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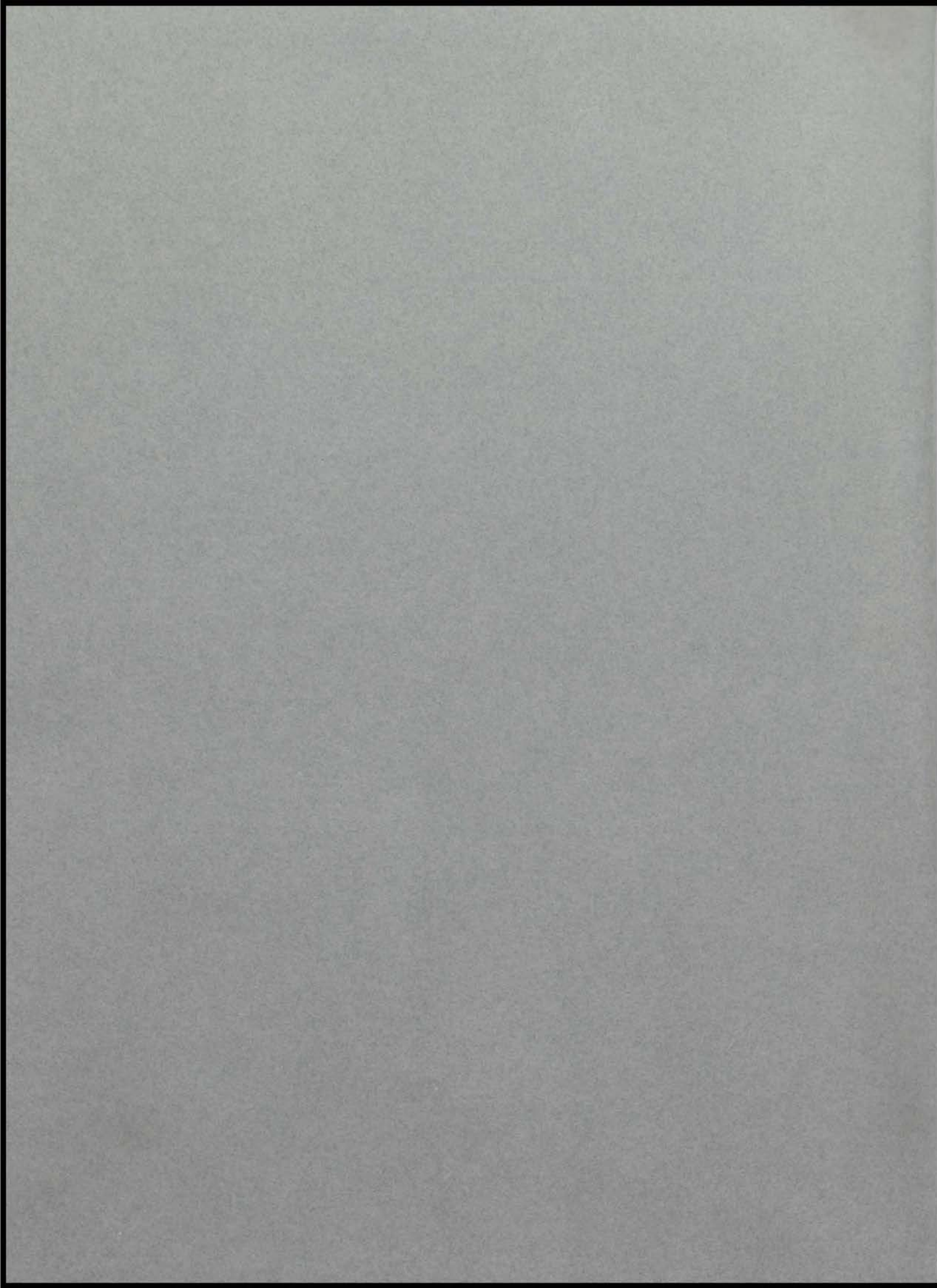
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# SHADOWS

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# Leisure

What's the weirdest thing you have seen on the highway?

A lady riding her bike while walking her dog!  
—John Alati

What's the worst plane food you have ever had?

The stewardess called it chicken, but when I turned it over with my fork, it looked like it was still alive! —Melissa Johnson

What are some things you do while stuck in traffic?

Blast the music and dance, Honk the horn repeatedly, Chinese fire drills, Play "Name that Tune", Talk to myself, Drive in the shoulder —Various seniors

What's your best reason for needing a vacation?

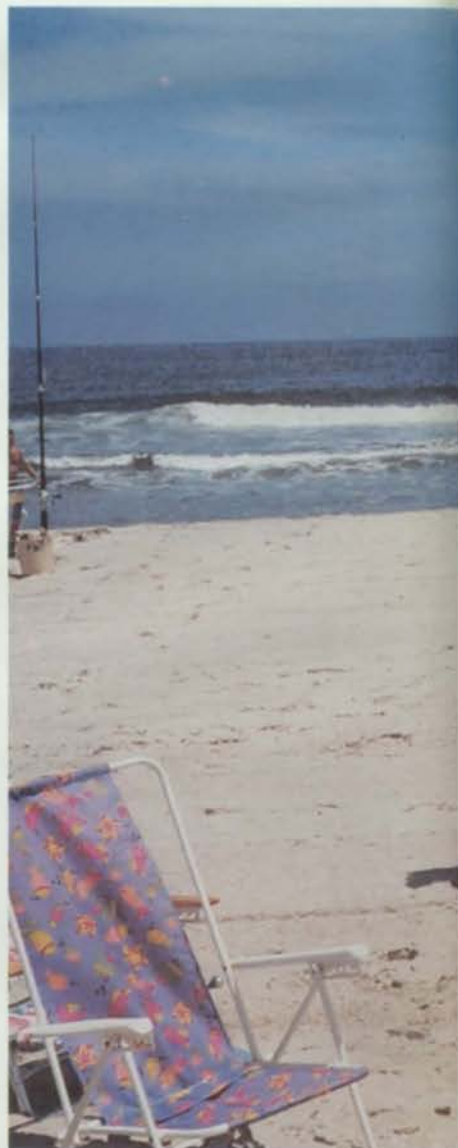
To get one of those mints on my pillow! —Bob Shafer

What's the scariest thing that's ever happened to you on a trip?

Getting in trouble in Toronto! —Janice Trimmer



Basking in the sun at the Generalife Gardens in Spain are Laura Lubrano, Lynn Wyrovsky and Christina Spencer. Danielle Iannuzzi, Sara Spektor, Amanda Tone, Regina DeRosa, Shauna Sacchi and Diane Salgado hop in a limo on their way to Z100's Jingle Ball concert. Brian Kelly, Jon Meyer, Nat Gambuzza, Collin Pissarra, Peter Burgess, Anthony Condorelli, Bryan Nigro, Brian Oliver, Dan Taylor, Brian Smith and Mark DiRoma take a break in "the lot".







Mitul Patel rides his pony along the streets of Paris. Mickey Mouse greets Danielle Villarosa and Melissa Johnson upon their arrival at Disney World.



Soaking up rays at the Jersey Shore are Erin Moran, Lauren Fennicola, Marissa Hoffer, Nicole Baguer and Jessica Haffner. Caroline Streicher chats with a Beefeater at the Tower of London.





Pals  
Chums  
Buddies

# Friends

Friends are special people you can't live without... They'll back you up all the time without a doubt... Friends can lift your spirits by what they say... They're the ones you confide in twenty-four hours a day... A friend who is nice and looks out for you is the one who is honest, trustworthy, and true... A friend is always there through good times and bad, they can make you laugh even when you're sad... Concerts, vacations, and trips down the shore... Have created memories that will last forever more... As we move on with our lives and away from our friends, we will treasure the memories we've shared 'till the end.



Emily Gaffney, Heather Hafer, and Kelly Garland share a hug in the lot. Carla Velardi and Melissa Johnson practice for the biggest smile competition. Daren Clancy, Kelly Jackson, Mike Straus, Laura Lubrano, and Mass Gallinoni overdose on Dew.





Nick Lodato, Nat Gambuzza, Bob Shafer, and Dan Taylor wait for their team's turn in the one-pitch softball tournament. Andre Mutovic, John Humphries, Bob DeSantis, Nick Toombs, Paul Watkins, and Gary Collins try to see how many seniors it takes to break Paul's shock absorbers. Corrine Dapuzzo and Dina DeFilippo catch a quick rest between classes.



Brian Smith, Dave Camp, and Pete Burgess think "How much cooler can we look?". Sandy Peterson, Shauna Sacchi, and Marissa Holler grab a breath of fresh air on their way out to lunch.



Hats  
Nails  
Jeeps

# Fads & Fashions

What in the world should I wear to-day?... If I don't look good or wear Donna Karan, what will they say?... Should I wear the old shirt or the one that is new?... Which looks better, the Gap jeans or the J-Crew?... Should I wear blue nail polish from the Nail Cart or triple up on earrings from Native Art?... Shiny leather from Wet Seal will be good for clubbing tonight... Should I wear it loose or perhaps maybe tight?... Do you think these pants make me look fat?... Perhaps this would look good with that three bar hat... I'll just put my wild hair up in a clip, and put on my sunglasses from Hot Topic... To the Jeep I walk and hop into the seat, only to pump my "system" to the Macarena beat... Peel out of the "Lot" with my Doc Martin's on the gas, waving to people that I should pass... All these fashions and fads that we see everyday... Contribute to the way we live and what we say. —*Geovana Barnave*



Geovana Barnave and Regina DeRosa strut their new hair styles. Amy Friedman agrees that having fun never goes out of fashion. Chrissy Cocchiola and Melissa Koes show where clubbing is the "Hot Topic."







Adrian Sancho and Katie Wojtal take a break from English with Mr. Luks to show off their layered look. Jenna Minutoli and Kim Zipf search for the perfect nail color at the Nail Cart in Willowbrook Mall.



Seniors pose with their Jeeps, the latest fad in driving this year. Nat Gambuzza sports his three bar hat, a fad that continued to be popular among VHS students.





CLASS

...Into The







## CLASSROOM MEMORIES

"My own gum flew in my hair as I was running in gym!"

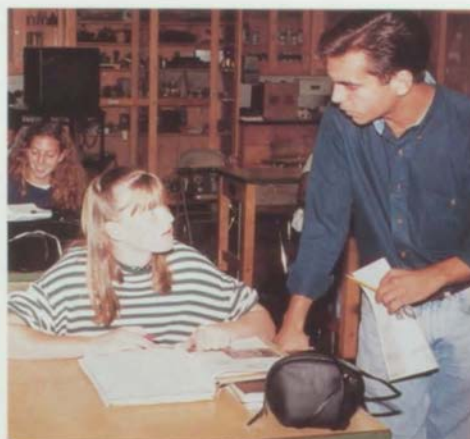
—Melissa Koes

"We were watching a first aid cartoon video in health and blood squirted out of one of the characters. Bobby DeSantis got so freaked out, he fainted!"

—John Alati

"In my freshman physical science class, I was showing the students a video on laser disc. Andre Mutovic took the remote control when I turned around and kept changing the channels when I wasn't looking!"

—Mr. Sauer

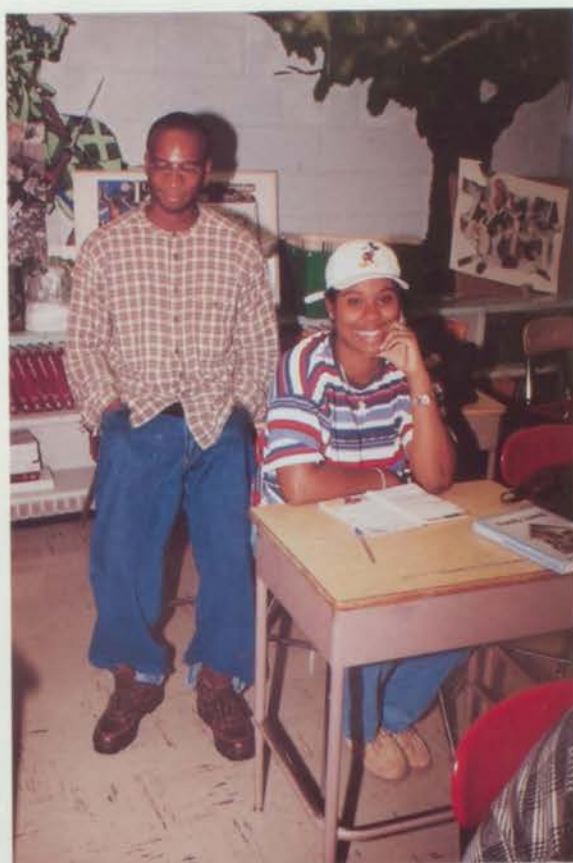


Mass Gallinoni is *Sure* that Lola Fayanju *Aims* for the future. Kelly Lynch listens to Mr. Valcarcel's fountain of wisdom. PhyllisAnn Russo and Chrissy Piontek take a break from Mr. Throne's inspiring lecture.





Dave Dickman and Bryan Nigro cook up a storm. Janice Trimmer and Melissa Musser get their creative juices flowing. Mitul Patel is riveted by Collin Pisarra's fascinating babble.



Lauren Fernicola and Marissa Holler ask, "What? Us do work??" A cheerful Haendel Zamor stands by a sleepy Geovana Barnave.



The class of '97 is out there in the work force. It looks like our parents were right- money doesn't grow on trees. With cash burning a hole in the pocket, seniors always seem to need more spending money, which is why we're being forced to find jobs. The occupational field is wide open, depending on what students enjoy. Some students get a great tan in the summer while working at the Verona Pool as lifeguards or at the snack bar. During school, some work retail at Drug Fair, while others find employment at Center Drugs. Food goes well with work and that means a job at Lakeside Deli or Foodtown or Shoprite.

However students choose to earn their spending money, the bottom line is that money is a must. Whether spending it while hanging out at Starbucks, the mall, or just seeing a movie, *ya gotta get the green!*



Joe Panzariello makes a new friend at the Turtle Back Zoo. Cap'n Mike Straus takes the lead in a sailing race. Poppa Tony's wouldn't be the same without waitress and daughter Laura Lubrano.







Following in the family tradition, Dave Baker volunteers his free time in the Salvation Army Band. Racing the rapids on the Delaware River, Daren Clancy shows his kayaking skills.



Service with a smile from Amy Friedman at Cinema 23. Erin Moran and Carla Velardi make the water safe at Essex Health Club. A 12-year-old Christen Tassin gets prepped for her appearance on Broadway as Cosette in *Les Miserables*.



# Then...

7:30 a.m. Wake up  
- watch cartoons

10:45 a.m. Run  
errands with  
Mommy

12:00 p.m. Play  
with G.I. Joe and  
Barbie

2:00 p.m. Nap while  
listening to lullabies

4:00 p.m. Watch  
Pinwheel

6:30 p.m. Eat  
dinner

8:00 p.m. Beg to  
stay up

11:00 p.m. Catch  
some zzzz's

1:00 a.m. Dreams  
of starting school





# and Now



7:30 a.m. Wake up  
in 7:30's

10:45 a.m. Run out  
to lunch

12:00 p.m. Play  
tricks on Ned

2:00 p.m. Try to  
nap while listening  
to teachers

4:00 p.m. Watch  
Oprah

6:30 p.m. Eat dirt  
(at practice)

8:00 p.m. Beg to  
stay out

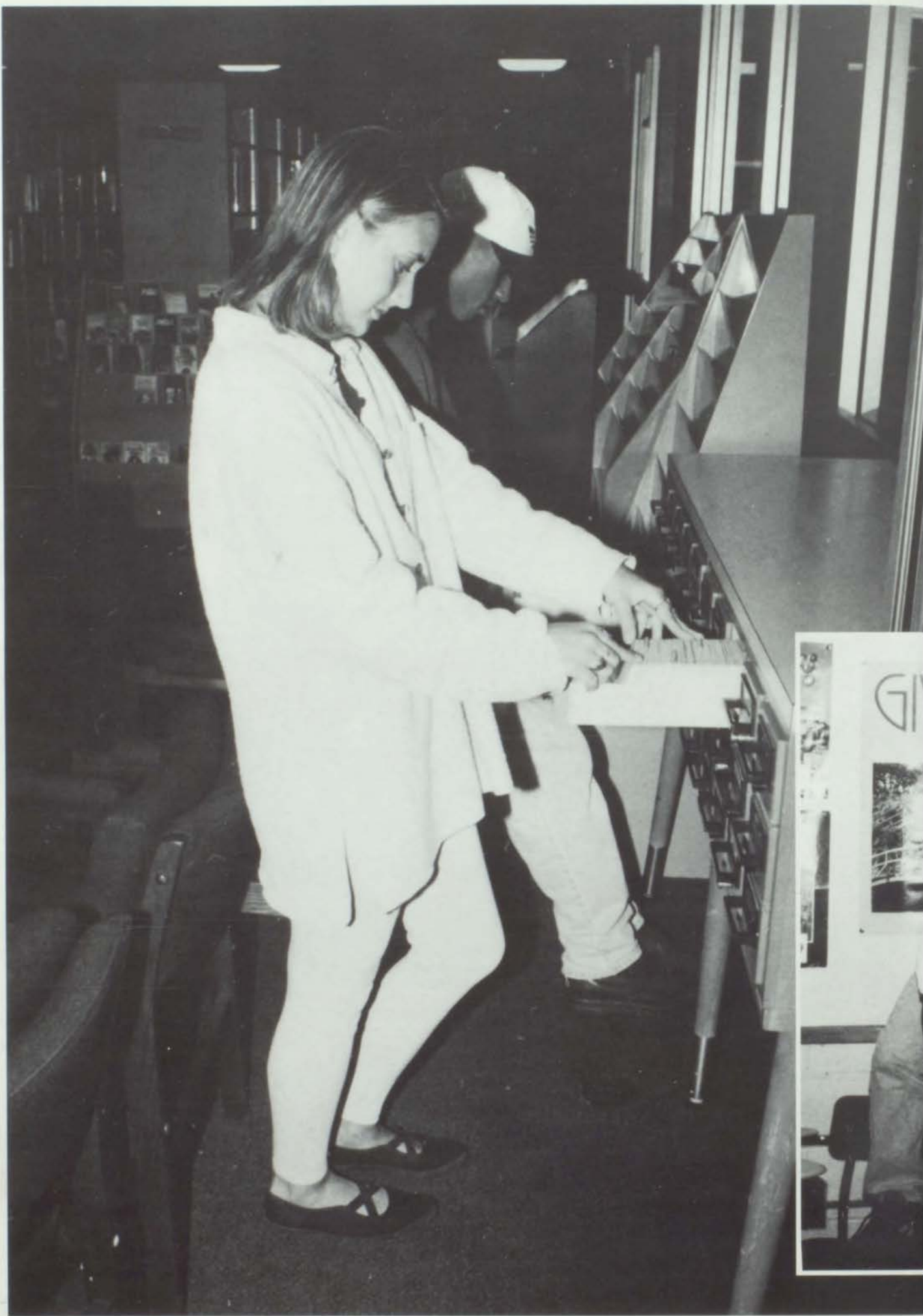
11:00 p.m. Catch  
some Ray's (pizza)

1:00 a.m.  
Nightmares of never  
finishing



Peter Burgess and Brian Smith enjoy singing at the eighth grade formal. John Alati, Nick Lodato, Danielle Villarosa, Heather Hafer, and Erin Moran still enjoy hanging out in the woods, they just don't go all the way to Stokes' State Forest. Brian Nigro, Mark DiRoma, and Anthony Condorelli may not look the same, but some think they still act the same! Erin Drury and Danielle Iannuzzi have been friends from third grade softball to senior year.







...into

# SENIOR YEAR

parties... cars... stress... colleges... write-ups... applications... essays... recommendations... captains... scholarships... early dismissal... SAT's... senioritis... out to lunch... graduation... parties... cars... stress... colleges... write-ups... applications... essays... recommendations... captains... scholarships... early dismissal... SAT's... senioritis... out to lunch... graduation... parties... cars... stress... colleges... write-ups... applications... essays... recommendations... captains... scholarships... early dismissal... SAT's... senioritis... out to lunch... graduation... parties... cars... stress... colleges... write-ups... applications... essays... recommendations... captains... scholarships... early dismissal... SAT's... senioritis... out to lunch... graduation... parties... cars... stress... colleges... write-ups... applications... essays... recommendations... captains... scholarships... early dismissal... SAT's... senioritis... out to lunch... graduation... parties... cars... stress... colleges... write-ups... applications... essays... recommendations... captains... scholarships... early dismissal... SAT's... senioritis... out to lunch... graduation...





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Lola Fajanyan  
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Clancy  
Brynn  
Donny Figueiredo  
Neck Tronbr  
David Camp  
NAT GAYBUZZA  
Torrie Flach  
John Alati  
Yana  
Joe Pugliese  
Emilio  
Debbie  
Dina Desiderio  
Mike Horder  
Michelle Bonumeli  
Melissa & Mussen  
Michael V.  
Carla Velardi  
Bob Shafer  
Laura Luccia  
Delia Vantreutem

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Haendel  
Scott Kaplan  
Melissa Aes  
Marc Niago  
Rigoberto  
Melissa Manpomb  
Christy Cocchiolo  
Kelly Lynch  
Corrine Daputa  
Kirstin Burgess  
Katie Carey  
Bolli  
Erin Drury  
Danielle Samunzi  
Danielle Zander  
Heovana Barnave  
Christen Cassin  
Jackie  
Sharon  
Michael Samson  
Wendy  
Laura Lee Dubois  
Kelly Jackson  
Anne Michael  
Chrissy Pionter  
Callie Pierce

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Paul Watkins  
Chris Morley  
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Danielle Samunzi  
Danielle Zander  
Heovana Barnave  
Christen Cassin  
Jackie  
Sharon  
Michael Samson  
Wendy  
Laura Lee Dubois  
Kelly Jackson  
Anne Michael  
Chrissy Pionter  
Callie Pierce

*[Center]*  
**'97**



# In Loving Memory of Our Friend and Classmate Cathy Bell



1979-1994



“When they think of me, tell them to look in their  
hearts, I’ll be there.” - Cathy Bell



"All my life- it's changing every-day, every possible way. All my dreams- It's never quite as it seems." Friends (home & away)- thank for the great memories: Prom '95 Lavallete, '96 Hog-a-thon, MemDay '96, Phantom, NYC trips: Love you all. "I walk in the air, between the rain, through myself and back again- where?...I don't know."- C.C. Mom, Dad, and Danine- Love ya. "I've finally decided where my future lies: Beyond the Yellow Brick Road."



JOHN  
ANTHONY  
ALATI



DAVID  
ALLEN  
BACHAN



"Sometimes I sit and think, then again I just sit." BN, BGx2, BS, TK, SS, BM, AG, GC, SV, Teeny, Sid, Weaz HFC Mendham SNO, CG BRAWLS 187 in C.G. & W.O. \$1000+ w/ Weaz offroading in bins, Scanga u can't make a left on red. Wildwood Wanna get lost, Gang Plank, Cruisin w/ da homies. EGGs, 110 to shore, Driveby's F.V. thanks for everything, Driving expeditions w/ Weaz. Bye Guys. Mom, Dad, Jenn ILU

"Shoot for the moon even if you miss you will land among the stars." To my "circle of friends," you all have taken a piece of my heart and a place in my soul. Mom, Dad, and Keith- you are everything to me, ILU. "Sometimes you have to let go in order to hold on to something you care about."



NICOLE  
BAGUER



DAVID  
FITZGERALD  
BAKER



When disappointment comes to you and doors close in your face- remember a window will open- with many new opportunities. Thank you Mr. Cesa for helping me with the NYSB What a section!!! Senior year was definitely the best. Thanks to KB ED DJ AB DC MG. Dad, Mom, Tracy, Mike, Laura, ILU. The gift of music, is a gift of the Lord. Toobah!!!

"In the golden chain of friendship regard me as a link." DS, SS, NB, ED, JA, Chach, Veronaheads, TF, Kis, D, CAT, Ky, JJAG "Baycocawa" Justine "Keep it dirty," "Jenny, blowing up your beeper." "Wawlahee." CP, KB, NG, B-Ball '97, "Ropes" "Sallvia" "Latino B." "No Doubt." clubbin V.E.P.L. ILU C, L, K, R, sissies, bros, cousins, Mom, MM, Julie, Jeanne, "Cause I'keepin' it Real" Raphael ILU "Shower", Tre, Sean, Jeff (Fuz) ILU, "True That."



GEOVANA  
DANIELLE  
BARNAVE



MICHELLE  
LEIGH  
BENIMELI



"A friend is one who knows you as you are, understands who you've become, and still gently invites you to grow." SS, DS, GB, B.F.C. "True friends can grow up separately w/o growing apart." CHACH! KG, JT, KW, LW, MW, DD, RP, trip d-t's w/ HH, MM, Summer '95 w/ Gif. Prom '96. Discussing Politics 24/7 Eee. Mom, Dad, Aimee, Sara, & Jordan, thanx, ILU. "Remember me w/ smiles and laughter, for that is how I'll always remember you."



"Sometimes the unpredictable, rough, bumpy, overgrown paths are the most rewarding to explore"- D.B. To the best friends ever- Katie, (BF) thanks for the memories ILUI, Erica, Danielle, Erin, Kub Troop, Nicole S., Unforgettable times! Cathy- miss you and love you. And my family- Mom, Dad, Jon-Eric, Kara, Mom-mom, DaddyBob, thanks for everything, I love you! "Don't worry, God loves and cares for you always." 1Pe 5:7



KRISTIN  
MEREDITH  
BURGESS



PETER  
CHANDLER  
BURGESS



"In a corner was wondering, if a change could be better than this and then I worry, maybe things won't be better than they have been." Much props to Smitty, Diggs, Camper, DS MN BS, PIS, Buzza, Fish, Hog-A-Thon, Weazel, the Woo Crew, CM LD BB, Streak week '96, F.L.K., Mem Wknd '96 Much respect to my family. In the end: "Who in the world am I? Ah, that's the great puzzle!"

"I see a new day dawning." Blues Traveller. Great times with friends BO, NM, ED, DP, JK. The apartments "Act normal" strip poker Pritch hide there clothes BAM! Lanning, we saw a fox! scoots hot tub Skank! Ill fated voyage to music factory were not going in? Mom, Dad, Dave, Lols, Beth, Brian, Angel, Thanks I Love You.



JOHN  
BRADFORD  
BURGUILLOS



DAVID  
RICHARD  
CAMP



"Life, it seems will fade away drifting further every day. "No man's land. Mem. Wkd '96 at Gary's. Fun in the Garage. End of Year Trip-what? Gil's '94. Great times w/ PB, GC, NT, BS, MD, AS and many others. Mom, Dad, Julie, Laura, thanx for everything, couldn't do it with out you. ILUI.



MILTON  
CHUA



DAREN  
TERRIL  
CLANCY



"While you're striving to find the right road, there's something you should know! What's hip today might become passe" Thanks to all my great friends who made life just amazing Kupka Table Dance fluffy Daddin Mass SB, KJ, JP, MR, VS, MH, WB, NM, SS, Basically everyone in band. You will be in my heart for the rest of my life. MOL Rules! Gotta get a gig!



"A farewell is necessary before we meet again and meeting again after moments of a lifetime is certain for those who are friends." Kristin (BF) - thanks for making it the best it could be! ILU! Erica, Kub posse, J.H.- TCBY trips, E.D.- running buddy, D.I.- Best talks. Cathy- always in my heart. Mary- to the greatest friend I could ever want ILU! Mom Dad Caroline Jane ILU. "And by the grace of God go wide into the great unknown."



KATHERINE  
ANN  
CLANCY



CHRISTINE  
ANN  
COCCHIOLA



"All that's sacred comes from youth"- Pearl Jam. Great memories with great friends- Melissa, Jenna, Amy, Kim; Never forget- Camping, New Year's Eve, Crash, B.P. 4-26-96, PEARL JAM 9-28-96, Stalking, Pizza Hut, Prom '96, Foodtown stake-outs, Princesses, Junior lunch, "Now we're cruising," code names, "I'm still alive!"- P.J. Mom, Dad, Cindy, Thomas, Sammy- Thank you for everything, I love you.

"Remember when you were young, you shone like the sun."- Floyd. What!? Good times The Wall! Hill Rolling. Trips to the Realm. Lost in the woods. N.Y.C. Ross and Habib. Club 44! Clam Bar! DOOF DEEN!! 3-Man Mexicali Rose. No Man's Land, Hobbit. Half-Time Shows. Dr. Steve's. G.S.W., Phish, Allmans. Wilson! Thanx To All.



GARY  
ANDREW  
COLLINS



ANTHONY  
RALPH  
CONDORELLI



"Living is the only thing worth dying for." Great times with B.G., B.S., T.K., B.N., D.B., D.C., M.A., B.G., G.C., S.V., P.B., C.C., K.P., N.F. Gazebo, Lookout, Lot, M/D/WKD D/Shore It's all good! Senior Night out. RnR CORN! You could start a FIRE! 187 C.G. W.O. PSYCHO! Carla's on Fire! All night gigs, hotel parties, No Way V! THANX JUICE! Martha's Vineyard w/ hippie + Goof. J.H. Sol. OH, BYE GUYS! Thanks Mom Dad Cara ILU!

"If you want the rainbow sometimes you have to put up with the rain." Great times with my B.F. Dina, JR, NG, MM, ML. Never forget WW '95, MMWknds '94-'96, parties in the Ghetto, "J.D. night," "headlights head on." Thanx, Mom, Dad, Ron, Michael, ILU!!!



CORRINE  
DAPUZZO



DINA  
MARIE  
DEFILIPPO



"If your ship doesn't come in swim out to it." Always remember good times with BF Corrine, M.L., M.M., L.R. Never forget parties in Ghetto, Rich's house, head lights head on, W.W. '96, prom '96, S.S. '96 w/ Toni. Special thanks to my family Dad, Mom, Michael, Danny, Uncle Dean, Aunt Lucia ILU! Big Mama, grandma Marion always in my heart.



"She drank from a bottle called DRINK ME and up she grew so tall, she ate from a plate called TASTE ME and down she shrank so small. And so she changed, while other folks never tried nothin' at all." Mom, Dad, Kristen- no words can express my love, Julie: "44" Great Memories, Kristin; Kub to the fullest. Katie: The good/bad all even out, Nicole: A true friend. Much love to those I respect and the few I choose to never forget.



ERICA  
DEPALO



REGINA  
GLORIA  
DEROSA

"Take a look at who you are it's pretty scary"- K.C. Great times w/ friends. Amanda, Dana, Sara, ILU guys. Fairbanks, 5:30 in the morning- park benches, Is Kristin sick? Ocean View, Lollapalooza-moshing, "dude," numbers. Thanks Mom, Dad, Anthony, and John ILU. "Life is really about a spiritual unfolding that is personal and enchanting." James Redfield.



Is it Friday yet? "We will get by." Dead Fun times w/ P.W., G.C., A.M., Jer, Oof, Cramp and Gill. P.S. '96 horde Waterloo Crazy trips to Golf course Hilltop Look-out. Prom wked '96 St. Pattie's Day city trips '95 NYC Ros Habib. It's an Ideal Night. late Nights at pool. Who's making the Run. Monika I'll always love you. Mom, Dad, Steph Thanx ILU



ROBERT  
ANTHONY  
DESANTIS



DINA  
ANN  
DESIDERIO

"What a long strange trip it's been" G.D. CHACH, HORDE summer '96. Hangin' in the lot, park, bins, & Gramo's. Hiking Delaware Water Gap. Mini Golfing. Good times w/ friends Rachel, Scott, Michelle, Emily, Heather, Kelly, Muss, Katie. Prom Weekend '96. Driving aimlessly w/ Meg. Always and Forever in my heart, NEVIN- 11/3/95. Mom, Dad, PJ Thanks for everything you've done for me ILU!



"You're not what you think you are. But what you think, you are"- B. Tracey Thank you; J.M., J.B., L.E., Fluffy, Chris, Swave, Pizza Hut, Skoot, Joe, Kupka, Woody, Table-Dancer, M.H., M.C., A.M., K.J., M.G. & M.R. Plus the family. "For the Grand Warrior I am, there's one nemesis I can't defeat nor flee. It follows wherever I go, and the farther I run the more it closes in"- anon.



DAVID  
MICHAEL  
DICKMAN



CHARLES  
ERIC  
DIMECK

It's all over. Summers, winters, springs, falls. Unfortunately my parents were right, these years go by too fast. B (Dunkin' Donuts). Ollie, Volk, Pritch we had fun. Panch- Montville girls. Silver Bullet. Mom Dad ILU. All I have to say about these years is "Who are you?"- Caterpillar thing from Alice in Wonderland.





"In this great future you can't forget your past"- B. Marley. N.G., N.L., D.T., D.C., J.A., F.L.K.- "I'll think of you every time I raise my cup." Prom & Mem- Wknd '96, Hog-A-Thon, Journey- w/ N+J, Qazibo, HORDE, I.D.- N.Y.C., Gen 1:12, Good-Doctor, 4 Fiesta, Snow Day, Bay 8th, Gin-Wez, Bus 11, MB w/ N+D, BED WET, Pregames, Buffalo, 4 yes Baseball + Soccer, Bench w/ Smith, Thanks- Mom, Dad, Bryan, Mit, and Pets- ILU



MARK  
ROBERT  
DIROMA



ERIN  
ELIZABETH  
DRURY

"Among true friends there is no fear of losing anything." Janice, a second sister and a lifetime friend, Danielle, (Mutt) my other half and the first to understand me. Scott, I love you with all my heart 9/20/93. Cathy, until we meet again... Great times with great friends (you know who you are) especially: KB, KC, AT, ED, LS, LF, CS. Thanks Mom, Dad, Kelly, Brendan & Shame. You mean the world to me, ILU.



"You and I are flesh and blood, but we are also stardust."- From Big Bang Theory. Good times with good friends: KB, ED x 2, TF, Di, LL, CS x 2, VS, AT, AF- my X-country bud. CTY & GSS friends. Cathy... To Mom, Dad, and bros Laolu, Seyi and Dayo: I love you more than words can say. "Life is a journey; enjoy the ride..."



LOLA  
MOTUNRAYO  
FAYANJU



LAUREN  
MARIE  
FERNICOLA

Nothing lasts forever, not the mountains or the sea, but the times we had together they will always be with me - Samples. Never forget fun times with E.M. M.H. C.V. J.H. & S.P., I couldn't have done it without you guys and my family. Mom, Dad, Chris, Frank, & Spike I Love you Always and Forever. F.L., thanks for always being there.



"Got my skeleton key, I can open any door that stands in front of me."- Buffalo Tom Rachee, Tamara- You'll always be my favorite friends. John...Thanks (10-26). I love you guys! Dad, Cindy, Tyler, Nolan- I tried writing something sappy, but it just wasn't happening. I love you. "I knew what was happening, o my brothers, I was like growing up."- A Clockwork Orange.



TORRIE  
ELLEN  
FLACH



AMY  
LYNN  
FRIEDMAN

"You grow up the day you have your first real laugh at yourself." Barrymore. I guess we're pretty grownup. TW, CS, "D", AM, MK, IN, CC, KZ, KJ, LL, CS, MM, LF, JM. ILU guys. X-Country pals ED KC LS. Never forget all the good times; WOPAOLT Clang clang, he slipped on it, go fish, New Years '95/'96, Girls Night Out, D+D, Seaside, LBI, the raincloud, Blimpie's. Joe-ILU more; Thanks a lot Mom, Dad, Joel, and Holly ILU.





If all the ignorance in the world passed a second ago what would you say? Who would you obey? I am here to say that Peace is Now. My best friends Heather and Kelly Thanks for all you have done for me ILU Promise we will never lose touch. Mom you are my inspiration ILU Rosie Stephen Jenn kids ILU.



EMILY  
MARGARET  
GAFFNEY



MASSIMILIANO  
GALLINONI

"You can change your friends, your place in life, you can change the things you say. But I think that when you look inside your heart; Love for who you care for, you will find." Thanks for the great times. DC, KJ, MS, JH, DD, LL, WB, NM, VS, Mindy thanks for the great times ILU. Dad and Mom thanks for bringing me here ILU.



"I didn't do it" - O.J.S. Great times w/ MD, NL, DT, BS, PB, JA, P.F, MN, Prom Weekend, Wildwood, Christmas Dance '95, Lookout, Gazebo, Lot, DMB. Concert Trips taken and Trips to come, N.Y.C., NWK, "Bowling" Dr. Steve, the Res, peepin', hog-a-thon, Snowdays, Buffalos, Gary's Garage, New Ride, Skiing, Mom, Dad, Laura, Ann, Christian, Thanks for putting up with me, I know I've been a handful. ILU.



NATALE  
JOSEPH  
GAMBUZZA



MICHAEL  
GANNON



"Remember the pasts don't think of them with sorrow, just think of today and your dreams of tomorrow." HH EG JT MM KW. CHACHI! RP DS DD MB. Never 4-get R slp. overs/talks. Giff- 12 yrs. of brkdwns. and bonding Janice- forever yappin'! WoJ- Shotgun! A-OK. Muss- T+C. V+S Heath-Late night Chats, highway driving no one knows more about me than you! Thanx ILU! "Always something there to remind me." Mom Dad Meg Rob Brod-ILU!



KELLY  
ERIN  
GARLAND



ROBERT  
ALLEN  
GARTHWAITE  
III

"Keep ya head up" 2 Pac Great times w/ BS, BN, DB, BG, SV, GC, MA, DC, TK, AC, AG, SD, Sid, "DORK" Too much fun too little room. , finishing many 4 chapter books, Hippy down shore w/ \$10, cruizin' w/ da boyz, 187 on C.G. w.o. elbows, '96, Getting lost "Oh no Grand Union." 15 people in van, off roadin' in Bins, egg roll, 110 to shore, drive by's: Thanx Mom, Dad, Tracy, Bubba ILU





"My father constantly does good, and I'm following his example." (John 5:17) "I never think of the future. It comes soon enough." (Albert Einstein) I'll always remember the Deli, the Pool, Youth Group, the Prom and Insight. Thanks to my parents, Ant, Nick, Laura, Mel, and God. I love you all. Okay, enough of this sentimental stuff. I'M OUTTA HE-RE!!!



MICHAEL  
JOHN  
GUARDUCCI



HEATHER  
LYNN  
HAFER



"Don't wait for answers, just take your chances." KG, EG, JT, KW, MM, RP, LW, DD, DS, MB-CHACH! Kel-Highway driving, "Always something there to remind me!" Thanx 4 knowing me better than any 1-ILU! Trimmer-Hootchies! Partner in crime! Giff-"Careless Whispers!" Woj- Being my strength! Thanx Muss 4 being the bad girl w/ me! Totem-13 yrs. & counting! Lynn-"Summer '95!" Thanx all- ILU! Mom Robbie Courtney & Family-ILU!

"It's time to move on, time to get going, what lies ahead I have no way of knowing." C.V. (BF) (MD MD MB) smell? S.P. HEY 5S5, It's the 3 of us again! E.M. (Mommy), N.B., L.F., M.H., S.R., M.N. (Chat), TCBY w/ K.C. D.V.- Hk'n up! R.J. the many great talks (snow), Spain '96 J.A. (Huhh), Orange Girls, Mom, Dad, Jen I LOVE YOU!



JESSICA  
LYNN  
HAFFNER



MICHAEL  
JOHN  
HARDER



"Hey, don't break the mold kid, just eat around it, yeah that's what I did!" 311 Fun Times with C.M., D.D., M.S., J.P., B.B., D.C., J.B., J.C., G.C., J. T. M. D, D, J Crusin', late night Bell runs, partys at lookout & Gazebo. Death at Gary's house. "Clean that mess up" \$50 Hogtying at Terri's Kirby Dog! Mountain Dew, Science book explosions, downfall of the red ranger. Radio shack Mom, Dad, Rob, Jen, ILU!

"Live your life to the fullest between yesterday & tomorrow"- B. Streisand. 4 yrs. filled w/ great times w/ Beans II and Delpino Jr. Never forget 3 yrs. of great times at Condo #5. Great memories at Verona High w/ SP LF EM JH NB & CV. What laughs in 7th period Graphics. CGHS drive-bys. Look-Out '95 & '96- hiding under logs! Tripping over rocks- SPLIT MY PANTS! Thanks to good friends. And with all my heart, Mom Jenn Mike Chris & Dave ILU!



MARISSA  
ANN MARIE  
HOLLER



JOHN  
STEPHEN  
HUMPHRIES



I tried to look back to my past long lost- Rage. Good times Look Out, Gazebo, Split, halftime outalunch Pearl Jam. G.S.W. Prom Weekend Chach wiffat Gery's Gramos Da Gang B.D. P.W. N.T. all those long summer nights. City Trips. Is it Friday yet! St. Patti's Day Meg, Dina, Binz at lunch all the times we had a lot of fun. Good luck Guys. John



"The hardest to learn was the least complicated"- IG. Unforgettable memories w/ good friends- Toronto, Planoman, J-Ball, "cut-cut," Spain '96. My two best friends- Amanda & Erin- thanks for always being there & creating the best memories of my life. Jay- great laughs & crazy times. KB, KC, TH, SS, RD- forever friends. Cathy- UR always in my heart. Thanks Mom, Dad, Nana, Josh, Jordan & Cassy for your patience and love. I love you.



DANIELLE  
SARA  
IANNUZZI



KELLY  
ANN  
JACKSON



"It is chance that makes brothers but hearts that make friends." To all my friends- thanks for the wonderful memories! Laura, Whitney, Mass (Fico), Mindy, Josh, Daren, Caroline, Jenna, Anne, Janine (Mish), WOPAOLT, Dew! "Hakuna Matata!"- Pumbaa. Jesse- Thank you for making me so happy. I'll always love you! Cathy, Grandma- I miss you. Thanks, Mom, Dad, Maureen, Pumpkin- I love you!

"You never really leave a place you love. Part of it you take with you, leaving part of you behind." Unforgettable memories, unforgettable friends. DV: BFF, Carvel, Disney '95, ILU Frigment-Rosal 96: Spain, Prom, NYC, MDW, RSC! Justin: Forever in my heart. CV, NB, & all the rest, thanx for the laughs, ILU! Mom, Dad, Matt, Lauren, Elmo, you mean so much to me, I love you!



MELISSA  
LEIGH  
JOHNSON



SCOTT  
HARRIS  
KAPLAN



"Life is full of many different lessons to be learned, if you don't stop to look around for awhile you might miss them." "Scoot." "Bullet." Lots of fun times with: ED, DP, BO, BB, JH, NM, DD, RM, SS. B.'s house '96! Hump's house, Pep Rally '96! "Yes, I got the van!" Thanx Mom, Dad, and everyone else. THAT'S ALL FOLKS!

"I'm in this prison you built for you, in this situation I don't know what to do." (Op. Ivy) Politics every day with kids from the Clair, R.I. N.P. J.B. and Robo the fiend. My Buds are kind that's why I luv 'em. "If ignorance is bliss then wipe the smile from my face." Zack de laRocka. Goodbye and keep it skanky.



