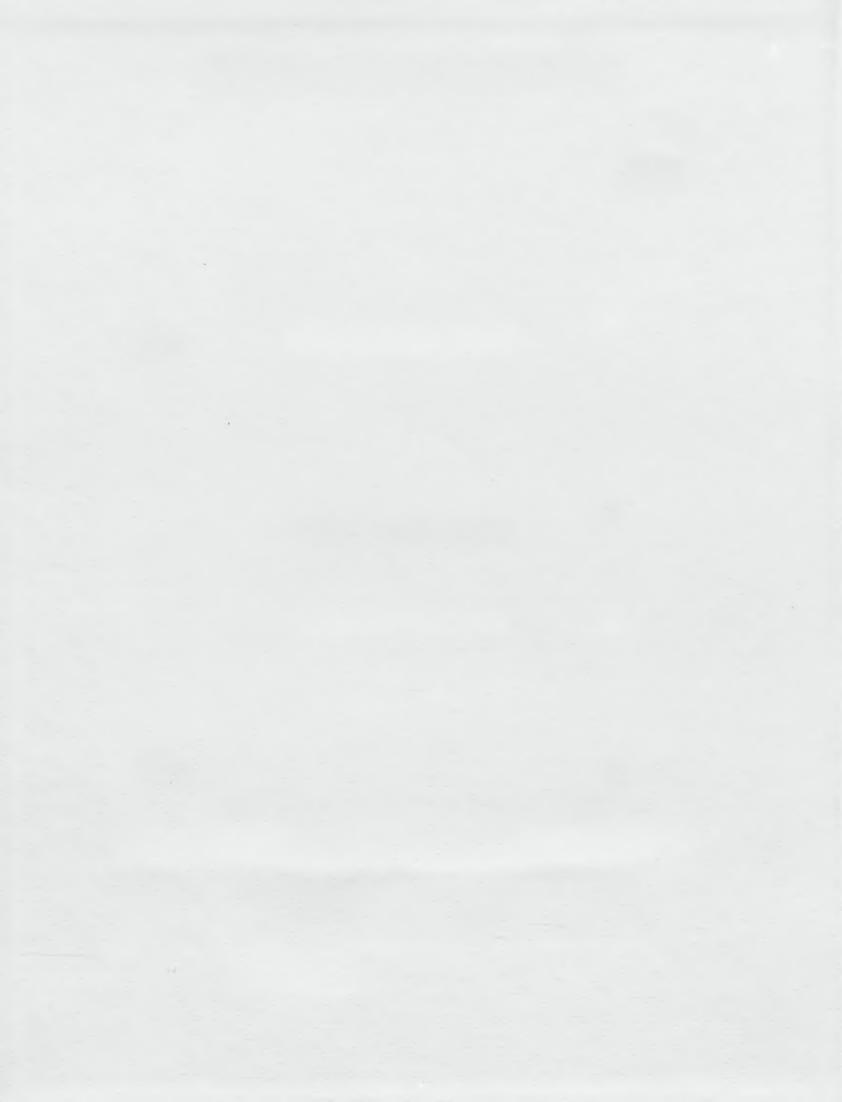


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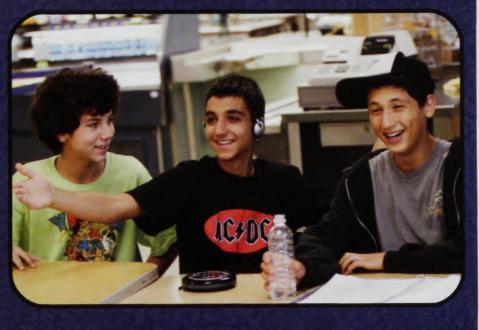
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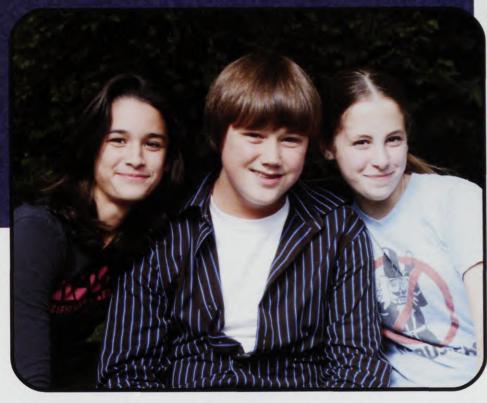
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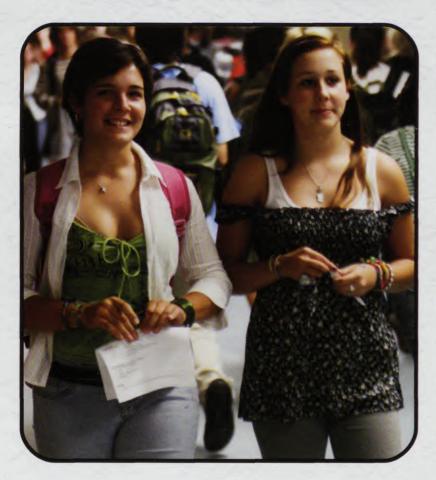


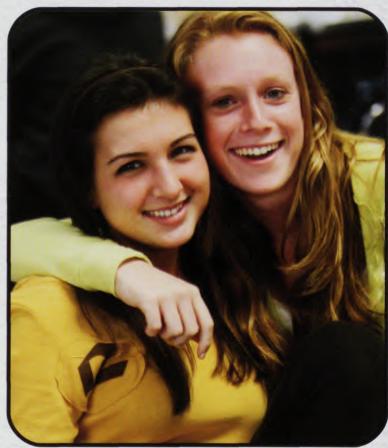
i Katherine Roberts writes:

High school is about discovering one's identity. We define who we are by what we do and by doing it well, which is the WHS standard. We act, play sports, paint, write, help others... in the end, we create WHS, because our individual accomplishments enhance the school as a whole.

The yearbook staff chose this year's theme because technology simultaneously promotes individuality while connecting a community, adding music and beauty to our lives. As life seems to speed up, there are even more opportunities for personal growth as a means by which to contribute to society; this is true in high school as well as in the real world.

We [insert verb here]: we live, we learn, we do, we are, we Westfield. This yearbook is a reflection on what we do, alone and together, and how that made our year as fabulous as it was.













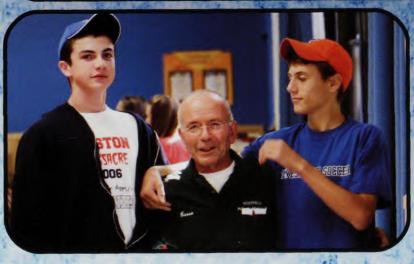




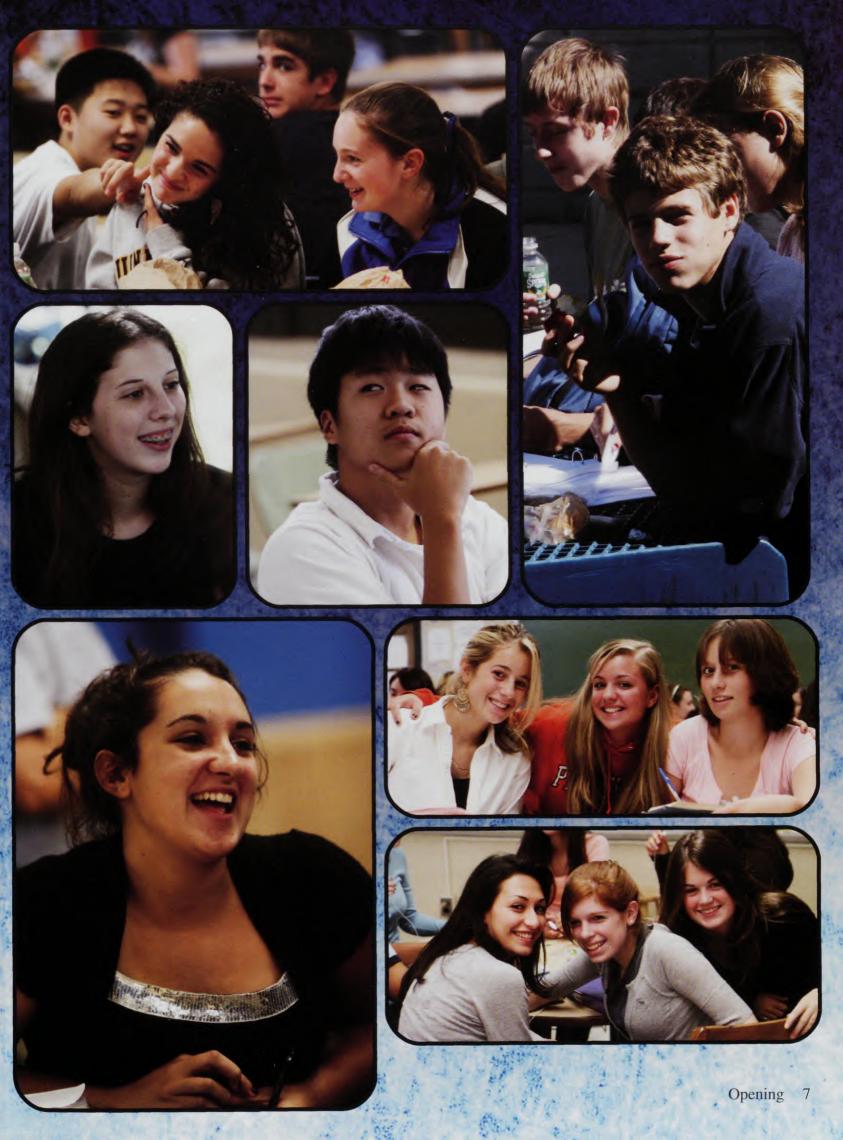


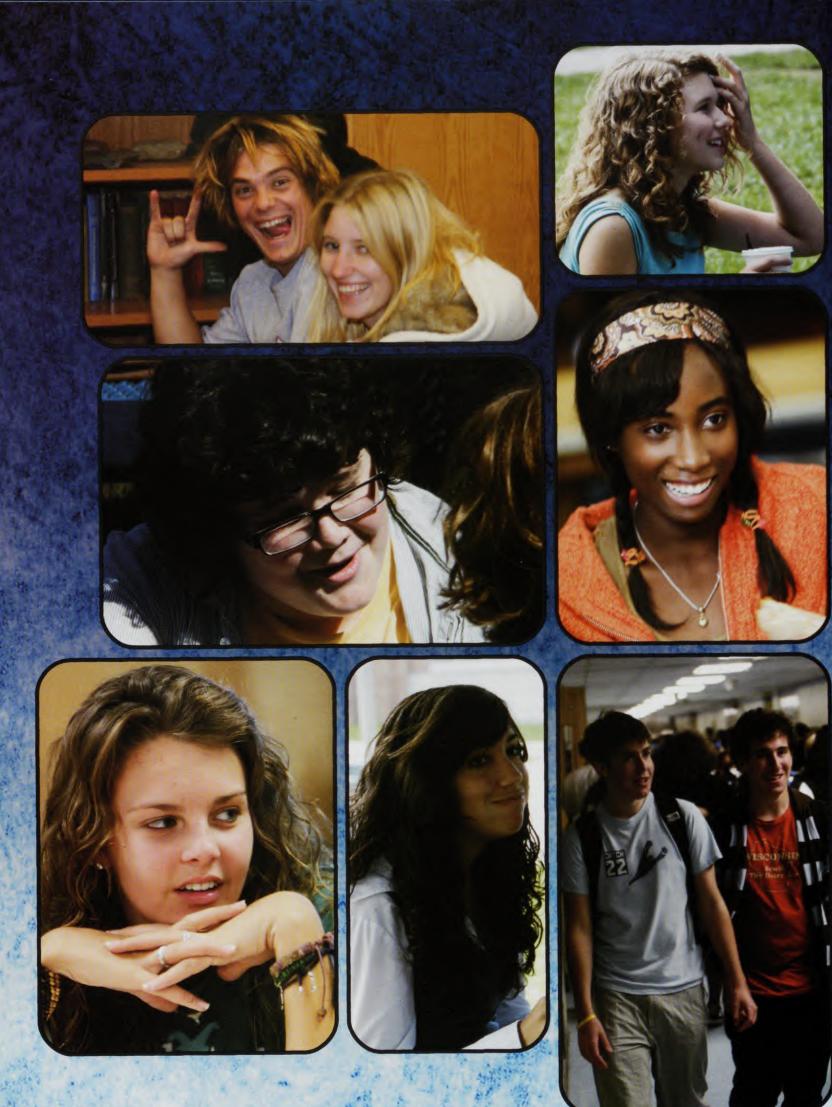
















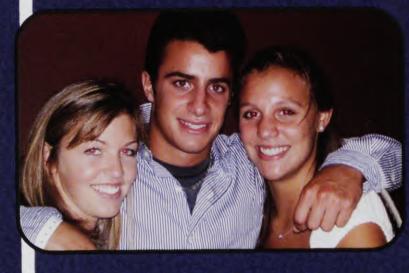














Who are we? Most of us dont really know... but one thing is certain: our time here at WHS has shaped both whoever we are now and the people we will become. Are we the frightened freshmen coming through these doors for the first time? Are we the forgotten sophomore class? Are we the stressed-out juniors finishing our JRPs?

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Or are we the seniors who rule the school, but are secretly scared of that June day when we have to walk through the hallways for the last time before saying goodbye? We leave WHS with a new sense of identity: every year here has taught us something new that will help mold our future selves. We are the class of 2007!

Katherine Taylor























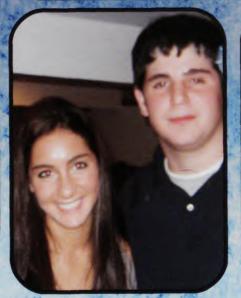






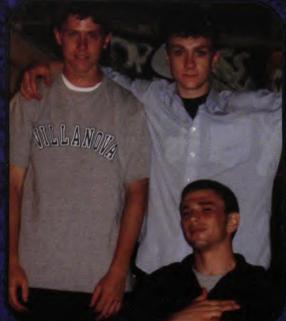
















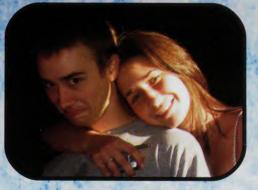


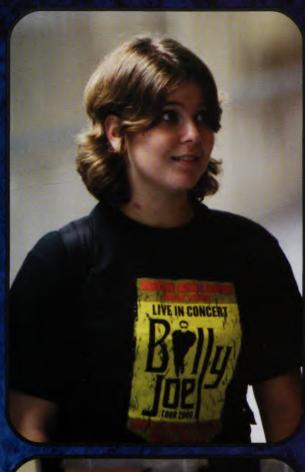




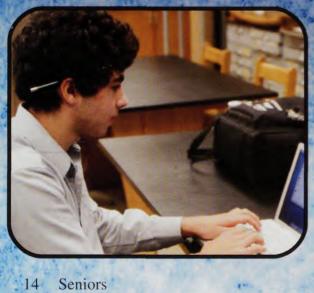












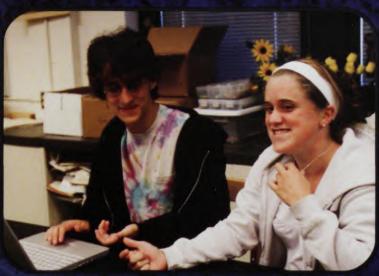








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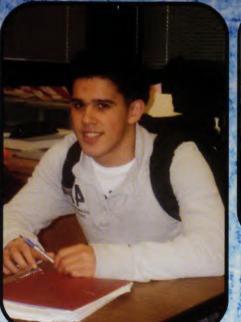






































Seniors 17



Ross Abramowitz

"There's nothing at all that could ever be bad about music, about playing it. It's a wonderful thing, a grace."

- Duane Allman



Randi Ackerman

"If we stay on our feet, we'll make it in our own time. And though the road has got some steep climbs, I believe we'll be fine."

- Ted Leo



Alyssa A. Agresta



Claire Albanese

"The moment ends, though I feel winds blowing differently than ever before."

- Phish The Moma Dance



Tarik Allen



Others just get wet." - Bob Dylan

Amy Altszuler "Some people feel the rain.



Anthony J. Alvernes

"Success is about having, excellence is about being. Success is about having money and fame, but excellence is being the best you can be."

- Mike Ditka



Matthew G. Amato



Aubrey Ambinder



Erica Ammermuller



Erik J. Anderson



Kimberly J. Angus

Lester Burnham: "So, Janie, how was school?" Jane Burnham: "It was okay." Lester Burnham: "Just okay?" Jane Burnham: "No, Dad, it was

spectacular."

- American Beauty



Kaitlyn Anness

"I wanted change and excitement and to shoot off in all directions myself."

- Sylvia Plath



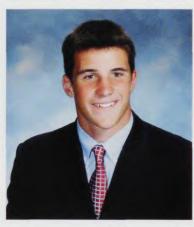
Sara Anthony



Philip J. Anton

"These changes ain't changing me, the cold-hearted boy I used to be."

- The Killers All These Things That I've Done



Peter L. Antonelli



Seth M. Applebaum

"If you don't like the effects, don't produce the cause."

- Funkadelic



Anthony Arnold



Jillian Aronson



John Attanasio



Victoria Attanasio

"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



Bryan R. Austin



Stephanie P. Baeder

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





Diego Baez Jr.



Luke M. Baran

"Lead me, follow me, or get out of my way."

- George S. Patton



Nicholas Barba



Gabrael S. Barnes

"There'll always be somebody, that'll shoot down any dream... But, they're gonna have to take my life before they take my drive."

- Kanye West



Jeremy R. Barnes



Carlos Bautista



Brian Bayne

"You miss 100% of the shots you never take."

- Wayne Gretzky
"If I have seen further than
others, it is by standing upon the
shoulders of giants."

- Isaac Newton



Adam Becker

"Anything worth doing is worth overdoing."

- Mick Jagger



Amy Behr

"I only hope that we don't lose sight of one thing - that it was all started by a mouse."

- Walt Disney



Tristan Bellotti

"Life isn't about the number of breaths we take, but the moments that take our breath away."

- Hitch



Daniel A. Bellovin

"Equations are the devil's sentences. The worst one is that quadratic equation: an infernal salad of numbers, letters, and symbols."

- Stephen Colbert



Steven E. Bigelow



Zachary J. Binko



Gregory Blanton

"I would rather sit on a pumpkin, and have it all to myself, than be crowded on a velvet cushion." - Henry David Thoreau



Caitlin M. Bludgus

"When I get my license I'm going to drive to Africa."



John Bogatko



Thomas Bonard

"John Hancock? It's Herbie Hancock."

- Tommy Callahan Tommy Boy



Joshua Bornstein

"Then came the day I climbed out of these safe limbs, ventured away, walking tall, head high up and singing."

-Dave Matthews Band Proudest Monkey



Brittney Bowe

"Never give up."

- Yolanda Adams
"I Can Do All Things Through
Christ Who Strengthens Me."

- Philippians 4:13



Mark B. Boyd



Gregory H. Boyle

"Don't worry about the world coming to an end today. It's already tomorrow in Australia." - Charles M. Schultz



Matthew Boyle



Mark Boyle

"All because of you, I believe in angels. Not the kind with wings. No, not the kind with halos, the kind that bring you home."

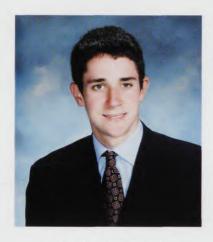
- Rise Against The Good Left Undone



Eric J. Brandman



Emily S. Bregman



Andrew S. Brill



John-Russell Brockway



Lindsay Brown



Melanie Brown

"Instead of saying all of your goodbyes, let them know you realize that life goes fast; it's hard to make the good things last."

- The Flaiming Lips

Do you Realize?



Zachary Brown



Mark F. Bucci
"Every good party should be a

little hard to find."
- World/Inferno
Friendship Society



Beth Budnick

"Find your voice, do what it takes, make sure you make lots of mistakes...and grow and grow and grow."

- Dar Williams



Philip P. Buonocore



Jennifer Burns

"The things that I remember bestthose are the things I wasn't supposed to do and I did them anyway."

- Denny Duquette Grey's Anatomy



Meg Buttrick

"Welcome to wherever you are. This is your life, you made it this far...that right here right now, you're exactly where you're supposed to be."

- Bon Jovi Have a Nice Day



Jessica Cain

"You can't get a cup of tea big enough or a book long enough to suit me."

- C.S. Lewis



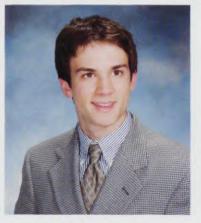
Andrew S. Cantor

"I think people should be allowed to do anything they want. We haven't tried that for a while. Maybe this time it'll work."

- George Carlin



Jessica Cantor



Scott T. Cantor



Robert J. Cariste



Amanda Carolan



"What lies behind us and what lies before us are tiny matters compared to what lies within us." - Ralph Waldo Emerson

Patrina Caruana



Matthew S. Carville

"If travel is searching and home has been found; I'm not stopping. I'm going hunting.

- Bjork
Hunter



Rachael S. Cauley



Tiffany Cayado

"Havana is very much like a rose: it has petals and it has thorns...
So it depends on how you grab it, but in the end, it always grabs you..."

- Fico Fellove The Lost City



Julia P. Cederroth



Brian Checchio



Lingbo Chen



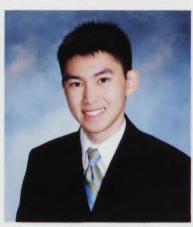
Chloe E. Cherin



Christopher Chou

"Two things are infinite: the universe and human stupidity; and I'm not sure about the universe."

- Albert Einstein



Theodore Chou

"Success is how high you bounce when you hit bottom."

- George S. Patton



Justin D. Chu

Calvin: I'm a genius, but I'm a misunderstood genius. Hobbes: What's misunderstood

about you?

Calvin: Nobody thinks i'm a

genius.



Matthew J. Ciarrocca

"If you always put limitations on everything you do, physical or anything else, it will spread into your work and into your life. There are no limits."

- Bruce Lee



Kimberly Cifuentes



Vincent Clark



Westley C. Clarkson



Anthony Cocuzza

"Leaders aren't born, they are made. And they are made just like anything else, through hard work."

- Vince Lombardi



Kristina M. Cofone

"Every story has an ending, but in life every ending is just a new beginning.'

- Anonymous



Jessica A. Cohen



Jonathan Connor



Catherine Cordeiro

"The most beautiful discovery true friends make is that they can grow separately without growing apart."

- Elizabeth Foley



Brian Corea

"If you ever see a quote labeled unknown it is because the author can not spell anonymous."

- Anonymous



G. Peter Cornell

"No domeburger for the Peteman."

- Pete Antonelli



Caitlyn Costello



Eric Richard Courtney

"I cannot give you the formula for success, but I can give you the formula for failure--which is: Try to please everybody."

- Herbert Bayard Swope



Samuel J. Crawford

"Memories don't live like people do, they always remember you, whether things are good or bad, it's just the memories."

- Mos Def



Kathryn N. Cronen

"A little nonsense now and then is relished by the wisest men." - Roald Dahl Charlie and The Chocolate Factory



Suzanna N. Cross



Tracy Dalton



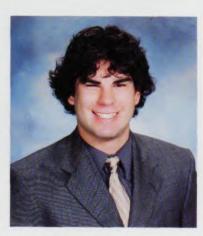
Tara E. Daly



Jennifer Danielsson



Brian A. Davidson



Seth I. Davidson

"Darn, I gonna end up workin' at Red Lobster."

- Anonymous



Connor Davis

"We sometimes forget no matter how hard your day or the choices you made were, you always get to choose what you have for lunch."

- Denny Crane



Zachary Deegan



Alexander Defreitas



Holly A. DeSantis



Jeffrey DeSantis

"I'm bringin' sexy back." - Justin Timberlake Sexy Back

"Oh behave!"

- Austin Powers



Nicole DiBenedetto

"Change is never easy. You fight to hold on. You fight to let go." - Kevin Arnold The Wonder Years



Amanda Diaz

"Don't worry, be happy." Bob Marley Don't Worry, Be Happy



Daniel Dickson



Daniel DiFabio



Nicholas R. DiGiorgio



Kristen Dilzell

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

- Eleanor Roosevelt



Derrick Dixon

"Dream like you livin' forever but live like you dyin' today..."

- Jadakiss



Kelly P. Dohm



Ashley Dunnan



Scott Dyer
"I got five on it."

- Karl Malone



Adam G. Eisen



Aaron E. Eisenberg

"I was just going for laughs, that's all I really wanted."
- Larry David



Casey El Koury

"It's simple, so says the Captain. Face forward, move slow, forge ahead."

- Gluster



Bryan Elsasser



Samaa El-Sherbeini

"Every blunder behind us is giving a cheer for us, and only for those who were willing to fail are the dangers and splendors of life."

- Carl Sandburg



Christopher Engel

"Forget about likes and dislikes; they are of no consequence. Just do what must be done. This may not be happiness, but it is greatness."

- George Bernard Shaw



Felicia J. Erlich



Robert Fallat



Kate Fallon

"We're actors - we're the opposite of people."

- Tom Stoppard Rosencrantz and Guildenstern are Dead

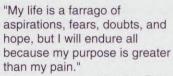


Elizabeth M. Falzon "Wherever you go, go with all your heart."

- Confucius



Jasmine Farmer



- Jasmine Farmer



William B. Farrell IV

"Did that blow your mind, because that just happened." - Rickey Bobby Talladega Nights



Megan Feeney



Rachael Feeney "Rhythm: You have it or you

don't." - Gorillaz Clint Eastwood



Sean Ferro

"I shall bleed on the flag to make sure the stripes stay red."

- Anonymous



Leah Fertig-Cohen



Jonathon Fichter



Lauren Finestein

"One day you're in diapers, the next you're gone, but the memories of childhood stay with you for the long haul." - The Wonder Years



Jonathan D. Finkel



Nicole B. Finkel



Rachel Fischer



Kaitlin Fleck



Alena Fleming



Shauna Fontenelli



Andrew K. Ford

"Life is not what is lived, but what is remembered, and how one remembers it, to tell the story."

- Gabriel Garcia Marquez

Vivir Para Contarla



Remi G. Formal



Alexander S. Forstenhausler

"If you don't know where you are going, you might wind up someplace else."

- Yogi Berra



Marisa Fortino

"Sometimes the plan needs to change in order to move foward in life."

- Camille Fortino



Claire S. Fox

"I'm never gonna know you now, but I'm gonna love you anyhow." - Elliot Smith Waltz #2



Marley Frankel

"Let's get this party started." - B-Rad *Real World*



Kylie Fraser

"I've glimpsed our future and all I can say is...go back."

- Diane Court Say Anything



Michael Freundlich



Joshua S. Friedman

"Throw off the chains of reason and your prison disappears." - Neil Peart



Sheri Friedman



Jason Frost

"Can't stop the spirits when they need you This life is more that just a read

through"

-Red Hot Chili Peppers Can't Stop



Kelly Furlong

"Don't worry about a thing, you know your path is true; just ease your mind, have a banana or two."

> - Dispatch Bang Bang



J. Brendan Galligan

"If this were a dictatorship, it'd be a heck of a lot easier, just so long as I'm the dictator."

- George W. Bush



Angelina I. Garneva

"I don't know where I'm going from here, but I promise it won't be boring."

- David Bowie



Sarah M. Garry

"Rule #66: Smile! You're having the time of your life!"

- Wedding Crashers



Emily Gee

"The past and present wilt - I have fill'd them, emptied them, and proceed to fill my next fold of the future."

> - Walt Whitman Song of Myself



Kelly Gelber

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

- Anatole France



Melissa J. Gerckens

"We can't solve problems by using the same kind of thinking we used when we created them." - Albert Einstein



Lindsey Gerrity



Patrick K. Gessner



Kyle J. Gibbons



Lindsay Goldberg

"Maybe the best any of us can do is not quit, play the hand we've been dealt, and accessorize what we've got."

- Carrie Bradshaw Sex and the City



Jana Goldfarb

"So be sure when you step. Step with care and great tact and remember that Life's a Great Balancing Act."

- Dr. Seuss Oh, the Places You'll Go!



Andrew Goldman



Marissa Goldner

"Don't ask for a lighter load, but rather for a stronger back." - Anonymous



Vincente Gonzalez



Ilene R. Goodman

"Don't ever save anything for a special occasion. Being alive is the special occasion."

- Anonymous



Kayley Graham

"We set out to change the world... ended up just changing ourselves."

- Velvet Goldmine



Jiaming Guan

"I hate quotations. Tell me what you know."

- Ralph Waldo Emerson



Alyson Guerriero

"Here's what I know. If you're willing to throw caution to the wind and take a chance, the view from the other side is spectacular."

- Meredith Grey Grey's Anatomy



Tegest Hailu

"Reach high, for stars lie hidden in your soul. Dream deep, for every dream precedes the goal." - Ralph Vaull Starr



Luke Hammond



Emma Hand

"What you can do is often simply a matter of what you will do."
- Norton Juster The Phantom Tollbooth



Meredith Hanley



William M. Harbaugh "And now I grow older

- Johnny Osbourne

somewhere on the road of life."



Peter John Harley



Julian Harris

"Mama I made it."

- Jay-Z Made It



Matthew Harris



Zachary Harris "How 'bout a Drake's Coffee Cake?" - Logan Streit



Robert Hay III



Amanda C. Hayden

"It doesn't much matter which way you go... so long as I get somewhere. You're sure to do that, if only you walk long enough."

- Alice in Wonderland



Ying He

"I've never felt this before. I'm just exactly where I want to be." - Joel Eternal Sunshine of the Spotless Mind



Stephen M. Heine



Jonathan Helfand

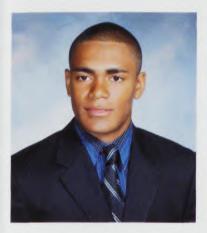
"A man who views the same at fifty as he did at twenty has wasted thirty years of his life." - Muhammad Ali



Kevin H. Hennessey

"Hustle makes up for many a mistake."

- Alex Schmidt



Michael C. Henry

"You never know what's going on in somebody's mind. There's a lot of pressure on someone growing up."

- Tupac Shakur



Leanne P. Hewit

"Waiting for the time when I can finally say this has all been wonderful, but now I'm on my way."

- Phish Down With Disease



Timothy A. Horan

"Keep stretchin' my stuff guys, I dare you!"

- Jeff DeSantis



Timothy Hou

"Applaud friends, the comedy is over."

- Ludwig Van Beethoven



Maureen Hughes

"It's all happening."

- Almost Famous



Patrick Hughes

"I hate purity, I hate goodness, I don't want any virtue to exist anywhere, I want everyone to be corrupt to the bones"

-George Orwell 1984



Matthew Ince

"Git R Done."

- Larry the Cable Guy



Christine M. Isabella



Timothy Jacob

"You shouldn't take life too seriously. You'll never get out alive."

> - Van Wilder Van Wilder



Gerald Jakubovic



Michael Janeway

"Darn, party's over... Peteman's here..."



Jin Hee Jang



Alexandra Jenkins



Angela Jenkins



Phillip John "Alright, that's it for me! Be good everybody!" - George Costanza Seinfeld "Thank you come again." - Apu The Simpsons



Allison Johnson "Hate cannot drive out hate; only love can do that." - Martin Luther King, Jr.



Daniel J. Johnson "When you come to a fork in the road - take it." - Yogi Berra



Troy Johnson



Madeline C. Joyce "Be loath to drink Indian ink." - Edward Gorey The Eclectic Abecedarium



Su Jun



Daniel J. Kahaner "I still make my mama crazy." - Jose Reyes "One nation, and we're on the move. Nothin' can stop us now." - Funkadelic One Nation Under a Groove



"The way I see it, it's only just begun."

Christopher Kalis

- Happy Gilmore Happy Gilmore



Edward L. Kane



Gillian Kape



Anya M. Kaplan



Ilana Kaplan

"It's gonna happen soon, but not today. So go to sleep and make the change, I'll meet you here tomorrow."

- Elliott Smith Independence Day



Emily Kaplowitz



Melanie Kaufhold

"Life moves pretty fast. If you don't stop and look around once in awhile, you could miss it." - Ferris Bueller Ferris Bueller's Day Off



Daniel J. Kehler



Valerie Keil

"So much depends upon so much depends upon."

- Anonymous



James Kelly



Meredith Kender



Erika Kettleson

"Come and trip it as ye go,
On the light fantastic toe."
- John Milton
L'Allegro



Emily Kieczykowski

"Sometimes the only way is jumping. I hope you're not afraid of heights."

- Gavin DeGraw



Stephen Kielar



Ye Seul (Jane) Kim

"I believe in the sun even if it isn't shining. I believe in love even when I am alone. I believe in God even when He is silent."

- Anonymous



Elizabeth J. Kline

"We may never find our reason to shine. But here and now this is our time."

> - Rob Thomas Streetcorner Symphony



Bryan Knapp

"Success is not final, failure is not fatal: it is the courage to continue that counts."

- Winston Churchill



Logan T. Knisely

"Get busy living, or get busy dying."

- Andy Dufresne The Shawshank Redemption



Anna E. Koehler

"This may be your first last best chance to have any hope for a fresh start at a new beginning for the first time again."

- Strangers with Candy



Adam D. Koll



Julia Korn

"Whatever the day brings...live your life."

- Anonymous



Bruce Kovak



Elina Koval



Kate Kovalenko

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

- Robert Frost



Edward Langer



Jennifer LaSpata



Amanda La Vecchia



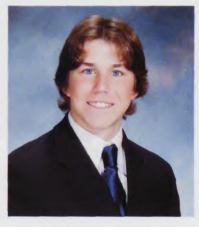
Catherine E. LaVecchia



Brian Lee



Kimberly Legones



Matthew Leonard

"If you understood everything I say, you'd be me!"

- Miles Davis



Neha Limaye

- Tock the Watchdog

"Time is a gift, given to you, given to give you the time you need, the time you need to have

the time of your life."

Joseph Linares



Jeffrey Littman



Kai Liu



Wenceslao Lopez



Mary Kate Luker

"When things start to happen, don't worry. Don't stew. Just go right along, You'll start happening too." - Dr. Seuss Oh, The Places You'll Go!



Alyssa Lund



Claire Macdonald

"And in the end, the love you take is equal to the love you make."

- The Beatles The End

Seniors



Colin Mackay



Jeffrey K. Maehl

"Time you enjoy wasting, was not wasted."

