

1999 MOUNTAINEER

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Each year, the yearbook staff is faced with the difficult task of capturing the unique quality of their class in order to distinguish it from all those classes who have come before. Every graduating class believes it had "Something to Say" or was "The Ones Who Mattered." What makes a class unique is not some clever catch-phrase theme, which can't possibly summarize the cumulative experience of nearly 300 diverse individuals. In truth, what makes a class unique is its place in the history of the school. Was it the first graduating class of a new school? The largest? The last? What made the class of 1999 so unique was its double distinction as not only the last class of the 90s, but also the last graduating class of the 20th century. No other class can claim that bragging right for another one hundred years! With such a remarkable legacy, it was vital to the '99 yearbook staff to make certain that their classmates recognized their historical importance. With that as their primary incentive, every effort was made to ensure that the class of 1999 would not quietly close a chapter in West Orange High School history. After all, they wouldn't just be leaving, they'd be GOING OUT IN STYLE.



Little kids have almost no sense of history, and as a class, we were no different. Sitting in those tiny chairs in Gregory, Hazel, Pleasantdale, Redwood, St. Cloud, or Washington elementary school, we had no idea of our historical significance as the class that would close out the century at West Orange H.S. We were preoccupied with school fairs, plays, show-and-tell, and the kickball games during recess . . .



Recognize any of the faces in Mrs. Warnick's class?





Bianca Martinez and Amy Criscuolo with a special guest at the St. Cloud School fair.

Molly Dowd and Lindsay Cohen model pool attire at the Gregory School pool party.



Check the smiles on Mozghan Setoodeh, Stala Michael, and Doreen Parekh at the Pleasantdale School Valentine's Day play!

Moving on to middle school was a major transition. If nothing else, we learned that change is sometimes unsettling, and each change creates a set of circumstances which become the past or the future. As a class we were still too young to appreciate our destiny. Our days at Roosevelt or Edison were centered around changing classes for the first time, hanging out at friends' houses, dances, and our eighth grade trips . . .



Lindsay Cohen and Kate Riesenbergl climb the storied Cohen 'Family Tree.'





Amy Criscuolo and Lynn Fasano sport the typical middle school attire. Nice rings girls!

It's not true that Vanessa Scrivner stood up the entire way to D.C. on the Roosevelt trip.



Abina Duncan, Tondra Taylor, and Tenisha Fort huddle to discuss their plans on the 8th grade trip.

Arriving at the high school in 1995, we were assembled in the newly renovated auditorium and addressed by Dr. Finnegan as the class of 1999 for the first time. He pointed out that being the last graduating class before the new millennium made us special. This feeling of being special really hit home one cold, spring night at our Junior Prom. Before then, we had class trips cancelled and little opportunity to come together and bond as a group. That magical night in March at Mayfair Farms changed everything. It was the beginning of a memorable time in our high school careers!



A princess' chariot. A smiling Ivy Reroma steps out of her limo.





Shephaly Pandey applies the last minute touches to complement her stunning gown.

The cheerleader and the quarterback! It really does happen as Marlayna Falvo and Mike Spina prove.

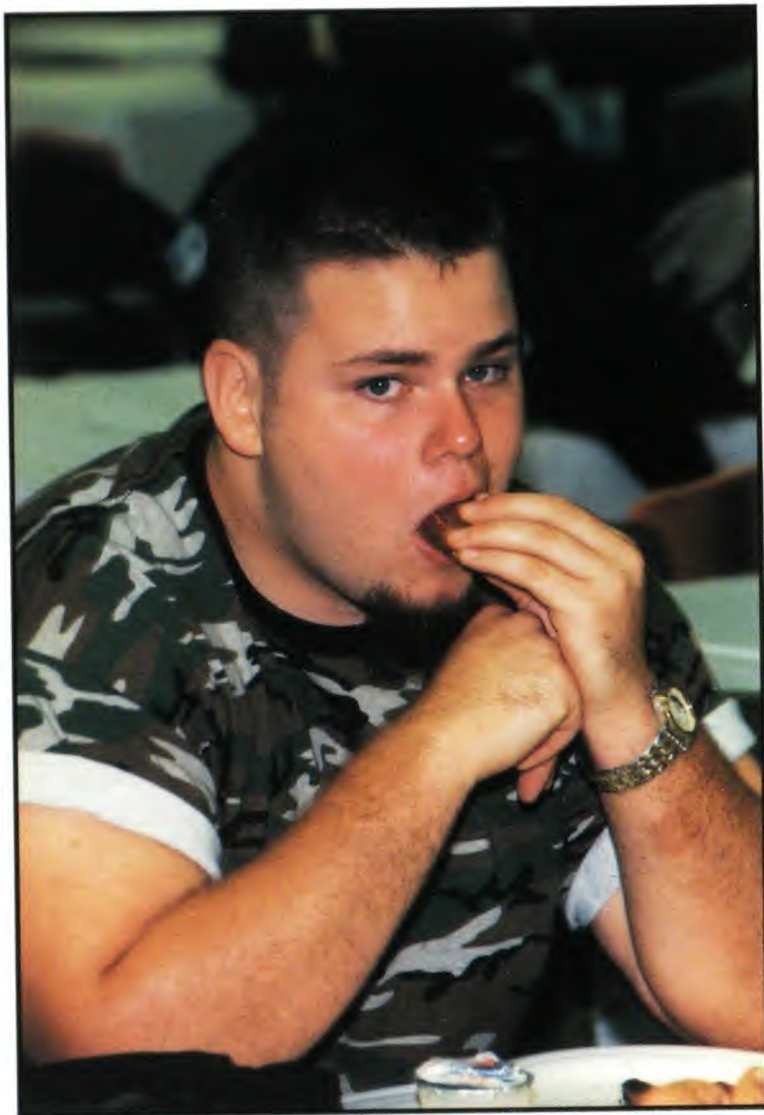


Ladies night. Glamor on the spiral staircase.





We're Baaaaack!



One of the quieter moments of Jon Michael's career at WOHS.

Chow time! Dimitry Mandrik is waited on by Mr. Miller and Dr. Finnegan.





Bagels for everyone! Lisa DeMichele and Jen Chee fill their plates.



Senior advisor Ms. Holmok displays the senior shirt for Shelya Fields and Tiffany Goodwin.

SENIOR RIOT-OUS



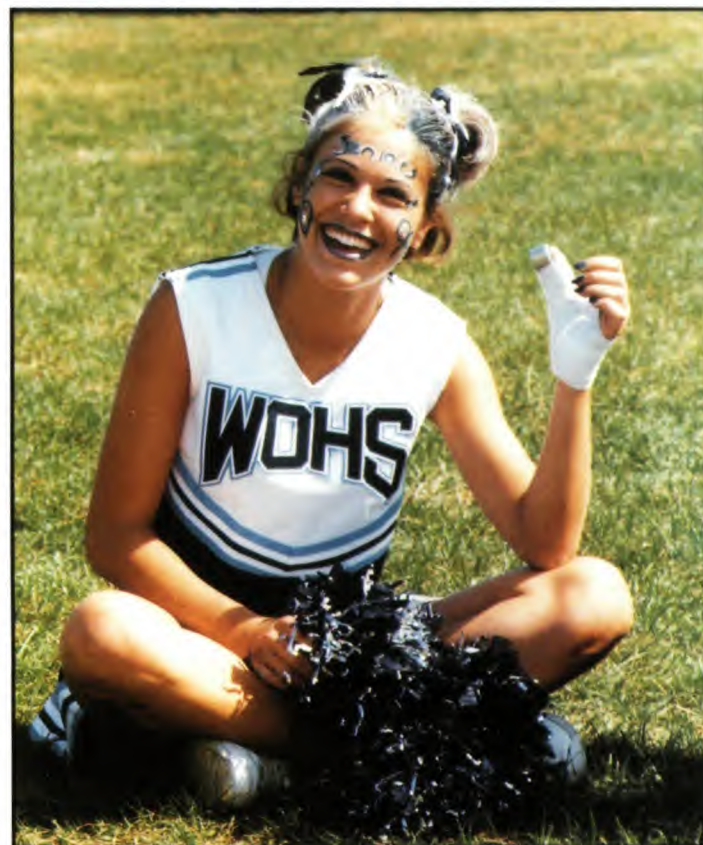
Pat Cobb, Dyan Ferraris, and
Melissa Castro chant
"S-E-N-I-O-R-S!"

No ego problems for Kevin
Walter at the Fall Pep Rally.





Even a broken thumb can't dampen the spirit of Dana DeConelio.



"Seniors are number one!" according to Casey Krajewski, Samar Hubbi, Cynthia Jaikaran, and Effie Drimonis.

"Yeah man!" seniors Toni Ann Zuppa and Nicole Pasquale have the answer to, "Have you got spint?"

Got Food?

"Mmm good!" Natasha Atobrah, Abina Duncan, and Ibrn Blanford dive into their key-lime pie.

There's no way Brian Doice gets a bite of Donna Hunt's sandwich, even with a wiffle bat!



"That's tight enough!" Tamar Joseph complains to Ayiesha Cummings.





"So much food, so little time," Stephanie Kim would say if she could get the words out.

Student Life





In The 21st Century I See . . .

“Students having the advantage of experiencing advances in telecommunications: video phones, 3-D television, futuristic cars, and gigantic malls will be among these advances.”

Dyan Ferraris

“Students probably doing the same things that they are doing today. I believe that hanging out with friends, going to the movies, or just talking on the phone never gets old.”

Alex Chia

“Teenagers hitching rides from flying taxis on the streets of New York City, going to virtual reality clubs, and every so often catching a space shuttle to the exotic resorts on Mars.”

Bianca Martinez

PENNSY PARTY

Seniors Savor A Winter Blast in the Poconos

One of the major accomplishments of the class of 1999 was resurrecting the Senior Trip. For the five preceding classes there had not been a school sponsored travel experience for seniors. Thanks to the efforts of class advisors Ms. Holmok and Mr. Worobitz and the senior class council, the administration gave the go-ahead for a two-day excursion to the Pocono Mountains in Pennsylvania. Buses arrived early on the morning of March 4th to transport enthusiastic seniors on a scenic two-hour ride to the winter wonderland known as Mt. Airy Lodge.

An unexpected snowstorm the previous night enabled seniors to enjoy a

broad range of outdoor activities, including skiing, snowmobiling, and tubing. "Snowmobiling was 'the bomb'. Or at least it was until we fell off because we went too fast," recalled Ibn Blanford.



For those who preferred to remain indoors, there were a variety of activities to choose from, including swimming, ice skating, tennis, volleyball, basketball, an arcade room, and a workout gym. Some highlights of the trip were the swim party and the dinner dance provided by

the lodge. "We were proud to be advisors of the WOHS class of 1999. This trip was a perfect Pocono experience," said Mr. Worobitz.



Training for the snowmobile event in the next Olympics are Molly Dowd, Nancy Grossman, and Kate Riesenberg.

Some seniors bypassed skiing for activities that "grounded" them. Snow-tubing was a popular activity.





Jose Ortiz, Paul Zaragoza, Louis Ruggeri, and Brett Stansfield enjoy the buffet.

Jesse Ryan asks Joe Postiglione, "Do we really need the ski lift for the bunny trail?"



THE 411 ON FASHION



Reina Mazal, Nicolle Pasquale, Dana DeCongelio



Fatima Magsakay



John Blanford, Sir Pierre Gray

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LATEST STYLES

FLARE JEANS
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KHAKIS
FLEECE VESTS
PUFFY COATS
PLATFORM SHOES
SHOE BOOTS
TIMBERLAND BOOTS
PEDDLE PUSHES
CARGO PANTS
SNEAKERS
OVERALLS
BUTTON DOWN SHIRTS
HATS
SWEAT PANTS



Ryan Peters



Jeannine Irons, Samantha Magers, Leneika Gary

Hail to the Queen!

November includes the end of the fall sports season and the conclusion of the first marking period, making it an extremely hectic month. There is one time in the month, however, when the entire senior class comes together to celebrate the reign of our Homecoming Queen. During the crisp, cold day of November 7, 1998, Marlayna Falvo casually strolled across the football field, where she was later honored as the Homecoming Queen for the Class of 1999.

Even with the freezing weather nipping at our toes, faithful fans, parents, alumni, and students came out to support the Mountaineers during their unfortunate loss to West Milford. After the first half of the football game, the moment finally came when Marlayna Falvo, Jeannine Irons, and Leneika Gary, along with their escorts, David Rubin, Brett Stansfield, and Brian Ferguson, crossed the football field where they awaited the announcement of the 1999 Homecoming Queen.



Mr. Novak, Marlayna Falvo, and Mrs. Falvo-Novak

Escort David Rubin and Homecoming Queen Marlayna Falvo





I felt that this experience was truly an honor I never thought I would have in a million years. Thank you to everyone who nominated me!

— Leneika Gary

My experience as a nominee was a complete surprise. I was so excited and honored to be recognized by the Class of 1999.

— Jeannine Irons



This was a huge honor. It meant a lot to know that my classmates thought of me to represent the senior class.

— Marlayna Falvo

That's all folks!

What we enjoyed most was the enormous sense of pride we felt every time our son Louis and the Mountaineers took the field. It was emotionally energizing!

— Mr. and Mrs. Ruggieri

I enjoyed sitting in the bleachers sharing the overall team spirit and excitement with the other parents and students. Along with this, I loved watching my son Alan play football.

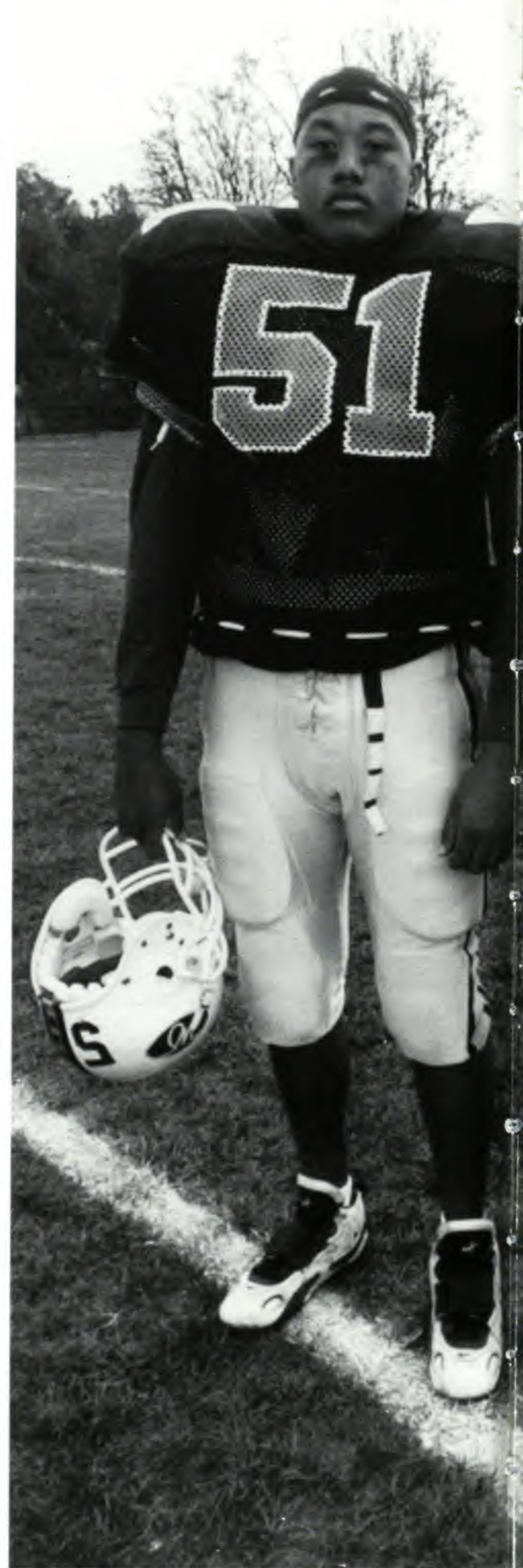
— Ada R. Meacham

The most enjoyable part of my daughter's 1998 fall season was watching Stephanie display her many talents in cheering for West Orange High School.

— Camille Lorenzo



Mrs. Lorenzo, Stephanie, and Mr. Barbaro



Ed Mitchell and Mrs. Spence



Alan and Mrs. Meacham



Mr. Ruggieri, Louis, and Mrs. Ruggieri



Marching Band has been quite an experience for me and has taught me a lot about myself.

— Abina Duncan



While band was a lot of hard work, I always tried my best to make sure everyone enjoyed themselves.

— Zak Kaplowitz

Competitions

Ridgewood

Oct. 4, 1998

3rd place

Score: 73.4

Trenton

Regional

Oct. 18, 1998

2nd place

Score: 80.2

Hillsborough

Oct. 25, 1998

1st place

Score: 86.1

USSBA

Championships

Giants Stadium

Nov. 4, 1998

4th place

Score: 87.0



Leigh Duddy plays the tuba feature in *America*.

Bridgit Everswick.



A WEST SIDE SPECTACULAR

Whether it was sweating in 90 degree weather in August or shivering in freezing temperatures in November, the 1998-1999 Marching Mountaineers definitely got the most out of their season. Leading these 100 members were senior drum majors Zak Kaplowitz and Dan Shin, along with junior drum major Mark Lagatic.

The band began training in July, attending summer practices once a week in addition to five exhausting days at band camp in Lebanon, NJ in August. There, the band memorized their music, learned flag and dance routines, and was taught their drill. Once the school year started, 18 hours each week were reserved to master this year's show, "A West Side Spectacular," directed by Chuck Dettmar.

Their musical selections, from the

play *West Side Story*, consisted of *Jets' Song*, *America*, *One Hand One Heart*, and *Tonight*. The masterfully arranged music combined with the talents of drill designer and instructor Scott Tomlin, sensational flag, dance, and weapon routines choreographed by Mike Iacovelli and Lori Tomlin, and the striking new uniforms, led the Mountaineers to capture various awards.



"The outstanding show design and dedication led to a successful season and a great way to end an incredible four years,"

noted color guard co-captain Christina Ryfa.

Drum captain Brett Meyer, color guard captain Kim Robertshaw, and co-captains Melissa Goldfarb and Christina Ryfa each helped maintain the enthusiasm of the Marching Mountaineers.



Drum-captain Brett Meyer.



Color guard captain Kim Robertshaw gracefully performs the solemn dance in *One Hand One Heart*.

WINTER & FANTASY ON STAGE



Soloist Jessica Moffett displays her magnificent voice in *Pie Jesu*.



Concert Band member Ginnene Simpkins patiently awaits her entrance in *Waterdance*.



Paul Zaragoza



WINTER CONCERT 1998

*West Orange High School
Bands, Choirs, Orchestras*

*Under the direction of:
Charles Dettmar, Jr.
Michelle Podesta
Margo Sokolow
Scott Tomlin*

*In Performance at:
WOHS Auditorium
Pleasant Valley Way
Thursday Evening
7:30
December 12, 1998*



Ann Dang plays along to *Sifonia* with the orchestra.



Kevin Walter, Leneika Gary, Casey Krajewski, and Edwin Diaz.

Emma Mensah and Matt Fitzpatrick set up for Rock and Jock.



SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

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Matt Fitzpatrick, Jeannine Irons, Kimberly Robertshaw, and Brian Ferguson.

Out In Front

Ample Opportunities For Leadership

In a school with a growing, as well as a diverse population, it was vital that students took charge and established themselves as peer leaders. These leadership opportunities were most prominent in the various clubs and organizations offered at West Orange High School. Students who were active members of these clubs set an example for others.

The **Lean On Me** club, advised by Ms. Barbara Wofsy, held various workshops throughout the year which dealt with subjects such as cultural diversity, sexual harassment, and roles and relationships. In the beginning of the year, students were selected to participate in a leadership training program which helped them strengthen their leadership qualities. Senior member Mozghan Setoodah felt that, "Building leadership qualities in students will eventually help them maintain healthy relationships." **Lean On Me** also sponsored workshops for freshmen, which focused on the transition from middle school to high school.

The **Interact Club** was another club that offered leadership development through community service. The club, advised by Dr. Rotonda, was geared toward community awareness through its affiliation with the local Chapter of Rotary International. Co-presidents Peter Huang Fu along with Samantha Farenkopf made sure that club members responded to community needs through volunteering at Pleasantdale Elementary School where they played with the younger children after school, hosting a Christmas party at the Community House, and helping senior citizens with their spring cleaning in April.

Students with obvious interests in leadership roles in government and in business participated in such clubs as the Junior Statesmen of America (**JSA**) and Future Business Leaders of America (**FBLA**). The **JSA**, advised by Mrs. Dodds, participated in chapter, regional, and state conferences. They also participated in bi-monthly debates, simulations, and thought talks. President Robert Merin observed that, "**JSA** helped me to become a much more dynamic leader and taught me the role government and politics can play in one's life." **FBLA**, along with advisor Ms. Scott, took a trip to the annual state conference at the Hilton Hotel in Cherry Hill, NJ where they competed against other chapters and attended various workshops. The club won numerous awards.

Health-conscious students developed leadership skills through their involvement in the **Health Careers Club** and the **Smoke Quitters Club**. The highlights of their respective calendars included participation in the Great American Smoke Out on November 19, 1998 and a day-long program in March on stress management, presented by the top motivational speaker in the Northeast, Dr. Rob Gilbert of Montclair State University.

With the arrival of the 21st century, it became more vital than ever to help students develop leadership skills. West Orange High School met this challenge with a thriving co-curricular program.

Cynthia Jakaran and advisor Mr. Carroll demonstrate at the Smoke Quitters club presentation.





Lean On Me club members, along with advisor Barbara Wofsy, perform the human knot.

Seniors David Chau, Fatima Magsakay, and Peter Huang Fu discuss with Dr. Rotonda upcoming plans for the senior citizen spring cleaning event sponsored by the Interact Club.



JSA President Rob Merin and Secretary Melissa Goldfarb prepare for an upcoming debate.

FBLA Honors

- **Outstanding Local Advisor:**
Ms. Scott
- **Honorary Award for Participation in the March of Dimes**
- **Membership Expansion Award**
- **Largest Local Membership**
- **Information Technology Award:**
Benny Sayabovorn
- **International Business Award:**
David Chau
- **Marketing Award:**
Greg Joshua

WHERE DO WE STAND?

All those present on March 24, 1999 realized that UMOJA students are standing strong. The United Minorities of Joint Alliances focused this year's dinner on their stance in the upcoming millennium. UMOJA members made sure that they went into the new millennium with high hopes, positive attitudes, and leadership skills. This year's dinner was dedicated to the late Michael Cunningham, who helped to start The Black Awareness Club, later to be changed to UMOJA. The dinner also featured outstanding performances from students including a skit, a dance, singing and readings.

Other activities of UMOJA this year consisted of volunteering at a Senior Building on holidays and a Poetry Cafe combined with *Cobblestone*. Certainly, UMOJA students were on the move preparing for the next millennium.



Aaliyah Robinson, vice president, welcomes everyone to the 11th Annual Dinner.



WOHS Finest Drill Team performs their drill steps.





Emma Mensah, Tamar Joseph, and Kerlyne Maxime sample the superb dinner.
Emeka Emenuga is majestic in his cultural garments.



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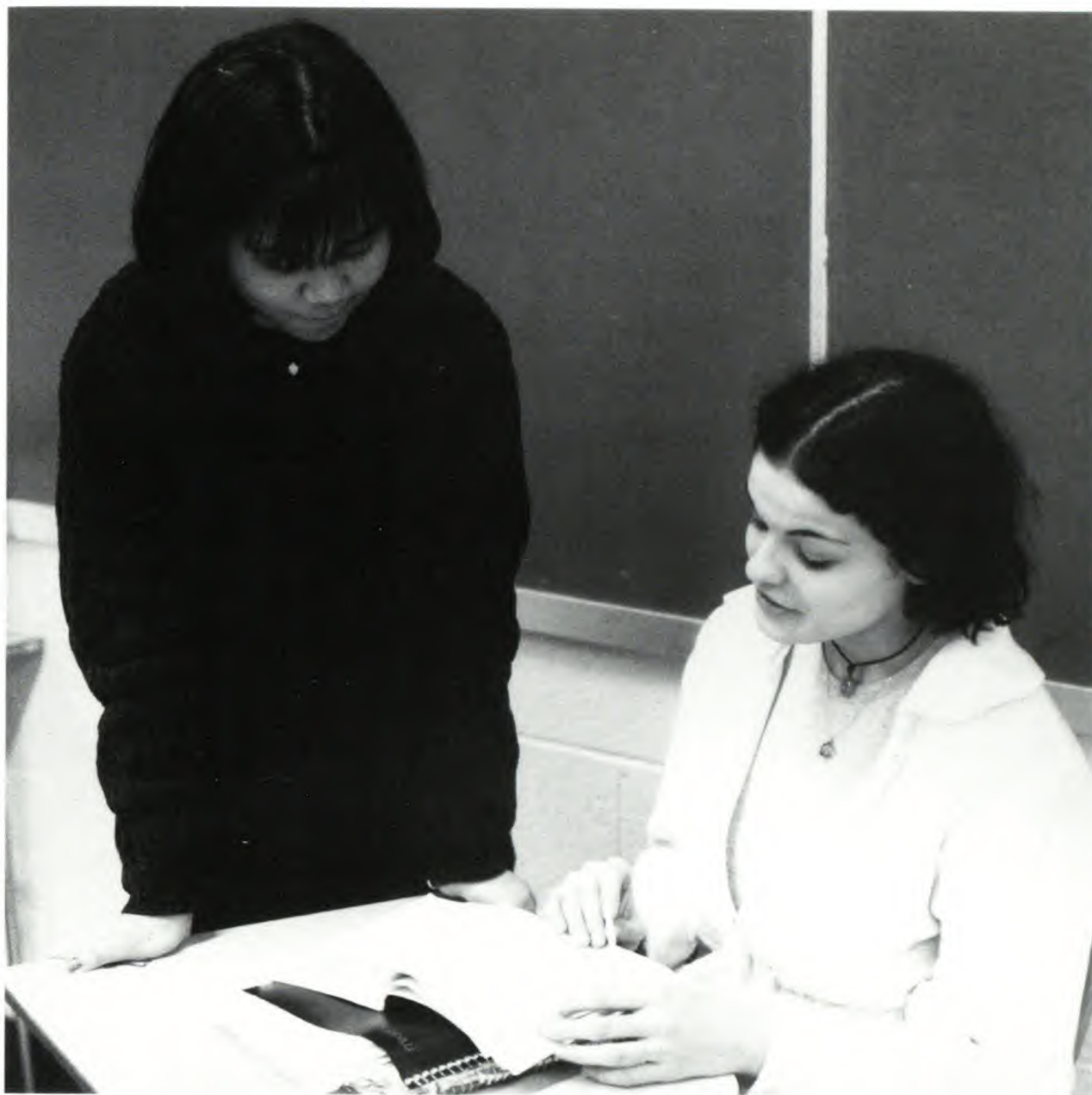
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Being on Cobblestone involved major commitment. Attendance was mandatory and reviewing the artwork took great patience.

— Lindsay Cohen



I have been fortunate enough to work with great students and writers — their dedication made the magazine stand out.

— Mr. Valgenti



COBBLESTONE STAFF — Advisor Mr. Robert Valgenti

Nancy Grossman, Rebecca Strauss, Kristen Kupchik, and Danny Heller organize important details for the senior section.

Lynn Fasano crops a photo for a layout in the business section with assistance from Paul Zaragoza.



Kate Riesenbergh and Kim Robertshaw carefully proofread the faculty section.



The success of this year's yearbook is a testament to how hard the staff worked on the book. From the first day of school until the final deadline, the team effort of the staff made the yearbook what it is.

— Brian Ferguson

As the last book of the century, we decided to develop a more formal style than in previous books. We felt a certain responsibility to produce a classy looking book. This year's staff worked extremely hard!

— Mr. John McCarthy





Style Points

With the '99 yearbook as the last of the millennium, it was unanimously decided by the staff that this year's class should "go out in style." Through the dedicated work of 22 students, this year's staff worked tirelessly to produce a book which would hopefully send them out of West Orange High School with an air of class.

Starting with the senior section, the primary focus of most yearbooks, we decided to illustrate our theme through formal portraits of the graduating class. We opted for a more stylish twist to the ordinary, casual clothing by introducing tuxedos and drapes. In the faculty section, we furthered our "chic" theme. "Instead of having only recent photos of teachers, we decided to in-

clude several pictures of teachers in fashions from earlier this century," stated faculty associate editor Kate Riesenber.



With an eye toward the future, each section divider provides a view of the 21st century from the viewpoint of a variety of West Orange personnel and incorporates photos with an emphasis on style. We trust that our stylish changes and modifi-

cations create a book appropriate for being the last of the decade, century, and millennium.

The yearbook staff appreciated all the help it received from the faculty coaches, and community at-large in its attempt to perpetuate the level of excellence that past books have attained.



YEARBOOK STAFF

ON THE AIR - ALL THE TIME

At a time when many high schools were just beginning to explore the possibility of operating an in-house television studio, WOHS TV 36 celebrated its 12th year of 24-hour programming. Under the direction of District Media Coordinator Martin Kale and his assistant Dave Da-Silva, viewers in the township were offered a variety of informative and entertaining programs. In addition to a standard weekly schedule, viewers were treated

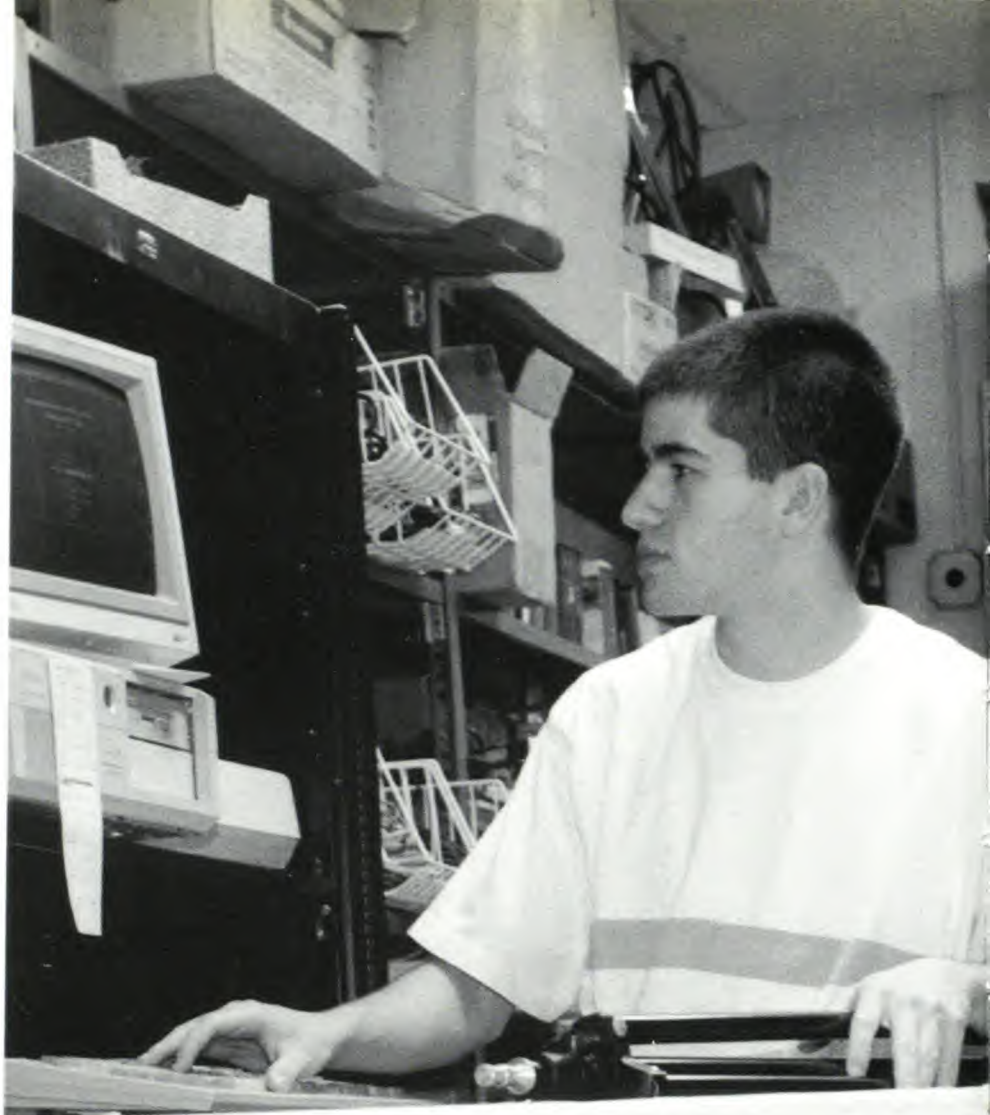


to coverage of winter concerts, held at all schools in the district, school plays, athletic events, and such seasonal events as the Halloween Parade, the tree lighting ceremony, the Martin Luther King celebration, and the St. Patrick's Day Parade.

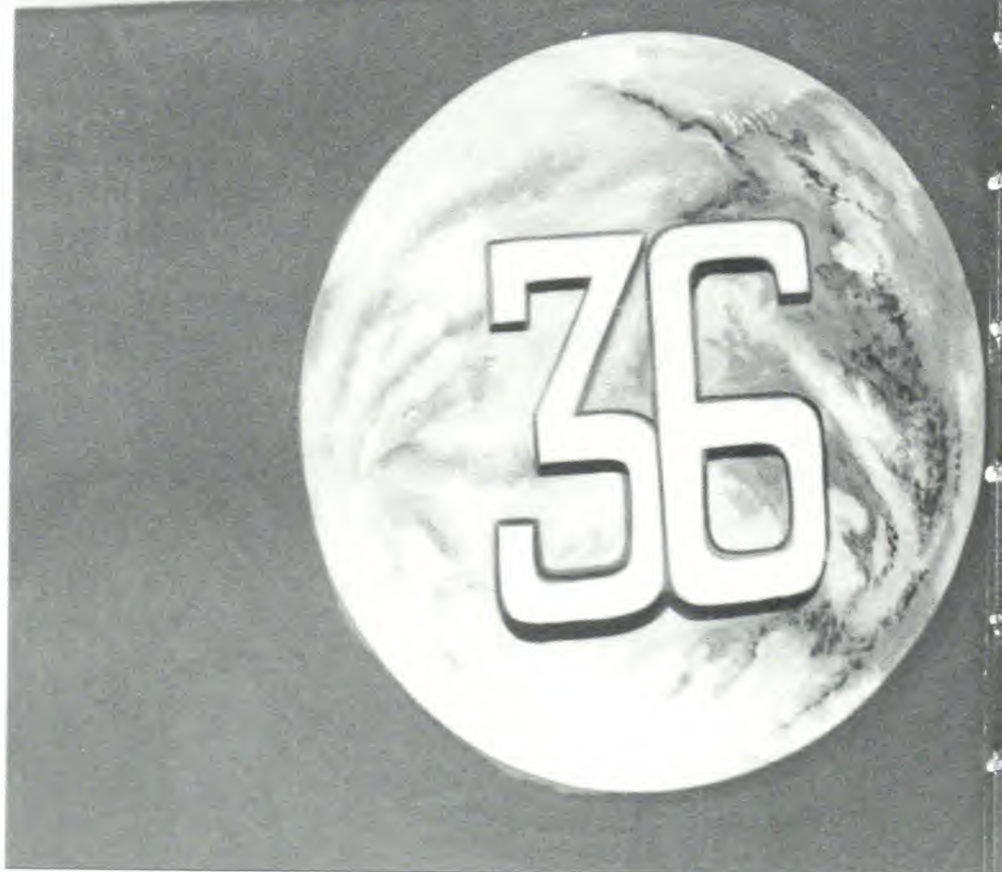
The student body was kept abreast of all the significant people, places, and things at the high school by the daily airing of WOHS news at 3:30 p.m. as well as 7:30 PM on Wednesday and Sunday.



Kevin Walter uses the A-B switch on the editing desk.



Associate Producer Rob Merin logs in equipment returned after a shoot.





PROGRAM GUIDE

1998-1999

Season

MONDAY

6:00 PM Let's Communicate

TUESDAY

7:00 PM West Orange Week

WEDNESDAY

7:30 PM WOHS TV News

THURSDAY

5:00 PM It's Elementary

6:00 PM Mountaineer Edition

FRIDAY

5:00 PM West Orange Week

6:00 PM West Orange

Town Council

SATURDAY

3:30 PM WOHS TV News

5:00 PM It's Elementary

6:00 PM Mountaineer Edition

SUNDAY

5:00 PM West Orange Week

7:30 PM WOHS TV News



Advisors Martin Kale and John McCarthy with senior TV36 staff members

THEY WORK HARD FOR THE MONEY

As the 12:00 bell rang at mid-day, not all of West Orange High School's students ran to class. A select few went out into the business world through a program called cooperative education, commonly known as CO-OP. But, it was not only CO-OP students who worked to make an extra buck. Many seniors at West Orange High School left school at 2:17, jumped into their cars, and headed off to work for 4-8 hours, to later go home

and face hours of homework.

Some seniors were employed at the Livingston Mall, aiding customers in their selection of merchandise, while others served as waiters/waitresses at nearby restaurants. No matter what the job, seniors learned how to manage their money and experienced the adult world first-hand. This experience was something that many students sought.



Robyn Sanzari spent her afternoons working at Little Red Trains in South Orange.

Serving his specialty 'A Mocha Chiller' is Brian Dolce, a valued employee at Gloria Jean Coffee Bean.

Gift-wrapping is only part of Regina Smilyansky's job at CBL Fine Art.





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Jessica Moffett, Felicia Soto, Lyle Estanislao, and Niral Parikh in a dramatic dress shop scene.

Comic Relief. Dyan Testa and Jon Michael assist Mr. Silverstein, a.k.a. Gladhand, at the dance.



WEST SIDE STORY

WEST ORANGE HIGH SCHOOL

presents

WEST SIDE STORY

Based on a Conception of **JEROME ROBBINS** Book by **ARTHUR LAURENTS**
Music by **LEONARD BERNSTEIN** Lyrics by **STEPHEN SONDHEIM**

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Assistant Stage Manager
CHRISTINA RYFA

Student Producer
JASON BROHM



Jessica Moffett (Maria)
and Matt Fasano (Tony)

*"Tonight, Tonight, won't
be just any night."*

NBA owners enforced a lockout on players over labor issues. After cancellation of the All-Star Game, owners and players agreed on a collective bargaining agreement and began a 50 game schedule.

May 23 — British Protestants and Irish Catholics of Northern Ireland approved a peace accord.



Sept. 8 — Mark McGwire of the St. Louis Cardinals hit his 62nd home run to break Roger Maris's 37 year old record of 61 home runs in one season. In the Great Home Run Chase of '98, McGwire finished with 70 home runs and Sammy Sosa of the Chicago Cubs finished with 66.

July 6 — A young man with a history of gang affiliations was found guilty of slaying comedian Bill Cosby's son, Ennis.

March 27 — The FDA approved the prescription drug Viagra, saying it helps $\frac{2}{3}$ of impotent men who take the drug.

May 26 — The Supreme Court ruled that all but 3 acres of Ellis Island belongs to New Jersey.



May 4 — Theodore Kaczynski, the "Unabomber," was sentenced to four consecutive life terms after being found guilty of numerous mail bombings.



The Denver Broncos defeated the Atlanta Falcons 34-19 to win their second consecutive Super Bowl.

July 24 — A gunman burst into the U.S. Capitol and opened fire, killing two police officers.

Aug. 5 — Protesting eight years of crippling economic sanctions, Iraqi President Saddam Hussein broke off cooperation with U.N. weapons inspectors.

Dec. 16 — President Clinton ordered an air attack against Iraq to significantly diminish Iraq's ability to produce nuclear, chemical, and biological weapons. Operation Desert Fox lasted several days and accomplished its goal.



President William Jefferson Clinton became only the second U.S. president to be impeached. His senate trial led to an acquittal on the charges of perjury and obstruction of justice, saving his presidency.



The Chicago Bulls won the NBA Finals over the Utah Jazz four games to two, winning their third straight title and sixth overall in the 1990's. During the lockout that followed the season, the greatest basketball player ever, Michael Jordan, retired from the NBA.

Aug. 7 — Terrorist bombings at U.S. embassies in Kenya and Tanzania killed 224 people, including 12 Americans, and injured thousands.

Oct. 11 — Pope John Paul II canonized the first Jewish-born saint of the modern era: Edith Stein, a catholic nun killed at Auschwitz.

P r i c e L i s t

	1900	1999		1900	1999
Men's Suit	\$30.00	\$495.95	Broadway Play (lower level)	\$0.50	\$75.00
Cold Relief	\$1.00	\$4.95	Cruise to Egypt, Palestine, & parts of Europe for 17 days	\$550.00	\$4,000.00
Shoes	\$1.50	\$79.95	Underwear (men's)	\$0.75	\$7.95
Bottle of Whiskey	\$1.25	\$19.95	Atlantic City Hotel	\$4.00	\$175.00
Fur Coat	\$37.95	\$5,000.00	Men's 14kt Gold Watch	\$35.00	\$1,500.00
Boy's Dress Shirt	\$0.49	\$39.95			

The Houston Comets won their second consecutive WNBA championship.

March 25 — A cancer patient is the first known person to die under Oregon's pioneering doctor-assisted suicide law.

The host country, France, won the 1998 World Cup of Soccer.

April 23 — Federal and state health officials reported that effective new drugs continued to reduce the number of deaths among people with AIDS.

The Detroit Red Wings defeated the Washington Capitals to repeat as Stanley Cup champions.



Oct. 29 — At age 77, John Glenn returned to orbit 36 years after his first trip to space.



Oct. 12 — Matthew Shepard was killed outside of a University of Wyoming hangout for gays. Two men were charged for the murder.



Michael J. Fox, the star of the *Back to the Future* movies, was diagnosed with the brain disorder Parkinson's Disease.

May 18 — The federal government filed a lawsuit against Microsoft Corp., saying the computer company's stranglehold on competitors denies consumers choices.



The New York Yankees defeated the San Diego Padres four games to none to cap off a season in which they went a record 125-50.

PASSING IN 1998-99

- ♦ FRANK SINATRA
- ♦ FLORENCE GRIFFITH JOYNER
- ♦ BETTY CARTER
- ♦ JOE DIMAGGIO
- ♦ LLOYD BRIDGES
- ♦ ALAN SHEPARD
- ♦ GENE AUTRY
- ♦ GEORGE WALLACE
- ♦ RODNY MCDOWELL
- ♦ BENJAMIN SPOCK
- ♦ GENE SISKEL

Nov. 3 — The toll of Hurricane Mitch grew to an estimated 9,000 dead and hundreds of thousands left homeless in six Central American countries and Mexico.

GRAMMY'S

Album of the Year: Lauryn Hill, "The Miseducation of Lauryn Hill"

Record of the Year: Celine Dion, "My Heart Will Go On"

Best New Artist: Lauryn Hill

Pop Album of the Year: Madonna, "Ray of Light"

Female Pop Vocalist: Celine Dion, "My Heart Will Go On"

Male Pop Vocalist: Eric Clapton, "My Father's Eyes"

Metal Album of the Year: Metallica, "Better Than You"

Rock Album of the Year: Sheryl Crow, "The Globe Sessions"



Rap Album of the Year: Jay-Z, "Vol. 2... Hard Knock Life"

Rap Solo of the Year: Will Smith, "Get Jiggy Wit' It"

Country Album of the Year: Dixie Chicks, "Wide Open Spaces"

Entertainment News Notes, & Happenings

- Star Wars creator George Lucas released the first of three prequels to the original three Star Wars movies.
- Thanks to endorsements stemming from his show ending, Jerry Seinfeld topped Forbes Magazine's list of top-earning Celebrities.
- Former pro wrestler Jesse "The Body" Ventura won Minnesota's gubernatorial election.
- As evidenced by the popularity of such groups as Big Bad Voodoo Daddy and The Brian Setzer Orchestra, swing music made a huge comeback.
- After winning his sixth NBA Championship, Michael Jordan, the world's most recognized celebrity retired.

OSCAR NOMINATIONS

Best Actor:

Ian McKellan
"Gods & Monsters"

Nick Nolte
"Affliction"

Edward Norton
"American History X"

Tom Hanks
"Saving Private Ryan"

Roberto Benigni
"Life is Beautiful"

Best Actress:

Emily Watson
"Hilary and Jackie"

Cate Blanchett
"Elizabeth"

Gwyneth Paltrow
"Shakespeare in Love"

Meryl Streep
"One True Thing"

Fernando Montenegro
"Central Station"

Best Picture:

"Saving Private Ryan"
"Shakespeare in Love"
"Elizabeth"
"The Thin Red Line"
"Life is Beautiful"

THE ACADEMY AWARDS

Best Picture:

"Shakespeare in Love"

Best Director:

Steven Spielberg
"Saving Private Ryan"

Best Actor:

Roberto Benigni
"Life is Beautiful"

Best Actress:

Gwyneth Paltrow
"Shakespeare in Love"

Supporting Actor:

James Coburn
"Affliction"

Supporting Actress:

Judi Dench
"Shakespeare in Love"

Honorary Award:

Director Elia Kazan

1900
to
1925

1906

San Francisco Earthquake

1908

Henry Ford's Model T goes on the market

1914

Opening of Panama Canal after 10 years of construction

1917

U.S. enters World War I

1918

Women's suffrage amendment passes House

1926
to
1950

1929

Wall Street "lays an egg," leading to the Great Depression

1941

Dec. 7, "a day that will live in infamy." Japan bombs Pearl Harbor

1941

U.S. enters World War II

1945

President Harry Truman drops atomic bombs on Hiroshima and Nagasaki

1946

Jackie Robinson breaks baseball's color barrier with the Brooklyn Dodgers

1951
to
1975

1955

Rosa Parks refuses to give up her seat on a bus, a key event in the Civil Rights movement

1963

John F. Kennedy assassinated

1965

U.S. military involvement officially begins in Vietnam War

1969

Neil Armstrong becomes the first man to walk on the moon

1974

Watergate scandal forces President Richard Nixon to resign

1976
to
1999

1981

Sandra Day O'Connor becomes first woman to serve on the Supreme Court

1986

AIDS epidemic begins

1991

Communist Russia falls

1991

Operation Desert Storm

1998

President Bill Clinton faces impeachment but is acquitted of all charges

Seniors



In the 21st Century I See . . .

