

LIVORNO HIGH SCHOOL HOME OF THE LIONS





"Livorno School opened when Camp Darby was established as a support base in 1952 for the American troops stationed in Austria at the height of the Cold War. The first school was a Kindergarten through 12th grade school located in a house in the community of Ardenza with only two teachers. Secondary students took correspondence courses, initially conducted by parents, and later by a full-time teacher. When the Mediterranean Division of the Corps of Engineers arrived in 1954, the enrollment increased considerably and the school moved to the Hotel Corallo across from the Livorno railroad station. In 1958 the high school was transferred to Camp Darby where the current school building has been since that time. The first graduating class was the class of 1965 with six graduates. In 1970 there were 42 graduates. Four graduates will represent the graduating class of 2007 at the final graduation ceremony for Livorno School." ~ Cathy Magni, Principal





MEMORIES OF LUS:

Alum Quotes

"I never felt that there was a divide between the classes: we were all LAHS Lions and we were proud to be so."

- Christopher Soboleski '76

"This news was somewhat of a shock, I guess because I was in the first graduating class of LAHS, and because I hoped that there would be another reunion there. I had a great time in Italy. Being there at that age was wonderful, and living in Livorno and Verona was exciting. I had great friends and great fun, and saw many wondrous sites. The memories are, well, I can't think of the right word." - Don Carroll '56

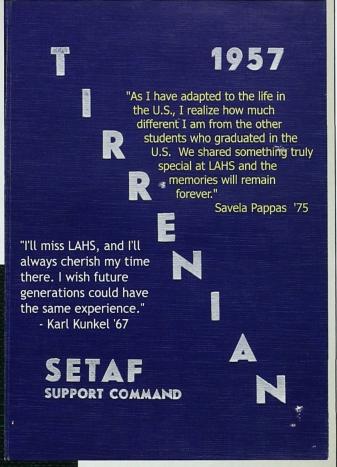


"Livorno American High School! A place to learn, a place to live, a place to experience. But most of all, a place to make lasting friendships that have forever molded part of who we have become."

- Carl R. Addlesberger '66

TESORETTO

"I firmly believe that the time spent at Darby was a more valuable experience than any I could have ever had stateside. - Billy Yarborough '66



"What stands out in my memory is the orderly way so many students cooperated to have lunch - all at the same time as I recall. All ages blended, helped one another, and continued the spirit of team work just as they saw their parents doing in the military mission."

- Michael A. Rios '68

"All of us lucky enough to attend LAHS will carry with us for the rest of our lives the lasting friendships, the excellent education and the experience of being part of a large family that really cared about one another."

- Linda (Rutherford) Fournier "62

MEMORIES OF LUS: CURRENT QUOTES

"My greatest moments at LUS were at Homecoming. It is a memory I don't think any student will forget." - Charlotte Lucas

"The school is small and like a big family. Everybody gets along with each other." - Alex

"The Homecoming this year was the most memorable moment of 2007 at LUS. Everyone danced and had a wonderful time!" - Madeline O'Brien

"Though LUS is small it has many things large schools don't. For example, my favorite thing about this school is how easy it is to learn about everyone and get to know them."

"SPORTS TRIPS. GOING TO GERMANY FOR BASKETBALL REGIONALS AND AVIAND FOR VOLLEYBALL CHAMPION-- MIGUEL VICENTE

"The memory I won't forget is how fast I made friends and how everyone accepted me." Weston Jackson

"The best memory I had at LUS was meeting the Saler and hanging out w them because the always made me - Denise Watki

> One thing liked about this school is that it had many activites like the pep ralley. All had a great time' Mikael Vicente

"MY BEST MEMORY WAS LEARNING MY ARTISTIC SKILL, I NEVER LIKED ART OR DRAWING BUT NOW IT'S MY -GIANLUCA

"I will always remember this small, but cool school." - Elspeth Rensema

FAVORITE PASTTIME."

1962

ALESSIO BUCCELLATO



COLLEGE AND EARN AN

ARCHITECTURE DEGREE

"THE GREATER DANGER FOR MOST OF US LIES NOT IN SETTING OUR AIM TOO HIGH AND FALLING SHORT, BUT IN SETTING OUR AIM TOO LOW AND ACHIEVING OUR MARK."

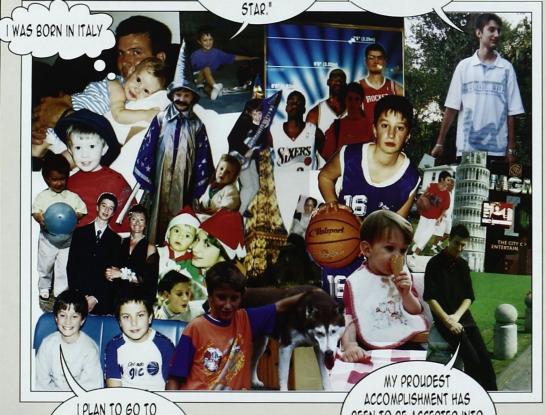


TO THE YOUNGER STUDENTS I WOULD SAY, "FOLLOW YOUR OWN IN FIVE YEARS
I SEE MYSELF FINISHING
MY MASTERS DEGREE

BEEN TO BE ACCEPTED INTO

3 COLLEGES & TO LEARN

A SECOND LANGUAGE.





JENNIFER

"DANCE AS THOUGH NO ONE IS WATCHING YOU. LOVE AS THOUGH YOU HAVE NEVER BEEN HURT BEFORE. SING AS THOUGH NO ONE CAN HEAVEN IS ON EARTH."

-ANONYMOUS





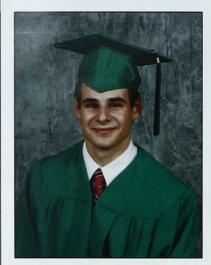
MICHAEL ANDREW SHEETS

"IMPOSSIBLE IS NOTHING."
-ADIDAS





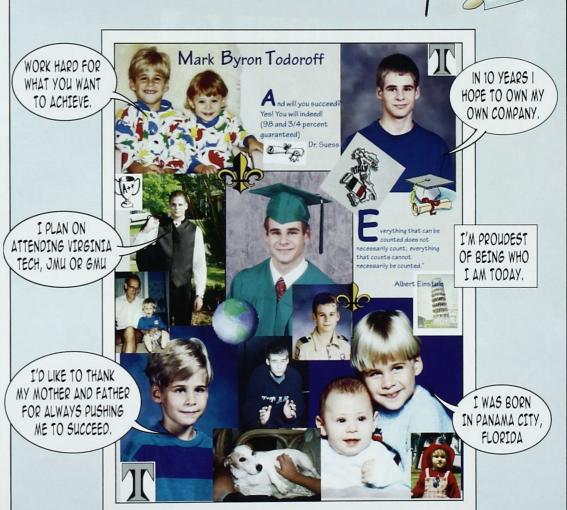




BYRON

"LIFE IS LIKE A BOX OF CHOCOLATES - YOU NEVER KNOW WHAT YOU'RE GOING TO GET." - FORREST GUMP





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st Will & Testament

My Parents... I bequeath to you my messy room, my basketball jersey & my computer.

Byron... I bequeath to you my Captain's patch and my height.

Lucas... I bequeath to you my first techno mix. Mike.. I bequeath to you my Milan jersey.

Jennifer... I bequeath to you a box of chocolate. Ms. Gunn... I bequeath to you a present.

To Me... I bequeath good luck for the future.



Alessio



JENNIFER

GIANLUCA ... I BEQUEATH TO YOU A TIRE SWING & BOX OF TISSUES.

LUC ... I BEQUEATH TO YOU THAT \$5 I OWE YOU. DAVID ... I BEQUEATH TO YOU A CAT. LERON ... I BEQUEATH TO YOU THE QUIET GAME. CHRIS ... I BEQUEATH TO YOU A TACO.

