

Böblingen E.S.

Reflections Can Be



BOEBLINGEN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



This is Boeblingen Elementary School, the place we spend most of our time while we are in Germany. It was once a barracks where German soldiers lived on Panzer Kasern, just south of Stuttgart, but is now a place for learning, for making lifetime friendships, for discovering who we are. The purpose of this book is to help remind all who were here for school year 1996-97 of the people we met, the experiences we had, and the things that we learned.

In 1996-97, we had only nine classes in the school. There were two kindergarten classes, two first grades, and one each of grades two through six. Most of the year, our enrollment was around 190 students, so most of us knew everyone else in the school. Some of us even knew kids from back in the States who went to school here.

This school year had many highlights. We will all remember different things, but some of the most memorable are the school dances, Sports Night, *Cirque des Etoiles*, the Geography Bee, the Hundred Days Celebration, the sixth grade trip to Italy, the school volksmarch, Field Day. There was something for everyone.

Living overseas provides us with experiences that other kids back home can only dream about. But, with the great times comes the knowledge that we will leave our friends behind when we leave Germany. We will remember them for many years to come, some of them for a lifetime, and this book will help keep their names and faces fresh in our minds.



MY BOOK OF FRIENDS AND CLASSMATES

This year I am in the _____ grade and I am _____ years old.

My teacher is _____.

My best friend this year is _____.

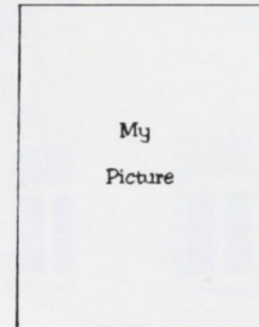
My favorite color is _____. My favorite

food is _____. My favorite sport is

_____. I have had many interesting and fun experiences

in school this year. _____

My signature _____



YEARBOOK COVER



This year the yearbook cover contest winner was Amanda Balcom. Congratulations, Amanda, and keep up the good work!



DEDICATION



We dedicate the 1996-97 issue of "Reflections" to Ms. Kathy Leatherwood. Ms. Leatherwood wears many different hats around our school, including being a mom, the chairperson of the School Improvement Committee, a member of the PTA board, substitute teacher, and classroom volunteer. But, the thing for which she is most revered is teaching kids about the performing arts. For three years she has given B.E.S. students the gift of performing, from classroom skits and plays to variety shows to musical productions. For the last two years she has conducted a weekly class with sixth grade students that exposes them to many different forms of movement and theatrical arenas. She wrote, directed, and produced this year's production of *Cirque des Etoiles*, which will long be a highlight in the lives of many sixth graders. We are blessed to have you at our school, Ms. Leatherwood. We thank you and salute you.

IN THE OFFICE...



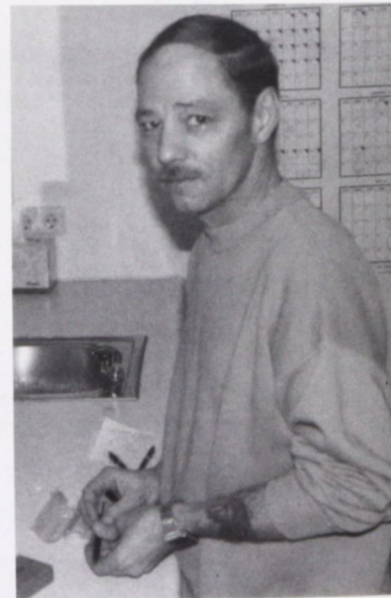
Mr. Charles Callahan is our principal. He has been with DODDS for 24 years and has been in other schools in Germany, Italy, Greece, Spain, and Bahrain. Mr. Callahan can often be seen in the halls and the classrooms, where he spends much of his day.



Mrs. Debbie Taxiera is our school secretary. She makes the office a pleasant place to go.



Mrs. Shery Hancock is our school nurse. Whenever we feel pain, she is there to help us.



Mr. Richard Shaw is our supply technician. If he doesn't have it, he finds a way to get it!

SUPPORT STAFF



Mrs. Jane Hyde and Mrs. Melody Carmella are our lunchroom and playground monitors.



Mrs. Mona Wilson runs the cash register and helps serve food in the cafeteria.



Mr. John Portale is the chef. He makes great meals and serves them with a smile.



Mrs. Carolyn Iiams co-teaches and offers extra help to kids who need it.



Ms. Elizabeth Creech is our occupational therapist. She works with kids on their motor skills.



Mr. Mark Ambelang is our media specialist. He runs the library.



Mr. Leroy Lamotte is our art teacher. He teaches us to express ourselves.



Mrs. Mariette Scheier is our music teacher.



Mr. Richard Williams is our media technician.



Mrs. Heidi Heller is our physical education teacher. She keeps us physically fit!