“Seniors utilizing new technological advances to the limit to become more productive. They will be focusing on their role and impact in their family, school and community.”

Ms. Holmok
Senior Class Advisor

“Computers replacing the dog as man's best friend. Everyone will have a shorter attention span than we do now. It will be just like the Jetsons, except more fun.”

Kevin Walter
Senior Class President

“Our dreams becoming a reality. We will be scientists, parents, and educators. We will be role models for children in the years to come. We have what it takes to succeed.”

Casey Krajewski
Senior Class Treasurer





JONATHAN ABAD

Every individual has a place to fill in the world and is important in some respect whether he chooses to be so or not.

— Nathaniel Hawthorne



KHADIJAH A. ABASS

The measure of a man's real character is what he would do if he knew he would never be found out.

— Thomas Macaulay



AMY ABBATEMARCO

Life is only what you make it.



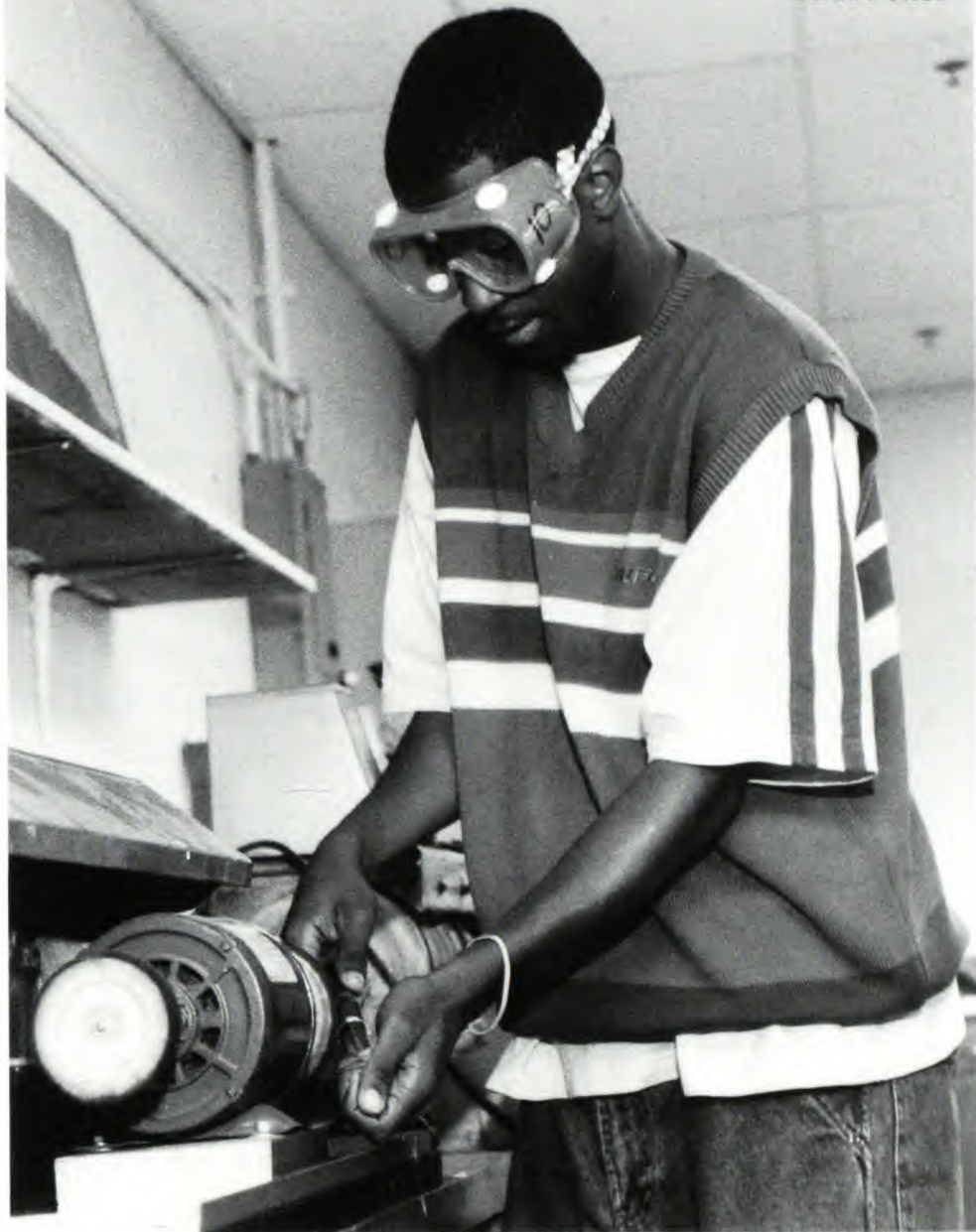
NADER ABDALLAH



NWAMAKA ACHEBE

Real leaders are ordinary people with extraordinary determination.

Jerell Powell



OLAITAN OLADIMEJI ADESANYA

You can fool the whole world down the pathways of years, and get pats on the back as you pass, but your final reward will be heartaches and tears, if you've cheated the guy in the glass.

— Anonymous



DOCKIM ALEXANDER



VAMSI ALLI



PABLO ALVAREZ



CHRIS AMELI

Keep on, keep on, that's all I could say, keep on, keep on.
— M.C. Mookie Slice

Danny Heller



MELISSA AMSTER



BENJAMIN ANOKUTE

Let's split up, we'll cover more ground.

— Anonymous



EDWIN APONTE

Art is Life.

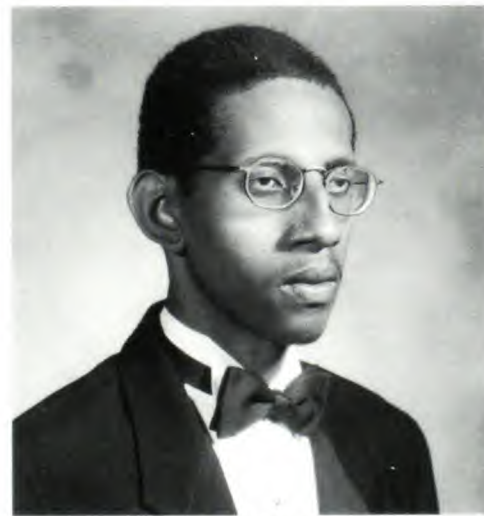
— Anonymous



LISSETTE ARIZMENDI

The entire sum of existence is the magic of being needed by just one person.

— Vi Putnam



FREDERIC ARMERDING



MARIA ATHANASOPOULOS

Some people come into our lives and quickly go. Some stay for a while and leave footprints on our hearts, and we are never the same.



NATASHA ATOBRAH

Obstacles are those terrifying things we see when we take our eyes off our goals.



JASON AUSTIN

I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me.
— Philippians 4:13

Irina Biniukow



When I Grow Up...

*"I will be working at the
National Weather Service in
State College, PA."*

— Mike Girone



*"I will be having an
arranged marriage."*

— Doreen Parekh

*"I will be married with kids
and taking care of Effie, who
will be living in my
basement."*

— Toni Zuppa



*"I will be living in Toni's
basement."*

— Effie Drimonis



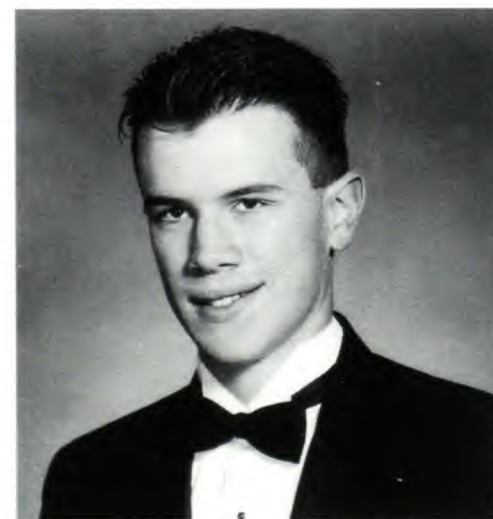
KATTY A. AVILA

The name of friend is common, but faith in friendship is rare.
— Phaedrus Fables



STEPHANIE BARBARO

I always knew looking back on my tears would make me
laugh, but never knew looking back at my laughter would
make me cry.



BRYAN ROBERT BARRON

May the road rise up to meet you. May the wind be always
at your back. May the sun shine warm upon your face. May
the rain fall soft upon your fields and until we meet again,
may God hold you in the palm of His hand.



PROSPER BAZILE



NICHOLAS VITO BELLOTTI III

The future is no more uncertain than the present.
— Walt Whitman



DENISSE BENITEZ



NYIESHA BENTON

The past is history, but the present is now. The moment is a gift, but the future is what we make it.

— Anonymous



PATRICIA BERCY



Emma Mensah



IRINA BINIUKOW

You must live your life the way that it won't be painful for worthless years.

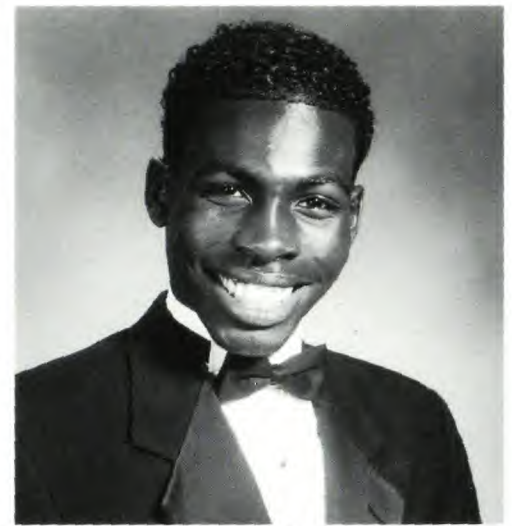
— Nicolay Ostrousky



VIVIAN BLACK

There are two ways of spreading light; to be the candle or the mirror that reflects it.

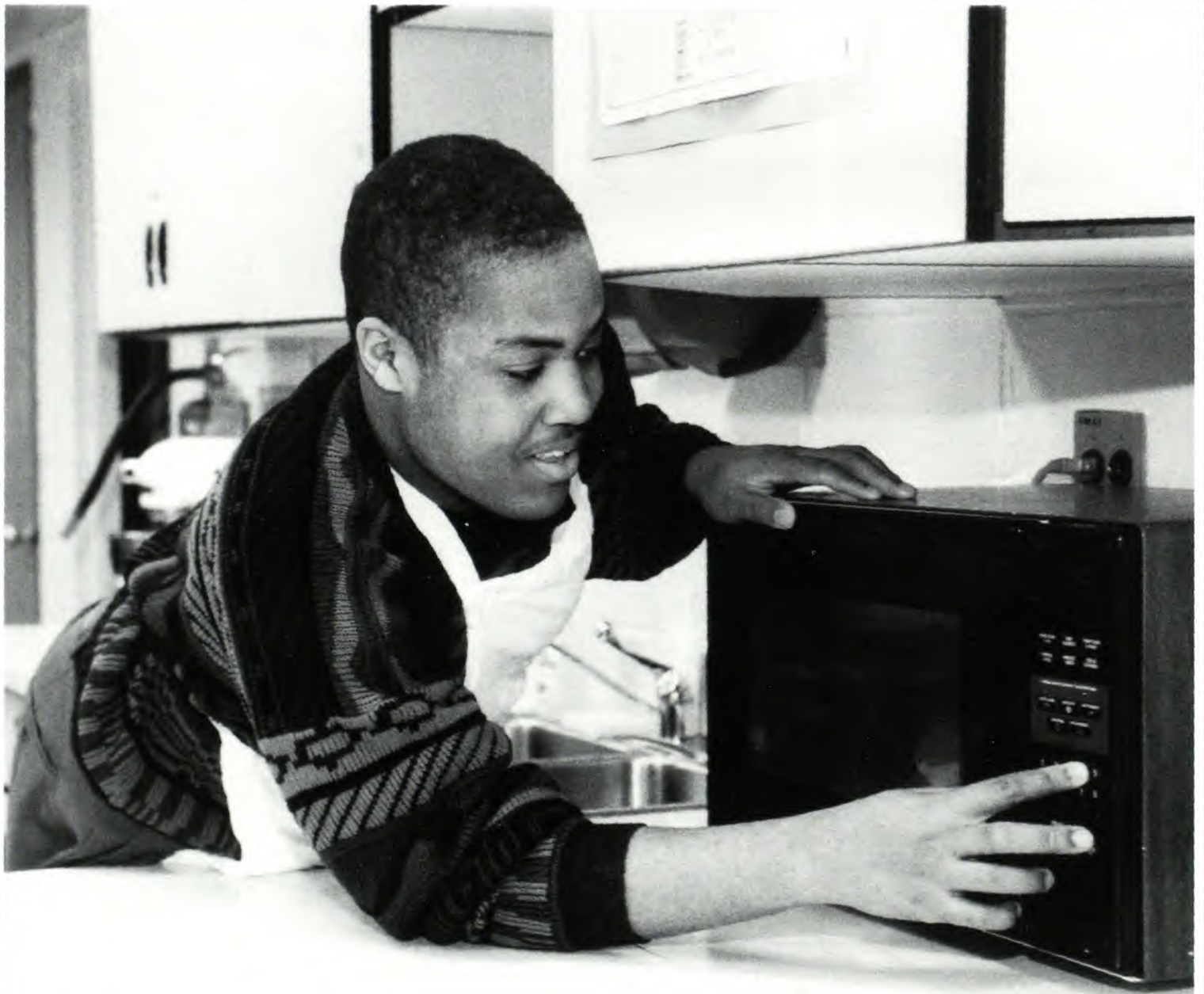
— Edith Wharton



IBN M. BLANFORD

It takes a long time to grow, a longer time for me to develop into the perfect person that I'm going to be. I may not do things like others or do things perfectly, be patient. Let me be me.

— unknown



Alex Howze



NANCY BOCCANFUSO

To thine own self be true.

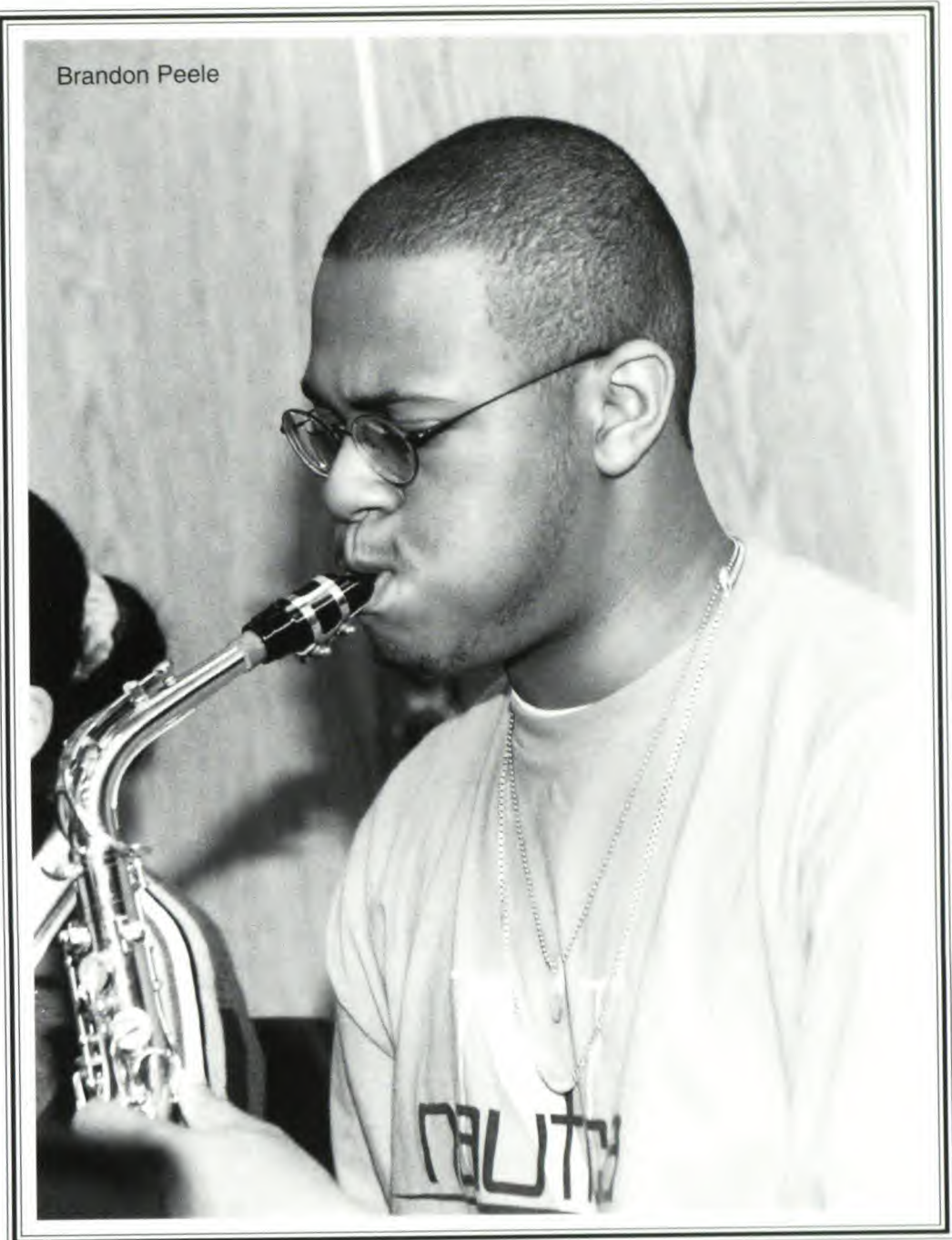
— William Shakespeare



JONATHAN BODNER

Giddyup!

— Cosmo Kramer



VANESSA BOLIVAR

The way to love anything is to realize that it might be lost.
— G.K. Cheslerton



CASSANDRA BONHOMMETTE

Hatred paralyzes life; love releases it; hatred confuses life;
love harmonizes it. Hatred darkens life; love illuminates it.
— Martin Luther King, Jr.



SHANNON BRADLEY

Animals are such agreeable friends, they ask no questions,
they pass no criticisms.

— George Elliot



SHAWN BROWN

Life is short. So make the best of the little time you have.
— Anonymous



TANEISHA BROWN



ANTHONY BURTON

Jesse Ryan, Chris Ameli, and Allen Robinson





SUSAN CALLIGROS



THAMAR CAMPBELL

The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom; All who follow His precepts have good understanding. To Him belongs eternal praise.

— Psalms 111:10



KATHRYN CARDENAS

If you judge people, you have no time to love them.

— Mother Theresa

Hamilton Ulerio



SCOTT Q. CARSON

Always give 100% and just a little bit more.

— Coach Pizzi



STEPHEN D. CARTWRIGHT

Your outer beauty will attract my eyes, but it is your inner beauty that will attract my heart.

— Anonymous



DEBORAH CASELLA

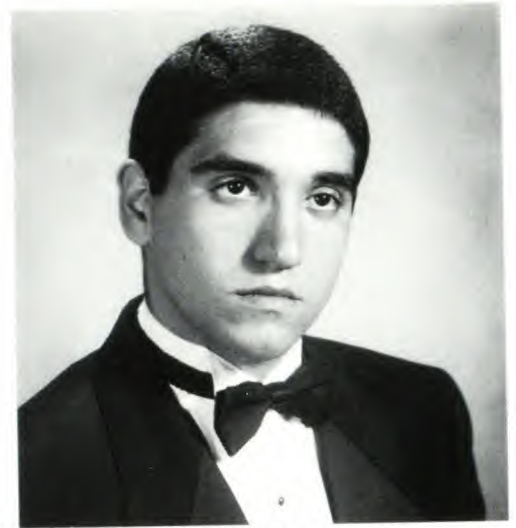
I am not afraid of storms for I am learning how to sail my ship.



MELISSA L. CASTRO

The best is yet to come. But while you're dancing on the ground, don't think of when you're gone. There are bad times, but that's ok. Just look for the love in it.

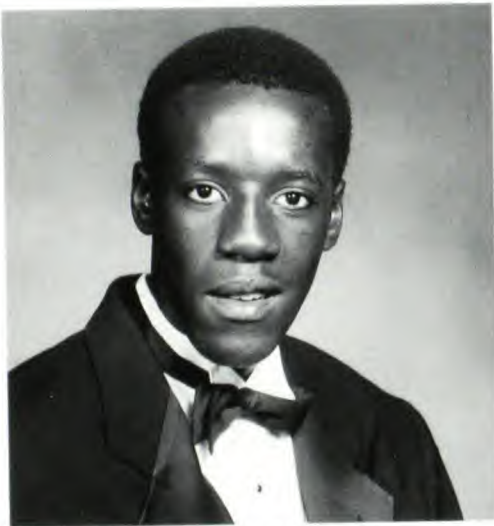
— Dave Matthews Band



THOMAS J. CATALANO

The only easy day was yesterday.

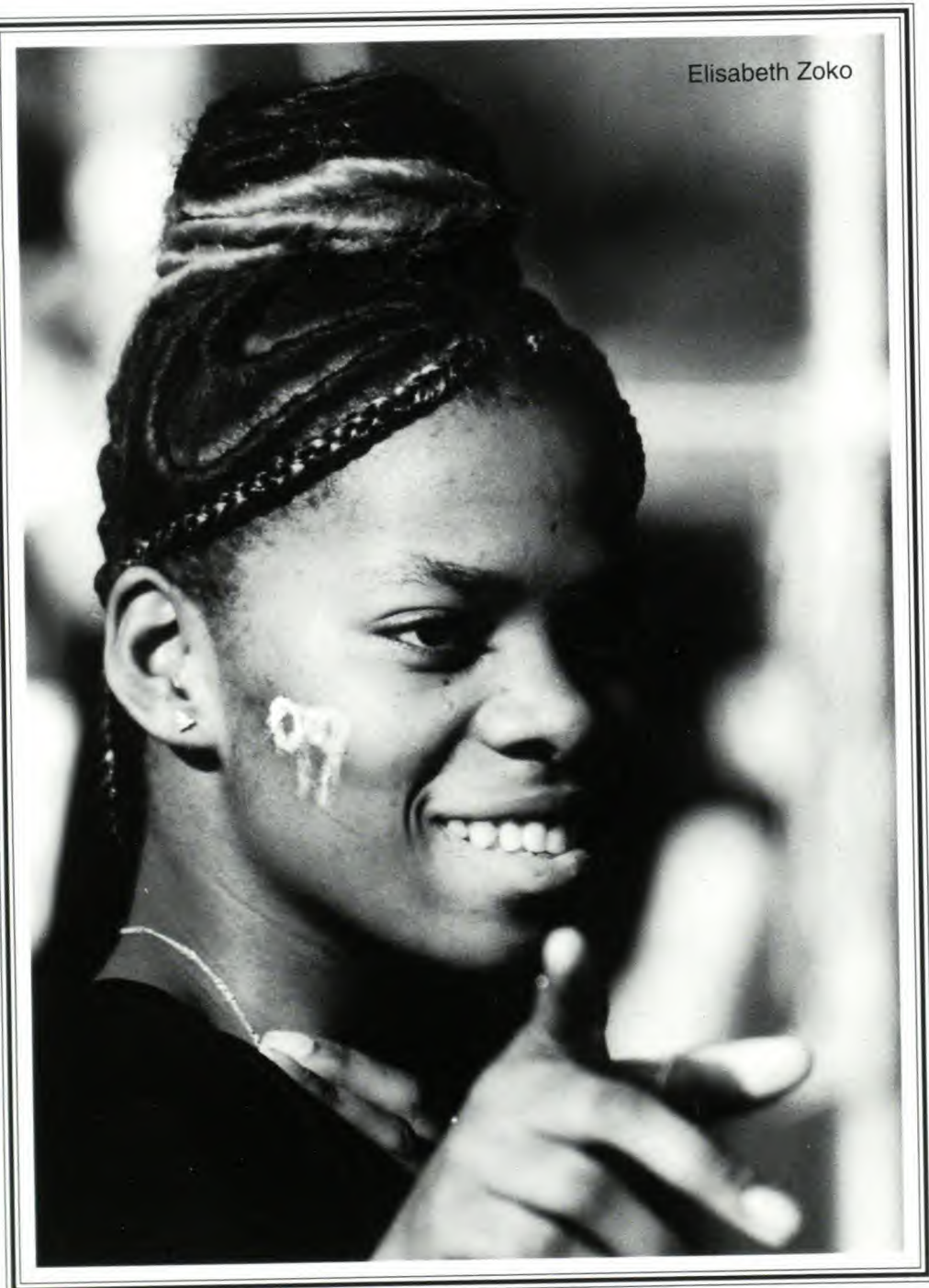
— U.S. Navy Seals



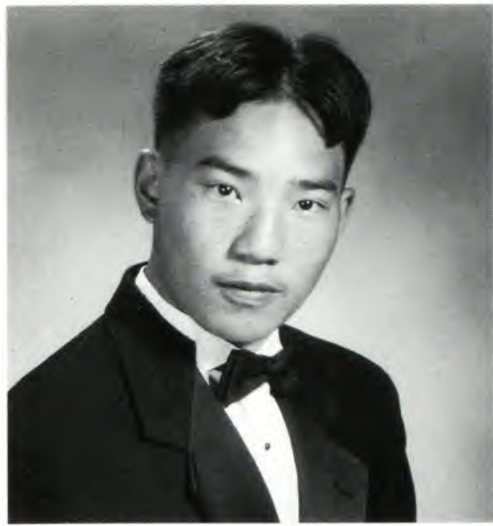
LUC JERRY CHARLES



WOSVALT CHARLES



Elisabeth Zoko



DAVID CHAU

To believe your own thought, to believe that what is true for you in your private heart is true for all men — that is genius.
— Emerson



JENNIFER K. CHEE

While we stop to think, we often miss our opportunity.
— Darius Lyman



ALEXANDER CHIA



JIMMY CHINGA



ANNA CHIRICO

Friendship often ends in love, but love in friendship never.
— C.C. Colton

In My Crystal Ball I See...



"a change in the direction of fashion, hopefully designers will wise up so I don't have to spend \$130 on a tank top."

— Fatima Magsakay



"cars that fly, dogs that talk, cars that talk, and dogs that fly."

— Paul Zaragoza



"a new M & M color."

— Scott Olszewitz

Abina Duncan



MICHAEL CHUVÉN

We have to be right in the middle of the action, 'cause we are the warriors, and without some challenge, without one damn man to fight, then the warrior may as well be dead.
— "Rocky IV"



DWYSHAAH CLOSE



CHARLES P. COBB

If you want to picture the future imagine a boot stamping a human face — forever.

— George Orwell — 1984



LINDSAY BROOKE COHEN

There's only us; there's only this.
Forget regret,
Or life is yours to miss.
No other road no other way,
No day but today.

— "Rent"



KRISHNA CRAIG



AMY CRISCUOLO

Some people come into our lives and quickly disappear
Others stay for a while and leave footprints covering our
hearts. And we are never, ever the same.



AYIESHA CUMMINGS

Let me assert my firm belief that the only thing we have to
fear is fear itself.

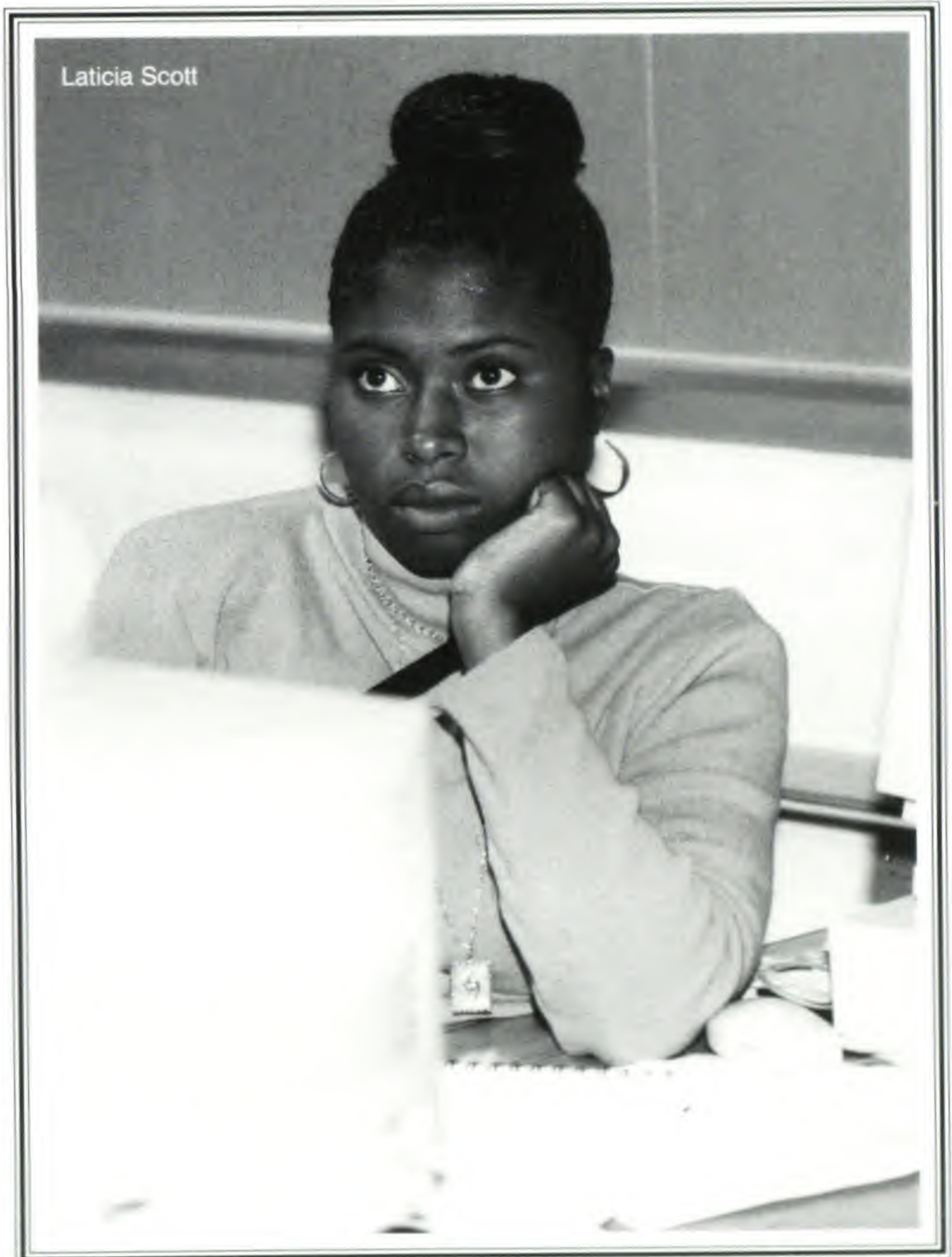
— President Roosevelt



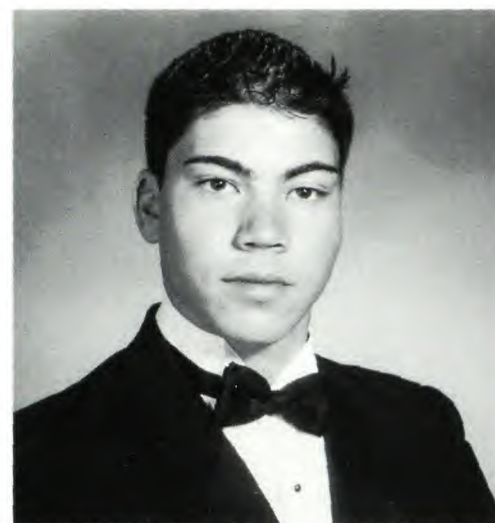
ANN NGUYEN DANG

Destiny is not a matter of chance, it is a matter of choice; it
is not a thing to be waited for, it is a thing to be achieved.

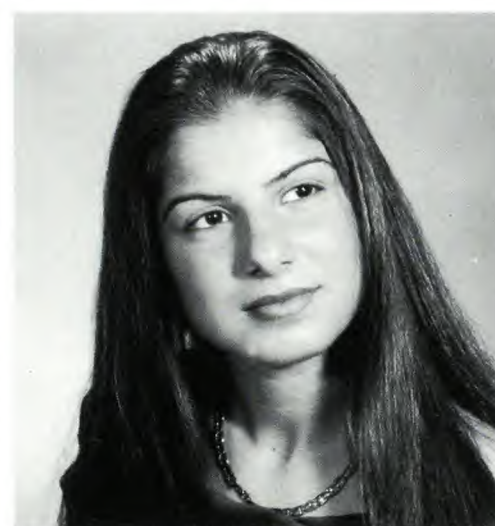
— William Jennings Bryant



Nick Bellotti



JOHN DARNSTEADT



LINDITA DAUTI

Happiness is not getting what you want, but wanting what you have.

— Anonymous



AZUCENA DE LA ROSA



LISA DE MICHELE

So many years have come and gone, but one word we never learned — goodbye.

— Amy Grant



MARIA DE SANTIS

It is never any good dwelling on goodbyes. It is not the being together that it prolongs, it is the parting.

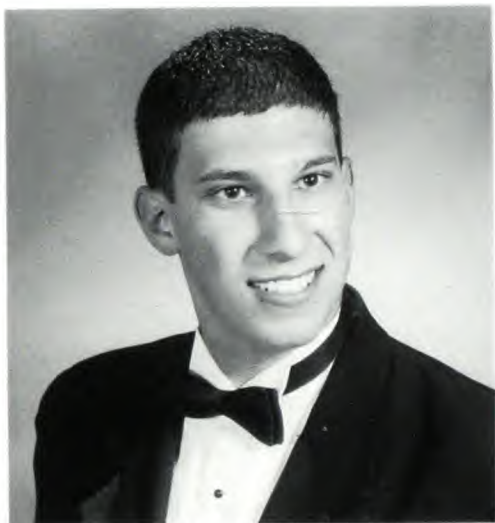
— Elizabeth Asquith Bibesco



DANA MARIE DECONGELIO

I want to be the one to walk in the sun — oh girls they want to have fun, oh girls just wanna have fun!

— Cyndi Lauper

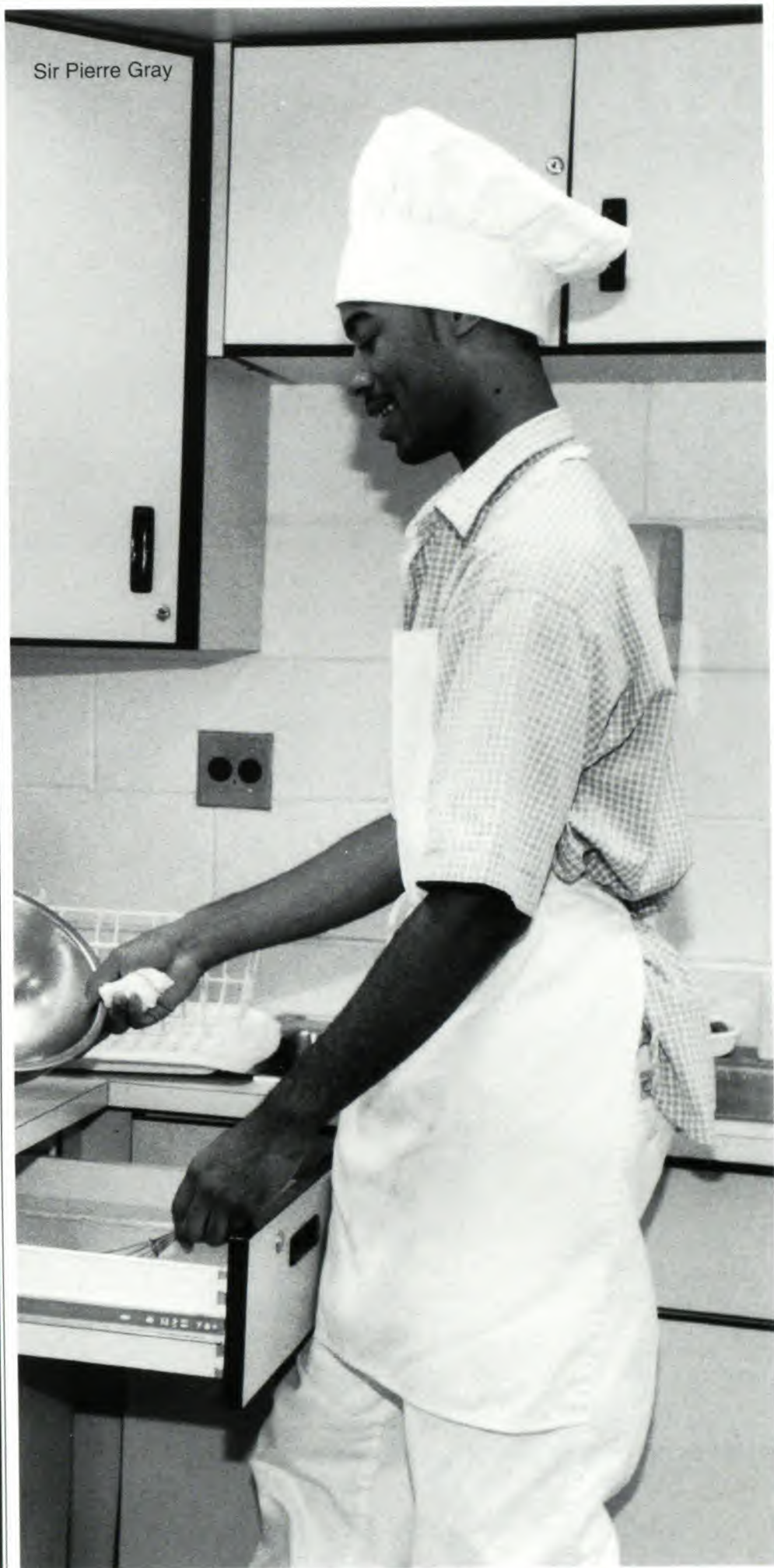


DAVID MICHAEL DELINKO

We're not indestructible. Some things aren't worth fighting for. Some feelings never die. I'm not asking for another chance. I just wanna know why. There's no easy way out. There's no shortcut home.



EDWIN DIAZ





MAX DIAZ

Chch-chch-chch-chch Moose, Moose
Chch-chch-chch-chch Moose, Moose
— J.S. Party



MARGARET DIGAL



JOHN DILLON

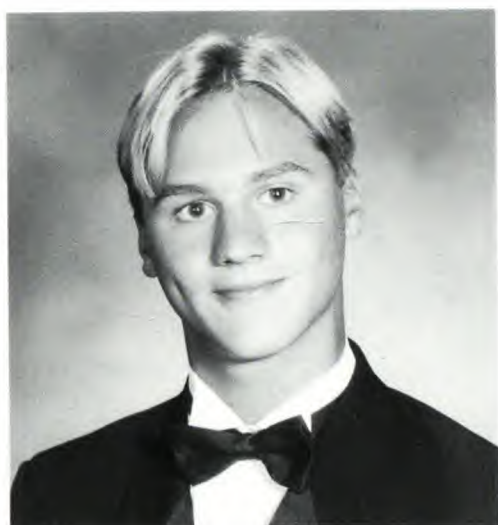
The ink is only wet until it's dry.
— M.C. Mookie Slice

Korey Wright and Pablo Alvarez





JOANN DOCKERY



BRIAN DOLCE

We never ask ourselves the questions to the answers nobody needs to know.

— Everclear

Jason Austin



MOLLY DOWD

Remember the moments of the past, look forward to the promise of the future, but most of all, celebrate the present.
— Kathy Davis



EFFIE DRIMONIS

Freaky is a way of life. I was born freaky. I wake up freaky.
— Method Man



LEIGH DUDDY



ABINA A. DUNCAN

Let's love ourselves, then we can't fail to make a better situation. Tomorrow our seeds will grow. All we need is love and dedication.

— Lauryn Hill



TIMOTHY DUVA

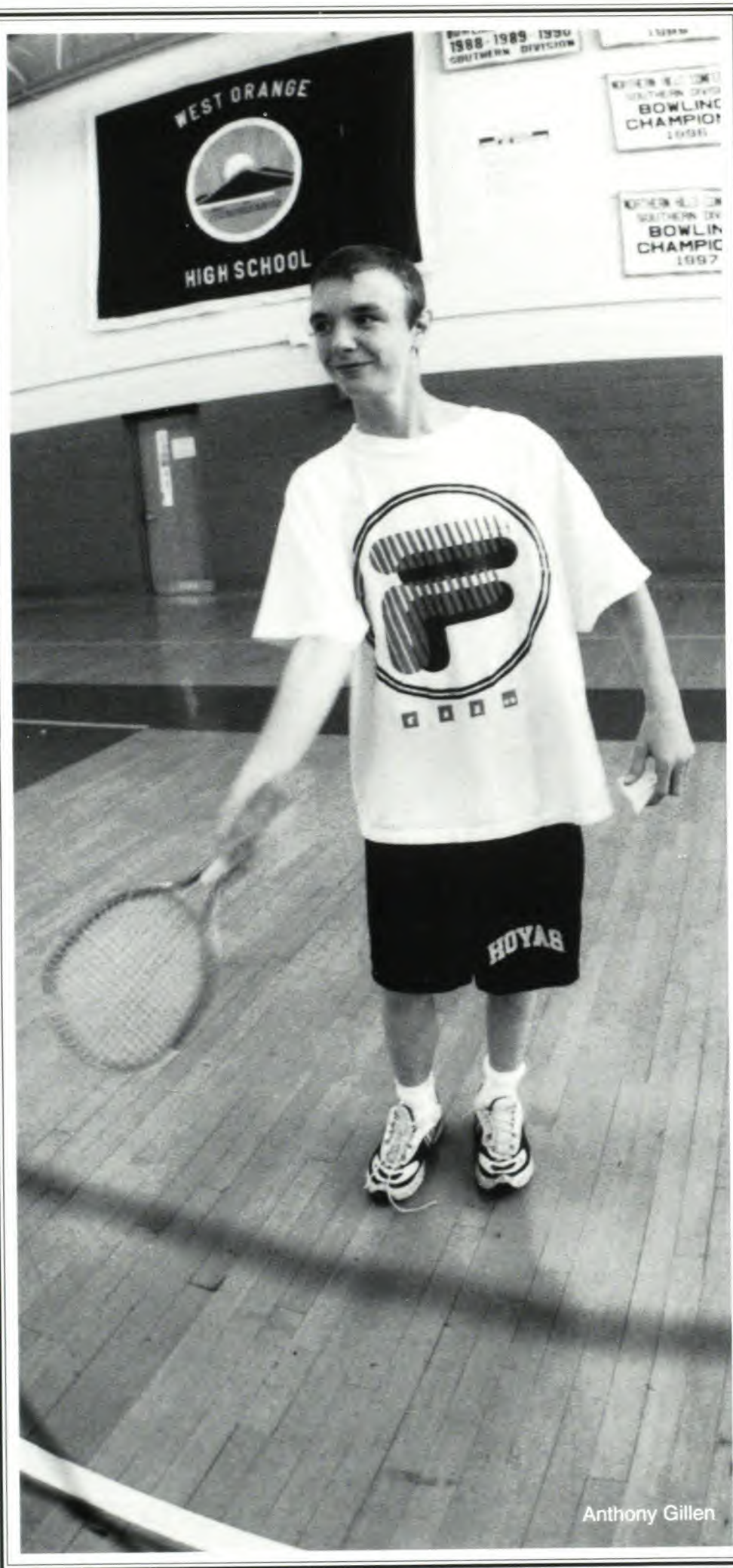
Life moves pretty fast. If you don't stop and look around once in a while, you could miss it.

— "Ferris Bueller's Day Off"

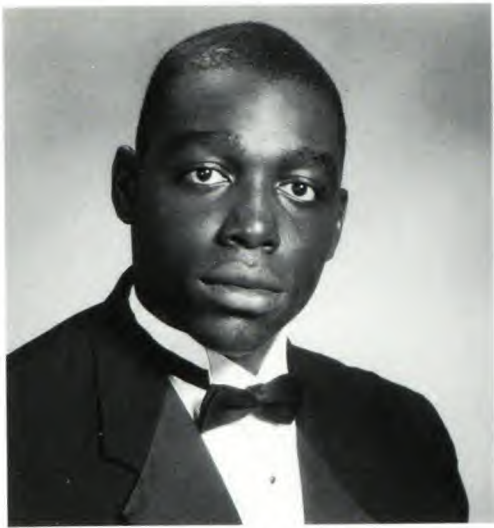


MYRIAM ELIZAIRE

Perfection can only be achieved if one is flawed.



Anthony Gillen



EMEKA EMENUGA

It's best for you to give respect to the world in order to receive respect from the world.

— Anonymous



LULU GRACE ESPINO

Love is like a virus. It can happen to anybody at any time.

— Maya Angelou



BRIDGIT EVERSWICK

I can't control my destiny.
I trust my soul, my only goal is just to be.

— "Rent"



SAMANTHA SHEA FAHRENKOPF

Freedom comes when you learn to let go; creation comes when you learn to say no. I wanna go higher. There's nothing left to lose.

— Madonna



MARLAYNA FALVO

Live as you would in a dream because in reality things aren't always what they seem.

