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The book is now complete, but the memories will live on forever. This year was filled with triumph and heartache, as well as laughter and tears. But I, not for a single second, because of the wonderful staff of my heart for faith in me mom and dad probably didn't me know that



could take full credit for this book. It was only endless hours of hardwork and dedication by the that filled these pages. Thank you from the bottom always keeping a smile on your face and having when times were tough. I also want to thank my for listening to all of the yearbook jargon when they understand the first bit of it, but for always letting in the end, everything would work out. And to

Kari, I wish you nothing but success in the future, you are my true inspiration. Finally to "Mrs. B", your support as well as your faith will always be appreciated. You're not only a wonderful advisor, but a true friend. And to everyone else;

Never Stop Changing...

Kandice Dawn Cripe

Editor-in-Chief

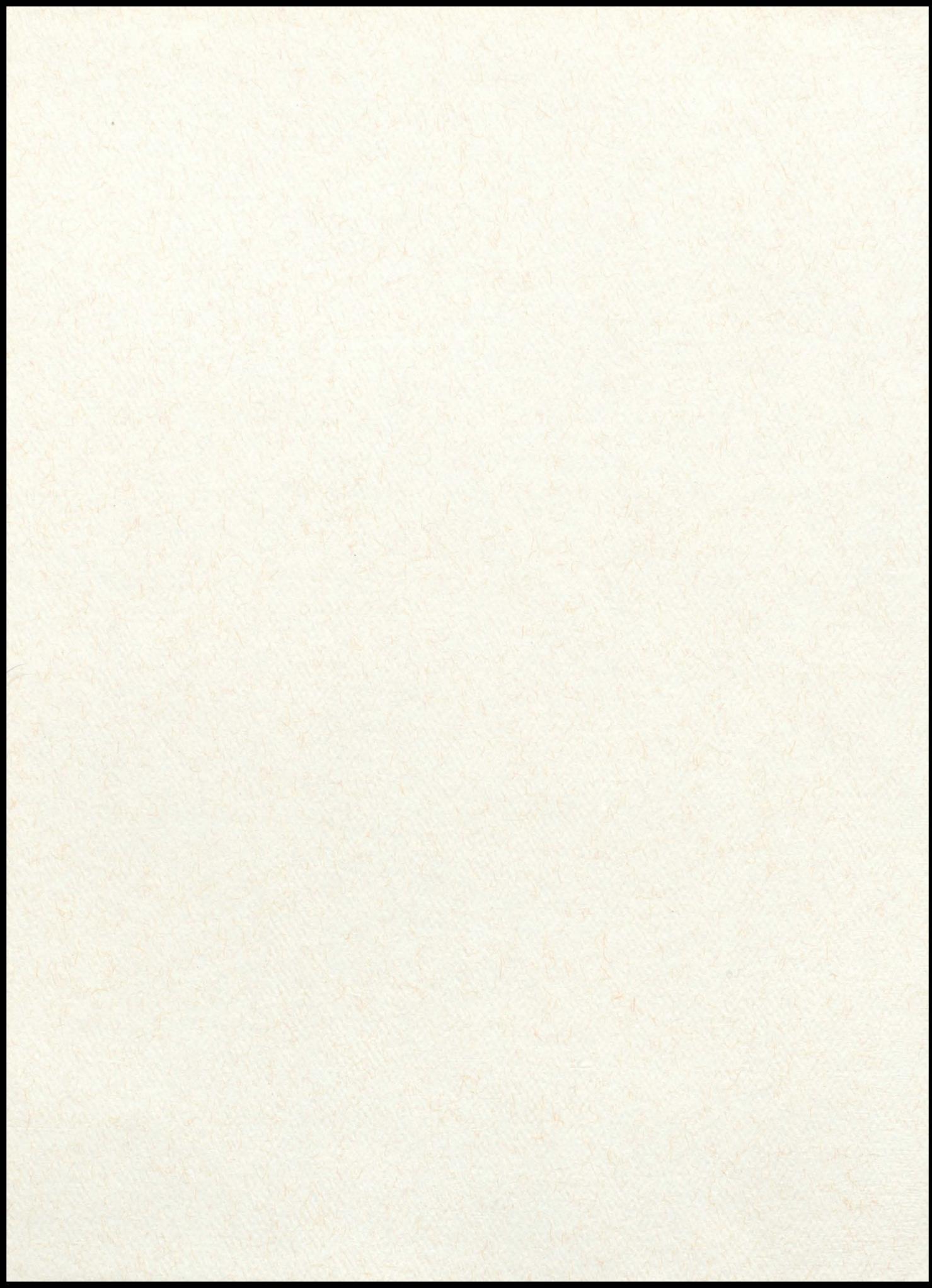
Wow, what an exciting year. I have overcome many obstacles through the year as the Oracle Advisor. By attending summer yearbook camp, I was able to get to know my editor and actually have control over the destiny of the Oracle 2000 publication. Last year I never seemed to absorb the total realm of the job.

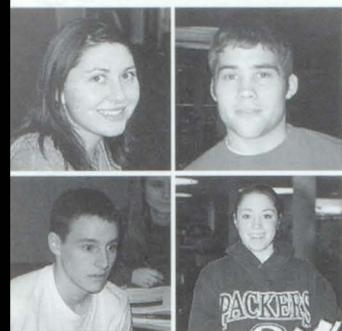
This year my staff was wonderful to learned...not that we always wanted to learn. unexpected problems by ourselves -and we Walsworth Computer Support Hotline phone my staff members were fun & hard working. with every task we had to accomplish. Thank editor. Kandice strived to create a con-cool book. I loved working with my staff on selecting fonts, and guiding them on their cre- each of their spreads. This class has been very fulfilling for me and I am excited for the challenges of the book 2001.



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*Juli Brunnett
Advisor*





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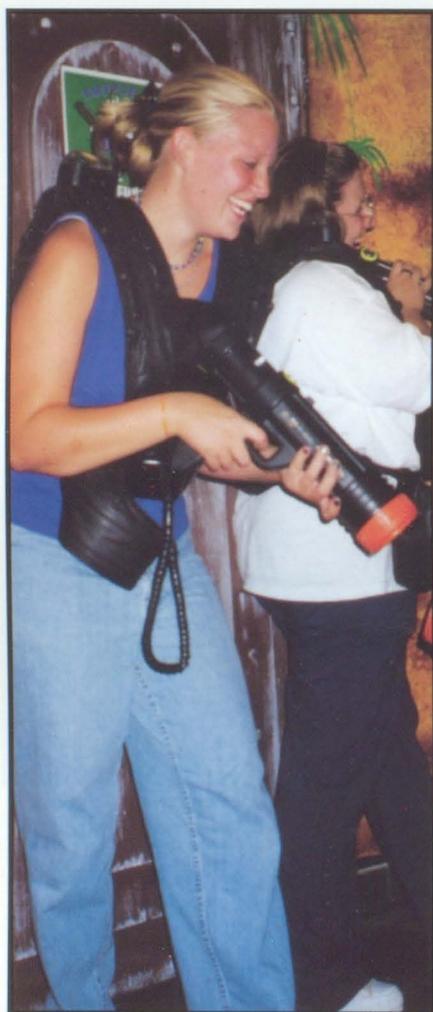
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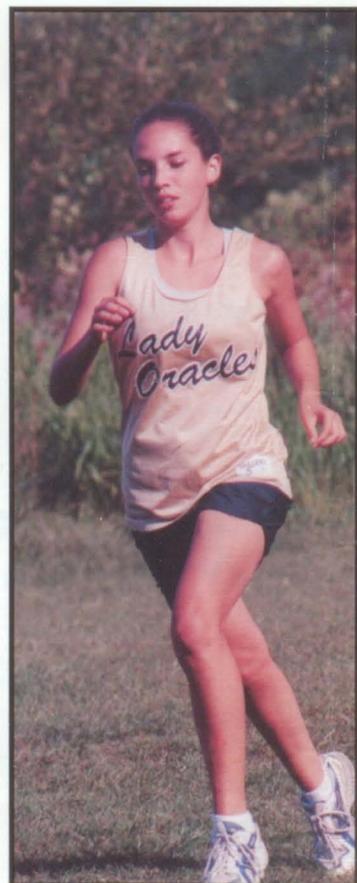
Change...all I know is that everything changes from day to day. **Characters**, people's personalities, well...that explains the common Delphi teenager. The *heritage* of our small town is slowly being transformed into futuristic and more sophisticated ideas and values. Each student's **accomplishments** and goals reflect new trends, diversity, and open-mindedness. **Notoriety**...good or bad? Or shall we even hit on that subject? **Graffiti** of our lives will never end or be forgotten. I could go on and on, but things are changing as you read this, so I'll leave you with this, never stop changing. *Etc.*



Kristina Boone

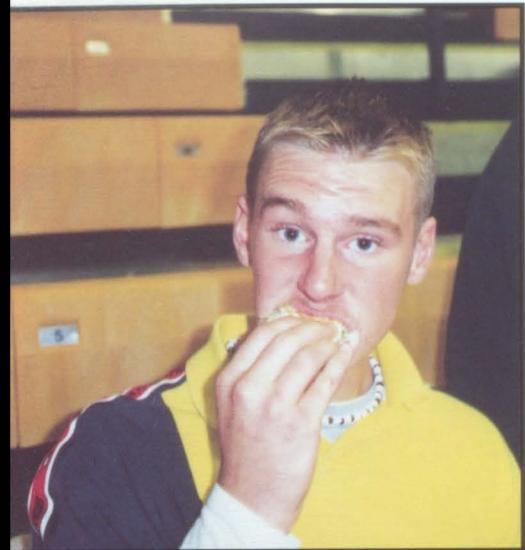


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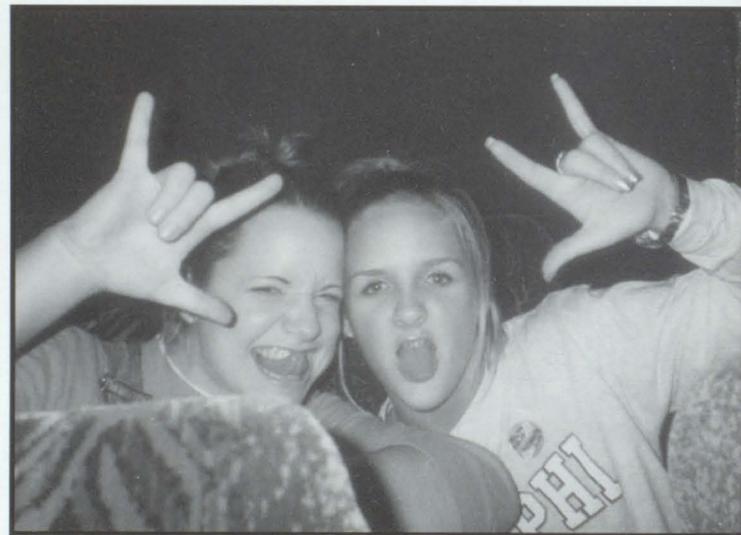
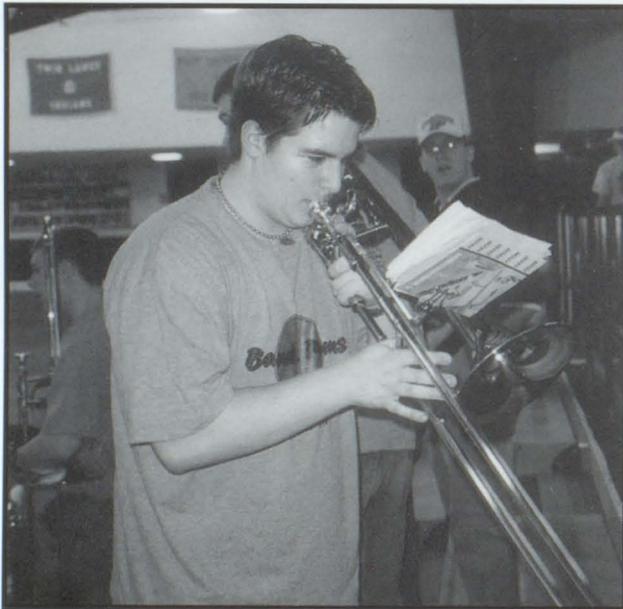
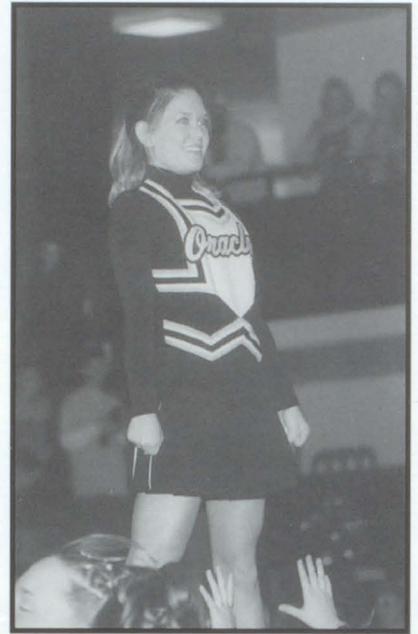
Tracy Brown