- John Lennon



Thomas Malaspina



Lane Maloney

"Madness is genius, imperfection is beauty, and it's better to be absolutely ridiculous than be absolutely boring."

- Marilyn Monroe



Nathan Margolin

"Do not say, 'The day will come.' Bring the day, for it is no dream. - Ya'akov Rotblit A Song For Peace



Michael Marks

"You seem to have time to cut the front and the sides. - Scott Dyer



John Martoglio



Jobin O. Mathew



Christopher Mattes

"Age is nothing but a number." - Peter "Peteman" Antonelli



Kevin Maus



Natalia Mavrogiannis

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

- e.e. cummings "A real friend is one who walks in when the rest of the world walks out."

- Anonymous



Patrick F. McCabe

"Associate yourself with men of good quality if you esteem your own reputation; for 'tis better to be alone than in bad company." - George Washington



Erin McCarthy "We are all in the gutter, but

some of us are looking at the

stars."

- Oscar Wilde



Lauren E. McCurdy

"Laughter is timeless, imagination has no age, and dreams are forever."

- Tinkerbell



Kevin McDermott



Maria McDermott



James H. Mc Manus

"And we raise our red cups to the times that fade, and toast to all the memories made."

- Selsius Jersey Shrapnel



Amanda McQuade

"Let's take the good times as they come and I'll meet you further on up the road."

- Bruce Springsteen Further On



Rebecca McQuade

"It's over before you know, it all goes by so fast, the bad nights take forever, and the good nights don't ever seem to last."

- Tom Petty The Best of Everything



John T. Meagher

"When all else fails, there's always delusion."

- Conan O'Brien



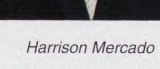
Daniel Melillo



"Let me dream if I want to." - Mink DeVille "So Good."

- Skyler Norris

Paulina Menares-Brown



"I don't play hard to get ... I play hard to want.'

- Rodney Dangerfield



James Meylor

"The happy ones are near Let's get together Before we get much older."

- The Who Teenage Wasteland



Philip J. Micele

"A man of conscience never acquires tolerance, success, public standing, well-being, and approval on the part of prevailing opinion at the expense of truth." - Pope Benedict XVI



Georgia Mierswa

"My candle burns at both ends; It will not last the night; But ah, my foes, and oh, my friends--

It gives a lovely light!" - Edna St. Vincent Millay



Russell J. Miller

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

- Winston Churchill



Franklin A. Mongiove

"Does Frank actually know anything about CPR?"

- Skyler Norris



Erin Moran



Jessica Moran

"We live for the nights we cannot remember with the friends we will never forget."

- Anonymous



Keith Moran

"It is not how we begin things that defines who we are, but how we choose to end them."

- Hellboy



Katherine Morgan

"You asked me where I'm going? OK, I'll tell you: P. Sherman, 42. Wallaby Way, Sydney! That's where I'm going!"

- Dori Finding Nemo



Suzanne Morgan

"Times like these and times like those; what will be will be and so it goes; but somehow I know it will never be the same."

- Jack Johnson Times Like These



Christine Mruz

"These are the moments I'll remember all my life. I've got all I've waited for and I could not ask for more."

> - Edwin McCain I Could Not Ask For More



Alexander J. Mucci



Caitlin Murphy

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

- Anthony J. D'Angelo



Stephanie Musat

"The obscure we see eventually. The complete obvious, it seems, takes longer."

- Edward R. Murrow "Life, I love you. All is groovy." - Simon and Garfunkel



Jeffrey Mysel



Santo J. Nardi III



Natalie M. Narotzky

"Maybe one day we'll be strong enough to build it back again, build the peaceable kingdom back again; build it back again."
- Patti Smith Peaceable Kingdom



Jesse T. Natale

"The more we learn, the less we know."

- The Wire



Hary S. Nayer



Brian Nelson

"Before I refuse to answer your questions allow me to give my opening speech."

-Ronald Reagan



Brian J. Nemeth



Rachel Newberg



Jaclyn Nicoll

"Have the courage to be yourself."



Julienne E. Niemiera

"The most important thing is to enjoy your life - to be happy - it's all that matters."

- Audrey Hepburn Audrey Style



Skyler Norris



Daniel Nuber



Ashley O'Brian

"One good thing about music: when it hits, you feel no pain." - Bob Marley Trenchtown Rock



Kimberly O'Donnell-Pickert

"We have fun!"

- Anonymous



Roberto Olivares



Kevin O'Rourke

"Don't look behind you: something, something might be gaining."

- Satchel Paige



Caitlyn Oster

"Life is messy. That's how we're made. So, you can waste your lives drawing lines. Or you can live your life crossing them." - Meredith Grey

Grey's Anatomy



James O'Toole

"Where you start and finish matters but the trip is what makes you."

- Anonymous



Desirae Ott

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



Sarah Ozdamar

"What are you, too classy to drink out of a can?"

- Nickey Finkel



Justin A. Palentchar



Sean Palme

"I don't care how old I live; I just want to be LIVING while I am living!"

- Jack Calanne Real Sports with Bryant Gumbel



Christina Panarese

"May your heart always be joyful, may your song always be sung, may you stay forever young." - Bob Dylan

Forever Young



Thomas Parkinson



Ricky Passananti



Christopher Patella



Ojus Patil

"For good or evil, mine is the speech that cannot be silenced."

- Marlow Heart of Darkness



Cara Paulan

"Tut, tut, child! Everything's got a moral, if only you can find it."
- The Duchess
Alice In Wonderland



Sarah Pecker



Patrick J. Pellicano

"My allegiance is to the Republic, to Democracy!"

- Obi-Wan Kenobi Star Wars Episode III: Revenge of the Sith



Joseph Penczak



Jason Perez

"Change is the law of life. And those who look only to the past or present are certain to miss the future."

- John F.Kennedy



Samuel Perl

"Nothing's perfect; the world's not perfect, but it's there for us trying the best it can. That's what makes it so darn beautiful."

- Roy Mustang Fullmental Alchemist



Emily K. Perry

"Do not go where the path may lead, go instead where there is no path and leave a trail." -Ralph Waldo Emerson



Courtney Phillips

"There are 11 kinds of people in the world: those who know binary, those who don't, and those who try to tell this joke out loud."

- Anonymous

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Tara Picaro

"So scared of getting older, I'm only good at being young." - John Mayer Stop This Train



Markel Pitt

"Life is nothing but a competition to be the criminal rather than the victim."

-Bertrand Russell



Cristina Polizzano

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

- The Wonder Years



Olivia Pomann

"Things don't have to be the way they are. Despite all evidence to the contrary, I remain optimistic." - Eric Schlosser Fast Food Nation



Michael Porch

"To make a bad day worse, spend it wishing for the impossible."

- Calvin & Hobbes



Catherine E. Porta

"It's better your heart make a mistake than you live without heart!"

- Anonymous



Daniel Pritsker



Brittany M. Pryor

"My great-grandfather looked into my eyes and said, 'You are destined for great things!'" - Dr. Charles E. C. Polk

Charles E. C. Polk Gramps



Jarret Przybylski

"A good friend once told me we are memory. Without them, we equal nothing."

- Avenged Sevenfold Remenissions



Colleen E. Psomas

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

-Tom Petty Runnin' Down a Dream



David R. Purdy

"If you don't stand for something, you'll fall for anything."

-Anonymous



Adric Quakenbush

"The 10 Commandments: 179 words. The Declaration of Independence: 1,300 words. The U.S. Government regulations on cabbage sales: 26,911 words."



Shannon Quackenbush

"I saw the sign, and it opened up my eyes. I saw the sign." - Ace of Base The Sign



Sarah E. Queller

"If we should bump into one another, recognize me." - Robert Bolt A Man For All Seasons



Evan T. Ralph



Ellen Ramage

"I must be what I must be and face tomorrow."

- Simon & Garfunkel Flowers Never Bend With the Rainfall



Jonathan Ramalho

"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



Nicole Ramos



Stephanie Raphael



Alvin Reaves



Daniella R. Regencia

"Our doubts are traitors, and make us lose the good we oft might win by fearing to attempt."

- Shakespeare

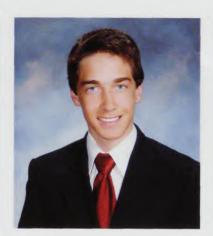
Measure for Measure



Nicole A. Reich

"What another would do as well as you do, do not do, say as well as you, do not say, write, do not write. Be faithful to that which exists nowhere but in you."

- Andre Gide



Matthew T. Renart

"Drift in the breeze before you set your sails."

- Paul Simon Learn How to Fall



Brittany Reyes

"If you can't laugh at yourself, life is going to seem a whole lot longer than you'd like."

- Garden State



Joseph Ridings

"It's a dangerous business, going out your front door."

- J.R.R. Tolkien The Fellowship of the Ring



Jessica Riegel

"I can almost hear the future whispering to the past: it says that this is not a test and everybody passes."

- Tony Hoagland Memory as a Hearing Aid



Albert J. Rimondi

"He is going to be one of Those Guys."

- Ginger Bread Man Chillest Bra in Town



Michael Risberg



Drew Ritter

"Shut up, get out, or die."
- Charles I
(as interpreted by T. Hornish
A Petition of Grievances)



Glenn Romano

"No need to cherish luxuries cause everything come and go. Even the life that you have is borrowed. 'Cause you're not promised tomorrow."

- Akon Ghetto



Lindsey Romano



Nathaniel Roquet



Erin Roudebush

"He is no fool who gives up what he cannot keep to gain what he cannot lose."

- Jim Elliot



Adam L. Rubin

"Every man got a right to decide his own destiny."

- Bob Marley



Peter Rucinsky

"Remember kid, there's heroes and there's legends. Heroes get remembered but legends never die. Follow you heart kid, and you'll never go wrong."

Sandlot



George Russo

"There are no great limits to growth because there are no limits of human intelligence, imagination, and wonder."

- Ronald Reagan



Amanda C. Sabino



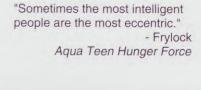
Shaina Sadi



Ryan Salmon



Arrend Santiago





Andrew C. Santos



Lindsey Ann Sauerwein

"Today was good. Today was fun. Tomorrow is another one." - Dr. Seuss



Elizabeth L. Scanlon

"Rule # 76: No excuses. Play like a champion!"
- Jeremy Grey

Wedding Crashers



Aimee Schaefer



Melanie Schor

"Life is a series of hellos and goodbyes. I'm afraid it's time for goodbye again."

- Billy Joel Turnstyle



Catherine Schultz



Joseph Schurig

"I only have enough room in my life for one love, and that's my new diesel truck."

- Matt Ince



Laura Schwab

"Always do right. This will gratify some people, and astonish the rest."

- Mark Twain



Ian Schwartz

"Do not let what you cannot do interfere with what you can do."
- John Wooden



William Schwartz

"The fault, dear Brutus, is not in our stars, but in ourselves." - Cassius Julius Caesar



Bennett Scorcia

"'We live,' says Carl Sagan, 'in the galactic Boondocks, where the action isn't.'"

- Carl Sagan Cosmic Collisions



Stanley Shargorodsky



Matan Shavit

"Life is short; enjoy it while you can."

- Fortune Cookie



Terell Shaw



Brittany Shaykevich



John Thomas Sheehan

"Don't wait half your life for life to come to you while the whole time it's been inside you waiting to be lived."

- Anonymous



Jonathan M. Sheflin

"Sparks fly upward."

- Ken Kesey



Julie Anne Shelman

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

- Wendy Wasserstein



Marlena Sheridan

"I'm an instant star. Just add water and stir."

- David Bowie



Daniel Shorrock

"If we couldn't laugh at things that don't make sense, we couldn't react to a lot of life."

- Hobbes Calvin and Hobbes



Dean Shuck



John-William Sidhom

"...we also glory in tribulation, knowing that tribulation produces perseverance; and perseverance, character; and character, hope."

- Romans 5:3-4



Tyrell Simmons



Allison Simon

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

- Anonymous



Joseph Simone

"Age ain't nothing but a number."
- The Peteman



Kevin Sipe

"Your misery and hate will kill us all."

- My Chemical Romance Welcome to the Black Parade



Hope Skibitsky

"I hope you dance."
- Leanne Womack
I Hope You Dance



Jenna Skoller

"It's the too-huge world vaulting us and it's goodbye. But we lean forward to the next crazy venture beneath the skies."

- Jack Kerouac



Leanne Skorge

"Well I've been thinking about the future, I'm too young to pretend, Such a waste to always look behind you, should be looking straight ahead.





Arielle Smelkinson

"Work is what you do for others, liebchen. Art is what you do for yourself."

- Stephen Sondheim



Brendan Smith



Bryan J. Smith

"It's a beautiful day. Don't let it get away."

- U2 Beautiful Day



Darrell Ann Smith

"Celebrate we will, for life is short, but sweet for certain." - Dave Matthews Crash



Jacqueline D. Snyder

"One of these days you're going to have to find out where you want to go. And then you've got to start there."

> - J.D. Salinger Catcher in the Rye



Jesse Solomon

"The Earth is a place to live in, where we must put up with sights, sounds, smells too ... breathe dead hippo, so to speak, and not be contaminated.'

- Marlow



Alexandra Somnolet



Brent Souders



Kate M. Statton

"Make it work."

- Tim Gunn Project Runway



Katherine Steenberg



Jamie Steiner

"Being grown up isn't half as much as fun as growing up; these are the best days of our lives."

> - The Ataris In this Diary



Joseph Steinfeld

"We are all in the gutter, but some of us are looking at the stars."

> - Oscar Wilde Lady Windmere's Fan



Caroline Steller

"Only the passions, only great passions, can elevate the mind to do great things."

- Denis Diderot



Jack Sternal

"A man's life consisteth not in the abundance of the things which he possesseth. "

- Luke 12:15



Jacob Stevens-Haas

"The substance of [the common people] is hatred for any man who loves his work. That's the only kind they fear."

- Ayn Rand



Thomas Stewart
"I'd rather be hated for who I am
than loved for who I am not."
- Kurt Kobain



Shane Claire Strano



Laura Straus



Logan Streit



Jessie Stromer



Virginia Stroup
"I like to quote myself. It adds spice to my conversations."
- George Bernard Shaw



Colin R. Sullivan



Sean M. Sullivan
"I've been working steady for the past twelve years, minus the past three."

- Johnny Drama Entourage



Satya Tagat

"WAR IS PEACE
FREEDOM IS SLAVERY
IGNORANCE IS STRENGTH."

- George Orwell



Michael Tammaro



Cheryl Tarnofsky



Katherine L. Taylor

"Time, where did you go? Wait, don't go so fast now this is my time, I'm going to make this moment mine."

- Chantal Kreviazuk
Time



James N. Thayer "Ain't no man can avoid being born average, but ain't no man

got to be common." - Satchel Paige



Julie Tiedrich

"Good luck exploring the infinite abyss."

- Andrew Largeman Garden State



Jarred Timmons



Suzanne Toriello

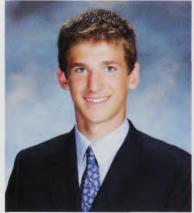
"Life is too short not to make the best and the most of everything that comes your way everyday." - Sasha Azevedo



Douglas Townsend

"I hope all the years will hold tight our promises."

- Keane Atlantic



John J. Trimble



Andrea S. Turitz



William Uhr

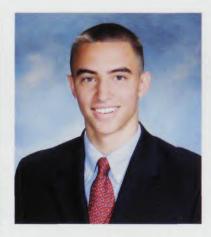


Alex Vanarelli



Nicole Vendetti

"So take this cup and drink with me; let's delay our miseries." - Eagle-Eyed Cherry Save Tonight



Michael T. Venezia



Michael P. Verrier

"Time it was... and what a time it was."

- Simon and Garfunkel



Ted Vincett

"Security is not the meaning of my life. Great opportunities are worth the risk."

- Shirley Hufstedler



Samantha Vitale



Jason Waks

"The mind of man is capable of anything - because everything is in it, all the past as well as all the future."

- Marlow



Harrison Waldman



Ariana Wascher

"Don't let your dreams remain dreams."



Josh Wasserman



Linda Wat



Sarah Weber

"Dreams are what get you through the hard stuff."
- Anonymous



Jonathan Weintraub



Michael Weintraub

"Play it loud mutha."
- Twisted Sister



Leigh E. Weissman



Francesca Welham

"Education is an admirable thing, but it is well to remember from time to time that nothing that is worth knowing can be taught."

- Oscar Wilde



Heather Welham

"By the time I recognize this moment, this moment will be gone. But I will bend the light, pretend that it somehow lingered on."

> - John Mayer Clarity



Brandon West

"Given the situation, I would punch that tiger right in the eye." - Anonymous



Robert Whitehead

"No good fish goes anywhere without a porpoise."

- Lewis Carroll



Gregory Whitman

"We mortals are but shadows and dust. Shadows and dust, Maximus!"

> - Proximo Gladiator



Maxwell Wieder

"Time? Time is an illusion. The only time is party time, are we clear?"

> - Basketball Aqua Teen Hunger Force



Stephen Wilchak III



Molly G. Williams

"I'd love to tell you, stay inside the lines. But something's better on the other side."

> - John Mayer No Such Thing



Paul Williams

"We have always found the Irish a bit odd. They refuse to be English."

- Winston Churchill



Davon Wise



Ayn Carlee Wisler

"Let's take the good times as they go and I'll meet you further on up the road.

-Bruce Springsteen Further On



Charles Woehr

"I plead the Fif. One two, three, four, Fif!"

- Dave Chappelle



Cassandra Wright



Alexander Wronski

"The thinker dies, but his thoughts are beyond the reach of destruction. Men are mortal, but ideas are immortal."

- Richard Adams



Tiffany Yang

"I don't know if we each have a destiny, or if we're all just floatin' around accidental-like on a breeze. But I, I think maybe it's both."

- Forrest Gump



Ryan Yarusi

"Is you happy?"

- Anonymous



Caroline Yost

"And maybe ours is the cause of all mankind. Get loved, make more, try to stay alive."

- Rilo Kiley More Adventurous



Benjamin Zakarin

"Training is everything. The peach was once a bitter almond; cauliflower is nothing but cabbage with a college education."

- Mark Twain



Aron L. Zavaro



Jennifer Zulewski

"The best and most beautiful things in the world cannot be seen or even touched. They must be felt with the heart."

- Anonymous





















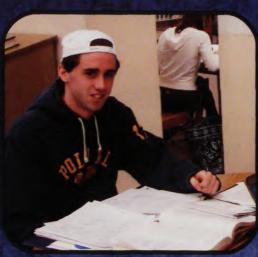


























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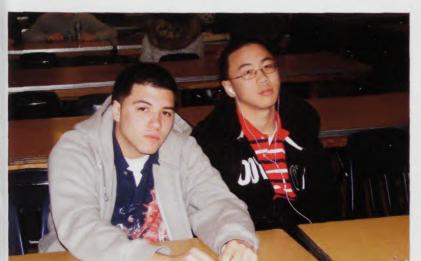
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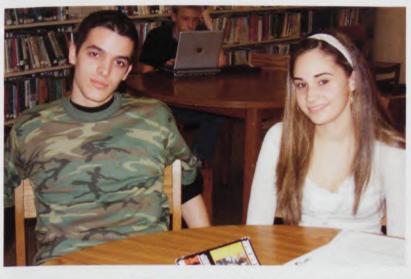
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One-fourth of the student body agrees: this year's junior class was pretty sweet. We're proud to report that, despite the excruciating demands of our teachers on our brain capacities and spare time (does that really still exist?), we remain carpal tunnel-free! College admissions counselors, our new nemeses, tell us that this is the year to prove ourselves, which is why we're notorious for being busy, stressful and generally not fun.

Juniors

The junior class worked meritoriously hard, but proved the stereotype wrong by actually enjoying our second-to-last year in high school. On the contrary, we've come together as a collective group to enjoy the wonders that are open lunch and JRPs, college visits and SATs... and to be positively phenomenal on a daily basis. Well, how could one expect anything less?

Katherine Roberts





















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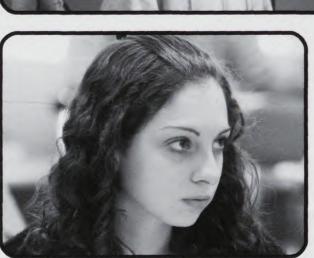
















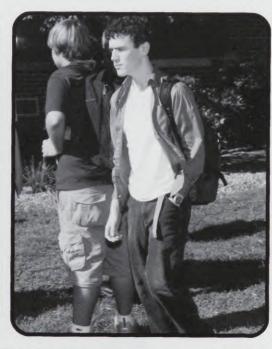






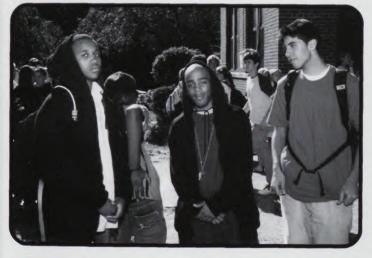






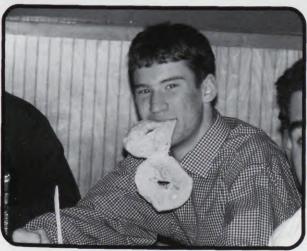














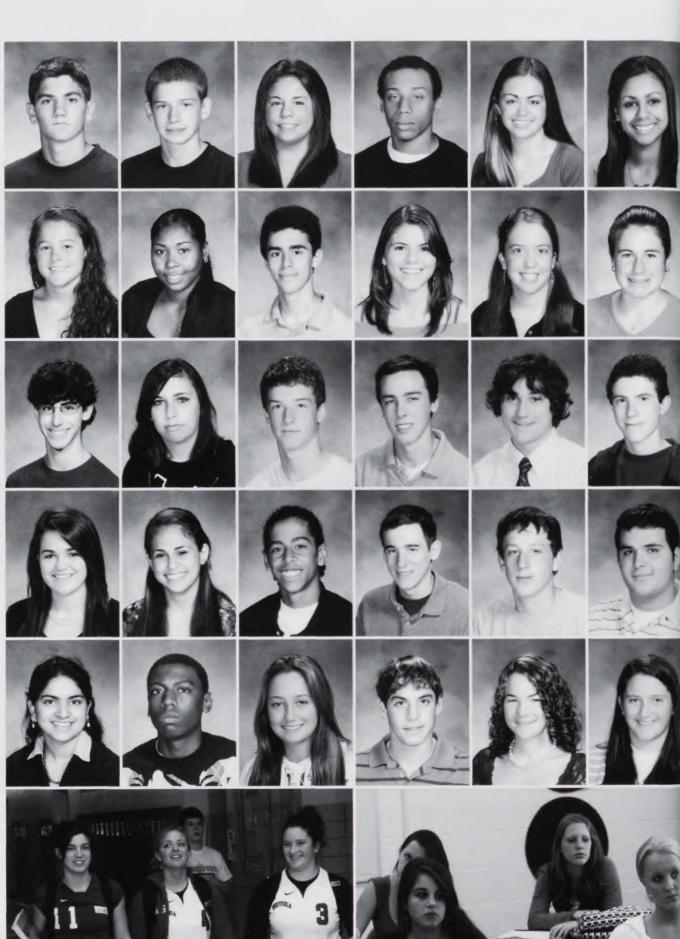
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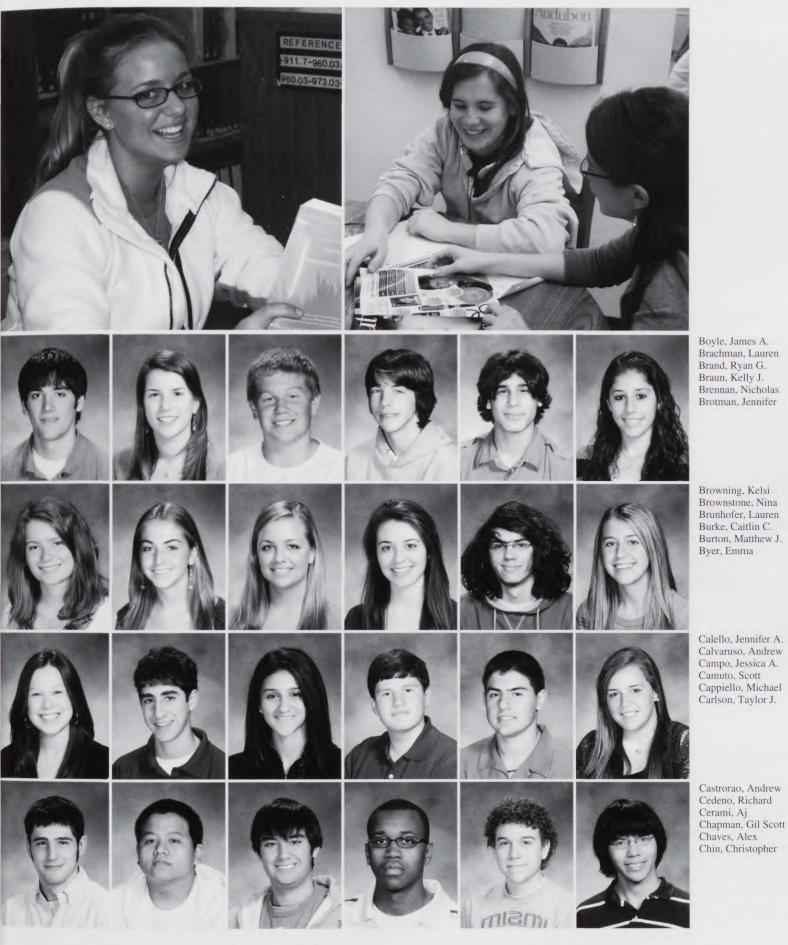
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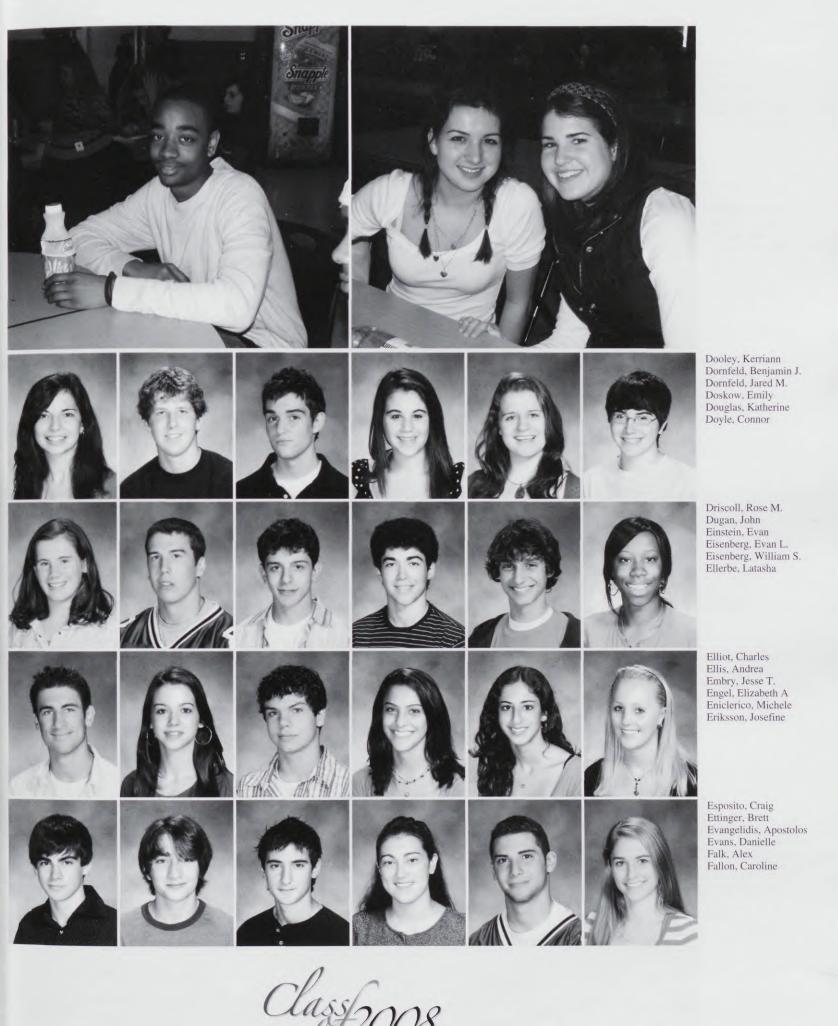






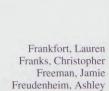






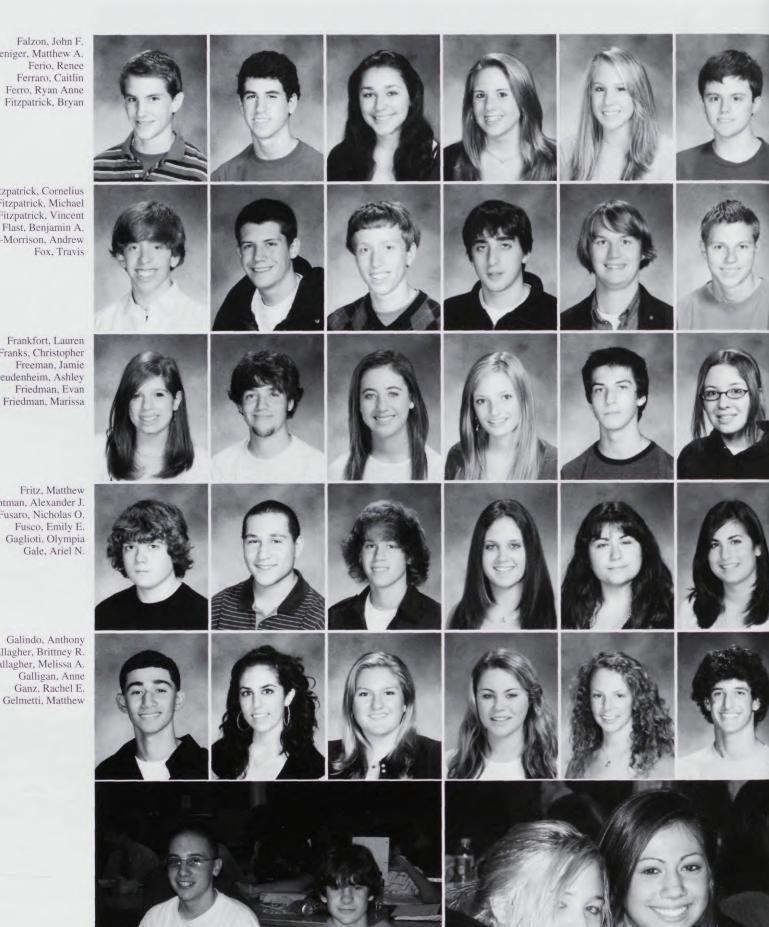
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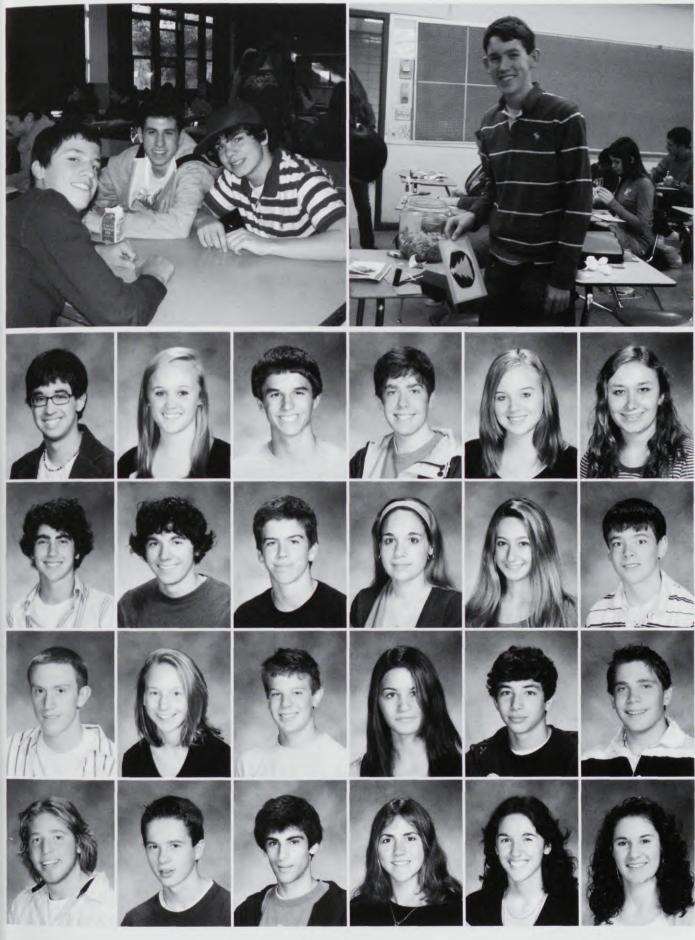
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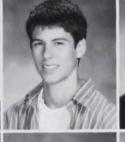
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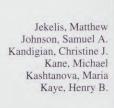












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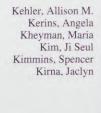
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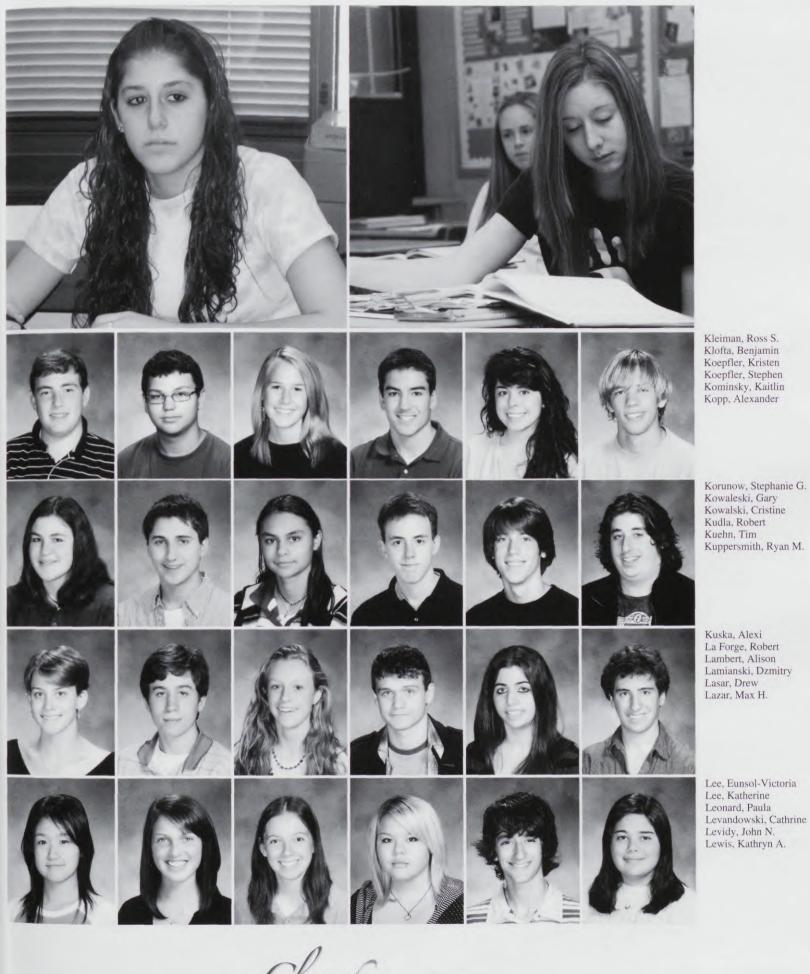












