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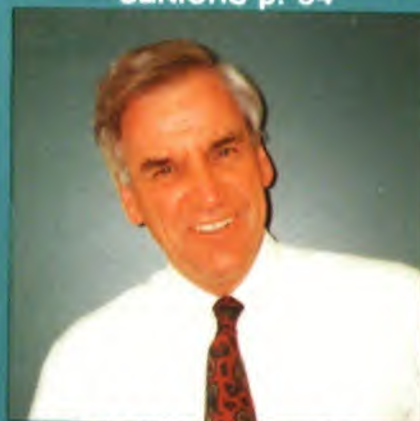
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# Blending In

It was roughly 8:30 a.m. on September 9th when, for the first time as seniors, we assembled at the Caldor parking lot to decorate each other's car and participate in the annual senior car parade. No matter what a person's academic, religious, racial or ethnic background, no one in the class of 1993 stood alone. However, this unity did not happen overnight. When we first entered as freshmen, we came from different places and were unsure if we would ever really feel a part of this immense community we were entering. But throughout the years we all realized that at West Orange High School there was a place for everyone. There were countless social activities and clubs which provided an opportunity for all students to **BLEND IN**.

There was also a conscious effort in every phase of the co-curricular program to promote

cultural diversity. Each club grew in membership and benefited from the experience of interacting with people from a variety of cultures. The immense growth of the Unity Club and the emergence of UMOJA (United Minorities of Joint Alliance), formerly the African American Cultural Awareness Club, testified to the willingness of students to recognize difference as a strength. This ability set West Orange High School apart from the greater part of society to some degree.

Every teenager feels the overwhelming need to "fit in". At West Orange High School, whether it was membership in the Interact Club, the Mountaineer Club, Lean On Me, athletic or academic teams, publications or social events like the senior picnic, the senior breakfast, the prom or spirit night, everyone, despite their differences, had a chance to **BLEND IN!**



Joining Unity Club advisor Mr. David Schwartz are Meneejeh Moradian, Jill Lerner, co-advisor Ms. Shah, and (top) Afsaneh Moradian, Hilary Kaiser, Danny Selzer, Priya Thirumalai, Pilar Marin, and Kim Carter.







**The boys spare no paint!** Future "artists" Ray Boulard, Conrad Muscarella, Lenny Russo, Chuck Palmisano, Pete Turco, Lee Berrebi, Mat Hall, and Mark Forlenza.

**Stepping Up!** Rosanna Suh 'steps up' the decor in the hallway before the first football game.



These smiling faces belong to UMOJA members Alexis Yates, Qianna White, Anika Johnson, Kennette Pierre, (top) Charles Meadows, advisor Mrs. Martin and Raheem Mann.



# STANDING OUT

While for some students this feeling of blending in was all they needed, other individuals took risks in order to **STAND OUT**. All groups needed leaders; teams needed captains; clubs needed presidents, and classes needed officers. The class of 1993 had its share of standout performances. Those who took on the extra responsibility of leadership gained recognition and admiration. The time they sacrificed to develop and execute activities for each respective group did not go unnoticed.

Some members of this year's senior class blazed their own individual paths to glory. A record number of five seniors, earned the distinction of being named National Merit Scholarship semi-finalists. Henry Grosman, Shari Martin, Brian Ayres, Liz Dyer, and Hilary Price merited this honor because of their outstanding performance and subsequent high national ranking on the PSAT. The Class of 1993 did not produce just one or two valedictorians;

seven students distinguished themselves by sharing the number one ranking in the class. Matt Aron, Laurie Florio, Jason Lanyard, Hilary Kaiser, Shari Martin, Hilary Price, and Valmik Vyas all earned straight A's throughout their high school careers.

One member of our track team proved her determination throughout her four years at West Orange High School as a real standout athlete. Heather Bury set and then broke every cross-country and distance record in track in the history of the school. An undefeated record (45-0) for all four years earned Heather an All-State selection and permanently established her name in the annals of West Orange athletics.

The chance to compete and get involved in various activities afforded everyone in the class of 1993 the opportunity to test themselves. Some used this opportunity to truly **STAND OUT!**



Standout student government leader Mat Hall served as student council president.

Heather Bury stretches before a workout. With an undefeated record of 45-0 in dual meets over four years Heather stood out as an All-State athlete. She finished her career as the number one female cross country runner in the state.

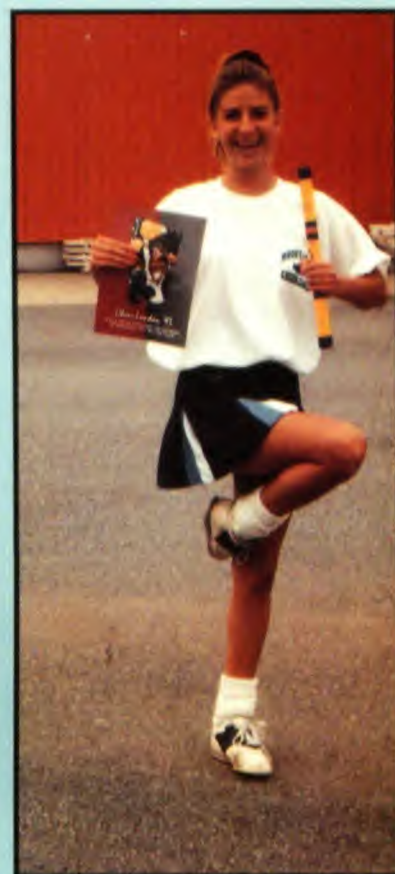






These true "**Standouts**" ranked first in the class as of September 1992: Laurie Florio, Hilary Kaiser, Shari Martin, Hilary Price, (top) Valmik Vyas, Jason Lanyard, and Matthew Aron.

JoAnn Zeppi proudly displays a spirit stick at Cheerleading Camp. Thanks to her **standout** performance at camp JoAnn was offered the opportunity to cheer in a New Year's Day Parade in London.



*The students pictured on these pages are only some of the many students in the Class of 1993 who **STAND OUT** because they have taken full advantage of the academic programs and co-curricular activities offered at West Orange High School.*

*— Mr. Tarnoff*

**One For The Ladies!** Anika Johnson symbolized the opportunity for females to **stand out** in her role as senior class president.



# Concern for Their Kids Sends Parents BACK TO SCHOOL

*It was a pleasure to see so many supportive and interested parents. The teachers and the parents must continue to work together to enhance the overall performance of our students. Without this coordinated effort, the future leaders of our society definitely will not reach their full potential.*

— Mr. Romeo



Parents get an idea of the demands of AP Composition from Mr. Romeo.



Proud parents of four of the five National Merit Finalists stand behind their gifted offspring: Liz Dyer, Hilary Price, Brian Ayres





"Momma don't let your babies grow up to be yearbook editors." Karlee Davis and Stacey Spagnola attended back to school night escorted by their mothers.



Nurse Picini takes Eden Sherman's mom's temperature. Covering the school from end to end can be really draining.



Imagine the number of college choices for Shari Martin and her parents. Shari was a valedictorian, Merit Scholarship Finalist, NHS president, and a varsity athlete in three sports.











# Blending In STUDENT LIFE



The class of 1993's most unique attribute was its ongoing desire to overcome the negative myths of cultural diversity. Nowhere was it more evident that we were given the opportunity to **BLEND IN** than in **Student Life**. Working together and becoming involved in school activities helped to break the barrier between the various ethnic groups at WOHS. With organizations such as the Unity Club and UMOJA, we were constantly reminded of the importance of maintaining a sense of undividedness among students. This unity was exhibited not only in these clubs, but at senior events as well. Our ability to **BLEND IN** certainly made the class of 1993 **STAND OUT**.





**DIMITRIOS DRIMONIS**  
Drum Major  
Show Choir



**ALEXIS YATES**  
UMOJA President  
Yearbook Senior Editor



**ELISSA STRELL**  
Interact President  
TV News Anchor

STANDING OUT



Chris Lengle and Diane Barron



HOLD ON TO THE NIGHT

*I will never forget  
the good times I  
shared with my  
friends at the prom.*

*Diane Barron*



Abby Phon pins on Ken Weinberger's boutonniere in preparation for the big night.







Jeremy Kaufman and Paulina Berowitz gather together with their parents as they get ready to "Hold On To The Night."

Judging by their smiles, JoAnn Zeppi and Karen Kelly seem to be having a great time at the Junior Prom.



Cari Capno, Tara Cuccione, Cindy Martucci, Claudia Neireitler, and Lisa Lambert take a break from dancing.



After months of hard work, Junior class officers Kim Chanda, Mat Hall, Stacey Spagnola, and Jodi Young enjoy themselves at the Junior Prom.



Lauren Abrams and Glenn Lieberman ride in style as they arrive at the prom in a limousine.

*"The Junior Prom is the highlight of the year. It is a most impressive occasion that most juniors look forward to and can't wait to attend. It is a unifying experience bringing all groups of students together." — Ms. Holmok*



*Let The Games Begin*  
*at the*  
**SENIOR PICNIC**



**What a team!**







A messy eater? No, it's Tara Curcione after she is declared the winner of the pie-eating contest.

Kevin McGinley carries John Pasquale on his back as they attempt to win a piggy-back race.



Seniors assume their starting positions for the wheelbarrel race.

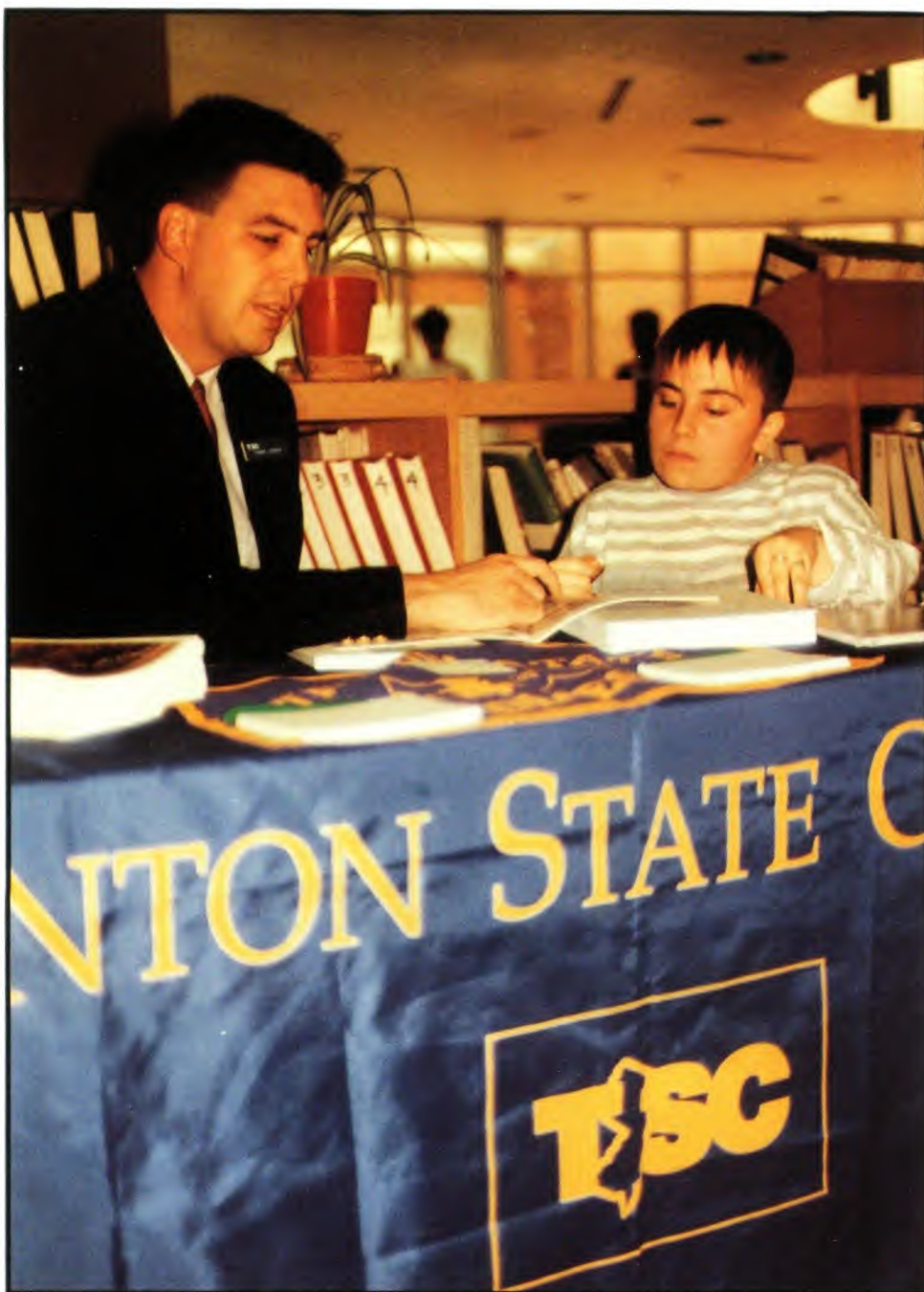




# College Days



Meneejeh Moradian reads about one of the many colleges that display their material at mini-college day.



Taking advantage of what mini-college day has to offer, Pamela Parker discusses entrance requirements at Rutgers University with one of its representatives.





"Here's another application. Oh, by the way, it has to be in by next week," Ben St. Jacques informs an overwhelmed Mrs. DeGange.



*"Applying to college was one of the most stressful times of my senior year. There's so much to do, with so little time."*

*— Michelle Lambert*

# COLLEGE HAZE

"I've got to find a college in one of these books!" exclaims Michelle Lambert.



# SENIOR SPIRIT

Whether it was the senior motorcade on the first day, senior spirit night, or the bonfire, the class of 1993 often showed its spirit. On the first day of the new school year, the seniors decorated their cars with balloons and streamers. With confetti swirling in the air, the parade of cars traversed the streets of West Orange.

On September 24, the class of '93, with paint brushes in hand, arrived at the Degnan field house for senior spirit night. Banners

were painted, as well as the clothing and faces of many of our classmates! Brightly colored posters hung around the school the next day, and banners pro-



claimed a Mountaineer victory at the next home football game.

The Assembly Committee of the Student Council carried the

torch of spirit and coordinated the first bonfire in three years. The air echoed with the cheerleaders' shouts of "GO BLUE!", and the senior football players guaranteed the following day's victory by throwing a dummy West Side player into the flames. "The turnout was better than we had expected, which I think really showed that our school's spirit was on the rise," noted Assembly Committee chairperson Paulina Berowitz.



Tri-captains of the girls varsity tennis team apply the finishing touches to their banner.

Vicky Sanjurjo and Lauren Abrams really get made-up for the occasion.







Senior members of the football team rally together the night before the Thanksgiving Day game.

Mountaineer cheerleaders get the crowd fired up during the bonfire.



Anita Neubauer, Jodi Baxter and Cara Perrotta show their spirit at the senior motorcade.



# A DAY IN THE LIFE

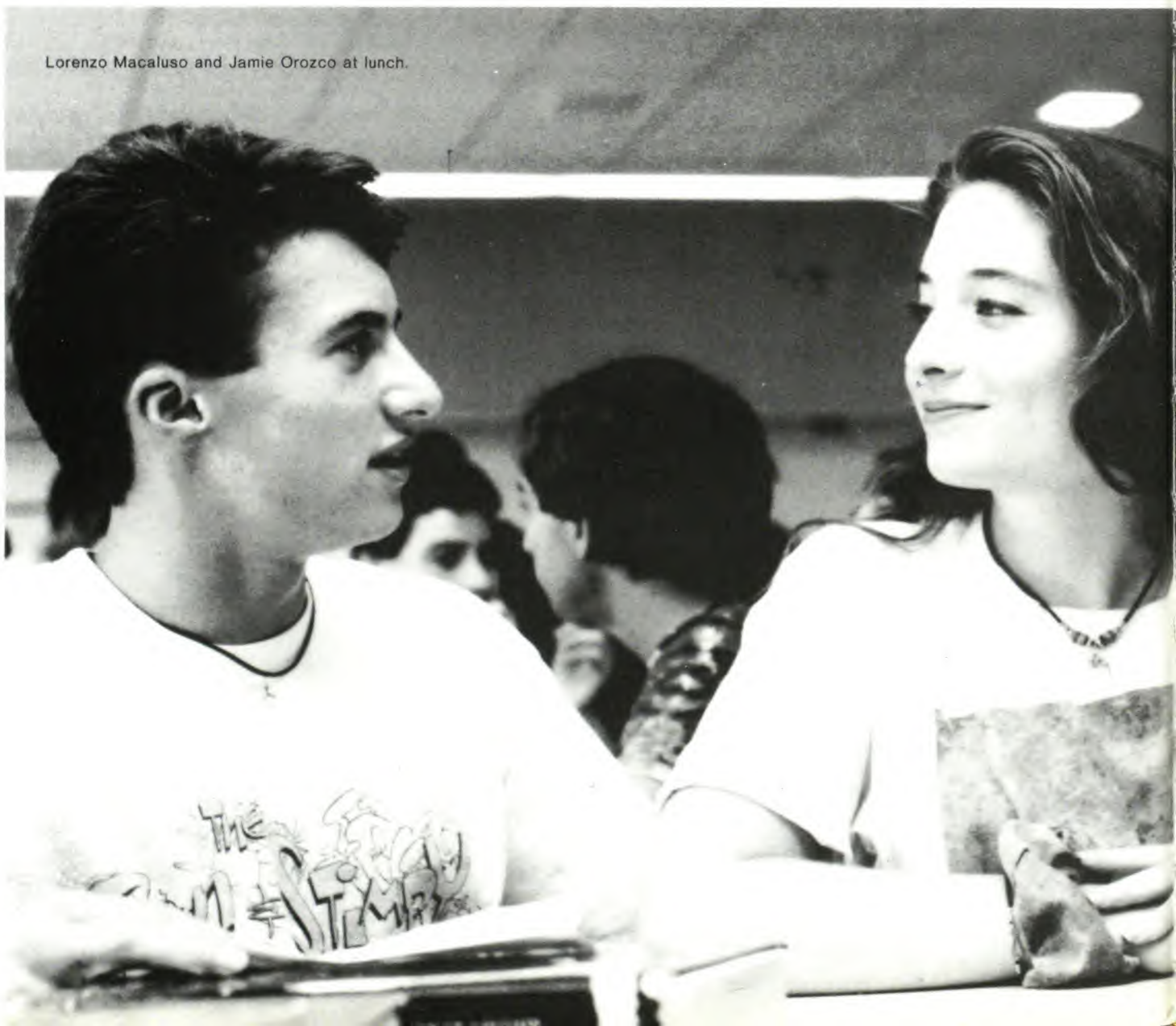
Chris Scaffo looks for information for his research paper.



"No more buses for me!" says Jon Shluker as he cruises through the streets of West Orange on his way to school.



Lorenzo Macaluso and Jamie Orozco at lunch.







Becky Krimmel and Gideon Menczel take a break from their work to read the school newspaper.



Mike Palmieri searches for his homework in his overflowing locker.



"School's out for the day and it's time to play!" Duane Hobson, Matt Corrao, and Gerald Castro hang out as they wait for the late bus.





Diane Barron — Homecoming Queen 1993



Heather Giorgio and her father share a proud moment. Heather was a dedicated band member throughout high school.



Dana Amendola and her mother are recognized for Dana's four year participation in the cheerleading program.



## Coming Home In ROYAL STYLE

On November 14, parents of the senior class football players, cheerleaders, and band members were honored for their unfailing support during the 1992 football season. These were the same parents who until this date blended in with other fans and alumni during the last four years. "The Homecoming game provides an opportunity to recognize parents for the support they have shown for their own children and the athletic program," reflected Principal Jerry Tarnoff.

The annual Homecoming football game marked the largest turnout of the season. Anticipation reached its peak during half-time when this year's Homecoming Queen was announced. Three senior girls, Diane Barron, Anika Johnson, and Kim Chanda, escorted respectively by Matt Hall, Joe Mustachio, and Mr. Chanda, were nominated for their involvement in school activities by the class of 1993. When the announcement was made, Diane Barron was chosen Homecoming Queen, while Anika and Kim comprised her court. "I will never forget this moment, even though I could barely see through the tears!" said Diane.

Although this year the Homecoming game was not held on Thanksgiving, we had a lot to be thankful for: an exciting Mountaineer victory over Clifford Scott, a deserving Homecoming Queen, and a chance to honor parents we knew we could always count on.



A proud Mr. Cadogan stands with his son Mort, a first team all-conference selection at the tackle position.



Would you like some bacon with your eggs? Gladys Sandin, Cristina Cabanchak, and Norma Piernagorda choose from the wide selection of food.

Glenn Lieberman and David Liberman attempt to finish off the fruit platter.



After a filling breakfast, these senior girls take time out to relax.



Rebecca Dinnerstein, Matthew Aron, and Wendy Reilly take the last few bites of their breakfast.





# B reakfast Anyone?

To say that the preparations for the senior breakfast went smoothly would be inaccurate. In fact, due to the initial lack of participation of the senior class, the breakfast was almost cancelled. However, after much consideration, the administration and class advisors decided to give the seniors another chance. Ticket sales were extended another day and the senior class met the Holiday Inn's required minimum of one hundred people. "The seniors this year were a little slow in deciding as to whether or not they would attend the senior breakfast," noted Mr. Prendergast, one of the class advisors. "At first we were a little anxious and worried, but they came through."

The problems that occurred prior to the breakfast certainly did not have an effect on the event itself. The seniors who attended the breakfast spent a fun-filled Thanksgiving morning with their classmates, teachers, administrators, and of course, a vast array of food.

As a whole, the class of 1993 may not have shown an overwhelming amount of interest in class activities, but the seniors who attended the breakfast surely showed their school spirit. Most came in their senior shirts (which finally arrived!), and many came early to help decorate the room with blue and white streamers and balloons. Ms. Damiano, the other class advisor, remarked, "I'm glad we decided not to cancel the breakfast. Those who attended had a great time. I was very impressed by the number of people who came early to help decorate." Prendo added, "The breakfast was a success due to the quality of those who attended, not the quantity. It was those seniors who made us look forward to the rest of the year."





# Fifty-six recognized at NHS Induction



Utpal Pajvani accepts  
his certificate  
from Mr. Tarnoff.



Mrs. Grosman congratulates her son Henry on becoming an honor society inductee.



Michael Gordon, a WOHS alumni stresses hard work as the key to success during his keynote address.





On the night of December 15, 56 West Orange High School students were proudly inducted to the National Honor Society. "As one of the largest classes graduating, it was only fair to allow every student with a grade point average of 6.0 or higher, entering the twelfth grade to be eligible for candidacy to the National Honor Society," said National Honor Society advisor, Dr. Bearg. The selection process also included an assessment of each candidate's leadership, character, and service to the community.

After being notified of their acceptance in late October, students met at an organizational meeting where they elected the 1992/1993 officers. Shari Martin was elected president; Diane Barron, vice-president; Rosanna Suh, secretary; Valmik Vyas, treasurer. Peter Nguyen, Stacey Spagnola, Erin Gavarny, and Roshni Alli were also chosen to speak at the induction by members of the group.

The first speaker, Peter Nguyen spoke of the challenges and changes we will go through when we leave home for college. He stated, "Belonging to the National Honor Society is an indication that our future will be filled with achievement and success, because we are all fully capable of undertaking the most difficult tasks. We all know that the achievements we honor tonight have been the result of our efforts and hard work."

Stacey Spagnola talked about the importance of a family, no matter what kind of family one comes from. She noted, "Years down the road, when we graduate from college, we will think back to our school careers and remember our families and teachers, and I don't think we will ever forget the sacrifices our parents have made for us."

Erin Gavarny's speech about friendship stressed that in a few years, we may forget certain things, such as which letter means what in the quantitative comparison section on the SAT's, but we will always remember the friendships made at high school. She stated, "As I reflect on the past, I can see how my friends have added to my character. I feel I am a better person because of them."

The final speaker, Roshni Alli, talked about the changes we have witnessed and experienced through our four years of high school. Roshni observed, "For the last couple of years, West Orange High School has been our second home, and under its auspices we have matured, physically, mentally, and emotionally."

The guest speaker for the night was Mr. Michael Gordon, an environmental attorney and a 1971 graduate of Mountain High School. Mr. Gordon encouraged the inductees to realize their potential, and stressed that "a single individual can make a difference."



*"Our families will always be a constant, no matter what definition of the word family is used."*

— Stacey Spagnola.

*"As we venture out into the great wide beyond, remember, now, it's our turn."*

— Roshni Alli



*"Any person can influence you, but only a friend will enhance your good qualities."*

— Erin Gavarny

*"In order to reach success, we must not only try our best, but also do our best."*

— Peter Nguyen



## Student Speakers



# ... Listen to the Music

With an exciting new year ahead of them, the West Orange Marching Mountaineers began the season with two new drum majors, Dimitrios Drimonis and Kathy Angkustsiri, accompanied by flag captains Deanna Robinson and Becky Krimmel. All 64 band members and the colorguard were anxious about what the new season would offer. Under the direction of Mr. Thomas Maliszewski, the band began its season with a repertoire of patriotic melodies, including "National Emblem," "Civil War," "Danny Boy," and "Land of Liberty."

Prior to the opening of school, the band learned the new drill at band camp, over the course of one exhausting week during the summer. A typical day included twelve hours of intense marching, occasional water breaks, and mastering the music. At camp, they were given the opportunity to develop their musical talents while learning how to work as a unit.

Following past tradition, the marching band competed in four competitions, including the CMBC Championships at Giants Stadium. There, the band proudly placed third out of 15 bands. They also received an award for best overall musical performance.

As a culmination of the band's fine year-long performance, they took a weekend trip to Annapolis, Maryland, in May. There, the marching band competed against bands from numerous states. The pervasive anxiety among newcomers, which had existed at the beginning of band camp, was replaced by the quiet confidence of a well-traveled, competition-tested, award-winning marching unit.

As the season came to an end, their director, Mr. Maliszewski, had only good things to say about the band. "Every graduating class has matured and gained responsibility since its freshman year. They were initially shy and very insecure. As seniors they became more confident and took on the leadership of the band. They were great role models for underclassmen. Not one graduating class has failed me yet."



Senior Marching Band Members



Mike Watts hits the high notes in "Land of Liberty."





Seniors Carolyn Rose (second on left) and Britt Kramer (far right) lead the line of saxophone players.



Hillary Kaiser establishes the beat with her base drum.



With the twirl of her flag, Becky Kimmel enhances the band's halftime performance.



# Always IN TUNE

Music was an important part of the lives of many West Orange High School students. These students were fortunate to have an enriched musical program where they could come together and share their talents. Just this year, two new classes, Wind Ensemble and Orchestra, were offered to those with specialized musical interests.

Throughout the year, three concerts were held where different bands and choirs were given the opportunity to perform and display their hard work. The winter and spring concerts consisted of the concert band, concert choir, and chamber singers. The pops concert, which was held in February, varied from the others with its more contemporary music and an emphasis on the jazz band and show choir.

The concert band, under the direction of Mr. Maliszewski, met every day during school in preparation for each upcoming concert.

This band included members of the marching band and jazz band, as well as many other musically talented students.

The jazz band, also led by Mr. Maliszewski, was a selective group of students who were chosen by audition. It consisted of saxophones, trombones, drums, piano, and guitar. After many after school rehearsals, the jazz band performed at the pops concert, and other functions such as at the JCC and the Edison Day Parade.

Students who were vocally talented were involved in the choral program, which was led by Mrs. Williamson. Here, students learned to appreciate different types of music, while enhancing their vocal skills. One section of this program was concert choir, a class held during school which anyone could join. Members of concert choir practiced daily to

perform at the school concerts. Another vocal group was chamber singers. This was a smaller, select group of singers. They met after school to practice the hymns that they sang at each of the concerts.

The newest addition to the choral program was the show choir. Started a year ago by Mrs. Williamson, the show choir was a group of students who sang a medley of popular Broadway songs while dancing to choreographed routines. Their entertaining performance was seen at the pops concert.

With so many options for students, it wasn't surprising to find so many musically gifted students at WOHS. The extensive program not only provided them with the instruction needed to perfect their performances, it allowed them to display their musical talents.



## CONCERT BAND



*Band is not just where one learns to play an instrument or perform. It is where one learns about leadership, getting along with others, and getting to know yourself.*

— Suzanne Cohen



Michael Cohen, Britt Kramer, Dimitrios Drimonis, and Matt Corrao add the sound of their saxophones to one of the jazz band's musical selections.



Members of the show choir salute to the trumpet calls of the "Boogie Woogie Bugle Boy."



*The past four years that I have been in choir changed the way I look at music.*  
— Robert Burgess

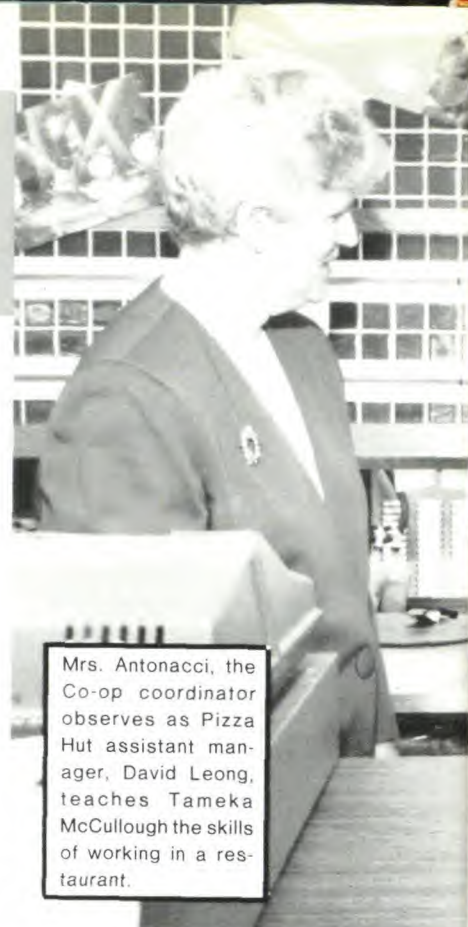


Concert band members Kathleen Walsh and Deanna Robinson perform in the Annual Pops Concert.

Colleen Orozco and Priya Thirumalai sing the soprano section of "Broadway Spectacular!"



# CO-OPportunity Knocks



Mrs. Antonacci, the Co-op coordinator observes as Pizza Hut assistant manager, David Leong, teaches Tameka McCullough the skills of working in a restaurant.

The students who made up the class of 1993 had diverse goals and abilities. Approximately 60 seniors chose to participate in the Cooperative Education Program. Students who were at least sixteen years old, and had demonstrated good citizenship and regular attendance were eligible for this program. The program was a blend of classroom theory with on-the-job training for students who were interested in Marketing Education, Cooperative Office Education, Cooperative Industrial Education, or Cooperative Home Economics.

Students involved in this program were required to attend school for three hours a day, during which time they attended core curricular classes. In the afternoons, the students worked at part-time jobs a minimum of 15 hours per week. This gave the students an opportunity to enter the workforce before most other teenagers. The experience encompassed things that could not be learned in the classroom, such as money-management, deductions, and the over-all responsibility of being employed.

According to Co-op coordinator, Mrs. Antonacci, "The Co-op program gives the students a chance to explore different career options. It helps prepare students by giving them skills and experience in the world of work so that they are ready to enter the workforce with skills to offer their employers. They become prepared to deal with the realities of real life working situations." The three Co-op advisors included Mr. Buzzelli for industrial work, Mrs. Antonacci for health careers, and Mrs. Berman for office occupations.

Speakers often came to address the students about various occupations and career opportunities. During these lectures the Co-op students gathered together to learn about such things as benefits and trade school opportunities.

Co-op participant Paul Ciamillo praised the program, "It got me out in the work field so I was closer to reality. Co-op made me a more mature person." Paul was one of the opportunistic sixty who heard opportunity knock and answered the call.

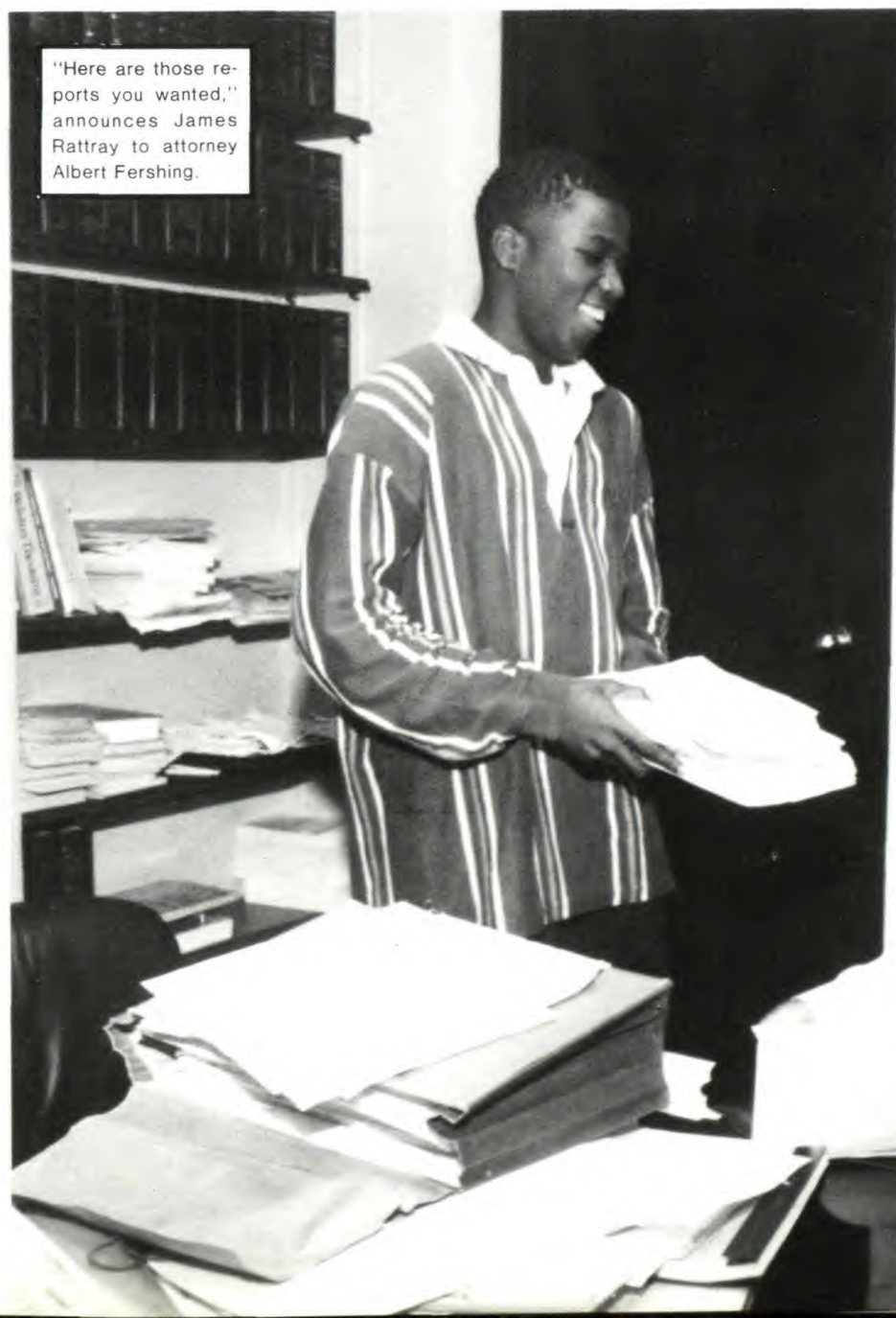


Paul Ciamillo brings a holiday arrangement into the nursery. Paul has been working at Pleasantdale Nurseries for seven years.





April Creech  
photocopies legal  
documents for her  
employer at  
Mendelbaum and  
Mendelbaum.



"Here are those reports you wanted,"  
announces James  
Rattray to attorney  
Albert Fershing.





Senior class officers and advisors, Mr. Prendergast and Ms. Damiano, spread holiday cheer at St. Barnabas Medical Center. Along with other members of the class, they delivered gifts to sick children who couldn't make it home for the holidays.



### COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Robert Pearlman  
 Jason Wilhite  
 Rebecca Starrett  
 Lauren Abrams  
 Sean Pettiford  
 Stacey Spagnola  
 Karlee Davis  
 Lauren Knutowicz  
 Steven Klein  
 Paulina Berowitz  
 Suzanne Cohen  
 Abby Phon



STUDENT COUNCIL



Jodi Young and Anika Johnson transform the senior hallway into "Under the Sea" during Spirit Week.



# Out in Front

## Councils Enrich Student Life

Serving in a leadership position, being out in front, whether it be in a country, a school, or a class is a demanding task which requires dedicated and responsible individuals. This year's senior class had four competent officers who met the challenges of leading the senior class head on. President Anika Johnson, Vice-President Nolan Farris, Treasurer Jodi Young, and Secretary Kim Chanda led the class through a number of activities, including the traditional tailgate party on the first day of school, the picnic, the breakfast, the successful Welcome Back Party for the class of 1992, the trip to Baltimore, and finally, the long-awaited prom and Project Graduation. The senior council, along with advisors Ms. Damiano and Mr. Prendergast, worked together to try to make the class of 1993's senior year memorable. "Taking on responsibility is always challenging; with it comes praise and criticism," commented Ms. Damiano.

On a larger scale, the Student Council sponsored activities which involved the entire student body. The officers,

President Mat Hall, Vice-President JoAnn Zeppi, Treasurer Gideon Menczel, and Secretary Shawn Cohen and various committee members met monthly with homeroom representatives from all grade levels to plan the year's events. Some of these events included: student exchanges with West Essex, Columbia, and Wayne Valley, a successful Thanksgiving food drive, the Student/Faculty volleyball tournament, Spirit Week, and the bonfire. One of this council's biggest objectives was trying to reinstate a mascot at sports events. Mrs. Ward, Ms. Risse, and Mr. Smeraldo served as enthusiastic and supportive advisors to the group. "The Student Council was instrumental in promoting school spirit, addressing issues relating to the school environment, and seeking ways to enrich WOHS for everyone," commented Mrs. Ward.

No one ever said governing a class, or a school, would be easy, but this year the seniors met their responsibility unflinchingly.



Senior class officers Kim Chanda, Anika Johnson, Nolan Farris, and Jodi Young express their school spirit on the first day of their senior year.



Student Council officers JoAnn Zeppi, Mat Hall, Gideon Menczel, and Shawn Cohen prepare an agenda for the upcoming meeting.



# UNITY and UMOJA *"A Celebration of Differences"*

At West Orange High School, the student body was widely diversified. Clubs like **UNITY** and

**UMOJA** regarded the various racial, religious, and cultural differences that existed as a strength. Individual and cultural differences were readily accepted and celebrated, resulting in improved inter-student relationships.

The **UNITY** Club, advised by Mr. Schwartz and Ms. Shah and led by an executive committee, sponsored a trip to the Guggenheim Museum and to an African American Art Exhibit," and lent their support to various school activities. The club also contributed to the International Dinner, an evening activity sponsored by the language clubs. Members of the Unity Club set up small booths which displayed cultural artifacts. In so doing, they set the stage for their most important function, the Cultural Fair to be held at a later date. The fair consisted of a fashion show featuring different cultural dress, music, dance, and ethnic foods. In addition, the Unity Club joined forces with UMOJA (United Minorities of Joint Alliances) to enhance the celebration of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.'s birthday. At the evening tribute, held in the LMC, there were presentations highlighting Dr. King's numerous contributions to American society. The program consisted of songs, poetry readings, and spirited readings of Dr. King's speeches.

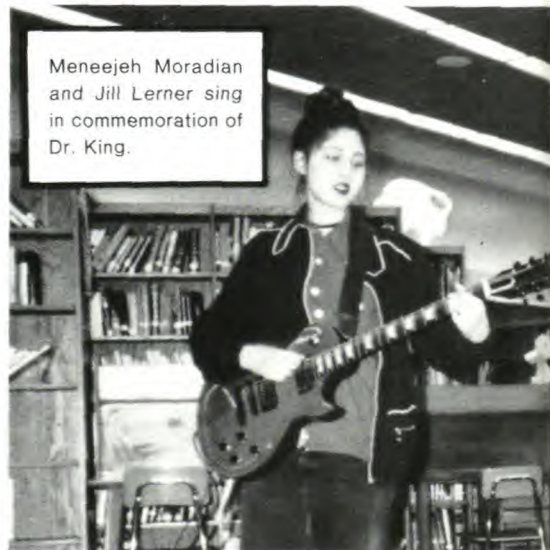
**UMOJA**, originally known as the Black Awareness Club, attempted to unite all minorities by changing the name of the organization. Ms. Martin advised the club and with her help, UMOJA was able to organize several well-attended activities during the 1992-1993 school year. The club held its fourth annual Fashion Show, as well as sponsoring a trip to see the play "Journey," which depicted the life of a woman who was greatly influenced by Dr. King. In addition, UMOJA capped off Black History Month with their UMOJA dinner. The dinner featured an evening of music, dance, poetry, and food. Ms. Mary Holland, the keynote speaker, spoke of the history of the black cowboy and talked about her famous family. Alexis Yates, president of UMOJA, noted, "Much of this year's success was due to the hard work and willingness of the UMOJA members to present a positive image of minority students in the school."

The positive influences of both the Unity Club and UMOJA, working independently and together, proved extremely beneficial to the entire West Orange community, a community growing more diversified by the year. Celebration of cultural differences proved that students were willing to work toward making West Orange a more unified place to live.

Charles Meadows presents a plaque of appreciation to guest speaker Mary Holland at the UMOJA dinner.



Meneejeh Moradian and Jill Lerner sing in commemoration of Dr. King.



Members of Unity and UMOJA pay a tribute to Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. on his birthday.

Meneejeh Moradian and Jill Lerner sing in commemoration of Dr. King.



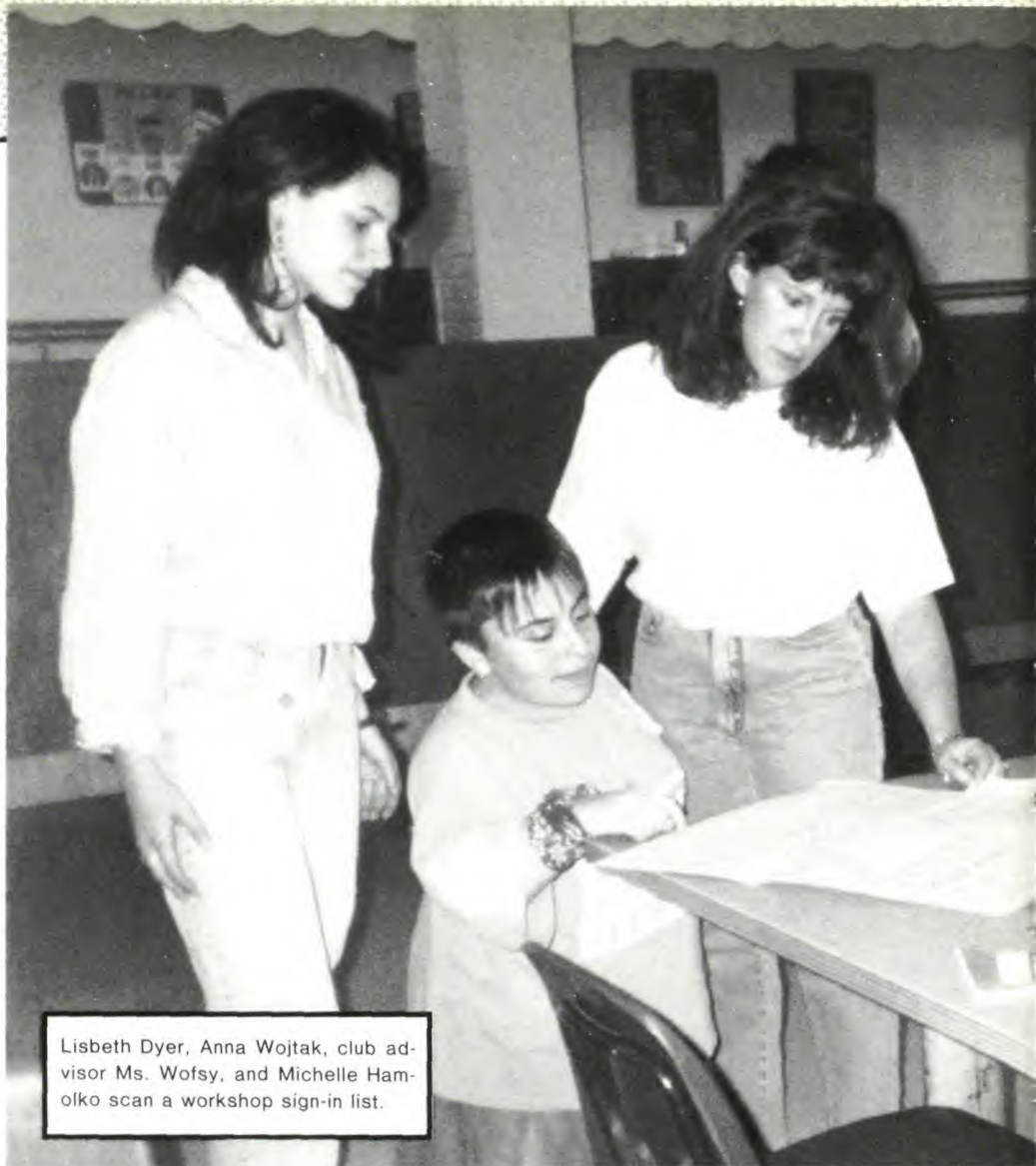
UMOJA officers Alexis Yates, Charles Meadows, Anika Johnson, Raheem Mann, Kennette Pierre, and advisor Ms. Martin



UNITY officers Jodi Young, Kennette Pierre, Brooke Lerner, Hilary Kaiser, Priya Thirumalai, Advisor Mr. Schwartz, Meneejeh Moradian, Jill Lerner, Jason Wilhite and Danny Selzer.







