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*"Each child has his own individual expressions to offer to the world." - Stephanie Martson*



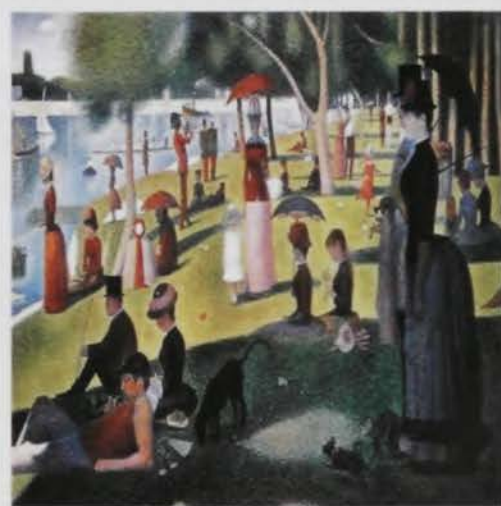
*A funny face; a rough sketch; a captivating scene; a self-portrait. Expression comes in varying forms, with each as unique as it is important. It inevitably yields and merits interpretation, which in turn enables us to revel in our individuality while also projecting our similarities. When as a group we examine a piece of artwork, or any form of artistic expression, each interpretation is unique; yet we are all looking at the same piece. In this manner, our differences connect us, on both a personal and societal level. For this reason, the Yearbook Staff has chosen Artistic Expression as the 2003-2004 yearbook theme. As we present art in its varying forms and styles, we seek to recognize and laud individuality while making ourselves more aware of the characteristics that unite us. — Amanda Reider, Class of 2004*

1. "Starry, Starry Night," Vincent Van Gogh. 2. "Water Lilies," Claude Monet. 3. "Still Life with Plate of Cherries," Paul Cezanne. 4. "Mona Lisa," Leonardo da Vinci. 5. "American Gothic," Grant Wood. 6. "Vegetable Soup," Andy Warhol. 7. "A Sunday Afternoon on the Island of La Grande Jatte," Georges Seurat. 8. "The Dance Class," Edgar Degas. 9. "Old Man with Guitar," Pablo Picasso.

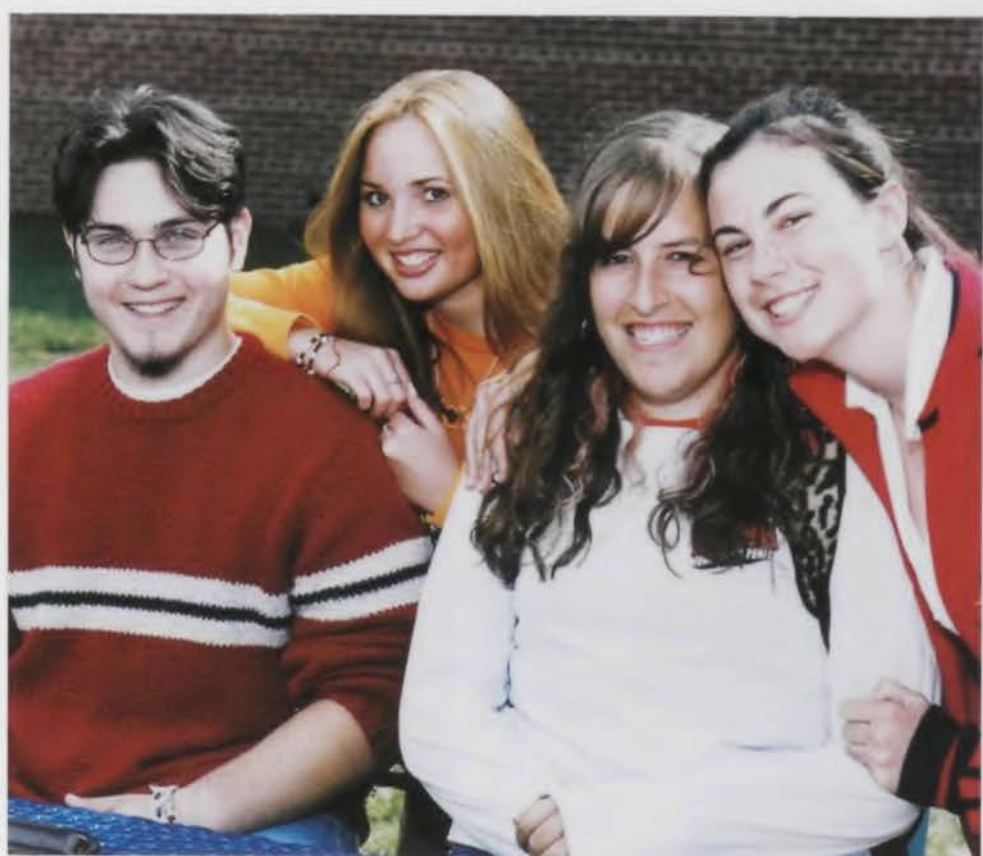
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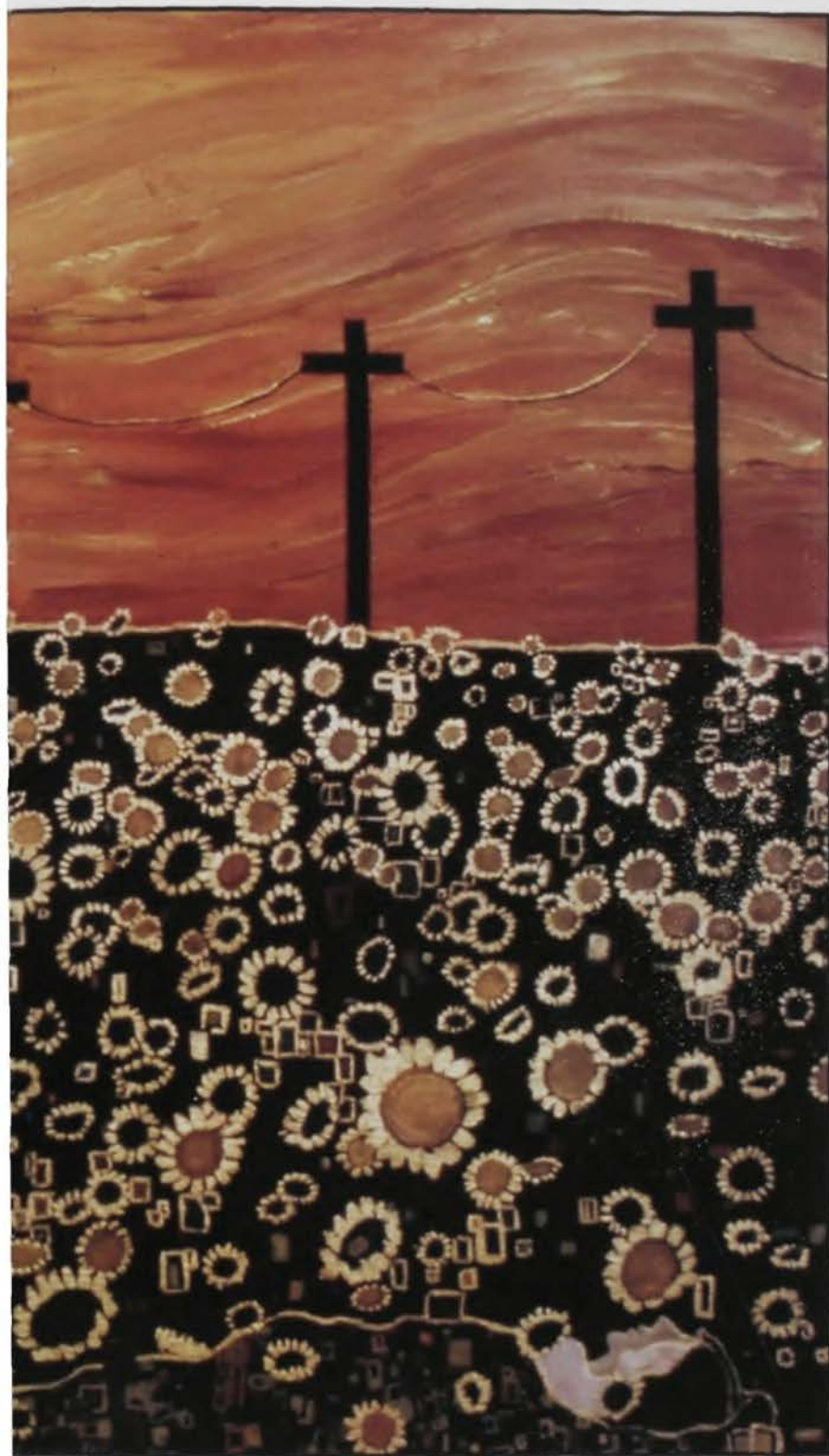












By Katherine Re

Throughout the years we have seen our siblings and friends pass through high school and find a place in the outer world. Now we find ourselves in our last year together. Now it is our turn to show humankind how much we can offer it.

Over the past twelve years we have shared joys and experiences in the comfort of a secure and supportive community. Now, we have the opportunity to use what we have learned from one another to find our place in the world.

So now for a note to the community that prepared us for the world...

**Auto Response from the class of 2004:**

"All changes are more or less tinged with melancholy, for what we are leaving behind is part of ourselves."

-Amelia E. Barr

—Hannah Burke,  
Senior Class President



## Class of 2004: The Masterpiece



















Jesse Abramowitz



Stephen Adamo

"Stick a fork in me; I'm done."  
-Kramer



Kimberly Adams



Katherine Albino



Prudence Alexander



Jared Allman



Ashley R. Alvernes



Tara Amelia

"It's kind of fun to do the impossible."

-Walt Disney

"If everything seems under control, you're just not going fast enough."

-Mario Andretti



Stephen Anderson

"Life is like a baseball game. When you think a fastball is coming, you gotta be ready to hit the curve."  
-Unknown



Brooke Austin



Brittany Avena



Carolyn Avis

"During your times of trial and suffering, when you see only one set of footprints it was then I carried you."

-Unknown

"Let the music take your mind."  
-Unknown



David Axelrod



Leigh Mary Bannworth

"Make sure you always find the silly in serious."

-Unknown



Aashish Bansal

"All you Punks and all you Teds, National Front and Natty Dreads, Mods, Rockers, Hippies, and Skinheads keep on fighting till your death."

-The Specials



Emily L. Barnes

"What lies behind us and what lies ahead of us are tiny matters compared to what lies within us."

-Oliver Wendell Holmes



Carl Baron



Christopher Barrasso



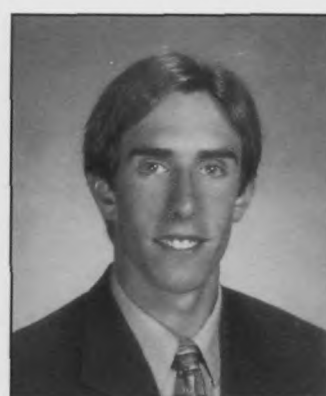
Alexander Barrett

"Everyone sees what you appear to be, but few really know who you are."

-Machiavelli

"...Even when I was wrong, I was always right..."

-NotorioS



Ryan M. Bartholomew

"Activity of mind is not necessarily strength of mind."

-Woodrow Wilson

"Barsh."

-Andrew Sinnenberg



Kevin M. Behr

"Sing for the laughter, sing for the tears."

-Aerosmith



Winsford Belle



Rebecca Bellovin

"I can no longer sit back and allow communist infiltration, communist indoctrination, communist subversion, and the international communist conspiracy to sap and impurify all of our precious bodily fluids."

-General Jack D. Ripper



Sabrina C. Bengal

"It's all about soul."

-Billy Joel





Lauren G. Bennett



Ravi Krishna Bharadwaj

"I was like a boy playing on the sea-shore, and diverting myself now and then finding a smoother pebble or a prettier shell than ordinary, whilst the great ocean of truth lay all undiscovered before me."

-Sir Isaac Newton



Rahul Bhasin



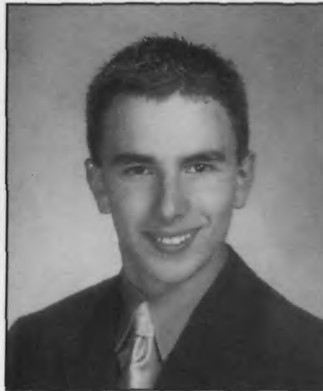
Brian Bigelow

"History will be kind to me, for I intend to write it."

-Sir Winston Churchill



Tyshon Blackmon



Maximilien Blanton

"I don't care to belong to a club that accepts people like me as members."

-Groucho Marx

"Those are my principles. If you don't like them I have others."

-Groucho Marx



Benjamin Bogen

"Man, I'm just trying to make it to the next day."

-Sean Perlman



John Boyd

"There's a time, there's a place for me."

-Red Hot Chili Peppers



Abigail M. Bramnick

"I'm annoyed!"

-Alyson Goodman

"No matter how unrealistic or naive it may seem always keep dreaming. . . No matter how hopeless or foolish it may seem always keep thinking."

-Tracy Chapman



Katherine M. Brown

"From age to age, nothing changes, and yet everything... is so completely different."

-Aldous Huxley



Kathryn Brucia



Nicole Brunetto

"Things are changing, we're growing apart, its not goodbye but a change in heart. The road we've traveled was just a start; I'm sure we'll meet again."

-Bryce Burkhart



Terrance Bryant



Erica Bucciarelli



Jennifer Buccino



Hannah A. Burke

"Finish every day and be done with it. You have done what you could; some blunders and absurdities crept in—forget them as soon as you can."

-Ralph Waldo Emerson



Ryan Burslem



Thomas Byrne III



Sean Callahan



Matthew Calvaruso

"He who trusts himself is a fool, but he who walks in wisdom is kept safe."

-Proverbs 228:26 King Solomon

"I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me."

-Philippians 4:13



Bradford Cantor



Sarah M. Caprario



Matthew Carlin



Lydia S. Carson

"I was taught a month ago to bide my time and take it slow, but then I learned just yesterday to rush and never waste the day."

-Tom Marshall

"Get off of my cloud!"

-Rolling Stones

"Let's bust this popsicle stand!"

-Rugrats

"I haven't committed a crime. What I did was fail to comply with the law."

-Ex-Mayor of NYC,  
David Dinkins

"Don't want to leave, but we both know sometimes it's better to go. Somehow I know we'll meet again, not sure quite where and I don't know just when you're in my heart, so until then, smile, don't want to cry saying goodbye."

-Unknown



Jennell Carter

"In the End, we will remember not the words of our enemies, but the silence of our friends."

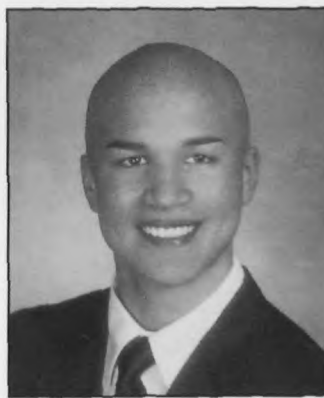
-Martin Luther King Jr.

"Nothing is going to be handed to you. You have to make things happen."

-Florence Griffith Joyner



Benjamin Cheah



Steven Cheah

"Don't let it end this way, tell them I said something."

-Poncho Villa



Michael Checchio



Jason Chironna

"For they can conquer who believe they can."

-Virgil



Yuri Choi

"To know even one life has breathed easier because you have lived...That is to have succeeded."

- R.W. Emerson



Dorothy Chou

"We can make our lives sublime, and, departing, leave behind us, footprints on the sands of time."

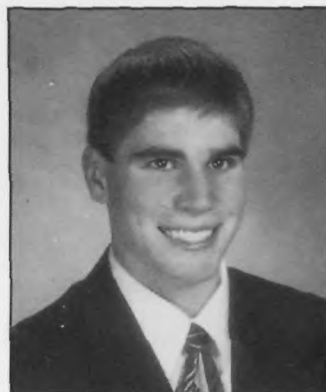
- Henry Wadsworth Longfellow



Brian Ciacciarelli

"I had an awesome time."

- Frank the Tank



Daniel Clark



Michael Clark



Aaron Clement



Jan Cocozziello





Nicole Cocuzza

"Growing up happens in a heart-beat. One day you're in diapers, next you're gone. But the memories of childhood stay with you for the long haul."

- *The Wonder Years*



Danielle Coleman

"There are places I'll remember, all my life though some have changed, some forever not for better, some have gone and some remain"

- The Beatles  
"In My Life"



Emily G. Colvin

"When the 4-club shows up and says 'make lemonade' think, 'I like lemons... WHAT ELSE YA GOT?'"

-Henry Rollins



Jessica Conner

"Remember that no one can make you feel inferior without your consent."

-Eleanor Roosevelt

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

-Eleanor Roosevelt



Christine Connor

"What lies behind us and what lies before us are tiny matters compared to what lies within us."

-Ralph Waldo Emerson



Christopher Coriasco

"I love deadlines. I like the whooshing sound as they fly by."

-Douglas Adams

"What if this weren't a hypothetical question?"

-Unknown



Stefanie Courtney

"When I'm old I'm never going to say, 'I didn't do this' or 'I regret that.' I'm going to say 'I don't regret a thing. I came, I went, and I did it all.'"

-Kim Basinger



Alex C. Crawford

"These days go by like trucks and trains. Some hit so hard you barely feel a thing."

- Alkaline Trio



Mikaela Cruz



Annika Danielsson

"Of all the things I have lost, I miss my mind the most."

-Mark Twain



Samantha B. Davis



Christopher De Freitas



Alexandra DeJohn

"People come into our lives for a reason, a season, or a lifetime, all leaving behind memories never to be forgotten."

-Unknown



Joshua Dennerlein

"What does everyone want more than anything when they come to a concert? ... BEADS!!!"

- Roy the Bead Man



Dianna D. DePalmer

"Fear can hold you prisoner, hope can set you free."

- *Shawshank Redemption*



Robert DeProspero

Bubba: "Have you ever been on a shrimp boat?"

Forrest: "No, but I've been on a real big boat."

-Forrest Gump



Matthew F. Desantis



Alexandra Devlin



Jonathan Dickstein

"People sometimes say we take things too seriously, but it's the only way you'll get anywhere. We're not going to sit around and wait and just be happy if something turns up. We are ambitious. You have to be."

-Thom York



Luke DiMatteo

"I'll teach you how to stunt."

- G-Unit



Everett Donelson



Noelle Ebler



Katherine Eckman

"Change can be so constant you don't even feel the difference 'til there is one."

- *Life as a House*



Sagiv Edelman

"Better to remain silent and be thought a fool, than to speak and remove all doubt."

- Abraham Lincoln

"For myself I am an optimist — it doesn't seem to be much use being anything else."

-Sir Winston Churchill



Brendan J. Egan



Ian Eldridge



Jeremy Ettinger



Alicia Fairfax

"I've got so much trouble on my mind that it feels just like I'm always sleepin' with the enemy. Yea, but I know the real world always gets the last word in, that's why I gotta kick reality."

-Bradley James Nowell

"Yesterday is gone, tomorrow isn't promised, today is a gift, that's why it's called the present... enjoy it."

- Unknown



Rebecca Fallon

"It's not the things you cannot do that make you what you are. It's doing good with what you've got that allows you to go far."

-Unknown



Sean A.N. Faust



Kathleen Ferio

"The dawn of a new day means the dawn of a new life. Whatever your yesterdays have been, tomorrow may be different. Tomorrow may hold your fate. . .The splendor of the future lies in the eternal tomorrow, the day for which life is worth living."

- Helen Steiner Rice



Maxine Fertig-Cohen

"And the thing is...after all these years, I still look back...with wonder."

- The Wonder Years



Elizabeth Fetisoff

"What lies behind us and what lies before us are tiny matters compared to what lies within us."

-Ralph Waldo Emerson



Amy Fiorino

"I guess sometimes you have to grow apart to keep growing together."

- The Wonder Years



Lily Flast



Suzanna Fowler

"Life, I love you, All is groovy."

-Simon & Garfunkel



Daniel Francis

"Can't stop the spirits when they need you, this life is more than just a read through."

-Red Hot Chili Peppers



Monique Franklin

"If you love something let it go. If it comes back to you it's yours. If it doesn't it never was."

-Unknown



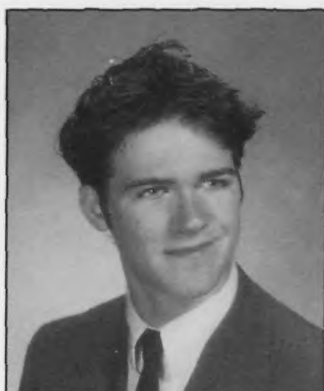
Laura Freire

"My mother always used to say: 'The older you get, the better you get...unless you're a banana.'"

-Rose Nylund



Carolyn Freundlich



Steven P. Fromtling

"There he goes. One of God's own prototypes. Some kind of high powered mutant never even considered for mass production. Too weird to live, and too rare to die."

-Hunter S. Thompson



Jennifer Frost

"I rolled on as the sky grew dark; I put the pedal down to make some time; there's something good waitin' down this road; I'm pickin' up whatever's mine."

-Tom Petty



Milan Fry

"Play the game, but don't believe in it — that much you owe yourself. Play the game, but play it your own way — part of the time at least. Play the game, but raise the ante, my boy. Learn how it operates, learn how you operate."

-Ralph Ellison



Lauren Gale



Claire M. Ganley

"Slow down, you move to fast; you gotta make the morning last."

-Simon & Garfunkel



Ariel Garfinkel

"We could just not talk or talk forever, and still find things to not talk about."

-Best in Show



Beverly Gee

"It eluded us then, but that's no matter — tomorrow we will run faster, stretch out our arms futher. . . and one fine morning — so we beat on, boats against the current, borne back ceaselessly against the past."

-F. Scott Fitzgerald



Katherine Geenbergh

"... And then I remember to stop trying to hold on to it, and I can't help but feel anything but gratitude for every single moment of my stupid, little life."

-Lester Burnham,  
*American Beauty*





Danielle Gelber

"There is nothing like returning to a place that remains unchanged to find the ways in which you yourself have altered."

-Nelson Mandela

"You can tell a lot about a fellow's character by his way of eating jellybeans."

-Ronald Reagan



Amanda Genova

"In the end, only kindness matters."

-Jewel



Adam Gerckens



Nicholas Gismondi



Montel M. Glasco



Erin G. Goldberger

"The procedure involved in your path to Nirvana may meander, but a ride worth traveling will have its twists and turns."

-Kevin Smith



Wayne Gomillion

"Your future is knocking at your door, are you ready to open it? For all my friends that are opening that door, I wish them the best of luck."

-W.G.



Christopher Gonzalez

"If I should die tomorrow, I will have no regrets. I did what I wanted to do. You can't expect more from life."

-Bruce Lee



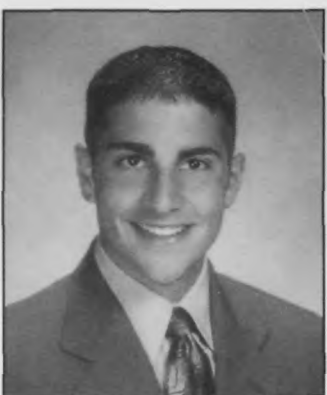
Alyson D. Goodman

"...But I don't ever want to sound negative about going crazy . . . Frankly, goin' crazy was the best thing that ever happened to me."

-Jane Wagner

"...That is the best, to laugh with someone because you both think the same things are funny."

-Gloria Vanderbilt



Scott Grau

"When I think back on all the crap I learned in high school, it's a wonder I can think at all."

-Paul Simon



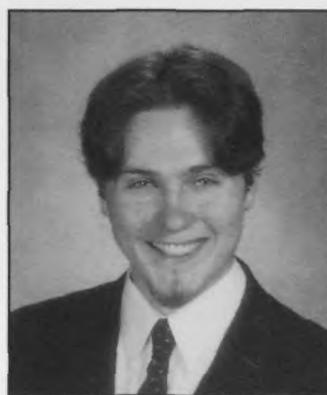
Deidre Griffiths

"...I won't do what ya tell me."

-Rage Against the Machine

"If you remember nothing else, remember this."

-Unknown



Scott S. Grobstein



Allison Grow



Paula Guerra



Jessica Guerriero



Samuel Gurdus

"Your memory is a way of holding on to what you are, what you love, and what you never want to lose."

-*The Wonder Years*

"The people you care about, you never really say goodbye to."

-*The Real World*

"The difference between a successful person and others is not a lack of strength, not a lack of knowledge, but rather a lack of will."

-Vince Lombardi



Matilda V. Gwathney

"'You're still alive,' she said. 'But do I deserve to be? Is that the question? And if so . . . who answers?'"

-Pearl Jam

"When scarlet rises, I am free."

-Matilda Gwathney



Thomas F. Hailu



Kirsten A. Hall



Sophie Hall

"Where you end up isn't the most important thing. It's the road you take to get there. The road you take is what you'll look back on and call your life."

-Tim Wiley



Christina Hamway

"Twenty years from you now will be more disappointed by the things you didn't do than by the ones you did. So throw off the bowlines, sail away from the safe harbor. Catch the trade winds in your sails."

-Mark Twain



Carolyn E. Harbaugh

"Nostalgia—that's the Autumn, Dreaming through September, Just a million lovely little things, I will always remember."

-Jacqueline Bouvier Kennedy



Rahdee Harrison



Erika L. Hasenfus

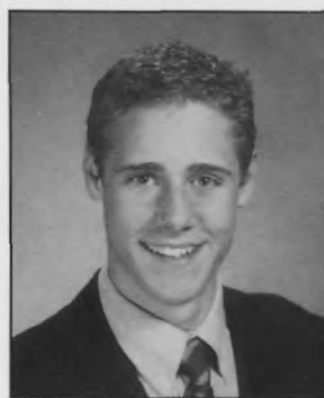


David Hedman



Danielle C. Heffernan

"Hope is a good thing, maybe the best of things. And no good thing ever dies."  
-*Shawshank Redemption*



Christian F. Heinen

"Freedom is not free."  
-Korean War Veterans Memorial



Francis Heo

"Why?"

-Sarah Herman



Sarah Herman

"Why not?"

-Francis Heo



Lily Hershkowitz

"You're only young once, so stay young forever."

-Dave Stearns



David C. Hewit Jr.



Sarah M. Hoban

"Heroes get remembered but legends never die. Follow your heart kid, and you never go wrong."

-*The Sandlot*



Kevin Hobson

"The only source of knowledge is experience."

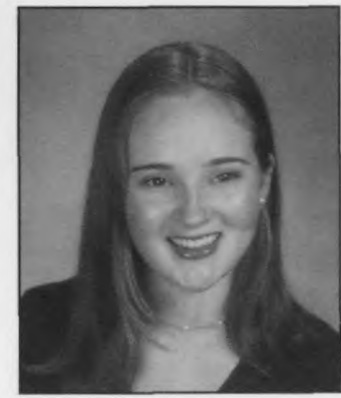
-Albert Einstein



Matthew Hodges



Taylor L. Hogarth



Samantha Hooper-Hamersley

"Some people come into our lives and quickly go. Others stay for awhile and leave footprints on our hearts, and we are never, ever the same."

-Unknown



Johnny Howell



Carrie Hubbard



Michael K. Huber



Sabrina L. Hurley

"Let's go back. Back to the beginning."

-Hilary Duff

"I'm as free as a bird . . . now."

-Lynyrd Skynyrd



Dakota Hurtt



Heather Idland



Giuseppe Insinga



David Israelow

"Can't nobody take my pride, can't nobody hold me down, oh no I got to keep on movin'."

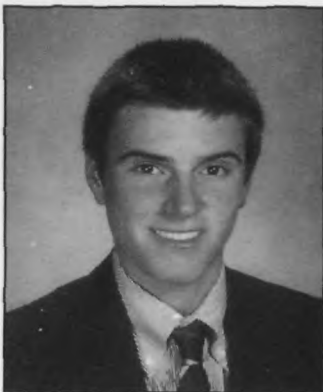
-Notorious B.I.G.

"Believe nothing, no matter where you read it or who said it, not even if I have said it, unless it agrees with your own reason and your common sense."

-Buddha

"Man, it doesn't matter what color you are, you just gotta let the music speak for itself."

-Cedric



Peter Itz



Michael J. Ivan



Steven Jacobsen



Alec I. Jaslow

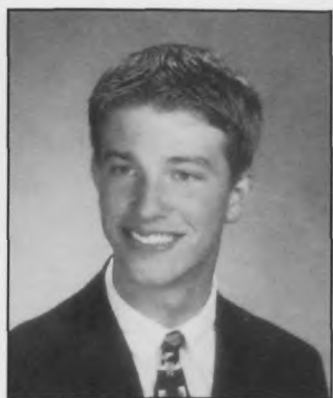
"The most wasted of all days is one without laughter."

-e.e. Cummings

"Every now and then say what the hell! What the hell gives you freedom — Freedom brings opportunity — Opportunity makes your future."

-Miles,  
Risky Business





Anthony Johnson

"Life is far too important a thing ever to talk seriously about."

-Oscar Wilde



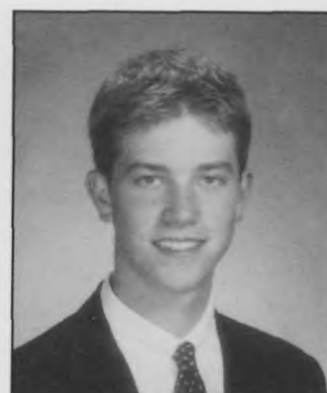
Christopher Johnson



Elliott Johnson

"So do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will bring worries of its own. Today's trouble is enough for today."

-Matthew 7:8



Paul Johnson

"This is your test. Every path you have trod through wilderness, through war, has led to this road."

-J.R.R. Tolkien



Tiffany R. Johnson



Elizabeth K. Joyce

"Well I guess I just bought my ticket, honey 'cause it feels like the ride has just begun."

-Neil Young



Jack H. Joyce



Hee Hoon (Peter) Kang



Andrew Kaufhold

"Have you ever noticed? Anybody going slower than you is an idiot, and anybody going faster than you is a maniac."

-George Carlin



Elizabeth Keating

"Life is a comedy for those who think and a tragedy for those who feel."

-Anna Quindlen



Christine Kessler

"Beginnings are scary, endings are usually sad, but it's the middle that counts."

-Hope Floats



Katherine Kielar

"Two roads diverged in a wood, and I—I took the one less traveled by, and that has made all the difference."

-Robert Frost,  
"The Road Not Taken"





Thomas Killian

"The road goes on and on, down from the door where it began. Now far ahead the road has gone, and I must follow, if I can, pursuing it with eager feet, until it joins some larger way, where many paths and errands meet. And whither then? I cannot say."

-J.R.R. Tolkien



Chunggha Steve Kim



Somi Kim

"Life is a tragedy when seen in close — up, but a comedy in long-shot."

-Charlie Chaplin

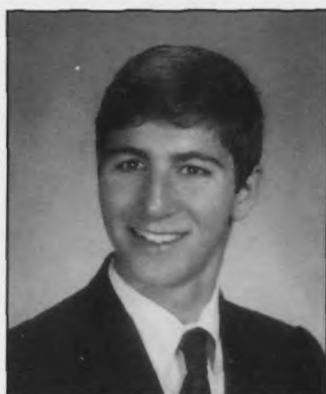


Britton W. Kimmins

"I am the cheese. I am the best character on the show. I am better than both the salami and the bologna combined."

-Filburt, *Rocco's Modern Life*  
"Where's the fun in being unnecessarily serious?"

-Britton Kimmins



Gregory S. Kivetz

"So throw off the bowlines, sail away from the safe harbor, catch the trade winds in your sails. Explore, dream, and discover."

-Mark Twain



Timothy Kolenut

"There's a way to get there, and I'll figure it out somehow. But I'm already there in my mind, and that's good enough for now."

-Bob Dylan

"You reeeally missed it. You should have been here yesterday"

-Bruce Brown



Jason Kolterjahn



Wai-Ching Kong



Joseph D. Korfmacher

"I swear I grew up in the hood of Arkansas!"

-Joseph D. Korfmacher



Neil Kroncke



Kimberly Lam

"Life is no brief candle to me. It is a sort of splendid torch which I have got hold of for the moment, and I want to make it burn as brightly as possible before handing it on to future generations."

