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Thirty days have September, April, June, and well everyone knows how the rest of it goes. Every four years there's a special day added to the calendar which makes that year different from previous years, and in some ways better. The same could be said for the class of 1992, a collection of varied personalities with a single driving characteristic, to outdistance the accomplishments of previous graduating classes. In the past, many classes attempted to make a similar claim, but not one of those classes could support their premise like the class of 1992. Thanks to Matt Block and Miss Holmok, we were the first class to have a junior trip to Hershey Park. At no other time were two people chosen to lead the marching band as drum majors for more than one year. Darryll Charles and Mark Stern led our band through half-time routines and numerous competitions in both our junior and senior years. They were also out in front in Charleston, South Carolina and at Giants Stadium. We were the first class to perform songs during the holidays at the senior citizens nursing home two years in a row; Jason Brown and Jaime Jandoli highlighted the performances with spirited duets. We were the only class to have leaders return to the summer TIGS program, and the first class to have so many students interested in journalism that it became necessary to have two separate newspaper staffs. Some members of the class were selected to attend the prestigious Governor's School at Trenton State. Chris Patti and Terri Randall participated in an environmental studies program and Jason Brown studied the performing arts. Although in reality we only had one extra day, the class of 1992 succeeded to **leap beyond** other classes.



While conversing with Governor Jim Florio, Terri Randall (center) poses with a number of her peers at the Governor's School. She spent the summer studying at the Governor's School for environmental studies.

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Mark Stern and Matt Block psych themselves up for an action-packed day at Hershey Park. They helped make the first junior class trip a huge success.



Darryll Charles prepares the band for a competition. As a result of Darryll's hard work, the band won numerous awards.



At the summer TIGS program, Stephanie Suriano, Michael Koutouzakis, Amy Ferguson, and Jodi Young join together in order to spread "wellness" and prevent substance abuse. They spent five days leading the "Tiggers" through the annual event.

"As soon as this picture is taken, we can go swimming," promises Jon Shiller to his group of five year old boys. Jon spent eight weeks during the summer as a Junior Counselor at Jefferson Lakes Day Camp in Stanhope, N.J.



"We've got spirit, yes we do! We've got spirit, how 'bout you?" scream the Mountaineer cheerleaders during a week-long cheerleading camp at Montclair State College. At camp, the cheerleaders spent endless hours preparing themselves to support their athletic teams throughout the upcoming year.

After several hours of strenuous hiking, Debbie Bodner is thankful for the opportunity to cool off under the waterfalls of Ein Ghedi, a desert oasis. Debbie spent six weeks exploring Israel with teens from across the country.



Josh Pianko, Cindy Gelber, and Dov Radzik take time out from their vacation in Israel. They toured the country for two weeks, spending three days in Jerusalem.



DEFINITION: *Summer Vacation*

— That glorious period of time between the end of June and the beginning of September, when school is out and there's no homework, tests, or reports to worry about. The weather is hot and sunny, perfect for picnics, sunbathing on the beach or swimming in the ocean.

For the Class of 1992, the Summer of '91 was certainly not ordinary. While we did take advantage of the blue skies and warm sun, many members of the senior class went a **leap beyond** the usual summer plans to broaden their horizons and improve their skills.

Many seniors took on summer jobs. While earning money is usually the main incentive for getting a job, this year's seniors went the extra mile to find jobs that they were truly interested in and which would provide experience that would be helpful in the future. Others chose to make travel a part of their summer plans. Some seniors ventured across the world to visit relatives to learn about their backgrounds and the cultures in foreign countries. There were still other seniors who were so dedicated to their sports or extracurricular activities that they gave up vacation time to attend training camps. Our last summer as high school students certainly proved that the Seniors of 1992 were willing to go a **leap beyond** the average to be the best.

A Rite of Passage: Becoming a SENIOR

In the 70's and 80's, the country was trying to understand and accept the women's movement. The 90's saw the advent of the men's movement. One movement which is not restricted to a given decade and rarely receives national recognition, because it has existed for as long as there have been high schools, is the **Senior Movement**. While there may be degrees of difference between being a freshman, sophomore, and a junior, there is nothing like being a senior! The event which signals the onset of the right of passage to the lofty status of senior is the annual car decoration ceremony at the Caldor parking lot. On the morning of the first day of school, this celebration officially rings in the senior year.

Along with the constant activity that fills senior year comes the joys and disappointments that every senior experiences at one time or another. In the Spring of 1991, before we had even become seniors, we voted for the president, vice president, secretary, and treasurer who would lead our class through senior year. Many seniors also ordered class rings during sophomore and junior year, so that they would have them to wear before senior year got underway.

The summer flew by and we found ourselves shocked on that day in late September when we frantically lined up outside our assigned classrooms to be informed of that fateful number, our class rank. Soon came that evening of September 25, when the spirited seniors gathered at the Degnan Field House to paint signs informing the entire school that the seniors were the very best! Seniors also showed their spirit by wearing their senior shirts and cheering wildly in support of the athletic teams at the pep rally. As we came to realize that the end of our high school years was quickly becoming a reality, we often found ourselves in the library at mini-college days or in the guidance office discussing our future plans with our guidance counselors. While there will probably always be a **Senior Movement**, the Class of 1992 certainly experienced their Rite of Passage through a series of noteworthy events.



"A senior is a person who can serve as a role model for underclassmen. Being Senior Class President makes me very proud. After planning and executing activities and events for the class, I felt a deep sense of accomplishment."

— Missy Rizzo

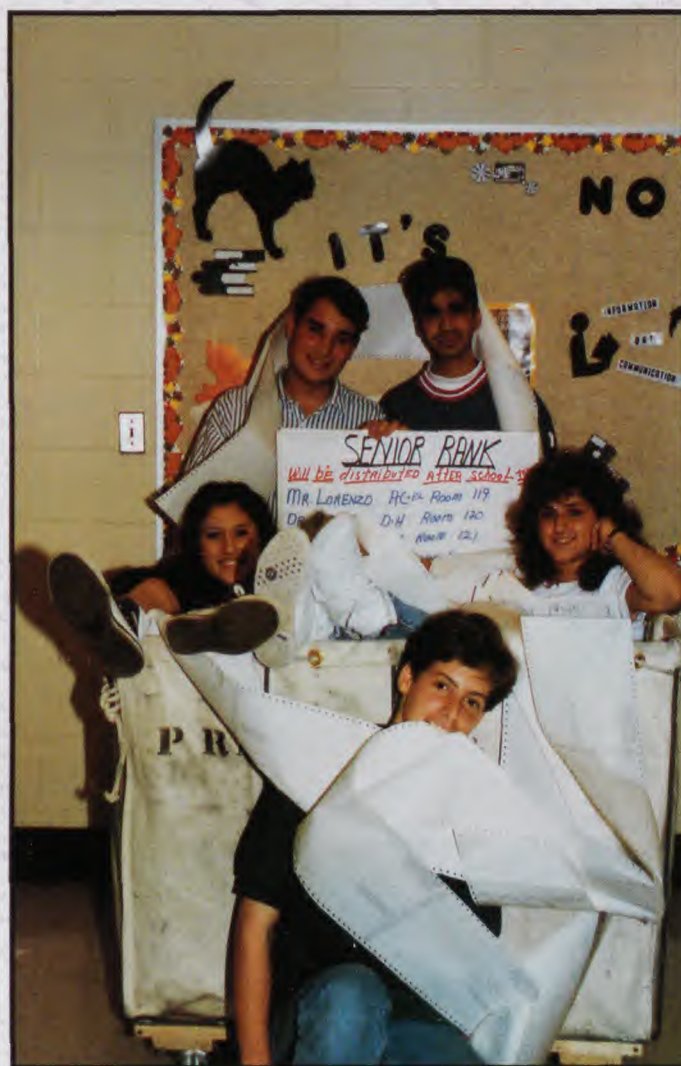


Treasurer Paul Fisher, responsible for balancing the senior class checkbook, is being balanced by the senior class Secretary Jackie Herinya, President Missy Rizzo, and Vice-President Anna Scalora.

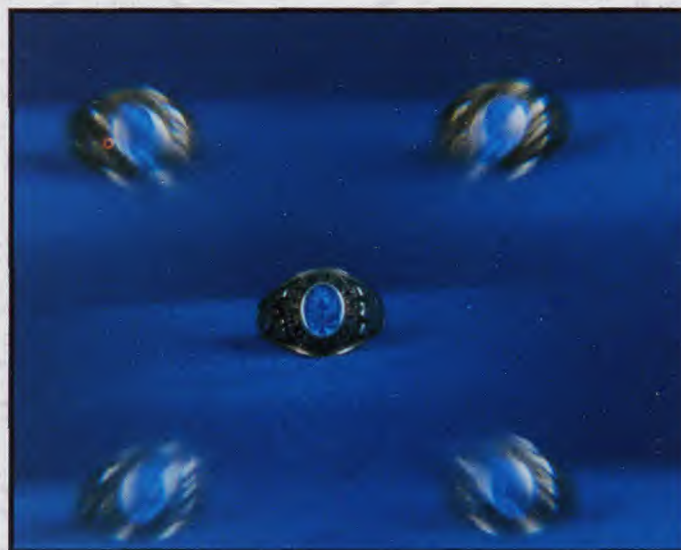


Todd Forman clutches the strings of senior spirit at the pep rally. The energy of the seniors alone could have carried him off without the aid of balloons.

"Whoever said you have to be organized to be successful?" ask Panos Lappas, Vivek Nasta, Jenny Piro, Stephanie Suriano, and Greg Favalora. These seniors were ranked at the very top of the class of 1992.



Jennifer Buck, Tara Lutkins, Jason Brown, Sandy Ferrara, Karen Frucci, and Missy Rizzo prove that not everyone dreads the first day of school.



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STUDENT LIFE

Choreau once wrote, "If a man does not keep pace with his companions, perhaps it is because he hears a different drummer. Let him step to the music which he hears, however measured or far away." The class of 1992 created an atmosphere that allowed each member the freedom to step to a different drummer.

The class of 1992 participated in not only the traditional activities and organizations vital to a high school curriculum, but also instituted a group of social awareness programs that expressed our concern for one another. The monotony of daily life was disrupted by a menagerie of activities that required extra time, effort, and support from each student involved. We accepted this challenge as an opportunity to transcend the usual student life. It was this **leap beyond** that made all the difference.

The class of 1992 pursued all their activities with determination and hope. The enthusiasm strengthened the overall product of all their hard work. The contributions that they made to WOHS were successful and will be everlasting. As we left to pursue other interests we took with us the eagerness and zealousness that accompanied us during our high school years. It is not often that a class provides such intensity as we did. **Take Note**, for the class of 1992 was nothing less than superior in all of its endeavors. Our constant involvement, and ever-present desire to push beyond, created a cheerful optimism about life's possibilities and the marvels that awaited the class of 1992.

A LEAP BEYOND

Working 9-2 Five

As the typical student looked forward to the day's end, he/she thought of relaxing in front of the television. A great majority of the class of 1992 were exceptions to this routine, though. Many students extended themselves beyond the realm of high school by obtaining part-time jobs. They not only tackled the pressures of senior year, but took on the added responsibilities of employment.

Employment, as any working student would admit, took a lot of time and effort. These members of the senior class learned to budget their time so that they could hold jobs in addition to remaining active in the extensive array of school related activities. How did these students juggle their work schedules along with their extracurricular activities

and keep up with their studies? Some students had lenient bosses who were willing to change work hours to accommodate the busy and involved schedules of the members of the class of 1992. Some bosses weren't as understanding of the hectic lives that so many of the seniors led. These student/workers were forced to bring their homework with them to work, and tried to complete it with any free time available.

Did employment interfere with the responsibilities that students must take on during senior year?

"I think that they work too many hours," stated Ms. Damiano, senior class advisor. "They should have more time to enjoy their senior year." Mr. Pendergast, her co-advisor agreed. "Senior year is a time to become

involved in the school as much as possible." So, if work seemed to intrude on the exciting events of senior year, why did so many students choose to work?

"Working is a good experience," noted Sonya Battista, an employee at Metropolitan Plant Exchange. "It has taught me to better budget my time and money."

In reality, money was the main reason for student employment. The expenses of senior year, roughly \$700.00, was reason enough to get a job. A job also represented an opportunity for high school students to become responsible for their own time and money.

Success at a job indicated maturity and showed a sense of independence by the working members of the class of 1992.



One of Maria Sgourdas' responsibilities as an employee of Pathmark is organizing videos. Maria devoted many hours to her after school job.

Working at "His Place" in the Livingston Mall, Melani Michael distributes catalogues to promote the store's merchandise.





FLOWERS, FLOWERS, AND MORE FLOWERS! Sonya Battista is surrounded by flowers as she arranges a bouquet at the Metropolitan Plant Exchange where she worked 16 hours a week.



"Would you like chocolate or vanilla yogurt?" inquires an interested Asher Brown. Asher spent many after school hours working at TCBY on Eagle Rock Avenue.

“I’m going on a PICNIC”



Sergio Tapia

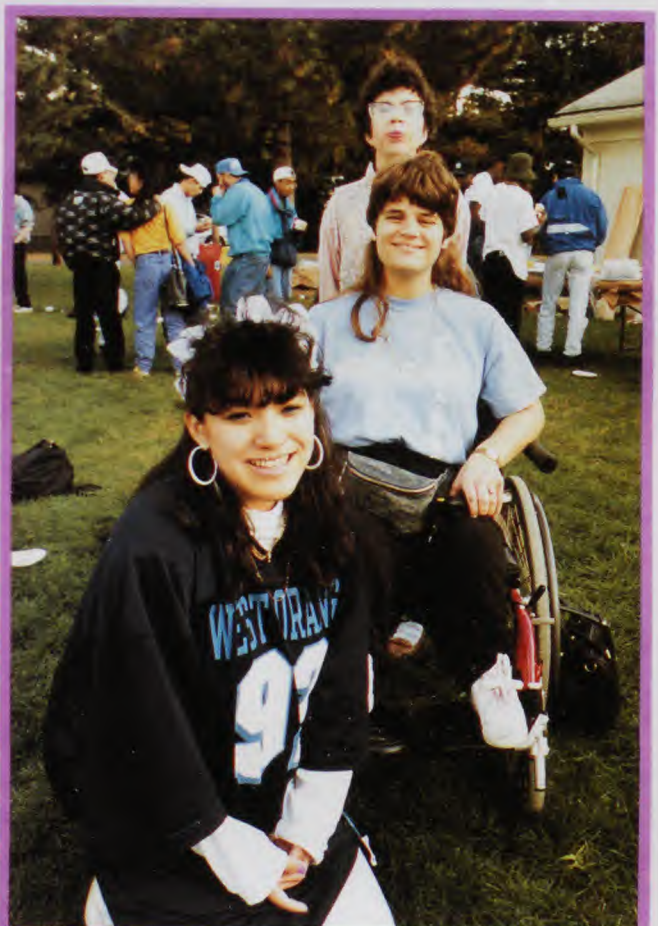


(Top) Shan Lee, Jenny Chin and Noreen Chua realize that it's extremely difficult to hula hoop with three people inside one hoop.

(Bottom) “Pull harder!” scream the senior boys as they work together to win the tug of war.



Dr. Suprina gets a laugh out of the expression on Alex Fertig's face. Alex was one of several courageous students to tackle the pie eating contest.



Susan Chin, Cheryl Rizzolo, and Tara O'Hare take a break from the day's activities to enjoy the beautiful weather.

Dressed to the 9's

Noemi Acuna and Tara Lutkins

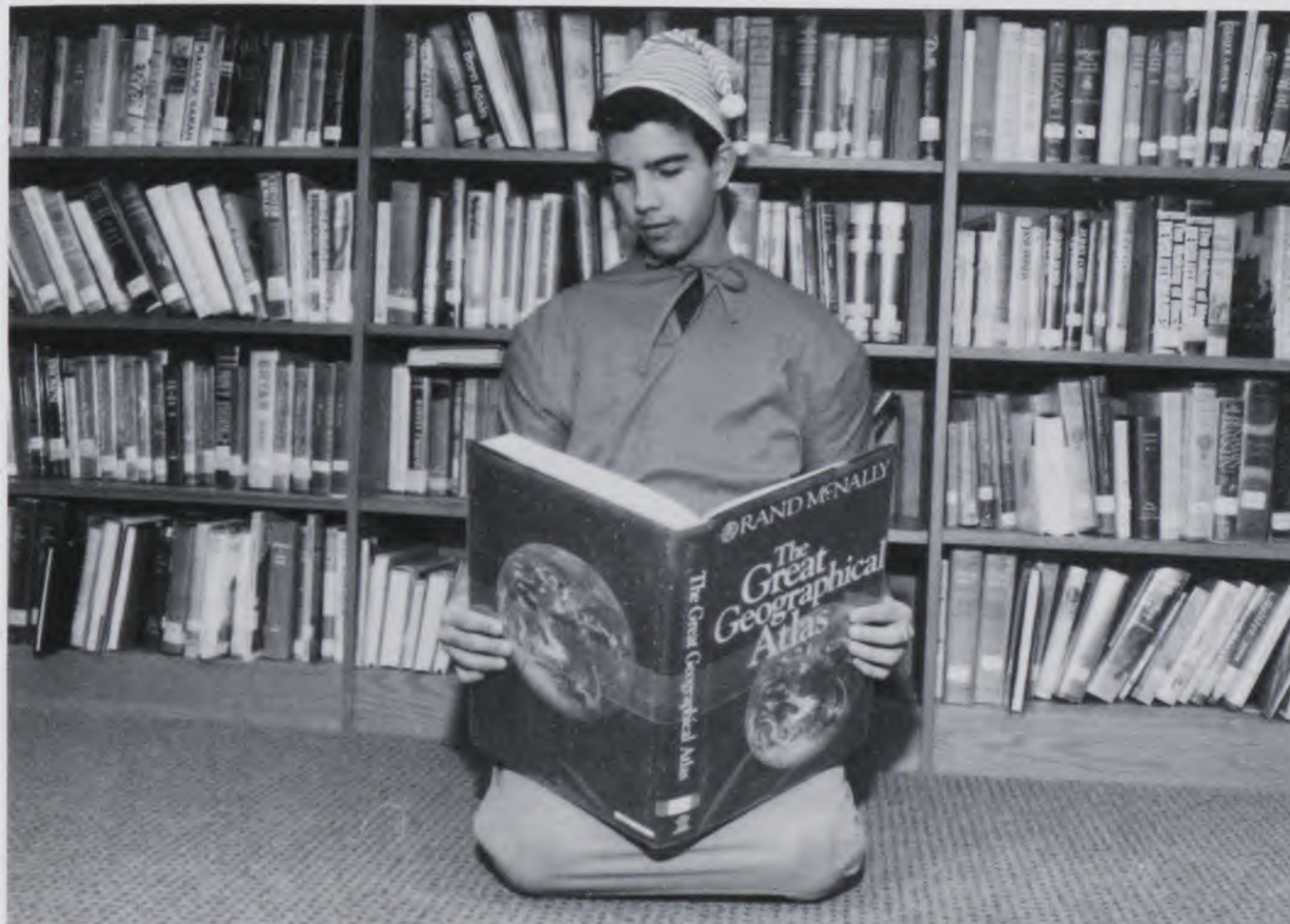


"All dressed up with someplace to go!" Lana Biniukow and Tracy Walter enjoy the Junior Prom by dancing the night away.



Recognize these soccer players out of uniform? Jorge Montes De Oca, Omar Gonzalez, Lou Mari, Howie Lesnik, and Chris Clarizio had a great time 'hanging out' at the Junior Prom.

2 Comfortable to Care



Roger Krikorian relaxes in his comfortable night cap while surveying an atlas to discover where he'll be after graduation.



Chansoo takes time off from class to play in the Park.

Sporting 'the casual look' are Hazel Tolentino, Melissa Yao and Evan Braunstein.



"We would not be here tonight without the understanding of our mentors. You have set the foundation of our future. We have learned well from your examples."

— Aurora Oliva

"Every person has something to offer. We should take advantage of the diversity of our world, for then we will undoubtedly gain an understanding of one another."

— Jamie Bussel



"We are all special in some way. It is up to each of us to use what we are given in the best possible way. We must help others to see goodness in the world."

— Paul Fisher



Dr. Richard Suprina, Superintendent of Schools, praises the inductees for their hard work and dedication.



Gregg Favalora, Honor Society President, accepts his certificate from Mr. Tarnoff. Dr. Bearg, advisor, makes the introduction.

"Do you really want to exist or do you want to make the world a better place? I think we have a duty to contribute some part of ourselves to improve the world." — Zeno Lee



Dr. Suprina urges NHS inductees to continue to Strive For Excellence.

On December 9, 1991, thirty-nine WOHS seniors were recognized as outstanding achievers during the National Honor Society Induction ceremony. They were selected as NHS members because they fit the ideals under which the society was established. Each student had achieved exemplary grades, a strong character, and had provided service and leadership to WOHS and the community. Dr. Bearg, the NHS advisor, began the ceremony with a quote from Thurgood Marshall as he stepped down as a Supreme Court justice, "I did the best I could with what I had." She praised the students and urged them to be the best that they can be.

Gregg Favalora, president of the National Honor Society, expressed his ideas about the achievements of all the NHS members. "All of us here tonight have our own visions, our own personalities, our own qualities which will, we hope, lead us to be the dignified backbone of society."

Prior to the induction ceremony, four other students were selected to speak. Zeno Lee, Paul Fisher, Jamie Bussel, and Aurora Oliva addressed the gathering. Zeno spoke of the potential that the group had for success. He stressed the importance of improving the world. "I think we have a duty to contribute some part of ourselves to improve the world."

Aurora Oliva believed that many youths of today had lost out on both family and education, two necessities of life. She felt that the ceremony was held not just to honor the accomplishments of the students, but also to acknowledge the parents and teachers who had set the foundation for our future. "Parents and teachers, tonight's ceremony conveys the message that we have learned well from your examples and wisdom."

Jamie Bussel spoke of the change that each individual in the audience experienced and would continue to undergo. She equated the new experiences that will face the students to those experiences that confronted Alice in Wonderland. The students would shortly be filled with amazement that one has when facing a new experience and like Alice, "... we will once again be faced with the question of where we should go from here?"

The last speaker, Paul Fisher, provided the audience with a unique anecdote, for which he made an analogy. Paul described a building that was once situated in a busy city. The building housed a group of elderly people in a large, musty, dark room. The aged people could not walk or move. A man named Mr. Levy had his bed situated near one window in the room. Everyday he would keep the elders in high spirits by reporting to them the events that occurred outside the window. He would tell of the playing children, young couples, the cars, and the sun. One day, after twenty years of giving his enlightening report to the group, Mr. Levy died rather suddenly. His death brought utter sadness to the aged people, not just because of the loss of Mr. Levy's life, but because of the uplifting reports on which they had thrived. After much consideration, a new man was chosen to be moved near the window to carry on Mr. Levy's tradition. The group waited eagerly to hear the report from the new man, but there was none, for the window led only to a brick wall. Paul explained that, "We must, like Mr. Levy, help others to see the goodness and happiness in the world ... It is up to us to see through the brick wall and show others what is on the other side."

This year's honored guest was Dr. Richard Suprina, new Superintendent of Schools. He proclaimed that the NHS members must continue to strive to excel and reminded each member of the importance of being sensitive and tolerant to all mankind.



1992 NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

It's 6:AM —

Do you know where your children are?

It was 7:30 AM on Thanksgiving morning and the clamor of an alarm clock could be heard in the homes of 130 seniors. Where were they going so early on a holiday morning? They were all heading to the Holiday Inn in Livingston for the eighth annual Senior Breakfast. When everyone arrived at the hotel, they were presented with an imponderable amount of food — everything from pancakes to fruit. While the seniors helped themselves to the large buffet, they all psyched themselves up for the Homecoming Game, which would occur later in the day at Essex Catholic.

During the morning excitement, seniors extended themselves "to be seen" by the camera or interviewed for the television show. After the candid shots were taken and all the interviews were completed, the seniors were asked to pose for a group picture. The enthusiasm of the students had a positive effect because it helped to unify the senior class. According to Ms. Damiano, one of the senior class advisors, "I hope as much enthusiasm is shown on the senior trip!"

More than the hotel required minimum 100 seniors attended, and many came before the breakfast began in order to decorate. According to Mr. Prendergast, one of the senior class advisors, "the success of the breakfast was guaranteed by the enthusiasm of the senior class."

After the Breakfast, Mr. Tarnoff noted that, "The Thanksgiving Day Breakfast is a wonderful tradition that allows seniors, faculty, and administrators to enjoy 'breaking bread' with one another and be thankful for the good times and opportunities that we share at WOHS. The spirit and enthusiasm generated by the Class of 1992 helped make this annual event a great success."



Jacki, Debbie, and Mara — on diets?

Jaime Jandoli





With the end of soccer season, Omar Gonzalez no longer has to watch his weight. Taking advantage of this opportunity, he piles on the calories.



The Breakfast Club zonks out after the incredibly early morning activities. Howard Agriss, Stacey Lopez, Rosa Catalano, Maria Geanoulis, and Carlo Abad obviously had too much to eat.

1991 Homecoming court and escorts: Brent Davis, Jamie Bussel, Jen Colonna, Hakan Erpanur, Missy Rizzo, and Matt Reimer.



Honored for their continued involvement with football are Bobby Colucci and his parents.



Homecoming Queen, Jennifer Colonna, with Jamie Bussel and Missy Rizzo at her sides, enjoys the cheers of the crowd during the honorary ride around the field in Mr. Lorenzo's convertible.

Jaime Jandoli, accompanied by her parents, is honored for the spirit and enthusiasm she contributed to the entire sports season as a WOHS cheerleader.



THANKS MOM, DAD . . . AND JEN

It wasn't held on Thanksgiving, as it had been in the past, but it was certainly a day to give thanks. In a pre-game ceremony, parents and guardians of senior members of the band, cheering squad, and football team were introduced to the crowd. They were applauded for all of the sacrifices they made so that their children could participate in school activities. This gesture of thanks for all the adjustments made in the family routine became a traditional part of Homecoming. Parents finally received credit for serving as short order cooks, chauffeurs, and ego-reinforcers. Mr. Tarnoff noted, "We appreciate the time and effort that has been expended on behalf of the students and the West Orange community."

The drama of the day heightened during half-time when the contestants for Homecoming were led onto the field by their escorts. The nominees were selected by their classmates through a survey given to all seniors. Only the name of the winner was withheld. Missy Rizzo, escorted by Matt Reimer, was recognized for her leadership of the class of 1992 in her role as class president. Jamie Bussel, escorted by Brent Davis, was saluted for her participation in tennis and her newspaper and yearbook editorial positions. Jen Colonna, escorted by Hakan Erpanur, received the ultimate honor in being named Homecoming Queen. Jen, a cheerleader and newspaper editor, was a crowd favorite as she was driven around the track in Mr. Lorenzo's convertible with Missy and Jamie at her sides. For Jen it was "like a dream that she hoped would never end; it was the most overwhelming feeling standing out on the field."

For everyone who witnessed the events of the day, including a 33-20 triumph over West Side, it was a chance to say thanks to the many people, parents and students, who made significant contributions to the co-curricular program.



Marc Sachs and his proud parents celebrate his participation and four year membership as a marching mountaineer.

"I stood there on the field overwhelmed with joy. I didn't think I deserved such an honor and wanted to thank the people who thought I did."

— Jen Colonna

"I was thrilled to be a part of the Homecoming court. Jen is a wonderful person and a special friend, worthy of the ultimate honor she received."

— Jamie Bussel



"Homecoming '91 was a very special day for Jen. I am so glad that Jen will always have in her memory the day her schoolmates honored her."

— Mrs. Kathie Colonna

"I was surprised and overwhelmed when I found out I was chosen. It was a great pleasure to see someone as deserving as Jen receive the award."

— Missy Rizzo

Mrs. Williamson, choral director, successfully leads the choral presentation at the Winter Concert.



Rachel Ginsberg contributes to the sounds of music.



New Director Raises Choir an Octave

Stephanie Palmieri joins in the singing of "Let the River Run", at the Winter Concert.



New developments in the choral program were ever-present during 1991-1992. The most obvious change was the arrival of the new choral director, Mrs. Ginny Williamson, who made significant contributions to the choral program. As the choral teacher, she provided innovative and creative additions to the seasonal concerts, which kept the students interested and the audiences pleased. "Mrs. Williamson brought us many new pieces. The selections of music that she chose were very interesting," explained choral member Darryll Charles. Mrs. Williamson described the students she worked with as "a very talented and dedicated group."

Students involved with the choral program devoted long hours perfecting their performances. During the school day, the chorus and concert choir sharpened their vocal skills, and studied different styles of music from various time periods. The chamber singers, which met after school, were a select group composed of twelve members. The pieces they sang were characteristic of the Renaissance Period. The chorus and concert choir worked in unison to produce a Pops Concert in February that featured a medley of songs from such Broadway shows as "Miss Saigon" and "Little Shop of Horrors."

One of Mrs. Williamson's unique ideas, something that she worked on at the school where she taught prior to coming to West Orange, was a Broadway show choir. The **Broadway Show Choir** featured a revue of famous Broadway songs. Their dance routines were choreographed by a professional choreographer.

Under the direction of Mrs. Williamson, the various choral groups performed at three concerts during the year. All the singers devoted additional time to perform for several special events, including the Honor Society Induction and the graduation ceremonies. Small groups also sang for the senior citizens of the community, the West Orange Rotary Club, children in the child development classes, and other service organizations.

Jason Brown and Darryll Charles, two choral members, received significant honors, most notably their selection as members of the Regional Chorus. Jason remarked that, "Singing is something that I have always enjoyed. To me, it is a relaxing and very pleasurable experience."



CONCERT CHOIR

Showstopping Performers They've Got the Beat

The **marching band** owed much of its success to the dedicated direction of Mr. Thomas Maliszewski and the field leadership of drum majors Mark Stern and Darryll Charles. Similarly to athletic teams at WOHS, the Marching Mountaineers began rigorous training prior to the first day of school. Band camp, an intense training session, afforded the band time to practice the difficult routine that they performed throughout the football season. There, they perfected their performance of such songs as "Panama", "Unchained Melody", "Glory of Love", and "Obla Di Obla Da".

The band participated in three competitions, including a competition in Giants Stadium, where they placed fifth out of nineteen bands. Mr. Maliszewski noted that having Darryll and Mark as band majors for the second consecutive year was extremely beneficial. "They provided a perfect blend of fun and work," stated Mr. Mal.

As the fall season came to a close, musically gifted students moved inside and contributed to both the jazz band and concert band. The **jazz band** was com-

posed of saxophones, trombones, trumpets, and a rhythm section. Each member was required to audition. "The jazz band was," according to Mr. Mal, "probably the group most active in performing for community functions." Such functions included a performance at the JCC, the Rotary, the secretaries' luncheon, and Dr. Donovan's testimonial dinner.

The 1991-1992 **concert band** combined both marching band and jazz band members. It also included many talented students not involved in either of these bands. The concert band practiced each day during school and performed three concerts during the year, as well as performing during the graduation ceremonies.

In addition to the concert band and the jazz band, the '**pit band**', acquiring its name from the area in the auditorium from which they performed, supplied all the music for the school's musical, "West Side Story."

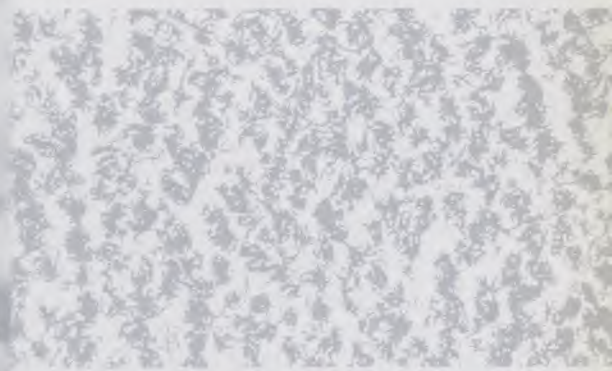
Indeed, the 1991-92 year was filled with significant musical accomplishments, each that should be **taken note** of for quality musical performance.



Jennifer Piro (center) demonstrates her mastery of the saxophone.



CONCERT BAND



Jason Steele during a solo at half time.



Gregg Favalora shows the concentration that earned him All-Area band honors.



Jacki Phillips provides the melody on the flute.

Course Credit Plus a Salary . . . What a Deal!

The class of 1992 was often recognized for its ability and strong desire to exceed the expectations set for them. Thirty nine seniors extended themselves beyond the routine schedules that most high school students followed by joining the Cooperative Education Program. This program provided many opportunities not available to other seniors that would prove beneficial in Co-op students' futures.

The students were required to be in school for three to four hours each day, during which time they attended core curricular classes. One of these classes was taught by their individual Coop advisor (Mr. Buzzelli — Industrial Work, Mrs. Antonacci — Health Careers, or Mrs. Berman — Office Occupations). Speakers often came to address the students about various occupations and career opportunities. During these presentations, all of the Co-op students gathered together, usually in the LMC to learn about such practical concerns as money management, benefits and deductions, or trade school oppor-

tunities. After the students left school, they usually went to their jobs where they worked a minimum of 15 hours each week. Many students sacrificed what would otherwise have been free time to work a maximum of 33 hours per week.

The Co-op program offered its students the chance to become a part of the work force before most other teenagers. This experience taught students many things that could not be offered in the classroom. These students learned about the responsibilities of being employed, which included money management and working with and under the supervision of adults.

The Cooperative Education Program provided an option for seniors to explore their interests while still part of the everyday life of high school.

According to Mr. Steven Kehayes, "The best feature of a program like Co-op is that it provides students with real life experiences. The students have the responsibilities of adults while still in school."



1991-92 Co-op



Mr. Mike Morrow shows Carlo Abad a finished product at Creative Classics.

Tommy Tafro receives instructions in the use of a paint roller at the Atkins and Kent Construction Company.



Sandi Ferrara (center) shows one of the many Hallmark offerings at Dale's Drugs to Jamie Bussel and Janice Braverman.



Robert Chiovaro, under the watchful eye of former WOHS Co-op student Ray Gross at Pleasantdale Pizzeria.

Volunteers in Social Awareness...

Three clubs lead the way to social responsibility

The 1980's were often classified as the "me" decade. It was a time when a general desire to benefit oneself prevailed throughout the United States. By the time the 1990's began, people had become dissatisfied with the direction in which the country was headed, and some decided to do something about it. For many teenagers the solution was to become involved in organizations devoted to helping others and hopefully making the world a better place. At WOHS, students did their part by joining S.T.A.N.D., Lean On Me, and the Interact Club.

Students Taking on All New Dimensions, better known as **S.T.A.N.D.**, was formed in 1990 with the goal of providing an opportunity for young people to socialize without having to deal with the pressures of drugs and alcohol. S.T.A.N.D. hosted frequent Saturday night dance parties at the West Orange Community House, and each event was open to all teenagers in Essex County. According to Barbara Wofsy, the Student Assistance Coordinator at WOHS, and faculty advisor of S.T.A.N.D., "This is a program that is designed and run by teens. All students on the S.T.A.N.D. committee signed a 'Wellness Contract' which confirmed their commitment to remain drug and alcohol free, to work towards maintaining a healthy mind and body, and to treat others with hon-



Karen Thomas

esty and respect."

Lean On Me, a peer leadership group, also focused on physical and mental health. Its members also signed 'Wellness Contracts'. Students involved with Lean On Me frequently visited elementary schools, and through creative skits and discussions, they taught about the evils of drugs and alcohol. Lean On Me members also conducted workshops and sponsored programs to spread wellness within the high school.

Those students who wished to provide services for the school and the community joined the **Interact Club**. Interact, a branch of Rotary International, sponsored numerous activities, such as running the school store, ushering at most every school event, from Back to School to graduation, and assisting at the annual holiday party at the Community House nursery school. The Interact Club had one of the largest memberships in the school and was advised by Mrs. Fort.

Clearly the trend, at least at West Orange High School, at the beginning of the 90's was a shift in focus from 'me' to 'you' and finally to 'us'. Organizations like S.T.A.N.D., Lean On Me, and Interact were in the forefront of the social conscience movement. According to Interact Officer, Janice Braverman, "Much of this year's success was due to the willingness of the Interact members to serve others."



Dr. Richard Suprina meets with Interact officers Janice Braverman and Jon Shiller before an Interact meeting.



Stand sign-in



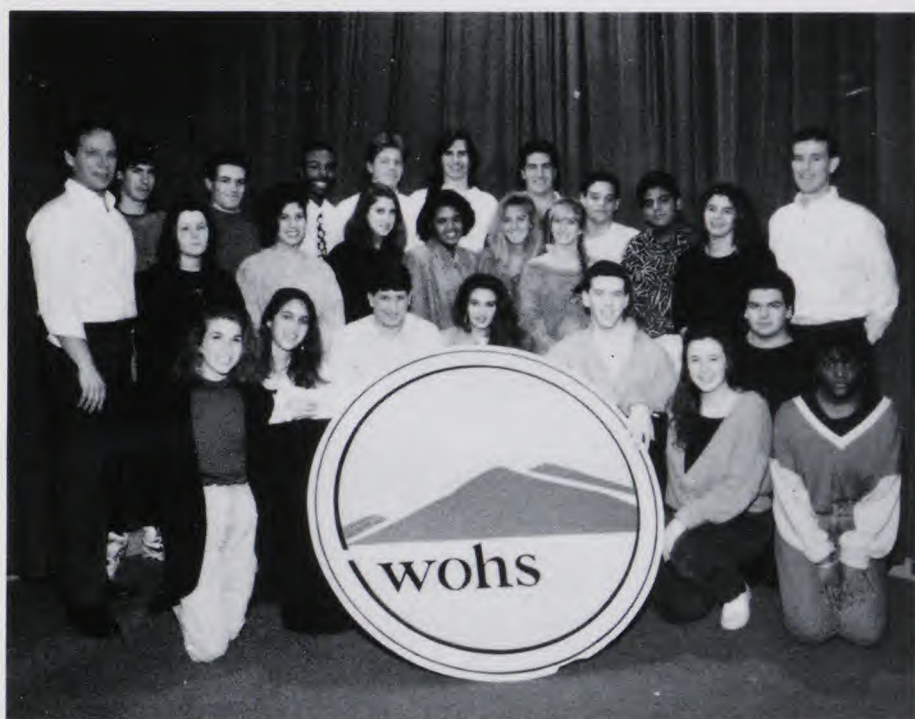
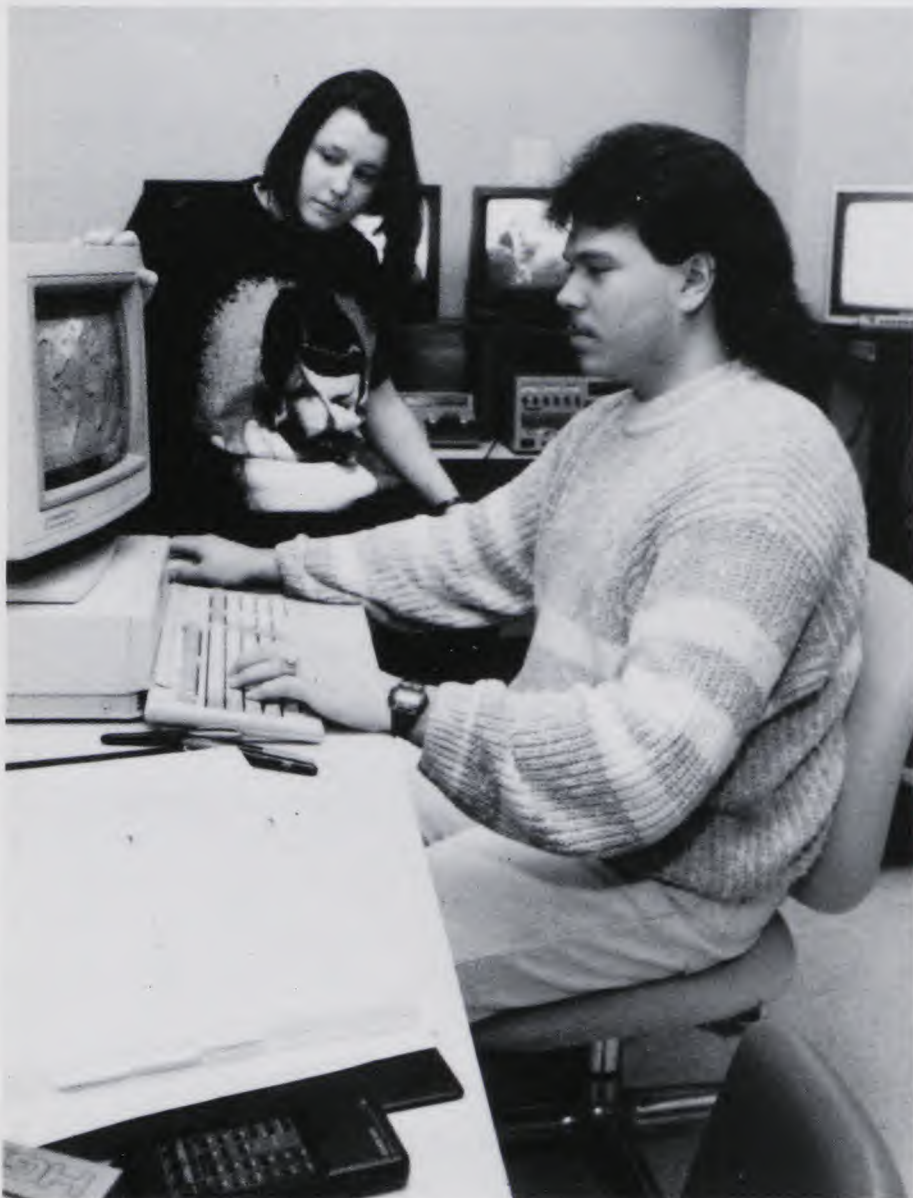
Karen O'Keeffe, Leanna Battista, Scott Jonas, Amy Ferguson, and Louise O'Neill share holiday wishes with Santa.



Barbara Wofsy, Lean On Me coordinator, reviews a skit with members.

Scanning the computer for graphics are Suzanne Berman and Assistant Media Specialist, Dave DaSilva.

Stephanie Suriano and Mr. Kale, District Media Coordinator, adjust the special effects generator while Jason Levine operates the video camera.



WOHS TV NEWS STAFF



Anchors Matt Block and Katerina Zachos, poised for the opening minutes of the news.



Creating a Quality Production That's the Issue

Providing the school and the community with information regarding noteworthy events was the priority of WOHS TV and *The Pioneer*. Members of both media productions investigated pertinent topics and presented them to the student body in the most interesting, accurate ways available. When students felt that the guidelines previously set hindered their ability to complete their jobs, they characteristically broke the mold.

The **WOHS TV NEWS** was anchored by Matt Block and Katrina Zachos. They opened the show each time it aired, but couldn't have done so without the dedication and hard work provided by coexecutive producers Jason Levine and Stephanie Suriano. Jason and Stephanie shouldered most of the responsibility for the production of the bi-monthly show. Mr. McCarthy and Mr. Kale advised the show, but always allowed the students to explore and use their creativity.

The 1991-92 show expanded upon previous years. Dr. Suprina, Superintendent of Schools, presented a program entitled "Your Schools" which highlighted people within the West Orange school district. "Let's Communicate," a Monday night series, featured discussions on important issues including alcohol, drugs, and gambling, geared for family viewing. The television crew also involved themselves in independent projects which resulted in such programs as a Halloween Special, an animation on the environment, seasonal sports wrap-ups, and a drama concerned with alcohol use.

The Pioneer, advised by Mr. Ehrlich, had the largest editorial staff ever during the 1991-92 school year, due to the level of students' interest and talent in newspaper production. For the first time, the editors were divided into two staffs, the blue crew and the white. This division enabled the students to produce twice as many issues as there had been in the past. Editors-in-chief Vivek Nasta, Debbie Bodner, Jennifer Colonna, and Chris Patti successfully delegated their authority, allowing the production of the newspaper to be efficient and worthy of praise.

The Pioneer was recognized for its excellence very early in the school year by receiving two awards. The first was an international first place award for superior achievement given by the *Quill and Scroll*, a publication that annually rates high school newspapers. The second was received from The National Scholastic Press Association which also gave *The Pioneer* a first place award.



The *Pioneer* editorial staff critiques a previous issue in an effort to improve future ones.



WOHS PIONEER STAFF

Mr. Schwartz, Model Congress advisor, consults with Debbie Paperman about a bill she plans to debate.



MOCK TRIAL



Chairman Jon Shiller listens to Party Leader Jon Teich as Debbie Paperman and Chairman Jason Lanyard conduct Model Congress business.

Panos Lappas reviews his cross-examination with Mr. Arleo, a lawyer who assists the student attorneys with their presentations.

Academic Acuity — the Forte of Cerebral Competitors

Every other week, members of the ACADEMIC QUIZ TEAM met after school with their new advisor, Ms. Pomar. Chris Patti, Liz Dyer, Henry Grosman, Jeff Weinstock, Mike Deutsch, Navneeth Thirmuli, and Utpal Pajvani prepared diligently for competition in various academic tournaments. To make their practices more enjoyable, buzzers were used to answer questions in six categories: Art/Music, Literature, Science/Math, History/Philosophy, Entertainment/Sports, and General Knowledge. During practices, passers-by joined the team to "play" in the model competition and test their knowledge of trivia. In the beginning, the team wasn't very competitive. However, after being escorted to the Morris Hills Tournament by limousine, the team's total score improved significantly. According to Ms. Pomar, "as time went on we gained confidence."