Nancy Grossman and Jon Michael





LYNN FASANO

If you hold on to what you think is your thing you may find you're missing all the rest.

— Dave Matthews Band



BRIAN FERGUSON

Me fail English? That's impossible!

— Ralph Wiggum



DYAN ANGELA L. FERRARIS

Letting go often develops more strength than holding on.

— Betty Hinman



SHELYA KIANESHA FIELDS

When both feet are planted firmly, nothing can shake you.

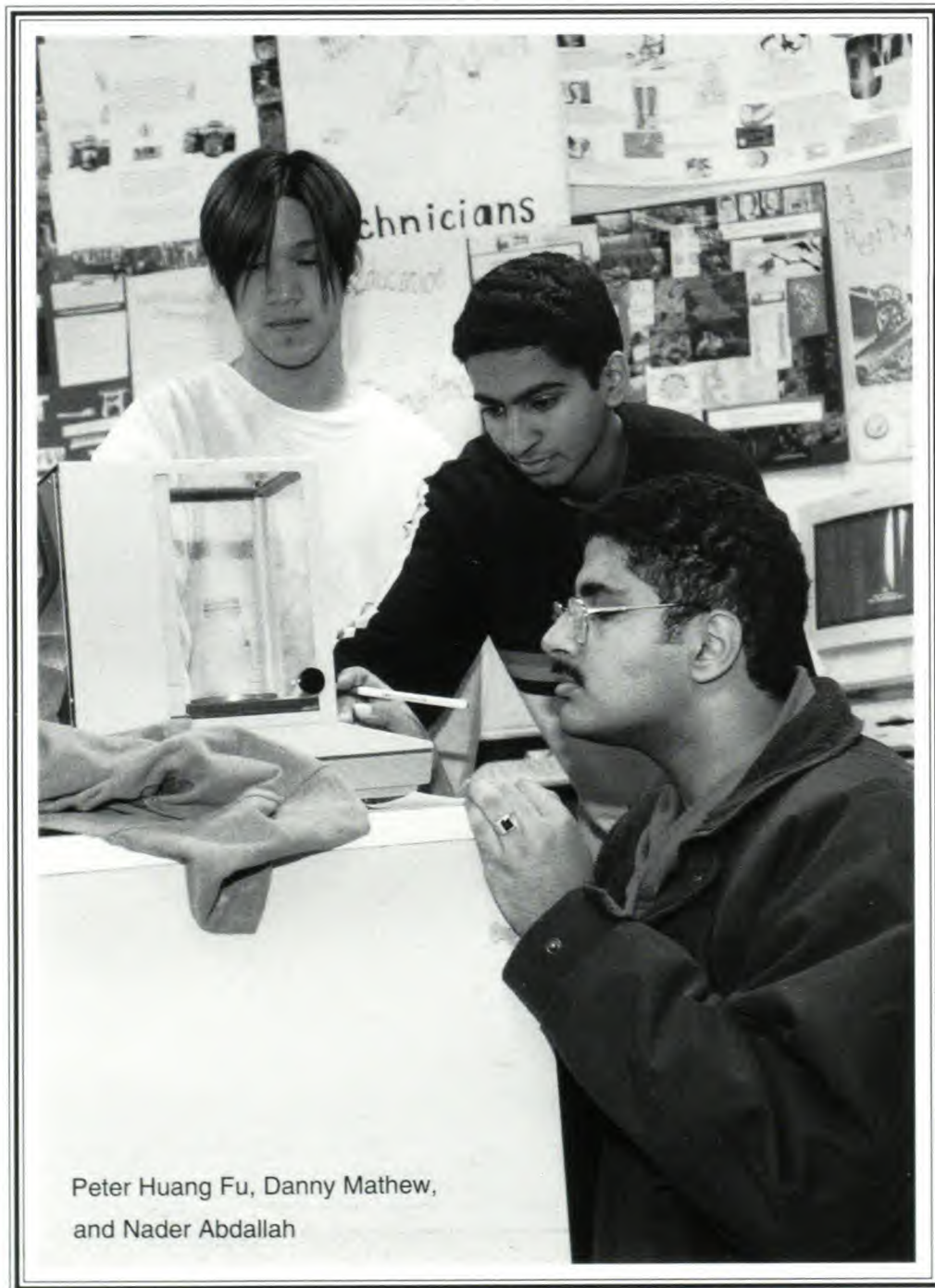
— Chinese Proverb



MATT FITZPATRICK

Drink with me, to days gone by; To the life that used to be. Let the wine of friendship never run dry . . . Here's to you, and here's to me.

— "Les Miserables"



Peter Huang Fu, Danny Mathew,
and Nader Abdallah



CECIL FONSECA IV

Dressed to the Nines



"I always wear my two big plastic rings for good luck."

— Tenisha Fort



TENISHA LYNN FORT

I think there is nothing that can stand in my way, no obstacle that I can't overcome.

— Anfernee "Penny" Hardaway

"My style is slick."

— Mike Chuven



"I dress according to my mood and who's wrestling on Monday Night Raw."

— Adam Krauss



LAKSHMI GANESH

Do not walk behind me, I may not lead. Do not walk in front of me, I may not follow. Walk beside me so that we may be as one.

— Ute



LENEIKA SHERI GARY

I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me.

— Psalms



HUSSAIN GHAMLOUCH

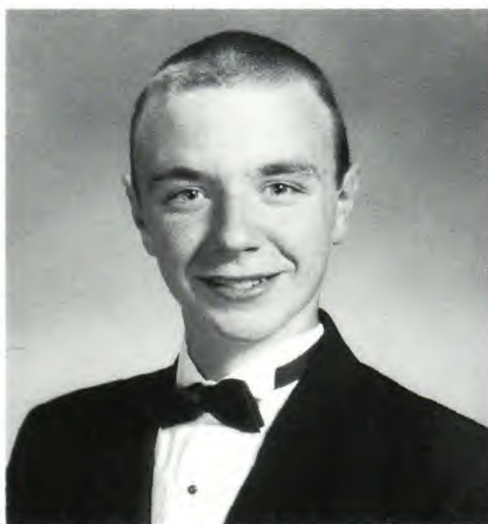
I have never seen a greater monster or miracle than myself.

— Nantaigne

Effie Drimonis, Lindita Dauti, and Cynthia Jaikaran



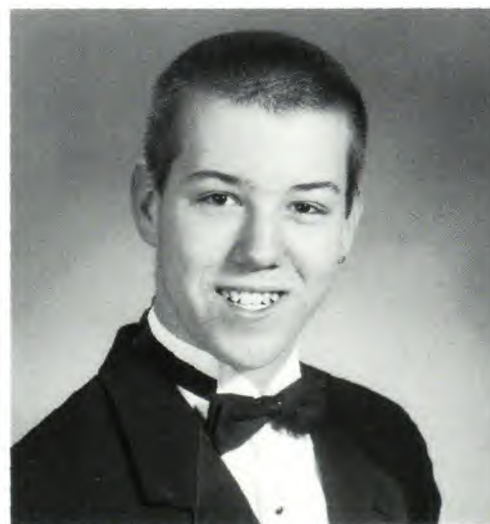
MICHAEL GIAMMARINO



ANTHONY GILLEN

God will not look you over for medals, degrees, or diplomas,
but for scars.

— Elbert Hubbard



BRYAN GILMORE



BRADLEY GIMBEL

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

— Eleanor Roosevelt



MICHAEL GIRONE

To be the man, you have to beat the man.

— Ric Flair



MELISSA CARIN GOLDFARB

Never doubt that a small band of caring people can change the world . . . Indeed it is the only thing that ever has.

— Margaret Mead



PAOLA M. GONZALEZ

You wanted it so much, and now that it's over you don't know what you want.

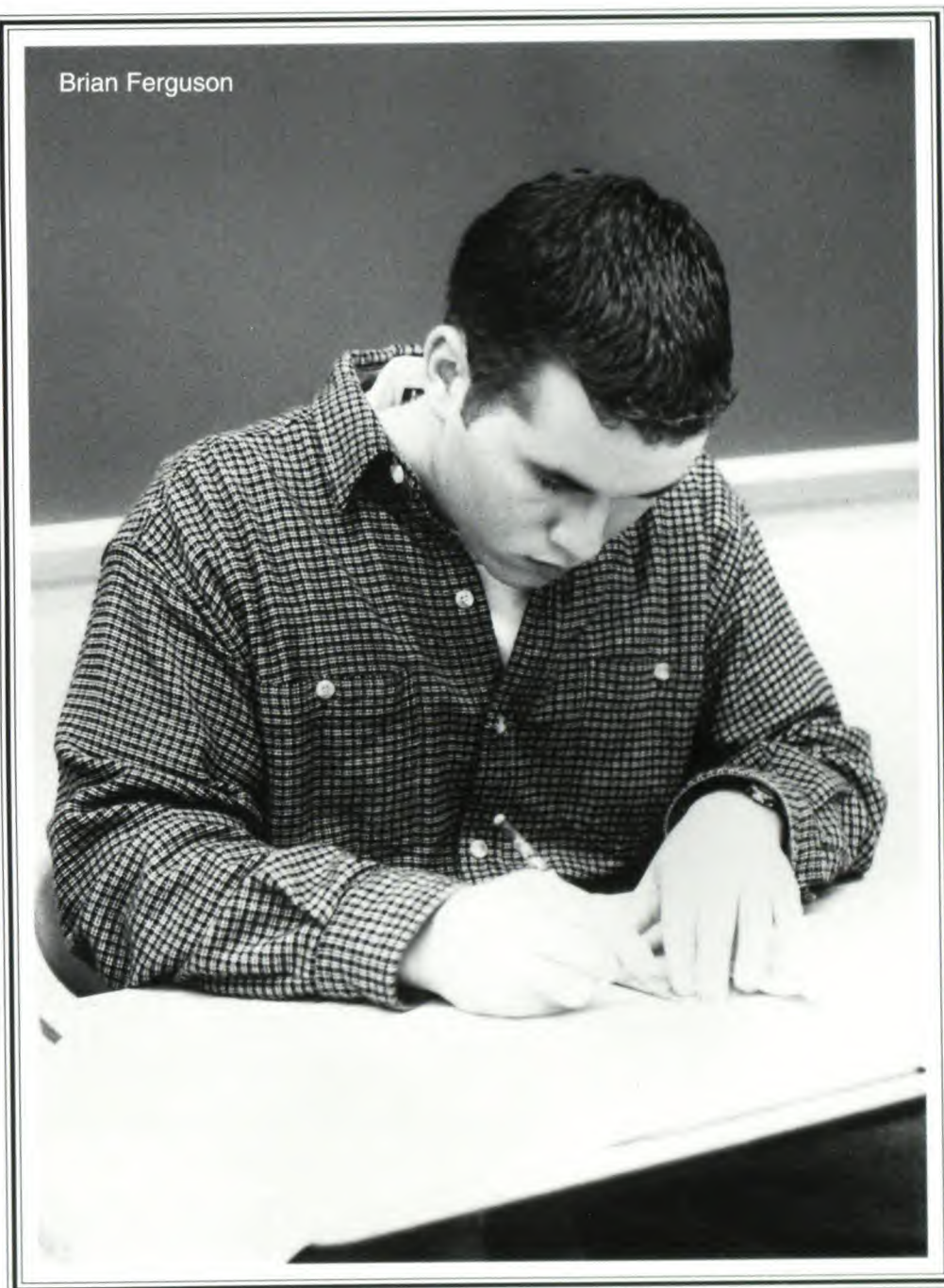
— Darren Hayes



TIFFANY DALE GOODWIN

I went from lukewarm to hot.

— Jay-Z



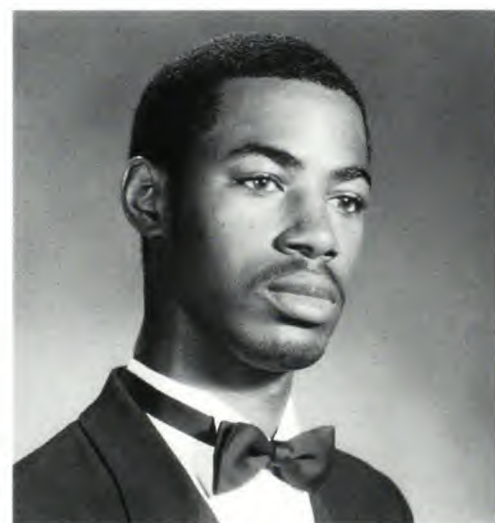
Nwamaka Achebe



TRINA MICHELLE GOODWIN

Life is a strength filled with rewards to the heart that money can't match.

— Alejo Rodriguez



SIR PIERRE GRAY



LORENZO GRECO

Life is like riding a bicycle. You don't fall unless you plan to stop pedaling.



BILLY GREEN



KEISHA N.A. GRIFFITH

I learned early in life that all I was going to have was what I was willing to work for.

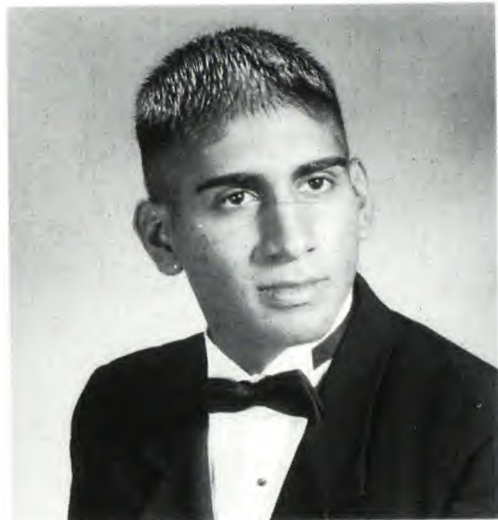
— Tony Brown



NANCY GROSSMAN

And I'll be satisfied not to read between the lines. And I will walk and talk in gardens all wet with rain, and I will never grow so old again.

— Van Morrison



MILTON GUERRERO

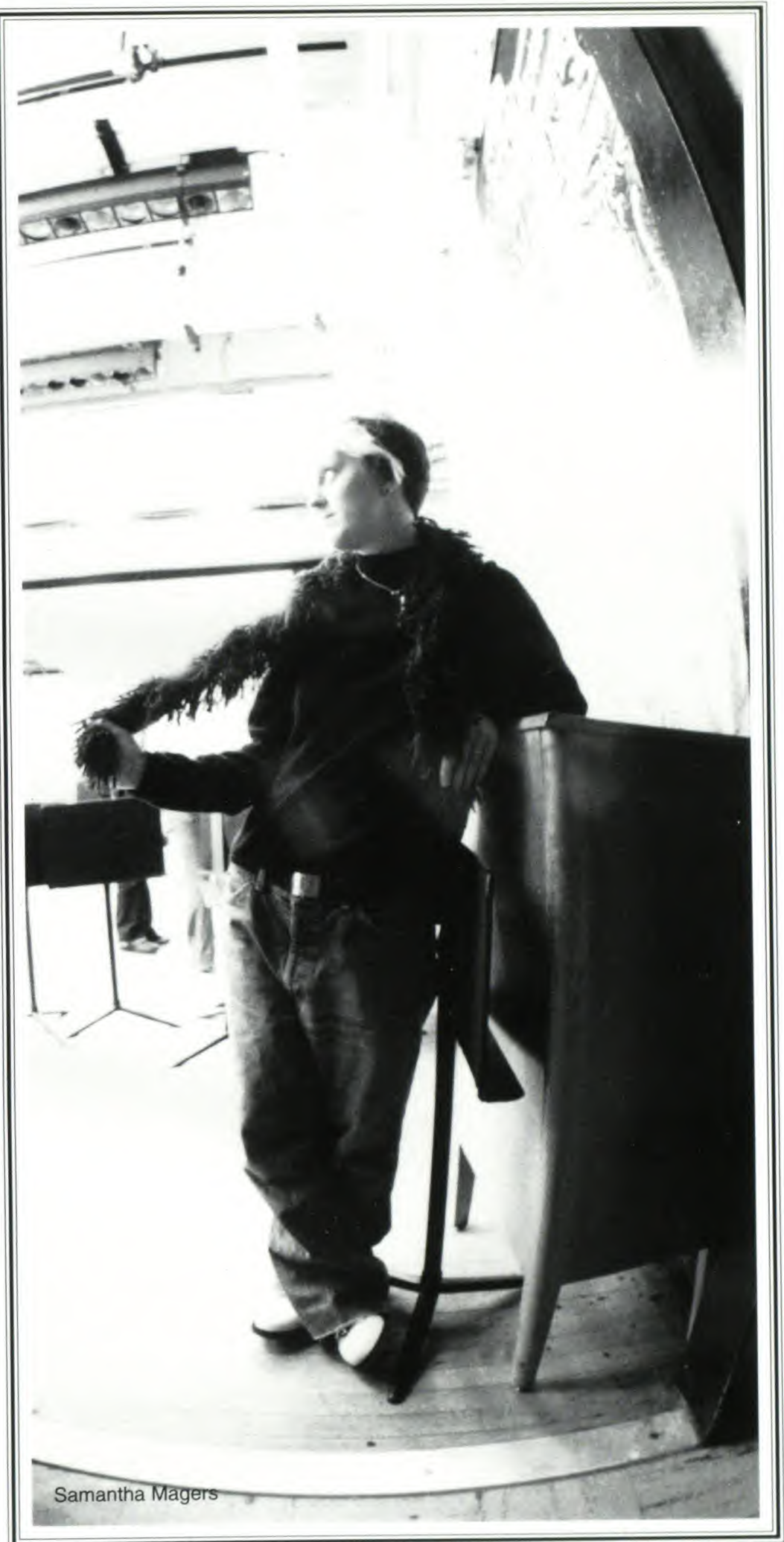
Education is an admirable thing, but nothing worth knowing can ever be taught.



CAROL E. GUTHRIE

Whoever blushes is already guilty; true innocence is ashamed of nothing.

— Emile Rousseau



Samantha Magers



BRIAN HAGERTY



DANIEL HANLON

It's better late than never.

— Anonymous



KESHAWN HARRIS

In this lifetime people remember you for the negative things that you do, and they forget the positive things that you achieve.

— Tupac Shakur



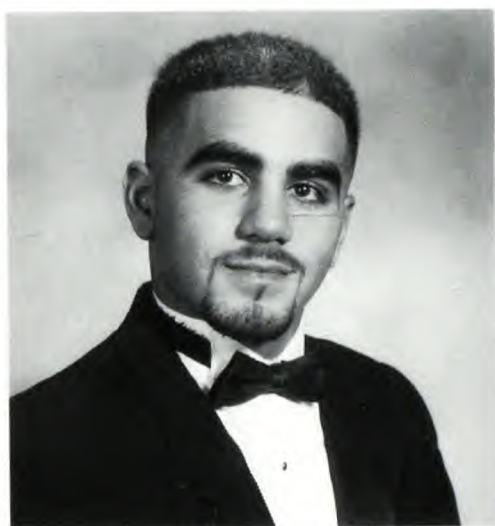
Brad Wall



DANIEL HELLER

My way of joking is telling the truth. That is the funniest joke in the world.

— George Bernard Shaw



TAWFIC HELOU



Dan Shin



SILVIA HERNANDEZ



ALEXANDER HOWZE

And let us not be weary in well-doing, for in due season we shall reap if we faint not.

— Galatians 6:9



CARLOS HUAMAN

MY 'TRADEMARK IS...

"smiling all the time."
— Kerlyne Maxime



"being Polo Girl."
— Nancy Boccanfuso



"loving the Beatles."
— Rich Shannon



"a.k.a. McGruff."
— Anthony Robinson



PETER HUANG FU

When in doubt, mumble; when in trouble, delegate; when in charge, ponder.

— James H. Boten



SAMAR HUBBI

To get to the rainbow, you have to put up with the rain.

— Anonymous



DONNA HUNT

Well, we all have a face that we hide away forever and we take it out and show ourselves when everyone is gone.

— Billy Joel



JEANNINE IRONS

Live the questions now. Perhaps then, someday far in the future, you will gradually, without even noticing it, live your way into the answer.

— Rainer Maria Rilke



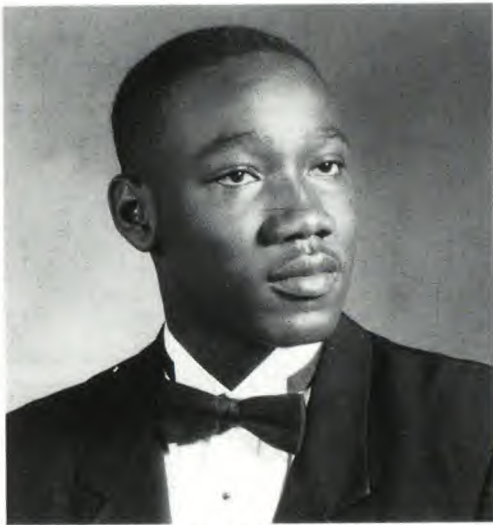
CYNTHIA JAIKARAN



MATHEDALIE JEAN-BAPTISTE

In everything, do to others what you would have them do to you.

— Matthew 7:12



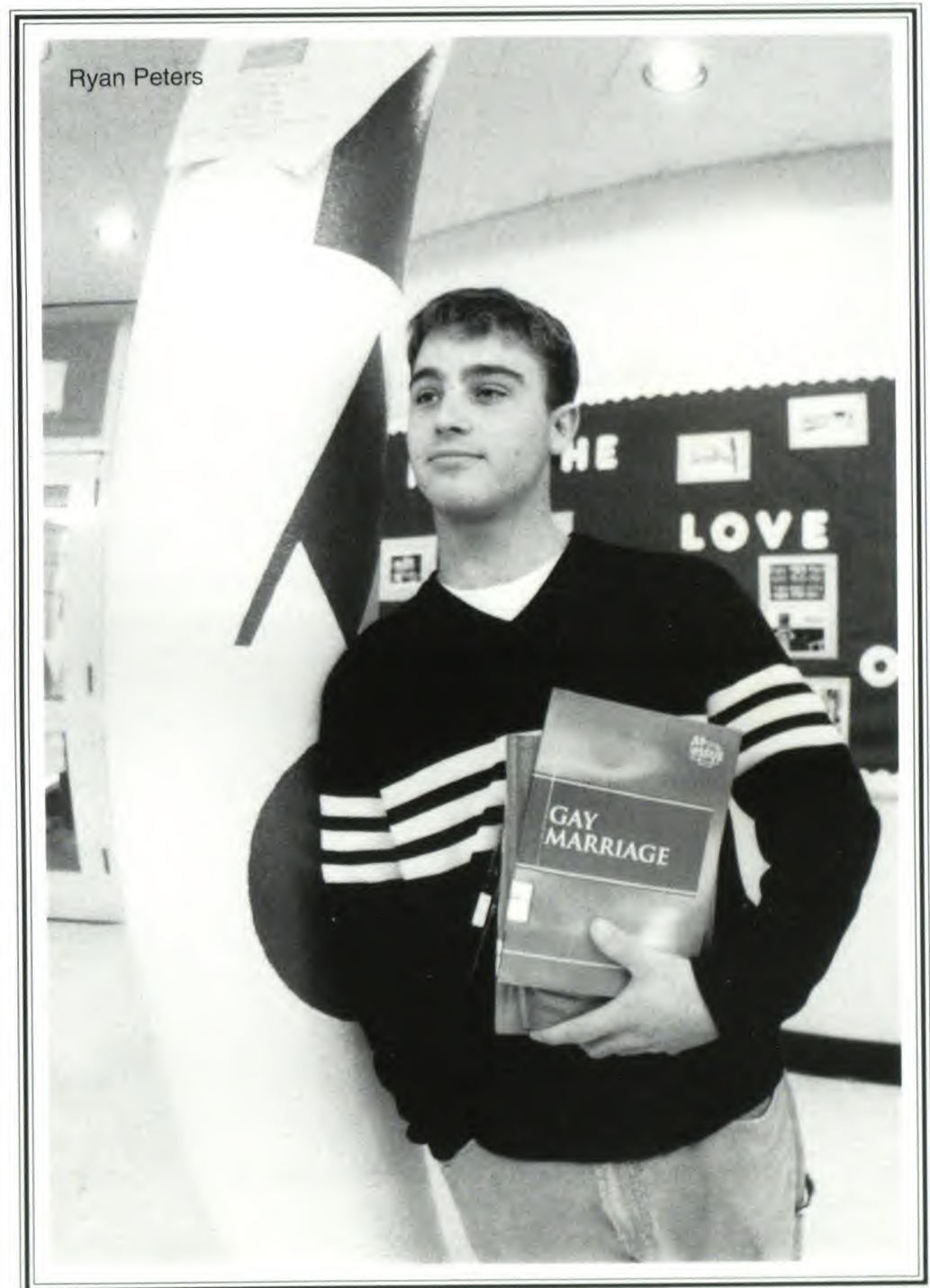
WESNEL JEAN PHILIPPE

As long as rivers shall run down to the sea; or shadows touch the mountain slopes or stars graze in the vault of heaven; so long shall your honor, your name, your praises endure.

— John Bartlett



AL-MALIK JENKINS



Ryan Peters



EDWIN JOHNSON
Don't give up, don't ever give up.
— Jimmy V.



TANISHA NAKEYA JOHNSON
You go through so many changes as a child; then you grow up and discover that none of that stuff mattered, except for the impression it made on your mind.
— Joan Walton Collaso



TAMAR JOSEPH
Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for God is with me.
— Psalms 23:4



JOUKO JUNTUNEN
Cut off all unnecessary actions.
— Benjamin Franklin



ZACHARY KAPLOWITZ
I'd rather laugh with the sinners than cry with the saints, the sinners are much more fun . . .
— Billy Joel



Kerlyne Maxime and Lissette Arizmendi



CATHRYN KELLY

The one who makes no mistakes usually makes nothing.
— Anonymous



ARUM KIM

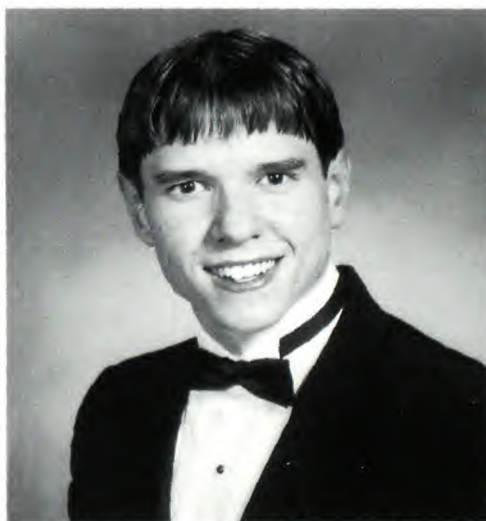
It is a good rule in life never to apologize. The right sort of people do not want apologies, and the wrong sort take a mean advantage of them.

— P.G. Wodehouse



STEPHANIE KIM

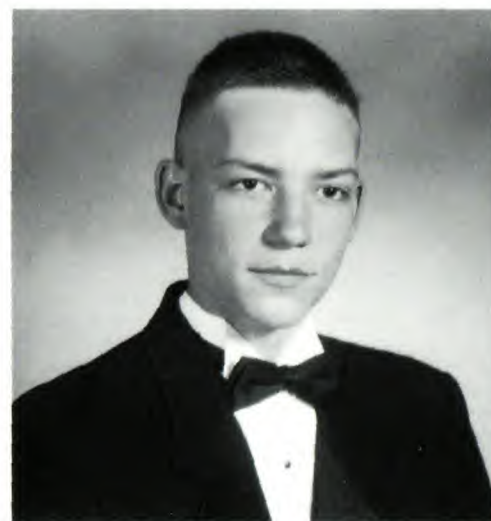
Don't let your life pass you by. Weep not for the memories.
— Sarah McLachlan



HENRY T. KIRK

We all have great inner power. The power is self-faith. There's really an attitude to winning. You have to see yourself winning before you win. And you have to want to conquer.

— Arnold Schwarzenegger



RICHARD KLITTICH, JR.

You can't expect everything to go your way, so have enough common sense to enjoy the things that do.

— Chris Farley



BRYAN KLUCHARITS



STALINDA G. KNOWLDEN

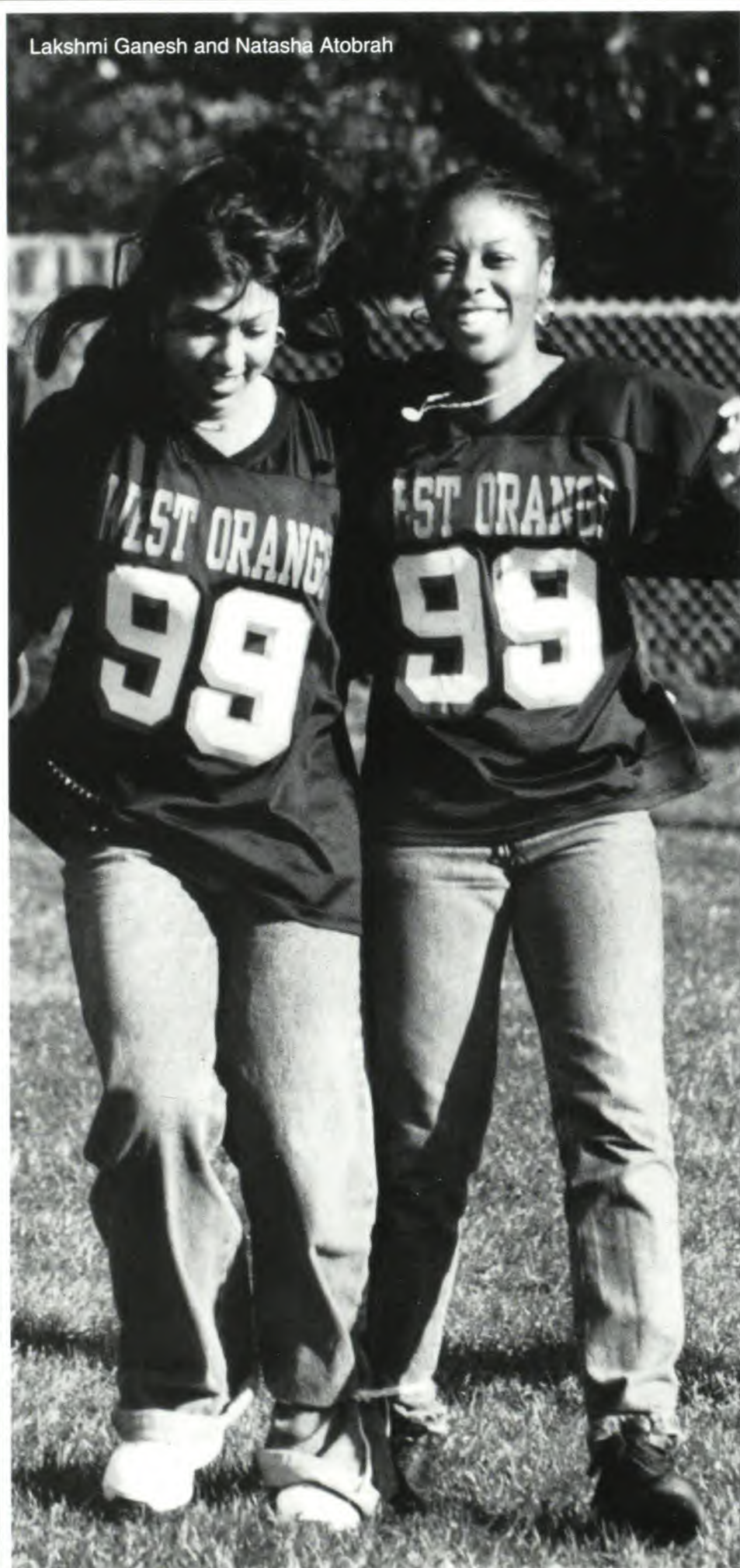
Fortune is like a glass — the brighter the glitter, the more easily broken.

— John Barlett



EUN HEE KOH

As long as there is life, there is hope.



Lakshmi Ganesh and Natasha Atobrah



JAMES KONRAD

Try not. Do or do not. There is no try.
— Yoda, "The Empire Strikes Back"



CARSON KOPP

Be reasonable — DEMAND the impossible.
— Malcom McLaren



RITA M. KORONEOS

The greatest pleasure in life is doing what people say you cannot do.
— Walter Bagehot



BRENDAN KOVACS



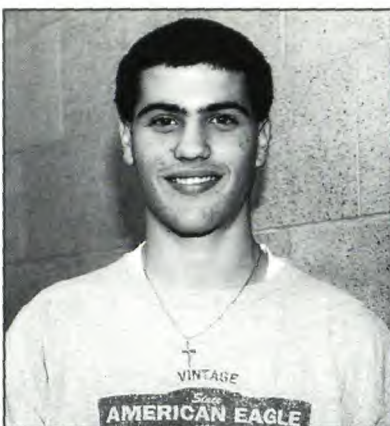
CASEY A. KRAJEWSKI

In order to get somewhere you have to stick your head out like a turtle.
— Anonymous



Vanessa Scrivener, Nancy Grossman, and Rebecca Strauss

BELIEVE IT OR NOT...



"I came to school with the price tags still on my jeans."

— Joe Mindo



"I dropped my skirt during a marching band competition and was forced to dance around with no skirt on."

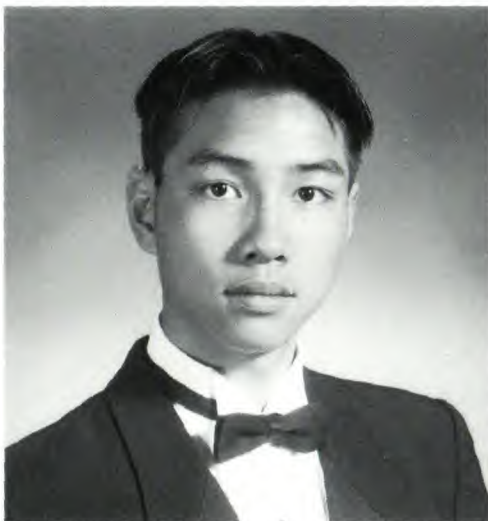
— Melissa Goldfarb



ADAM DREW KRAUSS

The most wasted of all days is that in which we have not laughed.

— Sebastien R.N. Chamfort



ERNIE KUNG

Time flies faster than you hope, but slower than you think.



KRISTEN KUPCHIK

Life is like a game of cards. The hand you are dealt is determined; the way you play it is free will.



ADAM KUPPERMAN

The optimist proclaims that we live in the best of all possible worlds and the pessimist fears this is true.

— Irving Caesar



SHANNON KWOK



SABIR LAMBERT



"Walking out of the bathroom, I was surprised by a bunch of whistling, but to my dismay, it was because my skirt was completely lifted all the way up."
— Daphne Pierre



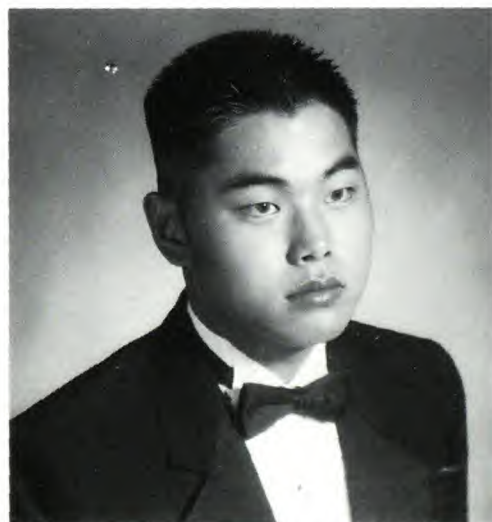
"A chunk of my hair fell onto the floor. I definitely didn't claim it."
— Jessica Moffett



"I got caught in the middle of a fight I wasn't even involved in."
— Beth Sparks

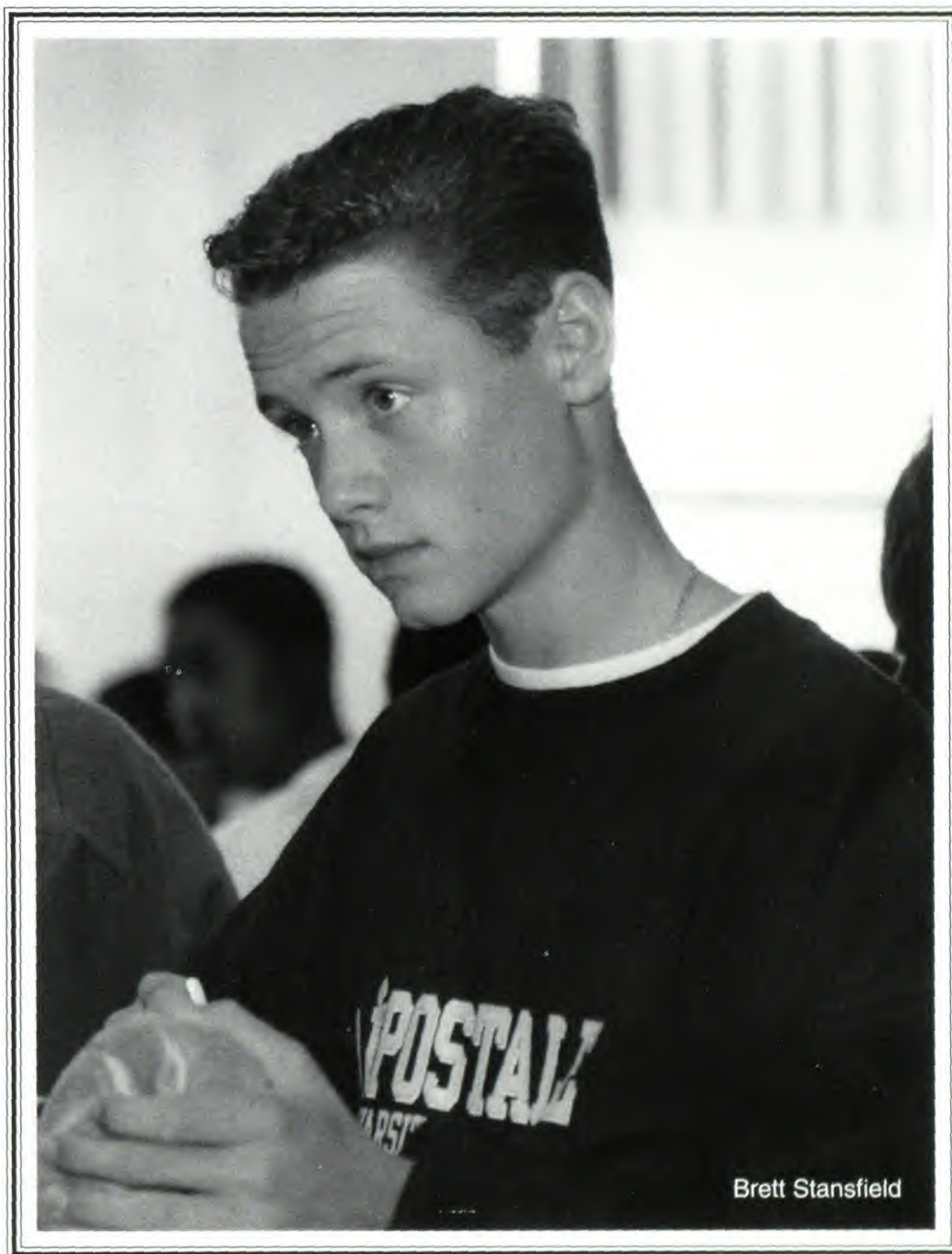


SANDY LAURENT

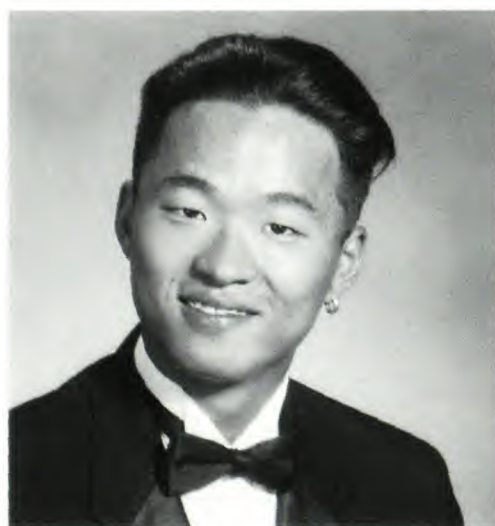


ED LEE

If you want your dreams to come true, WAKE UP!



Brett Stansfield

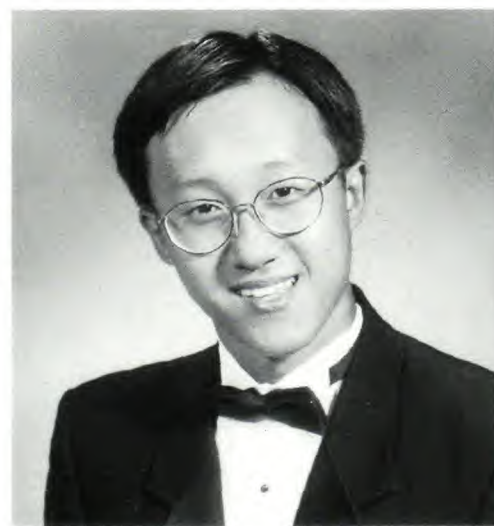


JONG WON LEE



MAGALY LIENDO

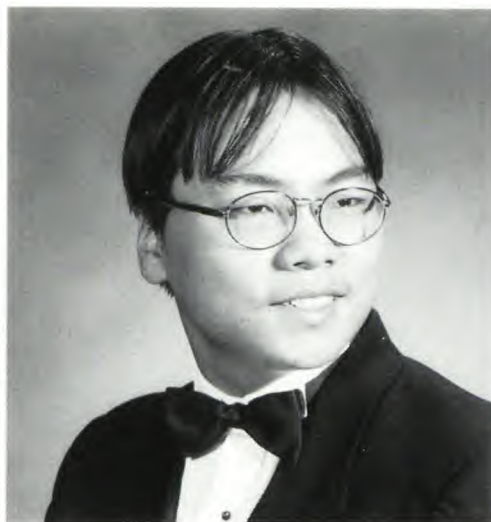
Live for today, not for yesterday . . . look forward to the future, not the past . . . for looking back can only ruin tomorrow.



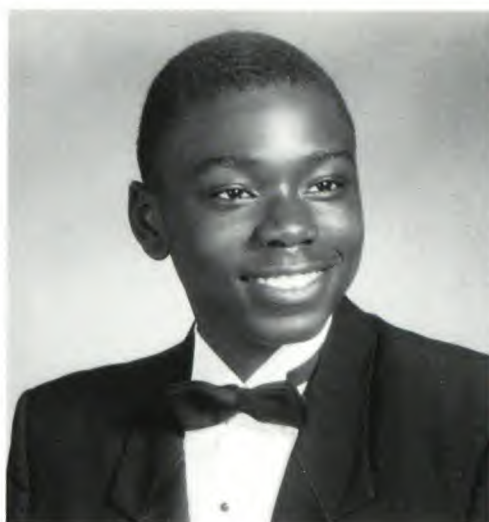
WARREN LIM

Life is either a daring adventure or nothing. To keep our faces toward change and behave like free spirits in the presence of fate is strength undefeatable.

— Helen Keller



WEI LIN



JEAN LOMBARD, JR.

In life there are ups and downs, but in my life there were only ups.



YOJEIRY LOPEZ



FINERVE LOUIS

Some trees grow very tall and straight and large in the forest close to each other, but some must stand by themselves or they won't grow at all.

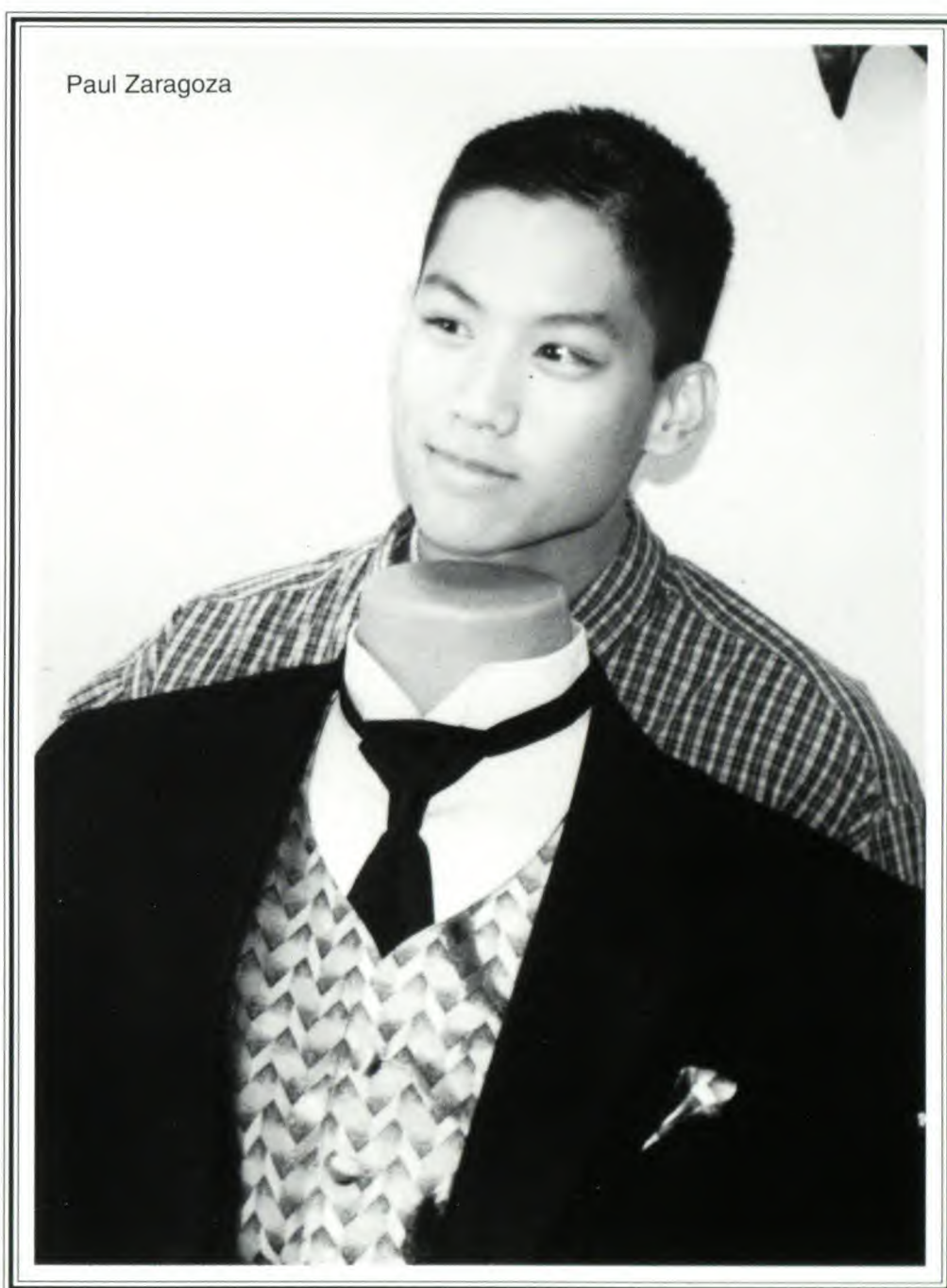
— Oliver Wendell Holmes



DANA LOUIS-JEAN

If I had given you any parting advice it all would have been comprised in this one sentence — to live up always to the best and highest you know.

