helped the team out a lot, especially the freshman," said freshman John Japcinski. "He helped us all prepare to be the best we could be at each match."

you are twice defeated in the race of life. With confidence, you have won even before you have started." Along with Coach Becca's help, the team will use their newly-acquired skills and moves as a basis for upcoming seasons.

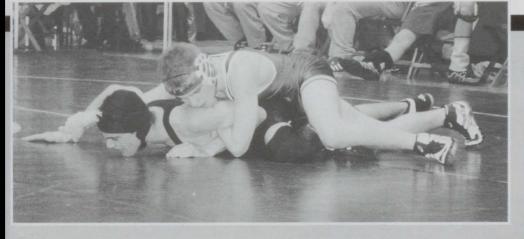
> "The season was a lot of hard work, but it will be a big help when I go on to wrestle in Varsity matches," added Japcinski.





Above: One, two, three...David Hobson practices his skills as he tries to keep his opponent down during a match at Madison.

Left: Head-to-Head. Strength is key against this Eastlake North competitor.



His opponent doesn't look happy. Freshman Jon Japcinski makes this match look like a piece of cake as he overpowers his adversary.

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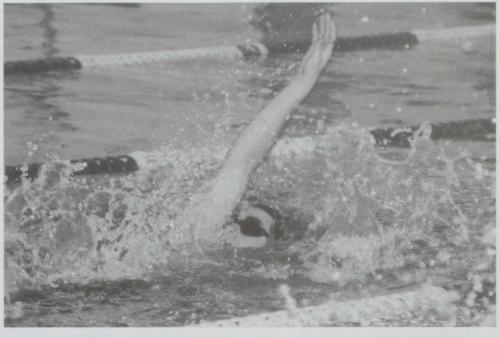
Freshman and J.V. wrestler Jon Japcinski

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As junior Tim Brunner strives to win, he thinks to himself, "This is what it's all about."

Every time sophomore Tabitha Blalock gets on the platform, she reflects on why she ever joined the team. When she hits the water, she suddenly remembers.







Freshman Aja Rendek motivates her teammate for a success that is well worth reflecting over again and again.



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All packed up and ready to go, sophomore Nicole Meeker, junior Jessie Rose and senior Sara Fike get set to hit the water.



GIRLS SWIM TEAM

Perry

Riverside

North

South

Western Res. 134

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2002 MHS Swim Team (top row:) Coach Nancy, Todd Anderson, Chet Delong, Tom Weiss, Greg Church, Sam Leonard, Blake Moskowitz, Tim Brunner,Brandon West (third row:) Coach Cindy, Keith Anderson, Barb Bradich, Michelle Mayer, Jessie Rose, Danielle Cline, Nicole Meeker, Ashley Wrobleski, David Satterfield (second row:) Mark Weiss, Bryan Pelich, Jed Powell, Brittany Fako, Aja Rendek, Merideth Misich, Tabby Blalock, Crystal Satterfield (bottom row:) Bob Conrad, Tim Heckman, Shawn Woodworth, Sara Fike, Vicki Tomsic, Devin Artz, Brian West, Stephanie Beller, Karla Kershaw, and Elisa Turchetti

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As the season came to an end, the swim team members took the time to reflect on how they did. As a team, the swimmers thought back on the many tough practices they endured and the meets they put their hearts into so that they could achieve their goals.

The girls were proud that they were able to bond and learn to work as one. "We're

Senior Karla Kershaw swims with all of her might to try and sink her opponents.

ally came together and felt like a team this year," said junior Jessie Rose.

The guys on the other hand came out of the water on top. They only lost three meets. All of the swim team members did extremely well.

Reflecting on the season, all of the MHS swimmers agreed that it truly was a time of their lives.



As junior Blake Moskowitz sings his heart out, junior Tom Weiss decides to join in while senior Bob Conrad thinks about sweet success.



Camped out at Sectionals, junior Greg Church, sophomore Barb Braidich, freshman Aja Rendek and senior Devin Artz take a rest after a hard day's work.



2003 Swim Team Seniors (top row:) Sara Fike, Vicki Tomsic, Karla Kershaw, Stephanie Beller, Elisa Turchetti (bottom row:) Tim Heckman, Shawn Woodworth, Brian West, Devin Artz, and Bob Conrad

BOYS SWIM TEAM				
	Them			
Реггу	39			
Western Res.	111			
Riverside	64			
South	81			
	Perry Western Res. Riverside			



While reflecting on high school and swimming memories, seniors Sara Fike and Vicki Tomsic take a minute to share a hug.

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huddles together to listen to Coach Negin during a time-out at Harvey Craigo cuts off an Edgewood player and attempts to get back in a good defensive position

2. Junior Kevin

g our praises. m.



An Experienced Line-up Starts From Scratch new foundation and a new gamep

A new face graced the Madison boys' basketball but rebounded impressively in a nail-biting program this year: the face of head varsity coach overtime game against P.A.C rival Riverside. David Negin, who took the team to a new level and style of play, taught the players the importance of they became known and feared for, the team's respect and working together, and brought some defensive pressure baffled many of their "Mad-TOWN" flavor to the Madison community. opponents. On the offensive end, they used a With him, Coach Negin brought the idea of team- combination of patience and maneuverability, work and fundamentals, and enforced an aggres- with acrobatic drives and dishes to the basket sive, in-your-face style of play. Starting off strong, coupled with deadly perimeter shooting and the Streaks racked in key victories over Conneaut, solid fundamentals. With all this in their "bag Geneva, and North and played one of their best of tricks," the team strived through a tremengames of the season in an all-out brawl against dous season, finishing 2nd in the P.A.C, giving VASJ, coming up 3 points short as time ran out on Riverside its closest P.A.C race ever. Senior them. They suffered a setback when junior starting captains Aaron Parks, Eric Hughes, and Charlie point guard Kevin Craigo became sidelined for a Gorman always found ways to step up in the large portion of the season due to a broken wrist. big game, scoring 29, 28, and 23 points respec-A solid win over Chardon displayed one of the best tively in games with Harvey, Riverside, and games the Streaks had as a team, and also provided VASJ. Going into the Euclid Sectional, the them with a building block from which to regroup boys drew a solid Cleveland South team and from. As their season progressed, the team fal- gave a heartfelt fight until the end, losing 66-tered a bit with losses to South and Lake Catholic, 73. They finished the season 12-9.

With an intensity and aggressiveness that



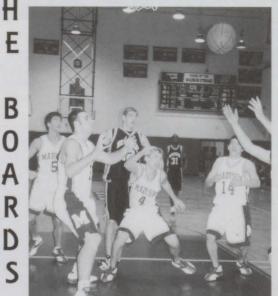


3. Josh Farren attempts to block a pass from a Harvey player. 4. The Varsity squad: top row: Eric Hughes, Charlie Gorman, Dan Gund. Chris Kehn, Max Ungers, (bottom. row): Josh Farren, Aaron Parks, Joe Lander, and Kevin Craigo. 5. Ben Vaidean swings the ball against the Edgewood defense.

Although outsized by most of their opponents, both Max Ungers and Aaron Parks led the battle of the boards, combining for 212 rebounds on the season, leading the team with their 5.1 average.



With their team having an average height of around 5' 10", boxing out became essential for these guys, as demonstrated by Dan Gund and Eric Hughes.



Varsity Boys	Basketl	ball
Opponent	Us	Them
Conneaut	66	47
Geneva-(OT)	64	60
South	63	49
VASJ	61	64
Riverside	54	59
Edgewood	50	37
North	67	48
Chardon	59	37
Lake Catholic	34	55
South	43	45
Jefferson	66	40
Riverside-(OT)	57	60
Perry	64	51
North	51	49
Chardon	38	36
Harvey	70	75
Edgewood	65	49
Benedictine	36	56
Lakeside	59	62
Bershire	85	71
Cleveland South	66	73



1. Dan Gund plays displays correct defenisve positioning as he fronts his opponent.

2. David versus Goliath! Junior Joe Lander stiff arms his much taller Riverside opponent as he positions himself to get a rebound.

3. The senior show. Driving past his defender, Eric Hughes looks to hook pass the ball as fellow senior Charlie Gorman holds off his defender in a perfect post-up position.

4. Diving after a loose ball, Chris Kehn hustles over top of a Harvey player to save the ball from going out of bounds.







Battle of the Baseline. Senior Aaron Parks blows by his Riverside opponent as he looks to "drive and dish" to a fellow teammate. Throughout the year, Parks perfected the drive with his method of creative weaving and his instinctive knowledge of the basket.







Demonstrating the tenacious defense that the Madison Boys Basketball Team became know for, Max Ungers harasses his Geneva opponent. Their defense paid off as they held the visiting Eagles to just 4 points in overtime to win the game, 64-60.





"This season was quite a challenge, losing our two leading scorers from last year and also adjusting to a totally new system. Our team managed to adjust and did well to compromise the losses. This was a successful season and was a great senior year. stated Eric Hughes.

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"This was a great end to our high school careers, considering that it was a first year coach and a totally new system. I'm really pleased with how we did and I wish the teams of the future, Coach Negin and Coach Brainard the best of luck,' reflected Charlie Gorman. Parks agreed. "This was a challenging season, since we didn't have any players over 6'2", but we made the most of it. Even with a first year coach, we were very successful, and I am going to miss it a lot."



Producing Results Freshmen and J.V. basketball teams: proud of accomplishments

"Let each produce according to his own aptitude and his force." Louis Blanc said this over two centuries ago; however, his philosophy still applies today. The 2002-2003 J.V. and freshmen basketball teams both had productive seasons. However, each group produced results according to their own skill level.

For the freshmen who were playing high school basketball for the first time, the season was primarily a learning year. It introduced them to the next level of competition and prepared them for future seasons. "We gave our best effort this season. Coming close against tough teams meant more to us than winning against easy teams would have," explained freshman Patrick Allen.

The team's most memorable



Getting prepared for the next play, sophomore Joey Naso pauses cautiously while he waits for his team- mates to get into position.

F	Freshmen	Baske	tball
R	Opponent	Us	Them
£	Harvey	37	40
S	Memorial	27	83
Н	Shore	58 41	23 44
М	Riverside	31	29
£	North Chardon	24 14	55 55
N	Shore	21	45
	South Riverside	33	48 42
S	North	30	38
c	Chardon Ridge	37 50	43 43
0	Harvey	40	40 34
R	Ridge	22	35
£	Benedictine Mentor Mem.	28 23	40 55
S	Kirtland	22	41





J.V. Basketball Team (top row:) Coach Keith Brainard, Justin Monty, Matt Gehring, Chuck White, Derek Daughters, Mikey Blauman, Clint Hardy (bottom row:) Dan Nebraski, Alex Harper, Joey Naso, Evan Larned, Mike McGuire



moment was winning their game against Riverside at the last shot.

The J.V.'s season started out great and only got better. They began their season on a foundation of three goals. First to go undefeated, second to win the P.A.C., and third to play more as team and try to work together better. The foundation proved strong. They won their first five games, only suffered one loss, dominated the P.A.C., and worked as a close unit to form a game-winning group. According to Clint Hardy, the most memorable moment of the season was when Coach Gorman fell while running down the court backwards.

Even though the results of each team's production varied, both the teams came out of the season being proud of their accomplishments. Also, the final product of their efforts remains to be seen. Next season they may produce even better results.



Gathering for a quick huttle, the J.V. boys listen to Coach Gorman as he motivates the team to keep working hard and discusses the next plan of attack.

	J.V. Basketball				
1					
	Opponent	Us	Them		
V	Conneaut	53	23		
	Geneva	46	32		
	Willoughby S.	40	27		
S	V.A. St. Joes	42	33		
	Riverside	52	42		
C	Edgewood	29	37		
	Eastlake N.	50	43		
0	Chardon	50	40		
R	Lake Catholic	46	59		
7	Willoughby S.	30	27		
E	Jefferson	40	42		
	Riverside	44	42		
B	Perry	36	37		
	Eastlake N.	43	56		
0	Chardon	39	30		
A	Harvey	46	49		
4	Edgewood	37	43		
2	Benedictine	39	56		
	Lakeside	35	45		
)	Berkshire	54	19		
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Light on his feet, freshman Ryan Haury, guards his opponent's every step.



Increasing Madison's lead, Evan Larned sneaks in and scores another basket which cushions Madison's lead over South.





