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It is difficult to live in the present, ridiculous to live in the future, and impossible to live in the past. Nothing is as far away as one minute ago.

"Jim Bishop"

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# Batter Changing into Pancakes

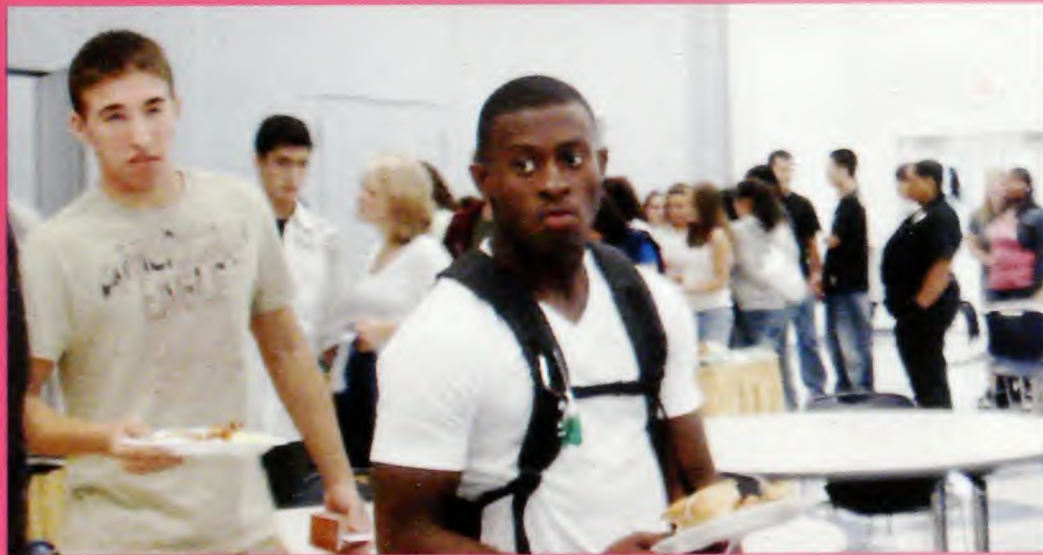
Entering the school and strolling through the halls, we took our first step into our senior year. Looking back over the years and heading toward the Senior breakfast left every student with a sense of accomplishment and happiness. The

conversations *changed* from previous years. We buzzed about the number of colleges we visited and where we were applying. Announcements were made about purchasing jerseys and paying senior dues. The staff finally announced the food

was ready and a *roller skating* line appeared in seconds. This food ranged from a variety of juices, to bagels and cakes. After we got our food, we continued our conversations about our extraordinary summers. We talked about where we worked, who we met, the parties we attended, and where we vacationed. As the breakfast came to an end, we started discussing our schedules and whether or not we had any classes together. Every prior year we slept in while the seniors had their breakfast, but this year was our turn to enjoy Senior Breakfast as the Class of '07.



Kiana Brittle and Frederica Juste get ready to wear their 07 jerseys.



David Joisil and Jeff Lauterback swiftly make their way back to their seats, as other students anxiously await their turn.



WOHS students flaunt their '07 pride.



Wendy Fine takes a munch out of her scrumptious bagel.

Below: Gaia Goffe and Tiffany Lim grin at the idea of Senior year.



Chade Biney-Amissah, Keisha Smith, Lisa Gonzalez, Sasha Williams, Najah Dale Harris, and Aja Harris reunite after a long summer.



Ashley Case, Ashley Deloatch, Melonie Bailey, and Madison Dopko proudly show off their '07 face paint.



Freshman Andrew Pratt, Dan Verdaramo, and Louis Ferdinando display their pride, dedication, and excellence.



Center: Captain Michele Cito leads the crowd in an enthusiastic cheer.



Anthony Santino takes time during the game to start his campaign for homecoming king.



Dan Schaefer, Stephen Milano, Nathan Eagan, and Erin Parlor spell out ultimate "WEST" spirit.



# Students Transforming into Fans

Austin Alvarado, sophomore Russ Thompson, and Ben Brosh strut onto the field to represent the best of the boys soccer team.



The fans arrived, the football team assembled, the announcer checked his microphone and the marching band marched on to the field. The marching Mountaineers and the people who came to watch our team play West Milford all took their seats. The playing of *The Star-Spangled Banner* followed by some popular tunes entertained the fans. We wore our blue jerseys and chanted for our *ultimate* football team. The other team failed while our team remained victorious with score of 35-30. At half time all of our amazing sports teams assembled on the field and showcased their West Orange pride. Each member was introduced to the fans attending. They walked down the fifty yard line and enjoyed their recognition with their teams. The Pep Rally marked the beginning and was considered the official inauguration of the Fall sports program at our school. The noise of the crowd was balanced with the pride that the teams had in themselves and for their upcoming season. This was our final pep rally and we cheered our heart and lungs out. Blue jerseys, Blue paint, and Blue faces will remain in our memories *forever*.



Tatiana Castillo and Jonathan Becerril turn their attention away from the intense game to pose for the camera.



Right: Richard Torres hops his way to the finish line during the sack races.

Below: Mr. DeBarberi emerges from the dunk tank, soaking wet, after a thrilled student dunks him.



"Goodnight!" Shari Degenshein, Marites Manikad, and Mansi Patel snooze on the sunny field.



Jumpers show off their exquisite talent during double dutch.



# Books Morphing into Ultimate Fun

As we used our last names to get on the bus to our picnic, every senior was overflowing with enthusiasm, excitement, anxiety and relaxation for missing a day of school. Although we were *transforming* back to our younger days, we were happy to spend time with people we matured with over the years. We arrived at the picnic on 15 buses and got an idea of the sheer size of our class. We jumped off the busses and walked on to the space that would later become the dance floor. Some of us sat on benches and got accustomed to the place. We spotted the open field, the basketball hoops and the volleyball court. At first we did not know if we were going to use the Dunk Tank but as soon as the teachers occupied the wet seat and the DJ announced who it was, we all ran and took our chances to soak our teachers. This was a once in a lifetime opportunity and at the same time comedic. The sack race and other activities followed and we tested our ability in coordinating with our friends in the three- legged race. From the teachers to students, from the dance floor to the long lines for the food, everybody enjoyed the day and created some *everlasting* memories.

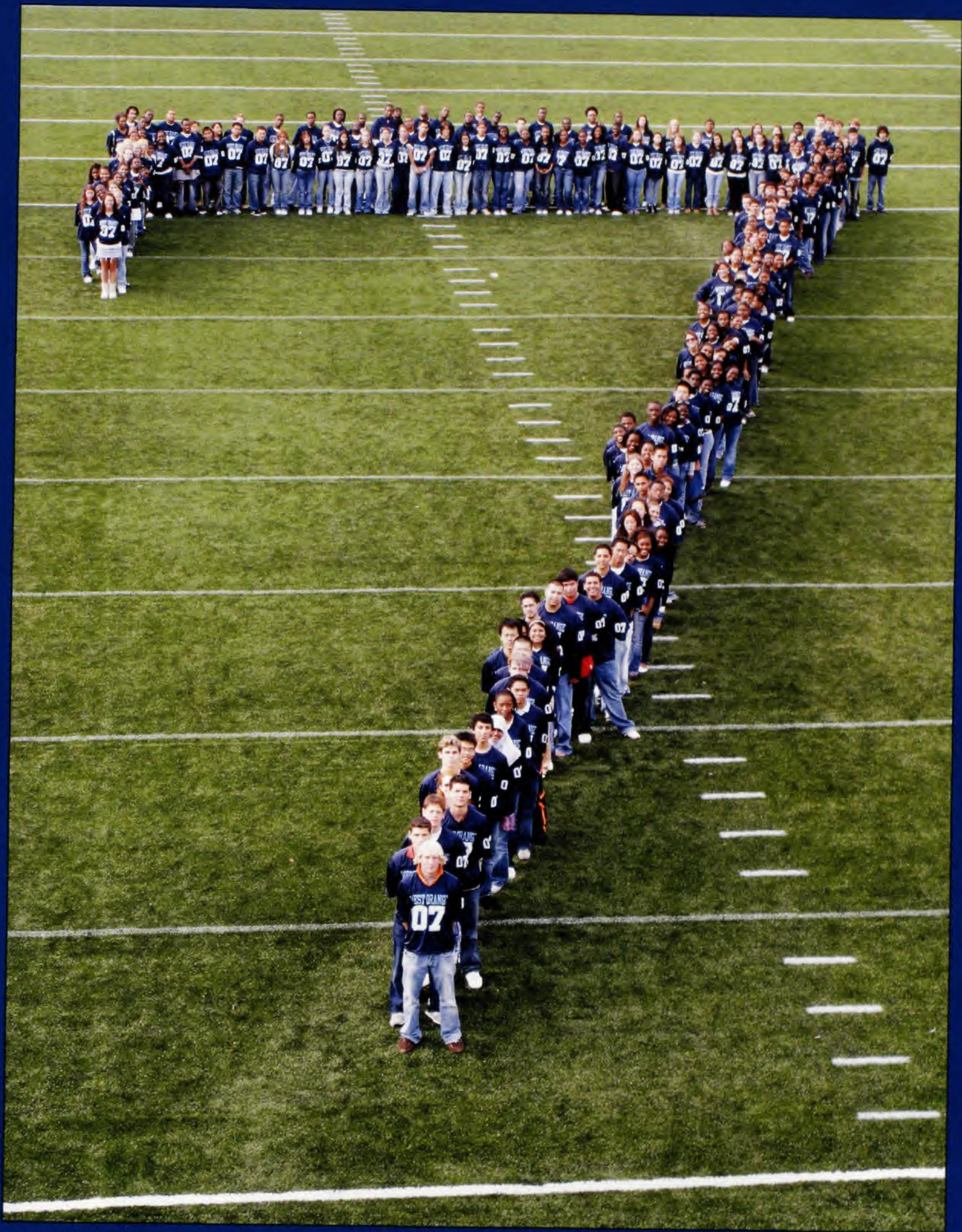


Together, Cynthia Olachea and Hannah Ellson race forward in the three-legged race.











# Everyday Outfits Transforming into Varying Themes

Farasha Green and Princy Thomas kick back to the eighties.



From Hawaiiin shirts during "Twin Day" to group advertisements for Homecoming King and Queen, Spirit Week was a fun filled event. For the first theme, we planned over the weekend, we contacted our "twin" and tried to come up with a similar outfit. The following day, which was "college day," we asked our parents, aunts, uncles, or just looked in our closets and found a piece of clothing to represent the college we wanted to attend the following year. This search left many of us with a feeling of happiness and a sense that college was around the corner.

Throughout the week we discussed what we would do before the dance. Students transformed into adults and dressed like teachers, decked out in shirts and others forms of formal attire on "professional day."

As we took our "07" picture we witnessed chaos evolve into a geometric pictorial of our graduating class year. From sporting our college shirts to dressing up for the famous "80's day," Spirit Week was a brilliant prelude to our final Homecoming.



Above: Garrel Carmichael and Peter Smeraldo play it cool on professional day.

Right: Eric Vasson, Brandon Mersier, Olief Lecky, and Steve Theagene dress for success on Business Day.





Jerry Coriolan and Steve Antoine don identical outfits on Twin Day.



Shalini Babu, Sruthi Vallikkunnel, and Priya Daniels playfully sport their '07 jerseys.



Alicia Philemon and Kelda Carlson imagine what it would be like to live in the '80s.



# A Football Game Changing into Endless Dancing

"What a day!"

The crowd rose to its feet in the final seconds of the unforgettably suspenseful football game. As the clock counted down the seconds left in the game, the crowd became louder, cheering at the top of their lungs. The band played, the commentator announced the names of the players, and the audience members sat at the edge of their seats. At half time, as the Homecoming Court made their way onto the field, students cheered for their favorites. The crowning of the king and the queen led to bursts of applause. Loud cheers *evolving* into victory made the Homecoming game a thrilling and memorable experience for both the players and the audience. However, this exciting day was still not over. That night students gradually arrived at the dance, where we began to socialize with our friends. The attendees were confused about whether to dance to their favorite song or to stay in line for the buffet! As the dancers decided to retire from the dance floor and head home, friends said goodbye and exchanged hugs. As the music came to an end, this fun filled day would be *forever* etched into our memories.



The Homecoming Court and their escorts make their way out onto the field, amid audience cheers.



Right: The colorguard continues to "wow" the audience with their poise.

Below: Homecoming Queen, Kayla Negron, and Homecoming King Jack Cheng, proudly display their titles.



Bari Leff and Wendy Fine pump up the crowd during an exciting game.

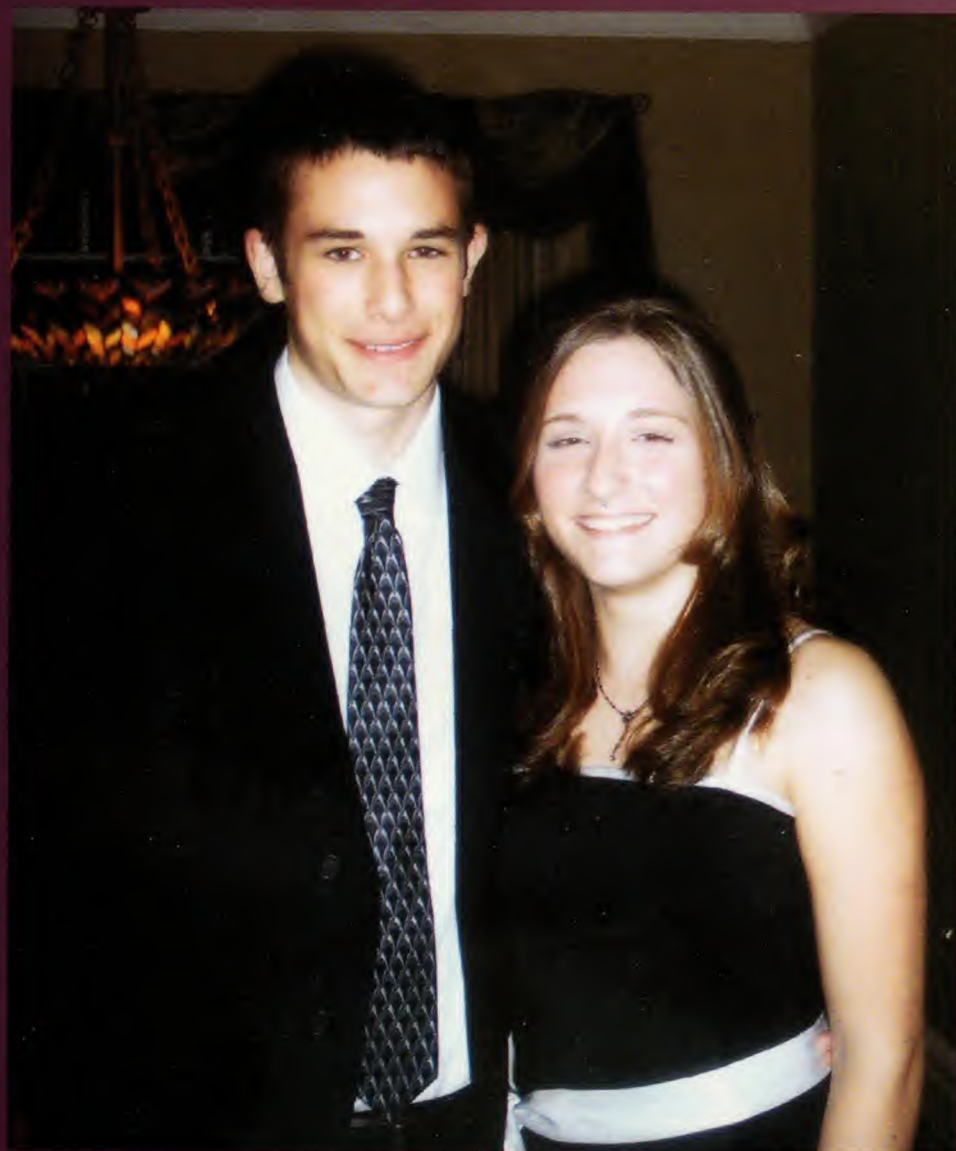


The Marching Band plays their popular tunes as the crowd sings along.

Center: The fighting football team defends the ball against Westside.



Mike Denburg and Madison Brown pose for a memorable picture before leaving for the Junior Prom.



Jubilant party-goers dance the night away!



Poulard Cedoit and Karen Mazariego dig into their tasty multicultural meals.

Anakaren Millan and Peter Smeraldo step outside for a moment to enjoy a breath of fresh air.



# Ordinary Days Evolving into an Extraordinary Night



The weeks leading to Junior prom were fun filled with excitement of what we would do there and who we would go with. We discussed arrangements such as limos and where we would "hang out" before and after. The guys rented their tuxes or suits and girls took their time to look gorgeous in their dresses. As we arrived at the Wilshire Grand Hotel, cocktails were served and we congregated with the other early arrivers. We then moved into the main ballroom, which was decorated by the theme black and white masquerade. The tables and the balloons were black and white and some of us wore masks to support the theme. Tables were later called to enjoy their international cuisine and take memorable pictures. As all this happened, the dance floor was occupied with more of us busting our moves. The music played throughout the *endless* night and faded to an end as we created *life long* memories. Although we were tired by the late hours of the night, the lovely dance was a success. The elegant venue, classy dresses, delicious buffet, and heart-thumping music etched a blanket of thoughts and emotions of growing out of adolescence.



Laura Campbell and Stephen Batiz take a break from dancing to enjoy a quick refreshment.





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A ponderous Dorothy Clinton wonders if she should take a bite out of that cupcake.



Samantha Emmerling returns back to her early childhood on a merry-go-round.



Jack Cheng and Marites Manikad play damsels in distress for a day.



Shandon Campbell, with luck, crams himself into a locker.



# Ultimate Experiences Altering into Memories



As young adults, we did several activities to have fun or just hang out. Some have been considered dangerous while others just a leisurely expenditure of time. We either attended a movie that had been the talk for months or simply ate at a restaurant. Whether in school or out with friends, we encountered unusual and unexpected ways to fill in the gaps of boredom.

Everyday activities became unforgettable times of laughter and excitement. From snapping quick pictures to a heart pounding roller coaster ride, we found fun in every aspect of our lives. Our imaginations had no limitations as to what we could transform the dull and mundane into. Age and size were no boundary to the acts and ideas that sprung up throughout the days of our high school years. The joys of these days remained with us, creating lasting memories of our exciting teenage experiences.



Nya Noziere and Michael D'Agostino have a special moment with Kelly Clarkson.



Beatrice Sangosse, Briana Sellers, Delisha Fields, Stephanie Brown, and Danielle Elizaire enjoy each other's company.



# Efforts Evolving into Lasting Investments

Growing up and moving on into the new world of the working class and proving to our families that we were no longer babies were all marks of our entrance into the working society. We worked for a measly \$7.15 an hour at different jobs where we spent our wages on the newest items on the market. After this *interminable* work, we knew that at the end of the day we would be one step closer to saving up money for our ultimate goals. Luxury items such as, cars, iPods, and couture clothing made the long hours we devoted to our jobs well worth it. Though it was difficult, these efforts were truly rewarding. Our occupations taught us valuable skills, such as teamwork and leadership. The jobs we worked at varied greatly while teaching us all new life experiences in the process. We had the chance to shine in ways we could not anywhere else. Hours of work filled our days and nights, where we often had to sacrifice social activities for this important commitment. Here, we were depended on and expected to surpass the expectations of our demanding employers. Determination was a trait we had to possess in the jobs we took on. Yet, we did not notice that along the way, we were changing and maturing, learning responsibility and gaining independence. Working gave us a source of private income, but more importantly, *perpetual* pride.



Nagla Bedir checks every pizza order with a smile at *Pizza Hut*.



Imani Drake diligently works to ring up a customer at *Annie Sez*.



Jesse Bacote and Daniel Pierre take a quick break from ushering at AMC.



Timothy Dam tests his selling and technological skills while persuading a customer to buy a product at Staples.



Deione Sydnor-Robinson stoops to restock the candy aisle at CVS.



Feven Amanuel and Gabriele Mangieri take a look-see at the traffic ahead.



No way you can call this a soccer-mom car. Shari Degenshein proudly shows off her bumper stickers.



Above: Teresea Polixa and Stanley Chen are all smiles at the end of the school day.

Middle Left: Andrew Miller cannot wait to leave school in the dust.



# Licenses Progressing into Countless Journeys



We got into the car half awake, blasted our favorite music, put the key into the ignition, revved it up a little, put on our seatbelts, checked our mirrors, and backed out of the driveway. Rolling into the Senior lot, we took our parking spots and started our day. While we were *forever* grateful to get away from the mundane "cheese busses", the traffic frenzies we faced at the end of the school day almost made the experience seem unworthy. Even through that, we still welcomed the *everlasting* independence. Apart from the usual spaces and the daily runs to *Dunkin Donuts™*, the unlimited freedom and imagination that came along with driving did not compare with any other. Possible road trips, weekly runs to the mall and late night snack escapades were all perks of driving. Random outings to 7/11 and midnight diner ventures became the norm. Whether we were driving the family mini-van, classy sedan, or a sporty coupe, the type of car did not matter as long as we arrived at our destination. Driving became a way to escape the stationary positions that once existed in our homes.



Burak Bulduk slides out of the driver's seat and prepares for the long walk towards school.



Mykel Charles poses for a quick smile and picture before speeding off towards home.



# Devoted Admirers Transforming into Starstruck Fans

"Wow! Is that who I think it is?", we thought to ourselves. Shock and disbelief melded into excitement and admiration as it dawned on us who these people were. We realized we were about to meet our *ultimate* idols! In awe, we somehow managed to stammer a "hello" and barely composed ourselves for a few seconds of picture-taking. We revelled in their attention even if it was barely a minute. The celebrity sightings and time spent with these stars seemed like momentous days in our lives. These surreal encounters included meeting singing sensations at malls and hanging out backstage at concerts. In addition, we came across talented actors who we remembered watching on TV and the silver screen as we grew up. Some were mentors, setting good examples for us while others were heros we worshipped. We fantasized about living their lives, enjoying the limelight, and strolling down the red carpet. We never forgot our brush with fame, and these pictures told the tale. These were the *lasting* stories of the amazing times we met real life celebrities. Maybe one day we will become stars, and be featured in future students' yearbooks.



Justin Hirata cannot control his excitement in front of Pauly Shore.



For a split second, strangers Krystle Mendoza and Christina Milian share a smile.



Mario Orcon wishes to belt out the *Three's Company* theme song in front of Joyce DeWitt who played Janet on the popular 80's sitcom.



Rachel Bielski is starstruck by Erik Chandler from the band *Bowling for Soup*.



# Downtime Developing into Lifelong Skills

The members class of 2007 were very creative with their spare time. We expressed our interests in a variety of exciting ways; a reflection of our personalities. Our hobbies were as varied as the the students of the senior class. This diversity of interests ranged from the talents of eloquent poetry writing to interactive breakdancing. Volunteer work was also a popular endeavor for the compassionate WOHS senior class. An elite group of seniors saved lives as EMTs. They arrived at the scene of the emergency, ready to do everything necessary to administer crucial aid to victims. Some activities we took part in even illustrated our heritages, such as cultural dances and organizations. From food drives to self expression, we made productive use of our time by doing what we loved. These hobbies helped to define our class, showcasing our talents and unique devotion to the community, friends, and family.



For Joseph Alex and Melissa Morin it's just another day on the job as they bravely save another life as EMTs.



Danielle Ancheta proves that volunteering for a food drive for NHS IS fun and worthwhile.



Fred Laurente twists his body to the beat of the music as he gets ready to breakdance at a local B-Boy show.



Keir Bristol expresses her deepest thoughts as her ideas transform into art.



# Youth Changing into Adolescence

Think back to when an aunt, uncle, grandma or granddad came over to your home. They *always* commented on the pictures of us as toddlers, sometimes made side by side comparisons, or took us to the wall where we marked our height.

They told memorable anecdotes of quirky habits that we had when we were younger, and usually went on to say how we had or had not matured. As we looked at the pictures, we thought back to our first day in kindergarten, our first falls, our first time learning how to ride a bike, first friends, and first sleepovers. We had flashbacks of special moments, sometimes pleasant and other times embarrassing. However, as we looked back we laughed as we recounted and these memories *forevermore*. From baby pictures with bows on our hairless heads to candid pictures of us as diapered toddlers on the beach, we enjoyed those early thoughts. They returned as flashbacks from the past triggered by everyday events. These early experiences helped shape who we are today.

A shy Michelle Co cannot wait to get out of the limelight.



James Birchler emerges from behind the table smirking as he gets caught stealing cookies.



The St. Cloud fifth grade chorus gleefully smiles after singing a song in 2000.



Christine Choy sneaks in a quick glamour shot before she dances the night away at a recital.



An upset Lorena Borgeaud refuses to smile while she clings to her doll.



Kaitlyn Mitschele holds a sense of excitement and nervousness as she boards the bus on her first day of school.



Below middle: The innovative science labs enhance student learning experiences.

Below: From the tables to the lines, everything in the new cafeteria reminds us of the grandeur of the construction.

The multi-purpose South Gym is one of the completed portions of the new building.



The Old Cafeteria holds the memories of new students as well as old students.

The new addition looks incomplete but the future holds a state of the art facility.



# Blueprints Morphing into Structures



As freshmen, we walked into a huge school with open fields and the possibility of renovations. Pipes hung from the ceiling near the "Old Cafeteria", links were demolished for rebuilding, alternate makeshift tunnels were built, and classes were held in the trailers. The infamous bubble went up during that year and every student thought it was the greatest addition to the school and we tried to predict what we would do inside of it. As construction continued, we found it more difficult to find natural grass. Two more fields *morphed* into turf covered ground. At times, the construction disturbed classes and the workers could be seen through the windows on rooftops. As seniors, we enjoyed the Joseph Suriano Stadium and the New Building. We moseyed through less crowded hallways and studied in beautiful classrooms. From the new science labs to the expansive multipurpose South Gym, construction around and inside the school complemented our journey through high school. From the *valley* fire drills to the adoption of an ID requirement policy, our high school experience was certainly forever changing.



The renovated new link replaces the old link as the upcoming year approaches.



The old link surprisingly holds itself up as construction begins during freshman year.



# The Female Odd Couple

As the curtain rose, the stage lights came on, and the cast emerged. The talented students of West Orange High School performed seamlessly in the fall drama, *The Female Odd Couple*, a wonderfully quirky twist on the traditional play *The Odd Couple*. Kelda Carlson and Pam Raisin shined as Florence and Olive, the two different people living together as *The Female Odd Couple*. Kelda Carlson's character was tidy, organized and proper while Pam Raisin's was sloppy, carefree, and stubborn. As the theatrical creation progressed, the dialogue shifted from humorous to hilarious and the audience was kept captivated by the cast's antics. Through it all, the thespians' excellent dedication and unbreakable spirit held them all together contributing to a play that was to be truly remembered.

Pam Raisin and Szalene Anthony perfect their roles on the stage.



Danielle Cell grabs Kelda Carlson, one of the leads, in an attempt to make her understand something.



Rocky Rinaldi, Danielle Petrucelli, and Carlos Quintanilla, are captured in a state of shock.



Rocky Rinaldi and Danielle Cell are glammed up before the show.



The talented cast keeps the audience engaged with their superb acting and humor during a card game.



Pam Raisin one part of *The Female Odd Couple*, answers the phone in a grubby manner as Olive.



## Academic Quiz Team



Advisor: Elizabeth Manning

## Anime Club

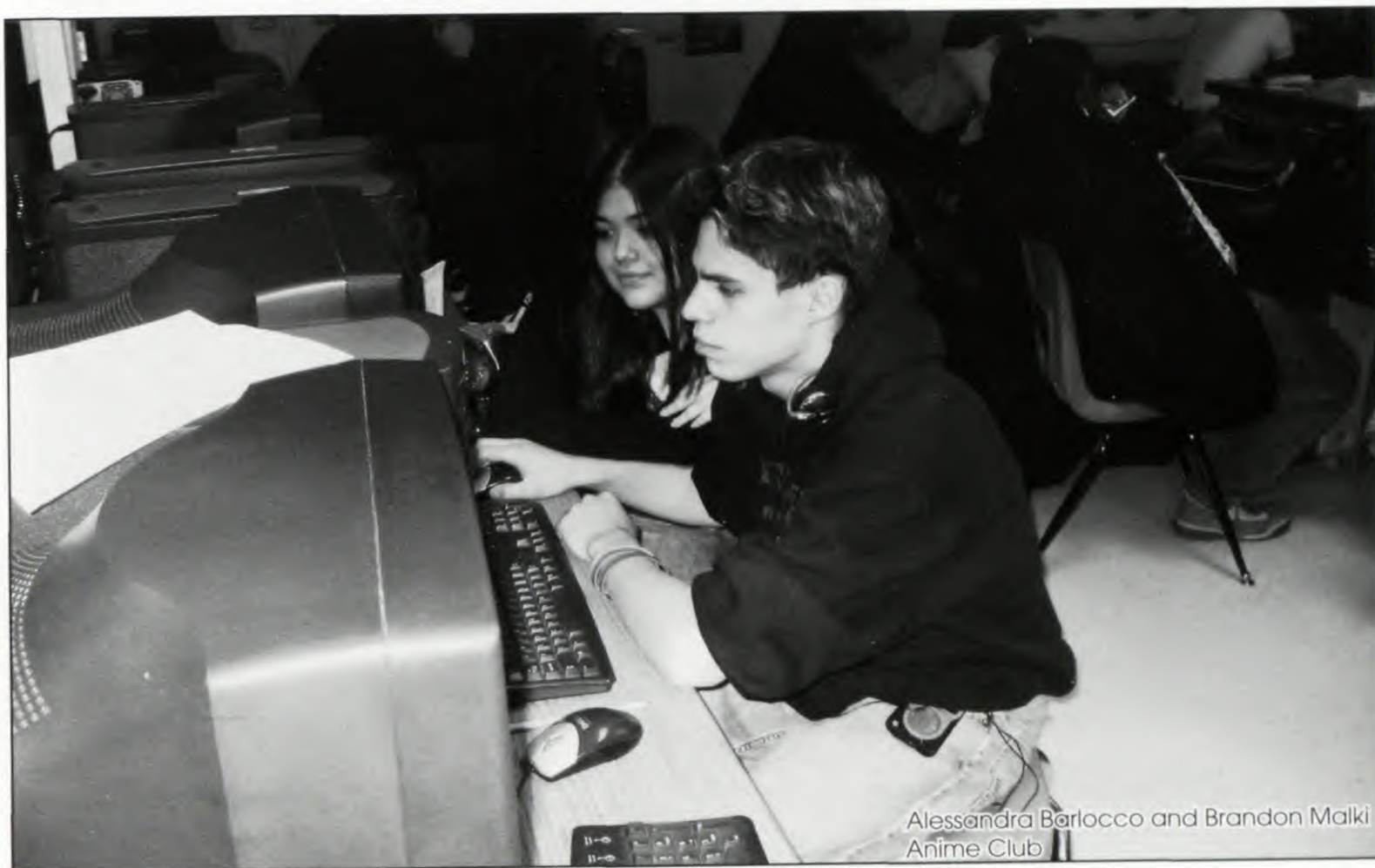


Advisor: Anthony Prasa



Jadam Rementilla  
Art Club





Alessandra Barlocco and Brandon Malki  
Anime Club

## Art Club



Advisor: Diane Tol

## Audiovisual



Advisor: Martin Kale



## Chefs Club



Advisors: Nancy Donnelly &  
Susan Marshall

## Chess Club



Advisor: Ara Berberian



Samantha Kirkland  
Color Guard



## Color Guard



Advisor: Louis Hellinger

## Current Events Club



Advisor: Scott Kuchinsky

## Design Technology Club



Advisor: John Worobetz

## Drama Club



Advisor: Sandra Van Dyke



## Drill Team



Advisors: Leslie Chung &  
Purvi Patel

## English as a Second Language Club



Advisor: Linda Ozarow

## FLES Italian



Advisor: Kristine Massari

## FLES Spanish



Advisor: Maria Montgomery



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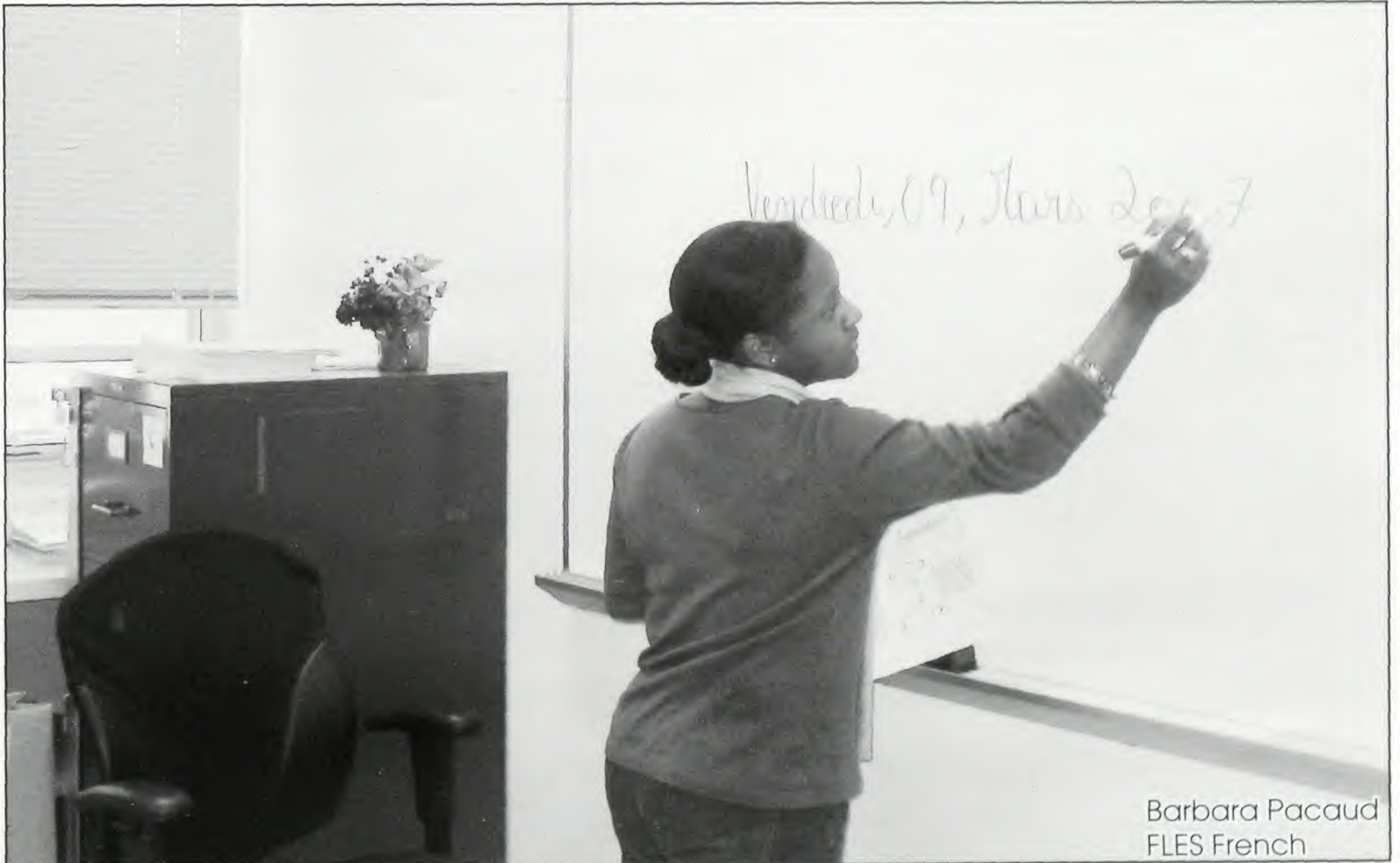


Advisor: Sharon Ortiz

## FLES French

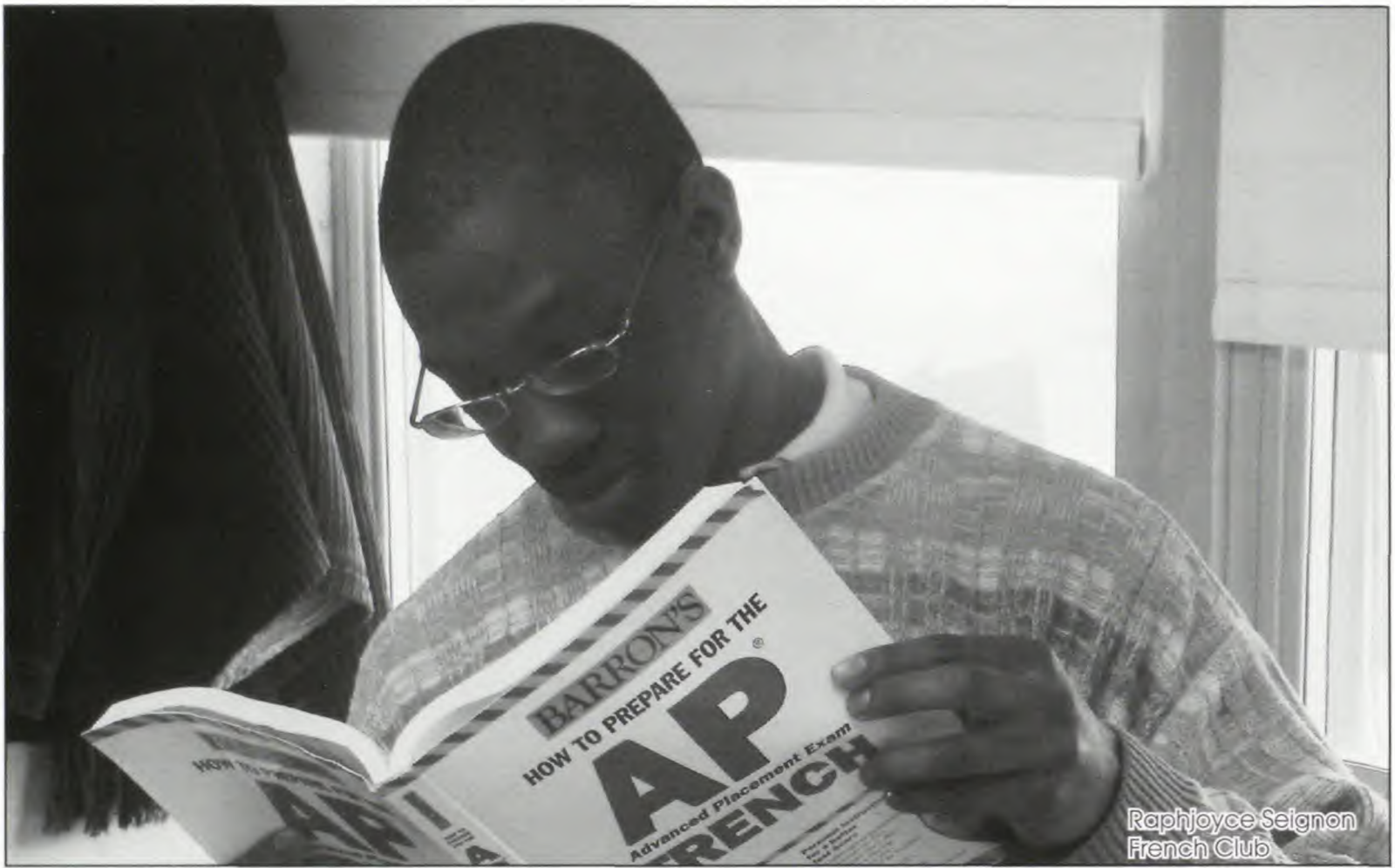


Advisor: Dana Peart



Barbara Pacaud  
FLES French





French Club



Advisor: Jean Claude Cenatus

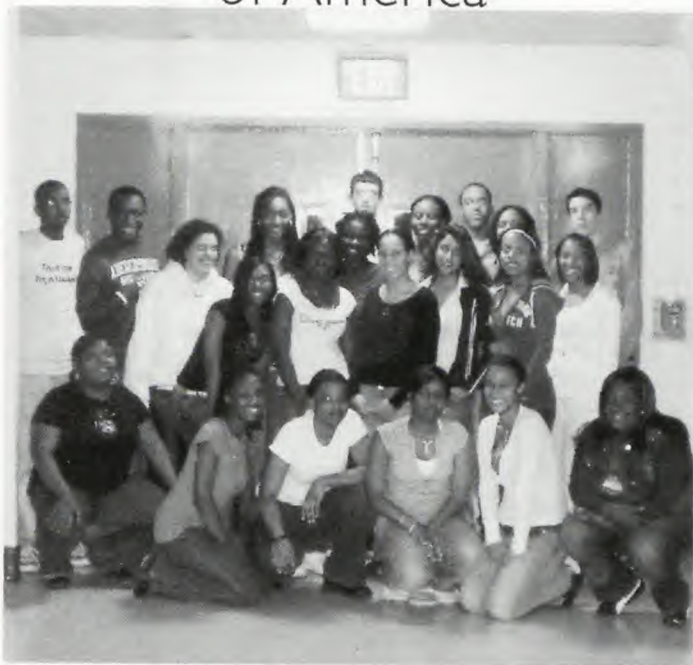
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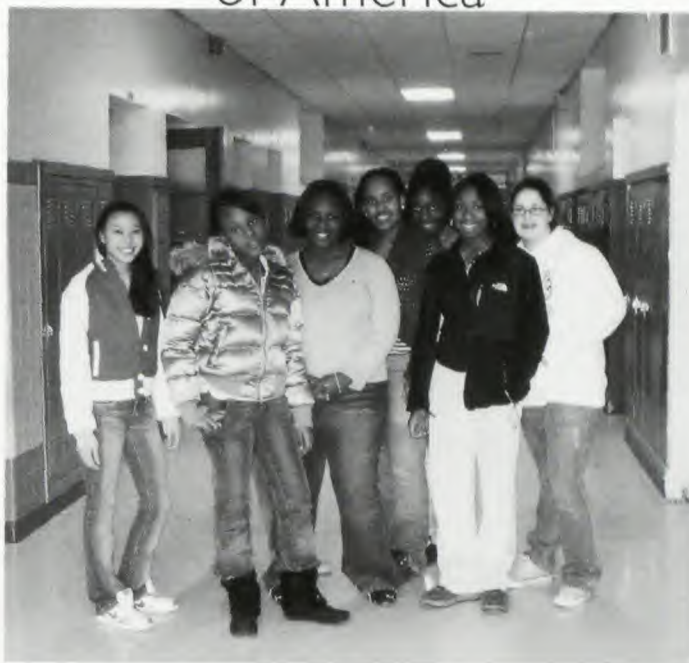


## Future Business Leaders of America



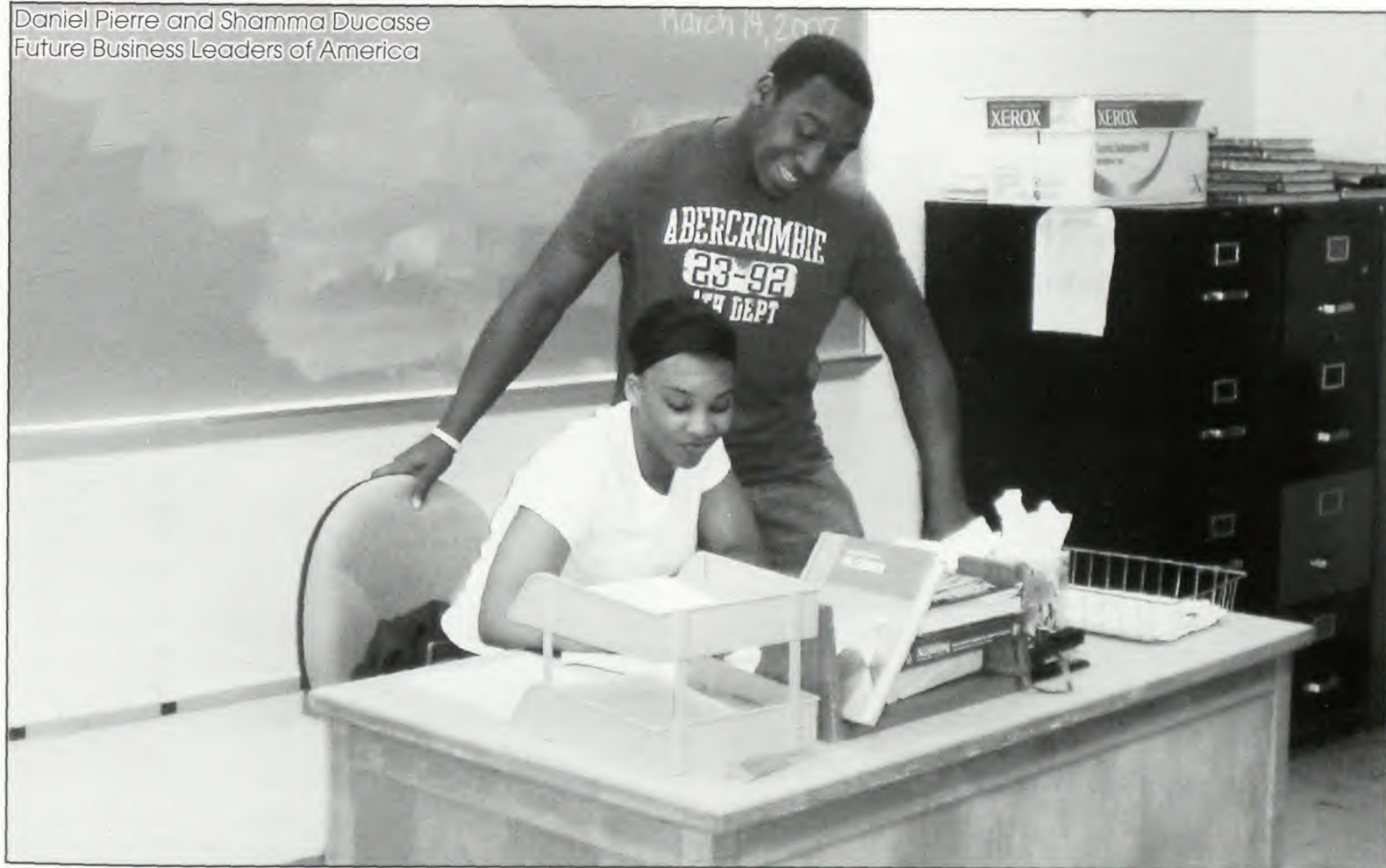
Advisor: Victor Paglio

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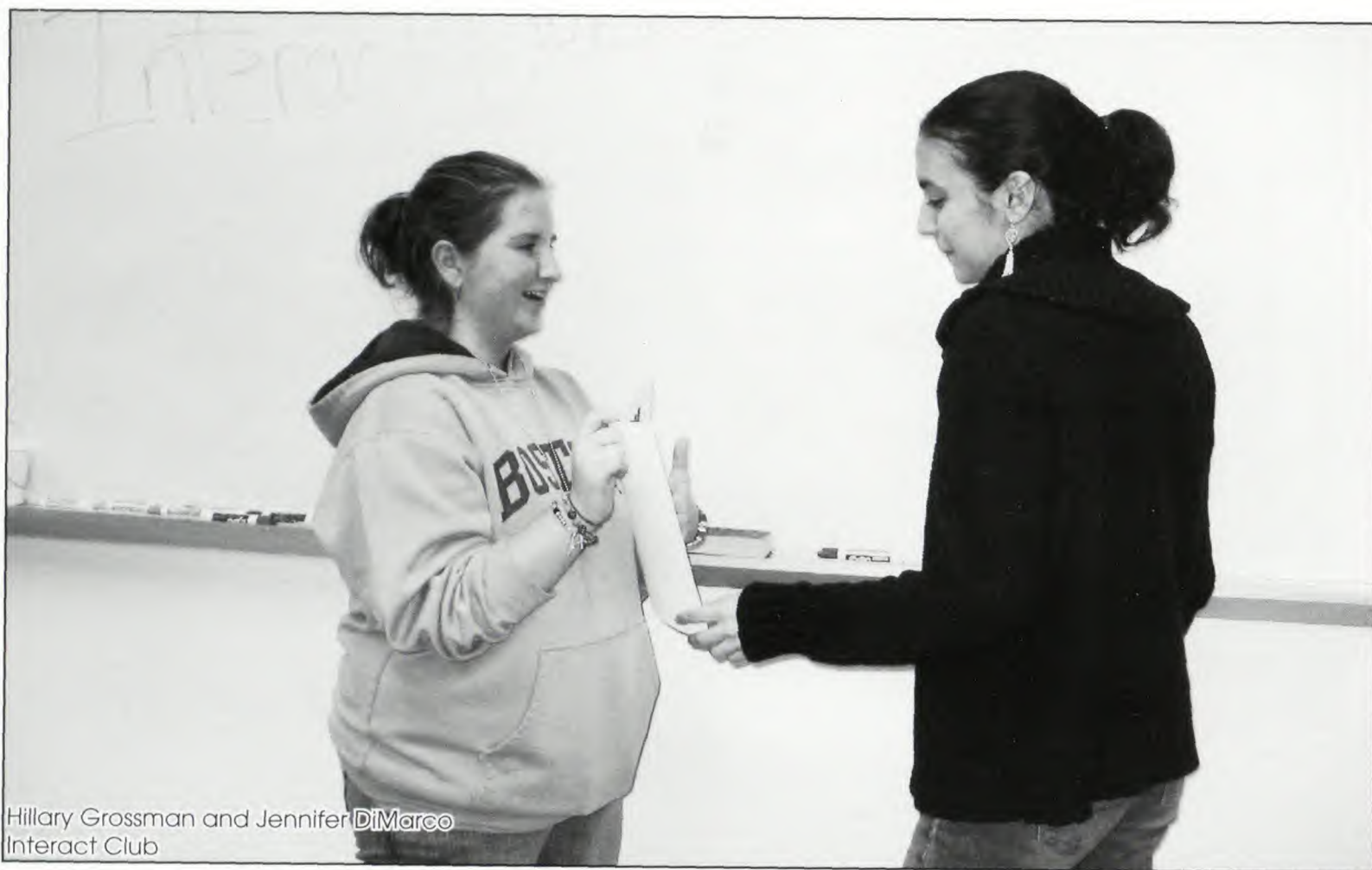