-George Bernard Shaw



Hrvoje Landeka





Roche Landolf



Kevin Lantz



David Lanza



Anthony Lavecchia



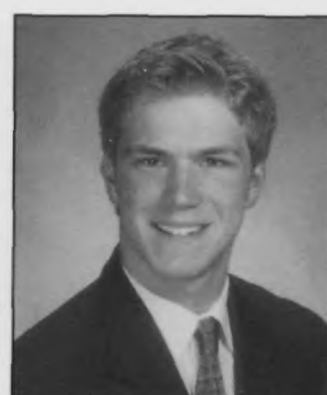
Kelli Layton



Rachel Lazar



Jacqueline Le Blanc



Ryan Leonard

"Your vision will become clearer only when you look into your heart. Who looks outside, dreams. Who looks inside, awakens."  
-Carl Jung

"I've heard it said, that people came into our lives for a reason, bringing something we must learn. And we are led to those who help us most to grow. I know I am who I am today because I knew you."  
-Stephen Schwartz,  
*Wicked*

"Don't ask me who I am, what I want, where I'm going. Ask yourself, who are you to ask me."  
-Unknown

"Thanks for listening."  
-Steven Spielberg



Christopher Leone



James Leong



Jared Leung



Sarah Liebowitz

"My advice to you is not to inquire why of whither, but just enjoy your ice cream while it's on your plate."  
-Thornton Wilder,  
*In Happiness*

"Old friends, old friends, sat on a park bench like bookends, a newspaper blown through the grass, falls on round toes, of the high shoes of the old friends, can you imagine us years from today, sharing a park bench quietly, how terribly strange to be seventy."  
-Simon & Garfunkel



Meghana Limaye

"Wherever you are, it is your own friends who make your world."  
-William James



Kaitlin Lipe

"Far away there in the sunshine are my highest aspirations. I may not reach them, but I can look up and see their beauty, believe in them and try to follow where they lead."

-Louisa May Alcott



Cassandra Lo

"This is the story of what it's like to be in high school . . . when all one requires is that perfect song on that perfect drive to feel infinite."

-Steven Chbosky



Jourdan Loffredo



Caitlin L. Lojo

"It does not do to dwell on dreams and forget to live."  
-Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone



Kristina Lucarelli

"We don't even have pictures, just memories to hold that grow sweeter each season as we slowly grow old."

-Toad the Wet Sprocket



Jeremy MacKechnie

"And in the end, it's not the years in your life that count. It's the life in your years."

-Abraham Lincoln



Christopher MacDonald



Kevin Macdonald

"You can't stay mad at somebody who makes you laugh . . . Yes, behind every great man there's a woman rolling her eyes folks."

-Jim Carrey

"The supreme irony of life is that hardly anyone gets out of it alive."

-Robert Heinlein



Gabrielle Mahar

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

-Tim McGraw



Marykate Maher

"You who are on the road must have a code that you can live by. And so, become yourself, because the past is just a goodbye."

-Graham Nash



Brian Mahoney

"The world is yours . . ."

-Scarface

"Look at me, Mom. I made it. I'm ok."

-Wet Hot American Summer





Rachel Mandragona

"Go out on a limb. That's where the fruit is."

-Jimmy Carter



Dana Ann Marra

"Be what you'll be."

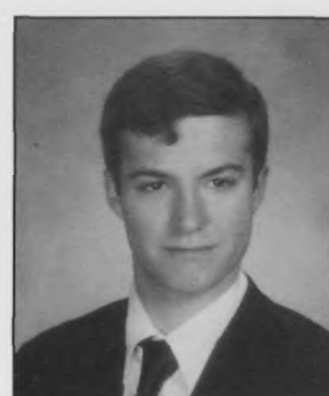
-Nick Drake



Jennie T. Mathew

"Growing up happens in a heartbeat. All the memories of childhood stay with you for the long haul. And the thing is, after all these years, I still look back . . . with wonder."

-The Wonder Years



Jeffrey Mathews

"It's a magical world ol' buddy, let's go exploring."

-Bill Watterson



Jillianne May

"The secret of a good memory is attention, and attention to a subject depends upon our interest in it. We rarely forget that which has made a deep impression on our minds."

-Tryon Edwards



Robert J. Mc Hone



Alison McCabe

"'It's snowing still,' said Eeyore gloomily. 'And freezing. However,' he said, brightening up a little, 'we haven't had an earthquake lately.'"

-A.A. Milne



Kathleen McCrea

"5<sup>th</sup> times a charm."

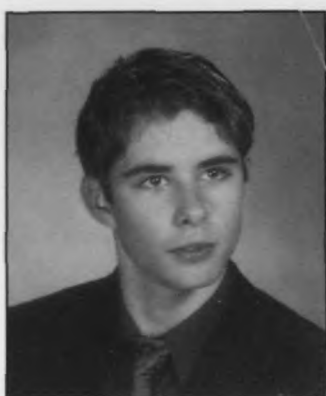
-Kathleen McCrea & Sean Faust



Margaret McCrea

"Actin' funny but I don't know why, 'scuse me while I kiss the sky."

-Jimi Hendrix



Robert C. McGowan

"You can say you were played by the fate . . . But it's the choices you make that design your destiny."

-Unknown



Katherine McGrath

"Our four years here have all become unraveled, and so our high school story finally ends. But years from now, no matter where we've traveled we'll all look back and think about our friends."

-Saved by the Bell



Alexandra McMahon



Matthew McManus

"A man is a success if he gets up in the morning and gets to bed at night, and in between he does what he wants to do."

-Bob Dylan



Robert M. Mench

"Let me forget about today until tomorrow."

-Bob Dylan



Lauren M. Meriton

"We make a living by what we get, make a life by what we give."

-Sir Winston Churchill



Jason Mesches

"I like nonsense, it wakes up the brain cells. Fantasy is a necessary ingredient in living. It's a way of looking at life through the wrong end of a telescope, which is what I do, and that enables you to laugh."

-Dr. Seuss



Stephen Meyer

"If you don't learn to laugh at troubles, you won't have anything to laugh at when you grow old."

-Edward W. Howe



Cassandra E. Miller



Jacob Mirsky



Matthew R. Mitchell

"I'll be back! You can't keep the Democrats out of the White House forever, and when they're in, I'll be back on the streets! With all my criminal buddies."

-Sideshow Bob,  
*The Simpsons*



Richard Moran

"We cannot change our past, people's actions, or the inevitable. The only thing we can do is play on the one thing that we have, and that is our attitude. I am convinced that life is 10% what happens to me and 90% how I react to it."

-Charles Swindoll



Lyndsey D. Mroz

"In the End, we will remember not the words of our enemies, but the silence of our friends."

-Martin Luther King Jr.

"Go confidently in the direction of your dreams. Live the life you have imagined."

-Henry David Thoreau



David A. Muroff

"I want to marry a girl that smiles while she sleeps."

-Unknown



Lauren C. Musacchia

"Don't want to leave, but we both know sometimes it's better to go. Somehow I know we'll meet again, not sure quite where, so until then, smile, don't want to cry saying goodbye."

-The Muppets

"Do motorcycles have four wheel drive for the snow?"

-Alyson Guerriero





Pamela Musat

"Hey Mr. Grumpy Gills. When life gets you down do you wanna know what you've gotta do? Just keep swimming."

-Dory,  
*Finding Nemo*

"Yeah Band."

-Pamela Musat



Nicole Mutaffis



Scott D. Nadel

"As problems arise time after time, I will always find the strength to conquer and climb."

-Unknown



Jennifer Napiorski

"Shoot for the moon. Even if you miss, you'll still land among the stars."

-Les Brown



Laura Nash

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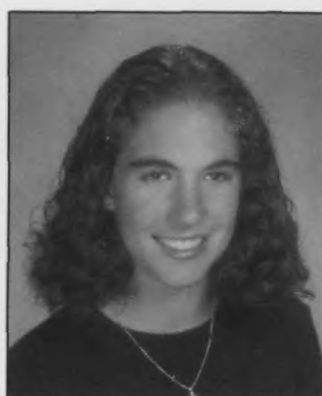
-Sir Winston Churchill



Lyda Negron

"Keep on going. Never say never. Take one step at a time. Don't give up. Savor the victories. Try not to dwell on defeat. Don't be afraid to make mistakes. Learn from the ones you do make. Dare, risk. Take chances. Keep your chin up. Believe in yourself."

-Unknown



Amanda Nehring

"The memories of yesterday will last a lifetime. We'll take the best, forget the rest, and someday we'll find these are the best of times."

-Styx



Alexandria K. Newton



Katherine J. Nicol



Adam Seth Novick



Theresa Nowicki



Yasmin Nozari



Jeffrey Nusse

"All life is an experiment."  
-Ralph Waldo Emerson



Michael P. O'Connor



Polina Opelbaum

"Man is least himself when he talks  
in his own person. Give him a mask,  
and he will tell you the truth."  
-Oscar Wilde



Stacy Osborn

"It will happen once again, I'll turn  
to a friend, someone that under-  
stands and sees through the mas-  
ter plan. But everybody's gone and  
I've been here for too long to face  
this on my own . . . Well I guess  
this is growing up."

-Blink 182



Alan Ozdamar

"Chill out and ride the wave of  
life."  
-Alan Ozdamar



Danielle Palentchar



David Palma

"You can design and create, and  
build the most wonderful place in  
the world. But it takes people to  
make the dream a reality."  
-Walt Disney



Ryan E. Palumbo



Lisa Panarese

"These walls are kind of funny,  
first you hate'em, then you get  
used to 'em."  
-Shawshank Redemption



Matthew Parness



Pooja Patel

"Keep your face to the sunshine,  
and you can't see the shadows."  
-Helen Keller



Jenna Patterson





Carolyn Pecoraro

"With God, all things are possible."  
-St. Paul  
"Without the bad days there would  
be no good days."  
-Snapple Cap



Jacqueline Pena

"Absolutely no regrets."  
-Madonna



Sean Perlman

"Carpe Diem . . . Seize the carpe."  
-Out Cold



Alison V. Petrow

"For long you'll live, and high  
you'll fly, and smiles you'll give,  
and tears you'll cry, and all you  
touch, and all you see is all your  
life will be ever be."  
-Pink Floyd



Alan Piesco

"Bring on the garbage."  
-Unknown



Laura Pietruszki

"You're still here? . . . It's over . . .  
Go home."  
-Ferris Bueller



Brian J. Pirot



Melissa Pizor

"All my time is frozen in motion,  
can't I stay an hour or two or more,  
don't let me let you go. Here's to  
the nights we felt alive, here's to  
the tears you knew we'd cry, here's  
to goodbye, tomorrow's gonna  
come too soon."  
-Eve 6



Brian J. Porter



Laura Powers



Cailin Przybylski



Gregory J. Psomas

"In a room you can build a home.  
Plant the seed, life begins to grow.  
When it's outgrown life inside,  
how will it live and will it survive  
on its own outside? I'm ready to  
go now. Yes, I'm ready to go now."  
-The Living End



Patrick Purcell



Eadaoin Quinn

"As soon as you're born you start dying, so you might as well have a good time. Sheep go to heaven. Goats go to hell."

-Cake



Erica S. Raiff

"Things change, people change, but it doesn't mean you forget the past. It simply means that you move on, and treasure all the memories."

-Unknown



Katherine L. Re

"How old would you be if you didn't know how old you was?"

-Satchel Paige



Alex Regenstreich

"What lies behind us and what lies before us are tiny matters compared to what lies within us."

-Ralph Waldo Emerson



Amanda C. Reider

"Everything has its beauty, but not everyone sees it."

-Confucius



Margaret Reynolds

"Yesterdays are over my shoulder so I can't look back for too long. There's just too much to see waiting in front of me and I know that I just can't go wrong."

-Jimmy Buffett



Katherine O. Riddle



David B. Riggs

"Politics is the art of looking for trouble, finding it everywhere, diagnosing it incorrectly and applying the wrong remedies."

-Groucho Marx



Catherine A. Rimondi

"But I'm at the end of a new frontier, here at the edge of the flat earth ending, I'm getting off to get lost in the air."

-Counting Crows



Aurora Rivendale

"I know but one freedom, and that is the freedom of mind."

-Antoine de Saint-Exupery



Stephen Rizzetta





Cedric Roach



Melissa Rosen

"This is the time to remember 'cause it will not last forever, these are the days to hold onto 'cause you won't although we'll want to."

-Billy Joel



Zachary Rosenberg



Matthew F. Rowe

"Do not spoil what you have by desiring what you have not; remember that what you now have was once among the things you only hoped for."

-Epicurus



Andrew Royston

"Too many people grow up. That's the real trouble with the world, too many people grow up. They don't remember what it's like to be 12 years old. They patronize, they treat children as inferiors. Well I won't do that."

-Walt Disney



Meredith Rucinsky

"Do you like dreaming of things so impossible, or only the practical, or ever the wild?"

-Chris Carraba



Thomas M. Ruiz

"It's only the end when you call the game."

-Unknown

"All you have to decide, is what to do with the time that's given to you."

-Gandalf



Alice Ryan

"Hold fast to dreams, for if dreams die, life is a broken winged bird that cannot fly."

-Langston Hughes



Rebecca Sabreen

"So I guess we are who we are for a lot of reasons. And maybe we'll never know 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 there."

-Stephen Chbosky,  
*The Perks of Being a Wallflower*



Carolina Safar



Scott Saggio



Michael J. Salomon

"Though the course may change sometimes, the rivers always reach the sea."

-Robert Plant



Neril Sandeep

"No place affords a more striking conviction of the vanity of human hopes than a public library."  
-Samuel Johnson



Brian Sanders



Christina Santilli

"Every new beginning comes from some other beginning's end."  
-Semisonic



Eric Schafer



Joshua Schoenfeld

"I'm with stupid." →



Matthew Schoenfeld

← "I'm with stupid."



Gillian Scoria



Shawn Scott



Tyler A. Seeger



Tarik Shah

"Sometimes the spaghetti likes to be alone."

-Primo,  
*Big Night*



Adam D. Sharpe

"This is to dreaming; this is to believing that you'll be picking up the pieces when I'm gone. This is to partying; this is to living. This is to packing up my stuff and moving on."

-Day At The Fair



Michael N. Sheflin

"There are places I remember all my life. Though some have changed — some forever not for better. In my life, I've loved them all."

-The Beatles





Laura Shelman

"They love to tell you stay inside the lines, but something's better on the other side."

-John Mayer



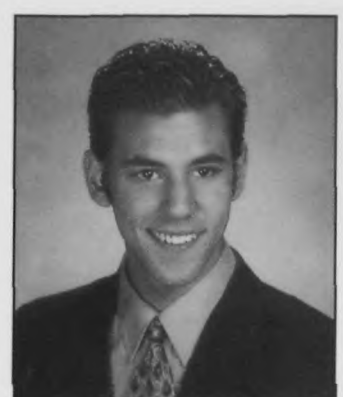
Irina Sheremetyeva



Caroline Sheridan

"Chaos often breeds life, when order breeds habit."

-Henry Brooks Adams



Michael Sherry

"This is the moment, this is the day when I send all my doubts and demands on their way. Every endeavor I've made ever, is coming into play, is here and now today. This is the moment when all I've done . . . become one."

-Jekyl and Hyde



Rachel Shopiro

"A positive attitude won't solve all your problems, but it'll annoy enough people to make it worth the effort."

-Unknown



Rebecca C. Shottland



Ella Shuster

"Behind every successful woman...is a substantial amount of coffee."

-Unknown

"Doing easily what others find difficult is talent; doing the impossible for talent is genius."

-Winston Churchill



Nicole Simone

"You don't know how much something means to you until you've lost it."

-Unknown

"One day your life will flash in front of your eyes, so make it all worth watching."

-Unknown



Scot Simpson

"The world is yours."

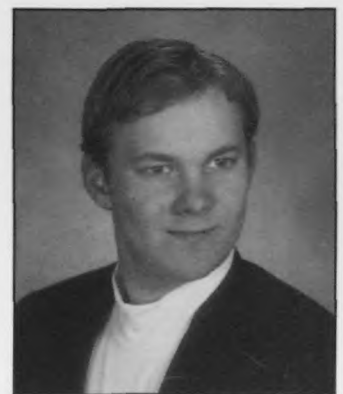
-Scarface



Turney Singh Baba



Andrew P. Sinnenberg



J. Jarrett Sobala

"Hey it's good to be a young man, and to live the way you please, Yes a young man is the king of every kingdom that he sees."

-Billy Joel



Matthew Sofka



Amanda Spero

"We run, we jump, we swim and play. We row and go on trips, but the thing that lasts forever are our dear friendships."

-Salute Your Shorts



Andrew Jay Spiegel

"And then you find 10 years have got behind you, no one told you where to run, you missed the starting gun."

-Pink Floyd



Caitlin Stanley

"Time it was and what a time it was. It was a time of innocence. A time of confidence."

-Paul Simon



Jaclyn Steinbach



Tara Steiner

"Always shoot for the moon. Even if you miss, you'll be among the stars."

-Unknown



Lauren Steller

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

-Winston Churchill



Michael J. Streaman

"What we do in life echoes in eternity."

-Maximus Decimus Medidius



Miguel J. Suarez-Solis



Erin H. Sullivan

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

-Dr. Seuss



Anne J. Tabachnick



Samantha Tarnofsky

"You can't buy back time, so stop and love, dance, live and laugh until you cry. Don't wake up to realize time has passed you by."

-Edwin McCain





Emily Taylor



Edward M. Thode

"Sunny days wouldn't be special, if it wasn't for the rain. Joy wouldn't feel so good, if it wasn't for pain."

-50 Cent



Shari B. Thomashow

"Life moves pretty fast. If you don't stop and look around once in a while, you could miss it."

-Ferris Buefer's Day Off



Ja'Net Tiller



Lee J. Tomasso

"Live day to day and you'll probably live life."

-Evidence



Christina Tonges

"It's funny how the colors of the real world only seem really real when you viddy them on the screen."

-Anthony Burgess,  
*A Clockwork Orange*



Caitlin Towey

"All that is now, All that is gone, All that's to come and everything under the sun is in tune, but the sun is eclipsed by the moon."

-Pink Floyd



Rachel Tressitt



Tovah Tripp

"Maybe you'll find direction, around some corner where it's been waiting to meet you."

-Robert Hunter



Vladimir Ukhmylenko



David Urban

"It's a European thing."

-Britton Kimmins



Kristen G. Valla

"As I looked back on my last four years, a tear came to my eye, and I realized it was all worth it."

-Unknown



Shanna Vella

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

-My mom



Charles Vickers



Scott Villa



Donielle Villane

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

-Dr. Seuss



Bartholomew Walsh

" 'Kay see you later"

-Anton

"Woohoo, who would have thought reading and writing would pay off."

-Homer Simpson



Emily J. Warren

"It's time to start living the life you imagined."

-Henry James



Kate Warren

"All dreams can come true — if we have the courage to pursue them."

-Walt Disney



Aaron Webb

"If I don't see ya, just keep on...keep on truckin'."

-Frank the Tank



Alison Weingarten



Jeffrey Whitney

"Yes the bough is low, that's the way it goes though...Maybe I should just give up or stop trying, but life is so uncertain, so short, I've got to keep on searching, and wherever it takes me, I've got to go."

-Unknown



Kenneth Wichoski



Allison Wicks

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

-Mark Twain





Christine V. Wicks

"But sometimes I will ask the moon  
where it shined upon you last, and  
shake my head and laugh and say  
it went by too fast."

-Dar Williams



Donald E. Williams III



Henry W. Williams III

"Chicks dig skinny pale guys."

-Hot Topic T-shirt



Joseph M. Wisniewski



Christopher Wolski

"Life is like a video game, but with-  
out the reset button."

-Unknown



Alex Wright

"Brevity is...wit."

-Unknown



Julia Yanovich

"Life is what happens while you're  
busy making other plans."

-John Lennon



Ashley A. Yarusi

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

-Eleanor Roosevelt



Laura M. Yee

"I want to be the very best like no  
one ever was."

-Pokemon theme song

"No matter how the wind howls,  
the mountain cannot bow to it."

-Mulan



Kathryn Yoo

"I was perfectly free."

-Sylvia Plath,  
*The Bell Jar*



Kyle Yost

"Yeah I called her up, she gave me  
a bunch of crap about me not lis-  
tening to her, or something, I don't  
know, I wasn't really paying at-  
tention."

-Harry Dunne,  
*Dumb and Dumber*



Jordan Zakarin

"Long live democracy, free speech  
and the '69 Mets — all glorious,  
improbable miracles that I have  
always believed in."

-Tim Robbins



Keith Zemsky



Jenna Zorn

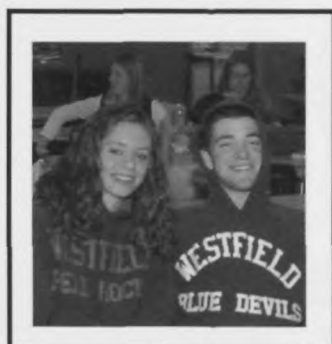
"I am a defensive pessimist, I always assume the worst so if the reality is even a wee bit better than my disastrous scenario, it's a cause for celebration."

*-Second Helpings*













By Elisabeth M. Willis

As our junior year concludes, we should never forget the lessons we have learned and the knowledge we have gained. We survived a year of challenging classes, heavier workloads, SATs and Junior Research Papers. We have shared similar stresses that only pushed us harder and have prepared us for our final year. We now move on to become the leaders of the school and role models for future senior classes at WHS.

—Giovanna Palatucci,  
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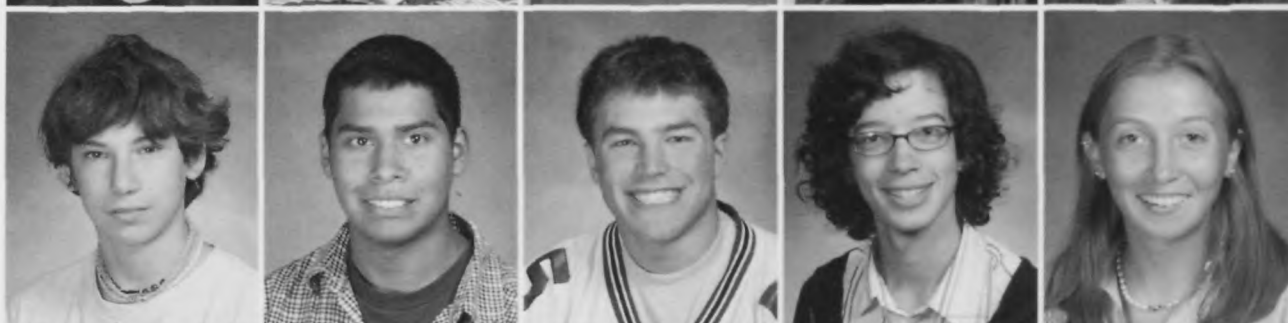
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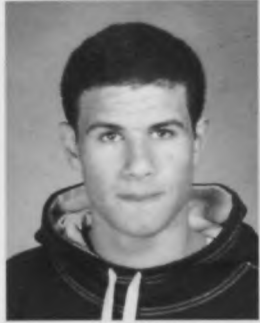




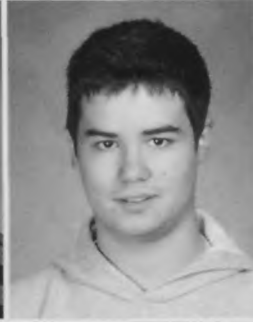
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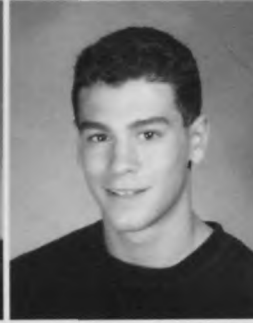
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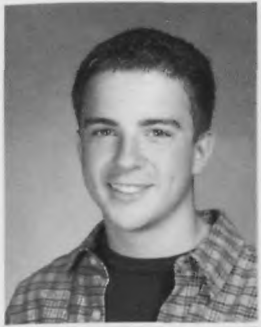
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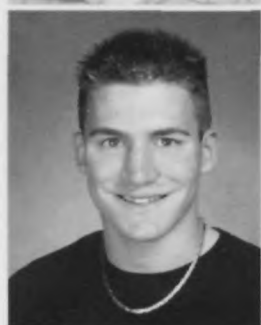
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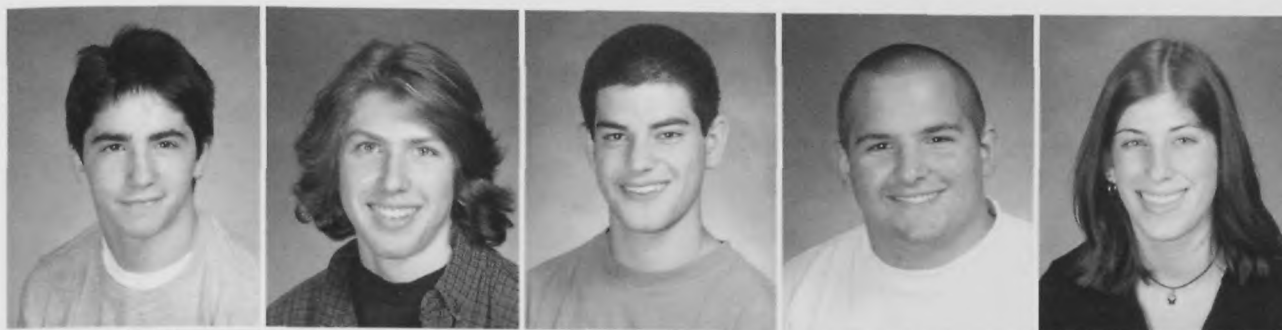
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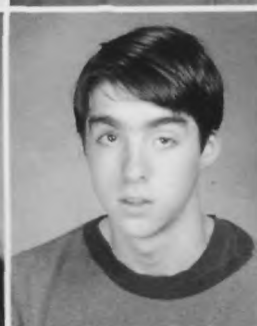
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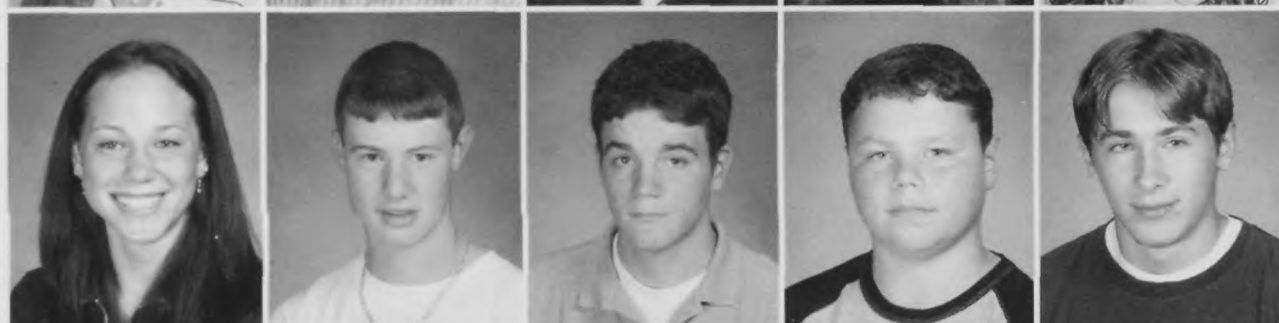
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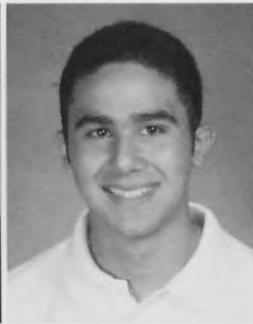


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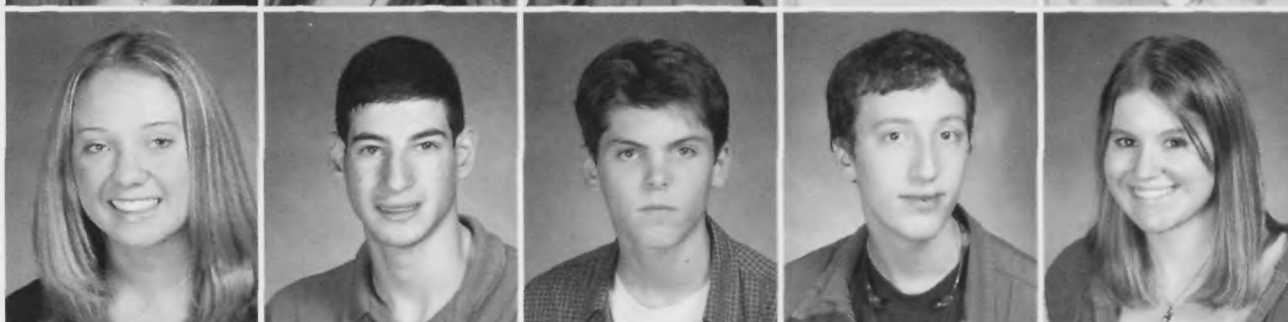
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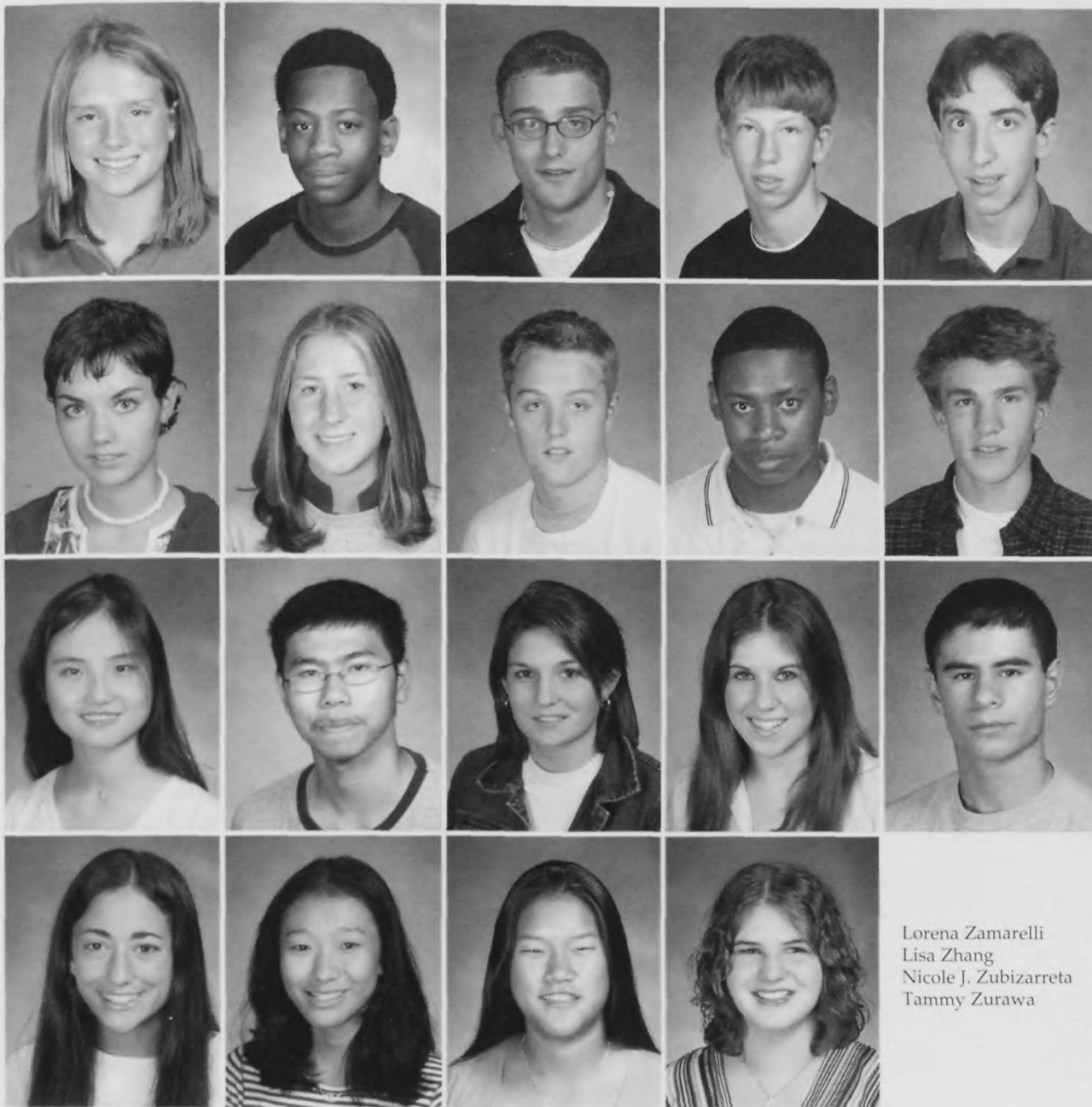
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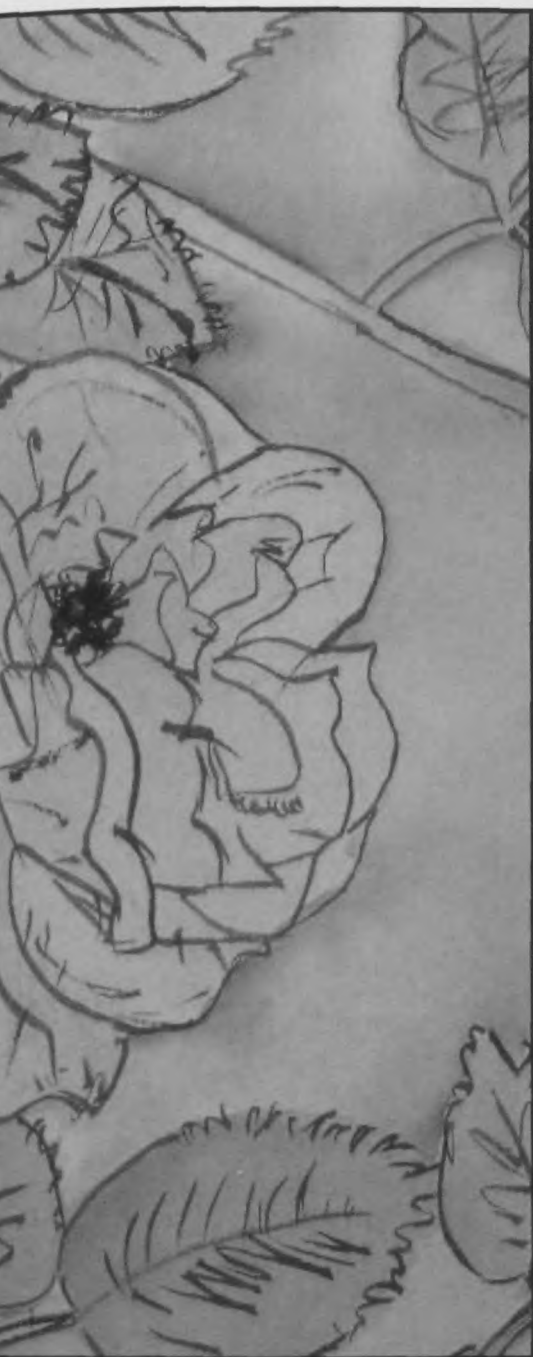
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By Emma Laird

When asked to write something for the yearbook I was frightened. I had no idea what to say, so after asking around, a friend told me to think of a word that best describes our class. Some pretty weird things came to mind, but the one that stuck with me was...ENDURANCE. Endurance is the act, quality, or power of withstanding hardships or stress. We, as a class and as individuals, have been through more than any of the other classes in WHS. We've made friends, lost friends, and stayed friends. I was once told that high school is the journey one makes from childhood to adulthood; our journey by far has been the most difficult, but we've endured it. We've come this far by faith—faith in our peers to cheer us up when we're sad and weary; faith in our teachers to educate us and enlighten our views of life; faith in our administrators to fairly and honestly govern us; and faith in ourselves to carry ourselves with decorum, orderliness, and discipline.