TO ANYONE STAYING HERE... I BEQUEATH TO YOU MY LOCKER

TO MY FELLOW STUDENTS... I BEQUEATH TO YOU MY GRADUATION PICTURES SO YOU WILL REMEMBER ME.

TO MY PARENTS... I BEQUEATH TO YOU MY ROOM AND MANY THANKS.



MICHAEL



Byron

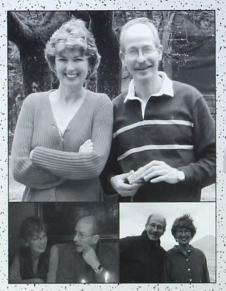
Livorno High School... I bequeath to you my locker and this will and pages in this yearbook.

Students... I bequeath to you my senior picture and autograph. Friends... I bequeath to you all the memories we had chillin'.

Teachers... I bequeath to you a thanks for helping me get

through the year. Kent Todoroff... I bequeath to you my room when I move out

to college. Theresa & Doug Todoroff... I bequeath to you a thanks for making me what I am today.



RETIRED 2007

Pam Austin

Pam has been teaching since 1978 and has been with DoDDs for 21 years 18 in Japan, 3 with LUS.

"... Artist, art lover, writer, optimist, ray of sunshine, actress, very creative person with a range of talents... these nouns describe Pam." - Alice O.

"I remember busily preparing for National History Day when school was not in session. We told students they could come in anyway if they wished. The entire school was filled with students eagerly working and involved with placing the final touches on their projects. It was awesome to feel that enthusiasm for learning throughout the school," - Cathy Magni

The purpose of art is washing the dust of daily life off our souls."

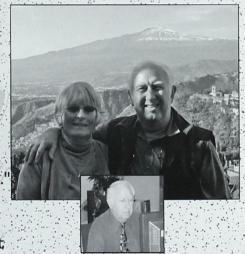
Pablo Picasso

Bill Douglas

"When I retire I plan to travel and see the USA, organize my pictures, videos, and music and then (maybe) teach computer skills to old people on cruise lines near us in Florida."

"I have been with DoDDs 41 years in seven different schools in four different countries."

"Keep a positive attitude about any new situation whether it be a transfer, a new teaching position, or a new country. Don't let negative people drag you down, and NEVER start a sentence with "In my old school we did it this way—"."



RETIRED 2007

"I still find each day too short for all the thoughts I want to think, all the walks I want to take, and all the friends I want to see."

John Burroughs

"My greatest memories of LUS are in the faces of my students. I have a picture album that one of them gave me for Christmas, and it always warms my heart when I reflect back over the years."

"I have been in the field of education since 1981, DoDDs for 16 years."

"During retirement I plan to redecorate a place in Florida, hike the Appalachian Trail, golf, read, make quilts for charity and perhaps volunteer at an animal shelter."

Vicki Edwards



RETIRED 2007

"Whoever is happy will make others happy too." Anne Frank

Kathleen Hall



RETIRED 2007

"After retirement, Leon and I are building a home in Fort Worth Texas and plan to call it the "Rockin' B" Ranch."

> "I have been with DoDDs 16 years - 3 in Bitburg, Germany, 13 in Livorno."

"My favorite memory at LUS was our first bonfire in 2005."

"Remember who you are and where you come from."

"If you can't say nothin' nice, don't say nothin' at all."

Thumper's Father (Bambi)