Advisor: Shannon Russo

Daniel Pierre and Shamma Ducasse  
Future Business Leaders of America







Hillary Grossman and Jennifer DiMarco  
Interact Club

## Interact Club



Advisor: Lori Bollotta

## Italian Club



Advisor: Vincenza Amabile



## Guitar Club



Advisor: Scott Kuchinsky

## Health Careers Club



Advisors: Marianne Diglio &  
Debra Franek

## Italian Honor Society



Advisor: Kristine Massari

## Jazz Band I



Advisors: Lewis Kelly &  
Chris Finnegan



## Jazz Band II



Advisors: Lewis Kelly &  
Chris Finnegan

## Junior Statesmen of America



Advisor: Dr. Deborah Dodds

## Literary Magazine *Cobblestone*



Advisor: Erica DePalo

## Math Team



Advisors: Lynne Steinberg,  
Susan Whitty, & Kerri Coyne



## Jubilee Show Choir



Advisor: William Farley

## Key Club



Advisors: Bryan Ribardo &  
Lauren DeMaio



Danielle Lanzet  
*Literary Magazine Cobblestone*



## Men's Step Team



Advisor: William Farley

## Mock Trial



Advisor: Julie Parr

## Model Congress



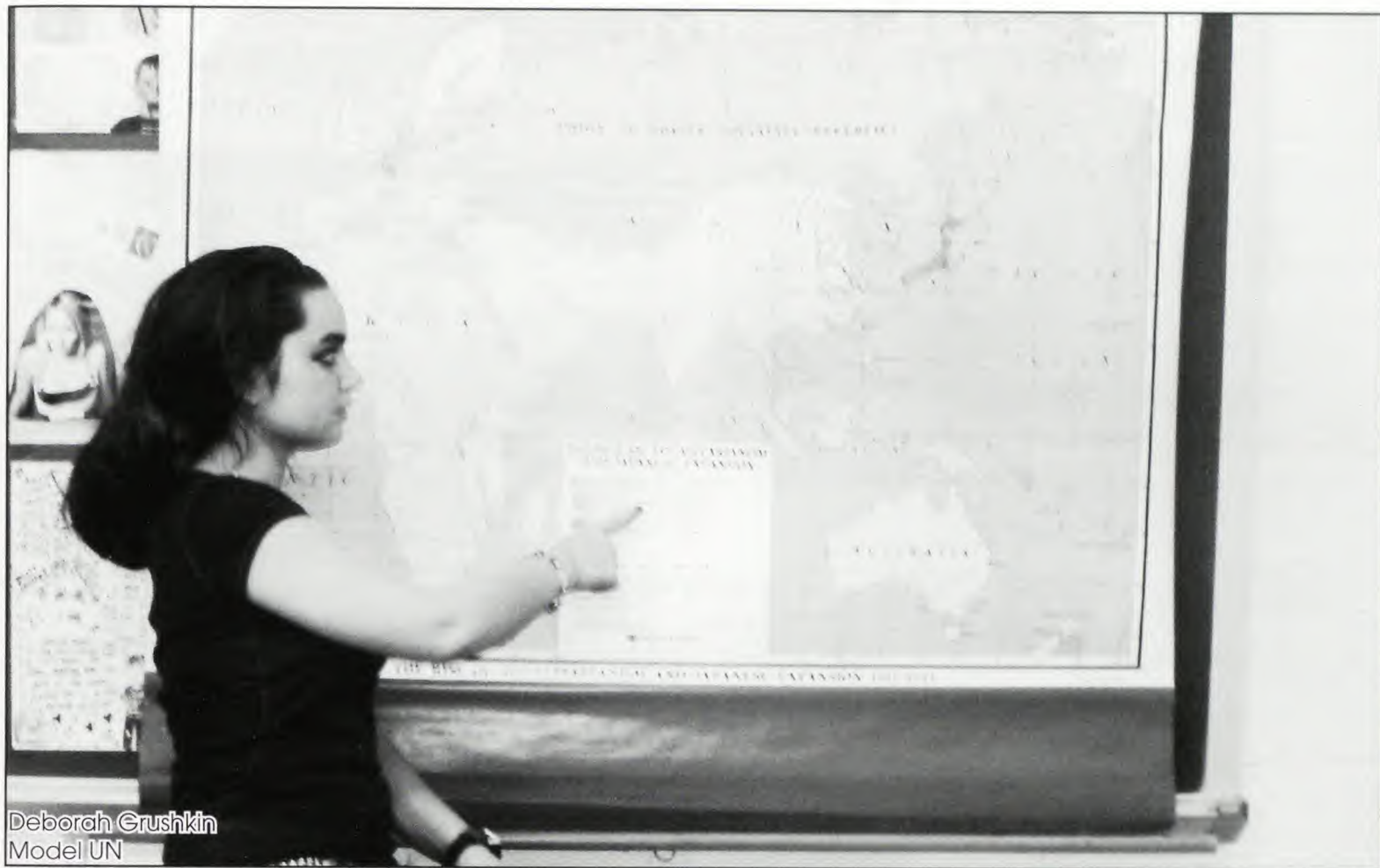
Advisor: Douglas Drabik

## Model United Nations



Advisor: Eric Price





Deborah Grushkin  
Model UN

## Music Honor Society (Tri-M)



Advisors: Margo Sokolow,  
William Farley, & Erin McClure

## National Honors Society



Advisors: Kathryn Furey &  
Michelle Ehrlich



## Newspaper *The Pioneer*



Advisors: William Ehrlich &  
Michael Cohen

## PEP Club



Advisor: Nicole Krulik



Joseph Marie  
Ping Pong Club



## Photography Club



Advisor: David Vodofsky

## Ping Pong Club



Advisor: Victor Alcindor

## Royal Strings



Advisor: Margo Sokolow

## Science Club



Advisor: Robert Middleton



Mayra Arrua Camano , Esteban De Leon, Lella Favale  
Spanish Club



## Smoke Quitters and Wellness Club



Advisor: Nancy Lasher

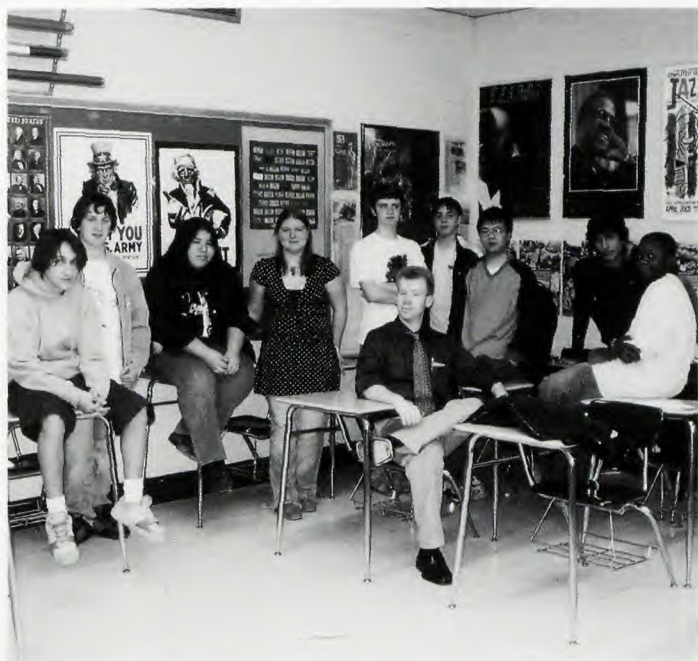
## Spanish Club



Advisor: Ericka Collado



## Screenwriters Society



Advisor: William Bradley

## Senior Class Council



Advisors: Shannon Russo &  
Michelle Ehrlich

## Spanish Honor Society



Advisor: Begoña Viqueira

## Student Council



Advisor: David Vodofsky



## Technology Student Association



Advisor: Anthony Prasa

## Ultimate Frisbee

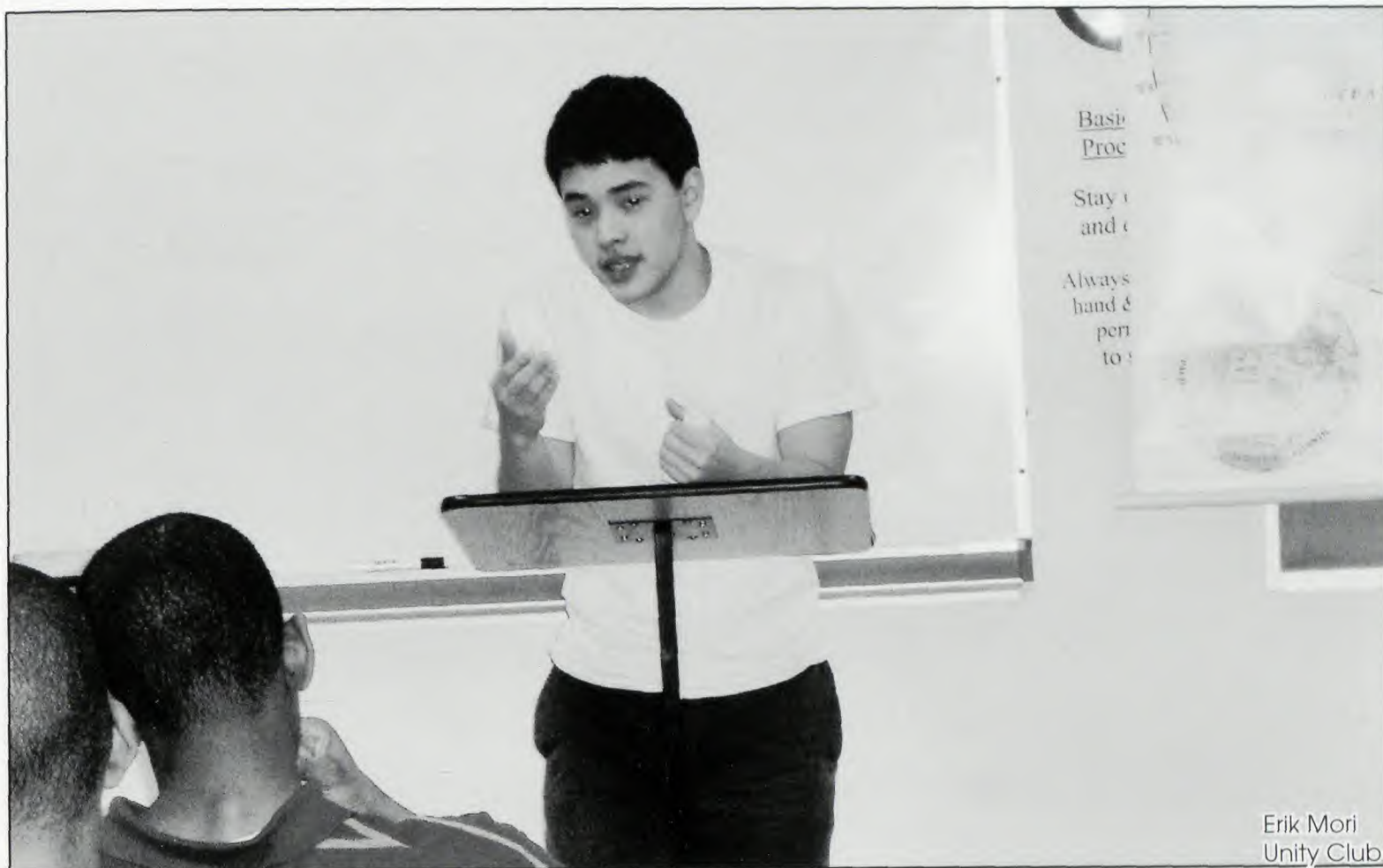


Advisor: Thomas Gargiulo



Yearbook Staff





Erik Mori  
Unity Club

## Unity Club



Advisor: Dr. David Sehr

## Yearbook *The Mountaineer*



Advisor: Michelle Martino





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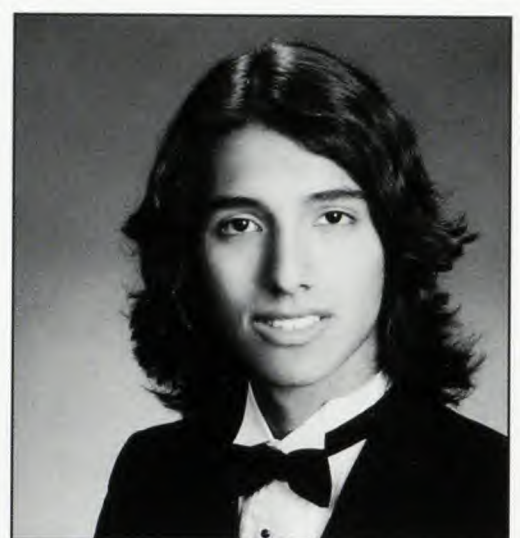




Romulo Abbago



Luis Abreu



Mauricio Acosta-Pomar



Chidinma Ahukanna

Some people see things as they are and say why. I dream things that never were and say why not?  
-Robert F. Kennedy



Angelica Albizu

I dreamed I got so high I could see where the blue turns to black, from up there you can see all there is, and it looked like there was a reason for everything.  
-An Unfinished Life



Joseph Alex

Rome wasn't built in a day.  
-Kurt Vonnegut



Malcolm Alexander



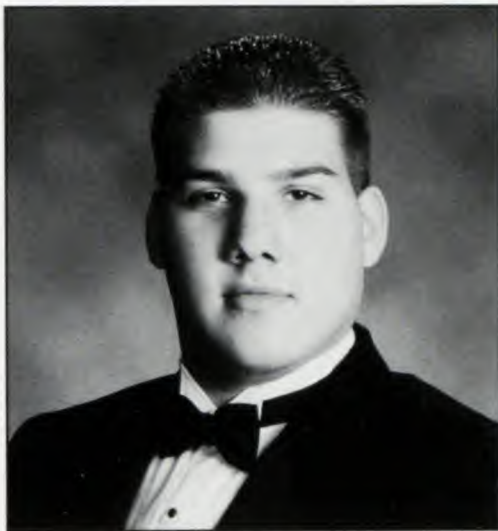
Chinasa Ndumele





Margaret Alfano

I'd rather be a could-be if I cannot be an are; because  
a could-be is a maybe who is reaching for a star.  
-Milton Berle



Marcos Alicata

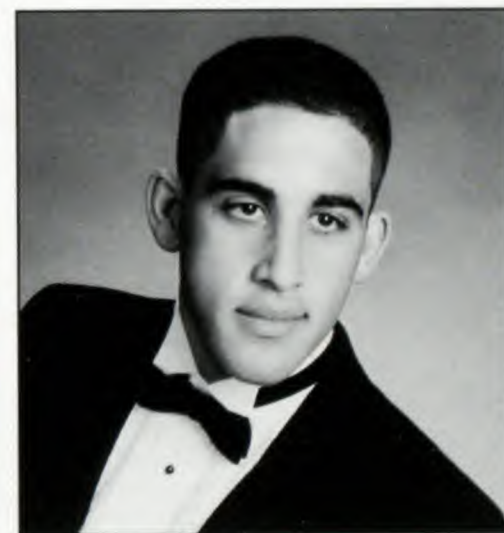


David Alsieux

Nothing is achieved without toil.  
- Horace



Altawan Alston



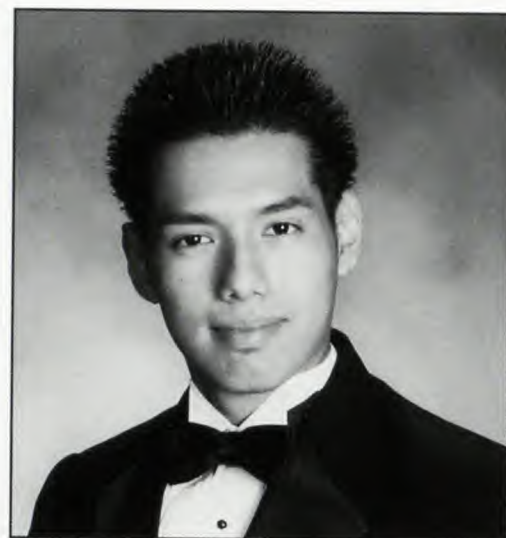
Austin Alvarado

When I step on the pitch, I don't play against a particular  
team, I play against the idea of losing: Joga Bonito!  
-Eric Cantona, *The Boss*





Shannon Murphy



Daniel Alvarez



Feven Amanuel



Tahisha Amilcar



Danielle Ancheta

Growing up happens in a heartbeat. One day you're in a diaper, next day you're gone. But the memories of childhood stay with you for the long haul. - *The Wonder Years*



Jane Andaluz



Amy Cavallaro

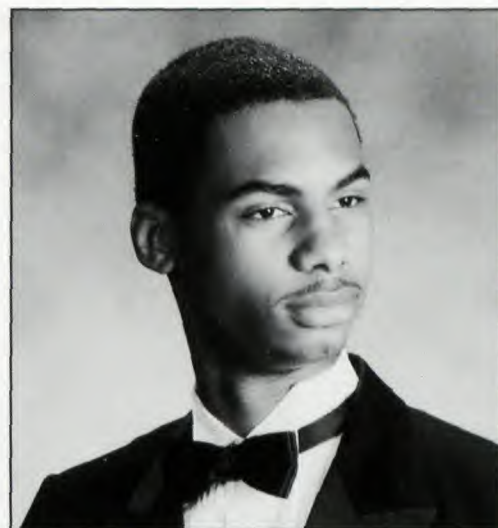




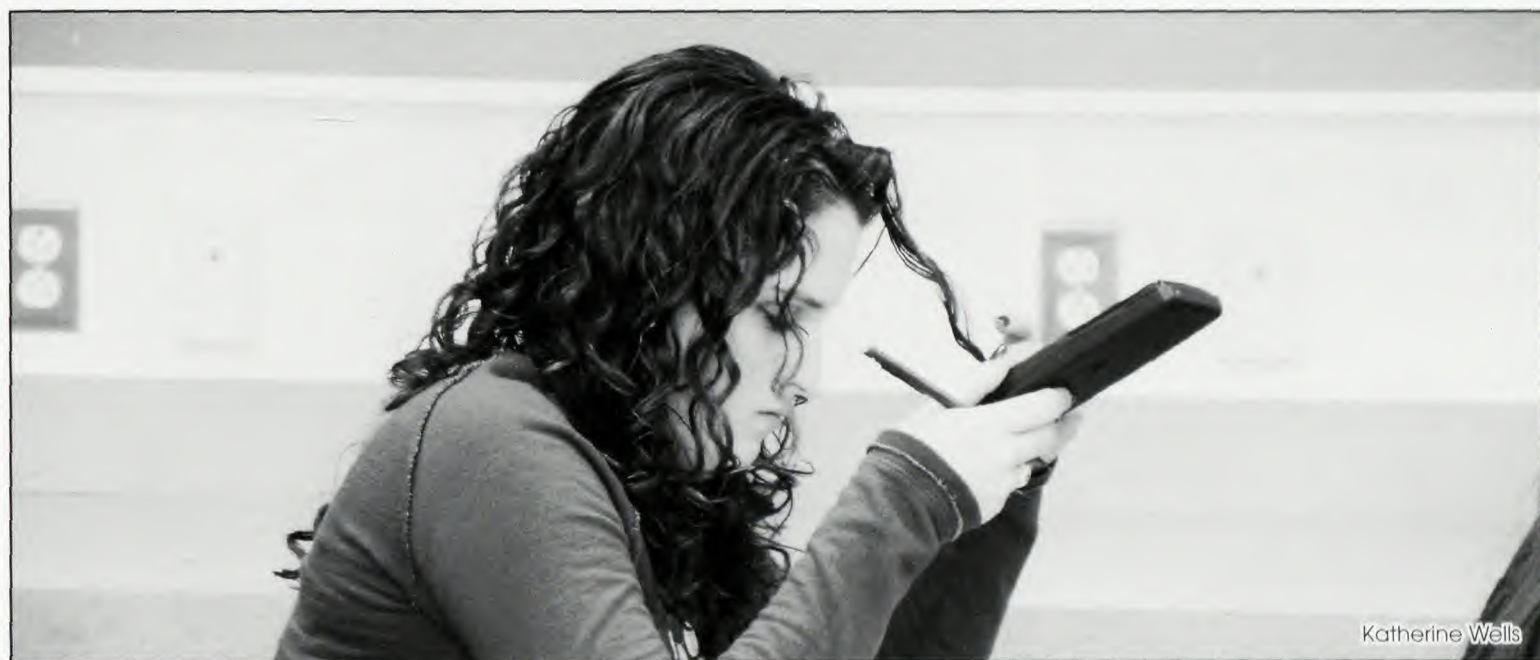
Michelle Anderson  
The only real failure in life is the failure to try.  
- Unknown



Sara Anthony



Steve Antoine



Katherine Wells



Joseph Antonucci Jr.



Kevin Appenzoller  
Faithless is he that says farewell when the road darkens.  
- J.R.R. Tolkien

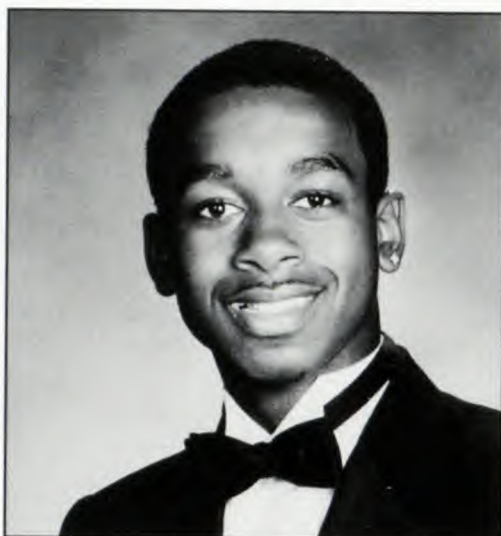


Cristina Arenas





Tianah Arline



Jon Arnold

A man fit for living, is one who has found something worth dying for. West for life.  
- Coach John Jacobs



Luis Arrieta



Pedro Arrojo



Mayra Arrua-Camano

When we are dreaming alone, it is only a dream.  
When we are dreaming with others, it is the beginning of reality. -Dom Helder Comara



Andrew Ashqar

He who makes a beast out of himself gets rid of the pain of being a man.  
-Hunter S. Thompson



Daniel Attamante

We grew up so fast...  
We grew up so fast...  
-Thursday





Lynn Siconolfi



Marissa Aulisi



Candida Aylla



David Azzoli

No matter what other nations may say about the United States, immigration is still the sincerest form of flattery.  
-Clayton Cramer



Shalini Babu

To be great is to be misunderstood.  
-Ralph Waldo Emerson



Melonie Bailey

Life is about not knowing, having to change, taking the moment and making the best of it.  
-Gilda Radner



Vanessa Bailey



Andrew Bajana



*If you had to describe West Orange High School  
in one word, what would it be?*



"Chaotic."

- Lindsey Desiderio



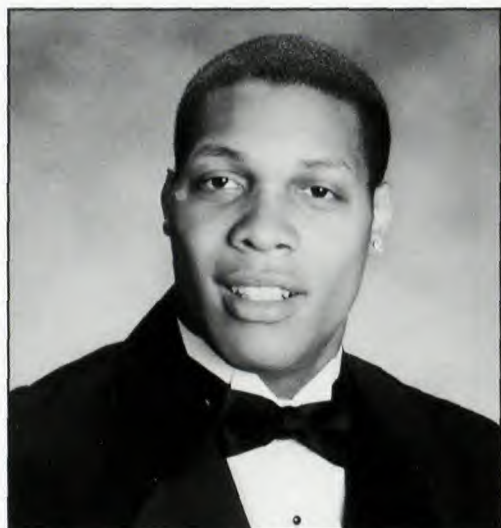
"West."

-Cynthia Olachea



"Memorable."

-Deborah Grushkin



Anthony Ballard



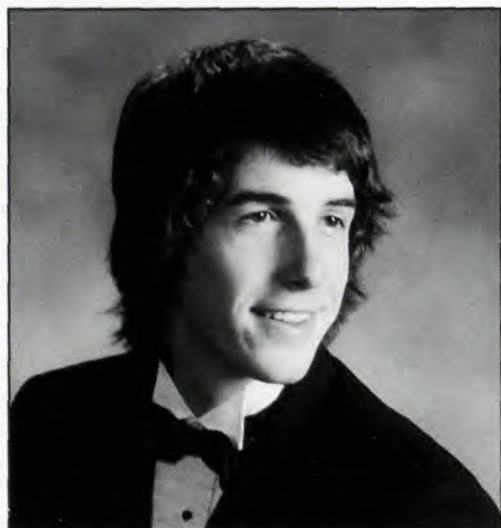
Antoinette Ballard

No matter how a woman looks,  
if she's confident, she's sexy.  
-Paris Hilton



Alessandra Barlocco

Nothing in life is to be feared.  
It is only to be understood.  
-Marie Curie



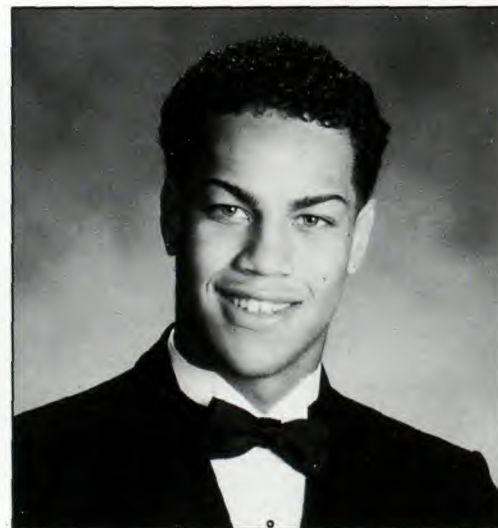
Peter Barnas

You've got to trust your instinct.  
-311



Dennys Barragan-Villalba

Put your future in good hands- your own.  
-Unknown



Raymon Barrett

Leaders are made, they are not born. They are made by hard  
effort, which is the price all of us must pay to achieve any  
goal that is worth while. -Vince Lombardi





Joshua Bascones



Nancy Baskar

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



Eddie Battle Jr.

Your head is about living; your heart is about being alive.  
-Teri Woods

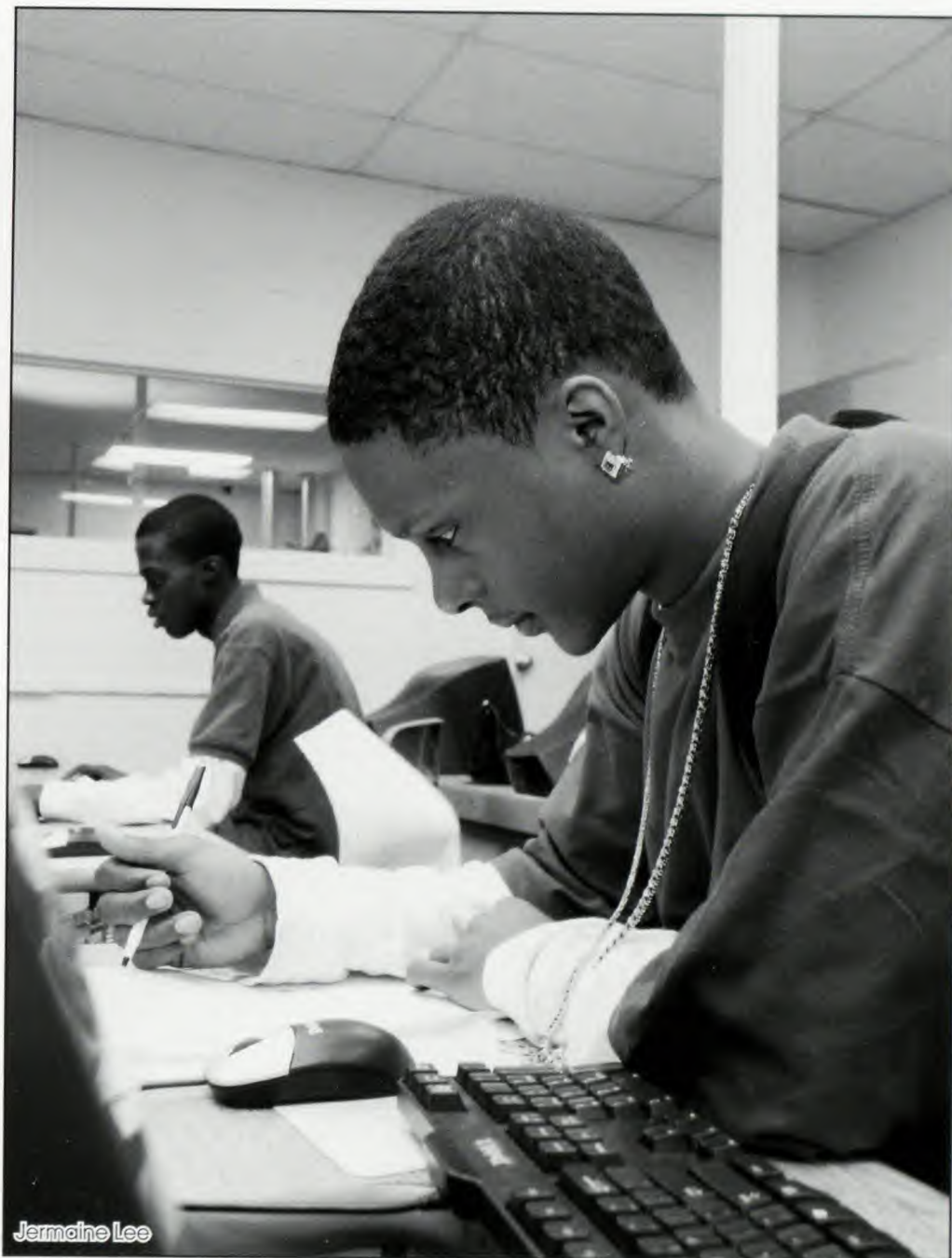


Nagla Bedir

Be who you are and say what you feel, because those who  
mind don't matter, and those who matter don't mind.  
-Dr. Seuss



Elizabeth Benjamin



Jermaine Lee





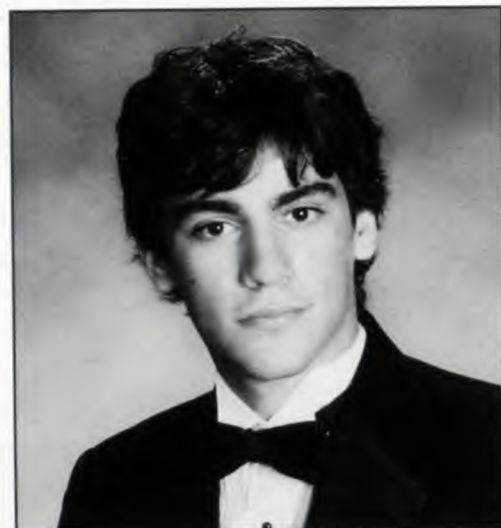
**Claudeen Benoit**

Live the life you've imagined.  
-Henry David Thoreau



**Lauren Berry**

On game shows, some people will take the trip to France, but most people will take the washer dryer pair.  
-Chuck Palahniuk



**Leonardo Betancor**

In a time of universal deceit, telling the truth is a revolutionary act.  
-George Orwell



**Rachel Bielski**

If you have the opportunity to play this game of life you need to appreciate every moment. A lot of people don't appreciate the moment until it's passed. -Kanye West



**Derby Biennestin**

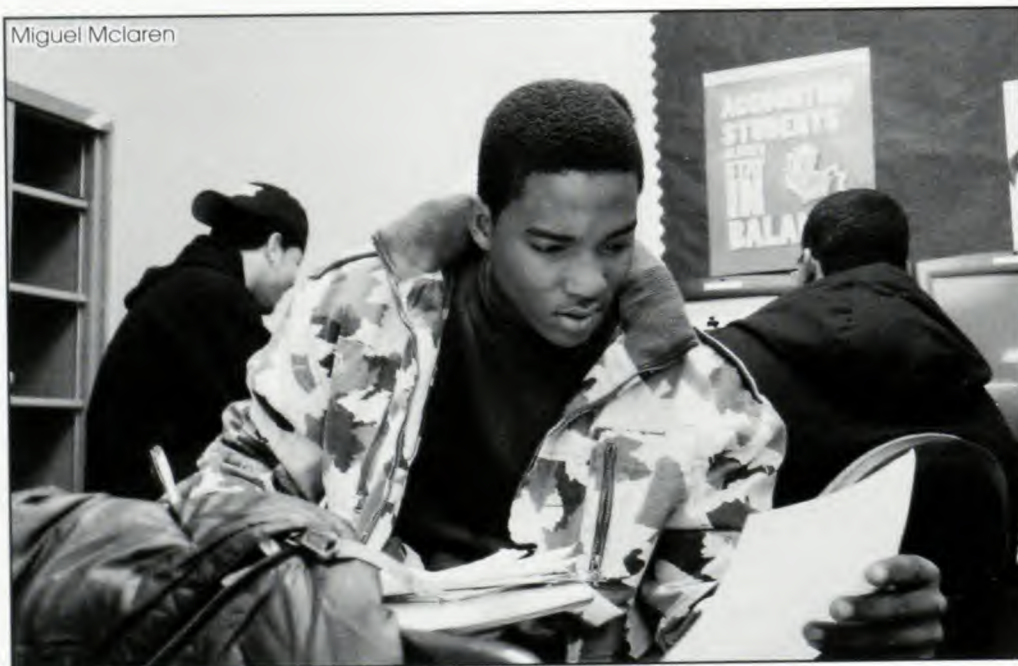
Thoughts are energy. And you can make your world or break your world by your thinking.  
-Susan Taylor



**Chade Biney-Amissah**

Everyday brings a chance for you to draw in a breath, kick off your shoes, and dance.  
-Oprah Winfrey

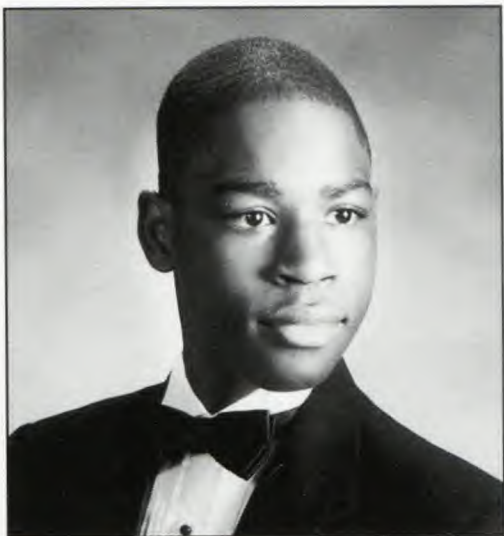
**Miguel McLaren**



**James Birchler**

Sometimes we put up walls, not to keep people out, but to see who cares enough to knock them down!  
-Anonymous





Jimmy Blezin



Matthew Ford



George Bloschok



Samantha Blumenfeld

Containment is the key to contentment; measurement is your gift for the haphazard impulse in each one of us.  
-Maureen Seaton



Sari Bodner

It's tempting to wish for the perfect boss, the perfect parent, or the perfect outfit; the best any of us can do is not quit, play the hand we've been dealt, and accessorize what we've got.  
-Carrie Bradshaw, *Sex and the City*



Maximiliano Bolagno



Lynn Marie Bonano



Lorena Borgeaud-Gomez

Life is like a taxi. The meter just keeps a-ticking whether you are getting somewhere or just standing still.  
-Lou Erickson



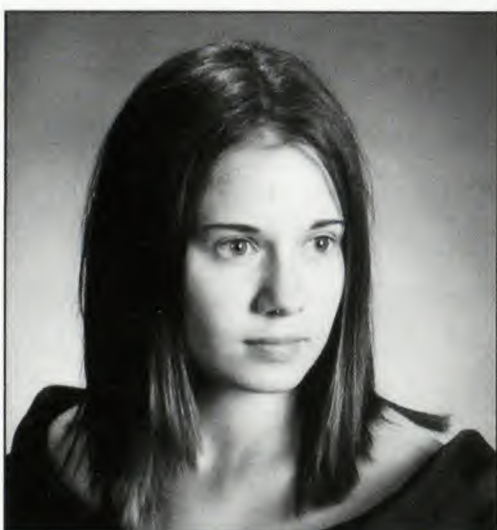


Peter Barnas and Nicole Tarantula



Keisha Braithwaite

The only way of finding the limits of the possible is by going beyond them into the impossible.  
-Arthur C. Clark



Allison Bravoco

Don't let the past define you. Just let it become a part of your future.  
-Unknown



Brinson Bridgett



Naisheya Brinkley

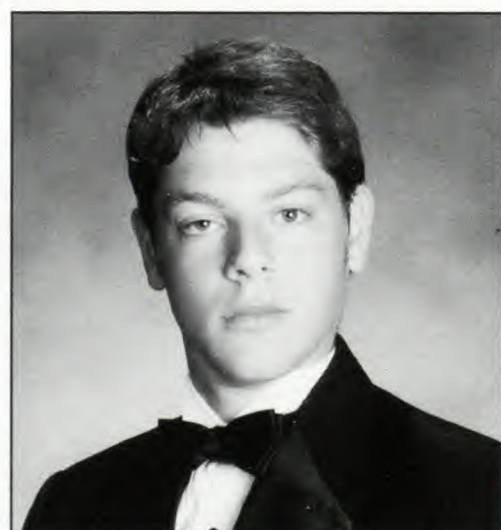


Keir Bristol



Kianna Brittle

In the end, it's not going to matter how many breaths you took, but how many moments took your breath away.  
-Shing Xiong



Ben Brosh

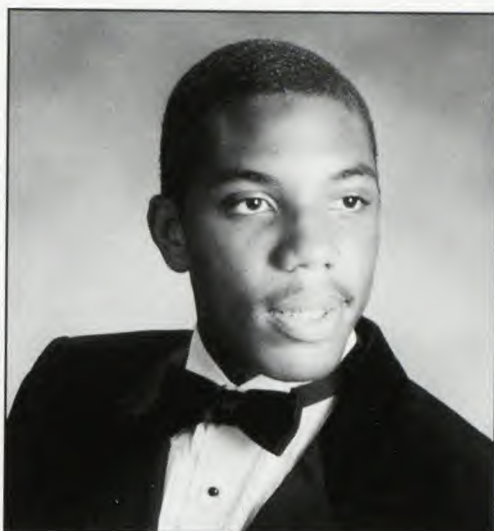
But why think about that when all the golden land's ahead of you and all kinds of unforeseen events wait lurking to surprise you and make you glad you're alive to see? -Jack Kerouac



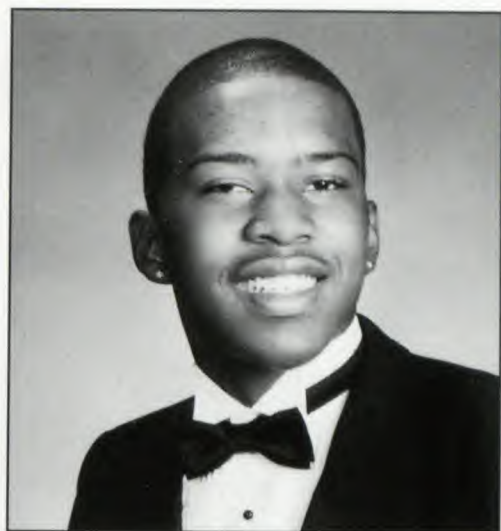


Madison Brown

It is difficult to say what is impossible, for the dream of yesterday is the hope of today and the reality of tomorrow.  
-Robert H. Goddard



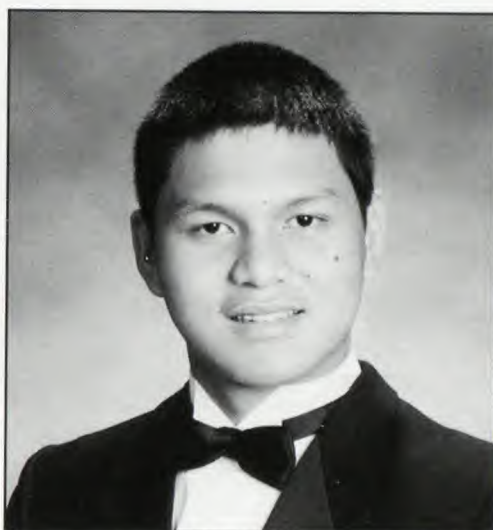
Mychael Brown



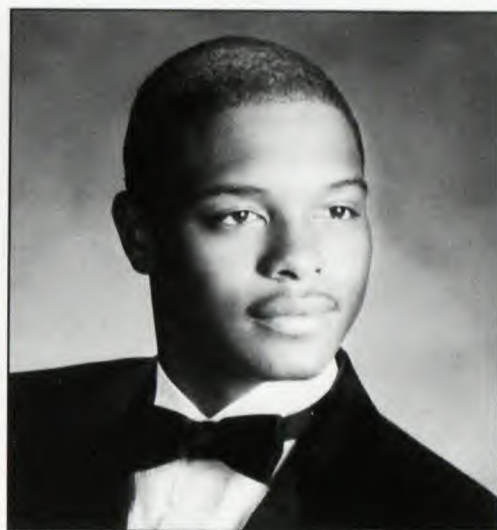
Scott Brown



Stephanie Brown



Marc Brucal



Lovelle Bruce



Joanecia Brun

Don't cry because it's over. Smile because it happened.  
-Dr. Seuss



Javier Thomas





**Brittany Bryant**

If we have no peace, it is because we have forgotten  
that we belong to each other.  
-Mother Teresa



**Burak Bulduk**

Life is what you make it.  
-Unknown



**Brendalyn Bunao**

The meeting of two personalities is like the contact of two  
chemical substances; if there is any reaction, both are  
transformed. -Carl Jung



**Brian Burgess**



**Tiffany Burgos**





Angelica Burton



Lydia Gyeabour and Louis Oskar



Danny Bustamante

We come to love not by finding a perfect person, but by learning to see an imperfect person perfectly.  
-Sam Keen



Woody Caidor



Adam Calvao



Laura Campbell

I hope your dreams take you to the corners of your smiles, to the highest of your hopes, and to the most special places your heart has ever known. -Unknown



Shandon Campbell

Come as you are, not as you'd like to be.  
-Unknown



Joan Cardenas

Such is the power of love in gentle mind, that it can alter all the course of kind.  
-Edward Spenser





**John Cardoza**

It is folly for a man to pray to the Gods for that which he has the power to obtain by himself.  
-Epicurus



**Kelda Carlson**

Passion will make you crazy,  
but is there any other way to live?  
-Howard Hughes



**Garrel Carmichael**



**Ernesto Rementilla**



**Ramon Carreras**

Let us not seek the Republican answer or the Democratic answer, but the right answer. Let us accept our own responsibility for the future. -John F. Kennedy



**Ashley Case**

Never let the fear of striking out keep you from playing the game.  
-A Cinderella Story



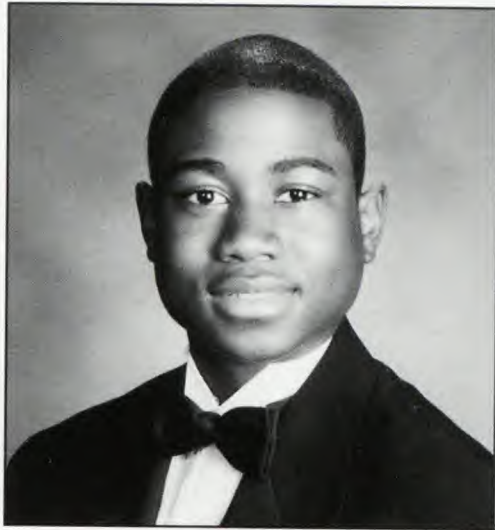
**Tatiana Castillo**

Happiness is not so much in having as sharing. We make a living by what we get, but we make a life by what we give.  
-Norman Maclean



**Amy Cavallaro**





Poulard Cedoit



Danielle Cell

They didn't see me, they saw their own lewd thoughts, then they white-masked themselves by calling me the lewd one.  
-Marilyn Monroe



Eric Cerna



Nelly Chabla-Jerez

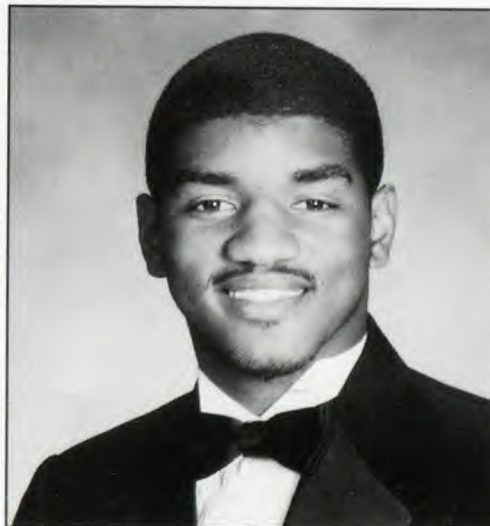
A loving person lives in a loving world. A hostile person lives in a hostile world. Everyone you meet is your mirror.  
-Ken Keyes Jr.



Hebah Emara and Feraan Mohamed



Althea Charles



Mykel Charles



Theodore William Charles





**Dagmawit Chekole**

We should all be concerned about the future because we will have to spend the rest of our lives there.  
-Charles F. Kettering



**Stanley Chen**

Wheresoever you go, go with all your heart.  
-Confucius



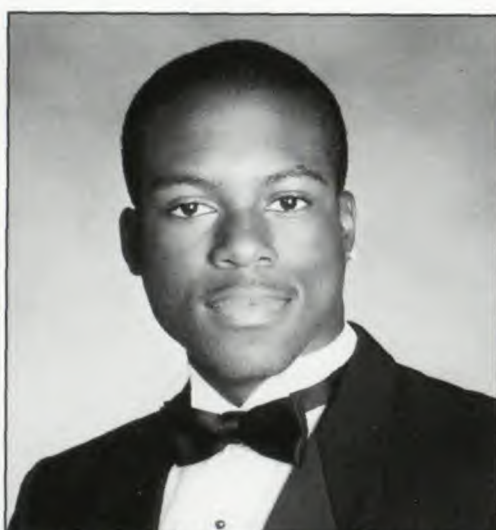
**Jack Cheng**

I never cease being dumbfounded by the unbelievable things people believe.  
-Leo Rosten



**Christine Choy**

Don't part with your illusions. When they are gone you may still exist, but you have ceased to live.  
-Mark Twain



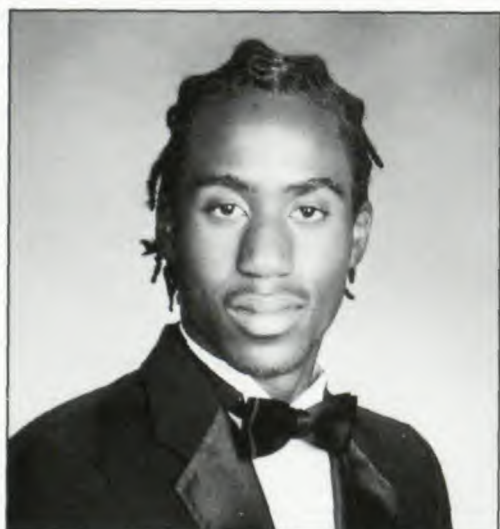
**Christopher Christian**

God gives gifts to everyone. Some can write, some can dance. He gave me the skill to play football and I am making the most of it. -Ronaldinho



**Michele Cito**

If you don't risk anything, you risk even more.  
-Erica Jong



**Corey Clapp**



**Dorothy Clinton**

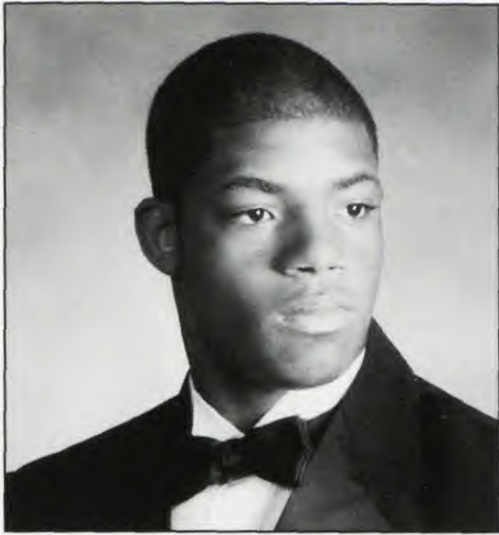
Our lives begin to end the day we become silent about things that matter.  
-Martin Luther King, Jr.