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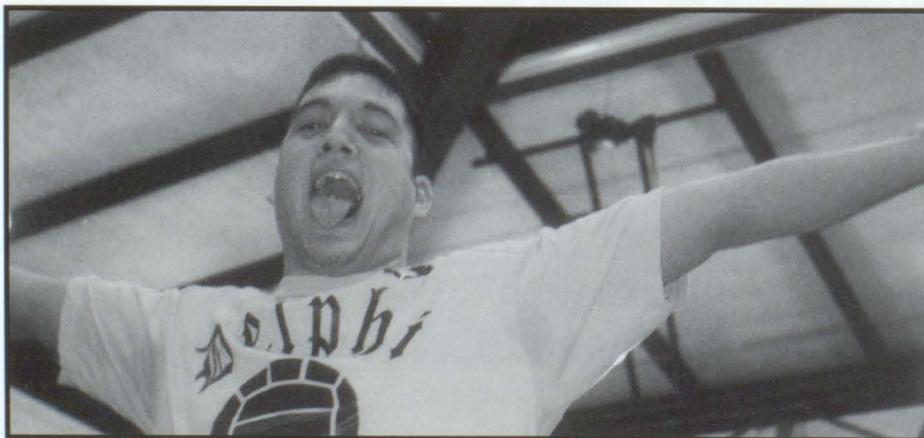
Jamie Brummett

Character. Character defines who we are, what we believe in, and how others know us. By attending school together, year in and year out, it is evident that sometimes characters are altered and even changed. But a thought to consider; no matter how successful any of us may become, it is because of our parent's, teacher's, and peer's involvement in our lives that has helped us to better develop and strengthen our own individual traits to create the characters that we have become.



(left) Grant Burton

(above) Christy Kayser and Erin Garrison



(left) Beau Price



(left) Caleb Johnston

Andrea Newhart



(left) Alex Currie



(above) Jennifer Noonkester

Life After 3:15 pm

As hard as it is to believe, several students live for the clock to strike 3:15 everyday. But what is everyone so anxious for? Many times the answer to this simple question is the fact that students just enjoy hanging out.

Students in high school carry on typical activities of everyday teens. They play sports, talk about the hottest issues, study, and participate in several other extracurricular activities. However, considering that Delphi is a small town, the

choices seem to be pretty slim. Delphi teens tend to hang-out at the local restaurants, friends' houses, rent movies, or just

cruise around town. To get away from the small town scene, many times students decide to travel to Lafayette, Logansport, and Monticello. They shop at the malls, eat out, catch a movie,

putt-putt, and create many other memories.

I like rolling with my friends, and sometimes we take road trips to Chicago to go to clubs to hang-out.

• Ian Mose

• Kandi Groninger

(below) Senior Poms captain Kandice Cripe marches with energy and pride in the annual Delphi Fourth of July Parade.



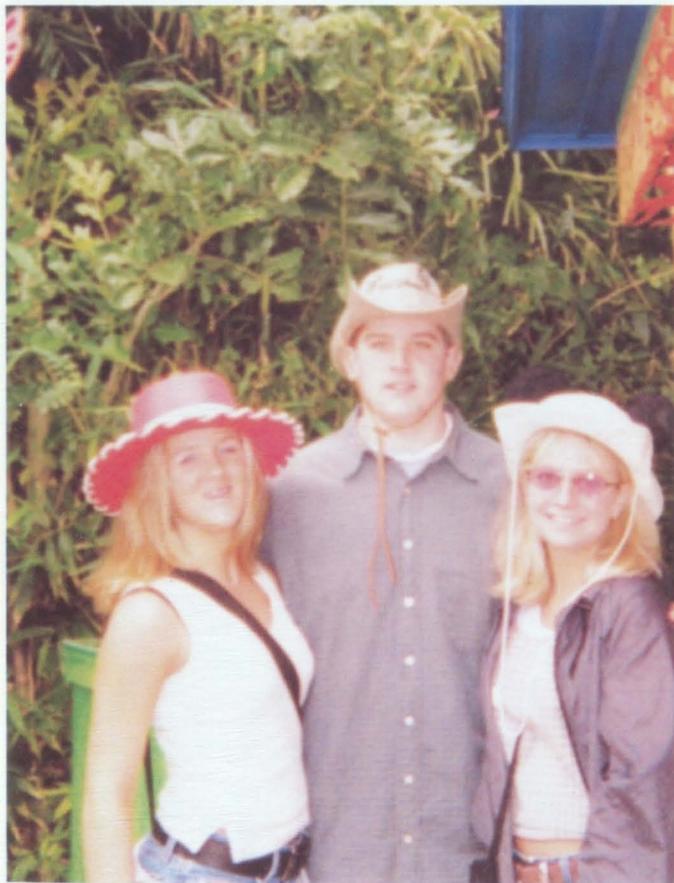
(above) Members of the senior powder puff squad await the traditional game. To get prepared for the big night, they held a team "tie-dye" gathering on the football field. They proved their dominance by walking away with a first place win over the underclassmen.

(right) Katie Rauch displays her pirate pose at Disney World. The A Cappella flew to Florida for three nights to perform at the amusement park.





(left) The varsity volleyball team took a get-a-way to Warren Dunes State Park in Michigan this summer for a week. Aspen VanMatre commented on the trip by saying, "We had a great time. And I actually survived through the nights even though I had just seen *The Blair Witch Project* two days before we left!"



(above) Erin Garrison, Kevin Richards, and Tracy Brown try to decide which hat to purchase as a souvenir beside a booth in Disney World.



(above) Scott McNeany and Colt Chapman enjoy a good laugh in a booth at one of Delphi's finest restaurants, Monical's Pizza.

In the Spot Light

Shaylan Owen shows off his acting talent in the fall play, *The Grass Harp*.

What does a successful production such as *The Grass Harp* or *The 1940's Radio Hour* consist of?

Each cast member must be willing to sacrifice many very long hours, attend hectic practices, and perform under nerve racking conditions.

After all the hard work these actors put forth, they are left with the satisfaction they deserve.

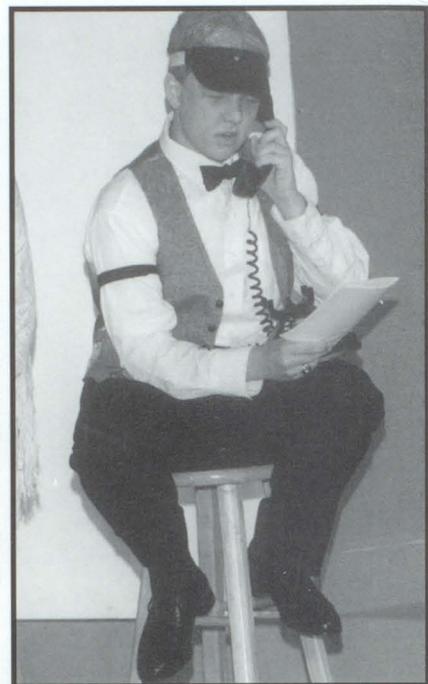
Cisco Colon pretty much sums up the most rewarding moment, "After opening night and you're finally finished, you

get the biggest rush and feel like you can take on the world!" Over all, both plays were a success! Congratulations

to all those who put forth such a great effort!

•Kyla Ross

"Marsha Hickman is the queen of costumes... you need it, she's got it!"
• Jenny Mayfield



(above) Christy Kayser, as Connie Miller, shows off her perky character in the spring musical, *The 1940's Radio Hour*.

(right) Tony Richards commented, "This was the best production yet, except for popping a button during the performance!"





Abby White, Winter Johnston, and Cindy Minnicus are caught gossiping during the fall play. Abby was the baker and both Winter and Cindy were the Townspeople. Cindy said "I learned so much from the seniors, but the best part was spreading the town gossip!"



(above) Rebecca McCreedy, a.k.a. Stella of *The 1940's Radio Hour* is shown staring off into space during the spring musical.



(above) Brad Friedrichsen, Joey Newhart, and Ben Turbin sing their hearts out.



(left) Miss Baby Love Dallas played by Nicolle Faught was definitely a show stand-out! She exclaimed, "The play was marvelous, simply marvelous!"

Millenium

Buying that perfect dress, finding that wonderful date, and waiting anxiously for 8:30 to arrive is what every girl dreams. On November 6, 1999 "Millenium" was sponsored by S.A.D.D. Students arrived ready to dance the night away and hang-out with friends.

With decorations of pastel pink, purple, blue, and green, the party was started and memories were made. Many students enjoyed the evening but also found the music less than desirable.

Although this made the evening a little boring, the students made the most of the night. Some students were even lucky to receive door

prizes, which had been donated by companies around town. As the dance wraps up the last semi-formal of this century, D.C.H.S. looks forward to a very exciting

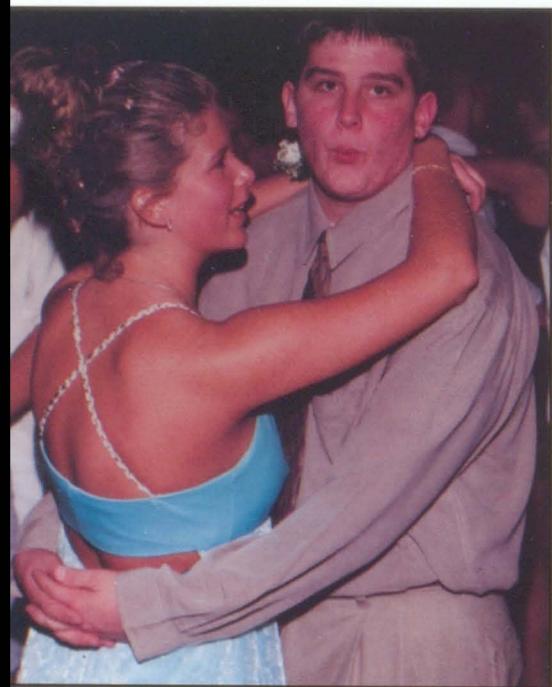
time in the upcoming millenium.

"This years semi-formal was a big hit. The music wasn't the greatest, but next year the music will be better."

Mrs. Atwood

•Daisha Foster

(below) Jessica Jones stares intensely in the eyes of her date, John Williams. "I really didn't care for the music, but being with John made my night."



(above) Kevin Richards whistles away the boredom while he dances with his date, Brandi Nichols. "Being my last semi-formal, it was a blast, plus Brandi was a lot of fun."



(right) Julia Houser, Christina Gainey, and Jacqui Floyd test their singing voices as they take advantage of a karaoke debut.

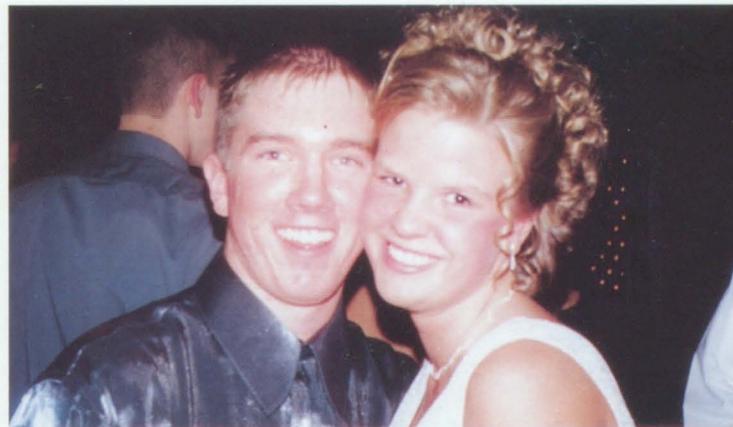
Senior Formal



(left) Jennifer Hughes, Julie Isley, Alicia Johnson, and Erienne Thomsen take time out of the action to pose for the camera. Jennifer commented, "This year's semi-formal was more fun because I had a great date."



(above) Alan Dunbar and Jackie Fassnacht stand 3 feet away and fake a smile for the camera. "I liked going out to eat the best, but Jackie was a great date."



(above) Billy Perry and Amber Henson capture that special moment. Billy commented, "Just being with Amber made my night awesome."



