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hat is a day in the life of a typical Westfield High School student? It's even busier than one might imagine. Therefore, the 2005 yearbook staff has chosen "WHS life" as our theme, representing the varied personalities, activities, and interests of every student. On any day it is easy to see the unity between team members participating on sports teams. While watching a high school play, you can see muscially talented students perform. If you were to enter any classroom, the challenging, yet rewarding atmosphere can be witnessed. Inquisitive minds can always be found in the library, just as creative students seem to flock to the art rooms. Involved students can be found afterschool at club meetings. There are spirited students everywhere, proudly wearing the Blue Devil Logo. Walking the halls, one would discover that each of these characteristics occurs daily in the life of a Westfield High School student.

Dana Zichlin, Class of 2005













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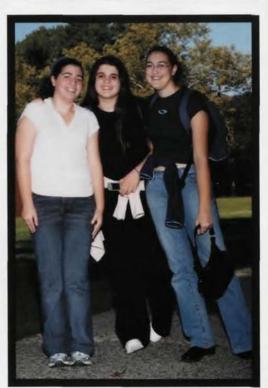










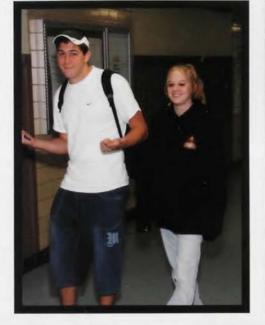












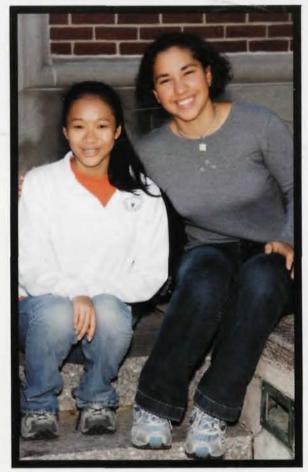


















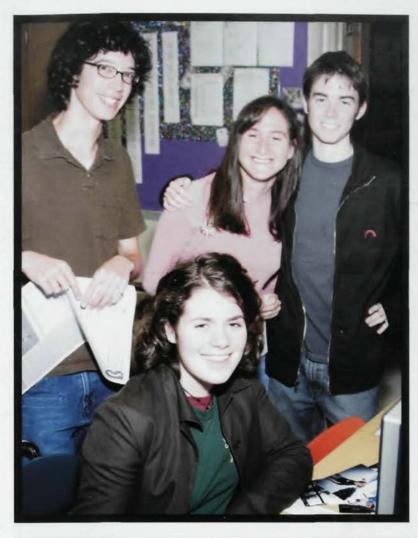


































































































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eating in the cafeteria and changing your clothes for gym? These everyday actions will now be memories of our days at Westfield High School. As we prepare for the next steps of our future we must reflect upon the experiences and people who have shaped the individuals that we have become today. Starting with freshman orientation and culminating with graduation we have grown immensely as a class. Now as our lives truly enter into the *fast lane*, bring with you the many memories you have formed at Westfield High School with the Class of 2005.

—Thomas Del Duca & Rebecca Shulman, Senior Class Presidents







"We all take different paths in life, but no matter where we go, we take a little of each other everywhere." —Tim McGraw









































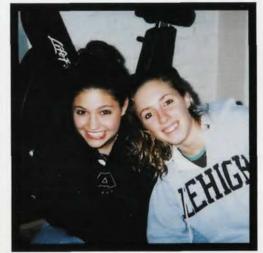






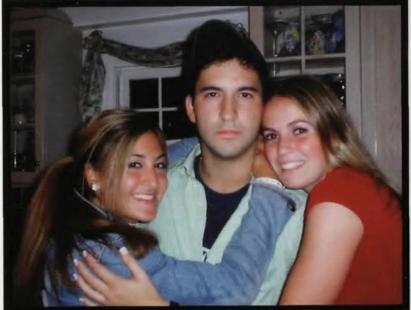




































Michael R. Adamcik



Michael D. Agresta



John K. Aleksandravicius
"Every stupid little thing we've done,
every burger we've eaten, every person
we've met, every breath we've taken
brought us to this spot, and I wouldn't
want it any other way."

—Anonymous



Edward Augustyn III



Annette Baez



Susanna Baranchuk
"The older you get, the more rules they
are going to try and get you to follow.
You gotta keep on livin' man.
L-I-V-I-N."

—Dazed and Confused



Matthew Barbiere



Diana Bartolomeo



John Paul Bartolomeo



Lisa M. Basile



Jeffrey Bayne
"If we don't continue to grow and change, then we just won't continue."
—D'arcy Wretzky



Michael J. Beil
"Where there is the tree of knowledge,
there is always Paradise: so say the most
ancient and modern serpents."
—Friedrich Nietzche



Shonta Belvin



Jeremy S. Berk "There is no road of flowers leading to glory."

-Jean de la Fontaine

"Everything in moderation." -J.S. Berk



Amy Bernstein "Mountain, the trail, but you've got it in sight. Sometimes the only way is jumping, I hope you're not afraid of heights." -Gavin DeGraw



Brooke L. Bernstein "So you're scared and you're thinking that maybe we ain't that young any-

-Bruce Springsteen



Diego R. Betancourt



Evan D. Bilheimer "Keep it cool my babies." -Conan O'Brien



Eloise R. Birdsey-Marks "As we beg and steal and borrow life is hit and miss and this I hope, I think, I know."

-Noel Gallagher



Gabrielle Blitz "This time like all times is a very good one if we know what to do with it." -Ralph Waldo Emerson



Olena S. Borkowsky "You may be right, I may be crazy, but it just may be a lunatic you're looking for." —Billy Joel

Steven Bourke



Matthew P. Boyle



Jake P. Brandman "When the going gets weird, the weird turn pro." -Billy Joel



Samuel J. Brenner "'Vámanos, amigos,' he whispered, and threw the busted leather flintcraw over the loose weave of the saddlecock. And they rode on in the friscalating dusklight."

-Eli Cash The Royal Tennenbaums



Stephanie S. Bridgman



Robert Broadbent



Wesley C. Brockway "Vescete bracis meis!" -Julius Caesar



Alexandria Brummell "What doesn't kill you only makes you stronger." -Tupac Shakur

"Smile; it confuses people." -Anonymous



George Bucci "Mind your wants 'cause someone wants your mind." -George Clinton



Kara A. Buonocore



Joseph Buontempo



Leah C. Burke "The main obligation is to amuse yourself."

-Anonymous

"Our lives are frittered away by detail . . .simplify, simplify."

-Anonymous



Brian Burkhardt "Can you take me higher to a place where blind men see can you take me higher to a place with golden streams."

-Creed Higher



Jacqueline A. Burns "Where do we go from here? Good question. We go further."

-My So Called Life



Scott P. Callender



Lauren Campo
"We were strangers on a crazy adventure never dreaming what we would go through."

—Richard Marx At the Beginning



Darek Candelore
"What a gosh darn wonderful waste of time."

-Bailey Helen Verdone

"The time to hesitate is through."

—The Door



Caroline R. Cariste
"I wish I could bake a cake made out of rainbows and smiles. And we would all be happy."

-Mean Girls



Natasha Carlos
"'Do you thinks I'm weird?'
'Definitely.'
'No man, seriously. Am I weird?'
'Yea but so what? Everybody's weird.'"

-Stand By Me



Chelsea Carlson

"It's up to me to decide to be what I think is right. The sound, it found the ground and hid it for free. That's right. That's the way it should be."

-Ben Kweller



Rachel F. Carr
"We got older, but we're still young, we never grew out of this feeling that we won't give up."

—Best of Me



Rebecca Cass

"You gotta make your own kind of music. Sing your own special song. Make your own kind of music. Even if nobody else sings along."

—Mama Cass Make Your Own Music



Jordan R. Cassidy



Gina Castrorao

"Laughter is wine for the soul – laughter soft, or loud and deep, tinged through with seriousness . . . the hilarious declaration made by man that life is worth living."

-Sean O'Casey



Daniel Chabanov



Gene Chen



Jessica Chernetz



Nikke Chumpitaz
"And what was the real lesson? Don't leave things in the fridge."

-Spike Spiegel Cowboy Bebop

"That which does not kill me can only make me stronger."

—Tupac Shakur



Allison M. Clancy
"No act of kindness, no matter how small, is ever wasted."
—Aesop



Christine M. Clark
"Advice is what we ask for when we already know the answer but wish we didn't."

—Erica Jong

"Never apologize for saying what you feel. It's like apologizing for being real." —Anonymous



Meredith Clark



Kyle D. Clarke
"I'm not here to show out, or impress
you when I leave here I'M GONE. I

you when I leave here I'M GONE. I don't care what you think about me, remember years from now you're gonna say these brothers lied to you."



Garrett R. Cockren



David Cognetti
"I told Worm you can't lose what you don't put in the middle. DEAL. But then again you can't win either."

—Matt Damon Rounders



Amanda L. Cohen



Daniel P. Cohen



Andrea A. Colbert
"Remember that life isn't about the number of breaths we take, but the moments that take our breath away."

-Henry David Thoreau



Katie Cole-Kelly
"We might be laughing a bit too loud, but that never hurt no one."

—Billy Joel



Christian Colon



Jennifer Conner

"These are the moments I thank God that I'm alive and these are the moments I'll remember all my life. I've got all I've waited for and I could not ask for more."

-Edwin McCain



G. Chadwick Cook

"Are you a Mexican or a Mexican't?"

—Once Upon a Time in Mexico



Fredrick Cooper
"If the high school was a gift then where
will my presence lead? I went through
ups and downs but I'm still going to
proceed."

-One



Christina N. Cordeiro

"Beginnings are scary. Endings are usually sad, but it what's in the middle that counts. So, when you find yourself at the beginning, just give hope a chance to float up. And it will."

-Hope Floats



Jeffrey P. Cornell

"A good friend once told me we are memories, without them we equal nothing. All I can see is a place I want to be, suddenly my life was so free."

—Avenged Sevenfold Reminissions



Lyndsay Couture

"So on and on I go, the seconds tick the time out. There's so much left to know, and I'm on the road to find out."

-Cat Stevens

"Smile and grin at the change all around."

-The Who



Christopher Coyle



Katherine C. Cross



Elizabeth Cullen



Peter Curialle

"I've never had a dream in my life because a dream is what you want to do but still haven't pursued."

–Aesop Rocks No Regrets



Ashley Current

"In three words I can sum up everything I've learned about life: It goes on."

—Robert Frost



Brent S. Davis

"When we remember we are all mad, the mysteries disappear and life stands explained."

—Mark Twain
"A bookstore is one of the only pieces
of evidence we have that people are
still thinking."

-Jerry Seinfeld

Seniors 23



Jacqueline De La Fuente
"What if the hokey-pokey really is what
it's all about?"
—Anonymous



Kristina E. DeCicco
"Yes, the past can hurt, but the way I see
it, you either run from it or learn from
it."

-The Lion King



Urmi R. Dedhiya
"My friend, if I could give you one
thing, I would wish for you the ability to
see yourself as others see you. Then you
would realize what a truly special person you are."

-Unknown



Lindsay P. Degiralamo
"I've looked at life from both sides now
from up and down, and still somehow
it's life's illusions I recall
I really don't know life at all."

—Joni Mitchell Both Sides Now



Thomas Del Duca
"I'm gonna live where the green grass
grows, watch my corn pop up in
rows...raise my kids where the Good
Lord's blessed, point my rocking chair

towards the west."
—Tinr McGraw
Where the Green Grows



Leah DiMatteo
"By the time I recognize this moment, this moment will be gone."

—John Mayer Clarity



Amanda Dickson

"Forget regret or life is yours to miss. No other road, no other way-no day but today."

-RENT



Carina C. Don

"The greatest gift is a passion for reading. It is cheap, it consoles, it distracts, it excites, it gives you the knowledge of the world and experience of a wide kind."

-Elizabeth Hardwick



Mark Doss

"Guns don't kill people, people kill people, and monkeys do too (if they have a gun)."

-Eddie Izzard



Athina Doutis

"Happiness is a perfume you cannot pour on others without getting a few drops on yourself."

-Ralph Waldo Emerson



Marc E. Dowling



Dana Downer



Robert T. Doyle



Jeffrey Dresely
"A truly happy person is one who can enjoy the scenery on a detour."
—Phil Humbert

"Respect all, fear none."

-Unknown



Brian Dunstan

"Always bear in mind that your own resolution to succeed is more important than any one thing."

-Abraham Lincoln



Jessica Dwyer

"I believe I can

I believe I will

I believe I know my dreams are real

I believe I stand

I believe I dance

I believe I hold it soon man

That is what I do believe."

-Yolanda Adams



Gilad Edelman
"True terror is to wake up one morning and discover that your high school class is running the country."

-Kurt Vonnegut



Lauren Eisenberg



Jamie Elbaum
"There's something good waitin'
down this road, I'm pickin' up
whatever's mine."

-Tom Petty

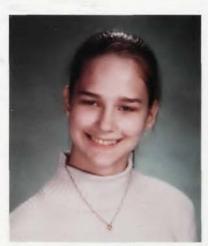


Jessie El Koury
"There's only us
There's only this
Forget regret

Or life is yours to miss No other road No other way

No day but today."

-RENT



Christine Ellis



Brittany S. Elsasser



Adham M. El-Sherbeini



Shaun Elwell

"Success is the ability to go from one failure to another with no less of enthusiasm."

-Sir Winston Churchill

"I'm Shaun Elwell and I approve this quotation."



Andrew Emmet

"I just threw your dog out the window...and I thought it would help...but I was wrong. I was dead wrong and I'll be the first to admit it!"

—Stella Shorts



Lina Eriksson



Jaawell Faggins
"Every night I talk to GOD but don't nothing back. I know he's protecting me, but still watch my back."

—50 cent Many Men



Katherine Fahrenthold
"Anything can happen now that we've slid over this bridge," I thought; "anything at all..."

—Nick The Great Gatsby



Evan Falk
"In less than an hour..."
—Independence Day
"Sons of Scotland..."
—Braveheart

"3 minutes 'til the most important battle of our professional lives..."

—Any Given Sunday



Michael J. Fantini "H.A.G.S."



Colin Faust



Jenna B. Federgreen
"When this hourglass has filtered out
its final grain of sand, I'll raise my glass
to the memories we had."

-Ataris



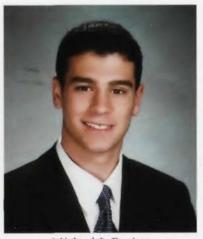
Spartak Fedorovich



Allison Feldman

"Twenty years from now you will be more disappointed by the things you didn't do than by the ones you did do. Throw off the bowlines. Sail away from the safe harbor...Explore. Dream. Discover."

—Mark Twain



Michael J. Feniger



Danielle M. Ferrari
"Do not go where the path may lead. Go
instead where there is no path and leave
a trail."

—Emerson

"The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams."

-Eleanor Roosevelt



R. Michael Finne



David Firestone



Scott B. Fishberg



Meaghan K. Fitzpatrick "We should consider every day lost on which we have not danced at least once." -Nietzche

"I survived because I have a good safety

-Carrie Bradshaw



Drew Flast



Patrick D. Fleming



Daniel Foltz-Morrison



Megan Fowler "Don't be shy you learn to fly And see the sun when day is done If only you see Just what you are beneath a star That came to stay one rainy day In autumn for free Yes, be what you'll be."

-Nick Drake



Kristina A. Fraites



Evan Frankel



Courtney Franko "We could learn a lot from crayons: some are sharp, some are pretty, some are dull, some have weird names, and all are different colors...but they all exist very nicely in the same box."

-Anonymous



Alana Fraser "I live my life a quarter of a mile at a time. Nothing else marce...
ten seconds or less, I'm free."
—Vin Diesel

The Fast and the Furious



Danielle Fried



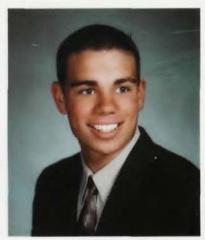
 $\begin{array}{cc} \textit{Benjamin Fulton} \\ \text{``It pays the bills.''} \\ &-\text{Ben Fulton} \end{array}$



Laura F. Gabriel



Matthew P. Gallagher



David Ganz



Joseph R. Geissler

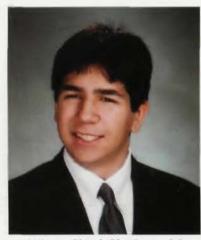


Lauren Gelmetti
"Climb high
Climb far
Your goal the sky
Your aim the star."

-Anonymous



Jennifer L. Gerckens
"In 3 words I can sum up everything I've learned about life: It goes on."
—Robert Frost



Keivan Claud Ghorbanzadeh
"I pity the fool!"

— Mr. T



Deanna Goldner
"I'm an idealist. I don't know where I'm going but I'm on the way."
—Carl Sandburg



Paul Goldweitz



Ashton Golembo
"Choose your future. Choose life."
—Trainspotting



Justin Goncalves

"All the world is a birthday cake, so take a piece, but not too much."

—George Harrison



Matthew A. Gonzalez
"Through every dark night there's a
bright day after that, so no matter how
hard it gets, stick ya chest out, keep ya
head up, and handle it."

-Tupac Shakur



Rachel L. Gordon
"They're always telling folk how much
better it's going to be when they're dead.
We tell them it could be pretty good
right here if only they'd put their minds
to it."

—Goodie Hamstring Mort



Rebecca Gorelick



Julia Gormley
"Hang onto your dreams, take control
of your own destiny, believe in yourself, open your eyes and see things as
they really are."

—Anonymous



Michael Gorski



Melissa Graham
"And we'll all float on okay."
—Modest Mouse



Julie Gralla
"Life is a series of moments...seize yours."
—Dogma

"Don't worry. Tomorrow we'll be back for more frolic and fun."
—Spongebob Squarepants



Brendan Granstrand
"All I ever wanted was to pick apart the day and put the pieces back together my way."

-Aesop Rock



Emily Rose Greenberg
"Total absence of humor renders life impossible."
—Colette

Jeffrey D. Greenlaw
"Adults are just obsolete children and the hell with them."

"Be who you are and say what you want, because those who mind don't matter and those who matter don't mind."



James R. Hanas
"The difference between a successful person and others is not in lack of strength, not a lack of knowledge, but

rather in a lack of will."

—Vince Lombardi



Tamara N. Handy
"Exuberance is beauty."
—Anonymous

"...When life gets you down...Just keep swimming."
—Finding Nemo



Mark D. Harbaugh



Monica E. Harris

"Last night I lay in bed looking up at the stars in the sky, and I thought to myself, where is the ceiling?"

—Marcus Swillingsley



Camille Hausheer

"Time, don't let it slip away, raise your drinking glass, here's to yesterday."

—Aerosmith



Marie-Claire Hausseguy
"Can't touch this."
—M.C. Hammer



Rachel Hawkins

"To days of inspiration, playin' hooky, makin' somethin' outta nothin', the need to express, to communicate. To going against the grain, going insane, going mad."

—RENT



Eric Hayes



William Hearon



Max Heitner



Christina Henry
"...times like these and times like those.
What will be will be, and so it goes...on
and on it goes. But somehow I know it
won't be the same. Somehow I know it
will never be the same"

—Jack Johnson Times like These



Alexandra K. Hermann
"So go unlock the door and find what you are here for."

—John Mayer Great Indoors



Jonathan A. Herttua
"The great thing in the world is not so
much where we stand as in what direction we are moving."

-Oliver Holmes



Craig H. Hewit



Christopher Hild

"Always do right; this will gratify some people and astonish the rest."

—Mark Twain



Meisha J. Hill

"There are two ways to live your life.
One is as though nothing is a miracle.
The other is as though everything is a miracle."

—Albert Einstein



Katelyn A. Hoens
"For now we'll say goodbye, we know it's not the last time."

-Newfound Glory



Jeffrey Hogan
"True friends are the people that are
there for you unconditionally. They are
the people worth living for."

-Unknown



Darrell Hopkins

"Today is a start of a new beginning."

—Drumline



Peter A. Hrinewski



Richard Hughes



James Hwang



Ralph David Iannazzone
"Life's too short so love the one you got."
—Sublime

"Whatever tears at us, whatever holds us down. And, if nothing can be done, we'll make the best of what's around." —Dave Matthews Band



Anthony Infantino



Kevin Jean-Louis
"Reality is wrong. Dreams are for real."
—Tupac Shakur



Daniel Jekelis



Kate Judd

"Too late for second-guessing, Too late to go back to sleep, It's time to trust my instincts, Close my eyes and leap."

—Wicked



Bryan M. Kahn

"I am so busy doing nothing...that the idea of doing anything – which as you know, always leads to something – cuts into the nothing and then forces me to have to drop everything."

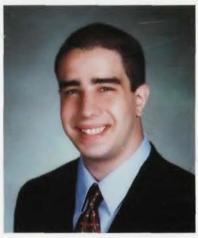
—Jerry Seinfeld

forces me to



Charles Kalis
"You only get one shot, do not miss
your chance to blow. This opportunity
comes once in a lifetime."

—Eminem Lose Yourself



Richard Kassan



Megan Kealy

"What lies ahead, I have no way of knowing. But under my feet, baby, grass is growing. Time to move on, time to get going."

—Tom Petty

Kealy Daniel Kelman



Brian R. Kender



Edward Kerins
"And if you feel that you can't go on.
And your will's sinkin' low,
Just believe and you can't go wrong.
In the light you will find the road."
—Led Zeppelin

In the Light

John Kerr

"All he wanted was to get up, get dressed

"All he wanted was to get up, get dressed and, most importantly, eat breakfast, and only then consider what to do next, because in bed he could never think anything through to a reasonable conclusion."

—Franz Kafka The Metamorphosis



Valerie Kerr



Philip Kim

"It's not always a good thing to be talented. If you have power, you'll become isolated and arrogant, even if it's something you've always dreamt about."

-Anonymous



Samuel Kim



Griffith C. Kimmins



Christy M. King



Matthew S. King



Sarah L. Klass "All endings are also beginnings. We just don't know it at the time." -Mitch Albom The Five People You Meet In Heaven



Erin E. Klein



Henry H. Koehler "If life gives you lemons, make some kind of fruity juice."

-Conan O'Brien



Perri Jana Koll "Some poems don't rhyme; some stories don't have a beginning, middle, and end. Life is about not knowing, taking the moment, and making the best of it without knowing what's going to happen next. Delicious Ambiguity." -Gilda Radner



Rebecca K. Korn "To live would be an awfully great adventure." -Peter Pan



Sam J. Kramer



Edward L. Kramkowski



Jeremy N. Krell "I feel the greatest gift we can give to anybody is the gift of our honest self." -Mr. Rogers



Matthew J. Kukis
"If you're robbing a bank and your pants
fall down, I think it's okay to laugh and
to let the hostages laugh too, because,
come on, life is funny."

-Jack Handey



Michelle Kuppersmith
"Our lives begin to end the day we become silent about things that matter."

-Martin Luther King, Jr.



Walter Brady Lau
"Trouble ahead, trouble behind, and
you know that notion just crossed my
mind."

-Grateful Dead



Margaret Lee
"So I'm sailinnn, well I'm sailin on. Well
I'm movinnn, hey I'm movin on. Sail on,
sail on."

-Bad Brains

"You're only young once! So do it right!"
—Side by Side



Scott Legones
"Mormon Power!"

—Scott Legones



Eric Lescarret



Sara A. Lesko
"Creativity is inventing, experimenting, growing, taking risks, breaking rules, making mistakes, and having fun."
—Mary Lou Cook



Andrew R. Levy
"The optimist proclaims that we live in
the best of all possible words, and the
pessimist fears this is true."

-James Branch Cabello



Abigail M. Lewis

"Old friends pass by, new friends appear. It is just like the days... The important thing is to make it meaningful: a meaningful friend- or a meaningful day."

—Dalai Lama



Michael E. Lombard



Nicholas Lorusso



Zachary S. Lowenstein
"You haven't seen the last of me!"
—Zachary Lowenstein



Alyson Ludmer



Christian K. Luker



Steven M. Lynes
"When the ocean's cold, I pee in it."
—Chris Mattes



Elizabeth M. Mackay
"Saying goodbye doesn't mean anything. It's the time we spent together
that matters, not how we left it."
—Trey Parker & Matt Stone



Emily Rose MacNeil



Ryan P. Madaras
"High school is a gateway drug."
—Andrew R. Levy



Brendan J. Mahoney



Nicholas Malaspina
"Guys! Be quiet! This is not a discussion... Now give me seven dollars."

—Mr. Daniel Zugale



Christina Marcus

"When the time we have now ends, when the big hand goes round again, can you still feel the butterflies? Can you still hear the last goodnight?"

—Jimmy Eat World

For Me This Is Heaven

Michelle Markowski

"Let me say before we part: so much of me is made of what I learned from you. You'll be with me like a handprint on my heart."

—Wicked

"Girls just wanna have fun."
—Cyndi Lauper



John Marks



Bridget Martucci
"Take care of all your memories, for you cannot relive them."

—Bob Dylan



Sarah Masel



Rebecca A. Mason "A ship in port is safe, but that's not what ships are built for." -Grace Murray Hopper



Kristen Materek "I admit it's tempting to wish for the perfect boss, perfect parent, or perfect outfit. But maybe the best we can do is not quit, play the hand we're dealt, and accessorize what we've got."





Corey J. Matrisciano



James McCabe "I know hard work never killed anyone, but I figure, why take the chance." -Ronald Reagan

"Which... It's Amusing." —Doctor Weitz



Mary McCall "Every new beginning comes from some other beginning's end." -Semisonic Closing Time



Joshua McMahon



Erin McCloskey "It's not the years in your life that count, but the life in your years." -Adlai Stevenson



Maggie E. McDermott "The secret of life is enjoying the passage of time. Any fool can do it, there ain't nothin' to it."

-James Taylor



Tara J. Meagher "... and we would sit and wonder about the future, but now I'm thinking that today sounds fine to me."

Suzanne Merkelson O.A.R. typewriter.'



"Two boys arrived yesterday with a pebble they said was the head of a dog, until I pointed out that it was really a

-Pablo Picasso



Jared M. Messina "There is nothing more uncommon than common sense."

-Frank Lloyd Wright

"A doctor can bury his mistakes but an architect can only advise his client to plant vines."

-Frank Lloyd Wright



Sara Metwaly
"You can only live once, but if you live it right... once is enough."
—Unknown

"Hold onto your dreams, your day will come."

-Unknown



Corey Milloy
"To err is human, to blame it on a computer is even more so."
—Anonymous

"Boohbah!"

-Anonymous



Jared S. Moloshok
"If you can see it, if you can dream it, then there is some way to do it."

—Walt Disney



Ashley Molson
"So get in, when you fit in go on and shine, clear your mind now's the time."
—Jack Johnson



Alex Monaco
"The things we own, end up owning us...without pain, without sacrifice, there is nothing."

—Tyler Durdea



Michelle L. Morawski
"Our greatest glory consists not in never falling, but in rising every time we fall."
—Confucious



Taylor Mulvee
"Live simply. There is no substitute for sanity."

—Morgan Hite

"Briefing for entry into a more harsh environment."

-Morgan Hite



Joel Nemec
"Life's pretty good, and why wouldn't it be? I'm a pirate after all."
—Johnny Depp



Joshua Newberg



Barrett L. Newell

"The more things change, the more they remain...insane."

—Michael Fry & T. Lewis



Katherine Newingham "I'm destined to be an old woman with no regrets."

-Anonymous



Lindsey Newman



Hillary Nicoll
"Success always occurs in private, and failure in full view."

-Anonymous



Lauren E. Nolan
"When you come to a fork in the road, take it!"
—Yogi Berra



Claire O'Boyle



Tara O'Donohue



Katharine Okamoto

"Never wear your best pants when you go to fight for freedom."

—Fortune Cookie



Michael S. Oliff
"What if nothing exists and we're all somebody's dream? Or what's worse, what if only that fat guy in the third row exists?"

-Woody Allen



Annie Onishi

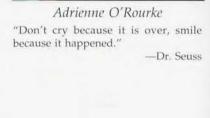
"High school is but a foggy detour on
the road of life; my car broke down four
years ago, and Triple A just got here."

—Jonathan Tannenbaum



"Don't sweat the petty things and don't pet the sweaty things."

-Anonymous





Emily R. Ortuso
"We are the music makers and we are the dreamers of dreams."

—Willy Wonka



Brian 1. Oxman
"In matters of style, swim with the current; in matters of principle, stand like a rock."

—Thomas Jefferson



Giovanna Palatucci
"Wherever you go, no matter what the weather, always bring your own sunshine."

-Anthony J. D'Angelo



Justine Palme
"The true test in life doesn't occur when
all is going well. The true test takes
place when we're faced with

-Catherine Pulsifer

"Girls just wanna have fun."
—Cyndi Lauper

challenges.



Angela Parisi
"There are two ways you can look at the
world. You either believe that there's
no magic anywhere on earth, or you can
believe that there's magic in every little
thing."

-Luanne Rice



Danielle Parkinson
"I've heard it said that people come into
our lives for a reason...I know I am who
I am today because I knew you."

—Wicked

"Girls just wanna have fun." —Cyndi Lauper



Jeffrey Pate
"Scars heal glory fades, nd all we're left
with are the memories made, pain hurts,
but only for a minute, life is short so go
on and live."

-Chris Cagle



Michael C. Patella



Brett Paulan

"He who has not first laid his foundations may be able with great ability to lay them afterwards, but they will be laid with trouble to the architect and danger to the building."

—Machiavelli



Jeffrey Pazdro

"If the minimum wasn't acceptable it wouldn't be called the minimum."

—George Muncaster



Rebecca Perch
"Be who you are and say what you feel, because those who matter don't mind."
—Theodor Seuss Geisel



Sarah Perch "Don't live down to expectations. Go out there and do something remarkable."

-Wendy Wasserstein



Claire Petersen

"Maybe our mistakes are what make our fate. Without them, what would shape our lives?"

—Carrie Bradshaw Sex in the City



Nicholas Petrarca

"If you go parachuting, and your parachute doesn't open, and your friends are all watching you fall, I think a funny gag would be to pretend you were swimming."

-Jack Handey



Amanda Pokol

"Frosting is tasty
I'll eat it out of the can
No one will find out."

-Erica Ronchetti



Taylor Porter

"I'm not like, putting a period at the end of this. I'm putting like...an ellipses on

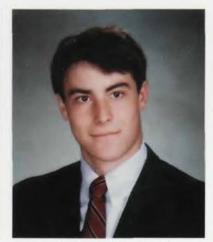
-Garden State



Bryan Power



Emily M. Printz "Life's tough. Get a helmet." -Eric Matthews Boy Meets World



Andrew H. Prunesti



Elizabeth Purcell "I know there is a lesson to be learned here somewhere, but I don't know what

-Linus Van Pelt Peanuts



Lauren Purdy "And for some of us, it ended without us knowing. Maybe these were the last days, But I will never forget that day...the day was ours, and no one can ever take that away."

-Varsity Blues



Dina Ragab "Real intellectuals have the obligation to seek and tell the truth about things that are important, things that matter." -Noam Chomsky



Ryan P. Reber "I hope that when the world comes to an end, I can breathe a sigh of relief, because there will be so much to look forward to."

-Donnie Darko



David P. Reinhardt "First there is a mountain, then there is no mountain, then there is." -Donovan



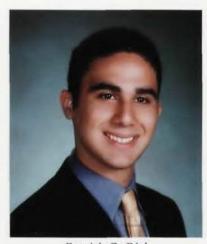
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"Some national parks have a long waiting list, but when you have to wait a year to sleep under a tree, something is wrong.

-George Carlin



Matthew R. Risberg



Patrick G. Rizk "The trouble with political jokes is that very often they get elected.' -Will Rogers



Alison Beth Rodino "If you can't get rid of the skeleton in your closet, you'd best teach it to dance." -George Shaw



Jessica N. Ropars
"I can't blow bubbles with my spit!"
—Pinky
Pinky and the Brain



Abigail Rosenstein
"We stream into the unfinished, the unbegun, the possible."
—Adrienne Rich



Jason Ryan



Gregory Ryan Jr.
"I thought you wanted to do a good show. If you wanted to do a bad show we could just do 'Rent.""

-Peter Griffin



Perry Sacks
"I've got nothing to do today but smile."
—Simon and Garfunkel
The Only Boy Living in New York



Julie Sadick
"Maybe the past is like an anchor holding us back. Maybe you have to let go of who you are to become who you will be."

—Carrie Bradshaw Sex and the City



Rachel Sadick
"If we couldn't laugh we'd all go insane."

—Jimmy Buffet Changes in Lattitudes



Gregory Salmon
Sam: "Where should I put this thing so that it doesn't hurt anyone we know or care about?"

Max: "Out the window, Sam. There's nothing but strangers out there,"

—Sam and Max Sam and Max: Hit the Road



John Sawicki
"What's it going to be then, eh?"
—Anthony Burgess
A Clockwork Orange



Kristin Sawyer

"You have brains in your head.
You have feet in your shoes.
You can steer yourself in any direction you choose.
You're on your own.

And you know what you know. You are the guy who'll decide where to go."

-Dr. Seuss



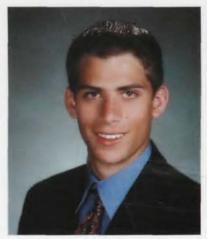
Michael J. Scaliti
"God gets you to the plate, but once you're there you're on your own."

—Ted Williams



Willa A. Schaefer
"Please! This is supposed to be a happy occasion. Let's not bicker and argue about who killed who."

-Monty Python and the Holy Grail



William Schoenbach



Jessica Schor



Andrew Schott
"Now please rise and salute your flag."
—Andrew Miles Schott



Rebecca K. Schulman
"Yesterday is gone, Forget it.
Tomorrow hasn't come, Don't worry
about it.
Today is here, Enjoy it."

-Unknown



Lindsay D. Seagull
"All I have to remember is I can always
get more toast."
—Albert Goldman

The Birdcage

Kelly Seib

"Good friends we have, oh good friends we lost, along the way. In this great future, you can't forget your past."

—Bob Marley



Ashley Seitz
"Growing up happens in a heartbeat.
One day you're in diapers, the next day you're gone. But the memories of child-hood stay with you forever."

—The Wonder Years



Kirsten Selert
"...but the great man is he who in the
midst of the crowd keeps with perfect
sweetness the independence of solitude."

-Ralph Waldo Emerson



Ryan D. Shallcross
"I have never let my schooling interfere with my education."

—Mark Twain



Yifan Shao



Sasha Sharif

"Believe nothing, no matter where you read it, or who said it, no matter if I have said it, unless it agrees with your own reason and your own common sense."

—Buddha



 $Emily \ K. \ Sheehan$ "So it goes." —Kurt Vonnegut



Neda Simaika "Keep your face to the sunshine and your cannot see the shadow." -Helen Keller



Lauren C. Simmons



Katrine Singhbaba



Anne E. Siwulec "When we recall the past, we usually find that it is the simplest things-not the great occasions-that in retrospect give off the greatest glow of happiness."
—Bob Hope



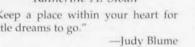
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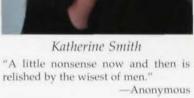


Bryan Skorge



Katherine A. Sloan "Keep a place within your heart for little dreams to go."





"It's Fri-day it's time to part-ay." -Rachel Sadick



Lisa Smythe "If you don't laugh at yourself, life is going to seem a lot longer than you want it to." —Garden State



Rebecca Snyder



Dana Brett Spass



Brad Speck "I don't care if someone breaks my record in half, they won't have half as much fun as I did."

—Walter Payton



Amanda Spector

"Memory is a way of holding onto the things you love, the things you are, the things you never want to lose."

—The Wonder Years



Gregory J. Speir



Kayli Spialter
"If I am not for myself, who will be for me?
If I am only for myself, what am I?
If not now, when?"
—Rabbi Hillel



Matthew Statton



Richard M. Stewart



Christine E. Stirrat



Brian Stotter

"Integrity without knowledge is weak and useless, and knowledge without integrity is dangerous and dreadful."

—Samuel Johnson



Andrew R. Streaman



Robin S. Streit
"Find the light that makes you shine and then use those rays to illuminate your way."

—Anonymous



Elizabeth K. Strickland
"Sunshine day dream, Walking in the
tall trees, Going where the wind goes,
Blooming like a red rose, Breathing more
freely, Ride out singing, I'll walk you in
the morning sunshine, Sunshine day
dream."

-Grateful Dead



Jessica D. Stromer

"Everybody just chill, relax, don't make me get rowdy, it is not a pretty sight."

—Peaches Jordon
A Low Down Dirty Shame



Monica C. Sull

"This is my age. I'm in the prime of my youth and I'll only be young once."

—Stand by Me

"I'd rather regret the things I have done than I have not."

—Lucille Ball



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"so much depends
upon
a red wheel
barrow
glazed with rain
water
beside the white chickens."

—William Carlos Williams



Maxwell Thomas



Mikala Tidswell



Allison L. Tiedrich

"May my legend prosper and thrive. I wish it a long and happy life."

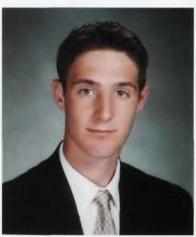
—Coco Chanel



Vincent A. Tomasso



David Torres
"If you're not living life on the edge, you're taking up too much space."
—Anonymous



Thomas M. Tresnan
"If at first you don't succeed, skydiving is not for you."
—Steven Wright



Elizabeth T. Trimble
"It's time now to sing out, though the story never ends."

—RENT



Christopher Tropeano
"Tonight you have learned the final and greatest truth of the Ninja, that ultimate mastering comes not from the body but from the mind."

—Splinter Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles



Bradford Trzesniowski



Justin Tullo
"I just sit back and watch the show."
—Dr.Dre
The Watcher



Allison Turitz

"Life's a ride. The best we can hope for at the end is that your hair's messed up, you're out of breath and you didn't throw up."

-Jerry Seinfeld



Megan Valenti
"Itisn't where you come from, it's where you're going that counts."

—Ella Fitzgerald



Denise Vassena



John H. Velasco
"In case I don't see you—good afternoon, good evening and good night."
—The Truman Show



Christopher Velderman
"Humor is just another defense against
the universe."
—Mel Brooks



Brittany Vella

"All you need in life is love, laughter, friendship and a few miracles."