**Michelle Ann Co**

We delight to praise what we enjoy because the praise not merely expresses but completes the enjoyment; it is its appointed consummation. -C.S. Lewis





Zul'Qurnain Coaker

Good is not enough  
when better is always possible.  
-Coach John Jacobs



Roody Coby

Excellence is to do common things in  
an uncommon way.  
-Unknown



Lloyd Codada



Guadalupe Colorado



Jonathan Concepcion



Erin Conroy

Always look on the bright side of things,  
because you can't see a damn thing when it's dark.  
-Daniel Tosh

## *What was your most embarrassing moment at West Orange High School?*



"Slipping on ice and then falling  
down the stairs."  
-Jen DiMarco



"I tripped going up the steps as  
usual, but this time two girls saw,  
and waited until I was up the steps  
to burst out into laughter."

-Joanna Rybnick



"When I was the lead in the  
show *Wonderful Town* and got a  
nose bleed in the middle  
of my solo."

-Danielle Cell

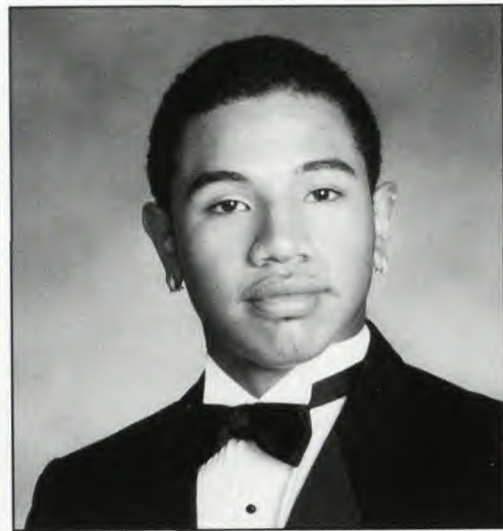




Frank Cordova



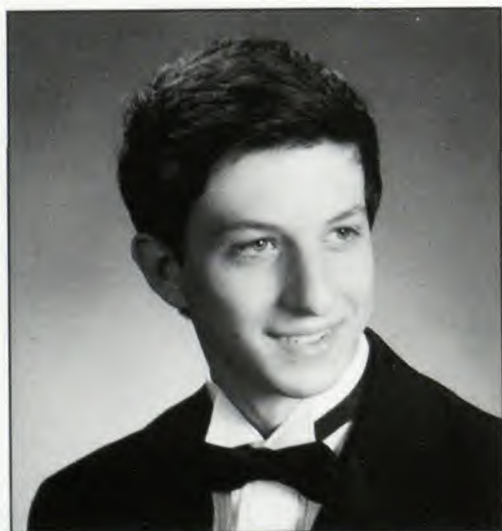
Jerry Coriolan



Marvin Coronado



Michael Covello



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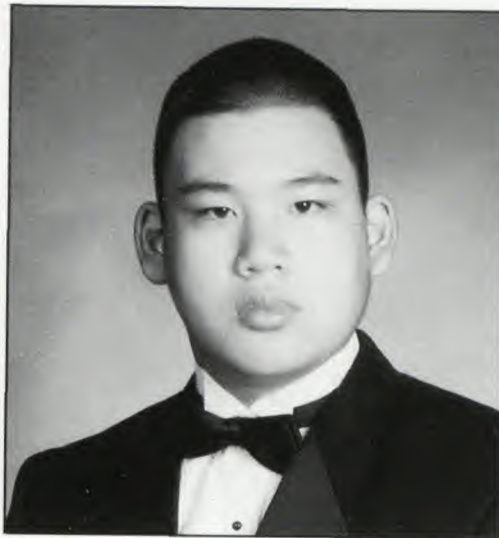






Najah Dail Harris

Sometimes just wishing isn't enough. Sometimes you have to make changes in yourself and be willing to take the fall.  
-Unknown



Timothy Dam



Priya Daniel



Paola Gavilanez



Dimitria Davis

My soul has grown deep blue rivers.  
-Langston Hughes



Vincent DeJesus

The goal of life is living an agreement with nature.  
-Zeno





Esteban De Leon



Shari Degenshein

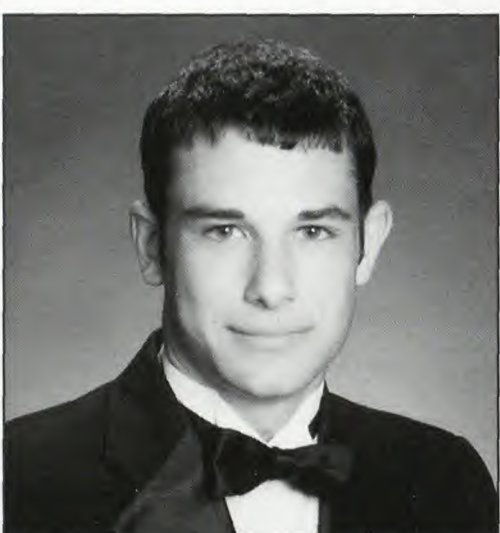
I think of myself as an intelligent, sensitive human being  
with the soul of a clown.  
-Jim Morrison



Ashley Deloatch



Quentin DeMarco



Michael Denburg

Life is really simple, but we insist on making it complicated.  
-Confucius



Gardy Denis



Matthew DeSacia







Lindsey Desiderio

Memory is a way of holding onto the things you love,  
the things you are, the things you never want to lose.  
-The Wonder Years



Myrma Desse



Jennifer DiMarco

Screws just fall out all the time;  
the world is imperfect.  
-The Breakfast Club



Maryssa Salomon

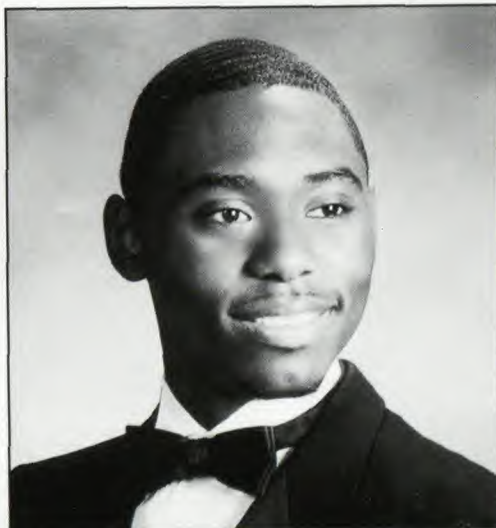


Silvio Dimartinis

Throw caution to the wind, sit back,  
and watch your life begin.  
-Chris Cagle



LaTanya Dixon



Richard Dominique

The only thing better than that feeling when you win is the  
feeling when everyone told you how impossible it was.  
-Coach John Jacobs



Madison Dopko

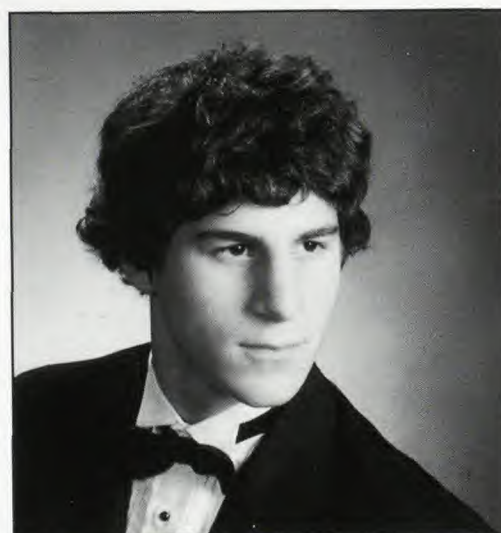




Jose Pesantez



Imani Drake



Travis Drappi

Heroes get remembered, but legends never die.  
-Sandlot



Devin Drury



Shamma Ducasse

When I stand before God at the end of my life, I would hope that I would not have a single bit of talent left and could say, "I used everything you gave me." -Erma Bombeck

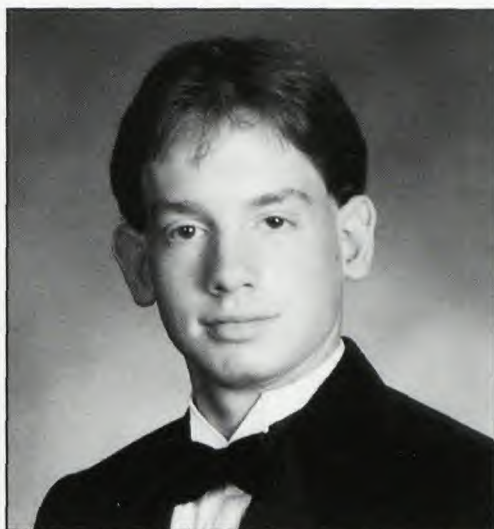


Jennifer Dugazon





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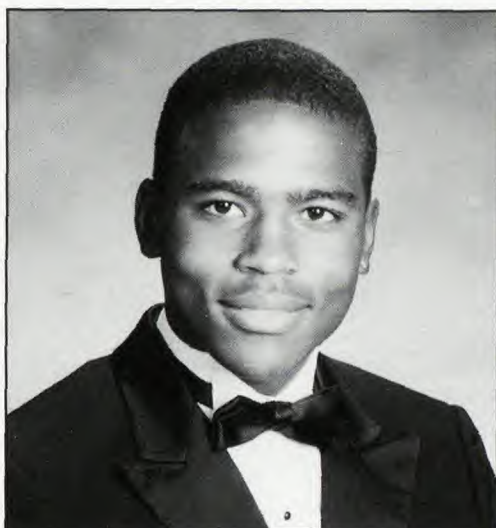
Nathan Eagan

The thing is to find a truth which is true for me,  
to find the idea for which I can live and die.  
-Soren Kierkegaard



Hillary Edelson

Things are changing, we're growing apart. It's not goodbye  
but a change in heart. The road we've traveled was just a  
start, I'm sure we'll meet again. -Bryce Buckhardt



Christopher Edwards



Daniele Elizaire

Faith is being sure of what we hope for  
and certain of what we do not see.  
-Hebrews 11:1



Hannah Ellson

Things change and friends leave,  
but life doesn't stop for anybody.  
-Stephen Chbosky



Marie Elysee



Cheria Romane





**Hebah Emara**

Fall seven times, stand up eight.  
-Japanese Proverb



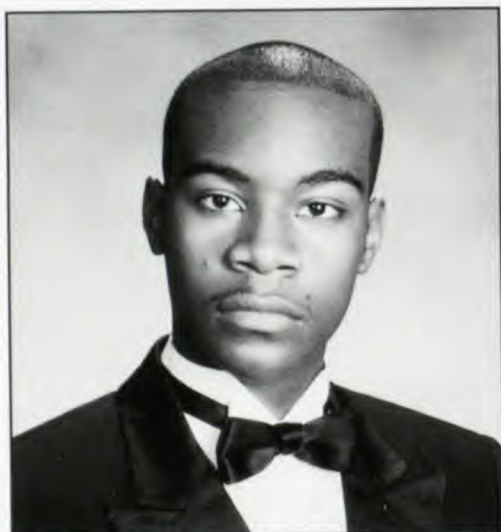
**Samantha Emmerling**

I still find each day too short for all the thoughts I  
want to think, all the walks I want to take, all the books  
I want to read, and all the friends I want to see.  
-John Burroughs



**Shakwana Etienne**

The key to realizing a dream is to focus  
not only on success but on significance.  
-Oprah Winfrey

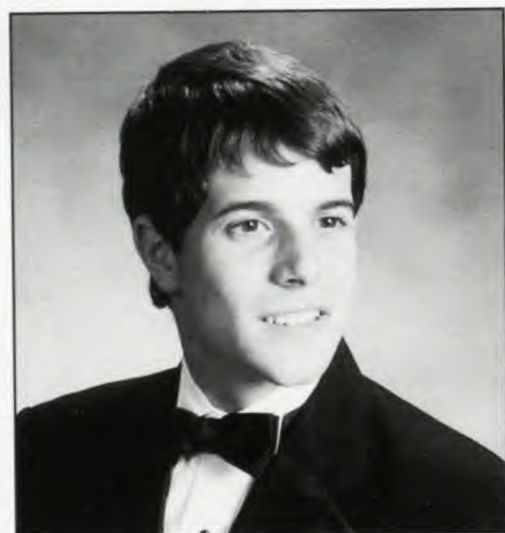


**Ryan Eustache**



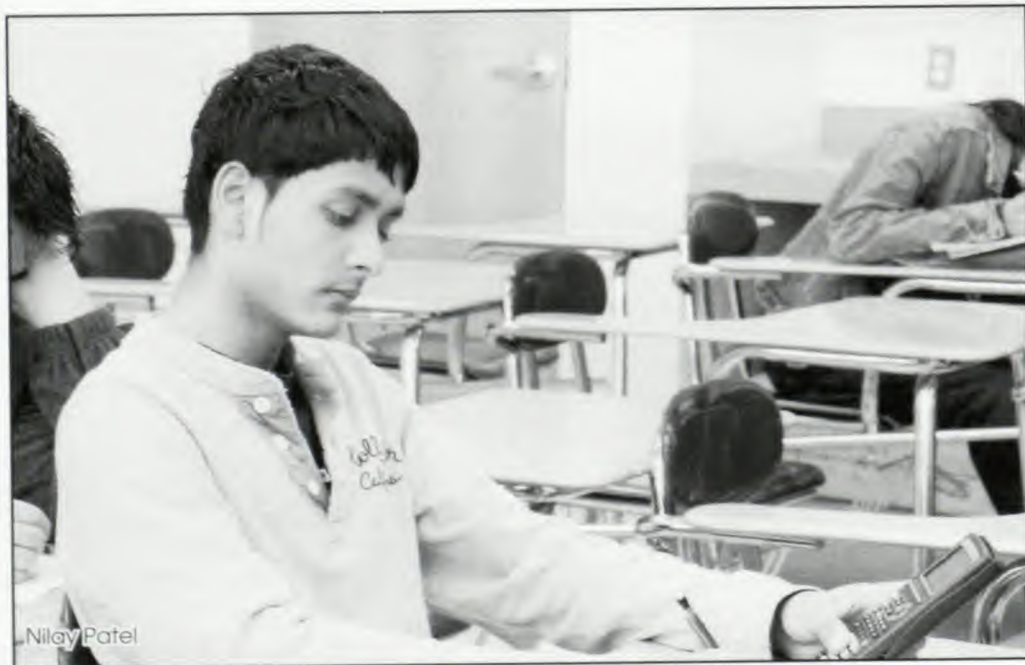
**Leila Favale**

Our lives begin to end the day  
we become silent about things that matter.  
-Martin Luther King, Jr.



**Louis Ferdinando**

Excellence is the expectation;  
perfection is the goal.  
-Unknown



Nilay Patel



**Bonny Fidalgo**

Always do your best  
What you plant now, you will harvest later.  
-Og Mandino





Alicia Fields



Ashton Fields



Matthew DeSacia



Delisha Fields

Be daring, be different, be impractical,  
be anything that will assert integrity of purpose.  
-Cecil Beaton



Wendy Fine

You're way too young to believe  
it's not going to be OK.  
-Unknown



Paige Fischer

Nothing is as strong as gentleness;  
nothing is as gentle as real strength.  
-Native American Proverb

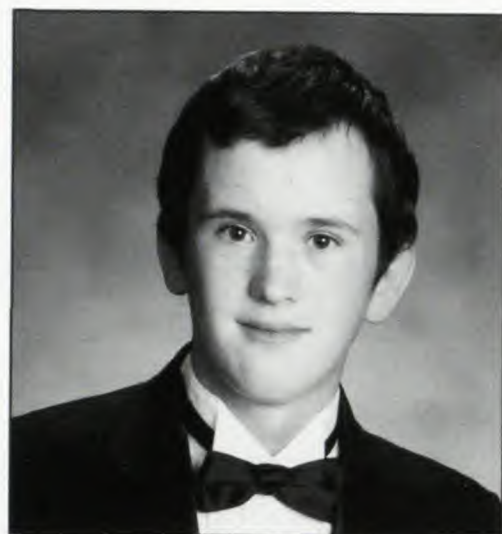




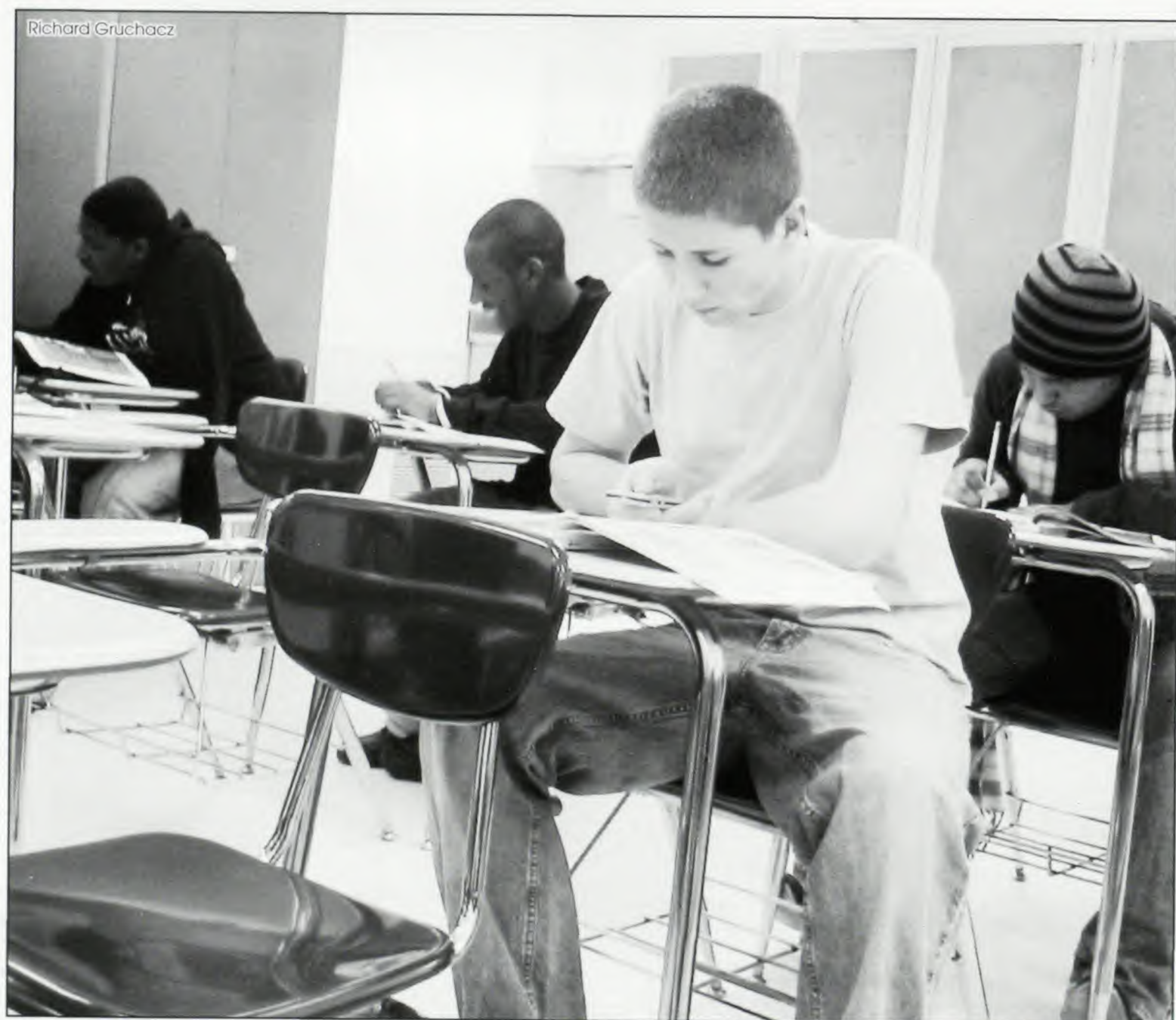
Arielle Fletcher



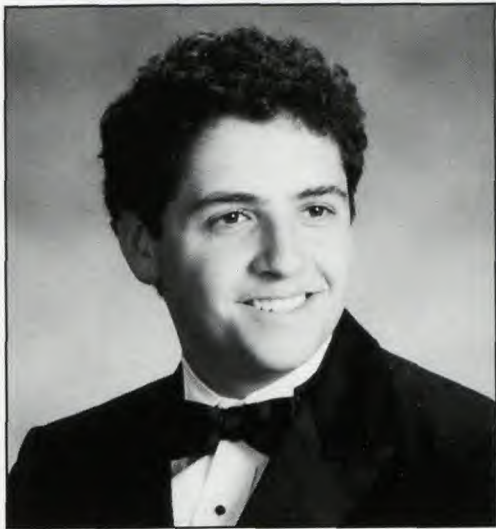
Johnny Fleurvil



Matthew Ford







Zachary Freedman



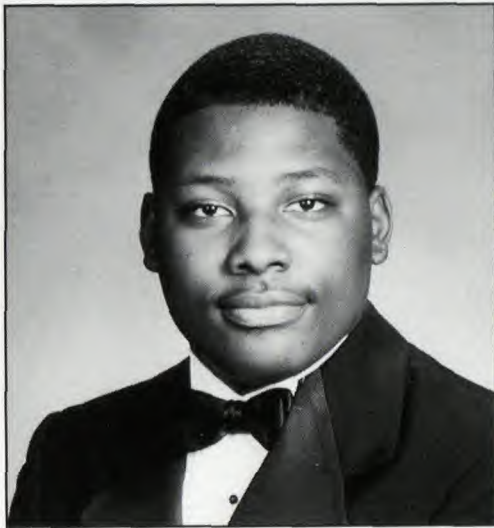
Victoria Freeman  
I don't have no bad feelings. I have love for everybody.  
-Tupac Shakur



Margaret Freese



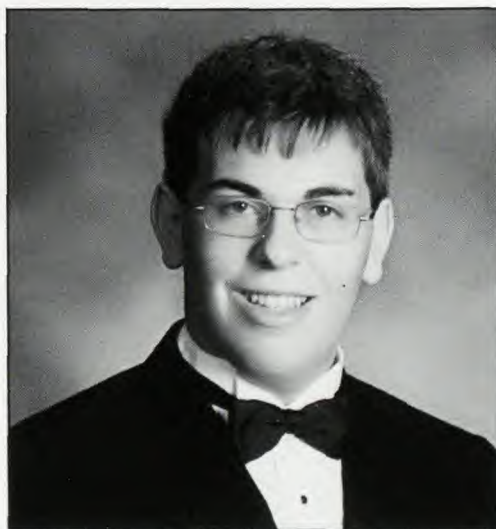
Laura Garcia



William Garnett



Paola Gavilanez  
Trials keep you strong. Sorrow keeps you human. Failure keeps you humble. Success keeps you glowing. But only God keeps you going. -Admiral Hyman G. Rickover



Mitchell Geller  
It is necessary for us to learn from others' mistakes. You will not live long enough to make them all yourself.  
-Admiral Hyman G. Rickover

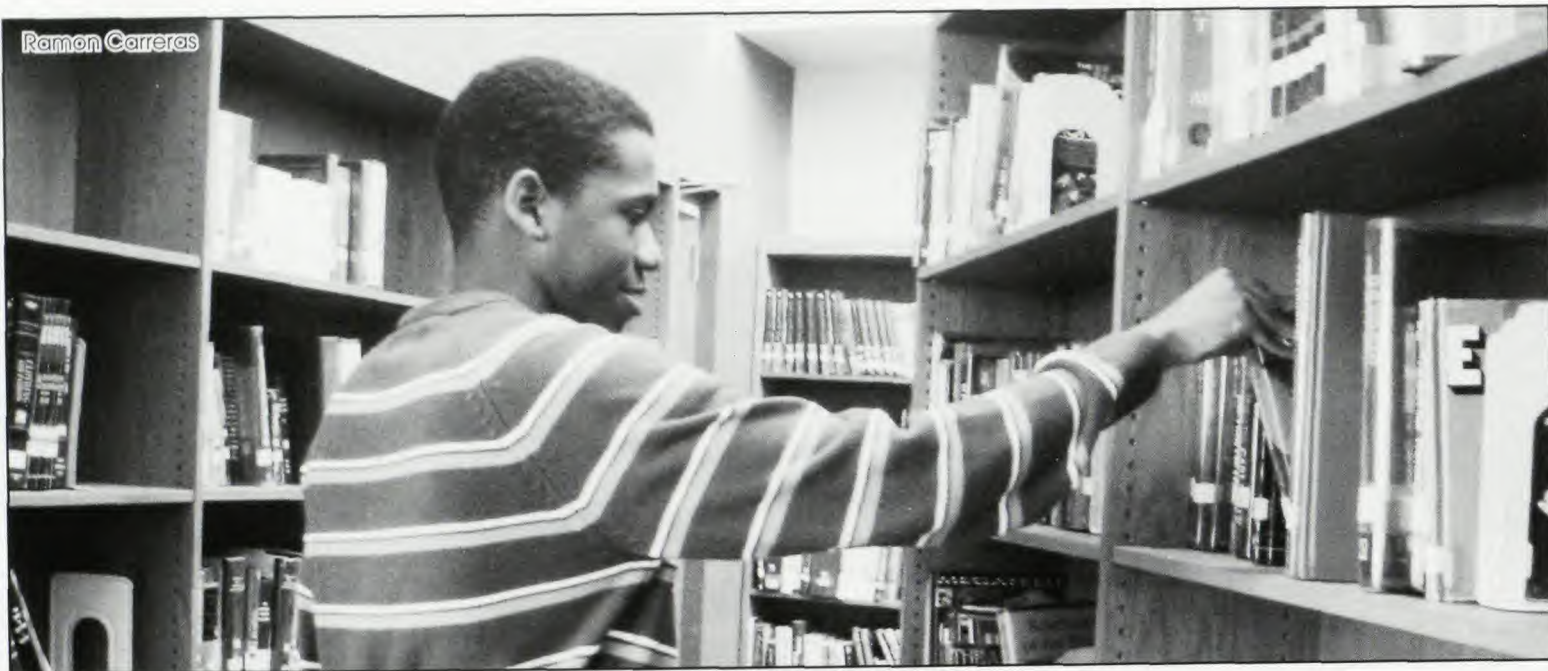


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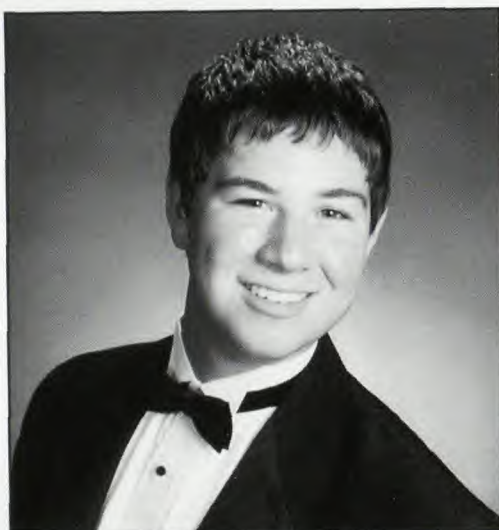
Asmeret Ghebremicael  
My father always told me find a job and you'll never have to work a day in your life.  
-Jim Fox





Gaia Goffe

You've got to let go of who you  
were to become who you'll be.  
-White Oleander

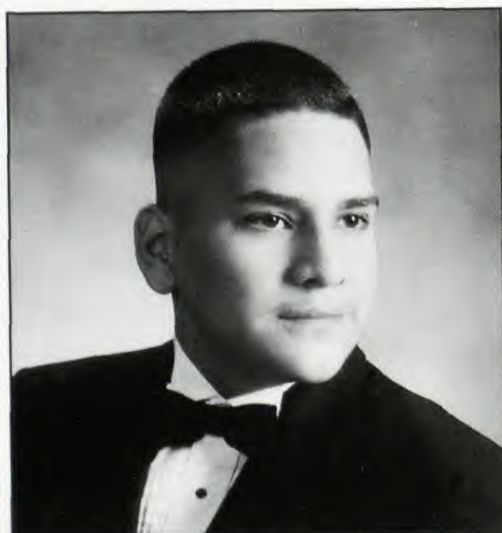


Robben Gold

Courage is resistance to fear,  
mastery of fear- not absense of fear.  
-Mark Twain



Michelle Goler



Frank Gomez



Louis Gonzales-Padilla

I thought "Deep Throat" was a movie about a giraffe.  
-Bob Hope



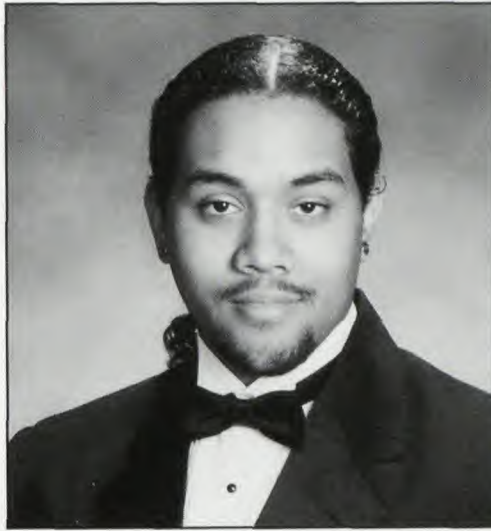
Gustavo Gonzalez

He who had injured thee was either stronger or weaker  
than thee. If weaker, spare him; if stronger, spare thyself.  
-William Shakespeare

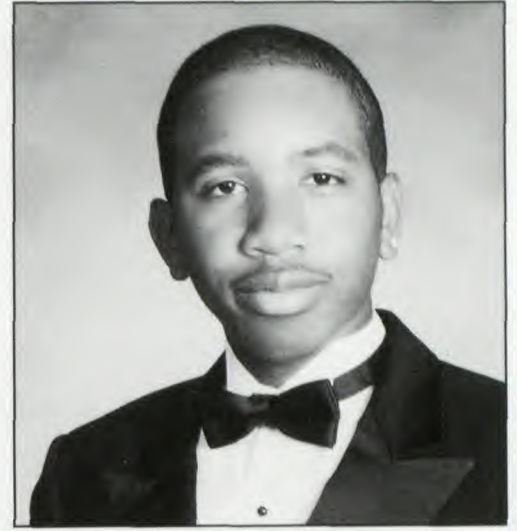




Lisa Gonzalez



Christopher Gourdine



Eric Green



Farasha Green

Elegance is not the prerogative of those who have just escaped from adolescence, but of those who have already taken possession of their future. -Coco Chanel



NiJa Greene



Hilary Grossman



Richard Gruchacz



Jordan Kovacs and Michael Denburg



*If given the  
chance, how  
would you  
improve West  
Orange High  
School?*



"Better heating  
system."  
-Sruthi Vallikkunnel



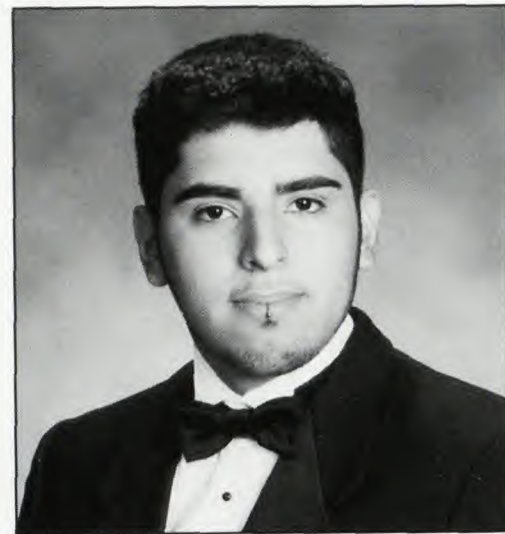
"Better senior parking."  
-Dan Vederamo



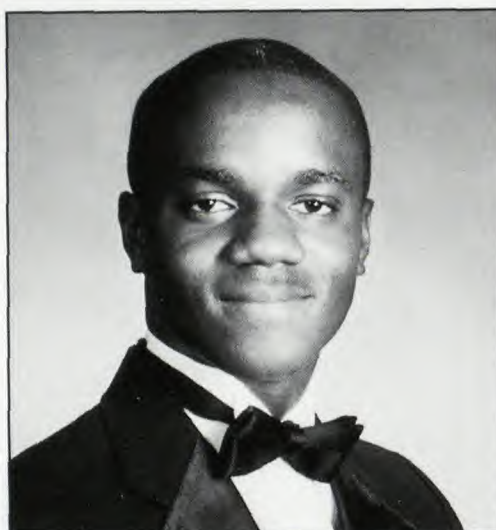
"More senior trips."  
-Sahr Sheriff



Deborah Grushkin  
The only thing that matters is just following your  
heart and eventually you'll finally get it right.  
-The Afters



Roberto Gutierrez-Colchado



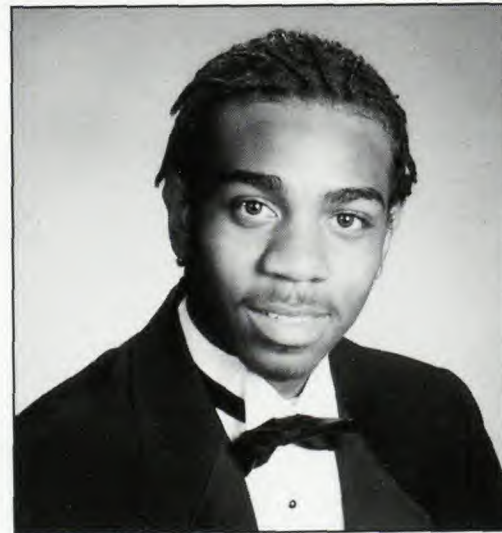
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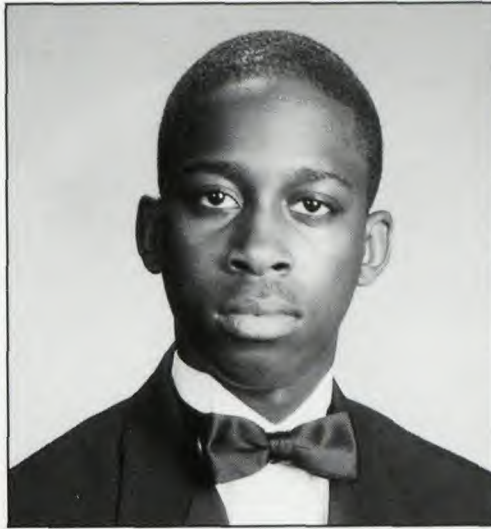
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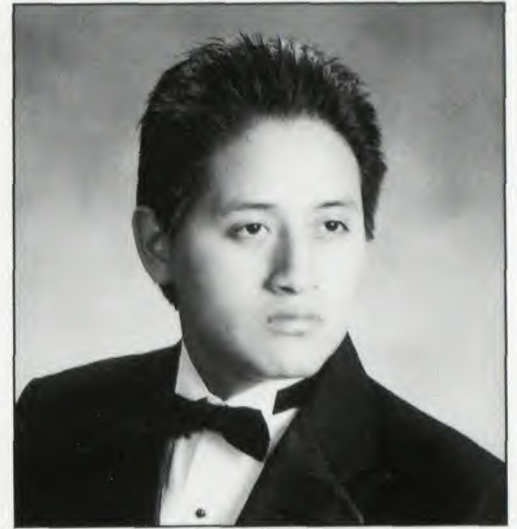


Aja Harris

As long as I know how to get what  
I want, that's all I want to know.  
-Unknown



Javier Hendricks



Andy Hernandez-Rodriguez



Victor Hilario

Just because something is difficult doesn't mean you  
shouldn't try it; it means you should just try harder.  
-Unknown



Scott Yanofski



Benjamin Hill

Leader of a fight that never ended. A fight that was just in  
cause and produced fearless and righteous men. West for life!  
-Coach John Jacobs



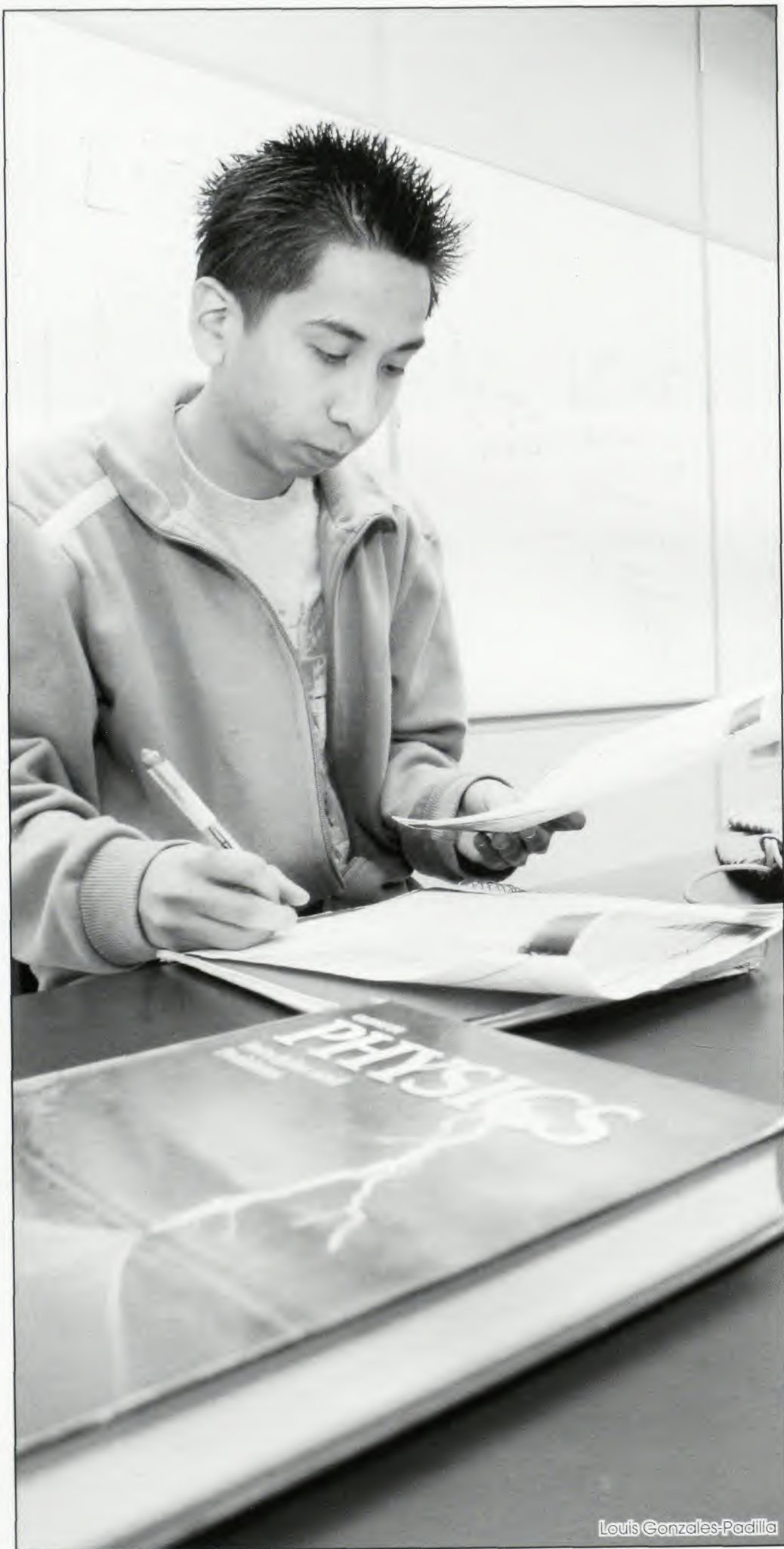
Daniella Hincapie

How far you go in life depends on your being tender with the  
young, sympathetic with the striving, and tolerant of the weak  
and strong. -George Washington Carver

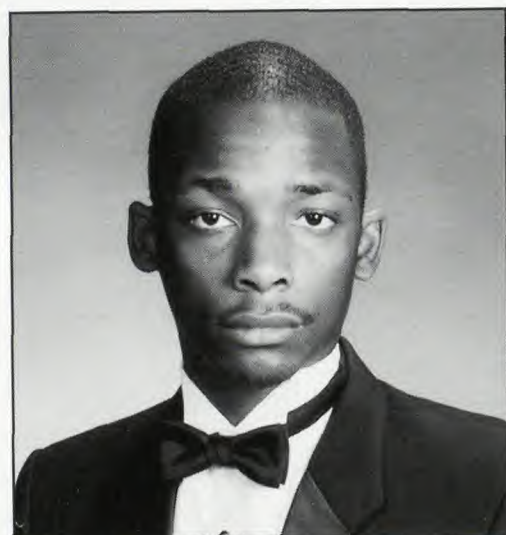


Justin Hirata





Kimeisha Honore

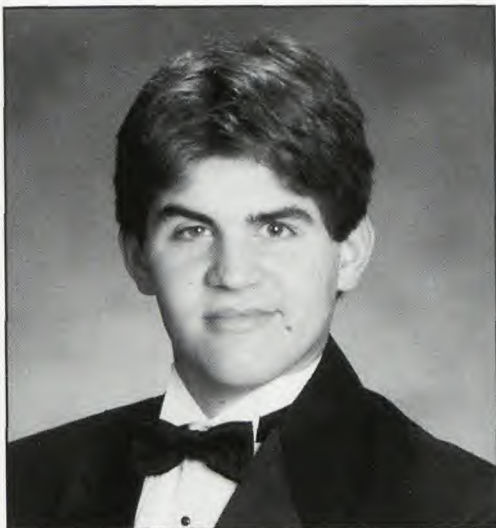


Woodly Honore



Susana Huaman





Joseph Ippolito

To be yourself in a world that is constantly trying to make you something else is the greatest accomplishment.  
-Ralph Waldo Emerson



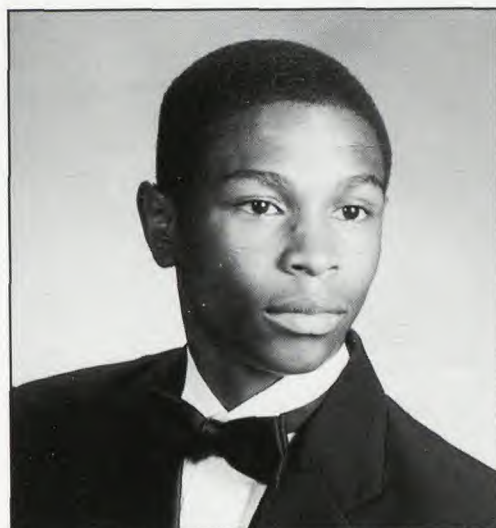
Chanel Irby

Winners are too busy to be sad, too positive to be doubtful, too optimistic to be fearful, and too determined to be defeated. -Unknown



Matthew Jacobs

All that we are is the result of what we have thought.  
-Buddha



Michael Jean-Charles

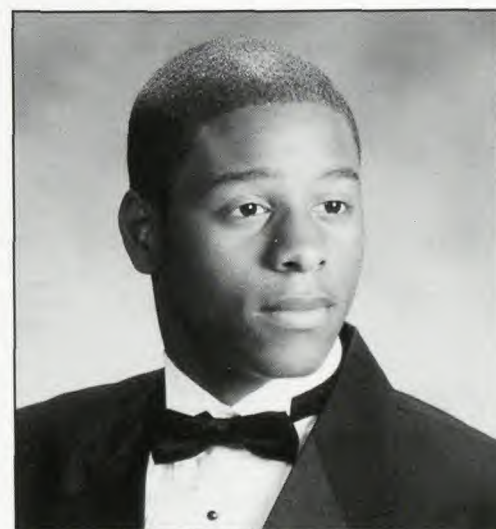


Johanie Jean-Louis



Jihanne Joanis

The only way of finding the limits of the possible is by going beyond them into the impossible.  
-Arthur C. Clark

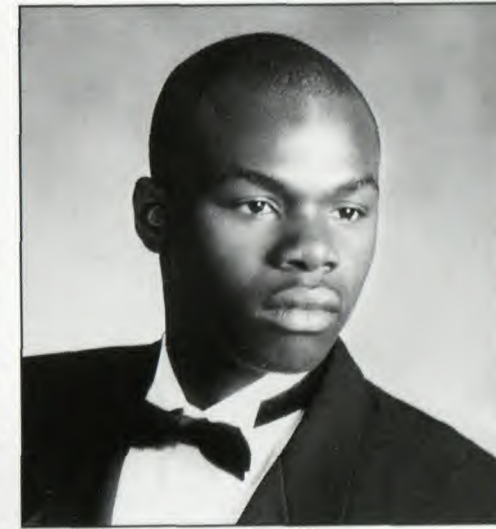


Nigel John Baptiste

You are who you have been,  
you will be, who you are now.  
-Unknown



Dave Joisil



Jean Joseph





Parline Joseph

Think like a queen. A queen is not afraid to fail.  
Failure is another steppingstone to greatness.  
-Oprah Winfrey



Frederica Juste

Our deepest fear is not that we are inadequate  
but that we are powerful beyond measure.  
-Coach Carter



Glen Kaczer

Life's hard, get a helmet.  
-Boy Meets World



Jessica Kahl



Jasmine Kennon



Samantha Kirkland

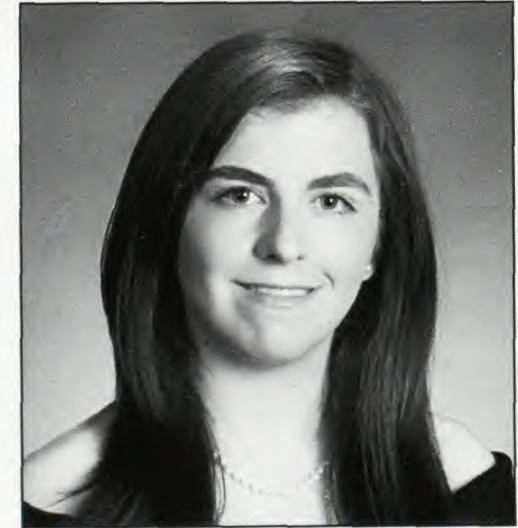
Nothing in life is forever; so live every minute to the fullest.  
-Unknown



Michael Klein



Jordan Kovacs



Danielle Lanzet

Words are loaded pistols.  
-Jean-Paul Sartre



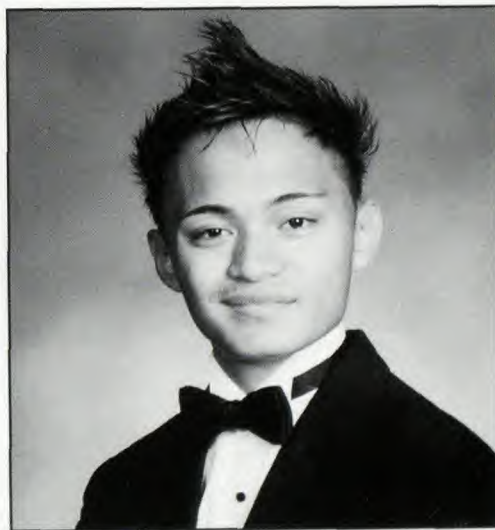


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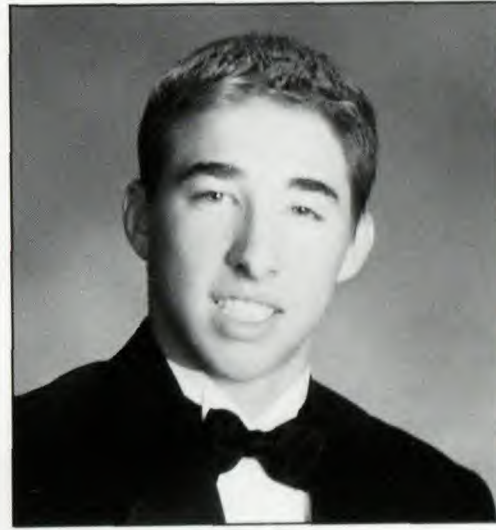


Dharriyl Laurente

To be yourself when society, night and day, tries to make you everybody is the hardest fight you will fight and keep on fighting your whole life. - e.e. cummings



Fredrick Laurente



Jeffrey Lauterbach

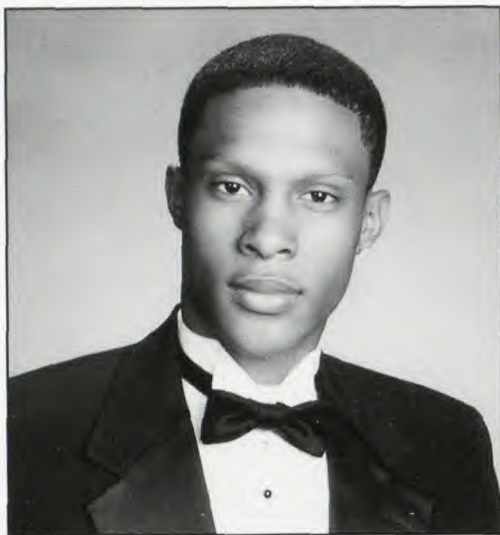
Men who try to do something and fail are infinitely better than those who try to do nothing and succeed. -Lloyd Jones





Dorothy Lee

A city on a hill cannot be hidden. Nor do people light a lamp and hide it. Instead they put it on a stand, and it gives light to everyone. -Matthew 5:14

