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# 2004-2005

## Baumholder American High School



### Message from the Principal

Greetings from Mr. Calabria,

I extend my heartfelt congratulations to the 2004-2005 Yearbook Staff for producing an excellent edition representing the highlights of the past year.

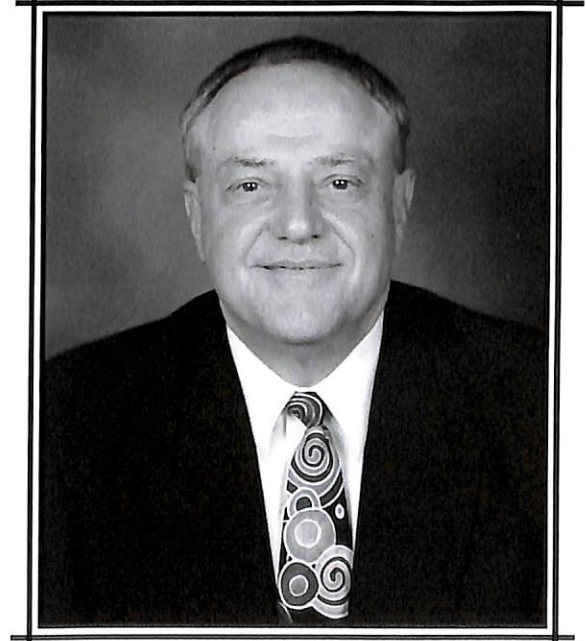
Although the classes, activities and athletics depicted in these pages are but a small part of every student's Baumholder Middle/High School experience, they will serve as a springboard for reminiscences in years to come. I hope each of you will look back on your memories of BAM/HS as positive and rewarding. I also hope that our school-wide high expectations by teachers and administrators will serve to challenge and advanced you socially intellectually, and emotionally for all your future endeavors.

To this year's senior class, a hearty 'thank you' for your innumerable contributions and indelible mark you have made to our school, and to one particular graduate who has profoundly impacted my life for the past 18 years.

On behalf of the faculty, I extend my best wishes to you in your future endeavors. Remember, every student contributed to the success of BAHS. May your future be filled with happiness, success and peace.

Personally, I have witnessed innumerable positive changes to BAM/HS since my tenure began here beginning with SY 98-99. This has been my home for the past seven years and I will miss Baumholder as I relocate to a new school. To all students, staff and parents, I say "Auf Wiedersehen".

Dominick Calabria  
Principal (and dad)

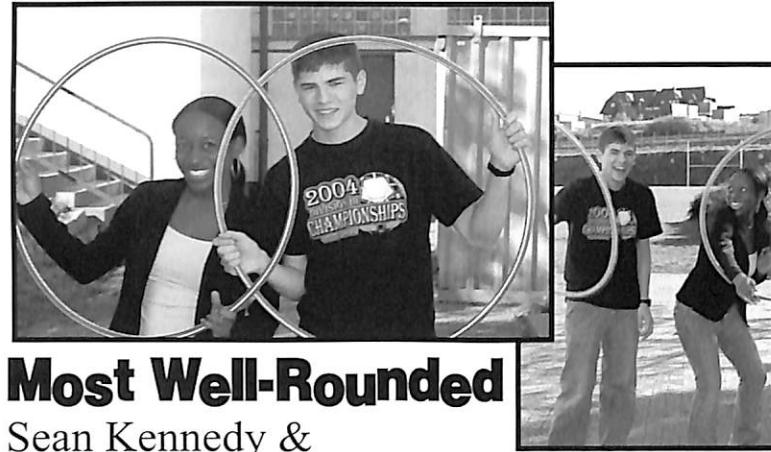






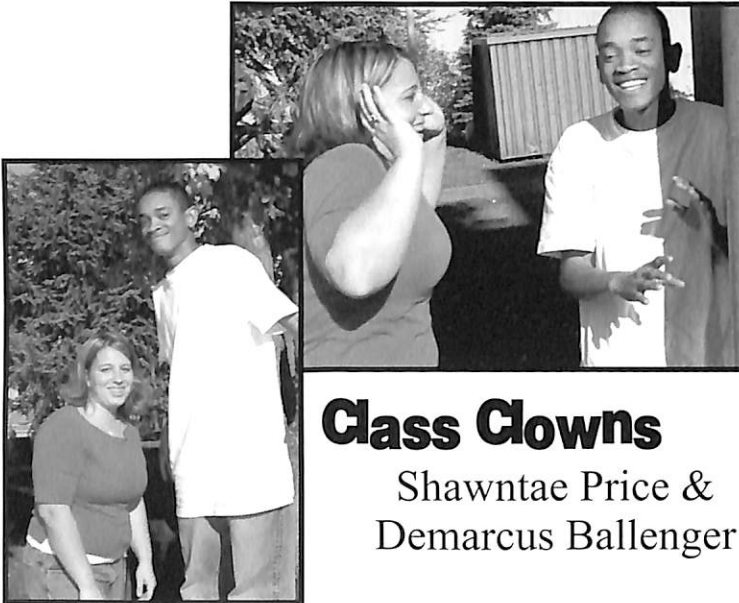


# Senior Superlatives



## Most Well-Rounded

Sean Kennedy &  
Kadeja Gaines



## Class Clowns

Shawntae Price &  
Demarcus Ballenger



## Most

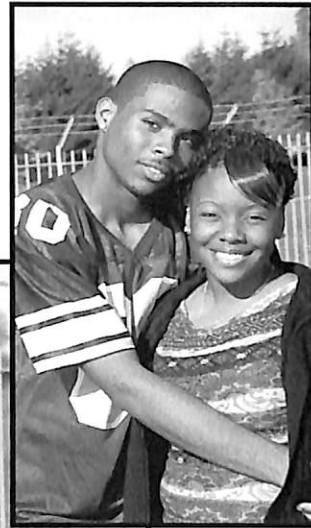
## School-Spirit

Maurice Gardner &  
Jameika Biggs



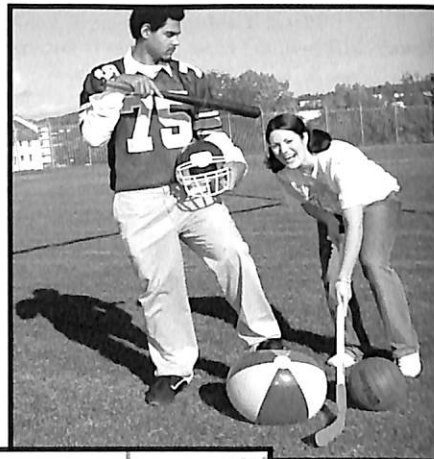
## Most Attractive

Jameika Biggs &  
Naim Vilabrera



## Most Athletic

Alex Eng &  
Ashley Karayannis



# Senior Superlatives



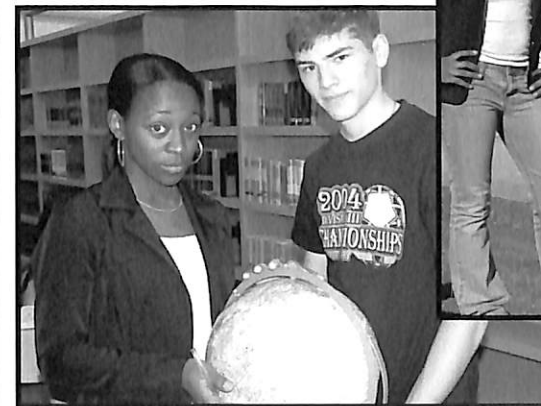
## Most Flirtatious

Justin Permenter &  
Ebonie Stevenson



## Most Likely to Succeed

Sean Kennedy &  
Kadeja Gaines



Here are a  
few extra  
superlatives  
that didn't  
quite make  
the cut:

Most likely to become a  
stop-sign painter:  
Elizabeth Hussman



Most likely to write a  
Thesaurus:  
Stephen Calabria

## Most Talented

Sean  
Kennedy &  
Kadeja  
Gaines



## Most Outgoing

Justin Permenter &  
Ashley Karayannis



Most Cutest Asian:  
Lychelle Ignacio





# SENIORS...Class of 2005

**Justin Permenter**

Nickname: The McMentor  
Future Plans: Serve a 2 year mission, date a girl from every nationality...win Nobel Prize  
Activities: Football, JROTC Raiders Team, MUN, Student Council, FBLA



**FAVORITE THINGS-**

Place: In warmth, spying on the cold wintry sky  
Song: "I just can't stop loving you"  
Moment: There are too many  
Quote: "The example of our living will carry a greater influence than will all the preaching in which we might indulge."



**Nichole Reed**

Nickname: Coe  
Future Plans: College, major in Architecture  
Activities: Softball, Drama, FBLA

**FAVORITE THINGS-**

Place: The Wichita Falls  
Song: "Ribbon in the Sky" -Stevie Wonder  
Moment: Being with my huge family  
Quote: "SENIOR!"

**Jennifer Reichert**

Nickname: Jenn  
Future Plans: Go to college for an architecture job  
Activities:



**FAVORTIE THINGS-**

Place: Grandma's house  
Song: "White Flag" -Dido  
Moment: End days of school  
Quote: "Do, or do not...there is no try."



**Ebonie Stevenson**

Nickname: E-bonie, Eb, baby girl  
Future Plans: Go to college, get married, and live happy  
Activities: Band, Soccer, Drama

**FAVORITE THINGS-**

Place: Anywhere, as long as I'm having fun  
Song: Anything by Nelly  
Moment: When I thought Kentucky had its own moon  
Quote: "I'll always be my daddy's little girl."

**Brenda Vallejo**



**Shawntae Price**

Nickname: Shanta  
Future Plans: Go to University of Arkansas and study Criminal Justice/Forensic Science  
Activities: Basketball & Softball

**FAVORITE THINGS-**

Place: Home  
Song: All R&B slow jams  
Moment: Good times with friends  
Quote: Anything stupid that comes out of my mouth

**Brent Reichert**

Nickname: Dale  
Future Plans: Join the Army and become a M.P.  
Activities: Soccer, Football, and Baseball

**FAVORITE THINGS-**

Place: Tooele, Utah  
Song:  
Moment: Going paint-balling with my friends  
Quote: "Even a fool has a talent,"



**Steven Robertson**

Nickname:  
Future Plans: Become a game designer  
Activities: Paintball, Kendo, Rifle Team

**FAVORITE THINGS-**

Place: Giuhans Ferry, SC  
Song: "Night of the .44"  
Moment: The first time I shot a gun  
Quote: "Tread softly and carry a big stick"



**Dennis Stout**



**Kimberly Vandry**

Nickname: Kim, Kimi  
Future Plans: Go to college, get a good job, and live happy  
Activities: Volleyball & partying

**FAVORITE THINGS-**

Place: Killeen, Texas  
Song: "The Reason" -Hoobastank  
Moment: Every volleyball trip was C-R-A-Z-Y!  
Quote: "Don't live life for what it's worth, live life for what it brings."



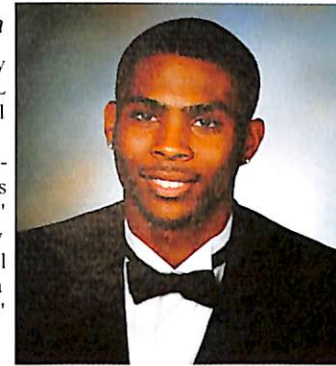
# SENIORS...Class of 2005

**Naim Vilabrera**

Nickname: Big Nasty  
Future Plans: Pilot or play in the NFL  
Activities: Football, Basketball, Baseball

**FAVORITE THINGS-**

Place: The states  
Song: "Whyte Tees, Black Tees"  
Moment: When I got my approval to play football  
Quote: "If you can't earn no dolla, you betta beg for the quarta."



**Kristina Winfree**

Nickname: Kris, Tina, & Ina  
Future Plans: Stay in Germany and go to the University of Arts and Design in Saarbrücken or a different university here  
Activities: Soccer

**FAVORITE THINGS-**

Place: Any place, as long as I'm happy  
Song:  
Moment: The moments that I spend with my boyfriend, Dennis  
Quote: "Everything happens for a reason."

BELOW: \*Jameicka dazzling us with her pearly-whites  
\*This is why we don't bother Alex...  
\*Melissa, Lychelle, and Shawntae lookin' cute.  
\*We're still not sure how Ashley made it home...

BELOW: \*Kim takes a break to be in the yearbook. \*The girls are already scared on the way to Frankenstein's castle. \*Kadeja does her best demonstration of flying...with a little help from Ashley! \*Erik Johnson-givin' it all he's got!

BELOW: \*The Seniors had the best banner at the Pep Rally! \*Stephen doing his best impersonation of a "friendly" guy. \*Kristina and Ebonie share a laugh, most likely at the underclassmen! \*Maurice attempts to seduce the camera. \*Seniors lookin' good at Homecoming!





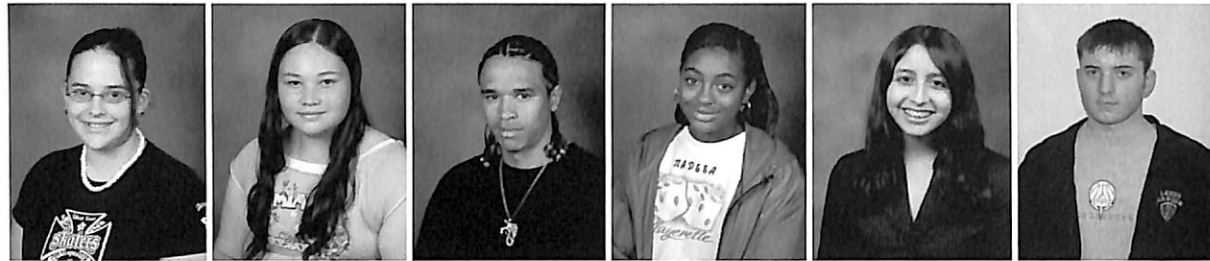


# Juniors

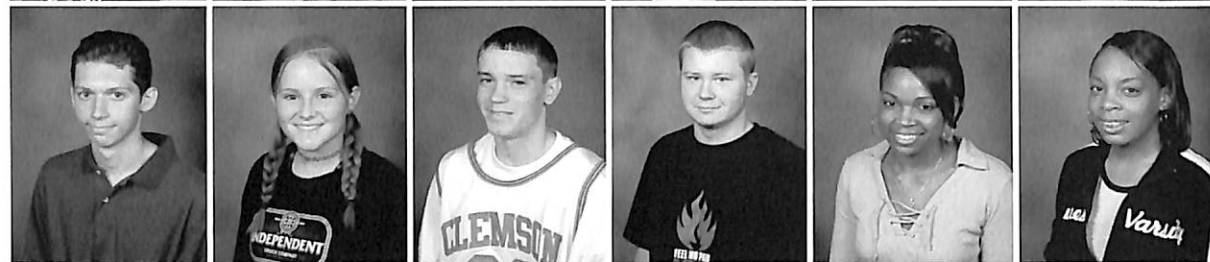
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 President: Jasmine Velazquez  
 Vice: Yajaira Gonzalez  
 Secretary: Christal Aquino  
 Treasurer: Jasmune Reed



Adamchick, Elizabeth  
 Aquino, Christal  
 Barfield, Maurice  
 Bayne, Nadeea  
 Betancourt, Frances  
 Bingham, Terry



Bryan, David  
 Carrier, Katarina  
 Colyer, Clinton  
 Coufal, Guy  
 Dorman, Kianna  
 Dyer, Kandace



Escatel, Corina  
 Feterl, Zachery  
 Gonzalez, Yajaira  
 Harris, Krysten  
 Hedrick, Joyce  
 Heinz, Nicholas



Hernandez Goldstein, Emily  
 Isaacs, Gary  
 Jerles, Jessica  
 Jones, Krystal  
 Kern, Stephanie  
 Kesling, Stephanie



Krill, Kara  
 Lopez, Vanessa  
 Mack, Tiffany  
 Malabanan, John  
 Morena, Roxana  
 Morena, Veronica



Moura, Carlos  
 Mouzon, Antonio  
 Powell, Rashaun  
 Ramos, Desiree'  
 Rasler, Ruben  
 Reed, Jasmune



Reyes, Serena  
 Royal, Kevin  
 Schelhas, Latisha  
 Shah, Zain  
 Short, Jessica  
 Sims, Allen



Singh, Amrit  
 Tyson, Rashaun  
 Velazquez, Jasmine  
 Walker, Michael  
 Wallace, Jasmin  
 Whitley, Daphne



Woodbery, Callahan  
 Woodmorris, Karena  
 Zapata, Troy







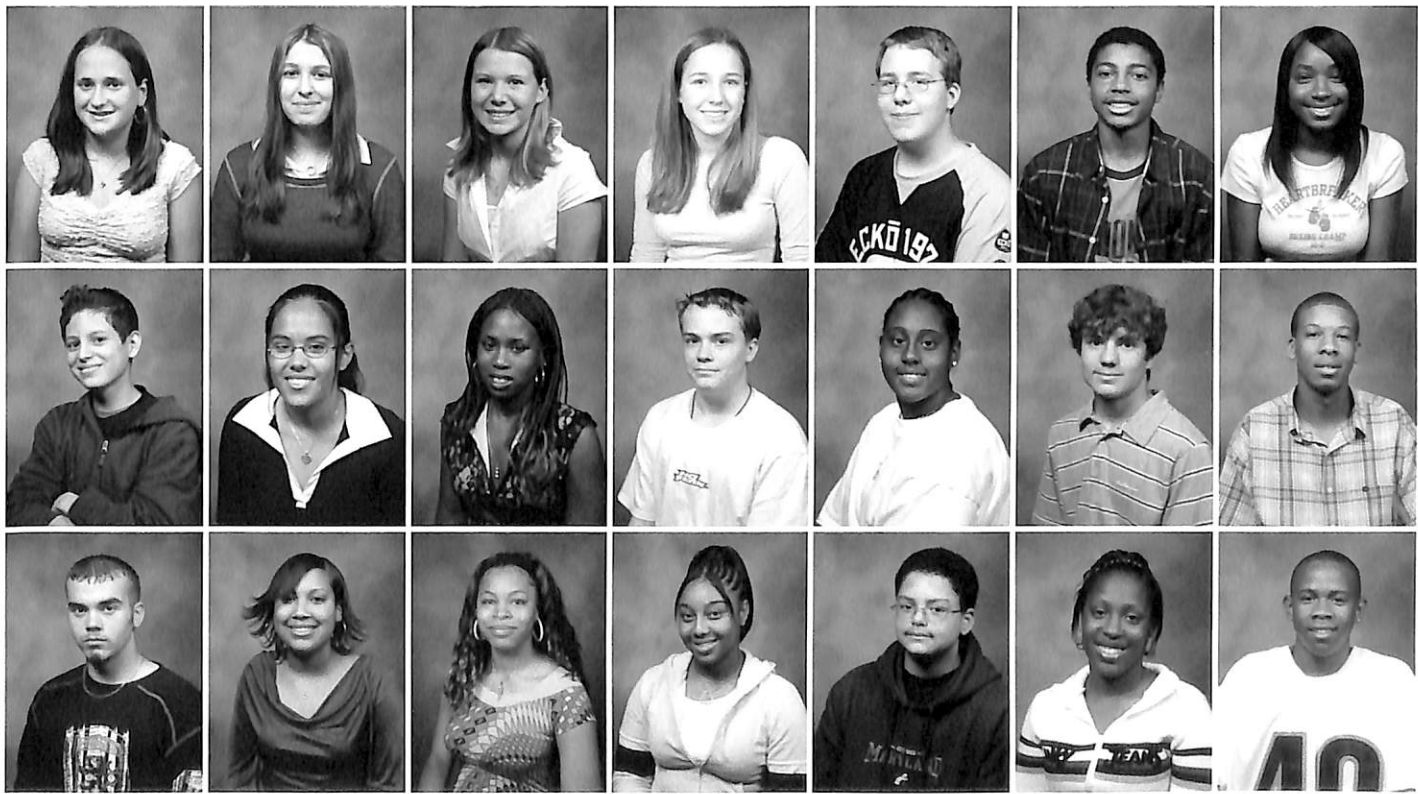
# Sophomores

Elected on September 23, the sophomore class officers are Stacy Easley, President (center); Grecia Gonzalez, Vice President (right); Derek Mundt, Secretary/Treasurer (left).

This is Mrs. O'Neil's second year being the sophomore class sponsor at Baumholder American High School. She is also the biology and human anatomy teacher.



Class  
of  
07



Adamchick, Heather  
Baker, Jessica  
Baker, Trista  
Baker, Caitlin  
Baugh, David  
Bayne, Tyrick  
Bess, Latoya

Betancourt, Scott  
Bustoz, Audriana  
Cleveland, Taihlor  
Cox, Bryant  
Cox, Takeria  
Crow, David  
Denson, Michael

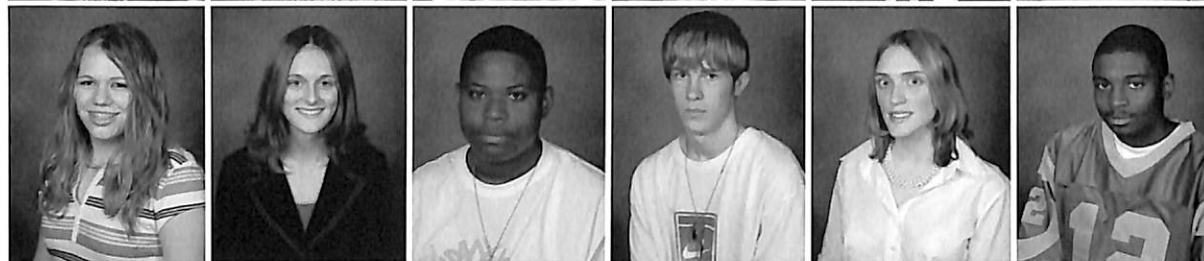
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English, Brittney  
Fennell, Dustin



Gittens, Michael  
Gonzalez, Grecia  
Guarina, Samantha  
Guyette, Tiffany  
Harris, Kalvonte  
Haynes, Heather



Hill, Erica  
Hofman, Mandy  
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Horton, Ryan  
Inbody, Raechel  
James, Ronald



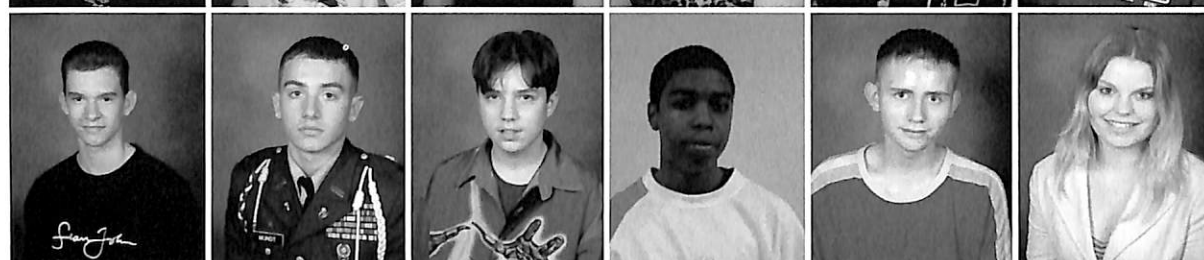
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Jones, Darryl  
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Lane, Bradley  
Mahler, Steven



Mapes, Nicholas  
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Mohammed, Lara  
Moore, Peter  
Morales, Wilmer



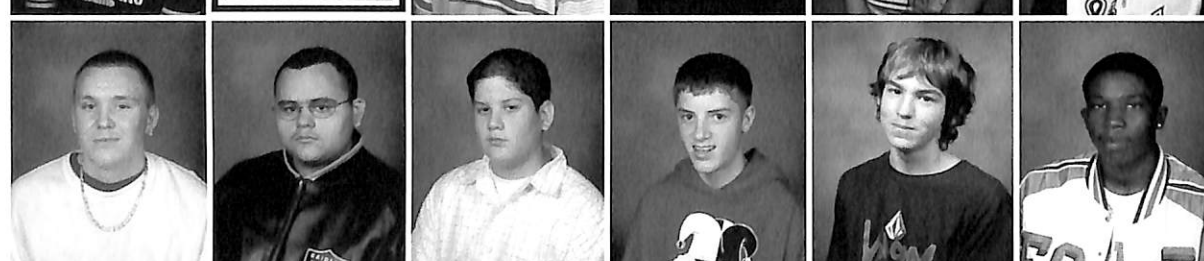
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Norwood, James  
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Pagel, Jessica



Paul, Justine  
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Ramsey, Richard  
Reed, Raean  
Roberts, Carl



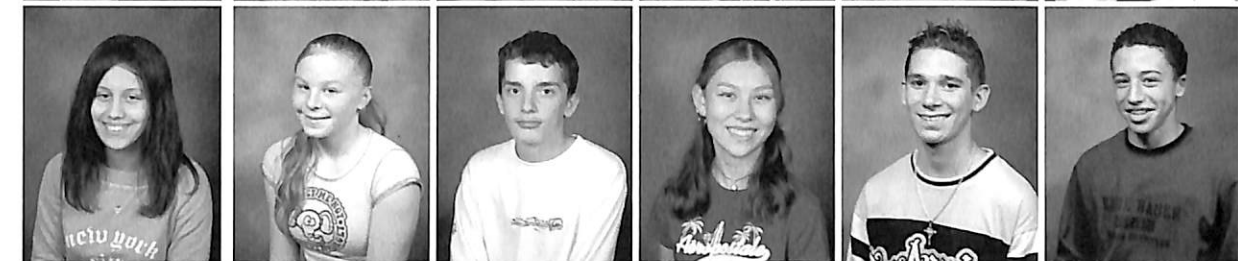
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Smith, Dustin  
Smith, Michael



Stanley, Jason  
Stanley, Joshua  
Strickland, Austin  
Taylor, Rashad  
Thomas, LaDovie  
Tressler, Tyler



Turner, Sasha  
Verel, Samantha  
Vielma, Vincent  
Walker, Stephanie  
Ward, William  
Washington, Patrick



Windover, Samantha  
Winger, Melissa  
Yohn, Thomas  
Cadet, Janine



## Graduating in 2007!







Freshmen Class Officers

## Freshmen

Sponsor: Mrs. Dougan  
 President: Isabelle Ignacio  
 Vice President: Justin Beasley  
 Secretary: Kelly Wilson  
 Treasurer: Ignacio Suarez



Freshmen Sponsor



Ayala, Kathlene  
 Beasley, Justin  
 Bradish, Heather  
 Bray, Christopher  
 Bryan, Laura  
 Burkett, Jimmy

Cooper, Marc  
 Davila, Shannon  
 Dial, William  
 Dowden, Isela  
 Emerson, Joshua  
 English, Whitney

Felts, Devan  
 Gaines, Theresa  
 Gillespie, Cortez  
 Grady, Edward  
 Gray, LaCross  
 Hill, Timothy

Hobbs, Ashley  
 Hogan, David  
 Ignacio, Isabelle  
 Ivory, Ashley  
 James, Rishard  
 LaFond, Brittaney

Lampe, James  
 Lopez, Sylvester  
 Loyola, Kristina  
 Maguina, Catherine  
 Mahler, Tristian  
 Milkes, Christopher



A row of six black and white student portraits. From left to right: a girl with long dark hair wearing a dark t-shirt with 'LFT' and 'ES' on it; a girl with long dark hair wearing a light-colored polo shirt; a girl with long dark hair wearing a dark sleeveless top with a fire department emblem; a boy with short light hair wearing a light-colored polo shirt with a dark collar and a 'L' logo; a boy with short dark hair wearing a dark t-shirt; and a girl with shoulder-length dark hair wearing a floral patterned top.

A row of six black and white student portraits. From left to right: a girl with long, light-colored hair wearing a dark V-neck sweater; a girl with dark, wavy hair wearing a dark shirt under a light-colored vest; a girl with dark hair pulled back wearing a dark t-shirt with 'TOMMY' printed on it; a girl with dark, wavy hair wearing a light-colored off-the-shoulder top; a girl with blonde hair wearing a light-colored t-shirt with a graphic; and a girl with dark hair pulled back wearing a light-colored off-the-shoulder top with a graphic.

A row of six black and white student portraits. From left to right: a young woman with long, dark, wavy hair wearing a light-colored top; a young man with short, light-colored hair wearing a dark polo shirt; a young man with a short buzz cut wearing a dark hoodie; a young woman with dark hair pulled back, wearing a light-colored polo shirt and a necklace; a young man with short dark hair wearing a dark V-neck shirt; and a young woman with dark hair pulled back, wearing a dark button-down shirt.