Changing directions, freshman, Patrick Allen gets back on defense while the other team tries to fast break.



Freshman Basketball Team (top row:) Coach Ted Wagner, Patrick Allen, Shane Morrison, Chris Welniak, Matt Mauck, Kory Piorkowski, Jason Zupan (bottom row:) Mike Booth, Ryan Haury, Matt McGuire, Matt Nagy, Brandon Vaidean



Keeping his opponent scrabbling, Alex Harper fakes him out and drives the ball down the court.



Eagerly awaiting the tip off, freshman Shane Morrision gets ready to jump for his team.

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MHS JV. Cheerleading Squad

(top row:) Courney Chernikoff, Alicia Hess, Loraine Turkenburg. (bottom row:) Mikah Allen, Ashley Fellenisen (captain) Mackenzie Johnson.



Receiving leis for their hard work, Loraine Turkenburg, Mikah Allen, Courtney Chernikoff and Alicia Hess take a break to get a quick picture.



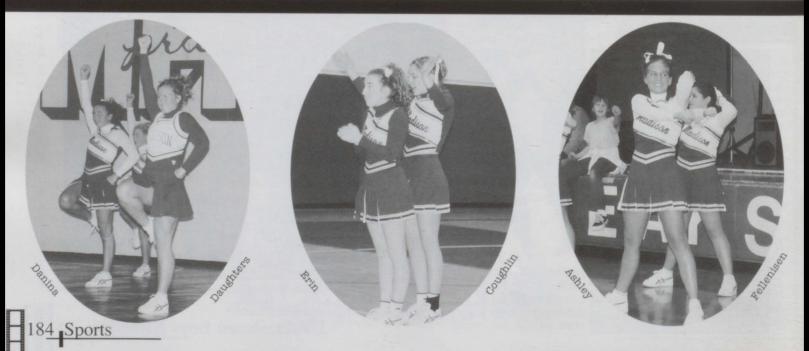
MHS Varsity Cheerleading Squad

(top row:) Jen Turcie, Erin Coughlin (captain), Stefani Hines, Ashley Estabrook.

(bottom row:) Tiffany Howard, Kaylee Emmett(captain), Stephanie Sparkman (captain), Kimothy Piorkowski, and Taylor Gondek.



Goofing around, the Varsity girls perform their famous "Sink it" chant for the crowd.





Goofing around at Kent State Cheerleading Camp, freshmen Alicia Hess and Courtney Chernikoff show off their cheerleading skills.



Seniors Tiffany Howard, Kim Piorkowski, Taylor Gondek, Daninia Daughters, Stephanie Sparkman, and Kaylee Emmett smile at the last home game of the season.

Girls R ock the Floor eves on

for the basketball cheerleaders. Striving to be unique, and the best, the edge getting ready for a competition varsity cheerleaders had an awesome on court year which seemed to attract many spectators. "It sometimes felt like the stands would get even more packed at half time, as if people were coming to see what we were going to do next," said Sophomore Ashley Estabrook. This season was the girls year to shine. With many years of pushing from their coach Linda Craigo, the squad finally reached their goal, an all-tumbling squad. While performing, the crowd was amazed at how well the girls had progressed over a period of a year.

Excited for competition season, the girls worked everyday trying to perfect even the smallest mistakes. Competing at the Baldwin-Wallace competition on December 15, 2002

This season was the year of change really took a toll on the girls. "I think that we pushed ourselves over the that was that early into the season, knowing that we might not come out on top," stated Kaylee Emmett. With 6 out of the 10 girls being seniors, they just didn't have the time or energy to compete. Unfortunately the season for the girls ended with only cheering court side, and they did not receive any more "hardware". Captain Ashley Felleisen of the junior varsity squad had 5 new basketball cheerleaders out of 7. Working hard and fast the girls had to come up with a competition routine while working on season material as well. The squad competed at various competitions and over all had an awesome year.



The MHS J.V. Basketball Cheerleaders get together before going out into the blazing sun.



Juniors Stefani Hines and Erin Coughlin show off their bright whites during the Harvey game.



Jen Turcie gets some air under her legs while jumping during a player introduction



Ashley Felleisen, Mack Johnson, and Kaylee Emmett gather around during senior night to say their last good-byes.

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Look at those crazy fans "going wild" at the basketball game against North.



Daniella Nunnally and Cherish Thomlison are always having the time of their lives, no matter where they are.







Best of buds Kitt Lashley and Chris Durham hang out at the basketball game, rooting on the Blue Streaks.



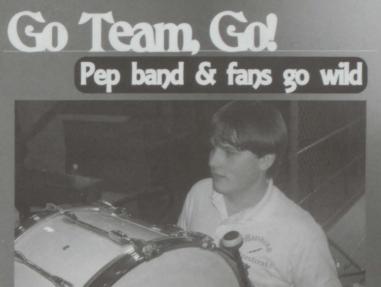
Friends, friends, and more friends. That is what these girls are all about. Juniors Rachel Haury and Bethany Moles and seniors Ali Izzarelli and Lauren Warholic had a ball at the basketball game cheering on their team.



Flute players Dannielle Cline, Brittany Burkholder, Tabitha Blalock, and Ashley Moles play the "Hey" song during the game against Chardon.



Carolyn Fisher, Kristen Andres, and Alison Fisher play their piccolos in unison.



Freshman drum player, Gabe Argo, gets ready to play as the "Star Spangled Banner" is sung by junior Jesse Rose.



Here is Ms. Groah modeling the Mardi Gras theme for the pep band.



Seniors Lindsey Davis and Stephanie Cline wait patiently for the game to begin so they can play their tunes.



What time is it? It is tuba time! Those groovy tubas have it going on as they jam to the hit "Thriller" during the basketball game against Riverside.



The Varsity Squad (bottom row:) Ingrid Brainard, Angie Wickert, Lyndsay Schmid, Amber Nowakowski, (top row:) Allison Izzarelli, Colleen Smith, Rachel Pike, Bethany Moles, Courtney Peine and Coach Mike Smith.

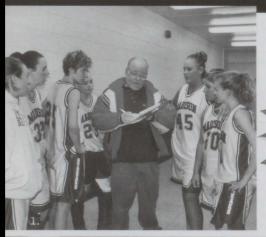


Seniors Lyndsay Schmid and Courtney Peine dive on the ground to recover a loose ball against P.A.C archrival North.

Girls Basketball Reaches New Heights A season ten years in the making

the Lady Blue Streak varsity basketball on Canadian provincial champion St. team started to see "the light at the end Mary's of Ontario, Madison stuck with of the tunnel." They remembered the their fast- paced style of play, falling innumerable summers spent in swelter- short in the final minutes, 48-59. The ing gyms, they remembered the hours of next day, they went on to lose to state repetitious passing, catching and drib- qualifier New Albany by one point, then bling drills, and they came to a realiza- finished strong against Canada's St. tion that, with seven seniors playing Christopher's. With a weekend of prepatogether again for the first time in four ration under their belts, the girls had no years, it was now or never. It was their time to rest. They had a tough couple moment to seize, and the Streaks were weeks of game in the near future. After not going to disappoint. "We knew that losing to P.A.C archrival Eastlake North, Jumping on this was going to be our last year to win the girls were determined to bounce the competi- a P.A.C Championship and beat North, back, and defeat Riverside, Perry and and it was nice that we were all together Geneve en route to beating North in again to accomplished it," reflected se- their second meeting, clinching a share nior Rachel Pike. Starting off strong, of the P.A.C title. Going into the tourthe girls won their Tip-Off Tournament, naments, the girls got respectably seeded beating Conneaut and Collinwood, and at 3rd and made it to the finals for the then went on an impressive five game first time in eight years, putting forth a winning streak. As Christmas break tremendous effort against Mentor, evenrolled in, the team faced one of its tually falling 56-68. The Streaks will greatest challenges of the season: North have six seniors going on to play colwas hosting a holiday tournament with lege basketball. numerous state-ranked teams, and Madi-

From November 1 to March 2, 2003, son was among the contenders. Taking



T-ogether E-veryone A-chieves

1. After the girls beat North for the first time since the P.A.C came about, a reporter asks them to reflect on their win. 2. Hanging out after a spaghetti dinner, the girls kept close. During these gettogethers the girls watched movies and bonded as a team. 3. This year, the varsity squad was an

exceptionally close group. After many of the games, the girls went to Joey's to celebrate victories, such as their 62-47 win over Eastlake North to clinch a tie to the P.A.C championship, or to bond together after senior night against Chardon. 4. The girls were also avid supporters of the boy's basketball team. Here they are seen wearing their "Beat the Beavers" tshirts during a game and showing who is number one in their eyes.



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 Senior Ali Izzarelli drives to the basket during warm-ups against Willoughby South.
 Senior Courtney

2. Senior Courtney Peine enters the ball to a wing during the Streaks warmup 3-on-2 drill.

3. Calling out the offense, senior point guard Ingrid Brainard sets up "Motion" and enters the ball to fellow senior Lindsay Schmid.

4. After being introduced for senior night, the team huddles around announcer Robert Legan, their loyal follower of many years.

5. Jump-stopping to look for an open man, Rachel Pike leads a fast break against Willoughby South.









Jessica Kallio strides to the basket to finish a lay-up on a fast break.

Varsity Girls Basketball

	Us	Them
Conneaut	73	23
Collinwood	88	26
Lakeside	77	33
South	85	19
Lake Catholic	72	39
Riverside	68	53
Warren Harding	65	43
North	49	51
St. Marys	48	59
New Albany	49	50
St. Christophers	64	38
Beaumont	52	43
Chardon	79	36
South	77	43
North	62	47
Riverside	54	42
Perry	63	49
Geneva	62	52
Chardon	76	30
VASJ	46	77
Lakeside	66	37
North	59	50
Mentor	56	68

1. Rachel Pike rips a rebound and pivots away from the South defender to outlet the ball .

 Bethany Moles squats in a defensive stance as her South opponent looks to drive to the basket.
 Leaving her North defender in the dust, Lindsay Schmid sprint dribbles on a fast break to find the open man.









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Boxing out like banchees, Maggie Mackura, Krystle Carlson and Brittany Kehn form "the triangle" in attempt to grab a rebound.

Leaning in for the rebound, sophomore Kristin Rediger and freshman Jordan Baldwin keep their eyeson the ball as the shot goes up.





Jump, jump, jump to it! Brittany Kehn out-hustles her Riverside opponent to come up with the rebound.



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Crowded together in the back of the bus, the J.V girls discuss their game strategy on the way to Eastlake North. These young players will be the backbone of the future varsity programs, since they actively play 5 freshmen and 5 sophomores.



Skying for a rebound, Samantha Krotz blocks a Perry defender and rips down the ball.

J.V/Freshmen Girls	Bask	etball
Opponent	Us	Them
Lakeside	54	19
South	37	38
Lake Catholice	28	48
Riverside	38	35
Warren Harding	25	28
Eastlake North	22	39
Kenston	39	24
Chagrin Falls	22	33
St. John	83	29
Beaumont	26	44
Chardon	52	28
South	31	28
Eastlake North	28	35
Riverside	26	31
Perry	37	32
Geneva	31	38
Chardon	48	22
VASJ	27	57

The J.V squad, (top row:) Colleen Smith, Krystle Carlson, Carly Locke, Kristin Rediger, Brittany Kehn, Jordan Baldwin, and Coach Grupe, (bottom row:) Khatia Klose, Maggie Mackura, Sara Eland, Sui Iino, Morgan Galloway, Samantha Krotz







1. Dribbling down court on a fast break, Denysse Myers leaves her Beaumont defenders scrambling in pursuit. 2. Courtney Smith looks to pass downcourt to an open player. 3. Samantha Wharram bodies up her opponent, keeping her arms straight to avoid fouling. 4. Hanging tough as a team ... these girls stuck with each other all season, even welcoming Colleen Smith to participate in a few games after coming back from her wrist injury.



