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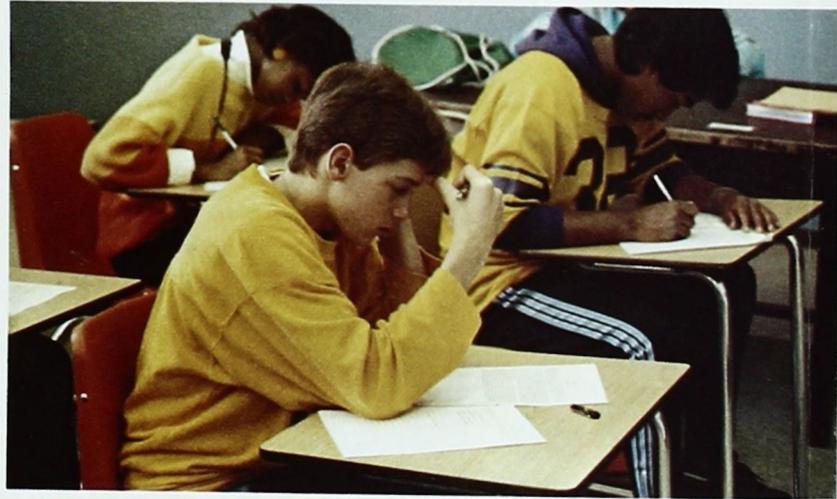
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Welcome,

we invite you to turn through the following pages and to read with "a heart that watches and receives". We have discovered that watching is not an impersonal activity but an invigorating interaction. The open-hearted watcher is as much affected by what is seen as the active participant. We see and what we see changes how we think and feel. We hope that as you wander through these pages, whether today or ten years from today, that time will be briefly cast aside and that

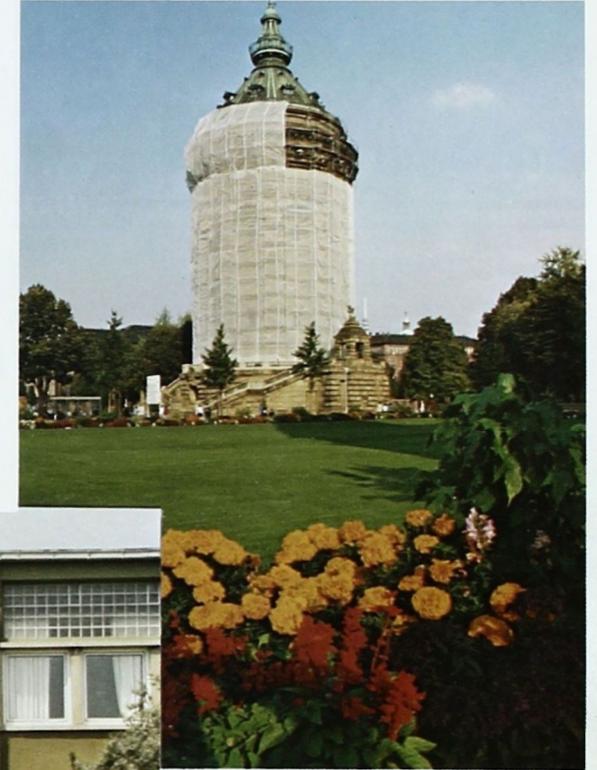
the memories embodied in both word and photograph will recapture your imagination, resurrecting a sense of "Us" and "Now". You see, Mannheim has always been a dynamic meeting point. Try to remember that we were a family drawn together by day-to-day work, spirit, and love — a team striving for excellence and winning.

Watching us now, seeing all that was, perhaps will grant you moments of joy or somber reflections. It did for US.



"Come forth ..."

and bring with you ...



a heart that watches ...



and receives."

— William Wordsworth

*Watch
More
Now*



*“The Happiness of life is
made up of minute
fractions”*
— Samuel T. Coleridge

Student Life

Students race against time to make it to one of the lunch destinations.

Cari Carter and Jeff Alton use this special time to complete homework.



Shawn O'Brien prefers to just hang around.

Heather Kennedy, Carolyn Becking, and Sandy Taylor all gather in Senior Hall to break for lunch.



Some students prefer the Bowling Center for lunch.



Fast Time, Break Time, Thank Goodness It's Lunchtime

Listen, the bell ending 5th period rings and our school halls are alive once again. All around people are asking, "What do you want to do for lunch?" For many of us, lunch is an important time to restore some lost energy. There are a variety of places for you to

choose from to enjoy a hardy lunch — from the middle school cafeteria up to Burger King. Lunch is also a time to finish forgotten homework, to attend club meetings, or just hang around. With such limited time for lunch, however, we still make every second count.

Anything Goes

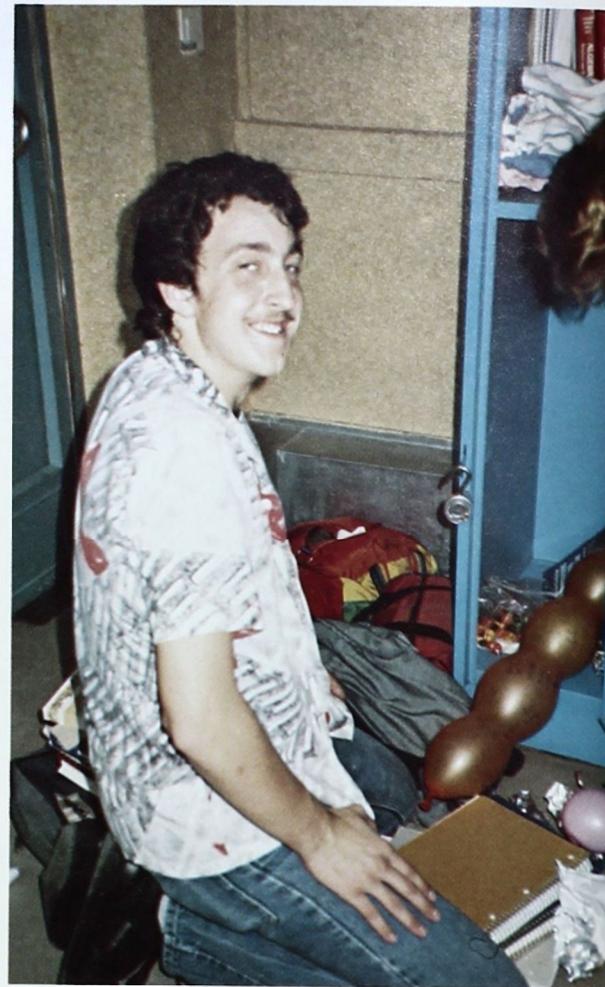
Showing off their freestyle abilities are Jay Johnson and Brian Groeschel.

Lower left: No matter how popular Swatches are, this is a bit ridiculous.



Left: As Krik Sowers organizes his locker, we are all struck by his fashion style.

Lower Right: Corena Raines shows off the latest fall fashions in black.



Katie Freimuth and Karyn Gornto look on with the ever-popular bug-eyed sunglasses.

Lower Left: Eva Maximov shows off her interior design as well as her striped style.

Below: Members of the Volleyball team dressed in a layered look help out at the pep rally



"Anything goes"

In dress whether the image pursued was preppy, punk, or casual, Mannheim had it. In games free-style skateboarding took the school by storm with hacksacking a close second. Our music was as varied as our lifestyles. Rock, soul, heavy metal, new wave and rap

— each had its devoted audience. A devoted audience that had opportunity to view the different aspects and styles of a reflected history that are visions of today carried on from yesterday. We all know that fads fade, but they sure are fun while they last.

From Dawn to Dust

Looking forward to a fresh start each morning, we went to school with the sounds of nature surrounding us and that sand man still haunting our sleepy eyes. Some of us had a bus to catch and, therefore, had to leave early — real early — to make it to school on time. We all congregated together in the packed hallways, using all our early morning will-power just to make it to our lockers. Books, pens, personal belongings were all slammed together and a thousand feet

moved in all directions. The tardy bell would ring and a mysterious silence would fall upon the hallways, broken by the steps of the student who just couldn't make it on time.

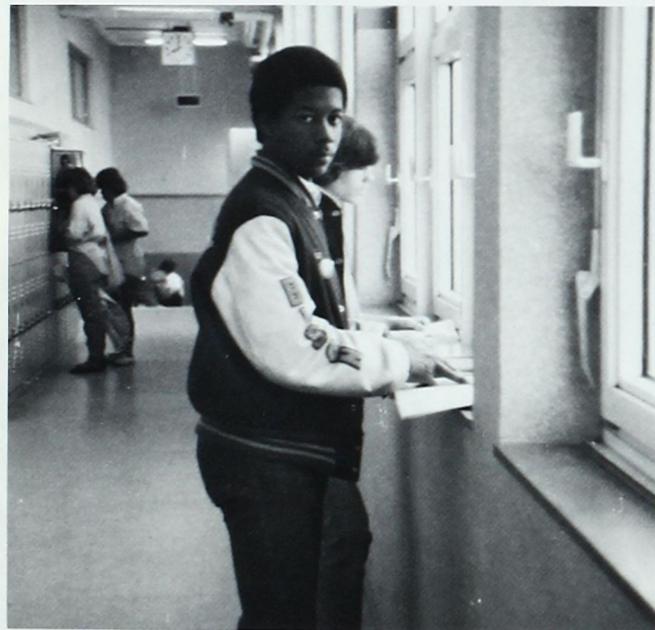
Time passes, and knowledge changes hands like money. Energy has drained from our bodies and our minds have become focused in other directions. Directions which lead many of us to after school activities and waiting jobs around the community. Daylight faded long before our day ended.



Left: Lillian Buffington sleeps walk to class while Beverly Cronin walks sleepily to class.



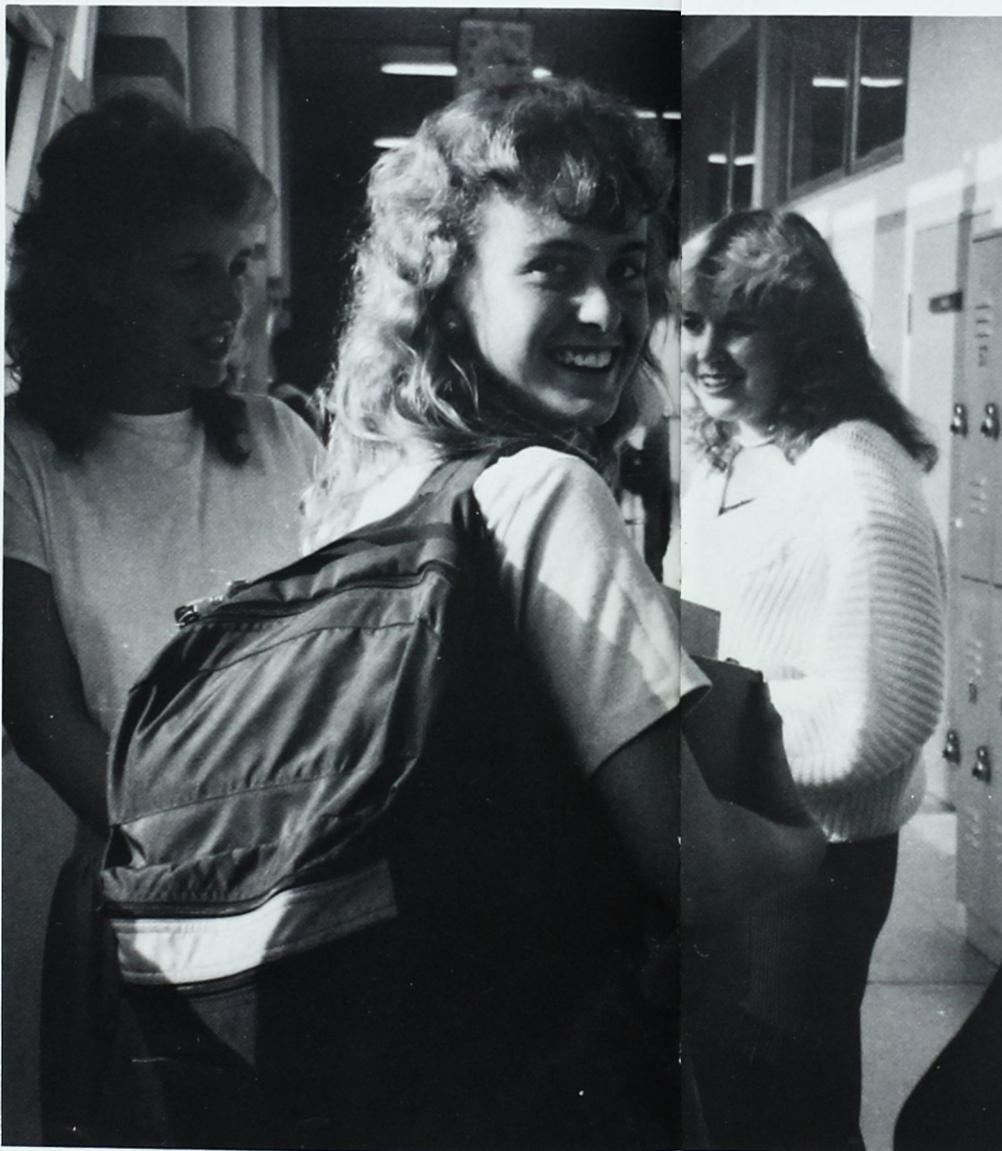
Below: A few students gather after school to discuss the days event.



Above: Louis Green starts early in the morning to study for a health test.

Upper Right: Hi Ho, Hi Ho, it's off to school we go!

Carolyn Becking, Jennifer Clark and Kim Ostendorf each leaves school with a sizable amount of homework.



Above: A busy day ending with dirt and sweat at football practice.



Left: Bernard Turner at Sacrifice after school with some students of the Senior Class.

The Bison Beat

Glances

in any direction would confirm to the casual onlooker the sense of togetherness and spirit in Mannheim. All for one; one for all. He would also hear it as the mighty Bison yell rumbled across the football field or basketball court. His eyes would be dazzled by our colors, purple and gold, which sparkled with life and energy. He would know that at Mannheim spirit wasn't just a word; it's the fiber that bonds us together from fall to spring.



On the day of the Pep Rally spirit filled the halls of M.H.S.



Members of the Varsity football team show support for their teammates

The cheerleaders show support for the Bisons during half-time at the football game.



Support from individual classes on the way to and from the Pep Rally.



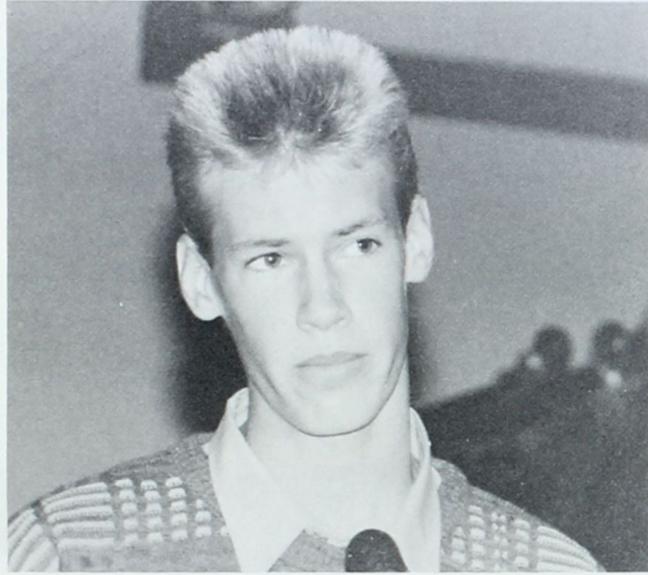
Members of the boys tennis team plan a surprise for their coach.



Mannheim show their spirit from a different point of view.

Politics and Power

Nicole Burnham gives her speech with great enthusiasm.



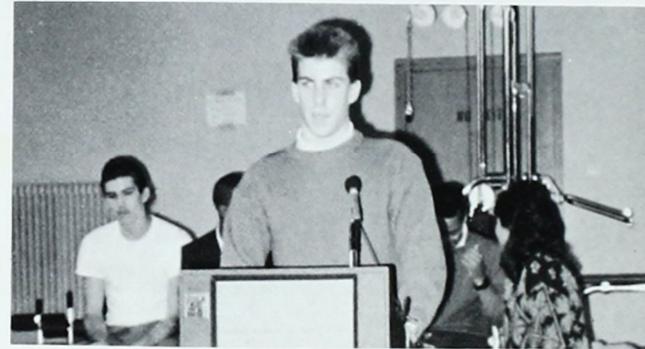
Steve Smith shows his concern for the student body during his speech.

The Freshmen Class looks on while candidates give their speeches.



Elections are always important. On the given day, decisions were made by us all that determined the success and prosperity of the school year. Candidates bravely announced their intentions and the annual political process was once again set in motion. We all sought for

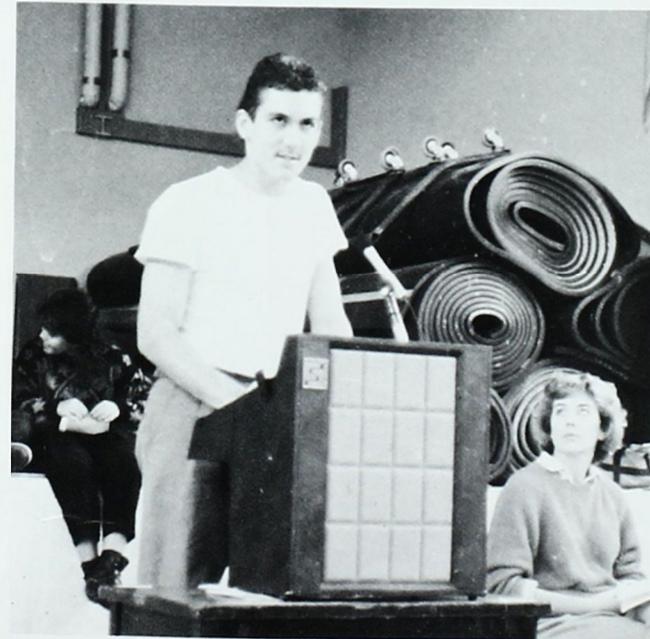
the right direction. For the candidates the day crawled by as votes were tallied. Finally, a sheet of paper was sent around and we all learned who had won. It was a big day for everyone; it was the start of a successful year.



Chris Phipps captures the attention of the Sophomore Class.

Nicole Brenan gets really excited in her campaign speech.

Scott Scurrah announces the next candidate for Junior Class secretary.



Off Duty

It's 3:10 on a Friday afternoon, and the long awaited weekend is finally here. This was the dreamed of situation of many Mannheim students throughout this year. The students combined their plans to create a great nonstop weekend. On Friday afternoon students became partiers.

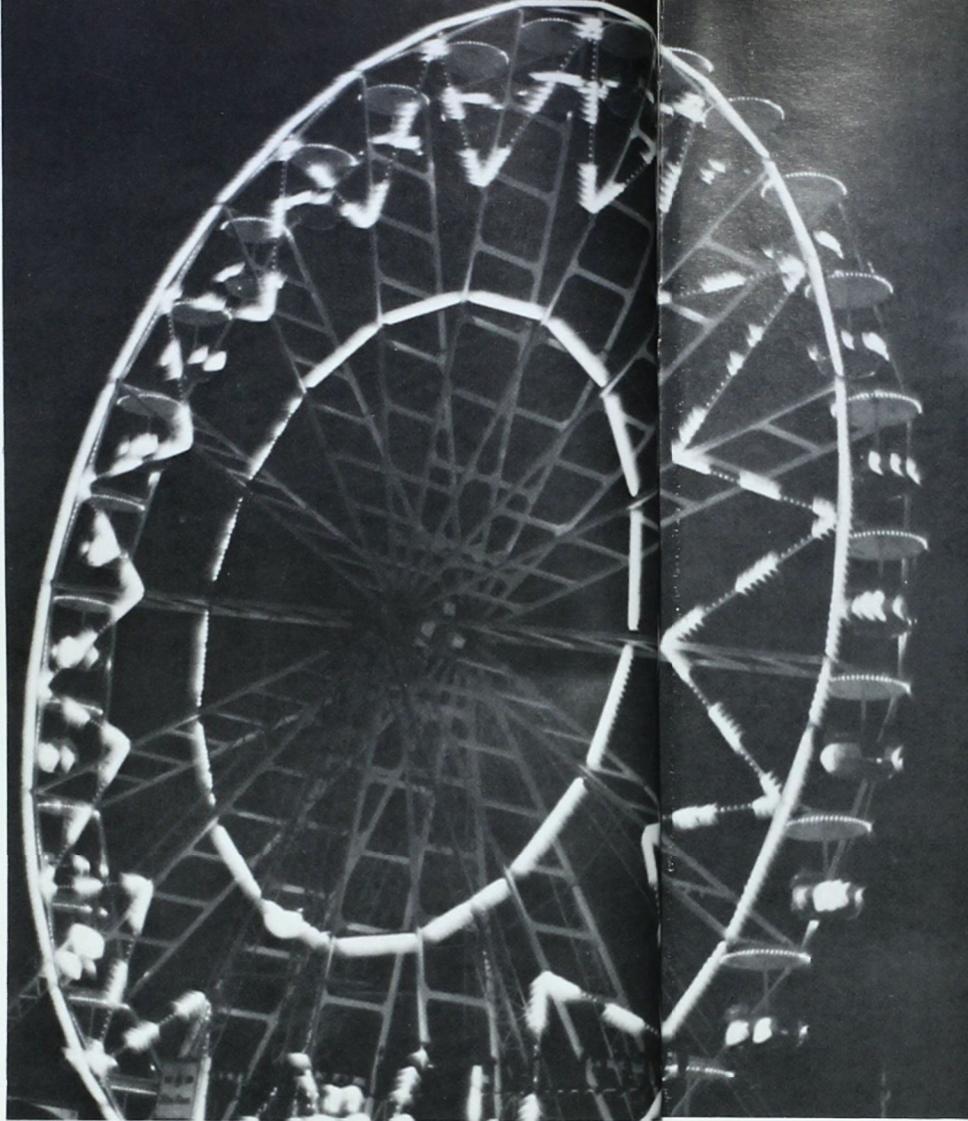
Some favorite spots were the Tropica, Broadway, The Star Disco, A&W's, and The Hard Rock Cafe. These were spread over many areas allowing the students living on the economy and at BFV easy access. Other well-visited places by MAHS students were the movie theater, the bowling center, and the Eis Sporthalle.