— Logan Pearshall Smith



Paul Zaragoza

Casey Krajewski



STANLEY LOUISSAINT

The superior man is satisfied and composed; the mean man is always full of distress.

— Confucius



VANESSA R. LOZADA

In love one has need of being believed, in friendship of being understood.



SAMANTHA MAGERS

This is my final word. It is time for me to become an apprentice once more. I have not settled in which direction. But somewhere, sometime, soon.

— Lord Beaverbrook



FATIMA ANNE-MARIE MAGSAKAY

How vain it is to sit down and write when you have not stood up to live.

— Henry David Thoreau



ANNIE MAKAROVA

Whatever you desire or dream about, take some small action every day that moves you closer to your goal.



SHARON MALDONADO

All of your dreams can come true if you have the courage to pursue them.

— Walt Disney

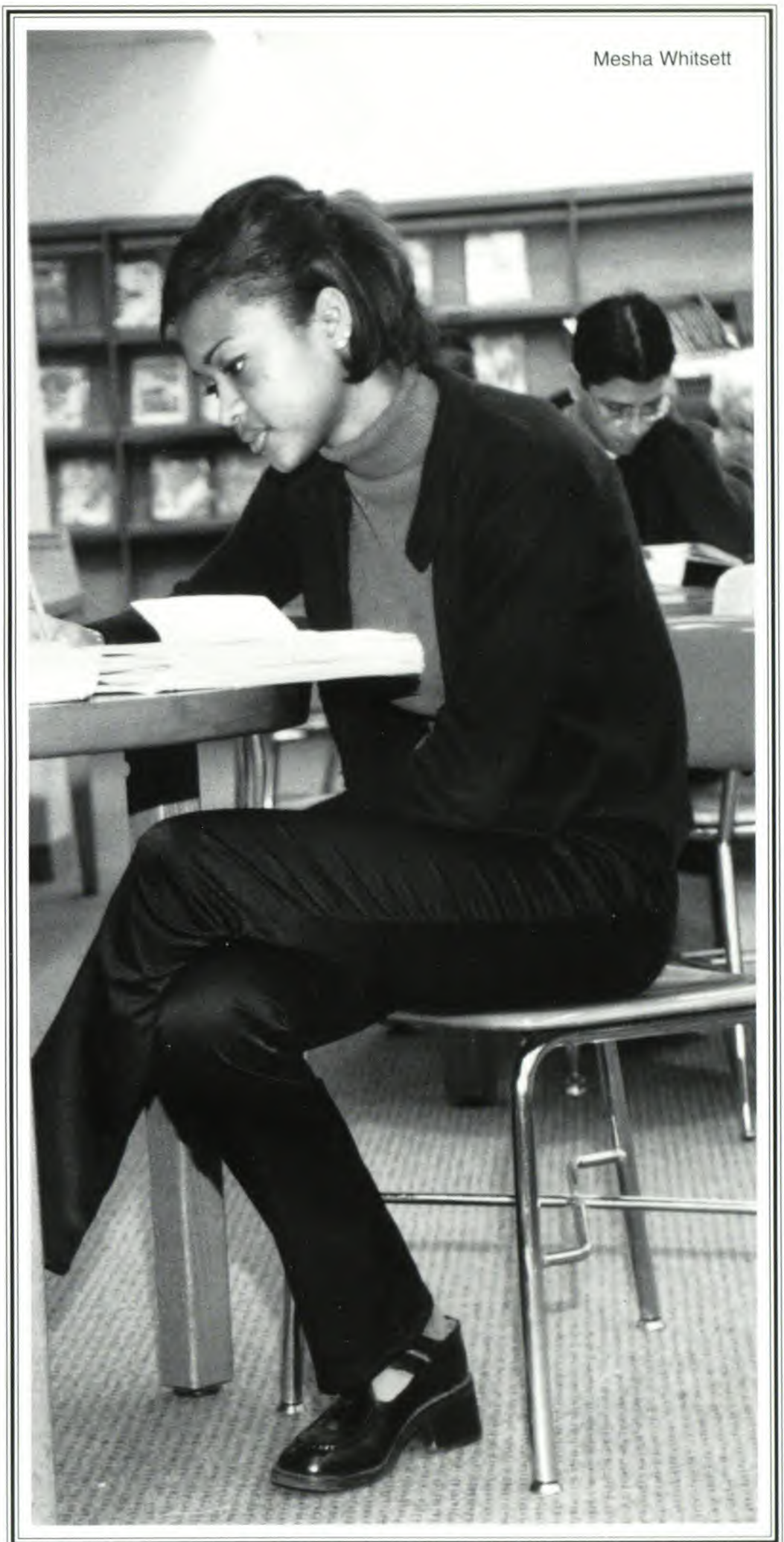


DMITRY MANDRIK



BIANCA L. MARTINEZ

... in the end they will surely know I wasn't born to follow.
— The Byrds (but always "Hey Jude")



Mesha Whitsett



ROSELENA MARTINEZ



EDUARDO MASFERRE



DANNY MATHEW

Life is the process of finding out too late, everything that should have been obvious at the time.

— John MacDonald



KERLYNE DINA MAXIME

Experience is a hard teacher because she gives the test first, and the lessons afterwards.

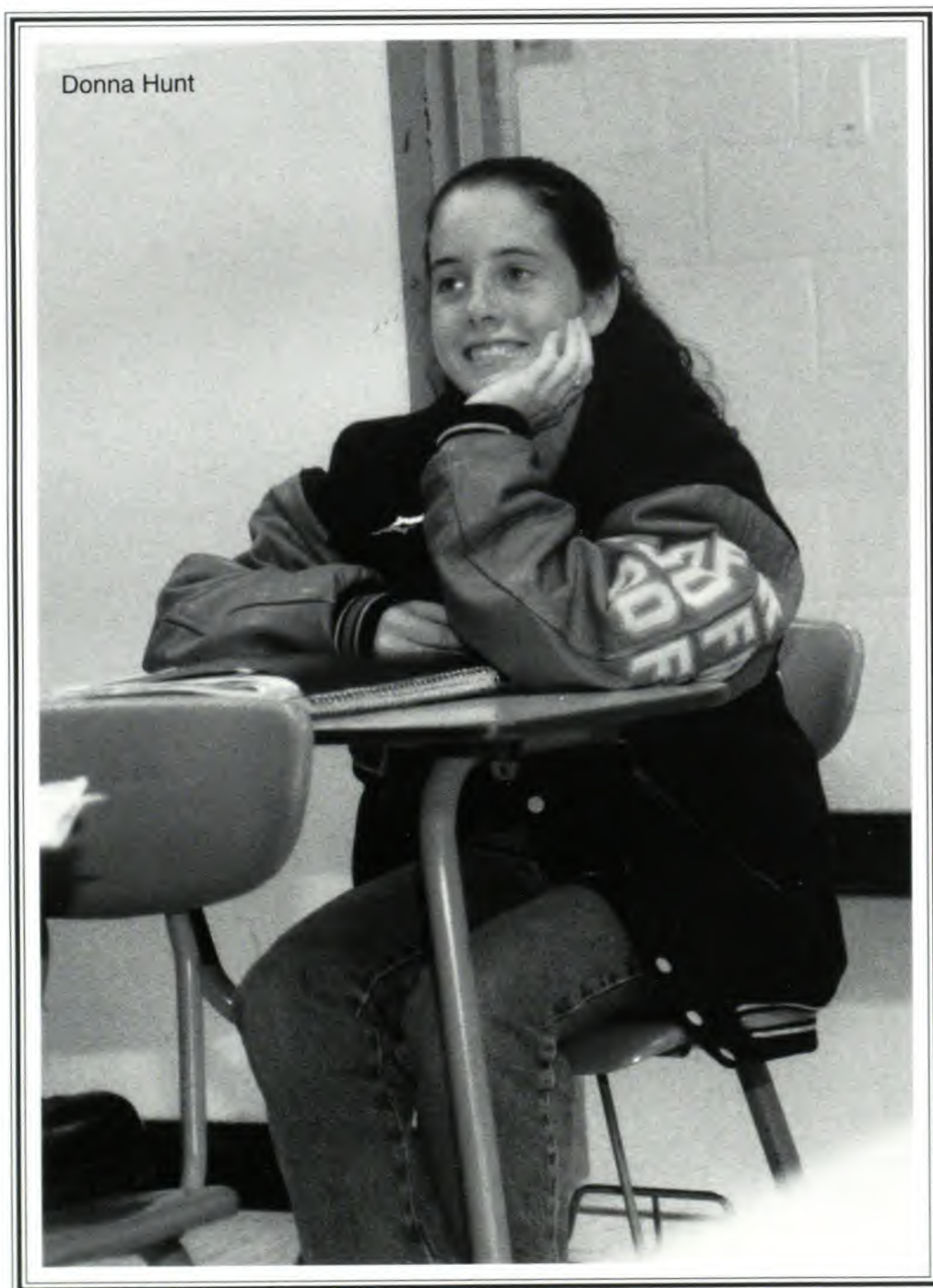
— Vernon Law



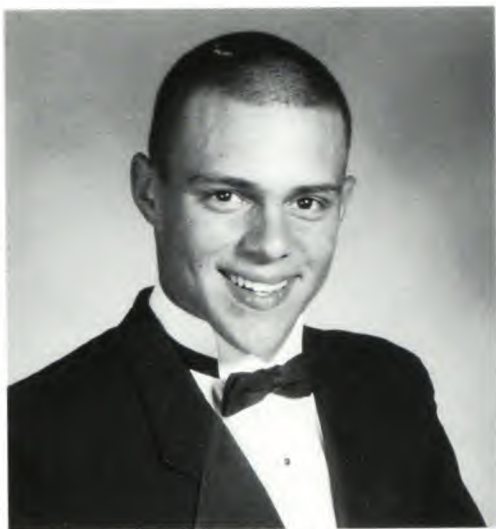
REINA MAZAL

Sure God created man before woman, but then you always make the rough drafts before the final masterpiece.

— Anonymous



Donna Hunt



SCOTT MCCLAIN

I'll Never Forget...



"the day I sprained my back in Physics. I never should have gone to sleep."

— Rob Merin



LAURA MCCRONE

As long as you live, as high as you fly, the smiles you give, the tears you cry; all you touch and all you see is all your life will ever be.

— Pink Floyd

"when the band came in first place at Giants Stadium."

— Abina Duncan



"the first night in Italy when we celebrated my 17th birthday."

— Lynn Fasano



DAWN E. MCLAUGHLIN

Facing the rising sun of our new day begun, let us march on till victory is won.

— James Weldon Johnson



ALAN MEACHAM, JR.

Can't nobody take my pride, can't nobody hold me down.

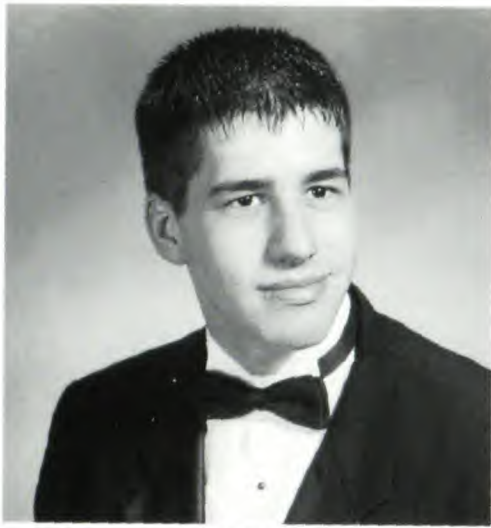
— Puff Daddy



EMMA DZIFA MENSAH

God grant me the serenity to accept the things I cannot change, courage to change the things I can and wisdom to accept the difference.

— Reinhold Niebuhr



ROBERT MERIN

There are three things which are real: God, Human Folly, and Laughter. The first two are beyond our comprehension so we must do what we can with the third.
— John F. Kennedy



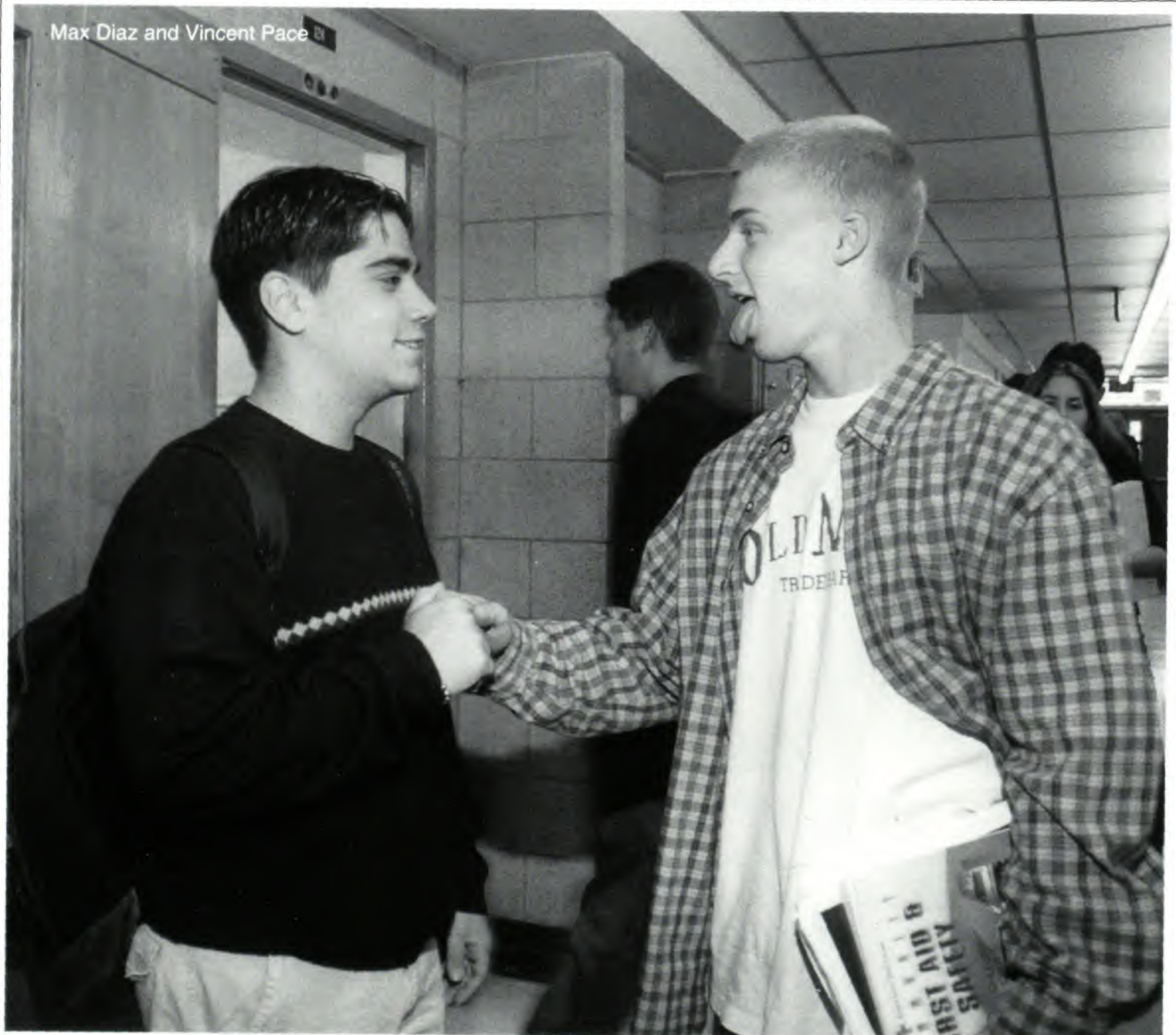
BRETT E. MEYER

Don't confuse a bump in the road with a mountain to climb.
— Anonymous



JON H. MICHAEL

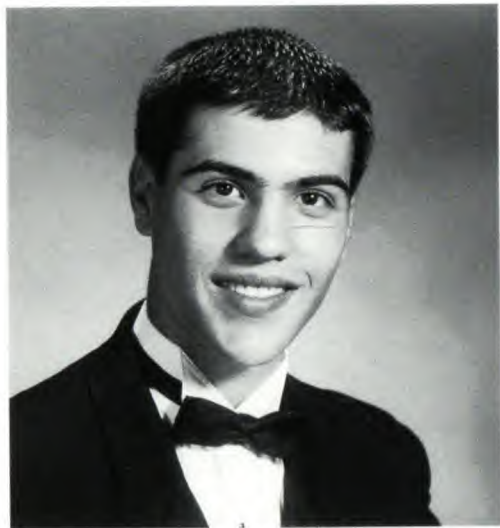
Eventually all things merge into one, and then a river runs through it. The river was cut by the great flood, and runs over rocks from the basement of time, under these rocks are words and some are ours.



Max Diaz and Vincent Pace



STALA MICHAEL



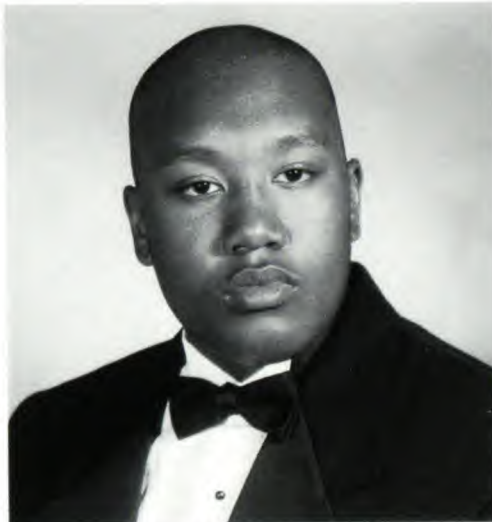
JOSEPH ANDREW MINDO

Life brings tears, smiles, and memories. Tears dry, smiles fade, but memories last forever.

Stephanie Barbaro and Kim Robertshaw



BARRY MITCHELL



EDWARD MITCHELL



KEVIN MITCHELL

I have not yet begun to fight.
— John Paul Jones



PATRICK MITCHELL



JESSICA D. MOFFETT

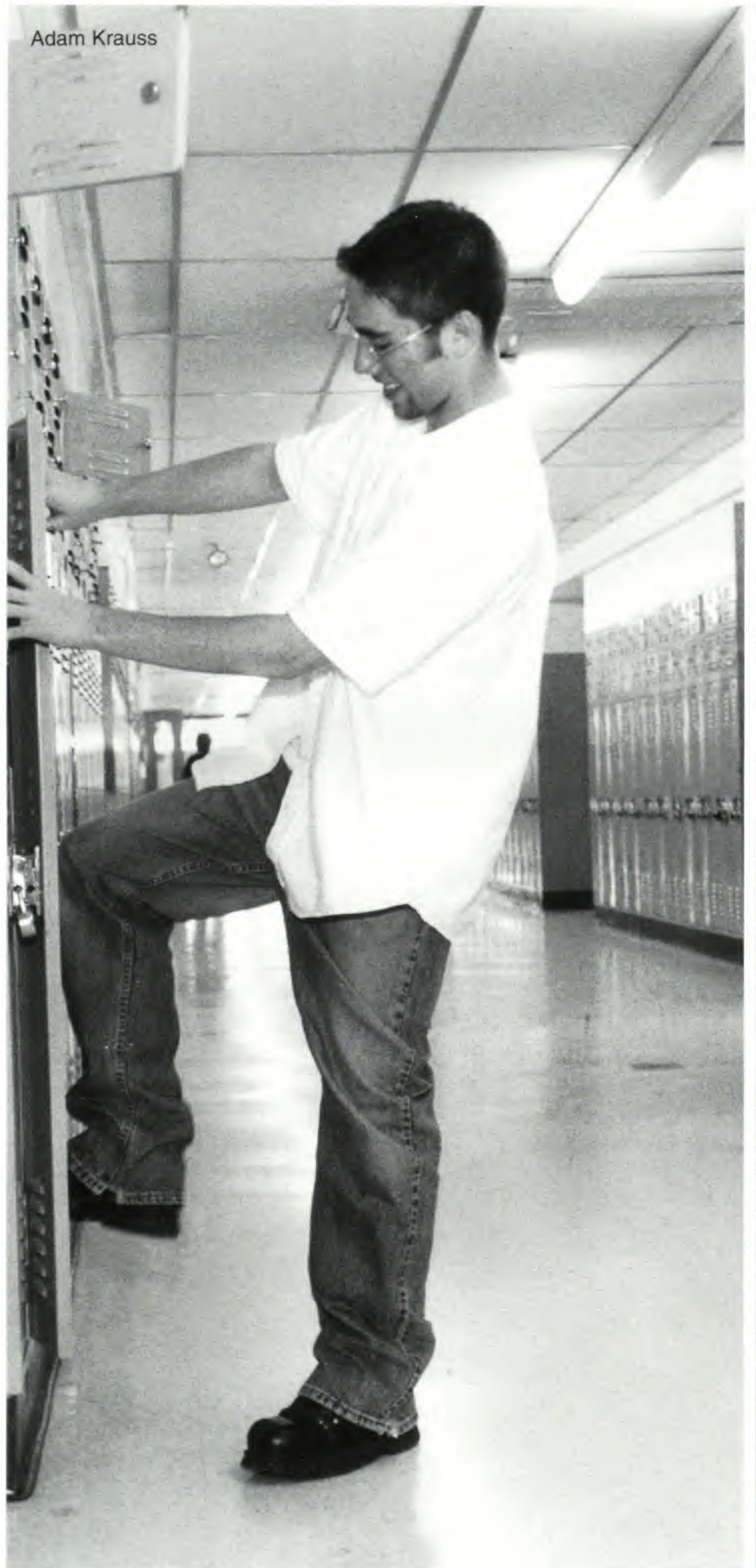
What lies behind us and what lies before us are tiny matters compared to what lies within us.

— Oliver W. Holmes



RENEE MOGLIA

Adam Krauss





VINCENZA MONICA

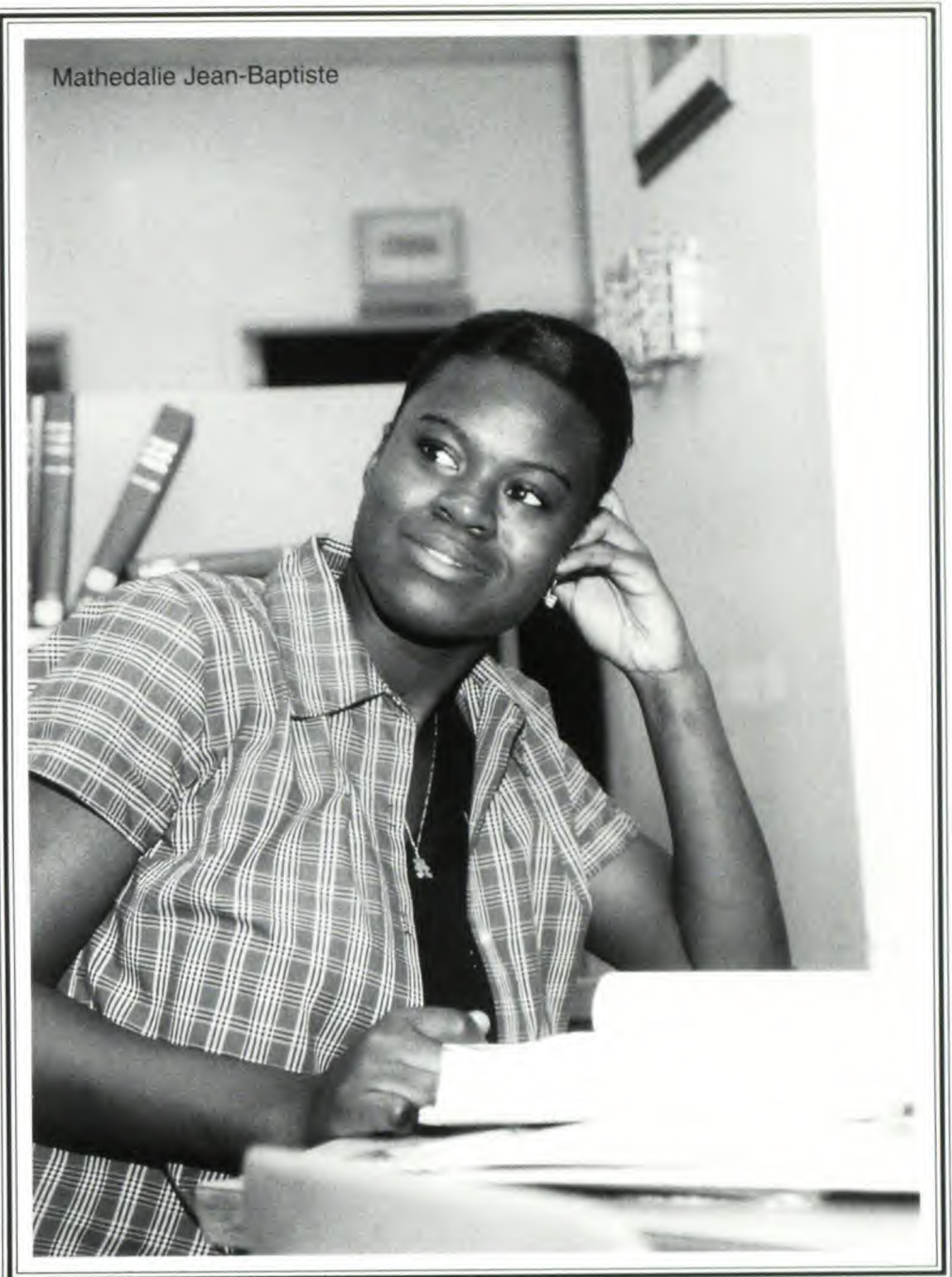


TARELLE MOORE



ELISSA MORRIS

How do you expect me to walk a straight line when the world keeps on spinning?



Mathedalie Jean-Baptiste



EDWARD MUI

... Sky is the limit and you know that you can have what you want ... be what you want.



GIACOMO NAIM

WHEN I WISH UPON A STAR...

*"I travel the world with
unlimited expenses."*

Lindsay Cohen



*"the New Kids on the Block
reunite."*

— Donna Hunt



"sigh . . . Harvard."

— Jon Abad



"I find a good man."

— Carol Guthrie



STEPHEN NASH

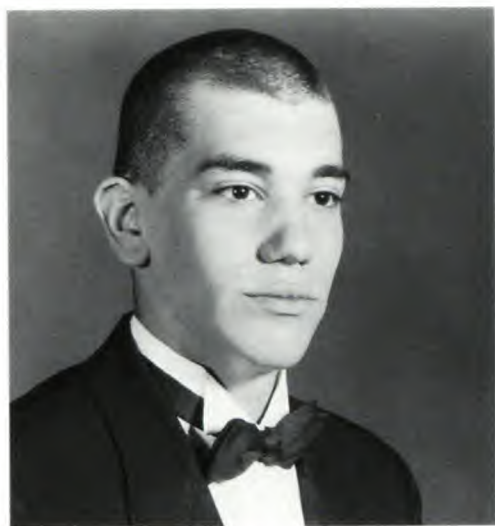
For long you live, and high you fly, and smiles you give, and
tears you cry, and all you touch, and all you see, is all your
life will ever be.



NICK NASTASI



CHRISTINE NORMIL



MARSHALL OKIN



SCOTT OLSHEWITZ



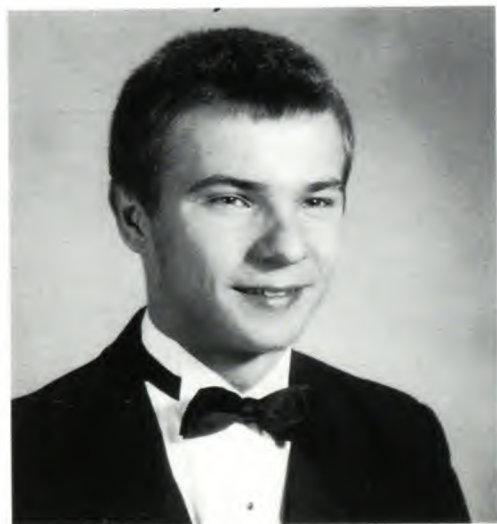
EDOSE OMOIFO



VERONICA LEE ORAMAS

It's like a broken rose given bloom through the cracks of the concrete so many other things for us to see, things to be, our history so full of tragedy and misery.

— Tupac Shakur



ADAM ORGACKI

I don't want to achieve immortality through my work ... I want to achieve it through not dying.



Finerve Louis

NASH-ORGACKI



Finerve Louis and Elissa Morris



ANDY ORTEGA

I am free of all prejudices. I hate everyone equally.
— W.C. Fields



JOSE ORTIZ



CAROLINA OSORIO

No matter what barriers life brings upon you, don't ever fake
your true colors.

— Anonymous



DORA MILENA OTALVARO

Don't waste life in doubts and fears, spend yourself on the work before you, well assured that the right performance of this hour's duties will be the best preparation for the hours or ages that follow it.



VINCENT PACE

Be grateful for each new day. A new day that you have never lived before. Twenty four hours to use usefully. We can squander, neglect, or use it. Life will be richer or poorer by the way we use today.

— Emerson



MICHELLE PAGLUCCI



SHEPHALY PANDEY

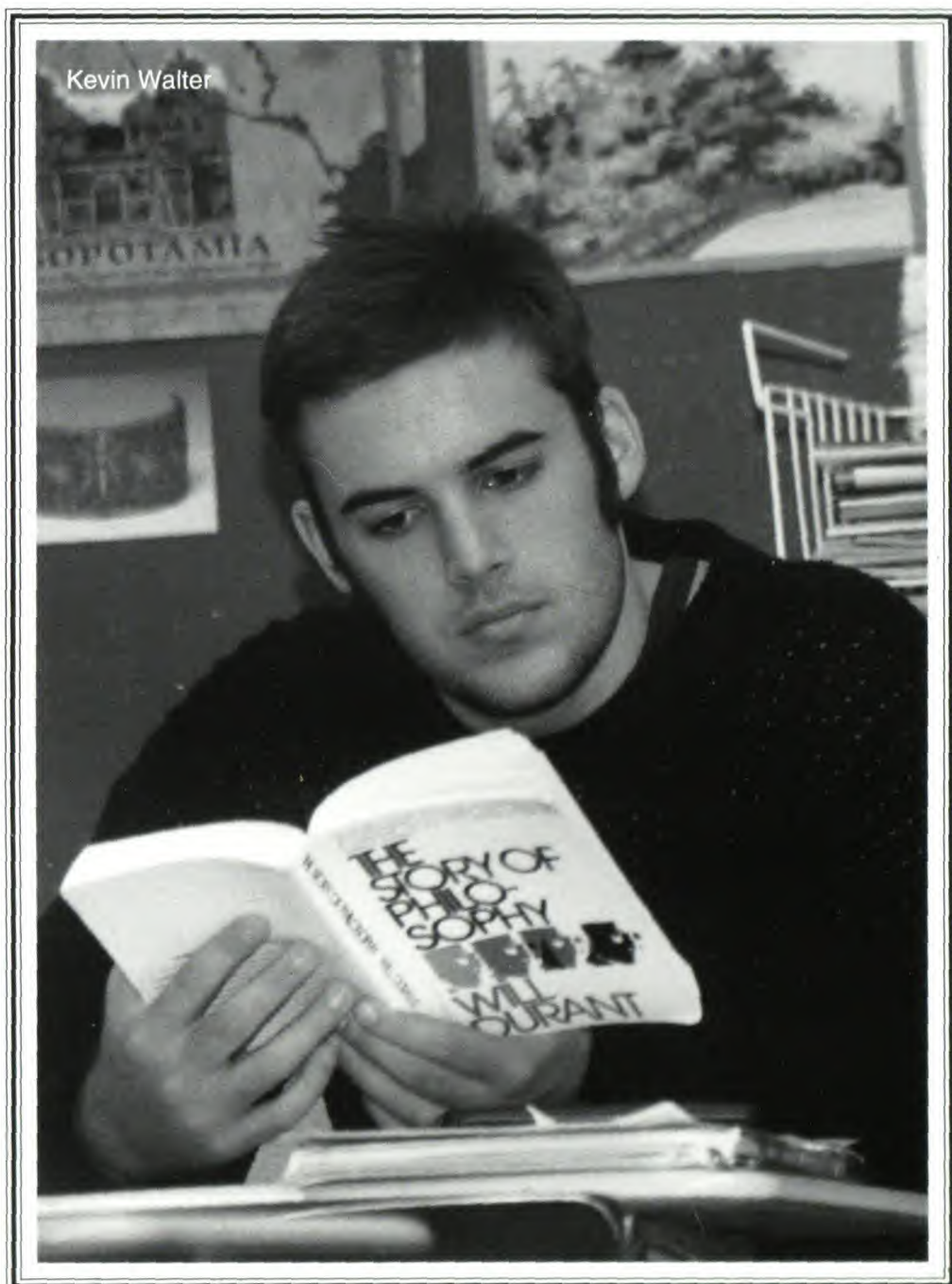
The difference between the impossible and the possible lies in a person's determination.

— Tommy Lasorda



DOREEN PAREKH

The moments may be temporary, but the memories may last forever.



Kevin Walter



SEJAL PARIKH

Great Spirit, help me never to judge another until I have walked in his moccasins for two weeks.

— Sioux Indian Prayer



TAAHIRA ANEESAH PARKS

People who hurt other people have usually been hurt so badly themselves that all they know how to do is hurt back.

— Terry McMillan



NICOLLE PASQUALE

Dream as if you'll live forever. Live as if you'll die today.

— James Dean



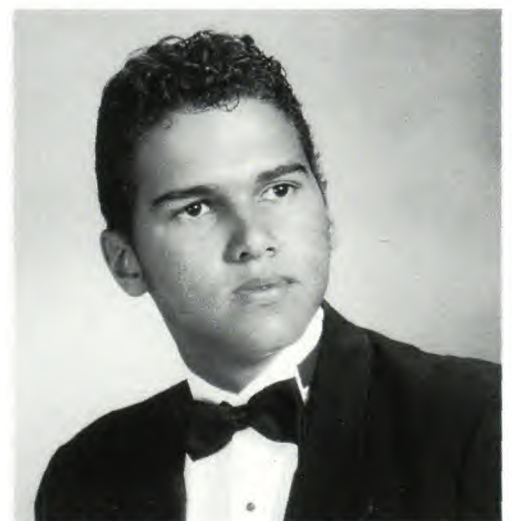
Danli Xing



BRANDON PEELE

The city is mine.

— Jay-Z



LISANDRO PERALTA

The love that lasts longest is the love that is never returned.

— S. Maugham



Zaheer Zaidi



RYAN PETERS



VERONICA PETRIELLO

If you cannot find the truth right where you are, where do you expect to find it?

— Dogen



DAPHNE PIERRE

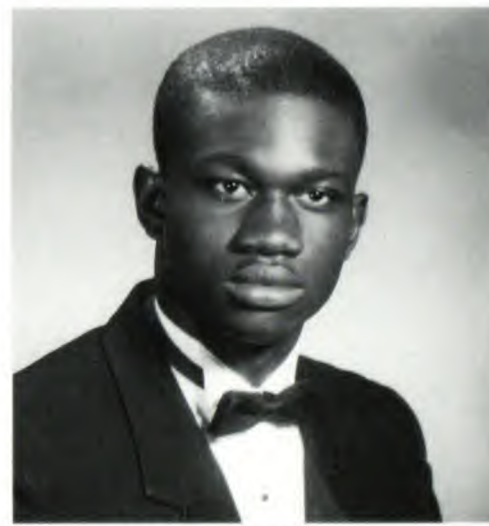
True knowledge is not attained by thinking. It is what you are; it is what you become.

— Sri Aurobindo



KLADUN SHAH PIERRE

Always believe in yourself, and you will reach your goals.



GAMALIEL PIERRELOUIS

on our Night under the Stars...

*"my prom date left at 3 A.M.
with someone else's date."*
— Dana DeCongelio



*"leaving the prom, we
crashed into the highway
divider. Fortunately, the car
only began to smoke."*
— Trina Goodwin

*"two tables of my friends
took over the dance floor."*
— Jeannine Irons



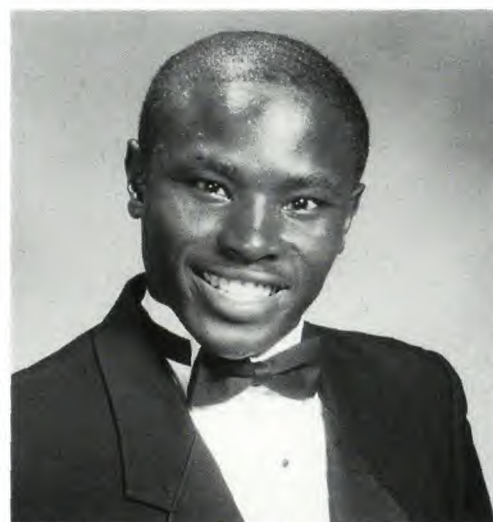
*"I punched Brian in the face
while trying to open our
limo door."*
— Rachel Weisman



KATHERINE PINEDO

We can only see with open eyes, we can only listen with open ears, we can only think with open minds.

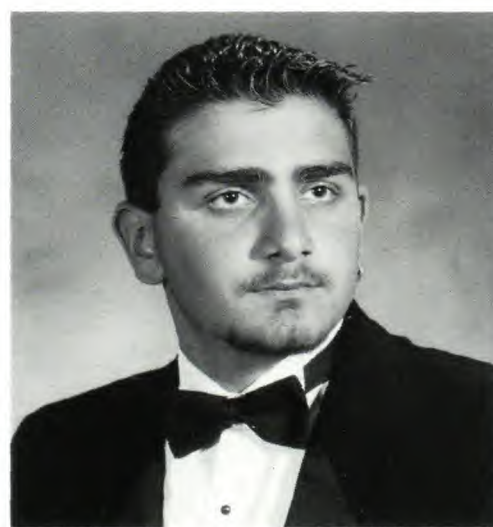
— Socrates



TECHLET PIQUANT

In a world there are three things that last forever: faith, hope, and love, but the greatest of them all is love.

— Lorathians 13



JOSEPH POSTIGLIONE, JR.

Never dream the past, or you'll have nightmares about the future.



JERELL POWELL

Can't knock da hustle.

— Jay-Z



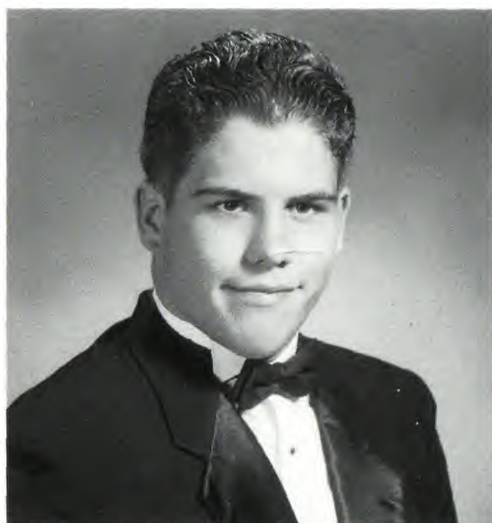
FRANCIS QUAGLIATA



KIRAN QURESHI

So be sure when you step, step with care and great fact and remember that life's a great balancing act. And will you succeed? Yes, you will indeed! (98 and $\frac{3}{4}$ percent guaranteed.)

— Dr. Seuss



CHRIS RAWLEY

Can't waste a day when a night brings a hearse.

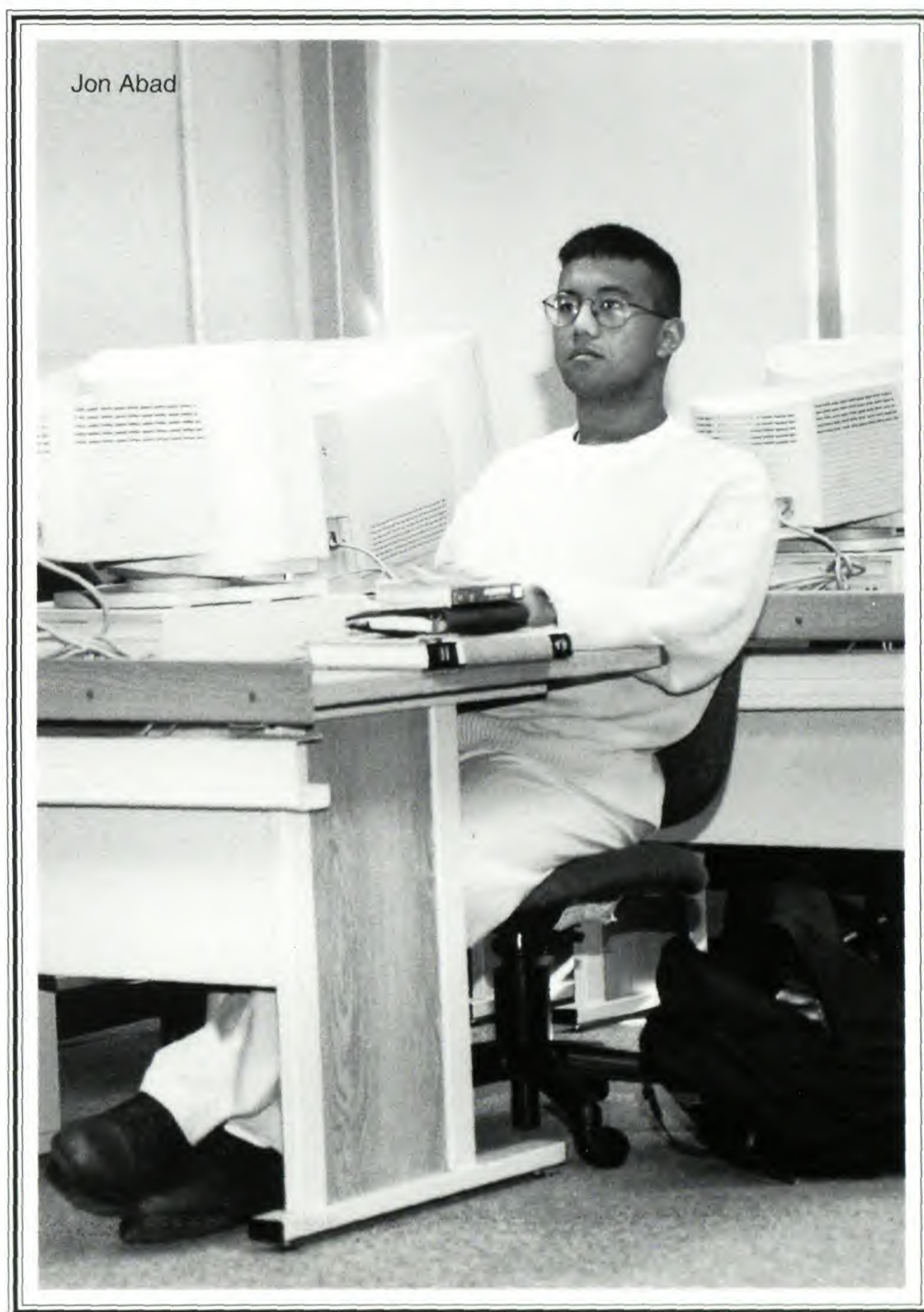
— Rage Against the Machine



IVY REROMA

The journey in between what you once were and who you are now becoming is where the dance of life really takes place.

— Barbra De Angelis





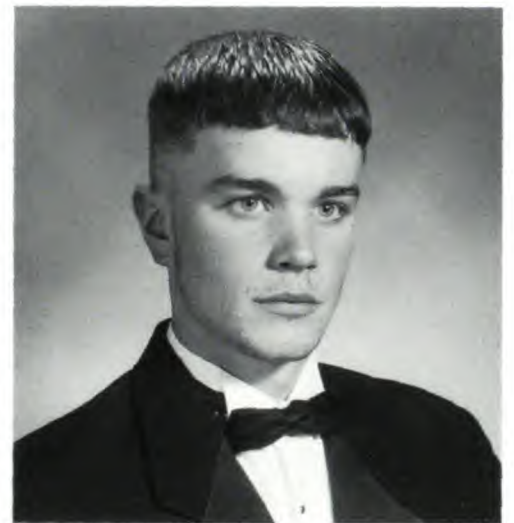
Bryan Gilmore



KATE RIESENBERG

Now I've been smiling lately thinking about the good things to come, and I believe it could be something good has begun.