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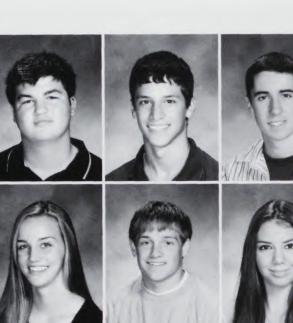
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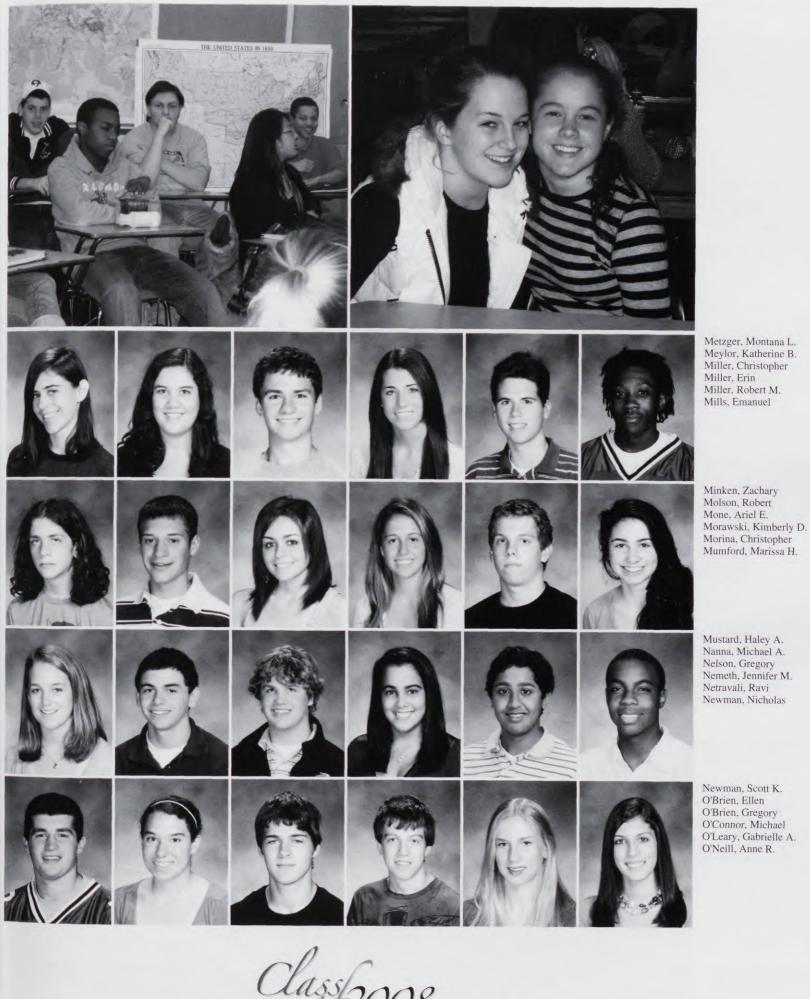












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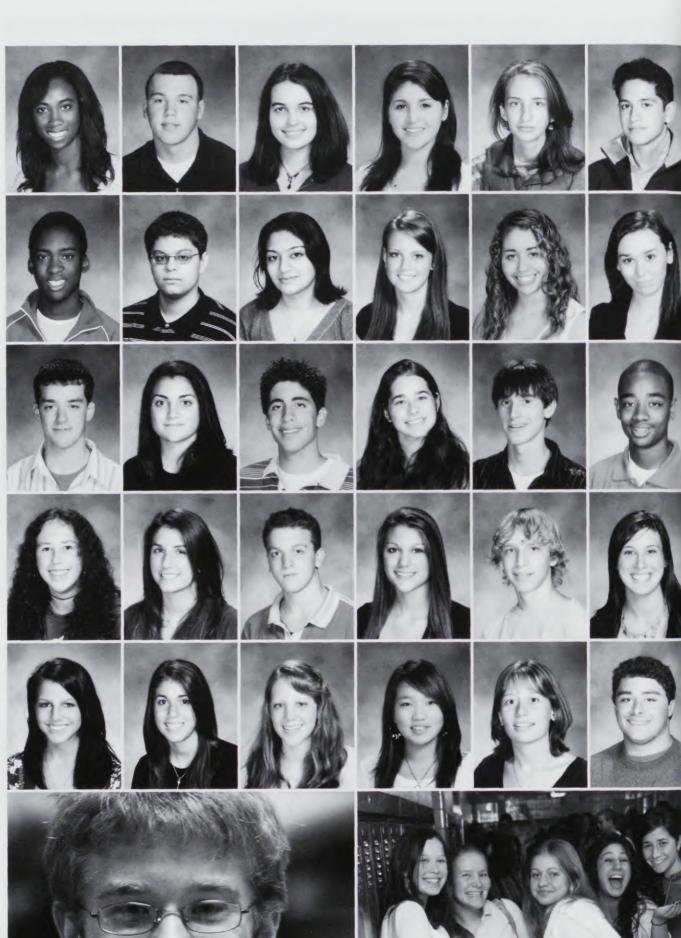
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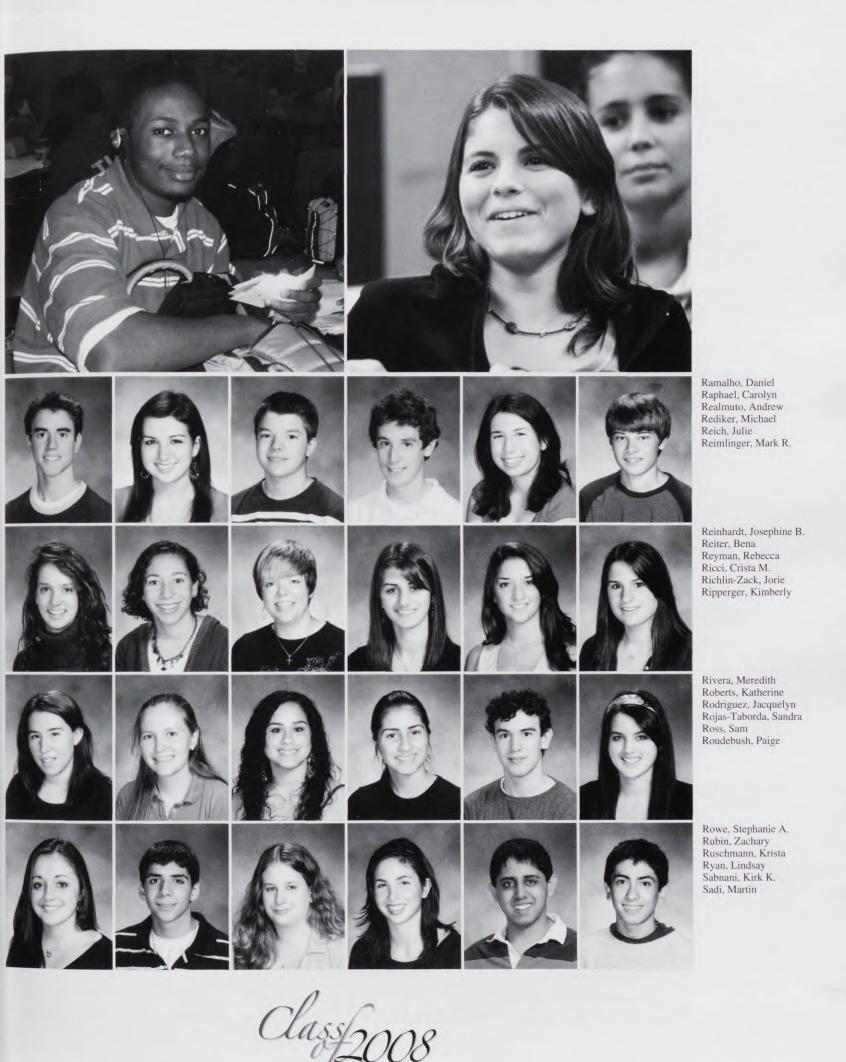
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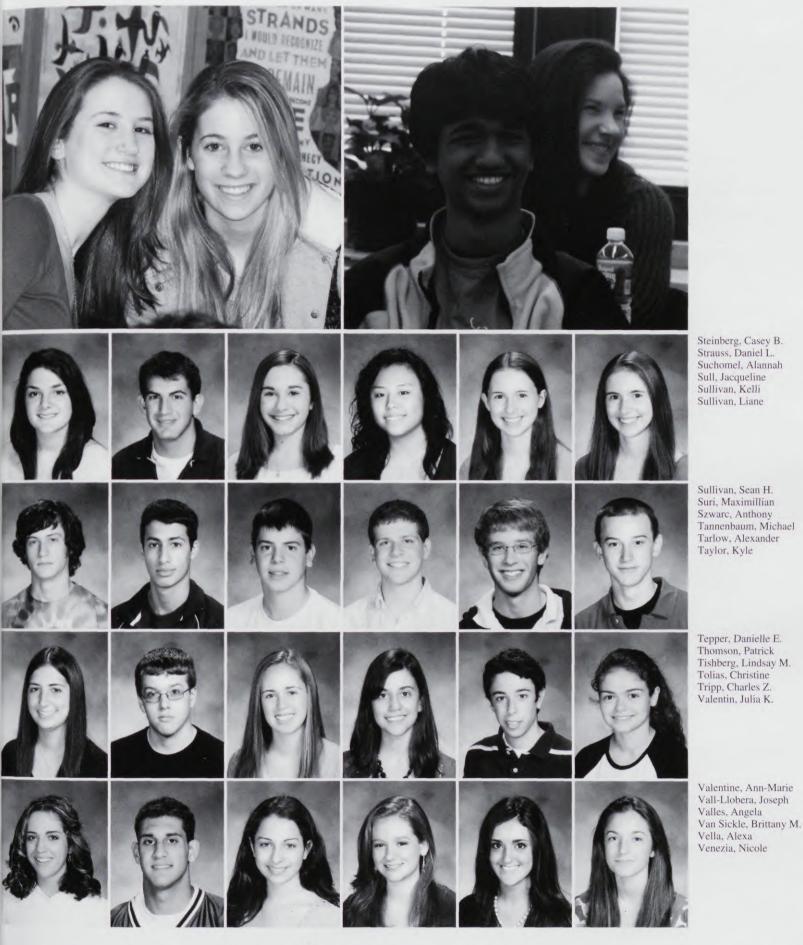
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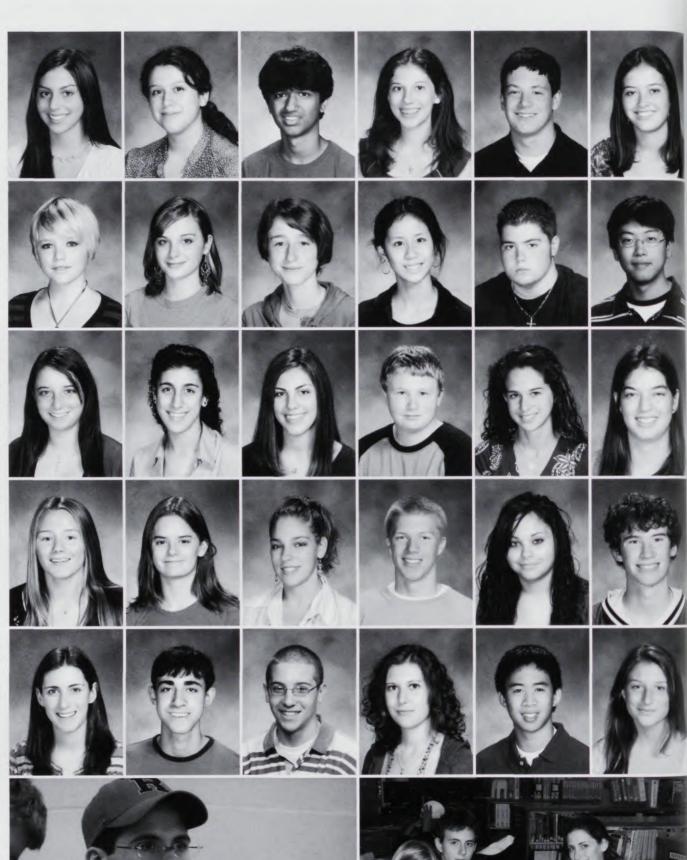
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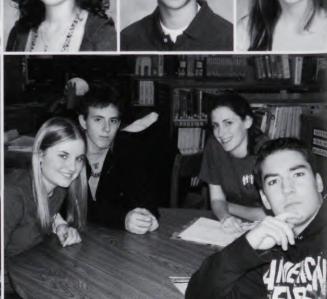
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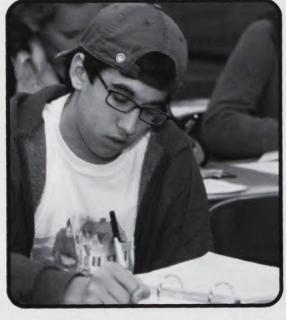
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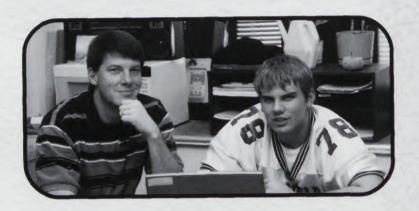








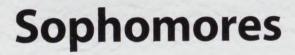








Sophomore year is often classified as the 'forgotten year.' We have neither the freshmen's inexperience nor the juniors' excruciating workload, and we have yet to attain the freedom that embodies the senior class. We are, in fact, the year of transition. We have discovered that high school is not a Lifetime movie: things aren't perfect, as much as we wish they were and as hard as we try to make them so.



But we accept this, do our best to deal with it, and keep going. Sophomore year is one of discovery as we start to realize who we are and what we want to do with our lives. With one foot in the realms of childhood and the other reaching toward maturity, we have started to find where we belong in the world.

Allison Jakobovic















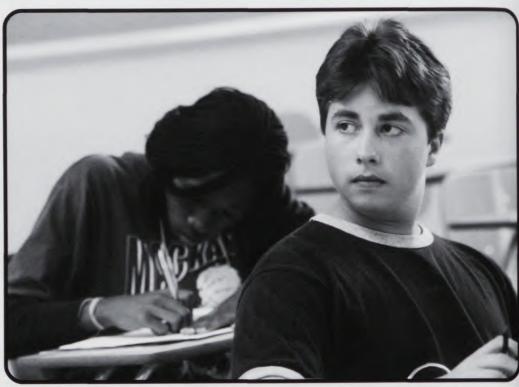






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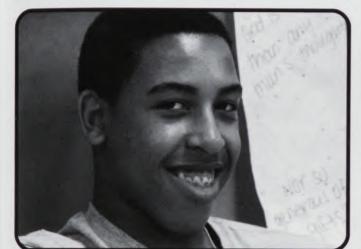


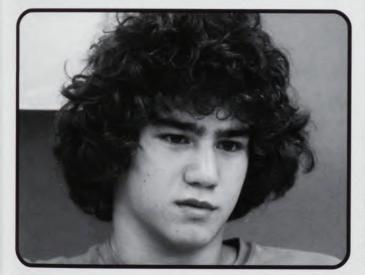




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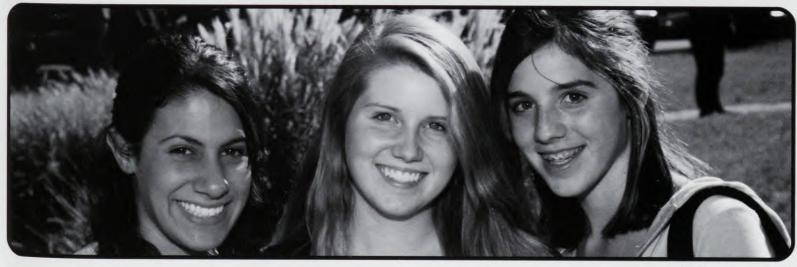






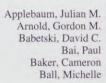




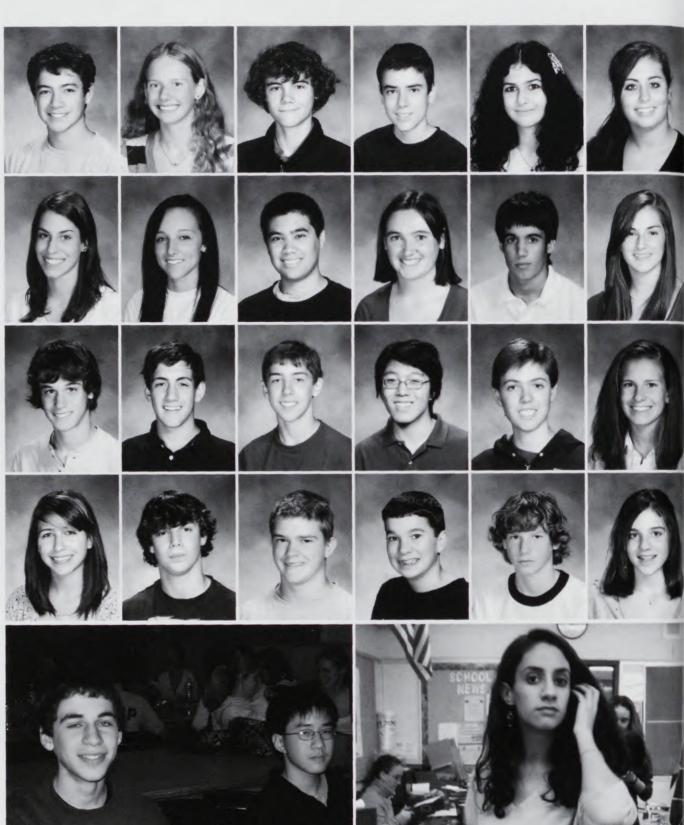


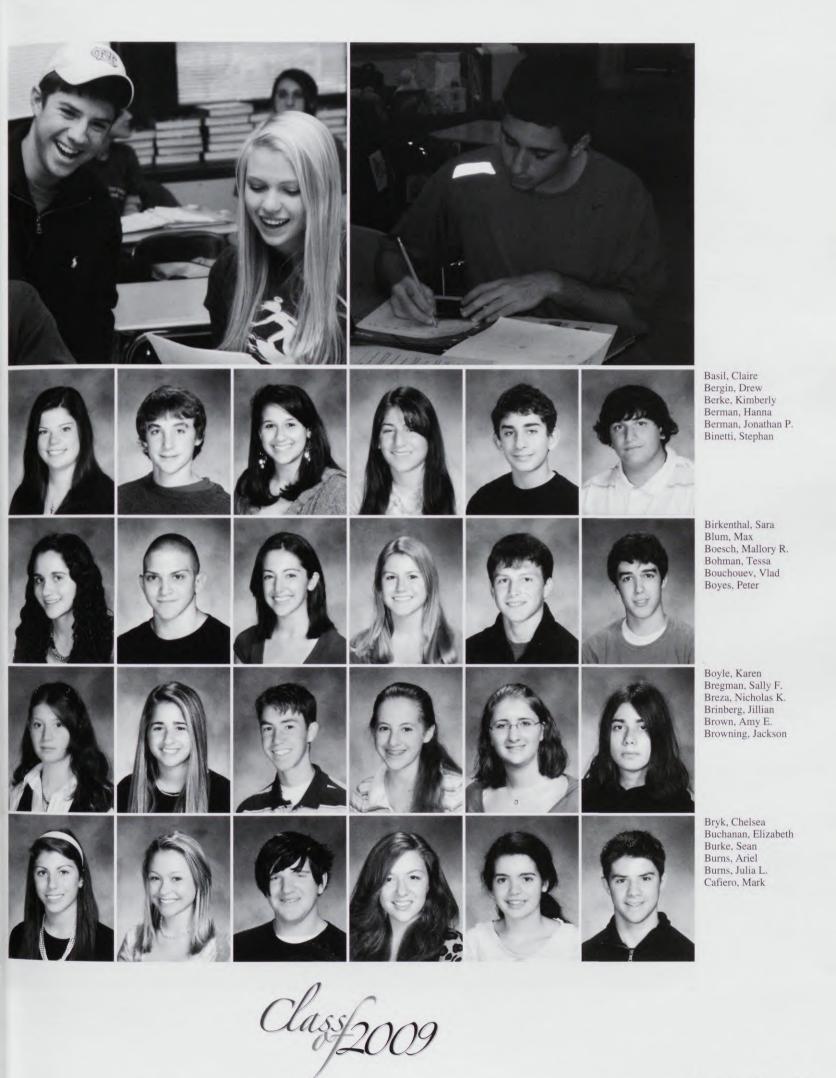
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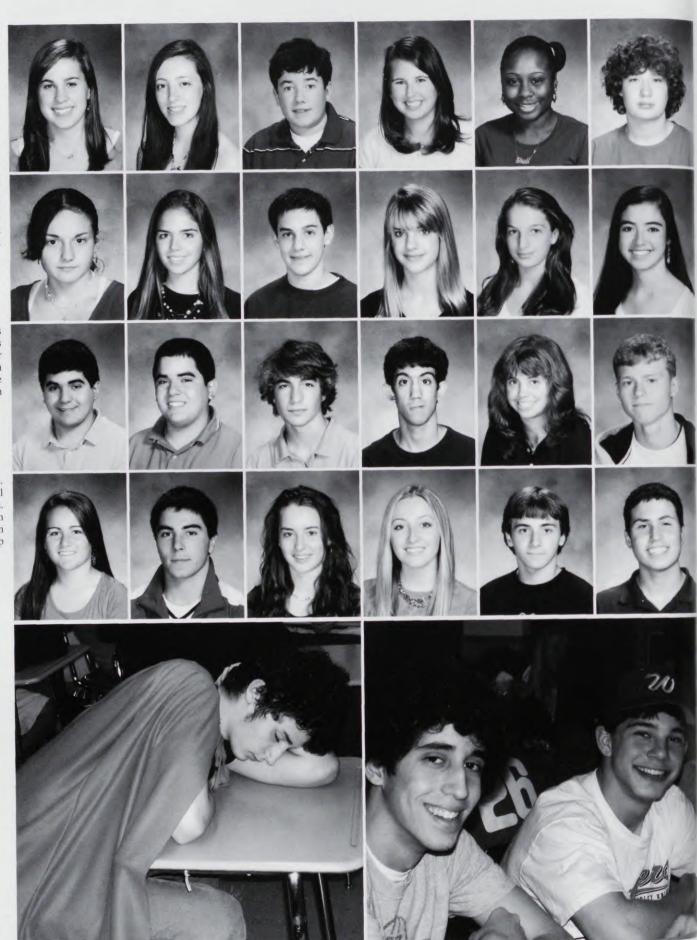
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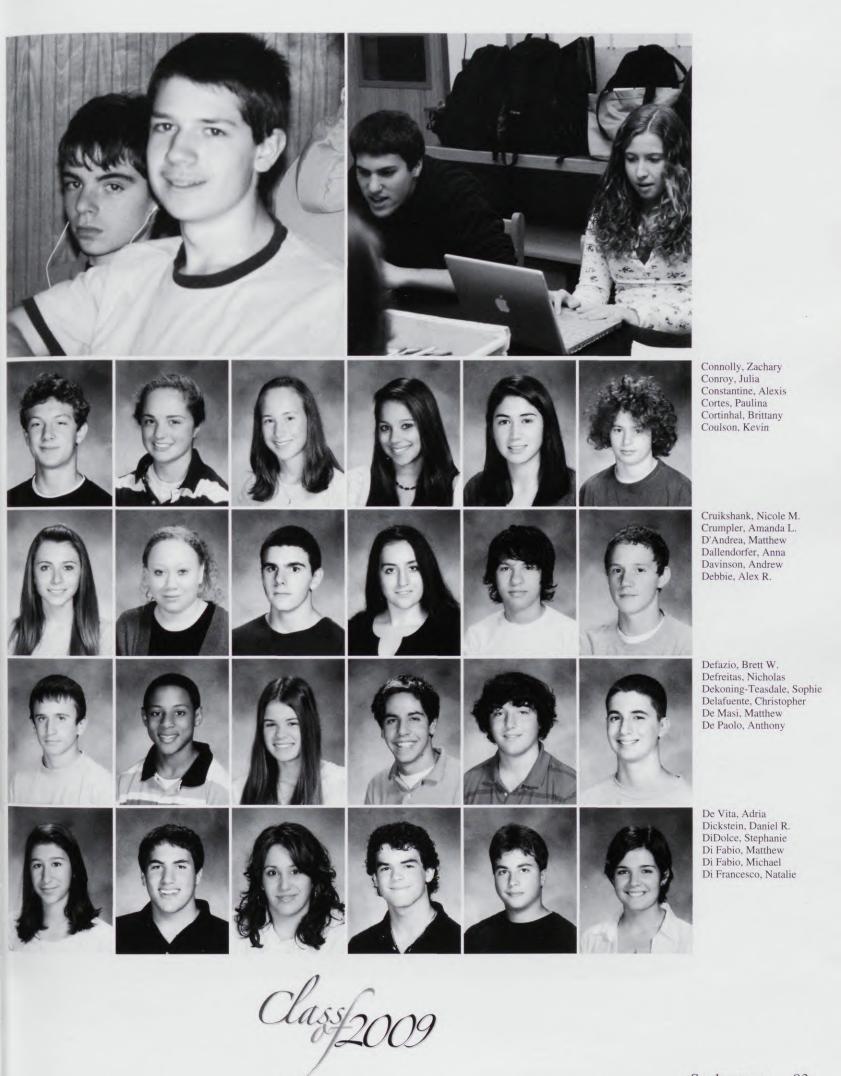
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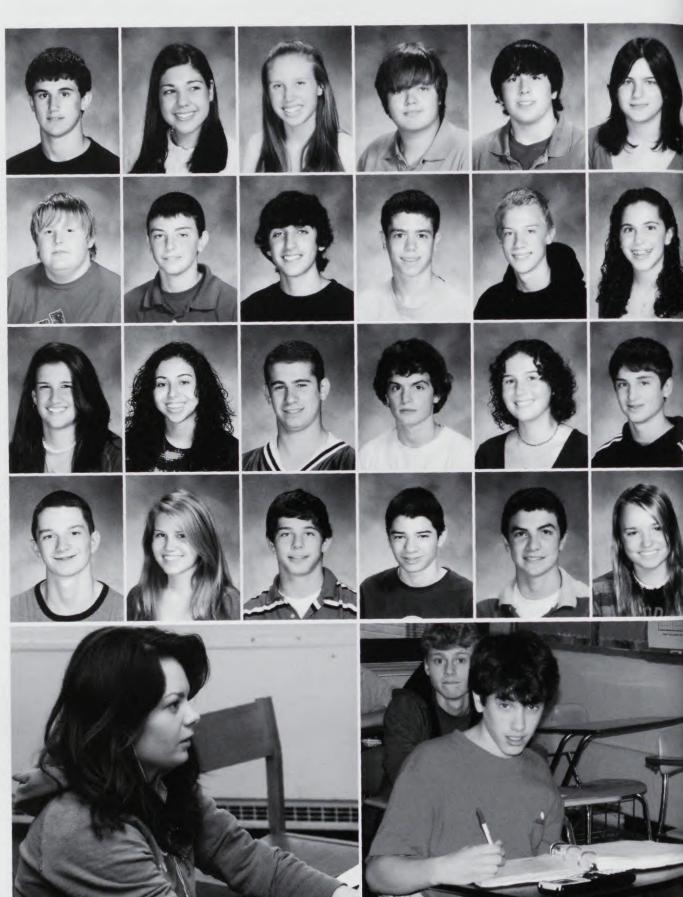
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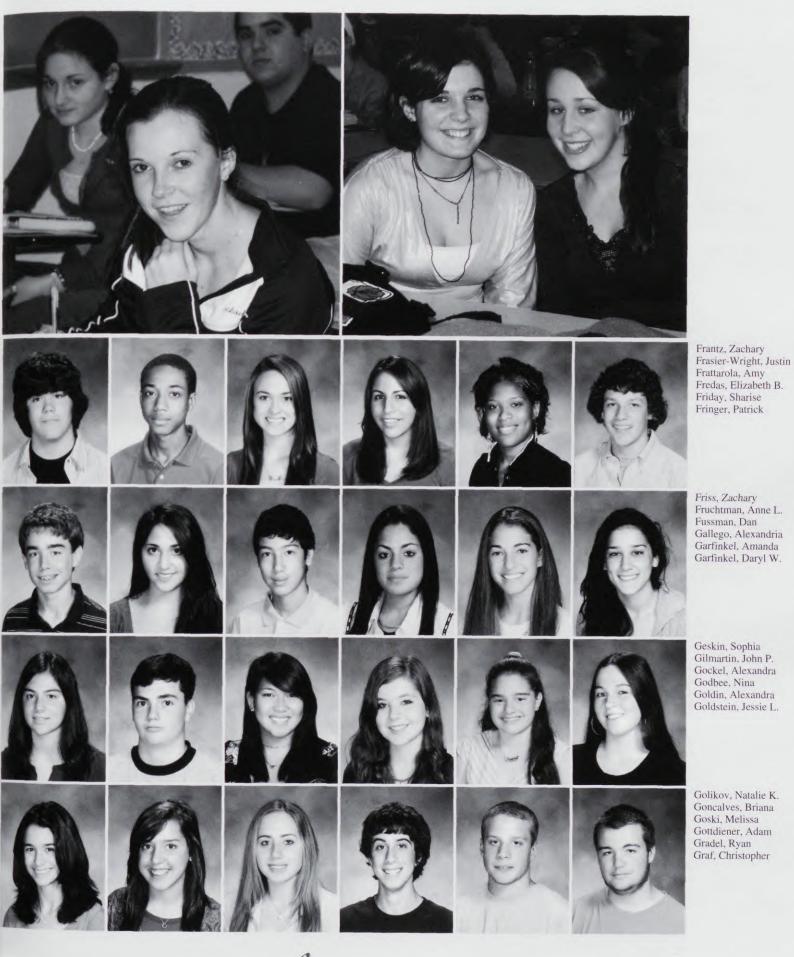
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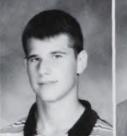




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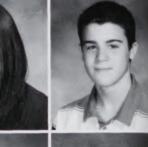
