Mr. Mike Chew is our counselor. He helps us solve problems.



Frau Doris Klinkert is our host nation teacher. She teaches us German.

CLASS



PICTURES

MRS. BROADHEAD'S A.M. KINDERGARTEN

Mrs. Broadhead
Daniel Furmage
Stephon Gary
Nora Jaskoski



Rebekah Johnson
Alex Knowles
Heather McPeak
Andrea Moore



Raquel Pantin
Melinda Squires
Trixia-Ann White



Melinda Squires and Raquel Pantin work on a puzzle together.



Kindergarteners finish up a "101 Dalmations" puzzle.

MRS. BROADHEAD'S P.M. KINDERGARTEN

Nathan Byrnes
Micheal Collins
Alexis Johns
Myles Lougee



Katrina Mauldin
Briana Miller
Elizabeth O'Connor
Francesca Parker



Joseph Polcar
Cynthia Robinson
Amanda Smith
Zack Snider



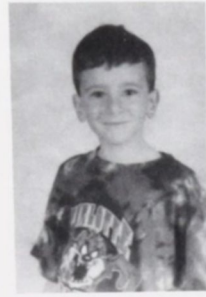
Kindergarteners celebrate the 100th day of the school year.



We are pleased that Anthony Woolard has joined our class.

MRS. BEYER'S FIRST GRADE

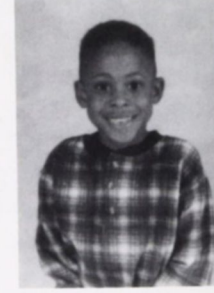
Mrs. Beyer
Deryk Carmella
Michael Crandall
Fiona Elizalde



Tristen George
Tommy Gibson
Megan Halstead
Molly Johns



Daniel Lang
Thomas McAtee
Daniel Pernol
Royce Robinson



Alexander Roelofs
Maia Sanders
Kyle Sanders-Beaulieu
Michelle Targazweski



Nathan Tester
Jonathan Tuggle



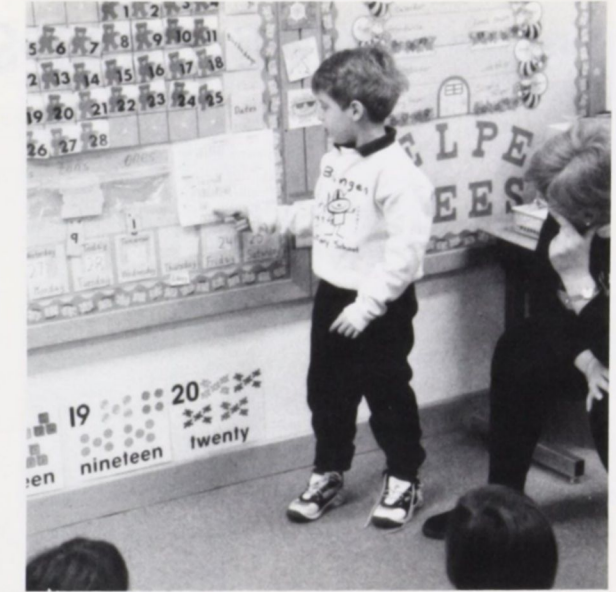
Tommy Gibson and Deryk Carmella explain measuring.



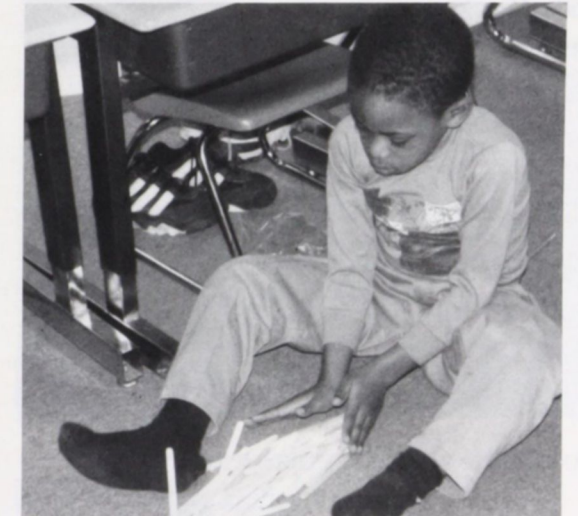
Mrs. Beyer conducts daily oral language.



Mrs. Beyer serenades the class with her nasal trumpet.



Daniel Lang does the daily calendar.



Royce Robinson works on a Mathland project.



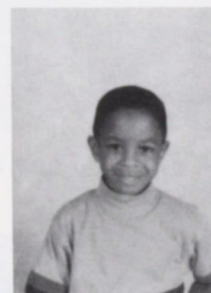
Molly Johns expresses disagreement with Tristen George's answer.