—Palma Vella



Albert Venezio



Bailey Verdone
"And when I opened the curtains they

were taking the set away and packing up for the day, the cameras and lights turned off."

"I'd like to write a beautiful story about love:"

—Stanley Donwood Beautiful Story About



Ashvin Vijayakumar



Austin Washington
"This right here was the victory lap and then I'm leaving."

—Jay-Z Encore

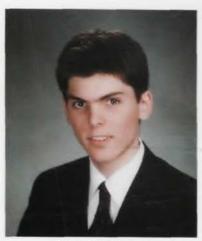


Meghan Wasiak
"Once in a while you get shown in the light in the strangest of places if you look at it right."

—Sublime Scarlet Begonias



Alec Wasserman



Brian M. Waters



Andrew E. Waxtel "Terrorism, the holocaust, and Madonna are all products of man's irrationality."

-Dr. Weitz



Jacqueline Weidman

"I guess we are who we are for a lot of reasons. And maybe we'll never known most of them. But even if we don't have the power to choose where we come from, we can still choose where we go from here."

> -Stephen Chbosky The Perks of Being a Wallflower



Elizabeth J. Werner



Justin West "It's not a dance, it's a way of livin."" -Snoop Dogg Ain't Nothin But a G Thang



Thomas White IV "I just stare at my desk, but it looks like I'm working. I do that for probably another hour after lunch too, I'd say in a given week I probably only do about fifteen minutes of real, actual, work."

-Office Space



Richard Whitehead "There will come a time when you believe everything is finished. That will be the beginning.

-Unknown



Benjamin Wieder

"Of all the wonders of nature, a tree in summer is perhaps the most remarkable, with the possible exception of a moose singing 'Embraceable You' in spats."

-Woody Allen



Elisabeth M. Willis

"You fake a stomach cramp, and when you're bent over, moaning and wailing, you lick your palms. It's a little childish and stupid, but then, so is high school." -Ferris Bueller Ferris Bueller's Day Off



Lauren Winchester

"These changes in latitudes, changes in attitudes;

Nothin' remains quite the same."

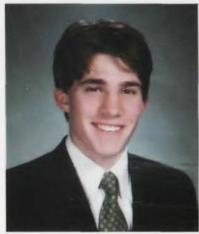
-Jimmy Buffet Changes in Latitudes Changes in Attitudes



Cameron Wong

"A wise person will listen and take in more instruction, and a man of understanding is the one who acquires skillful direction."

-Book of Proverbs



Michael Woods



Li Yang



Qiaozi (Kathy) Yang
"You can stand tall, without standing on someone.
You can be a victor without having vic-

tims."

—Harriet Woods



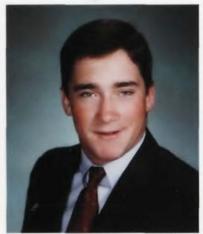
Merih Yavuz



Sing Yeow



Anne Yingling
"The older you get the more rules they are gonna try and get you to follow. You just gotta keep livin' man. L-I-V-I-N."
—Wooderson
Dazed and Confused



Sean Young



Ashley M. Yuro

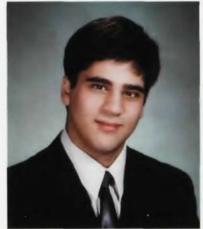


Zoe S. Zachariades
"The question isn't 'what are we going to do,' the question is 'what aren't we going to do?""

—Ferris Bueller Ferris Bueller's Day Off



Christopher Zaffuto



Michael Zahler



Lorena Zamarelli
"And so it's time to change our ways
But I've loved these days."
—Billy Joel

—Billy Joel I've Loved These Days



Lisa Zhang
"From the day we arrive on the planet,
And blinkins, step into the sun,
There's more to see than can ever be
seen,
More to do than can ever be done."

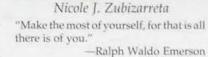
-Lion King



Dana Zichlin

"Life is about not knowing, having to change, taking in the moment, and making the best of it-all without knowing what's going to happen next. Delicious ambiguity."

—Gilda Radner





Tannny Zurawa
"My head just aches when I think of the things that I shouldn't have done, but life is for living we all know, and I don't wanna live it alone."

—Coldplay Live is for living

In Loving Memory of Lisa Novick

























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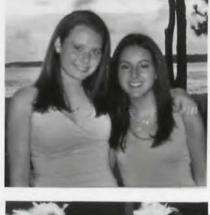
























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hree down and one more to go... It is amazing, almost scary, to think that we have one more year of high school to complete. It seems like it was just yesterday that we were at the bottom of the "food chain." The past three years have had their share of sorrow, sadness, distress, and regret, but we've survived it all. We withstood the pressures of getting our JRP's in on time, preparing adequately for the PSAT's, and wisely choosing which classes will best please our top college choices. Whoever said that junior year was the hardest was misleading us. It, by far, has been the most demanding, nevertheless we are here standing strong as ever. Now we have our final year to look forward to. We need to make this year, more than anything, count. It was Zora Neale Hurston who said,"I love courage...I worship strength." Let's make our final year a courageous one. We all are strong, courageous individuals in our own unique way. Live the best, be the best, stay the best.

-Maurice Blackmon, Junior Class President





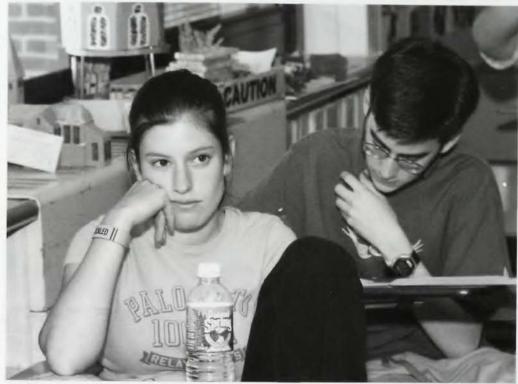


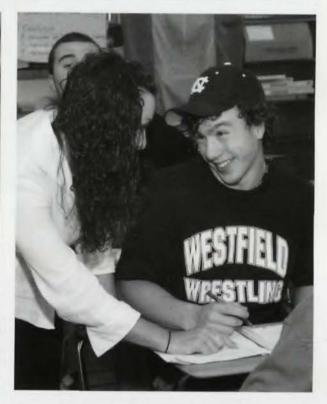
"Dedication is not what others expect of you, it is what you can give to others."

- Anonymous





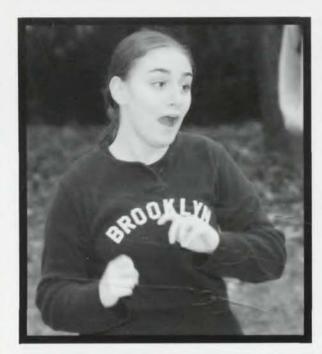








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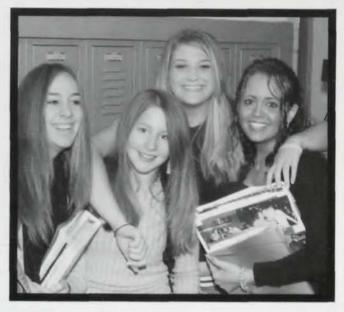






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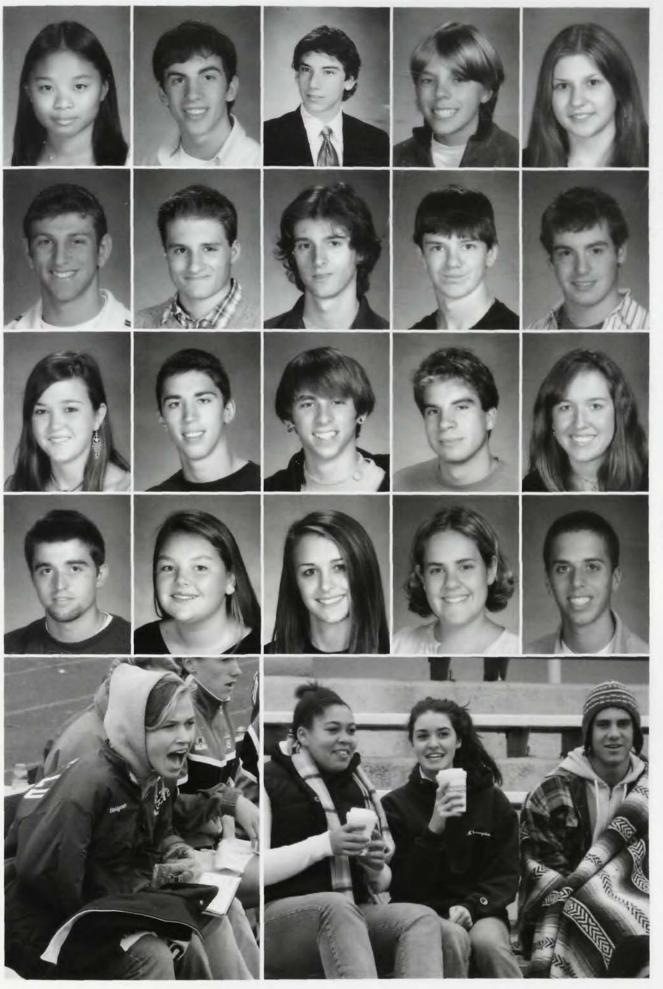








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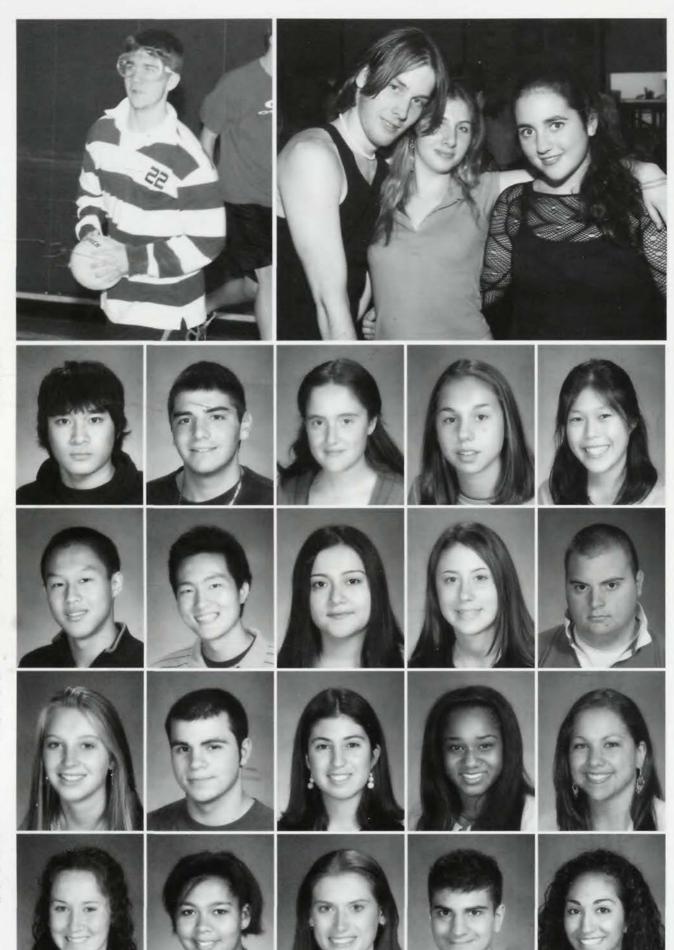


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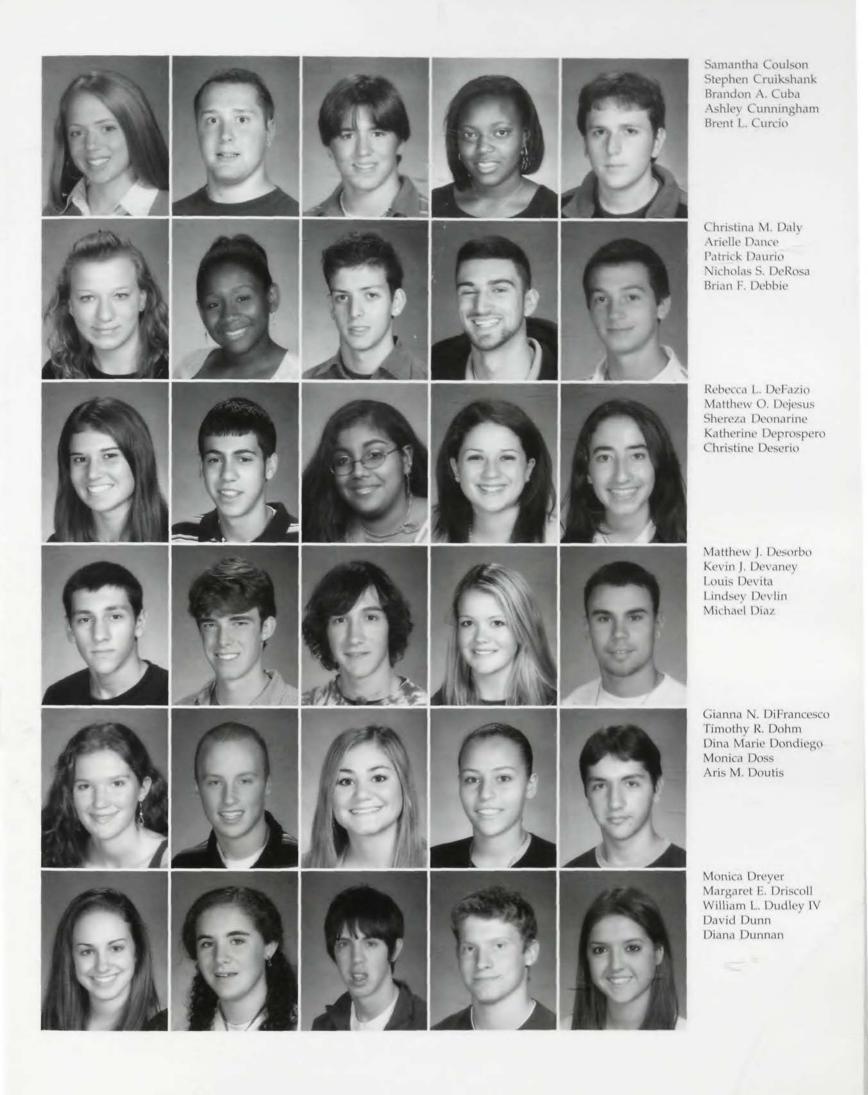


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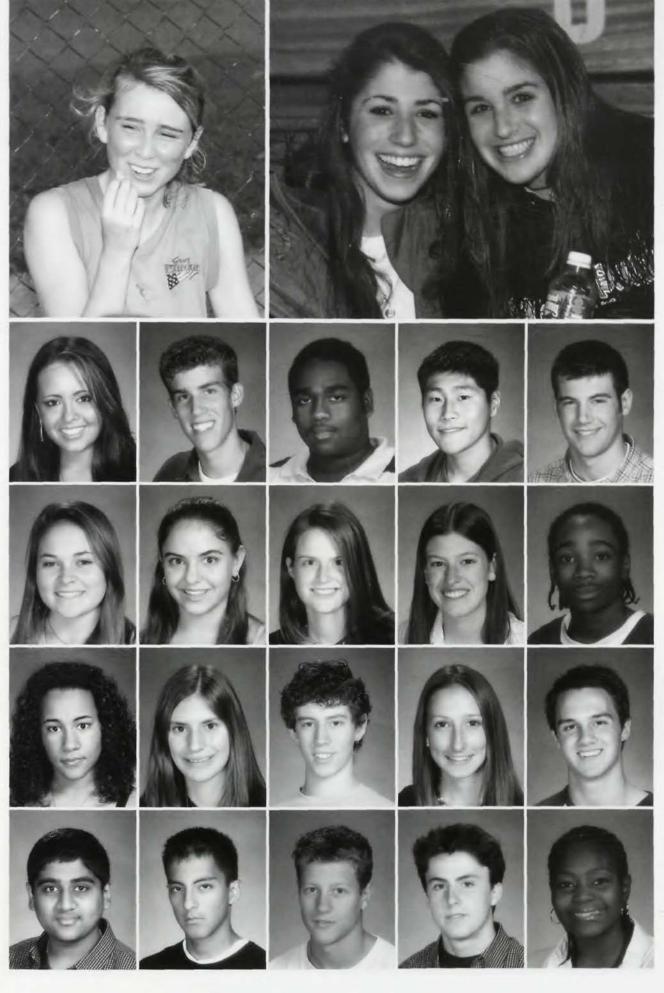
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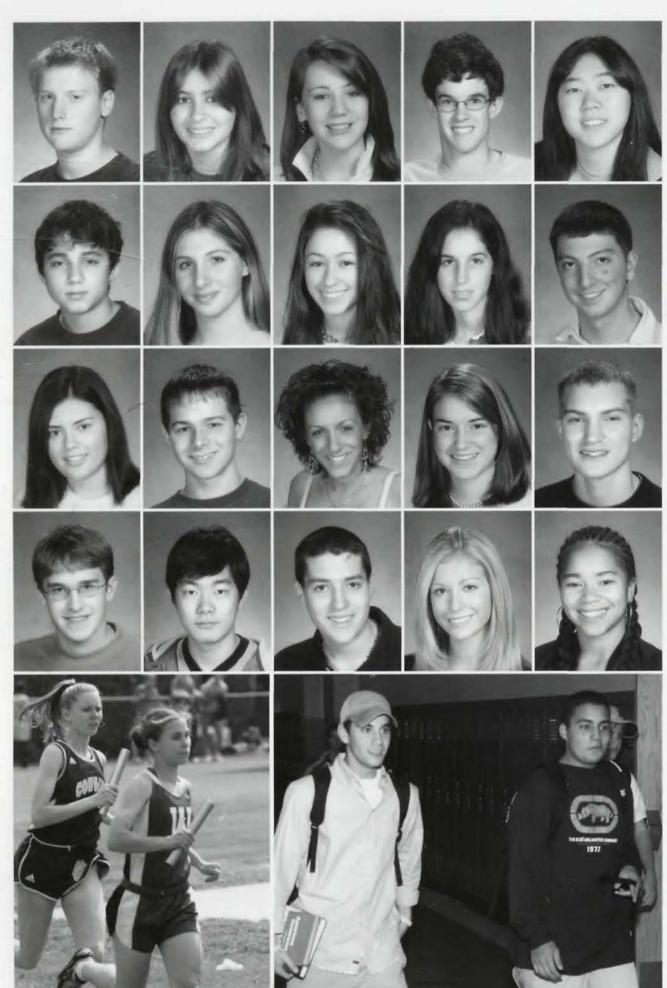
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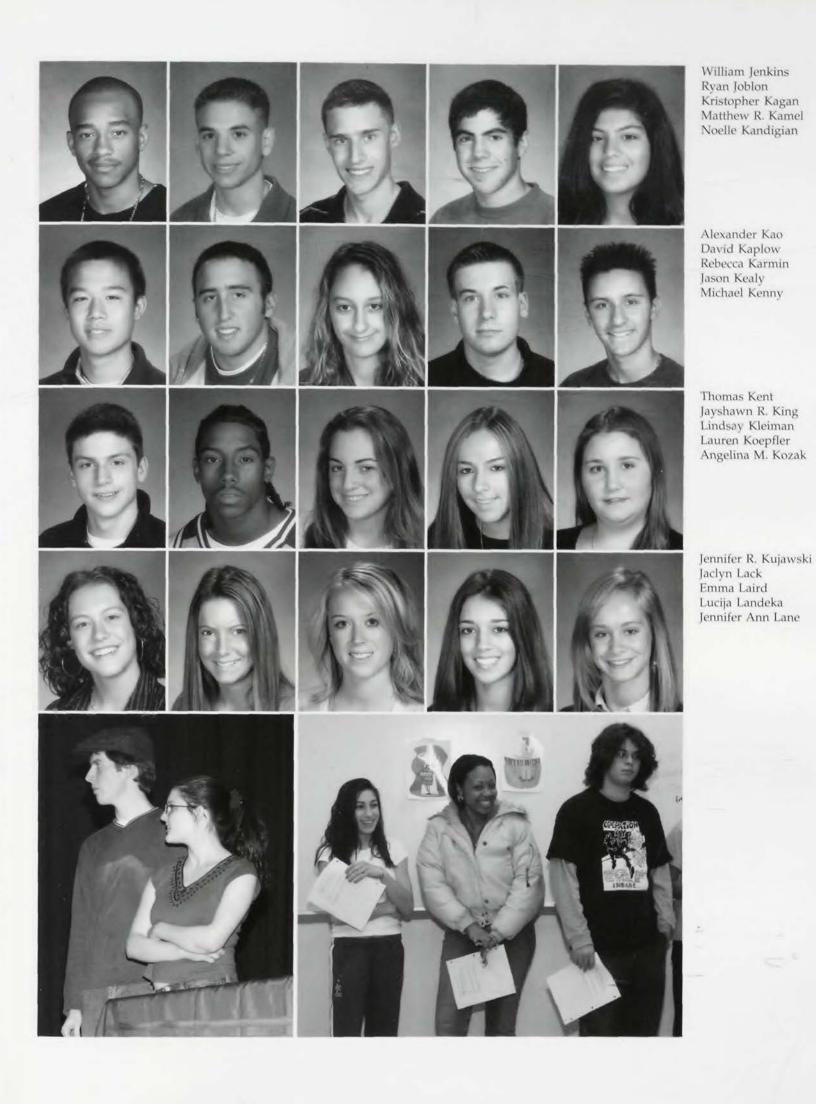
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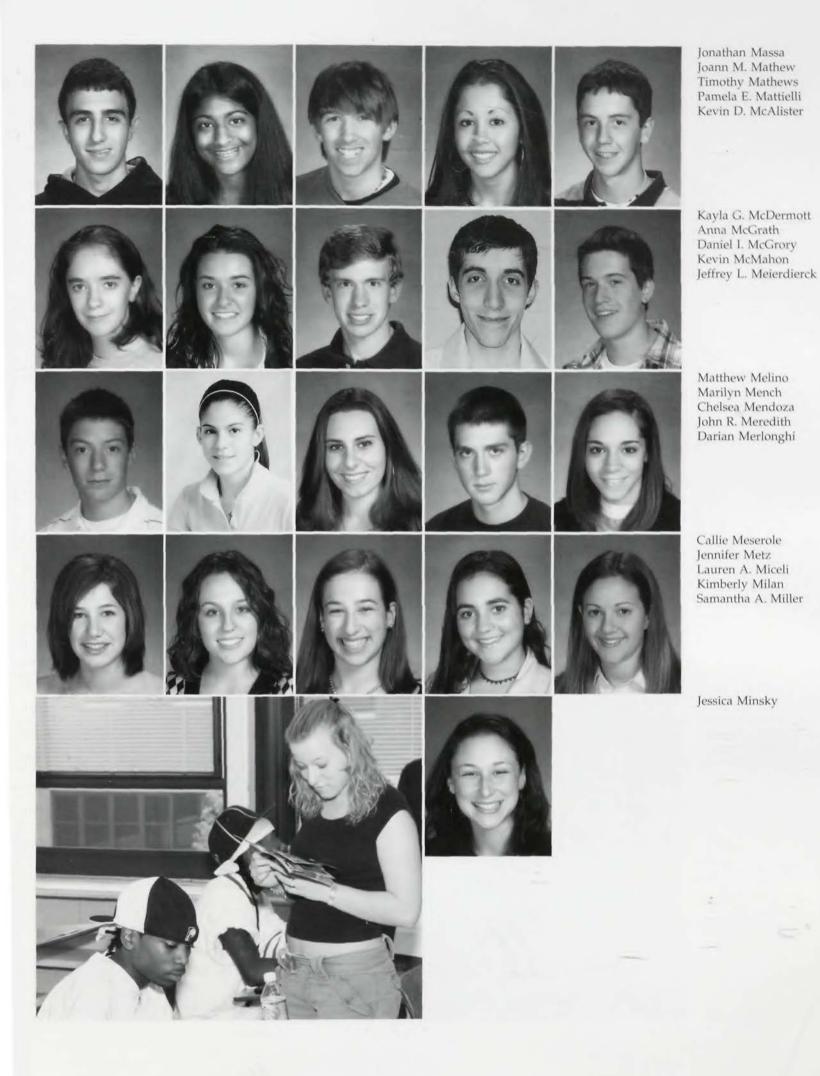
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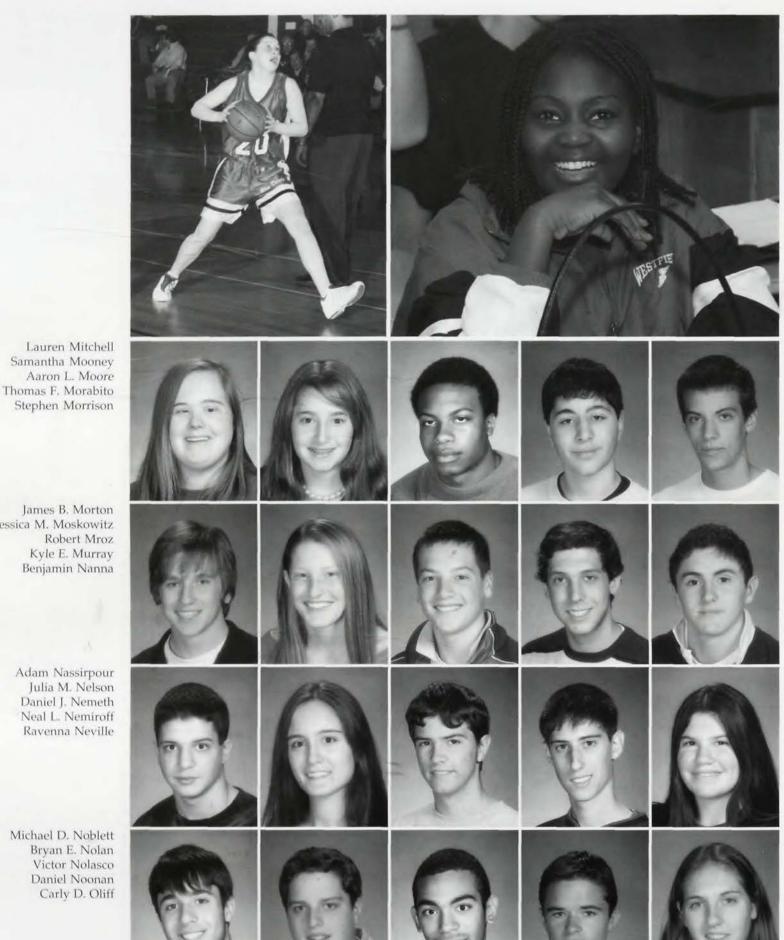
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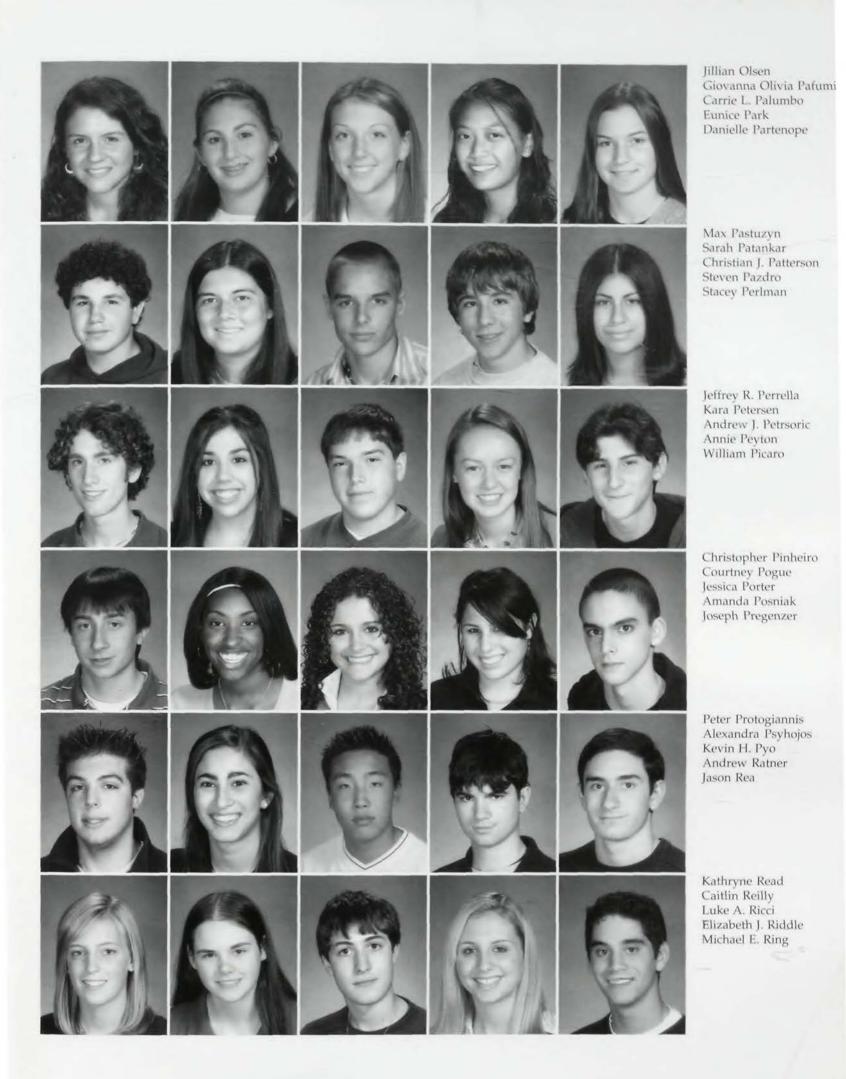
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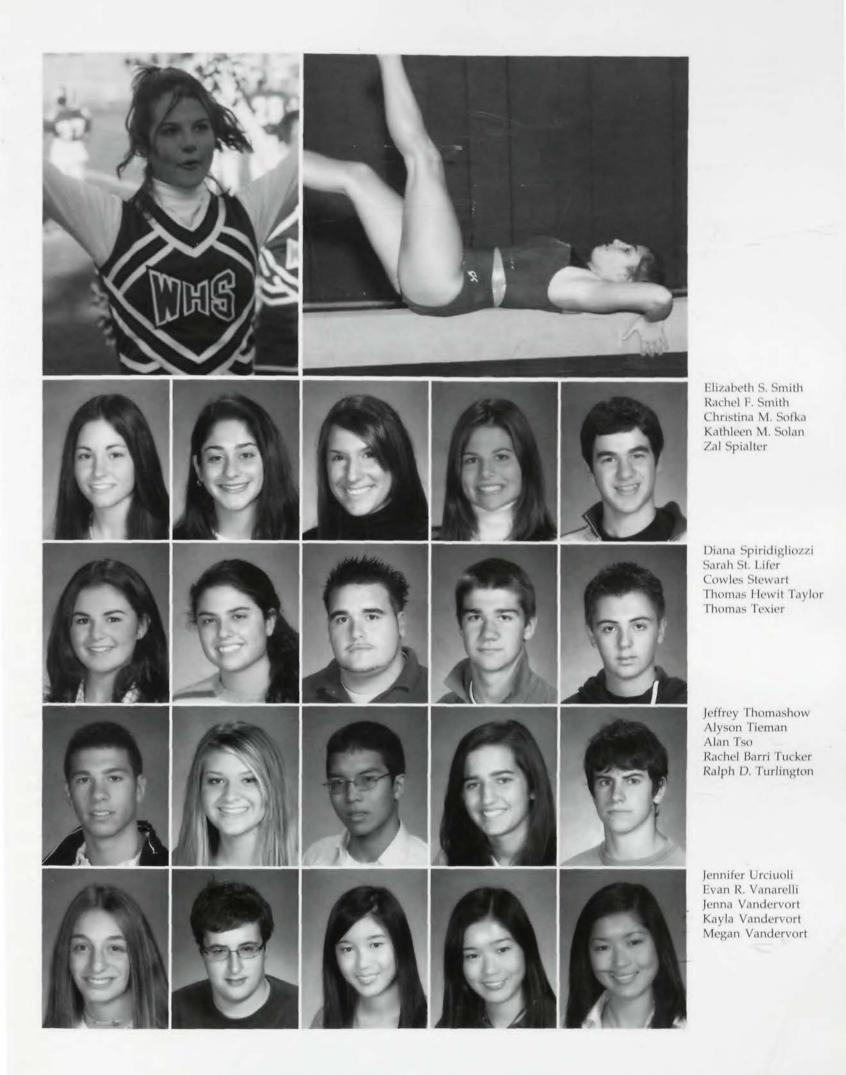
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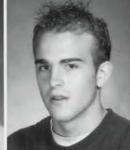


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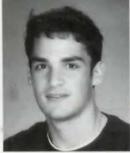








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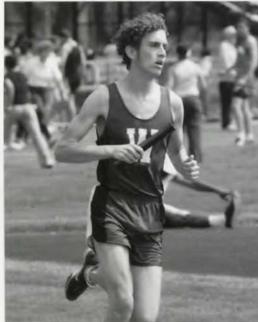


























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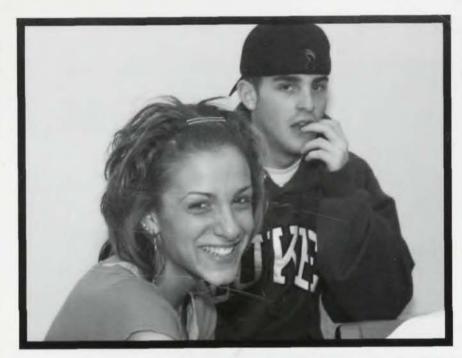


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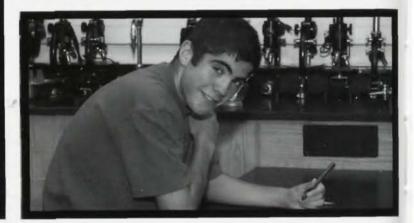
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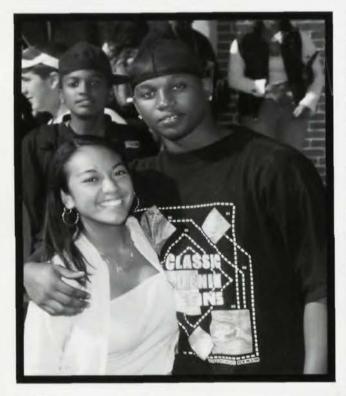
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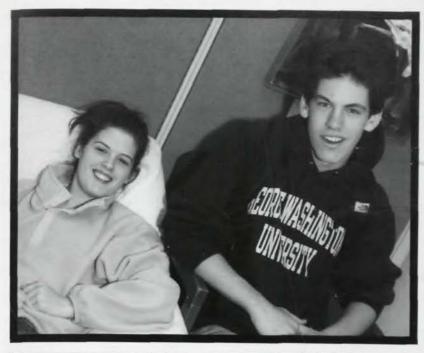




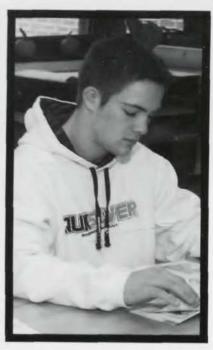


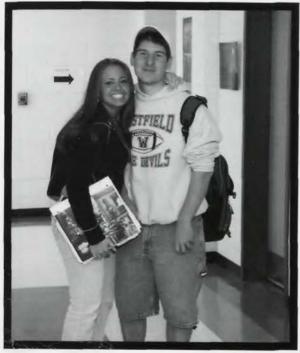


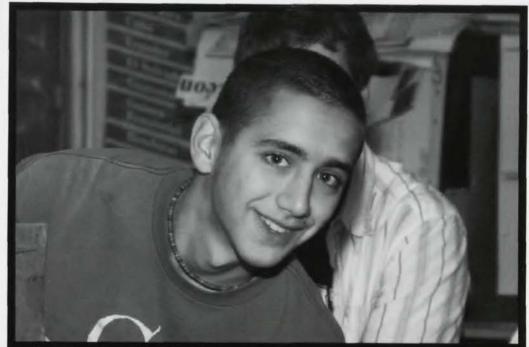


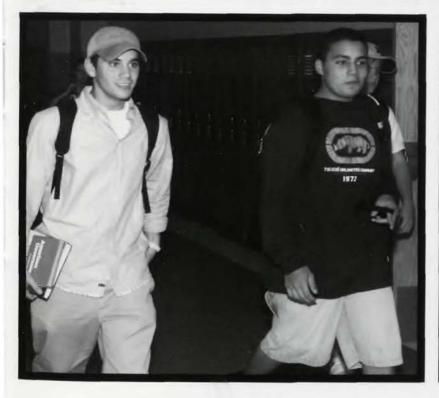














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Tow as sophomores we can say that we are half way there; two years down, two years to go. People always say sophomore year is the forgotten year. We would disagree. It's actually the time when a person might start thinking about what he or she wants to accomplish in life whether it be in business, the stock market, plumbing, politics, medicine, law, or making the morning announcements. As freshmen, we spent a great deal of time getting to know our peers which is a huge endeavor considering the number of studetns in the class of 2007. Many of us have now created frienships that will last longer than high school. But we still have two more years to support each other here as we prepare for the JRP, SAT's, AP exams, driving tests, and much more.

—Phill John and Hope Skibitsky, Co-Presidents







"The person who makes a success of living is the one who sees his goal steadily and aims for it unswervingly. That is dedication."