A Young Squad; nt Fr battle of ups and downs

persevered through some com- last game was our best game, plex trials this year. These in- and I hope we can carry that clude a broken wrist sidelining momentum into next year," starter Colleen Smith, ankle inju- commented freshman Maggie ries to Amanda McGill and Kristin Mackura. Rediger, and the complications involved with blending two groups up five starters from their eighth of athletes; incoming freshman and grade squad to J.V, had a year of second year freshman, also known learning the fundamentals and as sophomores. The girls were playing as a team. Though inforced to quickly learn the plays consistent at times, the girls run by the varsity, as well as get worked incredibly hard, always used to each other's playing style staying positive and supportive and physically get in shape in a of each other. By the end of the period of about three weeks. They season, they were playing very started off a little erratic, solidly closely the teams who had prebeating Lakeside and Riverside, viously given them trouble. "We but then falling to South and Lake learned a tremendous amount Catholic. They finished the sea- about basketball, but also about son strong though, playing well teamwork and perseverence," against a tough VASJ team and stated freshmen coach Kevin solidly defeating Perry and P.A.C. Morgan.

The J.V girls basketball squad rival Chardon. "I felt that our

The freshman team, moving



The freshmen squad: (top row:) Tiffany Hart, Melissa Klug, Samantha Wharram, Jillian Golitko, Brittannia Granger, Aimee Dickman, Coach Morgan; (bottom row:) Heather Casto, Julia Kershaw, Denysse Myers, Tabitha Zukoski, Rachel Sawyer, Courtney Smith, and Tiffany Teske



Coach Morgan sits down his starters and shows them how to run a play during a time-out at the girls' last game at Beaumont. As the season went on, the girls improved and played their best basketball





Senior Members (top row) Justin Gottron, Jared Pikor, Kitt Lashley, Nick Verdi, Chad Abrams, Kevin Zimmerman, Joe Judd, Tim Heckman (bottom row) Chris Zundel, Garret Csepegi, Josh Hehmeyer, Charlie Gorman, Bob Conrad, Josh Sumpter. These senior boys will definitely be missed next year.

TRACK SCOREBOARD Opponent Them US 96 South 36 82 Riverside 50 North 40 92 Chardon 37 95 Colinwood 91 41 Final Record 5-0



Josh Malek passes the baton to Kyle Piorkowski to finish up the last leg of the relay



Kicking it into full gear, Joe Judd tries to catch his South opponent on the final straight away.





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P.A.C. Meet Highlights



Trying to dry off, Coach Wagner knocks out the water in his ears after the boys drenched him in celebration of achieving first place in the P.A.C.



We're #1! Not only did Nick Verdi, Josh Hehmeyer, Chris Anderson and Chris Zundel win the 4x400. They also ended the P.A.C. meet with a Madison victory.



After winning the P.A.C. meet, the boys celebrate with a shirtless victory lap around the track.

Striding To Achieve Team Goals



Despite the cold weather, Joey Lander puts forth his strongest effort.



Leading the way Derek Daughters paces himself in front of the Chardon runner in the long 3200 meter race.



Working together to build a strong team

This year the boys track team achieved a winning record of 7-0 and came in 6th place out of 17 teams in the district meet. The boys' team came together this year and achieved many of their set goals. Their main goal for the season was to obtain the P.A.C. Championship title. Not only did the boys win the title but they also won the league meet. That was a major accomplishment for the season. Unfortunately none of the boys were able to compete in the state meet but Coach Wagner was very proud of the boys' performance at Regionals. The team had many Regional qualifiers which include: Dylan Morris in throwing the disc, Kevin Zimmerman in high jump, Nick Verdi in pole vault, Chris Zundel in the 800 meter race, and Derek Daughters in the 3200 meter race. With team unity and effort, the boys' team achieved a season that they can be proud of.



The 2003 Boys Track Team (top Row) Coach Pikor, Tim Heckman, Chris Zundel, Keving Zimmerman, Charlie Gorman, Garret Csepegi, Joe Judd, Bod Conrad, Josh Hehmeyer, Chad Abrams, Josh Sumpter, Nick Verdi, Jared Pikor, Kitt Lashley, Coach Gilligan, Coach Wagner (second row) Coach Verdi, Anthony Gustin, Joey Lander, Chris Anderson, Andy Dawson, Nathan Mix, Aaron West, Dylan Morris, Shane Brennen, Justin Gottron (third row) Dan Gund, Kory Piorkowski, Pete Manothay, Derek Daughters, Ryan Vickers, Tyler Granger, Mike Turner, Brandon West, Jason Timperio (fourth row) Brandon Vaidean, Shane Morrison, Mark Porostoski, Josh Mickle, Kyle Piorkowski, Matt Mauch, Ryan Haury, Jason Hadley, Josh Malek.

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In deep concentration Dan Gund prepares to launch the shot put.

On your mark, get set... Nick Verdi uses the help of his teammate Justin Gottron before starting the race.



Leading the way, Kitt Lashley and Chris Zundel run together for the first lap of the 800 meter race.

Boys Track



Fighting for the lead, Kristina Romano and Nicole Chaves keep pace with each other during the P.A.C. meet on their first lap around the track.

> Winding up, Senior Jessica Kallio throws her way into Nationals with a personal record of over 132 feet in the discus.



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Preparing for takeoff, Jen Butram concentrates as she anxiously awaits the gun to signal the start of her race.

Final Record: 1-4

TRACK SCOREBOARD Us Opponent Them 45 South 88 47 Riverside 90 54 North 83 62 74 Chardon 35 Colinwood 101

Leading the pack,



After executing a perfect hand-off, Monica Porostosky starts on the next leg of the relay.

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Rachelle Orris quickly takes the lead after her first lap in the 3200 meter race in the P.A.C. meet. These seniors gather together as a team for one last

picture. They are Kim Piorkowski, Molly Gehring, Vicky Tomsic, Jessica Kallio, Rachelle Orris, Stephanie Sparkman, and Tiffany Howard.





2003 Girls Track Team (top row) Coach Gilligan, Coach Wagner, Tabby Zukoski, Sabrina Forstein, Chessa Pikor, Mandy Majerick, Jillian Golitko, Sam Wharram, Bri Granger, Samantha Elder, Kristina Romano, Nicole Kahoon, Kate O' Brien, Amanda Hirsch, Coach Pikor, Coach Verdi (second row) Tara Longo, Heather Brewer, Julia Kershaw, Jordan Kreuter, Amanda Cline, Tori Earl, Heather Davis, Kelly Mandato, Nichole Cherikoff, Alica Weiss, Heather Majernick (third row) Monica Porostosky, Bridget Clough, Lauren Kidder, Nicole Chaves, Jen Butram, Kathryn Fedele, Amanda Hennessey, Vicky Smith (bottom row) Tiffany Howard, Jessica Kallio, Kim Piorkowski, Rachelle Orris, Stephanie Sparkman, Vicky Tomsic, and Molly Gehring.

Girls Track: Building For the Future



Straining toward the finish line, Kim Piorkowski finishes up the 4x400 relay as the anchor.

Strengthening the team's youth for next year

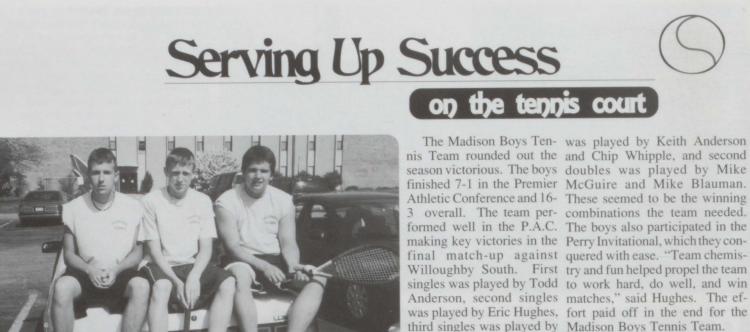
This season the girls' team had many ups and downs due to a year of rebuilding. Although the team was composed of many underclassmen, the girls still remained united and the upperclassmen showed the younger girls the way to achieve success. The team had three district qualifiers which included: Rachelle Orris in the 3200 meter race, Jessica Kallio in the shot put and disc, and Jen Butram in pole vault. In the league meet the girls team took fourth place with 52 points and took sixth place in the district meet. The team also had many P.A.C. Champions which included: Jessica Kallio throwing disc, Jen Butram in pole vault, Kristina Romano, Nicky Chaves, Kim Piorkowski, and Rachelle Orris in the 4x800 meter relay, and Rachelle Orris in the 1600 meter and the 3200 meter race. All together the girls team reached a record of 1-4. The younger team members are excited to continue running down the path in which the seniors of 2003 showed them.

Relaxing and having fun, Kate O'Brien, Bri Granger, Julia Kershaw, Monica Porostosky mingle with Kyle Piorkowski and Mark Porostosky as they wait for their next event.





Arching her back, Senior Vicky Tomsic slips over the high jump pole. <u>Girls Track</u> 195



Evan Larned, first doubles



VarsityBoys Tennis Us Them Lake Catholic 1 Lakeside 4 Edgewood 2 3 5 St. Ignatius 0 0 Riverside 5 Eastlake N. Δ 1 Chardon 3 2 Harvey Grand River 3 2 Eastlake N. 3 2 Harvey 0 2 Chardon Grand River Willoughby S. 2 3 2 Willoughby S. Mentor 5 Geneva Riverside 0 NDCL







1. Resting up before the match, juniors Evan Larned & Mike McGuire and sophomore Mike Blauman stop for a snapshot.

2. Junior Stephen Epple powers one over the net to score a point. 3. Sophomore Sam

LaTourette puts on his game face to scare the opponent. 4. Junior Evan Larned sets his feet and swings his raquet.

5. Junior Mike McGuire blasts one past his opponent.



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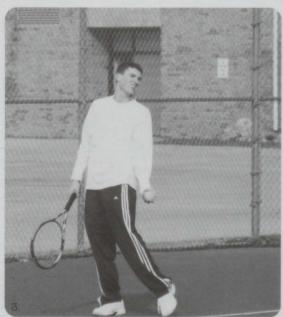


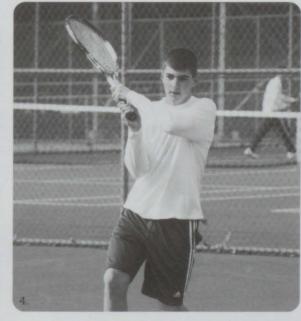
2002-2003 Tennis Team (top row:) Stephen Epple, Todd Anderson, Mike McGuire, Mike Blauman, Chip Whipple, Eric Hughes, Evan Larned, Matt Nicholson, Greg Church & Andy Summers. (bottom row:) Matt Gehring, Aaron Cottos, Bryan Pelich, Lou Nicholson, Steve Church, Ryan Miller & Keith Anderson. Not Pictured: Sam Latourette











 Coach Vidmar never takes a break from advising the guys
 Junior Chip Whipple & sophomore Matt Gehring pause from practice to pose for a picture.
 Junior Todd Anderson serves to begin the match.
 Freshman Keith Anderson backhands the ball to win the point.



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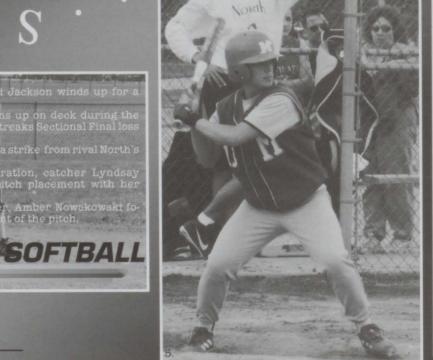




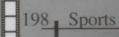
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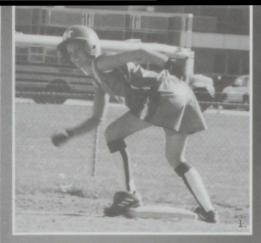
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Riverside	5	6
Brush	2	4
Chardon	9	3







Madison Loses a Coac Heaven Gains an An Living in the NOW

Sitting in the pews of Zion Lutheran Church in asm for learning was contagious and he Painesville, listening to one of the bravest women instilled the curiosity, the drive and the hard I've ever known stand in front of a congregation work that he believed was irreplaceable in of family, friends, and strangers, telling them to every student he touched. "People can take receive her son's death with a smile on their faces many things away from you, but they can't and joy in their hearts, is enough to give hope to take your knowledge," he would say. even the most tragic of situations. Looking at As a coach, he inspired and motivated this woman, laughing and dancing among a line like no other. He always seemed to have the of clapping, teary-eyed softball players, it is no right words to say to bring the team together wonder Terry Hietanen was the amazing, caring before a game, and he always took the blame and positive individual that Madison High if the outcome wasn't what he expected. School was graced with for the few precious "When your world around you might be years he taught and coached. Mr. Hietanen crumbling, when your relationships fail and always said he was first and foremost a teacher, your job is lacking, come to softball. This is constantly emphasizing the importance of edu- the constant that is my escape." The softball cation and studies. There was no end to his field was his second home, and Hietanen caring, and there was nothing he wouldn't do to Field will forever be embedded with memohelp a student; countless students have said that ries of his presence. without him, they would not have graduated A question that was never far from the high school. As a teacher, he was in a class of his lips of our beloved coach and teacher was own. Students will forever remember his witty, "Why?" Now more than ever that small goofy sense of humor and his creative antics, question with such monumental answers such as standing on top of the science tables plagues us. But whether or not we ever dressed in his "Einstein" wig and recitinig ev- figure out why he was taken from us, his erything he knew about science. His enthusi- memory will forever be alive in our hearts.





a game. 4. The Varsity Softball Squad: Coach Monas, Kristin Spetich, Amber Nowakowski, Kim Grabel, Courtney Peine, Rachel Pike, Jennie Grabel, Lyndsay Schmid, Ashley Estabrook, Julia Ball, Crystal Moniot, Kristi Jackson, Aimee Dickman, Coach Hietanen, Maggie Mackura, Ingrid Brainard, Justine Harper, Ali Izzarelli, and Morgan Galloway. 5. In honor of Coach Hietanen, the girls traced his name into the dirt behind home plate and stand around it after their last home game against Chardon.