BRIAN  
JOSEPH  
KELLY



MELISSA  
LYNNE  
KOES



"Turns out not where but who you're with that really matters." D.M.B. Great times w/ Great friends- Chrissy, Jenna, Amy, Kim, always remember B.P. 4/26/96 P.J. concert, Anti-WOPAOLT, Playdays, stalking, "Now we're cruising", Crash, Prom '96, Pizza-Hut, Princesses, Junior Lunch, Hotline Tour '96, Foodtown Stakeouts, Peeps, Thanks Mrs. P., Mom, Dad, Lindsay, Jill, Andrew, Nanny, Pop. Thanks for everything- ILU





HELEN  
KOUTOUZAKIS



DANIELLE  
KIMBERLY  
LARDIERI



"Life is ours, we live it our way".  
METALLICA. Best times w/ best  
friends- TW, AM, MW, ALF, KZ.  
Most memorable: Prom wkend  
'96- 1 Time! TW= WIGGALS!  
Penguin? CS- Where's Mr. Miagi?  
KAZ-our food language SB=  
BEAN! Gr. Adv. w/ MW, BG, BD,  
AM- Remember the skyride?  
MW- fruit in the oven? V-ball '96-  
Monk 11-teen! RICE- LUH-  
RHON!! Mom, Dad, Nicole- ILU!  
Later all- I'm OUTTA HERE!

"All we are is wasting hours until  
the sun comes up it's all ours."  
Great times w/ Diggs Buzza Wea-  
sel Smitty Nigs Hoggie Hess &  
Paul F. Mem Prom wknds '96-  
"Hogathon" M&M's Vinney  
Boombotz NYC Trips Snow Day-  
The Good DR. Cookout W&W  
split, lot Zebo, Res, Runs Genesis:  
1:2 G.C's Garage "Bowling Buds"  
Buffalo S.S. Beth F., Dorrie,  
Jamie Remember Hockey Trips  
w/ BR-Justine ILU Thanx Mom  
Dad Phil ILU!



NICHOLAS  
MICHAEL  
LODATO



LAURA LEE  
DIANE  
LUBRANO



"The best and most beautiful  
things in the world cannot be  
seen nor touched but are felt  
in the heart." HK. To all my friends,  
thank you for all the memories. I  
will cherish them always and never  
forget the times we had together.  
All my love to KZ, MM, JM,  
CS, AF, DL, AM, TW, MW, MG,  
WB, CS, LF, JM. "If you have  
one true friend you have more  
than your share." Never forget  
Kelly (Jackie). Mom, Dad, John,  
and Denise, I Love You Always.

"The team player knows that it  
doesn't matter who gets the cred-  
it as long as the job gets done."  
Soccer, basketball, softball Great  
times w/ T.R., N.S., M.M., -Prom,  
bowling, JEEP, Mem Day Wkd  
Thanks N.A Suzie- Seaside '95,  
OB3'96, late talks, sisters  
through good & bad BFF. Matt  
my missing 1/2. Missy AZ shore.  
2nd family DiStefano's, Thanks  
Nan's, Ray, Bonzo, Bib B I Love  
You (Dip)



KELLY  
BESS  
LYNCH



MELISSA  
MARIE  
MANGANO



"Life has a New meaning when  
you have the past to remember  
and the future to look forward  
to." Thanks Mom, Dad, Naun, I  
Love You! (A.J.T.)



"Does it ever strike you that life is like a list of answers, in which you have to glean or even make up the questions yourself?" Ives Assorted fun things I don't remember. "Nick and Levy Show," 7 1/2 Spotlight Shows etc. Thanks for everything Mom, Dad, Joe, Dan, Victoria. Thanks also to Ollie, B and Guttenburg, no wait, Willis.



NICHOLAS  
ROBIN  
MATHERS



ANNE  
NAGI  
MECHAEL

"The best thing you've ever done for me is to help me take my life less seriously; It's only life after all!" I.G. B.F.F. Theresa Wiggles, Amy- Amas, Danny! "D" 1 time- Blimpie, Mat Always and Forever. Mat's House, Squad, CC: Hilton Head; SC, Prom wd '96, LBI, SH, A. City, V-ball- MW, SP, WB, KJ, CC, JM. Late night talk w/ MM, TW, DL, AF, JD, ES. Special Thanks to Mom, Dad, Sandy, and Patty.



HAZEM  
MEGAHED



JONATHAN  
ALAN  
MEYER

"And we'll just hang on, and we'll make it, make it through." Blues Traveler. Club 44, Lord Astor, Gary's part I & II, Camps part I & II. Traveler, PHISH I & II, G.S.W., Almans, Wiffleball, No Man's, Watering Hole, Hobbit Land, NYC New Years Eve w/ Gil & Gary Pre Game BBQ's, 3-man, "I see my Dad everywhere!" New Years Eve at Bob's Mom, Dad, Josh Thanx- I Love You



"These are the days, the sweetest days we'll know." So many memories with the greatest friends a girl could ask for. Kim, Melissa, Chrissy, Amy (Laning Crew)- friends to the end- ILU always! Great times with KJ, WB, CT, JM and so many others. BP 4/26/96, Camping, New Year's '96, Pilgrim, Mom Dad Rob Nanny Dixie's Duffy- ILU! "We can't become what we want to be by staying who we are."



JENNA  
HALL  
MINUTOLI



ERIN  
PATRICIA  
MORAN

"Life is partly what we make it, and partly what is made by the friends we choose" S.P., N.B., L.F., C.V., J.H., & M.H.. Thanks for helping me change and loving me for who I am! E.S.- my buddy John- Thanks 4 everything Chris- ILU Mom, Dad, Daddy, Margaret, Andrea, & T.J. Thanks for leading me in the right direction. I hope I've made you proud. ILU!





"If ignorance is bliss, than knock this smile off my face." Beave's Austrian Empire Radios crackling to life. Green/Red Dragon/Griffon Inn. Dew. Push the Butth! Table dancer. Pizza hut. Stuffed crust. Stuart. Sembia forever. fluffy, Dicker, Joe, Daren, Harder, Betzler always fight the machine.



CHRISTOPHER  
PAUL  
MOXLEY



MELISSA  
LESLEY  
MUSSER

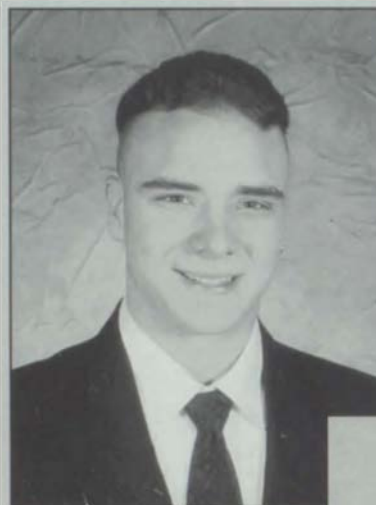


"I get by with a little help from my friends"- Beatles. Moving to Verona. Crazy nicknames. Trips down the shore. CHACH HH, KG, EG, JT, MB, RP, DD, WOJ Hangin' with the crew. -Twaty. Mom, Dad, Cris, and Jen ILU I will miss and remember you all. "Upon us all a little rain must fall"- Zeppelin.

"Kill this"...who's going on the run"...from early "experiences" at the park to the Golf course and Look-out... the sessions were all worth it! GC, BD, PW, NT, JM and Co. Thanx. Special thanks to Ross, Habib, and IDEAL. Prom Weekend? Allman Brothers, and Phish. Grateful Dead... Pink Floyd remains the best. Good Luck and thanx- Gary, Bob, Paul, and Jerry.



ANDRE  
MUTOVIC



BRYAN  
JOSEPH  
NIGRO



"If they say you can't do it, you know its worth doing" Hi Guys. Great times w/ DB, BG, BS, TK, RG, AC, PB, GC, Sid, SS, RM, NT, SV, PW. "DORK" SNO. Scanga down shore w/ \$10, Sea-side Gangplank. Ho-Ho Kus, El-bows Mendum Journey. Cruzin, "Are those home grown" 187 on CG & WO, H.F.C Driveby's Snake road, Thanks Mom Dad Tim Kim Sam ILU, Bye Guys

I'm scared! Good Luck to the Class of '97. Riss- thanks for being there. NL- Best Budz, PF- Take care JH- Talks with Jess. Best of times w/ da crew- NL MD BS JA NG PB DT DC and the gals: JH EM MH SP NB/ Look-out- Split/ Gazebo E.H. C.C. & R.S. C.C. Thanks for everything Mr. Meyer. Mom, Dad, Grandma, Grandpa, Annie, Danny Anthony, Love You.



MARC  
ROBERT  
NIGRO



BRIAN  
JOHN  
OLIVER



"C'mon one lap around, it'll be a funky adventure"- Kramer. Hang-ing out with Bib B, NM, ED, DP, and JK, Brad's Apartment. I can't stop laughing! Scott's Hot Tub Party. Lot, Lookout, and strip poker. VCP with KW, KB, ED, and KC. Mom, Dad, Emerill, Carly, and Robin ILU. "I'm out there baby and I'm loving every minute of it!"



The living deserve respect the dead only the Truth. ILU Mom, Lisa, Dad, Mike, Sue, Dave, Chris, Daren, Laura. No more lies.



JOSEPH  
UMBERTO  
PANZARIELLO



MITUL  
PATEL

\*All their moaning and whinning and drowning at sea for while they're busy pining I'm busy being me\*- Joe Queen. T.B. Zoo Show. Summer in Paris '96. Life in a Bungalow! Bouncing Souls. Thanks to the beautiful Deanna R. Michelle Pfeiffer for being Catwoman, and anyone who sings & dances. Ska shows w/ Suzi S, Valerie P, Ris W, Jason S, Dave H, & others. Dr. Punk. Uncle Skunk Hepcat. Mom, Dad, & Sister- ILU!



"I always knew that looking back on the tears would someday make me laugh. But I, never knew looking back on the laughter, would someday make me cry." Unforgettable times with unforgettable friends. MH (B.F.) EM, NB, CF, JH, CV, JH & CV, It's the 3 of us again! Orange girls. Thanks for everything guys! we made it! EM when's the wedding? Chris- I LUV YOU!! Mom, Dad, Jamie, thanks for everything! I love you.



SANDRA  
JEAN  
PETERSON



CHRISTINA  
ANN  
PIONTEK

I had a lot of good times here at VHS. Good luck to the class of '98. Best of luck to Mr. Cesa and Mr. Robertson. Angel, thanks for being there for me and I hope we stay friends throughout our journey in life. C.A., I will always remember the good times we had together.



"You want a room w/ a view; you need ideas for walls." MWHats. Mit-NYCska. Camp-football. Smit-chops. Hess-Goulash good. Nicole-prom, scary me. Shauna-noochies. Erica-"I'm scared." KS+the pump. DV-6 wierd yrs. Jay+ everything. JA, MD, MJ,DT,SP,KC,KB,EDi hop. Brookdale's 9. Mom, Dad, Ken, Darrell, Aubs, Mags... thanks for listening and understanding. ILU "The ones I respect the most are those who make me laugh."



COLLIN  
KEITH  
PISARRA



RACHEL  
JEAN  
POLE

"Live every moment, love every day because before you know it, your precious time slips away." Great times w/ CHACH HH,OD,JJ,MS,EG,KG,LW,KW. Without you, I know not where I'd be. Hanging out at Giff's house. CHACH '95 F.N. Brown Lawn animals Prom wknd '96 through all the tears throughout the years you've stood right by my side. Scott- Always + Forever in my heart. ILU Mom, Dad, Jon ILU + Thanx.





"When you feel you're back where you started and your troubles haven't departed. A deja-vu of yesterday won't make your problems go away." Gill's Gig "Getty" Brad's Apartment Split lookout Gazebo triangle Bambl's dead! "Fox" Prom '95 Soccer Track Nice Tatoo ED BB BO JH BU SK SS SM DC Good luck class of '97 Thanx Family ILU Mom Dad and Kids. See Ya! Pritch.



DANIEL  
JOSEPH  
PRITCHARD



PHYLLISANN  
ANGEL  
RUSSO

Those people who tell you not to take chances they are all missing on what life is all about. You only live once so take hold of the chance, don't end up like the others. Smae song and dance. I am Angel know me and never forget me. A very special thanks to my family ILU Mom Dad Rocky Pets Chrissy P.



"You're trying my shoes on for a change. They look so good, but fit so strange." ND My great friends NB,GB,MB,MW,CP,DS. Without you guys I'm nothing. Summer of '96 V/CG crew. CHACH. "Cause I'm keepin' it real!" And to everyone else who has influenced my life, Thanx! Mom, Dad, and Andrew ILU! Jay you're the best.



SHAUNA  
SACCHI



DIANA  
MICHELLE  
SALGADO

"You're never gonna survive unless you get a little crazy!" Seal. Never forget the good x's w/ KG HH KW NB SS GB EG RP AS JT MB BS MM DC DMC? Maybe. CHACH! Pep '95 EXPO EM NB L.I. W.W. TLCA MN BS LF CV Whatever! JH SP, PB, ILU always, never 4-get U! Daddy I miss U, ILU and I'll always be your little girl! Angelo, Mike, Ray, Paul, Nilda, Mom ILU!!!



"Time is the beauty of the road being long" Traveler. Endless Nights Lookout. Split, Course, Lot, Gramo's, Gary's, BD,PW,BS,GC,NT,AM,DC,JM, Chach. Shows- BT, Phish, GSW, Allmans, Horde. Prom '96, shore, skiing, Ideals, Caprice. Janice- I'll always remember the fun we had. ILU. "Dreams we dreamed at night, were never meant to come to life." Mom, Dad, Kim, Thanks ILU.



ADRIAN  
KEVIN  
SANCHO



BRIAN  
JOSEPH  
SCANGA

"The only sure thing about luck is that it will change" Good times at VHS with my Boyz. DEVILS 95 Cup Champs CG/187 Gazebo Lookout Split Blinx Always MV/96 SNO/96 Paul B's Backyard/ B-B-Qing at Sanch's HFC with Sean 5.0 UAAC Good Times with Good Friends Thanks Mom Dad Jeff Lisa Deni for all your support through the years.





"All that we see or seem, is but a dream within a dream," Poe. Good times w/ JC, NS, Smit, Diggs, Fish, PB, NG, NT, BG. Prepresent J.V. Prom '96 B&BP, Biff for Tex. Girth '96" Draft Get out! Stang I Love you all! Mom, Dad, Joe, Jeanette, Mandy & Steps. Memories Past Present & Future pass with me always & forever. Thanks for everything.



ROBERT  
JEFFREY  
SHAHER



DENISE  
SIBIGA



"From the womb to the tomb, presume the unpredictable." Great times with Hess, Diggs, Weasel, Da Fish, Buzza, Camper, Pisano, Hoggie, Nigs, and Meyer. NYC x2, Busted Mem. Wkd. '96, Smkn. Grooves, Muscle of the Tayloreone Crime Family, Treak Week '96, F.L.K 4 yrs., Football, Basketball, Baseball, "Who's Brian Bartona?" "Time for me to move on but I'll never forget where I'm from." Mom, Dad, Jess ILU.



BRIAN  
MACARTHUR  
SMITH



CHRISTINA  
JEANNE  
SPENCER



"Well this is our story and we're stuck with it." Memories with Amy and Theresa- Girl's Night Out, hours on the phone. Friends forever, ILU. PromWeekend '96 with DL and Mr. Miagi. Spain '96 with LL. WOPAOLT forever!! Lion King! Go fish! Great friends GF, LF, KJ, KZ, especially TO-ILU all. Thanks to everyone. Mommy, Diddy, Matty, Rhubarb, Grandmother, Grandpa. You mean the world to me. I love you.

"Don't explain, your friends don't need and your enemies won't believe it anyway." TOP, Do the Dew, Table Dancer, Dave 4, furniture 1, lake house, Flipping Mass on the tube, Pizza Hut, Stuffed crust, The Woody. Thanks for a great four years-DC, CM, DD, JP, MG, MR, JH, MH, KJ, JK, NM, VS, SY, JA, CV, WB, JC and everyone else. Good luck to all I leave behind... I'll be back. Thank you and I love you Mom, Dad, and Erica.



MICHAEL  
WILLIAM  
STRAUS



CAROLINE  
PAULINE  
STREICHER



"Answers are getting harder, there's no way to bargain; barter, if you've got angst; arder, you might faint from the fight but you'll find it; every challenge has paradise behind it, if you accept what you lost and stand tall, you'll get it back, you'll get it all." -BT. Friends- Thanks for the wonderful times. Cathy- ILU & miss you, Craig- ILU always; Mom, Dad, Adam, thanks for the support. ILU.



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CHRISTEN  
MARIE  
TASSIN



DANIEL  
C.  
TAYLOR

"There are many here among us who feel that life is but a joke." Four insane? years. H.O.R.D.E. Groves Mountain Bike Journey I.D.?! PHISH, DIGGS, Buzza, Smitty, Hess, Nick, Help me home! New York City... Sheek out!! 4th FIESTAS Diggs 8th grade Taylorlone crime family Brian S? Riding Nick \$10,000+ Bay after school sports with Nat. LOVE MOM DAD CHRISTY



"I'm still Alive" Pearl Jam. ED, NB, LN- Toronto, Florida, Lollapalooza '96, Jingleball, PEARL JAM, Sea Bright, Summer '95 & more. Thanks to all who got me through my dreadful soph. year-esp. KB, LF- we all miss you, Cathy, Regina, Sara, Jim- thanks for always being there. Danielle, BF's forever, through good & bad, ILU. Mom & Steve, thanks for everything. Dad, Dee, Kris & Joey, Marsha & Crew- you've all put up with me. ILU.



AMANDA  
LEE  
TONE



NICHOLAS  
ROBERT  
TOOMBS

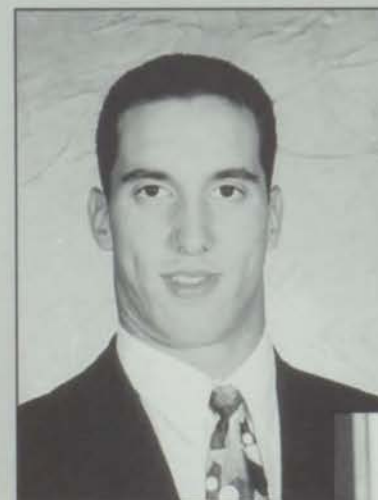
"It's like a jungle, sometimes it makes me wonder, how I keep from goin' under."- GMF. I wanna say peace to all my homiez, U-know-who-U-R. Great times at Lookout, Split, golf course- Partyin' at Dr. Steve's, Senior Night Out. To the Class of 97, follow your dreams. "See ya when I see ya, Peace."- ML.



"Sometimes you've just gotta let it ride; the world is changing right before your eyes."- Eagles. Best of times with best friends KW, MM, EG, DG, HH. I'll never forget you guys RP, DS, DD, MB, LW. Thanx for always being there ILU- LASI- E.D. Adrian- Thanx for all the great memories remember you always & forever ILU! Dad, Mom, & Amorlie- Thank you for being my support. ILU.



JANICE  
S.  
TRIMMER



JOSEPH  
VECE

Thank God it's over! I'm gone! Good luck class of '97. Best times hanging out with the team and the coaches. Thanks for all your support from teachers and everyone else. Good luck best friends MG, MN, AN, BS, JM. Thanks and luv ya always Mom, Dad, Elena. Couldn't have done it without you. Good-bye VHS, real world here I come!





"Friendships are hard to find, hard to leave, & impossible to forget." To my unforgettable friends, JH (bf), EM (pic), SP, LF, NB (bp), MH, MJ, DV (ib), & KC, there were just too many great x's. JH & SP- "It's just the 3 of us again." Jess S.- friends till the end- "let's just eat them one day" Brian- Thanx for making these past 2 years wonderful- I love you! Mom, Dad, Frank & Larry- you guys are the best- ILU.



CARLA  
ANN  
VELARDI



DANIELLE  
CORINNE  
VILLAROSA

"Why walk when you can run?" So many memories, so many friends- BFF Melissa: Carvel, 22, FRAGMENT!- Disney '95 "Thank you for being a friend" URAQT, ILU. IB! (CV) Jess- HK'n up!-luv ya- To the rest of my pals- thanks for all the laughs. R.S.C.! '96: SPAIN? Prom, NYC, MDW. Dad, Mom, Kathleen, Robert, Devin, Mike, T.J- Thanks and I love you. "Welcome to your life, there's no turning back..." Good luck to all.



P.J. '96 Horde '96 Allman Brothers '96 Trips to Sanitarium Look-out Golf Course Gramo's 1-10 Glendale Motel Gary's House Jourdan's Basement NYC car Jacking July, 4-Split Clam Bar 4:20 Getty Caprice Raves Prom Weekend Bell at 4:00 a.m. "It's better to burn out than to fade away"- N. Young. B.D., C.G., M.M., J.C., J.B., B.G., A.S., A.M., N.T. Mom Barbara Margaret Dave Jon Brande ILU



PAUL  
DONALD  
WATKINS



MONIKA  
IRENE  
WNEKOWICZ

"Sad how some friendships never ever seem to end." Blues Traveler. LL, KL, SS, Ongie, Clambar, CHACH; New Year's '94-DL; V-Ball-(7-11-teen); Stick, Rock & Can- PW & BD; Prom '96-Shore; Soccer, Lookout, Gramo's Part...?, Baaa..., Phish '95, Horde '96, Caprice, Iggy, Sky Ride-GA; "Dee"; Bobby-love you forever, 11/22/95; Mom, Dad, Christian, William, Isabelle-Thanks for all your love & support, I love you!



"In the end there's a new beginning." Always remember WOPAOLT-AF, CS, KJ, KZ, & TW. Good friends DL, AM, MK, CC, JM, MW, MM, JA, DC, LL, WB, CS, JM, LW. V-Ball injuries, Prom '96-one time! Little man in boat! Baby Chubb, "Wiggles," Toga Party, RICE LUH RONI, Tahoe parking, "Squeeze, squeeze," yellow room, Big Boy, KLOCKS, Christmas caroling. Mom, Dad, Family-ILU. Mat- ILU. A&F- Kisyur.



THERESA  
ANNE  
WOHLRABE



KATHRYN  
MARY  
WOJTAL

To all the teachers who enhanced my mind and the friends and family who enlightened my soul. Thank you. HH, MM, KG, EG, FT, MB, LW, RP, MA, LB, TH. Unforgettable memories: CHACH '95-97, Giff's room, F.N., Lot, soccer, basketball, softball, M.Band. The friendships and memories made will remain always regardless of where life may take me. Mom, Dad, James, Liz, Meghan, Matthew-Thank you for your love and support-! LUV U.





"When lifes problems steal the show, wrap them up, let them go." Never forget great times... 129, 7 wds., "say-goodbye," P.J, Summer '95, Pre-hockey, Softball, PKWY/FB 8-16-96, Spain, CHACH, "Ladies-Night," "down on it," AT, SF, CS, Thanks for being there! "Celebrate, because life's short but sweet for certain." Mom, Dad, fam., ILU! Thanks for your strength, Gramm. "Let this flag burn to dust."



LYNN  
MARY  
WYROVSKY



"All the flowers of all the tomorrows are in the seeds of today." Jenna-Pilgrim, driving, camping. Melissa-"I'm playing over here." WOPAOLT-stay weird. Chrissy + Caroline-French + camping. Shenzi-"I drink mild now but I don't eat cheese anymore." Janine, Whitney, Laura, Monika, Christen, M.G., D.A., M.R., A.M., M.M., L.W., L.F.-fabulous times. Best wishes Class of '97! Thanks teachers, Mom, Dad, Grandparents, Karen + Bonnie.



KIMBERLY  
ANN  
ZIPF



BRIAN  
WILLIAM  
ZICKERMAN



My mind was always such a switch board But now the many crossed and tangled lines are just bored to tears. A seed in the Peace & quiet pipe of society. 4 Q. I may change my mind but I'll always be right. All my Earthly love to Oscar, Katl, Laura and Mike. Much puke to the Rest...  
ARRGH.....

Not Pictured: Robert Montalvo, Natalia Perrotta,  
Haendel Zamor







Sandy Peterson and Marissa Holler get "down and dirty" while quading in New York. Modeling their new "Ink Slingers" tee-shirts, Laura Lubrano and Monika Wnekowicz pose for the camera. Mets fans, Dan Taylor and Nick Lodato, spend the day at Shea Stadium. After a long day of hiking, Chrissy Cocchiola and Amy Friedman relax on a rock.



# Elementary Years





At the Ceramic Nook, Collin Pissarra shows off his project while Michelle Benimeli quietly finishes hers. Inseparable since third grade, Nicole Baguer and John Alati take a break from the party. Rachel Pole, Melissa Johnson, Heather Hafer and Amanda Tone have a ball at their first sleepover.





On his way out the door, Dave Baker is surprised by the camera. On the eight-hour bus ride to Busch Gardens, Dave Camp, Dave Bachan, and Brad Burguillos entertain the crowd. Marc Nigro attempts to regain his composure after setting sail for the Statue of Liberty.







Michelle Benimeli takes a turn at the mike to serenade her friends. On the *Spirit of New Jersey*, Collin Pisarra, Brian Smith, and Jon Meyer admire the motion of the ocean. The "mini bus" awaits a field trip for Regina DeRosa, Erin Drury, Danielle Iannuzzi, Katie Clancy, Janice Trimmer, Emily Gaffney, Katie Wojtal, Kristin Burgess, Jessica Haffner, Erica DePalo, and Kelly Lynch.





Nick Lodato shows Dan Taylor what's growing in Val's greenhouse. Two creative minds, Marc Nigro and Anthony Condorelli, take a break from Mrs. Young's writing assignment. At the Y.O.U. dance, John Alati, Danielle Villarosa and Emily Gaffney wait around for a better song. Melissa Mangano and Danielle Lardieri make last minute preparations on their speech.



# High School Years





Anne Mechael and Mike Harder cram for a test. Friends, Heather Hafer, Amanda Tone and Rachel Pole, are all smiles for the camera. At the prom, Melissa Johnson and Collin Pisarra anxiously await the next slow song. Diane Salgado gives Pete Burgess a piggy back ride around the bases at the softball tournament.





Supermodel Johanna Alati works it for the crowd. They're creepy and they're spooky, mysterious and kooky, the Addams Family (Collin Pizarra, Diane Salgado, Shauna Sacchi, Nicole Baguer, Erin Moran). Your favorite chocolate candies (Amanda Tone, Erin Drury, Danielle Iannuzzi) come to life at VHS. These two dolls (Lauren Fernicola and Sandy Peterson) always have time for a hug.



# Halloween

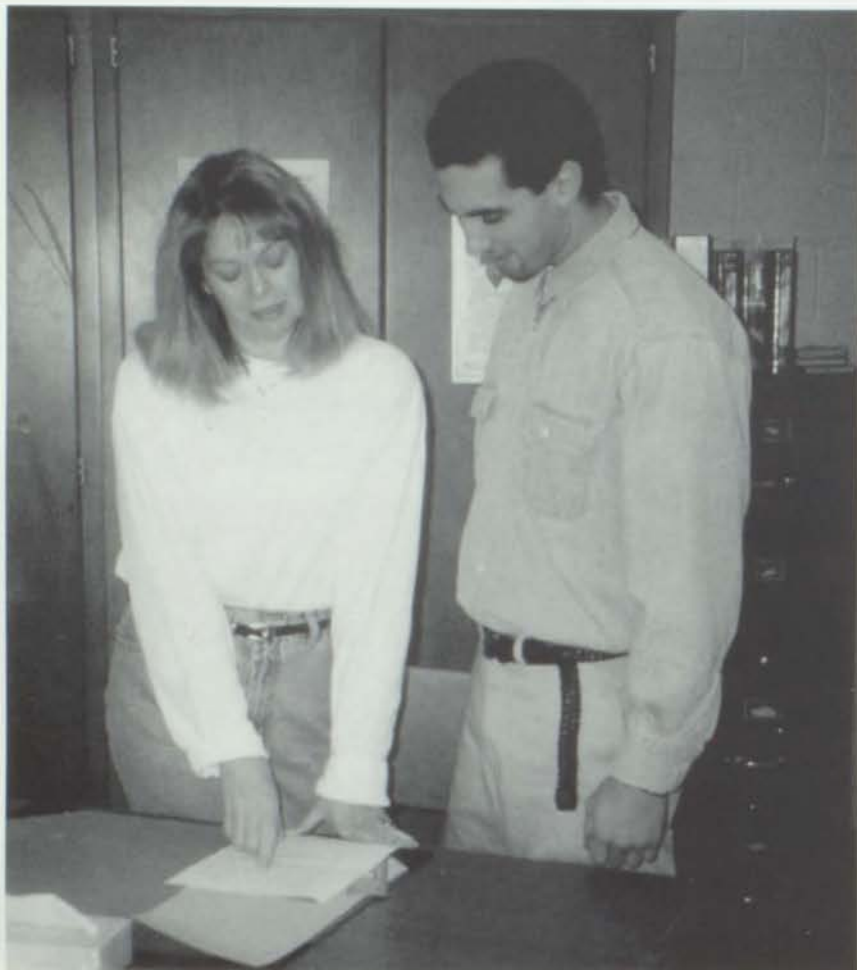




Madame Butterfly (Michelle Benimeli) spreads her wings and flies high. "Bon Jour" says the Pink Panther (Ms. Warshaw) to Mr. Minnie Mouse (Mass Gallinoni), president of the French club. Hi ho, hi ho, it's off to class these seven dwarfs (Katie Wojtal, Rachel Pole, Heather Hafer, Melissa Musser, Kelly Garland, Janice Trimmer and Emily Gaffney) go.



After four years of participation in the Verona High School band, Nick Mathers holds Mr. Tittle in the highest regard. Mrs. DeVita, pictured here with Joe Vece, works to provide assistance to her students on a day to day basis. The God of Journalism (otherwise known as Mr. White) is worshipped by his humble staff.



# Student-Teacher Bonding



Lola Fayanju and Mrs. Fryer have developed a close-knit relationship through both academics and activities. Yearbook and Fairviewer Graphic Design editor Mike Straus was influenced by Mr. Nedrow's instruction. Ms. Warshaw shares both advice and knowledge with her student, Kelly Jackson, Vice-President of the French Honor Society.







'With such  
a comrade,  
such a friend,  
I fain would wa  
till journey's e





Through summer  
sunshine, winter rain,  
And then?  
Farewell we  
shall meet again.



# C l o w



Katie Wojtal ends another hard day's work... "Let's go for a piggyback ride," yells Eric Dimeck to Brad Burguillos... Brian Scanga, Dave Bachan and Bob Garthwaite claim to "Hear no evil, See no evil and Speak no evil"... Zick says "Nobody touch this, it's my favorite racquet"... At TIGS, Katie Clancy and Kristin Burgess prepare to attack... The Seniors get together and Pa-aartay.





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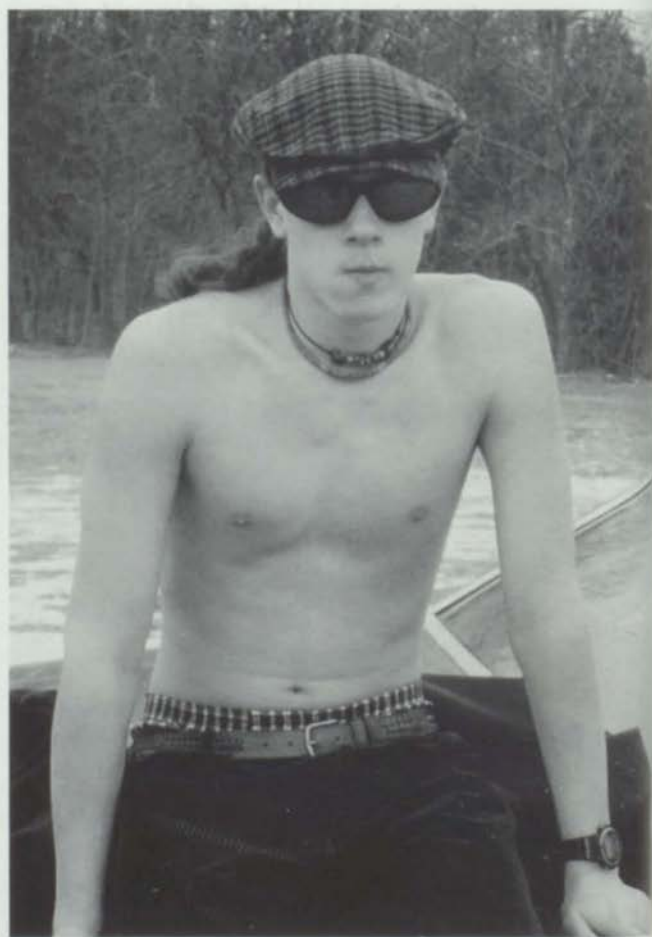
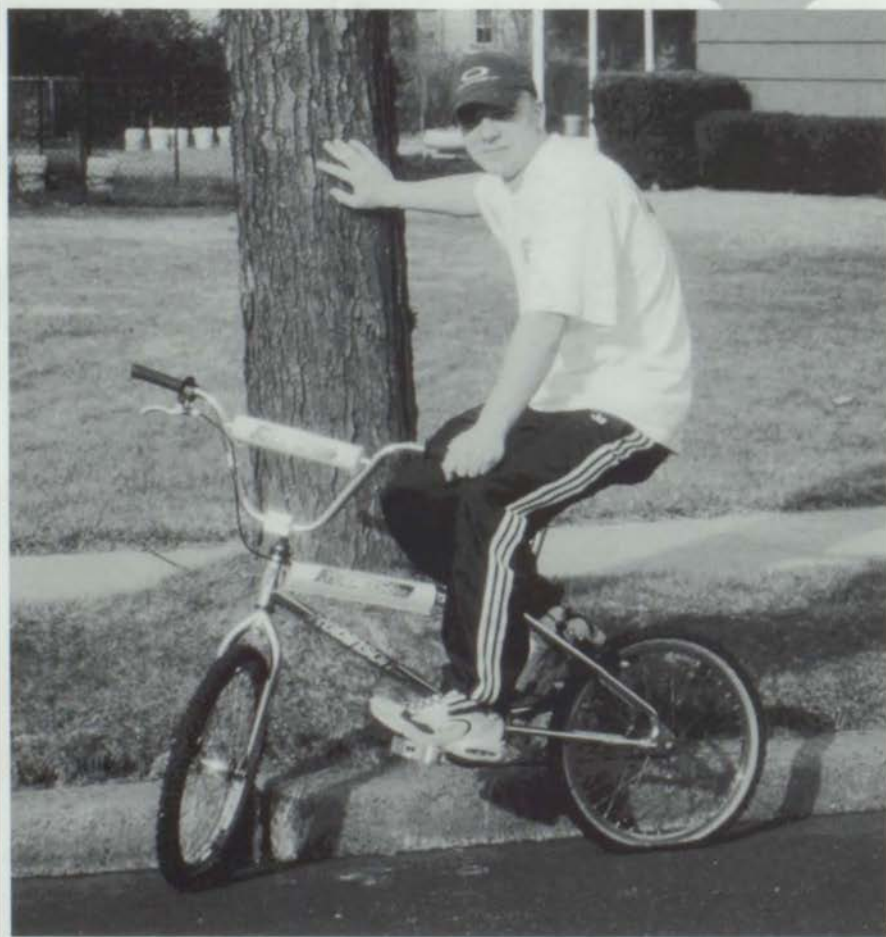
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# What If . . .

What  
If... Kelly  
Garland didn't  
drive like she was Indy  
500 material... Dave Dick-  
man didn't have a ferocious  
sneeze... Danielle Lardieri wasn't  
"D"... Joe Panzariello met a cobra he  
couldn't tame... Bob Shafer couldn't give you a  
price check on Chapstick... Carla Velardi wasn't  
blonde at heart... Dave Baker couldn't carry a tune...  
Marissa Holler never told a tale... Shauna Sacchi had complete  
thoughts... Handel Zamor couldn't run like the dickens... Erin Moran  
wasn't Kelly Kapowski... Lola couldn't spell Harvard... Emily Gaffney  
didn't love men... Christina Spencer got suspended... Melissa Musser wanted a  
what if... Amanda Tone was punctual... Christina Plontek never met Phyllisann  
Russo... Lauren Fernicola didn't drive the Hootie and Nat Gambuzza did... Hess wasn't in his  
fourth senior year... Rod Trafford, Matt DiStefano, and Dan Casella weren't traitors... Ollie  
wasn't so sexy... Collin Pizarra didn't like "Goulash"... Jessica Haffner didn't sweat... Diane  
Salgado wasn't a New York City cab driver... Nick Toombs wasn't "Jer"... Kristin Burgess had acne...  
Clam Bar didn't know the way to Newark... Katie Clancy still used swimmyies... Melissa Johnson didn't have an  
obsession with Elmo... Mark DiRoma spoke as smooth as Barry White... Monika W's name was phonetic... Bob  
Desantis still had the Caprice... Nicole Baguer was six feet tall and Sandy Peterson wasn't... Chach wasn't always together...  
John Alati wasn't Mr. GQ... Dave Camp hated Wendy's... Janice Trimmer wasn't the "Hoochie Mama"... Caroline Streicher  
never smiled... Scott Kaplan's car worked... Gary Collins didn't have a garage... Regina DeRosa actually went to detention...  
Daren Clancy was nervous... Dooch liked being called Dooch... Zick was called Brian... "Look-out" never got raided . . .