The MOCK TRIAL team spent many months preparing a civil suit that was created by the New Jersey Bar Association for model court competitions. Mr. Lawrence provided the forum needed for the team to prepare the case and questions for the witnesses. The 1991-92 school year was his first year as the team's advisor. He

proved to be very successful, despite having no background in law. The competitions took place in February and March at the Newark courthouse. The competitions between West Orange, Montclair Kimberly Academy, Newark Academy, and other neighboring schools were presided over by a judge at the courthouse.

A number of students who expressed an interest in government and politics participated in MODEL CONGRESS. Members of this club met twice a month to create bills and amendments to the constitution that were debated at the Model Congress convention in March at Montclair State College. Throughout the year, students honed their researching, debating, and public speaking skills, and, at the same time, refined their political views. Additionally, students had the opportunity to obtain leadership positions on Leadership Day at Rutgers University in mid-February. The positions available included committee chairs, overall chairs (in both the House and Senate), and party leaders. Mr. Schwartz, the advisor for Model Congress, assisted Jon Teich and Paul Fisher in their goal of securing the positions of party leader and party whip.



Riding in style are the Academic Quiz Team members Navneeth Thirmuli, Utpal Pajvani, Chris Patti, Henry Gosman, Jeff Weinstock and advisor, Ms. Pomar.

NO MINOR CULTURAL BARGAIN — THIS WAS A MAJOR S.A.L.E.

In most cases, whatever students learned in their course work, they had to wait some time to apply it. One notable exception was in the area of the foreign language program. The S.A.L.E. (Student Alternative Learning Experience) program began nineteen years ago when it was established by the Spanish Club at Mountain High School and subsequently, expanded to WOHS. Students of Spanish, French, and Italian taught their respective languages to children at the elementary schools all over town, and received Board of Education approved credit for forty hours of teaching. According to Mr. Lubiner, the Supervisor of the Foreign Language Department, "The program has enjoyed many successes over the years, and continues to do so, as evidenced by the outstanding evaluations that the students have received."

Two students who took advantage of the S.A.L.E. program were Jackie Herinya and Jason Stele, who taught French to first-graders for two years. Reflecting on her two years of S.A.L.E. experience, Jackie said, "We started teaching S.A.L.E. in our junior year. We taught for 30 minutes, once a week, from 2:30 to 3:00. We would say 'Bonjour, Classe' (Hello Class) and proceed to quiz our students on their names. Then, we would teach our lesson on colors, numbers, the alphabet, and many other things. Towards the end of class, we would play a game or give them candy as a reward for being so good and listening." When asked to sum up her experience in one sentence, she said, "It has inspired me to pursue a career in education."

Jason Stele, her teaching partner, also found his two years of teaching to be a rewarding experience. He said, "I felt a strong sense of accomplishment because at the end of every class, we would review previous lessons, and the children would remember everything." Jason believed that his success at teaching was facilitated by his previous experience with children; he worked at Flanders Day Camp over the summer, where he learned how to handle children well. When he was in fourth grade, he was in a French S.A.L.E. class, and was proud to say that he remembers everything that he learned. His exposure to French at an early age helped him to decide to study the language, and stick with it for five years.

Jason added that the benefits of his class extended outside the classroom. "One night, I was eating dinner at Chef Wong and I saw Jessica Lederer's little brother, Joshua. He ran up to me and shouted, 'Bonjour, Bonjour.' He wanted to sit and talk to me. He was so excited to see me; I was so flattered."

Both Jackie and Jason received endless amounts of personal gratification from their S.A.L.E. experience. They put a great deal of effort into teaching their classes and were rewarded for it. At the end of the year, the class threw them a party, and every student in the class made each of them a "thank-you" card. Mrs. Crompton, the first grade teacher at Redwood, noted that "Jackie and Jason did a fine job sharing their talents."



Jason Stele

"Being involved in S.A.L.E. requires a lot of sacrifice but in the end, it's well worth it."

— Jason Stele



Mrs. Crompton's first graders enjoy the games with their S.A.L.E. teachers, Jason Stele and Jackie Herinya.



Jackie Herinya

"The French language and culture mixed well with the children. They all looked forward to our class. The children were a pleasure to work with, and I'll miss them all very much."

— Jackie Herinya

Committee Chairs:

Karen O'Keeffe
Chandra Smith
Jessica Lederman
Janice Braverman
Mark Stern
Jamie Bussel Pres.
Suzanne Cohen
Louise O'Neill



Ready, Willing, and Able

Councils run a myriad of activities

Planning, organizing, and running events for either one class or the entire school was no small task. It took dedicated students and faculty members who were willing to devote their time and energies to create exciting class and school activities. This year's Senior Class Council and Student Council proved that they were both willing and able to do just that.

The Senior Class Council, led by President Missy Rizzo, VicePresident Anna Scalora, Secretary Jackie Herinya, Treasurer Paul Fisher, and advisors Mr. Prendergast and Ms. Damiano, worked hard to make the final year of high school memorable for the Class of '92. While the seniors participated in the traditional first day of school tailgate party, the Senior Breakfast, the overnight trip to Baltimore, the Prom, and

Project Graduation, the class of '92 also hosted a "Welcome Back Party" for the Class of 1991. "It was very successful. We were both pleased and surprised. It will certainly be held again in the future," stated Mr. Prendergast and Ms. Damiano.

Led by President Jamie Bussel, Vice-President Adriane Padakis, Secretary Terri Randall, Treasurer Priscilla Ng, and advisors Mrs. Ward, Ms. Risse, and Mr. Smeraldo, the Student Council also had a busy schedule. Monthly meetings, the Student/Faculty Volleyball game, shorts sales, and a trip to a Devils/Rangers game were all sponsored by the Student Council. According to Mr. Smeraldo, "We've really tried to run activities that would get everyone in the school involved. That's our mission!"

Student Council officers Adriane Padakis, Priscilla Ng, Jamie Bussel, and Terri Randall.



Adriane Padakis and Jamie Bussell consult Mr. Tarnoff about possible dates for the Student/Faculty Volleyball Game.



Senior class president Missy Rizzo and advisors, Ms. Damiano and Mr. Prendergast prepare for the 1992 senior trip.



Senior class officers and advisor Ms. Damiano struggle with Mr. Prendergast to convince him to see it their way.

REAP BENEFITS FOR UNITY

The Unity Club and the African-American Cultural Awareness Club promoted a positive environment in the school and in the community of West Orange, one in which individual differences were accepted and celebrated.

The Unity Club, composed of a seven person executive committee, was completely student run with the assistance and guidance of advisor, Mr. Schwartz. The club sponsored a Unity Day which was held to promote unity throughout the school. A cultural fair was held so that different cultural crafts, music, dance, and food could be displayed. The club took students to the American Crafts Exhibit, the Asia Society, the Chinese Institute, and a Holocaust program held at the JCC.

The Unity Club was also involved in a very successful program with Lean on Me and ESL (English as a Second Language) students. Members of the club provided assistance to ESL students in adjusting to a new country and settling into a new school.

Joining in the effort to spread cultural and racial harmony throughout the school, the African-American Cultural Awareness Club

celebrated Black History Month with the fourth annual African-American Awareness Dinner. The dinner featured a spirited musical presentation and a keynote speaker, Joyce Bryant, a councilwoman. According to Jason Brown, President of the club, "The goal of the AACA is to alert others of African American culture. By offering diverse programs to all people, we hope to achieve our goal successfully."

The Unity Club and the African-American Awareness Club combined in a joint effort to commemorate the life and message of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. through a series of programs during Black History Month. Such programs included a panel discussion which was composed of individuals associated with Dr. King during the height of the Civil Rights Movement. They shared their recollections and experiences. There was an evening performance of Martin Luther King's writings and a musical presentation. A student seminar was presented by the members of both clubs where the effects of prejudice and discrimination were demonstrated and ways to reduce such feelings were discussed.

"There are two things that all people need to grow and maximize to their full potential. One is roots and the other is wings. Our mission of the African-American Cultural Awareness Club is to help insure that our members develop strong roots in their heritage so that one day they can fly straight, free, and strong wherever they go!"

— Mrs. Martin



Shona Nester receives an honorable mention in the Black Senior Citizen Writing Contest sponsored by the Division of Aging of Essex County. Jason Wilhite presented her with the award.



Mayor Bielski of Ra'anana, Israel (right), thanks Terri Randall, Mike Deutsch, and Paul Fisher for their involvement in the donation of books to a new high school in Ra'anana, Israel.

Jason Brown and Terri Randall present advisor, Mrs. Martin, with a gift as a token of their appreciation for her support of the many African-American Awareness activities.

Keynote speaker, Joyce Bryant, reminds the audience of the importance of overcoming prejudice. She drew on her experiences during the 60's marches.

Unity Club advisor, Mr. Schwartz, and executive committee members Jill Lerner, Jason Wilhite, and Meneejeh Moradian prepare for Unity Day.



SEXUAL HARASSMENT

Saturday
29

February 1992



The whole truth and nothing but the truth so help them God? The professor and the judge

**Ozone Hole
Gapes Wider**

THOMAS VS. HILL

OCTOBER '91

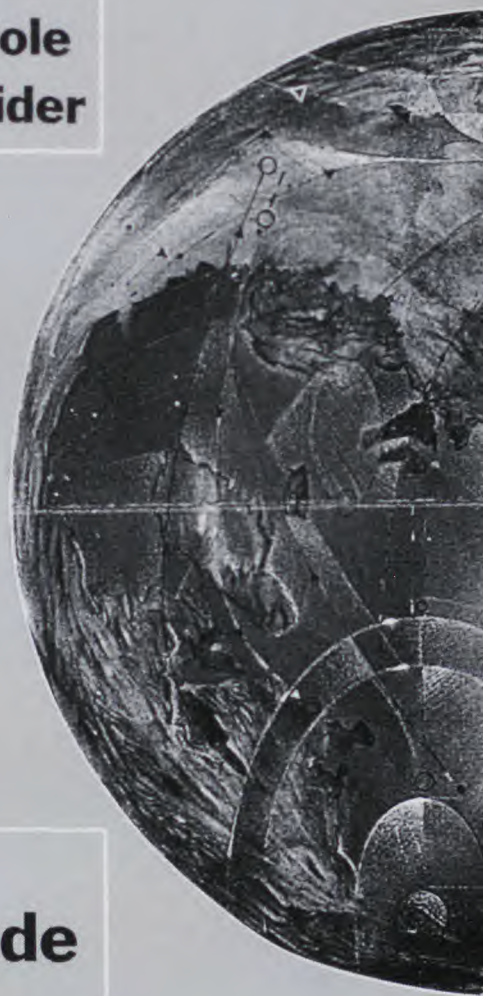
Hour after aching hour around the world, CNN carried Senate hearings on the clashing recollections of law professor Anita Hill and Supreme Court nominee Clarence Thomas.



William Kennedy Smith Trial



Pee-wee's goofy grin stands in sharp contrast to Reubens' somber mug shot



William Kennedy Smith Trial

SMITH VS. BOWMAN

DECEMBER '91

Rape is an important issue—and a ratings grabber. CNN aired a celebrity trial but concealed the accuser's name and face to respect a woman's privacy.

Taking Aim at Roe v. Wade



The Soviet Union is

PALM BEACH: Trial by Television

TIME

THE
SMILE
OF
FREEDOM

Terry Anderson's
terrible ordeal
■ The inside story of
the hostage release

Just Why Did Communism Fail?

Silicone Blues

Convicted serial murderer Jeffrey Dahmer



Magical Moments in Albertville



During the Winter Olympics, Bonnie Blair and Kristi Yamaguchi brought home three of the eleven medals won by U.S. athletes. 1992 marked the last year that the world would have to wait four years between each olympic competition.

earth talk

finished



Mr. Peterson

A B C's and H. I. V.

Spirit expressed
during pep rally

SENIORS!

Jeopardy dream becomes reality

Do the Poor Deserve Bad Schools?

Senior
Spirit

Paul Simon's
Concert In The Park



PIONEER

WOHS encourages unity

HALL PASS



HALL PASS

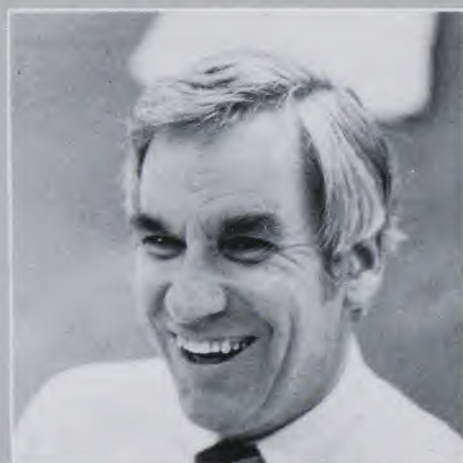
**Minni returns to
teaching after two
years as dean**





Gee. Which TV show do you think is hot? Could it be Beverly Hills, 90210?

TEACHER
OF
THE
YEAR



After 32 years of teaching social studies, Mr. Clifton Carlson was named "Teacher of the Year." His enthusiasm and dedication to teaching make him a role model in the teaching profession. It's teachers like Mr. Carlson who truly represent the spirit of education.

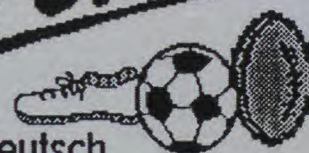


Vivek Nasta, this year's val-
edictorian, was an Editor-in-
Chief of *The Pioneer* and cap-
tain of the Cross-Country
team.

FALL SEASON

Sports Shorts

by Mike Deutsch



Bury wins All State honors



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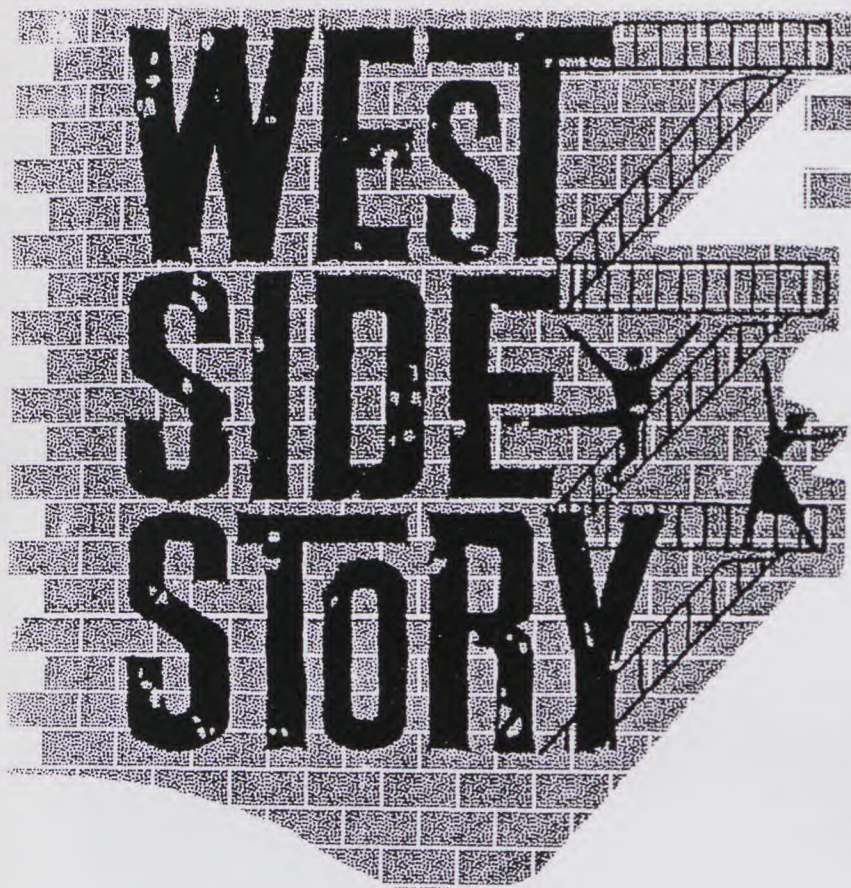
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Mica Gottesman, Jason Lanyard, Rebecca Dinnerstien

Features: Sue Berman, Jen Paull, Chrissy Hunt, Abby Phon, Rebecca Starret, Terri Sciaccheano

Sports: Mike Deutsch, Lina Libson, Pam Isaacson, Jeremy Kaufman, Kim Carter
Adviser: William Ehrlich

Israeli Mayor accepts gift of knowledge



Katerina Zachos, as Maria, and Matthew Reimer, as Tony, profess their love for one another on the balcony of Moleta's Dress Shop.



Anita adds the final touches on Maria's dress that she will wear to her first dance.

WEST ORANGE HIGH SCHOOL
presents

WEST SIDE STORY

ORIGINAL CONCEPT
by
JEROME ROBBINS

MUSIC BY LEONARD BERNSTEIN LYRICS BY STEPHEN SONDHEIM
BOOK BY ARTHUR LAURENTS

with

Robert Burgess	Raheem Mann
Matthew Block	Amy Michael
Jason C. Brown	Kate Minnock
Sara Carano	Ryan Noble
K. Darryll Charles	Jill Perlmutter
Brett Cuvin	Abby Phon
Rebecca Dinnerstein	Terri Randall
Paul Fisher	Marc Reimer
Avraham Furer	Matthew Reimer
Heather Giorgio	Patrick Scaglione
Jason Goldberg	Samantha Shefts
Eli Heilbrun	Eden Sherman
Scott Jonas	Nicole Spahle
Sarah Kaskel	Marc Stern
Erin Kelly	Antonio Tapia
Mike Koutouzakis	Sergio Tapia
Rebecca Krimmel	John Paul VanHegens

Katerina Zachos

PRODUCED and DIRECTED
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VIRGINIA WILLIAMSON

ORCHESTRA DIRECTOR
TOM MALISZEWSKI



Heather Giorgio, foreground, as Anita, leads the Sharks' girls in the dance sequence of "America."



Scott Jonas, right, as Lieutenant Schrank threatens Action, played by Jason Goldberg, as Riff and the Jets look on.

Who said cropping photographs is a tedious job? You'd never know it by looking at Shan Lee and Adriane Padakis.



Jeremy Neuer, Howie Lesnik, and Jessica Lederman choose photos that will appear in the sports section. This process entailed many hours of consideration and careful attention to detail.



Mr. John McCarthy, the Mountaineer advisor, surveys new graphic ideas with Amy Ferguson and Karen O'Keeffe, the 1992 yearbook editors-in-chief.



PROCESS + PRESSURE ➡ PRODUCT

Unrelenting deadlines were the norm for students who contributed to the yearbook and the literary magazine. Although these deadlines seemed to hover over the students, they served to keep staffers active. The creation of new and unique ideas was paramount for those involved in each publication. **Cobblestone** and the **Mountaineer** yearbook provided talented students with creative outlets for expression.

The 1992 **Mountaineer** was the embodiment of more than a year's hard work and dedication. Twenty-four students comprised the '92 yearbook staff. Beginning at the end of their junior year, the students came to understand the time consuming process of putting a book together: how to draw layouts, select photographs, and write copy in a journalistic manner. In an effort to match the success of the previous yearbook staff, we tried to create a yearbook with unique layout styles, catchy headlines, a meaningful theme, vivid photographs, and original graphic designs. As with any publication, the yearbook staff faced the demand of meeting deadlines. However, under the capable leadership of co-editors Amy Ferguson and Karen O'Keeffe, the staff not only met, but beat the publisher's submission schedule each time, once by three weeks!

The WOHS literary magazine, the **Cobblestone**, was an open forum for students to share their imaginations and thoughts with other students. The **Cobblestone** also afforded students an opportunity for emotional expression. The staff, led by editors Jen Piro and Evan Braunstein, worked hard to diversify the material that the publication contained. Wrapped comfortably in the cover of the literary magazine were original poems, thought-provoking essays, and imaginative sketches.

Each publication was worthy of admiration. The pressure of meeting deadlines was more than cancelled by the pleasure of seeing the final product.



Editors-in-Chief Evan Braunstein and Jennifer Piro are under the watchful eye of Michael Savage, art editor, while critiquing material that will appear in this year's **Cobblestone**.



JERRY TARNOFF
Memorial HS
Class of 1961





ACADEMICS

PERIOD	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
COURSE 1 TIME	<p>It has been said that what is behind us is as important as what is in front of us. As the Class of 1992 went A LEAP BEYOND in its efforts to excel academically, it was necessary to keep in perspective how we got to where we were, and those who gave us the skills necessary to get there. Throughout our elementary and middle school years, our teachers provided us with the guidance and support necessary to prepare us for our next phase, high school.</p>				
COURSE 2 TIME					
COURSE 3 TIME	<p>Our high school faculty continued the support which carried us through the next stage of our educational experience. Using their own recollections of the past, they were able to identify with, and respond to, our concerns. We realized that they were once seniors too, and once experienced the same frustrations, responsibilities, and challenges that we encountered. They too had to worry about S.A.T. scores, write college essays, apply to college, and make the decision whether to live at home or away. They were also once faced with the realization that they were finally at the age where when asked, "What do you want to do when you grow up?", an answer was expected. More often than not, they were confronted with the reality that they still did not have an answer. While some things have remained the same, they knew from experience that change is an inevitable part of our lives. To remind them of how much they have changed, we have included high school photos of some of our faculty, under the heading of "RAD GRADS".</p>				
COURSE 4 TIME					
COURSE 5 TIME	<p>If it is true that history repeats itself, then we benefited from the past experiences of our faculty. Sharing their experiences helped to lessen our anxiety about the future. Their dedication to teaching led to changes in the curriculum which enabled us to compete academically on the next level. Their impact on us was truly radical.</p>				
COURSE 6 TIME					
COURSE 7 TIME					

A LEAP BEYOND



Emilee Fiske, Mrs. Guillano and Karen Frucci

A LEAP



ROOSEVELT



Darryll Charles and Mrs. Baldwin

BACK



Chandra Smith, Tara Lutkins, Mrs. Tropello, Rachel Ginsberg, Jodi Wood, and Jen Hymowitz.



The Roosevelt Washington Trip

DAYS



Scott Jonas, Mr. Delguercio, and Mark Stern.



Mrs. Graessle and Amy Ferguson.

A LEAP



EDISON

BACK

Mr. Ort and his crew.



Jaime Jandoli, Anna Scolara, Melani Michael, Mr. Gitter and Stella Silva.



DAYS

The 'Fun Bunch' in Williamsburg, Va.

Administration



DR. R. SUPRINA
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS



JERRY TARNOFF
PRINCIPAL



VINCENT MIRANDI
ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL



BOARD OF EDUCATION: MR. ZINS, MRS. KOUTOZAKIS, MR. CAPOZZI, MRS. SKEFFINGTON AND MR. BRAFMAN.



RAD GRADS



ROBERT KRIMMEL

"A laugh is worth a hundred groans."
 "Bob" ... easy to like ... original
 ... easygoing ... often asks,
 "Anybody want to hear a sick joke?"



VINCENT MIRANDI

52 Hollywood Avenue
 Soccer Team 1, 2, 3, 4; Soccer Club
 2; Band and Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4;
 SGA Collector 4; Dance Band 2, 3.



SEBASTIAN LASAPIO
 CURRICULUM COORDINATOR



ROBERT KRIMMEL JR.
 DEAN OF STUDENTS



RONALD MILLER
 DEAN OF STUDENTS



SEBASTIAN G. LA SAPIO

"Sab" History Teacher
 Many gatherings and dances have
 been brightened by Sab's crazy an-
 tics and rhythmic ability. He attend-
 ed Chefs' Club, Class Council, ...

Guidance



THOMAS SHEA
SUPERVISOR



SANDRA ANTONACCI



ESTHER M. BEARG, Ed.D.



MICHAEL CUNNINGHAM



RICHARD D'ARIES



ELIZABETH GARRETT



ROBERT HILL



MARTIN LORENZO



MR. D'ARIES AND MATT REIMER



RAD GRADS



RICHARD D'ARIES

"He is a fellow lean and tall,
A natural star of football."
"Rich" . . . "Rieno" . . . "Brows" . . .
"Cap Hook" . . . tall . . . dark . . .



ROBERT HILL

He is good company and attracts
others to him . . . co-operative.



MARTIN A. LORENZO

St. Francis Xavier
Newark

Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; Track & Field
1; Newark 300 3, 4; Chemistry Club
4; Class Officer 3; Intramurals 1, 2,

Language Arts



MICHAEL ROMEO
SUPERVISOR



GERALD DAVID



GEORGE DEL MONTE



WILLIAM EHRLICH



MICHAEL FEULA



KATHLEEN FLYNN KAY



WILLIAM HAUSLER



LIBBY HELLER



DR. RUTH LEGOW



CARMELINA MCCARTHY



JOHN MCCARTHY



MARY ANN MCGONIGLE



ARLENE POMAR

RAD GRADS



JOHN DENNIS MCCARTHY

"Hard Guy" ... Nutsy ... 6/30/65 ... I said HAN-NAH ... immortalized number 14 ... don't forget Kevy ...



MARY ANN CECELIA MCGONIGLE

St. Francis de Sales Parish
41 Furman Lane, Patchogue
Mission Club 1, 2, 3 ... Mother Seton Club 1 ... Journalism Club 3 ...



JOSEPH SURIANO

15 Nutweld Avenue West Orange
"A boy who smiles on everyone
And cheerfully mixes work with fun."
Student Council 2, 3, , Vice-President ... Dramatics 2 ...



KAREN THOMAS, MS. POMAR, AND KEVIN CURCIO



MICHAEL PIZZI



LEE ROBINSON



PATRICIA SEBOLD



PETER SMERALDO



JOSEPH SURIANO

Social Studies



DOMINIC STIMOLA
SUPERVISOR



ROBERT BELCUORE



CLIFTON CARLSON



MARIA DAMIANO



DEBORAH DODDS



KATHLEEN GROTTTO



RALPH MINELLI



JOHN PARNOFIELLO





MR. PETERSON AND HIS SHAPING OF WESTERN
THOUGHT CLASS



KAREN PERRY



EDWIN PETERSON



DAVID SCHWARTZ



DR. WILLIAM SHAPIRO



BRUCE VANDERHOOF



ELAINE WERNER

RAD GRADS



DAVID CARL SCHWARTZ

Class Council 10, 11, 12; Band 10,
11, 12; Stage Band 11, 12; Orches-
tra 12; Student Council 11, 12;
Fencing Team 10, 11, 12; . . .



MARIA CARMELA DAMIANO

"Maria" College
"The only way to have a friend is to
be one."



CLIFTON CARLSON

"The world knows nothing of its
greatest men."
"Cliff" . . . one of the more reserved
seniors . . . plays the bassoon in or-
chestra and band . . .

Foreign Language



ALVIN LUBINER
SUPERVISOR



RENEE ANTONIOU



OLYMPIA CICCHINO



KRISTINE MASSARI



LOUISE MILLER

TINA MUSSO AND MRS. MASSARI





MARIA MONTGOMERY



INEZ STEINER



BEVERLEY M. TIMINS

RAD GRADS



ALVIN L. LUBINER



MARIA ELENA MILLIGAN
Teacher
F.T.A., Choir, Swimming



INEZ D. SCHLOSSBERG
"Exceedingly pretty with a flash-
ing smile."
Lots of pep and plenty of style."
"Nezi" ... "Nez" ... "I" ...



Math



DAVID GLATZER
SUPERVISOR



MICHAEL BATTAGLINO



JUDITH BOYD



KAREN FITZSIMMONS



ROLIN GRAESSLE



BEVERLY LUTKINS



NINA MONACO



KATHLEEN PIEGARO



THOMAS PRENDERGAST

SEAN LINKE, CINDY REISTER, JASON STELE, MRS.
WARD, ASHER BROWN, AND MISSY RIZZO



CAROL SAUER



LURLEE SHUTKIN



HELEN THERIANOS



CATHERINE WARD



SUSAN WHITTY



HELEN YUSWACK

RAD GRADS



CATHERINE MARY DANIELS

Mission Unit, 1, 2, 3, 4, Promoter,
1; Athletic Association, 1, 2, 3, 4;
Sodality, 1, 2, 3, 4, Spiritual Council,
2, 3, 4; Secretary, 2; Glee Club 1,



THOMAS PRENDERGAST

"Tuck" ... "Let's shag this drag!"
... loathes dirty Austin Healeys ...
a great asset to the tennis team ...
small pack of dynamite ...



SUSAN BERNICE HOOK

"Lil" ... ambition ... math teacher
... secret ambition ... for all my
wishes to be granted ... memories
... "ripples"; 4th per. physics;
Chem I; jr. lunch; color guard; ...

Science



SANDRA ANTOINE
SUPERVISOR



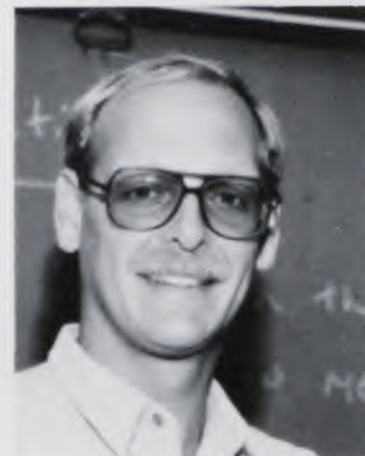
JOSEPH BERGER



JOSEPH BONAVIDA

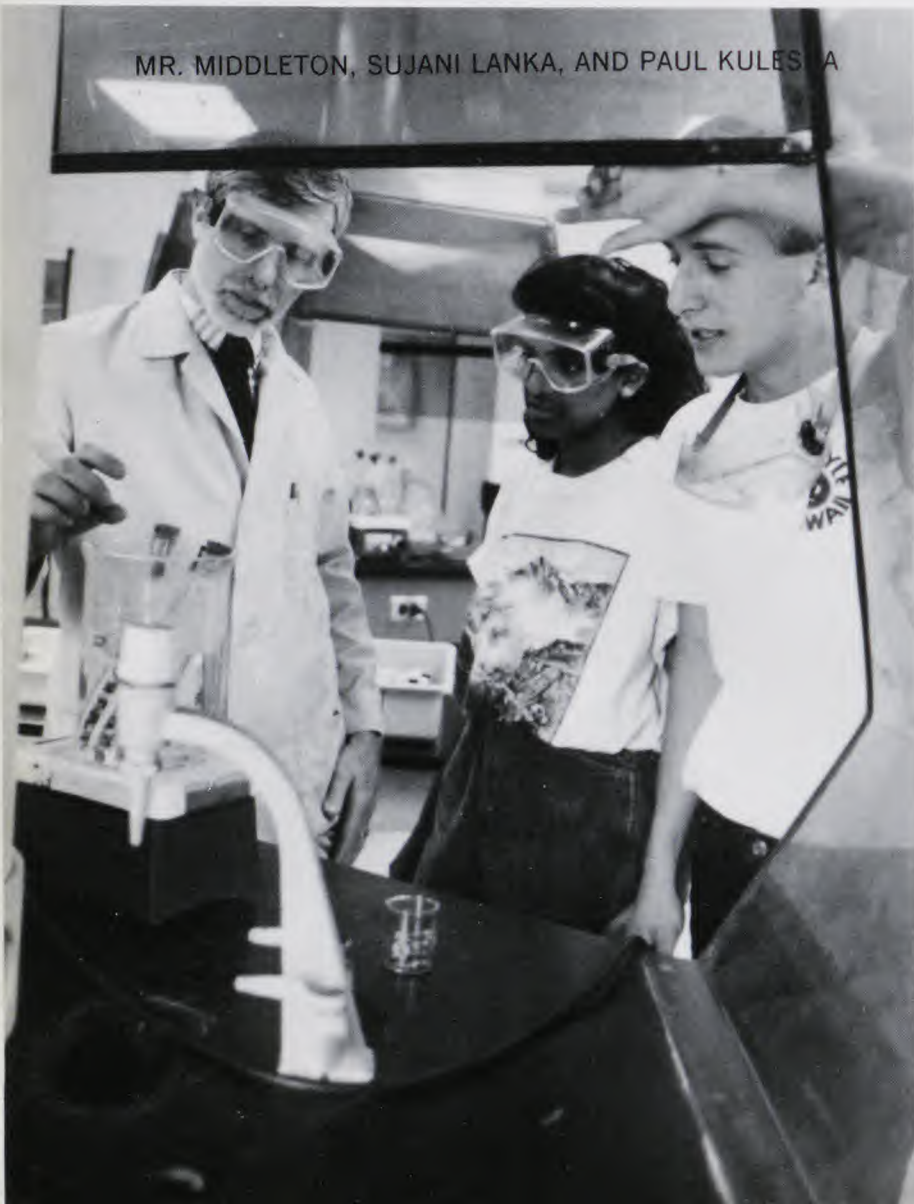


THADDEUS CASSERLY



ROBERT CHANDA

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LOUISE O'NEIL



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1039 Union Avenue
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2, 3; Hunting and Fishing Club 2;
Boys' Chorus 3.



ROBERT MORA

"Life is a jest."

Tex Academic
Future biology or chemistry teacher
... pep rallies and Italian food rate



ROBERT MIDDLETON



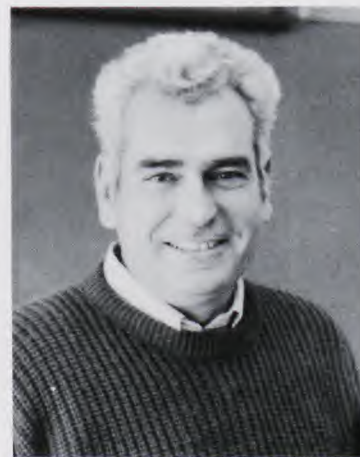
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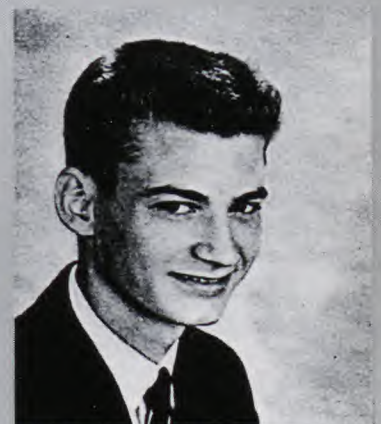
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PAUL PARASUGO



MONICA SHAH



ALBERT PAGANELLI

"A gentleman by nature and a scholar by education."

Fine Arts

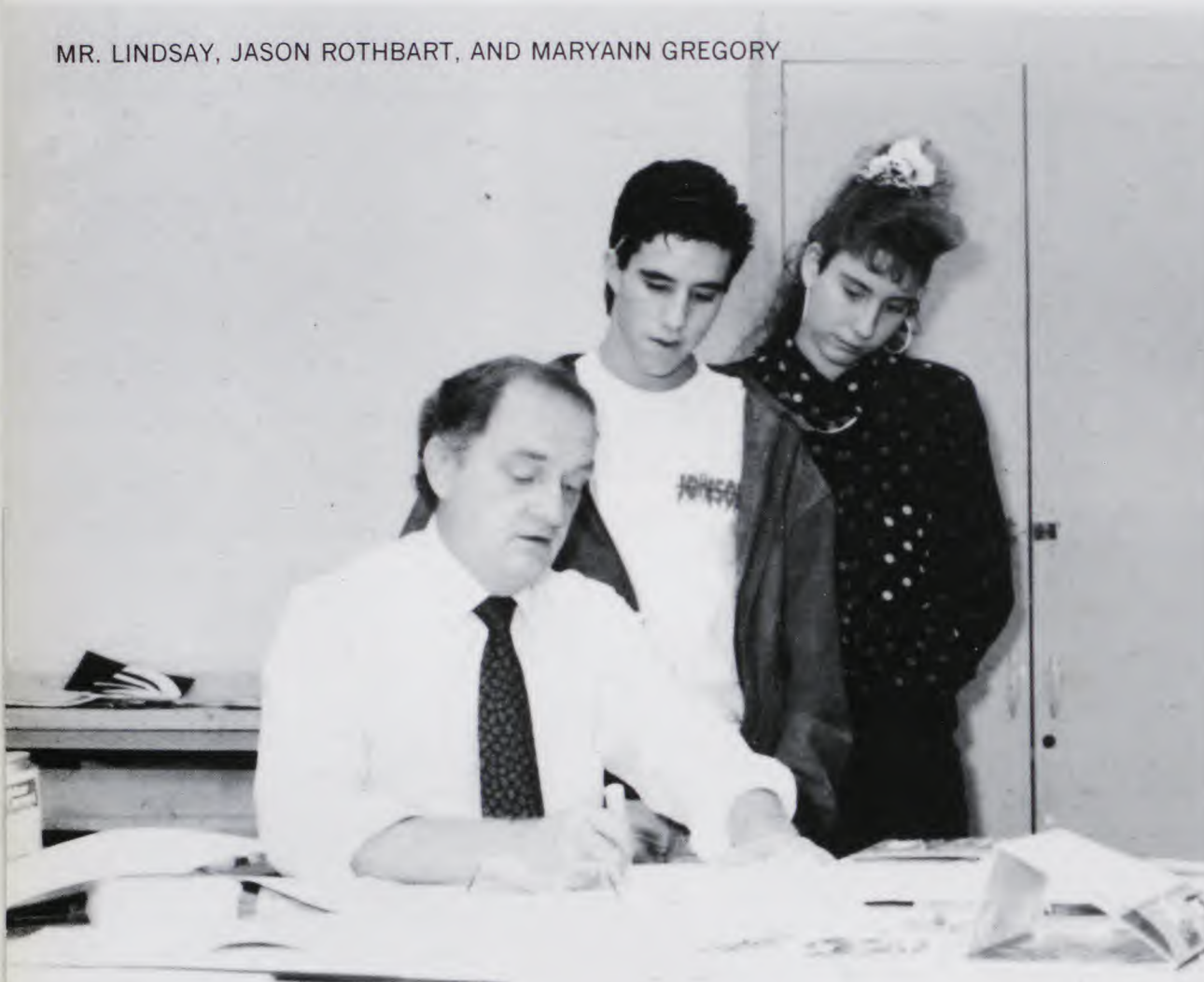


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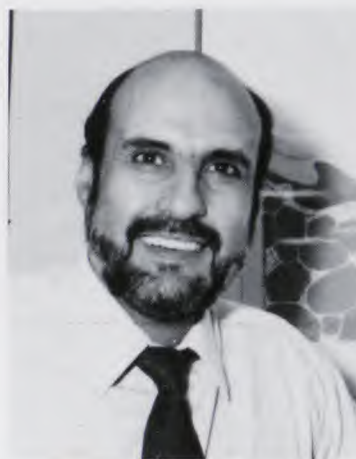
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ANTHONY DOMINIC MINNI

Tony's invaluable contribution to the yearbook and basketball team will long be remembered by the class of '62. This amiable lad enjoys sports.



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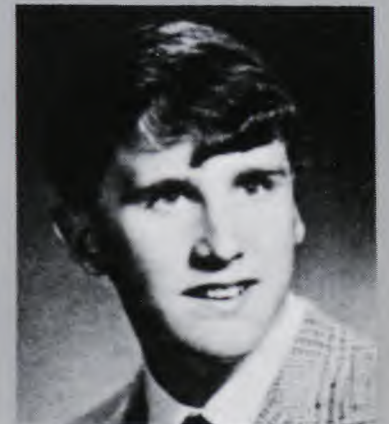
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JUDITH RISSE

"Jud" . . . charming . . . popular . . . sporty . . . dislikes oral reports . . . bowling, swimming, and skating claim free hours . . .



EDDY JUNG



MARILYN VLACICH

"Art is the child of nature."
"Marilyn" . . . artistically inclined . . . athletic . . . outside interests include art and all sports, especially tennis and volleyball . . .

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JOAN HASBROUCK



LORETTA HOLMOK



ILEEN LOHAN

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RITA ILEEN HINMAN

Holy Name, Otisville

Gentle, serene . . . determined will
and a warm heart . . . as feminine
as lace and ruffles . . .



WILLIAM LUTKINS



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WILLIAM H. LUTKINS

13 West Prospect Street

College Prep

"Bill"

"He stands strong and straight."
Go on to college . . . Football, Four
years, basketball, wrestling . . .



DEBORARH PRATKO



BARBARA QUEEN



DEBORAH PRATKO

Family, lasting friendships, lieutenant
of twirlers, football games,
smiles, honesty, sunny days, ocean,
laughter, life with love & happiness,
memories.



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DR. ANNA MARIE ROTONDA



MAYDA ROSENBERG



THOMAS SCHARF



RICHARD SCHAUBLIN



JOANN ZOBITZ

RAD GRADS



GAIL PATRICE FLANNERY

"If we weren't all crazy we'd all go insane."

Jimmy Buffett



ELIZABETH MADDALENA

Gregarious "Betty Lou" has a sparkling sense of humor . . . jokes on Nat, sweet sixteens, games, band, Z&Y meetings, onion dip . . .



PETE COMUNE

Study is a part-time job — why overdo it? . . . A good all-around athlete. (Will tell you this himself.) . . . Happy-go-lucky.

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CHRISTINE LENCZUK
"Chris" likes 4th period lunch, days off and football games . . . She dislikes taking exams . . . Her activities include F.T.A., G.O. Foster Child Comm., G.O. . . .



MICHELE GRANATO



JOAN TANZILLO
"Joanie"
"An ingenuous gal who will always be a pal." Favorite pastime — indulging in golf; Likes — tall men; Dislikes — gossipers; . . .



Take
Note

SENIORS

Even as freshmen, our class proved that there was something special about us, and for the next three years, we proceeded to make our mark on the school. Our undying determination to go **A LEAP BEYOND** what had been done in the past propelled us into action, as we set out to reach our goals. Although making the proper plans for the future was important to all of us, we did not let our future ambitions interfere with what we could accomplish while we were still in high school. The phrase posted on our yearbook bulletin board, "Now is the gift we have. That's why we call it 'the present'," certainly related to our class, and we always worked to make that quotation a valid statement.

When it came time to form the senior committee, we had over fifty students willing to devote their energies to planning activities for their class. In addition, we were the first class to sponsor a party welcoming back the class that preceded us, the Class of 1991.

It's easy to set goals and then give up on them when things get rough, but this was something that the Class of 1992 never did.

We didn't just plan things. We carried out our plans, and in everything we did, we always strove to go **A LEAP BEYOND** the past to be the best.

A LEAP BEYOND





CARLO ABAD

Life is like film, it will only develop if you take your best shot.
— Bazooka Joe



NICHOLAS ABATE

I'm the best from the east;
I'm a wild and crazy beast;
I'm the Nickman.



NOEMI ACUNA



HOWARD AGRISS

Today is the tomorrow that we thought about yesterday.



HITEXA AJVALIA



PAUL ALCALDE

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

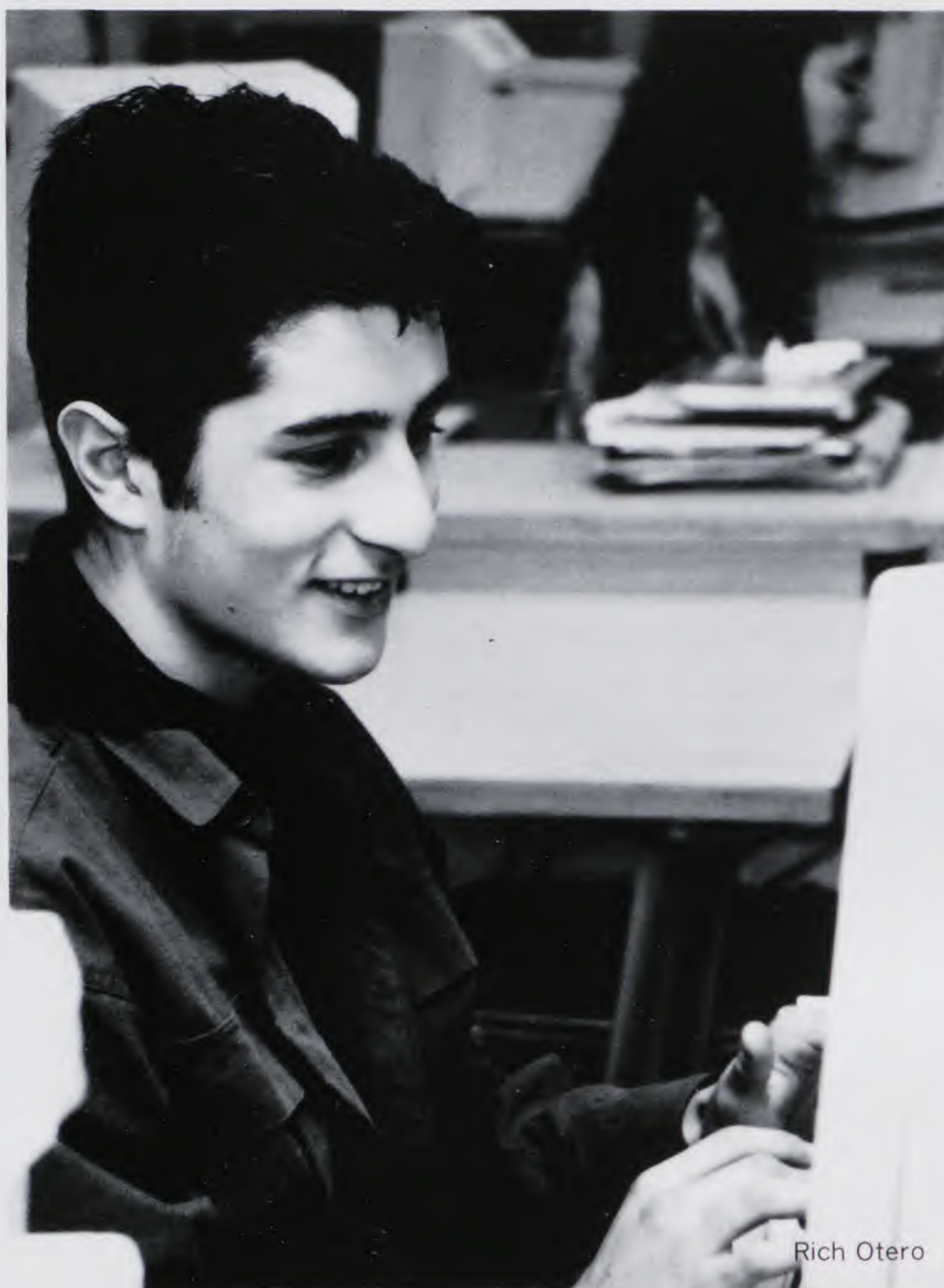


LEAH ALDAG

The thing that counts most in the pursuit of happiness is choosing the right traveling companion.