Varsity Softball 199





Freshman Softball: (top row): Coach Turkenburg, Jordan Baldwin, Kelly Ogle, Kelly Woodworth, Loraine Turkenburg, Kristen Cassity, Sam Krotz, Coach Adams (bottom row): Mikah Allen, Courtney Smith, Cassie Donhoue, Annie Kinney, Samantha Nowakowski



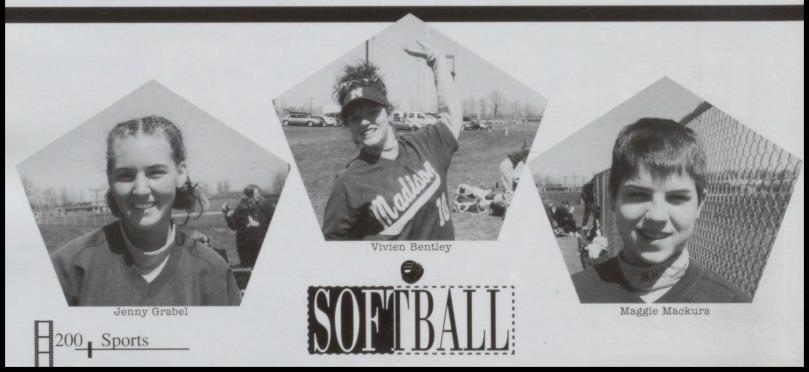
J.V. Softball Team: (top row): Carly Locke, Brittany Manypenny, Amiee Dickman, Jenny Grabel, Vivien Bentley, Sarah Mullen, Krystle Carlson. (bottom row): Coach Hada, Aleesha Sprafka, Morgan Galloway, Allyssa Hill, Maggie Mackura, Sarah Eland, Justine Harper.



Arriving at the Embassy Suites, the J.V. softball girls pose for a quick picture before heading off to bed.



Hair-raising excitment, girls prepare for their game against Hillard Darby in Columbus.





Freshmen Mikah Allen, Courtney Chernikoff, Sam Krotz, Jordan Baldwin, and Marissa Claypool smile after winning their first big game.



Celebrating Maggie Mackura's fifteenth birthday, the softball team gathers for cake and ice cream in their hotel in Columbus.

New coaches Positivity bring girls 10 This season brought many helped each of us get pumped up

changes for both the freshmen and coaches came new attitudes and a new sense of the game.

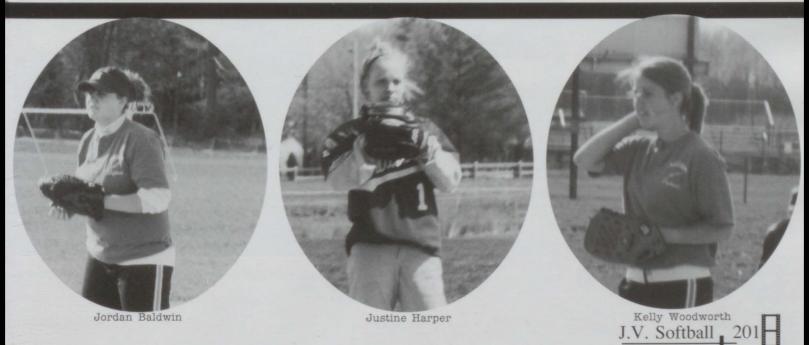
Before the season started the girls picked a secret pal who they were to exchange inspirational each game. This allowed the girls to get to know one another and brought the team together as one. the players learned to work as a "I really liked the idea of exchang- team and hope to gel again next ing notes with one another. It season.

before the games," explained sopho-J.V. softball girls. Along with new more Alyssa Hill. Also, to get psyched up, the girls would meet in a team circle before each game. In this circle they would discuss what they hoped to accomplish for that game. This helped the girls to keep focused on quotes and sayings with before their goals and brought them together as a team.

All in all the new coaches and



Coach Hada gives Stefani Hines a few words of encouragement before stepping up to the plate.





Swing batter! Senior Keith Krejci moves in to knock one out of the park.

Batter up! Senior Mike Bukky prepares for the pitch.







The team was competitive the whole year long. The boys worked hard consistently. We had a very dedicated group of seniors. --Coach Dragas





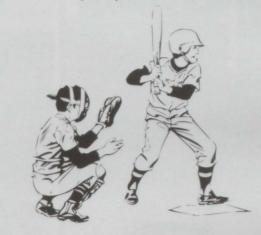
On deck, junior Joe Deak warms up his arm for the big pitch.

Breaking Even in a Big Way And producing star players



It was an up and down year for the varsity boys baseball team which eventually broke even with a 10-10 overall record. In Japan a tie is considered a victory because neither team loses. Using that mentality, it could be said that this was a victorious baseball season with the record reflecting a tie between wins and losses. Regardless of the score the team made the most of it by always having fun and never leaving anything on the field. When one considers that the team produced four all-stars (seniors Jeremy Gerger, Matt Stanic, Keith Krejci and Taylor Pniewski) and one Division 1 scholarship winner (senior Jeremy Gerger), it can be said that this season was indeed very successful.





Pitching from the stretch, senior Jeremy Gerger looks for a sign from the catcher.

When not in between the lines themselves, seniors Jeremy Gerger, Keith Krejci, and Tom Collinsworth are still fans of the game.



2003 Boys Varsity Baseball Team (top row:) Coach Dragas, Kevin Craigo, Ray Garcia, Tom Collinsworth, Eric Grice, Ryan Burr, Kevin Cottingham, Coach Wolfe, (bottom row:) Alex Kerr, Matt Stanic, Mike Bukky, Joe Deak, Keith Krejci, Jeremy Gerger, Taylor Pniewski

66 This team, especially

the coaches, provided me with a lot of support in going off to play college baseball. I am very thankful for having the opportunity to play with every one of them.

--Jeremy Gerger

Taunting the pitcher, Kyle Pausch threatens the pitcher with a bunt.





Looking to the fence, Jim Smith takes a swing at a pitch he likes.







1. With his face contorted in strain, Dan Nahm whizzes his fast ball by the batter to end the inning.

2. Honing in on home plate, Tim Brunner pushes himself down the third base line.

3. Third baseman Jim Smith gives a quick hop to set up the throw to first after gobbling up a grounder. 4. Crack! Ben Pniewski lines one to the outfield for a double.





Homeward bound, Rudy Nadbath trots down the third base line.



The 2003 JV Baseball Team Coach Copeland, Wade Arnold, Kyle Pausch, Rudy Nadbath, Dave Gibson, Chuck White, Doug Deak, Dan Nahm, Dave Rorapaugh, Steve Cross, Josh Breeding, Ben Pniewski, Tim Brunner, and Jim Smith.



The 2003 J.V. and freshman baseball seasons can be summed up as physically-testing seasons. The freshmen team was plagued by bad whether, injury, and personnel changes, but despite it all the season ended positively. By the end of the season, the defense had completely turned around becoming tight and efficient. "The most memorable moment of the season was when we came back to beat Riverside," stated Coach Hamilton. Chris Welniak helped save that win with a diving catch in centerfield. The J.V. team's season wasn't very different this year. The team steadily got better with continual teamwork and communication. The team showed great spirit by playing to the last out even when losing. "Overall I think we could have done better, but I can't complain about how we ended," said Coach Copeland.

Despite the struggling seasons they had, Coach Copeland and Coach Hamilton believe they successfully built Coach Dragas some key players for next year.



Look at that windup! Freshman pitcher Torrey Wigfield is in mid-delivery.



The freshman team takes a break while the other team warms up.



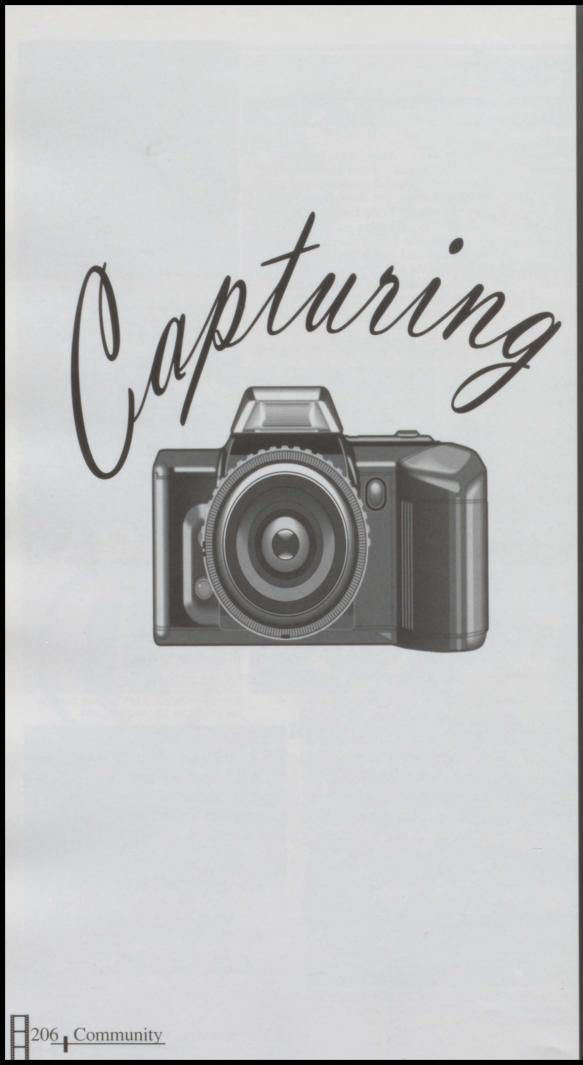
Freshman catcher Ian Hejduk puts on his armor for the battle ahead.



The 2003 Freshman Baseball Team Coach Hamilton, David Sweeny, Jason Zupan, Chris Welniak, Pat Allen, Ben Valvoda, Matt Nagy, Ian Hejduk, Torrey Wigfield, Matt Mcguire, John Japcinski, Paul Passerell, Doug Deak, and Brian Smith.



Glaring down the batter, John Japcinski gets ready for the next pitch to be delivered.









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Everyday, people strive to make a difference in the community in which they live. Students from Madison High School are a big part of their community. From singing Christmas carols at a nursing home, to donating blood at the blood drive, to pitching in with a canned food drive, Madison High School students are always on the lookout for ways to help better their community. At the same time, the community also looks to better the lives of these students. Whether that means buying ads in school publications, providing food and prizes for different events, or attending sporting events, concerts, or plays, the community never forgets to support the students. After graduation, the senior class of 2003 will become an even bigger part of this great community, while the underclassmen will continue to lend a helping hand to it. As the years go on and we all get older, Madison High School students will continue to teach others how to truly capture the spirit of community. Stepping Out into the World ... and leaving MHS behind



The Class of 2003 files into the gym to begin the commencement ceremony.