Many times students went on short trips with families or

friends. Weekend ski trips were a highlight for quite a number of students. Sometimes trips to surrounding areas were also planned. On the other hand, some students used their weekends to rest up from the rigors of the previous week.

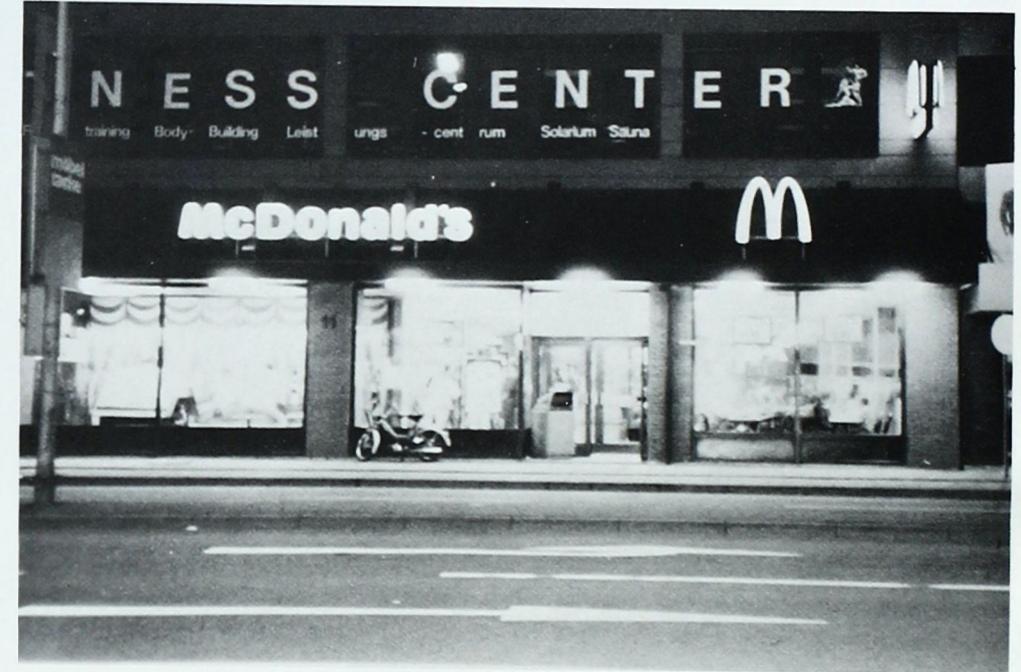
Often the weekend had to be interrupted for a variety of things. For some it was the SAT or the ACT, while others found themselves early Saturday morning or afternoon on the field or court of their favorite sport. Many seniors completed college applications, and some did that ever dreaded thing known as homework.

All in all weekends were a well deserved vacation for both students and faculty.



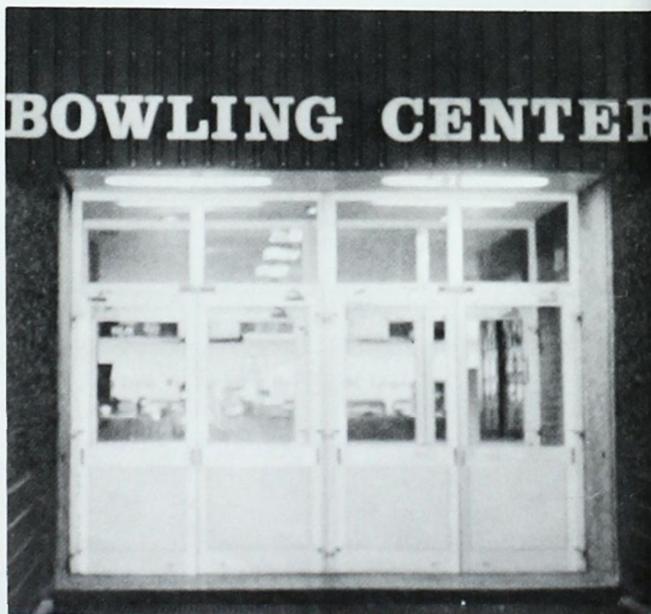
German Fests have got to be the best in the world. It's no wonder MAHS students went to so many.

McDonalds in Viernheim was a nice reminder of the many fast food places in the States.



Video games were a major part of recreational activities.

The Mannheim bowling Center, because of it's large facilities, was a popular place to eat, play video games, bowl, or just meet.



Our own Burger King right here in BFV was probably the best place of all to eat.

Pageantry

The Homecoming Dance this year was held at the Mannheim Officers club. It was a great experience for everyone, especially those crowned in the Royal Court. The Homecoming King and Queen this year were Robert Williams and Liz Ortiz. Duke and Duchess were Tai Doick and Marissa Bradley. Count and Countess were Tim Anderson and Chulete Providence. Baron and Baroness were Ozzie Melendez and Sam Saelua.

The D.J. was excellent, playing good music throughout the night, and it seemed as though

many people never quit dancing.

The food, though good, was a step away from the ordinary. A buffet-style menu filled with delicious finger foods and punch was served.

Mums were sold the week before Homecoming by the Cheerleaders, which made the already elaborate celebration even a little more elaborate.

Homecoming 87 was an evening of fun, excitement, and all around good times. It is not a night that will soon be forgotten.



Robert Williams and Liz Ortiz start the dancing after the crowning ceremony.

The bonfire that everyone worried would not be possible was started precisely at 7:30 Friday evening.



Mums were sold to everyone's sweetheart the week prior to the Homecoming Dance.



Dancing was a very popular and romantic way to pass the evening.

The Homecoming King and Queen, and their court.



Spirit Week

Spirit Week isn't your run-of-the-mill collection of school days. At Mannheim we have always gone a little crazy the week prior to the Homecoming, and this year was no exception. Talk about wild. Try walking around in late October in shorts and tee-shirts just because some sadistic person on the Spirit Committee decided that a Beach Day was an absolute necessity. Some really spirited students and even a few teachers came out with shorts, bathing-suits, sandals, beach towels, rubber rafts, sun glasses and swimming fins. To show that we could balance insanity with fashion, everyone appeared on Clash Day in the strangest garbs and colors that our teenage minds could imagine. Plaid on plaid, checks and strips,

green and purple, any unheard of combination was the rage of the day. Of course, Fantasy Day was not to be outdone. On this day, normal Mannheim students were replaced by a wide assortment of characters ranging from Mickey Mouse to Greek gods. Meanwhile, during lunch the guys and girls reversed roles for the daily Powder Puff football games. "Well-developed" cheerleaders did their thing as the "dainty" girls slugged it out on the field. Everything culminated on Friday, Spirit Day, when we all gathered together and celebrated the hoped-for victory in front of a large bonfire. Whether we would win or not didn't seem to matter; what did matter was the obvious sense of unity and spirit felt by everyone.



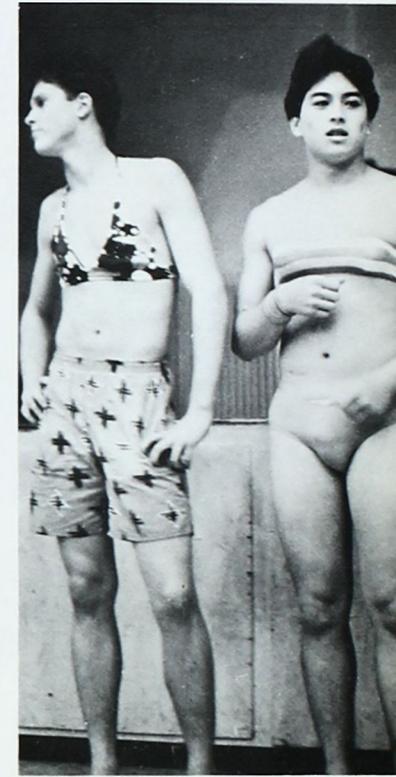
With so many "near misses" like this, it was no wonder the Senior team placed third.

So much for equal rights and equal pain, thought the Senior girls, as they learned what football is really like.

These "cheerleaders" performed death defying feats of skill in front of the eager crowd.



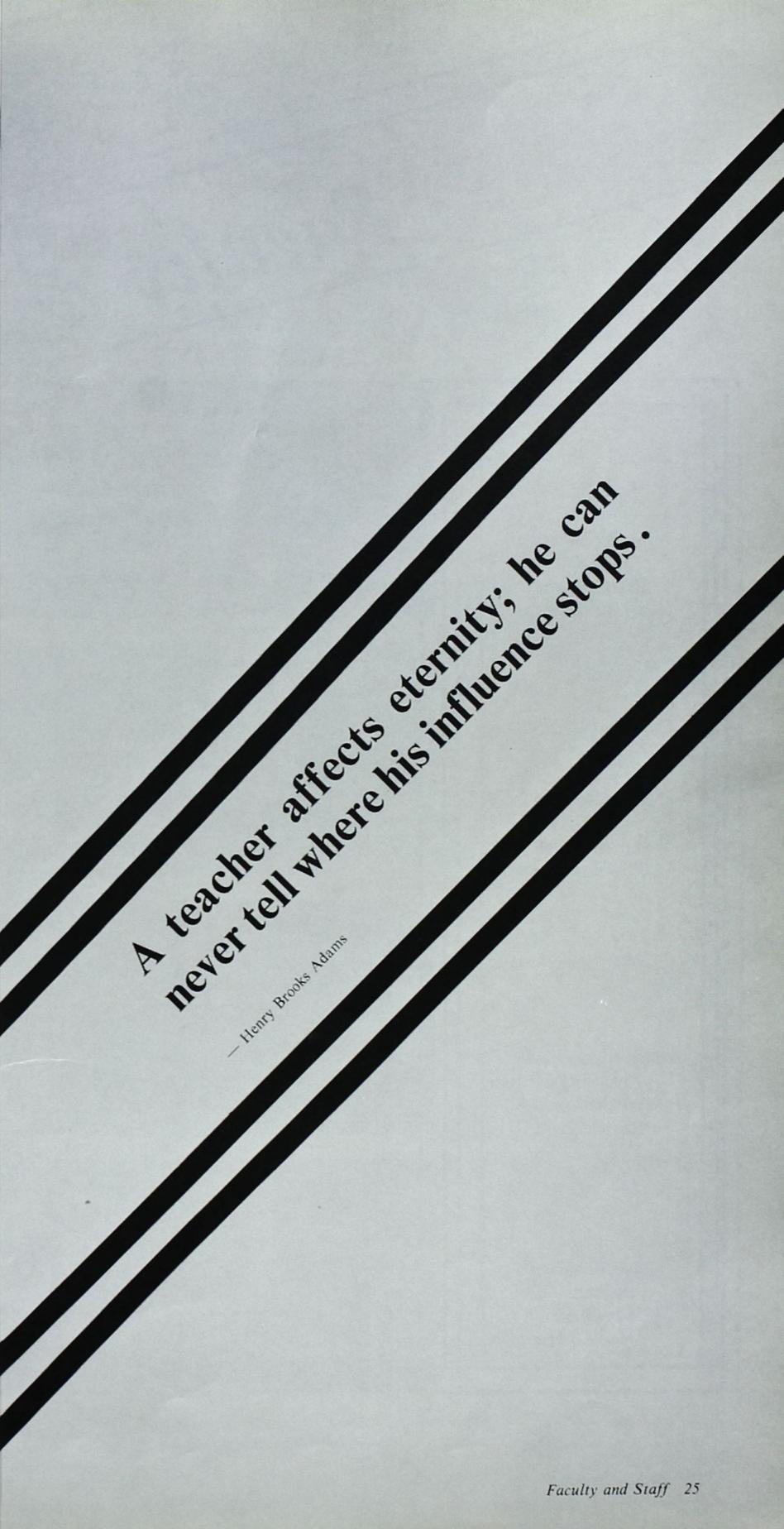
"If you've got it, flaunt it"



For some, Clash Day was nothing out of the ordinary.

For some of the guys, standing around in women's bikinis wasn't the least bit uncomfortable.

Miss Ellis struggles to get down the winning banana.



**A teacher affects eternity; he can
never tell where his influence stops.**

— Henry Brooks Adams

Grade A Faculty and Staff



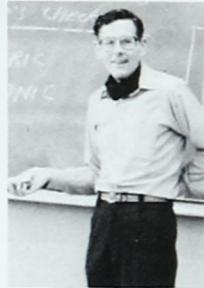
Something's in the coffee.



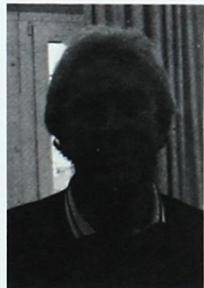
OH Dear! OH Dear! Where did I put those tests?



Walter Blank
Math
Anne Boehm
German



Alfred Branca
Math
Valerie Brewer
Resource Lab



Mary Ann Boynton
English
Richard Carroll
Social Studies



Midge Cooley
Nurse
John Crockett
Math

Byron Ackerman
English
Carol Ahern
Librarian

Mike Allen
Social Studies
Lynn Anderson
Physical Education

Darry Andrew
Physical Education
Mary Arthur
Registrar

Faye Bahari
Business
Linda Blake
Home Economics

Beatrice Curry
cosmetology
Jackie Ellis
business

Gloria Griffin
special education
Barbara Hanc
counselor

Janie Harrison
English
Lynn Headley
secretary
Jennifer Heinen
counselor
Heidi Heller
health



"Where did that flash come from?"



Mrs. Sapatka helps her students after school.



Tom Kalla
computer
Ron Koehn
art

Paul Kuchenmeister
industrial arts
Robert Kuhn
English

Dee Laughlin
instrumental music
Charles Long
teacher's aid

June Lumpkins
teacher's aid

MANNHEIM HIGH SEES NEW FACES

Though we had a faculty that inspired us all, our new teachers brought a flow of even more knowledge to Mannheim High School. Added to the present faculty, new names included Anderson, Boynton, Crockett, Manus, Morgan, Thieme, Tomlinson, and Wolford.

Teaching subjects from World History to Special Education, these teachers brought their own special talents to these subjects.

Dr. Barbara Axton stated that she thought the new teachers were "super additions to our already super school". She further pronounced, "The new teachers are all very involved in curricular and extra-curricular activities. They genuinely care about the students as 'people' and have brought a wealth of experience and expertise to Mannheim High School."



"How much longer do I have to stay like this?"



"Now what are we going to do with these kids?"

Mr. Bronca and Mr. Mlecko review some teaching material in the teachers lounge.

Mr. Kirsch watches the powder puff game when the rain decided to stop.



Susanne Phipps
ESL specialist
Sandy Sapatka
science
Naomi Satchell
English



Alvin Simmons
JROTC instructor
Karen Thieme
LD specialist
Angela Thomas
teacher's aide

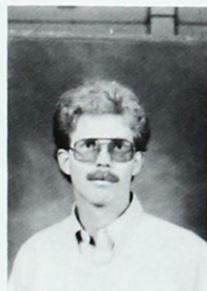


Susan Tomlinson
TAG specialist
Beverly Vail
computer operator
Rolf Valerius
foreign language

Dolores Manus
English
Victor McAllister
science
Bill Mittenzwey
physical education



Brian Mlecko
science
Mike Morgan
English
Chuck Noyes
industrial arts



Rayetta Palmer
business
Arnold Pancratz
counselor
Gladys Pedrojew
library technician



This year the Office of Education in Washington, D.C., recognized the outstanding math and science teachers. Six teachers from every state and six from the DoDDS system were picked to compete in this competition. Two MAHS teachers, Mrs. Kathy Wimbrush for math and Mrs. Sandy Sapatka for science, were among the six proud DoDDS finalists of this nation-wide competition.

Mrs. Wimbrush and Mrs. Sapatka were nominated by the students, teachers, and administration of our school in the hope that they might win the Presidential Awards for Science and Mathematics Excellence. Neither Mrs. Wimbrush nor Mrs. Sapatka were elected to go to Washington, but we were none-the-less proud that they were among the finalists.

Administration

Tomasita Valerius
Spanish
Don Volz
science



LTC Bliss Wilder
JROTC instructor
Jimmy Williams
supply



Kathy Wimbush
math
Robert Winslow
social studies



Jan Wolford
social studies



Teaching and Caring Go Together

What exactly is a teacher?

There is more to being a teacher than getting up in front of a class and giving out assignments. A "teacher" is someone who cares about each person in the class and is willing to help each person as much as possible.

A caring teacher is interested in the whole student. He is concerned about all aspects of the student rather than just the academics.

Caring often means working with the students

beyond the seven hour school day. Some teachers regularly give up their lunch time when a student is in a desperate need of help. Others are kind enough to stay after school on those Friday afternoons when everyone else has departed.

A caring teacher is challenging and fair. They understand when unavoidable circumstances arise and help students to work around them.

At Mannheim, teaching and caring have always gone together.



Dr. Barbara Axton; Principal

MAHS is a school for students. Adults and students treat each other with respect and trust, which helps create a positive educational environment.



Mr. Dave Douglass; Assistant Principal (EPM)

MAHS is one of the best high

schools in DoDDS. We can compete successfully with any of them both scholastically and on the athletic field.



Mr. Lee Kirsch; Deputy Principal

Overall, MAHS has the best faculty of any school that I have experienced. They are talented, professional, and have a keen

sense of what is best for the kids. This, combined with responsive students and supportive parents and community make Mannheim High School a great school.

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It is easier for a man to be loyal to his club than to his planet; the bylaws are shorter, and he is personally acquainted with the other members.

— E.B. White

CLOSING

Barrett Black
 Sherri Carter
 Hector Delarosa
 Danice Dittmar
 Eddy Gayden
 Andy Jaskewicz
 Vanceza Jemison
 Eloy Roderquis
 Marianne Johnson
 Ben Luthi
 Mike Magar
 Adam Meyers
 Derek Nobriga
 Tessa Ridinger
 Wendy Rosenquist
 Tammy Ryan
 Mike Schaeffer
 Greg Schroeder
 Larry Spivey
 Claudia Stockstill
 Tiki Suarez
 Carmen Terry
 Lisa VanSkyhawk
 Stephanie Wilson
 Steve Wyatt

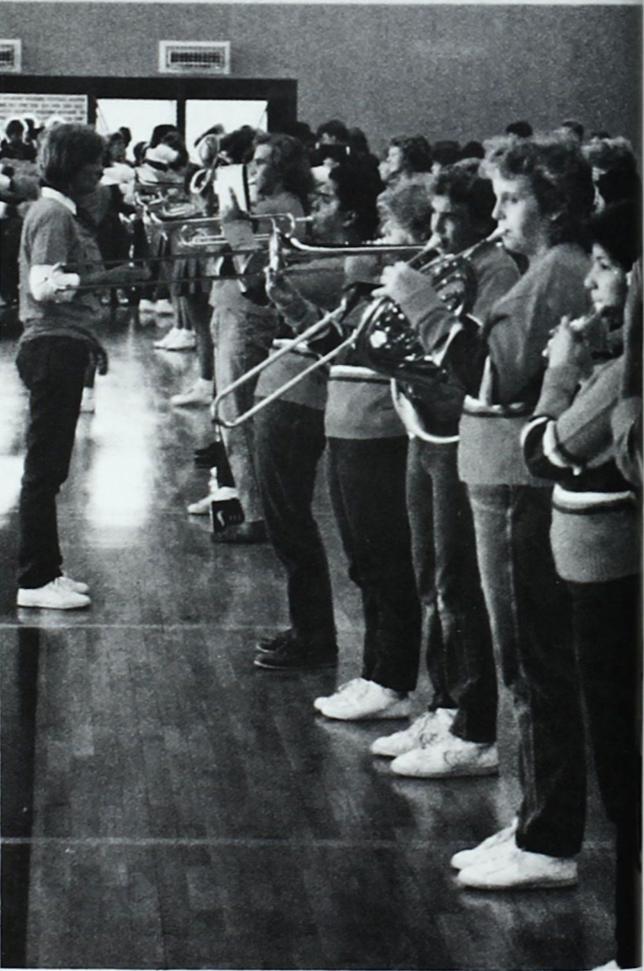


"Am I cool or what."

The MAHS Marching Band and Jazz Band were outstanding examples of the Mannheim spirit and talent. Throughout the school week, we could hear the band practicing and learning new songs. On the weekends, however, the perfected tunes were heard during the games and activities.

Besides playing at pep rallies and at half-time during football games, the band also performed in parades and other community activities. All in all, the MAHS Marching Band/Jazz Band proved to be the backbone of spirit and entertainment for our school functions.

M A R C H I N G
 B A N D



J A Z Z
 B A N D

"How much longer do we have to stay like this."



Jazz Band Names were unavailable.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

The National Honor Society is the highest scholastic honor a person can achieve in high school. Members of this elite group have demonstrated leadership and service to our community, as well as maintaining a 3.5 cumulative grade average. Sponsored by Mrs. Katherine Wimbush, NHS has been involved in various activities this year. One of the more important contributions was the tutoring of students every Tuesday and Thursday at lunch.

Carolyn Becking
 Matt Bethel
 Nicole Brennan
 Nicole Burnham
 Christine Byrd
 Kara Dille
 Libby McElroy
 Katie Freimuth
 Andy Graham
 Brian Groeschell
 Jay Johnson
 Cliff Martin
 Robert McLellan
 Derek Nobriga
 Corena Raines
 Suzanne Scruggs
 Steve Smith
 Kim Wetterman

Sponsor
 Mrs. Wimbush

Derek Nobriga tutors Aimee Arthurs during lunch.



BRAIN BOWL



Far top left; Sherri Mouris and Allison Bailey have a good time as Letter girls and as Brain Bowl participants.

Top left; Vanzcea Jemison wash the freshman representative at Brain Bowl.

Above; Monte Allen enjoys not only Brain Bowl but also a good game of chess.

Left; Kara Dille, the senior representative, shows her enthusiasm as she prepares for the competition.

Each year a group of academically talented students from each of the DoDDS-Germany schools gets together for the Brain Bowl. Representing Mannheim High School this year were Vanzcea Jemison, Mont Allen, Allison Bailey, Kara Dille, and Sherri Mouris. The team traveled to Berlin and stayed for 3 days to compete against 26 other schools in tough academic competition.

Denise Granados
 Allison Bailey
 Kristin Kennedy
 unavailable
 Sherri Mouris
 Heather Hogan
 Kathy Kellogg
 Sigrid Carrero
 unavailable
 Stacey Hart
 Lesa Bush
 unavailable
 Felicia Smalls
 Paula Kelley
 Alison Wright
 Kim Ostendorf
 Suzie Asuncion
 Katie Freimuth
 Karyn Govnto
 Cari Carter



The lettergirls perform at the first pep rally of the year.



The lettergirls parade along the track at half-time.