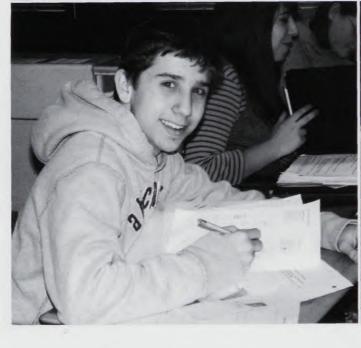




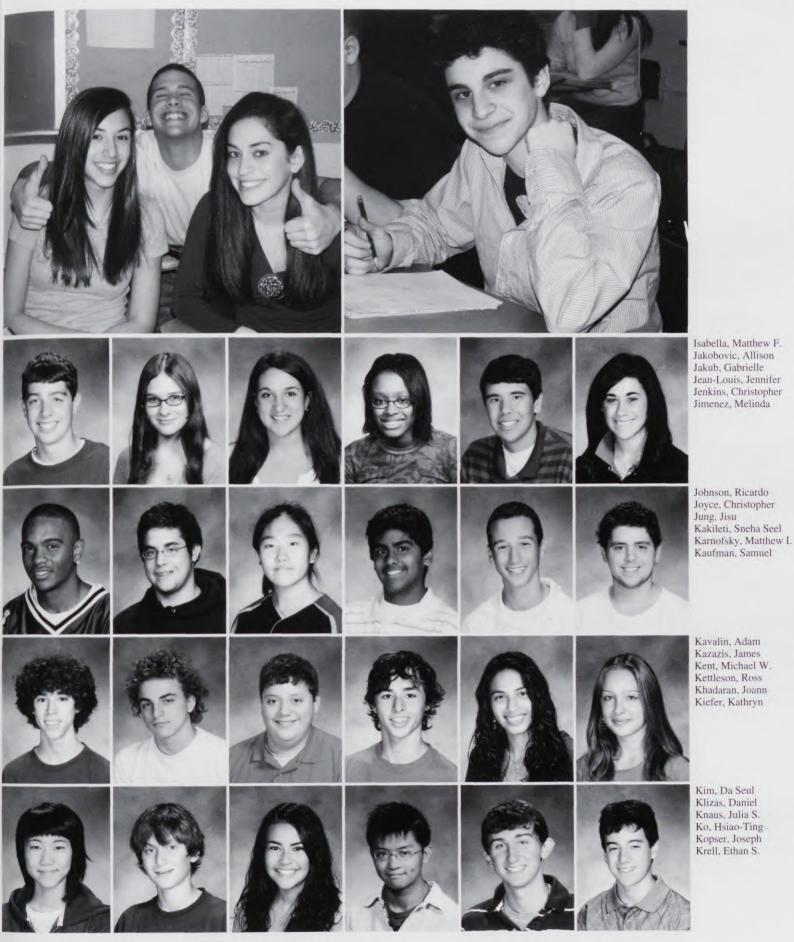












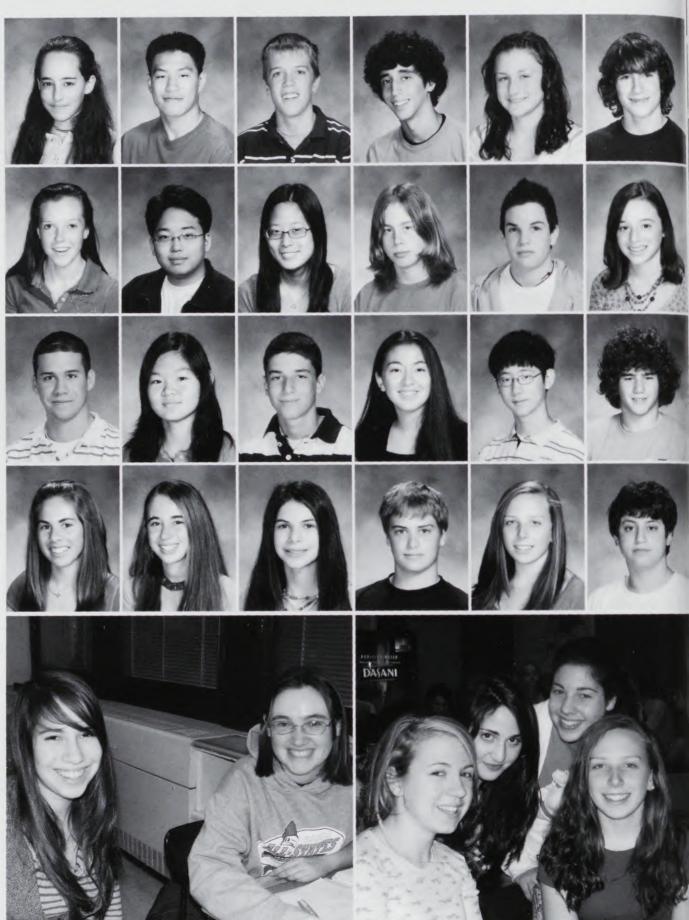
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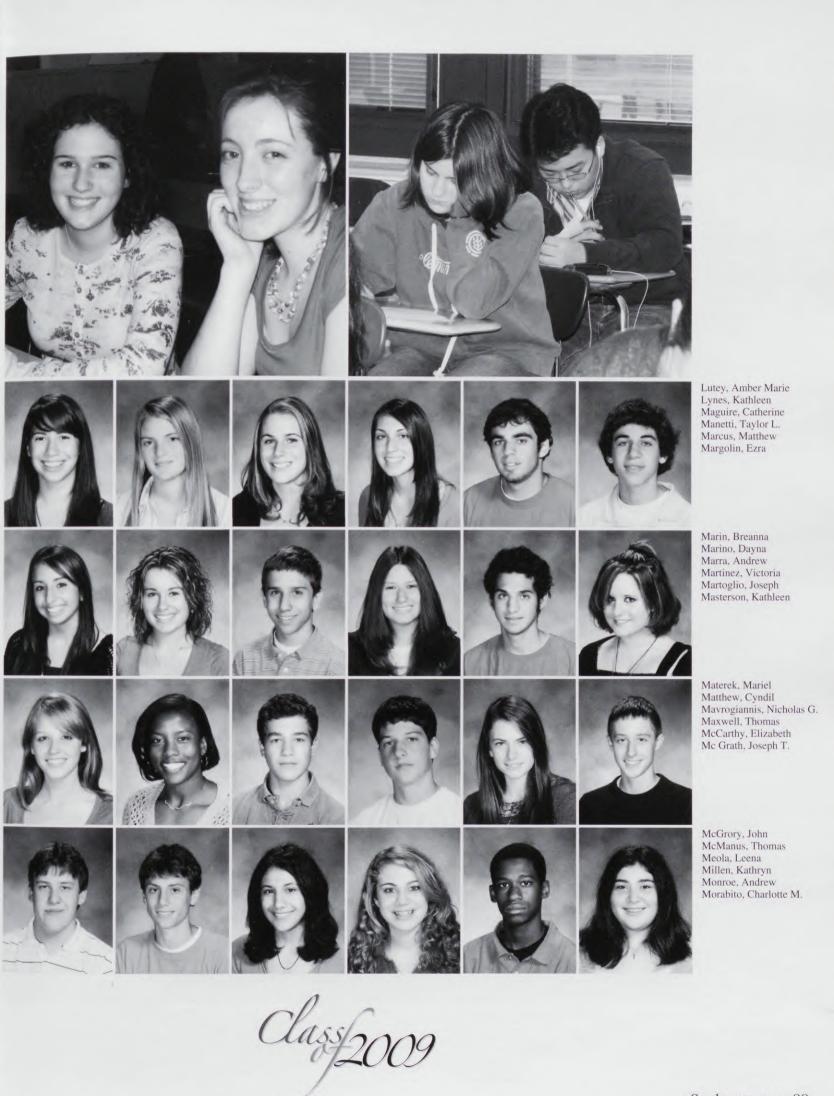
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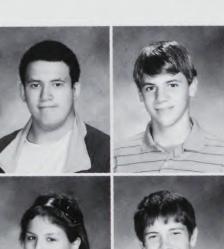
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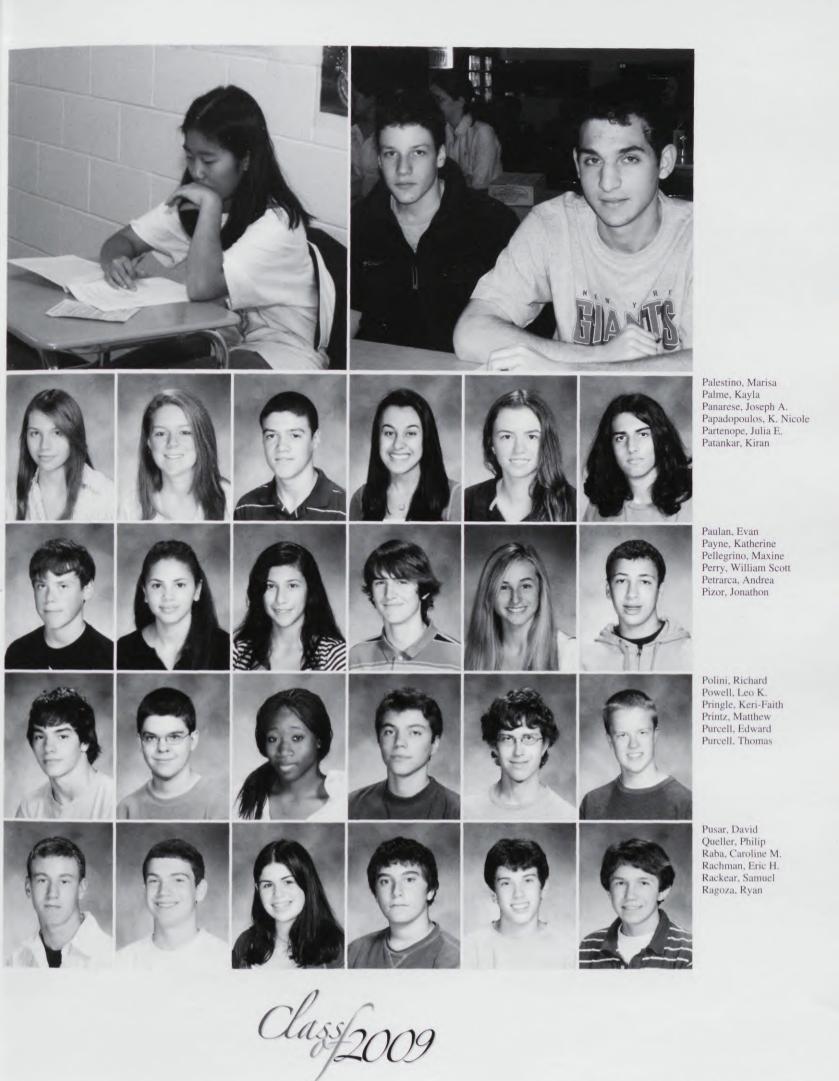












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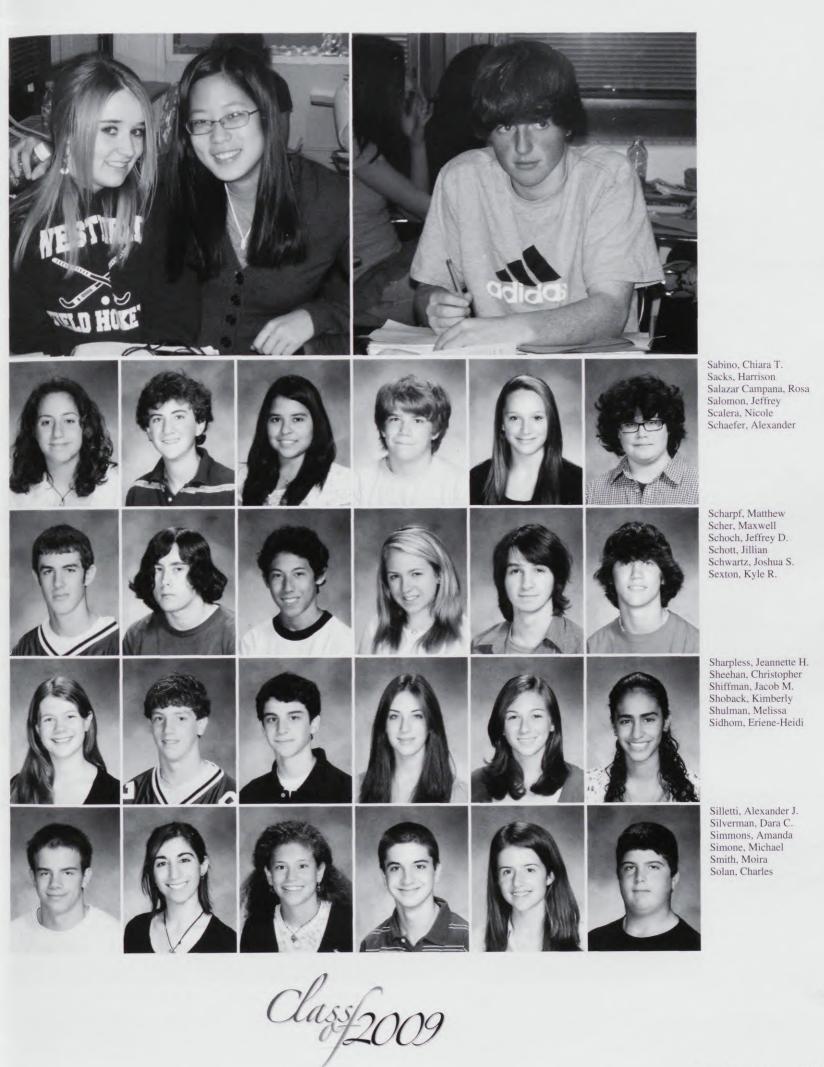












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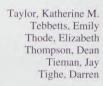
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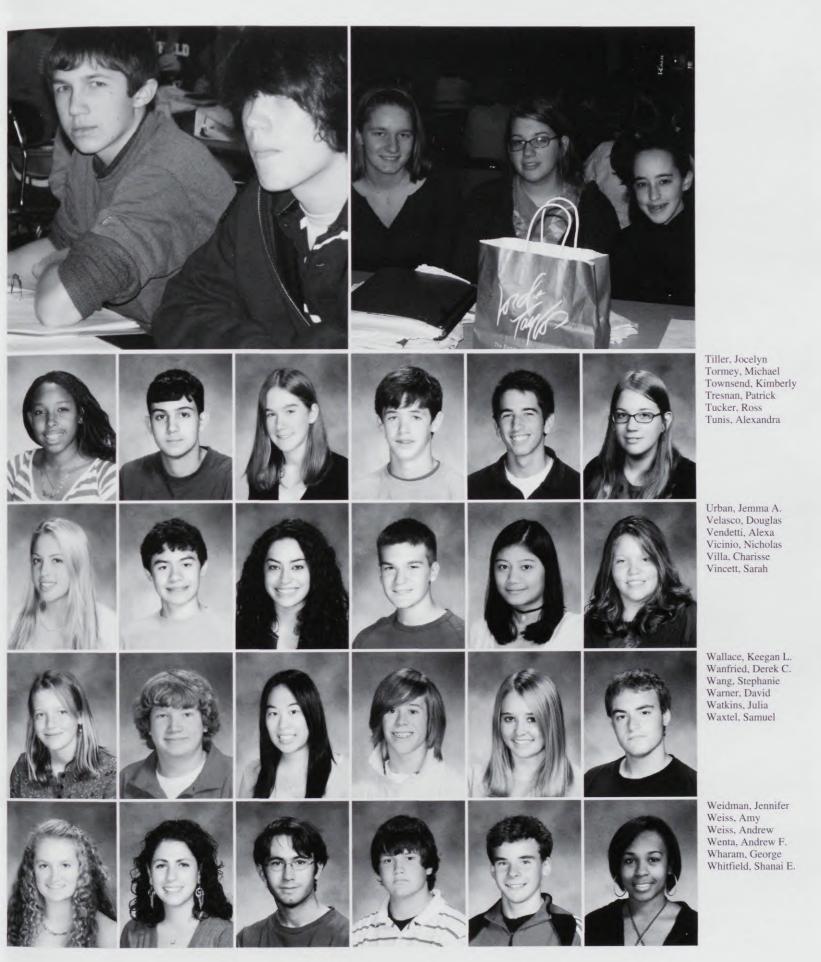












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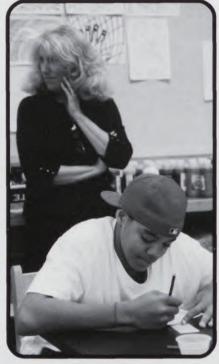
























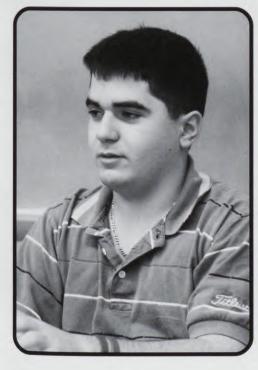


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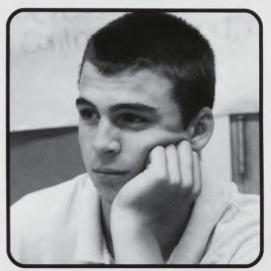


















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The high school cliché is that it's where you find yourself: who you are, who your friends are, what you're going to become.
And, as freshmen, we all found some independence and maturity this year.
There's still a ton we don't know; there's still that little security blanket we have inside, telling us not to let go of our childhoods.
But we want to grow up so quickly...

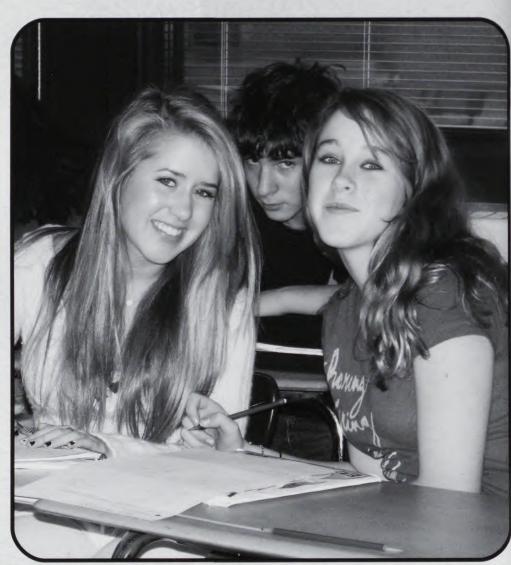


We have three more years ahead of us at WHS. These will be years in which we'll make friends and lose them; years in which we'll make good choices and regret bad ones; years we will always remember. To start off the high school experience, freshman year has been full of firsts, and our experiences differ from person to person. But we all share a common bond: our unforgettable first year of high school together.

Emily Weeks













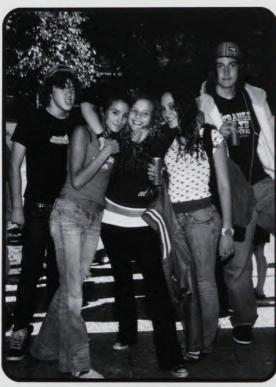




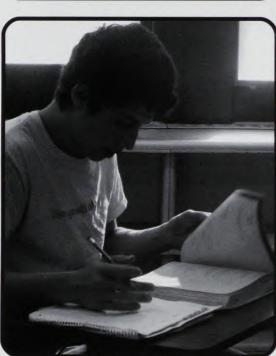




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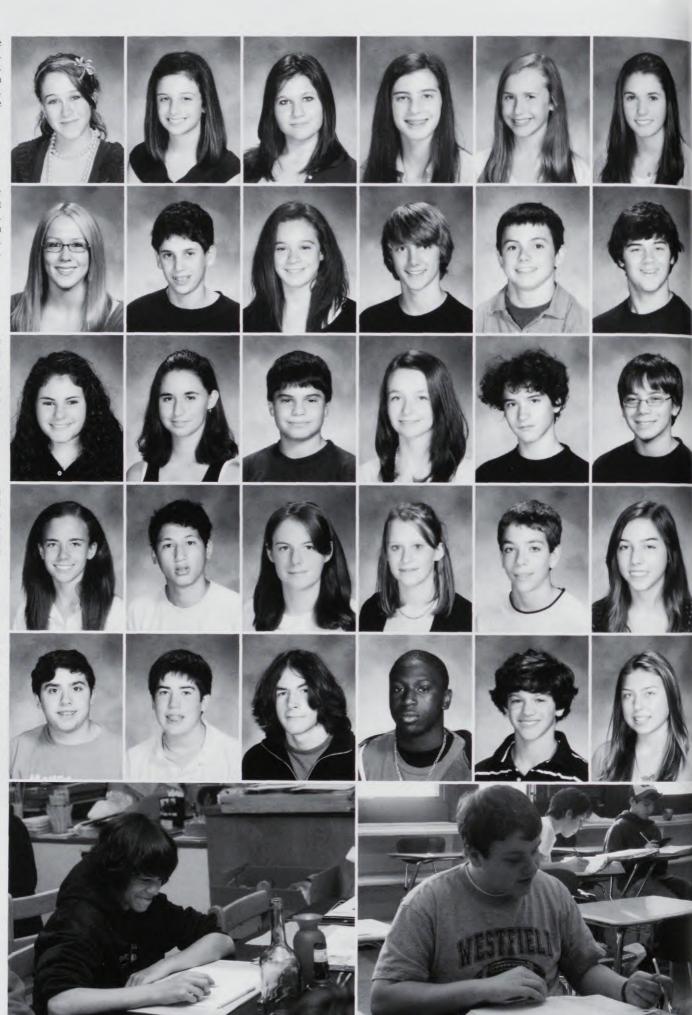
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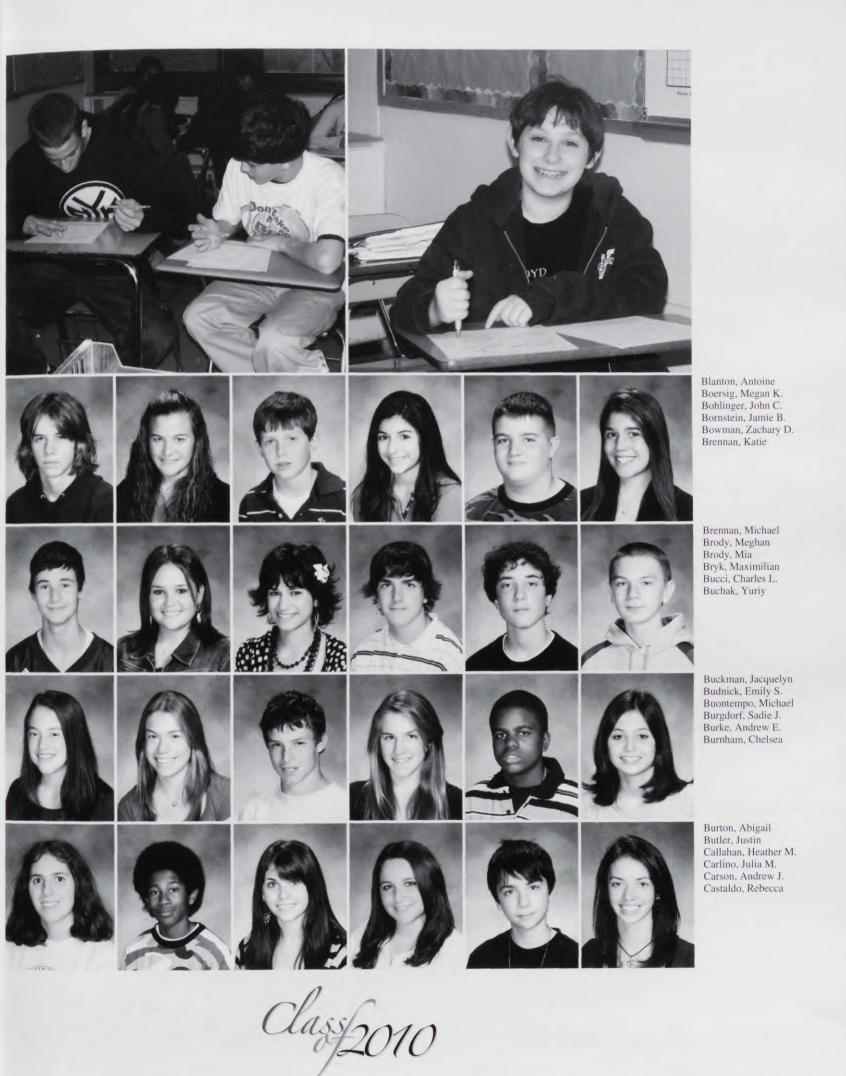
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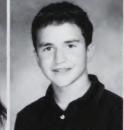






























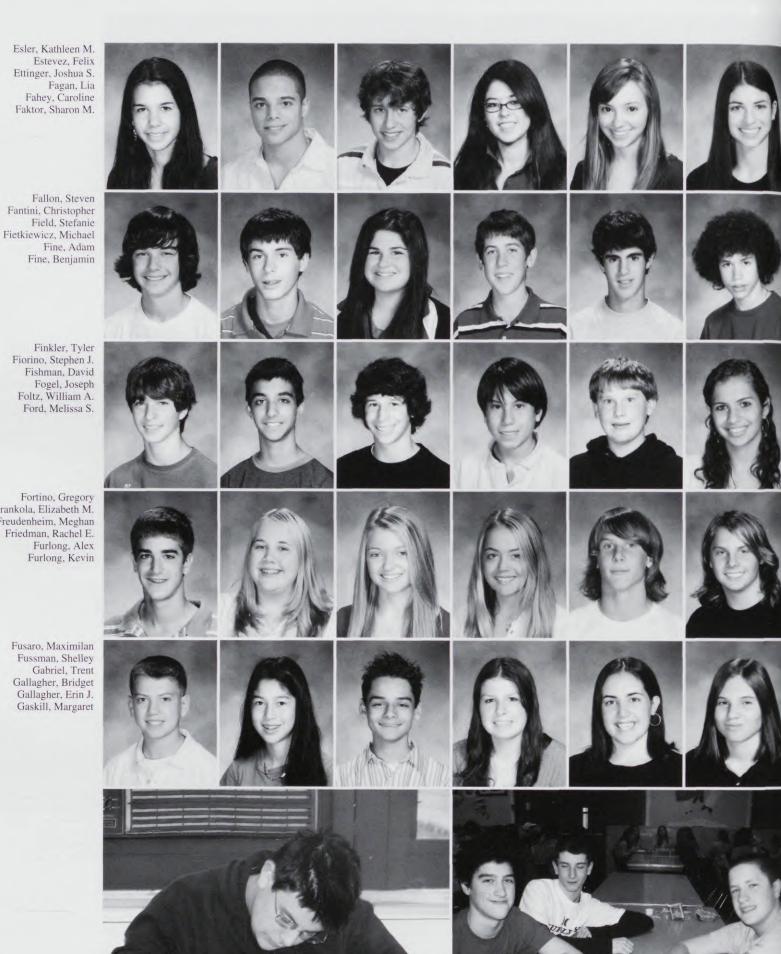
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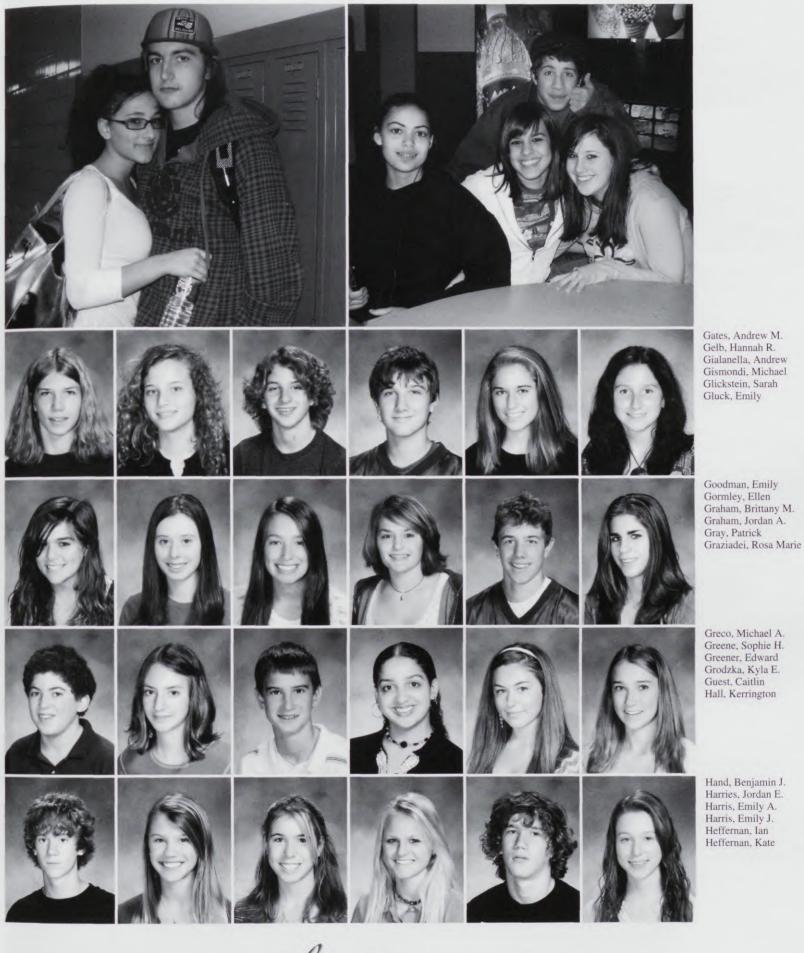
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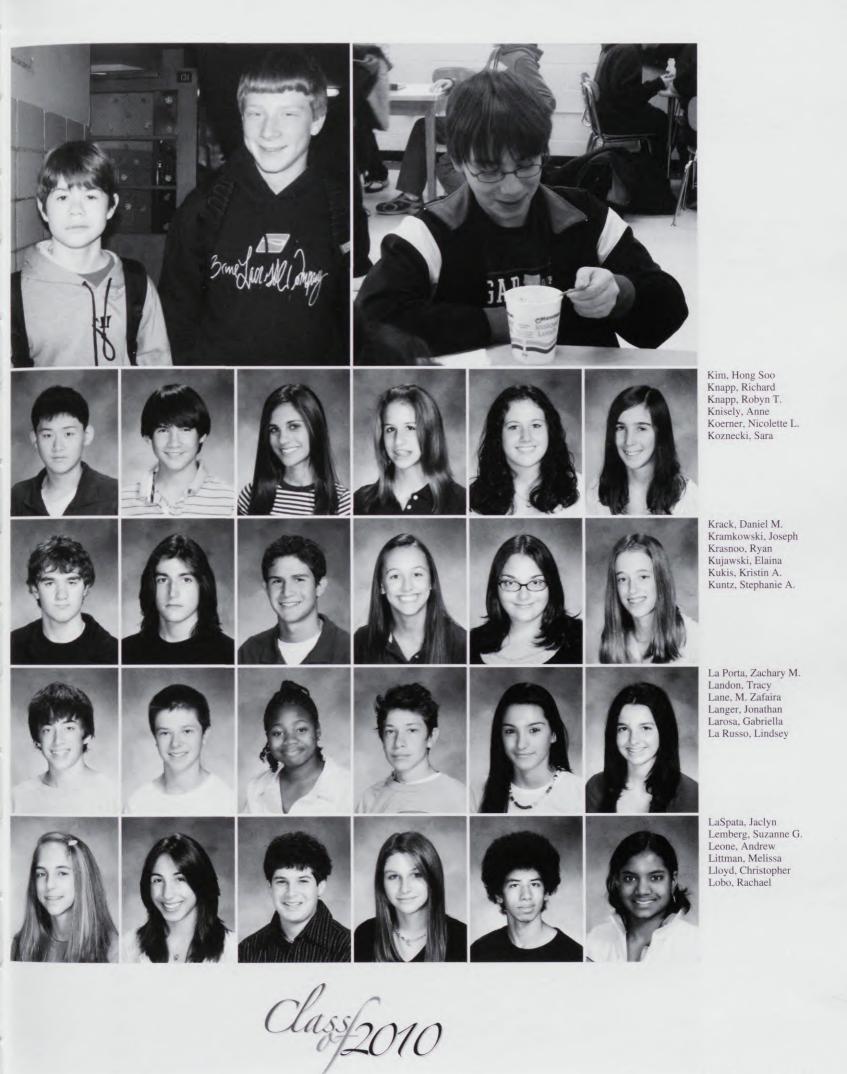












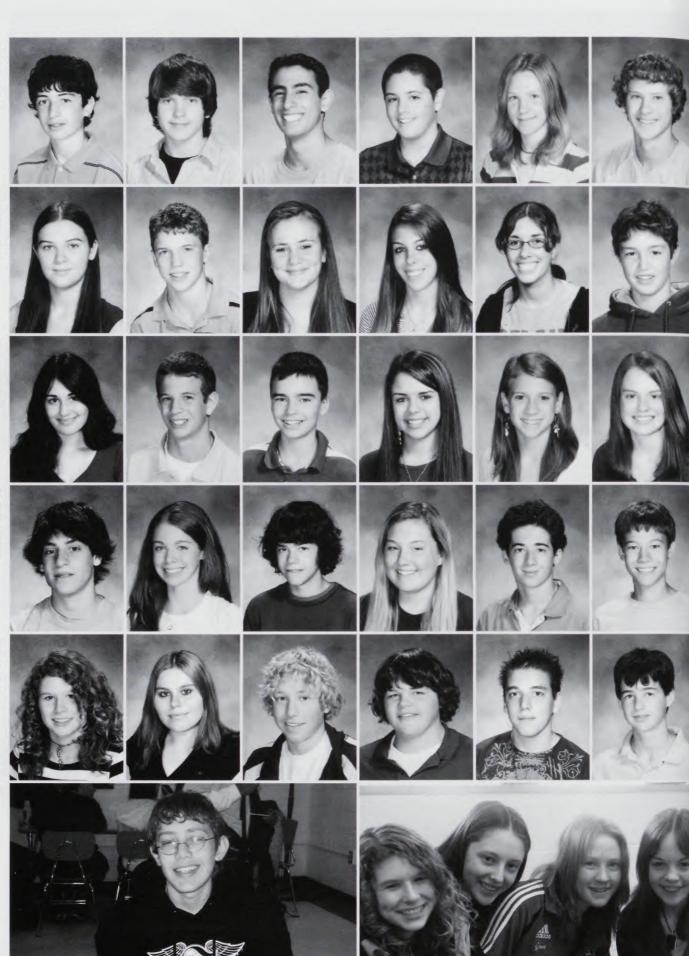
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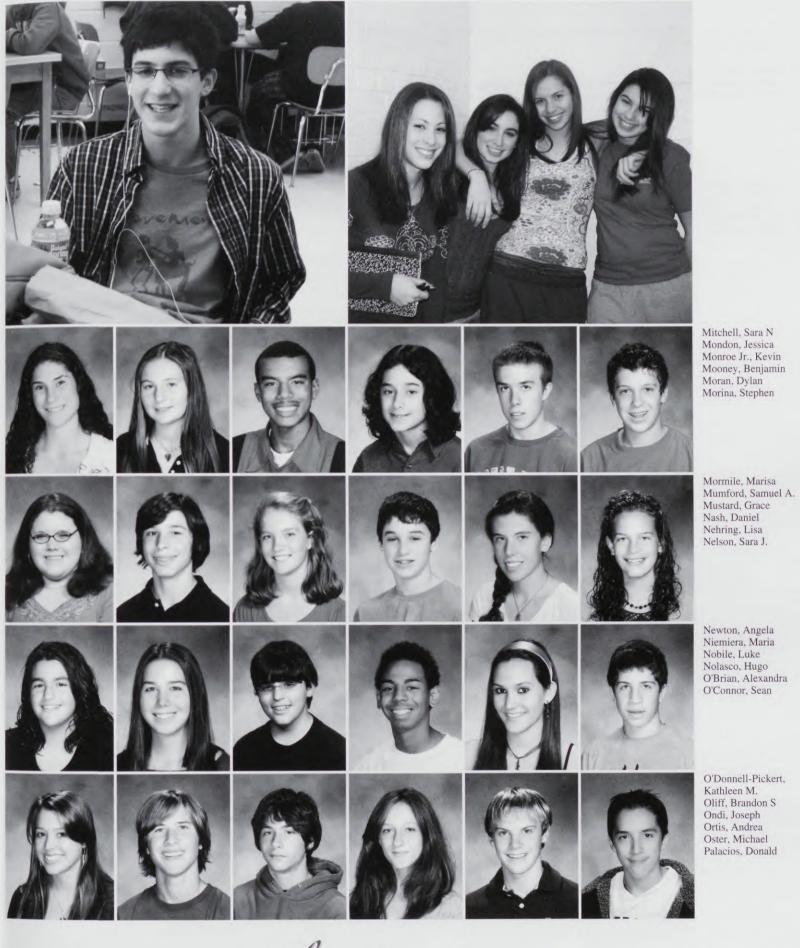
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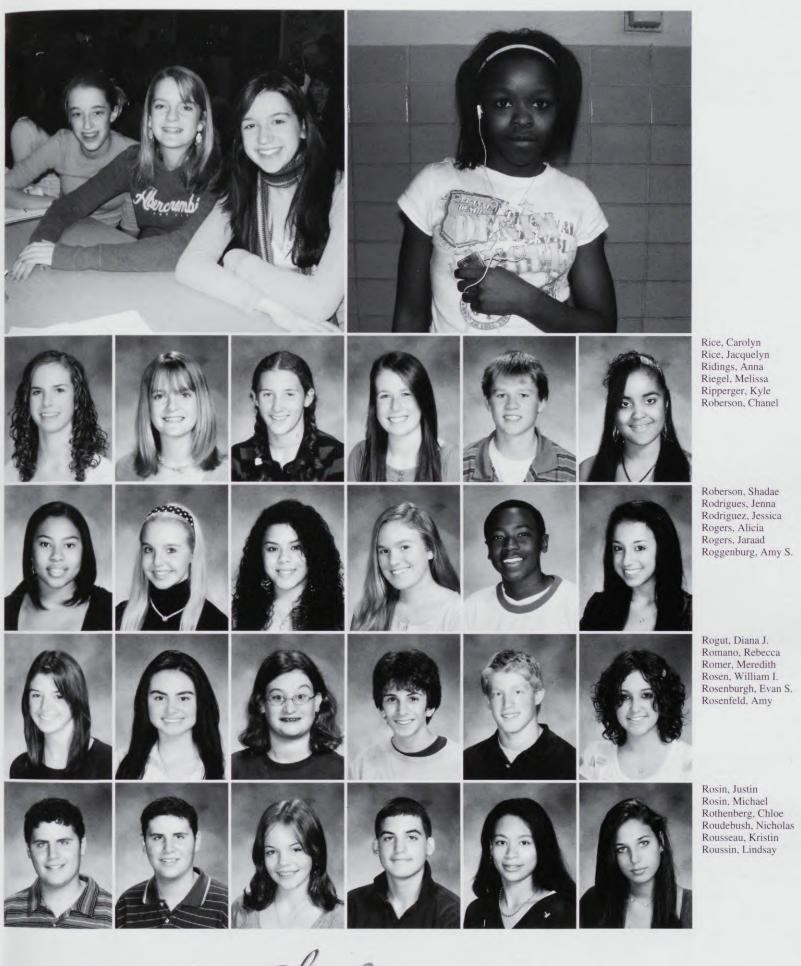
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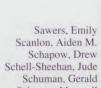


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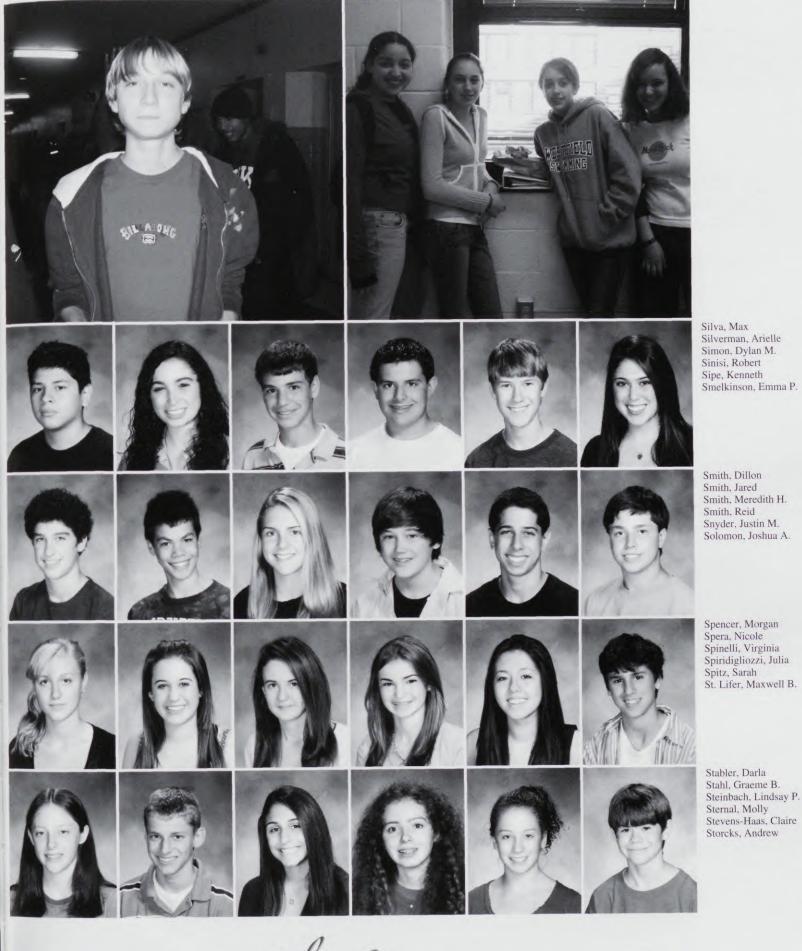


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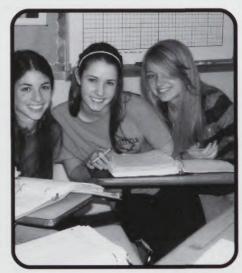
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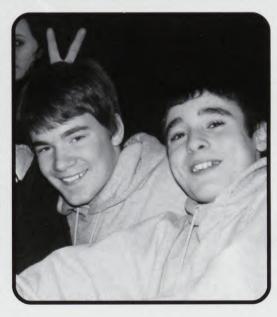












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The primary purpose of school is education, right? Beyond memorizing dates of wars and trigonometric identities, school teaches one how to learn. The facts are arbitrary. What matters is the capability to think logically, evaluate given material and distinctly communicate one's thoughts. By developing our identities as students, we develop who we are as individuals so that, by the end, we can grab society by the scruff of its neck and pull it into the future...