— Cat Stevens



DANIEL RILEY



KAREN ROACH



KIMBERLY ROBERTSHAW

Enjoy yourself. These are the good days you're going to miss in the years ahead.

— Anonymous



AALIYAH ROBINSON

Everyday in every way, I'm getting better and better.

— Emile Cove



ANTHONY MAURICE ROBINSON

There are different ways to show happiness. Mine are to smile and laugh.

— Anonymous



ALLEN ROBINSON

I'm no lie and ya'll can't handle the truth.

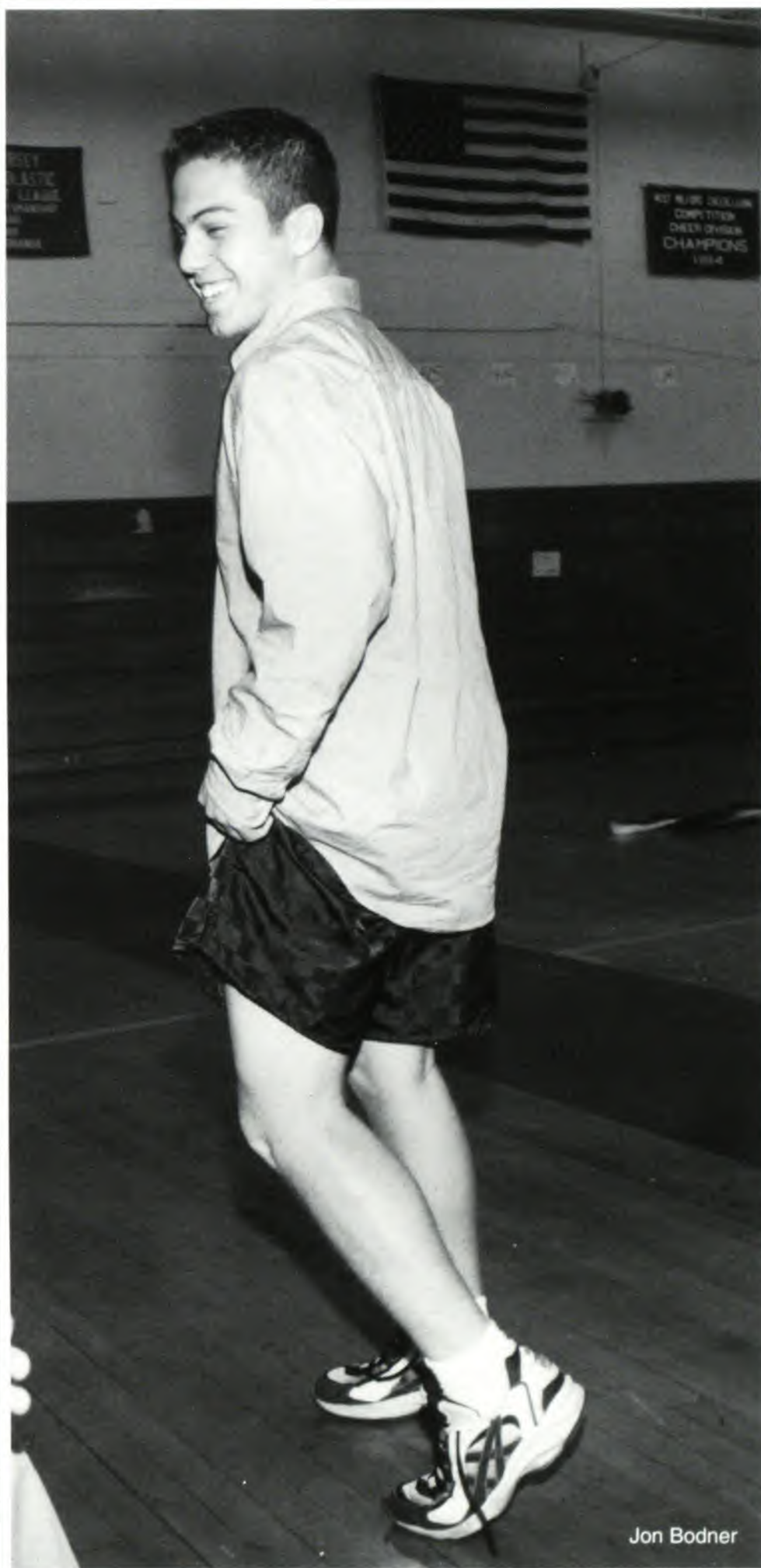
— Jay-Z



RANDI ROTHBAUM

Only those who will risk going too far can possibly find out how far one can go.

— T.S. Eliot





DAVID RUBIN

It's our time, our time down here.

— Goonies



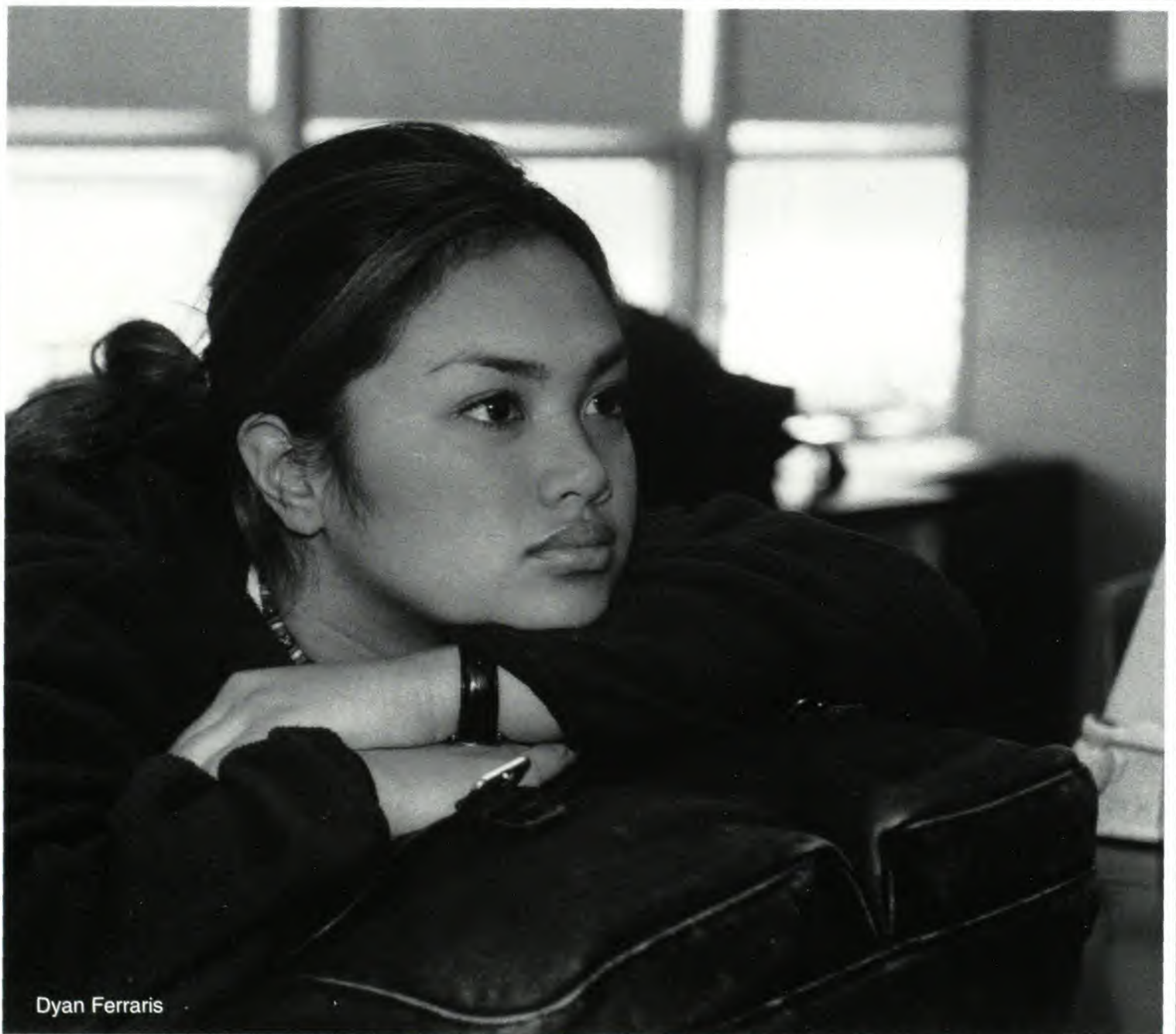
ROCCO ANTHONY RUBINO

Victory at all costs, victory in spite of all terror; victory however long and hard the road may be; for without victory there is no survival.

— Winston Churchill



MIGUEL RUEDA



Dyan Ferraris



LOU RUGGIERI

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

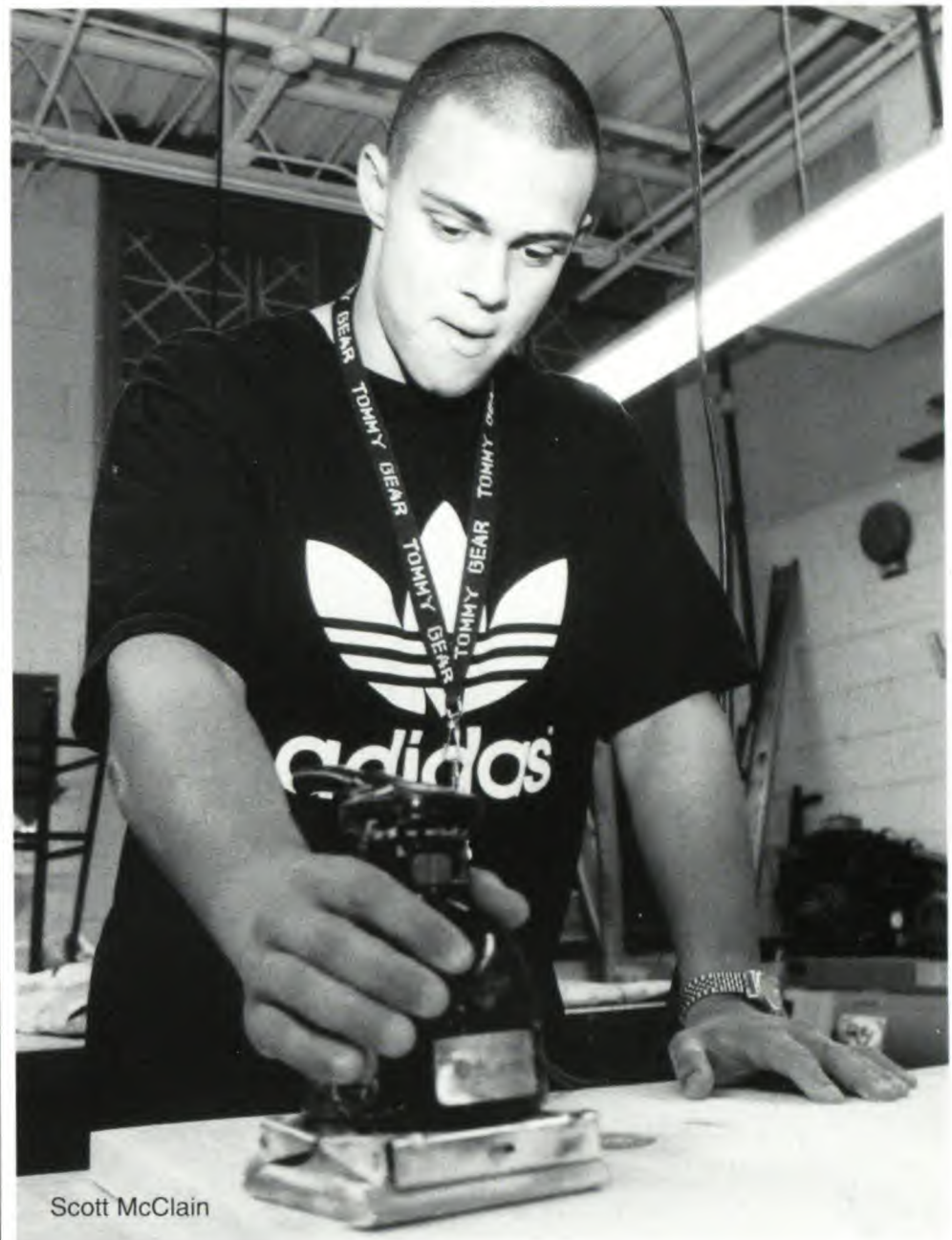
— Frank A. Clark



JESSE RYAN

Someday my ship will come in . . . And with my luck I'll be at the airport!

— A.K.



Scott McClain



KERRY RYAN

If I shoot for the stars and fall short I'll still make it to the moon, but if I only shoot for the moon and fall short I may not even get off the ground.



CHRISTINA RYFA

Some people weave burlap into the fabrics of our lives and some weave gold thread. Both contribute to make the whole picture worthwhile.

— Anonymous



GWENDOLYN SALAZAR



GOLDER SANFORD



DANIEL SANTERO

Closing time — every new beginning comes from some other beginning's end.

— Semisonic



ROBYN SANZARI

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



Vamsi Alli



LIZETH SAVINON

Love can die of a truth, as a friendship of a lie.



BEN SAYABOVORN

A man's life, no matter how long or complex it may be, is comprised of a single moment; that moment when he realizes who he really is.

— Jean Bourges



Alex Chia



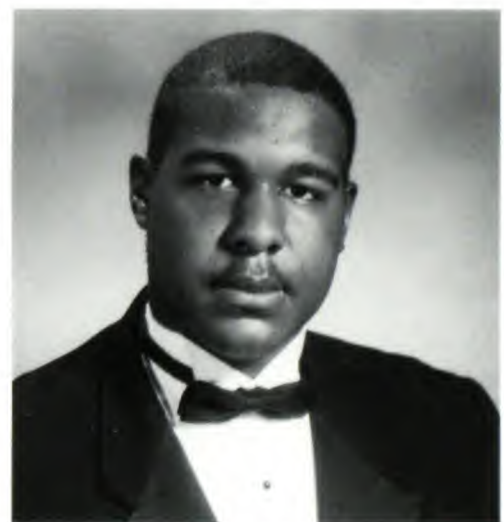
MATTHEW SAYERS



JENNIFER SCIARELLO

It really doesn't matter what happens at the beginning, it's where you end up.

— Spike Lee



CLARENCE SCONIERS



JOSHUA SCOTT



LATICIA S. SCOTT

To be faithful to your instincts and impulses that carry you in the direction of the excellence you most desire and value; surely that is to lead the noble life.

— George E. Woodberry



VANESSA SCRIVENER

It goes without saying I believe, that if we understood ourselves better we would damage ourselves less.

— James Baldwin



ARASH SENEHI



MOZHGAN SETOODEH

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



Henry Kirk, Eduardo Masferre, and Louis Ruggieri



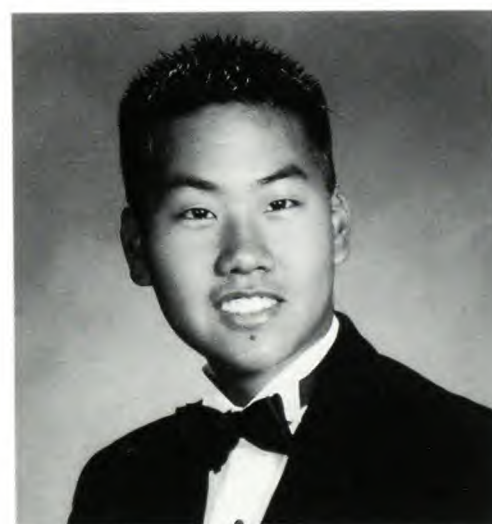
RICHARD ALEXANDER SHANNON

And in the end, the love you take;
Is equal to the love you make.

— The Beatles



CHARLES SHAW



DANIEL SHIN

When people hear good music, it makes them homesick for
something they never had, and never will have.

— Edgar Watson Howe

THE MINUTE I

GOT MY WHEELS...



*"I borrowed my mother's car
without her permission and
went cruising."*

— Emma Mensah

*"I drove to my girlfriend's
house and hit the car behind
me while trying to parallel
park."*

— Brian Ferguson



*"I decided to be the chauffeur
for my friends since they
drove me everywhere before I
got my license."*

— Kim Robertshaw



GINNENE JACQUELINE SIMPKINS

Be careful whom you step on going up because as easy as
you go up you can easily see the same people coming
down.

— Anonymous



JUSTIN SKARBNIK

Only two things are infinite, the universe and human stupid-
ity, and I'm not sure about the former.

— Albert Einstein

Molly Dowd, Kate Riesenber, Nancy Boccanfuso, and Denisse Benitez



REGINA SMILYANSKY

And we always say, it would be good to go away someday.
— Matchbox 20



KELLY SONCO



ELIZABETH SPARKS

No love, no friendship, can cross the path of our destiny
without leaving some mark on it forever.



MICHAEL SPINA

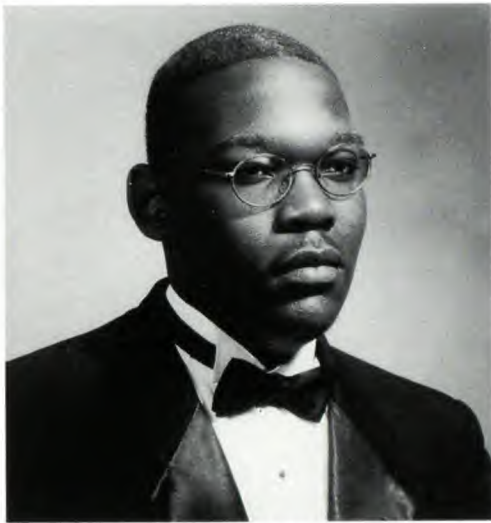


JOHN SPRINGER



BRETT STANSFIELD

To dream of the person you would like to be is to waste the person you are.



MILES G. STEVENSON

I will not lose!
It's like that.

— Jay-Z



REBECCA STRAUSS

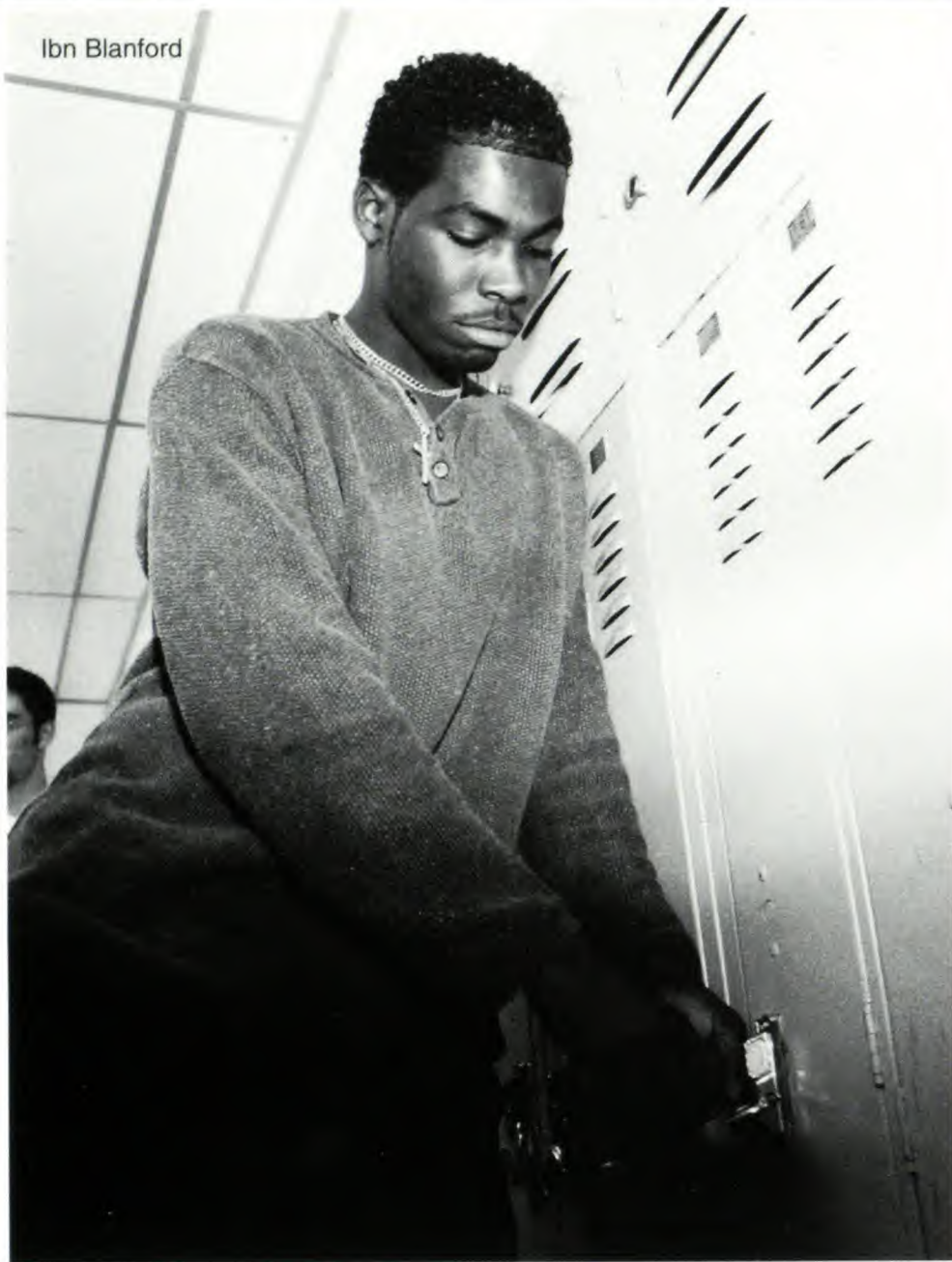
You've got your whole life to do something, and that's not very long.

— Ani DiFranco



Vivian Black

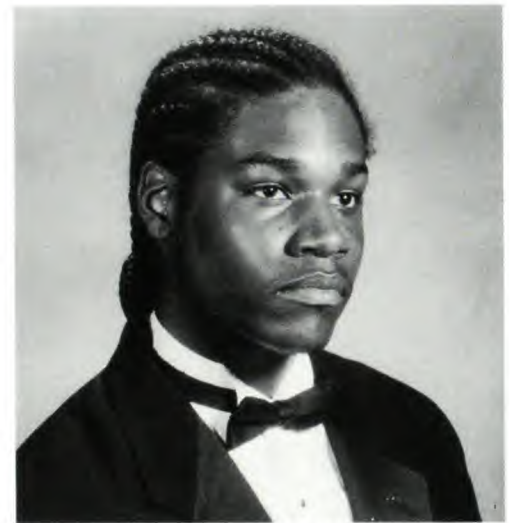
Ibn Blanford



ALANA SUITT

No enterprise is more likely to succeed than one concealed from the enemy until it is ripe for execution.

— Niccolo Machiavelli



KHARY TAYLOR



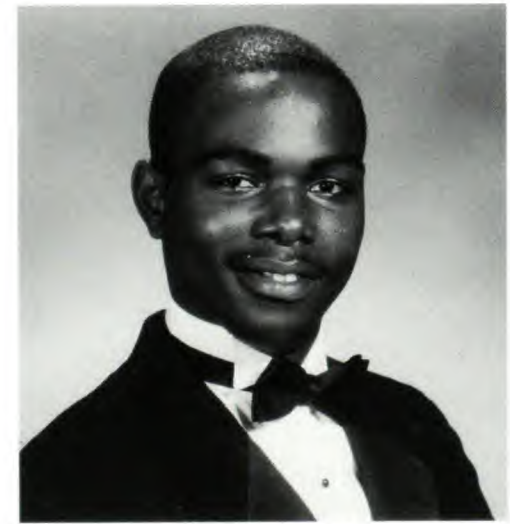
DYAN TESTA

You can observe a lot by watching.

— Yogi Berra



DARREN TOBIA



ALAIN TOUSSAINT

Where do we go from here, and why does my heart feel so much joy?

— Nicola Clarke



STEPHEN TRAGASH

When you stop to think, don't forget to start again.

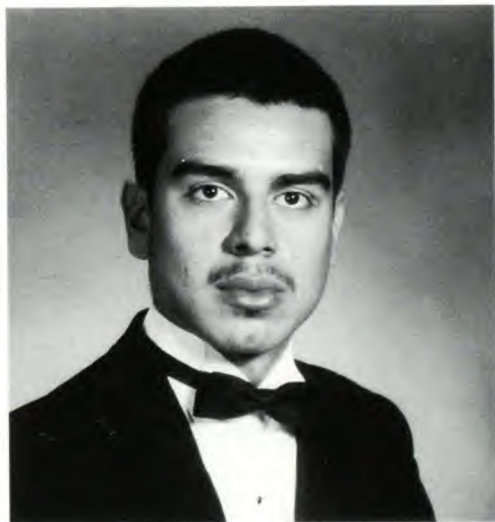
— Anonymous



LAUREN TURBOWITZ

There are no happy endings in life, and what little victories we get are achieved at great cost.

— Steven King



HAMILTON ULERIO

Blessing my seeds and watching over us till I will die, align their souls with mine and shine for all of us.

— Carlos Rios



Ben Sayabovorn

THE TRUE VALUE OF A DOLLAR IS...



*"an order of french fries
from McDonalds."*
— Danny Heller



*"one eighth of a movie
ticket."*
— Bianca Martinez



MELISSA VACCARELLA

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

— Billy Joel



TERESE VANNOY



DANA M. VERSFELT

We live in a moment of history where change is so speeded up that we begin to see the present only when it is already disappearing.

— R.D. Laing



HUGO J. VILLOTA

Life is not always fun and games.

— Sprite



ASHA VISHNAGARA

Many of life's failures are people who did not realize how close they were to success when they gave up.

— Thomas Edison



BRADLEY WALL

Hard work is for people short on talent.

— George Carlin



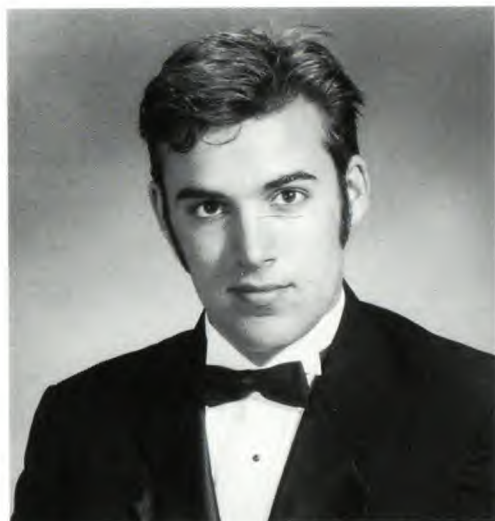
"a bus trip to Orange."
— Nwamaka Achebe



"100 pennies."
— Daniel Santero



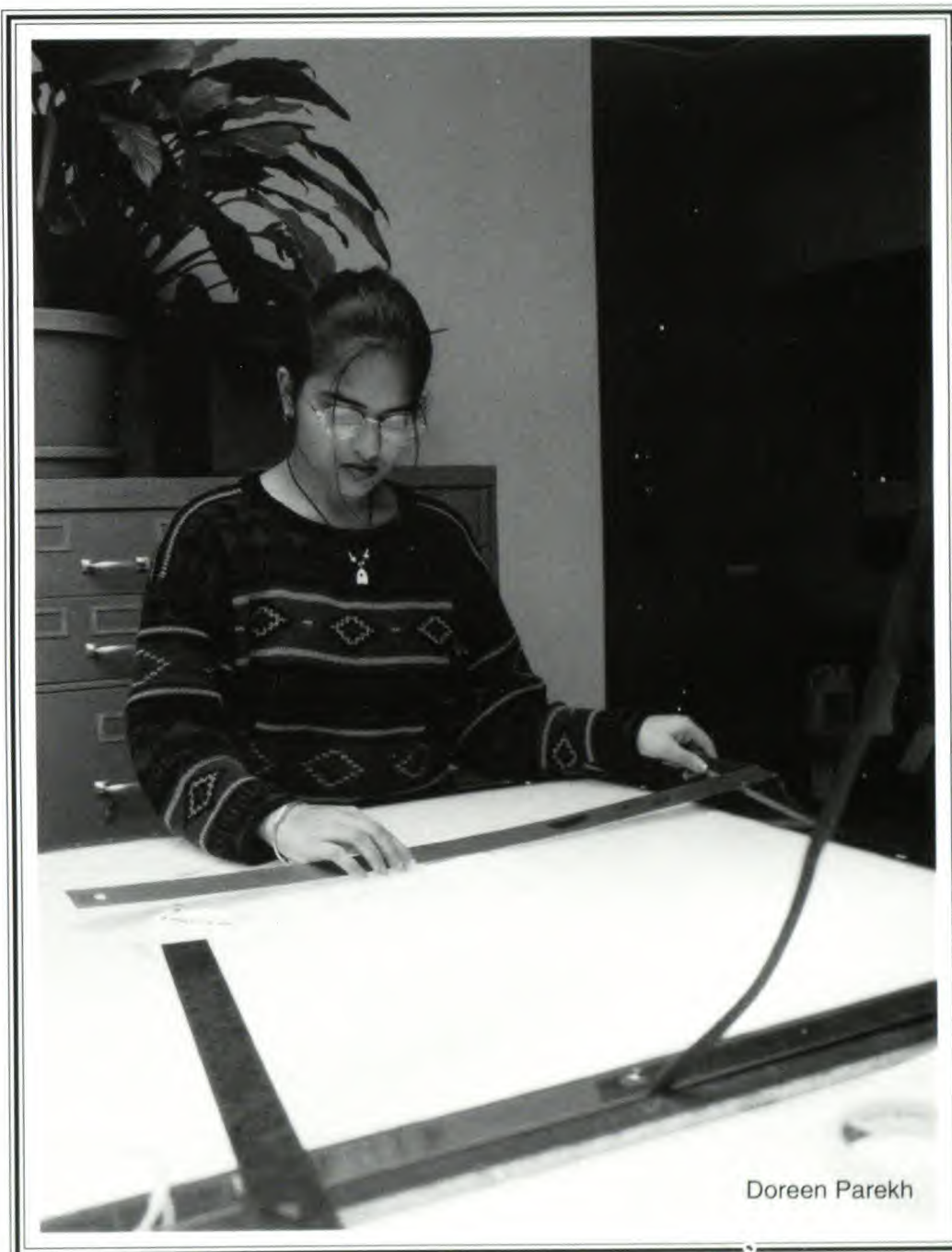
"1 bag of chips, 1 juice, 2 sour patch kids, 5 pieces of gum, 1 twizzler, 1 swedish fish."
— Tiffany Goodwin



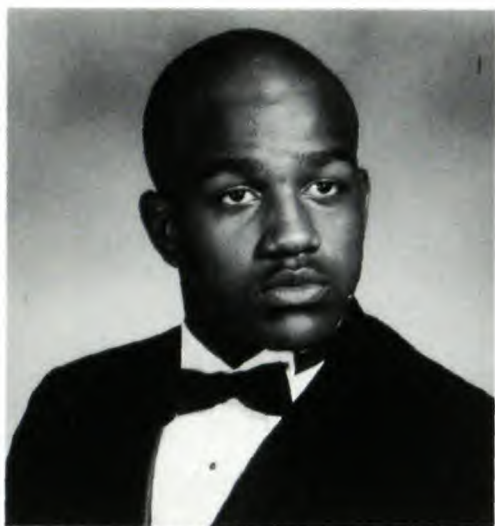
KEVIN WALTER
Cease cows; Life is short.
— Gabriel Garcia Marquez



RACHEL WEISMAN
We're heading for something, somewhere I've never been.
Sometimes I am frightened, but I'm ready to learn.
— Celine Dion



Doreen Parekh



AARON WELBORN



BRANDON WHIGHAM



MESHA WHITSETT

I never did mind the little things.

— Anonymous

David Rubin, Tiffany Goodwin, and Christine Normil





NWAOGU OBIOHA WILLIAM

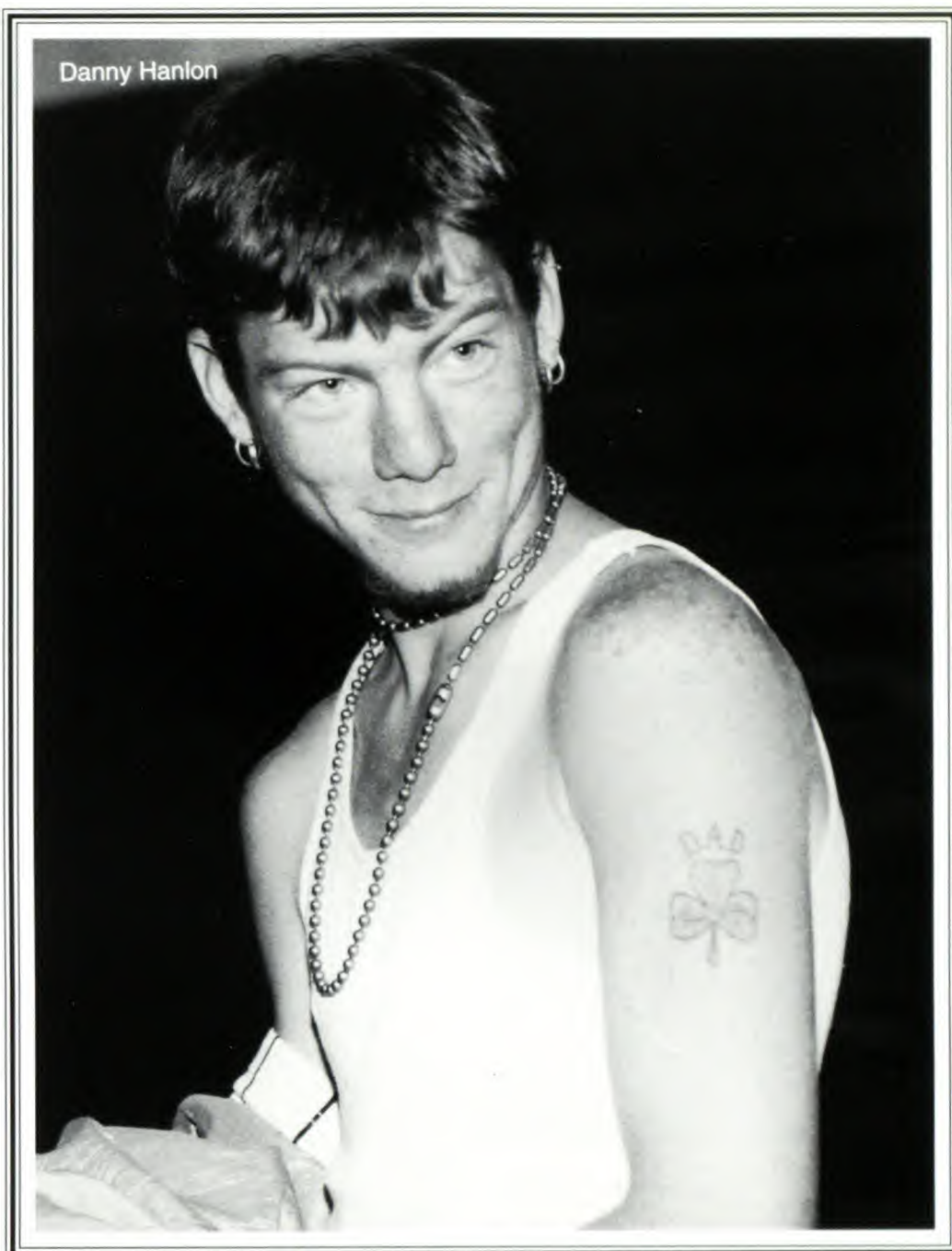
The falcon can no longer hear the falconer, the center can no longer hold, things fall apart.



ERICA WOVSANIKER

We'll never survive!
Nonsense. You're only saying that because no one ever has.

— "The Princess Bride"



Danny Hanlon



JENNIFER WRIGHT



KOREY WRIGHT

My perception is my reality.

— Mrs. Feintuch



ALBERT WU

When a thing has been said and said well, have no scruple. Take it and copy it.

— Anatole France



RICHARD WU

The hardest thing in life is learning which bridge to cross and which one to burn down.

— D. Russell



DANLI XING

There is no greater sorrow than to recall happiness in times of misery.

— Dante, *The Inferno*



Matt Fitzpatrick and Ricky Klittich



DAGMAWI YACOB

For every dark night, there's a bright day after that.

— Tupac Shakur



PHILLIP YAP-DIANGCO

If one only wished to be happy, this could be easily accomplished; but we wish to be happier than other people, and this is always difficult, for we believe others to be happier than they are.

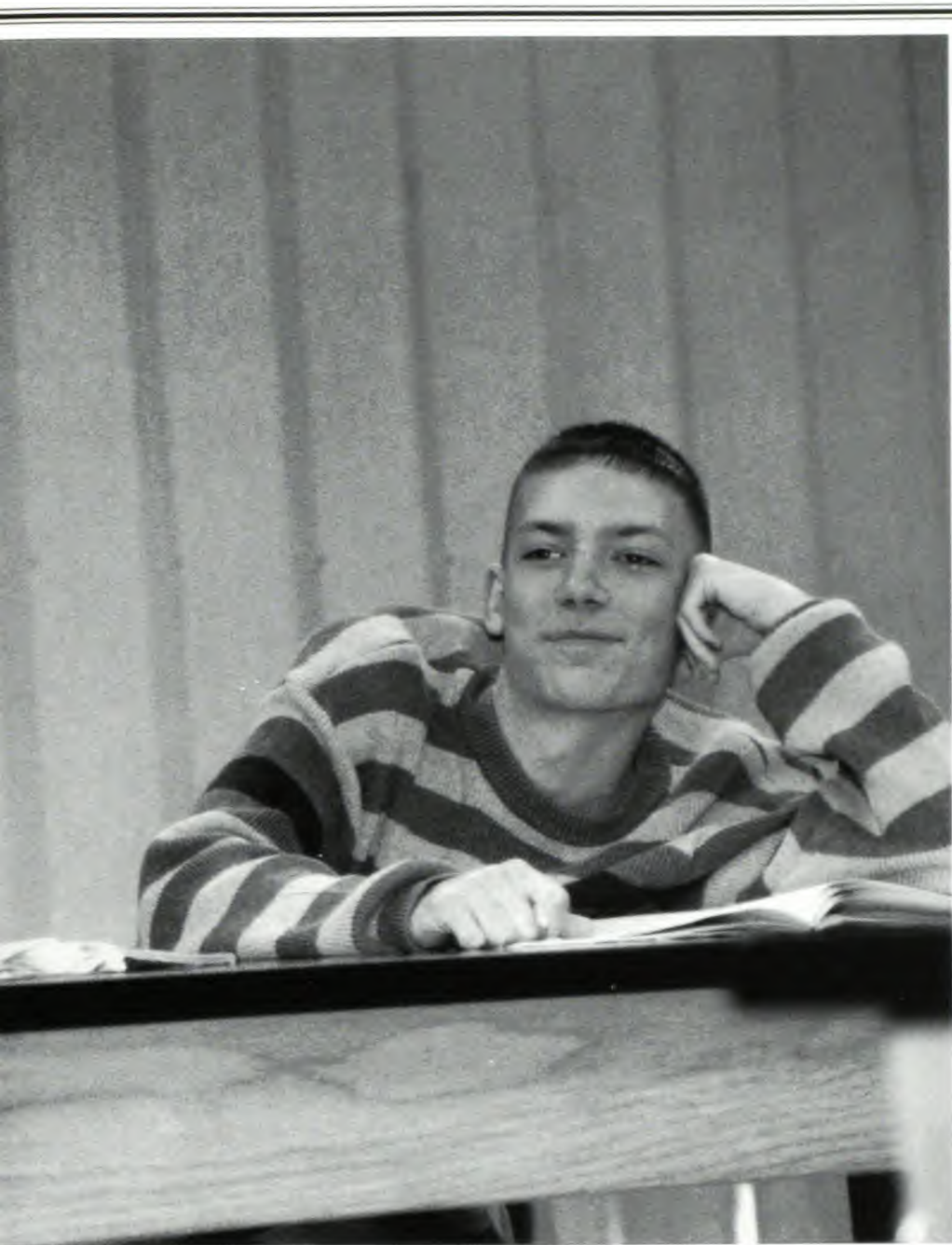
— Montesquieu



UMAR YASIN

I can/I will

— Graffiti in Harlem



ZAHEER ZAIDI
Me am superman . . . Me am hero.
— Bizarro



JEFFREY ZAMA



PAUL ZARAGOZA
Thanks for noticing me.

— Eeyore



ELISABETH ZOKO
Life is just like math: you add friends, subtract enemies,
divide time, and multiply knowledge.



TONI ANN ZUPPA
It's okay to let yourself go, as long as you can get yourself
back.

— LD

Sports





In the 21st Century I See . . .

“ Expansion of sports programs for male and female athletes. There will probably be financial problems due to budget constraints. ”

Mrs. Kulik
Director of Athletics

“ Athletes spending more time on one particular sport; trying to excel in that one sport, rather than dividing their time among sports. ”

Mr. Kuczmarski
Site Manager

“ Every high school in America with a Certified Athletic Trainer on staff. This, combined with improved off-season conditioning and advances in rehabilitation, will result in fewer and less serious injuries. ”

Mr. Diaz
Athletic Trainer



THE FALL



LINE



Pizzi's Favorite Squad Qualifies for State Playoffs

From the opening kickoff to the final drive to the fourth quarter, this year's varsity football team showed a great deal of enthusiasm and commitment to winning. After completing his eighth year as the head football coach at WOHS, Mike Pizzi went on record saying, "This was probably the finest bunch of young men I have ever coached . . . This will go down as a team that I truly respect and will never forget."

Finishing the season with a record of five wins and five losses, there were several stellar individual performances, as well as many team highlights that stood out and helped make the season a memorable one. Looking back, co-captain Ed Diaz recalled the game against Orange as, "the turning point of the season." On a rainy and windy night at Bell Stadium in Orange, the Mountaineers came back after trailing by six points at half-time to pull out a victory over a high-powered offensive Orange team by a score of 13-6. Quarterback Mike Spina and West Orange's defense were the main factors in the dramatic victory.

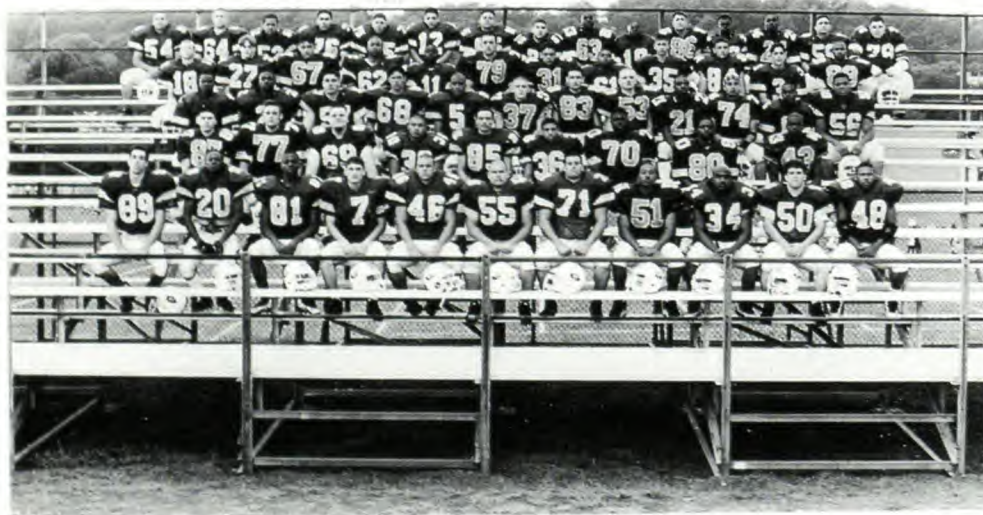
This year's team set the school record for yards rushing as a team in one game. This accomplishment came against Lakeland, when the team rushed for 387 yards. Leading the way were Aaron Welborn who ran for a 75

yard touchdown and Scott McClain who rushed for 175 yards, scoring two touchdowns along the way.

The Mountaineers earned a playoff spot, their first since 1988, where they were defeated by undefeated Plainfield High School in the first round.

Senior co-captains Welborn, McClain, Rocco Rubino, and Ed Mitchell were valuable assets to the team, as were Shawn Brown, Scott Carson, Krishna Craig, Ed Diaz, Mike Giammarino, Jon Michael, Chris Rawley, and Kevin Walter.

Many players were acknowledged with various forms of all-conference recognition. The 1998 Mountaineer football team will be remembered for its tremendous work ethic and drive to win. No wonder they were Coach Pizzi's favorite, a team that took him to his first state playoff.



FOOTBALL

EXTRA POINTS



This team demonstrated an exceptional work ethic from the off-season until the final whistle.

— Coach Pizzi



Halfback Scott Carson weaves through the West Milford defense. Carson rushed for 5.9 yards per carry.

Co-captain Ed Diaz registers another tackle against Lakeland. Diaz finished with 70 tackles for the season.



Fullback Scott McClain enroute to one of his seven touchdowns.



Being a captain meant pride in myself, pride in my teammates, and pride in my school.

— Rocco Rubino



The thing that was unique about the team was the level of intensity we came out with every Saturday.

— Aaron Welborn

Remarkable Turnaround Results in Top Ten Finish

From the last week of August until mid-November, the girls soccer squad committed themselves to practices every day. As a result, the '98 season was indeed satisfying. The girls managed to compile a record of 8-10-1, and finished in the Essex County Top Ten, quite an achievement after finishing 1-14-2 in 1997.