TINA ALFONSO



Rich Otero



ANTHONY ALLONARDO



DENISE VERONICA ALVARADO

Round and round in circles we go. Will we ever stop? No one knows. It's time to wake up, 'cause times have changed, time waits for no one. It's just a crucial game. — En Vogue



DIANE ANTONUCCI



BAIJU ANTONY

The world stands aside to let anyone pass who knows where he is going.



ANDREA ARTAZU

It is the summer of my smiles — flee from me keepers of the gloom. — Led Zeppelin



PHILIP A. BANKOLE

Those who build their success beneath the stars build too low.



ROCIO BARRETO



LEANNA BATTISTA

Memories we shall have forever; our friends, our experiences, will go away never.

IF I COULD GO BACK . . .



"I would want to repeat my first day of school as a freshman, just to remember what it was like, and how far I've come."

— Sara Borrillo



"I would repeat all of my high school days."

— Tom Bowers



"The day Mr. Grosso took our class on a field trip to Burger King. Figure's I would be absent that day." — Lou Mari



Mike Koutouzakis

BACK TO THE DRAWING BOARD, BUT LOVING IT

There are few people in the world who have imagination, extreme creativity, and natural artistic talent. There are even fewer people who possess all three and put their abilities to work. Mike Koutouzakis was one of those rare individuals who realized his talents early and set out to turn his dreams into reality.

When he was very young, Mike began drawing. "I loved to draw because I've always had a wild imagination and I found that drawing was the best way to express my thoughts and feelings. I used to hide in a secluded area of my house and draw monsters, barbarians, and superheroes. These pictures weren't very good, but they were a start. I think it's safe to say that as I got older, I got better."

While Mike spent a great deal of time creating his own drawings, he also developed an appreciation for other peoples' work, and he began to collect comic books. As a high school senior, he had accumulated over 3,000 comic books. According to Mike, "I collect all kinds of comic books, from the big companies like Marvel and D.C. Comics to some of the smaller, independent companies. When I was a child, I looked up to these superheroes as if they were real. They were my role models and my guardian angels. They taught me right from wrong and helped me to establish my own sense of morals and values."

During his final years of high school, Mike and a few of his friends set out to create their own comic book. They wrote their own story lines, shaped the heroes and villains, and worked with people who could help them publish the book. In addition, Mike spent time using the Amiga computer, which had been used for two Disney movies, to create his own cartoon.

After graduation, Mike knew that he would continue the work he began in high school. Even after he's a successful owner of his own comic book company, Mike Koutouzakis will probably still be at the drawing board.



SONYA F. BATTISTA

Don't aim for success. If you want it; just do what you love and believe in, and it will come naturally.



MOLLY BENAKSAS

As a last resort, use common sense.



CHRISTINA BENEVENTO

My high school years are over, I enjoyed them while they lasted. Soon I enter the real world, and work will last forever. Then I'll wish I was back in school and regret that time has passed.



YELENA BEREZOVSKY

Time doesn't wait for me, it keeps on rollin'. There's a long road, I've got to stay in time with. I've got to keep on chasing that dream, though I may never find it.



SUZANNE BERMAN

All there is in life is wheat.
— Woody Allen



PETER BIANCO



LANA BINIUKOW

Don't look back to yesterday for it is gone — look for today with a peaceful heart as each moment you carry on. Live each day as if it were your last, 'cause all we have to hold onto are memories of the past.



LENORA BISSOONDIAL

Most of us are still planning for the future after it's in the past.



Fred Bruno

*Don't worry too much
about what lies ahead.
Go as far as you can
see, and when you get
there, you can see far-
ther.*



MATTHEW BLOCK

The most wasted of all days is that in which we have not laughed. Laughter is the sun that drives winter from the human face.

— Victor Hugo



Michelle Mess



DEBRA BODNER

Friendliness is contagious. The trouble is, many of us wait to catch it from someone else, when we might better be giving them a chance to catch it from us.

— Donald A. Laird



MICHAEL BOETTINGER

As the road comes to an end, there is more I need to know about the real world.



BRIAN C. BOLAND

Time's so near you can almost taste the freedom. There's a warm wind from the south. Hoist the sail and we'll be gone, by morning, this will all seem like a dream.

— Queensryche



JENNIFER BOROFF

Take your time, think a lot, think of everything you've got, for you will still be here tomorrow, but your dreams may not. — Cat Stevens



SARA BORRILLO

Goodbye to all my friends at home. Goodbye to all the people I've trusted. I've got to go out and make my way. I might get rich, ya' know, I might get busted.

— Steve Miller Band

We do not know the true value of our moments until they have undergone the test of memory.

— Georges Duhamel



THOMAS R. BOWERS JR.

Gold and rubies there are in abundance, but lips that speak wisdom are the truest fortune.



EVAN BRAUNSTEIN

All the writers of confession, from Augustine on down, have always remained a little in love with their sins. — Anatole France



Maritza Calderon



JANICE LYNN BRAVERMAN

Caterpillar: . . . and who are you? Alice: . . . I . . . I hardly know, sir, just at present — at least I know who I was when I got up this morning, but I think I must have changed several times since then. — Lewis Carroll



ASHER BROWN

Don't blame the ruler if you don't measure up.

I AM KNOWN FOR . . .



Cindy Gelber, Jen Boroff, Jill Perlmutter



"Crutches; some people think I am accident prone."

— Amy Ferguson



"Bubble gum, because I always have it." — Joe Davila



"My accessories, definitely."

— Jessica Lederman



JASON BROWN

Dost thou love life? Then do not squander time, because that's the stuff life is made of.

— Benjamin Franklin



FRED BRUNO



JENNIFER BUCK

And let me take a long last look before we say goodbye.

— Don Henley



MICHELE BUERROSSE

No one knows what he can do until he tries.



JAMIE BLAIR BUSSE

I do my thing, and you do your thing . . . you are you and I am I, and if by chance we find each other, it's beautiful; if not, it can't be helped.

— Frederick Perls



MARITZA CALDERON

No person was ever honored for what he received. Honor has been the reward for what he gave.

— Calvin Coolidge



Matt Block

A CAMPER FOR ALL SEASONS

When the long weeks of school drew to a close and the lazy days of summer approached, many children of all ages packed their bags for camp. While plenty of people grew attached to the summer camp they attended as a child and returned year after year, few people were as dedicated to their camp as was Matt Block to the YMCA Camp, Fairview Lake. For his efforts, Matt was named "Youth of the Year."

The "Youth Member of the Year" award was presented to one "outstanding YMCA Youth Member" of each branch of the YMCA in Northern New Jersey. Matt received the award because of his leadership and dedication to his YMCA branch, Fairview Lake Camp.

Matt began his camp career during the summer following fifth grade. "I went to Fairview as a camper for four years. During that time, I worked with the camp play and newspaper. In my final year as a camper, I received the 'Camper of the Year Award,' which is a very high honor at Fairview Lake Camp." Matt returned to camp the next summer as a CIT. That year, he became the editor of the newspaper and the assistant director of the play.

By the end of that summer, Matt had grown to enjoy working at the camp so much that he decided to get involved during the off season. He volunteered to entertain for an important dinner, lifeguard when a group was using the camp for a weekend, give camp tours at open houses, and do odd jobs on "fix it up" weekends. Matt spent the next summer as a Junior Counselor and as the musical director of the camp play. He planned to continue working for the camp during his senior year and return as a senior counselor in the summer.

According to Matt, "I was extremely honored when I received this award. The YMCA has long-lasting traditions and high moral standards. For me to have been able to comply with their standards for an outstanding youth member was an unbelievably terrific feeling. I guess my love for the camp really showed. There is no place in the world as awesome as Fairview Lake."



ELAINE CARLINI

It doesn't matter who was right or wrong when the fire is over and the magic's all gone. You pick up the pieces and do the best you can.
— Bryan Adams



JUAN CARLOS



JULIE H. CARTINE

Let's all take the step towards success, which is to better our world by understanding every human being's differences, in order for the future generations to retain peace by the act of getting along.



JOHN CASSIDY

If a picture is worth a thousand words, I don't have to say a thing.



JOSEPH CASTIGNINO



ROSA CATALANO



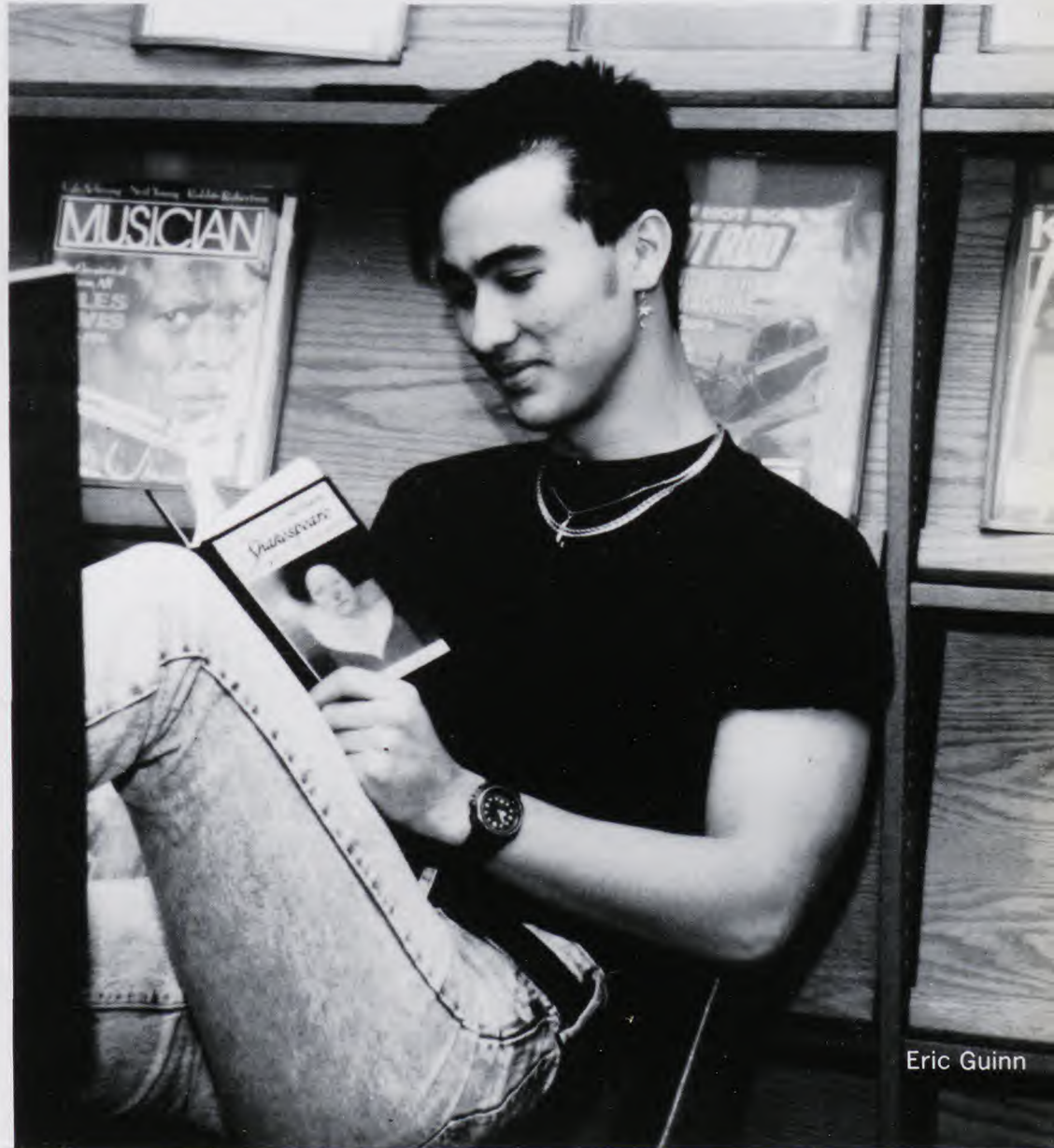
RAFAEL J. CERULO

If you can't get what's rightfully yours, you must try to capture it by any means necessary!
— Public Enemy



LAVINIA CHAN

There is nothing you can do to change the past. Why not spend time to think of something you can prepare for . . . THE FUTURE.



Eric Guinn



K. DARRYLL CHARLES

If the world is a stage and the people are all players, then who's in the audience!?!



ALAN CHEUNG



JENNY CHIN

I slept and dreamed that life was beauty; and found that life was duty. — Ellen S. Hooper



SUSAN CHIN

I could do only one thing at a time, but I can avoid doing many things simultaneously.



ROBERT CHIOVARO



Julie Cartine, Dana Congleton, and Tina Musso



NICHOLAS P. CHRISTOPHER

If we can't think for ourselves; if we are unwilling to question authority, then we are just clay in the hands of those in power.

— The Greek Express



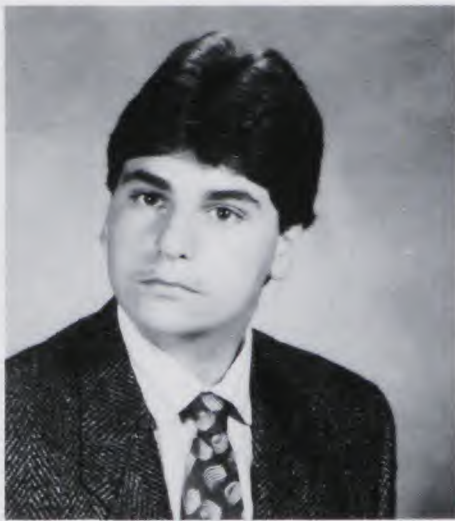
NOREEN CHUA

The hardest thing to say in 25 words or less is goodbye.



NICOLE ANN CICALESSE

Well, I can still remember when we were all just kids, and friends were friends forever and what we said is what we did.



CHRIS CLARIZIO

The two most important things in this world are: never rat on your friends and always keep your mouth shut.
— Goodfellas



SEAN CLARK



GINA COLABELLI

I know not what the 21st century holds, or if all our dreams will unfold. And so I shall await and trust, that all shall not turn to rust. To preserve precious times, a must, and that all has not been lost in lust.

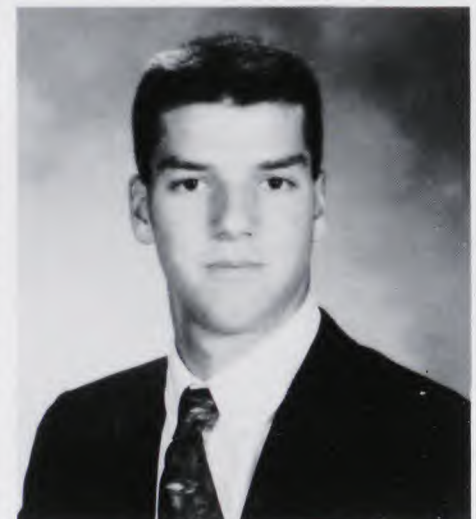


Paul Alcalde and Phil Picillo



JENNIFER K. COLONNA

If tomorrow morning the sky falls ... have clouds for breakfast.



ROBERT COLUCCI

All of life is like a race, with ups and downs and all, and all you have to do is rise each time you fall.



ANMARIE CONDIT

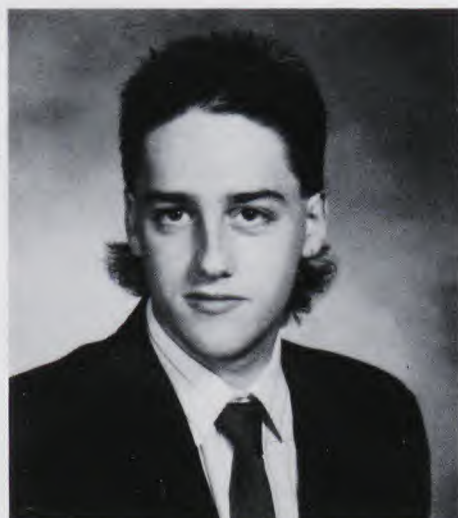
Don't ever tell anybody anything. If you do, you start missing everybody.

— *Catcher in the Rye*



DANA CONGLETON

To begin a new life does not mean that we must forget the lives that each of us leaves behind, but rather we should remember the differences that brought us here, and keep alive the memories we had.



BEN COSENTINO



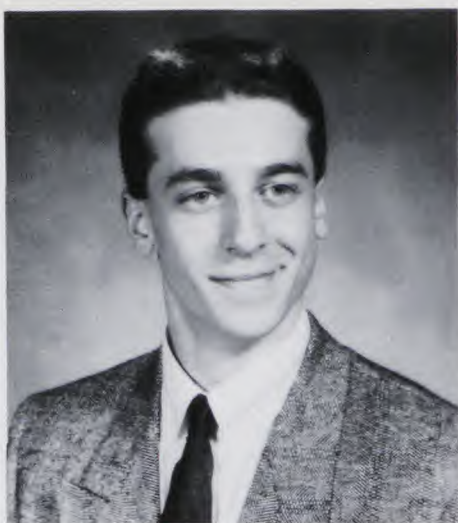
PIANO WOMAN

When we were five years old, we had reading groups, rest time, and line readers. When we were fifteen years old, we had study halls, foreign languages, and final exams. While many things we did in elementary school were different from what we did in high school, for some, things didn't change. Most students learned to play a musical instrument at an early age, but gave it up in middle school. For others, like Chandra Smith, it became an important part of their lives.

Chandra began playing the piano at the age of nine, during the summer following fourth grade. It was her mother who influenced Chandra to study the instrument. "Almost every Asian kid plays the piano, and since my mom is Korean, it was inevitable that I start."

Chandra spent endless hours at the piano during her last years of elementary school, through middle school, and during high school. Along the way, she also learned how to play the tenor saxophone and the clarinet. Her hard work and dedication paid off when she received numerous awards from the National Guild and the Piano Teacher's Society of America. In addition, she was selected to give a performance at Carnegie Hall. "I play piano for dinners, art shows, nursing homes, and church. The PTSA has piano recitals every month, and I play at least every other month. During my junior year, I played first in a nationwide competition sponsored by the PTSA. It was a multi-talent competition in which I also had to show skill on another instrument and as an accompanist."

As for her future, Chandra planned to major in piano performance in college. She also hoped to play in the Soviet Youth Orchestra. "Playing the piano has given me many attributes that I need. It requires self-discipline, self-motivation, and a sense of responsibility. These are characteristics that I will be able to use elsewhere in my life."



KEVIN CURCIO

Just like water we must keep moving on, for once water stops, it becomes stagnant. Keep pushing. Keep flowing in all things. The true quest in life is finding peace within yourself.

— Van Damme



BRETT CUVIN

Character is what you know you are, not what others think you are.



RICH DAVIDEK



JOSEPH L. DAVILA

Gonna stand my ground, won't be turned around and I'll keep this world from draggin' me down. Gonna stand my ground and I won't back down.

— Tom Petty



ALISON EDEN DAVIS

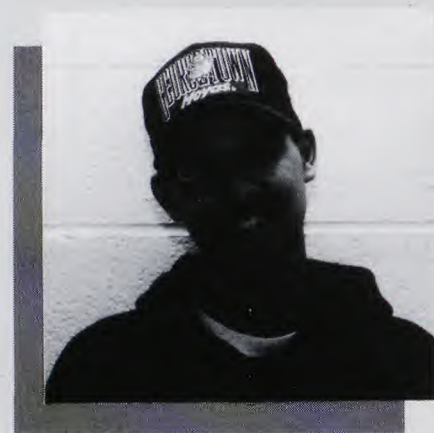
Time rolls on, people touch, and then they're gone. We laughed until we had to cry, and we loved right down to our last goodbye.

— St. Elmo's Fire



BRENT DAVIS

THINGS THAT MAKE



"If I'll graduate." — Gabe Garcia



"When girls say I just I just want to be friends." — Zeno Lee



"Why do kids carry their backpacks on one shoulder?" — Jon Teich



ELIZABETH DEPA DOVA

This we know . . . man did not weave the web of life, he is merely a strand in it. Whatever he does to the web, he does to himself.

— Chief Sealth



MICHAEL DEUTSCH

Someday I would like to stand on the moon, look down through a quarter of a million miles of space and say, "There certainly is a beautiful Earth out tonight."

— Lt. Cl. William H. Rankin

Rich Davidek and Rosa Catalano



YOU GO HAMMM



"Why isn't a driveway a parkway, and a parkway a driveway?"

— Jodi Wood



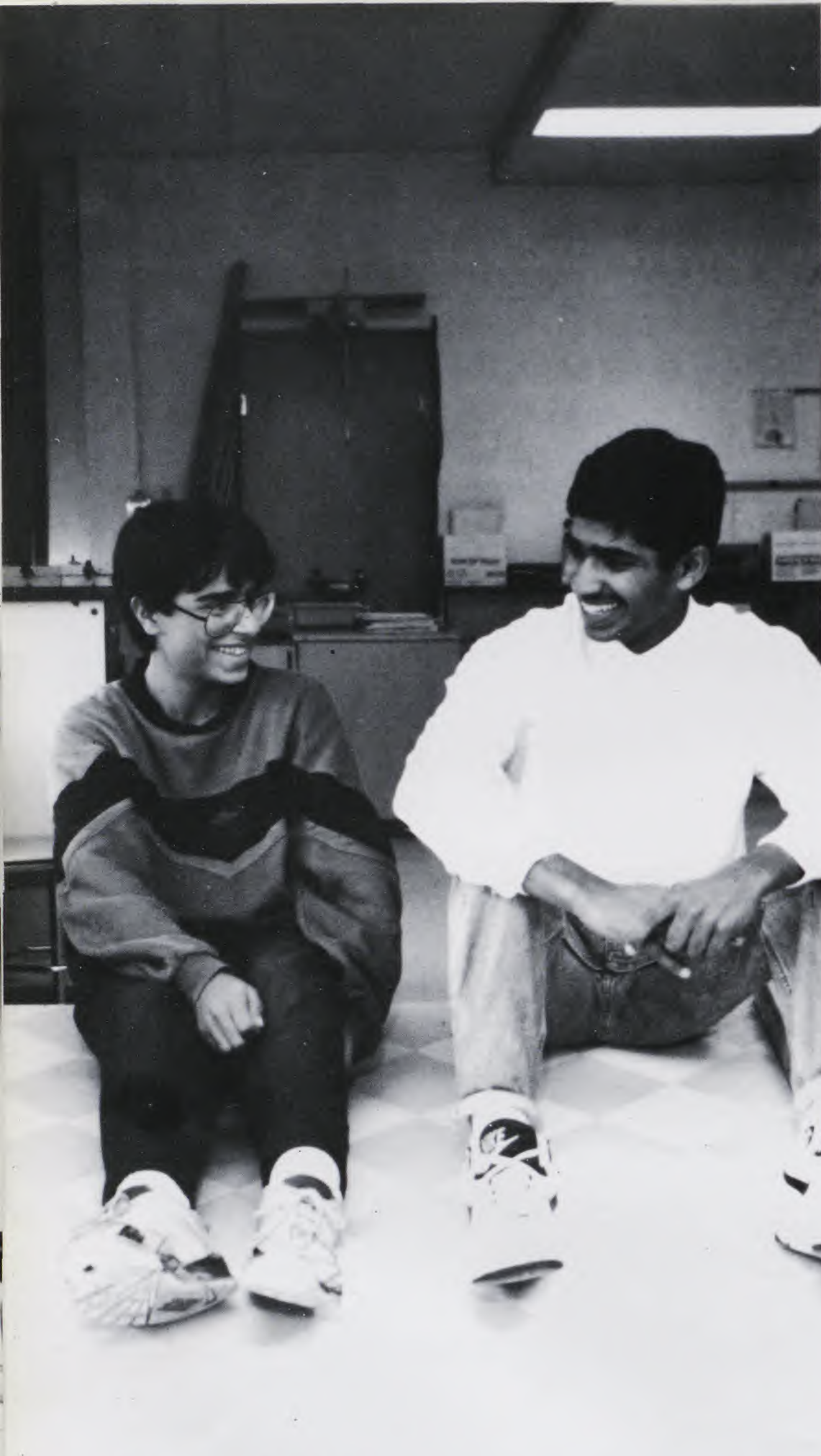
"Cracker Jack Prizes."

— Lana Biniukow



"Why's Mr. Jung spelled with a J?"

— Staci Sickles



Jawad Moyhuiddin and Baiju Antony



DAVID DICHARA

Your deepest desire is only as far from you as you'll let it be.



PATRICIA DI GIOVINE

We know nothing of tomorrow, of its pleasures, joys, or pains. Yesterday is gone forever, never to be lived again. Take the path that seems to open, for you're walking it today.



DUANE DOOLEY

Are sports the answer? No. Young people should use sports as a means of getting a free education. The key to unlock the door of success is education. Remember, it's all about education. Believe that!



DARNELL DUCKETT



HAKAN ERPANUR

If the world blows up, the poor, the starving, the homeless, and anyone else who suffers will be saved. If the world stays as it is, the same few will survive.



DAVID ETTINGER

For everything we take with us, there is something that we leave behind.

— Summer of '42



FRANCOIS FATRAS

I was made with a heart of stone to be broken with one hard blow. I've seen the ocean break on the shore come together with no harm done.

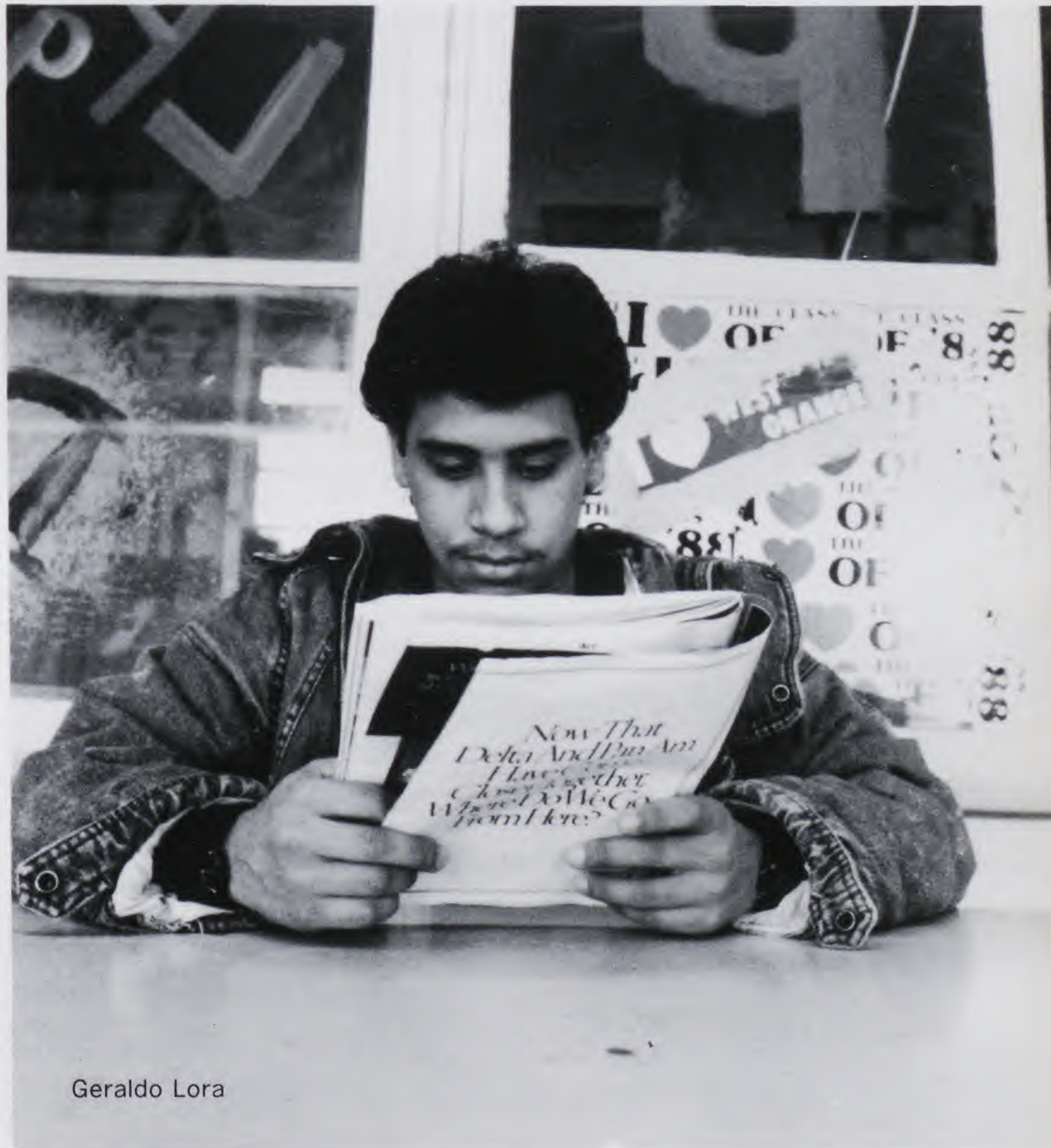
— Ocean Size, Perry Farrell, and Jane's Addiction



GREGG FAVALORA

I think the next best thing to solving a problem is finding some humor in it.

— Frank A. Clark



Geraldo Lora



Priscilla Ng

A VOICE IN THE DARK

The average teenager growing up in the 1990's lived an extremely fast-paced life. The day never seemed long enough for all that needed to be done. While everyone struggled to fit work, play, and sleep into a twenty-four hour period of time, some people, like Priscilla Ng, wanted to do even more. At least once a week, Priscilla devoted her evening hours to make the lives of the Gromans, her visually impaired neighbors, a little easier.

Priscilla became involved with Mr. and Mrs. Groman, a couple in their late sixties, when she was in seventh grade. "My sister had worked with them first, and when she went off to college, I took her place."

Before each of Priscilla's visits, Mrs. Groman would go through her mail and separate the important papers from the junk mail. "Amazingly, she rarely made a sorting mistake." Once Priscilla had arrived, she and Mrs. Groman would sort through the laundry, searching for spots and stains. Next, they would sit down, and Priscilla would read the mail to them. "For bills and important letters, such as bond statements, Mrs. Groman would put them aside and braille them. She is extremely organized and precise in the way she handles things. Mr. Groman would usually sit and listen to the important mail." In addition, Priscilla helped them to balance their check book, and before each visit ended, they would insist on paying her.

"I always wanted to work for them voluntarily, but they would not have it. They do not want to be looked upon as charity cases just because they are both visually impaired and retired. They want to be as independent as possible, and that is why I have a great deal of admiration for them. They are extremely charitable people. They even organized a group for people who have recently lost their eyesight." For the Gromans, Priscilla Ng was a ray of sunshine, and a voice in the dark.



AMY FERGUSON

So you're scared and you're thinking that maybe we ain't that young anymore; show a little faith, there's magic in the night . . .
— Bruce Springsteen



PATRICIA FERNANDEZ

Back of every achievement is a proud wife and a surprised mother-in-law. — Brook Hays



RICHARD FERNANDO



SANDI FERRARA

Don't regret the things you do. Regret the things you don't do.



ALEXANDER FERTIG

Don't listen to what your school teachers tell you, just see what they look like. That's what life is really going to be like. — Woody Allen



PAUL T. FISHER

The bigger they are, the harder they don't fall ... all masses fall at the same rate.



EMILEE FISKE

Change is often desirable, frequently necessary, and always inevitable.



TODD FORMAN

To be good is not enough when you dream of being great. — Paul Davis



Rob O'Dea

I WAS SUCH A CUTE KID



"When I was younger, I stuck my head out of the car window right before my mother closed it. She drove ten minutes with my head out the window before she had noticed what had happened." — Steven Halpern

When I was little, I was in my dad's truck and somehow I released the brake and the truck started to roll, I thought I was driving. Then I hit a tree."

— Peter Bianco



"At the age of three, I swam over to a man in the swimming pool and asked him if he wanted to meet my mom. I then proceeded to introduce them and that's how my mom met my step-father. Because of me, they had been married for eleven years."

— Marni Rosenblum



KAREN P. FRUCCI

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

— The Grateful Dead



GABRIELA A. GARAY

Yesterday is a memory,
tomorrow is a dream,
today is reality.
Make the most of it.



DOREEN GARVAL

Leaves are falling all around, it's about time I was on my way. Thanks to you, I'm much obliged for such a pleasant stay.



MARIA GEANOULES

Remember the days we stood tall and proud. There was no black or white, no wrong or right. But now the time has come to say goodbye.



CINDY GELBER

Our eyes were placed in the front of our heads, so we look ahead, rather than behind.

If life seems to have
more questions
than answers,
try to be the one
who asks the questions.

HOMWORK?

I'D GET BETTER GRADES,
BUT I TORE ALL THE
LIGAMENTS IN MY
HEAD.



I never touch
the stuff myself.



Tammy Titus and Sandi Ferrara



BRIAN GIBBONS

Work hard in the beginning, for it pays off in
the end.



DANIEL GILLESPIE

Boo Boo says, "Stay out of trouble."
— Yogi Bear



RACHEL GINSBERG

If you keep your face to the sunshine, you
can't see the shadows.

*I look at the world and
I notice it's turning
... with every mistake
we must surely be
learning.*

*— Paul McCartney
and Wings*



MELINDA CHRISTINA GISBERT

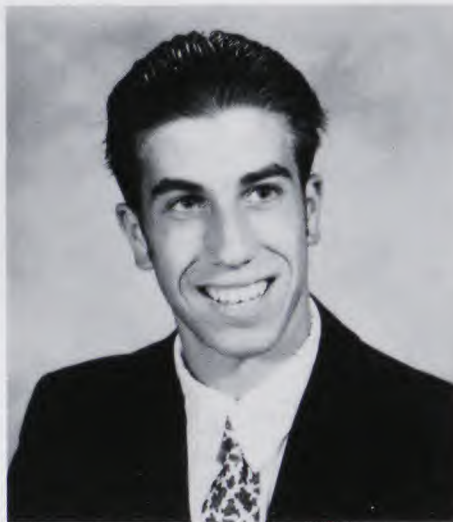
The Lord replied, "My precious child, I love you, and would never leave you. During your times of trial and suffering, when you saw only one set of footprints, it was then that I carried you."



MATT GIUNTA

There are two ways to get on the top of an oak tree. You can climb it, or you can sit on an acorn.

— R. Frank Brown



JASON GOLDBERG

And it's hard to believe after all these years, that it still gives you pain and it still brings tears, and you feel like a fool, because in spite of your rules, you've got a memory.

— Billy Joel



ROBERT GOLDMAN

The trouble with most of us is that we would rather be ruined by praise than saved by criticism.

— Rev. Norman Peale



ROBERTO OMAR GONZÁLEZ

A small stream of caring becomes a pool of love.



LAWRENCE S. GREENFIELD

Think left and think right and think low and think high. Oh, the thinks you can think up if only you try!

— Dr. Seuss

No use wondering where the time has gone. Time waits for no one, we all have to go on. But every now and then, I look up an old friend and come home to some place I used to belong.



MARY ANN GREGORY

The future brings to you what you bring to the future.



MARGARET CHRISTA GRITMAN

Don't ever give up on your dreams!

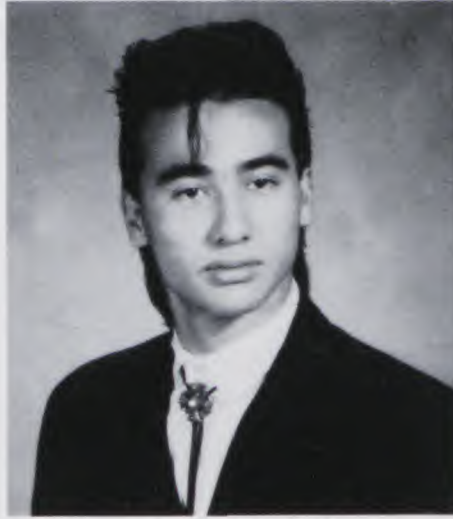


David DiChiara



ESTHER GRUSKIN

I dream'd in a dream I saw a city invincible to
the attacks of the whole of the rest of the
earth, I dream'd that was the new city of
Friends.
— Whitman

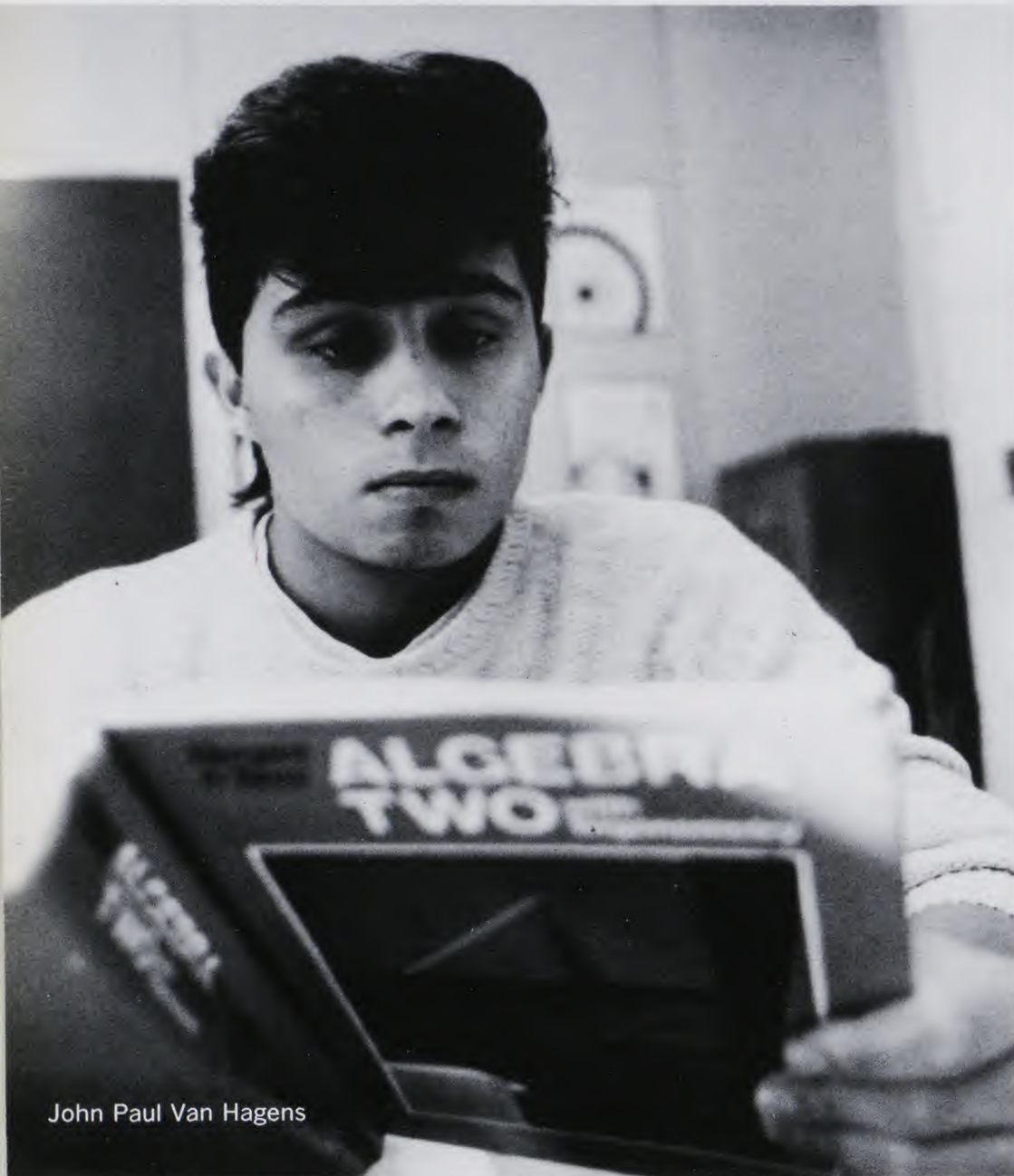


ERIC L. GUINN

Don't let their songs be silenced.



CARLOS GUZMAN

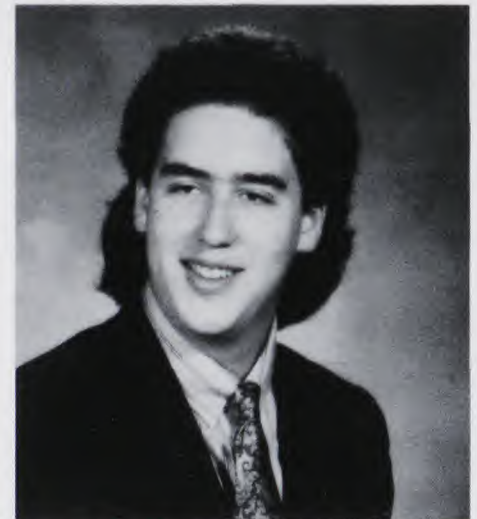


John Paul Van Hagens



AMY HALLETT

When a dove begins to associate with crows,
its feathers remain white, but its heart grows
black.



STEVEN HALPERN

Someday I'll come back and buy this town,
and stick it all in my shoe; and if you love me
one more time, I might even give a piece to
you.
— Jimi Hendrix



TRACY ANNE HAMOLKO

First God created man, then God created laughter so that man would not take himself too seriously.



JACLENE HERINYA

A lifetime's not too long to live as friends.

— Michael W. Smith



RON HOCKO

Yesterday is a memory.
Tomorrow is a dream,
Today is a reality,
... Make the most of it.



KARATE - MORE THAN WHAT MEETS THE EYE

When thinking of karate, people's minds often shift to Bruce Lee movies and "The Karate Kid." For Kevin Curcio, karate was much more than what we saw on television. Since the end of eighth grade, Kevin dedicated his time and energy to learning self-defense. By the beginning of his senior year, he had achieved a third degree red belt.

Kevin first developed an interest in karate when he saw someone use it to defend himself. "I saw someone sparring, which is a type of controlled fighting with limited contact. He had so much control over his body. It was very impressive. I didn't know how to defend myself, and from then on, I wanted to learn."

For Kevin, the most important part of karate was his training. He spent five to six nights per week practicing at Kim's Tae Kwon Do school in Orange. "Tae Kwon Do is a style of karate that was developed in Korea. It consists of ninety percent kicks and ten percent hand techniques."

After several years of training, Kevin decided to give competition a try, but he soon realized that it wasn't for him. "You could be fighting against people who were much more advanced than you. It could get really dangerous because you could get knocked out. I'm not involved in karate for tournaments; I'm in it for myself."

Some movies give people the idea that it's okay to be violent and abuse karate. It's not okay. It's scary to know what you're capable of doing. I would never use karate for the wrong purposes. I don't enjoy hurting other people."

Although his days of competing were brief, Kevin knew that he would continue to train throughout the rest of high school and while he was in college. He was working towards his black belt and hoped to obtain it before graduation. It very well could be Kevin Curcio who teaches the world that there is more to karate than what meets the eye.



DEBRA LEAH HOFFMAN

There's a path you take and a path not taken,
the choice is up to you my friends.

— Who's The Boss



FRANK HURLBERT

What appears to be the end may really be a
new beginning.



SCOTT HURON

You only live once, but if you live right, once
is enough.

John Marone



ANNA R. HWANG

More than a treasure's glow, more than a
comet traveling, more than anything I know,
I want Jesus in your heart. I pray you'll find
Jesus, I want Jesus in your heart.

— Conni Scott



JENNIFER HYMOWITZ

Good friends we had, or good friends we lost
along the way. In this bright future, you can't
forget your past, so dry your tears I say.

— Bob Marley



MICHAEL IATESTA

Those people who tell you not to take chances, they are all missing what life is about. You only live once, so take hold of the chance. Don't end up like the others, the same song and dance.
— Metallica



MIN IM

Don't worry about tomorrow, today isn't over yet!



KIRSTEN ALAYNE ISAKSON

If you look to the sunshine, you won't see shadows.

EXCUSES, EXCUSES ...