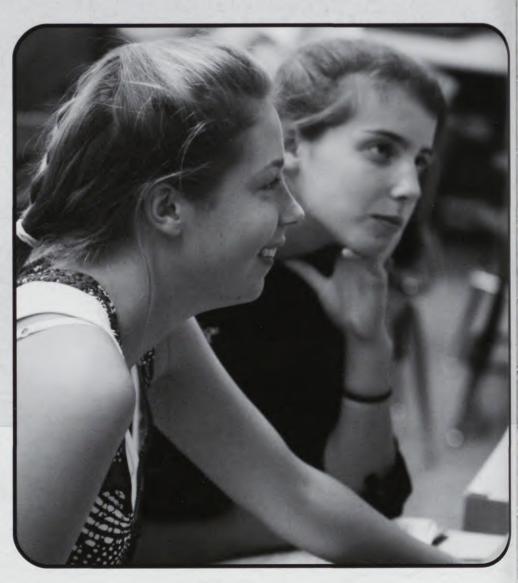
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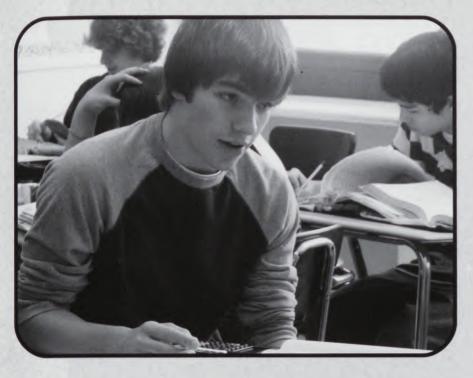
This is the sheer beauty of academia, my friends, and we at WHS revel in it. Students explore infinitudes of disciplines at multiple levels, allowing for personal growth and goal attainment. It's a delightful thing.

Katherine Roberts

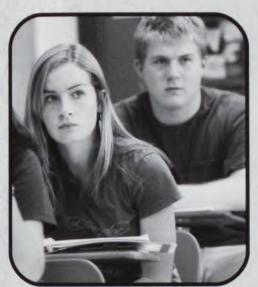


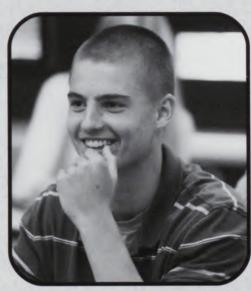


















WHS Project '79



Project '79 is an alternative learning program within WHS. The same material is taught in Project '79 as in mainstream WHS, with students and teachers working closely together to ensure that students get the most out of their high school experiences. Project '79 provides a safe, comfortable place where students support one another in all aspects of learning, including field trips, simulations, weekend retreats and musical or poetic performances at the Project '79 Coffeehouse. While being first and foremost an academic program, Project '79 also helps students to create and explore their identities by offering the support and compassion inherent in a small community.

Dennis Coleman entertains the crowd with the smooth sounds of his saxophone during the Project '79 Coffeehouse.







Above: Gwen Walsh and Scott Warner take a look through the newspaper during homeroom.

Above right: The comedic duo of Diego Baez and Mike Henry hosts the Project '79 Coffeehouse.



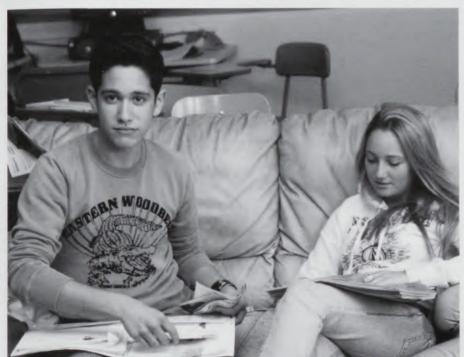
Brett Ettinger takes a break in between classes and relaxes in the Project '79 office.



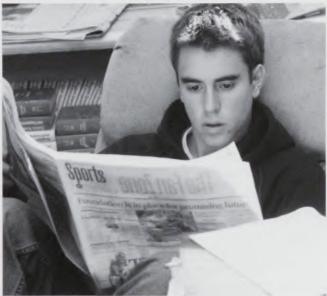
Monda Maliqi, Samantha McKay, and Allie Kehler cheer on their classmates as they perform.

Mr. Lantis, Ms. Muir, Mr. Horn and Mrs. Glynn watch their students perform.





Dan Ramalho is going through an issue of the newspaper before class.



Left: David Panayiotou and Tori Binko do their homework before their next class.

Below: Mr. Tafelski shows off his guitar skills at the Project '79 Coffeehouse.





Derek Wanfried sits comfortably while doing his math homework.

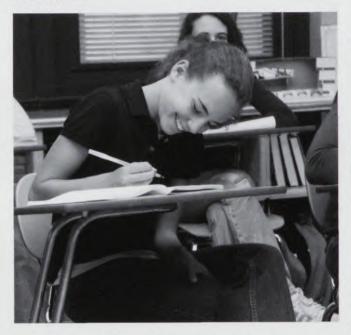


Mark Bucci plays guitar during the Project '79 Coffeehouse.



Malcolm Allen entertains the crowd with his poetry.

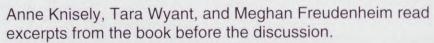
Caraugh Ball is smiling as she works on her reflection.

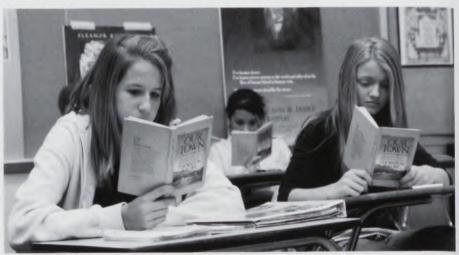


Right: Ms. DiBattista's students work together to create presentations analyzing the story they have just read.

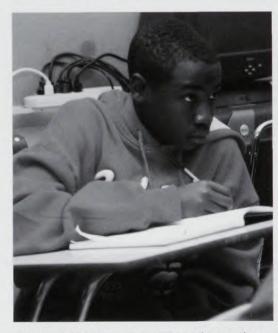
Below: Mr. Hynes explains American Literature to Dan Dickson.











Jaraad Rogers is writing down the 5 C's of style off the board.



Mr. Davies is about to explain today's agenda.

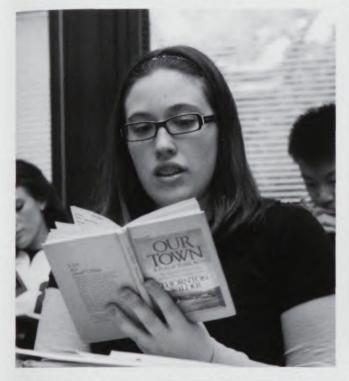


Karen Boyle is finding quotes to prove her point in a debate.

WHS English

iRead

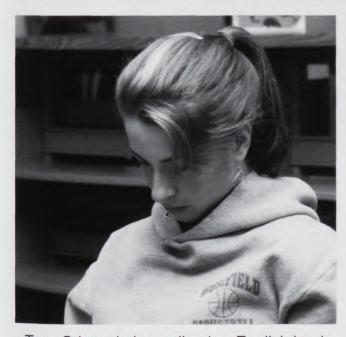
Gaffney Peterson reads out loud to the class.



Nothing says fun quite like stacks of novels and endless amounts of character analysis charts. Whether one is rejoicing in the delight of a good old fashioned work of prose or the endless joy of creating one's own super-intensive research paper, English class is an accumulation of all that is magically entertaining in the world of literature, a manner of expression dedicated to the exploration and illustration of identity. Its very structure requires students to discuss, write about and create their own identities as well as to evaluate those of the characters about whom they read. Otherwise, English class would be just another course required for graduation.







Tara Criscuolo is reading her English book during her off period.



Emily Harris skims through a book she needs for research.

Above left: Students record in their reading logs.

Above right: Laryssa Borkowsky and Ms. DiBattista make sure the final copy is just right.

WHS Science



iHypothesize

It's a magnanimous world out there. Science teaches us a rather nifty way of looking at it. It's not just about playing with unknown substances that may explode at any moment, although that's a major factor. Experiments certainly add adventure to the WHS atmosphere: if something is green and wiggles, it's biology; if it's blowing up, it's chemistry; if it doesn't work, it's physics. The laws and characteristics of the various scientific studies define not only lab experiments, but the entire natural and manmade world. Understanding the universe in which we live is necessary to becoming informed, educated citizens.

Lindsay Brown patiently awaits the instructions for the next lab.







Above: Matt De Masi and Katie Kiefer are anxious to learn some chemistry.

Above right: Jill Schott, Alex Gallego, and Mariel Materek celebrate another sucessful lab with Ms. Brenner.



Leigh Couture confers with a friend about her findings as Christine Clark finishes her write-up.



Matt Amato and Josh Friedman are prepared for anything during their chemistry experiment.

Ross Pohling, Scott Perry, Gabby Jakub, Natalie Morrison, and Katie Kiefer review their notes before a class discussion.





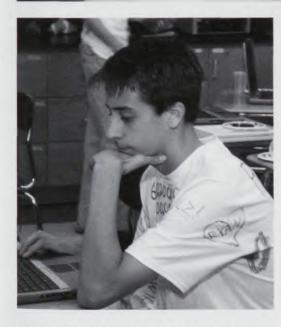
Marlena Sheridan and Katie Morgan record their findings.



Left: A science class, excited about their experiment, looks further to reach a conclusion.

Below: Allie Tunis and Julia Watkins listen carefully as the results of the experiment are discussed.





Ryan Rocha concentrates on his Mole Day activity.



Erika Kettleson knows that safety is important in the Science laboratory.

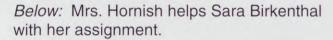


Liz Buchanan and Rachel Rosenberg show off their Mole Day t-shirts as they walk the Science Wing hallway.

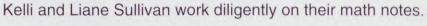
Mr. Jacobsen teaches a lesson enthusiastically, as always.



Right: Carolyn Ortiz-Wood studies the math problems on the chalkboard.





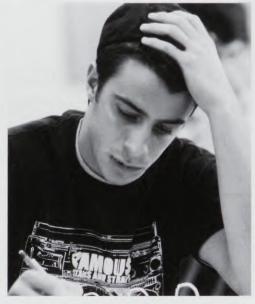








Madeline Joyce takes a break from taking notes.



Chris Engel is in deep concentration during an important test.



Max Scher and Jay Tieman work hard to prepare for their Algebra 2 midterm.

WHS Mathematics



iCalculate

Jacqueline Sull listens carefully for instructions.



From our GPAs to our locker combinations, there are few things the students of WHS love and appreciate more than numbers. And where better to revel in the glory of numbers than math class? With smiles on our faces and pencils in our hands, we enter our math classes determined to once again conquer that elusive world of numbers and arithmetic. We carry our textbooks like badges of honor and brandish our calculators like weapons of truth, and each day we make just a little more progress. It is at times challenging, but an always rewarding struggle, one in which we find only satisfaction and joy.







Amy Behr laughs after her math teacher makes a joke.



Mr. Maruschak answers a good question in his Pre-Calculus Honors class.

Above left: Ms. Marchiano lends a helping hand to Carlene Cyrus as she completes her classwork.

Above right: Mrs. Kaczynski helps Zafaira Lane figure out how to solve the problem.

WHS Social Studies

*i*Explore

As the old adage goes, those who don't learn history are doomed to repeat it. In the classrooms of Westfield High School, one can find students reading about all aspects of history, in many varieties of contexts: social, economic and political. History studies how life progresses, and it's how we learn about both the past and the future. We can gather lessons from the past, from the mistakes and the triumphs made by other individuals and by society, and we develop applications of those lessons to our everyday lives.

History is much more than just facts, figures and dates: history is an exploration of how the world will improve and grow, based on what has already been done, and we can only benefit from learning

AnnMarie Valentin, Will Eisenberg, Hope Skibitsky, Laryssa Borkowsky, and Ali Donahue enjoy class participation.







Above: Amy Behr, Ben Miller, Zach Skolnick, Corrine Parkinson, Julia Valentin, and Bill Geltzeiler look forward to today's history topic.

about it.

Above right: Nicole Vendetti takes a moment off from notetaking to smile for the camera.



Amanda McQuade reviews notes to prepare for the upcoming quiz.



Nick Newman, Dan Santry, Mike Mathews, and Lauren Brunhofer and demonstrate the hard work they put into history class

Mr. Farag gives another entertaining lecture, using the projector to help convey his points.



Ms. Stark leads an involving discussion.



Left: Mike Cappiello, Luke Baran, Andrew Goldman and Aidan Granstrand take a quick break from today's lecture to pose for the camera.



Below: Ben Klofta, Alyssa Porchetta, Chris Kalis, Carlos Baut, Nicole Finkel and Michelle Eniclerico listen to their teacher for instructions on today's assignment.





Franklin Mongiove smiles because there is no better place to be than history.

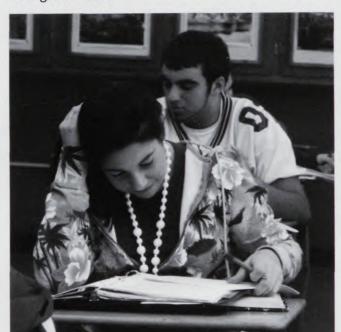


Mr. Ebert explains why humans are so complicated.



Josh David, Suzanne Yavuz, Mike Dibble and Mike Kane taking notes.

Maria Di Iorio and Matt Marcus are reading the given text.



Right: Marissa Mumford and Ashley O'Brian have fun learning a new language.

Below: Leena Meola, Meredith Clark, and Mike Abbattista concentrate on their classwork.



Katherine Meylor, Britta Greene, Kelsi Browning and Andrew Calvaruso are looking at the board.







Crista Ricci and Catherine Marvin are thinking in French.

Mrs. Santilli checks how Kyle Barry is doing with today's work.



Julian Harris takes a break from his work to smile for the camera.

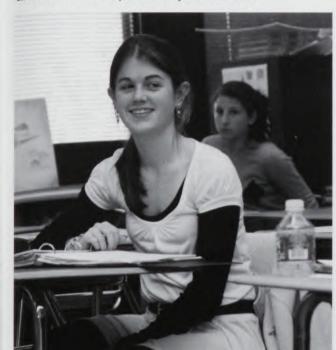
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WHS World Languages

Emily Cozzi smiles because she knows the answer to the question just asked.



iConjugate



Aude sapere! For those who don't understand Latin (which nobody speaks anymore, although it is useful), WHS offers many languages that allow students to describe their lives in other words and sound smart to friends who don't take that language. For sophistication, parle français; for romance, prendi l'italiano; for delicious foods, hablas español; for sounding constantly angry, lernen Sie Deutsch! Learning a language is a way to rediscover one's own identity and understand other cultures, giving students more open perspectives of the world.







Emily Kaplowitz writes the next sentence off the board as an example.



Liz Albright follows along in Italian class.

Above left. Evan Friedman, Katherine Roberts and Lindsay Tishberg are working diligently to finish their French excercise.

Above right. Joe Simone, Mariel Materek, Pam Marks, Mark Fischetti and Jimmy Reardon enjoy class.

WHS P.E. and Health

Whether it's our boundless enthusiasm for changing into sweaty clothes or our ability to turn everything into a contact sport, WHS students make physical education more than just another period in the day. The games we play in the gym and out on the fields go beyond sports, teaching us to value teamwork and fitness. Then there's health class, where we learn body composition, the benefits of a healthy lifestyle, CPR and the Heimlich maneuver, and how to appreciate Lifetime movies. We will remember these lessons long past high school. Except for, maybe, how far one can effectively punt a flour baby.



*i*Exercise

Nicole Rosenberg and Nicole Papadopoulos enjoy their time in phys. ed. class.







Above: Physical Education students await instructions from their teacher.

Above right: Danny Johnson, John Attanasio, and Ojus Patil strike a pose for the camera.

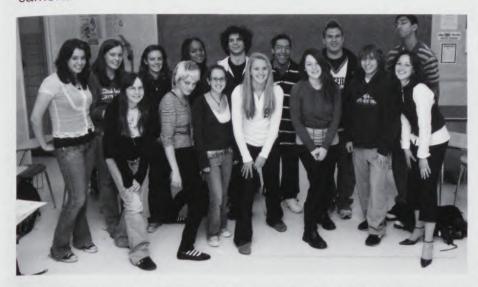


Katie Davidson begins a project in her health class.



Shannon Murray and Lauren Sullivan record their fitness data for the day.

A senior health class takes a break from CPR to smile for the camera.





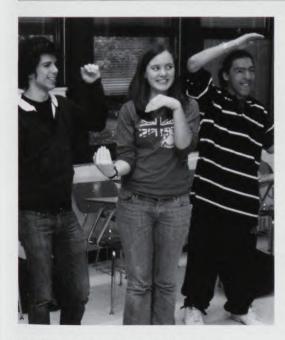
Danny Johnson gets tested on the Heimlich manuever.



Left: George Wharam dribbles around a classmate during a soccer game.

Below: Students listen attentively to their fitness teacher.





Drew Ritter, Jessica Cain, and Glenn Romano participate in their health lesson.

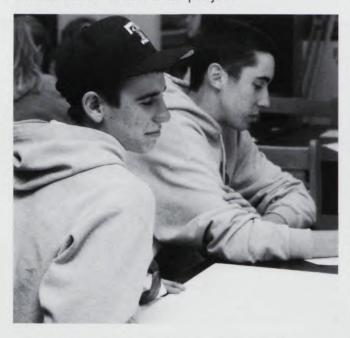


Sam Kaufman takes a look to see which teammate he'll pass the ball to.



Andy Brill makes a great save during his P.E. soccer game.

Danny Selert and Matt Loughlin concentrate on their art project.



Right: Sam Cruz flashes a smile while painting in her art class.

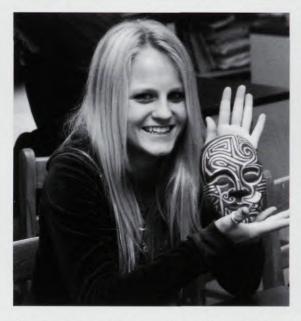
Below: Justin Lo concentrates deeply while putting the final coat of paint on his project.



Samantha Luscombe and James Hooper-Hamersley are very animated during their drama class.



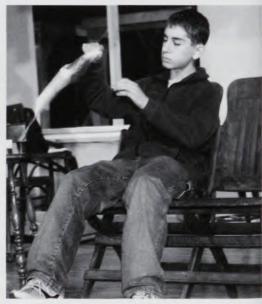




Emily Harris shows off her beautiful work of art.



Ross Pohling is looking for mime change for his scene.



John Berman in character for his drama skit.

WHS Art and Drama



iCreate

Rebecca McQuade uses her art skills on her project.





We at Westfield High School not only appreciate the arts; we excel in them. Be it a scene from a play, a song from a musical or an exquisite oil painting, the arts bring character to the school atmosphere. All these different outlets for self-expression allow our personalities to come out in full force. Through these acts we further define ourselves as individuals: we develop what matters to us and where our talents lie. This is another thing to differ us from the general public, another facet that makes us individuals. We cultivate our talents until they bloom, and when they bloom they become us.





Ethan Hendrix, Nina Godbee, and Sam Roscigno take a break from their drama class.



Nicole Scalera and Julia Conroy listen to music and enjoy time in their art class.

Above left: Emily Gluck is listening to advice Mrs. Aleksandrowicz gives her.

Above right: Enthusiastic students work on their art project.

WHS Music



iCrescendo

Bella Cora girls sing "Light the Legend."

In the basement of the school, set apart from the rest of the classes, something magical takes place. Various students congregate with their respective talents, singing, composing or playing instruments, and they work tirelessly for weeks. The choral and orchestral concerts, filled with various instrumental ensembles and choirs, are truly a thing of beauty. Everyone involved brings something different and new to become one group. The months of hard work, of daily practice both in school and at home, culminate in a few dark nights filled with the magic of music that touches everyone.







Above left: Amanda Chang, Alex Gockel, Liz Fredas, and Lauren Farrell practice their parts for the concert.

Above right: Ben Klofta, Greg Nelson, Patrina Caruana show their talent.



Ms. Reynolds and Mr. Mathews direct the choir.



The orchestra practices their music in preparation for the winter concert.

Left to right: Nathan Margolin, Connor Davis, and Matthew Leonard are warming up.





Kristen Dilzell, Georgia Mierswa, Laura Schwab are getting ready to sing a song.



Mr. Wojcik conducts the orchestra in the band room.

Members of the Bella Cora take a break from singing to smile for the camera.





James Chu playing the piano like a pro.



Ms. Reynolds prepares to lead the Bella Cora.



Emily Kieczykowski, Marlee Austin, Amanda McQuade singing.

WHS Computer

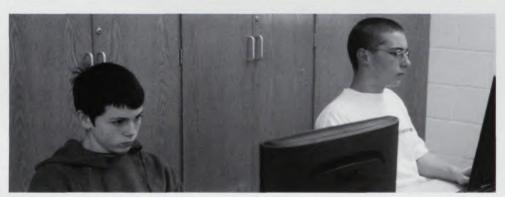


iProgram

Be it for communication, data processing, or word processing, computers are necessities in our fastly globalizing world. As technology improves, they become faster, sleeker and smaller. But have you ever wondered how the little box that sits next to you as you work can be so intelligent and so complicated? It's all down to programming: Java script, CSS, HTML and XML. Complex systems of letters, numbers and strange shapes result in programs that we start up and use without even thinking twice. Computers class teaches students to think twice: to understand and manipulate this powerful artificial intelligence, to successfully operate these programs and to create their own.

Mr. Rutherford is looking through a new program.







Above: Jake Archambault and Matt Wolski work on their projects.

Above right.
Brittany Van
Sickle is
checking her
work.



Drew Margolis explains a new feature to classmate Jake Sussman.



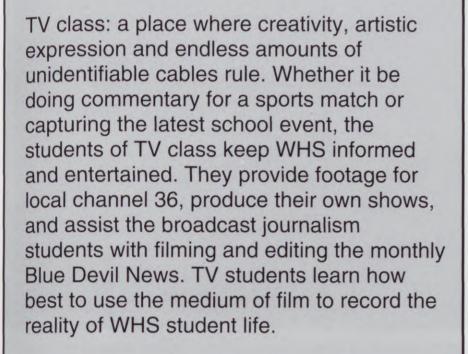
Jamie Wisniewski is looking across the room.

WHS Television



iFilm

Dan Kahaner and Jessica Cohen edit their TV project once filming is complete.











Above left. Martin Safar is glad to finish putting his project on DVD.

Above right. Nikolay Shargorodsky is taking a tri-pod to his next shoot.

Media Coordinator David Kaiserman takes a break.

Dr. Burns adjusts the camera for the upcoming filming session.

WHS Foods



iBake

Oh, the wonderful world of Foods. Some call it a clever way to eat their weight in free food; others call it sheer bliss. As WHS students are all ardent fans of Hot Pockets and that divine creation known as Easy Mac, it is increasingly obvious that we should know a little more about the beauty of culinary art than punching a few numbers on a microwave. Thus we have the magical, exciting and perpetually tasty class known as Foods. We sauté, we stir, we fry, we stir-fry, we put the cake in the oven minutes before the period ends and hope it doesn't explode. The skills we acquire in Foods will last us for a lifetime. After all, we won't be able to rely on college cafeterias for everything.

Ebony Carter and Desiree Miller take a break while they wait for the oven to reach the right temperature.







Above left: Chris Lloyd demonsrates the proper rolling pin technique to Sydney Thomas and Sabrina Walker.

Above right: Jemma Urban and Eric Rachman bring their cooking to their teacher for an evauluation.



"You wash, I'll dry" says Elizabeth Albright to William Foltz.



Melissa Wong, Stephanie Wong and Danielle Sgalardi work together to make their project better.

WHS Woods



iConstruct

Julian Applebaum creates a masterpiece.

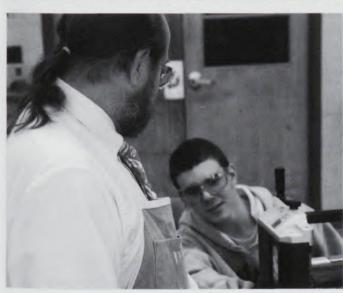


There's nothing like the sweet smell of lacquer in the morning. One of the most hands-on of WHS electives. Woods class revolves around the creation of various projects involving, you guessed it, wood. From the planning stages to the actual execution, students learn not only the practical aspect of the class, but problem-solving skills and creative thinking.

How many times in our adult lives will we need to recite 16th-century poetry or hum Beethoven's 5th? Not very often. But how many times might we repair a faulty shelf or make a coffee table perfectly level? Woods teaches skills applicable even beyond high school.







Above left. Joey Panarese is looking at the pressure of the machine he is working on.

Above right. Mike Clark is checking to see if the wood is smooth enough to use.

Industrial Arts teacher Mr. Hart guides Matt D'Andrea safely through a project.

Joe Maran demonstrates power tool safety.

WHS Hi's Eye



iReport

If you think the Hi's Eye magically appears in homeroom every Friday, you are sorely mistaken. The hardworking print journalism students wade through stacks of reporters' notebooks, ubiquitous page advertisements and almost-friendly reminders of quote attribution to provide WHS with its awardwinning weekly newspaper.

Meanwhile, broadcast journalism students combine their journalistic skill with video cameras to pioneer the production of Blue Devil News, which appears regularly on local channel 36. Both classes are integral to connecting and informing our high school community.

Mr. Walsh takes a glance at working staff.







Above left: Hannah Weisman is typing up her article.

Above right: Lindsay Tishberg and Melissa Souto look through an issue from the archives.



Jenna Skoller and Julie Tiedrich stop their work to pose for the camera.



Claire Albanese is doing reasearch for her next Broadcast journalism project.

Lauren Brunhofer and Laryssa Borkowsky discuss their next article.





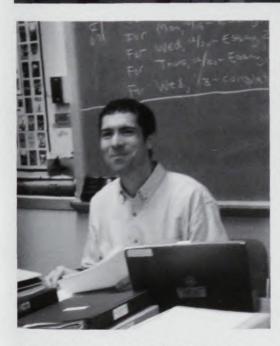
Emily Perry and Ying He sit together to read through the paper.



Left: The staff gathers together to read the paper before distributing it in homeroom.

Below: Elizabeth Harbaugh and Katherine Roberts look through the recent issue of the paper.





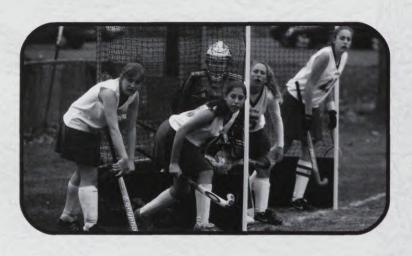
Mr. Hynes stops his teaching to smile for the camera.



Drew Ritter listens intently to the directions for his paper route.



Georgia Mierswa and Lindsey Sauerwein enjoy being on the staff. Academics 157







At WHS, sports are not only afterschool pastimes but cherished, necessary additions to high school life. Student athletes sacrifice hours each week to practice, relentlessly honing their skills. They are endlessly devoted to supporting their teammates while improving individually.

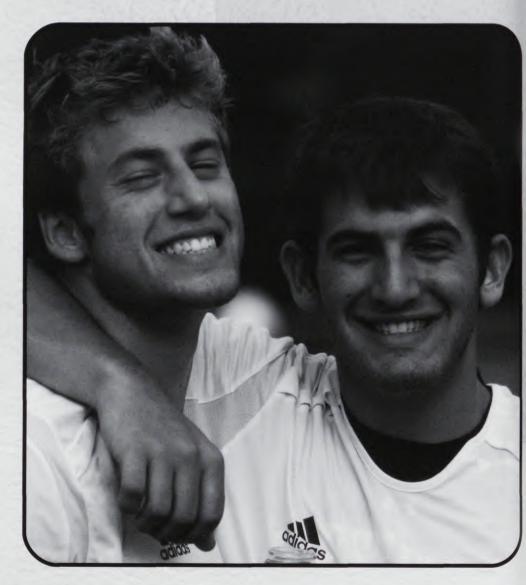
Sports

WHS students see game days as celebrations, another way to display the commitment to excellence that has long been an unquestioned WHS standard. While we may not always win, we are perpetually successful in one sense: we work hard, we try our best and, most importantly, we are together.

Elizabeth Harbaugh





















iLive iLearn iDo iAm iWestfield



Senior Co-captain Gillian Kape



Senior Co-captain Erin McCarthy



Clockwise from above: Catherine Cognetti sets up for a direct kick; Mary Kate Luker aims for an open player with a corner kick; Corrine Parkinson shoots ... and she scores! Julie Shelman dribbles past her opponent and heads for the goal.













Stephanie Cortinhal rise above the opponent and forcefully heads the ball toward the goal.

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Left: Brittany Cortinhal spots a player directly down the sideline. Right: Hannal Wharam and Claire Bennett are excited about the outcome of the first half.

WHS Girls Soccer



iScore

This season was one of the most successful in recent years. We started off with a big win against Top 20-ranked Peddie. That momentum helped us defeat East Brunswick for the first time in 16 years. Our most exciting victory came later in the season, when we defeated rival Scotch Plains. We earned the Union County and Watchung Conference Championships. We finished our season 15-4-1 and are very proud of our accomplishments. All of our success this season would not have been possible without our great teamwork and chemistry. We were always there for each other, on and off the field, and in the end that is what made us such a strong team.

Co-Captains Gillian Kape and Erin McCarthy



The team begins their warm-up routine while the coaches provide them with last minute advice.