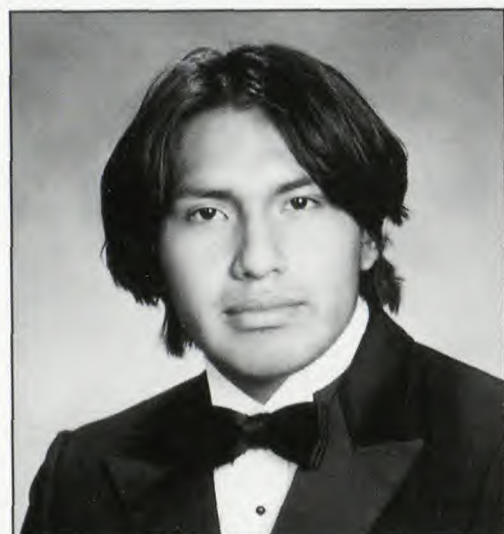


Jermaine Lee



Bari Leff

Be yourself; everyone else is already taken. -Oscar Wilde

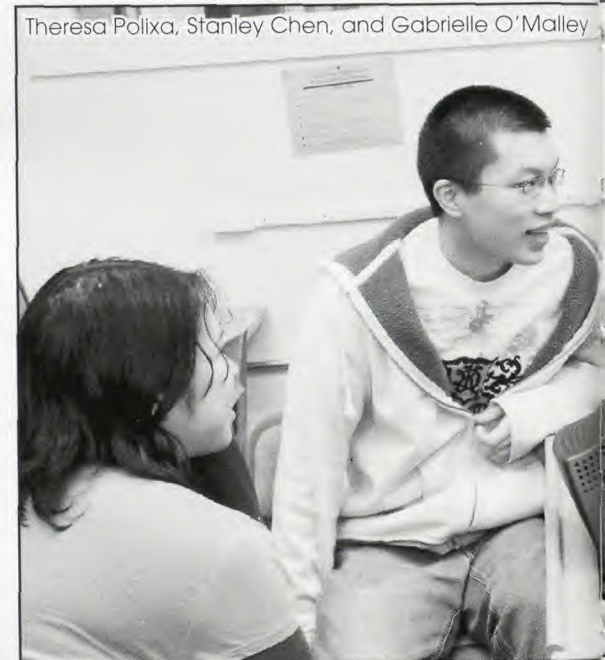


William Lema

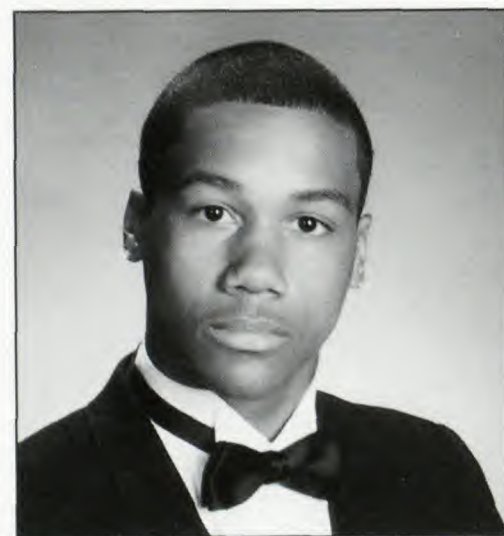


Tiffany Lim

But maybe the best any of us can do is not quit, play the hand we've been dealt, and accessorize what we've got. -Sex and the City



Theresa Polixa, Stanley Chen, and Gabrielle O'Malley

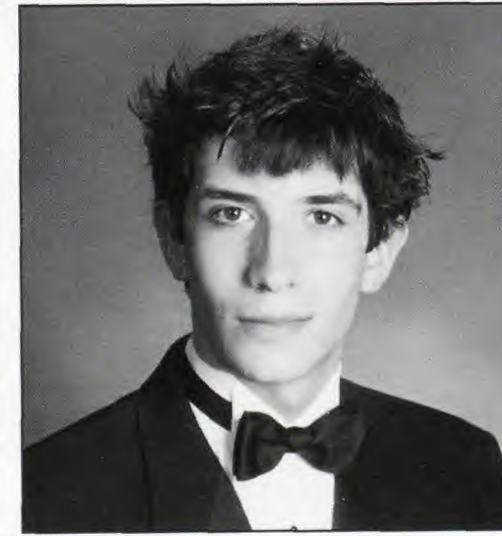


Mecal Lindsey



Evelyn Litwinoff

Nothing is more conducive to peace of mind than not having an opinion. -Georg Christoph Lichtenberg



Stephen Longo





Christian Lopez  
During your life, never stop dreaming.  
No one can take away your dreams.  
-Tupac Shakur



Jesenia Lopez  
The only things in life you regret  
are the risks that you did not take.  
-Unknown



Jonathan Lora



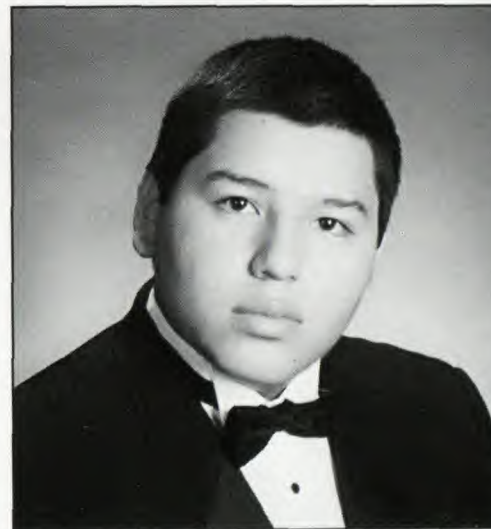
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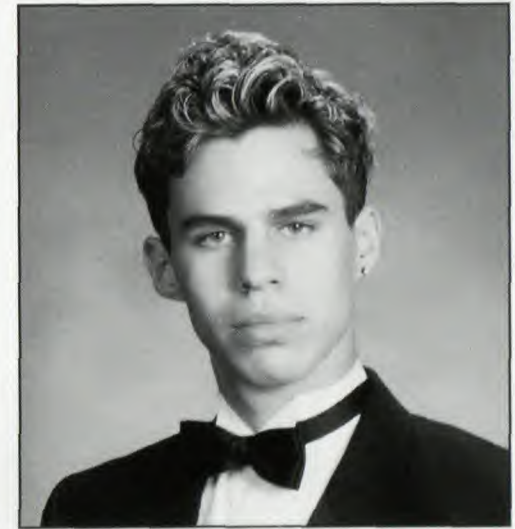
Rodney Louissaint



Wendy Lucas  
I don't know the key to success,  
but the key to failure is trying to please everybody.  
-Bill Cosby



Paul Luna  
Learn from your mistakes;  
they will lead you to a path of success.  
-Unknown



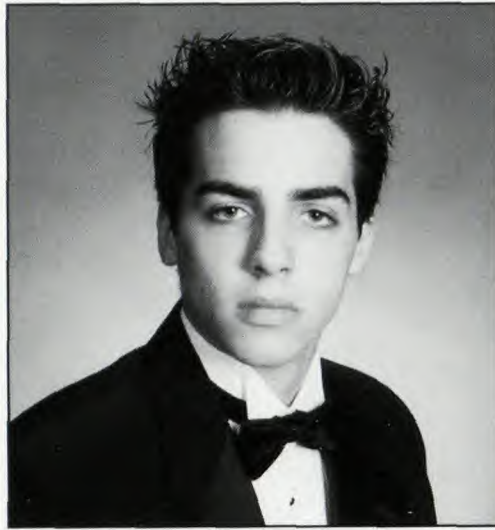
Brandon Malki





Gabriele Mangieri

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



Matthew Mangrella



Marites Manikad

I always like to look on the optimistic side of life, but I am realistic enough to know that life is a complex matter.  
-Walt Disney



Lorella Manning

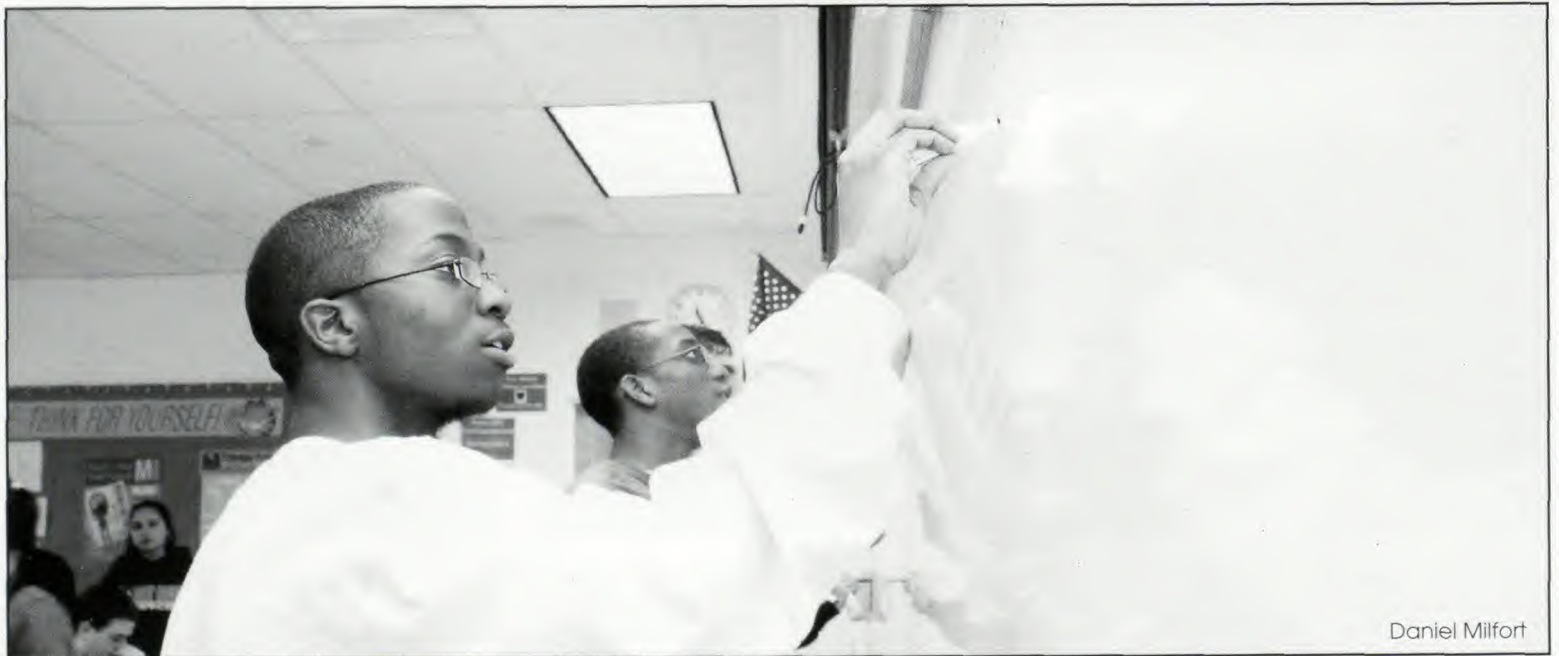
Shoot for the moon. Even if you miss, you'll land among the stars.  
-Brian Littrell



Tramaine Marciano

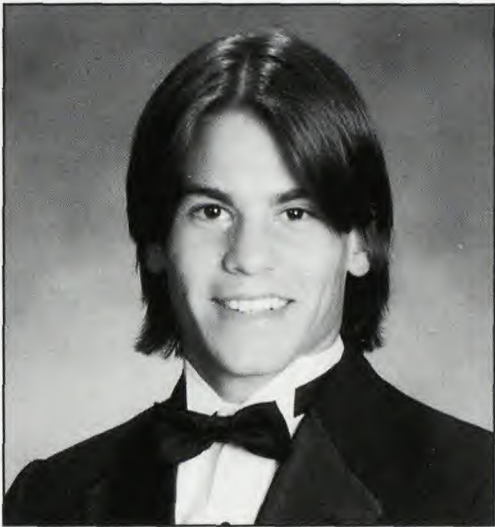


Joseph Marte



Daniel Milfort





Brayan Martinez-Torrens

Be yourself, an original is always worth more than a copy.  
-Unknown



Macarena Mas



Joseph Matta

Remember, where ever you are, there you are.  
-Confucius

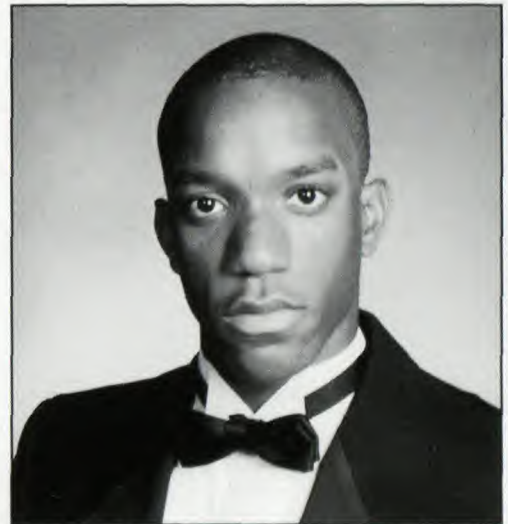


Nicole Matthew



Karen Mazariego

Love is like a butterfly. Hold it too tight and  
it will die, hold it too loose and it will fly away.  
-Unknown



Joshua Mbanusi

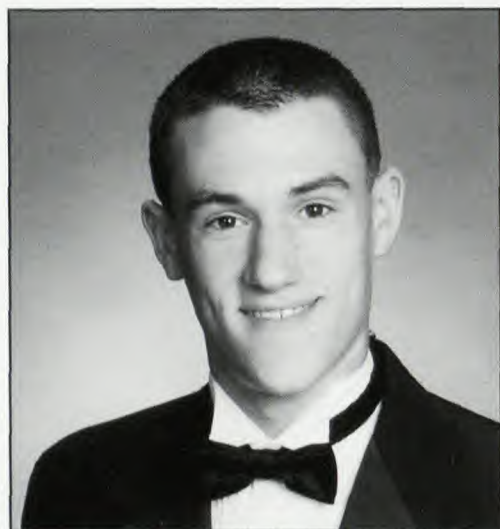




Hannah McCartney



Michael McCullough



Daniel McGovern



Crystal McKenzie

I object to violence because when it appears to do good,  
the good is only temporary; the evil it does is permanent.  
-Mahatma Gandhi



Sara McNeill



Krystle Mendoza

Life is beautiful: life is a struggle. Life is a beautiful struggle.  
-Mos Def

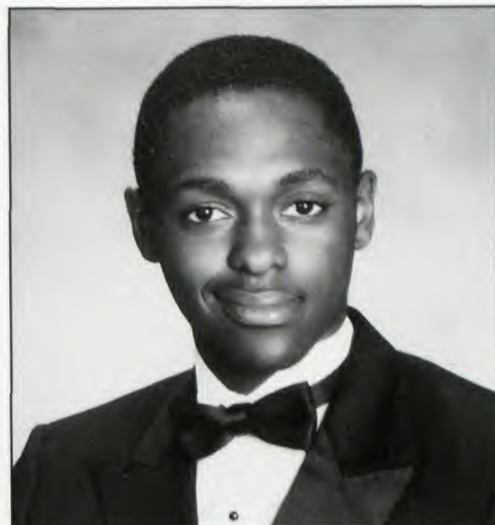




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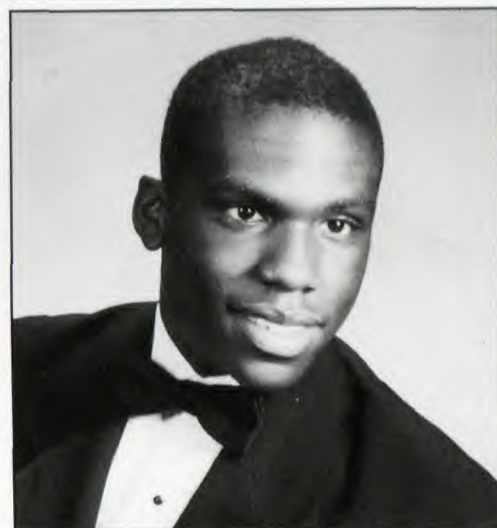


Edward Osei Mensah



Brandon Mersier

Don't pace yourself. Go one-hundred percent.  
Go all out. Because this time maybe the last time.  
-Unknown



Christopher Michel



Stephen Milano

In this life you don't need to prove  
nothing to nobody but yourself.  
-Rudy



Daniel Milfort





Anakaren Millan

Live as you will wish to have lived when you are dying.  
-Unknown



Andrew Miller

Each day I wake is a chance that I can change.  
Each breath tells me that I am alive. I will try to wake up with a  
smile on my face. -The Assistant

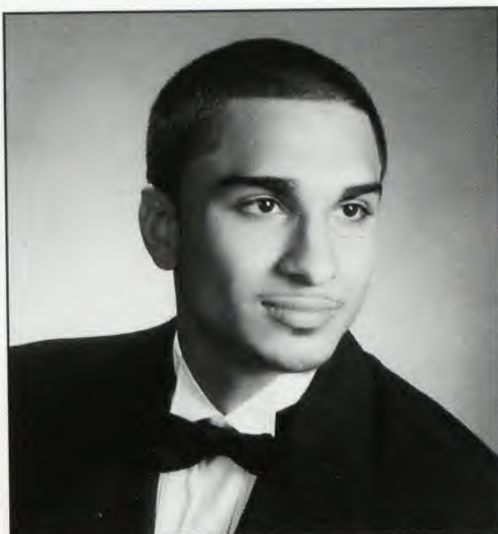


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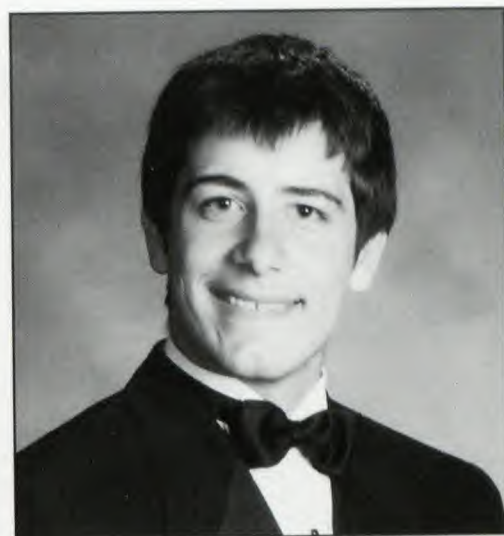




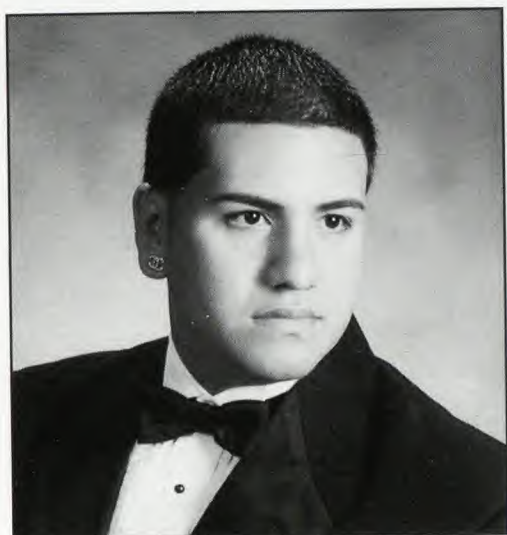
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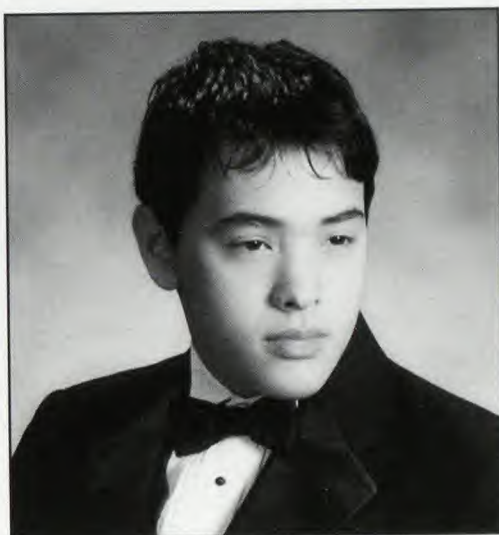


Anthony Moleski



Santiago Molina

This is the point from which I will die  
or succeed living the struggle.  
-Immortal Technique



Erik Mori

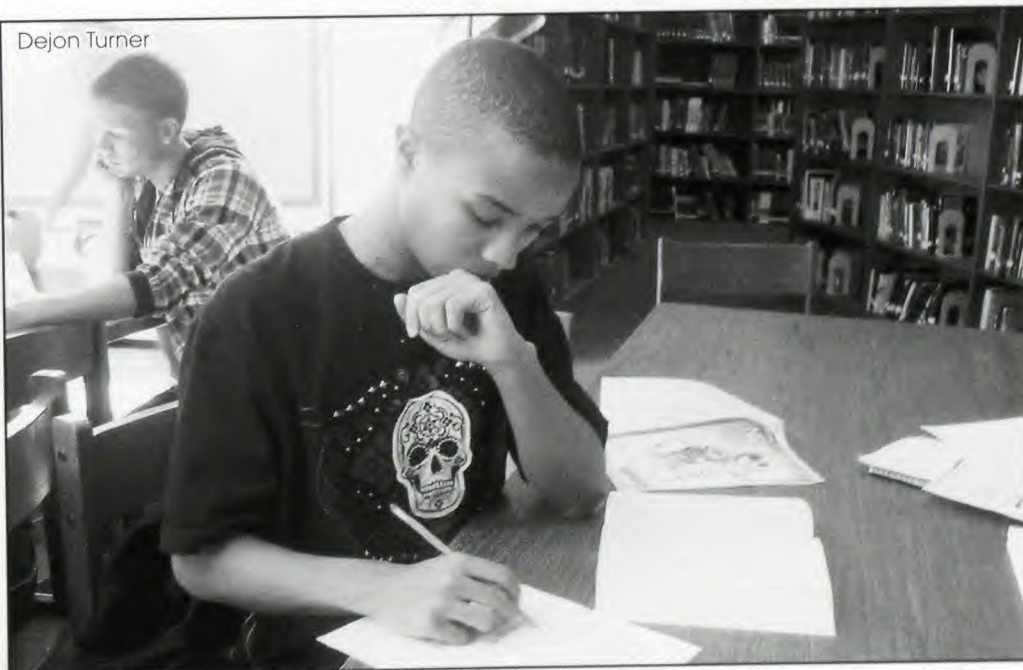


Melissa Morin

I will go down with this ship, and I won't put my hands up and  
surrender. There will be no white flag above my door.  
-Dido

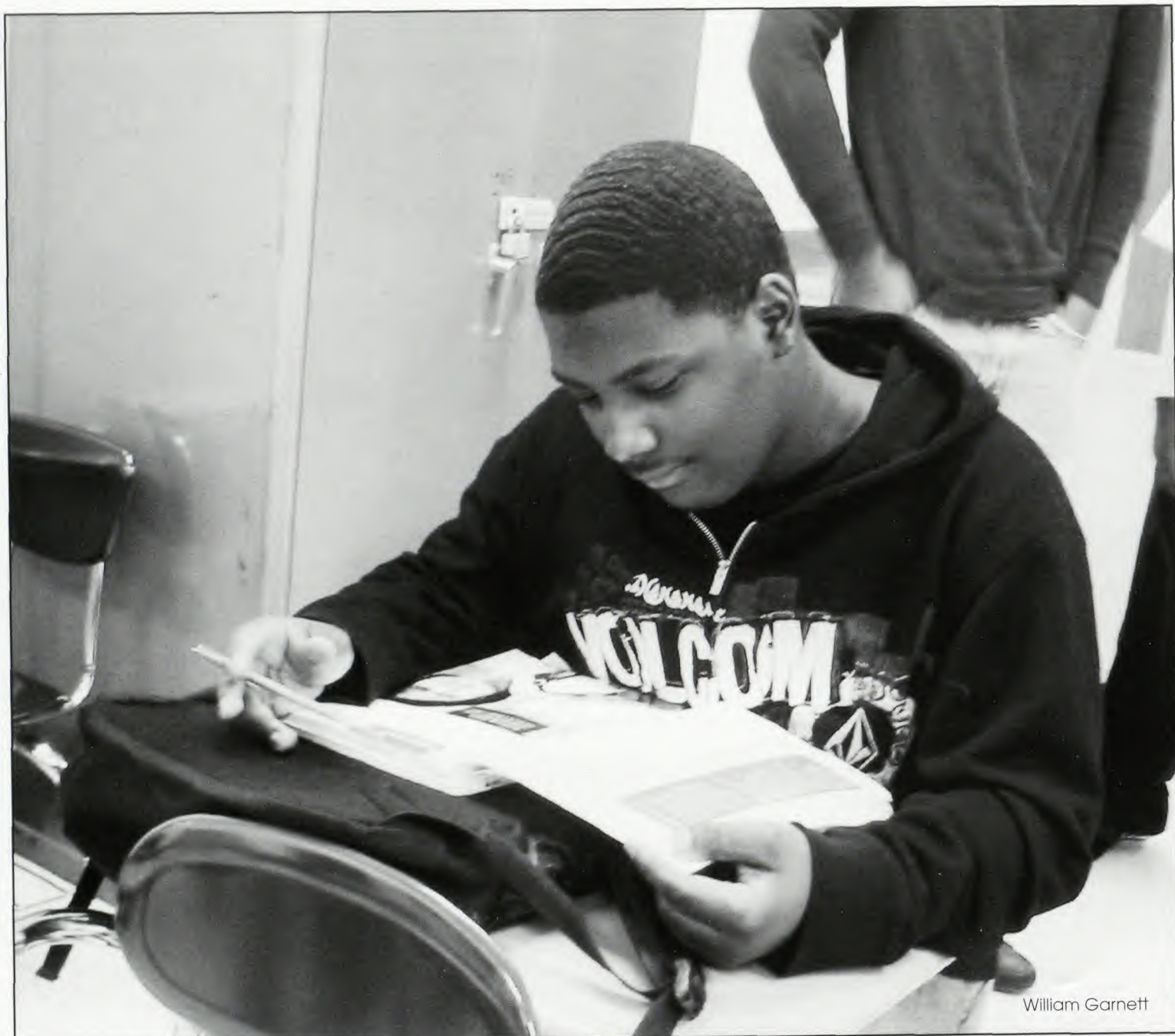


Chanel Morrison



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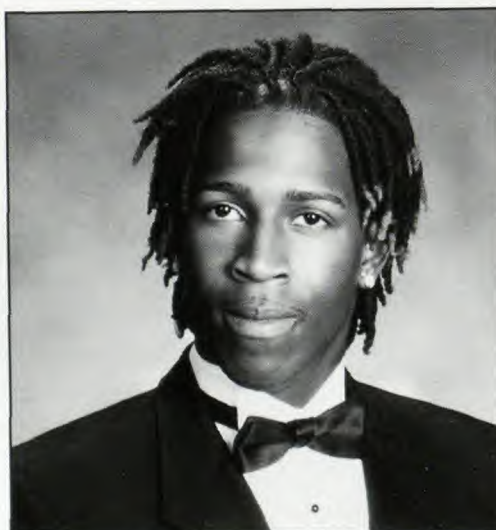


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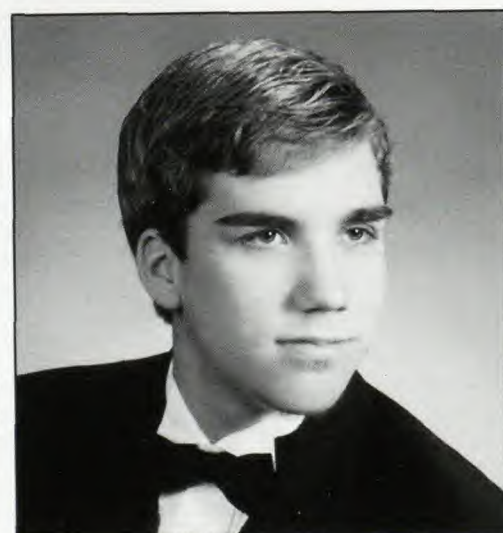


Shannon Murphy

the most wasted of all days is one without laughter.  
-e.e. cummings



Kalif Myricks



Daniel Nahum





Mauricio Acosta-Pomar



Ashley Nazaire

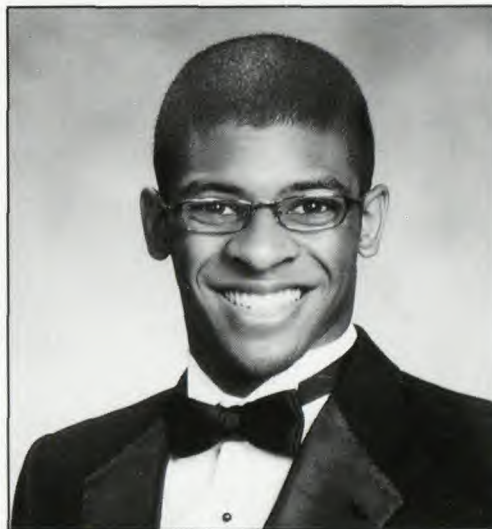
The question is not how we will die, but how we will live.  
-Joan Borysenko



Chinasa Ndumele



Kayla Negrón



Brendan Nelson

Life is not about finding yourself.  
Life is about creating yourself.  
-George Bernard Shaw



Christine Nelson





Eric Neveloff



Anatole Norland

God is dead.  
-Friedrich Nietzsche



Marie Nicolas

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



Nya Noziere

Our destiny changes with our thought; we shall become what  
we wish to become, do what we wish to do, when our habitual  
thought corresponds with our desire. -Orison S. Marden



Francis Nuñez



Natalia Nuñez



Gabrielle O'Malley

Our fears must never hold us back from pursuing our hopes.  
-John F. Kennedy





Cynthia Olachea

Nobody can go back and start a new beginning,  
but anyone can start today and make a new ending.  
-Maria Robinson



David Oliveros



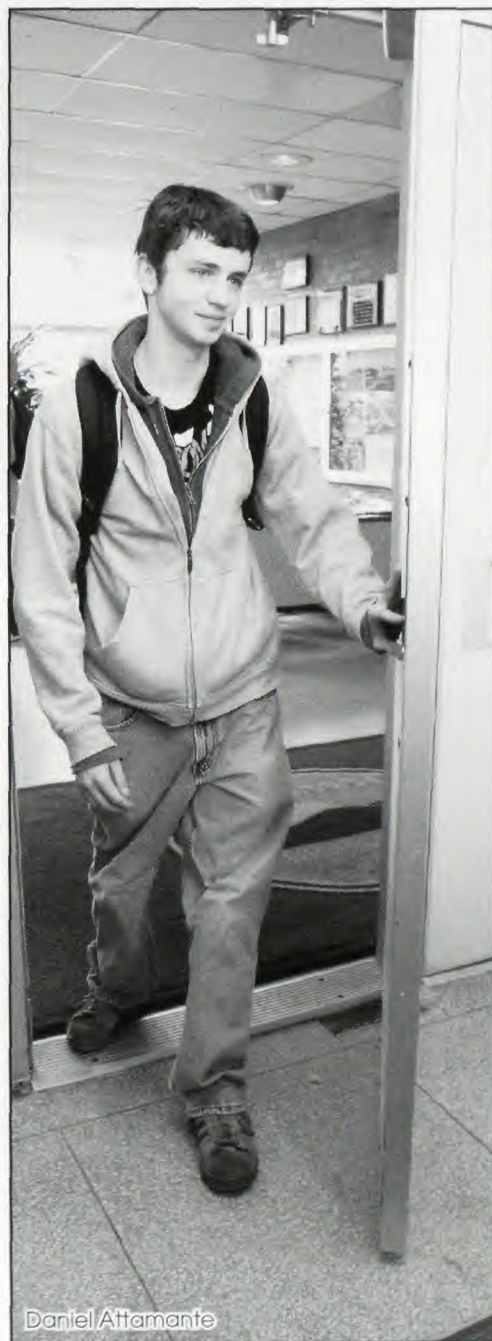
Omafume Onaodowan

Great music is that which penetrates the ear  
with facility and quilts the ear with difficulty.  
-Lord Boothby

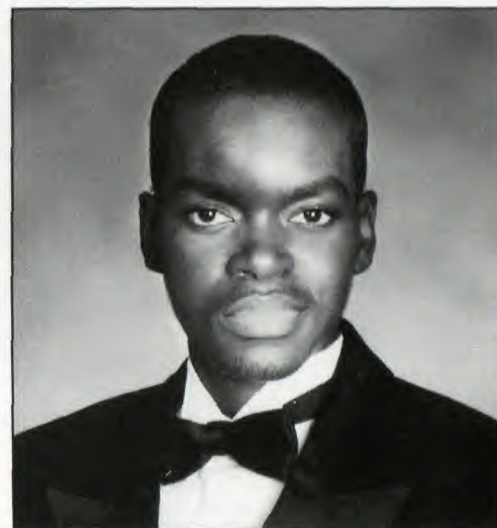


Mario Orcon

Consciousness is unquantifiable, though in a sense this  
flickering mosaic of awareness is the only true reality  
that we can ever know. -Alan Moore



Daniel Attamante



Louis Oskar



Barbara Pacaud

I believe in me more than anything in this world.  
-Willma Rudolph



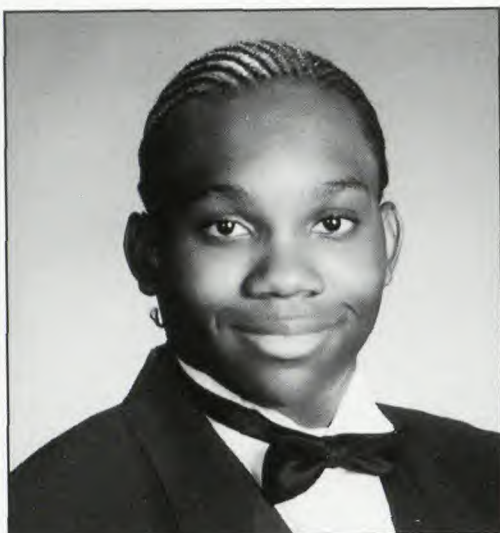
Tyrell Robert Paige

If you live for nothing, then you'll die for anything.  
-Unknown





Liliana Paiz-Miranda

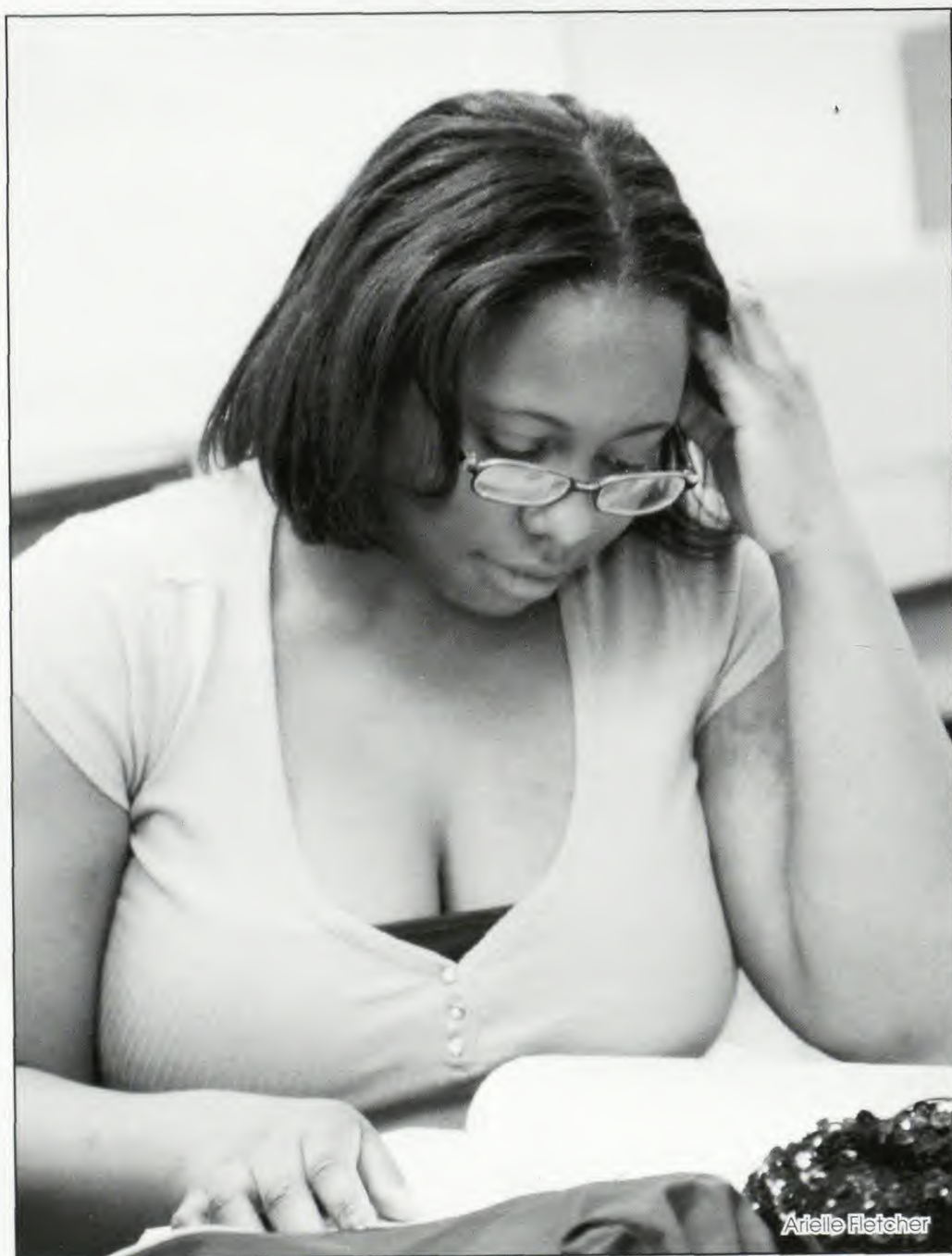


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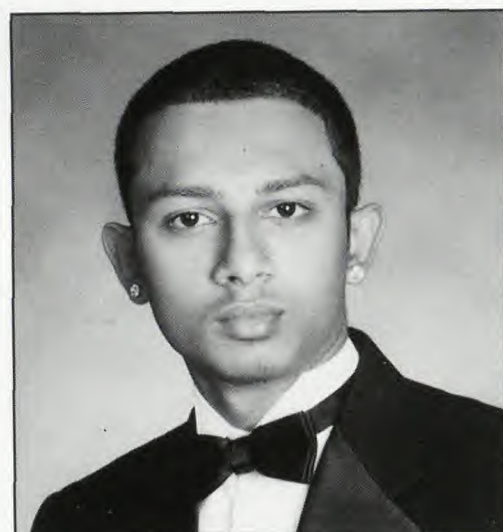


Erin Parlar

To put meaning in one's life may end in madness,  
but life without meaning is the torture of restlessness and  
vague desire. -Edgar Lee Masters



Arielle Fletcher



Bhaskar Patalapati

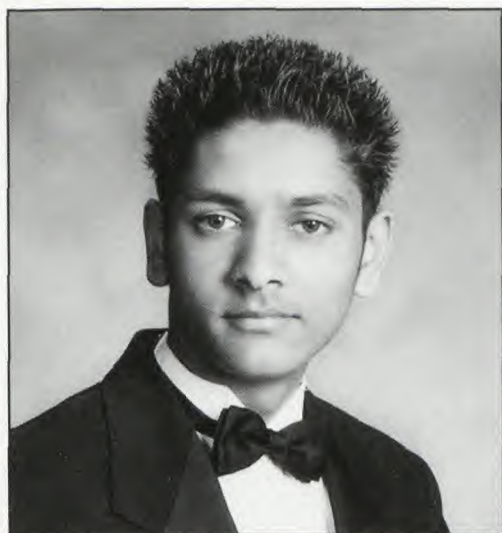
Get rich or die trying.  
-Curtis Jackson



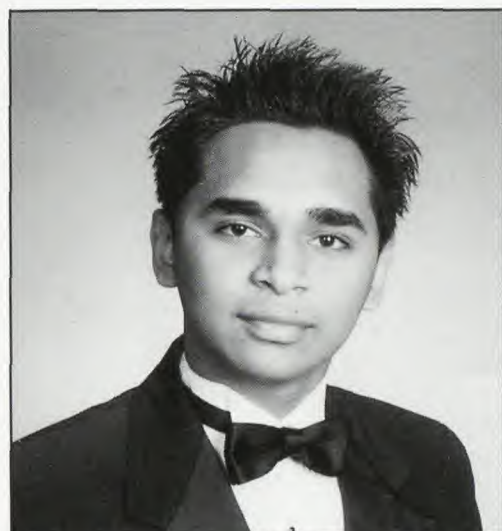
Mansi Patel

But the most exciting, challenging, and significant  
relationship of all is the one you have with yourself.  
-Carrie Bradshaw, *Sex and the City*

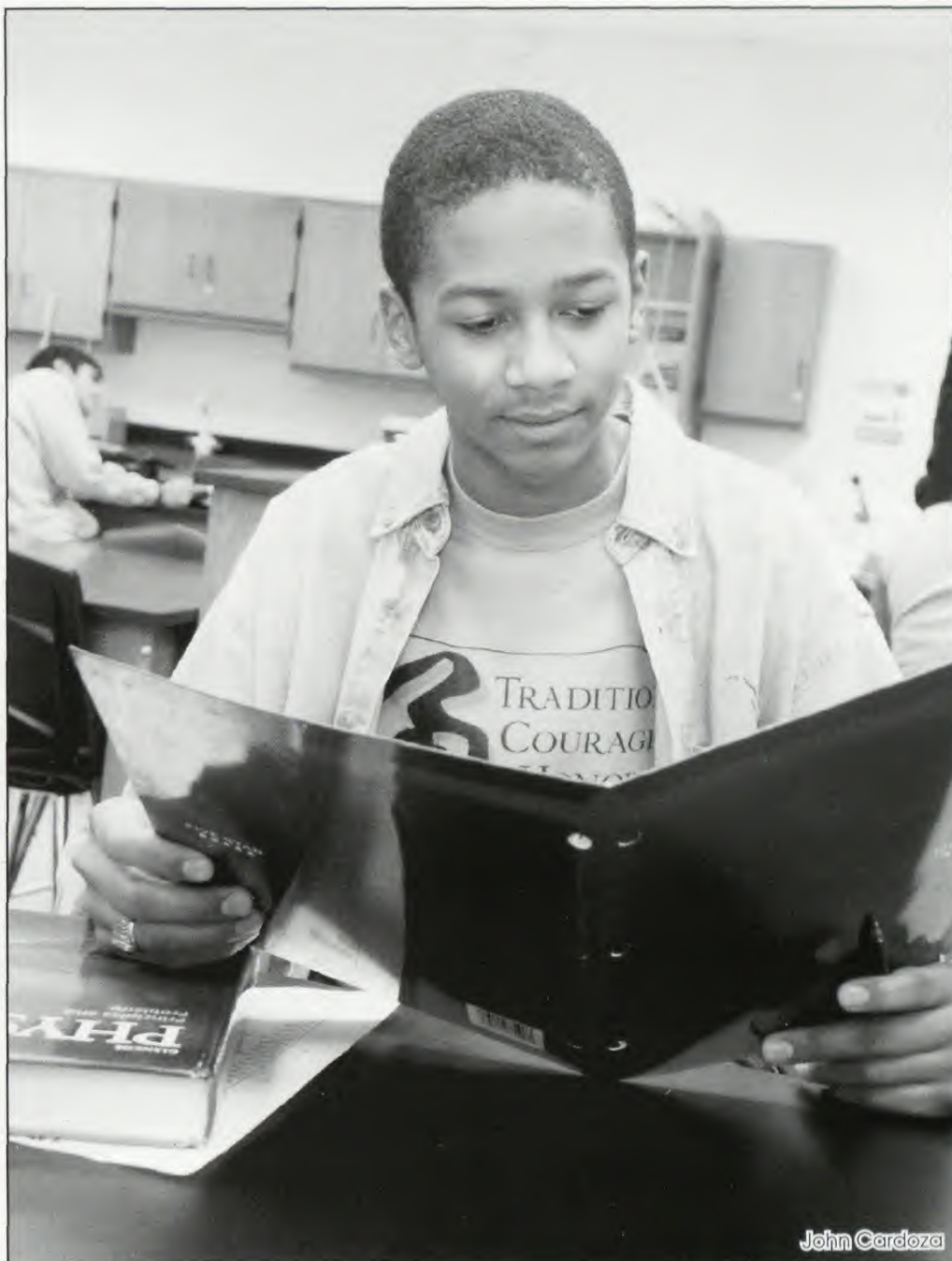




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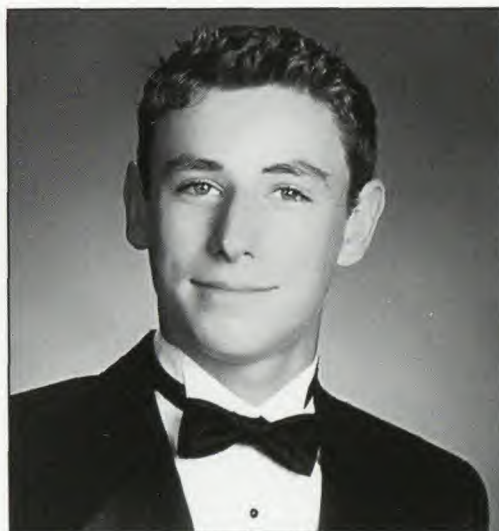


Tapan Patel



Ashley Patrocinio

Live in the sky, like up and down they come and go,  
like you live in the sky.  
-T.I.