Charlie Gorman gives Mr. Fisher a hug to say good-bye for the last time.



Hats off to you graduates! Caps fly as graduation comes to a close



Friends forever. Casey Toward and Audrey Leonard pose one last time to capture the moment.



Rachel Klimkowicz and Maria Soriano sing "Move On" to encourage their fellow graduates to move on in life and achieve their dreams



Finally done, Jon Earley crosses the stage to receive his diploma.

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Aaron Parks



"I am very excited to go off to college and live on my own for the first time.

Casey Toward



" I am looking forward to going to college and meeting new people. It should be a lot of fun."

Jon Earley



"In college I hope to be successful on the football field as well as in the classroom."

Erica Baird



"I had so much fun this year and hope that college will be just as great.

Ricky Evans



"I'm a little nervous about my first year of college. It going to be hard to adapt with football and classes."

Aaron Parks

CONGRATULATIONS ON YOUR ACCOMPLISHMENSTS



Your hard work and dedication in the classroom, on the court and on the field are to be admired. Don't ever lose your desire to be the best! We are so proud of you. Our love and support always,

Mom, Dad, Matt, Megan, Jeff, Ali and Dawson

Vicki Tomsic

TO VICKI TOMSIC



Who knew that when you were multiplying rows of ceiling tiles at five years old, it would lead to a career teaching high school math! We're so proud of everything you have done and wish you happiness and success in everything you have yet to do. Love,

Mom and Dad

Vanden Kovacs



There are no words to describe the love and pride we feel for you. Remember we are always there for you.

Love, Mom, Dad and Chris

Michael Stoltz



WE ARE SO PROUD OF YOU!

Best wishes as you begin your nursing studies at Case Western Reserve University. Love, Mom and Dad

Angella McClellan-Lorenzo

My Special Angella



You fill my heart with so much pride. You are my loving, sweet and beautiful grandbaby, and I love you soooo much Congratulations. Love

Grandma

Michael Samplak



YOU ARE AWESOME!

From the first day of school until graduation day we knew you could do it! We are very proud of you. Follow your dreams and you will go far!

Love Always, Mom, Dad, Tony'06 and Aleah '06

Jessica Tingley

We're so proud of you. We know you will be successful in everything you do., Don't ever let anyone tell you that you are anything less than the best because you deserve the moon, stars and the heavens. Create a life that you will love and you won't need anybody else to make you happy. Thank you for "Drops of Jupiter." Love, Mom and Dad

Taylor Pniewski, Jr.



Life's struggles don't become easier to handle, you become better equipped to handle them. Wear your armor proudly.

> All our love, Dad and Mom

To Audrey Leonard:



AUD - You've always had a sparkle in your eyes, a song in your heart, and grace in your spirit. Go and find bliss.

Gobs of love - Acky

Congratulations to our Seniors



Congratulations to our Seniors - Ali Fry, Stephanie Balazs and Alicia Egy

Good Luck

Matthew Stanic



Always aim for your dreams because you will achieve them. I am so proud of you. You will always be my "precious one."

> Love, Mom

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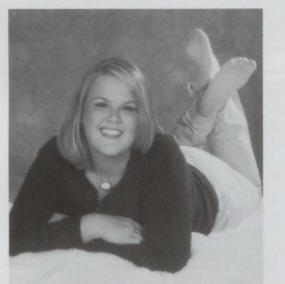


TO MATTHEW DISTIN

Congratulations! We are proud of you, Matt. Now is the time for you to follow your dreams and we wish and pray for the best for you.

Love, Dad, Mom, Josh and Amanda

Courtney Elizabeth Peine



We are proud of you Sweetheart! You are the best daughter any parents could ever hope to have. In eighteen short years, you have given us a lifetime of enjoyment! For this we are truly blessed! Always remember: Floffu on Saturday mornings with Dad, the color "Lellow, sunsets, great movies and even better popcorn...with pepper! You're so silly," and to slow down! Most importantly... that we love you so very, very much and we will always be here for you!

> Love, Mom and Dad

"Don't let your past dictate who you are... Let your future decide what you will become."

Angella McClellan-Rivera







Angella, you have touched so many lives in wonderful ways, especially mine. I am so proud of you. I trust that you will make positive choices for your life and remember that my love will follow you where ever those choices may take you.

> Love, Mom

Rachel M. Klimkowicz



DREAM, BELIEVE, ACHIEVE

May your future shine with passion and flair for life only you can envision. Your hard work, determination, and compassion for others knows no boundaries.

> Love, Mom, Dad, Dan, Dave the Busi's, Sasha, and Kit.

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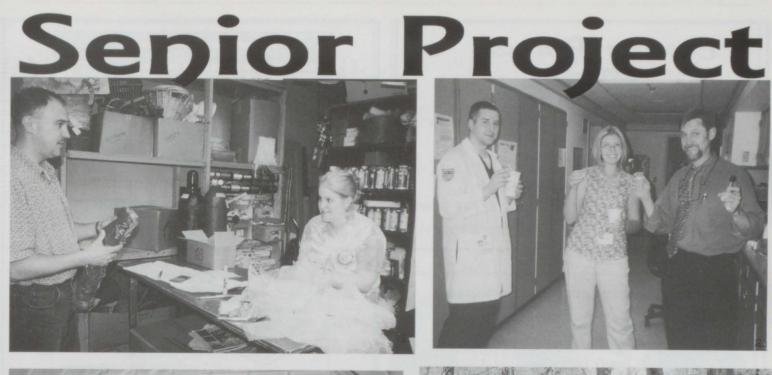
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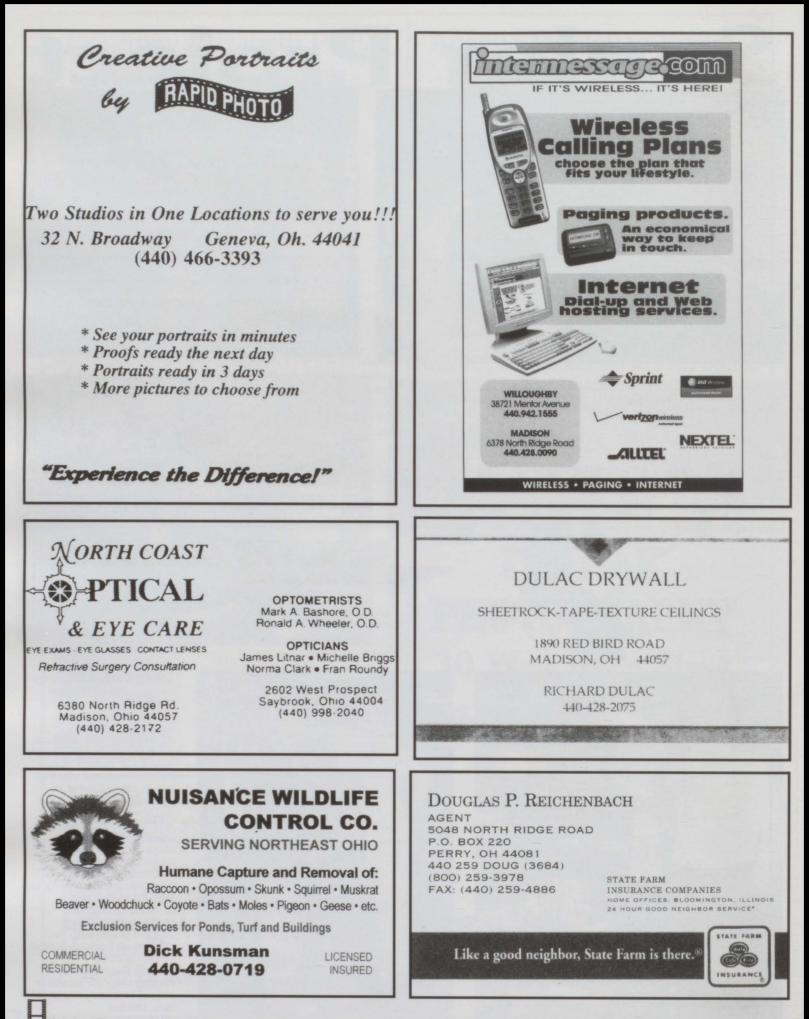