Lisbeth Dyer, Anna Wojtak, club advisor Ms. Wofsy, and Michelle Hamolko scan a workshop sign-in list.

***"Change is inevitable. The past cannot be recaptured and the future is obscure. It is now, in the present, that the goal of the Interact Club is one of service and volunteerism to the school and community."***

***— Ms. Fort***



Interact members Brian Ayres and Jon Berke pass out refreshments at the Christmas party.



Interact president Elisa Strell discusses plans with Ms. Fort.



# Donating Time for a **BRIGHTER TOMORROW**



During his inaugural address, President Clinton called for change in our nation. Among the changes he addressed was the critical need for greater individual participation by all citizens in humanitarian organizations. Within West Orange High School a growing concern for humanity was evident. Community involvement and volunteerism were on the rise. The **INTERACT CLUB** and **LEAN ON ME** organizations were dedicated to helping others in order to make the world a better place for us all to live.

The **INTERACT CLUB**, a branch of Rotary International, functioned primarily as a service club. Led by advisor Ms. Bette Fort, the club performed a variety of services for the community and the school, such as ushering at most school events, operating the school store, assisting at the town's Holiday Party at the Community House, and participating in the Town Hall annual tree lighting ceremony. According to Elissa Strell, president of the club, "This year's membership was better than any year I can remember. The members didn't just join the club, they really donated their time and effort to the activities."

**LEAN ON ME**, a peer leadership group started and advised by Ms. Barbara Wofsy, focused on the importance of physical and mental health. All of the members

signed a "Wellness Contract" which was a commitment not to use alcohol or other drugs. The club regularly visited the elementary schools to spread awareness of the evils of drugs by performing skits and conducting open discussions. The members also executed workshops dealing with stereotyping, roles and relationships, and conflict resolution to promote the idea of "wellness." The highlights of the year for their peer to peer program were a "mock drunk driving crash" arranged to benefit all seniors, "Dialogue Night" where adults and teens explored the issue of trust in their relationship, and an all-school assembly featuring "Love All People," a traveling group of entertainers who put on an anti-drug and alcohol musical presentation. Advisor Ms. Wofsy was thrilled with the success of the assembly. "The presenters covered every vital issue facing teenagers, and pressed some emotional buttons. The feedback was very positive."

Whether or not President Clinton's call for change was answered by the greater American public only time will tell. Judging by the time and energy devoted to the greater good by members of **INTERACT** and **LEAN ON ME**, students at WOHS heard the call. Their response reflected their desire to build for a brighter future.



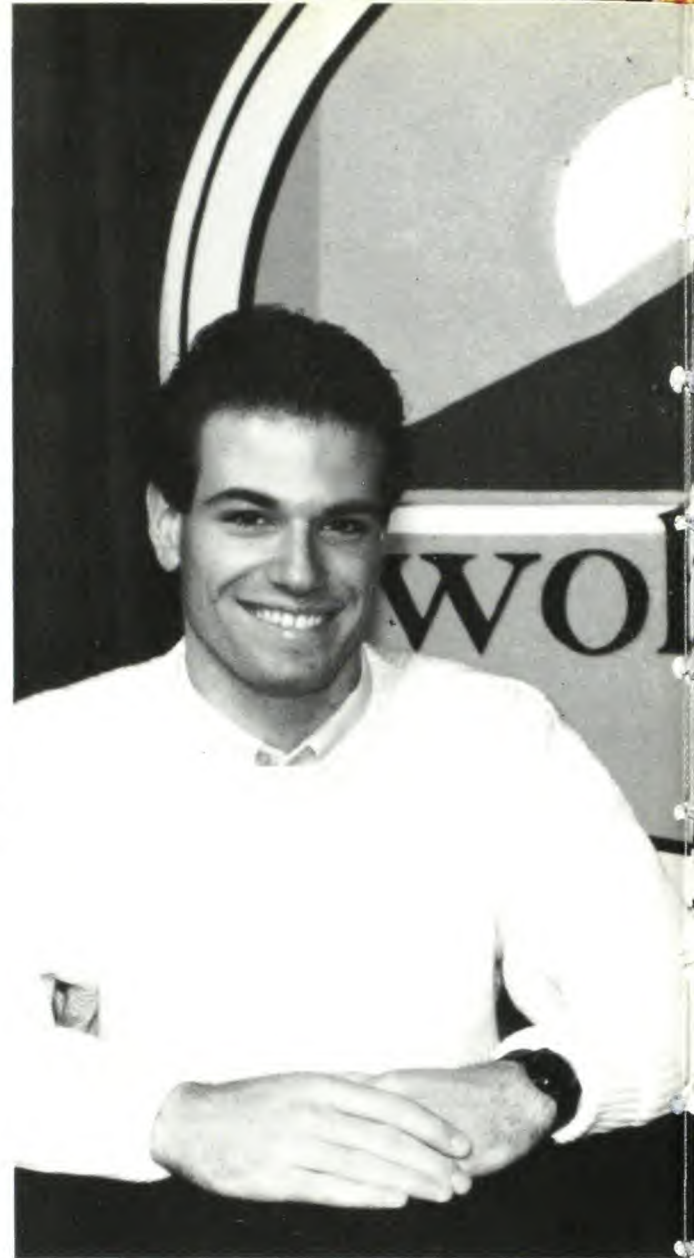
Ms. Wofsy (center) prepares for a workshop with Lean on Me members.



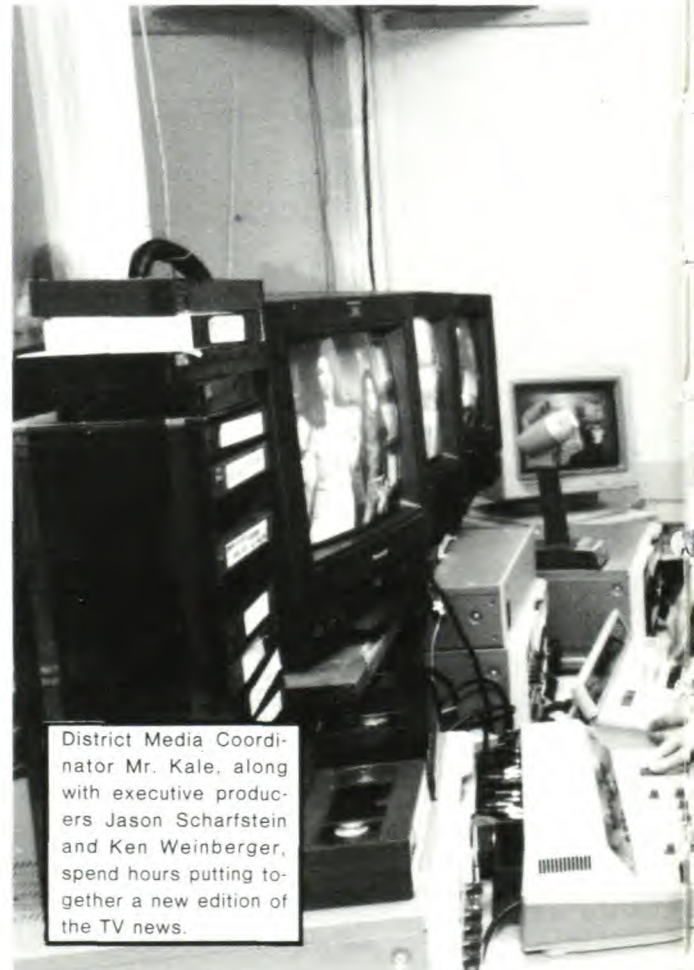


Anchors Michael Araneo and Elissa Strell get ready to introduce an upcoming segment on the news show.

Members of the newspaper staff edit an article for an issue of the *Pioneer*.



**PIONEER STAFF**



District Media Coordinator Mr. Kale, along with executive producers Jason Scharfstein and Ken Weinberger, spend hours putting together a new edition of the TV news.





# Want the Scoop?

In addition to keeping West Orange High School well informed, the **WOHS TV NEWS** and the **PIONEER** reached out to the entire community. The priority of these news sources was to make sure that the West Orange community knew about important events, achievements, and any other newsworthy occurrences. The production of both the TV News and the Pioneer began in the classroom, but this year's staffs were willing to make necessary sacrifices by putting in additional time and effort.

State of the art equipment such as Amiga computers, Panasonic professional SVHS VTR's, and the "Video Toaster" allowed the **WOHS TV NEWS** to be technically professional. The weekly news show was anchored by Elissa Strell and Michael Araneo. Each show consisted of five features: a focus on the curriculum, a question of the week, and profiles of students or teachers with noteworthy achievements. The camera crew, reporters, co-executive producers Ken Weinberger and Jason Scharfstein, and advisors Mr. McCarthy and Mr. Kale were equally vital to making the show work. The videotaping and editing was extremely time-consuming; a five minute piece could take two to four hours of editing time. Executive producer Ken Weinberger commented, "It takes more time to edit a half-hour show than most people realize. I spent a minimum of 15 to 20 hours on each show, but I got great satisfaction from seeing the final product on cable."

The **PIONEER**, a multiple award-winning newspaper during the 1992-1993 school year, was advised by Mr. Ehrlich. His editors had the opportunity to put out the paper almost completely on their own. Using Macintosh computers, the editors were able to lay out entire issues. The paper was then taken to the plant to be printed. As a result of continued interest in the publication for the second year, the editors were divided into two staffs, blue and white. This resulted in twice as many issues as in previous years. Matthew Aron and Jeremy Kaufman, and Jason Lanyard and Abby Phon, were co-editors-in-chief for the white and blue staffs respectively. Along with their talented staffs and the student journalists who took Mr. Ehrlich's Journalism class, the editors were able to produce a newspaper that placed first in the American Scholastic Press Association Newspaper Contest.

Keeping the entire West Orange community well informed of the changing trends and news events was a difficult, time-consuming job. Thanks to our dedicated Pioneer and WOHS TV News staffs, everyone knew where to turn to get the latest scoop.



**TV 36 NEWS STAFF**



Mr. McCarthy, the yearbook advisor, finalizes the opening section layouts with editors-in-chief Stacey Spagnola and Karlee Davis.



## Attention to Detail — Award-Winning Publications

The students who worked on this year's yearbook and literary magazine quickly learned about the intricacy of putting together a publication and meeting uncompromising deadlines. It was a detailed process that involved hard work, responsibility, and most of all, precision. Students also had to be creative to make each final product different from previous issues.

The 22 members of the 1993 yearbook staff started working on the **Mountaineer** at the end of their junior year. After breaking tradition by revealing the theme "Blending In, Standing Out," the staff became familiar with drawing layouts, choosing photographs, and writing copy. For the next year, they devoted their time to the formation of a yearbook that would be valued by the entire senior class. Under the competent direction of Mr. McCarthy and the leadership of co-editors Stacey Spagnola and Karlee Davis, the yearbook staff concentrated on accuracy while successfully meeting each deadline.

**Cobblestone**, the literary magazine, was a compilation of stories, essays, poems, and sketches from talented students who wanted to share their work with others. The staff, headed by editors-in-chief Jill Lerner and Lisbeth Dyer along with experienced advisor Dr. Legow, spent many afternoons reviewing submissions. This process included critiquing, selecting, and editing the material that would appear in the literary magazine.

For years, both publications have won awards of the highest merit. It was the students' attention to detail that led to this continual recognition.

Editors Jason Iovino, Eun-Jin Kim, and Utpal Pajvani review the artwork that will appear in this year's **Cobblestone**.







Cara Perrotta and Nolan Farris choose photographs for the sports pages of the yearbook.

**Cobblestone** advisor Dr. Legow looks on as editors-in-chief Lisbeth Dyer and Jill Lerner select students' literature for the literary magazine.



# 1993 MOCK TRIAL TEAM



JSA members Jennifer Kassin, Jason Lanyard, and Priya Thirumalai discuss details for a debate with Mrs. Dodds, the club's advisor.



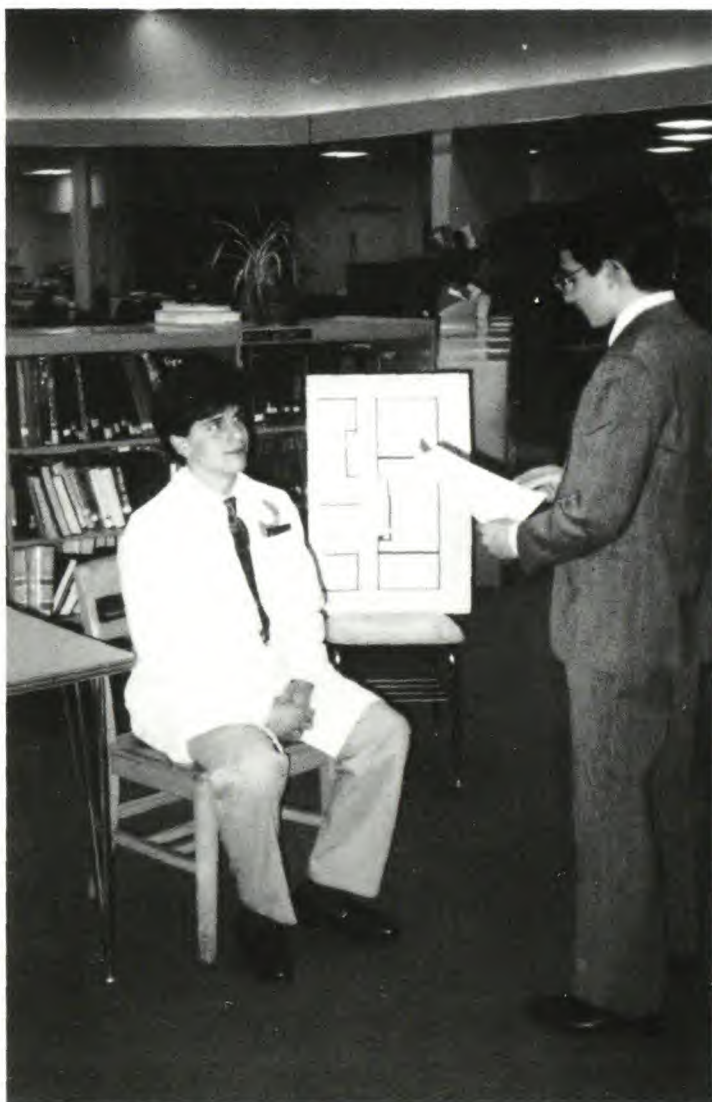


Utpal Pajvani, Lisbeth Dyer, and Henry Grosman compete against Millburn High School on the TV3 quiz show, "Challenge."

Mock trial lawyers Jason Lanyard and Roshni Alli review their notes before arguing their case.



## Expanding Horizons



Matt Aron, a witness in the Mock Trail competition, is cross-examined by a lawyer from Caldwell High School.

A variety of clubs challenged students with academic interests that went beyond their daily classes. The **ACADEMIC QUIZ TEAM** allowed students to test their knowledge. Throughout the year, the members of the quiz team participated in various competitions against other schools, including "The Battle of Brilliance" and "The Meeting of the Minds." Henry Grosman, Lisbeth Dyer, and Utpal Pajvani appeared on the TV3 quiz show "Challenge" where they faced a tough match against Millburn. For the second year, the quiz team held a charity competition that raised money for St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital. Advisor Ms. Pomar commented on her team, "It was the varied interests and personalities of the team members that helped them to score well yet keep competition in perspective."

This year, a nationwide organization called **JUNIOR STATESMEN OF AMERICA** was added to the extracurricular program at WOHS. This new chapter of JSA was started by Jason Lanyard, the club's president. JSA dealt with political and social awareness, both within the school and on a much broader scale. "It allowed students to be the motivating force and reality behind change in their own environment," explained faculty advisor, Mrs. Dodds. Members of the club met after school to discuss and debate current issues. They attended national JSA conventions where students took part in seminars, debates, and mock trials. The Junior Statesmen also held various school-oriented events such as a presidential debate, a quiz bowl, and a student/administrator forum where concerned students were given the opportunity to voice their opinions and administrators had a chance to respond.

The 1993 **MOCK TRAIL** team consisted of a group of students who spent many months preparing the model court case created by the New Jersey Bar Association. Once lawyers and witnesses were chosen, they began preparing for the competition. The lawyers wrote opening and closing statements and questions for the witnesses, while the witnesses studied their parts for the direct and cross examinations. With help from lawyer Gina Sorge and advisor Mr. Lawrence, the team gave a strong performance at their annual competition. Mr. Lawrence was especially pleased with his students; he was glad to be able to work with such "tremendously independent and responsible" young adults.



Elissa Strell, as Miss Flinch along with Abby Phon as Patty Simcox, lead the audience as they sing the Rydell High School alma mater.



West Orange High School  
In Association with  
Rydell High School Alumni Association

Present

# Grease

Book, Music and Lyrics by  
Jim Jacobs and Warren Casey

with

Sara Carano  
Dana Coulote  
Dimitrios Drimonis  
Heather Giorgio  
Sarah Kaskel  
Paul Lombardo  
Raheam Mann  
Gideon Menczel  
Ryan Noble  
Stephanie Padakis

Abby Phon  
Amy Russoniello  
Dominic Scaglione  
Patrick Scaglione  
Jason Schwartz  
Theresa Sciacchetano  
Elissa Strell  
Antonio Tapia  
Marc Weinstock

Directed by  
David Russell

Choreographed by  
Keith Stewart

Vocal Director  
Virginia Williamson

Orchestra Director  
Thomas Maliszewski





At the drive-in, Sara Carano, as Sandy, agrees to "go steady" with Danny, played by Patrick Scaglione.



# Grease

THE HIT MUSICAL ABOUT THE '50s




Danny sings to the Burger Palace Boys about the girl he met at the beach.



Rizzo and Kenickie, portrayed by Heather Giorgio and Paul Lombardo, dance to "Those Magic Changes."





*"It was very rewarding to return every week and have the kids not only remember what we had taught them but eager to participate in the activities we planned."*

— Karen Kelly



"Molto Bene!" exclaims Michael Araneo when one of his students wins a game of Italian Bingo.

Karen Kelly and Wendy Reilly help one of their students spell her name in French.





# Languages For S.A.L.E.

Nineteen years ago the Spanish Club at Mountain High School began a program which enabled high school foreign language students both an opportunity to interact with younger students in West Orange, and a chance to use the foreign language skills they acquired throughout high school. Soon after, W.O.H.S. adopted the S.A.L.E. (Student Alternative Learning Experience) program. As a result, all interested students of Spanish, Italian and French were given the chance to teach their respective languages in the elementary schools, and were awarded Board of Education approved credit for 40 hours of teaching.

Several of this year's seniors chose to participate in S.A.L.E. The teaching usually took place after school, one afternoon a week for one-half hour, from 2:30-3:00. Wendy Reilly and Karen Kelly taught French together for three years for the same 3rd grade teacher at Gregory School. Wendy noted that the thing she loved most about participating in S.A.L.E. was the kids. "The third graders we taught were at an age that they were very eager to learn, and that made the experience even more positive."

These "student teachers" gave their students foreign names, taught them how to count, to say the alphabet, to recognize colors and to understand many other simple nouns and verbs. All of the students who participated in S.A.L.E. agreed it was a rewarding and educational experience. For Esther Kim, the program played an important part in her future plans. "Since I was little I always wanted to be a teacher. S.A.L.E. gave me a chance to get experience in what could be my future occupation."

Regardless of the motivation for becoming involved in S.A.L.E., all of the participants agreed that the benefits they reaped from the program were worth the time they had to sacrifice after school.



Raquel Pecillo and Jennifer Reilly find a fun way to teach their fourth grade class the colors in Italian.



# Clinton takes oath as 42d president sounds call 'to renew America'

*"Let us all take more responsibility, not only for ourselves and our families but for our communities and our country."*



*"... We need dramatic change from time to time. Well, my fellow citizens, this is our time. Let us embrace it."*

debates

**THE RACE TO THE WHITE HOUSE**

victory

Presidential candidates



★★★★★  
Campaign **1992**



**REPUBLICANS**

**Bush/Quayle**

Candidates offer sharp contrasts, tough choices

**Democrats**



Energized Perot promises 'crazy' day at polls



**Mission to Somalia:** New World Role for U.S.

**The Blizzard of '93**

# Bush dispatches mercy forces to aid Somalis

*Keeping a campaign promise, Bill Clinton tells the military to lift its ban on homosexuals*

## Curfew defeated

*Deciding vote cast by Palent against 10 p.m. curfew ordinance*

## Barcelona Was Pure Gold



INSPIRING OLYMPIC MOMENTS.

1,300 troops ordered to Kuwait  
to guard against new incursions



## The Amy Fisher Story

## Trade Center Bombing

Cowboys crush Bills 52-17 to take title

Two-run smash  
wraps up Series  
for Jays, 4-3



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Tennis pro Arthur Ashe dies after a 10-year fight with AIDS.

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Infected with the AIDS virus, Magic Johnson retires from pro basketball.



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*Well it's time to say goodbye our friend,  
We're glad you stayed until the end.  
We hope that you've enjoyed the time we spent,  
Though we know that we will back again.  
We don't know just how soon our friend  
Until we meet again just think of us,  
We'll think of you.*

*It was easier to say hello  
Than to say goodbye.  
Now the bus is leaving once again;  
We bid farewell to you.  
We remember all the fun we had  
And all the tears when time was bad,  
But you were there when we were down 'n' out,  
And we know we will not forget  
What was written and what was said,  
And who was there when we were not on top  
Of the world.*

*It was easier to say hello  
Than to say goodbye.  
Now the bus is leaving once again,  
We bid farewell to you.  
Yes it's time to say auf Wiedersehn,  
Sayonara 'n' ciao our friend.  
You'll always have a place within our hearts.  
It was easier to say hello  
Than to say goodbye  
Now the bus is leaving once again  
We bid farewell to you.*

— White Lion



## In Memory Of



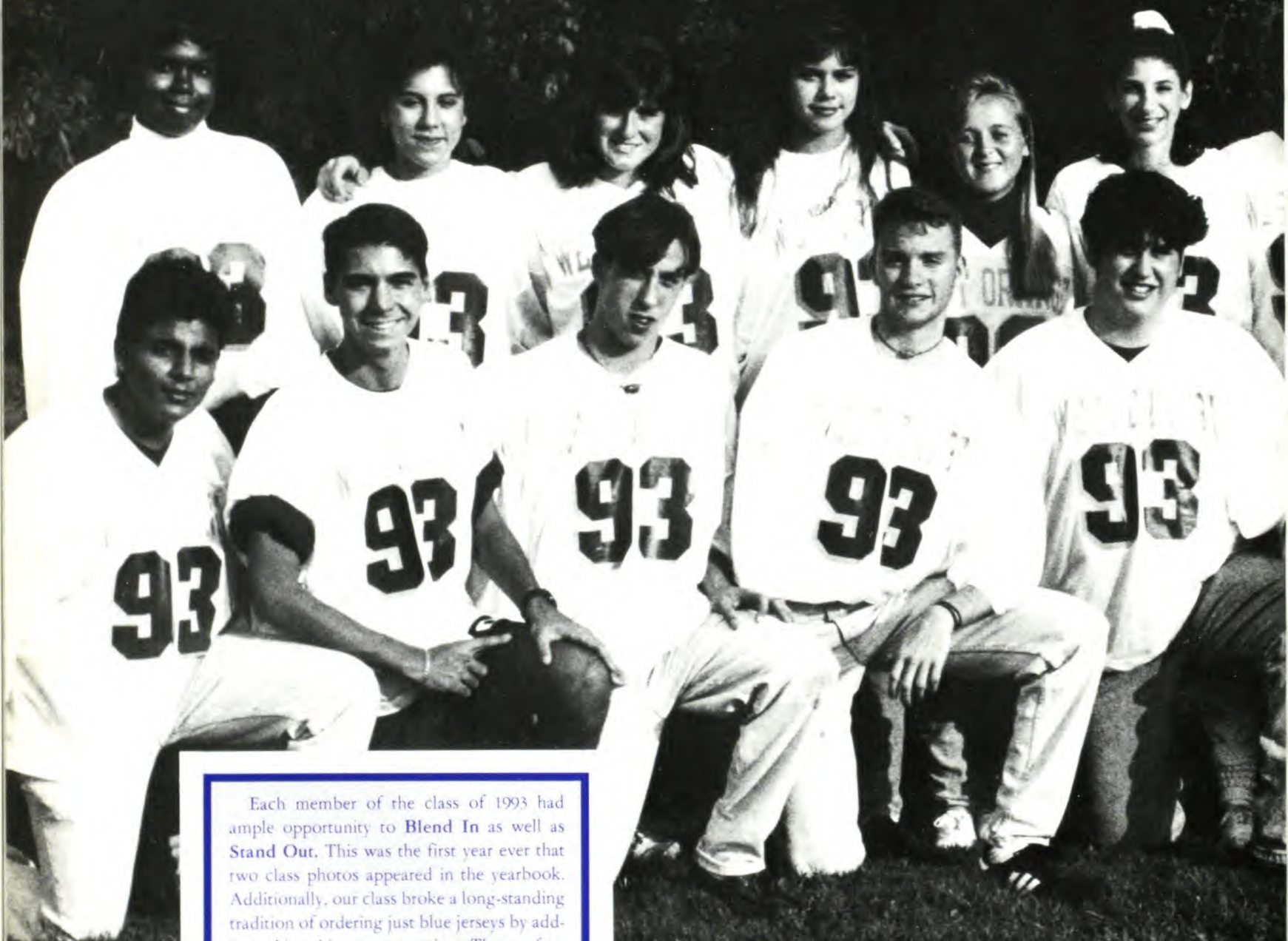
## Dan Shiffer

*We thank you for the images of a boy who lived his dreams.  
We thank you for the laughter that put smiles on our faces.  
We thank you for the memories that live with us each day.  
Most of all,  
We thank you for your passion  
and lasting inspiration  
To fight till the end  
with a warrior's determination.  
For all of this we thank you  
and promise never to forget  
the battle that you fought inside  
to stay with us and yet  
There's something that is missing,  
something we can't find,  
but you're never far away now Danny  
because your legacy is left behind.*

*— From all who knew you*



# Blending In SENIORS



Each member of the class of 1993 had ample opportunity to **Blend In** as well as **Stand Out**. This was the first year ever that two class photos appeared in the yearbook. Additionally, our class broke a long-standing tradition of ordering just blue jerseys by adding white shirts as an option. Those of us who sought to really stand out assumed leadership positions for our clubs, activities and publications. In this section we chose to profile several seniors who pursued a special interest or talent which led them to expand their horizons to different parts of the country and the world. We couldn't profile all 323 members of the senior class, but we feel that each one was unique and stood out in their own way.





**LAUREN ABRAMS**  
First recorded graduate



**ANIKA JOHNSON**  
Senior Class President



**MAT HALL**  
Student Council President

STANDING OUT





**LAUREN ABRAMS**

For every minute you are sad, you lose sixty seconds of happiness.



**MAY ALBORNOZ**

Smart is when you believe only one half of what you hear. Brilliant is when you know which half to believe. If you are not brilliant, be smart at least.



**ROSHNI ALLI**

If wisdom's ways you wisely seek,  
five things observe with care;  
to whom you speak,  
of whom you speak,  
and how, and when, and where.

— C. L. Ingalls

Pius Lee



**STEVE J. AMELI**

Babies haven't any hair;  
Old men's heads are just as bare;  
Between the cradle and the grave  
Lies a haircut and a shave.

— Samuel Hoffenstein



**DANA ANNA AMENDOLA**

Be not afraid of going slowly, be afraid of standing still.



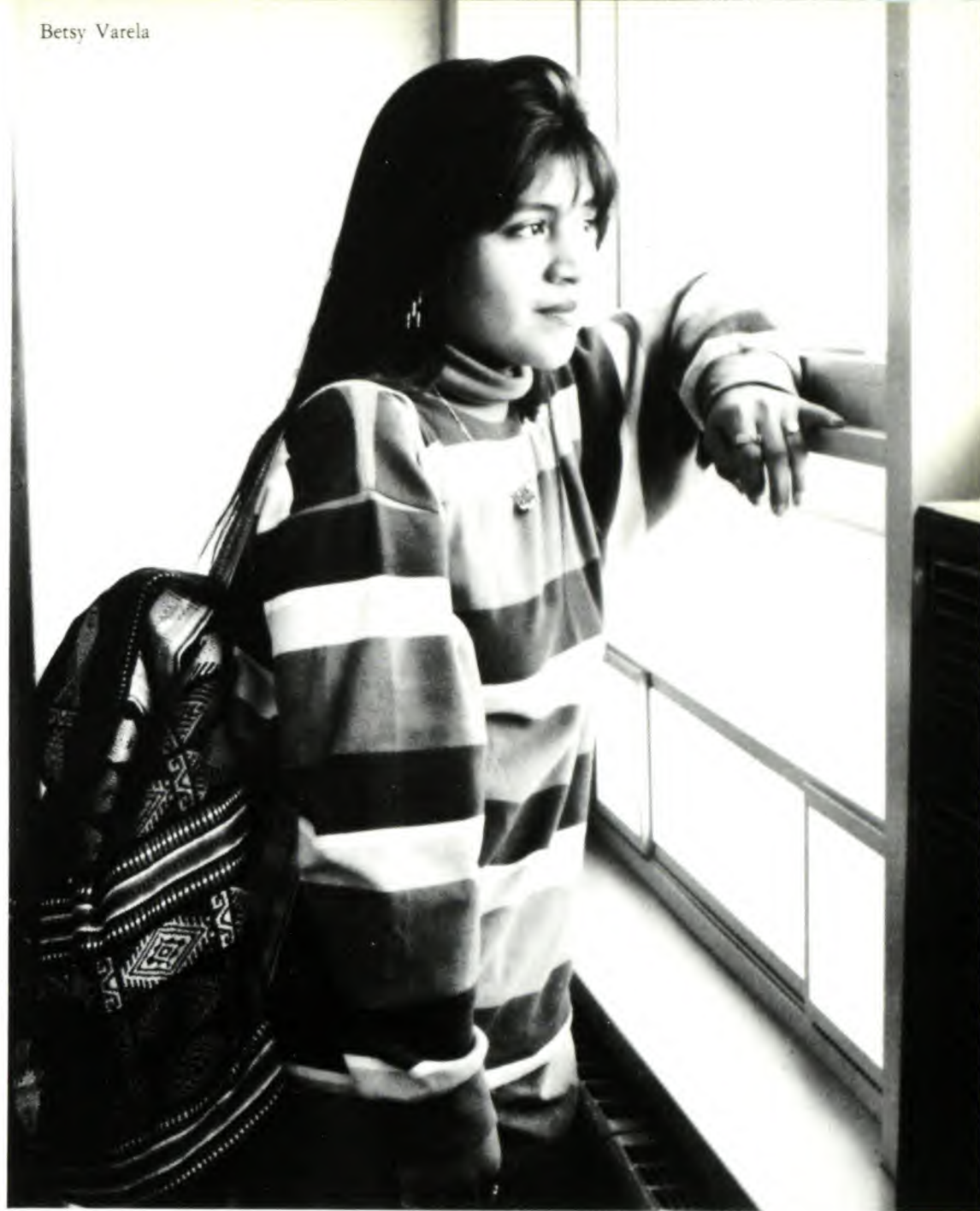


**ELEAZAR AMORES**



**GENE THOMAS ANEN**

Let your hopes and dreams unlock the door to your future.



**BIJI ANTONY**

Ask and you will receive; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you.

— The Bible



**MICHAEL ARANEO**

Life is a giant puzzle where one has to match many pieces to fulfill a dream.



**HELEN ARMENAKIS**

The moment is for now, but the memory lasts forever, moving on, looking forward, but never forgetting the days gone by.



*Two roads di-  
verged in a wood  
and I — I took the  
one less traveled  
by. And that has  
made all the dif-  
ference.*

— Robert Frost



**MATTHEW ARON**

La-Dee-Da,  
La-Dee-Da.

— Woody Allen



Carmine Meola



**BRIAN AYRES**

You don't have to have the lead, if you have the  
courage to come from behind.



**NICOLE A. BARNES**

Live one day at a time  
And make it a masterpiece.



**DIANE MARIE BARRON**

Live each day to the fullest. Get the most from  
every hour, and each age of your life. Then you  
can look forward with confidence, and back  
without regrets.

— S. H. Payer





**JODI BAXTER**

Why should I stop until I'm satisfied?

— Richard Marx



**JOHN BENEVENTO JR.**

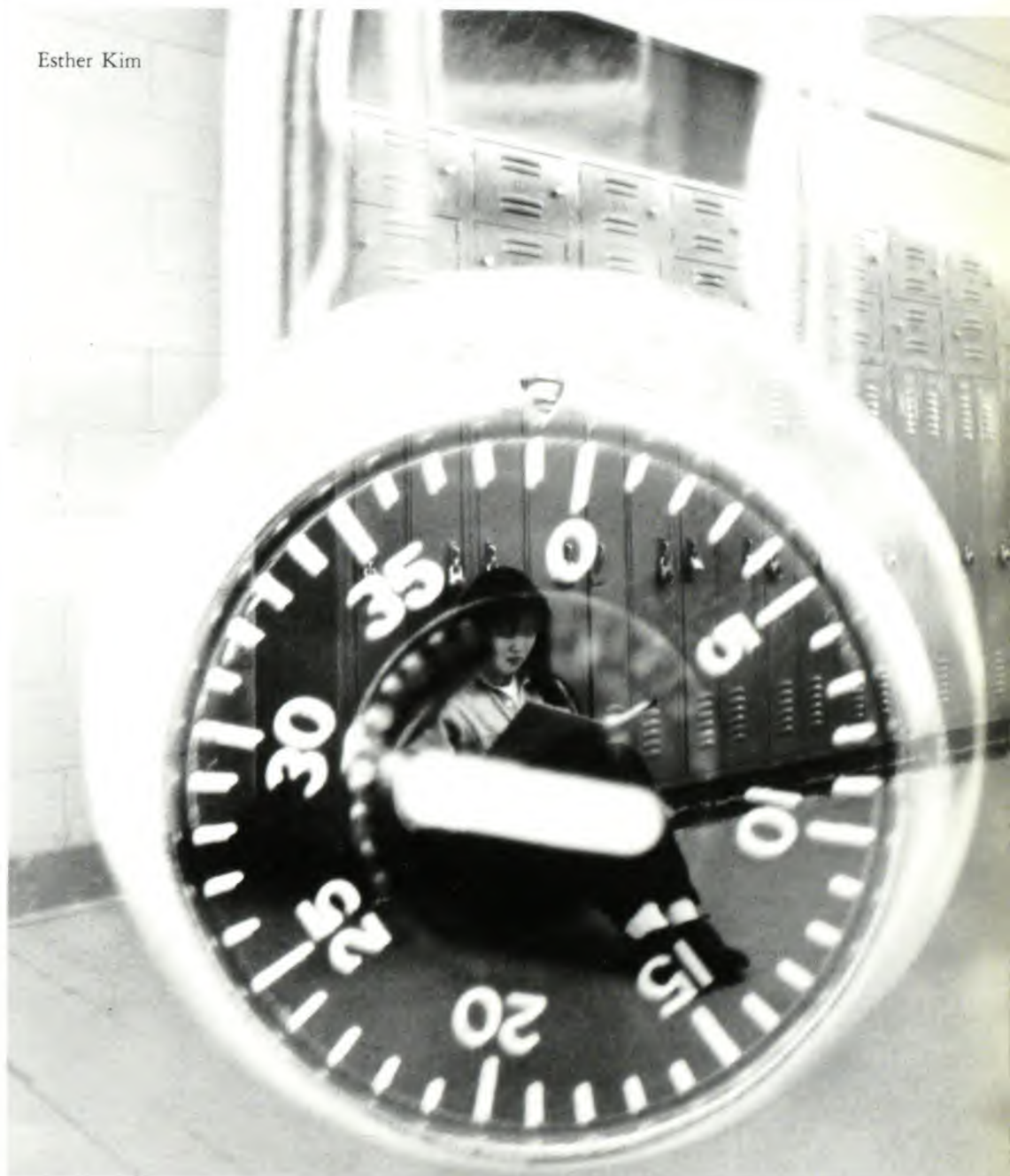
*Look forward to  
the future, but re-  
member the past;  
for we shall never  
pass this way  
again.*



**MICHELLE MARIA BENNETT**

Compete, don't envy.

Esther Kim



**JONATHAN BERKE**

A lot of races of humans exist, but I hope one  
race will unite to become dominant over all oth-  
ers, the human race.





**PAULINA M. BEROWITZ**

Memories build a pathway that goes winding  
through the heart and keeps friends close even  
though they're far apart.



**LEE BERREBI**

Time rolls on,  
And that's as it should be.  
Here and gone,  
Seems to move so quickly.

**It's 2:00 a.m.  
DO YOU  
KNOW  
WHERE  
YOUR  
CHILDREN  
ARE?**

Jayson Flippen, Sagar Gokhale, Meneejeh Moradian, and Priya Thirumalai







I have a curfew, but it is acceptable. I understand more and more as I get older why my parents or the state want a curfew, it's only out of concern and not to penalize me.

— Michael Watts



Once, my friend and I came home at 6:00 a.m. As we were coming in, my friend's father was ready to go out to buy bagels. To avoid getting into trouble, we said we were going to get the bagels for him.

— Cindy Martucci



My mother is pretty cool about letting me stay out late. But I have a sort of "reverse curfew" where if I don't leave by ten o'clock, I'm not allowed out; is that crazy or what?

— Lori Grossman



**ENRIQUE BIASOTTI**

Understanding between heart and mind will show morality in our actions and give dignity to life.

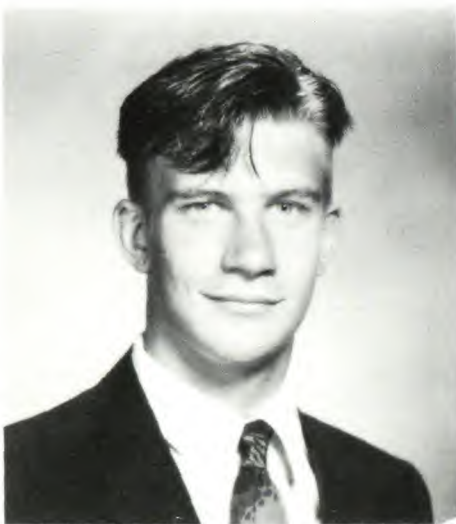


**RAYMOND BOULARD**



**VALERIE BUONOPANE**

We shared the smiles.  
We shared the tears.  
Most of all the best of years.



**ROBERT BURFEIND**

What you own is your own kingdom.  
What you do is your own glory.  
What you love is your own power.  
What you live is your own story.



**ROBERT WALTER BURGESS**

Always be different; do your homework in the dark and eat your cereal with a fork.

— Christian Slater



**HEATHER C. BURY**

To be the best, you have to take obstacles in stride.

— Willie Davenport





## Building Latrines and Bridging a Language Barrier

Hanging in the hallway on the fourth floor was a poster for "Amigos de las Americas." Jill Lerner saw the poster and became so interested she attended a meeting at Montclair Kimberly to learn more. Jill learned about a volunteer organization that recruited students to help backward countries. For almost all of her sophomore year, Jill attended two hour sessions each week, where she learned about cultural sensitivity and public health.

In the summer of 1991, Jill was sent to the tiny mountain village of Tumbio in Michoacan, Mexico. She was a volunteer public health worker, affiliated with "Amigos de las Americas" and the Pan American Health Association. Jill and two partners lived with Senor Garcia, the mayor, and his family. They specialized in latrine construction, education about oral rehydration therapy and sueropacket and eyeglass distribution.

The farming village of Tumbio was undeveloped, and the 25 families who lived there were very poor. They had no toilets until Jill and the other volunteers arrived. There were no phones and Jill had to take an hour and a half bus ride to reach the nearest one.

"It was the best experience of my life because, most importantly, I learned that people can get along even if there is a language barrier. I could barely speak Spanish when I went there. I called everyone 'Mr. Bicycle' and 'Ms. Sausage,' until I could grasp the basics of the language. It was cool though because everyone thought it was really funny, and they adopted me as the 'village idiot'."

As a 16 year old high school student, Jill thought that the most important things were academics, friends, clothes and boyfriends. By going to Mexico she learned not to be concerned with those things because people in other countries have different priorities, such as, food, clothing and shelter.

"I also learned not to judge people. When I hear another person in the U.S. speak a foreign language I feel bad for them because I know it's a struggle, and I try to help them. When I was in Mexico the one thing I wanted to do so badly was to speak English, but nobody did. People here in the U.S. are so mean and unwilling to understand what it is like for a foreigner not to be able to speak English.

"I learned a lot about myself, especially that I can make things work. I transcended a language barrier in a foreign country, so I feel that I can overcome any obstacle in life."



**CRISTINA CABANCHIK**

*As long as I live so long do I learn.*



**LISA CACCHIOLA**



**M. ANTHONY CADOGAN**

*You should always live your life for tomorrow, never yesterday.*





**DENISE M. CAFONE**

Do I miss you or am I lying to myself? Again, it's all because of you I keep holding on, but I'll try, try not to think of you. Love is an empty face I can't replace. I'll be all right without you!

— Journey



**LISA CAMPANELLA**

"Teenagers, they think they know everything. You give them an inch, they'll swim all over you." Ahhh . . .

— Little Mermaid



**JING CAO**

The only limit to our realization of tomorrow will be our doubts today. Let us move forward with strong and active faith.