Tri-captain, Fatima Magsakay stated, "We aimed for a .500 record this season; most of the matches were usually determined by a goal that occurred in the last few minutes." Losing only three seniors, the majority of the players returned in '98, along with a talented group of freshmen who contributed greatly.

Opening the season with a 9-0 victory over Perth Amboy, the tone was quickly set and the squad became a threat to many top teams. The girls played their most stellar game against West Milford, the #10 ranked team in New Jersey, when they held the strong West Milford team scoreless throughout the game. It wasn't until the last few minutes of overtime that West Milford took the lead to win the game. Despite the loss, the girls kept the mo-

mentum going as they headed into the Essex County Tournament, where they overpowered Nutley 2-1, and advanced to the second round. There they suffered a setback, losing to Montclair, the #1 team in the county.

Despite experiencing tough losses, the girls knew the feeling of victory. The squad captured a 2-1 win over a highly skilled Lakeland team for the first time in West Orange history. Coach Greg Marchesi noted, "Our big win against Lakeland was just a stepping stone for a more successful future."

Leading the team were the tri-captains, seniors, Fatima Magsakay and Carol Guthrie, and junior Rachel Eckenthal, who earned first team all-conference. Junior Alicia Valse received 2nd team all-conference for her play in midfield.

Marchesi observed, "The girls had a very rewarding season; they made leaps and bounds in their performance, helping to build a solid soccer program." The '98 season opened many doors for the girls soccer program and paved the way to a promising future.



GIRLS SOCCER

EXTRA POINTS



As evidenced by our record, a lot of growth and development took place this season.

— Coach Marchesi



Two defenders fail to prevent Fatima Magsakay from dribbling for a goal. As tri-captain, she started every game but three since she was a freshman.

A lost ball is always a scoring opportunity for junior, Rachel Eckenthal. With 24 career goals, she became the top scorer.



Four-year goalie Laura McCrone slides to make another save.



Preparing for the season was the hardest in all my 4 years. The countless hours paid off.

— F. Magsakay



As a tri-captain, my goal was to motivate and encourage my teammates during games and runs.

— Carol Guthrie

Underclassmen Write Soccer Season Story

Losing seven senior starters didn't put the '98 boys soccer team at a disadvantage, as many had projected. Due to a lack of experience, this year was a time for the younger players to develop their individual skills to a varsity level. The team had to take a huge step up to fill the shoes of the graduated varsity players.

In fact, the team relied on 75% new starters. As a result, the Mountaineers suffered a tough 7-11-1 season. The toughest losses the boys endured were against Nutley (2-1), due to a missed penalty kick, and West Milford (3-1).

After being rained out three times, the WOHS team faced #3 seeded Montclair Kimberly Academy in the Essex County Tournament. MKA scored in the first minute of play. The Mountaineers fought back with a head ball goal off a corner kick by Lorenzo Greco and 35 yard shot by junior Raymond Rosania. MKA countered with two goals for a 3-2 victory. Coach Fred Sisbarro commented, "The boys controlled the game, but missed opportunities; overall they still played hard."

On the brighter side of the ledger,

the team enjoyed wins over Clifford Scott (8-0), West Side (4-1), and Orange (1-0). The most notable win this season was a 4-2 triumph against a tough Wayne Valley squad. The Mountaineers dominated the first half, and junior Tommy Tutalo, struck gold with his three goal "hat trick." The fourth goal was added by sophomore, David Ochoa.

The team was led by experienced seniors, co-captains Pablo Alvarez and Lorenzo Greco, both of whom received honorable mention all-county. Greco commented,

"I felt honored to receive this award. It proved my hard work and dedication to this year's team."

Also propelling the team were juniors Tutalo, who, with ten goals and eight assists, was named to second team all-county, and junior, Giuseppe Chirico, who was named 3rd team all-county.

Four-year participant, David Rubin, concluded, "Despite a rocky season of ups and downs, everyone maintained a positive attitude." Hopefully that attitude would continue for the underclassmen.



BOYS SOCCER

EXTRA POINTS



The team worked hard throughout the season, always enjoying the challenges and their teammates.

— Coach Sisbarro



Midfielder Pablo Alvarez attempts to gain control against West Milford. Alvarez was a four year player who excelled on direct kicks.

Second leading scorer Lorenzo Greco looks for an opening. Greco tallied six goals and seven assists during the season.

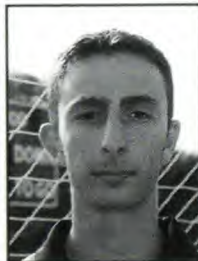


Junior Jason Cooper beats a Lakeland defender to the ball.



The year was a time for everybody to pull together and persevere for the rest of the season.

— David Rubin



This season I feel I was able to use my experience and ability to help our team.

— Lorenzo Greco

Senior Runners Set the Pace for NHC Championship

Desire was a word commonly used by this year's girls cross country team. This desire to win was prominently displayed during the girls' repeat performance as Northern Hills Conference Champions. Coach Joseph Suriano asserted, "There was a lot of pressure on the girls to win the conference a second time, but they responded and gave a great effort throughout the season." Seniors Shephaly Pandey, Lynn Fasano, and Randi Rothbaum spearheaded the team to a 9-0 mark in the division, and a 15-3 overall campaign. This record was good enough to earn West Orange a fourth-place ranking in Essex County.

Co-captain, Pandey was named second team all-conference and second team all-area. "This year's team was extremely successful," Pandey acknowledged. "I was just glad to be a part of it. I hope that I was a positive influence on the younger girls and hope that they continue their reign as conference champs." One could see this senior influence working already. Sophomore Meghan Neilan was selected first team all-conference, all-area, and all-county. Also, junior Jackie

Fulvio was awarded all-conference and all-area honors.

Coach Suriano noted, "The first two victories of the season over Lakeland and Passaic Valley set the tone for the season. Even with a key loss to Caldwell, every member of the team worked hard and improved all their times." Co-captain Fasano added, "Since we were conference champs last year, I think the girls were really motivated to continue the success."

Throughout a long season, a team is bound to encounter some difficulties. According to Suriano,

"Many miles on the road took their toll on the girls. We also encountered injuries to key runners, which hurt our team during post-season meets." Though injuries sometimes have a devastating effect on some teams, WOHS was determined to complete a successful season.

The girls team highlighted its season with an undefeated record in dual meets within their division. Their desire and determination also garnered them over 30 medals at invitational meets.



GIRLS CROSS COUNTRY

Girls Cross Country

EXTRA POINTS

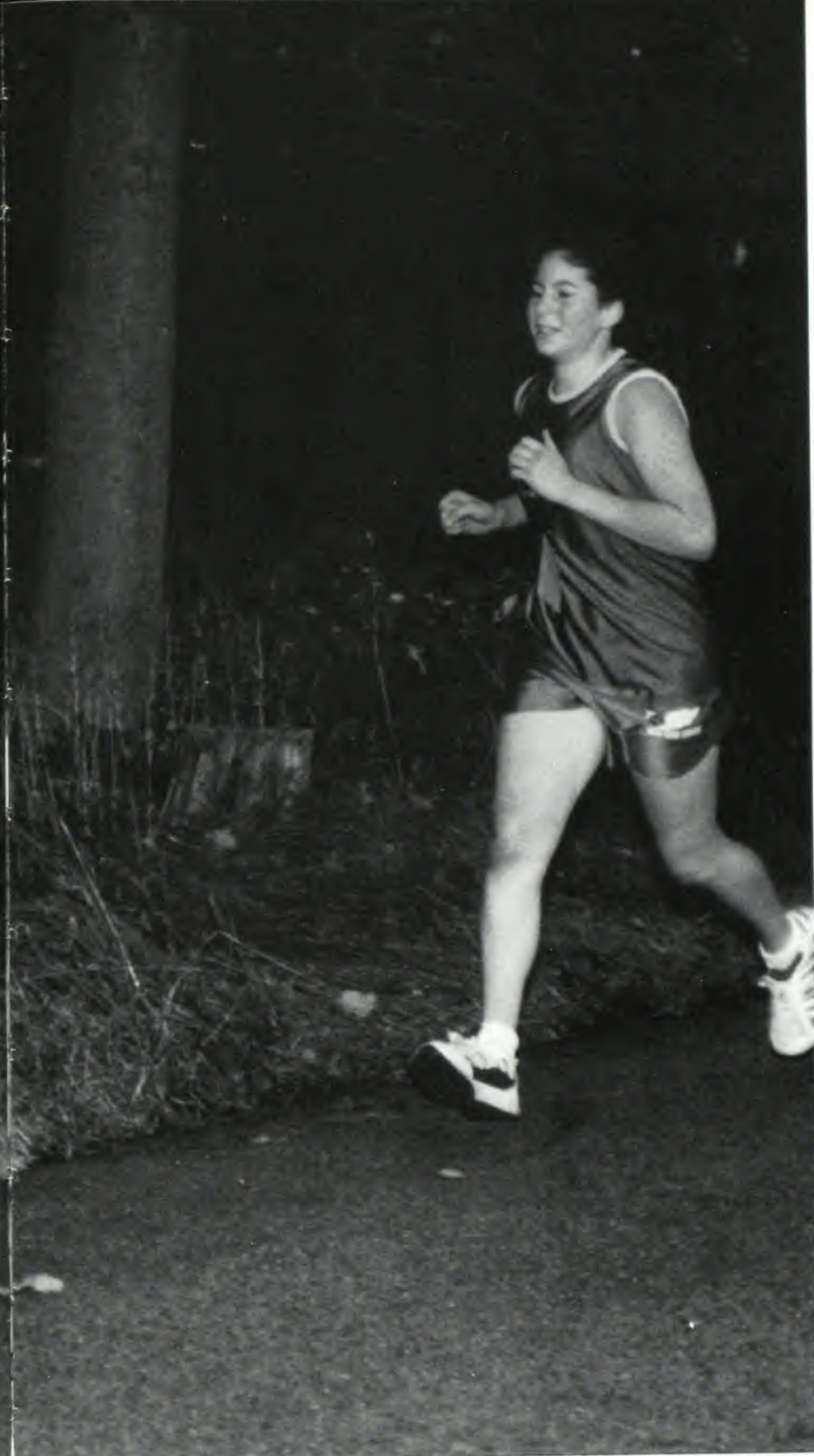


Teamwork, dedication, and pride produced not only a successful season, but a 2nd NHC Championship.

— Coach Suriano

Sophomore standout Meghan Neilan on the way to another first place finish. Neilan turned in a team best of 20:38 this season.

Co-captain and four-year runner Shephaly Pandey passes an opponent in a duel meet.



As a captain, I felt that I helped to unify the team, which led to our success this season.

— Lynn Fasano



Working hard and pushing the younger girls to strive for a successful season was rewarding.

— S. Pandey

Four-year runner Lynn Fasano on the way to her best time of 23:52.

Runners Overcome Inexperience To Claim NHC Championship

Trying to equal the previous season's record of 15-2, a lot of pressure was placed on this year's boys cross country team. With the loss of many talented seniors from the previous year, WOHS still managed to produce a winning season. With a final record of 10-7, the boys achieved two of their goals: respectability and dedicated performance. Jon Bodner, co-captain of this year's team, noted, "We had a much younger and less experienced team. However, our difficult workouts during the season made up for less summer training and our inexperience."

A key loss against West Milford, after winning three in a row, could have been a major setback. However, with their "never-say-die" attitude the boys went on to win the Suburban Division of the conference. Coach Joseph Suriano asserted, "The boys had a very fine season. The seniors served as leaders, and the young runners played a valuable role on this team."

Juoko Juntunen, one of these young runners, was awarded second team all-area, and all-conference honorable mention. According to Suriano, "Jun-

tunen's work ethic was impeccable. He came from Finland and led our team. He was also our number one runner all season."

Co-captain Brett Stansfield received all-county honorable mention. When asked how he helped the team and what role he played with the younger runners, Stansfield responded, "It meant a lot helping the younger runners and seeing them come together as a team. We had more younger runners this year than last; yet, the freshmen, sophomores, and juniors all showed plenty of promise."

Suriano knew that it would be difficult to repeat the stellar season of a year ago, but he felt his runners were up to the task. With only one top runner returning this year, the boys relied on younger talent. Freshman Raul Ramischand, who was selected as one of the top five runners on the team, was a steady contributor.

This year, the boys proved that respect can be earned through a combination of veteran leadership, young talent, and dedication. These three ingredients led to a championship.



BOYS CROSS COUNTRY

EXTRA POINTS



When coaching young runners, you must focus on enthusiasm, competitiveness, and patience.

— Coach Suriano



Co-captain Brett Stansfield out in front in the NHC Conference Championship Meet at Delbarton.

Four year varsity runner Jon Bodner passes a competitor on the way to a 20:36 finish over 3.1 miles.



Newcomer Jouko Juntunen on pace to a 17:36 time in the 5K.



I tried to show that you can work hard at practice, but at the same time keep things fun.
— Jon Bodner



Runners need a commitment to body fitness to meet the demands of 5k races against the clock!
— Brett Stansfield

Without a Single Senior Tennis Team Doubles Record

This year's tennis team proved that desire and commitment still make a difference. With only four returning players, and not a single senior to help lead the rest of the girls, Coach Jamie Greenberg looked to her young and talented squad to carry on the tradition of excellence. WOHS tennis teams have come to be known for over the years.

Coach Greenberg was especially proud of her team's dedication. "Though this year's team was young and lacked experience, they were very committed to getting better . . . We were a lot better than what was expected of us," she said. The team finished the season with a record of 15 wins and only 7 losses.

The squad earned the right to compete in the county tournament, where they made it to the quarterfinals after beating Verona. They also qualified for the state playoffs, where they lost to Roxbury High School.

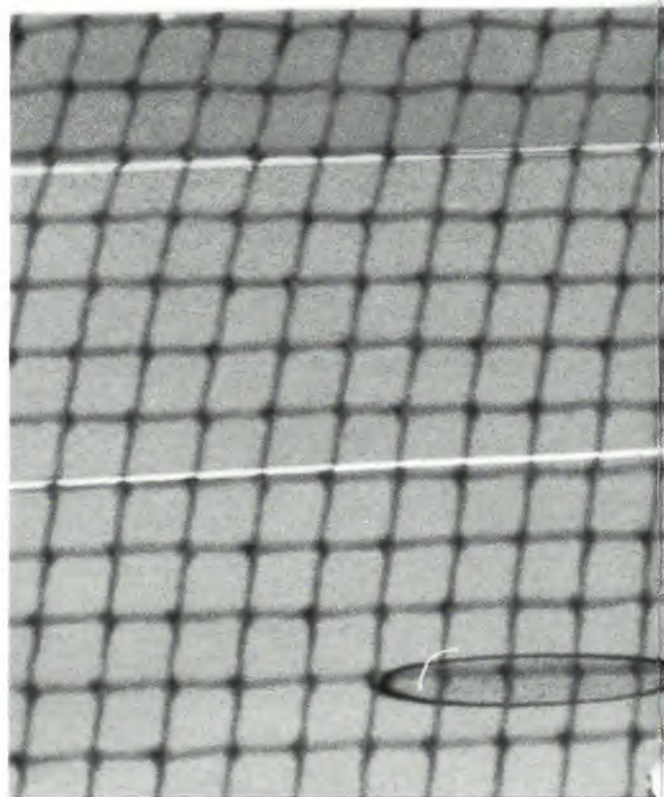
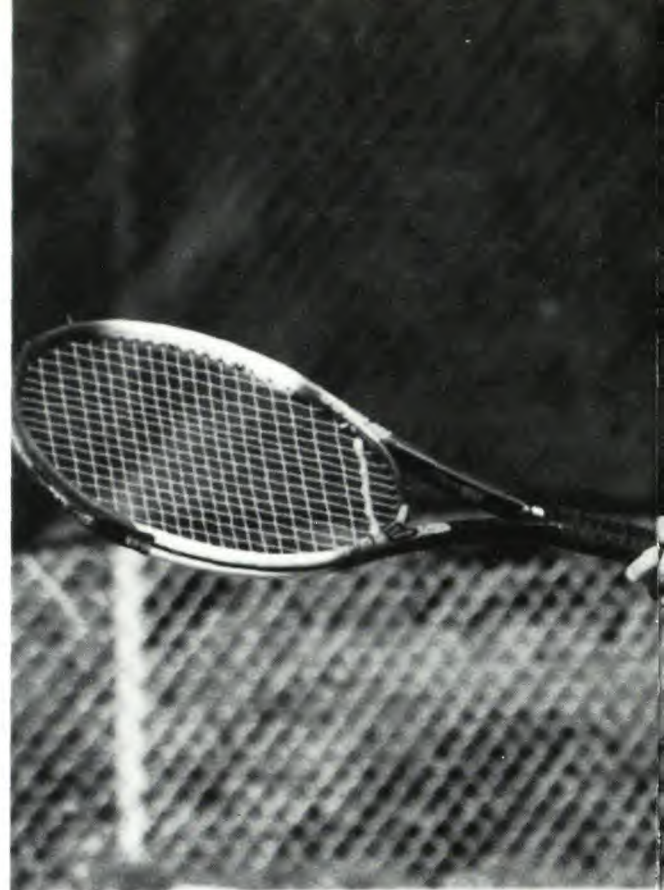
Junior-captain Rebecca Weiner, and sophomore Nicole Lazar led the way for the Lady Mountaineers. For

Weiner, the team's comeback victories in the county tournament, particularly the one that came against Verona, were the most memorable moments. Assessing the season she said, "It was surprising and equally gratifying that a young and inexperienced team could produce a better record than in previous years."

Lazar, who competed at 1st singles, was named to the all-area squad and earned honorable mention for her play in the conference. She was also named to the 1st team all-area doubles squad.

Freshmen standouts Morgan Brodey and Debbie Chiu finished the season with plus .500 records, and both were named to the all-area second team.

Though they were young and untested, this year's squad showed glimpses of greatness. Their victory total attested to their will to win and their future potential. Greenberg added, "This group had a big upside. They came to work hard every practice."



GIRLS TENNIS

**EXTRA
POINTS**



The highlight of the season was the immense amount of improvement. Hard work resulted in a successful season.

—Coach Greenberg



Stretching to return a volley at the net is sophomore Andrea Testa.

First singles performer Nicole Lazar positions herself for a backhand.



Freshman Morgan Brodey works on her forehand before a match.



I learned to be more assertive and handle responsibility better. Any less is unacceptable.

— Rebecca Weiner

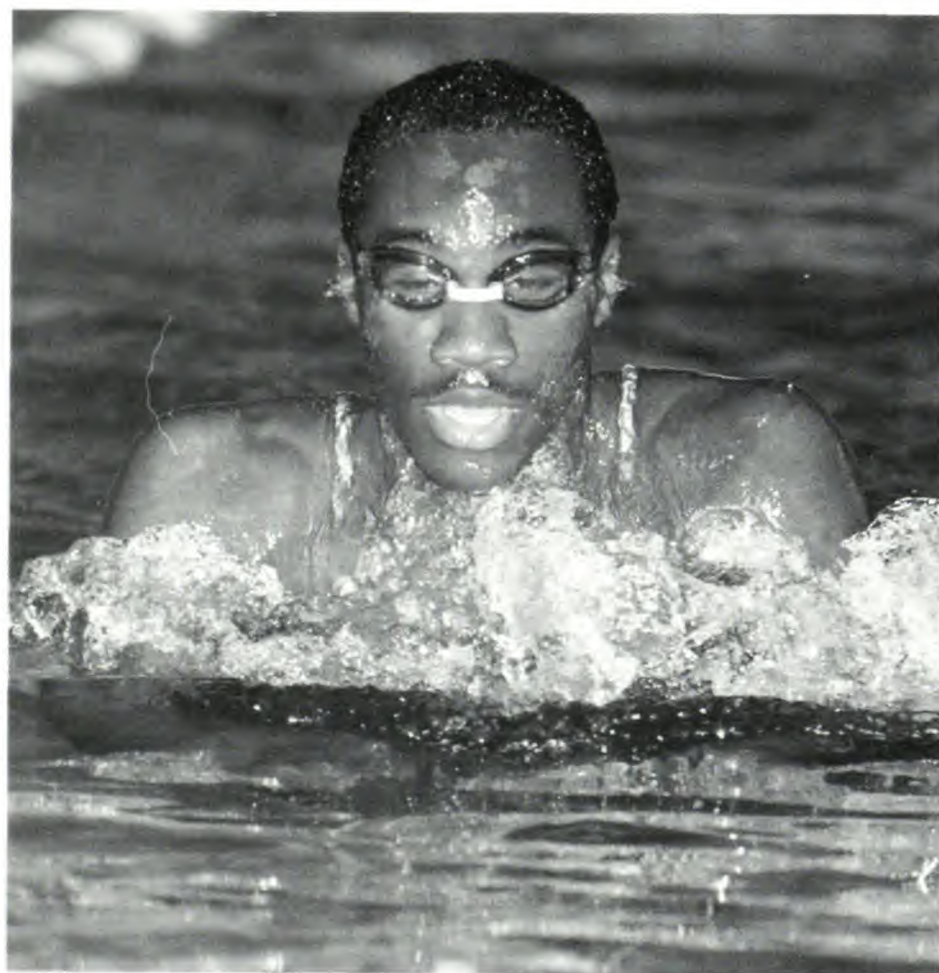


I'll remember the long bus rides and the good times we had on the courts.

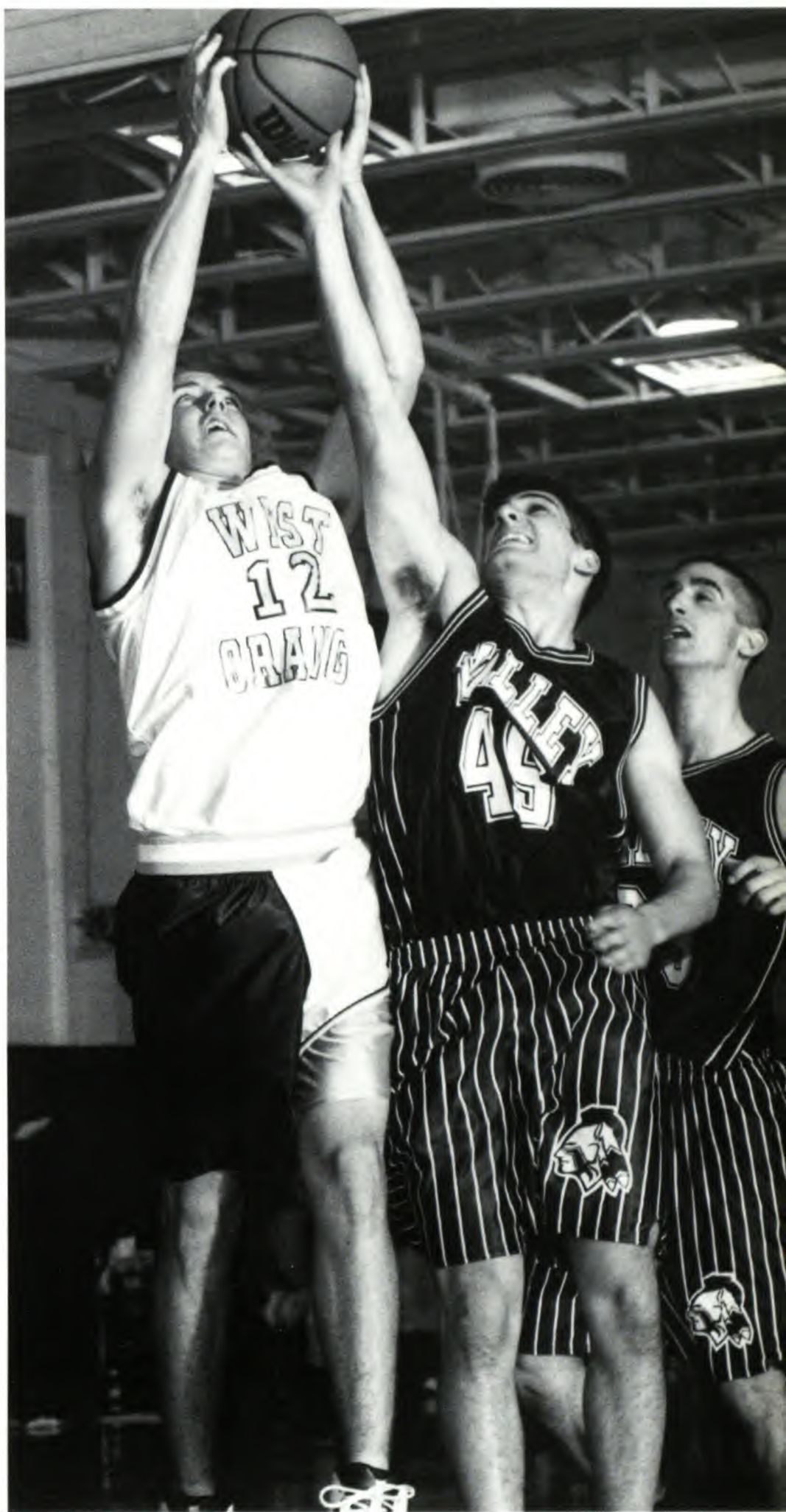
— Nicole Lazar



THE WINTER



LINE



Opener Sets Tone For Girls' Surprising Season

Led by a collection of underclassmen and senior Laura McCrone, this year's varsity girls basketball team enjoyed surprising success. The team was tagged the "Comeback Kids" after overcoming a 19-point half-time deficit in their season opener against West Side. Coach Marge Theobald called the win "a great comeback" and "a great start to a successful season." This win set the tone for the Lady Mountaineers' exceptional campaign. The team finished with a record of 14-10.

With only two seniors on this year's squad, West Orange relied mostly on young talent. This talent came primarily from sophomore guard Meghan Neilan. She averaged 12 ppg and amassed a total of 224 points in her first full

year on the varsity. According to Theobald, "Meghan displayed great poise on the court. She was aggressive and helped our team stay in many games." Other underclassmen who contributed were junior forwards Tatlin Bailey and Alicia Valse. Freshman Nakeia Kent also provided strong post play and some much needed scoring punch.

Although most of the squad consisted of sophomores and juniors, the two

seniors were a big part of the girls' success. Tenisha Fort, who was a four-year member of the team, was a role model for the younger players. Although her playing time was limited due to a mid-season injury, Fort went to all the practices and played hard in the games. "Our desire to win and our hard work encouraged us to win," said Fort. When asked how she kept her spirit up while on the sidelines, Fort replied, "I was always cheering and always teaching. I was like a coach for the younger players."

McCrone, who led the team in scoring, averaged 10 ppg. One of two captains on the squad, McCrone was an honoree from the local area at the National Girls and Women in Sports Day held in January. The honorees for this award were selected from among many girls who were involved in more than one sport. McCrone said about the award, "I felt very honored to receive such an award. It meant that my hard work throughout my four years of high school paid off. It was not only an honor to myself, but also to my teammates."

Despite the Lady Mountaineers' youth, their performance resembled that of an experienced varsity squad.



GIRLS BASKETBALL



EXTRA
POINTS



The never give up attitude players had and support they gave to each other every day was special.

- Coach Theobald



Not even three West Milford defenders can stop freshman Nakeia Kent.

Junior Tatlin Bailey soars over her opponent for another two points.



I tried to motivate and support each member of the team and to be a leader for them.

— Laura McCrone



Everyone played an important role. We were a unique team and that was what made us the best.

— Tenisha Fort

Co-captain Laura McCrone drops a bounce pass into the post.

Hoopsters Hold On After Sizzling Start

After a 9-1 start, the basketball team seemed destined for a remarkable run. Their aspirations turned toward winning the Northern Hills Conference and advancing far into the county and state tournaments. Unfortunately, the second half of the season was dismal and the team finished with a 14-10 record.

After placing 2nd in the annual Holiday Tournament, West Orange began a streak of eight straight wins. Led by senior co-captain John Dillon, West Orange was able to improve its record to 9-1 with an overtime victory against Wayne Valley. "That game was big for us," said Dillon. "We were down for most of the game, but we were able to send it into overtime and pull out with a victory," Dillon noted.

Dillon, who had played three years on the varsity, was in his second campaign as starting point guard. He averaged 13 points per game. Coach Michael Fess, with over 200 victories, said of Dillon, "John was a kid who did so much to help this team. It meant a lot to coach him during his senior year."

Coming off a 13-10 season, the Mountaineers looked to its six seniors for leadership. The biggest surprise

came from forwards Krishna Craig and Dmitry Mandrik. Craig, who came off the bench early in the season, earned a starting spot with his hard work and athletic ability. Mandrik, a three-year varsity starter, led the team in scoring, averaging 14 ppg. He was also a force underneath, contributing six rpg.

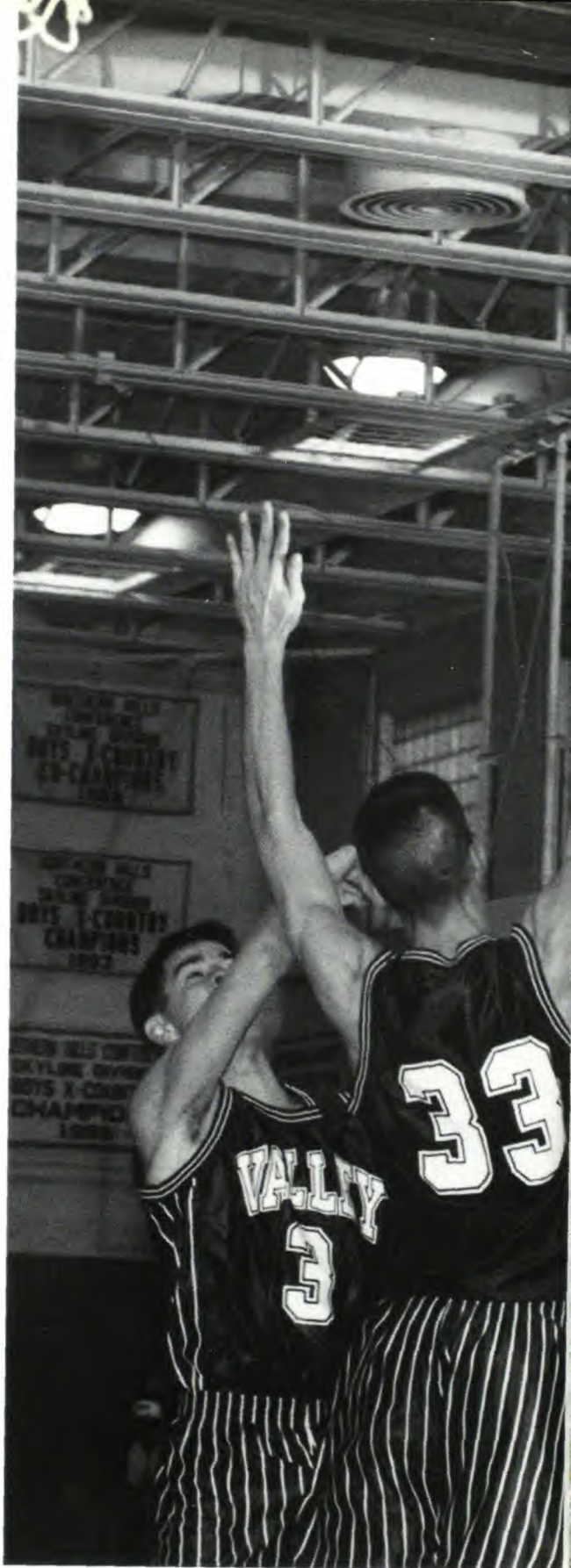
Chris Ameli was a perfect complement to Dillon at the two guard. The 5'11 guard was deadly from long-range throughout the season and his rebounding made a difference in many important games. Two seniors who came off the bench were newcomer Billy Green and veteran Michael Chuvén, each became key contributors in the early season run. Green, who played his first year for West Orange, demonstrated shooting range and athletic ability when he came into the game. Chuvén, a heady player, was a defensive asset off the bench. His hustle was unrivaled. He had an instinct for the ball and added intensity every time he stepped onto the court.

The Mountaineers were led by six hard-nosed seniors who will be remembered by Coach Fess for their hard work and dedication. Despite a tough second half of the season they continued to compete.



BOYS BASKETBALL

Boys Basketball



EXTRA POINTS



The Newark Tech game epitomized what our team was capable of. We displayed courage and desire.
— Coach Fess



Leading scorer Dmitry Mandrik banks one in for another two points.

Point guard John Dillon challenges a Wayne Valley defender.



My role as captain this year was to lead our team and work with the younger players.
— John Dillon



It was a fun learning experience that has created memories that will last a lifetime.
— Michael Chuven

Ready to pick the dribble of an opposing guard is steals leader Chris Ameli.

Swimmers' Maturity Results In Four New School Records

Consistency was a trademark of the swim team this year. Maturing significantly from last year's meets, group races, and times improved. With solid performances from both the boys and girls teams, the squad ended with a respectable 8-4 record.

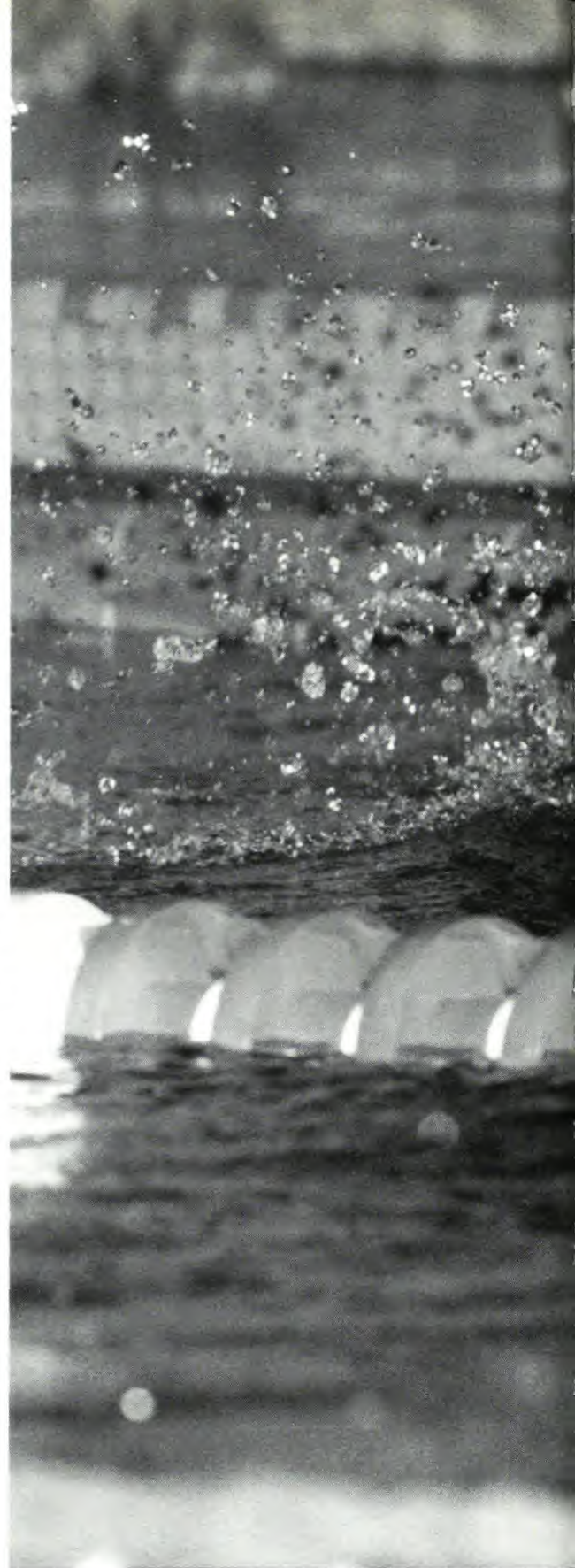
Facing two key meets in the same weekend, the Mountaineers rose to the occasion. The boys' notable performance in the Essex County Swim Championships and the Northern Hills Conference brought the team two 4th place titles. Senior Keshawn Harris had an outstanding season capturing fourth place in the 100 butterfly, third in the 200 IM in the ECC, and third in the 100 fly during the NHC championships. Talented junior, Mark Navata took 3rd in the 100 breast stroke, and 5th in the 500 freestyle of the ECC, as well as 1st in the 100 breast stroke and second in the 50 freestyle. Both swimmers' strong performances led the boys to break four school records. The 200 freestyle relay consisting of seniors Khary Taylor, Harris, Brian Dolce, and Navata clocked in with a time of 1:36:10. Additionally, the 400 free relay team of seniors Harris, Taylor, and juniors Anthony Roselle and Navata post-

ed a time of 3:37:31. The other two records were shattered by Harris, at :58.73 in 100 butterfly, and Navata at 1:53:75 in the 200 freestyle.

Another significant event that set the boys' competitive tone was beating the veteran Columbia team for the 2nd year in a row.

The girls team, led mostly by underclassmen, competed aggressively and managed to earn an 8th place position in the ECC Swim Meet. Seniors Erica Wovsaniker, Kerry Ryan, and co-captain Brigit Everswick were able to deliver the leadership the girls needed. Wovsaniker stated, "Swimming is a big part of my life. A lot of us shared something in common, and it was an amazing experience. The team grew a lot despite the loss of swimmers to graduation and having to adjust to new coaches. Once that bond had been established, the team as a whole moved up and changed for the better."

Although both teams had fairly successful records, the individual development of all the swimmers was deemed more important. Coach Dalzell concluded, "Overall, I was very pleased with the team effort and performance. As they matured, they became more consistent."



EXTRA
POINTS



Everyone on our squad had to be pleased with our performance this year.

— Coach Dalzell

SWIMMING



On the way to his record time of 25:34 in the 50 Free is Co-captain Brian Dolce.

Competing in the hardest stroke to master, the breast stroke, is four-year swimmer, Nancy Boccanfuso.

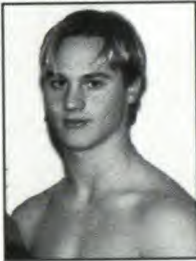


Keshawn Harris completes the breast stroke leg of the 200 IM.



It became rewarding to push the younger members of the team and see them improve.

— Bridgit Everswick



As a four-year starter, I've learned many things about swimming. I passed this on to new swimmers.

— Brian Dolce

Rookie Coach Pleased With Wrestlers' Performance

Sometimes in sports change is not always for the better. So when it was announced that there would be a new face on the sidelines at WOHS wrestling matches, fans were a little skeptical. However, in his first season as the varsity wrestling coach, Coach Keith Appello ensured that the strong Mountaineer wrestling tradition would continue.

Although the Mountaineers completed the season with only five wins and 10 losses, it was evident that the primary goal was to be competitive. Appello remarked, "I don't think you can fulfill all of the expectations in one season. However, I feel the team improved 100% from November 28 to February 26. I was pleased with the performance throughout the season."

Chris Rawley, along with juniors Chris Carsillo and John Leone were counted on to lead the team. Rawley, a four-year member of the team, finished with a record of 21-7, while Carsillo and Leone both enjoyed fine seasons. Each made it to the finals in their weight class in the District Tournament at West Essex, where West Orange placed fifth out of ten teams. They also moved on to the Regionals. Leone advanced as far as the quarterfinals, held

at Passaic Valley High School, while Rawley and Carsillo made it into the Super Regions, held at Union High School.

A highlight for West Orange came against a strong Delbarton team. Coming down to the final match, the Mountaineers were trailing. Jason Fregans, a junior, came through, pushing West Orange "over the top" to take the hotly contested match 37-34.



Senior John Darnsteadt and sophomore Bobby Krimmel picked up victories at the "Mayor's Trophy Match" in late February. Though West Orange lost to Seton Hall 40-31, the Mountaineers continued to hold the edge over their cross-town rivals, leading the series 3-2. Darnsteadt observed, "I felt that we all wrestled as a team at the event. It was definitely one of the best matches we had

all year."

The team finished second in the district for the second time, while they also placed second in the Regions. Chris Rawley commented on his performance, "Making it to the Super Regions made my work worthwhile." In regard to his coach, Rawley stated, "Wrestling for Coach Appello meant that I would have to give 110% of my effort every day." His effort, and that of others, quieted the skeptics.



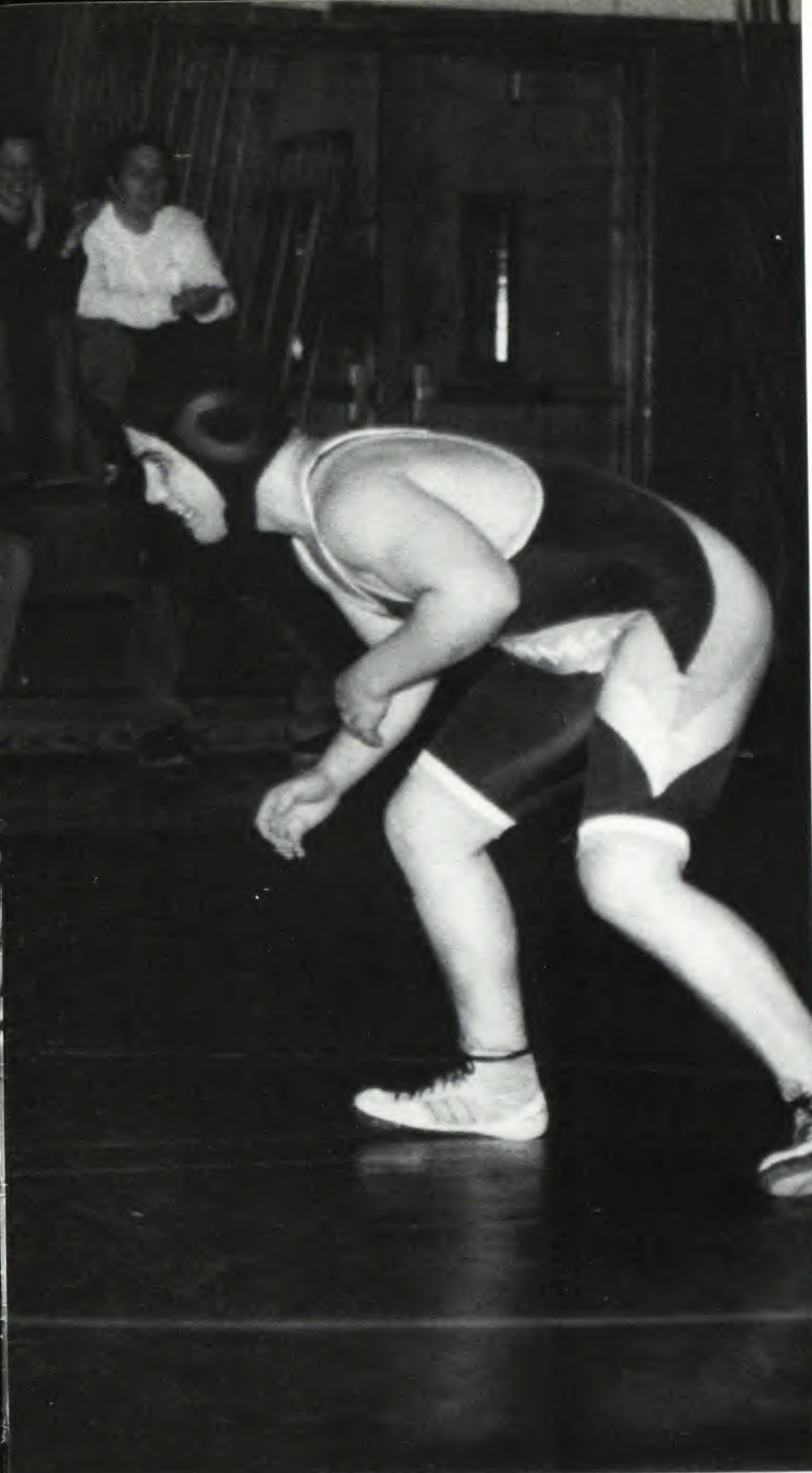
WRESTLING

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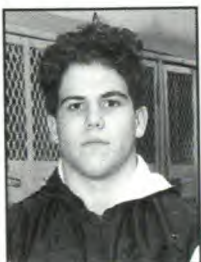
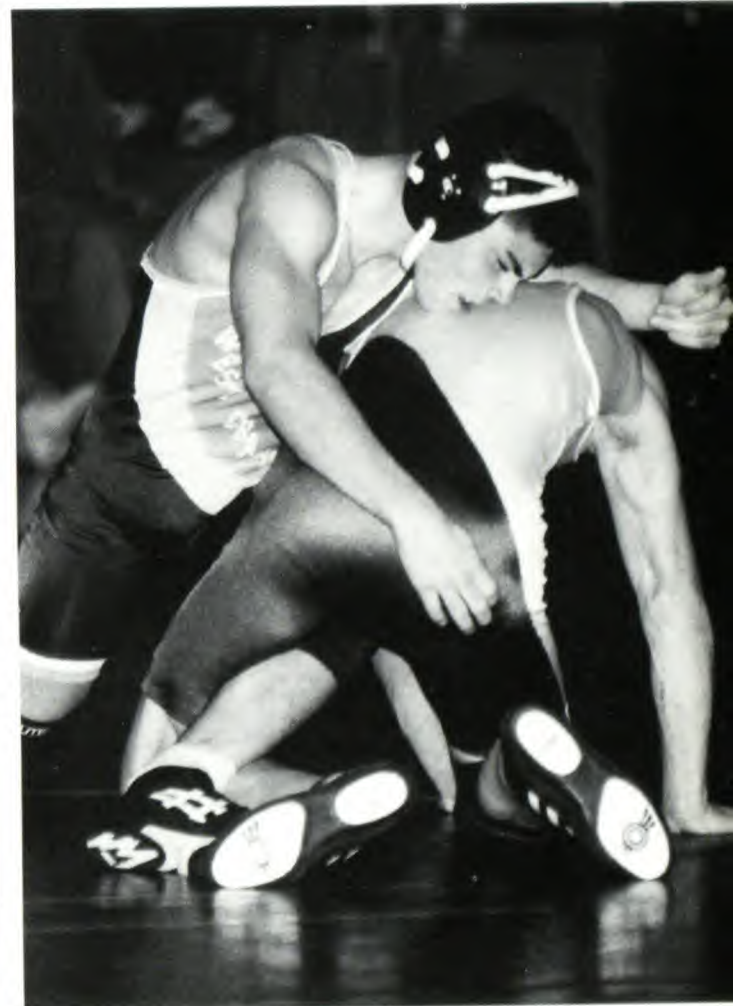
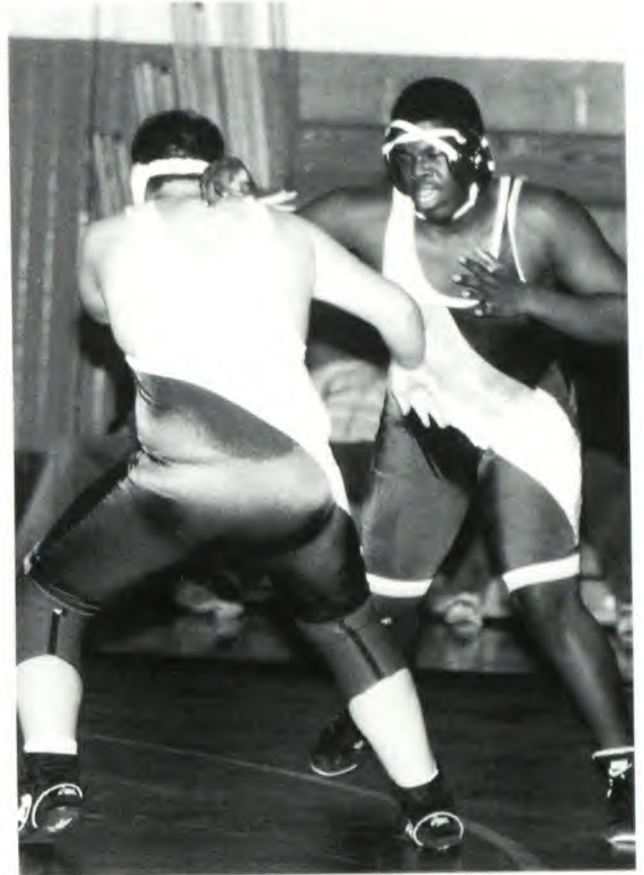
Although coaching for the first time was a huge challenge, it was very rewarding in many ways.