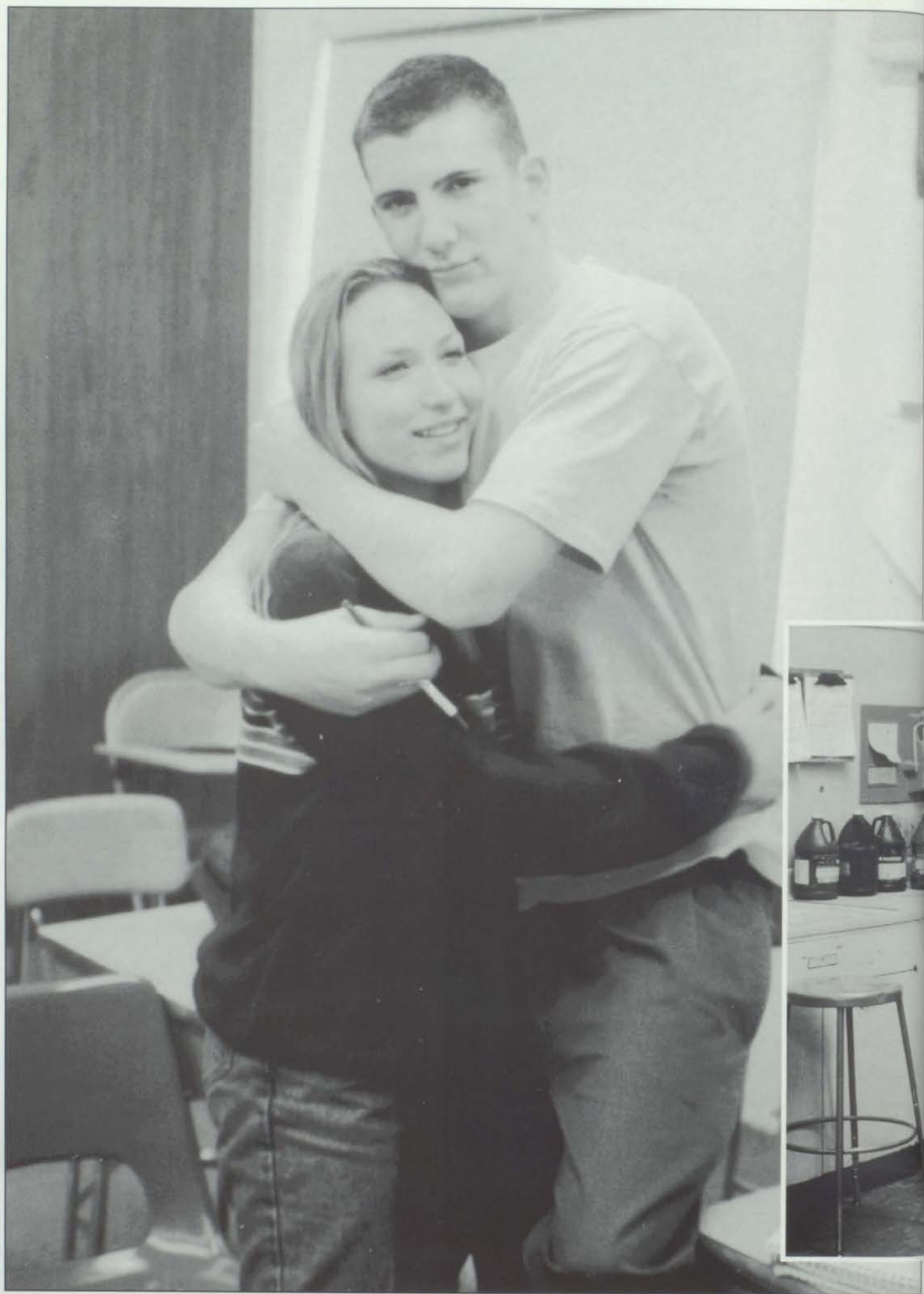




What if... Torrie Flach never tipped a cow... *Brian Scanga wasn't the tri-state Casanova...* Anthony Condorelli had a neck... Katie Wojtal conformed... Bob Garthwaite used the asphalt instead of the grass... Danielle Villarosa threw like a girl... Mike Straus had a Commodore 64... Chris Moxley didn't walk with pride... Eric Dimeck went to the Dark Side of the Force... Lynn Wyrovsky wasn't organized... Kim Zipf worked at Native Art... Theresa Wohlrabe didn't help out... Andre Mutovic couldn't scam... Jon Meyer could say it and not spray it... Melissa Koes hated to shop... Chrissy Cocchiola married Eddie Vedder... Scott Dusenbury ever woke up... Amy Friedman didn't squeak... Massimiliano Gallinoni was as American as apple pie... The Senior Girls never said "Easy" or "Hook-up"... Kelly Jackson wasn't so Arroyoriffic... Laura Lubrano lost her temper... Phil Kelly's name was really Brian... *Bryan Nigro's mode of transportation was still his BMX...* Erica DePalo believed, "If you don't have anything nice to say, don't say anything at all"... Nick Lodato wasn't Fish... Mike Harder didn't have a sweet tooth... Heather Hafer wasn't the seventh member of the Village People... Kelly Lynch didn't know Pilgrim Diner... Mike Gannon wasn't car crazy... Corrinne Dapuzzo and Dina DeFilippo never met... Jenna Minutoli didn't have a creative bone in her body... Milton Chua never heard of Lakeside... Rachel Pole wasn't Clueless... Dan Pritchard didn't have a tattoo... Brad Burguillos never stormed out of class... Mitul Patel went to lookout... *Paul Watkins ever wore a shirt...* Adrian Sancho didn't shrug and mumble... Michelle Benimeli wasn't so Grateful... Marc Nigro never said "Buhr-e-uhr-ee"... Christen Tassin never made it to Broadway... Geovana Barnave couldn't dance... Erin Drury and Danielle Ianuzzi weren't Bert and Ernie... The Goof Troop ran out of gas... The Class of '97 wasn't so Slammin'

# You Never Know!







# UNDERCLASSMEN

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# Class of

James Aldworth  
Jennifer Amadeo  
Marissa Antolino  
Charles Armstead  
Andrew Baker  
Justin Baker



Jamie Banghart  
Jeffrey Bennett  
Joseph Benyo  
Andrew Beuttler



Seth Blender  
Jeffrey Borja  
Cathleen Braun  
Katherine Bronnenkant



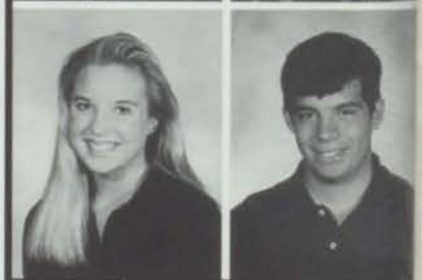
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Ryan Bush  
Nicole Carollo  
Melissa Carsillo



Nicholas Catena  
Jennifer Cecire



Amanda Checchetto  
Robert Chiappone





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Christopher Chua  
Kathleen Cirello  
David Conlan  
Laura Crudele  
Andrea DeLisi  
Marissa DeLuca



Nicole DeMaio  
Kevin DeMasi-Johnson  
Dana DePalo  
Anthony Devizio



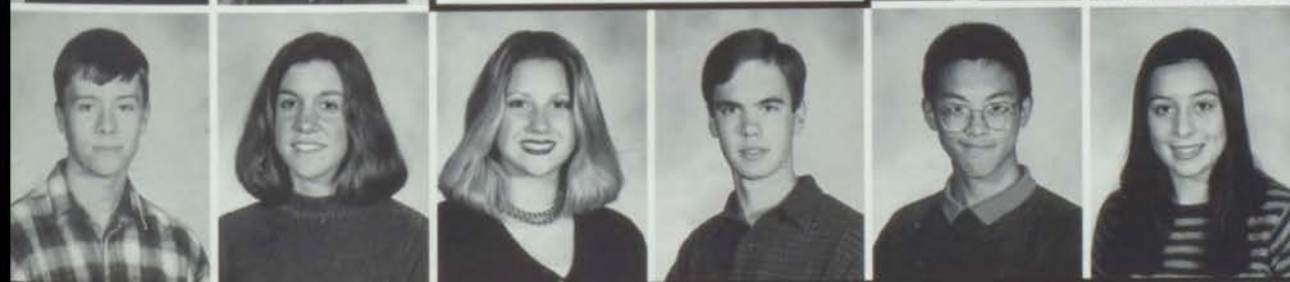
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Jamie Errico  
Sarah Federico



Paul Ferloni  
Brian Ferrel  
Justin Fiory  
Martin Francesco  
Dashiell Fryer  
Suzanne Gaccione



Adam Gerenstein  
Kerry Goodwin  
Paolo Grefal  
Anthony Guarducci



Thomas Hayes  
Kristine Hill  
Jennifer Hoffman  
Joshua Hunnex  
Ehren Hwang  
Rachel Jacobs



Anthanasios Kikos  
Theodore Klingert  
Matthew Kloss  
Richard Kuzsma  
Jonathan Lango  
Joanne Lenihan



Milena Leznicki  
Levy Lorenzo  
Danielle Love  
David Lubanski  
Melissa Matthews  
Megan McAleer



## *"If I Could Have Anything . . ."*

When the Junior class was asked, "What one thing would you like a senior to leave you after graduation?" some of their responses were:

- "A key to the locked bathroom." - Oscar Velez
- "Mark Nigro's football skills and strength." - Anthony Nigro
- "John Alati's leadership qualities." - Lauren Ercolano
- "Amanda Tone's schedule." - Laurie Bush
- "Erin Moran's clothes." - Dana DePalo
- "Paul Watkins's 8-track stereo." - Phil Zaks
- "Kristin Burgess's grades." - Justin Fiory
- "Eric Dimeck's 'BUFF' hat." - Sharon Sansevere
- "Nick Lodato's car." - Janine Miscia
- "The treasure map to the Hillbilly's gold." - Justin Mele







Owen McEnroe  
Justin Mele  
Christina Mindyk  
Janine Miscia  
Andrea Molina  
Kathryn Myers



Todd Neale  
Steven Niewiadomski  
Anthony Nigro  
Sharon Palatucci  
Kalpesh Parekh  
Michael Passage



Keith Passaro  
Douglas Peeler



Matthew Petricone  
Danielle Pucciarello



Anthony Ramirez  
David Ramos





Lisa Ritacco  
 Peter Romanyshyn  
 Sharon Sansevere  
 Victoria Saxon  
 James Schmidt  
 Joshua Schroeder



Sonja Schwartz  
 Carolyn Scully  
 Nicholas Serpico  
 Veronica Serra  
 Erin Sheridan  
 Steven Shilling



Christopher Siegel  
 Sara Spektor



Jessica Smith  
 Matthew Spencer



Lauren Steberger  
 Eryana Sunarso



Kristin Symons  
 Oscar Velez



Gary Venner  
 Brian Volkert







Susan Quinn Walsh  
 Katherine Wang  
 Elizabeth Ward  
 Stephen Weaver  
 Karl Weber  
 Suzanne Young



Sarah Zabriskie  
 Phillip Zaks

*Not Pictured:*  
 Gayle Bornstein  
 Jill DiGeronimo  
 Joanne Heyman  
 Colleen Jackson  
 Gina Ratchford





# Class of

Waleed Abdelrehim  
Bethany Abele  
Megan Abeles  
Antonia Aquilante  
Adam Arroyo  
Timothy Banta



Adrienne Barnave  
Jessica Barona  
Paul Bastedo  
Richard Bell



Sara Benimeli  
Neil Berger  
Jennifer Blum  
Matthew Bowman



Ryan Brogan  
Kevin Burgos  
Christopher Buttler  
Shannon Camacho  
Craig Casella  
Kristen Cecire



Michael Chua  
Andrew Cianciosi



Jason Cole  
Robert Comer





# 1999



Frances Conway  
Michael DeGrande  
Stephanie DeSantis  
Daniel Dickman  
Kristine DiTrani  
Joseph Donovan



Laolu Fayanju  
Tyler Flach  
Elginero Garcia  
Brody Garland



Ryan Garthwaite  
Erica Gelselmann  
Katy Gerhold  
Aphrodite Giannakopoulos



Thomas Gilsonan  
Dominique Gonzalez  
Melissa Goodman  
Anthony Goss  
Matthew Gowler  
John Gray



Nicole Greco  
Daniel Groux



Andrea Gulliano  
Bayram Hajrulla



# "Did You Know That . . ."

Friday Night: Go to a party at you friend's house.

That Evening: You meet someone that you really like, and you hit it off right away.

Monday Morning: From every direction you hear "So, are you two going out?"

If this is a frequent occurrence in your life, you're not alone. Many complain about how quickly rumors can get spread around, especially when people that you don't even know are aware of your social life. But to a point, things like this can't be avoided. There is so much gossip being spread around school that this entire page could be filled.

Some of the most popular methods of spreading gossip include writing on bathroom walls, inside and on top of desks, and screaming across traffic ridden halls and into random classrooms. And yet the most popular way of spreading gossip still lives on... the note.

Being a freshman one may be caught off guard, but after one year of experience sophomores should have their gossip avoiding skills down pat. Many avoid certain situations in which gossip could be spread about them, while others just threaten those spreading the gossip with even more vicious rumors. One sophomore remarked "You have to become the Gossip Queen yourself! Then you are in charge of everything being said."

"Just openly deny anything that's said about you," commented another sophomore. And so it can be determined that in a school of this size, gossip and rumors are just another part of a normal day at VHS.



Graham Hartke  
Shawn Hartwig  
Steven Hayes  
Maureen Jackson  
Leonard Johnson  
Matthew Johnson



Erin Kelly  
April Kirby  
Justin Kissinger  
Anita Knipping  
Joshua Knoblick  
Chris Landara



Kelly Larsson  
Joshua Liebert  
Erik Long  
Michael Lutz  
Peter Malanga  
Alexander Mangano







Daniel McCarthy



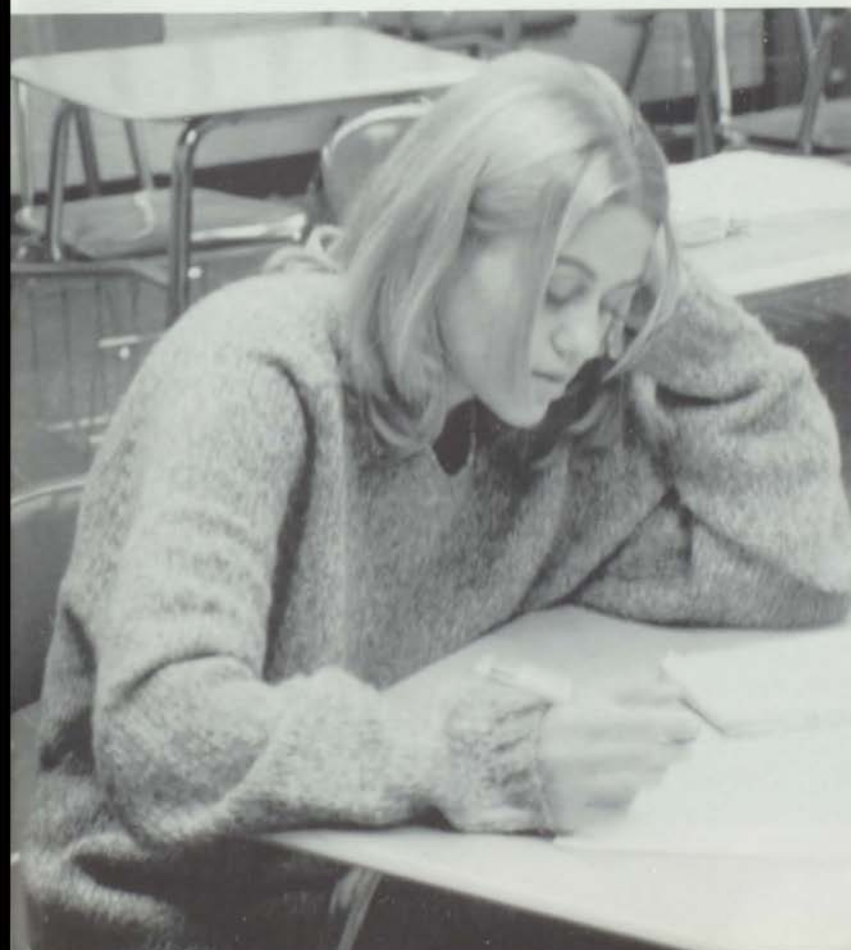
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Michael McManus  
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Staci Molinaro  
Cristina Musser  
Marisa Nicolette



Elizabeth Noble  
Rodger O'Callaghan  
Carly Oliver  
Aleksander Ozolins  
Anthony Palmer  
Celeste Palmer



Roberto Perez  
Jamie Peterson





Scott Piro  
Amanda Potts  
Emily Potts  
Sara Ramon  
Anita Reinhardt  
Anthony Rivera



Patrick Rondino  
Miranda Rossi



Marisa Ruglio  
Christopher Russo



Victoria Savino  
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Anthony Schmaus  
Anton Schuberthan



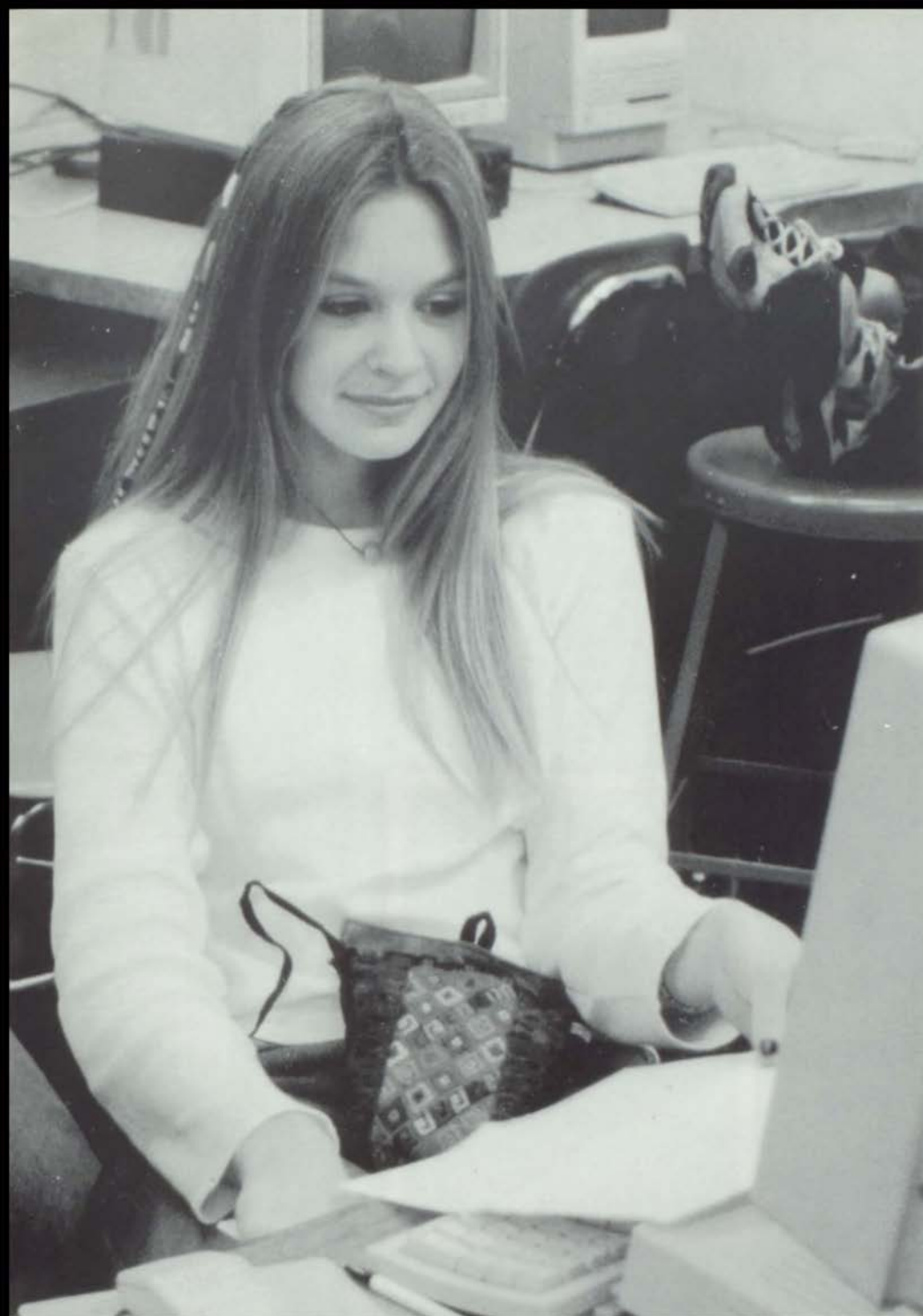
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Dorianne Stroll  
Kimberley Stumper  
Kevin Swatt







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Erica Toth  
Kathryn Treffinger  
Ralph Trombino  
John Tuntevski  
Joanna VanMeeteren



Joseph Vincent  
Kelly Walsh  
Chris Yanatelli  
Lauren Yavorski  
Ming Zhi Zhang

*Not Pictured:*  
Salvatore Fede



# Class of

Peter Agnoli  
Patrick Aldworth  
Danielle Amato  
Serena Amoroso  
Mark Baker  
Meredith Baker



Suzanne Banta  
Christine Bell  
Elliott Bennett  
Clare Benyo  
John Betzler  
Jonathan Beuttler



Adam Bickoff  
Marc Blaha  
Lacy Byers  
Paola Carpenito



Sean Carroll  
Anthony Carsillo  
Zahira Casillas  
Mae Chua



Marlene Chua  
Alexandru Ciuca  
Tracy Clarkin  
Thomas Cocchiola  
Sarah Cowhick  
Peter Crawford



David Crudele  
Damian D'Aleo  
Micheal D'Alessio  
Alicia D'Amato  
Bernard D'Alvella  
Micheal DeFilippo





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Frank DeMaio  
Kristen DePalo  
Anthony DeRosa  
Adam Decker  
Micheal DiRocco  
Melissa DiRoma



Robert DiTrani  
Sara Donnelly  
Kristen Dunleavy  
Elizabeth Drosdick  
James Dulong  
Scott Englishman



William Errico  
Monika Fabriczi  
Nicole Fasano  
Sarah Ferrel



Douglas French  
Holly Friedman  
Matthew Futerman  
Victoria Gessel



Justin Gilmartin  
Kirsten Glasgow  
Rebecca Glasgow  
Katie Groux  
Nicholas Guarducci  
Robert Harder



Katrine Hildebrandt  
Maia Hunnex  
Robert Indergrund  
Jamie Jacobson  
Nicholas Johansky  
Lisa Kealy





Matthew Kennedy  
Laura Kelly  
Angela Kessler  
Lindsay Koes  
John Koutouzakis  
Michelle Lally



Kevin Lawless  
Marie Leznicki  
John LoCrasto  
Alexis Maisenbacher  
Sarah Manley  
Christopher Mason



Kevin McCloskey  
Shaun McLoughlin  
Tara McGarrity  
Erin McGarrity  
Alessandra Mediago  
Viktor Meilands





## FAVORITE FRESHMEN FOURS

Q: Where can we find you on the weekends?

- 1) friend's houses
- 2) mall
- 3) park
- 4) movies

Q: The Worst thing about being a freshman is...

- 1) too young to drive
- 2) SENIORS
- 3) carrying equipment onto and off of buses
- 4) being the little fish in a semi-big pond

Q: What's your favorite band?

- 1) Dave Mathews Band
- 2) Bush
- 3) Smashing Pumkins
- 4) Beatles

Q: What's your favorite song?

- 1) Swallowed -Bush
- 2) # 1 Crush -Garbage
- 3) Drain You -Nirvana
- 4) My Friends -Red Hot Chili Peppers

Q: What's your favorite line from a movie?

- 1) "All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy" -The Shining
- 2) "Life is like a box of chocolates..." -Forest Gump
- 3) "Alrighty Then" -Ace Ventura
- 4) "Loser" -Clueless

Q: What's the best thing about being a frosh?

- 1) less work than the upperclassmen
- 2) teacher's sympathy
- 3) three years of fun left
- 4) there is nothing good about being a freshmen



Robert Minutoli  
Elizabeth Molinski



Jeff Moxley  
Jessica Museck



Pier Mutovic  
Ross Narucki  
Jason Naso  
Traian Necula  
Arthur Neff  
Bethany Nigara



Eric O'Callaghan  
 Anthony O'Connor  
 John Paparazzo  
 Micheal Passero  
 Kristin Pavone  
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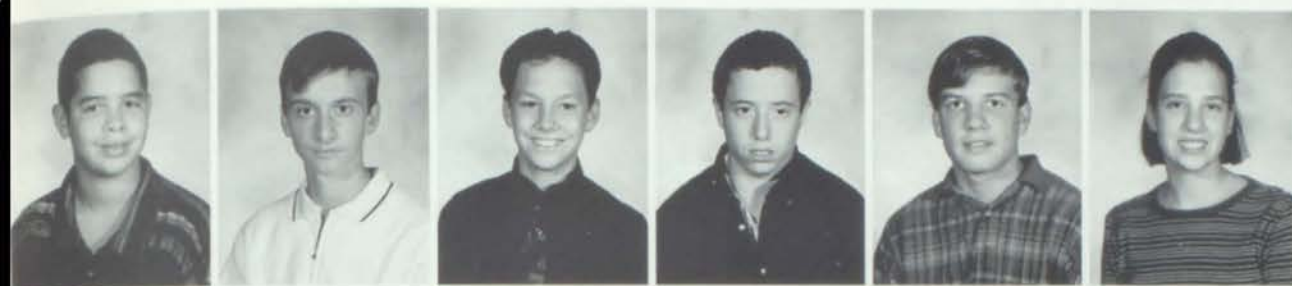
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Alexis Steberger



Amanda Tassin  
Kristin Tone  
James Tonko  
Micheal Traettino  
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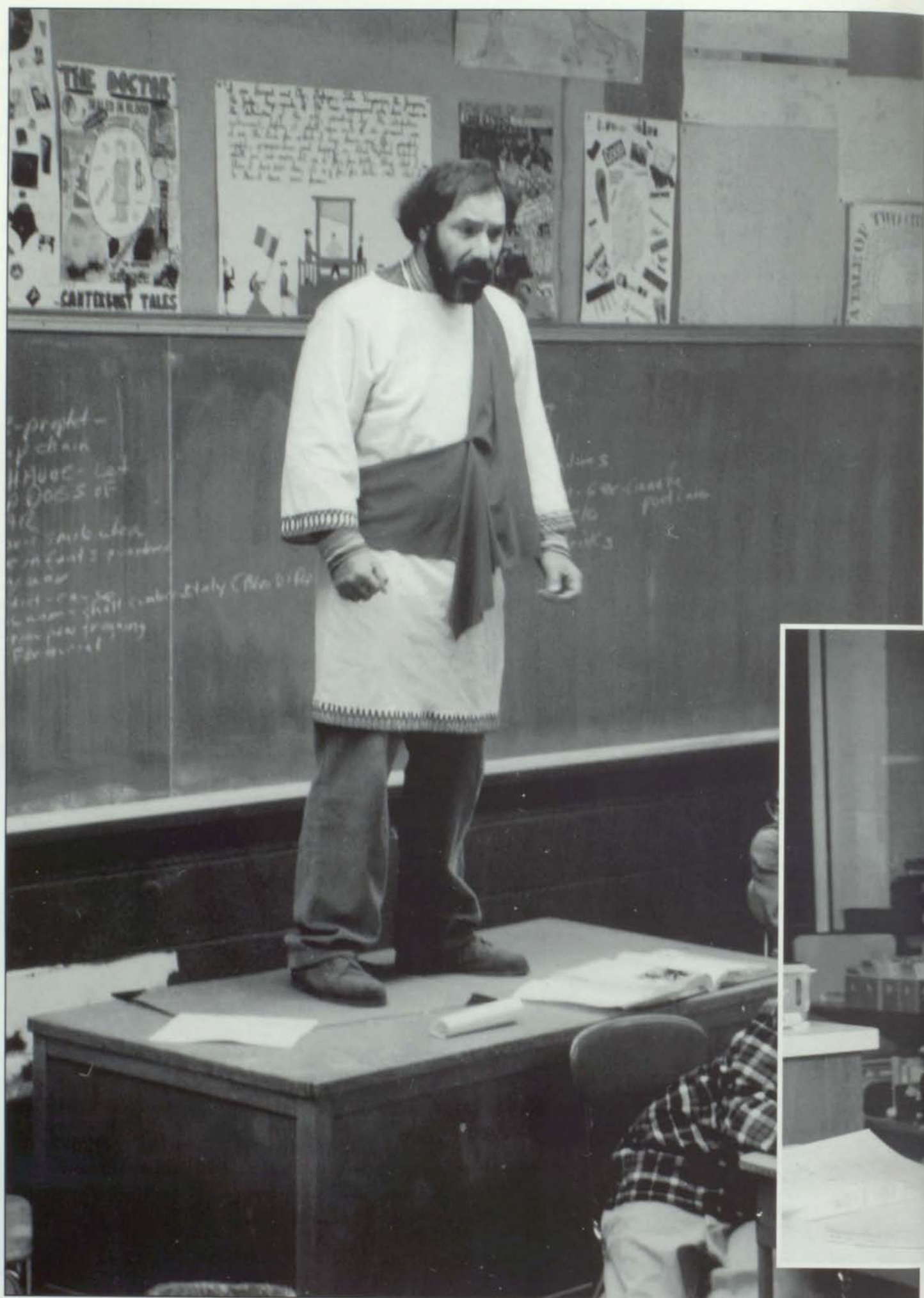
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Darrian Merza  
Katey O'Brien  
Dominique Perez  
James Somers  
Ilia Starikov









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# FACULTY

What If... we had the same principal for more than one year?... Ms. Hemsley didn't look like a student?... Mr. Brunner shopped at K-Mart?... Mr. Luks gave a one-period test?... Mr. Brennan never turned red?... Mrs. Perera turned someone away?... Mrs. Sloan didn't know everyone's name?... you couldn't hear Mrs. Lanno from down the hall?... Mr. Sabaday wasn't sarcastic?... Mrs. McGee couldn't give advice anymore?... the library computers actually worked?... Ms. Gonzalez-Roig didn't go for a daily walk?... Mr. Maher didn't teach from memory?... we had the same principal for more than one year?...





# Administration



Dr. Robert Rosado  
Superintendent of Schools



John Bolil  
Business Administrator



Glenn J. Cesa  
Principal



Gregory Robertson  
Vice Principal

## Secretaries



Sigrid Clark



Joanne Kempczynski



Suzanne Shields



Arlean Sloan

## Guidance



Richard J. Kleissler  
Director of Guidance



Victor Ferrarelli



Patricia Maisenbacher



## Special Services



Dr. Stanley Keyles  
School Psychologist



Sharon McGee  
Youth Assistance Counselor



Gretchen Perera  
School Nurse



Elizabeth Rupprecht  
Social Worker

## Library Staff



Joanne Maurer  
Librarian



Dianne Kuzsma  
Secretary



Guidance counselor Patricia Maisenbacher assists Natalia Perrotta with her college applications.

## Cafeteria Staff



(L.-R.) Mickey Tutalo, Carmela Barone, Maria DiMilia, Carmela Vece, Phyllis Complierchio, Evelyn Benfante

## Custodial Staff



(Clockwise from bottom left.) Savario D'Angelo, Ignatius Jozwik, Walter Jorden, Camillo DeMartinis, Cecil Bryson, and Anthony Carsillo



# ENGLISH

Rita Solomon, Coordinator  
Allison Frazier  
Kenneth Luks  
Sheila Nadler  
Thomas White  
Frances Young



# MATH

Lillian Gonzales-Roig, Coordinator  
Caren Fader  
Cynthia Lanno  
Lorraine Meares  
Danielle Pico  
Kenneth Treitler



# HISTORY

Theresa Fryer, Coordinator  
John Brennan  
Patrick Brunner  
Robert Maher  
Joel Throne



# SCIENCE

Joseph Sabaday, Coordinator  
Rose Ann Prendergast  
James Sauer  
Donald Veitch  
Jorge Valcarcel



# MUSIC

Max Morden  
David Tintle



# BUSINESS

Lisa Engel  
Robert Intile



Mr. Moran shows Michelle Benimeli how to use the new ITV system.



# Most Likely To...

# Least Likely To...



Mr. Luks	jump on a desk and act out Caesar	Mrs. Nadler
Mrs. Schaeffer	give their students a free period	Mrs. Solomon
Mr. Veitch	give students extra points	Mrs. Meares
Mrs. Engel	accept assignments late	Mrs. Crawford
Mrs. Pico	ask for hall passes	Mr. White
Mr. Brunner	go by the book	Mr. Maher
Mr. Meyer	get locked in his office	Mr. Carsillo
Mrs. McGee	dance when supervising a dance	Mr. Cesa



(Clockwise from top left) Although Carla Velardi is the only student in her class one day, Mrs. Solomon keeps her busy. Mr. Maher's freshman students listen as he calls on his vast knowledge of history. Mr. White says to Christen Tassin and Erin Moran, "hi don't think you should use that picture of me in the faculty section." Mr. Veitch explains his policy for giving extra points to Amanda Checchetto.



## World Languages

Maria Lanahan, Co-ordinator  
Eleanor Crawford  
Harriette Warshaw  
Grace Williamson



## Creative and Industrial Arts

Maurice Moran  
Thomas Nedrow  
Coreen Onnembo  
Terry Sherman



## Physical Education

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Patricia Hemsley  
Christopher Kubik  
Patricia Shoenig  
Richard Meyer, AD/LDTC



(Clockwise from top.) Mr. White, just before he broke 17 bones snowmobiling down the Catskill Mountains. Mlle. Warshaw steps it up at Essex Health and Country Club. Mrs. Maurer astride a camel in the Gobi Desert in Mongolia. Mr. Treitler figures if he feeds these exotic animals 3 pellets every two minutes at the rate of.... Ms. Gonzalez-Roig, pictured with her niece, uses her noodle in more ways than one. Mr. Moran's unique approach to trimming tree branches.

Our teachers really do have lives outside of school!



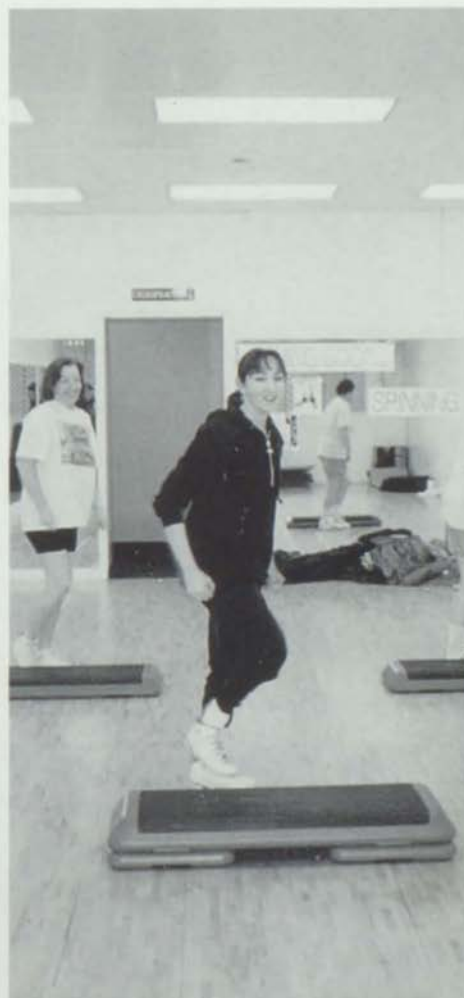
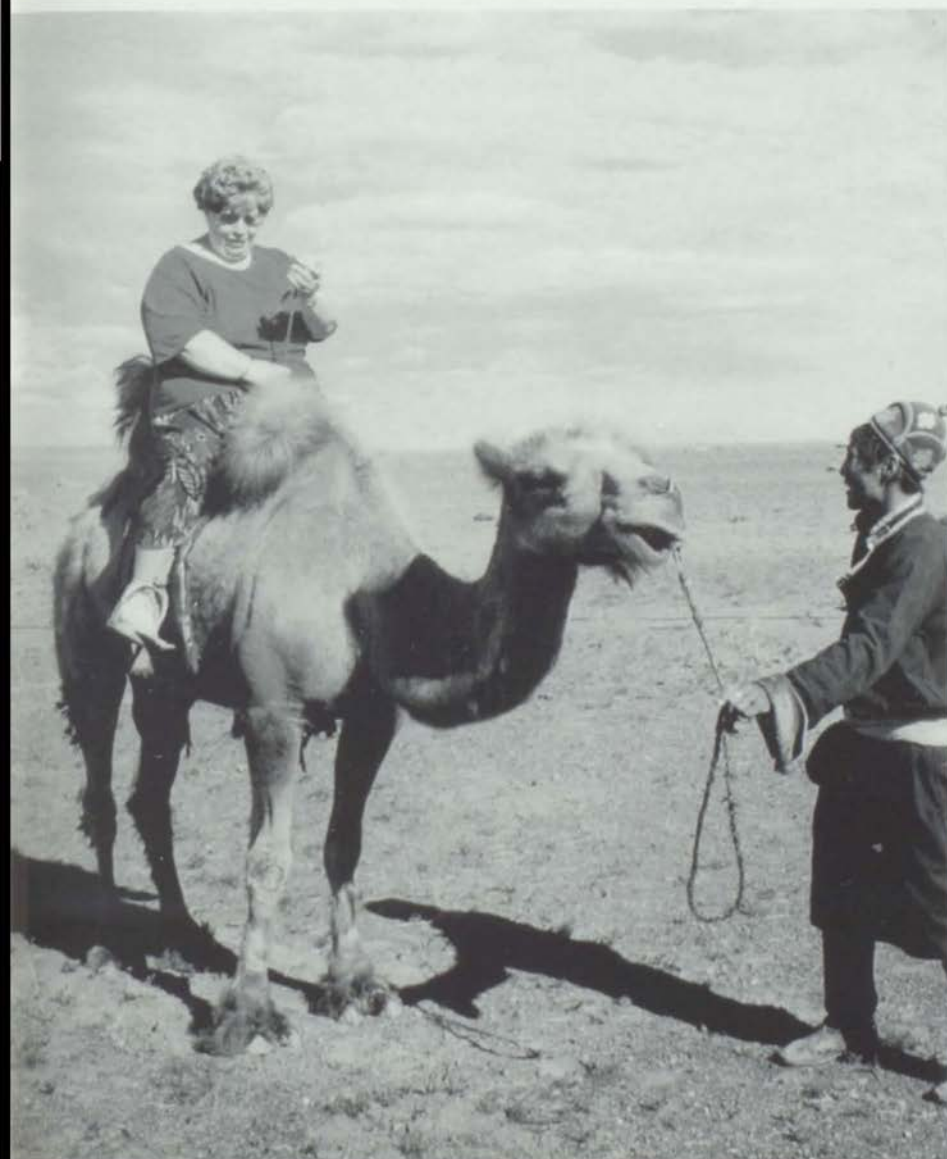


# Special Education

Michael Asher  
Kamala Conway

Donna D'Alessio  
Elaine DeVita

Eva Nelson  
Joanne Paonessa  
Phyllis Taistra  
Nancy Wright  
Denise Zeringo









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# *Activities*

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# Publications



**Shadows and Fairviewer Staff:** (from top) Pete Burgess, Collin Pisarra, Lola Fayanju, Torrie Flach, Melissa Koes, Mike Straus, Chrissy Cocchiola, Geovana Barnave, Erica DePalo, Amy Friedman, Christina Spencer, Brian Oliver, Katie Clancy, Kristin Burgess, Laura Lubrano, Jenna Minutoli, Lauren Fericola, Carla Velardi, Marissa Holler, Danielle Iannuzzi, Erin Drury, Christen Tassin, Melissa Johnson, Danielle Villarosa, Nicole Baguer, Erin Moran, John Alati, Kelly Garland, Sandy Peterson. *not pictured:* Jon Meyer, Joe Panzariello.



Jon Meyer and Danielle Villarosa put the final touches on the soccer spread as sports section editors. Copy editors, Christina Spencer and Erica DePalo, proofread the captions.







Lola Fayanju, editor-in-chief of the *Fairviewer*, works with Michael Straus, who played a dual role as editor of graphic designs for the yearbook and layout editor for the newspaper. Christen Tassin chooses the teacher "mugshots" as faculty section editor. Katie Clancy and Torrie Flach, layout editors, enjoyed this year's new computer program UltraVision. The senior section editors, Melissa Johnson and Nicole Baguer, were responsible for many new ideas throughout their section.



As photography editors, Carla Velardi and Kelly Garland sort through the never ending stacks of pictures. Laura Lubrano, clubs section editor, gives a helping hand to Marissa Holler, business section editor. Kristin Burgess and John Alati, editors-in-chief of the yearbook section take their job very seriously. Underclassmen editors, Amy Friedman, Jenna Minutoli, Chrissy Cocchiola, and Melissa Koes, choose pictures for a divider page.



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# Honors



**National Honor Society:** (from top) Advisor Mrs. Patricia Maisenbacher, Melissa Musser, Danielle Villarosa, Adrian Sancho, Collin Pisarra, Michael Strauss, Christen Tassin, Nicole Baguer, Caroline Streicher, Kelly Jackson, Laura Lubrano, Erica DePalo, John Alati, Melissa Johnson, Kristin Burgess.



**Math Honor Society:** (from top) J. Benyo, K. Goodwin, L. Ward, D. Fryer, S. Zabriskie, S. Shwartz, E. Sunarso, C. Miodyk, T. Neale, R. Jacobs, J. Aldworth, C. Scully, P. Kusma, S. Weaver, M. Antolino, J. Lango, J. Enrico, W. Buckholz, M. Leznicki, J. Bruno, T. Hayes, P. Romanyshyn, A. DeVizio, C. Chua, J. Alati, M. Johnson, N. Baguer, A. Sancho, L. DePalo, L. Fayanju, K. Burgess, C. Tassin, L. Lubrano, K. Jackson, S. Newiadomski, P. Zaks, J. Miscia, L. Steberger, K. Symons, J. Baker, L. Lorenzo, J. Hunnex.



**French Honor Society:** (from top) Kimberly Zipf, Eryana Sunarso, Whitney Buckholz, Joshua Hunnex, Nick Toombs, Gary Collins, Jennifer Cecire, Torrie Flach, Erica DePalo, Sonja Schwartz, Nicole Baguer, Kelly Jackson, Rachel Jacobs, Caroline Streicher, Kristin Symons.



**Spanish Honor Society:** (from top) Advisor Ms. Maria Lanahan, Janine Miscia, Sarah Zabriskie, Carolyn Scully, Elizabeth Ward, Pete Romanyshyn, Todd Neale, Jonathan Lango, Steve Weaver, Christina Miodyk, Kristin Burgess, Adrian Sancho, Kerry Goodwin, Melissa Johnson, Danielle Villarosa, Palie Kusma, John Alati, Lola Fayanju, Laura Lubrano.



**National Art Honor Society:** (from top) Matt Kloss, Chris Chua, Ryan Bush, Kalpesh Parekh, Oscar Velez, Erin Moran, John Alati, Shauna Sacchi, Lauren Ercolano, Jim Aldworth, Lauren Steberger, Melissa Musser, Advisor Mrs. Terry Sherman, Katie Gerhold, Milena Leznicki, Quinn Walsh, Caroline Streicher, Anne Mechael, Sarah Federico, Jenna Minutoli, Torrie Flach, Kate Myers.







Lola Fayanju, president of the Math Honor Society, congratulates Janine Miscia, winner of the Hillbilly Challenge. The Math Honor Society began its contest this year, focusing around a set up in the main lobby and prizes for the winners. Sarah Federico demonstrates her expertise as a member of the Art Honor Society. Nearly all art students learned to make jewelry and other objects with clay this year. Spanish Honor Society members learn a cultural dance on one of their educational trips. The Spanish Honor Society also holds a food and clothing drive as service for the community. New members, Mike Straus, Danielle Villarosa, Caroline Streicher, Nicole Baguer, and Collin Pizarra are inducted into the National Honor Society as seniors. They will contribute to the community by conducting fundraisers.



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**Morning Announcements:** (from top) Advisor Ms. Fader, Erin Moran, Nicole Baguer, Marissa Holler, Danielle Villaros, Christen Tassin



**Highlights:** (from top) Vicki Saxon, Janine Miscia, Palie Kuzsma, Collin Pissarra, Jeff Bennett, Katie Wojtal, Krissy Hill, Sue Gaccione, Marissa Antolino, Quinn Walsh, Laura Lubrano, Rachel Jacobs, Lauren Steberger.



**WVHS:** (from top) Jon Meyer, Collin Pissarra, Chris Moxley, Joe Panzariello, Mitul Patel, Melissa Musser, Michelle Benemeli, Kelly Garland, Heather Hafer.



**Avant-Garde:** (from top) Craig Casella, Sarah Zabriskie, Scott Piro, Beth Abele, Janine Miscia, Palie Kuzsma, Lauren Steberger, Jon Lango, Tyler Flach, Laolu Fayanju, Katie Treffinger, Chris Chua, Collin Pissarra, Christen Tassin, Jenna Minutoli, Theresa Wohlrabe, Amy Friedman, Christina Spencer, Kim Zipf, Laura Lubrano, Mae Chua, Anita Knipping, Maureen Jackson, Antonia Aquilante, Erin McKinney-Prupis, Dan Dickman, Marlene Chua, Aphrodite Giannakopoulos.







Palle Kuzsma works diligently on the layouts for both the Avant Garde and Highlights newsletter. Highlights newsletter outlines students' activities for the upcoming month, along with providing articles written by students about school events. The Avant Garde is a literary magazine in which students display both their writing and artistic talents. Mrs. Young advises Jon Lango, John Tuntevski and John Paparazzo on their submissions to the Avant Garde. Scott Piro informs VHS about the day's upcoming events during morning announcements. Joe Panzariello sets the musical mood for VHS's day. The radio station operates every morning enhancing the halls with various tunes.





# Adventures and Advice



**Adventure Club:** (from top) Adam Gerenstein, Matt Spencer, Collin Pisarra, Dave Dickman, Dave Ramos, Justin Bruno, Tim Egan, Owen McEnroe, Quinn Walsh, Andrea DeLisi, Jamie Banghart, Kelly Walsh, Marisa Ruglio.







Peer Leadership, a club that meets weekly during the school day, is a chance for students to talk in small groups about their concerns, get to know themselves and others better, and improve their communication skills. The Adventure Club meets outside of school to explore nature and have fun. They participate in such activities as trips to the ropes course and weekend traveling to the Catskill Mountains.



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# Life Lessons



**ANOREV:** (from top) Nick Johansky, A.J. Schmaus, Mindy Rossi, Beth Abele, Victoria Savino, Mike DeGrande, Scott Piro, Andrew Buettler, Graham Hartke, Joanne Heyman, Erin McKinney-Prupis, Jennifer Hoffman, Jon Lango, Suzanne Gaecione, Krissy Hill, Megan Wojtal, Merideth Baker, Amanda Tassin, John Paparazzo, Trevor Perkins, Janine Miscia, Whitney Buckholz, Laura Labrano, Caroline Streicher, Kelly Jackson, Collin Pissara, Lauren Steberger, Dave Conlan, Nicole DeMaio, Kristen Dunleavy, Lauren Ercolano, Angela Kessler, Joanne Lenihen, Sandy Mediago, Dana DePalo, Hollie Pritchard, Kristin Cecire.



**PREP Players:** (from top) Christina Spencer, Eric Dimeck, Adrian Sancho, Kristin Burgess, Geovana Barnave, Collin Pissara, John Alati, Nick Mathers, Erica DePalo, Katie Wojtal, Kelly Garland, Nicole Bagnier, Danielle Villarosa, Lola Fayanju.



**AIDS Education Peer Facilitators:** (from top) Amanda Checchetto, Melissa Carsillo, Erin McKinney-Prupis, Joanne Heyman, Justin Flory, Dave Conlan, Nicole Carollo, Marissa DeLuca, Sara Spektor, Quinn Walsh, Jamie Banghart, Melissa Musser, Torrie Flach, John Alati, Caroline Streicher, Danielle Iannuzzi, Amanda Tone, Jon Meyer, Dave Dickman.



**Freshman Buddies:** (from top) Kerry Goodwin, Jessica Smith, Dana DePalo, Lauren Ercolano, Marissa Antolino, Liz Ward, Erin Drury, Brad Burguillos, Sandy Peterson, John Alati, Melissa Johnson, Eric Dimeck.