*"But Mom, I got an 'F' on one test and that lowered my grade."
— John Cassidy*



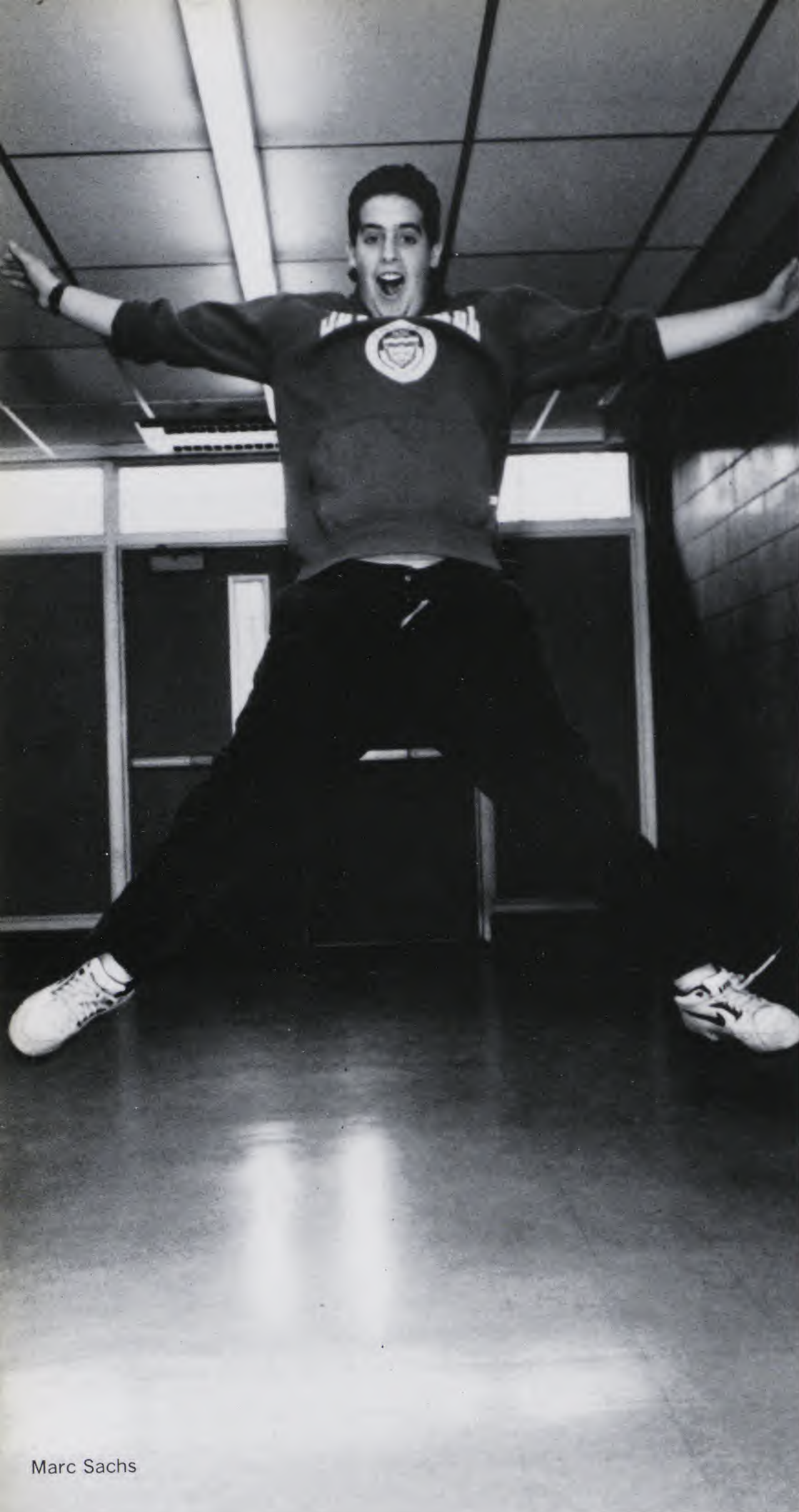
*"I can't work if I don't like the teacher."
— Brian Boland*



*"Everybody else got the same grade."
— Alex Fertig*



*"I fell asleep."
— Stella Silva*



Marc Sachs



SINI JACOB

The more we learn, the more we realize how little we know. — R. Buckminster Fuller



JAIME JANDOLI

Who knows how long this will last. Now we've come so far so fast. But somewhere back in that dust, that small town in each of us, I need to remember this, so let me take just one last look before we say goodbye.



BRAD JOFFE

There's a hell of a good universe next door, let's go. — e.e. cumings



ARMANDO R. JOHNSON

High school not only separates the winners from the losers, leaders from the followers, and men from the boys, but most importantly, it separates your friends from your acquaintances.



SCOTT JONAS

You can't ignore or hide away, Can't escape from the things that line our way. Take it, leave it, or break it; anyway, you can't get back to yesterday.

— The Lightning Seeds



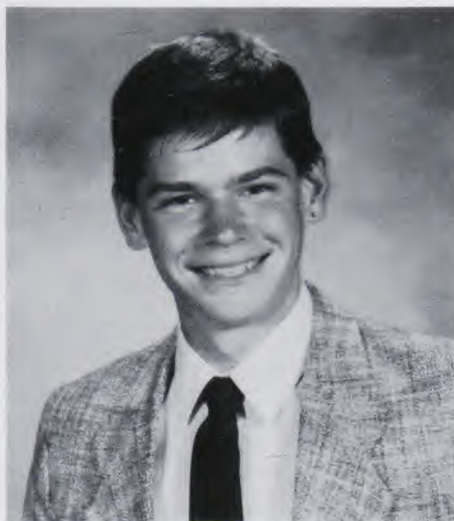
ELISSE JUSINO

The great pleasure in life is doing what people say you cannot do.



BRIAN KELLY

There's still some fight to me. That's how it will always be. Hold your head high, look 'em in the eye; and never say die.



MICHAEL KELLY



Ted Koller and Gabe Garcia



"SURFIN USA!" IN JANUARY?

Bathing in the sun's rays, floating in the water, walking on the sand — just about everyone loves going to the beach. When the sky is blue and the weather is warm, the beach is a popular place to be. While many people have fond memories from their teenage years that took place at the shore, some spent more time there than did others. For Ryan Kelly, the beach was not only a place where he could cool-off on a sweltering mid-July day. During his high school years, Ryan could have been found riding the waves at Long Beach Island on almost any day, whether it was the Fourth of July or the fourth of February.

At an early age, Ryan began spending his summers at the beach. By the time he was four years old, he was learning how to swim, and a year later, his parents bought him a body board. He received his first of many surfboards at the age of ten. According to Ryan, "I developed a love for the water and a love for surfing. I was fascinated with how the waves formed and the power and force behind them."

Ryan dedicated his summers to surfing at Long Beach Island. He also surfed on almost every weekend and during his spare time in the winter, spring, and fall. "I've been in the ocean when the air was colder than the water. Once, my hair froze! There were a few times when I was surfing during a snowfall. It was snowing pretty hard and it was difficult to see." When he was fifteen years old, Ryan rode a wave that was eighteen feet tall. "That's nearly the size of a house!"

In addition to surfing for enjoyment, Ryan also competed. He traveled to Hawaii, California, Florida, and Barbados. "I was in several competitions and I did very well. I placed first in one contest and second in three others." Ryan planned to join the surf team in college and then surf professionally. The next time you pick up an issue of *Sports Illustrated*, maybe Ryan Kelly and his surfboard will be on the cover!



RYAN KELLY

However much I put it down; however much I turn it around; it's never enough.

— The Cure



ANDREW KESLER

Changes aren't permanent, but change is.

— Rush



PAUL KESSELMAN

People who admit they're wrong get a lot farther than people who prove they're right.



MICHELLE KLEIN

People may come and go, but it's your friends and memories that will last forever.



MITSUO KOBAYASHI



THEODOR KOLLER



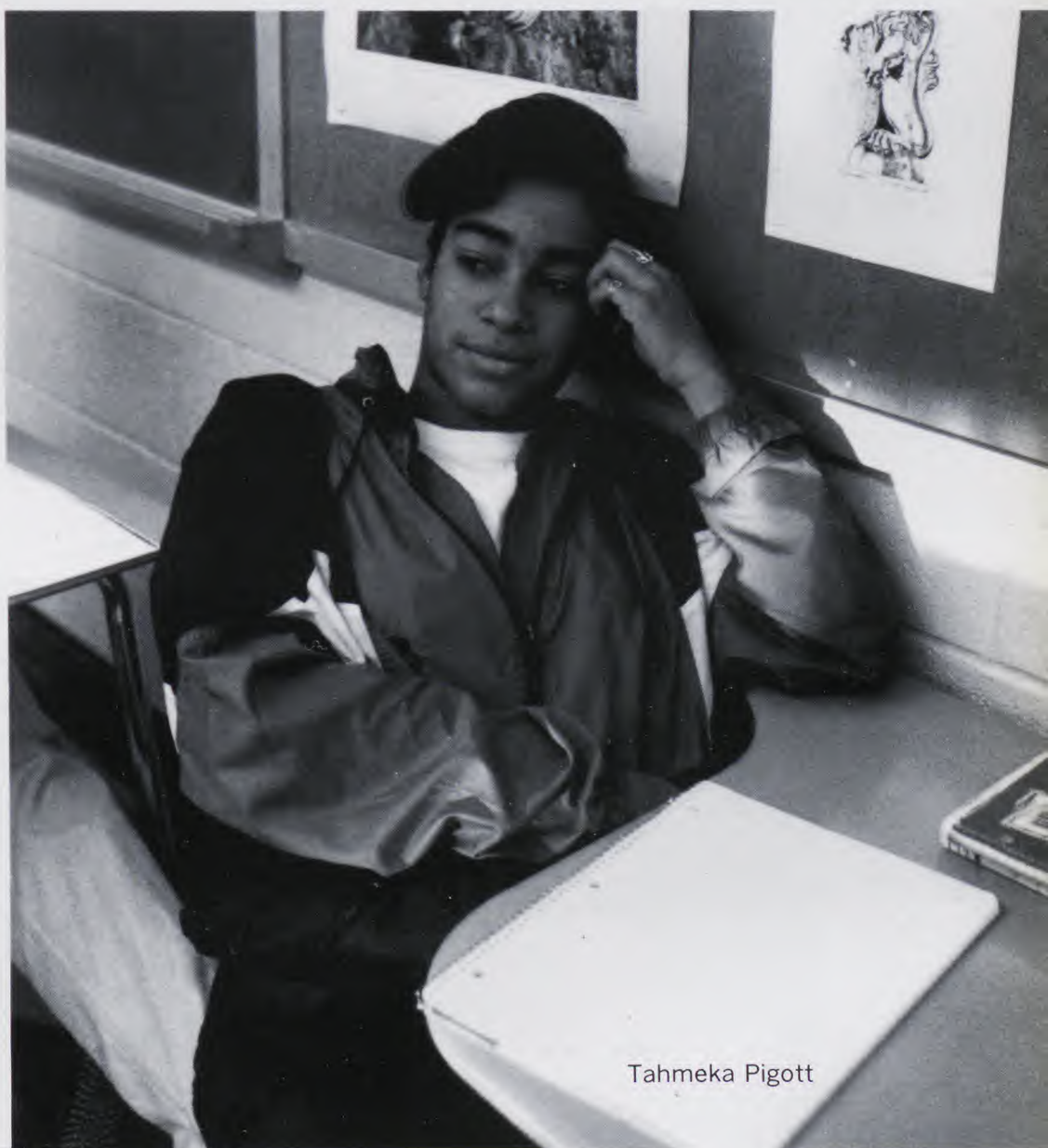
RACHEL KONTOROV

You must believe in yourself and never give up on your dreams!!!



NANCY KOSTECKI

Memories build a pathway that goes winding through your heart, and keeps friends close together, even though they may be far apart.



Tahmeka Pigott



Alex Marvon



MICHAEL KOUTOUZAKIS

I am the sole arbiter of what constitutes madness. All in the universe is as I wish it to be. There is no madness. There is only my reality.
— Thanos of Titan



ZSUZSANNA KOVATS

The person you know best is yourself, so it's worthwhile to make yourself interesting for others.



JENNIFER KRAMER

This world is a comedy to those who think, a tragedy to those who feel.

— Horace Walpole



PAUL KULESHA

You take a chance with new beginnings; still we try, win or lose, take the highs with the blues.

— Van Halen



BINH P. LAI

What lies ahead of you and what lies behind you, is nothing compared to what lies within you.

— Emerson



Juan Carlos



W. FRANK LAMOND

Some of the best friends you will ever have are the ones you have in high school.



SUJANI LANKA

The talent of success is nothing more than doing what you can do well; and doing well whatever you do; without a thought of fame.

— Henry W. Longfellow



MARA LAPOFF

To think is easy, to act is difficult, to act as one thinks is the most difficult of all.



"I'd be Olive Oyle because two guys are always fighting over her." — Leanna Battista



"Jem, because she's truly outrageous." — Nicole Cicalese



"Tazmanian Devil, because he can get away with eating everything in sight."

— Debbie Hoffman



PANOS T. LAPPAS

When, after 75 years of use, the marble steps of a building become worn, they are not replaced or rebuilt, but covered for protection with plates of corrugated iron. — R.E.M.



JESSICA LEDERMAN

Someday we will live in a world free of shallow people who make judgements based on physical appearance. Until then, make your color and perm appointments at the Jon Giannos Salon. — Ad from Salon



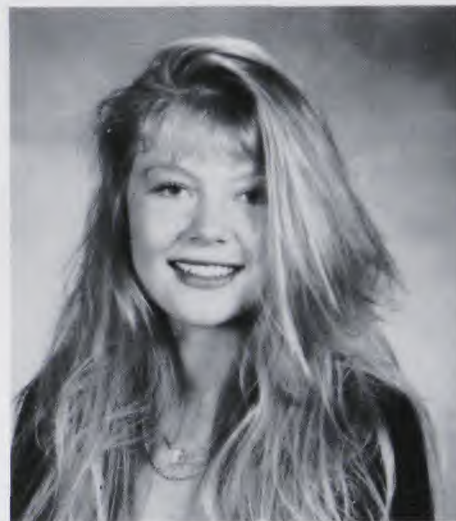
SHAN LEE

We always knew we'd laugh about the times we cried, but we never thought we'd cry about the times we laughed.



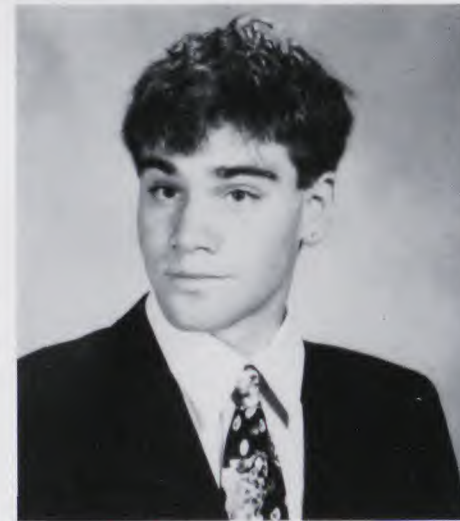
ZENO M. LEE

Today was yesterday's tomorrow. It's funny how time passes you by.



HEIDI LEISER

The hardest thing to learn in life is which bridge to cross and which to burn.



HOWARD LESNIK

Let us be thankful for the fools. But for them the rest of us could not succeed.

— Mark Twain

What an animated imagination you have.



JEFF LEVENS

Some say I'm lazy and others say that's just me. Some say I'm crazy, I guess I'll always be.
— G 'N' R



JASON A. LEVINE

When the night is cloudy there is still a light that shines on me, shine until tomorrow. LET IT BE . . . Say LIVE AND LET DIE!
— The Beatles, Paul McCartney, and Wings

Andrew Kesler





Armando Johnson



SEAN LINKE

Look through the fake for what is real, making decisions by what you feel. Live for the future and not the past. The weak of mind will never last.
— Chuck Schuldiner/Death



LISA LOMBARDO

Live for the present, not for the past. Life is too short, living too fast. Love is the answer, time is the foe. Love while you can, let the loved know.



LAMONT LONG



STACEY LYNN LÓPEZ

You and me and our old friends hoping it would never end. Say goodbye. Never say goodbye. Holding on we've gotta try. Holding on to never say goodbye.
— Bon Jovi



GERALDO LORA

No matter what people think or say about you, you always have to be proud of who you are.



Judy Rappaport and Chris Clarizio



STEPHANIE LO SAPIO

Together we were and apart we will grow. Our separate ways we all will go. Cherish your memories, for they will always be part of you and part of me.



TARA LUTKINS

Don't be dismayed at goodbyes. Farewell is necessary before we can meet again. And meeting again, after moments of lifetimes is certain for those who are friends. — Bach



LIN MA

One's attitude toward knowledge is more important than knowledge itself.



KEITH R. MADARA
Music is the beat of life.



JAMIE MANDERICHIO
I've seen my life, some things I took for granted. Love's passed me by, so many second chances. I was afraid, I won't be afraid anymore!
— Bon Jovi



LOUIS MARI
Only those who will risk going too far can possibly find out how far one can go.
— T.S. Eliot



Molly Benaksas



JOHN MARONE
Synthetic creatures ordered and numbered, unsympathetic to everyone. Death of intelligence and emotions, preordained from death to day one.
— Kreator



ALEXANDRA MARVON
Yesterday's a cancelled check, and tomorrow's a promissory note, but today is cash. Today is all you can bank on.



ADRIAN MATA

No one knows you better than you know yourself. Do the things you want, don't wait for someone else.
— Madonna



PAT MATULLO

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



MISHELLE ELIZABETH MAY

Though the world is cruel and blind, let's have a good time.

— Ziggy Marley and the Melodymakers



NOT THE AVERAGE D.J.

While many students knew that Larry Greenfield was a D.J., fewer knew that spinning records was only one part of his job. Since eighth grade, Larry worked in the party industry. His career began when he was first hired as an employee of "Party Busters."

According to Larry, "Being interested in music and being a D.J. was only a part of the entertainment industry. I considered myself to be more of an entertainer than strictly a D.J. I viewed this type of work as a form of entertainment."

Larry eventually became the Production Manager of the company. In this capacity, he had to work with the customer to come up with party ideas, write the contract, supervise the actual party, and make sure that the customer was satisfied. He was also responsible for the preliminary work, which included time in the office and on the telephone, running errands, and finalizing plans with the catering hall.

During November in his senior year, Larry spent four days at a convention in Florida sponsored by the International Association of Amusement Parts and Attractions. This convention was attended by over two thousand people from around the world who were involved in the entertainment business. Participants had the opportunity to hear seminars, purchase equipment, and share information and new ideas.

After graduation, Larry planned to continue working for "Party Busters" while attending college locally. He added, "My future goals include being the best entertainer in the business and hopefully building "Party Busters" into a national leader in the industry. One day, I hope to become a partner in the business." Who knows? Maybe fifteen years from now, Larry Greenfield and "Party Busters" will be household names!



STEVEN McBRIDE

There will be times in your life when you feel like a stumbling fool, but take it from me, you'll learn more from your mistakes than anything you could ever learn in school.



KENNETH McGUIRE

I go to parties, sometimes 'til four. It's hard to leave when you can't find the door . . . Life's been good to me so far. — Joe Walsh

THESE
LYRICS
FIT ME
PERFECTLY

Scott Jonas and Leanna Battista





"Once, twice, three times a lady" — Doreen Garval



"Macho man" — Gary Toriello



"A little help from my friends."
— Jen Boroff



CRAIG J. MELHORN

Life has its ups and downs, through those ups and downs we learn about life. What you make of your life is up to you, but always remember, it's not what life makes of you, but what you make of life.



RAFFAELA LUCYANNA MEOLA

We laughed until we had to cry, and we laughed until our last good-bye!



MELISSA MERAVI

How can you just walk away from me, when all I can do is watch you leave. Because we shared the laughter and the pain, and even shared the tears. You're the only ones who really knew me at all.

— P. Collins



MICHELLE MESS

Life is what you make it, so come here my dear. Try and make it, I know that you will.



MELANI A. MICHAEL

Young hearts better hold on, beyond your innocence your youth is gone . . . Don't waste your time . . . life away. Live today, there's no time to lose, 'cause when tomorrow comes, it's all just yesterday's news. — Sambora



GRACE MIGNOGNA

Good times come and go, but memories last forever.

Some memories are realities, and are better than anything that can ever happen to one again.

— Willa Cather



MECCA MILLER



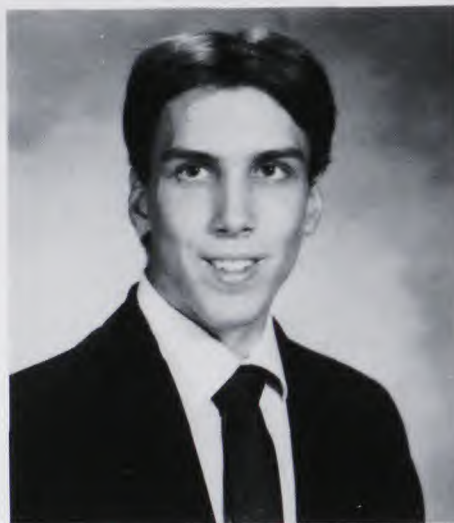
Rachel Kontorov and Lisa Lombardo



DAVID MINER

Run in such a way as to get the prize.

— 1 Cor. 9:24



MARK MOGLIA



JAWAD MOHYUDDIN

You can be anything you want to be, but you can't be something you're not.



JORGE MONTES DE OCA

If my mind can conceive it, and my heart can believe it, I know I can achieve it.



HEATHER MORELLA

School is ending, life goes on, and friends remain forever.

*Now is the gift we have —
That's why we call it
'The Present.'*

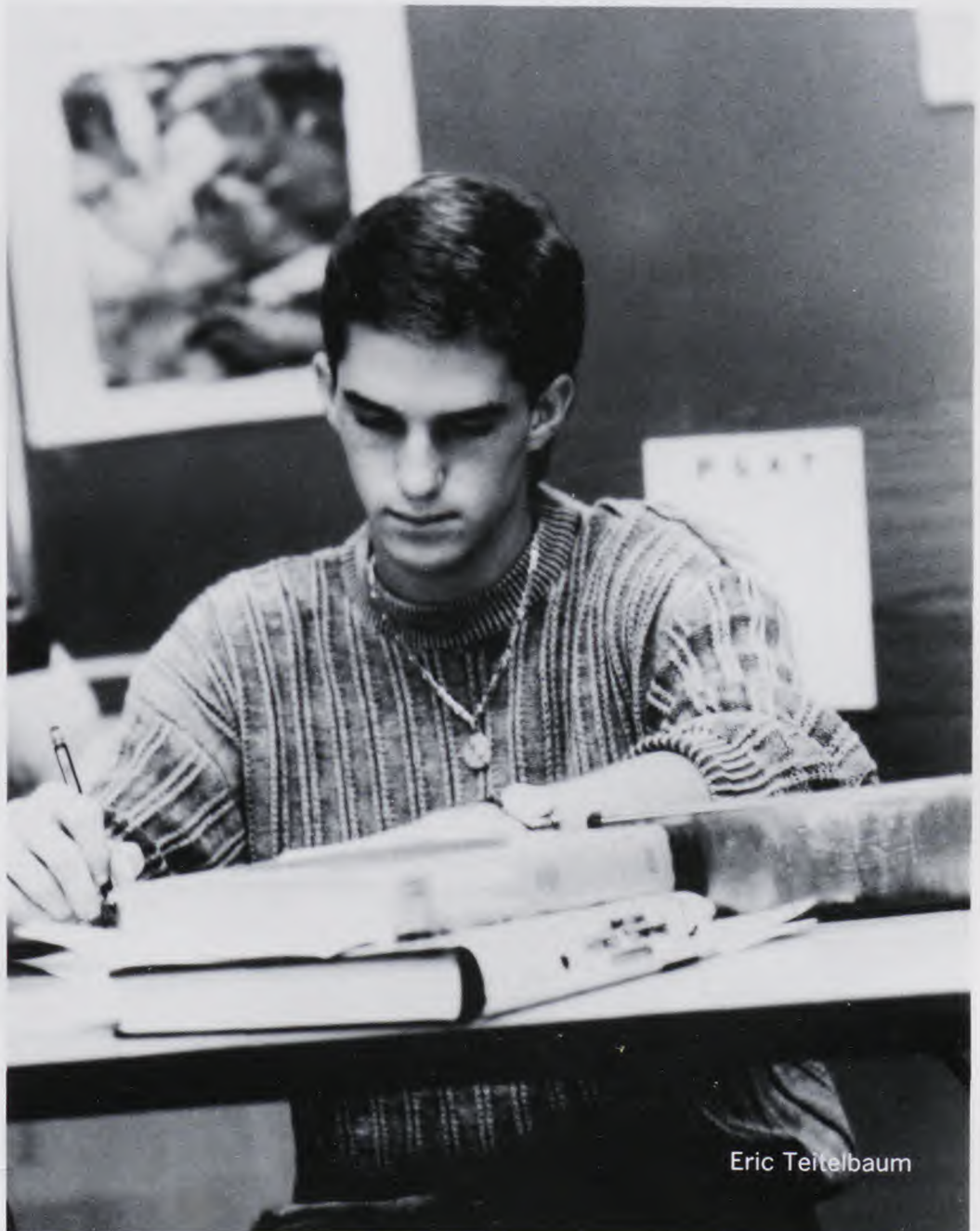


SHANNON MOSELY



RASHAD MUHAMMAD

If you get to a point where you don't strive to get better, you can only go down from there.



Eric Teitelbaum



Francois Fatras



TINA MARIE MUSSO

The first thing education teaches us is to walk alone.
— Robert Frost



APRIL MYERS

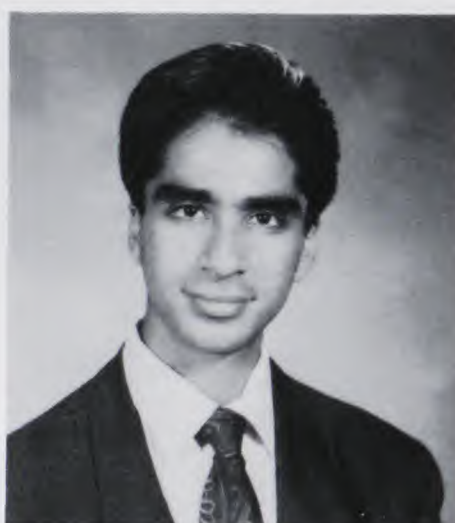
Just look to the sunrise, follow your heart;
Trust in yourself and tomorrow will start;
Plan for the future, live for today;
Don't let anything stand in your way.



DAVID ANWAR NAHAS

We all see black and white,
When it comes to someone else's fight;
No one ever gets involved,
Everything is never solved.

— Joey Belladonna



VIVEK NASTA

All you need in this life is ignorance and confidence;
then success is sure.

— Mark Twain



TRACEY NELSON

If I had an ambition other than an anxiety or chronic envy,
it would be to meet everybody in the world, and I'm not doing badly.



JEREMY NEUER

So before we end and then begin, we'll drink a toast to how it's been. A few more hours to be complete, a few more nights on satin sheets, a few more times than I can say, "I've loved these days."
— Billy Joel



KEVIN NG

Don't worry, be happy! For those who get nervous, breakdown before the test.



PRISCILLA NG

Shoot for the moon; if you miss, you'll still be among the stars!

EVERYONE'S A COMEDIAN



"I'll never forget when Miss Vlacich gave her impression of Pee Wee Herman." — Margaret Gritman



"It was so funny when Dr. Legow impersonated a witch when she recited the poem 'Bells, Bells, Bells.'" — Jennifer Schuchman



"I couldn't believe it when Mr. Schwartz asked Mr. Carlson if he was down with O.P.P."

— Melissa Meravi



ROBERT O'DEA

If war is the key, what door will it open? If peace is the answer, then what is the question!
— Living Colour



TARA O'HARE



KAREN O'KEEFFE

If you want to view paradise, simply look around and view it. Anything you want to, do it, you can change the world, there's nothing to it.
— Willy Wonka



Jasmine Simpson



MARIA AURORA OLIVA

Who is satisfying your lifetime with what is good; your youth keeps renewing itself just like that of an eagle.
— Psalm 103:5



LOUISE O'NEILL

Let's swim to the moon;
Let's climb through the tide,
Surrender to the waiting worlds
That lap against our side . . .
— Jim Morrison



LEONARDO D. ORTEGA

The stake is laid! O gallant youth, with yet unsilvered brow, if heaven should lose and hell should win on whom shall lie the sin?



RICHARD OTERO

It was fun while it lasted; so now I must say, "peace", but never goodbye.



ADRIANE PADAKIS

There is a time in your life when you have to stop searching for happiness and just be happy.
— Kate & Mike

Jennifer Kramer



OLYMPIC HOPEFUL

When the school day ended at 2:12 P.M., most students hurried to athletic practices, club meetings, or part-time jobs. Although everyone had some type of after school commitment, few students in suburban West Orange had the responsibility of caring for a farm animal. At least four times a week, Jennifer Kramer spent her afternoons at Foxhill Farms in Chester, New Jersey, grooming, feeding, and riding her horse.

While some people are brought up in a family that rides horses or lives on a farm, Jennifer developed her love for horses completely on her own. According to Jennifer, "I've loved horses since I was born. Before I was two years old, I used to beg my mother to take me for a pony ride in a park near our house in Palo Alto, California."

When she was nine years old, Jennifer took her first riding lesson. "I began with Western riding, which is the style of riding that you see in old cowboy movies." At the age of 13, Jennifer switched to English riding. "This form of horseback riding was developed in England and is much more structured and refined than Western riding."

After Jennifer had become well acquainted with riding, she decided that she wanted to do more than just ride. At that point, she became involved in the Equishare program. "In this program, either a stable, a company, or a private owner buys a horse, and then two other people take care of it and ride it." As a high school senior, Jennifer was equisharing "Conqueror," her second horse.

During the summer prior to her senior year, Jennifer spent several weeks with "Conqueror" at Tamarack Hill Farm in Vermont in order to train with former Olympic team member Denny Emerson. In addition to the training, she spent her mornings working in the stables and the later part of her day riding on trails. "My dream is to one day be a good enough rider to compete in 'Rolex Kentucky Three-Day', one of the toughest horse competitions in the world." Is there an Olympic medal in Jennifer's future? Stay tuned.

*There are places I'll
remember all my life
... some have gone and
some remain. All these
places had their mo-
ments with lovers and
friends I still can re-
call, in my life, I've
loved them all.*

*— John Lennon and
Paul McCartney*



BRAD PALENT

Don't look back. Something may be gaining
on you. — Leroy (Satchel) Paige



Sean Clark



STEPHANIE LYNN PALMIERI

If we care to see tomorrow, I hope it's worth
all the pain. I'll take with me the memories to
be my sunshine after the rain.

— Boys II Men



CHANSOO PARK

She weeps because her life began; because
she lives. One thing she does deplore, so much
that she kneels trembling — in the dust —
that she must live tomorrow, evermore, to-
morrow and tomorrow, as we must!



CHRISTOPHER PATTI

The difference between a good man and a bad
one is the choice of cause.

— William James



THOMAS PELA

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



ANTONIO PERCONTI

*Someday in the midst
of time when they ask
me if I knew you, I'll
smile and say you were
a friend of mine.*

— Alan Parson



JILL PERLMUTTER

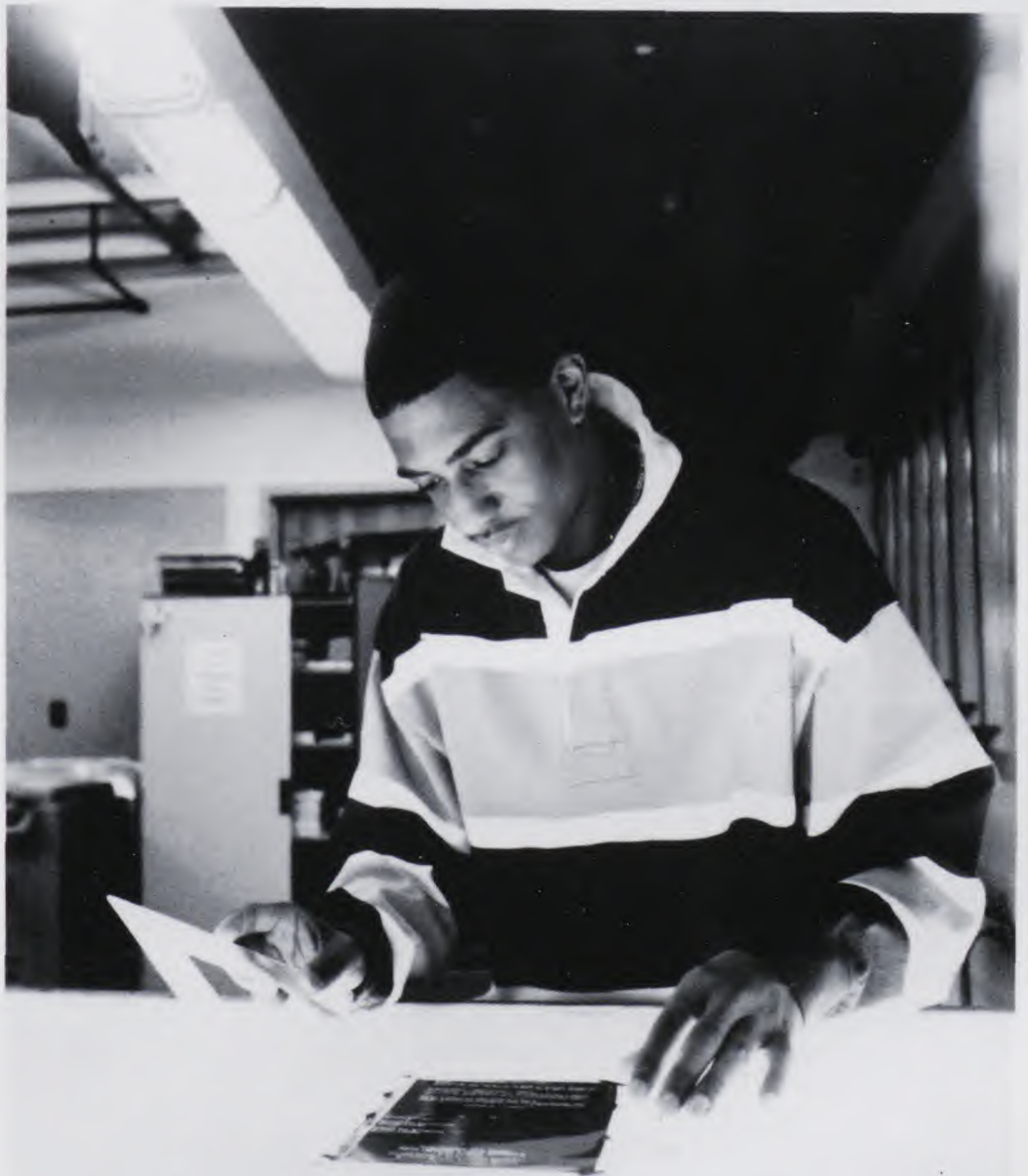
Each time I leave that wishing well, I hold my head up high, 'cause I'm not afraid to dream, and I'm not afraid to try. — ALL (The Band)



JACQUELIN PHILLIPS

Each day I learn just a little bit more, I don't know why, but I do know what for. If we're all going somewhere, let's get there soon. This song's got no title, just words and a tune.

— Elton John



Shannon Mosely



Theresa Sayers



JOSH PIANKO



JOHN M. PIARULLI

Don't hang on, nothin' lasts forever but the earth and sky . . . all we are is dust in the wind.
— Kansas



PHIL PICILLO

Perceiving from visions that reoccur, analyze your dreams to gain a better perspective of your life, in control of your destiny with mind and soul.
— Chuck Shuldiner, Death



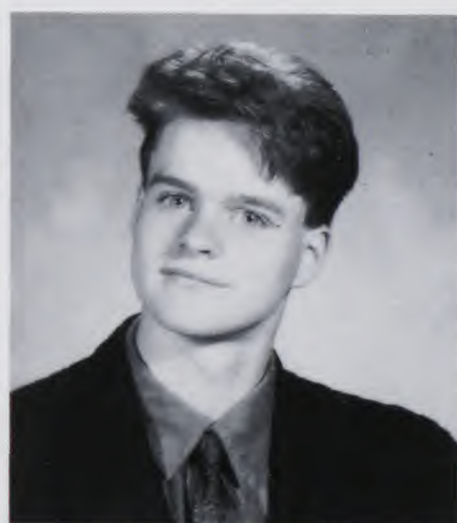
TAHMEKA DAWN PIGOTT

How can I make a quote about something that I haven't even lived out yet?



JEN PIRO

I'm so bad, Moo!!
— Mighty Mouse



BRIAN S. PITT

Go real slow, you'll like it more and more, take it as it comes, specialize in having fun.



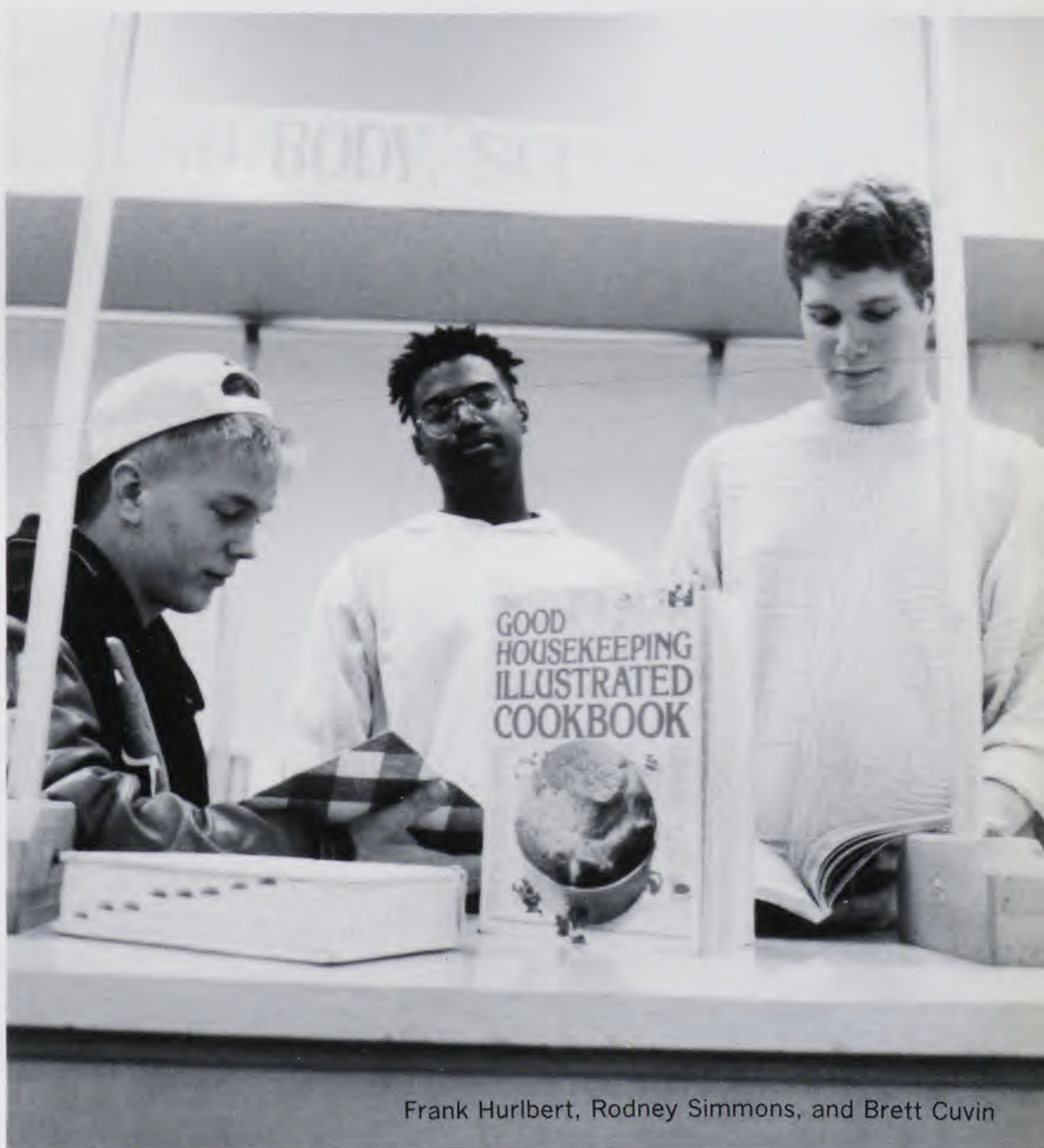
ANDRE MATTHEW POLHILL

Most people think great God will come from the sky, take away everything and make everyone feel high. If you know what life is worth, then you will go for yours on earth. Now you see the light, stand up for your right.



AMY BETH POLITI

We cannot become what we need to be by remaining what we are.



Frank Hurlbert, Rodney Simmons, and Brett Cuvin



DANIIL POLOTOVSKI



TODD POPIEL

It's time for me to be on my way. I know I've got business to conduct, I've got places to go.
— Billy Joel



Mishelle May



DIANA PORCIELLO

Life goes on, friendships may fade, but the memories of the good times will always remain.



GIGINA QUARTO

Future. That period of time in which our affairs prosper, our friends are true, and our happiness is assured.
— Ambrose Bierce



DOV RADZIK

My salvation is that I never took any interest in anything.
— Arthur Miller

PERSONALIZED VEHICLES



TERRI LAMARR RANDALL

Sometimes it is difficult to see the rainbow through the rain, but it's there.



"Bronze Bomber, the name says it all."

— Stephanie Palmieri



JUDITH F. RAPPAPORT

There have been many great moments; those moments are now just memories, but those memories will last forever.



"Elmo from Sesame Street, because my car is red with orange parking lights."

— Maria Geanoules

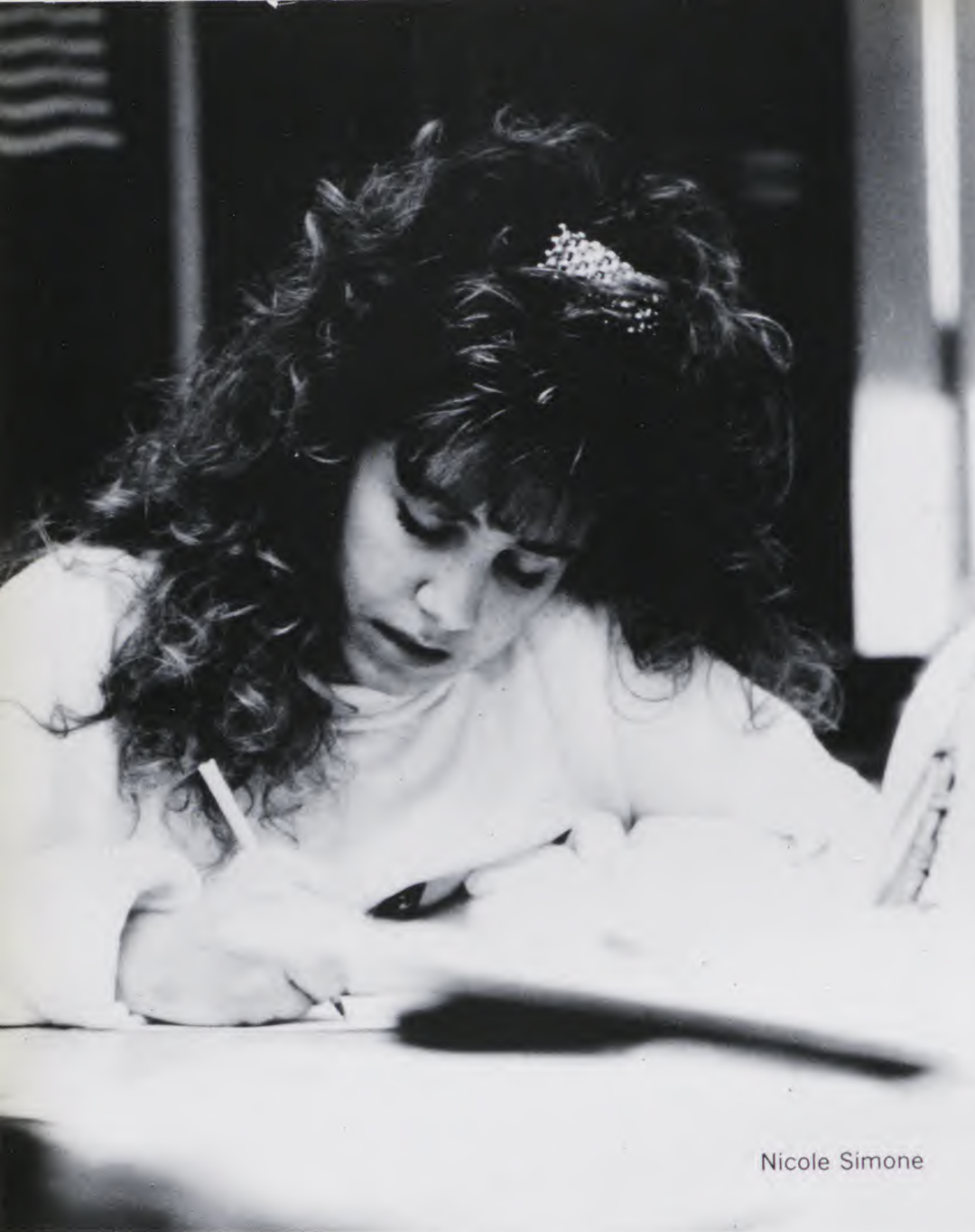


MATTHEW REIMER

If all I do in life is make people laugh, I know I will have accomplished something.



"Baby, because I treat it like a baby." — Renee Rodriguez



Nicole Simone



CYNTHIA REISTER

One day at a time is enough. Don't look back and grieve over the past, for it's gone; and do not be troubled about the future, for it hasn't come. Live in the present, and make it worth remembering.



MAREEN M. RIZZO

Down by the sea, time stands still, worries wash away, and life-like uncharted waters — is one big adventure. Make the most of it . . .



CHERYL RIZZOLO

True friendship is measured by honesty, understanding, loyalty, and caring.