Thomas Pepe



José Pesantez

Intellectuals solve problems;  
geniuses prevent them.  
-Albert Einstein





Danielle Petrucelli

There was never yet an uninteresting life. Such a thing is an impossibility. Inside of the dullest exterior lies a drama, a comedy, and a tragedy. -Mark Twain



Alisha Philemon



Christina Philistin

Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways acknowledge Him, and He shall affect your paths. -Proverbs 3:5-6



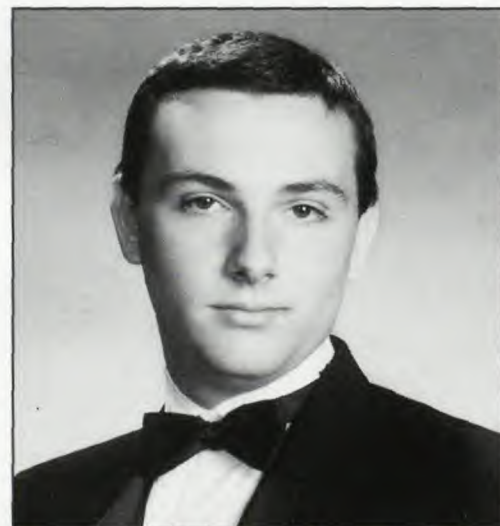
Eric Platt

There is always some madness in love. But there is also always some reason in madness. -Friedrich Nietzsche

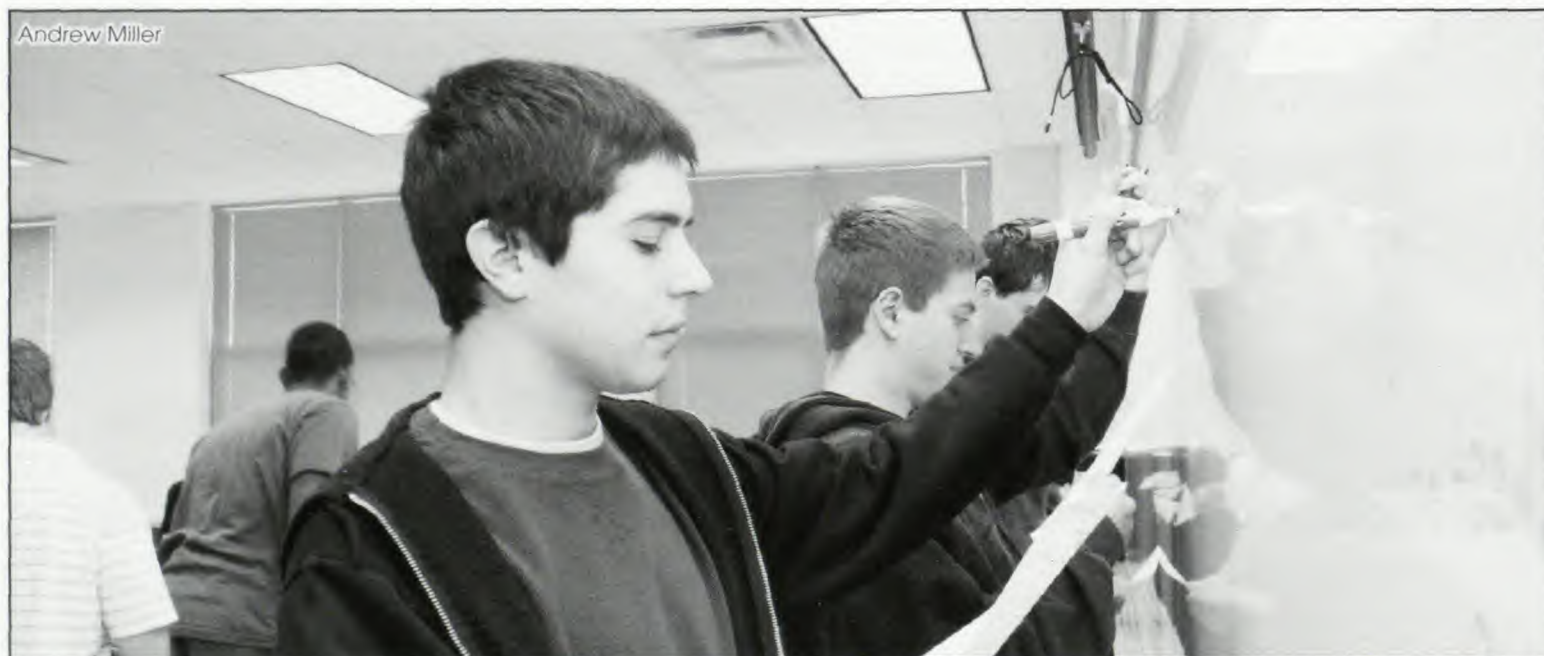


Theresa Polixa

If you keep your eyes open enough, oh, the stuff you would learn! The most wonderful stuff. -Dr. Seuss



Christopher Polizzano



Andrew Miller





Alexander Polo-Castro



Cassandra Previl



Angelica Quinones



Kimberly Raba

Shoot for the moon. Even if you miss,  
you'll land among the stars.  
-Les Brown



Thomas Sears and Ian Ruben-Schnirman

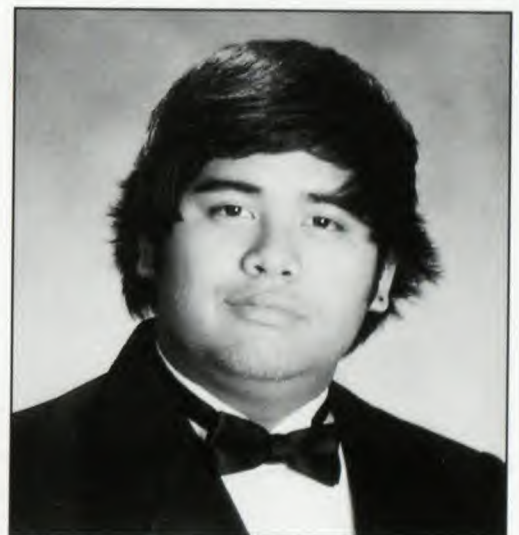


Melissa Ramos

Be thankful for what you have; you'll end up having more. If  
you concentrate on what you don't have, you will never, ever  
have enough. -Oprah Winfrey



Zimir Reeds



Jadam Rementilla

I don't break hearts... I dent them.  
-Shaant Hackyan





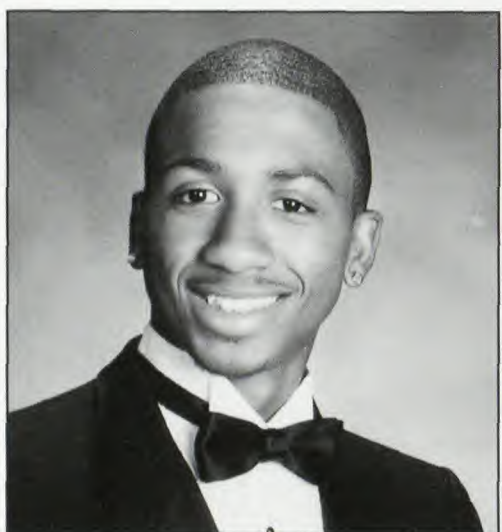
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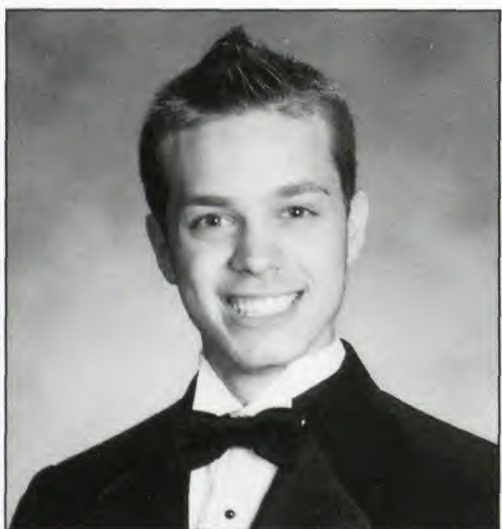
Richard Rengifo



Vanessa Reyes



Conester Riley



Randall Rinaldi



Daniella Hincapie





Mary Elizabeth Riopel

I am a work in progress dressed in the fabric of a world unfolding, offering me intricate patterns of questions.  
-Ani Difranco

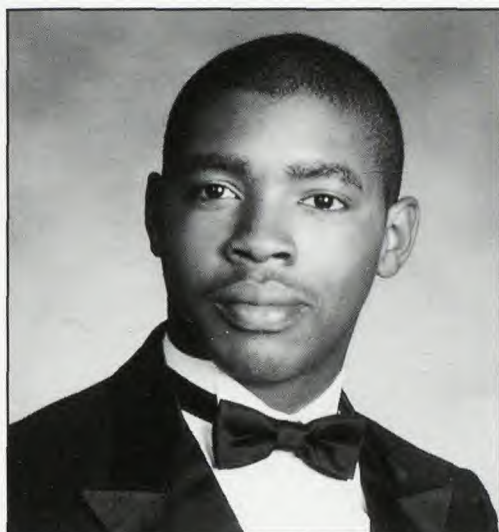


Carson-Dale Roberts

Life is a continually moving circle but is filled with mysterious events that can build up an individual. This is our year for entering into a new life. -Unknown



Bradley Robinson

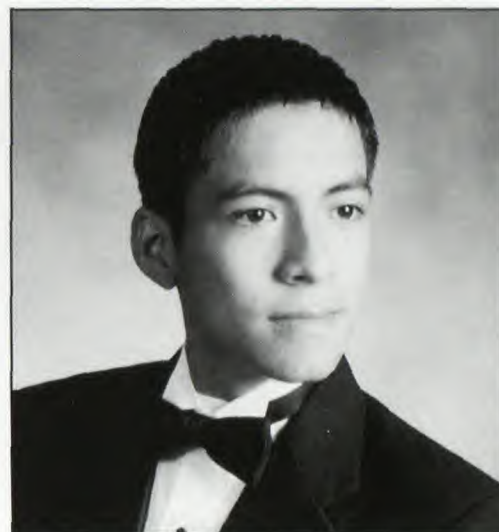


Denzel Robinson



Jaleesa Robinson

There is no royal flower-strewn path to success.  
-Madam C.J. Walker



Harold Robles-Espinoza

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



Emily Rodriguez



Kathy Lee Rodriguez-Arroy

If you believe what you felt you would be in love.  
-Chiodos



Fabbiola Romain

Aim for success, not perfection. Never give up your right to be wrong because then you will lose the ability to learn new things and move forward with your life. -Dr. David M. Burns





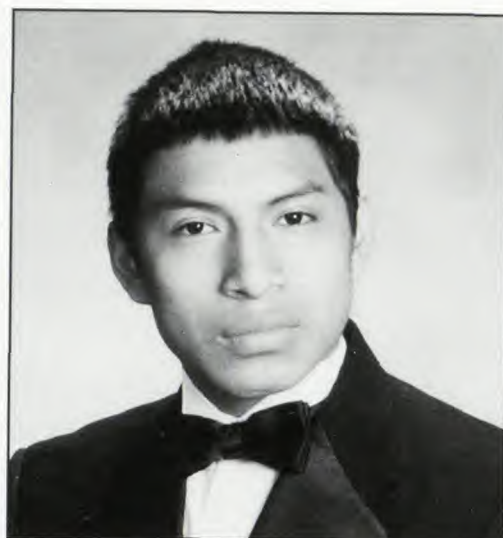
**Cheria Romane**

In the end, we will remember not the words of  
our enemies, but the silence of our friends.  
-Martin Luther King Jr.



**Daiana Romero**

Do not take life too seriously.  
You will never get out of it alive.  
-Elbert Hubbard



**Edgar Romero**

Gabrielle Mangieri and Samantha Weisman







Stefano Cusimano and Andrew Steinik



Stephen Rose



Charles Roth



Shavaun Roxborough

I believe that everything you do bad comes back to you,  
so everything that I do that's bad, I'm going to suffer for it.  
But in my heart, I believe what I'm doing is right.  
-Tupac Shakur





Asmeret Ghebremicael



Taylor Roy



Ian Ruben-Schnirman



Kaitlyn Rubino



Yonatan Rudin  
There can only be one!  
-Highlander



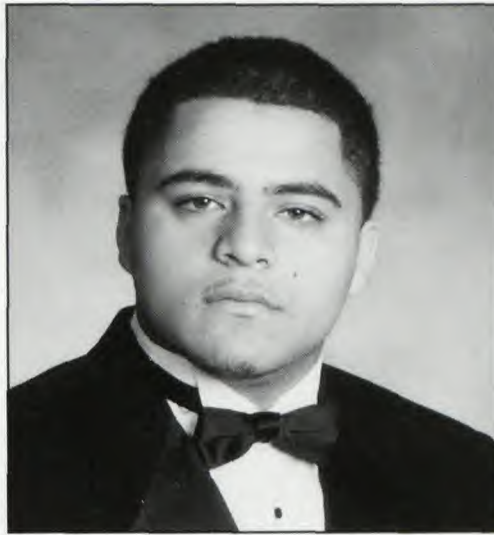
Alisha Rybinski  
In three words I can sum up everything  
I've learned about life: it goes on.  
-Robert Frost



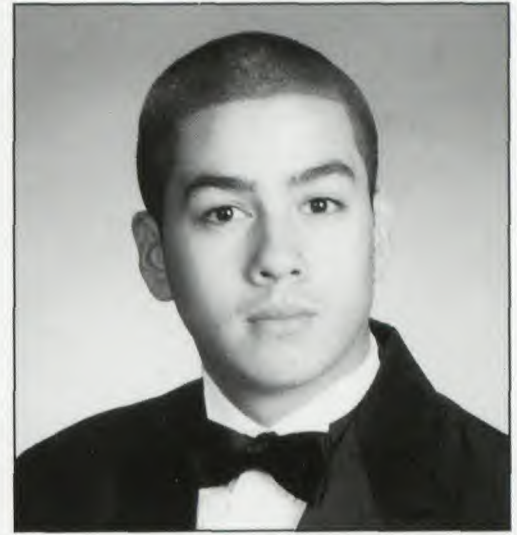


Joanna Rybnick

Fantasy is a necessary ingredient in living. It's a way of looking at life though the wrong end of a telescope. Which is what I do, and that enables you to laugh at life's realities. -Dr. Seuss



Armando Salamanca



Dubiel Salazar



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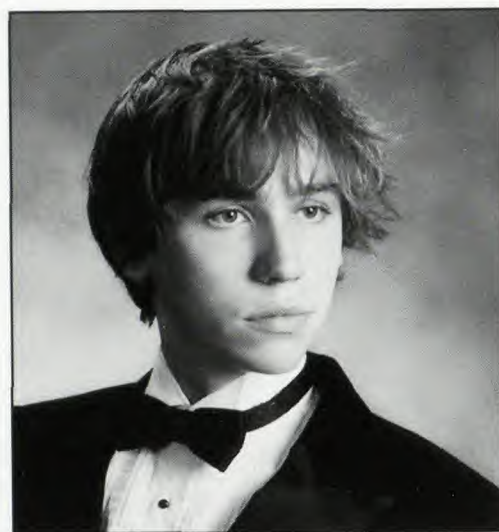




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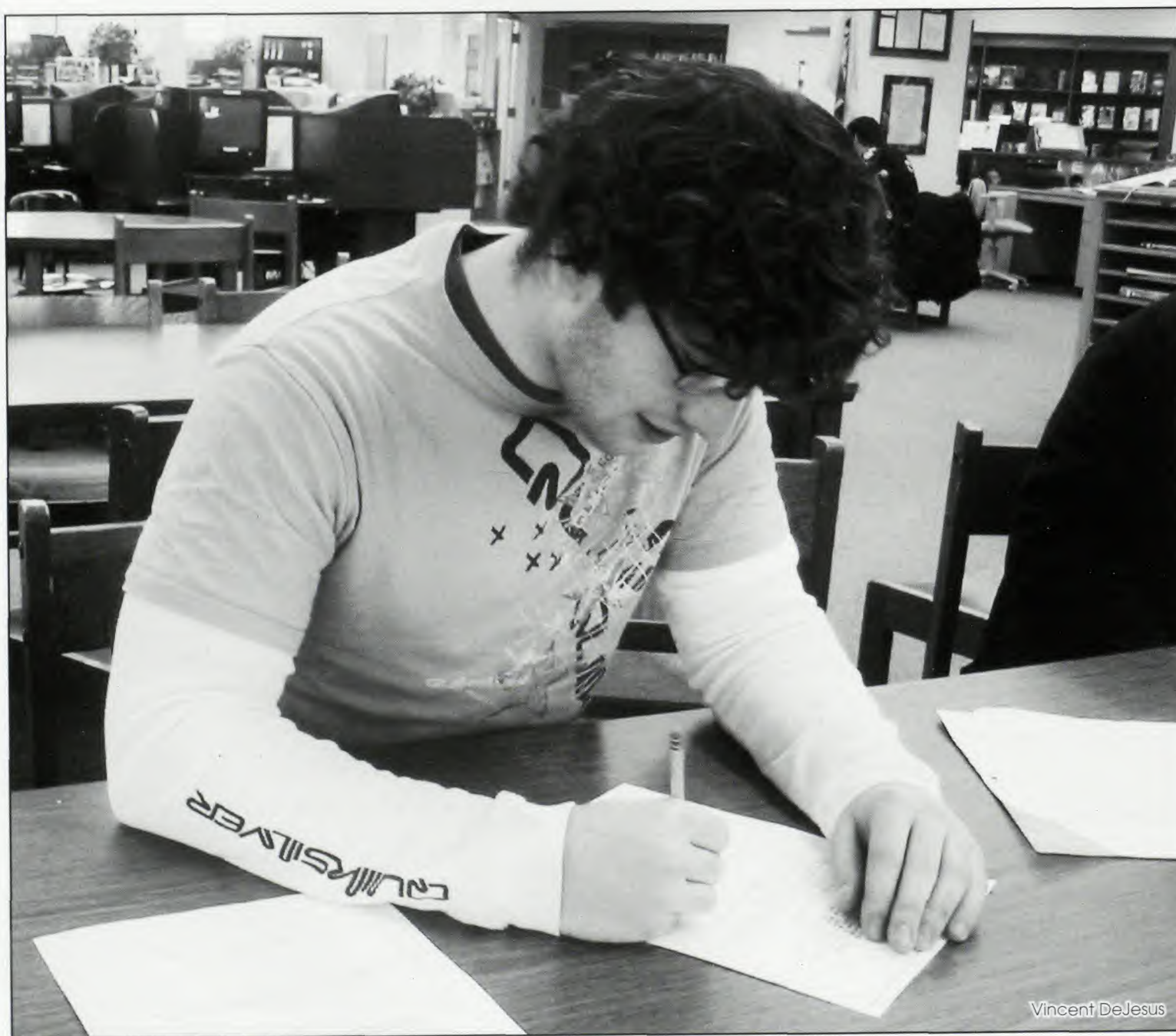


Maryssa Salomon



Julian Sampson

From sun up to sun down my eyes are red and run down.  
-Tame Wizza



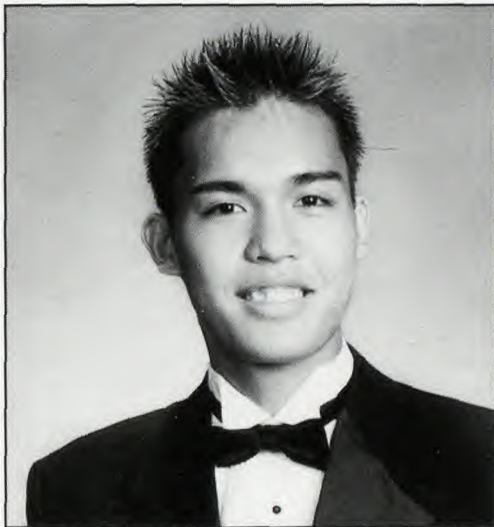
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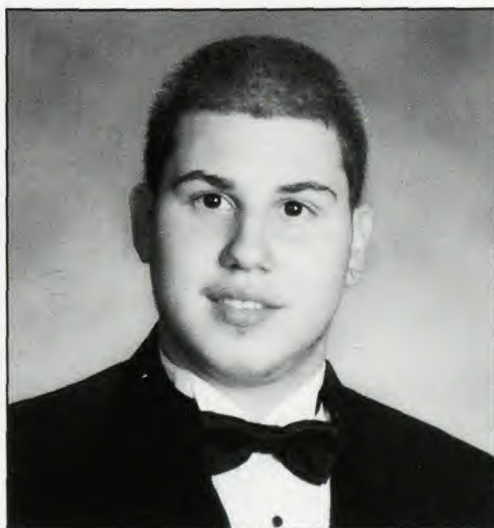


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Dream as if you'll live forever; live as if you'll die today.  
-James Dean



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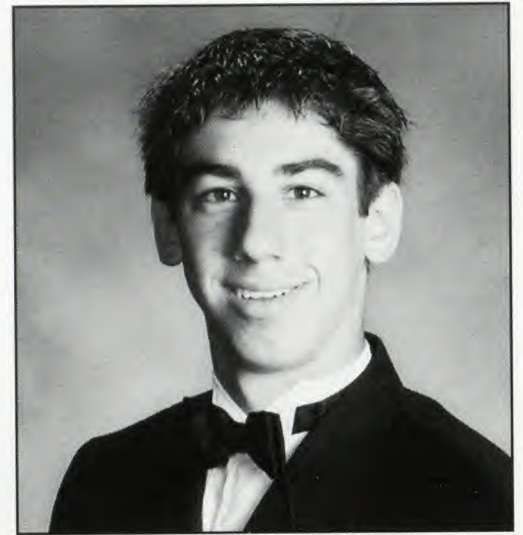




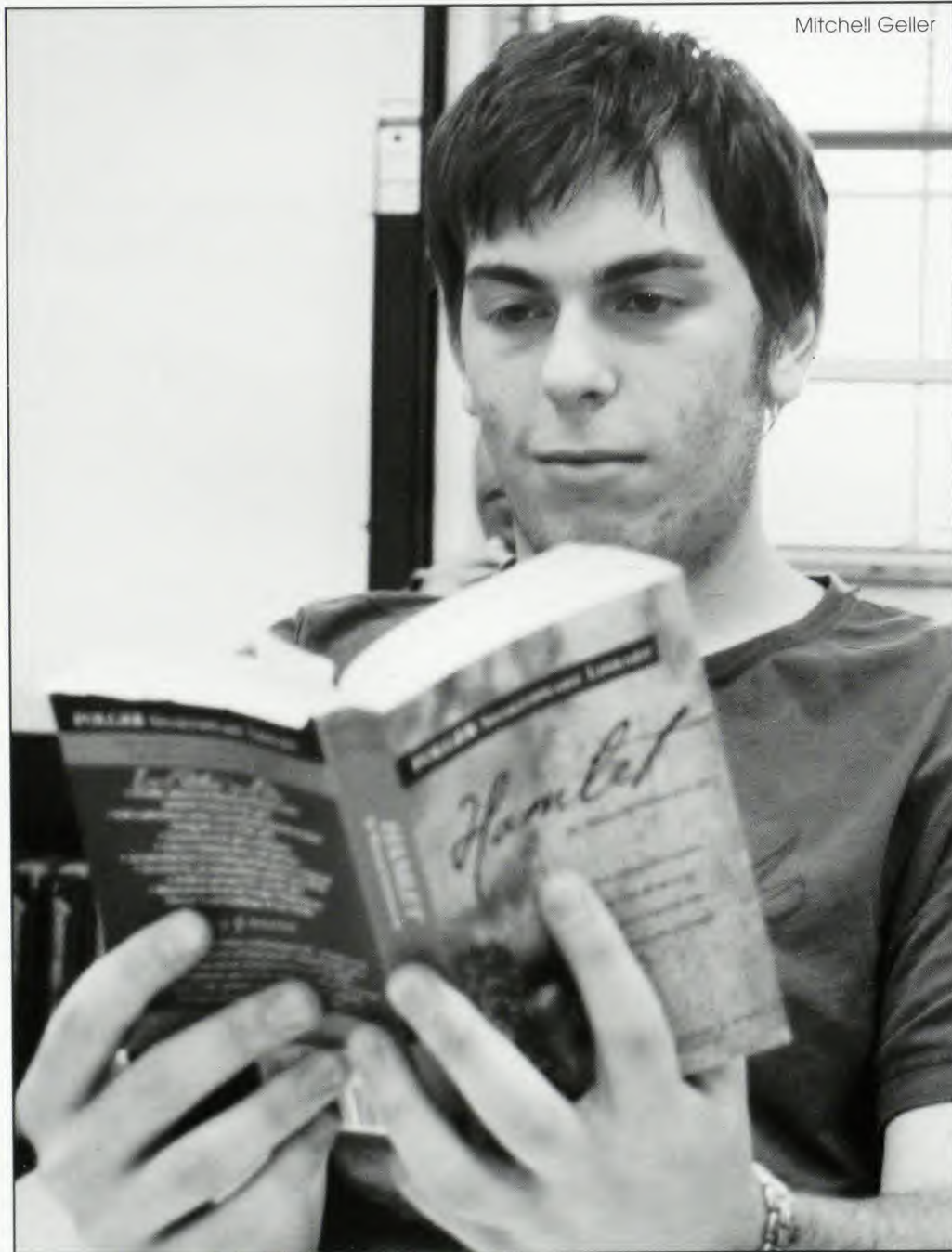
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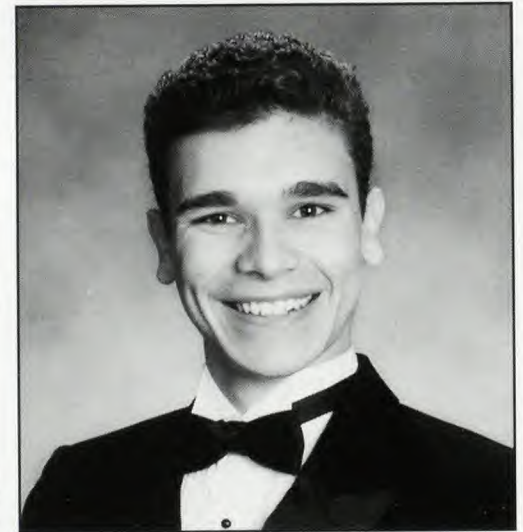
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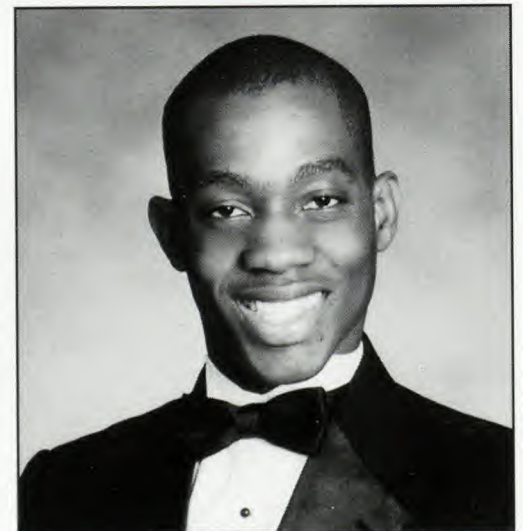


Mitchell Geller



Thomas Sears

Your life is what you make of it, so if you make  
nothing of it, then you will have nothing to live for.  
-Unknown



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So take me as I am, or have nothing at all.  
-Mary J. Blige



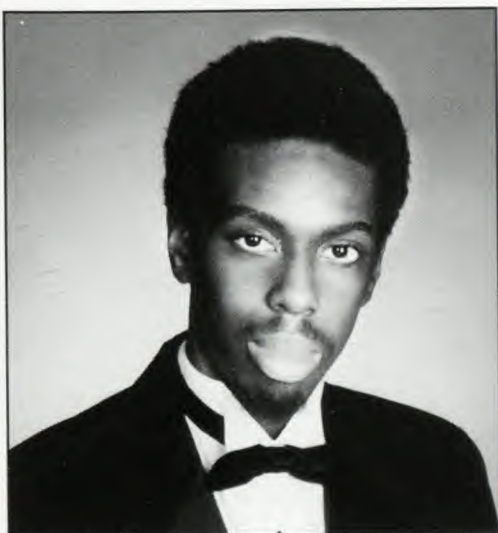


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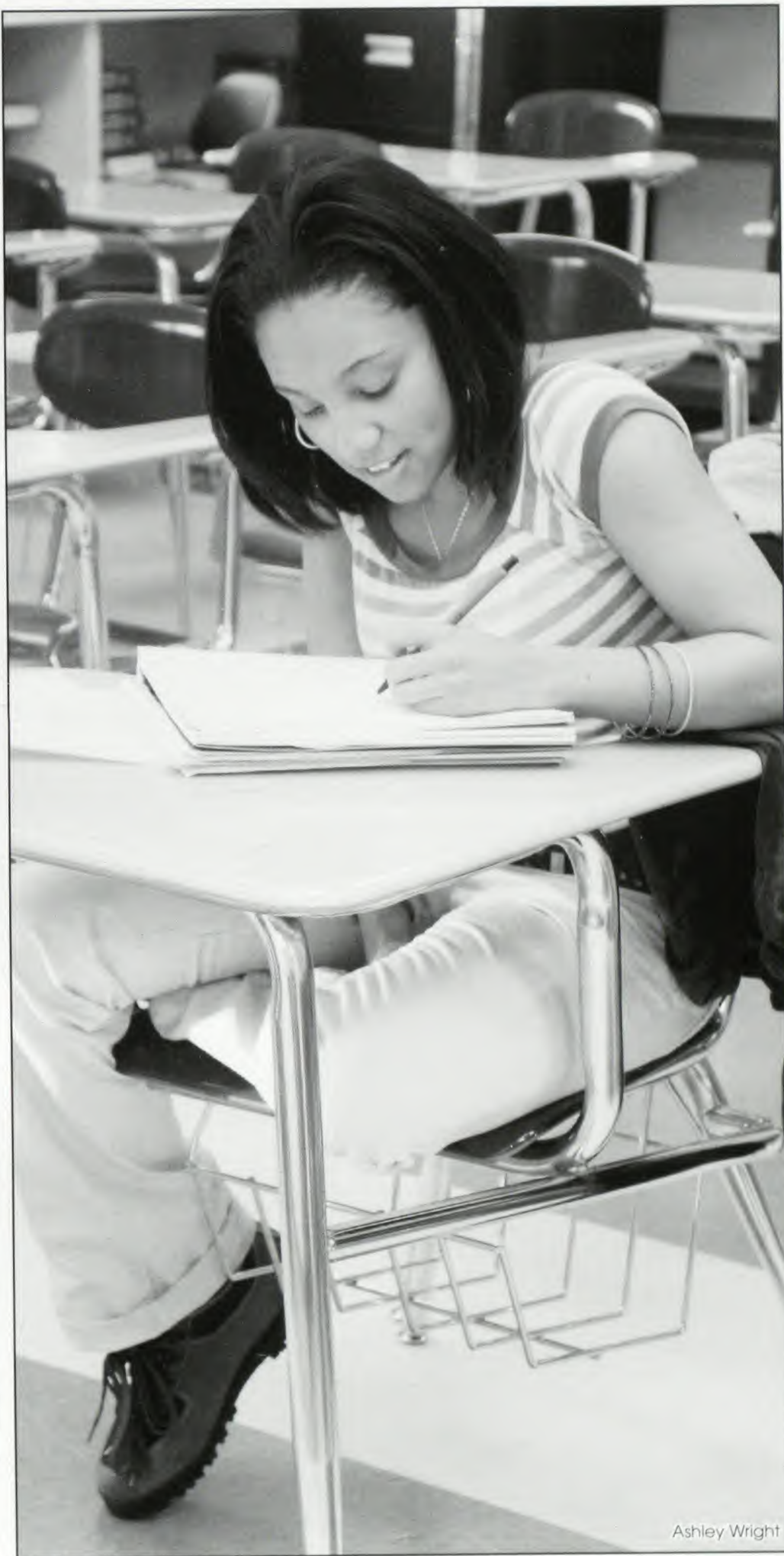
To my mind, the life of a lamb is no less precious than that of a human being. I should be unwilling to take the life of a lamb for the sake of the human body. -Gandhi



Glen Sellers Jr.



Lamar Sewell



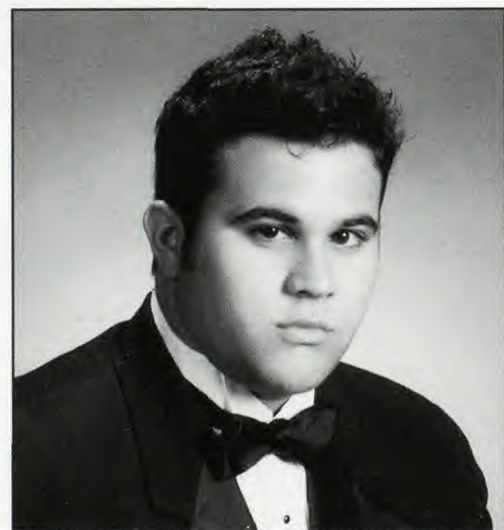
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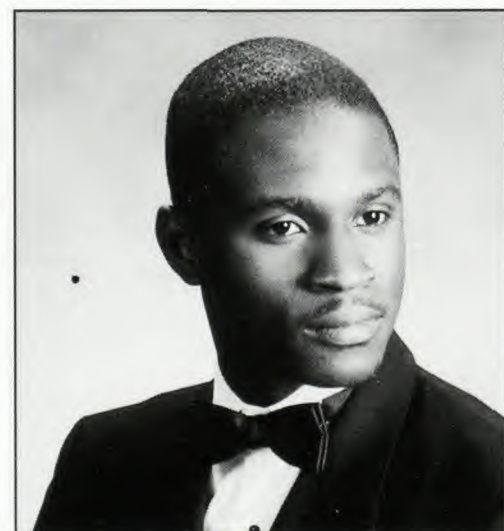


Karen Shala



Aaron Shenassa

If you remember one thing I tell you,  
it's to always dance your path in life.  
-Unknown



Sahr Sheriff

Never underestimate the predictability of stupidity.  
-Snatch



Woody Honore



Andrew Shum

Hope sees the invisible, feels the intangible,  
and achieves the impossible.  
-Unknown



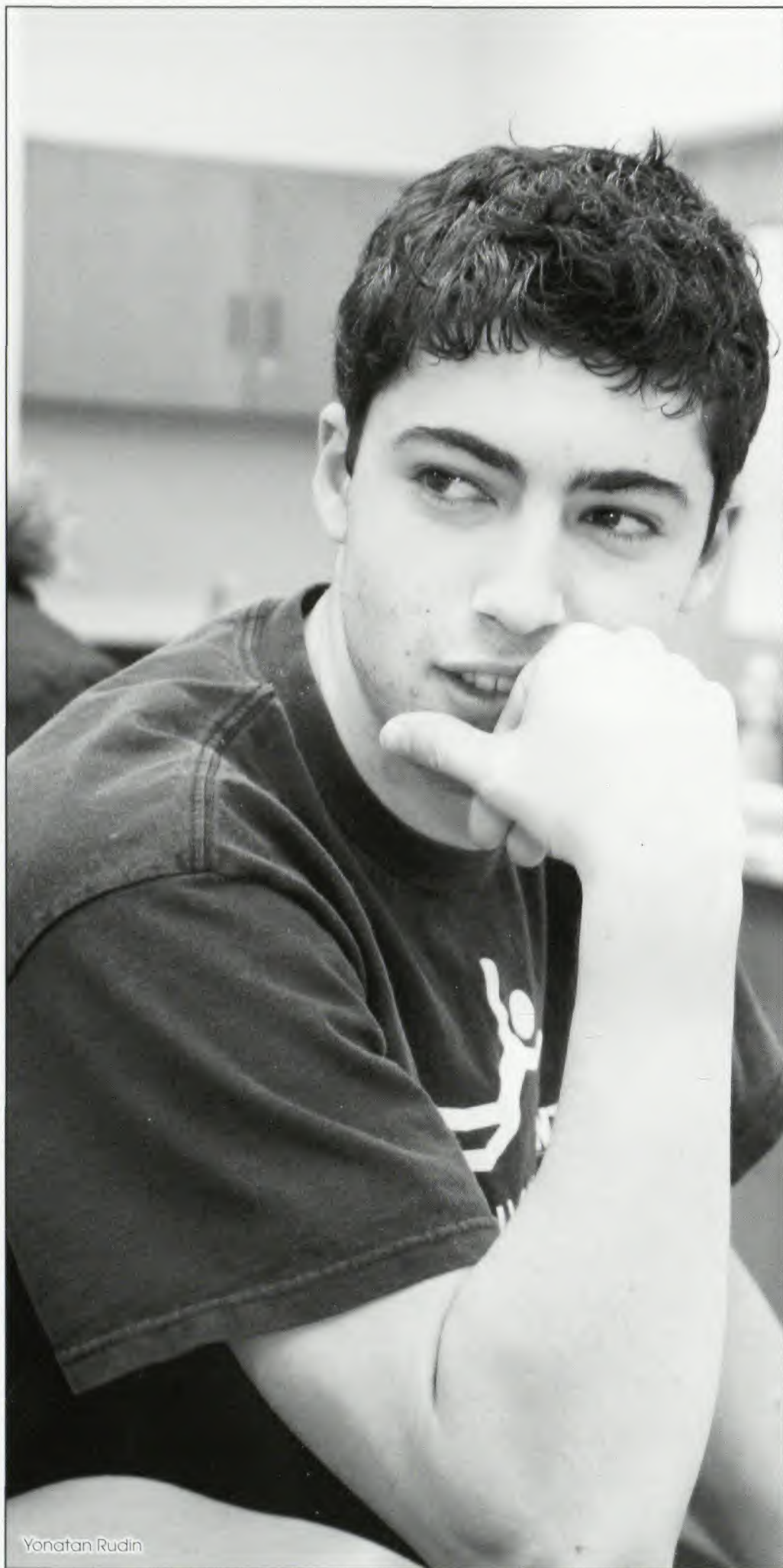
Lynn Siconolfi



Jennifer Simon

I couldn't understand the beginning  
until I had reached the end.  
-White Oleander



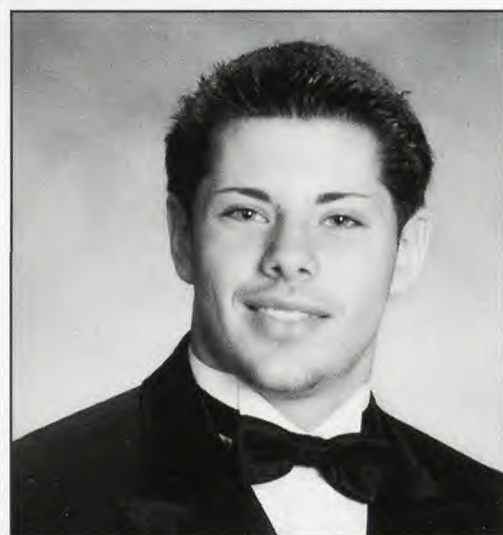


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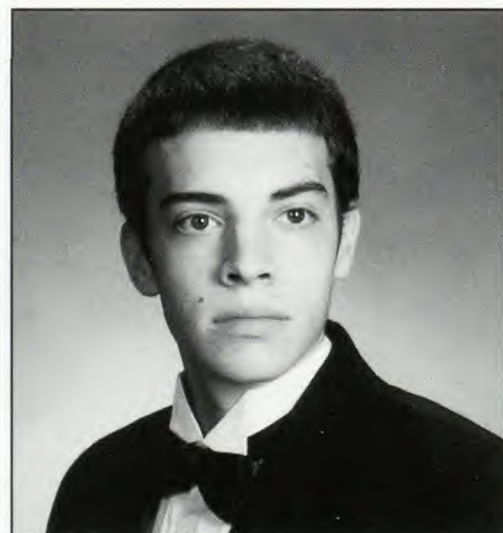


Jasmine Simpson

You may write me down in history with your bitter, twisted lines,  
you may trod me in the very dirt, but still, like dust, I'll rise.  
-Maya Angelou

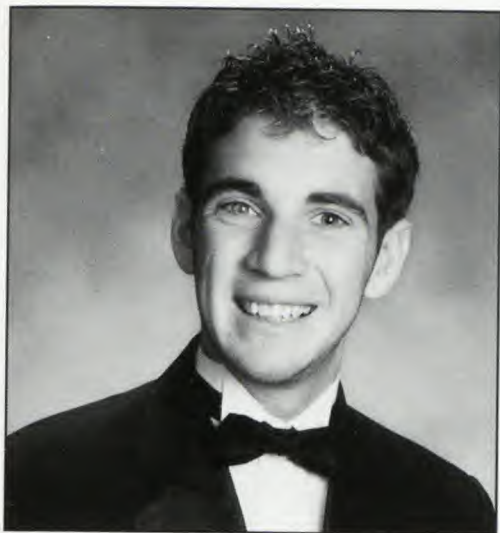


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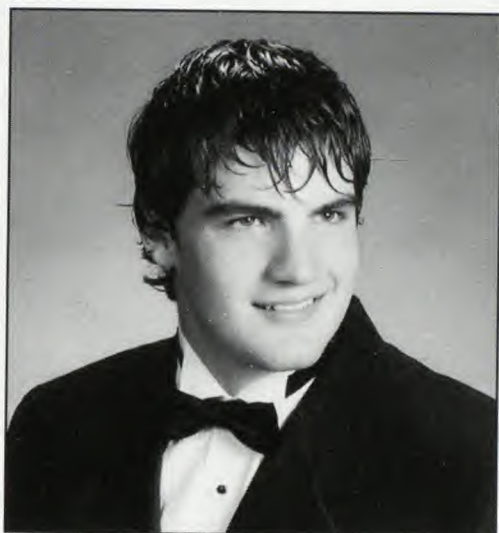


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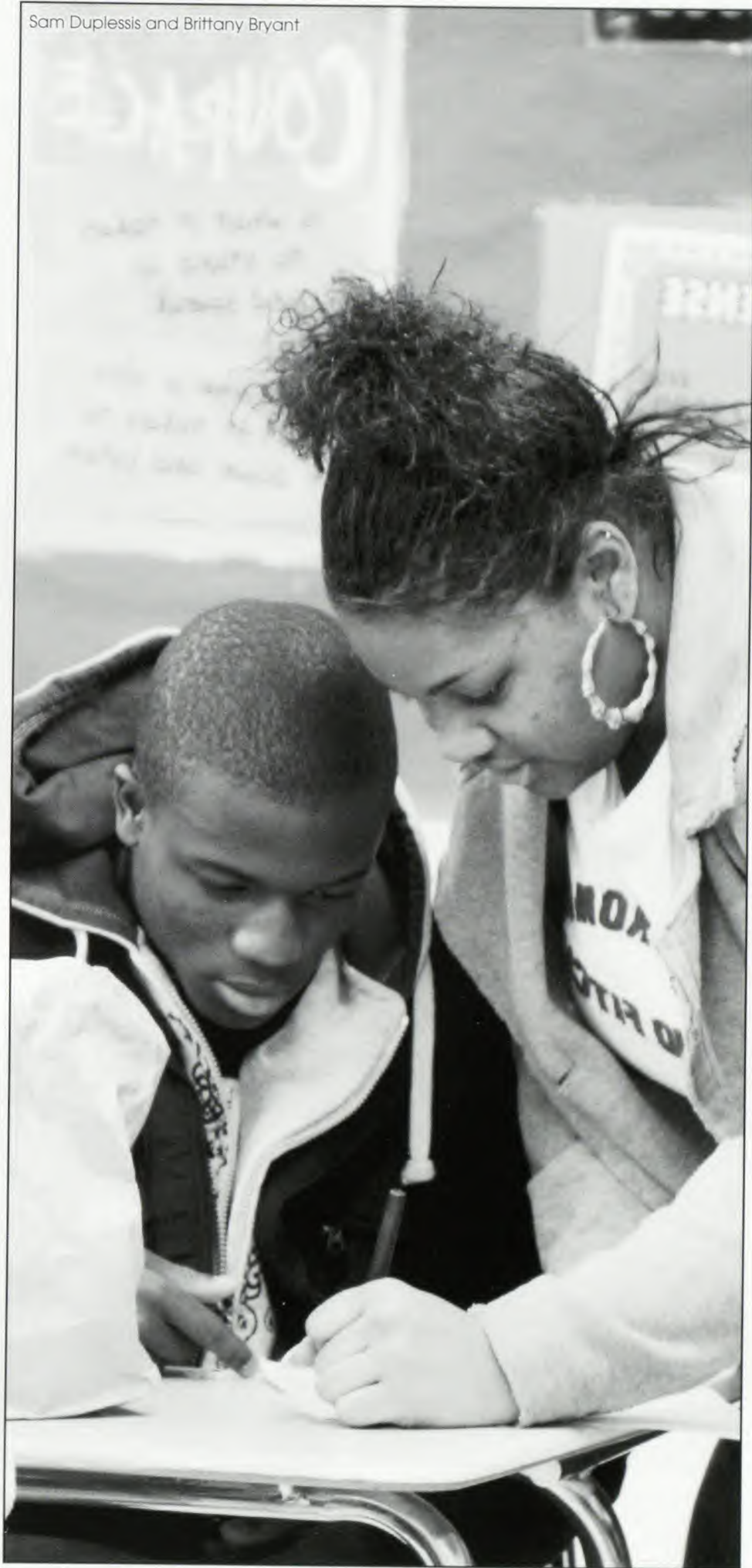
Caleb Smith



Kathleen Smith

Think about the good times and never look back.  
-Radiohead

Sam Duplessis and Brittany Bryant

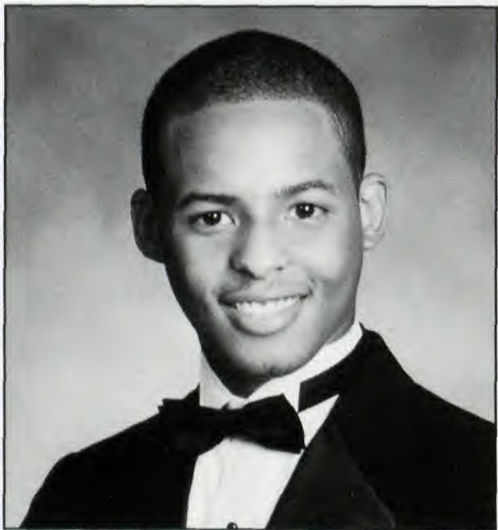






Keisha Smith

I've come to believe that each of us has a personal calling that's as unique as a fingerprint and that the best way to succeed is to discover what you love. -Oprah Winfrey



Lawrence Smith



Jairo Solis



Andre Kirk





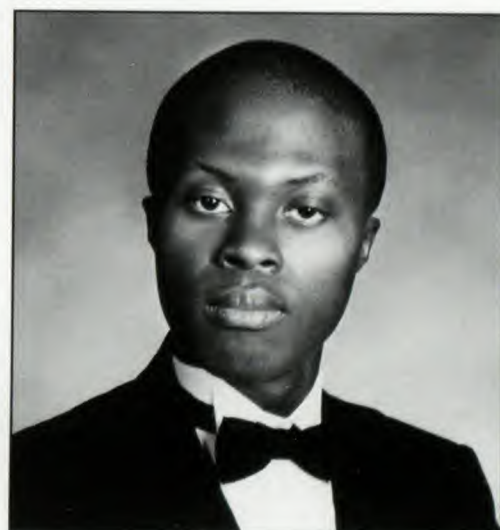
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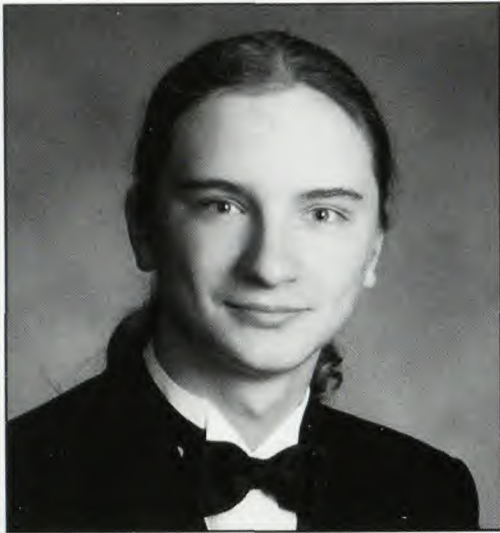


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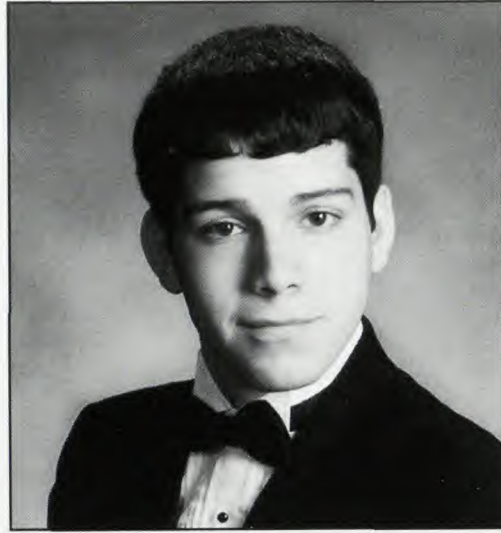




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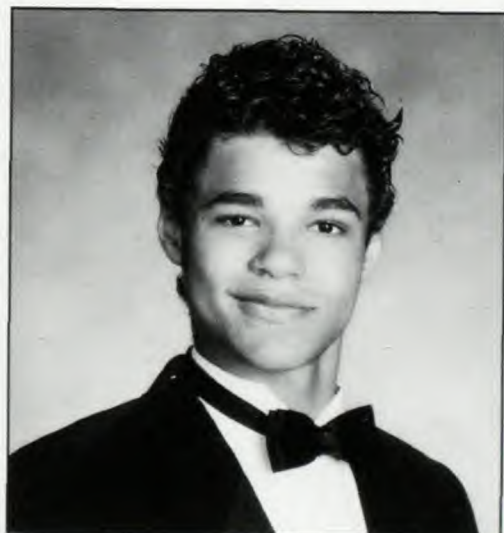
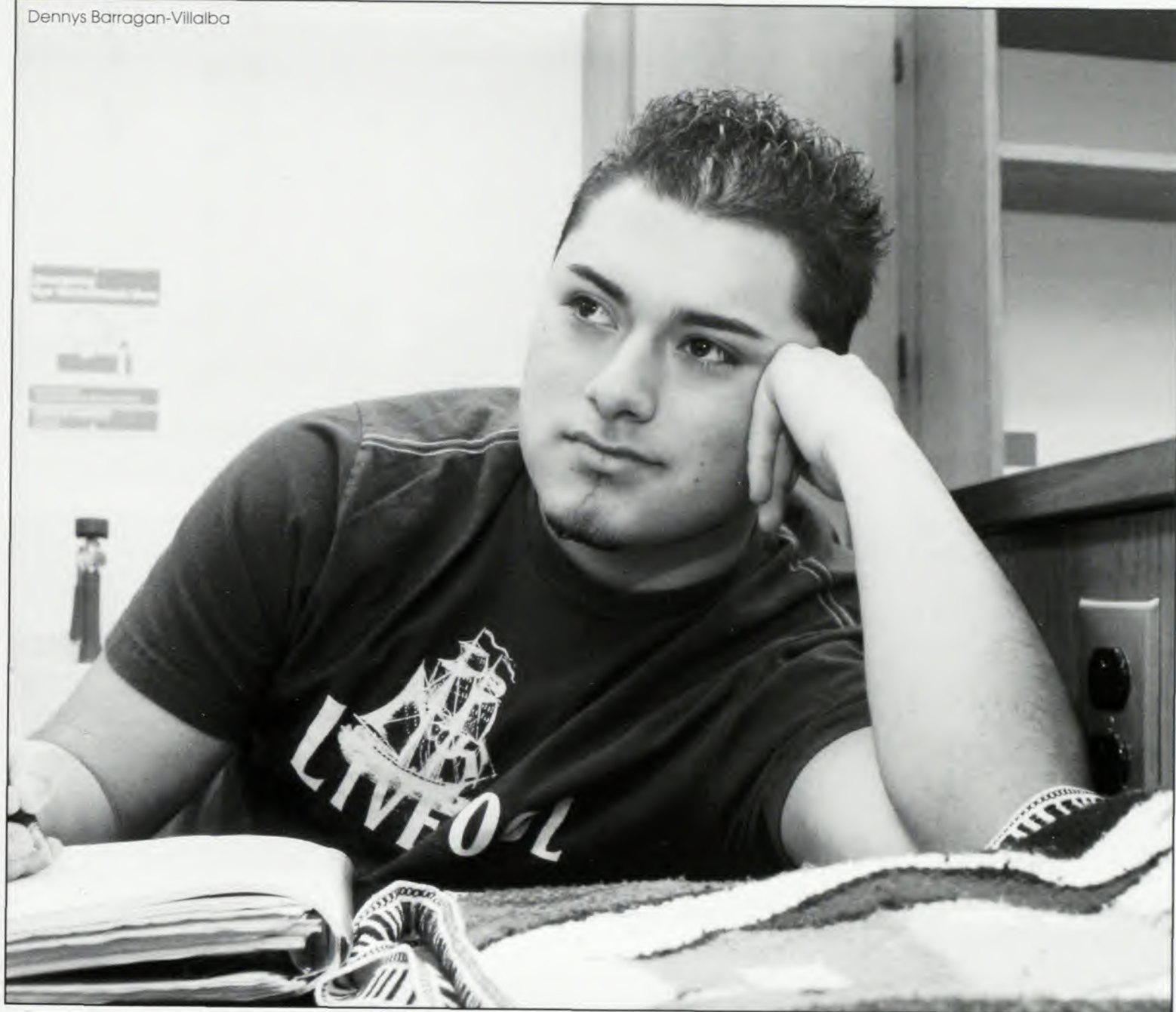
God does not play dice.  
-Albert Einstein



Michelle Co



Dennys Barragan-Villalba



Emile Svitzer



Deione Sydnor-Robinson



Katie Szymanski

Well I don't know, but I've been told,  
you'll never die and you'll never grow old.  
-Modest Mouse

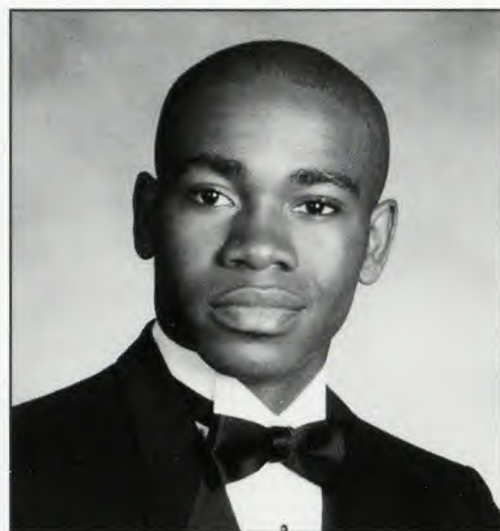




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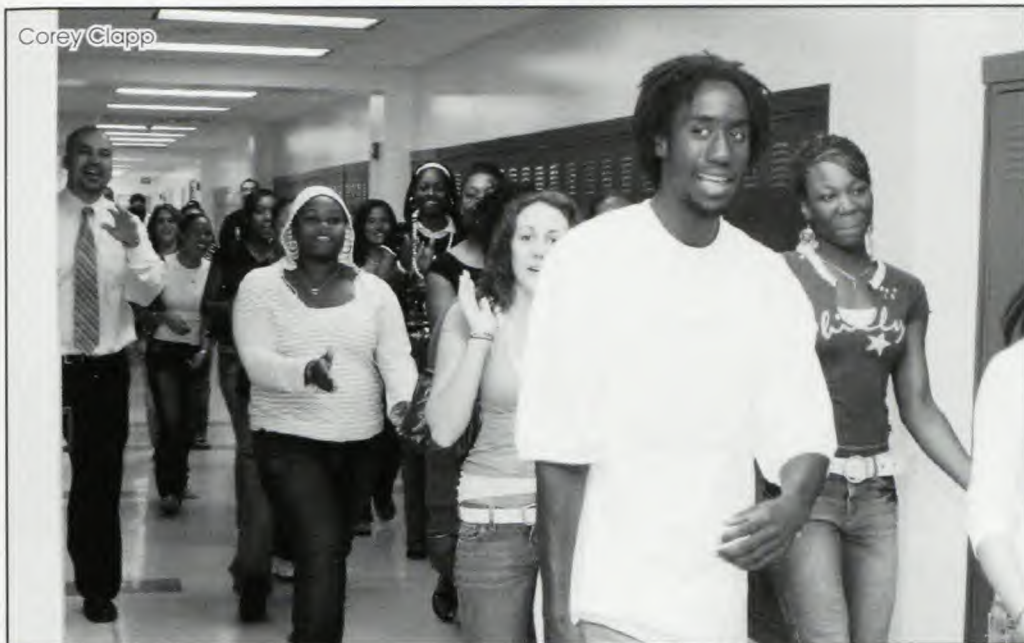


Stanley Thermitus



Guadalupe Colorado





*What was your most memorable moment at West Orange High School and why?*



"Using the wooden link freshman year. My friends and I still joke about it."