(left) Studs Brandon Metzinger and Ryan Flora show some muscle in hopes of catching a woman's attention. "I thought the semi-formal was cool, but the music wasn't good!" Ryan commented.

Catch A Falling Star

(below) Sharing in a moment of romance, Adam Minier and Rachel Miller enjoy a slow dance together.

From 2000 was an unforgettable evening filled with dancing and excitement. The Junior-Senior Prom entitled "Catch A Falling Star" was held at the Holiday Inn in West Lafayette on May 6, 2000.

As people arrived at the hotel, chaperones were waiting to provide valet parking.

After a time of slow dancing and jamming to the music, couples changed into their more casual attire and made

their way to Market Square Lanes.

There, bowling, a raffle, and many tasty refreshments made the after prom a

great addition to the unforgettable night.

"THE THING THAT I LIKED BEST ABOUT PROM WAS HOW EVERYONE GOT ALONG. THERE WERE NO FIGHTS AND THIS MADE THE NIGHT GO A LOT BETTER."
 •KIM REMALY

•Kandi Croninger



(above) Shalyn Wilson and Jason Hawkins waste no time as they boogie down in the middle of the dance floor.

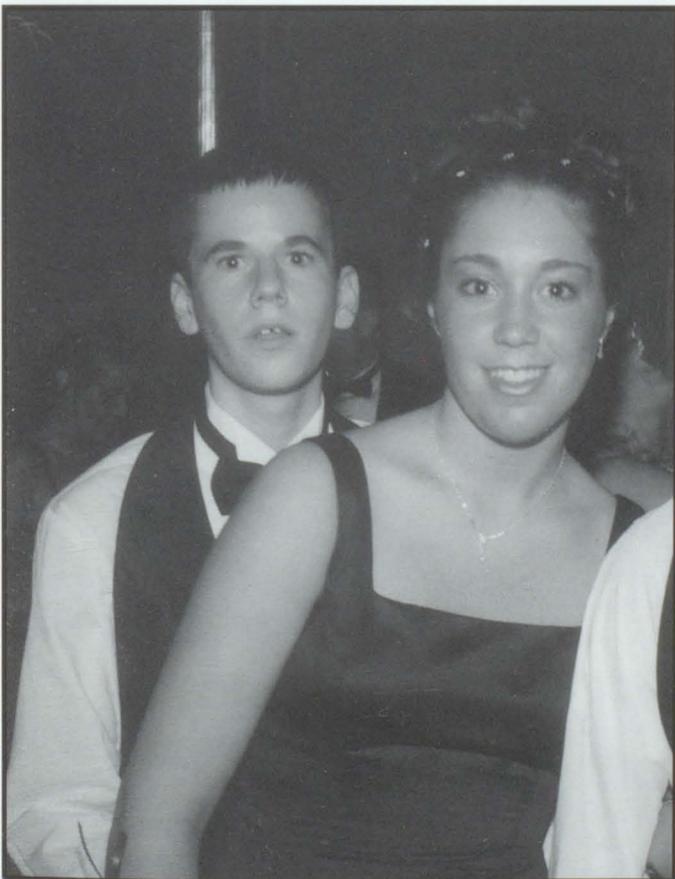


(right) In the midst of all the chaos, a group of friends take time to pose for a picture to remind them of the happening evening together.

Prom 2000



(left) Charlie Nichols and Sarah Houser were named 2000 Prom King and Queen. After being crowned, the royal couple had a few minutes of dancing in the spotlight along with the Prince and Princess, Jared Cree and Stephanie Friedrichsen.



Ashley Hanna made the decision that many other upperclassmen made, to take an underclassman to the prom. Here she poses with her date, Chris Remaly.



(above) Nathan Hutsell takes a sip of his date, Shana Propes' drink. Ruby Tuesday's was a starting point for many prom-goers. Shana said that the relaxed atmosphere made everyone more comfortable, and they had a really good time goofing around.



(left) Junior Ami Gill turns to smile as she continues hanging a halo of stars in the bathroom for decoration.

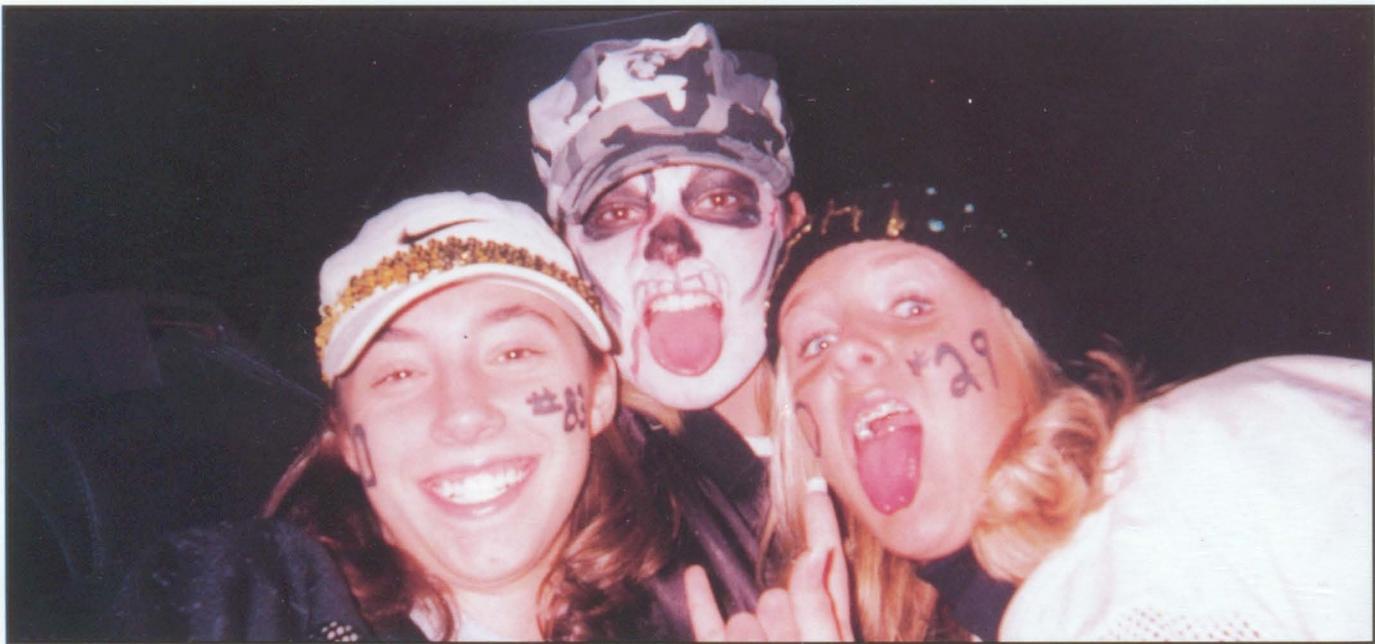
Making an Impression

Walking through the halls of the school, we are exposed to diverse fashion statements and clothing choices. It seems the majority of students dress in the basic prep style. However, others tend to be more creative, choosing the just-got-out-of-bed look or opting for Wranglers and Carhartts. Accesories, shoes, and hair styles also play a big roll in making a statement. Although the styles vary, everyone does agree on one thing—personal appearance is a great way to express yourself. Despite this consensus, this expression is becoming more limited as the dress code becomes increasingly more strict. Nevertheless, everyone does utilize styles in order to make an impression.

•Kinzie Brummett



Brandis Kuszmaul is seen here sporting two hair styles, resulting in a difference that's as great as night and day. Most people have no idea that Brandis' hair is this long, as she rarely lets it down. She is now considering taking a major risk and getting it all chopped off.



Katie Rauch, Amanda Overmyer, and Erin Garrison dress in spirit for the sectional football game.

Kandi Groninger



Daniel Klopfenstein



Regina Moss

Sarah Penn



Aspen Van.Matve



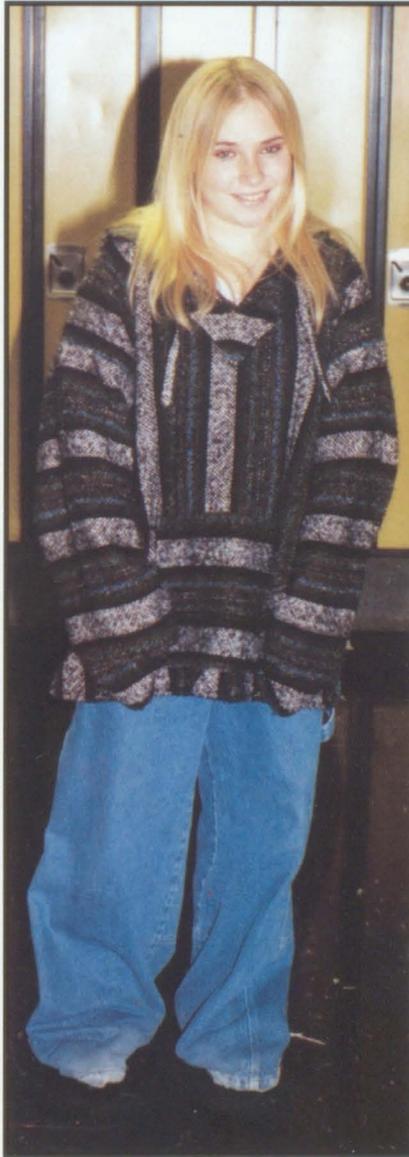
Brenda Denim



Kandice Cripe is known for her unique style of apparel. Here she shows off an example of her originality wearing what is known to others as her "hippie dress."

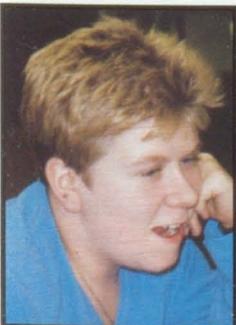


Heather Kesling models another style commonly seen throughout the school, the "grunge" look.

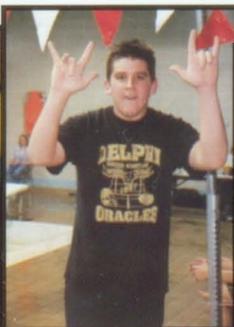


Ryan Flora strikes a pose displaying his style. He comments, "Personal appearance is important to me because I want other people to know I care about the way I look."

Lena Pearson



Sarah Houser



Kevin Richards

Krista Eiler



Lindsey Beever



Brian Rusk



Extreme Enthusiasm

During the homecoming weeks, spirits were high and pride was continuously displayed. All through the week, students got pumped up for the annual Homecoming game that would conclude the week's events. For football, the week featured the traditional powder puff game and bonfire, and for basketball the students displayed a powerful expression of playful competitions as the students got involved in the dress up days and class competition.

Homecoming is a week that students get to do crazy things they wouldn't normally do.

The 1999 Football Homecoming

Court was: Robyn Fisher, Christy Kayser, Erin Hallett, Kandi Morrow, Heather Haygood, and Jenny Morrow. Escorts were: Kole Groninger, Aaron Anderson, Nathan

The guys volleyball was the best. It was really competitive and everyone was into it. I hope to see it next year.

•Erin Duff

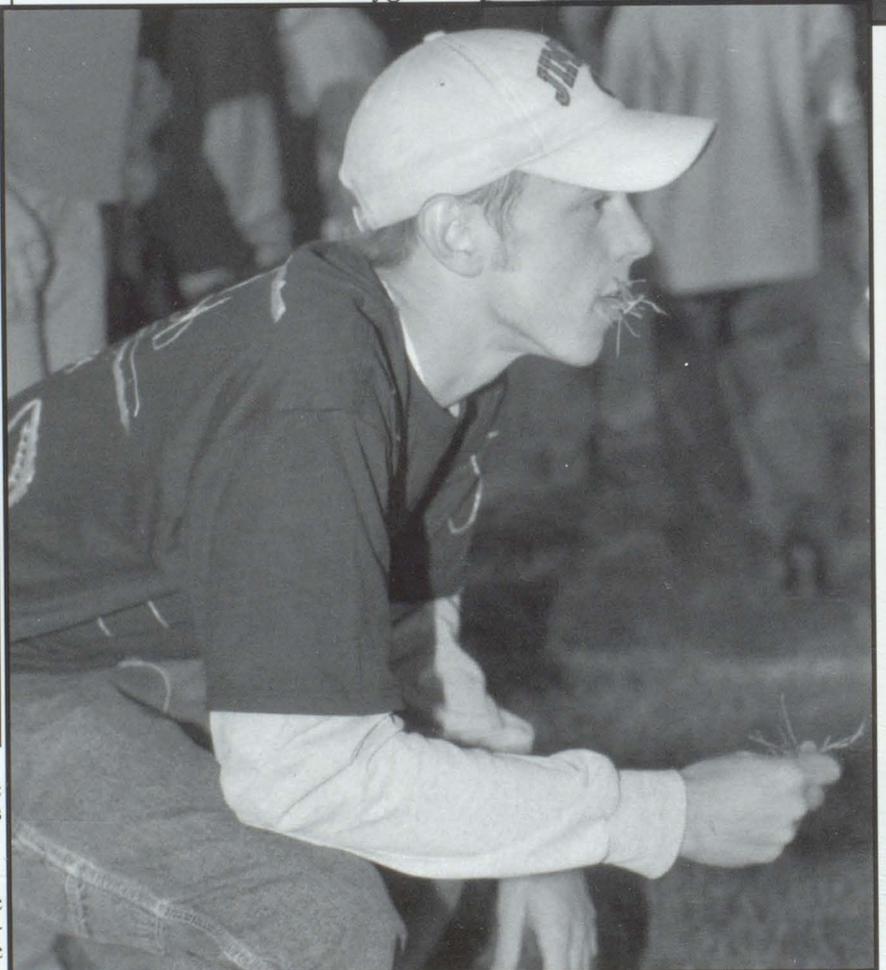
Hutsell, Josh Disinger, Brandon Metzinger, and Cooper Lacy.