RENEÈ RODRÍGUEZ

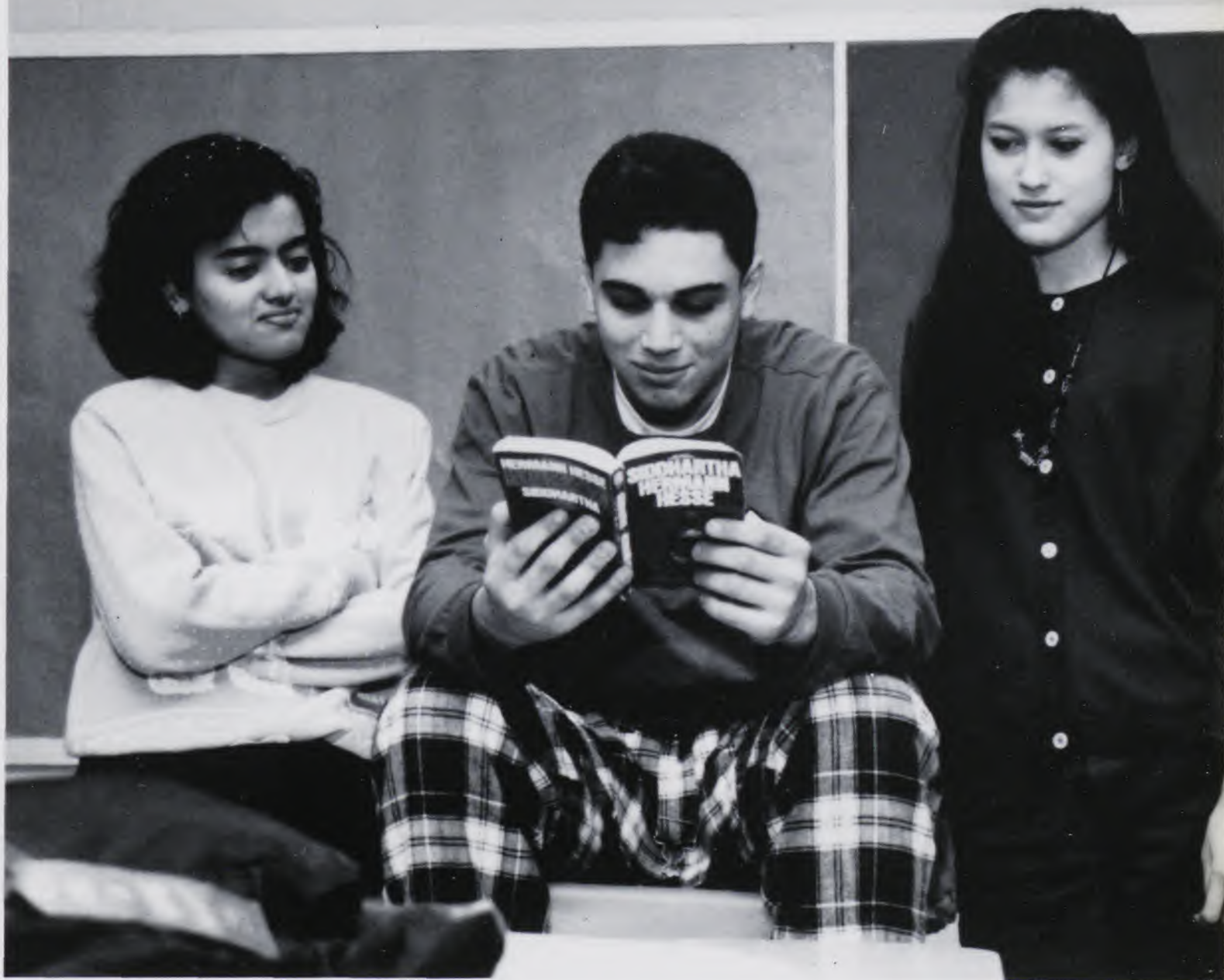
This life's yours. Take the power to choose what you want to do and do it. Take the power to love what you want and love it honestly. Take the power to control your own life. No one else can do it for you.



JOHN ROLLI

This is what I believe sports are really about. Enter the arena, don't be afraid to fail. There can only be one number 1, but the biggest achievement is to finish . . .

— Theodore Roosevelt



MICHAEL ROLLI



ISAIAH ROPER



ERIC C. ROSE

Freedom is a road seldom traveled by the
multitude.
— Public Enemy



CALLING MR. MUSIC ...

For most high school students, it was a constant struggle to find enough hours in the day for schoolwork, extracurricular activities, jobs, and whatever else needed to be done. It certainly was not the average teenager who maintained high grades while at the same time managing his own production company and producing a biweekly television show. No one who knew Jason Levine, who had a fully equipped recording studio in his own house, would have called him average.

From the time Jason was very young, he had been interested in music. At the age of six, he began taking piano lessons, and several years later, he took on the guitar. Soon after, he taught himself how to play the bass and drums. According to Jason, "I was always a record lover, but music became an obsession when I became more familiar with the recording of music."

Acquiring the expensive equipment for the professional studio took a great amount of time and hard work. "It started out as a struggle, begging for keyboards as Hanukkah presents, and eventually, I sold everything that I owned. Now, with my studio in operation, I am able to finance all equipment that I purchase on my own."

In the fall of 1988, Jason officially opened "Creative Electronic Productions." After that, he produced for many bands and performers, in and out of school. "My major accomplishment was starting out with nothing and ending up with a full-production, musical recording studio."

In addition, Jason played in many bands, and he wrote and produced all music for WOHS TV News, as well as for many other TV 36 projects. He hoped to continue his education at Berklee College of Music in Massachusetts, and planned to pursue a career in music production and engineering. Jason added, "I always knew that this was the field where I truly 'shined.' It is, and always has been, my true calling."



MARNI ROSENBLUM

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

— Styx



STEVE ROSENCRANTZ



JASON YALE ROTHBART

The mark of a champion is to be 1; not to be one of many.



SHAWN RUSCH



MARISA RUSSO



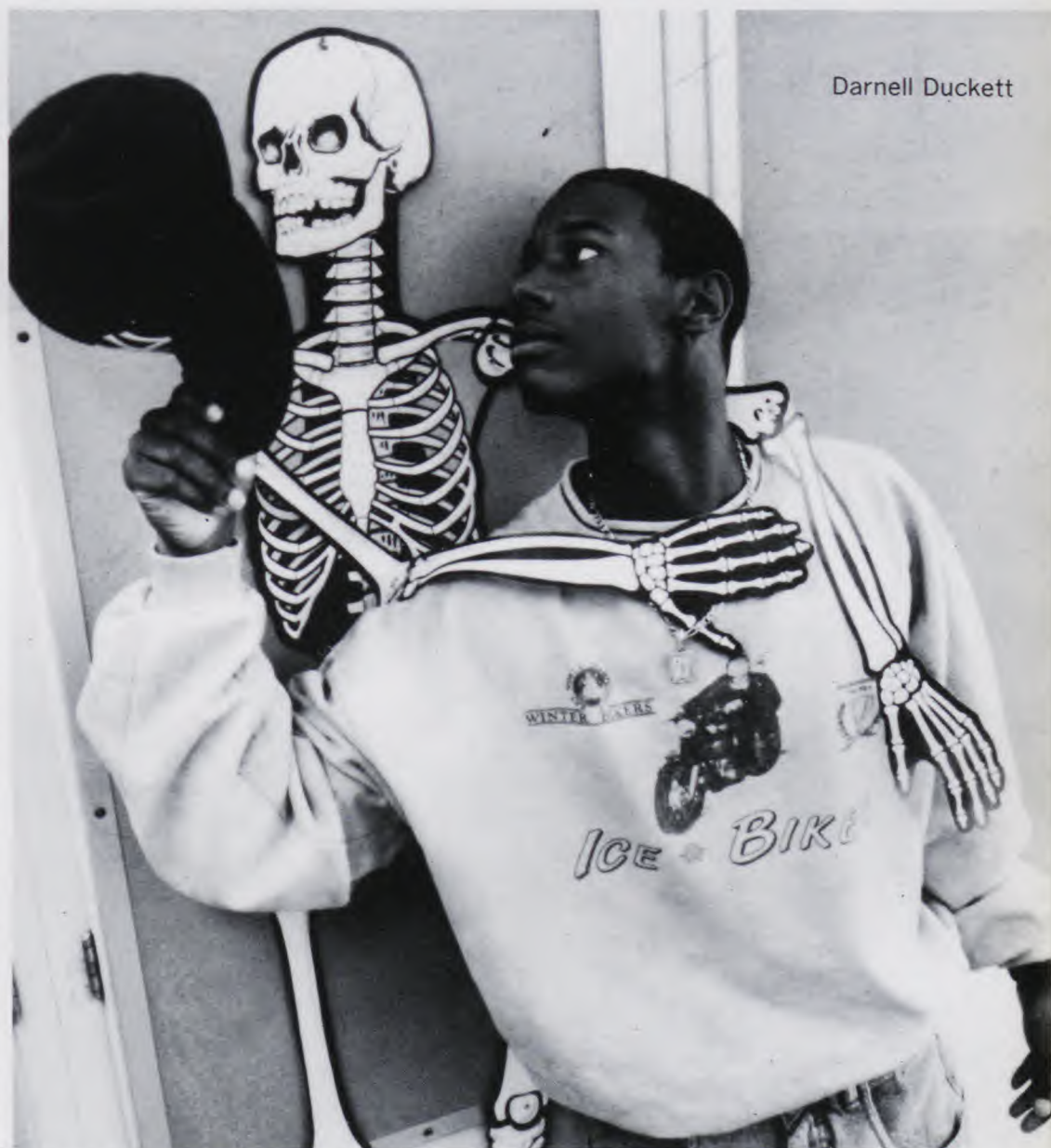
MARC SACHS
Gone, but not forgotten.



LUIS M. SALVIA
Time flies when you're having fun.



NEIL MARTIN SANIEL
It matters not if you try and fail and try again,
but it matters most if you try and fail and fail
to try again.



Darnell Duckett



Evan Braunstein, Louise O'Neill, and Dave Miner



NELSON C. SANTOS

Go for yours, 'cause I'm going for mine.
— 3rd Bass



MICHAEL SAVAGE

Excuse me, one moment! I remind you, that tomorrow it will be all, or it will be nothing. It will be brief, or it will be great. It depends on the passion.
— Paul Simon



GISELLE M. SAVOIA

Too many hands on my time, too many feelings, too many things on my mind, when I leave I don't know what I'm hoping to find, when I leave I don't know what I'm leaving behind.
— Neil Peart



THERESA SAYERS



NATHANIEL SBAR

Anything that can go wrong, will go wrong.
— Murphy's Law
Murphy was an optimist.
— James Tiberius



ANNA M. SCALORA

Take me to the magic of the moment.
On a glory night, where the children
of tomorrow share their dreams,
in the winds of change. — Scorpions



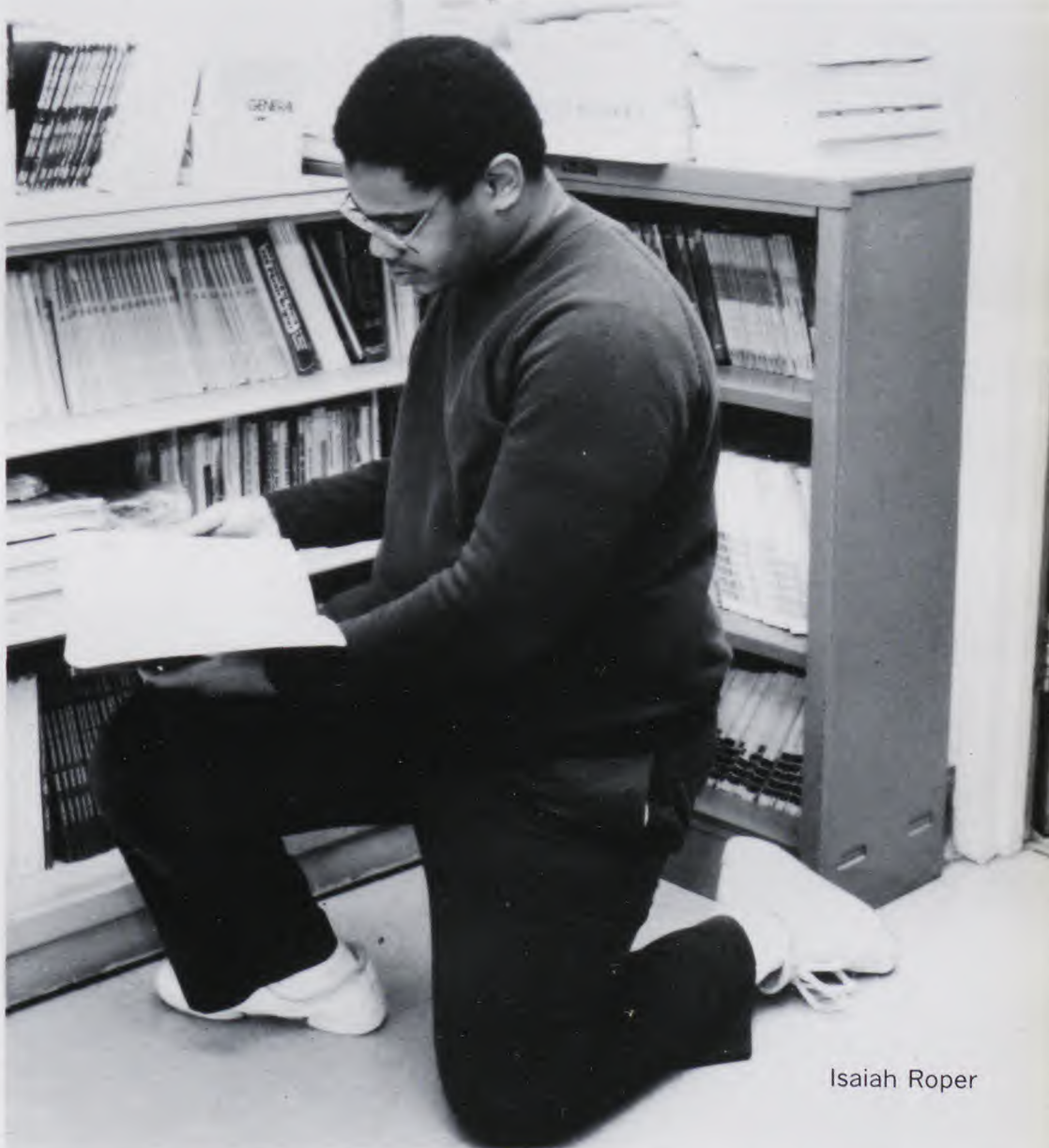
JENNIFER SCHUCHMAN

Have a little faith, and trust in what tomorrow
brings.
You'll reach a star, because there are such
things. — Frank Sinatra



ADAM SCHWARTZ

Certainly there are lots of things in life that
money won't buy, but it's funny — have you
ever tried to buy them without money?
— Ogden Nash



Isaiah Roper



MARIA Z. SGOURDAS

Just when you think everything is going your way it doesn't, but if someone truly loves you, things always turn out for the best.



JONATHAN SHILLER

What I am, is what I am, are you what you are, or what? — Edie Brickell and the New Bohemians



STACI MARIE SICKLES

Only as far as I see, is how great I will be, and only as hard as I try, is how high I will fly.



STEPHANIE SIEBERT

The only thing to fear is fearlessness. — R.E.M.



STELLA SILVA

If you don't make mistakes, you might live and die without ever hearing your name mentioned.



RODNEY SIMMONS

APPLICATIONS, APPLICATIONS,



"They're worse than soccer practice." — Jason Goldberg



"I haven't started them yet." — Karen O'Keeffe



"It's a nightmare and I can't wake up." — Adriane Padakis



NICOLE SIMONE



JASMINE YVETTE SIMPSON

The most lost days of your life are the ones in which you have not once laughed.



AND MORE APPLICATIONS ...



"I don't think about them."

— Leo Ortega



"I hate the essays."

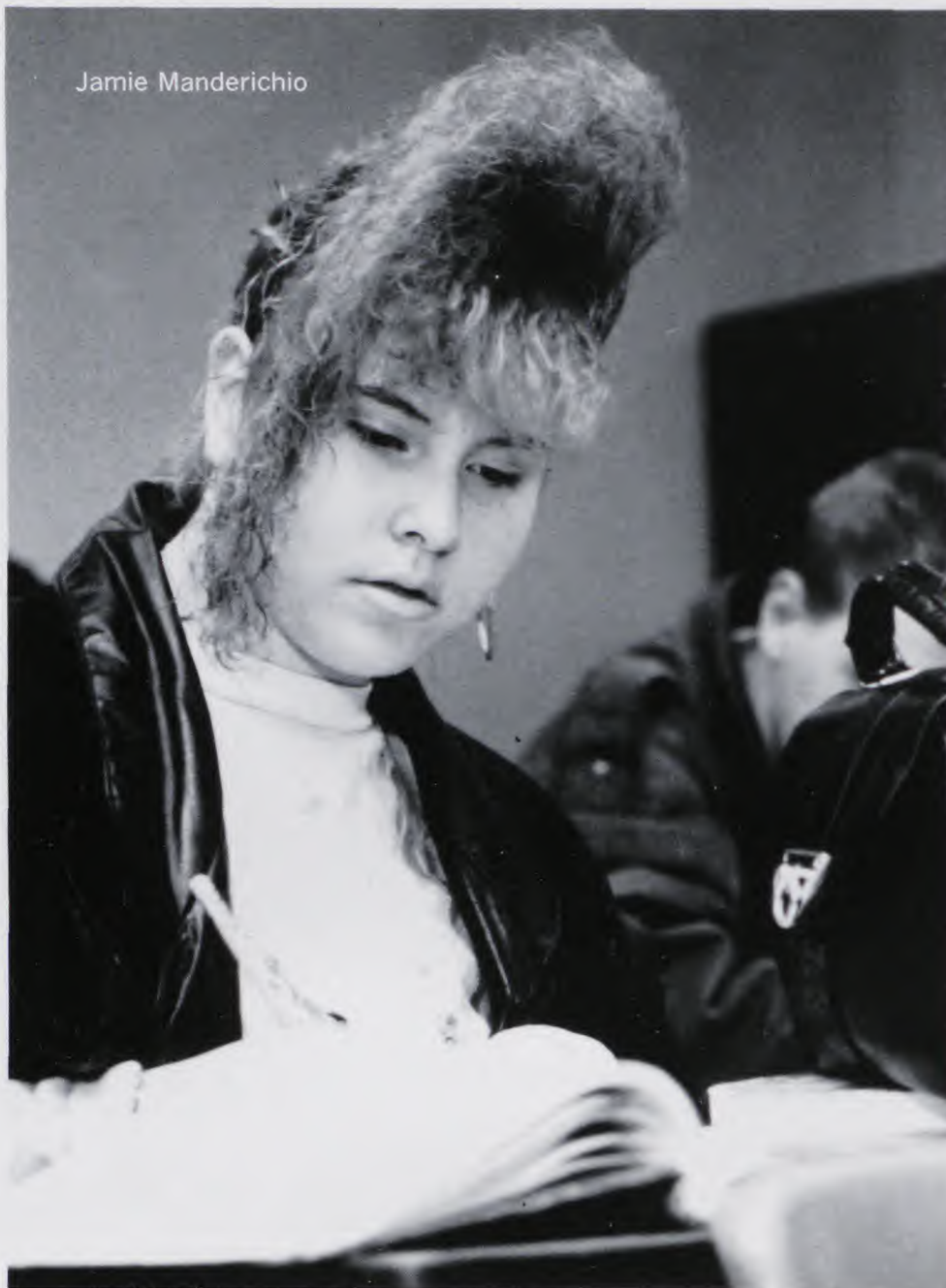
— Melinda Gisbert



"I'll do them tomorrow."

— Anna Scalora

Jamie Manderichio



MATHEW SKARIA

Memory performs the impossible for man, holds together past and present, gives continuity and dignity to human life. This is the companion, this is the tutor, the poet, the library, with which you travel. — M. Doren



CHANDRA K. SMITH

There was a boy, a very strange and enchanted boy, a little shy and sad of eye, but very wise was he. This he said to me: "The greatest thing you'll ever learn is just to love and be loved in return."



JEANNE MARIE SMITH

Open your eyes, look, touch, and feel. Rule with your heart; live with your conscience.



PAUL SNIPES

What a long, strange trip it's been.



JASON STELE

Use what talents you possess; the woods would be very silent if no birds sang there, but those who sang best.



Danny Gillespie



MARK STERN

Don't put off for tomorrow what you can do today, because if you enjoy it today, you can do it again tomorrow.



ANDREA STROLLO

Only as high as I reach, can I grow.
Only as far as I seek, can I go.
Only as deep as I look, can I see.
Only as much as I dream, can I be.



STEPHANIE SURIANO

The best thing you've ever done for me is to help me take my life less seriously — It's only life after all!
— Indigo Girls



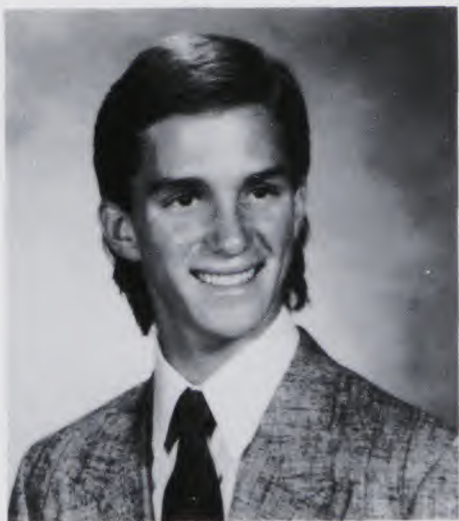
SERGIO TAPIA

If you're going to pick a fight, pick one that's small enough to win, yet big enough to matter.



JONATHAN TEICH

When a man sits with a pretty girl for an hour, it seems like a minute; but let him sit on a hot stove for a minute — and it's longer than any hour. That's relativity. — Albert Einstein



ERIC SCOTT TEITELBAUM

No matter what the odds; if you think you can, you will; if there's any doubt, you won't.



KAREN DENISE IRONS-THOMAS

O give me a song of hope, and a world where I can sing it. Give me a song of faith, and a people to believe in it. Give me a song of kindness, and a country where I can live it.

— Dark Testament Pauli Murray



TAMMY TITUS

The freakiest show I know is the show of my own, living my life, in and out, of the twilight zone.

— Red Hot Chili Peppers



HAZEL S. TOLENTINO

Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and lean not on your own understanding. In all thy ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct thy paths.

— Proverbs 3:5-6



GARY TORIELLO

I'm sailing away. Set an open course for the merchant seas. I've got to be free; Free to face the life that's ahead of me.

— Styx





MICHAEL TRIPP

No matter how high you go, you have to try to go higher.



TRACEY TUTALO

And I was left . . . a broken laugh and a thousand memories and not a single regret.



MICHELE DAWN VALENTE

See the enemy, it lies within you, after fighting with your conscience you'll see the truth, time to break the trends that we created, why don't you make your move? — American Angel



JOHN PAUL VAN HEGANS

Forget this world of lookalikes,
Make your own dimension.
Take a glance upwards to find you.
Let go, just be unreal.



MATTHEW A. VERLANGIERI

Remember the past.
Aspire to the future;
But live for today.

Ms. Damiano and Mr. Prendergast



MARIA A. VITALE

Hold on to your dreams, though they seem so far away, and those dreams will come true, somehow, someday.



TRACY WALTER

How do I say goodbye to what we had? The good times that made us laugh, I wave them back. I thought we'd get to be forever, but forever's gone away. It's so hard to say goodbye to yesterday.



MONIQUE ELAINE WILLIAMS

Success is doing the best that you can in as many ways as you can. It is being just and true and honest, not in a few things, but in everything you do.
— Success LSC



JODI D. WOOD

In complete darkness we are all the same. It is only our knowledge and wisdom that separate us. Don't let your eyes deceive you.
— Janet Jackson



MICHELE A. YANOFF

Just once in his life, a man has his time, and my time is now. I'm coming alive.
— St. Elmo's Fire



MELISSA (WEN-JENG) YAO

Love, peace, and harmony . . . Oh very nice, very nice. But maybe in the next world, maybe in the next world.

— The Smiths



STEPHANY YANTORN

The artist is composed of immortal character, seeking wisdom in tragedy, wit in comedy, to live on after God draws the curtain.

— Anonymous



KEISHA YOUNG

Nancy Kostecki



KATRINA ZACHOS

Farewell to familiar faces for all too soon will they fade. Farewell to familiar voices frozen in time. Our memories will unite us until that day when our paths cross again.



DMITRI ZLOTNIKOV

*It must have been cold there in my shadow,
To never have sunlight on your face.
You were content to let me shine — that's your way,
You always walked a step behind.
So, I was the one with all the glory,
While you were the one with all the strength.
A beautiful face without a name — for so long,
A beautiful smile to hide the pain.
Did you ever know that you're my hero,
And everything I would like to be?
I can fly higher than an eagle,
For you are the wind beneath my wings.
It might have appeared to go unnoticed,
But I've got it all here in my heart.
I want you to know I know the truth — 'course I know you,
I would be nothing without you.
Did you ever know that you're my hero?
You're everything I wish I could be.
I can fly higher than an eagle,
For you are the wind beneath my wings.
Did I ever tell you you're my hero?
You're everything, everything I wish I could be.
And I, I can fly higher than an eagle,
For you are the wind beneath my wings.
'Cause you are the wind beneath my wings.
You, you, you — You are the wind beneath my wings.
Fly, fly, fly away — You let me fly so high.
Fly, fly so high against the sky,
So high I almost touched the sky,
Thank you, Thank you.*

THANK GOD FOR YOU, THE WIND BENEATH MY WINGS.

In Memory Of



Julie Ann Cappola

FOOTPRINTS

The Lord replied, "My precious, precious child. I love you, and I would never leave you. During your times of trial and suffering, when you saw only one set of footprints, it was then that I carried you."

As we look back and remember the special times that we shared with Julie, we will never forget the strength and courage that she gave to each of us.



Take

Note



SPORTS

The story in sports on the national scene in 1991-1992 was one of triumph and tragedy, on a team and individual level. We saw the Cinderella-like ride of the Atlanta Braves get derailed when the Minnesota Twins danced at midnight in celebration after winning game seven of the World Series. We saw several firsts in the Olympics, most notably the use of professional athletes from the NBA in the basketball competition. We also saw the early demise of our beloved, defending Super Bowl Giants. Unquestionably the major story of the year was the revelation by Earvin "Magic" Johnson that he had been infected with the HIV virus. The nation watched in silence as Magic courageously accepted his fate and became the leading spokesman for safe sex as a must in order to slow the spread of AIDS. The media followed his every move.

Closer to home, the press recognized the Mountaineers as they competed in the Northern Hills Conference. The "In The Schools" section of the Star-Ledger frequently focused on West Orange teams. Headlines about many of our athletes were abundant. There were features on Jamie Bussell and Michelle Yanoff's dramatic third set come-from-behind victory against Wayne Valley. Heather Bury stole the spotlight in cross country when she ran away with the Essex County Championship. The papers took note of the soccer skills of Jorge Montes DeOca and Louis Mari, warning the other teams that W.O. soccer was a force to be reckoned with. All-conference guard, Brent Davis, grabbed headlines while leading the boys' basketball team for the second straight year. John Rolli took off football pads and put on his catcher's gear and became all-conference in both sports. All the athletes who contributed to W.O.H.S. athletics helped the Mountaineers to **LEAP BEYOND** expectations.

A LEAP BEYOND



Fall Honor Roll



George Del Monte
Coach-of-the-Year
Soccer



Jorge Montes De Oca
First-Team Forward



Elisse
First-Team



Chris Clarizio
First-Team Goalie



Omar Gonzales
First-Team Forward



Joseph Suriano
Coach-of-the-Year
X-Country

**1st
 Team
 All-
 Conference**



Jusino
Forward



Heather Bury
First-Team All-State



John Rolli
First-Team Linebacker



Jason Docheff
First-Team 3-Miler

Coach George Del Monte with his captains Lou Mari, Chris Clarizio, and Omar Gonzales.

Goalkeeper Chris Clarizio charges out to make a save. Clarizio allowed one goal per game and had eight shutouts.



We had the talent; we had the experience. We played together all of our lives; we knew each other well. We could have been the best.

— Chris Clarizio

Our team was very special. We had talented players in all positions. The most important thing was that we treated each other like family.

— Omar Gonzalez

We had more talent than any other WOHS team. We stuck together always, on and off the field. We were like brothers.

— Louis Mari



Co-captain Omar Gonzales tracks down the ball and saves it from going out of bounds. Gonzales was a First Team All-Conference selection in both his junior and senior year.



Defenseman Rob Goldman takes the ball from a Montville striker. Goldman was a two year starter.

Matt Reimer uses his speed to elude a Montville defender. Reimer received an All-Conference Honorable Mention.



Jorge Montes De Oca dribbles around a Bloomfield defender in the first round of the Essex County Tournament. Montes De Oca was the team's leading scorer with 15 goals and 10 assists.

MOUNTAINEER



BOYS' SOCCER



Inconsistent play, despite 13-7-2 record prevents booters from

A Run At The Top

After last year's upsetting loss to Millburn, the boys' soccer team vowed revenge. They were eager to avenge that defeat, but their hopes were dashed in the very first game of the season, with a 5-0 loss at the hands of the Millers.

Coach Del Monte regrouped his team and led them to win seven of their next eight games. This earned West Orange a home game in their first county tournament game ever. A victory against Bloomfield gave the soccer team the right to meet their long-time nemesis, Millburn, in the quarter-finals. After eighty minutes, the boys had a 3-2 victory, which meant more than just the right to advance to the semi-finals against Columbia, the number one ranked team in the state at NJIT. It was the first time in twenty-two years that West Orange defeated Millburn.

By this point in the season, the soccer team had achieved a record of 11-2-1. This record was identical to that of St. Benedicts, ranked nationally by a **USA Today** poll. It was a great height from which to fall. From this point on the soccer team went 2-5-1.

Despite the lull at the end of the season, two-thirds of the players received honors from the conference and county selection committees. Goalkeeper Chris Clarizio, who saved two penalty shots and recorded eight shutouts, made first team all-conference, first team all-area, and third team all-county. Jorge Montes De Oca led the scoring for the season with 15 goals and was tabbed for first team all-conference and first team all-county honors. Coach Del Monte, who won Coach of the Year honors in the conference, said he'd remember this team always.



(Front Row) Jorge Montes De Oca, Paul Kulesha, Howard Lesnik, Louis Mari, Chris Clarizio, Omar Gonzales, Steve Mari, Scott Jonas, Jorge Chagas. (Back Row) Andrew Kessler, Sergio Tapia, Jason Goldberg, Matthew Reimer, Coach Del Monte, Craig Slaaen, Hakan Erpanur, Eric Teitelbaum, Larry Greenfield.

Coach Welter



Senior captains Sonya Battista, Elisse Jusino, and Jodi Wood.



We had spirit when we lacked strength. We laid down the foundation for successful years to come. We worked as a team and became a family.

— Sonya Battista

Our team was made up of many different personalities that caused some hard times, but when we needed to, we worked well together.

— Elisse Jusino

Our team had progressed throughout the years and has developed into a family. I will miss being a part of it.

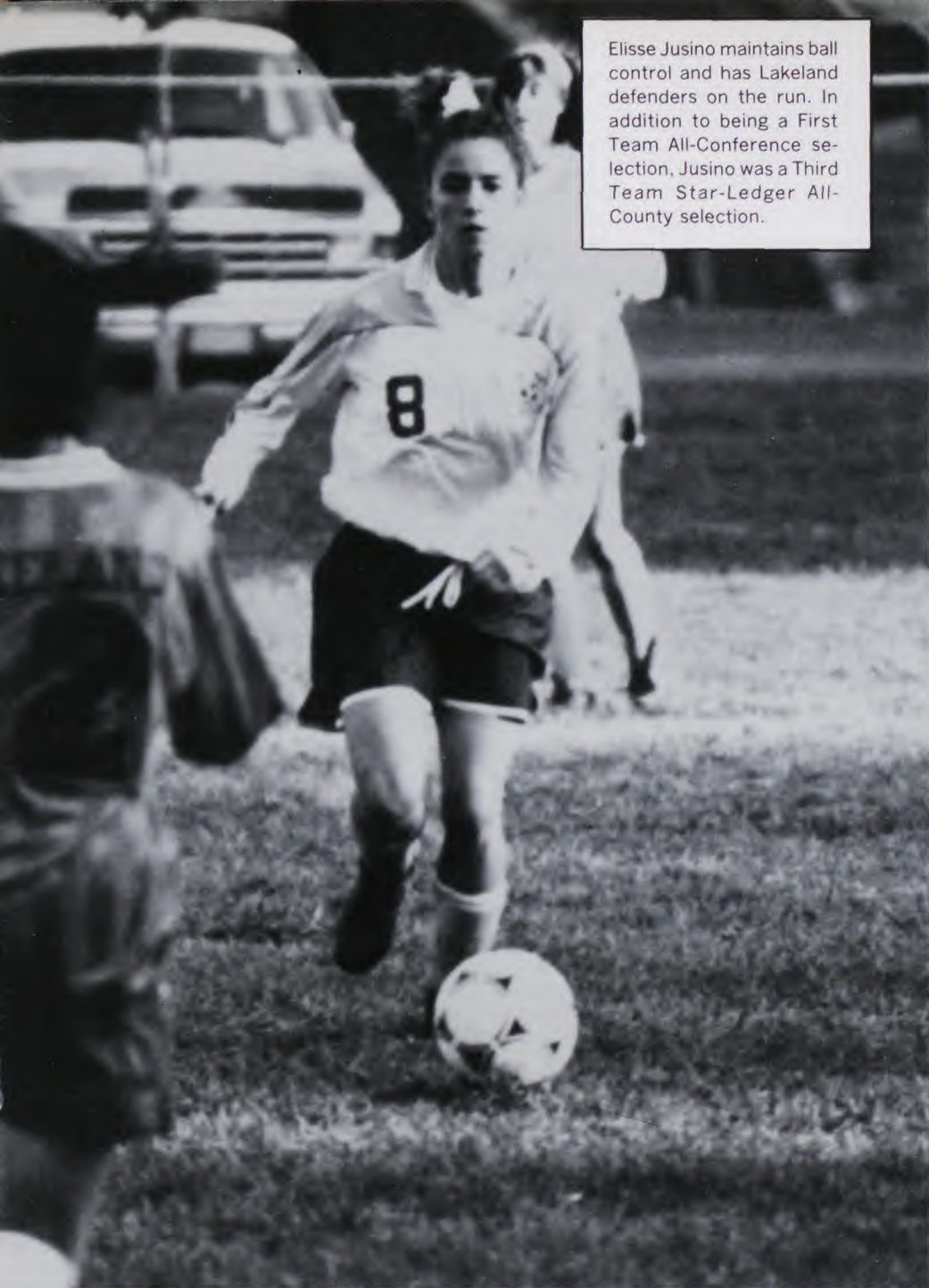
— Jodi Wood



Jodi Wood steals the ball from a West Essex opponent. Wood, an Honorable Mention in the conference, was a three year starter.



Sonya Battista prepares to loft a goal kick into play. Battista was a three year starter for Coach Welter.



Elisse Jusino maintains ball control and has Lakeland defenders on the run. In addition to being a First Team All-Conference selection, Jusino was a Third Team Star-Ledger All-County selection.

MOUNTAINEER



GIRLS' SOCCER

A Closer Look

*at girls' soccer
reveals the true story*

There's an old adage associated with evaluating anything that it's impossible to judge a book by its cover. Likewise, in athletics, one cannot judge a team solely by its record. Such was the case with girls' soccer. In order to know what the team accomplished, one had to read further into their season for evidence of the team's competitiveness and determination.

The Lady Mountaineers improved tremendously from the previous year, thanks to a strong work ethic. Seniors Elisse Jusino, Jodi Wood, and Sonya Battista fit perfectly into the captain positions. The experience and leadership they displayed served as an excellent model for the other girls to follow. The team jelled together early and started to play as a unit. "When we all played together and we all wanted to win, we did," commented Battista. Their teamwork was most evident in a 2-1 victory over Verona. Jodi Wood added, "When we were motivated and gave it 100 percent, we were a tough opponent." The team peaked with a 3-0 win over Pequannock. Their effective passing helped net three goals and the defense completely shut out their opponent's attack.

The girls developed into a mature team by the end of the season, which can be directly attributed to the dedication displayed throughout the season. Wood summed up her experience by saying, "In my three years of playing soccer we didn't win that often, but I loved playing soccer and meeting so many new people. I'm sure that I'll be able to work effectively with people in the future because of my participation on the team."



(Top) Coach Welter, Charlena Williams, Jodi Young, Shari Martin, Andrea Sin, Cheryl Jones, Denise Buerrose, Lina Libson, Sally Yoblick, mgr. (Bottom) Aphrodite Maravelias, Stephanie Bromberg, Sonya Battista, Elisse Jusino, Jodi Wood, Jessica Spring, Wendy Reilly.

Coach Suriano and Coach Maddalena review statistics before the conference meet at Delbarton.

Vivek Nasta follows the pace set by teammate Valmik Vyas at the State Sectional Meet in Holmdel.



There was a friendly competitive spirit among us, but we remained true to our goal of team success.
— David Miner

Our cross-country team climbed mountains together . . . literally.
— Vivek Nasta

We had a successful season because of hard work and dedication. It was such a great opportunity to be such a key part of the team.
— Louise O'Neill



Captain Louise O'Neill fights to stay ahead of her competition. After sitting out her sophomore and junior year due to injury, O'Neill came back to capture a second team All-Conference award.



David Miner fights to overcome a Westfield opponent. Miner was a second team All-Conference selection and led the team throughout the season.

Out in the front as usual, Heather Bury leads the pack as she goes on for another victory. Bury won her second consecutive conference title this year and remained undefeated in dual meets.



MOUNTAINEER



CROSS COUNTRY

Bury headlines make it easy to

Track the Harriers

A thing that all athletes strive for is consistency, the ability to perform at the highest level day in and day out. Heather Bury achieved that level of consistency which others dream about. She won 27 consecutive dual meets on her way to becoming only the second **Star-Ledger** all-state, all-groups athlete in West Orange since the merger of West Orange and Mountain High Schools. Bury also won her second conference championship at Delbarton with a time of 19:38. To go along with her conference championship, she also won the county meet and the Essex Catholic Invitational Tournament.

Although Bury was outstanding, she could not have led the girls' team to a 16-1 dual meet record without the help of captain Louise O'Neill. O'Neill was a strong runner and a good role model for the younger runners. Rounding out the starting seven were: Valerie Buonopane, Sonya Tone, Nicole Spahle, Amanda Tone, and Mary Miner.

Even though the boys' team didn't receive as much press as the girls did, it wasn't because they weren't extremely successful. With a 14-5 dual meet record, the boys placed 3rd in both the county and the conference. Standing out for Coach Suriano was a sophomore, Jason Docheff. In his first year of crosscountry, Docheff was a first team all-conference selection, while placing second overall in the conference meet. The remainder of the team: captains David Miner and Vivek Nasta, Bryan Ayres, Geren Clarke, Valmik Vyas, and Anthony Alfonso were all outstanding throughout the season. Conference Coach of the Year Joe Suriano summed up both teams by saying, "Both the boys and the girls surpassed all goals that had been set at the beginning of the season."



THE 1991 MOUNTAINEER CROSS COUNTRY TEAM

Second year Coach Mike Pizzi ponders his next play while using his headset to confer with his assistant coaches atop the press box.

Captains Brian Kelly, John Rolli, and Neil Sanial await the opening coin toss. These three led the team on and off the field.



Our team's greatest attribute was the ability to keep on going and not give up. We turned our season around and became better players.
— Brian Kelly

Our team played great the whole season due to a great work ethic, great friends, and most of all, senior leadership.
— John Rolli

We began as individuals playing at different levels. As we progressed, we learned to play together as a team and ended up with an exciting season.
— Neil Sanial



Neil Sanial celebrates after recovering a fumble against Clifford Scott. Sanial was a three year starter at left guard.



Brian Kelly prepares to block a West Side lineman. A versatile performer, Kelly started at both center and right guard during the season.



Halfback Frank Hurlbert scampers outside against West Side. He scored six touchdowns.



MOUNTAINEER



FOOTBALL

*4-5 finish after an 0-3 start
scripts*

A Tale of Two Seasons

The hardest thing to do in any sport is to win a tough game on the road. Imagine how Coach Mike Pizzi and the Mountaineers felt as they arrived at Montville with an 0-3 record to face the highly explosive Mustangs. An ominous banner which hung from a fence that overlooked the sunken playing field proclaimed, "Welcome to Death Valley." Underneath this intimidating headline were sketches of tombstones on which previous Montville massacres were recorded: Montville 45 — West Side 0, Montville 36 — West Milford 6, Montville 30 — Essex Catholic 0. Would the Mountaineers be victim number four? The answer came early as the Mountaineer defense, led by a brilliant effort by all-conference linebacker John Rolli and honorable mention defensive end Rob Burfiend, who registered 14 tackles along with three sacks, rose up to shut out Montville in the first half as West Orange took a 7-0 lead into the locker room after a five yard TD run by Sean Baker. The Mountaineers struck again on a 50 yard return of a fumble by Frank Hurlburt. Montville put up a score in the fourth quarter, but the Mountaineers put the game away on a 25 yard run by John Rolli from the shadows of their own goal posts. The Mountaineers held on for a 14-6 victory. Most long-time West Orange football fans regarded the win as one of the school's greatest upset wins.

The Mountaineers used their stunning upset to turn their season around. West Side proved no match as the Mountaineers rolled to a 33-20 Homecoming victory. Another tough road win at West Milford, 15-12, and a dramatic last minute TD by Rolli against Scott gave second year coach, Mike Pizzi, a 4-4 record going into the final game on Thanksgiving at Essex Catholic. An untimely fumble on a fourth and goal inside the Essex Catholic ten yard line with seconds remaining robbed the team of a chance for a winning season. Coach Pizzi remarked, "The game at Montville really was our highlight, as well as, our turning point. After that game we really came together as a team."



THE 1991 MOUNTAINEER FOOTBALL

Coach Meador

Captains Michele Lambert and Jen Hymowitz led the team on and off the court. Lambert was a mainstay at first singles for the past two years.

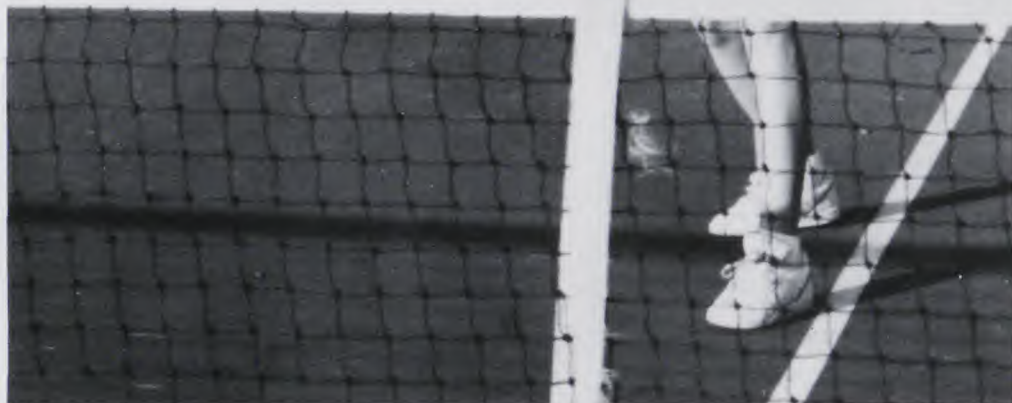


We learned to understand and accept each other. We had a good season and a great time. I was proud to see us come together.

— Jen Hymowitz

Our team had a really good time together. We worked hard and enjoyed doing so.

— Michelle Lambert



Returning a volley during warmups is Jen Hymowitz. Hymowitz excelled at second singles throughout the season.



Jamie Bussel prepares for a match by practicing her over-head. Bussel was a three year starter.



As she keeps her eye on the ball, Michele Yanoff hits a forehand return. Yanoff teamed with Jamie Bussel to form a strong first doubles team.

MOUNTAINEER



TENNIS

No Love Lost -

Tennis posts a 15-10 record.

The girls' tennis team was in full swing with all of last year's starters returning for the fall season. Michelle Lambert and Jennifer Hymowitz were mainstays at the first and second singles positions. Rebecca Starrett and Amanda Bunsavage shared the third spot. Jamie Bussel and Michele Yanoff, the first doubles team, received an honorable mention all-area for their efforts. Marni Rosenblum and Paulina Berowitz paired up again at second doubles to win an honorable mention all-conference award for the second year in a row.

The girls were pitted against top-ranked Livingston three times, and suffered three of their ten losses against a team which was ranked number one in the county and won the state sectionals, finishing fourth in the state in **The Star Ledger** poll. However, their tough schedule did not phase them. Their competitive spirit earned them the runner-up trophy in the consolation round of the Essex County Tournament. Bussel and Yanoff won the decisive third set in the semi-finals against Caldwell to keep their hopes alive and propelled the team into the final round.

The team had to adjust to their third different coach in three years. This was hard because each year they had to start fresh. "Despite the setbacks the team was confronted with," explained Bussel, "we worked together to establish a successful season." Compared to the previous season, in which they were victorious only six times, their 15-10 record showed that the tennis team's dedication paid off. You have to 'love' that kind of turnaround.



(Top Row) Paulina Berowitz, Aarti Nasta, Cara Weisel, Amanda Bunsavage, Danielle Lambert, Jodie Kutner, Rebecca Starrett. (Middle Row) Michelle Lambert, Stacey Bussel, Amy Werthheimer, Sari Lobbe, Courtney Davis, Kate Minnock. (Bottom Row) Marni Rosenblum, Jamie Bussel, Michele Yanoff, Jen Hymowitz.



Alex Fertig
All-Conference 152 lbs.



Joey Hoffman
All-Conference Bowler



Adrian Mata
All-County Swimmer



Brent Davis
All-Conference Guard



Scott Jonas
All-County Swimmer



Gretchen Price
All-State Swimmer



Jamie Leffler
All-County Swimmer



John Selpe
All-Conference 112 lbs.