Michelle, Suzie, and Tasha lead the band in a march towards the field.



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The lettergirls of Mannheim made every football and basketball half-time exciting with their enthusiastic dance routines. These 24 girls made up a great percentage of the spirit of Mannheim High.

After basketball season was over, the lettergirl's performances went international. Both band and lettergirls since 1975 have been invited to Holland to march in an annual parade. For three days and two nights Mannheim was the representative for the United States in this international Tulip Festival. The first night's performances were all indoors, but the following morning the band and the lettergirls woke up to face a long parade over roads, hills, canals, and a stretch of beach.

The Mannheim High "A" Team.



Above left: Colorguard proudly displays the Amrr



FANCY DRILL TEAM

Fancy Drill Team this year started out with its biggest group in years.

Our drill team had a great number of newcomers, and spent most of its time trying to get acquainted with proper rifle techniques and each other.

Throughout the year, they practiced hard, rigorously training three times a day, five times a week. Fancy Drill members were dedicated to be all that they could be.

Many mistakenly believe that the team only performed at Homecoming, but they competed against rival school all over Germany.

They also performed at community functions where they received standing ovations. The all new squad constantly worked on performing complex and original routines. For the student cadets and their commanders it was a year building toward future greatness.

Colonel Wilder "Alright, who's the smart aleck with the camera out there?"



JROTC

The Junior Reserves Officers' Training Corps program gives the student-cadet the learning experience that will enable him to benefit the community and the nation. It is designed to provide a curriculum where students grow as they learn more about what is expected of them in a responsible world.

The first three years of JROTC are aimed toward leadership development. The courses offered during those years are Drill and Ceremony, First Aid, Map Reading, Oral Communication, Rifle Marksmanship, and the Military History. The fourth year of JROTC teaches the

techniques of leadership and management. Leadership development is emphasized to prepare the student for a learning experience useful for any future career.

Those students wishing to apply for an Army ROTC scholarship must have ranked in the top half of their class, demonstrated a clear potential for leadership, and maintained an acceptable standard of academic achievement, personal conduct and physical fitness. Assisting them in reaching their goals was their Senior Army Instructor, LTC Wilder and Assistant Army Instructor, CSM Simmons.



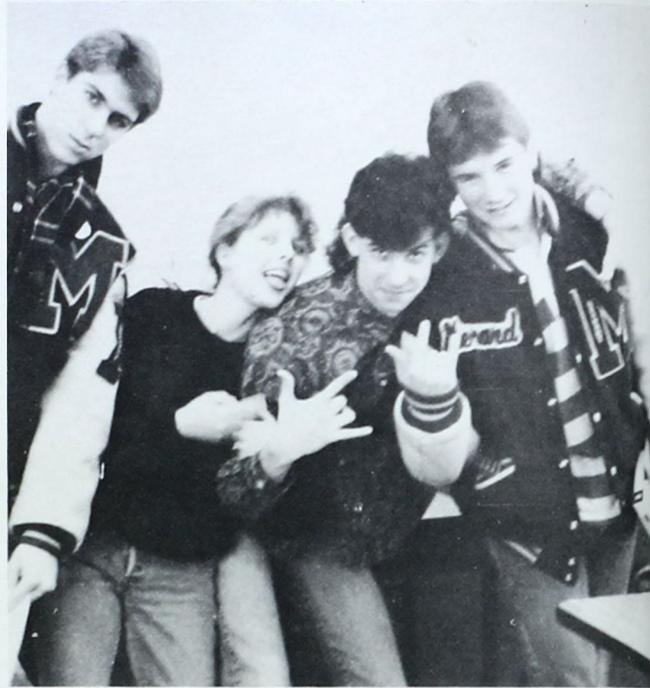
Bill Miner "I knew I'd be over-dressed if I wore my wooly underwear."



Standing at attention.

Chris Phipps is wondering who these crazy people are.

Mrs. Satchell sells one of MUNC's ever so popular pretzels.



Matt Bethel and Rob McLellan ponder their next strategy.



MUNC Members
 Mrs. Satchell; advisor
 Leslie Clark
 Heather Kennedy
 Scott Scurrah
 Gerard Devlin
 Todd Johnson
 Christine Byrd
 Allison Bailey
 Chris Phipps
 Liz Ortiz
 Mark Flanigan
 Tanja Park
 Trevor Wilson
 Eva Maximov
 Matt Bethel

Casey Conroy
 Nicole Burnham
 Andy Graham
 Mike Adamitis
 Cliff Martin
 Soweto Henry
 Karyn Gornto
 Katie Freimuth
 Duane Starrenburg
 Mischka Valerius
 Glenda Martin
 Linda McKinney
 Robert McLellan
 Mike Green
 Robert Heffner
 Ralph Zimmer

MODEL
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 NATIONS

Last year Model United Nations was strictly an extra curricular activity. This year, because of the popularity of the club and the time needed to get things done, MUNC became a class.

In this class, the students learn about and discuss current international political issues, and practice debating and parliamentary procedure.

During the final week of January, all of the MUNC students traveled to the Hague for a week for a Model United Nations. This year MAHS represented Chile, Monaco, and

Dominica. The week was filled with exciting parliamentary floor debates and strategies, providing a wide variety of enjoyable learning experiences.

To fund this trip to the Hague, the students and sponsor, Ms. Satchell, sold pretzels and drinks at nutritional break. In addition to this, MUNC worked hard to satisfy our voracious appetites by selling hot dogs and chili each Wednesday at lunch. The American Officers' Wives Club also made a generous donation toward the trip.



STUDENT COUNCIL

This year's Student Council kept the Bison spirit alive. The Student Council's job was to work with the students, class officers, and administrators and exchange ideas. This bridge made Mannheim High School a better place to be.

Keeping the students' wishes as heart, they strived to do whatever they could in making the student body happy. Guiding the other class officers, they helped make various events, such as Homecoming, Winterball, Prom, and Graduation a success.

The sponsor this year was Mrs. Thieme; President, Liz Ortiz; 1st Vice President, Bernard Turner; 2nd Vice President, Alison Wright; Secretary, Scott Scurrah; Treasurer, Jay Jahnsen.

Bernard Turner
Alison Wright
Jay Johnson
Liz Ortiz
Scott Scurrah
(Unavailable for picture)



Alison Wright introduces the next election candidate.



Steve Barnett
Dennis Bogess
Shawn Cryer
Gina Horvath
Shannon Horvath
Amanda McKinzey
Ruben Muniz
Duane Starrenburg
Andrew Wallace
Junior Wallace
Michael Wilcox
Karl Wolfe

Cooperative Work Experience, or Work Study, provided the 86-87 students with the opportunity to receive on the spot job experience for high school credits.

Ron asks us, "Which comes first, the chicken or the egg?"



CWE

The teens were able to choose where they would like to work. Some of the major work sites were as follows: the Mannheim Dispensary, where students could help with prescriptions and work in supply; the Sullivan Library, where books were checked out and put away, the Child Development Center, where the teens could get first hand experience at child care; and the vehicle registration office, where the students could learn the whole process of registering autos, motorcycles, and weapons.

Students worked 2, 3, or 4 hours a day, improving job skills in the hope that one day it will pay off for them in the business world.

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Tim Anderson wonders why he ever signed up for yearbook.



Mr. Kuhn informs staff members of what needs to be done for the next deadline.



"You're asking me to do work?"

Take a close look at the book in your hands. Is it exciting, colorful, and full of imagination? The compiling of the 86-87 Wisent Yearbook wasn't a piece of cake.

Leading this mostly inexperienced staff were three seniors who had past experience on other Yearbooks, and English teacher/yearbook sponsor Mr. Robert Kuhn.

In the beginning of the year, everyone thought that the yearbook class would be an easy credit, but soon their illusions

were shattered. Deadlines came zooming at great speeds that had to be met. Copy had to be written, layouts had to be drawn, and captions had to be created.

This small, devoted group of students was made up of sophomores, juniors, and seniors. All in all, even though the work was hard, the experience was rewarding. The production of this Yearbook came to be because of the dedicated time spent putting it together.

Stephanie Grant checks to see if financial payments are all accounted for.



One more typo bites the dust as Monica Allen pulls out the white-out.



"Give me a break Mrs. Boynton my article isn't that bad."

NEWSPAPER MEMBERS

- Tai Doick
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G.R.O.U.P.

NEWSPAPER STAFF

The many things that they reported were as follows: How our sports teams competed in Germany against other schools, the crazy spirit week that left the whole school talking afterwards, the new teachers, and the profitable song dedications.

The 86-87 school year was a very memorable one, and the Bison Newspaper staff kept their fellow students up to date with the latest news.

The past year will always be fresh in the memories of former students, because of the creative information they put into their work.



GROUP MEMBERS

- Corina Raines
- Diane Plough
- Victor Diaz
- Sindy Hallahan
- Vanessa Durdurekas
- Barrette Black
- Mrs. Cooley
- Janan Johnson
- Mrs. Wimbush
- Bryan Chase



Did you ever come to school with your mouth watering for something other than a candy bar and soda? Well, delicious health food was offered the whole 86-87 school year by the organization G.R.O.U.P. coordinated by Ms. Cooley, our school nurse and Mrs. Wimbush. G.R.O.U.P. (Get Rid Of Unhealthy Practices) is an organization that involved anyone who wanted to join, whether you wanted

to lose weight or not.

Ms. Cooley and her associates had a variety of goodies, ranging from juicy, green apples and creamy chocolate ice-cream to a multitude of granola bars and popular cheese brotchens. Money from those profitable sales was donated to organizations devoted to helping the needy people of the world and G.R.O.U.P. field trips.

Future Business Leaders



titions between schools all over DoDDS — Germany in business and computer fields. Those winning a competition went on to the National Leadership Conference in Anaheim, California.

Cliff Martin, Kevin Means, and Matt Bethel show their beautiful smiles for the camera at the FBLA conference.

Future Business Leaders of America is an organization that allows students to gain experience in business and computer fields.

These future entrepreneurs sponsored a number of seminars and a Sadie Hawkins dance as well as attended fall and spring conferences. The fall conference concentrated on developing leadership qualities. The spring conference, held in Frankfurt this year, involved compe-



Sindy Hallahan
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Mindy Martin
Mary Catherine McConnell

Casey Means
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- Terria Caldwell
- Beverly Cronin
- Vanessa Durdurekas
- Karyn Gornto
- Rodrick Hahn
- Jessie Haldeman



Choir members practice their songs.



Choir was an outstanding class this year. Made up of 30 talented singers, our Mannheim chorus spent a great deal of their time preparing for major performances: A Christmas concert, a German television appearance, and their spring of 87 musical "Standing Room Only".

The groups repertoire was diverse, moving from hits like "Flashdance" to more traditional selections.

Although the work took a lot of group effort and endless mistakes, the choir managed to keep a smile on their faces throughout the school year, as well as delight both young and old with their creative and expressive singing.

- Trena Ashley
- Lillian Barnes
- Mary Cone
- D'Juana Cooke
- Rhonda Cuppels
- Nathan Deane
- Tammie Dixon
- Rolanda Dukes
- Michelle Gerding
- Kristen Gorden
- Katrina Gorden
- Sandra Hallahan
- Heather Hanzlik
- Gina Horvath
- Shannon Horvath
- Jacqueline Huff
- Jerry Hughes
- Junior Janthor
- Richard Jensen
- Lennea Johnson
- Pamela Jones
- Floyd Lacey
- Michelle Lamberg
- Kim Langford
- Siscarol Lee
- Derek Lewis
- Patricia Maye
- Mary Catherine McConnell
- Kimberly Michael
- Angela Morrison
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- Lisa Papineau
- Sarah Pendleton
- Regina Ramsey
- Cathy Reynolds
- Tessaa Ridinger
- Elizabeth Ringstad
- Anthony Roberts
- Delanna Snell
- Rebecca Vargo
- Teresa Wade
- Stephanie Webb
- Rosiland Whitehead
- Quantrisha Williams
- Lisa Word
- Lisa Wright
- Amy Young

CHOIR

COMPUTER CLUB

Mr. Kalla
Michael Lynch
Raymond Selken
Mont Allen
Mark Haldeman
Robert Haeffner
Aubrey Craig
Paul Rose



This year a computer wave struck MHS at high velocity. Though some of us didn't know about this newly formed group, some were able to take advantage of the easy access to the computers.

Sponsored by Mr. Kalla, who is known for his sound background

in computers, group members soon became experienced programmers by writing new programs, inventing new games, or just by watching and learning from mistakes. Getting involved and adjusting to the high technology of the world today has set this group well on its way towards a rewarding career in the future.



Michelle and Ralph playing an intense game of chess.

CHESS CLUB



Which way does a castle move? Can a knight kill a bishop diagonally? If you found yourself asking these questions, then you should have joined the Chess Club. This newly formed group, sponsored by Mr. Mlecko, met at lunch every week to play . . . chess. The students were taught the basic movements of the pieces, and then as they became familiar with the board, they developed more complicated strategies of attack. In the better matches, after many hours of precise movements, the king would at last fall.

"We hope next year, as more students will know about the club, that we can get tournaments going within the school and out," said a smiling Mr. Mlecko with confidence in the next school year.

Mr. Melcko
Mont Allen
Ralph Zimmer
Mechelle Schuder
Shawn Snyder

Watch
Me
Now



If one conquer a thousand men in
battle, and if one conquer himself
alone, he is in battle supreme.

— Suttapitaka

Sports

So Near, Yet So Far

Varsity Football

Nineteen Eighty-six proved to be a tough season for the Mannheim varsity football team for a number of reasons, one being the sudden climb into the triple A bracket. The competition was stiffer, and our guys were a little overmatched by the size of their opponents. They

played as well as youth and inexperience would allow. Little mistakes kept them from gaining the confidence necessary to master their adversaries, and many of the starters were worn down by having to play both ways.

While the offense was busy experimenting with

their personnel in search of the right mix, they continued to stun the opposition with substantial gains in yardage. Standouts on offense were Chris Hall, Nadi Leonard, and Travis Jenkins. Nadi Leonard had his best game when he rushed for 243 yards in 27 carries against Heidelberg

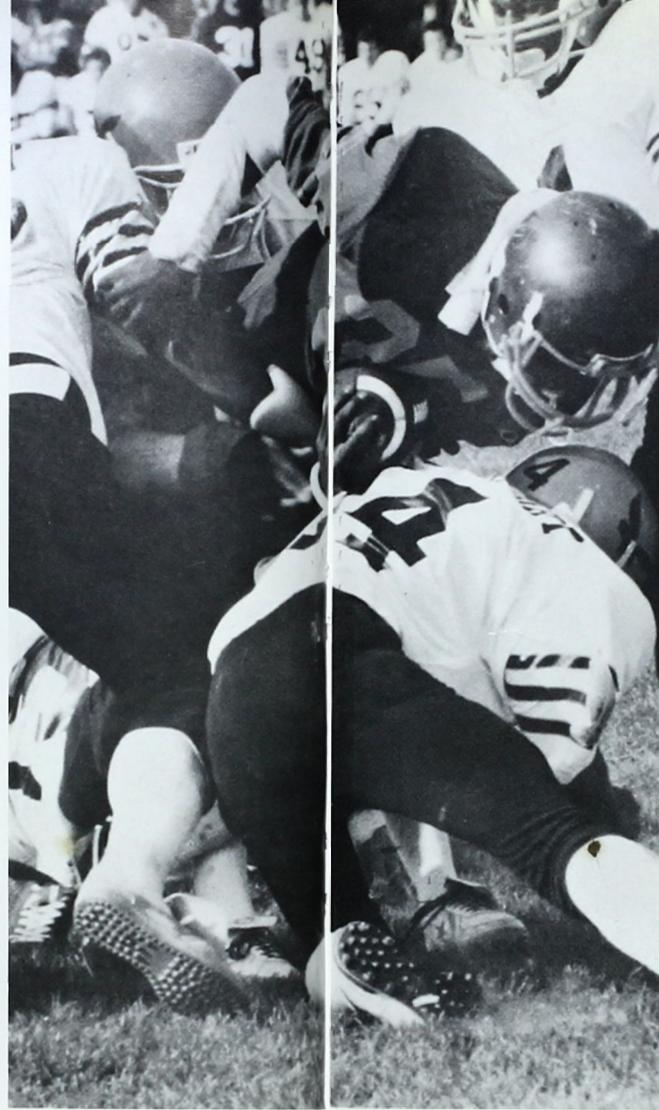
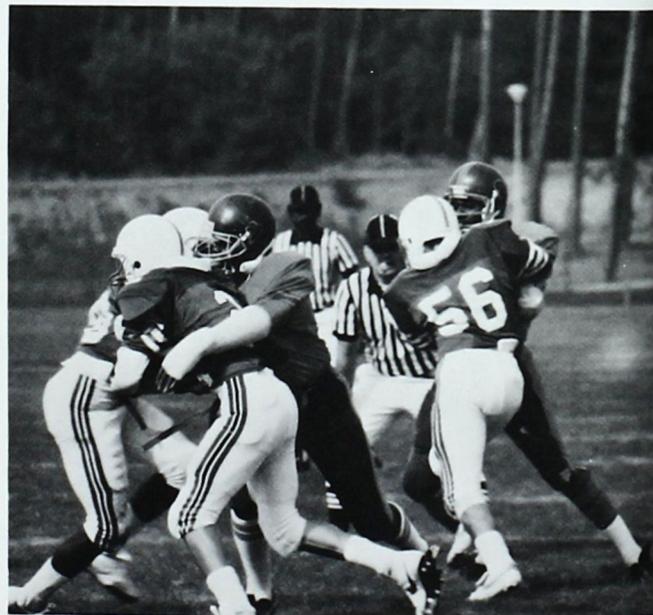


The Mannheim defense is ready to shutdown the Ramstein offensive strategy.



William Thompson makes sure that this is one Royal who won't get away.

The touchdown that wasn't.



on our Homecoming. Travis Jenkins scored both the Bison touchdowns in our victory over Stuttgart.

Standouts on defense were Gus Woodard, Larry Maldonado and Chris Hall. Derrick Black had perhaps the best year of anyone, valiantly leading

the defense from his interior line position.

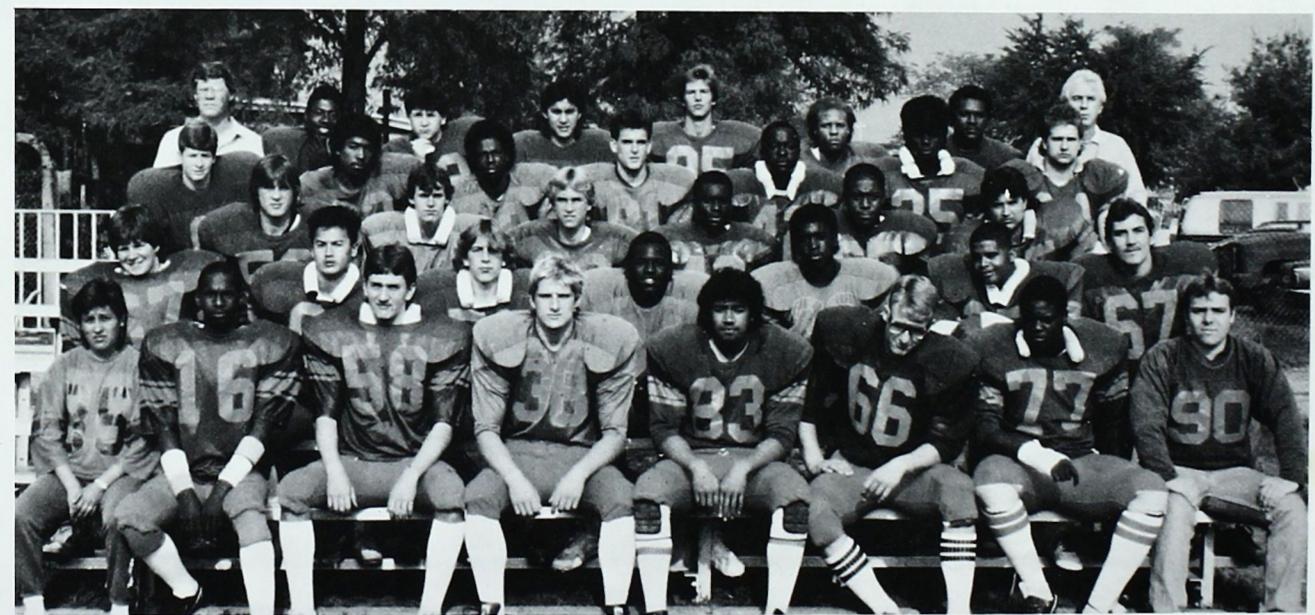
The varsity Bisons played outstanding ball behind the constant encouragement of Coaches Andrew and Blank. The team took pride in their weekly achievements and built a great deal of confidence for next year.

Tailback Chris Hall is finally stopped after a big gain.



Chris Hall fights for more yardage through the Frankfurt Eagles again.