A row of five black and white student portraits. From left to right: a girl with long blonde hair wearing a dark shirt with 'LINCOLN PARK' and a graphic; a girl with long blonde hair wearing a light-colored shirt with a palm tree pattern; a girl with long dark hair wearing a dark tank top with 'RED AREA' and 'NOT TRESPASS' printed on it; a boy with short hair and glasses wearing a plaid button-down shirt; and a boy with long dark hair and glasses wearing a dark shirt with 'HAZARD' and a graphic printed on it.





# 8th Grade



Ackermann, Liam  
Acosta, Ricardo  
Alexander, Javian  
Amevor, Mavis  
Barker, Schanece  
Billington, Steven



Boatner, Bryan  
Buchanan, Jasmine  
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Calhoun, Mariah  
Carrier, Daniel  
Carrier, Danielle



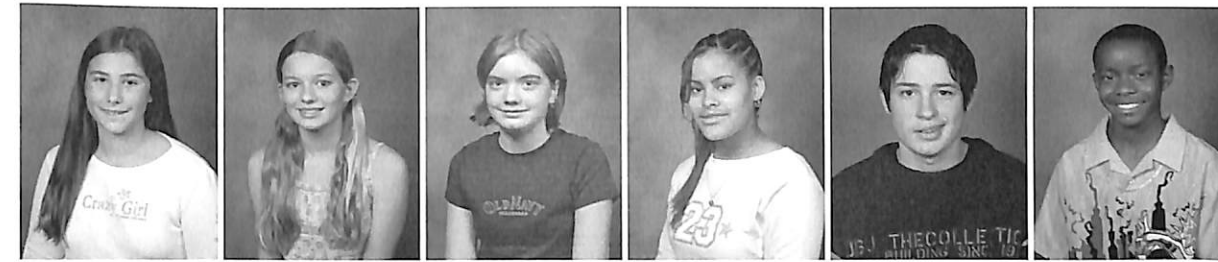
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Ford, Cedric  
Frantz, Alicia  
Fullilove, Jamesha  
Goodman, Tiara



Gray, Tyler  
Green, Jenequa  
Greer, Kelly  
Groene, Marc  
Groene, Nathalie  
Hall, Carl



Hall, Chelsea  
Hall, Stefanie  
Hargrove, Lauren  
Harvey, Anjelica  
Haynes, Joshua  
Hicks, Kennith



Holland, Jessica  
Josefsberg, Brian  
Kittrell, Shannon  
Lampe, Marie  
Lemon, Deontay  
Lengen, Andrew



Long, Tyrique  
Marcus, Dezaya  
McKenney, Nicholas  
Money, Sarah  
Monga, Joelle  
Monton, Andrew



Morton, Alexis  
Olson, Stephen  
Oppliger, Natalie  
Palmer, Rashad  
Palmer, Teresea  
Paradee, Rachel



Perkins, Quindel  
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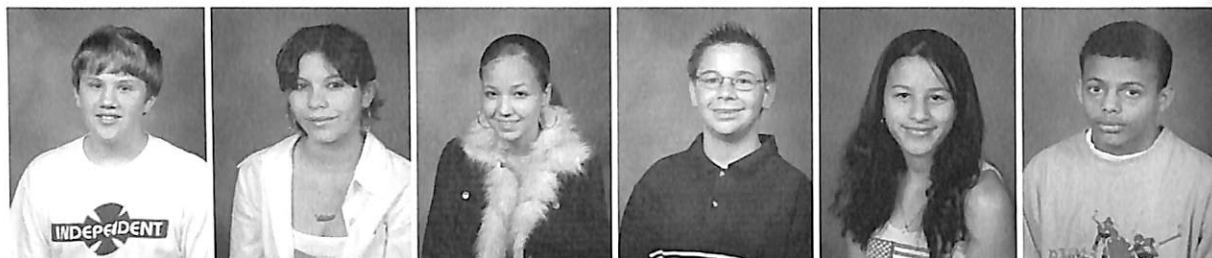
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Smith, Sarah  
Stowers, Megan  
Stowers, Sarah  
Superales, Marika



Swaims, William  
Torres, Vanessa  
Torres, Yarie  
Tressler, Clayton  
Turner, Samantha  
Valerio, Julian



Valerio, Randy  
Vater, Kiersten  
Vera, Nadia  
Verschage, Cody  
Walker, Kristin  
Watkins, Alex



Weston, LaShonda  
Williams, Cornelius  
Wills, Caleb  
Windom, Reginald  
Wojcik, Nathan  
York, Shaniqua



Zaidan, David  
Zapata, Michelle



## 7th and 8th Grade Student Council

### OFFICERS

**President:** Randy  
Valerio  
**Vice-President:**  
Steven Billington  
**Treasurer:** Kierstin  
Vater  
**Secretary:** Kenny  
Hicks



**Sponsors**  
Ms. Spencer  
Mrs. Harris





# 7th Grade



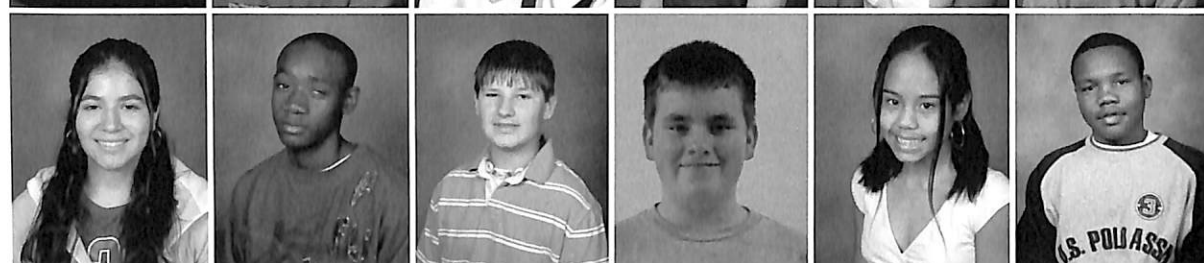
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Archer, Page  
Arkett, Michael



Ashby, Gregory  
Bahret, David  
Bailey, Christopher  
Baker, Julianne  
Bess, Tijuana  
Blue, Joseph



Bonilla, Ambar  
Bonom, Randall  
Brockman, Jonathan  
Burbaugh, Nicholas  
Bustoz, Alexandria  
Carithers, Gary



Clark-Rodgers, Omar  
Clifton, Joshua  
Coleman, Jerikia  
Coleman, Justin  
Cotto, Joseph  
Coufal, Janelle



Crowder, Lisa  
Davis, Kimisha  
DeVos, Karina  
Dominguez, Alexander  
Elliott, Danford  
Everson, Stephanie



Flores, Stacey  
Forehand, Kevin  
Gilliard, Christian  
Gray, Devonte  
Greer, Thayne  
Hampton, Hanawa



Harvey, John  
Hayag, Eric  
Hicks, Andre'  
Hill, Kayde  
Hiltl, Heather  
Hobson, Darren



Holman, Kayla  
Hooks, Zandria  
Horvath, Danielle  
Inbody, Nathan  
Jacobs, Miranda  
Keziah, Kathryn



Kleem, Nickilas  
Kliebenstein, Krishtyn  
Kobelt, Christianna  
Laboy, Carlos  
Loflin, Tianna  
Loyola, Mitchell



Lynk, Nicolle  
Mahler, Julien  
Mainor, Iesha  
Mathous, Shannon  
McCrary, Miranda  
McDonald, Brianna



Mckay, Marvin  
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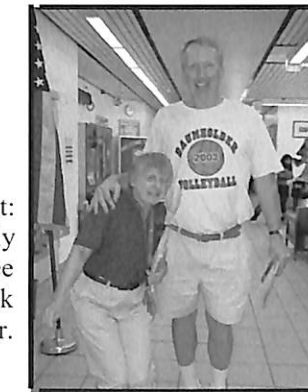
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Olson, Robert



# FACULTY



Left:  
Mr. Kieta, the  
school  
psychologist,  
delves deeply  
into the mind  
of our  
counselors.



Right:  
Coaches Reilly  
and Larson see  
how they stack  
up to each other.



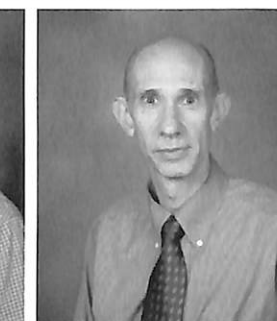
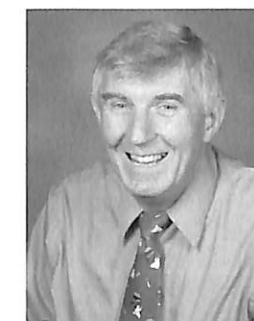
Top: Spencer Bean, our new math  
teacher, has a great year ahead of  
him.



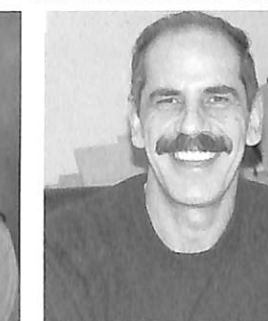
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Calabria, Dominick



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Flores-Rodgers, Maria



Funk, Jim  
Garrison, Carmella  
Graham, Jim  
Graham, Judy  
Harrell, Charlie



Harris, Jill  
Hartline, Bob  
Hite, Meg  
Hoehn, Wolfgang  
Hollenbeck, Carter

Patton, Brooklyn  
Penton, Kimberly  
Perez, Lester  
Peters, Jasmine  
Petrone, Kelly  
Poindexter, Nathan



Politi, Lee  
Ray, Tyree  
Reed, Courtney  
Renner, Dennis  
Ross, Sabrina  
Rudolph, Shirley-Ann



Shaw, John  
Shields, Bethany  
Sims, Whitney  
Skelton, Brian  
Slyster, Amber  
Smith, Leonrobert



Smith, Sean  
Spears, Jasmine  
Stone, Stephen  
Sturtz, Brandon  
Swaims, Brenton  
Tchatcho, Cynthia



Tyson, Torrie  
Unite, Regina  
Velazquez, Jarrod  
Vives, Kiana  
Walls, David  
Webster, Christopher



West, David  
Western, Jonah  
Whitley, Patrick  
Williams, Trevon  
Winger, Andrew  
Yelle, Samantha



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Hollenbeck, Tammy  
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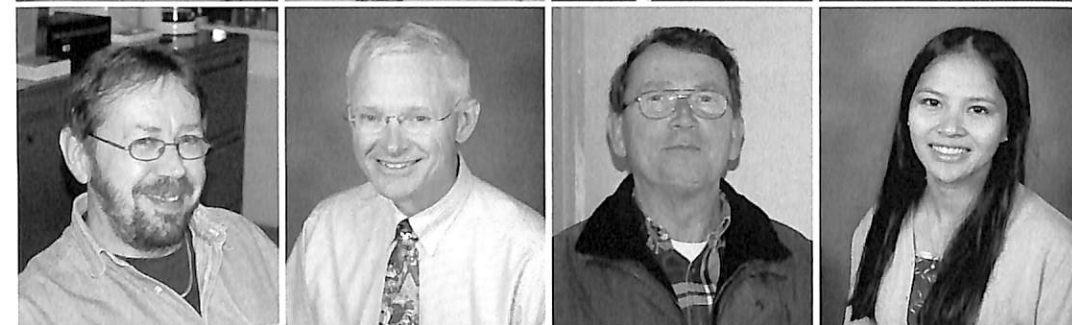
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Nguyen, Trin

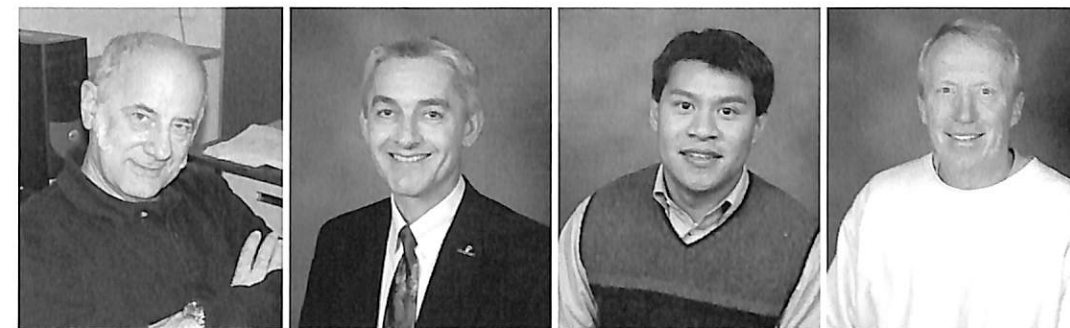


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Pop, Ioan  
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Reilly, Mike



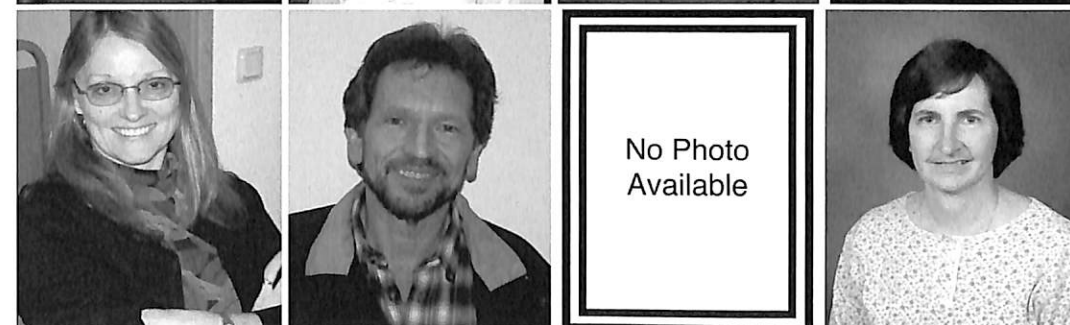
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Walter, Judy  
Wilensky, Kerry  
Yemma, Dennis  
Yemma, Jule



\*Reilly and O'Neil share a tee-time

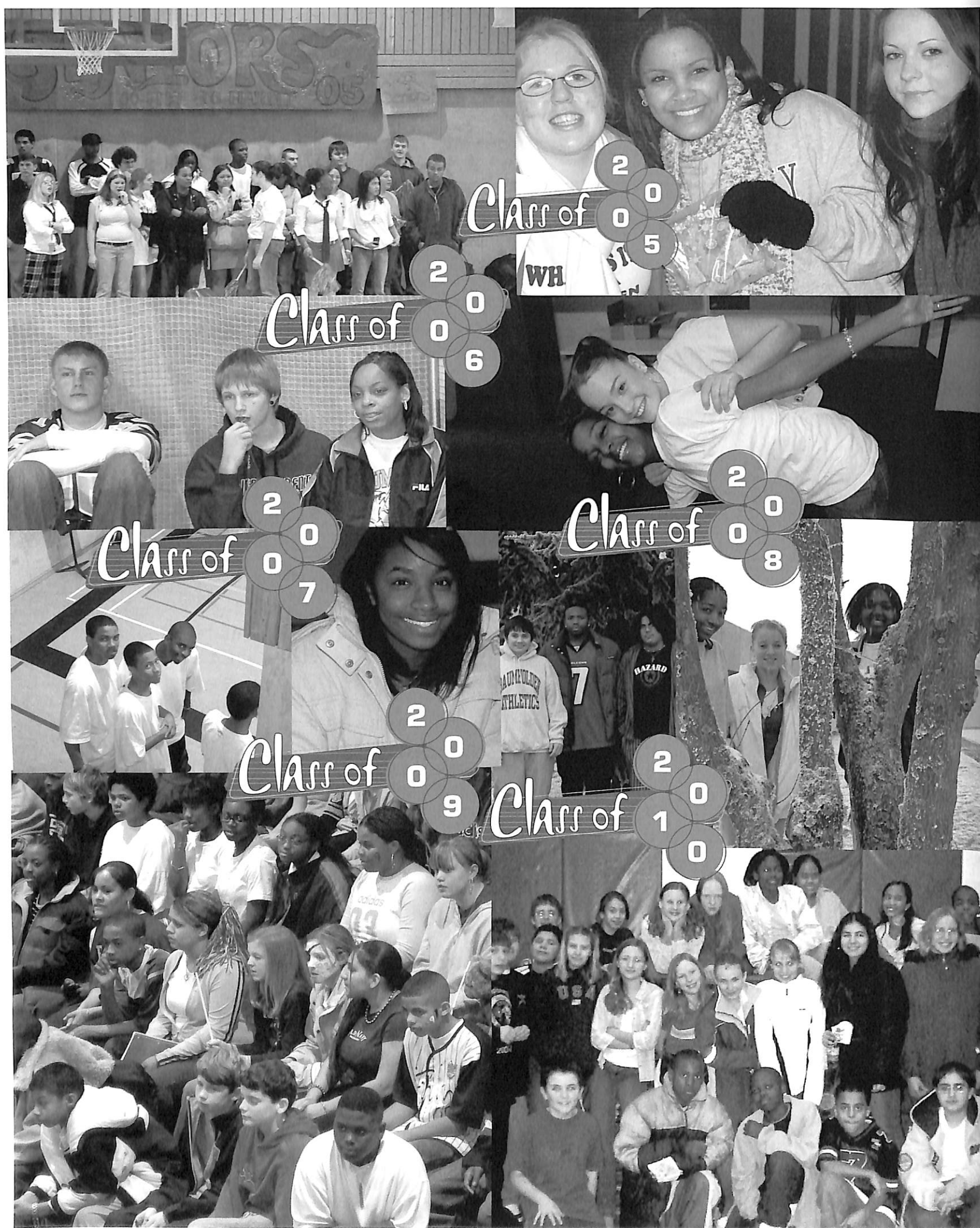


\* Mr. Funk...lovin' it!



\* Ms. Larson layin' the hammer down\*







# Baumholder Buccaneers Football 2004

The 2004 Baumholder Buccaneer football season brought more staff members and a younger team than ever before. The young team was held together by seven coaches. The team had only one returning starter, two seniors and two-thirds of the team was made up of freshmen and sophomores. Though the team was very young, they were very athletic, dedicated to the sport, and worked as hard as any team in the past four seasons, that coach Hollenbeck had Coached. The Bucs believe in the words: family, school, and football. They live by the acronym of T.E.A.M.- Together, Everyone Achieves More.



Head Coach Carter Hollenbeck calls his record 5 assistant coaches in for a huddle.



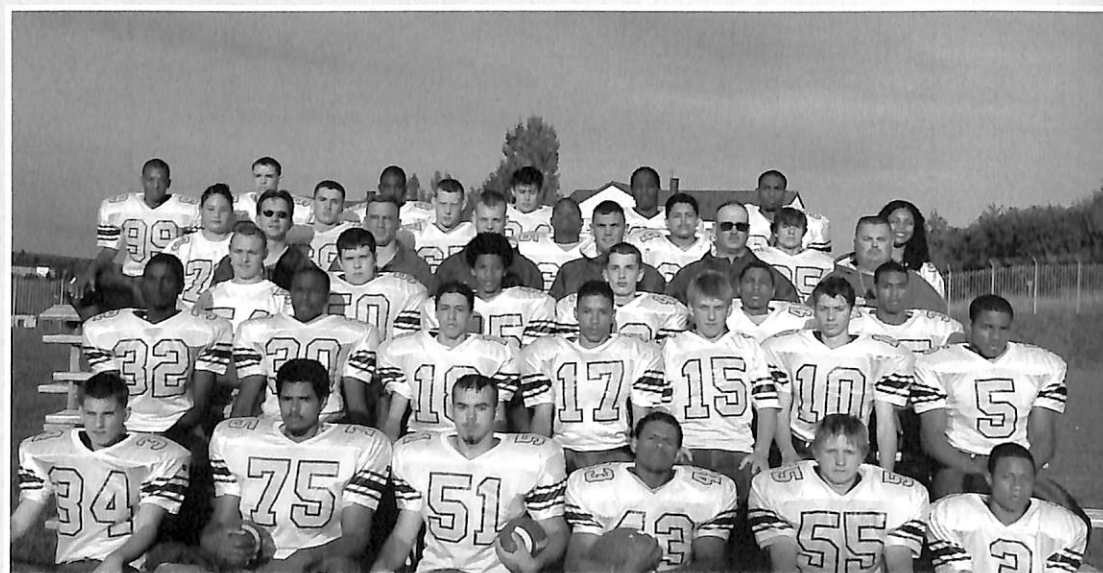
Captains: Kevin Royal Antonio Mouzon James Dickerson Alex Eng

## Record

Opponent	Score
Hohenfels	30-55 L
Bamberg	45-27 W
Alconbery	41-00 W
AFNORTH	19-09 W
Giessen	01-00 W
Rota	40-29 W
Hohenfels	19-14 W
Ansbach	14-54 L



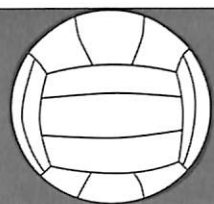
Managers: Christal Aquino and Vanessa Lopez



(front row) Brad Lane, Alex Eng, James Dickerson, Antonio Mouzon, Kevin Royal, Carl Roberts (second row) Allen Sims, TJ Whatley, Patrick Washington, Chris Bray, Zack Feterl, David Bryan, Rashad Taylor (third row) William Dial, James Lampe, LaCross Gray, Vincent Vielma, Tyriek Bayne, Kalvonte Harris, (coaches) Tim Kelly, Tom Hinz, Eliot Thomasma, Jon Adams, Scott Morton, Carter Hollenbeck (fifth row) Christal Aquino, Derek Mundt, Justin Permenter, Justin Holliday, Clayton Eng, David Crow, Krystal Jones (top row) Mike Denson, Clint Colyer, Ron James, Michael Walker, Gary Isaacs, Naim Vilabrera







# Volleyball

## Varsity

Coach Reilly  
 #6: Grecia Gonzalez  
 #2: Yajaira Gonzalez  
 #12: Ashley Karayannis  
 #4: Stephanie Kesling  
 #8: Kim Vandry  
 #7: Kandace Dyer  
 #5: Jameika Biggs  
 #1: Jessica Jerles  
 #9: Jasmine Velazquez



Hohenfels*	Def.
Bamberg	Def.
Ramstein	Loss
Bamberg*	Def.
Heidelberg	Loss
Wiesbaden	Loss
Brussels	Def.
Ansbach	Loss
Alconbury	Def.
Ansbach*	Def.
Giessen*	Def.
Brussels	Def.

\*Conference Games

## Junior Varsity

Coach Larson  
 #10: Tiffany Guyette  
 #9: Brittney English  
 #15: Stacy Easley  
 #3: Mandy Hofmann  
 #4: Trista Baker  
 #5: Justine Paul  
 #12: Latisha Shelhas  
 #8: Caitlin Baker  
 #14: Raechel Inbody

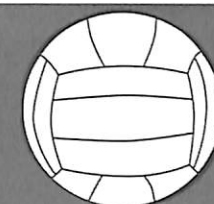


Hohenfels	Loss
Bamberg	Def.
Ramstein	Loss
Bamberg	Def.
Heidelberg	Loss
Wiesbaden	Loss
Ansbach	Def.
Brussels	Def.
Ansbach	Loss
Alconbury	Loss
Giessen	Def.
Brussels	Def.

**Get Em' Girls!!!**



# 2005



## Five Year Division III South Champions

AWWWW... Shucks  
 the  
 "BIG BAD BUCS!"

"ONE"

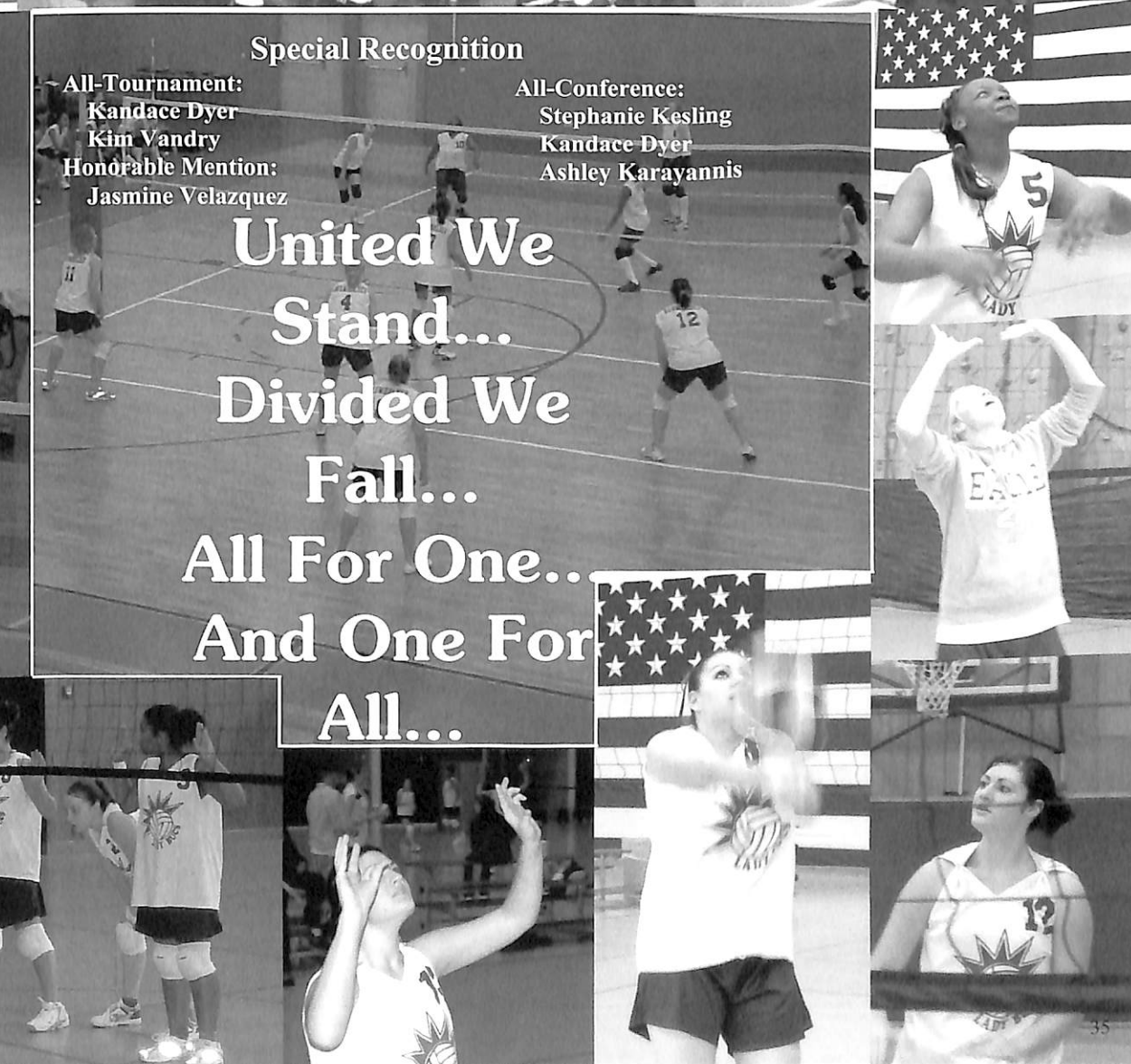


### Special Recognition

All-Tournament:  
 Kandace Dyer  
 Kim Vandry  
 Honorable Mention:  
 Jasmine Velazquez

All-Conference:  
 Stephanie Kesling  
 Kandace Dyer  
 Ashley Karayannis

**United We  
 Stand...  
 Divided We  
 Fall...  
 All For One..  
 And One For  
 All...**

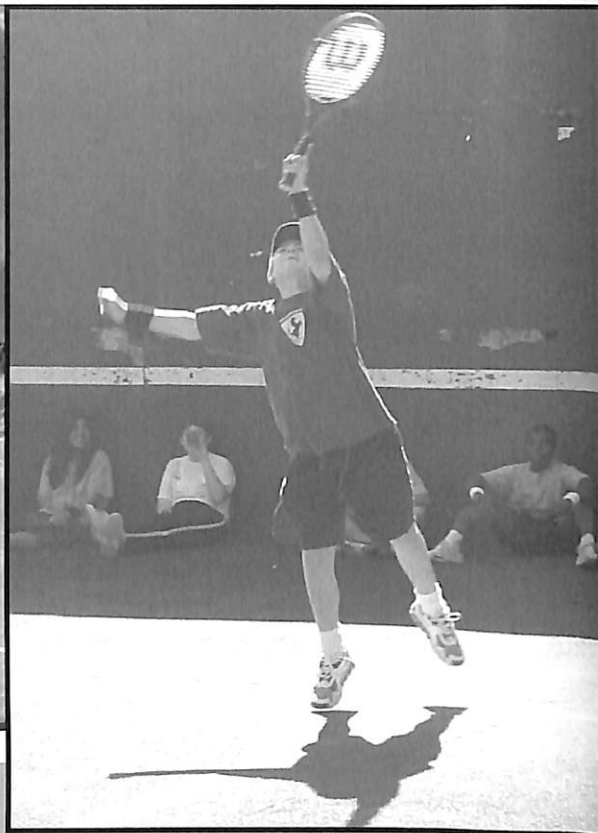






# TENNIS

This year's tennis team included many rising stars like (clockwise from left) Isabelle Ignacio, John Malaban, Steven Billington.