- Cecil B. De Mille



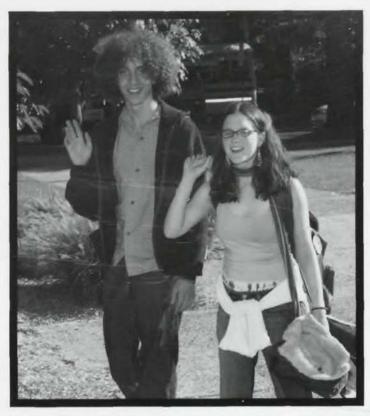












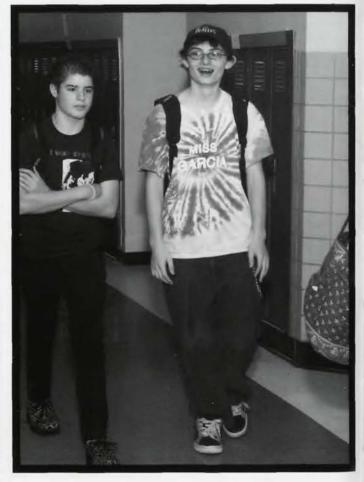












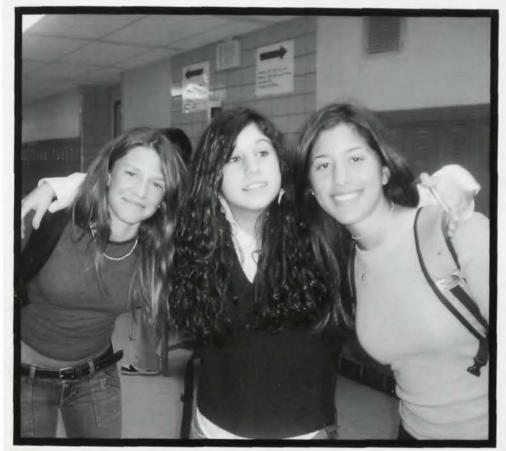








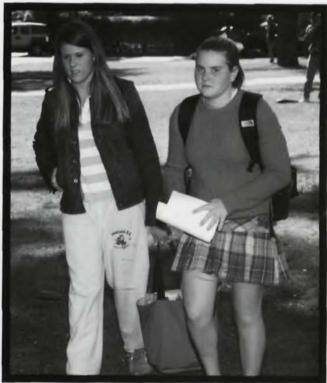












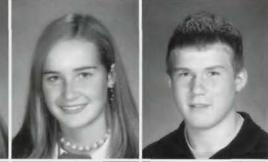
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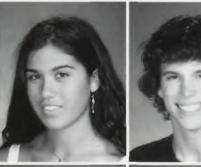


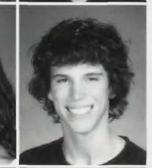


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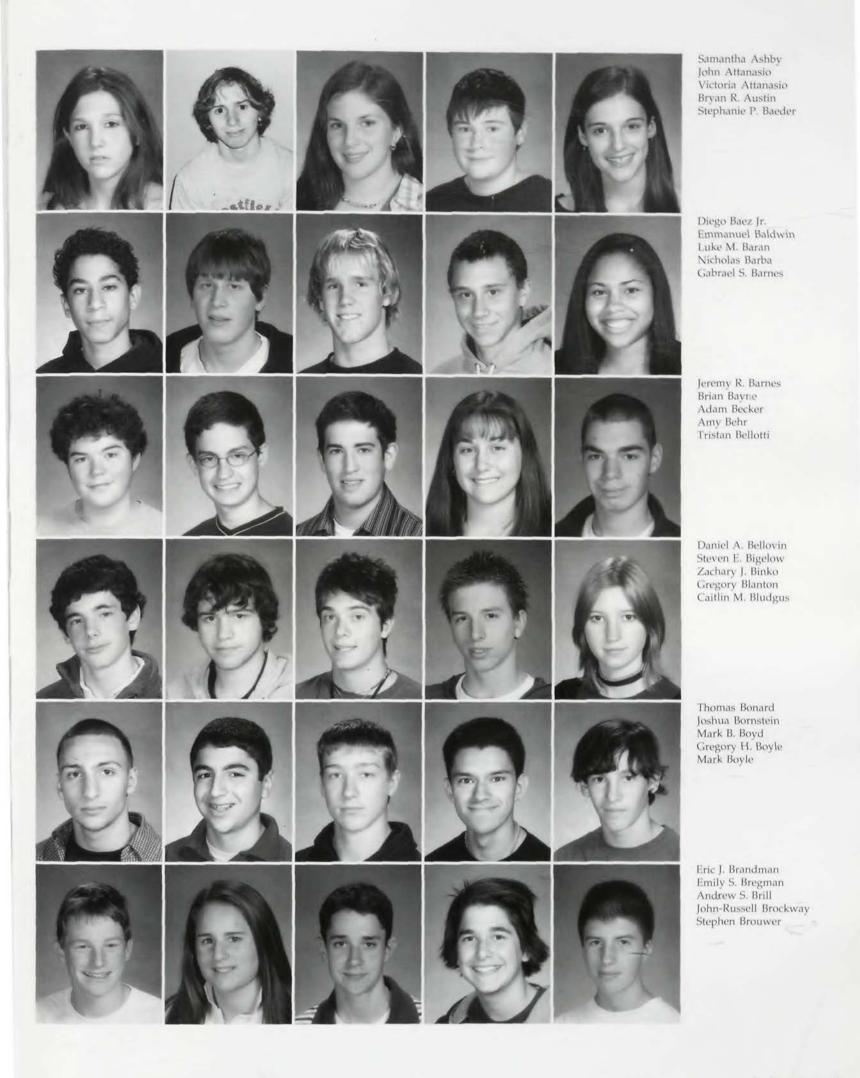




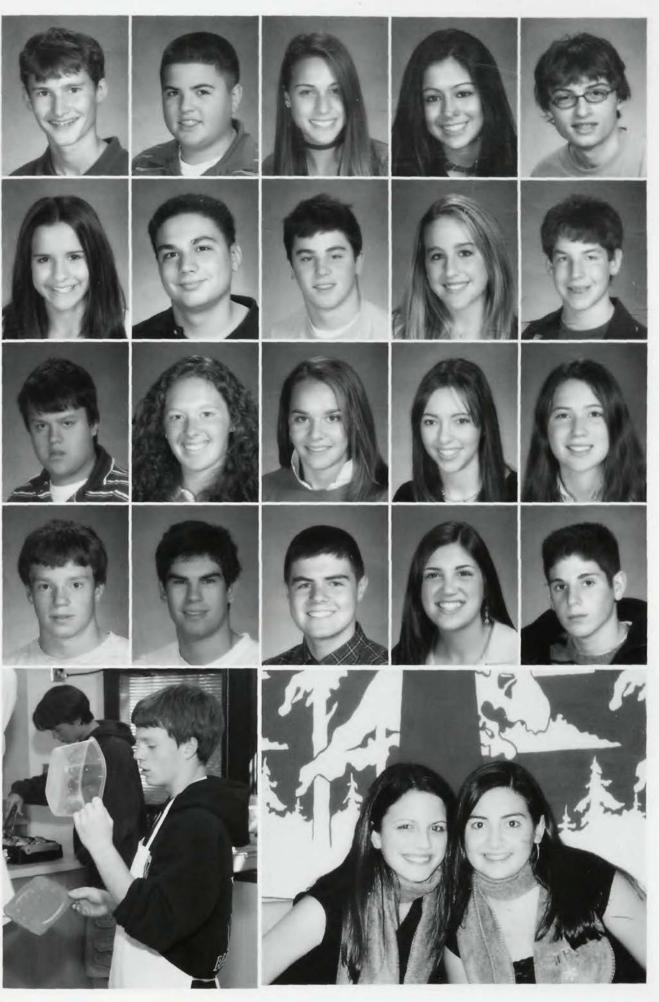








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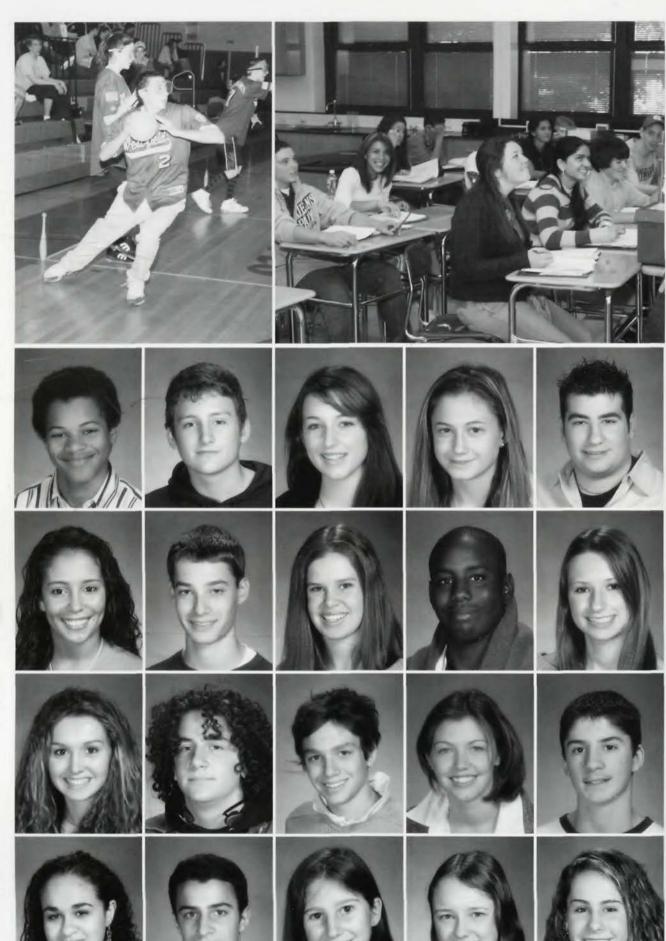


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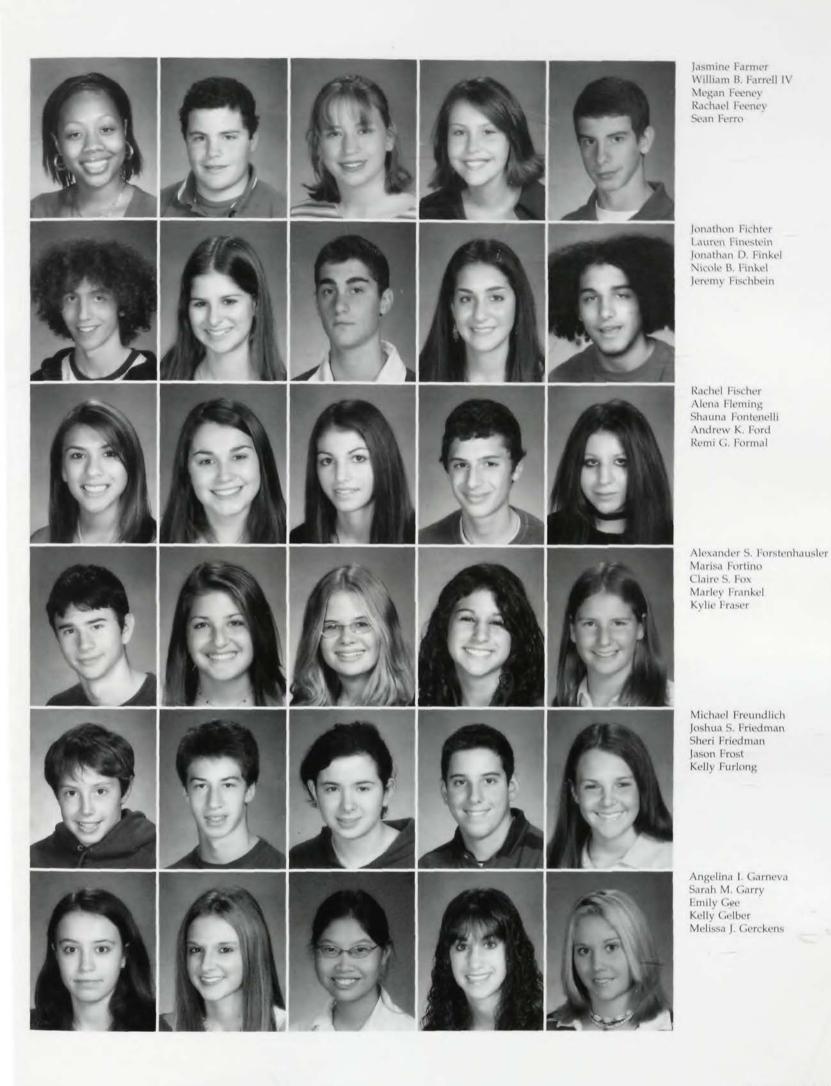


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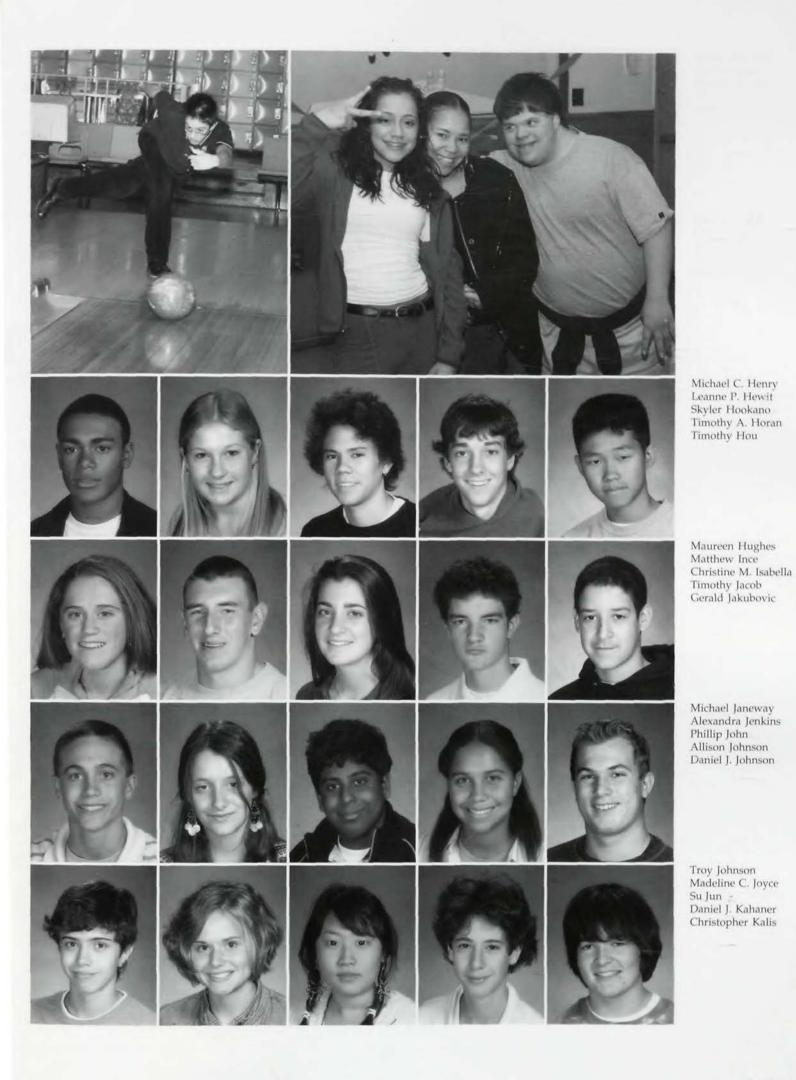
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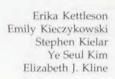


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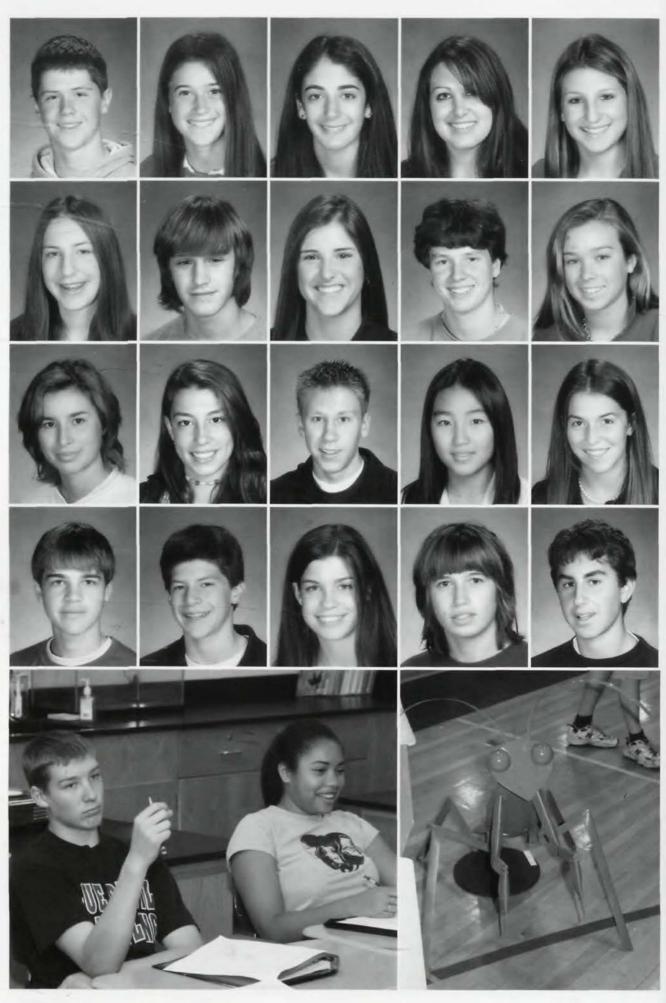


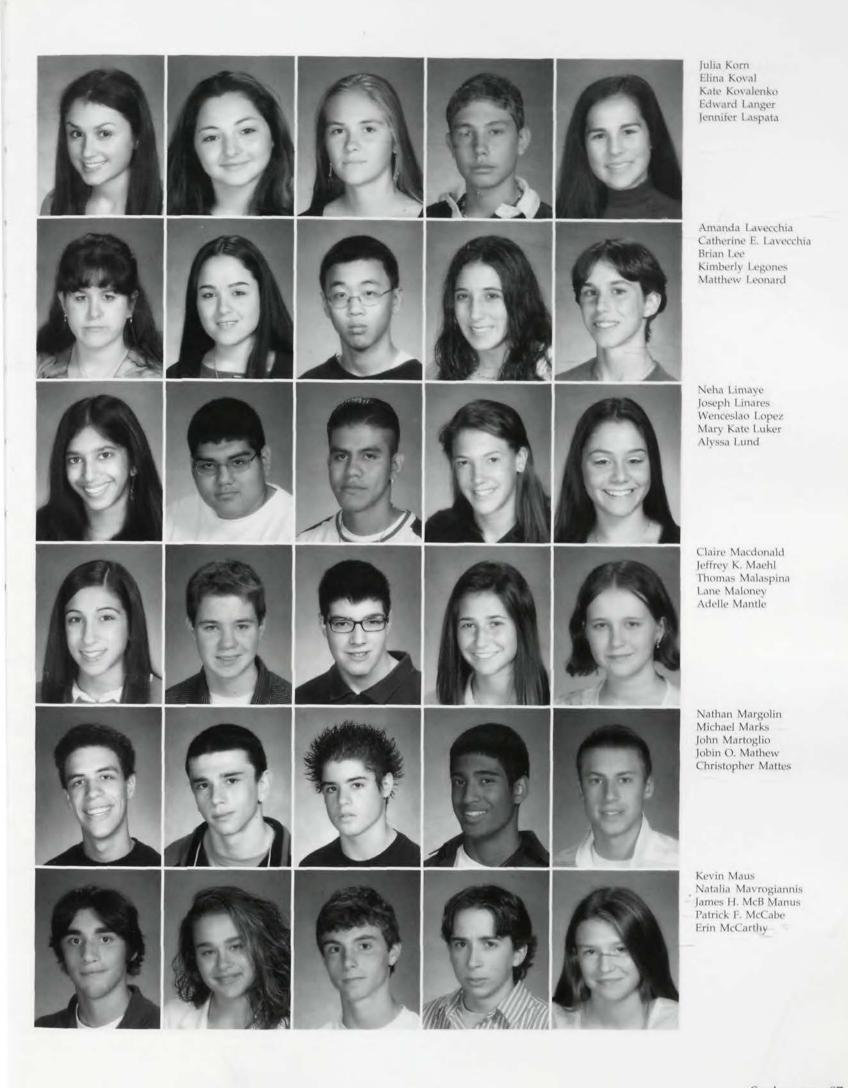
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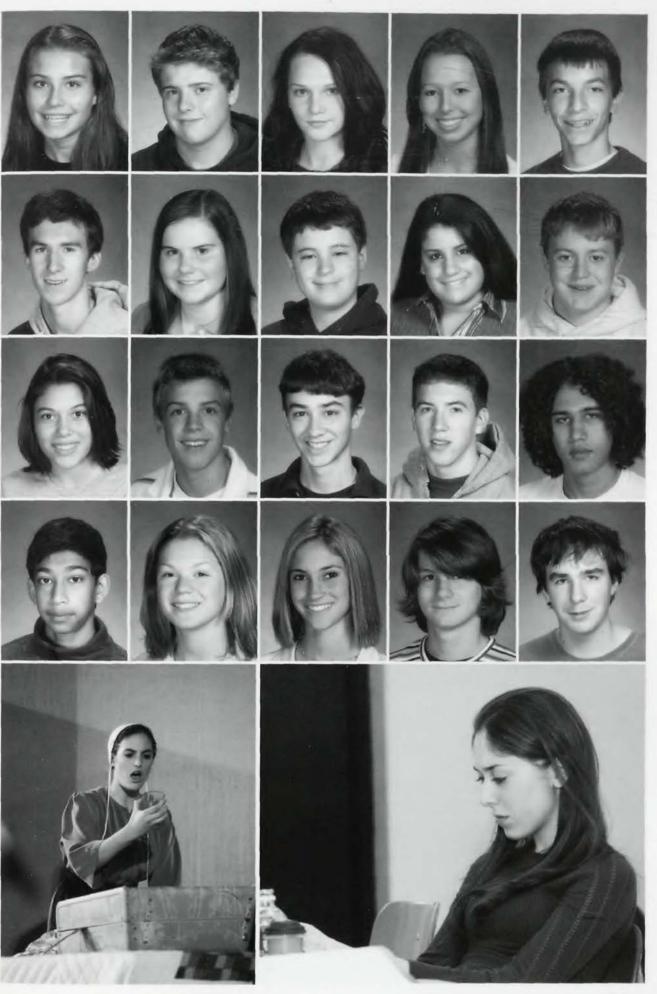


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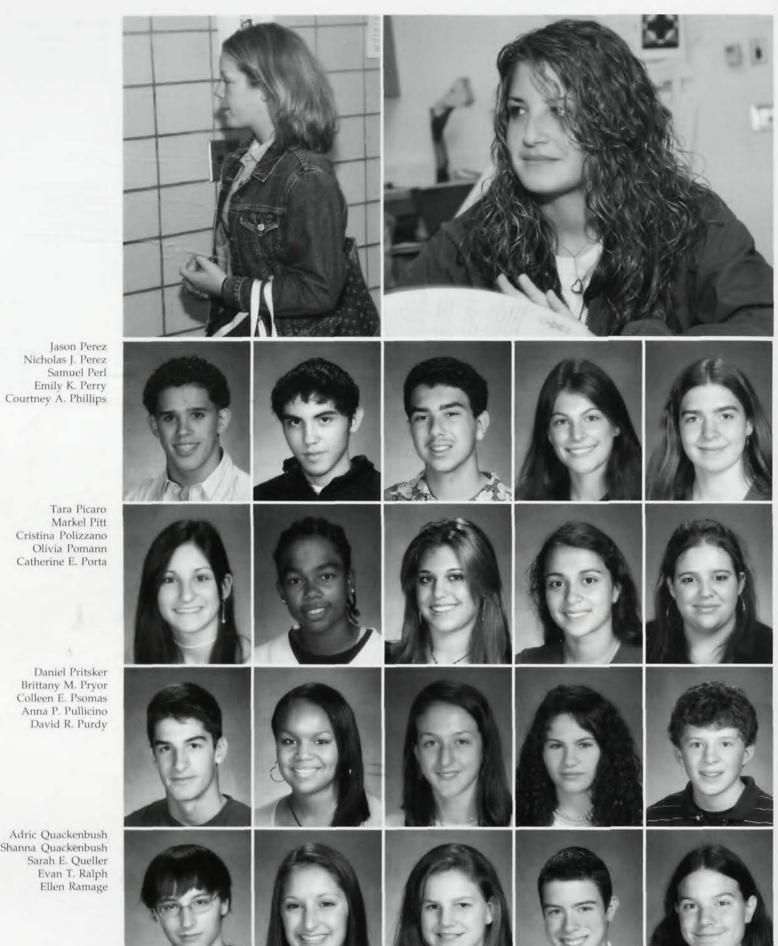


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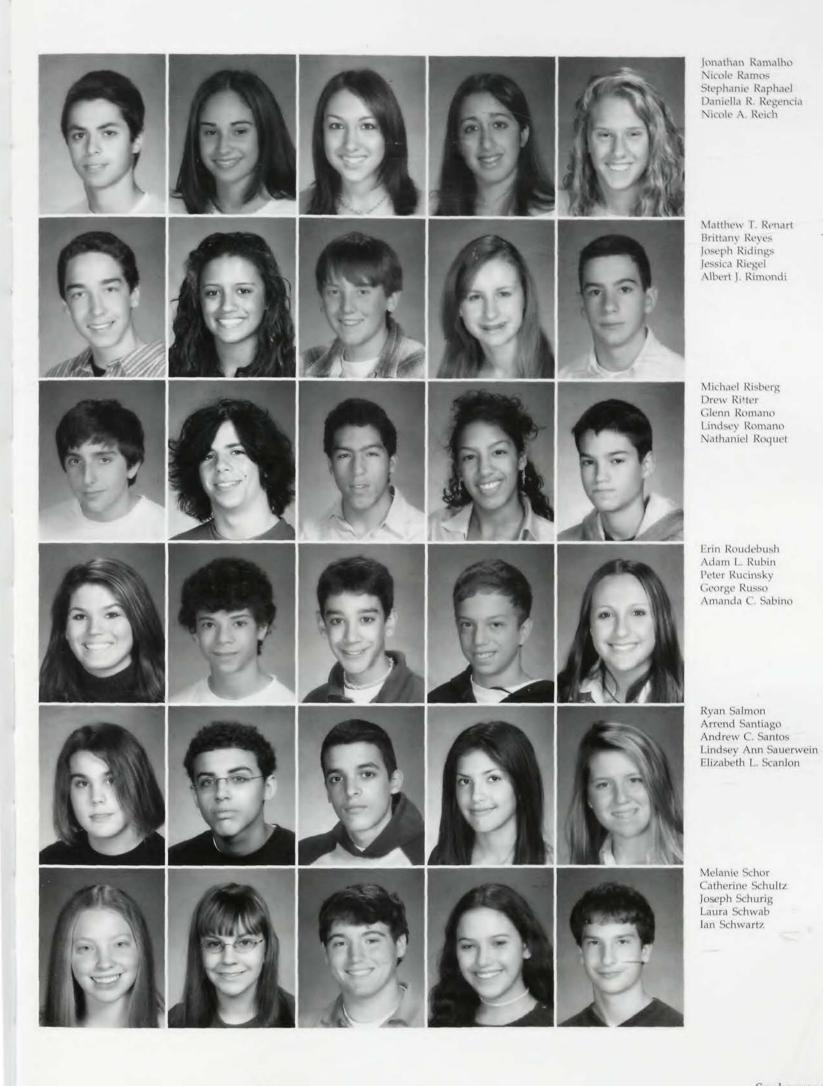
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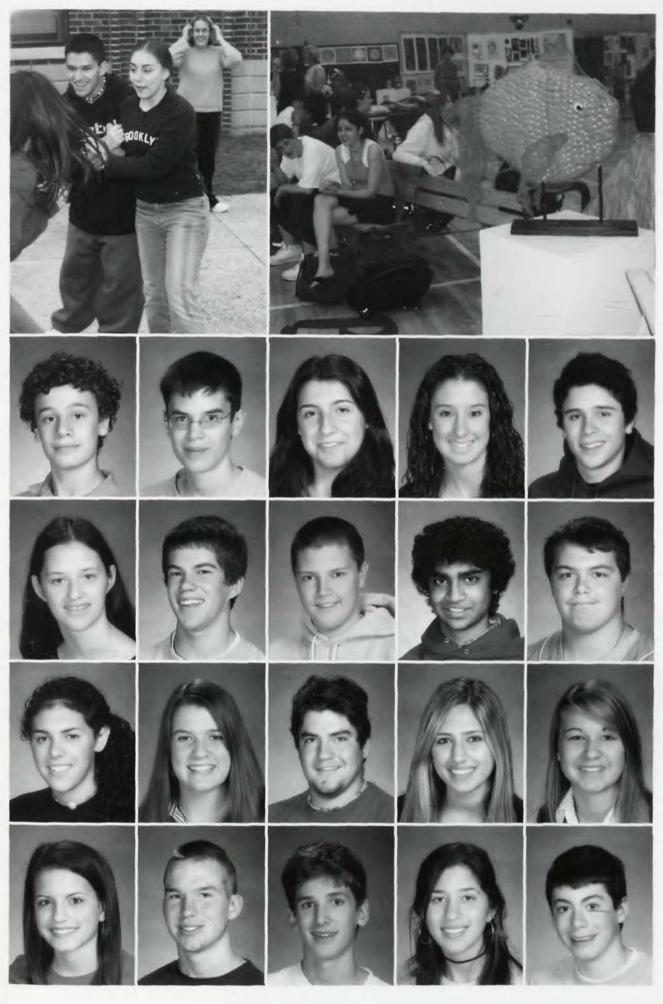


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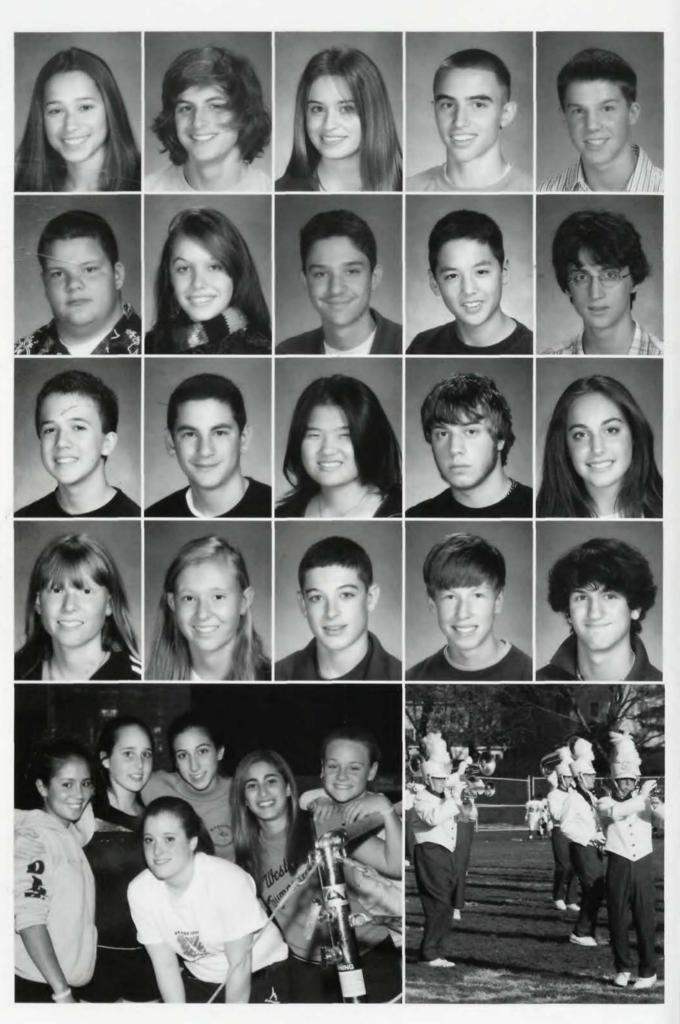
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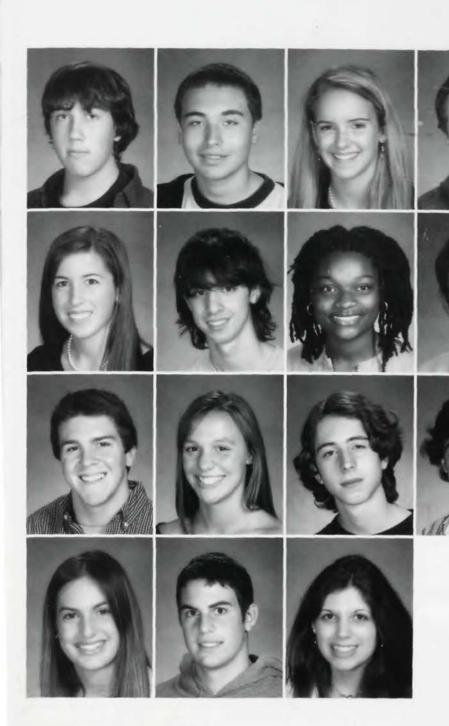
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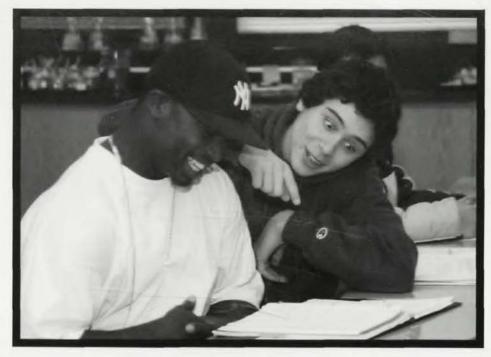
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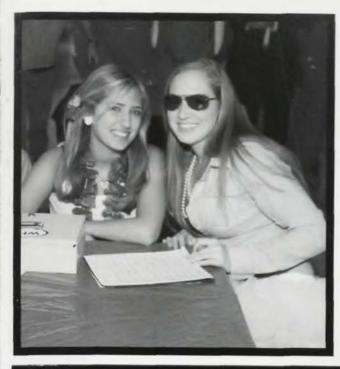


























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ACCEPTING

they are faced with many new challenges and opportunities. As the largest incoming class in recent years, the student body represents a diverse mix of students. To cope with the difficulties of getting used to a new atmosphere, the Transition Project serves to help freshman by introducing them to the Westfield High School community. With clubs, sports, and after school activities, freshmen find it easy to meet new people and enjoy the start of their high school experience. Although classes are sometimes challenging, students will find that teachers genuinely care and will continue to be a valuable resource throughout the four years of high school.

—Ally Turitz, Dana Zichlin, Brian Oxman, Class of 2005



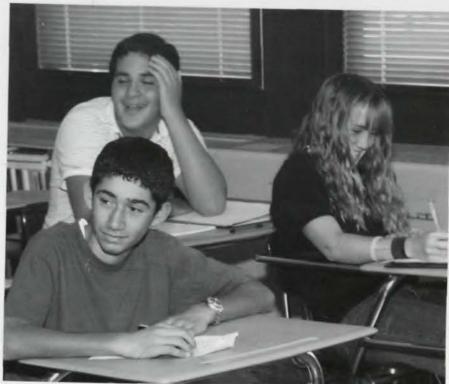




"Accept the things to which fate binds you, and love the people with whom fate brings you together, but do so with all your heart."