So as we journey on remember that we have each other. We have a lot to be proud of. We've excelled in academics, sports, and the arts. We are a top notch class. With this in mind the next two years should be easy. Stay true to who you are, set a good example for the freshmen, and be good leaders. We are a very unique class that demonstrates care, love and respect, especially in our times of need.

—Maurice Blackmon,  
Class of 2006



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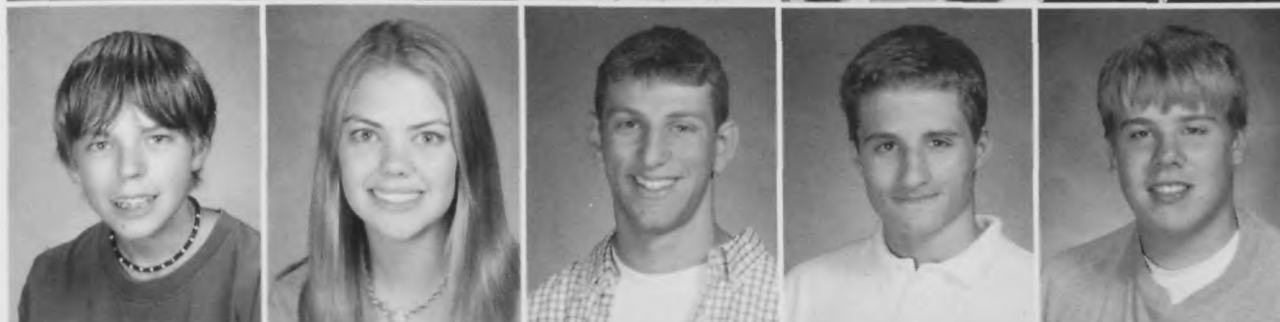
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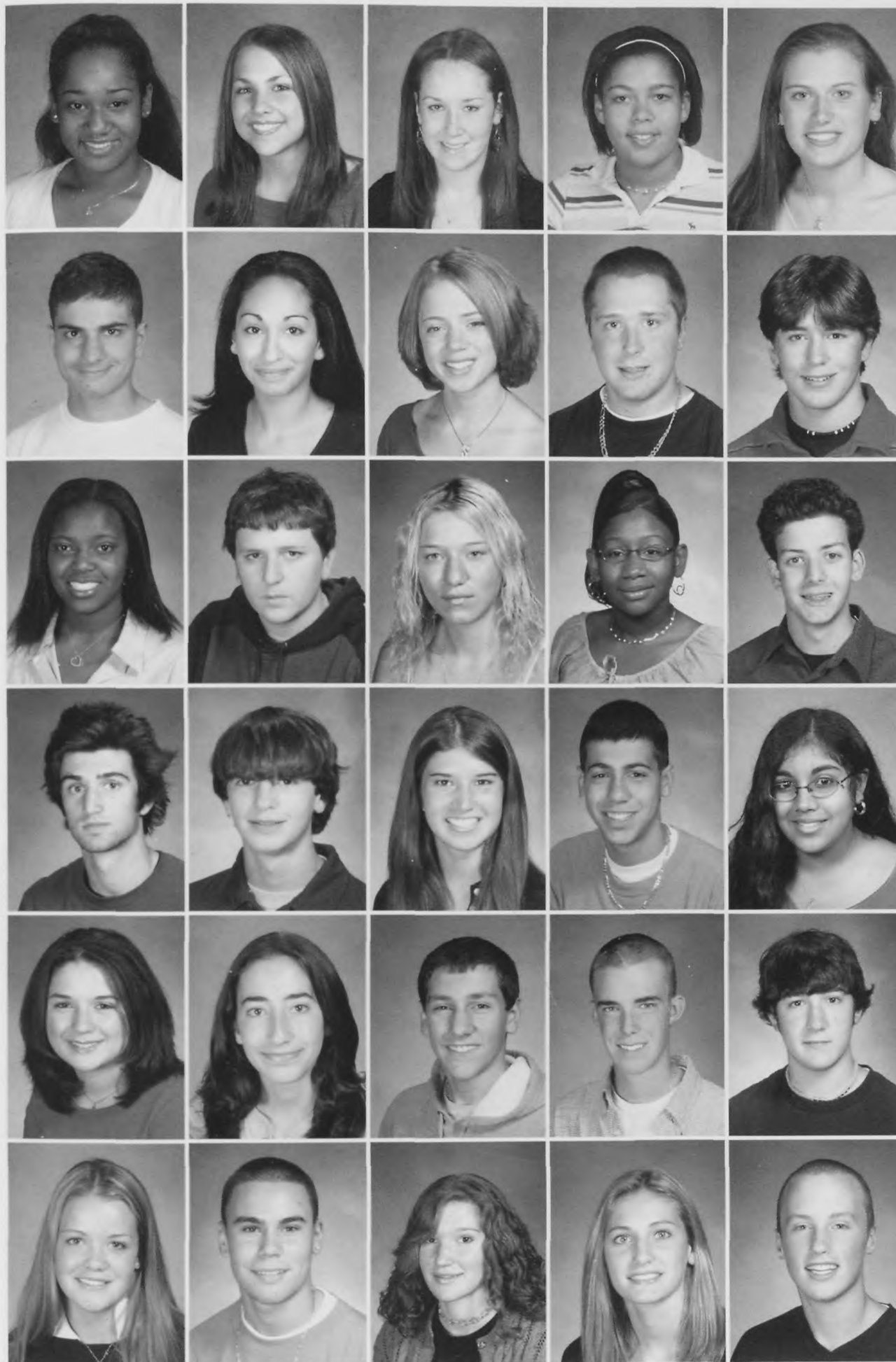


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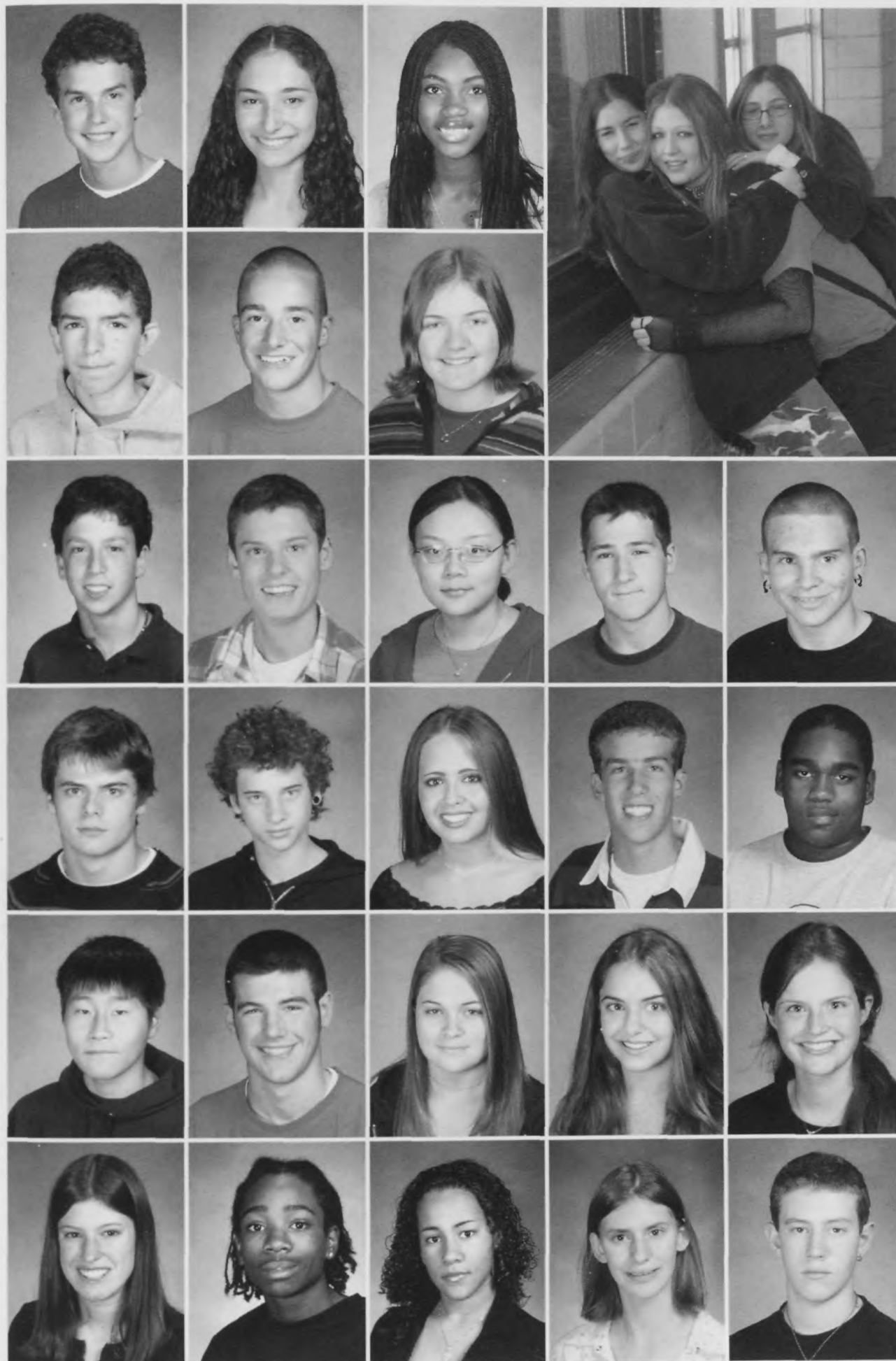


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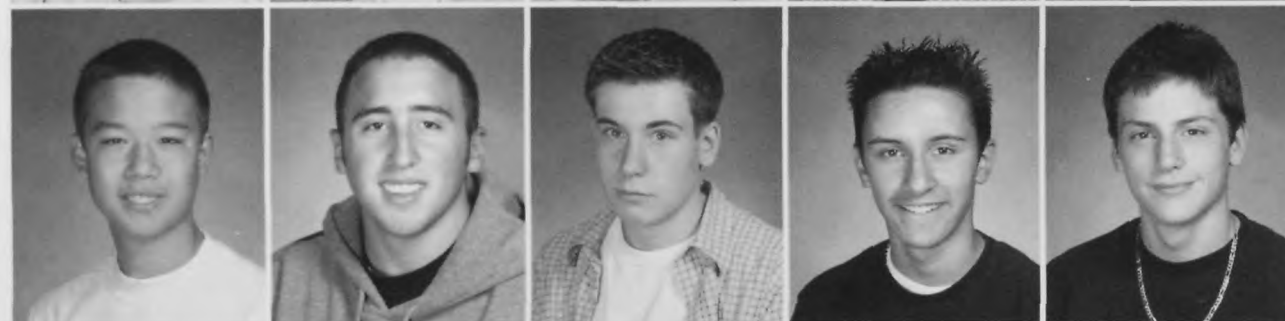
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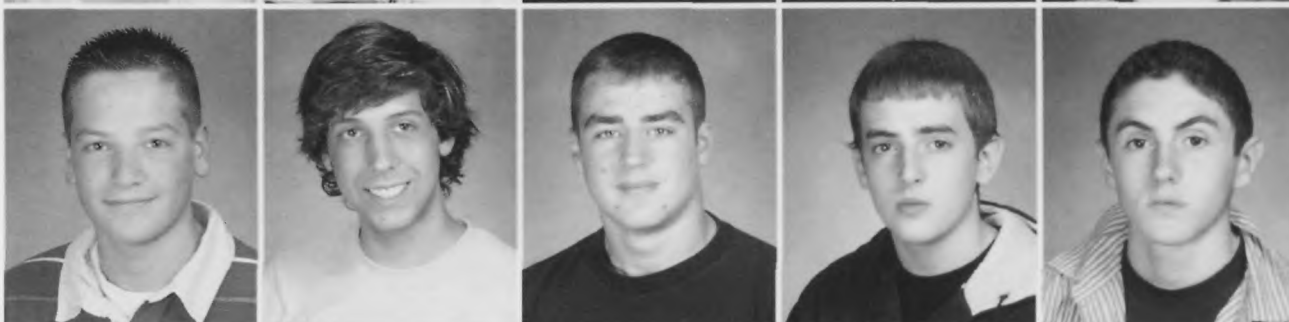
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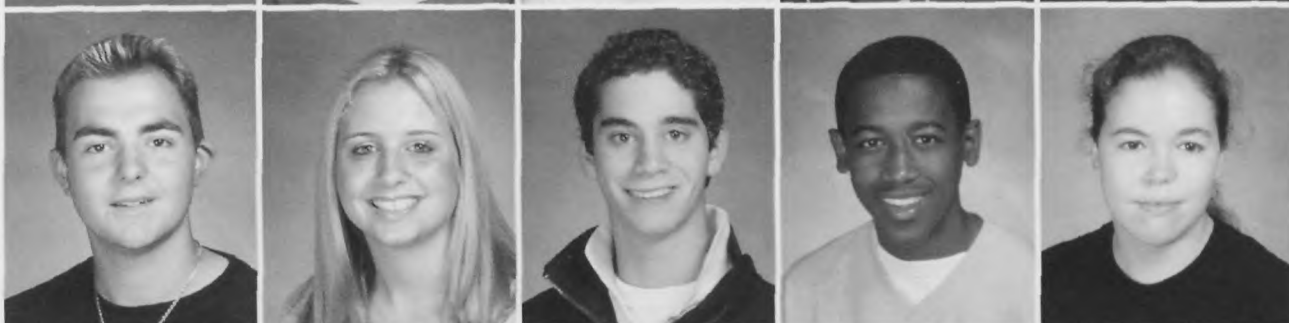
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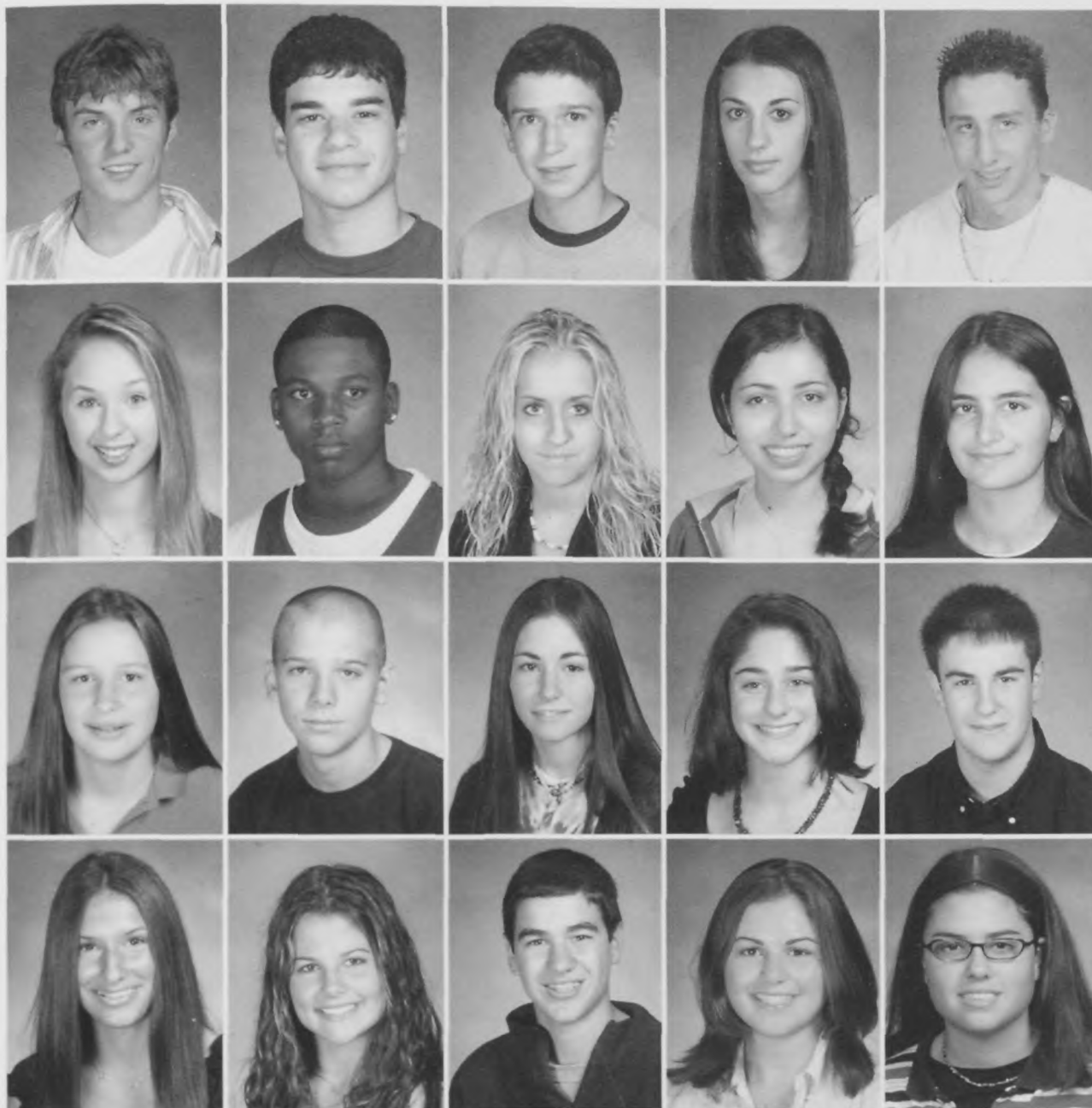
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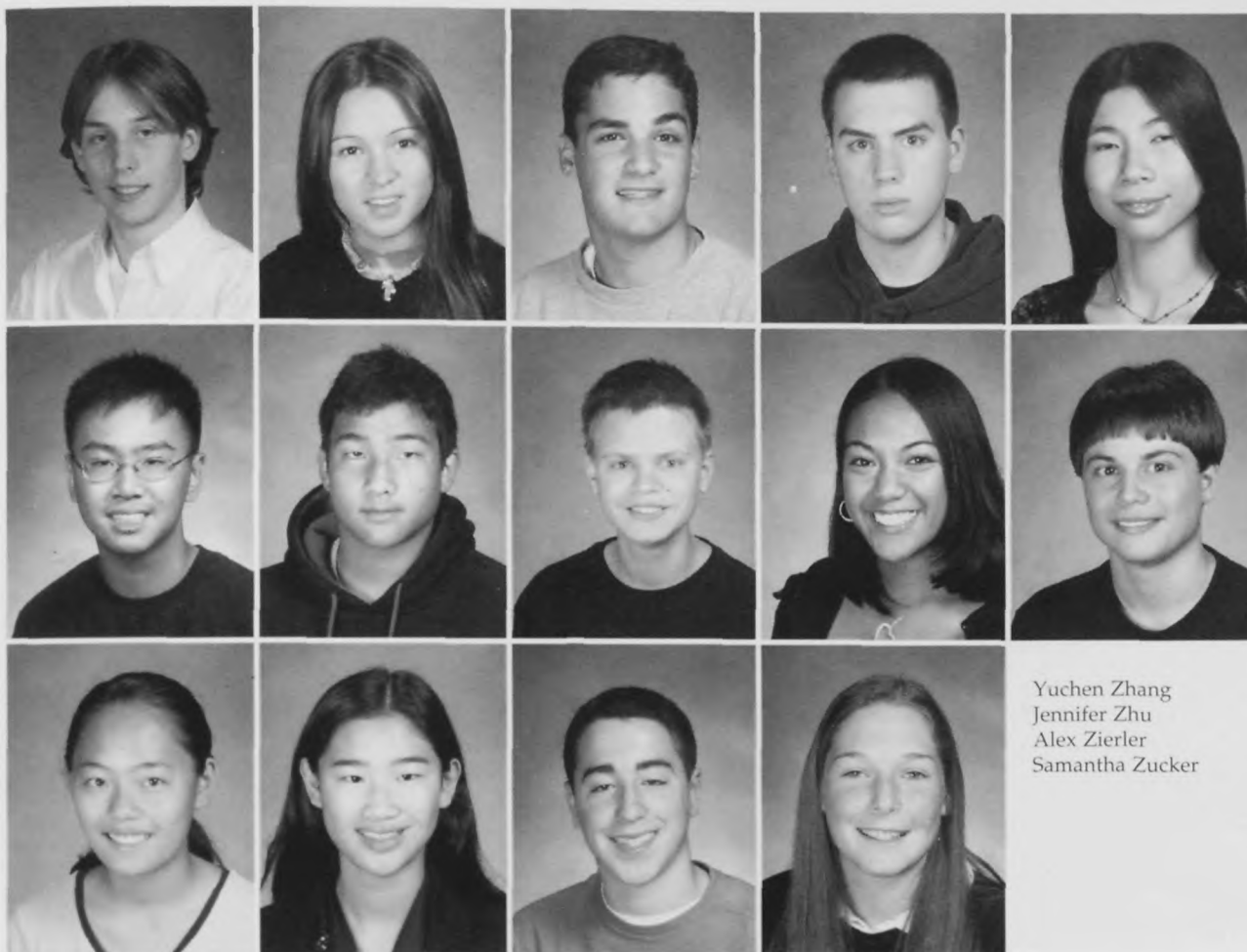


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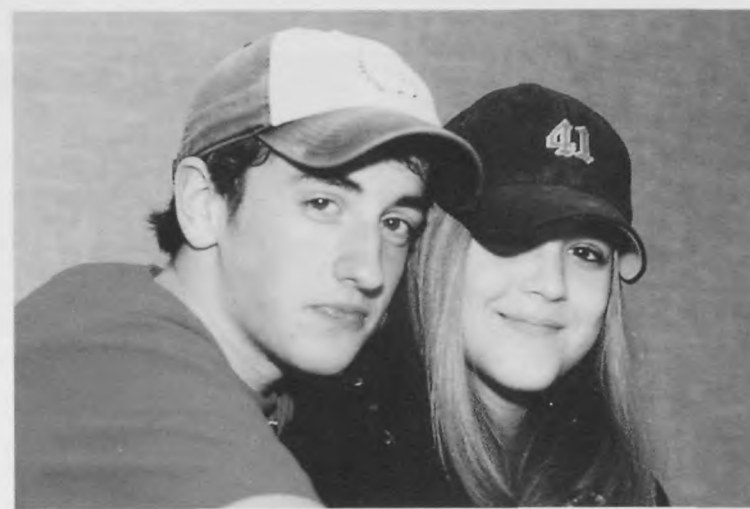
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I think I can vouch for most of our class when I say that coming to high school was extremely nerve-racking. I had nightmares about getting lost in the hallways and meeting so many new people, but it turns out there was nothing to fear. This school is a welcoming and encouraging place that allows us to achieve our goals. Take advantage of every opportunity over the next three years, so we can leave as strong, independent individuals. To quote Ralph Waldo Emerson, "Do not go where the path may lead; go instead where there is no path and leave a trail."

—Hope Skibitsky,  
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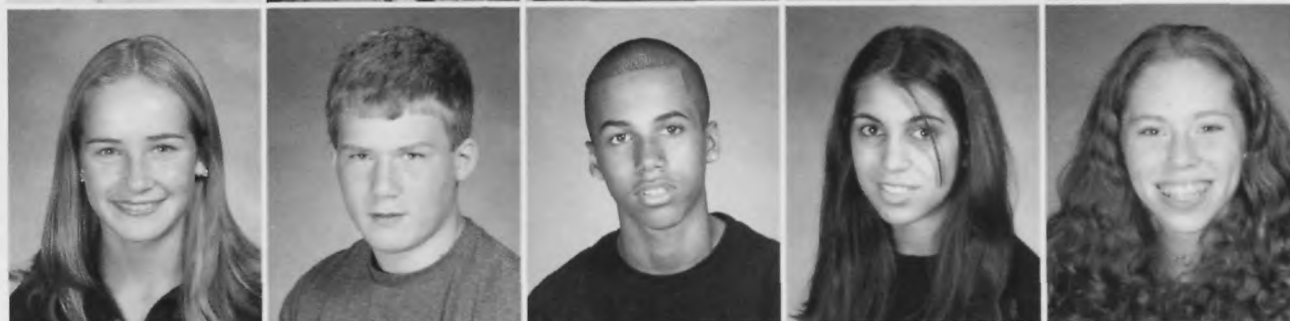
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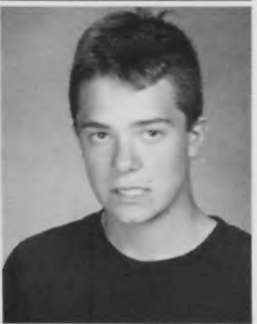


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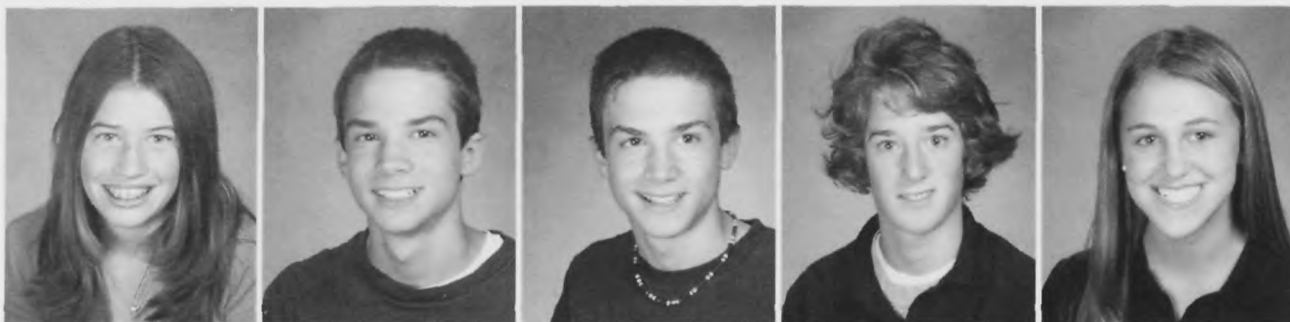


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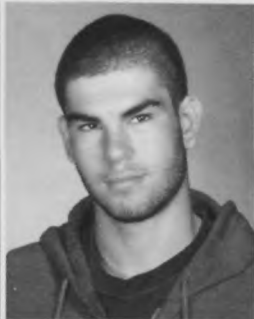
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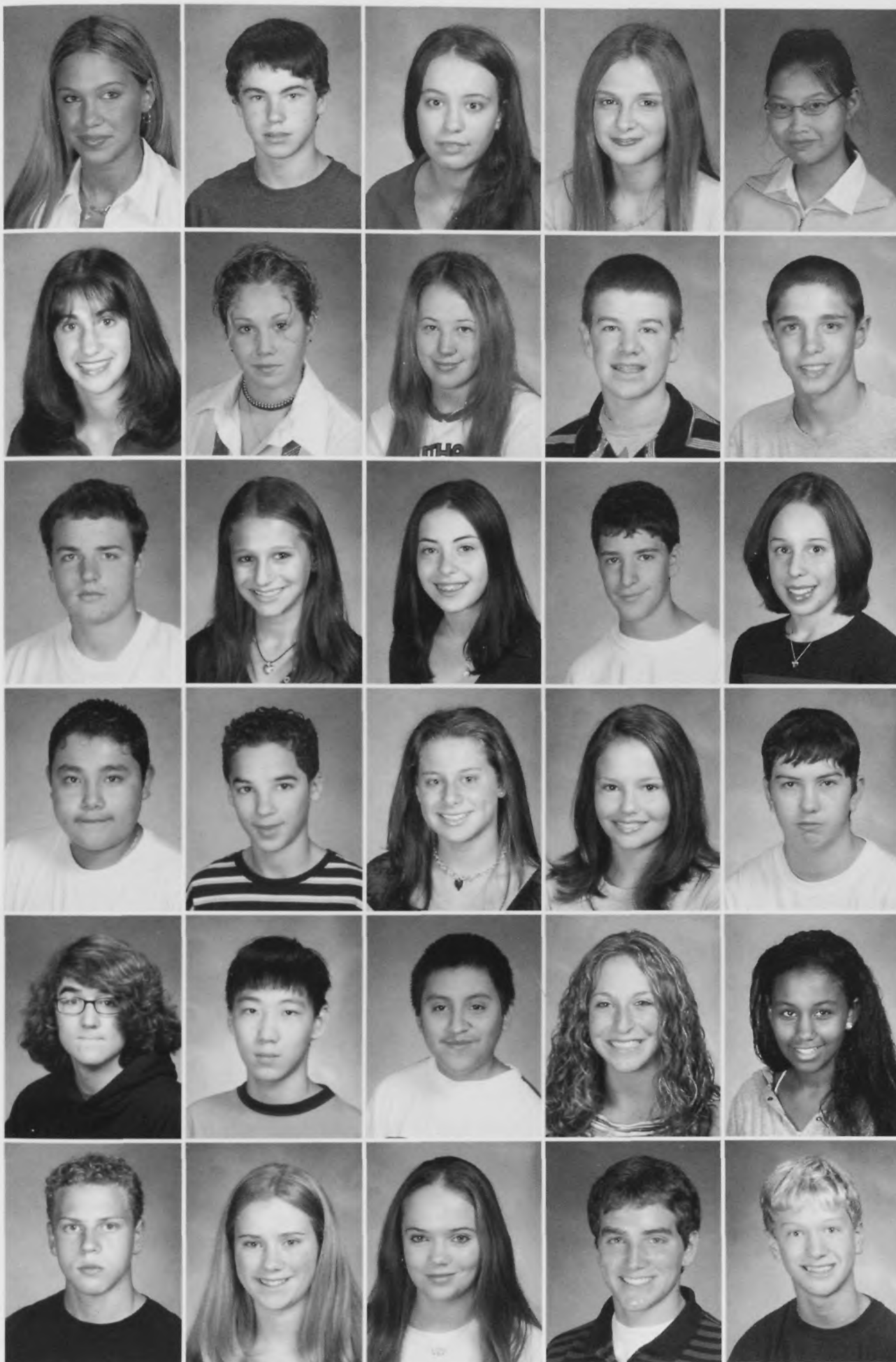