MRS. CHILDS' FIRST GRADE

Mrs. Childs
Karson Becker
Kristina Brown
Destiny Dent



Nicholas Harris
Lucas Hartwig
James Mackey
Ryan Martinez



Patrick McGregor
Tony Mitchell
Patrick Schumann
Ryan Silver



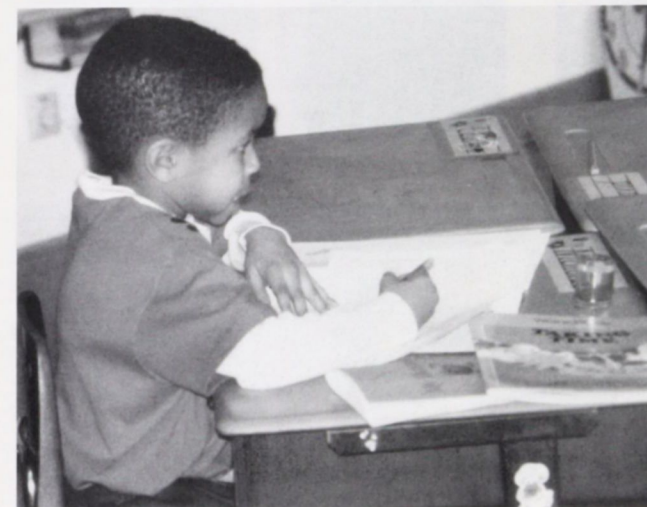
Andrew Spencer
Melissa Squires
Matthew Stender
Oliver Tromp



Sarah Yefimov



Sadie Stoltenberg and Laura Seebald.



Nicholas Harris ponders his answer before he writes it.



The class listens intently as Mrs. Childs reads a story.



Mrs. Childs works with Destiny Dent on the computer.



First graders enjoy a hands-on lesson in thinking skills.



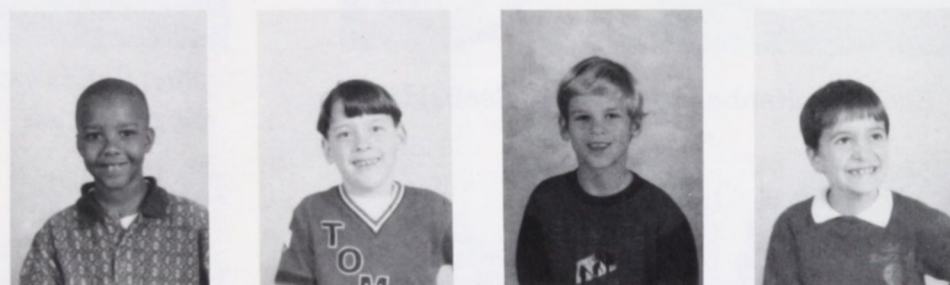
Ryan Martinez practices for the Valentine's dance on the way to the gym.

MR. HANCOCK'S SECOND GRADE

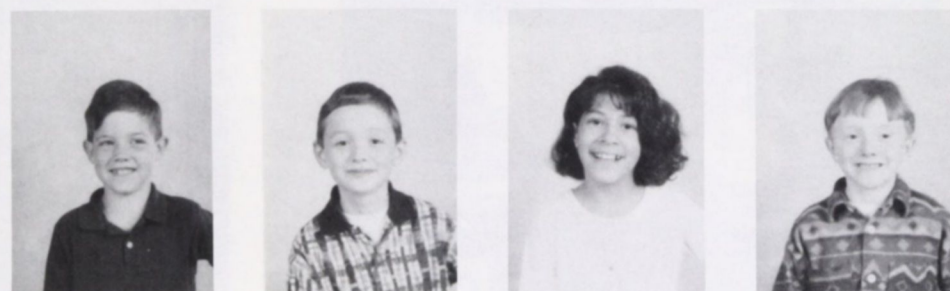
Mr. Hancock
Brandon Boyer
Charles Cherup
Theresa Coniff



Aaron Dent
Patrick Hawkins
Matthew Houck
Benjamin Jaskoski



Jonathon Klein
Riker Knowles
Cortney Lowry
Nicholas Martel



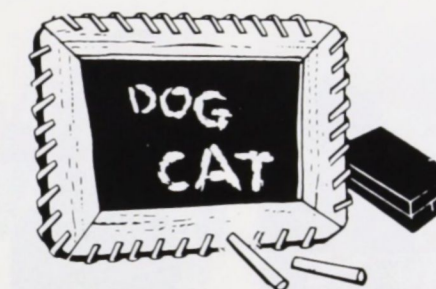
Michael McLean
Riley Montgomery
Adeline Moritz
Bianca Parker



Sabrina Pernol
Britney Reith
Christy Rodriguez
Megan Rosario



Joseph Sadoski
Tom Targazewski
Willie Thomas
Byron White



Cameron Wilson
Sheila Zambrana



We are happy that Adam Fitzgerald, Lauren Gaskell, and Megan Nichols have joined us.