— Franklin D. Roosevelt

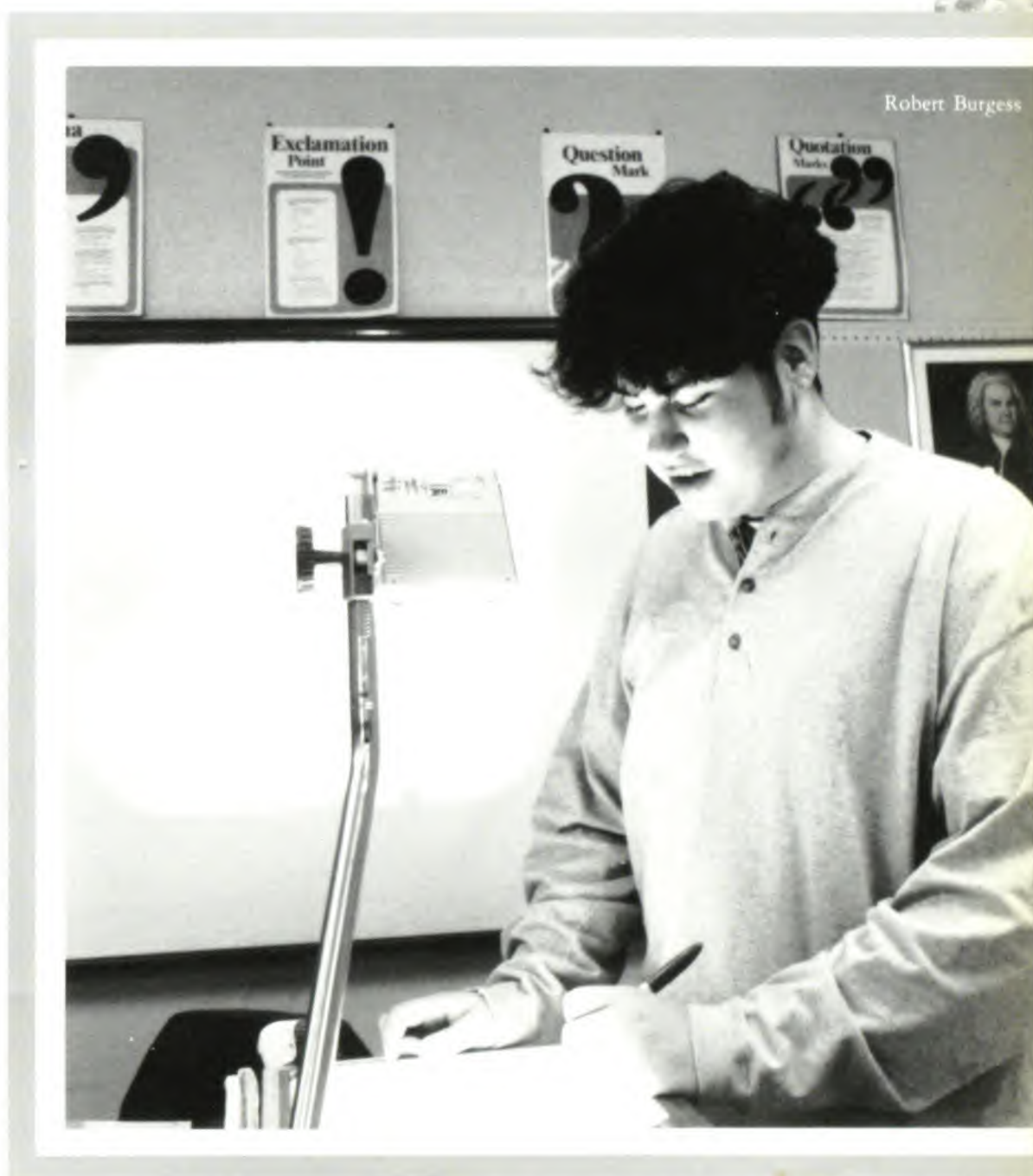


**CARI CAPRIO**



**CAROL A. CARDOZO**

Pain is weakness leaving the body.



Robert Burgess





**ANDREW S. CARTINE**

A man should never act desperate. It's impractical . . .

— Sidney Dean



**DAVID CASTILLO**



**GERALD CASTRO**

Good friends we've had and good friends we've lost along the way.

In this bright future you can't forget your past so dry your tears I say.

— Bob Marley

Reuben Matthews



**YI TAI CHAN**

The amount of confidence you have is directly proportional to how hard you have worked.

— Jim Jordan



**KIMBERLY CHANDA**

A whole new world, with new horizons to pursue. I'll chase them anywhere, there's time to spare . . . a whole new world.

— Aladdin





**PATRICIA CHIN**



**RAFFAELLA CHIRICO**  
Life is what you make of it!



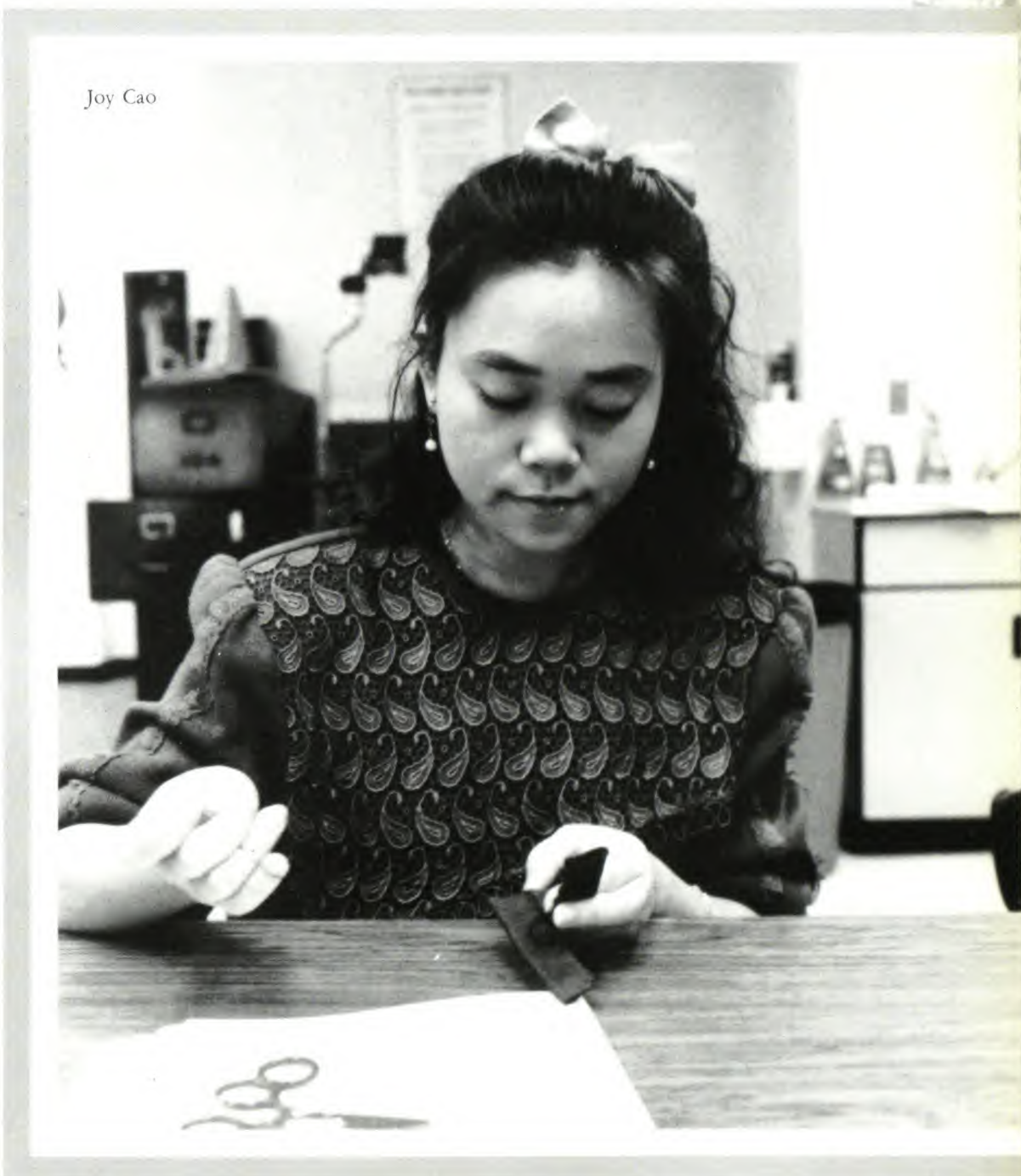
**ELIZABETH COHAN**



**SUZANNE MELISSA COHEN**  
Life is like a movie. Write your own ending. We've done just what we've set out to do. Thanks to the lovers, the dreamers and you.  
— The Muppet Movie



**NICHOLAS COLAVITO**  
If time flies when you're having fun, then why should it stop flying when you are not?







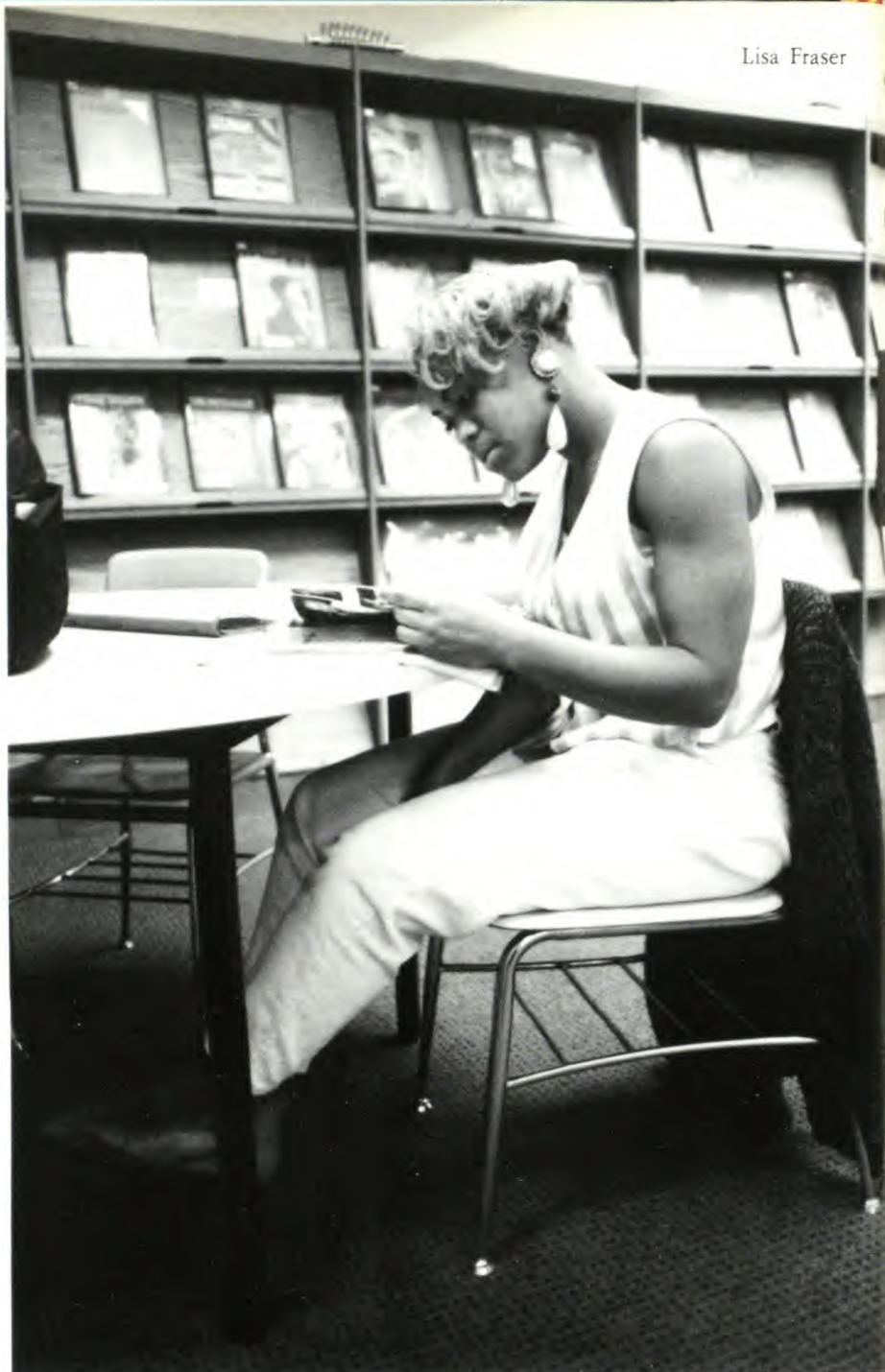
**RICK COLGAN**

The only thing I hate more than losing is the people who don't play hard all the time. So with me, you always get the effort.



**MARTIN COLINO**

The only thing that hasn't been said, but has been on everybody's mind, is good-bye, and good luck.



**THOMAS COLUMBO**

Many dreams come true  
And some have silver linings.  
I live for my dreams  
And a pocketful of gold.

— Led Zeppelin



**ERIN COLUMBUS**

The world would be perfect . . .



**SADZIA COMRIE**

Finally, I'm happy.



## PROM: PARADISE OR PANDEMONIUM?



LONNIE CONEY



COSTAS CONSTANTINOU



MATT J. CORRAO

So take it from me, you'll learn more from your accidents, than anything that you could ever learn at school.

— Billy Joel



I don't remember much of prom night. But what I do remember is feeling dizzy, nauseous, light-headed, pains in my chest, and fainting in the lobby. That night I was rushed to the hospital. I had a sudden affliction of pericarditis.

— Jason Lanyard

I had to work prom night. My job was right across the street from where the prom was.

— Heather Bury



The prom was perfect. I had a great time with my great friends.

— Cari Caprio

A night filled with hope and excitement turned out to be a night of disaster as I couldn't fulfill my date's expectations. She also informed me she wanted to be there with someone else.

— Jeremy Kaufman







Angelo DiSena



**FABIANA M. CRECENZIO**

Seek not to be better than our neighbors, but better than ourselves.



**APRIL MELISSA CREECH**

If you don't like it, I don't care.



**TARA CURCIONE**

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



**KARLEE DAVIS**

Live for each second without hesitation.

— Elton John



**HELENE DE CAPUA**





**JOE DE PALMA**

You got to face your ghosts and know with no illusions that only one of you is going home again.

— Jon Bon Jovi



**REEMA DESAI**

Good things come in small packages.



**MICHELLE DIAZ**

For all the people I used to look down on; you're still looking up!

— Nikki



**CARA DI BIASE**

No one has all the answers, but your friends have the ones that count.



**GREGORY DILLON**

Life was meant to be lived and curiosity must be kept alive. One must never, for whatever reason, turn his back on life.

Shira Peleg







**REBECCA DINNERSTEIN**

The unexamined life is not worth living.

— Socrates



**CARLOS DIZON**

But if the while I think of thee, dear friends —  
all losses are restored and sorrows end.

— William Shakespeare



**LORI DOMENIC**

Things were simple then. Why does it have to  
end? Can we be little children again?

— Holy Soldier

Tisha John and Dana Amendola



**BRIAN DONALDSON**

Remember yesterday, live for today, dream of  
tomorrow.



**KIRA DRAYTON**





**DIMITRIOS DRIMONIS JR.**

The nicest thing about new friends is they haven't heard your old stories.



**MICHAEL DRURY**



**EDEN DUFFY**



## "A Whole New Perspective"

Many students in our class participated in different activities after school. Most played a sport, were active in a club, or worked at a part-time job. Meneejeh Moradian took a different path and volunteered at Saint Ann's Shelter in Newark, NJ, tutoring children between the ages of five and nine, two hours each week. There, she assisted them with their homework on an individual basis while teaching them basics, like the sounds of letters or the sequence of numbers.

Meneejeh began her pursuit of helping others less fortunate by calling various agencies and offering her help. The shelter's directors were surprised that someone was willing to volunteer, especially in a run-down, sometimes dangerous neighborhood. She especially liked working with one, a third grader who was very eager to learn. He had been forced to grow up quickly because he was forced to care for his younger siblings. He told her that sometimes his mother helped him with his homework, but he didn't understand the way she explained it. Because he didn't understand, he often gave the wrong answer to his mother, who then hit him. As a result, he lost confidence. Meneejeh encouraged him a great deal. Meneejeh noted, "It's a difficult process to try and undo things that have already been done. I tried to replace the negative with positive. I used positive reinforcement with these children and taught them to take pride in themselves. They actually began to like learning."

Meneejeh volunteered because she couldn't stand the idea of innocent children being denied opportunities. She believed that education was essential to help people realize their own potential.

Tired of just reading about all the problems that existed in our society, volunteering was a rewarding experience for her. "It's worth anything to see the look on a child's face when he or she begins to understand. It's a mutual learning experience. It really gives a person a whole new perspective."





**LISBETH DYER**

Know the mystery that if that which thou seekest  
thou findest not within thee, thou will never find  
it without thee . . .

— Wiccean Prayer



**NOLAN M. FARRIS**

Remember . . . If it is impossible to be an athlete,  
then be an athletic supporter.

— Grease



**MICHAEL A. FERRETTI**

I was looking back on my life  
And all the things it's done to me.  
I'm still looking for the answers  
I'm still searching for the key.

— Ozzy Osbourne



**ALLISON FESTA**

I care not what tomorrow brings, content I am  
today. I ask not for wealth or fame, just give me  
strength to meet each day.



**DANIT FLEXNER**

Give us love and we'll return it. Show respect  
for we have earned it.



**JAYSON FLIPPEN**



On my birthday, my friends supposedly were  
taking me out to the Hard Rock Cafe. At the  
end of the night, I not only ended up paying  
the bill for nine people, but also for souvenirs  
for all of them.

— Dave Katz



I remember when I took a girl out and her  
parents followed us all night. They "acciden-  
tally" ended up at the same restaurant and every  
store we went to in the mall.

— Mort Cadogan



I prefer "dutch" because I don't like feeling  
that I owe someone something. One time I spent  
a whole date trying to stuff my share of the bill  
down his shirt. Finally, I gave up!

— Karen Reynes

## **\$\$ The PRICE**





**LAURIE FLORIO**

Know how to give without hesitation, how to lose without regret, how to acquire without meanness.



**JOSEPH FLYNN**

The meaning of life is a simple one thing. And the object of life is for each person to find out what that one thing for them is.



## You Have To PAY \$\$



It doesn't really bother me if I pay or the guy pays on the date. But it would be nice if he paid for both of us.

— Esther Kim



I never give a girl the opportunity to decide. I always pay for her. However, I also tell her not to feel guilty because there will be opportunities for her to pay. The key is knowing when the right time is! — Glenn Lieberman



Quarrels over who pays are never solved. Realistically, whoever has the money pays, but I always pay back or get paid back. From time to time and special occasions, I like to pay to show my masculinity and wealth. — Nolan Farris





**MARK GERARD FORLENZA**

It takes a pretty big man to cry, but it takes an even bigger man to laugh at that man.

— SNL



**WILLIAM FRANCIOSI**

May everything you see be beautiful . . .  
May everything you do be wonderful . . .  
May everything you dream of come true . . .



**LISA FRASER**

Pressed Down, but Not Crushed  
Confused, but Not in Despair  
Struck Down, but Not Destroyed.



**TIFFANY-MING M. FREEMAN**

The world seen through a little child's eyes, greatly resembles paradise.

— Anonymous



**MICHAEL FRESOLONE**







**TRACEY DEVOE-FREY**

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

— Buffet



**LEE-AM FURER**

My name will live on forever.

— Anonymous



**CURRY GARVAL**

Tell a man there are 300 trillion stars in the universe and he will believe you. Tell him there is wet paint on a park bench and he will have to touch it to make sure.

— Murphy's Law

Vichi Hung and Selina Saniel



**ERIN GAVARNY**

It is not beauty that endears, it's love that makes us see beauty.

— Leo Tolstoy



**JULIE GELBMAN**

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





**HEATHER LYNNE GIORGIO**

Know and trust yourself, and you will be able to trust others.



**SAGAR GOKHALE**

One can acquire everything in solitude — except character.



**MICA GOTTESMAN**

Summer's going fast, night's growing colder. Children growing up, old friends growing older. Freeze this moment a little bit longer. Make each sensation a little bit stronger. Time stands still.  
— Rush

James Rattray



**STEVEN GOULD**

Life is just a game!  
So play hard!



**TIFFANY P. GRANT**

The important thing is to be able, at any moment, to sacrifice what we are for what we would become.

— DuBois





**BRIAN GREEN**



**GAVRIL SACHA GREEN**

It's the good girls that keep the diaries; the bad girls never have the time.



**SHERICE GREENE**

Come follow me and I will take you to another place.



**HENRY GROSSMAN**

Hobbes: Why do we have to wear goggles? Calvin: Geez, do you think traveling years into the future is like driving down the street? We need to contend with vortexes and light speeds. Anything could go wrong.



**LORI GROSSMAN**

Flammable, keep out of reach of children. Contents under pressure. Do not puncture or incinerate. Do not store at temperatures above 120°F. Intentional misuse by deliberately inhaling can be harmful or fatal.



*There are times  
when you just have  
to stop searching  
for happiness and  
just be happy.*



CHRISTIAN GUASTONI



JENNIFER GUDERIAN

Had she not always been searching for a magic city on the horizon just out of reach? Had she been to the other side of the world and come back again to find it where she started?

— Green Dolphin Street



MICHELLE LYNN HADLEY

Life is like a maze. Sometimes you take the wrong path, but you can always turn around and take the right one.



MATTHEW PRESTON HALL

I never want to live to regret  
I will always believe in the ideal  
I hope to be remembered and not recalled  
And I hope to make a difference.

— Carlton Fisk





**MARIA ST. ANN HARRINGTON**

One who is in love with one's self, has no rivals.



**CHRISTINE HART**

Don't let people get you down because it only ruins your whole day.

*Teach how to  
think, rather than  
what to think.*



**BERNARD HARTIGAN**

Don't be called out on strikes.  
Go down swinging.

— John Elway



**JONADA HERNANDEZ**

We are the bold and the free.

— Class of '93.



Erin Columbus, Cari Caprio, Marie Harrington, and Cristina Knowles





**NICOLE HIRSCHKIND**

Don't look back. Don't be scared. We've got dreams and we're still young. Just think about how far we've come.

— M.B.



**DUANE HOBSON**

# GOING OUT IN STYLE!



Ria Tsetsekas and Rebecca Starrett





I no longer wear underwear.  
— Pius Lee



Long nails are something  
that will always agree with  
me.

— Deanna Robinson



Z Cavariccis are really bad,  
but girls who wear double  
socks are worse.

— Dimitrios Drimonis



**DEBRA LEAH HOFFMAN**

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



**JOSEPH HOFFMAN**



**JESSICA S. HORNBERGER**

You finally learn to appreciate something when  
it is no longer there.



**VICHI HUNG**

An error doesn't become a mistake until you re-  
fuse to correct it!



**CHRISTINE HUNT**

Nobody understands quite why we're here,  
Searching for answers that never appear.  
Maybe if I looked real hard, I'd see you trying  
too.  
To understand this life that we're all going  
through.

— G'N'R



**KELLY ANNE HUNT**

If life could only consist of beginnings, it would  
be wonderful. Nothing would ever be boring and  
nothing would ever be sad because it would nev-  
er end.





## Pageant Winner Finds Her Roots

Dressed in an exquisite gown with your hair done up and your face made-up while parading down a runway certainly sounds glamorous. In 1991 and 1992, Marissa Quizan did just that when she participated in two beauty pageants representing her parent's native land, the Philippine Islands.

Marissa was crowned Miss Kitahanon on July 21, 1990, at an Induction Ball, which was held at the Holiday Inn in Northern New Jersey. This title represented her father's province, Negros Occidental. The Kitahanon organization promotes close, friendly relations and preserves Philippine traditions and heritage while undertaking educational, social, cultural, and civic projects. It also promotes well-being and unity. In November 1991, Marissa was awarded first runner-up as Miss Rosal, at the Coronation Ball at the Pines Manor in Edison, New Jersey. This event was sponsored by the Organization of the Filipino Ladies' Circle of New Jersey, which preserves tradition for young women and helps them to develop their personality. All proceeds were dedicated to scholarships, victims of earthquakes, and for the less fortunate in the Philippines.

Marissa became interested in beauty pageants when she was young, as a result of watching them on television. Her family and relatives had been involved in Filipino organizations and she was excited to participate in such an event. Although the pageants were smaller than those on T.V., Marissa believed it was a great experience.

"Since these pageants were based on beauty, poise, and the ability to think on your feet, I learned many things from being involved in this type of event. I improved my poise and posture, and I'm less embarrassed in front of large crowds, which was my worst fear. Additionally, I worked with other candidates because we had to perform a dance which required patience and cooperation. I also had the opportunity to meet new and interesting people and make good friends. This event gave me a greater appreciation of my roots and helped me better understand my tradition and cultural background.

"It was an exciting experience because I was able to attend many social events like balls and dances. The candidates had to perform dances and participate in a few fashion shows.

"Not only did those events open many doors for me, I also gained new information that will help me in the future."



**JASON IOVINO**

You never know where you can go unless you let your imagination flow.



**GEORGE G. IWANUS**

Open your mind to new experiences. It wouldn't hurt to try new ideas.



**AJAY I. JACOB**

One has to want success badly. However, success is not to be measured by the position one has reached in life, but by the obstacles one has overcome while trying to succeed.





**SUBY MARY JACOB**

Where there is a will, there is a way.



**TISHA JOHN**

The times that pass will never return, but the memories will always remain.



**ANIKA JOHNSON**

When face to face with one's self, there is no cop-out.

— Duke Ellington



**MARY ANGELY JOHNSON**

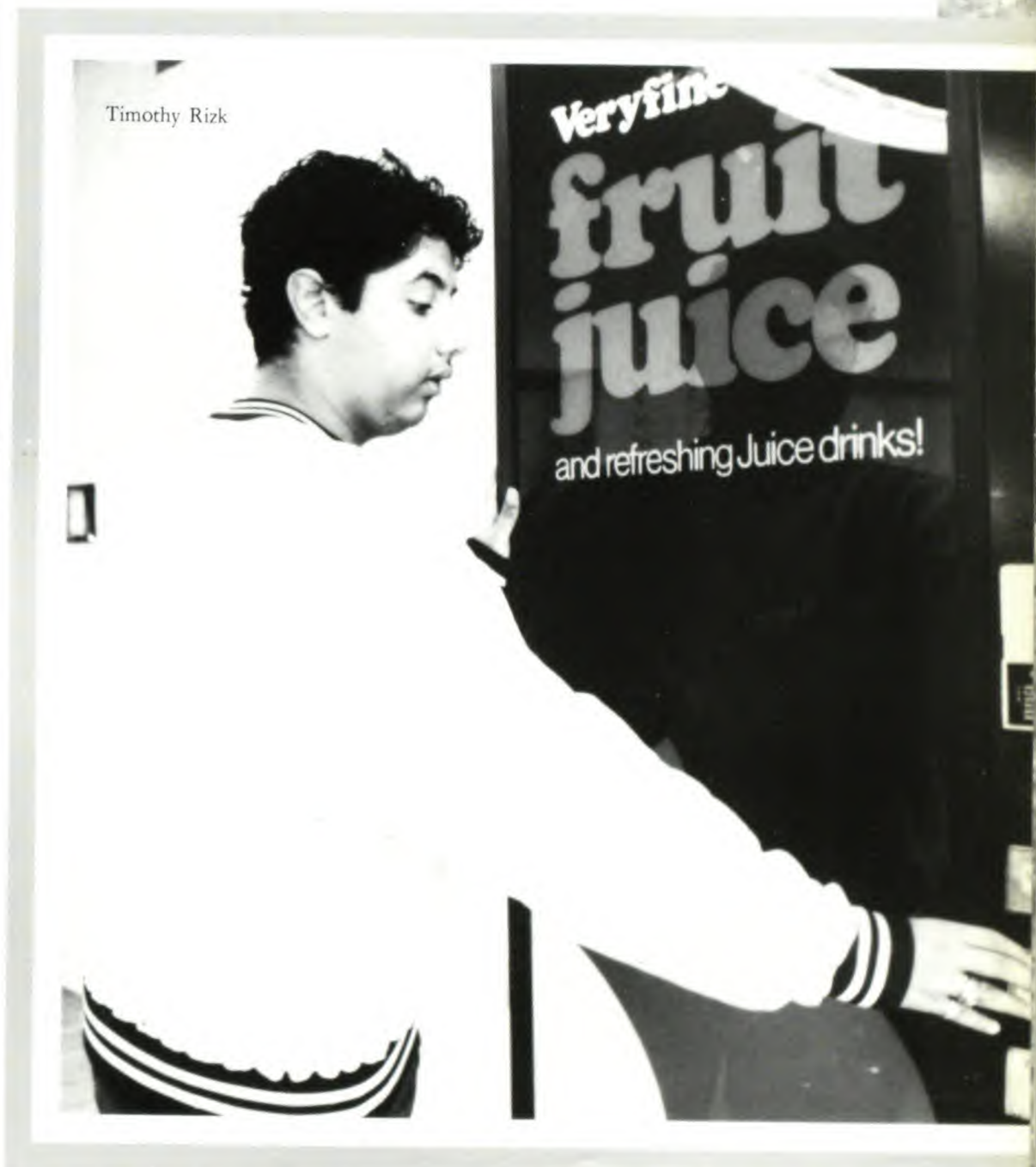
How high you go depends how deeply you care.



**HILARY KAISER**

You have brains in your head.  
You have feet in your shoes.  
You can steer yourself.  
Any direction you choose.

— Dr. Seuss



Timothy Rizk





**JASON KAMIENSKI**



**JENNIFER KASSIN**

Time is a train; makes the future the past. Leaves  
you standing in the station, your face pressed  
against the glass.

— U2



**DAVID A. KATZ**

Sometimes you win,  
Sometimes you lose,  
Sometimes it rains.

— Ebby Calvin "Nuke" LaLoosh

Carlos Dizon



**JEREMY KAUFMAN**

Moving on is a chance that you take  
Anytime you try to stay together.  
Say a word out of line  
And you find that the friends you had  
Are gone forever.

— B. Joel



**KAREN KELLY**

Clouds will turn to rain and then, it just might  
snow.

— Marsha Brady





**EUN JIN KIM**

The most important things to do are to build your confidence during your high school years and always love yourself.



**ESTHER IUNEKYUNG KIM**

I want somebody to share, share the rest of my life, share my innermost thoughts, know my intimate details . . . I want somebody who cares for me passionately with every thought . . .

— De Peche Mode



**HELEN HYUNJOO KIM**

Why pamper life's complexities when the leather runs smooth on the passenger's seat?

— Smiths



**ROBERT KINNEY**



**CRISTINA KNOWLES**

We're one, but not the same.

— U2



Alia Graham and Joseph Hoffman





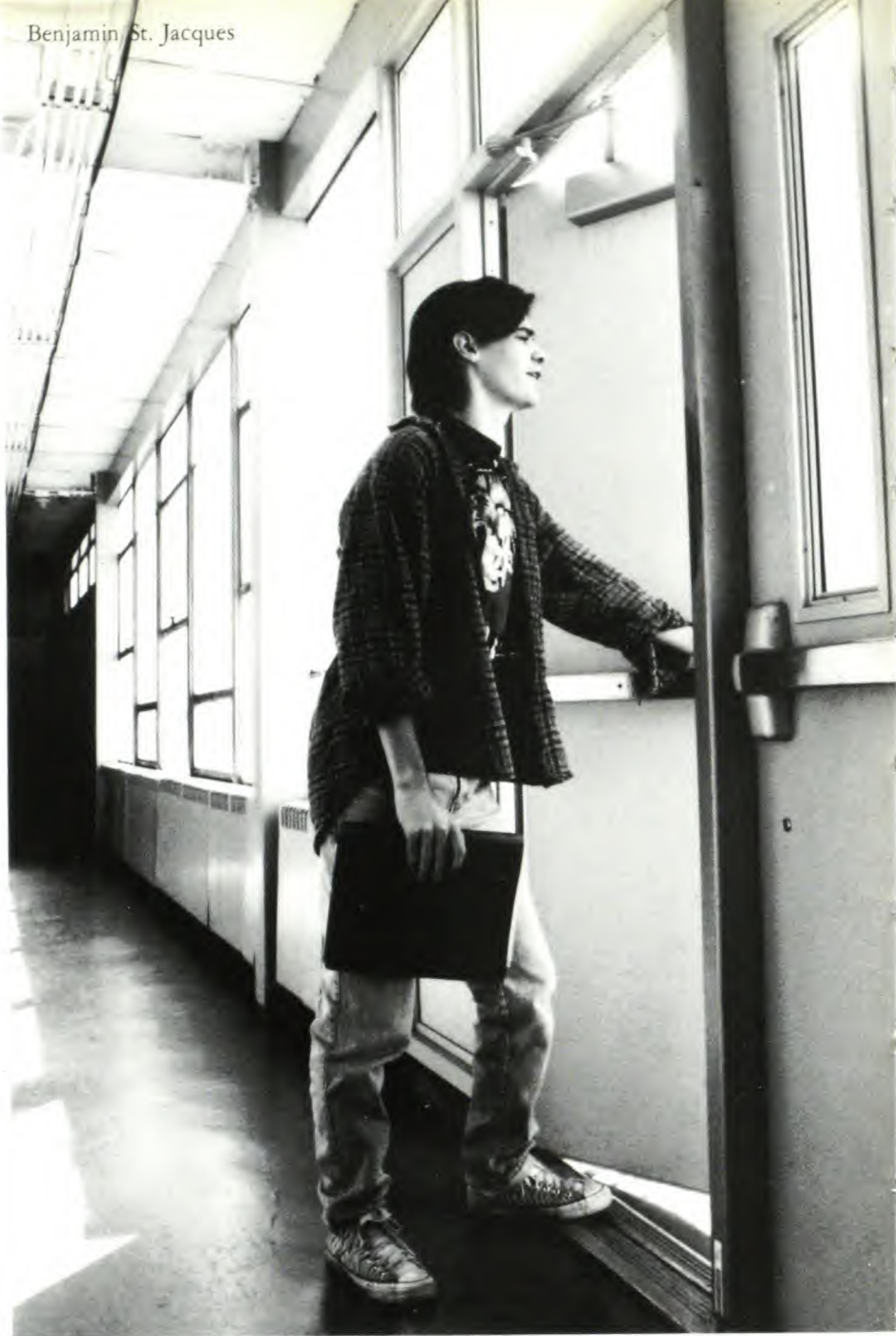
**ALBERT KOLLER**

Go for it while you have the chance because you never know if you will have a second opportunity.



**REBECCA KORCZUKOWSKI**

I don't want to run the world, I just want to own it.



**ELENI N. KOUKOULARIS**

Life is like a game of cards. The hand that is dealt to you represents determinism. The way you play is free will.

— Jawaharlal Nehru



**JOSEPH KOWALSKI**

Live up each day while you can because you don't know what tomorrow will bring.



**BRITT KRAMER**

Life is no brief candle to me, but it is a sort of splendid torch which I've got a hold of for the moment and I want to make it burn as bright as I possibly can before handing it on to the future generations.

— SHAW



# LICENSE TO DRIVE?



**REBECCA ELIZABETH KRIMMEL**

You know you can't please everyone, so you have to please yourself.

— Ricky Nelson



**ADA KWONG**



**GABRIEL J. LA CONTE**

How can someone so skinny live so fat!

— The Beastie Boys



Once, I was pulling up along side of a curb and a friend opened up the back door. Without realizing it, I pulled away and he fell out of the car!

— Jodi Baxter

I was in the car with a friend who was making a left turn onto a six lane street. She drove onto the wrong side of the road; cars were driving towards us. A policeman pulled us over and gave her a ticket and three months of driving school.

— Rosanna Suh



My first trip to a gas station was really embarrassing. First, I pulled up too close to the pump. Then, I couldn't figure out how to open the gas tank. After, the man and I found out how to open it, I didn't know what kind of gas to buy. So I didn't get any gas and on the way out my tire hit the pump.

— Kim Chanda

I noticed a ticket on my windshield while driving. As I reached out to get it, it blew off the window. So I put my car in park in the middle of the road and ran out after it. Not only was I practically run over, but my car was almost hit.

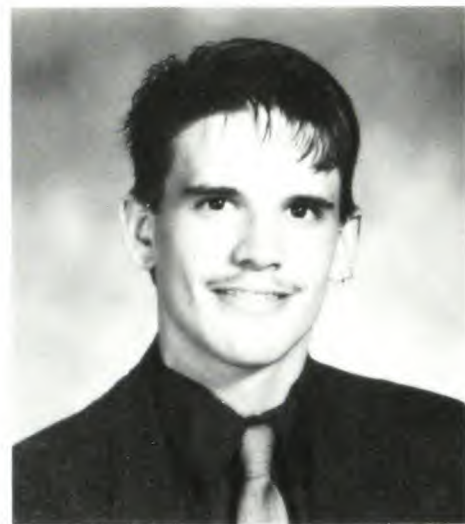
— Joe Mustachio







Trevor Murray and Ron Shipley



**MALACHI J. LAIR**

You can choose from phantom fears, and kindness that can kill; I will choose a path that's clear, I will choose free will.

— Rush



**LISA LAMBERT**

I want one moment in time, when I'm all that I thought I could be, when all of my dreams are a heartbeat away and the answers are all up to me.

— Whitney Houston



**MICHELLE LAMBERT**

Take my hand, come with me to a land where you and me are free to be you and me.



**GINA MARIE LAMBO**

Do not follow where the path may lead. Go instead where there is no path and leave a trail.



**MATTHEW LAMOND**





**SHAKINA LANGHORN**

My basis of life is to always forgive and forget because whatever happens, happens for a reason.



**JASON MICHAEL LANYARD**

The question, "Who ought to be boss?", is like asking, "Who ought to be the tenor in the quartet?" Obviously, the man who can sing tenor.

— Henry Ford



**TERESA LAVORATO**

Until you make peace with yourself, you will never be content with what you have.

— Doris Mortman



**MAREN LAWSON**



**PAUL LAZAREK**





**PIUS LEE**

No mind is thoroughly organized that is deficient in a sense of humor.

— S.T. Coleridge



**SANDRA LEGG**

If you want something out of life, you have to go out there and GET IT. And if you don't succeed, at least people can't say that you didn't TRY!!



**CHRISTOPHER LINGLE**

If winning isn't everything, then why do they keep score?

— Casey Stengel



**JILL LERNER**

There is simply one thing worse than being talked about, and that is not being talked about.

— Oscar Wilde



**JENNIFER LETOW**

I've dared to start a new dream,  
I will not count the cast.  
I know I will be happy — but  
I'll keep my fingers crossed.

— Iris Lee Haile





**SCOTT A. LEVINE**

Since some of the questions require you to distinguish fine shades of meaning, consider all the choices before deciding which is best.



**ADAM LEVITT**



**DAVID LIBERMAN**

Each day is an empty canvas, others may shade or add color, but I hold the brush that paints the picture of my life.

— Margaret Yost



## Vaulting Toward Division I

Swinging from the high bars, flipping from the rings, and hurdling off the vault, while impossible to most of us, all came second nature to Lorenzo Macaluso who started in gymnastics at the age of eight. He took his first gymnastic classes at Surgent's Elite in Roselle Park and improved quickly enough to be part of the starting competition level, which consisted of eight and nine year olds. His ability was average at that level, but he steadily improved.

From the age of eight until fourteen, most of his teammates gradually dropped out. The group that remained was very dedicated. According to Lorenzo, "The truly dedicated gymnasts were the ones who could withstand being in the sport because it took so much dedication and time." Lorenzo practiced five or six days a week for three hours each day once he entered high school, and elevated himself to a level where he could participate in national competitions. He qualified for the national championships twice in California and Texas. In his junior year, Lorenzo took second place all-around and won several other events, including high bar and vault, during a meet in Massachusetts.

Lorenzo investigated various colleges that offered gymnastic competition. During the summer before his senior year, he sent letters to college coaches explaining his academic and gymnastic qualifications in hope of obtaining a scholarship. Michigan State, Iowa State, and Pittsburgh responded in early October and in the early fall Lorenzo made a videotape of his practices, which he sent to coaches who had asked to see him perform. Lorenzo's gymnastics goal was to someday compete on the NCAA, division one level.

He competed in the Men's Olympic Events in February 1992 and went to Georgia as part of a team for a meet against two teams from Russia. He also competed in a large national invitational (competition) hosted by his gym in January 1993, where athletes from throughout the country, as well as Puerto Rico and Mexico, participated.

Lorenzo has had several injuries including five broken bones and one surgery. This didn't dampen his determination or desire to compete. For Lorenzo, the occasional pain and suffering was worth it, especially when he won.





**GLENN LIEBERMAN**

Our greatest glory consists not in never falling,  
but in rising every time we fall.



**HONG LIM**

Never let anyone know what you're thinking.  
— The Godfather



**PATRICK LINFANTE**

My fun days are over.  
— James Dean



**PETE LJUBICICH**

Be grateful for the doors of opportunity — and  
for friends who oil the hinges.



**IRENE LOIZOU**

So close no matter how far  
Couldn't be much more from the heart  
Forever trusting who we are  
And nothing else matters.

— Metallica



**PAUL LOMBARDO**

## 6:00 A.M . . . .



I'm scared to look in the mirror  
at 6:00 a.m. It will probably  
break!

— Tara Curcione



I look like I've been to hell and  
back.

— Cara Perrotta



Something like Barbara Bush.  
I am whiter than a ghost with  
frizzy hair and all wrinkled.

— Jen Young





**TAMARA LOMSADZE**

The school days are over, but the life goes on.



**HELENA ALEXANDRA LOPEZ**

The dignity others award you is in exact proportion to dignity you award yourself.

— Rusty Berkus



## ... BEAUTY OR BEAST?



My hair is in a braid with a few rollers in it too, but who cares? I'm very comfy in my p.j's!

— Erin Gavarny



I can't look that bad, since I'm still sleeping!

— Julie Gelbman



I always look gorgeous, no matter what time it is.

— Jason Wilhite





**JESSICA LUO**

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

— Anonymous



**LORENZO MACALUSO**

No wasted time, we're alive today. Churnin' up the past, there's no easier way. Times been between us, a means to an end, God it's good to be here walkin' together my friend.

— Stevie Ray Vaughan



**IAN MACDONALD**

Prepare for arrogant joy or desperate shame. Whatever happens, relax. It is not the end of your life, it is just the beginning of the end.

— Matt Groening



**GAJAN A. MAHENDIRAN**

Numbers are nothing more than numbers. What you become in life is what counts!



**MARIUSZ MAKSIMIAK**

When you're having fun it doesn't matter where you are, it's whom you're with.



Lisbeth Dyer and Gideon Menczel





**DELIA MALOY**



**ANTHONY MARANO**

The time is gone;  
The song is over.  
Thought I had something more to say.  
— Pink Floyd



**JOSEPH R. MARASCO**

Take your dying with some seriousness. Laughing on the way to your execution is not generally understood by less advanced life-forms, and they'll call you crazy. May you live to see the dawn.

— Richard Bach



**APHRODITE MARAVELIAS**

Thinking always ahead, thinking always of trying to do more, bring a state of mind in which nothing seems impossible.

— Henry Ford



**STEVE MARI**

We see the right and approve it too.  
Condemn the wrong, and yet the wrong pursue.





**SHARI MARTIN**

It is not the end. It is not the beginning of the end. But it is perhaps the end of the beginning.  
— Winston Churchill

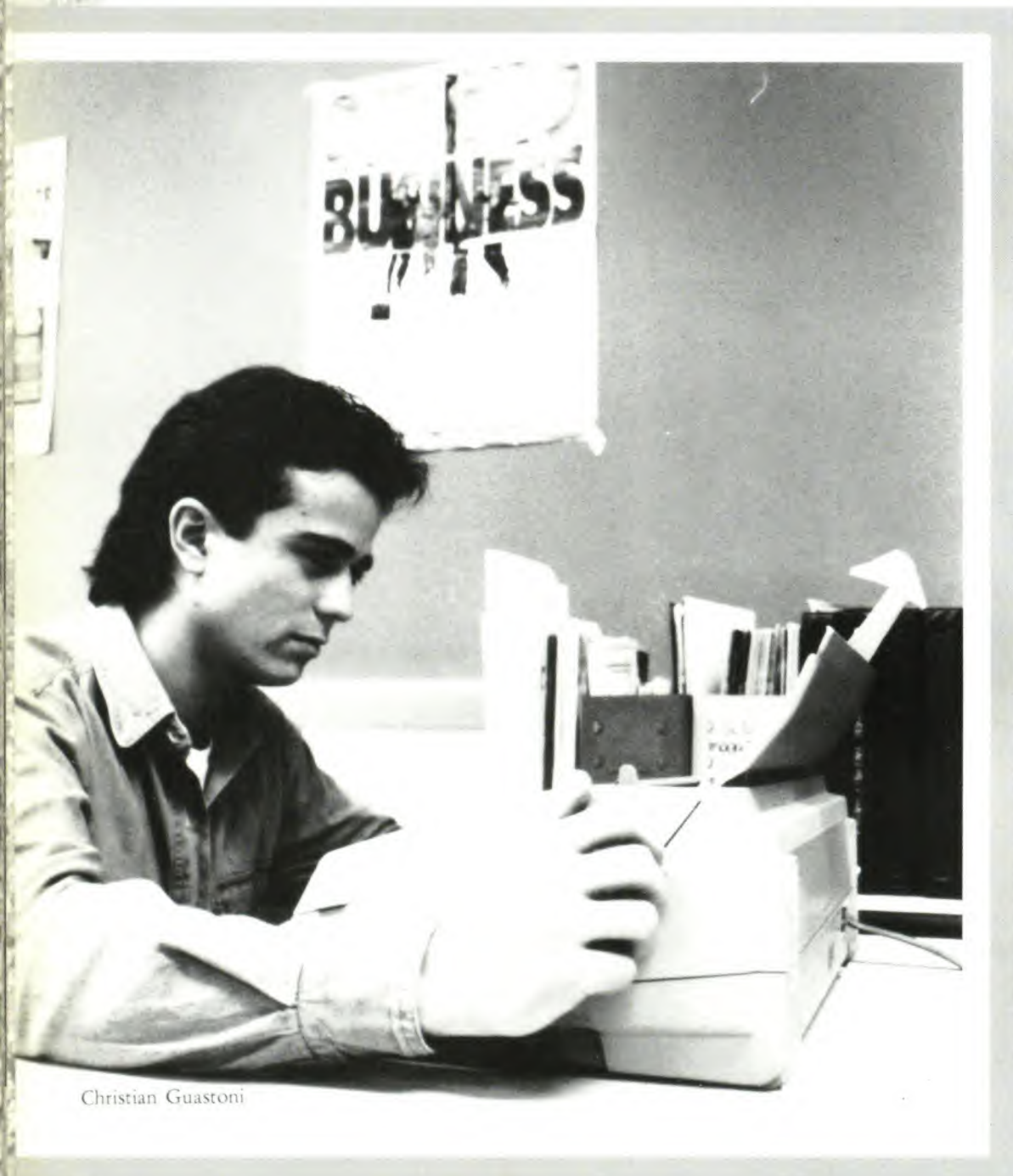


**CYNTHIA MARTUCCI**

Think back on our high school years, the memories we made, the smiles, and tears. Remember the good, forget the rest, we're moving on but these days were the best.