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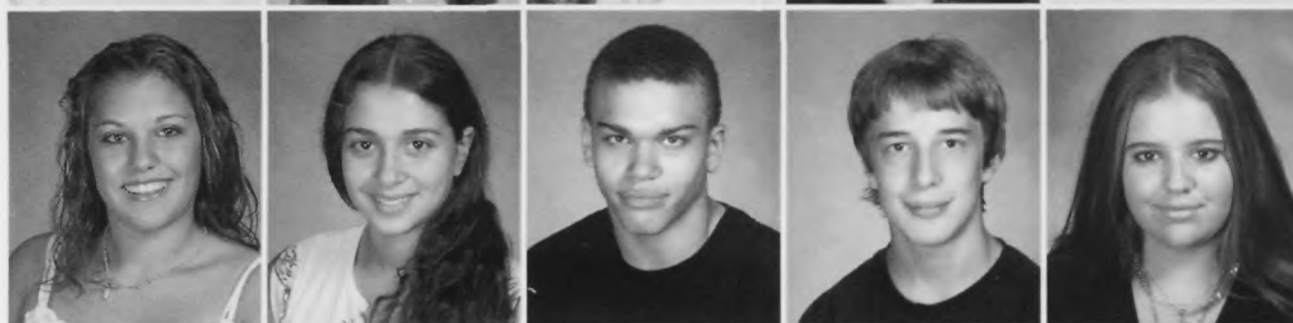
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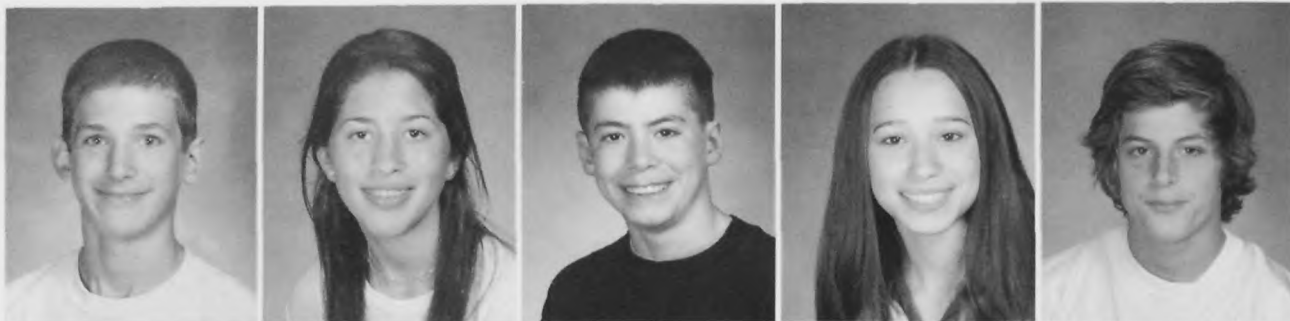


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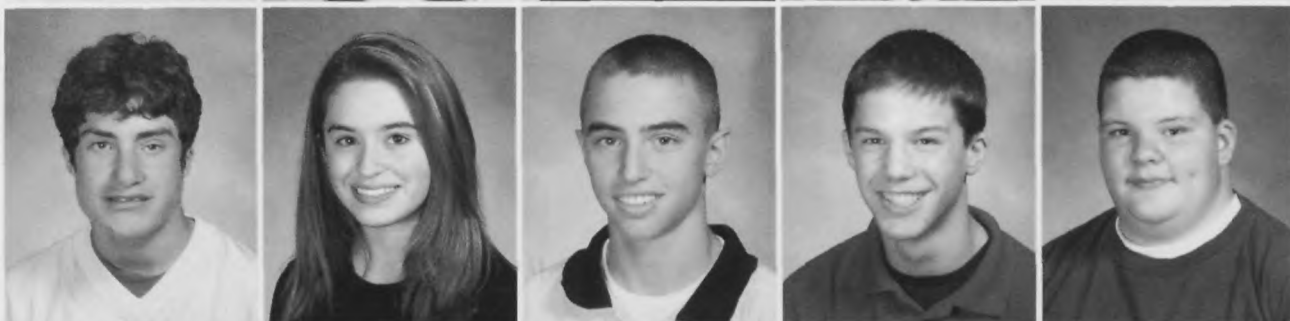


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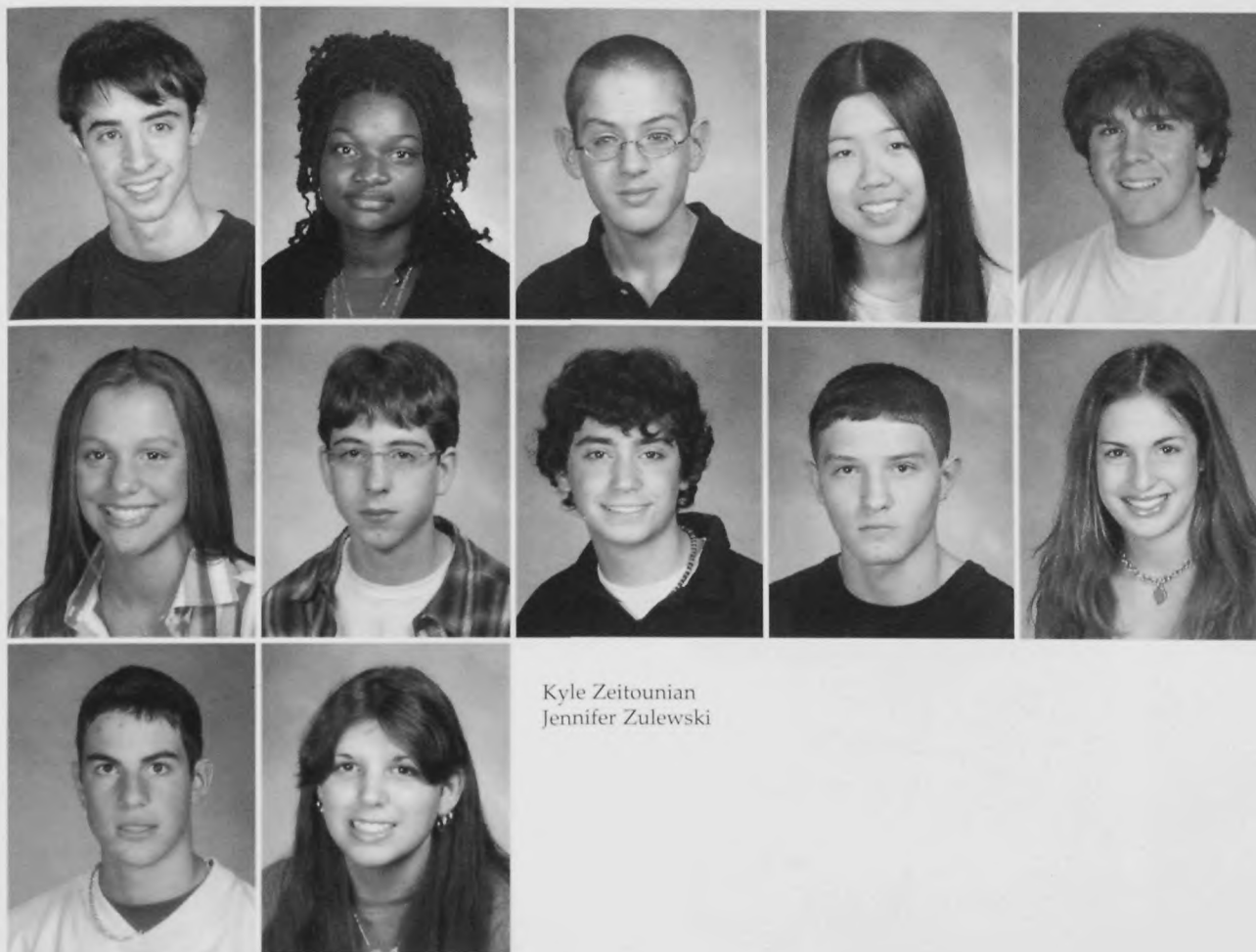
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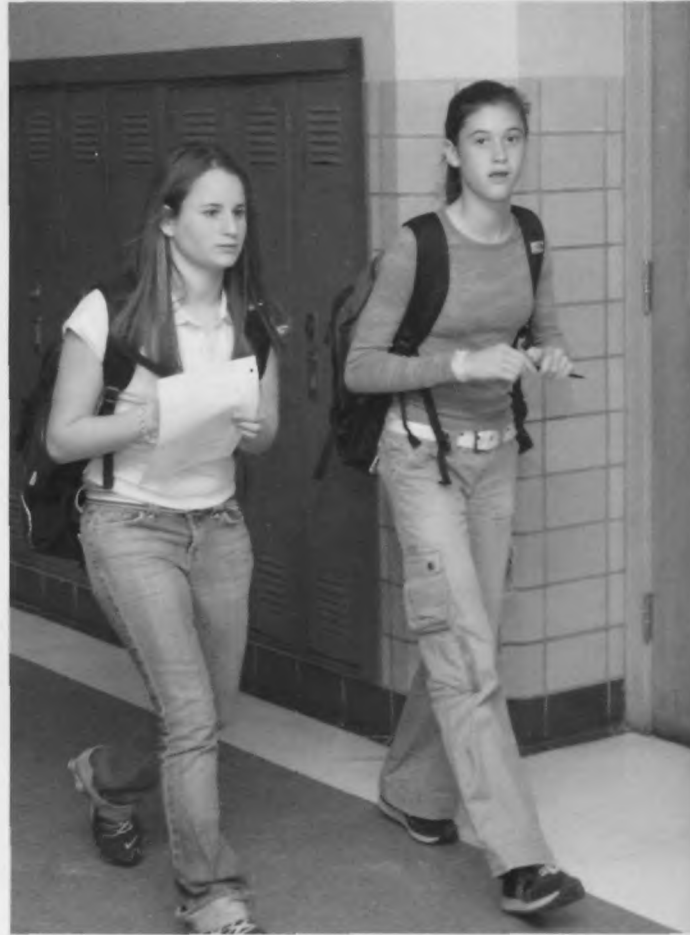
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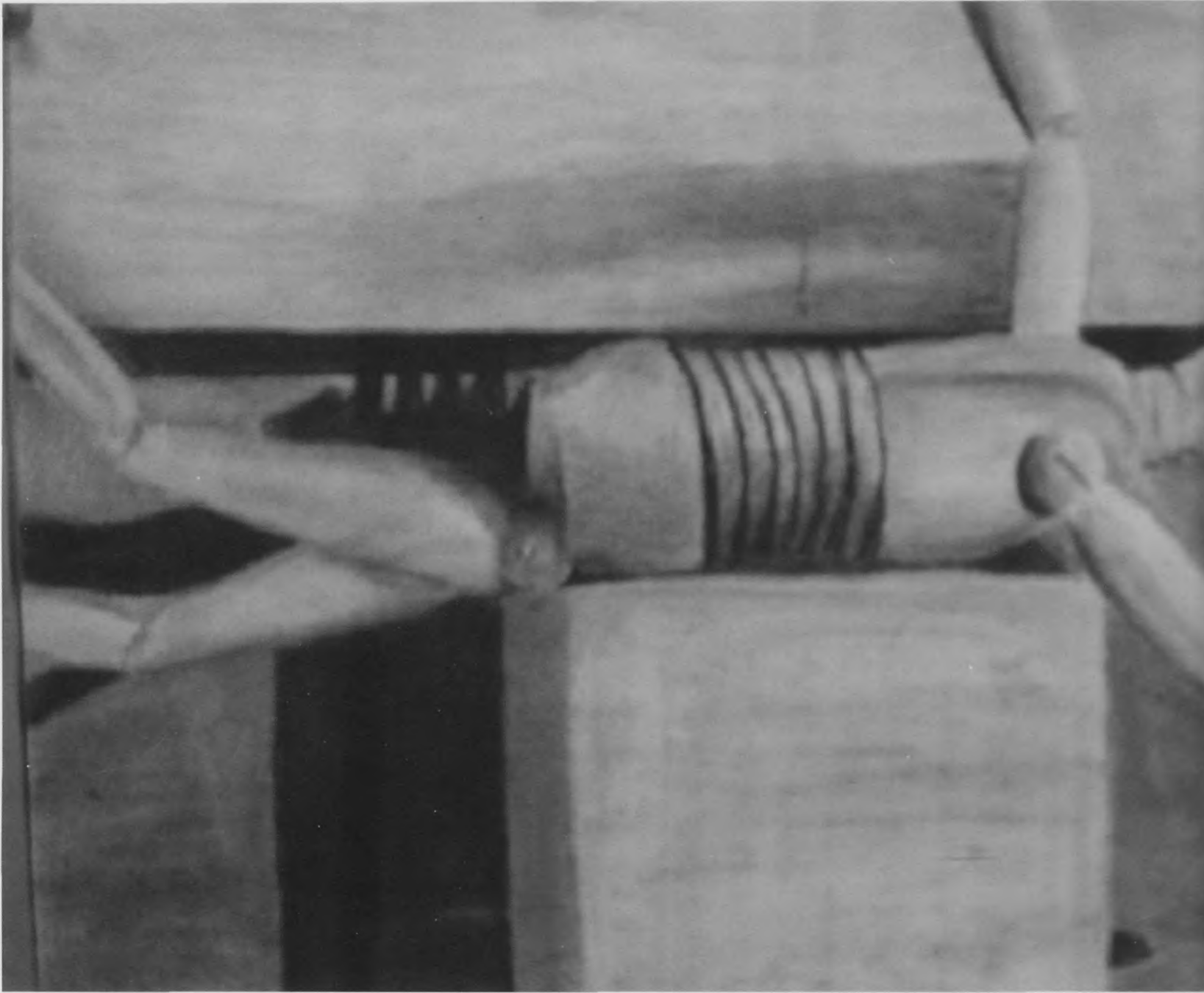
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By Barrett Newell



## Westfield High School Agenda 10/21/03

English: *Create a monologue from the perspective of one of the characters in Hamlet.*

Math: *Do pp. 371-373 1-14; 35-45 odd; 57, 64, 66-80. test Tues.*

History: *Finish politician of the year paper. Outline the Scientific Revolution (pp. 304-322)*

Spanish: *Termina leyendo "Don Quijote", escribe temas y tipo del ambiente, trae comida para fiesta en lunes.*

Chemistry: *Write up silver nitrate lab (make graph on computer), due Thurs.; finish mole day project.*

Art: *Draw a faucet first using blind-contour and then modified-contour. Draw for 20 minutes total.*

High school students' schedules are jam-packed with sports, club meetings, and other extracurricular activities. However, they still manage to set aside time to finish their homework and study. Using an agenda book, students are able to manage and organize their time wisely. With the instruction of qualified, passionate teachers, it is no wonder that the students of Westfield High School are constantly setting new academic standards.

—Caroline Luppescu, Class of 2006

## Acing Academics



*Project '79*

## Project Pride

**P**roject '79 is an alternative program within WHS that presents the mainstream academic curriculum in an environment that depends on close relationships between students, teachers and parents. A team of nine teachers (two from each major subject and one from Spanish instruction) working closely with the student Assistance Counselor seek to personally engage each of the 91 students who have volunteered to join Project.

Cameron Wong laughs at Mr. Horn's dramatic reading of the text.



Tamara Handy, in awe, reacts to a class discussion.



*Middle Right:* Bridget Martucci bites her pen as she ponders a question on her test.



Angela Parisi asks a thought provoking quesiton.



Lyda Negron helps Ms. Mickulick stock the book room.



A class poses for a picture before going off on another adventurous field trip.



Middle Left: Angela Parisi, Jen Conner and Katrine Singhbaba smile for the camera.

Lyda Negron and Catherine Riddle enjoy themselves while playing a game of slide.



The class takes a break from a class activity to pose for the picture.



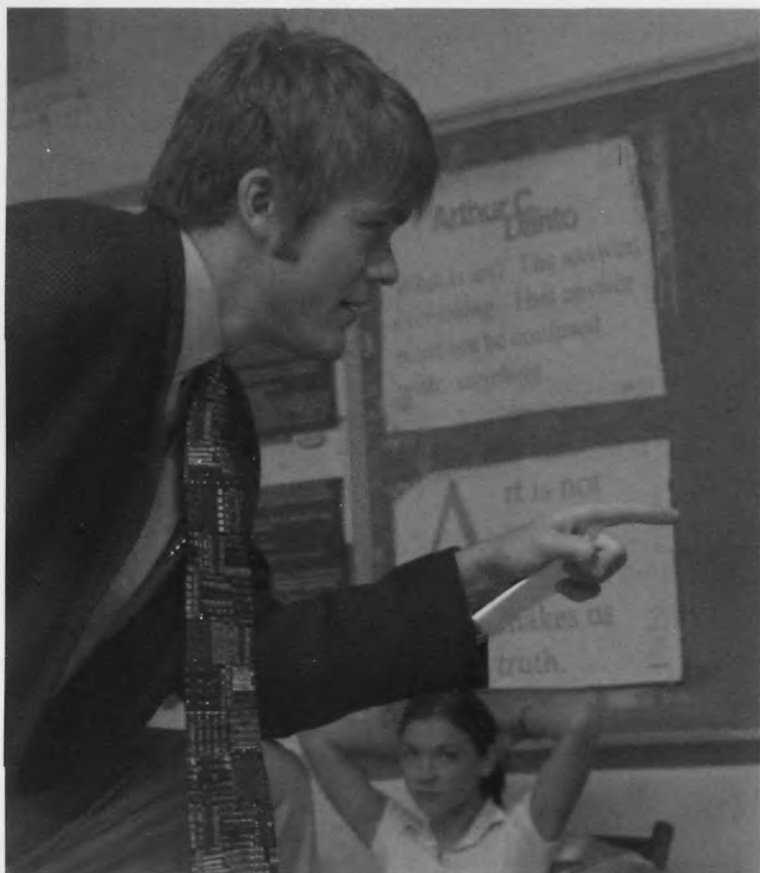
## English

The English Department offers a variety of courses ranging from English 1 to AP Literature. In addition to these challenging courses, WHS now offers Writers Craft, a way for young students to express themselves. "Students and teachers alike are integral members of our diverse English courses. As educators, we look to challenge and inspire our students to think critically. Perhaps unknowingly, students generate the same enthusiasm in their teachers as they engage in animated discussions on literature, experiment with new writing styles and/or expand their vocabulary. English classrooms are rich academic environments that allow students and teachers to question, contemplate and understand the many facets of the human condition."

—Ms. Heather Rocco, English Department Chair

## Knowledge is Power

Aaron Eisenberg is enthralled by reading William Shakespeare's *Othello*.



Mr. Peter Horn spreads the message of Vocab Plus.



Danielle Palentchar and Adam Sharpe listen attentively to the class discussion.

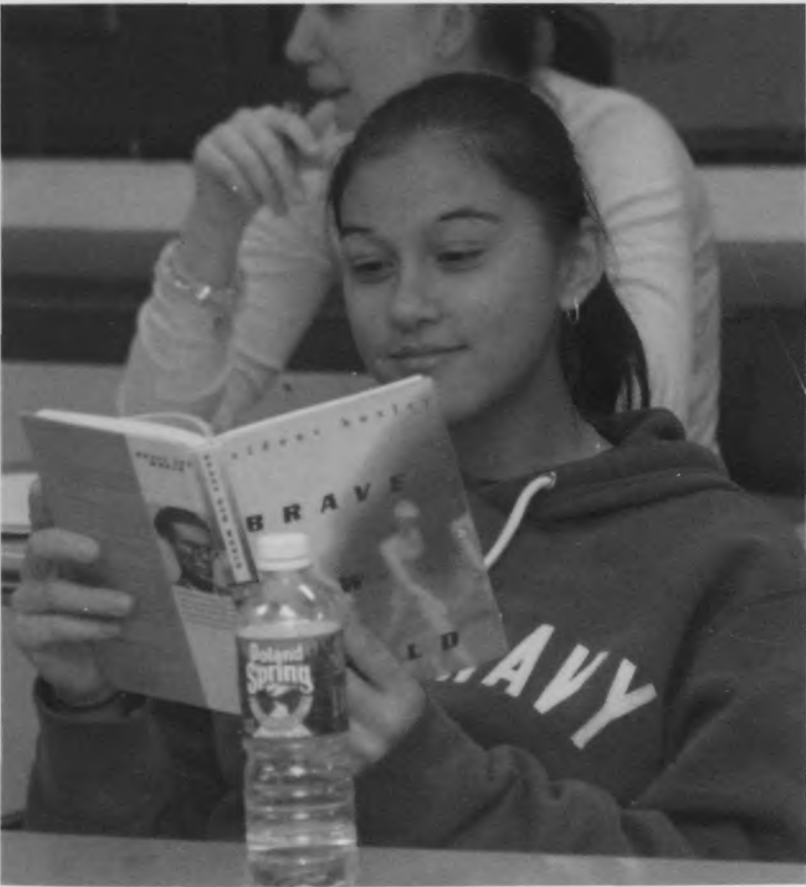
While reading her favorite play, Jasmine Farmer prepares for her presentation.



Kristina Fraites is momentarily distracted from the class discussion.



Preparing to take notes Kathleen Solan quickly glances at the board.



Middle Right: Ms. Hedy Siroty is helping students learn the importance of Shakespearean literature.



Allison Turitz and Stephanie Bridgeman entertain each other while discussing a variety of upcoming events.

Bottom Left: Alexandria Newton is engrossed in *Brave New World* during English class.



# We've Got Our *Ion* Science

The field of science is ever-growing and changing. This year Westfield High School experienced the next step in its own evolutionary process. With a brand-new environment to work in, students were exposed to the science wing's innovative technology. Classrooms and a computer lab, along with high-tech equipment, enriched the scientific experience for both teachers and students.

Tarik Shaw and Carolina Safar carefully perform their experiment.

Mr. Brewster pensively observes his biology class.



Alison Bridgman and James McManus are tickled with delight to be in science class.

Jessica Minsky and Suzanne Morgan perform chemical tests on food samples.



David Israelow and Adam Novick know this answer for sure.



Goggled up, William Harbaugh is thrilled to begin this intriguing experiment.



Roberto Alavarez takes diligent notes during class.

Garrett Cockren holds the test tube as Jeremy Burke grabs the beaker.

*It all adds up to fun!*

Every day the students of Westfield High School spend 43 minutes lost in the world of numbers—using formulas, solving for variables, creating equations, drawing graphs, and writing proofs. Tedious as the classes may seem, the time spent in a WHS math course is truly well spent. Teachers are preparing students for their future in an ever more mathematically fueled world.

An AP calculus class is hard at work, trying to solve derivatives.

Monica Harris is bundled up in her warm attire, ready to brave the drafty, frigid air of the math corridor.



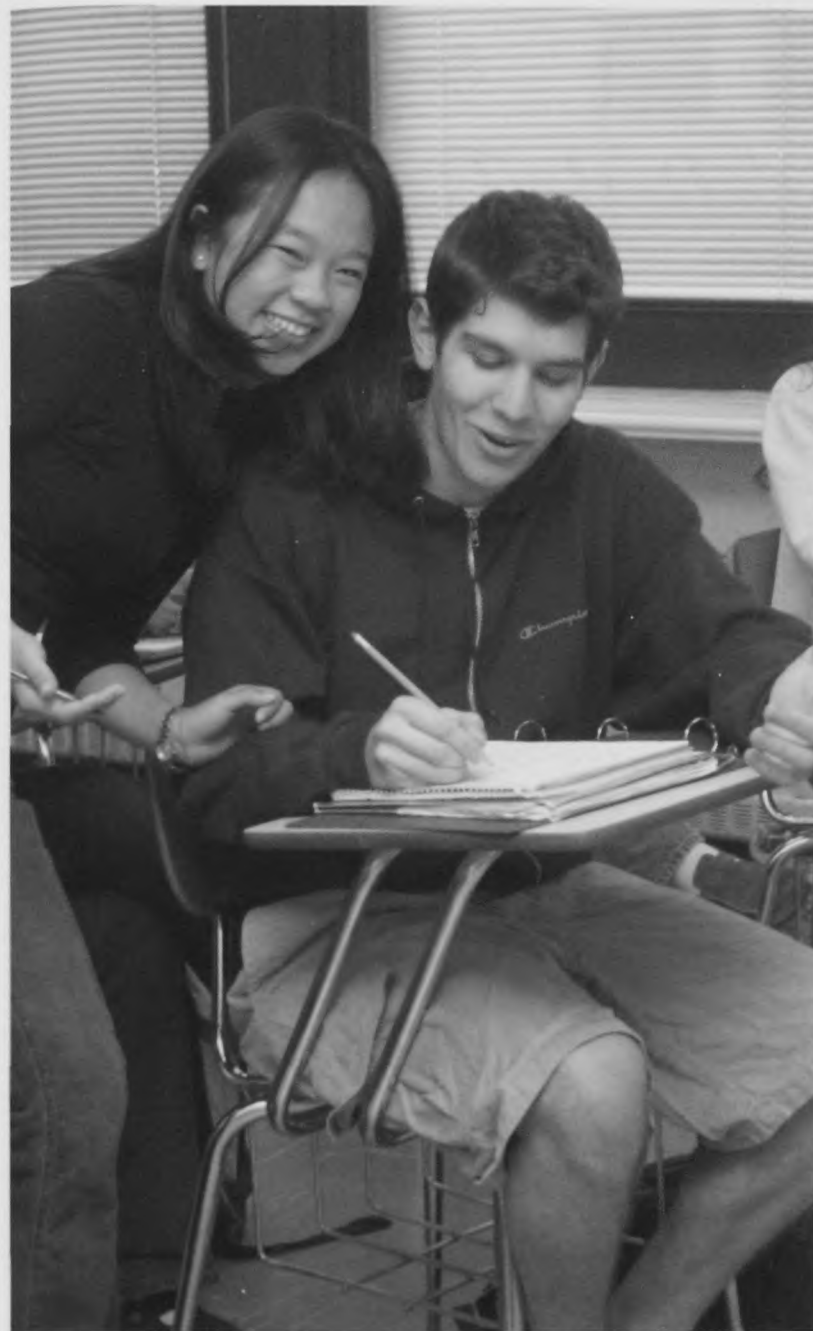
Allison Feldman and Katelyn Hoens are thrilled with their latest test grades.



Lauren Bentivegna, Caitlyn Berkowitz, and Stephanie Lederman smile, realizing that the equation is not that difficult.



Kimberely Lam and Tarik Shah get a head start on their homework.



Sean Callahan checks his answers against those written on the board.



Peter Hrinewski uses his calculator to solve a challenging calculus problem.



Kate and Emily Warren make math double the fun!

Mrs. Hornish works out a problem on the board for Daniel Mahoney and David Urban.

## *Let's Do the Time Warp Again*

**Y**ou could visit every museum, attend a myriad of classes, and read almost every history book ever written and still know close to nothing about history. It is inevitable and fascinating; the knowledge that can be gained is never ending. History helps students learn about the present and predict the future by looking to the past.

Mr. Hornish smiles at his studious students.



Allison N. Siko contently listens to the class lecture, while  
Athina Doutis carefully takes notes.



Meghana Limaye listens to the text being read aloud while  
Anthony Johnson follows along with his own text.



Students in Mr. Pasternak's class work diligently on their group  
project.

Middle: Brian Yee and Pierce Gaynor contemplate every word Mr. Hornish is saying.

At the end of their hard class, Scott Grau and Kathleen McCrea smile for the camera.

Laura Shelman enjoys her textbook reading.



Maggie Reynolds and Brooke Austin display their enthusiasm for History.

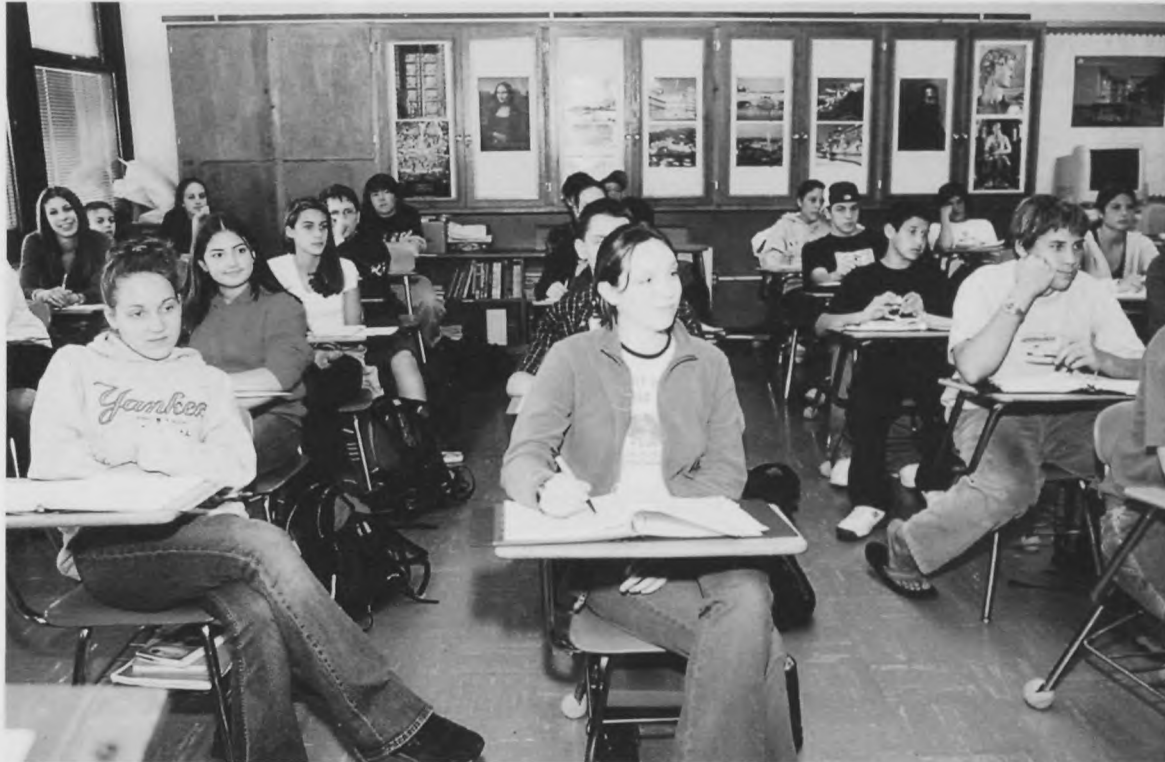
History excites Deanna Goldner.



# Art! Arte! Kunst!

**L**anguage is a verbal exposition that creates a link between the colloquial slang of today and the eloquent speech of Shakespeare. At Westfield High School, a wide array of languages are offered to students to hone their linguistic skills. Language courses are taught by dedicated teachers who have devoted their lives to the education of students. Latin, Italian, Spanish, French and German are all offered at WHS, enabling students to expand their horizons with the knowledge they accumulate through the foreign language program.

Gli studenti di italiano uno prestano attenzione ad una lezione difficile.



La Professoressa Santilli presta attenzione agli studenti mentre insegna la lezione.



Maximillian Blanton rigole alors que Christina Santilli sourit pour la photo.



Absint photographi inurbani!



Monsieur Davis montre l'importance de bien étudier le français.



Middle Left: Amanda Reider utilise ses capacités linguistiques pour aider un camarade.

Benjamin Bogen fragt seiner Lehrerin eine Fragen.