Charles Cherup and Ms. Morris share a few moments together.



Mrs. Houck helps us in the computer lab.



Time telling with clock and mini-boards.

MRS. ERVIN'S THIRD GRADE

Mrs. Ervin
Megan Bane
Joseph Brenninkmeijer
Anthony Byrnes



Sara Callahan
Samantha Cherup
Damon Fleming
Chris Garcia



Keith Hartwig
Curtis Hyde
Daniel Johnson
Danica Jones



Austin Klein
Anthony Maerten
Amanda Miller
Harvey Moore



Michael Nauman
Anita Pantin
Clare Polcar
Brandon Roberson



Grace Sarver
Ashley Weber
Ashley Wheeler
Tasia Yefimov



Jorge Zambrana



Megan Bane and Grace Sarver finish their projects in art class.



Chris Garcia, Anita Pantin, and Ashley Weber complete their valentines.



Sara Callahan reports to the class about a trip she had taken.



Third graders are proud of the quilt that they made together.

MRS. FRISCHBERG'S FOURTH GRADE

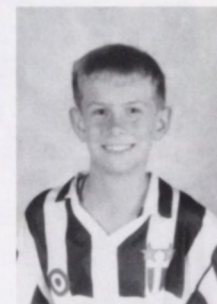
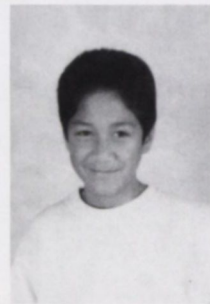
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Kent Balcom
Daniel Hartley
Brandon Johnson



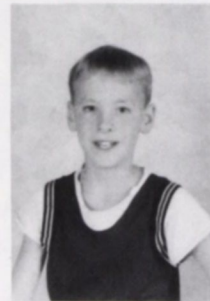
Ben Leatherwood
Matt Martinez
Jessica Matthies
Megan McLean



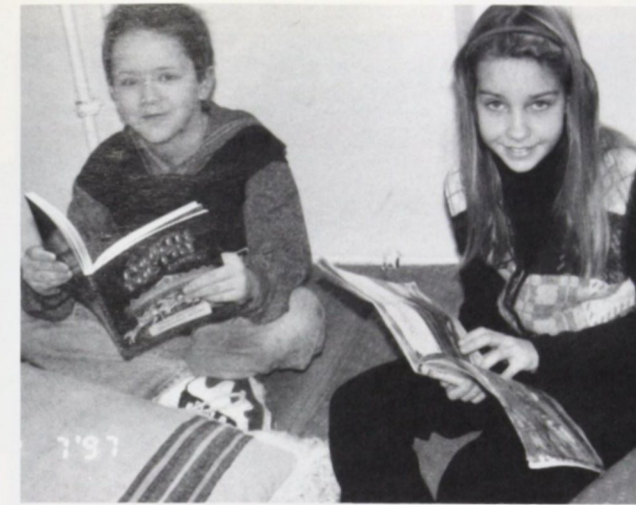
Sanele Moliga
Joseph Morrow
Joel Parker
Chris Redmon



Chris Reith
Niki Rodriguez
Kane Simpson
Keith Simpson



Michael Taxiera
Brittany Winters



Chris Fitzgerald and Ashley Gaskell joined our class after the beginning of school.



Fourth graders pay close attention to the story that Mrs. Frischberg is reading.



Daniel Hartley and Brandon Johnson work on publishing their stories.



Keith Simpson and Niki Rodriguez complete a social studies project.



Fourth graders battle in the Sports Night volleyball extravaganza.

MR. DUGAN'S FIFTH GRADE



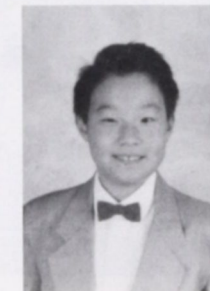
Mr. Dugan
Dylan Becker
Clayton Boyer
Elizabeth Houck