-Danielle Petrucelli



"The bomb scares."

-Travis Drappi



"During a soccer game I was trying to throw the ball in, but I dropped it. It rolled away and I chased it all the way down the field, while all my closest friends laughed at me."

-Carrie Wolk



Princy Thomas

Let me not pray to be sheltered from dangers, but to be fearless in facing them. Let me not beg for the stilling of my pain, but for the heart to conquer it. -Rabindranath Tagore



Charles Tobar



Joseph Tobia

All I ever wanted was to pick apart the day and put the pieces back together my way. -Aesop Rock



Katiana Torrens

There is no telling how many miles you will have to run while chasing a dream. -Unknown



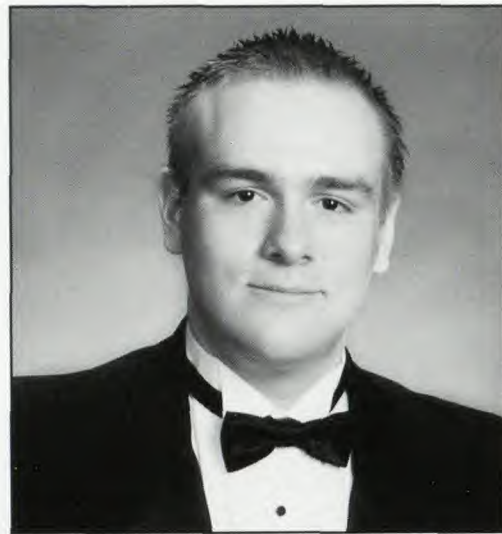


Jerson David Torres



Carolyn Trembley

Life is like a box of chocolates;  
you never know what you're going to get.  
-Forrest Gump



George Trusca

What we do in life echoes in eternity.  
-Gladiator



Kathy Lee Rodriguez



Jessica Urso

Our regrets are not for the things we did,  
but for the things we didn't do.  
-Unknown



Jaclyn Vairo

To accomplish great things, we must not only act, but also  
dream; not only plan, but also believe.  
-Anatole France



Kaprice Hudson



Daniel Valle



Sruthi Vallikkunnel

I always knew looking back on the tears would make me laugh, but I never knew that looking back on the laughs would make me cry. -Unknown



Samantha Vanderhoof





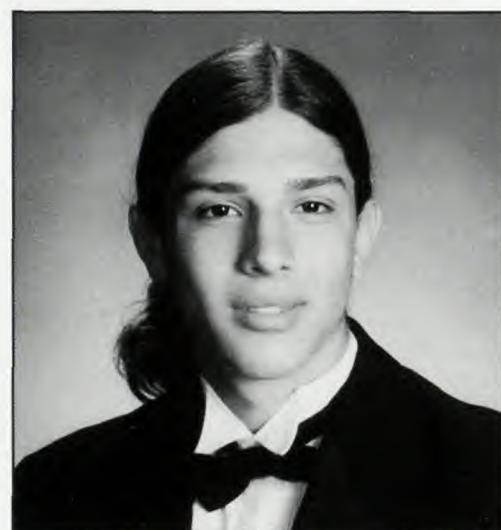
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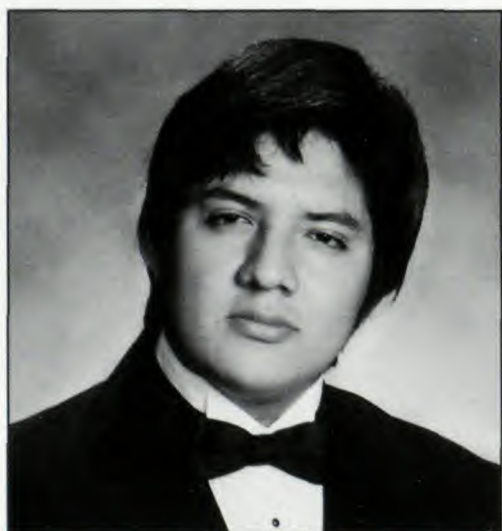


Daniel Verderamo



Esteban Villar

Until the day I die.  
-Story of the Year



Luis Vivanco



Mark Watkins-Blackshear



Lenece Watts





Samantha Weisman

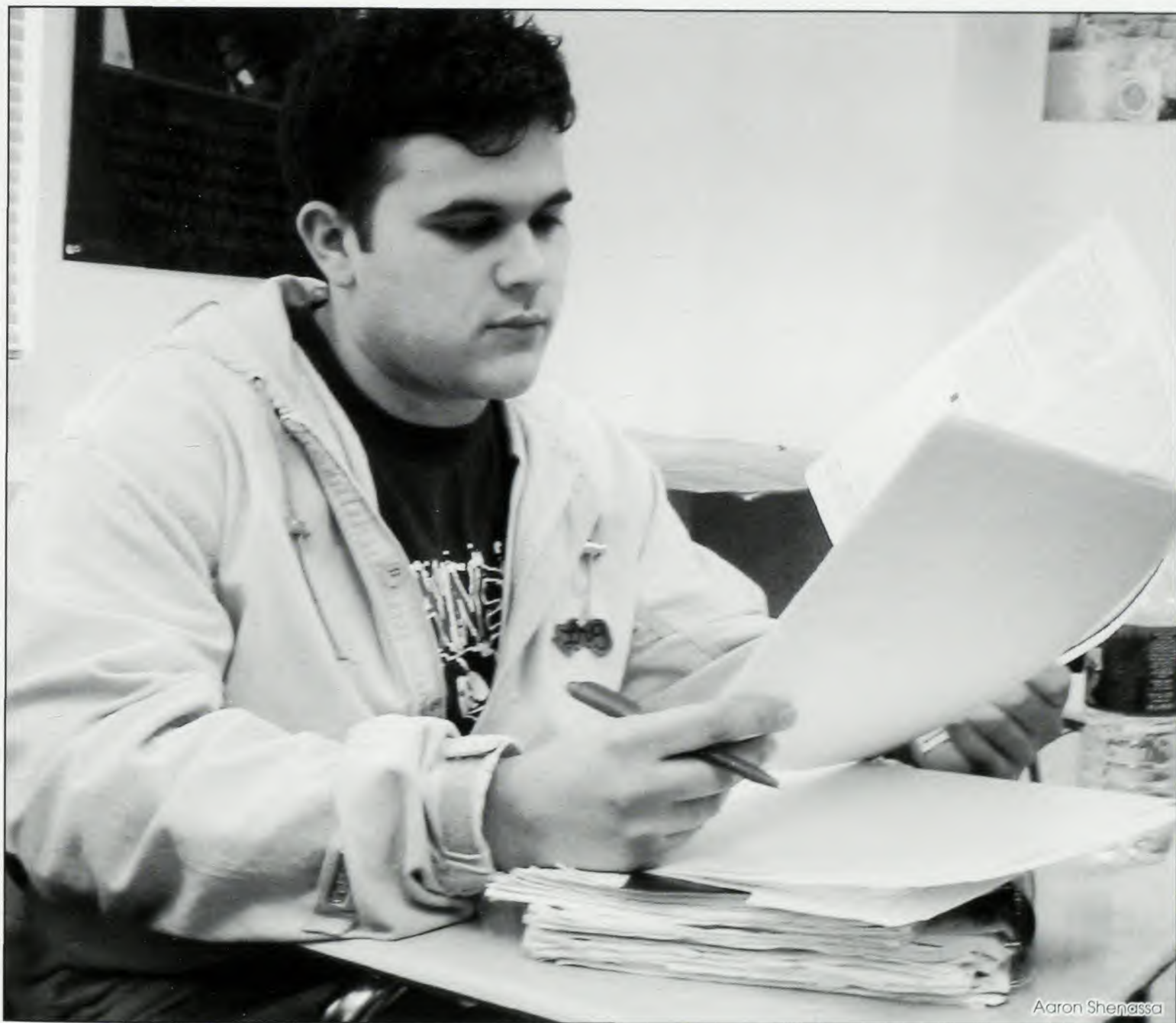
Dream as if you'll live forever, live as if you'll die today.  
-James Dean



Katherine Wells



Michelle Williams



Aaron Shenassa





Matthew Jacobs



Sade Williams

Failure will never overtake me if my  
determination to succeed is strong enough.  
-Og Mandino



Sasha Williams

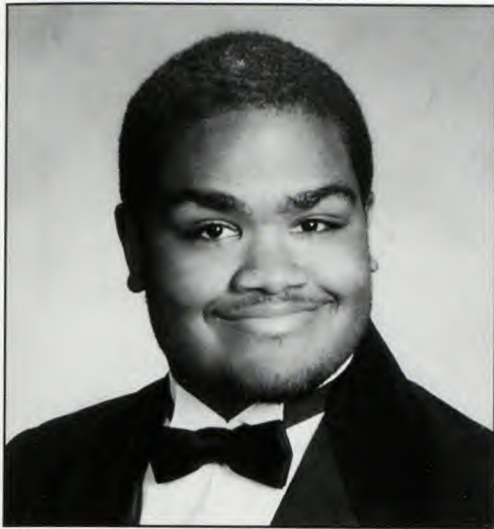
Dancing is an art that imprints the soul. It is with you  
every moment; it expresses itself in everything you do.  
-Shirley Maclaine



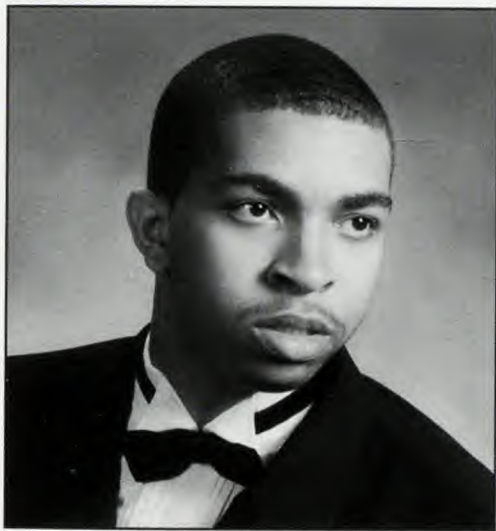
Tashaya Williams

During your life, never stop dreaming.  
No one can take away your dreams.  
-Tupac Shakur





Brandon Wilson



Darrell Wilson

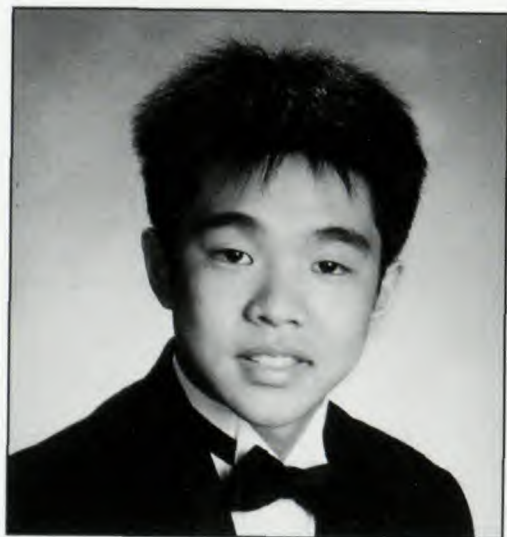


Carrie Wolk  
When in doubt, do something.  
-Harry Chapin

Jasmine Simpson

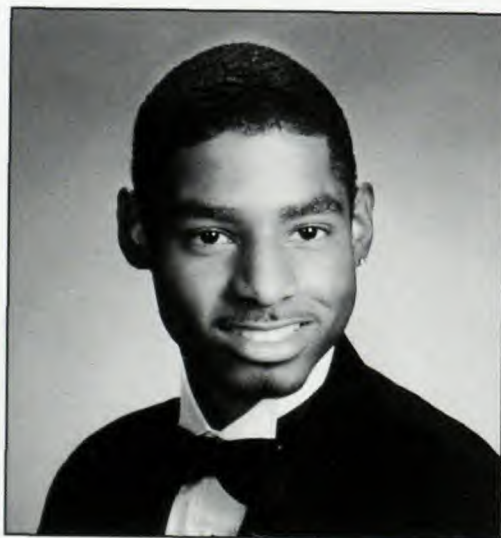






Andrew Wong

It is good to have an end to journey towards;  
but it is the journey that matters in the end.  
-Ursula K. Le Guin



Guy Wood



Scott Yanofski

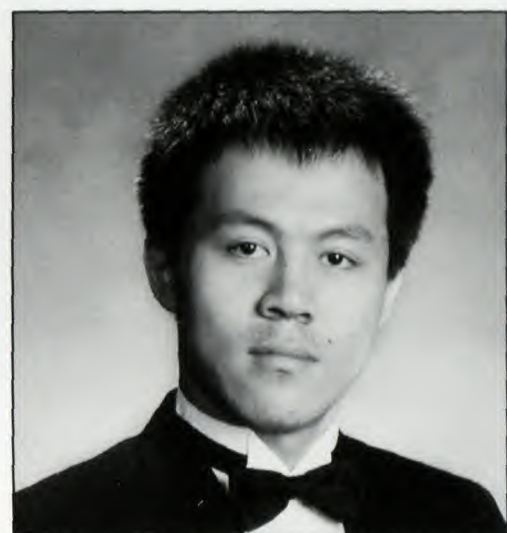




Allison Bravoco



Scott Yontef



Xiong Zhi Zheng

He who learns but does not think, is lost!  
He who thinks but does not learn is in great danger.  
-Confucius



Alexandra Zimmer





Football Tackles Downs Fouls Goals Touchdowns Set  
 Jerseys Helmets Uniforms Fumble Interception Traveling Ball  
 Kick off Jump Basketball **Sports** Baton Meet Hurdle Bat  
 Bowling Turkey Pins Gutter Strike Swimming Match Love  
 Soccer Goggles Softball Base Homerun Drum Major Count





Spike Serve Net Defense Offense Tennis Volleyball Wrestling  
Cheerleading Spirit Bullhorn Pep Balls Cleats Pate Golf  
Relay Clubs Glove Pom Poms Cross Country Love Track  
Pool Lacrosse Hockey Puck Birdie Baseball Instruments  
Discus Marching Band Drum Major Driver Putter Fields

Forever Changing



# Fall Sports







Summer Sunning Changing  
into Autumn Determination



# Kickoffs Changing into Touchdowns

How bad do your football pads smell after a game?



"My pads smell like a three-day old baby's diaper."  
-Robben Gold



"My pads smell terrible."  
-Caleb Smith



"Rotten eggs."  
-John Arnold

The Football Team developed an early bond with each other even before the season began. This "family" considered Coach Jacob as more than just an authoritative figure who gave inspiring speeches, but also as a friend who taught them about life.

This special team executed expert plays, which led to a season that swept up the entire school. The awe-inspiring record set by the Football team turned them into a true success story-- a team that brought incredible pride to West Orange High School.



The 2006 West Orange Football Team.



Robben Gold makes an important block for the game.



Scott Brown challenges an opponent during a game.



The defense gathers for Coach Jacob's adjustments.



Above: Olief Lecky takes on the lead blockers.  
Center: The offensive line assesses its pre-snap read.

# Football



# Cheers Transforming into Lasting Victory

Kayla Negron shows the judges her right herkie.

What is your favorite event to cheer for?



"Pep-rally because there is always a lot of students and it is a fun way to begin the season"

-Michele Cito



"Competition because it shows off how hard we worked and how much we progressed"

-Bari Leff



"Homecoming because it's a really good feeling to show the graduated seniors how our squad has improved"

-Marissa Aulusi



From the intricate moves of countless cheers to the difficult dance moves performed at the half time show, cheerleading is no easy feat. The cheerleading team performed herkies, toe-touches and screamed out cheers while riling up the audience and provided the sports teams with encouragement. Not only did the squad pump up the crowd and show unwavering support for the sports teams, but the members even performed in their own competitions! The team constantly gained top ranking at these competitive meets, while coordinating basket-tosses with difficult full twists. Pom-poms in hand the team helped lead West Orange to perpetual victory.



The Cheerleading team poses with pom poms and megaphones.



Wendy Fine demonstrates how her hard practice has paid off in an important competition.



Captain Michele Cito leads the team in a varsity cheer.



Bari Leff performs her single cheer at competition.



The Senior cheerleaders take a break during half time to hang out on the bleachers.



# First Note Evolving into a Spirited Performance

What was your most memorable moment this season?



"Getting to spend three thrilling months with my new family; basically just the love."

-Samantha Kirkland



"When we won states because all of our hard work and dedication paid off."

-Christine Choy



"The feeling I had when we marched off the field after our final performance."

-Joseph Alex

From the drumline to the colorguard, the marching band was one of the hardest working groups in our school, winning state championships in 2005 and 2006. They repeated "sets" countless times, had long rehearsals, and endured through camp. The ensemble also entertained the fans that attended the football games. At the last performance, there was a moment when the band achieved a form of euphoria.

They looked back and exclaimed, "That was a great season!"



The section captains and the color guard pose after a performance.



Drum Major Keisha Smith leads the band as they enter the performance field.



Sadé Williams shows fierce determination at half time.



The color guard stays in sync as they perform at a football game.



Marites Manikad, Christine Choy, Laura Campbell, and Michelle Co smile during their third quarter break.

# Marching Band



# Constant Wins Transforming into Lasting Records

What's the most thrilling moment about scoring a goal?



"It depends on the game... if it's a big game, scoring a goal can lift up the entire team. The best part of scoring a goal is celebrating with the team."

-Ben Brosh



"The feeling you get knowing you're taking your team to victory."

-Chris Christian



"Giving your last drops."

-Austin Alvarado



The Boys Soccer Team had an impressive season and ranked extremely high nationally. They played formidable opponents, but played hard and held their own. Not even late night practices and rainy skies were deterrents for this hardworking team. With exceptional plays, the Boys Soccer Team generated many victories and its talented players rose to the occasion at every game. With an aggressive offense and a protective defense, The Boys Soccer Team even achieved national standing. They ranked seventh in the nation, a title that perfectly sums up the ability of this team.



The 2006 Boys Soccer Team seniors.



Chris Edwards runs after the ball with all his might.



Center: Brian Martinez steals the opponents ball. Below: Estaban Villar throws the ball into play.



Taso Apostolopolus prepares to block the oncoming goal.



The 2006 West Orange Boys Soccer Team.

# Boys Soccer



# Goals Morphing into Eternal Glory

How bad do your cleats and shinguards smell?



"My cleats don't smell, but my shinguards are really bad."

-Danielle Ancheta



"Worse than anything you've probably ever smelled before."

-Margie Alfano



"On a scale of one to ten, twenty-two."

-Shannon Murphy



The 2006 West Orange Girls Soccer Team.

Throughout high school, the Girls Soccer Team accomplished many of their goals by working hard, having a great coach, and having fun. The team shared several special moments over the course of their seasons. From sidekicks and injuries to the coach dressing up as a lion, the team celebrated goals and played with heart.

Between the pre-game drills to the substitutions made at half time, the team had a dynamic connection. The relationship that the players developed with each other lasted more than just during the season. The Girls Soccer Team had lasting memories, on and off the field.



Danielle Ancheta aggressively takes control of the ball.



Center: Carrie Wolk fiercely steals the ball from her opponent, sending it down the field.

Below: Shannon Murphy powerfully heads the ball.



Margie Alfano dribbles the ball down the field.



Mary Beth-Riopel and Coach Zichella share their love for soccer.

# Girls Soccer



# Powerful Starts Changing into Strong Finishes

What was your most memorable  
moment this season?



"Hanging out and  
getting to meet the  
new people on the  
team."

-Andrew Wong



"Definitely dropping 60  
seconds at counties  
this year."

-Brendan Nelson



"I enjoyed joking  
around on the bus  
after every race."

-Shandon Campbell

Grass fields, tracks, and finish lines had very symbolic meanings to the members of the Boys Cross Country Team. The sport is known for its not so common elements such as mud-trapped hills, worn out Nike signs, injuries, and empty water bottles. The team ran to many victories and were successful in maintaining their 21 year streak of a season with .500 or better. The 40 minute drive to Lewis Morris County Park in Morristown began in

silence, ended in the run, and included stretches and cheers. The members of the team spent their entire season improving their own personal records and achieving their best. The season was spent on distance runs, track workouts, hill workouts, and running up stairs. These were all a part of practice everyday that marked an amazing season.



The 2006 Boys Cross Country  
smile at their home course in  
Morristown.



Ben Kaplan focuses on his competitors as he picks up the pace.

Russelle Laguerre and Eric Washicewicz keep an eye on the finish line.



Manager Jack Cheng poses with the senior runners.



Shandon Campbell paces himself at the start of the race.



# Strides Progressing into Triumphant Wins

What was your most memorable event  
of the season?



"Making shirts in my basement  
with the team."

-Megan Tan



"Just finishing every race."

-Cjloe Vinoya



"Meeting all the girls and the fun  
times we had on all of our  
distance runs."

-Catherine Ku



The 2006 West Orange Girls Cross Country Team.

The stamina and devotion involved in running Cross Country was evident to the girls team. The Girls Cross Country team truly knows the meaning of "working hard." Filled with its share of steep hills and even a river running through the home course, the girls of the Cross Country team certainly faced their share of obstacles. Running these courses was uniquely rewarding; the sense of personal accomplishment attained by a runner after completing a race was not to be compared to anything else. Daily practices and seemingly never-ending runs paid off when it came to meets. Another immeasurable asset was the tightly knit group that the team developed. The enduring preparation evolved into an ultimately successful season.



Junior Cjloe Vinoya sprints to the finish.



Sophomore Emily Carlson paces herself at the start of the race.



Freshman Janiele Murhead strides to the finish.



Freshman Catherine Ku chases down an opponent.

# Cross Country



# Series Morphing into Victories

What is the most embarrassing thing that has ever happened to you during a match?



"One time I ran into the fence while I was trying to hit the ball and I scraped my elbow."  
-Briana Sellers



"Some girl spiked me in the butt!"  
-Daniella Hincapie



"I got hit in the head and everyone saw and laughed."  
-Asmeret Ghebremicael



The 2006 Girls Tennis Team

Although getting hit by balls during a drill may not be amusing to an outsider, it was hilarious to the members of the Girls Tennis Team. They became friends and shared interesting conversations on rides to tournaments. This was only possible in an amiable atmosphere that the members of the team created. They chased after balls and worked hard to produce a successful season. The team made the county meet and qualified for the semi-finals. The doubles teams created a unique bond and communicated with poetic movements and at the same time were aggressive with their execution.



Jasmine Simpson smiles  
as she strikes the ball.



A few seniors take a break from the game.



Brendalyn Bruno returns the ball.



Briana Sellers prepares for her powerful serve.

# Tennis



# Volleyballs Evolving into Winning Games

What happens when someone from the opposing team spikes a ball at you?



"I duck out of the way"  
-Michelle Goler



"It gets me pumped and I'm  
so ready for the game."  
-Jane Andualuz



"I don't get spiked in the  
face."  
-Althea Charles

The West Orange Volleyball team sent strong serves to their opponents this year. With a talented combination of bumps, sets, and spikes, the team dominated the court, sending a strong message of West Orange victory to the opposing teams. This group of young ladies was constantly in exceptional high spirits. Their practices consisted of loud music and friendly competition. Numerous drills during practices prepared the team for challenging games. The team's incredible spirit and skill proved them victorious. The girls no doubt had a love for the sport as well as each other's company.



Captain Samantha Wiesman bumps the ball to a teammate during practice.



Nya Noziere prepares the ball for another teammate.



The talented 2006 Volleyball Team is a force to be reckoned with.



Kim Raba concentrates on her form while preparing her serve.



Captain Gabriel Mangieri continues the volley.

# Volleyball



# Winter Sports







MOUNTAINEERS



Crisp Leaves Changing  
into Icy Snowflakes



# Jumpshots Changing into Winning Baskets

What do you do before each game in order to prepare yourself mentally for the upcoming challenge?



"I listen to music and watch NBA highlights to get me pumped. I just try to focus on the task ahead."

-Woody Honore



"Visualization is important to me. I may be more or less pumped for certain games but the intensity during the game has to be there every night."

-Caleb Smith



"I usually try to relax and clear my head. Also, I rally around my teammates."

-Erin Parlar

Since freshman year, the Basketball Team repeatedly challenged itself and, over time, an unbreakable bond was created.

There was resulting sportsmanship and dedication, as well as commitment that was not only addictive, but contagious.

The number of points accumulated by the team members were plentiful, but the team's greatest accomplishments could not be measured in mere points. The dynamic team was marked by its members' fluid motion, classic swooshes, and brilliant movements on the court, as well as the individual successes off the court.



Jerry Corolian sets up a play at the top of the key.



Caleb Smith towers over his opponents in an attempt to grasp the elusive ball.



Middle: The tight knit team huddles together before a game.

The 2007 West Orange Boys Basketball Team.



Woody Honore is "BALLIN."



Erin Parlar positions himself to make a chest pass for an assist.



# Lay-ups Morphing into Crucial Points

What was the most rewarding aspect of being a member of the Girls Basketball Team?



"Joining a team that has been a second family to me."

-Najah Dail-Harris



"Meeting all the new people that share the same interests as me."

-Margie Alfano



"Getting to practice and spending time with so many great people."

-Sasha Williams

Dribbling and lay-ups might seem simple to the casual viewer, or someone unfamiliar with this sport. However, basketball is anything but simple. The plays involved in a successful game required incredible concentration, complicated strategies, and most importantly, tons of teamwork, which was something the Girls Basketball Team certainly had in abundance. Each player focused on scoring points, while expertly defending the ball from their opponents. This required great skill, but the girls team made these skills look easy. Combining their talents, the team members produced great results. Working with determination and an amazing ability to judge their competitors, the team triumphed and won many of its games and tournaments.

Sophomore Gwen Abreu guards the ball from the opposing team.



Sophomore Nichole Brown carefully controls the ball as she dribbles down the court.





Captain Sasha Williams prepares for the winning shot.



The 2007 Girls Basketball Team displays pride and determination.



Sophomore Megan Hanly sets her sights on the perfect shot.



Captain Najah Dail-Harris swiftly dribbles the ball during a lay-up.



Margie Alfano skillfully passes the ball to her eager teammate.

# Girls Basketball



# Teamwork Progressing into Successful Relays

What was the most challenging thing about being a member on the Track Team?



"The most challenging part of participating on the Track Team is the constant training and lifting the sport requires."

-Steve Theagene



"Having to stay focused while I wait my turn to throw at meets."

-Lloyd Codada



"Having to compete at the Meet of Champs right after getting over an injury."

-Deione Sydnor-Robinson



There were not always masses cheering them on, but this hardworking team persevered. They attacked and conquered their goals, which was to defeat their personal, county, state, and national records. The members of the Boys Track Team did not stop until they were both physically and mentally drenched. Even when they were inside the school on cold winter days, the team members took track practice seriously. The Boys Winter Track Team pushed until they reached the finish line. The incredible amount of effort put into practices matched that of their meets. The talented team members accumulated awards around the county, as well as the state.



The 2007 Boys Winter Track Team.



Outrunning his opponents, Guy Wood paces himself for the win.



Steve Theagene bolts down the track immediately as the shotgun sounds.



Corey Clapp races with ease as he runs down the straight away.



Jon Arnold expertly hurls himself over the bar during the high jump.



# Sprints Transforming into Gold Medals

What was your favorite aspect of being a member of the  
2007 Girls Winter Track Team?

"The family atmosphere."  
-Althea Charles



"Winter Track is great. When I'm running in a meet it may  
seem like it's all about me, but the team still has a big  
influence and is always there like members of a family."  
-Chinasa Ndumele



"This year I loved being one of the only senior girls; I was  
looked up to and it was fun being a role model."  
-Lisa Gonzalez



The 2007 Girls Track team definitely  
knew the meaning of commitment.  
Practice in the winter? Of course. The  
members ran through the school, making  
laps around the familiar halls of the  
building, which transformed into their  
practice space long into the night. While  
the agility and speed of the runners was a  
well known fact, they also possessed unique  
strength, enhanced by rigorous weight  
training. Daily practices and months of  
preparation gave the team the edge they  
needed at meets, including the  
much-anticipated Meet of Champions. This  
very impressive team sprinted its way to  
victory, leaps and bounds ahead of its  
of all of the competition.



Sophomore Isis Simmons skillfully clears the hurdle  
at a another challenging meet.





Junior Sarah Wesley clears the height with ease.



Middle: Freshman Janiece Muirhead focuses her attention on the finish line ahead.  
Freshman Allysa Go takes the relay lead.



Althea Charles focuses on her task, resulting in a record-breaking shotput throw.



The 2007 Girls Track Team.

Girls Track ∞ 167



# Cradles Evolving into Six Team Points

How has the experience of being a member of the Wrestling Team impacted your high school career?



"It enabled me to learn self discipline, modesty, pride, and, of course, perseverance."

-David Alsieux



"Wrestling made me more mature and disciplined as a student, not only an athlete."

-Nigel Jean-Baptiste



"After being a member of the wrestling team, everything else seems easy."

-Ben Hill

Although the West Orange Wrestling Team had several phenomenal seasons, the 2007 season was special. The number of pins, take downs, reversals and points surpassed previous records. The team posed a threat even to the most formidable competitors. The successful team members approached every match with confidence and delivered a win. The Wrestling Team made use of the benefit of several technological advances including the new gym, practice room and the new "scale." Combining these technologies with natural skill and immense dedication and devotion, the Wrestling Team achieved fantastic accomplishments during this monumental season.



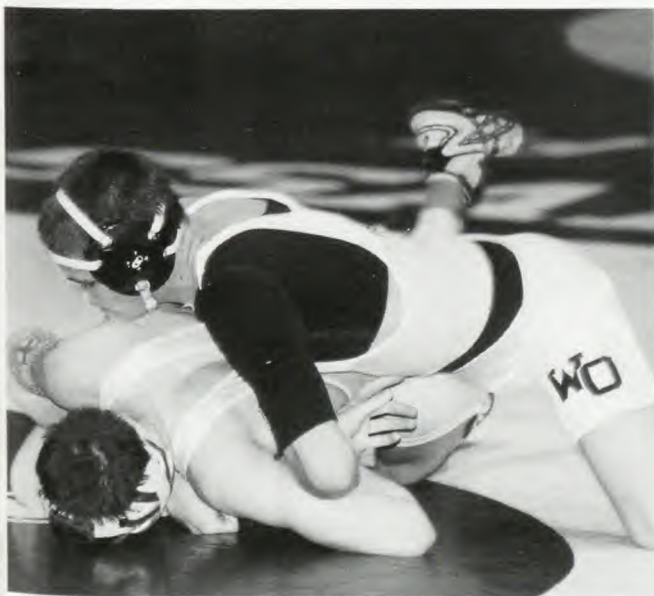
Eric Vasson begins his match by sizing up his opponent.



David Joisil works a front headlock.



Middle: Travis Drappi successfully executes a back tilt.  
Jeff Lauterbach perfects his "Bloomfield Tilt".



Jimmy Luciano locks up a single wrist.



The promising 2007 West Orange Wrestling Team.



# Faceoffs Morphing into Countless Slapshots

How did being a part of the Hockey Team  
affect your high school career?



"That would have to be winning the Kelly Cup  
Championship game my freshman year. It was  
my first time ever being a part of something  
bigger than myself."

-Steven Scotese



"Making varsity and being the only girl  
competing with boys my own age."

- Samantha Emmerling



"Hockey taught me to be a  
stronger person, physically and  
mentally."

-Joey Ippolito

"Goooooool!" The  
accompanying cheer  
reverberates through the arena.  
These sounds were ones the West  
Orange High School Hockey Team  
knew well. After planning  
strategies and spending hours  
on the ice, the team members  
were able to display their skills in  
one of their thirty games. This full  
schedule included glorious slap  
shots and impressive possessions  
of the puck during the enthralling  
games. The Hockey Team finished  
with another successful,  
exciting season in 2007.



The formidable 2007 Hockey Team defends its domain.



Steve Scotese beats his opponent to the puck and advances it toward the net.



Middle: Junior Justin Rodriguez glides in front of his opponent in an attempt to steal the puck. Joey Ippolito forges towards the net.



Junior John Chors keeps an eye on the game.



Junior Stephen Wallach positions himself to defend the goal.



# Topspins Developing into Strikes

What helpful hints can you offer someone trying to improve his or her bowling game?



"Always stick with it, and practice, practice, practice."  
-Anthony Santino



"Concentration is key. I notice that when I really focus, I bowl much better games."  
-Evan Quentzel



"Stay focused and pick up your spares."  
-Joe Matarazzo

They held up the heavy ball , calculated the amount of strength involved in the following event, locked their gazes on the ten enemies down the wooden floor, and attacked these "enemies" with all their might. They were the West Orange High School Bowling Team. They participated in the epic battle of acquiring strikes, then winning the war by bowling a perfect game. The neurons in their brain were the troops that provided motivation; the secret weapon was their strength and their plan of attack . The team's goal was to bowl their best and force the enemies to fall as they retreated into the gutter. The 2007 Bowling Team accomplished the mission of making the game both fun and victorious.



Junior Joe Matarazzo winds up for a perfect strike.



Junior Evan Quentzel locks in on the enemy pins.



Anthony Santino demonstrates the form of a professional keggler.



The 2007 West Orange Bowling Team.



Sophomore Tabari Dargan prepares his stance to bowl a game winning spare.



# Strokes Morphing into Triumphant Finishes

What is the best method for getting the smell of chlorine off your body?

"It never goes away!"  
-Eric Platt



"68.5 minute baths"  
-Jun Rementilla



"No, not really. I try a long hot shower, shampoo, and Axe."  
-Brenden Nelson



The members of the Boys Swim Team certainly proved their talent during this monumental season. The swimmers dove into the chlorinated water, and launched into highly competitive races. In both relays and individual events, the team excelled. The team members put their long, hard hours of practice to work as they quickly and skillfully swam ahead of their opponents. While winning these races, the swimmers also demolished long-standing records, and reached new heights as they set faster times. The degree of their strokes displayed their agility and strength. Fueled by incredible endurance and the undying desire to swim their very best, the team members performed gracefully at every meet. Whether performing butterfly stroke, 500m, freestyle, or backstroke, the team members consistently swam impressively, and made West Orange proud. These athletes proved to be an unstoppable force in the face of all opposing teams.



Seniors Jose Pesantez and Jun Rementilla joke before a meet.

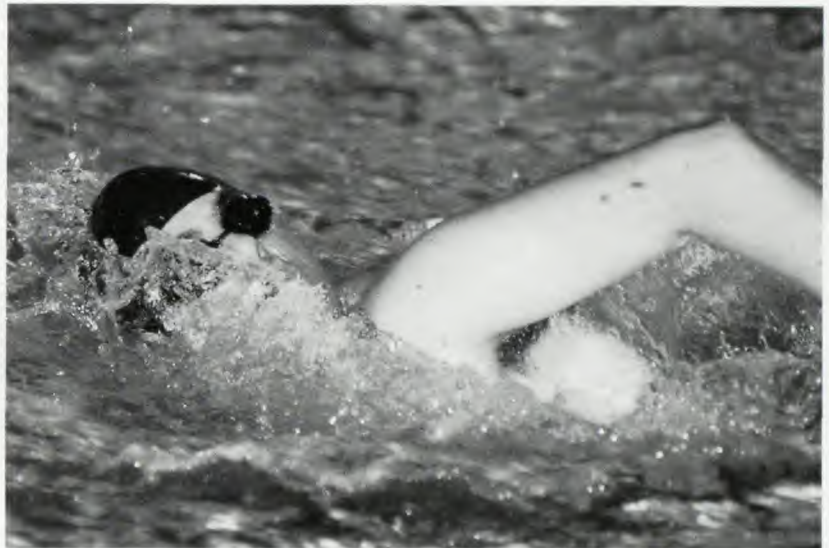


Eric Platt swiftly executes the butterfly during a competitive meet.



Middle: Junior Alex Varadi expertly glides through the water.

The 2007 West Orange Swim Team



Freshman Cedric Dimapililis cuts the water as he races.



Brendan Nelson concentrates on his form as he takes a breath.



# Dives Evolving into Perfect Form

Are there any special treatments you use to protect your hair from the chlorine?



"I don't use any special treatments."  
- Samantha Blumenfeld



"I try this and that. You can always tell a swimmer by her hair."  
-Dorothy Lee



"Lots of extra strength conditioner."  
-Kayla Nalven

Both in and out of the water, the Girls Swim Team had a powerful bond. Daily practices, rife with drills, trained the team to perform its very best. Team members rose to the challenge beating the clock, their opponents, and even themselves by reaching new personal bests. With difficult training and extensive workouts, the team grew stronger. They worked in and out of the water and perfected their skills for upcoming meets. This practice paid off. In individual and team events, such as relays, the team rode a wave of victory. With perfect form, each swimmer comprised an integral part of this talented team, proving to be impressive at every event.

Captains Dorothy Lee and Samantha Blumenfeld prepare for a competitive meet.



Junior Sally Hammer comes up for air between strokes during her breaststroke.



Juniors Kayla Nalven and Sally Hammer relax before a race.



The 2007 Boys and Girls Swim Teams caught in a rare moment outside of the water.



Dorothy Lee focuses on her teammate participating in the relay.



Focused and determined, freshman Marisa Cowley paces herself while doing the butterfly.



# Spring Sports







Winter Chills Changing  
into Spring Fever



# Pitches Evolving into Strike Outs

What is your secret for removing the dirt stains from your white uniform socks?

"I wouldn't know, I've never washed them."

-Kevin Skokandich



"My mom washes my uniform with *Shout*."

-Jordan Kovacs



"I usually just ask my butler to soak the uniform in bleach."

-Nathan Eagan



With a great balance between hard work and dedication, the baseball team had a successful season. Under the guidance of new head coach Stephan Zichella, the team's overall talent was heightened. His long practices and difficult conditioning improved the program. The fans watched as the team's connection came alive on the baseball field. The seniors on the team helped establish this bond that was emphasized through their teamwork. Facing an arduous schedule, the team kept a positive outlook. They persevered through the season and ultimately achieved their goal.

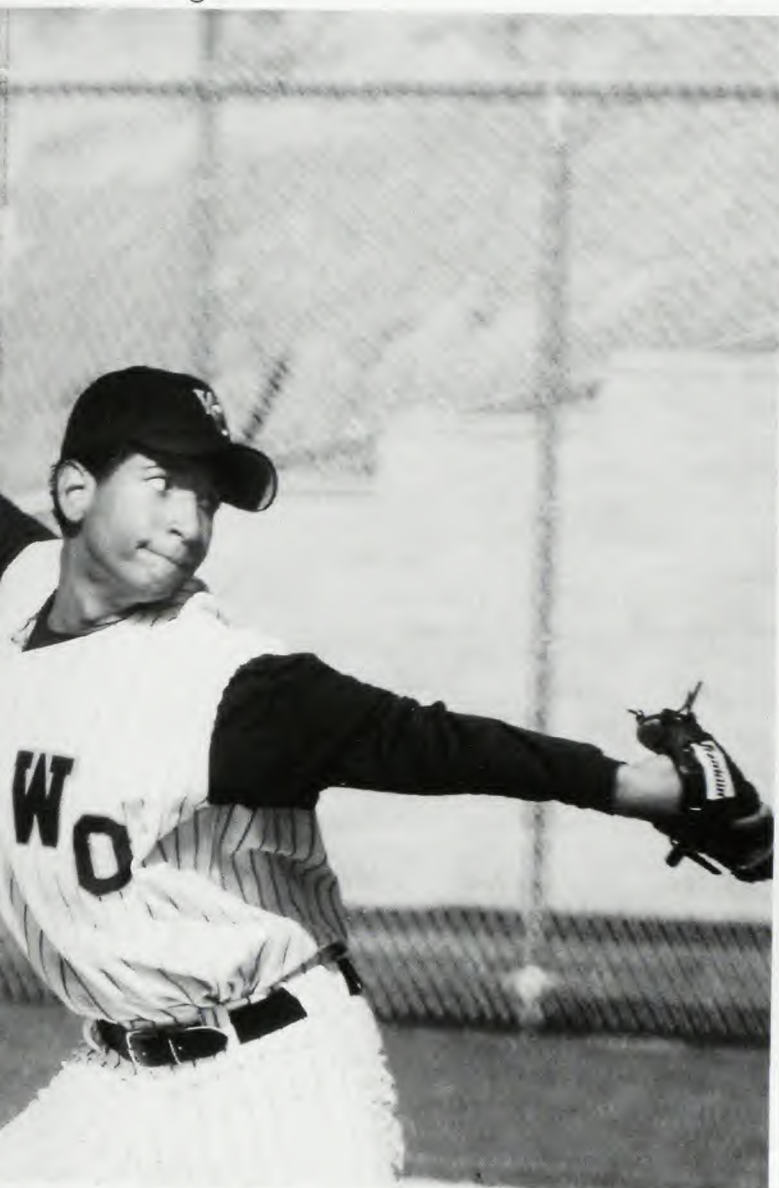


Stephen Milano tracks the ball to the sweet spot of the bat.



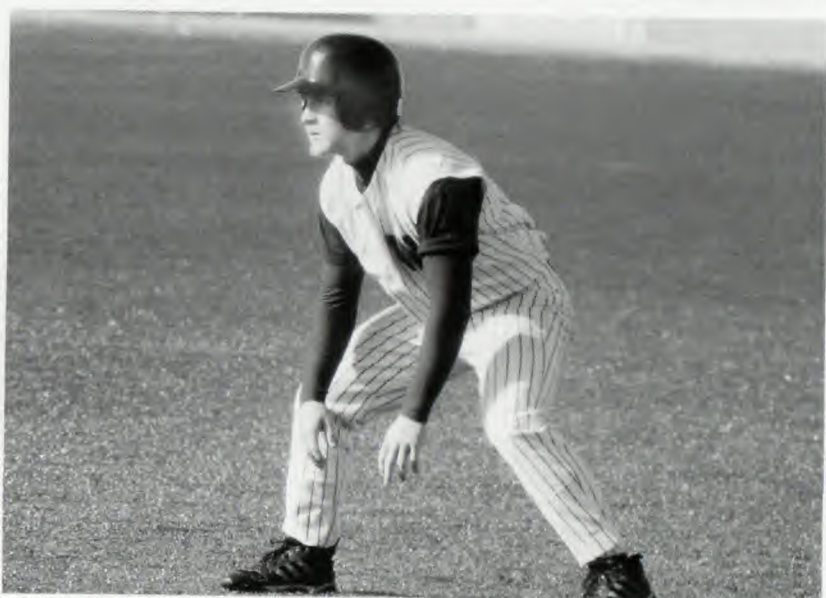


Humberto Robles strikes out the batter with a 3-2 change.

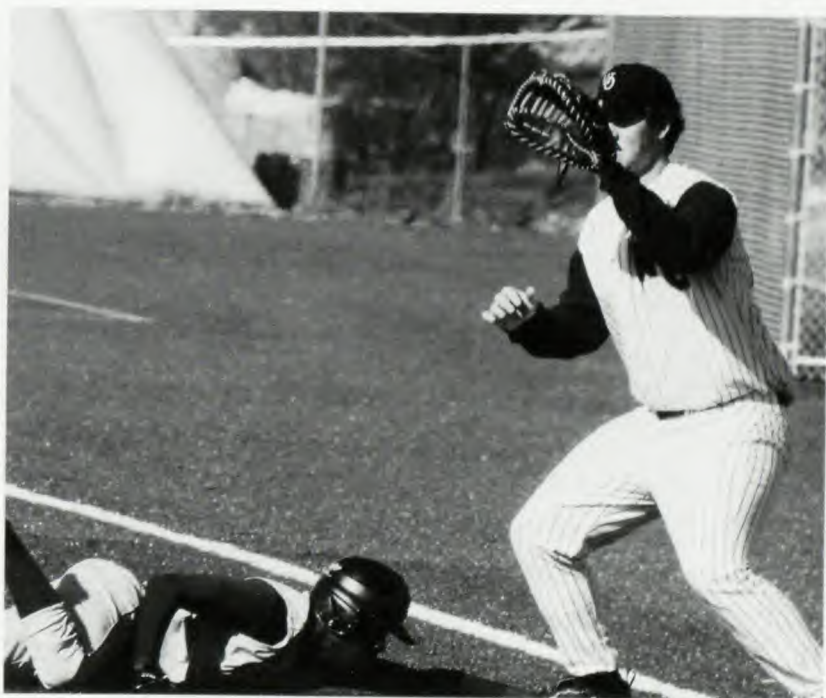


Middle: Joe Matta takes his lead off first base before swiping second.

The 2007 West Orange Baseball Team.



Junior Joseph Perna sprints to steal second after a wild pitch is thrown.



Robben Gold receives the throw for the pick off attempt at first base.



# Line Drives Developing into Home Runs

What is the funniest incident that occurred during a game?