Los estudiantes escuchan atentamente a su emocionante lección de español.

# Burn baby, burn!

**W**hile 392 minutes during the day are spent sitting, gym allows students to get their blood flowing and adrenaline pumping. From Fitness to Sticks, students work up a sweat while having fun during the process. Gym builds camaraderie and character while keeping students in shape.

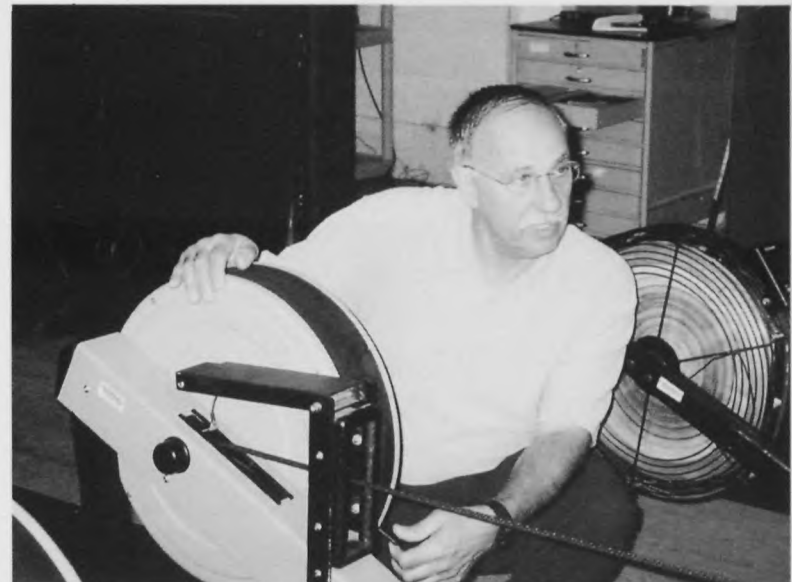
Kevin Jean-Louis prepares to pass the football for the winning touchdown.



Melissa Graham anticipates Gillian Scordia dropping the ball while Rachel Gordon prepares for the save of her life.



Katherine Nicol takes her five second break between sets on the "Rowing Ergometer."



Mr. Leonow coaches a student on the proper way to use a "Rowing Ergometer."



Center Left: Eric Hayes knows how to be a macho man.

Below: Alyson Tieman, Anna McGrath and Diana Spiridigliozzi pause for the camera during a vigorous game of kickball.



Center Right: Katharine Okamoto takes a quick nap on the new gym floor before a victorious game of volleyball.

Below: Christy M. King runs after Jaawell Faggins during a game of flag football.



After finishing his upper body workout, Tyshon Blackmon records his sets in his gym log.

Mr. Leonow calls a time out for substitutions. Jennifer Connors, Katherine L. Jarmas, Sarah Klass and Meisha Hill sit anxiously awaiting their turn to score some goals.

## Art & Drama

### *Where art thou love for The Arts?*

Art is everlasting. Throughout the years art has evolved through individuality and style. Daniel Barenboim said, "Every great work of art has two faces, one toward its own time and one toward the future, toward eternity". The growing artists at Westfield High will continue to share their talent with the world. Thanks to a brilliant art department and motivated students, the WHS artists of all kinds shall shed their light towards eternity.

Carolyn Harbaugh and Ms. Jarvis are laughing it up in art class!

Laura Pietruszki and Jason Anderson are too focused on their artwork to even talk to each other.



Kristen Materek and Melissa Graham prove that art is nothing but fun!



Melanie Schor and Julia Korn are WHS' future Picassos.



Britton Kimmins shows off his dramatic talents to Christine Mruz.



Lindsay Goldberg and Timothy Kolenut discuss how they want to act out the next scene.



*Left:* Mike Burns contemplates his next move.

Jeffrey Hogan and Rebecca Defazio are not acting this time!



Matt Amato, Suzanne Toriello, Jaclyn Nicoll, and Chloe Zeitounian enthusiastically listen to Mr. Nierle.





# *The Sound of Music*

The sophomore girls perform exercises in order to warm up their vocal chords and make their voices sound melodious.



Cellist Yuchen Zhang puts rosin on her bow to perfect her sound.



The sophomore boys gather around the piano while checking their intonation.

The chorus waits patiently for their cue to start singing.

The saxophones and trumpets play in unison while watching the beat of the conductor.



Westfield High School's music department consists of a variety of choral and instrumental programs. Their dedication and talent are evidenced in many ways, ranging from superb choir concerts to excellent original compositions. Performing challenging pieces of work by accomplished musicians, including their fellow peers, the participating students improve their skills daily with the help of their gifted instructors.



Barrett Newell carefully restrings her viola after it unravelled.



Isabelle Encarnacion, Alexandra Brummell, and Andrew McGovern play in sync as they listen to each other's sound.



Middle: Timpanist Gianna diFrancesco focuses on keeping the whole band together.

As class begins, Mr. Wojcik gives instructions to the chamber orchestra about the piece they are about to rehearse.

# Scroll On Over

Offering a variety of computer courses, Westfield High School enables students to learn the fundamentals of technology. Students enroll in these classes to better prepare themselves for today's high tech world. In these classes, students create presentations through the usage of various programs including Microsoft Excel and Visual Basics. At WHS, all students can also take advantage of this fine equipment during their free time with the recent additions of three new computer labs.

Tiffany Johnson and Nadia Guardia gaze at their Power Point creation.



Caitlin LiSooeey creates a new page on Microsoft Excel.



Michael Oliff is amazed at the brand-new flat screen!



Fred Cooper works hard on his assignment.



Mr. Maruschack helps Eric Williams operate the new computers.

Brian Waters ponders about his next project.



# Keepin' It Reel

The students at Westfield High School are very fortunate to have a program that involves the hands-on learning of television. These students have the opportunity to interview other students about important issues; they also film events such as sports games, theatrical productions and school functions. This all appears on our local channel, WHS 36. The creation process requires a lot of time and energy, but with our dedicated and hard-working students we can expect nothing but the best.



Mr. Burns shows Vladimir Oukhmylenko how to carefully eject the video tape.



Nathaniel Roquet, Kevin O'Rourke, Mark Harbaugh, Chris Zafutto, and Emma Lard view their classmates' presentation.

Courtney Phillips studies the parts of the camera thoroughly.



Aaron Eisenberg is excited to start filming!

Brian Austin ignores the presentation as he looks surprisingly at the camera.

Emma Laird and Justin Tullo keep mental notes of the lesson on how to edit their film.

## *What's Cookin' in Foods?*

The foods courses combined with the efforts of Ms. Philpot and Ms. Diller expand the culinary horizons of the Westfield High School students. Modern and Gourmet Foods are very popular courses among the student body. One learns how to slice, dice and chop like a chef and enjoys the camaraderie that comes along with the class.

While gathering ingredients for their recipe, Julie Shelman, Katherine Taylor and Meg Buttrick pose for a picture.

Adam Krell and Scott Warner cube meat in preparation for stir fry



Ilana Kaplan, Cara Paulan, and Heather Welham are always smiling in Modern Foods.



Colleen Psomas and Ayn Wisler are intensely preparing their meal.

## DRILL YOURSELF INTO WOODS

The Woods Department in Westfield High School provides hands on activities taught by Mr. Hart. The classes allow students to operate many types of equipment while building original wood designs. Students are able to take Woods I and Woods II to completely learn the trade of woodworking.

Marylin Mench carefully measures a part of her project.



Mr. Hart kindly helps one of his students, Andrew Siegel, to configure the measurements of his project.



Brian Kender clamps his project to dry.



Danielle Partenope cuts her piece of wood to add a finishing touch to her project.





*Hi's Eye*

## *Aiming Hi*

**I**f it's Friday, and there's school, there will be a *Hi's Eye*." Every Friday morning, WHS students anxiously await their copy of our high school's award-winning newspaper. *Hi's Eye* staffers, Journalism 3 students, dedicate long hours every week to writing, editing, and designing each edition. Producing a weekly publication is a huge task that the students of room 111 cheerfully tackle. Following the guidance of advisors Ms. Rosemary DiBattista and Mr. Corey Walsh, students continue to publish a quality paper year after year.

Tri-editors Peter Itz, Erin Goldberger and Yasmin Nozari discuss what to include in this week's edition.

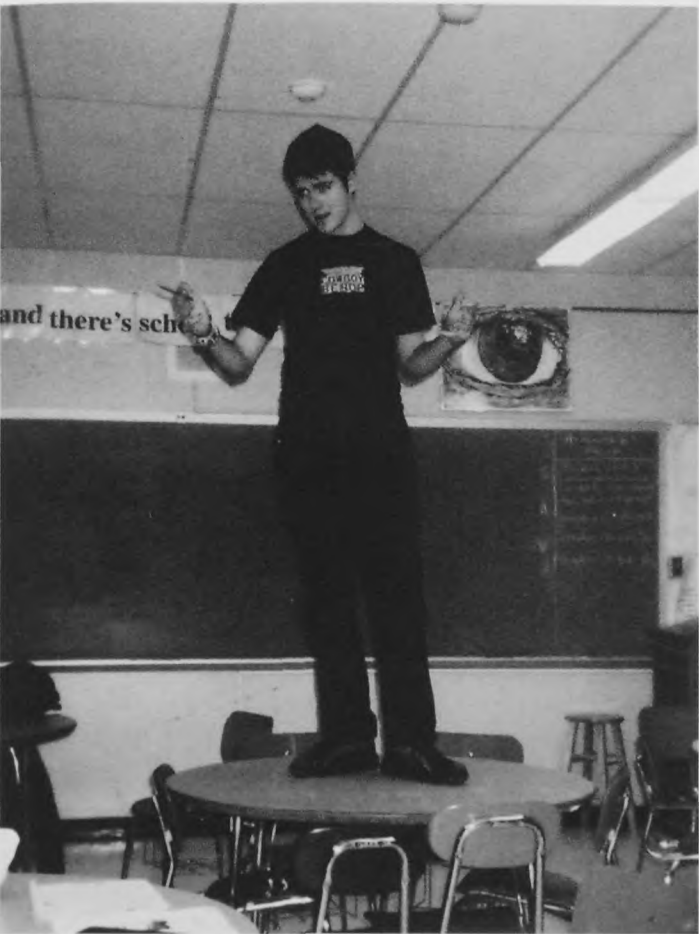


Steve Fromtling and Marykate Maher take a catnap after a grueling day of work.



Brendan Egan mulls over his latest article.

Steve Fromtling is taking a stand on a controversial story.



Advisor Corey Walsh works with David Riggs in designing the layout for an edition of *Hi's Eye*.



*Iris* editor Maxine Fertig-Cohen shows just how fun *Hi's Eye* can be.



Staffers Katherine Geenber and Ryan Bartholomew dedicate their time tending to every detail.



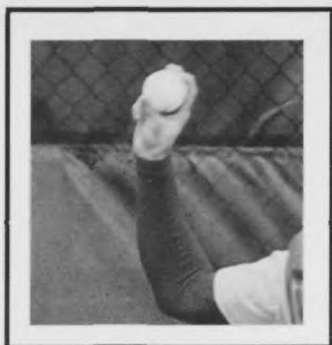




By Shane Strano

Westfield High School athletes view sports as a way to express themselves similar to how artists express themselves through their work. Athletes, like artists, cultivate their skills through physical and mental practice along with incorporating a variety of mediums. The devotion of Westfield athletes is illustrated by their intense training in the off-season, hours of daily practice, and superior performance in games. Team players know that winning is admirable, however the benefits of good sportsmanship and personal achievement outweigh a victorious season. Both sports and art are forms of self-expression that are constantly evolving, making the game a canvas for a different kind of artist.

—Sarah Klass, Abigail Lewis, and Nikki Zubizarreta, Class of 2005



## The Art of the Game

# A Winning Combination

"As defending county champions and state finalists, last year's season was a tough act to follow. As a team, we have worked through the unexpected. Each member has played a pivotal role in the team's success. The talent, dedication, and determination our team has shown paid off, ending our season with an outstanding record. I could not be happier to leave behind this amazing and gifted group of girls."

— Tri-Captain, Carrie Hubbard

The players count on each other for support to win the game.

Tri-Captain Carrie Hubbard anxiously awaits the girls' victory by cheering on her teammates.



Senior Melissa Rosen concentrates on the ball to sink the penalty shot.



On fire, sophomore Alison Bridgman dodges the defender carrying the ball up the field.



Junior Anne Siwulec gracefully slides in to maneuver the ball around the opponents.



Coach Giordano gives words of encouragement to the girls before going back on the field.



*Middle:* Tri-Captain Lauren Meriton heists possession of the ball aggressively making sure to win the play.

Tri-Captain Laura Shelman swings her leg back in preparation to powerfully punt the ball.



Girls Varsity Soccer Team, 2003-2004. *Top row:* Head Coach Peter Giordano, Tara O'Donohue, Giovanna Palatucci, Danielle Fried, Stephanie Bridgman, Alyson Ludmer, Lauren Campo, Emily MacNeil, Lauren Sinnenberg, Assistant Coach Paradise. *Middle Row:* Alison Bridgman, Rachel Tucker, Andrea Hollander, Miriam Becker-Cohen, Jenna Federgreen, Justine Palme, Anne Siwulec, Julie Shelman, Erin McCarthy, Gillian Kape. *Bottom Row:* Amanda Nehring, Melissa Rosen, Lauren Meriton, Laura Shelman, Carrie Hubbard, Kate Albino, Caroline Sheridan.



# Kick Back with the Boys...

Brendan Egan gains control of the ball after a high pass.



*Middle Right:* Lee Tomasso dribbles down the field hoping to score for the team.



The 2003 soccer season, although we fell short of the high expectations from the beginning of the season, was still successful. We finished with a record of 12-6-1 and qualified for the state tournament for the third year in a row. We became a very tightly-knit group as the season went on and it showed. Led by a strong class of 12 seniors, we finished with a winning record, which is an accomplishment in itself. Best of luck to next year's captains Tom Taylor, Billy Schoenbach and Jeff Greenlaw as well as the entire 2004 team.

—Brendan J. Egan,  
Captain 2003



Boys Varsity Soccer, 2003-2004. *Top Row:* Coach George Kapner, Brendan Egan, Micheal Huber, Matthew Rowe, Daniel Mahoney, Scott Simpson, Matthew Sofka, Lee Tomasso, Sagiv Edelman, Jeffery Nusse. *Assistant Coach Dr. David Shapiro* *Middle Row:* Brian Piro, Joseph Geisler, Matthew McManus, Gregory Speir, Brady Lau, Christopher Mattes, Jeffery Greenlaw, *Assistant Coach Alex Schmidt* *Bottom Row:* Christopher Lyons, William Schoenbach, Gilad Edelman, Thomas Treznar, Alexander Barrett, Thomas Taylor

Jeff Nusse heads the ball into the goal, while Sagiv Edelman watches for the rebound.



The boys receive a pre-game pep talk from Coach Kapner.



Freshman Chris Mattes waits for a pass from his teammates.



Matthew McManus, Jeffrey Nusse, and Sagiv Edelman pass the ball down the field.

## Makin' A Racket

**T**he 2003-2004 girls tennis team had an excellent season. With a record of 20-4, the team dominated practically every game they played. Tri-Captains Danielle Coleman, Lauren Steller, and Katherine Kielar helped their team shine on the court. With returning star players and key rookies, they won the Conference Championships and placed second in the Union County Tournament. Although the team will be losing many valuable players next year, hopefully they will be able to uphold their spectacular reputation.

Nicole Reich gets low and drives a perfect backhand.



*Left:* Michelle Morawski warms up in preparation for a match.



*Right:* Jessica Bender follows through; winning the match for her team.



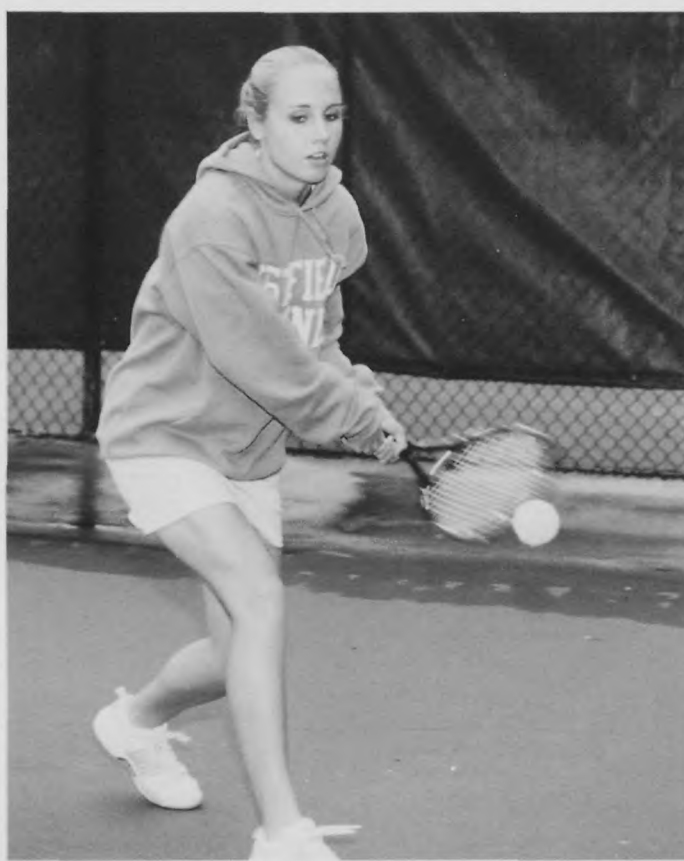
Senior Tri-Captain Lauren Steller makes her killer forehand look so simple.







Girls Varsity Tennis, 2003-2004.  
*Top Row:* Caitlin Towey, Caroline Luppescu, Lane Maloney, Nicole Reich, Carolyn Freundlich, Katherine Kielar, Michelle Morawski, Kaitlyn Gorman, Coach Ed Tirone. *Bottom Row:* Rachel Louie, Megan Camillo, Kimberly Lam, Meredith Kender, Lindsay Goldberg, Danielle Coleman, Lauren Steller, Jessica Bender.



*Middle:* Tri-Captain Danielle Coleman hits the ball with force.

*Above:* Tri-Captain Katherine Kielar gets ready to hit her famous backhand.



Caitlin Towey and Carolyn Freundlich relax on the court after a hard day's practice.

# FOOT TACKLE BALL!

The 2003 season may not have been the most successful for the WHS varsity football team; however throughout the entire season, we had our own minor victories. Twice, we defeated our opponents during their Homecoming weekends, we were able to make the playoffs, and we had several players make the all state and area teams, including my fellow Co-Captains Jan Coccozziello and Montel Glasco. In the end we all learned to approach every game as if it were our last, because before we know it, the season had passed. Congratulations to all the seniors, and good luck to next year's team

—Brian Bigelow, Tri-captain

Jan Coccozziello and his offensive line prepare to run an amazing play.



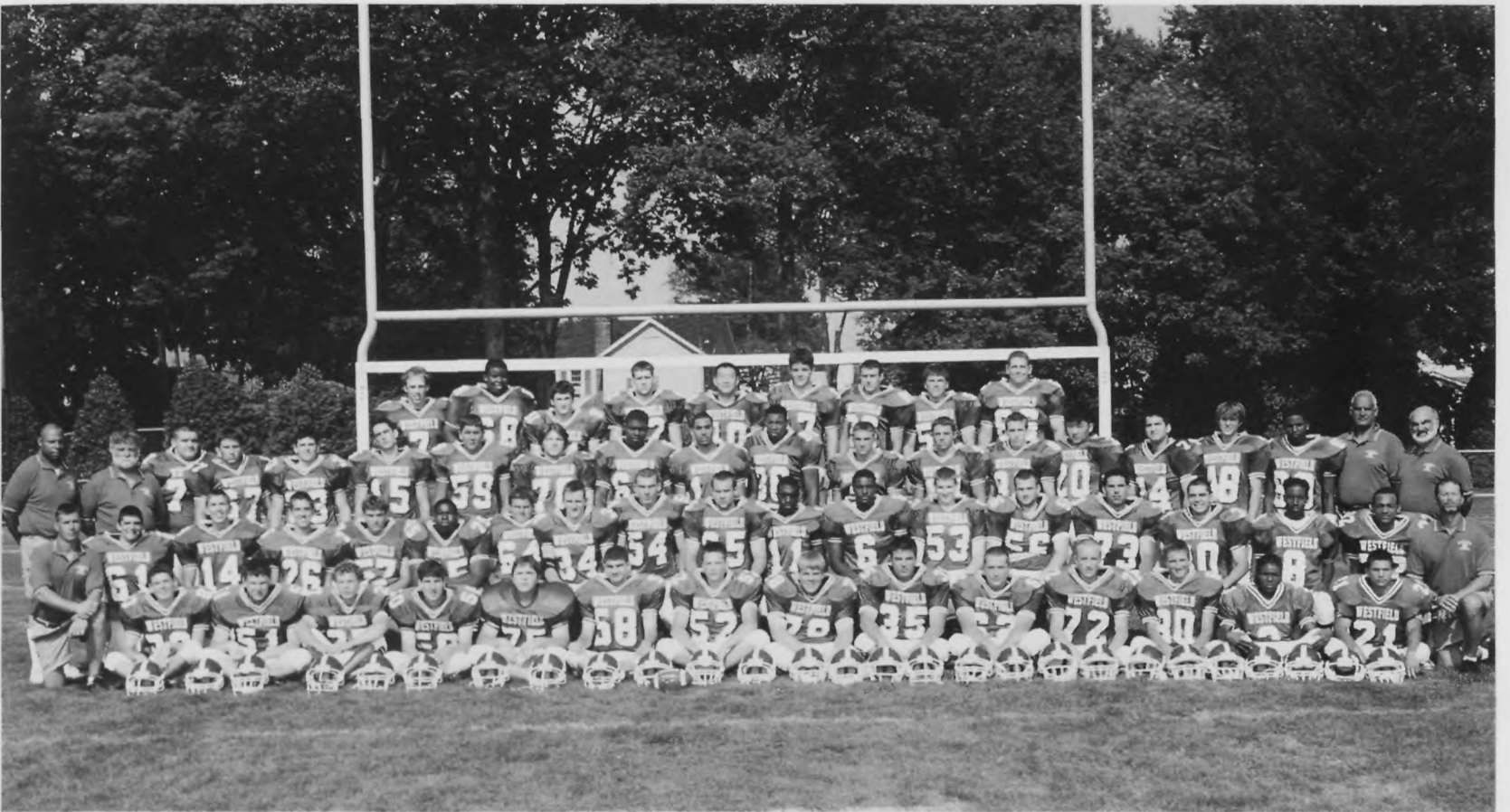
Bottom Left: Tyshon Blackmon sprints toward the endzone to secure yet another Westfield victory.

Bottom Right: Westfield creates a Raiderer sandwich in an attempt to regain possession of the ball.





Varsity and Junior Varsity Football, 2003. *Top Row:* Bradford Trzesniowski, Darrell Hopkins, Sean Young, Richard Stewart, Samuel Kim, Michael Patella, Jordan Cassidy, Jacob Brandman, Mark Harbaugh. *Second Row:* Coach Don Cassett, Coach Ronald Barner, Cowles Stewart, R. Michael Finne, Marc Dowling, Bryan Power, Mike Adamcik, Andrew Kaufhold, Montel Glasco, Jan Coccozziello, Terrance Bryant, Thomas DelDuca, Paul Goldweitz, Matthew Barbieri, James Hwang, Diego Betancourt, Ryan Sharkey, Brandon Simmons, Coach Edward Tranchina, Coach Joseph Avena. *Third Row:* Coach Ken Miller, Jonathan Chananie, Christopher Byrne, Eric Scrudato, Anthony Lavecchia, Winsford Belle, David Hewit, Bartholomew Walsh, Kevin MacDonald, Brian Bigelow, Jared Allman, Tyshon Blackmon, Daniel Francis, Everett Donelson, Guiseppe Insinga, Alexander Lewis, Jayshawn King, William Jenkins, Coach Gregory Gorski. *Bottom Row:* John Gagliano, Cathal Luddy, Andrew Shaffer, Bryan Simmons, Andrew Petrsonic, Joseph Corea, Robert Mroz, Zachary Bullek, Peter Protopigiannis, Stephen Cruikshank, Timothy Dohm, Andrew Brunhofer, Terron Rogers, Stephen Markowski.



*Left:* David Hewit and Bartholomew Walsh join with a Raider for a congo line across the field. *Right:* Daniel Clark narrowly escapes the gruesome tackle while Bryan Power smiles at the collision.



# Gymnastics

## The Art of Flexibility

This year's gymnastics season began with many questions and concerns. Last year the team graduated five seniors, making this year's team dominated by freshmen. All of the gymnasts stepped up, worked hard, and united as a team making the season a success. We improved our dual meet record from last year and sent many individuals to the State Sectionals. Due to the great efforts of the gymnasts, managers, mascots, and coach, the team ended with a record of 7-3. Our captains for next year are Jessica Sussman and Christina Cordeiro and we're looking forward to another wonderful and successful season next year.

—Kathryn Brucia, Captain

Girls Gymnastics Team 2003-2004: *Back Row:* Stacy Osborn, Jenna Skoller, Erin Mac, Kristina Fraites, Mikala Tidswell, Elizabeth Falzone, Coach Melissa Greenwald-Bryan, Claire Macdonald. *Middle Row:* Catherine Cordeiro, Kathryn Brucia, Jessica Sussman, Amanda Diaz. *Bottom Row:* Alexandra Psychojos, Christina Cordeiro.



The seniors, Stacy Osborn and Kathryn Brucia, pose for the camera.

Amanda Diaz splits while posing for a picture.



Christina Cordeiro flies high as she leaps across the beam.

Alexandra Psychojos uses her strength to hold herself up on beam.

Mikala Tidswell demonstrates her ability to stand on her hands.

Displaying her concentration and endurance, Jenna Skoller completes her vault.

*Middle Left:* Claire Macdonald keeps her big smile during her uneven bar performance.

*Middle Right:* Elizabeth Falzone's head disappears, but her perfect form remains.



Elizabeth Falzone perfects her standing back-handspring.

Pointing her toes, Claire Macdonald prepares to dismount.

Stacy Osborn maintains her extension throughout her vault.

# Serving Up Victory!

**B**abe Ruth once said, "It's hard to beat a person who never gives up." This year, the Westfield varsity volleyball team demonstrated this perfectly. Coach Beverly Torok's team ended their season with a remarkable record of 15-8. This year's tri-captains, Sophie Hall, Jacqueline Le Blanc, and Shanna Vella, led the team to become Conference Champs. The girls are looking forward to next year and hope to continue with their success.

Girls Volleyball, 2004. *Top Row:* Elizabeth Myers, Kristina Fietkiewicz, Jacqueline Le Blanc, Sasha Sharif, Kaitlyn Shulman, Olena Borkowsky, Coach Beverly Torok. *Middle Row:* Molly Williams, Robin Streit, Christine Clark, Tara Daly, Monica Dreyer. *Bottom Row:* Shanna Vella, Sophie Hall.



*Left:* Sophie Hall anticipates the ball.



*Right:* Molly Williams prepares to give the volleyball what it deserves... a good beating!





That's some serious air, Jacqueline Le Blanc!



Kaitlyn Shulman rises up to the occasion.



Left: Jacqueline Le Blanc prepares to score another point for Westfield.

Right: The team shows support with a group hug.



Left: Molly Williams, Shanna Vella, and Monica Dreyer race towards the ball.

## Cross Country

### Painting the World Blue

The 2003 boys and girls cross-country teams upheld Westfield's proud name in more ways than just one. Along with their successful season, they have won something more than titles and awards; bonds and memories that will stay with them forever. "My four years on the cross-country team were memorable and I will always remember all the girls on the team. Yeah class of 2004! You're mom cheers for our team!" said Tri-Captain Carolyn Harbaugh.

Under their wonderful coaches, Coach Thomas Hornish, Coach Jen Buccino and Coach Jack Martin, these runners have created a family that is hard to leave at the end of each season. According to Tri-Captain Andrew Speigel, "This is one of the best cross-country seasons to date; although we didn't break any records, we worked tremendously hard, made the most of every practice, and ultimately came together as a team."

Robert Broadbent is momentarily airborne.



"Inhale, exhale, inhale, exhale. With that breathing pattern I will surely do well," Henry Koehler thinks to himself.



Eadaoin Quinn darts ahead of the opponent.



Scott Cantor stretches before his run while big brother Brad Cantor waits with the stop watch.



Tri-captain Irina Shermetyeua is off to a fast start.

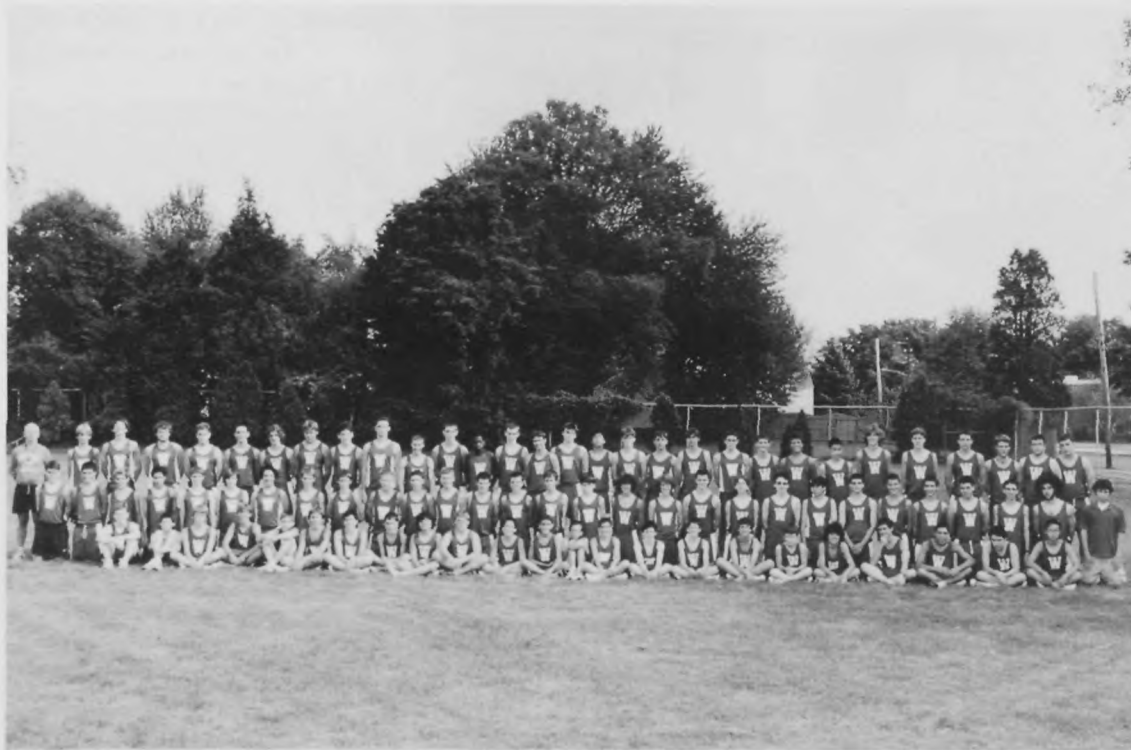


Middle Right: Marykate Maher makes running cross country look like a piece of cake.



The wind can't even keep up with Dorothy Chou.





Boys Cross Country, 2003-2004. *Top row:* Coach Jack Martin, Nick Mironovich, Andrew Cantor, Brad Cantor, Brian Dunstan, Scott Steinberg, Michael Beil, Joshua McMahon, Adam Lorentzen, Matthew Parness, Kristopher Kagan, John Meredith, Ameer Rogers, Eric Williams, Daniel Nemeth, Peter Itz, Michael Yee, Kevin Devaney, Michael Noblett, Jay Hoban, Benjamin Nanna, Alex Mucci, Bryan Smith, Theo Chou, Jack Trimble, John Boyd, Scott Cantor, Joshua Dennerlein, Tyler Seeger, Matthew DeSantis. *Middle Row:* Brian Waters, Brett Nemec, Matthew Carville, Andrew Patel-Schneider, Keith Moran, Joseph Penczak, Wesley Brockway, Dan Dickson, Henry Koehler, Daniel Kehler, David Schottland, Daniel McGrory, David Hennessey, Scott Dyer, Luke Ricci, Robert Evans, Alex Masel, Robert Cariste, Kevin Beher, Gabe Yukon, Peter Hrinewski, Jared Messina, Benjamin Shiffman, Harrison Fox, Stephen Caprario, Andrew Spiegel, Luc Charansonney, Jacob Mirsky, Jeff Whitney. *Bottom Row:* Jonathan Tannenbaum, Logan Knisely, Dan Kehler, Matthew Harris, Andrew Skibitsky, Brent Souders, Bennett Scorgia, David Ackerman, Jarret Petrillo, Craig Hewit, John-Russell Brockway, Peter Rucinsky, Jonathan Maimon, Matthew Kamel, Dan Bellovin, Bryan Elsasser, Greg Whitman, Jon Sheflin, Justin Petrillo, Richard Hughes, Glenn Romano, Samuel Perl, Raymond Chen.