JUNIORS Class of 2008







William Berrios

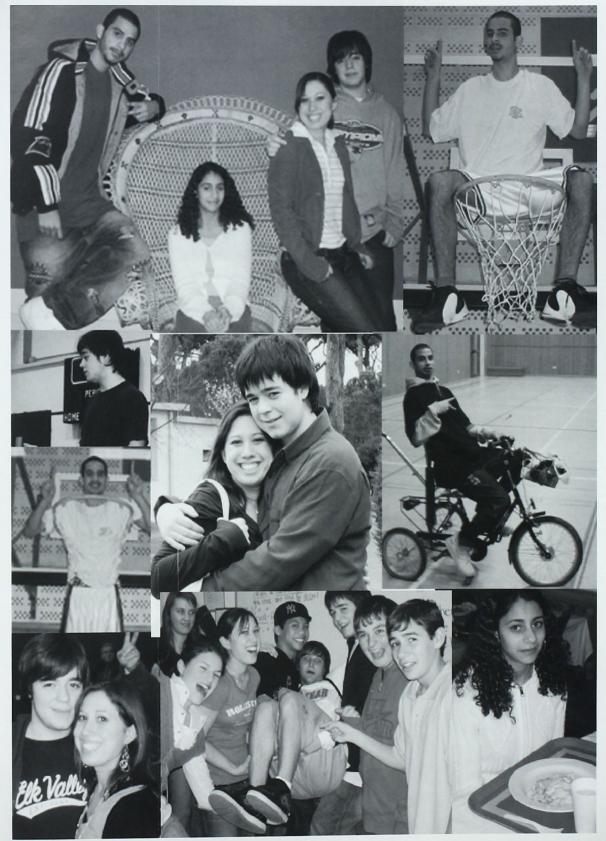


Lauren Pullin



Christopher Wheeler





SOPHOMORES Class of 2009



Gianluca Chaffey



Jacob Denkins



Lucien Gassie



Lucas Salerno



Miguel Vicente



Denise Watkins





FRESHMEN Class of 2010



Christian Acosta



Veronica Escalona



Sebastian Miller



Amanda Oliver



Timothy Salerno





8th GRADE



Kevin Acreman



Che-Wei Chang



Soraria Fagundes



Nelson Fischer



Laurel Gassie



Alexander Guerra



Weston Jackson



Ashley Paxton



Damien Ranger



Courtney Sexton



Bradley Thompson



Zachary Witt





7th GRADE



Adrian Acosta



Francesca Biacan



Mishal Cotugno



Charlotte Lucas



Le Ron Massey



Khloi Miller



Madeline O'Brien



Rebecca Pullin



Elspeth Rensema



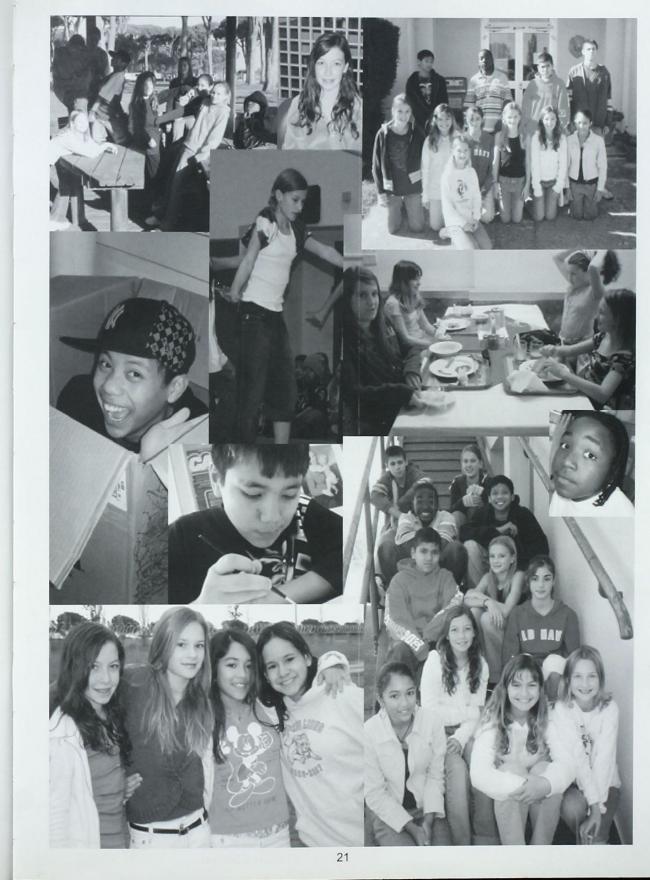
Peter Todoroff



Shaina Tyner



Mikael Vicente



6th GRADE



Kaden Black



Jordan Butler



Susanne Ehnis



Elizabeth Escalona



Marcielina Fischer



Alyssa Gunn



Randy Hubbard



Devon Jackson



Aeriel Lane



Matthew O'Brien



Devin Robinson



Tamara Lawson



Garrett Thweatt



Austen Wheeler



5th GRADE Ms. Edwards



















Britany Barna



Christian Biacan



Trevor Carson



Janice Fischer



Hayden Gerstenkorn



Brooke Hoag



Lydia Kessinger



Kayla Lucas



Kaidan Mafnas



Yasemin Miller



Dylan Parker



Brandy Pelka



4th GRADE Ms. Swecker





Dustin Acreman



Sean Apollonio



Anthony Guerra



Matthew Hallenbeck



Erin Laverenz



Maria Lowe



Yesim Miller



Nicholas Sexton



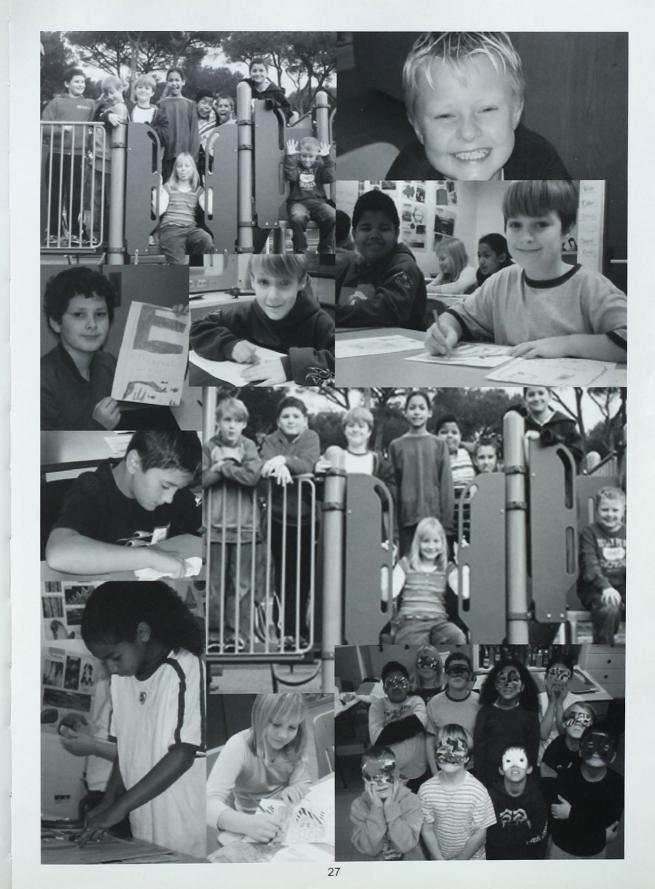
Travis Snowden



Eugene Sullivan



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3rd GRADE Ms. Jornigan





Zachary Acosta



Miranda Fino



Connor Gerstenkorn



William Hennis



Taylor Keene



Sophia Lowe



Brendan Mafnas



LeBria Massey



Kai McKinney



Elisabeth Pulaski



Mara Quintero



Sarah Ramon



Raven Ranger



Joshua Sizinski



Josie Witt



2nd GRADE Ms. Del Moro







Martha Barna



Rachel Barna



William Bowden



Taylor Carson



Davide Cotugno



Kaden Daigle



Jillian Kessinger



Amber Koch



Christian Maturano



Elijah Miller



Trevor Miller



Celeste Packer



Autumn Pryor



Austin Smith



Kaden Wood



1st GRADE Ms. Moses





Tyler Andler



Joshua Dabney



Theadore Fischer



Emily Gerstenkorn



Deondrea Green



Gregory Lawson



Daichi McKinney



Atticus Mills



Christopher Reyes



Timothy Tidwell



Hallie Tyner



Kayla Wagner



KINDERGARTEN Ms. Fino





Stephanie Bryant



Kilani England



Jared Foley



Sven Jacobs



Myo McKinney



Corrine Millis



Massimo Millis



Sydney Millis



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Quinn Quintero



Joshua Skelton-Greer



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Jordan Skye



Eva Smith



PREK Ms. Andler









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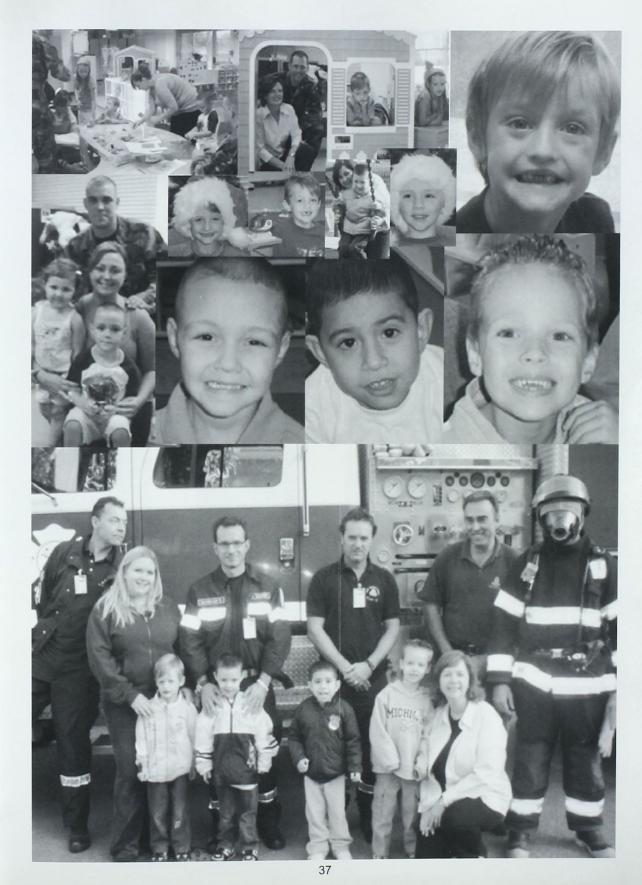


Joe Salazar



Jonah Stadler





ADMINISTRATION



Cathy Magni Principal



Carol Paulsen **Assistant Principal**

EDUCATORS



Lisa Andler PSCD/CI

Carol Damm

Special Ed

Fabrizio Ghezzi

Host Nation/Italian





James Bartlett Math/Science



Meg Del Moro Grade 2



Peter DeLuca ES/HS Music

Kathleen Hall

Eng/Video/TLC



Bill Douglas Business Lab





Robi Jornigan Grade 3



Angie Fino Kindergarten

Jason Keuter French/Soc.St.

EDUCATORS



Linda Lenz Math/Science



Julie McDonough Nurse



Melinda Moses Grade 1



Vicki O'Brien PE



Kay Roll Gifted Ed



Mary Salerno Information Specialist



Suzanne Sperl Art/PTS



Mary Swecker Grade 4



Jeff Taylor Math/Science



Kathleen Theisen Math/Science



Dale Thompson **Guidance Counselor**



Benjamin Willhoite Educational Tech

OFFICE STAFF



Marina Selmi Secretary



Sue Douglas Secretary



Vivian Ramon Transportation

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Dinsmore Thomas Supply Clerk