-Marcus Aurelius













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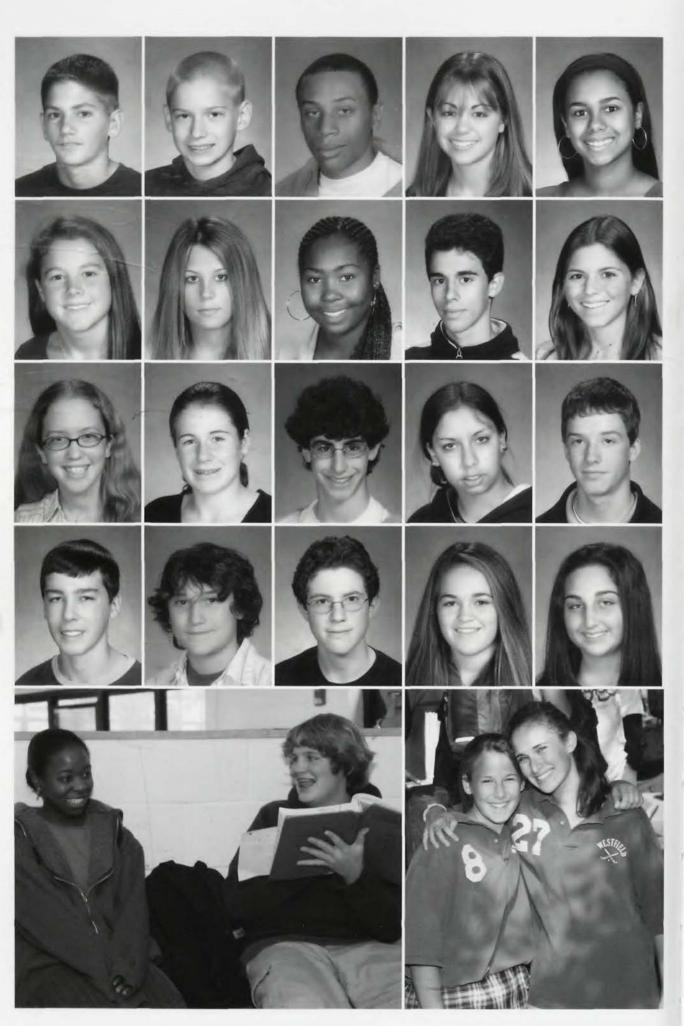


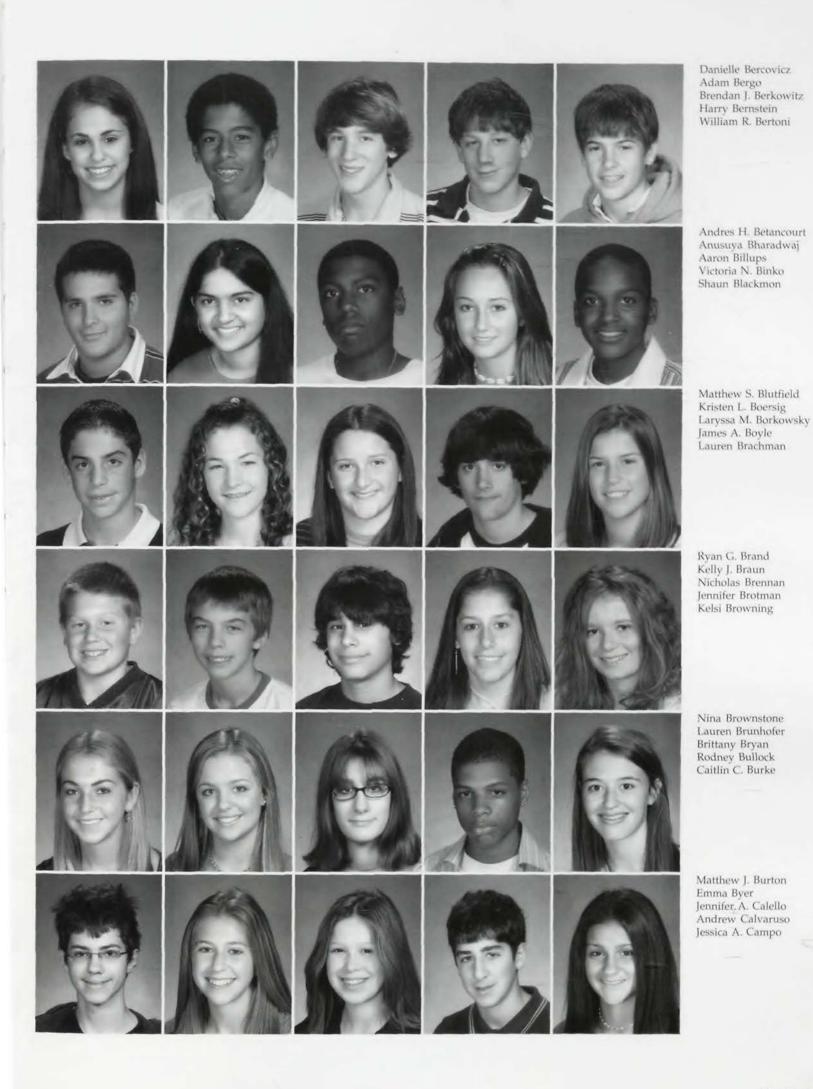
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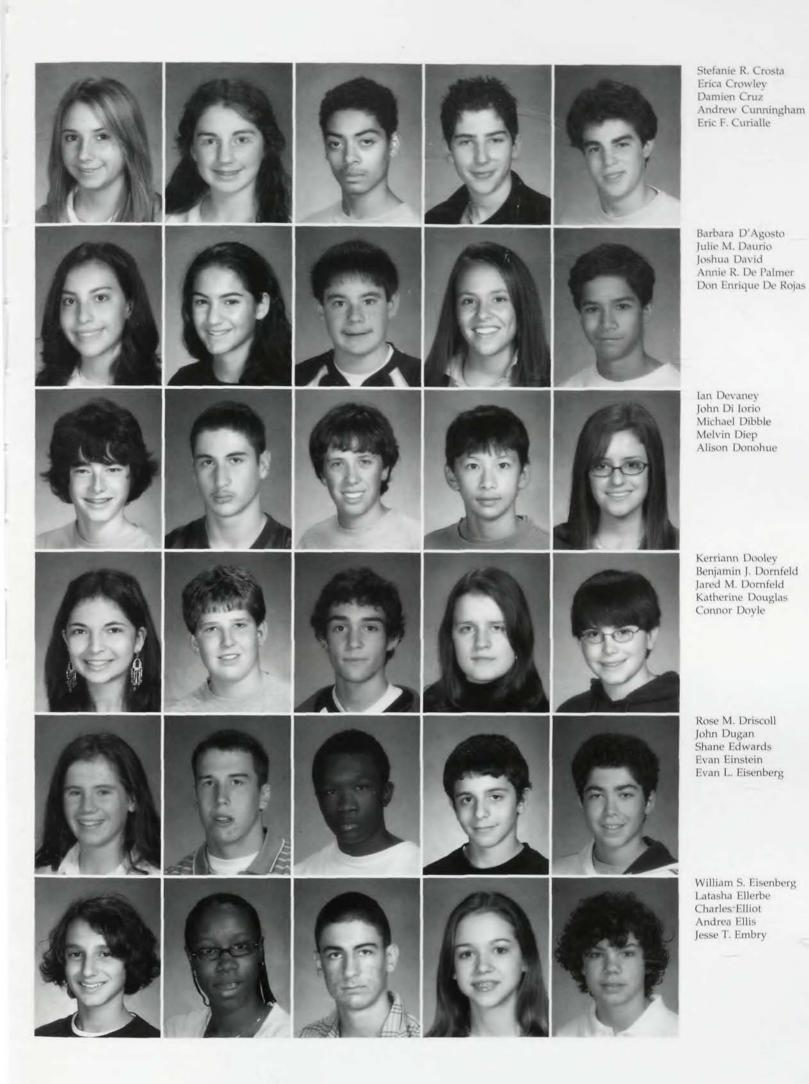
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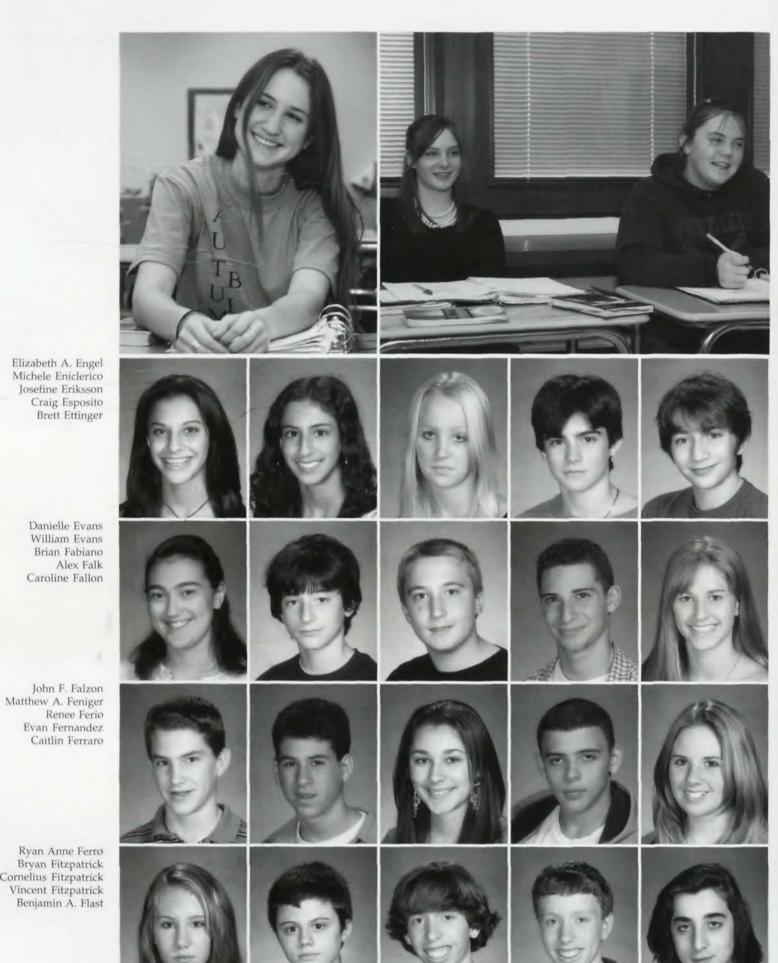
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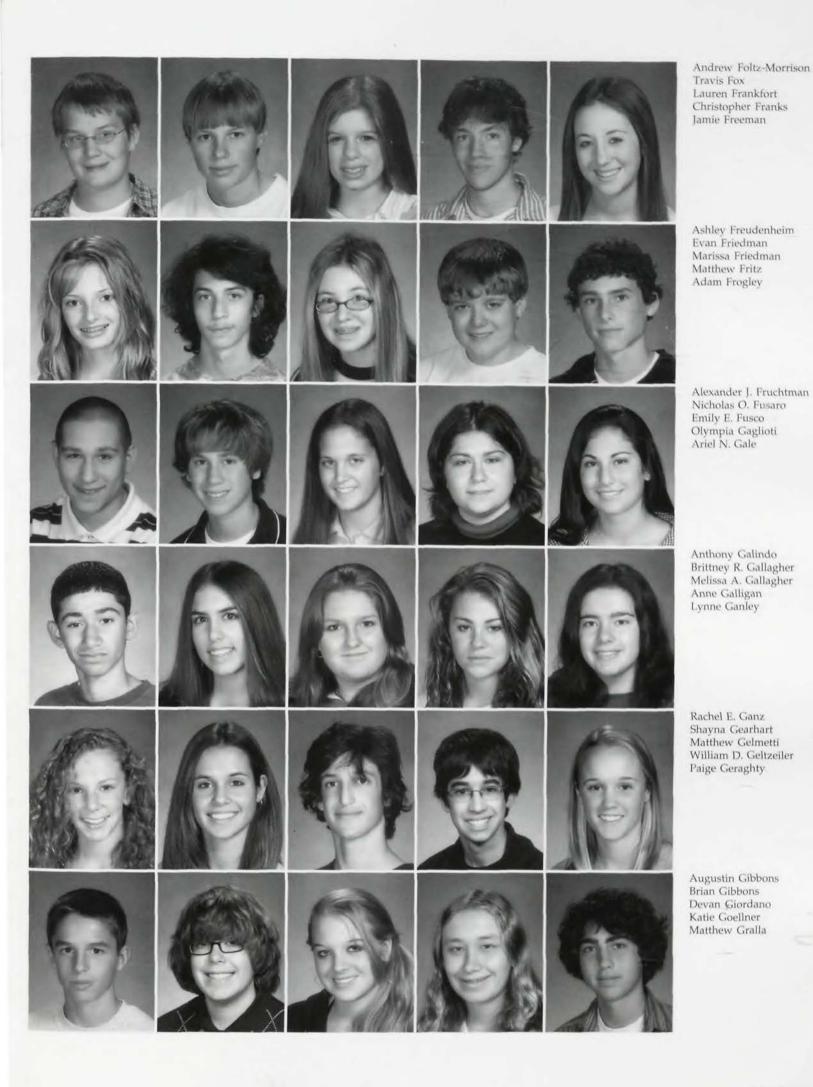


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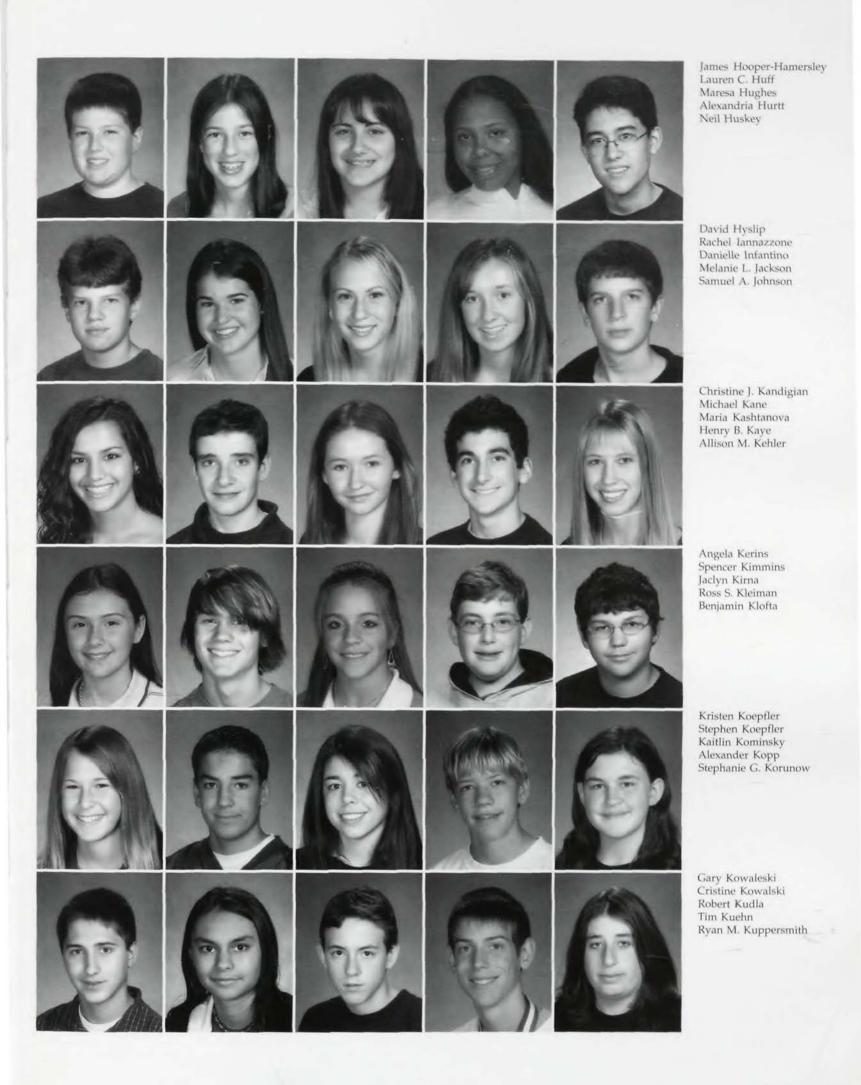




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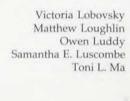
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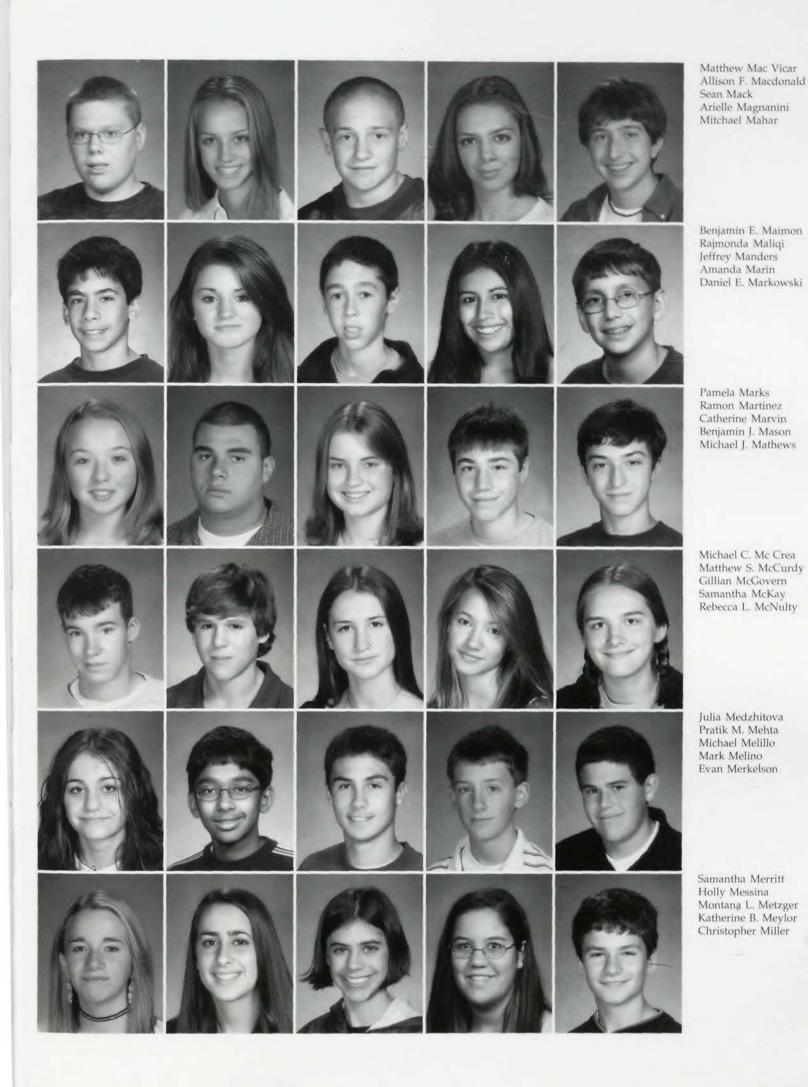




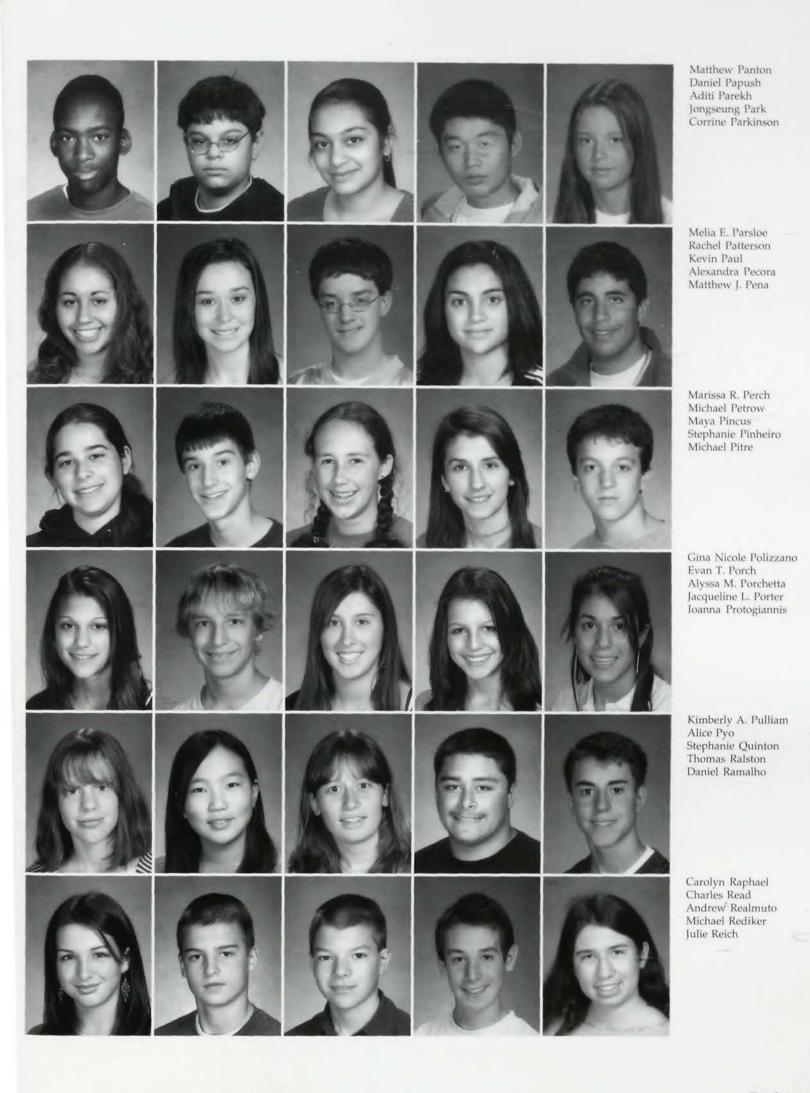




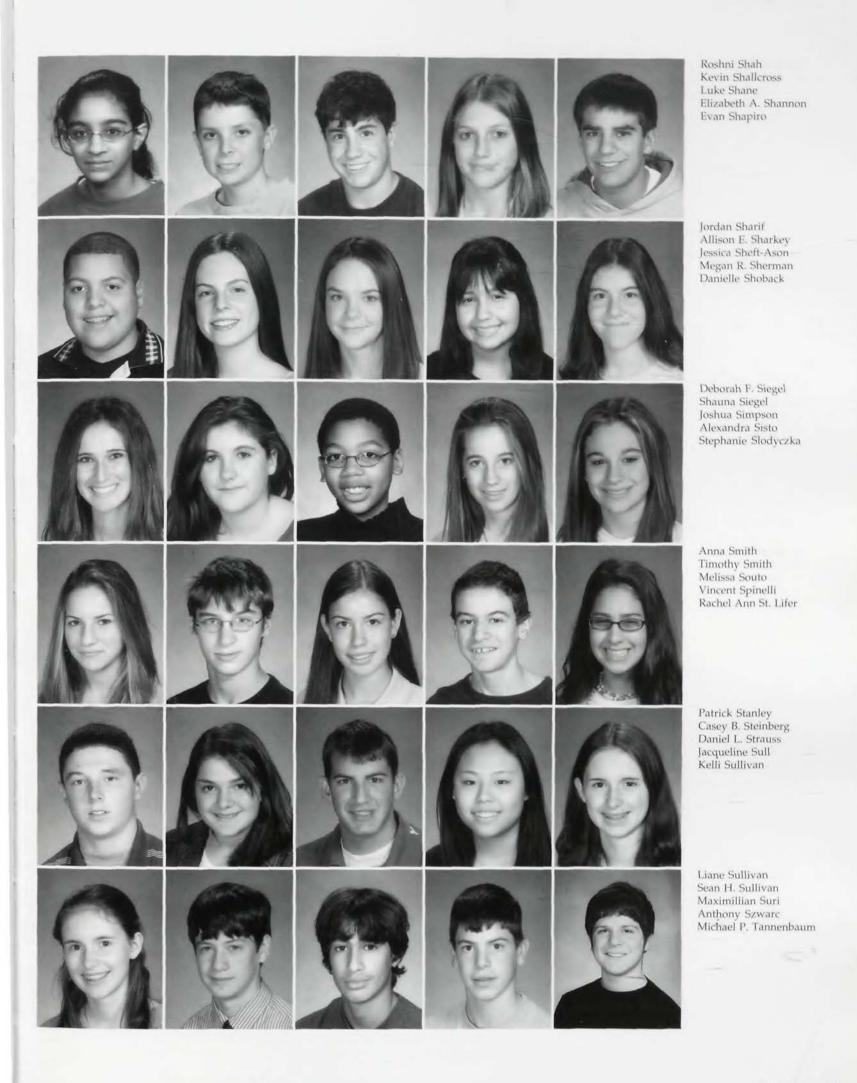




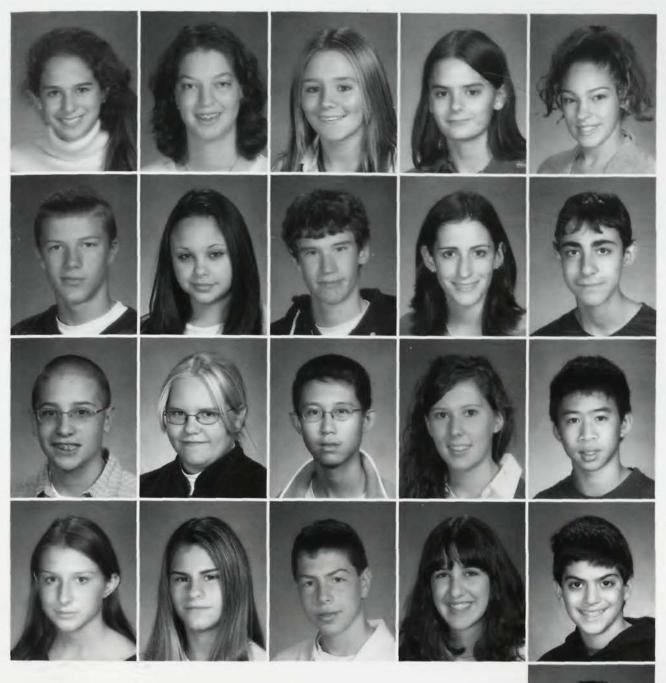
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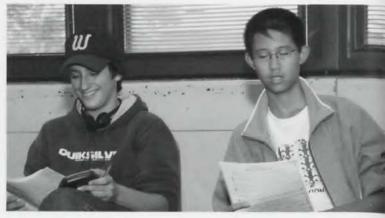
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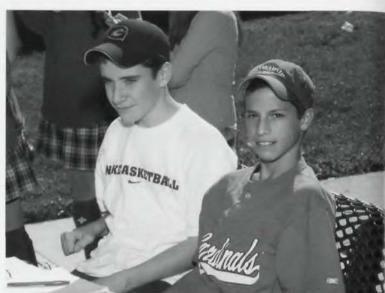
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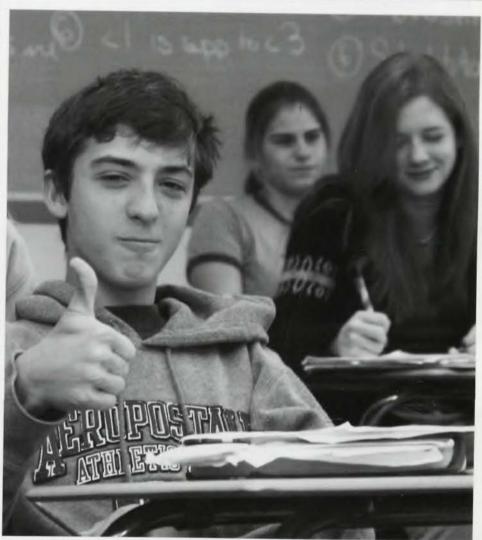












WHS life

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In the way we connect with students; engage their beliefs; and share new ideas. Relevance manifests itself in the way we connect with students; engage them in dialogue; value their perspectives; and respect their opinions. These two components of education are paramount to the learning that occurs in the classrooms of Westfield High School. The standards of rigor and relevance that we achieve are a tribute to our dedicated, ambitious, and open-minded teachers and students.

—Noah Tennant, Assistant Principal and Director of Guidance

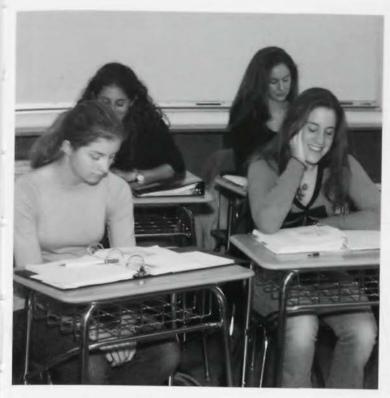






"Education's purpose is to replace an empty mind with an open one."

—Malcolm Forbes













Project'79

"Creativity is a type of learning process where the teacher and pupil are located in the same individual."

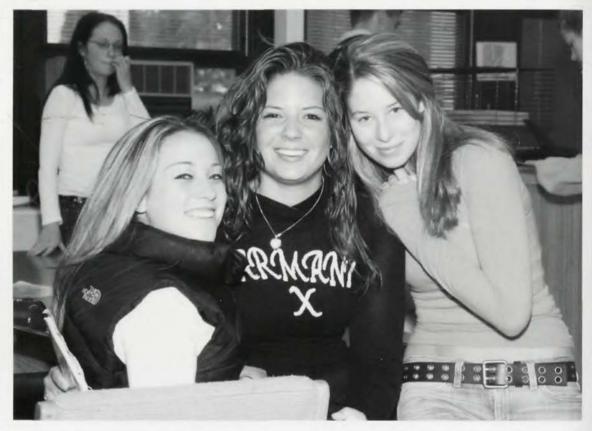
Arthur Koestler

Project '79 creates a different kind of learning for students at Westfield High School. The class size is much smaller than the average class size, building a stronger bond between classmates and teachers. According to Tamara Handy, "To the teachers in project, there is no limit to the achievements of their students. They make us want to learn and support us as we grow. They encourage us to express our individuality and show us that it is okay to do so. Project is my family. I know that no matter how hard I fall, they will always be there to catch me."

Ashley Seitz, Jennifer Connors, and Chelsea Saggio relax in the famous project room.

Before Bridget Martucci reaches for her pen, she looks up to cast her radiant smile.







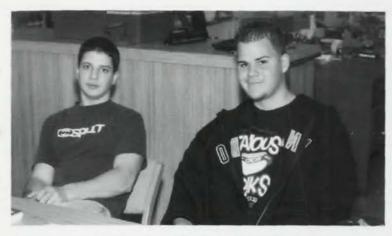
Cameron Wong, Bridget Martucci, and Evan Frankel diligently work on their project.



Pamela Church relaxes before going to her next class.

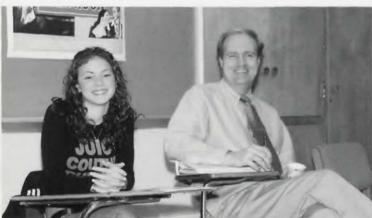


Tamara Handy proofreads her English paper while enjoying a cup of coffee.









Angela Parisi and Mr. Jacobsen discuss the concept of imaginary numbers.

Above: Christine Sturrat and Tammy Zurwawa smile because they earned an A+ on their presentation.

Adam Nassirpour and Matt Gonzalez enhance their learning experience through a discussion on the homework readings.

Middle Left: Jeff Cornell cannot be disturbed as he searches for information on Ulysses S. Grant.

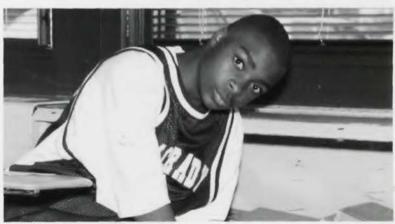


Sara Metwaly engages in deep thought after reading the question of the day on the board.

Christian Colon expresses his happiness for Fridays.







Jaawell Faggins reaches for his calculator to complete his math assignment.

Above: Pam Wilson and Kory Singhbaba begin working on their skit together.

English

"The English language is nobody's special property. It is the property of the imagination: it is the property of the language itself."

—Derek Walcott

Biglish is not just about writing, grammar, reading, and analyzing. During English, students can escape their lives and travel to different lands, joining the characters on their adventures. For example, in freshman English, one can vicariously travel to Central Park with Holden Caulfield in Catcher in the Rye, while in junior year, one can journey down the Mississippi River with Huck and Jim in The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn. Teachers work tirelessly with students to allow them to express their ideas through essays and explore their imagination through individual creativity.

Mr. Silbergeld listens intently to a student's comment during a class discussion.

Anne Gallagin is taking diligent notes on whether *To Kill a Mockingbird's* Tom Robinson is guilty or not.





William Beshears laughs at the commments being made in class while Joshua David thinks of a way to join into the discussion.

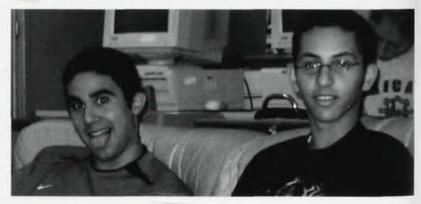
Right: Nicole Venezia takes a break from socializing and travels into the world of Finny and Gene at Devon School in A Separate Peace.





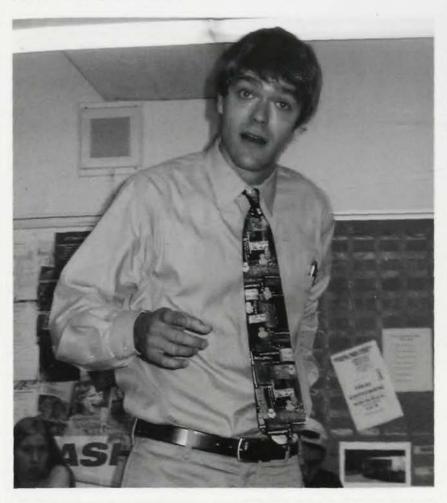


Mr. Horn answers a last minute question before Bridget Martucci walks into class.



Patrick Rizk and Mark Doss let out their silly sides before they sit down to do an intense close reading for their English class.

Mr. Horn paces around the classroom waiting for a comment that makes him stop in his tracks.





Elizabeth Shannon, Cathryn Winchester, Bethany Verdone, and Jessica Anderson are collaborating to discuss ideas for their presentation on book themes.

Brady Lau is making Jessie El Koury, Jamie Elbaum, Jessica Schor, and Natasha Carlos swoon by reading them the romantic words of William Shakespeare's sonnets.

Language. Not to conjugate, alliterate, punctuate but to bounce, a ball of uneven habits dictated only slightly by gravity's theories, though verbals can be blocks with which to play, though the thesaurus is a good place for giggles as well as reference; and it's not deference to the craft that put that semicolon there, though there was influence maybe from that teacher who ran on about the run-on. Language will run on. It's a craft of course but a craft to eat, a humanity of jell-o or pie, sticky as sponge-cake, hard-lidded as some crotchety hero's tomb, a hero whose name won't be remembered, not now. Five years from now, when she's referenced in a newspaper article about a war. Language now is knuckle-down-to essays in the late night green screen glow, it's organic naughty grogginess of the wandering mind. But language is okay with this not because of Oepidus but pulled along by his Theban robe, not because of Fuller but tugged by the hairs in her nose, not because of Willy but cradled in the backseat of his car where the mind sat buzzing in recognition at itself. Biting from the loaf of language. Rising with the yeast of language. Not to whiff iffy scents of pages dog-eared with classroom dogma, not to trim neat into a box of blackboard demons but to sprawl like a city, wet and wide-eyed symphony of politics and poetry. Language there. -Katie Okamoto



Science

"The whole of science is nothing more than a refinement of everyday thinking." -Albert Einstein

he Science Department offers students a glimpse into the wonders of nature by teaching the makeup of the atom, the structure of the earth, and even the laws that govern the universe as seen through the formal study of biology, chemistry, environmental science, earth science and physics. In the high school's new science wing, instruction incorporates many technologies such as the Smart Boards and laptops...as students are guided to the new and old truths. Data acquistion in science laboratory experiments includes the time-honored "wet lab techniques" but now sometimes the power of the computer and digital probes is added to the collection of lab data. Temperatures can be measured accurately even during rapid reactions— measuring temperature accurately many times per second! Data analysis software permits students to display data immediately in graphical form. Analysis tools allow students to measure slopes and areas and then to repeat experiments to try out new ideas or test hypotheses.

Dr. David Stoneback

Kaitlin Gorman works efficiently on the task given for the day.

Evan Falk attempts to balance the chemical equation.

Gabrielle Blitz carefully copies down the periodic table into her notebook.

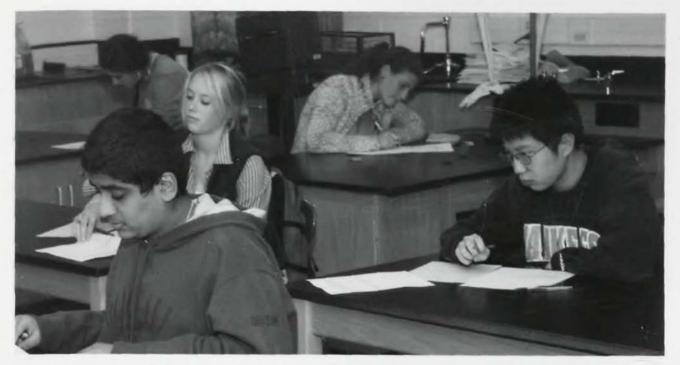






Bryan Skorge explains to Jonathan Herttua some differences between the birds of the animal kingdom.





In biology, students concentrate to perform their best on the assignment.







Alison Rodino explains a challenging problem to her partner Steven Lynes.

Middle: Jessica Stromer looks through her notes to try and find the molar mass of methane gas.

Middle left: Jonathan Tannenbaum is testing the properties of a very common compound, H₂O.

Laryssa Borkowsky and Amanda Diaz smile at the teacher's joke.

Math S

"For the things of this world cannot be made known without a knowledge of mathematics." - Roger Bacon

Alvin Reaves finishes his classwork.

No one has ever been more excited about math than Matthew Shaffer.

Brittney Herron waits for the bell to ring.







Left: Allison Clancy tries to dodge the camera but does a little dance instead.





Right: John Boyle contemplates how to solve the problm at hand.

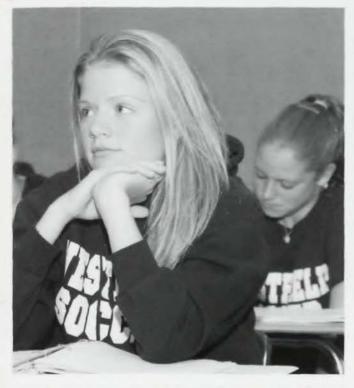


Bryan Elsasser confidently solves the problems, sure to pass his fest.



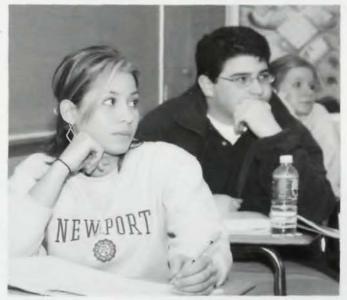
Mr. Jacobsen teaches his class the fundamentals of math.

Alyson Ludmer contemplates the problem and thinks of the possible solutions.





he Math Department this year has been working with their students to help them in reaching their highest potentials in their studies. Mathematics consists not only of numbers but requires maintaining a balance between rational thought, calculations, the use of technology, as well as writing responses. The department this year has aimed at teaching students that process is more important than answers. Here at WHS, math educators would like students to understand the importance of thinking through problems rather than just memorizing. Ms. Dix, a well-respected and experienced teacher, believes, "Math is not a spectator sport. Without practice, there is no mastery."



Left: Alexandra Annis raises her hand racking up the participation points for the day.

Right: Annette Baez, Jeremy Berk, and Courtney Franco listen attentively to their teacher.



Terell Shaw clears his mind before a math test by listening to music, while Patrick Thomson waits for the test in silent meditation.



Chelsea Saggio and Christina Daly are hard at work on their difficult math packet.

Social Studies

"Success does not consist in never making mistakes but in never making the same one a second time." — George Bernard Shaw

Monica Harris enthusiastically listens to the class discussion.



Lin the past, present, and future. It also exposes students to the customs, traditions, and history of our nation and foreign nations. With everything from AP European History to African American History offered, every corner of the world becomes fair game in a WHS Social Studies classroom.

Ms. Stark entertains her AP US class with an engaging lecture.

Right: Stephanie
Lopes and
Jacqueline Wendel
sit in class,
amazed to learn
that in 1492,
Columbus sailed
the ocean blue.







Elizabeth Strickland takes notes on the topic being discussed while enjoying.



Tara O'Donahue and Allison Clancy review their notes and listen intently to a lesson about the US Constitution.



Michelle Morowski takes a break from her studies to smile for the camera.

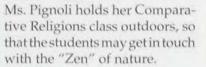
Richie Hughes, Erin Cooper, and Micheal Oliff ponder one of history's many mysteries.

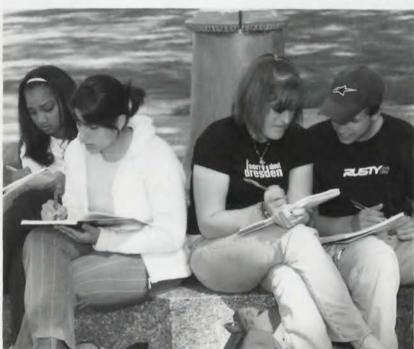


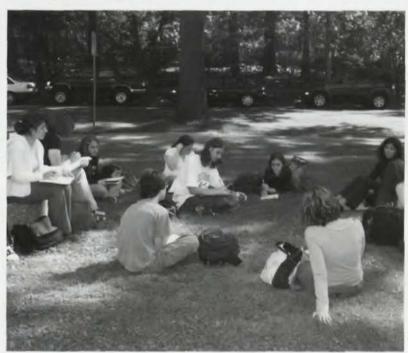
Amanda Cohen finds her social studies class most amusing.

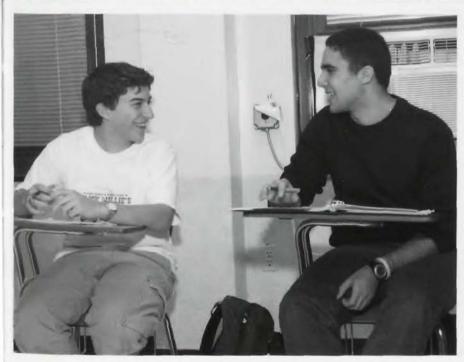


Middle: Andrea Colbert, Leah DiMatteo, Chelsea Carlson, and Daniel Jekelis work together on a history project.