• Heather Haygood

(below) Sara Bentley and Jason Hawkins smile for the camera. Sara was the 1999 Football Homecoming Queen.



(above) Amanda Overmyer gets everyone pumped up before the class competitions by singing "Sweet Child of Mine."



(right) James Hahn shows his patience and confidence as he watches his sophomore powder puff team. This year, the sophomores came in second place.



(left) Tyler Mose chows down on his hotdogs. This year the boys were given eight hotdogs and the first one that consumed them all, won.



(above) Billy Tabler's spirit takes him to new levels by exposing his underlying physique for the homecoming game against Clinton Central.



(above) Johnny Huffer shows his freshman class participation by piling his hair on his head for the crazy hair day during homecoming week.



(above) Senior Katie Rauch and Junior Jason Brown were crowned the 1999-2000 Hardcourt Homecoming Queen and King for basketball.

Rest, Relaxation, and a Carefree Time

For most, Spring Vacation is a time to take a break from the stressful school life. Relaxing on the sunny coast of Florida or catching up on those dramatic soap operas at home are only a few ways that students spent this year's Spring Vacation. Some took the opportunity to

"I really love Spring Breaks. It's a great time to relax and enjoy myself.

It gives me a chance to escape the stress of school."

- Amy Heath

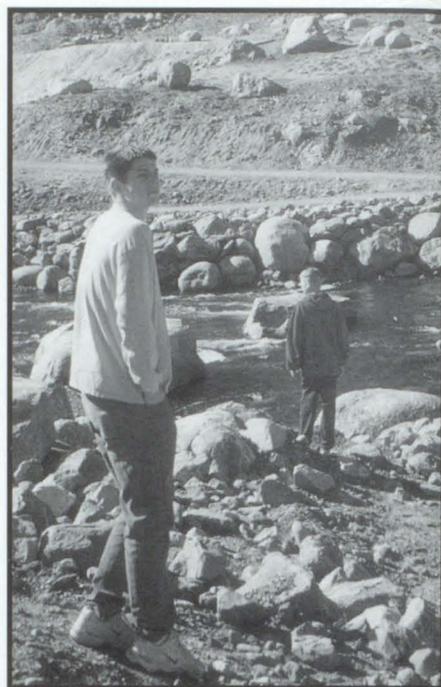
get in a few extra hours at work, while others traveled to exciting places such as

California and the Grand Canyon. No matter how or where you spent your Spring Vacation, it's a sure thing

that everyone had a great time.

•Lauren Maxwell

(below) "Over Spring Break I went to California. I saw everything from the mountains to Hollywood," said Kory Ross, while standing in the middle of the Sierra-Nevada Mountains.



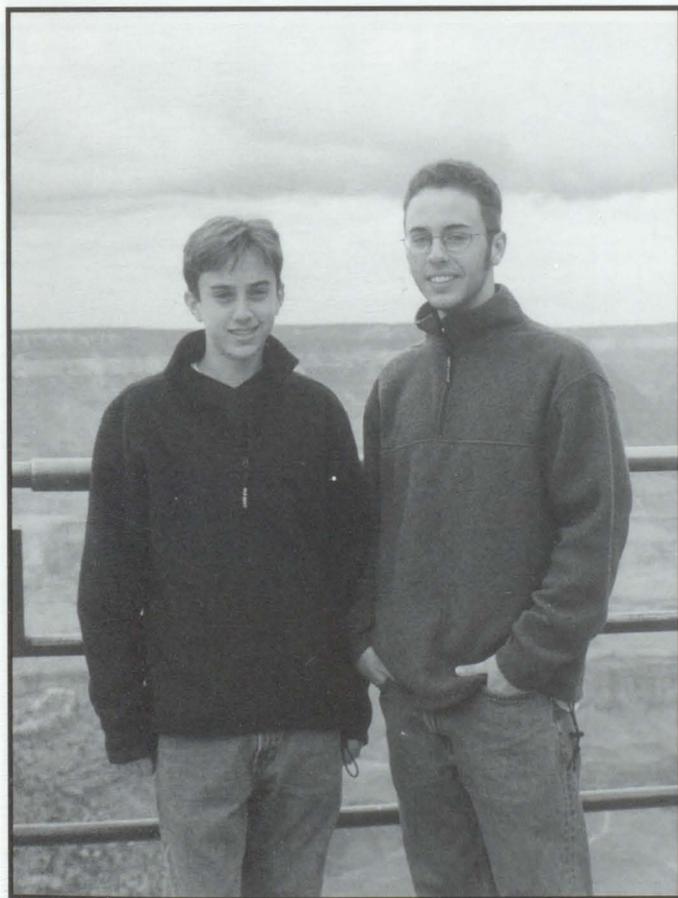
(above) Mr. Jones had a wonderful time golfing in Arizona. "Although uninhabitable for most organisms, the desert offers many activities for humans to enjoy," he stated.

(right) "Melissa and I had the best time of our lives. Meeting new people at the Bahamas was a great experience for both of us. We had lots of fun," said Ashley Sandersfeld.





(left) Tom Wilson and Aaron Anderson relax by the pool in Clearwater, Florida. "I went jet skiing and the jet ski flipped over. I had to have some guy tow me in," said Tom.



(above) Brian Callendar and his younger brother stand in front of the Grand Canyon. Brian said, "While at the Grand Canyon a guide told me that if I accidentally fell off, I might get lucky and have a tree break my fall."

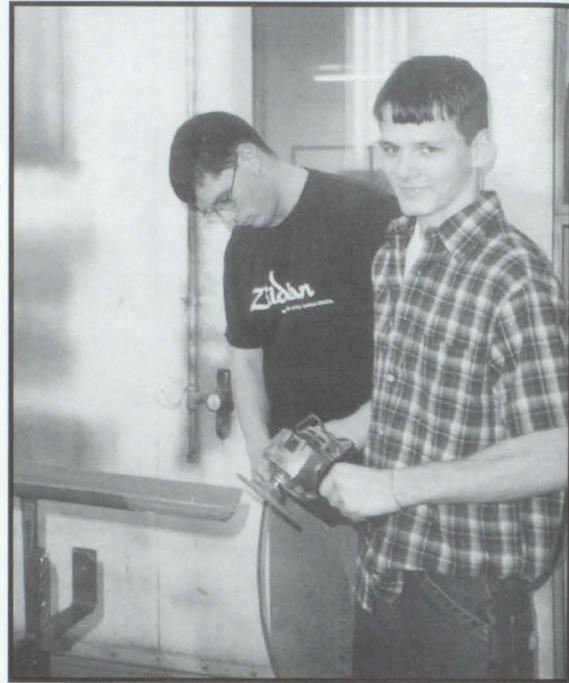


(above) Jenna Whiteaker and Tara Hutsell pose aside the "Spring Break 2000" in the sand. "I had a really great time in Ft. Myers," said Tara. "The weather was great!"

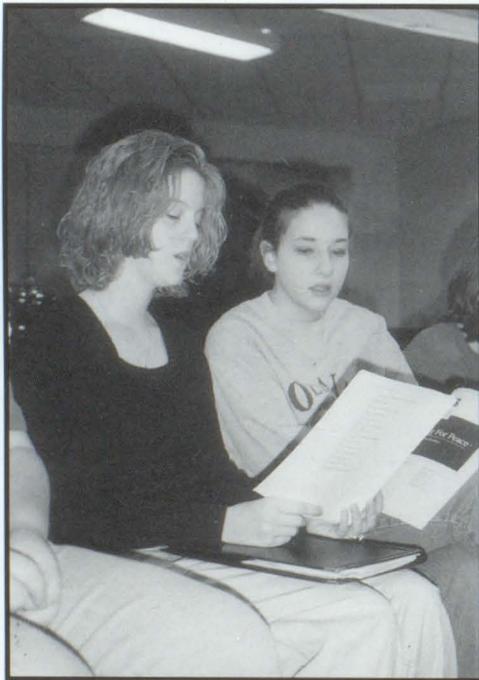


(left) Over Spring Break, Heather Haygood and Eric Coghill vacationed in Hilton Head, South Carolina. Heather stated, "My favorite part of the trip was when I beat the 'King' at putt-putt golf. That was the highlight of my life!"

(below) Sam Heise and Joe Mackey experiment with power tools under the guidance of Mr. Striebeck.



(below) Kari Burns, Erika Rittenhouse, Karen Wertz, and Adam Herron pose by their freshly painted mural in the LMC.

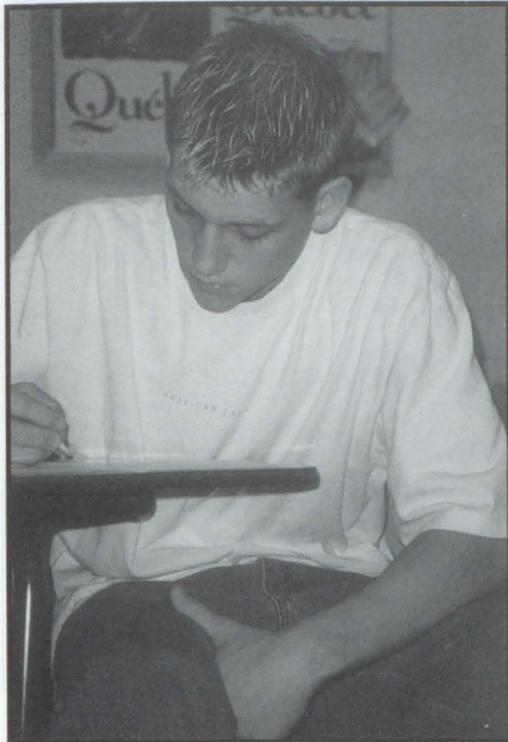


(above) Jackie Floyd and Ashly Klinker concentrate on the notes as they start a new song in choir.

(right) Alex Currie, Brandon Zarse, Joey Newhart, and Alissa Wilson display their French projects.



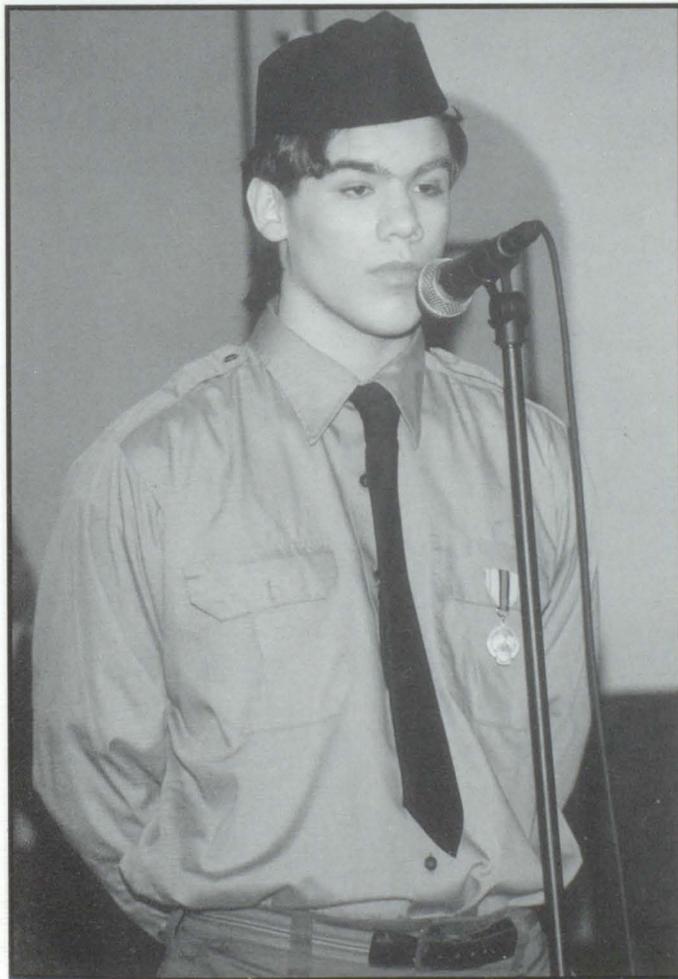
(below) Brandon Ellrich concentrates on a difficult French exam.