## Mr. Mauldin, tennis coach and English teacher

Mr. Mauldin coached the BAHS tennis team through an eventful year. Many young players were learning the ropes and building the foundation skills for the future. John Malaban, Zain Shah, Stefanie Montano, Kelli Montano, Michael Gittens, and Isabelle Ignacio all went to the European Championships to compete. Hopefully all these bright players will return again next year!



Zain Shah, Baumholder's representative to the European Championships, sends the ball across the net with skill.

(front row) Michael Gittens, Troy Zapata, Isabelle Ignacio. (back row) John Malaban, Zain Shah, Laura Bryan, Shannon Davila, Stefanie Montano, Kelli Montano.



Off to another day on the course with smiles on their faces, (from left) Nick Inbody, Zack Splittz, and Tyree Ray gear up. Good luck, boys!



Coach Dougan briefs his team before a match.

Kiersten Vater observes her shot and waits for the ball to drop.

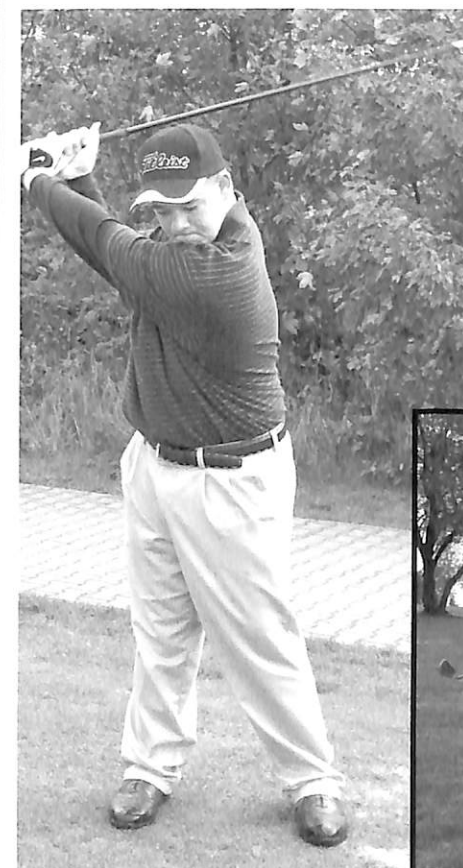


## Golf Team on the Green

Beginning in Scotland, golf has become a sport recognized around the world. At the high school level, the Baumholder golf team has competed with teams from across Europe. The swingers call Rolling Hills golf course their home turf. This fall they traveled to Rammstein for tournaments and also to Wiesbaden for Europeans. The team this year consisted of one sophomore (Tressler), one freshman (Splittz), four 8th graders (Vater, Wojcik, Tressler, Dougan), and two 7th graders (Ray, Inbody). Congratulations on a good year!



ABOVE: (front) Tyree Ray, Clayton Tressler, Nick Inbody. (back) Coach Dougan, Nick Dougan, Tyler Tressler, Kiersten Vater, Nathan Wojcik, Zack Splittz.



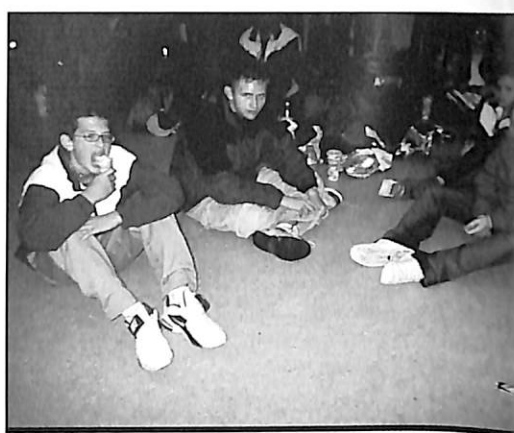
LEFT: Tyler Tressler winds up to send the ball down the fairway. FORE!

BELOW: Zack Splittz finds himself in a rough spot as he attempts to get his game back towards the pin.





# Cross Country



Top: Maurice Gardner, Marc Groene, Casey Wojcik, Andrew Oppliger  
Bottom: Brianna Harris, Jerrica Murrell, Marie Lampe, Quindel Perkins

Coach Cahoon and Stephen Olsen not pictured



## Raider Team



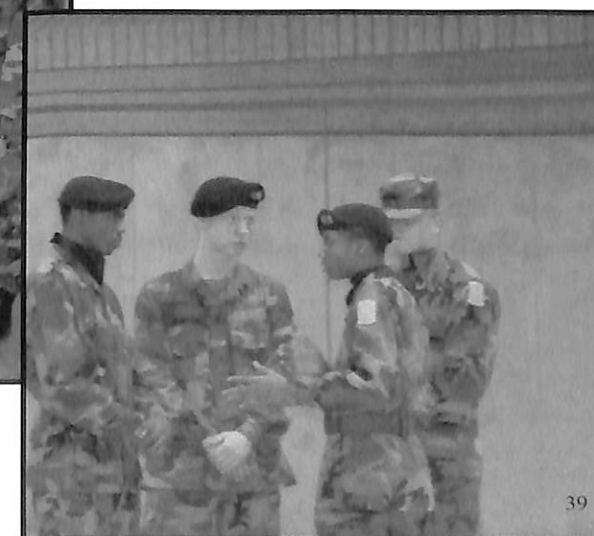
The cadets in the black berets are members of the Buccaneer Battalion's Raider Platoon. The platoon is an elite unit of cadets who want more out of JROTC than the usual classroom material.

These cadets are more involved in service projects, special training activities, adventure training and perfecting their leadership skills.

Somewhere in each member of the Raider Platoon is a future First Sergeant. Hooah!!!



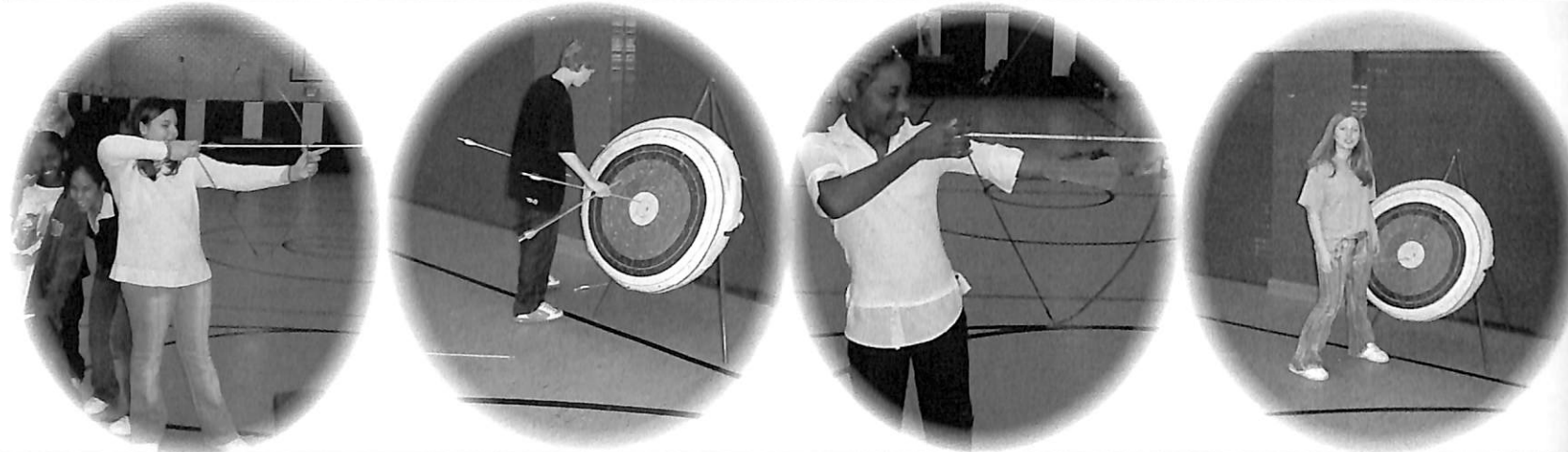
Members (Alphabetical Order): Demarcus Ballenger, Scott Bentancourt, Justin Beasley, Terry Bingham, Adrianna Bustoz, Marc Cooper, Michael Gittens, Timothy Hill, Jervis Jarmillo, Nick Mapes, Chris Milkes, Peter Moore, Derek Mundt, Justin Permenter, Rashaun Powell, Ruben Rasler, Marque Sierra, Michael Smith, Austin Strickland, Ignacio Suarez, Rashaun Tyson, Jasmin Wallace, Willie Ward, and Kelli Wilson



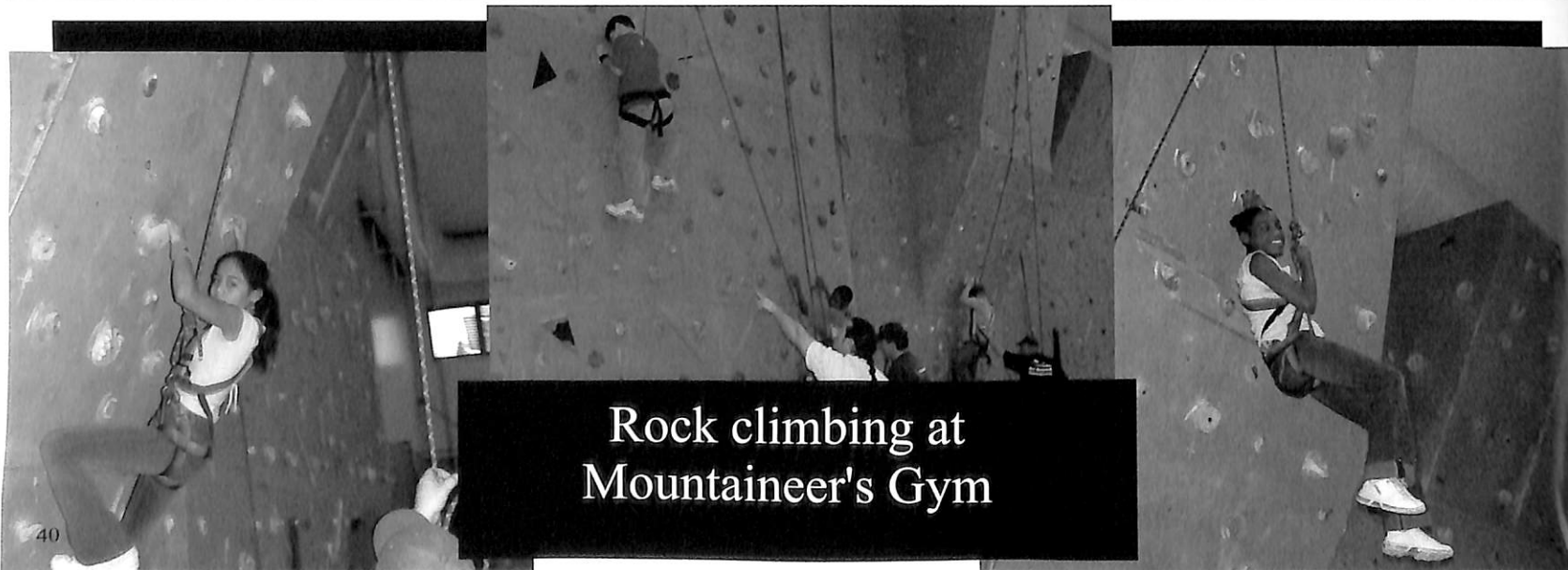


# Outdoor Education

**History of Outdoor Education:** The history of the Outdoor Education program at Baumholder American High School stems from the DoDDS program called "Hinterbrand". Hinterbrand Lodge is located in the Bavarian Alps near Berchtesgaden, Germany. The lodge was taken by the U.S. Army in 1945 and used as a ski lodge for U.S. military members and their families until 1971, when the Department of Defense Dependents Schools began renting the lodge from the Armed Forces Recreation Center. In 1972, the outdoor adventure/education program that is still in effect today began. The Hinterbrand Lodge Outdoor Education Center gave DODDS students the opportunity to challenge themselves and experience things that they couldn't experience anywhere else. Students from American schools around Europe took turns in the week-long program throughout the year.



**Outdoor Education Today:** DoDDS has created a pilot program, Quest, which created the mandatory 7th grade wheel class, Outdoor Education. Our program goals at Baumholder American High School are the same today as they were at Hinterbrand: Students must overcome adversity and drum up courage to complete the challenges they face. These challenges include first aid, archery, biking, in-line skating, camping (tent-pitching) hiking, rock climbing, and canoeing. New BAHS teacher Bryan Sanchez developed the course curriculum through unique community partnerships, including the American Red Cross, Outdoor Rec, Mountaineer's Gym, and Rolling Hills Athletic Club. Safety has been a central theme across the curriculum. Students receive first aid, water safety instruction, and bicycle safety instruction as a part of the 9-week course.



Rock climbing at  
Mountaineer's Gym

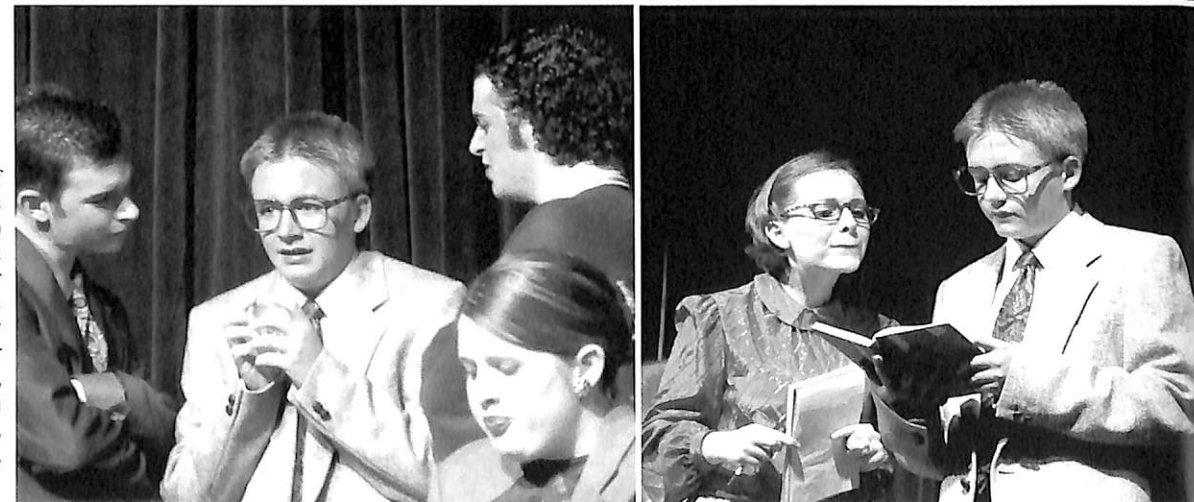
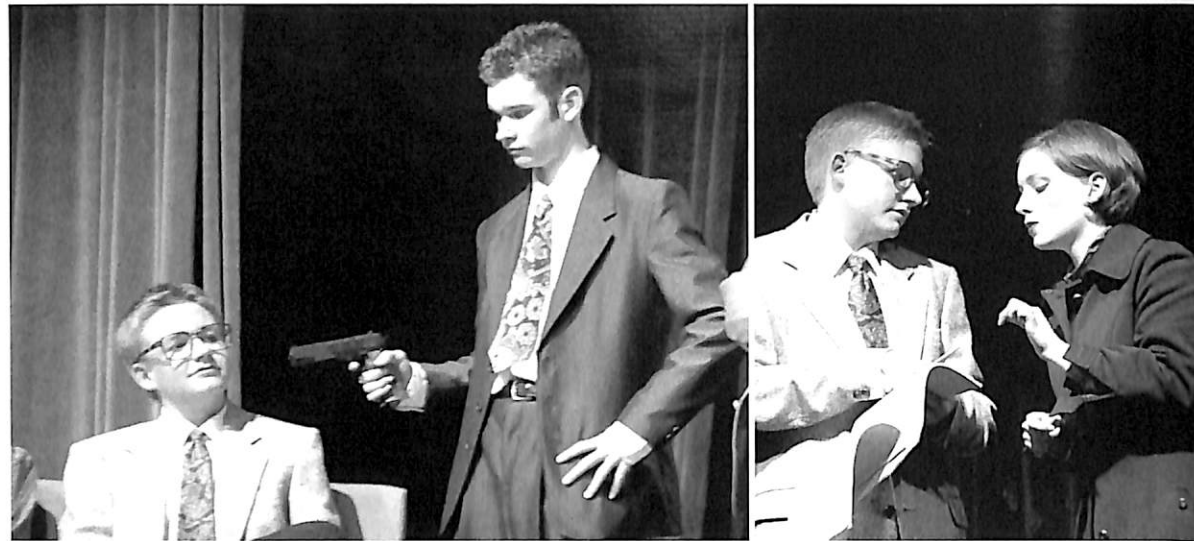




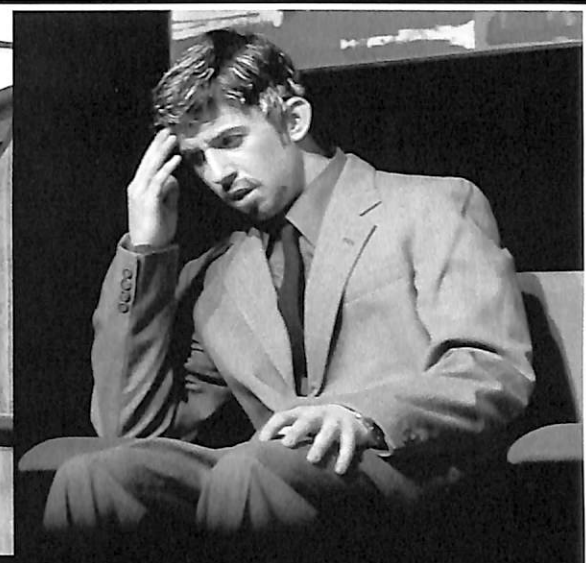
# Born Yesterday

In a perfect world, politics is not corrupted and women are never oppressed.  
This is not that world.

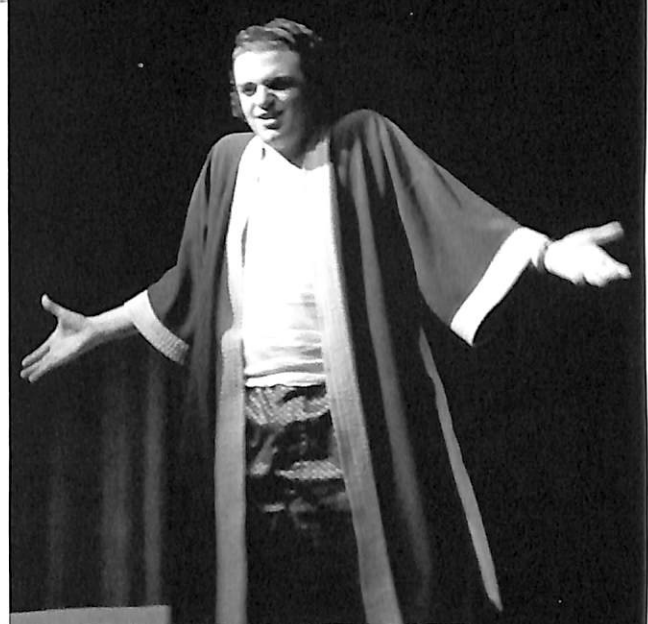
(Below) Callie Woodbery doesn't think Brock has the right idea. (Right) Kevin Morrison holds egghead Zack Splittstoesser at gunpoint. (Far Right) Zack and Callie plot to sink Harry's scheme



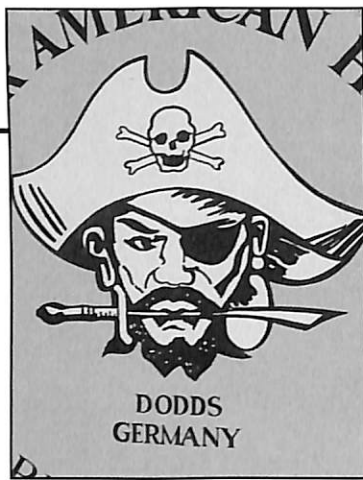
(Above) Stephen Calabria finds himself stumbling over the number of hours Billie has been missing. (Right) Kevin Morrison (left) and Stephen Calabria intimidate Zack Splittstoesser as Heather Haynes hopes her client will come to his senses. (Far Right) A befuddled Callie Woodbery listens carefully to Zack Splittstoesser's insight. (Center) Our Stellar Cast: (back) Samantha Guarina, Ramey Price, Callie Woodbery, Stephen Calabria, Zack Splittstoesser, Heather Haynes, Kevin Morrison. (front) Melissa Baker, Lychelle Ignacio, Rasasha Williams.



"A little learning is a dangerous thing," Heather Haynes' character Monica Devery commented. A few newspapers and a red pen later, Billie Dawn, played by Callie Woodbery, is an intellectual force to be reckoned with... or so she thinks. However, her boyfriend, Harry Brock, acted by Stephen Calabria, still wants to manipulate her into his unlawful designs. Brock is on a downward spiral of bribery and crookedness dragging Senator Norval Hedges, played by Ramey Price, along with him. Thanks to the teachings of Paul Verall, acted by Zack Splittstoesser, he and Billie foil the dastardly plot to open America to free enterprise for Brock's junkyards. A strong cast gave this show legs and it was an exquisite blend of witty comedy, deep philosophy, and powerful drama.

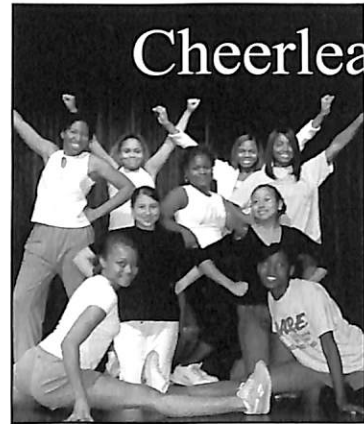






# Fall Season Roundup!

Once again Baumholder proved itself as a force to be reckoned with in sports. Our teams played hard and with character for the entire season.



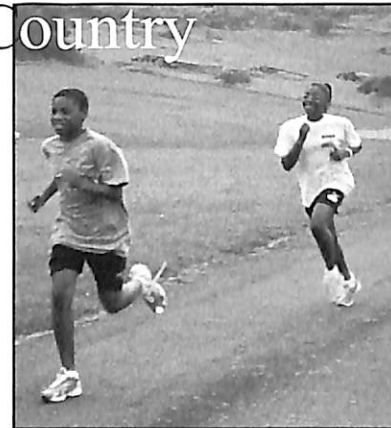
## Cheerleading

Most Valuable Player:  
LaToya Bess  
Most Improved:  
Jamie Hoyle  
110%:  
Alexi Velazquez  
Spirit Award:  
Yasmin Johnson

## Cross Country

Most Valuable Player:  
Andrew Oppliger  
Character Award:  
Marie Lampe  
Most Improved:  
Jerrica Murrell

Marie Lampe placed in Top Ten Girls for Exhibition Runners for every meet.



## Football

2004-05 Division III European  
Runner Up  
Overall Record 6-2

Most Valuable Player Alex Eng  
Most Improved Player Chris Bray  
Character Award James Lampe



## Tennis

1 Win 1 Tie 2 Losses  
MVP Boys: Zain Shah  
MVP Girls: Isabelle Ignacio  
Character Award: Steven Billington  
Most Improved Boys: Michael Gittens  
Most Improved Girls: Kelli Montano

Zain Shah ranked 7th in Europe



## Golf

Most Valuable Player:  
Tyler Tressler  
Most Improved:  
Nathan Wojik  
Character Award:  
Zach Splitstoesser

Tyler Tressler placed 17th in Europe

## Volleyball

Most Valuable Player:  
Ashley Karayannis  
Most Improved Player:  
Jessica Jerles  
Character Award: Jasmine Velazquez

Division III South  
Champions for the 5th  
consecutive year

2nd place at the European  
tournament



# Homecoming '04

\*2004 Royalty\*

<b>King:</b> <i>Justin Permenter</i>	<b>Queen:</b> <i>Jameika Biggs</i>
<b>Prince:</b> <i>Sean Kennedy</i>	<b>Princess:</b> <i>Kadeja Gaines</i>
<i>Antonio Mouzon</i>	<i>Krystal Jones</i>
<i>Bradley Lane</i>	<i>Latoya Bess</i>
<i>Justin Beasley</i>	<i>Paula Ortega</i>



# Dance



ANIGHT  
TO REMEMBER



# Yearbook Production



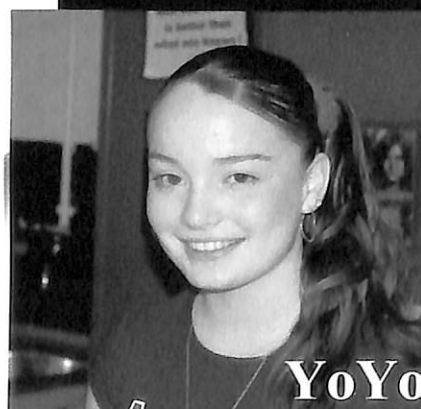
**Em Her Gold**



**Dave**



**Chris-Tal**



**YoYo**



**Jasmune**



**Jazzy-J**

# Team 2004-2005



**Callie**



**Ashes**



**Mo**



This yearbook represents a wonderful year at our school. But before ink and paper were bound together, the yearbook staff put in many hours of tedious creative designing. Having to deal with issues from assigning pages to building layouts to editing to submitting, the stress levels varied greatly. Yearbook is not a sit around and get an easy "A" class. Fundraisers like Frito Boat Fridays provided a break from the norm (no one wants to clean the cheese-y crockpots). However, the staff does have fun. Music and chocolate provide inspiration for what you hold in your hands. From the 2005 yearbook staff to you, thank you and enjoy!