1st row: manager, Mary Cone, Cory Jenkins, Brad Wyatt, Roger Smith, Soli Letuligasonoa, Randy Wolfe, William Thompson, manager Aubrey Craig 2nd row: Treavor Wilson, Tai Doick, Brian Tuccitto, Vince Brown, Henry Lipsey, Gus Woodard, Scott Scurrah 3rd row: Ian Berkheimer, Jeff Foggy, Ward Stirling, Lamar Taylor, Derek Black, Larry Maldonado 4th row: Jeff Alton, Tom Fernandez, Travis Jenkins, Shawn O'Brien, Nadi Leonard, Chris Hall, Danny Smith 5th row: Coach Andrew, Tom Curry, David Aunchman, Joey Antonioli, Duane Starrenburg, William Stroman, Tyrone Porch, Coach Blank

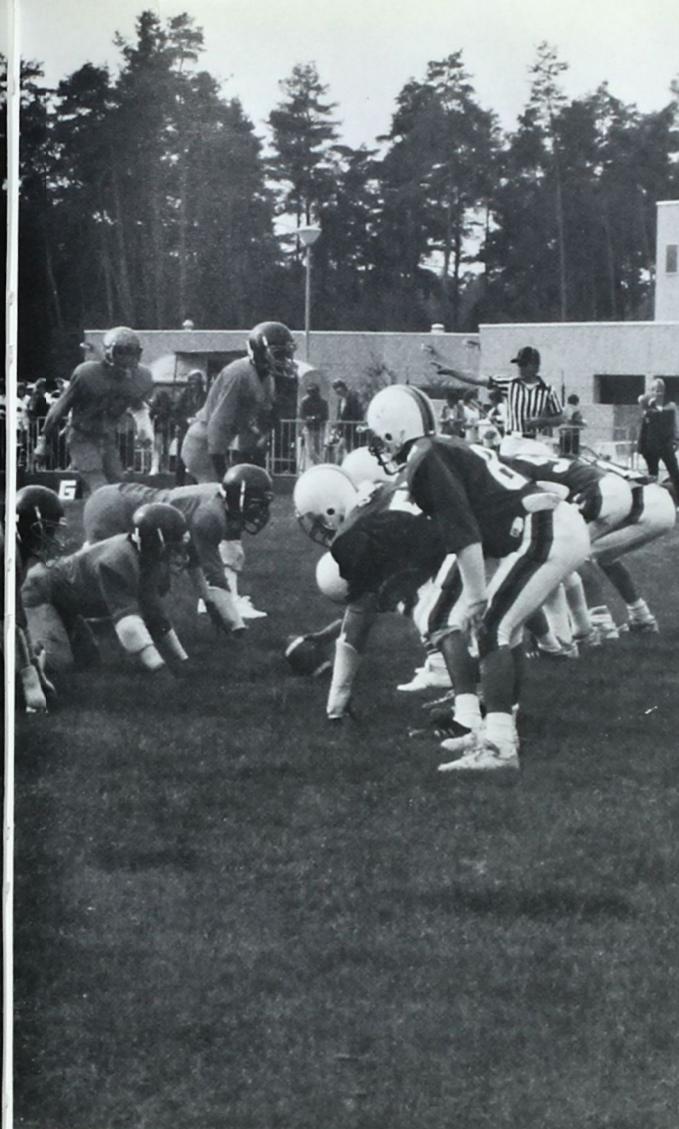


The defense eagerly awaits the play.



Mike Hughes runs for a first down in our game against Frankfurt.

Top row: Brad Ward, Robert Henshel, Terry Piper, Coach Stallings, **Row 4:** Tim Anderson, Derric Williams, John Williams, Arthur Scott, Shawn Langford. **Row 3:** Le Shipley, Paul Mouris, Leslie Walz, Charles Kinney, Rick Jenson, Stefan Pruy. **Row 2:** Osvaldo Melendez, Jeff Turner, Darby Merrihew, Robert Kreps, Landon Helgeson, Paul Porter, David Eck. **Row 1:** Jimmy Nichols, Cary Bryant, Phil Berkheimer, Mike Hughes, Gary Morrison, Robert Kovaacs, Mark Bornto.



Learning the Game

Our JV football team spent most of the season trying to find the winning combination. They were plagued with injuries, from broken thumbs and fingers to dislocated knees. Also several players were called to the varsity team, depleting the JV team of valuable talent. Through all of this, the junior varsity Bisons kept a

positive outlook during the season.

In the midst of their tough times, it was nice to have the reassurance of Coach Stallings. He made the difference between good and average play. The support of the coaching staff for the junior varsity team, along with the cheerleaders, helped them to keep a spirited nature.



JV players Arthur Scott and Rick Jenson put pressure on the Wiesbaden quarterback.

Stefan Pruy recovers a fumble against Ramstein.



A Gloomy Day Brightened With High Spirits

It was a dreary November day as we faced Heidelberg for our '86 Homecoming game. Despite the cold and rain, a large crowd of supporters turned out to cheer on our Bison football teams. The long Homecoming day started with the JV team's attempt. They tried their best to get things going, but were defeated by the Lions, 22-6.

In the varsity game,

Nadi Leonard led our explosive offense which yielded few points but dominated the offensive statistics. During half-time, the band, lettergirls, and fancy drill team rejuvenated the chilled and wet crowd. The cheerleaders also gave the team

and fans a great amount of enthusiasm.

At the sound of the final whistle, the darkening sky reflected the feelings of the players, coaches, and fans, as they left the field. Heidelberg 34, Mannheim 12.

Mannheim lunges to block a field goal attempt by Heidelberg.



Bison cheerleaders helped keep the spirit up, even in the rain.



Shawn O'Brian kicks off after a Bison touchdown.

The widely travelled band and lettergirl drill team proudly began the Homecoming game.



Players congratulated each other after another big gain.

The Bison defense swarmed over the Heidelberg Lions.



KEEPING ON COURSE

This fall the cross country team had the biggest turnout ever in the history of Mannheim High School. The members of the team almost immediately became a close "family." Everyone was very supportive and encouraging through the demanding practices and meets.

Both the men's and women's teams were very strong. This strength increased each week and it definitely showed in the performance of each of the team members. The girls were led by Laurel Marshall, while Mark Flanigan led the guys. Both of these runners came in the top ten in each of the regular meets. Being AAA this year, the competition with bigger schools was tough. Competition within our team increased as well, pushing everyone a little harder. With influential encouragement, Mr. Allen helped to bring out many new talents and skills on the team.

Finals for the season were held in the Netherlands. Representing the

Bisons in the finals were Laurel Marshall, Aimee Arthur, Casey Means, Betsy Arthur, Mark Flanigan, Gerard Devlin, Brad Segura, and Nathan Phillips.

The season ended as a team at regionals where the girls team finished a close fourth and the guys finished third.



1st row — Mindy Martin manager, Coach Allen, Jeff Waldrup, Mike Lynch, Derek Nobriga, Cliff Martin, Aimee Arthur, Joe Burnham 2nd row — Kirk Sowers, Mike Phillips, Kenny Hallman, Steve Gunneron, Nathan Phillips, Mark Flanigan, Brad Segura, Adam Meyers 3rd row — Betsy Arthur, Carrie Baer, Steve Smith, Kevin Means, Matt Bethel, Jes-

The Team Players

sie Haldeman, Louis Green, Carolyn Becking, David Young 4th row — Jewel Metamoros, Sandy Taylor, Laurel Marshall, Ruth Boynton 5th row — Brigitte Anderson, Casey Means, Mont Allen, Gerard Devlin

Exhausted Carrie Baer pushes herself to the limit.

Mark Flanigan strains to keep position with no one close behind.



Laurel Marshall is ready to pass two opponents.

Steve Smith sprints toward the finish line with Nathan Phillips closing in behind him.



Derek Nobriga and Louis Green race for position at the finish.

A fast start for the girls on their home course.

Bump, Set, Spike

Our junior varsity team started out inexperienced and underconfident, but they proved to themselves and others that they could play to the best of their ability and win. The team couldn't have done any of it though without the time and patience of Coach Morgan. When mistakes were made, he would give the team tips and guidance to correct the errors.

Some of the girls on our JV team were brought up to varsity for tournaments. These girls were Nicole Andrews, Linda McKinney, and Melanie Rogerson, who was brought up after serving 12 straight winners against K-Town.

The Bison Spirit of our Varsity volleyball team soared through everyone this year when the odds turned in favor instead of against. That first home game set them up for a very rewarding season.

Moving up from AA to AAA this year was a big step, and the competition was tougher to contend



Front row: Lennea Johnson, Hazel Abraham, Nicole Andrews, Lorraine Christie, Coach Morgan. **Back row:** manager Kitty Welch, Linda McKinney, Anita Henderson, Cynthia Williams, Melanie Rogerson, Becky Harris, Becky Marshall, manager Carla Hirston.

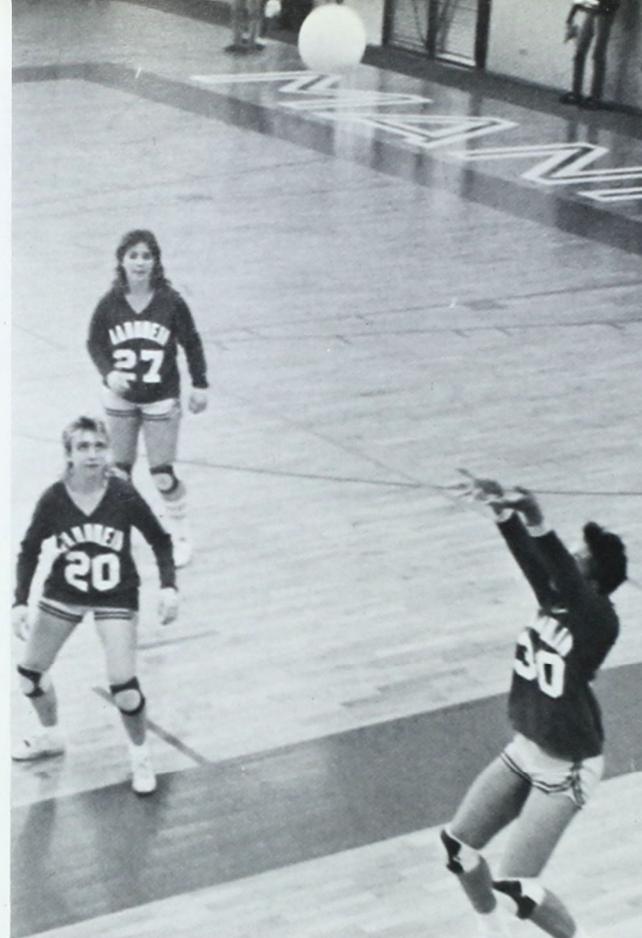


Becky Harris and Cynthia Williams watch for a break in the other team.

Becky Marshall bumps the ball up for a set play.

accomplishment made was the trip to tournaments when our team eliminated Stuttgart and Frankfurt.

Special recognition went to all-conference player Regina Nolan for her outstanding performances at every game and tournaments. As one spectator at Stuttgart said, "I



Regina Nolan and teammates wait patiently for the back set from Jennifer Hall.

Cassandra Owens sets the ball as Corena Raines and Terry Beach watch intently.

Both varsity and junior varsity had good times, games, and experiences this year. The teams gave their best and proved that they could stay in touch with their goals.



Back row: Coach Mitt, Corena Raines, managers, Carla Hirston and Anne Strange, Assistant Coach Norm Chase, Sam Saelua, Terry Beach, Stacy Taylor, Regina Nolan. **Front row:** Nicole Burnham, Jennifer Hall, and Tiffany Tramp. Not pictured: Cassandra Owens

would have paid money to watch her play."

Hard work isn't the everything though. New

friendships were found and characters built throughout the season.

Evening outings were

planned, videos of games were seen, and little get-togethers were set up just for friendly discussions.



A SMASHING GOOD GAME

Imagine, every Saturday after an exhausting week of torture, to have your alarm clock startle you by doing its thing at four o'clock in the morning, only to board a tiny German "lux" bus with clammy seats. Then, to arrive at your destination and take your place on the cold, wet grass, or on a cold sidewalk for an hour or so before you are able to warm up. You think you are headed to be the first human popsicle.

No, the above is not a nightmare, and for seven weeks, it was the life story of eighteen MAHS members: The Mannheim High 1986 Men's and women's Tennis Teams. No, we were not the best in our league, but by no means were we the worst. Over half of the teams were new to competition at Mannheim, so the year was dedicated to welding a group of near strangers into a true team that stood together both physically and mentally. The women won on home courts with incredible stompings over Baumholder, Zweibrucken, and K-Town. The men did well with near victories over Baumholder and Zweibrucken.

Our practices were tough but the "familyish" feeling overcame any strict rules that Coach

Carroll set down, and for that reason, many of the most precious moments were dedicated to all out gossip sessions. Some of the best memories of away games were spent sneaking off to the Bitburg Basikin Robins just to have that one scoop of "Pastashio Passion", the one that if coach had gotten hold of, he would have had your Varsity letter for himself.

Not every special time can be put into words, and sometimes even pictures do not describe the true essence of this team that kept everyone on their toes with or without their socks on, so we went to the team to get their summary of the season in five words or less. At first they all just looked at each other in confusion because it takes these tennis jocks a while to comprehend after being bombarded by those little yellow balls. After a moment, or so, they just shrugged and replied, "We just have to say 'YESHKK'"

ROW 1: Mark McConnell, T.J. Curry, Mishka Valerius, Shana Mike, Brett Bowser, Brad Smith, **ROW 2:** Ginger Garlick, Suzanne Scruggs, Tari Scordo, Grant Garlick, Mike Green, Nicole Brennen, Liz Ortiz, Leslie Clark, Robert McClellen, **ROW 3:** Stephanie Grant, Bernard Turner.

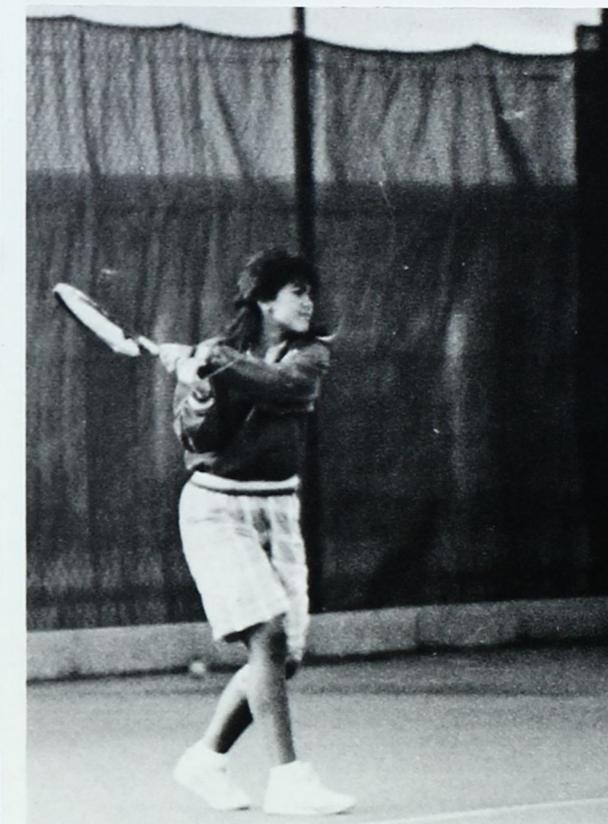
Players find time to goof around between matches.



Look out Robert, looks like Stephanie has it, the awesome backswing is in effect.

Liz Ortiz grimaces as another stroke dies in the net.

Freshman Brett Bowser sports the shades, only to sit back and enjoy the show his teammates put on.



The women's top seeded player, Tari Scordo, shows the form that made her number one.

In a better moment, Mishka Valerius, the men's top seed, smiles while enjoying a successful season.

With Pride & Spirit

Cheerleading was a new, different, and exciting experience this year. For starters, cheerleading as an activity qualified in DoDDS as a lettering sport for the first time. Also, our female rabble-rousers were chosen by trying out in front of the entire student body, another first for Mannheim. The picks turned out to be good ones, since Mannheim, despite difficulties on the field and court, always had a fired-up crowd. Actually, the cheerleaders were in-

involved in several public service functions. During the Christmas season, our girls helped sponsor a toy drive for needy kids. They also started what everyone hopes will be a new Mannheim tradition for Homecoming, the Homecoming mums. These colorful flowers added a nice touch to the sweaters and jackets of the cheering fans, splashing the crowd with brilliant purples and golds.

Our cheerleaders had several goals in mind when they started the season.



Varsity and JV cheerleaders go down while a football player is hurt on the field.

Bottom Left: Darby Merrihew, Stacey Baker, **Middle:** Lisa Ringstadt, Shannon Colbert **Third Row:** Tina Green, Glenda Martin



Bottom Left: Carmen Harrell, Verdel Banks, Regina Rickoski
Middle Left: Monica Allen, Brigette Baez, Tara Brown



Stacy Baker and Lisa Ringstadt mix with the Bison crowd



Monica Allen, Carmen Harrel and Tooter Brown show off their stuff on Woods Memorial Field.

J.V. Cheerleaders cheer proudly for MAHS.

One was to work harder than ever to prepare for cheerleading competition in the spring. Another was to increase the number of routines performed throughout the year. It wasn't unusual to find the JV and Varsity teams put-

ting something new together as the sun was setting in the west. The results were, as can be expected, outstanding. All the practice and patience paid off. As our zesty cheerleaders proudly kept the Mannheim spirit alive.



WRESTLING

This year's 1986-87 wrestling team had great potential. The young men who wrestled this year were among the finest in MHS. There were some former wrestlers returning back for another year, and many beginners ready to gain experience and commit themselves to the physical challenges of wrestling.

Randy Boelkow who has plenty of wrestling experience, and is an excellent instructor in the skills of wrestling was among the volunteers. Harrison Gibb, a substitute teacher here in Mannheim, is an Arkansas wrestler. Cliff Brown is another volunteer from our community. All of these people have been a great help to the MHS wrestlers and we would have been at a loss without them.

The two captains were Ed Miner and Chad Stark. The co-captains were Robert Kreps and Roger Smith. The coaches to whom we give our gratitude is Coach Kalla and Coach Morgan.

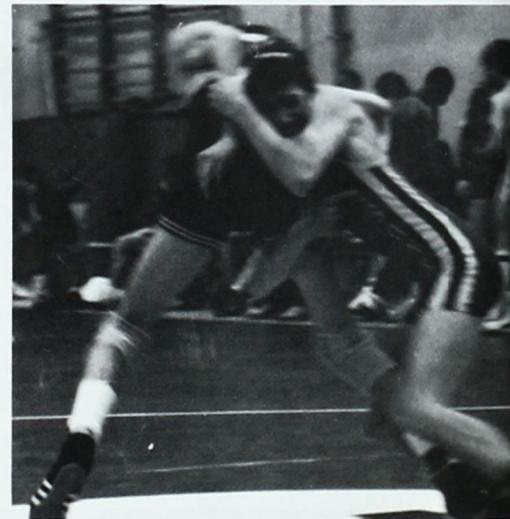
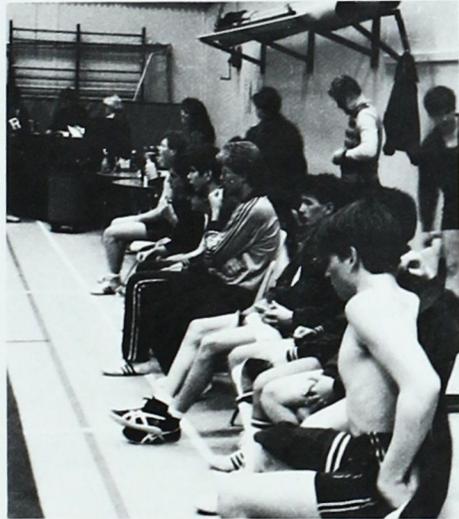
Mannheim has had a great season and we hope to continue this throughout the years.

Above: Ed Miner is caught trapped in a head lock.

Left: Fellow wrestlers await their turn on the battle field.

Right: The opposing wrestler doesn't stand a chance against our Bison team.

Is he pinned yet?



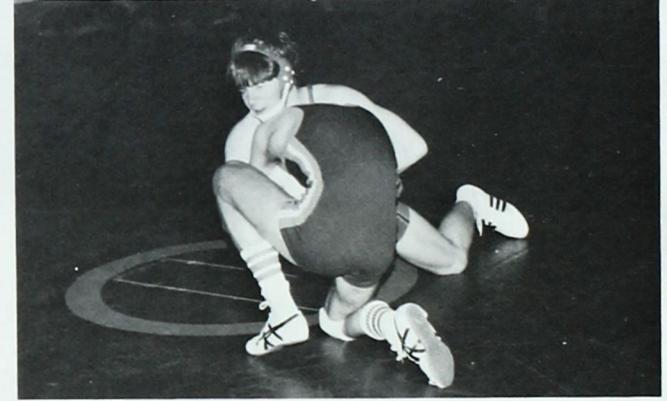
Front to Back row — Chad Stark, Ed Miner, Kenji Simmons, Darby Merrihew, Mike Phillips, Trevor Wilson, Eloy Rodriguez, Robert Kreps, Bill Miner, Denise Dittmar — manager, Anthony Roberts, Will Fisher, Lave Amundson, Roger Smith, Brad Segura, Head Coach Morgan, Cliff Brown — assistant, Jewel Metamoros — manager, Mindy Martin — manager, Harrison — assistant, Coach Kalla

Anthony Roberts shows no mercy.

"When is this match going to end?"

Roger Smith claims a victory for Mannheim.

Coach Morgan helps keep score.



BOYS VARSITY BASKETBALL



Chris Hall showing some moves before the game

"I never knew high school kids could do that!"

The above was the reaction that a referee had after seeing a bit of the finesse that makes basketball such an enjoyable spectator, as well as player's, sport. Some moves are quite basic and are seen quite often, but some are performed only occasionally. All this leads to the conclusion that the slam dunk is quite elusive in high school basketball.

Obviously, anyone getting that impression has never been to a Mannheim Men's Varsity game.

The 1986-87 basketball season was quite victorious for the Bison. While the move from AA to the AAA division was strenuous for other sports, the cagers

had no problems. They met, and conquered, a new opponent every week on their way to becoming a force to be reckoned with.

Behind every triumph there is a novel. Behind this team's success, there are a couple volumes. The first could be about their ability to cooperate and win games as a team, not as individuals. The second could be about their coaching which took them to places that they had never dreamed of. The third, and possibly the most interesting, could be about their new name. No longer were they known as freeloaders on the tails of the AAA division, they actually had a space to themselves, and made use of it.

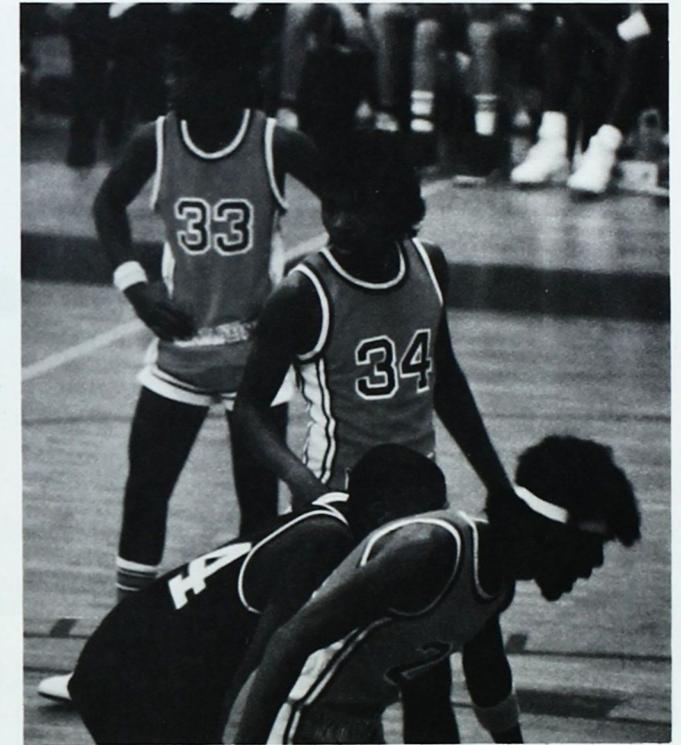
"Phi Slamma Jamma", as any true Bison knows, is a spin-

off of college fraternities with a twist. The "Slamma Jamma" part refers to their excellent ability to stun the opposition with their slam dunks. By the middle of the season, not only did Mannheim have four players who would slam in games, but they also had one who was averaging four slams per game, more than any other school in their division.