Kelly Jackson and Laura Lubrang model the cheerleading outfits they'll use for their stereotyping skit for the middle school. ANOREV is a group of alcohol and drug free high schoolers who plan and present programs dealing with transition and other issues to fourth and fifth grade students. AIDS Education Peer Facilitators, Amanda Checchetto, Jaime Banghart, and Quinn Walsh show the proper way to use a condom by demonstrating on a banana. The facilitators, who were trained by the Red Cross, taught in the eighth grade health classes as well as the Wellness week AIDS workshop. Krissy Hill, another ANOREV member, teaches a group of fourth graders how to handle peer pressure. Mother (Danielle Villaros) and father (John Alati) scold their son (James Aldworth) for his lifestyle choice. Laolu Fayanju questions why his sister Lola must turn to another race to find love and companionship. The PREP Players went to local elementary schools to teach prejudice reduction, and performed their original vignettes for other high schools in New Jersey.





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**CBE:**(from top) Melissa Matthews, Melissa Mangano, Helen Koutouzakis, Monika Wnekowicz, Danny Pritchard, Jen Amadeo, Chrissy Piontek, Phyllisann Russo, Danielle Lardieri, Theresa Wohlrahe.







DECA is a three year marketing education program where students work towards career goals, meet graduation credit requirements, and earn a salary. Marketing education allows Bayram Hajrulla to learn through actual job experiences, including the management of the school store in the rear hallway near Mr. Throne's room.

Karl Weber, Seth Blender, Megan Abeles, and Krissy DiTrani take on the responsibility of teaching small children on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday in their Child Development class. Holidays such as Halloween and Christmas are spent celebrating with costumes and Santa Claus in the class.

Veronica Serra and Lisa Ritacco sell carnations for Valentine's Day, one of the many activities sponsored by CBE. This club is a work education program for students to participate in training at an approved job site, while gaining course credit and earning a salary at the same time. Other activities include the annual Type-A-Thon and a banquet honoring CBE employers.





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# Math



**Math Team:** (from top) Tom Hayes, Janine Miscia, Lauren Ercolano, Justin Baker, Michael Passage, David Dickman, Kevin Swatt, Justin Bruno, Palie Kuzsma, Levy Lorenzo, Caroline Strelcher, Adrian Sancho, Melissa Johnson, Kristin Burgess, Lola Fayanju, Nicole Baguer, Erin Drury, Christen Tassin, John Alati, Kelly Jackson.



**Math Club:** (from top) Palie Kuzsma, Justin Baker, Justin Bruno, Michael Passage, Janine Miscia, Katie Treffinger, Kelly Jackson, Laura Lubrano.



Math team members Justin Bruno and Christina Mindyk are two of the thousands of high school students across the nation who participate in the American High School Math Exam. The math team competed in six New Jersey Math League competitions this past year. After school Paolo Grefal and Mike Passage, as members of the math club, prepare to tutor elementary school students from F.N. Brown.





# yearZine

The Movies, TV, Music, Sports, News and Trends Zine Just for Students

Save the Dogs

I Love Tom Cruise

Slam Dunk

Don't Cry for Me

Hercules, Hercules

1997



# Movies

Tops at the Box Office

1. Independence Day
2. Twister
3. Mission: Impossible
4. Jerry Maguire
5. The Rock
6. The Nutty Professor
7. Ransom
8. 101 Dalmatians
9. A Time to Kill
10. Phenomenon

Star Trek

Star Trek: First Contact

101 Dalmatians

Glenn Close, as Cruella DeVil, craves a Dalmatian puppy fur coat.

Leonardo DiCaprio and Claire Danes play star-crossed lovers in *Romeo and Juliet*.

Independence Day

Mission: Impossible

Tom Cruise makes *Mission: Impossible* a reality.

Will Smith and Harry Connick Jr. prepare for the alien attack in *Independence Day*.

Oscar's Pictures  
*The English Patient*  
*Fargo*  
*Jerry Maguire*  
*Secrets & Lies*  
*Shine*

*The Preacher's Wife*

Whitney Houston meets her angel, Denzel Washington, in *The Preacher's Wife*.

*Romeo & Juliet*

Shine

Lynn Redgrave and Geoffrey Rush make music together in *Shine*.

Michael Jordan teams up with his Looney Tunes friends

*Space Jam*

Oscar's Actresses  
Brenda Blethyn, *Secrets & Lies*  
Diane Keaton, *Marvin's Room*  
Frances McDormand, *Fargo*  
Kristin Scott Thomas, *The English Patient*  
Emily Watson, *Breaking the Waves*

*Beavis & Butt-head Do America*



Madonna's performance in *Evita* earns the actress a Golden Globe.

Nutty Professor

Eddie Murphy is *The Nutty Professor*.

Twister

Twister's Helen Hunt and Bill Paxton take the screen by storm.

*The English Patient*

Ralph Fiennes stars as *The English Patient*.

*Jerry Maguire*

Tom Cruise wins acclaim in the popular romantic comedy *Jerry Maguire*.

A Time to Kill

Matthew McConaughey and Sandra Bullock confront racism in the film adaptation of John Grisham's courtroom thriller.

Oscar's Actors  
Tom Cruise, *Jerry Maguire*  
Ralph Fiennes, *The English Patient*  
Woody Harrelson, *The People vs. Larry Flynt*  
Geoffrey Rush, *Shine*  
Billy Bob Thornton, *Sling Blade*



ABC wasn't *Clueless* when it added this hit to Friday nights.



Clueless



Dangerous Minds

Annie Potts stars as an ex-marine turned inter-city high school teacher in *Dangerous Minds*.

*Sabrina the Teenage Witch* casts a spell on ABC's Friday night lineup.

Sabrina



# Entertainment Weekly's Top TV Picks

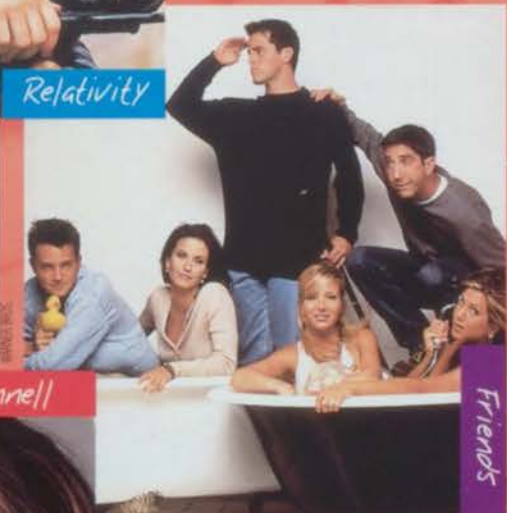
1. *NYPD Blue*
2. *The X-Files*
3. *The Larry Sanders Show*
4. *Newsradio*
5. *The Simpsons*
6. *Friends*
7. *Murder One*
8. *Profit*
9. *Seinfeld*
10. *Moesha*



Relativity

*TV with Class*  
*Boston Common*  
*Dangerous Minds*  
*Mr. Rhodes*  
*Nick Freno: Licensed Teacher*  
*Pearl*  
*Saved By the Bell*  
*The Steve Harvey Show*

Relativity's Kimberly Williams and David Conrad fall in love.



Friends

Rosie O'Donnell



Rosie O'Donnell improves talk-TV's image.

*Friends* leads NBC's Thursday night monopoly.



The X-Files

David Duchovny and Gillian Anderson co-star in *The X-Files*.

Brooke Shields turns *Suddenly Susan* into a sudden success.



Suddenly Susan



Jenny McCarthy

An award-winning cast keeps *ER* on top for another season.

Jenny McCarthy makes waves in the dating pool on MTV's *Singled Out*.

## Your Favorites

1. *Seinfeld*
  2. *ER*
  3. *Suddenly Susan*
  4. *Monday Night Football*
  5. *Friends*
  6. *The Single Guy*
  7. *Home Improvement*
  8. *Caroline in the City*
  9. *Spin City*
  10. *60 Minutes*
- \* *The New York Times*

John Lithgow brings *3rd Rock from the Sun* down to earth.

NBC's 3rd Rock





# MUSIC

## Single Success

1. Macarena, Los Del Rio
2. How Do U Want It, Tupac Shakur
3. Twisted, Keith Sweat
4. No Diggity, Blackstreet
5. You're Making Me High, Toni Braxton

Liam Gallagher leads Oasis to the top of the rock charts.

Gallagher



Garbage's supervixen Shirley Manson is the reigning queen of rock.

Garbage

## A+ Albums

1. Jagged Little Pill, Alanis Morissette
2. Falling Into You, Celine Dion
3. The Score, Fugees
4. Tragic Kingdom, No Doubt
5. Daydream, Mariah Carey



Blackstreet

Blackstreet's No Diggity features Dr. Dre.

Seventeen-year-old Brandy makes it big with hit records TV's Moesha.

Brandy



The Smashing Pumpkins tour with Garbage.

The Smashing Pumpkins



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Toni Braxton takes Unbreak My Heart to No. 1 on Billboard charts.

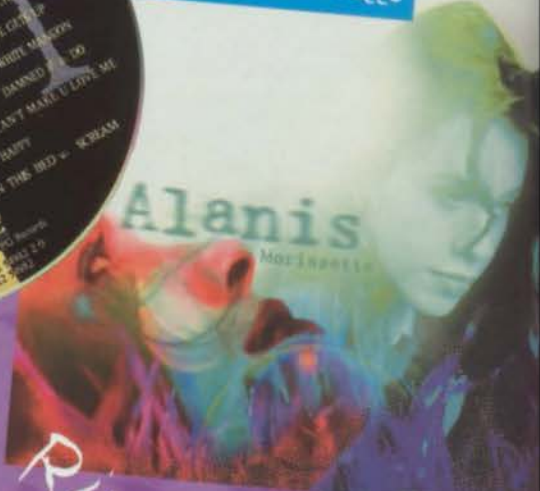
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## The Artist



"The Artist" (formerly known as Prince) releases the much anticipated *Emancipation*.

Alanis Morissette



Alanis Morissette's Jagged Little Pill is 1996's No. 1-selling album.

LeAnn Rimes



## Cyber-rock

Oasis (<http://www.oasisnet.com/>)  
 Bush (<http://users.aol.com/LtLeThings/Bush/index.htm>)  
 The Smashing Pumpkins (<http://www.muohio.edu/~carmance/sp.html>)

## MTV Online

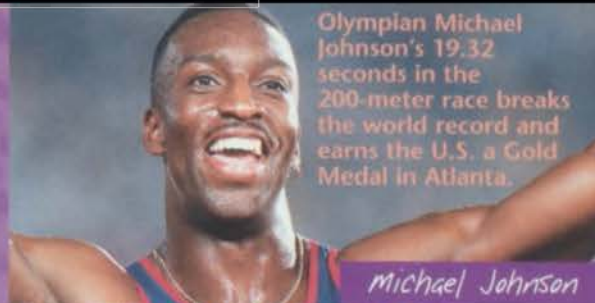


Music television is hot on-line and off.

At 14, LeAnn Rimes turns *Blue* into gold.



L.A. Dodgers "Tornado" Hideo Nomo averages multiple strikeouts per inning.



Olympian Michael Johnson's 19.32 seconds in the 200-meter race breaks the world record and earns the U.S. a Gold Medal in Atlanta.

Michael Johnson

Olympic Ooohs and Aaaahs  
17 days

10,750 athletes

197 countries

31 sports

Carl Lewis, long jump

Amy Van Dyken, swimming

Tom Dolan, swimming

Karach Kiraly and Kent Steffes,  
volleyball

U.S. Women's Softball Team

U.S. Women's Soccer Team

U.S. Women's Basketball Team

U.S. Women's Gymnastics Team

# Sports



Dan O'Brien

Bad boy Dennis Rodman ranks first in the NBA in rebounds per game (15.9).



Michael Jordan

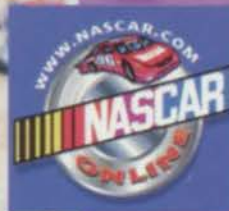
Chicago Bull's No. 23 Michael Jordan scores the highest point average in the NBA (30.9).

New York Yankees manager, Joe Torre, celebrates a World Series victory.

N.Y. Yankees



NASCAR gains new popularity at the track and on the information super-highway.

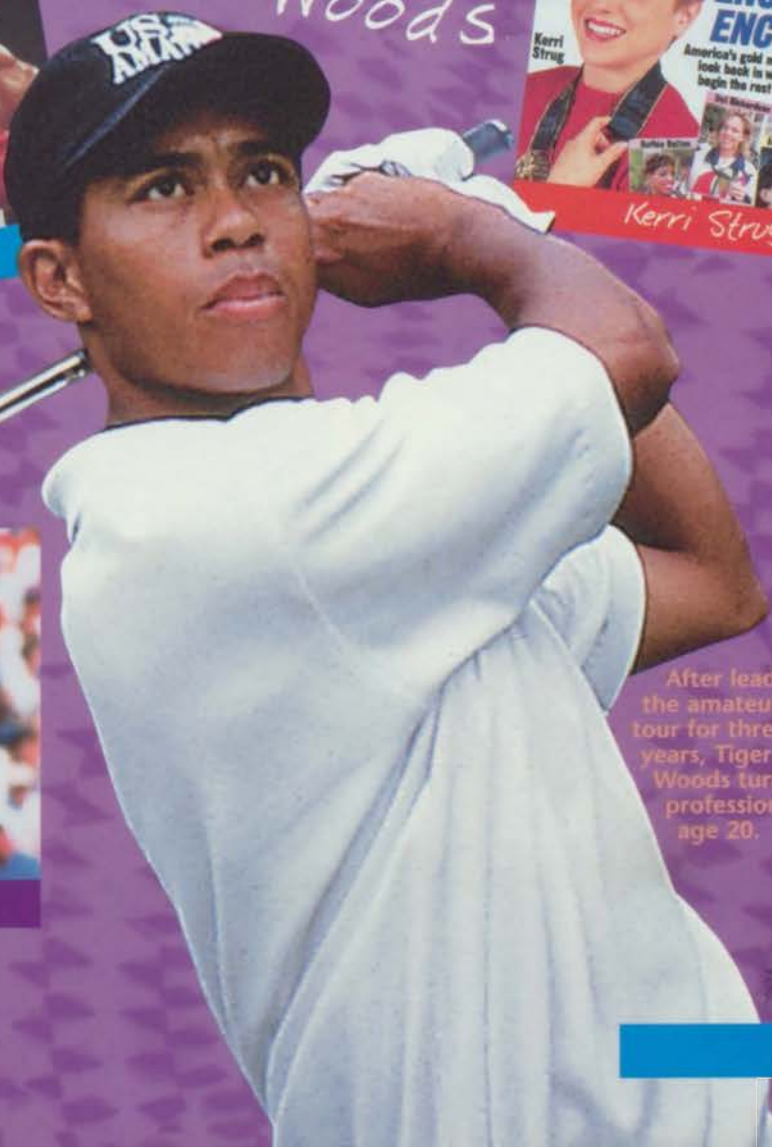


Kerri Strug leads the U.S. gymnastics team to a Gold Medal in the team competition and becomes a media sweetheart.



Kerri Strug

Tiger Woods



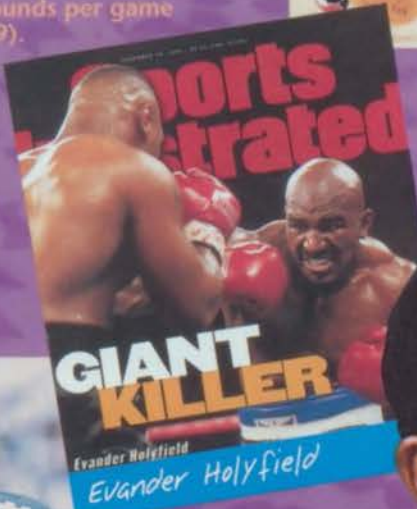
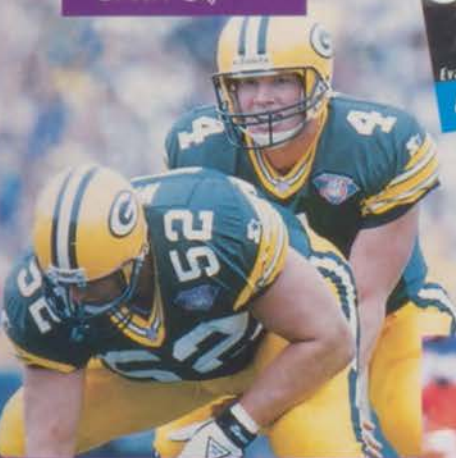
After leading the amateur golf tour for three years, Tiger Woods turns professional at age 20.



Dennis Rodman

The Green Bay Packers triumph over the New England Patriots 35-21 in Super Bowl XXXI with the help of quarterback Brett Favre, No. 4, and center Frank Winters, No. 52.

Green Bay



Evander Holyfield

Sports Illustrated labels Evander Holyfield "Giant Killer" after he pounds boxer Mike Tyson.



Danny Wuerffel

'96 Heisman Trophy recipient Danny Wuerffel leads the Florida Gators to its first national championship.

## Young Olympians

Amy Acuff, 20, high jump  
Amanda Beard, 14, swimming  
Brooke Bennet, 16, swimming  
Beth Botsford, 15, swimming  
Amanda Borden, 19,  
gymnastics  
Dominique Moceanu, 14,  
gymnastics  
Justin Huish, 21, archery  
Kim Rhode, 17, double trap  
shooting  
Tiffany Roberts, 19, soccer



Life on Mars.

Racial unrest in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Welfare Reform.

Madonna is a momma.

Michael Jackson, King of Pop-pa!

Campaign financing goes under scrutiny.

Elizabeth Dole

Elizabeth Dole proves popular in husband's campaign.

Madeleine Albright

Madeleine Albright becomes the first female Secretary of State.

WE ARE PROUD OF YOU

Shannon Lucid

Astronaut Shannon Lucid spends more time in space than any other American.

John F. Kennedy, Jr. & Caroline Bessette

Surprise Union: John F. Kennedy, Jr. marries Carolyn Bessette.

TWA Flight 800, crashes in Long Island Sound, killing 230.

TWA Flight 800

DOLE FOR PRESIDENT

Bob Dole

Despite his dedication, Bob Dole's 96-hour campaign marathon fails to win the necessary votes.

The Clintons

Voters extend Bill Clinton's White House lease by four years.



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To find another local access number, select "New Local" from the "Screen name" pop-up menu, and click Sign On.

For more information, press the Command Key+SHIFT+? and refer to the Troubleshooting information in the AppleGuide.

Unlimited access gives America Online users migraines and busy signals.

OK

Civil verdict declares O.J. Simpson liable for deaths of Nicole Brown and Ron Goldman.

O.J. Simpson



Serbian Demonstrators



Students demonstrate against Serbian government.

The Goldmans



The O.J. jury awards Ron Goldman's family \$33.5 million.

## MURDER OF A LITTLE BEAUTY

The brutal killing of pageant princess JonBenét Ramsey, 6, shocks the nation—and raises troubling questions

JonBenét Ramsey

Olympic Bombing



Atlanta's Centennial Park bombing mars the Summer Olympics.

John Chancellor



Veteran news anchor dies.

Clone



Successful sheep cloning fuels ethics debates.

The JonBenét Ramsey murder mystery grabs headlines.

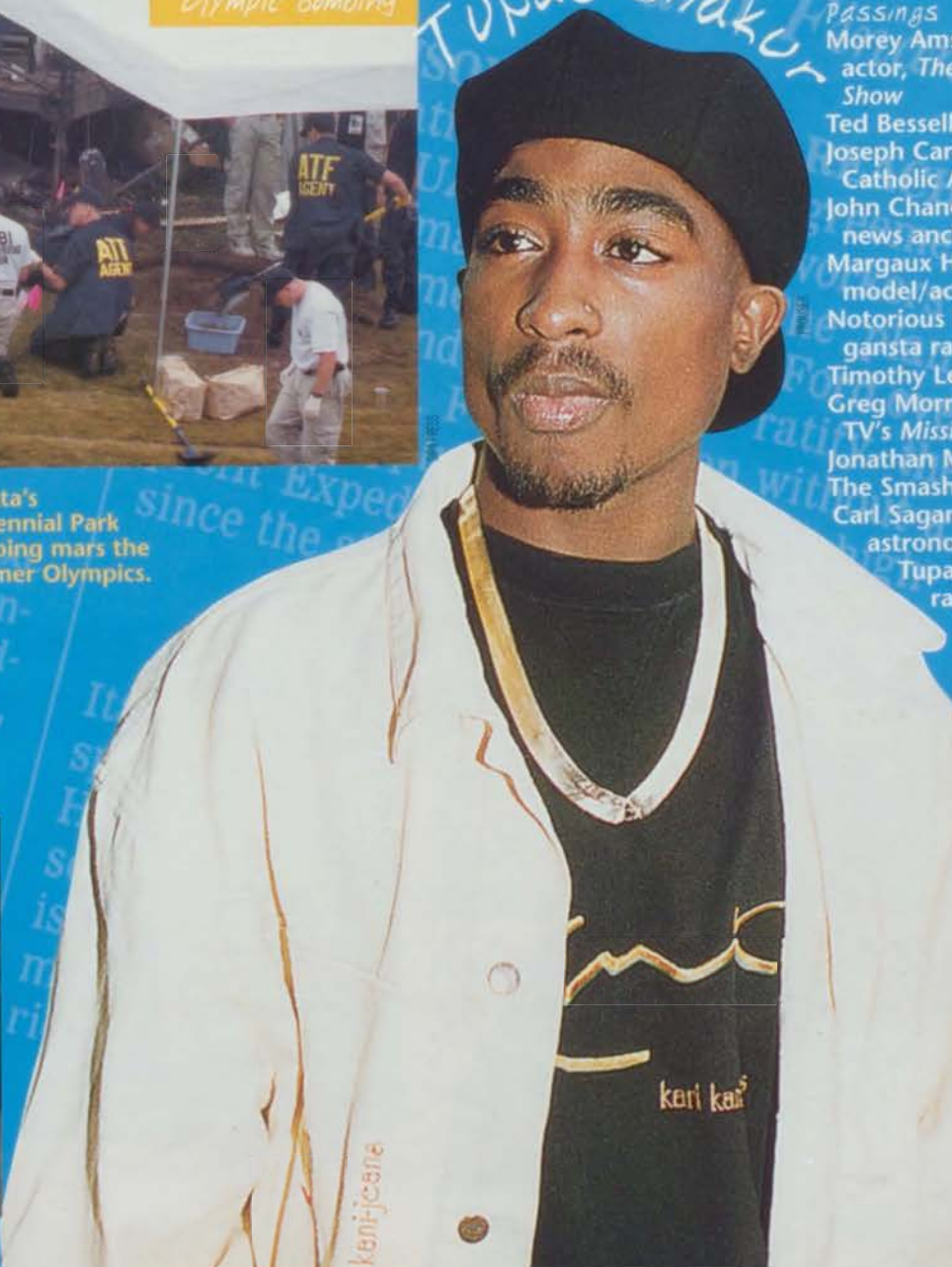
On Today's set as Bryant says bye-bye

Prince William



Prince William, 14, is Britain's latest hot shot.

## Tupac Shakur



### Passings

- Morey Amsterdam, 80-ish, actor, *The Dick Van Dyke Show*
- Ted Bessell, 57, actor, *That Girl*
- Joseph Cardinal Bernardin, 68, Catholic Archbishop
- John Chancellor, 68, news anchor
- Margaux Hemingway, 41, model/actress
- Notorious B.I.G., 24, gansta rapper
- Timothy Leary, 75, '60s activist
- Greg Morris, 61, actor, *TV's Mission: Impossible*
- Jonathan Melvoin, 34, *The Smashing Pumpkin*
- Carl Sagan, 62, scientist and astronomy popularizer
- Tupac Shakur, 25, gansta rapper/actor
- Tiny Tim, 70-ish, '60s icon
- Deng Xiaoping, 92, Chinese Leader

Gangsta rapper and movie star Tupac Shakur is murdered.



# Trends

What's Hot:  
 Hair barrettes  
 Black boots  
 Hip huggers  
 Carpenter jeans  
 Sweatshirts  
 Metallic T-shirts  
 Backpacks  
 Birkenstock sandals  
 Body piercing

Fashion Ad

Fashion fads feast on bright colors.



TV Ratings  
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 also friends with a black colleague (Waters). But the fact that Homer fearful of his potential

McDonald's introduces adult-like, "Arch Deluxe" which meets with lukewarm consumer interest.

TV shows get a voluntary rating system.

Calvin Klein says "Just Be."

IT'S TRUE. WE DO MATURE FASTER THAN BOYS.

McDonald's



Bill Gates turns the heat up on technology with the Microsoft Network.



be shy. be bold. just

Oprah Winfrey makes a connection between the best body and a bestseller.



Slogan of the Year  
 "Show me the money!" from Jerry Maguire

Dance craze  
 The Macarena

Plymouth Neon ads pick-up on the nation's coffee craze.

Make the Connection

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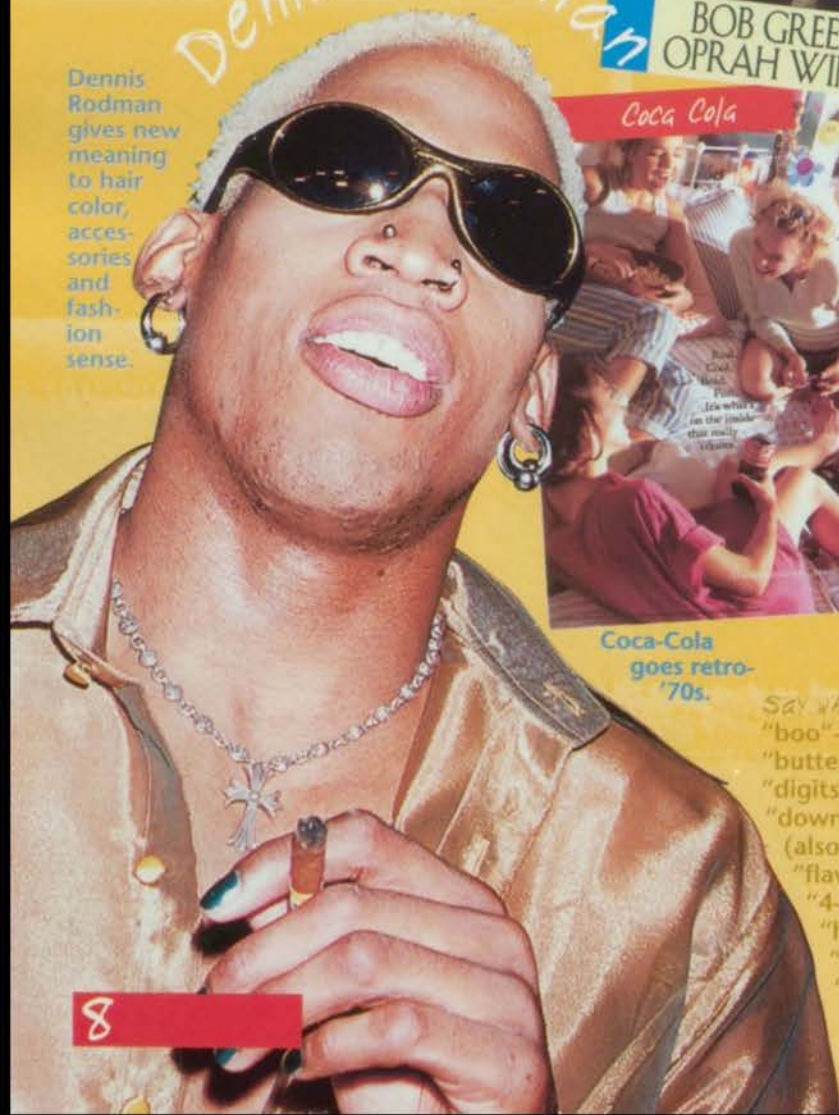
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# Spotlight Players



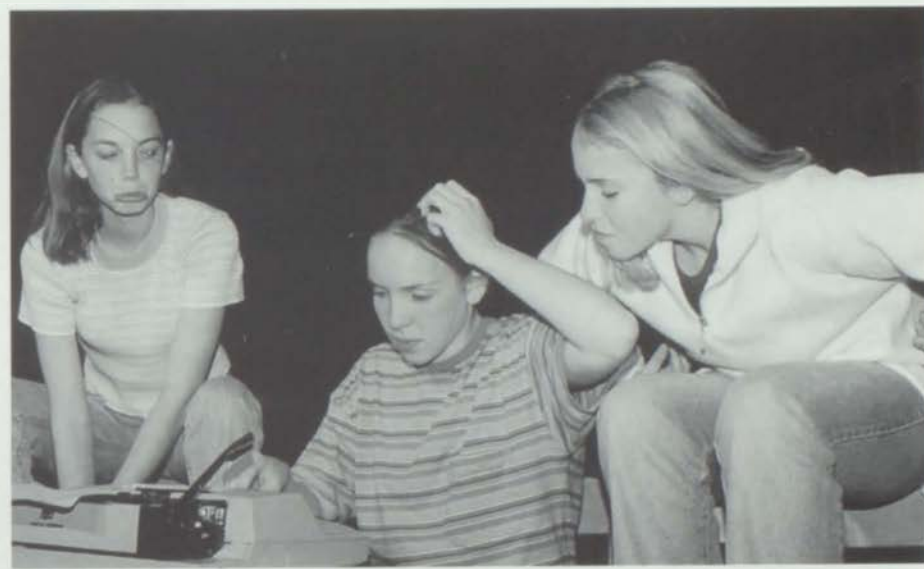
**"Anything Goes" Cast:** (from back) N. Mathers, S. Piro, P. Kuzma, M. Wojtal, D. Love, S. Blender, Mlle. Warshaw, A. Knipping, M. Jackson, J. Liebert, J. Knoblick, N. Baguer, M. Chua, J. Alati, D. DePalo, J. Blum, A. Aquilante, M. Chua, S. Sansevere, J. Paparazzo, H. Pritchard, J. Miscia, S. Spektor, K. Symons, M. Rossi, K. DiTriani, Advisor Mr. Moran.



**"All in the Timing" Cast:** (from back) Nicole Baguer, Palie Kuzsma, Brad Burguillos, Nick Mathers, Kristin Symons, Josh Liebert, John Paparazzo, Josh Knoblick, Emily Gaffney, Janine Miscia, Hollie Pritchard.







Pictured here are various scenes from the fall comedy and the spring musical. "All in the Timing," featuring numerous actors, is a series of short one-act comedic skits. "Anything Goes," the musical, takes place on a cruise ship to England and involves the cahoots and shenanigans of Reno Sweeney (Nicole Baguer), Billy Crocker (John Alati), Moonface Martin (Josh Knoblick) and Bonnie (Sara Spektor). The play also features Billy's love interest, Hope Harcourt (Janine Miscia) and her fiancé (Nick Mathers).



# Culture



**French Club:** (from top) S. Mediago, A. Tassin, C. Cocchiola, P. Kuzsma, K. Zipf, J. Haffner, E. Sunarso, R. Jacobs, J. Aldworth, L. Ercolano, J. Bennett, E. Kelly, D. Dickman, K. Treffinger, J. Heyman, S. Swartz, J. Knoblick, A. Giannakopoulos, S. Spektor, J. Hunnux, A. Dolahan, K. Meyers, M. Leznicki, T. Hayes, Advisor M Wlle. Warshaw, N. Baguer, R. DePalo, K. Clancy, W. Buckholtz, J. Cecire, M. Gallinoni, K. Jackson, C. Streicher, T. Flach, C. Tassin, S. Palatucci, J. Miscia, M. Hunnux, L. Kelly, A. Steberger, K. Hildebrandt, A. Maisenbacher, J. Jacobson, V. Savino, K. Walsh, S. Piro, K. Symons, K. Cirello.



**Spanish Club:** (from top) Advisor Sra. Lanahan, Joe Benyo, Kerri Goodwin, Sarah Zabriskie, Lauren Steberger, Stephen Weaver, Todd Neale, Pallie Kuzsma, Pete Romanyshtyn, Kim Stumper, Kristin Shepard, Beth Abele, Janine Miscia, Mae Chua, Carolyn Scully, Lauren Ercolano, Kevin Swatt, Liz Ward, Laura Lubrano, Christina Spencer, John Alati, Danielle Villarosa, Melissa Johnson, Adrian Sancho, Kristin Burgess, Lola Fayanju, Marlene Chua, Anita Knipping, Antonia Aquilante, Maureen Jackson, Mindy Rossi, Dana DePalo, John Paparazzo, Scott Piro, Levy Lorenzo.



**International Weekend Committee:** (from top) Laolu Fayanju, Scott Piro, Andrea DeLisi, Quinn Walsh, Lauren Ercolano, Lauri Bush, Melissa Koes, Chrissy Cocchiola, Pallie Kuzsma, John Alati, Janine Miscia, Laura Lubrano, Vicki Saxon, Lauren Steberger, Whitney Buckholtz, Caroline Streicher, Lola Fayanju, Erin Drury, Nicole Baguer.

## Les Misérables

COMPANY IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER

Rich Affannato	Cliffon Hall
Becky Barta	Brian Herriott
D.B. Bonds	Nathan Keen
Catherine Brunell	Stephanie Likes
Anne Buchteman	Scott Logsdon
Lisa Capps	Michael L. Marra
Mary Chesterman	David Masenheimer
	Parrish







French Club members Caroline Streicher, Chrissy Cocchiola, Palle Kuzsma, Jim Aldworth, and Amanda Dolahan enjoy the Broadway show *Les Misérables* in the Big Apple. The French Club organized the "Oh La La" lollipop sale as a fundraiser for this year's trip. Nick Johansky and Amy Friedman bond with International Weekend students. Verona hosted more than 30 foreign students who participated in many events sponsored by a panel of chosen students. Members of the Spanish Club Todd Neale, Levy Lorenzo, Kevin Swatt, Lauren Ercolano, Dana DePalo, and Christina Mindyk chow down some appetizing Spanish cuisine at Don Pepe's. The club watched and participated in native Latin American dances in Bergen County, before dining at the restaurant.



# Law and Order



**Mock Trial:** (from top) Sandy Mediago, Robert Minutoli, Anthony D'Alessio, Adrian Sancho, Laolu Fayanju, Marlene Chua, Mae Chua, Chris Chua, Jeff Bennett, Caroline Streicher, Nick Johansky, Anthony DeRosa, Nicole Baguer, John Alati, Amanda Tassin.



**Model UN:** (from top) Nick Mathers, Mike DeGrande, Jeff Bennett, Theresa Wohlrabe, Caroline Streicher, Lola Fayanju, Amy Friedman.



**Youth and Government:** (from top) John Alati, Peter Burgess, Brian Smith, Collin Pissarra, Adrian Sancho, Advisor Mr. Maher, Nicole Baguer, Danielle Villarosa, Laura Lubrano, Kelly Jackson, Christen Tassin.

Youth in Government students conduct a town council meeting (not pictured here) in which they discuss community problems and ways they can be improved.





After a long day of three hour conferences the members of Model UN are ready to have some fun at the annual dance. This year VHS students traveled to Boston where they represented El Salvador and discussed various world issues. Mae Chua, the defendant, is directed by defense lawyer, John Alati, while members of the jury look on. The defense team plans their strategy before the trial. Amanda Tassin, a second defense lawyer, questions Adrian Sancho on his whereabouts on the night of the murder. During Mock Trial, students are able to display their court skills by participating in a fictitious trial. The students assemble a prosecution and defense team who compete against those of other schools.



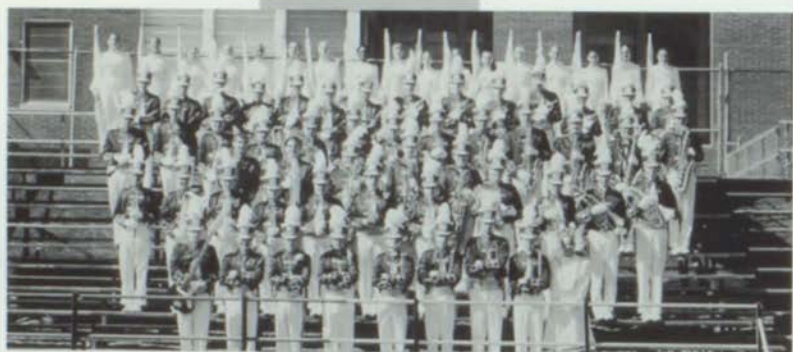


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# Music



Concert Band



Marching Maroon and White



Jazz Band



Choir







Mindy Rossi, featured as a solo guard member, shows her grace on the field. Levy Lorenzo adds to the special percussion ensemble during the winter concert. Tom Hayes finds other uses for his drill book. The Drum Section is all smiles for winning "Best Percussion" after a great performance in Passaic Valley. Hanging out with friends helps everyone survive band camp. As alto section leader, Erin Drury plays a feature solo in the concert band. The colorguard stops for a pose after a victorious job at Giants' Stadium.





Marissa Antolino keeps up the tempo while remaining in step. Playing as a trio in the winter concert, Jim Aldworth, Justin Baker, and band director Max Morden show their performing skills. Members of the Jazz Choir sing their favorite number, "Nightingale" in perfect harmony. Drum Major Katie Wojtal salutes to judges before conducting the show.

**President:** Nick Mathers

**Vice President:** Phil Zaks

**Drum Major:** Katie Wojtal

**Funniest Quotes:** "A pox on you and your first born!" "Put your hand on your head and say duh!" "Chicks and Baba-Yaga are fun to do!" "Go Guard!" "I quit!" (Choir)

**Most Absent:** Lola Fayanju

**Has Most Answers:** Phil Zaks

**Most Picked On:** Trevor Perkins, Caroline Streicher, Beutleberg boys . . . etc.

**Always Ready with a Reed:** Josh Hunnex

**Best Section:** Trumpets, Altos (tie)

**Giants' Stadium:** Third Place

**Greatest Accomplishment:** Recovering from Toronto



# SENIORS



David Baker



Kristin Burgess



Daren Clancy



Erin Drury



Lola Fayanju

Katie Wojtal, Danielle Iannuzzi, and Amanda Tone hang out with one of their favorite band directors, Mr. Tittle, before they warm up for a football game. After four years of band together, the seniors all pose after the annual Thanksgiving Day show.



Mass Gallinoni



Danielle Iannuzzi



Kelly Jackson



Nick Mathers



Mike Straus



Caroline Streicher



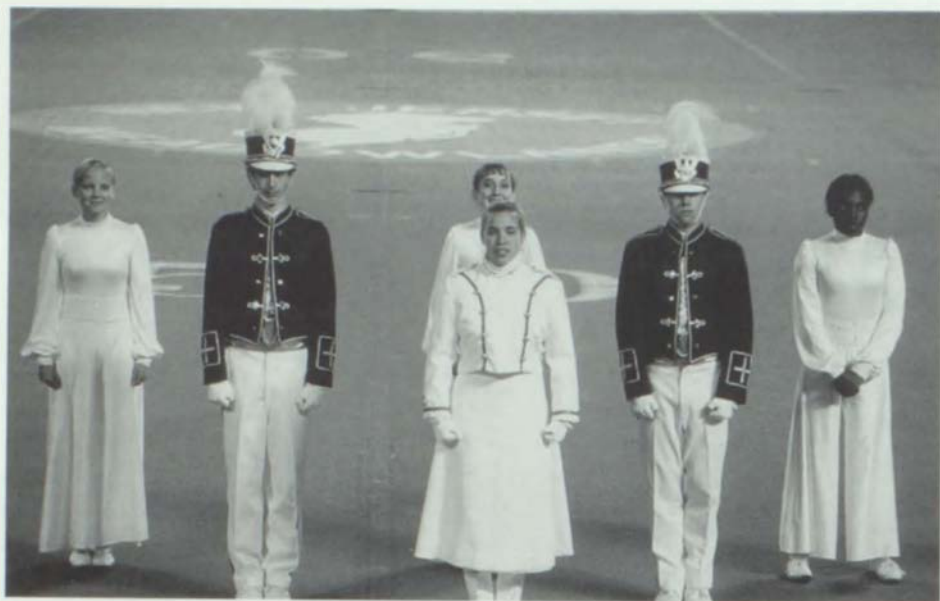
Amanda Tone



Katie Wojtal







The head band and guard officers anxiously await for awards at Giants' Stadium. In rugbies, the band plays in the stands to help inspire the football team on a cold day. Nick Mathers, percussion section leader, remains concentrating on the drum major during a performance. Soloing in the jazz band, Brian Ferrel performs during the International Week-end concert on his trombone.





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# Student Council



**Senior Council:** (from back) Katie Clancy, Erin Drury, Brian Smith, Erin Moran, Heather Hafer, Jon Meyer, Katie Wojtal, Melissa Johnson, Mitul Patel, Christen Tassin.  
**Executive Board:** Danille Villarosa, John Alati, Nicole Baguer.

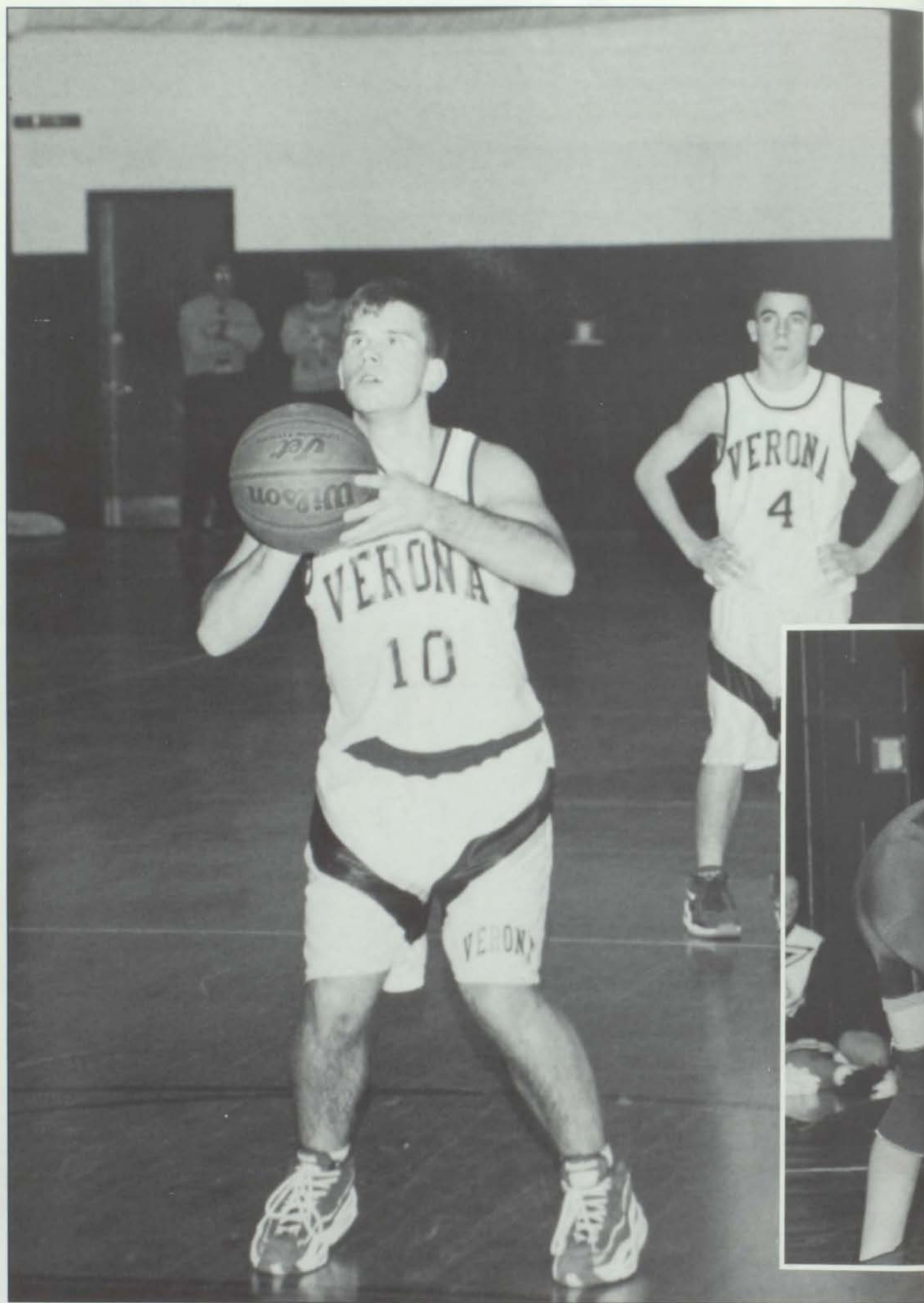


**Juniors:** Quinn Walsh, Milena Leznicki, Kerry Goodwin, Lauren Ercolano, Pallie Kuzma, Katie Myers, Liz Ward, Vicki Saxon, Lauren Steberger.  
**Sophomores:** Beth Noble, Krissy DiTrani, Kevin Swatt, Josh Knoblick, Erica Geiselmann, Mindy Rossi, Beth Abeles.  
**Freshman:** Amanda Tassin, Jamie Jacobson, Sandy Mediago, John Paparazzo, Nick Johansky, Mike D'Alessio, Tracy Clarkin, Angela Kessler.