Patrick Hunt
Maria Hyde
Zack Johns
Nicole Klein



Chris Mauldin
Justin McCauley
Jay Meyer
Jose Rodriguez



Jessica Rosario
Rachel Sanders
Matt Spencer
Thalia Tromp



Lori Warder



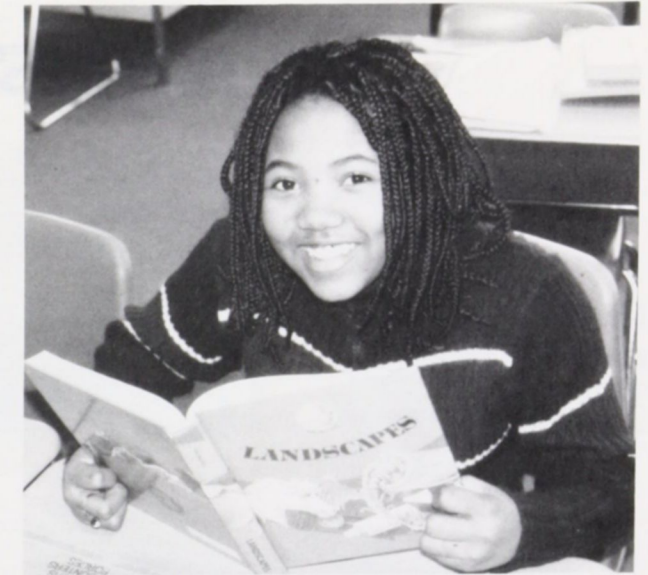
Elizabeth Houck and Thalia Tromp share lunch with their little friends.



Fifth grade boys share their thoughts about stamp collecting.



School dances are very frightening.



We are all happy that Shaquita Mosley has joined our class.



Zack Johns, Patrick Hunt, and Maria Hyde work out in physical education.



Do these faces look like those of someone who just got away with something?

MR. ERVIN'S SIXTH GRADE

Mr. Ervin
Amanda Balcom
Todd Bane
Ashley Brown



Bryan Carmella
Maggi Edgar
Brendan Eggleston
Jeff Ellis



Nadine Johnson
Nicole Martinez
Erin McGregor
Demitrius McHugh



Travis McPeak
Heather Moore
Tammy Moorman
Nick Pantin



Irene Polcar
Adrienne Robinson
Megan Silver
Paul Towery



Dan Von Kaenel
Amber Wheeler
Caity Wilson
Lyssa Zambrana



Mrs. Carmella and Adrienne Robinson
put finishing touches on our mummy.



Nick Pantin doesn't like to be seen until
his makeup is perfect.



We were happy to have Ms. Kelly Morris and
Ms. Angela Lavoie as student teachers.



That snorting sound you hear is sixth
graders eating in the cafeteria.

YEARBOOK STAFF



Left to right: Adrienne Robinson, Todd Bane, Demetrius McHugh, Nadine Johnson, Caity Wilson.

SAFETY PATROL



Front, left to right: Jay Meyer, Maria Hyde, Michael Taxiera. Back, left to right: Brittany Winters, Lori Warder, Daniel Hartley, and Justin McCauley.

STUDENT COUNCIL



Officers: Front--Caity Wilson, president; Back--Nadine Johnson, secretary; Brendan Eggleston, vice-president; Megan Silver, treasurer.



Representatives: Seated, left to right--Nadine Johnson, Megan Silver, Lyssa Zambrana, Elizabeth Houck, Caity Wilson, Anita Pantin, Joseph Morrow, and Ben Leatherwood. Standing, left to right--Rachel Sanders, Mrs. Hancock, Nick Pantin, Brandon Roberson, and Brendan Eggleston.