Coach Mitt deserves a huge round of applause for his dedication to the team and all that he accomplished with them. To quote him, he said although the team was young, they were getting more experienced, and his goal was to make them "the best that they can possibly be."



Okay, we know you can jump. Now let go of the ball. Come on guys, this is no time to take a break.



"Warming up for track, Chris?"

Up ... up ... and away.

First row; Chris Nolan, Travis Jenkins, Lamar Taylor, Corey Jenkins, Timmy Nickols, Second row; Coach Mitt, Chris Hall, Billy Jennett, Andre Greene, Gene Lacey, Shawn O'Brien, and manager Casey Conroy

BOYS JV BASKETBALL

"We are young, unexperienced, and raw, but are improving with each game," stated Mr. Crockett, the devoted JV Boys coach.

This year the JV Basketball team worked to overcome their inexperience. They worked hard, learned a lot, and are ready to return next year, hopefully at the Varsity level. Their major strengths are the fact that they don't get discouraged, practice hard, and have a positive attitude.

There are many things we could say about the JV team, but, watching them play with their "can-do" attitude expresses more than words can say.

First row: Manager Bret Bowset, Bernard Turner, Ladel Alexander, Chris Phipps, Frankie Rivera, Anthony Prior, Finley Henderson, Coach Crockett. Second row: Cary Bryant, Kevin Perez, Bobbie Norwood, Ricky Miles, Grant Garlick.

Bobbie takes a break during a home game.

Two Bison get set up for a strong defense.

MAHS manages to tear through their Baumholder opponents.



GIRLS JV BASKETBALL



This year's JV Basketball team started out young and inexperienced. With most of the team composing of freshman and sophomores, they had no where to go but up. Great improvement was shown in all of the players, especially after winter break. A lot of hard work and dedication resulted in some victories towards the end of the season.

Mrs. Butler, the head coach, did not want her picture taken, but much responsibility came with her love for the team. She helped these girls to learn the fundamentals of the game so that they could learn to sharpen their skills in the future. Sometimes the first step is the hardest one to take, but with good coaching it becomes easier.

First row: Genie Rhinehart, Nicole Andrew, Tiffany Tramp, Lisa van Skyhawk, Linda McKinney, Sam Suela, Stacey Taylor, Cynthia Williams, Leslie Clark, Angie Taylor, Mickey Broderick, and Denise Jenkins.

The Bison gather around Coach Butler for a last minute pep talk before the game.

Linda and Denise await the big play that's coming their way.

Cynthia shows finesse in her shots.



GIRLS VARSITY BASKETBALL

The 1986-87 Women's Basketball team this season was anything but boring, to say the least. While the season was quite victorious, the step up from AA to AAA didn't seem to bother the Lady Bison. Every game was a new challenge that had to be overcome. With a positive attitude, they gave no mercy coming into the new division, blowing their opponents away.

Not everything comes easily, however. A lot of hard work was put into making this team the best they could possibly be. One main reason this season was such a success, was their ability to work together and appreciate each others' strengths and weaknesses. Helping each other improve came

not only from the teammates, but from the head coach. Coach Blank was the heart and soul of the team. Not only did he want each player to improve to the best of their potentials, but he cared for the players as individuals. It was this kind of caring that united the team as one and made learning become easy and enjoyable. Another reason was the past experience each player had. With the exception of two freshmen, everyone was a returning Mannheim Varsity or JV player. The two eldest players lead the team in the most points, rebounds, and assists per game. They contributed a lot to the team and will be greatly missed next year.



Front to back: Leslie Clark, Tammy Ryan, Liz Ortiz, Alison Wright, Regina Nolan, Jennifer Hall, Ginger Garlick, Becky Harris, Saphie Williams, and Coach Blank.

Regina Nolan: outstanding player, leading in scoring and rebounding. Need we say more?

Saphie shoots while her teammates look on.

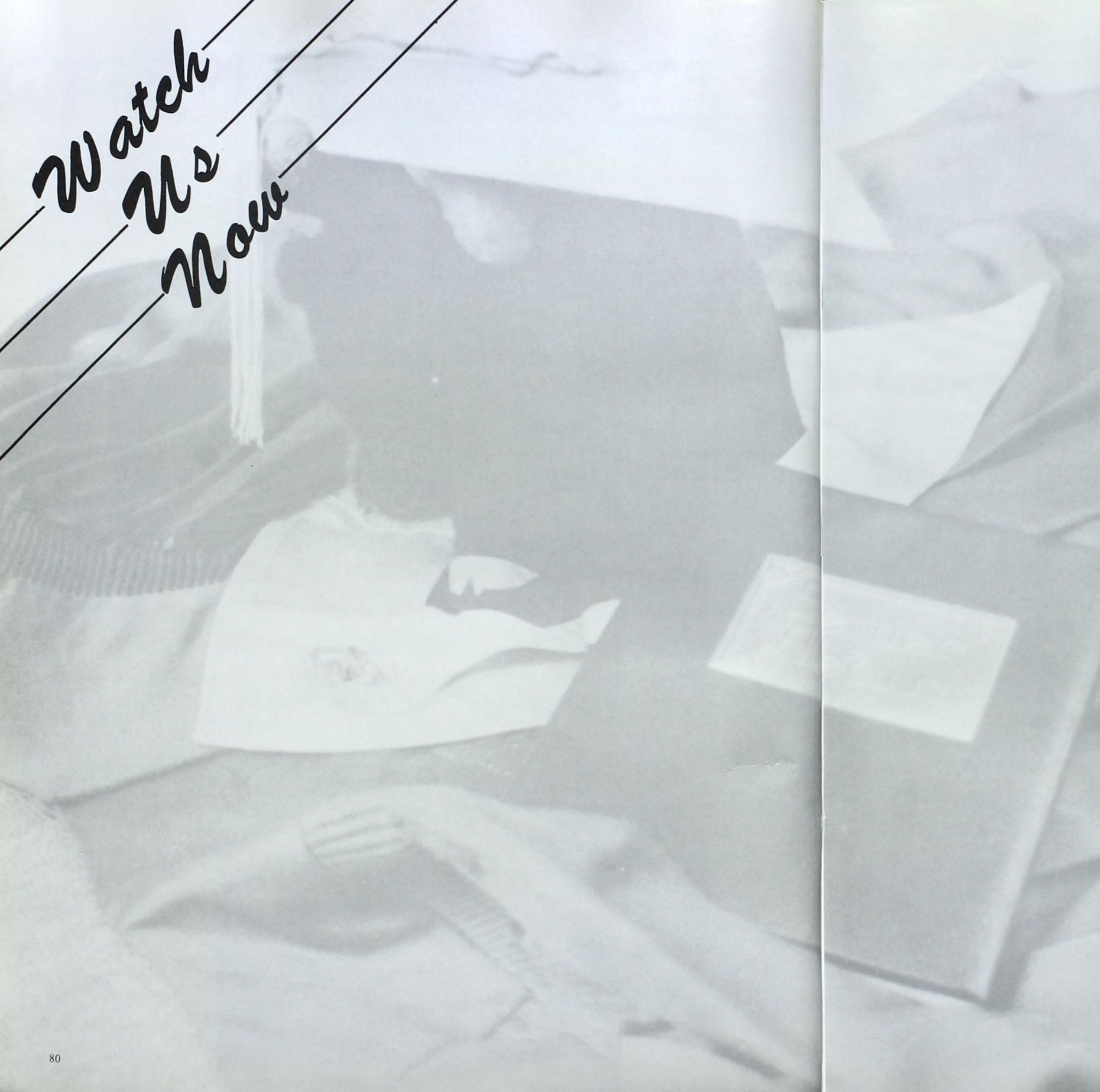


Tammy and Becky are followed by the camera.

Bison take control and shoot for two points more.

Saphie Williams: second in command of rebounds, points, and ability.

Watch
Me
Now

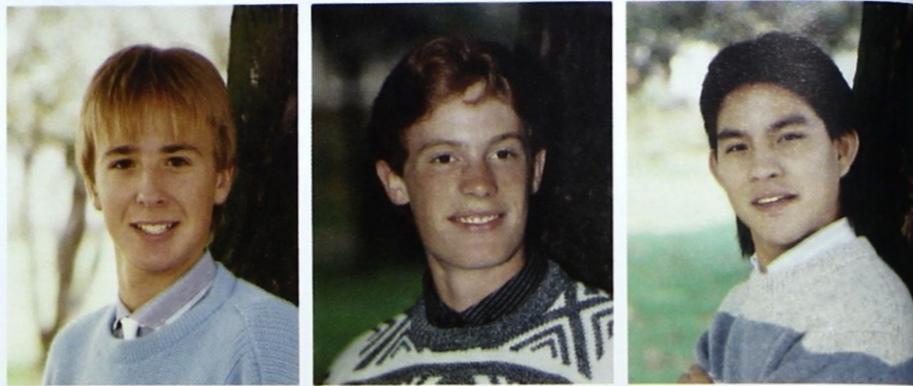


Today Mannheim — to-
morrow the world. — to-

UNKNOWN —

Seniors

Michael Adamitis
Clayton Allen
Joe Antonioli



Suzanne M. Asuncion
 "Susie Q"

Wuerzberg, West Germany
 "Love is the power over all powers of the universe. It is something that will live, anonymously, forever."
 Lettergirl 9, 10, 11, 12; Soccer 12

Dawn Awtrey
Michelle Banks
 "Chelle"
 St. Albans, New York
 Track 9, 10, 11

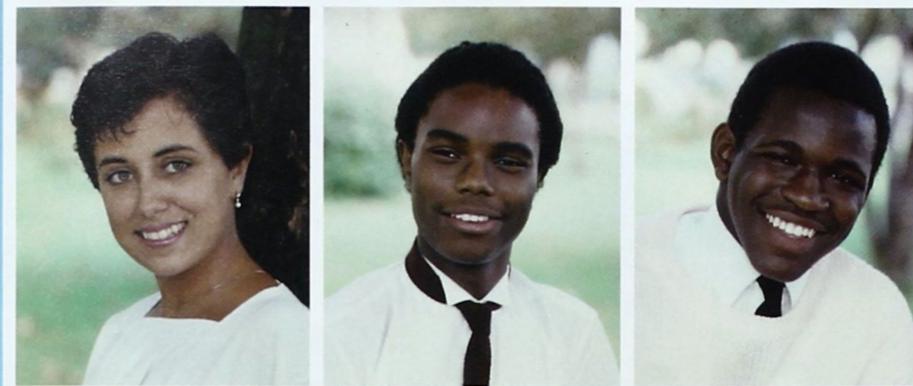


Eric Berry
Terri Beach
Carolyn Becking

St. Louis, Missouri
 Cross Country 12; Marching Band 9, 10, 11; Youth Group 9, 10, 11, 12; French Club 9, 10; Literary Magazine 10, 11; Drama Club 11; 2nd Place Energy Awareness Contest, 1st place Hartford Piano Contest; 2nd place Hartford Writing Contest



Ian Berkeheimer
 Little Rock Arkansas
 "For if there was no one, there would be no life."
 Soccer 10, 11; Football, 12; Track 10; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Youth Group 9, 10, 11
Tara Bowers
Tina Bradley



Laura Brito
 "Burito"
 Madrid, Spain
 Basketball 9, 10; Spanish Club 9
Kevin Brown
Vince Brown
 Paris, France
 Football 9, 10, 11, 12; ROTC 12; Basketball 10, 11, 12; Track 10, 11, 12; Da Boys 12



John Bush
Jennifer Clark
Leslie Clark
 "Les"
 Quincy, Florida
 "You can't have everything — where would you put it?"
 Varsity Tennis 9, 12; Varsity Soccer 11, 12; Basketball 11, 12; MUNC 12; Powder Puff 11, 12



David Christerson
Bruce Wayne Coffman
 Salinas, California
 "If you love someone, set them free."
 FBLA 10, 11, 12; Marching Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Newspaper 9; Multi Ethnic Club 9; ROTC Color Guard 9; Concert Band 9, 10, 11; Outstanding FBLA Member; State Secretary For FBLA
Shannon Colbert
 White Sands, New Mexico
 "All the world's a stage." Cheerleading 10, 11, 12; Drama 10; Journalism Club 12; Horizons Club 11



Mary Cone
Kenneth Conroy
 The "Caseman"
 Ft. Riley, Kansas
 "We're only Buggin'"
 J.V. Soccer 11; Varsity Soccer 12; Basketball manager 12; MUNC 11, 12; Senior 2nd Vice, Teen Council 12; The Boys 11, 12
Aubrey Craig

You've waited for 18 years for this moment, many dreams have been spent fantasizing about what is now happening; graduation. As you walk down the aisle, your parents and friends from the past years of your life look up at you with tears in their eyes. You glance back with a hint of optimism, and a little apprehension of the unavoidable.

Suddenly, with each step you take, memories come flowing back into your mind. Your first day of school, so fresh and new, seems like yesterday. Your mommy led you by the hand to your classroom, and hugged you goodbye, but you would not let her leave you alone among all of the strange people around you. Tears rolled down your face, and you cried out for her to take you back, but it was too late, she was gone.

Now, with another step you recall grade school, and learning how to write cursive. Oh how hard it was to make

your hand form all those fancy little drawings that were actually letters, only you couldn't read them. Then one day, you finally mastered the feat, and an exhilarating feeling overtook you.

Another step, another memory; your first crush. You remember how you felt so wonderful everytime he or she came around, but also recall how nervous you really were. Everyone respected the two of you and envied your relationship at the same time.

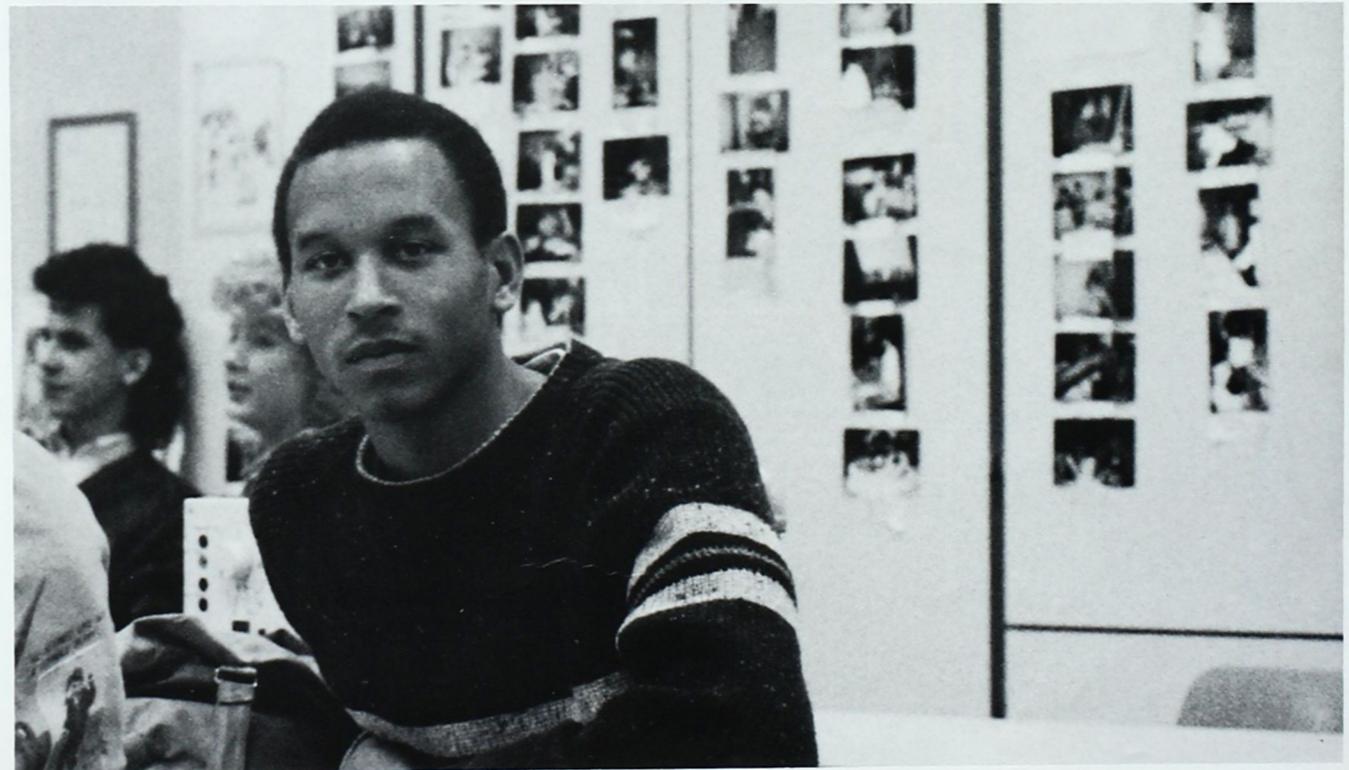
High school was the best time of your life. You remember your freshman year when all of the "big" seniors would ridicule you, and laugh when your face flushed. You couldn't help but wish that you were an upper classman yourself.

More recently was your junior year, when Homecoming and Winter Ball took on less meaning, and Prom became your focus because you were in charge of it. Class rings were created to suit your

individual tastes, and were turned and locked by all your friends. Colleges demanded attention, and more stress was put on SATs than you could ever imagine possible.

Finally, you reflect on your senior year. That day when you had your sitting for portraits the only thought in your mind was that you had finally made it; you were now a senior. The final football, basketball, and soccer games crowd your mind. Homecoming memories you treasure, spending your time with your friends and dates. The Prom was over in one night, although all of the planning went on for months before.

As you stand there reflecting on your life, your name is called, snapping you out of your daze. You reach out to accept your diploma, and a tear rolls down your face. You have finally made it, life awaits you.



Rhonda Cupples
Timothy Davis
Amanda DeBerry

Ft. Rucker, Alabama
Cheerleading 9, 10, 11; Student Council 11; MUNC 10;
Yearbook 11; Newspaper 11, 12



Alma DeLeon
"Ju Ju"
Chicago Ill.
Spanish Club, 10

Kara Marie Dille
"Doo!"

Dayton, Ohio
"Life moves pretty fast; if you don't stop and look
around, it mi it might pass you by."
NHS 10, 11, 12; NHS Secretary 11; NHS President 12;
Letter girl 10, 11, 12; Senior Class Pres. 12; Junior Class
Pres. 11; Brain Bowl 11, 12; Latin Club 9; Lit
Anthology Award

Pete Dizer



Vannessa Durdurekas
Heidelberg, Germany
Cheerleading 10; Soccer 10; FBLA 11, 12; Pep Club 11

Kevin Fisk

Catherine Constane Freimuth
"Katie", "Red"

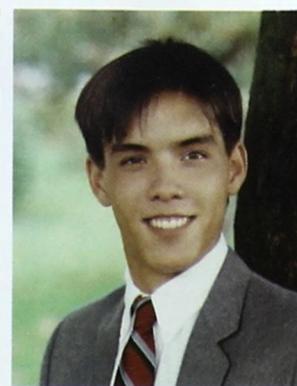
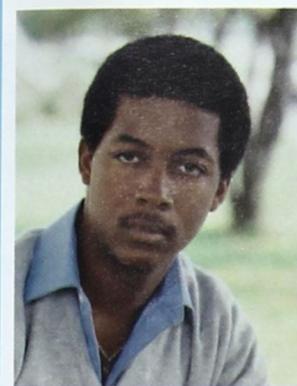
Clinton, Iowa
"It is better to remain silent and be thought a fool than
to speak up and confirm it."
Letter girl 10, 11, 12; MUNC 11, 12; NJHS 9; NHS
10, 11, 12; Junior Class 2nd Vice; Senior Class Vice
Pres.; Lit Anthology Award



Don Glasmyer
Kevin Gornto

Eaton Town, NJ
J.V. Field Hockey 9; Band 10; Varsity Soccer 11, 12;
Lettergirls 11, 12; Munc 12; Physics Club 10; Math
Club 10; FBLA 12; Lit Anthology Award; Presidential
Physical Fitness

Keiichi Gosden



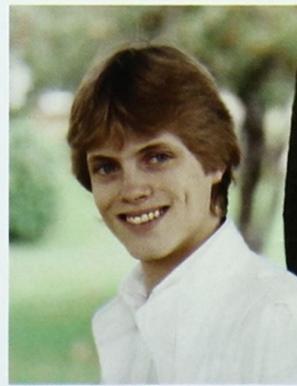
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Ft. Carson, Colorado
Cross Country 10, 11, 12
Brian Groeschel
Indio, Georgia
"Eatus Planus Stercore"
NHS 10, 11, 12
Tina Hays



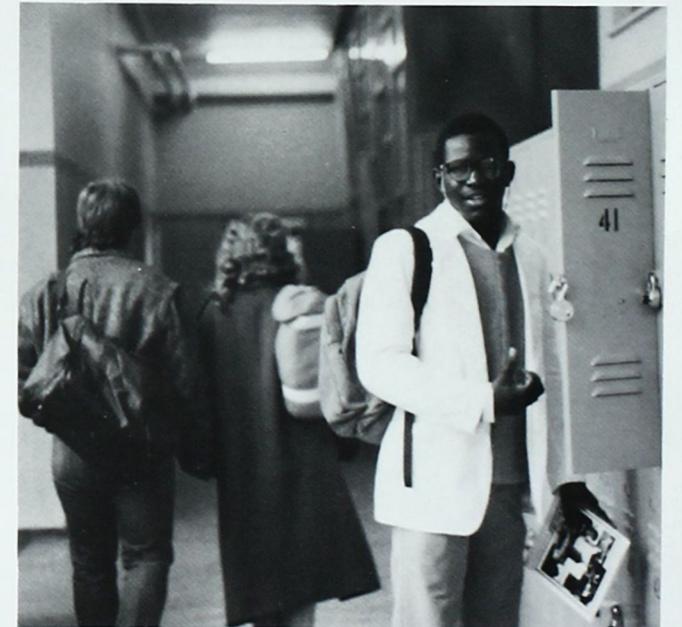
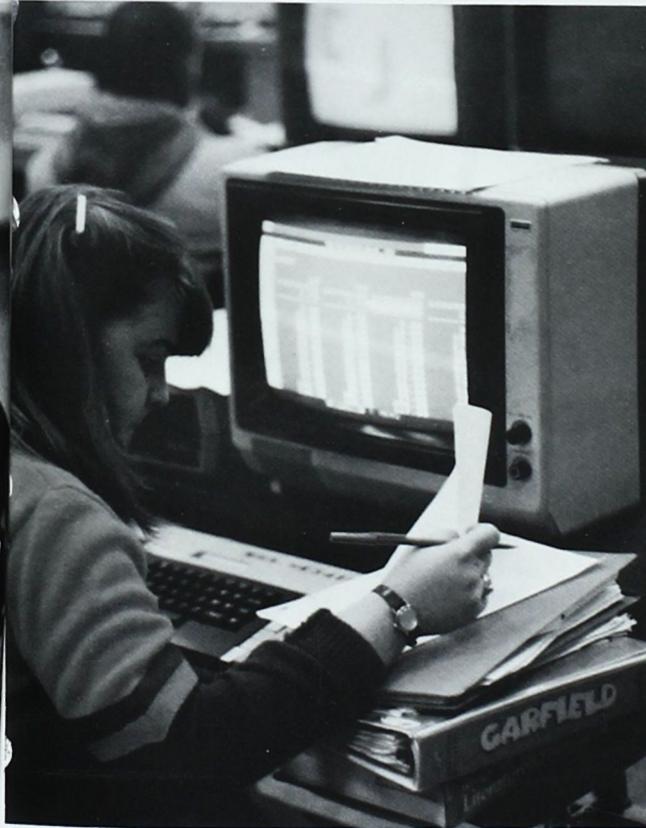
Mark Haldeman
Sandra Hallahan
"Sindy"
Pusan, Korea
Manager 11; FBLA 12; GROUP 12; Personal Typing
Award; Cosmetology Award
Heather Hanzlik
"Spaz"
Okinawa Japan
"People living in competition, all I want is a piece of
mind."