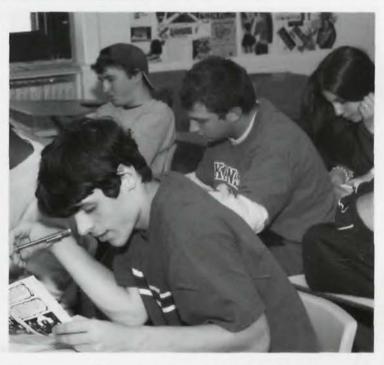








In the middle of history class, James McCabe and Patrick Risk stop to have a stare down.



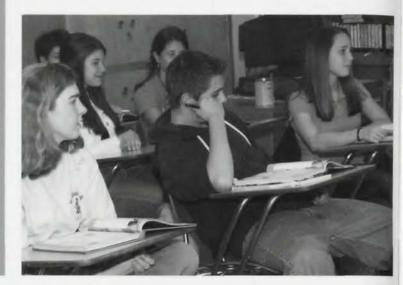
Christopher Hild, Andrew Levy, and Garrett Cockren concentrate on their assignment.

Foreign Language

"A little learning is a dangerous thing; drink deep or taste not the Pierian spring."-Alexander Pope

Department designs its curriculum to prepare students to be true international citizens. Students graduate with the foundation to become fluent speakers in the language they chose to study. Creating a culturally enriched environment within the classrooms, teachers work with students to help develop their linguistic skills and knowledge of the history. America is a salad bowl of various cultures, through the Foreign Language program students become more familiar with the backgrounds of the people that surround them.

Les eleves ecoutent attentivement leur professeur de langue.







Shane Strano: Ich bien ein Meister in allen Sprachen! Lauren Weiner: Aber nicht so gut wie ich!

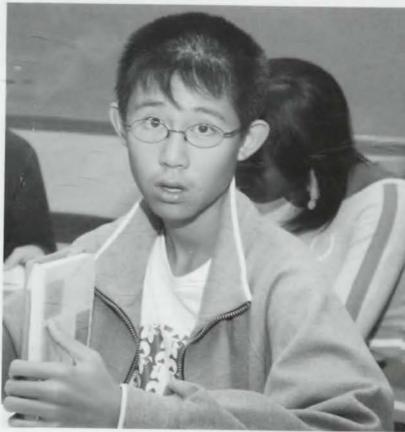
Above: Robin Streit, Danielle Parkinson y Dana Spass aprenden sobre los aztecas en la clase de Senora Calimano.



Kelly Dohm se precipite pour prendre des notes

Verwirrt, Tianyou Xu sieht von seinem Buch auf, um auf die Kamera zu sehen.







La Senora Corlett se prepara para devolver los papeles a sus estudiantes.





Benjamin Zakrin, Chloe E. Cherin, Emily Kieczykowski et Valerie Keil regardent leur professeur qui ecrit au tableau.

Middle Right: Joseph Linares, Brent Curcio, Catherine Porta, Tyrell Simmons passen gut auf, wenn sie neue Worter lernen.

Gym & Health

Wisdom is to the mind what health is to the body. - François De La Rochefoucauld

Physical Education is a class where students engage in activities that are mentally stimulating, physically satisfying, and fun. In 9th grade, students work cooperatively to tackle challenges such as Leo's Crossing and the Smoke Stack in Project Adventure. Sophomores focus on the principles of fitness, while juniors and seniors challenge each other in a variety of individual and team sports. Of course, no PE experience would be complete without a chance to experience Luckey's candy, a Leonow challenge or Lima's wall push-ups.

Our health curriculum is a comprehensive family living health program which provides all students an opportunity to develop a greater understanding and appreciation of life and good health. In ninth grade, students actively participate in the DARE drug education program and the Transition Project, while also discussing basic health topics. Sophomores and Juniors further explore sexuality, relationships, the importance of decision making, and human development. As twelfth graders, students explore how to make healthy choices as they prepare to graduate high school.

Danielle Fried looks hesitant to participate in the class activity.



Upper Left: Christina Collucci starts the volleyball game with a powerful serve.

Upper Right: Agustina Healy takes a moment from the game to smile for the camera.

Lower Left: Zoe Zachariades concentrates hard while learning the steps of CPR.

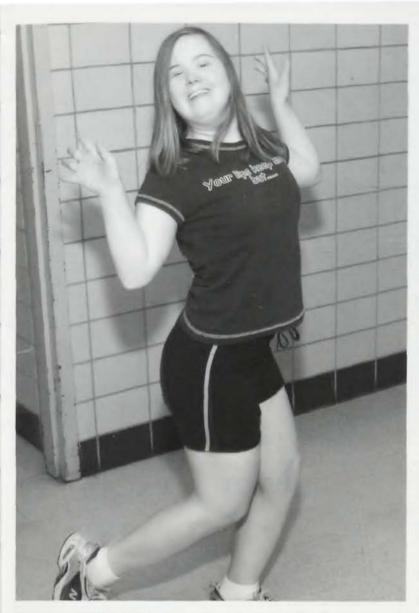
Lower Right: Bailey Verdone shows off her volleyball skills during an intense game in gym.





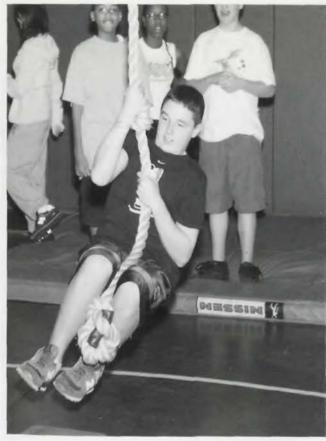
Ms. Kolesar humors Bryan Skorge with her fake hand, bringing the class alive.

Lauren Mitchell prances her way into gym class.

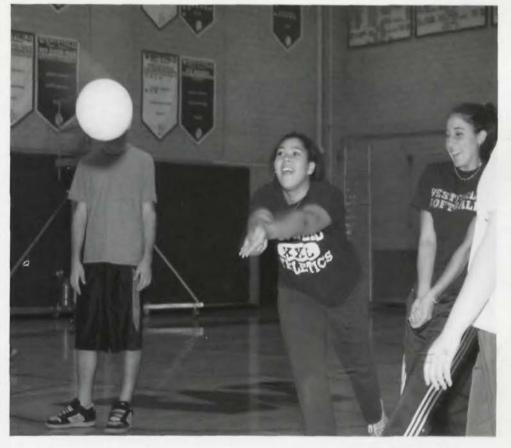


Mr. Everly uses the laptops during his senior health class.





Patrick Stanley swings across the gym floor, while in Project Adventure.



Karolyn Cook dives to bump the ball.

Art and Drama

"Acting is not being emotional, but being able to express emotion." - Kate Reid

eorge Baselitz once said, "What counts most is finding new ways to get the world down in paint on my own terms." While studying art and drama in WHS you can express yourself on your own terms with the guidance of our helpful faculty. You can do everything from sketching a quick cartoon character to mastering the lines of a Shakespearean play. Art and drama allow you to leave the real world for 43 minutes of the day and enter the world of imagination.

Middle right: Steven Lynes seeks help from Mrs. Schwartenburg

Ashley Current and Courtney Franko create detailed self portraits.

Brian Skorge and Joseph Simone relax for a moment during art class.



Isabelle Encarnacion tries very hard to keep her focus.





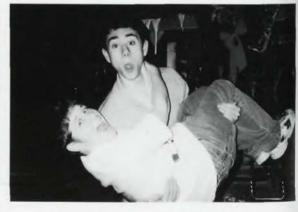
Heather Welham is unraveling a piece of ribbon for her project.





Mrs. Sonnek reads Megan Valenti's pop-up book.

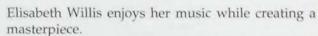




Michael Tannenbaum jumps with joy into the arms of Alexander Forstenhausler, knowing that their work is over for the day!



Timothy Smith and Julie Greener diligently work with their artistic skills.









Arielle Smelkinson, Georgia Mierswa, Stephanie Christiano playfully taunt Aaron Eisenburg.

Middle left: Jessica Minsky and Jennifer Metz enthusiasically tell Jana Goldfarb that "A Junkyard Christmas Carol" is coming to town.



Nicole Finkel and Jaclyn Kirna smile for the camera as they paint colorful scenes.

Music

"Music expresses that which cannot be said and on which it is impossible to be silent."
- Victor Hugo

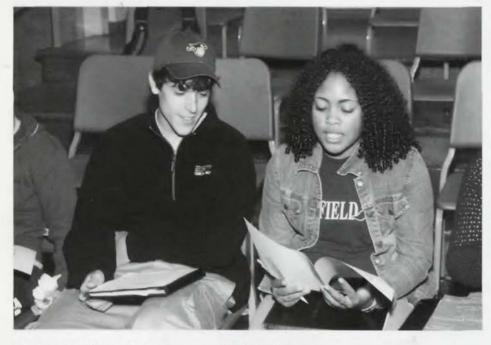
Istorically, the music curriculum at WHS has been very strong. WHS students have been members of various regional and statewide bands, orchestras, choirs, and other music groups for decades. Thanks to the community's support for the vocal and instrumental programs, this strong musical tradition continues today. The variety of music classes offered at WHS is astounding. They include two levels of orchestra, three levels of band, two levels of writing and arranging music, and five choirs ranging from freshman chorus to the Choraleers. Featured in these pages are the young musicians who have contributed their talents to WHS, as instrumentalists, as vocalists, and even as budding composers.

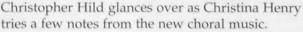
Virgina Stroup's concentration never wavers during a difficult flute passage.

Far right: Interrupted from a discussion, Mr. William Mathews poses alongside Mr. Raymond Wojcik for a quick picture.



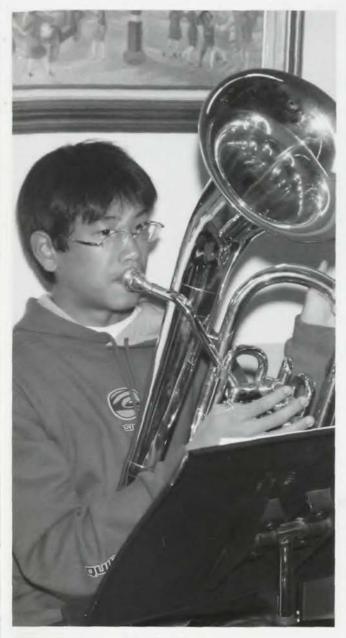








Chamber orchestra newcomers Tiffany Yang, Hannah Weisman, Tessa Schaaf, and Timothy Hou are performing Handel's Concerto Grosso in D minor.

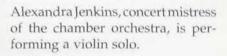






Top right: Maurice Blackmon and Emily Greenberg take a break from their rehearsal of Three Spanish Christmas Carols.

Far left: Tuba player Narihiko Wantanabe warms up during a band rehearsal.





Something amusing has left Danielle Partenope and Lauren Couture torn between playing and chuckling.

Computers "Technology Happens." - Andrew Grove

s the cyber world expands with each passing moment, Westfield High School finds ways to access this new and important information. From purchasing new programs, to signing up for new encyclopedia subscriptions, the high school is always hooked up to the latest in the world of computer technology. WHS offers a variety of computer courses as well as computer labs throughout the school and several laptop computers; students will learn with technology at their fingertips.

Mark Burkhardt and Alex Zierler smile at the fascinating facts that they just learned while exploring the world-wide web.



Josh Wasserman edits his paper one more time to make sure that it is perfect.





Far Right: While Justin West works on his assignment, he cannot spare a moment's glance from the computer screen.



Rachel Ackerman gazes intently at her computer screen while contemplating the details of her next paper.



Robert Mroz and Jaclyn Lack flash charming smiles while they wait for their computer to boot up.

Television

"Watch us - we're watching you!" -KDCG TV 22



he television elective class is an option at Westfield High School that allows students to practice filming, editing, and producing extravagent forms of art in their own ways. It is available for all students in any grade. Students without even knowing how to push the play button on a camera, leave with a brain full of new knowledge about television. You'd be amazed at their final productions! Dr. Burns says, "To be successful in anything you must aim your arrow above the bull's-eye."





Above: Jason Anderson and Michael Diaz are interested to find out what their teacher has to say.

Far left: Michael Adamcik, Timothy Adamsick, and Shane Edwards are editing their most recent film, making any possible improvements.

Right: Dr. Burns is explaining his plans to fullfill another successful period.



Peter Basler edits the final copy of a student movie.



Dr. Burns checks his class attendance before beginnning the lesson.

Foods

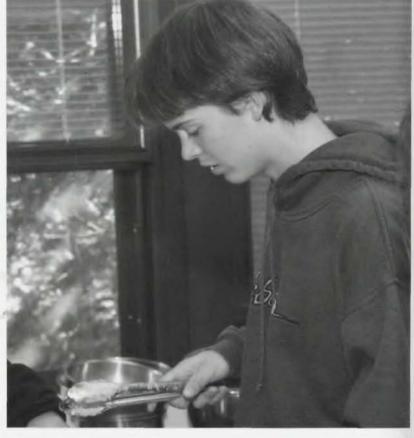
"I feel a recipe is only a theme, which an intelligent cook can play each time with a variation." - Madae Benoit

Hoods is one of the most favored electives in Westfield High School. It offers a beginners class called Modern Foods and a more advanced class called Gourmet foods. Mrs. Philpot and Mrs. Diller, the foods teachers, teach students how to follow recipes and create scrumptious snacks.

Samantha Vitale is actually enjoying washing dishes.

Jameson Lipe patiently waits to mix the salad.



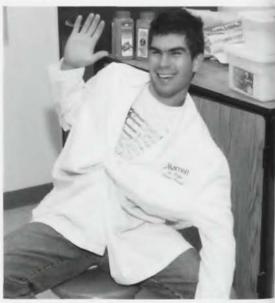




Brian Davidson skillfully uses his tongs to remove the food from the pan.



Brendan Smith is taking a taste test of his tasty creation.



Seth Davidson relaxes while he anxiously awaits the buzzer.

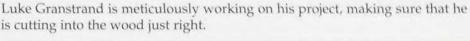
Woods

"To accomplish great things, we must not only act, but also dream; not only plan, but also believe." - Anatole France

Voods is one of the many excellent elective classes in Westfield High School. In woodworking one you learn how to use all of the machines and complete simple projects, and in woodworking two you learn how to complete more complex projects and advance in your previously learned skills. After you complete woodworking one and two you can do an indepentant study where you spend a whole year on what you want to do. Mr. Hart can teach you how to properly use all of the machines in the woodshop, while also learning how to keep safe.



James Adams and Matthew Amato are making sure that they sand their project with the grain so it will have a smooth finish.



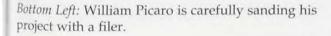






Christopher Pinheiro uses a carving tool on the lathe to add detail to his project.

Middle: Mr. Hart is giving Justin Wolf suggestions on how to plan out his project.





His Eye

"Imagination is more important Than knowledge. Knowledge is limited. Imagination encircles The world." - Albert Einstein

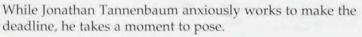
"'If it's Friday and there's school, there will be Hi's Eye." As one of few weekly newspapers in the cnty, the WHS population waits each week for a glimpse into the work of a 40-person staff which devotes round-the-clock hours to one goal. From late-night blank spaces on deadline's eve to covering sensitive issues in an ethical way, the Hi's Eye takes obstacles in stride and always has a great time doing it thanks to advisors, Mr. Walsh and Ms. DiBattista. Journalism I and more training in Journalism II, the opportunity to finally take part in such an outstanding tradition and work with such an amazing staff is extremely valuable."

—Neda Simaika, Tri-Editor

Jackie Burns, Annie Onishi, Brian Oxman, Michelle Kuppersmith, and Katharine Okamoto glance over this week's accomplished work.









Ms. DiBattista edits the students articles.



Sarah Masel and Annie Onishi goof off while taking a quick break from working.

Brian Dunstan, Amanda Cohen, Billy Shoenbach, Emily Macneil, and Gabrielle Blitz take one last picture, making their Hi's Eye year memorable.





Mr. Walsh gladly looks over another almost perfect edition of Hi's Eye.



Suzanne Merkelson smiles as she gathers information to put in her article.

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Hi's Eye celebrates its 70th year.

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Making Your Assemblies Count

To the WHS Junior Class:

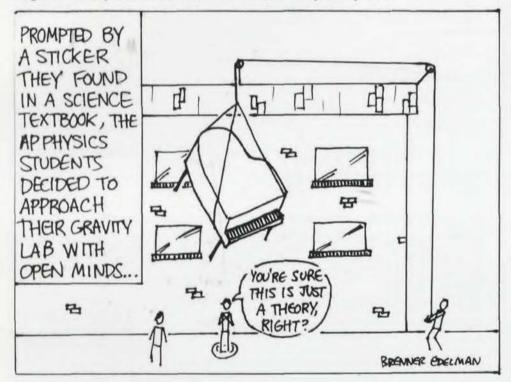
As your homeroom teachers may have informed you, you will be attending an assembly entitled "Making Your College Search Count" on Wednesday. Be sure to show up; attendance is mandatory, and your guidance counselors will be there to check.

Editorial

But that's about as much as you should oblige a Guidance Department that flatly disregarded this newspaper's warnings that the program is little more than you would expect from a free assembly: a flimsy presentation in which Making It Count - a for-profit group owned by Monster.com - collects student information to sell through a third-party to colleges eager to inundate you with emails and brochures.

Dodge Poetry Festival

"Thirty-three students from Westfield High School attended the Geraldine R. Dodge Poetry Festival in Hillsborough, New Jersey, at Duke Farms on Sept. 30. Dodge is the largest poetry event in North America, offering four days of readings, musical performances and discussion every two years."



Post-election dissolution strikes Hi's Eye

"It's not just affecting staffers, either. Hi's Eye Adviser Mr. Corey Walsh has started carrying around a mini-dry erase board.

Lighter Side

When students ask him what they need to do to get an A, Mr. Walsh breaks out the markers and starts doing outlandish calculations in red and blue eraseable ink, Tim Russert style."



Subverting pop culture Or, how I learned to stop worrying and love Britney Spears Voting is, like, hard

"Okay, I guess the election does affect me a little. Maybe I'll go put a bumper sticker on my mom's minivan - but not right now. Laguna Beach is starting."

Voters say yes to turf, track

The bond referendum to finance constructin of a new artificial tuf field and running track at Kehler Stadium passed Dec. 14.

The track and field work will cost \$1.38 million and will be paid off over 10 years. Various sports organizations in Westfield such as the WHS boys' lacrosse team and Westfield Soccer Association will also help to pay for the construction.

The vote was passed by a margin of only 75 votes.

Student data sold

The personal information of WHS students, including name, home address, approximate GPA, religious denomination and future career paths, is being provided by making it count, a program sponsored by the WHS Guidance Department, to the National Research Center for College and University Admissions, which in turn is selling the information to colleges for direct mailing.

Investigation

Both MIC and NRCCUA profit from the information as partners in the program. The information was gathered from surveys provided by MIC and handed out and collected by the WHS guidance councelors during assemblies for the current senior class last year and the freshman class on Sept. 21.

Tsunami strikes

In WHS, the Asian Awareness Club will be raising funds for tsunami relief efforts for the disaster. In Westfield, religious organizations in town are also preparing to lead the effort. Temple Emanu-El is sending out a letter to the congregation encouraging donations, St. Helens is setting up a collection and Holy Trinity is also taking up a collection this Sunday.

Political graffiti in WHS bathroom

Recently, politically-minded graffiti appeared in the stalls of the second floor girls' bathroom in the front hallway. A large peace sign decorates one door and demands "Peace in the Middle East." Another wall urges WHS girls to "Say yes to gay marriage," because "Marriage is love." Other phrases on the stalls include: "Make jokes and love, not war;" "Vote;" "Give peace a chance" and "Muralize your world."



HALF OF THE
AMERICAN PEOPLE
NEVER READ A NEWSPAPER.
HALF NEVER VOTED FOR
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THE SAME HALF.
-GORE VIDAL

Changing the world, one land-lubber at a time

The material for this spread was provided by the members of the Hi's Eye Staff and compiled by Tri-Editors Jackie Burns, Katie Okamoto and Neda Simaika, with stellar expert scanning performed by Adviser Mr. Corey Walsh.



Library: more conflict than quiet

It's the first five minutes of fifth period, and students are already filling the library. The noise builds as the librarian supervising this period circulates and approaches several tables. Her attention soon turns to four students who are standing near the computers, talking and laughing loudly. As the librarian reminds the students of the rules about conversing in the library, the students scatter, while carrying on with their misconduct. They are eventually kicked out. Several similar in-

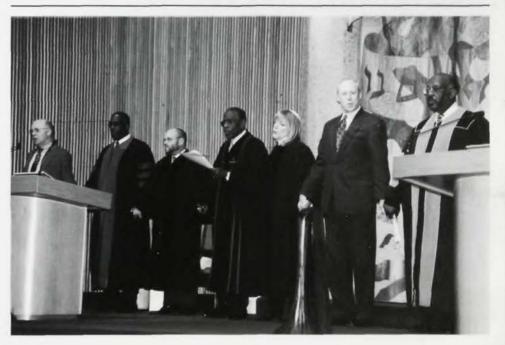
stances occur, and by the end of the period the noise is comparable to that in the cafeteria.

The library during the lunch periods has become a cause for concern for faculty and students, and not only because of noise.

Looking back on King's legacy

Historic racism in our country has caused a blemish in education. The scar of slavery, the scar of denied rights and the scar of segregation are everlasting.

-Guidance Director Mr. Noah Tennant



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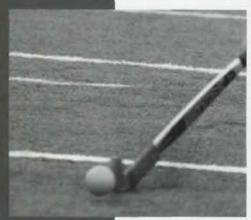
COMPETITIVE

Westfield High School offers a myriad of sports programs in which students can participate. From golf to swimming and football, there is a sport for everyone. In addittion to the school sponsored programs there are also club sports that excel as well. The devotion of our athletes is admirable and is shown through their intense workouts and willingness to compete. While we may not always win, the sportmanship and personal triumphs outlast a single defeat. The greatness of the athletes is shown through their commitment to their teammates and their love for the game. Over the course of four years, athletes are not merely teammates, but devoted friends.

—Dana Zichlin and Brian Oxman, Class of 2005



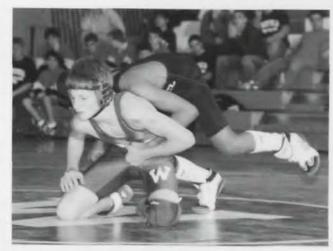




"The ultimate victory in competition is derived from the inner satisfaction of knowing that you have done your best and that you have gotten the most out of what you had to give."

Howard Cosell



















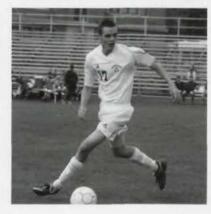












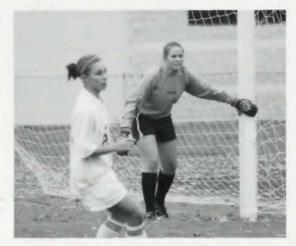


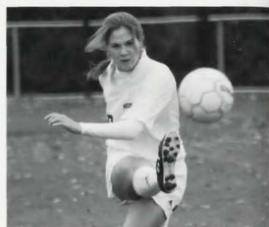
Girls Soccer

"Friendships born on the field of athletic strife are the real gold of competition. Awards become corroded, friends gather no dust."

—Jesse Owens

Miriam Becker-Cohen and Tara O'Donohue prepare for the arrival of the ball while protecting the goal.

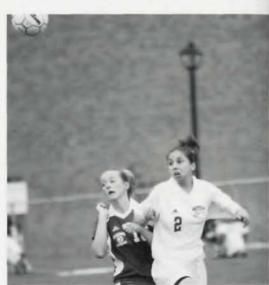




Far Right: Tri-Captain Emily MacNeil gives a powerful kick to bunt the ball and lift it away from the sidelines.

Tri-Captain Gio Palatucci skillfully and carefully dribbles the ball down the field.





Far Right: Abby Chazanow jumps in front of a Cranford player in order to head the ball for the winning goal.

"Success is proven by those who prove the impossible, possible.' This quote defines the girls varsity soccer season. As a captain, I have never been so proud to play with twenty-two other girls. As a team we were able to accomplish many goals. We made it to the county semi-finals and the state sectional finals. The team became more than just teammates by the end of the season; we were all friends. Good luck next year girls."

—Tri-Captain Stephanie Bridgman

"The 2004 soccer season was extremely successful. Although we did not win any championship titles, we advanced further in both the county and sectional championships. The team came together to win important victories over rivals and to overcome obstacles throughout the season. The girls never gave up even when we were faced with difficult circumstances and everyone proved to be dedicated and competitive members of the team."

—Tri-Captain Emily MacNeil

"Despite a rough start this team pulled out a great season from an extremely tough schedule. Our successes did not come solely from the eleven on the field but from the twenty-four girls working together as a unit. Never have I seen players with such heart and fierce determination. They are all leaders, and I leave knowing that they can and will achieve even higher standards of excellence."

—Tri-Captain Gio Palatucci



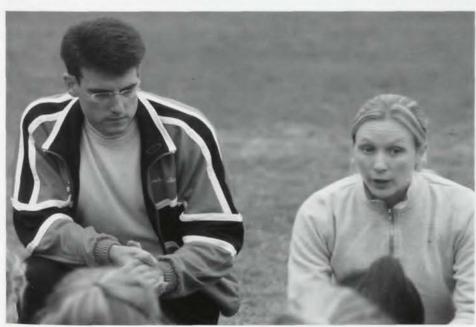
Girls Varsity Soccer Team, 2004-2005. Top Row: Coach Egan, Abby Chazanow, Diana Dunnan, Mary-Kate Luker, Sarah Dobson, Emily MacNeil, Alyson Ludmer, Alison Bridgman, Coach Paradise. Middle Row: Marilyn Mench, Andrea Hollander, Giovanna Palatucci, Stephanie Bridgman, Gillian Kape, Danielle Fried, Megan Kealy, Lauren Campo, Erica Ammermuller. Bottom Row: Erin McCarthy, Miriam Becker-Cohen, Lauren Sinnenberg, Tara O'Donohue, Claire Bennett, Stephanie Cortinhal, Julie Shelman.





Tri-Captain Stephanie Bridgman takes a step back from the ball to gain the power to *Bend it Like Beckham*.

Far Left: Julie Shelman prepares to intercept her opponent's pass as her teammates cheer her on from the sidelines.



Coach Paradise and Coach Egan give the girls a pep talk before their next game.



Members of the Girls Varsity Soccer Team cool off while watching their teammates play the rest of the game.

Boys Soccer

"Do you know what my favorite part of the same is? The opportunity to play." - Mike Singletary

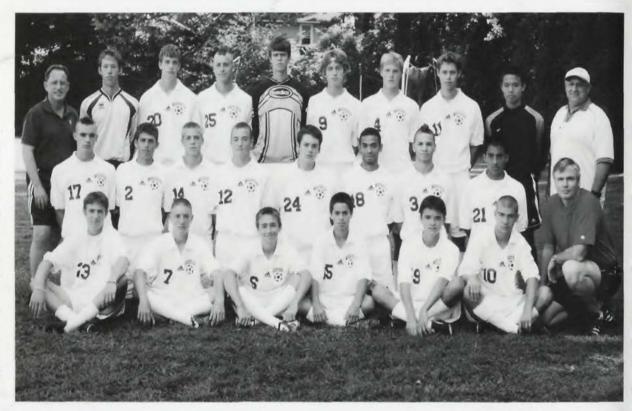
The guys on the team worked hard and continued to fight through the very last minute. That, not our record, defined the team. Our tenacity and refusal to quit made us stronger as a unit and enabled us to keep pushing foward. Even though the team was struggling, each player continued to dedicate his time and brought a positive attitude to the team. Our moral never dropped, and our confidence in each other never faltered. Best of luck to the 2005 team and next year's captains Tom Taylor, Kyle Fleming, and Jeff Thomashow.

- Jeffrey Greenlaw, Tri-Captain

Top Row: Coach George Kapner, Jeffrey Greenlaw, Joseph Geissler, Christopher Mattes, Tyler Maccubbin, Richard Scialabba, Gregory Speir, Brady Lau, Alexander Kao, Asst. Coach Dr. Shapiro.

Middle Row: Steven Lynes, William Schoenbach, Thomas Parkinson, Thomas Fringer, Kyle Fleming, Victor Nolasco, Jeffrey Thomashow, James Gutierrez, Asst. Coach Chris Carson.

Bottom Row: Thomas Tresnan, Matthew Melino, Vincent Clark, Jonathan Ramalho, Daniel Noonan, Thomas Taylor.





Jonathan Ramalho speeds ahead on a breakaway as the enemy closes in.

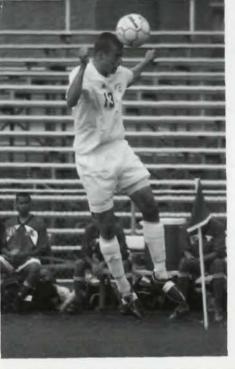


Sometimes it takes more than just soccer moves to obtain the ball.



Thomas Taylor clashes with an opponent to wrestle the ball away.

Christopher Mattes heads to score.



Left Middle: During a water break, the boys rest up before the next quarter.

Left Bottom Middle: Thomas Tresnan aggressively dodges the defense for possession of the ball.

Below: Thomas Taylor dribbles the ball as he contemplates who he will pass it to.







Brady Lau blocks an opponent while preparing to send the ball upfield to a teammate.



Thomas Parkinson hops over the goalie to prevent a traumatic collision.



Jeffrey "Goalie" Greenlaw makes a sweet save!

Girls Tennis

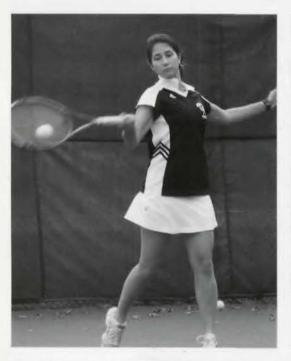
"Tennis is a perfect combination of violent action taking place in an atmosphere of total tranquility." -Billie Jean King

Pespite the graduation of many key players, the 2004 Girls Tennis team had an extremely successful season. The team was able to win the Conference Championships and place second in the Union County tournament. The girls' team spirit always remained high and an optimistic attitude was always present throughout the season. With the loss of only one senior, the girls are hoping to be as successful next year, as they were this year.

- Michelle Morawski, Captain

Girls Tennis, 2004-2005. *Top Row:* Coach Ed Tirone, Jennifer Nemeth, Nicole Reich, Kelly Seeger, Lindsay Ryan, Tiffany Cayado, Megan Camillo, Allison Fleder, Kaitlyn Gorman, Lisa Aliche, Kate Kovalenko, and Ms. Cabralis. *Bottom Row:* Neha Limaye, Alexandra Annis, Hannah Weisman, Shayna Gearhart, Rachel Louie, Jessica Bender, Lane Maloney, Michelle Morawski, Lindsay Goldberg, Meredith Kender, and Kimberly Morawski.





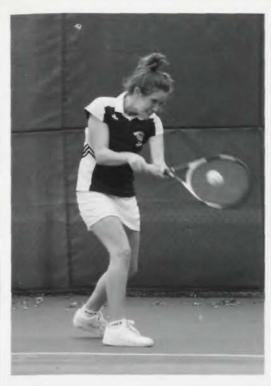
Lane Maloney shows the proper way how to hit a tennis ball.



Meredith Kender sprints to try and get the ball in time to hit it back over the net.



Jessica Bender gives a hair swinging serve in hopes of getting an ace.

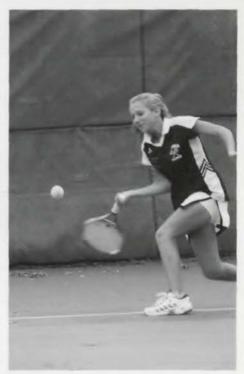


Left: Allison Fleder grins as she knows that her shot is a powerful one.

Center: Kimberly Morawski focuses on hitting the ball over the net.

Right: Lindsay Goldberg hopes she makes it to the ball in time to give a good volley.

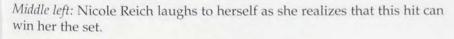












Bottom left: Michelle Morawski swings at the ball with all her might to be crowned Queen of the Court.



Middle right: Rachel Louie makes excellent contact with the ball to earn a match point.

Bottom right: Megan Camillo goes for a back swing to score 40-love.

Football

"In life as in a football game, the principle to follow is: Hit the line hard."

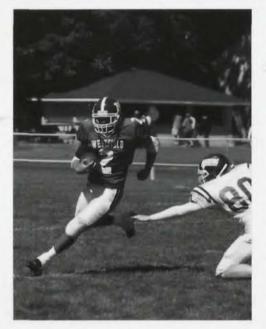
—Theodore Roosevelt

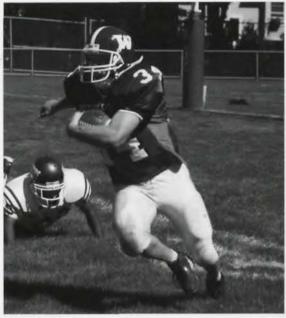
Then I reflect on my many years of playing football, I can honestly say it has been a great experience. As a member of the WHS Football team, I developed a variety of life skills such as the significance of working together as a team, the significance of patience, and the significance of productive practices. Most importantly, though, I value the friendships I made over the years. Although this season had some disappointing moments to me as well as my fellow teammates, I hope next year's team captains can bring the team to victory while having as much fun as we did this year.

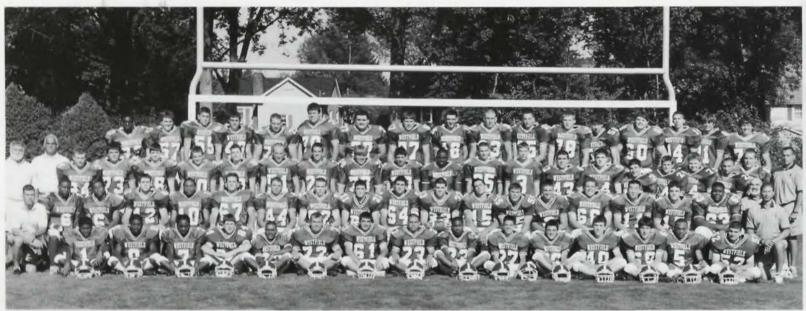
-Marc Dowling, Co-Captain

Thomas Del Duca escapes the opponent swiftly running toward the end zone.

Right: Andrew Shaffer tightly grasps the ball as he avoids his opponent.

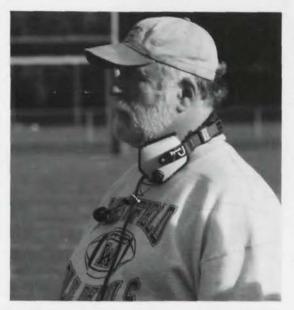






Football Team, 2004. Back Row: Terrell Shaw, William Harbaugh, Michael Adamcik, Kyle Zeitounian, Santo Nardi, Samuel Crawford, Cowles Stewart, Andrew Petrsoric, Nicholas DeRosa, Matthew Ince, Robert Mroz, Erik Anderson, Joshua Friedman, John Thomas Sheehan, Christopher Byrne, Ryan Sharkey, Joseph Schurig. Upper Row: Coach Ronald Barner, Coach Edward Tranchina, Andrew Shaffer, Peter Protogiannis, Mark Burkhardt, Andrew Brunhoffer, John Gagliano, Timothy Dohm, Eric Scrudato, Zachary Bullek, Zachary Deegan, Tyrell Simmons, Sean Ferro, Mark Boyd, Ryan Yarusi, John Meagher, Peter Cornell, Ben Thomas, Daniel Nuber, Thomas Bonard, Steve Cruikshank, Coach Joe Marino. Middle Row: Coach Ken Miller, Brandon Simmons, Fredrick Cooper, Richard Stewart, Kyle Clarke, Michael Finne, Paul Goldweitz, Matthew Barbiere, Sean Young, Diego Betancourt, Marc Dowling, Bryan Power, Jake Brandman, Thomas Del Duca, Mark Harbaugh, Samuel Kim, Michael Patella, Darrell Hopkins, Coach Joe Avena, Coach Gregory Gorski. Bottom Row: Terron Rogers, Jayshawn King, Edward Kane, Michael Henry, Daniel Johnson, John Chananie, Stephen Markowski, Davon Wise, Joseph Simone, Peter Antonelli, Christopher Patella, Bryan Levine, William Jenkins, Joseph Corea.





Left: William Harbaugh jumps up to let his teammate know he is open.

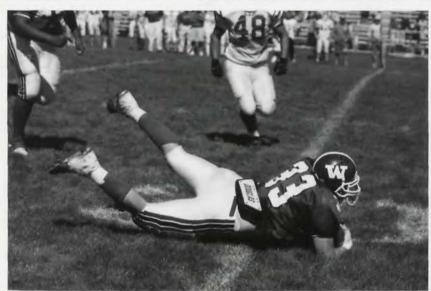
Right: Coach Ronald Barner watches the game intently as he mentally prepares his next pep talk.



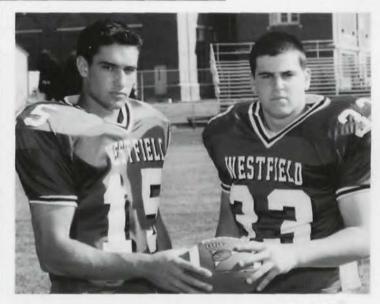


Left: The team gathers in hope to get the fourth down.

Right: Michael Patella hands off to Sam Kim hoping to gain at least ten yards on the field.



Marc Dowling guards the ball after intercepting it from the opponent.



Seniors Bryan Power and Marc Dowling end their WHS football careers by sharing the responsibilities of being captain.

Marching Band

"Life is about timing." - Carl Lewis

The Westfield High School Marching Band had an outstanding season. Its show, entitled Locomotion (music by Key Poulan), was performed during half time at each football game and in various competitions across the state, as well as in Pennsylvania. With over 100 members, the band competed in the USSBA Group 5 Division. The band prides itself on being a close-knit group with a high level of dedication, putting in hundreds of hours of practice time starting in August. We would like to thank our highly active parents' association for their continued support and our staff for their hard work and dedication; without them, we could not have accomplished all that we have.