**VALERIE MARTZEN**



Christian Guastoni



**RASHIA YJEDA MASON**

In wisdom there is knowledge, and in knowledge there is understanding. With an understanding we develop love, through love there is life and in life there is . . . POSITIVITY.

— MLY, YSB



**JIM MAYNARD**

Learn from your mistakes because they are the only things you can truly call your own.





**TAMEKA MC CULLOUGH**

Scientists say that the bee shouldn't be able to fly because of its weight, but it does because it doesn't know that it can't.



**KEVIN MC GINLEY**

A bird in hand is better than one overhead. Any tool dropped while working on a car will roll underneath to the exact center. Never play leapfrog with a unicorn.

— Murphy's Law



**CHARLES MEADOWS**

I shall overcome all obstacles in life!



**ELIAS MEDINA**

There is no such thing as prejudice, just hatred.



**GIDEON MENCZEL**

Try to realize it's all within yourself. No one else can make you change.

— George Harrison





## Hockey Player With a Mind of 'Her' Own

Michelle Hadley wasn't your typical high school student. She wasn't a cheerleader or in concert choir. Michelle was the only female player on West Orange High School's hockey team.

"I always thought girls weren't allowed to play competitive hockey, but when I found out I could, I decided to sign up. I also joined the Devils' Youth Hockey Program."

Michelle was a member of the West Orange High School hockey team for two seasons. "I think by playing ice hockey I've turned into a more confident person. I feel that I'm stronger since I've been playing, considering the fact that some people have a problem with girls playing a sport which mostly guys play. The thing I learned the most was discipline."

"I was inspired to play hockey by the New York Rangers because I'm a big fan. My most memorable moment since I began playing ice hockey occurred when I met the pro players from the Rangers, Devils, and Islanders. They thought it was great that I was playing hockey."

Michelle thought she broke her ankle in October of 1992 and was positive that her hockey season was over. Luckily for her, it just turned out to be some torn ligaments. She was only kept out of practice during the early winter months of her senior year.

She almost quit before her first game because she thought she would get injured by the boys. She couldn't believe how big they were. She continued playing because she figured that if she quit everyone would think she was a quitter.

"The high school team's practice was basically the same tough workout as the Devils, except the boys were more serious, expected me to skate twice as hard, and didn't tolerate any fooling around."

Although Michelle didn't score a goal while playing high school hockey, she assisted on goals a few times. A determined young woman, Michelle planned to play hockey at Northeastern University in Boston. After college, Michelle still hoped to play hockey on some type of team.



**CARMINE MEOLA**

Criminals do not die by the hands of the law; they die by the hands of other men!

— John Gotti



**FREDA MILTON**

If you do not turn on any signals, you won't know which way to go.



**SHILO J. MITTNACHT**

Life is like a road, there are roads with turns, ones that never end, and some come to a sudden stop. We may never reach the end of the infinite road, but we will encounter many turns and end at the dead end.





**HAMAD MOHYUDDIN**

I smile because I don't know what the heck is going on.



**BRIAN MOLLOY**

When morality is defeated, compassion is deleted, all in the name of our desire, and we've got to be blind, or just losing our minds, if we can't see that this world's on fire.

— Youth of Today



**RICHARD MONTES DE OCA**



**MENEEJEH MORADIAN**

My head is dripping into my leather boots.

— Jim Reid

Katherinne Ramirez



**DAVID RYAN MORSELL**

Friends come and go,  
Who'll stay I never know.  
The past holds fond memories,  
The future holds the dreams.





**MARIO MOYANO**

One flag, one land, one heart, one hand, one nation ever more!

— O.W. Holmes



**JAMES MULFORD**

# “KNOCK ON WOOD”



Tamara Lomsadze





Find a penny, pick it up, and all day long you'll have good luck.

— Alexis Yates



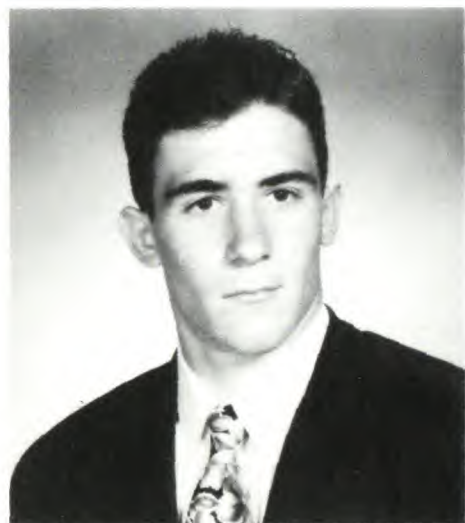
Good luck will come to you if a bird drops on your head.

— Duane Hobson



If you crack a mirror, seven years of bad luck will follow you.

— Lisa Lambert



**CONRAD MUSCARELLA**

Only the good die young.  
So why be good?



**JOSEPH MATTHEW MUSTACHIO**

My own experience and development deepen every day my conviction that our moral progress may be measured by the degree in which we sympathize with individual suffering, and individual joy.

— George Eliot



**ALEKSANDER NAERIS**

No man is a failure who is enjoying life.

— William Feather



**GLORIA NASH**

Don't give up, no matter what may be your test.  
Don't give up, keep holding on, you can make it.



**CLAUDIA NEIRREITTER**

I started with a dream, but came to a decision.  
I started with a dream, but now I have a mission.  
I have a goal, to see beyond my vision . . . With imagination I'll get there . . .

— Harry Connick, Jr.



**SHONA FRANCIS NESTER**

So ambitious is youth, that they fail to see God's perfect will.

— Philippians 4:13





**ANITA NEUBAUER**

Many adults of today criticize the youth of tomorrow. But, instead, they should get behind them, or get out of the way.



**PETER P. NGUYEN**

Our real problem is not our strength today; it is the vital necessity of action today to ensure our strength tomorrow.

— D. Eisenhower



**CLAUDIA OCHOA**



**NESTOR OCHOA**



**MICHAEL O'CONNOR**

You are only young once, but you can be immature forever.



**ERIN KATHLEEN O'GARA**

Free at last, free at last, thank God almighty I'm free at last.

— Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

## Can you, "Keep It In



I can open my closet very easily. I can even hear my echo in it. It's so empty.

— Elissa Strell



Of course. I have to keep my closet clean and neat so I can hide the monsters somewhere!

— Abby Phon



Yes, I am a neat freak.

— Lauren Abrams





**COLLEEN M. OROZCO**

You, going through this stage, it's a restless age, young and insecure.

Still, there are doubts to fade, moments to be made, and one of them is yours.

— M.W.S.



**JAMIE MARIE OROZCO**

They won't go when I go,  
where I go,  
when I go,  
no one can keep me from my destiny.

— George Michael



Jill Lerner

## *The Closet?"*



I can open my closet only if the knob works.

— Charles Meadows



No, because all my clothes from kindergarten are still in there.

— Betsy Varela



I try . . .

— Chris Hunt





**KEVIN OTTO**



**UTPAL PAJVANI**

Nothing is happiness which is not shared by at least one other, and nothing is truly sorrow unless it is borne absolutely alone.

— Myrtle Rand



**G. MICHAEL PALMIERI**

You don't have to die and go to heaven or wait around to be born again. Just tune into what this place has got to offer, 'cause we may never be here again.



Antoinette Risco



**CHARLES PALMISANO**

This is the time to remember 'cause it will not last forever. These are the days to hold on to 'cause we won't although we want to.

— Billy Joel



**DEBBIE PAPERMAN**

Rivers belong where they can ramble; eagles belong where they can fly; I've got to be where my spirit can run free; gotta find my corner of the sky.

— Pippen





**PAMELA PARKER**



**JOHN PASQUALE**



**ALEX PAYERAS**

The harder you work, the harder you'll be able to play in life.



**RAQUEL PECILLO**

I'll remember all the laughter as we go our separate ways, but there's so much we're still after, that we just can't be afraid.



**SHIRA PELEG**

The stars at night are big and bright (clap, clap, clap, clap) (quickly) deep in the heart of Texas.  
— Pee Wee's Big Adventure



Steve Ameli and Joseph Marasco





**ALEJANDRO PEREZ**



**CARA PERROTTA**

I've conquered my past,  
the future is here at last.  
I stand at the entrance  
to a new world I can see.

— U2



**STEVEN C. PETROS**

The ultimate measure of a man is not where he  
stands in moments of comfort and convenience,  
but where he stands at times of challenge and  
controversy.

— Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.



Biji Antony



**ABBY SONDRA PHON**

Who am I anyway?  
Am I my resumé?  
Is that the picture of a person I don't know?

— A Chorus Line



**NORMA MARCELA PIERNAGORDA H.**

The God who gave us life, gave us liberty at the  
same time!



# Would you believe . . .



**KENNETTE PIERRE**

If education is never a heavy burden to bear, and no one has real knowledge if he fears new ideas, you must believe in yourself to accomplish your goal 'cuz that's more magic than one can perceive. Be true to the game.



**DAVID PILCHIK**

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

— Mark Twain



**LISSETHI PIZARRO**



The most embarrassing thing that has ever happened to me was when my family and I went to the Philadelphia Zoo. We were in the tiger house with hundreds of other people observing the animals. I went up to the bars of a cage to get a closer look and the tiger turned around and went to the bathroom all over me. I was dripping wet and everyone was hysterically laughing, I was mortified.

— Karen Kelly

Right after I got my license I was driving home from school and this really cute guy next to me started waving. I waved back and rolled down my window to talk and he's like, "There's some nasty fluid coming from your car!" I felt 'this' big!

— Jill Lerner



It was bad enough I had to fly on "Aeroflot." Not only was smoke blowing out of the air conditioners and the napkins were the same as the toilet paper, but I had a dog sitting next to me for the whole 12 hours.

— Reema Desai

It wasn't until second period I looked down at my feet and noticed I had two different shoes on. I ran to the gym and put on my sneakers. I don't think anyone noticed because no one said anything.

— Lovella Rogan







Eleazar Amores



ERICK PIZZICHILLO



HILARY PRICE

Wear a smile and have friends. Wear a frown and have wrinkles. What do we live for if not to make life a little easier for everyone else?



EILEEN TERESA PRITCHARD

Moving on, looking forward, but never forgetting the days gone by.



CARLO QUARTO

Love is in the heart and not in the age!



MARISSA LYN QUIZAN

The basis of understanding is the willingness to listen.





**KATHERINNE RAMIREZ**

To speak ill of others is a dishonest way of praising ourselves; let us be as are such transparent egotism . . . If you can't say good and encourage things, say nothing . . .

— Will Durant



**LEONARDO RAMIREZ**



**DAVE RAMSLAND**

You only live one, so live it up!



**RAHIM RASULALAH**

If you dedicate your life to something constructive, you shall succeed in the world.



**JAMES RATTRAY**

On your quest for knowledge, may the force of education be with you.





**DONATO REALÌ**



**SHERI RECCHIA**



**JENNIFER ROSE REILLY**

Let's make sure that we build bridges, instead of walls, with words instead of silence, and with trust and care and love.

Celia Branas



**WENDY B. REILLY**

All changes, even the most longed for, have their melancholy; for what we leave behind us is a part of ourselves.

— Anatole France



**KAREN ABIGAIL REYNES**

Winter, spring, summer, fall, you'll always find me in the mall.





**JODIE RICCIARDI**

Don't hurry.  
Don't worry.  
And don't forget.



**ANTOINETTE RISCO**



**TIMOTHY RIZK**

Watch out for that band saw.



## An Alternate High School Experience

Imagine swimming in the Dead Sea, or standing in front of the ancient Western Wall, the remnant of a temple built 2000 years ago. Rebecca Starrett did both when she attended the Alexander Muss High School in Israel. This two month study program included 180 students from the United States who traveled to Israel to learn about Jewish history.

"At first I was apprehensive about going to Israel by myself, but it was something I would probably never be able to do again. It was something different, and best of all, my parents were willing to send me."

Rebecca and her classmates studied Jewish history in the mornings; the afternoons were spent studying materials from their native high schools. The teachers held classes in natural settings as the students toured the country.

The high school was located in Hod Hosharon, Israel, which is thirty minutes outside Tel Aviv. Rebecca lived in dorms on a campus. She attended school six days a week and was off on Israel's Sabbath, which is Saturday. "On the holy days everything was closed. Because of the cultural differences, we couldn't go out on our only day off."

"I went by myself, while most other people went with friends, so it was a difficult transition to make. However, I met many people and had a great time."

"The Western Wall made the biggest impact on me. Religious people were constantly praying at the wall. People were crying hysterically. It was extremely emotional."

Rebecca's favorite experience in Israel occurred on one of the hikes the students took. This particular hike went through the Waddi Quelt, which is a mountainous desert. It took six hours and was very strenuous. Half-way through the desert, the group came upon an oasis and went swimming. "It was remarkable that green plants, palm trees, and flowing fresh water could exist in a desert. We had to help each other climb the cliffs and scale the walls. It was early on in the trip and it brought us close together. Surviving the 100 degree weather and the sun beating down on us was very hard work, but it taught me about teamwork."

"It was an experience I'll never forget. It was a completely different lifestyle, and at the same time educational and exciting. It opened my eyes to differences and broadened my horizons."





**DEANNA ROBINSON**

Weeping may endure for a night, but if you keep the faith it will be all right. Remember "trouble doesn't last always."



**LOVELLA ROGAN**

You don't get to choose how you're going to die, or when. You can only decide how you're going to live now.

— Joan Baez



**MARK ROGGMANN**

Undermine their pompous authority. Reject their moral standards. Make anarchy and destruction your trademarks. Cause as much chaos and disruption as possible, but whatever you do, don't let them take you alive.

— Sid

Jennifer Sanzari



**ANDREA ROSADO**



**CAROLYN ANNE ROSE**

Commit to the Lord whatever you do, and your plans will succeed.

— Proverbs 16:3





**MICHAEL ROTH**

It is hard to fail, but it is worse never to have tried to succeed.

— Theodore Roosevelt



**MICHAEL J. RULLO**

You may know a thing or two, but I know three or four.



**LEONARDO RUSSO**

Through the years,  
many good times have passed.  
Friends will move on,  
But the memories will last.



**STEPHEN KYUNG-RIM RYU**

Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you; bless those who curse you and pray for those who maltreat you.

— Jesus Christ



**GLADYS G. SANDIN**

You gain strength, courage, and confidence by every experience in which you really stop to look fear in the face.



David Castillo





**SELINA SANIEL**

Love is like playing checkers, you have to know which man to move.



**MARIA VICTORIA SANJURJO**

Faith is something that you want, but can not have, because common sense tells you not to.  
— B.B.



**NANCY E. SANTERO**

Never change. Never adapt.  
Never improve.  
And die naked, cold, and alone.

Nicole Barnes and Cristina Knowles



**JENNIFER LEIGH SANZARI**

And I was left with . . . A broken laugh and a thousand memories and not a single regret.  
— Edgar Lee Masters



**VINCENT SARACENO**

I look to the sea, reflections in the waves spark my memory, some happy, some sad. I think of childhood friends and the dreams we had.

— Styx

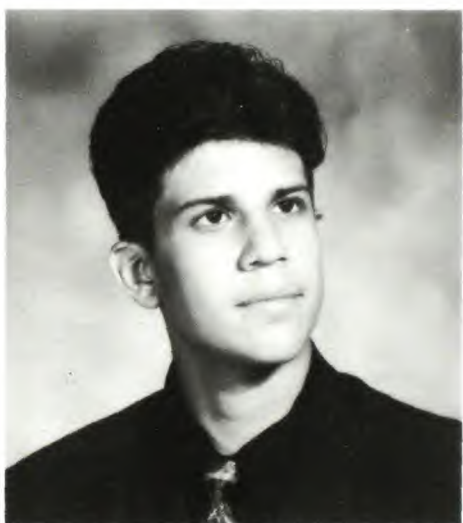




**DANA SAVINO**

See, when it comes down to the crunch, I've gotta beat life to the punch.

— Foreigner



**CHRIS SCAFFO**

The man who never gives up, will never be poor.



**FRANK SCALORA**

You can't play tricks on the trickster.



## Self-taught Trail Blazer

"I love the peacefulness it brings as well as the rush. I love overcoming the fear," commented David Liberman, a natural at skiing. David's main event was freestyle skiing. He competed mainly in moguls (bumps and ruts formed by other skiers) because it was his strong point. However, David didn't stop there. He also contended in upright aerials and occasionally in ballet.

David started skiing by tagging along with his older brother and eventually became addicted. David didn't take ski lessons. He learned to ski by watching the world's best on videotape and memorizing their technique and style, and then imitating them on a hill. When David improved, he received coaching to correct his flaws. "I simply strive to push my body to the limit. I feel there is no better feeling than taking a competitive run down a steep mogul field and making the quickest turns while everyone cheers me on."

David started skiing competitively at age 13 and competed for the next three years. He usually competed on the East Coast, as a member of the USSA Freestyle Association. The competitions were located in New York, Massachusetts, Vermont and Hampshire. Every February he went out west to Utah for a week of training. While out west, David either competed at Snowbird, Utah or Squaw Valley, California. He also spent two summers in France and Austria. In Tignes, France he trained with the 1992 Olympic Gold medalist mogul skier, Edgar Grosprion, as well as with the French, Swedish, and U.S. World Cup freestyle teams. "Skiing with the world's best mogul skier truly enhanced my level of skiing tremendously."

In addition to his love of skiing, David was a natural at making music. When he was not on the slopes, he was in his home studio, creating music. David played the guitar, drums, and keyboard by ear. Again, nobody taught him how to play; he just picked it up. "It allows me to express my feelings. Rather than listening to other groups, I compare mine to the best."

Whether it was on the slopes of a western mountain range or in the solitude of his home studio, David was busy blazing his own trail. Whatever path David chooses in life, one thing's for certain, he'll always know where to find a good teacher.



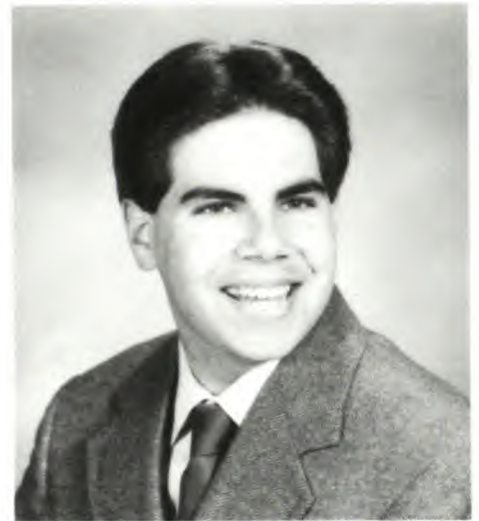


Mario Moyano



**WILLIAM SCHAFRANEK**

Live today in such a way that you are not ashamed for yesterday and have no regrets for tomorrow.



**GREG SCHARFSTEIN**

The key to my survival was never in much doubt; the question was, how I could keep sane trying to find a way out?

— Phil Collins



**JASON SCHARFSTEIN**

Why worry, there should be laughter after pain.  
There should be sunshine after rain.  
These things have always been the same.  
So why worry now?

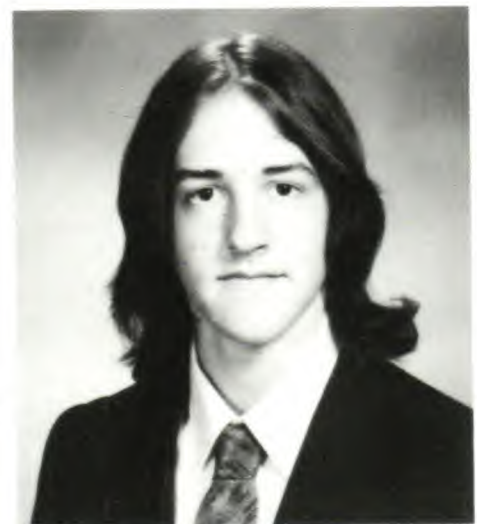
— Dire Straits



**GUNNAR SCHEHR**

Ah, youth and horsepower; what a combination.

— Hot Rod Magazine



**GLENN SCHROEDER**





**CHARLES M. SEGEAR**

All the world's indeed a stage,  
and we are merely players,  
performers and portrayers;  
each another's audience,  
inside the gilded cage.

— Rush



**DANIEL SELZER**

... I believe the greatest morality is to acknowl-  
edge the freedom of others; to be oneself and  
not to be in judgment of others who are dif-  
ferent from you.

— John Cassavetes



Conrad Muscarella



**EDEN SHERMAN**

Kiss today good-bye, the sweetness and the  
sorrow. Wish me luck, the same to you ...



**DANIEL SHIFFER**

Et tu brute, then fall Caesar.  
— William Shakespeare



**RON L. SHIPLEY**

Accept me for what I am — completely unac-  
ceptable.





**JON SHLUKER**

Everybody has a little bit of the "Taz" in them, but I have a little bit more.



**RAKIA NICOLE SIMPKINS**

An intelligent enemy is better than an ignorant friend.



**CRAIG SLAAEN**

Some men see things and say why. Great men dream things that never were and say why not.

— Quotations In Black



**ERICA K. SOHN**

Don't take everything that you have in life for granted, because at any point in time it can all end. It doesn't matter what others think, it's what you feel in your heart that counts.



**SAMANTHA SOLOMON**

If you obey all the rules, you miss all the fun.

— Audrey Hepburn







**JENNIFER SOMMA**

School was all right  
Gave me time to fantasize  
But one day I woke up and I realized  
I'm livin' in the real world.

— Richard Marx



**MIGUEL SOTO**



**STACEY ANN SPAGNOLA**

A smile costs nothing — it enriches those who receive, without making poorer to those who give. It takes a moment, but the memory sometimes lasts forever.



Jodi Baxter, Alejandro Perez, Biji Antony, Patty Tracey, and Shalina Langhorn



**BENJAMIN ST. JACQUES**

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

— Metallica



**SUZANNE STANFORD**

Between tomorrow's dreams and yesterday's regret is today's opportunity.





**REBECCA STARRETT**

If you smile at me I will understand, cause that is something everyone does in the same language.

— C, S, and N



**ELISSA STRELL**

It is through our names that we first place ourselves in the world. Our names being the gift of others, must be made our own.

— Ralph Ellison



**ROSANNA E. SUH**

A man's reach should exceed his grasp, or what's heaven for?

— Robert Browning

Ernest Townes



**REYMAN TABETA**



**NAVNEETH THIRUMALAI**

In order to become perfectly content, it is necessary to have a poor memory, and no imagination.





**PRIYA THIRUMLAI**

Voici mon secret. Il est tres simple: on ne voit bien qu'avec le coeur. L'es sentiel est invisible pour les yeux. Ones sees with the heart. The essential is invisible to the eyes.

— Le Petit Prince



**LEAH THOMAS**

Be careful for what you wish, for you just might get it.



**CHRISTINA JOSPHINA TOLERICO**

What's lost is lost, never to be seen again. Especially someone special, my broken heart will never mend. As I grow older, I better accept the missing part, the memories of someone special, will never leave my heart!

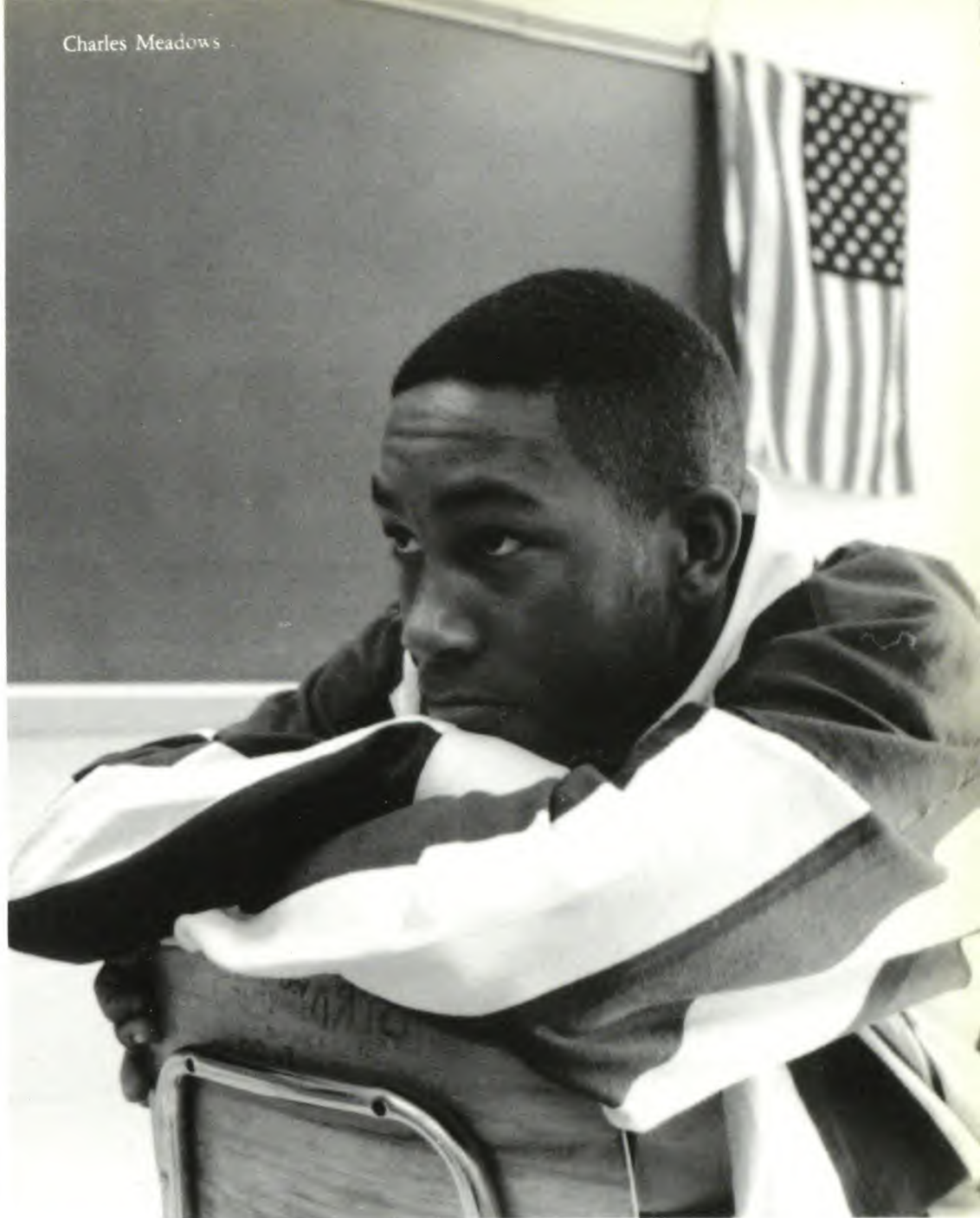


**SONYA TONE**

Like the story that we wish was never ending, we know sometimes we must reach the final page.



**ERNEST TOWNES**



Charles Meadows



*No one knows you  
better than your-  
self. Do the things  
you want, don't  
wait for someone  
else.*



**PATTY TRACEY**

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



Reema Desai



**ANNIE TRAN**



**ERIN TREVASKISS**



**ALEX TRUJILLO**





**THOMAS DANIEL TRUONG**

When you understand what you will see, you will no longer be a child. You will know that life is pain, that each of us hangs upon the cross of himself. And when you know this is true, you will be wiser.



**RIA TSETSEKAS**

The business of life is to enjoy oneself; everything else is a mockery.

— Norman Douglas

*There have been moments and memories, hellos and good-byes, dreams and goals. Some are temporary, but others will last forever.*



**PETER TURCO**

A man can be defeated many times, but he has not lost until he quits.



**NICOLE LAUREN VALENTE**

Every fighter takes a fall. But don't give up tryin'. Sometimes you fly, sometimes you crawl. One step at a time.

— Vixen







## "Reserving" Time To Make Dreams Come True

"About face", "Salute", "Forward March", such were commands that Tiffany Freeman followed in the army reserve. She signed on with the 7th Bayonne Company of Brooklyn on October 5, 1992 and trained one weekend a month. A typical day ran from 6 A.M. to 5 P.M. In the reserve, Tiffany's training consisted mainly of marching. At home she continued her physical training by performing sit-ups, push-ups, and running.

"It all started when I decided that I wanted to be a doctor. My family is a military family so the army just kind of rubbed off on me. I knew I didn't have the money to go to college, or the money to travel the world, so I decided the best thing to do was to go for free, while doing a job of my choosing that I enjoy." With this positive attitude, Tiffany planned to remain in the army reserve for eight years, at which time her duty would be fulfilled. She then planned to train to become a doctor by becoming a medical specialist in the reserves. With her foot in the door, Tiffany's dream of becoming a doctor would then be possible.

In the beginning, Tiffany and her unit participated in marching competitions so that the leaders could see which newcomers could march the best. Tiffany's company won for New Jersey and New York. While marching, she wore civilian clothes, which consisted of sneakers and jeans. Singing helped break the monotony of the commands.

The army reserve is just like the military, except it's not full time. Tiffany explained that if the United States were to enter into a war with another country she would not fight. The army reserve is for people who don't want to go into the regular army. The commitment is a little longer, about eight years.

"The people you meet and the things you do, provide a lifetime memory. I always met new people and everybody helped one another. It gave me the motivation to help myself and to go onto college. Without the army reserve, I might never have tried to pursue my dream of being a doctor.

"Being in the army reserve made me a stronger leader and helped me achieve all the dreams and goals I never thought were possible. I learned that in the real world, no matter what sex, religion, or race you are, you can achieve all your dreams."



**GREG VAN DUYN**

If you don't stop and take a look around, time may pass you by.

— Ferris Bueller



**BETSY E. VARELA**

Make the best of what you have today, you might not have a second chance!



**VINOD VARKEY**

The human tongue is only a few inches from the mind, but when you listen to some people talk, they seem miles apart.





**IVETTE VASQUEZ**

The more I know, the less I understand.  
— Don Henley



**WILLIAM VINDIGNI**

Pay attention to what you do in life, for life itself  
is the true accomplishment!



**SEAN VU**



**VALMIK VYAS**

Learning without thought is labor lost; thought  
without learning is perilous.  
— Confucious



**CHRISTINA WALK**

Love has become a four letter word.  
— Fritz Lang



Patty Tracey and Mica Gottesman





**KATHLEEN WALSH**

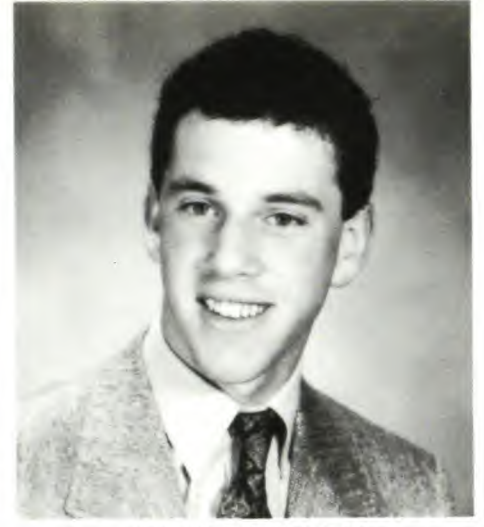
Someday when we reminisce, we'll say there wasn't much we missed, and through the tears, we will smile when we recall, we had it all, just for a moment.

— St. Elmo's Fire



**MICHAEL WATTS**

Out on my own since I was a young, young boy, but I'm holding tight. I know this dream is going to carry me home. It's been a long hard fight, many sleepless nights for something I'd call my own.



**KEN WEINBERGER**

The past is but the beginning, and all that is and has been is but the twilight of the dawn . . . A day will come when all other beings will reach out their hands amid the star.

— Herbert George Wells



Rosanna Suh and Karen Reynes



**JEFFREY WEINSTOCK**

Memories are times that you borrow, to spend when you get to tomorrow.

— Paul Anka



**JASON WILHITE**

Vini, Vidi, Vici.

— *Julius Caesar*





**ANNA WOJTAK**

Nothing is as strong as gentleness; nothing so gentle as real strength.

— St. Francis de Sales



**ULANA WOROCH**

No matter how big,  
No matter how small,  
No matter how accomplished one becomes,  
He will always be remembered for the obstacles he overcomes.

— GAW



**ALEXIS DESSRETTA YATES**

There are two things we give our children. One is roots, the other is wings.

— Anonymous



**JENNIFER ANNE YOUNG**

Just as I nearly found the answer, I forgot the question.



**JODI YOUNG**

To appreciate openness, we must have experienced encouragement to try the new, to see alternatives, to view fresh possibilities.



**JO ANN ZEPPI**

Whenever things are darkest, hold your head up high and it will probably rain up your nostrils.

— Doc

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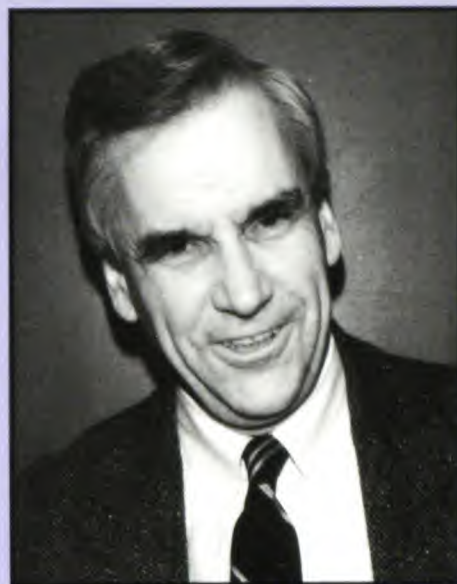


# Blending In ACADEMICS



Andy Warhol once said that everyone is famous for 15 minutes. With this in mind, the Academics Staff sought to record the singular event or accomplishment which made each of the faculty at West Orange High School "famous." As students, we generally saw teachers strictly in their designated academic role. They tended to **BLEND IN** with their colleagues. However, each member of the faculty was more than met the eye. From Mrs. Grotto's meeting Elvis, to Dr. Peto's co-authoring a book, each teacher had a moment in the sun which made him or her **STAND OUT**.

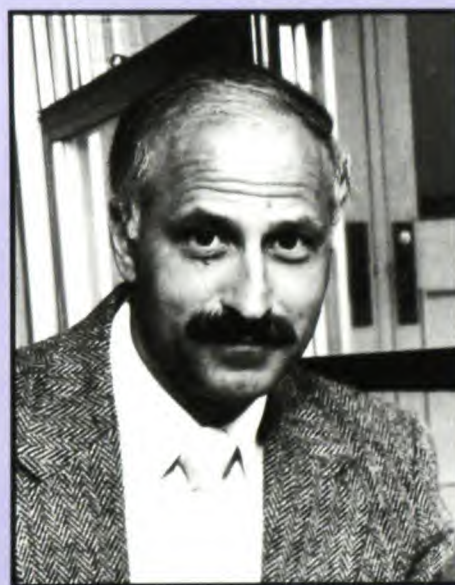




**CLIFTON CARLSON**  
Teacher of the Year 1992



**BRUCE VANDERHOOF**  
Teacher of the Year 1991



**JOSEPH SURIANO**  
Teacher of the Year 1990

STANDING OUT



# Administration



**DR. RICHARD SUPRINA**  
Superintendent of Schools



**JERRY TARNOFF**  
Principal



**VINCENT MIRANDI**  
Assistant Principal



**Board of Education:** Mrs. Skeffington, Mr. Salese, Mr. Zins, Mr. Brafman, Mrs. Koutouzakis



# ★15★ MINUTES OF FAME

## ★ DR. SUPRINA

Honored by having a high school yearbook dedicated to him for his efforts on behalf of students.



## MR. TARNOFF

Named West Orange Citizen of the Year in 1984.



## MR. MIRANDI

Selected for an NDEA Institute in history at University of New Hampshire.



## MR. LASAPIO

Selected by the Bloomfield College faculty as Alumni Educator of the Year 1990-1991.



## MR. KRIMMEL

Escorted his senior daughter onto the field at Homecoming 1992.



## MR. MILLER

Coached the 1987 football team to the conference championship and a berth in the state playoffs.



Mr. Mirandi, Mr. Tarnoff and Mr. LaSapio



**SEBASTIAN LASAPIO**  
Assistant Principal



**ROBERT KRIMMEL JR.**  
Dean of Students



**RONALD MILLER**  
Dean of Students



# Guidance



THOMAS SHEA  
Supervisor



SANDRA ANTONACCI



ESTHER M. BEARG, ED. D.



MICHAEL CUNNINGHAM



RICHARD D'ARIES

Mrs. Antonacci





# ★15★ MINUTES OF FAME

## ★ MR. SHEA

Received a full tuition scholarship to the University of Scranton for a Masters Degree and a full tuition scholarship for doctoral studies at the University of Rochester.



## MRS. ANTONACCI

Received her Masters Degree with her children and husband attending the ceremony.



## DR. BEARG

Selected as Essex County Counselor of the Year 1989.



## MR. CUNNINGHAM

Selected as Outstanding Social Studies major at Montclair State College 1958.



## MR. D'ARIES

Received a scholarship for football to Western State College of Colorado.



## MRS. GARRETT

Recognized by the Educational Testing Service for years of dedicated service administering the SAT.



## MR. HILL

Flew in a small plane around the peak of Mt. McKinley in August 1991.



## MR. LORENZO

Won an Outstanding Mentor Award from William Paterson College.



Mr. Hill and Edén Sherman



ELIZABETH GARRETT



ROBERT HILL



MARTIN LORENZO



# Science



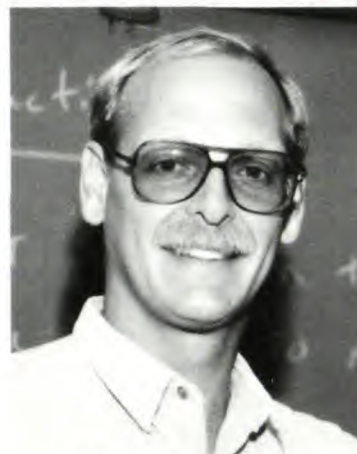
**SANDRA ANTOINE**  
Supervisor



**JOSEPH BONAVIDA**



**THADDEUS CASSERLY**



**ROBERT CHANDA**



**DR. MICHAEL DEVINE**



**MARIANNE DIGLIO**



**JEFFERY HUPPERT**

Rashia Mason, Mr. Bonavita, Marie Harrington, and Esther Kim







**MICHAEL LAWRENCE**



**REBECCA MARTIN**



**ROBERT MIDDLETON**



**DR. ROBERT MORA**



**FRANK NEWMAN**



**ALBERT PAGANELLI**



**PAUL PARASUGO**



**MONICA SHAH**

# ★15★ MINUTES OF FAME

## ★ **MS. ANTOINE**

Performed the first human cell transformation of DNA at the McArdle Cancer Institute at the University of Wisconsin, Madison.

## ★ **MR. CASSERLY**

Chairman of the 1990 Earth Day Committee and encouraged 100% participation on the part of the students.

## ★ **DR. DEVINE**

Invited to speak at an International Conference of Evolutionary Biology in 1980.

## ★ **MRS. DIGLIO**

Selected as a member of Phi Kappa Phi with a 4.0 cumulative GPA in graduate school.

## ★ **MR. LAWRENCE**

Selected to 'Who's Who Among America's Teachers' in 1992.

## ★ **MS. MARTIN**

Originated the Dr. Martin Luther King program which saw students of different races come together to pay a moving tribute to a great leader.

## ★ **MR. MIDDLETON**

Participated in a "Teacher in Industry" project working at the research labs of Schering-Plough Inc. during the summer of 1990.

## ★ **DR. MORA**

Chosen by the West Orange PTA as Teacher of the Year in 1985.

## ★ **MR. PAGANELLI**

Elected to William Paterson College Athletic Hall of Fame for Cross Country in 1984.



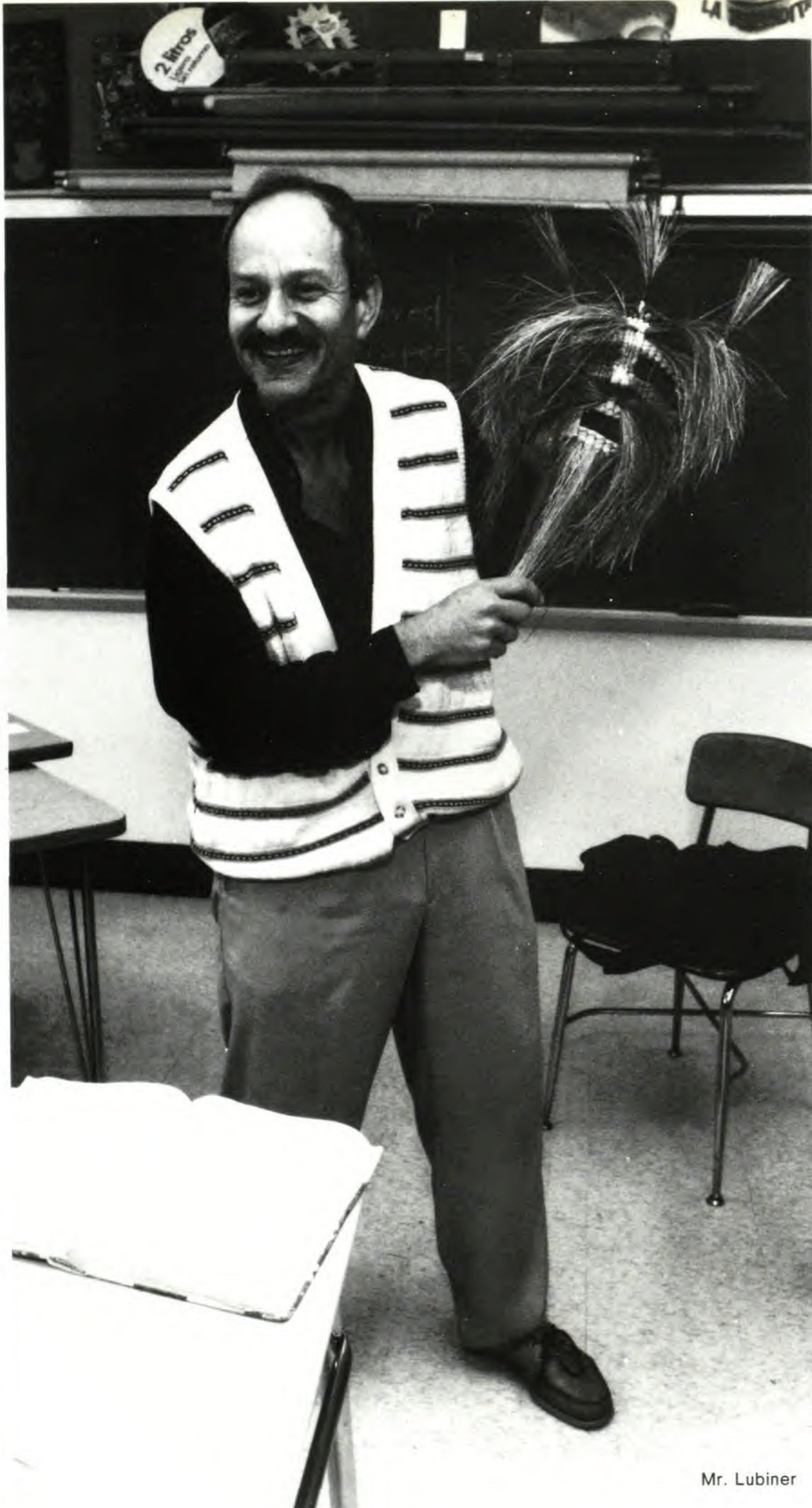
# Foreign Language



ALVIN LUBINER  
Supervisor



RUTH BOLGER



Mr. Lubiner





OLYMPIA CICCHINO



KRISTINE MASSARI



LOUISE MILLER

# ★15★ MINUTES OF FAME

## MR. LUBINER

Awarded a fellowship from the United States and Mexican governments to study at the University of Mexico.