Gloria Nash
Conference Champion Shot Put



Matt Giunta
All-County Swimmer



Gary Errichetti
All-County Swimmer



Hillary Price
All-County Swimmer



Tara Lutkins
All-County Swimmer

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CHEERLEADING

*Senior captains have the
squad*

Dancing and Jumping to New Heights

Never has there been a more talented and unified varsity squad in this school than the one that graced sporting events this past year. "Thirteen" may be an unlucky number for some, but for the cheerleaders the number was magic.

The year began in July at the Universal Cheerleading Association Camp at Montclair State College. There, the cheerleaders won excellent and superior awards.

Before school started, the squad was getting ready for the upcoming season. During the fall, they cheered for football and boys' soccer. Their halftime routine, which was actually a dance mix, was choreographed by senior captains Jen Colonna, Jessica Lederman, and Anna Scalora.

The spirit demonstrated on the field carried over onto the court as the varsity squad moved into the winter season. Cheering for wrestling and boys' and girls' basketball, they always gave never-ending support. During the season, the girls got "Down to the Crazy Beat."

Under the guidance of their coach, Ms. Debbie Pratko, the cheerleaders exhibited a high level of energy and enthusiasm the entire year. Coach Pratkano proudly stated, "Jen, Jessica, and Anna were outstanding tri-captains. Their unending hours of preparation, high level of enthusiasm, sincere concern for others, and their strong sense of pride, integrity, and honesty ignited this year's varsity squad to be phenomenal!"

On a more personal note, Ms. Pratkano addressed the captains, "From all of us, especially me, thanks for always listening, caring, sharing and most of all, for your friendship. You will always hold a special place in our hearts. — KNOCK ON WOOD."

The squad established the foundation for future squads to rise to even taller heights. The girls diversified their program by incorporating and modifying cheers to generate as much spirit as possible from the crowd.

If one were to ask the girls what was the most meaningful thing they got out of cheerleading this year, all thirteen would say, "friendship."



Front row: JoAnn Zeppi, Jen Colonna, Kim Chanda. Middle Row: Tara Curcione, Stacey Spagnola, Dana Amendola, Nicole Hirschkind. Back row: Karlee Davis, Lauren Abrams, Jaime Jandoli, Anna Scalora, Jessica Lederman, and Diane Barron.

Smiling as always, the Mountaineer cheerleaders strike a pose during a timeout. The squad's ability to get the crowd PSYCHED provided the teams with their needed sixth man.



Coach Pratko

Captains Jessica Lederman, Anna Scalora, and Jen Colonna.



Never before has there existed a stronger combination of talent, spirit, and unselfishness. There wasn't a day that I didn't feel honored to be a part of our squad.
— Anna Scalora

We shared secrets and stories that you couldn't tell your best friend . . . well, not true; we told each other everything. Thanks for everything!
— Jessica Lederman

Our squad displayed great unity. Each individual played a vital role on the squad and in my memories.
— Jen Colonna



During West Orange's vital Homecoming Game, the cheerleaders inspire the football team to a 33-20 victory.

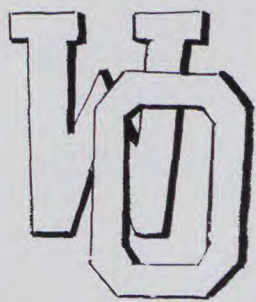


Senior Jaime Jandoli gets the fans involved during a football game.



The West Orange cheerleaders and their "Hello Cheer" in a captivating pyramid.

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Wrestling

Wrestlers work hard to obtain

Their Share of the Glory

Being named first team all-conference is no small feat. During the fall season, many Mountaineers were bestowed with the honor. The wrestling team didn't suffer from a loss of recognition in their conference during the winter season. Senior Alex Fertig posted 18 victories and lost only one match in the conference. This record was good enough to earn him a first team all-conference award in the 152 lbs. weight class. Joining Fertig on the first team was sophomore John Selpe. Selpe, wrestling at 112 lbs., was undefeated in the conference, making him an easy choice for first team honors. In addition, Walter Kilcullen, who competed in the 102 lbs. weight class, earned a second team award and placed third in the district. Rounding out the award winners were seniors Chansoo Park and Matt Verlangieri. Park finished his three year career with 48 victories. Verlangieri, who posted a record of 20-9, had the most post-season success. He placed first in the district and went on to place fourth in the regions.

Captains Fertig, Park, and Verlangieri led the team both on and off the mat. All three worked diligently with the coaching staff to improve their skills as well as the skills of their younger teammates. Fertig summed up the 8-7 season by saying, "Our hard work definitely paid off in the end," while Coach Lutkins proudly noted, "The season was extremely successful due to the fact that most of the wrestlers strived to reach their full potential."



Top row: Coach Groves, Coach Verlangieri, Nam Oh, Ray Boulard, Armando Johnson, Jason Lucas, Chris Greeley, Steve Ryu, Coach Lutkins. Middle row: Yi tai Chan, Rick Ferretti, Alex Fertig, Chansoo Park, Steve Klein, Pat Scaglione, Anthony Alcalde. Bottom row: Mike Bravoco, John Selpe, Walt Kilcullen, Matt Verlangieri, Ernesto Alcalde, Joe Kauper, and Jason Mazal.

Alex Fertig takes control and drives his opponent hard to the mat for a pin. Fertig registered 18 wins during the season.



Coach Lutkins



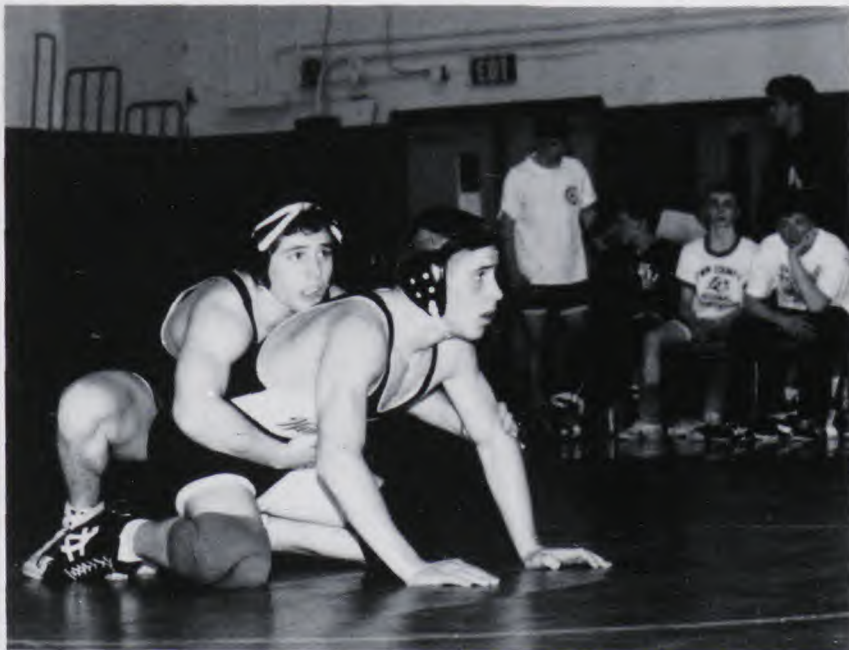
All the hard work and all the sacrifices for our sport have been worth it in obtaining our share of success.
— Matthew Verlangieri

Although we were a young team, we beat a couple of schools we weren't supposed to because we always pulled for one another.
— Chansoo Park

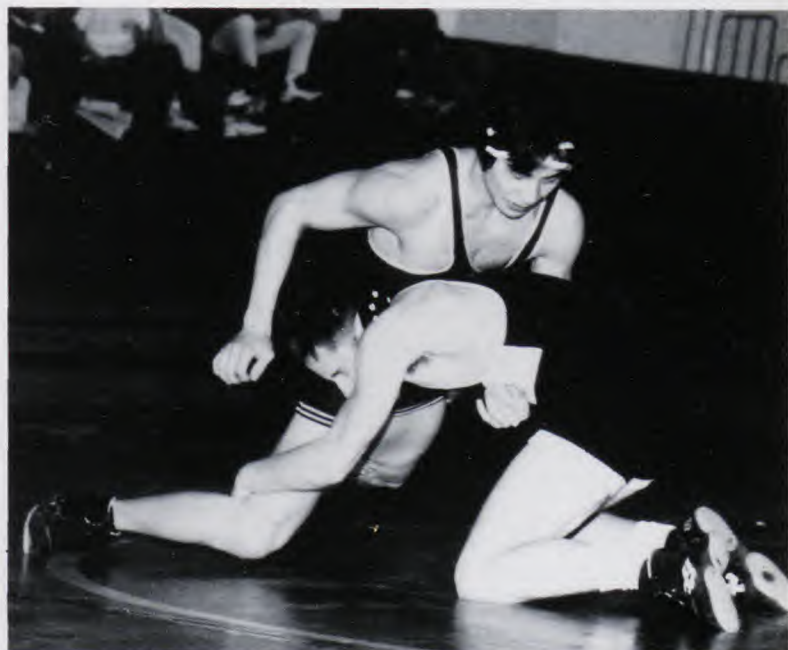
Our team improved this year because we worked hard and pulled together.
— Alex Fertig

Seniors Armando Johnson, Chansoo Park, Matt Verlangieri, and Alex Fertig.

Staring down his foe, John Selpe contemplates his first move. Selpe won 12 matches this season, including seven by pin.



Awaiting the referee's whistle, Matt Verlangieri prepares to take down a West Milford opponent. Verlangieri placed fourth in the counties while finishing first in the district.



Wrestling requires anticipation and strength. Here, Chansoo Park eludes his opponent's attack and countermoves to get the upper hand. Park had 48 victories during his three year varsity career.

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BOYS' BASKETBALL

*Davis and Muhammad flourish
under Ortelli's*

Shoot 'Em Up Style

The typical scene for a shoot-out in the days of the WILD WEST was a dusty street in the middle of town. In his first year of coaching, Tim Ortelli res-taged the "shoot-out" on the hardwood of the Mountaineer gym. Led by the stellar performances of guards Brent Davis and Rashad Muhammad, spectators were treated to a return to the WILD WEST, West Orange style. The result was a 12-12 season and an appearance in the county and state tournaments.

A veteran of coaching on the high school and college levels, Ortelli got his first glimpse of the personnel he'd have to work with during the previous summer at the Glen Ridge Summer League, where the team was coached by Assistant Coach Bill Ehrlich. Immediately, he realized that the style he preferred to coach, a running-pressing, up-tempo style, was well suited for the major assets of his players, namely, quickness and outside shooting. The chief beneficiaries were Davis, who finished with an 18.9 ppg average, and Muhammad, who averaged 5.8 assists per game.

While the Mountaineers did most of their damage from the perimeter, the bulk of the rebounding work fell on the broad shoulders of Duane Dooley. After sitting out his junior season with a separated shoulder, Dooley returned to lead the team in rebounding with 8.4 boards per game. He was helped on the interior by sophomore newcomers Miguel Aquino and Will Burwell and juniors Dave Katz and Glenn Lieberman.

Full and three-quarter court pressing defenses produced numerous turnovers by opponents and easy buckets for senior Darnell Duckett and sophomore Zegale Kelliham. The bulk of the scoring, however, was done by Davis, a three year starter, and Muhammad, whose highest production came against Wayne Valley when he poured in 27 points.

The highlight of the season was an opening round victory on the road against Columbia in the Essex County Tournament (Davis contributed a season high 32 points to propel the Mountaineers to an overtime victory). Riding the hot shooting of Muhammad, the team upset highly regarded Essex Catholic. Muhammad's 24 points led the way for the Mountaineers over the team that was ranked number two in the county and number 13 in the state.

Coach Ortelli summed up the season by saying, "I'm very satisfied with the season. As a first year program, we accomplished some of the things we set out to do."



The 1992 Varsity Boys' Basketball Team

Gliding in for another basket is guard Brent Davis. Davis scored 881 points during his four year varsity career.



Coach Ortelli

Seniors Brent Davis, Duane Dooley, Rashad Muhammad, and Darnell Duckett.

We had a tough time in the start, but we came to trust each other and that's the reason for our late success.

— Duane Dooley

We played hard and when we played together we were able to win! We overachieved this year and became closer as friends.

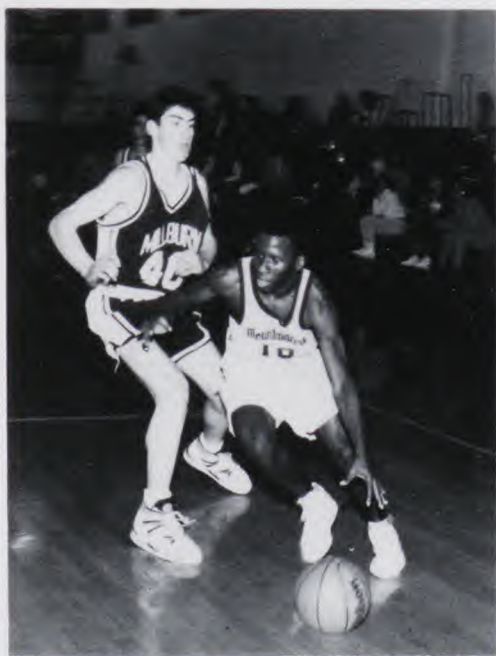
— Rashad Muhammad

I felt as though we played together all year and had a great experience.

— Brent Davis

We were a close team that could beat anybody on any given night. I'll always remember this team.

— Darnell Duckett



Driving by a Millburn defender, Rashad Muhammad attempts to penetrate the lane for an easy bucket. Muhammad ran the show for the Mountaineers this season while leading the team in assists with 5.8 per game.

Rising above two Millburn defenders is Darnell Duckett. Noted for his quickness, Duckett was a two year starter for the Mountaineers.

A constant force in the middle, Duane Dooley rips down a rebound in the paint. Coming off an injury suffered during his junior year, Dooley averaged 8.4 rebounds per game this season.

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GIRLS' BASKETBALL

*Girls lose battle on the court,
yet*

Emerge as Winners

In athletics, hard work is always necessary, especially when a team isn't blessed with experience. The girls' soccer team proved that hard work paid off as they improved on their record from the previous year. The girls' basketball team hoped to follow the model set by the soccer team. Cara Perrotta led the team with 8.5 points per game and seniors Elisse Jusino, Renee Rodriguez, and Tracey Tutalo gave the team high hopes.

After a rough start, the Mountaineers clicked in a game against Morristown. All the pieces came together and the girls had their first victory of the season. The win was extra special because it occurred on Assistant Coach Welter's birthday. This win displayed the team's great improvement since the beginning of the season.

Although the wins were few and far between, the Mountaineers never gave up. Their attitude and dedication towards the game were evident throughout the season, during games as well as during practice. They never gave up, which was a trait that Coach Risse thought highly of. Tracey Tutalo said of the team, "Everyone on the team treated one another like family, and as a result we played well together." Coach Risse stated, "We were smaller than any other team, but never gave up; we always kept fighting and hustling."



The 1992 Varsity Girls' Basketball Team

Ball control is an important aspect of basketball. Tracey Tutalo displays her superior dribbling ability as she goes by a defender.



Coach Risse



Our team went through difficult times, but by the end of the season we worked as a team and gave our opponents a hard time.

— Elisse Jusino

We started off slowly, but we gelled as a team towards the end of the season. We worked hard and had fun doing it.

— Tracey Tutalo

I really enjoyed playing on this team. We never gave up even though we didn't have the most success.

— Renee Rodriguez



Shooting over a Montville opponent, Cara Perrotta seeks to add to the Mountaineer point total. Perrotta, a junior, was a reliable player for Coach Risse throughout the season.

Captains Tracey Tutalo, Renee Rodriguez, and Elisse Jusino.



Foul shots are very important in basketball and can make a difference in a tight game. Renee Rodriguez displays perfect form and extension as she sinks her free throws.



As she drives hard to the left, Elisse Jusino positions herself to shoot. She was the team's point guard and controlled the ball most of the game.

MOUNTAINEER



SWIMMING

*Experienced swimmers well
suited for*

Best Record Ever

An experienced Mountaineer swim team suited up seven seniors to post their best record ever, 13-3. The boys were led by Scott Jonas and Matt Giunta, while on the girls' side, Tara Lutkins and Adrian Mata displayed the leadership that they acquired from four years of varsity competition.

Both Matt Giunta and Scott Jonas were selected to the All-Essex County Team four years in a row.

Coach Edward Jung noted, "Scott Jonas was one of the most versatile swimmers I've ever had." Jonas was able to swim any of the four strokes while managing to score points for the team. Matt Giunta, who prevailed in the butterfly for four consecutive seasons, provided the team with the strength it needed to succeed this year. Jason Brown, who swam mainly sprint freestyle, "added a great amount of depth to the team," according to Jung.

Adrian Mata became a versatile swimmer for the team and handled any event she entered. Mata earned a place on the all-county team for three years in a row. Tara Lutkins was a mainstay in the sprint freestyle and butterfly events all season. Lutkins earned her way onto the all-county team for the fourth year in a row. Finally, Louise O'Neill, who made her appearance on the team as a junior, showed through her performance in the freestyle events that it was better late than never.

The team showed its excellence by beating long-time rival Columbia. Along the way, they conquered Montville and St. Benedict's, two teams that they had never defeated before. Referring to the Columbia meet, Coach Jung stated, "We displayed our depth and pulled together as a team."

The girls broke the county record in the 200 yard freestyle relay by more than twelve seconds with the help of newcomer Gretchen Price, who also swam her way onto the first team all-state squad as a freshman.

This year's team was the strongest ever and broke eight school records. Coach Jung summed up the season by saying, "We had the most talent this year, and it will be hard to replace the seniors who swam in six of the eleven events."



The 1992 Varsity Swim Team

Leaving all competition in his wake is Scott Jonas. Jonas finished the season with an individual record of 27-1 and a fourth place finish in the county meet.



Coach Jung

Captains Scott Jonas, Adrian Mata, Tara Lutkins, and Matt Giunta.

Lapping his opponent during the individual medley is Matt Giunta. Giunta had his greatest success in the butterfly event.



It was sad being our last swim season with Mr. Jung and Mr. Newman; however, I'm glad it was as successful as we had hoped.

— Adrian Mata

Over the last four years I have made special relationships with my teammates and coaches; in my mind, there's nothing like it.

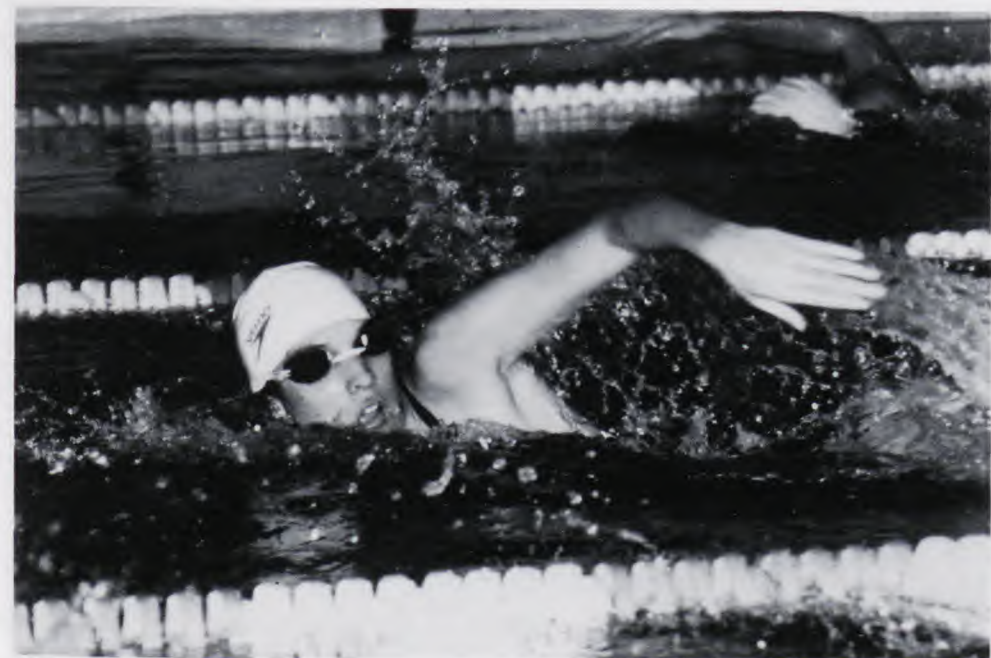
— Tara Lutkins

A week into the practices our team became a family. Everyone always had time for each other. I will always remember the team of '92.

— Scott Jonas

Our team's ability to pull together combined with great coaching provided another winning season.

— Matt Giunta

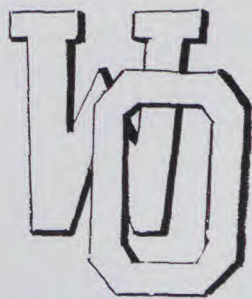


Tara Lutkins glides through the water in the freestyle. Lutkins was a mainstay on the varsity level for four years.



Demonstrating proper butterfly technique is Adrian Mata. Butterfly, considered to be the most difficult stroke to swim, was Mata's strongest event.

MOUNTAINEER



ICE HOCKEY

*Mountaineer improvement
means*

No More Skating on Thin Ice

The skating Mountaineers quickly adapted to a new program of pre-season conditioning to make a remarkable turnaround from the two previous seasons. After successfully rebuilding in '90 and in '91, the team was able to register more victories this year than in the last two years combined. The key ingredients that this year's team had were "more experience and more ability," according to captain Zeno Lee.

A much improved goaltender, Pete Perkowski, let up only four goals per game and registered three shutouts. Kenny McGuire headed a bigger and stronger defense that spent less time in the penalty box and allowed very few shots on goal. A swifter offense led by Jason Rothbart tallied ninety-five points. An unselfish Fred Bruno led the team with nine assists. Rothbart led the team in points by netting nine goals this year.

The team received publicity from Suburban Cablevision. Their game against West Essex aired on television as Gary Toriello had a stellar performance in front of the TV-3 area. Toriello led the team by scoring two goals enroute to a 3-0 victory.

The Mountaineers peaked with a valiant effort against East Side despite losing by a final margin of 10-9. No team had beaten East Side in their home rink during the past three years. West Orange worked well together before falling short by one goal to that tenth-ranked hockey power.

Coach Hausler proudly noted, "The team worked hard, especially the seniors, and it finally paid off. This year we were able to play on a better level than in the past few years."



The 1992 Varsity Hockey Team

Skating with speed and agility, Zeno Lee brings the puck into Verona's zone. Lee and his brother, Pius, combined for 17 points on the season.



Coach Hausler



WO Hockey was the best school activity I've experienced. The team had many great times and memories together.

— Gary Toriello

We worked hard together to accomplish our best season. This season was the most fun and the best for all of us.

— Jason Rothbart

It's not the fact that we lost or won; it's the fact that we had so much fun. I never had so many laughs in such a short time.

— Zeno Lee

Captains Zeno Lee, Gary Toriello, and Jason Rothbart.

Winger Fred Bruno controls the puck and attempts to clear the zone. Bruno was a member of the varsity squad for three years.

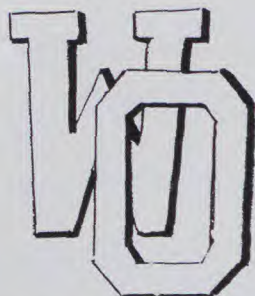


Kenny McGuire passes the puck into the opposing zone. As a senior, McGuire was the backbone of the team's defense.



Jason Rothbart controls the puck off a face-off. Rothbart led the team in scoring this season with 16 points, including nine goals.

MOUNTAINEER



INDOOR TRACK

New Coach carries team to

Better Times

Within the last year, there were many changes throughout the athletic department. We witnessed the retirement of Mr. Doyle after thirty-one years; we saw Mr. McCarthy pass the reins of the basketball team over to Mr. Ortelli; and we saw the changing of the guard in both tennis programs.

The story was no different for the indoor track program as Coach Tatiana Smolin took over the head spot. With the help of Coach Suriano, Coach Smolin led the team to a successful season. A former high school All-American high jumper, she came to West Orange by way of the University of Oklahoma, where she competed as a high jumper. She had competed in the Olympic trials and hoped to jump in the 1996 games in Atlanta.

Since there were no dual meets in the indoor season, the emphasis was on individual achievement. The team attended many invationals at sites that included Seton Hall University, Farleigh Dickenson University, and numerous at Lehigh University in Pennsylvania. Several individuals excelled under the tutelage of Coach Smolin. Sean Pettiford, considered the team leader, placed fourth in the conference. High jumper Nolan Farris worked on his technique with Coach Smolin and placed second in the conference and fourth in the county while jumping to a personal best of 6'2". Gloria Nash threw the shot put all the way to the conference championship. Farris summed up his experience by saying, "We were a close, united team. Coach Smolin kept us loose, yet worked us hard. She was precise with everything."



The 1992 Indoor Track Team

Nolan Farris skies upward in his attempt to leap beyond his potential. Farris was aided this season by Coach Smolin's expertise in the high jump event.



Gloria Nash hurls the shot put on her way to the conference championship. Nash was a solid performer for the team all season.



An injured Craig Melhorn assists the team by recording the runners' times. Melhorn continued to aid the team even after his season ending knee injury.

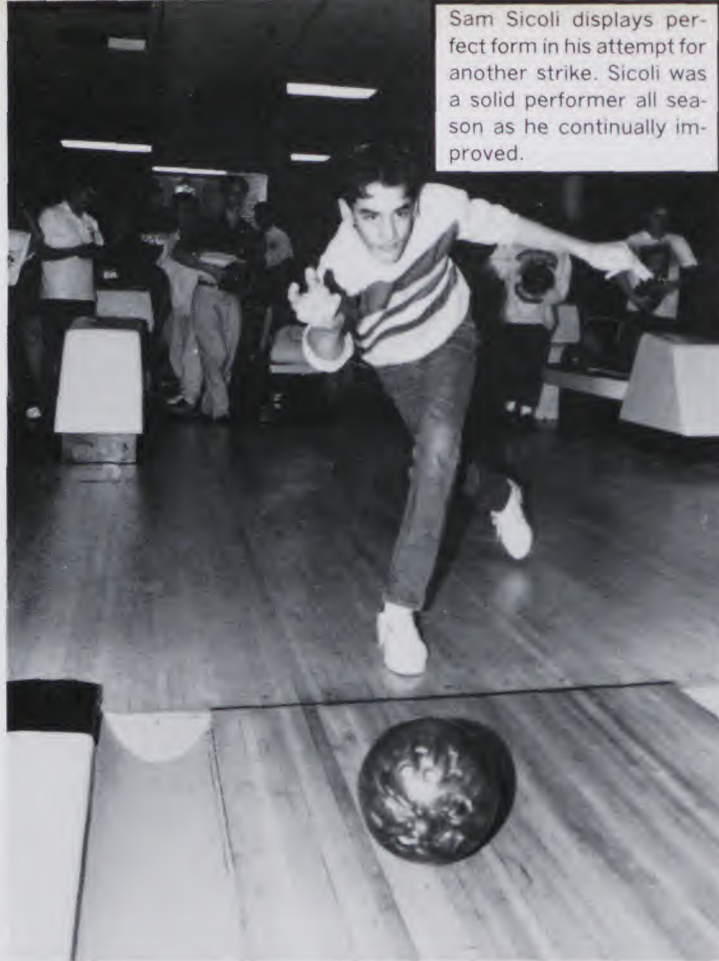


Coach Smolin

I enjoyed working with you guys. Your dedication did not go unnoticed. Good luck in the future.

— Craig Melhorn

Sam Sicoli displays perfect form in his attempt for another strike. Sicoli was a solid performer all season as he continually improved.



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BOWLING

Hoffman leads Bowlers

during rebuilding season.

To do anything right requires a lot of practice. Expectations couldn't be high at the beginning of the season for the bowling team for two reasons. One, their practice sessions were few and far between and two, the team lost five seniors to graduation. The team started the task of rebuilding under the leadership of Coach Laura Sherman and captain Joey Hoffman.

The leadership that was provided was enough to help the team improve starting from day one. Elliott Beirach, who at the beginning of the season had an average of below 100, surprised the team in mid-January when he scored a high game of 232, including three strikes to finish the game. Joe Cicarone bowled consistently enough to earn himself a place on the second team all-conference. Hoffman's hard work paid off when the conference committee named him to the first team. The main theme for this year's team was improvement because it was so young. Coach Sherman commented, "It was a young team, but nevertheless they became more consistent and improved a great deal."

Coach Sherman



Joey Hoffman hurls his ball towards the pins in his quest to become a better bowler. Hoffman was the team's captain as well as an all-conference selection.



The 1992 Bowling Team

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ATHLETIC TRAINERS

Errico Era Ends, now

Smith Heals All Wounds

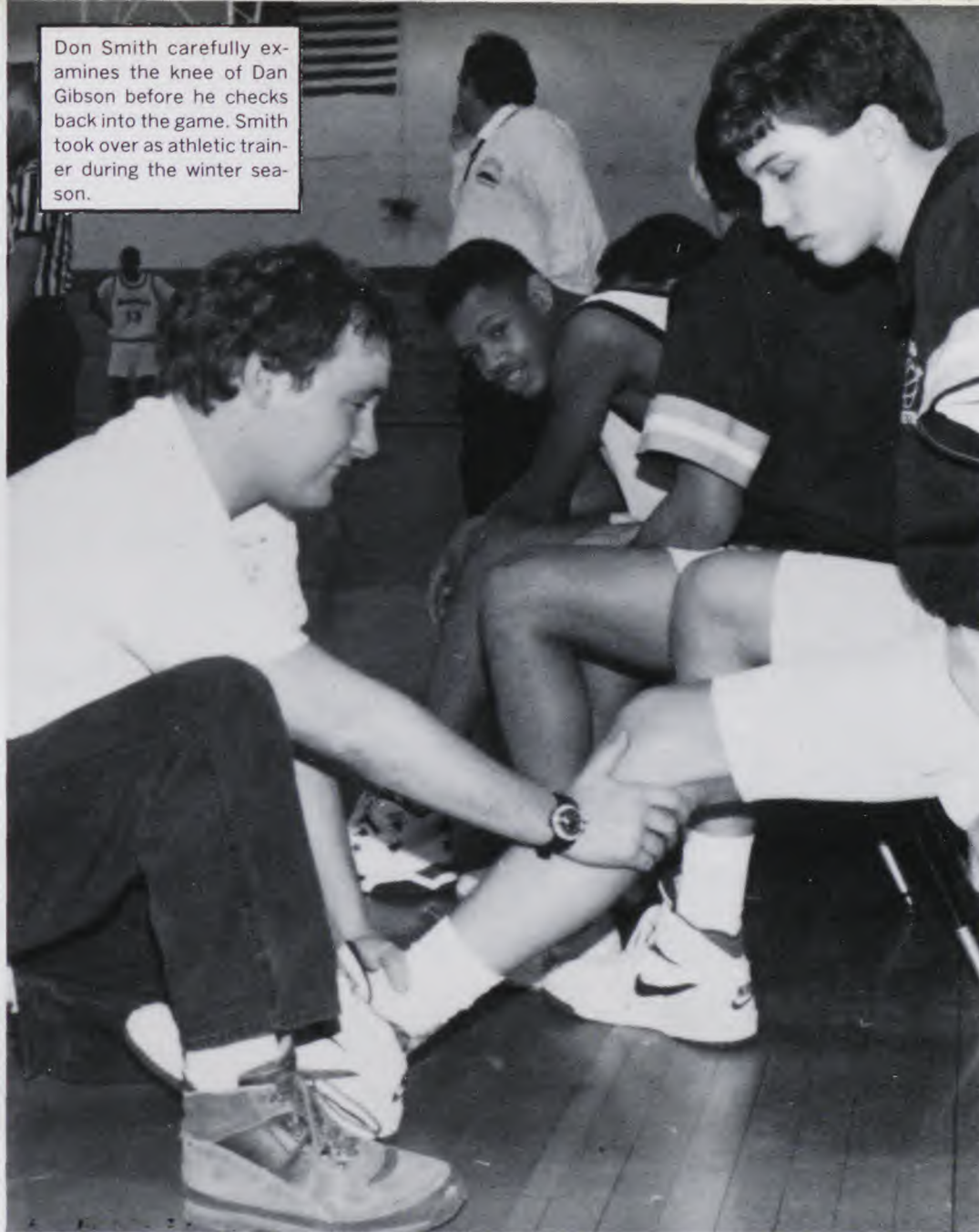
A new athletic trainer took over this winter as Al Errico resigned after the fall season. Don Smith, formerly of Paterson Kennedy, assumed the responsibilities. Smith's duties ranged from handling insurance matters so students could participate, to training programs for students, and injury diagnosis and treatment.

The student trainer squad consisted of Pam Isaacson, Greg Scharfstein, and Purvi Patel. They received training in methods of taping as well as different procedures for treating assorted muscle injuries. The trainers managed to cover every event from cross-country to football. Their duties entailed taking care of any injury, as well as pre-game practice wrappings and post-game treatments.

The trainers were vital to all the teams that they traveled with throughout the three sports seasons. They were responsible for making sure the team's ice chest was filled, and that the medical kit was equipped with supplies and emergency treatment information.

Smith pointed out that "I came to West Orange because of the great athletic reputation for both the teams and the coaching staff."

Don Smith carefully examines the knee of Dan Gibson before he checks back into the game. Smith took over as athletic trainer during the winter season.



Purvi Patel, Greg Scharfstein, and Pam Isaacson proved to be dedicated athletic trainers by keeping our athletes healthy through three sports seasons.



With Greg Scharfstein looking on, Al Errico tends to the knee of Brian Osterman. Errico stepped down as trainer after the fall sports season.

Stars of Springs Past



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Tracey Tutalo
All-Conference Pitcher &
All-Area Outfield



John Rolli
All-Conference, All-Area &
All-County Catcher



All-Conference Golf

1991's Award Winners



Jeremy Neuer
All-Area First Base



Heather Bury
All-Conference, All-County & All-Area

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BASEBALL



Coach Urbanski

Last year we were an inexperienced group of characters. This year we were an experienced team with character. We've run many a road together. — Jeremy Neuer #19

Last year we had a young, inexperienced team, but this year we were older and wiser and ready to do the JOB! — John Rolli #15



Captains Jeremy Neuer and John Rolli

Perfecting his throwing technique during a March practice is John Rolli. Rolli, a three year starter, was awarded All-County, All-Conference, and All-Area honors during his career at WOHS.

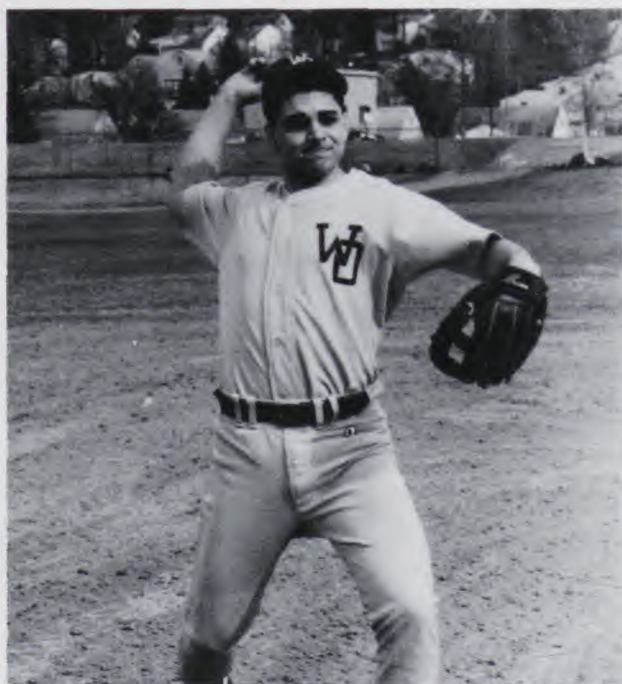
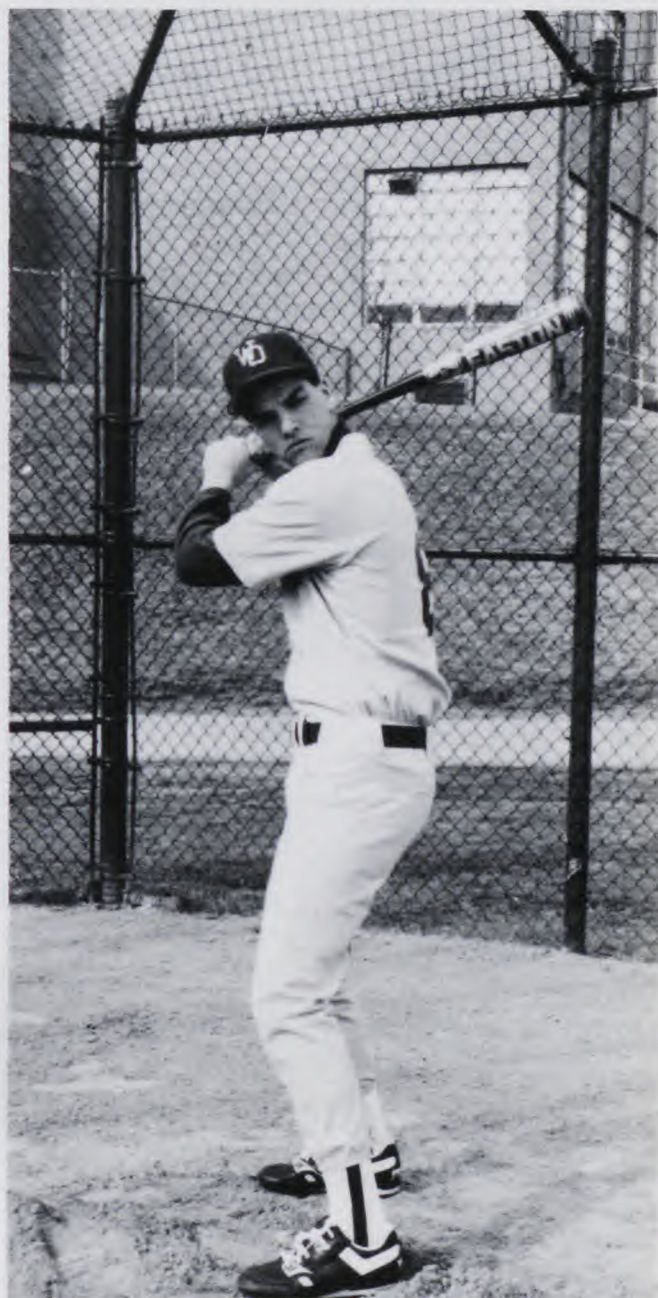


The 1992 Varsity Baseball Team

Taking the sign on the mound is Jeremy Neuer. Neuer, also a first baseman, pitched a no-hitter vs. Orange in his first varsity start in 1990.



Bobby Colucci concentrates on proper balance during a pre-season batting practice. Colucci, a two-year starter in left field, was an American Legion All-Star following his junior year.



After fielding a groundball, Hakan Erpaneur practices the throw to first during a preseason workout. Erpaneur played five positions during his varsity career.



Displaying a proper batting stance, Frank Hurlbert awaits the pitch during batting practice. Hurlbert, a two-year starter in right field, was also a vital member of the pitching staff.

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Coach Risse

This year's team was very young. We all worked well together because of the willingness to learn. We've also shared many fun memories together.

— Tracey Tutalo

Everyone worked hard and was willing to learn. We had a young team with a lot of potential for a great season.

— Jen Hymowitz



Captains Tracey Tutalo and Jennifer Hymowitz

With Jen Hymowitz catching behind her, Tara Lutkins practices her bunting technique. Lutkins was a two year letter winner under Coach Risse.



The 1992 Varsity Softball Team



Charging in after a short pop-up is outfielder Tracey Tutalo. Tutalo alternated on the mound, as a relief pitcher, along with playing the field.

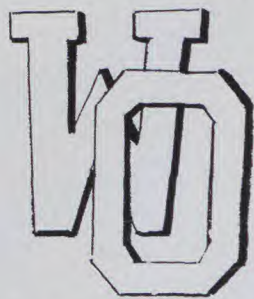


Stretching for a throw at first base is Christine Benevento. Benevento was a mainstay at first base for three years.

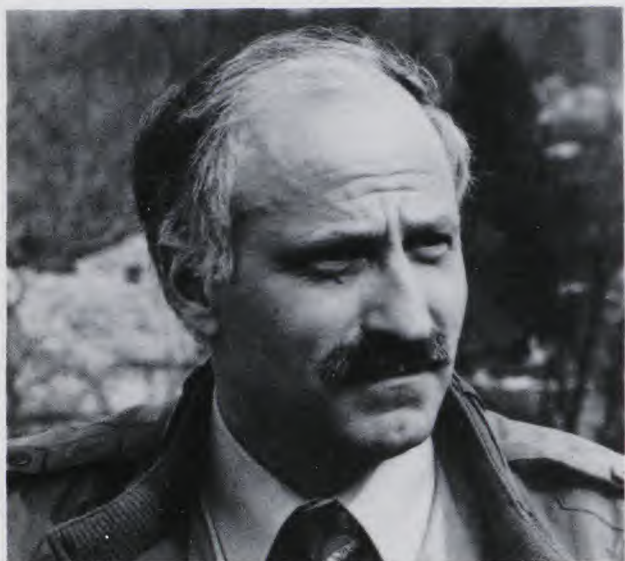


Adriane Padakis races in and traps a ground ball in the outfield. Padakis switched to the outfield this year after previously playing behind the plate.

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Coach Suriano

What I liked about track was the dedication and determination it created in all types of people.

— David Miner

Out of the four years I've been running track, this team was one of the most talented. I saw our team improving year by year.

— Omar Gonzales



Captains David Miner and Omar Gonzales



The 1992 Varsity Track and Field Team

Training together are Heather Bury and Louise O'Neill. Both Bury and O'Neill ran long distance events which required a great deal of endurance.



It is crucial that the correct form is always used when throwing the javelin. Senior, Gabe Garcia displays the proper technique he used to compete in this event.



Leaping over a hurdle at practice is captain Omar Gonzales. Gonzales was a four year track star who competed in 110 yard hurdles.



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TENNIS



Coach Pacifico

I enjoyed playing tennis all four years. The plethora of coaches gave us a broad view of the game.

— Matt Reimer

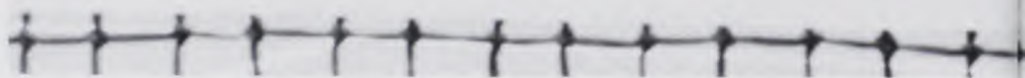
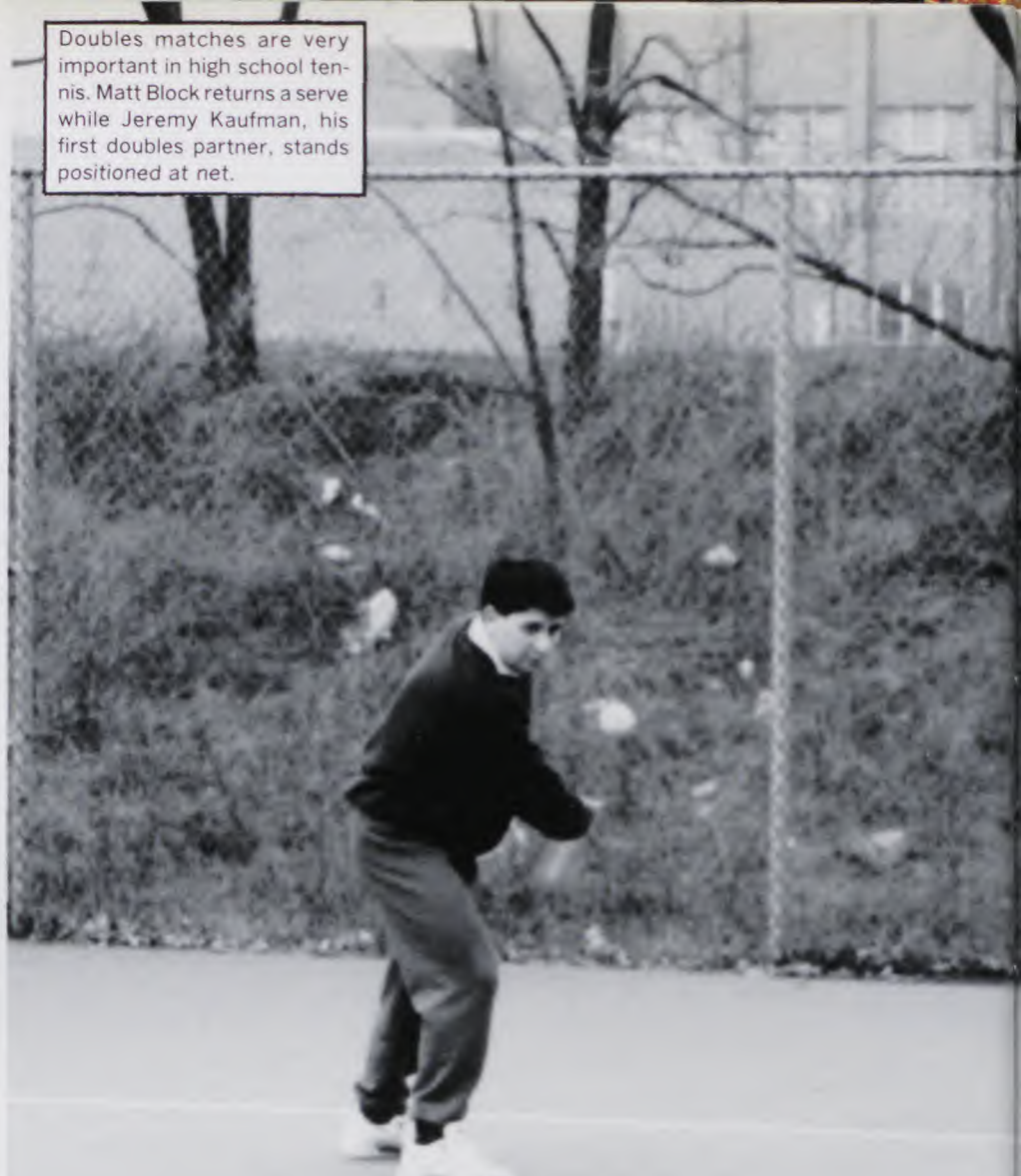
It was difficult playing tennis for four years under four different coaches, but this year with Coach Pacifico, our team finally played like one.