Top row: Coach Katherine Wertheimer, Amy Altszuler, Shannon Murray, Jessica Campo, Allison Macdonald, Corrine Parkinson, Arielle Ziering, Claire Bennett

Middle row: Brittany Cortinhal, Tara Handza, Catherine Cognetti, Briana Goncalves, Christina Cognetti, Stephanie Cortinhal, Hannah Wharam

Bottow row: Mary Kate Luker, Julie Shelman, Gillian Kape, Erin McCarthy, Lindsey Sauerwein, Erica Ammermuller, Francesca Welham

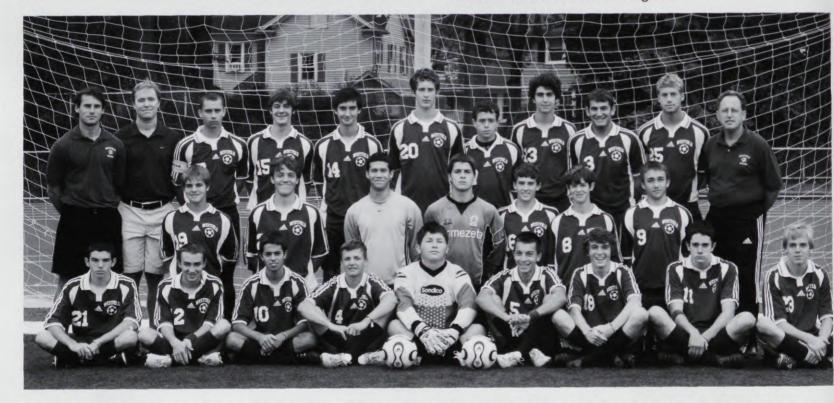
WHS Soccer



Coach George Kapner and Captains Chris Mattes and Nick Barba led the 2006 Varsity Boys Soccer Team to a record of 13-7-2. Although the season started off rocky, the team was able to follow seven winless games with eight straight wins, five of which were shutouts. After a victory over undefeated Union, the Blue Devils landed a spot in the semi-final rounds of the Union County and North II Group IV sectional tournaments. Chris Mattes, Kevin Hennessey, Nick Barba, Tom Parkinson and Jon Ramalho were named 1st team All-Union County. Mike Irving was named 2nd team All-Union County, and Andy Brill, Vincent Clark and Roberto Olivares were named All-Union County.

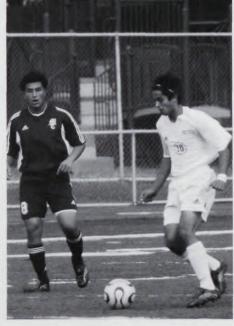


Tom Parkinson breaks away from the opposing defense and heads for the goal.



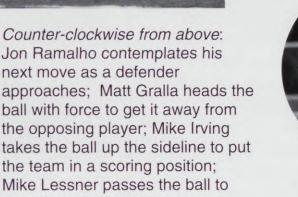
Top row: Alex Schmidt, Chris Partelow, Nick Barba, Todd Saunders, Akis Evangelidis, Brian Nelson, Jon Helfand, Matt Gralla, Daniel Strauss, Chris Mattes, Coach Kapner *Middle row*: Bryan Knapp, Chris Franks, Mike Lessner, Greg O'Brien, Mike Irving, Patrick Tresnan, Vincent Clark *Bottom row*: Kevin Hennessey, Ricky Passananti, Jonathan Ramalho, Stephen Heine, Anthony Alvernes, Roberto Olivares, James McManus, Andrew Brill, Tom Parkinson.







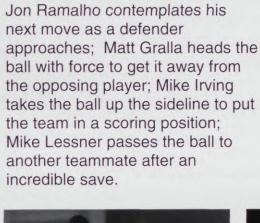
Nick Barba





Senior Co-Captain **Chris Mattes**









Coach Kapner energizes the team before the second half.







Left. Stephen Heine steals the ball from the offense. Right. Andy Brill passes the ball to Vincent Clark as a defender approaches from behind.

WHS Girls Tennis



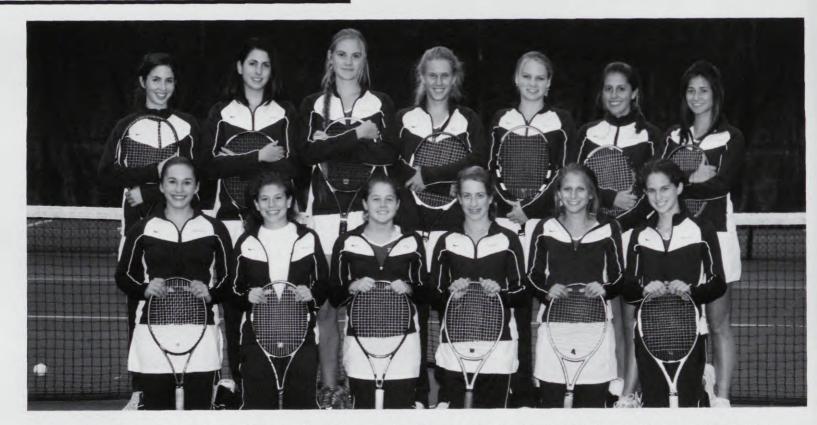
iServe

We started the season as State Group IV champions and worked our way to Counties. That was our US Open with shouting spectators, a burning car and fire engines. We captured the Union County Championship, moved to States, and won the Watchung Conference National Division. Thanks to every player for cheering and dedicating herself to becoming a better competitor, as well as to Coaches Tirone and Cabrales. Next year's team, good luck and have fun! And remember Wedding Crashers' Rule #76: No excuses! Play like a champion.

> Tri-Captains Nikki Reich, Lane Maloney and Lindsay Goldberg



Seniors Kate Kovalenko, Nicole Reich, Lindsay Goldberg and Lane Maloney



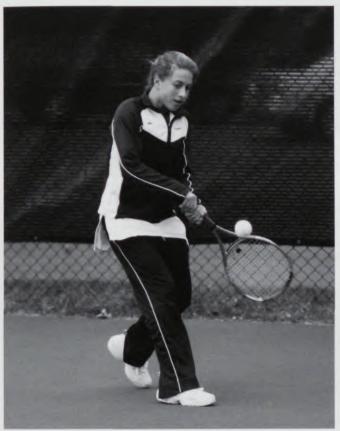
Top row: Lindsay Ryan, Amy Weiss, Kate Kovalenko, Nicole Reich, Lauren Sullivan, Kimberly Morawski, Lane Maloney *Bottom row*: Alannah Suchomel, Amanda Simmons, Alexandra Annis, Tara Criscuolo, Lindsay Goldberg, Hannah Weisman

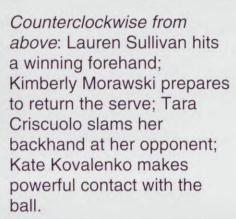






Senior Tri-Captain Nicole Reich







Senior Tri-Captain Lindsay Goldberg





Senior Tri-Captain Lane Maloney







Left: Alannah Suchomel waits for the balls arrival. Right: Nicole Reich swings her raquet foward to return a powerful forehand.

WHS Football

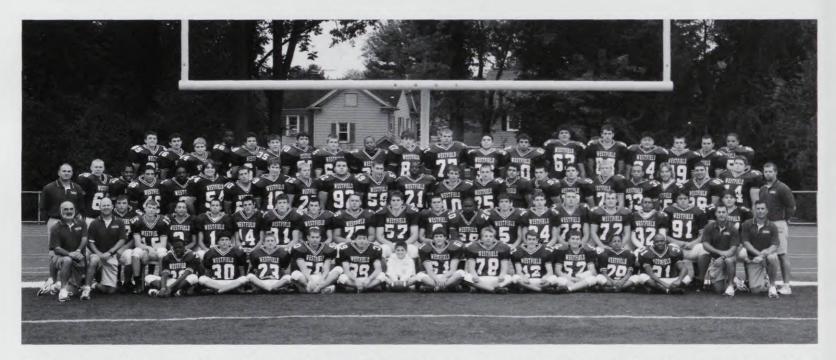


iDrive

Improving the team record from 1-9 in 2005 to 6-4 in 2006, the football team achieved some wins that eluded them in the past three seasons, including over Cranford, Scotch Plains and Plainfield. The team capped off a great season by winning four conference games. The win over Scotch Plains was the highlight of the season: the boys dazzled a crowd of 3000 people with a come-from-behind win in the fourth quarter. Senior Tom Bonard saved the day with a touchdown in the last 41 seconds of the game for a final score of 28-21. It was teamwork that led to this remarkable success.



Mark Boyd fakes the hand-off and fires a pass down the field.



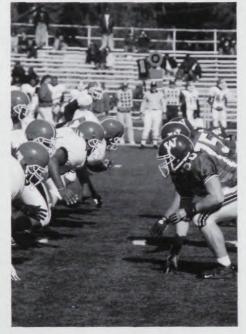
1st row: Jawaad Ali, Thomas Maxwell, Brett DeFazio, Josh Firestone, Henry Kwok, Michael Ionta, Andrew Wenta, Ryan Gradel, Matt Scharpf, Eric Rachman, Nick DeFreitas, Ricardo Johnson

2nd row: Coach Avena, Coach Kehler, Joe Schurig, Mark Boyd, Tom Bonard, Joe Simone, Pete Antonelli, C.J. Patella, Peter Cornell, Santo Nardi, Will Harbaugh, Ryan Yarusi, Tyrell Simmons, John Meagher, Sean Ferro, Matt Ince, Dan Johnson, Michael Henry, Sam Crawford, J.T. Sheehan, Coach Duelks, Coach Miller

3rd row: Coach DeSarno, Matt MacVicar, Adam Bergo, Ricky Ruhl, Emanuel Mills, Ryan Scanlon, John Dugan, John Wilt, Ryan Brand, Donny Martinez, John Di Iorio, Eddie Simmons, Danny Selert, Charlie Read, Joe Vall-Llobera, Scott Newman, Patrick Stanley, Michael Wikander, Malcolm Allen, Josh Gribbin, Alex Falk, Thomas Wansaw, Coach Hancock

4th row: Craig Dyer, Tony Di Iorio, Daniel Ludlum, Jihaad Billups, Alan Workman, T.J. Mruz, Matthew Stroup, Colin Barner, Derek Grier, Chris Sheehan, Eric Moran, Mike Clark, Matthew Marcus, Charles Solan, Kyle Wright, Joe Yoo, James Reardon, Chris Rhodes, Carlos Purnell



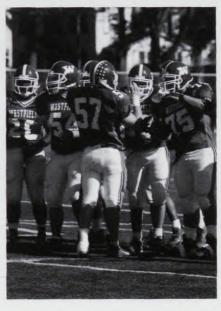




Counterclockwise from above:
The offensive line gets ready to open a hole for the running back.
Ryan Yarusi dives for the opponent to open a hole for the running back. Ricardo Johnson looks for an open teammate.
Malcolm Allen is running for the touchdown.







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Senior Co-captain Will Harbaugh



Senior Co-captain Ryan Yarusi



The team celebrates after scoring a touchdown.



Left: Tommy Bonard is running with the ball as he blocks the opponent's player. Right: The defense gathers in a huddle as Will Harbaugh relays the next play.

WHS Marching Band



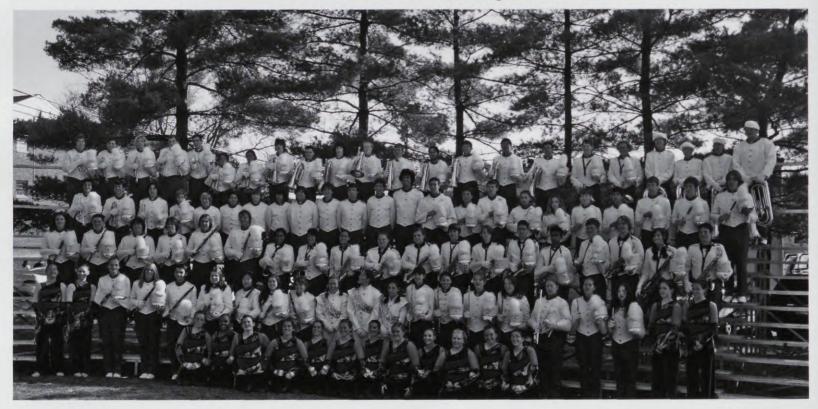
iParade

Marching Band is more than just an activity: it is a lifestyle. In the hallways of WHS, one can identify band members by the way we roll our feet and are always in step with whomever we are walking. Marching Band has left the realm of extracurricular activities and infused itself into the daily lives of all the members. This year, the band lived up to its potential through its three first-place wins, as well as receiving honors for Best Guard in States and All-States. Of course, it would not have been possible without the individual efforts of all our members. We are very fortunate to be a part of such a wonderful experience.

Stephanie Musat, Senior Drum Major



The color guard leads the band onto the field in preparation for their halftime show at a WHS football game.



The 97 members of the WHS Marching Band, musicians and color guard, assemble for a group photo.







Counter-clockwise from above: Alexandria Hurtt dances in rhythm with the music. Lia Fagan sways to the music...while playing! The band lines up to play to the crowd. The percussion section plays the bells.





Senior Drum Major Stephanie Musat



Senior Matt Renart plays his trumpet solo.



Melissa Gallagher concentrates on her flag routine.



Left: Cara Paulan shows her swordsmanship - the color guard works with more than just flags. Right: Ben Mason keeps the beat on the quads.

WHS Cheerleading



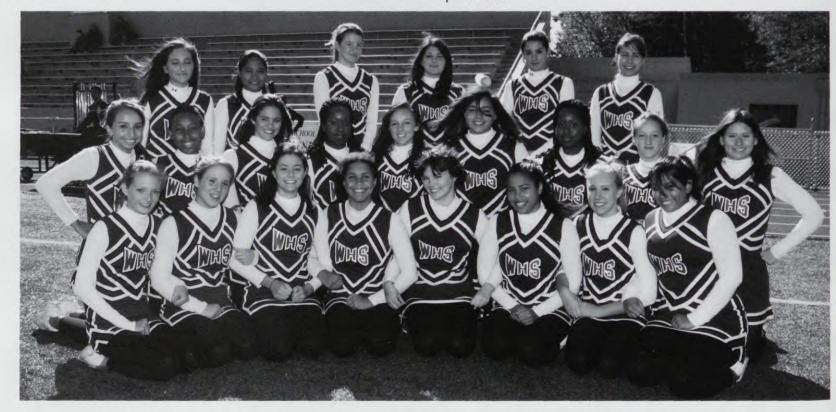
iCheer

Dedication, teamwork and enthusiasm held the cheerleading squad together this year as each girl worked extremely hard this season providing the ability to create new stunts we never thought were possible. As at team we accomplished four freestanding liberties, three basket tosses, two arabesques, one heel stretch and a back tuck basket. This year, we formed a competition squad that brought home two second-place trophies. Lara Crifo and Michelle Belz are outstanding coaches, and we greatly appreciate the support Mr. Fyffe and Mrs. Carrion gave us: we would not be where we are today without them. The friendships created between the girls are ones we will never lose or forget.

Tri-Captains Alyssa Lund, Allison Johnson and Caitlin Ferraro



Seniors Alyssa Lund, Allison Johnson, Gabbie Barnes, and Kayley Graham gather together before practice.



Top row: Gabbie Van Ness, Queenie Villa, Jennifer Sgalardi, Grace Thomas, Gabby LaRosa, Ashley Bambo Middle row: Breanna Marin, Jocelyn Tiller, Rachel Rosenberg, Danielle Gillyard, Brandi Alvarez, Alia Lundy, Dominique Gillyard, Andrea Ortis, Victoria Martinez Bottom row: Ashley Freudenheim, Caitlin Ferraro, Alyssa Lund, Allison Johnson, Kayley Graham, Gabbie Barnes, Ryan Ferro, Amanda Marin







Counter-clockwise from above: Dominique Gillyard roots for our team; the Lady Blue Devils perform one of their excellent stunts; the team practicing stunts for Homecoming.







Left: Ryan Ferro and Ashley Freudenheim are doing stunts during practice. Right: Kayley Graham does her cheer while watching the team.



Senior Co-captain Caitlin Ferraro



Senior Co-captain Allison Johnson



Senior Co-captain Alyssa Lund



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WHS Cross Country



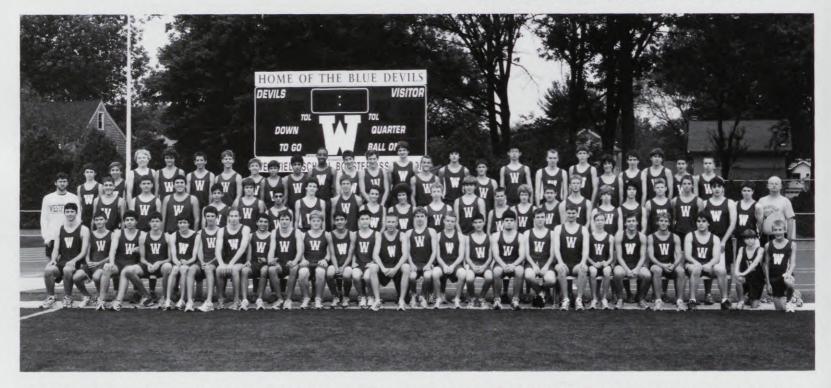
iRun

Cross country is one of WHS' strongest, most successful programs and the Blue Devils had one of the biggest teams in the state. Times dropped dramatically at every meet. The girls came out of the season with an undefeated dual meet record, including an exciting win over Scotch Plains, while the boys had an undefeated season.

Cross country races may only last 20 minutes or so, but the memories of psych parties, toilet papering and spending time with one another will last a lifetime.



Liz Shannon giving her all during a race.



Top Row: Dan Nash, Andrew Marra, Todd Souders, Thomas Adriaens, Ross Tucker, Dan Morse, Dave Babetski, Alex Powell, Robert Angus, Gerard Pierre, Andrew Calvaruso, Brendan Berkowitz, Andrew Cantor, Craig Cognetti, Josh Einbinder, James Hughes, Tianyou Xu, Tom Hogaboom, Mike Fietkiewicz, Adam Gottdiener, Eric Hagstrom, Connor Shields, Phil Russo, Ryan Scrudato *Middle Row:* Coach Tafelski, Gordon Arnold, Chris Miller, Dan Dickstein, Benny Maimon, Julian Applebaum, Jon Chironna, Ian Devaney, Luke Granstrand, Sean Kilcullem, Ben Fine, Vince Fitzpatrick, Mark Reimlinger, Jared Smith, Chris Dunstan, Connor Hewett, Alex Tarlow, Neil Fitzpatrick, Evan Friedman, Dave Hyslip, Gus Gibbons, Ben Flast, Dennis Elwell, Coach Martin *Bottom Row:* Alex Forstenhausler, Alex Mucci, Bennett Scorcia, Logan Knisely, Tim Horan, Kevin O'Rourke, Josh Friedman, Josh Bornstein, Scott Cantor, Eric Brandman, Peter Rucinsky, Theo Chou, Stephan Kielar, Brian Checchio, Brian Davidson, Nathaniel Roquet, Connor Davis, Joe Penczak, Keith Moran, Phil Micele, Brent Souders, Ryan Salmon, Drew Storcks, Chris Salemme





Claire Fox sprinting during practice.

Jon Chironna getting in the winning frame of mind.



Top Row: Colleen Cleary, Katie Kiefer, Jen Weidman, Abby Ryan, Annie Re, Corey Wisler, Ali Lowenstein, Kim Legones, Jen Danielsson, Ayn Wisler, Samantha Kaufman, Bena Reiter *Middle Row*: Coach Thomas Hornish, Shannon Stone, Sara Birkenthal, Claire Fox, Rachel Newberg, Beth Budnick, Alena Fleming, Hanna Berman, Kim Angus, Rose Driscoll, Jackie Snyder, Christina Obiajulu, Tessa Scaaf, Meg Buttrick, Caitlin Burke, Krista Ricci, Josie Reinhardt, Marissa Mumford, Nicole DiBenedetto, Sophie Greene, Emily Goodman, Marie Di Iorio, Elaheh Nozari, Coach Jen Buccino *Bottom Row*: Lindsay Tishberg, Katie Taylor, Kelsi Browning, Marlee Austin, Arielle Wegbreit, Marissa Goldner, Liz McCarthy, Chelsea Bryk, Caitlin Hewett, Carolyn Dyer, Alexis Constantine, Moira Smith, Bridget Grogan, Aileen Grogan, Daryl Garfinkel, Nina Brownstone, Liz Kamel, Katie Ramire, Caraugh Ball, Erika Kettleson





Senior Co-captain Leigh Weissman



Colleen Psomas runs down the field in pursuit of the ball.



Senior Co-captain Maureen Hughes

Clockwise from above: Chrissy Isabella is ready to start the game; the girls run off the field after a great play; Alyson Guerriero goes for a goal; Natalia Mavrogiannis protects the goal.











Left: Amanda McQuade gets ready to pass the ball to a teammate. Right: Leigh Weissman stretches for the ball.

WHS Field Hockey



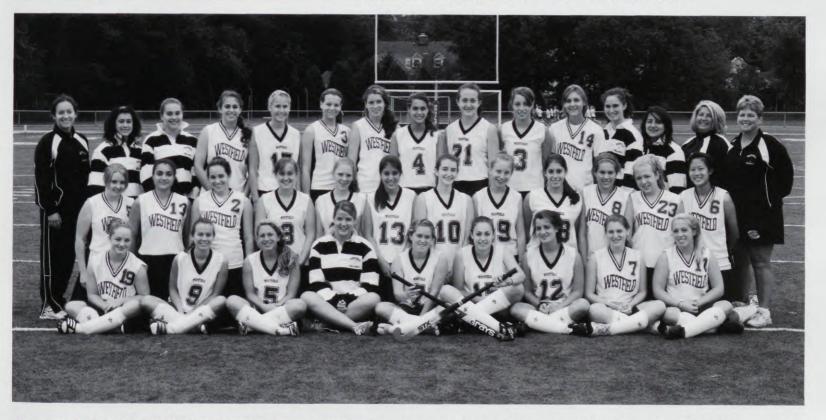
iScoop

This was a season to remember, filled with hard work, triumph and fun. We started the season with a bang, challenging teams like Cranford and Kent Place, and even beating rival ALJ. As a team, we bonded on and off the field, which made the season even more enjoyable. Long-time coaches McFadden and Carp retired this year. They inspired us to prove our abilities to our competitors, our fans and ourselves. We wish the team the best of luck next year!

Captains Maureen Hughes, Katherine Taylor and Leigh Weissman



Kaitlin Fleck steals the ball from the other team.



Top row: JV Coach Molly Phelan, Melinda Jimenez, Natalia Mavrogiannis, Danielle Bercovicz, Kristen Koepfler, Katie Galasso, Julia Murphy, Kristina Cofone, Colleen Psomas, Emily Kieczykowski, Taylor Murtishaw, Deborah Siegel, Maresa Hughes, Varsity Assistant Nancy Babbitt, Coach Maggie McFadden

Middle row: Julia Watkins, Alexandra Pecora, Danielle Zamarelli, Amanda McQuade, Kimberly Pulliam, Ioanna Protogiannis, Agustina Healy, Britta Greene, Jennifer Brotman, Amanda Lojo, Jillian Schott, Kelsey Lee

Bottom row: Julia Conroy, Kaitlin Fleck, Alyson Guerriero, Katherine Taylor, Maureen Hughes, Leigh Weissman, Chrissy Isabella, Claire Harris, Jemma Urban

WHS Volleyball

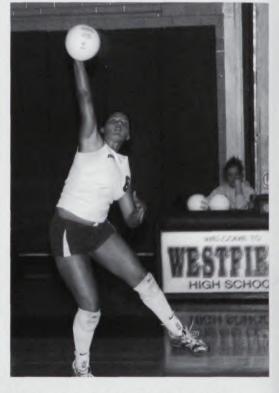


iSpike

The 2006 volleyball season was nothing short of fabulous. As a team, we finished first in the Livingston Tournament, clinched the Watchung Conference and won the county title, proving our genuine passion for the game. We endured grueling practices, incredible wins and heart-breaking losses, all resulting in a team that was destined for success. Together, we earned not only titles and trophies, but friendships and laughs.

With five starting seniors the expectations were high, and the team fulfilled them with fervor, dedication, and a strong desire to win. While competing against some of the best teams, we reached 6th in the state, laughed until we cried and had one of the greatest volleyball seasons of our lives. Through volleyball, we learned to work hard, to win gracefully, and on rare occasions, to lose with dignity. And all the while you could hear us say, "Ha, you wish you were on Westfield's team."

Co-Captains Tara Daly and Anna Koehler



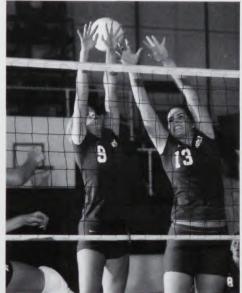
Above: Erin Roudebush makes contact with the ball for a game winning point.



Top row: Coach Beverly Torok, Gabby Jakub, Diana Venezia, Paige Roudebush, Caroline Fallon, Katherine Payne *Middle row:* Kristen Dilzell, Molly Williams, Anna Koehler, Tara Daly, Erin Roudebush *Bottom row:* Lauren Brunhofer, Olympia Gaglioti, Laryssa Borkowsky, Cyndil Matthew







Counter-clockwise from above: Molly Williams and Paige Roudebush block the ball to win the rally; Kristen Dilzell blocks the ball winning the point for Westfield; WHS Volleyball seniors Kristen Dilzell, Molly Williams, Anna Koehler, Tara Daly, and Erin Roudebush; Caroline Fallon digs the ball to set up another play.



Senior Co-captain Tara Daly



Senior Co-captain Anna Koehler

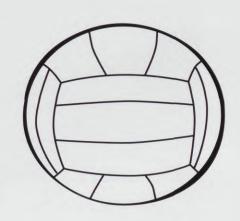




Coach Torok gives her team a pep talk before the big game.







Left: The girls huddle before the game starts to discuss last minute plays. Right. Molly Williams sets up the outside hitter for an assist.

WHS Gymnastics



As co-captains of the undefeated Varsity gymnastics team, we are proud to have had such a fun and successful season. Bringing back the title of Union County champions led us to the even greater accomplishment of winning sectionals. Not only that, but our team placed seventh in states and we were named the Star-Ledger team of the year! This accomplishment was phenomenal, but it would not have been nearly as great of a season were it not for the positive attitude each gymnast brought into the gym every day. Though we are sad to leave such a great team, we are confident that the team will only grow, both in skill and in personality, if that's even possible because everyone is already so amazing both inside and outside of the gym.

Co-captains Claire Macdonald and Jenna Skoller



Natalie Golikov does a one-handed hand stand on the balance beam with her legs in a straddle position.



Top row: Catherine Cordeiro, Claire Macdonald, Jenna Skoller, Liz Falzon; *Middle row:* Coach Melissa Bryan, Natalie Golikov, Julia Valentin, Kristina Chabrier, Kelsey Greenfield, Gillian McGovern; *Bottom row:* Claire Stevens-Haas, Jamie Bornstein, Allie Barba, Jenna Rodrigues, and Lacy Cummings.









Senior Co-captain Claire Macdonald



Senior Co-captain Jenna Skoller



Counterclockwise from above: Senior Elizabeth Falzon does a cast handstand preparing for her giants; Jenna Rodrigues stretches out in a handstand on the high bar; Kelsey Greenfield does an attitude on the balance beam; Kristina Chabrier is doing a back tuck in mid-air.





Above: Claire Macdonald gracefully jumps during her balance beam routine.







Left to right: Julia Valentin stops to pose in the middle of her beam routine; Lacy Cummings does a pike jump in the air.

WHS Bowling

The WHS bowling team continued its strong tradition through the 2006-2007 season. With the advantage of not having lost any seniors, the entire team returned and developed into a stronger and more talented group. The whole year we competed against the top 20 teams in tournaments and matches, and continued to improve upon our skills. The team finished with a 27-1 record, giving us the crown of conference champions. We went on to win the county tournament in which we placed third last year. We returned as sectional champions for the second year in a row and remained at the top of our game. The final achievement came in the state finals, where we placed second in group four losing only to Cherry Hill East by 23 pins. Due to added contributions from every member of the team, never giving up, and giving 100% every day, we reached our highest potential and had one of the best years ever.

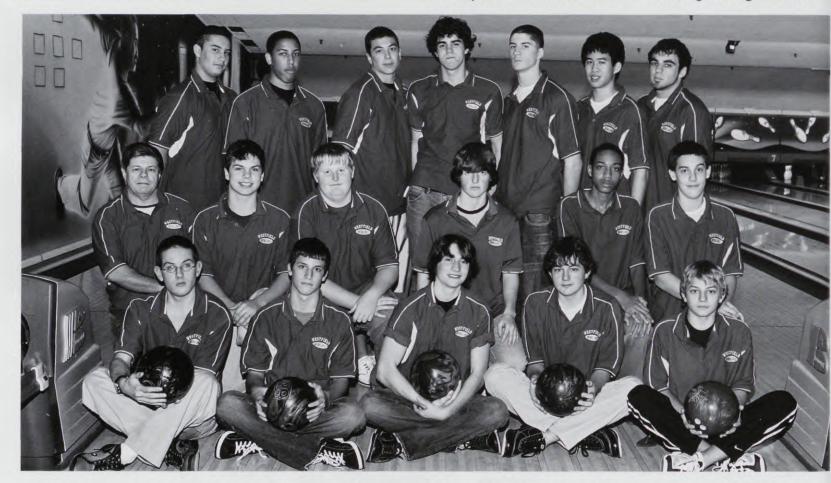
Co-captains Harrison Mercado and Bryan Elsasser



iStrike



Bryan Elsasser focuses on making the right throw.



Top row: Arley Rojas, Matt Pogue, Harrison Mercado, Eric Curialle, Bryan Elsasser, Trevor Yee, Matt Marcus; Middle row: Coach Tirone, Jesse Embry, Brian Dunn, Kevin Murphy, Justin Frasier-Wright, Matt Catenacci; Bottom row: Alex Wronski, Danny Liebowitz, Brett Ettinger, Pat Clancy, Kevin Clancy.







Counterclockwise from above: Alex Wronski releases the ball looking to pick up a spare; Dan Liebowitz puts an excellent spin on the ball; Eric Curialle focuses on the pins, hoping for another strike; Pat Clancy practices before a big match.

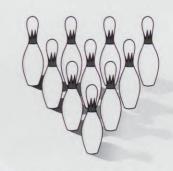


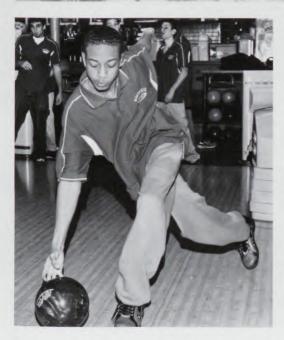


Senior Co-captain Harrison Mercado

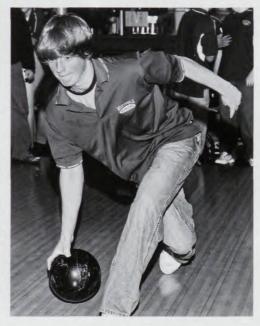


Senior Co-captain Bryan Elsasser









Left to right: Justin Frasier-Wright postions the ball to tackle the split and pick up a spare; Brett Ettinger concentrates on his form; Kevin Murphy bowls with force.

WHS Girls Swimming

iDive

Our season proved to be a very successful one. with tough meets and numerous victories. The large team came together and succeeded under the excellent leadership of Coach Ruszala. Every swimmer on the team constantly contributed in and out of the water, and truly exemplified the Westfield Swimming spirit. Coach Ruszala's final season ended with many long-standing records being broken, and countless top-times from every swimmer. At the end of the season, our team reached its ultimate goal of winning the State Championship through our perseverance, depth and spirit. The team looks forward to continuing the competitive Westfield Swimming tradition next year. We would like to thank the swimmers and Ms. Ruszala for an unforgettable last year with the team!

Co-captains Caitlyn Oster, Julia Cederroth, Katie Morgan and Brittany Reyes



Above: The seniors of the team pose for a group picture.



Top row: Manager Melinda Jimenez, Kate Heffernan, Cathryn Winchester, Alice Li, Lauren Sullivan, Alexi Kuska, Julia Cederroth, Anne O'Neill, Catherine MaGuire, Kylie Fraser, Stephanie Albright, Coach Jaime Ruszala; Third row: Meredith Smith, Elaine Anderson, Suzanne Lemberg, Beth Budnick, Abby Ryan, Michelle Ball, Bridget Grogan, Meg Boersig, Lindsay Anderson, Lauren Hughes; Second row: Melissa Crosta, Darrell Ann Smith, Elizabeth Hawkins, Jill Kandigian, Kyle Higgins, Katie Morgan, Lauren McCurdy, Emily Budnick, Kelsey Wilson, Alexis Constantine; Front row: Brittany Reyes, Caitlyn Oster, Nicole Rosenberg, Emily Bregman, Nicole DiBenedetto, Leslie Holt, Ilene Goodman.







Senior Co-captain Caitlyn Oster



Clockwise from above:
Girls cheer on their fellow teammates; Kelsey
Wilson takes a breath;
Catherine MaGuire is about to finish her laps;
The team huddles in the water before the next match.







Senior Co-captain Julia Cederroth







Senior Co-captain Katie Morgan

Left to right: Alexi Kuska is paying careful attention to her coach's advice; Suzanne Lemberg takes a break to smile for the camera.

WHS Boys Swimming

iSprint

The 2006-2007 swim season was one for the record books. The season was full of highs, from the very first meet when the Hydrodudes beat powerhouse Mountain Lakes by a margin of six points. From there, the team went on to swim arguably the toughest schedule in the state with victories over teams such as Hillsborough and perennial rival Bridgewater-Raritan. In February, the Hydrodudes won their 53rd Union County Title in the meet's 56-year history. That got the ball rolling for the state tournament where the team advanced to the State Championship against Cherry Hill West. Though it lost the meet (which came down to the final relay), the team finished the season with an unforgettable performance, earning the boys the number two spot on WHS' all-time power point list. The Hydrodudes finished with a record of 11-6, a County Title, Sectional Title, and a trip to the State Championship.