- Lauren Nolan and Jesse Cohn, Drum Majors

The colorguard hold their poses proudly after completing a magnificent sabre toss.



Middle right: Anne Sinisi, Jameson Lipe, Danielle Partenope, and Satya Tagat halt in unison for a powerful impact moment.

The band marches onto the field before a mystifying performance.





Colorguard Captain Meaghan Fitzpatrick dances circles around Neal Nemiroff during his jazzy solo.



Junior Drum Major Jesse Cohn happily walks across the field to conduct the next part of the show.

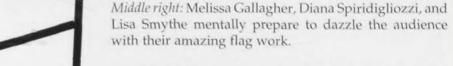
Music note: Deep in thought, Lauren Bentivegna ponders why she is stuck in the middle of a music note.





Right note: Matthew Gelmetti looks down at the xylophone to eliminate the chance of hitting a wrong key.

Left note: Chelsea Carlson and Diane Hagmann flaunt their flute skills while they play their trills.



Clarinetists, Rebecca McNulty and Ellen Ramage along with flutist, Lisa Zavetz, groove to the music.







During a halt, the entire band leans foward to amplify the effect of the form.

Michael Dibble stands at attention with the

rest of the band in tow, awaiting the com-

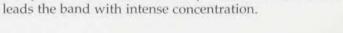
mand to start the show.



Tamara Handy and Stephanie Quinton hold their flags up high as they take the field.



All eyes are on Senior Drum Major Lauren Nolan as she



Cheerlesding

A good cheerleader is not measured by the height of her jumps but by the span of her spirit - Anonymous

It doesn't matter if during football games the team is winning or losing, the cheerleaders are always there to keep the crowd's spirit up. Their energetic and dedicated personalities are shown through out their performance as they lift teammates up into the air, keep the beat and remember their cheers.



WHS Cheerleading Squad, 2004. *Top Row*: Leah Fertig-Cohen, Ashley Freudenheim, Ryan Ferro, Samantha Anderson, Kayley Graham, Gabrael Barnes, Alyssa Lund, Caitlin Ferraro. *Middle Row*: Arielle Dance, Amanda Barone, Cristina Insinga, Kathleen Solan, Allison Johnson, Felicia Erlich, Chelsea Mendoza. *Bottom Row*: Elizabeth Riddle, Brittany Simone, Brittany Elsasser, Christina Marcus, Erin Cooper, Stephanie Lopes.

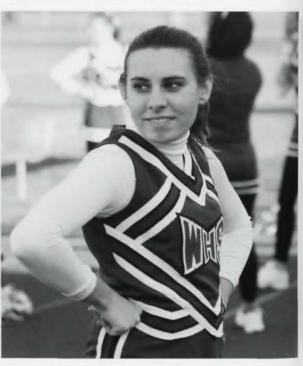


Samantha Anderson shows off her smile to the crowd.



Kathleen Solan takes a break from the spirited routine.





Top Right: Christina Marcus gets the crowd going with her new cheer.

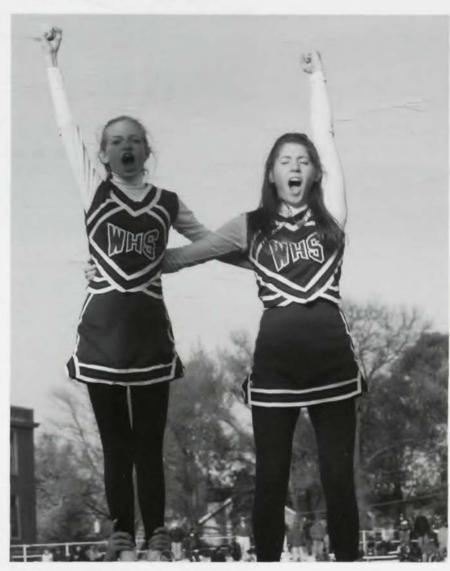
Above: Chelsea Mendoza watches the football game.

Allison Johnson and Christina Marcus look to make sure the rest of the squad is ready.

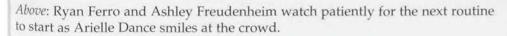
Ashley Freudenheim and Brittany Elsasser are lifted up by teammates to shout their love for WHS football.













Felicia Erlich concentrates on what move she will perform next.

Middle: Crisitina Insigna and Gabrael Barnes keep the beat while shouting their cheer.

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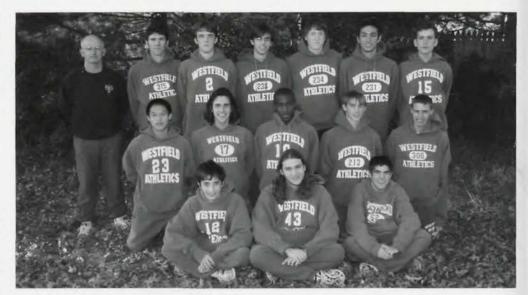
"A run begins the moment you forget you are running." - Adidas

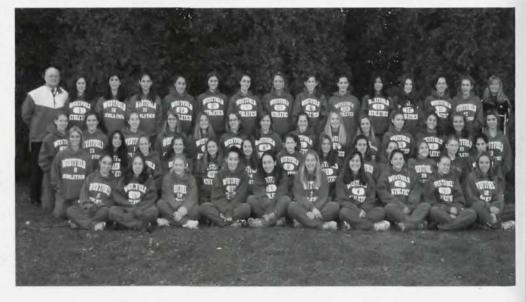
In the words of Coach Martin, "we're a team on the rise." This season, more than any other since 1997, the Westfield Boys Cross Country team regained its place among the top 20 schools in New Jersey. The 2005 teamfinished with a dual-meet record of 9 to 1 and a stunning victory over rival Scotch Plains. The Boys Cross Country Team cruised past the competition to finish 1st in Sectionals and 5th in Group 4 to qualify for the Meet of Champions. As a team, we have been more unified and more motivated than ever before, and every member in both Varsity and JV have made tremendous improvements. For the next year's cross country, the sky is the limit.

— Michael Beil, Wes Brockway, Scott Steinberg, Tri-Captains

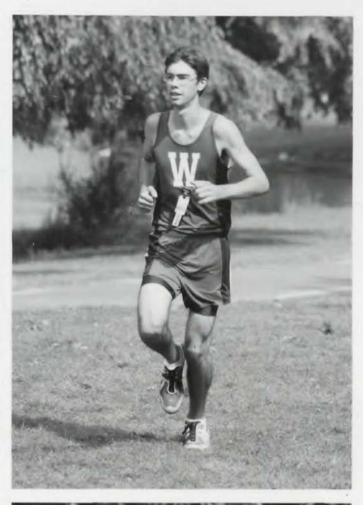
Boys Cross Country, 2004. Top row: Coach Jack Martin, Coach Christopher Tafelski, Kevin Devaney, James Hoban, Robert Broadbent, Scott Steinberg, Jeffrey Perrella. Second Row: Raymond Chen, Wesley Brockway, Ameer Rogers, Michael Gorski, Kristopher Kagan. Third Row: David Ackerman, Michael Beil, Matthew Kamel.

Girls Cross Country, 2004. Top Row: Coach Thomas Hornish, Erin McCloskey, Rachel Newberg, Rachel Mack, Kimberly Legones, Christen Ricci, Anna McGrath, Meghan Wasiak, Ayn Wisler, Jane Rutolo, Ying He, Jennifer Danlison, Amy Santoriello, Caitlin Berkowitz, Coach Jennifer Buccino. Second Row: Carrie Palumbo, Megan Driscoll, Carly Oliff, Beth Budnick, Hope Skibitsky, Josephine Reinhart, Anne Siwulec, Megan Fowler, Nikki-Lee Birdsey, Gabrielle Blitz, Jacqueline Wendel, Suzanne Merkelson, Julienne Niemiera, Erika Kettleson. Third Row: Sarah Pecker, Marissa Mumpherd, Lindsay Tishburg, Rose Driscoll, Nicole Debenideto, Charlotte Mumford, Meg Buttrick, Laura Gabriel, Jesse Solomon, Leah DiMatteo, Bena Reiter, Samantha Coulson, Jillian Hobson. Fourth Row: Liz Kline, Marissa Goldner, Josefine Eriksson, Alison Rodino, Annie Onishi, Katie Cole-Kelly, Sarah Masel, Dakota Carey, Annie Payton, Rachel Barrett.







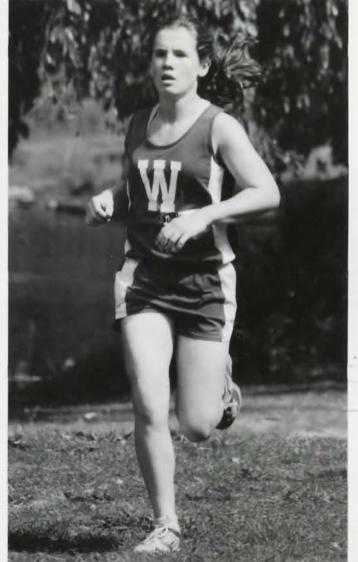


Top left: Kimberly Legones paces herself to ensure a victory.

James Hoban focuses on the path ahead.







Middle left: Jennifer Danielsson makes sure she stays two steps in front of her opponents.

Far left: Kristopher Kagan sprints to the finish line.

Rose Driscoll finishes her first lap with ease.

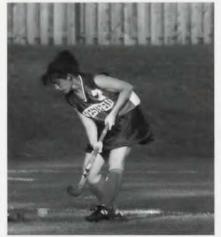
Field Hockey

"There is nothing better than the encouragement of a good friend." - Katherine Hathaway



Field Hockey Team, 2004: *Top Row*: Coach Margaret McFadden, JV Coach Molly Phelan, Jessica Ropars, Eunice Park, Christine DeSerio, Elisabeth Werner, Maura Connolly, Leigh Weissman, Kristen Materek, Rebecca Schulman, Allison Feldman, Emily Perry, Camille Hausheer, Natalia Mavrogiannis, Assistant Coach Nancy Carpenter. *Second Row*: Rebecca DeFazio, Elana Urbina, Emily Kieczykowski, Alyson Guerriero, Julie Bennett, Samantha Manetti, Michelle Markowski, Justine Cassidy, Nicole Zubizarreta, Tara Meagher, Katherine Sloan, Colleen Psomas, Andrea Turitz, Emily Ortuso. *Bottom Row*: Shanna Quackenbush, Kaitlin Fleck, Maureen Hughes, Rachel Carr, Emily Printz, Elizabeth Trimble, Christine Isabella, Amanda McQuade, Lorena Zamarelli.

Right: Lorena Zamarelli speeds up her break away while maintaining to control the ball.





Far Right: Sam Manetti dribbles down the field with only one goal in mind; to score.



Coach Margaret McFadden prepares her team for the next play in the game.



The defense prepares for the corner.

most successful of the seasons we learned the meaning of a team. We realized the effect that one person has on many, and that one positive attitude can make all the difference. Some of the most unforgettable moments were not necessarily the winning ones, but the times you could see the drive and intensity we had when we were playing. Everyone really supported one another on and off the field. The girls knew what it took, and we never walked away from a game or practice without another memory.

The season was full of disappointments, pride, hardships, victory and most of all laughter. I wouldn't change a thing. Good luck

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next year! Hoo-rah!

—Tri-captains
Elizabeth Trimble,
Lauren Purdy
and Emily Printz

Emily Printz prepares to push the ball with all her might.

The seniors of the WHS Field Hockey Team enjoyed having fun off the field as well.

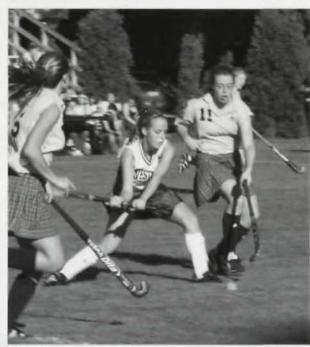
Lauren Purdy challenges her opponent for the ball.













Middle Left: Kristen Materek, Lauren Purdy and Lorena Zamarelli aggressively steal the ball.

Bottom Left: Rebecca DeFazio cleverly dodges a Ridge Player.



Middle Right: Kristen Materek winds up for her powerful hit.

Bottom Right: Lauren Purdy travels down the field, carefully making sure that no one can steal the ball away from her.

Volleyball

"What's she gonna do? Spike you to death with a volleyball?" -Mr. Belding

Pirst day of try-outs, my freshman self could only dream that four years later, my senior self would be wearing a varsity uniform. If I was asked to sum it all up in one word, it would be commitment. Through all of the practices, tournaments and games; I have grown with individuals and together we have come to comprise a team. Volleyball is a unifying sport, you can't succeed without the help of your teammates. It is for this reason that I love volleyball and will forever embrace the lasting memories that it has had on my high school career.

Olena Borkowsky, Co-Captain

Girls Volleyball, 2004-2005. *Top Row:* Jillian Olsen, Monica Dreyer, Paige Roudebush, Erin Roudebush, Kaitlyn Shulman, Kristina Fietkiewicz, and Coach Beverly Torok. *Middle Row:* Anny Wu, Anna Koehler, Molly Williams, Annette Baez, Robin Streit, and Tara Daly. *Bottom Row:* Olena Borkowsky and Lizzy Myers.



Left: Tara Daly, Anna Koehler, and Lizzy Myers are set up in position to recieve the other team's serve acting as a setter, runner, and center respectively.

Right: Molly Williams takes a second to survey the court to decide where the best place to serve the ball.





Left: Tara Daly concentrates very hard in hopes of getting an ace.

Center: Annette Baez moves to get the ball and to send it back over the net for a point.

Right: Erin Roudebush makes contact with the ball to make a powerful serve.







Right: WHS Volleyball fans are very loyal to their team and would go to great lengths just to support them, including painting the home team's name on their chests.

Bottom left: The girls gather around for a pre-game chat to discuss strategies on how to win today's game.

Bottom right: Jill Olsen smacks the ball over the net in hopes of winning the point, while Christina Fiekowicz watches in anticipation to see if there will be a volley.













Above left: The WHS Volleyball team does their pregame ritual in hopes of winning the game and pumping up the crowd.

Above right: Olena Borkowsky focuses on hitting the ball with a forearm pass, otherwise known as a bump, to send the ball flying over the net.

Right: Anna Koehler goes down onto one knee, determined to play the ball while Lizzy Myers waits behind her in her ready position.

Cymnastics

"We'll make it work together" —Vanessa Atler

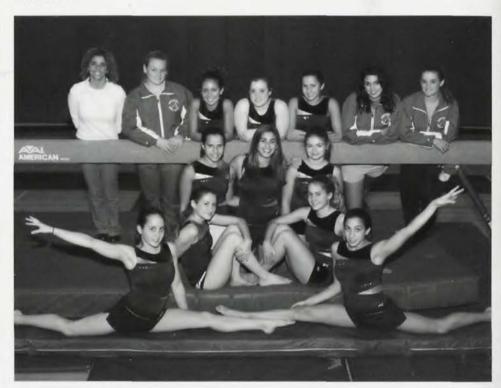
> Jessica Sussman jumps off of the spring board doing a half-on onto the vaulting table.

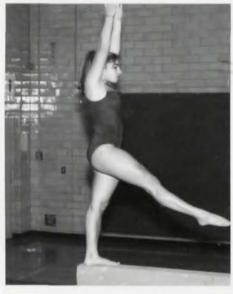
The 2004 gymnastics season was filled with solid performances by both individual competitors and the team as a whole. Although the competition season was brief due to meet cancellations, we had a victorious season. We managed to defeat our two arch rivals, Scoth Plains and Cranford, and we finished with a record of 6-2. We topped off the season with 3rd place awards in the Cougar, Union County, and Sectional Championships. In addition, Claire Macdonald and Elizabeth Falzon advanced to the State Finals where they ended the season with a BAM! This season was made even more memorable through psych parties and team dinners where we generated team spirit and celebrated our hard work and well-deserved victories.

—Co-Captians Christina Corderio and Jessica Sussman.

Girls Gymnastics Team, 2004-2005. *Back Row:* Coach Melissa Brian, Erin Mack, Amanda Diaz, Jessica Sussman, Christina Cordeiro, Krisinta Fraites, Suzanna Cross. *Middle row:* Catherine Cordeiro, Alexandra Psyhojos, Julia Valentin, Gillian McGovern, Elizabeth Falzon. *Bottom Row:* Jenna Skoller, and Claire Macdonald.











Alexandra Psyhojos skillfully performs her beam series ending with a perfect stance.



Left: Christina Cordeiro prepares herself on the balance beam to do a difficult skill without losing her balance.



Left: Jenna Skoller is on the low bar preparing her cast to jump to the high bar.

Middle Left: Elizabeth Falzon has jumped from the low bar to the high bar, swinging through in order to do a glide-kip.

Below; Amanda Diaz twists off of the vault hoping to stick her landing.











Amanda Diaz, Jenna Skoller, Claire Macdonald, Alexandra Psyhojos, Erin Mack, and Jessica Sussman take a quick break from their practice to take a snap photo.

Claire Macdonald does a cast on the high bar, then stretches out into a handstand in order to get enough swing to do giants into her dismount.

Bowling



'Those who truly have the spirit of champions are never wholly happy with an easy win. Half the satisfaction stems from knowing that it was the time and the effort you invested that led to your high achievement."

-Nicole Haislett

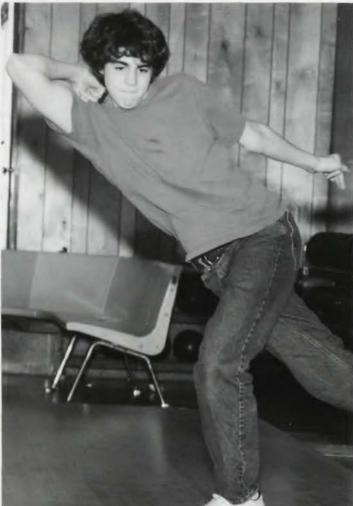
Inis year's bowling team did not expect the amount of success we accomplished during the season. After having lost three key seniors from varsity last year, it was expected that this season would be a rebuilding period for the team. Most of the bowlers were freshmen last year and only a few had experience in tournament and match play. Surprisingly, the rookie varsity members came in like veterans, and the team had an exceptional season. The team ended the season in the Watchung Conference with a 12-1 record, which resembles any of the bowling team's previous records. While the team was not as successful in tournaments, the new varsity bowlers gained some valuable experience that they will carry with them into the next season. These men, after practicing in the off-season, will most certainly be a tough team to defeat next year.

—Brian Stotter, Captain

Above: Alexander Wronski gets a running start as he releases the ball down the center lane.

Right: Eric Curialle uses his unique style to get a strike!

Middle: Zachary Rubin jumps into position to gain points for the team.



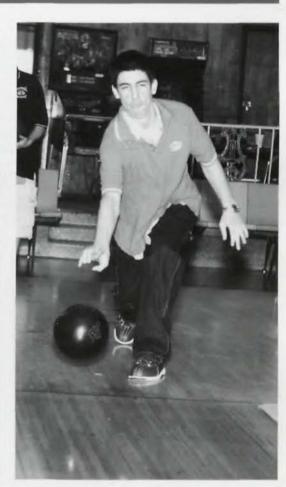




Bowling Team, 2004-2005. Top Row: Coach Tirone, Harrison Mercado, Bryan Elsasser, Brian Burkhart, Eric Curialle, Arley Rojas. Bottom Row: Tristan Bellotti, Alexander Wronski, Brian Stotter, Samuel Perl, Zachary Rubin.







Arley Rojas, Jarret Przybylski, and Charles Elliot all show their skills as they release the bowling ball down the lane.

Girls Swimming

"When life gets you down, just keep swimming." - Finding Nemo

Amanda Dickson smiles as she looks up at the score board to see she placed first.



Quad-Captains Amanda Dickson, Lauren Winchester, Elizabeth Trimble and Kirsten Selert celebrate after a win.



am really proud of our team this year; they really stepped it up and worked really hard. With almost no losses in the season, we made it into the NJ state tournament. Even though we lost some seniors from last year, we have strong new freshmen and our team made a smooth transition. I think the team is strong enough to continue their strong performance next year as the seniors leave. We could not have gotten as far as we did without the guidance and leadership of Coach Ruszala; we thank her for all her help.

> —Quad-Captain Amanda Dickson

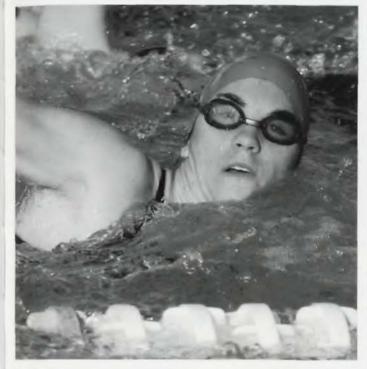


After a long race, Lauren Winchester is relieved to take a long breath of air.



Girls Swim Team, 2004-2005. *Top Row:* Anne O'Neill, Alexi Kuska, Caroline Fallon, Kylie Fraser, Erika Kettleson, Beth Budnick, Jeanine Clark, Coach Jamie Ruszala. *Upper Row:* Cathryn Winchester, Devan Giordano, Brittany Reyes, Darrell Ann Smith, Elizabeth Hawkins, Emily Bregman, Lauren McCurdy, Caitlyn Oster, Ilene Goodman. *Lower Row:* Callie Meserole, Jessica Lipshutz, Jennifer Metz, Julia Cederroth, Katherine Morgan, Danielle Partenope, Nicole DiBenedetto, Christine Isabella. *Bottom Row:* Lisa Zhang, Christine Clark, Lauren Winchester, Amanda Dickson, Elizabeth Trimble, Jackie DeLaFuente, Neda Simaika, Kirsten Selert.

Kirsten Selert looks at the camera for only a moment before she continues her strokes.



Brittany Reyes splashes her way down the lane towards victory.

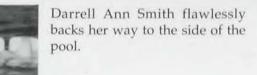




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Jennifer Metz secures her goggles before the race.



Middle: The team huddles and gets pumped up before an important meet.

Boys Swimming

"The spirit, the will to win, and the will to excel are the things that endure. These qualities are so much more important than the events that occur."

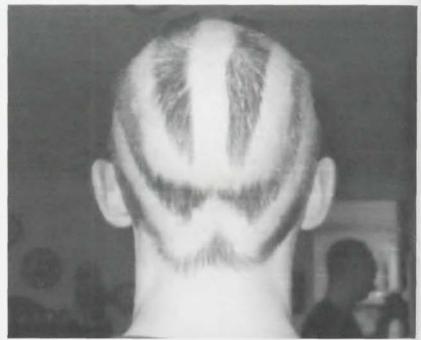
-Vince Lambardi

This season, we unfortunately lost a captain and a meet to Bridgewater, with a score of 100 to 70. However, after a season of hard work and determination, the team came back in the sectional finals to tie Bridgewater, 85-85. The team came together to become closer than any other team and succeeded in more ways than one. The final meet was the most intense meet of my swimming career. I have never been more proud of this team.

-Jeffrey Dresely, Tri-Captain

Left: Benjamin Holt looks shockingly at the scoreboard only to realize that Westfield has pulled ahead in the meet.





Right: Jonathan Holt shows off his school spirit with his newly shaved "W" on the back of his head.



Daniel Chabanov can barely take a breath before plunging back beneath the water's surface to beat his opponent.



Jeffery Dresely propels through the water with his outstanding backstroke abilities.

Boys Swimming, 2004-2005. *Top Row:* Coach Bruce Johnson, Patrick Daurio, Daniel Chabanov, Kyle Murray, Phil Anton, Matthew Gelmetti, Brian Yee, Peter John Harley, Jeffrey Dresely, Matthew Hadad, Robert Whitehead. *Second Row:* Brandon Cuba, Evan Vanarelli, James Hanas, Thomas Fringer, Michael Burns, Luke Baron, Brian Corea, Daniel McGrory. *Bottom Row:* Matthew Green, Gregory Blanton, Brian Lee, Colin Sullivan, Michael Rediker, Benjamin Holt, Jonathan Holt, Michael Cain.



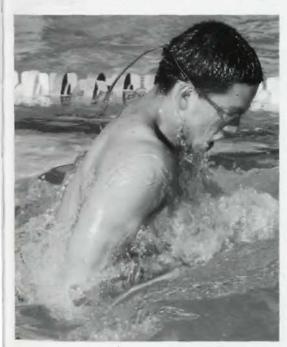




Right: Daniel Chabanov races his way to the end of the pool, far ahead of the competition.

Left: Coach Bruce Johnson and Patrick Daurio watch the race with great anticipation.

Below: Kyle Murray blows the competition out of the water with his amazing freestyle.



Colin Sullivan races forward to tag the wall so that his other teammate can finish the relay.



Peter John Harley resurfaces to get a clear view of his destination.





Luke Baran takes in a breath to give him enough strength to pull ahead.

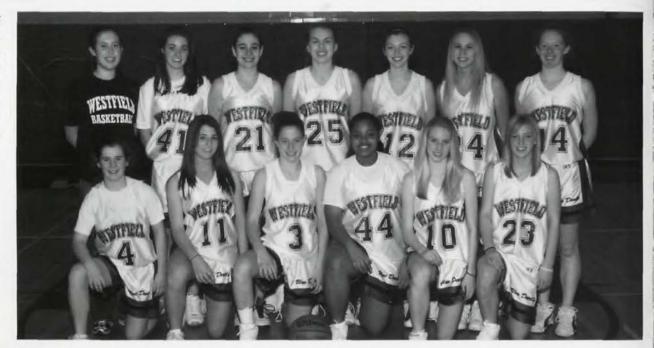
Girls Basketball

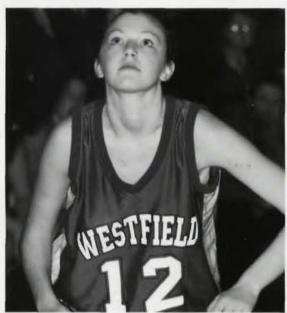
"One man can be a crucial ingredient on a team, but one man cannot make a team" Kareem Abdul-Jabbar

The team showed a lot of strength this year. We finished 9-13, our best record in a long time. We were young but hung in with some of the best teams around and displayed a great deal of promise for the upcoming years. It has been an honor to share the court with these fourteen girls and I wish them the best of luck next year.

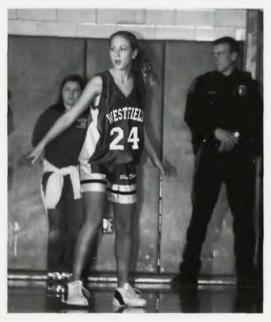
— Kate Judd, Tri-Captain, Varsity Girls Basketball

Girls Basketball, 2004-2005. Back Row: Kristina Fietkiewicz, Anna McGrath, Stephanie Slodyczka, Leanne Skorge, Casey Elkoury, Danielle Infantino, and Kathryn Cronen. Front Row: Rose Driscoll, Erin Miller, Kate Judd, Lauren Simmons, Gabrielle O'Leary, and Katie Reed.





Casey Elkoury looks up to see her match, the basketball hoop.



Gabrielle Infantino tries to hold back the crowd so her teammate can dribble up the court.



Leanne Skorge goes up for the shot during warm-ups.

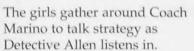


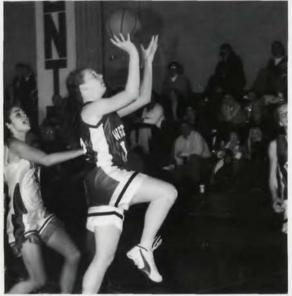




Far left: Stephanie Slodyczka is getting ready to shoot the ball.

Left: Samantha Zucker dreamily looks at the score board and realizes that her team has just won against a tough competitor.











Gabrielle O'Leary dribbles down the court for a breakaway.



Above: The WHS Dance Team poses after another heart racing halftime performance.

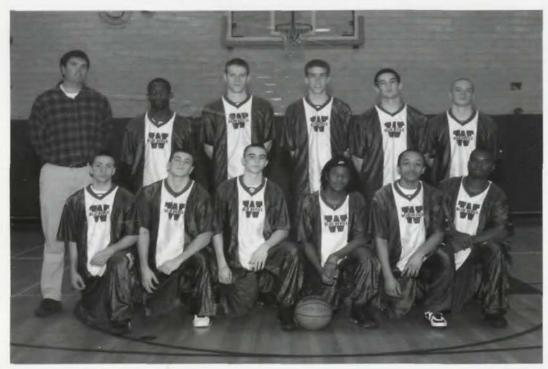
Middle left: Katie Cronen, the next Michael "Air" Jordan?

Middle center: In position, Lauren Simmons is going to give her team the lead.

Middle right: Erin Miller hopes to make a foul shot to put her team ahead.

Boys Basketball

"Basketball is like photography, if you don't focus, all you have is the negative."
—Dan Frisby



This year's team was led by the senior captains, Eric Hayes, William Hearon, and Bryan Power. They led us to state playoffs and a winning record.

-Coach Kevin Everly

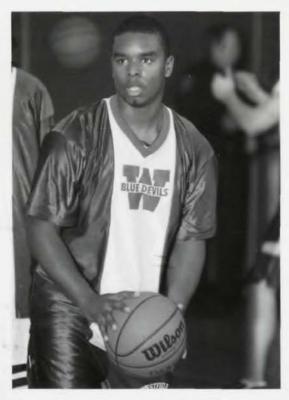
We were a good solfd team and accomplished a lot through our long practices and strong efforts. The work paid off incredibly.

—Tri-captains Eric Hayes, William Hearon, and Bryan Power

Boys Basketball, 2004-2005. *Top Row:* Coach Kevin Everly, Terell Shaw, Thomas Bottini, Joshua Gerckens, Bryan Power, William Hearon *Bottom Row:* Thomas Bonard, Alex Monaco, Michael Venezia, Terron Rogers, Eric Hayes, Tyrell Simmons.



Eric Hayes is closest to getting possesion of the ball to continue the game.



Tyrell Simmons surveys the court to complete a successful pass.

Above right: Coach Everly redirects the team during a third quarter time out.

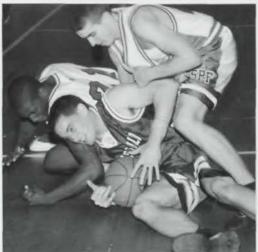




Terell Shaw prepares to pass the ball to an open teammate.

Eric Hayes dribbles the ball looking for who is open so he can pass the ball.







Bryan Power struggles to keep the ball away from his opponents.

Middle: Joshua Gerckens works his way through the defense.

Below: Thomas Bonard jumps up high to make an amazing jump shot.

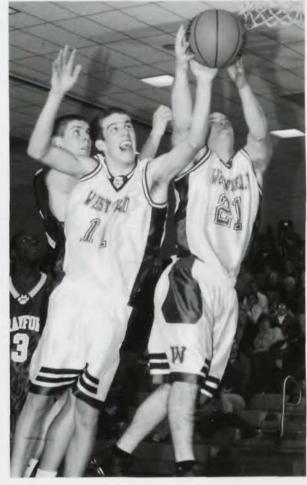




William Hearon is ready to make a shot for the team.



Michael Venezia, high up in the air, just released the ball from his hand in hopes of scoring points for Westfield.



Both Joshua Gerckens and William Hearon reach out for the ball to stop it from entering the hoop.

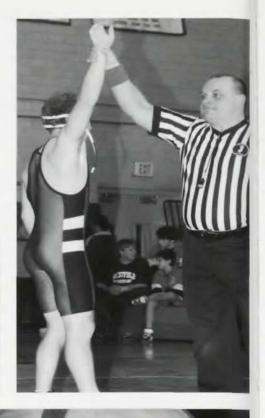
Wrestling

"You win some, you lose some, and some get rained out, but you gotta suit up for them all."

J. Askenberg

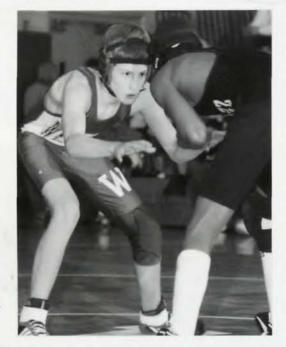
The 2004-2005 Varsity Wrestling starting line-up was limited due to several injuries, but certain grapplers helped pull the team through. Several underclassmen demonstrated perseverance and assumed leadership roles while battling a rough team season. With almost the whole team returning next year, dedication will be sparked, tremendously improving the Westfield High School team and making them contenders for next year's team season.

—Captian Thomas Del Duca



Top Right: Andrew Shaffer is declared the winner!

Middle: Bobby Mroz grapples his opponent even after being injured.



Right: Matthew Shaffer is in perfect stance to aggressively take on his fellow wrestler.



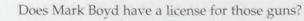
Co-captains Tom Delduca and Andrew Shaffer pose with the Westfield Blue Devil in a wrestling stance.



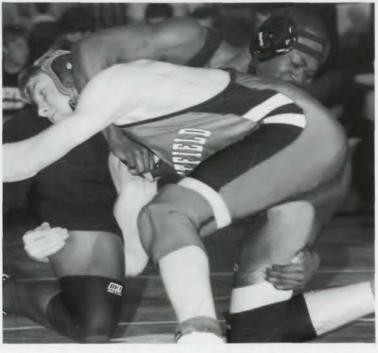


Mark Boyd keeps his rival pinned as the referee signals that the opposition is down and out for the count.

Coach Glen Kurz shares his strategies for the next match.

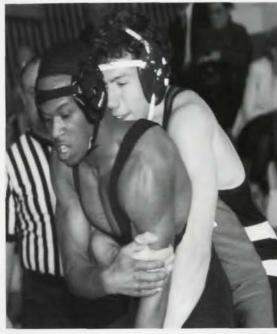


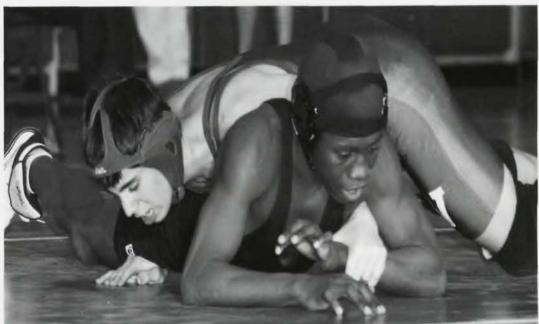




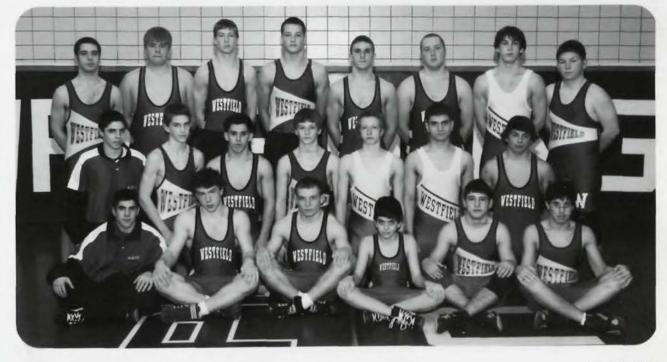
Left Middle: Daniel Whitney uses the heimlich maneuver to overpower his opponent.

Below: Matthew Liebowitz successfully pins his rival to win the match.





Boys Wrestling Team, 2004-2005. Top Row: Alex Luis, Zack Bulleck, Mark Boyd, Bobby Mroz, Tommy Delduca, Steve Cruikshank, Colin Wilard, Anthaney Alvernez. Middle Row: Kyle Gibbons, John Falzon, Jason Perez, Matt Shaffer, Tim Colberg, Joe Corea, Trent Burns. Bottom Row: Matt Kamel, Dan Whitney, Andrew Shaffer, Zack Zervas, Andy Castrorao, Matt Liebowitz. Not Pictured: Sam Kramer, Coaches Glen Kurz, John Cheddar, Don MacDonald.



WinterTrack

"Sports do not build character. They reveal it." — Haywood Hale Brown

Indeed, Winter Track separates the women from the girls. Instead of hiding from the snow and freezing cold, members of the Winter Track team slipped into their best spandex, put some gloves on, and had a great season. For the second year in a row, the team won both the Individual and Relay Union County Championship titles. In addition, the 4x800 meter relay team defended its Group III title. The future of the Winter Track team is bright, as the team this year was composed mostly of underclassmen, so look out for them next year. They're the crazy girls running down the street when you're inside your house with the heat turned up all the way.

—Annie Onishi, Sext-Captain

It takes a tremendous amount of commitment to join a sport where the only measure of whether a practice was successful is if you have a throbbing headache and want to vomit. Our team was very successful this year, especially our long-distance runners and pole vaulters, with Mike Woods breaking a long-held school record and Jeff Perella, Robert Broadbent, Mike Gorski and Mike Woods all qualifying for the Meet of Champions. The best is yet to come, however, as there is a lot of talent among the lower classes just waiting for the opportunity to present itself.

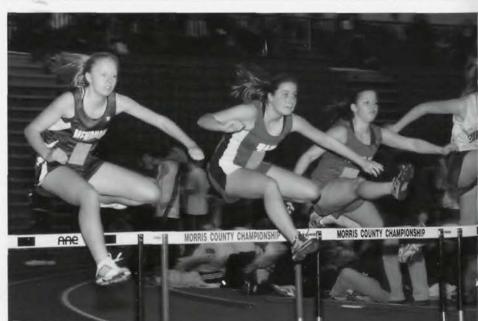
-Jake Brandman, Co-Captain



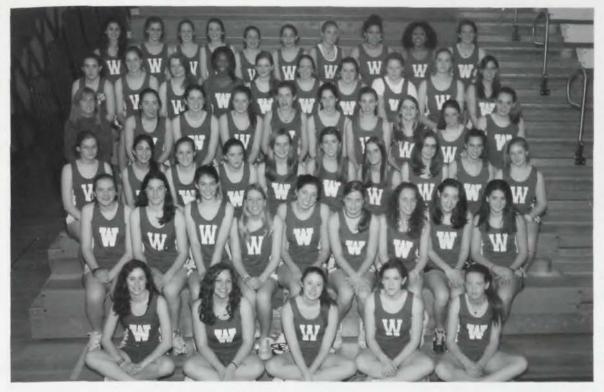
Tyler MacCubbin gracefully performs his high jump.

Above Right: Robert Broadbent, Samuel Kim, Kristopher Kagan, and Jake Brandman take a quick photo break in between events.





Lauren Nolan hurtles herself to the finish line hoping to get there before her opponents.