"My mouth guard fell out of my mouth and got all dirty, but I was so into the game that I didn't think and just popped it back into my mouth in front of everyone!"

- Samantha Vanderhoof



"My teammate once hit a home run and while jogging to first base she completely face planted and fell!"

- Marites Manikad



"This one time during a game I thought there were three outs so I ran to the dug-out to go bat, but there wasn't three outs and the rest of the team was still standing on the field!"

- Kim Raba

The line up of seniors on the 2007 Varsity Softball Team was a group of dedicated young women who were not afraid to get dirty. This year's team was chock full of athletic girls whose enthusiastic dispositions brought them to several victories throughout the season. Infield and outfield, each player worked seamlessly while reenacting this great American pastime. The softball program, lead by Coach Galioto, taught the girls how to fine tune their skills and excel in their individual positions on the field. Whether the team ran the bases or defended the outfield, the athletes were always prepared to tame the wild pitch.



Sam Vanderhoof makes the play deep in the hole and fires to first.





Marites Manikad cuts the ball off down the right field line.



The 2007 West Orange Softball Team.



Kim Raba awaits the 3-2 pitch.



Dia DeAngelis delivers an 0-2 fastball for the 3rd out.



Sam Weisman digs in looking to drive the next pitch.



# Workouts Progressing into Championships

What do you focus your thoughts on during your event?



"I try to just focus on the task ahead, and concentrate on my form."

-Jon Arnold



"I concentrate on throwing"

-Lloyd Codada



"I keep my eye on the prize the whole time."

-Ben Hill



The 2007 Boys Track Team proved themselves a force to be reckoned with this past spring season. They demonstrated perfect work ethic in practice as well as during meets. Their endurance and determination could be seen while they ran "the loop" which is the 1.27 miles around the surrounding blocks of the high school. Between excelling in their respectful fields of shotput, javelin, discus, hurdles, pole vaulting, and high jump, they also trained in the weight room after school to improve their strength. The dynamic drills performed before each practice and meet prepared the young men for the task ahead. Their practice paid off as they showed their finely tuned abilities at county, conference and state level competitions.



Lloyd Codada prepares to throw the discus during a practice for his next big meet.



Jon Arnold and Steve Theagen pass the baton at the Penn Relays.



The 2007 Boys Spring Track Team.



Junior Qaadir Tudor demonstrates excellent form while executing his high jump.



Junior Manthan Kothari pushes the pace as he runs down the final straightway.



Junior Tim Jones paces himself during his leg of the 4 x 800.



# Laps Changing into New Records

What precautions do you take to prevent yourself from getting injured?



"I always make sure I have good supportive shoes that fit really well."  
- Lisa Gonzalez



"Stretching. Tons of stretching."  
- Shawkanna Etienne



"I make sure I always do my dynamics slowly and correctly."  
- Najah Dail-Harris



The 2007 Girls Track Team proved that dedication and hard work can really pay off. The team members were seen passing the baton during relay races or hurling the javelin across the football field. Other team members focused on discus, and lifted weights in order to perform the challenging shotput throw. Still, other skilled members of the girls team launched themselves over the pole vault and hurdles, propelling themselves above the ground at unbelievable heights. Although many events were performed individually, all of the members supported their fellow teammates, and formed an unbreakable unit.



Junior Madeline Moore stretches before throwing the javelin at competition.



Melissa Morin soars through the air as she demonstrates perfect technique in long jump.



Margie Alfano maintains the lead as she anchors her relay.



Junior Kim Weston paces herself during the distance medley.



The 2007 Girls Spring Track Team.

Sasha Williams counts her steps before her turn at the tripple jump.



# Fast Breaks Morphing into Endless Goals

What was your most intense moment during a lacrosse game at West Orange High School?



"Assisting the game winning goal that qualified our team into states for the first time at West Orange High School."

-Steven Scotese



"When I scored the first two goals in the scrimmage."

-Nigel Jean-Batiste



"We were playing Newark Academy and the score was tied, there were about two minutes left, and I scored the game winning goal. It was a one-timer goal for me."

-Glen Kaczer

With a new coach and new ambition, the West Orange Lacrosse Team set out to have a productive and memorable season.

Now in its fourth year, many on the team were members since the inception of the lacrosse program. Their games, a brilliant display of athleticism, had the home crowd unable to contain their excitement when a win seemed inevitable. Sticks raised like spears, the players ran across the field to score. From the initial face-off to the final goal, the team's determination proved to push them to their full potential.

Even though the team was young to the West Orange sports family, it proved to be both competitive and victorious.



The 2007 West Orange Lacrosse Team.





Kevin Appenzoler searches for a teammate to complete the pass.



Yonatan Rudin powerfully advances the ball into the net.



Justin Hirata practices his cradling technique before the game begins.



The team runs a warm-up lap to loosen muscles and prepare for the game.



Peter Smeraldo sprints to position himself at an optimal scoring distance.



# Tee Offs Transforming into Aces

What was your proudest moment on the course?



"The first time I golfed a birdie."  
-Michelle Goler



"I was proudest when after the first golf competition I beat almost half of the boys on the team and proved that I was capable of competing with them."  
-Ariana Ha



"When I finally broke 100."  
-Richard Gruchacz



At first glance the vast golf course posed an intimidating challenge, however the West Orange Golf Team faced the feat head on.

Whether it was an eighteen hole tournament or just practice at the driving range, the golfers enjoyed the thrill and the challenge of the game. Tedious practices transformed the team into seasoned, technique driving golfers. With the help and support of their teammates and coach, Mr. Galante, each golfer was able to improve their game tremendously throughout the season. Although the score of the 18 hole course was always kept in mind, the satisfaction that came along with just having the talent to complete each hole was unmatched.



The 2007 West Orange Golf Team.



Arianna Ha swings her three wood to reach the farthest marker.



Andrew Cabiltes practices his chip short to land the ball on the green.



Tom Pepe positions his iron to hit the ball down the fairway.



CJ Waldron examines his club before practicing at the driving range.



Meredith Wright preps herself to make the shot.



# Perfect Sets Morphing into Winning Matches

If you could compete with any tennis professional who would you choose and why?



"Goran Ivanisevic. He has the best left-handed serve ever and he could teach me exactly how to master it."  
-Daniel Schneier



"Roger Federer, because he is the greatest."  
-Burak Bulduk



"Andre Agassi because he is bald and looks good on the court."  
-Sean Davis

The 2007 West Orange Tennis Team proved that with hard work and commitment one can accomplish anything. With only two returning seniors, the challenge of leading the team was difficult. The team members were successful in their training with the seniors leading them every step of the way. Due to these rigorous practices, the team members were able to face their competitors fearlessly. With the added support from their coaches, Mr. Gitter and Mr. Alcindor, the athletes continued to raise the bar at the county tournament. With great training and encouragement the players had no reservations about exceeding expectations.



Junior MinDo Lee crushes another return.





Dan Schneier closes out the match with a driving forehand winner.



The 2007 West Orange Tennis Team.



Burak Bulduk follows through on a sure-fire service ace.



Junior Adam Sabban gets full extension on a booming serve.



Freshman Brian Liu prepares to deliver a shot with massive pace and topspin.



# Unique Hobbies Changing into Passions

What inspired you to first start your activity?



"Boredom."  
-Michael D'Agostino



"Sky diving was something I always wanted to try and I finally got the guts and decided to just force myself to try it one day."  
-Michael Denburg



"I always watched girls gymnastics on TV and watching the professionals really inspired me. Also I know its a really healthy activity and that really motivates me to continue."  
-Michelle Goler

The uniqueness of the Class of '07 was evident, and it could not be seen more clearly than in the varied interests of its students. From hacky sack tricks to aerial drops, our class displayed its unique skills. The sky was truly the limit. Whether these athletes performed back handsprings in gymnastics, or complicated fencing routines, they excelled at their unique hobbies. The students of our class displayed extraordinary talent in Nontraditional Sports, and turned their hobbies into purposeful passions. One student even performed Bhartanatyam in competition, a fascinating and impressive traditional Indian dance. Although these activities are not reconigized by the school as varsity sports, these students have unique talents and make up just a few of the Nontraditonal Sports of the Class of 2007.





Joseph Matta soars through the air strapped to an instructor on his first sky dive.



Sruthi Vallikkunnel dances the Bhartanatyam at a competition.



Michael D'Agostino shows his talent as he kicks his hacky sack before class.



Gaia Goffe displays perfect fencing form before her competition.



Michelle Goler performs a perfect handstand 24 inches off the floor.



Michael Denburg celebrates his courage as he glides back to land.

# Nontraditional Sports





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# Leadership Changing into Lasting Policies

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The Board of Education discusses important issues at the November meeting.



# Chaos Evolving

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## into Order



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#### Dear Members of the Graduating Class of 2007

Your theme, *forever changing*, is very appropriate for this graduating class. Since you walked through the doors of West Orange High School four years ago, things certainly have changed. During your first two years, you made your way through temporary links to go to and from the Conforti and Pleasant Valley Way buildings because of the ongoing construction. You probably had one or two classes in the trailers and because we only had one gymnasium, you may have had physical education in a trailer game room. You weathered the storm, experienced these changes and for the past two years had been enjoying our wonderful new facility. Yes things are forever changing.

I found a quote, author unknown, that I would like to share with you.

*"Life's music is forever changing and it's never easy reaching for dreams. But those who dream, walk on stardust and dance to the rhythm of the heart."*

I challenge you to follow your dreams and prepare yourself for the challenges of today's society. Your dreams are more likely to come true if you continue to learn and continue your formal education. There is no question in my mind that all of you can, with perseverance, diligence and determination, reach your dreams.

My very best wishes to you for a wonderful life. May you successfully follow your heart. May life be kind to you and may you enjoy good health, experience much happiness, good fortune and success.

Sincerely,

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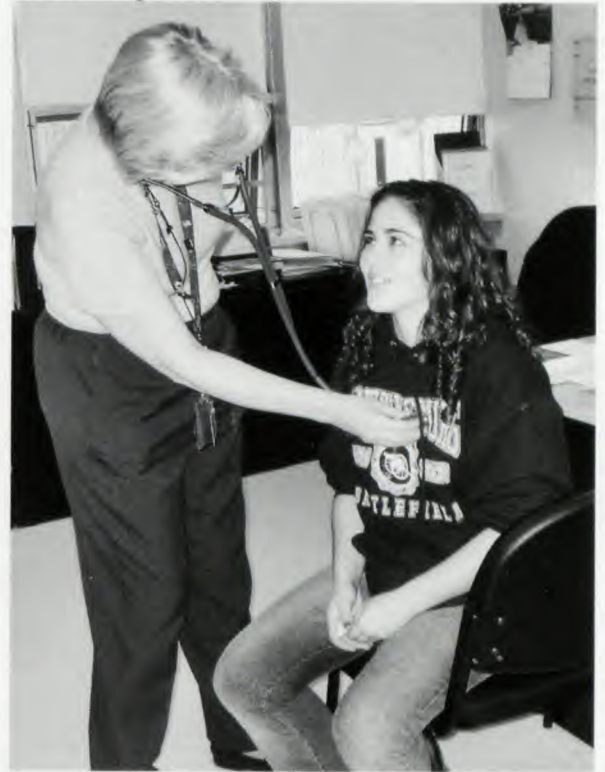


John Morella  
School Resource Officer



Michelle Nagel  
School Resource Officer

Nurse Borkowski checks Margie Alfano's breathing.



Quentin DeMarco meets with his dean, Mr. Galante, to discuss his daily schedule.



# Uncertainty Progressing GUIDANCE into Bright Futures



Thomas Shea  
Supervisor



Aldo Casale



Lesley Chung



Margaret Fahey



Madeline Fernando-Perez



Ms. Martin discusses financial aid options with James Birchler.



Kathleen Flynn-Kay



Kathryn Furey



Tiffany Goodson



Rebecca Martin



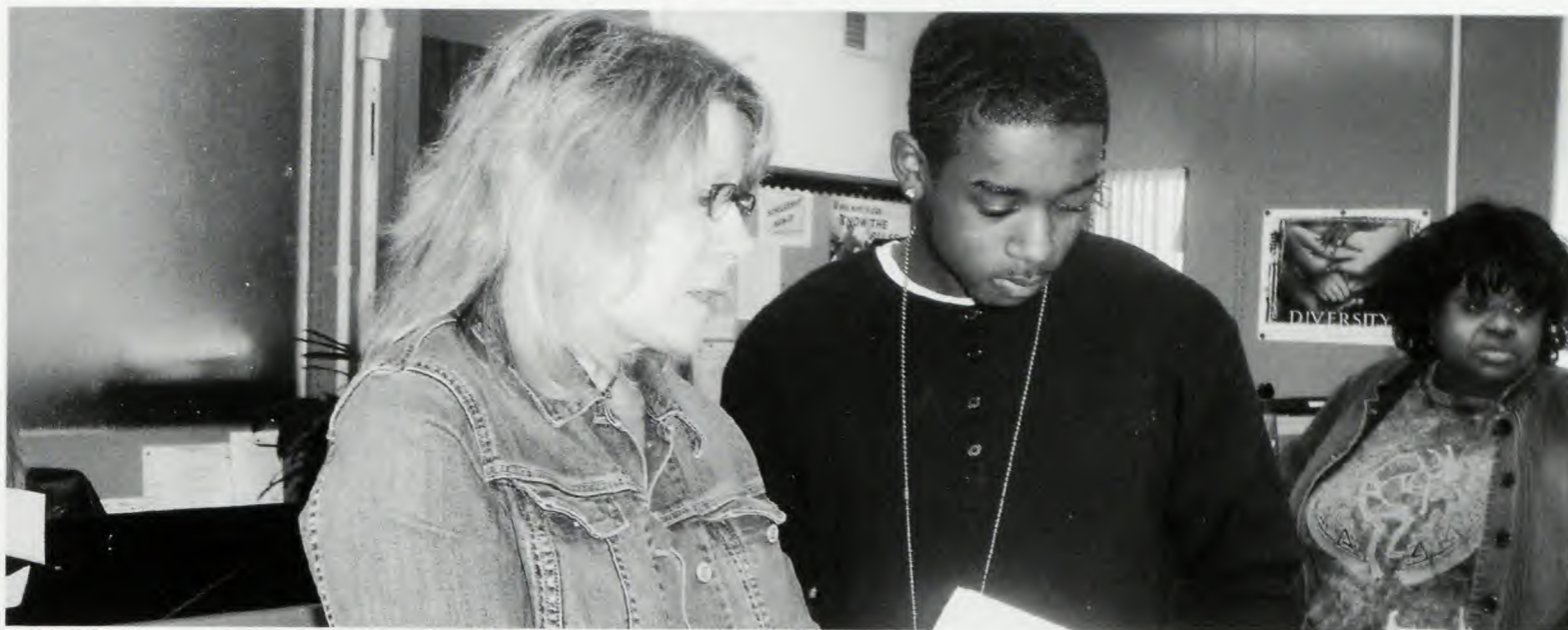
Christine Nesbitt



Louis Pallante



Jon Arnold discusses a concern with his guidance counselor, Ms. Flynn-Kay.



Mr. Pallante guides Kathy Rodriguez through the scholarship drawer.

If you could be any superhero, which would you be and why?



Superman, because he can fly.  
-A. Casale



I would be Storm because she's cute and has a great body!  
-R. Martin



# Words Transforming into Essays

## LANGUAGE ARTS



Michael Romeo  
Supervisor



Kathryn Baran



Craig Champagne



Michael Cohen



Erica De Palo



Michelle Ehrlich



Mr. Champagne entertains a question asked by Ben Hill and Zul Coaker.



Kathryn Kim  
J.D.



Scott Kuchinsky



Arlene Pomar



Bryan Ribardo



Joseph Suriano



Tynia Thomassie





Victor Alcindor



Joanne Andrasko



William Ehrlich



Lynn Haims  
Ph.D, Esq.



Michelle Martino



Mary Ann McGonigle



Lee Robinson



Jennifer Ryden



Sandra Van Dyke



Rita Wojchik

If you could live in any  
time period, which  
would it be and why?



The 70's, because  
from what I can  
remember they  
were pretty fun.  
-W. Ehrlich



Either the present or  
the future because  
of the growing  
technology.  
-V. Alcindor



Mr. Cohen passionately emphasizes a point about *Hamlet* to his AP Literature class.



# Numbers Developing into Equations

## MATHEMATICS



Constance Calandrino  
Supervisor



Dara Brevard



Barbara Ciccaglione



Kerri Coyne



Karen Davis



Michael De Barbieri



Ms. Whitty answers a question for Sam Vanderhoof.



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Rhonda Jackson



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Lynne Steinberg



Jessica Tybursky





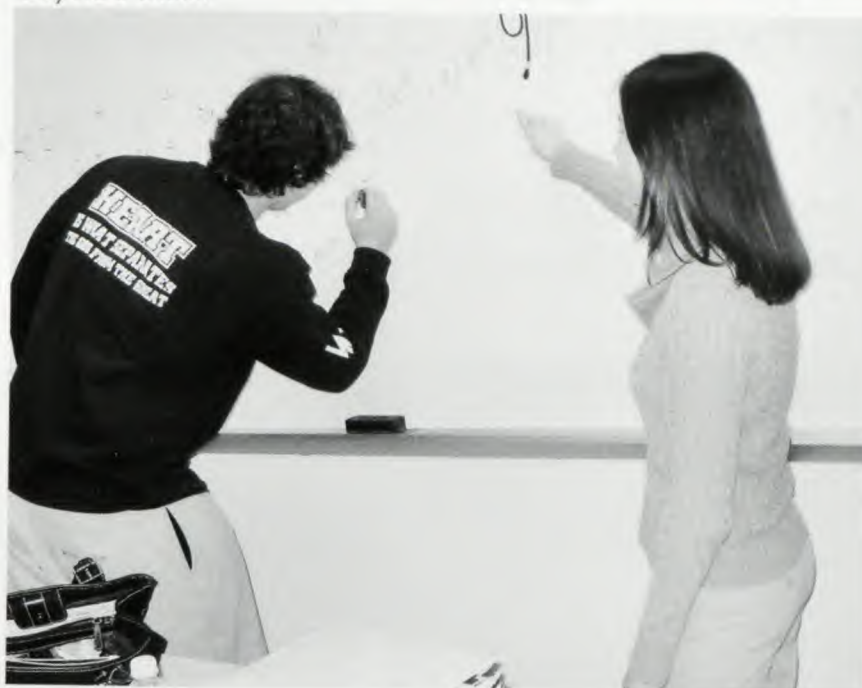


Leslie Bagen



Jennifer Blanding

Robben Gold writes an equation on the board in Ms. Coyne's class.



Thomas Gargiulo



Linda Goetz



Elizabeth Kelleher



Chelsea Lauer

If you could bring any famous person back to life, who would it be?



Zak Rudzitskiy



George Speer



The Crocodile Hunter, because he was so enthusiastic and passionate.  
-C. Lauer



Jesus, so that He could tell everyone to wake up and stop killing each other.  
-T. Gargiulo



Carolyn Verderamo



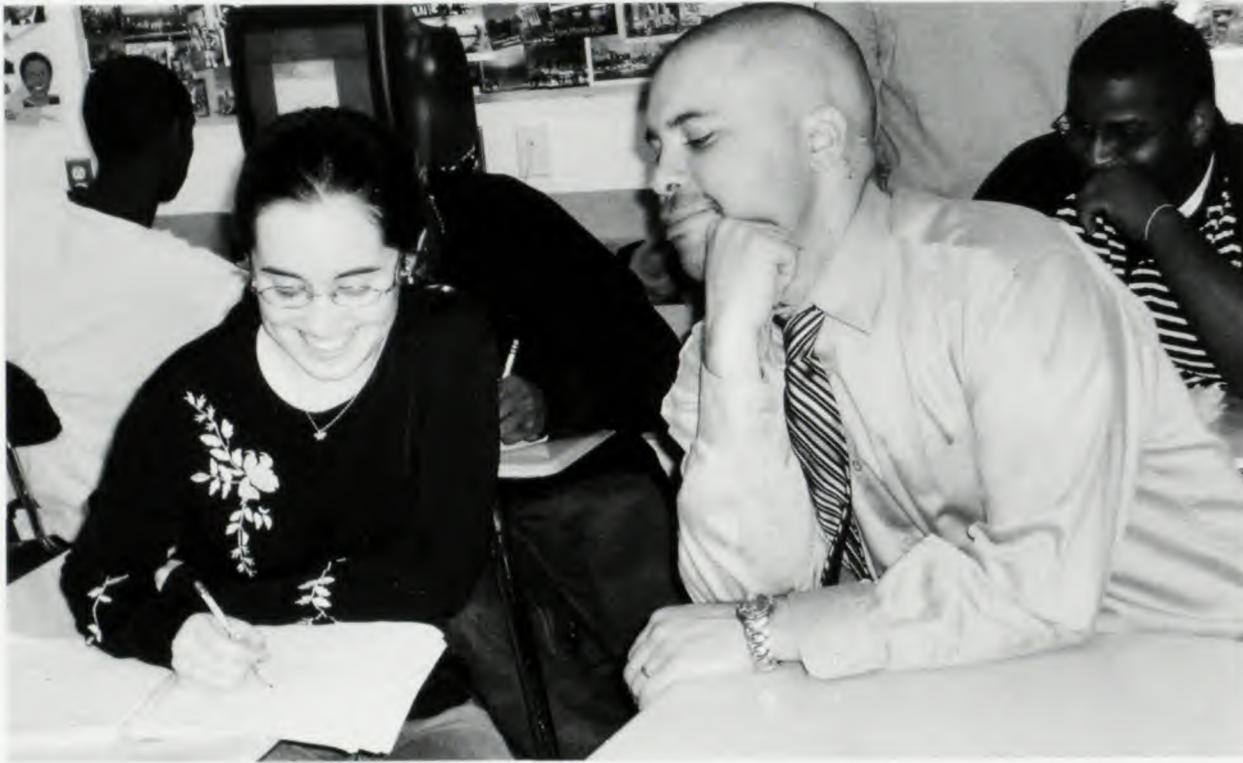
Susan Whitty



# Antiquity Evolving into Present Day

## SOCIAL STUDIES

Evelyn Litwinoff consults with Mr. Evans about her work.



Eric Price  
Supervisor



Ara Berberian



William Bradley



Maria Damiano



Lauren De Maio



Deborah Dodds  
Ed. D



Douglas Drabik



Christopher Evans



Elizabeth Manning



Timothy Miskimon



Michelle Morais



Julie Parr



Alan Reeder



Students gather around Dr. Dodds to review a crucial lesson.



If you were president,  
what would you do to  
improve the country?



I would recognize  
the efforts of  
children and the  
brilliance of teachers.  
-K. Grotto



I would create better  
cooperation between  
the two opposing  
political parties.  
-T. Miskimon



Michael Figueiredo



Kathleen Grotto



Marc Lawrence



Mr. Bradley consults with Ben Boursiquot  
about an historical event.



Tracey Reynolds



David Sehr Ph.D



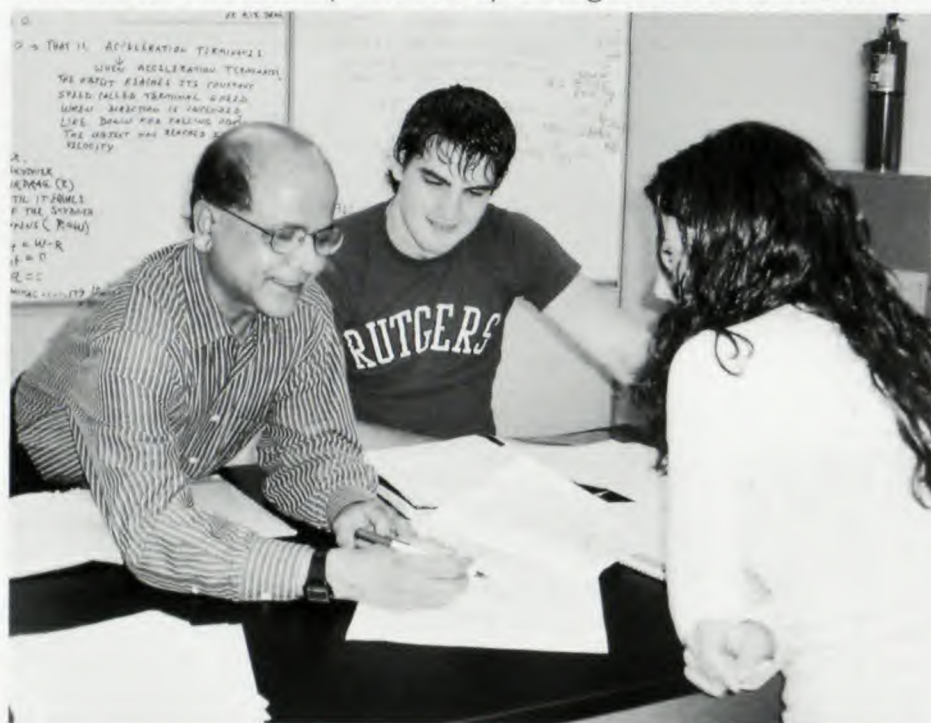
Robbin Sweeney



# Liquids Morphing into Gases

## SCIENCE

Dr. Mandal stresses a point to Kayla Negrón and Caleb Smith.



Deborah Krause Ed. D  
Supervisor



Joseph Bonavita



Marianne Diglio



Daniel Duca



Keith Frey



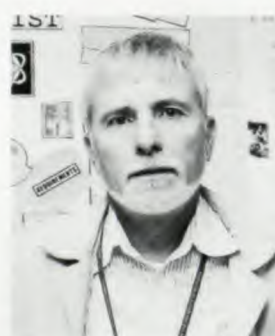
Claudia Jastrzebski



Sonia Laurení



Kris Mandal Ph.D.



Robert Middleton



Brad Mitchell



Frank Newman



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Gina Paganelli



Patricia Poore

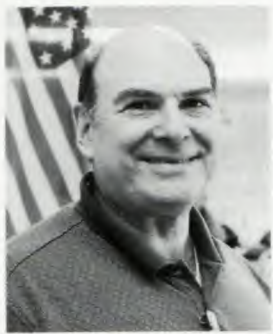


Paul Tavarone



Hope Thomas





Ronald Brandt



Robert Chanda



Peter Ficuciello



Debra Franek



Mark Kirchenbauer



Michael Lawrence  
Ed.D

If you could invent  
anything, what would  
it be?



A remote to control  
students in the  
classroom.  
-D. Duca



I would invent some-  
thing to make people  
less dependant on  
technology.  
-M. Lawrence



Ms. Thomas works on a lab with Hannah Ellson.



# Languages Transforming into Unity

## WORLD LANGUAGE AND E.S.L.



Ed Acevedo  
World Language Supervisor



Michelle Daniels  
ESL Supervisor



Vincenza Amabile



Erika Arenger



Brenda Avila

If you could change  
anything about the  
world, what would it be?



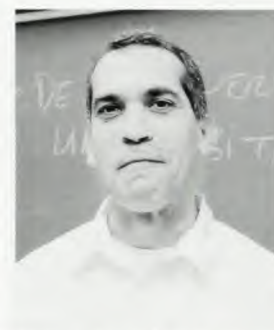
I would eliminate  
starvation and  
diseases within the  
world.  
-K. Massari



Economic inequality.  
-E. Arenger



Maria Blanco



Honorino J. Carrera



Olympia de Pinto



Rosa Guzman



Carlos Perez



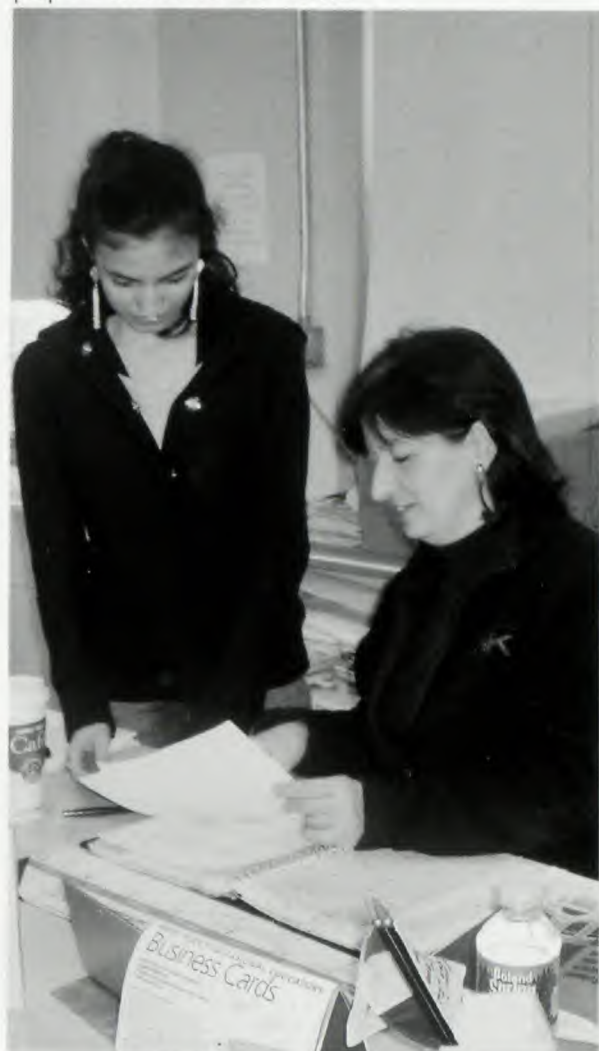
Eileen Quirk



Danny Bustamante is the first to hand in his Spanish test to Mr. Perez.



Jennifer DiMarco discusses her Italian paper with Ms. dePinto.



Jean Claude Centaus



Ericka Collado



Claudy Delne



Isabel Macowski



Kristine Massari



Maria Montgomery



Linda Ozarow



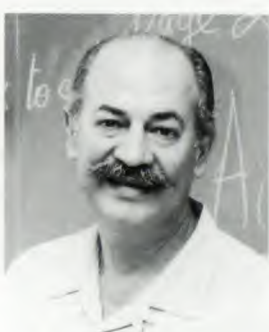
Dana Peart



Dafne Rodriguez



Juan Roncero



Mounif Semaan



Begona Viqueira



Ann Zaijer



# Drills Developing into Team Play

## PHYSICAL EDUCATION



Bruce Peragallo  
Supervisor



Diane Hochstuhl  
Athletic Secretary



Kevin Alvine



Bridget Amirr



Keith Appello



John Jacob



Robert Kuczmarski



Meredith Schwartz



Marge Theobald



Danielle Tracy



William Urbanski

If you could be a  
famous athlete, who  
would you be?



Lawrence Taylor #56  
because he changed the  
game of football to the  
modern way it's played.  
-A. Vitale



Mickey Mantle because  
he played baseball for  
the love of the game and  
not for the money.  
-J. Galioto



Mr. Kuczmarski joins in on an exciting game of hockey with his students.



Ozzie Diaz



Marcella Fusco



James Galioto



Diane Mitchell



Claire Moss



Eugene Palatianos  
Athletic Trainer



Steven Vander Ploeg



Anthony Vitale



Cathryn Welter



Ashley Deloatch practices CPR as  
Ms. Theobald advises.



# Skills Evolving into Projects

## TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL



David Bensen  
Supervisor



Christopher Banta



Anne Hanson



Peter Harrington



Loretta Holmok



Russell Luculano



Marvin Kron



Mr. Kron helps Kaitlyn Mitschele work on making her ring.

If you could be an  
animal, which kind  
would you be?



A moose, because  
Abercrombie has made  
them very popular and I  
want to be popular.  
-S. Zichella



A swallow, so in the spring  
I can fly to California then  
travel in the winter to  
South America.  
-D. Wong-Macias





Cynthia Critelli



Ryan Del Guercio



Nancy Donnelly



Cheryl Ann Dunlap



Joyce Friedman



Susan Marshall



Sharon Ortiz



Victor Paglio



Sally Paland



Anthony Prasa



Deborah Sharkey



Kimberly Szalkai



David Vodofsky



Dora Wong-Macias



John Worobetz



Stephan Zichella



Lloyd Codada cuts a piece of wood as Mr. Worobetz watches over his work.



# Inspiration Transforming into Masterpieces

FINE ARTS AND LMC



Catherine Evanik



William Farley



Chris Finnegan



Martin Kale



Lewis Kelly



Ms. Evanik assists Ariana Ha in locating resources for her project.



Erin McClure



Jamie Podhurst



Susan Titelbaum



Diane Tol



Carrie Vasquez



Heather Young





Louis Quagliato  
Supervisor



April Clark



Nicole Krulik



Nicholas Marmo



Cynthia Rowberg



Margo Sokolow

If you could change  
places with anyone for a  
day, who would it be?



President Bush so I  
could do whatever it  
takes in that power  
to achieve peace.  
-N. Krulik



Meryl Streep,  
because I have great  
admiration for her  
amazing talent.  
-S. Titelbaum



Mrs. Vasquez and Austin Alvarado view Laura Campbell's project in art.



# Determination Progressing into Success

## SPECIAL ED AND BASIC SKILLS



Patricia Aldworth



Lori Bollota



Gail Bowsher



Mark Cacciacarne



Eileen Cardone

If you could have  
anything in the world,  
what would  
it be?



The ability to fly.  
- S. Russo



Eternal health.  
-K. Romanyshyn



Janis De Rosa



Kelly Dower



Michael J. Lawrence



Simona Lieberman



Dawn Ribero



Krista Romanyshyn





Joanne Pollara  
Supervisor



Elizabeth Maddelena  
Coordinator



Jodie Goldstein  
Transition Coordinator



Michele Clancy



Atasha Codginton



Brian Cohen



Lee Cohen



Jeannette De Palma



Michael Fess



Susan Granata



Marcia Grivalsky



Nicole Handler



Mayda Kale



Chuck Manzo



Madonna Nwako



Gina Paradiso



Purvi Patel



Anthony Perconti



Shannon Russo



Connie Salimbeno



Matthew Salzman



Ana Shaw



Jo Ann Zobitz



# Helping Hands Morphing into a Foundation

## SUPPORT SERVICES



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Fred Barnwell



Silverio Bastiao



Paul Casolaro



Henry Chang



Joe Chango



Judith Damiano



Jennifer Davis



Diane Dixon



Jose Estrada



Wanda Fagg



Lauren Genovese



Ruysdael Georges



Karis Gregory



James Holik



Gloria Manus



John Pasquale



Robert Quezada



Thomas Rubinetti



Raquel Sardina





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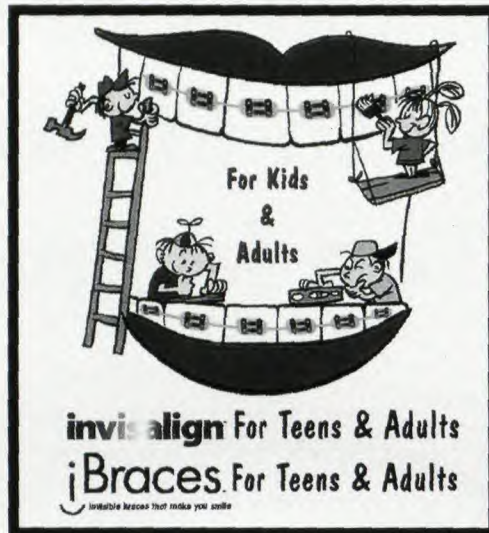
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Dear Peter,

May the happiest day of your  
high school experience be the saddest  
day of your collegiate experience.

Love,  
Mom & Dad



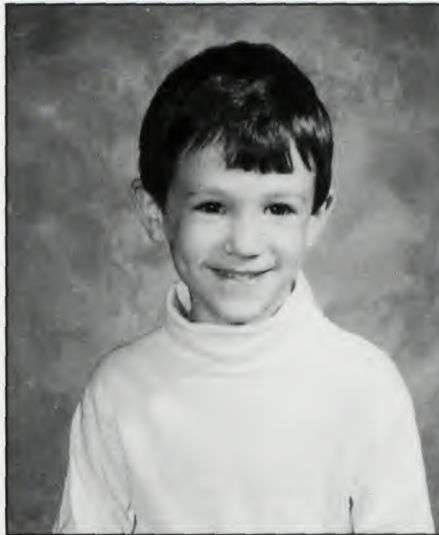
CONGRATULATIONS MATT

We are so proud of you!

Love,  
Dad, Mom, Mike & Mark







Dear Dan,

Congratulations on your graduation! It seems like only yesterday that we walked you into school for the first time. Soon you'll be going off on your own, where new and exciting experiences await you. We are so proud of the young man you have become and we love you very much. Always believe in yourself because you have so much to offer. Strive to be the best you can be and you will certainly be successful. May our Lord bless you and guide you each and every day of your life.

Much love,  
Mom and Dad

P.S. Good luck in college, Dan! We know you'll do fantastic!

Love,  
Pat. Jimmy, and Tommy



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Dear Lynn,

From the day you were born you have been a dream come true. Follow your dreams. We love you with all our hearts.

Love,  
Mom, Dad, Rachel, & Dan

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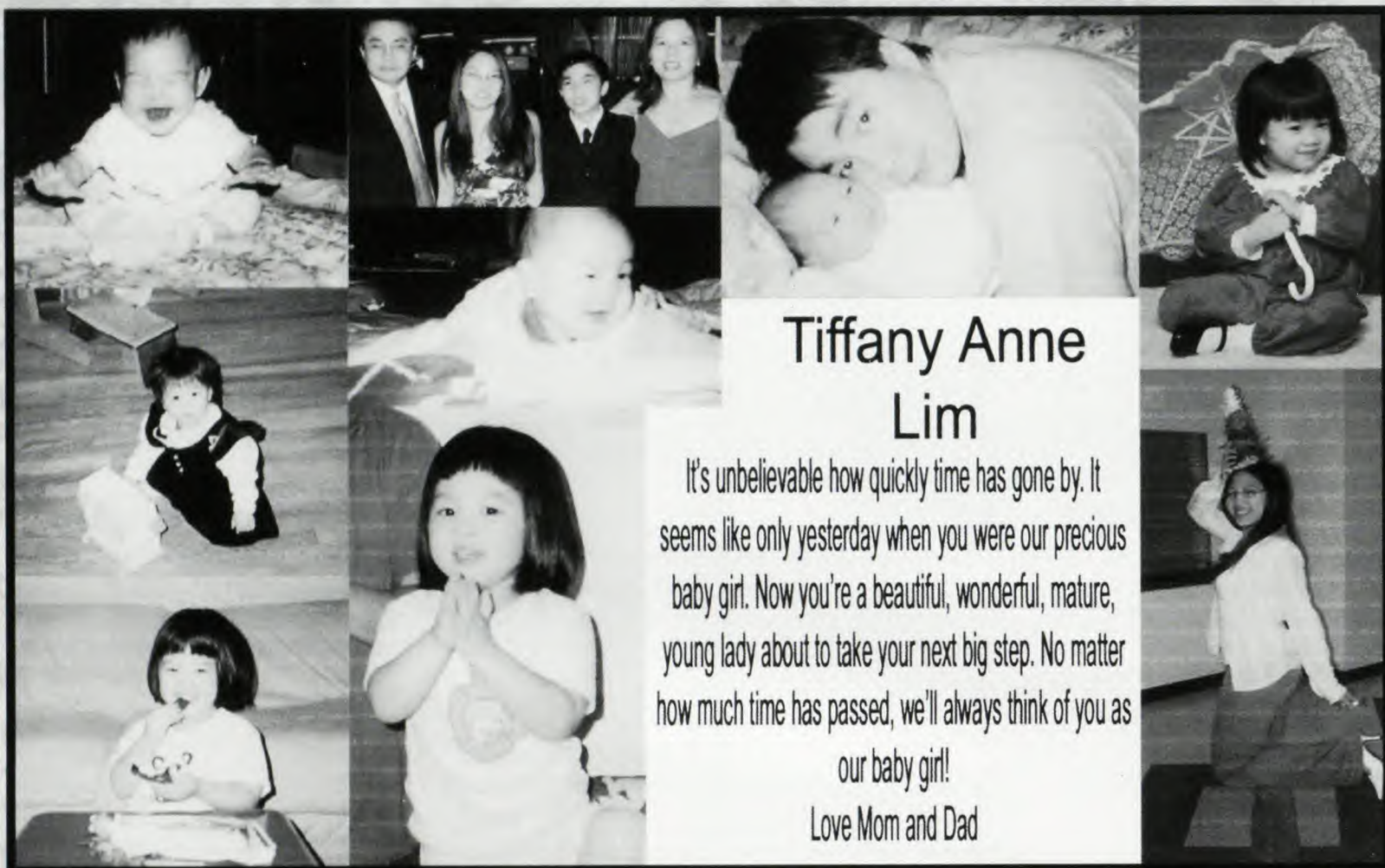


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Wishing you the best of luck always.  
Love, Mom and Dad





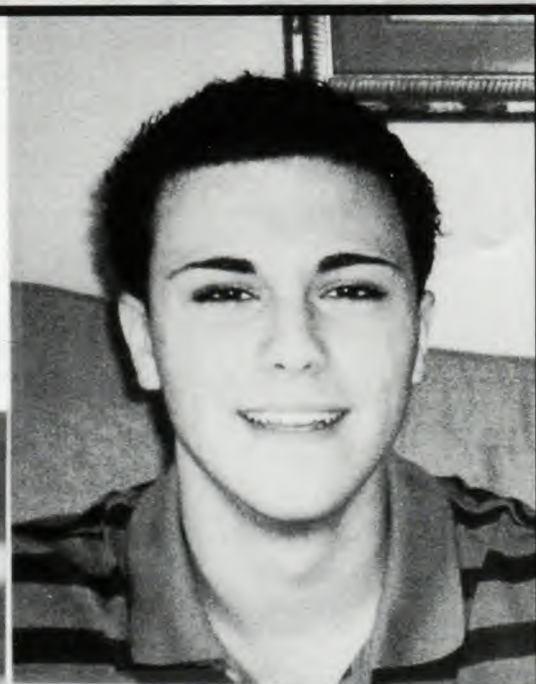
## Tiffany Anne Lim

It's unbelievable how quickly time has gone by. It seems like only yesterday when you were our precious baby girl. Now you're a beautiful, wonderful, mature, young lady about to take your next big step. No matter how much time has passed, we'll always think of you as our baby girl!

Love Mom and Dad



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



Quentin,  
We are very proud of you  
and love you very much.

Mom, Dad,  
Mallory & Cameron





You must have been a  
beau - ti - ful ba - by, \_\_\_\_\_

Ashley

Whichever path you decide to follow...  
Whatever you want to be...  
We know you'll do it well and with  
determination.....we are so proud of you.  
Love..... Mom & Dad

'Cause Baby, look at you now!





*Joseph, it seems like only yesterday that you were the little boy who loved to learn new things, the curious child who captured so much of my attention. You needed me so much then and you grew so close to my heart.*

*But as time went on, you grew more independent and more confident and I watched with feelings of love and pride in your accomplishments.*

*Now that you have grown older, I have grown to know you in a new way. I continue to learn new things from you, and see in you a man that brings more pride to me than words could ever say.*

*Congratulations on another milestone in life, your Graduation from High School!!!*

*Love,  
Mommy & Jessica*



Boo-Boo

Remember your first day of school?  
How far you have come.  
I am so proud of you!

Love,  
Mommy



Dear Joan,

Best wishes on your graduation and  
good luck in college.

Love, Mom,

Mooks:

Congratulations, work hard, study well,  
pray to God, have fun and smile. I am  
proud of you.

Manang Katie.





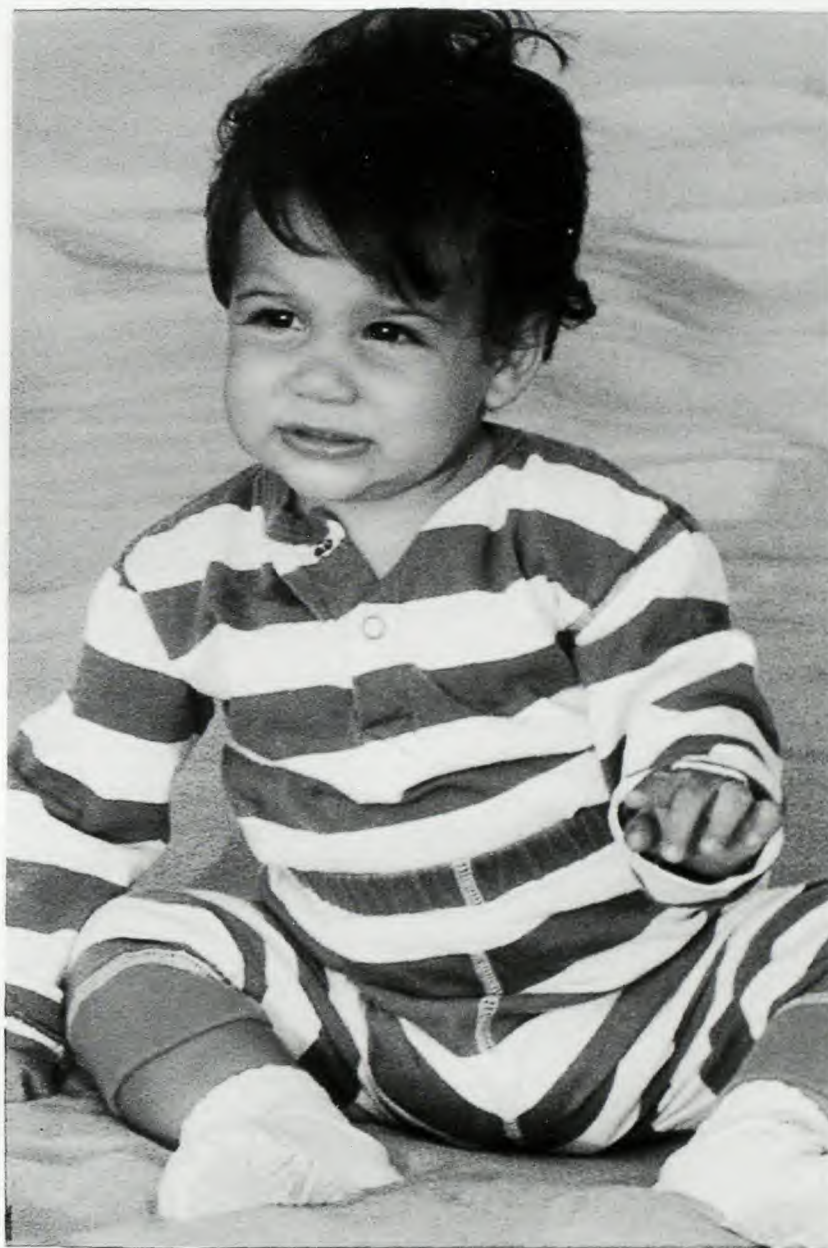
# MICHAEL

May the good Lord be with you  
 Down every road you roam  
 And may sunshine and happiness  
 Surround you when you're far from home  
 And may you grow to be proud  
 Dignified and true  
 And do unto others  
 As you'd have done to you  
 Be courageous and be brave  
 And in my heart you'll always stay  
 Forever Young

May good fortune be with you  
 May your guiding light be strong  
 Build a stairway to heaven  
 With a prince or a vagabond  
 And in my heart you will remain  
 Forever Young

And when you finally fly away  
 I'll be hoping that I served you well  
 For all the wisdom of a lifetime  
 No one can ever tell  
 But whatever road you choose  
 I'm right behind you, win or lose  
 Forever Young

Lyric by Rod Stewart



Love,

Mom, Dad, Candace,  
 Natalie, Mama and Papa





We are so proud of all you have accomplished  
and know that great things lie ahead.

We wish you much happiness and success as  
you move on to the next phase of your life.

We love you Banana Boat!

~Leah, Margot & Jeff



## Deborah & Cristina

"Shopping!"\*Sephora  
Dracanakin Malskyfoyer  
"Please let me drive!"  
STOMAS!\*Gas Pasta!  
The "lady with no face"  
Play People\*Stalker!  
Gothic Pictures\*Mestizo  
Passion FOR the Christ"  
Sexy Regis\*"Locked Up"  
"Hold On..."\*SAT Words  
"I wonder if *they're* GRAY!"  
Suicidal Bisexual Vampires  
Getting Lost\*Excited Whispering  
Driving on the WRONG side of the road!



### Fun Times

Warped Tours '05 and '06  
Jingle Ball Pre Shows '05 and '06  
Sugarcult\*GREEN DAY! (Billie Joe Armstrong)  
Bamboozle '06\*My Chemical Romance  
\*MxPx and Relient K...3 Songs!  
Going to the Beach: the Picnic Game  
New Names: CVU and DTW\*Dance Dance Revolution  
NYC Adventures\* Marriot Marquis\*Emo Boy Trevor  
LeRoy at the Willowbrook Mall\*Calling Pay Phones  
Meeting Anti-Flag!\*Shopping\*S.O. Train Station  
Fridays at the Movies\*Hotel Parties\*Starbucks  
Trick or Treating\*Prank Phone Calls  
Swimming in the Lake!\*Six Flags\*Cooking Noodles!