Co-Captains Luke Baran, Phil Anton, Colin Sullivan and PJ Harley



Ryan Gradel, Chris Joyce, Luke Granstrand, Josh David, Adam Metz, and Mike Rediker are cheering for their teammates during a competition.



Top row: Matt Green, Chris De La Fuente, Jake Lang, Chris Joyce, Matt Gelmetti, John Trimble, PJ Harley, Luke Granstrand, Phil Anton, Jon Holt; Top middle row: Coach Bruce Johnson, John Taylor, Brian Corea, Matt Meserole, Greg Blanton, Adam Metz, Pat Fringer, Colin Sullivan, Matt Haddad, Coach Jeff Knight; Bottom middle row: Justin Lo, Mike Kane, James Kazazis, Mike Oster, Rich Polini, Matt Morgan, Evan Paulan, Rob Whitehead; Bottom row: Luke Baran, Mike Rediker, Max Blum, Matt Blutfield, Andrew Cordeiro, Trent Gabriel, Ryan Gradel







Senior Co-captain Luke Baran



Counterclockwise from above: Phil Anton passes his opponents during the 100-yard breakstroke; Matt Morgan comes up for air; Rob Whitehead, Justin Lo, and Matt Blutfield root their teammates on; Matt Meserole takes a break between laps.



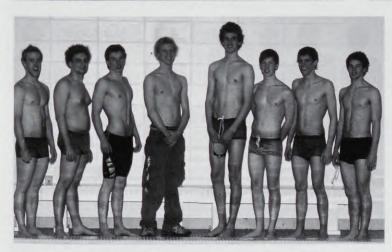


Senior Co-captain PJ Harley





Senior Co-captain Phil Anton





Senior Co-captain Colin Sullivan

Left to right: Seniors Luke Baran, Brian Corea, Greg Blanton, PJ Harley, Jack Trimble, Rob Whitehead, Phil Anton, and Colin Sullivan line up before their next race; PJ Harley shows off his freestyle.



Senior Co-captain Casey El Koury



Senior Co-captain Katie Cronen



Junior Co-captain Erin Miller





Clockwise from above: Tara Handza weaves through her opponents and finds a open space; Erin Miller has her eye on the basket ready to score; Diana Venezia passes the ball to an open teammate; Gabrielle O'Leary notices that she is open and takes advantage.











Left to right: Casey El Koury rushed to the ball to save it from going out of bounds; Keri Pringle dribbles past the opponent and heads for the basket.

WHS Girls Basketball

iShoot

This season, the Westfield Girls' Basketball team made history several times. After defeating Scotch Plains, Elizabeth, Union and A.L. Johnson, all for the first time in many successive losses, we earned the top seed in our Union County Tournament and battled our way to the Union County Finals against Scotch Plains, where we suffered a heartbreaking defeat in overtime. Despite this, our topnotch defense and increased strength due to many trips to the plioboxes propelled us to a number 5 ranking in the state. Once there, for the first time in school history, we beat our first round opponents, North Hunterdon, and tied the record for most wins in a season at 19. Equally exciting was the game against Mother Seton in which Erin Miller scored her 1000th point, helping to make her the highest scoring player in girls' basketball later in the season.

This was clearly a year that the team will remember as a season of triumphs and laughter. Not only were records met and broken, but we all grew together, both on and off the court. We all knew that when we stepped on the court, teams feared us. Other people could see our talent and we eventually starting believing in ourselves as well. We realized that we had to stick together; we were determined to take it all.

Tri-Captains Casey El Koury, Erin Miller and Katie Cronen



Danielle Infantino finds an open spot and takes the shot.



Top row: Coach Allen, Charlotte O'Leary, Danielle Infantino, Stephanie Slodyczka, Gabrielle Jakub, Diana Venezia, Keri Pringle, Gabrielle O'Leary, Coach Raparelli, Coach Marino; Bottom row: Cyndil Matthew, Casey El Koury, Erin Miller, Katie Cronen, Tara Handza.

WHS Basketball



Coming into the 06-07 season, our potential for success as a team was questionable. The team was comprised of a combination of veteran seniors and unproven underclassmen. As the season progressed, however, we quickly gelled as a team, which led to an early tournament championship and success in the competitive Watchung Conference. Throughout the season, we withstood many ups and downs, and our perseverance led us to many victories. Looking ahead to next year, despite the loss of four seniors, key underclass-men players will remain to continue the team's success.

Co-Captains Tom Bonard and Mike Venezia



Tom Bonard dribbles the ball up the court looking for an open player.



Back row: Mike Venezia, John Wilt, Joseph Kopser, Santo Nardi, Chris Jenkins, Jihaad Billups, Coach Everly; Front row: Emanuel Mills, Chris Sheehan, Mike Lessner, Tom Bonard, Tony Dilorio, Dan Pritsker.

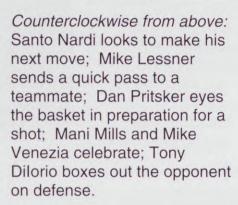






Senior Co-captain Mike Venezia







Senior Co-captain Tom Bonard







Coach Everly signals the next offensive play.

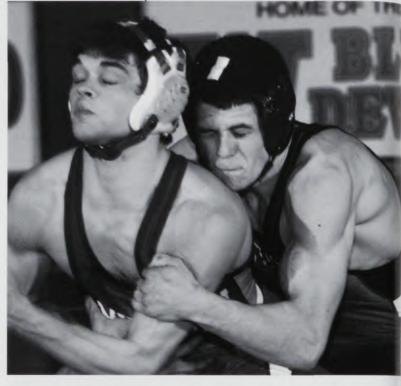


WHS Wrestling

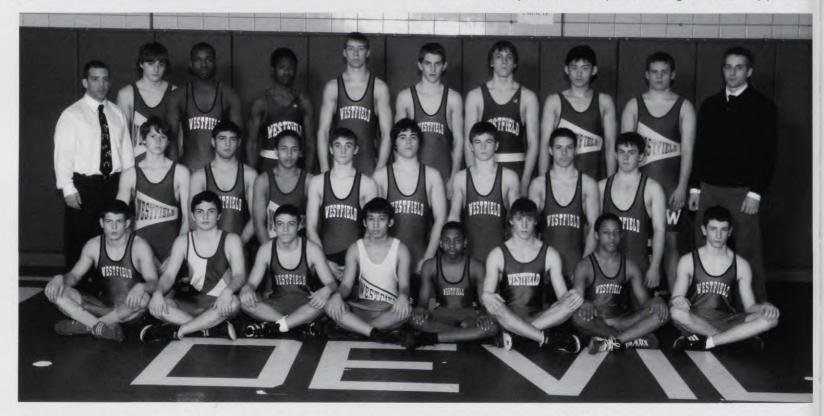


We knew going into the season that it was going to be tough. The team had many new wrestlers and a lot of holes in our varsity lineup, so our main focus was on rebuilding for the future. Our upper class consisted of only two seniors and three juniors. We didn't expect to win matches, but with a great sophomore class and a hardworking freshmen class the team pulled through with some clutch victories by relying on J.V. wrestlers. If there is one thing Westfield wrestling shows, it's heart. The quote on the back of our shirts says, "Someone may beat me, but he'll have to bleed to do it." With some of the hardestworking, most dedicated kids we've seen in a while, the future of Westfield Wrestling looks to be in good hands.

Tri-Captains Colin Mackay, Mark Boyd and Matt Shaffer



Colin Mackay battles for position against his opponent.



Top row: Coach Kurz, Andrew DeSantis, Willie Johnson, Wendel Hammond, Mark Boyd, John Falzon, Richard Sweeney, Bill Kim, Alan Workman, Coach Cheddar; *Middle row:* Austin Wenta, Andy Castrorao, Brian Henry, Drew Bergin, Zach Frantz, Rob Granstrand, Sam Reichbach, Scott Thien; *Bottom row:* Colin Mackay, John Gilmartin, Joe Panarese, Joe Heisler, Jovan Woods, Ryan Jennings, Nick DeFreitas, Chris Tomasso.







Senior Co-captain Mark Boyd



Senior Co-captain Colin Mackay



Counter-clockwise from above: Coaches Cheddar and Kurz watch from the sideline; Drew Bergin is victorious; Nick DeFreitas attempts to pin his opponent to the mat; Mark Boyd turns his man.









Left to right: Sam Reichbach prepares to grapple with his opponent. The referee raises Wendel Hammond's arm in victory.

WHS Winter Track



This winter season, our team was extremely successful as a group and as individuals. In the beginning of the season, we added quite a few rookies who quickly felt at home in the sport and developed into seasoned athletes. The sprinters and distance runners had a phenomenal season that would not have been possible without the hard work and enthusiasm they brought to every meet and practice. This year's field team also had a talented group that worked well together and immensely improved personal records over the season. Both runners and field members show a lot of promise for a great season next year, and we look forward to seeing what they accomplish.

Co-Captains Emily Perry, Jennifer Danielsson, Marlena Sheridan and Victoria Attanasio



Top: Tessa Schaaf smoothly clears the bar.

Right: Maureen Hughes pushes herself to the finish.





Top row: Coach Jennifer Bucchino, Katie Taylor, Lisa Nehring, Darla Stabler, Grace MacKenzie, Sophie Greene, Kim Legones, Ayn Wisler, Christina Obiajulu, Crista Ricci, Tessa Schaaf, Emily Perry, Casey Reimlinger, Carrie Rice, Stephanie Quinton, Rebecca McNulty; Third row: Jillian Schott, Caitlin Hewett, Dylan Wallace, Diane Hagmann, Anna Ridings, Stephanie Kuntz, Paula Leonard, Ellen Ramage, Claire Fox, Marlena Sheridan, Amanda Garfinkel, Jordan Harries, Sara Birkenthal, Shannon Murray, Jen Weidman; Second row: Daryl Garfinkel, Lindsay Tishberg, Elise Annis, Natalie DiFrancesco, Erin Lukowiak, Grace Hanley, Liz Shannon, Britta Greene, Bridget Gallagher, Samantha Kaufman, Annie Peterson, Jacqui Snyder, Kelsi Browning, Megan Pulliam, Becky Castaldo, Bena Reiter; Front row: Sally Bregman, Laryssa Borkowsky, Lauren Brunhofer, Maya Pincus, Vickie Attanasio, Marie Di Iorio, Jordyn Zucker, Rose Driscoll, Alli Lowenstein, Briana Goncalves, Hanna Berman, Liz Dennerlein, Maggie Gaskill.



400 at Drew.







Left: Evan Friedman prepares to pass the baton in a 4 x 400 relay at the Drew Invitational.

Right: Donny de Rojas drives to the finish in the

Left: Kevin Ramos leads the field in the 600 at Drew. Right: Josh Einbinder gets off to a good start in the 800 at Drew.



Top row: Coach Tafelski, Coach Mellot, Eric Brandman, Scott Perry, Mitch Mahar, Chris Miller, Mike Fietkiewicz, Josh Einbinder, Tianyou Xu, Alex Forstenhausler, Kevin O'Rourke, Erik Anderson, Gus Gibbons, Alex Tarlow, Adam Bergo, Keith Hurtt, Dennis Bartsch, Jeremy Bender, Nari Watanabe, Sean Palme, Mark Reimlinger, Coach Martin; Third row: Neil Amato, Kevin Ramos, Connor Shields, Dave Fishman, Dave Hyslip, Eric Hagstrom, Julian Applebaum, Evan Friedman, Kiran Patankar, Wes Clarkson, Bob Angus, Peter Williams, John McGrory, Thomas Adriaens, Gerard Pierre, Evan Merkelson, Spencer Kimmins, Bob La Forge, Mike Porch, Jim Thayer; Second row: Connor Davis, Craig Cognetti, Roshan Vijayakumar, Tim Woods, Kevin Hennessey, Jon Chironna, Adam Rubin, Mike Tormey, Joe Martoglio, Chris Latimer, Ben Fine, Neil Fitzpatrick, Mike Weintraub, Donny de Rojas, Andrew Weiss, Andrew Flood, Ross Tucker, Dan Morse, Coach Gorski; Front Row: Kyle Gibbons, Josh Perlman, Ed Greener, Sam Mumford, Adam Kavalin, Andrew Marra, Dennis Elwell, Henry Zhang, Dave Babetski, Mike Mathews, Alex De Freitas, Wade Preston, Beau Preston, Zach Helfand, Dan Markowski, Panos Chantzis.

WHS Ice Hockey

iSkate

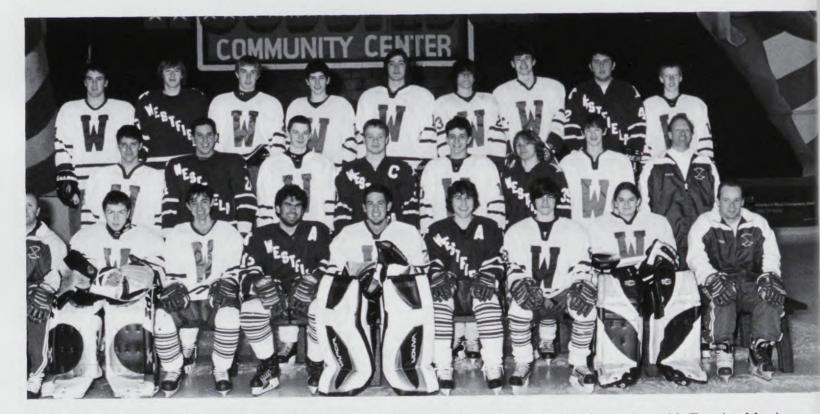
This year the hockey team had a very successful season. We qualified for the state tournament for the third season in a row and were able to win our first round game. We were also able to give our head coach his 100th career varsity win. We achieved these accomplishments through lots of hard work and dedication. Everyone on the team provided valuable contributions that allowed the team to play a higher level than in previous years.

Overall, hockey has been a great part of our high school lives. It has provided us with values such as teamwork and leadership. We have become close friends with all of our teammates both on and off the ice. Hockey will certainly be an experience that we will never forget.

Co-Captains Brian Davidson and Seth Davidson



Above: Goalie Adam Becker waits for the shot.

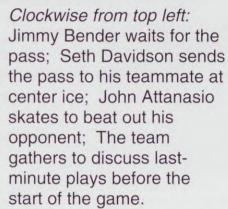


Top row: Jeff Mysel, Adric Quackenbush, Dylan Moran, AJ Cunningham, Joe Kramkowski, Zander Maslow, Will Uhr, Anthony Arnold, Daniel Reyman; *Middle row:* Andrew Goldman, Jason Frost, Mike Foley, Brian Davidson, Evan Einstein, John Attanasio, Pat Tresnan, Coach Giresi; *Bottom row:* Coach Richie, Eric Zagorski, Charlie Woehr, Seth Davidson, Adam Becker, Jimmy Bender, Craig Esposito, Caitlin Whitlock, Coach Doherty















Assistant Captain Jimmy Bender



Senior Captain Brian Davidson



Assistant Captain Seth Davidson



Left to right: Craig Esposito keeps his eye on the puck; Jason Frost takes a shot at the goal; Stat girl Ariel Mone takes a break to smile for the camera.



Senior Co-captain Mary Kate Luker



Senior Co-captain Caitlin Murphy



Senior Co-captain Julie Shelman





Clockwise from above:
Goalie Michelle Zaffuto
reaches to make a save;
Julie Shelman looks to
pass the ball ahead; Alli
MacDonald fights past the
opposing defense;
Elizabeth McCarthy beats
the goalie for a point.











Left to right: Mary Kate Luker leads the charge upfield; The team battles for possession.

WHS Girls Lacrosse



iDefend

Last year's season ended with a winning record of 12-4. We made it to the State Tournament for the first time in four years. Naturally, this season was comprised of great expectations. We hoped to build on last year's success and knew that it will be a difficult task to complete. With a brand-new coach and an extremely challenging schedule, the strength of the team was certainly tested. We began working together in preseason by playing with each other against some of the most challenging teams in New Jersey at Randolph's Indoor Sports Pavillion. We also worked on our stick skills at Center Circle. These two preseason activities allowed us to develop a hard work ethic as well as to establish a united team. We carried this momentum throughout the season, whether it was pushing ourselves at practice or putting forth one hundred percent in a game. The daily routine of shuttles, 3-versus-2 and rapid fire paid off and helped us to progress through the season.

Co-Captains Mary Kate Luker, Caitlin Murphy and Julie Shelman



The team plans its strategy for the second half.





Left: Caitlin Burke and Jessica Campo race upfield to join the offensive rush.

Above: Chelsea Bryk makes her move.

WHS Boys Lacrosse

iLAX

"Family" was the mantra of this very close-knit team. The 2006 Blue Devil Boy's Varsity lacrosse team enjoyed a very successful season before bowing out in the Group III state semi-finals. Highlights included winning the first-ever Union County Championship over archrival Summit. The team also celebrated its first victory in nine years over nationally ranked Ridgewood. Although the season ended in a loss, the accomplishments that this team achieved were remarkable.

The 2007 lacrosse season was one to remember. The team unity was amazing, led by the seniors who set examples for the younger members of the team. From our rock-solid defense to our high-throttle offense, our team was one that opponents feared. The friendships we made during this season will always be set in stone, and I can speak for every member on the team in saying that this year will never be forgotten.

Co-Captains Ryan Yarusi, Joey Simone, Ben Thomas and Chris Mattes



Andrew Rosenberg runs down the field toward the goal.



Clockwise from above: The team huddles to talk strategy; G. Peter Cornell takes a shot; Luke Baran blocks the opposing team from getting to the ball.



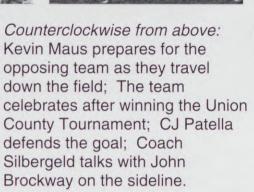






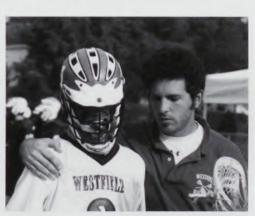


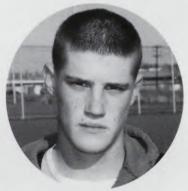
Ryan Yarusi



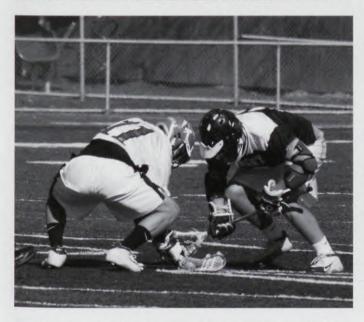


Senior Co-captain Joey Simone





Senior Co-captain Ben Thomas







Senior Co-captain Chris Mattes

Left to right: Chris Mattes faces off with the other team; Ryan Yarusi passes the ball to an open teammate.



Senior Co-captain Lindsay Brown



Senior Co-captain Ashley Dunnan



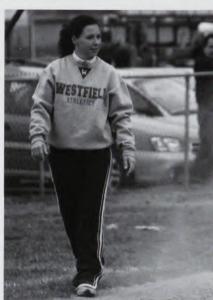
Senior Co-captain Jenny LaSpata





Clockwise from above: The team celebrates after a home run; Ashley Dunnan is seconds from making contact with the ball; Lindsay Brown releases a pitch right into the strike zone; Alex Pecora puts in 110% effort at practice.











Left to right: Coach Pignoli advises the team from third base; Erin Scialabba heads for the cut-off position after a ball is hit to the outfield.

WHS Softball



The team talks strategy on the mound.



Twenty years from now when we look back on our high school experience, half of the things we stressed over will be completely forgotten, whether it be the JRP or that ridiculously hard chemistry midterm we all thought we failed. However, our softball careers at Westfield High School will not be one of those things we'd prefer to push out of our minds forever.

The last four years have proven to be extremely rewarding for us. The long practices, unfortunate tan lines, and a spring break marked by the start to the new season have all been worthwhile.

This year we will say our goodbyes knowing that some of the strongest friendships were formed over the love of the game.

Tri-Captains Lindsay Brown, Ashley Dunnan and Jenny LaSpata







Counterclockwise from above: Jenny LaSpata heads for home after an amazing hit; Kim Townsend gets ready for the next batter; Katie Abruzzo prepares for the next practice swing.

WHS Baseball

iSteal

The baseball team achieved particular excellence in the 2006 season, scoring significant wins against Ridge, Bridgewater and North Hunterdon High Schools. The boys set new school records last year, too, including the most runs (282), the highest slugging percentage (.640) and the highest batting average (.407). Their highest achievements of the year were receiving the title of Watchung Conference Champions as well as Union County Tournament Champions for the twelfth time.

This year, the returning varsity players led newer players in perfecting their game, and they grew both as individuals and as a team. Overall, the boys had a successful, fun-filled season.

Justin Olsen throws the ball to his cut-off man after catching a fly ball.





Clockwise from above: Mike Mosier goes for the double play after recording an out at first base; Joe Vall-llobera keeps his eye on the ball, ready to hit a double; Coach Brewster warms up the outfield before the game.









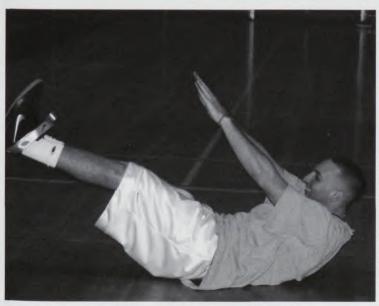


Senior Co-captain Tom Bonard



Counterclockwise from above: Evan Shapiro warms up his arm before the inning begins; Mike Cappiello makes the play; Catcher Kevin Hennessey warms-up the pitcher; Ricky Passananti shrinks his strike zone to psych out the pitcher.

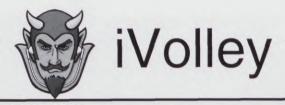






Left to right: Tom Bonard leads team warm-ups before practice; Zach Deegan winds up for the pitch....STRIKE THREE!

WHS Tennis





During the 2006 Westfield High School Tennis Season, the Varsity Team succeeded in winning the Watchung Conference Title, the Union County Title and the Westfield Tournament. We had an outstanding record of (22-3); two of our losses were against the best team in the state. Overall, we look back at the 2006 season as a successful one, however, we returned to the 2007 season with higher hopes and remembered that we didn't accomplish our ulitimate goal of reaching the Group 4 State Finals.

This year's season brought with it many well-prepared competitors who hoped to add to the team's potential success. The team featured ten returning varsity players, all of whom were filled with a vengeance to make this year the year Westfield makes its mark on the state, after nearly making it last year. The team also gained several new players with promising talent who worked hard and contributed to the team's efforts in accomplishing all their main goals. Constant hard work and mental focus have always been the keys to Westfield's success. However, our strong teamwork in setting and reaching our high goals is the most important quality in forming a state championship team.

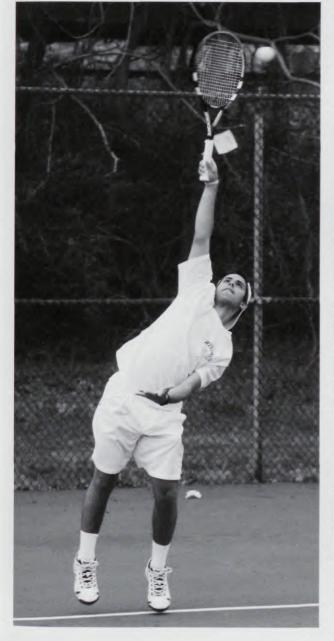
Co-Captains Jonathan Ramalho and Jack Trimble





Left to right: Jack Trimble uses a forehand swing to send the ball to his opponent; Dean Thompson keeps his eye on the ball while preparing to backhand it over the net.







Clockwise from above: Kevin Shallcross returns a serve with force; Ravi Netravali focuses on the ball, ready to send it over the net; Jon Ramalho sends an overhand smash to his opponent; James Chu tries to keep his balance while attempting to shorthop the ball.





Senior Co-captain Jack Trimble



Senior Co-captain Jon Ramalho



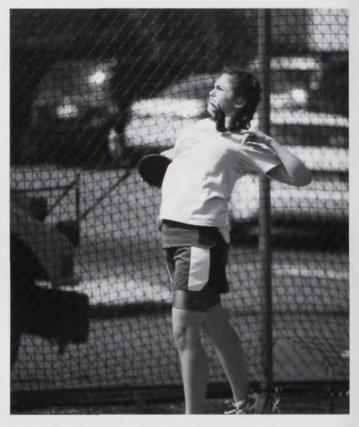




Clockwise from above: Nick Newman, Ben Colvin, Julian Harris, Dennis Elwell, and Jon Chironna lead the pack; Another award winning high jump by Adam Bergo; Danielle Bercovicz hopes for her furthest throw as she gathers momentum; Kevin Yang prepares mentally for the next event while watching teammates perform. Bena Reiter concentrates on setting her pace as she moves ahead of the pack.







Left to right: Daniel Morse sprints to the finish line; Sam Reichbach hurdles to the finish line.







WHS Spring Track





Alexandria Hurtt releases the shot-put with force.

As the final season of track and field dawns upon its team members, many are able to look back at past seasons and prepare for one last shot at greatness before the this season ends. The team's seniors, especially, know that this is the end. Through all the work they've put in, whether it be learning to land on their backs upon the pits, hurling the shot-put with all their strength, or sprinting past the finish line with every last ounce of energy, the seniors prepare to say goodbye. Yet much like the spring season itself, there is a profound shift coming. With the warmer weather, the rebirth that nature conducts will also be taking place on this team. With the juniors preparing to take the reigns, the seniors can rest assured knowing that they will show everyone just what it means to be in Blue Devil Country.

Senior Co-captains Brent Souders, Eric Brandman, Erik Anderson and Alex Forstenhausler



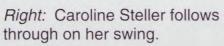
The Westfield Lady Blue Devils take a practice lap before the meet.



Senior Captain Caroline Steller



Above: Dan Liebowitz prepares to strike the ball.









Left to right: Nick LiVolsi completes his backswing; Tim Jacob chips the ball onto the green.

WHS Golf iEagle

The Westfield High School golf program has had many successes and triumphs over the past few years. The extremely talented players on our team support one another through strong friendships and dedication. Practices and matches in rain, snow, wind, and heat have brought us very close together in these past few years. The individual dedication and work that each player puts in during the off-season, practices, and matches is reflected in our overall success as a team.

The leadership of our past team captains and Coach Turnbull has allowed our team to grow into one of the best golf programs in the state. Coach Turnbull has become an invaluable part of the team with his knowledge of this complex and challenging sport.

Our 2005-2006 season was a great success. With one of the best players in the state and a team of great depth from which to draw scores, we won the Union County and Watchung Conference Tournaments.

Golf challenges its players to concentrate and focus in a mentally and physically demanding environment. On and off the golf course, we will carry these lessons with us.

Senior Captain Caroline Steller





Above: Adam Becker looks ahead to where his shot will be going.

Left: Anthony Alvernes reads the green to better aim his putt.







It may seem the majority of these four years is devoted to work. An average student sits in front of a computer screen, surrounded by textbooks and calculators. But what we will remember from high school are those times spent with friends, having fun.





Extracurricular

Extracurriculars are part of the essential high school experience. From sports and clubs to plays and concerts to coffeehouses and Student Council events, the schoolorganized functions that absorb our precious free time are always fun. The memories and friendships formed are priceless.

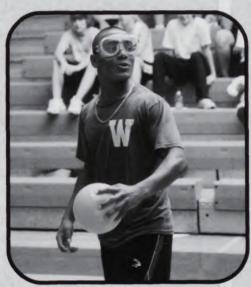
Allison Jakobovic

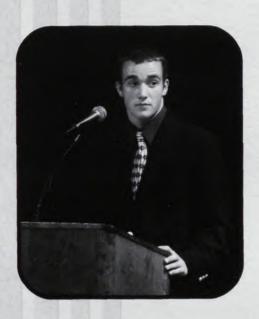
















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WHS Clubs iParticipate



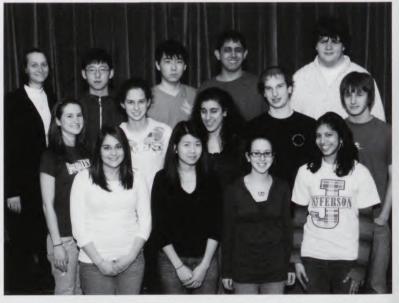
Music Service Club



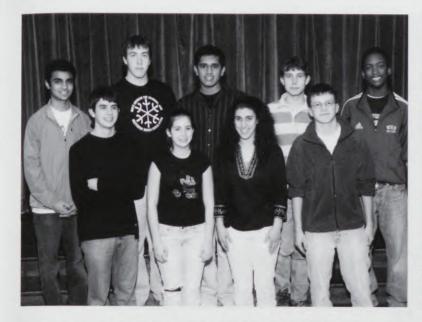
Stage Design Club



Anime Club



Science Olympiad Team



Academic Challenge Team



Euterpe



Key Club



Asian Awareness Club



Drama Club



Fitness Club



Astronomy Club



Future Business Leaders of America



Community Service Club



Photography Club



German Club



Italian Club



Spanish Club



French Club



Latin Club



Student Council



Breast Cancer Awareness



Rotary Interact Club



Wall Street Society



Young Republicans



Young Democrats



Folio



Dance Team

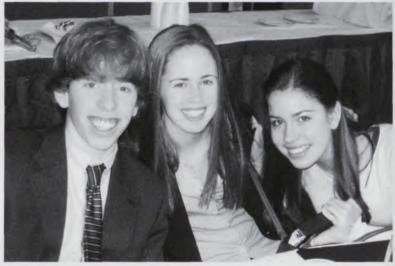
Model United Nations

The Model United Nations club completed another very successful year. Over one hundred and thirty students competed at the Hershey Conference in Hershey, PA. Many won awards and honors, both individually and as a team. Fourteen served as officers this year and another eleven won officer positions for the coming year. It is always a pleasure to watch the high level of skill and acumen shown by our delegation. The seniors graduating this year provided a model of leadership that will set an example for years.

Model United Nations members Ryan Kuppersmith, Andrew Cantor, Charlie Tripp, Julienne Niemiera, Ojus Patil, Neil Fitzpatrick, Jessica Sheft-Ason, John Sheflin, Brian Bayne, Vince Fitzpatrick, Caitlyn Oster, Julie Shelman, and Amy Altszuler.







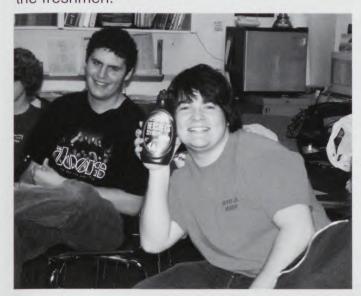
Clockwise from above: Model United Nations members Jessica Riegel, Rachael Feeney, Ayn Wisler, Emily Kieczykowski, Amanda Hayden, Pat McCabe, Will Schwartz, Ben Zakarin, Matthew Harris, Matt Carville, Amanda McQuade, Julie Tiedrich, Lindsay Goldberg, and Emily Bregman; Neil Fitzpatrick, Lindsay Tishberg, and Melissa Souto take a break for a picture on the Hershey, PA trip. Kristen Boersig and Elizabeth Harbaugh share breakfast with other delegates; Robert Whitehead presents his country's position.





Transition Project

Justin Rosin laughs at Chris Kalis, who is excited to use chocolate fudge on his ice cream sundae when celebrating the last outreach with the freshmen.



The first couple of months at WHS can be hectic, no matter how well prepared the student thinks he or she is. With this in mind, the Transition Project aims to alleviate the stress of freshman year by making the switch from middle school to high school as easy and enjoyable as possible. Working closely with groups of freshmen, junior and senior peer mentors hold discussions and plan activities to help the freshmen get to know each other and their new surroundings. Thanks to the Transition Project, incoming freshmen can look forward to an easy-going introduction to high school life.









Counterclockwise from above: A transition group focuses on the speaker, John Falzon; Kelly Irving, Anne Knisley and Carolyn Dyer enjoy meeting with their group members; Russell Miller and Lindsay Walsh watch as a group member performs; Meghan Ince provides the instructions for the next activity, while Mike Rosin and David Dubinsky listen closely.

Homecoming

Homecoming is one of those stereotypical high school traditions that, despite the tempting clichés surrounding it, simply cannot be ignored. In the fall of each year, WHS students rally around the goodness and glory that is WHS. The annual parade, complete with musical accompaniment from the WHS marching band and an endless array of club floats, displays WHS school pride that continues to glow at the customary bonfire. Homecoming culminates with the crowning of the Homecoming King and Queen, and, of course, the long-awaited Junior-Senior Powderpuff football game. Especially with this year's stunning victory by the Junior Powderpuff team, Homecoming was an event not to be forgotten.

The Senior girls snap the ball to start the next play.







Clockwise from above: The senior girls show off their outfits before the Powder Puff football game; The junior girls strike a pose for the camera; Joe Schurig helps coach the teams; Students watch the game unfold from the sideline and cheer on the teams.









From left to right: Homecoming Queen Marley Frankel enjoys the celebration; The King and Queen pose for the camera; Homecoming King James Meylor is all smiles.







Clockwise from left: The cheerleaders begin their routine at the bonfire; And reach its culmination; Mr. Tranchina announces the next part of the festivities; The Marching Band entertains the crowd.





Extracurricular 221

Folio Coffeehouse

Few things bring WHS students to a schoolsponsored event as effectively as free coffee. Of course, that is certainly not the only reason students return to Cafeteria B one Friday night a month. Featuring many talented acts including bands, poetry readings, skits and the occasional faculty performance, Folio Coffeehouse is the perfect venue for showcasing both the budding and established talents of everyone at WHS. Proceeds benefit the Folio literary magazine, which is published at the end of the school year. With something to entertain all tastes, Folio is not only a great opportunity to support one's fellow students, but always a pleasant place to simply relax and have a good time with friends.



Below: Robert Whitehead reads a selection to

the audience.





Clockwise from above: Mike Marks and Mark Boyd play acoustic guitar; Max Lazar and Brian Gibbons perform in Barry the Cat; Jess Cain reads poetry; The many members of Who Invited You? perform.





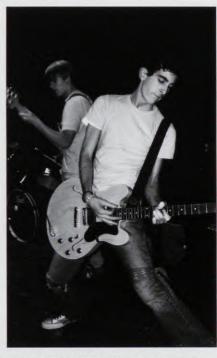




Left to right:
Andrew Gialanella
and Dan Zavaro
rocks out with
their band
Southern Fried
Funk; Alena
Fleming performs
on vocals and
guitar.