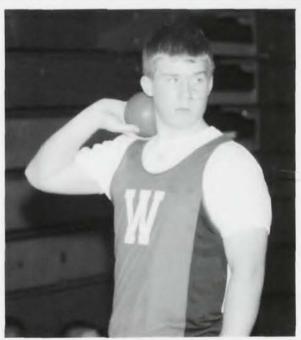






Boys Winter Track, 2004-2005. Back Row: Coach Gorski, Coach Tafelski, Coach Mellott, Coach Martin. Sizth Row: Alexander DeFreitas, Michael Henry, Alexander Tarlow, Tyler MacCubbin, Ameer Rogers, James Hoban, Stephen Caprario, James Thayer, Jeffrey Perrella, Joshua Friedman, Eric Scrudato, Luc Charansonney. Fifth Row: Alexander Kao, Harrison Fox, David Ackerman, Michael Yee, John Meredith, Daniel Nemeth, Kevin Devaney, Andrew Calvaruso, Erik Anderson, Ryan Salmon, Jordan Sharif. Fourth Row: Raymond Chen, Evan Merkelson, Sean Mack, Alexander Greenspan, Roshan Vijayakumar, Brendan Berkowitz, Vincent Fitzpatrick, Tianyou Xu, Cornelius Fitzpatrick, Evan Friedman, Matthew Feniger. Third Row: Craig Cognetti, Augustin Gibbons, Michael Mathews, Robert Molson, Luke Granstrand, David Hyslip, Chris Marina, Spencer Kimmins, Eric Brandman, Joshua Bornstein, Woody Handza. Second Row: Gregory O'Brien, David Hennessey, Alexander Forstenhausler, Jonathan Helfand, Victor Nolasco, Brian Burdulia, Andrew Brunhofer, Kevin Hennessey, Henry Zervas, Dylan Colvert. Front Row: John Alexsandravicius, Richard Hughes, Michael Gorski, Michael Beil, Scott Steinberg, Jake Brandman, John Kerr, Robert Broadbent, Michael Woods.





Left: Emily MacNeil passes the baton off to Miriam Becker-Cohen in the 4 X 800 relay.

Right: Erik Anderson prepares to set his personal shot put record.

Ice Hockey

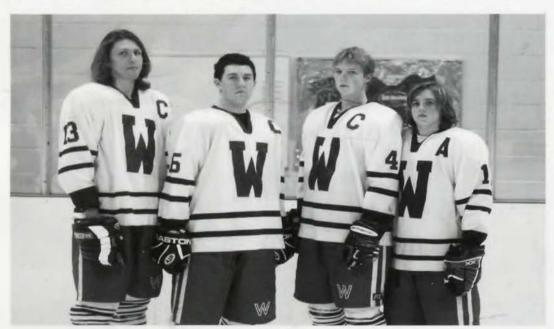
"You miss one hundred percent of the shots you never take." - Wayne Gretzky

This year the ice hocky team achieved great success. We placed third in our division and qualified for the state playoffs for the first time in five years. These goals were accomplished through the hard work and dedication of each member of the team, as well as the leadership provided by all of this years' seniors.

—Ed Kramkowski, Tri-Captain

Captains Edward Kramkowski, Brent Davis, Gregory Speir, and Salvatore Esposito stand powerfully for a picture before their big game.

Thomas Tresnan shows no mercy as he saves the puck and takes it up the ice.





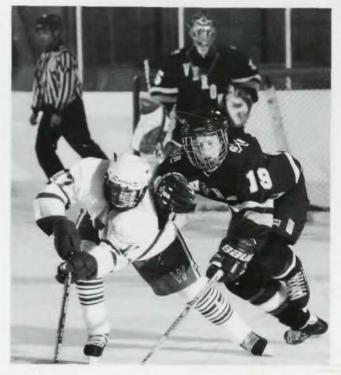




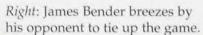
Edward Kramkowski skates toward Brian Davidson and his teammates to celebrate their victory.

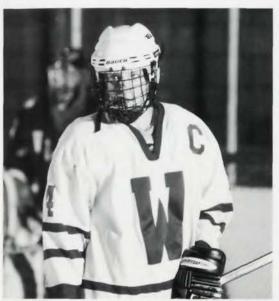
Ice Hockey Team, 2004-05. *Top Row*: Coach George Giresi, Jason Anderson, Seth Davidson, Thomas Tresnan, Edward Kramkowski, Brent Davis, Gregory Speir, Salvatore Esposito, Walter Brady Lau, James Morton, Coach Brenden Hickey, and Coach Dennis Doherty. *Bottom Row*: Craig Esposito, James Bender, Ryan Madaras, Jonathan Attanasio, Eric Zagorski, Adam Becker, Jacob Stevens-Hass, Brian Davidson, and Phil Buonocore.





Left: Edward Kramkowski anticipates a play the team has been practing for weeks.











Jason Anderson fakes out his opponent and flies across the ice.



Right: Brent Davis passes the puck back so his teammate can swoop in and score.

Middle Left: After passing the hockey puck, Gregory Speir watches Westfield score a goal. Now that's teamwork!

Middle Center: Jacob Stevens-Hass is ready for anything. He will not let the other team score a point!

Middle Right: Eric Zagorski makes a great save, keeping Westfield in the lead.

Girls Lacrosse

"When you put on that jersey, the name on the front is more important then the name on the back."
—Misacle

The 2004 lacrosse season was undoubtedly successful. Even though we missed the state tournament by one game, our record does not reflect the effort and dedication that every girl put in. Our team really came together and stepped it up against tough private school teams, and proved that we were able to play with heart. This was the first year that our team officially became a school-sponsored sport. We received new uniforms with really hot UnderArmour spandex pants, and men's basketball jersey's. We showed a lot of spirit wearing ribbons in our hair on game days, and having psych parties with ribs before each game.

We hope to continue these traditions through the 2005 season despite losing five starting seniors and our head coach. This year we have a group of eleven very dedicated and amazingly athletic seniors along with returning underclassmen as well. We truly feel this year we have the potential, heart and dedication to turn our record around.

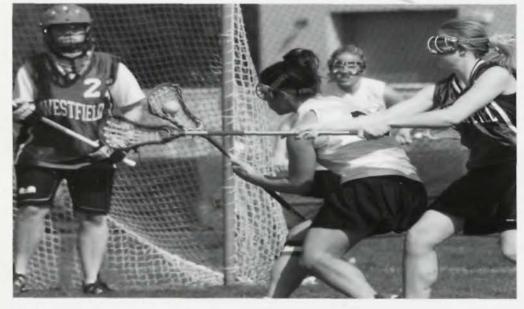
—Tri-Captains Katie Cole-Kelly, Lizzie Trimble and Elsa Werner

Goalie Claire Ganley holds her lacrosse stick up high and successfully catches the ball keeping the opposing team from scoring a point.



Bottom Right: While listening to a fellow teammate's strategy for her next play, Lindsey Devlin takes a breather after an intense game of lacrosse.

Bottom Left: Tri-Captain Elsa Werner helps out her fellow goalie by blocking her opponent's shot at the goal.





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Anne Siwulec manages to keep the ball cradled in her lacrosse stick's net and out of Tri-Captain Katie Cole-Kelly outruns her opponent her opponent's reach.

as she keeps a watchful eye on the ball.











Middle Left: Tri-Captain Elizabeth Trimble follows through on her pass as she watches the ball soar to her teammate.

Middle Right: A few members of the girls lacrosse team huddle and psyche themselves up before the start of their game.

Amy Santoriello holds her lacrosse stick ready to receive the pass.

Boys Lacrosse

"It's a rough road that leads to the heights of greatness." —Seneca

Boys Lacrosse, 2004: *Top Row*: Coach Ron Lee Barner, Coach Benaquista, Andrew Prunesti, Bryan Skorge, Christopher Mattes, David Axelrod, Joe Geissler, Brian Mahoney, Mike Patella, Matthew Gallagher, Coach Rienoso, Coach Silbergeld. *Middle Row*: Jonathan Herttua, Joseph Simone, Michael Bialick, Michael Marks, Ralph Iannazone, Walter Lau, Maxwell Thomas, Thomas Tresnan, Andrew Schott, Christopher Zaffuto, Ryan Yarusi. *Bottom Row*: Brian Pirot, David Hewitt, Kyle Yost, Jourdan Loffredo, Christopher MacDonald, Andrew Sinnenberg, Taylor Hogarth, J. Jarrett Sobala, Gregory Kivetz, Alex Regenstreich.

he 2004 BoysLacrosse team experienced grueling practices, and faced fierce competition, ultimately leading them to a record of 9-11. Led by Tri-Captains Andrew Sinnenberg, Taylor Hogarth and Christopher MacDonald, the team pushed themselves and worked their hardest under the sun at Tammaques School six days a week during the season. One of the team's most memorable performances occurred when the team went into overtime against Shawnee, putting enough pressure on the team to successfully make it to finals. They worked their hardest in the final round of the state tournament, losing to Ridgewood. Overall, the team had accomplished goals in making it to finals, and looks promising in the future.



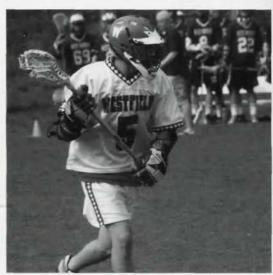
Alexander Regenstreich reaches up for the ball while two opponents miss at their attempt for a steal.

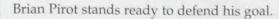


Left: Matthew Gallagher fights for possession.

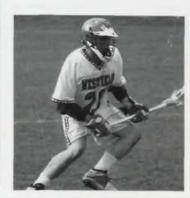
Right: Tri-captain Taylor Hogarth checks out his passing possibilities.













Left: Jourdan Loffredo gets ready to recieve the pass.

Right: Taylor Hogarth's stickwork helps the team gain more control on the field.





Right: Sometimes one must use all of his body to complete a long pass.

Left: Brian Mahoney challenges the opposition for the ball.





Left: Kyle Yost cradles the ball up the field.

Right: Andrew Spiegel fights off his opponent for possession of the ball.



Coach Barner and Coach Silbergeld watch the field intently waiting for the referee's call.



The team gathers to inspire one another with their Westfield pride.

Softball

"Strength does not come from physical capacity. It comes from an indomitable will."

-Mahatma Ghandi

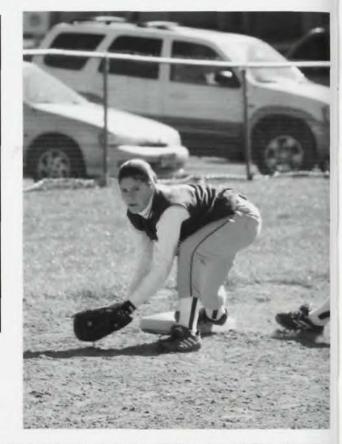
The 2004 season was a tremendous accomplish ment for everyone involved. Our "rebuilding season" the year before left us with an 8-12 record, and we were determined to be more successful in 2004. It was extemely rewarding to not only come out with a winning record, but also to capture a state sectional title which had not been done in fourteen years. The time and effort that we put into improving our skills last season culminated in our memorable 1-0, 12 inning win over J.P. Stevens.

Lauren Gelmetti,Senior Co-Captain

Right: Marilyn Mench stretches to catch the ball and to tag out the advancing runner in hopes of a double play.

Bottom left: Lauren Musacchia gives the signal to the pitcher and waits for the ball to sail right over the plate.

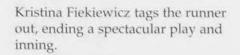






The team huddles for a talk on how to get the third out and end the inning.

Jennifer Frost is up at bat and ready to hit a homerun for her team.







Below: Lauren Musacchia shows excellent form as she swings the bat.





Samantha Mooney throws a change up, hoping for a strike.



Katherine Smith is in mid throw when she realizes that a player is trying to steal a base.



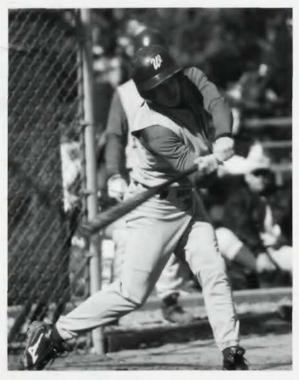
Marykate Flannery hopes she hit the ball hard enough, as she sprints to first, to advance the runners already on base.

Baseball "It ain't over til it's over" -Yogi Berra

Captain William Hearon follows through as he hits the ball to far left field.

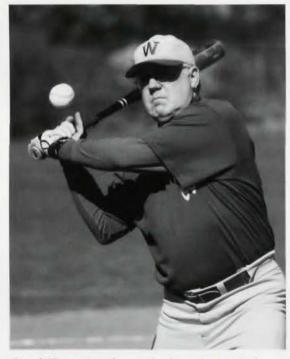
Michael Fantini defies gravity to get the ball home and end the inning.





he 2005 Baseball Team is look ing forward to a successful year. The returnees include 2004 starters Bill Hearon, Bryan Power, Sam Kim, Mike Murray, Mike Diaz, and Tom Ricciuti. These six young men combined for a .369 batting average during last season. So the potential si there for a banner year. In addition, seniors Dave Ganz, Andrew Streaman, Chris Hild, and Diego Betancourt along with juniors Alex Zierler, Dave Kaplow, Josh Gerckens, Craig Ellis, Jayshawn King, Brandon Cuba, and Jason Anderson hope to push the squad to success in the conference, county, and state tournaments.

Coach Robert Brewster



Coach Brewster shows the boys how it's done.



Andrew Lent winds up before showing the batter the meaning of a fast ball.



Jayshawn King scoops the ball up in his glove before throwing it to the pitcher.

Michael Murray throws the ball to third before the opponent gets to the plate.



Coach Miller gathers the Junior Varsity team to discuss their defensive strategy before the second inning.



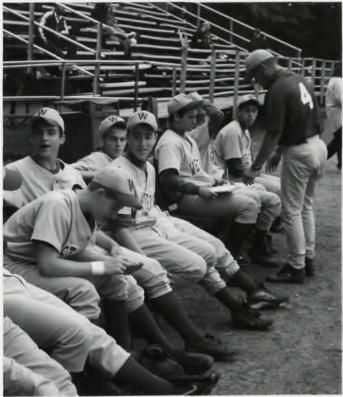


Christopher Hild crouches so the ball rolls right into his carefully positioned glove.

Middle left: Diego Betancourt throws the ball home to prevent the other team from scoring a run.



Samuel Kim prepares to catch the ball.



The Junior Varsity team gathers to reflect on their performance during the game.



Thomas Ricciuti slams the ball home.

f you walk down Rahway Avenue on a spring afternoon and decide to follow your ears to the commotion that is coming from Kehler Stadium, you will probably see quite a sight. So many things going on at once, so many people running, throwing, jumping and enjoying the beautiful day. Westfield High School has one of the largest Spring Track and Field programs in the state, and all of the atheletes that get involved in the program make those numbers stay in the hundred range yearly. With these massive teams, the range of talent is expansive, and as a result, records are broken, and meets and medals are won. Spring Track and Field are among the more successful teams at Westfield High School, and this is a tradition that has been held in high regard. Despite such a large team, one of the most spectacular aspects of Spring Track and Field is the ablility for such a large group of people to be such a tightknit group, where everyone is able to share in the successess of others.

Captain Olena Borkowsky, Class of 2005

Annie Onishi demonstrates the endurance needed to be a successful distance runner as she strives for a first place finish.



Right: Jeffery Pazdro surveys the discus circle before throwing his implement in a record throw.



With the burden of the shot put about to be lifted from her shoulder, Caroline Sheridan will soon breathe a sigh of relief.



Andrew Shaffer runs to pass the baton to teammate Evan Falk in their relay event.

Spring Track & Field

"The stars of track and field are beautiful people." -Belle and Sebastian

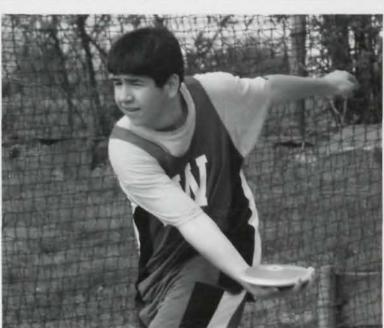


Arms flailing, Richie Scialabba jumps to new heights and lengths at a very important meet as spectators watch.

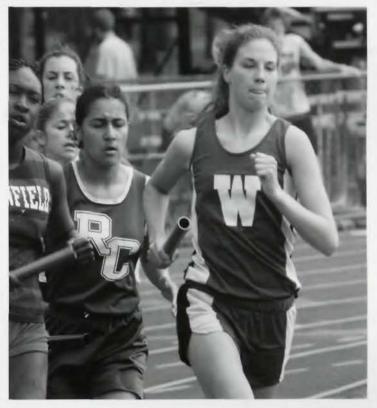
Amanda Nehring clears a tall height in the high jump event.



Keivan Ghorbanzadeh gets ready to let his discus soar.







Middle Left: Jeff Perella carries the baton for Westfield and seeks another first place finish.

Middle Right: Emily MacNeil runs her heart out in her relay bring in g Westfield one step closer to another victorious race.



Coach Gorski gives a few pointers to shot put relay team Caroline Sheridan and Alison Petrow before their big throws.



Christina Henry gets ready to unleash her shot put.

Boys Tennis

"I have always considered tennis as a combat in an arena between two gladiators who have their racquets and their courage as their weapons."

---Yannick Node

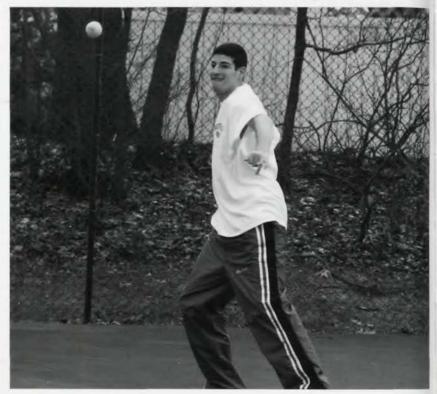
he 2004 Boys Tennis team had a successful season as we finished with a 16-10 record, coming second in the Westfield Tournament and Union County Tournament, as well as winning the Watchung Conference. With four starters returning, the goals for this upcoming season are equally high. We are striving to win the Westfield and County Tournament and we hope to take back the sectional championship won two years ago.

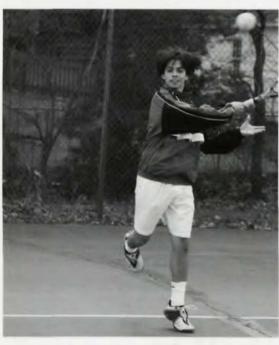
—Andrew Levy, Co-Captain

Co-Captain Alec Wasserman prepares to win the point.

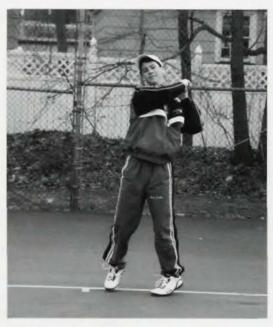
Robert Evans keeps his eye on the ball as it enters his side of the court.







Jonathan Ramalho's hair goes flying with the rush of wind created by his racket.



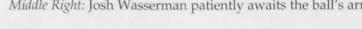
Lee Bernstein follows through after returning the serve.



David Purdy watches as the ball soars to his opponent.

Middle Left: Co-Captain Andrew Levy smiles knowing that his shot is Middle Right: Josh Wasserman patiently awaits the ball's arrival. going to win him the game.

John Trimble swings his racket forward to meet the ball for his return.

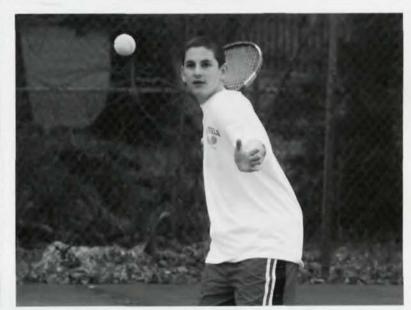


Adam Koll prepares to hit the ball with full force.













Brian Kender steps forward to hit the ball.

Nothing can break Peter Rucinsky's concentration when he is on the courts.

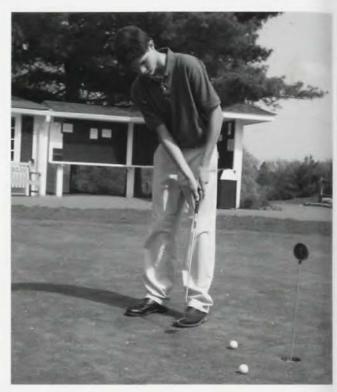
Golf S

"It is almost impossible to remember how tragic a place this world is when one is playing solf."
—Robert Lynd

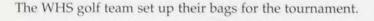
Attempting to get the ball in the hole, Timothy Jacob gently pushes it.

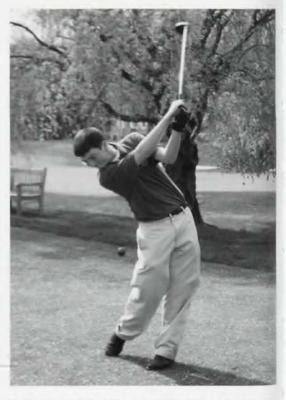
he WHS golf team was yet again undefeated, 18-0, in the 2004 sea son. In addition to winning all of our games we won the conference, county and sectional tournaments. We hope that the 2005 season continues to be unbeatable, with our top six players returning.

—Ryan Shallcross, Co-Captain



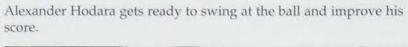


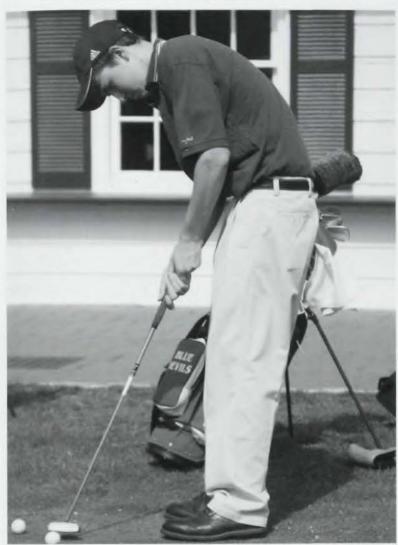




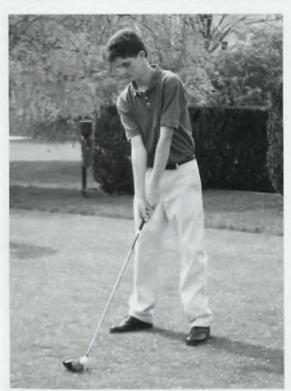
Is Alexander Hodara dancing? No, he's just practicing his golf swing.

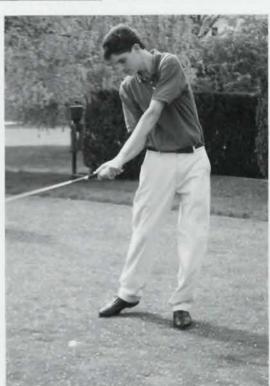
Garrett Cockren focuses on hitting the ball.

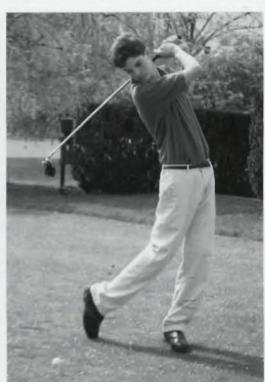












Timothy Jacob demonstrates the steps to a perfect swing.

WHS

EXTRACTINVOLVED ICULARS

fter all the hard work that a typical school day requires, students at WHS take advantage of the afterschool programs that the school has to offer. With numerous clubs, students have no trouble finding a group of young adults that share the same interests with whom they can enjoy time with a few days a week. Every year, on Club Day, the courtyard fills up with tables showcasing the different activities available and students have the opportunity to sign up. From Student Council meetings to play practice, the halls of WHS are busy even after class lets out. Most students stay loyal to clubs throughout their entire high school careers and make friends that they will keep for a lifetime.

— Allison Turitz, Class of 2005



"If a man insisted on always being serious, and never allowed himself a bit of fun and relaxation, he would go mad."

—Herodotus



























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Asian Awareness Club



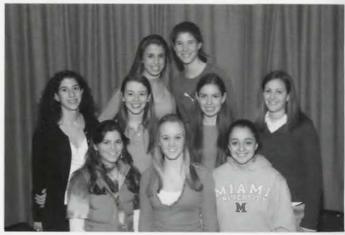
Awareness Club



Debate Team



Historical Miniature Gaming Club



Girls Learn International Club



Forensics Club

Latin Club



Project Green



Rotary Club



Junior Optimist Club



Young Republicans



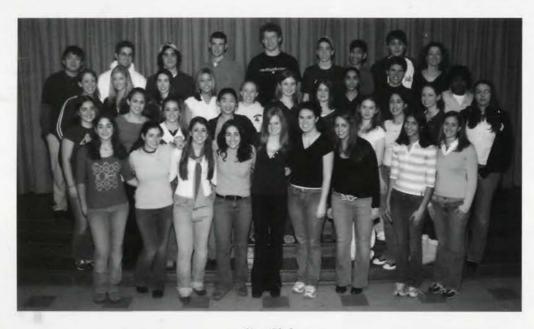
Dance Team





Anime

Weather Club



Key Club



Psychology Club



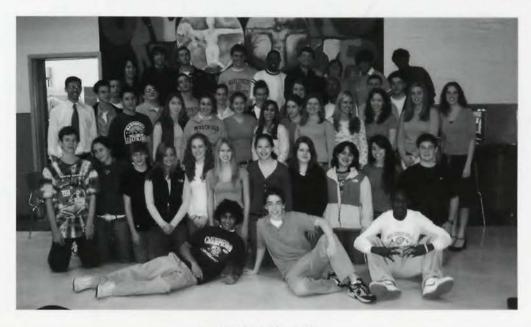
TV/Video Club



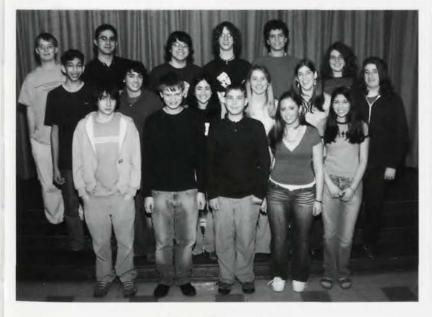
Spanish Club



Christian Awareness Club



Student Council



Young Democrats



Knitting Club



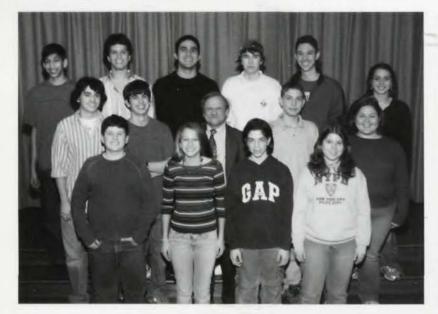


Folio

Quiz Bowl Team



The Connection



Mock Trial Team



French Club



Italian Club



Photography Club



Gay Straight Alliance



Stage Design Club



Science Club



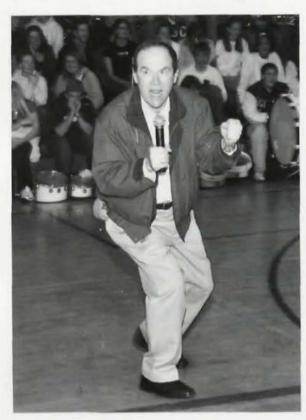
German Club

Homecoming

"The spirit is at home, if not entirely satisfied, in America." —Allan Bloom

Dr. Petix gets the crowd energized at the bonfire.

The cheerleaders perform an intricate routine.







The Project '79 float shows Westfield High School pride at the parade.



The Junior powderpuff players take control of the ball.

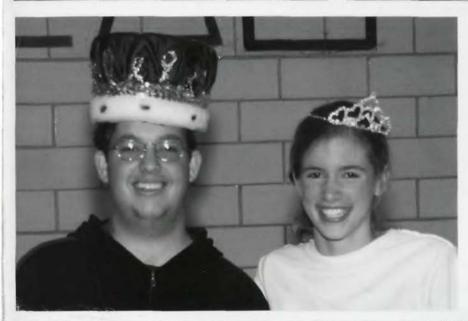
Middle Left: Homecoming King and Queen, Ryan Reber and Elizabeth Trimble show off their crowns.

Kathryne Read jumps in the air after she scores a touchdown.



Megan Fowler, Annie Onishi, Lorena Zamerelli, Taylor Mulvee, Sarah Masel, Amanda Dickson and Katie Cole-Kelly pose for the camera on their turkey inspired float.









Adrienne O'Rourke, Barrett Newell, Kate Judd, Lauren Nolan, Allison Feldman, Camille Hausheer and Abigail Lewis take a break from playing a grueling game of powderpuff.



Wesley Brockway and Robert Cariste dress up in togas for the parade.

Middle Right: Gilad Edelman and Sam Brenner play some music on the Euterpe float.



"Creative work is play. It is free speculation using materials of one's chosen form."

—Stephen Nachmanovitch

In my four years on the *Folio* staff I've come to realize how important this club is to our school. We offer an outlet every month for students to come together and experience music, poetry, puppet shows and dancing, in a place where people can really appreciate each others art. For some, these coffeehouses are monthly highlights of life at Westfield High School. *Folio* has really given many a chance to interact with people on a very rewarding level.

-Katharine Okamoto, Folio staff member

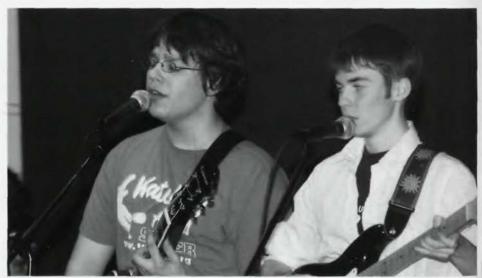
Andrew Emmet reads a piece of his original poetry to the audience.

Michael Tannenbaum performs a comedic act.





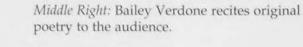




Katharine Okamoto strums her guitar to Ani Difranco.

Justin Goncalves and Henry Koehler passionately perform a guitar duo.

Jacqueline Burns plays the guitar while Jacqueline Weidman waits patiently to come in.



Lucy Fromtling shares an amusing story.















Mr. Daniel Farabaugh decides to perform "Sand Art Girlfriend" accompained by Mr. Christopher Tafelski.

Natalie Narotzky shows off her acting skills when performing a monologue.

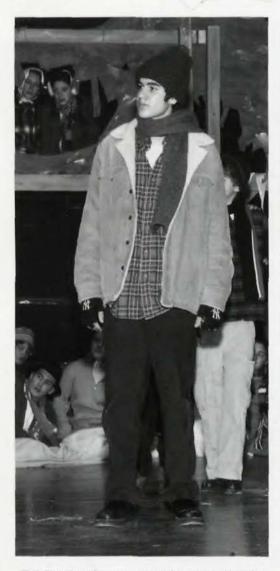
Middle Left: David Reinhardt shows off his keyboard skills.

Middle: Mr. Peter Horn captures the audience with his story telling skills.

A Junkyard Christmas Carol

"I regard the theatre as the greatest of all art forms, the most immediate way in which a human being can share with another the sense of what it is to be a human being."—Dscar Wilde

Written by senior Jake Brandman, *A Junkyard Christmas Carol* was performed as a remake version of the ever popular *A Christmas Carol*. It starred Max Lazar as Scrooge and Zal Spialter as Bob Cratchett and proved to be a great success. Seniors Emily Greenberg, Jeffrey Hogan, Daniel Foltz-Morrison, and Christopher Hild helped make Jake's writing come to life. The audience had an amazing time at this magical rendition of Charles Dickens' classic tale. It was simply genius how Jake Brandman was able to create such a perfect background in which to set this timeless story. People of all religious backgrounds and sects could appreciate the wonderment and charisma that the actors emanated through their stellar performances. The seniors are wished much luck next year in whatever acting path they choose to follow. A special thank you is expressed to Mr. Nierle; without him, this show could not have been possible and his hardwork and dedication to the students of Westfield High School is much appreciated.



Zal Spialter listens intently preparing for his next line.





Cast members play a cruel trick on a lonely blind man.

Above: Castmemembers are kidnapped midway through the rehearsal.





Emily Greenberg gazes down at her audience.

Left: Chloe Zeitounian shows Max Lazar his selfish past.





Christopher Hild gives a commendable speech in honor of his Uncle Scrooge.



Chloe Zeitounian, Emily Greenberg, and Nicholas Brennan goof off during free time for the photographer.

The meager dinner table is set, ready for Christmas dinner.

Middle Left: Max Lazar greets Michael Tannenbaum and Alexander Forstenhausler eagerly.

Winter Concerts

"We are the music makers and we are the dreamers of dreams."

—Roald Dabl

The level of musicianship and artistry exhibited by the WHS students far surpasses any expectation one would have of high school students. They transcend "just getting the right notes" into making art. The winter concert had many moments of great beauty and depth.

Raymond Wojcik
 Orchestra Director

Matthew Leong, Eunice Park, and Alexandra Jenkins are the featured soloists for the Chamber Orchestra's performance of Handel's *Concerto Grosso in d minor*, *No.* 10, op.6.





First violins Jenna Vandervort and Caroline Leung play each note with precision and perfect pitch.

Above right: Maestro Wojcik cues the orchestra at a crucial moment.

The Choral concert ends in the traditional singing of *Dona Nobis Pacem* with both past and present chorus members.







Melvin Diep performs the first violin solo in Handel's *Concerto Grosso in G, No. 1, op. 6* with the Symphony Orchestra.

Jennifer Kujawski, Jacqueline Weidman, Emily Sheehan, and Danielle Frogley sing the solo mezzo-soprano and soprano parts for Vivaldi's *Gloria in D Major*, a combined effort of the Chamber Orchestra and Concert Choir.

Max Lazar plays the bass line with the Symphony Orchestra in their rendition of Schubert's *Rosamunde*.

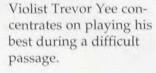








Left: Tessa Schaaf, Anna Pullicino, and Leah Di Matteo perform Tschaikowsky's Andante Cantabile from String Quartet No.1.







Left: Ms. Sharon Reynolds conducts the Mixed Choir in one of their many pieces.

David Reinhardt plays the trumpet with the Concert Choir.





Left: Alison Siko beautifully sings the soprano solo *Domine Deus* by Vivaldi with the Chamber Orchestra.

The 2004-2005 WHS Chorale is under the direction of Mr. William Mathews.

Spring Musical

"His acting forever remains in a time that never dates." —Vincent Canby

This year's successful Spring Musical, performed on March 10, 11, and 12, was *Plain & Fancy*. Starring Christopher Hild, Emily Greenberg, Chloe Zeitounian, Allison Siko, and Nicholas Williams, the play immersed its audience into Amish life in a town called Birds-in-Hand near Lancaster, Pennsylvania. Dan King, a New Yorker, travels to Bird-in-Hand with his friend Ruth Winters to sell the land his grandfather left him. Fascinated by the Amish way of life, Dan and Ruth are welcomed into this new world and embrace the townspeople. Supported by a talented and amazing cast, the lead actors brought the love story of Katie Yoder (Allison Siko) and Peter Reber (Nicholas Williams) alive each night of its performance. The live music was provided by selected members of the WHS band and orchestra. The excellent acting, singing and dancing provided the audience with memories of a remarkable show.

The cast finishes dancing and singing to the number "Plenty of Pennsylvania".



Daniel Foltz-Morrison plays Papa Yoder, Katie Yoder's traditional, strict, but loving Amish father who wants the best for his daughter.



Ruth Winters, played by Emily Greenberg, insists that Dan King, played by Christopher Hild, ask for directions to Bird-in-Hand.



Kelly Braun and Suzanne Toriello play the Amish Miller children.



Stephen Markowski, who plays Ezra Reber, tells his fellow Amish men why he is marrying Katie in the song "Why Not Katie?".



Isaac Miller, played by Jeffrey Hogan, introduces the young Amish men in town.



Hilda Miller (Chloe Zeitounian) and the Women's Ensemble engage in a song about Hilda's new found feelings for Dan King.



Katie Yoder and Peter Reber (Allison Siko and Nicholas Williams) dream about being "Young and Foolish" again.



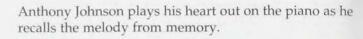
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Variety Show

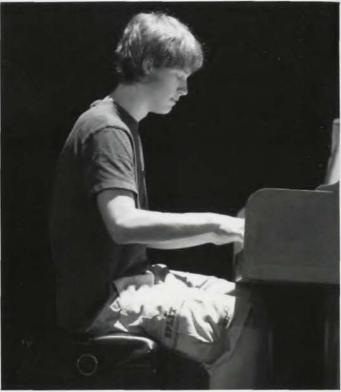
"Talent is cheaper than table salt. What separates the talented individual from the successful one is a lot of hard work."

—Stephen King

Aashish Bansal sings his heart out while strumming on his guitar.

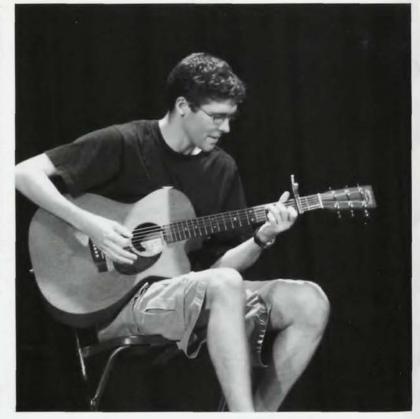








James McCabe does his stand up comedy routine and the whole crowd is on the floor laughing.



Mr. Tafelski shows that he is not just all about science, but he also has a talent of playing the guitar.



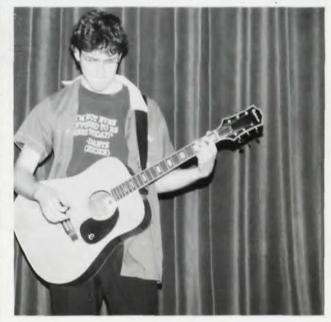
Ms. Lauren Mazzarese does a wonderful job introducing the acts as the Master of Ceremonies.