**Coach**



**Ms. Jones**



**Our Best Friend**



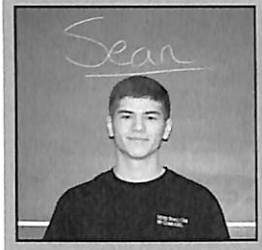


# NHS



President: Emily Hernandez Goldstein

Vice President: Sean Kennedy



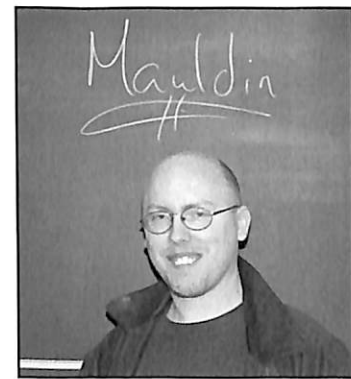
Secretary: Lychelle Ignacio

Treasurer: Ashley Karayannis



OUR

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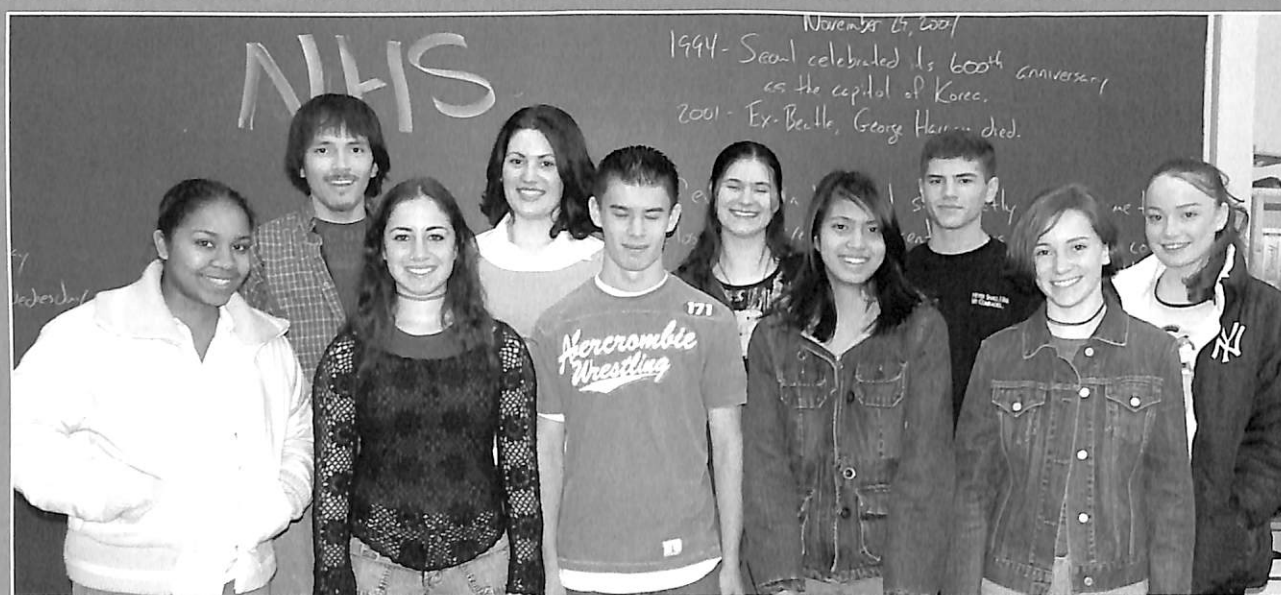
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# NJHS

The future leaders of the world and junior members of the National Honors Society

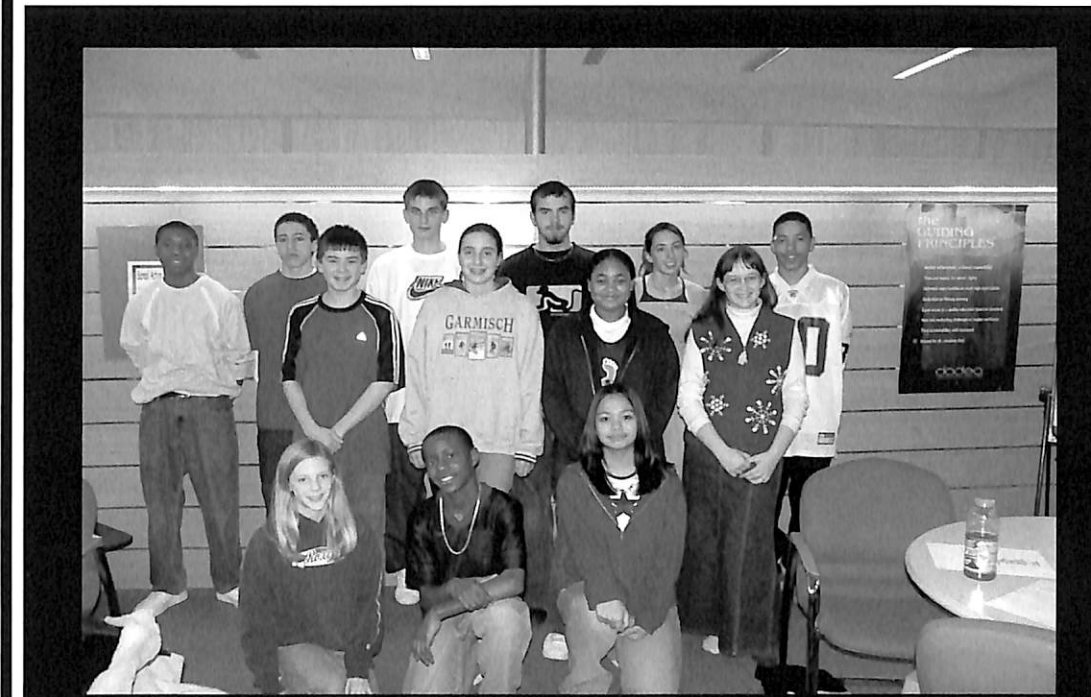
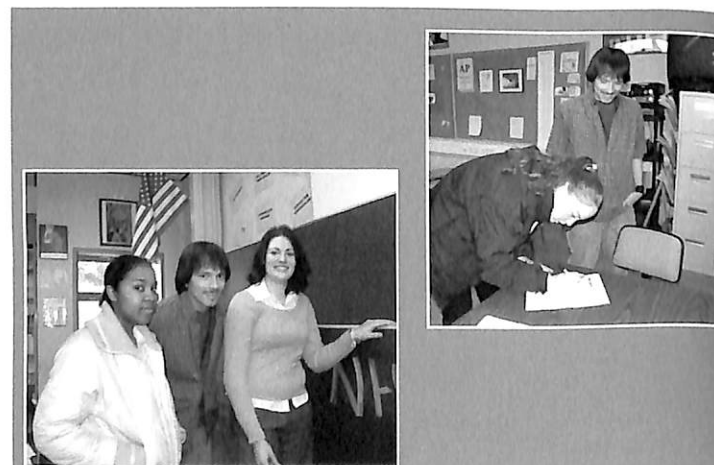
Through countless projects and community services, the National Junior Honor Society, (NJHS), has been proven itself as reliable, hardworking, and determined group that helps out to better our school and other community organizations. For example, during the Super Six, NJHS sold t-shirts as souvenirs and lollipops to dozens of cheering fans. Also, as a way to show our school's appreciation for it's cleaning ladies, NJHS made baskets full of baked goods and passed them out to our hardworking Putzfraus. Another recent project that the members of the NJHS have been hard at work on is the Adopt-a-Child program in which students from middle and high school gather toys, clothing, and other items to bring a little Christmas cheer to a child in need. Other than community service projects, NJHS also took part in the annual BAHS Christmas tree lighting ceremony. During the holiday season, the tree that our members put up is on display in the main lobby for the whole school to see. NJHS is more than just an organization that gets together to plan projects; it's a way serving our school and community to help shape the world, one day at a time.



Members (left to right): Jasmine Valazquez, Troy Zapata, Emily Hernandez Goldstein, Ashley Karayannis, Michael Walker, Melissa Baker, Lychelle Ignacio, Sean Kennedy, Callie Woodbery, Yajaira Gonzalez

□ National Honor Society is an organization represented by the best and brightest students across America. At Baumholder High School each member is chosen according to their high academic achievements and ethical regard for their community. The society strives to further develop its members into high-quality citizens. It is then the members' responsibility to provide positive role models for the school and the community. This has been and continues to be the tradition of the National Honor Society and we at the Baumholder Chapter of NHS carry this out with service projects throughout the year.

Below Left: Jasmine, Troy, and Ashley hang out by the board where the itineraries are posted for each meeting. Below Right: Yajaira pens in as Troy waits.



Ms. Lockhart  
NJHS Sponsor

Back Row: Justin Beasley, Patrick Washington, Bradley Lane, James Dickerson, Tiffany Guyette and Christopher Bray  
Middle Row: Steven Billington, Sarah Money, Tiara Goodman, and Laura Bryan  
Front Row: Mariah Calhoun, Kenneth Hicks, and Kristina Loyola



President  
Justin Beasley



Vice President  
Laura Bryan



Secretary  
Stephanie Walker

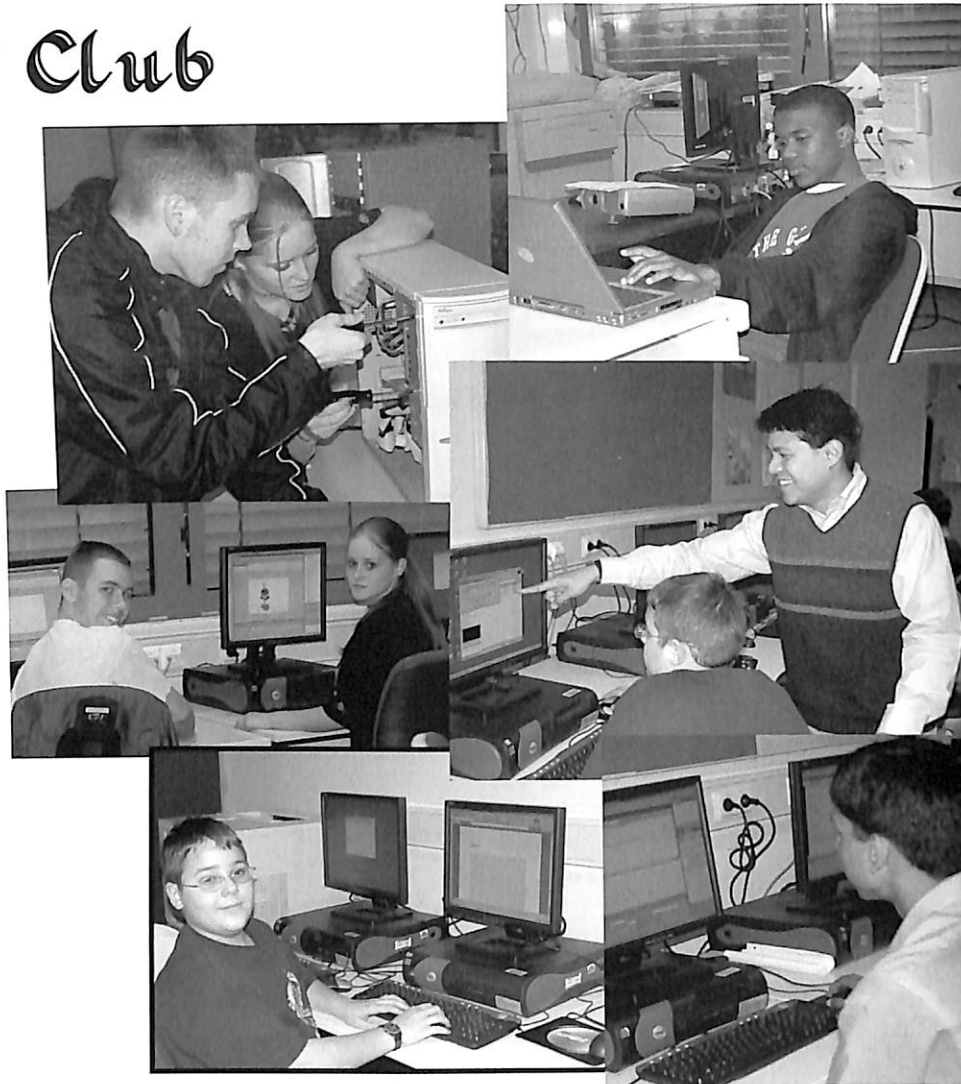


Treasurer  
Bradley Lane



# Technology Club

The Technology Club at Baumholder High School is an extra-curricular activity where students can learn about current and future technology. There are a range of students who attend with tech skills ranging from novice to expert. It is a technology community where the students share their skills with on another so they can grow their technology skills as a team. The students in the club learn about computer building, repairing and troubleshooting. Also, they are taught basic network building and troubleshooting, and also basic server maintenance. Use of the Macromedia Suite is also covered so students can learn how to build and design properly functioning and standards-based Webpages. The more advance students start an introduction on use of other Operating Systems like Linux. With a myriad of topics covered, the Technology Club at Baumholder HS helps introduce its members to technologies that are commonly used in the Technical workplace.



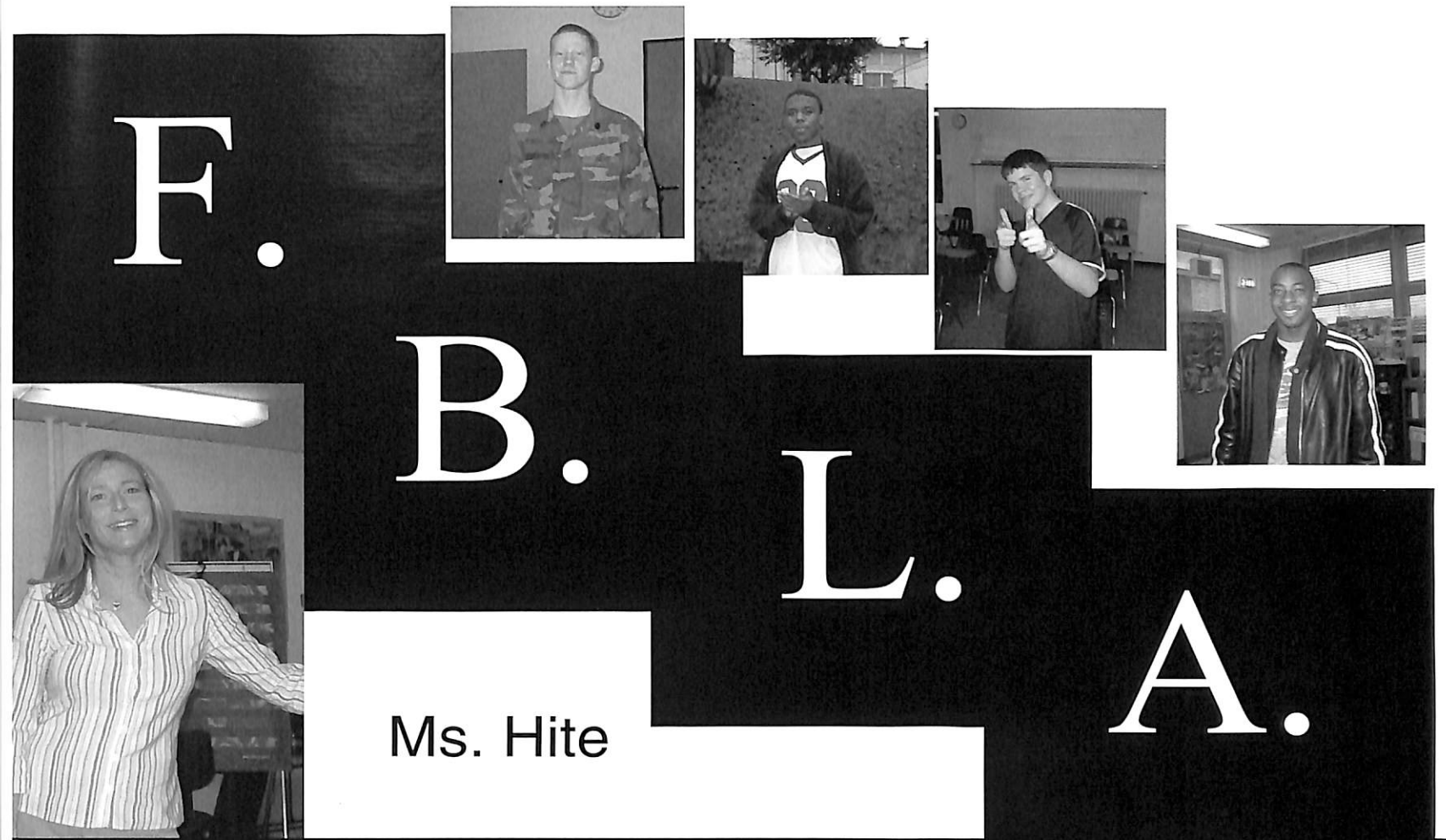
Mr. Ramirez  
Technology Club sponsor

Memebers (Alphabetical Order): Javian Alexander, David Baugh, Katarina Carrier, Erik Eubanks, Chase Fette, Erik Johnson, Andrew Lengen, Shaun Melvin, Ross Robert, Steven Robertson, Zain Shah, Ben Sisseck, Richard Skelton, Casey Wojcik, and Thomas Yohn

Club Council(clockwise): President Zain Shah, Vice President Thomas Yohn, Secretary Katarina Carrier, Treasure Erik Johnson (Not Pictured)



# Future Business Leaders Of America



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# Model United Nations

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Back row: Mrs. Magowan, Zain Shah, Justin Permenter. Second row: Stephen Calabria, Troy Zapata, Ashley Karayannis. Third row: Jamie Hoyle, David Bryan, Shannon Davilla, Kara Krill. Front row: Callie Woodbery, Vanessa Lopez, Lychelle Ignacio, Liz Hussman.

Based on the most influential force in peace keeping, international affairs and humanitarian efforts; Model United Nations is one of the best opportunities available to our students. Each student is assigned a forum or commission, much like the actual delegates from around the world. Throughout the semester, they research their issues and come up with a proposal for fixing the problems the world faces today. The Hague International Model United Nations conference is one week long and run completely by students—from chairmen to security to lobbying. The world is being passed on to our generation, and MUN trains and educates the best of us to be leaders in the future.

*RIGHT: Stephen Calabria represents Kenya as our ambassador to the General Assembly.*



General Assembly  
1st Committee: Justin Permenter  
3rd Committee: Shannon Davilla  
4th Committee: Stephen Calabria

Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC)  
Vanessa Lopez  
Zain Shah

Disarmament Committee—  
Troy Zapata  
Kara Krill

Environmental Commission—  
Jamie Hoyle  
Ashley Karyanis

Human Rights Commission—  
Liz  
Lychelle Ignacio

Special Council on Health and Youth—  
Callie Woodbery  
David Bryan

## Avid

Advancement Via Individual Determination



Avid is a program to prepare students in the academic middle for four-year college eligibility. Students also get help with homework and studying. Its range is from fifth to twelfth grade. This program is known for bringing out the best in students.





# HIGH SCHOOL

# MIDDLE SCHOOL

## STUDENT



Justin Permenter:  
President

Ms. Hite



Melissa Baker:  
Secretary



Student Council  
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Ashley  
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President



Ramey Price:  
Treasurer



## COUNCIL

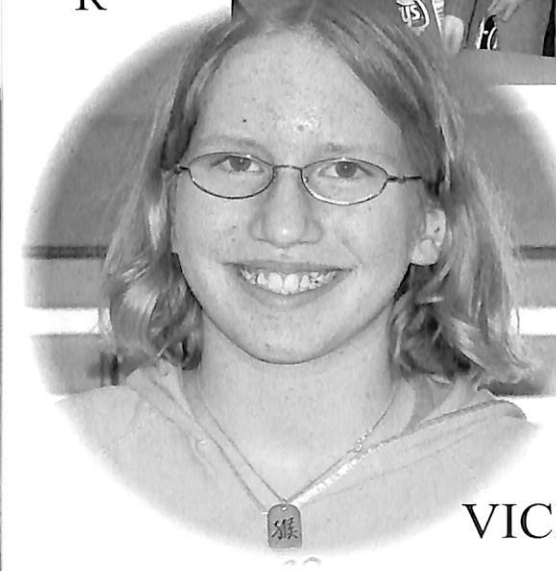
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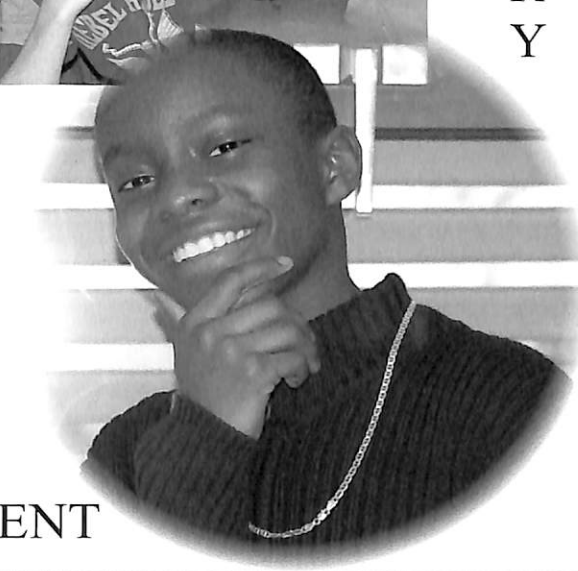
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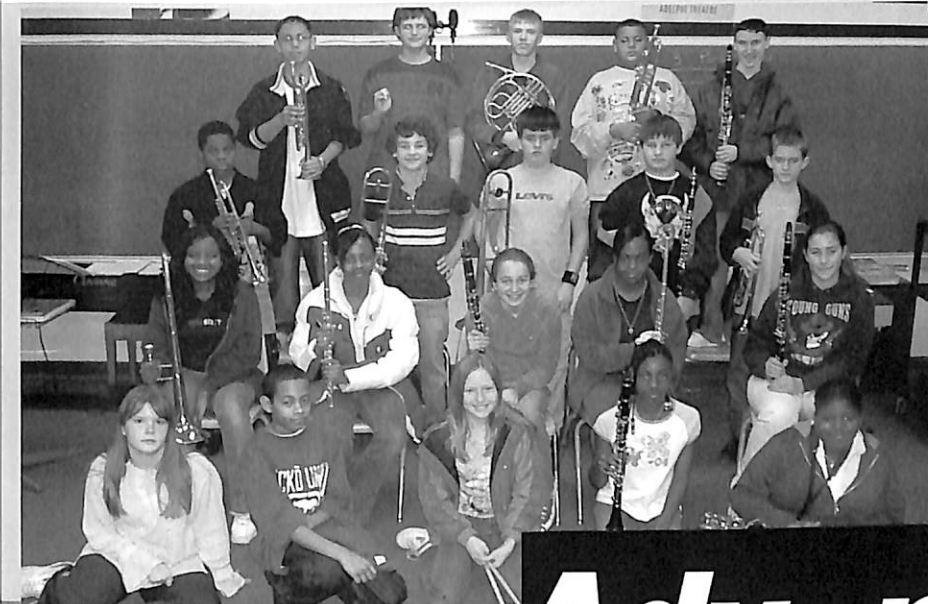
VICE PRESIDENT





# Beginning Band

Our Band Director Mr. Hartline tunes the band in preparation for the concerts.



Beginners but they are getting close

Percussion:  
Justine Paul, Steven Royal,  
Edrick Scarvers, Cornelius  
Williams.



Low Brass/Bass: Bryant Cox, Zach  
Splitstoesser, Andrew Oppliger,  
Casey Wojick, James Dickerson,  
Stephen Calabria

Back Row: Tiffany Guyette, Rachael  
Inbody, Sarah Money,  
Front: Lara Mohammed, Alexi  
Velazquez, Natalie Oppliger



Alto Sax: Nathan Wojcik, Ryan  
Horton, Cody Verchage, Kevin  
Newborn  
Tenor Sax: Isabelle Ignacio

Trumpets: David Zaidan,  
Kevin Morrison, Justin  
Beasely, Heather Haynes,  
Yasemin Johnson



French Horns:  
Laura Bryan  
& Ashley Karayannis.

# Advanced Band



# Intermediate Band

Drummer Boy



Christmas  
Concert

# Jazz Band





# ADVANCED CHORUS

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Mr. Lundy  
Choir Director

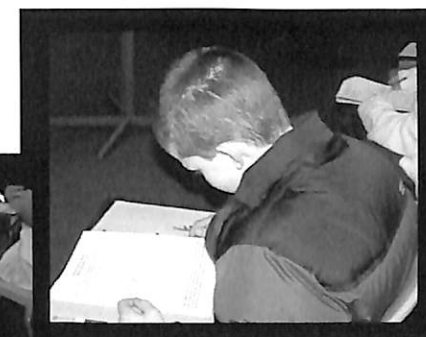
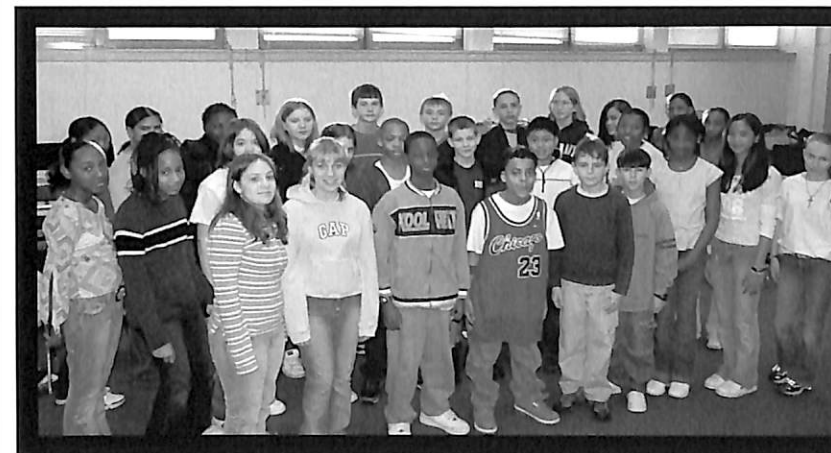
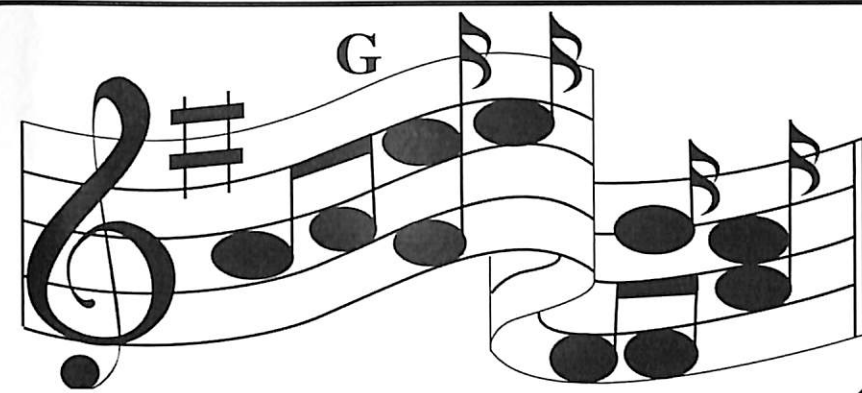
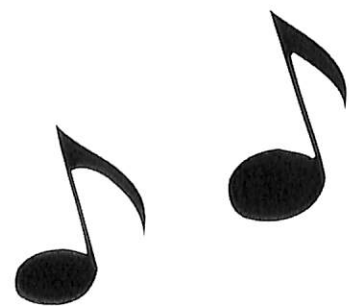


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## BEGINNING CHORUS





# BOYS

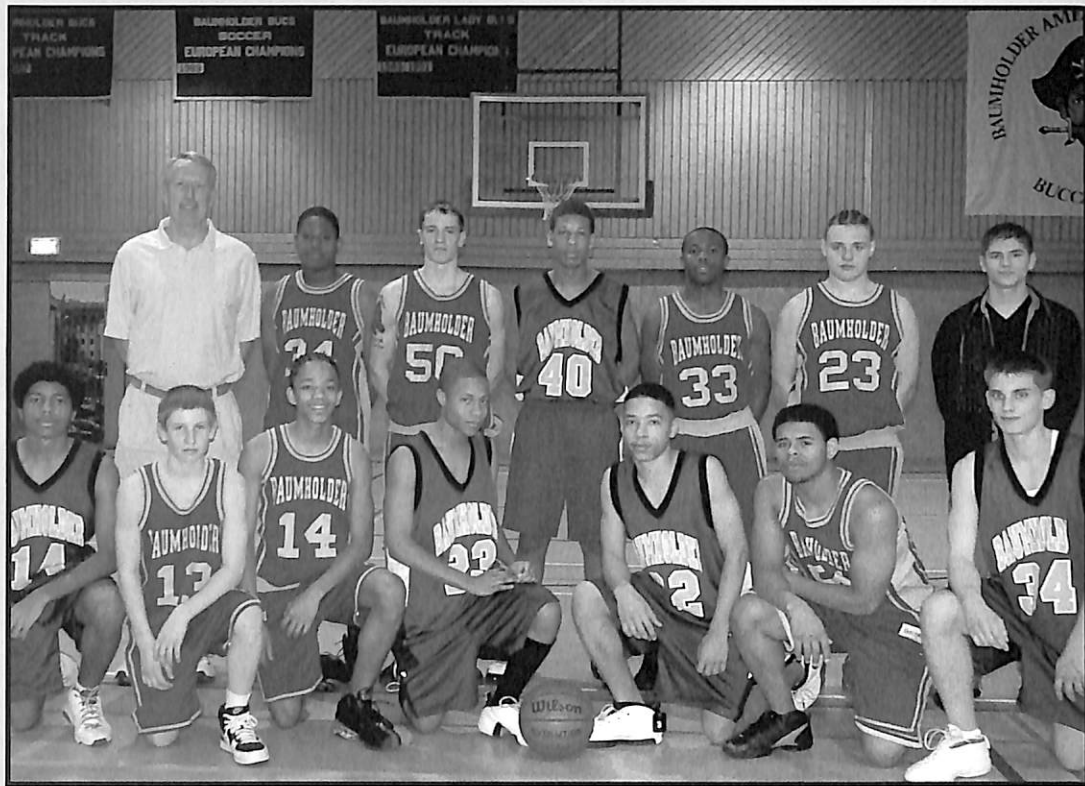
# '04

# '05

# B-BALL



FREE THROWS



THE BOYS

Bradley Maurice Steven  
Tyriek T.J.  
Alex WE'VE GOT  
Zack LaCross  
C.J. 'EM ALL!!!  
Chris  
Clint Justin Antonio  
Willie Mike