Sergio Magherini Supply/Maintenance

EDUCATIONAL AIDES



Lindsey Cole Aide - Prek



Toni Daigle Aide - Kindergarten



Linda Willhoite Aide - Special Ed

SUPPORT STAFF



David Andler Long-term Sub



Marisol Guerra Library Sub



Stefano Lenzi Admin Technologist



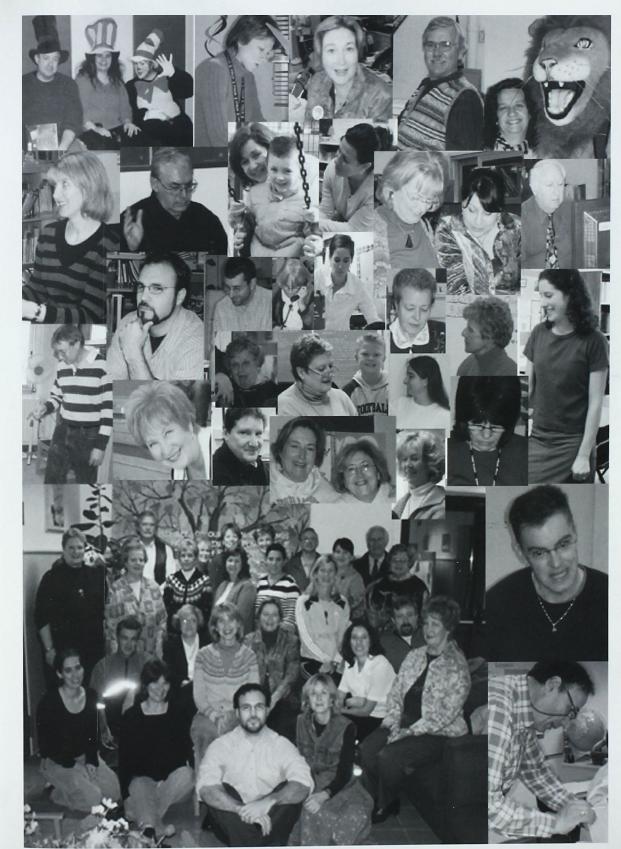
Karen Pryor Library Technician

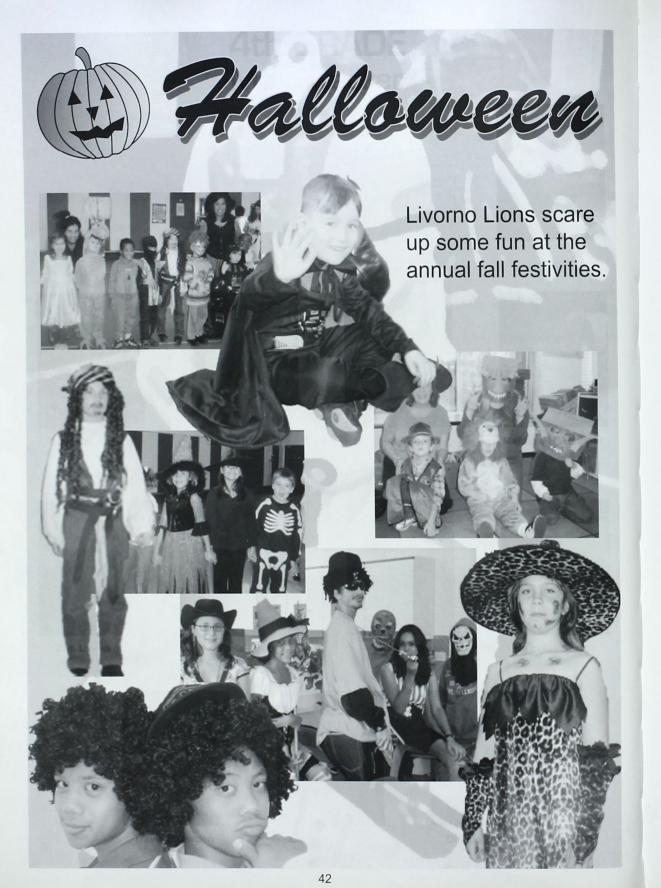


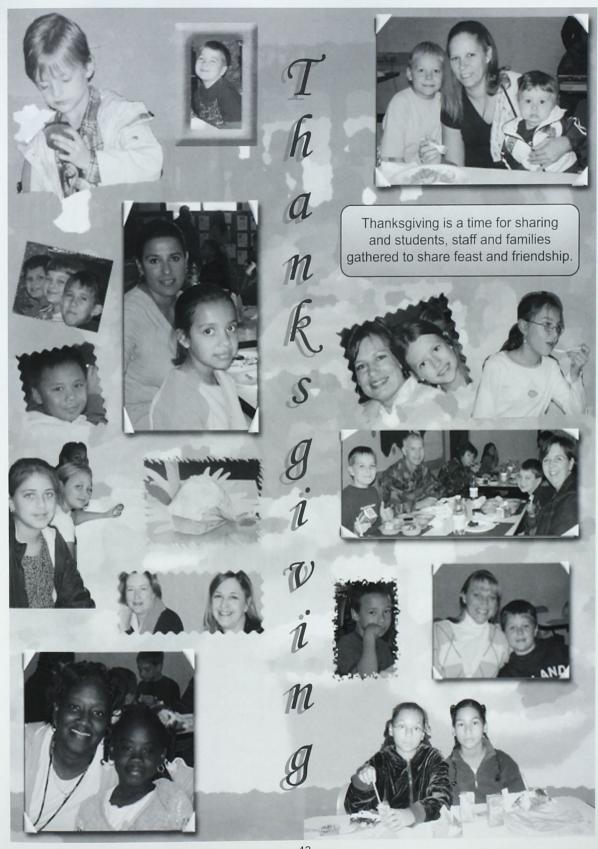


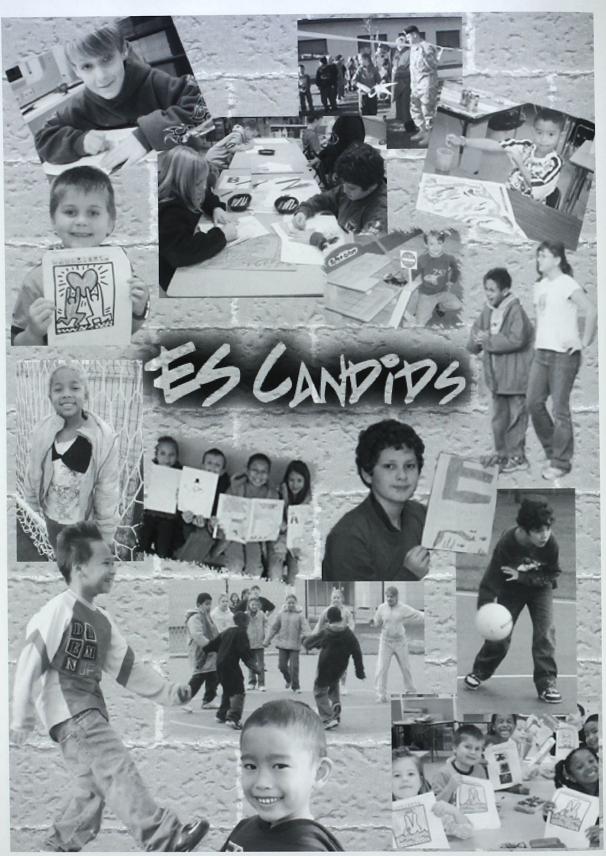


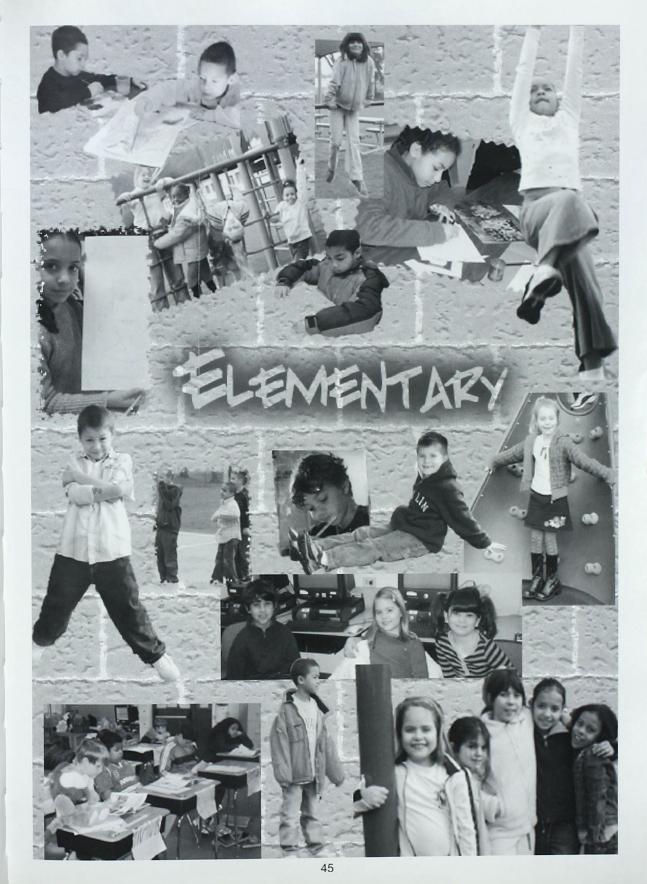


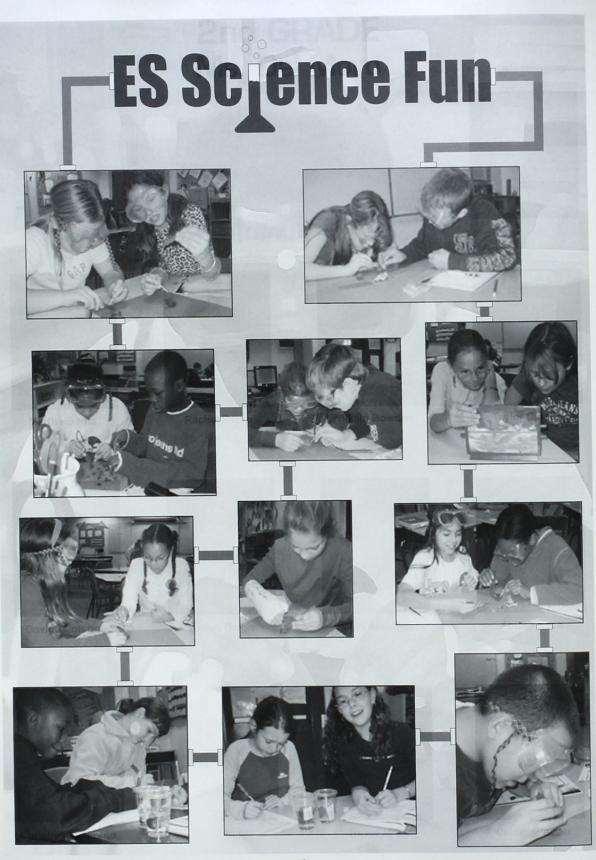




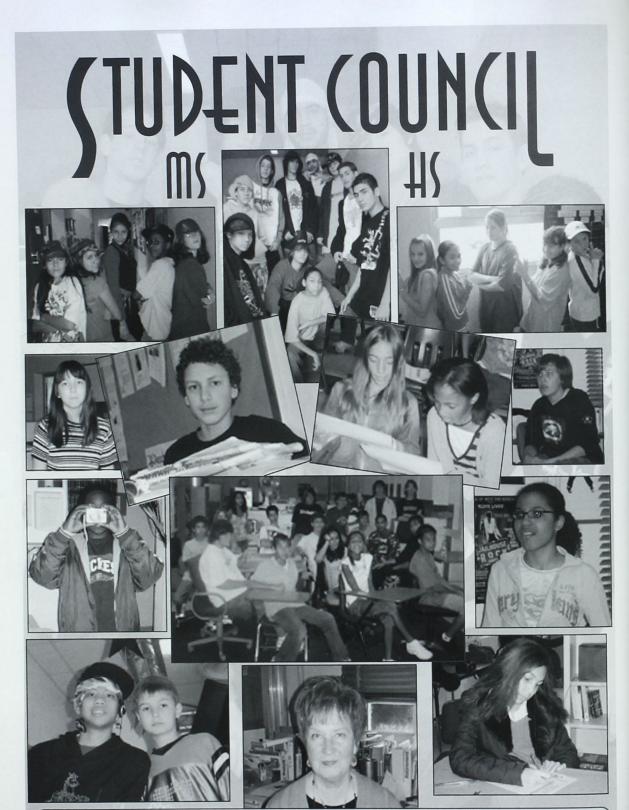