Heritage

Contrary to popular belief, Delphi High School is not a place where students spend all of their time learning from books from 8:05 to 3:15. Instead, it is a location for students to form friendships, expand their minds, and broaden their horizons. These tasks would never be accomplished without the direction and guidance of the faculty and staff. Club activities, field trips, and hands-on group projects contribute to the enrichment of the students' minds. Thanks to the dedication of coaches, directors, and teachers, graduates leave the school with the confidence and background necessary to face the world.

(left) Cisco Colon delivers an emotional monologue during The 1940's Radio Hour.



(below) Amber Lucas, Kandi Morrow, and Micah Bentley slowly make their way back to the bus after an exciting trip to the canal to paint with visiting artist, Lynn Thomsen.



(RIGHT) MRS. THEOBALD HAD THIS TO SAY ABOUT HER TEACHING EXPERIENCE. "I HAVE ALWAYS BELIEVED THAT A TEACHER'S MAIN JOB IS TO SEE THAT STUDENTS SUCCEED. IT HAS BEEN A PLEASURE TO BE HERE AT DCIS AND SEE OUR STUDENTS GROW INTO SUCCESSFUL ADULTS."

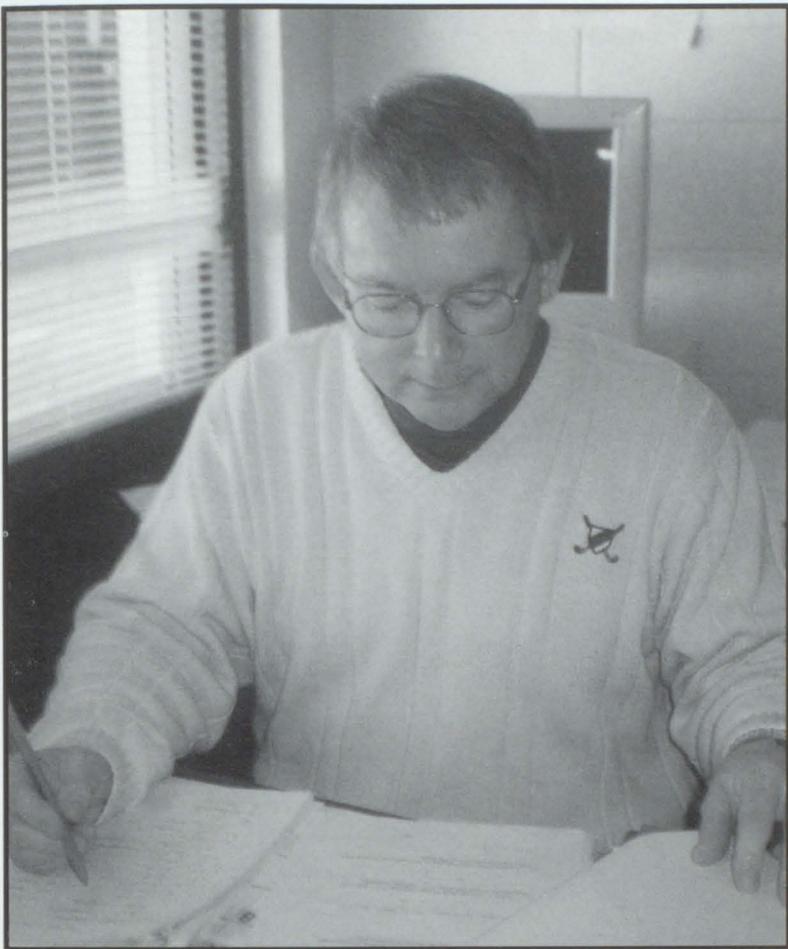


(BELOW) ALTHOUGH MISS LAWTON HAS BEEN AT DELPHI FOR SEVERAL YEARS, HER AFFECTION FOR STUDENTS AND BOOKS ALIKE IS STILL STRONG. "THE MOST FUN I'VE HAD IN YEARS HAS BEEN DCIS' BOOK CLUB. THANKS TO THE CLUB, MY BELIEF THAT TEENS STILL LOVE A GOOD BOOK WAS REINFORCED."



(ABOVE) MR. SEURYNCK IS ATTEMPTING TO TEACH U.S. HISTORY TO A CLASS OF NOT SO EAGER-TO-LEARN STUDENTS. IN ORDER TO CREATE EXCITEMENT AND ADD A LITTLE FUN TO HIS CLASSES, HE HAS BEEN KNOWN TO TURN INTO A TURTLE, SING THE NOTRE DAME FIGHT SONG, OR MAGICALLY TRANSFORM INTO A BUMBLE BEE.

(RIGHT) MR. MILLER HAS BEEN TEACHING AT DELPHI FOR 33 YEARS. ONE OF THE REASONS WHY STUDENTS LOOK FORWARD TO HIS CLASS IS HIS FAMOUS "CHALLENGES." MR. MILLER EXPLAINS WHY HE DECIDED TO DO THIS. "HISTORY IS SO BORING IF YOU TAKE IT STRAIGHT FROM THE TEXT, SO I STARTED LOOKING FOR INTERESTING FACTS THAT WOULD HELP INTRIGUE THE STUDENTS. WHEN THEY DIDN'T BELIEVE ME, I DECIDED THAT WE NEEDED TO MAKE A LITTLE BET. SINCE I LOVE OREOS, THE BET BECAME THAT IF I WASN'T TELLING THE TRUTH AND SOMEONE CHALLENGED, I WOULD BRING IN OREOS ON A TEST DAY. IF I WASN'T LYING, THE KIDS WOULD. THE COOKIES BECAME A GOOD PRIZE AT THE END OF A TEST."



MR. TYNER HAS BECOME ONE OF THE MOST WELL-KNOWN LEGENDS OF DELPHI HIGH SCHOOL. HE COMMENTS, "ONE OF THE MAIN REASONS I HAVE TAUGHT AT DCHS FOR 37 YEARS IS THE FACT THAT IT HAS A SMALL SCHOOL ATMOSPHERE. PRACTICALLY EVERYONE KNOWS EACH OTHER. A GOOD TEACHER-STUDENT RELATIONSHIP IS VERY IMPORTANT IN EDUCATION AND IS ONE THAT NEEDS TO BE FOSTERED. DCHS BLENDS TO THAT ACCOMPLISHMENT. IT IS A GREAT PLACE TO TEACH."

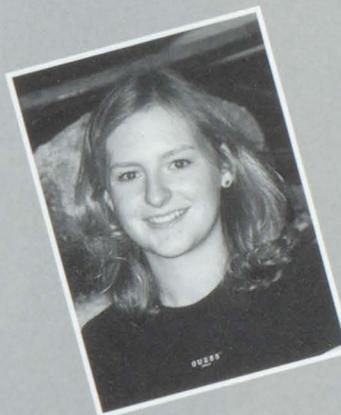
They've Become Legends...

YOU'VE SEEN THEM THROUGHOUT THE SCHOOL EVERYDAY. THEY'VE MADE YOU LAUGH. THEY'VE MADE YOU MAD. THEY'VE PROBABLY ONCE MADE YOUR DAY. THEY ARE THE EVERLASTING TEACHERS OF DELPHI, THE TEACHERS THAT HAVE BECOME AS MUCH A PART OF THE SCHOOL AS THE WALLS THEMSELVES. THESE TEACHERS HAVE BEEN TEACHING AT DELPHI SINCE BEFORE YOU WERE BORN, AND THE SKILL AND EXPERIENCE THEY'VE GAINED HAS BECOME EVIDENT AS STUDENTS PASS SUCCESSFULLY THROUGH THE DOORS OF THEIR CLASSES YEAR AFTER YEAR.

• KINZIE BRUMMETT



JUNIOR JORDAN BASS MADE THIS COMMENT CONCERNING MR. MILLER. "EVEN THOUGH MR. MILLER IS OLD, CRAZY, AND CAN NEVER FIND HIS GLASSES, HE HAS BEEN THE BEST TEACHER I'VE EVER HAD."



SARA BENTLEY EXPRESSES HER FEELINGS ON MR. TYNER'S TEACHING METHODS. "I USED TO GET SCARED AND WONDER WHY MR. TYNER CARED SO MUCH ABOUT STORY PROBLEMS, SUCH AS 'HOW MANY PEANUTS ARE IN THE PARTY MIX.' NOW I KNOW HE DIDN'T. HE JUST WANTED US TO LEARN."



KATIE WRIGHT HAS A SPECIAL RELATIONSHIP WITH MISS LAWTON. "ONE OF THE ADULTS I KNOW BEST IN THE BUILDING IS MISS LAWTON. SHE IS OBSESSED WITH NOT LETTING ME CHECK MY EMAIL IN THE LIBRARY! I'VE BEEN AN LMC AIDE FOR TWO YEARS AND I THINK SHE IS A LOT OF FUN!"

Behind the Scenes...

The administration and staff are one of the basic elements of Delphi High that most people overlook. Whether you are awaiting the inherent terror outside Mr. Brannan's door, getting direction for your future from Mrs. Isreal and Mr. Smiley, or begging the lunch lady for more fries, these people are bound to influence your life in some way. They are the backbone of the school, and without their diligence and care for the students, Delphi wouldn't be the school it is today.

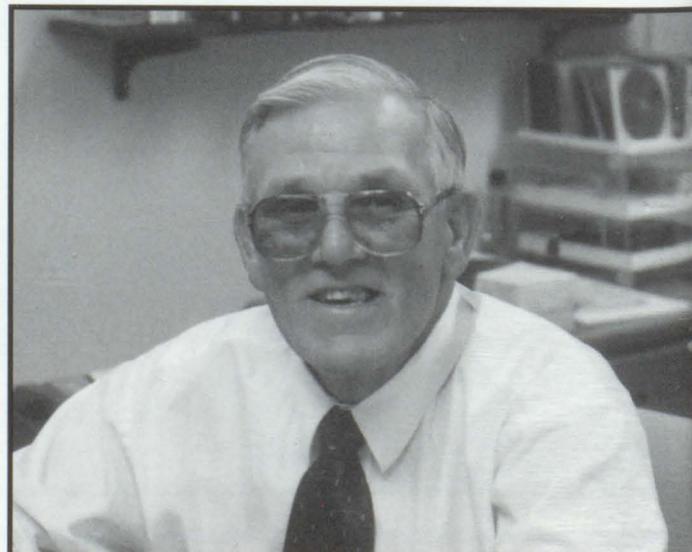
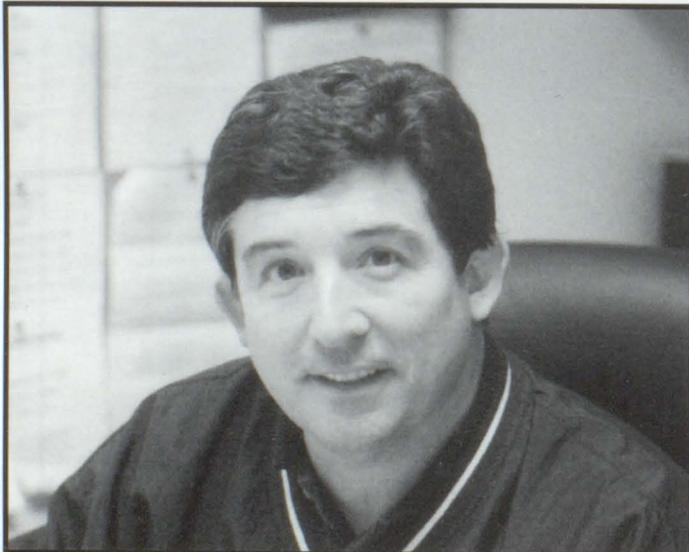
•Kinzie Brummett