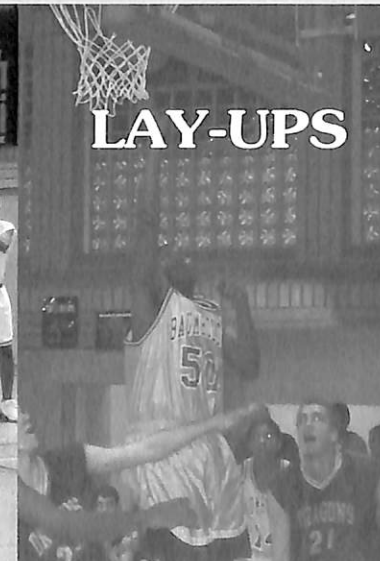
REBOUNDS



PASSES



STEALS



LAY-UPS





# Girls' Basketball

## BEFORE

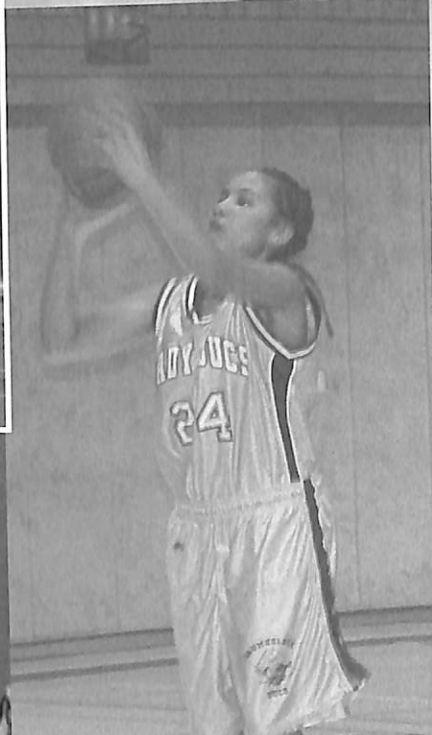
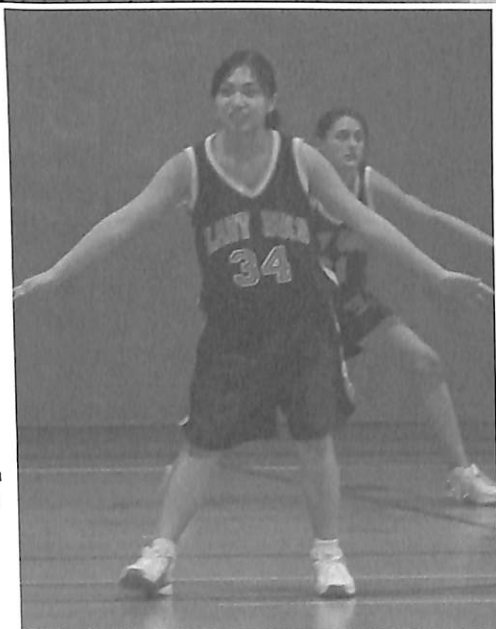
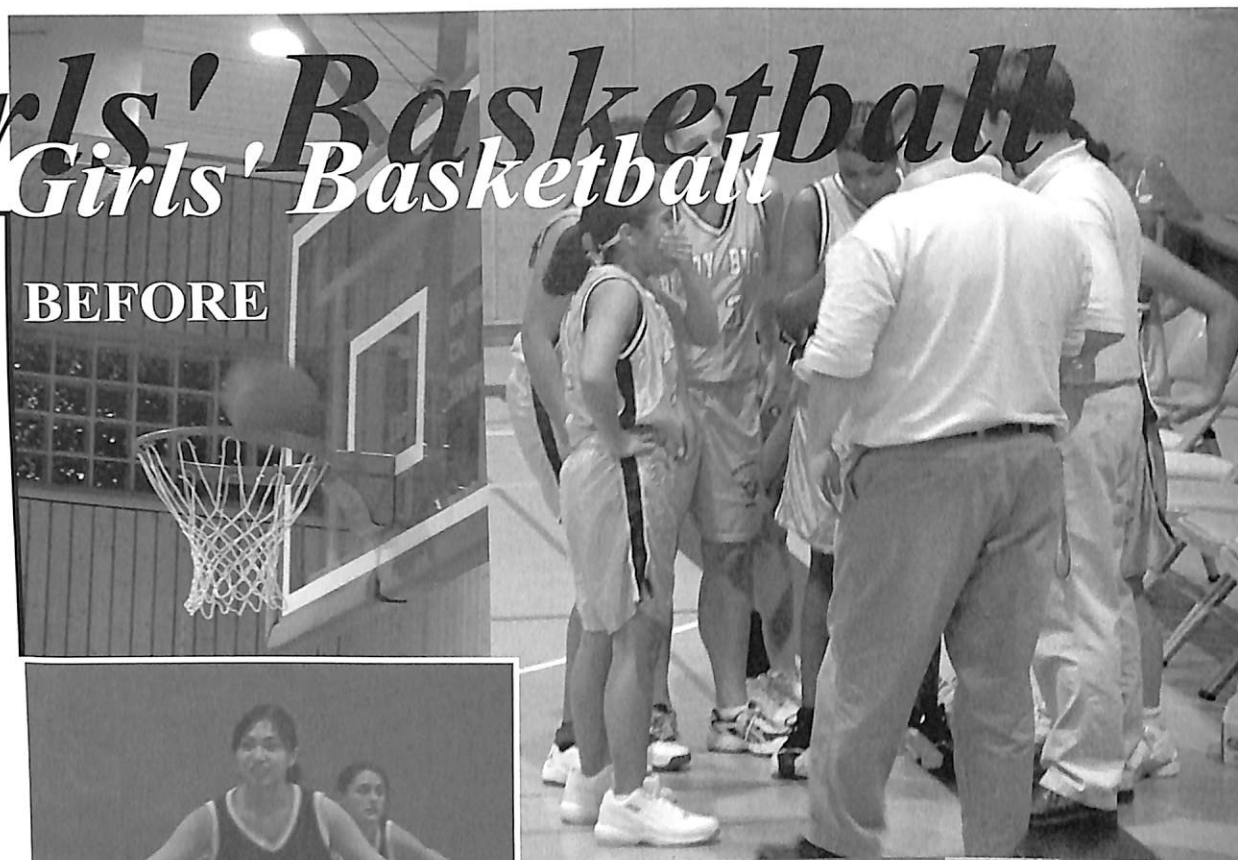
Coaches Hollenbeck and Kelly give some instruction to the Lady Bucs during a JV game.

Isabelle Ignacio perfects her defensive stance. Latisha sinks yet another of her beautiful "jumpers."

Mandy Hofmann leads the way on a "fast break" after stealing the ball.

Grecia Gonzalez keeps the opposing team at bay with her "ball-handling" skills.

Caitlin Baker fights for a loose ball with girls from the London Central team...go get'em! Alexi Velazquez waits for a pass from a teammate.



Practice Girls!

Kandace and Stacey work on perfecting their shots for the upcoming games.



# Lady Bucs

## AFTER

Audrianna Bustoz sweeps the ball away and looks for an open teammate to pass to.

Stacey Easley takes a breather during one of the time-outs in Saturday's game.

Tiffany Guyette looks for an open team mate to inbound the ball to.

Kiana Dorman is ready for the rebound! Ashley Karayannis takes a minute to gather her thoughts...

Shawntae Price fends off London Central players as she brings the ball up the court.



Front Row: Audrianna Bustoz, Tish Shellhas, Shawntae Price, Isabelle Ignacio, Alexi Velazquez  
Middle: Yajaira Gonzalez, Tiffany Guyette, Grecia Gonzalez, Caitlin Baker, Stephanie Walker  
Back Row: Coach Tim Kelly, Mandy Hofmann, Ashley Karayannis, Kandace Dyer, Coach Carter Hollenbeck





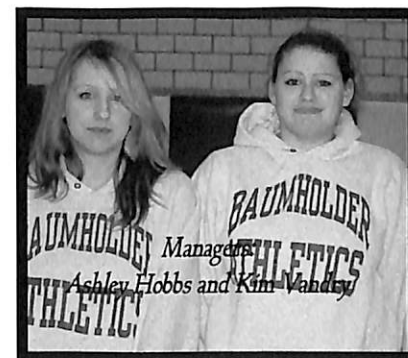
# Wrestling



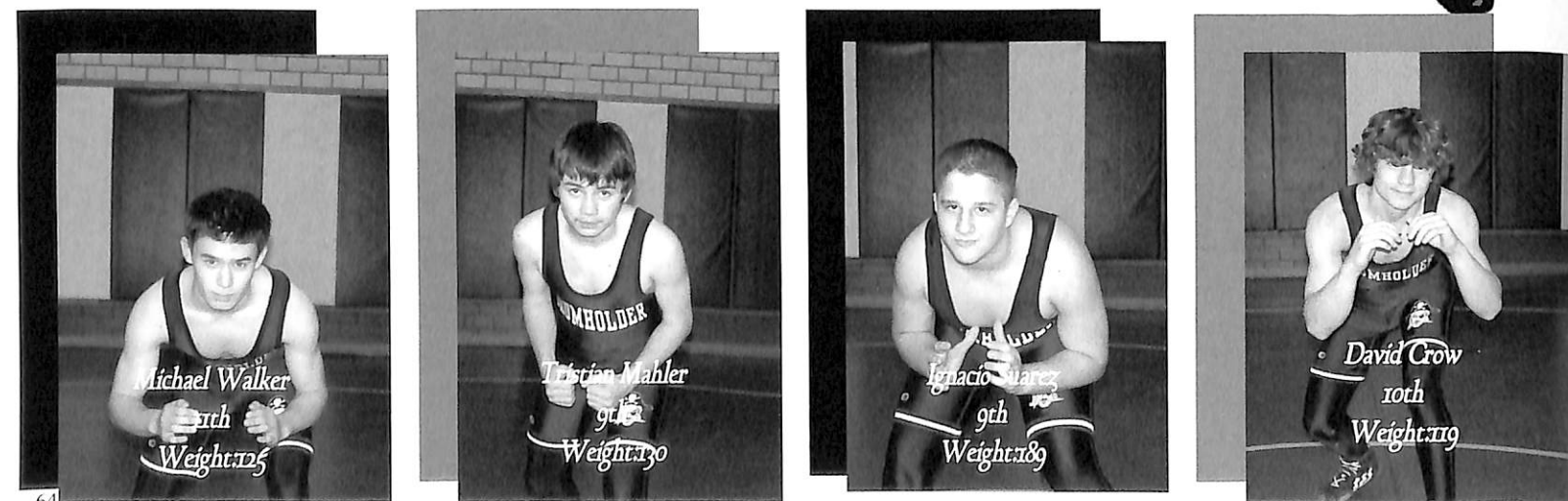
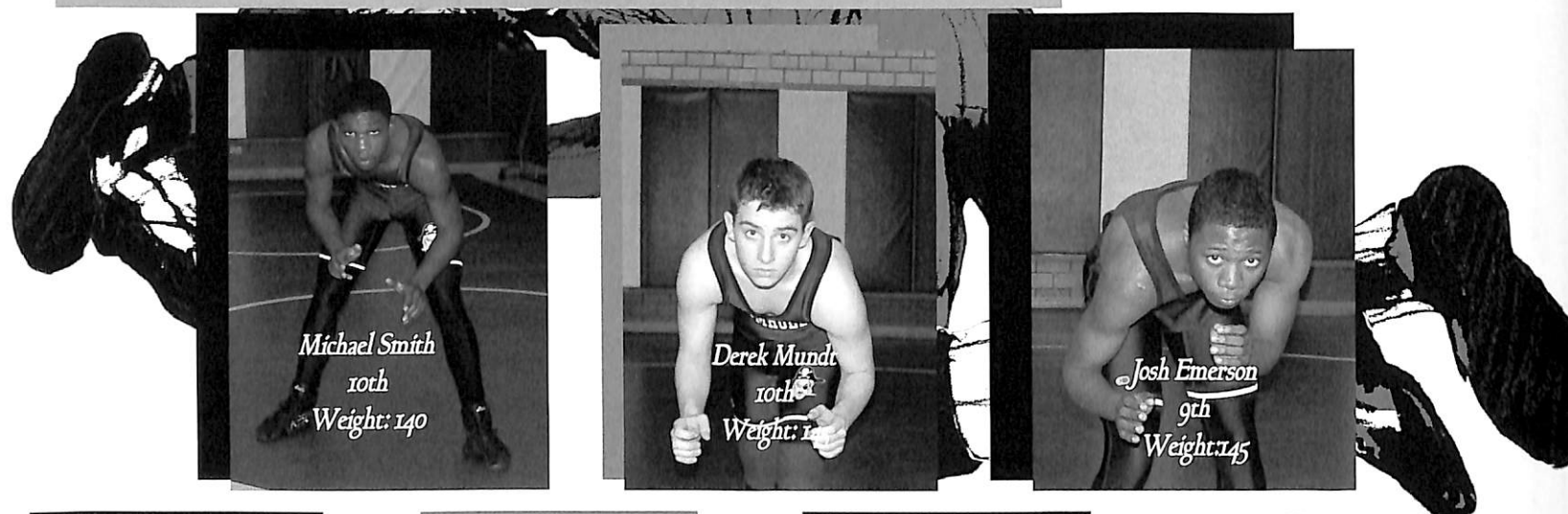
Top: Michael Walker [125], Josh Emerson [145], Jason Stanley [275], Allen Sims, Derek Mundt [145], David Crow [119]  
Bottom: Ignacio Suarez [189], Nicholas Burbaugh, Coach Keita, Coach Hinz, Tristian Mahler [130]



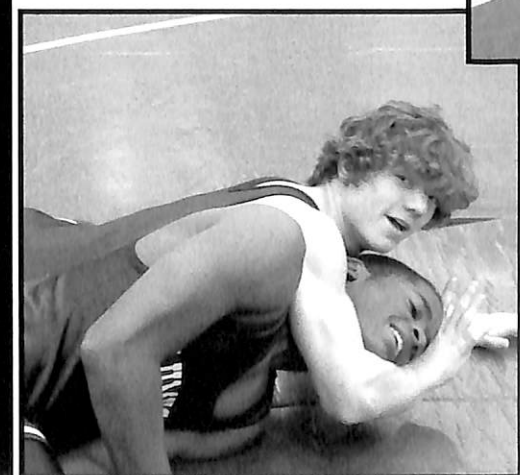
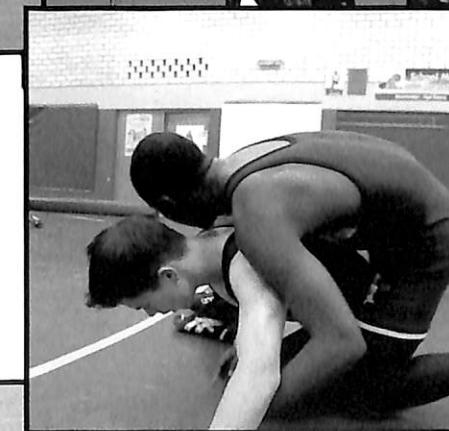
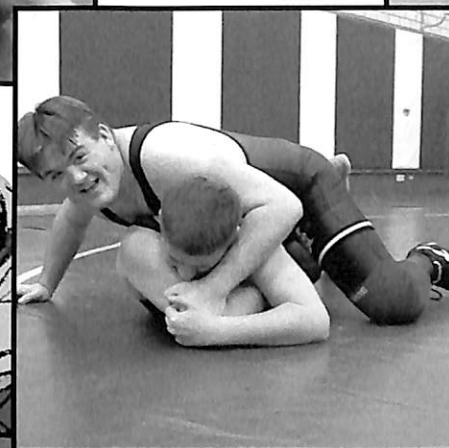
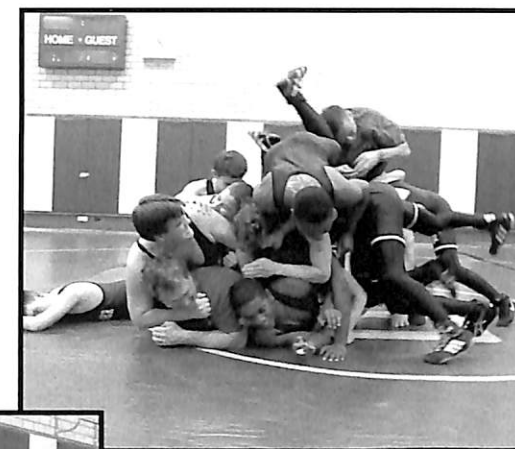
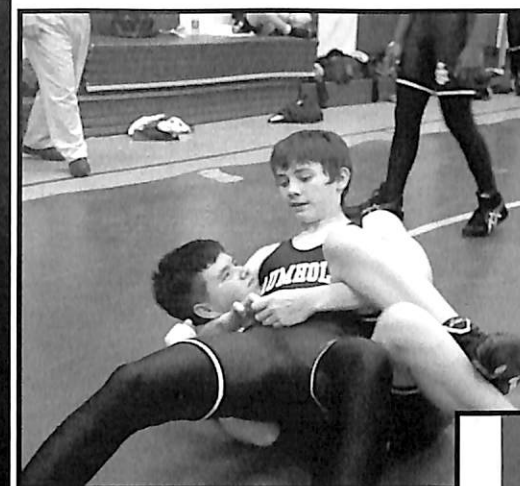
Coaches:  
Michael Keita and Tom Hinz




Managers:  
Ashley Hobbs and Kim Vandev




## Look At Dem Boys









Latoya




Brittne




Jasmín




Cheris




Jaime



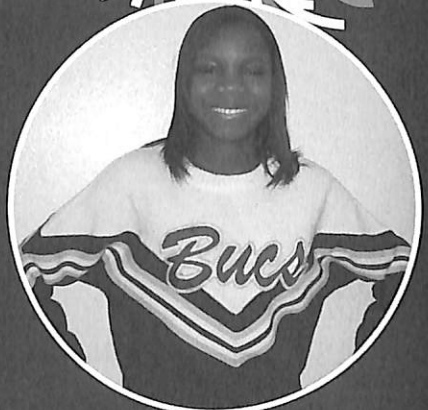
Karen



Ashley



Keondra



Joeline

Coach





LOCKHART







BAILLEY








# CHEERLEADERS




# WINTER

ALL WE WANT FOR CHRISTMAS IS ...

SNOW ANGELS

SNOWBALL

FIGHTS

# SPIRIT!!!



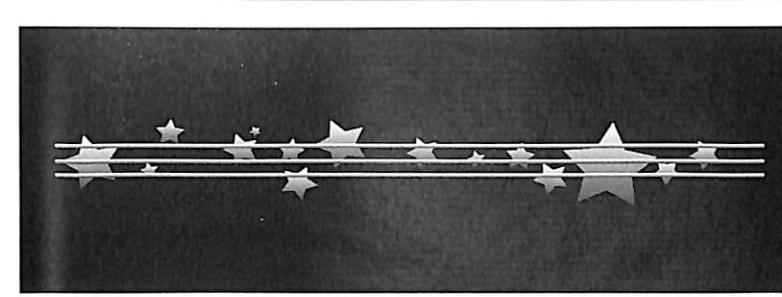
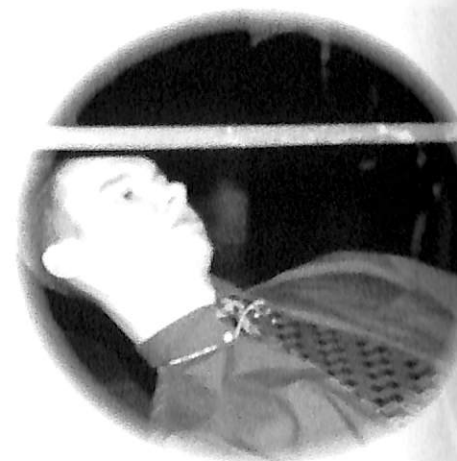
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## Winter Homecoming...

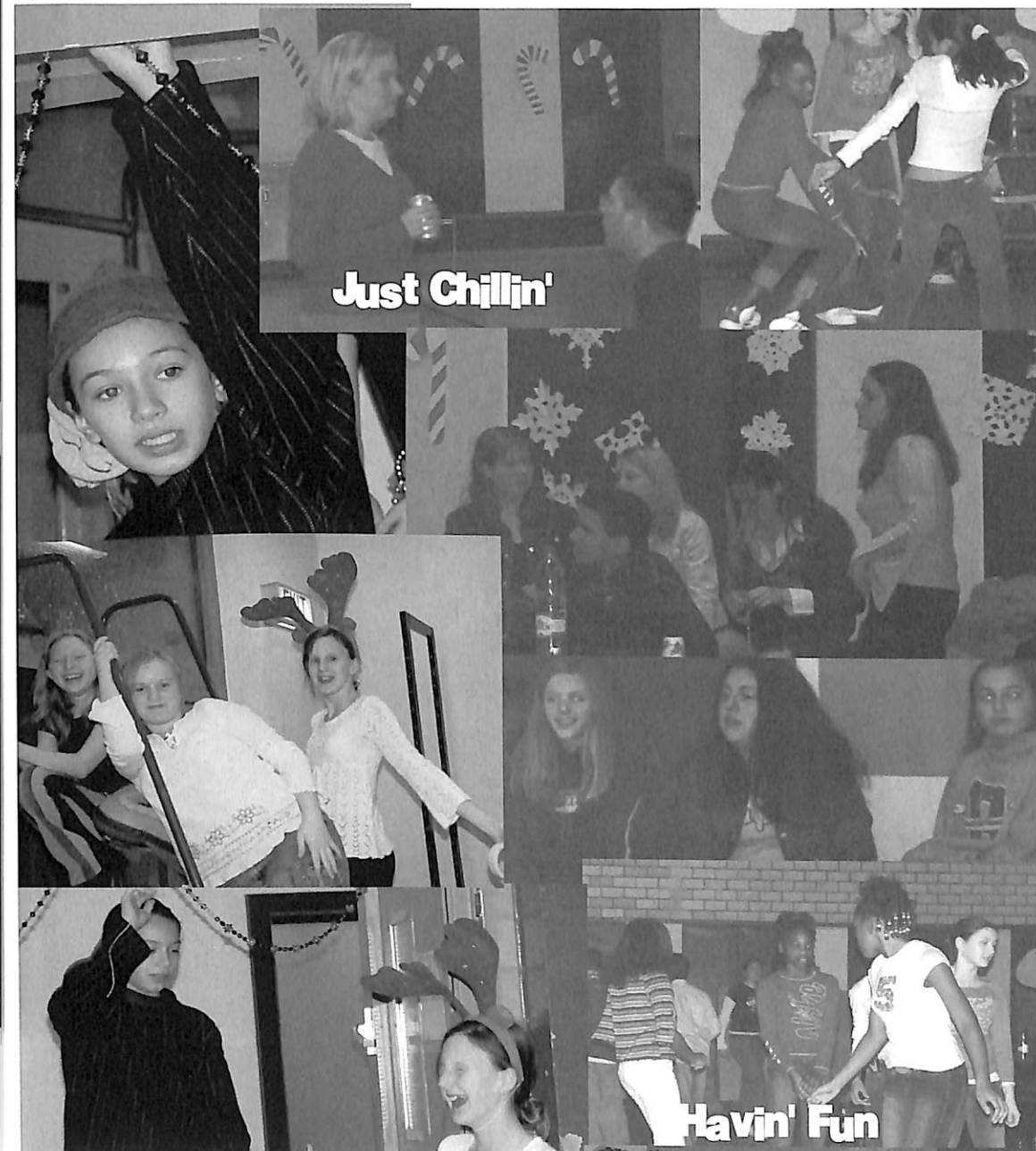


*Bust a  
Move...*

*Everybody Limbo!*



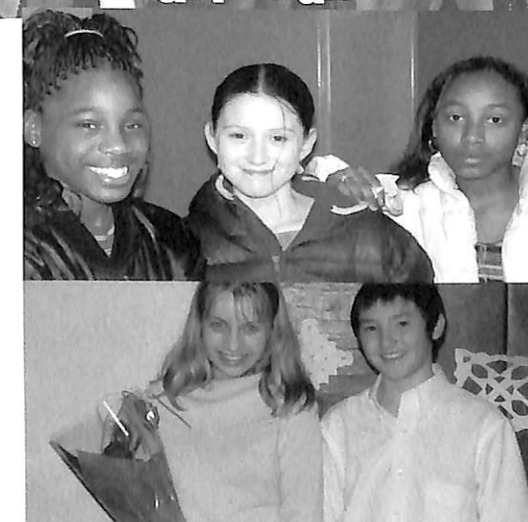
## Middle School Dance



**Just Chillin'**

**Havin' Fun**

where's  
the  
Party?





# The Mouse that Roared

"The Mouse that Roared" is a brilliant political satire, which is performed by mostly 7th and 8th graders, in which the tiny Duchy of Grand Fenwick declares war on the United States of America. Intending to lose to the war in order for Grand Fenwick to collect financial aid, four fearless soldiers are bravely led into battle by Forest Ranger Tully Bascom; who is played by Steven Billington. Congregating in New York City, the army manages to capture the just completed and deadly Q-Bomb. Because the Q-Bomb is many times more destructive than any bomb ever created, the U.S. surrenders to Grand Fenwick. This magnificent play, performed by very talented 7th and 8th graders, was a hilarious performance and received a standing ovation. "The Mouse that Roared" brought many laughs to the audience and could possibly be the "must-see" of the year.

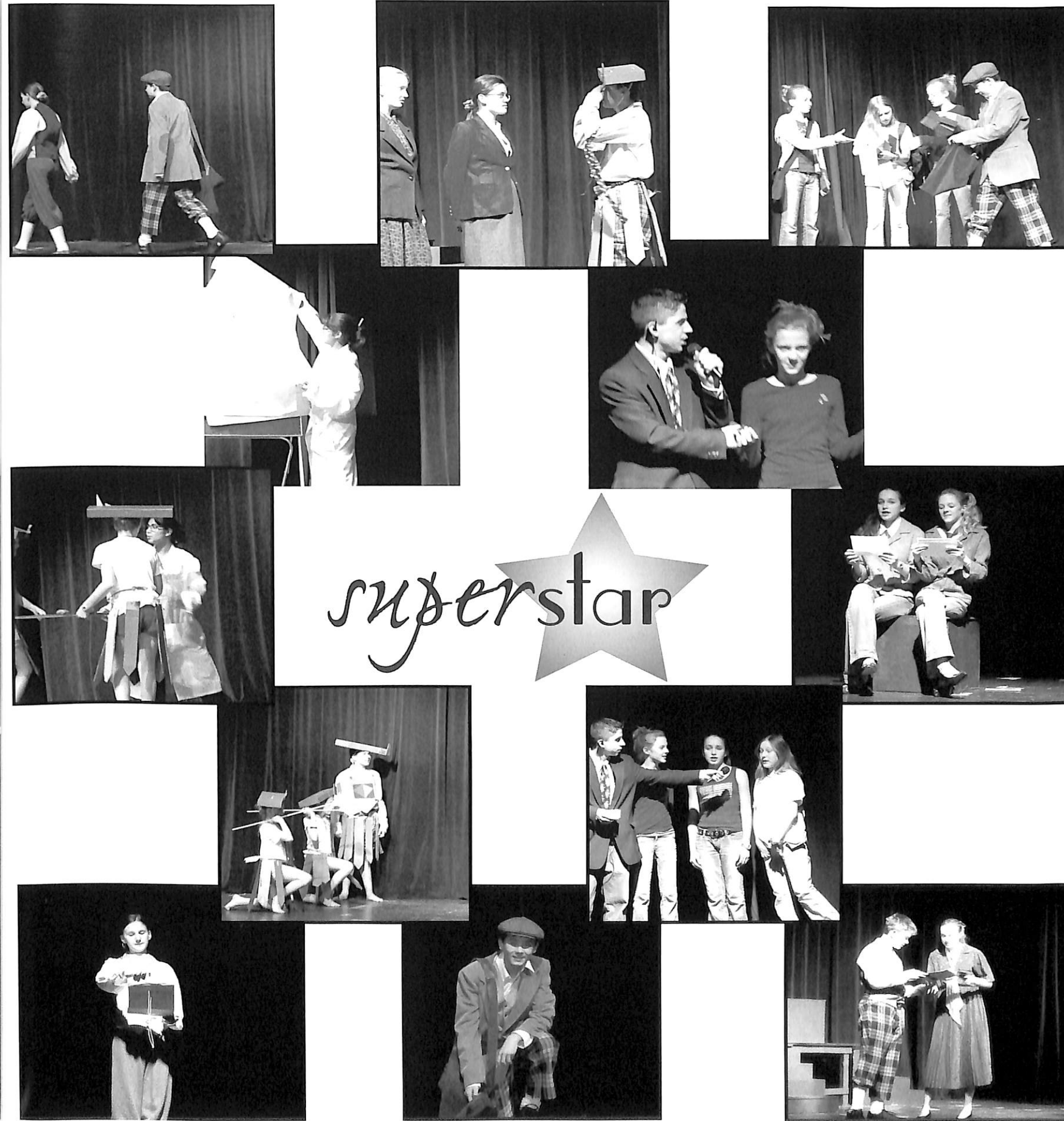


Director: Carol Rudd  
 Assistant Director: Ramey Price  
 Prompter: Zack Splittstoesser  
 Lights and Sound: Troy Zapata

Cast:

Julianna Baker...Fran, Soldier 3, Radio Announcer  
 Christiana Kobelt...Pam, Soldier 4, Miss Johnson  
 Mariah Calhoun...Jane, Soldier 2, Radio Announcer  
 Teresea Palmer...Norma, Soldier 1, Miss Wilkins  
 Steven Billington...Tully Backon  
 Natalie Oppliger...Ms. Benter  
 Shannon Kittrell...Countess Mountjoy  
 Kathryn Keziah...Page  
 Kierstin Vater...Duchess Gloriana  
 Brain Josefsburg...Secretary of State Beston  
 Sabrina Shah...Professor Kokintz  
 Caleb Wills...President of the United States  
 Cody Verschage...General Snippet  
 Zack Splittstoesser...Radio Intern  
 Ramey Price...Interview Guy