## MRS. BOLGER

Sponsored a student trip to France to allow them to experience French culture first-hand.



## MRS. CICCHINO

Won a student Oral Italian Poetry contest 1991 and 1992.



## MS. STEINER

Received an A+ on a research paper in a challenging graduate course.



## MS. TIMINS

Graduated Phi Beta Kappa and was awarded a Woodrow Wilson Fellowship to Columbia University.



Ms. Steiner and Aaron Escamilla



MARIA MONTGOMERY



INEZ STEINER



BEVERLEY M. TIMINS



# Social Studies



DOMINIC STIMOLA  
Supervisor



ROBERT BELCUORE



CLIFTON CARLSON



MARIA DAMIANO



DEBORAH DODDS



KATHLEEN GROTTTO



RALPH MINELLI



JOHN PARNOFIELLO



Mr. Vanderhoof and his world history class





KAREN PERRY



EDWIN PETERSON



DAVID SCHWARTZ

# ★15★ MINUTES OF FAME

## ★ MR. STIMOLA

Received a tribute from the Senior Class of 1974 from the first high school where he taught

## ★ MR. BELCUORE

Chosen to the West Orange, Essex County, and New Jersey Hall of Fame for coaching basketball

## ★ MR. CARLSON

Selected Teacher of the Year 1992

## ★ MS. DAMIANO

Selected Teacher of the Year 1988

## ★ MS. DODDS

Received "Outstanding Volunteer Award" from the Girl Scout Council of Greater Essex County

## ★ MS. GROTTA

Met Elvis in Las Vegas

## ★ MR. PETERSON

Appeared on "Jeopardy" December 3, 1991

## ★ MR. SCHWARTZ

Advised the winning 1984 Eastside High School Mock Trial Team

## ★ DR. SHAPIRO

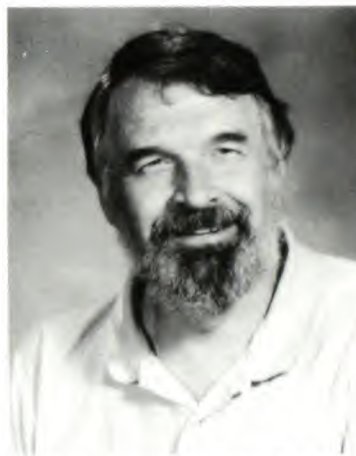
Received a Doctorate from Teachers College, Columbia University, 1979

## ★ MR. VANDERHOOF

Selected as Teacher of the Year in 1991



DR. WILLIAM SHAPIRO



BRUCE VANDERHOOF



ELAINE WERNER





# Language Arts



**MICHAEL ROMEO**  
Supervisor



**GERALD DAVID**



**GEORGE DEL MONTE**



**WILLIAM EHRLICH**



**President Bill Clinton  
and Ms. Sebold**



**MICHAEL FEULA**



**KATHLEEN FLYNN KAY**



**WILLIAM HAUSLER**



**LIBBY HELLER**





DR. RUTH LEGOW



JOHN MCCARTHY



MARY ANN MCGONIGLE

# ★15★ MINUTES OF FAME

## ★ MR. ROMEO

Coached a state championship wrestling team at Kearny High School in 1973.

## ★ MR. DEL MONTE

Selected by Westfield High School to conduct a workshop presentation in Humanities.

## ★ MR. EHRLICH

Advised a National award-winning newspaper — *The Pioneer*.

## ★ MR. FEULA

Awarded an NDEA grant to study at Rutgers.

## ★ MS. FLYNN KAY

Awarded a sabbatical leave and spent a year studying in London in 1980.

## ★ MR. HAUSLER

Went to the NCAA Soccer Final Four in his senior year at Rutgers.

## ★ DR. LEGOW

Advisor of NCTE and ASP award-winning literary magazine, *Cobblestone*.

## ★ MR. MCCARTHY

Selected as one of 12 international candidates for an eight week summer fellowship in speech at Northwestern University in 1990.

## ★ MRS. POMAR

Awarded a fellowship to study Classical Literature at Princeton, summer of 1989.

## ★ MR. ROBINSON

Honored as tennis Coach of the Year 1985 in the New Jersey Hills Conference.

## ★ MS. SEBOLD

Elected as a delegate to the Democratic National Convention, 1992.

## ★ MR. SMERALDO

Wrote essays about the rewards of teaching which were published in the *New York Times*.

## ★ MR. SURIANO

Selected as Coach of the Year 1992 and Teacher of the Year 1990.



MICHAEL PIZZI



ARLENE POMAR



LEE ROBINSON



PATRICIA SEBOLD



PETER SMERALDO



JOSEPH SURIANO



RITA WOJCHIK



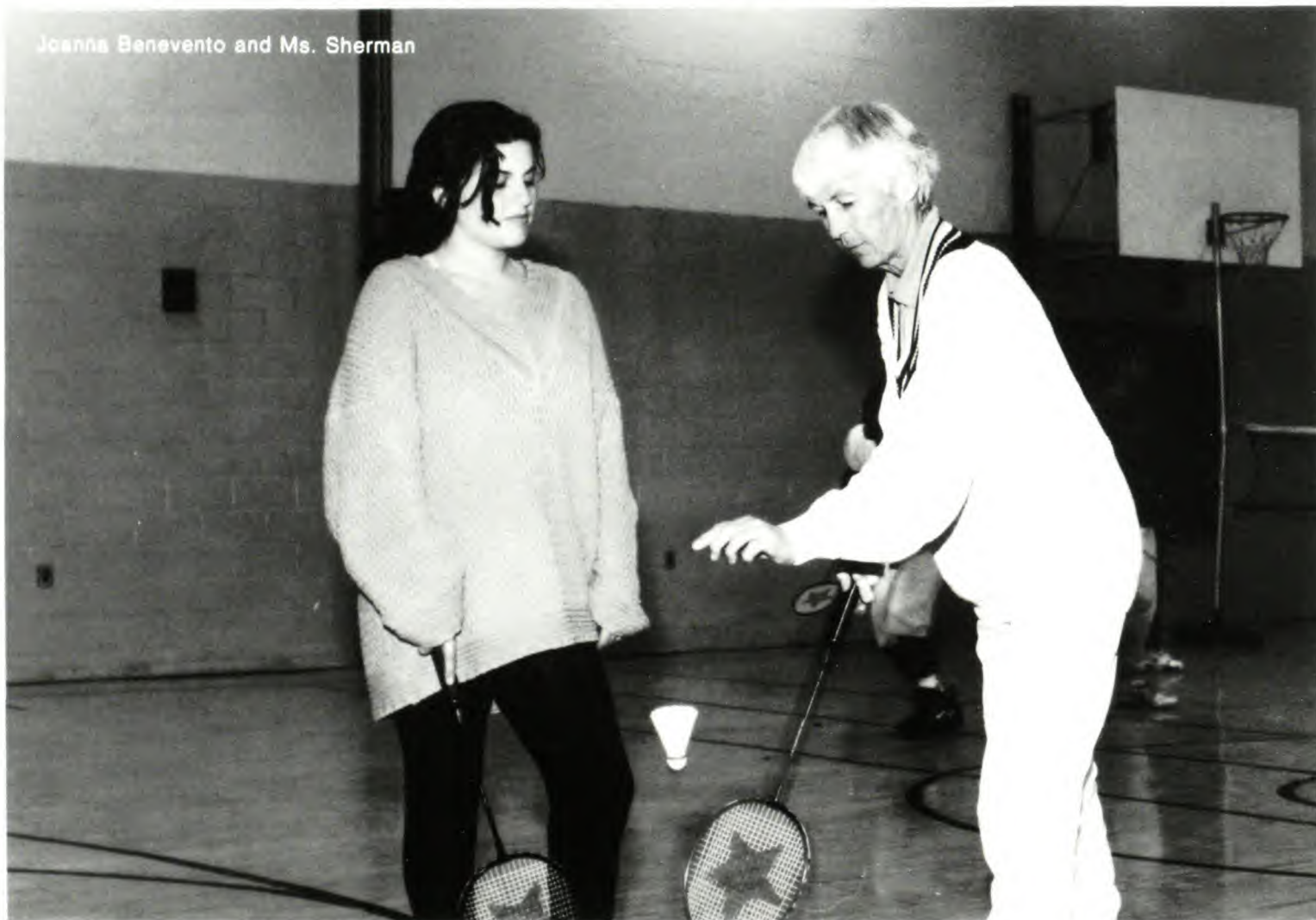


# Physical Education



CAROL KULIK  
Director

Joanna Benevento and Ms. Sherman



KEVIN ALVINE



THOMAS BOLAND



DR. PHILIP CONGILOSE



ALBERTO ERRICO





EDWARD JUNG



TIMOTHY ORTELLI



DR. GLORIA PETO

# ★15★ MINUTES OF FAME

## ★ MRS. KULIK

Became the Director of Physical Education/Health/Athletics for the West Orange Public Schools.

## ★ MR. ALVINE

Received a B.A. in 1988 from Kean College and his M.A. in 1992 from Jersey City State College.

## ★ MR. BOLAND

Received Masters Degree 1975.

## ★ DR. CONGILOSE

Received Doctorate from Columbia University 1973.

## ★ MR. ERRICO

Selected Athletic Trainer for the U.S. Blind Athletes Goal Ball Team, that attended the International Goal Ball Tournament in 1976.

## ★ MR. JUNG

Won the high school state championship as a baseball team member at West Orange High School.

## ★ MR. ORTELLI

Won three consecutive NJ High School Basketball State Championships as Associate Head Coach of Bridgewater Raritan "West" High School in 1988-1989.

## ★ DR. PETO

Co-authored a book — *EMS Driving: The Safe Way*.

## ★ MS. SHERMAN

Coached the number one girls' tennis team in the state in 1987.

## ★ MR. URBANSKI

Selected as Essex County baseball Coach of the Year 1987.

## ★ MS. VLACICH

Selected as sex education Teacher of the Year.

## ★ MS. WELTER

Graduated cum laude from West Chester University.



JUDITH RISSE



LAURA SHERMAN



WILLIAM URBANSKI



MARILYN VLACICH



CATHRYN WELTER



Mr. Errico, Mario Maksimiack and Albert Koller



# Technical & Vocational Education



**STEVEN KEHAYES**  
Director



**KAREN BERMAN**



**MARCO BUZZELLI**



Kelly Hunt, Mr. Daum, Ajay Jacob, and Duane Hobson



**RICHARD DAUM**



**GERALD DELGUERCIO**



**JOYCE FRIEDMAN**



**PETER HARRINGTON**





LORETTA HOLMOK



ILEEN LOHAN



WILLIAM LUTKINS

# ★15★ MINUTES OF FAME

## ★ MR. KEHAYES

As a sophomore in high school, he was the youngest contestant in the nation to have artwork exhibited in the Museum of Contemporary Crafts in New York City.

## ★ MS. BERMAN

President of the New Jersey Co-operative Business Education Coordinators Association.

## ★ MR. BUZZELLI

Helped coach the baseball team to two Group II, state championships, in 1967 and 1971.

## ★ MR. DAUM

Advised the winning scholarship teams in the Panasonic Design Contest.

## ★ MR. DELGUERCIO

Graduated cum laude honors for his Masters Degree.

## ★ MRS. FRIEDMAN

Member of Purdue University Jazz Band that went on a USO tour in 1969 entertaining troops in Greenland and Iceland and performed at the World's Fair in Osaka, Japan in 1970.

## ★ MR. HARRINGTON

Earned Automotive Service Excellence Certification.

## ★ MISS HOLMOK

Received her Masters Degree in Consumer Economics and Management and was invited to join Kappa Omicron Nu, a national honor association.

## ★ MS. LOHAN

Had many former students enter the field of teaching and home economics.

## ★ MR. LUTKINS

Coached two wrestlers who qualified for the New Jersey Wrestling Championships at Princeton in 1984.



SALVATORE MUSCO



Ian MacDonald and Ms. Queen



DEBORAH PRATKO



BARBARA QUEEN



DORA WONG MACIAS



JOHN WOROBETZ



# Math



DAVID GLATZER  
Supervisor



MICHAEL BATTAGLINO



JUDITH BOYD



KAREN BURROWS



ROLIN GRAESSLE



BEVERLY LUTKINS



NINA MONACO

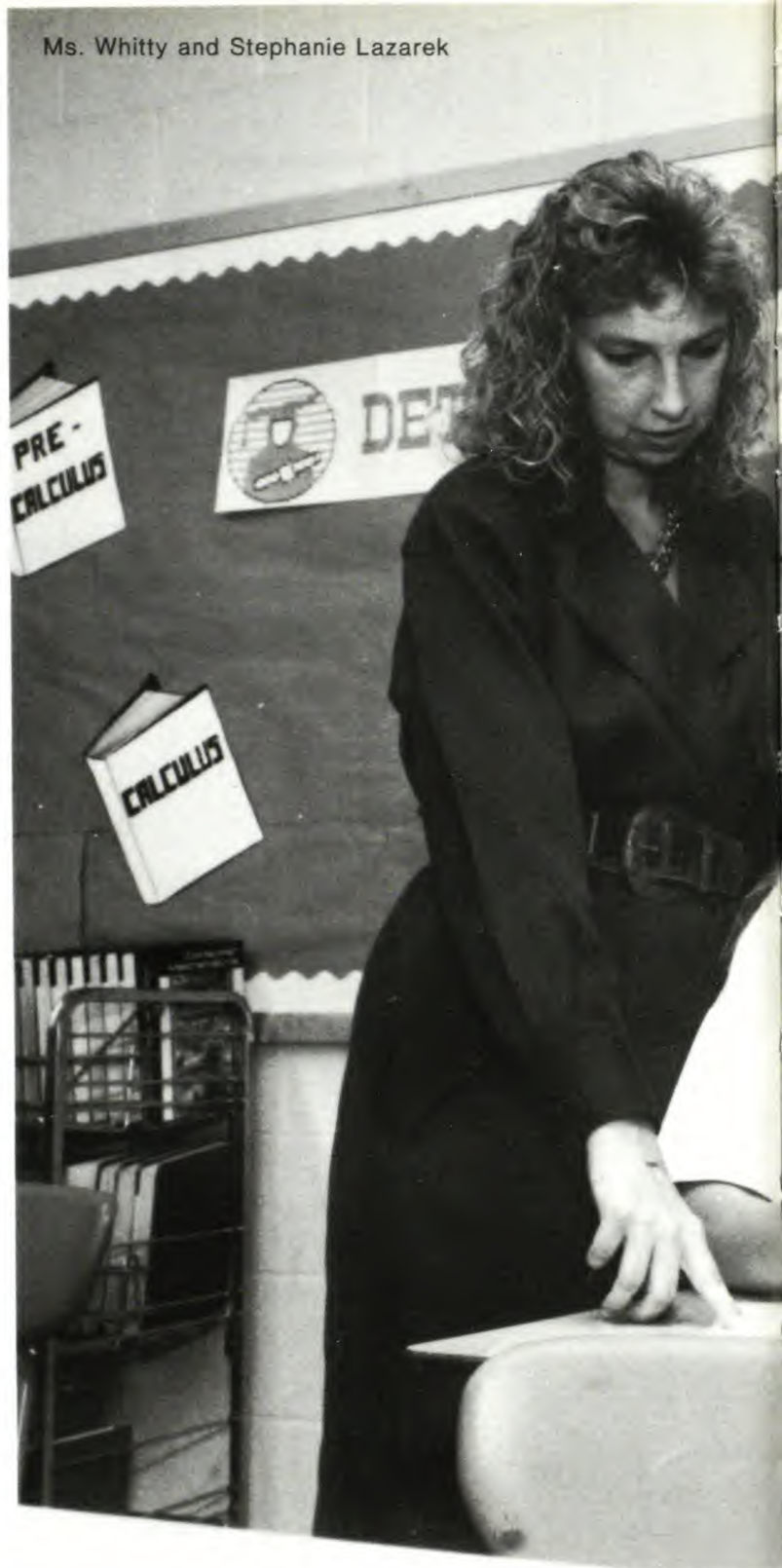


KATHLEEN PIEGARO



THOMAS PRENDERGAST

Ms. Whitty and Stephanie Lazarek







CAROL SAUER



LURLEE SHUTKIN



HELEN THERIANOS



CATHERINE WARD



SUSAN WHITTY



HELEN YUSWACK

# ★15★ MINUTES OF FAME

## ★ MR. GLATZER

Elected to the Board of Directors of the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics.

## ★ MS. BOYD

Received a National Science Foundation Grant to attend a year-long institute in mathematics at Boston College, where she earned a Master's Degree.

## ★ MS. BURROWS

Got an A on final exam in Physical Chemistry 401 at Penn State.

## ★ MRS. LUTKINS

Served as the advisor for the #1 Geometry team in Essex County for three consecutive years.

## ★ MS. MONACO

Received a Masters Degree in computer science.

## ★ MRS. PIEGARO

Selected to be in the first edition of "Who's Who Among America's Teachers" in 1990.

## ★ MR. PRENDERGAST

Trained his dog Rex to his third obedience title at a dog show in Verona in January, 1992.

## ★ MRS. SAUER

Appeared on the game show "\$20,000 Pyramid".

## ★ MRS. THERIANOS

Selected as District 1 Chairwoman for the New Jersey State Youth Committee while serving as youth advisor for her church.

## ★ MS. WHITTY

Earned a unique dual certification in Math and Spanish which allowed her to "communicate" mathematically in two languages.

## ★ MRS. YUSWACK

Valedictorian of her high school, Pittston Area High School.



# Fine Arts



**PHYLLIS QUENALT**  
Director



**BETTE FORT**



**CHARLES JORDAN**

Mr. Jordan



**MARILYN KUHLMANN**



**MICHAEL LINDSAY**



**THOMAS MALISZEWSKI**



**ANTHONY MINNI**



**VIRGINIA WILLIAMSON**



# Media Center



**MARTIN KALE**  
AV Coordinator

## ★15★ MINUTES OF FAME

### ★ **MISS EVANIK**

Won an essay contest to be appointed Mayor of Hillside for a day in 1964.

### ★ **MR. KALE**

Made a guest appearance on the talk show "9 Broadcast Plaza."

### ★ **MRS. LINEHAN**

Appointed Vice-President of the New Jersey Library Network Region 3, Essex-Hudson.

### ★ **MR. JORDAN**

Chosen as Master Student by Heinz Wunderlich in 1991 in Hamburg, Germany.

### ★ **MR. MALISZEWSKI**

Was auditioned and chosen to perform for President Reagan.

### ★ **MR. MINNI**

Teacher of the Year at Washington School in 1986.

### ★ **MS. WILLIAMSON**

Heard her original compositions performed in concert as the culmination of her Master's Degree



Mrs. Linehan



**CATHERINE EVANIK**  
Librarian



**EILEEN LINEHAN**  
Librarian



**DAVID DASILVA**  
Media Assistant



# Support Services



THOMAS SCHARF  
Director



DR. JANE KACHMAR  
DESONNE  
Supervisor



MARCIA GRIVALSKY



GAIL BOWSHER



JAMES BYRNE



PETER COMUNE



JOSEPH CARROLL



GREGORY CLARKE



PETER COMUNE



JANE DAVIDSON



JEANETTE DEPALMA



WALTER DONOFORIO



SIMONA LIBERMAN





DENISE LINDSEY



ELIZABETH MADDALENA



LORRAINE PETKUS

# ★15★ MINUTES OF FAME

## ★ MR. COMUNE

Selected as Coach of the Year at Midland Park High School in 1965.

## ★ MRS. DAVIDSON

Graduated with honors from Douglass College, Rutgers University.

## ★ MS. DEPALMA

Sponsored a trip to Disneyworld funded by her students efforts in 1992.

## ★ MRS. LIBERMAN

Was best friends with Martin Scorsese's daughter.

## ★ MR. ROMANO

Was sent to principal's office to read a letter sent by a student explaining the positive changes he made in that student's life.

## ★ MS. ROSENBERG

Graduated magna cum laude from Syracuse University in 1975.

## ★ DR. ROTH

Had her Doctoral Thesis accepted by her committee after two years of writing.

## ★ DR. ROTONDA

Received her Doctoral Degree in Educational Administration from Fordham University, New York.



Ms. Maddalena  
and Dev Helmlinger



SALVATORE ROMANO



MAYDA ROSENBERG



DR. ELLEN ROTH



DR. ANNA MARIE ROTONDA



RICHARD SCHAUBLIN



JAMES SHORT



JOANN ZOBITZ



# Auxiliary & Support Personnel



**HARRIET BLIND**  
Substitute



**MONA GOFFMAN**  
Substitute



**PHYLLIS METSKY**  
Substitute



**PAULA SCHLETTER**  
Substitute



Secretarial Staff



Cafeteria Staff





**CHRISTINE BORKOWSKI**  
Nurse



**GORDON CONDOS**  
ESL Teacher



**MICHELE GRANATO DANIELS**  
ESL Supervisor



**LINDA OZAROW**  
ESL Teacher



**JOAN PICINI**  
Nurse



**BARBARA WOFSY**  
Student Assistance Counselor

Mrs. Daniels



# ★15★ MINUTES OF FAME

## ★ MS. BLIND

Graduate of West Virginia University with a B.S. in Home Economics and was elected to Phi Upsilon Omicron, the National Home Economics Honor Society.

## ★ MRS. BORKOWSKI

Graduated from Seton Hall University College of Nursing in 1973 and received a plaque commemorating her work with the University Choral Society.

## ★ MR. CONDOS

Named to "Who's Who Among College American Students" in 1979.

## ★ MRS. DANIELS

Nominated for "Who's Who Among America's Teachers".

## ★ MS. METSKY

Met with President Carter in the Oval Office of the White House.

## ★ MS. OZAROW

Wrote the English version of a Korean-English ESL textbook, which was published by and used in an adult school in New York City in 1981.

## ★ MRS. PICINI


Graduated magna cum laude from Jersey City State College in 1973.

## ★ MS. WOFSY

Appeared as an extra in the feature film "Ghostbusters".



# Blending In SPORTS



On every athletic landscape, one could find the most supportive group of athletes, the varsity cheerleaders. Throughout the year, the cheerleaders attended every football game, all home boys' and girls' soccer and basketball games, and all home wrestling matches. Beyond that, they decorated the stands and the locker rooms, and participated in training future squads during the spring. In addition to **Blending In** to the West Orange High School sports scene, the cheerleaders had their moment to **Stand Out** with their outstanding performance at the West Milford Cheerleading open competition.





**CAROL KULICK**  
Athletic Director



**MARCO BUZZELLI**  
Site Director



**DON SMITH**  
Athletic Trainer

# STANDING OUT





B. Ayres



V. Buonopane



H. Bury



A. Cartine



S. Tone



V. Vyas



A. Maravelias



S. Martin



W. Reilly



P. Tracey



J. Young



P. Berowitz



M. Lambert



R. Starrett



E. Biasotti

# FALL SPORTS

## Bury claims Group West Orange edges

West Orange wins  
on Martin goal, 2-1

West Orange 2, Verona 0: Jessica Spring came up with a goal and an assist in West Orange. Jodi Young scored to give West Orange (2-7) a 1-0 halftime lead. Verona (0-7-1) was out-shot, 38-19.

# W. Orange triumphs, 6-2

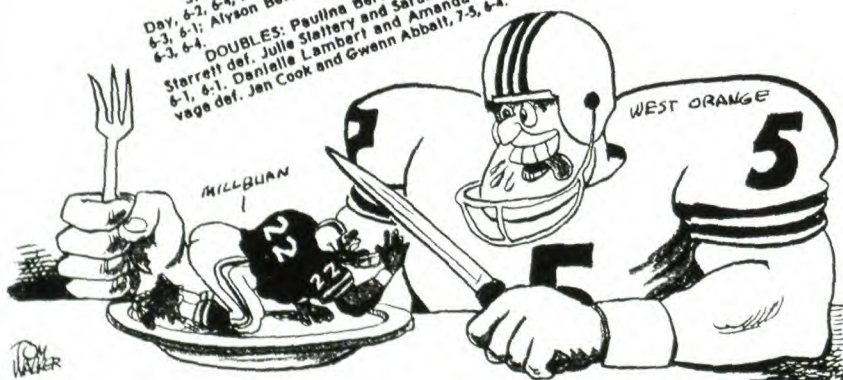
BOYS' SOCCER

WEST ORANGE 5, WEST MILFORD 0

SINGLES: Michelle Lambert def. Jen Grant, 7-6 (7-5); 7-6 (7-5); Amy Wertheimer def. Leisha Space, 6-2, 6-3; Alyson Berowitz def. Sarah Packer, 6-3, 6-0.

DOUBLES: Paulina Berowitz and Rebecca Starrett def. Kim Grant and Emily Newman, 6-1, 6-0; Danielle Lambert and Amanda Bunsavage def. Cheryl Bayer and Yvonne Murdock, 6-4, 6-2.

WEST ORANGE 5, CALDWELL 0  
SINGLES: Michele Lambert def. Shannon Day, 6-2, 6-4; Amy Wertheimer def. Elexa Pisano, 6-3, 6-1; Alyson Berowitz def. Christine Samoyl, 6-3, 6-4.  
DOUBLES: Paulina Berowitz and Rebecca Starrett def. Julie Stettery and Sarah Missigman, 6-1, 6-1; Danielle Lambert and Amanda Bunsavage def. Jen Cook and Gwenn Abbett, 7-3, 6-4.



## Mountaineers win

West Orange 8, Orange 0: West Orange (4-1) got two goals apiece from George Chagas, who also dished out two assists, Steve Mari and Craig Slaaen in West Orange. Michael Navarez, with three saves, and Steve Klein, who had two, combined for the shutout.



# BLUE PRINTS

## 4 championship Clifford Scott, 7-6

### Mountaineer magic

West Orange 7, Clifford Scott 0: Steve Mari led West Orange (12-5-4) with three goals and an assist in West Orange. George Chagas chipped in with two goals and Craig Slaaen and Mike Antonakos each had one. Mike Nevarez made four saves and Steve Klein three for the shutout.

### Comeback

Mountaineers rally in the fourth quarter to foil Orange, 22-21. Page B1.



## W. Orange wins

WEST ORANGE 4, WAYNE VALLEY 1  
SINGLES: Michelle Lambert, WO, def. Melissa Pett, 8-1; Amy Wertheimer, WO, def. Shippa, 8-1; Gail Kaufman, WV, def. Cara Weisell, 8-3.  
DOUBLES: Paula Berowitz and Rebecca Starrett, WO, def. Jackie Giganti and Alexis Vaino, 8-1; Danielle Lambart and Amanda Buntavogel, WO, def. Liza Weisstuck and Elaine Holden, 8-2.

## Berowitz sisters key W. Orange

### IN THE SCHOOLS

Lonnie Cooney rushed 11 times for 103 yards and two touchdowns yesterday to lead West Orange over Millburn, 28-6, in West Orange.

West Orange  
Millburn  
W-Alcade 8 run (Farris kick)  
W-Dimberville 20 run (Farris kick)  
W-Cooney 30 run (Farris kick)  
W-Cooney 18 run (Farris kick)  
M-Kennedy 2 run (pass failed)



J. Shluker



A. Payeras



C. Muscarella



H. Mohyuddin



J. Marasco



P. Linfante



M. Ferretti



N. Farris



L. Coney



S. Mari



M. Roth



C. Slaaen



V. Varkey



R. Burfeind



M. Cadogan

## Mountaineers share Skyline title





## A Championship Season +

**Boys win conference —  
Bury wins States**

The 1992 Cross Country season featured a tremendous amount of team and personal achievement. The boys became the first conference champions when they tied for the Northern Hills Conference Championship with a 15-3 record. Records were set by juniors Gerren Clarke and Jason Docheff, while co-captain Brian Ayres set a new course record at Delbarton, and placed second in the conference championship. The championship was especially sweet for those three runners who missed out on a championship a year earlier when Clarke lost a shoe and the Mountaineers had to settle for third.

The girls finished third in the Essex County Championships and ended their season with a 12-4 record paced by two-time all-state, first-teamer, Heather Bury. Bury became the first WO cross-country runner to become state champion as she finished her high school career with a perfect 45-0 dual meet record. She set five meet records and won a medal at every invitational she competed in on her way to being named Female Runner of the Year, Athlete of the Month by Worrall Publications, and Athlete of the Month by the N.J. high school sports writers. As part of this honor Bury was introduced at half-time of the N.J. Nets vs. N.Y. Knicks game at the Meadowlands.

These two successful teams could not have been so successful without excellent coaching. Coach Joe Suriano won his second consecutive Coach of the Year award on his way to leading his cross-country teams to a banner year.



*A season of firsts! The boys won the first conference championship and Heather Bury became the first West Orange cross country state champion. Definitely a season of thunder and lightning.*

— Coach Suriano

*Our conference championship shows how we stuck together even though some of our toughest individual competition was our teammates.*

— Brian Ayres

*Everyone on the team had a lot of potential; it was all a matter of bringing it out. Everyone tried their best this season, and that's all that counted.*

— Heather Bury



**1992 BOYS' AND GIRLS' CROSS COUNTRY**





Junior Gerren Clarke and senior Brian Ayres set the pace at the conference meet.

Valerie Buonopane climbs an upgrade during a county race. Buonopane was a four-year member of the cross country squad.



Conference, county, Group IV, and state champ, Heather Bury strides her way to victory in the Group IV meet at Holmdel.



Gaining distance from Madison runners is Valmik Vyas. Vyas helped the team to a two year 27-8 record.





## Talented Tri-Captains Net

### Coach Lesnik Top Honor

Stability at the coaching position is usually very important when building a good program. However, this year, the girls' tennis team defied the odds, and with their fourth new coach in as many years, ended the season with an impressive 17-6 record. At the helm this year was Doreen Lesnik, a gym teacher from Pleasantdale School. This was her first time coaching her favorite sport. She was very happy with the results of her first season, "I wanted to coach and encouraged the girls to strive to be their best. They surpassed all my expectations!"

Three seniors, Michelle Lambert, Rebecca Starrett, and Paulina Berowitz shared the responsibilities of captain. Lambert ended her third consecutive year at first singles with a 12-11 record and was awarded second team all-conference.

The first doubles tandem of Berowitz and Starrett was invited to compete in the Essex County Doubles Tournament following their unexpected victory over Montclair Kimberly Academy's first ranked doubles team. West Orange's top doubles team ended the season with an 18-4 record and earned a second-team all-conference spot, as did second singles player, sophomore Amy Wertheimer. Freshmen Alyson Berowitz filled the third singles position and received honorable mention all-conference.

The final team record of 17 wins and six losses was one of the best records in years. The team finished the year ranked ninth in the county and second in the conference. Fittingly, Coach Lesnik was voted Coach of the Year.



Returning a serve is senior Michelle Lambert. Lambert played first singles for three consecutive years.

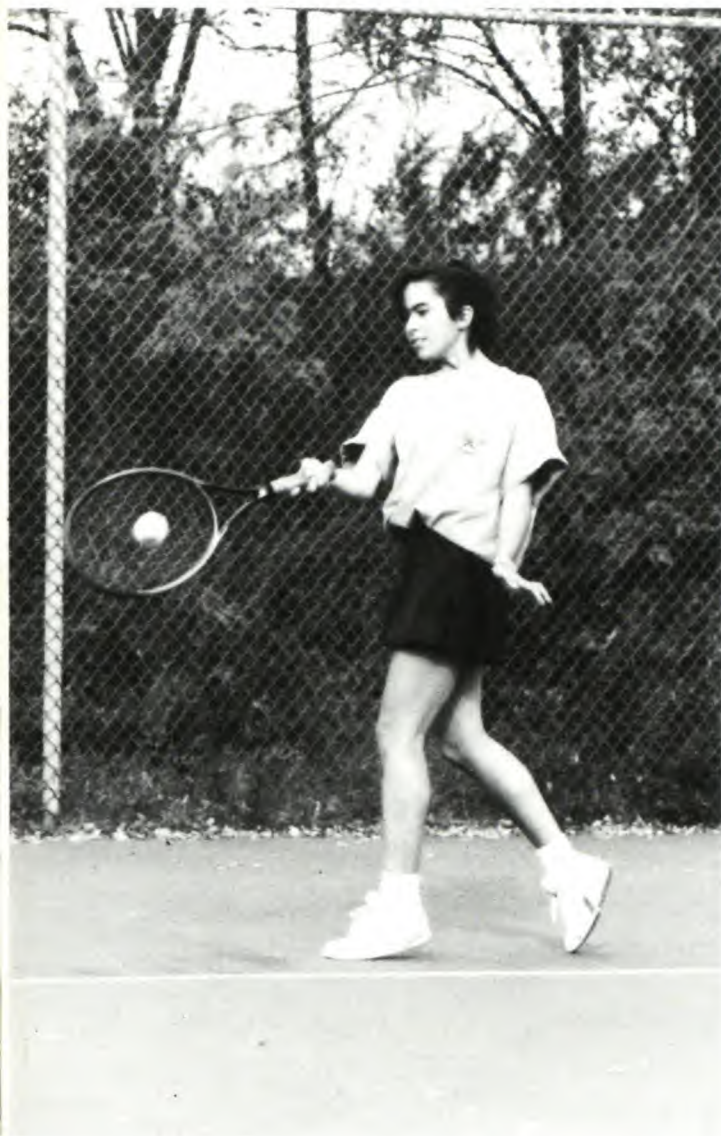


1992 Girls' Tennis



Demonstrating her court coverage, Paulina Berowitz smashes a powerful forehand cross court. Berowitz and Starrett were a dynamic duo at first doubles.

Michelle Lambert, Coach Lesnik, Paulina Berowitz and Rebecca Starrett



*I am really proud of the girls this year. I know it was hard for them to adjust to a new coach. I just hope next year's team does just as well.* — Coach Lesnik

*My senior year was great; excellent teammates, a terrific coach, and a winning season. I couldn't have asked for any more.* — Michelle Lambert

*Our team was really great this year. Even though tennis is an individual sport, we all worked well together and performed like a true team.* — Pauline Berowitz

*The fact that we've had four new coaches in the last four years made it really important that the team stick together, and we did.* — Rebecca Starrett



Rebecca Starrett attacks the net with a backhand volley. In Starrett's four years on the tennis team, she played under four coaches.





## All-Area Coach Leads

**Booters to ECT semis  
and 12-6-3 record**

Trying to follow in the footsteps of a previously successful team is never a comfortable experience. To the surprise of many, this year's boys' soccer squad accepted the challenge and prevailed with a 12-6-3 record.

Coach Sisbarro, in his first year back as soccer coach in West Orange, filled key positions with young, instinctive players, most notably co-captains Steve Mari, Craig Slaaen, Enrique Biasotti, and junior Jorge Chagas. First year player Mike Nevarez stepped in at goalie and was exceptional.

The most exciting moment of the soccer season came when the Essex County Tournament arrived. Seeded fourth out of 14 teams in the tournament, West Orange opened against an impressive Newark Academy squad. Goals by Slaaen and Chagas enabled the Mountaineers to face their long-time rivals, the Millburn Millers. In the first half, working with the aid of a fierce wind, the Mountaineers went up 1-0 on a score by Mari. The underdog Mountaineers threatened to force Millburn out of the ECT for the second year in a row. In the second half, the Mountaineers put up a defensive effort to shut down the driving Millers and secure a spot in the semi-final round of the ECT.

One week later, West Orange took the field at the New Jersey Institute of Technology, against the number two team in the county and the third ranked team in the state, the Columbia Cougars. The Mountaineers fell 2-0.

Still hoping for a conference championship, the Mountaineers had to win their four remaining games, but a tie with Montville caused them to fall shy of the championship.

When the season closed, the boys' soccer team held a 12-6-3 record. They had begun the season as lightly regarded by opponents, but were determined to measure up to the level of accomplishment of past teams. They finished the season as the number four ranked team in Essex County and for his part in the success story, Coach Sisbarro was named All-Area Coach of the Year.



First team all-conference defender Craig Slaaen, heads the ball. Slaaen's hard work paid off as he received many post-season honors including all-state recognition.



**1992 BOYS' SOCCER**



Midfielder, Steve Mari, looks to make an offensive move. Mari, the team's top scorer with 19 goals and 10 assists earned 2nd team Group IV honors.

All-Area Coach of the Year Fred Sisbarro



*I'm very pleased with the season, especially since there were only three lettermen. The ECT was the highlight of our season.*  
— Coach Sisbarro

*We had a good season. We worked as a real team. Even though we lost some games, we never quit once, which is what a real team does. I'm very proud of the team I played for.*  
— Craig Slaaen

*The reason we were so successful, was because no one expected much, so we had no pressure. We were able to just go out and have fun.*  
— Steve Mari



Enrique Biasotti clears the ball away from the net. Biasotti was a reliable player throughout his four seasons on the team.



Junior forward Jorge Chagas dribbles away from a West Side defender. Chagas was named a first-team all-conference forward.





## Competitive Seniors Build Foundation For the Future

After a number of difficult seasons, the 1992 girls' soccer team saw its first glimmer of light at the end of the tunnel. Competing in the extremely tough Skyline Division of the Northern Hills Conference, the Lady Mountaineers showed that they were ready to start to compete with some of the top teams that had taken West Orange lightly in the past. Teams such as West Milford, ranked 17th in the state, and conference powerhouse Wayne Valley did not expect strong efforts from the Mountaineers. Although losing twice to the Indians, the Mountaineers showed determination, losing by only a single goal in both games.

This year's improvement was a direct result of the hard work displayed throughout the four previous seasons by seniors Jodi Young, Patty Tracey, Wendy Reilly, Shari Martin, and Aphrodite Maravalias. This year, 42 girls turned out to experience Mountaineer soccer. With the numbers up and the improving talents in the lower grades, these seniors may have been the building blocks for success in the future.

The highlight of the season came when Jodi Young scored late in the second half against Montville to send the game into overtime. Although the game ultimately resulted in a 4-3 loss, the Mountaineers put forth a valiant effort. Coach Welter commented, "The Montville game was one of the best games any girls' team from West Orange High School has ever played."

Junior Jessica Spring led the team with five goals and two assists, while freshman Lauren Ljubichich followed with four goals. Patty Tracey, a transfer, took over the goalie position and instinctively became a leader, on and off the field.



Attacking the ball aggressively is Jodi Young. Young started at the forward position for two years.



1992 GIRLS' SOCCER



Goalie Patty Tracey makes a diving save. In her first year of Mountaineer soccer, she moved in as a top goalie and as a team leader.



Coach Welter



*Sometimes what we gain from being on a team means more than wins and losses. There are experiences that we grow from and adapt our lives to. We took pride in our team unity.*  
— Coach Welter

*We went out onto the field using the skills that we practiced. As a team, we had our good and bad days; and when it was a good day, we knew it and felt it. That commitment and positive feeling stuck with everyone.*  
— Jodi Young

*The Montville and Wayne Valley games were the memorable moments of this season. At the end of those games I was proud to be a member of the girls' soccer team. I'm really going to miss everyone a lot.*  
— Shari Martin



Shari Martin shields the ball from a defender. Martin was named first team all-area and second team all-conference as well as receiving all-state recognition.



About to send a pass to a teammate across the field is Wendy Reilly. Reilly was an integral player for four years.





## A Flourishing 5-4 Finish For The

# "Comeback Kids"

The world of sports is filled with clichés. Chief among them is the idea that "It ain't over 'til it's over". Anyone who followed Mountaineer football fortunes this season learned there's often a lot of truth to clichés.

The Mountaineer football team had its share of comebacks in 1992, starting on opening day at School Stadium against Pas-saic Valley. After being down 6-0, the Mountaineers tied the score on a six yard run by sophomore Andrew Dambreville in the second quarter. Later, Nolan Farris hit Rob Burfeind with six minutes remaining to give West Orange a come from behind victory and its first-ever opening day conference win.

After a loss to Montville, many questioned which Mountaineer team would show up for West Milford one week later. In a valiant, but losing effort, the Mountaineers rallied in the fourth quarter from a 21-7 deficit before falling 21-20.

After dealing Millburn a 28-6 drubbing, led by Lonnie Coney, the Mountaineers faced two conference powerhouses, Lakeland and Wayne Valley. After falling to Lakeland the Mountaineers were 2-3 and faced the 11th ranked team in the state. Holding the Indians to seven points over three and a half quarters, led by junior linebacker Brian Osterman and Burfeind, who registered four sacks and scored a touchdown, the Mountaineers fell 20-6.

Facing neighboring Orange at Bell Stadium was always difficult, especially after Orange's 8-1 season in 1991. Down 21-6 at halftime, the Mountaineers struck back in the third when Burfeind carried two defenders into the end zone on an 18 yard TD pass from Farris. Osterman's conversion run made it 21-14. With two minutes remaining Yusef Abdullah dashed 43 yards for a score which put the Mountaineers in another 21-20 predicament. Coach Pizzi elected to go for the win; Abdullah's conversion run made West Orange a come from behind winner.

Rob Burfeind, Coach Pizzi, and Nolan Farris



We had a very successful season. The coaching staff really enjoyed working with these players. They were a team that would not quit and knew how to win. I was extremely proud of them.

— Coach Pizzi

Hard work, dedication, and desire led us to win and showed us what it was like to succeed.

— Rob Burfeind

Our team continually improved. Even after a loss we picked each other up and learned from the experiences. I'm happy that in the end we always came out winners.

— Nolan M. Farris

Quarterback Nolan Farris prepares to handle a snap from center, Mike Ferretti. Both Farris and Ferretti started for two years.



Defensive back Conrad Muscarella shows run support as he stops a Clifford Scott back. Muscarella had key interceptions in Mountaineer victories against Scott and West Side.



Defending his quarterback, Mort Cadogan, takes care of a pass rusher. Cadogan was selected first team all-conference offensive tackle.



Chasing down a West Side running back at the Thanksgiving Day game is end Rob Burfeind. Burfeind led the team with 70 tackles and six touchdowns.



All-Conference junior fullback Brian Osterman cuts upfield avoiding a Wayne Valley defender. Osterman gained 478 yards this season.



Lonnie Coney breaks to the outside for additional yardage. Coney scored two touchdowns against Millburn.





S. Petros



D. Morsell



P. Lee



T. Columbo



E. Amores



B.  
Schafranek



M. Watts



S. Ameli



R. Colgan



D. Katz



G.  
Lieberman



D. Shiffer



R. Shipley



R. Boulard



S. Ryu



A. Johnson



S. Martin



C. Perrotta



P. Tracey

# WINTER SPORTS

## Linfante, Perrotta to West Orange skaters

### W. Orange rolls

#### GIRLS' BASKETBALL

**WEST ORANGE — 55**  
 Perrotta 7-(0)-0-14, Jones 3-(0)-0-6, Hildebrand 4-(0)-0-4, LaTara 1-(0)-2-4, Tracey 3-(1)-0-9, Martin 1-(0)-0-2, Scheher 4-(0)-0-8, Nagle 2-(0)-0-4, Aristide 0-(0)-0-0, Angkustsiri 0-(0)-0-0  
**Totals: 25-(1)-2-55**

**MONTVILLE — 32**  
 Wood 4-(0)-3-11, Vytell 0-(0)-0-0, Levin 0-(0)-0-0, Rem-pell 0-(0)-0-0, Santillano 0-(0)-1-1, Pinto 2-(0)-0-4, Orichio 0-(0)-0-0, Cieri 0-(0)-0-0, Sullivan 0-(0)-0-0, Morris 5-(0)-0-10, Schettinni 3-(0)-0-6  
**Totals: 14-(0)-4-32**

14	13	12	16	
8	3	7	16	-55
				-32

**WEST ORANGE — 70**  
 Shipley 1-(0)-0-2, Lieberman 0-(0)-3-3, D. Katz 3-(3)-1-16, Ameli 0-(1)-0-3, Colgan 0-(0)-0-0, Kelliehan 5-(1)-3-16, Aquino 4-(0)-6-14, Gibson 0-(0)-0-0, Burwell 1-(0)-3-5, Harrington 2-(0)-0-4, Dameville 3-(0)-0-6, B. Katz 0-(0)-1-1. **Totals: 19-(5)-17-70**

**PASSAIC VALLEY — 62**  
 Johnson 0-(0)-3-3, Mariconda 0-(0)-0-0, Mendillo 3-(0)-2-8, C. Nestico 3-(1)-0-9, A. Nestico 6-(0)-2-14, Dragone 4-(0)-3-11, Hoffman 7-(0)-3-17, Minely 0-(0)-0-0, Cerrigone 0-(0)-0-0. **Totals: 23-(1)-13-62**

West Orange	15	14	17	24	-70
Passaic Valley	6	17	18	21	-62

**West Orange grapplers strong**

West Orange 70, Passaic Valley 62: Dave Katz paced West Orange's 15-6 showing in the opening period with eight of his 16 points in West Orange. Zegale Kelliehan also netted 16 points for West Orange (6-12). Scott Hoffman had 17 for Passaic Valley.