Counterclockwise from above right: Henry Kaye does a rockstar power stance; Mike Tarnofsky belts a song into the microphone; John Martoglio accompanies himself on guitar; Sam Crossland plays a guitar solo with The Dinosaurs; Ian Devaney, Nick Brennan and Spencer Kimmins of Waterdown Clockwise dazzle the audience with another oh-so-catchy tune.



You Can't Take It With You







Patrina Caruana as Olga and Max Lazar as Boris Kolenkov sit and discuss Russia together.

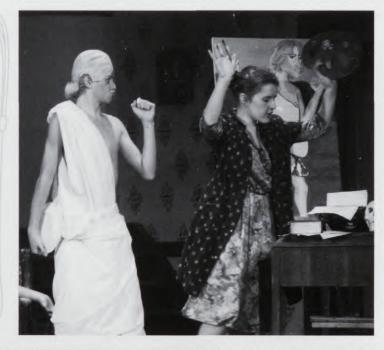
Counter-clockwise from left: Aaron Eisenberg and Billy Geltzeiler play father and son in the play; Melanie Jackson (Essie) and Kate Douglas (Penny) talk and dance; Mia Pafumi (Reba) leans over Nick Brennan (Donald) to have a chat.





James Seip is holding an explosive rocket in his hand while playing Mr. DePinna.

With its quirky characters and perfectly timed one-liners, this year's fall drama production, "You Can't Take It With You," proved to be a tremendous success, allowing the students of WHS yet another medium in which to express their infinite talents. With new director Darlene White at the helm, the talented cast flawlessly portrayed the painfully comic idiosyncrasies of the Sycamore family. Surviving regular rehearsals and endless run-throughs, both the dedicated cast and crew of "You Can't Take It With You" committed themselves to an incredibly entertaining show, one that will no doubt be talked about for years to come.





Clockwise from top: James Seip poses as Kate Douglas paints his portrait; Arielle Smelkinson and Connor Davis play a couple in love.



Bobby O'Rourke is pinned to the ground by Max Lazar because his character was suspicious. The whole Sycamore family runs to Bobby's rescue.



Mike Tannenbuam (Ed) and Greg Nelson (FBI agent) take the stage.

Winter Concert

Mr. Wojcik conducts the chamber orchestra during the concert.



Downstairs in the basement of the school, tucked away from the rest of the students, the band practices, while upstairs the choirs sing, all in preparation for their first concert of the year. Their hard work from September forward comes to fruition during the winter concert, when they perform holiday music, from madrigals and carols to glorias and hymns. The music of the band and choir brings the true spirit of the holiday season to all those who wish to join and marvel at this glorious sign of holiday cheer.



Clockwise from above: Mr. Wojcik announces the next song in the concert; Alexandra Jenkins plays as one of the featured soloists in Bach's "Concerto for Two Violins"; Max Wieder plays percussion for the Wind Ensemble; Gil Chapman plays the piano solo in Gershwin's "Rhapsody in Blue."













Counterclockwise from above: Woodwinds and strings in the WHS Symphony Orchestra play in harmony; Nathan Margolin watches for the conductor's cue; James Kelly uses a mute on his trombone to provide the background music.







Counterclockwise from above: Melvin Diep is a highlighted violin soloist; Kaitlin Kominsky and Will Harbaugh play the bass line for the chamber orchestra; Members of the WHS Wind Ensemble await their next entrance.

How to Succeed in Business



Above: Arielle Smelkinson sings "Happy to Keep His Dinner Warm" as Rosemary Pilkington.



This year's spring musical, "How To Succeed in Business Without Really Trying," was another fine example of the WHS students' vast abilities within the arts. A 1960's musical comedy, "How To Succeed" tells the story of J. Pierpont Finch, a young window washer who is soon caught up in the cut-throat world of business at the World Wide Wicket Company. With a talented cast and crew, a beautiful set and plenty of show-stopping numbers, the musical provided laughs, good times and an unforgettable show for all those who attended.



Clockwise from above:
Melanie Jackson plays
secretary Ms. Krumholtz in
the show; Greg Nelson as
Mr. Finch and Aaron
Eisenberg as Bud Frump;
The cast sings "A
Secretary is Not a Toy";
The cast performs
"Coffee Break."









Left to right: Bratt a.k.a. Bobby O'Rourke makes an important phone call; Arielle Smelkinson, Patrina Caruana and Melanie Jackson talk about the dress Rosemary bought to wear to impress Finch.









Clockwise from left: Max Lazar and Mia Pafumi as J.B. Bigley and Ms. Hedy LaRue; Patrina Caruana as Smitty; Ellen Scariati as Miss Jones; Mike Tannenbaum as Gatch; Mia Pafumi presenting the 'Hidden Treasure Pirate Hunt'; The whole cast sings "The Company Way."





Variety Show



Mr. Farabaugh performs a solo act and shocks the crowd with his vocal and guitar playing skills.

Nothing sums up the eclectic talents of both the students and faculty at WHS better than the annual Variety Show. With everything from monologues, musical numbers, and the highly awaited dog show, the Variety Show is the perfect opportunity for each member of WHS to express his or her talents. A panel of faculty judges awards prizes to student acts at the end of the night. With countless members of the student body and faculty of WHS getting involved every year, the annual Variety Show is not a school event to miss.







Counterclockwise from above right: Dennis Coleman joins The Sirkus for a performance: The Irish Steppers always know how to entertain the crowd; Host Aaron Eisenberg entertains the audience while the next act prepares; Mr. Boyle, on drums, adds a great sound to the faculty band; Mr. Finkel rocks out on the guitar.





Art Show

The finest expressions of self through art are celebrated in May with the annual art show. The gym becomes a gallery of work of students from grades K-12 commemorating self-expression. It features different styles of creating art, including woods, ceramics, and graphic design on the computers. The students are also allowed to sell their work if they so choose, to enable their beautiful artwork to be enjoyed in homes, shops, and schools all over the world.





A beautiful painting by Kathleen Dooley and Megan Boersig's model of Winnie the Pooh were two pieces of artwork featured at the show.



Clockwise from above: A table of crafts featured things such as pin pillows and dream catchers; Mrs. Happe-Conway and Mr. Stumbers oversee the Art Show; Artwork from numerous talented WHS students are featured along the wall; Megan Pulliam displayed an octopus puppet; Julia Knaus featured her painting of whales using acrylic paints.









Community Service Club





Left to right: Desirae Ott assists in the packaging of sandwiches for the homeless; George Wharam helps Max Sugarman add that holiday cheer to his card.



Clockwise from above: Community Service Club members gather together for a picture before handing out lunches to the homeless; Miss Capuzzi uses her creativity to make holiday cards for the elderly; Ariel Burns knows that a holiday card isn't finished until you add glitter; Sarah Vincett concentrates on making her holiday card just right; Hanna Berman and Amanda Simmons prepare lunches to be distributed to the homeless.





The caring members of the Community Service Club hosted numerous events this year to encourage active participation in the community. Their ubiquitious bake sales, Pin the Tail on the Turkey event and sale of Valentine's Day Candy-Grams raised money to bring 500 bagged lunches and 100 personalized bags of toiletries to the homeless in Irvington. They also held toiletry and coat drives, and made holiday cards for senior citizens to spread their enthusiasm for helping others into the greater community.





Key Club

Key Club is an international student led organization which provides opportunities for community service, character building, and to develop leadership skills. WHS Key Club has over 100 members who plan a wide range of fundraising events. This year we visited patients at the Children's Specialized Hospital and held a toy and book drive for them. With other successes, such as the helmet drive for Iraqi children and the popular downtown Discount Cards, the Key Club has had a great year!

Stephanie Raphael, *President 2006-07*Neha Limaye, *Vice President 2006-07*



Key Club Officers Stephanie Raphael, Alyssa Eisenberg, Russell Miller, Daniella Regencia, Danielle Bercovicz, Matt Renart, Lindsay Elbaum, and Norite Bercovicz at the 60th Annual NJ Key Club District Convention.



Left: The defense plays hard at the Key Club 3rd Annual Student Teacher Charity Basketball Game.

Right: Key Clubbers celebrate at the Rock Against Cancer Charity Concert.





Key Clubbers ready for a day and night of fun at Fright Night at Great Adventure: *Top row.* Suzanne Yavuz, Katie Lee, Julia Carlino, Kelly Irving, Chaperone Ms. Lisabeta Zorrilla, Hugo Nolasco, Matt Green, Stephan Binetti, Kyle Barry; *Middle row:* Anne Knisely, Julia Spiridigliozzi, Jimmy Boyle, Danielle Evans; *Front row:* Jemma Urban, Kelsey Greenfield, Stephanie Raphael, Claire Macdonald, Kevin Ramos, Drew Pecker, Alex Laskaris, Charlotte Morabito, Advisor Ms. Paulette Del Rosso

Gay/Straight Alliance



The members of the GSA take a snapshot to remember their Pot Love Dinner.

The Gay-Straight Alliance is a group of gay and straight people committed to addressing gay and lesbian concerns at WHS. It seeks to counteract the prejudice against homosexuality that places people at risk and impinges upon the dignity of every person in our community. The Gay-Straight Alliance seeks to serve as a vehicle for dialogue, support, and education for its members and for the larger community.







Above left to right: The GSA has plenty to go around at the Pot Love Dinner; Shanna Quackenbush offers a delectable bite to Mike Porch; GSA members mingle at the sumptuous buffet.



Guests celebrate at the annual Gayla.



Hostess Gwen Walsh shows that donuts are versatile.

National Honor Society

The National Honor Society is an organization committed to recognizing exemplary achievement both in school and in the community. Members are handpicked by their teachers to commend their outstanding scholarship, leadership, service and character. Once inducted, the students work hard to better the community through tutoring and volunteering.



Mr. Jacobsen poses with the National Honor Society officers: Satya Tagat, Jessica Cain, William Schwartz, and Ojus Patil.





Left to right: Dr. Petix congratulates Liz Falzon at last year's National Honor Society Induction Ceremony; Nathan Margolin begins the ceremony with a performance on the clarinet.













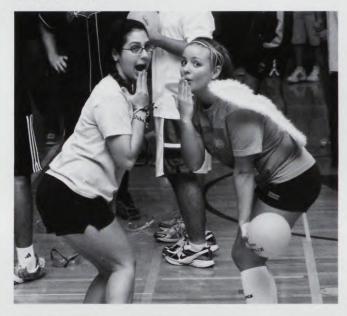
Counterclockwise from above right:

Mr. Jacobsen presents a student with her NHS charm and certificate; The new NHS officers are congratulated by previous officers at last year's induction ceremony; Josh Friedman is congratulated while being inducted into the NHS; PTSO treasurer Cindy Goldman presents a scholarship; Mr. Jacobsen presents Andrew Ford with his certificate and pin.





Clockwise from above: After winning an Indian Pin match, Will Harbaugh waits for his next competition; Phill John announces the winners of the Indian Pin Tournament; Amy Behr and Kevin Maus enjoy the Indian Pin tournament from the sidelines, cheering for their favorite teams; Rachel St. Lifer and Lauren Brunhofer gloat after their team wins another match.









Left: Ioanna Protogiannis gives each car a final wipe down before they leave the parking lot.

Above: Amanda Chang, Kyla Grodzka, Alexa Zepka, Adam Bergo, Danielle Zamarelli, Justin Lo and Greg Fortino prepare to wash the line of cars awaiting a new shine.

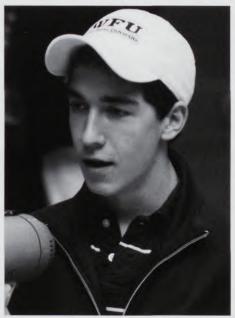
Student Council



James Seip lightens up the morning announcements with a few jokes.

The future politicians among us find kindred spirits in the Student Council, where they represent the student body when dealing with the school administration. They raise money for charities, fund and host school events, and play music in the halls on the last Friday of every month to make the students feel as though they live in a well-montaged movie. From their own campaigns to running the school and interacting with the administration, Student Council members truly are charismatic, energetic politicians. Look for them in Washington in a decade or so.









Counter-clockwise from top right: Miss Underwood and Miss Durante take a moment to pose for a picture during the car wash; Matt Renart announces the next team to play on the court; Aaron Eisenberg watches as his surviving teammates battle in an Indian Pin match; Ojus Patil, Alexa Zepka and Kyla Grodzka devote their Saturday morning to wash cars for a good cause.

Improv Festival

Below left to right: Mike Tannenbaum acts out the worst way to break up with someone...through a text message; The comedic duo of Aaron Eisenberg and Mr. Horn host the Improv festival.





WHS's annual celebration of improvised comedy took place on March 27 in the WHS auditorium. Groups of students competed against each other in improvised scenes while the student band The Blanks provided music for the event. The many talented comedic actors on the stage kept all who attended in constant laughter. With WHS students making fools out of themselves without scripts or prior knowledge of scenes, for what better entertainment could we ask?

Left to right:
Natalie Narotzky,
Andrew FoltzMorrison and Billy
Geltzeiler act out a
party scene in
which each
attendee is a
different character;
The Blanks open
up the Improv
Festival.









Clockwise from above: The mysterious box man entertains the crowd before the next challenge; Judges Ms. Mazzarese, Ms. Durante, and Phill John had a tough decision to make when choosing a winner; Erika Kettleson, Adam Bergo and Alex Forstenhausler act out a news cast as assigned characters.

Left to right: Matt Feniger and Mark Cafiero toss t-shirts to the crowd in between skits; Bobby O'Rourke and Shanna Quackenbush interrogate Kermit the Frog (Max Lazar).







Battle of the Bands

Student Council's annual Battle of the Bands fundraiser featured student bands competing against one another in vocals, instrumentation, showmanship and audience response. Students played both original and cover songs, which were judged separately by the distinguished panel. The winning band received gift cards, and the proceeds benefited the Little Rock Foundation, which helps visually impaired children. With a wonderful display of musical talent and a good cause to support, the night was a success.

Host Adam Bergo introduces the next band.









Clockwise from above: Tim Kuehn and his band Asthenosphere get ready to play; James Kelly supports his band on trombone; Ezra Margolin plays the melody line on his trumpet; Dennis Coleman electrifies the crowd with his smooth sounds on saxophone; Alex Greenspan provides the guitar accompaniment; Ali Donohue kicks off the song on saxophone.



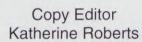




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Layout Editor Maria Kheyman





Behind every page in this yearbook you're holding lie hours of looking through pictures, copy editing and eating unmeasurable quantities of Doritos and Chips Ahoy! The dynamic yearbook staff took over the third floor of the science wing twice a week. We danced to electro-pop; we celebrated Tuesdays with the Strokes; we felt like we stalked the entire WHS population; we got in trouble for holding spinning chair races; we spent hours amusing ourselves with the iVerb motif (iHyperbolize, iFake Sick, iRock Out Loud). And we created the yearbook, in between deleting bad pictures of ourselves. The hard work, delegated by our editors and indispensable advisors, brought us together as a staff: each member contributed something irreplaceable to the final product. Enjoy!



Clockwise from above: Katherine Roberts and Maria Kheyman are discussing the upcoming deadline; Ms. Del Rosso and Charlotte Morabito are identifying pictures; Miss Bilyk scans pictures to be used for the next page; Mr. De Angelo spell checks another page.









Top row: Haley Mustard, Ms. Del Rosso, Mr. De Angelo, Miss Bilyk; Middle row: Jen Calello, Allison Jakobovic, Katherine Roberts, Bessie Roca; Bottom row: Alli Annis, Katie Goellner, Maria Kheyman









Counterclockwise from above: The first day of Yearbook displays the dedicated staff; Allison Jakobovic reads a sport captain's write-up; Alli Annis takes a break before going to work on her next page; Katie Goellner is cropping pictures.







The WHS faculty is an inseparable part of our high school life, more than random adults we pass in the hall. Teachers and administrators here become friends and mentors, allies and trusted individuals. We often turn to them for guidance or simply an inspiring word as we go about our day.

Faculty

The faculty at WHS keeps our school running smoothly so we enjoy our school days as much as we can. Without them, life at WHS as we know it would be drastically different, and it is with every ounce of gratitude that we revere them for their passionate dedication.

Elizabeth Harbaugh





















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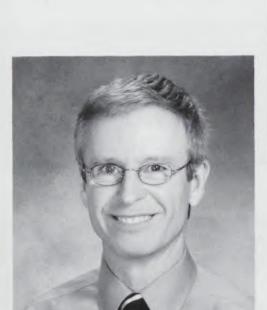


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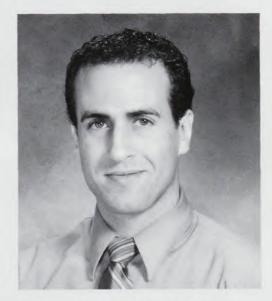
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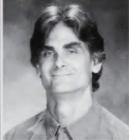
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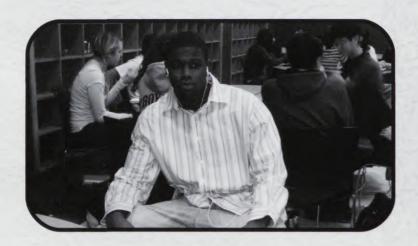
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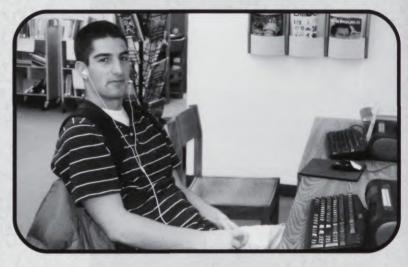


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Michael Scarder, Custodian







Graduation: in a day, we go from just lowly high school students to full-fledged adults. It seems unfathomable and very complicated. We aren't ready to be old. But so what if we don't have every single, minute detail of our futures planned out before we leave? We've got the rest of our lives for that.



We'll remember high school forever. All the years of toil, struggle and demanding to know why our lockers still won't open have brought us, both as individuals and as a community, to this very moment.

Baptism by fire? Yes. Necessary, bittersweet, and worth the wait? Undoubtedly.

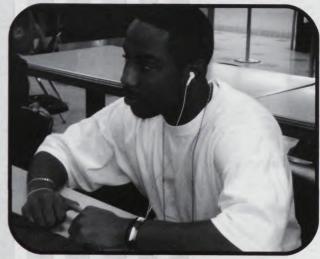
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"This above all, to thine own self be true."
- Polonius, in William Shakespeare's Hamlet

He brought his own self into Westfield High School for 31½ years, and his legacy will be one of a genuine, caring individual who brought his heart and soul to the job every day. His name is Robert Eyre, and his retirement at the end of December left our school with giant shoes to fill.

For 12 years, Bob Eyre taught English at Westfield High, skillfully helping students work their way through Shakespeare, Salinger, Whitman and Dickinson. In 1987, he took on the role of assistant principal, and he served nobly in that post for 19½ years.

He has said he'll miss the intellectual and visual stimuli that go on in this school every day. He's said he'll miss the interactions with teachers and students alike.

The students of Westfield High will miss a lot about Bob Eyre as well. They'll miss the times when he inspired them to bring out the best in themselves. They'll miss his kind words and his constant professionalism. They'll miss his style and class.

Polonius gave some excellent advice. Bob Eyre took that advice. And by being true to the qualities he found best in himself - compassion, hard work, and high standards - he provided a model of academic excellence that will be remembered in this school for a long time.

- Warren Hynes









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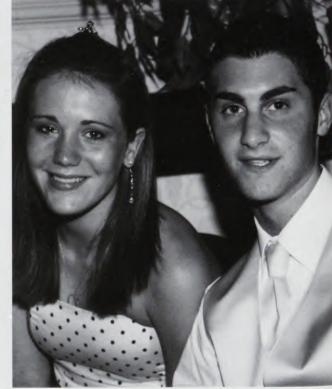
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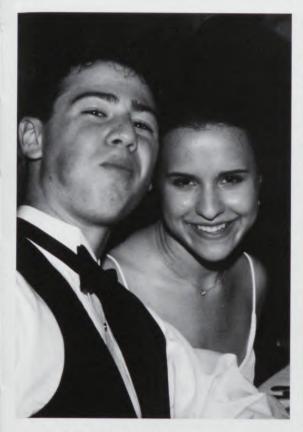








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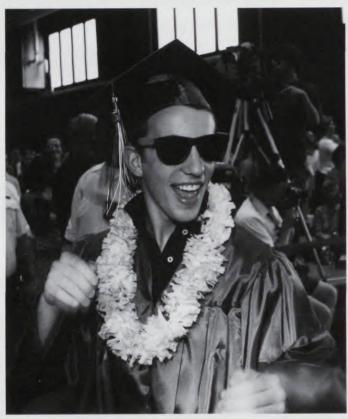


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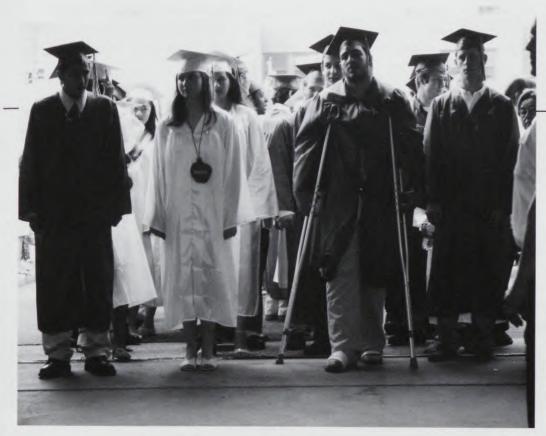
























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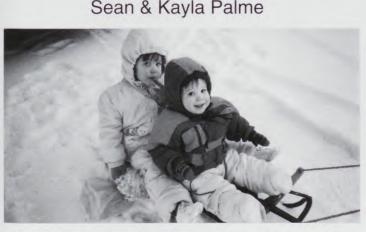
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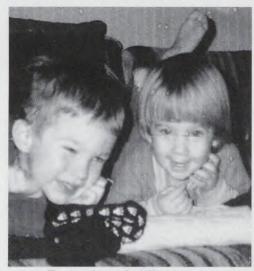
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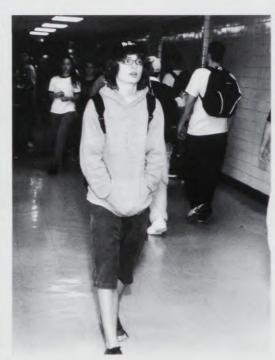


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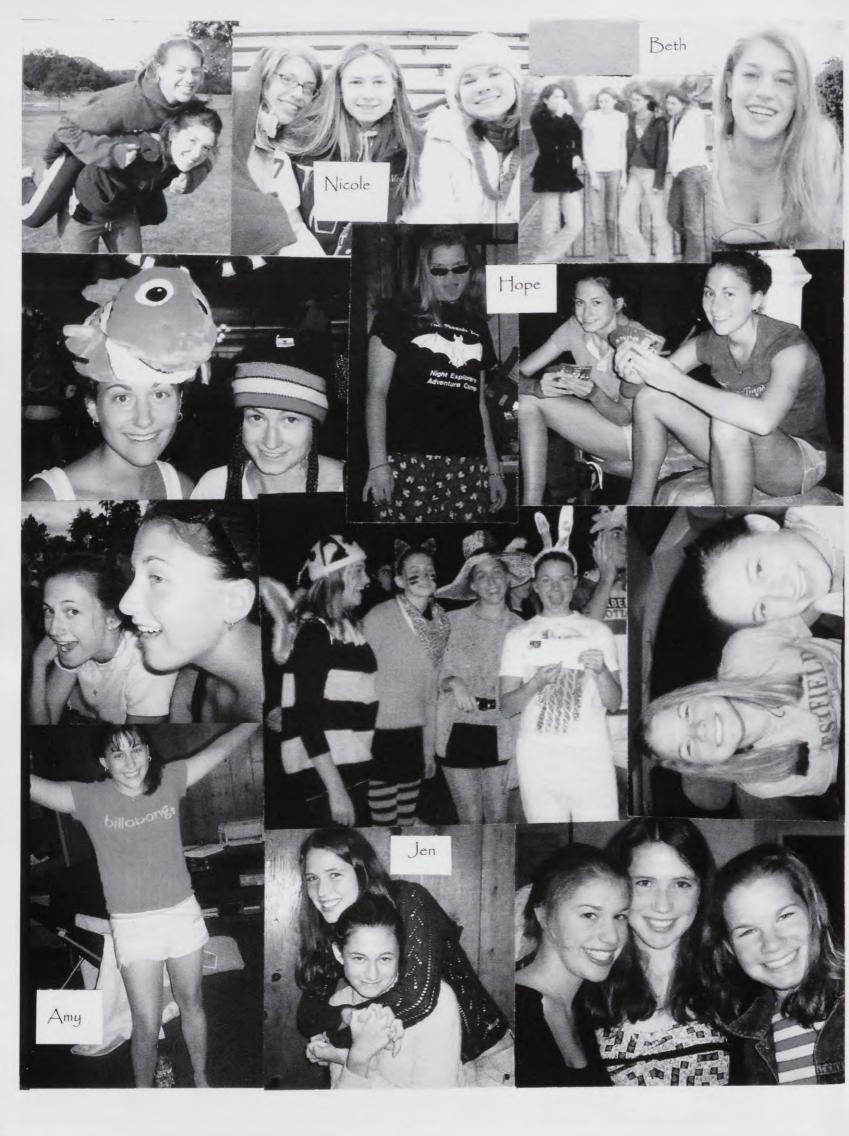
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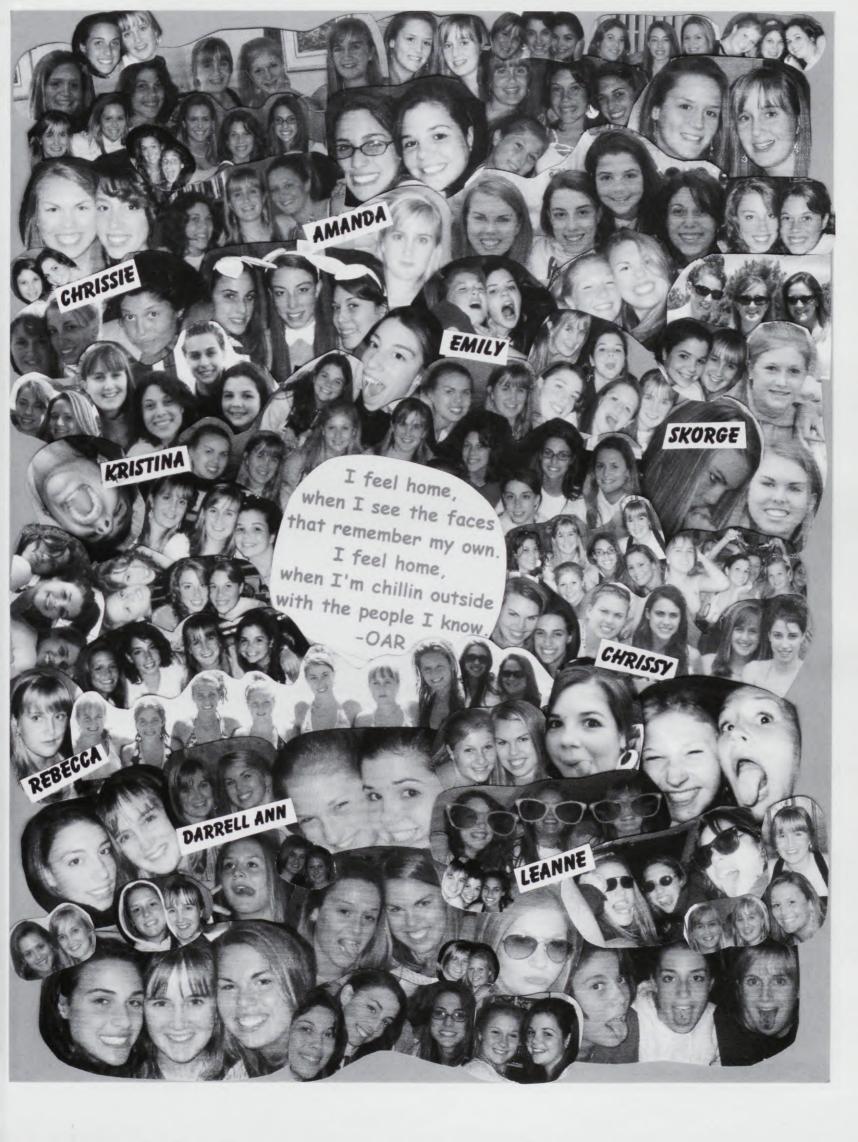










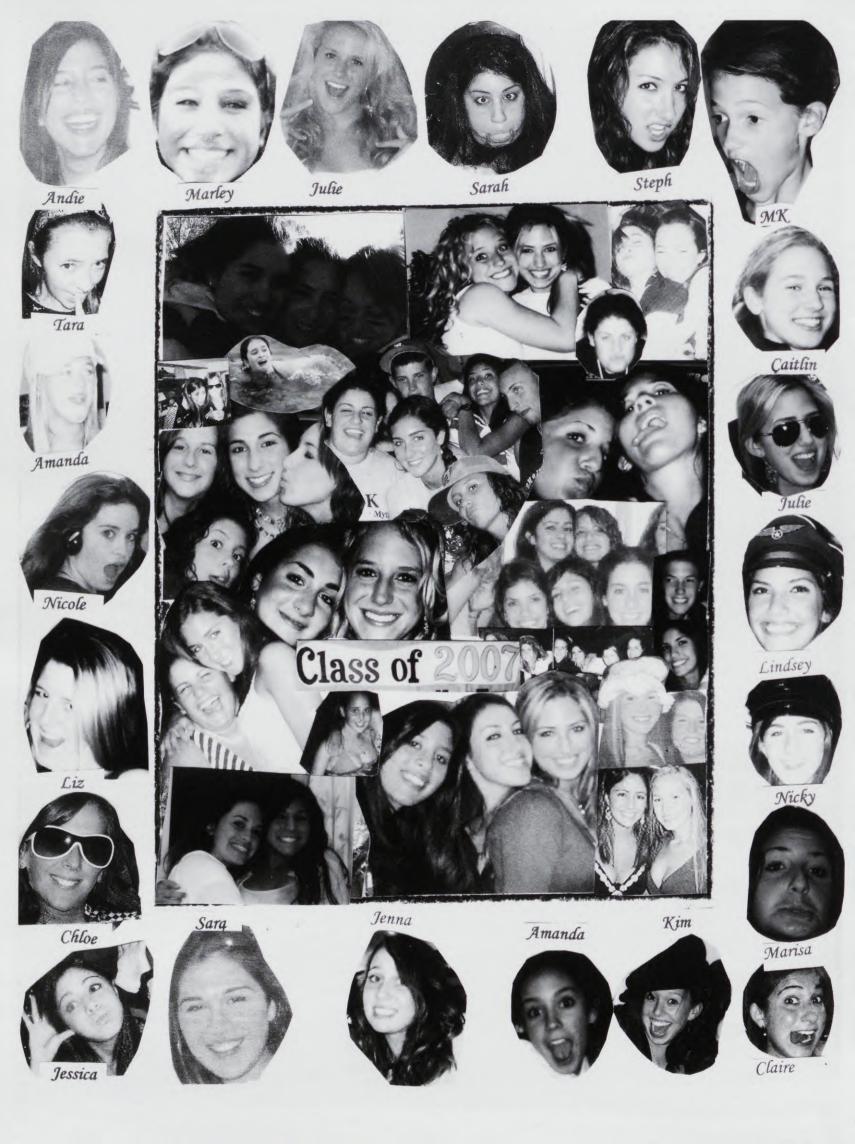




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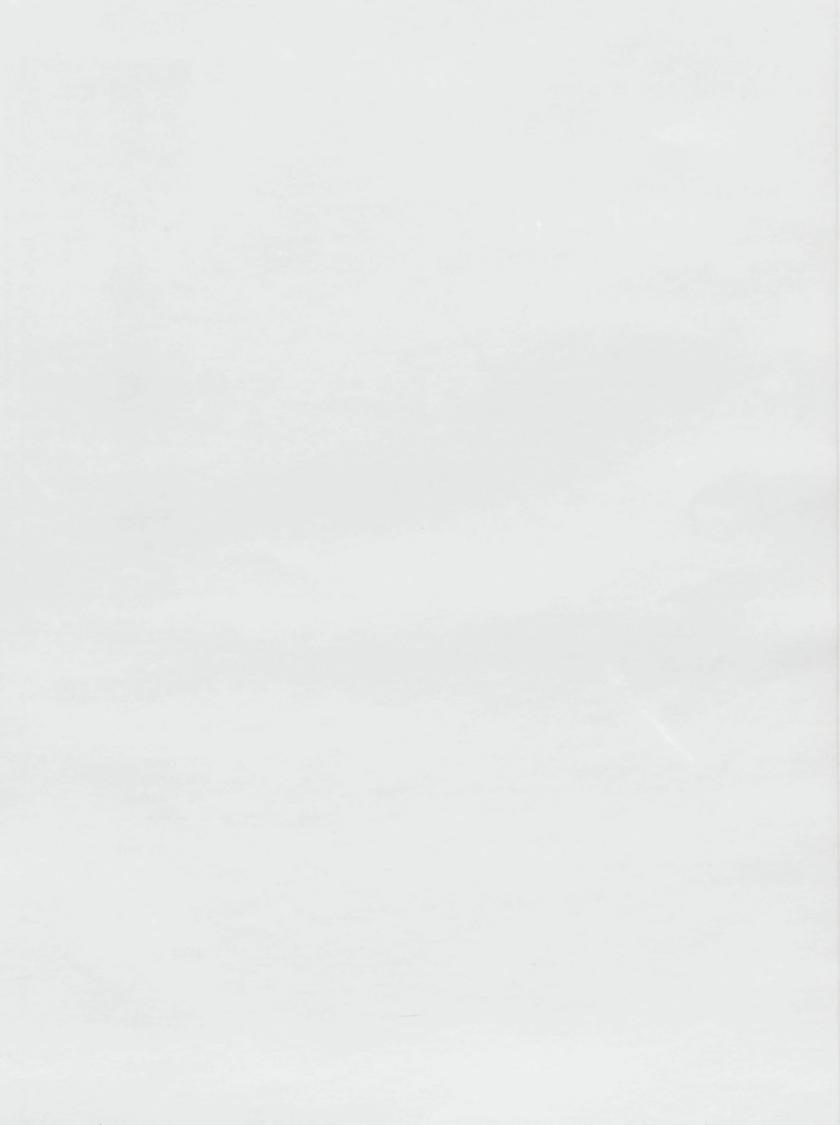
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