# A Middle School Production

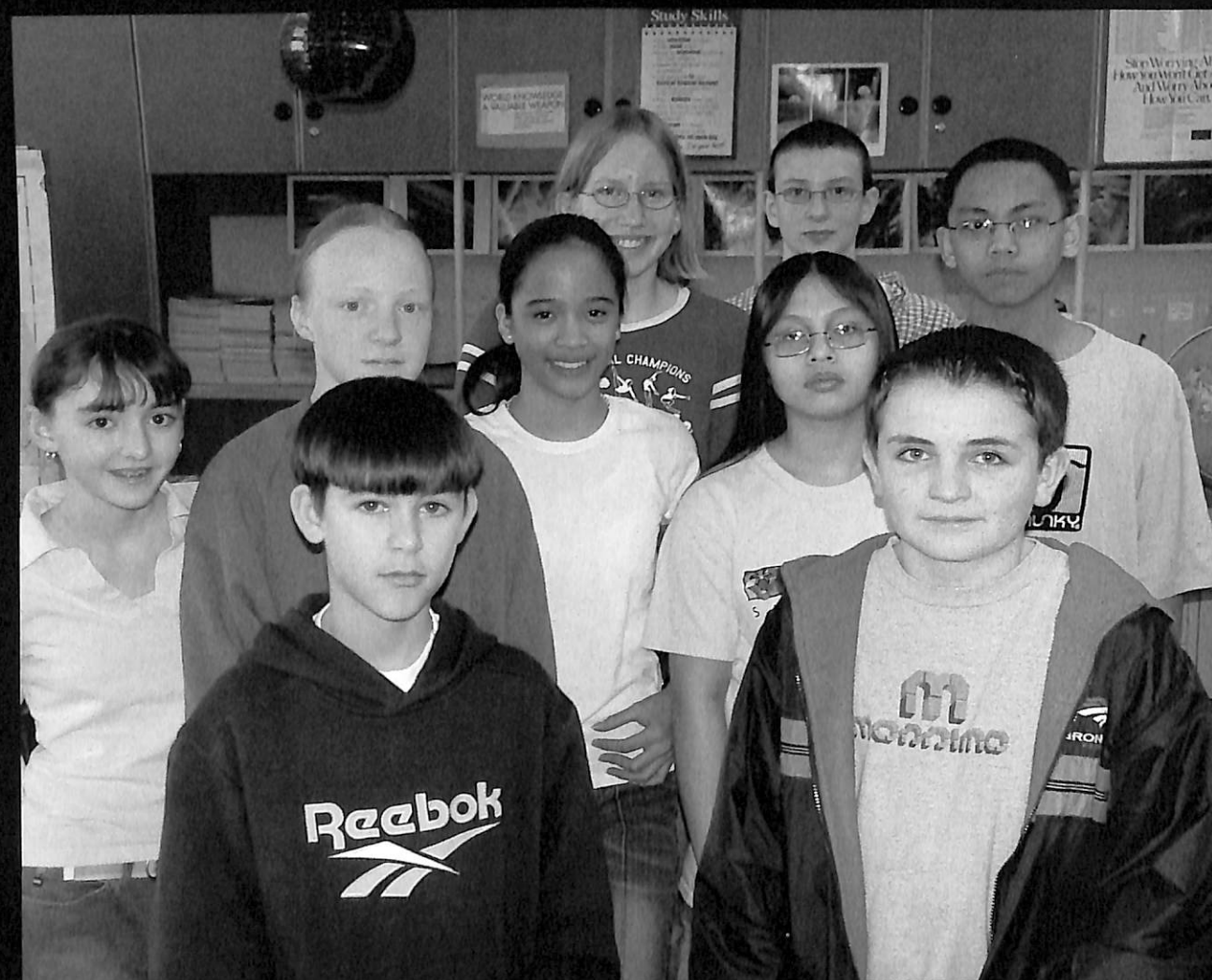


superstar



# Magnificent Seven

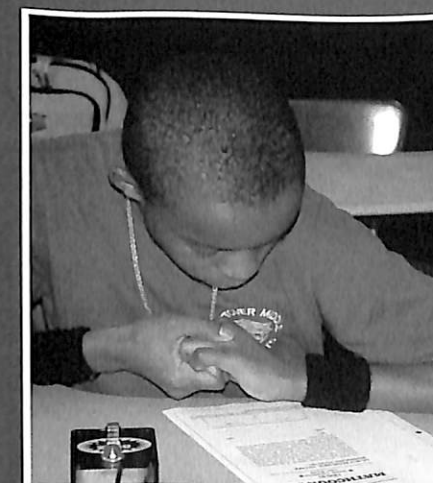
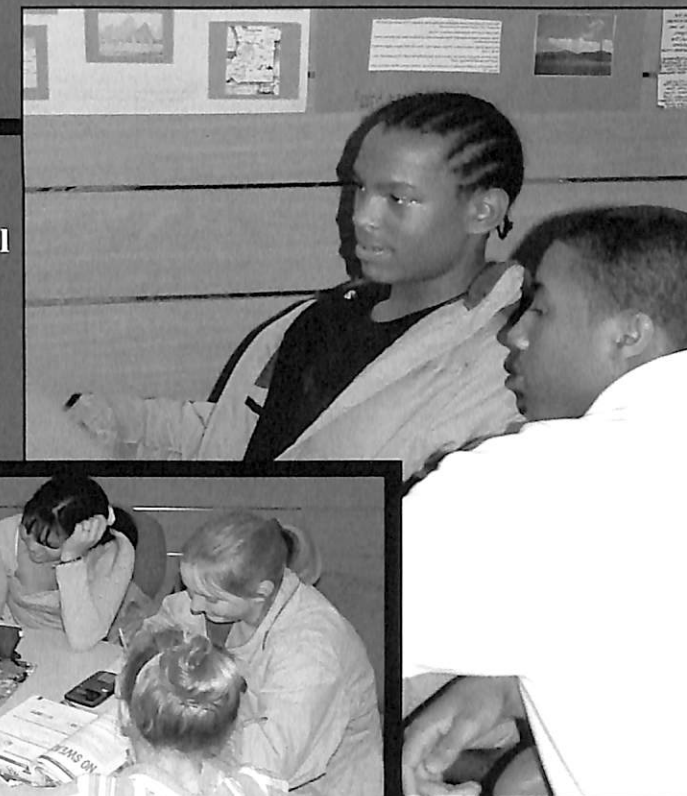
The Magnificent Seven are a group of Seventh Graders who have excelled in the pillars of character.



(Top left) Mrs Kretz points the way for a student. (Above) Justin Beasley helps Carl Hall with an assignment. (Left) Teamwork helps Sabrina Shah, Tiera Goodman, Nadia Vera, Natalie Opplinger, and Mariah Calhoun to get their work done.

## TUTORING

After school tutoring is a program designed for all students who need help with their academics. You will be helped by NJHS and NHS members or Mrs. Kretz.



Kenneth and Natalie are hard at work using their math skills.

## MATH COUNTS

MATHCOUNTS is a national math enrichment, coaching and competition program that promotes middle school mathematics achievement through grassroots involvement in the U.S. With over 21 years experience, MATHCOUNTS is one of the most successful education partnerships involving volunteers, educators, industry sponsors, and students.



Sponsors:  
Ms. Nguyen  
Ms. Jones



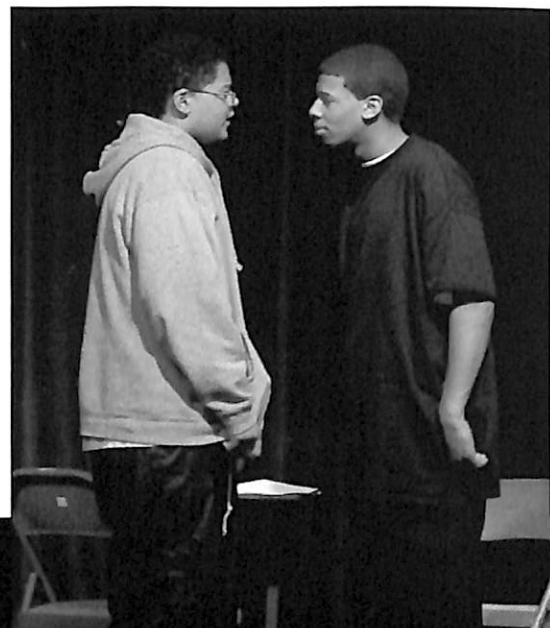
Top:  
Ms. Nguyen helps the students practice buzzing in for their upcoming competition.



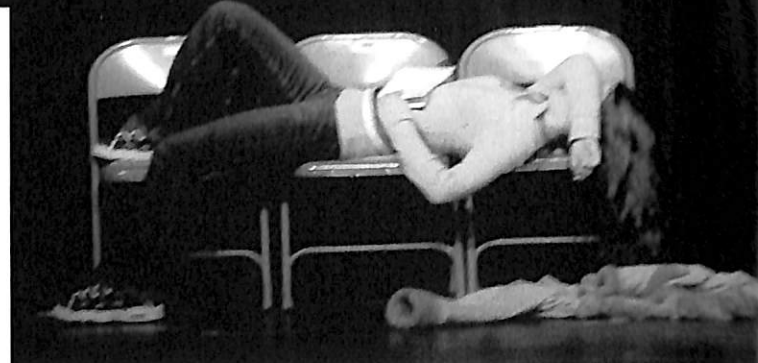


Mike Denson and Clayton Eng are having an argument on what the captain (Mike) has just said over the intercom. Mike said that his men's liberty has just been cancelled and Clayton is trying to convince him otherwise.

Jasmune Reed, Megan Winfree, and Troy Zapata are trying to look dramatic...



# DRAMA CLASS



"The Odd Couple"  
Staring Jasmune Reed, Heather Haynes, Stephanie Walker, Callie Woodbery, and Brittany English.  
A groups of pals go over to Oscar's house to chill and play poker.



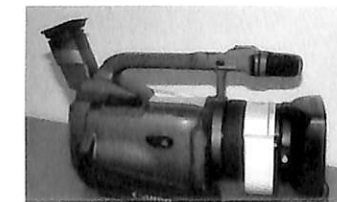
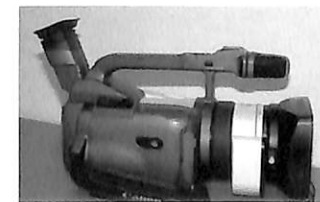
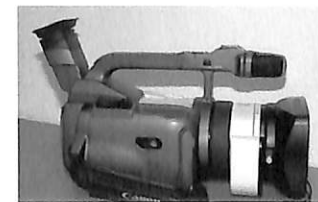
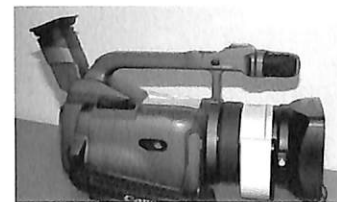
"12:21"  
Latoya is trying to get her maid of honor ready for her "big" day, her wedding day that is.



## Video Class



In the Video Communications Class students learn everything from basic camera moves to advanced techniques. Students also learn to edit their videos into movies or shows that air in front of the school. Advanced programs allow video students to use green screen effects or voice overs for video shots.





# Spirit Collage



## Winter Round Up

The Highlights of the Season

This season was incredibly successful on many levels. Strong teams with competent leadership gave the wrestling and basketball teams a firm foundation for their challenging schedules. The girls' basketball team had a powerful lineup that took them to the Europeans Championship, where they placed 3rd. The boys also competed in Europeans where they played very well. The wrestling team's roster was highlighted by key performers who accomplished great things in Europeans at Wiesbaden. The Bucs hope to have another stellar year in 2006.

### Boys Basketball

Wins: 2  
Losses: 14  
Most Valuable Player: Tyriek Bayne  
Most Improved: Brad Lane  
Character: Chris Bray



### Girls Basketball

Wins: 12  
Losses: 7  
Most Valuable Player: Latisha Schelhas  
Most Improved: Mandy Hofmann  
Character: Ashley Karayannis  
All Tournament/All Conference: Latisha Schelhas  
All Conference Honorable Mention: Ashley Karayannis



### Wrestling

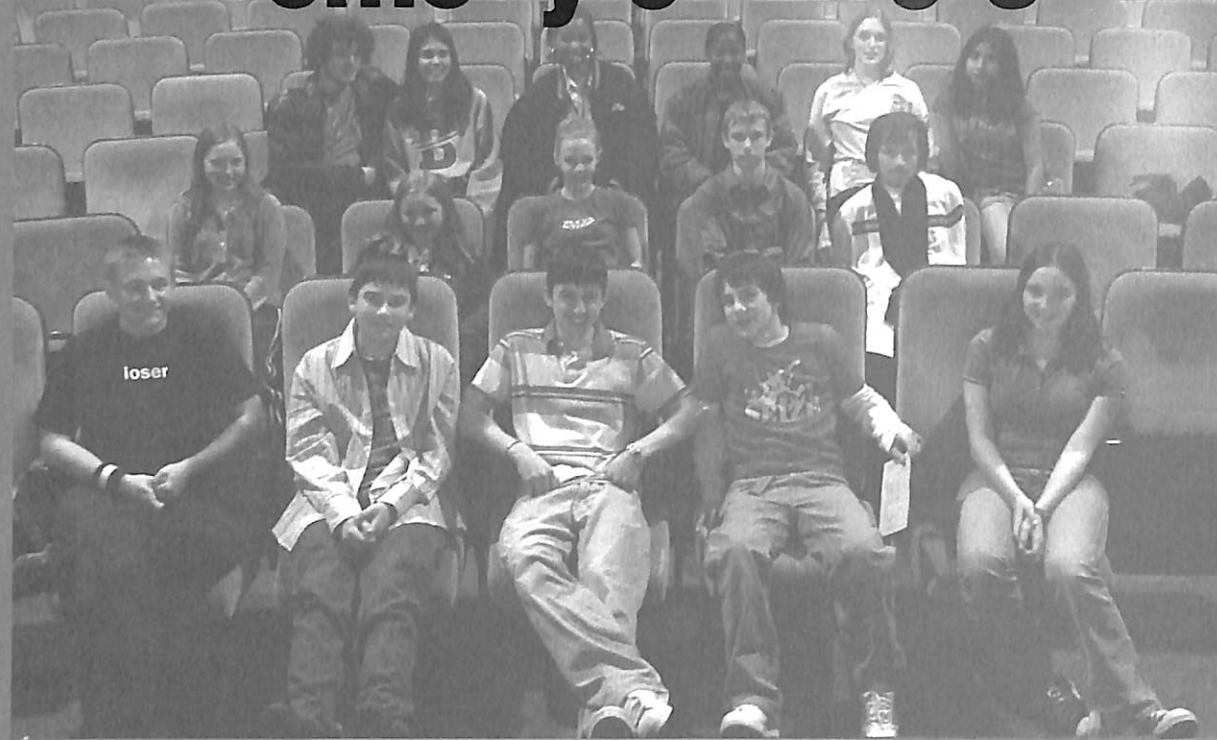
Most Valuable Player: David Crow  
King of the Rock: David Crow  
Master of the Rock: Michael Walker  
Buttered Ham Award: Jason Stanley

David Crow placed 3rd in Europeans



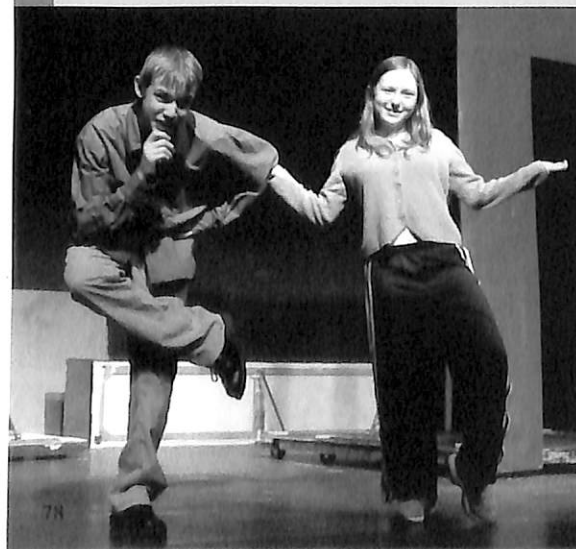


# A Comedy of Errors

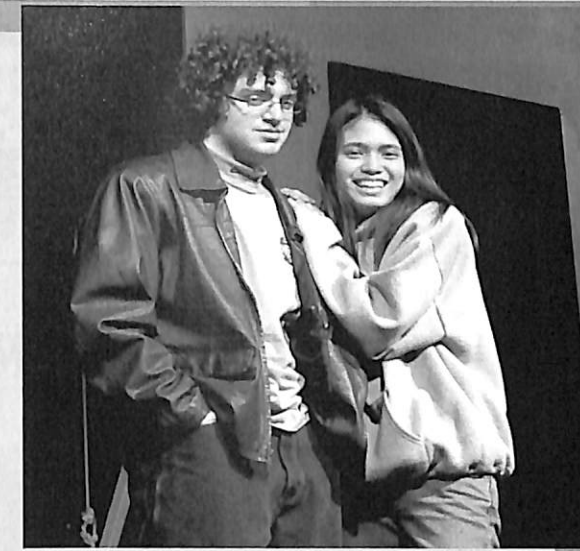
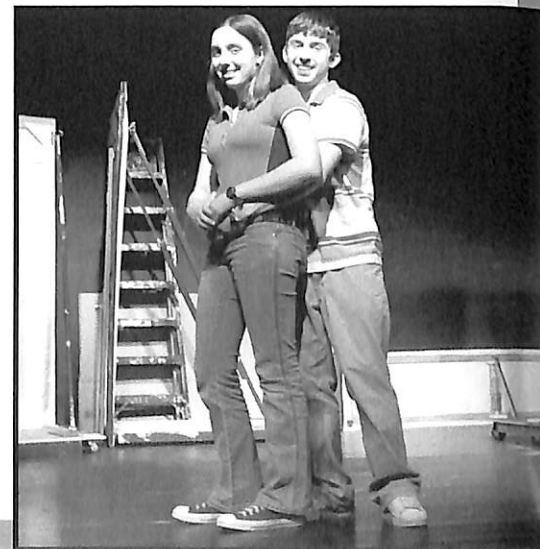


The cast, from left to right, includes (front row) Zach Splittstoesser, Steven Billington, Ramey Price, Brian Josefsberg, Sarah Money, (second row) Christy Kobelt, Natalie Oppliger, Mariah Calhoun, Cody Verschage, Troy Zapata, (third row) Stephen Calabria, Lychelle Ignacio, Jasmin Wallace, Brittaney English, Raechel Inbody, and Jasmine Shah.

*"Two brothers so alike that they  
could not be distinguished  
except by name."*



Dr. Pinch and the nurse (Cody Verschage and Christy Kobelt) try their hardest to cheer up the newcomers. (right) The lovebirds, Adrianna and Antiphilus (Sarah Money and Ramey Price), are just too cute. But will they live happily ever after?



Husband and wife (Stephen Calabria and Lychelle Ignacio) share a moment. (right) The courtesans, Mariah Calhoun and Natalie Oppliger, lure the twins from Syracuse into their house of ill repute.

Transported from Elizabethian London to the Stone Age, a Comedy of Errors is one of Shakespeare's most popular farces. The story centers around two sets of twins, both with the same names: Antipholus and Dromio. When the twins from Syracuse travel to Ephesus to find their other halves, mistaken identities and wrongful accusations cause the citizens of Ephesus to believe that Antipholus is mad and therefore seek the justice of the duke. Will the truth be found out quick enough?

They came into this world as brother and brother, but they didn't know it until now! The twins from Ephesus (Steven Billington and Brian Josefsberg) and the twins from Syracuse (Ramey Price and Zack Splittstoesser) realize they are related.



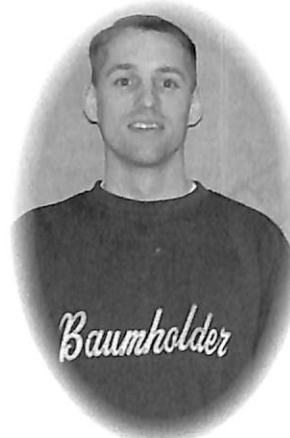


# Softball

## Warming Up



## THE COACHES

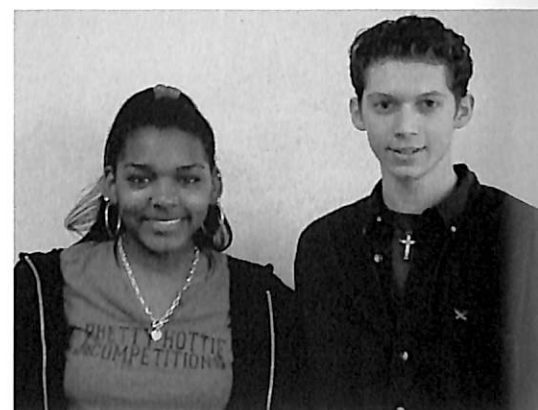


COACH BEAN



COACH SHANE

## THE MANAGERS



JASMUNE REED

DAVID BRYAN

## THE TEAM



Top Left: David Bryan, Coach Shane, Takeria Cox, Yajaira Gonzalez, Alexi Velazquez, Grecia Gonzalez, Coach Bean

Middle: Desiree Ramos, Emily Schleicher, Whitney English, Shawntae Price, Frances Betancourt, Jamie Hoyle

Front: Keondra Ware, Nadeea Bayne, Resasha Williams, Corina Escatel, Kelli Montano, Stefanie Montano, Tamyra Thomas

\*missing players/mangager\* Christal Aquino & Jasmine Velazquez, Latisha Schelhas

Whitney  
English  
Frances  
Bentacourt

Alexi Velazquez  
Tamyra Thomas  
Kelli Montano

Christal Aquino  
Jamie Hoyle  
Desiree Ramos

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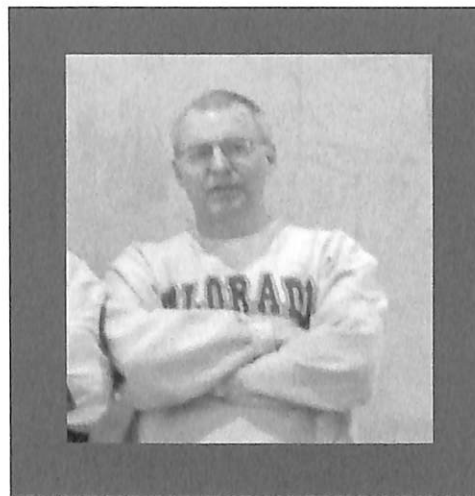




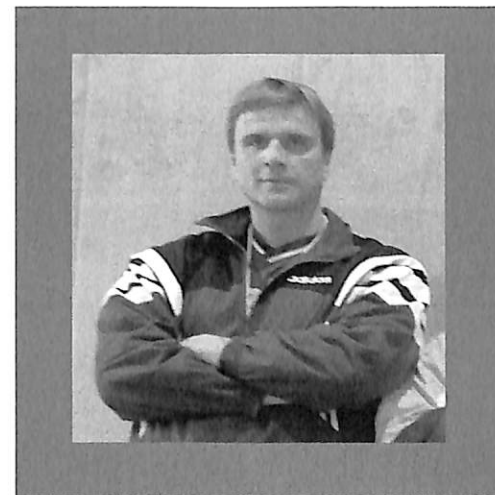
# BOYS



**Coach West, James Lampe, Brad Lane, James Dickerson, Manuel Bustoz, Tyriek Bayne, Casey Wojcik, Coach Schwab, Ignacio Suarez, Micheal Walker, Patrick Washington, Scott Betancourt, Guy Coufal**



**Coach Schwab**



**Coach West**



**WARM-UP**



**SCORE!!!**



**PASS!!!**



**ATTACK!!!**



**BLOCK!!!**



# SOCCEER



# Girls Soccer



Back Row: Mr. Mauldin, Danielle Cherolis, Lychelle Ignacio, Ashley Karayannis, Stephanie Walker, Kara Krill and Mrs. Cahoon  
Front Row: Jessica Jerles, Karen Valdovinos, Caitlin Baker, Justine Paul, and Tiffany Guyette



One, Two, Three Team Work



## *A message from Coach Mauldin*

With a young team and two new coaches, Alex Mauldin and Evelyn Cahoon, this year is sure to be one of both learning and bonding together for the girls soccer team. Led by returning seniors Lychelle Ignacio and Ashley Karayannis, the squad hopes to improve on last year's record while facing the likes of Bamberg, Ansbach, and Hohenfels, and a long trip to face two teams in England.



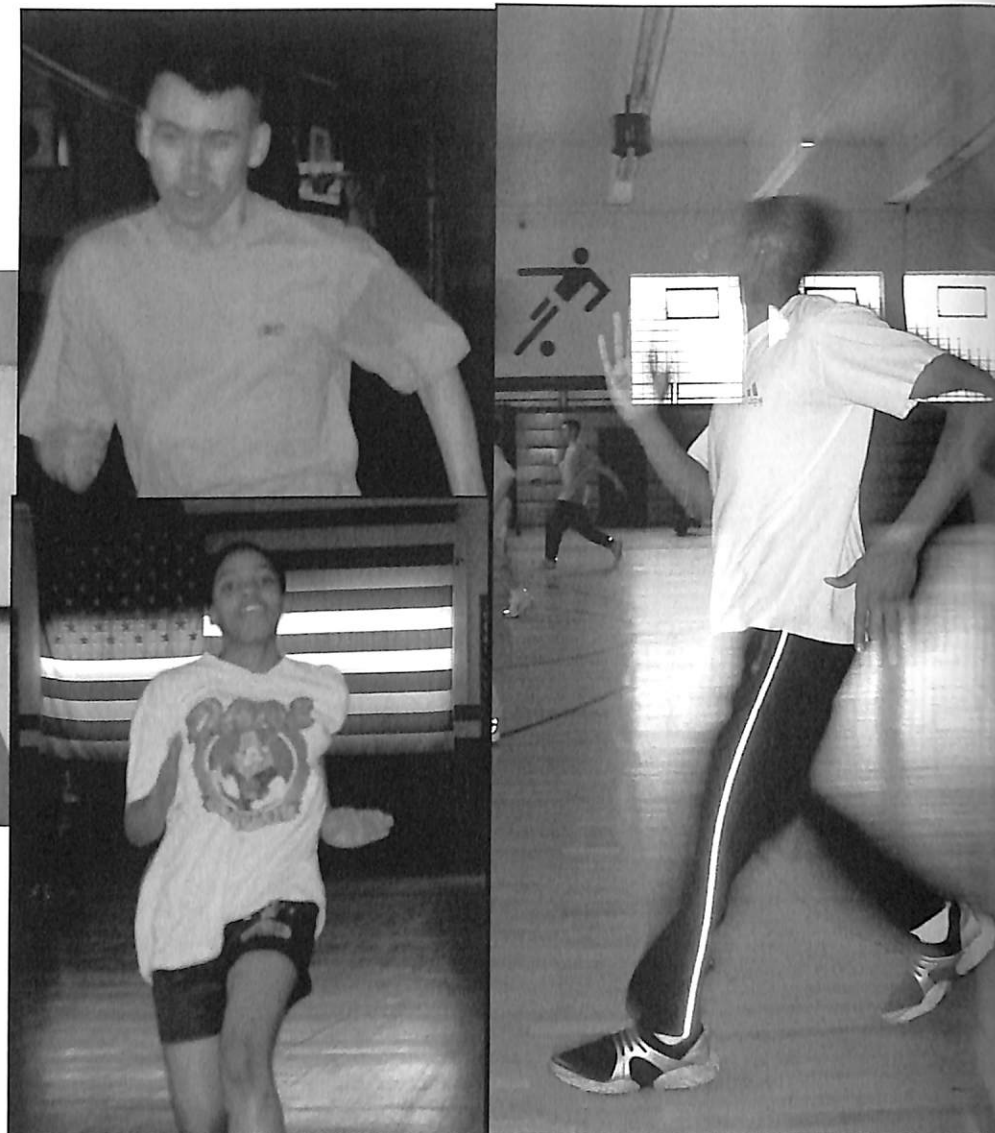
Seniors Ashley Karayannis, and Lychelle Iganico will be leaving us this year. Their hard work and dedication will pay off. Good Luck and we wil miss you!