West Orange 55, Montville 32: Cara Perrotta scored six of her 14 points to key a 13-3 second-quarter effort that gave West Orange (4-11) a 27-9 bulge in West Orange. Daniell Wood led Montville with 11 points.





G.  
Scharfstein



J. Zeppi



S. Spagnola



N.  
Hirschkind



K. Davis



T. Curcione



K. Chanda



D. Barron



D.  
Amendola



L. Abrams



S. Tone



H. Price



C. Lingle

# BLUE PRINTS

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**WEST ORANGE — 73**  
D. Katz 1-(3)-4-15, Gibson 0-(0)-0-0, Damberville 4-(0)-2-10, Aquino 8-(0)-4-20, Kellehan 3-(1)-2-11, Robertson 3-(0)-0-6, Ameli 1-(0)-0-2, Todd 1-(0)-0-2, Makrianas 1-(0)-0-2, B. Katz 0-(0)-0-0, Lieberman 1-(1)-0-5, Coigan 0-(0)-0-0. **Totals: 23-(5)-12-73.**

**MONTVILLE — 58**  
Relovsky 4-(3)-2-19, Smith 1-(0)-0-2, Ferrovicchio 7-(0)-5-19, Tripp 1-(0)-4-8, Bernslein 1-(0)-4-6, Buys 0-(0)-0-0, Immediato 1-(0)-0-2, Hargrove 0-(0)-0-0, Chandler 0-(0)-0-0, Bartlett 0-(0)-2-2, Schwartz 0-(0)-0-0. **Totals: 15-(3)-19-58.**

West Orange	10	26	19	18	-73
Montville	16	13	12	17	-58

### Take off

Mountaineer Nolan Farris placed fifth in the state track and field championships. Page B2.



### BOYS' BASKETBALL

#### West Orange 45, Cedar Grove 26

103—Luke Guarino, C, dec. Walt Kilcullen, 6-3.  
112—Ernesto Alcadie, W, won by forfeit.  
119—John Selpe, W, pinned Brian Sheridan, :48.  
125—Mike Brovaco, W, dec. Shane Faurot, 9-8.  
130—Anthony Alcadie, W, pinned Jeremy Conti, :48.  
135—Paul Maddelina, C, won by forfeit.  
140—Chris O'Connell, W, pinned Eli Budelman, 1-16.  
145—Rick Ferretti, W, won by forfeit.  
152—Mike LoCasio, C, pinned Steve Klein, :48.  
160—Chris Budleman, C, won by forfeit.  
171—Keith Iza, C, pinned Mike Weiner, 2-58.  
189—Ray Boulard, W, pinned Arnold Vicidoni, 3-30.  
Heavyweight—Joe Shin, W, won by forfeit.  
Records: West Orange 3-6, Cedar Grove 5-4.

Price sisters  
make splash  
at county  
swim meet.  
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#### West Orange 33, Glen Ridge 27

103—Shadi Rimawi, G, pinned Walter Kilcullen, 1-05.  
112—Yung Kim, W, won by forfeit.  
119—John Selpe, W, pinned Michael Spina, 1-53.  
125—Michael Bravoco, W, dec. Tom Cecere, 13-3.  
130—Anthony Alcadie, W, dec. Adrian Plantilla, 13-6.  
135—Chris O'Connell, W, dec. Sean Cohane, 18-3 (tech. fall 5:46).  
140—Neli Flattery, G, dec. Brian Lieberman, 8-2.  
145—Matt Archer, G, dec. Rick Ferretti, 6-5.  
152—Delly Makle, G, pinned Sam Yin, 2-51.  
160—Steve Ryu, W, dec. Jonathan Elliot, 9-2.  
171—Mike Weiner, W, won by forfeit.  
189—Sam Delaney, G, pinned Ray Boulard, 3-04.  
Heavyweight—Dan Kerr, G, dec. Joe Shin, 5-3.  
Records: West Orange 4-7, Glen Ridge 7-5.



J. Berke



L. Coney



N. Farris



J. Marasco



P. Nguyen



R. Burgess





Pius Lee prepares to pass the puck. Lee led the team with 12 goals and 15 assists.



Steve Petros stops the puck and prepares for a slapshot. Petros was selected as a 2nd team all-star in his division.



Stick-handling on a breakaway is Dave Morsell. Morsell started at the forward position for two years.

Coach Hausler



*Many players worked hard since last season. Five games were lost by one goal. We had improved defensive play and improved skills.*

— Bill Hausler

*Over all my four years of high school the most enjoyable activity I participated in was ice hockey. Thanks to all the guys for millions of laughs and memories.* — Steve Petras

*Our record and statistics may not have been what we wanted them to be, but heart and drive cannot be measured on paper.*

— Pius Lee



## Skaters Struggle After

# Sensational Start

The 1992-93 hockey team bolted out of the box going undefeated in their first five games. Led by seniors Tom Columbo, Pius Lee, Eleazor Amores, Mike Watts, juniors Doug Wannamacher, Pete Perkowski, Greg Cuvin, and sophomore Vinnie Almagno and the solid defense from Dave Morsell, junior Ty Tyler, and freshman Greg Gilman, the team posted a 4-0-1 record in mid-December. However, after a heartbreaking loss to Toms River South, the team could manage only one more victory over the course of the season. The team was able to sweep the season series against West Essex and Marist with one of those victories being a season opening 11-0 whipping of Marist when Columbo posted a hat trick. A spectacular goal by Amores helped cap another win against West Essex later in the season. Post-season accolades were given to Doug Wannamacher and Pete Perkowski, who were awarded first team all-conference. Steve Petros was selected to the second team all-conference team, and Pius Lee received honorable mention all-conference. Lee tallied 12 goals and 15 assists on the year. Coach Bill Hausler said that although the team did not have a successful record, he was impressed by the way the team stuck together through the rough part of the season.



Weaving across ice is Tom Columbo. Columbo registered a hat trick in an 11-0 victory against Marist.



Captain Doug Wannamacher prepares for a face-off. Wannamacher, a junior, was a 1st team all-star.



Coach Ortelli with captains Dave Katz, Rick Colgan, and Zegale Kelliehan.



In a crowd, Ron Shipley demonstrates his jump shooting form. Shipley came on strong late in the season.



*Our program is at a crucial state. The team played hard all season for the most part. However, the younger players need to make the commitment so the program can get to the next level.*

— Coach Ortelli

*We had our share of internal problems and we weren't consistent. However, the one consistent thing was that we played hard every second on the court.*

— Glenn Lieberman

*Although we didn't win many games, I thought the team was successful in overcoming the hardships and tough times we suffered through and we remained a team.*

— David Katz



On a breakaway, Steve Ameli soars for an easy two against Clifford Scott.



Junior point guard Zegale Kelliehan skies above defenders and passes down low for an assist. He led the team in assists and steals.



Glenn Lieberman demonstrates the tough defense which became his trademark.





Hoopsters Hang Tough In

## Traumatic Season

The boys' basketball team had to overcome more than its share of hardships and trauma during their season. The team had high expectations coming out of the pre-season scrimmages but after two tough losses to Wayne Valley and West Side, Coach Tim Ortelli was forced to regroup his team. The Mountaineers earned their first victory in a tightly contested game against Livingston before starting the new year. However, the new year did not ring in much success as the Mountaineers struggled through the next month. Losses mounted and the team, and the entire community, was devastated by the sudden passing of senior reserve forward Dan Shiffer. The loss of Shiffer was particularly tough because Shiffer was well liked, always gave 100%, and really loved the game.

The team was able to stay as a unit through this tough time and was able to win games against Wayne Valley and Montville twice. The team was always a hard working bunch, giving their best effort, but the consistency just wasn't there. Great play followed by scoring droughts and defensive lapses led to tough losses.

The team was led by tri-captain David Katz with a 6.2 scoring average, Miguel Aquino, who had a team high average, and tri-capt. Zegale Kelliehan, who averaged 10.5 points and 3.3 assists. Other key members of the team were Glenn Lieberman, Ron Shipley, Steve Ameli, tri-captain Rick Colgan, Andrew Damberville, and Dan Gibson. Coach Ortelli always praised his team for its strong effort, but he realized that the players must make an added commitment to make the team stronger.



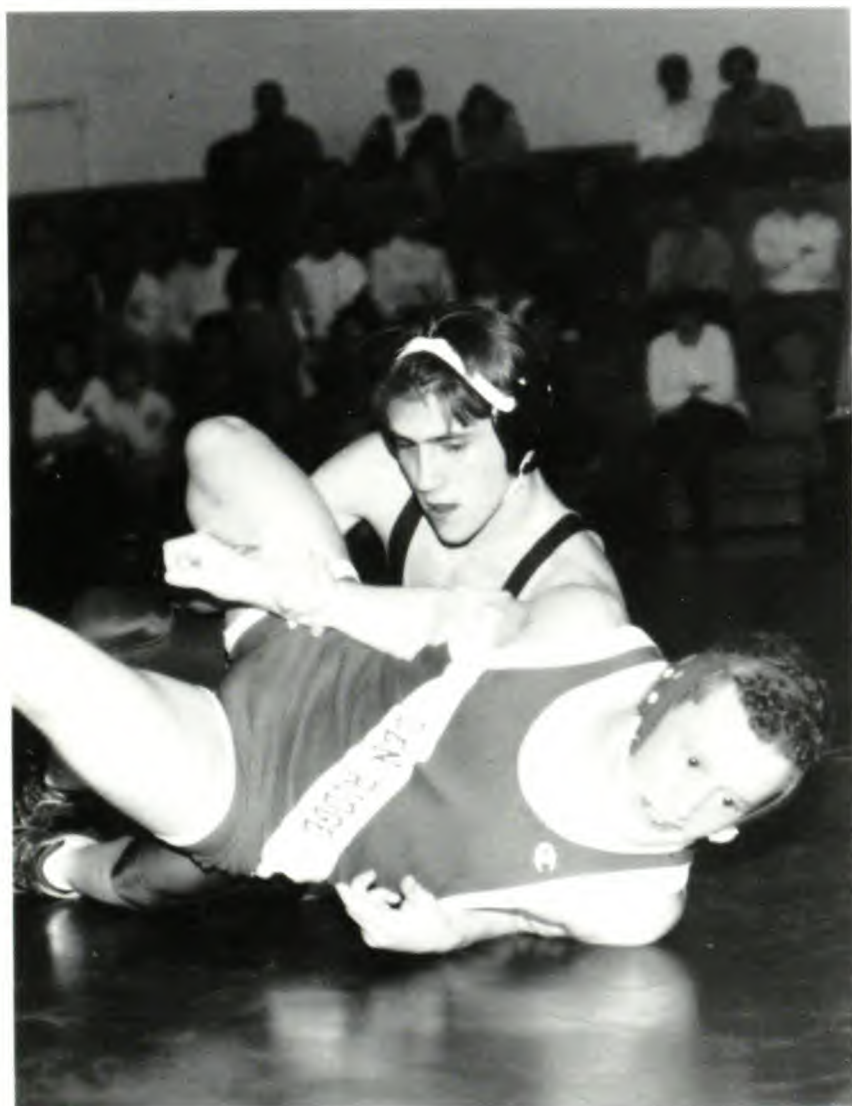
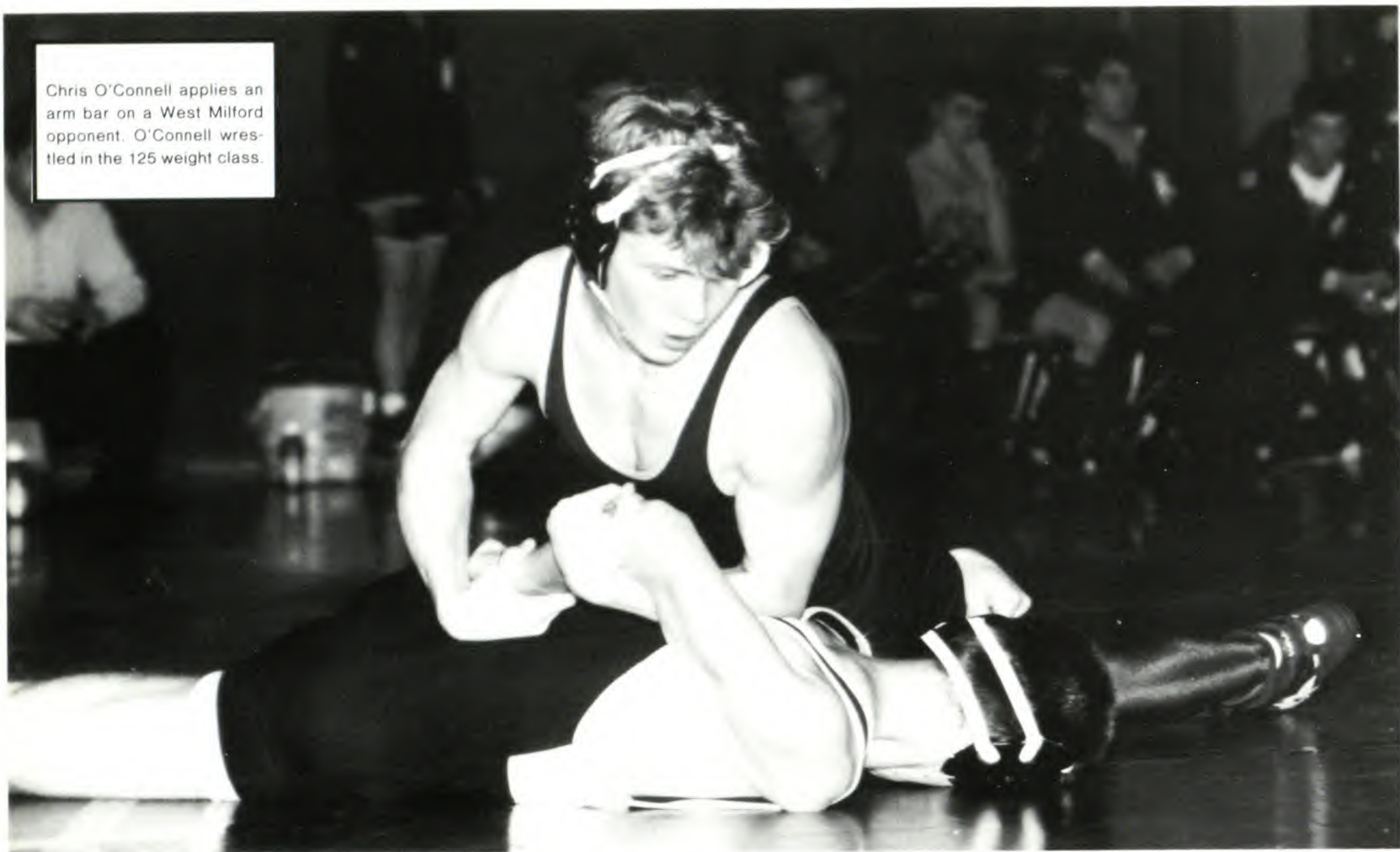
Skying over two Clifford Scott giants is senior captain David Katz. Katz was also deadly from three point land, as he led the team in three pointers.



1993 Boys' Basketball



Chris O'Connell applies an arm bar on a West Milford opponent. O'Connell wrestled in the 125 weight class.



Junior John Selpe tilts a Glen Ridge wrestler for back points. Selpe advanced to compete in the regionals.



Executing a front headlock is sophomore Ernesto Alcalde. Alcalde placed 3rd in the regionals at Passaic Valley.





Coach Lutkins

*This year's wrestling team was dominated by individual performances. Molding these individuals into a team is now our goal.*  
— Coach Lutkins

*If you want to succeed in wrestling, 'come to wrestle hard or don't come at all.'*  
— Ray Boulard

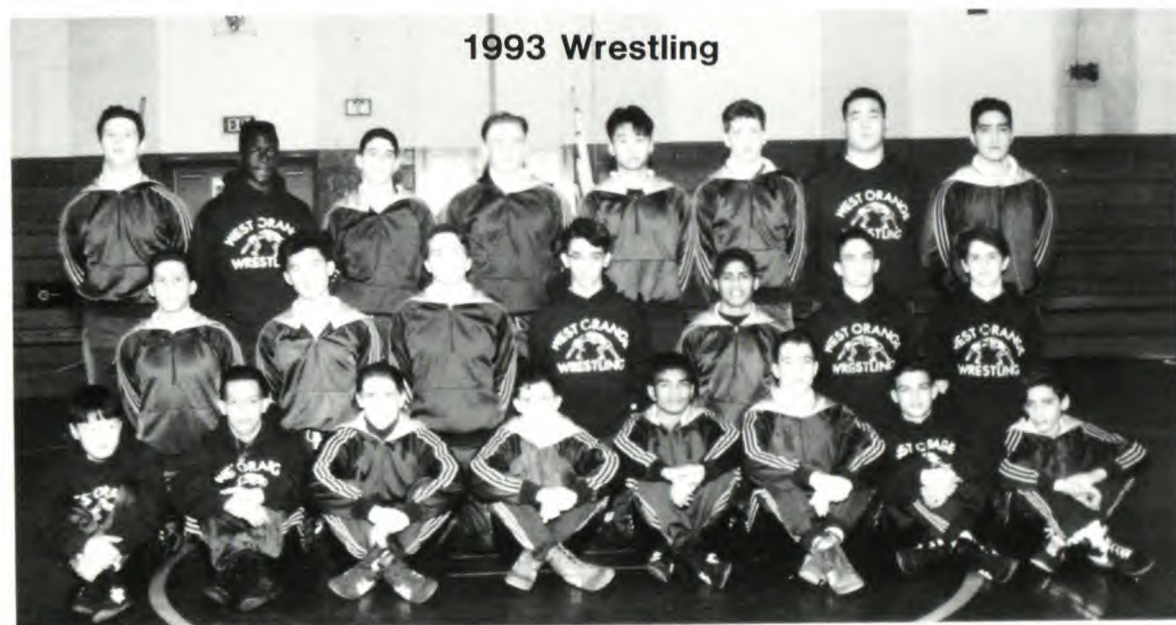
*It was my first varsity year in wrestling. The lessons were tough for us, but by hard work we learned more about each other and ourselves.*  
— Steve Ryu

## Wrestlers Pin Hopes On Talented Underclassmen

Dedication and commitment became the bywords of the 1992-93 wrestling team. Although the team finished the season with a 5-8 record, the success of the team was measured primarily by standout individual performances. Ray Boulard finished 3rd in the district tournament competing at 189 pounds. Steve Ryu, recognized for his commitment and loyalty by his coaches, finished 2nd at the West Orange Tournament, wrestling in both the 152 and 160 pound weight classes. John Selpe, a junior, finished the year with a remarkable 22-5 record and placed 2nd in District 13 at 119 pounds. Anthony Alcalde, also a junior, placed 3rd in the district and finished with a 9-4 record in the 130 pound weight class while Walt Killecullen, another junior, finished with a 19-9 record while placing 4th in District 13 at 103 pounds. Ernesto Alcalde became the first sophomore to become a district champion at 112 pounds. He also finished 3rd in the regionals. Other key members of the wrestling squad included juniors Chris O'Connell, Rick Ferretti, and Mike Bravaco, and sophomore Joe Shin.

Coach Lutkins noted that although the individual accomplishments were significant, he would rather see more team balance which would result in a better overall team record.

### 1993 Wrestling



Working top and anticipating two additional points is Steve Ryu.





*The team played hard every game. We were very aggressive on defense all season.* — Ms. Risse

*I'm really proud of the way we worked together this season. It's important to learn how to work with others. We learned to be persistent. I loved every game.* — Anika Johnson

*Our team had its share of ups and downs, but in our hearts we always came out winners.* — Cara Perrotta



Sophomore center Catherine Hildebrand soars above two defenders. Hildebrand was a starter for two years.



Forward Shari Martin eludes a defender. Martin was a dedicated member of the team for three years.





Large Turnout Has

## Girls on Rebound

Coming into a new season, any coach would want their team to be hard working and consistent. With the girls' basketball team, there was never any doubt about the former, but it was the lack of the latter that proved to be a stumbling block. However, there were signs of improvement from the previous year.

One reason for the improvement was the increase in the number of girls participating in the program. For the first time in three years, the girls' program was able to field teams on the freshman, junior varsity, and varsity levels.

Another reason for the improvement was the hard working effort the team gave every time they took the floor. The team was led by seniors Cara Perrotta, who averaged 4.4 steals and 4.4 rebounds a game, and Patty Tracey, who led the team with a 16.0 scoring average. Tracey, a transfer from Mount St. Domenick's, was one of the top offensive threats in the conference. Also playing important roles on the team were seniors Shari Martin and Anika Johnson, junior Diana LaPara, sophomores Catherine Hildebrand and Cheryl Jones, and freshman Michelle Nagle.

The team finished with a 5-13 record with wins against Montville, Orange, and a great defensive effort against West Essex. The highlight of the season came when the Lady Mountaineers found themselves down by only two points going into the fourth quarter against the top ranked team in the county, the Cliffford Scott Lady Scotties.

Head coach Judy Risse was very happy with the team's hard working nature, its discipline, and the teamwork that showed during the wins, and maybe more importantly, the losses.

In traffic, captain Cara Perrotta converts another steal into two points. Perrotta led the team in steals and rebounds.



1993 GIRLS' BASKETBALL



Coach Suriano talks strategy with senior Lonnie Coney.



The most astonishing fact about this season was we used only five boys and placed second in the Northern Hills Conference Championship.

— Coach Suriano

The competitive assets of this team produced a winning attitude which complemented a winning coach: Coach Suriano

— Jonathan Berke

The indoor track team performed very well. The runners' dedication and hard work led them to many successes. I was glad to be a part of it.

— Peter P. Nguyen

High jumper Nolan Farris clears his winning height of 6'2" at the conference meet at Fairleigh Dickinson. Farris placed second in the county with a jump of 6'4".



Working to pass a Columbia sprinter is Joe Marasco. Marasco was an integral part of the 4x400 relay team.



John Berke, a senior captain, maintains his distance from a Nutley runner. Berke was a four-year member of the indoor track team.





## Farris Takes Team to New Heights

A mix of talented youngsters and veterans made the West Orange Indoor Track Team a powerful force during the 1993 season. Senior high jumper Nolan Farris placed first in both East Stroudsburg meets with jumps of 6'2" and 6'3". Farris also jumped 6'4" to place second in the Essex County meet, and 6'2" to win the conference meet at Farleigh Dickinson. Coach Suriano referred to Farris as "an intellectual jumper, who combines mental concentration and technique to excel."

Coming into his own this season was senior Peter Nguyen, a four year hurdler who experienced a great season. Nguyen placed third in the conference meet, and posted a 8.0 second mark to place fourth in the Essex County Championships in the 55 meter hurdles. His fourth place showing was hailed as "a great accomplishment" by Coach Suriano.

Senior Lonnie Coney also showed flashes of brilliance during the winter season. Coney clocked the fastest split, 52.0 seconds, in the mile relay during the Essex County Championships. He also ran the 55 meter dash finals in 6.6 seconds and finished second in the Northern Hills Conference meet.

The freshmen 4x200 relay quartet of Yusef Abdullah, Ray DeCarlo, Dwan Dickerson, and Levar Riley won every event they entered as well as setting three meet records. In the Queen of Peace meet, Abdullah and Dickerson won gold medals, with Abdullah winning the 55 meters, and Dickerson winning the 400 meters. Overall, the team won 15 medals and set two meet records at the Queen of Peace meet.

Several other competitors contributed to a successful season, including seniors Jon Berke and Joe Marasco, and juniors Stephanie Bromberg, Sue Nguyen, Jessica Goldstein, and Paul Ryu.



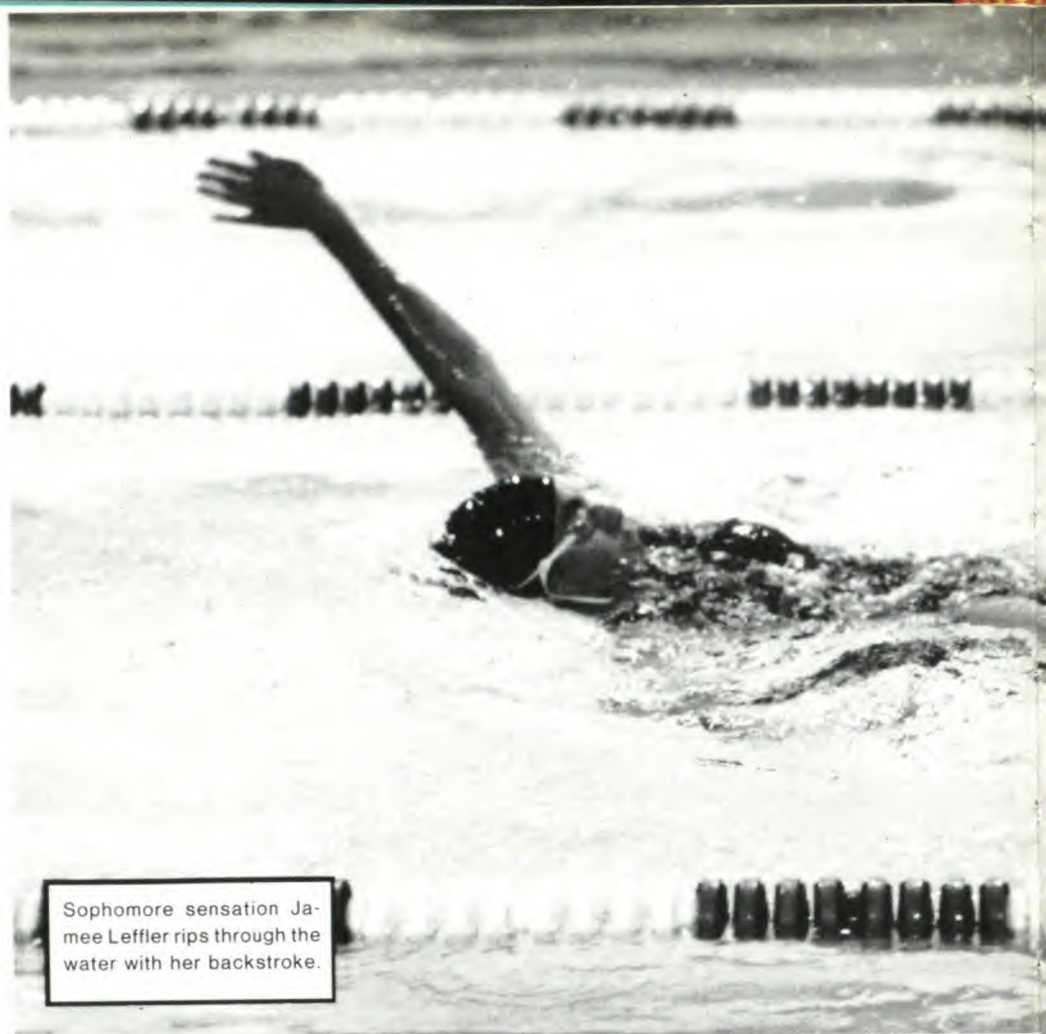
Gliding over the first hurdle is Peter Nguyen. Nguyen came on strong to earn a 4th place in the county this season in the high hurdles.



1993 INDOOR TRACK



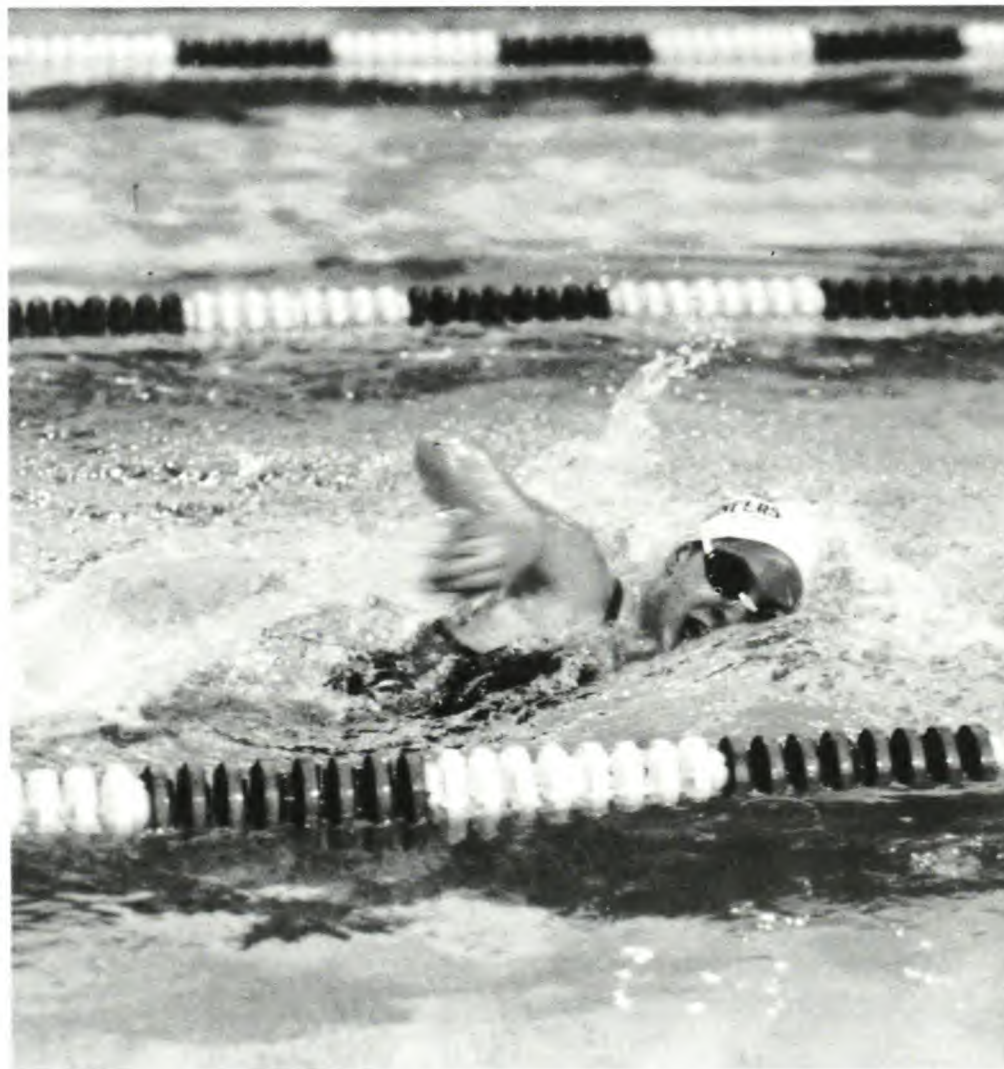
Finishing strong is Sonya Tone. Tone contributed four seasons to the Mountaineer swim team.



Sophomore sensation Jamie Leffler rips through the water with her backstroke.



"On Your Mark!" Hilary Price readies to bolt from the block towards another victory.



Freestyle champ Gretchen Price competes in the NJSIAA Championships.





*At the beginning of the year we knew that we had a young team. This group turned out to be one of the top three teams in West Orange swimming history. — Mr. Jung*

*We had a very successful season. The hard work and dedication of everyone on the team really paid off in dual meets and at the county meet. — Hilary Price*

*The swim team was a great part of my senior year. The team spirit and coach cooperation made the team. I'll miss all the swimmers and the coaches very much. — Sonya Tone*

## Overachieving Swimmers . . .

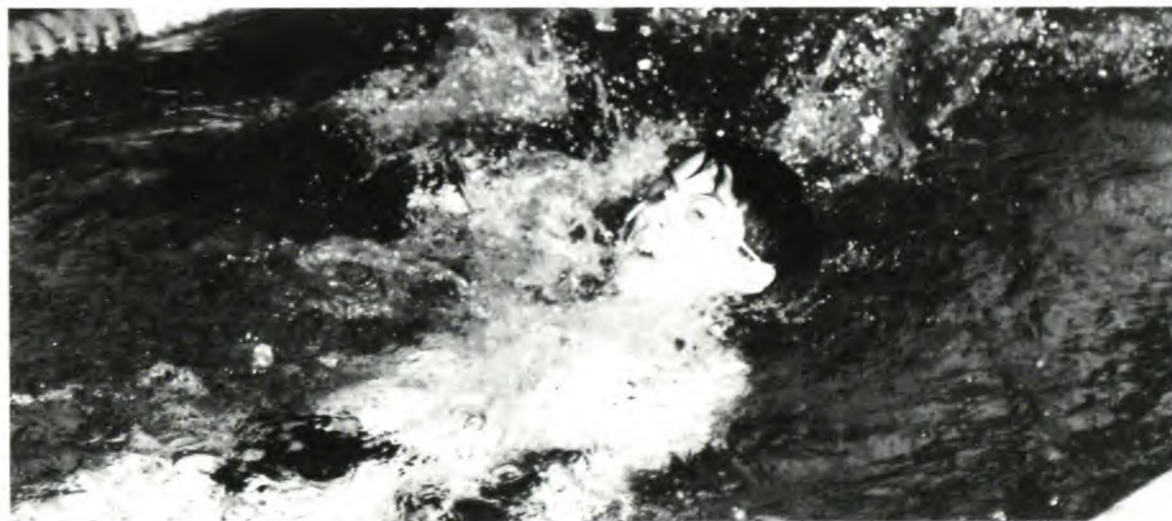
# A Stroke Ahead

Although the West Orange swimming team lost a number of swimmers from the previous year's successful team, this year's group of overachieving participants was able to post another solid record with big wins over Morris Knolls and West Essex. Coming into the season, the team modestly hoped to notch a .500 record but with a record of 10-5, they exceeded everyone's expectations. Many individual accomplishments were also witnessed during the season. Senior Hilary Price defended her Essex County title in the 50 yd. free as well as placing 2nd in the 200 free and the 200 yard free relay. Hilary also finished in the top 50 swimmers in the state in the 50 free for the second year in a row on her way to being named to the first team all-county squad. She was a member of the all-county team for four years and was a county champ two years in a row.

Hilary's sister, Gretchen, only a sophomore, defended her 100 and 500 free titles at the Essex County Championships. She placed 5th in the 200 and 500 free at the NJSIAA State Championships. Gretchen also set three team records in the 100, 200, and 500 free. Gretchen earned first team all-county honors, as did Jamee Leffler, junior Gary Erichetti, and sophomores Jenny Dalzell and Leslie Dorman. Other important members included seniors Robert Burgess, Sonya Tone, Chris Lengle, and juniors Mark Reimer and Marvin Nevatta.

Coach Ed Jung praised the swimming team for its hard work. "This group was really a bunch of over-achievers; they surprised everyone's expectations."

1993 Swim Team



Demonstrating both the power and grace required in the backstroke is Chris Lengle.



During half time of the Homecoming football game the Mountaineer cheerleaders perform their dance. This year's dance was choreographed by tri-captains Lauren Abrams, Kim Chanda, and JoAnn Zeppi.



Standing proudly, the cheerleaders complete a pyramid during a basketball timeout.



Flying through the air is JoAnn Zeppi. The basket toss, shown here, was just one of the difficult stunts performed by the cheerleaders this season.





*Our squad put in a great deal of time and effort. Through good times and bad, we continued to show our spirit all year long. — Lauren Abrams*

*We had our share of ups & downs but we always came out on top. The memories and friends made were worth all of the hard work. — Kim Chanda*

*We've been through smiles, frowns, hard times & easy times but we stayed together & accomplished perfection & created tradition. — JoAnn Zeppi*



## Cheerleaders — True Athletes For ALL Season!

They developed lasting friendships and shared many fond memories of being Mountaineer cheerleaders. The uniforms and pom-poms were festive; the grueling practices were not.

Their year began at the Universal Cheerleading Association summer camp at William Paterson College. For four long, hot days the cheerleaders practiced cheers, partner stunts, and dance routines. On the fourth day, they competed against other squads and received excellent and superior ribbons, a spirit stick given to the squad that displayed the most spirit, and a trophy for most improved squad.

Their hard work carried them into their fall season, which consisted of performing at the girls' and boys' soccer and football games. The squad "came alive" with fancy footwork and innovative moves during their half time routine choreographed by senior tri-captains Lauren Abrams, Kim Chanda, and JoAnn Zeppi. Two new events, the bonfire, held on Thanksgiving Eve, and a cheerleading competition in West Milford highlighted the season.

Without missing a day of practice, the girls started preparation for their winter season the Monday after Thanksgiving. This meant cheering every weeknight and most Saturdays for girls' and boys' basketball and wrestling.

Spring's arrival announced a third season which consisted of marching in the annual St. Patrick's Day Parade, updating the Police Athletic League's cheerleading program, and training future squad members. Despite their hectic schedule, the cheerleaders still found time for their traditional cheerleading dinner.

## 1992-1993 Cheerleaders



Tara Curcione and Nicole Hirschkind cheer on the wrestling team during a match this winter.

Tri-captains JoAnn Zeppi, Lauren Abrams, and Kim Chanda





## Another Bowling Winner As **Sherman Retires**

Coming into the year, Coach Laura Sherman had mixed feelings about the upcoming season. Although no seniors were lost to graduation, it was still a very young team. There was also not much time for practice before the season, and the team had to be ready to bowl when the 1993 campaign began.

Behind the leadership of junior captains Hakim Pridgeon and Joe Cicarone the team posted a record of seven wins and five losses. The wins over Orange, West Side, Millburn, and Clifford Scott brought them a record well over the .500 plateau.

In the middle of the season the team held a record of 4-4 and lacked a certain consistency. With the help of teammates Elliot Beirach, Ethan Snyder, Jon Donker, and Adam Manzor, the co-captains knocked off three of their last four opponents to easily post a winning record.

Post-season honors included another all-conference 1st team selection award to Hakim Pridgeon. It was his second consecutive season in which he received that award. Ethan Snyder received an all-conference honorable mention award as well.

Coach Sherman acknowledged the team's youth and was content with their third place finish in the conference. Coach Sherman had been teaching at West Orange High School for twenty-five and one-half years before her retirement at the end of the bowling season.

Elliot Beirach demonstrates his approach. Beirach bowled a 232 during his first season in '92 and also served as a basketball manager.



Displaying correct extension is junior Hakim Pridgeon. Pridgeon, a co-captain, had a 168 average.



**1993 BOWLING**



Doctor Small, student trainer Greg Scharfstein, and head trainer Don Smith help Joe Ciccarone off the field after he injured his leg during a football game.



## Facility Renovations Place Trainers on the Move

In his second year as trainer, Don Smith and his student trainer staff again took on the responsibilities of keeping the athletes healthy, whether it was taping ankles, filling the ice chest, checking blue cards, or making sure the medical kit was filled. Smith and his student trainers kept all of the essentials covered.

Although the trainers lost their room and most of their equipment due to construction, they were able to make use of the gym, make-up room, hallways, locker rooms, and even the Lincoln gym. This year's student trainer team was made up of four-year veteran Greg Scharfstein, juniors Pervi Patel, Rebecca Shiffer, and Pam Isaacson, and sophomore Meg Patel. Each student trainer was well schooled in taping as well as different procedures for treating assorted muscle injuries. A vital part of each sport, the trainers were able to cover every sporting event and tried to keep all the West Orange athletes in competitive condition. Smith was pleased with his staff and appreciated the chance to make a positive contribution toward athletes' goals. Scharfstein echoed that sentiment and went on to praise Smith, noting, "Mr. Smith did a great job compensating for the loss of our regular training facility."



Coming to the aid of Chris O'Connell during a wrestling match is trainer Don Smith. Coach Lutkins looks on.