— Howard Lesnik



Captains Matt Reimer and Howard Lesnik

Doubles matches are very important in high school tennis. Matt Block returns a serve while Jeremy Kaufman, his first doubles partner, stands positioned at net.



The 1992 Varsity Boys' Tennis Team.

Rodney Simmons follows through on his backhand after ripping a return down the line. Simmons filled the first singles position.



A powerful serve forces an opponent to play defensive tennis. Matt Reimer, third singles, displays the correct form for a serve during warmups.

Hitting a forehand return is Todd Forman. After sitting out due to injury his junior year, his return to the lineup added depth to the team.



Slapping a backhand cross-court is second singles player Howard Lesnik. Lesnik was a mainstay on the varsity level for four years.



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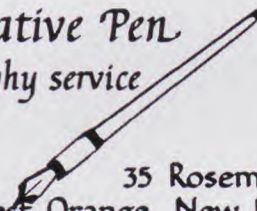
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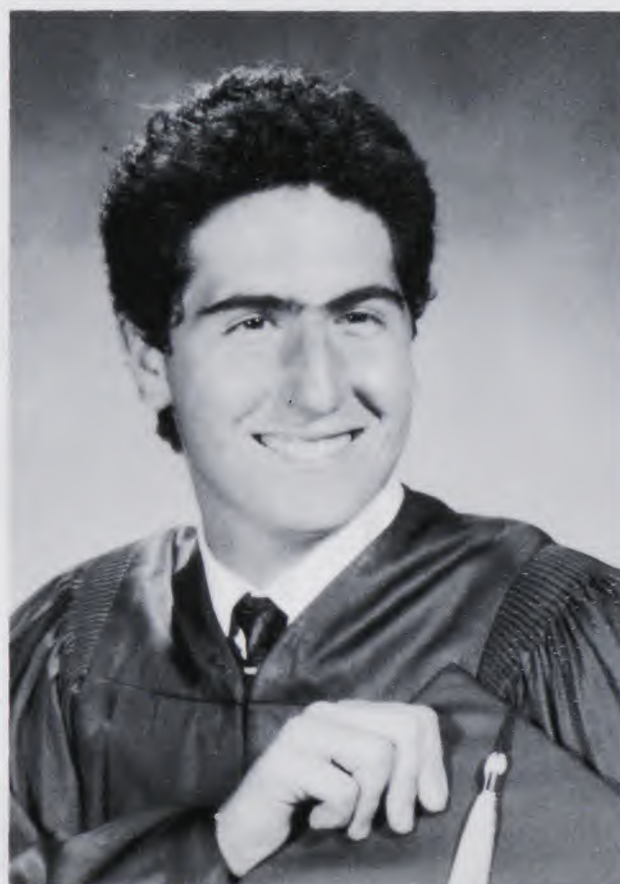


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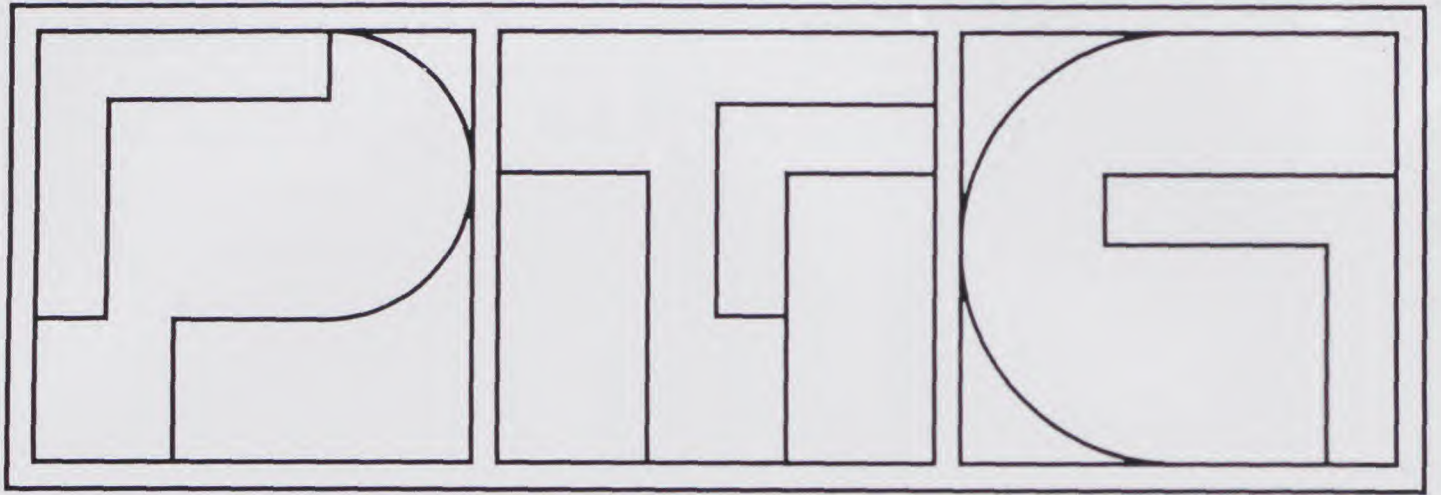
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We love you

Amy

Congratulations to you and your friends

Thank you for being you!!

Love,

Mom, Dad, Eric '89, Brian '99, and
Snowie

Congratulations

Karen

Good luck to the Class of '92

Love,

Mom, Dad, Janet, Noel, Shaun, and
Caitlin



Congratulations, Mike!

Congratulations to Michael,
our wonderful son,
We're very proud of you and
all you've become
As together your praises we
do loudly sing,
We wish you the best a
bright future can bring!

Good Luck and Love to You!

Your Enthusiastic Fan Club,

Mom and Dad

Dan '95 Adam '02

Congratulations

Michelle

Love,

Dad, Mom,
Denise, Papou

To our daughter

Christina

Congratulations, Good luck,
and the Class of '92

Love,

Mom, Dad, Frankie '90, and Marian '91

Congratulations
Stella

and best wishes
We all love you

Mom, Dad and Nancy Silva



To my sister **Jamie**
and **the Class of '92**
Congratulations and best
wishes for the future
Love,
Stacey '95

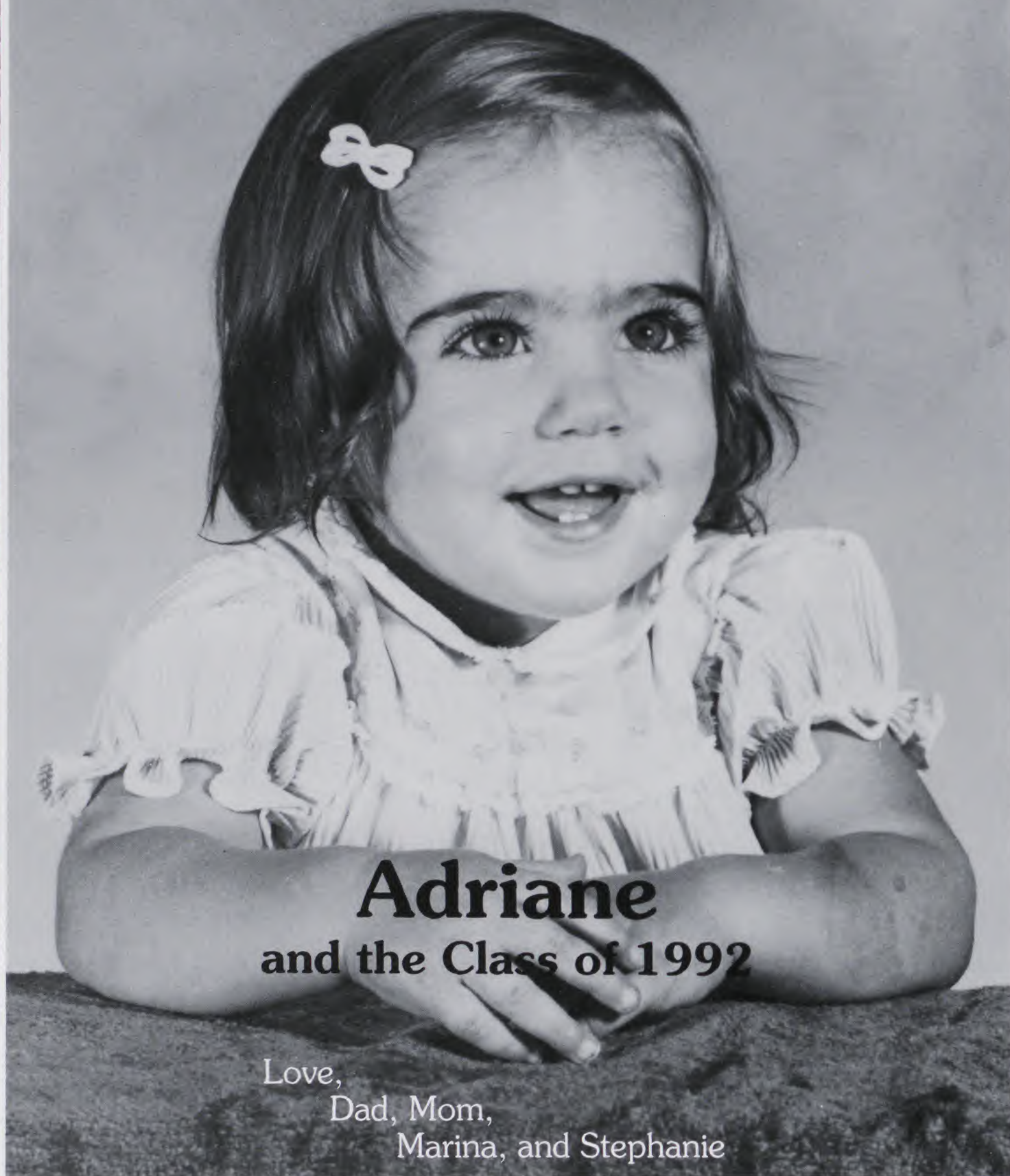
Larry Greenfield

To a very special
son and brother
You've always made
us proud. Best of
luck, health and
success in
your future endeavors.

We love you.
Mom, Dad and Lori
P.S.

Congratulations to
all his friends and the
Class of '92

Congratulations!



Adriane
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Love,
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Congratulations Melinda

We are so proud of
your achievements.
May God bless you
and the **Class of 1992!**

Love,
Mom, Dad, Michelle
Chrissy, Grandma, Grandpa
and Sherlock



Dear Michelle,

You worked hard to succeed. We're proud
of you. Now go out and enjoy the future.

Congratulations!
Love,
Mom, Tom and Lauren



Congratulations Cindy Reister
and the **Class of 1992.**

May the future hold nothing
but success and the best for you.
Love from all of us.

Mom and Dad, Caroline '83
Renee '85, Ronnie '87

Congratulations **Jamie**
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All our love,
Mom, Dad, Lisa '85, Doug '88

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To Mike (MEK)

Congratulations!

You always make us proud!

May God bless you and wish a
long, happy, healthy life.

We love you

Mom, Dad, John '90

and Danny '95

Our congratulations

and best wishes

to the **Class of 1992!**

May all your dreams

come true.



Congratulations Scott!

Best of luck to you and
the **Class of 1992**

All our love,

Mom, Dad, Brian

and Barney

Good luck **Leanna and Sonya**

and all our graduating patients!

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Congratulations

Michael Deutsch

We wish you health, success,

and happiness upon your

graduation.

All our love,

Grandma Florence, Grandpa Abe
and Grandma Flora

Congratulations

Noreen

Une belle

jeune fille

Love,

Godmother

Molly Meocha

Good luck to the Class of '92



From the **Student Council**

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To our daughter **Jennifer**

Congratulations to the most
spectacular daughter and sister
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Your spirit and optimism
have always been special.

We wish you a lifetime of
adventure, good fortune and love.

Joe and Mom



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Congratulations on your graduation, **Chandra**



*We are very proud of you and
all your accomplishments.*

*May God bless you and guide you
in the future.*

*"I can do all things through Christ
which strengtheneth me." — Philipianes 3:13*

Dad, Mom and Sabrina



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Congratulations and Best of Luck
to
Janice



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Love,
Daddy and Carolyn



The Johns, the Altars and the Marks
 Watch the children
 Isn't that the name of the game you play — Gotcha?
 Stop the car, it's her! Who? Billie Jean, back there.
 Ragdoll/ When I say faster, you disaster!
 Yeah, yeah, we hold it!
 Just one more thin mint — Pow!
 But I don't like pepperoni
 What will the mayor think?!?!
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 Good luck, Babe
 Love,
 Stephie

Good luck future musicians

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Congratulations Melissa

Best of wishes
 and lots of love

Mom and Dad

Erin '96 Jonathan '97

Congratulations

Tracy

We wish you
 very successful future
 and a life filled
 with happiness.

We love you

Mom and Dad

Brenda '84 Sharon '82 Ardelle '79



Shan,

Congratulations and best wishes
for a happy future.
May all your dreams come true.
Our love and support will be with you always.
We are very proud of you!

Love,

Mom, Dad and Chang

Congratulations to Shan

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Congratulations Robert

Success begins with a dream.
May all your dreams come true.

We love you,

Mom, Dad and Michael



Mike, — I wish you success and

happiness in college and beyond!

Always continue to be your

wonderful, very special self.

Love,
Aunt A.

“Sincerely Yours” Beauty Salon

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Congratulations
to
the Class of 1992
and especially to
Linzy
and Sari's
big brother —
Jeremy (#19) Neuer
Philip D. Neuer



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Congratulations
to
the Class of 1992.

The staff and Board of Trustees
wish all of you much success and happiness.

Sincerely,
Louis W. Tobia
Executive Director

Students Taking on All New Dimensions



S.T.A.N.D. would like to congratulate
graduating committee members and
the entire **Class of 1992.**

Good Luck!

Jonathan

Congratulations!

We are tremendously proud of you!

Love,

Mom, Dad, Jessica and Julie



Congratulations
to
the Class of 1992

There are great opportunities waiting
for you.
Find Them!

— Nicholas R. Vecchio, President

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Congratulations
on
your
graduation

Anna Scalora

We wish you all the best
in everything you do.



We love you,
Dad, Mom,
Michael and Peter



Congratulations
Matthew
and the
Class of '92

Continue to make us proud
Make yourselves proud

Love,
Mom, Dad,
Marc & Jamie

Congratulations
Howard Lesnik
and the 1991
WOHS Boys
Soccer Team
on a great season,
13-7-2

Love,
Mom, Larry, Jake and Lucky

Go Blue!!



Best wishes
to all
the graduates

Leon I. Small, M.D.
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Congratulations
Lana

Best wishes to you
and the **Class of '92**
We love you,
Mom, Dad, and Greg

Congratulations,
with best of luck
Nicole
and all our love.

Dad, Mom, Jess,
Grandma and Grandpa



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Loretta Vogt, CMG

Félicitations et Bonne Chance à Tous Mes Elèves de Francais V:

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Jaclene Herinya
Kelly Hunt
Jennifer Kramer
Jason Levine

Shari Martin
David Miner
Peter Nguyen
Maria Aurora Oliva
Jennifer Piro
Hilary Price
Terri Randall
Michael Savage
Jonathan Shiller
Jason Steele

Merci Beaucoup!
Mademoiselle B. Timins

Congratulations Jonathan and the Class of '92

We are very proud of you
and we wish you continued success
in the future.

All of our love,
Mom, Dad, Seth, Daniel and Buster



To the Class of 1992:

A man is no greater than his dream,
his idea, his hope, and his plan.

Man dreams the dream —
it's the dream that makes the man.

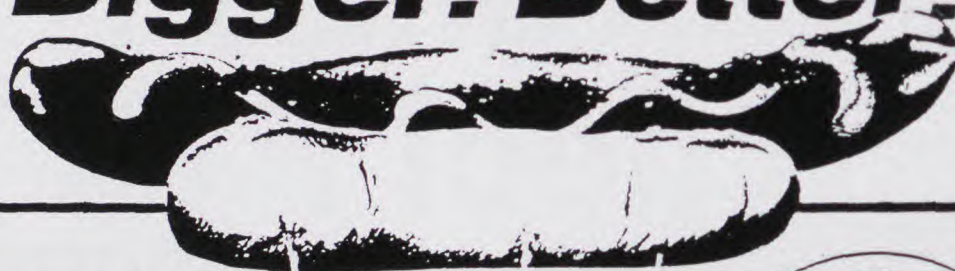
**West Orange High
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Congratulations Matt

Now read our lips!
Economy bad, taxes high;
The Class of 1992 can change all that
Remember for a son that's the best,
We just looked to "WOHS!"
We are full of love and pride...
Now go for it!

Mom, Dad and Jennifer ('89) Block

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KIRSTEN

DEBBIE



MARIA

STACEY

DEB — KIR: the fight in 9th gr. was stupid, i wuz flat! Babysitting w/ Matt & Matt wuz so fun! Hangin' out at executive dr., rez Shoetown job wuz fun — scams 2 tell Jason —! Dance class wuz a laugh, I messed up so bad at the recital! 1st time driving to the mall by ourselves (I swear I didn't c that wht truck!) Me sweatin' Lou Mari & the craz-Z times at Josh's! Prom & M.D.W. wuz GR8! P.S. GET YER LICENSE SOON! LUV U B.F.F. STAY — C: Fasion show, stealin; my mom's car! Scupper, Swamp, Friendly cop scams, Justin U; Fri Me; Sat! N MORE. MARIA: "IF I GIVE U A CIGARETTE, WILL U STOP CAL-LIN ME NAMES?" AJ, MK, MM — were they worth it? Made our mark in Penn. WE LIVE BY THE PRETTY WOMAN, WE SAY WHO, WHEN, & HOW MUCH! ALL ME VIVIAN! "Yeah AJ, Maria wuz w/ me all night! Me? BUYIN' TIME?" VINO & Orlando scams! GER-TRUDE! U helpin me w/my enemies, Matt & Doug. Hangin' w/ B.K.P.I. knew u would get the fairytale, but I DIDN'T! Good things come to those who wait (accordin 2 Jason R.)

KIRSTEN — MARIA: I guess it started at ur house soph. yr. Dont 4get — Pump up the Jam. Horizons — Gibbo&Shutkins! I'm glad we bcame so close. Remember the prom, Jimmy's, OUR SUMMER! Nites at the rez w/Kim, Deb, & Stay — Gazebo — Dont they call u booby? He ate his kids. Thanx 4 standin by me when my heart was broke. UR a wonderful friend. STACEY: I feel like a pencil among pens. Prom nite. Dont 4get the ride home. U, me, & Maria ate at scupper! Hum. trip — diss the museum & take a stroll in Central Park — the models & the horse&buggy. Meeting Jackie Mason at the diner. Sorry we lost 2 mnths fiting, missed u & i hope we stay frends 4ever. DEB: I dont no where 2 begin. U & Lee, me & Paul — (our agreement). Willowbrookmall, Cabana club, Headquarters plaza, the 4sumu, me, marisa & denise — wut a joke. Seances, Mr&Mrs. Russo — midnite pasta, afrin, spanky, bobbi, makin up at Dina's sweet 16. Billy, Jon Paul, Massi&Larri, Wed. nite BB — Sitting Matt & Matt — set it off (apple sauce). Shoe Town. Joeys, Trumps,

MARIA — DEB: Summer 90, lot boys, MI. MK. — dont sleep. MM, culdnt have 4gotten w/out u. P.A. — Bobo, AJ, Tod — can u cover me? Orlando and VINO scammin 91. The lites R out in the city. Shall we fly? GER-TRUDE! The city is closed. MK's party — lets walk. I dont want to drive thru the slums luv. SO MANY MEN: BLUE EYE MON-STER — can we say no? Pool NE1? Dont 4get to buckle up. STACEY: RMS — JK, math. 9/88 bff. Clock, BM — I'll cover u! MP, RG — SWITCH! MM, wasnt worth it! FP, JS — he has a friend 4 u. Is it luv? A week down the shore? or Fla? Buckle up — red lite means STOP. lets make it a half day. We changed the rules. Prom — NE last min details? KIRSTEN: JIMMYS — Wut a night. Little Italy w/ur parents. No pary 4 u. watch ur head. 11th grd history w/JL — CANAL, ABC. Bio w/BG,&KF Jerrys kids. Water in ur I. Talks in the bin, whos listening? U, me, BG — summer 91. Wut laffs. Days of our lives — no more Carly! I JUST WANT 2 THANK U ALL 4 THE GR8 X WE'VE HAD SUM HARD X BUT WE ALWAYS GOT THRU IT.

STACEY — MARIA: '88 til 4ever. RMS: JK — INFATUATION. U cannot have my hairspray. 9th Gr: CL — the clock. BM — ONO Can U cover me? 10th: No I didn't MM. FP&JS — Fla. boys. I think I'm in luv! 11th: Prom 91 — U fell asleep in the limo. I'm going down the shore — SHH! Fla — HERE I COME! 12th: SEN-IORS — God bless JC. JS is home. JL — New luv. — BFF — I love you. DEB: UR Wacky. Go Spanky! Dont 4get the nites we were 21. Swamp, Scupper, Quig-leys, Dancin til dawn! What ring? Guys, dance, money, yeah! Fashion show — 91. Watch that bathingsuit! definitely not worth the Fri&Sat nites. We culd & have done much better. There's mom — DUCK! Stealin mom's car was fun. Trips to the city. First mango at the station. Sorry about the ID. PDale girls rule. Lost in Bloomfield. Targets 4 rumors — Jealousy is our song and always will B. I luv U — FF-KO. KIRSTEN — Crazy but smart. What is she 13? Prom — 91. U fell asleep in the limo. Meeting Jackie Mason at ER Diner. Losing UR glasses at the rez. I feel like a pencil amongst pens.

BRIAN — SKELETONS IN THE CLOSET AT THE REZ — THANK FOR KEEPING ALL OUR SECRETS. TOBY, BLINKY, FANGMARK. ALGII, PRE-CAL — I'M A BETTER MATH STUDENT THEN U. CHEMISTRY W/MR. B — WET UR JACKET IN THE SINK, SPANISH ONIONS POOR OLD LADIES. KEAN COLLEGE THEN LIVINGSTON MALL — I'M UP HERE BRI — WUT R U LOOKIN AT? WHERE ARE OUR TAPES DJ GIBO? MR. TURNTABLE! WUT A DANCER YOU RDEANS PARTY. GYM — TENNIS NE1? WEIGHT ROOM — WANNA HELP ME WORK OUT? WE JUST WANT U 2 NO HOW MUCH WE ALL APPRECIATE U. WE DONT THINK WE COULD HAVE MADE IT THRU THESE FEW YRS WITHOUT ALL UR WONDERFUL WORDS OF ADVISE. WE LOVE U TREMENDOUSLY THANKS AGAIN FOR EVERYTHING.



Howie and Jamie



Howie — Suspended + mom rented "Lock-up"
 Almost not enough money at Cafe Z
 Spencer and Lucky
 Something Smells!
 Prom Night
 I ate it
 The beach/The farm
 No flour in chocolate chip cookies
 Dunkin' Donuts
 Hi . . . What's wrong?
 Burping in Doc's class
 Florida — white light, yellow light, green light
 B-day — did U get everything U wanted?
 Degnan Pond
 Running with Doreen
 Wonderful Tonight
 No gas — Again
 Crazy People
 It's debatable!
 The rain

You're cheap!
 Getting lost coming home from the farm
 6 weeks of loneliness
 Tardy unexcused
 red roses
 It's over!!!
 Naomi yelled at Howie, "Get Downstairs!"
 grape jelly, warm syrup, no onions
 NYC
 The Manor and Sabittini's
 Fried Dumplings
 Double header
 Never ending saga
 New Years Eve
 Extra Pepperoni
 Are you still doing homework?
 5.16 gallons
 MDW
 Europe
 No baseball at two Yankee games!



your friend is the one who knows all about you, and still likes you

jessica said . . . me? tan lines? never/he-
 brew school? what's that?/but i haven't talked
 to her since last period!/grape toss at spring
 — did u say cleavage?/ew, that's so u!/nice
 boots mar/i really saw the movie — i swear/
 he wasn't using me, it was mutual/it's o.k. if
 i can't chew the m&m's — i can always suck
 on them/your mommy likes me better/i made
 her new year's eve/what happened on aw?/
 like saying like in like every sentence/maaar!
 (whine)

mara said . . . at least i'm going out w/
 him/we're stuck in n.y., is there any other bus
 to N.J.?/stop shedding on me!/how come
 when i get my clothes back they're bigger?/
 what's what your mom called me mean?/why
 does everyone want to be my friend?/yes, u
 do sound that way/my machine keeps hang-
 ing up on u, too bad/be nice!/new line: my
 fork is bent — can u fix it?/it's a jewish thing,
 u wouldn't understand/jess, do u know eve-
 ryone?/don't do anything u usually do/jeeess!
 (whine)

we said . . . it's been awhile . . . /i can't
 believe she's ahead of me/beastiality/i'm
 converting, nunnery here i come/escape from
 s.o. dance/april/"the way we were"/3 month
 early surprise party/jr. prom desperation —
 drastic measures required/debbie's lessons
 — jacki's demo/prom nite — ditched date —
 3 in a bed/mara's multiple protection collec-
 tion/bertha/midget/soph gym — tennis w/o
 net/don't i have the exact same thing?/do u
 love thy neighbor?/u sure know how to pick
 them/jess copying "nightflight" from mara &
 getting a better grade/boyfriend vs. daddy/
 the diet starts tomorrow/sleeping at super-
 bowl party/all nighter weekends 1) rocky hor-
 ror — sleepover, mermaids, superbowl party 2)
 prom, n.y., s.o., dance, st. pat's parade, pa-
 ladium/"i need 2 find me a nice jewish boy,
 u guys r killing me." — prince of tides/new year's
 at first nite — look for guy w/ weird hat/
 pathmark at 12/meeting at tix/aerobics —
 the only thing we have in common/middle
 school presentation — we only have 10 min.
 2 talk/the ritz — after everything & exclud-
 ing nothing/lip sync at pool party/i can do
 cardboard now/2 be continued . . .

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New Years 89-90 . . . 90-91/Cape Cod . . . as kids/Leventhals . . . Pot luck dinner/Tennis Team/ Sherm . . . Mrs. Meador/Blockbuster/Hoo-hee . . . forever/Mike and all M.Y.'s mystery men!/Jr . . . Sr Prom/Preparation before Jr. Prom . . . is she coming?/Gregory and Roosevelt years/Corner meetings/Talk on the phone every hour on the hour!/STONY BROOK . . . Andrew, Adam, etc . . . /Tennis Camp 90-91/Bradford, Columbia Racquet . . . Omy!/Fred/Do you have any fruit?/Craving for buffalo wings?/First love's — D.M. and J.F./Dradel woman/B.C. Italian Sausage/Biology — 10th grade . . . Toyster/Silver ren etc . . . /M.Y. out of her nose/Li . . . Kenyee/Choc. at Rebecca's Navy game . . . da . . . yeah may-party at m.Y.'s house/Konishiwa Period . . . I.D./raft/Does she Bike Trips/Cheat cares!/J.H. and ry!/Meatballs in a can't get it Well. Friends For-



prone for trouble/ Streak/Rose, Lau- blowing spaghetti feguarding class . Monkey ice cream house!/Army vs. Club wagon/Flori- bel!/Hanukkah grandparents — H.L./Second REBELS on the have lice? YUCK!/ much . . . Who her awful memo- hurry/HERRY!! straight M.Y.! Oh ever.

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Best Friends Forever!



MARNI

Although we are leaving each other soon, we will always be close in our hearts. We've come a long way through good and bad times. I know that even though there will be a distance between us our friendship will last forever! I Love You . . . Michele!

MICHELE

We've been friends for such a long time now and we've shared so many memories together. Even though we'll be far apart I know our friendships will always remain strong. I'm going to miss you next year! I Love You . . . Marni

Marni and Michele Friends Forever

Lauren . . . Zooodooom!/Top down in below zero weather w/J.H., L.Y., H.A., R.K., T.F.,/ Michele running red lights in major intersections while Marni points, studders and YELLS/ Old Indian Road . . . being scared/Brakes much??? TOYSTER/Where's the heat? it will come on as soon as we get there!/M.Y. it's always an adventure driving w/you especially w/ the great sound effects and kickin' stereo system — M.R./Where's the Willowbrook Mall?/M.R.'s incapability to drive the boat . . . leave it up to M.Y. to get us home safely/ Long car drives in the "Z"/Michele nice to take the car!/?/Texaco buddies/Hand slap diss in the boat/Wrong way down a one way street w/ T.F. and K.C./M.Y. drive carefully because you can't sleep over tonight! M.R. It's SNOWING!/Pronunciation and spelling/ Depressed? Let's have a fluff Sunday/Eat the phone much?/Sunburn lotion/I better not say anything or else it might be rude or weird . . . BOOTS!!/I'm coming over in an hour but I'll call first/Falling up the hill and pulling Marni down w/ me/G-pa's Spanish tape . . . unit 3/Short break w/ nap on couch/Should we leave or stay?/Stonybrook parties . . . M.Y. 1 nd 2 then bye-bye/Tennis memories . . . Michele hit your shin much? / Michael Bolton concert . . . Ed Dibevik's/m Rd/Toto/Marni are you ok? your poor head! nice hit/Michele's big mouth per. 9/10 . . . oops/Look I'm here/Spanish 2 yrs./Lost dog at M.Y.'s house . . . he's mine . . . NOT/What are you wearing tomorrow?/M.Y. brushing and washing teeth constantly/Jr. and Sr. prom . . . I don't walk to talk about it/Dinner w/ dad/Trip to Springfield / M.Y. bone cracking . . . Marni gets grossed out/ Teeny boopers/ARIZONA — FLORIDA TOO FAR AWAY!/Last minute preparation for yr. book pg./Pictures/Frustration/Study groups/STRESSED OUT!/Easy killer/She finally matched . . . per. 9/10/Want a gumball Michele?/Still can't feel my pinky . . . M.R./ M.Y. trip downstairs . . . my ankle hurts/Run over flowers much? . . . M.R./What should I do? . . . M.R . . . HELP!



MEMORIES: JUNIOR PROM — CHOCOLATE, LOU, LOU, LOU, NA SING FOR JEN "FOSSIL", HUNK OF CHEDDA, THIS TIME I'LL USE SOAP, SANDI "I SAW YOU DANCING WITH BILLY . . ." TRISHA'S 17th B-DAY CHIP n' DALES, JOE SOCIAL, KRAUZERS WHERE'S THE CHEESE POPCORN? I WANT TO FLOSS . . . FOURTH OF JULY: TARA'S HOUSE, WATER GUN, SANDI YOU CAN DROP US OFF HERE. TONY'S PARTY, ICE CREAM SANDWICH, MDW "MISSY WHERE'S YOUR LICENSE?" PEASANT, FETCH ME A . . . DELIGHT, SANDI WHY DID YOU STAY HOME? I HAD AN ITCH. TARA AND KAREN'S IMPOSSIBLE MISSION IN THE HOTEL, OUR TRIPS TO PIZZA HUT, HOTEL CALIFORNIA, TRISHA'S PRESENTATION OF THE BLOOPER FLICK, GVS: GUEST HOUSE, GRAZIN GRASS, HALLOWEEN PARTY'S, MIDNIGHT SWIMMING, DON'T YOU KNOW YOU HAVE TO BE 21. KG PARTY'S: TRISHA'S DYING, TARA IS THAT SELTZER WATER? KAREN THROWING BUTTONS, MISSY WHAT ARE YOU HIDING? JEN'S ALWAYS PLAYING CARDS, TARA I REALLY HAVE TO GO PLEASE STOP THE CAR. GEE MISSY THERE'S A FULL MOON OUT TONIGHT. MISSY WHERE'S YOUR POCKETBOOK? FEDER CHASES AT O'CONNOR, DO YOU HAVE ANY BOXED VALENTINES?, SANDI SLEPT WITH THE FERRETS, HOLD ON MY DOG AND CAT ARE CHASING EACH OTHER.

WHAT IF:

Karen: Never met Mike, listened to disco, never complained, was NEVER at Dov's.

Sandi: Had a steady boyfriend, drank something besides soda, had a later curfew, was never late.

Trish: Was never depressed, never listened to 105fm, never had a homey party, never got the Celica.

Missy: Failed a class, wasn't president, we never named the silver mama, put her pocketbook down.

Jen: Never had Krista, never had a gameboy, didn't match when she went to bed, never checked her messages.

Tara: Never knew about Seton Hall Prep, knew how to drive under 55mph, slept passed 9am, didn't burp.

GAMES WE PLAY:

Name Game, BB & BS, I Never, Solitaire, 3 man, 500, 1 up 1 down, Monopoly, fruit and vegetables, Indian Poker, Bs, Nintendo, Censored charades, Gameboy, Midnight Bowling.

WE LEAVE:

Tara: A license with no points, rubber gloves and absolutely nothing.

Jen: A rose, a day at the beach, a dance floor.

Missy: A day without any worries, a funnel, a beeper.

Trish: Singing lessons, an aspirin, a stress test.

Sandi: Loose clothes, a later curfew, a perfect man.

Karen: One way ticket to Maine, A Grateful Dead ticket.

All of us: one full night together, a successful future, and a FOREVER FRIENDSHIP.

FAMOUS QUOTES:

Sandi — "What time is it??"

Tara — "Everyone lives for me!"

Karen — "Besides Mike — I never have and never will."

Missy — "... cause we're the most popular!"

Jen — "Why was 6 afraid of 7? Because 7 8 9."

Trish — "What happened?"



TARA

It's really over, all our yrs 2gether as a whole. Even though in yrs 2 com we R not going 2 se each other everyday. The Memries weve shared is w/me alwys. Thanx 4 Holding My Hand! JB: I dont know what I wod hav dun w/o u. You've bin like a sis, BUCKAROO Best Xin LBI Home at 3am Im never taking U guys again. Help ur frend Catch that Can I Love U! Thanx MR: We've bin 2gether since Gregory Als Potatoe Fries Whos Suprise Party? Shutup BFRBF Hap Bday MLK Sing alongs 11 yrs BF. KF: My Baby, Cows, Juice Is a Freshman 15 or 16 Inocnts Undrstd Frend. TD: It all began IN GREGORY ever since then UV ben A Spcl part of my life. 2 mny Memories. SF: My little poshke Where Would I B if I didn't hav u 2 pik on + mak Me Laugh Thanx. JULZ: Where Would I B w/ou! Il Nevrr 4get our talks U showed me how 2 hav my own Strength You Will Alwys Be A Part of My Life

KAREN

I can't beleve we'r leaving! Here I'm trying 2 fit yrs of friendship & memories in2 box. All of u will have a plac in my hart. We've been thru alot 2gether & there's more to com. Thanx 4 being there & being my Best Friends! I luv U! MR: What hvnt we dun? JM's BJs MW, ea. Whale meat! Yeah Boyee! dancing w/pols. Roxane Cher, erd. Wtrfal. HDog. JB: RMS 1st pcall the brook nock on door 2nd. What suze RU? maniac lunitac! Darzone. Door #1. Burps w/Jon. Thanx alwys there. TL: my mom, understanding friend. Wilu be my BF? Cows SAT class p in plant. Were 2 sexy! I hold Your Hand. SF: Weve been friends 4ever Bsis. DD Dynasty O'conor Metallica every1 herd G&V Take a walk On The Wild Side! TD: Although not many we still share Memories! Sing. Lite FM. Bug me out! B. Rich.

SANDI

I don't know where to begin. Maybe where we met Roos. We have stuck together threw thick and thin. MR: Never forget all the fun, laughter and tears. Take me to burgertime. TD: Who else could I have gotten depressed with? Want a banana? KF: I feel like I've known you all my life 12 yrs is a long time. We've shared all out firsts together Blood Sisters forever. JB: I'll never 4get meeting you at camp and then meeting you again in Roosevelt it was fate. TL: What would I have done w/out you making fun of me, life would have been boring. I'll never forget you and all the memories. The 6 of us have created a bond that wil never break/we will always have the memories w/in our heart and that's why you are all my friends forever LOVE YOU!

IT IS TIME FOR US TO SAY, GOODBYE. TIME FOR OUR LIVES TO TAKE ANOTHER PATH . . . TO DISCOVER NEW WORLDS. WE SHARED A LOT OF TIMES TOGETHER, AND WE'VE DONE ALOT OF THINGS. I LIKE TO THINK THAT WHAT WE'VE LEARNED FROM EACH OTHER HAS HELPED TO SHAPE US INTO BETTER PEOPLE . . . BUT NOW IT'S TIME TO SAY, GOODBYE . . . THOUGH NOT FOREVER — OUR PATHS WILL CROSS AGAIN ANOTHER DAY. SO, HAVE NO TEARS, JUST THINK OF WHAT WE HAD AND SMILE BECAUSE EVERYTHING ABOUT OUR FRIENDSHIP IS GOOD. AND UNTIL ANOTHER DAY . . .

GOODBYE MY FRIEND.

TRISH

Six of us have been through a lot. We've shared memories with each other that I will always hold close to me. I know in yrs to come we may drift aprt but the 5 of us will alwys be my Bst Friends. I luv you's. MR: We've come far in growing up & maturing we've shared so much. U have been a good friend, just u & me. ITALIA #1. SF: thru the yrs we've had mny memries & laughs, especially with men . . . MEM wknd, & hanging out, I wont 4get them. JB: from being bst friends in 6th we shared a lot. Shore 90 we had many laughs, I washed my hands! TL: where do I begin? From growing up on Walker Rd & getting into fights. We were close, u're part of my childhood, I cant 4get that. KF: may not have shared as much, but we've had mny laughs & memries, especially with the dirt crew, keep on smilin. I will never 4get any of U!! TD 92.

MISSY

SF: Want 2 walk on S. Orange Ave? Details. San? Mis? MDWKND nice Hair Mis! Your man is out there, dancin w/ steering Wheel, Brown Shugga, Wild side. TD: Ma & Ba, Patr i, wot hopend? Homey prty. U can't B in the Batman Club, Italia, Knee pads, Stolen gym bag — I had it, Just Un ME KF: AC V openings, Girlee, Poconos, 3 crnrs in Beast, NYC — jab . . . daba . . . do. Roxanne Luv slavehanis, mdngt, bowling, un-believable, grn, rm. JB: Gimme the m Jordache, PJ's/peep hole, astro-mirage, compare a cat 2 a horse, upsdwn coat, my bfre nd hates me, loud radio. ot — oTL: BF's R not ment 2 be made . . . They R ment 2 B, ala ptato fries, no problem, Happy B-day Martin! Sing-a-longs, ice cream Sand at TC's Party JC: Perculiar — Misser, No Big Deal, idetention — what were we laughng at? IPS lab prtnrs — EZ test, BNC, I Miss You! I can't beleve weR graduating,

JEN

Thank u all 4 making my yrs of High Skool the mst memrble yrs of my life. I wil nvr 4gt the x we hd 2gthr. Julie — Our tlks hlpd me so much. U mde me realize the imprtnt things in life. TThank u 4 showing me what I needed 2 see. U wil alwys hav a special plce in my hart. I luv u + mis u. TL: Wat wood I do w/o u? Thanx 4 gvng me a 2nd home + 4 allu've dun. The bst x wer in LBI sory D we're a bit late I feel 16 hw irnic!! SF — My car mp frend. Bxd Wal-entines Dies storis R the bst. MR — Det. Cll this #ichy + scrachy prk feedng brd Fri. aftrnoons my boyfrend hates me. TD — The shor — wuz ther evr Sun? Just do it. Pilsbury near Crokrville. KF — Wher do I begin? RMS — We had a falling out. LAFat, LBI — she eats anything cut on outa here. Dbl negvs R no joke. I got frnt yo! Thans 4 alwys helping. Wat now? We can only look 2 the future I know we wil alwys B 2gether. U wil alwys B my BFs. I'll mis yous Kids!! I luv u all.

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THANKS TO US WE ARE LUCKY TO HAVE SIX OF THEM!!!!!!