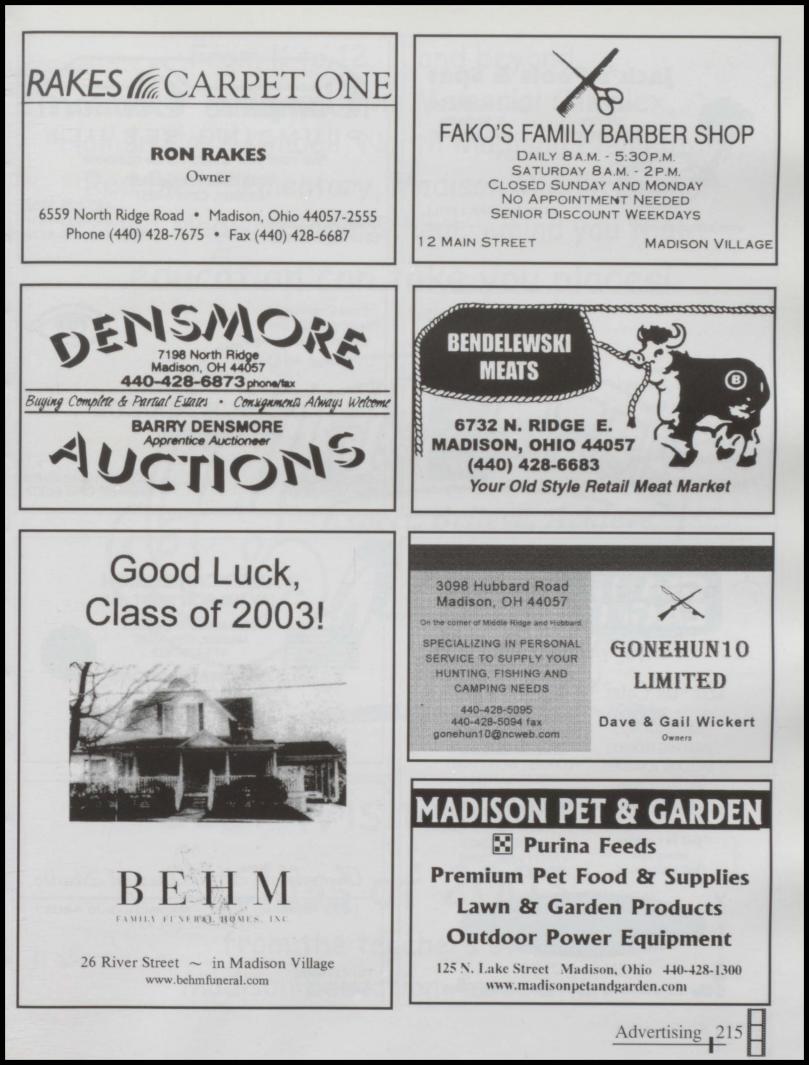


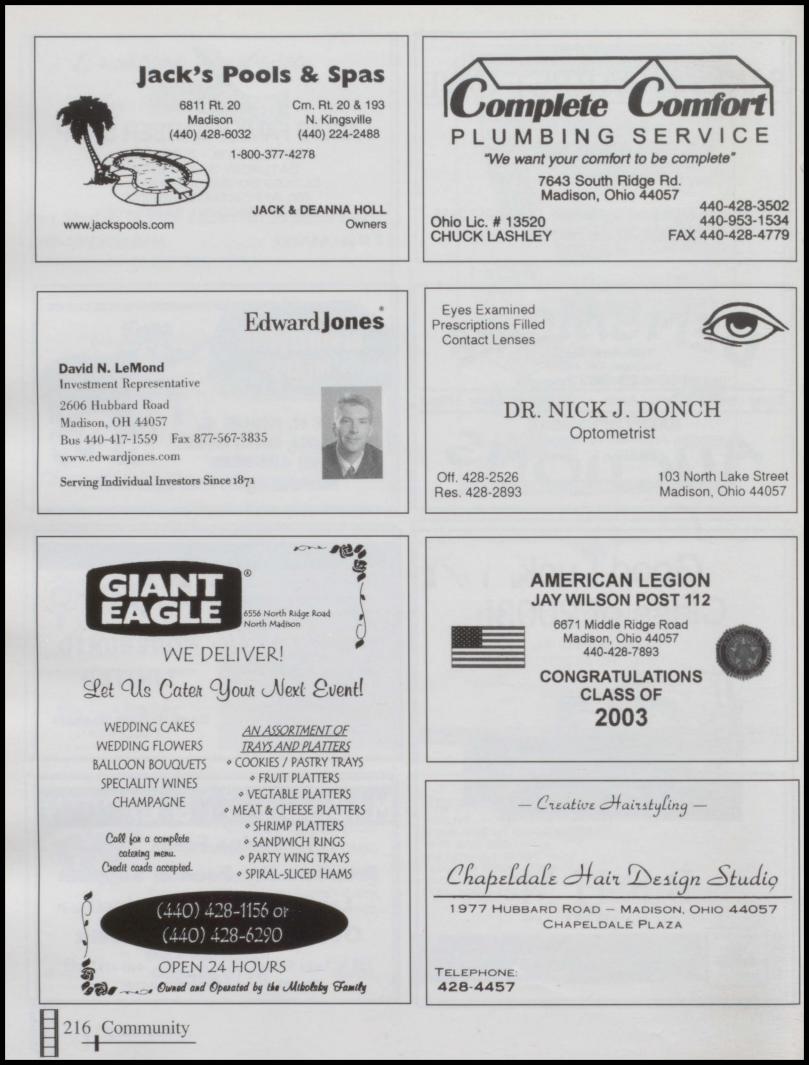


1. That's an awful lot of bubble wrap...but Audrey Leonard looks like she knows what she's doing amongst her tools at Chapeldale Florist. 2. Are they testing their medicine or serving up a helping of sugar? Katie Schultz makes a toast to her favorite doctor at Lake East Hospital. 3. Outside the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame, Casey Toward smiles on the steps of the sidewalk at her senior project job. 4. Samantha Orogvany kneels to participate in an archaeological dig. 5. After giving her presentation, Casey Toward poses with her advisor at the high school by her booth. 6. Erin Ditto proudly displays her elementary school teacher's booth to Mrs. Collins.

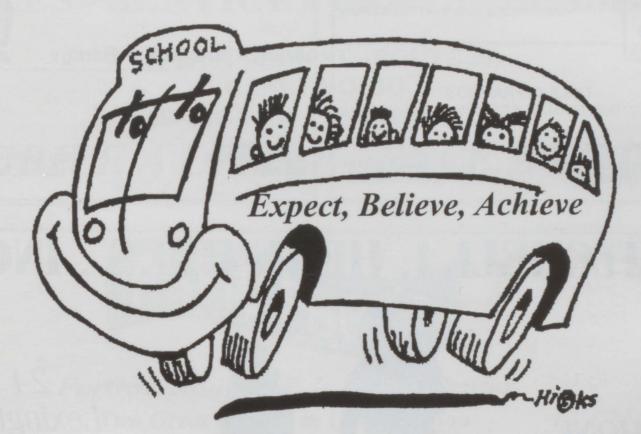


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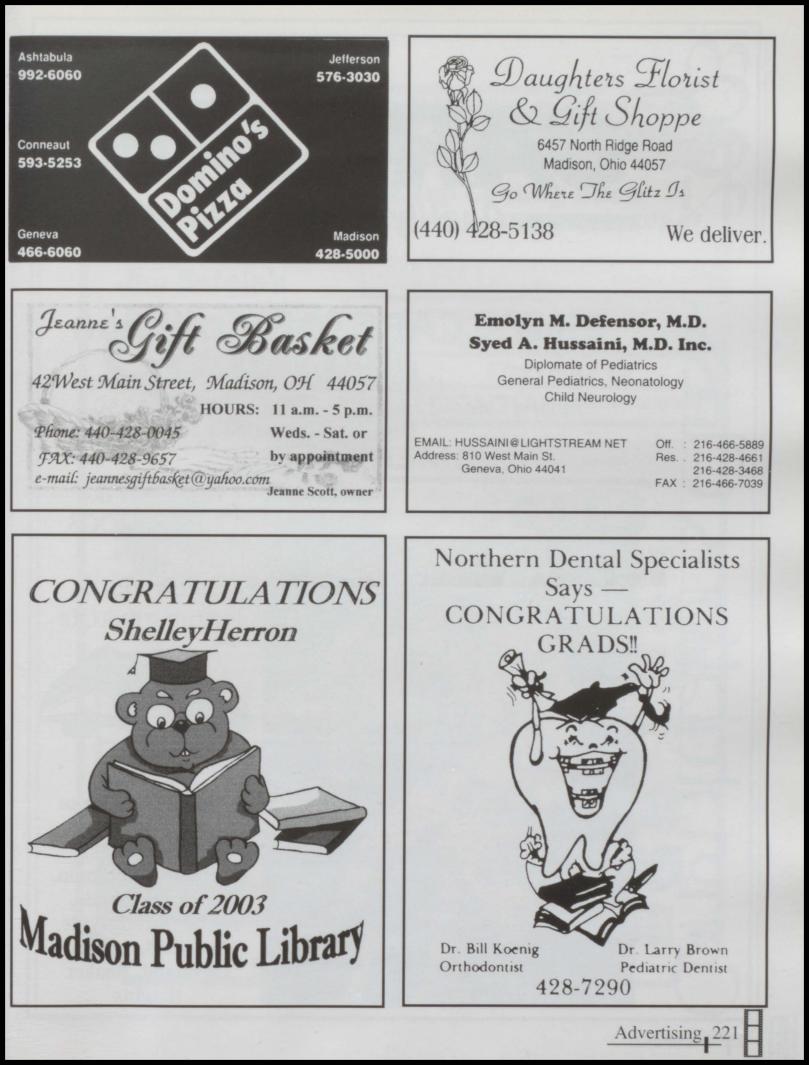
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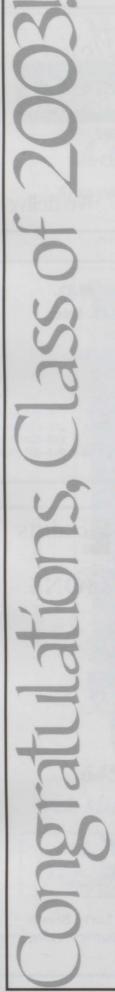
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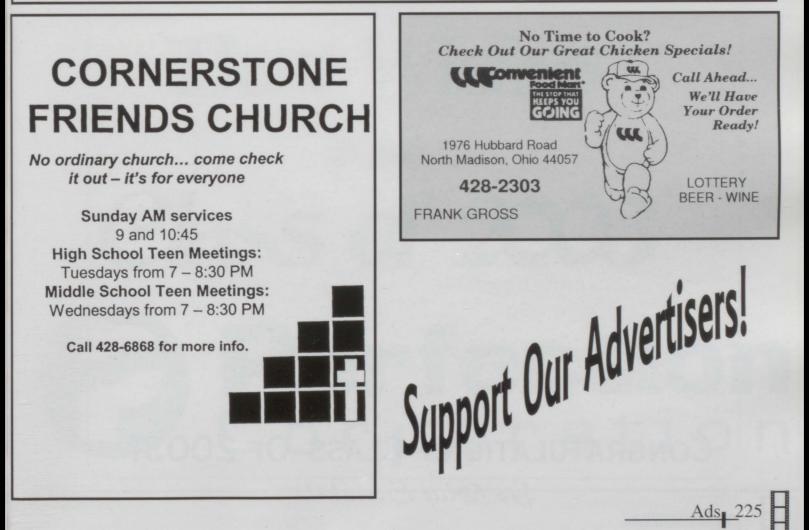
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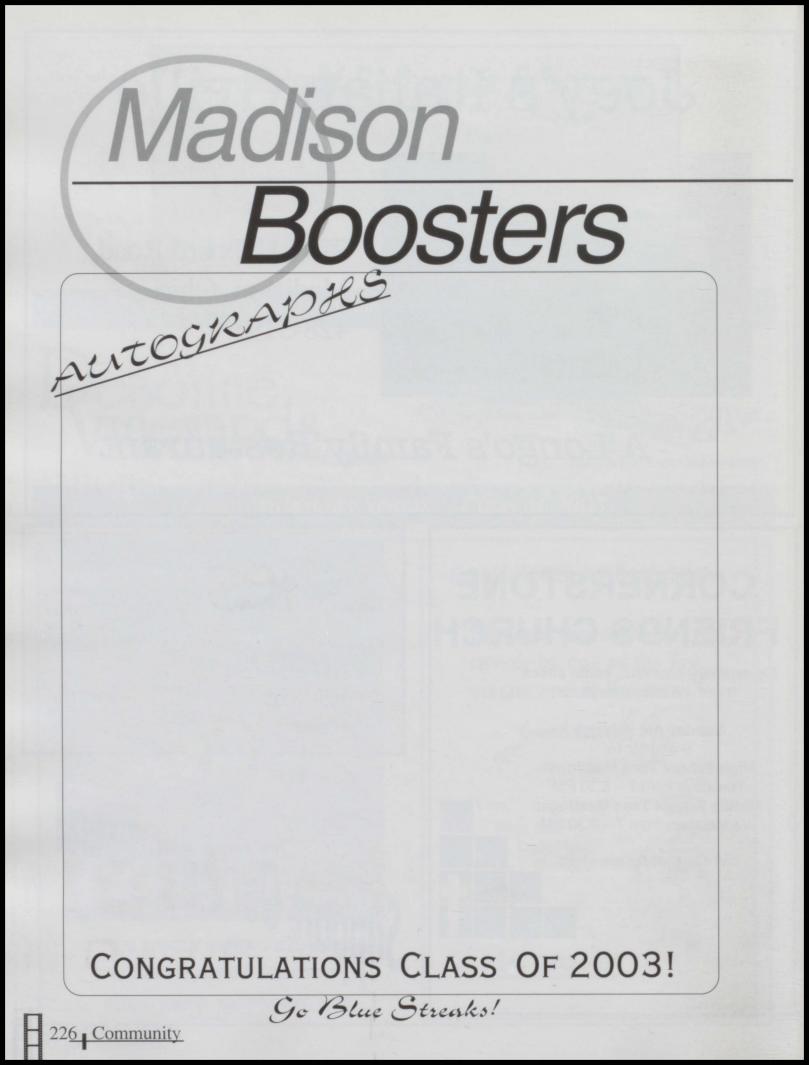
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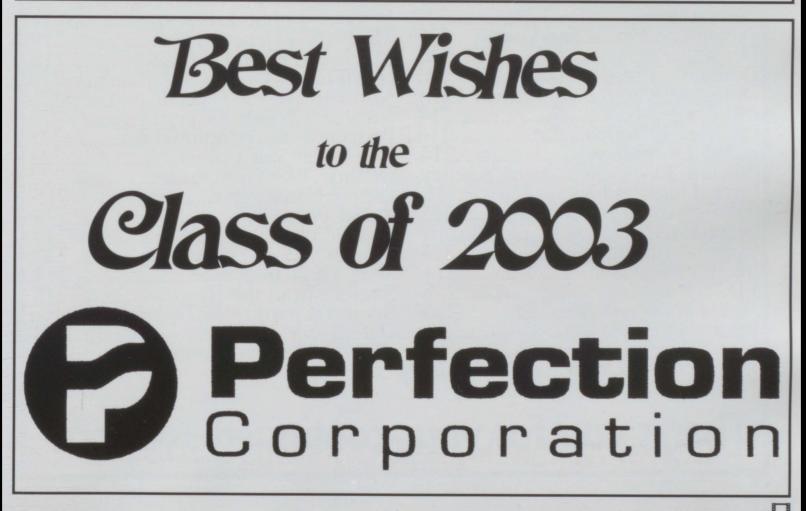




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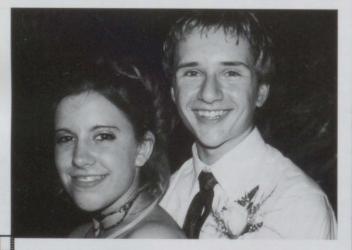


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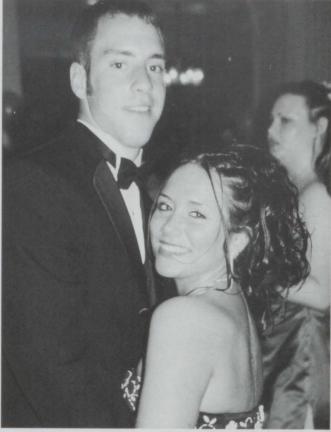






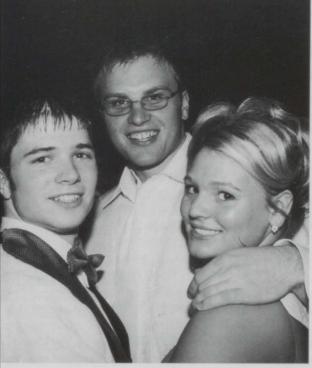






















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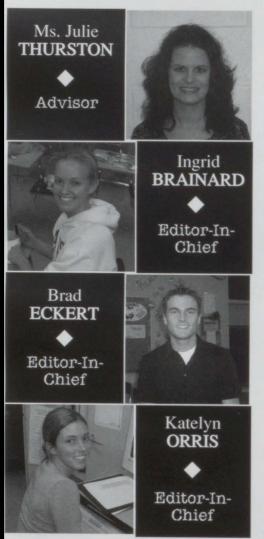


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Developing the film... Bringing the 2003 Yearbook to a close



Co-Editor-In-Chief Brad Eckert and Advisor Ms. Julie Thurston spend time going over the workshop itinerary at the 2002 Jostens Yearbook Camp.