# Track



Coaches: Ms. Lockhart  
and Mr. Jones  
(unavailable for photo)



Track team: Ricardo Acosta, Julianne Baker, Justin Beasley, Steven Billington, Kyle Boatner, Jimmy Burkett, Kayla Dorman, Lacross Gray, Cellese Griffin, Brianna Harris, Ashley Ivory, Darryl Jones II, Marie Lampe, Andrew Oppliger, Quindel Perkins, Tyree Ray, Areille Scruggs, Allen Sims, Kiersten Vater, Anthony Whatley, Nathan Wojcik Samantha Yelle, Thomas Yohn, Jerrica Murrell



Abbot, Ashley  
Agee, Gregory  
Beilstein, Michele  
Bradish, Lindsey  
Bustoz, Manuel  
Collier, Clyde

Collier, Marc  
Corn, Kayla  
Fowler, Scarlett  
Gavin, David  
Golias, Benjamin  
Gonzalez, Manuel

Griffin, Cellese  
Griffin, Lachelle  
Hoyle, Jamie  
Koch, Patrick  
Laboy, Carlos  
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Selsor, Amber  
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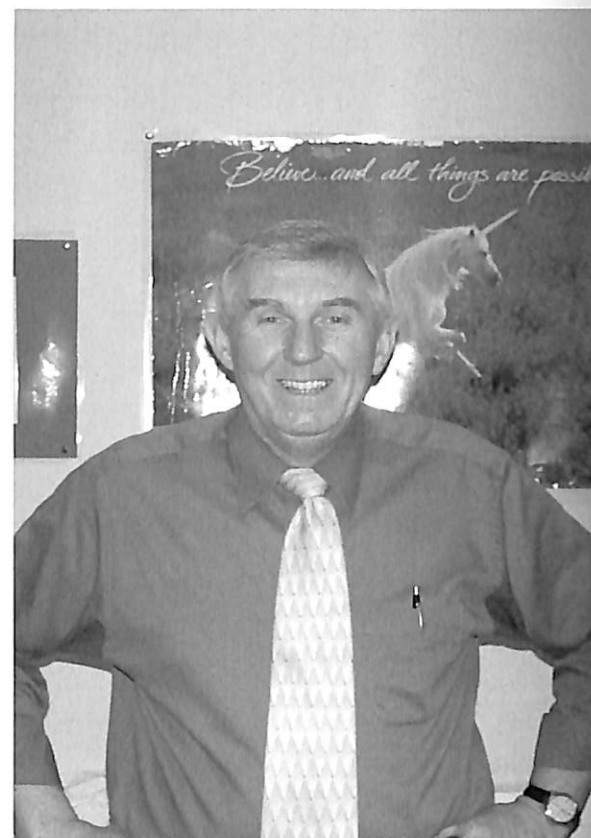
## BAHS NEW FACES

Many of the students at Baumholder American Highschool started attending here after pictures for the yearbook were taken or were not able to have their picture taken on picture day. This page is to include these students; welcome to BHS.



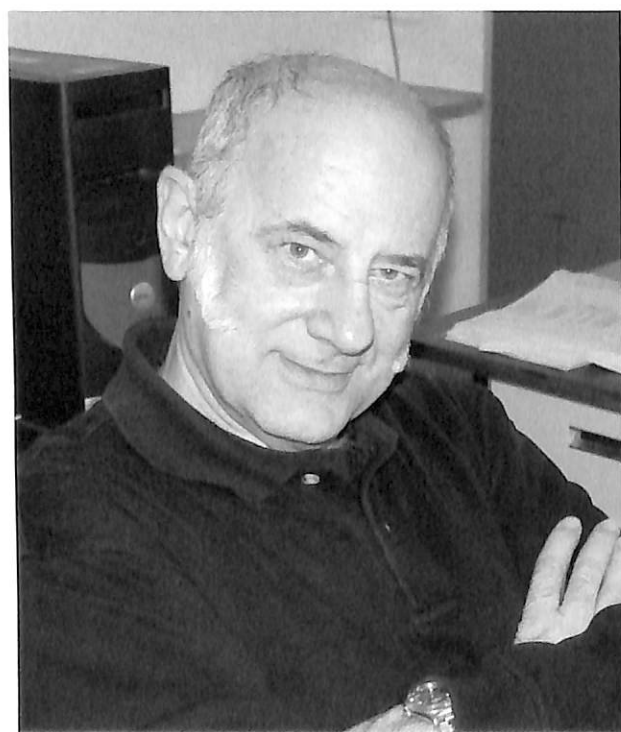
To the **Class of 2005** :

Set honorable goals  
Choose uplifting  
friends, and  
Create good  
memories.



- Mr. Funk

**WE WILL MISS YOU MR. POP!**



After teaching in Baumholder for 25 years (and many years in other communities), Mr. Pop is retiring. We would like to thank him for his many years of dedication to Baumholder American Highschool. He will be missed.



**Emily**



**To Emily Jane Hernandez Goldstein**

**...moved from Baumholder in December 2004 spent four and a half years at BAHS.**

**Thank you to the school staff who contributed to Emily's great years in Baumholder. A big thank you to Emily for supporting our move to a new community. I know it was very hard for you.**

**Love, Mom**





To our dear Ate Lychelle,  
Graduation is a time for joy and sadness- Saying goodbye and at the same time welcoming a new era. It is a time for remembering your triumphs and challenges, your growth and changes, and seeing the culmination of your years of hard work and determination. We reflect on your past with love and pride and will continue to do so for your future. I guess this means time to let go as well, huh?



Lychelle, you have brought so much love and laughter, we are truly blessed to have you in our life. I will surely miss being with you every day.



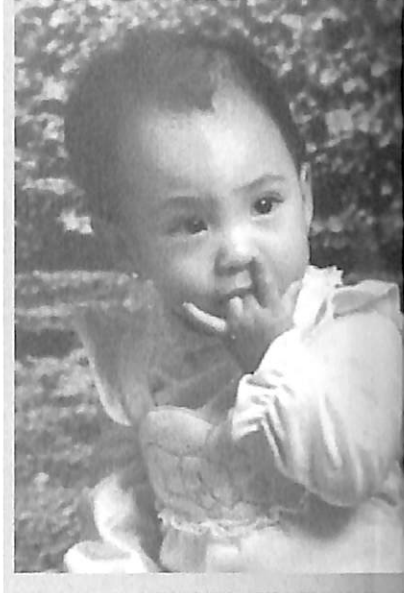
May God always guide you and light up your path as you enter a new stage in your life. We love you so much and we will always be here for you.  
MOM, DAD, and ISABELLE



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It seems like yesterday...  
Holding you in our arms and  
In a blink of an eye you are about to start  
an adventure of your own. Kristina,  
always remember that our arms are  
always there for you. We Love You  
and wish you the best that life has to  
offer. Love Mom, Dad and Megan

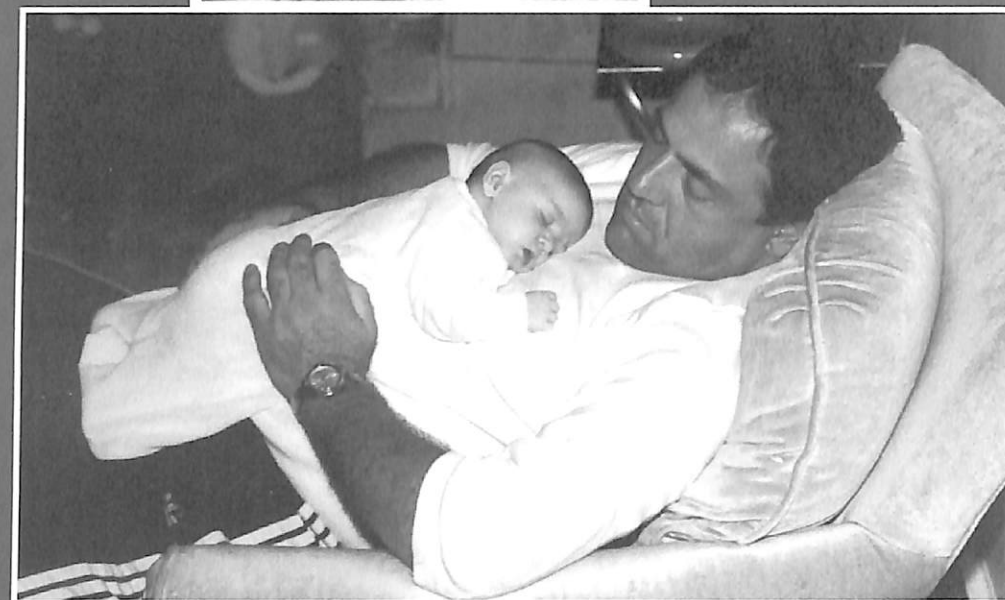
# Kristina Winfree

From the first  
day to the  
last... It has  
been a long  
and exciting  
adventure but,  
it is only the  
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## Bon Voyage!

May your future be as joyful and happy as the love and exultation you have brought to our lives the past 18 years.

Love,  
Dad, Mom, and Matt



# Dad,



To have raised your two sons is one thing, but to have raised them deep within the jungles of high school firsthand is certainly something different. To have graced your trade with unbelievable professionalism is one thing, but to have become a legacy is certainly something different. To have soared above the rest is one thing but to have done it with a smile on your face is certainly something different.

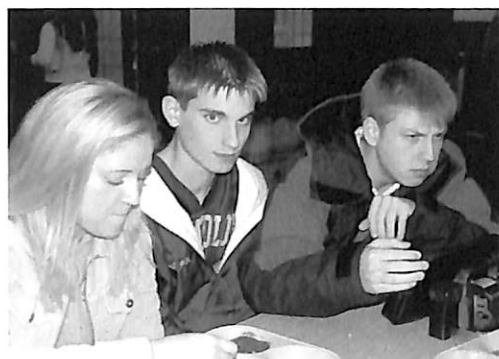
Thank you for the memories, and for being "something different."  
With love and admiration,  
-Matthew and Stephen



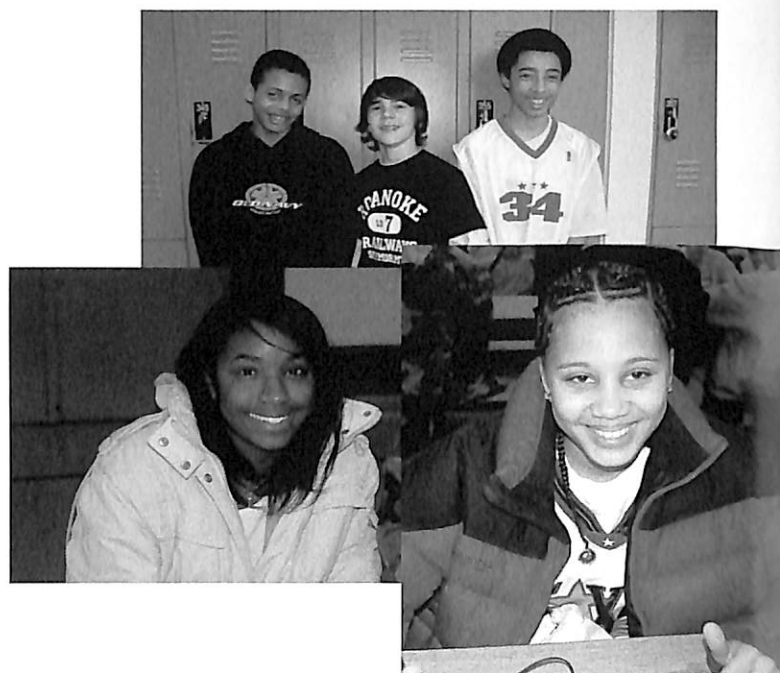


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It's always fun for the Yearbook-Staff members to see all of the different ways that people try to avoid having their pictures taken...here are a few of the most common methods to avoid having their picture taken:  
Below: these people try to look as clueless as possible



Left:  
These kids  
try the  
"Quick,  
hide!"  
method  
(see the  
kid behind  
the trash  
cans?)



Above: These people are  
some of the "Fake-cheesers!"



When in doubt, just take the  
lead from these Seniors who  
know how to look good! -->



## The "A" Team says *BEST OF LUCK SENIORS*



# Congratulations Proud to Teach



We Teach the  
CHILDREN



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"... Ms. Bailey, for being my second mom, in and out of school."

"... to the coaches, for teaching me to become a true team player (and a lot more coordinated)."

"... mom, for sacrifices you gave to fulfill my dreams."

"... Ms. Domiguez and Ms. O'neil, for helping me pass my two most important classes."

"... to my sister Izzy -BING!- I'll miss you and the FRIENDS jokes when I'm in college... I love you!"

"... Ms. Magowan, for dealing with me."

# Thank you

"... Ms. Magowan, for all your help."

"... Jade, for changing my life."

"... Baumholder, for four long years of happy."

"... Dad, and two best friends, for sticking behind me even when things got tough in my life."

"... parents for putting up with me and always being there for me."

"... to all the other seniors, because being the youngest they helped me to grow up."

"... Ms. Magowan, for being there for her seniors and caring."

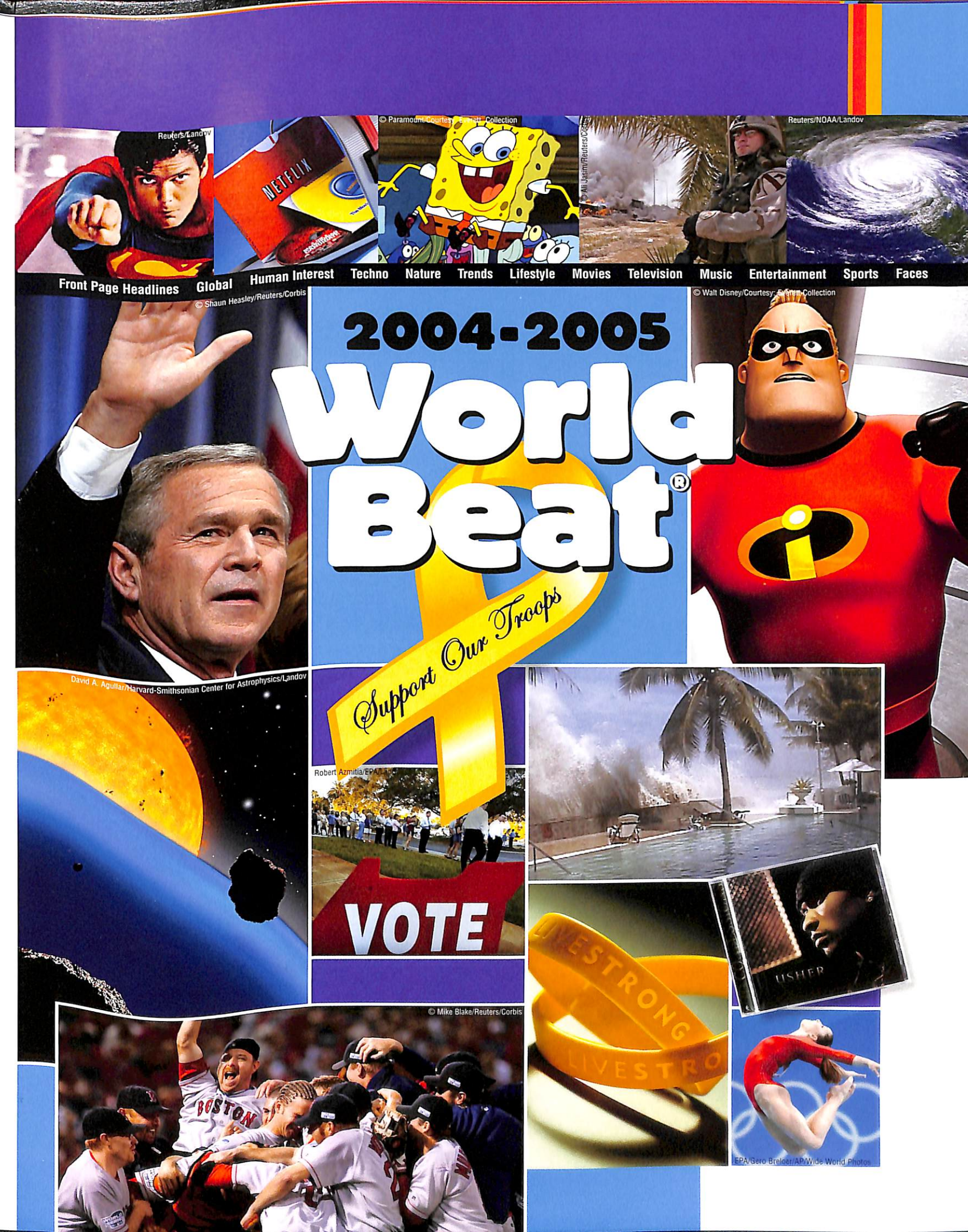
"... to baumholder, all of its people, places, everything for bringing me six years of fun and happiness."

"... all seniors, for making my senior year memorable."

"... Alex and Sean, for being the best friends a person could have."

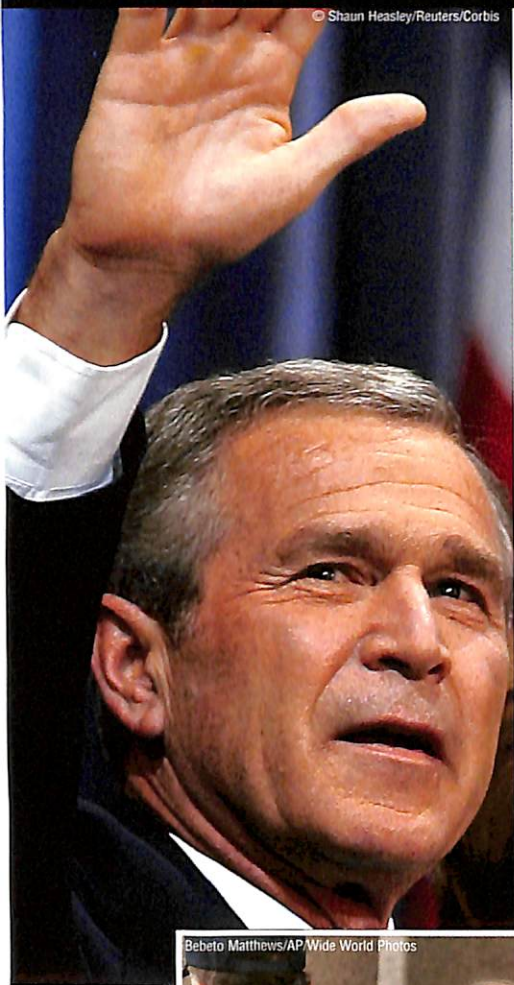
"... Kristina, Kadeja, and Lychelle for showing me around the school."

All Quotes Were Taken From Seniors Of The Class Of 2005.





# front page headlines

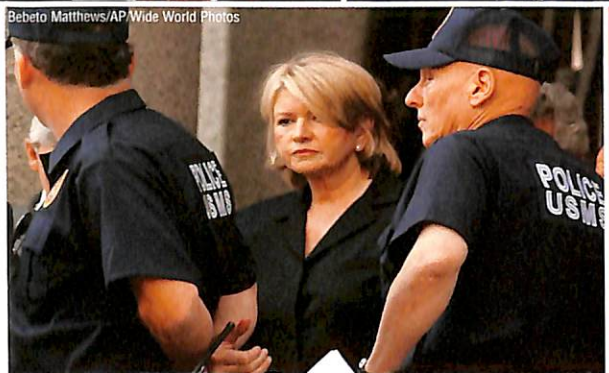
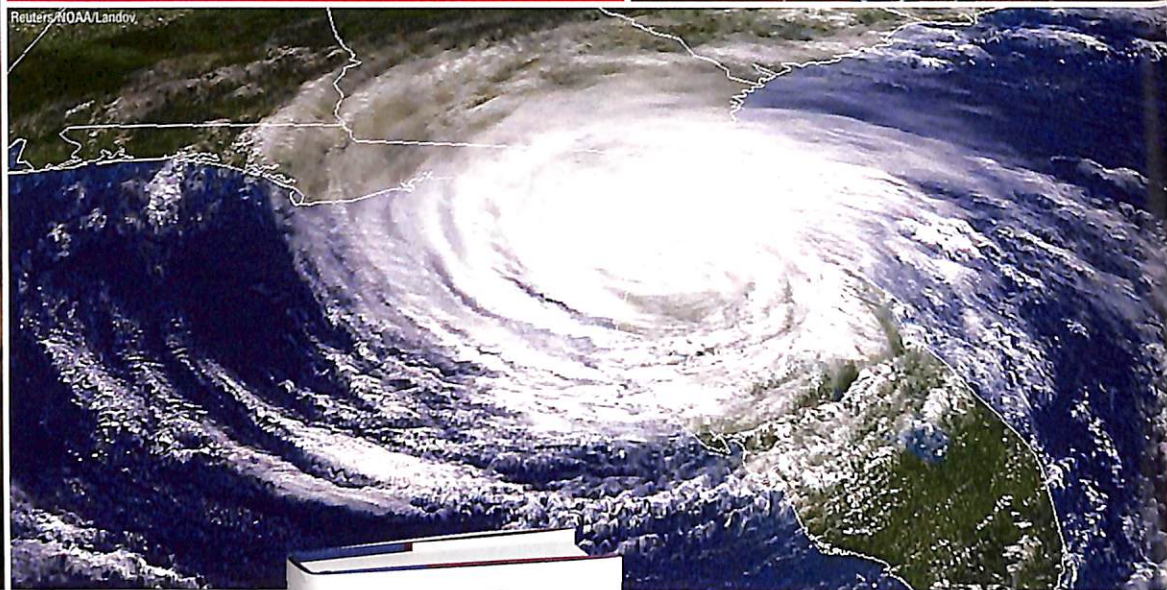


Republican incumbent George W. Bush narrowly defeats Democratic challenger John Kerry in the hotly contested 2004 presidential election.

Despite assurances that its nuclear program intentions are peaceful, Iran voluntarily suspends its uranium enrichment activities in the face of protests from NATO and the U.S.

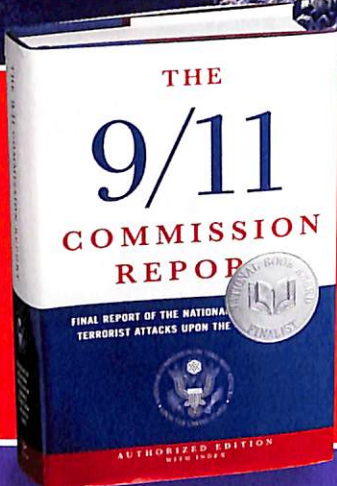


Five hurricanes hit the Caribbean Sea, Florida and the southeastern U.S. coast in the fall of 2004, causing \$25 billion in damages.



Lifestyle guru Martha Stewart begins serving a five-month jail sentence in West Virginia, after being found guilty of lying about a suspicious stock sale.

Ronald Wilson Reagan, 40th president of the United States, dies in June at the age of 93.



In July, the Bipartisan 9/11 Commission releases its report of circumstances surrounding the September 11, 2001, terrorist attacks.

Strong partisan division over issues at stake throughout the 2004 presidential campaign results in record turnout of voters under 21.

In November, Minnesotan Chai Vang allegedly shoots and kills six hunters and wounds two others after he is caught trespassing on a hunting platform in Wisconsin.



## VOTE



Mark Wilson/Getty Images



Tom Ridge leaves his position as secretary of homeland security.

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Health and Human Services Secretary Tommy Thompson resigns.

Roger L. Wollenberg/UPI/Landov



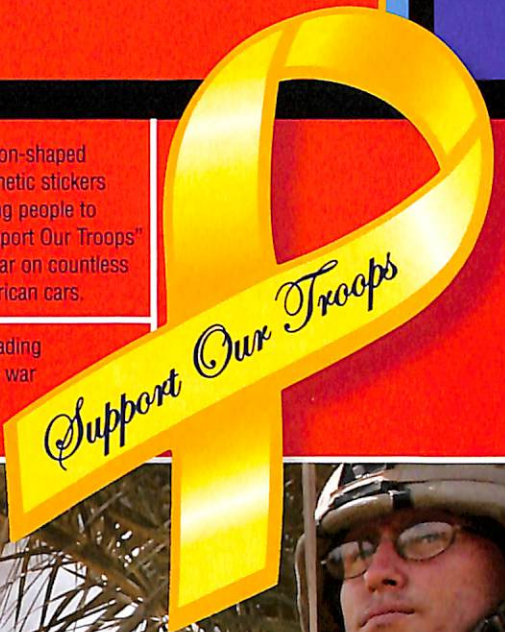
Secretary of State Colin Powell steps down.

Mark Wilson/Getty Images



Attorney General John Ashcroft relinquishes his cabinet post.

Ribbon-shaped magnetic stickers urging people to "Support Our Troops" appear on countless American cars.



National Security Adviser Condoleezza Rice makes history as the first black female to become secretary of state when she succeeds Colin Powell.



Coalition troops face a persistent terrorist insurgency leading up to the Iraq presidential election in January 2005. The war costs the lives of over 1,400 coalition troops, as well as over 14,000 Iraqi civilians.



More than 220,000 lives are lost after a massive earthquake in December off Indonesia's coast causes a tsunami that smashes coastlines in Southern Asia and as far away as Somalia.

The Center for Disease Control's Youth Risk Behavior Survey finds 6.1 percent of teenagers surveyed have tried steroids as compared to 2.7 percent in 1991.



In the trial of the year, California jurors find Scott Peterson guilty of the first-degree murder of his pregnant wife, Laci, and second-degree murder of their unborn son.



In response to the investigation by the Bipartisan 9/11 Commission, the U.S. Senate passes the National Intelligence Reform Act.



# global



UPI/Landov

▶ PLO Chairman Yasser Arafat, 75, dies in a Paris hospital. Palestinians view him as a leader who sought a homeland for his people, but many Israelis see Arafat as a ruthless terrorist.

▶ In October, more than 10 million Afghan men and women vote in the country's first presidential election — a milestone in the country's transformation after 25 years of war and Taliban control.

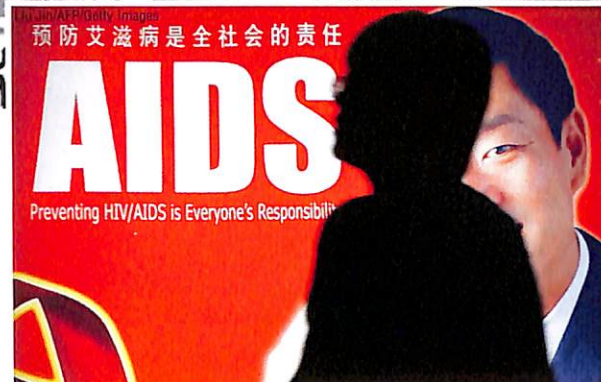


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▶ At 885 feet the new Millau bridge in southern France is the tallest bridge in the world.

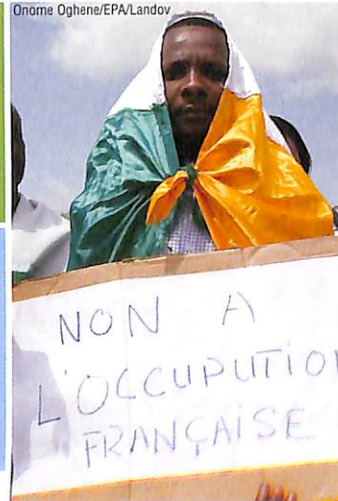


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▶ The United Nations reports the AIDS epidemic is growing in Africa and worsening dramatically across eastern Europe and Asia.



Onome Oghene/EPA/Landov

▶ After more than a year of ceasefire, civil war re-ignites in the Ivory Coast as a result of President Gbagbo's ordering air strikes on rebel positions.



Vasily Puzosenko/Reuters/CORBIS

▶ The Ukrainian Supreme Court invalidates that country's disputed presidential election because of vote tampering. In the revote, pro-West opposition leader Viktor Yushchenko claims victory.



Gregory Dukor/Reuters/Landov

▶ In September, Chechen rebels kill more than 430 people in a series of terrorist attacks in Russia, including the bloody attack on an elementary schoolhouse.



Karel Prinsloo/AP/Wide World Photos

▶ After 22 months, the conflict in the Darfur region of Sudan continues to grow, leaving more than 2.3 million Africans in need of humanitarian aid.

# human interest



Mark Humphrey/AP/Wide World Photos

▶ Due to manufacturing errors, the United States faces a flu vaccine shortage. The U.S. Department of Health reserves vaccinations for those most at risk — people over 65 and infants six to 23 months of age.

▶ In August, the National Underground Railroad Freedom Center opens in Cincinnati, Ohio.