Tod Hjulberg
Carla Hirlston
Nathalie Hodson
"Nat"
Heidelberg, Germany
"Let's Get Motivated."



John Hoffman
"Sir John"
San Bernadino, California
"Eat a pickle, Kiss a cow, '87 was great, so take a bow."
Chorus 9, 10, 11; Summer Hire Award; Choir Award
Andrew Hopkins
Gina Horvath



Shannon Horvath
Patricia James
 "Pepsi"
 Ft. Rucker, Alabama
 "What's up?"
 Soccer 10; Cheerleading 11
Jav Johnson



Pamela S. Jones
 Barnwell County
 "Let your mind be the first guide."
 Drill Team 10, 11; ROTC 9, 10, 11; Cheerleader 9;
 Perfect Attendance 10; ROTC Drill Master and
 Certificate of Appreciation Awards
Paula Kelly
Heather Kennedy



Gene Lacey
 Louisville, Kentucky
 "Oh, what a tangled web we weave when at first we try to
 deceive."
 Track 9, 10, 11, 12; Basketball 9, 10, 11, 12; Cross
 Country 9; Rifle Team 10, 12; Choir 10, 12; Phi
 Slamma Jamma 12; JROTC Company Commander 10,
 12; Choir Best Male Singer 10
Kim Langford
Robert Laun



Tuwana Leonard
 "Tee"
 "Sho hate it"
 Manhattan, New York City
 Softball 11; Band 9; Ilacs 9; Choir 11; Community
 Awards for work in Library and ACS
Derek Lewis
Jewell Matamoros
 "Metamorphosis"
 "Hey Alma, We got the juice!"
 Cross Country 12; Wrestling Manager 12; Spanish
 Club 10, 11; Multi Ethnic Club 9; Newspaper Club 10;
 Art Achievement Award; DODDS Art Award;
 "Sketches" Certificate of Achievement



Eva Maximov
Elizabeth McElroy
Amanda McKenzie



Lee Middleton
Edward Miner
 "Tom"
 Los Angeles, California
 "Live life like you want to."
 Soccer 9, 12; Wrestling 9, 10, 11, 12; Rifle Team 10;
 ROTC 9, 10, 11; Eagle Scout Award
Ruben Muniz

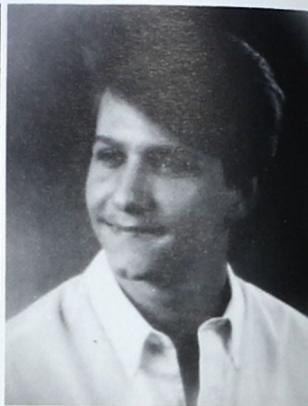


Regina Nolan
 "Pebbles"
 Wilkes-Barre Pennsylvania
 "What's up homey girl?" Basketball 9, 10, 11, 12;
 Volleyball 9, 10, 11, 12; Track 11, 12; JROTC 9, 10;
 Phi Slamma Jamma 12; All European Recognition; All
 Conference; All Tournament; Athlete of The Year
 Recognition
Lisandra Ortiz
 "Hilda The Hippo"
 "Future Medical Disaster" Humacao, Puerto Rico
 Tennis 9, 10, 11, 12; Basketball 9, 10, 11, 12; Band 9, 10;
 Junior Class President 11; MUNC 12; PTSA/SAC 12;
 Student Government President 12; Tennis Club 11;
 Student Leadership Conference 12; Powder Puff 12;
 Homecoming Queen 12; GROUP 11, 12; Softball 11;
 Honor Roll 9, 11
Kim Ostendorf

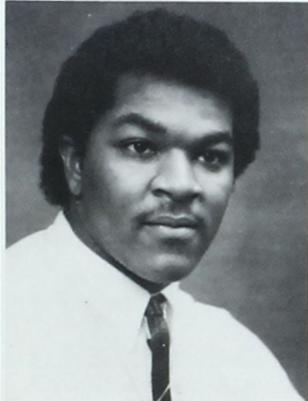


Cassandra Owens
Lisa Papineau
 "Evil Eyes"
 Frankfurt, Germany
 "Where there is an open mind, there will always be a
 frontier."
 Cheerleading Co-Captain 10; Treasurer of Sophomore
 Class 10
Diane Plough

Eugenia Dorcay
Marie Brock
Michael Gattis



Jerry Hughes
Dexter Porch
Corena Raines



Katrina Thomas



Shown Above: Casey Conroy, Regina, Rickoske, Kara Dille,
and Mark Haldeman. Not Shown: Susie Asuncion



Kara Dille — President



Susie Asuncion — 1st
Vice President



Casey Conroy — 2nd
Vice President



Regina Rickoski —
Secretary



Mark Haldeman —
treasurer

Mannheim's Senior Class officers were a fine group of hard working students. The five ambitious students brought the 1986-87 senior class together to make a success of their Senior Year. Like all good leaders should, these fine officers led the Senior Class to a victory during Spirit Week and brought together a wonderful Winterball.

Regina Rickoski

"Ro"

Glen-Ridge, Maryland

"Live, Laugh, and Love"

Varsity Cheerleading 11, 12; Cheerleading Captain 12;
Class Secretary 12; Teen Council 12; NJHS

Paul Rose

Suzanne Scruggs

Colorado Springs, Colorado

"The only true necessities in life are friends." Tennis 10,
11, 12; NHS 10, 11, 12; Keywanettes 9, 10, 11;
Hispanic Club 10, 11; Youth Orchestra 9; Scholarship
Letter 10, 11; Excellence in Spanish; Excellence in
English; International Foreign Language Association
Award for Spanish



Kim Wetterman

"Lady Paige"

Misawa Japan

"Pshaw"

FBLA 10, 11, 12; NHS 10, 11, 12

Rosliand Whitehead

Saphie Williams

Mannheim, Germany

Basketball 10, 11, 12; ROTC 9; Varsity Club 11, 12;
Phi Slamma Jamma 12; Modeling Student of the Year



Scott Scurrah

"The Scourge"

Dunoon, Scotland

"Long live Ronald Reagan."

Basketball 9, 10, 11; MUN 12; Football 9, 11, 12; Soccer
11; Ski Club 9, 10; Band 9, 10; Bugging 9, 10, 11, 12;
High Life 11, 12

Marites Shipman

Duane Starrenburg

Robert Williams

Richard Winkler

Randy Wolfe



Sheila Stirling

Huntsville, Alabama

Soccer 11, 12; Pep Club 11

Sheryl Taylor

Brenda Uribe

Karl Wolff

"JR"

Manchester, New Hampshire

"Good Day, you Hoser."

Football 9; Track 9, 10; Photography Certificate of
Appreciation; Adventure Training Outstanding Student
Award Lisa Wright



Lillian Vega

Julie West

Traci Westmoreland

Fayetteville, North Carolina

"Enjoy life to its fullest, it may not be here tomorrow."

Lisa Wright

Best Looking
Tim Davis
Rosalin Whitehead



Most Dependable
Lizzie Ortiz
Jay Johnson

Most Talkative
Susie Ascuncion
Brian Groeshel



Biggest Airheads
Sheila Stirling
K.K. Middleton

Best Partiers
Lisa Wright
Jerry Averio



Best Looking
Laura Brito
Rueben Munez

Attention Seniors! The Wisent staff has made a mistake and wishes to convey their apologies to the people involved. On the page opposite this, the title, of "Best Looking" should be changed to "Best Dressed". We would again like to apologize for any trouble this caused.

Most Likely to Succeed
Kara Dillie
Jay Johnson



Class Clown
Vince Brown
Lizzie Ortiz

Most Spirited
Shannon Colbert
Vince Brown



Most Talented
Gene Lacey
Jewell Matamoros

Best All Around
Lizzie Ortiz
Pete Dizer



Most Athletic
Regina Nolan
Scott Scurrah

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*“They come to see; they come that
they themselves may be seen.”*

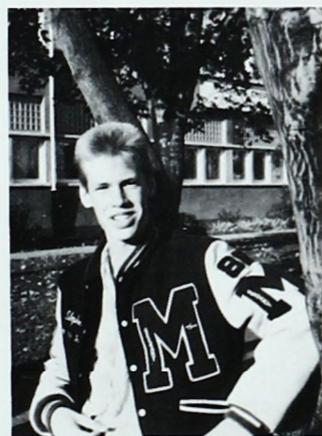
Juniors

Nicole Brennan



Monica Allen

When you think of Prom, do you ever think of what goes on behind all the glamour? During this years Prom, the Junior Class Officers were behind the glamour. The officers: Nicole Brennan, President, Robert Kreps, 1st Vice President, Monica Allen, 2nd Vice President, Allison Bailey, Secretary, Stephen Smith, Treasurer, and Sponsors:



Steve Smith

Mrs. Blake and Mr. Winslow, managed to work together through the thick and the thin to make this year one of the best for the Class of '88.

To prove that they were true leaders of the class, these five officers always



Mr. Winslow and Ms. Blake

lead the Junior Class in spirit during Spirit Week, by always dressing out for the WILD days, cheering for those masculine Powder Puff football players, and leading all the LOUD Juniors in those LOUD cheers at the Spirit Rally.

Robert Kreps



Allison Bailey

Although the officers were sometimes down and out, these five still always came out on top.

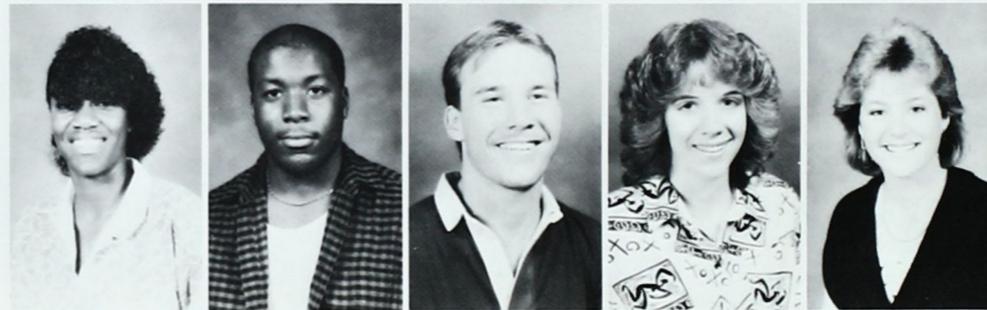
Even though the year must come to an end, we hope to see these hard working officers and their sponsors working together this hard to make the Class of '88's Senior year as GOOD if not BETTER than their Junior year.



Gina Allemang
Keith Allen
Monica Allen
Jeffrey Alton
Aimee Arthur



David Aunchman
Alison Bailey
Ron Ballard
Steve Barnette
Debbie Bauernfind



Michelle Bell
Dereke Black
Dennis Boffess
Allison Bonham
Marisa Bradely



Nicole Brennan
Terra Brown
Shawna Brown
Lillian Buffington
Nicole Burnham



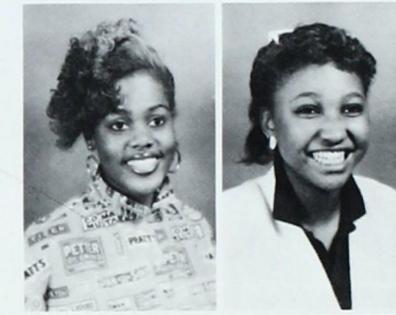
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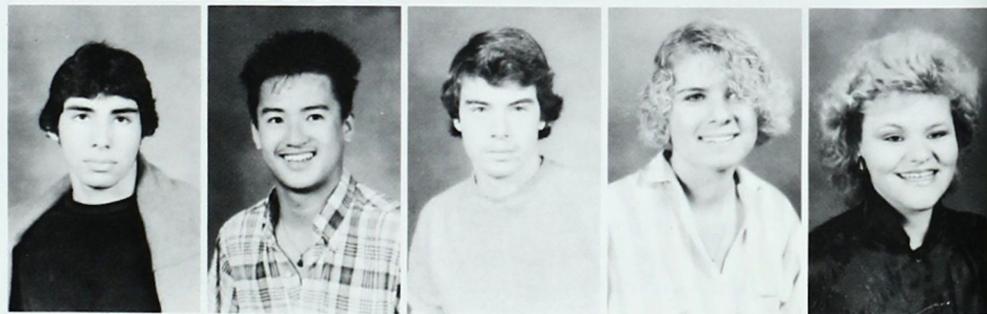
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 Alexandre Farris



Missy Grizzell
 Demetria Guion
 Robert Haeffner
 Chris Hall
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 David Gardiner



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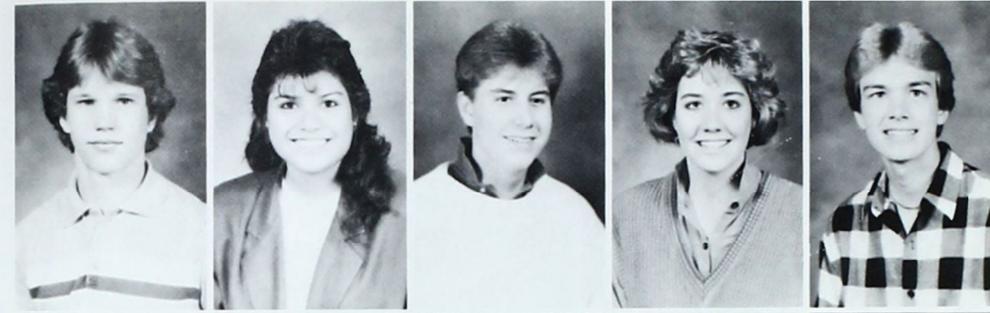
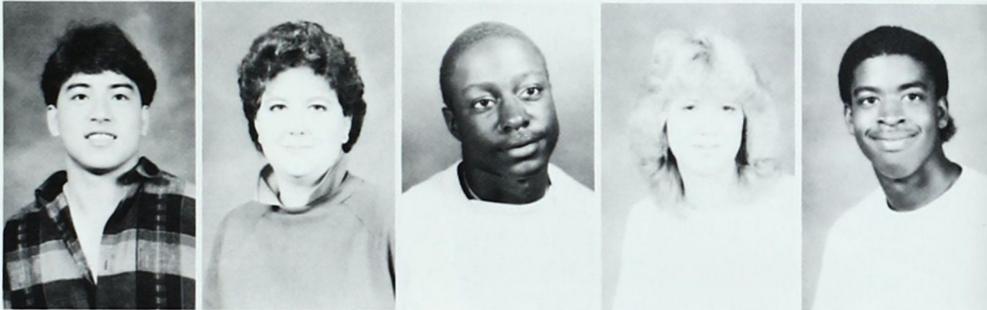
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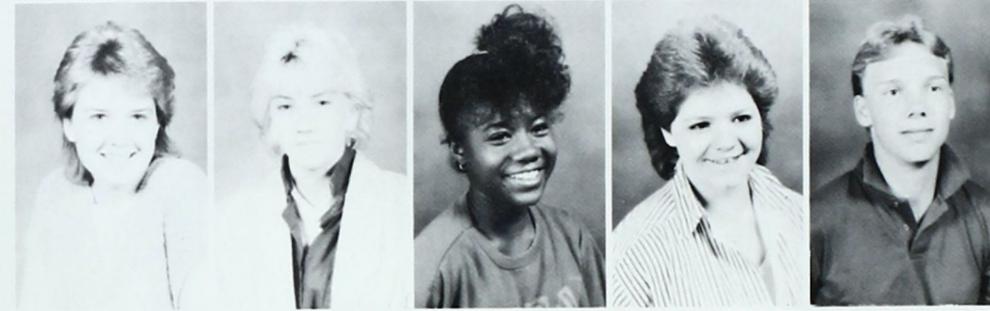
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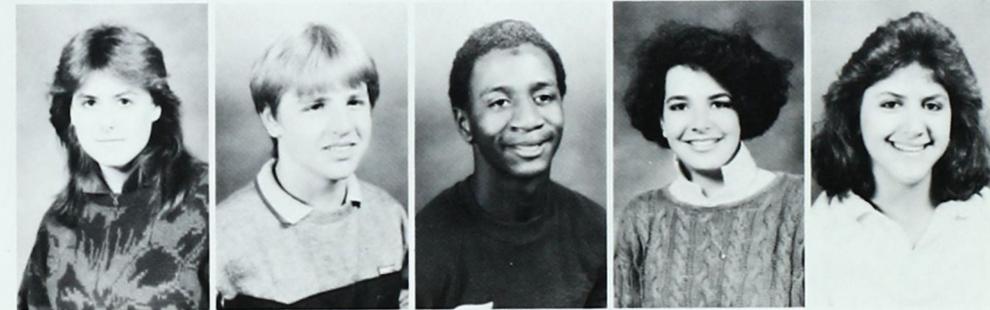
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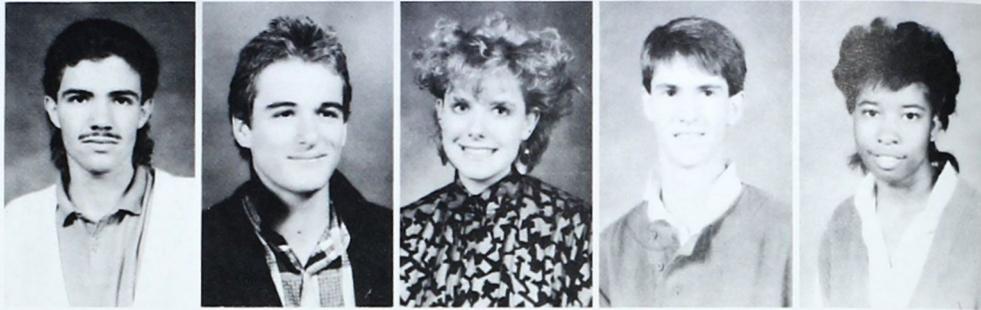
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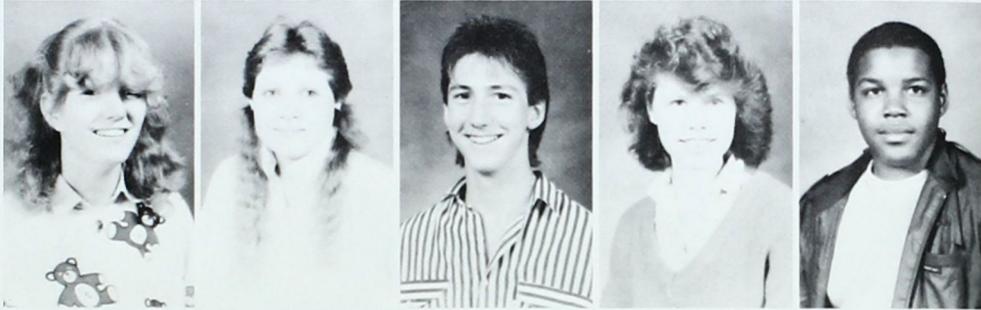
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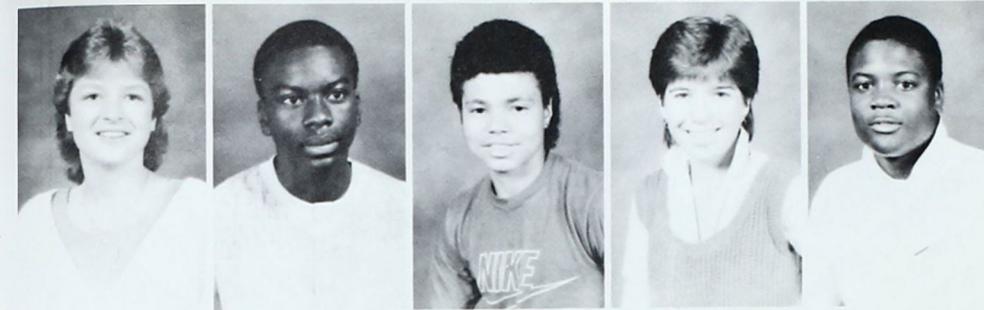
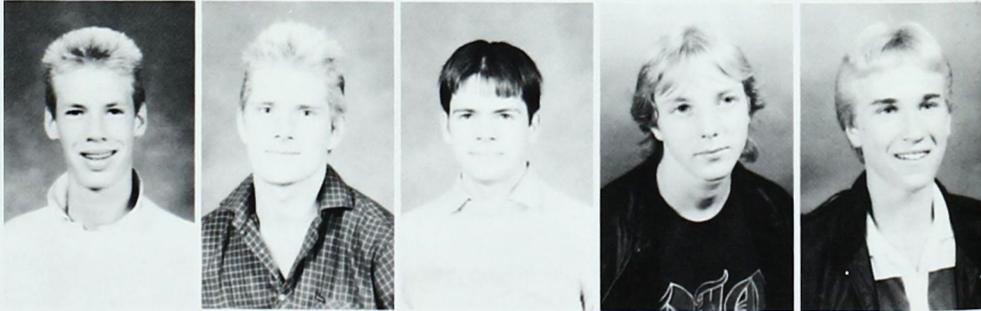
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Brad Segura