The theme **Capturing the Moments** embodies many *ideas*. It shows people being *quiet*, being *crazy*, being *competitive*, being *proud*, and being *real*. We have dedicated 240 pages to show the different ways students made the past year into what it was. Even though the 2003 school *year* came to a close, every student can still run through the rolls of *film* inside their mind, bringing to life the *memories* and magic that defined the year. From the *first* football game of the season to commencement rehearsal, the *days*, *weeks*, and *months* of the the year flew by.

There was that crush that you *fantasized* day after day about. There was the friend who you *passed* notes with during English class. There were days where you *thought* of ideas on how to cut class or stay home from school. There were all those minutes lost, *waiting* in line for lunch day after day. There were those classes that you *thrived* on, that *challenged* you to achieve your full potential. And there were those classes that you spent catching up on sleep missed the night before. There were teachers who made *learning* fun no matter what the topic was. There were days where you *laughed* so hard that your stomach ached. There were the weekends of parties and *excitement* that provided good stories for Monday at school. There were all those lost hours spent *studying* until the wee hours in the morning to finish a project or cram for a final. There were those last few days of *school* when the excitement for *summer* began to swell and everyone's attitude changed.

Even though the classes, games, dances, and exams might not have played out like they do in the movies, you came to realize that not much really does play out like it does in film. *Life* threw some curve balls and you either took a swing and missed or hit a homerun. But the thing to remember is that you swung...you took the *chance* and tried to make the most of the situation.

No matter how busy your days get this fall, this coming year, or at any point in your *lifetime*, take time to stop and *relax*. Otherwise, you'll allow so many *memories* and *moments* to just slip right by you, without any time to *enjoy* the power and awe that one *simple* moment can have.

Capturing the Moments of 2003, Volume 74 of the Madison High School Yearbook was published during the summer of 2003. A total of 550 copies were printed by Jostens Publishing Company in State College, Pennsylvania. The total cost of the book was \$55.

For this first time, *The Cauldron* used the Direct Solutions ordering system through the Yearbook Processing Center. Pages were designed using Adobe PageMaker 7.0 and Jostens Yeartech 2003 program. Student portraits and some other event photos were taken by the MHS school photographer, Eileen Findak. The cover design was produced by Jostens Design Consultant, Bob Eyester in August 2002.

Ad prices were increased to help cover the addition of extended full-color throughout the book. For the first time, the entire senior portrait section was produced in full-color. The cover, theme idea, deadlines, and yearbook ladder were created during Jostens Yearbook Camp 2002 at Hidden Valley Resort in Pennsylvania. The camp was designed to generate theme ideas and offer educational classes to learn more about Jostens yearbook programs. Advisor Ms. Julie Thurston and Co-Editor-In-Chief Brad Eckert attended the 3-day workshop.

Headline font was set in **Dancing Comfort**, with Subheadlines being captured in **Essence Bold**. Captions were set in Chase and Body Text was created in Lynn. The yearbook staff would like to extend special thanks to Mr. William Fisher, Ms. Kathy Jackson, Mrs. Eileen Findak, the Board of Education, and all the teachers, parents, faculty, and staff who helped create this year's book. Thank you, also, to the student body for helping the staff **Capture the Moments of 2003**.

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- U2's humanitarian lead singer Bono visits Africa and tours Midwestern America to raise awareness and support for African AIDS epidemic relief.
- Nuclear crisis arises when North Korean leader Kim Jong II breaks a 1994 pledge with the United States not to build nuclear weapons.





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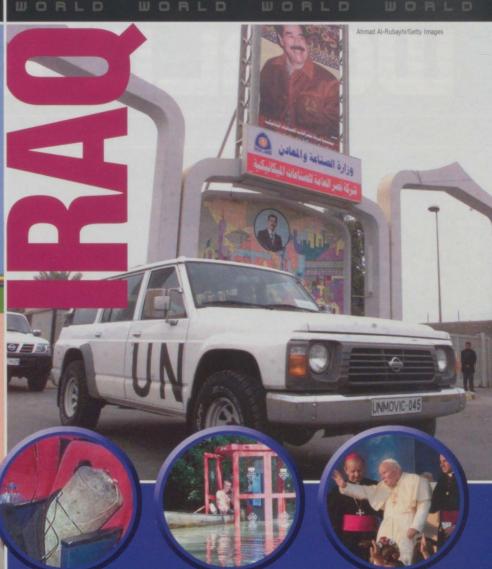
U.N. inspectors return to Iraq to investigate Saddam Hussein's alleged production of weapons of mass destruction.



A Halloween earthquake in San Gluiliano di Puglia, Italy, topples an elementary school, killing dozens of children.

China's one-child-per-family policy creates an imbalanced boy-to-girl ratio that will result in tens of millions of men finding themselves single in the year 2020.





Reuters/Lando

In October, a Moscow theater siege by Chechen rebels ends in a Russian special forces raid that kills the captors and at least 129 hostages. Reuters New Media Inc./Corbis Thousands die as storms and floods cause billions of dollars in damage in China and many countries across Europe. Ryan Remiorz/AP/Wide World Photos Pope John Paul II travels to Toronto's Downsview Park in July to lead the World Youth Day vigil. The Miss World beauty pageant leaves Nigeria after Islamic fundamentalist protest groups kill more than 100 people.

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In Venezuela, an opposition strike demanding President Hugo Chavez's resignation paralyzes the country's oil exports and turns to bloodshed as Chavez supporters retaliate.

TERROF

The oil tanker Prestige spills more than 5 million gallons of oil off the northwestern coast of Spain before splitting in two and sinking.

Former U.S. President Jimmy Carter receives the Nobel Peace Prize for his decades of work for peace, democracy and human rights worldwide.



Reuters/Bjoern Sigurdson/Lando

 Over 100 people, mostly foreign tourists, are killed in an October terrorist bombing of two nightclubs in Bali, Indonesia.



- Reuters/Landov
 - Emergency workers in the United States and overseas receive smallpox vaccinations as a preventative measure against bioterrorism.

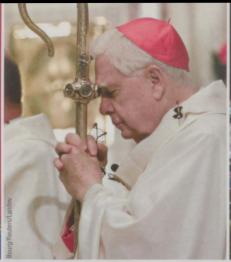
Once presumed dead, Al-Qaeda leader Osama bin Laden returns to Middle Eastern air waves with recorded anti-American threats.

Vasily Fedosenko/Reuters/Landov

In an effort to eliminate Al-Qaeda, the United States continues its war on terrorism by maintaining a steady military presence in Afghanistan.

AFP/Corbis

- After being subpoenaed to testify before a Massachusetts grand jury about sex abuse among Catholic priests, embattled Boston Cardinal Bernard Law resigns.
- More than 25 states implement the Amber Alert System, which posts information about abducted children on TV and interstate signs, leading to the recovery of dozens of children nationwide.



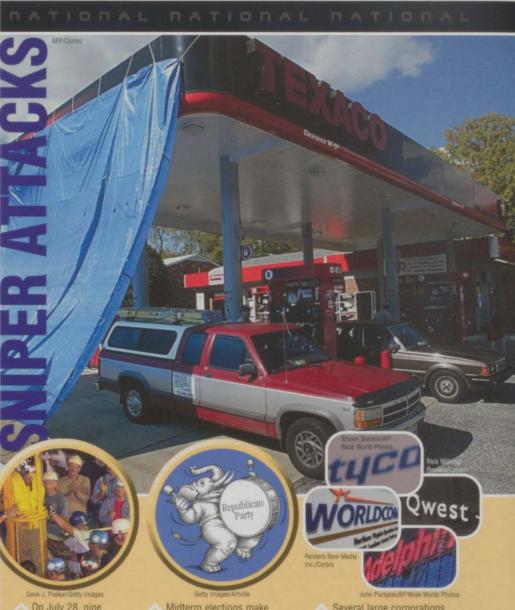




- For weeks in October, alleged snipers John Muhammad and Lee Boyd Malvo terrorize Washington, D.C., Maryland and Virginia, randomly killing 10 people and injuring three others.
- The space shuttle Columbia breaks apart on reentry into the Earth's atmosphere, killing all seven astronauts aboard.

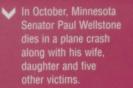
Peter Cosgrove/AP/Wide World Phot

"The crew of the shuttle Columbia did not return safely to Earth, but we can pray they are safely home." – President George W. Bush



On July 28, nine Pennsylvania coal miners are rescued after being trapped for three days in a mineshaft flooded with over 70 million gallons of water. Midterm elections make history as Republicans, the party controlling the White House, gain congressional seats rather than losing them.

Several large corporations inflate profits while top executives make off with millions in accounting scandals that send shock waves through global markets.



Sparked by summer drought, wildfires—including one set accidentally by a forlorn forest ranger—tear across the western United States.

A weakened economy repeatedly drives down interest rates and delivers retailers their worst holiday shopping season in decades.

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 President Bush signs the Homeland Security Act, officially creating a Department of Homeland Security dedicated to preventing terrorist attacks.

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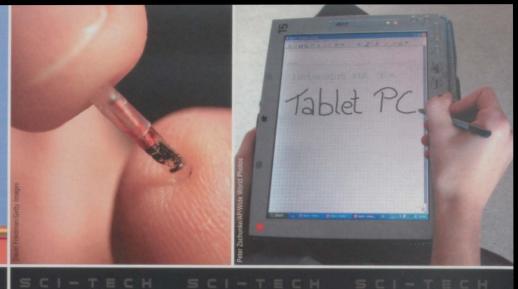
- Throughout 2002, Americans search for ways to recover and rebuild from September 11. On the one-year anniversary, survivors, families and friends gather at all three sites to commemorate the lives lost.
- Federal employees from the Transportation Security Administration begin screening all checked baggage and random passengers at airports.
- The possibility of the United States waging war against Iraq meets disapproval both at home and abroad.
- The U.S. Senate passes a resolution condemning a Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals ruling that reciting the Pledge of Allegiance in schools is unconstitutional.



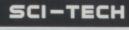




- Patients in Florida are the first to receive the VeriChip, a computer chip bearing personal medical data that is injected into the forearm.
- Microsoft's Tablet PC enables users to write directly on the screen rather than typing on a keyboard.



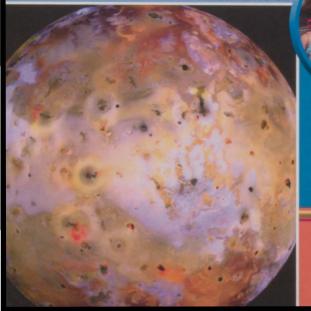
LLERGIES



The *Journal of the American Medical Association* reports that children who grow up with pets have a reduced risk of developing common allergies.



- Maria de Jesus and Maria Teresa Quiej-Alvarez, 1-year-old Guatemalan twins born joined at the head, are successfully separated after over 22 hours of surgery.
- Just before burning up in Jupiter's atmosphere, the Galileo spacecraft captures the closest shots ever taken of Jupiter's moon lo.