Student Council members Kerry Goodwin and Liz Ward prepare the week's agenda on the new school sign. Whitney Buckholz, Kelly Jackson and Laura Lubrano spread their Christmas cheer at the semi-formal dance as they pay a visit to Santa. Senior Class President Heather Hafer and Student Council President John Alati try to persuade Dr. Clancy into confirming possible senior exemptions from finals.









# Sports

# Sports





# Boys' Soccer



Above- Top Row: Justin Baker, Todd Neale, Patrick Rondino, Dave Conlan, Mark DiRoma, Dave Camp, John Alati, Collin Pisarra, Mass Gallinoni, Pete Romanyshyn, Jim Aldworth, Richard Unis, Coach Dave Conlan. Bottom Row: Joe Benyo, James Schmidt, Dan Pritchard, Levy Lorenzo, Justin Fiory, Pete Burgess, Justin Mele, Richard Bell, Sabino Sellitto.



John Alati  
Captain



Collin Pisarra  
Captain



Mass Gallinoni  
Captain



Mark DiRoma



Peter Burgess



Eric Dimeck



Dan Pritchard



Dave Camp







**Captains:** John Alati  
Massimiliano Gallinoni  
Collin Pisarra

**Highlights:** Shut out against Whippany Park (3-0)  
to make the State Tournament

**Team Quote:** "Come on, Mas"- Mas Gallinoni  
"Enough cockamamie excuses"- Coach Conlan

**Biggest Heart:** Pete Burgess

**Best Excuses:** Collin Pisarra

**Always Injured:** Eric Dimeck

**Most Erratic:** Mr. DiRoma, Mr. Alati



Clockwise from left: Dave Camp maneuvers in for the score while baffling defenders. Mark DiRoma demonstrates his skills against Kinnelon, while leading his squad to another victory. Joe Benyo puts pressure on the opposing goalie. Collin Pisarra sets his teammates up for a goal with a powerful corner kick.



# Girls' Soccer



Above- Top Row: Coach Bob Liddle, Sara Spektor, Kerry Goodwin, Andrea DeLisi, Marissa Antolino, Amanda Potts, Tara McGarrity, Lacy Byers, Erin McGarrity. Middle Row: Laura Lubrano, Monika Wnekowicz, Kristin Burgess, Shauna Sacchi, Torrie Flach, Geovana Barnave. Bottom Row: Katie Wojtal, Kelly Lynch, Sandy Peterson.



Kelly Lynch  
Captain



Sandy Peterson  
Captain



Katie Wojtal  
Captain



Kristin Burgess



Laura Lubrano



Monika  
Wnekowicz



Torrie Flach



Geovana Barnave







**Captains:** Kelly Lynch  
Sandy Peterson  
Katie Wojtal

**Highlights:** Winning six games  
Katie's rendition of the ping-pong story

**Best Game:** MKA

**Team Quote:** "It's the highest one today" -  
old man at the Chatham game



Clockwise from left: Tara McGarrity maneuvers around a Newark Academy defender. Kerry Goodwin and Andrea DeLisi hustle back to defend their goal. Sandy Peterson prepares for one of her powerful kicks. Torrie Flach sets up her teammates for yet another goal.



# Football



Above- Top Row: Nick Serpico, Steve Hayes, Joe Vece, Coach Dave D'Adozzio, Coach Ray Bowes, Coach Alex Kaplanovich, Coach Bob Czuka, Coach Robert Maher, Ryan Garthwaite, Jon Meyer, Roger O'Callaghan. Middle Row: Brian Smith, Gary Venner, Ryan Bush, Robert Chiappone, Tom Kikos, Kevin Demasi, Shawn Hartwig, Neil Berger, Phil Zaks, Chris Yanetelli, Anthony Rivera. Bottom Row: Bayram Harjulla, Paul Bestido, Keith Passaro, Thomas Gilsenan, Marc Nigro, Anthony Nigro, Anthony Goss, Ralph Trombino, Mike Passero.



Jon Meyer  
Captain



Brian Smith  
Captain



Marc Nigro



Joe Vece







**Captains:**

Jon Meyer  
Brian Smith

**Highlights:** Bowes vs. Csuka - fight to the death  
Kap's slippery day punt

**Best Game:** Chatham (23-19) - Second half comeback

**Team Quotes:** "Gas 'em up!"

**Team Nicknames:** Bobby "Cut 'em" Chiappone  
Dr. Neil Berger  
Mo / Jerky

**Biggest Heart:** Tom Gilly



Clockwise from left: The Verona football team celebrates after a close "come from behind" victory over Chatham. Ryan Bush runs for another VHS touchdown. The Hillbillies show their excitement before a big game. Marc Nigro escapes a tackle for a Verona first down. Coach Bowes and Coach Kap give quarterback Brian Smith good advice for the next play.



# Cheerleading

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Above-Top Row: Amanda Checchetto, Marissa DeLuca, Nicole Grecco, Krissy DiTrani, Megan McAleer, Kelly Sheridan, Coach Gina Pratola, Dorri Stroll, Erin Sheridan, Kathy Cirello, Melissa Carsillo, Megan Abeles, Jennifer Blum. Bottom Row: Nicole Baguer, Erin Moran, Melissa Johnson, Marissa Holler.



Erin Moran  
Captain- Fall, Winter



Melissa Johnson  
Captain- Fall



Nicole Baguer



Marissa Holler







**Captains:** (Fall) Melissa Johnson, Erin Moran  
(Winter) Erin Moran

**Biggest Heart:** (Fall) Erin Moran

**Team Quote:** (Fall) "Brick Wall",  
(Winter) "Swoosh!"

**Team Song:** (Fall) "Hold Up", (Winter)  
"Short Man"

**Highlights:** (Fall) Grease, Carlos stories, singing Mr. Touchdown, Mr. Meyer's talk, CG drive-bys. (Winter) Glen Ridge County Tournament, having a gym to ourselves, missing time-outs



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Above- Top Row: Coach Gina Pratola, Nicole Grecco, Kelly Sheridan, Dana DePalo, Amanda Checchetto, Stephanie Desantis, Mindy Rossi. Bottom Row: Marissa DeLuca, Erin Sheridan, Emily Potts, Erin Moran, Jessica Smith, Megan McAleer, Melissa Carsillo.  
Clockwise from left: Kelly Sheridan, Nicole Grecco, Marissa DeLuca, and Emily Potts show their school spirit while cheering at a Girls' Basketball game. The Varsity Cheerleaders strut their stuff during their half-time performance. Between chants, Megan McAleer, Krissy DiTrani, and Marissa DeLuca pose for a quick picture. Erin Moran supports the Hillbillies with a smile. The Winter Cheerleaders stunt up for the Friday night crowd. During a time-out the team is in sync to get the fans psyched.



# Girls' *Tennis*



Above- Top Row: Coach Jorge Valcarcel, Mae Chua, Beth Abele, Elizabeth Ward, Rachel Jacobs, Sara Ramon. Middle Row: Kate Myers, Melina Lezniki, Lisa Kealy, Lauren Ercolano. Bottom Row: Danielle Villarosa, Erica DePalo, Jessica Haffner.



Danielle Villarosa  
Captain



Jessica Haffner  
Captain



Erica DePalo







**Captains:** Jessica Haffner, Danielle Villarosa

**Best Memory:** Pizza parties on the bleachers

**Biggest Heart:** Erica DePalo

**Quickest Match:** Newark Academy (in the rain)

**Team Quotes:** "Welcome to camp Val!" "These balls are dead!"

**Team Songs:** "Tonight is the Night" "The Bomb"

**Highlights:** Essex County Tournament, Shaving Cream Fight, Playing against Val (and winning)



Clockwise from left: Erica DePalo has her opponent on the run with her perfect backhand. Danielle Villarosa prepares for another remarkable ace. Jessica Haffner makes a great save to lead her to another victory. Rachel Jacobs demonstrates how to hustle on the court. Kate Myers begins the point with a powerful serve.



# Cross Country



Above- Top Row: Andrew Baker, Karl Weber, Kristin Shepard, Lauren Steberger, Coach John Brennan, Erin Drury, Kalpesh Parekh, Laolu Fayanju, Andrew Beuttler. Middle Row: Katie Clancy, Hollie Pritchard, Beth Noble, Alicia D'Amato, Sarah Michalowski, Kelly Walsh, Adam Gerenstein, James Dulong, Sharon Palatucci. Bottom Row: Alexis Maisenbacher, Holly Friedman, Jacqueline Phillips, Caroline Streicher, Chrissy Cocchiola, Amy Friedman, Kim Stumper, Maureen Jackson.



Katie Clancy  
Captain



Erin Drury  
Captain



Amy Friedman  
Captain







**Captains:** Katie Clancy  
Erin Drury  
Amy Friedman  
Adam Gerenstein

**Best Meet:** MKA (we won)

**Best Moment:** When we shared the bus with the tennis team

**Team Quote:** "Verona X-Country . . . DAL . . . Run, Karl Run!"

**Highlights:** Laolu and his encounter at Branch Brook Park with the knife



Clockwise from left: Coach Brennan gives one of his inspirational pep talks prior to a meet. Karl Weber passes a Whippany Park runner. The VHS team takes off at the starting line. Katie Clancy pulls ahead of all competitors. Erin Drury and Kristin Shepard are still in good shape after the second mile.



# Boys' Basketball



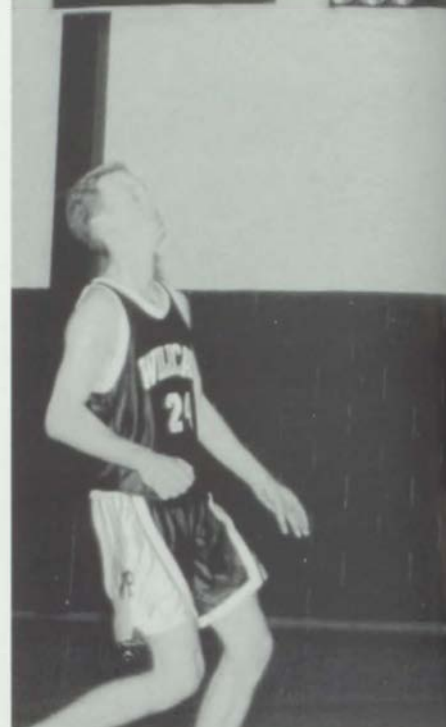
Above- Top Row: Coach Patrick Brunner, Peter Romanyshyn, Nick Serpico, Justin Fiory, Chris Seigel, Jon Meyer, Roger O'Callahan, David Conlan, Brian Smith, Shawn Hartwig, Coach Rob Romanyshyn. Bottom Row: Steve Niewiadomski, Anthony Goss, Mike Passero, Phil Zaks, Joe Benyo. Managers: Lauren Ercolano, Melissa Johnson.



Jon Meyer  
Captain



Brian Smith  
Captain







**Captains:** Jon Meyer  
Brian Smith  
Joe Benyo

**Best Game:** County tournament against Glen Ridge

**Team Song:** "The Foundation"

**Biggest Accomplishment:** Reaching second round of States

**Highlights:** Chatham game, finally beating Cedar Grove, State tournament birth, the "No pressure, pressure" speech before the Science game



Clockwise from left: Peter Romanyshyn battles through Whippany Park defenders while going up for two. Justin Fiory defies the laws of gravity on his way up to the hoop. The Verona Hillbillies get psyched in a huddle before a big game. "Air Serpico" demonstrates how to dunk during a Friday night basketball game. Joe Benyo catches the photographer attempting to steal secrets during Coach Brunner's timeout.



# Girls' Basketball



Above- Top Row: Coach Joel Throne, Marissa Antolino, Carla Velardi, Jessica Haffner, Geovana Barnave, Erica Toth, Coach Robert Graham. Bottom Row: Amanda Shafer, Danielle Villarosa, Sandy Peterson, Kelly Lynch, Beth Noble.



Danielle Villarosa  
Captain



Sandy Peterson  
Captain



Kelly Lynch  
Captain



Jessica Haffner



Carla Velardi



Geovana Barnave







**Captains:** Kelly Lynch  
Sandy Peterson  
Danielle Villarosa

**Best Games:** Chatham, Pingry

**Team Quote:** "She's a BEAST!"

**Team Songs:** "I Like It Like That", "I Believe I Can Fly"

**Highlights:** Making the state tournament, laughing during practices, singing on the bus, actually having cheerleaders and an announcer at our home games.



Clockwise from left: Jessica Haffner prepares to take one of her famous jump shots. Geovana Barnave battles under the board as she breaks through for an easy two. As Coach Graham decides what defense to play, the Verona girls are engrossed in the game. Danielle Villarosa takes the ball to the hole for a game-winning lay-up. Sandy Peterson beats her defender off the dribble to attempt a shot at the basket.



# Wrestling



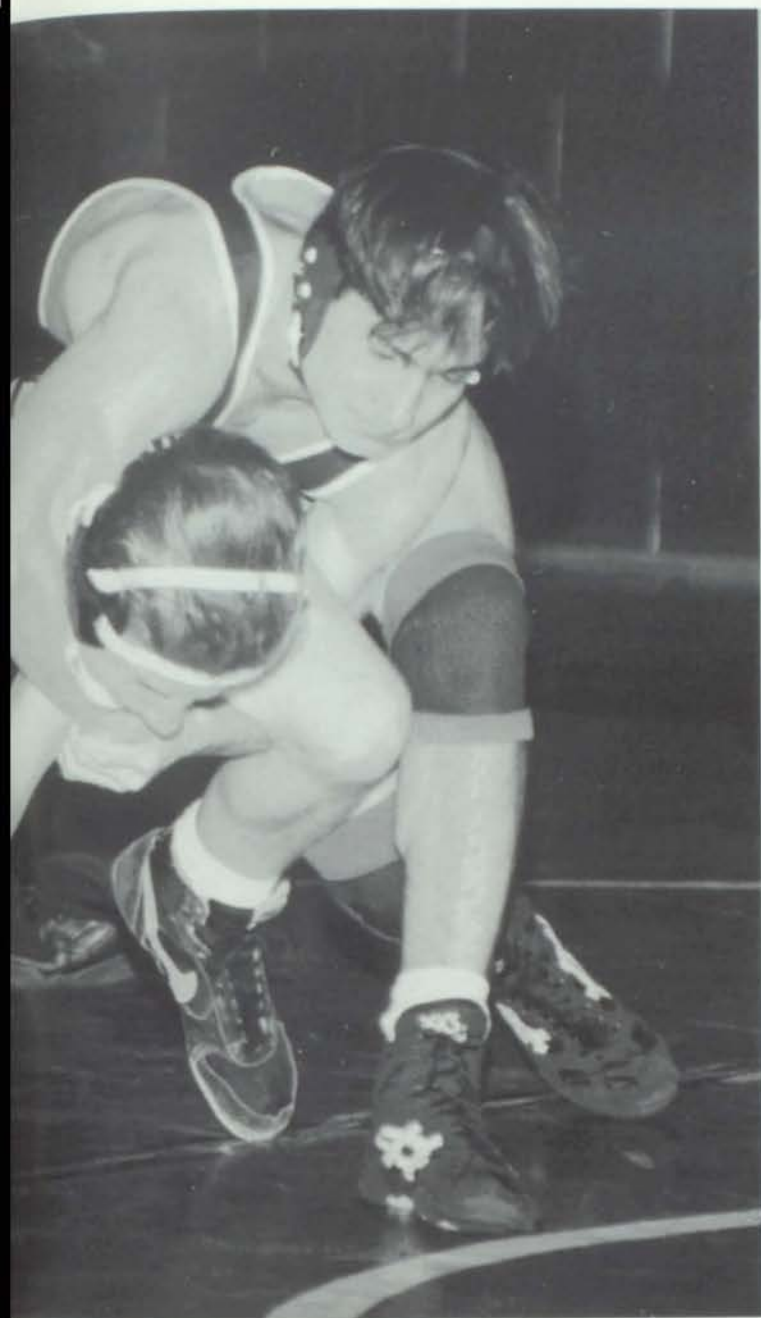
Above- Top Row: Coach Lehman, Tim Drappi, Richard Unis, Viktor Meilands, Joe Vece, David Ramos, Nick Catena, Mike Lutz, Kevin DeMasi, Coach Murphy. Bottom Row: Dominique Perez, Justin Mele, Tom Cocchiola, Michael D'Alessio, Patrick Aldworth.



Joe Vece







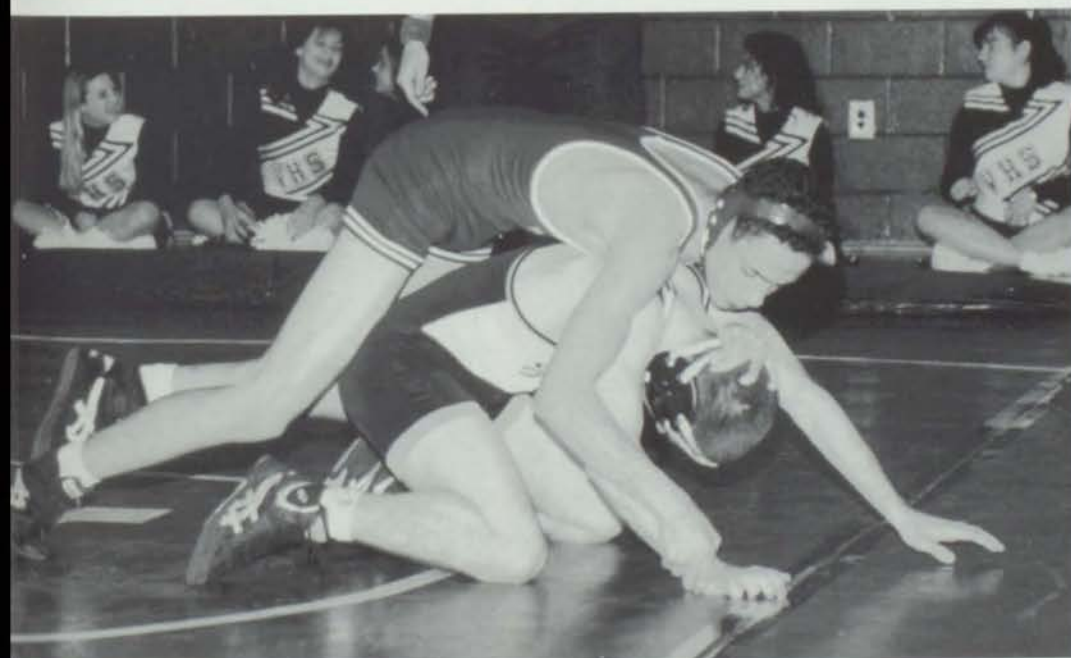
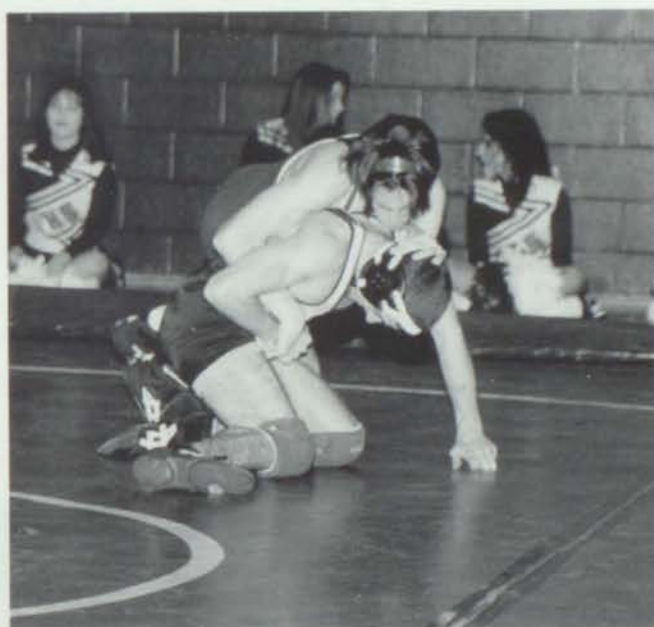
**Captain:** Justin Mele

**Biggest Heart:** Tom Cocchiola

**Team Quote:** "Spastic"

**Team Song:** "Disco Inferno"

**Highlights:** Big Vic's pin vs. Glen Ridge, Tim beating captain, Mele's pin vs. Kinnelon, Vece winning with a broken toe



Clockwise from left: David Ramos puts his opponent in a brutalizing hold. Coach Murphy congratulates Captain Justin Mele after a stellar performance in his match. Tom Cocchiola throws the opposing wrestler to the mat while the cheerleaders look on in awe. Ricky Unis fends off the Cedar Grove wrestler in his attempt to pin him. Kevin Demasi-Johnson puts all his weight and effort into winning his match. Mike Lutz puts his opponent into a compromising hold in order to arise victorious.



# Hockey



Above- Top Row: Trevor Perkins, Ray Perez, Craig Casella, Jaime Hopp, Ted Klingert, Bobby Lynch, Jesse Federbush, Coach Starikov, Joel DeJong, Tim Egan, Mike Harriet, Sky Patterson, Nick Lodato, Refe McLoughlin. Bottom Row: Chris Bronca, Jay Danno, Cameron Allison, Ilia Starikov, Rich Spano, Brian Zickerman, Bobby DeSantis.



Nick Lodato  
Captain



Robert DeSantis



Brian Zickerman







**Captain:** Nick Lodato

**Best Game:** Toms River East

**Biggest Heart:** Bob DeSantis

**Team Song:** "You Give Love A Bad Name"

**Team Quote:** "WIN!"

**Most Improved:** Trevor Perkins

**Highlights:** Nick's checks, Egan's figure skating



Clockwise from left: Bob DeSantis and Brian Zickerman attentively stand guard in front of the goal. Craig Casella maneuvers towards the net for a score. Coach Starikov gives an inspiring pep-talk to the team before a big game. Bob DeSantis positions himself to steal the puck from a West Essex player. Trevor Perkins fights for the puck during a face-off.



# Baseball



Above- Top Row: Steve Niewiadomski, Brian Smith, Mark DiRoma, Rodger O'Callaghan, Chris Siegel, Gary Venner, Peter Romanyshyn, Coach Joel Throne. Bottom Row: Shaun Ward, Bob Shafer, Joe Benyo, Neil Berger, Ryan Bush.



Brian Smith  
Captain



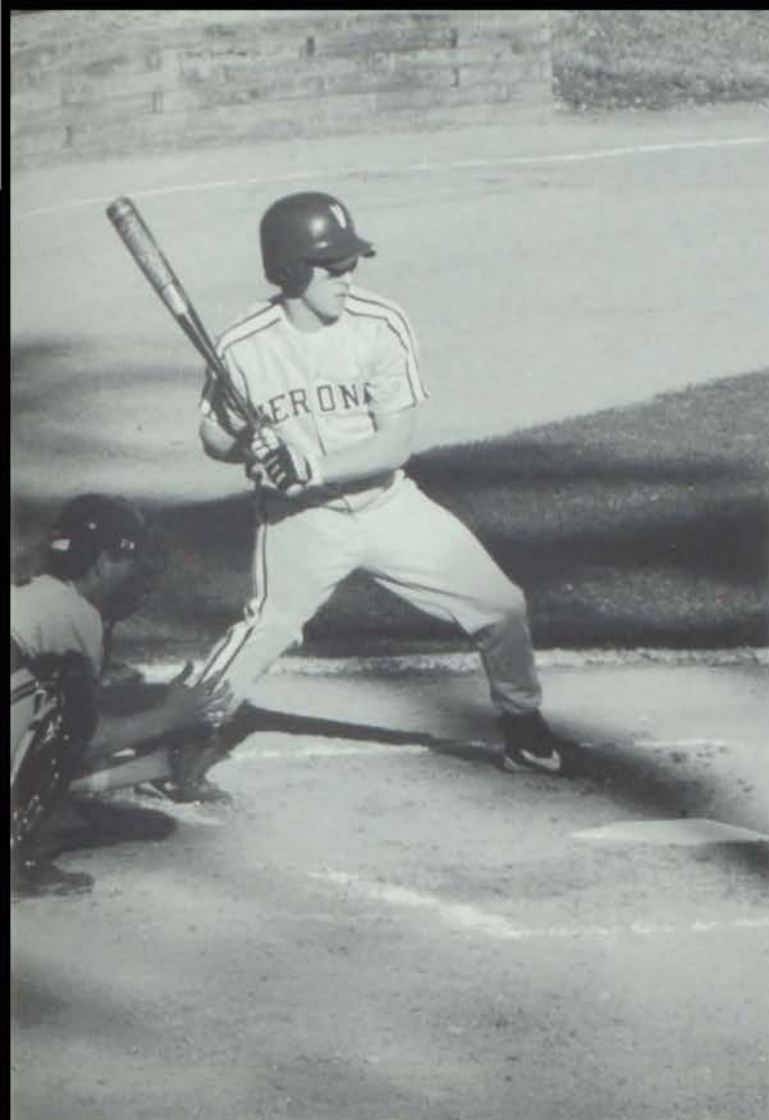
Bob Shafer  
Captain



Mark DiRoma  
Captain







*Captains:* Brian Smith  
Bob Shafer  
Mark DiRoma

*Team Song:* "We're Talking Baseball"

*Staff Ace:* Pete Romanyshyn

*Best Game:* Cedar Grove (9-8)

*Team Acrobat:* Brian Smith

*Highlights:* Neil's spill, Fiory's take-down, Siegel beat-ings, Bish's home run



Clockwise from left: Joe Benyo avoids a wild pitch during an intense game. Captain Mark DiRoma slides into home to show Cedar Grove who's boss. First baseman Brian Smith and Second baseman Neil Berger "get in their circles". Ryan Bush sets his stance for the pitch. Third baseman Gary Venner launches a throw to first for a quick out.



# Softball



Above- Top Row: Coach David Conlan, Paola Carpenito, Mandy Shafer, Sue Gaccione.  
Second Row: Marissa Antolino, Sarah Federico, Andrea DeLisi, Amanda Potts, Bottom  
Row: Kelly Lynch, Sandy Peterson, Danielle Villarosa, Katie Wojtal.



Danielle Villarosa  
Captain



Sandy Peterson  
Captain



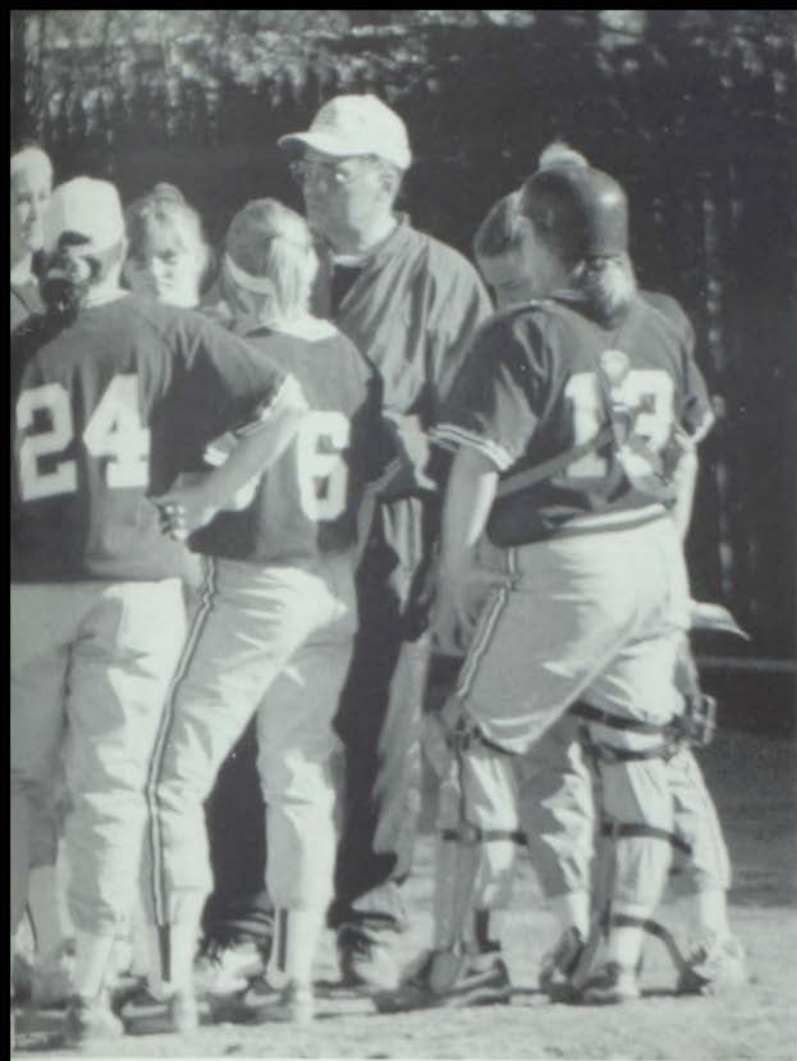
Katie Wojtal  
Captain



Kelly Lynch  
Captain







*Captains:* Kelly Lynch  
Sandy Peterson  
Danielle Villarosa  
Katie Wojtal

*Team Song:* "Set It Off"

*Team Nicknames:* Pancho Villa, Petey, Katie  
"Guns" Wojtal, Tootsy-Bella

*Coach's Imaginary Friends:* Joe Fafandone  
and Betty Bachagaloop

*Best Game:* Mountain Lakes (away)

*Team Snacks:* Koala Yummies, Dirty Potato  
Chips, Veggie Chips

*Highlights:* Winning Snickers bars, the Moun-  
tain Lakes brawl, concrete field at FNB, FNB  
after school program (John), Shafer's annoy-  
ing team songs



Clockwise from Left: Captains Danielle Villarosa,  
Sandy Peterson, Katie Wojtal, and Kelly Lynch clown  
around before a game. Catcher Katie Wojtal lays down  
the bunt. Captain Sandy Peterson prepares to steal  
home. Shortstop Danielle Villarosa makes a close play  
at second. Coach Conlan gives his team some words  
of wisdom. Pitcher Sarah Federico winds up for yet  
another strike.



# Track



The 1997 Boys Track Team



Eric Dimeck  
Captain



Lola Fayanju  
Captain



Katie Clancy  
Captain



Kristin Burgess



Jessica Haffner



Carla Velardi



David Dickman







*Captains:* Katie Clancy  
Lola Fayanju  
Eric Dimeck  
Nick Serpico

*Team Qoute:* "No Freshmen in the back of the bus!"

*Fastest:* Andrew Baker, Beth Noble

*Best Jumper:* John Barnave, Carla Velardi

*Best Thrower:* Nick Serpico, Erin McGarity

*Best Meet:* Summit Relays

*Highlights:* Almost Beating Pingry, ice cream trips



## The 1997 Girls Track Team



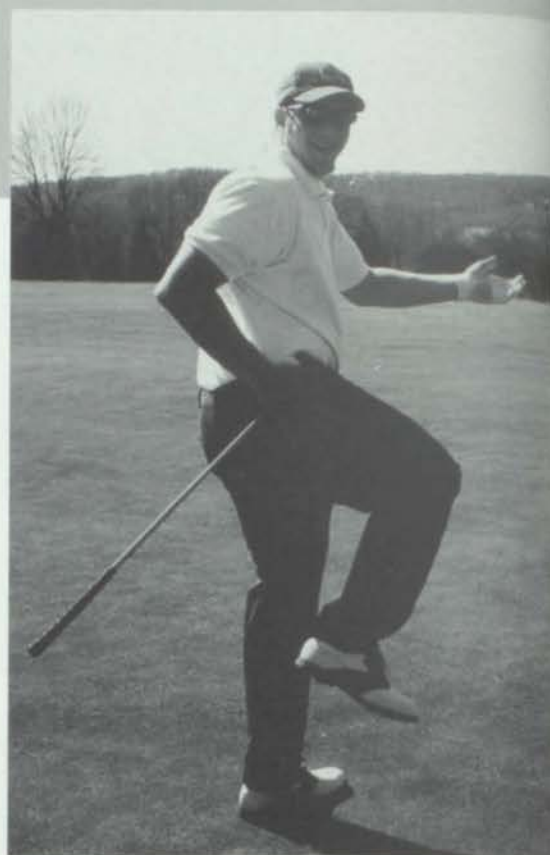
Clockwise from left: Captain Nick Serpico prepares to launch his javelin through the air and win first place. Richie Bell and James Dulong battle out the last stretch of the mile at Bernards. The Verona Track Team discusses strategy for their upcoming meet. Getting her steps down before her race, Carla Velardi leaps gracefully over a hurdle. On a cold afternoon, the team warms up before a big meet.



# Golf



Above- Top Row: Adam Decker, Brian Tortorella, Anthony DeRosa, Jim Aldworth, Bob Garthwaite, Jon Meyer, Joe Vincent, Coach Gary Farishian. Bottom Row: Brian Wychules, Quinn Walsh, Frank DeMaio, Pat Aldworth, Pete Malanga, Mike McManus



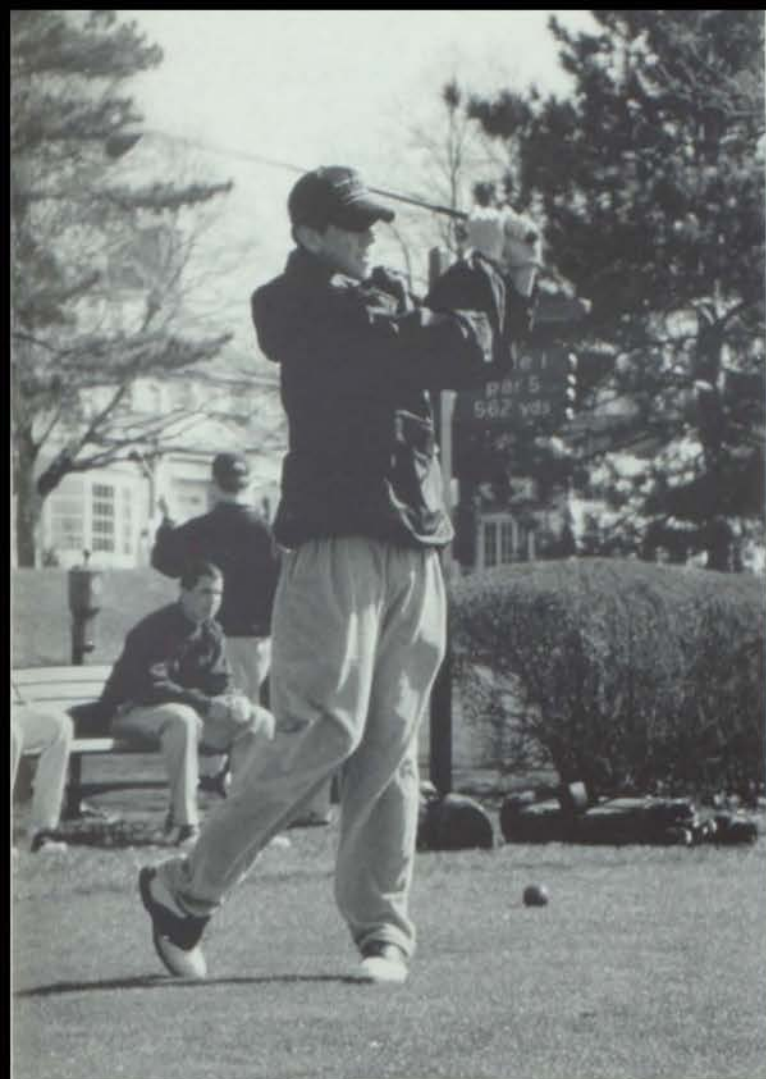
Bob Garthwaite  
Captain



Jon Meyer







*Captain:* Bob Garthwaite

*Team Quote:* "Do You Mind?..."

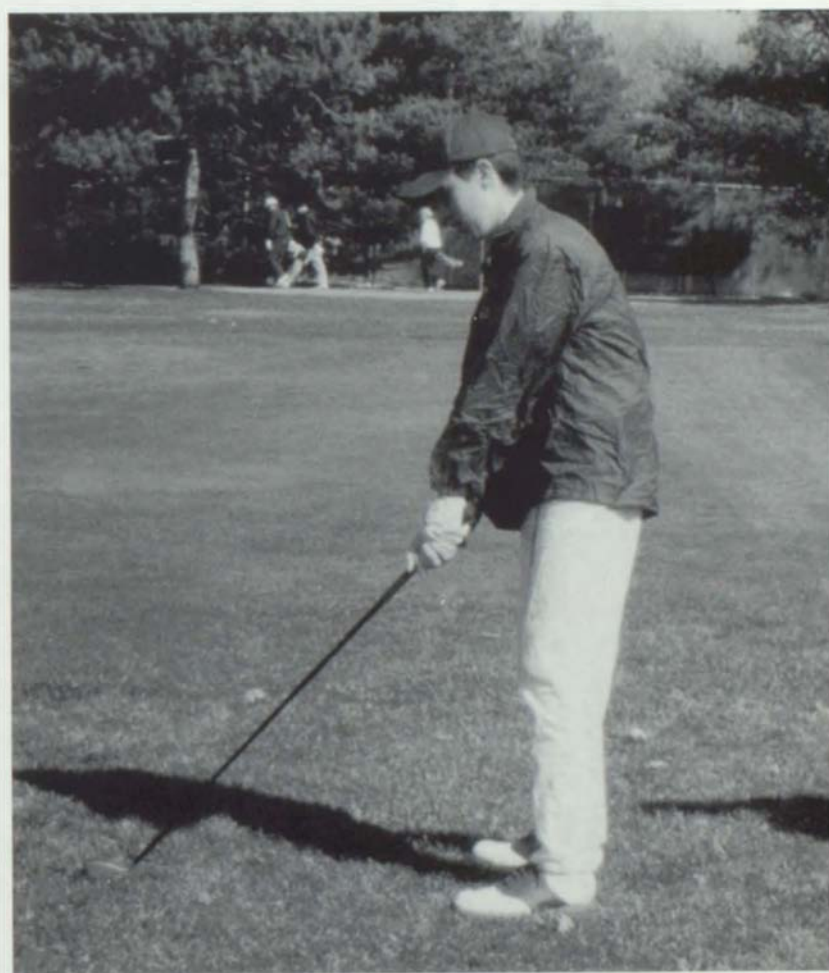
*Team Song:* "What's up Doc?" Fu-Schniken's

*Best Match:* Bloomfield High School

*Best Drive:* Wychules first hole (Negative Yardage)

*Highlights:* Beating West Side and Mt. St. Dominic

*Funniest Moment:* Malanga's Mudslide



Clockwise from left: Captain Bob Garthwaite "goofs off" between holes at a match at Monclair Golf Club. Bob Garthwaite, Jon Meyer, and Mike McManus prove that golf really is a team sport. Pete Malanga shows good form after a long drive. Jon Meyer shows his true talent on the golf course. Mike McManus follows through on an impressive drive. Anthony DeRosa sets up to tee off.



# Boys' Tennis



Dave Camp  
Captain



Above- Top row: Coach Jack Kloss, Levy Lorenzo, Mass Gallinoni, Palie Kuzsma, Collin Pisarra, Phil Zaks, Pete Burgess. Bottom Row: Shaun McLoughlin, Elginero Garcia, Pete Crawford, Adam Bickoff, Doug Peeler.



Pete Burgess  
Captain



Mitul Patel

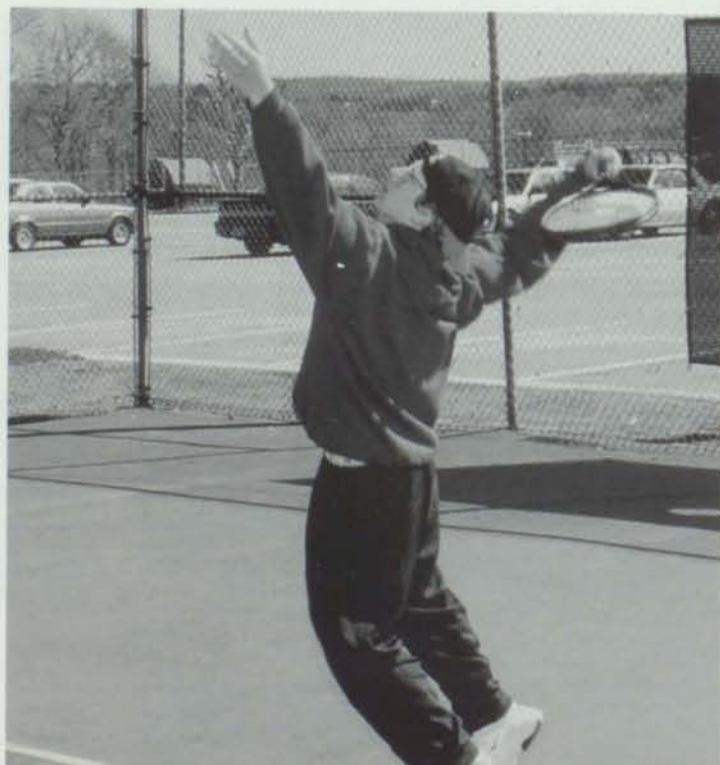


Collin Pisarra



Mass Gallinoni

Clockwise from right: Phil Zaks warms-up with a serve. Achieving some serious hang-time, Pete Burgess skies to make a return. Mr. Kloss leads the team in a cool-down exercise. Palie Kuzsma puts some spin on his forehand.