Students are elected as officers and many students are selected from their classes to represent their vote. Members choose themes for Homecoming and the year. This year's theme is "It's Not Over 'till the Lions Roar", which students and parents voted on last year.

The 4th annual 5k Community Fun Run was hosted by the **High School Physical** Education class. The run was sponsored through the efforts of Global Credit Union, 712 Munitions Squadron, Provost Marshall Cpt. Renato Viera and the Fitness Center.



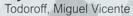
Winners:

Girls 11-14: Mishal Catugno, Madeline O'Brien, Veronica Escalona

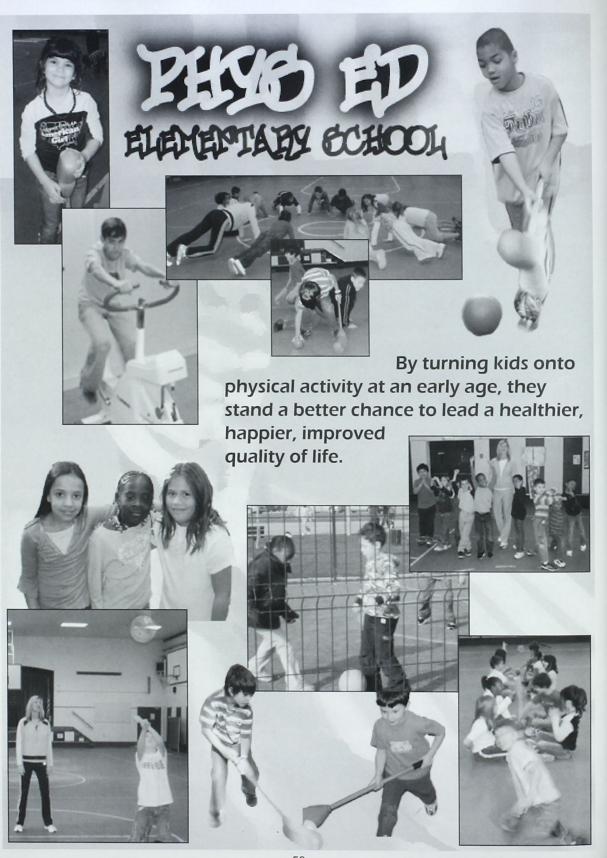
Boys 11-14: Alex Guerra, Sebastian Miller, Kent Todoroff & Frank Hernandez