J. Kaufman



S. Gokhale

# 1993 SPRING



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N.  
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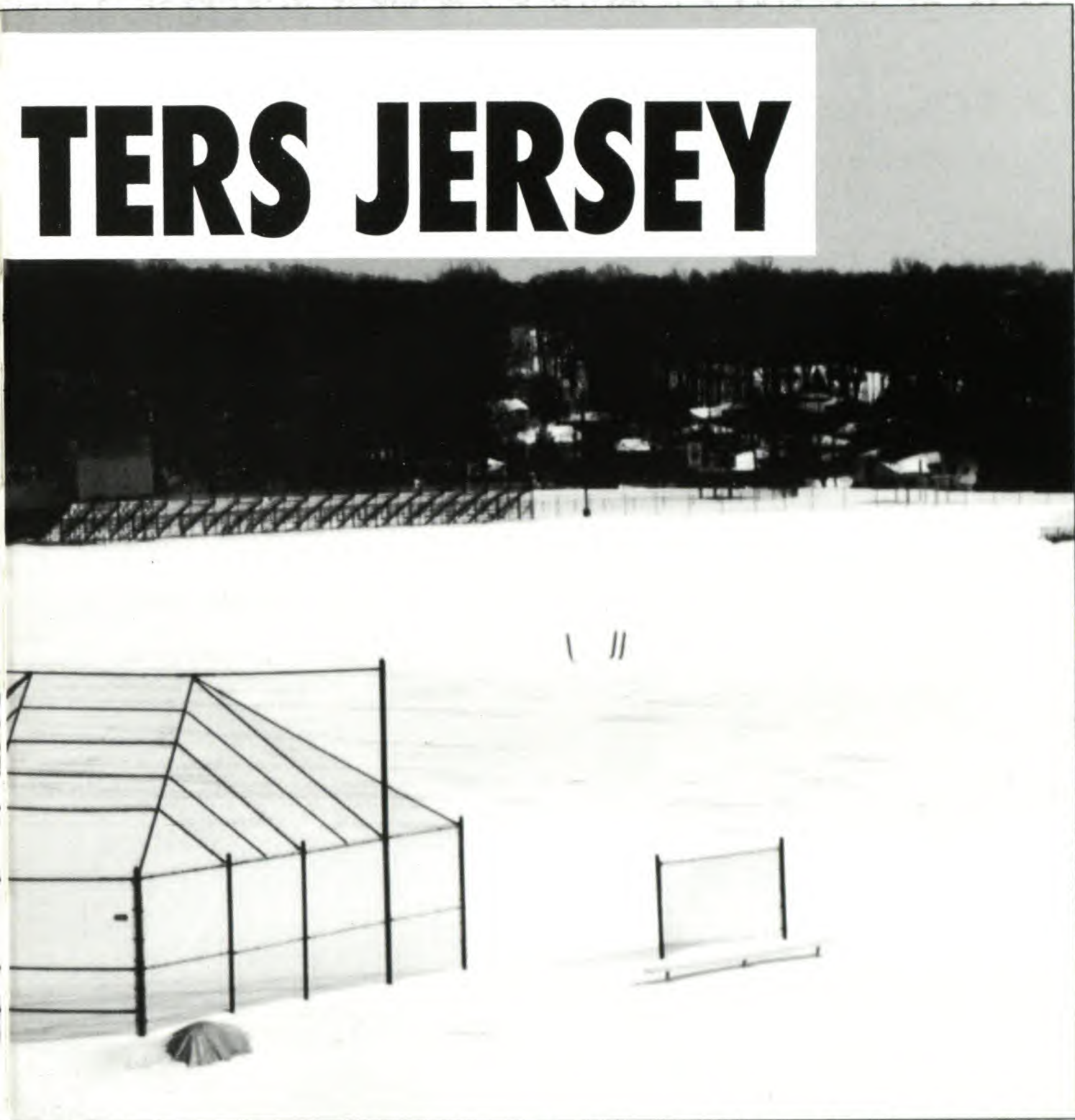
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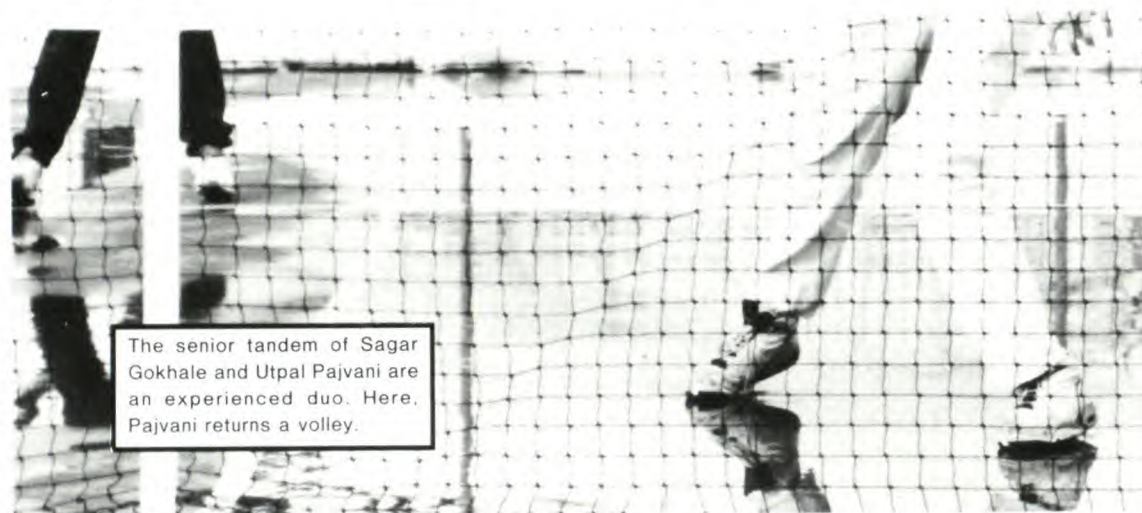
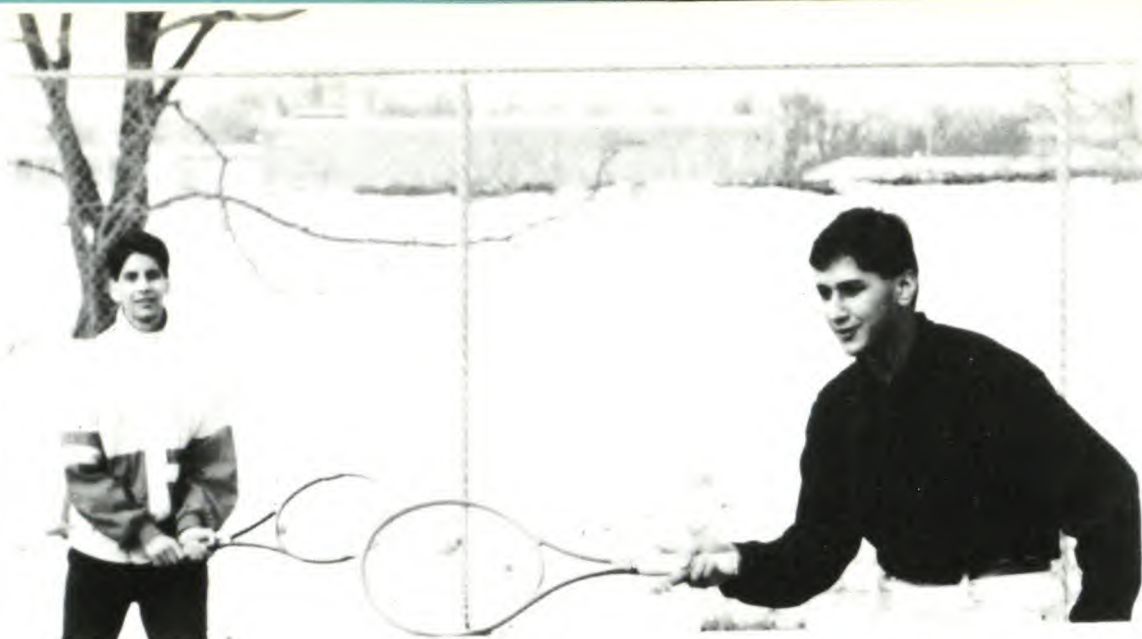


*The team has a lot of depth and the potential is there for a record season.*

— Coach Lesnik

*With a young team and new coach, it will probably take a while for our team to mesh, but we have the potential to have a promising season.*

— Jeremy Kaufman



The senior tandem of Sagar Gokhale and Utpal Pajvani are an experienced duo. Here, Pajvani returns a volley.



Navneeth Thirumalai slices a backhand.



Senior Jeff Weinstock smashes a forehand return. This was his first year on the team.



One of the most important aspects of tennis is the serve. Junior Tapan Maniar demonstrates the proper form.



Returning a shot is senior captain Jeremy Kaufman. Kaufman competed at first doubles for two years.



1993 BOYS' TENNIS





*The team consisted of four players with varsity experience. The team may have been inexperienced, but they had a great work ethic and love for the game.*

— Coach Urbanski

*We gave our all for the team. Each inning we played we played it as though it would be our last.*

— Joe DePalma



Training to save an opponent's homerun is senior tri-captain Joe DePalma. DePalma was known for his spectacular catches.



Outfielder Mike Rullo looks the ball into his glove.

## 1993 BASEBALL



Albert Koller receives the ball from a Mountaineer pitcher. Koller was also a pitcher for the team.



Snaring a line drive is Greg Dillon.



Proper concentration is essential for hitting. Dave Morsell shows that concentration.



**King of the Hill!** Dave Katz looks in for a sign. Katz was a consistent varsity player for the Mountaineers for three years.



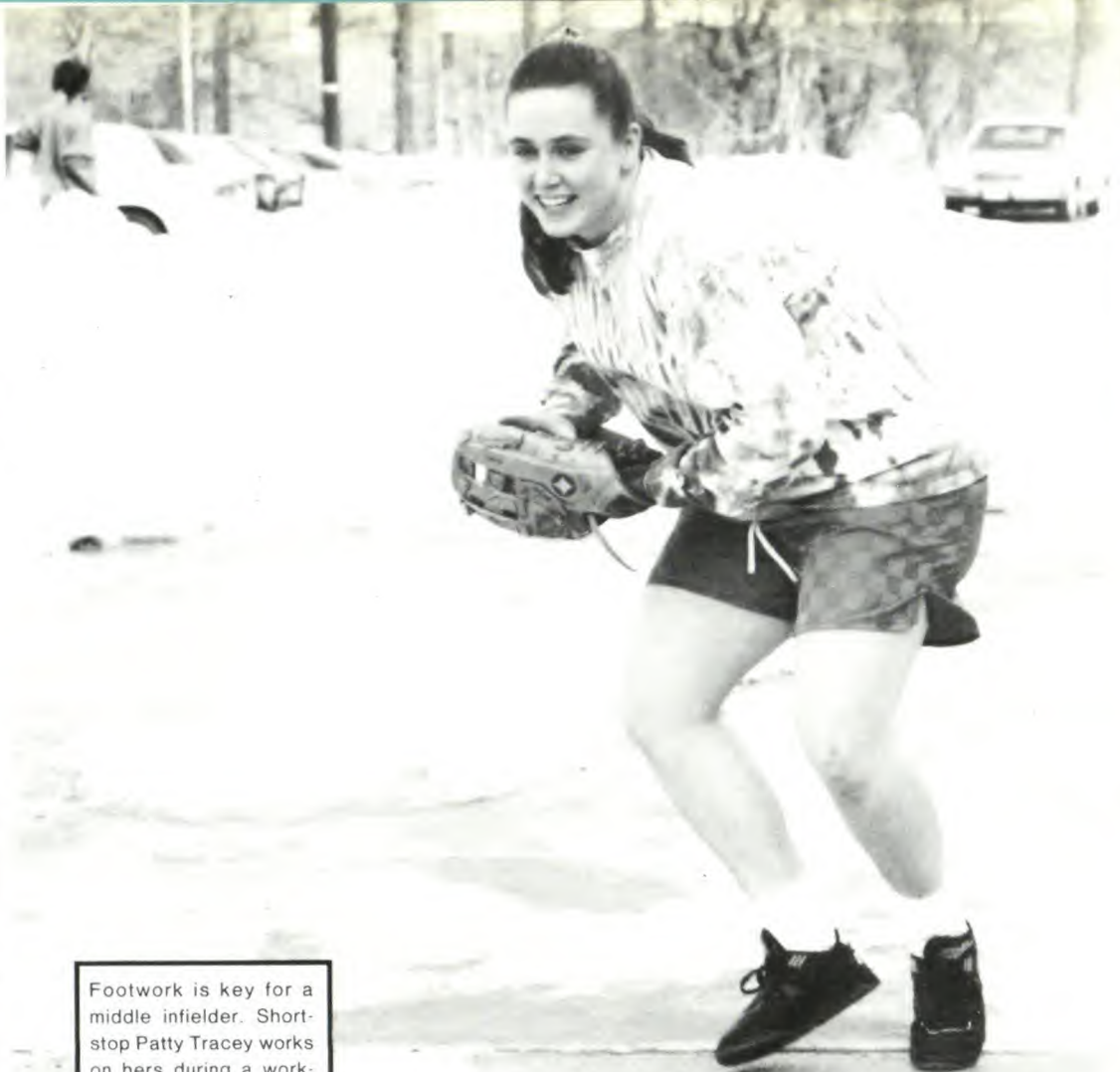


*Although our team was made up of only one senior and four returning letterman, we were very positive about our season.*

— Coach Risse

*The team got along well during the pre-season and continued to improve throughout the season.*

— Patty Tracey



Footwork is key for a middle infielder. Short-stop Patty Tracey works on hers during a work-out.



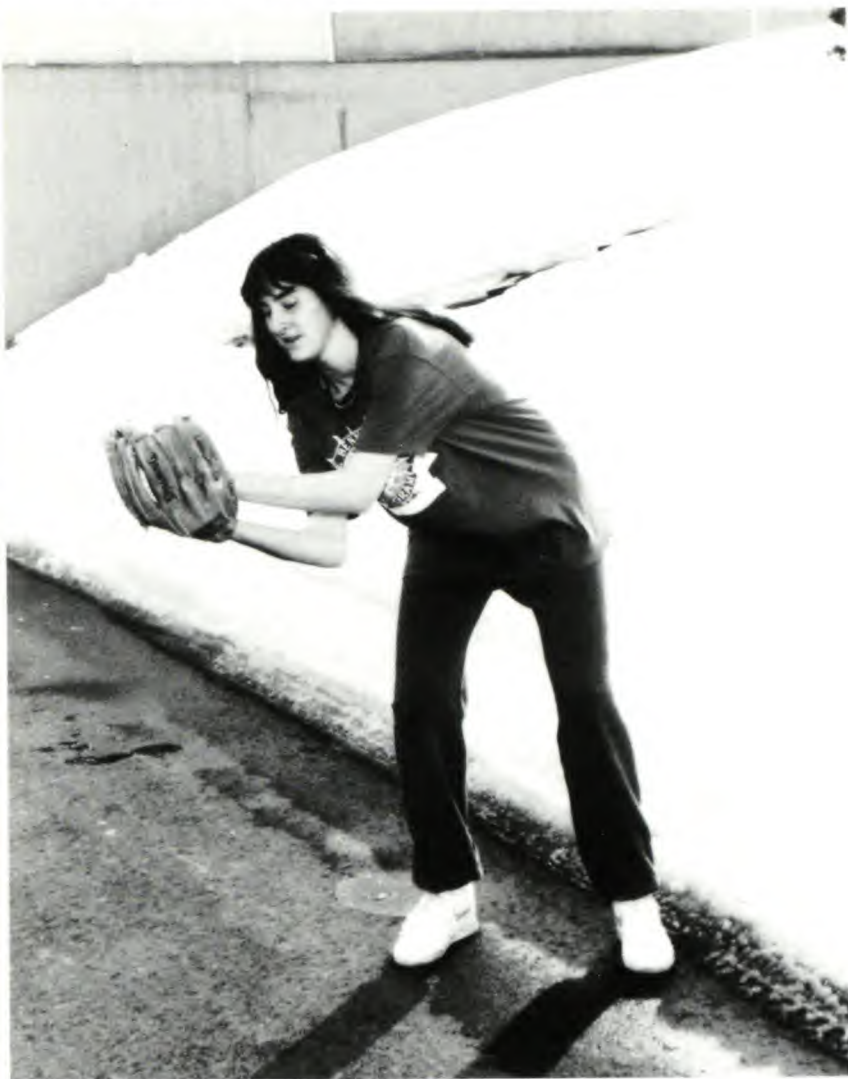
Sophomore Cheryl Jones works on her release.



Diane LaPara reaches for a pitch. The shinguards came in handy for practices on pavement.



Southpaw Erica Minde snatches an errant throw while warming up.



Quianna Write works on her stance.







*We expected to have a fine field performance from the track team this year. We had a lot of young and enthusiastic performers on both boys and girls track teams.*

— Mr. Minni

*With such a large team, it was hard at first to make it work, but we all came together as a team after a few weeks.*

— Heather Bury



Training for the season is distance runner Heather Bury. Bury was the conference champ in the two mile.



Practicing her shot put form is Gloria Nash. Nash became the conference champ in May.



Jon Berke readies himself for the upcoming season. Berke competed in sprints and middle-distances.



Mort Cadogan starts his shot put attempt. This was his first season on the team.



Concentration is an important part of hurling the discus. Mike Ferretti displays his concentration before his throw during a workout.



Nolan Farris works on his javelin release. Farris competed in both the javelin and high jump for the team for three years.



## 1993 TRACK AND FIELD

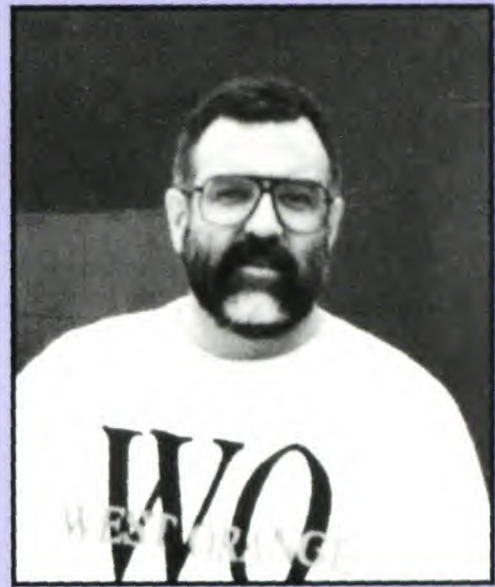




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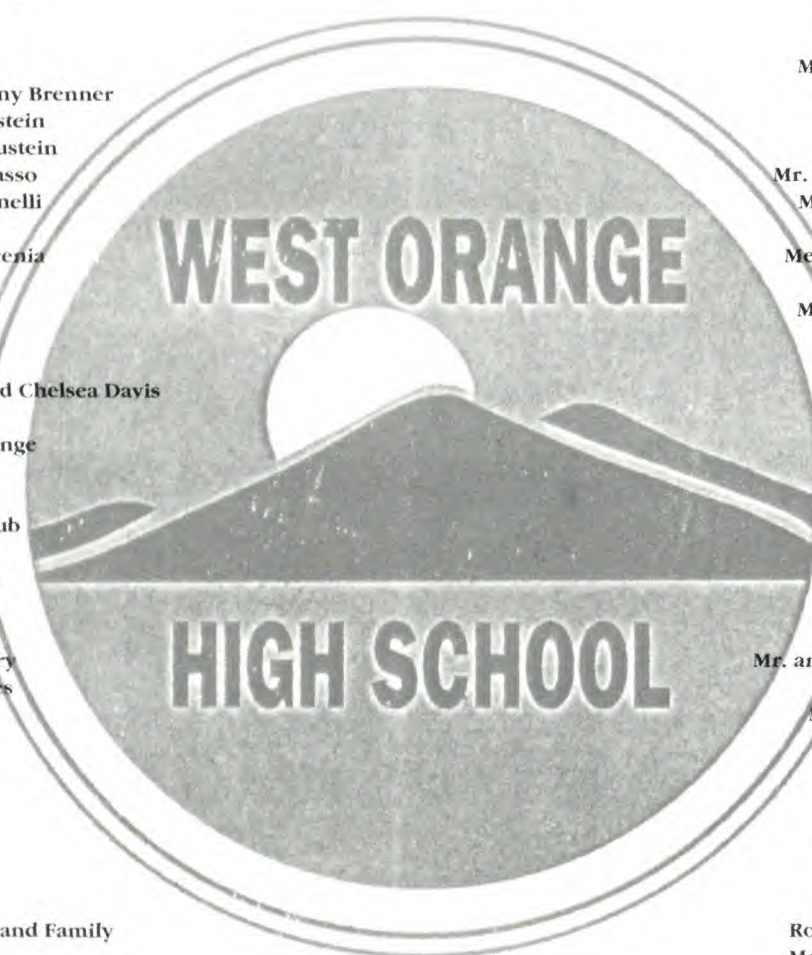
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Nor the sparkle of your eyes so warm

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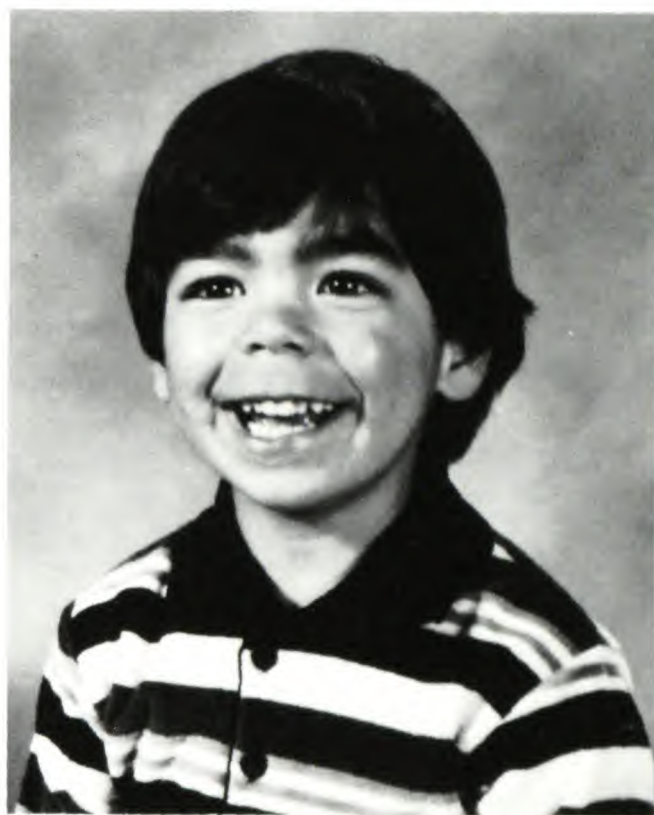
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Best wishes for a  
successful and happy future!  
Love, Mom, Dad, and Kris

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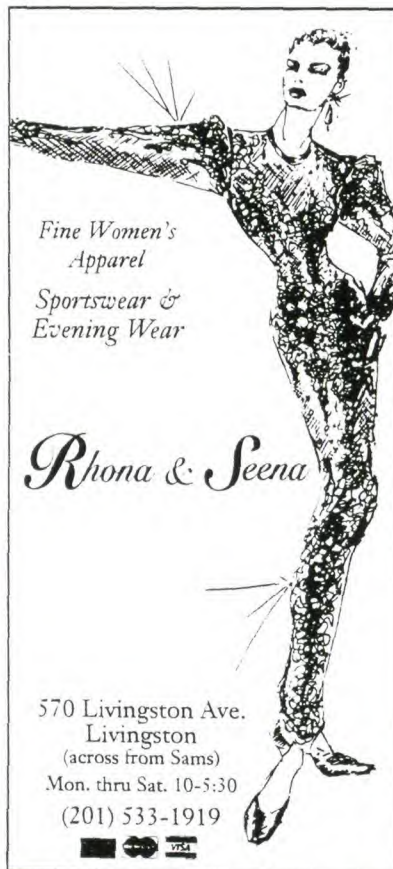


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luck!

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Roy, and Eric



**Kelly,**

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of your life. We are proud of you!

Love, Mom, Dad, and Jenny  
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Congratulations to our  
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— **JoAnn Zeppi**

We wish you the best  
of everything!

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Christine '90,

JoAnn '93

**Heather,**

You make us proud!

Love, Mom, Dad, Kara, and Keith

**May,**

Congratulations and good luck,  
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With love,

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you give to me.  
Love, Mom



## **Congratulations Alexis Yates and the Class of '93.**

We are very proud of  
you and will continue  
to appreciate, support,  
and love you.

Love,  
Mom, Grandma and  
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Love, Danielle

# Jeremy,

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a day when we haven't  
been proud of you. Now  
go out and grab life.  
Good luck to you and the  
Class of 1993.  
Mom, Dad, and Lizzie '89



## Congratulations Lauren!

A daughter who  
has truly made us  
proud. You'll always be  
our shining star.  
We love you,  
Dad and Ro,  
Carrie, Danielle, and  
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We love you. Mom, Dad and the bunnies

**Jill Elizabeth,**

You're the best!  
All my love,  
Dad

**Congratulations  
Matt!**

We are so proud of you.  
May all your dreams be  
fulfilled as you make your  
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# **Words of wisdom for David Katz and The Class of '93**

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in years ahead. You always make  
us so proud of you.  
We love you very much,  
Mom and Carrie

### **Congratulations to our son Peter**

We're very proud of  
you and wish you  
much happiness in  
the future.

Love,  
Mom and Dad,  
James ('91), Nicole ('96)

### **Dear Jason,**

"You don't choose your family. They are God's gift to you as you  
are to them." We are proud of you, wish you luck, and love you.

Aunt Clarita, Uncle Andy and Matthew



### **Suzanne,**

Keep on riding down the  
right path...

All our love,  
Mommy, Daddy, Mimi and Josh ('96)



**Congratulations and**

**Best Wishes to**

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**Congratulations and good  
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Matthew ('98)



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but rather the spirit with which one undertakes  
and continues the journey."



**Jason,**

You've been on that journey since your first graduation. You have always reached for the stars and now the sun, the moon and sky await you. We wish you what you earned and have deserved — the best of everything. You have always been our number one.

With all our love,  
Mom and Dad





From "Welcome to our love" to "Please share a special day in our lives" to "Congratulations on your graduation," life has been full of love and pride — at times, unfortunately, deep sadness — but most of all, the most precious friendship imaginable.

**To Elissa Mara**

and all your friends in the Class of 1993,  
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We love you,  
Mom and Steve

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**Craig,**

It doesn't seem so long ago we tucked you into bed. It doesn't seem so long ago we looked at you and realized our little boy was gone, and before us stood a young man. We want you to know how much we loved watching you grow, and how proud we are of the man you've become. As you graduate from high school, dream... and as you dream, remember that only you can make your dreams come true.

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**Glenn,**

You are everything a son and brother should be and more. We love you with all our hearts.

**Congratulations!**

Love,  
Mom, Dad, and Brian

**Congratulations** and best wishes for the future to **Sonya Tone and all the Class of 1993!** Well done!

Love from,  
Mom, Dad, Amanda and Alan



Dearest **Karlee,**

With love and affection  
I congratulate you.  
I wish you happiness and health  
and a bright, successful future!

Mom

Dearest **Jason,**  
We are so very proud of you. We know you will succeed in whatever you do. All our love, Tina, Ken, Lindsay, Shelby and Grandma Bev. Congratulations to the Class of '93!





**Dear Tracey,**

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**Dear Jason,**

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**Congratulations  
Kimberly**

**and the Class of 1993!** May all your dreams come true. We're so proud of you!

Love,  
Mom, Dad, Jackie ('90), Niko and  
Tootsie



**Congratulations**

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Mom, Dad and Celeste

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generous enough."

Uncle Bill and Aunt Patti Katz



**Dear Jason,**

We wish you success and are so very proud of you —  
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With all our love, Aunt Diane,  
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Lindsay '94  
John '95  
Mom and Dad



**Best wishes from  
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and advisors!**



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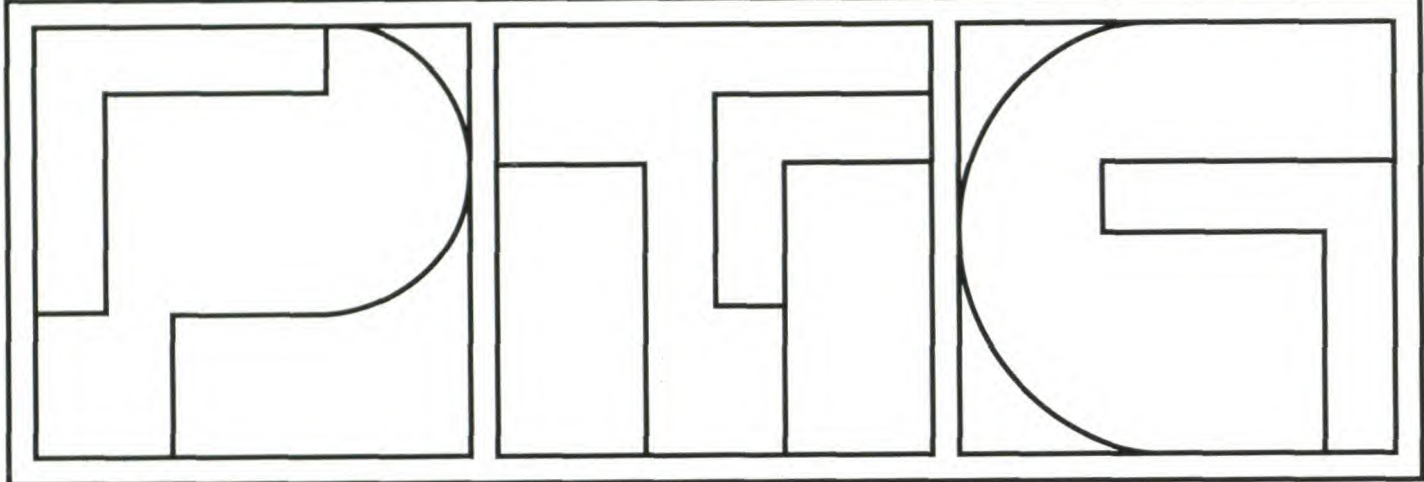
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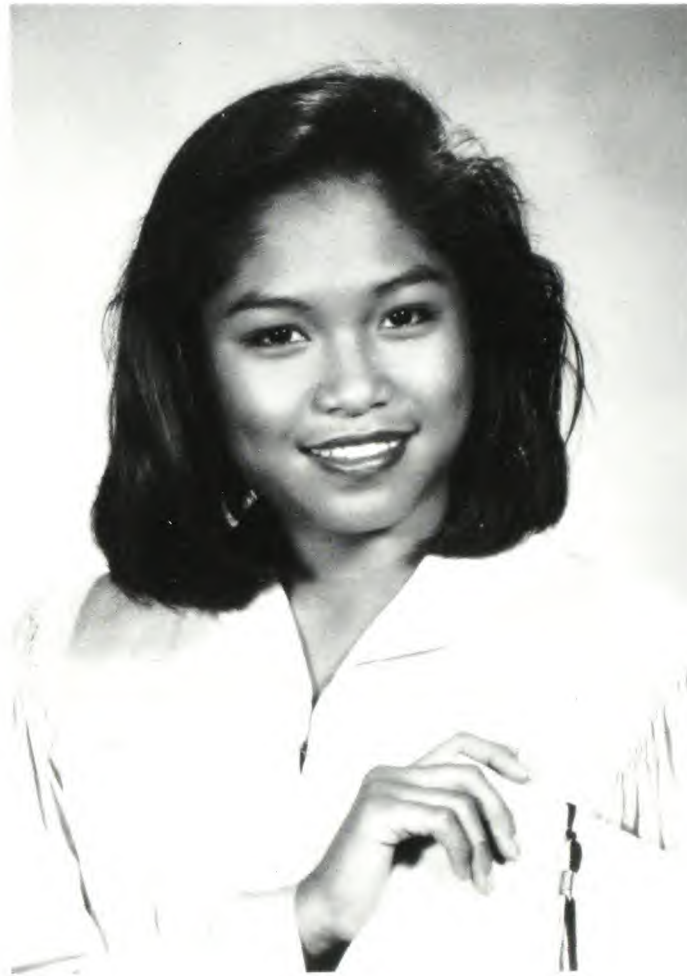
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## **Congratulations Marissa!**



Wishing you happiness and  
success always!  
We love you,  
Lolo and Lola, Uncle J., Tita,  
Veronica, and Derek



# Hilary and Suzanne

It all began summer before 10th gr. at Lebanon Baptist Camp and Conf. Center. Percussion section will never be the same again. Pork in every form, tuna in cabin, falling asleep to slow mixes, "Hi, my name is Suzanne, what's yours?"

1st week of school — infamous nt. at Millburn Park

A few months later — Teacher's Conv. — what exactly was in the bathroom at Hyde Park?

Holiday Season — for our viewing pleasure — *Crazy People* and *Madhouse* w/ big ol' 11th gr. guys.

Feb. 4 — It's your b-day! Safe (cups) kissing lick it like an ice cream cone

Stupid mistake — no one will take this box of candy — \$60 later

Charleston, S.C. — holding noses for 17 hrs. each way — sleeping in bathtub — giving phone #s to strange boys

June '91 — Suzanne and Jacki's BBQ — *Soapdish* and more surprises

Summer '91 — fictitious letters to Amherst. It's Otis time! Steve Miller and Indian calls w/ JM & MH. Cabana Club — back in Lebanon — sleeping thru practice, going thru withdrawal, super soakers, It's a Sunshine Day!

Junior yr. — C.C. cookies, Meadowlands — GW Bridge, Ms. Saigon — wear your galoshes,



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Jr. prom — meet at JL's house at 6 — limo 45 minutes late, dress falling apart, JL in hospital, Cafe Iguana, max, ol' 1 at Day O, dancing at Rock N' Roll —  $\sqrt[3]{125}$  — I'm fine, "I don't want to go in the limo, pins in mouth" — DR, "Who'll write the check?" — KW, hostess in seclusion

Spring '92 — Williamsburg, VA — MS's room — Truth or Dare — Where's that scrunchy been?

What's on your nose? Busch Gardens w/ JB.

Genesis concert — floor, JL and security guard.

Summer '92 — Rapp time! Phone calls from Gov.

School, forbidden affair, 90210, A. Shue, the Village, Pu Pu Inn

Lebanon — Return of the Brady Bunch — braids, past curfew in bathroom. Give a little "respect" — Bum!

Fall '92 — Random date nt. — Khiva, E. Mack's — the force — M.S., J.D., Gap — Austin

USY Conv. — He's so Fine! TF, BMW boy — S.S.; they do it at Dartmouth, 100 mph on PVW — KW, red it, Informer, ayg sandwiches — DP, U R Amy Grant! *Alive*

Pretty Alternative guys, backward baseball hats — JS, JL, JK, DC, SJ, HG, KW, MS, AF, DR, JF, RO, SR, MS, TF, SS

Our lives are incomplete w/out you, Ken

*In good times, and bad times  
I'll be on your side forevermore*

## BROTHERS:

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Making the rounds at Livingston Mall record stores — Freshman year/your mother hates me/Could you please buy yourself different color jeans?/I don't live here anymore/Oh, I forgot; you're higher than me/Why don't you go to the Junior Prom — I'll go to the hospital/Ken's CD club soulmates: Roland Katz, Michael Derene, Emily Joyh, Debbie Rothstein, Martin Kale, Jack McCarthy, himself/Lindsay, if I'm holding both your hands, whose hand is that?/1440; SAT Vocabulary: good, bad, okay, nice/a safe trip to Eagle Rock Diner from the power lines/Nine times one hundred equals too much/No social life Sophomore year (AP History I)/Do you even know Heather Smith's phone number?/I just know this relationship is really going to last . . . /Working out for only three months at a time/Ken's astute prediction: You're such good friends now, why risk it (JL + HK)/Jason's little error: Oh, you're perfect for each other! (KW + RD)/Sharing even the saddest of moments (November 17-18, 1991)/In what century was it that people darned socks?/So, what are you doing with Jodie *this* weekend?/Ken, can you show me how to tie these Timberlands?/Chillin' with Chuck while hooking up the stereo/Polo blucher (docksiders to Ken)/Permit practice to Princeton Review in Mountain Lakes/Why don't you ever eat lunch with us? (I'm in the studio)/Wendy's video/Incriminating video footage shot at Karen's house/Let's wash our cars for the picture . . .



## Abby and Britt



Some people come into our lives and quietly go, while others stay for a while and leave footprints on our hearts and we are never the same.

Henson and CoCo . . . Hooper Avenue, lying down . . . South Orange Park-playground, swinging around . . . We Got Movies . . . Tuesday night; sports night out, health food night . . . Verona Park . . . Tennis, businessmen, Porsche . . . Passover chocolate chip cookies . . . Pam, Jen, you and me - the dough fight . . . French braid (Will you ever know how?) . . . A Funny Thing Happened on the way to the Forum, Man of La Mancha, West Side Story . . . You, me, Darryll and Scott at Scott's !!! . . . Wajagawajagabup (Watch out for that car!) . . . Ace stalling in the middle of P.V.W., middle of Mt. Pleasant Avenue with oncoming traffic and almost on Northfield . . . Cup game . . . Nachos . . . B.K.'s bar-b-ques . . . S-N-P . . . Ben and Jerry's chocolate chip cookie dough - bet . . . Pathfinder - Can she add up tests correctly yet? . . . Stick-ems . . . Rubberband and scrunchy flinging . . . Up Abby Up !!! . . . Ritz Diner-Where's the cheese? . . . Mall - CD??Tape??? . . . Enya . . . I took a bath last night (and I took a shower this morning) . . . J.K. chewing like a cow . . . Clementines . . . Rainoids . . . Parking at the Mall . . . Howard ATM . . . Mall at Short Hills - Anymore clothes to exchange Ab? . . . Bunny boxers . . . Plasma - Andromeda . . . "Love is on the Way" Saigon Kick . . . "Howdy stranger!" Saigon Kick . . . Pictures at the park in Chatham - NOT!!! . . . P-N-S in front of Pomar's room . . . U, me and D.B., -What 's everyone else doing in AP Comp??? . . . Pam : a-bee, a-bee, a-bee. Did Corey get it??? . . . Seton Hall softball game - Walt Willy (AMC) . . . I love you, I love you, I love you!!! . . . World of Flowers - picnics - What, Nathans? . . . J. Abbey - Abby Phon, Abbey - Abby - Abby - Abbey . . . What if you two got married - Abby Abbey?!! . . . Brad who??? . . . Fourth of July fireworks . . . Senior Picture '93 . . . Broadcast - NOT!!! . . . The Puritan lives!!! . . . Cough, cough - sneeze, sneeze - J.K. and me . . . Contagious yawns . . . Nose - tongue . . . New Years Eve - Blake, totally innocent - right!!! . . . Odd Couple - hiding behind our programs . . . Here Abby, read this letter (T.S.U.) . . . Let go of my CEREALS!!! . . . It's your unbirthday - wow, its mine too! . . . Computer nerd, B.K. . . . Maybe there is a lot of quality out there, but there is a lot more quality right here. - B.K. to A.P . . . Do you know what's better than good friends? - Best friends. You and me.

## Marissa and Rosanna



9th gd/track — coming in last MHS/moving/where's Liv. Cradle/it smells in here/ice on bed/Vermont — Canada/Hist I — ugh/hist videos/guns & dresses/phone bills/car bandroom/jr. prom/B.A. — give him a chance/J.T. — M.H./R those my hoop earrings?/NYC/Planet Hollywood/ane/H.D. & D.C./H.D. & L.M./ice skating/Shattered — pointments/red lights/I'm lost Bi/College apps./parents. — D.C./11th English/she's crazy/body suits/haircuts/pick up train tickets to VA/sec. guards at Art's house/band son/spit/Shan — not 2nite/Chinese Rest. — hairy chick-clair/Tito Puente/Secret Garden/gyros/picking up Sr. pics. we made/Prelude 2 a Kiss NO! A League of Their Own/mall w/aunt & Cristol/where's the nightgown I gave you? Do you think differently of me?/Marissa's connected to my Ruben/Battle of the Bands JCC w/Skip + friends + rope AND Darryl — we don't have jazz band today — u

things/where's Kathy's new Hunan's at my ting up for NHS. community house/Beauty & the Beast/Chicken Holiday w/Ver/Mary Kay makeovers/Sleepwalker — Wayne's World must B 18 not 17/bio study groups/band practice/hindus/warm ups/Band Attend Hut, Band Attend Hut every 5 sec. prom date J. Co/MR?!! what were you thinking/shopping for food w/U, me, Car. & Jenn. permits/psychology/precab — fail. Glen Ridge/funerals/CPR — can I . . . 11th gd. lunch/tuna breath/sardines — so everyone hides under the table/Jello/doc M./stay down! lunch boxes/my napkin collection from Dimitrios. how much does Dave owe U? Busy summers/Busch Gardens/Giants Stadium/West Side Story. Fashion shows/not good enough/My favorite person — P.N./van. & choc. swirled yellow cars/sudden craving for bananas. can anyone jump start cars?

Mall?/Carmex/Lucy called/sea horses/Hand Rocks Mark & Darryl/dinner that never was/Lil Mermaid/AP accidents/phys ther/sue/X-mas going away party/dec. don't ask/G.C. & N.S./Kar & Bri/which one? A.M. or Palladium/sweet-sixteen/license wait 5 hours/Solo-what happened?/jazz band/drum ms — uck/disap-love advice — play hard to get/R.S. & M.C./Sr prom twins/sleepovers/T.R./Hershey Park/Penn Station — camp — I'm not going/Carvel/Car. Jim, U, me, & Jaens/1st date with Art/Liv. Mall and ice cream in Mont-in Union/I forgot my keys/cold — 20,000 phone calls Ritz Diner/friends from Elizabeth/leave school early/ TGIF's/Happy B-Day Rosanna Karen's sleepover — hip bone/double date with Tom/Joey's grad party/ Heather/bets — Coming to school on Mon. alter Eu-owe me dinner/swim at Chandra's/me breaking the blue ice pop? house/take out at house/Interact set- Xmas at commu-





# THREE'S COMPANY

Karlee Davis  
Michelle Lambert  
Rebecca Starrett

We have friends, they're just in college; Henious; Totally; Where's the pouch? It's lost again!; NYC — Jimmy's, Speak Easy; "The cheese fries at the Diner made me sick" 7/30/91; Which way to Hoboken?; Aunt Jemima\*; Abortion ad\*; Smile on a stick\*; Are you going to call her Trutch when you're older?; Blockbusters most valuable customers; Stacey's party & all that came of it; Buschies!; SHP men; Triangle Billiards; Lost in Newark, which way to 280? We love you Mitolas!; Donuts\*; Reb's party deck\*; Yearbook meeting — donuts & Barb\*; Mudsliding; "Circles in the sand"; Tennis = SHERM! & the Meader; Going to a parking lot & going bowling; Ugly stages; "I feel ugly but that's okay b/c so are you"; Encore, Scategories\*; Reb's dance routine\*; Andrea's water skiing skit\*; MN, KD, RS — lip sinking\*; Blue room party\*; Oh! I like your shirt!; A haircut — Karlee's punishment; R's fall outside the link; M's scarecrow walk; Ya big ane!; Business Law; Andre; Ogre/Ogu; Cyclepedia Rocks!; Question game; Nah-Jah-Wah; one match . . . POOF!, I don't need a plate, Go-ood morning!, capsizing kiyak\*; "She took the dog to the diner"; NYC — R & K couple night; K, R, A, H, L, — late night dip; Cabana Club — '92; Dina; Fireworks from



GREGORY YEARS: ('80-'89) Friends since kindergarten; walks to school; Bazooka Josephine; Heaven; 12 cars of X-Mass; Ginny Wong; Old man lunchaide; Pinball; Ms. Hyle — the audacity!; against the wall; kickball; ROOSEVELT DAYS: ('87-'89) U-Mass sweat-shirt thief; Mr. Hughes self-destructed; 3-abreast; Rebster, Shellster, Jodster — SFE; "Together forever"; Excuse me miss, miss, check!; Belmar; The ugliest years of our lives only we didn't know it then!

*"Sometimes the lights are shining on me, other times I can barely see, lately it occurs to me what a long strange trip it's been." The Grateful Dead*

rt. 280; Tarditti; Gelatin cheesecake; Ultimate Frisbee; U-Mass finger; Israel trip; Friendly's: "She just told me off through the window!"; The Gazpacho; URI weekend\*; Driving off the jughandle; Jack Bucco — Frat Party; Stealing hats & lawn ornaments; Pink Angora; Diners; Drive-thru BK; So wat cha sayin'; Magic pan w/V.V.; Mdw 91 — "I need something tangible"; Phew it smells! Oh, I have gas; You're not askin the questions MOFO!; Paris Lopez; Tennis court fun; Matt & Andrea, it gets easier;

Gummy bars\*; Did someone just fall?; aie; "Armadello . . . euphoria"; poochie\*; Tostidos; dirty glass; You got an itch you can't scratch?; Home Alone 12/31/92; Netty hit the garage; R's passing out; Bonnie Rai(tt)?; Go for yours! Disney pens; The tire . . . the note . . . D's jeep; photo shoot — motophoto; . . . And much, much more we can't remember for all the right reasons!!



We love you — L.A., P.B., J.Y., G.L., G.M., D.K., J.K., D.P., R.T., J.W., J.L.; Stace — you'll always be a Buschiel; Thanks for everything, we've missed you! — A.T., M.C., M.N., B.W., M.L., C.R., J.H.; Sandy, Harry, Carmen, Alan, Mindy & Bruce, our grandmas' and grandpas', Danielle, Melissa & Matthew — Thanks for putting up with us — We luv you & will miss you!

*"Remember what we've said and done and felt about each other . . . laughter is the key to our heart." Crosby, Stills & Nash*



# 4 OF A KIND

## Paulina Stacey Lauren Jodi



Our high school days flew by too fast,  
But the memories we shared will always last.  
It took a while for four to make one,  
But that didn't stop us from having the fun.  
Jodi's an original without a doubt,  
When she's on the road you better watch out.  
It's never a dull moment with Lauren around,  
After her trip to Long Island, Pizza Hut was found.  
Little miss innocent Paulina is not,  
Give her a beach it's her favorite spot.  
When things get hectic Stacey knows what to say,  
But when she gets stressed out, she takes us away.  
Guys have been a big part of these years,  
Some have brought laughter and others brought tears.  
Jodi and Stacey like older men,  
Not like Paulina's who are in the playpen.  
Paulina may tell you her luck isn't great,  
But she's often been asked to be a prom date.  
Then there's Lauren who couldn't make up her mind,  
But she finally did and Glenn said "It's about time!"  
The Junior Prom had its ups and downs,  
With too many mermaids around.  
Jodi and Stacey played it smart,  
While the rest of us made fighting an art.