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Tracy Sisk
Marsha Sloan
Brad Smith



Stephen Smith
Roger Smith
Shawn Syndor
Pat Sprague
William Stirling



Christine Tavenier
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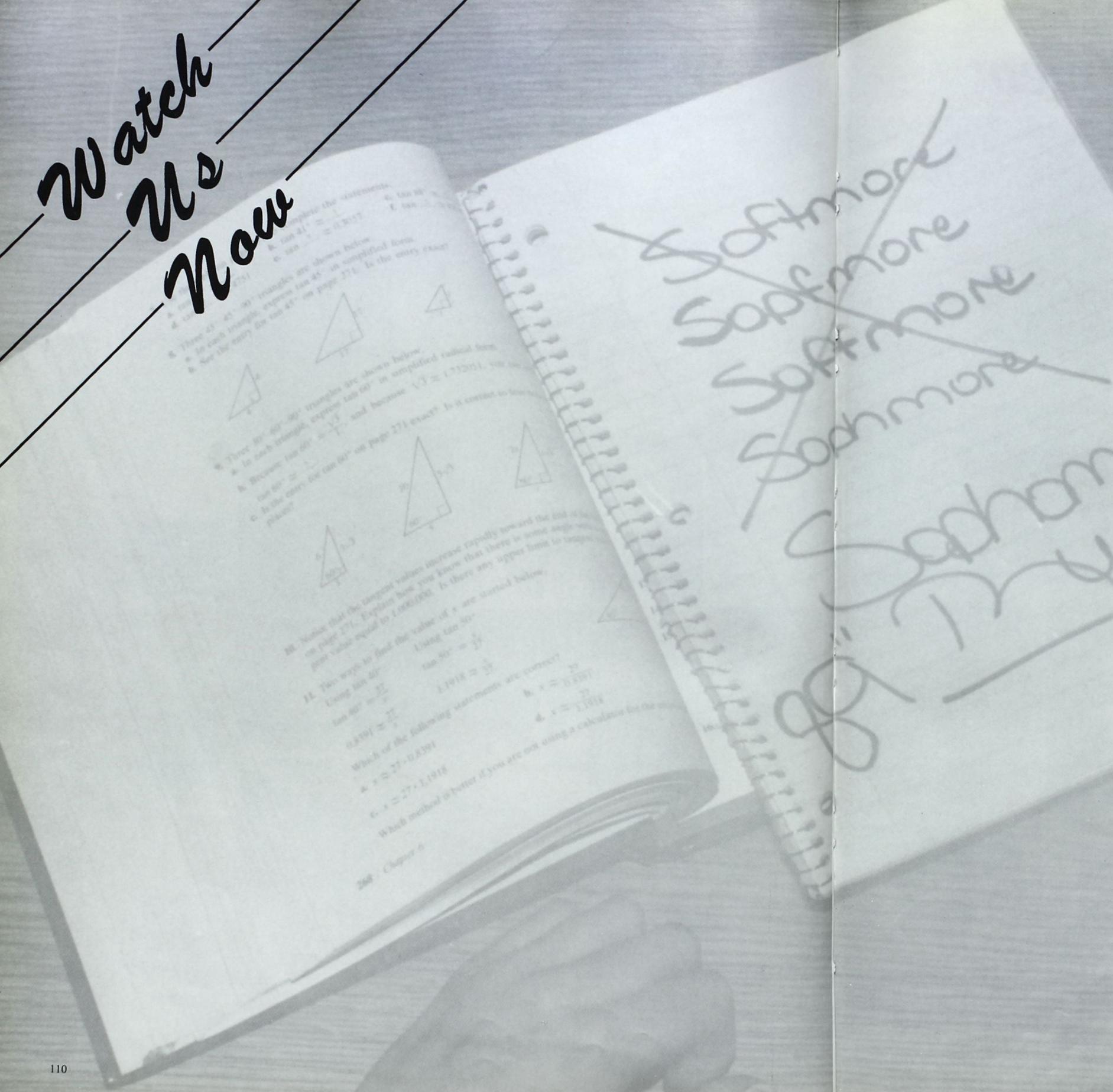


Dee Dee Wilson
Jay Wilson
Kendra Wharton
Tasha White
Lisa Word



Allison Wright
Brad Wyatt
Amy Young
Maris Young

Watch
Me
Now



“Every day should be
passed, as if it were our
last.”
Publilius Syrus

Sophomores

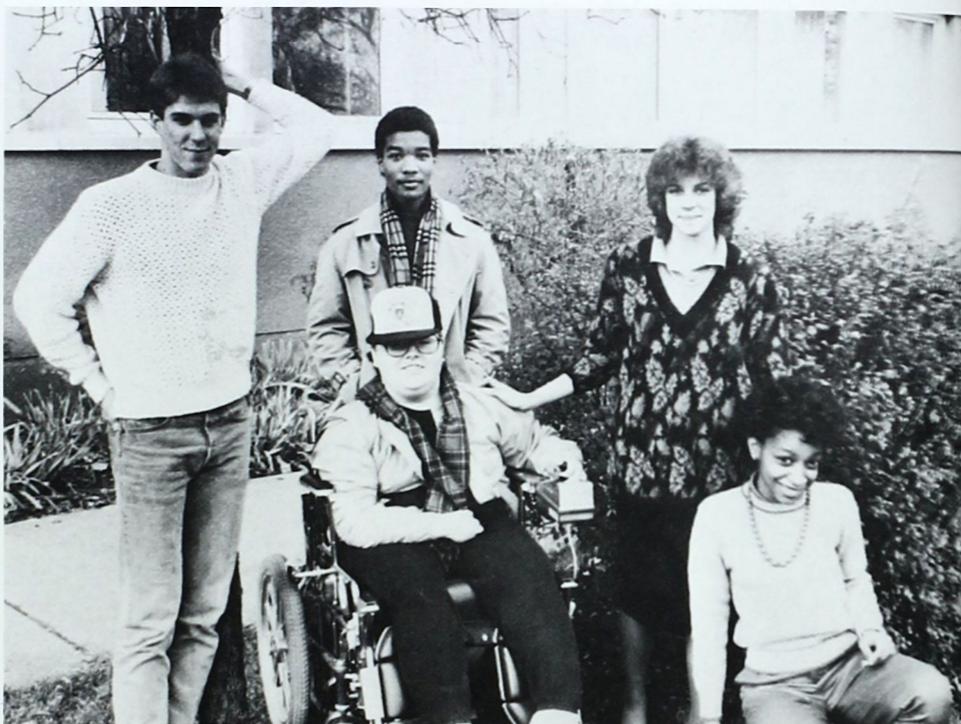
Student Government

What's it like to be a sophomore? That's one question that everyone answers for one year of their lives. For some, it's just another, the second, of four years of high school. To others it's the second year of parties, and romance. Still, others believe that school is actually a place to further their education.

In dictionaries, the word "sophomore" means "an educated fool", and who would argue with that?

After ten years of school, most people would consider themselves somewhat educated, too. As for the "fool" part of the definition, considering that Freshmen are incredibly highstrung, for some sophomores, their second year of high school is merely a continuation of their Freshman year.

In any event, being a sophomore means many different things to many different people, but the class of '89 is showing the world that Sophomores "just wanna have fun."



President: Chris Phipps



1st Vice: Tim Dixon



2nd Vice: Chulete Providence

Secretary: Jessie Haldeman



Lenny Ables
Mont Allen
Tim Anderson
Stacey Baker
Betty Balistreri
Verdell Banks

Beth Becker
Michele Bjork
Barrett Black
Shawnda Borders
Ruth Boynton
Nicole Bradley

Tashia Bramhan
Kari Brandt
Felicia Briones
Bridgitt Broderick
William Brouse
Belinda Brown

Crystal Brown
Cary Bryandt
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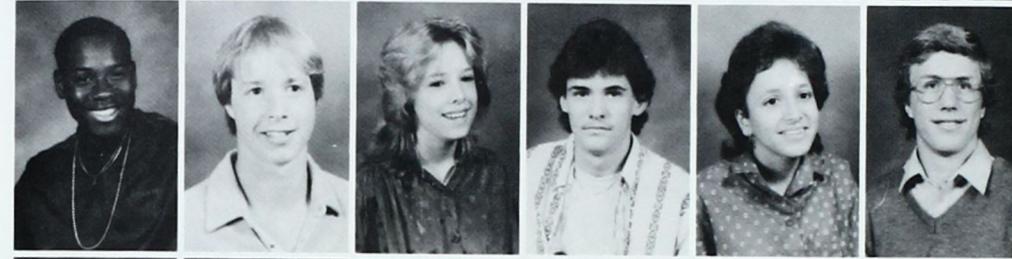
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 Thomas Fernandez



Todd Johnson
 Martin Jones
 Tara Jones
 Cathy Kellogg
 Katherine Kellum
 Jamie Keys

William Fisher
 Dawn Freyholtz
 Mike Gablet
 John Gamon
 William Giodan
 Jennifer Goodwin



Jae Kimble
 Charles Kinney
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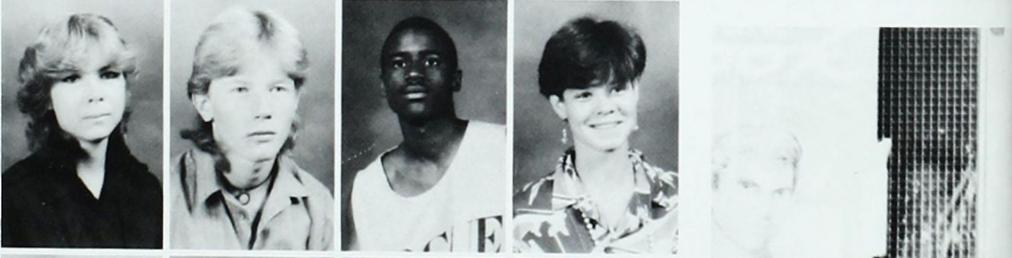
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Linda McKinney
 Edward Mendes
 Melissa Merrihew
 Shana Mike
 Angela Modlin
 Audry Morgan

Angelique Hopkins
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 Mike Huges
 Stacey Hutcheson



Gary Morrison
 Rain Morton
 Chris Nolan
 Cynthia Owens

Shane Jackson
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 Cory Jenkins
 Bonita Johnson



Shawana Pellersels
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Peek a Boo! You're on candid camera.

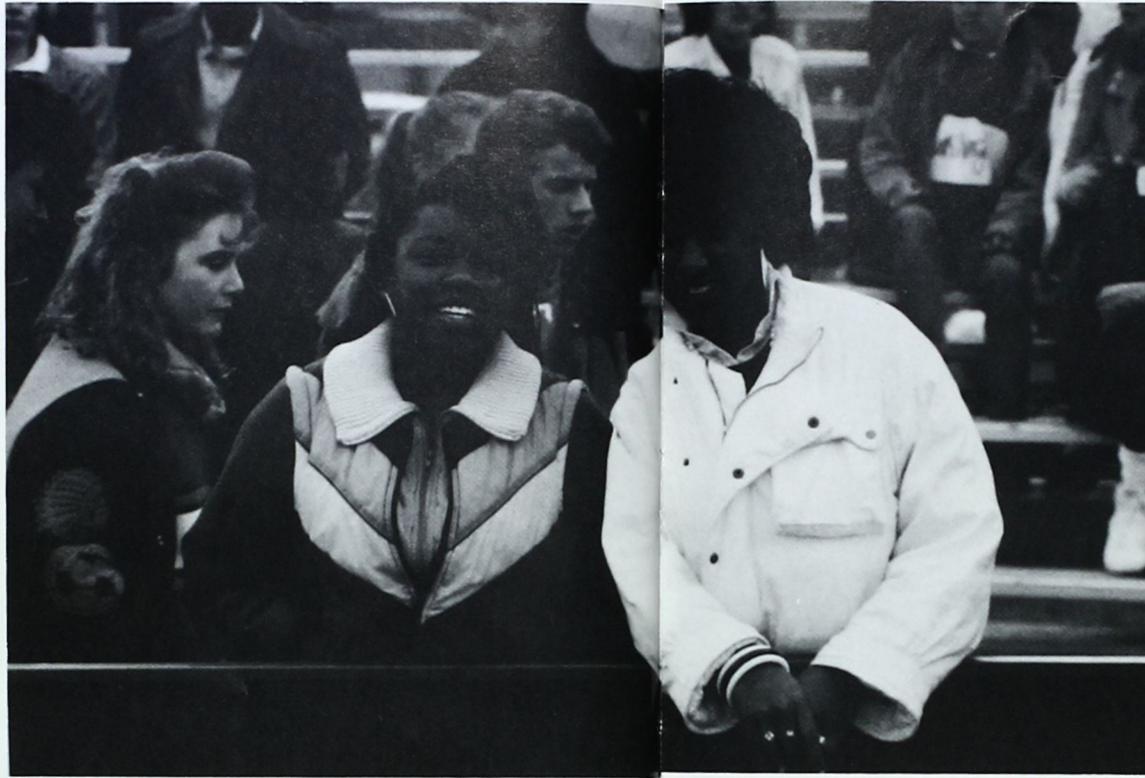
What does dedication, skill, a coaching staff, some twenty girls, and a lot of grit add up to? Champions of Powder Puff for one thing, Sophomores for another.

On Thursday, October 30th, 1986, the Sophomore class gained the Powder Puff championship title in a victory over the Junior class. This game only confirmed the belief that these girls were the best, as most people say when the Sophomores beat the Seniors earlier in the week.

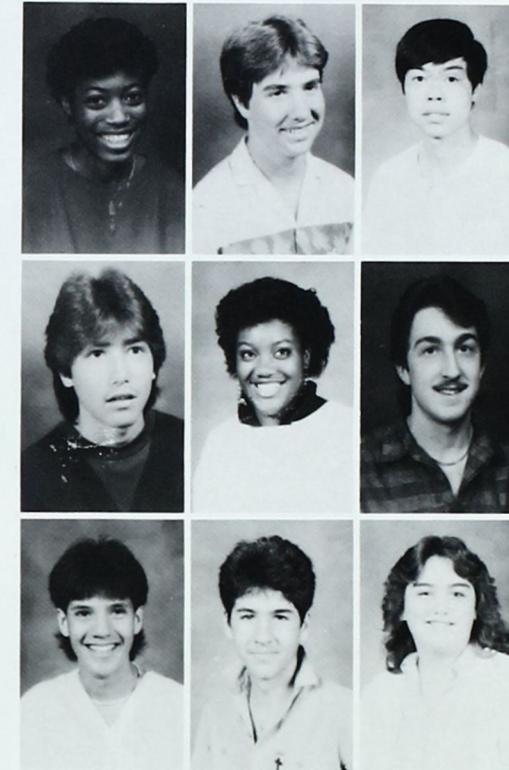
Hard work, and salty sweat were shed for over a week, as the future champions got themselves in shape for what would prove to be the highlight of spirit week. The coaches, football players from the Sophomore class, on the other hand, lived in total exasperation and headbanging, as they tried to teach their players the rules and plays of football.

In the end, after all arguments on the field had died down, and the dust settled, the true victor felt that they deserved all of the glory that they received.

And who will argue with champions.



Katherine Kellum and Michelle Banks loyally attend a Bison football game.

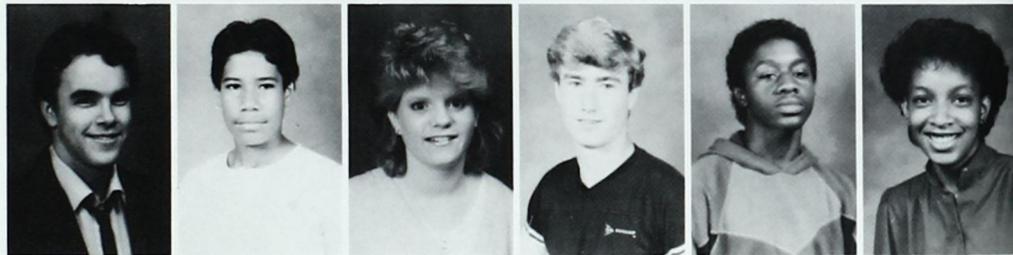


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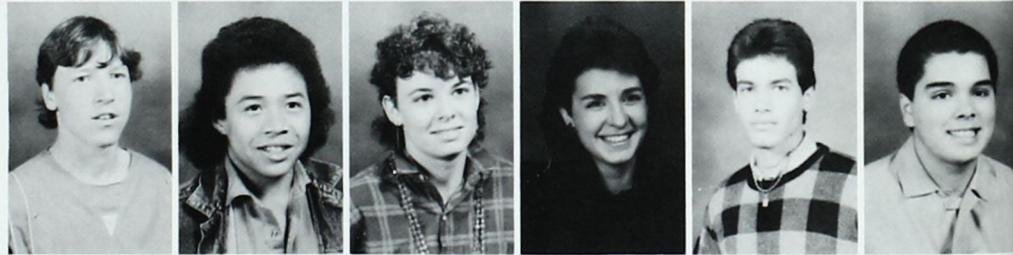
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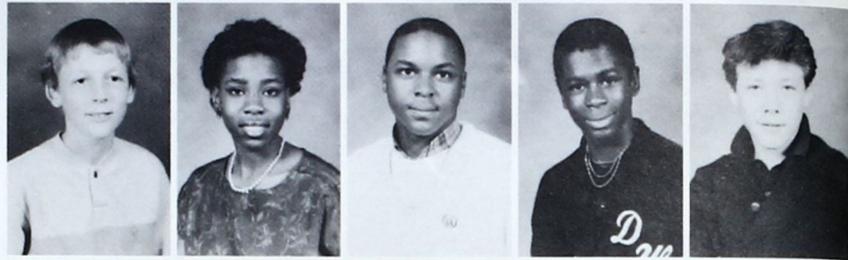
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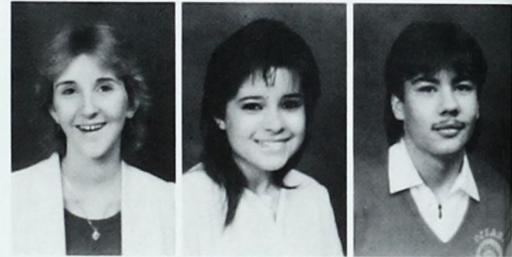
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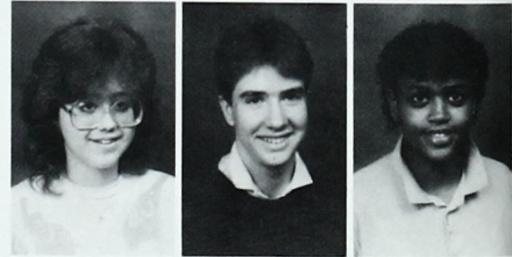
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David Young
Michelle Zion
Ralph Zimmer



Valerie Blakely
Tammy Cone
Junior Janthor



Theresa McGrath
Ray Sharp
Teri Taylor



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Cristo Arellano
Edward Argalas
Hilda Baez
Bryon Chase
Troy Clark
Cliff Curtis
Nathan Deane
Patrick Durmmond
Diane Jaston
Angela Hess

Lars Hyman
Billy Jennett
Janan Johnson
Melissa Leiving
Eric Lopez
Stephanie Laun
Nicole Lawton
Peter Manson
Robert Marsh
Terry Piper

Pam Peters
Cary Pyfrom
James Reed
Roger Smith
Lisa Vestuto
Elizabeth Wiene
Michael Wilcox
Saundra Williams
Romaine Whitley
Douglas Yoder



Sophomore class sponsor Ms. Heller and Tom Fernandez share a dance at Homecoming.

Sara Winkler and Jessie Halde- man clad themselves in ski garb for Fantasy Day.