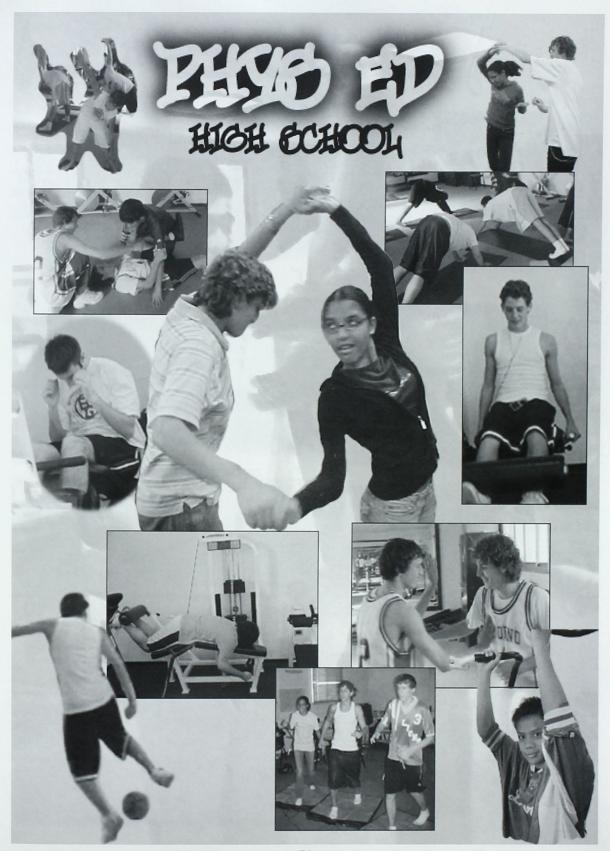
Girls 15-18: Denise Watkins

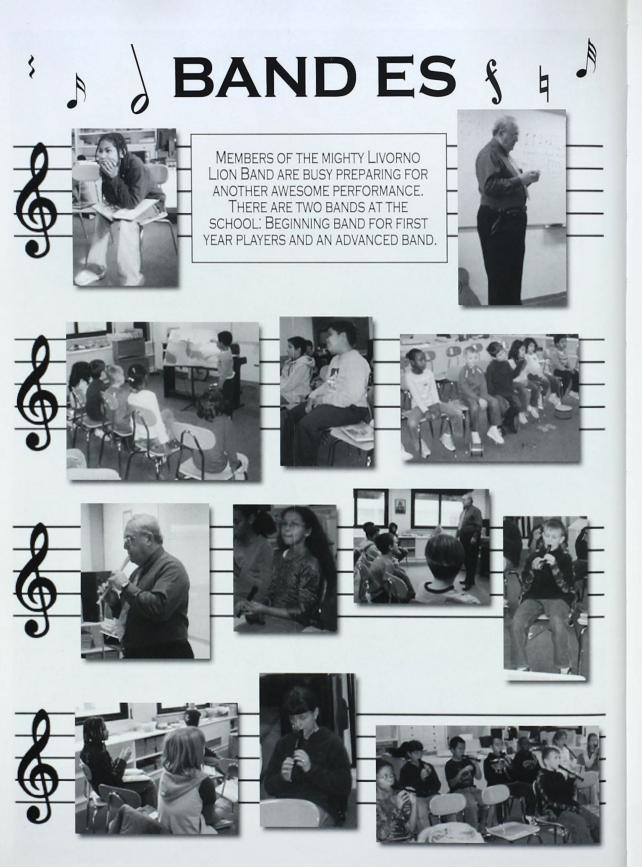
Boys 15-18: Jacob Denkins, Byron













National History Day

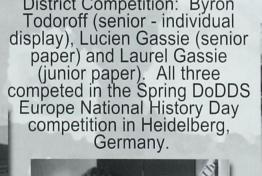






Students in grades 7 through
12 participated in this year's
National History Day. Their
entries in the competition ranged
from group documentary films to
individual display boards, all
addressing the theme "Triumph
and Tragedy in History". Three
Livorno students were selected
as winners in the Mediterranean
District Competition: Byron
Todoroff (senior - individual



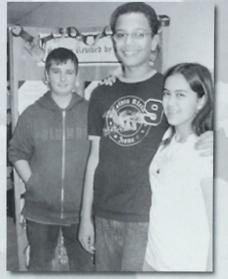








National History Day













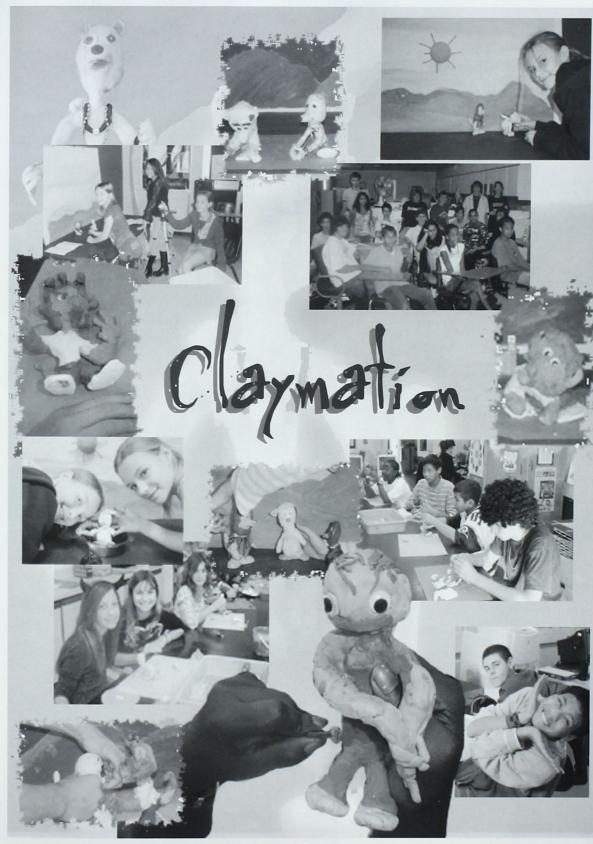








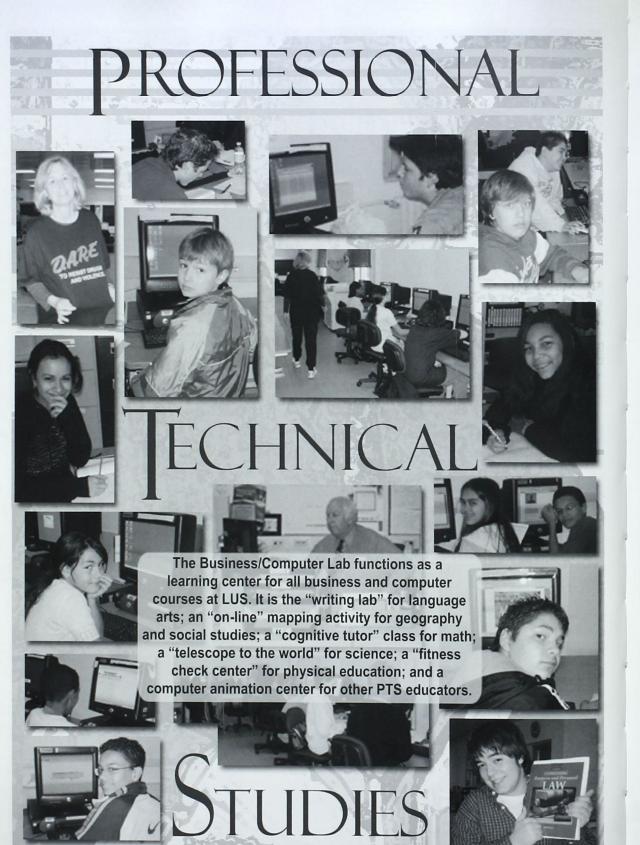


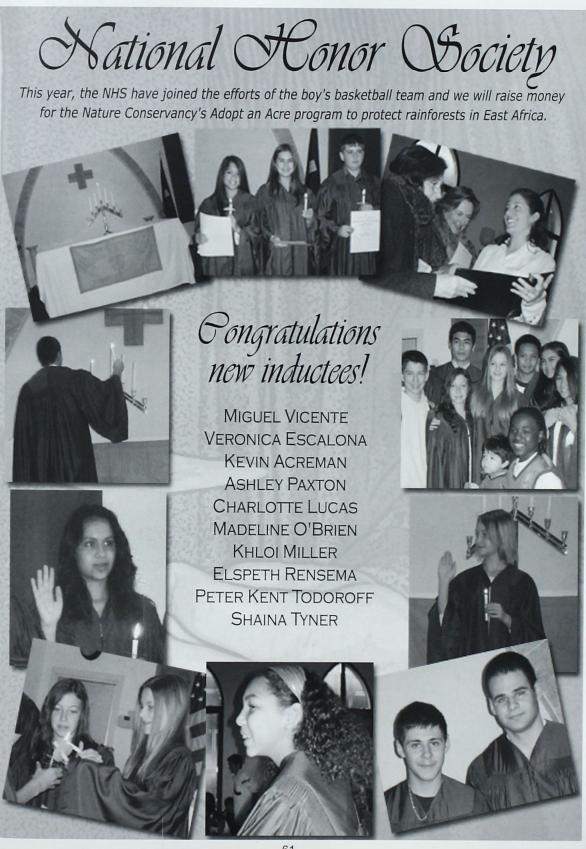






interviewed teachers, students and staff for the end of the year CD and took photos and taped all the school events.