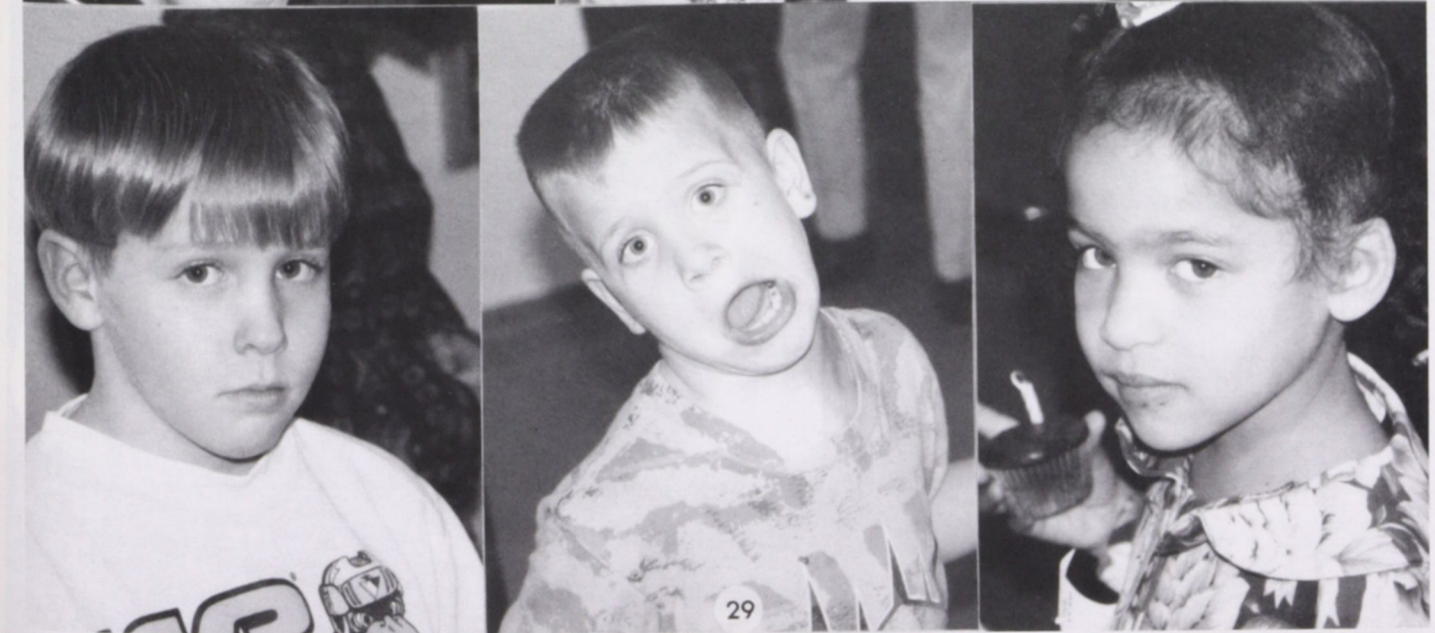
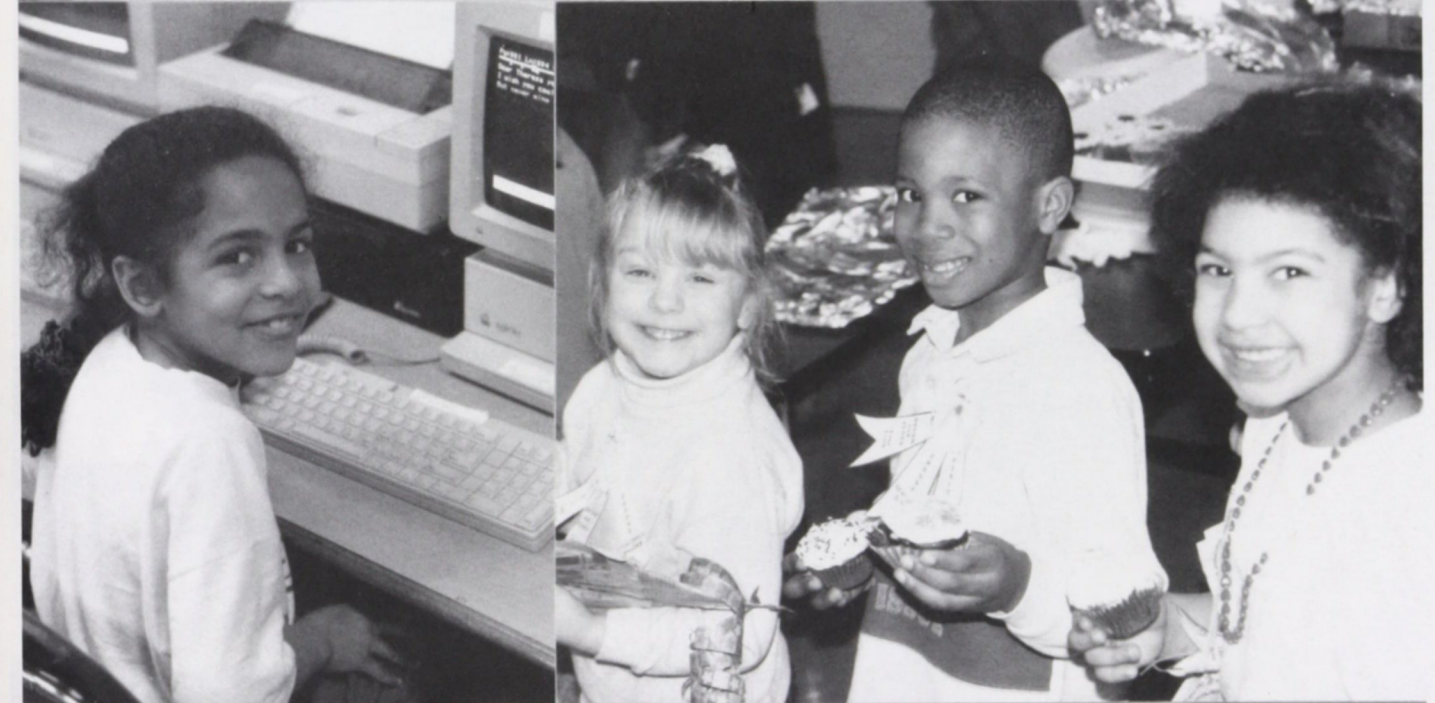