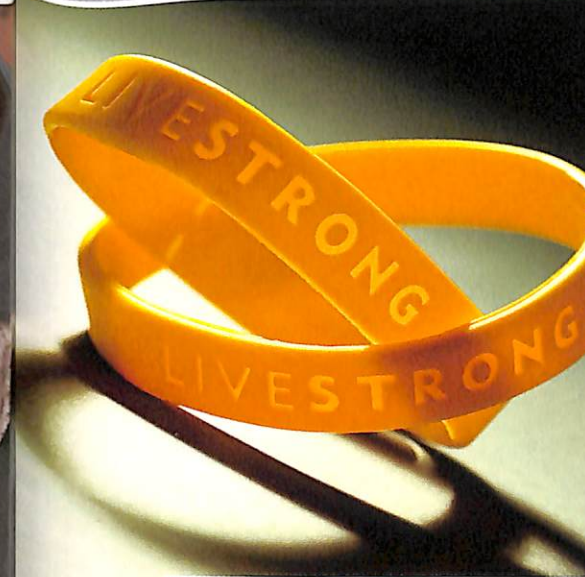


Tom Uhlman/AP/Wide World Photos

▶ Countries and individuals around the world join together to pledge over \$4 billion in relief for those devastated by the December tsunami disaster.



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▶ Christopher Reeve dies at age 52. Reeve is remembered for his movie role as Superman and as an advocate for spinal cord research after being paralyzed in an accident in 1995.



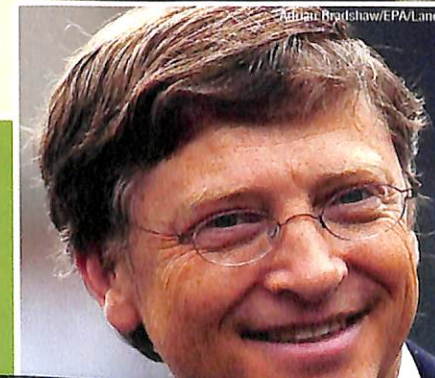
Benjamin L. Wollenberg/UP/Landov

▶ The National World War II Memorial is unveiled in Washington, D.C., in honor of the millions of Americans who served during World War II in the military and on the home front.



Brad Loper/Dallas Morning News/CORBIS

▶ A prolonged deployment of over 200,000 U.S. troops to Iraq leaves many families struggling at home.



▶ In September, Microsoft Chairman Bill Gates announces a \$168 million donation to fund malaria research.



# science-techno

# nature



➤ Portable photo printers that do not require a computer are a hot item for digital camera owners.

➡ Hong Kong-based toymaker Wow Wee Ltd. sells 1.5 million Robosapiens since the toy's introduction in April. Among other "talents," the \$100 robot can belch and pass gas on command.

🔊 The Food and Drug Administration links the use of antidepressants such as Zoloft, Paxil and Prozac to suicidal behavior in teens.

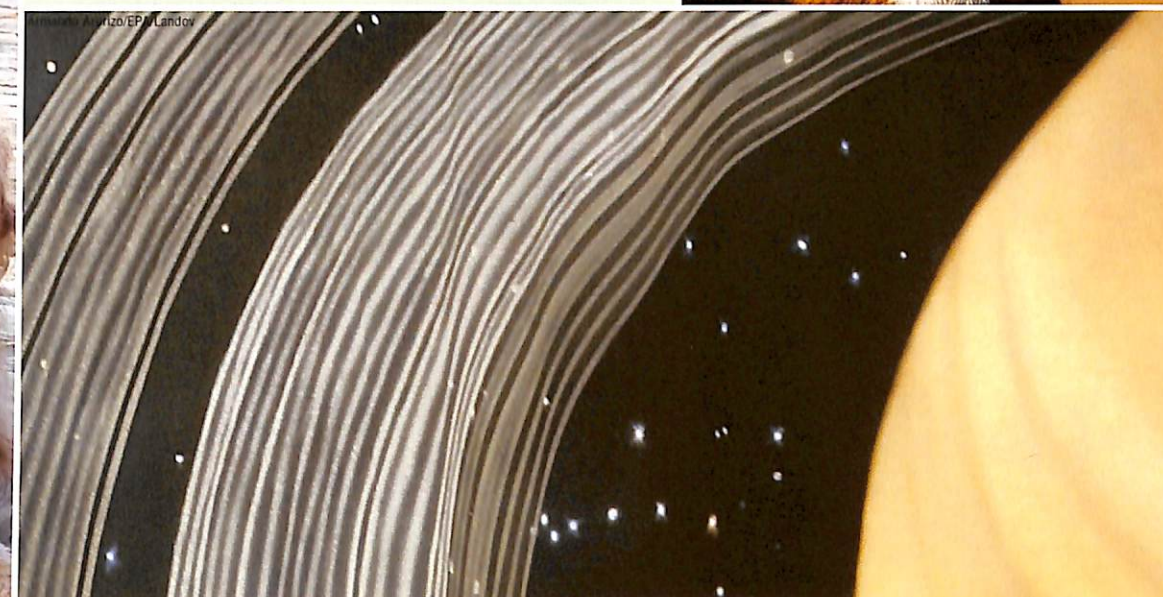


➤ Designer dog breeds like the “Goldendoodle,” an allergy-friendly cross between a golden retriever and a poodle, are in high demand.

➡ African lions join the endangered species list because they are being killed to protect domestic livestock and their habitats are being destroyed.



Although Saturn's rings look solid from Earth, images taken by the international Cassini spacecraft show they are more like rivers of dust and ice, with particles ranging in size from specks to mountains.



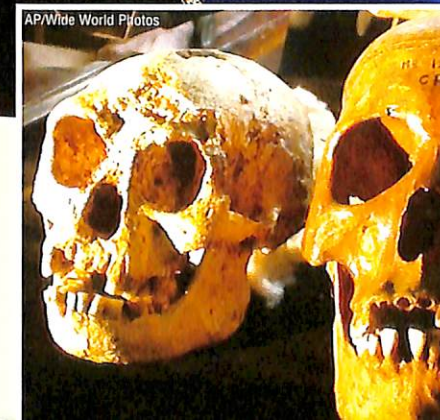
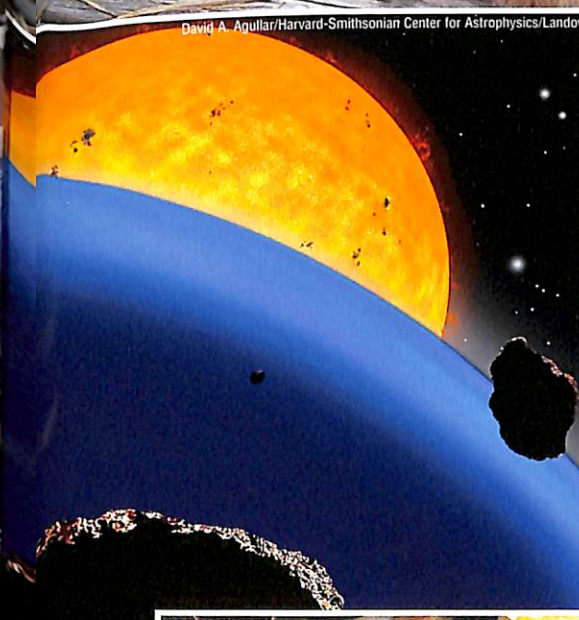
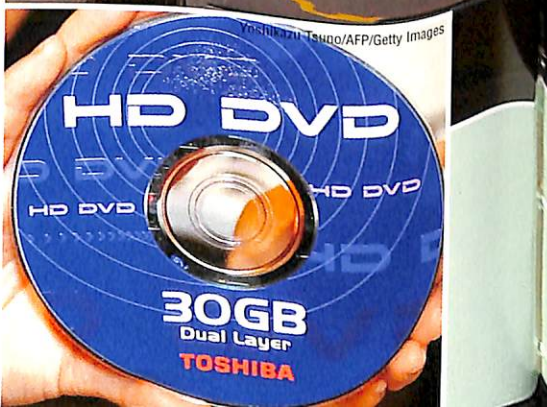
**SpaceShipOne**, the world's first privately developed spacecraft, is named "2004 Invention of the Year" by *Time* magazine.



After four years on the market and billions of dollars in revenue, pharmaceutical company Merck recalls the arthritis drug Vioxx due to increased risk for cardiovascular disease.

➡ General Motors releases the industry's first full-size gas-electric hybrid pickup truck, the Chevrolet Silverado.

➤ Toshiba's HD DVD and Sony's Blu-ray battle for supremacy over the next generation of DVD technology. Major movie studios are evenly divided in their backing of the two technologies.



Pierre Holtz/Reuters/Corbis



⬆ Swarms of locusts destroy millions of acres of crops in West Africa.

**C** In September, astronomers announce the discovery in the Milky Way galaxy of a new and possibly abundant class of planets.

On a remote island in Indonesia, scientists find 18,000-year-old skeletons of a hobbit-like human species that grew no larger than today's average three-year-old child.



**1** In October, Mount St. Helens vents ash and steam for the first time since its major eruption in 1980.

Threatened by the spread of hormone-disrupting chemicals and global warming, polar bears are added to the endangered species list.



# movies



Napoleon Dynamite



Star Wars: Episode III—Revenge of the Sith



National Treasure



The SpongeBob SquarePants Movie



NBC's "Joey"



"Seinfeld" is released on DVD



The WB's "One Tree Hill"



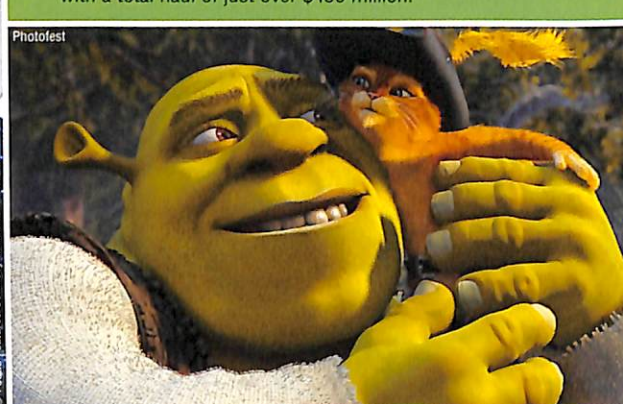
ABC's "Wife Swap"



Jim Carrey and Kate Winslet garner Golden Globe nominations for *Eternal Sunshine of the Spotless Mind*, which also earns a nod for Best Picture, Musical or Comedy.

Johnny Depp scores his second straight Oscar nomination for Best Actor with his performance in *Finding Neverland*.

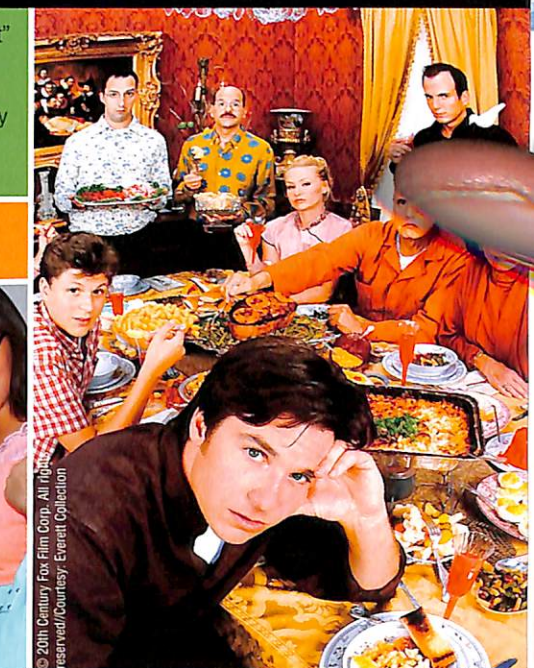
*Shrek 2* ranks third on the list of the 100 top-grossing movies, with a total haul of just over \$436 million.



Ty Pennington and company improve lives while making homes better on the successful ABC home improvement show "Extreme Makeover: Home Edition."

Fox's "Arrested Development" wins the Emmy for Best Comedy Series after an inaugural year that is critically acclaimed but poorly rated.

Stephen, "Lo," Kristen and friends bring their real Orange County adventures to MTV in the hit reality show "Laguna Beach."



The Incredibles, Pixar and Disney's movie about a superhero family trying to live a normal life in the suburbs, is a box-office smash.



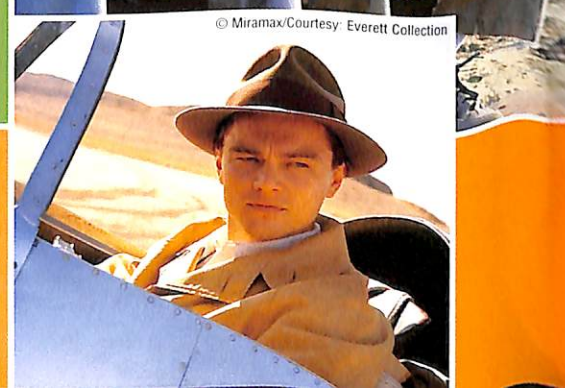
Clint Eastwood directs another hit with *Million Dollar Baby*, starring Hilary Swank as a 31-year-old boxer.



Jamie Foxx delivers an eerily convincing and Oscar-nominated performance as the late Ray Charles in *Ray*.

Already named best picture by film critics from New York to Los Angeles, independent film *Sideways* finds even more celebrity with a leading seven Golden Globe nominations.

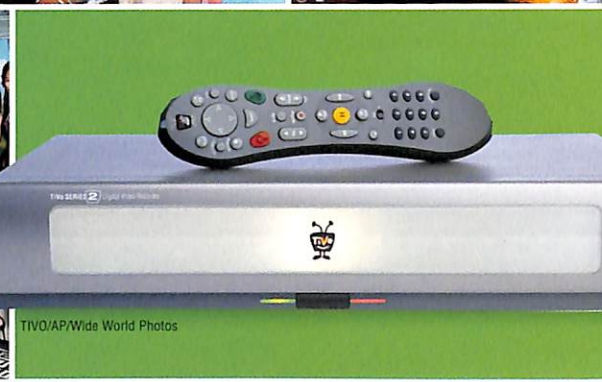
The Aviator, starring Leonardo DiCaprio in the role of eccentric billionaire Howard Hughes, earns eleven Oscar nominations.



"You're fired!" becomes a household phrase as Donald Trump plows through executive wannabes on his hit NBC show, "The Apprentice."

ABC gets big ratings from its new hit drama "Lost," the intriguing story of 48 plane crash survivors stranded on an island.

To kick off her 19th season of CBS's "The Oprah Winfrey Show," Oprah and Pontiac join forces to give each of the 276 audience members a brand new Pontiac G6.



Pausing and recording live television with DVR is rapidly replacing VCRs in households across America.

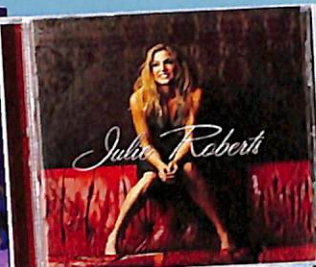
Before his unbelievable 74-game winning streak comes to an end, NBC's "Jeopardy!" contestant Ken Jennings wins \$2,520,700 — a TV game show record. He delivers over 2,700 correct responses.



# music



Destiny's Child reunites



Joss Stone



Julie Roberts



Green Day



Ray Charles dies at age 73



"K.O.T.O.R. II"



"Mario Golf Advance Tour"



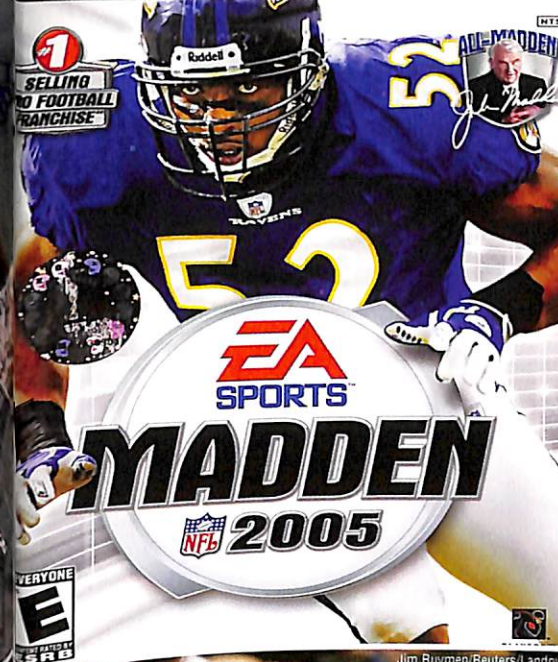
"Metal Gear Solid 3: Snake Eater"



With bands like Interpol, The Killers and Snow Patrol, alternative rock returns to the mainstream music scene in a big way.

U2's new album *How to Dismantle an Atomic Bomb* hits No.1 in *Billboard* magazine, and the band is inducted into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame in March 2005.

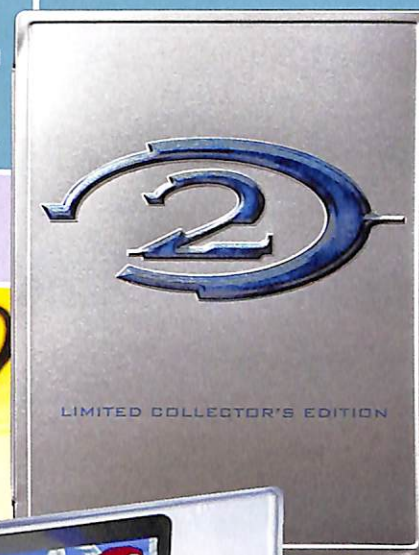
Rapper Kanye West collects a whopping 10 Grammy nominations, including Album of the Year, for his debut *The College Dropout*.



Video game giant Electronic Arts buys exclusive rights to the teams, players and stadiums of the NFL for its popular Madden video game franchise.

After three years, Microsoft and Bungie Studios release the most eagerly anticipated video game sequel, Halo 2. Over 5 million copies of the game sell in the first month.

The newest trend in video games is to go "old school," with plug-and-play systems featuring '80s games from the likes of Atari and Namco.



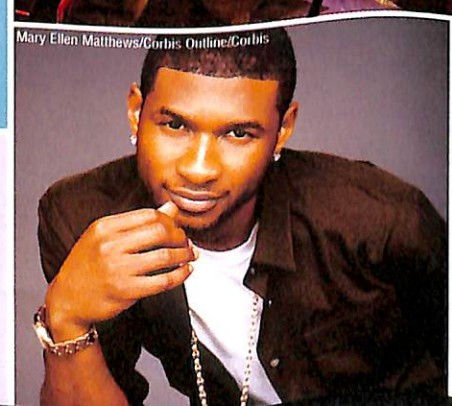
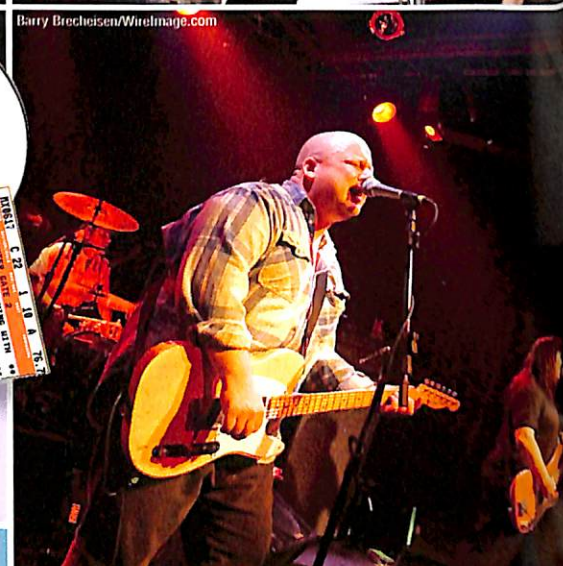
Nelly continues to wrap up big sales and hit songs with the simultaneous release of his two albums, *Sweet and Suit*.



Pop superstar Prince gives his concert ticket-holders something to cheer about before the concerts start... a free copy of his *Musicology* CD.

Legendary '80s alternative rock band The Pixies, known for inspiring "grunge" music, reunites after 13 years for a sold-out U.S. and European tour.

In December, Usher dominates the *Billboard* Music Awards, taking home 11 awards, including Album of the Year for *Confessions*.



2004 is the year of celebrities having babies, as Courtney Cox-Arquette, Gwyneth Paltrow, Kate Hudson, Julia Roberts, Liv Tyler and others all become first-time mothers.

Thousands of young people become avid poker players, a trend sparked by TV shows featuring tournaments for celebrities and professional poker players.

The challenging "Metroid Prime 2: Echoes" takes home the prize as IGN.com's Gamecube Game of the Year.



The hottest "hard-to-get" toy for the holidays is the Nintendo DS handheld gaming system.

Even though it won't reach bookstores until July 16, 2005, preorders in December help J.K. Rowling's *Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince* top several best-seller lists.



# sports



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Ironman Lance Armstrong wins his record-setting sixth straight Tour de France.

Heisman Trophy winner Matt Leinart leads the USC Trojans to a second consecutive NCAA National Championship by routing the Oklahoma Sooners in the FedEx Orange Bowl, 55-19.

Kirby Lee/WireImage.com



With a series sweep of the St. Louis Cardinals, the Boston Red Sox lift the "Curse of the Bambino" to win their first World Series title since 1918.

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Carly Patterson joins Mary Lou Retton as the only American gymnasts to win the women's all-around Olympic gold medal.

Michael Phelps swims his way to eight individual Olympic medals, six gold and two bronze.

David Gray/Reuters/Landov



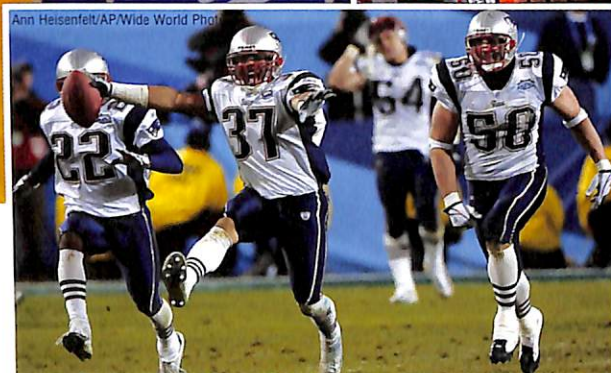
## ATHENS 2004

Together for the last time, the "Fab Five" of U.S. women's soccer — Julie Foudy, Joy Fawcett, Mia Hamm, Kristine Lilly and Brandi Chastain — bring home an Olympic gold medal.

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The New England Patriots defeat the Philadelphia Eagles, 24-21, to repeat as Super Bowl Champions. They have won three of the last four Super Bowls.

Following his win in September at the Deutsche Bank Championship, Vijay Singh unseats Tiger Woods as the world's No. 1 golfer.

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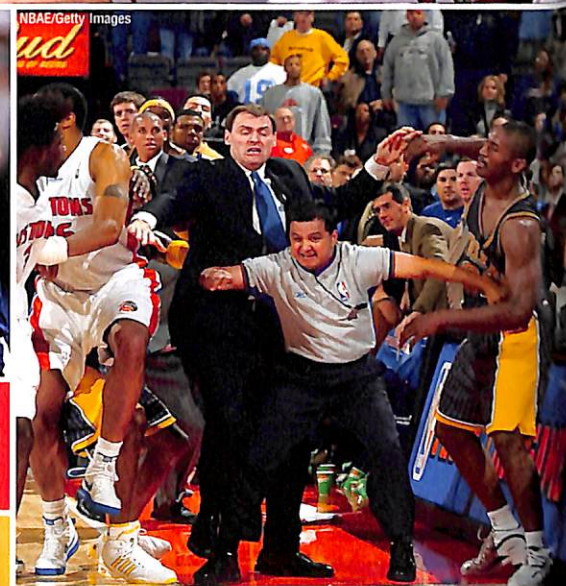


In December, Indianapolis Colts quarterback Peyton Manning throws his record-setting 49th touchdown pass of the season.

In one of the worst brawls in U.S. sports history, five Indiana Pacers players clash with Detroit Pistons fans on court and in the stands. The Pacers' Ron Artest is suspended for the year for his involvement.

Russian teenage tennis star Maria Sharapova defeats Serena Williams to claim the Wimbledon title. Thanks to lucrative sponsorship deals, Sharapova ends the year as the world's richest sportswoman.

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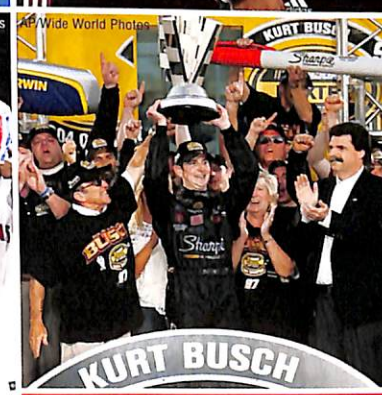
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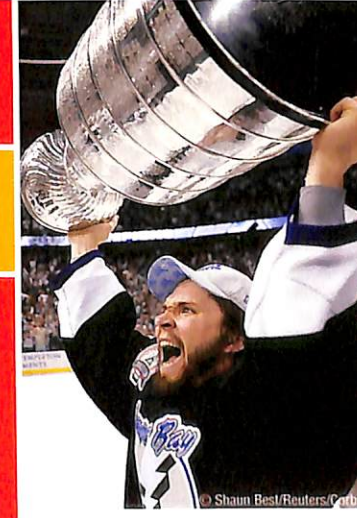
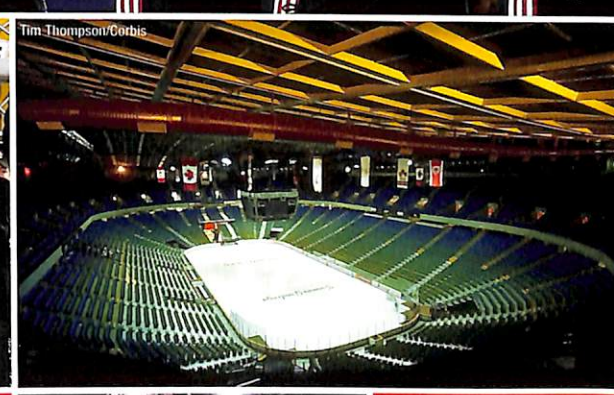


Kurt Busch wins the NASCAR Nextel Cup. It is his first career title and the closest battle in cup history.

The Detroit Pistons, led by Ben Wallace and finals MVP Chauncey Billups, win the 2004 NBA title.

Barry Bonds joins Babe Ruth and Hank Aaron as baseball's only 700+ home run hitters. However, his performance falls under scrutiny after it is revealed that Bonds and other major leaguers have been using illegal steroids.

Tim Thompson/Corbis



The NHL takes the 2004-2005 season off as players and team owners fail to come to an agreement on players' salary limitations.

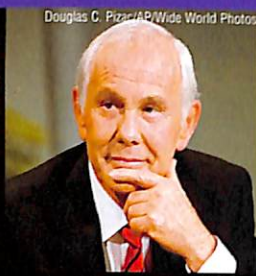
The Tampa Bay Lightning claim the 2004 NHL Stanley Cup by winning the seventh game of the Stanley Cup Finals, 2-1, over the Calgary Flames.



# faces



Marlon Brando dies at age 80



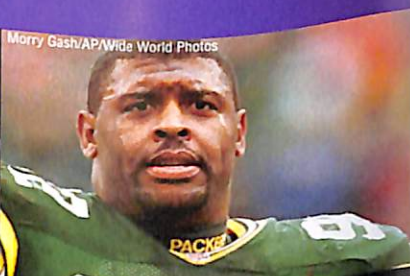
Johnny Carson dies at 79



Dan Rather retires



Tom Brokaw signs off



Reggie White dies at age 43



In a year of entertainment dominated by teen queens, Lindsay Lohan makes the biggest splash of the bunch with the hit movie *Mean Girls* and her debut CD *Speak*.

Mattie Stepanek dies from a form of muscular dystrophy at age 13. He was known as a best-selling poetry author and the Muscular Dystrophy Association's National Goodwill Ambassador from 2002 through 2004.

In remembrance of those who have died and those who continue to risk their lives in the war in Iraq.



Ukrainian presidential candidate Viktor Yushchenko suffers from debilitating illness and scarring caused by dioxin poisoning, allegedly at the hands of his opponents.



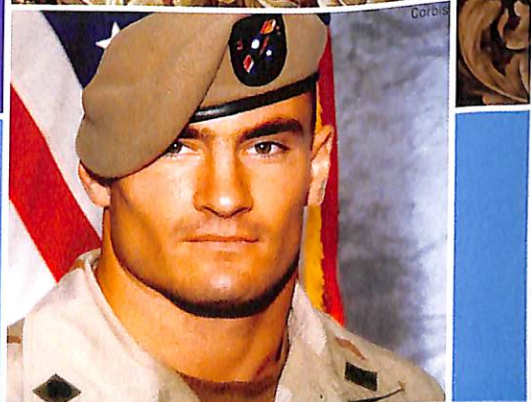
Democratic vice presidential and presidential nominees John Edwards and John Kerry make the 2004 election a very close race.



Rodney Dangerfield, 82, veteran comedian famous for getting "no respect," dies from complications following heart surgery.



Actor Zach Braff from NBC's "Scrubs" makes his big screen acting, writing and directorial debut in the critically acclaimed *Garden State*.



Former NFL player Pat Tillman, who chose the Armed Forces over the NFL, is killed while on duty in Afghanistan.