— Coach Appello



Chris Rawley sizes up his opponent for a takedown. Rawley advanced to the Super Regionals at 171 lbs.

Heavyweight Kevin Mitchell tries to gain leverage from a standing position.



My role as captain was to help the younger wrestlers learn what being a wrestler really means.

— Chris Rawley



The team and I got to experience a season with many ups and downs, while sticking together.

— John Darnsteadt

Completing a reversal at 152 lbs. is John Darnsteadt.

Younger Bowlers Continue Tradition of Excellence

For years the bowling team had been known for total dominance in the Northern Hills Conference. Much of the team's success had been credited to a lethal combination of talent and experience. However, the '99 squad went into the season after losing several key bowlers to graduation, returning only two veteran team members.

Though the season appeared to be a rebuilding one early on for the Mountaineers, Coach Kevin Alvine looked to capture the county tournament once again with a very "business-like and consistent" squad. He noted, "We worked real hard and were competitive in all of our matches. All of the kids who participated on this team were great to be around. I had a blast with these fine, young student-athletes."

Veteran participants Joe Postiglione and Frank Rubinetti, along with first-year member Tim Duva were called upon for their leadership. Postiglione commented, "I'm really going to miss this year's team. I have complete and total confidence in Eric Cinque, Mike Minetti, Justin Cabiltis, and Anthony Tafio." Each helped the team to finish

the season with a record of 13 wins and only seven losses.

For Duva, it was the team's desire to win that will forever be remembered. "This year's team gave one hundred percent effort every day. It was inspiring to see every member trying so hard. This has been an experience that I will never forget."

Rubinetti, who has been a member of the team for three years, set the school record after he rolled a 289 against Clifford Scott. Regarding his performance, Rubinetti said, "It was a great feeling. It was something wonderful to accomplish as a junior."

The Mountaineers finished seventh at the county tournament and third in the conference after beating undefeated Madison High School. Alvine reflected, "At the time, Madison was the first place team in our conference. It was a huge win for us because it sparked our guys to compete even harder for the rest of the season."

Although the first place reign of the bowling team ended this year, they continued to be one of the top three teams. Their new ranking did not discourage them. As a matter of fact, they became even more competitive.



BOWLING



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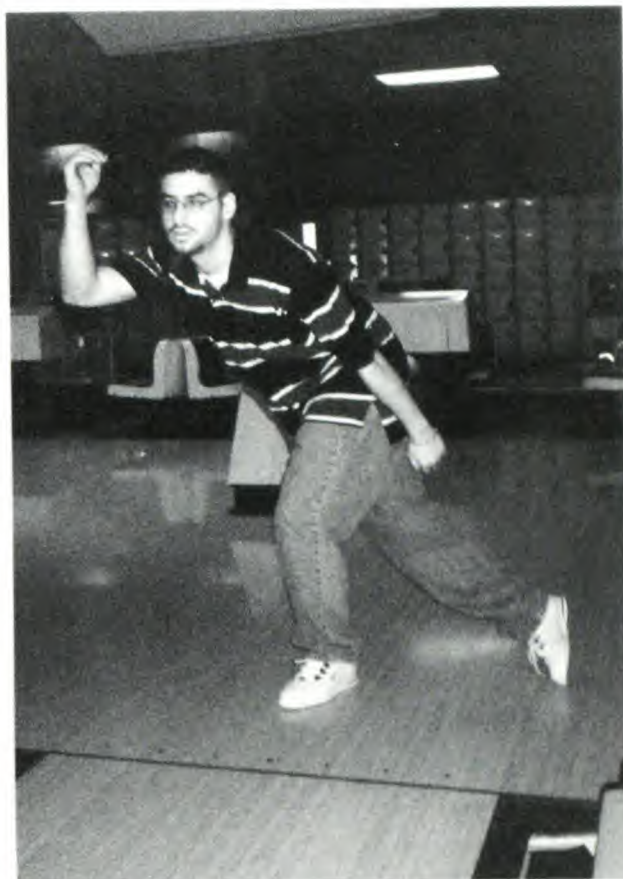
The team responded well in the conference after losing many bowlers to graduation.

— Coach Alvine



Captain Joe Postiglione converts another spare. His four-year record was 139-14.

David Broderick demonstrates perfect balance after his release.



This year's bowling season was very enjoyable. The underclassmen were very promising.

— Joe Postiglione



A mix of poised veterans and talented newcomers was essential to the bowling team's success.

— Tim Duva

Perfecting his follow-through is Tim Duva. His high game was 257.

Youthful Runners Seek Times and Attention

Not as widely recognized as cross-country and spring track, the indoor track team was often overshadowed by its sister sports. Although most runners participated to get into shape for the spring season, Coach Catherine Dean hoped to make the sport widely respected, as well as more publicized.

Since all 16 races were Invitationals, there was no overall team record. The meets were based solely on individual competition. The young '98-'99 team was led by a talented group of juniors, who helped garner the team over 14 medals.

Of the 16 races, the Northern Hills Conference Championship was the squad's most successful performance. Junior Frank Mbanusi placed 2nd in the 55H, and 5th in the 400m. Junior Jackie Fulvio placed 4th in the 2 mile, and sophomore standout, Randi Wimberly placed 3rd in the shot put. Notable wins in the Fairleigh Dickinson University Classic and Deschraver Invitational were achieved by junior Andre King, whom Coach Dean described as a "key runner." Dean continued, "Andre is a very strong runner and leader; he pulled through in many of the vital rac-

es and brought home medals for West Orange."

Despite the youth of the team, there were five outstanding performers who were able to anchor this year's squad. The five captains were: senior Shephaly Pandey, and juniors, Bobby Taylor, Brian Kantor, King, and Fulvio. Facing veteran teams like Columbia, Montville, and Seton Hall Prep, the team remained very competitive despite its inexperience. Pandey observed, "Even though there were a lot of young members, it demanded that the uperclassmen become role models. I found myself guiding the younger runners and pushing them to do their best."

Coach Dean concluded, "Even though the girls had a building season, the boys had a lot of depth; I was pleased with the improvements on times and the amount of personal responsibility and dedication from each of the runners."

Winning wasn't the main focus of the Indoor Track team; personal improvement and growth were of more concern. The development of this year's team hopefully paved the road for a mature, competitive team the following year.



INDOOR TRACK



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POINTS



The girls team had a building year, while the boys team grew faster for the spring season.

— Coach Dean



Pacing himself is Jouko Juntunen, who participated in the 1600 and 3200 meter runs.

Jackie Fulvio closes in during a medal-winning race.



In my first season, I was fortunate to place first for West Orange in every meet.

— Jouko Juntunen



With a lot of hard work and dedication, our team proved to be very successful this season.

— Shephaly Pandey

Shephaly Pandey (center) inches forward at the start of a race.

Team Chemistry Produces Major Turnaround for Skaters

Discipline, determination, and hard work were three major factors that helped turn around the '98-'99 hockey team after a subpar '97-'98 season. Head Coach Steve Ruggiero and Assistant Coach Jeff Robbins were determined to make '99 a great hockey season. Even after a 2-3 start, the team pulled together in the new year, going 8-1-4 in the regular season to catapult them into the state playoffs.

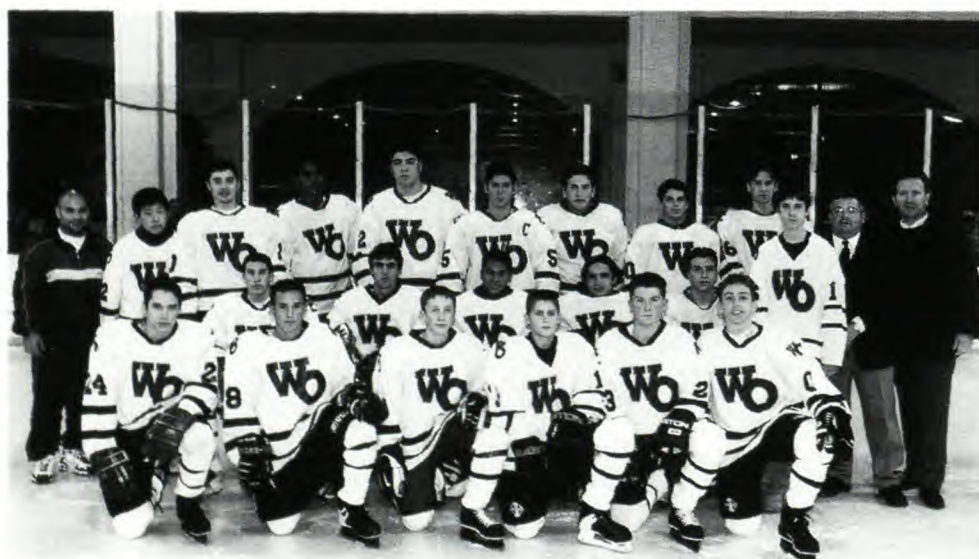
Leading the team were co-captains Jesse Ryan, who predicted a triumphant season from the beginning, and junior Vinny Martinelli. Ryan kept the team focused throughout the season. He made sure everyone worked hard all the time and never let down their intensity. Both captains' efforts played a major role in the team's defense.

Sharing the captains' attitude were assistant captains, Ryan Peters and Dave Delinko. On defense, Peters worked hard to prevent opposing goals with his skating talent and his loud voice. At forward, Delinko was a leader for the younger players. Also, Adam Kupperman gave 100% in every game and every practice. His drive and heart set an example for all the other skaters. Another key skater was junior Danny Simon,

who had 53 points on the season to put him on the state's top scorer's list. Junior Brett Niederman also played an important role in executing the team's game plan with his scoring and assists.

A key point in the season occurred in a late January game against Paramus. West Orange took an early 1-0 lead. Paramus tied the score later in the first period. In the second period, West Orange took a 2-1 lead on a goal by Simon. Paramus capitalized on a West Orange mistake and scored one quick goal to end the game in a 2-2 tie. This was the first time an otherwise undefeated Paramus was tied. "Even though Paramus was a good team, we stepped up our play and were able to tie the first place team," said Delinko. "This tie built our team's confidence and led us to a successful season."

The season ended extremely well. The team placed fourth in the conference and made it to the semifinals, where they lost to a tough Paramus team, which was seeded first in the conference. The team also qualified for the state playoffs, where they were defeated in the first round by Roxbury, the 11th ranked team in the state. Being in post season playoffs reflected a turnaround.



EXTRA
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This year's team performed beyond expectations. We were also able to qualify for the states.

— Coach Ruggiero

ICE HOCKEY



Co-captain Jesse Ryan flies past a defender. Ryan excelled on offense from his defensive position.

Clearing the puck is assistant-captain Ryan Peters.



As captain, I led the team in games and served as a role model to the younger skaters.

— Jesse Ryan



The highlight of the season was when the team came together to tie Paramus.

— David Delinko

Leading scorer Danny Simon pursues the puck.

Cheerleaders Maintain Spirit Throughout Eight Month Season

"Before the performance comes the practice." The 1998-'99 varsity cheerleaders proved that indeed practice and hard work can lead to success. The season began in July at UCA Summer Camp, held at Rutgers University. Through the sweltering heat, the girls were intent upon doing their best, and came home with a 2nd place trophy in the cheer division and the title of Camp Champions in the sideline division.

Under the leadership of Coach Deborah Pratkanis and tri-captains Marlayna Falvo, Stephanie Kim, and Gwendolyn Salazar, the cheerleaders had a memorable year. Practices began at the end of August. September brought the Fall Pep Rally, and football games and soccer games. Whether decorating locker rooms, baking for the teams, cheering at games, or preparing for their own competitions, the cheerleaders were always hard at work.

On November 20th the girls competed in the annual West Milford Competition. After a spectacular performance, the squad finished second, one point short of 1st place. "It was great that so many West Orange fans came out to support us," noted Kristen Kupchik.

"This really helped to motivate us." One week later, the cheerleaders again demonstrated their talent when they were awarded with a second degree of excellence at the Montville Competition.

As December rolled around, the cheerleaders had to switch gears for the basketball and wrestling seasons. The dedicated squad cheered at as many as four or five games a week.

In early February, the cheerleaders entered the Paramus Catholic Competition where they achieved 2nd and 3rd place finishes. To close out their season, the girls participated in the St. Patrick's Day Parade along Main Street.

Coach Pratkanis reflected, "This year's seniors were a very special group of young ladies, who were outstanding leaders to our entire cheerleading program."

From tryouts in May until the parade in March, the cheerleaders continuously demonstrated tremendous enthusiasm, remarkable dedication, and unending spirit.

According to tri-captain Salazar, "This was the year that the girls were able to establish a strong friendship bond, which was the key to the success of the team."



EXTRA
POINTS



We had a very special group of girls who were extremely talented, dedicated, and a joy to coach.

— Coach Pratkanis

CHEERLEADING



Kristen Kupchik is all smiles after completing phase one of the dance.

Marlayna Falvo and Dana De Congelio lead the seniors at the Fall Pep Rally.



Over the past two years, I've gained great memories both cheering and competing.

— Stephanie Barbaro



We performed exceptionally well because we worked very hard and well together.

— Donna Hunt

Tri-captain Stephanie Kim (center) leads the squad in the "W-I-N" cheer.



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Urbanski Secure With Seven Senior Starters



First baseman Rich Shannon.



BASEBALL

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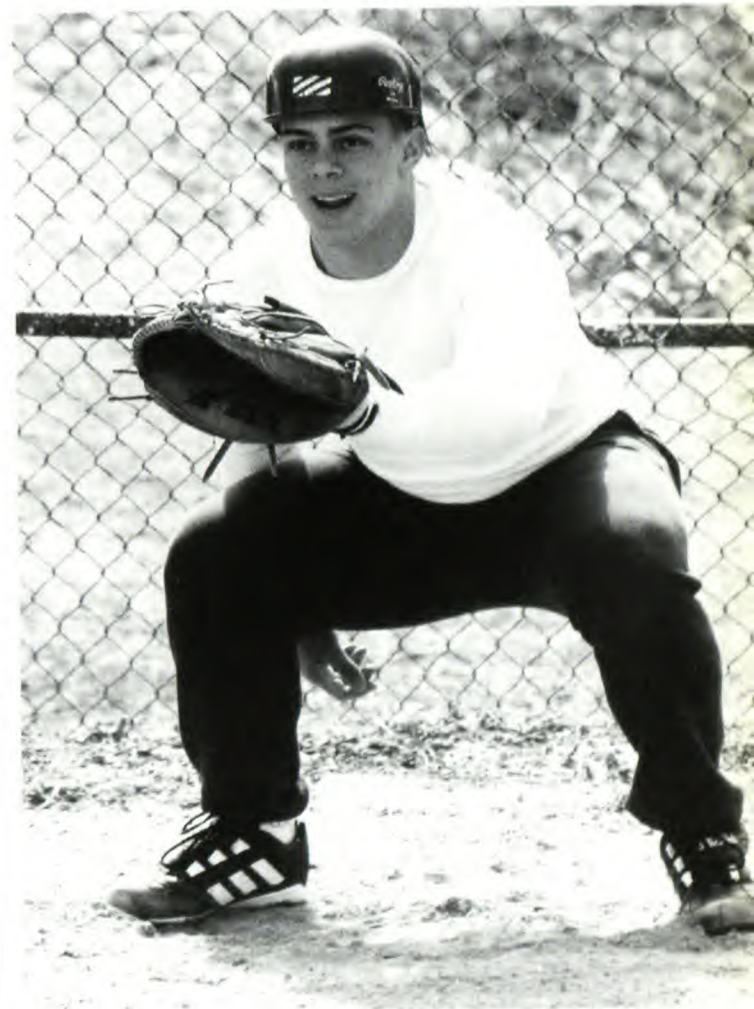
We were successful because each player gave 110% effort. We all played as a team.

— Coach Urbanski



Coach Urbanski shows Joe Mindo the 'sweet spot' on his bat.

Veteran second baseman Mike Chuven backhands a ground ball.



Catcher Scott McClain awaits a fastball.



I brought a lot of leadership and character to this year's baseball club.

— M. Fitzpatrick



As a four-year member of the team, it was my job to be a leader. I gave 110% effort each day.

— Joe Mindo

Theobald Counts on Core of Senior Veterans



Third baseman Dyan Ferraris.



SOFTBALL

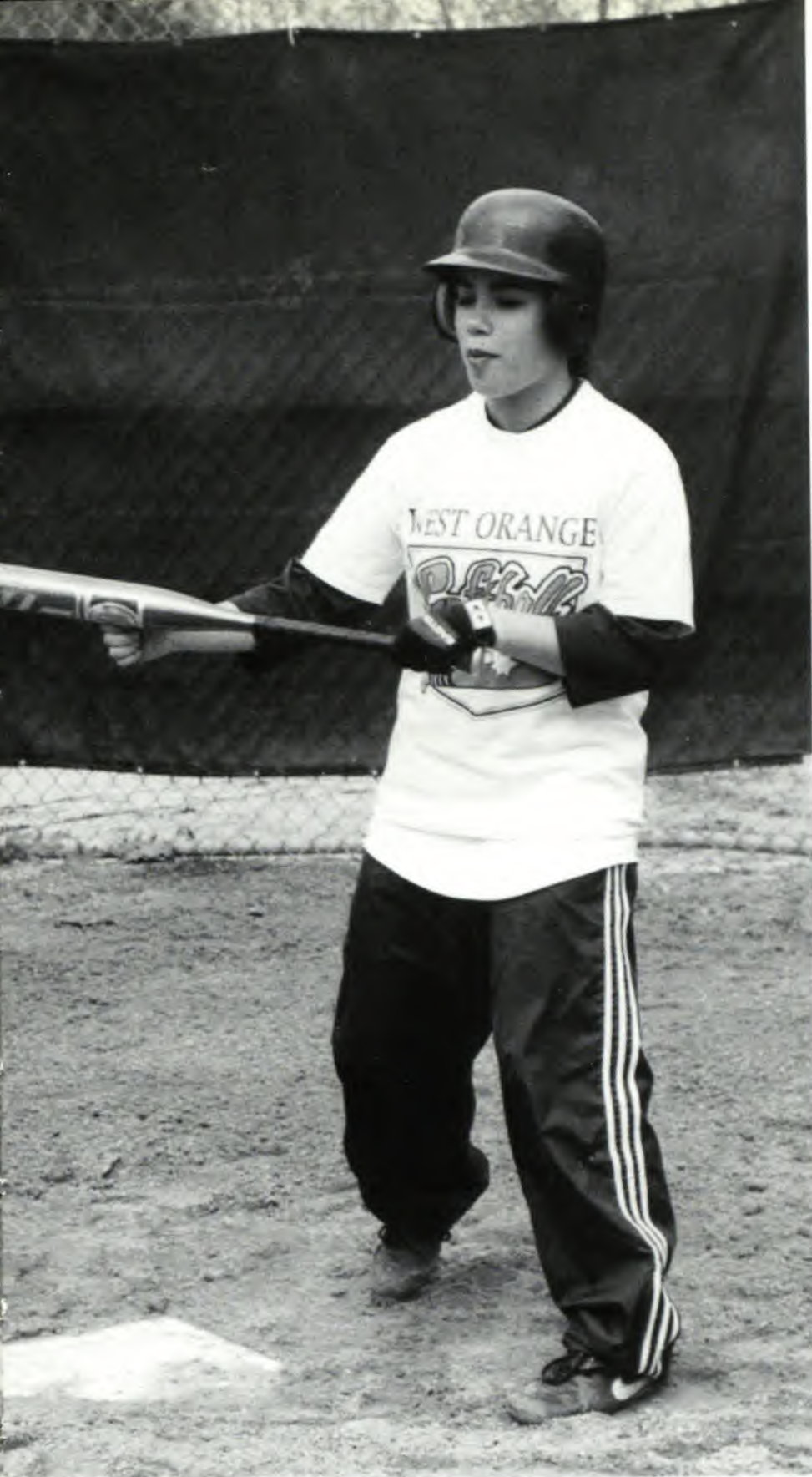


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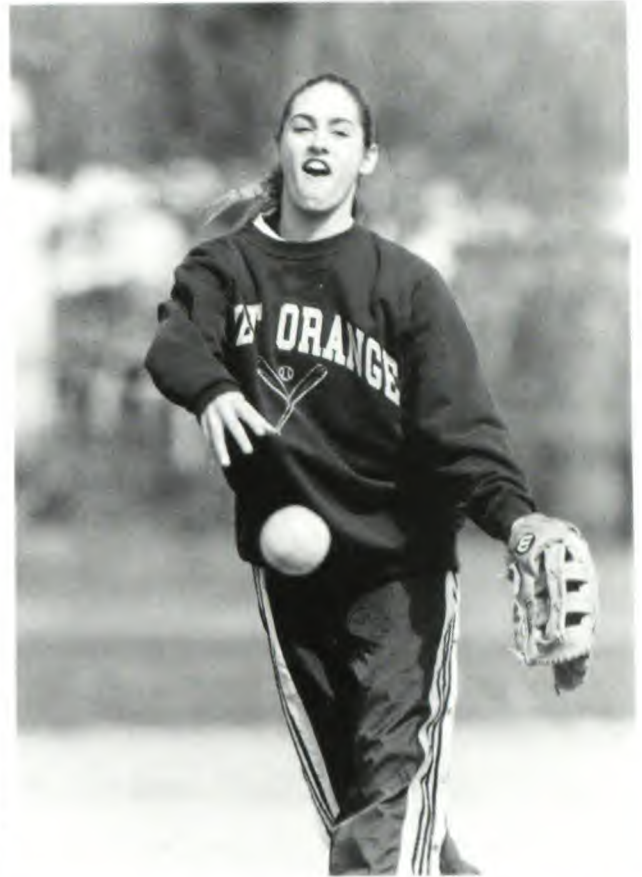
With a veteran team returning from last year, success was expected.

— Coach Theobald



Coach Theobald instructs Lauren Turbowitz in proper bunting technique.

Ace hurler Michelle Paglucci releases another of her wicked fastballs.



Laura McCrone prepares to scoop a ground ball.



My four year experience with the team has brought skill, discipline, and great friends
— D. Ferraris

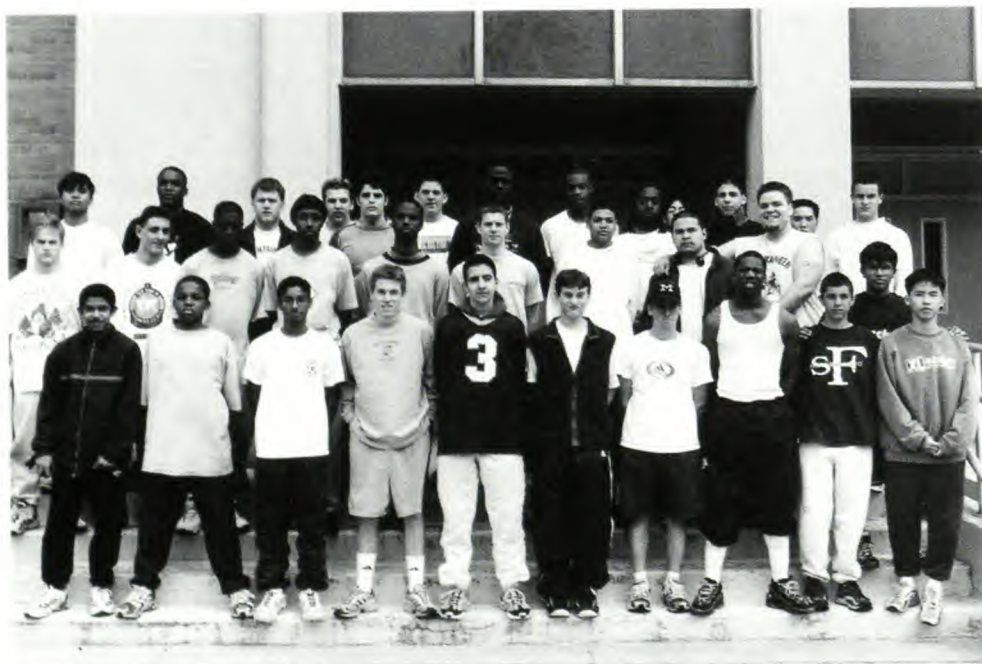


I had a rewarding experience playing for four years on the varsity softball level.
— M. Paglucci

Suriano Fortified by Strength in Field Events



Javelin veteran Jon Michael



SPRING TRACK



EXTRA POINTS



The new participants and strong leaders worked together to make it all worthwhile.

— Coach Suriano



Coach Minni shows Paul Zaragoza the correct pole angle.

Sprinter and hurdler Carol Guthrie works on her start.



Junior Frank Mbanusi clears a hurdle.



Having fun and doing my best has allowed me to serve as an example to the younger athletes.

— P. Zaragoza



Throughout my 4 years, I enjoyed working with coach Suriano, the old, and new members of the team.

— S. Pandey

Erdos Expects Excellence Despite Inexperienced Team

Jon Bodner at the net.



BOYS TENNIS

EXTRA POINTS



Helping the players improve their skills and making the team competitive was my goal.

— Coach Erdos



Co-captain Brad Gimbel is perfectly balanced for a backhand.

Dan Heller levels off after a crushing overhand return.



I hoped to have brought leadership, a sense of teamwork, and experience to the team.
— G. Naim



The workload for the season is tremendous; we practiced six days a week for two hours a day.
— Dan Heller

Working on his forehand is four-year standout Giacomo Naim.

D'Aries and Galante Take New Faces on Tour



Future PGA pro Rob Merin.



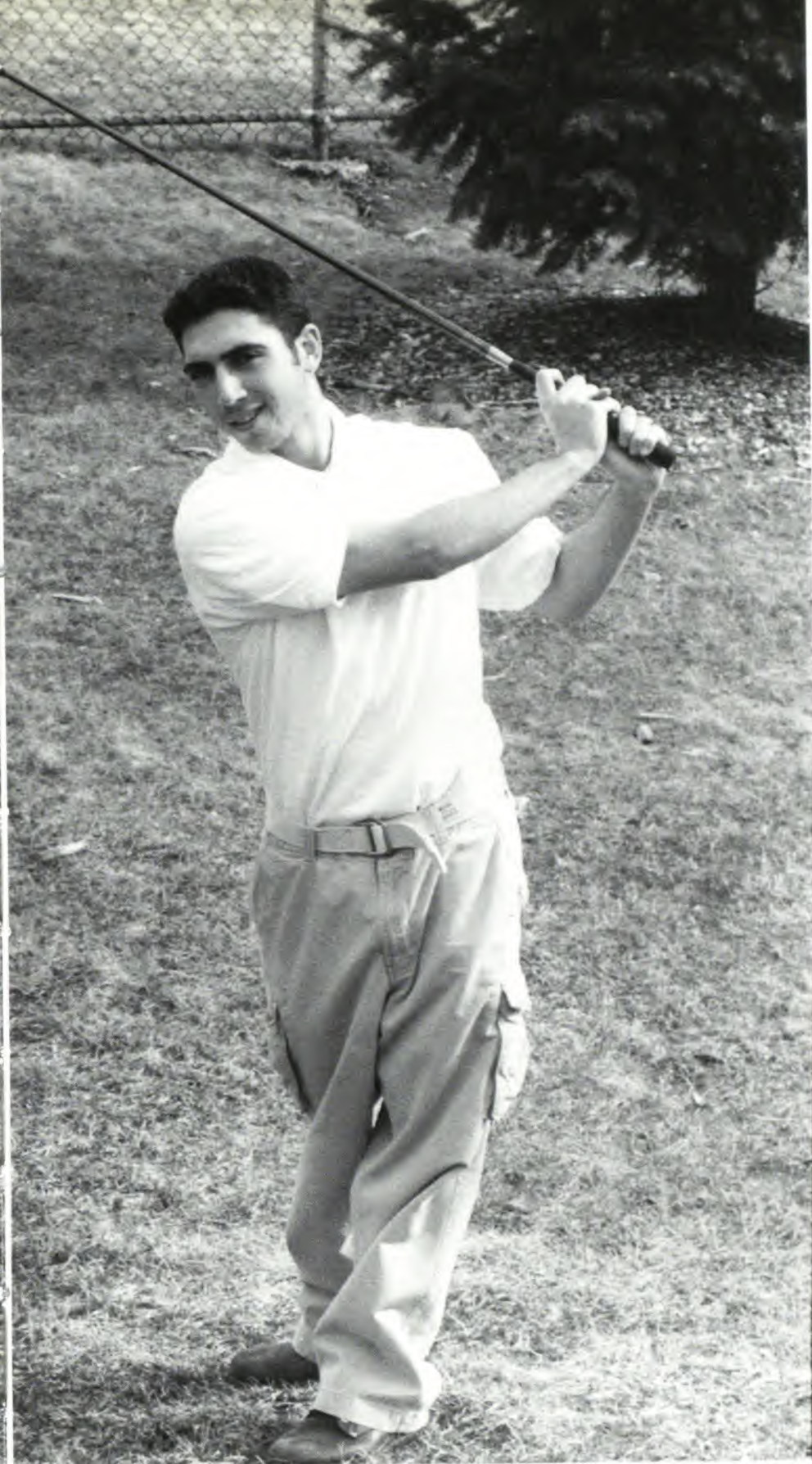
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I promoted a better understanding of golf fundamentals and etiquette. The season was fun.

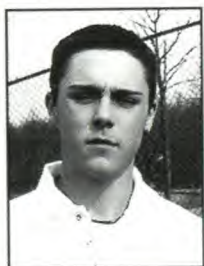
— Coach D'Aries

GOLF



First year coach Mr. Galante studies the follow through of Dave Rubin.

Brett Stansfield works on his seven iron from the rough.



Golf allowed me to improve my skills as well as help younger players improve.
— Brad Wall



I brought 4 years of varsity match experience and leadership to this year's team.
— David Rubin

Three-year performer Brad Wall works on his drive.

Faculty

WEST OR
HIGH



RANGE SCHOOL



In the 21st Century I See . . .

“High school graduation requirements reflecting the new technologies, the development of a national curriculum, and schools required to provide increased services to meet the social and health needs of students. However, one thing I believe will remain the same is the need for dedicated teachers.”

Mr. LaSapio
Assistant Principal

“Technology as a modern and emerging “life skill” of the new millenium. If our nation’s way of life and our competitive edge is to be maintained in a global marketplace we must all learn to use, or better still, master technology.”

Mr. Kehayes
Director of Voc. & Tech. Ed.

“The world of language arts with a positive view. It will encompass valid standards and proficiencies. Students will know and use technology to create and develop marvelous samples in writing, reading, speaking, and viewing.”

Mr. Romeo
English Dept. Supervisor



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Superintendent



Mr. LaSapio, Patricia Lebrun, and Emeka Emenuga



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Dean of Students



PATRICK GALANTE
Dean of Students



JOSEPH CARROLL
ISS Coordinator

Earlier This Century . . .



Even at the age of nine Dr. Finnegan sported the military style.



The 'mod' look of Mr. LaSapio featured the once popular turtleneck.



Now that's the ideal prom date! Mr. Carroll as a high school senior.



Mr. Miller and Doreen Parekh



GUIDANCE



THOMAS SHEA
Supervisor



SANDRA ANTONACCI



ESTHER BEARG, Ed.D.



RICHARD D'ARIES



KATHLEEN FLYNN



Beth Sparks and Ms. Antonacci



Danny Heller and Mrs. Martin

Earlier This Century . . .



Judy Garland in "The Wizard of Oz?"
No, it's Dr. Bearg in 1942.



Jane Fonda? No, it's Jane Flynn's
daughter Kathy in 1967.



ELIZABETH GARRETT



REBECCA MARTIN



CHRISTINE NESBITT



Wolfman Jack? No, it's the cuddly Mr.
D'Aries in 1980.



MICHAEL ROMEO
Supervisor



MELISSA BLEVINS



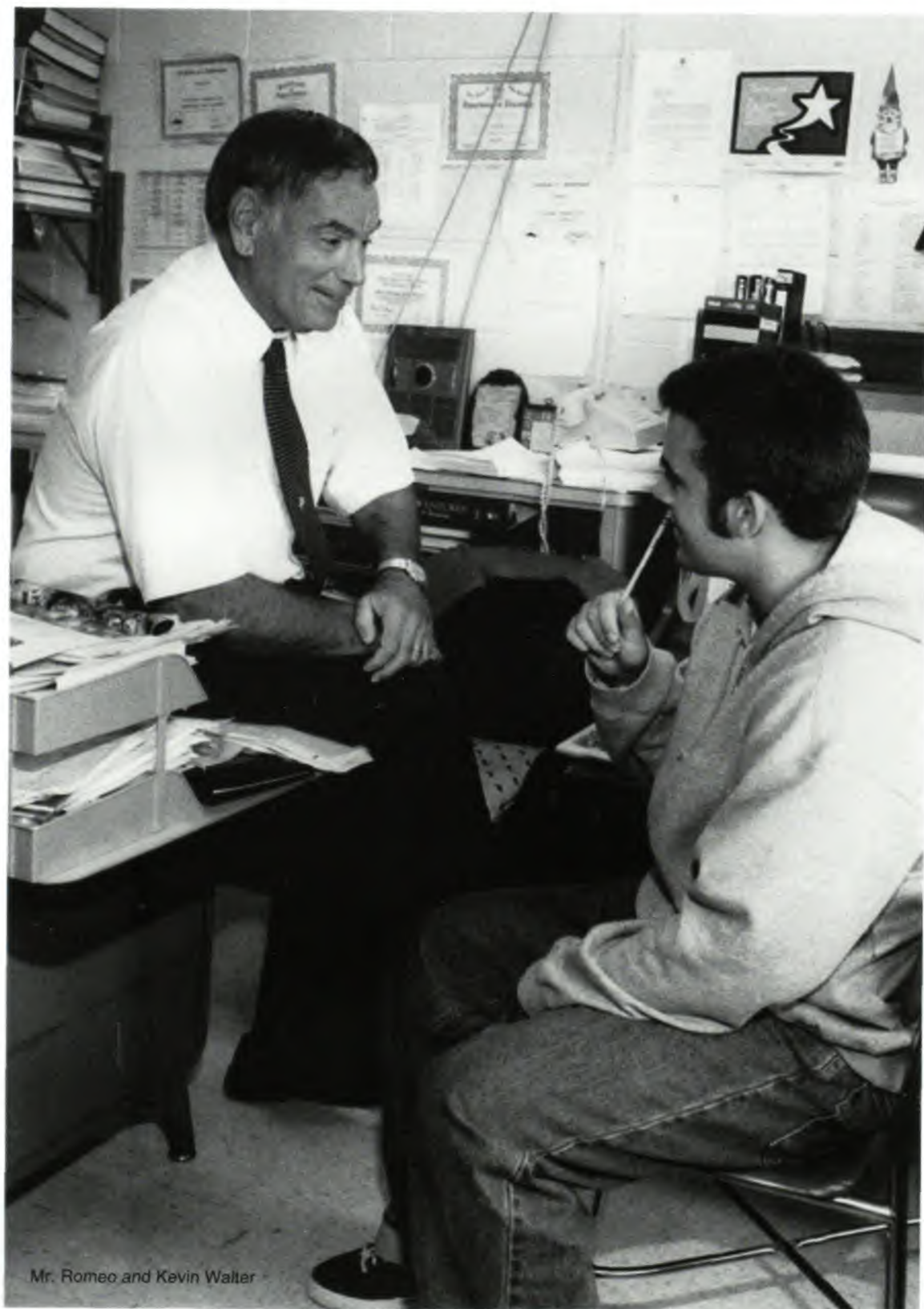
DARRELL CICHETTI



WILLIAM EHRLICH



CARNELINA MCCARTHY



Mr. Romeo and Kevin Walter



JOHN MCCARTHY



MARY ANN MCGONIGLE



MICHAEL PIZZI

Earlier This Century . . .



ARLENE POMAR



LEE ROBINSON



STEVEN ROSSNER



"I didn't inhale!" Our own favorite Bill: Mr. Ehrlich in college.



PATRICIA SEBOLD



ADAM SILVERSTEIN



PETER SMERALDO



"Yes, I was a model for *Vogue*." Mrs. McCarthy during her early career.



JOSEPH SURIANO



ROBERT VALGENTI



RITA WOJCHIK



"No, I wasn't in 'Saturday Night Fever.'" Nice disco shirt, Mr. McCarthy!



MATHEMATICS



DAVID GLATZER
Supervisor



JUDITH BOYD



VICTORIA CONLIN



JESSICA CURLING



KAREN DAVIS



CAROLYN D'SYLVA



EUGENE EMERING



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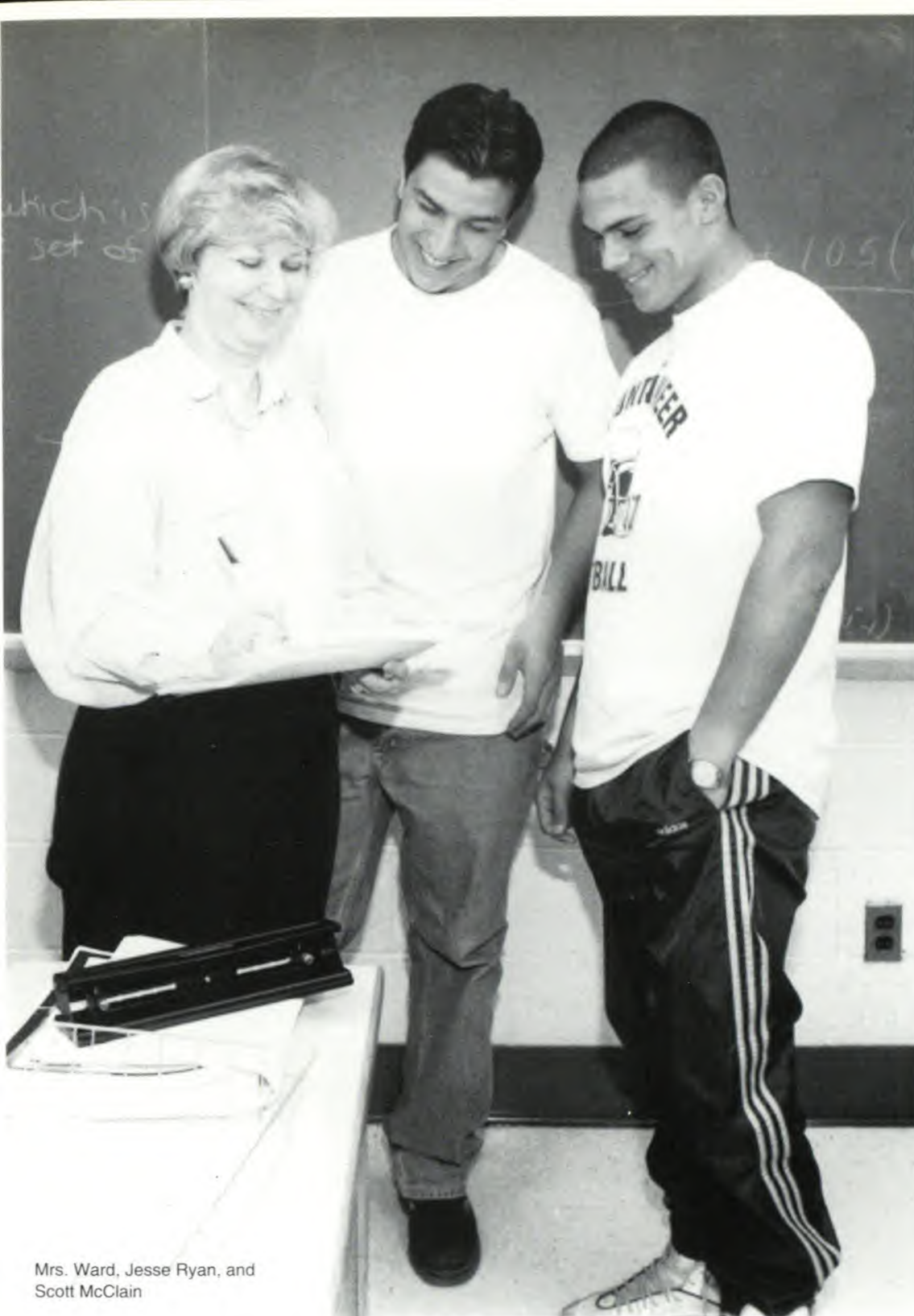
HELEN THERIANOS



CATHERINE WARD



SUSAN WHITTY



Mrs. Ward, Jesse Ryan, and
Scott McClain

Earlier This Century . . .



Now that's what a college prof looks like Mr.
Glatzer. You know this is only high school!



A debutante ready for the ball? No, Ms.
Jackson at her 1992 prom.



PATRICIA WOZNICK



THERESA YOSELEVICH



HELEN YUSWACK



From feathered hair to off the shoulder
dresses, Mrs. Yuswack was fashionably
correct in the 80s.



SOCIAL STUDIES



DAVID SCHWARTZ
Supervisor



Gwen Salazar & Mr. Feeley



ARA BERBERIAN



MARIA DAMIANO



DEBORAH DODDS



ELISSA ELLIOTT



CHRISTOPHER EVANS



JULIANA FARRELL



CHRISTOPHER FEELEY

Tarelle Moore & Mrs. Dodds



Earlier This Century . . .



Long hair was the standard for Mr. Schwartz and all the 60s guys.



KATHLEEN GROTTA



TAMARA LEWIS



ELIZABETH MANNING



The shoulder length 'sassy' hairstyle was a must for Ms. Dodds and 70s girls.



KAREN PERRY



ALAN REEDER



DAVID SEHR



"Bella Donna" is the only way to describe the well-coiffed Ms. Grotto in '61.



SCIENCE



DEBORAH KRAUSE
Supervisor



JOSEPH BONAVIDA



THADDEUS CASSERLY



ROBERT CHANDA



MARIANNE DIGLIO



Mr. Chanda and Khary Taylor



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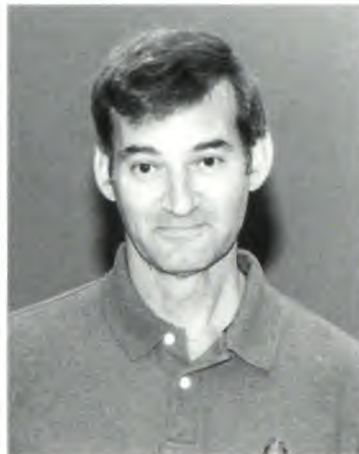
Earlier This Century . . .



ROBERT MIDDLETON



FRANK NEWMAN



ALBERT PAGANELLI



Wearing the long collar outside of the sweater was Mr. Bonavita's *GQ* idea.



PAUL PARASUGO



PATRICIA POORE



CHRISTOPHER ROEMMELE



Showing his secret desire to be one of the Beach Boys is Mr. Chanda.



MONICA SHAH



CHRISTINA SMITH



PAUL TAVARONE



The paisley shirt and bow tie look of Doc Lawrence wasn't around very long.