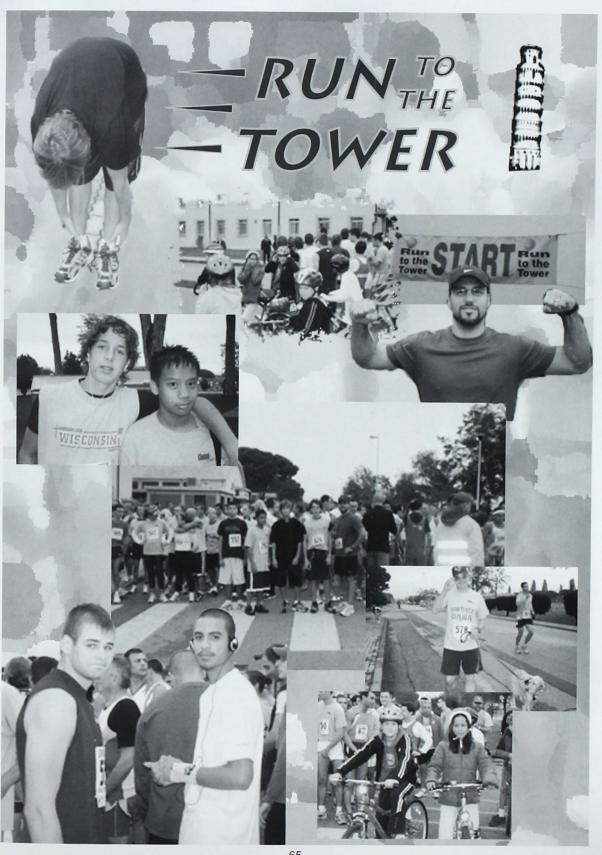


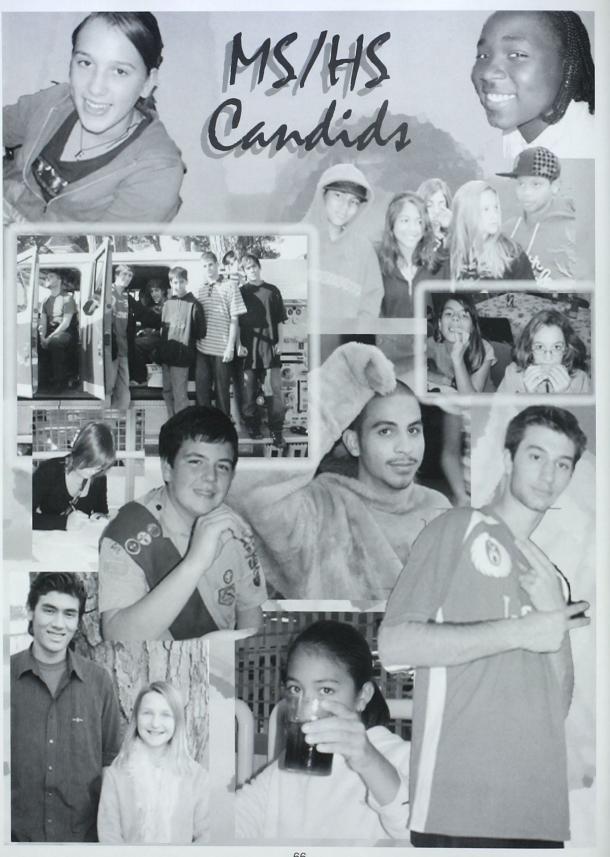


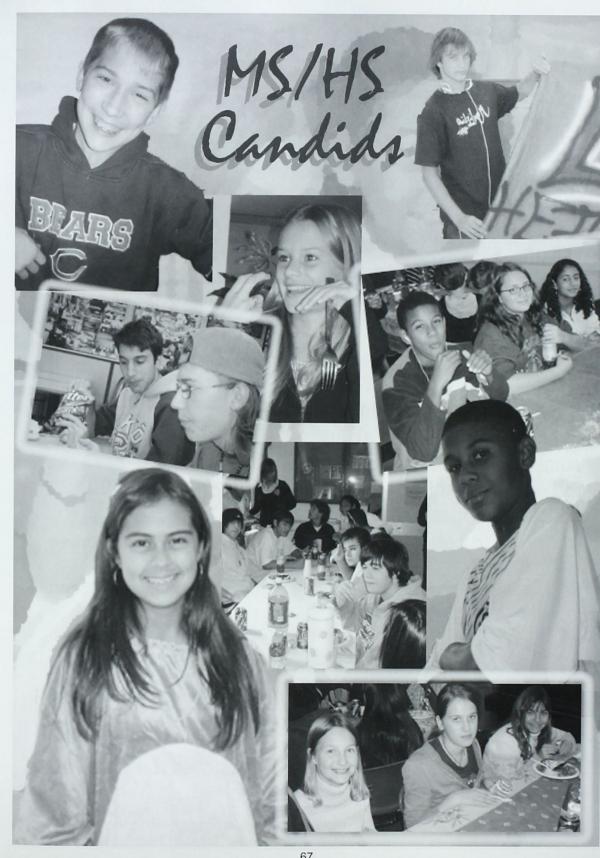












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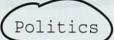
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WEBSITES

- TUNES - SPARKNOTES -Pinkmonkey - MY SPACE

"I believe that education is all about being excited about something. Seeing passion and enthusiasm helps push an educational message."

~ Steve Irwin (1962-2006)



- Rumsfeld resigns
- Dems take back House & Senate
- Delay-Abramoff scandal
- Pelosi 1st woman Speaker

HIROIS

EXTREME HOMEMAKEOVER . FAMILY SUY . LASUNA BEACH PROUD FAMILY . OC . TWENTY FOUR

"Hate is too great a burden to bear. It injures the hater more than it injures the hated. "

~ Coretta Scott King (1926-2006)

Commisary 2006-2007

"It's the quality of the ordinary, the straight, the square, that accounts for the great stability and success of our nation. It's a quality to be proud of. But it's a quality that many people seem to have neglected."

~ Gerald R. Ford (1913-2006)

MUSIC _

YINYANG TWINS GARTH BROOKS FFRGIE CHRISTINA AGUILERA

BOB MARLEY RIHANNA AUDIOSLAVE

LIL ION

Pisa skatepa

PHRASES

'Das wassup" "УО" "aiiiiight"

"Wuss gewd"

Fashion Vans New Era Carmello Aeropostle Sean John AirForce Ones Timberland Fcko

Step Up

Borat

Saw III

Take the Aragon Lead

"To play it safe is not to play." ~ Robert Altman (1925-2006)

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I SKAEL/LEBANON CONFLICT

WOLLEUBALL







The Lion Volleyball team had a good final season. The Lions were lead by MVP/Captain Alessio Buccellato & setter Lucas Salerno. We were fortunate to have several returning players which allowed us to play all teams strong.









Coach - James Bartlett

Team

William Berrios Gianluca Chaffey Lucas Salerno ByronTodoroff Chris Wheeler Alessio Buccellato Jake Denkins Tim Salerno Miguel Vicente



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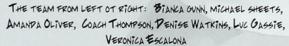




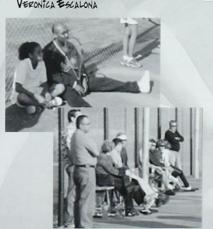














DASKETDALL

2006-2007

The boys basketball team ended up finishing 4-12 this season. Not bad for the smallest school in DoDDS. We swept Marymount, defeated Milan in a thriller 50-47 and crushed Ankara 46-10. We ended the season with a nailbiter against Alconbury in the Division IV quarter-finals, coming back

from 17 down to within 2 before losing 44-39 to end the proud history of Livorno basketball. Lucas Salerno and Alessio Buccellato were named

team co-MVPs for the season for their outstanding play.





LAST L.U.S.