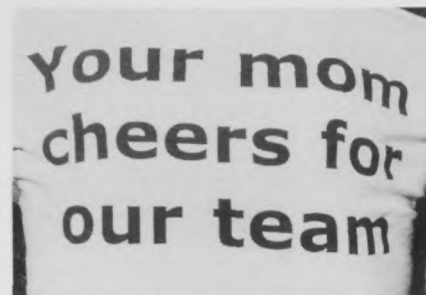
Girls Cross Country, 2003-2004. *Top row:* Coach Jennifer Buccino, Megan Fowler, Alison Rodino, Anna McGrath, Carrie Palumbo, Katie Cole-Kelly, Amanda Genova, Dorothy Chou, Laura Pietruszki, Marykate Maher, Allison Petrow, Rebecca Sabreen, Emily Colvin, Mikaela Cruz, Anne Onishi, Aun Wisler, Rachel Mack, Carolyn Harbaugh, Coach Thom Hornish. *Middle Row:* Suzanne Merkelson, Ying He, Erin McCloskey, Margaret Driscoll, Julianne Niemiera, Elizabeth Werner, Stefanie Courtney, Eadaoin Quinn, Irina Sheremetyeva, Sarah Caprario, Polina Opelbaum, Rachel Barrett, Carly Oliff, Jayne Ruotolo, Jillian Hobson, Katie Morgan. *Bottom Row:* Sarah Masel, Meghan Wasiak, Laura Gabriel, Sarah Pecker, Rachel Newberg, Jesse Solomon, Kim Legones, Nicole Dibenedetto, Beth Budnick, Jennifer Danielsson, Erika Kettleson, Megan Vandervort, Anne Peyton, Meg Buttrick.



"The sun is bright, but it will not keep me from winning this race," Tri-captain John Boyd thinks to himself.



David Axelrod is happy to be rounding the last stretch of his run.



A member of the girls cross country team displays their slogan.



And they're off!



west**FIELD**hockey

Girls Varsity and Junior Varsity Field Hockey, 2003-2004. *Front Row:* Lauren Winchester, Elizabeth Trimble, Tara Steiner, Ashley Yarusi, Christine Wicks, Jennifer Frost, Kate Warren, Meredith Rucinsky, Erika Hasenfus, Kristen Materek, Michelle Markowski, Lauren Purdy, Emily Printz. *Second Row:* Julie Bennett, Nicole Zubizarreta, Rachel Carr, Lorena Zamarelli, Christine Fitzpatrick, Rebecca DeFazio, Samantha Manetti, Kayla Vandervort, Leah DiMatteo. *Third Row:* Coach Margaret McFadden, Jessica Ropars, Emily Cleaves, Allison Feldman, Maura Connolly, Kristen Ryan, Katherine Sloan, Rebecca Schulman, Dana Zichlin, Coach Nancy Carpenter. *Fourth Row:* Clare Frattarola, Katie Anderson, Christine DeSerio, Yuchen Zhang, Eunice Park, Kate Steenberg, Camille Hausheer, Justine Cassidy, Hanna Lee.

Kate Warren quickly stops the ball from going out of bounds.



Tri-captain Christine Wicks' stick clashes with the other player's for the ball.



Jennifer Frost buzzes around the goal waiting for the other team.



Lauren Purdy, Kristen Materek, Ashely Yarusi, Elizabeth Trimble, Merideth Rucinsky, and Emily Printz discuss their game strategies.

With immense focus, Elizabeth Trimble prepares to pass the ball.



Tri-captain Ashley Yarusi anxiously waits for the ball.



This year the girls' field hockey team had an extremely successful season. Going into the state tournament, the team had a record of 8-8-2. Over the three month season, we grew extremely close, which helped our team immensely. Instead of playing individual hockey, as we once did, we began playing strong, team hockey. Our biggest fan once described us by saying, "They might not have the prettiest game around, but whatever it takes, they always reach down and find a way. They keep digging and they keep fighting; no matter how hard it is, they come up with something." This describes our team and season extremely well.

—Christine Wicks,  
Tri-captain



Lauren Purdy reaches for the ball with all her strength.

Middle: Kristen Materek steps in front of a player on the opposing team.

Tri-captain Meredith Rucinsky bares her mouthguard to intimidate the other team.



Emily Printz lines up her shot to score a goal.



# Get in the Spirit

Everyone has a misconception about cheerleaders. People think they are just a club, but cheerleading is a sport. Cheerleaders, like every other team, puts in hard hours of practice. They have a duty to memorize and synchronize their cheers, which is not an easy task to ask of anyone. The Westfield High School cheerleaders are exceptionally motivated to support our teams. This year they have especially come far with their second place finish in their first competition. It is now time to cheer for our cheerleaders.

Cara Paulan, Chelsea Mendoza, Sarah Herman, and Kristy Britt clap their hands to get the crowd ready to root for the home team.

Lounging in their newly bought sweatsuits the squad waits for the game to begin.



The cheerleaders keep on smiling as they begin their performance during their first competition.



Jennell Carter looks away as she proceeds to the next line in the cheer, while keeping the beat.



Brittany Elsasser soars in the air to get the crowd going.



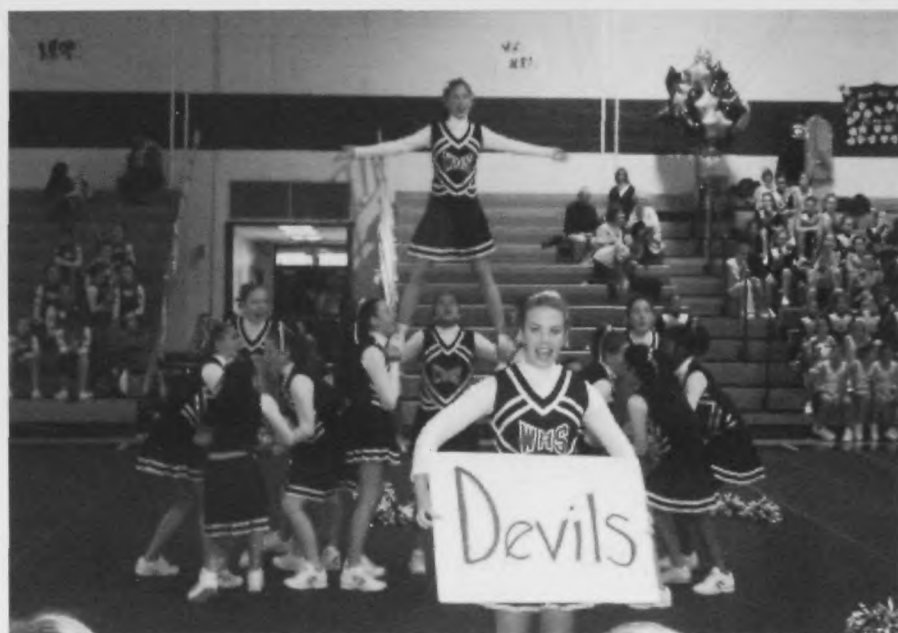
Below: Brittany Elsasser, Christina Hamway, and Christina Marcus make a "W" to show Blue Devil pride.

Below Right: Ja'Net Tiller, Jennell Carter, and Christina Marcus come onto the field ready to rev up the crowd.



Middle left: Brittany Simone, Elizabeth Riddle, Stephanie Lopes, Tiffany Fraser, Kathleen Solan, Erin Cooper, Felicia Erlich, Kelly Dohm, Daniella Regencia, Jessica Riegel, Alison Johnson, Chelsea Mendoza, Brittany Elsasser, Sarah Herman, Christina Hamway, and Christina Marcus pose with their second place trophy.

Bottom left: Jessica Riegel, Daniella Regencia, and Stephanie Lopes smile for the camera on their way home.



In the middle of their crowd pleasing performance the girls shout, "Go Blue Devils".



## Marching Band

# You know you're in band when...

**M**arching band is more than an after school activity; it is a unique experience that leaves lasting memories in the minds and hearts of all who participate. Striving to achieve common goals, the members of the marching band pull together each season to create a tight-knit family that can and will overcome any obstacle. This season, after hours of hard work and dedication, we mastered our show and achieved score of 93.00, breaking the school record for the second year in a row. With an overall sense of pride and accomplishment, our season ended with a band. My experience with the marching band for the last four years were incredible. Thank you to everyone who contributed to my forever lasting memories.

—Pamela Musat, Senior Drum Major

Colorguard Section Leader Meaghan Fitzpatrick elegantly dances on the keyboard during the drum solo.



Senior Drum Major Pamela Musat keeps a watchful eye on the band during the show.



Anthony Johnson proudly plays his baritone during the ballad.



Middle right: Colorguard Section Leader Sarah Perch prepares herself to catch an upcoming sabre toss.

Middle left: The Battery Boys march onto the field with confidence.



Junior Drum Major Lauren Nolan skillfully guides the band through each set.

*Middle:* Danielle Partinope watches the drum major as other band members behind her march to their spots.

The band shows their support during one of the WHS football games.



Tovah Tripp demonstrates her sheer love for band by enthusiastically playing her concluding notes.

The brass section halts for a powerful impact moment.

Rebecca Perch shows off her flag spinning skills.



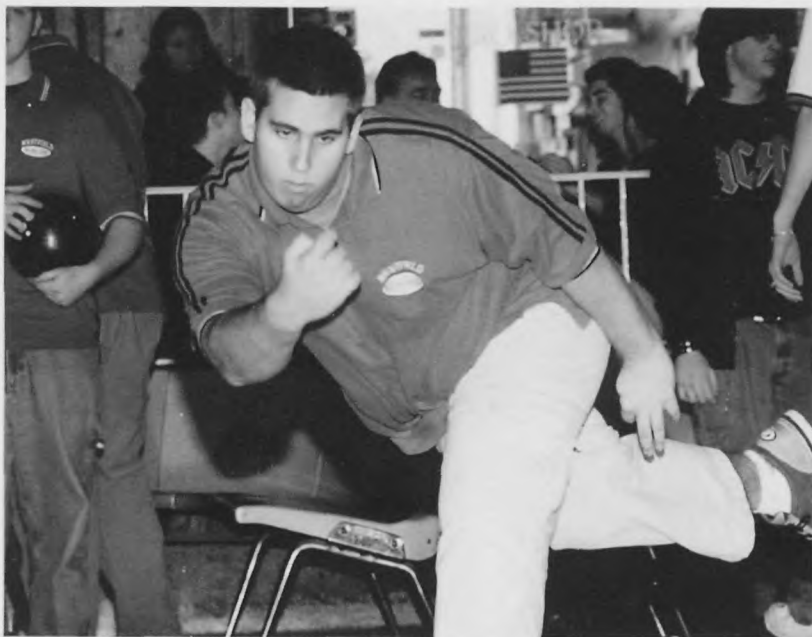


## Bowling

# Knock 'em down

Bowling Team, 2003-2004. *Top row:* Harrison Mercado, Brian Burkhardt, Tristan Bellotti, David Palma, Brian Sanders, Corey Miller, Andrew Royston. *Bottom row:* Bennett Scordia, Jillianne May, Bryan Elsasser, Samuel Perl, Alexander Wronski, and Brian Stotter.

"The Swan," Brian Stotter's secret weapon, is currently being perfected.



Andrew Royston concentrates while bowling his next strike.



David Palma is doin' a little dance, rollin' a little ball and win-ning to-night.

The 2003-2004 WHS Bowling Team made miraculous strides this year. Even though some key players graduated last year, the team still remained at the top of the league. This year's senior bowlers, Jillianne May, David Palma, and Andrew Royston, collaboratively worked with their teammates during practices developing the team's strength to ensure a victorious season. Captain Andrew Royston said, "The freshmen members have adapted nicely to the new high school bowling environment, allowing us to succeed without last year's players."

Brian Sanders attempts the Flintstone technique with great enthusiasm.



Corey Miller stares down the pins.

Jillianne May prepares to make one of her many strikes.

# A Splash of Success

**T**his year the WHS girls swim team was undefeated in conference with an outstanding record of 12-3, making them the winners of the Union County Championships for the twelfth straight year. "Although we lost in the state-semi finals, we had twenty-nine best times and powerpointed over four thousand points, more points than any meet in the last four years. We had an awesome freshman class are are looking foward to next year of a phenomenal group of swimmers.

—Coach Jaime Ruzsala

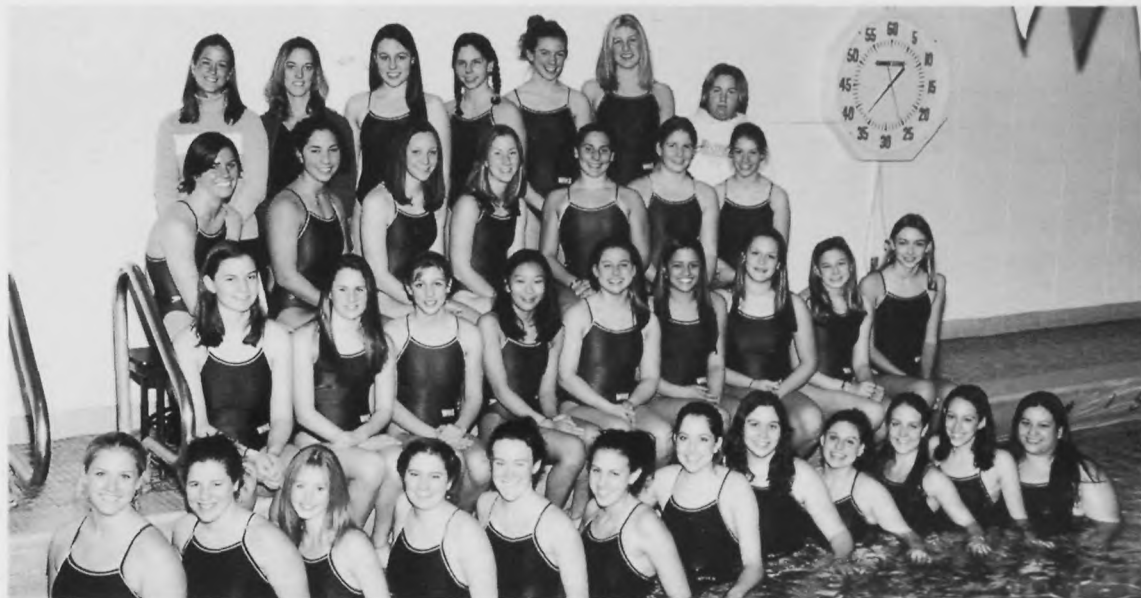
It's a bird...it's a plane...no, it's Emily Bregman racing to the finish.



Callie Meserole tests her endurance as she swims the breast stroke.



Suzanna Fowler stretches before the big meet.



Girls Swimming, 2003-2004. *Top Row:* Coach Jaime Ruzsala, Ms. Kara Shields, Jennifer Metz, Jacqueline De La Fuente, Elizabeth Trimble, Callie Meserole, Noelle Ebler. *Third Row:* Kirsten Selert, Neda Simaika, Amanda Dickson, Lauren Winchester, Christine Clark, Kylie Fraser, Beth Budnick. *Second Row:* Danielle Partenope, Emily Bregman, Katherine Morgan, Lisa Zhang, Ilene Goodman, Brittany Reyes, Darrell Ann Smith, Nicole Di Benedetto, Julia Cederroth. *Bottom Row:* Rebecca Fallon, Suzanna Fowler, Kelli Layton, Emily Barnes, Danielle Heffernan, Samatha Tarnofsky, Carolyn Freundlich, Alison Weingarten, Alyson Goodman, Alexandra Devlin, Tovah Tripp, Cassandra Lo.



Middle left: The WHS swim team psyche themselves up for the competition.

Members of the swim team perform their pre-meet cheer.



Middle right: Katherine Morgan demonstrates the perfect technique for the butterfly.

Darrell Ann Smith splashes towards victory.



Coach Jaime Ruszala shouts words of encouragement as the team swims to their victory.

Top: Jennifer Metz backs her way to victory.

Lauren Winchester takes a deep breath before her next stroke.

# Kickin' Back

Boys Swim Team, 2003-2004. *Top Row:* Christian Heinen, Kevin Hobson, Timothy Kolenut, Samuel Gurdus, Ryan Bartholomew, Joshua Schoenfeld, Evan Vanarelli, Coach Bruce Johnson. *Third Row:* Jeffrey Dresely, James Hanas, Daniel Chabanov, Andrew Prunesti, David Hedman, Kyle Murray, Patrick Daurio. *Second Row:* Michael Burns, Brandon Cuba, Thomas Fringer, Brain Yee, Benjamin Holt, Daniel McGrory. *Bottom Row:* Peter John Harley, Luke Baran, Gregory Blanton, Matthew Boyle, Brian Lee, Brian Corea, Philip Anton.



*Above:* Joshua Schoenfeld is confident that his team will come out on top.

*Middle:* Andrew Prunesti sports his WHS swim cap with pride!

*Bottom:* Timothy Kolenut dominates the race.

Andrew Prunesti waits anxiously for the race to begin.

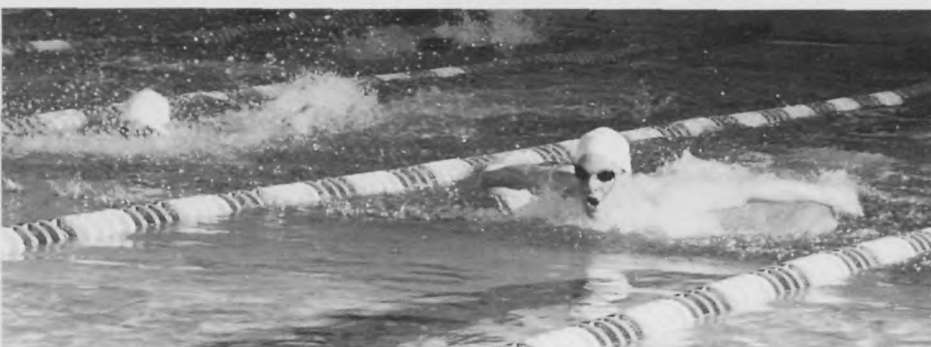


The Westfield High School boy's swim team overcame all odds in their 2003-2004 season. After taking a large hit because of graduation last year, a drastically changed team strove to defend their state title. We finished the season with an impressive 14-2 record. After an emotionally charged victory over Bridgewater, WHS breezed past Hillsborough to face Cherry Hill East in the finals. In an absolutely amazing meet, a bald WHS team defeated East 90-80. Winning the state championship this year was amazing because nobody expected us to be so dominant. Our closeness as a team allowed us to work hard all season and pull together in that last hour to become champions. We deserved it. Our coach Bruce Johnson deserved it for constantly inspiring us with his dedication to the team and his knowledge of the sport.

—Ryan Bartholomew, Quad-Captain

Left: Brian Yee looks up to see if he's ahead of the game.

Below: Daniel McGrory propels himself to glory.



Middle Left: David Hedman makes the final lap to first place.  
Bottom Left: Evan Vanarelli has his eyes set on the finish line.

Middle Right: Quad-Captain Kevin Hobson pushes forward to win the relay.  
Bottom Right: Westfield leads the way to victory!



# Shoot for the top

Girls Basketball, 2004. *Front Row:* Marykate Flannery, Jacqueline Pena, Kathryne Read. *Middle Row:* Lauren Sinnenberg, Kate Judd, Abby Chazanow, Samantha Zucker, Lauren Simmons, Kristina Fietkiewicz. *Back Row:* Coach Joseph Marino, Melissa Rosen, Anna McGrath, Prudence Alexander, Casey Elkoury, Pamela Church, Coach Paul Smith, Coach Ronald Allen.

Pamela Church defends her team and hopes for a basket.



Kate Judd rushes down the court to score for her team.

Being part of a team is not just about competition and rivalry. Above all else, being part of a team means the discovery of friendships and the formation of bonds that will last a lifetime. Tri-Captain Jaqueline Pena speaks fondly of her teammates when she says, "Most people look at a team and judge them by their record. Our team was able to win in many other ways. We grew as a team through our friendship and laughter. We worked hard and tried our best, and that's all we can ask for. I wouldn't give up this team for the world."

The Dance Team performs the half time show at a game.



Lauren Simmons shoots...does she score?



Middle: Samantha Zucker plays "keep away" from the rival team.

Bottom: Senior Melissa Rosen concentrates on stealing the ball.



Coach Paul Smith and Coach Joseph Marino anxiously await the outcome of the game.

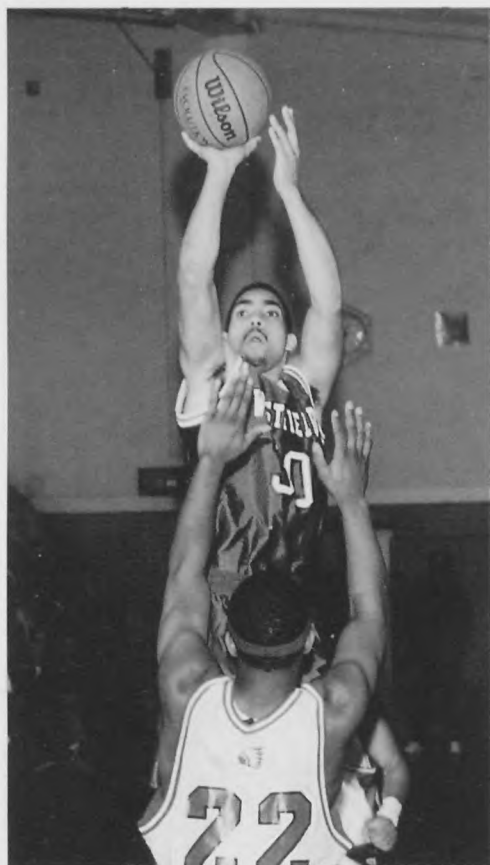
# Boys Basketball

## HOOP, THERE IT IS!

Jan Coccozziello shoots the ball, despite his opponents aggressive defense.

Tyshon Blackmon juggles four basketballs at once.

Eric Hayes shows his determination as he dribbles across the court.



Joseph Korfmacher makes an impressive jump shot.



Jan Coccozziello is momentarily distracted by the action off court.



Terrance Bryant stares down the opposing team, hoping to clear a path to the basket.



**T**his season, our team was led by four seniors, Joseph Korfmacher, Jan Coccozziello, Terrance Bryant, and Tyshon Blackmon. The boys basketball team's record was a winning one, a notable achievement. The team counted on a great defense and good shooting to win over fifteen games. The seniors were also aided by juniors, William Hearon, Bryan Power, and Eric Hayes.

— Coach Kevin Everly

Boys Basketball, 2004. *Top Row:* Coach Kevin Everly, Nicholas DeRosa, Joshua Gerkins, Joseph Korfmacher, Thomas Bottini, Terrance Bryant, Jan Coccozziello, JV Coach Jason Grant, Coach Brian Ciemenicki. *Bottom Row:* Thomas Bonard, Michael Venezia, Bryan Power, Tyshon Blackmon, William Hearon, Tyrell Simmons, Eric Hayes.



*Above left:* Eric Hayes looks for an open team mate to pass to.

*Above Right:* The WHS dance team provides halftime entertainment for the enthusiastic crowd.



Michael Venezia quickly dribbles the ball, eager to make it across the court.



Joseph Korfmacher goes for the gusto and attempts to score a three-pointer for Westfield.

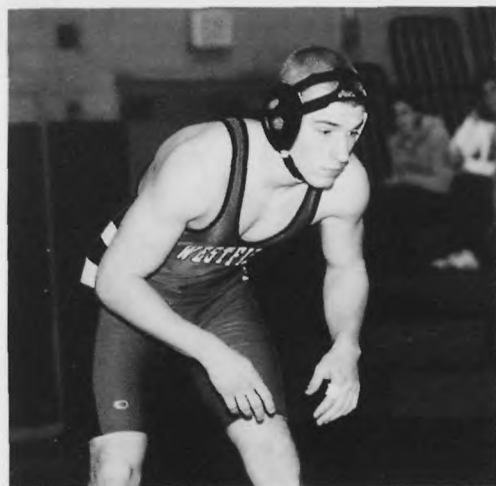
## Wrestling

# Down for the Count

This has been a season of development for our team since much of our starting line-up graduated last year. However, this year everyone really stepped up and pulled their weight, creating a lot of individual successes. Although the team had some gaps, we were still able to boast some of the best individual wrestlers in the state. Wrestling is more than a sport; it is the way of life during the season. I think everyone worked hard and it showed on the mat. It was a privilege to wrestle with such individuals and I will never forget the team.

—Senior Co-Captain Robert Mench

Kevin Macdonald gets ready for the match to begin.



Collin Willard grimaces as he takes his opponent down.



Stephen Cruikshank tries to free himself from his opponent's grasp.



Wrestling Team, 2003-2004. *Top Row:* Coach Glen Kurz, Matthew Barbieri, Nicholas Gismondi, Stephen Cruikshank, Jason Kealy, Mark Boyd, Colin Willard, Thomas Del Duca, Andrew Shaffer, Coach John Cheddar, Coach Donald MacDonald  
*Middle Row:* Elizabeth Riddle, Daniel Whitney, David Israelow, Kevin Macdonald, Lee Tomasso, Robert Mench, Scott Saggio, Alexander Lewis, Marilyn Mench  
*Bottom Row:* Joseph Corea, Peter Cornell, Samuel Kramer, Colin MacKay, Matthew Kamel, Craig Hewit

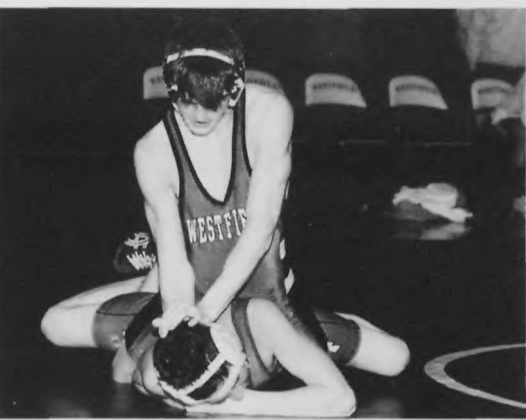


Daniel Whitney is the winner!

Coach Glen Kurz encourages the team to do its best.



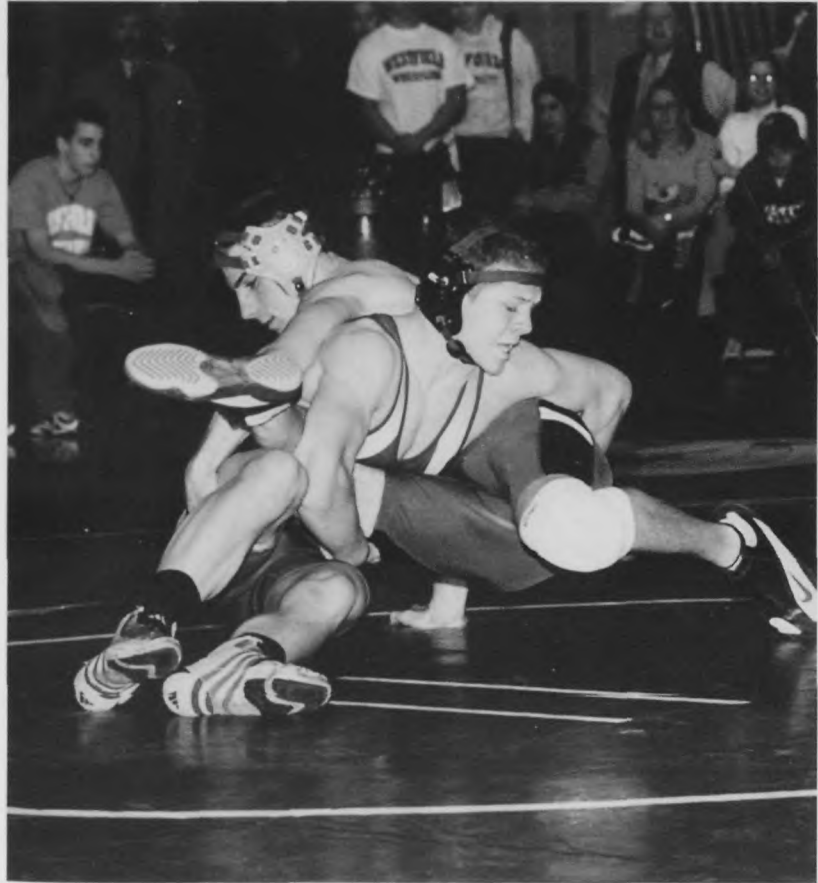
Top: Robert Mench overcomes his opponent with great skill.



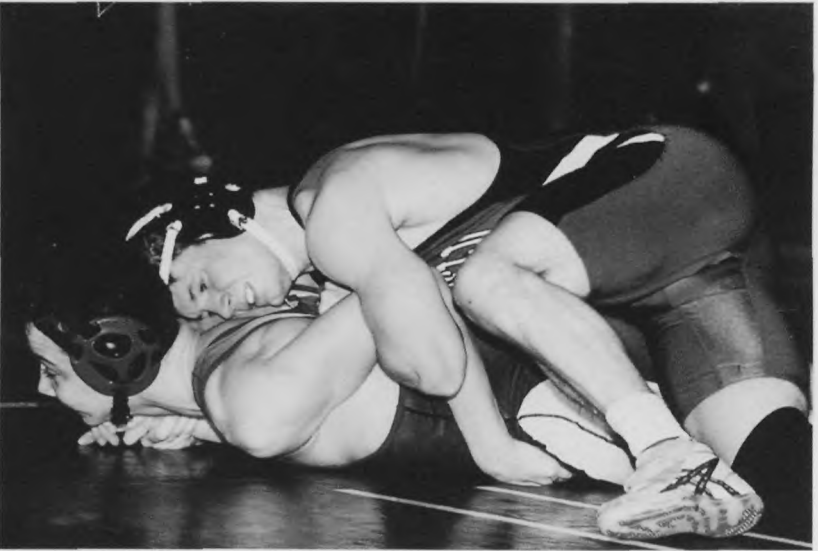
Middle: Ouch...we feel your pain!



Samuel Kramer maintains his balance as he tries to take his opponent down.



Thomas Del Duca searches for the pair of legs that belong to his body.



Lee Tomasso forcefully pins his opponent.



# Tracking in the Snow

Andrew Brunhofer, Jeffrey Perrella, James Hoban, and Tyler Maccubbin stand along side the track and wait for their event.

**A**t the beginning of each season, I always wonder... what could possibly top last season's achievements? This season was filled with valuable lessons as well as tremendous growth as a team. Our experience and determination allowed us to become County Relay and County Individual champions. Our hard work helped us to beat numerous school records. All of these accomplishments would have been impossible without the dedication of our coaches and athletes, who make each season unforgettable.

—Alison Petrow, Class of 2004  
Winter Track Quint-Captain



*Left:* Alison Petrow concentrates as she gets ready to launch the shot put.

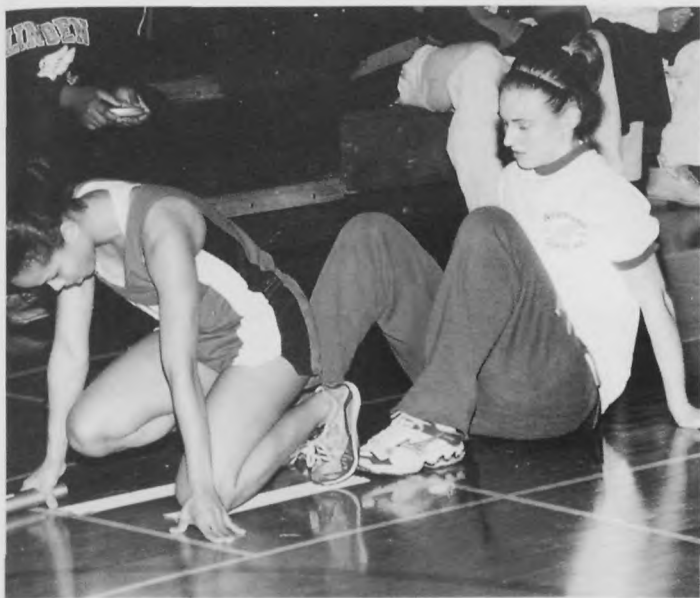
*Right:* Eadaoin Quinn rounds the corner in her relay event.