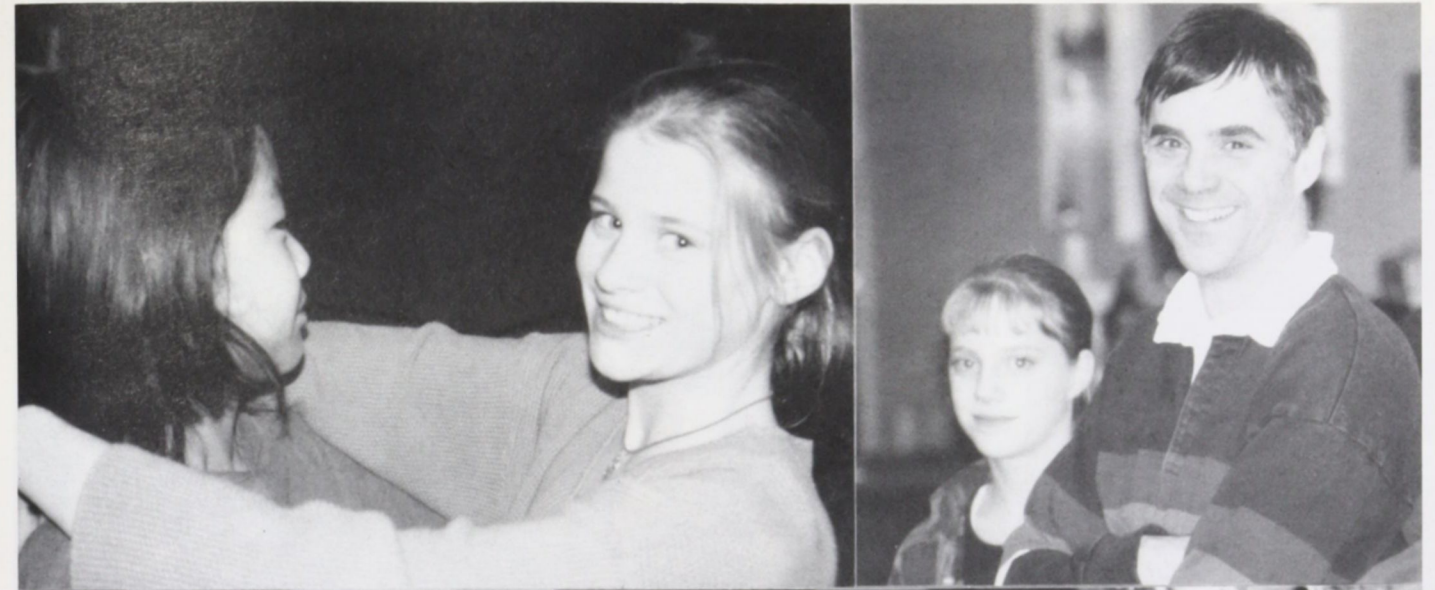
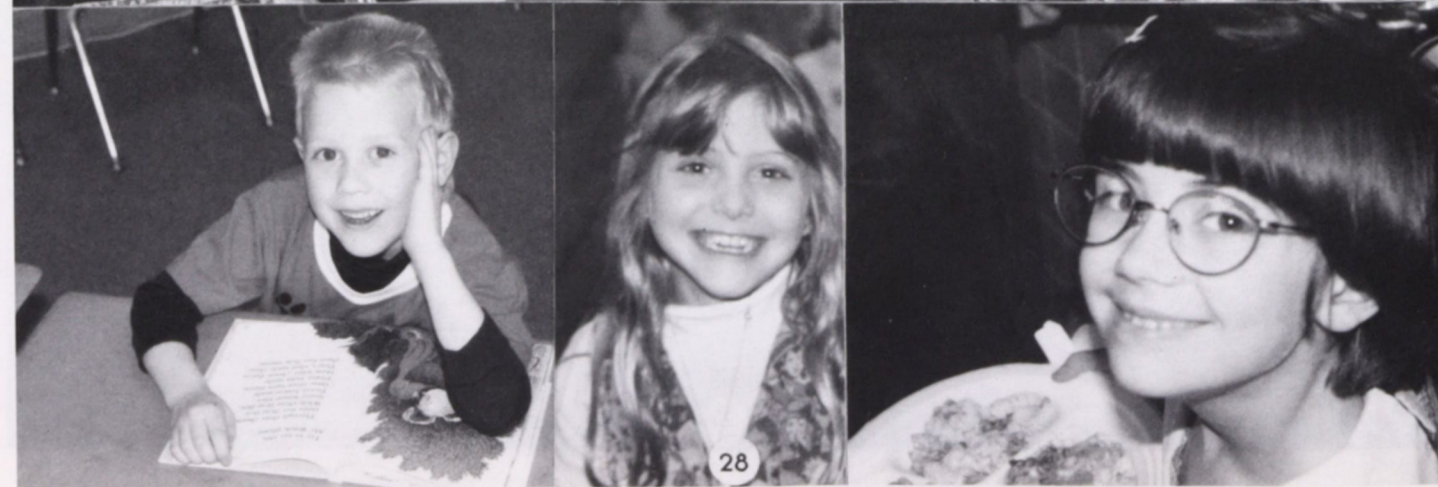
PARENTS IN ACTION