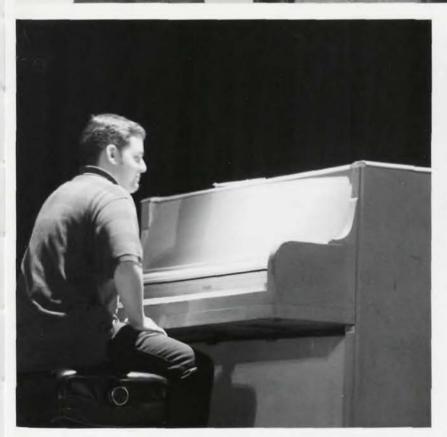
Middle: Alison Goodman and Abigail Bramnick perform a skit about starting high school, demonstrating their dreamy looks for the captain of the lacrosse team.

Below: Steven Fromtling concentrates on playing all the right notes during his guitar solo.











Christopher Velderman, Adam Subhas, and Gregory Salmon blow their horns like there is no tomorrow.

Mr. Farabaugh stops and thinks about what to play in order to astound the crowd with his musical talents.

Whose Line Is It Anyway?

"Humor is the great thing, the saving thing. The minute it crops up, all our irritation and resentments slip away, and a sunny spirit takes their place." - Mark Twain







Jeffrey Bayne and Stephen Caprario act as superheroes, but unfortunately Stephen must pretend he's armless.

Top Left: Ryan Reber, Aaron Eisenberg, Natalie Narotzky, Michael Zahler, and Gilad Edelman clap it up on stage, while the band waits patiently in the background.



Ryan Reber and Maxwell Fox show off their inventive skills when they are given a flashlight and brush to work with in this skit.

Top Right: The audience applaudes as the actors and actresses move onto their next skit.



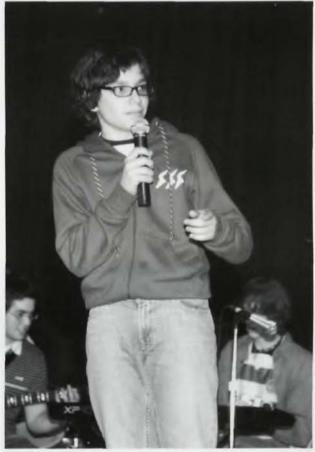
In this scene Natalie Narotzky extracts breast milk from Mark Doss; creativity with props was a must.

Andrew Schott and Matthew Mac Vicar lounge at the SARC office in this little skit discussing their lack of attendence and who has been absent more.









Above: Aaron Eisenberg introduces the audience to the band Whistlestop Jackson.

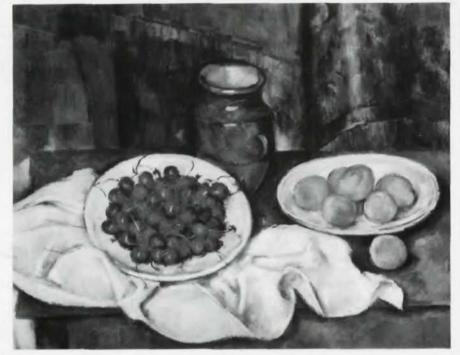
Middle: All of the members of Whose Line is it Anyway show their dancing skills out on the stage to beat 2% Funk.

Left: Christian Colon, Gilad Edelman, and Jim McCabe discuss re-styling Mark Doss's hair.

Art Show

"Every child is an artist. The problem is how to remain an artist once we grow up." - Pablo Picasso

This still life is almost good enough to eat.

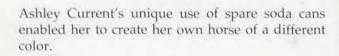




Far Right: Steve Fromtling expresses his adoration for David Bowe by creating a life-size model of the world-renowned entertainer.



The high school's ceramics students proved their outstanding talent for turning lumps of clay into masterpieces.







With splashes of color, the abstract painting stood out at the art show.

This stunning black and white portrait of flowers captures the simplistic beauty of nature.







Maggie Lee, Courtney Franko, and Somi Kim created magnificent charcol self-portraits.



An insightful artist reveals the inner makings of a basketball.

Middle Left: The scenic landscape of mountains and wildflowers takes the viewer away from their busy life.

Transition Project

"True leadership lies in guiding others to success. In ensuring that everyone is performing at their best, doing the work they are pledged to do and doing it well."

— Bill Owens

This past year has been a big year for Transition Project because this was the first year that all incoming freshmen were able to participate. The freshmen are divided into 38 groups and lead by 108 trained Transition Leaders. The freshmen meet with their groups during their gym periods. If is the leaders' job to welcome the freshmen and to help them adjust to Westfield High School. The topics of Transition meetings can range from stress and time management, friendship or prejudice reduction. Freshmen get a sense of belonging when coming into the high school from their time in Transition Project. Transition leaders teach the students to be able to balance their academic and social responsibilities because high school is a wonderful journey and all students should get a chance to experience it.



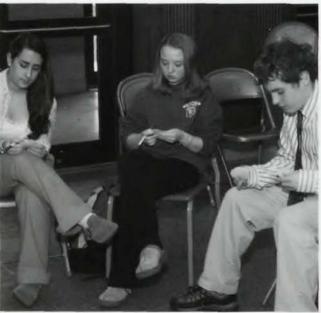


Above left: Kimberly Pulliam, Ellen O'Brien, and Emma Byer are sitting around waiting for Jeffery Greenlaw to distribute today's itinerary.

Above right: A Transition group gathers around the table for a round table discussion.

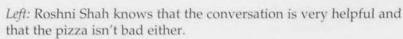
Far right: Meisha Hills smiles at the freshmen realizing how far they have come.

Left: Holly Messina, Pamela Marks, and Transition leader Michael Burns fill out slips of paper for the activity of the day.









Below: Ravi Netravali, Shaun Blackmon, Augustine Gibbons, Kristin Aguero, and Caitlin Burke turn the auditorium foyer into a place of lively chatter about how to deal with stress.

Middle left: Kyle Cortley and Casey Steinberg turn around to face the board in order to see the agenda for the day's meeting.

Middle right: Gillian McGovern and Joshua Gibbons enjoy themselves during their Transition meetings and they do not seem to miss gym one bit.











Above: Holly Mustard, Paige Geraghty, and Andrew Betancourt wait for their turn to speak about the pressures of high school.

Left: The group sits in a circle ready for a captivating discussion about the joys and perils of entering high school.

Student Council

"Optimism is the essence of our success. It drives our creativity and emboldens our entrepreneurial spirit."
- Bill Frist

Student Council has hosted many school-wide events for years and this year has continued to be a success. More and more people seem to want to participate and be a part of this school every year. Student Council began the 2004-2005 school year with their annual car wash, which raised the greatest amount of money to date for this event. According to Ms. Underwood, Student Council advisor, "The Hip-Hoptober was a big hit this year." Attendees were extremely spirited and displayed a variety of costumes, ranging from farm animals to superheroes. In addition to traditional events at WHS an Indian Pin tournament was created to enhance school spirit drawing students and faculty to be participants as well as spectators. Another Student Council favorite is Who's Line Is It Anyway? This year, Who's Line Is It Anyway also involved singing. Singing has never been involved in this activity before and it will definitely add something special to this event.









Above: Kyle Clark at the Indian Pin Dodge tournament is waiting desperately for the whistle.

Below: Rachel Smith, Jessica Robars, Taylor Porter, and Alex Brummel are having a ball and dancing their hearts out at the Valentine's Day Dance. Above: John Herttua, Christian Luker, Richard Hughes, Alex Monaco, Jon Sawicki, Michael Patella, Walter Lau, Sean Young Cowles Stewart, Jordan Casidy, Christopher Coyle, and Robert Broadbent are ready to plan the next student council meeting.

Below: Allison Kehler, Mila Henneck, Kelly Seiger, and Kaitlin Kominsky are getting ready to give the trophy to the winners of the Indian Pin Tournament.

Below: Andrew Schott, Annie Onishi, and Brian Dunstan prepare to race for the balls to start off the game at the Indian Pin Tournament.

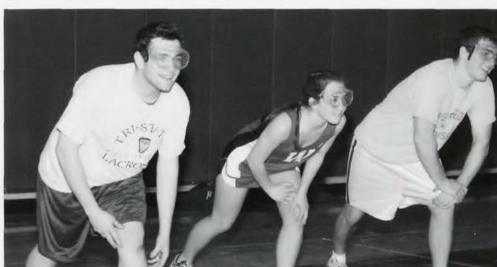
The crowd is enjoying plenty of entertainment at the Hip-Hoptober fest as they watch in awe of the amazing break dancer.

Below: Mark Doss is having a blast at the Hip-Hoptober in his inflated cow costume.

Max Fox, William Harbaugh, and Garrett Cockren are socializing before a student council meeting.











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Matthew Harris aims to knock out his last opponent in the Student Council's Indian Pin Tournament.

Ms. Bonnie Underwood, Ms. Ellen Muir, Ms. Tricia Iannuzzi, and Ms. Lauren Durante plan their attack on their competitors.

Yearbook

"Great things are accomplished by talented people who believe they will accomplish them." - Warren G. Bennis

Every Tuesday and Thursday the devoted yearbook staff gathers to prepare the upcoming yearbook made for the students, by the students. From cropping pictures, to calling captains for last minute blurbs, to yearbook dinner parties, a yearbook afternoon is always unpredictable, but exciting! These students put a significant amount of effort into their own pages, making sure that every student in the school has memories to recall for years after high school has ended. Each yearbook member dedicates many hours and takes much pride in creating each page. The yearbook has been possible with the guidance from two fantastic yearbook advisors, Mrs. Muir and Mrs. Sonnek. We all hope that every student will enjoy the captured memories for the year's following high school.



























WHS life

FACU SUPPORTIVE STAFF

The staff at WHS is dedicated to its students and strives to provide the best possible education that they can. Teachers, secretaries, guidance counselors, coaches and administrators are always around to lend students a hand or a word of advice. From explaining the process of photosynthesis or correcting college essays, the faculty is always willing to help. A diverse group of men and women from different backgrounds and cultures allow the students to be intellectually stimulated. Besides imparting vital facts and information, the faculty is also there to provide support on a more personal level. Often, the staff will take time out of their busy schedules to help a student through a rough time at home or delve into the complexity of his or her exhausting social life. As students move on to other forms of education, the faculty and staff here will be greatly missed and forever remembered.

—Brian Oxman, Class of 2005







"The dream begins with a teacher who believes in you, who tugs and pushes and leads you to the next plateau, sometimes poking you with a sharp stick called 'truth.'"

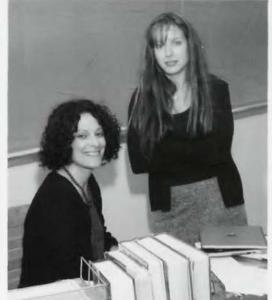
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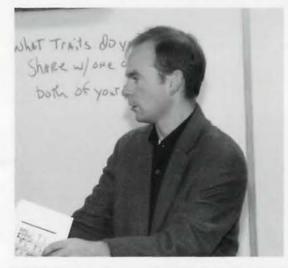


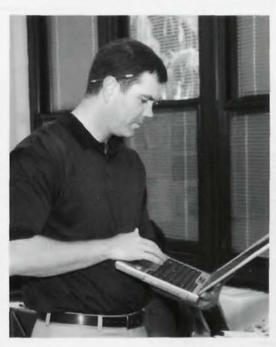




















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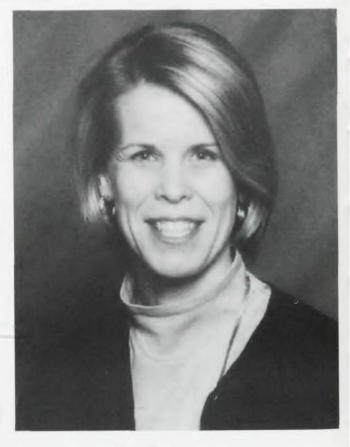




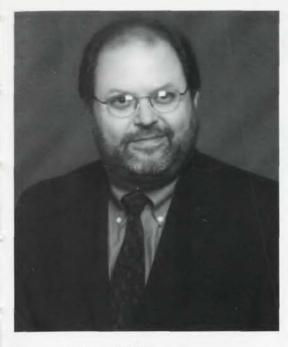
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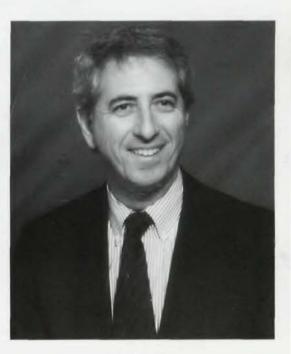
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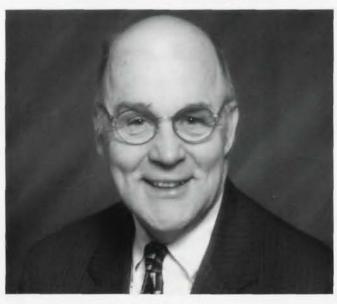
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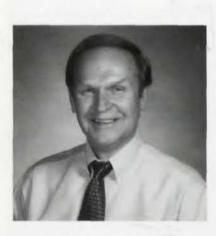
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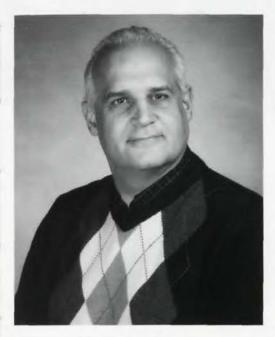


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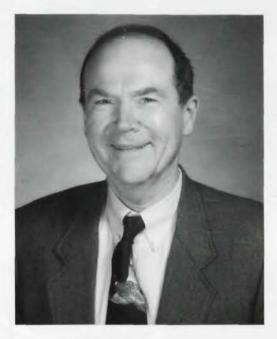


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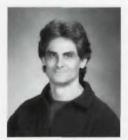
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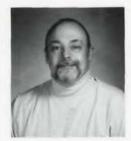
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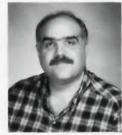
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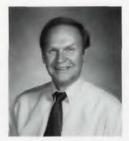
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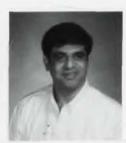
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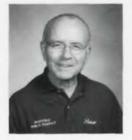
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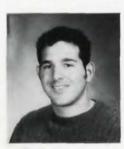
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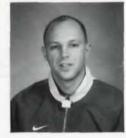
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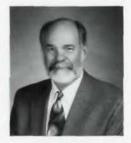
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WHS life

SUCCESSFUL

As our high school careers come to an end, we have the opportunity to look to the past and to the future that les ahead of us. We remember all the friends we have made all the way back to elementary school and the good times we shared together. We remember the hard work and late nights we put in to reach this point. Although we are not certain about the path that lies before us, we will always have the experiences from WHS to carry with us for the rest of our lives. We are standing at a crossroad in our lives; we are ending one part and beginning a new one. Next year, students will be scattered all over the country and perhaps the world, but we will never forget the amazing students and faculty who have touched our lives during the short four years we were here.

—Dana Zichlin and Brian Oxman, Class of 2005







"Don't be dismayed at good-bye. A farewell is necessary before you can meet again. And meeting again after moments or lifetimes, is certain for those who are friends."

- Richard Bach











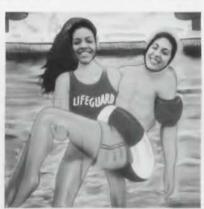


















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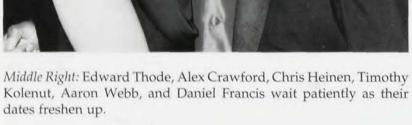
"Let your life lightly dance on the edges of Time like dew on the tip of a leaf." —Rabindranath Tazore

Sarah Masel, Megan Fowler, Katie Cole-Kelly and Elizabeth Werner soak up the evening sun before prom as they anticipate the arrival of their dates.



Leah Di Matteo and Jared Allman model for a picture before making their way to the dance floor.



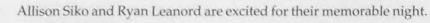




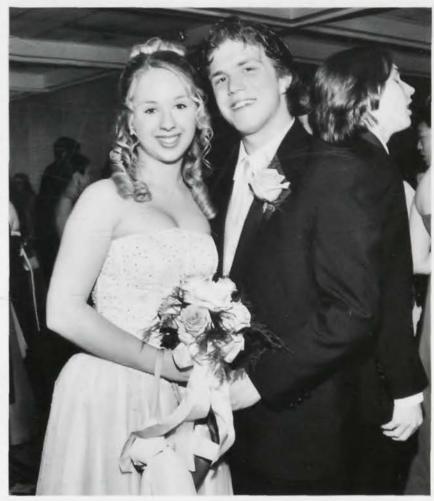


Elizabeth Trimble, Jennifer Frost, Brooke Austin and Leigh Mary Bannworth grab a quick snapshot before breaking it down on the dance floor.

Jacqueline Pena and Andrew Sinnenberg strike a quick pose for the camera before entering the world of prom.













Kaitlin Lipe dons a baby-pink colored rose on Zachary Rosenberg's tuxedo before meeting up with their prom party.

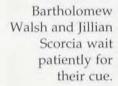
Middle Left: Meghana Limaye, Dorothy Chou, Pooja Patel, Stefanie Courtney, Sabrina Bengal and Kathleen Ferio take a breather in the lobby after rocking the dance floor.

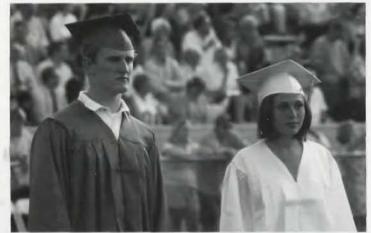
Shanna Vella, Jessica Guerriero, Kevin Macdonald, Lee Tomasso, Melissa Rosen and Sophie Hall get ready for an unforgettable night.

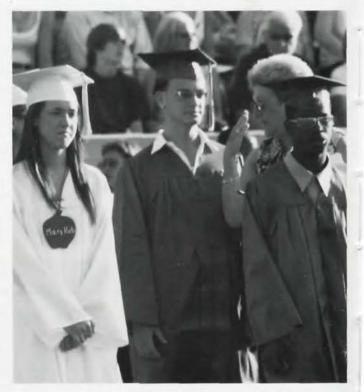
Graduation

"Be who you are and ray what you feel, because those who mind don't matter and those who matter don't mind."
— Dr. Seuss

Marykate Maher, Kevin Lance, and Jared Allman listen to Ms. Luckey's last minute advice.

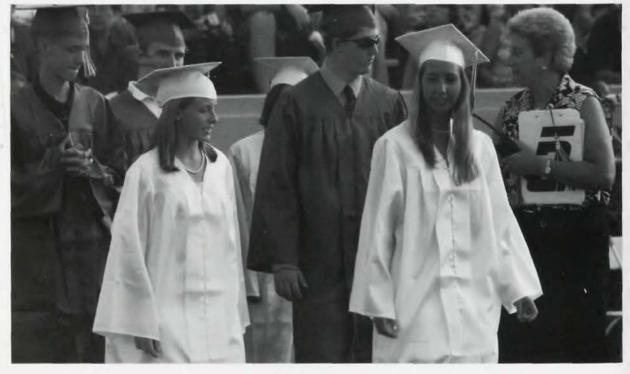




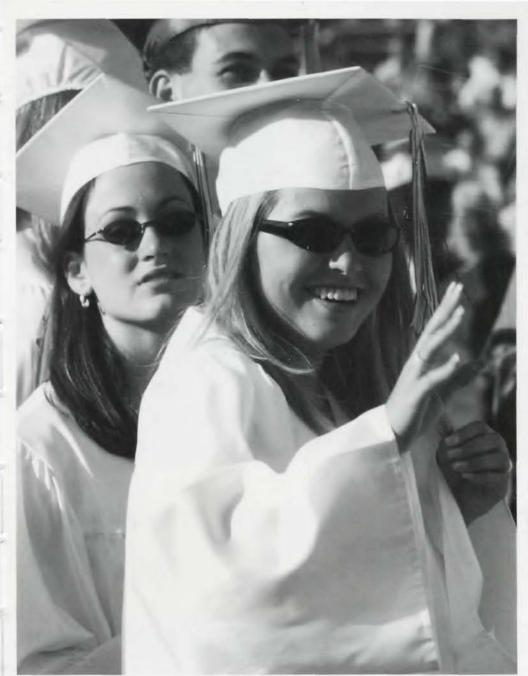




Catherine Rimondi and Theresa Nowicki gracefully walk up to the podium to receive their diplomas.



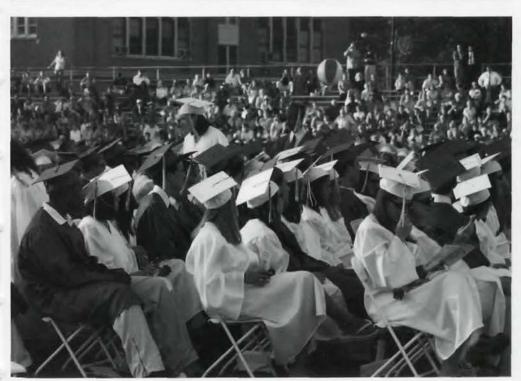
Ms. Luckey congratulates each graduate as they pass her.



Ashley Alvernez waves as Tara Amelia looks out to the crowd.

Mika Cruz looks nervous, awaiting her diploma.







For this senior, school is out at 2:45 for the last time.

The class of 2004 waits for Carolyn Harbaugh to begin her speech.

We Grow...

Senior Baby Pictures













Michael R. Adamcik

Michael D. Agresta

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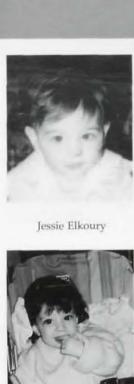
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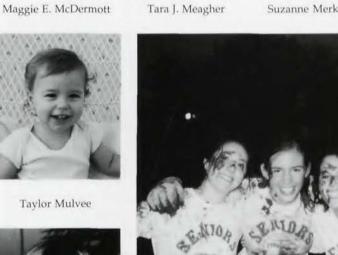
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"The secret of genius is to carry the spirit of childhood into maturity."

Dana Zichlin

Lorena Zamarelli

Zoe S. Zachariades

Christopher Zaffuto

—Thomas Henry Huxley

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Seniors

Their Sidekicks



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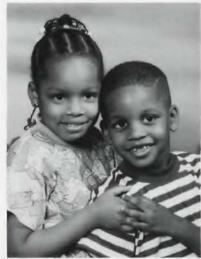
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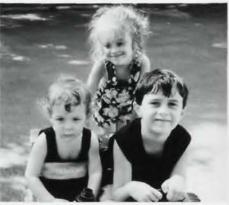
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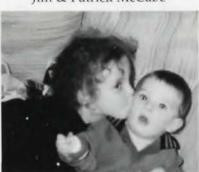




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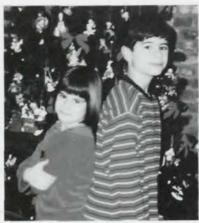
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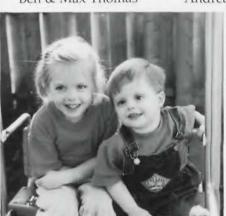
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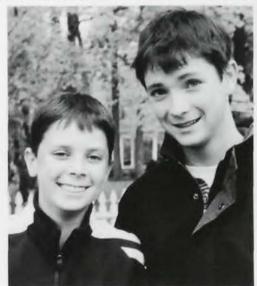


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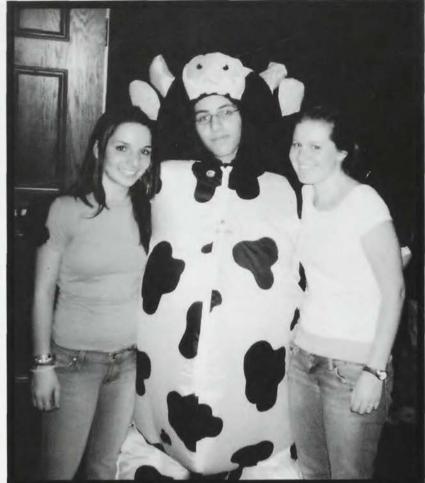
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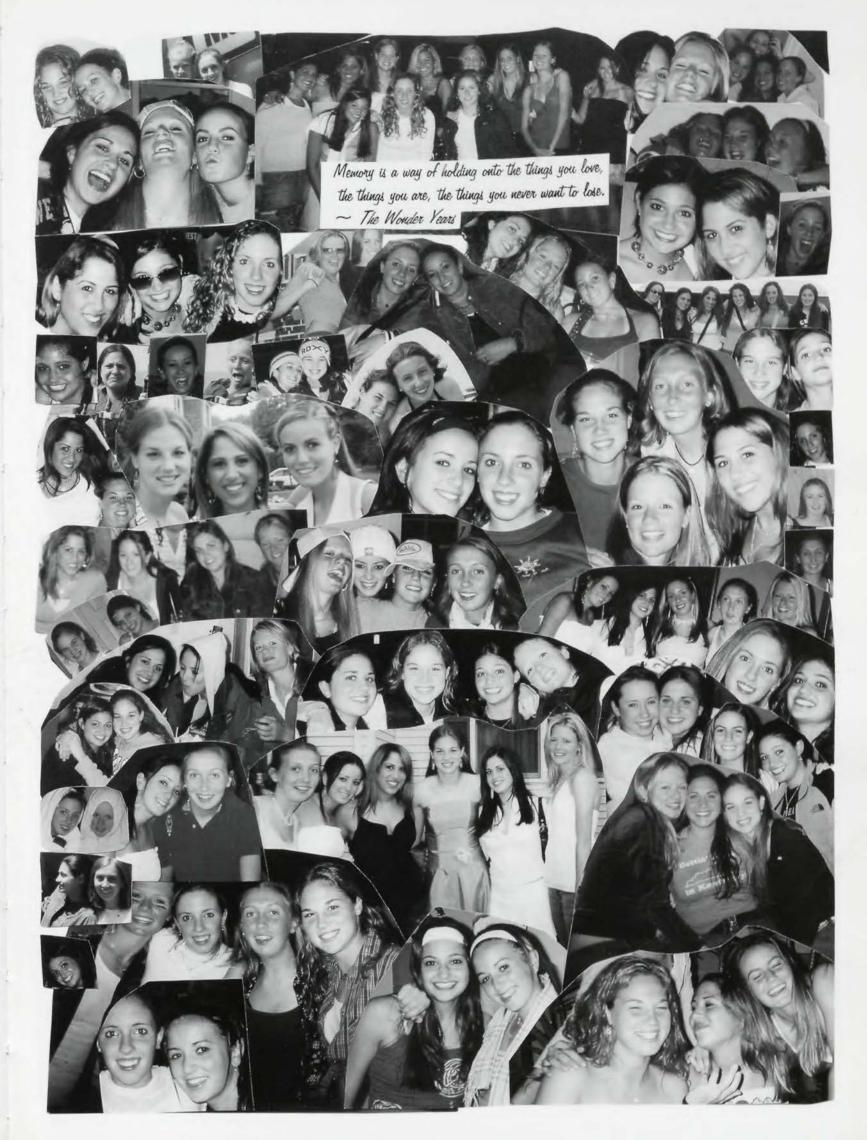


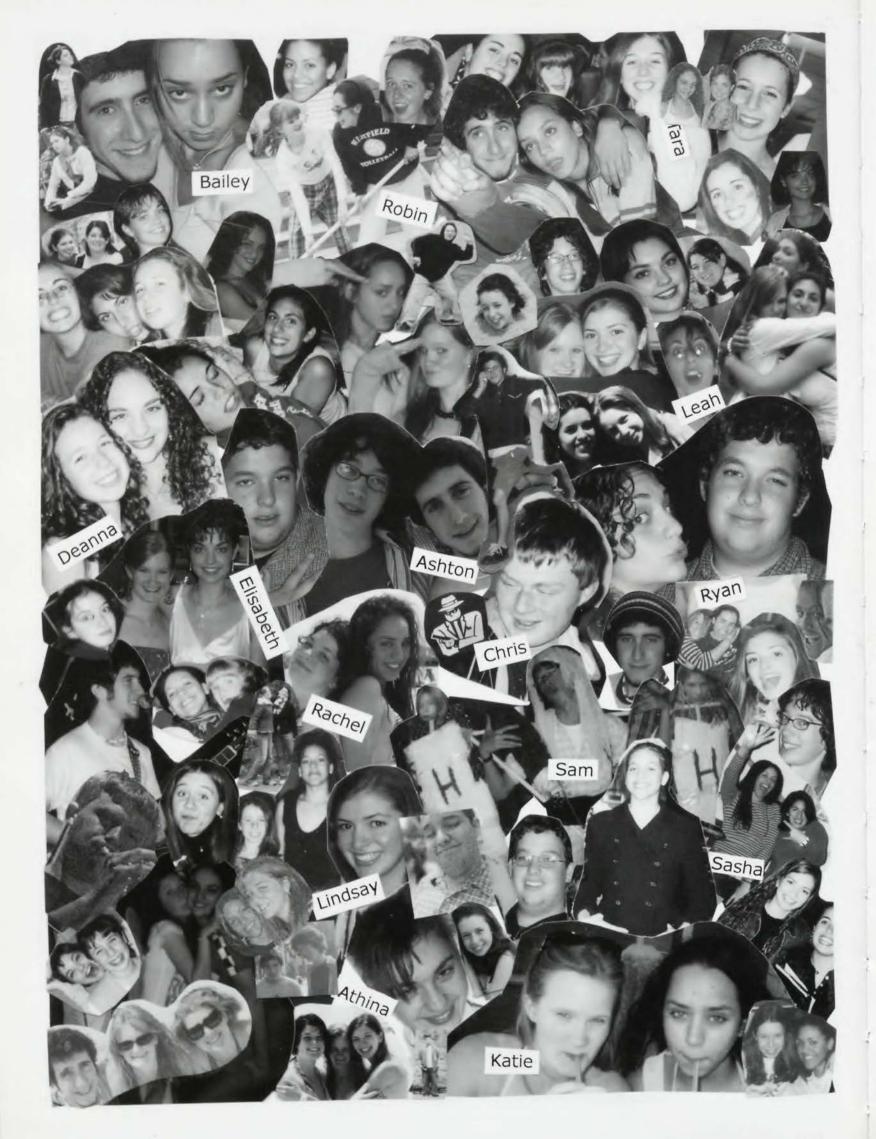






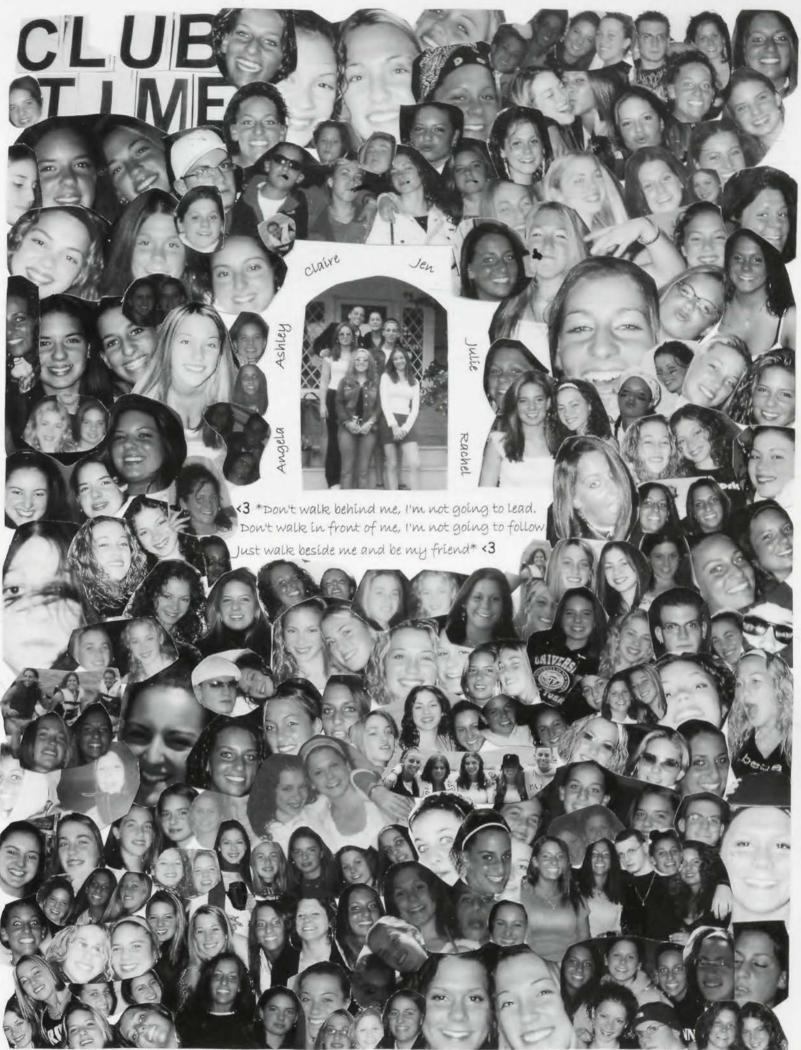












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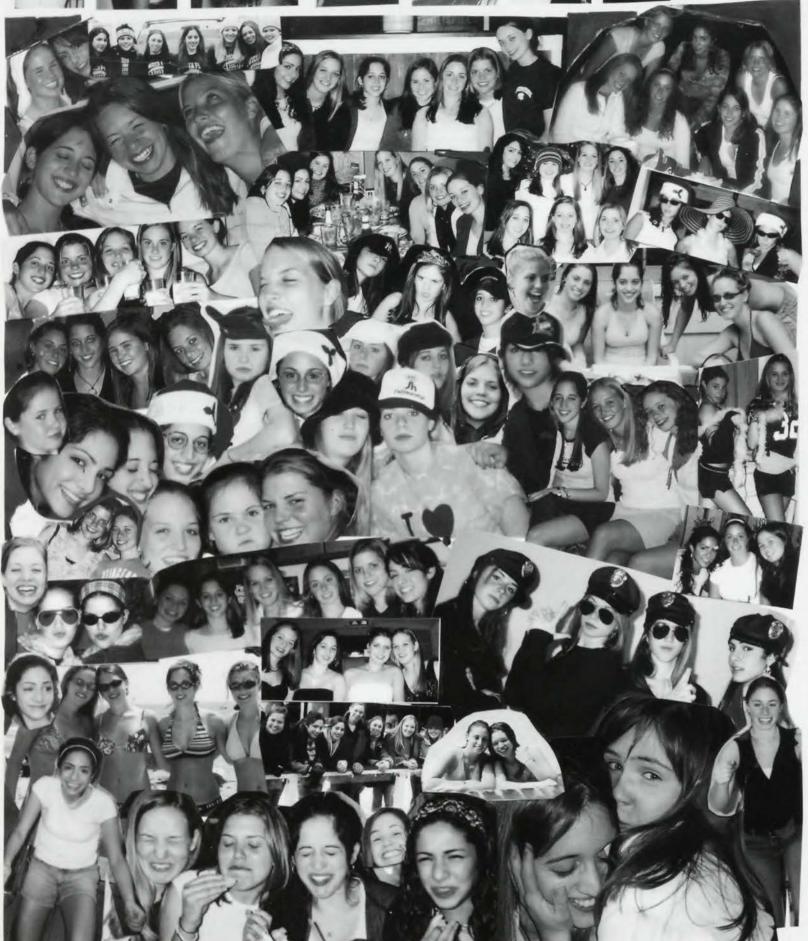








"My cheeks hurt from smiling" -Sloan























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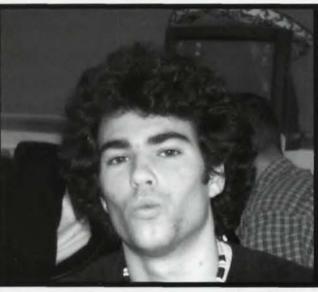


















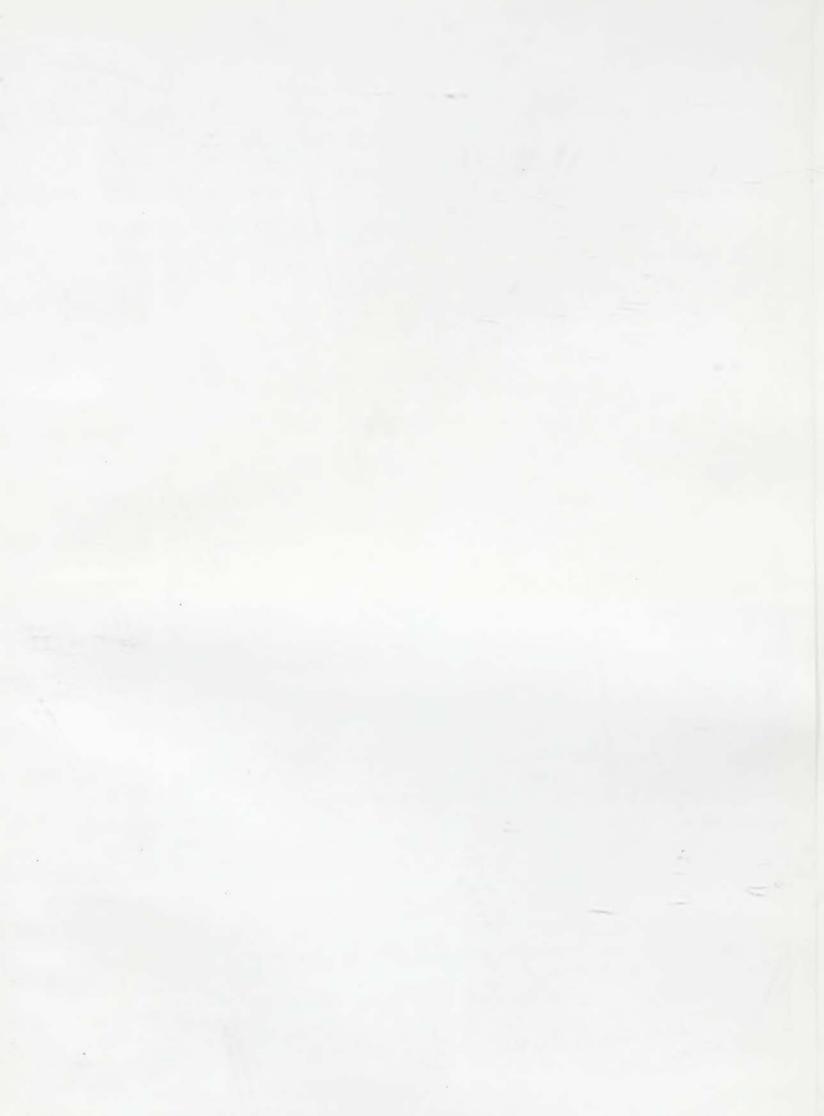








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