Amanda Nehring soars across the untouchable bar.



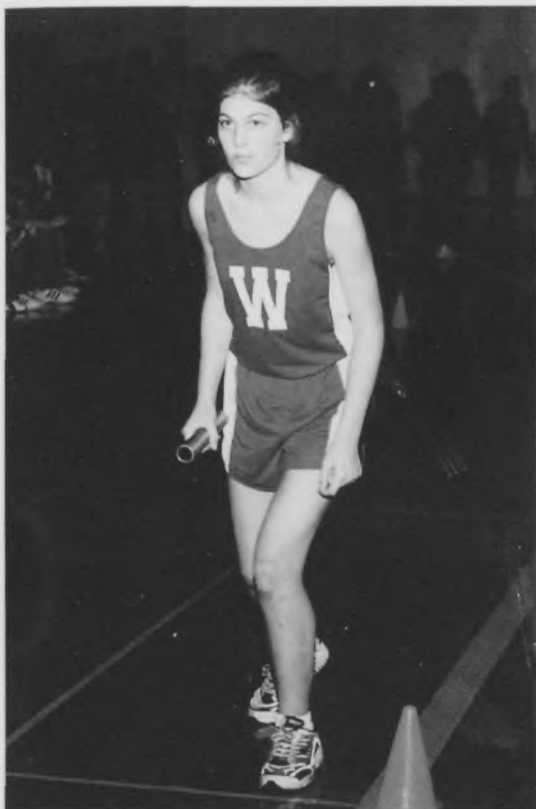
Annie Onishi and Emily MacNeil talk about their run.



*Left:* Laura Pietruszki helps Mikaela Cruz find her position by acting as her starting block.



*Right:* Ameer Rogers rounds the corner to catch up to the opposing runner.



*Left:* Emily Perry prepares to race.



*Right:* Kayla Vandervort darts to get in front of the other team.



Caroline Sheridan and Coach Gregory Gorski discuss the race while watching a recording.



Caitlyn Berkowitz paces herself while gaining distance.



Tyler Maccubbin gains air and leaps over the high bar.

## Ice, Ice Baby

Going into the season, we knew it was going to be a year to rebuild. We should all be extremely proud because we showed a tremendous amount of heart and were tough no matter who we went up against. We came together like brothers because we knew it was never about wins and losses with our team, but about staying positive and knowing that we always left everything out on the ice. The lessons that we learned every Wednesday night will take us further in life than anything we learned in class.

— Alex Regenstreich, Tri-Captain

*Right:* Tri-Captain Edward Kramkowski guards his goal.

*Middle:* Thomas Tresnan and Philip Buonocore show the other team who's boss.

*Below:* Brent Davis glides past the opposing teammate with ease, anxiously awaiting a pass.



Ryan Madaras stands ready for a pass.



Gregory Speir adjusts his helmet, preparing for the next play.



Matthew Schoenfeld skates in to claim the victory for his team.





*Far Left:* David Muroff sweeps around after successfully passing the puck.

*Left:* The team huddles together to strategize their next winning move.



*Ice Hockey, 2003-2004. Top Row:* James Morton, Ryan Palumbo, Robert DeProspero, Charles Woehr, Anthony Arnold, Alexander Hodara, Brady Lau, Thomas Tresnan, Matthew Schoenfeld, Jeffery Pate, Seth Davidson. *Middle Row:* Coach Gordon White, Coach Ryan Enrico, Jason Anderson, Ryan Madaras, Alex Regenstreich, Brent Davis, David Muroff, Gregory Speir, Edward Kramkowski, Brian Davidson, Andrew Goldman, Coach Dennis Doherty. *Bottom Row:* John Attanasio, Philip Buonocore, Salvatore Esposito, David Urban, Scot Simpson, Adam Becker, Jeffrey Mysel, Jason Frost, Jacob Stevens-Haas.



Goalie David Urban defends his goal aggressively.



Tri-Captain Alex Regenstreich lunges as he slaps the puck to his teammate.

Last year we ended the season with a good record and lost quite a few valuable players. The 2004 girls lacrosse team is looking to improve last year's record and make it far into the state tournament, especially since this is the first year the program will be funded by the school.

— Kate Albino, Tri-Captain

Goalie Jacqueline Burns saves the shot.



## Laxin' It Up

Staci Spass stands confident knowing there is no chance her opponent will get the ball.



Heather Lane speeds past her opponent towards the goal.



Tri-Captain Alice Ryan gets low to get around her opponents.

Laura Shelman maintains stable control of the ball as she sprints down the field.



The 2002 - 2003 girls lacrosse team proved to be an exceptional one. Team captains Staci Spass, Ashley Kent, and Christine Pirot helped lead the team throughout last year. Last season was a rebuilding year and although it did not end as well as we hoped, we feel we've learned a lot and we're ready to reach our goals this year. We lost some talent but hard work will replace that.

- Laura Shelman, Tri-Captain



Above: Ashley Yarusi eyes the field for an open teammate to complete the play.



Full of smiles, the girls gather together after gaining another victory for Westfield.



## Boys Lacrosse

# Cradling Victory

**Y**ear in and year out the Westfield boys lacrosse team goes out and plays against the best teams in New Jersey; 2003 was no exception. Under the leadership of the coaches and the captains, Dan MacDonald, Bill Schultz, Dan Kane, and Gil Arbtsman, the Westfield team played 11 games against opponents ranked among the top 15 teams in the state of New Jersey, including three against number five, Summit. The team posted an impressive record of 12-6 and made it to the final round of 16 teams in the state playoffs. The Blue Devils placed seventh in the state, second in the inaugural Union County Lacrosse Tournament, and was named the *Courier News* Team of the Year. The 2004 team looks forward to building upon the successes of last year's team.

— Quad-Captain Andrew Sinnenberg

Goalie Daniel Kotch anticipates the save he is about to make



William Shultz dodges his opponent with balance and concentration.



Daniel Kane thrusts the ball to make a complete pass.



Danny Mahoney gives the game his all, making it quite difficult for his opponent.

*Middle:* The boys stand perplexed on whether or not they'll bring home another victory.



Matthew Gallagher gains speed while maintaining possession of the ball.



Taylor Hogarth eyes the field in preparation to get the ball to his teammate.

Christopher MacDonald stands still, eyeing every move of his team.

# A League of Their Own

Outfielder Marykate Flannery returns the ball to the infield.

The team waits with bated brath for Coach Tara Pignoli's final words of advice.

Middle: Jennifer Frost is alert and on her toes, ready to grab any ball coming her way.



Last season was disappointing in terms of our win-loss record. However, I see the season as a success in that the inexperienced players gained skills, knowledge of the game, and developed confidence in themselves and their teammates in high pressure situations. Last season's overall improvement, which was aided by Ali Bennett and Lisa Venezia, will certainly influence this year's team.

— Coach Tara Pignoli



A full cycle...



The infielders gather on the pitcher's mound to celebrate their triumph.

Middle: Danielle Coleman prepares to finish the inning with an outstretched arm and a spectacular catch.



Alison Bennett watches with a practiced eye, willing the perfect pitch to come her way.

Middle: Catcher Lauren Musacchia eagerly awaits a cue from her pitcher.



of Lauren Gelmetti's perfect pitching.

# HIT 'EM HARD

**A**lthough the team had a less than perfect record, numbers cannot accurately quantify their success. Their unity and cooperation was evident in their commitment and dedication to the game. Coach Robert Brewster taught the team important skills that will enhance their game and improve their ability to achieve success in the future.

Samuel Kim and Diego Betancourt complete a relay from center field.

*Left Middle:* William Hearon hurls the ball infield.

*Right:* Joseph Wisniewski uses all his endurance to propel the ball over the plate.



Catcher Michael Murray rises to his knees to return the ball.

Shielded by his helmet, Brian Butts connects and follows through.

Michael Streaman prepares to steal third.



Middle Left: In a cloud of dust, Brian Butts safely slides into second.

Infielder Michael Dubitsky anticipates the arrival of the ball.



Michael Murray grabs the ball as the umpire calls strike three.



Middle Right: Diego Betancourt fields the ball with ease.

Outfielder Kenneth Wichowski catches the ball for the final out of the inning.



Bryan Power secures the ball within the safety of his mitt.



Thomas Ricciuti watches the pitcher with a practiced eye.



Tyler Patla grasps the ball, preparing to throw out an opponent at first.



# Spring it On!

**W**ith one of the biggest track teams in the state, it would seem like it would be hard for everyone to unite. The titles we won this year proved that we obviously didn't have a problem. Besides having some of the best runners around, we had the best cheering section ever. There was always someone cheering your name around every turn and brownies waiting for you when you finished your race. Although many valuable seniors will be leaving, I know these "crazy little buggers" will still have an amazing team for years to come.

— Eadaoin Quinn, Sext-Captain

Annie Onishi, Margaret Driscoll, and Eadaoin Quinn warm up before a tough meet.



Alison Petrow flies through the air with the greatest of ease.



The boys form a pack and run around the track.



Joseph Hagman propels himself over the bar.



The gun fires and the girls are off.



*Left:* John Marks flexes his muscles as he prepares to throw the shotput.



*Right:* Don't Jessica Stromer and Caitlin Towey make you want to jump, jump?



Mikaela Cruz attempts to stick a perfect landing.



Jan Coccoziello tries to jump as far as possible.

## *Kings of the Court*

The Westfield High School 2003 boys tennis team had a victorious season. The team spent many hours vigorously training for the season and their work paid off. With the guidance of Coach George Kapner, the boys tennis team faced fierce competition, yet pulled through to keep up their traditional position as the preeminent boys tennis program in Union County as well as one of the elite programs in New Jersey. According to co-captains Richard Moran and Adam Gerckens, "Last year was a very successful season. We did lose two key seniors. However, we are confident that their positions will be filled and we will surpass last year's accomplishments. We are looking forward to a fun and exciting season."

Richard Moran's mouth falls with the impact of his shot.



Adam Gerckens concentrates hard on his return.



John Meredith shows his dance moves on the court.



Alec Wasserman returns the serve with authority.



Lee Bernstein squats as he awaits the ball's arrival.



*Middle:* Michael Yee follows through with confidence.

Lee Bernstein keeps his eye on the ball.



Andrew Levy holds his breath with anticipation.

*Middle right:* Brian Kender watches as the ball sails down the center line.

*Middle left:* Adam Gerckens lunges into full force.

Michael Checchio laughs at his awesome shot.



John Meredith takes a break before the next match begins.

Golf

# Tee Time

Golf team, 2002-2003. *Top row:* Michael Ivan, Thomas Del Duca, Adam Karnish, Ryan Shallcross, Coach John Turnbull. *Bottom row:* Matthew Hodges, Garrett Cockren, and James Arbes.

Our 2003 golf season was amazing; every tournament we played in was a success. Not only did we win all of our tournaments, but we also won the state championship. Our title as State Champs would not have been possible without the motivation that Coach John Turnbull brought to the team. With Coach Turnbull's guidance, we hope to maintain our unbeatable record during the upcoming 2004 golf season.

—James Arbes



Garrett Cockren keeps his pose as he watches the hole-in-one.



Adam Karnish taps the ball into the hole.



Thomas Del Duca concentrates before striking the golf ball.



Ryan Shallcross closely watches the direction of the ball.



Michael Ivan warms up for his winning game.



Garrett Cockren demonstrates sheer concentration as he tees off.

Adam Karnish strolls to his next hole.



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## WHS lacks recycling

Despite having substantial amounts of paper, cans and other recyclable materials, WHS has no policy to deal with the recyclable trash that is produced daily.

According to a *Hi's Eye* poll, 81.5 percent of students feel that WHS does not provide adequate recycling facilities. As a result, 58 percent said they do not recycle in school.

There have been numerous attempts to institute a

recycling plan within the school. A few years ago, the school made a contract agreement with an outside facilitator, but the company went out of business, and when students started to incorrectly use the bins, they were taken away.

English Teacher Mr. Peter Horn and a group of students started the Westfield High School Action Corps, which worked toward a recycling initiative.



## Eye on stress at WHS

"They've been called Generation Stress—the stressed out generation of American youth, obsessed with an almost unattainable vision of perfection: the best school, the hottest clothes, the coolest music, the nicest body, the best friends" wrote Mr. Andrew Julien of *The Hartford Courant*.

Superintendent of Schools Dr. William Foley said, "The sources of stress are a combination of the demands parents put on children to achieve, and the stress students place on themselves by over-scheduling."

Student Assistance Counselor Ms. Maureen Mazzaresse said, "Parents are often over-invested in the success and failures of their children, which can add layers of stress and anxiety to a child's life." She also thinks that some of the stress may come from academic pressures that are unreasonable for a teenage brain.

"We are trying to distinguish the line between healthy and debilitating stress," said Principal Dr. Robert Petix. While Petix sees the positive effects of stress in its invigoration of students, he recognizes that stress at the expense of health is dangerous.

The Board of Education has recognized the problem of stress at WHS and is planning to address it through the Strategic Planning Committee. From this, it hopes to find ways to help students deal with the stress they are feeling.

## Special Ed concerns addressed

Dr. Ted Kozlik, Westfield assistant superintendent of pupil personnel services, addressed the Westfield Board of Education (BOE) Dec. 2 regarding the district's special education program. Kozlik reported that the number of students enrolled in out of district programs, self-contained classes and resource room programs is rising in proportion to the increasing student population.

He also reported that the district's students with disabilities are currently exceeding the standard test scores set by the No Child Left Behind Act.

According to Assistant Superintendent of Human Resources Dr. Margaret Dolan, Westfield special education students have scored above the mandated NJ Adequate Yearly Progress benchmark in each grade level, also above the county average.

Since one of this year's BOE goals is to evaluate the district's in-class support program and the achievement of Westfield special education students, Dolan stressed that test scores must continue to improve in order for the program to maintain its success.

## Student artwork covered

Former English classroom, Room 154, was renovated over the summer during construction. As a result, the murals painted on the walls were painted over.

The murals, which depicted scenes from Shakespeare's *A Mid-Summer Night's Dream*, were painted by a sophomore English class. Former English teacher Ms. Kate Strauss and her class created the murals of the "Forest of Arden", which was inspired after reading the Shakespearean comedy.

Room 154 was the sole English classroom in the back hallway and was recently renovated into a math classroom. Math Department Head Mr. Hal Johnson said, "[The room] became a math classroom and the teachers expressed their desire not to teach in a room with artwork."

He also said Room 154 was painted over because it was found to be a distraction for both the teachers and the students. Also, many teachers felt that the murals were messy and in need of alteration.

## Parking plans put on hold

The Town Council pulled the proposed WHS parking policy that caused much debate in Westfield. After many months of discussion, the Town Council opted to leave the issue for next year's council to address instead of voting it down at the meeting.

The ordinance passed on

its first reading, but was pulled before the second reading began.

Council members said that because many residents opposed the plan, voting in favor of the ordinance would not be a smart solution. It became evident that the ordinance would not have passed if it had been voted upon.

# Ice, ice baby!

Generally, snow days are a result of unsafe roads, and once they are cleared, normal activities can resume. But the issue that has been overlooked is not the danger in getting to school but the potential hazards one faces upon arrival. WHS has been plagued by ice for the past month.

## Editorial

Every day, members of our school can be seen struggling to walk a mere 100 yards from their cars towards any of the entrances to WHS. Although WHS Nurse Ms. Margaret Teitelbaum said that only a few students and a teacher have reported falling, it is time that the administration does something to help eliminate this hazard before a more serious accident occurs.

Ice accumulates during late hours making it difficult to have safe conditions by 7:30 a.m. However, when student and faculty safety is at risk, a solution must be found. If more time is needed to clear or remove the ice, then a delayed opening must be given consideration, particularly because it does not use up another snow day.

Rock salt has been used in some areas, but is often ineffective at low temperatures. The district has simply decided to use the cheapest method by spreading sand. This just covers the problem and does nothing to actually reduce it. However, using products that include calcium chloride can help speed the melting process.

The inconvenience of a delayed opening or the cost of more potent chemicals for melting ice are minimal in comparison to the peace of mind of knowing that the school campus is safe for all students and faculty.



## Project '79 celebrates 25 years

This year Project '79 will be celebrating its 25th anniversary. The teachers who have worked to make Project '79 successful should be praised for their accomplishments in connecting with students who were previously marginalized by the WHS academic system. The Project '79 students should also be acknowledged for their hard work in maintaining standards that have distinguished this program.

## Editorial

Despite its active presence here, many students and parents are unaware of this innovative program. With roughly 100 students enrolled annually, Project '79 proudly offers a unique learning environment. Teachers focus on providing differing methods of instruction, smaller classes, elongated periods, interrelationship of subjects and team teaching for students who have difficulty learning in a traditional classroom setting. Project '79 recognizes that students have varied forms of learning, and rather than forcing its students to struggle in a traditional classroom, it promotes individualized learning styles, allowing students to thrive.

Project '79 is an integral part of WHS, and the community should be proud that the school offers such academic opportunities to their children. WHS recognizes that students have different methods of learning and such an initiative is an important step toward validating every student's ability to learn.

## GSA imperative for tolerance at WHS

Teachers, students and faculty members of Westfield High School gathered Nov. 12 at the monthly Gay/Straight Alliance (GSA) meeting.

## Editorial

Though the issue of sexual preference will always generate controversy, individual rights to gather for discussing such concerns must be protected. To that end, the GSA serves the vital purpose of providing a diverse platform for students to express opin-

ions and experiences.

The GSA mission statement is: "a group of gay and straight people committed to addressing gay and lesbian concerns at WHS, including the prejudice against homosexuality that places people at risk and impinges upon the dignity of every person in our community. The GSA seeks to serve as a vehicle for dialogue, support and education for its members and the larger school community."

The club was created as

a safe haven for students who felt threatened in their environment due to the prejudice they faced from peers or parents.

The GSA serves as a forum for expressing an array of emotions including anger, grief or humor toward issues in the world, and allows students to share their opinions. Junior Andrew Emmet said, "You can't just deny people a place to talk about what they are feeling just because some people may get offended."



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pumpkins by the Art Club

Each fall, students have the opportunity to experience the full diversity of Westfield High School's clubs at Club Day. Whether it is the French Club, Young Democrats or the Art Club, students at WHS have many options to choose from. With over twenty extracurricular activities offered at the school, students are constantly getting involved. This year, WHS added many new clubs to its program, including the Photography Club, Classical Music Club and Drama Club. Teachers and students alike dedicate many hours of their time towards making these clubs fun and interesting for all involved. Even those students who are not satisfied with the plethora of activities, the option to start their own is always open. Through these after school activities, students from all grades are able to come together and share their common interests. It is through those common interests that old friendships are strengthened and new friendships are formed.

— Jennie Mathew, Jenna Zorn, Class of 2004

Katelyn Hoens, Class of 2005



## Hodge Podge: Life after 2:45

# Collage of Clubs



Anime Club



Mock Trial Team



Euterpe



Future Business Leaders of America

# Collage of Clubs



Folio



French Club



Key Club



Model United Nations

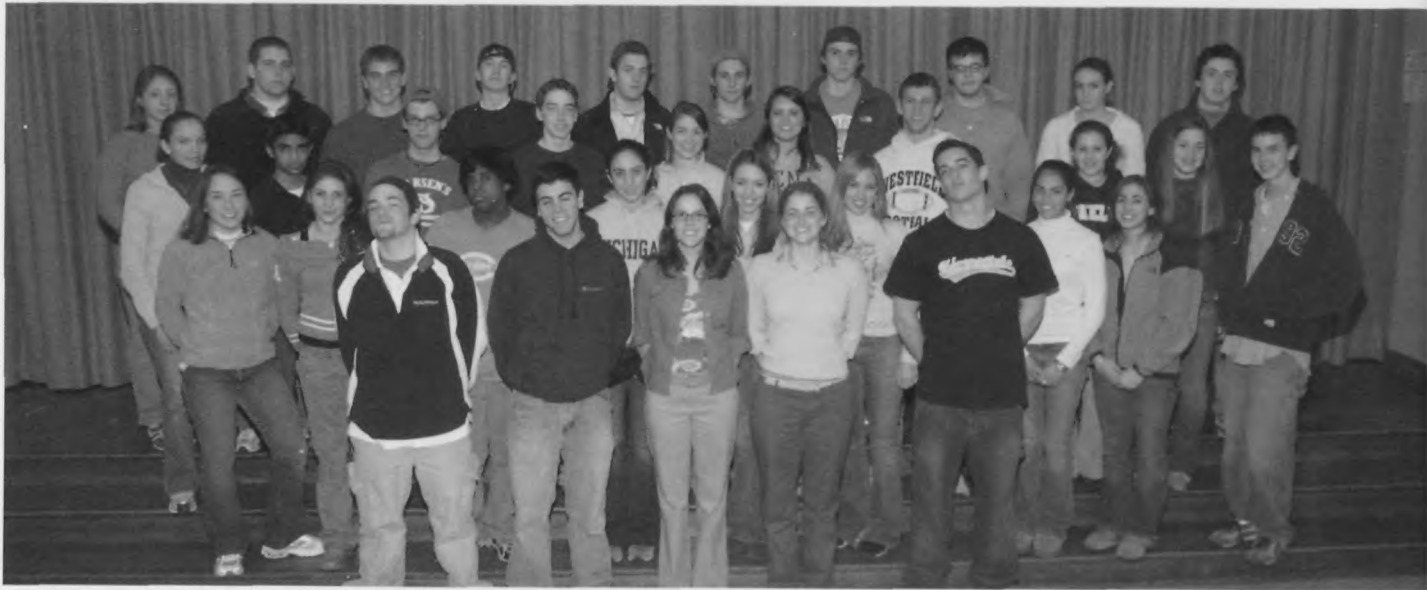




Stage Design Club



Dance Team



Student Council



Gay Straight Alliance



Christian Awareness Club



Rotary Interact Club



Young Democrats



Spanish Club



Young Republicans



Latin Club

Fall Drama

# My Sister Eileen

Christopher Hild plays a  
sleezy business man.



Right: Jason Mesches and  
Allison Siko play the house  
owner and Eileen.



Bottom left: Ruth, played by  
Samantha Hooper-  
Hammersley reaches for her  
goals of becoming a writer.



Bottom Right: Eileen picks up  
the phone as the plumber  
exits.





Jeffrey Hogan smiles while combing his hair.



In the fall of 2003, a cast of actors brought *My Sister Eileen*, the first comedy in four years, to the Westfield High School stage. *My Sister Eileen* offered a fresh treat for audience members. Based on the short stories by Ruth McKinney, the audience was transported to Greenwich village in the 1950's, where two young girls get their first taste of New York City along with a few unexpected visitors. From their conning landlord to Brazilian sailors, these encounters and relationships made the audience laugh and the Sherwood sisters ask themselves: Why did they ever leave Ohio?

—Ryan Leonard, castmember



Left: Aaron Eisenberg plays Frank Lippencott, who romances Eileen.



Rachel Leopold stars as Ryan Leonard's wife who thinks Eileen is trying to steal him from her.



Katherine Nicol ,the mother of the two sisters, enters the apartment showing disgust at the living conditions.



Emily Greenberg portrays a prostitute that is returned to her old apartment by a Russian dancer.

# Take Me Home

Jason Chironna and Eadaoin Quinn pose for the camera after being named homecoming King and Queen.



Student Council president Carolyn Harbaugh and vice president Andrew Spiegel address the crowd at the bonfire.



Senior Powderpuff Coaches Daniel Clark, Tyshon Blackmon, and Anthony Lavecchia proudly walk off of the field after the big win.



The juniors get pumped before heading onto the field.

Jennifer Conner and Angela Parisi smile before making their appearance on the field.



Practicing their play, the seniors put on their game faces.



The seniors rejoice after scoring their first touchdown.

*Middle:* The Student Council representatives lead the homecoming parade.



Can you identify the three girls hiding behind Meredith Rucinsky and Rebecca Sabreen?





# Leading the Way

The Transition Leaders, made up of seniors and juniors, get together for a quick photo.

Michael Feniger actively participates in an engaging group discussion.



Ja'net Tiller and Eadaoin Quinn act out their skit about high school issues.



Carrie Hubbard, Evan Falk, Tyrell Simmons, and Brittany Pryor enthusiastically discuss pressing issues.

The Transition Project was started this year in an effort to help freshmen become acclimated to their new environment. Selected juniors and seniors were trained over a period of four days based on a program developed by the Princeton Learning Center to become skilled mentors. In all, there are thirty peer leaders and about 100 freshmen. The Transition Project meets once a month to discuss themes such as alcohol, prejudice, and time management. John Cheddar, Zorana Culjack, Daniel Farabaugh, Maureen Mazzaresse, Kristen Sonnek-Schmelz, Noah Tennant, and Lisa Allen-Thomas are the advisors of the program. Based on the success of Transition Project this year, the school plans to continue the program next year.

Andrew Schott enjoys getting to know all of the freshmen.



Middle: Allison Tiedrich and Westley Clarkson take a water break.

Deanna Goldner brainstorms ideas on the chalk board.



Lindsay Degiralamo shows off her signature Transition hat.

Ja'net Tiller, Jourdan Loffredo, Eadaoin Quinn, and Jasmine Farmer, chat about high school experiences.

## Winter Concerts

# A Musical Wonderland

**D**vorak, Beethoven, Vivaldi... students learn the classics by performing the masterpieces of our musical heritage. Here at WHS, students learn and interpret the same notes professional musicians play and gain an experience invaluable to the artistic and cultural education of a young musician.

—Raymond Wojcik, Orchestra Director

**I**t was glorious Mozart, the rhythm of the King's Singers, the traditional "Hallelujah Chorus," and the writings of Robert Frost that gave us sounds of "easy wind, downy flake, and promises to keep."

—Bill Mathews and Sharon Reynolds, Choral Directors

The 2003-2004 WHS Chamber Orchestra performs a favorite piece.

The 2003-2004 WHS Chorale perform beautifully at the winter concert.



Thomas Killian, Caroline Leung, and concertmistress Alexandra Jenkins are performing Thomas Canning's *Fantasy on a Theme by Justin Morgan*.

Flutist Lauren Nolan solos in Vivaldi's *La Notte*.

Mr. Bill Mathews directs the Chorale in one of their many pieces.

Middle Right: Senior Anthony Johnson stars in Beethoven's *Piano Concerto No.1*.



Maestro Raymond Wojcik cues the cellos at a crucial moment.



Members of the Mixed Chorus serenade the audience with holiday songs.




A picture of concentration: Dorothy Chou accompanies the Chorale on piano.



Eunice Park, Carl Baron, Yuchen Zhang, and Donald Williams III are the lower strings of the Chamber Orchestra.



All the choirs come together to sing under the direction of Ms. Sharon Reynolds.



## *Folio* *Cafe WHS*

**F**olio is a club that serves as a creative outlet for drummers, hummers and crayon drawers; punkies, junkies, vampire slayers and harmonica players; artists old and musicians bold. We comprise student submissions of artwork, poetry, prose and photographs to produce an annual literary magazine for the student body. Widely anticipated monthly coffee houses showcase an eclectic variety of performers, poets, writers, musicians and artists. Our aim is to represent a broad range of talent and encourage students to experiment with the many forms of creative expression.

—Dana Marra, Co-Editor-In-Chief

With only a guitar to assist her, Katharine Okamoto wows the audience with her beautiful voice.



Patrick McCabe puts his all into it, producing an excellent beat.



David Reinhardt is not afraid to toot his horn!



Jonathon Fichter and William Harbaugh rock it out on the electric guitar.

Scott Fishberg and Justin Goncalves of Whistlestop Jackson "get into the groove."



Emily Colvin recites a piece of original poetry.



Adam Subhas, Mark Bucci, and Gregory Salmon create a unique trio of brass players.



Michael Risberg and Jonathon Fichter perform a piece of classic rock.



Gregory Salmon stares, for he is in awe of the crowd that has come to see him perform.



# Spring Musical *Evita*

This year's Spring Musical was *Evita*. The play was performed on March 11, 12, and 13. Samantha Hooper-Hamersley played the lead role of Eva Peron, while Jason Mesches acted out the part of Juan Peron, and Ryan Leonard narrated as Che. This was also an important year for the WHS band. It was the first year that select band members were asked to join the show's orchestra. The audiences thoroughly enjoyed sold out performances thanks to the excellent cast, crew, and orchestra.

Zal Spialter and Samantha Hooper-Hamersley share an intimate moment on stage.



The cast gets together for a quick picture before the first premier.



The cast gathers on stage to portray the angry workers protesting.



At this point in the production, the actors gather for a scene at a table in a restaurant.

Jason Mesches, as Juan Peron approaches Evita in the spotlight.



Ryan Leonard, as Che, provides insightful commentary regarding Evita's funeral.



The aristocrats pretentiously parade across the stage.



Castmembers playing the part of soldiers delight the audience as they march on stage and salute.



Alexandra Jenkins proudly plays the violin, as this is the first time the orchestra provided the music.



## Variety Show

# Mosaic of Talent

Tara Amelia sings her song while playing the electric guitar.



Mr. Farabaugh strums a "G" on his acoustic guitar.



Miss Lauren Mazzaresse plays a troubled queen in one of the acts.

*Far Right:* Douglas Chananie, one of the stage hands helps manage the curtains after every performance.

*Bottom Left:* Aashish Bansal, John Joseph Burns, Ashton Golembo, and Adam Subhas sing a duet while strumming on their guitar.

*Bottom Right:* Kimberly Lam and Tyler Patla tap dance to the wonderful music.







Monica Harris, dressed as a cow, dances while singing moo moo moo.



Mrs. Sinatra finishes her number with a stunning pose.



Middle: Kelly Yang gracefully balances on her toes during her ballet performance.



Charles Hely watches for his cue to start drumming.



Bottom Left: Mr. Peter Horn plays a very memorable piece during his time to shine.



Bottom Right: Jordan Warner, Joshua Lerner, Ryan Leonard, and Christopher Lynn sing as a Barbershop Quartet.



*Whose Line is  
it Anyway?*

## What's my line...

Anne Tabachnick, Mr. Noah Tennant and Josh Lerner enjoy themselves while judging each act.

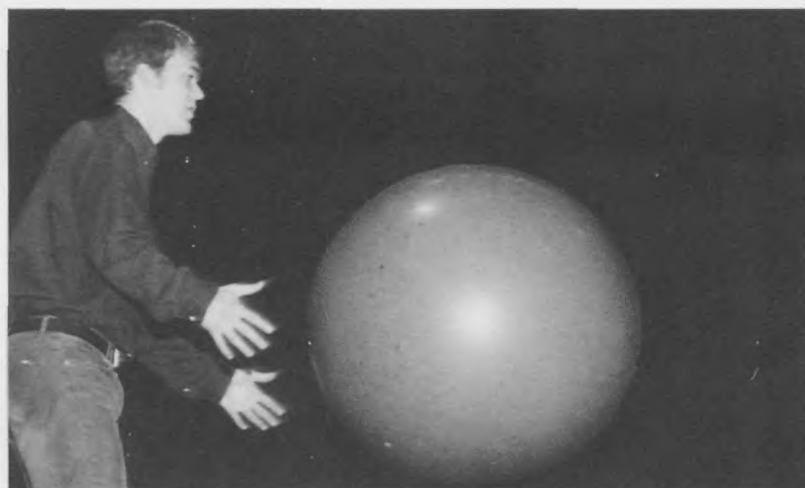


Jason Chironna sweeps Elliott Johnson off the stage.