PEP RALLEY



HOMECOMING



GETTING READY



PRE-PARTY PARTY



IN THE COMPANY OF "LIONS"



PRINCE MATTHEW & PRINCESS ELIZABETH



CROWNING MOMENT



KING BYRON & QUEEN JENNIFER



PRINCE WILL & PRINCESS BIANCA





LIONS IN THE "HOOP"

2006-2007



PRINCE CHRISTIAN & PRINCESS VERONICA



PANCING ALL NIGHT



MS. MAGNI ENLOYS THE FESTIVITIES



CUTTING A RUG



LION ROYALTY





PRINCE ALEX & PRINCESS ASHLEY

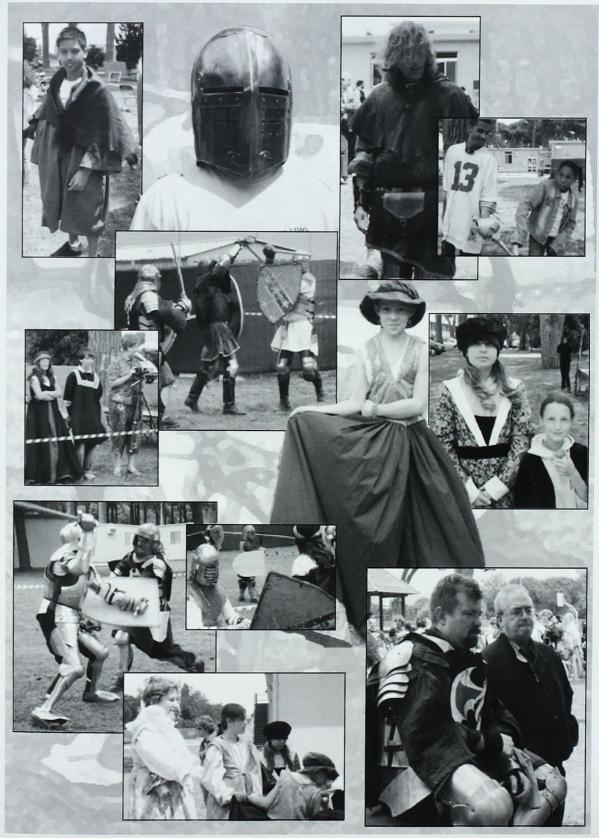


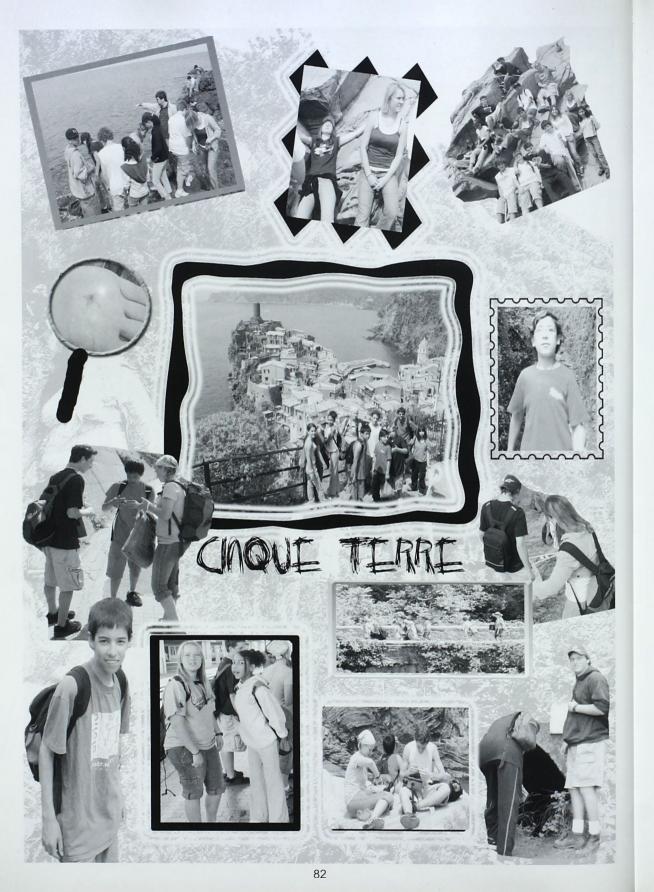
PRINCE ADRIAN & PRINCESS MADELINE



LUS HOMECOMING 2007









Congratulations Lions!

Well done on completing another rigorous academic year full of learning, growth and new experiences. I am as proud of your many accomplishments as your parents and teachers.

During the course of this year, you have conducted yourselves splendidly as fine American young adults. You've served as outstanding role models to your younger peers and you've been effective ambassadors of your country in a foreign land. Your efforts reflect great credit on you, your parents and your school.

With the inevitability of the High School closure at the end of the school year, this has turned into a bittersweet year for LAUS and I know that it has affected all of you. However, I'm very pleased with the dignity and pride in which you have handled the situation.

A special note for our graduating seniors; as the last graduating class in Livorno HS history, you carry with you the legacy of almost 40 years of excellence. Wear it with pride. Along with earning a diploma, you've also earned several notable accomplishments throughout your high school tenure. Well done!

Good luck and God speed in all of your future endeavors.

Stephen J. Sicinski Lieutenant Colonel, Infantry Commanding

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Dear Lions,

I know we're all going to miss this school and all our friends. Even though our school is small we learned a lot, not just our basic subjects but about friendship and how we need to work together to be successful. If you're moving to the US, Germany, Florence or even down to the Elementary school, don't forget the lion spirit.

Like Miss Lolly said (play Y'all) "The past is better then the present, the present is over in a blink of an eye, but the past is the past forever. Don't ever let go of your past it's a big part of who you are."

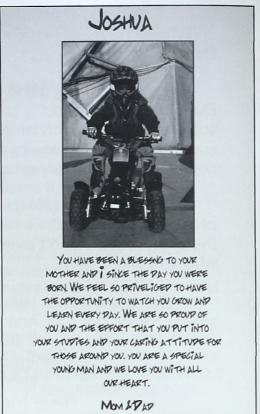
With these words, I wish you the best of luck at your new school. Peace out Y'all. And remember

"Memories last forever.
Never do they die.
True friends stay together.
And never say goodbye"
~ Anon

Ciao, Amanda Oliver, Student Council President









Congratulations Class of 2007

We are so proud of you.

As you depart the Livorno Unit School remember, each day you advance your education you advance your career tomorrow.





The Brothers of Benjamin Franklin Lodge # 591, F. & A.M; Grand Oriente d' Italia



FEDERAL EDUCATION ASSOCIATION

PHENOMENAL

We're looking for future teachers who fit this description.

CONGRATULATIONS

and Best Wishes to the Class of 2007



education for democracy/democracy for education American federation of teachers (afl-cio)

"You must begin to think of yourself as becoming the person you want to be."

David Viscott

The Overseas Federation of Teachers (OFT) was founded in 1963 to represent the professional, economic and social interests of teachers employed in the Department of Defense schools. The OFT now represents teachers working in Spain, Portugal, Turkey, Bahrain, Greece and Italy.

The Livorno Unit School Parent Teacher Student Organization (LUS PTSO)

The PTSO at Work for You!

- ~ 3.5 Luncheons
- ~ Scholastic Book Sales
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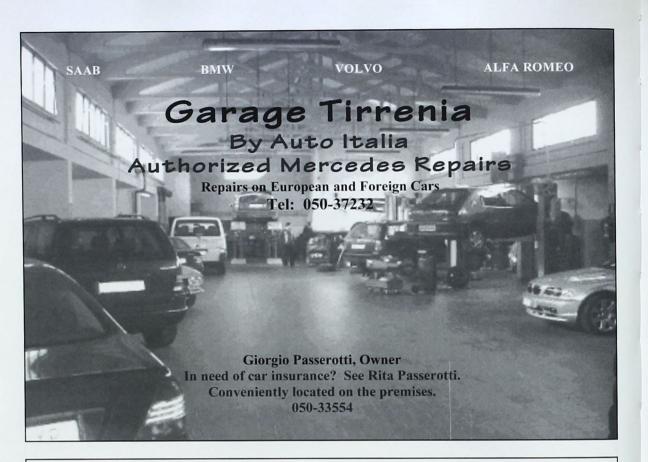






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