*Captains:* Dave Camp  
Peter Burgess

*Team Song:* "Put me in choach, I'm ready to play...today!"

*Highlights:* Yes





# Volleyball



Above- Top Row: Coach Kubik, Torrie Flach, Annie Mechael, Theresa Wohlrabe, Monika Wnekowicz, Danielle Lardieri, Jenna Minutoli, Frances Conway. Bottom Row: Elizabeth Ward, Cathleen Braun, Janine Miscia, Sharon Palatucci, Whitney Buckholz.



Dainelle Lardieri  
Captain



Monika Wnekowicz  
Captain



Theresa Wohlrabe



Anne Mechael



Torrie Flach



Kelly Jackson







*Captains:* Danielle Lardieri  
Monika Wnekowicz

*Team Quote:* No pressure

*Team Song:* "Fight For Your Right (To Party)" Beastie Boys

*Best Game:* Livingston

*Best Setter:* Theresa Wohlrabe

*Best Spiker:* Danielle Lardieri

*Best Server:* Monika Wnekowicz

*Highlights:* Having "Kube" for a coach and actually winning.



Clockwise from left: Torrie Flach cannot even watch as her teammate Sharon Palatucci makes a diving save. Monika Wnekowicz prepares to set the ball. Danielle Lardieri goes up for the game winning spike. The opposing team is blocked by the stellar performance of the Verona players. Coach Kubik gives an inspiring speech while preparing the team for victory.







# THANK YOU

to all members of the faculty and staff at VHS, especially Mr. Luks and Mr. White for their four years of service as our class advisors- you've helped make us who we are today!



## Best Wishes

to all of the underclassmen-  
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*1997*



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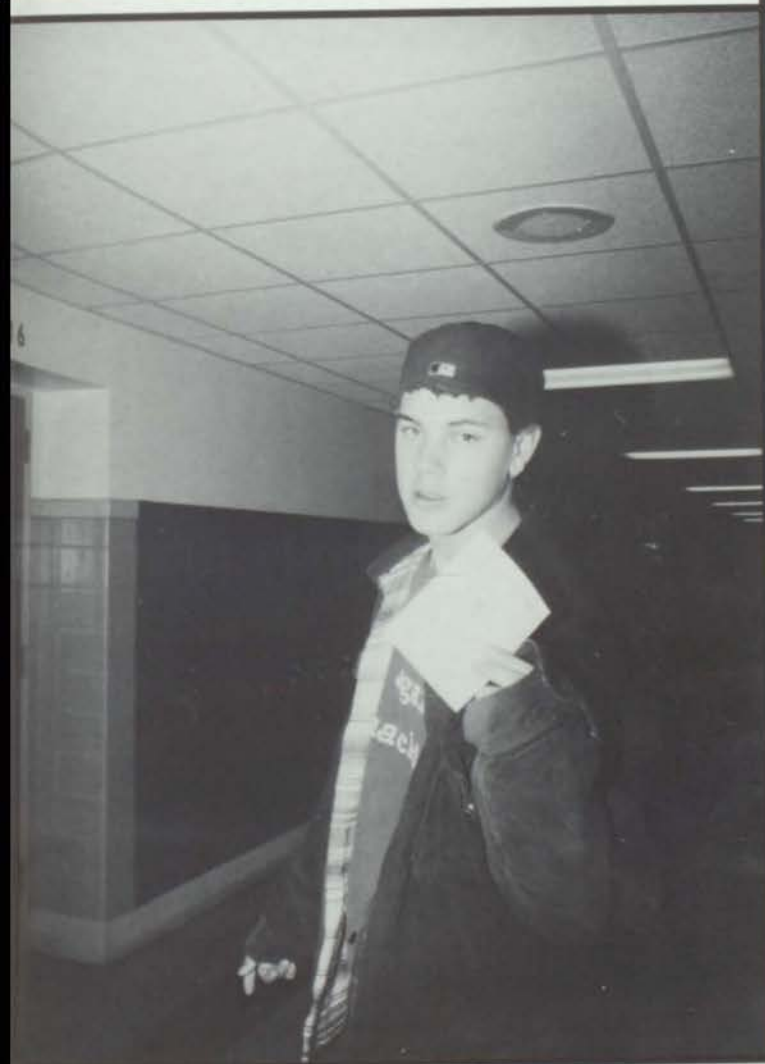
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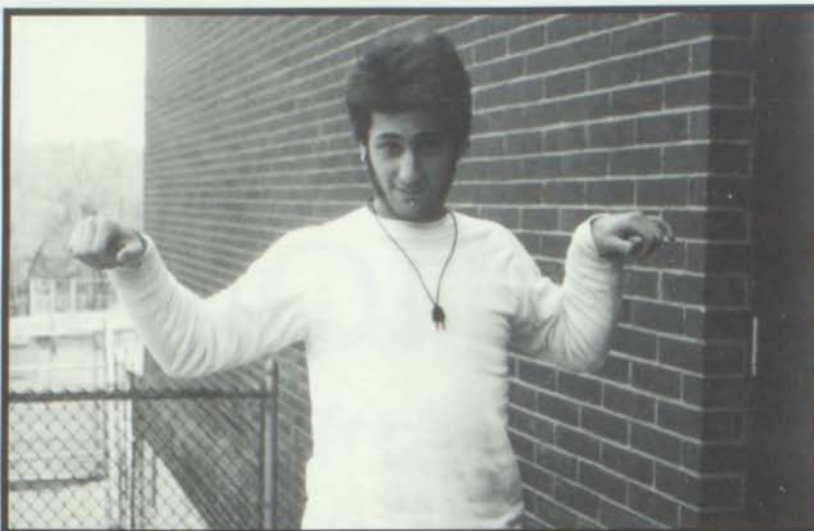
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Dear **Anthony**,

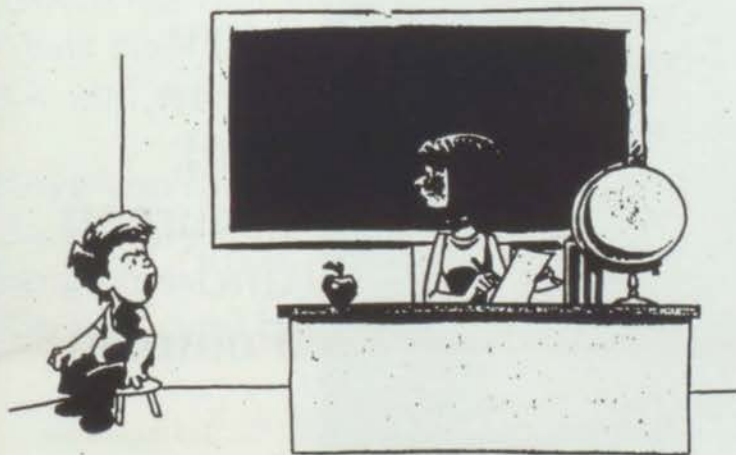
Your favorite song, and yes you certainly did it  
"your way," but remember:

"The key to happiness is having dreams...  
The key to success is making dreams come true."

We love you and are very proud of you.

Mom, Dad, Cara and Cassie

"FOR WHAT IS A MAN, WHAT HAS HE GOT  
IF NOT HIMSELF, THEN HE HAS NOT  
TO SAY THE THINGS HE TRULY FEELS AND  
NOT THE WORDS OF ONE WHO KNEELS  
THE RECORD SHOWS I TOOK THE BLOWS AND  
DID IT MY WAY."



"...And I did it my-y-y-y way!"







Congratulations **Corrine** and the class of 1997!

We are so very proud of you! You are our spunky, hardworking, and determined little darling. We know you will succeed in whatever you put your mind to. Follow your dreams, they are good ones.

All of our love and God bless you Always,

Mom, Dad, Ron and Michael

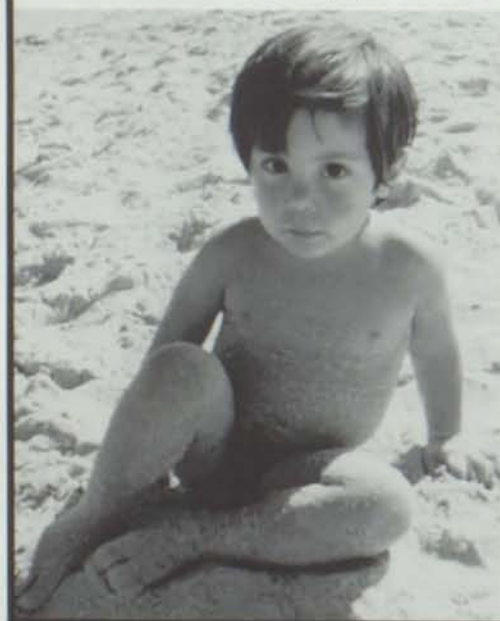
P.S. Message from Heaven: Grandma says "You go, one and only little granddaughter!"

From the time you were our little boy,  
you always gave us so much joy

The way you choose to live is yours  
Many choices to make though different doors.

Use your body, heart, mind and soul  
Seek your purpose, fulfillment, quest and goal.

Know wherever you go, you have our love  
and with God's help you'll rise above.



Congratulations  
**Dan**

Love,

Mom,  
Dad,  
Hollie,  
Elizabeth  
and Michael

Congratulations to  
**Kelly**  
and the class of '97

We are so proud of you!  
May all of your dreams  
come true.



Love,  
Mom,  
Dad,  
Maureen  
and  
Pumpkin





One's legacy should not always be measured purely on the basis of his noticeable accomplishments. Rather, it is best remembered by the friends he has touched and the lives he has affected.

Dear **Brad:**

As my son and my soul-mate, you have truly touched my life with your love, and I hope that the love I have for you will help carry you through every new and exciting phase of your life.

Love always,  
Dad

## Melissa Marie

Move forward, go ahead  
Leave just memories behind  
Your life now begins again  
You will see what you will find

Tomorrow is waiting just for you  
Down the trail slow but sure  
Walk carefully, watch your step  
Go and open your door

Love you Melissa  
So warm, caring, never loud  
So go now, LITTLE LISSY  
Go now, you have made us proud!



GOD BLESS!

CONGRATULATIONS! Mom, Dad, Alex, & Tommy J.



Dear **Heather:**

As a child you smiled and were cute.  
As an adult you are wise and astute.  
Your goals in life can always be found  
In whatever field you decide to abound.  
You are what you are, and what you always will be.  
The little girl I held on my knee.  
You are grown now and know what you want,  
And I'll always be behind you and ready to shout:  
"That's my granddaughter."



I love you,  
**Heather**  
Love ya,  
Grams

Dear **HLH**

You've always been our shining star  
Brightening our lives wherever you  
are.

We love you and are very proud  
A 4th generation Hafer graduating in  
the crowd.

"Heather, you're the best"



Love ya  
Uncle Bill,  
Aunt Jay &  
Ray

P.S. Always  
remember the fun  
we had on the Isle  
of Long

**Heather,**

Cherish Everyday  
Let life's ups and downs  
Fill you with hope and determination  
Reach for the stars  
And never let go of your dreams.

Love you always,



Mom,  
John,  
Robbie &  
Courtney

**Laura,**

Who you are speaks so loudly I  
can't hear what you're saying.

— Ralph Waldo Emerson —

Congratulations **Laura** and  
the class of 1997!



Love,  
Mom  
and  
Dad



Jon —

Here's to your future!

May the Road be smooth to a life of  
accomplishments!



We love you!  
Mom, Dad, and Josh

Congratulations Class of '97

Cherish your yesterdays,  
Dream your tomorrows,  
And live your todays.



Congratulations **Melissa**  
and the class of 1997!

You have made us so  
proud!

Love,  
Mom, Dad, Matt, Lauren  
and Elmo



Congratulations to  
**PhyllisAnn**  
and the class of '97

To Angel

We want God to teach us  
But gently we say  
We want to walk paths  
Without rocks in the way  
We want to smell roses  
But touch not of the thorns,  
And sail placid oceans  
Without any storms...

We are so proud of you  
May God bless and guide you through life  
Always be happy Angel  
We love you very much  
Mom, Dad, Rocky, Lacey, Breeon, Yia



Congratulations

**John**

Follow your dreams  
wherever they may lead

Love,

Mom, Cliff, & Beth,  
Grandpa and Memere,  
Uncle Jim, Uncle Mark,  
Aunt Fernanda, & Jeffery

To **Kristin**



You are as lovely on the inside as on the outside. Let your faith and courage carry you out into the world knowing we will always be proud of you.

Love,

Mom and Dad  
Jon-Eric and Kara



## To achieve your dreams, remember your ABCs

ABCD **E** Achieve your dreams



*Avoid negative sources, people, things and habits.*

*Believe in yourself.*

*Consider things from every angle*

*Don't give up and don't give in.*

*Enjoy life.*

*Family and friends are hidden treasures. Seek them and enjoy their riches.*

*Give more than you planned to give. - 150%*

*Hang onto your dreams.*

*Ignore those who try to discourage you.*

*Just do it.*

*Keep on trying. No matter how hard it seems, it will get easier.*

*Love unconditionally.*

*Make it happen.*

*Never lie, cheat or steal. Always strike a fair deal.*

*Open your eyes, and see things as they really are.*

*Practice makes perfect - especially in soccer.*

*Quitters never win, and winners never quit.*

*Read, study and learn about everything important in your life.*

*Stop procrastinating.*

*Take control of your own destiny.*

*Understand yourself in order to better understand others.*

*Vision, have it, use it.*

*Want it more than anything.*

*Xccelerate your efforts.*

*You are unique of all God's creations. Nothing can replace you.*

*Zero in on your target and go for it...*

**GOOD LUCK ERIC, WITH LOVE AND PRIDE, MOM, DAD & TERRI**





Congratulations  
**Adrian**  
and the class of 1997

We're very proud of you!

We love you -

Enjoy College, it will be the best  
time of your life.

Wishing you happiness in the  
future and always!

All our love,

Mom, Dad and Kimberly

Congratulations  
**Lauren**

Follow your dreams,  
Make the most of each day,  
stand up for what you believe in.  
Above all respect yourself  
and you can always be  
as proud of yourself  
as we all are of you.

Go, with all our love and support,

Mom, Dad and Chris





# Congratulations to **Bobby** & the Class of '97!



I wish for you to be happy,  
and to reach for the best...  
for what is happiness,  
if not to believe in  
and follow one's dream?  
— T. Gautier-

We love you now and  
forever,  
Mom, Dad, Tracy & Bubba

## **Dina Marie**

May you find happiness and  
success in all you do! If you  
believe in yourself, nothing is  
impossible...reach for the stars!

We are so proud of you!  
Congratulations to you and the  
class of 1997



Love always,  
Dad, Mom, Michael and Danny

## **Dear Erica**

We wish for you a contented life  
Filled with love and grace.  
For there is no greater joy for us  
Than a smile upon your face.



Love,  
Mom, Dad  
& Kristen



# Congratulations Kelly

BEAR WITH US FOR A MOMENT



Success is peace of mind which is a direct result of self-satisfaction in knowing you did your best to become the best you are capable of becoming.

What's right is not always popular and what's popular is not always right.

Remember- If your life is free of failures, you are probably not taking enough risks.

Love,  
Mom, Dad and Bobby

T-together  
E-everyone  
A-acheives  
M-more

Congratulations to the class of  
'97

Best wishes, success and  
happiness

David

Joe

Chris

Daren

Mike S.

Mass

Fondly,  
The Dickman  
Family

Nick

## Rachel,

As you close the door  
on your high school days,  
look ahead to the future  
and find your dream.



Be happy, Rach.

We love you....  
always.

Mom, Dad and  
Jonathan



Howard St., play group, Tammy & Dossie, nursery school, the pool, T-ball, Cub Scouts, the shore, basketball, saxophone, Boy Scouts, baseball, Whitney Terrace, sports camps, California, football, Habitat for Humanity, Alaskan cruise, driver's license, the prom, graduation..... and You've Only Just Begun!

Thanks for the memories, Bri. We're looking forward to many more.

All our love  
always,

Mom, Dad,  
Jessica, and  
Cody



## CONGRATULATIONS TO **DAREN**

AND THE CLASS OF '97...

MAY YOUR FUTURE  
BE FILLED WITH

**LOVE,  
HAPPINESS,  
HEALTH,  
AND SUCCESS...**

WE ARE VERY  
PROUD OF  
YOU!

*Love,  
Mom and Dad*



## CONGRATULATIONS TO SHAUNA AND THE CLASS OF 1997



A daughter is someone to think  
about always,  
for thoughts of her bring joy and  
cheer....

A daughter is someone to take  
pride in always,  
for nice things she does through  
the year....

With Love - Mom, Dad and  
Andrew



**John,**

We are so proud of you and your accomplishments, which are many for your young years. We feel you can conquer any goals you set for yourself. Reach for the stars because your flight there will be paved with enthusiasm, challenges and knowledge.

We'll Love You Forever  
Good Luck  
Mom, Dad, Danine  
and Cookie

Always Be Happy-

Laughter is music  
to the soul





**Erin,**

A star was born to me on March 11, 1979, and here you are, 18 years later, a beautiful young woman that we could not be prouder of. As you approach adulthood, go off to college and experience your new independence, we know you are ready to meet every challenge with confidence, determination, grace and a wonderful sense of who Erin Moran is. Meet the coming years with the same enthusiasm and love of life as the prior 18 years and you will continue to succeed. You've come a long way Baby! Thanks for the memories... (Pita, he's a nice gee! — A Little Rainbow Home)

All Our Love,

Mom Dad & Andrea



Dear **Erin,**

“Step by step, the journey of your life”

This step and all the rest that you will take bring great pride and joy to all of us.

Love,  
Daddy,  
Margaret  
& T.J.





# Carla,

Cherish your visions and your dreams, as they are the children of your soul; the blueprints of your ultimate achievements.

May your future be as bright as you make every day for us.

Love,  
Mom, Dad,  
Frank & Lar-  
ry



## Congratulations Bob

Always be yourself and stay the good person you are. Follow your dreams and work hard at what you want. Always try to give 100% and you can achieve anything in life. Set your goals and go after them one by one. It can all be yours. I am the luckiest mother in this world for God has blessed me with one terrific son, whom I am very proud of. I love you very much! I hope you realize that you can come to me for help with any problem and I will always be there to support you.

Mom

Best of Luck

Love Always,  
Mom, Joe & Mandy



First Jennifer, then Michael, and now my last child Marissa graduates from Verona High School.

**Marissa** - you have made me so proud and I know that you will be nothing but successful when following your dreams. Jennifer, Michael, and you have filled my life with laughter, happiness, and many cherished memories for which I am forever grateful and cannot find another way to express my appreciation than to say **I LOVE YOU WITH ALL MY HEART!**

Congratulations Marissa! We All Love You.

Love,  
Mom, Chris, Jennifer, & Michael



## Congratulations BG and the class of 1997



You have brought a wealth  
of joy and happiness to us.

Love,  
Mom, Darrell, Kendra,  
Aubrey & Maggie

## Kelly Erin Garland



She's like the wind  
Whirling through the stars  
Stirring up the leaves  
Dancing across the moon  
Lightly touching those  
fortunate to be  
in her path  
Moving towards her dreams....

We all love you and are proud  
of who you are !

Congratulations,  
Mom, Dad, Meghan, Rob  
&  
Brody





*Congratulations to JENNA  
and the class of '97*



"If in your thoughts you must measure  
time into seasons, let each season  
encircle all the other seasons, and  
let today embrace the past with  
remembrance and the future with  
longing."

With all our love and  
great pride,

Mom, Dad, Robert, Duffy & Dixie

**BRIAN  
& THE CLASS OF 1997**

**MUCH HAPPINESS AND JOY  
IN ALL YOU DO**

"Your life is a sacred journey  
You are on the path exactly where  
you are meant to be right now  
From here you can only go forward,  
Shaping your life story into a  
magnificent tale  
Of triumph, courage, beauty, wisdom,  
dignity and love."

-Unknown-

We love you and are very proud  
of you,  
Mom, Dad, Carly & Robin



**Nicholas -**

"If a man does not keep pace with his companions,  
perhaps it is because he hears a different drummer. Let  
him step to the music which he hears, however  
measured or far away."

We're really proud of you for always making your own  
way and achieving your own success!

All our love.  
Mom, Dad, Dan, and Joe



# Congratulations to **Nicole** and the class of 1997!



We want you to know how proud you have made us.

Now you will be starting another phase of your life,  
**a very important one.**

You will meet new challenges  
friends  
obstacles  
hard work  
happy times

We know that you are ready

May your future hold much love,  
happiness and success. Always  
remember we are here for you.

Keep singing  
Love always,  
Mom, Dad, Keith



# Nicholas,



"The future belongs to those  
who believe in their dreams."  
Eleanor Roosevelt

Believe in yourself and your  
dreams!

With all our love,  
Mom, Dad, and Phillip

## Dear Caroline,

You've only just begun...  
Good luck in college but...  
you'll always be our baby!

Mom, Dad & Adam

## NICHOLAS,

BEST OF LUCK WITH  
YOUR FUTURE PLANS!

We love you,

Grandma, Aunt Mary,  
Uncle Louis, Anthony  
& Michele





## Jessica

Congratulations to you and the  
class of '97!

May your future hold the  
wonderful things you deserve and  
be filled with the same joys you  
have given us.

Love,  
Mom, Dad, and Jennifer

## DAVID CAMP

Today is the first day of the  
rest of your life.

May all the days to come  
be filled with much joy  
and accomplishment.

Mom, Dad,  
Laura & Julie



# Dear Danielle,



May the wind carry you  
to safe and distant shores  
and the moon and the stars be your  
faithful guides.  
May the child in you never stop  
questioning,  
your soul always be peaceful  
and free.  
May you find the strength within you  
when life calls for it,  
and have the ability to control  
your weaknesses.  
May your heart be filled with love  
and with pride,  
as ours is today  
when we think of you, Danielle.

With All Our Love,  
Mom, Dad, Joshua, Jordan &  
Cassy  
Nana, Papa, (in spirit) Grandma  
& Grandpa

Congratulations and best wishes Class of '97

## Smooth Sailing



## To Mike and the Class of 1997

Mom, Dad, and Erica

Congratulations  
**Michelle**  
and the Class of  
'97!



Treasure the past  
in your memory  
Nourish hope in  
your soul  
But live each day  
with love in your  
heart

The Benimeli Family-  
Sara, Aimee, Linda,  
Peaches, Emily, and  
Your Buddy



*Torrie:*

There is Joy in our Tears,  
Pride in our Hearts,  
And Hope of Things to  
Come in our Souls.

*Congratulations*

Cindy, Dad,  
Tyler and Nolan

**Kathryn,**

We are very proud of you.  
Congratulations to you and  
the class of 1997.

Carpe diem!



Love,  
Dad, Mom, James,  
Elizabeth,  
Meghan & Matthew

CONGRATULATIONS TO  
THE CLASS OF '97

**JANICE,**

Whatever dreams  
you  
follow,  
Whatever road you  
travel  
May your future be  
blessed with  
Love, happiness,  
success  
and good health.

We are very proud  
of you!

Love,  
Mom & Dad



CONGRATULATIONS  
**JOE**  
and the class of '97

We are very proud of you!  
Best of luck in the future.

With Love,  
Mom, Dad  
and Elena





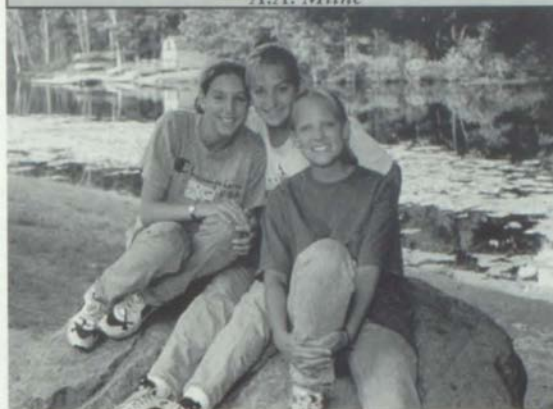




Katie:

"Still round the corner there may wait, a new road or a secret gate, and through we pass them by today, tomorrow we may come this way and take the hidden paths that run towards the moon or to the sun." **Kristin** How can I say it all! You mean more to me than you'll ever know. Nothing I can say will express that but here goes: BFF, Cape Cod, Gina and going, camp, cousin and advent, a.m. runs, Ben, water skiing, Teddy crushes, Sab, Prom'96, BR runs, VCP, LKnoys, camp Webster, the cruiser, "night- swimming", track cuts, first times, just an again, we love to tan, hit of oil usage, TCBY treks: "We saw her yesterday", who's not there! TIGS-how far of a walk from Blandtown?? sleepovers, little miss moody, "How was it today", Daves2, too much driving, little outings, "Cut Cut", doctors visits, long late chats, Jell-O wrestling, skiing "Stop the lift", KLB, prank-o-rama, cadbury eggs, too many items to recap them all. I would have never made it through H.S. without you. I love you like a sister. I'm going to miss you! **Jessica** There's no way I can say it all. Since fresh you've brightened my days... long walks, obsessed much with the boys!, snowy days at the diner, I'll call him Jessica, "see ya around town", sleepovers, track hell hills, nutterbotters, carpool, walks home, me being the middle lady, "Should I tonight", taking turns complaining, thanks for being ultimate hair holder, NYE's best diners at yours, burning the ject, long talks, VCP wars, shopping trips, doctors visits, "Jessa, just let nobody know", SAT prep, Steepes, movies, n diuer, running buddy, trail spill, IUP weekend, lunch runs, Rents wars, Exposito's runs, locker notes-I can't possibly remember everything. You've been the best of friends to me through it all. I love ya! **Erica** how can I compare to the ode to the Sunaki I'll try my best: tele, lunch buddy, driver of the year, "What car?", 2 talkers "45 fun, prank queen, KLB, picture fights, Erica to one of my favorite comics. I'll forever cherish our friendship. We've been through it all. **Erin** DIAL: We'll never be! fighting for the fresh spot, pasta dinners, running chats, fighting with coach, captain x2 (almost), night 95-97. Erin you've been such a spiritual inspiration to me. I'll forever keep the **Danielle** best chats, Rylie, Sab, pranksters, lunch outings, shared work, Teddy's cookie fest, "Are they all gone?" Thanks for always being there. **Kate** to my kate squared team, VCP chats in the morning, "who was it last night?" Hiding in BR, Camp Web, Insight 95-97, You're too cool for me, you're the best! Stay KLB. **Beth** & **Kel** my running X-G buds and comic relief, ditching the runner, trying our best! constant mocking, Beth-chats, stay sweet you're the best! Kel- swimming buds, you rock **Dave** — 4 years of friendship "If you can dream it you can do it" **Scott** So many mems, I'll always remember you **Cathy** I miss you. You'll always be remembered in my heart. **Mary** to my very best friend. The bond we share is forever. I couldn't have made it through without you. Don't ever forget how much you mean to me. IU. **Caroline** & **Jane** miss ya next year. Don't forget all of the pranks we pulled! Love ya! **Mom** & **Dad** thanks for all of the sacrifices you make for me. IU!! "The journey of a thousand miles begins with one step."

**Christopher Robin was going away...**  
**Still with his eyes on the world, Christopher Robin put out a hand and felt for Pooh's paw.**  
**"Pooh," said Christopher Robin, "if I- if I'm not quite-" he stopped and tried again, "whatever happens, you will understand, won't you?"**  
**"Understand what?"**  
**"Oh nothing." He laughed and jumped to his feet. "Come on."**  
**"Where?" said Pooh.**  
**"Anywhere," said Christopher Robin.**  
— A.A. Milne



Kristin:

To those who've given me something to smile about: thanks. Especially: **Katie**: BFF - so many memories - Herbie (Teddy), Sab days part one, you had McKenna!, camp Ben, Parker, mud soccer, "nightswimming", waterskiing, banana stickers, our chair, Cape vacation, Grandma's sleeping bag, car Mike, (eternal crushes) I love Matty!, hook-up (Kloss!), KLB president, PreCale with Abby and the bell, LMM - is it PMS how did we survive it?, foutrel, pranking boggie, skiing, ultra pep back, tanning, track hell, Bowes cursing you off, Prom from hell. TCBY runs (we kept that place in business), Sab's mistakes, "if the bus is rocking..." who pulled the camper?, TIGS - kill me please, Woj- ice tea, "cut-cut" night, VCP - pranking pool phones, Karl, SPF 60 or oil?, Tregre, Jell-O wrestling, how come all Dave's are jerks? - I've never wasted more gas with one person! - and the list will continue... My sister, you know me better than I know myself - what will we do without each other next year? Love you always! **Erica**: "C'mon guys, let's hear it," PRIP rapping, pranks, Mit Rotten, talk soap, KLB, foutrel, freshman hottie, Nat's snow mobile, snooz-snoozy-woo, Prom from hell! Lino! Smith's serves happy meals? TIGS - TP-ing my cabin, standing ovation, kill hannah!, my screaming, "She's a mess" sing-a-long, Brennan fights, JCrew shopping, sneaking into EHCC, spinning with Mr. Alati, Gwart, Sexy Rey, say hi to the Sunaki gang. To my little Kiddo - thanks for always knowing how to make me laugh - you're the best! **Danielle**, **Erin**, & **Amanda**: one word: bossy!, ok, that doesn't cut it - Moby, Caller III bites, Mystic, pranking poems, Florida pool picture, turkey-stuffing, cheese-its, Kim the cough drop, Ana Maria Chiquita, heart balloons, so much! b-ball, Malazaga's sweaters Bob's what?, fresh lunch, "GUT-GUT", funny crickets, bowling!, grass head, phony diploma, Foodtown huthrooms, SPAIN (Mel & DV too) Glob's, too many naked men, Sangria, Pooh on the potty, Tom, Room #425!, Paladium, Todd's life story and makeup, Oorbie, Baby Buz!, - thanks to you guys for never ending laughs and advice! **Nicole** Now I finally see what it's like as a senior - can't wait to be you next year! I'll be so much closer in Sept. — so many more reclining chairs and "hurt someone's feelings today" songs to come! Love you **Hellola**: At Harvard next year w/ Angeles, be sure to dissect some more of Bob Bell! **Woj and Lino**: No matter what the president says, you guys will forever be KLB! DFB: It was fun when it was fun... **Alati**: Calc and pd 7 CT thrills - esp. MSU!! **Jim and JB**: I never would have survived hard hell without you losers! **VCP Gang** (BO, JH, KW, KC): Can we last another summer without Camp Webster? **Panchi**: Do those situps, I want a washboard in two weeks! **Freddy, SS, LB, Elfie, VS**: Blowfish! Keep the story going! Can I have a "guard" on 3? **Bell Family**: Words can't express my gratitude for your love for me, thank you so much. **Cathy**: My guardian angel, no one but you can cancel how much I miss you... **Mom, Dad, Jon-Eric, Kara**: You guys have given me and supported me through so much, and no matter what I say, I love you. "These things - they go away, replaced by every day..." — REM

Erica:

"You unlock this door with a key of imagination. Beyond it is another dimension. A dimension of sight, a dimension of sound, a dimension of mind. You're moving through a land of both shadow & substance, of both things and ideas. That's the signpost up ahead, your next stop..." **Topanga, Bonanza, Ezmerelda** it's nice to know I've found some chicks with the same warped sense of humor. Just think of how many pages of wierd innuendos I could fill if our paths collided earlier. My first shout-out to the ever-wonderful Suzuki without which we may have never completed the many voyages to Hose Tejas, Montclair, New Hope, Patterson...Pickin up Will and Blue Fleecy boy, Galka and his ho's...Trips to Starbucks - stalkin Doug a.k.a. Pj a.k.a. Mark Harris...Lawson? or is it Lousin? or Lauphin?..Goran...Mike at Boulahans (he really does want me)...T\*!T\*!..Christmas lights you know where!..Glen Ridge hotties Mimi, I'm proud of you...Smashing Pumpkins concert with Keith, Green Peace, Korgan's pic...Mimi's rendition of "Put it in my mouth"(with a Polish accent)...ABBA deformed...who gets the front seat?...SCREAM-sneakin in Wendy's...Nightmare in Passaic-sleepin over Galka's...Kate and our tennis breakdowns: Rachel's contaminated soda, Mr. V and the pretzels, stale rice Krispy's, that damn hoochie music... "One Way DePalo"...Katie's gestures to the undercover cop...nasty Charlie Brown waitress...the hot chocolate's on Goof Troop...Babbs at TGI Friday's...Wannabe smokers...White Castle in the hood...New Hope with Benji the wonder dog... "say shop 5x's fast, what do you do at a red light Mimi?... what up Joel, John, Matt, JP...Excuse me but do you know where Starbucks/BK/Drug Fair is?...B-Boyz craze with Amanda's kerioke...singin w/ Mr. Meyer's band-"Three Old Guys and a Sexy Drummer"...Empire Records phase-"My name's not P? Warren"... "Damn the man"... "GWAR!" "Sexy Rey" "Well Sinead O'Rebellion, shock me shock me shock me with that deviant behavior"... Sugar High obsession... Foodtown stationary- So if you guys ever wonder if it was nice to know ya, I'll tell you now that it was\*. **Nicole** - I can still envision you singing the National Anthem at the Olympics as I stand on the podium...those ever so entertaining french crossword puzzles that gave birth to Kiwi Soleil Danish Affiche Mootenlean...just one question, if I'm on one side of the mtn. and you on the other, would we be chillin wit da boyz- you know keepin it real for da homies!...the great thing about us is that we both know our friendship is real, no falacies, no fake images like so many others...I really value your ability to make me laugh whether its in french with your outbursts (NANA) or just anytime, anywhere-never lose that spontaneity and you'll be alright... — And finally I'd like to just thank Oskie for giving me something to look at during 8th per., Dennis Miller for being so damn funny, the creators of Empire Records and Ethan Randal for staring in it, Mr. Treitler for giving me my first ever write-up for absolutely no reason whatsoever, Brian Ferrel for being in such a cool band, and last but certainly not least the wonderful yearbook staff without which I wouldn't be able to look back at my high school years only to see the same 6 people occupy every page- Thanx much! — "The wild things roared their terrible roars and gnashed their terrible teeth and rolled their terrible eyes and showed their terrible claws but (Rikka) stepped into her private boat and just waved goodbye" - MS. "So it goes."



"It's me", Conspiring with DeSantis 2, Twatty, Lush, Dre, Jer, Powder, OOF, Gill. "Let's got to Sleep.", Clam Bar!, Binz-Loonies. ("Staring at the Bubbles." - GOD). Lookout, Gazebo, Hobbit, Watering Hole, Blinx, Sparking Rocks, No Man's Land, Hill Top, Split. Made Possible by: Ideal's, Romany's, Value, A&M, The Deli. N.Y.C. - R.I.P. - Ross's. Thanx Habib (we'll be back!). O'Flannahan's, Club 44, "I think it's kicked.", Starbursts, Happy Trails. "What are you eating?" - "Chicklets.", Richard M.V., Cliff, SuperSoaker, The Little Red Devil, Wilson's Bat Holder (3ft. Long). Ah-Dee!!, Funkmeyer, Confusiating, Pixellation, Marinoia. The Wall! Blue Flies, X-Men, Sugar 3. "I know you!" "I Smell Things!" "Where's Bobby?" "Kill This"- Gill. "Your Mom's Fat!"- Andre. 5-0, The Man! "Baaah!" - The Goat "I'm just as sick as you, D."

"Wake up the driver!" Half-Time Shows (Thanks for the grill, Chatham). "Did we miss the game?" "Aaagh!"- Shut up Gill. "What ?" Hill Rolling - Golf Course. "Doof Deen I!" - OOF. Bedwetters Anonymous. Wacky Sports: Wiffleball, Chestnut Bowling, Can Racing, Ultimate Frisbee, Log Jousting, Barrel Rolling. Stranded at Sea. "Please Step out of the Vehicle." "Do you have any I.D.?" Drinking the Water. Concerts - PHISH - Waterloo '95, PHISH - M.S.G. '96, E.N.I.T. '96, TRAVELER - State Theater '95, TRAVELER - New Year'Eve '97 M.S.G, H.O.R.D.E. '96, PEARL JAM '96, ALLMAN BROS. - G.S.A.C. '96 (Bob's Tattoo). G.S.W. "Have You Ever Tried it?" - Paul. Mad Parties: Welcome to the Jungle! Gill's 94 (Fluff and Cheese). Meyer's baby gigs, Gramo's parts 1,2,3, etc. (Cable Guy!), Michelle's Shore House - Prom Weekend '96. (Oh No! THE BAY!) Go-Karts. Gary's House Memorial Day Weekend '96 (The Golden Urinal, Piece of Gum, Monkey Brains, Chicken Heart). The Good Dr. Steve's '96 - '97. BUSTED! (He's How Old?). Relaxed Muscles, Prairie Fires, Ebonic Plague! Gary's Spring Training Weekend 97' (Jer's first time, Felix the Cat). "Who did we lose?" Everyone needs a little K.F.C. Renaissance City. Woo! Construction Paper Phil. Gravi-Tron - 1st time w/ Tom G. Lost in the Woods. White Skeletons. "Hey, Jer, 5-0!" Dancing in the Sprinklers. Duck and Goose Wars. "Now Your Making Fun of Me?" - Dre. "They Know!" "Bob, its Okay, Unlock the Door." - Tom C. Fortress of Solitude. Harder's Near - Death Experience. "What Happened to the Wall, Mike?" Happy Harder Days. Gary and Gill Love PARKING METERS. Budget Inn, Sunset Motel, Fairfield Executive. Favorite Cop: Boomer. Sorry if We Forgot Anything, Anyone, or anywhere. BUDS 4 LIFE! - Bob DeSantis, Paul Watkins, Gary Collins, Andre Mutovic, Adrian Sancho, Nick Toombos, Jon Meyer, John Humphries THE END!



# Friendship Forever!



We're joined in a friendship  
That time cannot sever.  
With bonds we have built  
We'll remain friends forever.

We're tied by emotions,  
Connected by dreams,  
Reinforced by our hopes,  
Unified by extremes.

We're welded in spirit.  
Attached by our hearts.  
We're fused by the feeling  
That friendship imparts.

No longer a function  
Of time or of space,  
Our love is a substance  
That life won't replace.

No matter how distant,  
We'll always endeavor  
To sense the full meaning  
Of friendship forever!!!

**CHRISSEY:** "Friendship is one mind in two bodies." Melissa, Jenna, Amy, Kim, Theresa, Danielle, Christina, Anne - these are our memories: Stalking; FT stake-outs; Nicholas Biddle Fiddle; croaked; Pizza Hut; dancing in the car; New Year's Eve at Jenna's; camping; "How we're cruising"; PEARL JAM concert 9-28-96; Eddie thank for everything; obsessions- Eddie and Gavin; miniature golf; bowling (kegling); Rusted Root; "The one and only

Cheer's O. O. O."; turn up the volume and we'll sound better; badminton and tennis in my front yard; paddleball down the shore; the Prom Experience '96; Prom weekend down the shore; lollies; Snowball and Hi Ho; "What's happening hot stuff?"; "Oh sexy girlfriend"; princesses; our tinas; You're unbelievable - crash!; car adventures; Pat's house; lot pass bys; Brad Pitt, need I say more?; Biker, Biker, Biker; If you don't listen to our music, you don't listen to good music - Pearl Jam, Bush, and what ever we feel like singing to at the moment; dancing at red lights and stop signs; lab field trips; tent sleepovers;

**KIM:** "Thank you Eddie's birthday party; Dirty Minds; fruitcake years; too it and make it feel better; ma finga hurts; walking in the blizzard; PEARL JAM laser light show; B.I.V. and B.O.B.; Champagne sleeping over, for being a friend, yellow train, I want my machine, pieces of children perspiring; It's a beaver!; junior year lunch table and parties, senior year out to lunch; our Christmas parties - caroling; Anti-Band Clan; my traveled down the road, disgusting pancakes; the man in the window dancing at the Christmas party; french fries with too much Ketchup; the Diner; Bunny!; look it's the cops, don't open the door; the good, and back again. Your heart bad, and disgusting burps; guys in other cars just love us; phone calls to South Carolina; yes love?; It's a package deal; Seniors; Horatio Seymour; Volleyball bus rides and signs; is true, you're a pal and a confident. And if you threw a party see-saws are a blast; my striped lights from Hot Topics; body glitter; the boardwalk; the night of the eclipse; poadiddle!; Hottie Tour '96; Hey Ladies; "If you want invited everyone you knew, you to play with the big girls, you have to play rough"; hitting the curb after being blinded by high beams; the lot striptease; take it down now; the lists; piggy would see the biggest gift would be from nose laugh; V-day carnation; Famous Amos; Crusty; my evil laugh; no more Roy's; Adem; Buddy; Roy; Heavy B; Skippy and Walker; "That way! me and the card attached would say: Thank my puke shirt; "What the hell did you eat?"; permanent shotgun; Melissa; moe-lawner; peninsula; almost killing Bob with the pickleball paddle you for being a friend-Golden Girls, Jenna- in gym; "Is she sleeping back there again?"; my China and definitions of peep; "Is there a John here?"; toasted bagels with cream

**JENNA:** For the past 18 years, I have faced so many obstacles, both big and small. No matter how trying or trivial, I have come to realize that each experience has taught me something about myself and about others. And through the good times and the bad, I have found friends to help me pull through. Each possesses a special gift that they have shared with me. And now I have found myself part of a unique and diverse group of people whom I am proud to call my friends. We are each so different from one another, there is no denying that! But still, we carry in our hearts pieces of each other that will last forever. **Kim** - best friends since kindergarten. Never forget movies x2, "I can't believe they don't have tickets for this." "I'm going to make Jenna magically appear," New Year's '96, radio stations, blue hair, spaghetti-leet, "It's not me!", "Get out of my kitchen," Indian Princesses, Frost Valley, Friday weddings, fruit on toothpicks, Camping, "What's the matter, are you afraid of it, try it!", singing under the spotlight, freaky people, Are we slaves?, SK's, broken CD player, B&B, Pilgrim - chicken fingers, pancake fall, shore, late night English discussions, Prom '96 - Sizzer, Trooper Jenna!, "Just Kidding!" Psychic connection, and so many more. **Kelly** - "We can overcome these difficulties because we're good enough, smart enough, and good enough people like us, or so we like to think!"; Pumbal, Jingleball "F&E" you, I'm a girl!"; censured! **Lissa** - Stalkers friend, hiding on the slide, the bloody nose, runaway train, ... and a friend, lunch, Brad Pitt on 4/26/96, New Year's '96, "What if God was one of us?"; hiding behind the Verona Diner, being chased in the park, the acorn incident, "You're so violent!" Thanks for being there! **Chrissy** - I've known you forever. Camping, "What's the matter are you afraid of it, try it!" Shore, Indian Princesses, Brad Pitt on 4/26/96, family picnics, fashion show, Hypocrite Chrissy! SOC/IA, Journalism, ultimate lunch table, Stalkers friend! Don't shoot me again please. **Amy** - DC twice, I wonder who stole our stuff? Penelope. Our own beds, contact solution, Indian Princesses, Frost Valley, French fry flicking, SOC/IA "See, he does find us entertaining", Journ(deadlines?), "This is a stick up!" You're a true friend. **Danielle** - I want my tape back!, thewning in Palmer, PR's (Tommy's mine), sleep over pictures, the "D-Mobile and my sophisticated car, field trips. **Theresa** - "Daisy, June, and Casey", What if Theresa was really a good Catholic School girl?; Amy's toes? Watch out for Kim and I waiting to scare you again! You're a true friend. **Anne** - Art class frustrations, "I can do this anymore!" **Christina** - theme parties, Lion King, Spanish video, SOC/IA and Journalism, DC in 6th grade, thanks for the memories. **Caroline** - art class was fun this year, camping, "What's the matter, are you afraid of it, try it!" **Christen** - I am so happy that we've become good friends. Never forget gym classes, lunch, going to see shows, ushering was fun, serious discussions, Superman talks, and so many other fun times. I'll always be your friend. **Duda** - "I don't have any cheese!", personal day, and MANY more laughs. Never change! **Whitney** - MMM, "Flirt!", fake pictures, Sizzer, Star Wars, "It's pawn shop, not porn shop!", Jingleball '96 - "F&E" you, I'm a girl!"; you can't drive, late night talks, Les Mis is the best, DC how could you forget about me?; swapping (if you know what I mean) China patterns - don't tell, "Can you give me a ride?" "NO!", 100% Attitude. You have become one of my truest friends. Good Luck next year! Thanks for the laughs. **Janine** - Cheeto bus rides- Mr. Social and Mr. Conceted, HBW, Neiners, Minni-Minni, stop making those weird noises at me! Thanks for being a friend. **Mass** - never paying attention in English and History, I couldn't give you the ticket for \$2. "My lights aren't on!", sorry I almost got you in trouble. Never grow up!