BFFs



Crying at 13 *Going on 30*\*"Eeeewwww!"\* Ridin' Dirty\*Creepy Death Music!  
Hair on the Chair at the Port Authority\*"Hello, this is Death!"\*"Slap me!"\*IQ of 4  
Party at Mike's House!\*Angie!\*Walking into Glass...\*Wonky Eye\*"No one beats C!"  
"A *man*...duh!"\*Running Over a Tombstone!\*Star Dot Plus Rap\* Baby Food!\*  
"That's Not a Fashion Statement...That's a Death Wish!"\* Garlic-So HxC!\*Wawa's  
Mr. T,A,M,S,F,D,L,G,A\*"Just chop your hand off already!"\* "But it's so PUNK!" (GC)  
"Just kidding...not really" \*Halloween Face Paint\*"...I'm talking to Yooooou!"  
"OMG! I thought it was a ghost...it was just your grandma!"  
"That's not your mom—that's some Asian lady!"  
"But I really wanted those Juicy bracelets!"





Dear Matthew,

Congratulations on your graduation!

We're all so proud of you!

We wish you continued success  
and a future filled with happiness.

Love,  
Dad, Mom, Lenny,  
Kristin, & Patrick



Aaron • Jules • Matt • Steve • Kevin



Quentin • Glen • Steven • Joe

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From: The Families







### DEAR GAIA

Love and Peace, Peace and Love  
Always From Dad, Mum, Sis and all  
the familia

"Time present and time past are both  
perhaps present in time future  
And time future contained in time  
past. If all time is eternally present  
All the time is unredeemable. What  
might have been is an abstraction  
Remaining a perpetual possibility  
Only in a world of speculation..."

T.S. Eliot

The Four Quartets-extract from  
Burnt Norton



### Congratulations Baby Girl!

Adam and I are so  
proud of you!  
You are who I want  
to be when I grow up!

Love,  
Mom & Adam





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Nate,  
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today and everyday! Congratulations!  
Love: Mom, Rick, and Amy



I pray that God will fill your heart with  
dreams and that faith gives you the courage  
to dare to do great things.  
We love you, Mom, Dad, & Dan



*We hope your future is as  
bright and beautiful as  
you. Congratulations on  
all you've accomplished.  
We love you!*



*Love,  
Mom, Dad, & Lisa*

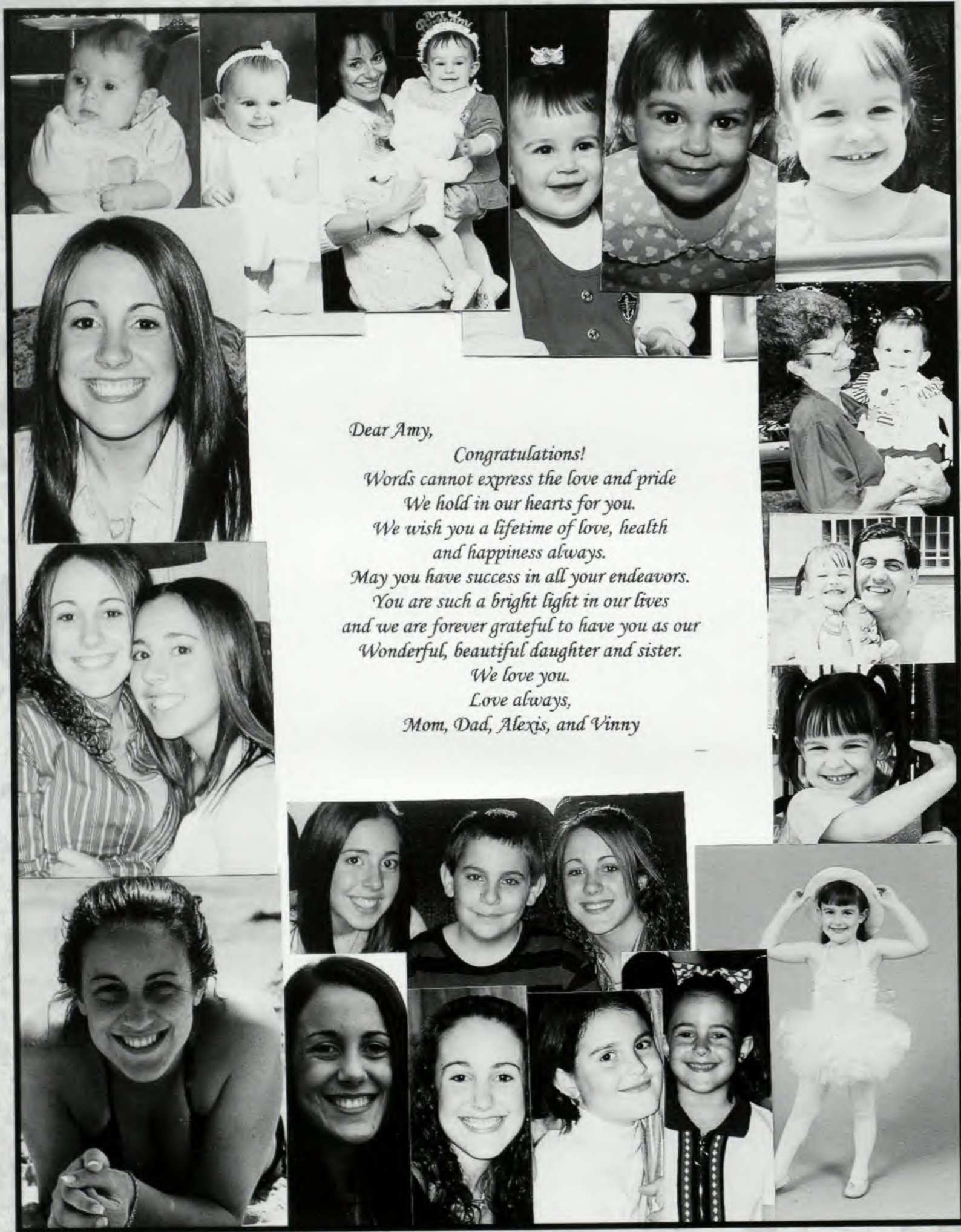






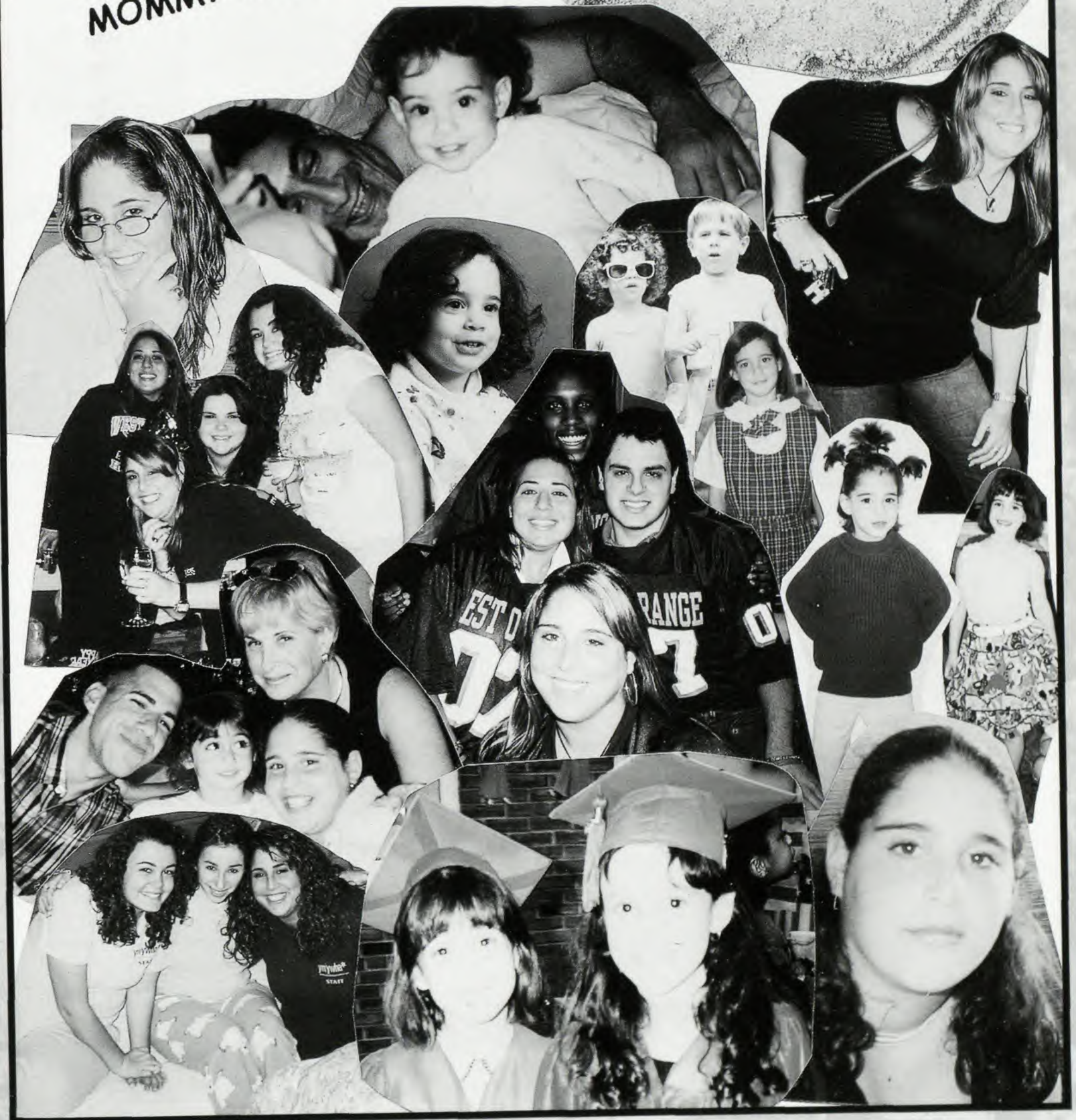
Sam, how could we have ever known you'd be this much fun?  
We're so very proud of you. Love Mom, Dad & Jeff







YA DONE GOOD HILL  
WE'RE PROUD OF YA!  
LOVE  
MOMMY & DADDY





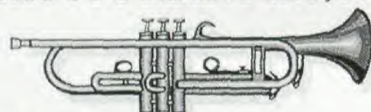


*Congratulations*

Danielle,  
We are so proud of you.  
We love you  
Mom, Dad, & Melissa

## JEFF LAUTERBACH

YOU HAVE BROUGHT TO US AN UNFORGETTABLE FOUR YEARS  
A JOURNEY, A MARCH YOU MIGHT SAY, FROM SUMMER CAMP



TO STATE CHAMPS;  
TO THE BLOOMFIELD *TILT* AND A SHOT; YOU SHOWED US WHAT YOU GOT



WE ADMIRE YOUR RESILIENCE AND TENACITY  
AND LOOK FORWARD TO YOUR FUTURE ACHIEVEMENTS.  
YOU HAVE TRULY SOARED LIKE AN EAGLE !!

LOVE,

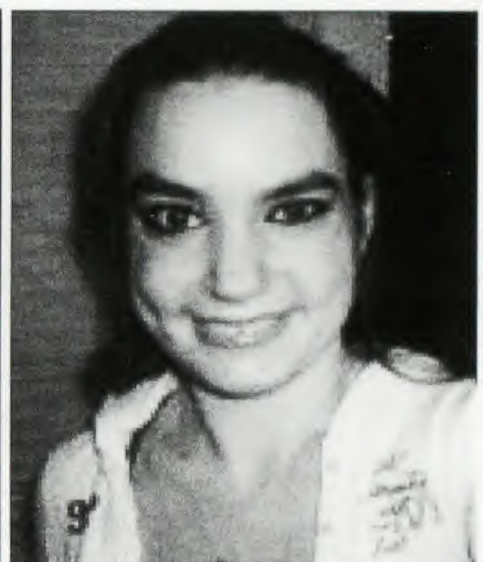
MOM (GAIL) DAD (LYLE)  
Mountain '71 Mountain '69

KRIS LORI MARK  
(WOHS '96) (WOHS '00) (WOHS '09)

NANNY & POP-POP  
(School of Hard Knocks '35)







*Congratulations, Deborah!*

*Through the years, you've made us very proud.  
You'll go far with your passion and independent spirit.  
Good luck in college.*

*And remember...  
you can do whatever you want if you try hard enough.*

*We love you very much,  
Mom and Rebecca*





*WENDY,  
We love you.  
You have and always will  
be the apple of our eye.  
Congratulations on your  
high school graduation.  
Much love, Mom and Dad*



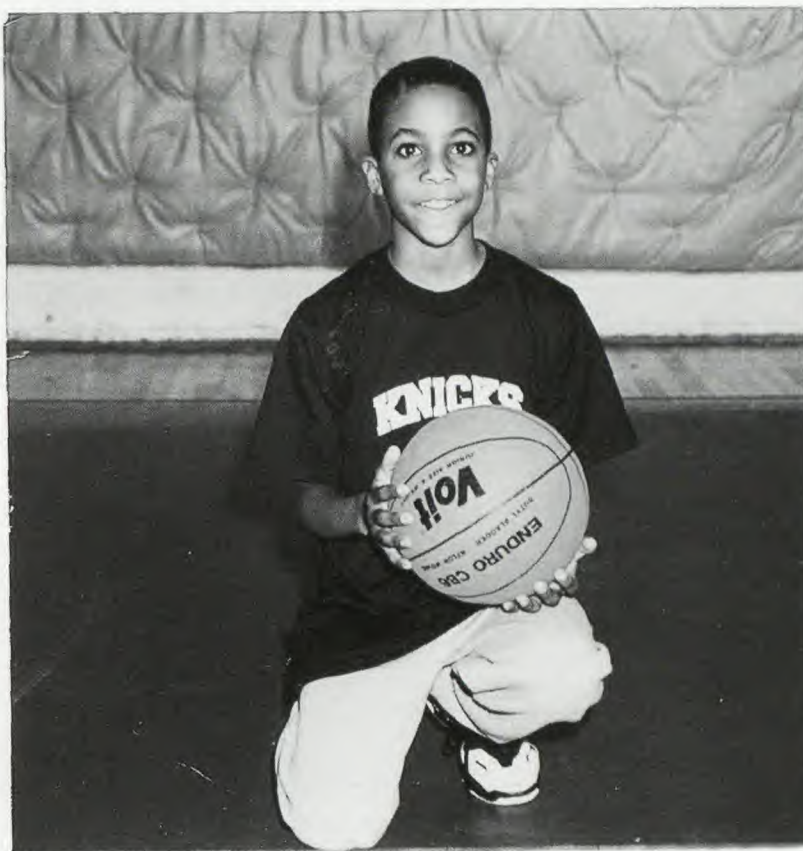


Stephen,

*We love you and are proud of you. God has a wonderful plan for your life. Think of this as only the beginning of the rest of your life. Sometimes, His plans take us on paths we never anticipated – rugged, perhaps. But, know, Son, that no one loves you more than He does.*

*Here is a poem for you –*

*When God wants to drill a man  
And thrill a man  
And skill a man  
When God wants to mold a man  
To play the noblest part;  
When He yearns with all His heart  
To create so great and bold a man  
That all the world shall be amazed  
Watch His methods, watch His ways!  
How He ruthlessly perfects  
Whom He royally elects!  
How He hammers him and hurts him,  
And with mighty blows convert him  
Into trial shapes of clay which  
Only God understands;  
While his tortured heart is crying  
And he lifts beseeching hands!  
How He bends but **never breaks**  
When **his good** he undertakes;  
How He uses whom He chooses  
And with every purpose fuses him  
By every act induces him  
To try His purpose out –  
God knows what He's about.*



*Much love,  
Mom, Dad, Ruth, Deborah, and David.*

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*Lots of love and best wishes from,*

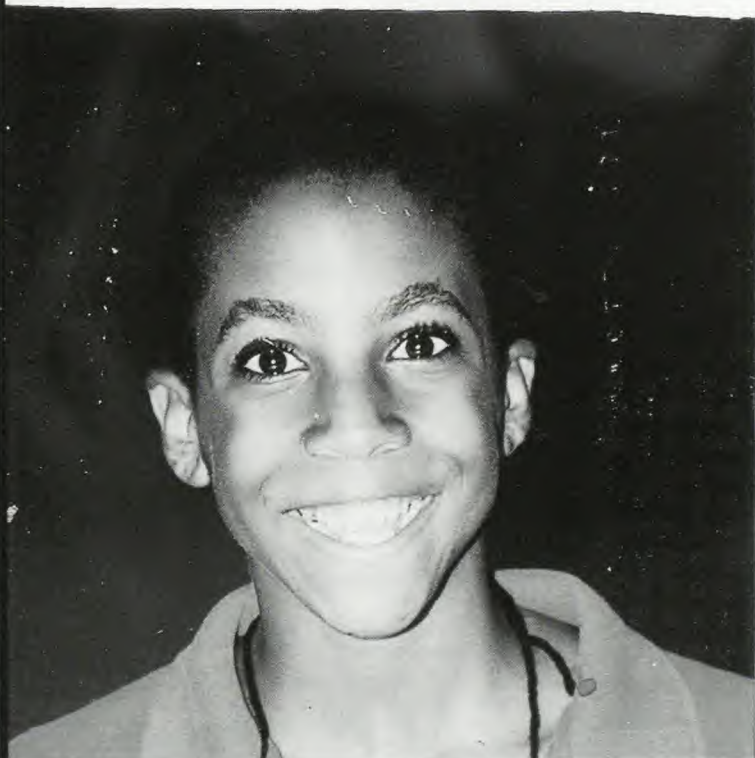
*Grandma and Mr. Brown; Aunt Joan and Nicole, Uncle Keith, Aunt Veronica, and Kemi; Uncle Beris and Aunt Faye, Uncle Basil.  
Miss Myrtle, Auntie Mitzie, Uncle David, and Aunt Wynclette.*

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*You have made known to me the path of life;*

*You will fill me with joy in your presence,*

*With eternal pleasures at your right hand (Psalm 16:11)*







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Gaia and Tiffany

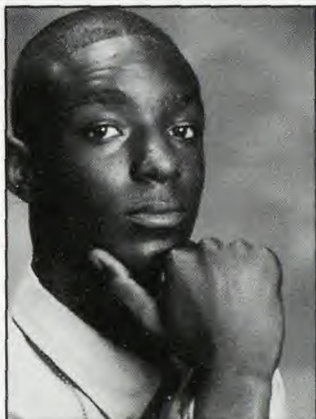
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a, Magazine Game, Baking, Guadalupe, YKK zipper, Hey Tiffany don't forget your shirt, flower girl, Jacob from O-town, Jhoni, Skull Mountain 26X, Fish-o-Filet McDonalds, Booster Seats -Click, Keanu Reeves, Halloween 2007, Laguna Beach, Man Goachie, Ugly Baby Shirt Day 11/22, Creepy Waiter Guy, Gaia's British, Nehemiah, Mashed, Gnome, S and M, G party, Harry Potter, Skeez, O'mazing, Let's just say you liked Dan

me, Quiznos, Jala Panera, Intramural RMS volleyball, ugly baby RMS, Coach wristlets, pink day, Wenty, Tickle-me Elmo, Cilla



Al-Tawan & Aunt Donna  
8th Grade Graduation



Al-Tawan  
12th Grade



Al-Tawan  
Kindergraten



A message to my favorite young man Al-Tawan Alston, from your Aunt/ Mom/Guardian. I am most definitely proud of you for all your success. I've watched you grow from kindergarten until present day. You have made me the proudest parent in the world. The love and compassion that you have inside is a true, unique quality that is rare. I love you in 2007 as well as all the years to come. Congratulations on your achievements thus far. I know that you have the power, strength, and courage to make a wonderful man in the near future. It is a true blessing for me to have you in my life. This is a very special time in your life, so enjoy ever moment. And always remember that I will never stop loving you as long as I live.

Love Always,  
Aunie Donna





Dear Jillita,

Congratulations!

Good luck!

Sabemos que lograra's  
cumplir lo que deseas,  
el futuro te pertenece!

We Love You!

Mom, Dad, and Sisters.

**CONGRATULATIONS  
and Best Wishes to  
the Class of 2007!  
You made us proud!**

**Mr. Alloggiamento, Principal  
Dr. Juirdano, Assistant Principal  
Mr. Moore, Assistant Principal  
Mr. Sampson, Assistant Principal**

Scuba Sam,

This portion of your life is coming to a close. The new path in front of you is going to be most exciting. Get ready for a "Whirlwind Adventure". Love you always. Scuba Dad. WOHS '70

It's been quite a journey to this momentous day. You were never boring and made life interesting, challenging and full of joy. Continue your journey, keep laughing, and live & learn always. Love Mom. WOHS '72

Seems like only yesterday we were at Gregory School together. You've grown into a lively young woman. It's an ending but also a new beginning. Make the most of your college experience. It'll be the best days of your life. Love Matt. WOHS '02

Thanks for the duck! Woof! - Rio





Kayla:



Kayla Marie Negron  
 "May you never take one single breath for granted,  
 God forbid love ever leaves you empty handed, I hope  
 you still feel small when you stand beside the ocean,  
 whenever one door closes, I hope one more opens,  
 promise me that you'll give fate the fighting chance  
 And when you get the choice to sit it out or dance... I hope you dance..

"In my daughter's eyes  
 Everyone is equal  
 Darkness turns to light  
 And the world is at peace  
 This miracle God gave to me  
 Gives me strength when I am weak  
 I find reason to believe  
 In my daughter's eyes"

It's hard to believe your are finishing high school, it feels like yesterday that you took your first steps into grammar school. You were the only one not crying on the first day of school and I think I cried enough for both of us.

We are so proud of you and we know you are ready for whatever lies ahead. We will miss all the high school games, competitions and all your crazy friends. You earned the title Homecoming Queen for simply just being yourself. You have a gift of laughter, dance and a confidence that most envy. Continue to make yourself and your family proud. You are a part of a class that has so much to be proud of. Congratulations to you and the entire Graduating Class of 2007!!!!



Love Mommy & Daddy

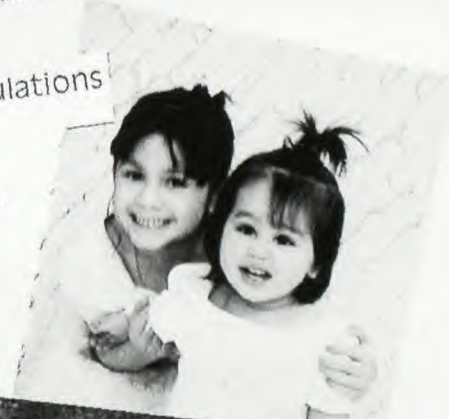


Sisters share an unbreakable bond and ours only grows stronger  
 As the years pass, I love you Kayla!!!!



Congratulations!

Love Kaitlyn



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I smile because you are my sister and I laugh because there is nothing you can do about it.





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Danielle,  
We love you very much.  
Keep reaching for the stars.

Love Always,  
Mom, Dad, Nicole, Goo, and Jimmy





Hannah Michele Bari Wendy



*"In my heart is the 4 of us..."*

**Remember...**

When we lived off Redbull and lollipops for four days?  
Our short, but unforgettable, love for guidos?  
Our silver ball bracelets? The disaster in Wayne?  
"We're going to the club"? The 5th? Wearing weeve?  
I been said how nasty that was? <3 The death bus?  
Our birthday weekends? The bunny costumes?  
Scary movies? Obsessing over Panera? Chubaka?

**<3WRTS & GAVRIL!?**

When Mexico wasn't the best place ever!?  
Luckpup & the 40 cats? Wendy's lunches?  
How Bari hates fish? Lisa's 7<sup>th</sup> birthday?  
The week of belly button piercings? Technologic?  
When we got room keys? Catillio's shore house?  
Shrimp dip? Raiding boyfriends basements?  
Dancing bears named Chuck? Cooper? Snoopy?  
Jana and Barti? Going wild? "It's me, Jessica!"  
Cedar Grove Police? "Am I a bad kisser"? Cherri?  
Bari's, like the drink? Melinda? The food fight?  
Buddy Fine? MCito? BJ? "pass that" L-son?

**XOXO**







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Marites,

You have accomplished so much already that we know you will succeed in whatever you choose to do. We're proud of you. Congratulations!

Love,  
Mom, Dad, and Jun



*Nya Yvonne Noziere*



Words cannot express the overwhelming feelings of happiness which you have brought us. Through determination and perseverance you have risen to the occasion, always striving to do your best. We can only hope that you have prepared you well for life's journey and that we have filled your life with love and joy as you have filled our hearts so abundantly. We love NYA... more than anything in the world!!!



## *Marites ~ Jane ~ Tiffany*



Finish Line and Old Navy Guy, Parallel Parking: curb hitting, Panera Leftovers, WTC crying, What? Magazine, Mar cutting foot (3rd grade), cake baking, Dorney Park, Shopping, Jane falling asleep during movies, Dress up Party, A\*\*hole, Scotty Boy, Gym Basketball, Fairview Lake, Jane stairs pretzels, Odc, Mar's questions, Pickle Juice, Splasian Jane (aka Mar), Rms wake up calls, Soap=Step Up.



Angela: doorbell, pickle juice, falling in mud, adios seniorita, singing Beautiful, dollar store ice pops, Jane in bathrobe, TALKS, burning down Mar's house, walking to library on rainy day, drinks by Mar and Tiff, watching Trey interview, gum in Tiff's hair, winter guard, sweet 16's, License: July 28; Jan 13; Sept 28, Jane's stories with laughing, sumo wrestling, volleyball at the park, Jane's face in the cake, sleepovers, Mar falling down stairs, snow.

*Laugh Out  
Loud, Laugh  
Often*



Marites: Accident  
Prone Mommy  
Tiffany: Ditz  
intelligence  
Jane: Laughing  
Splasian

Best Friends Forever







*Dear Krus,*

*Congratulations on all of your accomplishments!*

*We are so proud of you and wish you all the best in whatever you pursue.*

*You have been a constant source of happiness, joy, and pride in our lives as we have watched you grow.*

*You are truly a wonderful, talented, and beautiful young lady.*

*Be sure to follow your dreams and have faith in God for they will surely lead you to success.*

*Our love and support are with you always.*

*We Love You!*

*Mom, Daddy Sam, & Kuya Mark*



*Dear Krus,*

*Congratulations on graduating from high school! From piano and forensics to ballet and musical theater to editor in chief of your yearbook, and lastly graduating from high school, you have never failed to astound us. All of your achievements will take you far and we hope and pray for the best of luck in all you do. Continue to strive for only the greatest in everything. Congratulations!*

*With Love,*

*Tita Nenen & Tita Nemia*





**Rachel,**

**WE LOVE YOU!  
BEST OF LUCK**

**Aunt Boni, Uncle Martin & Cousins  
Jake Paula & Kurt**

**Stephen,**

What a difference four years can make! You entered high school a young boy and leave a young man who is not just a handsome face, but a rising star. May your college years and career make your dreams come true. It's all up to you. Shoot for the moon and land among the stars. Congratulations, son!

*With love and pride,  
Mom, Dad, Francesca, & Delilah(wooFi)  
The Longos*







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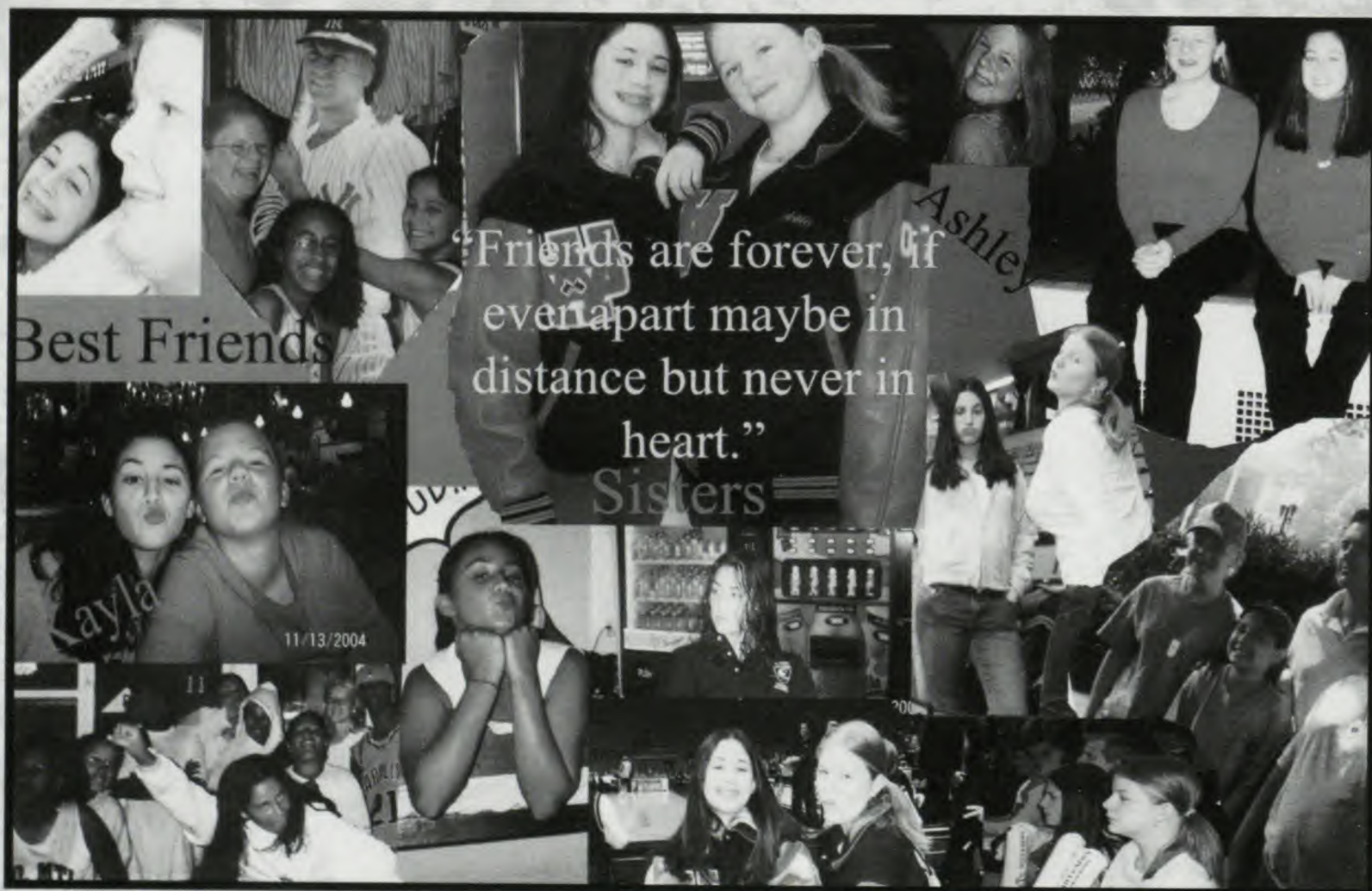
**Hannah McCartney ~ Class of 2007**

You are a Champion in so many ways.

Continued success in all that you do.

Our love and best wishes,

Mom & Dad







May the good life be with you down every road you roam,  
And may sunshine and happiness surround you when you're far from home.  
May you grow to be proud, dignified and true,  
And do unto others as you'd have done to you.  
Be courageous and be brave,  
And in my heart you'll always stay  
Forever young, forever young.

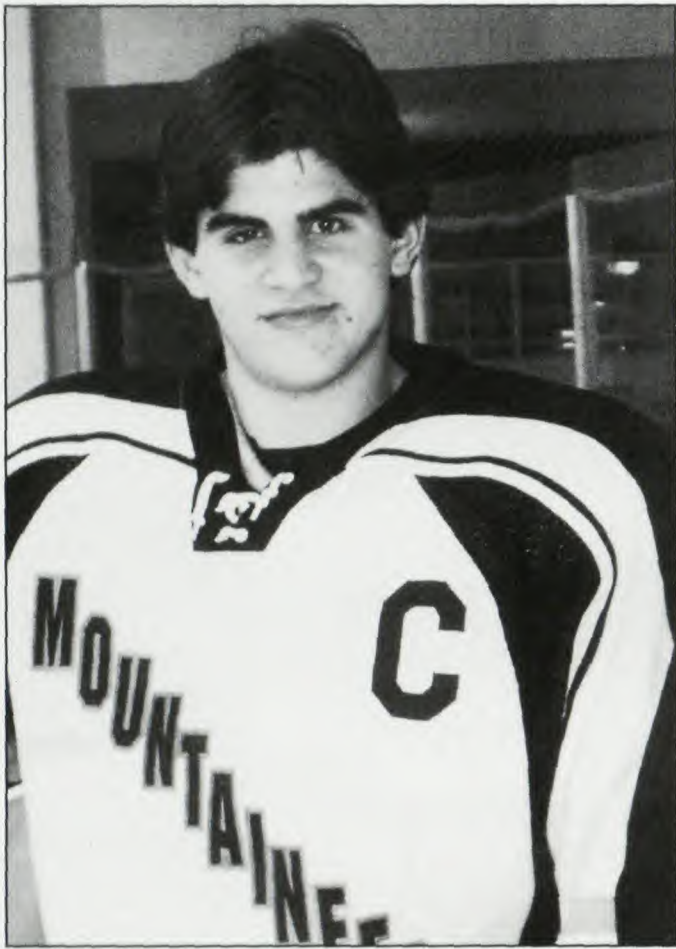
May good fortune be with you and may your guiding light be strong,  
Build a stairway to heaven with a prince or a vagabond  
And may you never love in vain,  
And in my heart you will remain  
Forever young, forever young.

When you finally fly away, I'll be hoping that I served you well,  
For all the wisdom of a lifetime no one can ever tell,  
But whatever road you choose,  
I'm right behind you win or lose,  
Forever young, forever young,  
Forever young, forever young.

Congratulations, Shannon! We are so very proud of you!  
With love from Mom and Dad







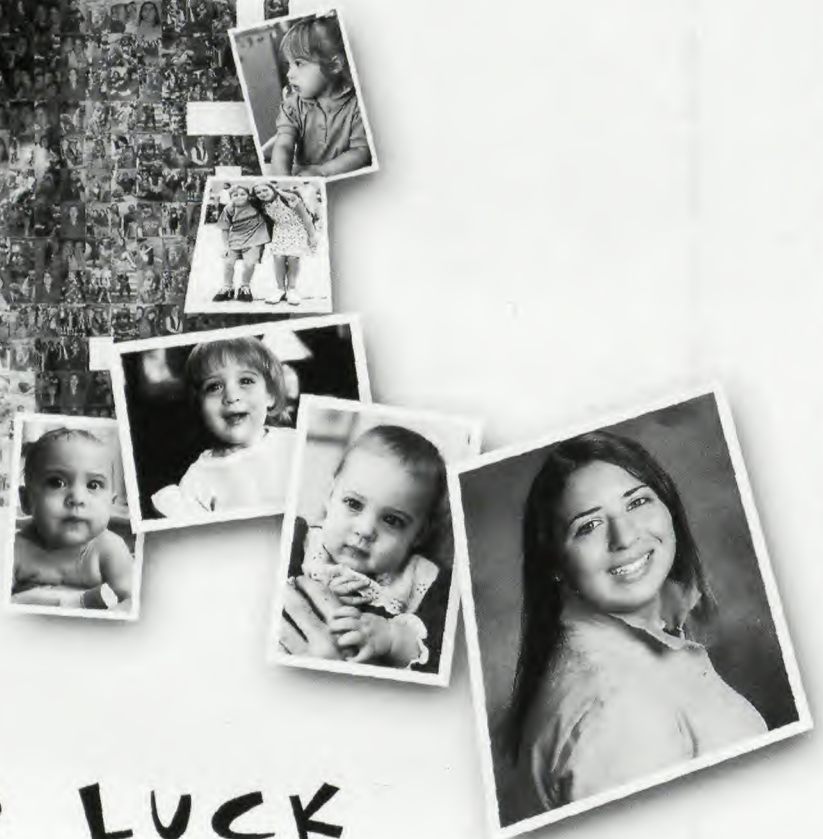
Joey,  
May the future bring you  
continued success.  
We love you.  
Mom and Dad











## GOOD LUCK SAM!

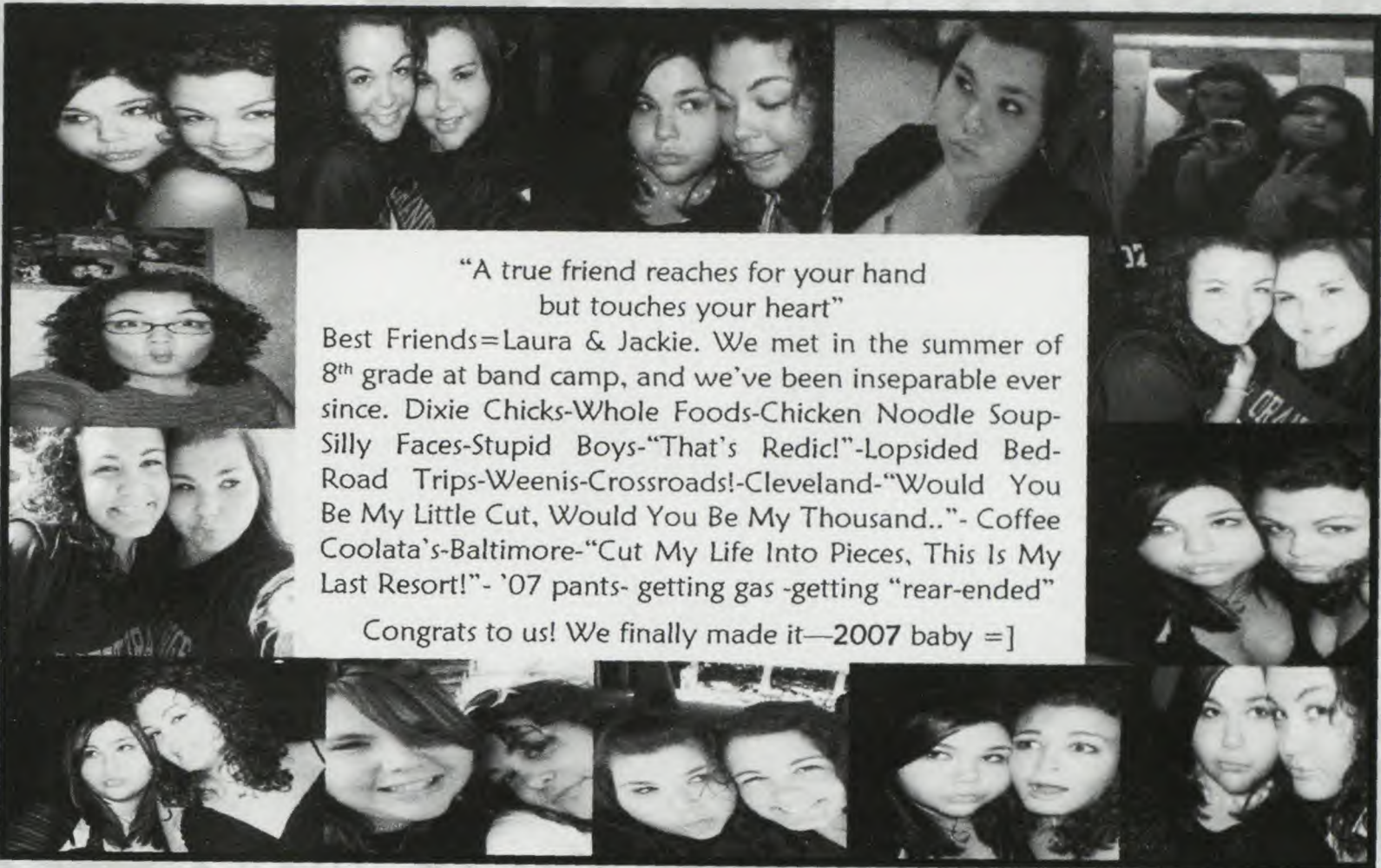
*"Remember always that you not only have the right to  
be an individual, you have an obligation to be one."*

– Eleanor Roosevelt

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"A true friend reaches for your hand  
but touches your heart"

Best Friends=Laura & Jackie. We met in the summer of 8<sup>th</sup> grade at band camp, and we've been inseparable ever since. Dixie Chicks-Whole Foods-Chicken Noodle Soup-Silly Faces-Stupid Boys-"That's Redic!"-Lopsided Bed-Road Trips-Weenis-Crossroads!-Cleveland-"Would You Be My Little Cut, Would You Be My Thousand.."- Coffee Coolata's-Baltimore-"Cut My Life Into Pieces, This Is My Last Resort!"- '07 pants- getting gas -getting "rear-ended"

Congrats to us! We finally made it—2007 baby =]

## CONGRATULATIONS CLASS OF 2007!

A special congratulations  
to Danielle Ancheta and  
the seniors of the  
Girls Varsity Soccer Team!  
Continue to excel in  
your future endeavors.

*The Ancheta Family*







CONGRATULATIONS!

Pooh, We're very proud of you!

Love,  
Mama, Baba,  
& Ibrahim



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

Dear Joanna,  
We are so proud of you! We wish you a future filled with love, health, happiness, and beautiful dreams to pursue.

Love,  
Mom, Dad, Eve, and Nana





Dear Rachel,

I am so proud of you! Your strength of character, integrity, perseverance and spirit will always help you to accept challenges and overcome obstacles that may cross your path. May you be forever blessed with good health, happiness, success, and love.

Love Always,  
Mom



Dear Rachel,

For my whole life you have been my best friend. I always learn from your intelligence, humor, and style. I will miss you a lot when you go to college!

Love Always,  
Your sister  
Jessica



## MICHAEL D'AGOSTINO

*Keep true to the dreams  
of your youth.*

-Freidrich von Schiller

**Congratulations Michael!**

You are our pride and joy.

We love you.

Mom, Dad, Melinda, & Roxana





Thanks for everything - you've been more than a teacher. I didn't think making physics fun was possible, but you proved all of us wrong. I hope we keep in touch high school - I talk to about Raiders' o-line everything

**TASO APOSTOLOPOULOS**  
Bow down to your MASTER...  
wah nah ninini! P.T.

Thanks for everything Doc - especially for including me in your book "Zhang's Law"  
鄭 志雄  
aka: Johnny Boy

$ag = \frac{GM}{d^2}$  aka Little G or Hilary Grossman

BEET WITH BROCCOLI VENNIE  
"You just got Doc'd!"  
~ Carrie Wolk

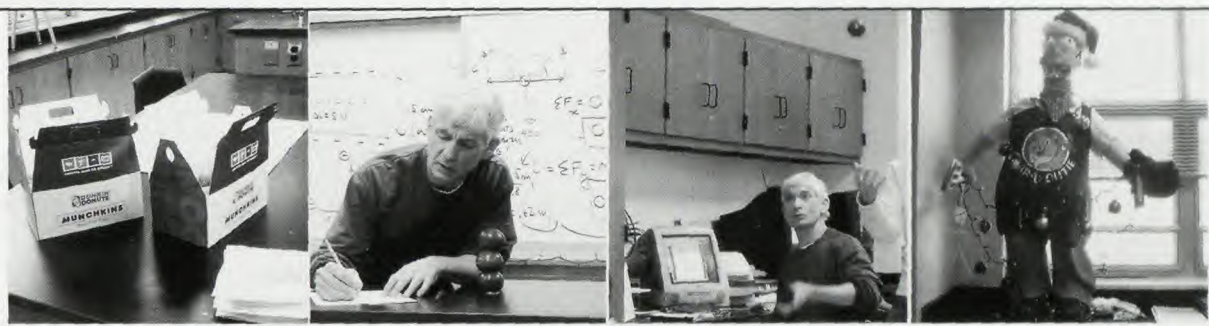
o.o AHA! Doc's the Best!  
- Evelyn Litwinoff

I'm like an electron moving against the field of your teachings: High potential but no U value...  
- Shandon

$\Sigma F = (\text{Thanks})(9.8) + F = \text{Doc's the Man!}$   
(That's right, I YARP!)  
- Mitch Geller

Sadness Doc, no more ping pong and inaudible callings of "Stanley!"  
- Stanley

JACK IS BACK, BABY! You're the only person who entertains my endless TV rambling. You're the best! God Save the Queen  
- Shandon



**Doc, we just wanted to let you know that you are AMAZING!**  
**With immense appreciation and love from your**  
**Period 1-2 & 4-7**

Hey Doc! Friends is better than Arrested Development!

"um er ah"

Amazing and Always there to help out. Thank you for Everything! you so much.  
"Another one bites the dust!"

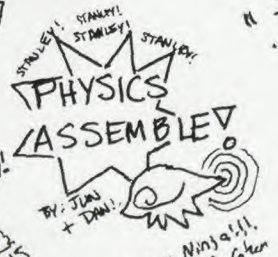


"JOKE!" Platt's Law:  
 $F = \frac{1}{2}kt^2$  ??  
"...wait, what?!"  
- Jenny  
- EP

Doc, I don't think we will ever find someone as fun and great as you.  
- Danny B.

"Needs life Support.."  
- Jose P  
Thanks for every thing  
- Steve Holt  
- Mike Denburg

HayDoc! I love talking about movies & fencing with you! Better, thanks lives of others, for The Queen!  
Thanks for everything!  
CRUNCH  
candy always  
- Coego



"No force no field baby!"  
- Dorothy Lee

NEW KIDS ON THE BLOCK  
HAD A BUNCH OF HITS  
CHINESE FOOD MAKES ME SICK!  
XOXO MAR (EpoAngel)  
MANSITA

24 Thank you in a repressed Jack Bauer voice  
- George T.

Thank You for EVERYTHING  
You are the BEST!  
- Brian Pak.

J-E-T-S  
JETS! JETS!  
JETS! Enjoy board the dart board and thanks for everything.  
- Kevin App







"A true friend is some one who thinks that you are a good egg even though she knows that you are slightly cracked."  
Bernard Meltzer



FANAAA!!- I WANT I WANT I WANT-AH!! omg...don't scare me ; sisters please, please, please don't be an alcoholic =] DANCES, UNITY! GL !!

<3333 no matter how far apart we are ; no matter what troubles we face, we'll always be there for each other.



*Princy & Sruthi*



PANDADRU APPAMS!!-dance shows-LIJO BYJUUU! LIJO! ugly girl. why are we in the handicapped seats?-THE Indians-locker buddies ; city time



trips to the mall & city - NEW YEARS - AP Physics period 4/5-6/7 gyro - model walking 16 blocks- physics square <3 -momma Platts these shoes SUCK! - how big is it? - pancake&sheep - Mar's a hoe sitting in the middle of the street in times square -prom dresses! let's party! - BLASTING "WALK IT OUT" DOWN PROSPECT!! Indians - Eric:"wait Princy, you like him?...OMG ME TOO!!" 3 brownies & one white dude - CLEAVE buddies!!!! - baaaaaaaaaa lunch table gossip -Mar's abusive & hurts!- in trouble? Princy to the rescue!



*Eric Platt  
Mansi Patel  
Princy Thomas  
Marites Manikad*



*Danity-Erikane*

*P.Pooh*

*Mar Mar*

*MON MON!!*







Jese



Melz



Lupey

# Goya Crew! 2007



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Lucy



Van



Lil' Karen





CONGRATS TO OUR D, DANIELLE RACHEL LANZET, ON HER GRADUATION FROM WOHS! A WHOLE EXCITING NEW LIFE FULL OF ADVENTURES AWAITS YOU! WE WISH YOU TONS OF SUCCESS AND HAPPINESS AS YOU ENTER THE NEXT CHAPTER OF YOUR LIFE! TO QUOTE AN OLD FRIEND: "AN INVESTMENT IN KNOWLEDGE ALWAYS PAYS THE BEST INTEREST," ALL OF OUR LOVE, MOM, DAD, TAYLOR, AND MIKO





## CONGRATULATIONS !!



Princy, we are so proud of you!! Aim for the stars, we know that you will go far!!

*"Wherever you go, go with all your heart."*  
-Confucius

Love  
Papa, Mumie, & Lindsay







Chris,

What you are is God's gift to you and to us. What you become is your gift to God and to yourself. Thank you for being such a wonderful "baby" son and for all the joys you gave to us. You have grown up to become a young man of value. We are proud of you. Believe in yourself and follow your dreams and just in case we haven't told you lately....WE LOVE YOU!!...and always will.

**Congratulations!!**

Dad, Mom, Maria '00, Juan '05





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*To The Class of 2007,*

*Although we never thought we would make it, graduation has finally arrived. Some of us have been together for 13 years, and in those years, we have gained friendships, made memories, and had the best times of our lives. For the past four years, you could hear us chanting at sports games, attending plays, working part time jobs, and figuring out plans 12th period on Friday. With this book, we hope you can look back and cherish the memories and recollect the great times we had together. We wish everyone the best of luck in the upcoming years, and no matter what you decide to do, do it with all your heart.*

*Love,  
The Mountaineer Staff of 2007  
Congratulations!*



In memory of  
**Judith P. Boyd**  
*A Dedicated Educator*



For 44 years I have strived to make a difference in the lives of the students in my care, to teach by example, and to impart a love of learning. For to educate is to empower. If I have made a difference in one life, then it has all been worthwhile.

I am grateful for every day that I have taught and been taught. It has been a great run, and I will surely miss it and all that it embodies.

*West Orange High School Retirement Dinner  
June 9, 2006*



“Death ends a life,  
It does not end a relationship”  
-Jack Lemmon

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Sade Williams

Yasmine Bedir  
Obi Onwubuya

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