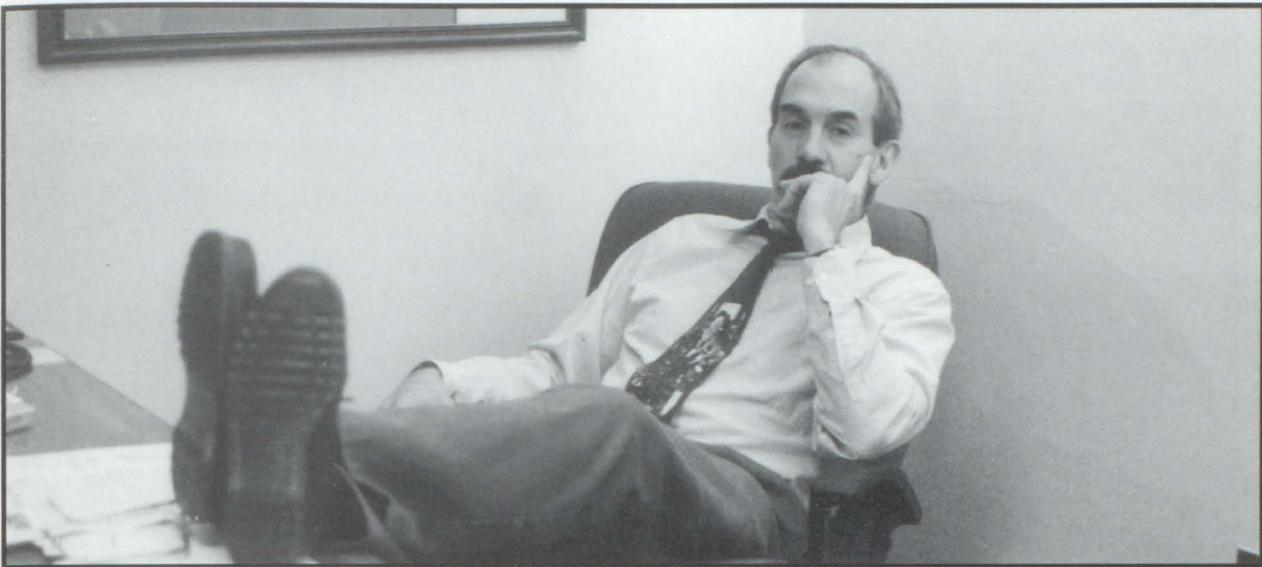
(left) The secretaries of Delphi take a break from their many files and phone calls to pose for a picture. Their friendly smiles help to brighten each student's day. They are: (l-r) Denise Strasser, Shelly Humphrey, Allison Cocanower, Chris Duff



(bottom left) The athletic director, Mr. Blaydes, is hard at work forming the winter sports schedule. The scheduling of all sports events is one of his many duties.

(bottom right) Mr. Handlin, Principal





(top) Mr. Brannan, Assistant Principal, relaxes in his office for a moment. He made the following comment concerning his job, "It gives me great pleasure when I can show a student the error of his/her ways and guide him/her toward righteousness in the way that parents want their children to be guided."



(left) Superintendent of Delphi School Corporation, Dr. Williams may not be one of the most visible figures in the administration, but he is definitely one of the busiest. Here, he is shown where he spends most of his time, in the corporation office.



(left) The guidance counselors, Mrs. Isreal and Mr. Smiley pause from the rigorous duty of directing students' future plans. In addition to his duties as a counselor, Mr. Smiley has also taken on the task of sponsoring the Model U.N. Conference this year.

Shaping Minds and Directing Lives

Teachers are often the most influential people in high schooler's lives today. Teachers must possess several qualities not easy to maintain seven to eight hours every day. In a sense, they act as role models, babysitters, and as knowledge banks all at the same time. Contrary to popular belief, teachers are not merely instructing students on the basic material which is required to be taught. After all, besides the child's actual parents or guardians, a teacher spends a great deal of time shaping the students' life long skills as does anyone.

When asked what their "goals" were for the students of DCHS, a few teachers responded in very diverse and unique ways. Mr. Allard commented, "I intend to be a life-long student, and to continue learning so long as I have breath and life!" Where as, Mrs. Johnson stated that one of her goals as an English teacher was, "To incorporate the community into my lessons by bringing in guest speakers, etc."

• Kandi Groninger



What a better place for the meeting of the minds...the lunch table, where many world problems have been solved!

Mr. Dale Allard
Mr. Neal Anderson
Mrs. Lynn Atwood
Mr. Mike Atwood
Mr. David Beale

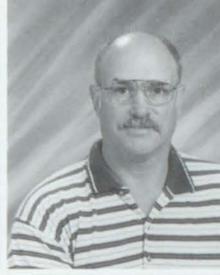


Ms. Carol Beckner
Mrs. Pat Brettnacher
Mrs. Lana Brown
Mrs. Judith Brummett
Mr. Vince Burpo





Mrs. Norma Carpenter
 Mrs. Sue Ann Cornell
 Mr. Robert Duke
 Mrs. Sandra Duke
 Mr. John Gasser



Mr. Randy German
 Mr. Rick Granlund
 Mr. Bill Gray
 Mr. Kirk Janowiak
 Mrs. Lauren Johnson



Mr. Kirk Jones
 Mr. Kevin Kayser
 Mrs. Darlene Kingery
 Mrs. Laurie Kinzie
 Miss Joyce Lawton



Mrs. Bea Longoria
 Mrs. Patricia Mason
 Mr. Stuart Mathis
 Mr. Norman Miller
 Mr. Kevin Roy



Mrs. Nancy Rucker
 Mrs. Stella Shafer
 Mr. Joe Seurnyck
 Mrs. Nancy Stivers
 Mr. Ross Striebeck



Mrs. Beth Theobald
 Mrs. Linda Tyner
 Mr. Robert Tyner
 Mr. Jon Vernon
 Mrs. Beth Wright

(right) Resting our tummies after a big feast, the yearbook chicks focus on respect for each other and look pretty crazy while doing it!

(below) Kandi Groninger smiles as if she is up to something. Kandi commented, "Being part of the yearbook staff has definitely been an experience of a life time, and you gotta love Mrs. B!"



(above) Daisha Foster, Lauren Maxwell, Richelle Herriman, Kandice Cripe, and Kandi Groninger cut loose while trying to overcome the stress of deadlines!

(right) Lauren Maxwell takes time to crack a smile while rushing around to meet a deadline. Lauren commented, "Yearbook is a blast. Being the only sophomore is great because I'm like the baby of the group and everyone treats me extremely nice."



(above) Mrs. Brummett gets caught in mid sentence after telling the staff the lowdown. Mrs. Brummett commented, "Yearbook class is great this year. My staff is wonderful, I actually know what to anticipate with the deadlines. I'm looking forward to next year and the challenges ahead."

Inspiration

Yearbook

Deadlines and pretzels are what make the Oracle staff tick. With six new members and two old ones the 2000 yearbook pulls together. From the moment we walk through the door until the moment we rush out, it is always busy. Trying to get new ideas and taking picture after picture until everything is just right is hard work! Not only are we known as the yearbook staff, we seem to have adopted the nickname "Roamers" which is best suited for our roaming of the halls. Senior Kinzie Brummett had this to say, "This yearbook is going to be unlike any other one because the staff is so small, we've all grown really tight and learned what it takes to make it all come together."

•Daisha Foster



"Yearbook is the best! Together as a staff, we help each other out by finishing up last minute details, but still have time to have a blast."

•Kyla Ross



"I hate writing quotes!! They stink. That's why I'm the Ads Lady!"

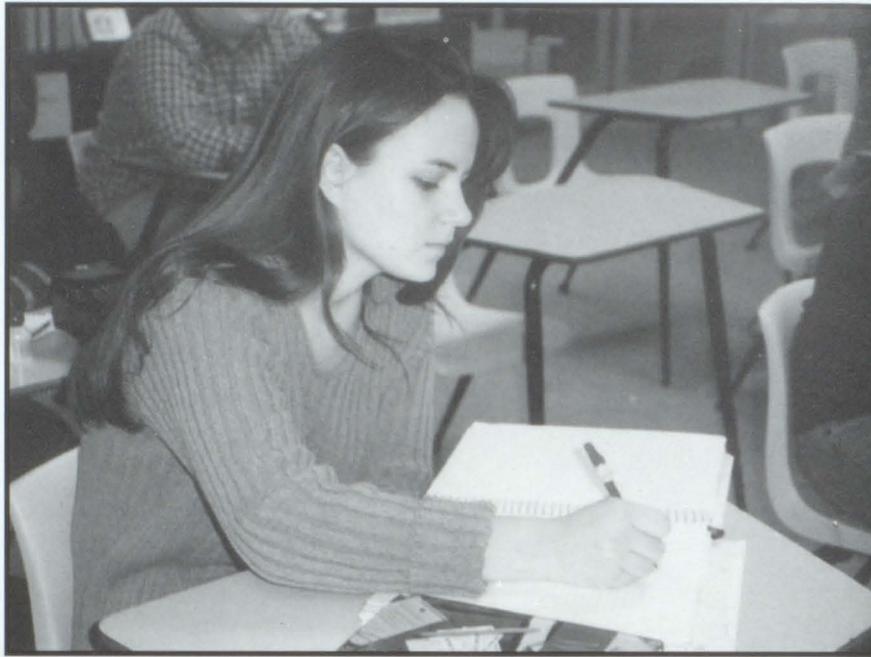
• Richelle Herriman



"It's fun being involved all the time. We have great laughs. I love to see everyone's personalities shine, but snack time is the best!"

• Heather Haygood

(right) Vanessa Perdue busily writes away during English class.

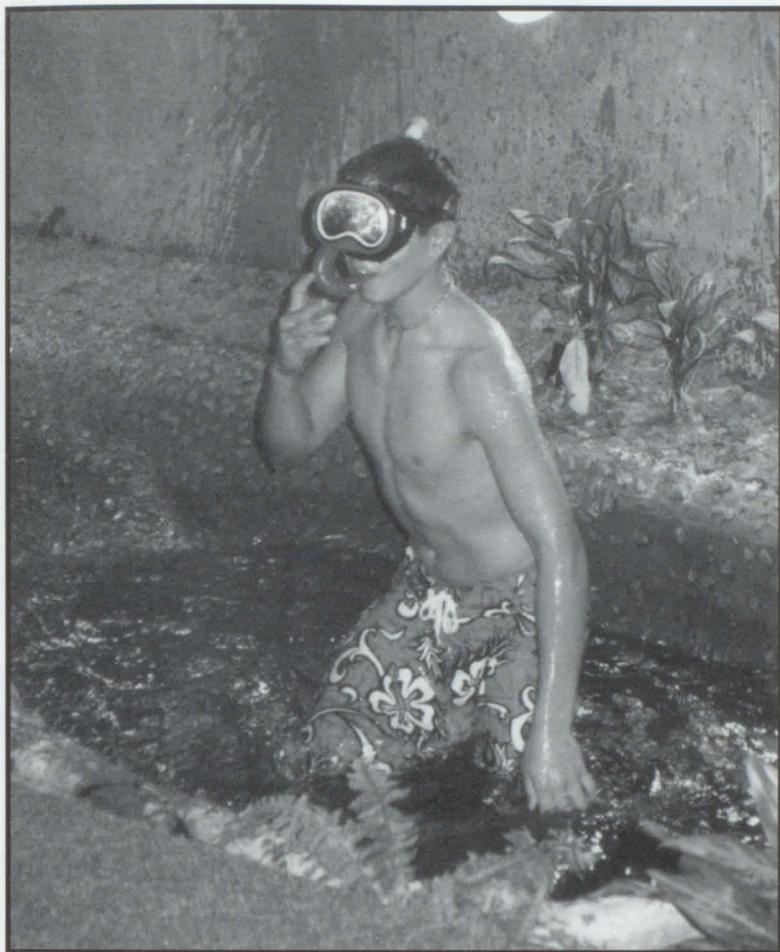


(below) Liz Gray offers advice while reading over Abbie VanSickle's Parnassus story.



(above) We deserve a break! The Parnassus staff takes a day off to enjoy donuts and celebrate their hard work.

(right) Kari Cripe and Ashly Klinker finish typing their Parnassus articles into the computer.



As part of an English skit, Ryan Flora takes a dive into the school pond. One condition to this adventure was that Ryan had to be extra careful not to hurt any of Mr. Brannan's precious gold fish.

English and Parnassus

A Subject with Goals

In order to learn the essential skills of life, one must learn to read, write, and be able to speak in front of others. English is a class that helps prepare us for the world ahead.

In the Know

A monthly school newspaper! Who could have thought of a better way for students to express their opinions and give current standings on athletic events and academics at our school? The Parnassus staff not only includes current events in each issue, but also fictional stories, helpful hints, and the ever famous "Snoracle" column.