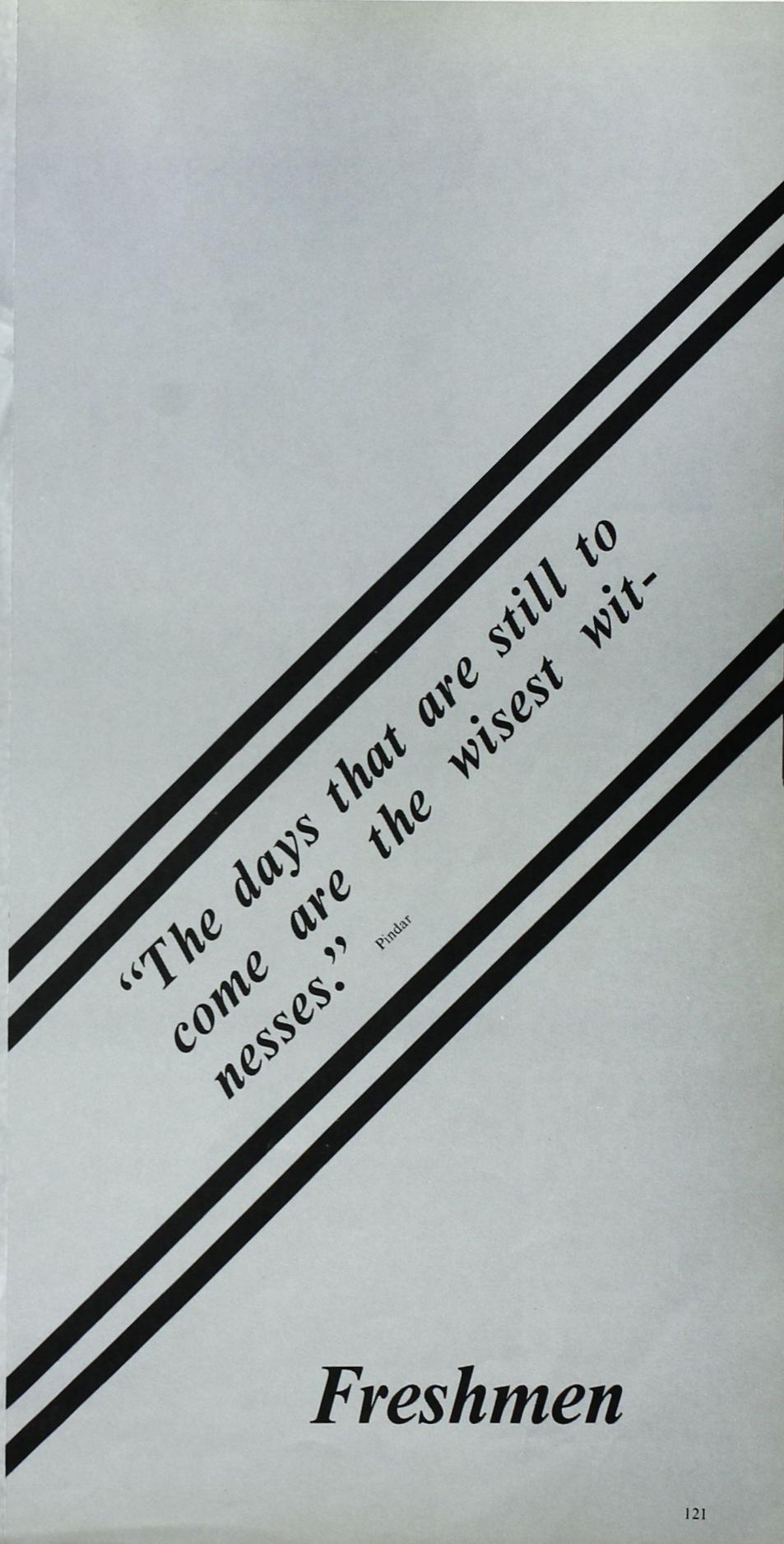
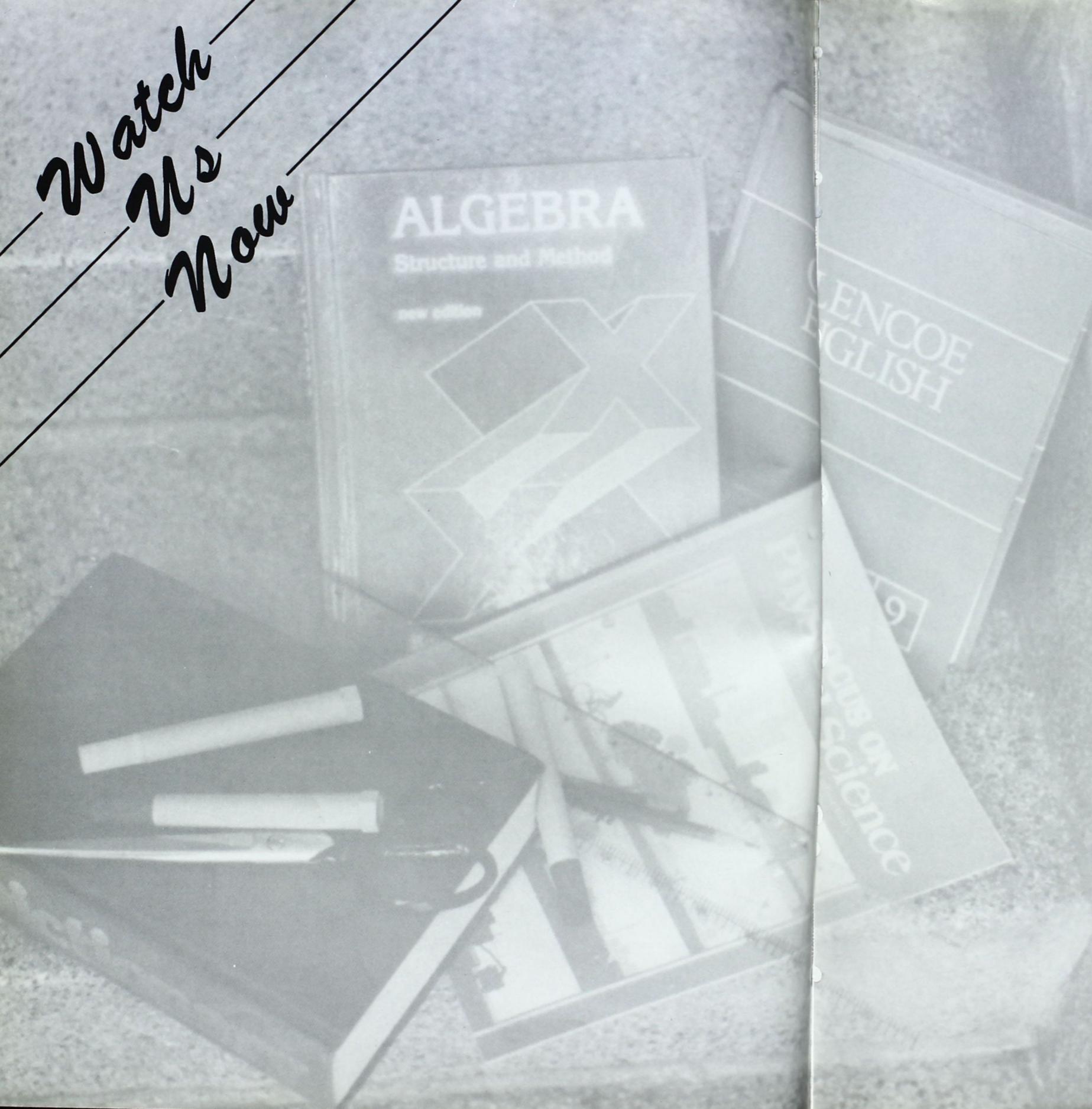


Jeff Turner desperately tries to convince everyone that he is the Real Rambo.

Who says Bisons can't look tough?



*Watch
No
Now*



*“The days that are still to
come are the wisest wit-
nesses.”*
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Freshmen

Student Government

Tiki Suarez
President



Bridgette Baez
First Vice Pres.



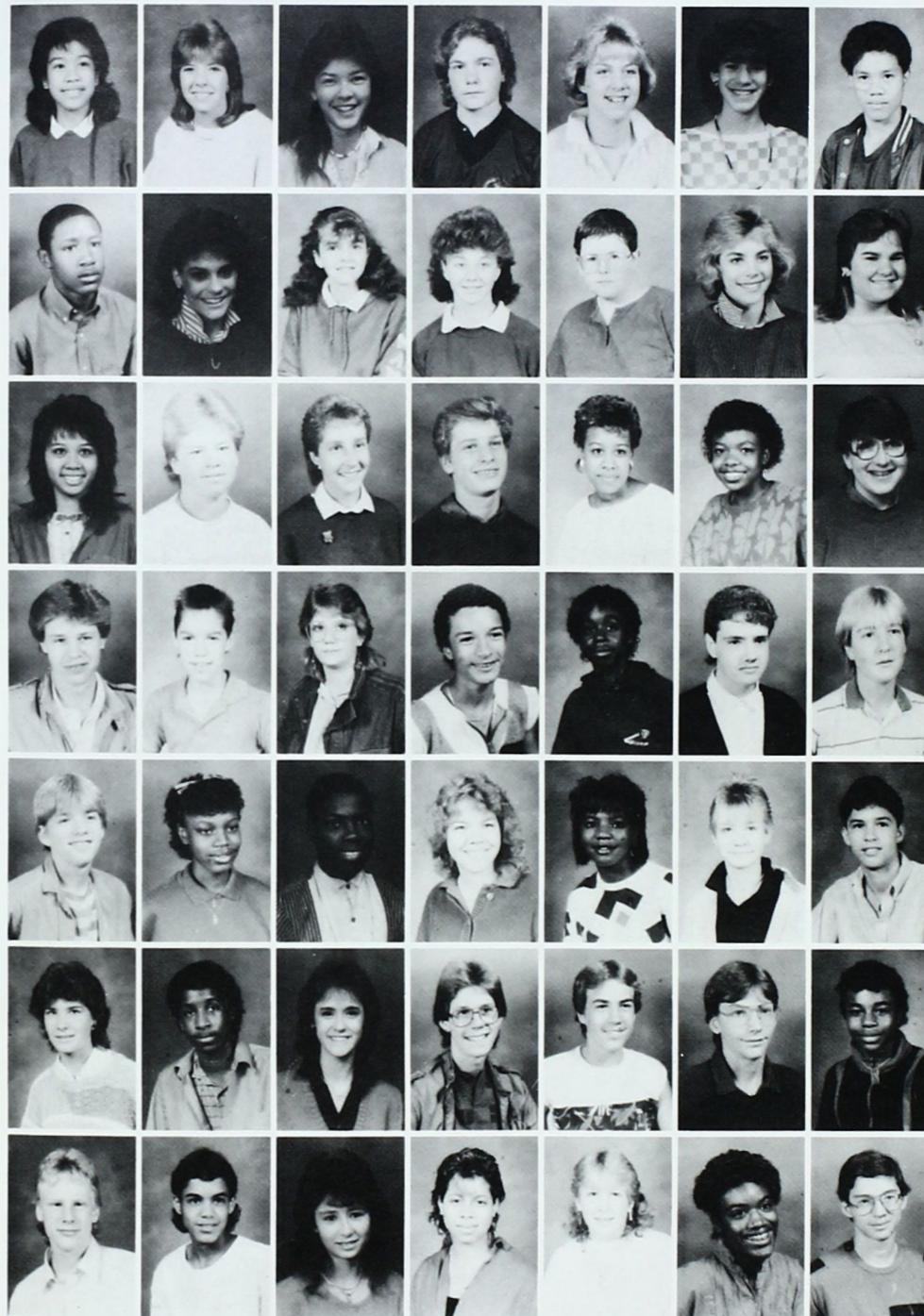
Sam Saela
Second Vice Pres.



To Be a Freshman . . .

Being a freshman was a "not-to-be-repeated" experience. After being "hot" in the middle school, you discovered what "low" really meant. Either everyone ignored you completely, or some frolicking seniors decided that you were perfect for their next practical joke. To be a freshman meant all too often to be quick fooled, or quick thinking.

Every class, every activity, required you to "prove" yourself day in and day out, either to your teachers or your classmates. Rodney Dangerfield's famous phrase "I ain't got no respect" was your motto and disproving it became your cause.



Hazel Abraham
Pam Adams
Thuy Albert
Lave Amundson
Brigette Anderson
Nicole Andrew
Richard Aquino

Djuan Artis
Betsy Arthur
Tracy Ashley
Trena Ashley
Larry Atkins
Carrie Baer
Vanessa Bailey

Leilani Balanca
Robert Barker
Stephanie Bartley
Philip Berkheimer
Tara Blue
Tanyika Bluit
Carolyn Bottiggi

James Bough
Bret Bowser
Brooke Boyce
Carl Braxton
Micheal Broadnax
Nate Bryson
Arlie Burnham

Tim Burns
Latosha Caldwell
Valice Carmen
Claudia Carter
Sondra Carter
Michelle Cavender
Shawn Chambles

Kathy Chappel
Mike Collins
Nancy Coleman
Dan Conroy
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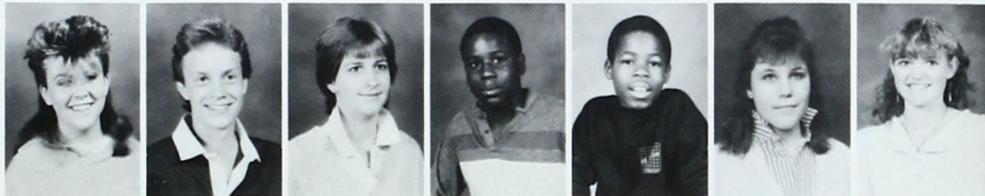
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 Amy Merrihew

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Sophia Ramirez
Geanie Rhinehart



Chris Rishell
Anthony Rivera
Sandra Rodriguez
Wendy Rosenquist
John Rushbrook
Cindy Saavedra
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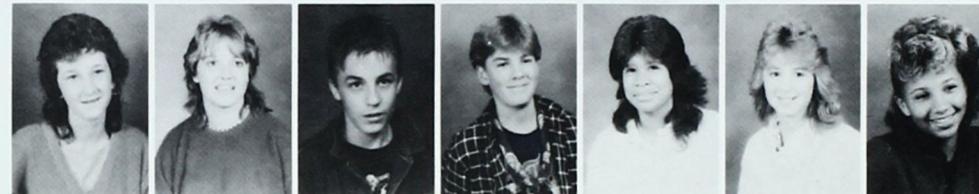
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| James Long | Laura Wolff |
| Janessa McMillan | Mathis Zeverick |

WATCH Mr. MHS

What does the title of Mr. MHS Represent? To one Freshman it means School spirit, and alot of fun, to spectators it means seeing some of their biggest heartthrobs dressed in gowns and bikinis.

Mark Gornto is the freshman who claimed the title on October 31, 1986. He along with six other contestants were required to forgo men's clothing and don womens sportswear, swimsuits, and evening apparel. Each one had to model his outfits in front of the student body, and a panel of judges, who would eventually determine the victor.

Why did Mark Win? Was it the clothes or the finesse that the judges noticed? "I'm not really sure why I won", said Mark. "I just enjoyed showing my school spirit, I hope that I will have a chance to do it again since this is only my first year in high school, besides", he added, "I look great in a bikini".



The freshmen watch in wonder at their first high school class election.

Bridgette Baez giving us a Big hello



Mark competing with all the "upper classmen" while he struts his stuff.



A group of freshman trying to tell us that they really are "fresh".

WATCH

US

NOW



"This is not the end. It is not the beginning of the end. But it is, perhaps, the end of the beginning."

Winston Churchill

CLOSING



Top right: Mannheim High — forever in our memories.

Center right: Just as all games must come to an end, so must the school year.

Bottom right: Faithful fans in the stands.



Above: What better way to end a book, but with the “ends”?



The sun always shines on Mannheim High.
Good times are meant to last a lifetime.

Did You Watch Us . . .

. . . during this past school year? Were you there to witness all the struggles? To share a tear with a friend, to make the grade, to win the game, and to even find that someone special? Well, I was. I was there through it all and I saw many things. I saw boredom and excitement, acceptance and rejection. I saw bright kids, rich kids, and poor kids. I saw fair grades and unfair grades, Friday afternoons and Saturday detentions.

Yes, I was there. I lived through all those things that make up high school years.

Will You Watch Us . . .

. . . as we move into the summer and next school year? The future will present us with some of the same fears, hopes, struggles, defeats, and victories that we have already experienced.

During the next year, some will be leaving for college, others looking for employment, or joining the Armed Forces. Some will remain to continue on at Mannheim High or move on to new places. Many things will be discovered or lost, just as friends will be

made and separated.

We have learned much this year and because of the experiences, we will be better equipped to successfully handle the struggles and challenges we will face in the future.

A Special Thanks to Our “Watchers” . . .

. . . especially to the students who maintained a positive, supporting, “Can Do” attitude

that helped strengthen our student body.

I would also like to thank the teachers and staff who have spent many hours giving their time and talents. They have often been the unrecognized heroes and heroines who insure that we have a future.

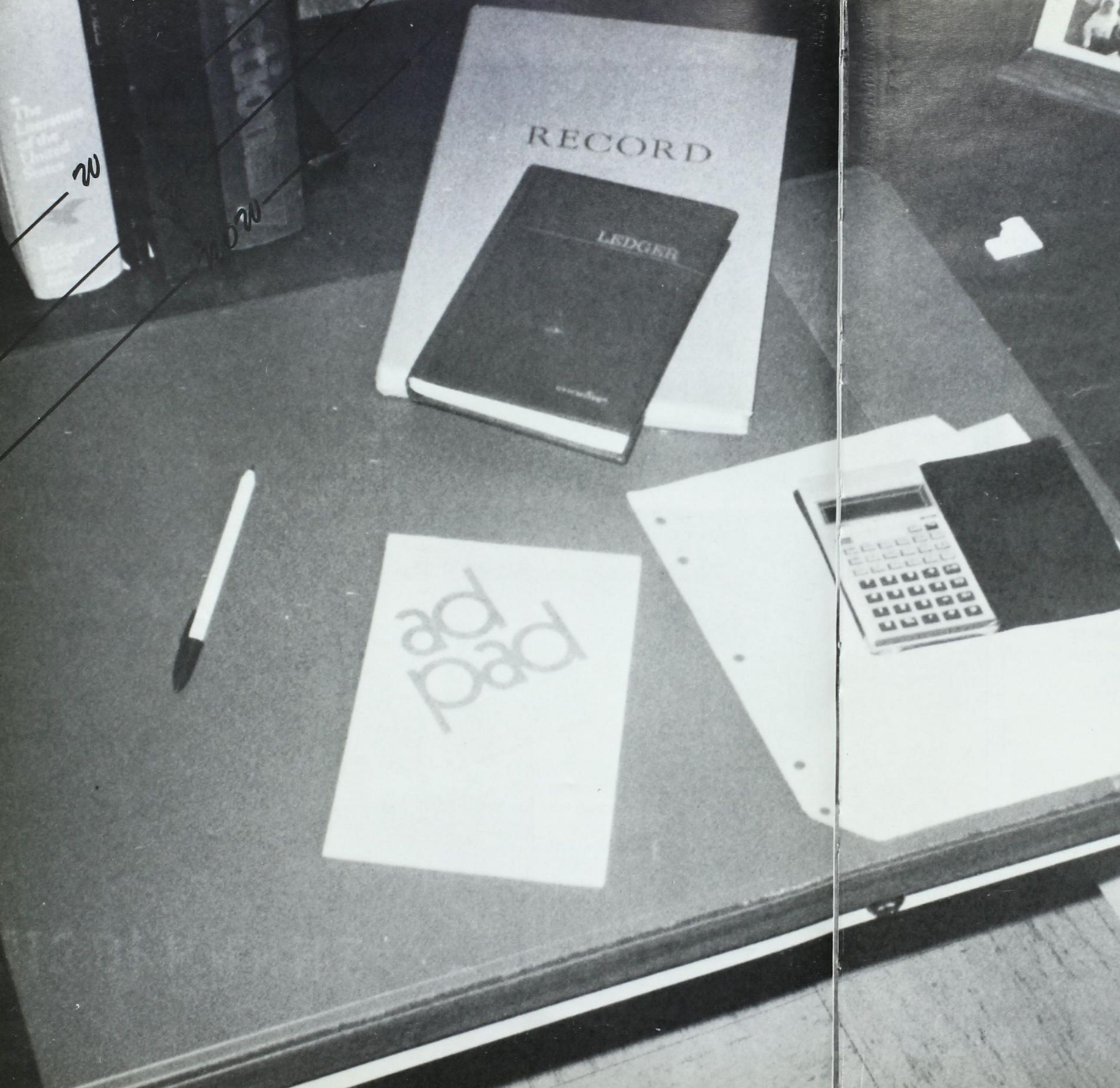
Attending a high school overseas has its advantages and disadvantages, but without our nation’s freedom we probably wouldn’t have a high school that encourages growth, learning, and creativity.

I am one who has been here during these past years. I have seen students come and go and each year has given me cause to say “Thank you for the experience and the knowledge.” Perhaps, one day in the future, after you’ve graduated and chosen your direction in life, you’ll come back to visit MHS where memories still linger.

Until then, I bid you farewell.

The Mannheim Bison





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its advertisements.*

Norman Douglas

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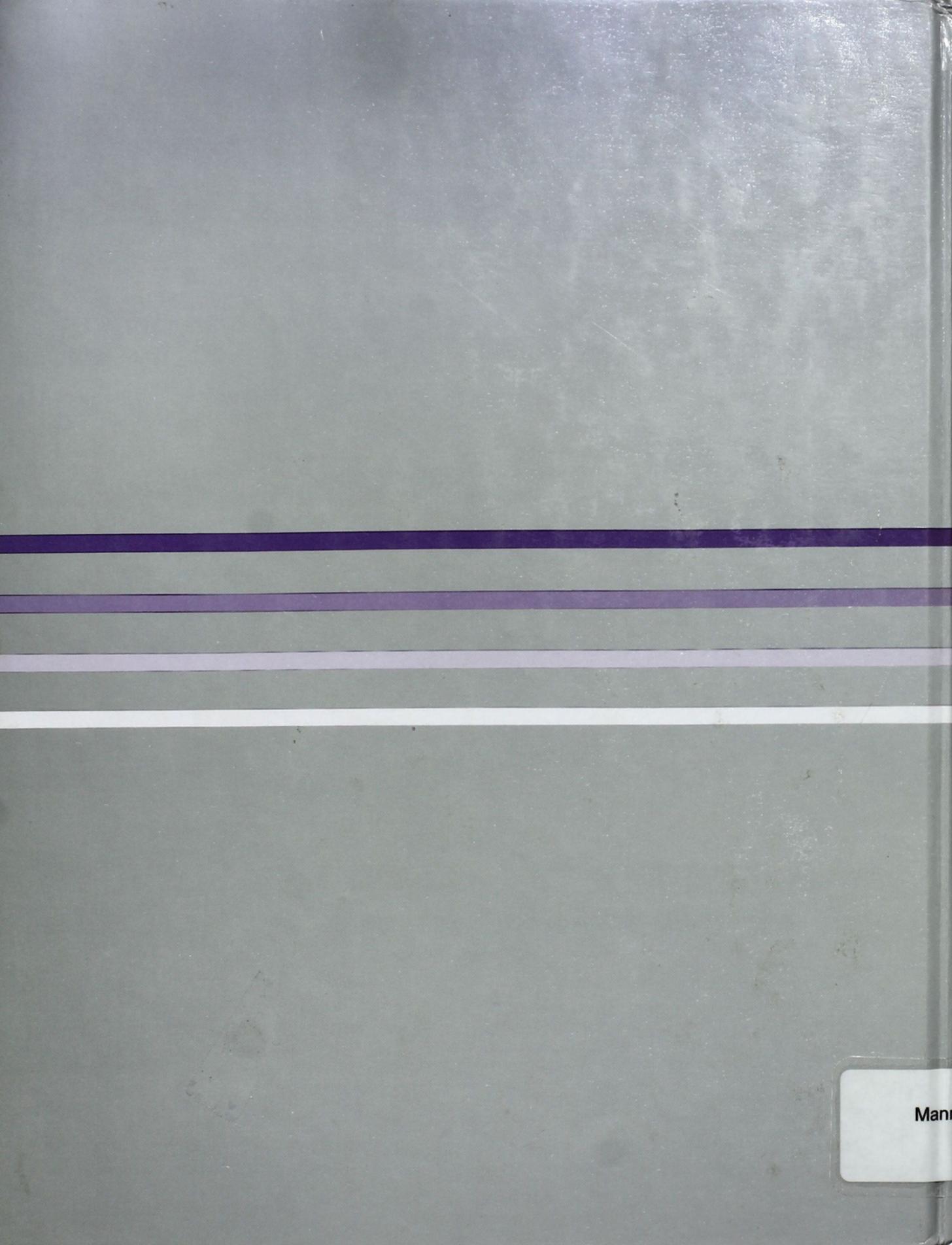
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