**Cathy B. and Fran** - V-Ball was fun. **Mrs. Sherman** - you have been a teacher, a mentor, and most of all, a friend. Thank you for everything that you've done for me. **My family** - I love you & couldn't have done it without you!

**Chrissy** - Hypocrite- Chrissy/Indian Princesses, camping #1 holidays, table dancing, bubble dolls, malomars, seasaw told ya not to move it! What's the matter RU afraid of it? Try it! dancing to Tiffany, forgetting cookie money. Hear that? I didn't do that much! **Amy** - Indian Princesses, seashore island, crazy baby, Eddie/Miley, Frost Valley bears, almost lost, WOPALIT if ya know what I mean, click,click,click! Veggie Burger Dance, bar nonees, Oprinion thing, bowling, raises runs, Aug. 13, 2003 "You know", watch out for blue M+M's, what if the world no comment. **Kelly** - WOPALIT, STOP, keep in mud, "I like lemon!", Orville/Perdue, Whoops clang clang check out the view! Aiel Hikuna Matata Pumbal. **Melissa** - Applegate, SK's, Roys, Ken's Town Tavern, mouth lock, foot stuck in cheese, sitting on a log like kermitt the frog, Ziffaroni's deliveries, krispie treats, driving down the highway in a makeshift model TA, Clowns never laughed before, beanstalks never grew, ponies never ran before till I met YOU! **Christina** - Nala! Aunt Tilly/Unice Tenuse, Brutus-Cassius, WOPALIT, You went the wrong way old king Louie, you really did a parakeet! Clouds, what clouds? I don't see any clouds! What do you take me for, a FOOL? Meliko DeCicco's box-eiff costume, Aug. 13, 2003- be there or be square! **Theresa** - Sarabel WOPALIT, **MELISSA:** "All I need to know about life I learned from my girl- friends." Great memories with great friends: Chrissy, Jenna, Kim, Amy, Christina, Danielle, Theresa, and Anne. Never forget!

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**THERESA:** Amy- you've always been a sweetheart, you've always been short, my friendship with you is one of a sort. **Christina-** so giddy, so cute, and so cheery, your sophistication and heart could never make a person weary. **D-** my good friend, my definite shore buddy, being with you makes me get nutty. **Anne-** my Egyptian friend, we have had our problems, but we're too good of friends not to solve them. **Kim-** you are so innocent and sweet, thank for all the times you've kept me on my feet. **Kelly-** you know you are one of kind, thank for all the good times. **Chrissy-** the S's are out to get you, but don't worry I'll be there to protect you. **Melissa K-** you're a snob, you know I'm just kidding, you're actually a beautiful princess. . . just hidden. **Jenna-** you're definitely a friend of mine, thank for being there all of the time. **Monika-** my blonde, you know you're a sweetie, that serve of yours made everyone queasy. **Laura-** Lubs, Dada, you are always so quiet, I know when you go home you break out in a riot. **Daren and Chris-** the lunch times were great, good luck in all you do, never let our friendship break. **Caroline-** my short little friend, Model (J.N. and getting lost was great in Boston. **Janine and Whitney-** two of my volleyball buddies, LHH you're a nut and Whitney you're plain funny. **Melissa M-** back in D.L.L., thank for being there when I almost 'fell.' **Joe-** you're a good buddy, it was great that I met you, just remember I don't fear you.

**DANIELLE:** Time flies when you're having fun. True friends: Wiggles, Amos, Kim, Anne, Melissa, Jenna, Spencer (for hire), Chrissy, Monk, Daren, Chris, Ed, and Mike. Great times with all of 'em. **Wiggles-** Never forget from '96- My best friends a penguin, 1 TIME! And WIGGLES! Down the shore '96 - NICE HUMMER! Your little putt putt car will never be forgotten. **Bowling -** hop, skip and a jump. Mat's parties were a blast: Gabe's dancing and "shmokin' a shogoe." Also, I'll always remember that you're not retarded, just slow (the tape for G. and T.). P.S. Try to forget that you "felt it," also, tell Mat not to get jealous of Poppa Smurf. **Anne-** Never forget down the shore '96 - "I gotta go pee!" **OBSESSIONS** was fun - Mat and Gabe scaring people. X-mas '96 - Ed's minimag, maddest! What a child. Remember to keep the curls doin'g. **Amos - FAMOUS!** I love your cookies. LBJ weekend '96 - remember the little rain cloud? Always remember to eat your "chinese food," and I'll try to remember that you're not short, just vertically challenged. P.S. Say hi to your Melmacian family. **Spencer - THE STATE!!!** Marino and Black. Never forget: The blue freak of nature (LL); \$240 worth of pudding (oh yeah); the animal song; the Andersons; "where's the mousy?"; the dancing hormones. Doug's dad Don; "I WANT RICK!"; "me too, sarge?" Always remember to keep on trek'n'. P.S. Say hi to Mr. Miagi and the little naked man on the boat. **Melissa G-Jenna-** Melissa - try to keep your food down while driving in the car. Jenna - never forget our Power Ranger discussions. One more thing - TOMMY'S MINE! **Chrissy -** Shorty! Never forget Mr. Biddle Fiddle, how Horatio Seymour croaked, "YES", XYZ (Mr. Brunner), and how I am 'doin' the idallans." My stalling experience was fun. Driving in Jenna's sophisticated car was funny. For the future - if your husband ever asks you how your day went after work - say "Poopy!" P.S. Try not to fall out of chairs (French class). **Kim-** Where do I begin? 6th grade - "Leave my son alone!" and "I drink milk now, but I don't eat cheese anymore." Also remember all our names: you = Cap'n Kid, Green Gyser, Pruney, Zungla, Ed, Cheese, etc... Me = Sir Winston Walrus, Red Bomber, Storey, Food, Shent, etc... Never forget our food language and our tape and all of the grotesque things discussed. Lunch was funny - King Louie and his paraplane, and "whoops clang, clang..." I'll always remember log, stew, and how Pruney and her family were always changing as years went by. French class was a laugh - "vit, vit, toute les classe, pique les nez!" Also, always keep your SK's (or MC's) handy, keep talking with your fingers, and I'm sure you'll find Lloyd Christmas someday (I GOT WORKS!) P.S. Lion King rules 4-ever - oh yeah, keep solid! **Monk-TROLLEY!** Never forget V-Ball memories - Monk 11-teen and Lucky 7. New coach - YES!! Your peach perfume will surely be remembered. The shore was the greatest - you, on the beach in front of the lifeguard - unacceptable. Remember the piece of shmush? Never forget the skyride at Great Adventure. Also, try to but some bathing suits that fit. P.S. If you ever have a Monk's part II - CALL ME! **Daren & Chris -** My lunch buddies. Never forget Chris's shirt - Ladies Gents, BEAN! Daren's "unclog my heart" version was quality. Always remember Manson and Daren's "BEAT my lover" obsession. P.S. Don't forget about "Pole". **Ed-BEAN!** My brother, my hockey companion. Never forget our Manson obsession - "THE BEAUTIFUL PEOPLE!" Our inside jokes were funny - "SURVIVE!!!" Our hockey experiences were fun. My obsession with Fichaud grows day by day. Thank for the pics. Always remember our minimag songs and "make my minimag day." Also keep in mind that "Eddie's got it goin' on - 6 ft. long and strong!" Always keep in touch and our friendship will never end. **Mike-** My baby! Well, you know what they say - third time is a charm. We've gone through tough times but we've worked them out. Since 7th grade I've known you were the one, and now I know we'll last forever. You'll always be my Jimmy-Jimmy, and even though you're impossible - I LOVE YOU - more!! To all my friends - good luck in the future and remember to always keep in touch. See ya!

**ANNE:** Jacks- The years have gone by so fast. I will always remember you from O.L.L. But our times in the last two years will never leave me. Our talks in the locker room will always be sick. We have the same dirty minds. Remind Jesse "Get those nail breakers!" From weekend '96. And don't forget we set together, butt buddy. **Spencer-** We've only known eachother for the last two years, but in that time you've been a true friend always listening to my problems. Thank you for being a true friend and always remember New Year's '96. We set through first period dreading each moment. Always remember "Can you please not wear so much cologne, you're giving me a headache." **Crispy-** We were able to get to know each other in Hilton Head '96. You were there to help me with the little terrors. Your a sweet person, don't let anyone take that away from you. Always remember kicking down the door to rescue Mark. In time we have become friends and now we can become partners in setting for V-Ball. **Amos-** We are one in the same, always hopeful and happy. I was able to get to know you during out long talks in Envl. Sci. Our talks of falling in and out of love. Always remember you are a special person and friends are what last, not love. When we are all together you're the short one, but you have the biggest heart, a heart of gold. **Jenna-** Our talks in Art were always interesting. Thank you for helping me take a different perspective when it comes to my artwork. Always remember "Jenna, it would look better if . . ." You are a great listener, when you give advice you have one point of view. I need to hear the one person who stays out of the situation and sees the general over-view. Thanks for putting up with me. **Kim-** Your a strange girl. Not a bad thing but a good strange. You're a sweet girl with a different out look on life and I thank you for always bringing a smile to my face everyday. Always remember your 17th Birthday party at lunch with a Lion King theme. **Duda-** You're a wonderful, caring person always willing to help. I will always remember stoping in at Poppa Tony's during the summer with Mike. I thank you for your hospitality and I will get you back for all the free lunches. Always smile for you are a beautiful person. **Wiggles-** We have been through "W6-8" and back. We have finally gotten it right, a working friendship. We have known each other since kindergarten. I'm glad we are friends. Always remember "You fight like a fly . . ." Over the years guys have come and gone. Usually we had our tiffs about them but now we are older and more mature and we finally realize guys aren't worth a life long friendship. "D-" The time has been short but fun. Our shore days will definitely be my greatest memory. Always remember, "the Bimble guy", "minimag frenzy", Christmas '96, and Obsessions Gabe dancing with you. You're a great friend who I can talk to. Always remember I'm your knowledge. With your knowledge comes humor. Shore '96 "That's a joke," complaining about Jenny the Jeep and Star Trek. Your brother is my freak and if it wasn't for you I wouldn't be with Ed to this day. Thanks. **Mat-** Thank you for always being there when I needed you. Our friendship came of a bad part of my life and I thank you for being there. Always remember elfy, Chock's party and our long talks. We will always be friends. Your shoulder is what I count on to cry on. Our friendship is special. You take your problems out on me and I do the same to you. We're the perfect friends. I'll always love you as a great friend. **Ed-** Our relationship had a strange start, it ran smoothly for the first 2 months. But then we hit a few bumps. We're back on track now and I hope this time we'll get it right. Always remember Thanksgiving '96, Christmas '96, minimag, Jenny the Jeep, and our nights at the squad building and southend fire house. I will always love you. Note: 17-31707-133. Everyone - I've only been here for 2 years but you made me feel like I belong. Thanks. Always remember Mat's house parties, V-Ball, Prom '96, Shore '96. You guys are the best thing that has happened to me! **Kristen-** "Baby Tone" Volleyball season has been a blast. Thanks for listening to my problems. I'll always remember dying your hair.





We all may change, our lives rearrange, but friendship never ends, so through the hard times, look back on these times, for we'll always be the best of friends.

**KELLY:** Always something there to remind me! CHACH '95-all other CHACHs many 1sts, many strange happenings. Highway driving(Message in a bottle) "Going walking" Esposito's 73 Fairview, "It's not paraw..." FN soph year, 101 and 1 reasons why this is an.... Dr. Steves house, Night B4 finals, where are we? Gazebo! Butt N... swimswim. lookout gazebo lot park binz FN etc. sleeping over Roebucks. AOKKate Careless Whispers. RP6HH-bleachers/bras? Prom wk. #Michelles, mem. wk. # Garys. RKK in the flesh. Hootchie parties. Chrissy's sweet 16. 3hits-tell it to the nuns. JFred, RPs hubby. KWs schanky socks. McFarland! Driving to the shore w/ Muss & Hafe. No-tell Motel Trial run day '96 UNIS "I'm calling all your mothers!" Shelong & Wulf FAITH LADIES NIGHT GOOD DAY SUNSHINE(TJ Max) Summer Breeze, Ahlitz, Swimming in the Rez, TIGS, Trimmer-did I miss a stop sign? Hey fat boy! Crushes: Mr. Hottie Man, Puck, Crazy 8, Possession. #3566 etc. Pouring # Lookout- Ponchos. In Your Eyes. Roebuck: Paper thin feet. "you can't help a feeling"(5 words) Build a bridge-take my advice, I took yours Thank 4 dealing w/ my moods ALL of the time (red scrunchie) I loved the flowers! 852 TML. CORK! I feel like I'm in a movie: Michelle my savior(thank 4 the reality check) Joes house-Joy.Grams ILU "LIKE" Lynns house summ.95 Oh Madon list. RP frosted cheerios. Muss 2Xs-whos counting? HH don't eat Mexican food. Lawn ornaments. Punch it! Did we ever name the penguin? Michelles house-our home away from home. Thank you Mrs. Benimeli 4 all of your catering and housing. We owe you big! Closet smoker. Gold power Rangers. LHG 5-0-too loud. Steppin'-I got your back. Tangy, buttery, bland,mellow. CLICH! I touch chris once, I touch Chris twice. Did you ever notice that this room was a light lavender? Funky is as Funky does! The pink living room. Senior out to lunch-DS HH EG SS. Deli-Heather your man.NEWS! My-So Called Life. Pumps and a Bumps. Sab's potty girls(KG HH RP) FL bathroom jun. year Giffs bed-mood swings. Easy Wojta-The Word. I WILL get my tattoo 9 a diamonds. Its my ribs I swear. Late nights chats w/HH. CRUST Balls Di. Lady in Red (TD) BALLS. Language or the Kiss. INDIGO GIRLS! Heather wheres my mix? KW-reunion. LaDiDa. The whereabouts of my black sweater? Lending out my closet to everyone! Seniorcutday#1 NYC. NYE 95 Lynns NYE 96 Adrians. 106.7 103.9 Grease-dancin in michelles basement, pole dancin, get down on it, Kellys stories, Janices stories. Trims-Forever Yappin. Taylor Shift Stick. Di-NYC library? No Hootie in my car! My hootie!-get out of the toaster. Mac&Cheese # Giffs. Up Close & Personal.Pool! Muss' gig-shd walks out in so sure!Wallflowers. My babys got sause. Fare thee well my bright star CB. Bur-ee-ur-ee. BAAA. Haves crushes:Prelude, Judd, Hairy Chester. Rachel-you stupid... you cant come to Easter dinner. Dont Stand So Close To Me. Car Hoppin. Giffs breakdowns. 4th July-Herbie! Soph. year brought us together. Villarosa:444, sacrifice polar bears, my house. He looks good-no I mean the car! Going 80 on the highway. Whoops! 100% pure love. Stewarts. Dont worry just be. Pinto:For Real. Giff 12yrs. we did it monk. Rug bracelets. Dina drivin the blazer who needs shoes?Drug Fair man. Sacchi-BETO Shelly Clockwork Orange. Carrot top. Quentin Tarentino. Roy Rogers-Holster. Muss Dig it? Garys garbage pail kids. Deli girls. Tootsiepops & Marlboros(MM) Football games dancing in the stands. Ah Sacchi. Pauly-Ah Dil Sorry I slapped you! Cottage-STAY Garys garage.Slammin! Hoggie GQ. Furly. Hess-Galland. Dont give me no bologna. Lino-Party in the ghetto. Heather-Dream House Khaki, black & white. Reality Bites!SSA(very funny we know what it means) Paul-my baby version of your pimp daddy car. Giff days # Cranbury. How are you doing I'm doing just fine. J/K livin guys, I'm cutting myself off gotta stop babbling as usual. Guys you are all the best-We bring out the best (and worst)in each other but we're a good mix. I'll miss you all- Trust Me. ILU!!!! Dont 4get the best.

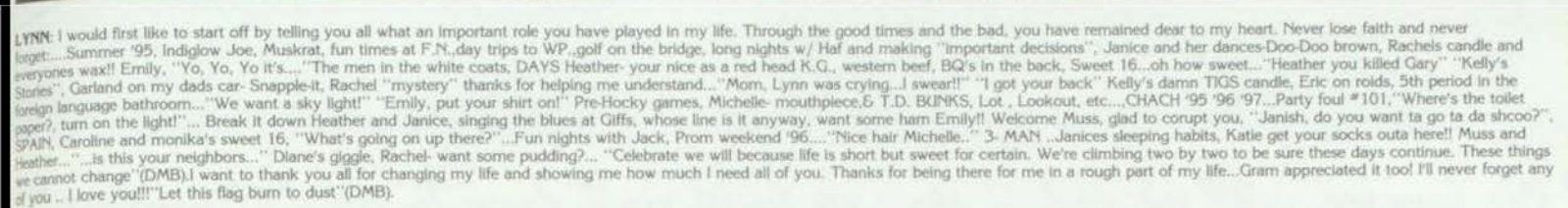
**EMILY:** "You never gonna survive unless you get a little crazy" Some say the best friends you have are the ones you have in high school-Angelica and Rayanne-Rayon? Our sarch for ricki- T.J.?Days of our lives, nights # F.N. Oh Falamin!! CARELESS WHISPERS. Tommy? It might happen Joey's house. Is that a wig? Kelly it is about that time... "It's not paraw..." was the counter comfortable? get to the point. Cranberry, captain crunch. Why can't I BE MORE LIKE YOU- John Kelly- what color is your hair? Trial run day-you rebel. Roebuck- psycho? What/behind Krausers? Latino Home Girls. Hootchie Parties. Break it down with the hooded wulf Janice, who are you working with today? TRAILS-three hits! Whats up man, dude shut up! CRUST! All I gotta say is AOK Kate! Will you stop fidgeting? You fiend. Keep talking. I just want to keep peace! Indigo Girls-Least Complicated. Steppin? I got your back. Kates birthday-what went wrong? Deli-Milton-WHAT?Put Jack in the box. Late night walks, topos bike riding. Thanksgiving eve me in the fries. Where's Fred? Dr. Steves-come again. PREM- PERM? Foreign Language BR. English w/T White Danny's Shift Stick. THE HATI Are you 21? No Tell Motel. UNIS-SMOKIN' can you smoke in here? Duh-Long December. Can you do my nails? SLAMMIN' Balls,Die,Balls. Your laugh kills me. CORK Leave me alone. Club Getty! One fish, two fish, yellow fish, blue fish. I have moved on to bigger and better things. 1:45 my back porch, holy- thats huge! All my love to the boys down the shore. Calls house-Andrews at the lane Alex w/ the soda top. Read my shirt guys, read my shirt. E-BEAST! Ocean sunrises, going to 7-11 # 5:30 w/ strange-guys-are you nuts? My name is Bridget. Gabby! Brick and Carol-yuk! Thankfor the great times-Chach in the house. FAITH Dooch and Elvis! Thanks for the dance Trevor! Holstens-Nino, wheres your cherry? Ray-cookies for me. I called YOU remember? "I will remember you, will you remember me, don't let your life pass you by, weep not for the memories."

**HEATHER:** "Stayin' Alive, Stayin' Alive" Never forget all of our X's together: Prom Wkd '96, Mem wk. # Garys, CHACH '95, Giffs afterschool-"Do you mind if we pay in all change?" bike riding-Shirtless? Going to California? Potty girls, Foreign Language BR, Do-Do Brown, Chaches # Michelles, My So-Called Life, CRUST! BBQs # Giffs-"I'm calling all of your mothers!" Me licking the TV when RKK came on. Steppin', "I got your back!", Dr. Steves, LHG-"we're not doing anything wrong!" PUMPS & A BUMPS. Grease and love songs. (106.7) Indigo Girls. Thanks A. Joy & Grams-We luv you guys! KELLY: Highway driving, "Message in a bottle" TPW-"Don't Stand So Close to Me..." A year has passed since I wrote my note" I will give it to him someday, pink living room, 5 yrs, and I'll be back! "It's not paraw..." RKK in the flesh! "End of the Night"-Thank for the black & white pictures. It's about that time! "GOOD DAY SUNSHINE!" "Mom, we're going walking", clyde face. "What are you guys doing?-just hanging out?": How Stupid! Freshman crush-Prelude; Puck and Judd, our #s CLICH? buttery, tangy, bland, mellow. McFarland, you peed on the car! JANICE: My partner in crime, hootchie partners, "Sexual Healing" The wolf and the shelong are the size of an empire state building, plus a mack truck plus 3 empire state buildings! Your hootchie parties-under the blankets! Doughnuts # the pool w/ Seniors! The 1st side home-"Watch out 4the telephone pole!" Andres sleeperover- BUSTED! Whats behind Krausers? Our 1st trip to your house, "I'm being sucked under the car!", "The house is slanted!" HULK HOGAN, DARE dance-No Mrs. Salgado, its not your cooking. Never 4get the boyz-we love you guys! 3-man, hands up hands down, SMOKE TO THE MURDER! Trial run day'95. "Tell me" "Foolish Heart" "Regulate" Calling Kelly # 3AM "Emily's front lawn-JOEY! The giant # FN-"Do you think we can ....?" EMILY: Angelica & Rayanne, the search for Ricki, Days of our lives #FN-DORKS! "Careless Whispers" "Summer Breeze" Em, do you want a pole? your crash into the fries, your gross cousin licking my ear, waiting for you until 1:45 AM. We will one day find the perfect guy! DIANE: I will get the rat! TEMPLETON! I want some bacon! "Why didn't you tell me Rich was so hot?" Your mac&cheese, the radio-"Long December" "Do you really think it was from him?"Putting the note on the car-Kelly take it off!! It's all coming back to me now-"It's on Z-100 all the time" I will one day go to the city,let's go to a bar! "UNIS-SMOKIN' KATIE: AOK! You are never gonna live that down. I didn't break the bottle-thank for cleaning it up! Your gross socks, your uncles house-fool and cans. 1st time w/ Jack and never stopped! Big Daddy Wojta, blaming me for everything. I FORGIVE U Though, I can still beat you up! RACHEL: Our soccer seasons w/ my crushes, the Little package, ANDRES-our mothers walking in-crying because of our pool grounding, times # the Blinks, our 1st sleeperover in kindergarten to Chach's now-what a long way we've come! LYNN: Our summer of '95, those FN nights and crazy days, Thanks Anthony, we owe you big! Dancing in your backyard, my red hair, meeting #the bridge, the Jay incident- we were so dumb! MUSS: Being bad together, our trip down the shore, driving down the shore listening to the top 500 countdown of the 70s & 80s. Lynns basement, mooching # Lookout, the telephone call-I hope I helped. MICHELLE: SAT review-"I can't go in there!" Thank for the awesome Chach's, down the shore w/ Muss. "The pteridactyl pulls it all in." DINA: The big black blazer. Cruisin around and being bad. I can't even express how much you guys have meant in my life. I will never forget you. I love you all. Thank for making me who I am.

**MELISSA:** a.k.a. Muss. How could I be called a "Slacker" CHACH. Highjacking the penguin and our addiction to lawn ornaments. Driving around aimlessly. Avoiding the bacon. Using the non-facilities. Why did I wear overalls? Corrupting the youth of Verona for two bucks. Nature walks on the tracks. Prom weekend? Trips down the shore. Frogs everywhere! Guys, I think we're on the moon. After-school festivities. Baking w/ Bridget & Jack. Spatulas from Chemistry. The Trinity of Trouble. MICHELLE: Ring pops, the pterodactyl brings in the day. Hanging out w/ the crew. The Bagel-it routine. Being half mast. I think it's time for a walk, you were always so much fun. HEATHER: Hey you lose points for that one. Bell-bottoms and funky sunglasses. The Disco Queen. My Drug Fair days. I could always trust in you. KELLY: I still have no idea why you are called that. Starbuck and lights. "It's not paraw..." Phone Junkie. Do you see what I see? KATIE: Woj, my first Veronian friend. Tie-dyes and mint ice-tee. What was I gonna say "NO"? Being on call. I always felt so much safer with Rescue Squad Kate around. EMILY: Reds and Diet coke. Indecent exposure in the foreign language wing. Giffs kitchen. Much needed tear jerkers. RACHEL: Losing at hands up, hands down was never so much fun. Future black mail in your photo album. Fred, the potato, was always by your side at Chach's. JANICE: Your duets with Hafe were always great. Did you guys ever notice this room was purple, almost lavender? Taking a dip in the reservoir. DINA: Out to lunch at B.K. Lock and roll. D&D. DIANE: Breakfast at your house, after one long trip was great, though I couldn't eat. Chasing graduates. Your skills were always appreciated by Hafe & I. LYNN: Your basement holds fond memories of an unforgettable night. I will always be glad that I moved to Verona because I got a chance to know an unforgettable group of friends. Words of wisdom from Muss: Never mix popcorn.

**JANICE:** "My So-Called Life" Thanks you guys for always being there for me. Never forget the memories....Golf course, sleigh riding, Hootchie parties, Andre's- BUSTED! Prom wk. '96, Swim- Swim, Chach '95, Memorial wk. # Garys '96, Giffs house, "It's not paraw..." Summer of '95, evening bike rides, F.N. Brown, No-tell Motel, Trial Run Day '96: Monika's, Dianas, Lynns, Carolines Sweet 16's, Swimmin'In the Res, Lynns New Years Eve '95, Dr. Steves, lot, park, bins, Lookout, etc., Finals of '96 at Gazebo, Mike Harder's, 4th of July '96-Herbie! "We like the cars, the cars that go boom" "Ladies Night" "Fat Boy", Ponchos # Lookout, Foreign Language BR, "Doo Doo Brown", JACK, Bathroom Horrors-Garys, Lynns during the summer, Thanksgiving Eve '96-Giffs, the french fries! Michelles house- sunrise-Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles! LHG-girls we have complaints. "Are you steppin? Collaps up, you got my back?", "Pumps and a Bumps", "Check it, but don't wreck it..." Neizd some? Big Bi CRUST! "Mystery"-Indigo Girls, walking home form F.N., Senior cut day #1-NYC, Hootchie partners, doughnuts at the pool w/ SENIORS! "Sexual Healing", "Faith", "Summer Breeze, 3-man, Hands up, Hands down, "Smokin' to the MURDER" "Just Once, Foolish Heart, Regulate", Andres bed. "The best the Eagles", Emilys front lawn-Joe! Dreams-going bowling with the boys. Driven Monteros & Lebarons, first trip to my house, Hulk Hogan-"I see him", Indiglow Joe, "You hit the sheep", Weebles. "The car's eating me!" Under the blankets, cryin at Lookout, D.A.R.E. Dance- Is it my cooking? Rachel- wanna walk home on the tracks?, "Bended Knee", You can't get ketchup on that...39 cents extra, all day mail trips, Express shopping, Circus '95, Florida '96-do you want to fight? Golf this is really hard!, Valley girl talking, Rachel & Muss- S.A.T. review? No!, Muss's Party. Wanna sneak out Kate? Toronto-toga party! "What was I supposed to say, NO!", the night at lookout-that never happened! A.O.K. Kate, Kate & Kelly-thanks for saving me/Kellys stories & my stories, McFarland, Callin at 3 a.m.! Derwent Drive. Did I miss the stop sign? My blinker was on for 2 minutes, I swear! "Guys, this is so HIGH tech", Erins stealin from her house, what...the movies, late night talks, bike rides, lunches, telling you my problems, sleeperovers, the pig roast on Woodland. "Who'd think I'd find my best friend at a pig roast?" I'll never forget you and will always be there for you, "Lino-hanging, almost falling out of the car & the Green Stuff. Per. 4 lunch '95-"Food Fight", Fat Janice, League of their own theme song. Adrian-T.G.I.Fridays, The Manor, Planet Hollywood, sking, N.Y.C.-Kinda like it!, Central Park-Carousel, path trains and all our other great times. Your house or mine, late night talks, playing nintendo, McDonalds. Its been a great year and I'll always love you. And more Gund animals-Please! I'll never forget all the great times I have had with my friends. And I'll always cherish the memories. Thanks for being there. Friends Forever! Good Luck and I'll miss the Class of '97!!





**MICHELLE:** "We'll shine with the ones we love." RR. So much has happened. You will always be my most memorable friends. Shauna, Diane, and Geo, I'll never forget the BFC. "Maybe the dingo ate your baby!" CG guys, spring break '95. CHACH will never be forgotten. BNSS. Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles. My not-so-sweet 16 Party. Many other endless nights in my basement. Lawn animals, enternams cookies. Chach plus. Muss, our long "conversations" with Jack in my bedroom. The "walks" we took too many nights. Popcorn!! Corruption of Verona's youth for a buck. Kelly, you're right, it's not paraw...! Hafer and Janice, the wolf and the she-wolf will never be forgotten. Rachel and Dina we will always be the married ones. Soccer game "celebrations." Frogs everywhere! April '96 trip down the shore w/ Muss and Heather. Giff or Bridget never forget that summer with the crew at Pepe's, Teepee, Andrew's and my house. I wonder if the beast is still looking at his shirt? Prom weekend '96, it's spill proof. Everything is Fred. Gramo's part II thru? Summer '96, My house, the bins, the lot, lookout, park, gazebo. Climbing trees and spinning. G-Love winter. Dazed and Confused. The night at Dave's basement. People are strange. Poor Howie. Out to lunch with Rael, Katie, and Lynn. Always skipping Hockey games. What ever happened to the foreign language bathroom? My 17th birthday at Lookout. NEVER again. Many, many nights in Jordan's basement. Super Bowl Sunday '97 we can forgive and forget and many other memories I forgot. I love you guys with all my heart. I can't wait to see what our future's hold. Never forget. "The perodactyl brings it all in."

DINA: Through all the bad times and the bad, no matter what happened we always seem to find our way back to each other. That is what friendship is all about. There are tough times and not so tough times, and during all that knowing that someone is there for you just puts a smile on your face. Thanks for everything you have done for me. ILU guys. Now for all the good times locked in my memory: CHACH- lawn animals, JACK, late night, "Look at this mess!" brownies, chips, etc...Rachel...There is so much in the short time we have spent together that I don't even know where to begin! Saturday Night. I guess I'll just start from the beginning. "How about Prom weekend at Michelles shore house'96, PROM itself, Oh what fun! Matt, Phil-Wildwood summer '96. "He's dumb but he's still kind of cute!" Sneaking into the Grand. Boardwalk, wax hands, dots ice cream, late night swimming in a very chlorinated pool. Sitting on the beach watching the sunrise. CVS at 3:30. "What is wrong with us?" Peach Lemonade. Mini golf Par? Driving golf balls, actually watching. Sunday breakfast with you know who. Bowling, dealing with all the crap. "Why me?" "With my bare hands..." Lunch time in the BR Junior year. The one day you're absent you miss it all. Hangin'in the boys room. Long talks with JACK. CHACH. "Call me bright and early (7:30)!" "I'm on my way!" Bins, lot, checkers, chess, gin, old maid, — these are my granddathers cards. "I'm not taking sides!" How many diners have we been to? Can't forget that lovely hike up & down Mt. Tammany, Delaware Water Gap- one good time, one bad time. I'm sure I left many things out but there is just too much to remember, but these memories will always be a part of my life. Thanks for being there during my very tough times! I really needed it! Meg & Dori—"Shock me, shock me with that devious behavior." "...not on Rex Manning Day!" JAMACIA?? One more button undone. OK enough if that. Assigned seats-Meg-Permanent shot-gun! The trainie is slipping! "I'm sure." Driving aimlessly. "What gas?" Hockey! Park, lot, bins, lot, etc....Sublime. "Get out and Dance". What are you doing? Crossword puzzle and homework! "I broke a nail!" Sleepovers at Dori's. DORI-ANY! B.K. Obsession. 11 times in 4 days. Dori- winter break, need I say more? "How cute am I?" Bell Summer-time: those were the days, Steve Miller Band. Sorry to cut it short but theres no choice. Michelle... Preschool-Oh my god, I can't believe we've made it this far. So much to say so little time to say it. Up all night or trying to be anyway. Jordan's basement. Gramo's, CHACH, JACK, HORDE summer'96. Ticker tape parade. TRAFFIC "give me a cookie" New year's '97 will never be forgotten-along with all the other wonderful memories given to me by NC-always in my heart. CHACH can't....."It's not paraw...", "I feel like I'm in a movie!" L.O., Lot, Park, Gazebo, Heather&Janice driving to the lot. Whenever life may lead you whatever you may take you will always be in my heart and on my mind. Thanks for everything. ILU!







**CARLA:** Midnight dips at EHCC, Chase from Lookout, EXPO, Pine Brook rm. #69, Prom '95 '96 Cha-Cha's Skipping out on the bill, Dork Girl, Chach 1995.5-Finger Bargains, Queen of Ruin, Tanning, Shopping, The Dark Room, Russel Bauman's gigs, Mono, Highway Pavillion, BIV, Security Guard (county police) at the Bins- "Nicole get in the car!" Listening to the Fugees, Clearing to drive stick w/NG, New Years Eve '97, Hoggie-Lips Nat. #2, "What really happened at Fairfield Exec?y? Holler's, 7-11 slurpie runs, the Madison bus trip, boys state game. **Jessica** BFF, MD, MDMB, P & D. "my formula, "Do I smell? I think I have sweat marks." "Shoop? Whata Man-give him something that he'll never forget, what if I pee on my jeans? Is this poison ivy?y? Burning RPs picture in the lot w/K.C. Beast, Master, NYC trip "Tie your shoe! Pay attention!" Turning on the dramatics, ROC, "What Woods?" "I hate your house, it's so ugly!" "Hold me Hold me . . . " **Erin** My partner in crime, "I'm so sure I'm going home at 11:00! Galk-Hogan, Clown, Rainbo, "96, How ya doing, good? Olive Oil, "You feel the Sun!", "Hurry up, I'm going to pee in the sink!", "Smack!", Free Water, my butt pants, Turn it down a notch, "Morn, stop hitting me!" Insight weekends, chick magnet, Funky Town, SWAP-Scaglione brothers, hazings, Garden State Mall trip, HOOK--UP! **Isaiah** **Nicole** But Pincher, Toughest girl in Verona, Balls, La-La, La-Pe '95, Irritable one, Rusted Root at WPC, Army shorts, Shot-gun Queen, Scanklines, "Hey who turned out the lights . . . Who's in here?" "FOOD FIGHT!" Blyng frutes, "Ha,Ha,Ha, SKIT GP", "Blind Persons Crocking, Fish Nets and Tassels, Bed Rule-FROOB!" hooked-up with Carla, Alright- bye! **B'D** **Lauren** pigs live 10/9/94, Let's go pop a squat!, "Wow, you looking swell . . . Well, golly gee, thanks!" YBPALE- this is so tanning, 1/2 time chase, Dadalans, Flasher in MHS parking lot, Lookout chase-grounded! SAT prep course countdown, "Don't touch me!" 2/21/97, "What is this kid saying?" "Can we walk POSSIBLY?" "I'm so sure I'm going to walk out to lunch, Treitter's class from year-offer button-ROTH, Ned's class soph year-squirrels everywhere-MD! Date the hoes! Calvin and Hobbs silk screen. **Shauna** "My Sharona "None of that red stuff, this back seat isn't big enough for the 4 of us!! This is not a sports utility vehicle!" "Hitting the cab in NYC - Yankee Fever! An officer's wife lacerated her rib cage wearing her seat belt like that . . . SORRY! FOOD FIGHT!! **Marissa** Door Bell Bumpers, Mischief Night in the attic w/CB- "Here, let me try and throw one . . . oops!" Chicken Fingers at 3:00am, "Thanks for making me feel so special!" Funky Town, 1/2 days before track practice. **Sandy** "It's just the 3 of us again!" Prom '96, GO VOLVO, Butterfly earnings, My Little Buddy "I'm a Lion" "Guys, guess who called . . . PB, Hands up Hands down and JAs, "What's a happenin' ho, stuff?" The Woodbury Commons Bathrooms - here, have a cheeseburger, Wendy's, 1,2,3, ready Mon **Erin** **Melissa** "We're so cool" Ditching-getting lost in Caldwell College, Yellow Brick Road, "I think I broke the car!" FRENCH KISS, "What am I doing w/a fux box?" Double Dates, Pervert, #8(PF) I wrapped Why are guys so stupid? I will Survive! **Danielle** **Ibella**, Dr. Giggles "My dogs love Italian Food" "Hey, you guys are cute!" HFC & QFD, Hanging w/ Bay-Fu, BN and the Hippie, "Me and you, your mamma and your B! too!" Black Scargo, Good Times, "The usual, please," Pilgrim, "You're my BONE?" Babalon, Are you 2 twins? . . . No, Cousina, but close, Irritable One, Bryan Nigro from Totowa, "She's such dork!" "Where are you GOING?" BN, Passed out, Be all that you can be one! **Hey**, remember when we used to be friends w/Scargo?, "Stop saying everything that I say!!" **Brian** DMB concert, 2 years of nothing but non-stop fun . . . well most of the time anyway, Always remember the good times, "Dinner! . . . That's Diner, you idiot", Shore Trips 8/9/95 Belvedere, Brian, I want you to know what a big part of my life you have been. I will always LOVE you, no matter what.