We showed our school spirit day and night,  
Rocking greens with blue and white.  
Our senior parade started off with a bang,  
"What's that noise?" Paulina said to the gang.  
Girls night out comes once in a while,  
Lo knows how to color our smile.  
At Radio City we had a date,  
Laughing at the lady who couldn't skate.  
Jodi and Stacey aren't too slick,  
One insists on videos while the other gets sick.  
Lauren and Paulina took care of it all,  
Halloween and the fiesta were not a close call.  
Gertrude and Darlene insist they're the same,  
Bertha and Penelope refuse to play their games.  
Everyday crazy ideas form in our heads,  
Like camping, Cancun, Bahamas, and Club Med.  
We have so many memories that will never fade,  
Of good times we've had and friends that we've made.  
It's hard to believe how fast times flies,  
It won't be long before we say our goodbyes.  
As we go our separate ways,  
Friends forever we will stay.  
Although we leave these days behind,  
We'll always be **4 OF A KIND!**



Chuck (Dumpy), Craig (Kickin' Chicken), Carmen (Menuch), Jim (Space Cowboy), Vinnie (U-Duckets), Pete (Slim D), Rob (Slacker), Danny (Little Bunny), Ray (Bombs), Conrad (Ears), Frank (Bull Dog)

*Never 4-get chillin at BK, Mayapple, O'Conner, the spot, Verona missions, Hum missions, Casa Paris, Breakers, Snaps, Costas, Village Rumble, — B-Q's, Seaside-Memorial-labor, Most Bucchines, What's up flea trap, fire at O'Conner, Mayapple Hope (AKA the clown), Eagle Rock 24-7, Remember munchkins with J. Rol, Craig when U comin out, Burf what u mean we're not gonna lift, Chuck's mole lady, JM — Kickin it in the tub, Burf in TT's car, 10 minutes to post, did U tuke last night VS-RB, cuttin Buzz stop, Co-op lunch posse, DR chilly homeboy, hey guys help me move this truck, Hey jerky my eyes R goin crazy, Wahoo Ghost runs rampid, Burf got a man, Wildwood — VS, CM, PT, RB, JS, does it have any holes?, livin' the glamorous life in the M Musc, soaked by the homeboys, Sunrise Hotel, Mimi at sand and surf, Aardvarks vs. Bluechipper, Prez — WOW!, Midway eats, Lovely — Yeah right, Key the G, CS Hawk toes, Wahoo trips to the shore, Jim the American Gladiator, surrounded by McDunna, Mystery Girl, a ducket on the floor, Look U killed Chuck NC, Mischief night, can I use your dryer Jim? Ski trip — PT and VS rolling uncontrollable, raging in the cafe, ET cruzin K Solo, Margarita Ville, Burf fallin on the bottle, RU kidding me, Do U know Boyle, Who da? What da?, Holy, who got shot, ain't all that and a bag of chips, Craig's comments, trash talk, cruzin the go-kart, Todd's bunny ears, Jim they're sticky, Vinnie in hiding, Joey hookin up, hey Jim this is the bunny hill, New Year's tub tour, AP put that thing away, Chuck's fuse goin off, Steak all up on Rols, Oww that hurt, pooker gankin, coach is that supposed to be there?, bonemarrow, chillin at club Saraceno — Hot tub, Half seal, late night behind cabana, 5-0 all over the tip, everyone do the Lou, Verona 4 on 60, the hammer, don't take it out, don't stun um, JS 60 for notin, Toast total — Buck O Five, parkin at Redwood, the mom's will get mad, drive by supersoakin', don't be a grease monkey, a game of 9-ball, the dinch LR, chillin at CP crib — watchin' the duckets fly, sweatin the final outcome, CP sign language, Sumo-Dumpy Weight Champ, my little butter Chuck, chugging devil, tent sleep outs, stop sweatin, tell your own to shut up, Hooo Kay, Burf's waterfall, key the jokes bustin the weak sags, who was it then? Santy Klaus, Audi 5G, off like a dirty shirt, C ya wouldn't wanna be ya, peace to the rest of the boyz, Peace to the class of '92 — NC, CA, TT, JL, JR, BK, SM, PM, AP, TP, Little Louie, Hoops, 2/4/93 we outtie — Costa's Jello Wrestling.*



## Needed Options

**Craig:** Some new lines — legs

**Chuck:** Reclaim the cookies

**Burf:** A new man

**Conrad:** A new dance

**Vinnie:** Ski boots — tissue

**Ray:** All options needed

**Carmine:** A new hat

**Pete:** A job

**Jim:** A razor — a lifting partner

**Danny:** Mass — bombs



Frank: G.E.D. man





OUR MEMORIES TOGETHER MAY NEVER END —  
ALWAYS TOGETHER, FOREVER FRIENDS.



Lisa

Tara

Cari

Cindy

## Where we were —

The Green, Joey's, Trumps, Mayflower, S.S., O'Connor, P Dale, BK, Mayapple, Turtleback, Seaside, Surf Club, Degnan, Foodtown, CC's house, ERD, GTD, Joe's Chadwick, JB — AB — JD's house.

## What was said —

Dissed, sweat, meet me here, I don't have a car, ert-ert, murry, shotgun, G.A., P.A., you go girl, . . . if you can't take a joke, help — my contact, Li-Li the 1 I adore, Tar-Tar the little . . . , here is \$1.00 go buy a clue, how white is that?, Code Red, milk and cookies in 10 min., call me, PT-RB and them, she's so fat, down south, not, u think ur ready or do u know ur ready, red to go, yeah yeah right — sh sh sure, let me tell u something, where u going? Florida!, silly rabbit Trix r 4 kids, I need a holiday, Lambert the lonely lion, lock the doors, what is this smokers r us?, what up g.

## Our top hits —

Finally, Real Love, Best Things, I'll Always Love U, Always and 4 ever, OPP, Come and Talk 2 me, Maria, Grease, So Many Men, Love U All My Lifetime, That's What Friends R 4, One, Good Enough, Take Me, Knocked Out, What U Give, DS Greatest Hits, Motown Philly, 4 Ever Amore, End of the Road, Informer (farmer), Wind Beneath My Wings, Electric Slide.

## A K.A. —

Jap Brat, fish face, T-Bone, Caps, Slambert, Martukey Jukey, T, TG, Cari Bells, Slim, Smindles, Li-Bear, chick pea, Little Balloon, Carrot.

## Memories —

CM's parties — no really guys not that many people, Horizons, U . . . , no that's US, FTP, CM — Watch out 4 those dumpsters (MPE), spying (sparks), Mayapple Hope — go home!, I gotta go to GR!, MDW — LDW — '92, GSP, Jolly Rancher, Kamakaze, Erase Your Mind, 9-7-92 — CC — Malibu, TC the maid, LL — w/DR, CM — the 1 and only, Open House — NOT!, CM — LL's B-days, CCJ, ERD, Bob's house, CM's phone bills, The Big Secret-2, Sweet 16's, cookies w/ ants, 10-30-92, The Battle Zone w/Hoopty, Rap Attack — Go Cm, Fwed spell I met, NYE 92 TC-S/Fox w/CS, CC — LL — club, CM — VC, LL — Holiday, Ryan's C-DC party, Doogie, tonsils, appendix, wisdom teech — who needs them? JJ's hot dogs, doublemint gum, 9th — CC — LL school's out 12:00, 12th — all — McD's 12:00, CC — I told u he's psycho, Car — don't go you'll regret it, ac. ducey, CS — tree swing, sweat — rock the cradle, but Cari u weren't going out w/him, the tire park, CM — LL — MDW — 91 — WW, LL, CC, LM, CS — summer of '91, SHU, MDW — '93, TC — Overbrook w/Francesa, Hand clap, LC — MS — EH, The Dilly Dally Duck.

### Last Will and Testament —

We leave —

Lisa — Edwin jeans, a permanent job, Oreo cookies.

Tara — Call-waiting, an apron, pom-poms.

Cari — Jogging suit, lipstick, shoulder pads.

Cindy — A plane ticket to Florida, a clue, nail appointments.

Angelo, Julie, and Dan  
— You will always be  
in our hearts, we love  
and miss you.



FRESHMAN  
History  
Lunch  
Ve2P & Royal Blue  
Rosa  
Medieval Times  
fake tickets  
oh my gosh  
SOPHOMORE  
great schedule (twins?)  
coughing . . . smack  
unfair distribution  
groups — yeah right (geometry)  
RHPS; carnival; BFF & A  
projects from hell (SALE)  
STRESS; decorating folders  
growing out hair; fashion shows  
bio w/ Huppert; his faves  
sunbeam; Jon & Joe  
Peter & Alain — big red; Barbizon & the quote  
close death by Eric; mirror  
chicken pox; Obsessions  
Robert & Brian — Silence of the Lambs  
NK concert — nice parking sign  
shore during winter — mini golf & synchronized sniffing  
JUNIOR  
Jewels & Green & Astro sleepover  
bowling & Pizza Hut  
facials (Mary Kay makeover)  
Sweet 16's  
the big ice skater  
Waldo, Stimp, Duckman, & the sophomore  
SAL — glasses  
KATIE and her castle say bye  
lunch table: parallel conversations  
snack line; cereal  
ziti & pregos; coffee  
prom! diner, Animal House  
Cameron Field see-saw  
SAT's; photo albums  
Hershey Park  
trapped on a bus  
SENIOR  
"you smell like outside"  
weird stages; adjusting phases  
space cadets  
Forum — driving  
OAKTREE — psychotic shopper

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B.F.F. & A.

flying straw covers; funny faces  
bros. — flavor of the month  
Sr. breakie & pic  
car & body suits, my name is Prince  
girl w/ curls  
phony people  
choc & nut brownies  
Don't eat the batter  
pig  
crafts, cards, balloons, and flowers  
make up time  
IHOP  
malls  
are you wearing pantyhose  
prom u-wear and lipstick  
show choir and the piano  
ballet & piano  
S.T.A.N.D.  
phones and weird a.m.  
Harry and Sno-Caps  
itches  
the crew — partners in crime  
clothes, NYC pretzels  
Christmas  
future houses Bel-Air  
skeleton in the closet  
b-ball bases  
I hope everything works out  
Wait . . .  
horoscopes  
nutty envelopes  
KERIN  
"Nut"  
Never gonna get it  
confusion  
NYC  
ta-day  
I want ice cream  
Chips Ahoy Cookies  
pigging out  
the Wave-Master  
FL guy reports  
Mary & Rat Boy  
material girl  
Red & Spice  
matching outfits

SENIOR PERSONALS

## Gina and Chrissie

Wildwood, Hilton Head, Tices Farm, Seaside Heights, Verona, movies, pool, diners, TGIF, the egg, Planet Hollywood, missing the wall, falling off the couch, NKOTB, store, Picnics, sleepover, birds, Where's the bag?, coloring, breaking up over the phone, Christian Slater, Matt Dillon, Todd Hudley, Todd Zeil, Driver's license, reversing onto the school lawn, piz-levitation, popcorn the movie, rule like softball, elevators, Entenana cake, Halloweens, riding, Starlight Express, na's, Bungee jumping, driv-trums, Italian Prescription JH, backing up into a car, ing around, 12 boys in the ing, RUSH, matching out-Childs, burping, shoe shop-Eve balloon, Sundance and size magnum, painting with after school, Are you sis-

za box fire, ball, house Elizabeth, man's ba-123 open, Barbies, sleigh hand shakes, living at Gi-ing in the snow, bored tan-Center, cross country, DP, Do we smell?, Tacos, driv-hot tub, purple boots, snor-fits, cooking with Julia ping, 6 years, New Years Crunch N' Munch, Larger Bob Ross, Dance Routine, ters?





# LAUREN & PAULINA



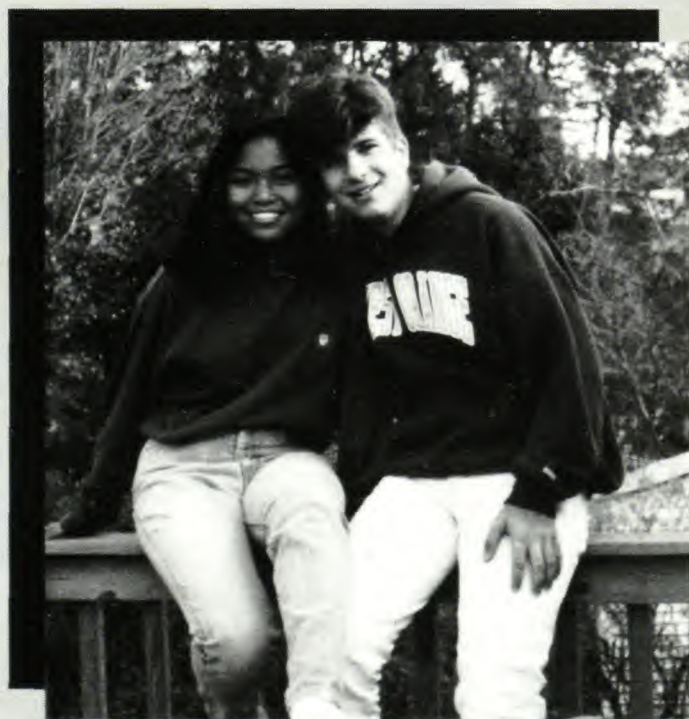
Pookie & Kookie R the cheese on top of the french onion soup/  
Double fault! Double fault!/cheerleading & tennis — #1 fans/  
LA — its a quiet sport, PB — yell blue!/Soph English — where  
it began/geometry genius/dining out — telling it all/sweet  
16s in style/movie marathon — Pretty Woman/scary movies  
— baby!/extra large vs kiddie cup/microphone brushes/need  
cheering up — Glory of Love, Happy Happy Joy Joy, After All/  
dressing alike/Feula's faves/super bowl 92 winner/trips to  
NYC mean trouble/PB's bday — how R U feeling . . . its your  
guidance counselor . . . 3 in the bowl/Noogie/Stetson/go to  
the freezer, get an ice cube and TAKE A CHILL!/thumbs up/  
Dartmouth dude — keep it in the family/U Penn — Spring  
Fling 92 — what were their names? Jake, I mean Tom, etc  
— 3 am pizza/Rocky Horror — keep it holy, keep it clean —  
WHOOOPS!/summer phone bills/sudden sorbet — screech 2/  
the Ritz — bball games/will you play with my hair/my mom  
is your mom/get your story straight/GL JK HL DL GN LM JS  
SJ MR KC . . . he's so good to me, where are your manners  
. . . enough already, don't you dare . . . just friends . . . his loss  
. . . top secret . . . Home Alone . . . Oh diss/AR — he's waiting/  
Ira & Barry — we'll miss you/I want to be like Mark/the  
maturity level is lacking/Lechler!, incorrect, gotta hurt the mo-  
rale/best of times w/JY & SS/EJ concert — VIP/candlelight  
dinner/we do everything together except . . . /prom dilemmas  
— mermaids, not this year, PB — you've had better nights,  
LA — good choice/yrbk/shabbat dinners/shore 93/table  
dancing — Pip's song/WE girls — so annoying/chipmunk &  
raccoon/Dave — silverware dentist/soon to be big 10 rivals  
— Michigan vs Wisconsin/JLC 93/our collage — will it ever  
get done?/Halloween — farm girls, we need some hay/tacos  
& nachos/scatagories — we rule/Car & AI — your big sisters  
luv U/Moms & Dads — you're the best! We luv U/Good luck  
to all our friends & the class of 93/so many memories & more  
to come — BEST FRIENDS TILL THE END!! — To be continued



## BEST FRIENDS FOREVER

# Dimitrios and Marissa

1st met at M.B. camp\*swimming at my house over the summer\*my  
name is Colleen, welcome to Friendly's\*will you be my Valen-  
tine?\*WOMEN!\*MEN!!!!\*Meep, Meep, Meep!\*A.L. looks a lot  
better!\*marching band memories!\*AIR\*Italian club dinner and  
dance\*late for M.B. — SAT's, Giants Stadium\*Jazz Jams at  
Gregg's\*Jr. lunch table\*blue berette\*candies dropping in Fresh-  
man History class\*Chemistry, it speaks for itself\*"It's not Dave's  
sister!"\*""What? Practice started at 9:30?!""\*Monday  
nights\*reckless driving\*mom — "Why didn't you tell me you were  
going out with her?"\*Coat checking at the Women's  
Club\*Rosanna looks Oriental\*April Fool's Day\*Death Becomes  
Her, arcade\*Newport Mall\*is that your hand on my knee?!?\*How  
should I get my HAIR cut?\*oh, I heard '3' times!\*out with  
Shan\*NEW YEAR'S EVE!\*24 hr. Twilight Zone mara-  
thon\*Sloane's party, Sloane's HOUSE!\*Livingston, not 280,  
Eva\*library: interesting conversations\*Angel food cakes\*organic  
face\*boggle\*glucose rice\*relative fr. Maryland\*Who should I  
pick?\*Renald, Renaldo, Ronald . . . RAY-  
MOND!!!\*sagapo\*mahalkita\*





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## SENIOR PERSONALS



Rebecca (Meat, Bec, Reb) — Galaktabouriko AKA Galacic burrito/Gus: I have that shirt, did you get it at Macy's?/Speaking of Macy's... Fried cheese and emergency pit stop!/Look at this piece of meat! It's bee-yoo-tee-full!/Kiss my doggies or they'll shrink!/JFTY — you know if you say something over and over again it becomes a private joke! Were you attacked by the Bedazzler?/Greg: nuff said/New Member: so ES, are the rumors true about DW?/Shul-In: Sorry if I cramped your style; the vacuum — Hoover invented it/MD, SL, DW, DH, PC, SW — don't let us do it again!/MEN stood me up again, MEN is obnoxious/When I stand up.../Eunice/Critch/My hair is growing out — /Acutane: the super amazing, kills all your zits, don't get pregnant while you're on it, wonder miracle drug!/There are five guys in my basement!/Project getting the loot from ES's house./the sigh that says so much/Rebecca and Elissa's Funniest Home Videos/Wayne's World.../Agenda — home, b.r., sleep/\*\*\*\*grams/Cloud bursting w/DH & PC/Chia Pets/NO,



Elissa (Litz) — How uneasy I feel!/Oh, I don't know where she is!/ES'/La lana/Poho!/The hot pepper you pick may be hotter than the next, or might not./Bec, white out?!?!/I'm going to crop your face!/RD — 7th grade lunch w/HG and table/What is sexy wearing?/What did you do with the yearbook money?!?!?!/MARFIL!/Chex mix adventure at 3 a.m./JMC: Werthers!/RD — Truth or Dare at Davos!/Barbarella — angels don't make love, they are love!/Great times w/DH, PC, OT, little Oren, JH/Scent of a Woman — I don't smell a thing! Take your finger out of your nose!/S.S. and Nintendo — can I borrow that game, RD?/Can I wash your face or would you rather feed me? MY FINGER!!!!/Ursula/Want some ziti?/I'm molting!/Cain wasn't able!/Bob & Joanne



Eden (Den) — I get stuff!/ES'/Que barbaridad! She's not dead yet!/Pardon me whilst I adjust my stick/Soapdish/Shaaa-lom!?!/LO-OK/Can we stop now?/Dave has chocolate buns?!/The designated nymphos definitely reached the afore mentioned abode (unfortunately)/I'll show you a whole new world BABEE!!/Wake up and smell the hummus!/Numancia!/Random powder is your friend/Fried cheese/Uganda/I'm wearing plastic clothing! (Nah-Jee-Wah)/Don't molt!/These mozzarella sticks are BAD!!!/Gus wants me! No, he wants me!! Nobody is loving ME!!!!/SL, JPV, MK, JT, SL — BIG MISTAKE!/Reverse grammar/Zucchini sticks



Jason (Preston, Beverly, etc.) — It doesn't matter! I'm into Princeton!/Heart attack at the prom?/JFTY hook ups/Take the cow and go home!/Mommy will make it better, get my mommy!/Oh, Matt, what a nice lap you have BLEUGH!!!/We'll call it \*\*\* and we'll keep it our little secret!/Au bon pain what's that tissue on your face?/Look, your getting chest hair!/If you'd like to buy a clue, press 1, if you'd like to act now for the Clue Sabbatical, press 2.../1-800-945-MIND... Hi, ma name is Tyrone.../Ah, ma gawd! Your hair is so good for you!/Lawnmower Man — Job, Lobo!/Hitlina/Single White Female — unnecessary nudity/Put a tin can... Stick a tiny man.../Ricola/What's that painting in your living room?/Clap on, Clap off/Does that stuff you inject yourself with really make you grow?/Something... on the wall!



## MOST OFTEN SAID . . .

Duh/WAAAAAA/GGGG/Wus up wit dat?/Dilate and discuss/Spread and chat/Clue phone/You get a biscuit/MUCH?!/Random/No, not at all!/Warm fuzzies/He-lloooo!/Yo ma, wus up?/That's okay, too!/Pardon me I'm passing a kidney stone/I'm so loving you/Wa-hoo/Shove a fish.../Do I have the word... stamped on my forehead/Give me this much credit, would you?/I'm dead! Don't die!/I'm gonna bite you now/Don't kenipsh/Gonna splode/Don't splode/Dag/What was that?/That's true, yes/Vladimir/Now there's trouble/How's my hair?/pardon my drool/I'm gonna spontaneously combust/Comerme como una ensalada



# Best Friends

## Irene, Raquel and Jennifer

"A friend is someone who changes your life by being a part of it, someone who makes you laugh until you can't stop, someone who makes you believe that there really is good in the world. This friendship is forever ..."



THE PHONE CALL — That's how it all started! 50 ft high, Snoopy, we are still waiting for our hamburger and Billy, Soho — hey little girl what was for math homework? Snickers bar, new style bathing suit, grapes, are the cigarette, spit on the phone, apple Jolly Ranchers, pants and socks on fire, 502, Tira, kill, feel, mafuccied a walkie talkie antenna, be back in a pinky, you must take acting classes, what you feel, Fri. 7:00 at Carvel, family "88," Lassie, let's celebrate, what do you think he is a dog, shibidy shoe wop wop, Kell, Jeffer, Diddy Jones, smokeless ashtrays, rice, stamps, milks, popcorn box, Adam, our chauffeur, Jim Dandy to the Rescue, grape soda, SC, the big ones, ask me in 2 years Mr. Fugi we are signing off now!

Williamsburg, bus ride, 18 & life, Y'all want to rumble, He was so nervous, PW, zebra stripe dance, caramel cubes, Fred, stay away from my daughters you long haired creeps, it's snowing in the bathroom, picture of the guy with the red sweat pants, underwear, loch ness monster, trumpets, earring mousse, long talks, my nails are wer, the outsiders, Happy Harry Difficult, staple man, attack of the killer red sweaters, Italian trips, where's Casa Di Pizza, Little Italy, LIT, Enrico the ghost, Cha-Cha's, street stands, Prom '92, KC we had a blast! Kool aid, Cowey, Reners, no left turn, looney, bagels, the chair is against the wall, casper, I love my Jimmy, shadows of the night, Amy and Joey W. Genowfffffa tira ventra, long drives, dead end, Lunch at O'Connor, Arizona, Ohio, we can fly like birds, Look . . . Hurry up there is a dog, Devil women, B's class, Hershey Park, utility room, wax chips, nice parking job, around the bend/Degnan, "wa," rootsie roll, moo cow, duckies, downs, JDC, Johnny your elbow is just so funny, slight curve, nice — crumb, lipstick lessons, see ya next century, of course nor you fool, "Where are your skates?" Facciabrure, blue steel, purple comb, red warch, hot wheels, the swing, Strawberry, Ciao Bella, It's gonna be hot, it's a camera, Ralphie, Olgavie, Abba, Oh fig, deprived child, Math is my world, Fudgie the Whale, snap from the bottom, lovebirds!





## Carolyn, Chrissie, Erin, Gina, Karen, Marissa & Rosanna



Shotgun/RMS/Contempo Casuals/NYC/Planet Hollywood/FAO Schwartz/Paladium/AIR/schnicket, schnoozle/peephole/verbal con./thongs/black body-suits/school concerts/11th grde 1st lunch/food fights/English muffin pizza/fruit of the loom/survey/plates from Pizza Hut/sleepovers/sweatpants/malls/bad perms/sardines — so everyone hides under the table?/tuna breath/click, click, slurp/9th gd gym/red head/Katie's going away party/Erin's sleepover/plat-forms/prank phone calls/advisory w/Tropello/speed demons/levitation/flat as a board/NKOTB/"I don't want a boyfriend, just a prom date!"/big ice skater/Rosa/eyeshadow/"He'll feel bad, but then we'll feel bad/prom dates/follow that DHL truck!/Ramada Inn/waiting 4 guys who never show up/fights w/parents/ Ground Round/Maggie's Pub/Chrissie's surprise party/Carvel/I'm working 2night/ STAND dances/band camp — I'm not going/TGIF/Happy B-day Ro/boiled eggs/Friendly's/pool/attraction towards the same guy/tacos/bad breath/taking pics/dress up/Hider in the House/sleepover at Karen's/skeletons in the closet/ So, Gina and Kar . . . /do U think differently of us now?/Grease/lip sync contests/ leather straps/stay down!/Camp Na-Jee-Wah/diners/"Everybody HAS to order"/IHOP/studs at McDonalds/AOGG/Holiday Inn bomb/"Duh"/pen displacement/volleyball/Blondie — Pinkie/Wheaties/Jewels/Green/Doodles/Hist videos/adventure 2 school/hail storm/Harry Connick Jr./fashion show/"Oh my darling"/cartwheels in the hallway/lunch outside/Gina — "I can jump over it," then falling over volleyball net/cough drops/"R U sleeping?"/commercials/grinding teeth/skippy/Ro doesn't wear socks in -2 degree weather/Vs/the voice bounces over the lake/like mother, like daughter — MB/band camp — who's the BOSS/Hand Rocks the Cradle/smooth & creamy/stealing buns from dining hall/micro honk/choc & van swirled/P like mother dolphin/Eagle Rock Diner/ Karen — our personal guide 2 every existing mall/hair extensions/crackers/uffda/BC/the tall blonde girl/1, 2, 3 . . . eat!/Pulling out chairs/green M&Ms/ cool beans!



KAR: BF/Royal Blue/the mechanic/SP/John from FL/Baskin Robbins  
RO: CPR/TR/JT/10 cents/MC  
ERIN: SP/Waldo/RB/LM/MW/JPV/PL/RM/PL/ZL/JW + Bro/JO  
MARISS: JW/RO/LM/MR/BA/MH/AM/RR/JC  
CHRISSIE: DM/MT/GM/BSJ/MS/nickel  
GINA: MM/PL/AJ/JB/RM/LM  
CAR: SP/MW/LM/JS





# True Friends Last Forever



*Helen*



*Nicole*



*Valerie*

Never forget — Bayonne boys — Pete/Steve — cute for 10 year old — Gabe, Mike, Julian, Chris, Chris, Anthony — all Nicole's boyfriends — Mike n' Scott — traffic light (hot men) — N.V. stop sweatin' — T.J.'s loss — Nicole and her Anthony's — East Hanover men — Greek men (Helen) — B.D. — you're hot (shoetown) — Frat Party — man in Roy Roger's (gross) — R.C. loves Nicole — Mike and Jimmy (hot) — Diners: Forum, Ritz, Eagle Rock, Pilgrim — gyro — brownie with hair — Nicole — cheese omelets — feeding people in restaurants — feeling the needs — Verona park — forum fights — Gus — Nicole, Ray, we want ice cream. Who's driving? — Bennigans — crazy after chocolate cake — making friends with waitress (Cathy) — one way or another (blondie) — going out in cheerleading uniform — guys by music player (got a dollar) — see Anthony — lookin' good — Val and Helen going wild in car — Chris and Joe — Wait I want to listen to the story — Val (which way are you going) — Valerie's visits from Chris — waiting in Errico's — cars that make a lot of noise — bad news — learning to play pool — Ramada/Holiday Inns — How do we get to triangle billiards? — disaster — bowling and not having a clue (score) — going to Anthony's — wanting to leave — burn the shirt — many phone calls from Mike — back problems (wrestling) — Where's Boonton? (Val sleeps in car) — crying on the phone — Helen's friend (Foot Locker) — Michelle (Val's friend — Joey's) — sleeping in movie theater — slow songs — nights crying — may apple hill — fight on Bloomfield Ave. — blonde in back — Joey's Trumps — carnivals — C.G. no socks or shoes — Val — 2 different socks to school — Helen's accident — Bic disposals — dancing in front of humanities — O.K. you're cool — 1 hour fights — senior breakfast/picnic/bonfire — football games — pulling hair before meets — I'm not hungry (big sandwich) — Valerie running in Helen's living room — Helen/Valerie sit in middle — roses — 10 years — still friends — best friends all of a sudden — one night (now getting married) — fight on Calvin — Doris wants Italian men — bad hair day — I have a zit — I'm staying home -- Lunch — You're in my seat, can I share? — Annabelle's cooking yum — Nicole's poems (sick) — sports park — 3 lil pigs — Val's skeeball friends -- Super Bowl 93 — Nikki's house — let's go shopping — going to Smith Bros. (find paradise) — body suits (who can wear them) — Lord & Taylor (\$20 brush) — instead of running went shopping — Helen how do you get to the mall? — What are you wearing tomorrow — Helen let's run — Do I look fat — junior prom — Helen's aunt's house — Nicole 10 proms — I need ice — 350 dresses — knees hurt — limo accident — everyone laughed — footsies in limo Matt — Nicole nice pose — congratulations — pictures of Val — Frank not getting anywhere in NY — Mike R — What's up R U O.K.? R U O.K. there buddy? -- (Ray) Wayne's World — plaid shorts — yellow turtleneck — New Year's Eve -- Where are Gunnar and Steve? — Nikki always the shortest — forever a bum — Valerie — forever in white — Helen — forever needing a clue (with directions) — Nikki — always changing hair (blonde, red?) — Who do you like today? — What are we doing tonight — let's be friends til 90 — Helen it's not for you — I hate him (I love him) — make up your mind — dis him — are you mad at me — wass up? — I'm not vacuuming! (I quit) — I'm a princess — pizone's forever — you go girl — you're so crazy — okay — "my buddy" — Hoochie — Greeky — Agatha — Henrietta — Ishy — Pebbles — she's evil — monkey face (ha ha) — 5 ft. tall — Nicole what? — movie night (when) — fave songs — Helen — Rhythm is a Dancer — Valerie — Forever Love — Death — it hurts forever — But our friendship will never die!!



# WE'LL ALWAYS REMEMBER...

Those boys really know how to whoopeddoo it!

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Reese's cups

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Ray's Famous Pizza  
Cameron Field  
Seaside Heights  
Trumps — Gerardo 90210  
At Lisa's  
"Aladdin"  
Beautiful Speedy!  
Can I wear your... Ren & Stumpy  
Ginny Duenkel Pool  
Moo II P.A.L.



B.F.F.

Pizza  
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pepperoni  
double dough  
The Giants!  
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## REMEMBER...

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Cinnamon bun  
Burp! Good one!  
weekends in Penn. Walker Rd. accident

"Silence of  
The Lambs"

I want something  
tight with lots of  
holes in a really  
tacky color. Am I in  
the right store?  
Junior Prom

bear everything Pt. Pleasant Hey Roxy you look foxy! They call me Frenchi Let me just tell  
you something... T.V. New Year's Eve — Dan's Hola Susana chicle? Loews Ray's  
famous pizza Buddy Williamsburg, Va. Gerald's party Pepsi Dairy Queen the mall  
crying The cutest person know I like 'em The Music Man

## SUZANNE

Can I borrow your... OUCH  
What is this? Running  
over Rover That's attractive!  
Pennsy shakes Superbowl  
92 — Ben's 93 — Suz's I'm  
hungry Maybe I'd wear that!  
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hot! Trident 3 Hr. deliv-  
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tough guy coupons  
Reese's cups He's  
always late Mallowmars  
# at Pathmark

St. Pat's tradition Here comes G.A. Sandy Hook spit soda Hide and Seek Seaside I don't know about....Tati  
you make me sick Jae sneezes we think you go girl cops at hazel Bowling/Pizza Hut babysitting the  
Byers white t-shirts in rain brownies Do you have a dollar? fruit, fruit and more fruit yeme yeah you're coo!!  
OK Jello butt Suzie-Q you miserable vomitus mass C-knocker Hello, my name is Antigo Montoria, you killed  
my father, prepare to die!!! Hershey Park Say hi to gramps you still shake your leg hearing toilet or shower over  
the phone Super-soakers at Heather's picnic In the Summertime Ginny Dunkel pool Taco Bell red bow, pur-  
ple pants, blue spiked heels, pink shirt



*We have become so close so fast.  
Times we laughed, times we cried,  
Times we shared side by side.  
Our memories together they'll never end.  
Always and forever, we'll be the best of friends.*



One + One we're hav'in some fun — But Alexis, you don't understand! — Why do you call D.B.? — D.B.'s burgundy Omni — S.M.'s hooptie — Shakira — Shakila — Lil' Magic — Hoopsay — Freaky — Sexy Lex — Foxy Freda — The Joker — Poopie — B.A.T. — I'm on Main Street, I took the wrong bus coming from M.S.'s house — NYC, car stalls at 3:00 a.m., and D.D. saves us that night — I can't stand him! — I don't care — Do whatcha' want! — I can't believe you lost my blue vaseline! — Do you have any vaseline? — I don't know how to be... — He is a selfish pain — I miss my mommie — I miss my poopie — Prom night — "Our" restaurant in NYC — Prom night — "Our" own little table for (4) — You are so dis-organized — Now, if I would have done that!... — Naughty by Nature — O.P.P. — Mary J. — Sweet Thang — Lindell Townsend — Nu Nu — Poor Righteous Teachers — Rock This Funky Joint — Too Short's teeth — I don't like my hair. It's cut too short — Special occasion, time to get my hair done — Everybody wanted to leave the restaurant, especially S.M. & M.R. — Pizza Hut — Roy Rogers — NYC hot dogs — NYC pizza — White Castle — McDonalds — boy all in it — Rt. 22 Diner — Dining in NYC — The 10th grade BK posse — He's not affectionate — Don't let her talk to you like that — Do I have a long face? — We are in love — Trying to sound sexy to the Domino's man on the phone — You dissed with the ride to club 280 — The ride to N.J. with D.D. and the Uptown Kids rapping to us — Together, living like sisters who actually get along — You have jungle fever! — Martin and Chanene — Fresh Prince of Bel-Air — 90210 — Class of 1996 — Thirty Something — The Monkey Hustle — BET — Channel 49 — Sleeping With the Enemy — BodyGuard — Basic Instinct — All the fresh Spike Lee & John Singleton movies — Wet paint on the brown coat cuz' there wasn't a sign — Salut mon petit — Au revoir — Mes enfants — Poopie's special voice — Club 88 — Freaks 16th birthday party — The Spa — Stir-ups — M.R.'s brown leather hat for our anniversary — S.M.'s card for our anniversary — Modeling — Dancing — Singing — Can I have a kiss? — C.M. & A.P. are headed for E.C.C. — You are so cheap — Chicago or New Jersey? — Blue dress in "Push" — B.C.P. Is it necessary? — D.M. is so good looking — C.W. is so good looking — We wanna' send a shout-out to — Tee-Fine — Tia — Cathy — Reems — Jennifer L. — Jason W. and the rest of the **"get fresh crew"** — *Nous serons meilleurs amies à la fin!*

To Boo & Poopie,

**It was you all who taught us  
that being in love makes reality  
more wonderful than fantasy.**

Love,  
Lexi & Freaks



## NOLAN and KIM



Ra Ra  
Munchkin  
Disney Movies  
The Lake  
The Bet  
Heavyweight Champion  
Jets Stadium  
Doot-Doot  
Kim bunny  
Jr. Prom...NOT!  
florida  
Kayaks in Wildwood  
Radio City X-mas  
Spectacular  
Trampoline  
Stouffer's Lasagna  
Good Night w/my back  
turned  
Where's my bike?  
Candlelight dinners  
Period 4/5 — Lunch  
Racecars  
CAPTAINS!!  
New Year's Eve

Strawberry Shortcake  
Big Football Guy  
Valentine's Surprises  
Learning how to drive stick  
Hey Kim...messy  
RSC  
Angelbaby  
Silver Football Players  
Who won the Heimlich?  
Gotcha Last  
Griswald/Chanda vacations  
Twizzlers: Jimmy Reardon  
Banana Splits  
Cinnabons  
AS BC — Just Friends  
Shave my arm off  
You're a liar!  
South Carolina  
Birthmarks  
You're Invited...  
Best Friends Forever  
You're the Inspiration  
High School Sweethearts  
First Love

## MICA



for mine/DeCheser can we interview you?/The horse in Legow's class, Baby got back, bagel box, field trip to jewelry stand/I loved it. I want to see it twice more/Where's Robby?/I like being thrown against walls/Constantine — the Greek God/BO and his stick shift pick up truck — its going to be a bumpy ride/That boy scout belt!/TSC — situps in the hallway, How tall are you? 7'4". Will you go to the prom with me? Vito, don't leave. We love you! DC starring as Laura Ingalls, Den — will you hold still?/The narc — yeehaw!/Bus/A night on the town/Slam on the horn and take off!/L — WOHS is just as good as NA/I ball — Judy the undercover J/No more left hand turns from the right lane/Go girlfriend!



*We always knew we'd look back at the bad times and laugh, but we never thought we'd look back at the good times and cry.*



## CHRIS

Pyromania in IPS/McDonald arches hair/Let's wait for Bones at his locker/He looks like a goya bean/He could be a surfer — i.e. the California Kid/ Switching geometry quizzes/We love bifocal man, the priest, and Cal Kid/Chrissy the cat — RIP/Andy from GAP/I would never go to the prom with Den/DB's Sweet 16/Chemistry — R & C, regular or unleaded?/Wow he has big hands/The war has officially begun/Gary and Spiderman/Big I and Big B/Dangerous men and women, Faces of Death/prom date from hell/Rush/GN'R/Jerry's kids/Mickeyho and Hunt daddy/Go for yours 'cause I'm going



# THE MEMORIES WE'VE MADE

Teresa, Erin, Ulana, Julie, Vicky

## We Will Never Forget...

N.Y.C. — limo, Eddie, "Got A Luv 4 U", "Strike It Up", BR. S.S. '91 — spit, lifeguard parties, tarf, salt-n-vinegar chips, bikes, twins. Remember: Rez, batski bros., batskis, LD, OSED BS, BF, BS Comp., Club West, Riviera Restaurant, Bennigans, Boo Boo's, Bam Bam, all nighters, BK, Mayapple, Turtle Back, Diners, Where's the bathroom?, woods, Bayonne boyz, hangin' out, Sassy Nails, 50, Erin's parties, AG's house, Harmons, Kings, Cruisin' in the "Z", Audi 4000, What STOP sign? Celica, Hyundai, Honda Civic Ex, cruisin' in the Taurus to Montclair State, BIF, telephone pole, murmur, suspended, Terigen, Erigen, Mila, Juligan, Geek Girl, Buda



Air — Pinky — JG/GP-n-LV Something Pushin' Me — TL/Tommy C. At Surf Club — VS/Harmons Adventure — SAPP — UW/Pool/Wayne-n-Garth (Chem)/Linc At Bank/Quit Na, You Can Count On TL  
 Jul — Lock The doors — UW/Member The Mouse — EC/Running Man — VS/Honey Bunch Of Oats — TL/Student Parking Lot/Tiffany/Stop Whining JAP/Mud? Where?  
 Tre — Sneakin Out With GP-n-TP — JG/Nature Girl — VS/Blister Buddies — UW/Poland Spring Bottle — EC/Where's Sally (Prendo)/Great Times In AC/Am I Supposed To/Do I Talk Too Much?  
 Lash — Stop Shaking — VS/Blister Baby — TL/Just 1 Before Northfield — EC/BK Missions — JG/PI Mission (280)/Talks at 3 a.m./DQ KaKa/Lambada Girl  
 Vic — EC/Play Lessons — JG/I'll Be Right Back — TL/I Told You Not To Go Down The Stairs — UW/Baby Got Back/Cliffbanger/Why R U Trying To Look Like Me?



# JASON & JILL



Slinky — Winky — Blinky — O'Blinsky — Plinko/Star Case/Extravaganza: Jill's pillow — sphinx; chasing Jason through auditorium/Jamboree Rallye/Into the Woods./goods in the back-flap/Doc's Hyundai Disney joyride/Closet stash — busted!/I must go to Wisconsin, no Smith, no Barnard, no Yale.../I must go to Princeton — Conflict resolved: Bam!/Princeton parking problem/Excoriation in English X2/Racking up C's after acceptance/Hargidorn, Hagidorn, Hargradron/Jason, You're all that and a bag of chips/One sandwich short of a picnic/Pshaw! As if!/Burnt Sienna Pants/Quick — hide in the closet from the burly Dartmouth football player/And what did you get on the SAT's?/Lawnmower Man Madness: Job and Lobo/Bucking like a banshee learning stick on the Hyundai — wait until you feel it shake/Pull up the convertible top before the light turns red!/Jesse Correa in curlers, yikes/Setting off the car alarm at Melissa M's farm/Badminton with Mr. O/Volleyball — that's alright, that's o.k., we have a higher GPA/Chilling in the locker room/Hey, shouldn't you be mowing my lawn right now?/Rotary enmity/midweek sleepovers/hacking cough/Jason, keep that nasty pinky away from me/loving Nathalie — not!/Beaching at GS/Jason trying to hook, and trying, and trying/Worshipping our roommates/PJ Clarke/Dr. Legow's tattoo of Anna/Jill shaving her legs on Laura's bed/Egyptian rat/Cathy's imitation of Chuck driving stick — washing Jill's clothes/Discrimination on the basis of college choice/Come on up, I got a life line, come on up to this train of mine/choreography to Harriet/oppression of white males/4th of July editorial war/Jason and Rick take a cab to the beach/Peppy juice/How did we end up in Orange?/Erudite battalion/Is everyone from West Orange like the two of you?/I always throw the toll out the window — they have someone who will pick it up — sometimes I fake it/Jason falling asleep at the wheel and Jill steering on to victory/Discuss the Archbishop of Canterbury's proclivity toward Lawrence's use of color when discussing the outfit of Hamlet's mother's action figure of Stephen Dedalus/We love all those at GS and WOHS.

"When I'm at home and its sunny outside, I'll remember the time I kicked a boy 'till he cried."

SENIOR PERSONALS

Jason: Jill, I love you, but I hate you, but I love you all the same. Life just wouldn't be the same without your fussing, you think? Besides, I'm too sexy. The class of '93 will be able to survive without our help hopefully, but I won't without you. The postal service says it best "rain, hell, or high water you'll never see it", that is my love and admiration or lack there of for you dwindle. An important reminder: the 7:50 warning tone has sounded and if you don't look good I have a # you can call.



Jill: Jay, loving loving you! I have two words for you, "IDOL WORSHIP!" That is what I engage in every time I see your smiling face, or hear that fabbbulous monotone as it fights its way through the P.A. system and into my ears at 7:55 a.m. each weekday morning. Anyway Porsha, I love you so much, and cannot conceptualize experiencing W.O.H.S., (let alone, Ruth, Dave, Cliff, Howard, and Joan) without you. You are the most talented, creative, funny, intelligent, and caring best friend that I could ever hope for. I know that as we check up with each other constantly throughout our lives, I shall always find you in a successful state. If motivation is the anticipation of success then I instruct you to be extra motivated because a guaranteed success is yours for the taking.

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Jill stop w/the incessant flapping of the jowls/prodigious daughter/The Big Brown Chrysler/Bessie/Marsalles/Ruth, you slay me/Let's be a little more urbane/Fine sir, you are the KING of innuendo/Now we're caught between the DEVIL and the DEEP BLUE SEA/I don't want to be the DEVIL'S ADVOCATE but.../Mam, you have just been inducted into the jaw flappers hall of fame/HOYT!!!/Who is going to make THIS their mission? Their reason for living?/Everyone was supposed to bring food, who did? ME ME ME ME ME.../This ain't my first time at the rodeo/One if true, two if false...Law/Hey, why you wanna hamburger? Clap on!/Jewish princess handbook/Jill and Jason camera-hogging at Joan/tea at the PLAZA, 80\$ dessert/limo riding with Steve — Thanx Jay for the 20\$ tip/Make like a tree and leave/oy vey/The black sheep of the family/Bruce and the pickpocket in the Short Hills Mall — like a mecca in the sky/Ruth/AJC meeting we love you Rabbi Fellner/Mrs. Metsky — The curb is hissing, "Oh it does that all the time!"/Pizza and flat soda bought in 1975 — Lexi and Terri/I'm having a meeting and you're having a meeting and I don't like this/Mr. Carlson, "I'll throw you off a cliff"/THE GOOD DOCTOR SIR/I have wood-planks, kindle, etc./Don't hang around that Mr. Schwartz pure trouble/Would you like some salt with your foot?/Strapping young black man/E-HOP singing for half off — Jingle Bells/From the depths of the jungles of Eastside High/Pepper La Basia — Angie Extravaganza/Do I look like a fountain of useless knowledge?/Do you see the word "lackey" written across my forehead?/Halloween parade/loving Porsha w/Mrs. McG./If you don't look good, better for me/It's a simple case of mind over matter, I don't mind 'cause you don't matter/SPARTAN PIG — ROMAN COW/casa/vegetarian lasagna/Jason (2)/Adam and the Jason wars/Charivari — THE BOYZ NEXT DOOR/Chris at Ellen's Stardust/I'm schpitzing/vaclempt/the TRIUMVIRATE/We love you Jason B./Bye class '93, we'll miss you! Wubba Wubba Wubba Good bye & God Bless

JASON

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