Both Italian doctor Severino Antinori and Raelian scientists at Clonaid, who believe aliens created humans, claim to have produced the first cloned human. Neither claim is proven genetically.



 Vukicevic/AP.Wilde World Photos
 El Niño causes snow and ice storms up and down the East Coast, rainstorms in California and a devastating December tornado in Mississippi. Arman/AP/Wide World Photos A blanket of pollution over South Asia, dubbed the "Asian Brown Cloud," threatens the lives of millions worldwide with respiratory disease. Early tests indicate an experimental vaccine to be 100 percent effective against the human papilloma virus that causes cervical cancer.

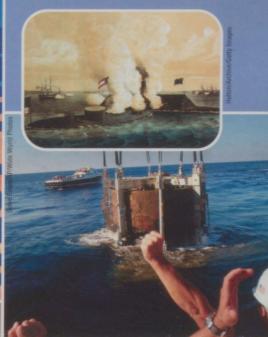
University of Arkansas researchers discover that microorganisms grow in conditions similar to those on Mars, suggesting the planet once hosted or currently hosts life.

 For \$300 to \$1,000 per injection, people craving eternal youth attend BOTOX parties to inject the FDA-approved paralytic
 toxin into their skin to relax their muscle tissue.

V General Motors introduces the Hy-wirea car powered by hydrogen and oxygen that emits heat and water rather than harmful exhaust.



- The nation's largest outbreak of the West Nile Virus hits in summer 2002. The disease is spread by migrating birds and transmitted by mosquitoes.
- The gun turret of the historic Civil War ironclad USS Monitor is raised from the floor of the Atlantic Ocean.



- President Bush orders construction of a system that would defend the United States from ballistic missile attacks by 2004.
- The newly discovered hunger hormone ghrelin is found to play a role in obesity by regulating what you eat and how much weight you gain.





The U.S. Education Department reports that average geography scores of the nation's fourth and eighth graders, while low, have improved from 1994. Ellula introduces HotAir Speakers, a set of battery-powered, inflatable speakers that are small enough to fit in your pocket when deflated.

LIFESTYLE

Nickelodeon's "SpongeBob Squarepants" ignites imaginations across the nation and appears on store shelves on everything from slippers to suspenders.

McDonald's unveils new lower-fat french fries due to the new Healthy Eating Pyramid and in response to many former patrons suing for making them overweight.

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 1970s peasant shirts are alive and well on runways and in school halls.

David Dyson/Camera Press/Retna



The Institute of Medicine announces that maintaining health now requires one hour of exercise daily, doubling the previous recommendation.

Jewelry designers Le Ann Carlson and Denise Gaskill add style to safety with Lauren's Hope for a Cure medical ID bracelets. Kmart Corporation Kmart rejuvenates the Joe Boxer brand with ads featuring the dancing Joe Boxer guy, Vaughn Lowery.

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Everyone from hot young movie stars to aging rock stars sports the newest fashion trend, turquoise jewelry. The cola war puts new flavors to the test, including Dr. Pepper Red Fusion, Pepsi Blue and Vanilla Coke.

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 Krispy Kreme lovers start a new tradition by celebrating their vows with doughnut wedding cakes.

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 Several companies introduce flavored water enhanced with vitamins and other nutrients.



- European fashion hits the sidewalks and clubs of the United States with retro-style bowling shoes.
- Busy singles try out speed dating, which gives couples several minutes to talk one-on-one before moving to a new partner at the next table.

Mark Gormus/Richmond Times-Dispatch/AP/Wide World Photos



- The Mohawk makes a hair-raising comeback after being donned by everyone from U.S. World Cup star Clint Mathis to actor Ryan Phillippe.
- Digital innovations include camera phones — cell phones that can transmit still and video images through mobile phone lines.

- >> At the 2002 Academy Awards, Halle Berry and Denzel Washington win Best Actress and Best Actor Oscars. Berry is the first female African-American to win the award.
- > Spider-Man, starring Tobey Maguire and Kirsten Dunst, spins a \$114 million opening weekend box-office record.

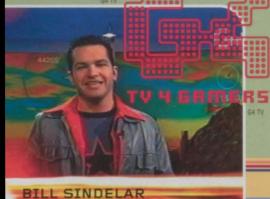




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ENTERTAINMENT

With over 6 million viewers, "The Osbournes" is the biggest hit in MTV's 21-year history.



Avid gamers tune in to G4, the first cable TV channel dedicated solely to video games.

Viewers return week after week for a bit of innocent American nostalgia on NBC's hit drama "American Dreams."



Ron, Harry and Hermione are back to hitting the books and battling evil forces in Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets.

"The Bachelor" and "The Bachelorette" keep millions tuned in to ABC to see who will receive an on-air marriage proposal.

PBS's "Sesame Street" introduces the Muppet Kami, an HIV-infected orphan, in an effort to educate young people worldwide about AIDS.

Jennifer Aniston wins her first Emmy Award and a Golden Globe for her role as the new mother Rachel Green on NBC's popular comedy "Friends."

Virtual unknowns Nia Vardalos and John Corbett steal America's hearts in the year's surprise smash hit My Big Fat Greek Wedding.

Peter Jackson receives a Golden Globe Best Director nomination for The Lord of the Rings: The Two Towers, the year's most anticipated sequel.

Cynical Simon Cowell and company stir up big ratings for Fox's "American Idol" and big record sales for winner Kelly Clarkson, a waitress from Texas.





- After a two-year hiatus, Leonardo DiCaprio returns to the big screen with two holiday blockbusters, Gangs of New York and Catch Me If You Can.
- Chicago, a film adaptation of the hit Broadway musical, wins three Golden Globes, including Best Picture: Musical or Comedy, and receives 13 Oscar nominations.

CHICAGO

HBO Films' comedy *Real Women Have Curves* promotes positive self-image with the dazzling debut of Latin-American actress America Ferrera.

CBS scores a ratings doubleheader with a pair of forensic investigation dramas, "CSI: Crime Scene Investigation" and "CSI Miami."

- > Newcomer Norah Jones takes home five Grammys, including Album of the Year, for *Come Away With Me*.
- Multi-talented Eminem raps up five Grammy nominations for The Eminem Show and big box-office success in 8 Mile.





MUSIC

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Rocker Avril Lavigne and other "anti-Britneys," such as Vanessa Carlton and Michelle Branch, represent the new face of women in music.

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Weezer teams up with the Muppets in the video for "Keep Fishin'," the second single from their hit album Maladroit.

Pop takes a new direction when former boy band favorites Nick Carter and Justin Timberlake break out with solo albums and tours.



J. Pat Carter/AP/Wide World Photos
Spanish trio Las Ketchup lands a summer hit with the catchy "Asereje" aka "The Ketchup Song (Hey Hah)."

 Hermann J. Knippertz/AP/Wide World Photos
 R&B newcomer Ashanti becomes the first artist since the Beatles to have three singles from a debut album in *Billboard*'s Top 10 at the same time. Chris Pizzello/AP/Wide World Photos In April 2002, Lisa "Left Eye" Lopes, 30, of R&B band TLC, dies in a car crash on a Honduran highway.

In October, legendary hip-hop DJ Jam Master Jay of Run-DMC is shot and killed in a Queens, New York, music studio.

✓ After a six-year romance, No Doubt's Gwen Stefani marries Bush's Gavin Rossdale in September. Country crossover star Shania Twain hits No. 1 on the *Billboard* albums chart with *Up!*, a double CD with every song in both a pop and country version.

Former Beatles rock legend Paul McCartney brings in \$2 million a night, for a total of \$103 million, on the year's top-grossing tour.



- The Strokes, *Spin* magazine's 2002 Band of the Year, lead a resurgence of rock 'n' rollers, including The Hives and The Vines.
- Armed with a steady beat and punk-rock-blues riffs, The White Stripes' stripped-down rock shines on the highly acclaimed White Blood Cells.



- Alan Jackson's triple-platinum album Drive wins five Country Music Association Awards and is named the USA Today No. 1 country album of 2002.
- Nirvana, the famed grunge band's long-awaited greatest hits album, features "You Know You're Right," the last recording Kurt Cobain made before his 1994 suicide.





- Dallas Cowboy running back Emmitt Smith breaks Walter Payton's 16,727-yard mark to become the NFL's all-time leading rusher.
- The Detroit Red Wings capture the 2002 NHL Stanley Cup over the Cinderella Carolina Hurricanes. It's a record ninth cup for retiring coach Scotty Bowman.







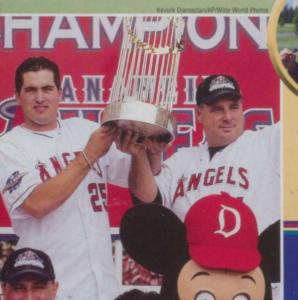
Serena and Venus Williams continue to dominate women's tennis, becoming the first sisters to be ranked No. 1 and No. 2 in the world.

Scott Osborne/AP/Wide World Photos



The college football season is marred by violent confrontations involving fans, students and even coaches.

MVP Troy Glaus leads the scrappy Anaheim Angels to the 2002 World Series win over Barry Bonds and the San Francisco Giants, four games to three.



SISTERS

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Martha Burk of the National Council of Women's Organizations battles with Augusta National chairman William Johnson over the issue of female membership at the famous Georgia golf club. Terry Renna/AP/Wide World Photos An 18th place finish in the NASCAR season finale at Homestead-Miami Speedway is enough to earn Tony Stewart his first Winston Cup Series championship. Chris Faytov/The Star Ledger/Corbis-Sygma
 Despite an injured toe, Shaquille O'Neal powers the unstoppable Los Angeles Lakers to a third straight NBA championship title in May 2002.

The U.S. men's soccer team advances to the World Cup quarterfinals for the first time, by defeating Mexico 2-0.

- V The U.S. Postal Service team V The top-rated defense of propels *Sports Illustrated* magazine's Sportsman of the Year Lance Armstrong to his fourth consecutive Tour de France victory.
 - shuts down the No. 1 offense of the Oakland Raiders to win Super Bowl XXXVII 48-21.
- V LPGA pro Annika Sorenstam, after a record-setting 13-win 2002 season worldwide, accepts an invitation to play the Colonial tournament on the men's 2003 PGA Tour.

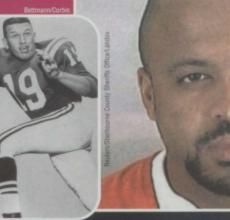


- The Ohio State Buckeyes beat the heavily favored Miami Hurricanes in double overtime. to win the BCS National Championship. The 31-24 victory is the school's first national football title since 1968.
- The new sport of SlamBall takes basketball to the extreme on a specially designed court with four trampolines in front of each hoop.



- Skateboarding reaches new popularity < heights thanks to the high visibility of the X Games and the "Tony Hawk's Pro Skater" video game series.
- Surfing welcomes a tidal wave of women < to the sport after receiving a Hollywood endorsement in the popular summer flick Blue Crush.

- The sports world loses two legends baseball's "Splendid Splinter" Ted Williams and Johnny Unitas, one of football's greatest quarterbacks.
- Zacarais Moussaoui, widely believed to be the 20th hijacker, goes on trial for his involvement in the September 11 terrorist attacks.





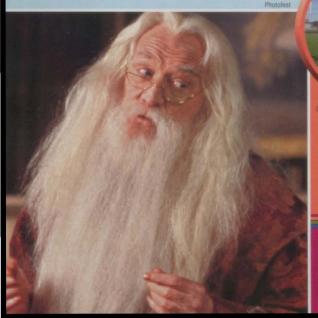
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Martha Stewart faces charges of illegal stock trading after former Imclone president Sam Waksal allegedly tips her off regarding the company's demise.



In show business since they were 9 months old, Mary-Kate and Ashley Olsen, 16, have amassed a \$76 million fortune through their Dualstar Entertainment Group.

Veteran actor Richard Harris, known for his role as Hogwarts wise headmaster Albus Dumbledore, dies of Hodgkin's disease at age 72.



Mentally challenged Ohio high school senior Jake Porter—who suited up for every practice and game for four years but never played scores his first touchdown. California's Linda and Loretta Sanchez make history as the first sisters ever elected to Congress.

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Mississippi Senator Trent Lott is widely criticized for apparent racist remarks he made at Senator Strom Thurmond's 100th birthday party. In December, Lott resigns as majority leader.