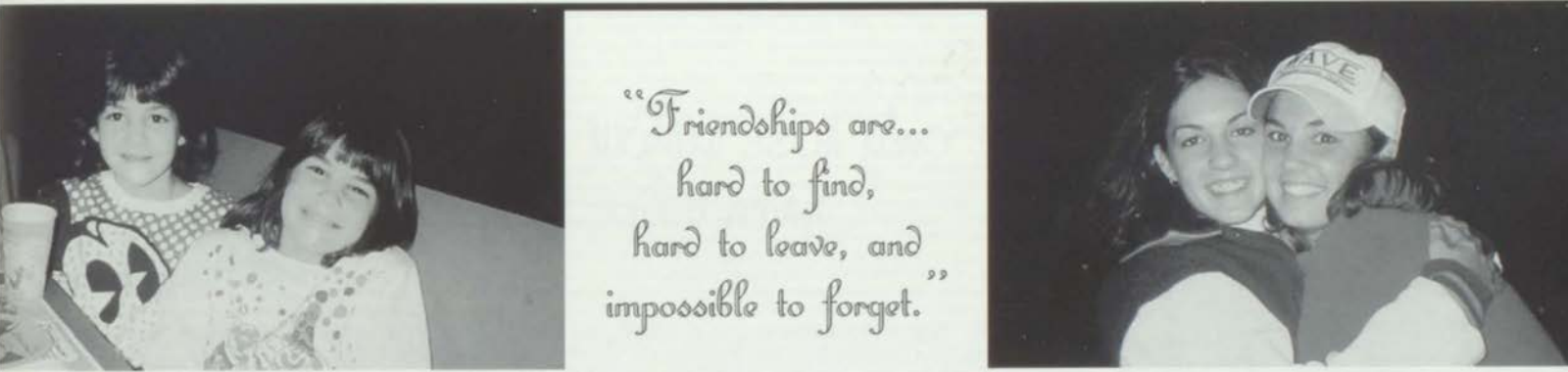


Best buds since 3rd grade. Never forgot our sleepovers, sticker trading & gossip sessions from middle school to graduation. I miss you so much. I miss the way you would have gotten through freshmen yr. w/o you. MORANI! God I hated those girls. Martino's 4th of July gig. Lookout, Zeb, Highlawn, the Lot, Buza's, my house, "Hands up!" "Don't worry, you'll get better w/ practice." Villa's, "Laur, the toilet seat hit me in the head." Hoopie \*16'2, 84's, plus many more memories, some too long write & some that are inappropriate to write. I'll always remember we once promised ourselves that our kids would be just as good friends as we are. Always keep in touch. Nicole: You always believed in me & kept my spirits up, you can always make me smile w/ you cute dimples & goofy sayings like, "dork girl! I'm so sure, whatever. Easy as cheese. Oh my lord," "My most fondest memories of high school were spent w/ you, Starting w/ Annie. Then came before games, #night, Chorus, Plays, Musicals, youth Group, insight '96/97, 'I'm the Mama', 'Midnight swim' #EHCC, Smokey, 'Mom, stop hitting me!', 'Lucious lishes, Peach Snapple, Goss' Dr. Steves, My basement, Fight between CG6 VHS that never happen. Starbucks, Notell Motel, late night Pilgrim craving, I'm not talkin' fries, I'll like a sister. Sandy Remember no matter what you'll be my bridesmaid! That's what we said in 7th gr. It's still true to this day. Fun times on the football field, many breakfasts & tag-along, Drivin' around, my big sleepover, Zeb, running home nights, stumbling all the way, party at my house, Valentine's Day dinner, thanks for all the help. Int'l wknd, Girl's nite out, Bowling, Movies, Jour. 2, Shore 6, Prom, just fun times in general, you are a great friend. Shauna I'm so glad we became better friends this year. My lunch pal, tomato Alfredo! I think you need a hug! I love hugging you you're so smoothie, visiting Tommy too many times, your garage, CG drivebys, pilgrim cravings, bagels & fries w/ honey mustard. Goss' party exes fells, teaching me how to drive, stick, "oops I'm sorry", fab 4 you me NB6DS, always remember when things are bad and getting worse just keep a cookie in your purse. Danielle hitting teeth, driving like a maniac, slamin' cops, many nights together, out, getty, exes fells party, pilgrim, I'm in the mood for a milkshake. Jaretts basement, Pierle stoppin in exxon for more gas, fairfield exc. Jaretts stolen fun, you're so slamin'! Jessica Never forget Prom '95, I'mo, Ernie forgetting my shoes. Sweet 16, Shauna's sleepovers, my house & yours, football seasons, DJ bowling, pickle ball partner, we almost won the pickles! "Do I smell?" sweat marks, city shopping trips, lunch #Planet Hollywood, Prom wknd '96, 3am shower, you needed it, Annoying Roth, Chris's parties, the left, gossip sessions to many to count. I'll John We came here together in 3rd gr & this yr we leave together. So many great memories & things I owe to you. You're always there w/ comforting words & good advice. Never forget all the play & musical art class, working together on numerous school activities like student council, Y.O.U. (co-founders), NAHS, yearbook, youth Group, insight retreat, long talks, #DGO or Starbucks, late night Algebra study sessions, gigs all over town, 1st per. Gym, potty mouth, MD class, Gators, Splool, Mommy & Daddy. Don't ever let these memories fade, I'll you are forever a friend. Carla: partner in crime, Lifeguard buddies, Scaglione bros, Swap, two, smock, insight '96 & '97 I'm so sure I'm going home #1 I'm shopin til we drop, alive all night dips #EHCC, mascot, afternoon naps, I'll you are a great friend. Melissa From JV to Varsity we've cheered our little hearts out! Great memories on/off the field early morning practice, getting off track, breakfasts, tag-along, dance routines & band cheers. Capt's together, awesome pep rallies, cheering isn't where we spent all our time together though. Del's Days, late nights #Zeb, Eagle Rock, apostery, Mr. Ramp-friends forever, keep in touch! Marissa Cheering buddies, sleepovers, your house, watching videos, making them, Shore '95, stealin the Beretta, "Officer I'm really sick", Prom '96, Queens/Princesses Wind in Lav, Jerky Boys, BJ in the car next to us, parking meter, super monkey, past dinner, keeping everything clean, 4am fire works, fruit drinks, muscle makers, don't mix City Crowd, EXPO, getting ready #EHCC, "Should I wear eyeshadow? I don't want to get pic-pocketed!" This back seat isn't big enough for all of us! Blind persons crossing, Ellens Star dust, Yanks won the world series, slamin' cops, hitting cars, Ernie, driving, driving, T-Bell, TCBy, Mandee to the rescue, shopping sprees, Marshalls Incident, Jarmica, That Includes Dorrie Kelly too, Ricks Cafe, Waverunners, "You \*#! up my bike!" pickle jar, lemons, anaps, purple puke, VJ, Macarena contest, EXPO, garbage trucks, rides in my hooptie, non working windows, plus many more unforgettable times. Even though it can be hard to tell I love you and wish you well. Chris From '93 to '96 you were the love of my life & something tells me you will always will be. You've made my life more special than you know, Cape May long summer days, Chinese on Sun. nites, Prom '95- '96 King & Queen, one of the best wknds of my life, skippin out 8th per. countless hours of "just us", I owe a lot to Mr. Cassillo Ditto. 52 I love you

Jessica Carla We have great memories, BF, MD, MDMB, Do I Smell? Your Brian my Brian (Ha Ha), Prom 95/96, Oh it was fun, Running tennis courts and also that night, ripped jeans, Shoop and What a Man, Myrtle CG, 50, burning picture of RP w/ KC, Basketball, Crutty, I'll get you ice, Bench warmer, picking nose, secret hooking up, puttin on the dramatics, cheating, EHCC dip... Squeeze me Squeeze Me. We had the best of times. Katie My running buddy, early morning runs, walks past Herbie, Prom 95/96, your shore experience, cheating your good advice (lying), sleepovers, snow days, pilgrim, bundling up, TCBy (chocolate sprinkles), VCP, Rosano see you around town, lips, Blockbuster-natural, Daves, hit rew. again, hook up, slimeballs, Treitter stop talking, study groups, love, You really are one of the best. Sandy Your the best! Your my Sandra Dee, Orange girls, Dadoze I love ya, and basketball, Proms together awesome dates, Pety97, "Its just the 3 of us again", Little swimming, #EHCC, P.B.?, Hook up, Bumps, Where are they swinging to?, Villas, So many memories I can not write them all down. Lauren You are really cool, Love to make fun, orange girls Dadoze I love you, Lookout-run-jans, Your my cutie, Flowbee memories, Where are you? I am right here, Laughing lots, Big Ben, Judgment, the Beastly (you know who), ...face in effect, your lovin the Rye bread, Nice Bumps, Where are they swinging to? Erin From 95/96, Down the shore, Was anyone else in the house?, You were a great mommy! Shopping, New York City, Danielle Tennis cap, Scaglione, Shook, Sahara, ...tissa, Wanna fight? Basketball-Do you want ice? I will get you ice, get street, fire hydrant-1' away Rachel love ya, BF, Walks, Guy problems, telephone, cool diner, formula, cool outings, lying, gossiping, friends from beginning, not enough space to recap all the mems. Love ya like a sister. Dave you have been a big part of my senior year. The "game" is on; I really do hate you (just kidding) E-mail buddy; your new best friend, unforgettable memories. Jennifer Your the best friend I could ever have. I miss you so much when you away. I am so glad we get along so well. I do not know what I would do w/o you. I love you so much. Unforgettable memories with unforgettable friends. I love you guys!

Shauna "Eventhough the memories may fade in my mind, the moments I have spent with my friends, I will cherish forever in my heart." Can I ask u a question? 7.4th per. lunch-Tassies & Fishnets, Fat Janice (Bowling & Dancing), Reunion, The Fight (re.Regina, Amanda), "U are so annoying!" Joe never showing up for lunch, flying fruit (throwing fruit at the frosh), Just stand up and yell FOOD FIGHT! I'mo guy is dead, cookies & milk, when the East is in the house, EXPO-nore of that red stuff, there's a time delay between the front & back seat, Christmas break, Ralphie, "Men are dysfunctional in bed therefore women eat!" Duy, Helga vs. Helga, Chukkalita Milkshakes Salty, Nicole "You see how picky I am about my shoes and they only go on my feet", Talking to u is like talking to myself, "Lies Again" what's the name?, What's the 411?, Shenayn (Shania Twain), Carpe Diem, "Fix me up w/ Mike-he's dating a married woman!" Hello this is Shauna Sacchi...I give u egg roll, parallel parking "I am the human cone", This is a non-Hootie car, Power Mix, 4 in the bathroom (4 in 1), Mary & Andy, Chiara (Newark chases, Belleville Police, amaretto scours, Maureen, No Doubt, Spiderwebs, Andrews Sisters), Banger, Pounder, Did u drive here no my friend's in the car, my mono-don't u still have morio? Fantastic Voyage-I remember (where's that song), Trips to Florida-What happened?, Sassage & Rauchie, Ray & "Evil Eye" Cuniff, Sbarro's (pizza place pic), Siegal come with us, they all left without us, Johnny (the hog), Crybaby, Johnny Red wine (Born-Only-Born-Only), gairling noises, RSC, Joe (Wolai, hold fast, schmoke, bevoosh, Auntie Bertha, Baycowa (flips), WOHs, Friends since 8th, long talks about MN all the time, Erin-I think you need a hug, "When things are bad & getting worse, keep a cookie in your purse", CG drivebys, Fab Four/FD, Essex Fells Party), Addams Family, Girls on Film, I know I'm smoochy (Coll. Wall-summer), Office all the time, Midnight Fights, omelettes, heart murmur, "don't hit him, I think he's back", Crossroads, Clerks, Mountain Tavern, 91.1 (Ken & Andy), "God, the Eagle Rock Diner is cold", Leany, Anthony, Fu-how do u spell that F-U-L-F-O-O, whatever! CHACH, BFC, ROSE!, UNISS!, Ahh-uhh, Big rap, Snapple, Barry Harry something, BNSS, TOMMY!, Back of Anna, BETO, Kelly-u just doesn't move her out of the front seat, Katie-u are not getting in my car, Kelly-"one hit wonder", Wallflowers, Take one for every person in the car, Pull Up u ran over a dead squirrel, del partner, Counting Crows Mr. Jones, Thank to Robby & the use of his equipment, Janice- Foxy Brown, Michael Jackson Smooth Criminal, Do it for the picket, gym partners Why does Police always come on, Everytime we see Police-why is that, Where are we going-Cowdell, Heather u want to Urm... OK!, "Down under", Gay guys in the lot, "Only Love", the DragFair guy-whoooo Diane-u're impression of Sean, hitting the cab (taxi driver), slamin' cops, sleeping at John's house, I'll keep u warm-come sleep in my bed, Charlotte's web, Fired Up, R U ready for some mo', Jazz it up, "I feel like Ralph's shoes", the button pops & hits me in the head, Richard's here-WHERE ARE U, Wendy's, Pizz 46, Stealing Jarrett's fun, Pierre, first Tommy together- Oct. 23, 95. Friends are people you can't live without, my friends are my life! Thanks for always being there! Love you all!

Marissa From the 1st day frosh year yr. til grad day, VHS was full of surprises. Great times w/ Carla, Lauren, Nicole, Jess, Sandy, Erin, & Shauna. Russell's parties-playin' pool, ping pong, and Russ calling me Melinda? Lavalette Condo in '94, '95, '96. Guys in '94 bring us a Conquistadore! dirty feet! The super monkey & stinky couch cushion! Nicole don't remember eating tuna, bananas & PB on a cracker but won't forget speakin' espanol w/ Mariella and "Come give Grandma a kiss!" Lauren still don't know the lyrics to "Dreams can come true..." I Dr. Mario and buttercream icing are 2 of my favorites at Fern's! Jessica confounding me at Seaside Skyride! You're a wilder bowler-score 357! & Jess scream! "LEFT" for Rockaway Mall Playin' Cards w/ D.Nigro 5 a.m. diner run, Carla beggin' to watch that movie! Carlo- thanks for always havin' a piece of gum! Biology Project "Mr. Wong Wok where is your accent?" Mr. Wong Wok where is your accent? "It comes and goes I". Sandy- never forget FLA trip, My magic sunglasses Rido- ATV's- hit snowbank cops nabbed all Hanuck's New Yr. bash '96-RAIDED! Sand & Riss hitch a ride w/ Seth- still had a Happy New Yr! Sandy's Superbowl Party turned NL, JA, NG, BS, & MD WWF tag team! Greatest Memories: DiRoma "I wet myself" Pee Wee's Playhouse, Home Alone Part I & II, Yo Quiero Josefa, 6 Flags in '95, End of the World in CD's silver bullet, "Comelet!", Sally Jessy Raphael Show, secret handshake w/ DeSantis, Tortino asking Dave "Do you always stick your tongue out like that?", Holler Nigro Duo keepin' w/ tradition, Delpino J., and Beens II. Sendin' Sandy to Lavalette Dell "Pick up for Yorker?", Monday Night Bowling at Eagle Rock, Howie don't? Don & I go to BK for pink lemonade in a snow storm? I love ya Ferrugio and miss join' to Stevie Wonder and sellin' the mailman freshen up, gum and hot cocoa in mid-winter! All the Yankee Trips and Collins STANKY IS A YANKEE! Erin postgame fun at SCORES w/ the 'Sis & Bro! Dave- hangin' w/ the loofa!, Great times w/ you at Letterman, Rosie O' Show, Ranger-Game, Horseback ridin' and, Florida was great! DUDE, "what if your Mom made BROWNIES for breakfast, lunch, & dinner everyday?" "BROWNIES!" It's been great but times up so SEE YA! Mom, Chris, Jenn, Mike, & Dave I Love You guys w/ all my heart. But, before I go, DAVE FOR THE LAST TIME, IT'S GRAVITY!!



"Friendships are...  
hard to find,  
hard to leave, and  
impossible to forget."

From trying on shoes to graduation, we've shared so many memories & so many laughs, we'll be friends forever, always remember - Sophs: SMJDV, Stupid-head, Carvel, Skyline, 21&22, I still love you, Cotton is the fabric of our lives, p.7-Mr. V6 Peter, death to the bear-Surprise-Troll, pokifikkills, I COULD'VE TOLD YOU THAT, Wait Until Dark, plastic surgery (MF), Cookie-puss, URAQT, Chach '95, "While You Were Sleeping" paperboy, imaginary roller skating wknd, DISNEY WORLD '95: Frigment, Free the Ferryboat, How bad is that?, Spectro Magic Parade, Book it, Dan-watch out for security guards throwing flashlights, lemon-thingsy, "I couldn't get it out!", Tower O' Terror, "Thank you for being a friend!", Been there-done that, everybody else has a problem, Mel turned on the heat-"I'm freezing", tipping buses, clicking box in room, "Now approaching our final destination, Rocket Tower Plaza Station" Juniors: Sept-30 pile-on-teacher's convention-Ace Ventura II, similar haircuts, love square-pentagon, hat trick, plastic footballs, surprise Party 8/uriph, blackout, green Gap-shirts-licenses, sushi, no windshield wipers, cool socks, Devils games, prom-NYC-shore, "Friends Forever" music box, RSC, coincidental pairings-A-group, Yippee Skippy-Dr. Robotnik, "I Will Survive", SPAIN: Hello Tom-Wakey Wakey, potato chips run-last night, legs (picture didn't come out), El Corte Ingles, Val&Lana, Dan sleeping on floor in every city, "Let's just try opening this door one more time" Rm.425, Mel w/Dan's bag&jacket ticket, Todd-Ryan-Felix, Palladium&Joy Club! "What happens in Spain, stays on the plane!" Seniors: Role reversal, CS runs, Scream, roller skating (finally), Mel's cheering individual for Dan, Highlawn, Lips, only one different person!, Drug Fair parking lot (dance), Pilgrim, Versailles, FLOOD, Carvel (again), PattyB, Mr. Maher!, early dismissal, lock-in, Matthew McConaghey, Placas, Scaglione's music, New Year's at diner&DeLuca's, cheese dream, The Cheese Shop, Superbowl, "The Good Dr's", Feb. vacation, finally a trip to Nyack!

MELISSA: "Remember me with smiles & laughter, for that is how I'll always remember you." JUSTIN: "Not only do I love you, but you're my best friend", Schmokey-pie, Up Close&Personal, Triple M'er, "Wanna play Guess Who?", Blue-Mtn.cards, PROM, doing your hair all night(bathroom), bus rides, Jenny loves you, bumpy car, Pete's-Sept.30-where it all started, your legs, Nicole's Sweet 16, chicken at Bella Gena, Eagles dinner-Dec. 1, DMB, Clue, MDwknd, saying "goodnight" every night on phone, "Because You Loved Me", your family, Charlie Brown's, Lauren's Sweet 16-god at everything, FUZZY. Just, we've been through so much together and I know there is so much more to come. You've touched my heart in an amazing way & you'll always be so special to me. I'll always be here for you & I'll love you forever. "If you love something, let it go. If it comes back to you, it's yours forever..." NICOLE: "You find ally, you be good", cheering was great, B the A+ group, don't get arrested again, I need some BULLETS, "Oh my Lord" (your version), 6th per.lunch, Senior Sect.Editors-torturing White, dorkgirl, I always remember: "Never try & teach a pig how 2 sing b/c it wastes your time & it annoys the pig" I'll CARLA: Velards, favebox-u broke the car, French Kiss date x2, "I Will Survive", Yellow Brick Road, getting lost in Caldwell College- "We're so cool", "8-you wapped, Did we just hit them-Oops, I'll LAUREN: "We're so much alike sometimes." Remember: managing basketball-JV, chemistry(Ahh), working at del-belong Superbowl Sun, DMB concert, YO!, citrus girl, the way u laugh. Thank for being such a great friend and for giving such great advice. Keep SMilin', I'll KERRY: out 4 pizza-u don't need alcohol 2 be drunk!, dates x2-movies&out 2 eat, citrus girl, YO!, chemistry, sleeper, tie dye on your driveway, you're a great gal-never change-I'll PETER: Never met before partners in bio w/ Mr.V, & we've become such good friends since then! Remember: your answers, "While You Were Sleeping", Holstein's, dimples, lunch(x2), our music, long talks on phone, all your advice, DMB concert?Hm glad we've become so close-I'll STEPHEN: turtle, wind phone conversation, "good", Applegates&Holsteins, stupidhead. We've shared some great times-you're a great guy-I'll KRISTIN: b-ball managing, SPAIN: Globs, "Let's try opening this door 1 more time!", sleeping 2 inches away, ORBIE-I'll STEVE: "Go Screw, Hello, Elmo-shut up your dog!, missing mail, calculus-HELP, I'm glad we've gotten 2 know each other so well this year-I'll ERIN: cheering captains-all our speeches-starting Joshua, CG drivebys, Grease-Cars, Eagle Rock Diner(what a night), you're a great gal-I'll JOHN: Spain, never going out 2 lunch, YO!, no more Spanish, dorkgirl-you're a great friend-I'll STEVE N: shopping in your closet, teacher's convention wknd-Ace Ventura II, matching sweaters, good advice, You're a great guy & a great friend-I'll HEATHER(Merry Hanukkah & Florida trips) & RACHEL(turtleman & nerts)-since our first kindergarten sleepover, we've shared endless laughs-I'll treasure them 4ever-I'll guys always! MOM, DAD, MATT, LAUREN, ELMO: Thank you for always being there for me and for making me who I am today. You are all so special to me. I love you! "You said the world was magic..."

DANIELLE: Carla- My B! #1 cousin Bongo-early dismissal, drive from Dr. Steve's-"You guys are cute!", out to lunch-diner "the usual" (bagel/honey nut, coffee/coke), Hi Kap!, PERFECT!, 2 min., late nights at park, fighting goose that smoke, Black Scanga, Irritable one!, Be all that you can be one!, Chain smoker one!, mail, Babalon, rides down Woodland, INSEPERABLE, Stance thing, Are you two twins?, B.Nigro #Totowa, Good Times, Goldlocks & the 3 bears, passed out 2/21/97, Remember when we used to be friends with Scanga? I love you so much my fellow mascot and bone? Steve-I love you Shmoob! Sept 30/97, lock-in, trip to get my car (Jan 13)-Bronco, pushing the car, and the car ride home! TCBy, tests, e-mail, Scream, My Baby! Feb. vacation-I'll miss you so much but you will always be in my heart I'll "If every word I said would make you smile, then I would talk forever." Jessica- Hookin'up! Camp Val, Shmookie, Scang, iRoc, Sahara, HFCC&QFD? our dateX2 (Brookdale), Larisso, slime, low-fat twinkies, 15mph on Grove, white rice, Myrtle/ Bayfu, sleepovers, "Tl get ice" I'll Sandy, B-ball w/ Crusty, softball, the Rat, BEAST!, e-mail, jello-wrestling, the toilet overflowed? (B.30 am call), winter semi at Drug Fair, jello wrestling, Feb vacation tunnel cleaner! I'll Nicole- Phi Kappa Tau-poetry at WP, pickle-man, Spice Girls, Oh My Lowd! Dork Girl Irritable one! similar taste in guys, always singing, Mr. Maher!, RSC-First night!, Easy cheese. Steve T: To one of the greatest guys in the world I miss you so much! cottage cheese thighs, DEEEENGL, towed at Park Billards, buttered toast, Boris, pervert waiter, late nights at Forest, Highlawn, and waterfall (racon), M&D CG and much more! I hate you KIDDINGS! I'll Dave-I miss you so much-friends forever-always remember the good times & the love we shared. Todd - Spain-Palladium, elevators, stairwells, playing cards?, strawberries, water bottles? Orley Beach-Louis?, yard work,&Alex7-I'll BayFu- Jess's sleepover, CG, card games at Dr. Steve's, your laugh, Feb vacation (my bounce), urn: woops!, AOL pics, spinning tires, "You bring your friend Village I'll bring my friend Scanga" Peter - Sept. 30/95, Rauch's-Ace Ventural, THE LAST UNICORN, Emmett Otter, bio w/ Val, our first dance, dinner? I'll Kelly- Nutcracker Sweet-stamp stamp!, shore w/ Justin-hot spaghetti!, peraselling, Myrtle Beach- "Don't you dare!", the crane, Zolks and away!, sacrifice porky beans, lemon yellow sun, So many great times-I'll Emy- So many years-Dawn Town Phyllis & other home movies, va-vacation, Unforgettable..., sking down your back yard, commercials on swing-sets, Why can I not see you in my eyes? Oh I get it, "I'm alive!" I'll John A- RSC, Maher?, SPAIN-Whatever happens in Spain stays on the plane? Joy Club & after...PREP performances-good luck and I'll Marc-RSC, AOL, Oh Villa, funned?, "Smoking a butt ladies? Kristine& Katie- Physics w/ Sab per 6-When the bus is rockin', don't come knockin'! PARTY BUS! Drat Sab? I'll guys! To my entire family- I love all of you very much. Thank you for directing me down the right path: I couldn't have done it without you. You are all very special to me- I'll!



**Dee,** We've been best friends for 5 years and I know we will be for many more years. Someday I will be your sister-in-law! We've shared so many memories, good and bad. I couldn't have made it through the years without you! "Your Forever Friend gets you through the hard times, the sad times, and the confused times. If you turn and walk away, Your Forever Friend Follows. Your Forever Friend holds your hand and tells you that everything is going to be okay. You have a Forever Friend For life, and forever has no end." Thanks for being my best friend. P.S. Mom and Dad DeFilippo and Grandma and Granpa McKeown, thanks so much for making me feel like a part of the family- love ya!

Never Forget: Tree bangin', Hitman George and Don-the-Wacko, New Year's Eve '96, Saturday night baking, the sleepover, headlights head on Part I and II, "Plenty of ice and plenty of iced tea," "Dee, why is your garbage smoking?!"



**Corrine,** We've shared so many memories, where to begin? We've had so many good times and have been through a lot both good and bad. You've always stuck by my side through thick and thin and without you I may not have gotten through many things. I'll always stand by you no matter what. Always keep ya head up. "Let me tell ya a little somethin' somethin'" not only are you my best friend but you are the sister I never had. "Future sister-in-law". Thanks for always being there for me "always all the time". I Love You. BFF P.S. Mom & Dad Dapuzzo (my 2nd family) thanks for everything.



The only rose without thorns is  
friendship.



**Kelly-Laura** - "Duda" - For the past few years, we have shared a very special friendship. You are my best friend and someone I feel I can talk to about anything. Thank you so much for always being there when I needed you! I hope we're together next year, to continue all the good times. Best movies - "Tommy Boy" and "Spaceballs." Dandy Candy! Jingle Ball '96. Fun in Physics with Sab and Jon. Hey - how long is a meterstick? Things are flying out of your head! Remember lunch last year - a bagel and a Dew and recitations of "Spaceballs" - "Who is that guy?" Mike and the Winnie the Pooh gang (We're Pooh and Tigger!) The list of great memories is countless - too long to fit in this space, but I'll always remember our great times together. Jackie and Lubs - Best Friends Forever!! **Whitney** - from band to Volleyball, to talking till 4:30 AM at sleepovers, we've had lots of great memories. Way too much info - "I bro e state laws!" ".....HELLO!" We had fun in Toronto. (Do Not Disturb?) Oh - in the park, also. Thank for being there for me and for all the great memories! **Josh** - I'm feeling a little vaclept... Hands up, Who likes me? **Mass** - My Fico - We have too much fun in History! Thanks for letting me borrow your jacket and sweater. I love you... as a friend! **Mike** - Nice shoes... Nice Woody! Hey - Try not to get any more speeding tickets... (79) By the way, do you have one? **Caroline** - Conversations in french... Je pense que non! Thanks for hooking me up with Big Bro!! **WOPALIT** - Wagowhh! Save The Organic Pineapples! Whoops! Clank, clank, check out the view!! You guys are so weird! I love you! To the V-ball team - Fun on the bus - Our sign, Happy guy on the highway, old man taking off his wedding ring. We had a great time - thanks guys! **Jesse** - These past two years have been the best of my life. We have so many wonderful memories - too many to write in this small space. Remember Toronto - "Do Not Disturb!" Our favorite times - just sitting outside in the summertime, talking late at night. Prom '96. You've made me so happy. I will always love you! "Whenever I want you, all I have to do is dream..." To all my other friends - Daren, Jenna, Mindy, Maia, Nick, Kelly, Chrissy, Kristin, Dave, Chris, Steph, Jon - Thanks for your support and love. I love you all very much! Cathy and Grandma, I miss you and I love you - You are my inspiration! Mom, Dad, Maureen, Pumpkin, Grandma and Grandpa, Thank you all for supporting me. I love you!

**Laura** - "Wherever you are it is your own friends who make your world." **Kelly** - "Jackie" This is the "short short version" of our memories. Remember everything relates to it!! God we're sick! Does your father know about this? (DeLuca) That's just wrong! Never forget lunch 95/96 and History. Most of all never forget Physics with Sab and Jon. They are just freaks. And for your information I am PAYING ATTENTION!! NOT!!! I know I'm a freak but I can't help it. It's genetics. Are you high on Dew and Pixy Sticks again? I still can't figure out my list of five guys. I guess whoever's a hottie. Just a few important dates to remember Prom '96, Jingle Ball '96, the world series, and the super bowl. As you can see, I've tried to describe the fun we've had and the memories we've shared, but the truth is that words cannot describe the happiness our friendship has brought me. These past few years have meant the most to me and I will always cherish them. I wish I could write more but I'll just end with I love you and best friends forever. **Whitney**, how long is a meter stick? You'll be fine if you just keep on breaking those state laws. Good Luck and I'll miss you next year. Love Ya! **Mass** you're driving me crazy! AHH!! I think you and Kelly are having too much fun on my couch! That's just wrong! **Mike** Thank for all those rides home in the Woody. You're a great friend. Good luck next year. **Christina** - "Mr. Potato Head - Sr. Papa" Never forget Spain '96. 1,2,3,4 get Jorge on the floor!! We've had so many great times together, especially in Spanish. I'll always cherish our friendship. ILLU. To all my goodfriends - Josh, Daren, Jenna, Chrissy, Melissa, Amy, Theresa, Anne, Danielle, Monika - ILLU. Mom, Dad, and family - ILLU.



Favorite *Tommy Boy* quotes: "Shut up Richard!" "Luke, I am your Father... Sorry, did I interrupt Happy Time?" "Wha'd you doooo?" "Son of a... that's gonna leave a mark!" "Tommy likey, Tommy want wingey." "Holy Schnelckees!" "And I take my pet, and I poke it, and I massage it, and I spank it, cause you're a naughty little pet, yes you are! God, you're sick!" "Richard, that's wonderful! Hold me!" "Who's your favorite Little Rascal, Alfalfa, or Spanky!" Favorite *Spaceballs* quotes: "May the Swartz be with you!" "Who is that guy..." "We have to go at... Ludicrous speed!" "Dink, Dink!"





ERIN: How can I sum up 17 years of my life on 1 page? Oh well, here it goes... Kokomo, "Down down baby...", the bakery, bert and ermie, "My eyes are burning!", Seaside trips(passing out),almost treadmill tragedy,sorbball + basketball "Run Erin Run",hell hole visits "I swear we're really doing an experiment",smoking behind the garage,spying on B.S.,burning pots w/o blame,numerous stupid commercials,psychic friends,atmal beauty treatments,picking out future boyfriends in the yearbook,Italian ices and cream ONLY on Fridays,modeling for Salon Selectives,throwing Amore across the room,Thunderbolt,Quasimoto,Nicademiud,ERopinHoph(how lame are we?), "And what is the capital of the U.S. Erin... Trenton!" Kartwheels and individuals that never quit, happy,bathroom pictures,Chris Matt Mark and the infection,Downy movie??,Rookie of the year,Embassy Sweet life analysis,talking for hours about our lives on "our corner", numerous band camps,my confirmation "party",kicked out of the library by Mauzer,BLT,"Come to the edge"Florida,Toronto "Holy \* Bingo!...And one for Janice!(enough said),Prom "94+95(Piano man),Party of 3 at the gazebo,Blues Traveler,Phish "I don't like any of these people!" Pope Tour '99,Horde '96,Appalachia trip '96, 2 Miami,BLT,"Come to the edge"Florida,Toronto "Holy \* Bingo!...And one for Janice!(enough said),Prom "94+95(Piano man),Party of 3 at the gazebo,Blues Traveler,Phish "I don't like any of these people!" Pope Tour '99,Horde '96,Appalachia trip '96, 2 minute Friendly's meal,HOP? "She didn't mean it o.k.? She said she was sorry!", "We want pumpkins SMASHED!",insight '95-'97(homecoming),almost tartufo hookup, Daro and his 10 inches,the "car accident",Bagelman hubby,"cut-cut" (can you believe minute Friendly's meal,HOP? "She didn't mean it o.k.? She said she was sorry!", "We want pumpkins SMASHED!",insight '95-'97(homecoming),almost tartufo hookup, Daro and his 10 inches,the "car accident",Bagelman hubby,"cut-cut" (can you believe this is happening?),sun-in the crazy>Welcome to the Dollhouse,"going bowling w/ friends" and crickets at concerts,Chem AP + Journ.II,late b-day parties(also we even bother?), New Years '97-'Tm starting to feel real good?" dancing w/ Vince?Rusted Root "I have 1 question...what the #?..Cool! Awesome!",Virginia Beach, Pilgrim,Dunkin Donuts(a second home),Deli,4 yrs of bend-x country,track(I loved it!),and youth group,many small cars,"playing Genesis" 9-20-93-4-95,TG's party, Aspen Extreme, Super Bowl(x),Today,"SP,"I swear I always have dirt on my face"...etc(the list goes on) **CS,LF,RD,MA,ED,SS**.Thanks for the laughs,you guys are great.CheM!A!what's that?Pico never did catch us!**Jay**:you're a great guy w/ a big heart.I'll always have an open ear for you.**Lauren**:I may not see you but how could I forget you?You deserve the best in life w/ your heart of gold.**Dave**: "I probably shouldn't say this but..." "Too bad we didn't become friends earlier. **Katie**:I guess you could say faith has brought us together as friends.Never forget laugh/cry fests over palancas! **Kristin**:you're such a strong person. I hope my psychology sessions helped!!I'll miss you!**Collin**:You're like a second brother! Thanks for keeping me sane, making me laugh,and just for being who I am.I'll come running,just to see you again. **Scott**:You are so important to me in life + I'll cherish every person we've had. You are one of a kind and I'll always hold a special place for you in my heart.**ILLI Cathy**: "Sometimes an angel must fly against the wind, not with it..."yes angels never say goodbye for the last time" You're my guardian angel and the person I admire most.I'm truly honored to have you as a friend. **ILLI + me** **Danielle**:I never would've made it w/o you by my side. You'll never know how much you mean to me or how big of a place in my heart you hold.You've truly taught me how to laugh in life and the meaning of true friendship. **ILLI Always**. **Family (E Seamus)**:God gave me such a gift when he gave me all of you.There is no stronger love than the love I have for you.You're my life and strength. Thanks for being there everyday + for making me who I am today. **ILLI To All those I love**: "May the road rise to meet you. May the wind be always at your back. May the sunshine warm your face,the rain fall soft upon your fields.And until we meet again,May God hold you in the palm of His hand." See Ya!



"Here's to the songs we used to sing and here's to the times we used to know. It's hard to hold them in your arms again, but hard to let them go"



"We traveled many rough seas to reach the shores of sunshine."

## Torrie

I was on my way for a nice stroll down memory lane when I fell and hit my head. While I was passed out in the middle of the lane, I had the oddest dream... It began with some girl painting my face and that same girl was with me throughout the dream, giving me psychic help (okay, maybe he is a little more than a friend o-o) and helping me find all of my blue's clues. And because I was pretty much hallucinating, during the whole dream I was like **DH#**. And laughing, woo hoo hoo! It was like I was drunk but, "I can stop acting like this any time!" So then we decide to get something to eat. I wanted to go to Dunkin' Donuts, but no one would take me. We went to a diner, but there were some guys in front of the door (hey, isn't that the girl that... slurp wipe. ahhhhh!) So we finally went to Wendy's where people had monkeys on their backs and old men talked to their salads. Next, we went to the grocery store, but we couldn't find the dishwashing detergent (ask him for his Blockbuster card). But suddenly I remembered... "there's none in CROOOAASHAA, you stupid TA HANA!" Then we were in the car, coming back from a land of stoned fish, with some slimy Newark guys in the car next to us (that liked Regina, but she was really a man! ("Hey, should I flash them, too?") Next it was my turn to drive and I did so well, I didn't even stall. And there were all these signs for a place that I've never heard of, but it's Caroline's favorite place. One of the weirdest parts of the dream was that everyone kept coming up to me with their arms crossed XXXXXXX. Suddenly a bell rang, we were late for class, but we actually wanted to go, so that we could see the beautiful historical view. That bell was actually an ambulance siren and I was awakened from my dream to find myself speeding down the road. After telling the EMT of my adventures, they had seemed so real, I was rushed to the bins and got a collar around my neck for the electric fence and I was jealous of all the looneys who had cars. **THE END** I couldn't have gotten this far without my friends. I love you all! **Lynn**: Thanks for making senior year so worthwhile, for humoring me on my sugar highs, always listening, when even I'm sure you'd rather strangle me for give me a muzzlet, and for leaving me with so many memories. **Caroline**: Thanks for all the fun times, for at least trying to understand me even when I probably made no sense, and for putting up with all my craziness! Remember, you can borrow them (o-o) anytime. **Lola**: All those great walks home, helping me analyze my problems and obsess over my obsessions. (D.D.D.F.) **Amanda**: It's been fun and I'm sure there's many MAHER memories to come. **Sara**: Thanks for being there for my Friendly's dilemma & for being my partner in embarrassment. **Sarah**: XXXXX Gee: Just let me color outside the lines. **Kristin**: "...but Kub it's only gym class!" And all my non-Vetorian friends: **JH**: You may not know it, but you mean so much to me, thanks for sharing all your "special powers" with me. **RV**: "the trust of friends through all kinds of stormy weather." **TA**: so many funniest **CR**: spark plugs in a hot tub? & the entire **ONG**: "Some take walks to keep their feet on the ground, I however prefer them slightly off the ground."

## Caroline

where sadness breathes, the sadness of everyone."

**To Lynn**: Shut up, you make me nervous! Remember Walter & Peter: no phone. QB, BB, LB with Amy. Kivi, Avocado & Mango with Christina. Seven words...Loser! Aaron's caller ID. International Weekend with Andy. Go back to CROOOAASHAA #@!#! To hotel! Shut up about the stupid palindromes! Thanks for putting up with me on the Rusted Root detour, I did my best. Never forget the Applegate's nuts & PB drive bys. Most of all: thank you for sticking with me for four years. I will never be able to tell you how much I appreciated all that you have done for me. Thanks for caring and for listening even when you had better things to do. I will always love you like a sister. **To Torrie**: O O XXXXXXXX "ough said! John's just a friend: yes right! Shut up about the palindromes. We will eventually go see Adam Sandler if it kills us. No more I said! Thanks for making me laugh so much. Thanks for being such a good friend and putting up with all of our jokes. I am glad you finally got your home. I am happy we became close and had great times together. **To Amanda**: "Oh Caroline!" Remember Bob and Angelot There's always daddy-oh I mean Bob 21 (32) And then there's Scott: oh, never mind! Get off the phone! So you're the girl...by the way, how do you spell slurp? Are you a sucker for a good physique? I'm doing this strictly from memory. What ever happened to the let's game we were supposed to go to? **To Erin**: What's chemistry anyway? Let's roam and hide from Pico. **To Nicole**: Spaz & Car. Phi Kappa Tau. Do you want some pumpkins smashed? **To Lola**: Find your own ride home, just kidding. I love you anyway! **To Chrissy**: What are you afraid of, try it. Are you a nympho? I had a lot of fun camping with you! Fun with Jabe, or Dad, whatever! **To Christina**: Thanks for the ewok frosh year. Never forget "hat" time with Aaron and Bobby. Thanks for being such a good friend for so long & for putting up with and understanding me. Never forget Meatloaf, Violent Femmes, and the Bare Naked Ladies! **To Kelly**: "Je pense que non!" Thank you for being there when I needed you most! I appreciate all that you have done for me. I hope you and Jesse stay happy for a long time. Take care of my big brother! **To Cathy**: Thank you for being such a great friend. Even though our time was short together, I cherished every moment of it. Thank you for teaching me about life and how important everything is. I appreciate you for thinking of your friends when you knew we needed you. Thank you for bringing me closer to people I may never have talked to. Must of all thank you for being you! I love you and I miss you! "Life is eternal, as we move into the light, and a horizon is nothing, save the limit of our sight." **To Craig**: I had an amazing time with you at the prom in '94 and '96. I had a great time pushing you in the pool in Florida. There are so many memories we have shared in the past three years. There are just no words to describe how I feel about you. Thank you for supporting me in everything I did. I cannot express how I feel in this limited amount of space, but I will never forget everything you have done for me. I love you. There is one thing that will sum up all of my feelings. "I am forever yours faithfully." **To the future**: "We're headed for the future and the future's now!" "I learned to laugh, and I learned how to cry, well I learned how to love, even even learned how to lie. You'd think I could learn how to tell you good bye."



## Lynn

**Caroline and Torrie**: "FRIENDS ARE FOREVER." Never forget that, I will never forget all the great times we've had together. I feel lucky to know such wonderful people and hope you share the joys you have shared with me, with all you meet! Now for the memories: trips down the pike with our scary friends, hazard lights, & "Regina's a lesbian and/or a man!" "Oh what a silly rock!" "John? Oh, he's just a friend...I swear!" O-O. Montclair trips...BP. "Torrie, seen any flashers lately?" Thanks for the crumb mug and The Jerk. Aaron's caller ID. "Chris stop calling me!" Wipe your mouth, and Caroline, learn to drive! "Don't worry, I'll take a 'D' for the day." Torrie's music and hiccups will live on. Torr, did you find the dishwashing detergent? Oh no! The SUGAR! Atlantic City anyone? SPAIN, Rusted Root concert, Applegate's, International Weekend '97. I think you found a friend, Carr. New Year's Eve at Caroline's, Miaya the bee, dododo, Caroline, have you heard from Scott? What are you doing in THERE? Caroline, Walter's all yours. It's not a palindrome! XXXXXXXXXX...and so on, and so on! CROOASHA...go back you stupid TIANA...DUH! o-o It all started with a little face paint and turned into a beautiful friendship. There are so many things I want to remember...but...this stupid thing was due 3 days ago! Just kidding! I'm glad we shared these memories and the ones not on paper, I'll remember them in my heart. **Caroline**: thank you for understanding me when no one else could. I LUV U! **Torrie**: thanks for making me laugh when I needed it most, and even when I didn't. I LUV U too! "And we'll bask in the shadows of yesterday's triumph, and sail on the steel breeze." (Pink Floyd) Gram, I'll never forget you and you'll be in my heart now and forever. I LUV YOU!



Dr. Dennis Clancy served as interim principal at VHS from January to June 1997, replacing Mr. Glenn Cesa. Due to the timing of yearbook deadlines, we were unable to include him in the Faculty Section of Shadows 1997. Therefore, the Senior Class would like to take this opportunity thank Dr. Clancy for his service to VHS, and for helping to make our senior year interesting, enjoyable, and challenging.



Good Luck Class of '97!- Dr. and Mrs. DeGrande

Congratulations to you all! From the Egan Family.

Congratulations to the Class of '97 from the Abeles Family, Gary, Charna, Mia, Megan, and Jesse

Joe and Lynn Piccoli

Congratulations to Adrian and the Class of 1997! - Mrs.Sancho

Congratulations to the Class of '97- The Scully Family

Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Cocchiola

Edward and Lynn Lenihan

Congratulations to Nick and the Class of '97 from the Mathers Family

Sandy, Miss you next year. Good Luck!, Kerry

Congratulations and Best Wishes to the Class of 1997- The Ferloni Family

Congratulations to Danielle and the Class of '97; may all your dreams come true! Love, Mom, Dad, Josh, & Jordan

Carla, May all your dreams come true. Love, Mom, Dad, Frank, & Larry

Best of Luck to the class of '97! - John, Mary Jeanne, and Amanda Dolahan

Best Wishes - The Checchetto's

Have a great summer! From the Bennetts: Sheree, Fred, Jeff, Elliot, and Rachel

Congratulations, Kelbelyeahyeahmidgedipray!

Congratulations Class of '97 - The Schenker Family

Best Wishes to the class of 1997- Klingert Family

Congratulations Andre and the Class of '97! The Mutovic Family.

Melissa, Congratulations to you and the class of 1997- Love Mom and Dad

Sandy (Pete) - Best to you Kiddo - Best Wishes - Mom, Dad, and Jamie

Vanessa Pin Rondino

Best of luck to the Class of '97! The Ozolins Family



Good luck to the class of 1997 - The Tortorella Family

Best of Luck to the Class of 1997 - The Condorelli's

The Swatt Family

To Kelly and the class of 1997 - Wishing you a bright and happy future- Love Mom, Dad, & Maureen

Good Luck! Sandro and Maria Mediago.

Patrick Pin Rodino

Gail and Tom Shepard

Congratulations to the Class of '97 - The Kloss Family

Paul and Kathleen Russo

"Congratulations to our Corrine, Dina, and the Class of 1997" Love, The Dapuzzo's

Leonard Nigro

Congratulations and Best Wishes for a happy future to the class of '97... We're so proud of you, Scott! Love Mom, Dad, and Wendi

Alice Dickman

Dr. & Mrs. Richard Cirello

Richard Lodato

Best of luck to the Class of '97 - Nancy and Ted Clancy

Congrats to Erin Moran and the Class of '97 - Love Donna, Ken, & Andrea Lauckner

Maureen Dimeck

Good Luck, Mike, and the Class of '97 - Love Mom, Dad & Erica

Best Wishes to the Class of 1997 from the Serpico Family.

Diane Lubrano

The Bell Family

Robert Garthwaite



Congratulations Class of '97! - Landara Contracting

Richard and Barbara Camp

"Congratulations to the Class of 1997!" - The Johansky Family

Congratulations Class of '97 - Tom and Joanna Collins

Congratulations Anthony and the Class of 1997 - Love, Uncle Dave, Aunt Jo, David, & Kris

Congratulations Amy! - Love Mom, Dad, Joel, and Holly

Good Luck Class of '97 - Pat and Sue Ward

Congratulations Little Monk, You Did it! Love Mom and Dad and Clan

Bernard D'Avella

Heather- All our love and best wishes - Love Mom, John, Robbie, and Courtney

Good Luck Class of 1997! Make us proud! The Gambuzza Family

Good Luck To The Class of 1997- The Harder Family

Good Luck #20! The best is yet to come! - Dad, Dan, and Anthony

Panzariello Family - Congratulations Class of '97!

Judy and Rick DiModica

Mr. & Mrs. Joseph W. Benyo

Best Wishes to the Class of '97- The Romanyshyn Family

Wayne and Carole Fernicola

Congratulations Kelly! We are so happy for you. Love- The Kuzsma's

Go forth proudly - the world is now yours. Success and happiness will follow! - The Rossi Family

Dr. & Mrs. Clifford B. Gillman

Mr. & Mrs. Vece

Congratulations to DEEP (Brian S.) and the class of '97!

Congratulations Marissa- The future holds nothing but success and happiness for you! Love Mom, Chris, Jenn, Mike, and Dave





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