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MEMORIES WE LEFT BEHIND

Tray, Where are we going tonight? — OBSESSIONS — Madison men ... we left Al ... Erb ... We don't have a ride home, call Carmine ... SP meets RJ ... U Got Me Goin Crazy ... CORO ... Jump Now ... Black Betty JOEY'S — Chicken dance ... Rockland County men ... SO guy (JR) ... Belleville guys ... TW's B-Day ... SP performs ... Betah ... AM meets Vanilla Ice ... Pat — Hairspray ... La — he's on the St. Joe's ice hockey team TRUMPS — 7273 Alley ... getting housed ... flying Diana ... TW gets up on chair ... AD on Ch 2 news ... Steph dancing by herself ... twins (LB & AD) ... Hi, we're from Red Bank ... Rhythm none DINER — no tip ... check please ... booth please ... music please ... Blaze of Glory ... Waiting for a Star to Fall ... Love Shack ... Groovy King of Love ... Freedom ... Crazy for You ... meet SS ... "Dinah" ... party at the diner ... cheese fries w/gravy ... taylor ham w/cheese ... Cal. Cheeseburger ... "Green card Please" ... Stairway to Heaven? ... Al walks in on waitress ... TW — "Do you have a problem?" ... NC destroys FORT LEE — Tracy, Walter Walter, Tracy ... Al falls off chair ... Sal ... Doreen, NOT! ... pit bulls ... no toilet ... AD & DP "No really" OLD TAPPAN — "I'm going to blow up this table" (RD) ... "Please step away from the car" ... Billy Papadopolis, Snuphalupagus ... Dave & LB ... RT's Party — bye SG ... (LB & TW) Dreamboy/ Dream girl ALLENDALE — Mike & TW ... Mike's ferret ... water bed ... SP & TW, "Wow what a party!" ... James & LB ... MA-N-SP ... chasing after Mark's car ... SP's tantrum ... "Hey Stacy, I gotta get goin" (SP) ... "I feel it" (LB) ... Jacuzzi ... oregano ... Paterson — "African Beauty Queens" ... Tu Pun Pun CALDWELL — Mark ... Himanchu ... Jason ... Mike ... Party at Adrian's ... Color Me Badd Man ... La Mags CLIFTON — Mark & SP ... Tom & AD ... LB & TW's walk around town ... JJ & John MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND — Where's Lana? ... accident ... Anchor Motel ... EP & TM's house ... "Get Paula" ... "You got the coodies" ... "This guy came up to me on the boardwalk" (LB) ... CA, drive us to SP's car ... meet us at Midway ... Lana's househopping ... RC & MK ... a towel ... NV-N-LB ... "Is there a fight everywhere we go" ... pick-up lines LABOR DAY WEEKEND — Where are we staying, caravan ... TW and AD's cousin ... "I didn't know it was K.C., I thought it was Casey" ... RC's house ... boat ride ... driving down w/Anthony ... JR's driving crazy MONTCLAIR STATE CARNIVAL — SP's sick ... "Jeff-rey" ... JJ's guy. CAMP — nice fall TW ... pudding fight ... glowing cross ... water fight ... BBD ... getting thrown in the water MS's HOUSE — Al drinks fish water. "La-na" (SG) ... 1st True Love ... Tort talks too much JR's HOUSE — "Where's Tony" (LR) ... Al puts her elbow thru the window ... marbles..BKP destroys ... Dweezil ... car stalls ... Beast ... MM & JJ come over ... NY men — Blair & TW ... Dave & AD ... Andy & JR ... fudge ice cream bars & pretzel POISON CONCERT — sick much Tray ... "Get in the limo, NOW!" ... MS sick in the limo ... Staten Island men ... TW meets Jesse ... Fallen Angel RG's HOUSE — Gadarian the Barbarian ... Whip It ... "This is too intense" ... Animal noises in the car ... concave chest ... The Devil ... LB & TW's song ... BC, ND, RG, & MC ... Billy loves Melissa ... Three man ... Sloppy die ... Sloppy BR ... nice outfit

New Year's Eve 91 — MS's house ... MM-N-MK ... JG-N-TW ... DR-N-JR fall off chair JP's Party — JR accident ... "Oh my god" (JR) ... JJ's squeeze bottle BK's Party — Al cries ... JJ sleeps under table ... Kitchen? DC's Party — LB in a tough situation ... GT falls while dancing ... DTHers ... slam dancing ED's Party — LB gets attacked ... SP & JP (AD & TW) JB's house — Roxanne ... BR pyramid ... Bob ... Wilson ... TW sick again ... BBB ... 60-Col ... Thanx MR, JB, KF, AM, CM La Margas — MR, EA, AG, KF ... malibu ... singing Grandma got run over ... Feliz Navidad ... AM wouldn't stop ... "Would you like some soda?" ... Himanchu & JJ ... Jason & Al DR's House — Going to Arizona ... Rawhide + Issac ... driving around Llewellyn ... rat burgers ... air hockey ... S.O. campfire ... Ranger Jen New Year's Eve 92 — TL's house ... (MM gets beat up) ... (I got dibbs on JP) ... 5-0, fifty ... Bob ... Jaime is ... Matt S & TW ... NC & JJ S.S. — "Ow Larry" — AD ... "Say I won't" ... "Silly Rabbit" ... Sally, Patricia, Herman ... Morth balls ... One Green Ball ... Turtle Back Rock ... TT's house RS's Party — FB picks TW and AD up ... GT ... singing in the cab, "Blue Moon" Mischief Night — SP falls ... MF egging ... egg fights EC's Party — GT, down with OPP ... We see LM ... going to JJ's house after JJ's House — Jamie's Diner ... Arachnophobia ... Beaches..Hot Shots ... eats ... Doug ... Hotel California BKP & REZ — cruzin' Newark ... Liv ... Class of '91 & '92 ... Portosan ... hiding ... Hangin' out ... 2 many memories 2 write Mayapple — Soccer Managers #1 ... LB yells at the cop ... JR & TW get chased by a camera (KD & BI) ... LB in her PJ's P.A.L. — Get Along Gang ... place to dr WOHS Carnival 90 & 91 — LB & TW get stuck ... Rez ... LB meets Vin ... Degnan Park w/everyone ... Salt & Pepa Triangle Billiards — MR, TD, Joe, DR ... Fight w/ NS AM's house — Blanca ... munchies..b/SS ... "Where's Adrian?" ... Vin, FB, GA, AR, Caldwell Holiday Inn — Fairfield party ... Mistadobalina ... TW & AM fight MR's B-Day — Name Game ... BB & B ... W. Essex people ... Gross BR DC's Hotel Party — Tray sick ... funnels TW's House — B 4 everything MM's House — "Is that your parents?!" Rent Outs — TW & SP Meadowlands Carnival — Heavy Metal band autographs ... tatoos ... Jared ... roller coaster ... "Help, I can't walk!" ... singing

WHAT CAN WE SAY? — Hi-i..Yey, Fluff ... It'll be okay ... Speech ... Play, Play, Play (MM) ... Don't Touch Me (JJ) ... It's not about races (TW) ... Not! ... Can I have some, can I eat it? (LB) ... Wah? (JR) ... John the man in the moon (JR) ... I'm a 16 yr. old trapped in a 21 yr. old body (DK) ... Chil-lin, buddy ... Oy, it's so humid ... Ow, quit it ... Burf, Burf, Baby ... Ah, no ... Iced tea please ... Why do I still like him, eww he makes me so mad (MM & EP) ... Food Now! ... We're lost ... Friends none, girls none ... No guys like me (LB) ... Just say DEAN (LB) ... Al, I heard you want to go out w/me ... You down with OPP, BKP, SHP, IBP ... Youz gots to CHILL! (TW) ... S-WING! ... Marge Please ... Buckwild ... Well, I don't have to go to 1st period ... We got a family now Hi, everythings CHANGED! ... Negative across the forehead (HE) ... SOME ... Lana is 12 o'clock, no? (LB's Mom) ... This is not McDonald's ... I think not ... Comes me ... What up man? (MS) ... E-W-W Rude ... NO-O-O! ... Baby, is it u, is it u, no it's me! ... Svet ... GV Not ... Kabashee ... Slow, DANGEROUS INTERSECTION ... LU-LU (JR) ... Tray, he'll sacrifice me! (LB) ... Chu-manities man (TW) ... Da-Wow ... Hey, Rastaman ... Jalepeño on a stick (TW & JJ) ... CHOC-LATE (LB) ... Hated it! ... Eats ... Loser (EP) ... Tension breaker, had to be done ... I put my head on his shoulder ... Pray (LB) ... Stick your finger down your throat, NO! ... Toe Poli ... I'm running away ... I'm not loud ... Want some, NO! ... You owe me a BR ... Knock on wood ... Say NO to Amy ... NGLT ... Ew-w Mary ... Spill much ... Cornelius slow down ... Ed-die ... How lucky to be a Jandoli ... Seriously ... Nice hair ... Food Please ... Not even ... 1, 2 yell White & Blue ... Padittle ... Shut up Lana ... Is Tracy awake yet? ... Lana, breathe ... Beep, Beep, HI! ... English please ... It's me buddies ... JJ Pop that ... MM — smooth, silky hair ... Frog went a courtin ... Is it broken? ... Flavitis ... Do u like having a — in —? ... You are self-destructive ... Lana, can you drive in the rain? ... La, you sweat him ... Yeah Probably ... I am woman hear me roar ... Sorry, I have a boyfriend ... No Way? Way ... Oh No, Possessed Twins ... I can't wait to get out of this town! ... Lana, stop with that asparagus ... No need ... Problems ... Stare much? ... Party on Garth, Party on Wayne ... What are you nuts? ... Peace Yo! ... Cool ... Does this always happen, or is it just me ... How u spect? ... Don't sweat what u can't get

PEOPLE R PEOPLE — One-eyed, one-horned ... Cat Hair ... PU-B ... Girls none, Friends none ... Monchichi ... Hair Weave ... Beast ... Plastic man ... Toga & Yoda ... Mountain Man ... Greasy ... Rojo ... Horsemouth ... Lu Lu ... Lipo ... Rudy ... Svet ... Clueless ... Chicken legs ... Sloth thang ... Pillsbury Doughboy ... Lizard ... F-Boy ... Chia Pet ... blacky ... spaz ... Maniac Driver ... TWA Posse ... Orange Man ... Flying Nun ... Airhead ... Jay-twan ... Joe Skater ... plus 1? ... Homeless ... Crash — SP & JR ... Freshman Juvenile Delinquent ... Bean sprout ... Cleveland ... Slick ... Dumbo ... Bing-Bong ... Cry baby ... Ebenezer ... Bad to the Bone

2 BE CONTINUED ... AD — Class of 9? ... TETRIS in MM's basement ... AD — shoes? ... Bolen ... flying liver ... CR — flat hair ... community cigarette ... scope ... chapstick ... potato chips & dip ... Snapple ... TW, AD, MM — Jobs none ... Mouseketeer egging ... LB — vertical eyebrows ... Dancin' in the car ... AD falls down hill ... TW chair ... LB cries over cigarette ... TW & AD in Canada — frogs & campfires ... License & registration please ... MM's suitcase ... Al's horn ... Cruisin' 46 ... LB, AD, & TW's laughs ... Oxycute 'em ... The buddies of MD ... Cars: Crack, Bronze Bomber, Speedy Gonzalez, Butterfinger, Red Rooster ... Millburn game ... Yellin' at Ray's ... fighting for the front seat ... TW — permanent shotgun ... Diana Ross is singing in the rain ... Mall jobs ... Tray — License? ... Mal's class ... Al's mystery house ... AD & TW late night talks ... DP's air drum ... AH-AH — Mama said knock you out ... Mel — JC why? ... #19 ... LB & TW D Buddies ... Comebacks ... Pd 11 Algebra II ... Physics class ... Al — look left look right ... Junior Prom ... Belleville H.S. ... Snow White ... Rap & Vin date ... Crusin' SHP ... Edgar RD ... Snowball fight w/BK, JS, & JR ... Chasin Corine ... Bring the Noise ... Kitchens ... Slober ... Emergency breakthru from Muhammed ... tray fire in BK ... The spot ... Going to the Chapel ... The Ave (JR ticket) ... World's Biggest ... They call it roll rock — I think about you everyday, I miss you. But they only choose the most beautiful, and that's what you are. Good-bye. I love you and miss you Jewls, Jaime

Who knows how long this will last now that we come so far, so fast. Let me take just one last look before we say good-bye.

CINDY • ADRIAN • JUDY • DIANA • STEPHANIE

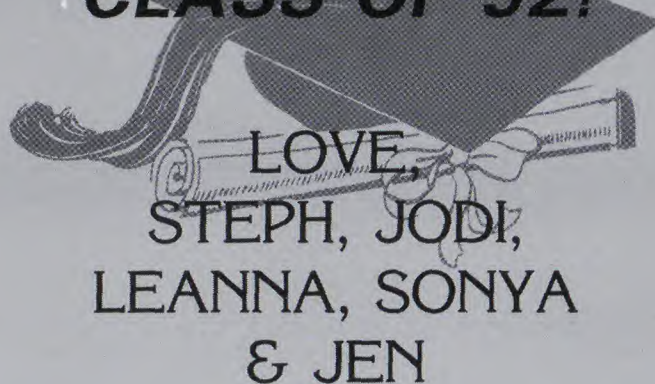
SENIOR PERSONALS



We came together through the years. We have passed the time with laughter and tears. Mount Pleasant is where we came to be. Spending Halloween trick or treating and Christmases decorating the tree. Bike rides by O'Connor, kickball on the black-top . . . but don't forget little girl arguments and stupid fights . . . non-stop. Pleasantdale; one year of separation and having to grow up quick. It would be years later that our group would forever stick. Steph Suriano, Anna Scalora, & Karen O'Keeffe, friends made along the way. We'll meet again in the high school and friends they will stay. Roosevelt; teenagers we came to be, astray was Jen and the group remained three. Somewhere in that building, in all that green tile, Jodi Wood wandered (but she doesn't come in for awhile.) **We made it through**, "Rough Riders" we all became. Our group of four would still remain. ONTO THE HIGH SCHOOL . . . Freshmen year. Fights . . . and fights . . . we had it up to here! This was the beginning, our friendship was redefined. So many new problems, situations of every kind. We were learning how to cope and make the best. Our friendship was definitely put to the test. But we never thought something was missing; what could it be? We would soon find out that it would be Woody. Sophomore year came and Jodi would arrive. This expanded our group and we became five. Different classes made it hard to stay together. But we were there for each other in all kinds of weather.

After school together? . . . No time to yield. The soccer team was where we were, except for Jen on the football field. Responsibilities were to be had and homework to be done. But weekends with each other was where the fun had begun. Junior year; upper classmen at last! Our disagreements and fights all part of the past. With all the work and SAT's too, we stuck it out once again and **made it through**. An amazing accomplishment; no fights at all that year. Only laughter and smiles, we didn't shed one tear. We had grown up and learned to handle one another. We finally understood that we have other friends but we will always have each other. We held one another's hand when hearts were broken in two. Boyfriends and break-ups didn't make us split and again **we made it through**. Senior year; Well here it is, the end draws near. It just seems like yesterday was the start of our Freshman year. Friendships grew tighter though we knew we would soon graduate. Saying good-bye to our friends is what we will hate. Fond memories with many and some painful with a few, but guys, we made it this far and again **WE'LL MAKE IT THROUGH!**

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE CLASS OF 92!



MEMORIES

Following P.S. and J.L.
Steph's yard clean-up
Seaside — uninvited passenger
Lavalette — Jim's
Wildwood
Pt. Pleasant — things go wrong!
Spring Lake
Janet Jackson front row!
April in Paris and London
Jen's B-Day in the stretch
Jodi and Karen's surprise
7th on 8th in Ortely
Tamika's car
"Billiards" at Ridgeway
The summer at Chip's



Jen - N - Cindy

First came the Reeboks, a yr. later chins, greasy hair and a slap in the face. E.G., JB's house, Dom, Climbing into JB's window 3AM (the ride home), So . . . I said to this guy, I said "Guy," Toast, Annoying, JB's almost party (Thanx Todd), Turtle Back Rock . . . "I don't know where that came from!" Sut Sits, Arena — rental room, Lock arbor-nachos and Mr. X, Metallica Monkeys, Jnksn's, T.Teddy — JB's security, JM's party, "How longs the ride to S.A.?", slave, pink elephant, I'll meet ya on Northfield, Pleasantdale, If it's not Wayning or fRhysing we'll eat Salad!! KENSODIC, GP, BA, Todd, MB, CD, GV, MO, BB, JK, Dion, UJ, AH, AK, Alan, MM, NF, KM, DK, NS, JB, PT, Lightning, 38 Isreali Men, all the J's, Lenny's, Knocking on apt. with guys, hockey games, "The two lines on the board are congruent", matchmaking, I never . . . , Passout, Italian trips, Verona Park — the cheese, left or right, Joe's 4th of July, Eternal Flame, Me Myself & I, Toy Soldier, Doin the But, Can't Smile Without You, Mr. Brownstone, Mak'n Happy, Circle, Femmes, Zep, Lol-laplooza, CG's cereal . . . but not hot chocolate, Green apples, Mangos, CG falling off JB's 3wheeler, Pac Man with JN, One red head . . . two brown bears, BW for BR, Chipper, Bunny, SR the Carnivals, SB's sisters VBR, Lake with JB, WB, Cela, Great Adv, Library at the empty pool, Books, At. City, Looks like is car — O-MY-GOD — it IS his car!! No wonder its a two seater, Turtle Back Zoo with ML, BW, Peach, Mary — They 4 — got my apple pie!! Trip to NYC for BR, Is it mine or my moms?, Brawny Man, HRC and the seaport, Our Party!, Lip Sync Contest, Sacco's tassle, Bishow's party, The wife did it!! Rickles with KG, Studio One, CIA, FBI, New Years Eve in NYC, Andy, The Falls, DE's party, Belmar with BW, JP, WB — a new chapter . . . and YES mom school was GREAT!! Junior Prom, Motel in Sleaside — the sunrise, WB was NAD . . . MY MOM was NAD . . . -O-MY-GOD — I thought I was going to die!!! CG party hopp'n MDW with ?, K-Bee, 7-11, SoCo, Liv BBQ, JJ's x-mas tree and boots, Have a WHALE of a day!, JB and Supers, baseball with DB, RH, JB, CG, VS party — thanx Jen, BK, IBSP, Surfin in NWK with Kat, JB's cars, Wayne's fence — What fence?, cat?, skunk:, CG depressed call HOSE, McDonald's, Ground Round, tennis courts, Staggs, Nike Base, Dairy Queen blizzards, Don't look under the bed or in the monkey!!, Johnny who lives on Walker Road, Ever-clear (just once), And more 2 come!!, We have spent the best years of our lives as the BEST OF FRIENDS!!! GOOD LUCK CLASS OF 92!!!



Life is partly what we make it, and partly what it is made by the friends whom we choose. — T.H.



jen & adriane

Cartwheels in Stern's, peaches and cottage cheese, R and J sleepover, Pig Alg, Secret letters of Ingrid Flavortwing, shelturd, JP truffles, Mish. Vlashicsh, analyze N M outfits, ED all-nighter, Catcher in the Rye, NYC lists, lunch in park, FAO teepee, SSS, jenny juggler, Craft of the Wise, Bluemoon, Ottos, hair pick on subway, hot man atstreet fair, combat boots, ear cuff, stripe tights, Mark sweater bargain, Tai Chen, Queen Jen, New Year spying, police chase and curry captain, Green Knox Blox, 1-800-get a piece of paper, Ms. Mad, PTCOMHT, catchers, Nutty II, Risse's pieces, gather sidewalk pennies for candy, Multi-media night, When Harry met Sally, neighborhood tie-dye gatherings, Are you done yet? Can't you see that one grain of rice!?! Nose zap clepto, comparative Shoprite shopper, castle playground w/JP, Ziggy Marley B-52's concert, Jenbug, scream Cosmic Thing on bus, walkie-talkies and train station (Norman, please?), date at Cafe Main, Steph letter, dig on stump, Mr. V miracle Pepsi,



Odd Man, Shermster, Mr. Alpine, walk home from WOHS, IKEA rocks, Mall: try on JS clothing, Go, Go, Geo Tracker, The Club, Bio-Study much?, bread machine Let's peek! SHHH Be quiet for meditation. HL — yiddigou iddagare giddigod, Farvergnugen, ladder pull in bed, stealing signs, Sorry, Mrs. T, leave B in Michele's bushes, JB's — what if someone grabbed RM? Color Days, finger painting, water turned off! I'm parched! no milk, no juice, Proof!, Cheerleading in gym, road trip mementos for JH windowsill, parallel park NOT, cactii, scary man in library, Small snack: 2 PB&J on cinnamon raisin breads, midnight bike rides to SO, JB+MY — swerveability, running red lights and Two Moon Junction. Robert and Michael — You'll always be in our hearts. If it is meant to be it will happen. We love you!! Daytime treks and late night walks, a million midnight talks. Carlin, I will miss you in an extremely large amount!!! Marlowe, you're the best. We are forever soulmates!! Oh! Joy, bliss, rapture!

soulmates forever!

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ONCE UPON A TIME . . . A 7th grader moved to W.O. She didn't know anyone but met this annoying girl who knew her name & always said "Hi." Soon Mara learned Debbie's name & that's how it all began. That summer we were in Giborim & played tennis at Flinders & went on a trip 2 PEEK on Algae Lake. Debbie kept crying & Sue the monster wouldn't let us tell ghost stories & made curfew at 9. We didn't sit next 2 each other at our bat mitzvahs or room 2gether on the 8th grade trip 2 Wash DC. The next summer we went 2 Cape Cod w/ Teen Caravan & still didn't room 2gether & Deb dissed 4 a guy & draino. In the fall we started CHHS & learned 2 "make new friends" like SA, JR, AG, HW, SB, JR & "keep the old." Mara switched into the "lighter courses" & Deb got bus lessons complete w/pics. CIT summer was great. Deb always had multiple crushes, but wanted to kill Mara for hers from Spring. At the prom night lesson Deb learned to "say it" & hasn't stopped. Mara was pres. of USY & Deb chaired Teen Council but often had to yell 4 order & wonder "who's running this meeting anyway?" Mara moved down the hill & Deb almost moved. We made it through Fairlawn Convention . . . NOT, Sweet 16s, Billy Joel Concert, Surprise parties, & Israel trips. We couldn't find places that would change their gloves & had low cal food so we settled for caramels & Deb's "I don't get it" comments at the Ritz. Mara stopped kicking her & Deb stopped asking "Can I use the bathroom?" 25¢ 4 toilet paper! But what is toilet paper anyway? It's only a word & what is a word really? We worked Kaleidoscope & vacation programs & wouldn't have survived w/o Jay & Steve who R the best! We've always said that we didn't have BEST FRIENDS, but whatever we did have was everlasting & enough 2 pull us through w/enough left over 2 live HAPPILY EVER AFTER!

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JAMIE AND MICHELE

ford explorer ... Howards ... hi
nerd ... liberry ... stuck like glue
... we're crazy ... JB car stuck in
MY's driveway ... sleeping at MY's
house — NOT! ... left hand turn
right into curb — MY can handle an
automobile ... weekend all alone ...
New Years Eve '91-'92 ... working
out at the "Y" ... GT stands us up
— twice? ... late night phone calls
... crys and confusion ... special
talks ... Rutgers ... 739 ... 2-1,
2-3, 2-5, 4-5, 5-11 — what, 4-11 ...
MY's back seat ... tennis partners
— Bussel and Yanoff lift WO ...
Sherman ... Mrs. Meador ... JB
answers phone by fifth wring ...
desperate need of a cordless ... how
do you find the time? ... dinners at
JB's + talk, talk, talk ... college —
I just can't think about it ... JB —
what a scholar ... remember when
MY had work to do? ... Oh god —
I have to talk to you ... So now you
wonder why people write things on
the desk about you? ... tight little
black pants ... ooooo RC ... put
some clothes on — that's obscene!!
... Livingston matches ... RK's
house ... clothes trade ... we need
a vacation bad ... MY — can you
get by without it? ... IHOP ... Pals
... study hall, and what a study it
was ... without each other — imag-
ine that ... finding each other ...
sisters ... Nov. 28 ... classifying JB
... rap group ... Bahamas ... Bar-



There are so many people in the world — but there is only a handful, a few precious individuals that will become our friends, and fewer still that will remain our friends through life. And of all the people in the world, you and I have become friends in a wonderful way, for a lifetime together, for a lifetime to stay.

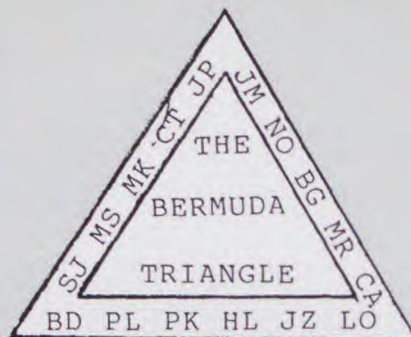
bados ... JB MIA ... keeping the
rep up ... yes — we go to WOHS
... too sexy for ... Homecoming
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JH ... I didn't think she was like that
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peroni ... we were faking ... Eu-
rope, sr prom, MDW, college, the
trip??? ... Arizona ... has she been
weird to you too? ... I just can't get
enough ... we have him all figured
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them? ... prom nite ... finding the
perfect ... the blue car ... JB
doesn't lock it ... flat on your back
... I'd go to the prom with him —
looks like you're too late ... MY tells
it all, but got better ... he'll be here
— I mean he is never leaving ...
why do you think he carries that —
to phone home of course ... my
throat is dry ... need it bad ... he
is definitely hot for you ... hit on in
study ... tea and hot chocolate ...
90210 ... special talks ... I like to
take things slow so don't rush me
... did you order a pizza ... what
I would do for just one night! ...
meeting in the parking lot ... JB
paints her nails ... wild and rainy
night ... where have you been for
so long? ... thru laughs and tears,
always best friends ... thanx to all
our friends for the memories that
will last a lifetime ... thanx to our
families for all their love!!

AMY — ANDREA — APRIL NICOLE — STACI and MICHELLE



NICOLE ... U always seem 2 mk me laugh evn at the wrst of X's. I luv U. — AS U always seem 2 brtn a dull momnt, We've bn thru so mch. I luv U. — AM Ur smle can lght up a rm n evy-1 in it, inclgd me. I luv U. — SS Ur hmr always brght closness n pwr 2 our frndshp. I luv U. — AP 2 my sis-in-lw Uv alwys bn there, thnx 4 evy-thng. I luv U. — **MM AMY** ... Ur kind hrt n sol abls u 2 4gv anybdy n wthr lm rght or wrng, u alwys made evything alrht. I luv U. — SS Ur lk a little sis 2 me n I will alwys b by Ur sde. I Luv U. — AS We've hd mny gd X's tht will sty w/me 4vr. I'll alwys b there 4 U. I luv U. — AM Ur alwys there whn i needed som-1 2 hug. Ur jst the luvble type. I Luv U. — MM Ur alwys there whn I need 2 laugh. I Luv U. — **NC STACI** ... U hv gvn me so mch gd advice n U hv alwys bn there 4 me. I Luv U. — AS Uv guided me thru my prblms gd or bd, U wre alwys there. I Luv U. — AP We've bn frnds 4-vr. U alwys made bd X's so mch esier. I Luv U. — AM Uv shn me the tru mng of frndshp. Our memries 2-gthr will 1st 4-vr. I Luv U. — MM Ur alwys ther whn I needed 2 tlk no matt'r how crny it is. I Luv U. — **NC ANDREA** ... We've alwys undrstd echothr 4 wht we were. Thnx 4 letn me b me. I Luv U. — SS We've bn thru so mch 2-gthr. R relatnshp will 4-ev b strng. I Luv U. — AP U hv alwys bn by my sde no matr wht, U xceptd me 4 who I am. I Luv U. — AM Ur som-1 I cld alwys tlk 2 n u cld undrstdnd me. I thnk U. I Luv U. — MM Ur alwys there whn I gt in trbl, thnx. I Luv U. — **NC MICHELLE** ... W/Ur big mouth Uv tkn care of me. I Luv U. — AP U alwys gv me Ur shldr 2 cry on. I LUV U. — AS Uv bn the big sis I nvr hd n I wld b proud 2 live nxt dr 4-vr. I Luv U. — SS We tght echothr lns that seemed hrd 2 lern. We've bn thru so mch. I'll nvr 4-gt U. I Luv U. — AM Evn thru the wrst of X's U've bn ther 4 me. I luv U. — **NC APRIL** ... U BN MY strngth thru the wrst of X's. U've tght me thngs I cld nvr lern. 4 that I thnk U. I Luv U. — SS U hv alwys bn there whnevr I needed U n tght me patience n undrstdng. I Luv U. — AP Evry X I hv a prblm U alwys seem 2 mk it OK. I LUV U. — AS We strtd off as todrls w/dsagrmnts n ended up bst of frnds, n b-ng there 4 echothr. I Luv U. — MM We've bn thru alot bu Uv nvr let that cum btwn us. I Luv U. — NC

Sisters, I see a bench, pinhead, Do you know what I hate? My x-mas present, you talkin to me, I didn't think so, hosehead, whiplash, CD to Fla, PPD, Marriage Proposal, Mr P's goin on a hot date, the brown kitchen, stand, get up Jess get goin, Orange woman, can't believe I'm driving a bus, TRACK, Amy & Anna vs Josh in FB, Elephant stationery, good memory, Gomans truck, BK, JM's basement/NA's bottlecap pizza/Let's go to CA, guy's in AS's life/Hi How are you Uh/what'd you break a nail/Tb cheer, Take your hat & coat & leave *MY OTHER SELF* It's over 60°, walk/neandrathal woman/passenger side brake/B-Day X-Mas bear, You wanna ride



Lie letter [AB's hot tub party] what it takes *AS's Hair Salon* (the smaller the writing, the sadder you are) princess, switch dance partners, red underwear, Godd, Now, I can finally get some sleep Ninja Turtles, The pond, United Nations, I's cotta go/STOP PICKING YOUR TEETH/leather couch/I'm her welcoming committee, I have all of high school to like him, I'm great, lifeguard at SH, talks after practice, Clay's phone #, camp rap, Jess remembered a cheer! knock on wood, me Jealous? Chill/Pipe down/Jess lives in accessory place, leave my dad alone, And it gives me great meaning that I can call you in a word, a friend.

Anna: I give you a made bed, someone who doesn't disagree with you, a plane note the ability to know when to give up, ballet lessons, a wardrobe full of color, Talia, a fight with . . . overly possessive brothers, french fries, a job at Cabana Club, appreciation of my movies and songs, Jorge, a surprise, objects to decorate, Barbie, front row seats at a soccer game, dark chocolate, popcorn, and me! So many memories, but we'll make more! I love you Anna, — my other self!

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Jessica: I give you a Millburn Varsity Jacket, dip, a Columbia Yearbook, jolt, wrestling mat, a long term relationship, a chance to make up a dance, your videos back, a pair of cheerleading sweats, a bandaid, dry cereal and diet coke, a Barry Manilow tape, a cheer that has no jump, a good comeback, a chance to dance with the girls in green & white, another hat, a GC to Express, a new balloon, something that you do know, an ML song, and a lifetime supply of love from your best friend . . .

MEMORIES FOR A LIFETIME

Never forget . . .

E., P., L., L(II), & S. — Love!?! Tryin' 2 give U all my unexperienced advice./All my problems with college & YB/Missing 15 min. of every movie — driving 2 every theater 2 find 1 on time./Mrs. Diglio's class — how we met/Atlantic City/Philadelphia — remember that mall!/Learning the lam-bada & cha cha/I should know that Hawaiian dance by heart now!/all disco starts at 7 but really starts at 9 — FST/Bill — eww! I still can't shake him off./I'm such a good driver Maris! Really!/SAT word — Friends?/Guys will never understand/I will always agree with your mom./Long notes/lookin' 4 ads — AAAHH!/Life is short — Live it up! Do we have the guts? — SL/Life is short — Don't do homework! — MQ/How do U do that hop step?/3 way with L.(II) & Deo/Princess & Anafe/Yeah, someone young 18 thru 49/Do The Right Thing is about blacks & whites. Oh! Well, that narrows it down 2 vanilla & choc./Laugh attacks — over the phone, the night I slept over, Johnny's Pizzeria/The coronation/Z-Man! It's definitely his ears!/Who's Zorinan?/Monica — AAAHH!/I think my wallet fell out of your



car Shan. I think U left it at the pizza place Maris. Let's not think about it./Tryin' 2 go ice-skating — next time we'll call./How come I'm always eating when I'm with U? Yes, Uncle Jerry I eat!/E., Z., G., & L., — So, what's your true feelings about them?/The Romanticizer/Kill Joy/I think I'm in love with Rich./A.D.A.M. — I think it's a business party — NOT!/After Deo's party — hanging till 5 a.m./The Christmas & all the New Year's parties — the 1 at your godfather's house till 5 a.m./Maris's house 4 Suisse Mocha till 3 a.m. How about those shoes? Rainbow colors made form play dough./Those Grateful Dead people — I don't know about them./Will U go 2 the prom with me? Sorry Maris I'm washing my hair that day./SL the Sleeping Beauty/MQ became Holy like Arland/MQ Jr. prom problems/Jason — Have U called him yet? Has he

CALLED U?/Go For It! Call Ryan — his eyes say it all./Don't worry Maris she's probably going thru her mid-life crisis./Godivia/Ow Cotton/Jeanette — AAAHH!/If it snows tomorrow can U come over to-night?/We would make the best couple.

"SET ADrift ON MEMORY BLISS"

BUMPER! It helps me to RELAX! Bubble, Dude, Crease, Tickets, Camel Cash, 20 mins, Spain '91, Van Damme, Nitro, Omni Power, Weak Back, Stogies, Zippo Posse, Shut That Window, IT, Hair doo!., Did you Pay?, J.O., H.D., D.H., Pool, Clueless, I'm Out Of Here, I'm going to buy that car, killed you, Kick in the head, Listen . . . Listen . . . Listen., Sun Rise, Old Shoe, Propane, Let me get my BOOTS!, B-slap, System, Yin and Yang, Money, You know why?, Baby!., Got a problem?, Club, Smoke you like a cigarette, K.C. arsenal, Surf, Wrong Way, Open door much?, Battle Wagon, Farf, Integ, Roller Skate, K.C.'s Fatal Attraction, Track, Devil's Fork, Not 2 Bright, cough, 1st to 5th,

HOWARD

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KEVIN

RYAN

THROUGH THE BEST OF TIMES AND THE WORST OF TIMES WE'LL ALWAYS BE FRIENDS.

Dominos, Wait a min., Life Savers, D and D, Apples, Sorry it's just your dog, Get bent, Wash my car, Bugged, Slow-Down, Kick doors in, REN and STIMPY Show, Rerun, Don't get nervous, What are you cold?, Stain, Ricky Dee's, F.T., S.P., Ratchet Set, BLAST you!., Nish Mach, Catch my poles, Let's go to the city, C.D. Player, Kick some doors in, Slow Down, Wait a minute, Let me get this strait now!, WHAT!, Don't lose control, Luggage, Why don't you just relax? YIKES, Where you are you going with those? Excuse me, did you forget something at home? It's been real it's been great, it could have been better!!

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MOST OFTEN SAID ...

NOT!, Get over it!, "No, you see, you don't touch," "And she liked it," Ugly, EW!, Much, Easy Tough guy, "Think you're cool?" "That's great ... super," "I'm ecstatic," DQBQ, CCS, GDDL, Guy Smilee, "You're just a squirrel ... "YOU WON'T," "I thought he meant the meat!" "You want a biscat, a doggy biscat?" "You gotta get de coc!" "Eso es," "La, la, la, la," "Vamos haber," "Baruch atah adonai elohanu melech ha-olam," "Trying to make friends? SIT DOWN!" "What's that on your chin?"

EDISON DAYS

HAP, Hostage by 409, Nerd Herd, HACTO, Thanx 2 Chris & Bev, The Big G, "Die in cold water," SUSITA, Rose, us & the academic quiz team, KO's bra around her neck, Wanna buy a duck? Mentos, 1st ankle injury, Williamsburg — Busch Gardens, Starburst fights! Jessica's cellophane, Green Giant & Sprout, "cuz when you're dead, you're dead, you're dead!" meeting Shaun's friends, Music Man, Bar Mitzvahs, Martin, Bev's birdie. SP, DG, NC — Those years wouldn't have been the same w/o you — Thanx!

UNDERCLASSMEN

Softball, finger & nose, FA & KF, "It just suddenly happened!" KO's house — Amy cottontail, WFAS, B-ball games — red undrwr, HOT! — TV, AS, CS, MM, JH, TB. KO — manic depressant, slow song tapes. Sophomores — Lutweel, Templeton, Doc's class w/SJ, LO, TL, De Las Casas, having all our notes stolen, 2 down and 1 to go! Karen babysitting, Midiot, Amy missing three months of school, Klondike, what's gross-er than gross?

JUNIORS

Doc again, Physics — front row, POHO, 'I got chills, they're multi-plyin',' KO's sweet sixteen — snipers, slampig, LOM — popping the question, Jr Prom, wet mop/walking hormone, "Isn't he darling?" Shillelagh Dance — ME & pops, "Am I the only 1 awake?" "Somebody's touching me!" Mr. Ehrlich's class — Ende! Nicky Jim, gossiping, Tri-State explorers w/CF, SM & SS — raw cookie dough, ice cube fights, protection, Amy's 16th down the shore, Auba, stealing flags & s4 sale signs, cones, LL & AF going to swim meets, Nahzeewah — Craig, Julian, Ann, pintshed, 1 match-1 flame=poof! sleigh riding, Accidents, the Turtles, tetris, Billy Joel, IHOP.

WE LEAVE TO ...

LB — Yrbk, VIVI!, Barney!
SB — Ricardo!, What's his face?
JC — choc. ice cream, an apology
TT — A puffer, the rock, brkfst drive
SS — Edison, concerts, friendship quizzes
JW — clean pants, a doggy biscuit
SL — cigars, a killer bird
EJ — study, a healthy breakfast
LO — temper tantrums, YIH!, CYO
JL — a new laugh, a new hat, a herd of sheep
SJ — his & his towels, a crab cookbook
LL — a role of bice, a nite out

SENIORS!!!!!!

Brown Eyed Girl, Summer of '69, Walkin' on Sunshine, MAH — the rock, Comp was interesting, Law — Ying-Yang, Gleeing, LUNCH 2 — JL, AS, LO, TT, JW, SS — BAA! How 'bout your face Holy Man? Lie to me, baby! Come in 7 different colors, JL's laugh, ripping on everyone, LO throwing chairs, gross jokes, fathers, & much more! Ehrlster — 2 4 flinching, Senor Benito — thanx 4 all the laughs, we'll miss you! YRBK — Scotso, sabbatical, wknd mtgs, MM cooking at TL's, X's on the floor, alphabetized drawers, Gordo, BARNEY, JMC — thanx for a great yr — we'll never forget you! TSC — Randy! 10 step rule, Uncle Tom, boa, pepto — it coats, STAND w/SJ, MS, JB, DC — thanx 4 the info guys! Snack line w/ SJ, Aunt Flo — floods and dry spells, dirty laugh, Little Mermaid, Birthdays, MDW house hunting w/JC, NS, BP, Shillelagh Dance — the barrel of barley, "Where do you study?" todo en Espanol, blond jokes, JB — Jason Cafe — Amy loves it, Walden Woods, MG — We love your boxers! CP — Do you have gum? LO — "That's 2 go!" TT — handcuffs, Halloween — ftball players, NS — tickling, HE — after graduation! Study with LB & JN.

Know that I intend to be the one who always makes you laugh until you cry — You can call on me until the day you die. Years may come and go, here's one thing I know — ALL MY LIFE YOU'RE A FRIEND OF MINE.

LAKE HOUSE

"The race"; Movies — Jason is the PR; Stromboli; the boat; water-skiing Scott's the pro Father — Son basketball game; castle Video; D Q; Dales Market make our sundaes and labeling; King of the raft; sulfur water; See any girls around? . . . not. Gelfling; Matt B., how about doing the laundry; What is a shower? way to park that boat, Mark; Slick's Barbecue; Alex, fall of the ski's never, MALE BONDING

Say What?

What am I a leper?
Oh my God.
Jimmy Hendrix is
alive and well in my body.
Could have been worse it
could have been me.
Catch that and paint it green.
I'll bring all my eye glasses and
my shoes so I have them.
I hear a racoon
Get your fork out of my food.
I don't give sips.
Does this mean we're going out . . . Not.
What so now I'm a pig?
Who cares, I'm in college.
There is a bear loose in the hotel.
You have . . . Food?
We're not hitch-hiking any more we're riding.
YTB
Welcome to the Matt Riemer Theatre.



Look out for that . . .

Mark's Sign.
Matt no left turn.
Darryll just wait.

Matt want some Mt. Fuji?
Mark fifty footer.
Scott, Mark's house has no
u-turn.

Scott — "I was going how fast?"
"Del, water the tree!"

Alex — "Why don't you hug a telephone pole
and a cheerleader?"

Jay — Flat tire.

Matt — Truck rail.

Mark — Stop and pay the toll.

Scott — Stop sign is not a suggestion, it's the law.

Mark — Beware of the trackers leaving the dinner.

STEVE'S PARTIES — R U dizzy? I think U R! / *I THINK NOT!* / punch in face / Hi WHEEZ / Puff-Magic Dragon / watching Ranger games / U can't have — — —, U must make — — —! / garage / SC, JM, JB, WC, BS, AM, MD, DC, and of course — LOS! / twins: Mike — n — Danny / "Hi MIKE" why won't he answer me, Mis? OOPS! that's not him! **PHYSICS** lab partners / Calvin — n — Hobbes = SL-n-PP / hand on hip — Sean's paw / Rid 'em Cowboy! / joking w / Mr. B / gossip — "Do U girls ever stop talking? / Rumors / note stealing by Mr. B / dropping weight — Melissa's toe — identical answers? NOT US! / taking it out of the IN bin! / JT followers / 007 / **ICE HOCKEY** — Have U ever checked? / horrible water bottles / bus rides — talks, making fun of the guys / I hate — U know / hot chocolates / Steak! Fish! Fries! / kiss — he's such a flirt — PP / looking at guys in penalty box / get HD out! know how Renee felt / he can't skate at all / look at him fall / Where's KM? penalty box? / we scream and they can't ever hear us / Plaidman / banging hockey pucks — what if we broke the glass? / Missy can't throw the puck 2 ref / Pre-game pasta dinners: feel stupid? / pool / Alg 2 / Precal / Eng / Humanities trip — "Hey Marn — turn around" — Ahh! He scared me / Lapidary — bad breath / tumbled stones — how many do U have? / wax patterns — mine broke! / psycho

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MISSY — *We've been friends for the past 4 years and have had so many great times together. U have always managed 2 make me laugh. I'll never forget our memories, and I will always consider U 2 be 1 of my closest friends, U're such a sweet person and I'm going 2 miss U next year.*

MARN — *The past 4 yrs have been gr8! I'm going 2 miss having classes, managing and esp. laughing w/U! U always made my day more exciting — I can't remember a day we weren't laughing. I'll never 4get all our gr8 memories. U will always be a friend of mine no matter what! Good luck.*

REMEMBER WHEN . . .

We made chocolate chip cookies for ourselves and brought some to the handicapped (DEAN). Rocky, Sly, Tomster. Who got plastered on the ice? "Are you turning total prep?" YEAH! I don't know about these S.H.P. Guys! Who's mom; my mom? Cherry! States! Diet — NOT! HATED IT! dinners at home, scrubbing for money; MONEY? Who owes who what, now? Chester Cheata. I Love You! Who's got more control — stop hitting him. Who's whipped? Old Tappan, Rob D. or Rob T. **AFTER STATES** — Let's not talk about it. At least we made it. #1 in the county. Bobby G. taught me how to drive CHERRY. I gave my word. SuperBowl Sunday, Baskin Robbins; What movie you want to watch? Jackals. Ginny Dunkel. Where's A? Weekend lunch at Jackals. Still waiting for COREY TALOR! MOVIES with the boys; that movie wasn't scary. Fogging up the windows.



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Stocking Feet.

Special thanks to Mr. Jung and Mr. Newman, our rising star, Mountains, and Leffler. Good Luck next year. Gary Thanks for staying quiet and being there for me. We love You and will miss you. Couldn't have done it without our two great coaches. Thanks to lpp. for my future and helping me through the rough times. "I know I could've made a difference if the wall didn't move. Scott, you wish you were our coach! Amy and Karen our #1 fans, my last swim meet as a SENIOR. Thanks for your support. Matt: Thanks for letting us peel you down. A. "you go play on the swings!" Our bathroom talks? S.M.A. stops. Haunted House, Did you talk to Tom? No! Did you talk to JJ? What did he say? Who's shirt is in the picture? Our favorite Tape; playing non-stop in the car. CHERRY needs a bath. Puck — I Love You. "Crying over you." "Salt-N-Pepa" "Paper Doll"

"I'LL ALWAYS BE THERE AND I'LL ALWAYS CARE; I'LL ALWAYS BE YOUR FRIEND"

JASON AND STEPHANIE — FOREVER A PARTY OF TWO

Scarlet Red Soccer — The start if it all/Billy Joel (Italian Restaurant), Studio, Singing, the HOME-MADE TABLE, Pizza!/Yearbook staff, '88/I cut off the top of Matt's head!/The "goat"/Order four pizzas!/PEE-WEE'S ADVENTURE: Do you have something to share with the rest of us Amazing Larry? SUPPOSED To MEAN? I don't make monkeys — I just train 'em/16 CANDLES: I'm not really a farmer, I'm a freshman! I'm gonna go super-crazy! Married? Maddied! . . . Jeez! Do you have 5 grand? . . . Aah, don't hit anything! SPLASH: The little boat! Mr. Fat Jack! Fishman? . . . Personally I think its kinda cute! Not in front of the teamsters! CBS, ABC, NBC, AP! When I find her, she's a fish! What possesses the uneducated!/MARTIN SHORT: Damn! I don't need these notes! DAMN! Martina! Berle? . . . Milty, Is that you? Orange, Grape and Orange! SO I SAID SURE! Windshield Wipers! Baby, I got a lot of demons that keep me up and night, but hard work ain't one of 'em! Gimme a C, a bouncy C!/W.O.T.N.: Degeneres, Yeah it does sound like that! No, Not Charo! That wasn't a tape? Oh, THEY'RE GOOD! Keep your eye on the blonde-haired dork from Arizona!/MONEY PIT: I know where the bucket is! Yale — Phi Beta Kappa — 4 Years of Law School, Law Review! Weak trees! You sound like a parrot — TWO WEEKS, TWO WEEKS! I'm in the floor behind the chair!/P.I.P.: If she laughs, she laughs! Andy, (Steph) it's Duckie (Jason) it's 5:15, where are you?/BIG: Sometimes she spells the hyphen!/VACATION: I cannot get left!/Sophomore year, Grosso/Cheer Up, Cheer Up! Hippie Freak/FEMME SPEAK WHILE MALE IS SPEAKING/Oh sure, Oh sure/I hope I die before you grow up/So Serge, howd'ya do? . . . Well, some I knew, some I didn't know/He's so cool, he's so cool, just look at him/Mr. Grosso, give me a beat/Bart, assume the position/Peggy Eaton Slept Here . . . Genée was a fool/Uh . . . what is this . . . FEMME STAPLE/R.I.! A BIRD could spit on R.I./Junior Year — TV NEWS/Jason, Steph and Sue kick butt/SAT'z, HALLWAY ANTICS/Cross-pollination/XI-SI-DI-CI- XI-DI- XI-SI- XI-CI-XI-/If I had a dime for every time I wished death on somebody, I'd be a wealthy man/Sr. Prom '91/Class of '92, The TWO WHO MATTERED/Senior Year/The crowd screams . . . "Hi . . . Guys"/Big X and Even Bigger Dumber X/I've been to high school and elementary school/Exec. Prods. "We are superior"/Dead Jose/We're not arrogant, we're just better than you/We're also not deaf, we just choose to ignore you/NBC Quality — NOT!/S-F & P-F/Aah you done yet/Caahm, calm down/Every time he gets vexed he's back in duh Bronx/Anchors/She's going to Xing POP!/We are working with completely incompetent people/Was that too obnoxious . . . Nah/If it weren't for the three of us, I would leave/NHS Illnesses/Sayings: DIE, GROOVY, DREAMY, YOU IDIOT, DAMN, THANKS (dis)/70's Valentine's Day — Disco (We can't dance)/Jason's MY groovy guy!



Janice & Jamie



Memories build a pathway that goes winding through the heart and keeps friends close even though they're far apart.

the lunch table/Edison days/JS's boyfriend — not/Frank xerox face in copy machine/Frank falls down stairs/Janice's broken notebooks/Jamie w/o a lock/the sink/the cats/pudding pies/camping/M. O'Neill's math classes/the science project, collage/class notes/tic-tacs/red nails/not sitting on the bus with each other/Jess and Jamie miss bus during snowstorm/asthma/first kiss/bathroom trips/David — I have to stop/stomachaches/x-country ski/see a mouse around here/pizzas/apricot pumpkin/the fire and the flood/MOTT/Marc has a watch/Howie and Marc first love/proms/Atlantic City — longest meal ever/when you're dead, you're dead, you're dead and die in cold water/what not to do at WO/no mini skirts/BBB/cloverleaf/Cape Fear/Janice's parking ticket/Stacey's Bat Mitzvah/algebra — art, art-bio/8th grade graduation/he must have been really gone/pouring at Busch Gardens/lockness monster/Steph's nightmare in Virginia/tattoo and braids/second pierce/Music Man/leg rubbing/call me/New Years/You think I'm going to throw this at you — Nope, I'm going to eat it/Europe/college/SAT's/they like her better/Redwood/airplane food/Julio's lasagna/broccoli and melted cheese/Jamie's grandma — apple crepes/David's goodie bags/waiter at Bennigan's/prom dates/the fall down stairs/ big mouth/Pioneer/yearbook/copy/Betty/I'm going to have no friends/tennis camp/Hebrew School/eating at Janice's/desk maps/wrong answer key/glasses on car top/Jamie's hair/NY x-mas party/cream puffs/PA/Stacey would love the deer/Janice's three prom dresses/caramel nips/USY dances — UGH/Uncle Bill/nerd herd/no — I wasn't finished with that/Janice — they don't eat/my mom made me go/8th grade science project/ACT at S.H. — which room?/Sweet 16/sorry — I couldn't eat/I was trying to be nice/not shotgun/just do it/oops — I hit the car!! To every person who has touched our lives at some time or another — the days may be gone, but the memories are forever. To our families — thanks for all your love and support, U guys are the best! Best friends always, to be continued . . .



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