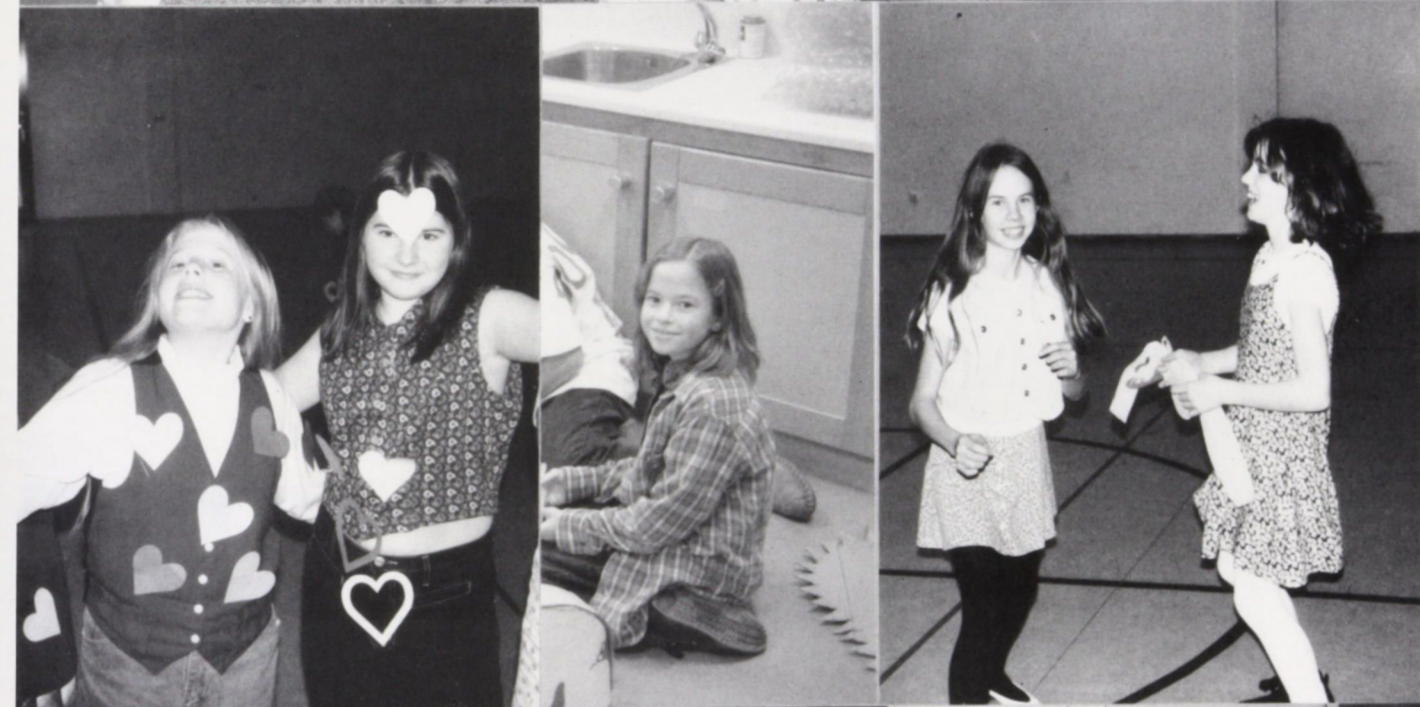


PTA Board Members: front, left to right--Chris Mitchell, Debbie Boyer, Ann Towery, Laura Spencer, Gretchen Rosario, Rhonda Montgomery. Back--Cindi Ervin, Donna Pabon, Tam Frischberg, and Kathy Leatherwood.

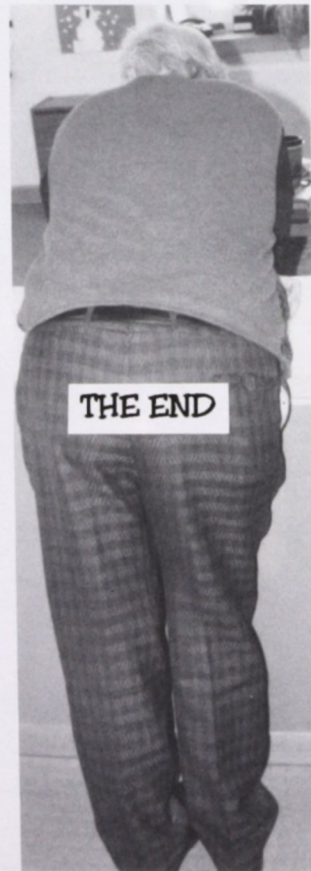


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