WORLD LANGUAGES & ESL




LINDA KOURIL
Supervisor



RUTH BOLGER



OLYMPIA CICCHINO



HELEN FEINTUCH



JOYCE KALEMBA

Mrs. Massari and Mike Giammarino



KRISTINE MASSARI



CARLOS MATOS



ELSIE MERA



LOUISE MILLER



Earlier This Century . . .



Mrs. Montgomery has the classic look of the teacher during the 70's.



MARIA MONTGOMERY



INEZ SCHWARTZ



BEVERLEY TIMINS



Mrs. Ozarow's shoulder length hair was quite the rage in the 60's.



MICHELE DANIELS
Supervisor E.S.L.



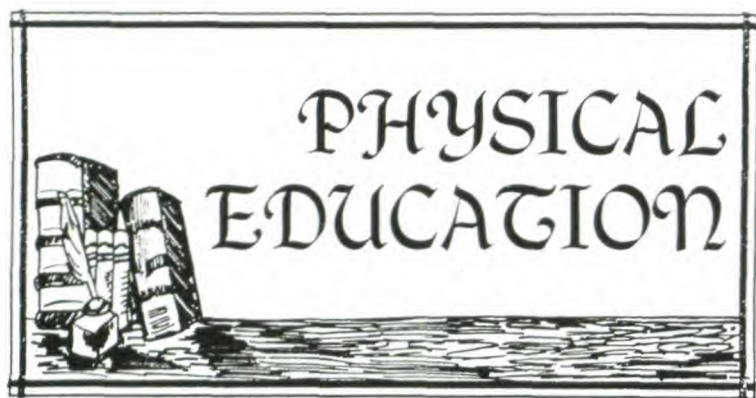
LINDA OZAROW
E.S.L.



EILEEN QUIRK
E.S.L.



Mrs. Schwartz in her Olivia Newton John "Let's Get Physical" attire.



CAROL KULIK
Director



KEVIN ALVINE



KEITH APPELLO



Ernie Kung and Mr. Appello



THOMAS BOLAND



WENDY BRANCO



CATHERINE DEAN



OZZIE DIAZ



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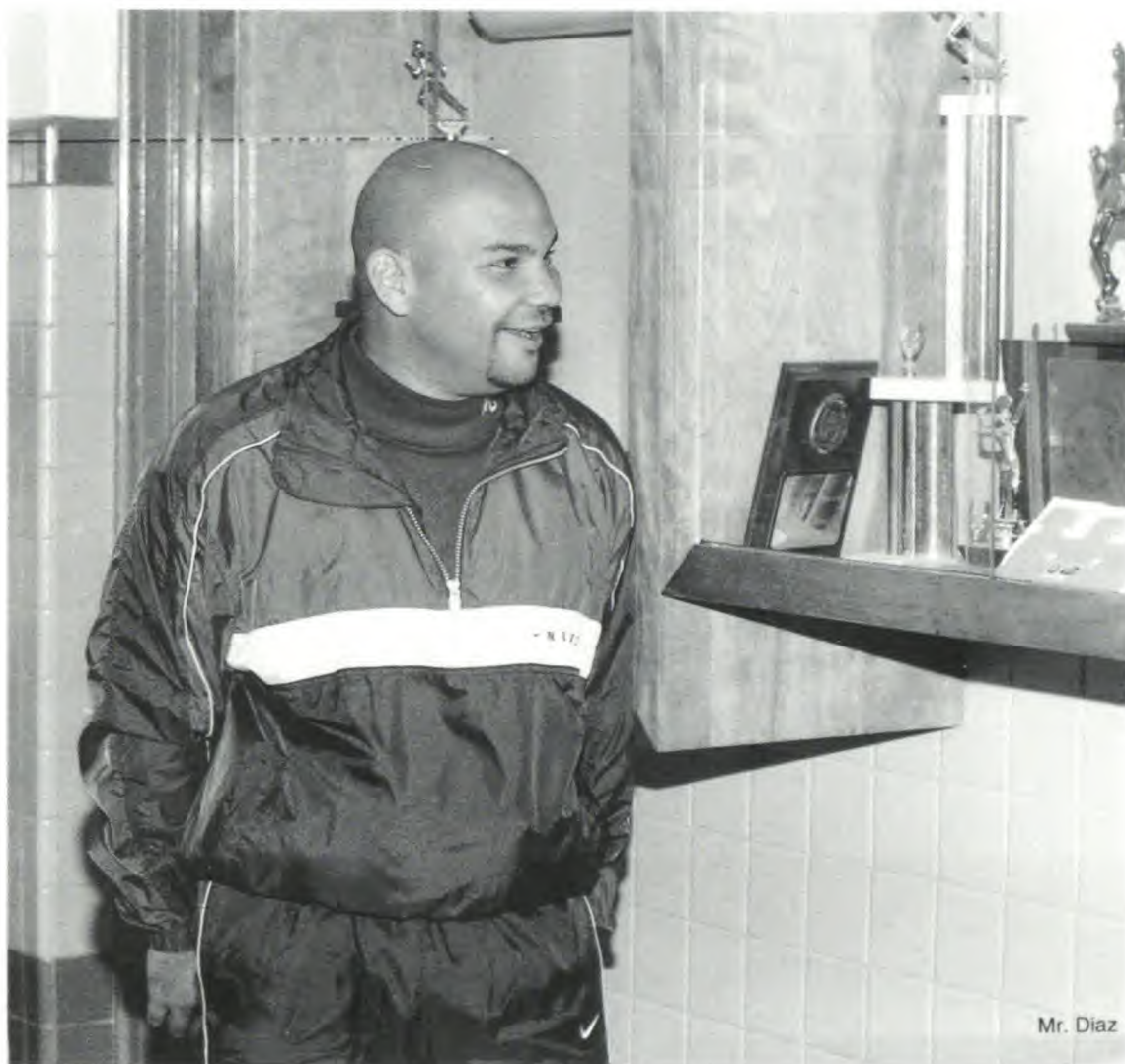


DANIELLE TRACY



WILLIAM URBANSKI

Earlier This Century . . .



Mr. Diaz



No double-knit, light textured uniform for Mr. Boland, ace of the Valley HS staff in 1960.



Ms. Theobold 'sports' the ever classic softball uniform during her college days.



MARILYN VLACICH



CATHRYN WELTER




MICHAEL WENSON



High top canvas sneakers were the choice of North Arlington's HS 'Flash,' Ms. Welter.

TECHNICAL & VOCATIONAL EDUCATION




STEVEN KEHAYES
Director



KAREN BERMAN



GERALD DELGUERCIO



NANCY DONNELLY



JOYCE FRIEDMAN



STEVEN GRUBESICH



PETER HARRINGTON



LORETTA HOLMOK



RUSSELL IUCULANO



ROBERT KLEMT



ILEEN LOHAN



WILLIAM LUTKINS



KIMBERLY MANOS



SUSAN MARSHALL



DEBORAH PRATKO



BARBARA QUEEN



TEMUJIN SCOTT

Earlier This Century . . .



DAVID VODOFSKY



DORA WONG-MACIAS



JOHN WOROBEZ



The bearded look has always been a part of Mr. Harrington's personal style.



Scott Carson and Mr. Worobetz



The clean, wholesome, Ivory soap look has been Ms. Holmok's trademark.



There's a scholarly look to Mr. Luculano when he's not in his lab coat.



FINE ARTS



LORI ALTER
Supervisor



CHARLES DETTMAR, JR.



Mr. Jordan and Lizeth Savinon



BETTE FORT



CHARLES JORDAN



NICOLE KRULIK



MICHAEL LINDSAY



ANTHONY MINNI
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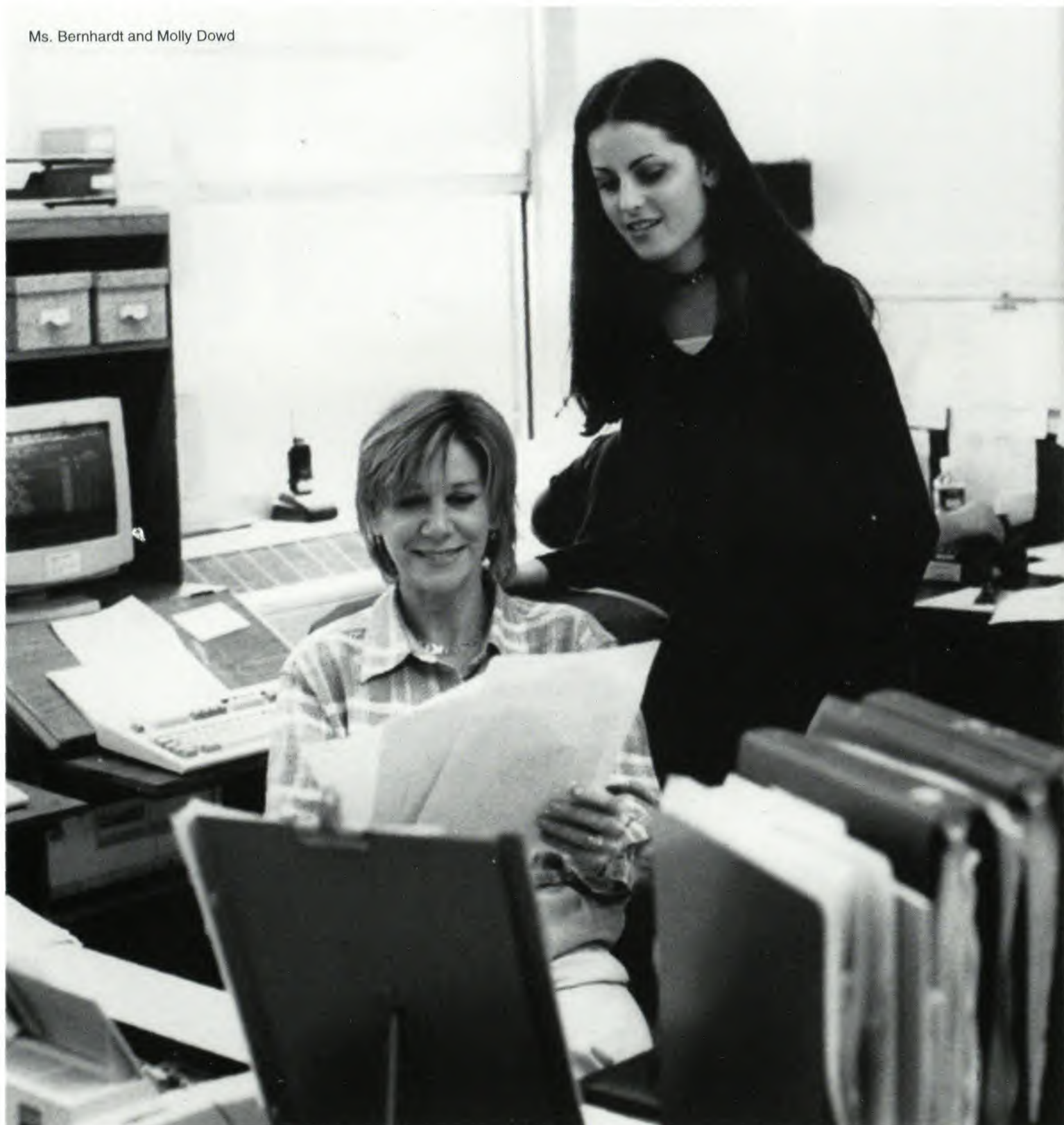


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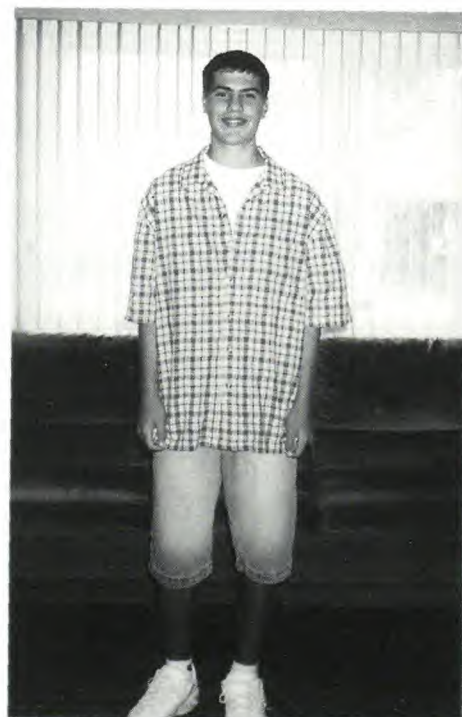
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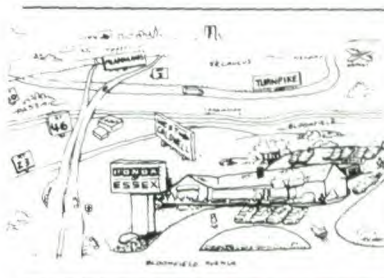
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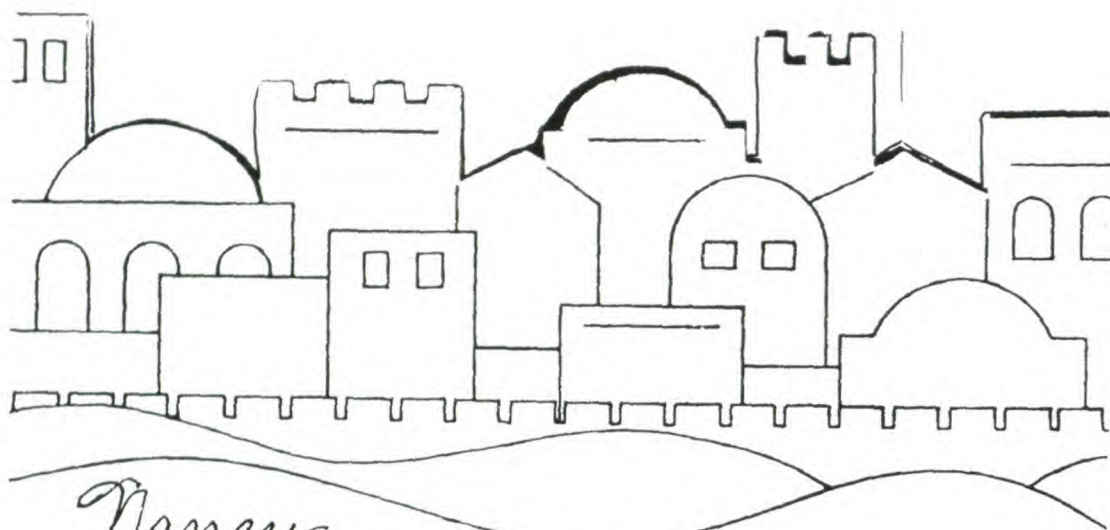
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to everyone at
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Love Always,
Mom & Dad



Determination, ambition and a heart of gold.

We are extremely proud of our adorable boy who
has become a magnificent young man.

Congratulations **Steve**

We love you; Mom, Dad, & Jennifer '95



Danny,

I've watched you
grow,
It's time to let you
go.

Congratulations.

Love,
Mom



Dear **Paul**,
Congratulations and
our wishes for your
success in your future
endeavors.



May God Bless you
always.

Love,
Lolo, Lola Mang, Tita Lourdes,
Tita Laura, and Lyn Lyn



Dear **Scott**,
We are very proud
of the hard work
and commitment
you have shown.
We're always
there for you.



We wish you
much love,
success, and
happiness for your
future.
With all our love,
Mom, Dad, & Ali
'96



Dear **Paul**,
We are ever so proud
of what you have
become. The best
has yet to come!
Congratulations and
Good Luck!
Our Love to you
always,
Dad, Mom, Gen '97,
& Carla '02



Dear **John**,
Congratulations!
We are very
proud of you.
We love you.

Love,
Mom, Dad, Greg,
Pat, Dori, & Brian



Dear **Kathryn**,
We are so proud. May God
help you in reaching your goals.
We love you,
Mom, Grandma, & Joan

Congratulations to the Class of '99
and best of luck to all of you
especially **Joe**.

We love you,
Grandma, Aunt Lynn and Uncle Jerry,
Aunt Carol and Uncle Bill, Christopher,
Michael, Billy, & Danny



STEPHANIE,

It's not where you start,
It's where you finish,
And you're gonna finish on top!
Congratulations!

I am so proud of the way you have completed
the first phase of your life. It's only the beginning.

You have a bright future ahead of you.
You can do it **Steph**, continue to make me proud.

S — U — C — C — E — S — S!!

That's what you're made of.

Love you lots!

Always and forever.

Mom



Dear Fatima (Abbie)

Eighteen years went by
so fast

How you've grown up
from a skinny little girl
to such an elegant lady.



We are very proud of
you.
Congratulations!



Love,
Mommy, Daddy,
Francine '02, Francis
'04





Brian —

Congratulations Little
Guy!

Love,

Amy, Eric, and Doug

Brian —

We are so proud of who
you are
and what you have
done.

Congratulations!

Love,

Nan and Grandpa





Congratulations **Sejal**
We are very proud of
you
and wish you all the
best.

Dad, Mom, Niral,
& Grandparents
“Your attitude
determines your
altitude”



Beth,
You have grown into
a
lovely young lady
and
we are very proud of
you!

Congratulations on
your
high school
graduation!

Love,
Mom, David, Tom, &
Adam





Dearest **Louis**,
We are SO
PROUD of the
incredible person
you are!
With your quiet
strength,
your
extraordinary
sensitivity,
and your
"delightful"
sense
of humor the
world is yours!
Go for it, **Lou!**

We will ALWAYS be here for
you.
We love you with all our hearts!
Love,
Mom & Dad

Dear **Lou**,
You will always be #1 on our
team!
Thanks for leading the way, BIG
BROTHER!



WE LOVE
YOU!
Love,
Eddie &
Chaz



Dear **Lynn**,
With your creativity,
energy,
compassion, intellect,
determination and
sense of
humor, you can make
all your
dreams come true! You
are a
beautiful young woman
and
we are so proud of you.
Love always,
Mom, Dad, Karen '96,
Matthew '01, & Hannah

Dear **Carol**,
Congratulations and best
wishes
on your graduation from
high school. Go for the
gold
and reach for the stars
and
know we're always there
for you!
Mom & Dad



**Best of Luck
John Dillon**



**Congratulations
Kathryn,**
May all your goals and
dreams come true.
Good luck in college.
Love,
The Peralta Family

Thamar,
Through hard work, perseverance
and faith you're a class of 1999
graduate.
Congratulations and continued
success to you.
Love,
Mom & Dad

**Congratulations
to
Nancy
Grossman**

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To our daughter **Lindita**,
We are so proud of all of your
accomplishments and hard
work.

We wish you all the success,
and

may your future be filled with
happiness. We are honored to
have such a beautiful daughter.
Congratulations to the Class of
1999.

Love,
Mom & Dad

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Nancy,

Time to start watching the Bear...



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You're all grown up baby. Congrats.

Love,
Lesley (grrr...)

Congratulating the class of '99 on their success



the West Orange First Aid Squad



Chick Clique

Kristen ☼ Shannon ☼ Doreen ☼ Kathryn
Sejal ☼ Erica ☼ Vivian ☼ Danli ☼ Kerry

BCB...Slore...Shano...Dawg...Dexter...Hut...For...Peace
Mommy...Bagel...Scrooge...Trouble...Jewel...Lili...Kit Kat

Dr. Seuss...Jalapeno Peppers (J.P.)...Slick...Kiwi...Pineapple
Spaghetti...Strawberry/Velveeta...Casper...31 Flavors...L.B.E.
Dr. School...Fishboy...Doctor...Chocolate...SkiBum...Nacho
Radioboy...Speed...Prince Andrew...Yosef...Sparky...Dwarf

Ouija Board-"Hill Dvl", "Aug 2001"...Truth or Dare...Penny Bet
Electric Socket...Canada, not Cuba..."Who would you drown?"
Secret Admirer game...Transitive Property...Flowers...Baseball
Alvin, Simon, Theodore...Random...What are the odds...Zotion

Dameon (spider)...Harry Kevin (jeans)...ASCAP...Power Outage
Sugarless Canadian soda...Bouncy, smiley muffin...Hear a bell?
Smell a marker?...Confoos-ed...Freaky models...Slinky...O-turn
Unwritten rule...Giggle Patrol (GP)...Sticky...Grouchy...Yummy
Locker Bit Me...N-stuff-n-stuff...Word up...Finger seating chart
Just Juicy...History TV...Gym homework...Aug 6 - Happy Day

Sitting disease...Rubber band injuries...Shoe tying...Fake sneezes
Yup, yup, yup - Cheese!...Dorito little people...Five Court Tennis
Watergun...Big head...Barrettes...Ugly house...Just smile & nod
Ya know..."Talking"...Ma-w-age...It's piracy, not Paris!...Bridge
Snail...Walk-n-talk...Time to go-get ice cream...It's been lovely!



Dan Scott Dave Jon Steve



D-Hells Olshy Dinko Blaze Gash



*Dinko12** Big Girlie Boy** Professor** D-Steinz** P-Steinz** Mush calls*
 *Leah** 25L street** Ricky's class** Weightlifting** White Cass** Cluck-U*
 *BKs** T-Bell** Mazda626 fully loaded** Geeves** Flanders** Dave's New
 Year's Eve Party** Corn play-toy** 8th wonder of the world** Hartshorn Drive*
 *Verona Police** Poland Spring** WWF** Driveby mushings** Cruising the Strip*
 Caught out** 00Gash** "What?"** Roxbury, Randolph runs** Carl's party 1 & 2*
 *Muppet Babies** Thanks Steiner** Parsips** Temps** JM** Jr. Prom*
 Cha-cha** Paradise** "Needs to be stuffed" Frappe Fetish** Caramel Macchaito*
 Bri-Dawg Finks** The Big 14** CG** Phish Concert** The Ritz** Dan's Pool table*
 *Hot tub party** "I'm game" Rutgers Parties** Hebrew High** Emily & Tomac Parties** "Keep it on the DL!" Elana+1** Shades Denial** GBJs** BBJs** "Samples for all!" Olshy out
 running cops** 1250 SATs** Dustin eating spicy foods** Steve wearing spicy foods** Dr. Doorwinkel** Handcuffs** Cyclops** Mushometer** Marlboro Man** Slim Jims** The
 Trips** Amway** Tragash stair diving** Olshy actually holding a job** Sieg Monster** D-Steinz as Jim Henson** The Rat Pack** Jew Crew** "My car is over Dere!" Powder** "Is anyone a
 member of Price Club?" Lies Lies and more Lies** Latenight Randolph walks** Montville Bashing** Driving Young** 4th of July98** You-UP** "I'm quitting today" It was dark, I was a
 freshman** L- losers** Toast** Dirt** 5 more minutes** Zelda** Cheat day** 7 11** Claridge House** Tall, Dark, & Skinny** Peacock** True Phish Fan** Newman** My glasses** Lemonade
 Blowpops** Oatmeal** Protein Shake + banana** Nasty Girls at Tomac's** Party in Steve's trunk** Civs** Come with me** Watergun drivebys** My mom made me** D-Steinz Theories** HLs
 Donuts** Roadside Moon** Olshy hit another kid** S-curves** Gashroom** Italy'98** Jon's bathroom** Caddie Escape** Jon permanent shotgun** Broken thumbs & fillings** JMU secrets**
 Big time deals** TR** Heller's gym membership** "There's a first time for everything" Dinko Rage** Captain Hook**

Sejal & Shannon-7 Great Years

Bug Road * Yummy * Stuff * Queen * Bug * Dable * Monkey Parikh * Dishwasher
Study Groups * Jaws * Little Man * Bagel * Scrooge * Copying(clothes, etc.)
Dawg * Fluties * Floaties * Ratweiler * Shano *.5 * Quebec-Pizza Spoons

Bahston * Bawston
1st Aid Class
Stealing Covers
Seju * Giggles
ShaMona Bona
Mona * 40 count
move...ouch! * Mrs.
Tom Cruise * Osiris
Derek * BonBon
Pixi Stix * Hyperness
Coffee Cream
SAT Sleepovers
H₂O Fight-Niral
Freaky Models
Slinky * Dameon
Brrr * Glitter * Grrr
Sticky * Garbage
Crunchy Hair
Power Outage
Haunted Mansion



Brooklyn Accent * Storage * Drugs=Altoids * Vomitus
Dr. Physician * GOODBYE!!! * "Body Odor"
Gus Gus...Chat Chat * Cats and Rabbits * Size 7 1/4
Giant's Stadium * Truth or Dare(Potion)

Wed-nes-day
Junky * Bono
Bony * Muskles
Cookies & Creme
Kool Aid
Guy Talk
Eye Color (blue/gray)
Grouchy
Cute Aladin * Sejal
Meeko stealer
Sugar
Headbanger sleep
Zotion
Cutie..Urvil..Ugly
3 stooges
Crash/Crush * Sterns
Vapor Halls
Nasal Canoola
Boat/Rock * Bit me

Leigh~Kim~Beth Friends Forever



Ever since Pleasantdale / Sports 'N' Games / ball pit / skiing / ski lift secrets / "Let's go down a black diamond" / fruit punch / Grease / loose skis on the rack / ketchup&spit ball fights with DR / LD lost her ski on a hill / BS almost fell off a cliff / KR hurt her knee / Skylar's house / birthday parties / sweet 16's / Annapolis - disco dressing / "I'm fond of pickles, I wish I could have nuts" / Car races with CS / She put pizza box in oven / Ouh...honey / boyfriends / JP Lee's / skittles / movies / DD, EP / Disney World / Dan ran over BS's foot / LD slept too late / Plane ride / breakfast in bed / MG's lost wallet / LD's nervous foot movement / sitting on Santa's lap / applesauce fight / "don't forget the turkey" / shuttle bus / starlite / no smoking / light hurts my eyeballs / BN / Pooh,Dopey / Band Camp - LD got hurt / LD, KR slept in parent's bunk / MB season / Roy Roger's pickles / sleepovers / Alex, don't pee in the house / never forget each other

Shoutouts: FL, LM, KW, KO, PD, SM, MA, BM, RS, DR, RW, BF, BM, FM, DH, CS, BG, JS, BE, MK, LC, EB, DH, MV, BS, TJ, MF, DB, JK, MD, MA, our parents, and a special one to Dan B.

Of all the memories we've shared, none are as wondrous as the ones we're making together...today!

MELISSA

CYNTHIA

EFFIE

TONI

LINDITA



REDWOOD: kumbaya*talent show*stinkbomb*letter to sam*shaving cream*stealing scrunchies*DT on rings*

EDISON: B.B.*Mrs.Greassle*pierced visors*LD's patch*T&E's shower scene at JM's*trampled at Williamsburg*LittleG*Bertha*FigNewtons*JamaicanMeCrazy*Sergierolls*CJ's sauna&bathroom*TH's closet&basement*

WOHS: Sabeeb*Strolls by AS&AG*JF*Soccer love*It went by so fast!!!
*Verona&Degan*DS*Represent Greeks*FE loves spaghetti*WHIT*WRE303
*GBFL*TZ>*?bubblegine?*LD's trips to PDB*MC's over the shirt*CJ&MC's lockdown*Stalker*JR's room*candles in FEB.*I had a dream*MC's beast*CJ's jams*A year gone->ED,LD,TZ*puffy jr*barbecue song* Post's summer jams*red fleece*blue shirt*touch me tease me*T&E stuffed by RP*We can die happy now*Senior Events*Graduation*

WHERE TO FIND US:

EFFIE~7/11
LINDITA~In another world
MELISSA~Livingston
CYNTHIA~Queens
TONI~Beemer*Pathfinder

WE LEAVE:

Ticket to RI
With a Dream
Joke she gets
Something she doesn't have
Never-ending red light

WHEREVER YOU FIND ONE, YOU'LL FIND THE OTHER



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Best

Friends

Forever



Best Friends Forever~ Mack Doe~ Dil~
Mack Boss~ Mack Gilder~ 4ever flash~
Mini Golf~ Pool~ Bowling~ Movies~ TGI's~
Mall~ Subtle change~ City~ Gazebo~ E on
E!~ Cook a thon~ Chem~ 2Losers~ West
Bubble~ Food~ It~ Gas Master~ Triple
Cherry Soda Pop~ banana n' pillow~
Everything but...~ St. Christopher~ "Camp
Friend"~ Gwen's Fan Club~ Roar~ Puzzle
Girl~ Compulsive~ You&Me...~ Signatures~
Can You...?~ Okay Boss!~ Dirty work~
Baton~ 4ever falling~ dumb laughs~
mannerisms~ nose~ wall~ Squat~ bowls~
falling fathers~ Frog n' Pool~ 5 words,



slowly~ Wee~ ~Duh!~ Big Red~ todo todo~ Coke Bottles~ Gilbert~ TROUBLE: G = Bullet~
Pizzaz~ Hair~ Mulan~ Elk~ Engaged~ Church boy~ Stalk~ D = 669...~ Chubacka~ 24~
Shoes~ Cop~ Too Nice~ Bang a licious (newspaper, phone)~ Nailpolish~ Kluck~ Teeth~
CQ~ Prez~ Dirt~ S = Ret~ Seal~ Young~ White Chocolate~ Alf~ Hi, Hay~ Cyber Boy~
Stickboy~ Bask~ ALL = J²~ Around~ Anti~ Too Hot...

"Friends, you and me... you brought another friend, and then there were
3... we started our group... our circle of friends... and like that circle,
there is no beginning... there is no end..."

I love you girls forever!



Lindita and Marlayna



Dear Marlayna:

I guess its time 4 us to move on
To bigger and better things...
No looking back this time! We've been
Through so much 2gether and I could
Never forget u...ever! I'm always here 4 u!
I LOVE YOU!!!!

Love,
Lindita

● How it all started.....Whats up X
● Michelle? The chases in RS, X
● the spy, the deli, M's spill, X
● polkadots, Curly Sue, the X
● hole, shaving cream fights X
● the swing, the secret house, X
● the move!!....coming back, X
● "Love Is?", tsd. oni. bgl., X
● summers at the pool, years X
● of confusion..., what were X
● we thinking! souvenirs of X
● mistakes, the lake, the secret X
● eye, that look!! Mr. Gags, X
● always catching up, X
● L's predictions, smelly J, X
● Stalkers, TRBLMKRS, painful X
● experiences, long visits, and X
● Then Finally!!! So much has X
● happened, each memory X
● has a lesson.



Dear Lindita:

I love you!
I would do anything for ya
Our friendship means so much.
If we go our separate ways u will
always be in my heart!
Thanx for everything.

Love,
Marlayna

Ten Years And More To Come...

DAN + KIM

It all started in 1995, he just
broke up with her BF, she
liked his, powder started it
all, thru many fights we
survived them all, however
that bus trip predicted it all,
down the shore we love to
go, at the range, oragami
flower notes, chinese food
cravings, sloppy joe lunches,
ends of egg rolls, the star
wars bank, so many roses,
surprise valentine's day
dinner, nights at the hospital
- bringing edible food, talking
on the phone for hours, draw
and write this and that,
algebra, little drummer boy,
silver SLK 230, stuffed
animals, no more joan
mobile love the new car, any
more stickers? devils, proms,
You're the Inspiration



11/5/95

Titanic-how many times?
body rubs, shopping,
spencer's, dopey, jealousy,
so many cars so little time,
chap stick, all the hats,
shoes, great sandart, missed
carnivals, BK stops, roast
beef sandwich's, boy scout,
let's get some ice cream,
birdhouseblu, let's jam,
peace out, hang time, honey
babysweetielovey, always
eating over, good cooking,
parma rosa, JP Lee's, taxicab,
lying for each other, double
tissues, signed baseballs,
too many napkins, Christmas
parties, secret santa,
halloween, lemon squares,
snickerdoodles, swimming,
too cold, laying on the beach
at night, memories never
forgotten. Love ya!



nicolle~molly~dana~marlayna~kate~casey

Not to be like YO but...DMBatMSG, PeaceP, sweat dripping, Dippity Dog at 11:30*Quazimodo, Busta Rhyme* Hail 2 The QueenMF* Mullet Men + 3 Chipmunks* Gregory Summer-shout out to PhillyQ, Wait! My beeper!* Sandal Heaven, Royal Rumble, Crest Smile* Room-n-Board w/Marlayna* Manny* Boken* Mama Josephine* BigWillieStyle!* One finger in the air* "Lightning Bugs"* Molly spit on floor* EZ Picks* FlyingColors ModernEdge-Caldor we'll missU!* I'm a Black Belt* CATSKILLS-MF+NP* XXCOINSTARXX* Elf Mobile* SavPriRy* MDKRDD-I Want a Mullet..* Trivial Pursuit* Why are you Whispering?* Molly3rd* Black Must* Boxing Gloves* Psychos* Wanna Come To The Mall?* You're Never Fully Dressed Without a Smile* Tuesdays :(* Ms. Diggs Crew* Fchunka+Meatball* Molly's Makeover* RC=perfection* Community Action Team* The Flash* Kool Kat* Elsie* First Wives Club* Old Yells* Montie's Perm* SkunkFries* NP+ KC's beads!*R-E-S-P-E-C-T* Molly-Ya Wanna Just Walk Home?* Old Navy Performance Fleece* a little Alizaran Crimson* Happy Painting* Black Jesso?* The Hut* Cuz Leo* Vicki's Cool Down* MF+KR's 5 hour Convo* No Hesitation* Fargus* Panamanian Burrito* Knee Boys* Pesto Sauce* KC+DD White Castle 6 in the Morn* Suflaki* Next Subject* Car Crash* Brush With Death* Retardo* Coca-cola* Raggedy Ann* Retep* KR-Don't Drop Your Food* Paradise By The Dashboard Light* Toast Begger* Dark Navy M&M's* Psha-Psha* Party City* Let's Cook* Fell Over!* Kate-What's Your Name?* KC-Is There Mustard On Your Hand?* Can You Just..?* I Just Can't Handle!* No Offense!* It's Just Too...!* Shout outs to Yo-Yo and Paco!* Squallimente* Nicer Hair...!* Zone* Rage+BeastieBoys-NP+KC-Remote Control* And Many More. *JP*JR*MS*OC*CA*JD*SM*RP*PZ*+ToTheOFC

**Turns out not where but who you're with
that really matters**



Rachel and Regina



When it all began...same schedule; freshman locker; JT & SG - the laughter; mentos commercials; windshield driving; watch out Gina...cop!; Chicken Cookie!; SB & SG - the gum in my hair; A Time to Kill - DS & MD - the midnight run; cheese fries behind Kings; Seton Hall Boys; Chaz; Seton Hall Dance - Keith; Ransom - good movie RS?; videotape; Pilgrim Diner - 11 goods; m of 4; Happy B-day Mrs. W. - damn receipt; the 3 hour shower; enough



shaving cream?; Jolen; upstate NY boys; the perfect bra; Mr. M - no explanation needed; begal; lost in E.O.; the spot disease; Boogie Nights; the stomach flu?; shore time - Chris; Passover dinner; the jello fight; POOL HALL - Whippany Diner; Granny's cake; sleepovers; french class - La Nut; STARBUCKS NIGHTS - COMFY CHAIRS; BIOLOGY OUT THE WINDOW(I still don't know



how you managed that one?); Justin sleepover; all night bio labs; BAH; holes in tires - stupid metal; choco breakfast - PSAT; boat dinner - thanks DS & JZ; stepping in dookie; attack of the locker; ice skating at JT's; "GOOD"; turkey baster; the reservation; "I have to make a copy!"; Betty Boop Socks;

"Granny got jilted off the porter potty"; eating habits - cheese



steak sandwiches; parking tickets; senior bowling; IHOP; the disappearing man; summer French packet; RR, MI, C; "look at this amazing shot"; the ivy in your backyard - never can they clear that away; the venezuela good; trips to NYC; the drosophila melanogaster - 12 1/2 hour lab; Leonardo DiCaprio;



Shout outs: We love you RH, DR, BF, FM, BM, DD, MD, DH, JB, MF, SP, KR, CP, DS, CH, SO, MOMS & DADS, and AMY!!

We'll always be together!!!



Danli & Kathryn

Lira~Bubble Girl~LiLi~Goody two shoe~
I'm allergic~I hate Stickman!~Dr.School~
LBE~Nacho~Long unread notes~Truth or
Dare~1:00 record~Beaver/woodchuck?~



Carol/Sabrinny/Grace/Jeanette~ GSE peeps~
skeleton~"That's My Shirt"~Poopy/Nuddy~
Wild Crazy Drives~S L Anonymous~
"Getting everything"~Taco Bell~Midnight
detour to NY~"I don't get it"~Oragamy~
Stic-pics~Bobby L. @~~~~~
Spanish Fetish~~~~~



Can you write my essay?~I'll tell you later~
speedwalk~Stranded at library~Mommy~
No homework?~Ouija~ COBBLESTONE~
Monica/3 stooges~ Azn Gang~Idol~ NYC
next year~meringue~ice skating~ pool party
Mr.Porcuppine~ Walk around block~ I dare
you!~ 5 court tennis~ clean room~ pina
colada~ 4 musketeers~ Closing statements?



Dee/Alexandra/Sharon~sisters forever~
CYO~Don't eat off my plate!~Dole~
You lived in my house!~We'll always be
neighbors~ Swan~Happy Farmer~Sushi~
Brother ~Kit Kat~Christmas~Army~
Confirmation~choo choo train~ Animo~
Say cheese!/Strike ~a pose!~ mb~



*What is a friend? A single
soul dwelling in two
bodies.--- Aristotle*

*Kerlyne, **DYR** When we first
met and didn't like each other,
now we're inseparable.
What made us become
friends?*

*Why we trusted each other so
much so fast?*

*When you first met Mercy.
Livingston Mall, Both Times!!!*

LMTY

*I thank God everyday for You
Just for the record, we both
have attitudes.*

*The best thing about you is ...
I would list them but we only
have 200 words.*

*No matter how hard we try,
our friendship can't be
replaced.*



*A true friend is the most
precious of all
possessions.----La
Rouchefoucauld*

*Emma, **DYR** when we first
met, did you ever think we
would become best friends?*

***DYR** Crusty, Scoot, Gear,
Tommy, Mr. Man, Fruit, Baby,
Jingle, and of course Mr. Owl.*

***DYR** when you flashed
someone knowing how ashy
you were?*

***LMTY** something, I love you
like sister and I'm very
thankful that you came into
my life.*

*Can you believe all the
things we went through with
all the people*

*Thanks for making high
school memorable.*

Love you always



Looking back at the memories, I never thought the times we cried would make us laugh, and times we laughed would make us cry.-----Unknown



Lynn Kate Molly Rebecca

"The Future Is No Place To Place Your Better Days"...



Raggedy Ann & Andy-Gym Stairs-Ro & Ro-VFemmes, Sister Act-VS'Its For The Kids," May Air Conditioning-Fairview Lakes-Sewing Olympics-Vin In A Jar-Kate Moss-Charlietta, Bobette, 1 2 3 I Win Bingo-Rasta Coat-LaQuinn & Alphonse, Bertha & Ruth, Barnett & Ralph-Stealing C Cheese-Lil' I aka WBox-Thin Vin-Hand Pants Frog Pock, Dunkaroos, Rumor Is True-Humpty-Jalopeno In The Cracks-Mildred, Wounded In The War-MP Scandal-100% HARDCORE, Inkwell, Scavenger Hunt, Couples On The Beach-Mona Lisa-hugEnight, No Pain, Alien Landing in KL's Backyard-25 Times, Lemons & Sugar-You're Terrible Muriel-Grandma Voices, "And How, Save Your Breath"-Kay Diner, Leg-Go For The Gold-Alien Probe-ChaCha DiRegorio & Danny Zukkooo, Texas Hair, Worst Prom Dates Ever PZ & RK-Ratty T's: Prov, Bike, Free Tibet, FunRun, Dowd, Extreme Skier 1984-DooWopChangChang-Fig Newmans-Rock n' Jock Reject-Grease Pads-KMLD Radio Station-ITALY98: Redrum Hotel, Discotecha, Paula & Gio, Luffhansa, Shout Out to Lil' Pil & Italian Pooh, Smelly Fish, Honeydew, Served By B.O.-LBI Visits-DMB 6/7/98 & 12/2/98-Ani Mud-Stats 9 out of 10, 1 out of 5-Johnny Blue-2Mug Sue-Low Run, Molly's Paranoia-Scarecrow LANGUAGE: Yight, Buckwild, Low Budg, Sin, Poons, Jine, Pene, Weak Genes, Nice Jaw, BSS, MR, PP, MG, DQ, TC, TT-Chicklets, Paper Thin-2.5 Seconds, Quiver Lip, Rhenoids



"A Terrible Thing Happened Last Night - Nothing"

Does Rebecca Have Any Relatives?...Did Kate Ever Go To Kindergarden?...Will Lynn Ever Go To Beauty School?...Will Molly Ever Achieve The Perfect Brows?...and...Will It Ever Stop Drilling?

...**"We Had A Time"**-mJL



★ *Bryan* ★ *Brett* ★ *Kim* ★ *Trina* ★ *Brad* ★



Our Varsity Blues

1995 originals: BE, DS, KR, BM, AD, SB, SP, CR, MG / Les Miserables / "Work Song" / "The Attack on Rue Plumet" / "On My Own" / "One Day More" / Group 2A Maroon Champions November 4 / Quebec / Pocohontas uniforms / dirty faces / perfect roll step / pete's feet / trumpet's jazz run / Jared's bouncing / Amy O'Connell / 1996 add ons: ZK, CS, BB, TF, LD, BG / John Williams / "Far and Away" / "Jurassic Park" / "Swing, Swing, Swing" / "ET" / our dented spaceship / Finally nice guard uniforms / MG's skirt fell down / stripping / Ms. K. left / Disney World / 1997 came: LR, KC, VK, RW, ML, IB, GS / Russian Fantasy / "Festive Overture" / "The Hut on Fools Lake" / "Nutcracker" / "Old Castle" / "Great Gate" / Bye Ms. Alter / Hello Mr. Dettmar / Tomlin's engaged / Welcome Mike, Kim, Lori / Hey Vince, Dave / Annapolis / Lastly DP / West Side Story / "Jet's Song" / "America" / "One Hand one Heart" / "Tonight" / comfy guard uniforms / BE, welcome to guard / Hello Eric, Meegan / ugly&pretty side / heckling / no drum feature / weapon feature / our own flags / South Carolina / Lebanon, NJ / major gnats / gross showers / Noah's Ark / dangerous water fights / DS hurt LD / chicken patties / plagues / floaties / bon fires / skit shows / Crazy Annie / dickies / Style Plus Shoes / black spray paint / Main Street in Disney / Mr. V and Dr F's feminine side / Dr F 102nd Dalmatian / King Henry's Feast / Hercules Parade in NYC / sweaty August / freezing November / Music Booster Dinners / Band awards / dancing with cheerleaders / St. Patrick's Day parades / Giant's Stadium / wind tunnel / Orange Cadence / guns&blades / SHE / bus rides / marchoffs / high step / company fronts / figure and crazy 8s / horn pops / freeform / finally new uniforms / shakos-not hats / Zak's house / football games / Panama / Hey Song / Louie, Louie / Go PG's / sprite / Go Plainfield! / Cheese in the lake / Lou's designated / Twinkies / Orange...Tornadoes / Make like a Lee nail and press on / silent features / snackery / roll step / Smitty / section breakfasts / Go LB / disco attire / Ms. Forbes / Band, how do you feel? / Pride and Dedication / Sneaking out of rooms / band camp food / mud marching / Mr. T gets married / jazz running / Thanks to all our instructors / It was great-never forget us / Special thanks to Dan B. for helping KR design this page



★ *Bridgit* ★ *Leigh* ★ *Lou* ★ *Kathryn* ★ *Ricki* ★ *Clarence* ★ *Zak* ★



★ *Magaly* ★ *Doreen* ★ *Sejal* ★ *Shannon* ★ *Dan* ★





Back room at TCBY-Rachel stuck on top of freezer**Stalking-"Where's #58 or was it 59?"**Friendly's-singing on the lamp post-truck drive by**Star Wars Trilogy -calling Ferg, Wu's laser pointer, over the fence, in the bush**Al's house, the garage, the park**



Al, Bianca, Brian, Fatima, and Rachel

ShOuTouTs:EK, CzR, Amy, RS, JK, GY, MD, D-Hellz, JB, Dinko 12, Ehrtz, KR, DB, DR, PK, TC, JS, DC, MF, NR, AT, KJ, BL, SP, Shlam crew, Francine, Alex, RH, CH, AW, GG, RC, GR, MD², LO, DM, BS, EL, EM, WS, MS, YL, Kwon, Thai, Dizzy, Snowy, Pywacket, Wickham, Moms & Dads

Unleash**Al's Angels**Mile runs in soccer, Bianca chugging away**Begal**Runs to Greg's house**Chem-Dumb Row**Full moon Fat's Civil War Flick**Rachel's Sweet 16**Abbie's Cotillion**Jello at Jen's-"Brye Bian" **Rachel's flavor of the week**Weisguson Twins** Dorney Park-Freezing and things in Ferg's ear**Al and Ferg breaking Fat's bed**V-Day Bowling-we've lost that loving feeling**Pralene and Richard**Fatima in California-E tu Brute? **Quebec**Disney-"Can I borrow your deodorant?"- Rachel & jacuzzi-Florida cantaloupe-cleavage pic**SAT unpreparation**Physics-Adopt a Senior-PuyoPuyo-Physics Threw Time**Great Adventure-what an easy test**Ferg's party-The Exorcist & levitation**Arachnophobia & Jellyhead**Fat's Summer & Halloween parties**



Bianca's B-day bowling-Rachel's S**Jr. Prom-Fat & B's spell-"where's the limo?"-2 hrs. in the cold-Rachel's right hook**Nets game-"how do we get outta here?"**B & Fat in Sweden "where's the flood?"**Sonny Jim & Ol' Fruit** Snowball fight**Emack & Bolios**Goldeneye**



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