•Kyla Ross



"I love Parnassus for three reasons: Donuts, friends, and of course, the writing!", commented Sara Bentley.

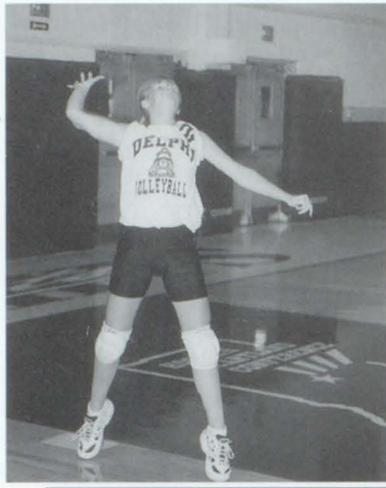


Desiree Nipple takes a break from English class to pause for a picture with Mr. Allard.



Chris Stokdyk stated, "The best part about Parnassus is being the only boy staff member!"

Julie Replogle shows talent, serving the volleyball during an important game.



A

ccomplishments

The year was filled with various and numerous accomplishments. From the Decathlon and Superbowl, to academics and sports, we the students have been setting new standards in the form of success. Endless hours of dedication and determination are ways of describing what it takes to be among the honorable and elite performers and competitors.

The drive to succeed and also to become the best at a particular skill is often not fully appreciated and understood until the goal has been fulfilled. So never stop learning, practicing, and reaching for the stars. You never know what you can achieve until you have tried.

Tony Vianco reaches to catch the ball during one of the many suspenseful and entertaining Friday night football games.



The cast of the 1940's Radio Hour had a successful performance for the annual spring musical.



Desiree Nipple watches carefully as the ball flies towards her.



(above) Derek Butler is proud to light his National Honor Society candle during induction.

Memories of a lifetime

The World Abroad

What does traveling mean to you? Maybe it's exploring new places and meeting new people, or maybe it's learning about an interesting and different culture. Throughout the year, many students have had the chance to expand their views through traveling. Senior Abbie VanSickle got the chance to tour France during her summer vacation. She commented, "My experience in France was the most amazing thing that I've



(above) "Not only did I learn an incredible amount of French, but I lived with a wonderful family and met lots of amazing people. I would go back in a second! Vive la France!" said Abbie VanSickle.

ever done." Beth Heath and Kandice Cripe were two other students that traveled over the summer. REMC sponsored a trip to Washington D.C., and they were cho-

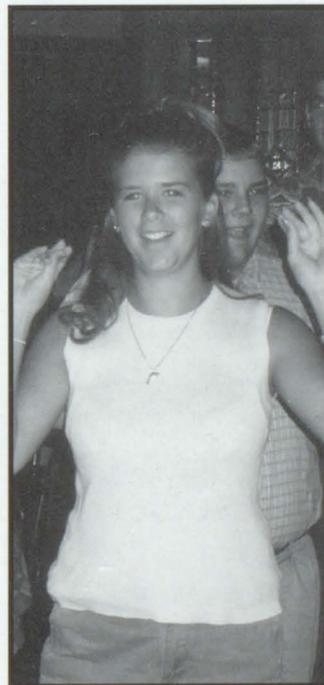
sen from many applications. Kandice stated, "When I applied, I had no idea that I would be accepted. I think it was a great opportunity to meet new people and see the city." Along with this, the French Club journeyed to Canada and choir students had the opportunity to sing at Walt Disney World. All of the trips at DCHS have proved to be not only educational but extremely fun at the same time. It's for sure that traveling offers memories of a lifetime.

•Lauren Maxwell



(left) Brad Friedrichsen, Beau Price, Jason Hawkins, and Tony Richards stand in front of the Mickey Mouse at Walt Disney World. Jason states, "I think that it was one of the funnest times I've ever had. My friends were with me and I got to see Disney World!"

(below) Kari Cripe, Amanda Davidson, and Erin Garrison all pose on the boat cruise in Canada. "I think the best part of the trip was when we got to model the clothes from the gift shop!" said Kari.



(above) Jamie Brummett, Jamie Brown, Karen Wertz, Christy Kayser, Katie Rauch, and Julie Isley group for a picture in Epcot. "I had a blast in Florida!" said Julie.

(above) "The trip to Canada was great," said Brandi Nichols. "One time after dinner at Cafe de Paris, we all got up and did the chicken dance while this cute old guy played the accordion."

(left) Beth Heath and Kandice Cripe take a minute to flash their smiles. "My trip to Washington D.C. was a wonderful experience because I had the chance to make many new friends, and also tour our nations's capital," said Beth.

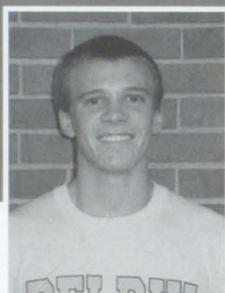
T OGETHER WE ATTACK

The Delphi football team had an excellent season this year, with the highlight of being named Conference Champs. The Oracles concluded their season with a record of 8 wins and 3 losses.

The season started off a little shaky with a great upset against county rival

Carroll. Nevertheless, the Oracles turned things around to win all the rest of their regular season games except one. The season came to an end in the second round of sectionals with a disappointing defeat against East Brook, with the hope of another successful season to come.

•Kandi Groninger



"The thing that motivates me the most, is when I see everyone doing their part to make every play work, exactly the way it should."

-Michael McConnell

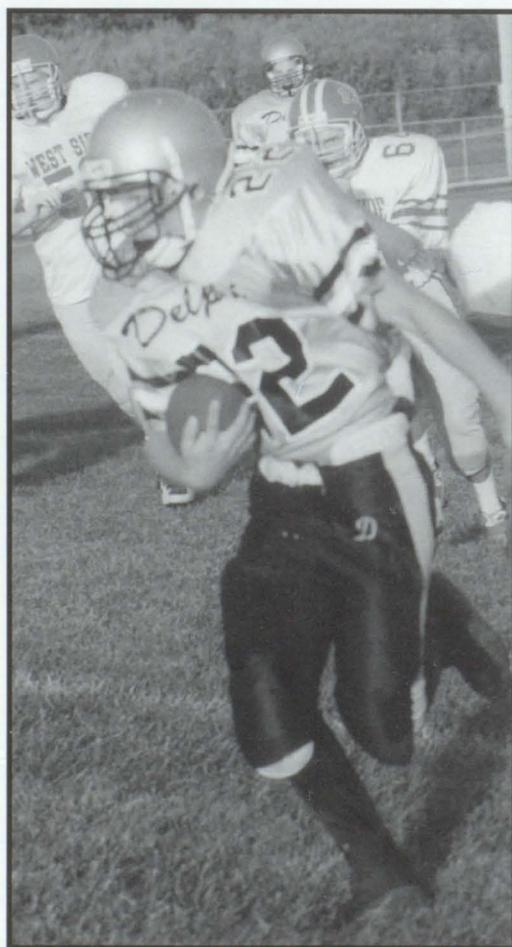
"The upperclassmen's positive comments made me strive to get better."

-Brandon Zarse



(above) Junior standout Josh Mills displays his strength and dedication in a practice preparing for the big second round sectional game against East Brook.

(right) Junior Varsity running back Nelson Allbaugh runs for a touchdown against West Side.





Varsity quarterback Derek Butler displays his aggression as he attempts to make a pass. "Not many people expected us to be successful this year, but we surprised a lot of people. We continued to improve with every game and learned from past mistakes. It was a team effort, from the varsity starters to the scout team players," stated Derek Butler.

While getting a pep talk from the coach, Sophomore, James Hahn refreshes himself by guzzeling water. James commented that his motivation was "Coach Burpo's continuous yelling at me. It was a blast!"



Scoreboard

DCHS		Opp
28	Lewis Cass	27
14	Carroll	20
21	W. Lafayette	10
14	Twin Lakes	20
42	Cl. Prairie	8
50	Cl. Central	22
21	Rennselaer	7
38	B. Central	21
42	Peru	14
34	North Miami	26
0	East Brook	31

A CHANCE TO CHANGE

Volleyball took a turn as they began a new season. The Lady Oracles recieved 3 new coaches Linda Mancony, Sue Condon, and Rob Sargin to start off their year. For their good team work and hard effort, the girls got the chance to go to Michigan to play beach vollyball and condition at the sand dunes. This was a good experience for the girls and gave them a better understanding of having fun and working hard. It has been said, "Everyone needs a little change in their life," and believe it or not they are excatly right.

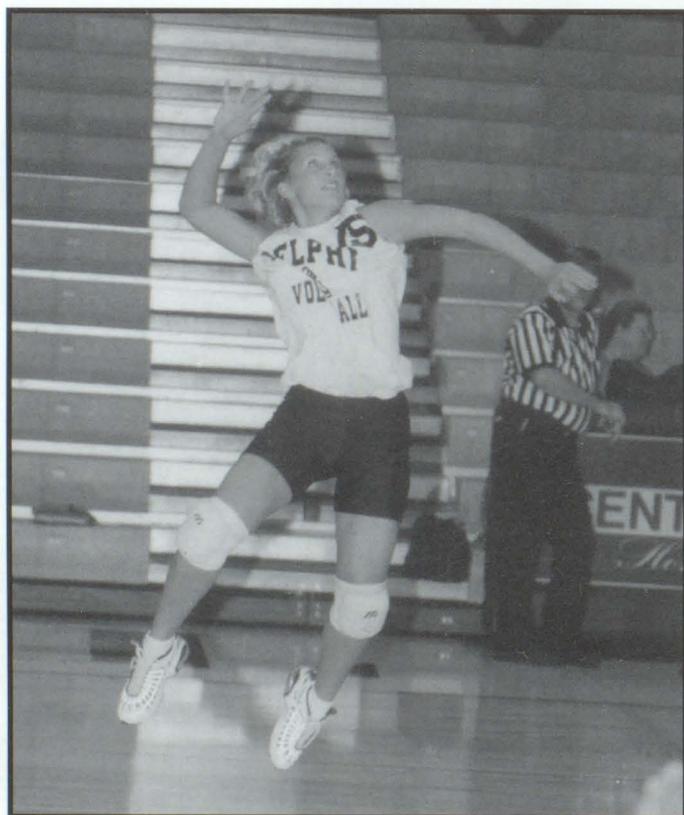
•Daisha Foster



"The coaches were great this year. They really challenged us to become better players and better competitors."
-Kari Burns



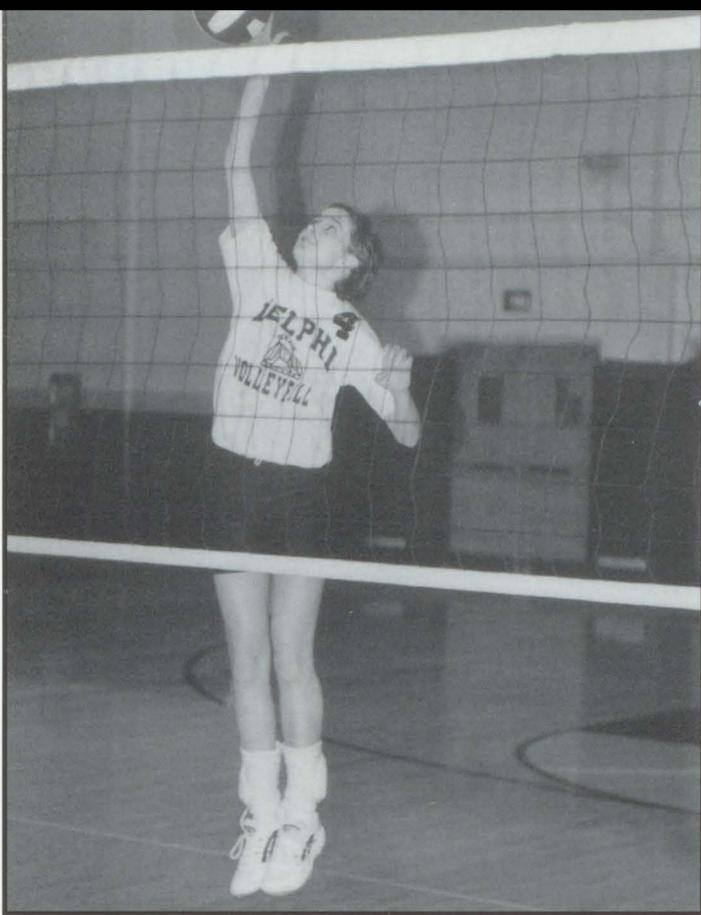
"Volleyball had some rough times this year, but the team worked through them to have a good season."
-Megan Horn



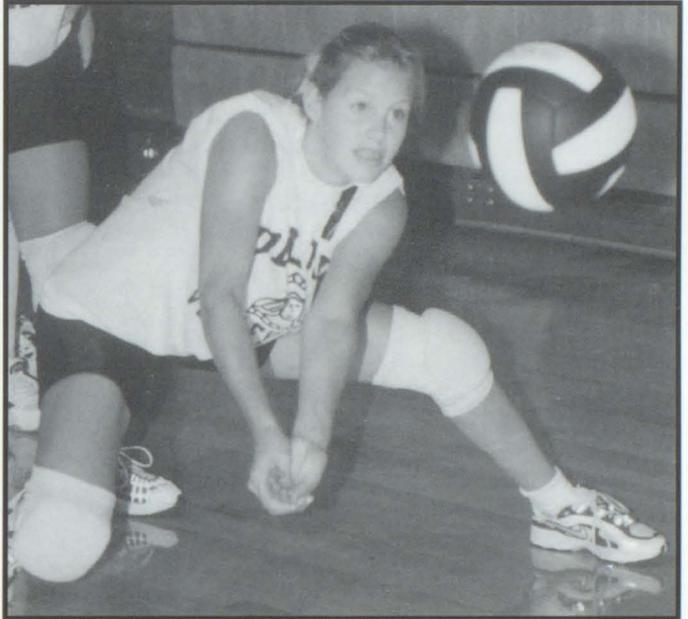
(above) Krista Dunbar takes a giant leap to spike the ball. Krista commented: "I had a great time with the team. We had a blast and alot of great memories!"