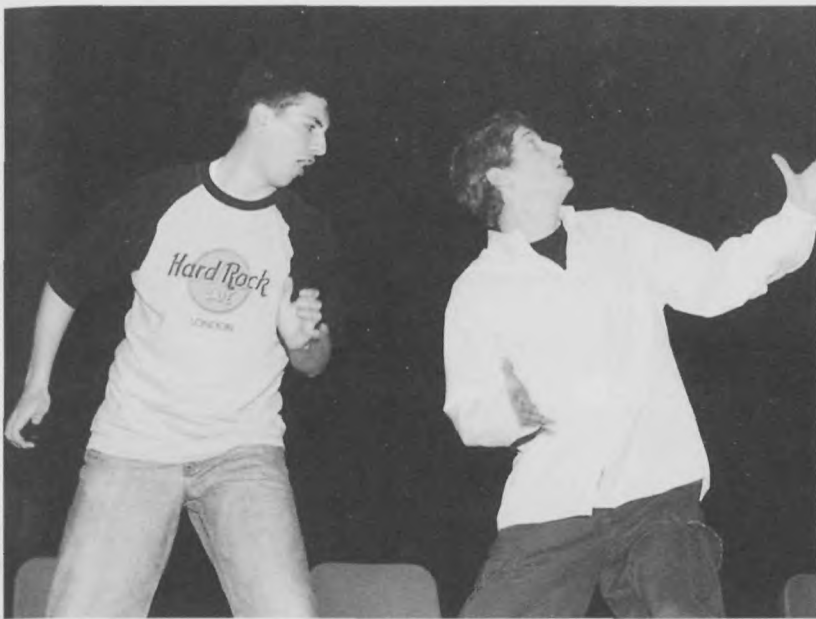


Cassandra Miller and Toby Hershkowitz amaze the crowd as they harmoniously sing a tune of love.

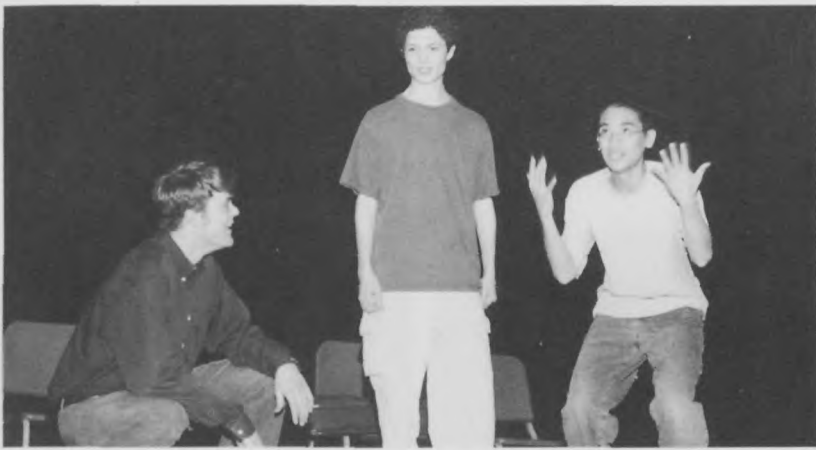
*Middle Left:* The participants of *Who's Line* take a bow.



Mr. Peter Horn watches in astonishment as the big blue ball soars through the air.

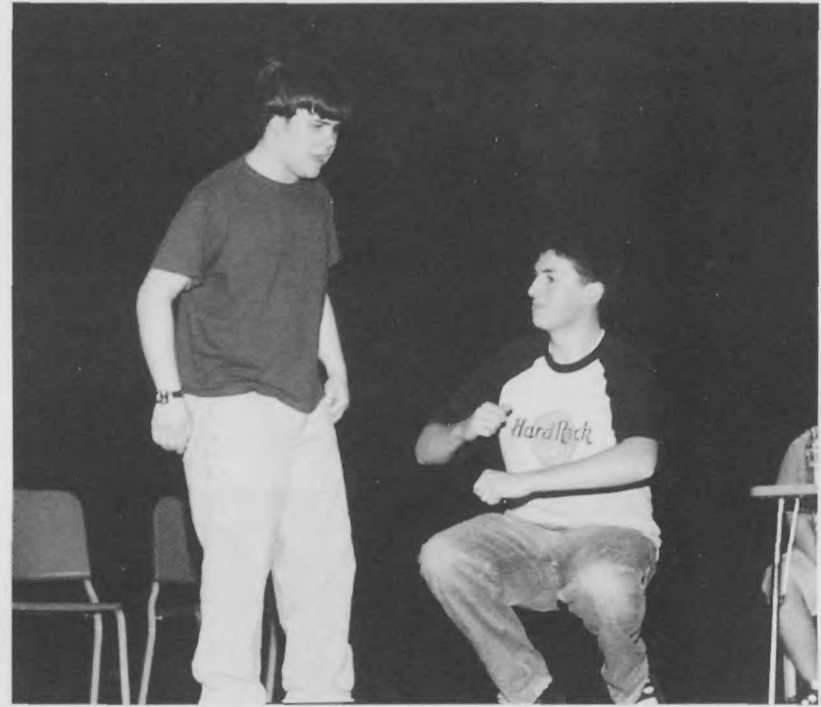


Jordan Hyman and David Eisenberg strike a pose to marvel at the comedic excellence of the night.



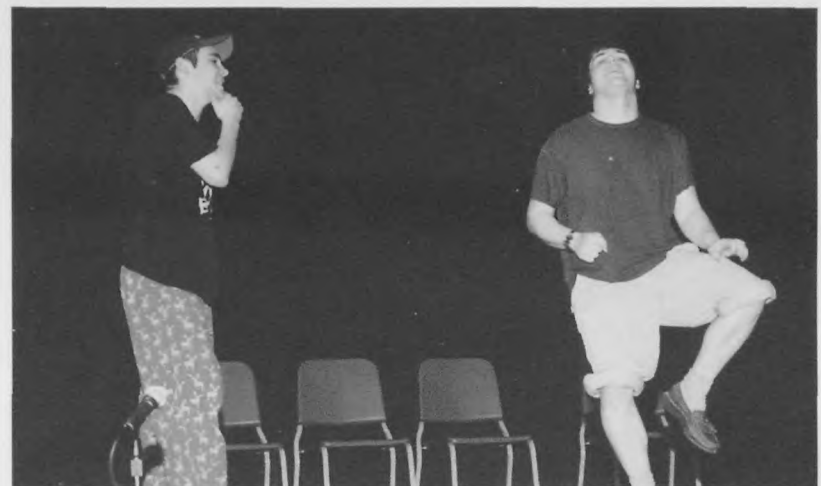
*Middle Left:* Mr. Peter Horn, Christopher Ford, and Joseph Amato contemplate their next move.

David Eisenberg does the twist as Christopher Lynn watches in amazement.



Jordan Hyman shakes hands with Cassandra Miller before the show begins.

*Middle Right:* Alexandra Nish and Justine Cassidy hold one of the *Who's Line* sign with pride.



Christopher Lynn dances like a maniac while Toby Hershkowitz stares from the sidelines.





Mrs. Kristen Sonnek

PICAS



Abigail Lewis - Alexandra Hermann - Amanda Genova - Amanda Reider - Barrett Newell - Brian Oxman - Robin Streit - Sarah Queller



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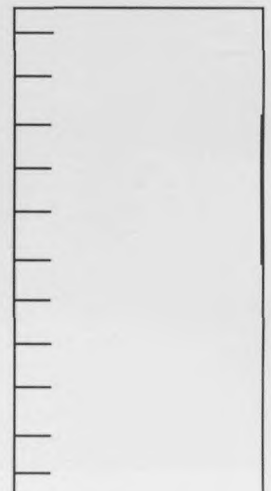
Somewhere between the late nights, the rolly chair relay races, the name checking, and the laughter cramps, the Weathervane is created. Beginning in picas and page layouts and culminating in unexpected friendships, the yearbook brings together an incredibly diverse group of students and two very special advisors. Working towards a common goal, the yearbook staff spends countless hours perfecting their testament to student life at Westfield High School. This book is the product of hard work, creativity, many helping hands, and lots of sugar. Enjoy!

— Maxine Fertig-Cohen & Amanda Reider,  
Yearbook Co-Editors

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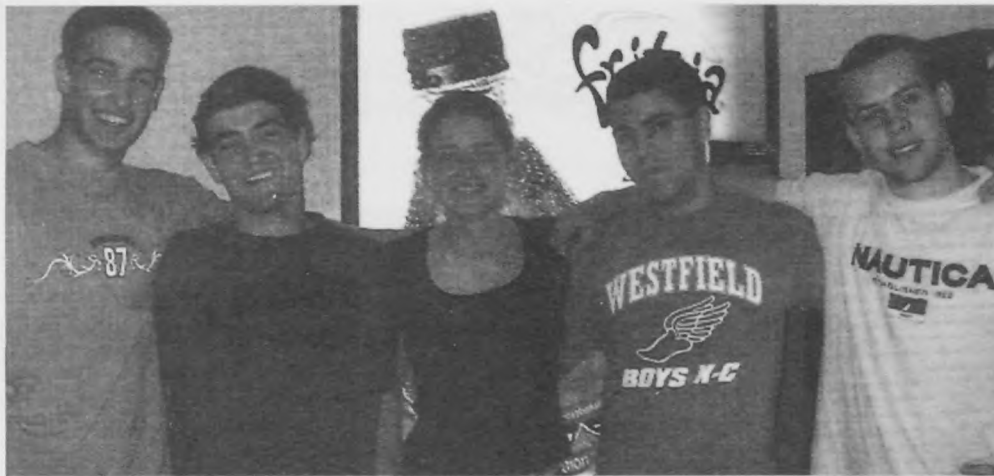
Ms. Lynn Smith



I've been a part of Student Council since seventh grade and it's one part of WHS that I am surely going to miss. There are not many organizations where you can find ambulances at the soccer tourney, a near riot at Powder Puff over a small point discrepancy, *Whose Line Is It, Anyway?*, and the Rock Rodeo. This year was intense, lively and a lot of fun. I've got spirit, yes I do, I've got spirit, how about you?

—Carolyn Harbaugh, Class of '04  
Student Council President

The Student Council Executive Board from left to right: Bryan Power, Andrew Schott, Carolyn Harbaugh, Andrew Spiegel, and Brian Bigelow



## Representin'

Brain Bigelow sweeps Abigail Bramnick off her feet.



Even Westfield High School cars have spirit!



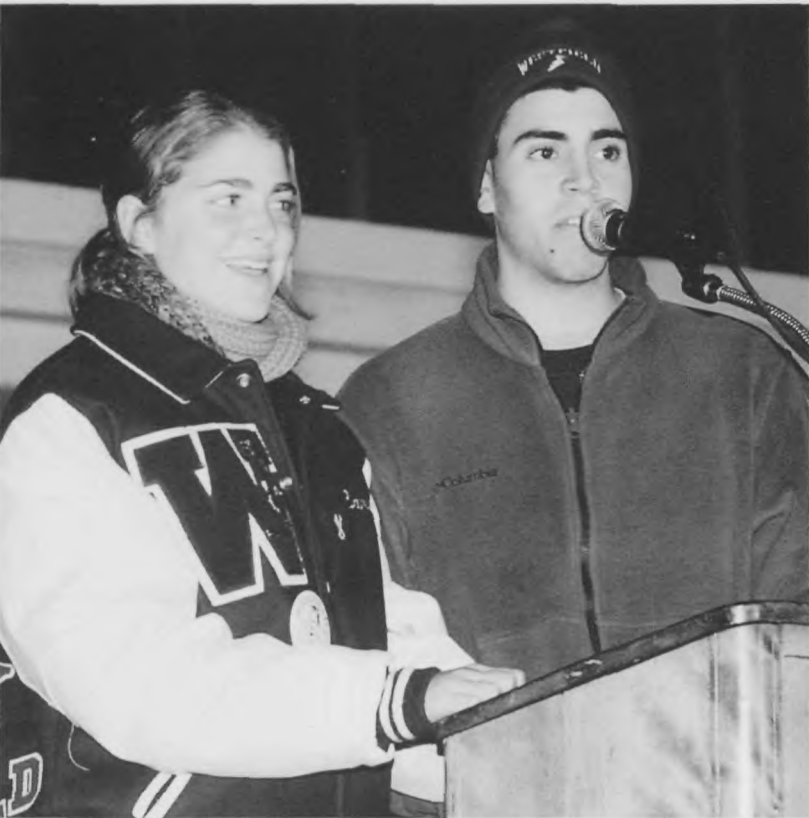
Mr. Tafelski models his hip glasses and retro sideburns.



Laura Pietruszki shows off her shiny go-go costume at the Hip-Hoptober.



Are these matching maids at the Hip Hoptober to clean or party?



Carolyn Harbaugh and Andrew Spiegel make the crowd wait in anticipation before announcing the 2003 Homecoming King and Queen.



The Harbaugh Clan takes a break from decorating for the Hip Hoptober to pose for the camera.





By Ms. Barbara Flynn

This year's faculty have yet again been an integral part of every day life at the high school. Their influence on the students prepares them not only for academic challenges in the classroom, but also establishes a solid foundation for further success in the future. Their involvement in a student's life is not limited to the classroom, but rather they serve as mentors, companions, and friends, creating a warm and comfortable environment for learning. They work long and hard correcting homework, grading papers and developing a comprehensive curriculum. For this, we are forever grateful.



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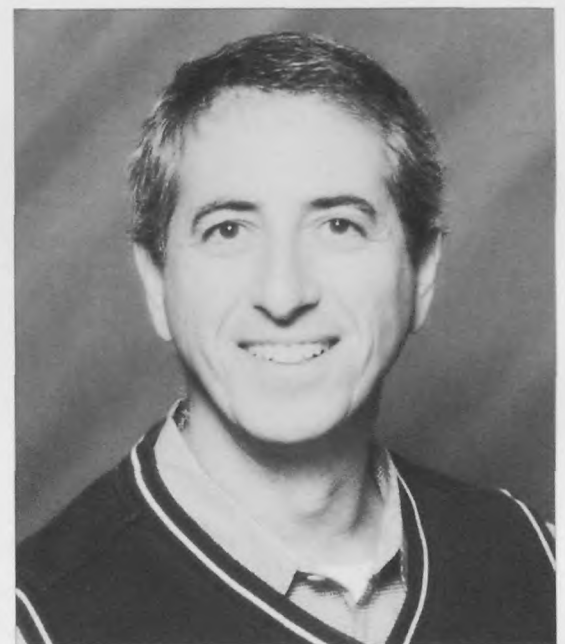
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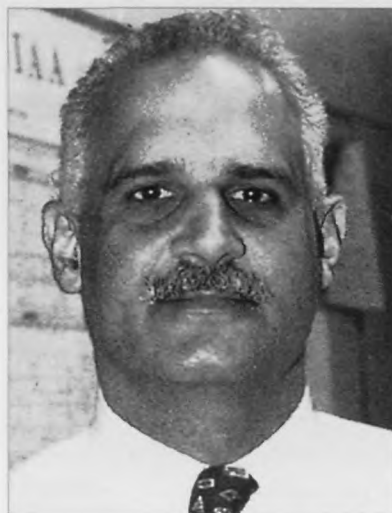
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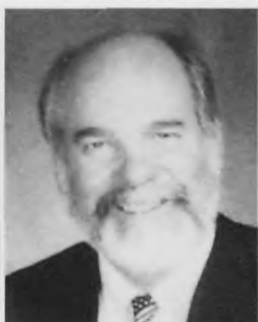
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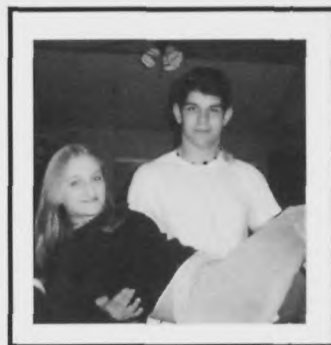
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By The Crafts Class

**I**t's so hard to sit down and write these things. In one tiny paragraph, how am I really supposed to summarize 12 years in an outstanding school district, 18 years of friendships and give words of wisdom for the future? To me, this seems absolutely impossible without running the risk of making swooping generalizations and being corny or sappy. So, I offer this to the graduating class of 2004: take what you can from your memories here and use them to mold and shape the person you will become. In 70 years, when you are old, wrinkly and half blind, look back on these days with a smile. The future is what you make of it. Enjoy today, remember yesterday and best wishes for tomorrow.

-Carolyn Harbaugh,  
Student Council President



**CLOSING: The Finishing Touch**

# Oh, What a Night

Ray Daly, Cristina Odermatt, Kaitlin Patella, Nicholas Gismondi, Eilleen Gessner, Michelle Madorma, Thomas Greene, Samantha Herman, Robert Eckman III, Willa Schaefer, Christopher Thayer take pictures before embarking on the dance of their lives.



Gregory Mathews, Lauren Rites, Matthew Toriello, Katherine Albino, David Ucciferi, Emily Warren, Vincent Chen, Anne Tabachnick, Joseph McCabe, Christina Leiz, Douglas Chananie and Kelly Cocuzza gather for a memorable moment.



Christine Pirot and Emily Warren seem unaware of the shenanigans taking place behind them courtesy of Matthew Toriello and David Ucciferi.



Jordan Warner dons a white tuxedo and takes pictures amidst a sea of his more traditionally dressed friends.



Willa Schaefer and Chris Thayer smile for the camera anticipating one of the most memorable nights of their lives.



Marykate Maher, Eadaoin Quinn and Elisabeth Fetissoff pose elegantly in their natural environment.



Katherine Albino, Mara Ganz, and Tracy Rood smile for the camera while David Ucciferri jumps into the shot.

*Middle left:* Dannielle Coleman, Emily Warren, Eadaoin Quinn, Caitlin Stanley and Amanda Spero pose for a quick snap shot before they tear up the dance floor.



Marykate Maher and Lauren Gale take a break from dancing to model for a picture as Andrew Regenstreich joins them.



## Graduation

# A Perfect Ending



The seniors of Chorale and Choraleers sing for WHS for the last time.

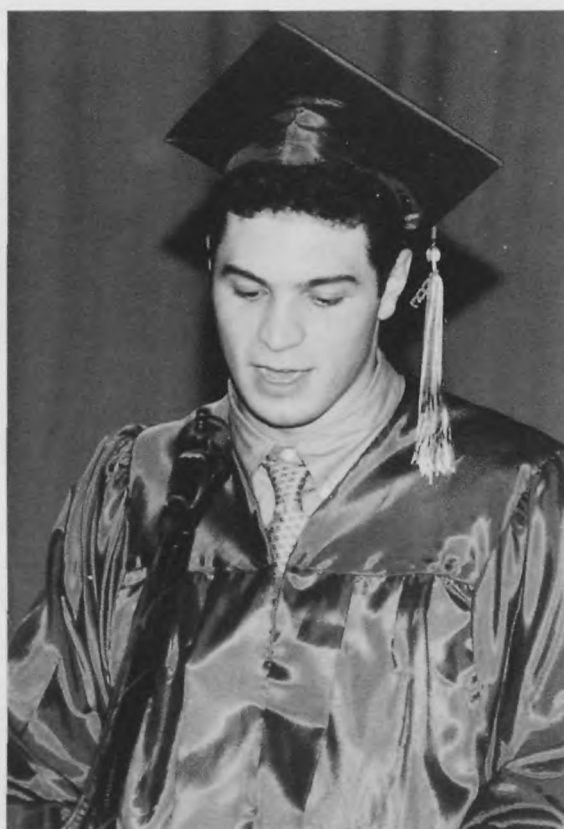


Dr. Petix wishes good luck to the Class of 2003.



Adam Osborn smiles because he knows he's "free at last!"





*Middle:* Sarah Ackerman watches graduation through her groovy shades.

Andrew Ruotolo delivers his message to the Class of 2003.



John Banim and Marc Schott lead their class into graduation.



# *When we were still fingerpainting*



Jesse Abramowitz



Stephen Adamo



Kimberly Adams



Katherine Albino



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Carolyn Avis



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Nicole Cocuzza



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Paul Johnson



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Elizabeth Keating



Christine Kessler



Katherine Kielar



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Julia Yanovich



Ashley A. Yarusi



Laura M. Yee



Kathryn Yoo



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Jordan Zakarin



Jenna Zorn

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Alyson and Ilene Goodman



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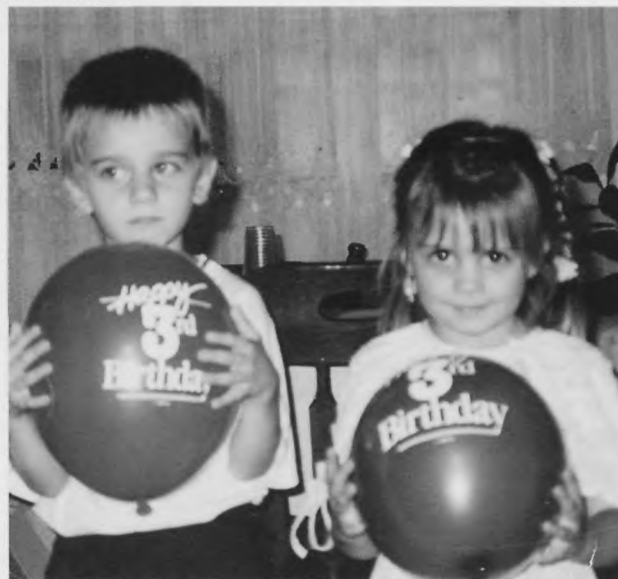
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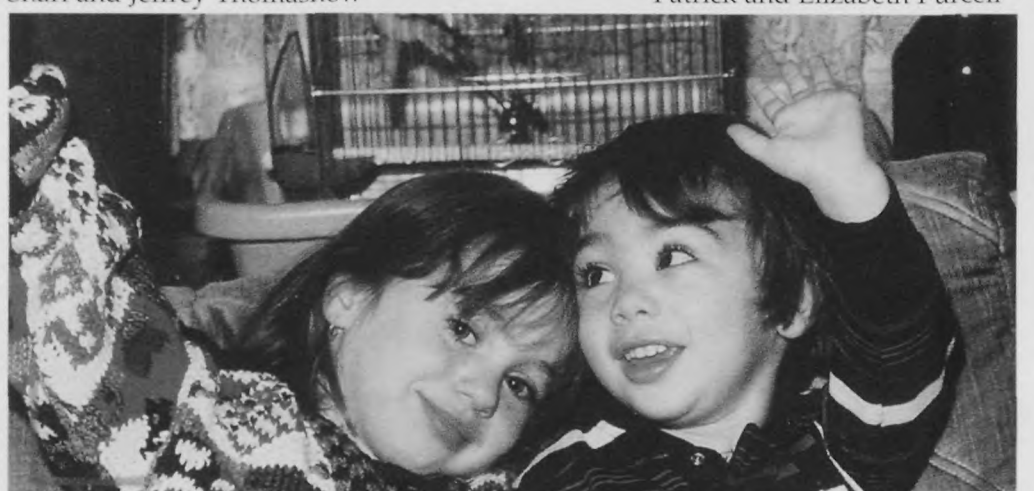
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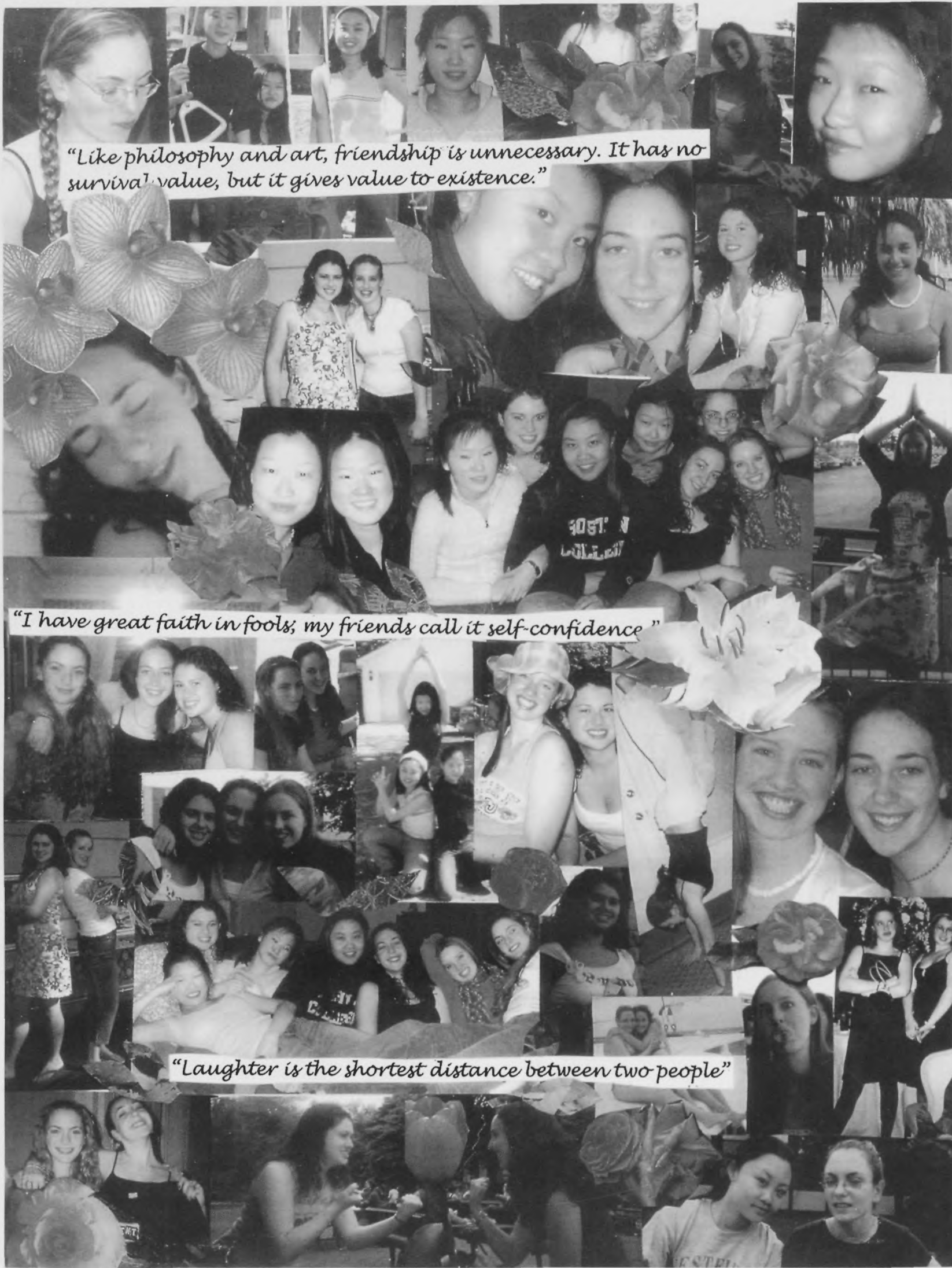


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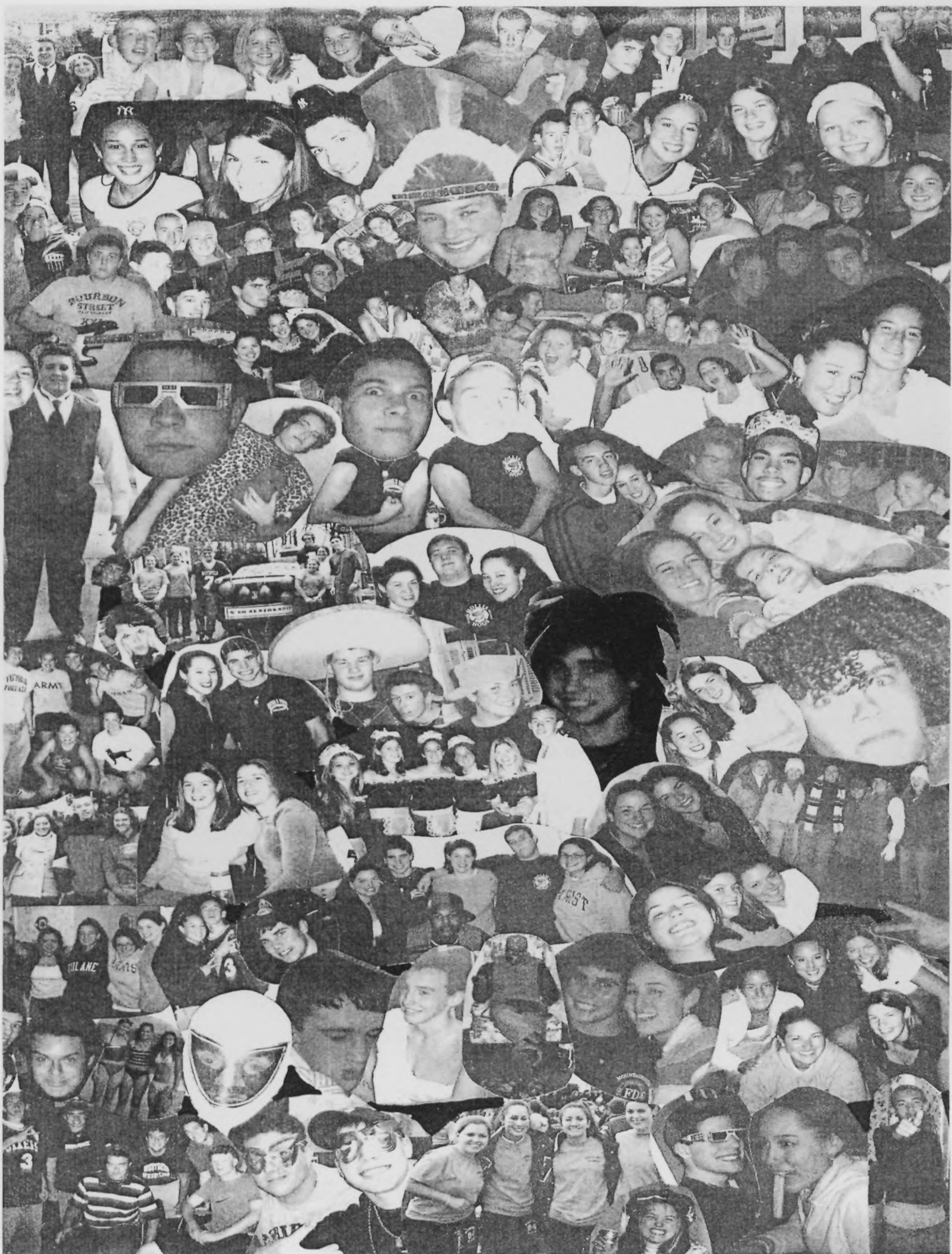




*"Like philosophy and art, friendship is unnecessary. It has no survival value, but it gives value to existence."*

*"I have great faith in fools, my friends call it self-confidence"*

*"Laughter is the shortest distance between two people"*









"True friends, true hearts, that is what counts in life." "You make the bad times good, and the good times so much better." We'll be friends until 4ever,

"Beginnings are scary, endings are usually sad, but it's in the middle that counts the most."

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

"Friends laugh at your silliest jokes, put up with your worst moods, go along with

your craziest ideas, and still always see the best in you." as pure joy isn't

### The Sweetest Things

Sophie

Jessica

Shanna

Melissa

"Treasure the tears, treasure the laughter, but most importantly, treasure the memories."



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MELISSA

Don't park  
on my car!

BARBIE

LISA

Mitsubishi  
Lancer + Eclipse

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Free Salad!  
Yea!

Ginger

Friends  
Forever

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MOO

MARIA

Memories Last Forever,  
Friends Till The End!!  
I LOVE U GUNS!!!

KEVIN





Rebecca

Erica

"Many people will walk in and out of your life,  
but only true friends will leave  
footprints in your heart."

Katie

Theresa

Nicole









WHEN THE BAND TRUCK'S A ROCKIN'... DISNEY... VA... PENCIL PINKY... BABY SHARK... DEM... DO THE CAN CAN... ANDERIV[NAME]...


IT'S A GREAT DAY FOR MARCHING BAND!!!



FAC DADDY... TAI CHI MASTER... ZUGS... G-UNIT... DIRTY MINDS... WE DIDN'T GET LAST... MUIR... MARCH OFF... NOT THE TIME...

AMANDA... ANTHONY... JENNA... KATHLEEN... LEIGH... MIKE... PAM... PAUL... STEVE... TOVAH...





Secrets and sharing soda  
That's how our time began  
Love is a story told to a friend

Joni Mitchell







don't fear your best friends  
because a best friend will never try to do you wrong  
and don't fear the night time  
because the monsters know that you're divine  
and don't fear the sunshine  
because everything is better in the summertime





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