(right) Varsity member Kristen Strasser commented on the season by saying, "This was a great year. I couldn't ask for a better senior year."





(left) Angie Nelson reaches over the net for a spike. "The team improved a lot this year, but we still have a long way to go."



(below) Lindsey Brodar falls to the floor to hit the ball. Lindsey commented, "I had a lot of good memories with the girls. It is definitely a season I will never forget!"



(above) The "Fabulous Five" Kristen Strasser, Jessica Jones, Aspen VanMatre, Kyla Ross, and Abby Huffer come together for one last picture. The girls have played together throughout their high school years. The five seniors ended with a 17-23 season.

Scoreboard		
DCHS		Opp
0	B. Central	2
2	Tri. Central	0
2	Frontier	0
2	Rossville	1
2	Carroll	0
2	Tri-County	1
2	Rensselaer	1
0	Clinton Prairie	2
0	North White	2
0	CC.	2
0	Twin Lakes	2
0	Cl. Central	2
0	Logansport	2
2	Park Tudor	2
1	W. Lafayette	2
0	McCutcheon	2
2	Taylor	0

All The Way Down That Floor, Score!

"Frustration" seems to be the key word most Lady Oracle basketball team members used in describing this year's season. It was a long season, but for some reason these girls just didn't quit. The team, both as a whole and individually, were faced with many challenges. Not only was this just Coach Leinweber's second year coaching at Delphi, but the team also had many new members introduced to varsity play

for the first time. Three freshman took a huge leap in becoming varsity starters and key players. Along with having only one senior on the team, the Lady Oracles had many obstacles to overcome. It was a difficult year, but the girls always put out a fight. The season was a learning experience full of disappointment but at the same time, a lot of enjoyment. Many people saw this year's season as a building block for next year.

•Kandi Groninger

"I am glad to have been a member of this year's basketball team. I was so blessed by my fellow teammates and I was able to make lasting friendships while I did what I love to do, which is basketball."

-Hannah Smith



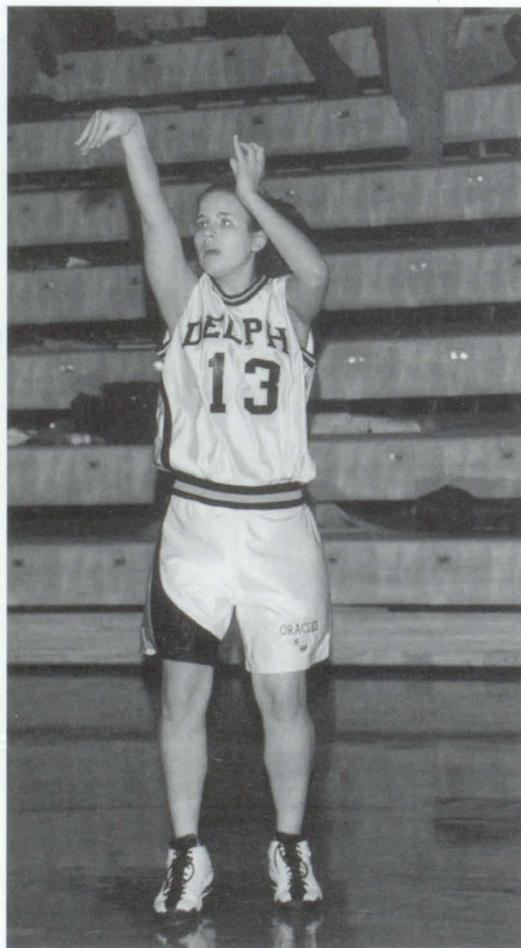
"It was fun being a freshman on the varsity squad. I saw it as a great opportunity and I made a lot of new, great friends."

-Julie Replogle



Freshman starter, Amber Clawson, concentrates as she dribbles down the court.

(right) Jessica LePage keeps her eye on the basket while she aims for another two points.





(left) Senior Hannah Smith drives past her opponents with pure determination on her face.



(above) Jennifer Barngrover charges through two Lewis Cass defenders and drives in for an easy lay-up.



Coach Leinweber tries to deliver a helpful message to his team during a time-out. He is concentrating on getting the girls refocused so they will end on a positive note.

Scoreboard

DCHS		Opp
37	Eastern	55
52	Pioneer	42
53	N. White	65
43	N. Western	53
37	C. C.	52
26	Carroll	53
29	Cl. Prairie	70
41	Frontier	68
44	Lewis Cass	76
50	Tri-Central	55
31	Cl. Central	53
36	Rossville	60
37	W. Lafayette	59
41	Taylor	44
43	B. Central	67
32	Rensselaer	51
57	Tri-County	62

ACTION BOYS ACTION

A-C-T...I-O-N...Action, action, we want action! This is a cheer commonly heard bouncing off the walls in the home of the Oracle basketball team, as they struggled to fulfill the request of the fans. The team decided that if it's action they want, it's action they'll get, and did their best to live up to this promise.

The composition of this year's Varsity team was different than any other,

because there were no seniors playing this year. This forced the juniors to muster up their leadership skills and do their best to lead the team to a victorious season. Not only did lack of senior participation affect the varsity team, but it also allowed more underclassmen to move up in rank, as many freshman played on the Junior Varsity team.

·Kinzie Brummett

BOYS



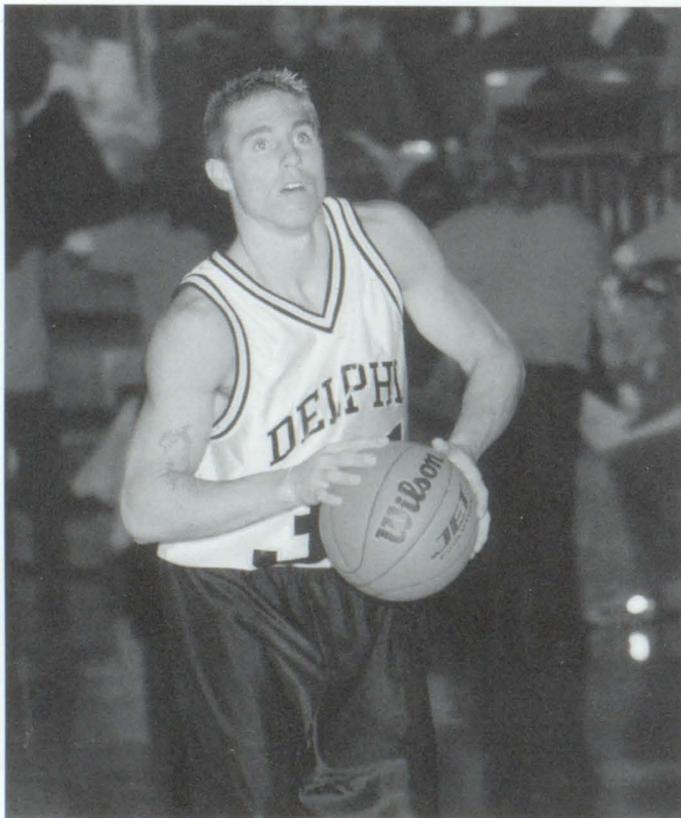
BASKETBALL

"It was really cool to be able to step up as a freshmen, and play on the Junior Varsity team."

·Kole Groninger

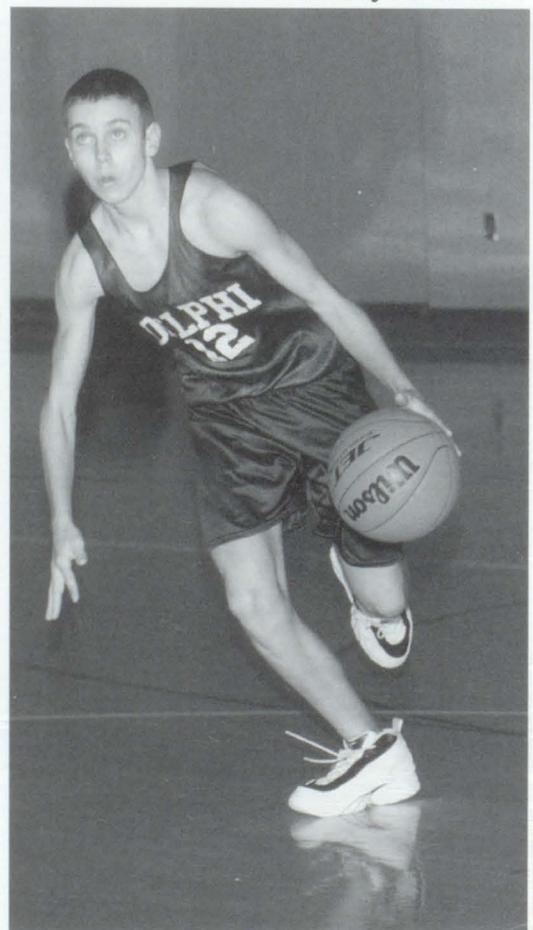
"Next year we will be a really tough team to beat. With all returning players, our season should really improve."

·Troy Shanks



(above) Josh Mills lines up before taking a shot. As a starting junior, Josh is looking forward to a successful senior year.

(right) Freshman Jon Curtis finds that diligent work in practices pays off during games.





(left) Dean Bowman recalls his favorite memory. "During a practice, Kory Ross went up for a dunk, and he accidentally slipped and landed right on his backside. It was so hilarious! Luckily, Kory was okay."

(below) Chase Morrow aggressively fights to keep the ball in his control while going up against a tough Tri-Central Junior Varsity team.



(above) Coach Roy gives useful words of advice during a time out. Not only did the boys enjoy getting a few seconds to take a breather, but they found the coach's tips helpful as well.

Scoreboard		
DCHS		Opp.
23	Taylor	77
69	Peru	102
59	Frontier	69
38	B. Central	66
36	Cl. Prairie	39
59	Tri-County	52
32	S. Newton	56
37	N. Western	93
50	Rossville	82
64	Frontier	68
73	N. White	65
54	C. C.	74
50	Lewis Cass	56
67	Tri-Central	69
47	Carroll	39
55	Twin Lakes	58
36	Pioneer	37

Feel the Burn

The Delphi swim team was forced to overcome a huge obstacle this year—lack of a pool. As a result of major reconstruction, the Dolphin's pool was unavailable. This made for early morning and late night practices at the Twin Lakes or Carroll pools. Despite this impediment, the Dolphins managed to come out with a successful season; finishing.

The wrestling team once again made the school proud as they came through with a strong season. Coach Mike Atwood commented on the season, "The 1999-2000 team improved their wins twice-fold, winning 10 matches and losing 14. Our kids work very hard and will improve with each passing day."

•Kinzie Brummett

SWIMMING

"I loved swimming, especially diving. It was just such a rush."

• Brenna Myers



WRESTLING

"Even though I broke my wrist at the beginning of the season, I still managed to keep in shape and end my wrestling career with pride."

• Charlie Nichols



(above) Senior Blaine Burton comes up for air while doing the breast stroke in swimming. He claims that this event is definitely one of his favorites.

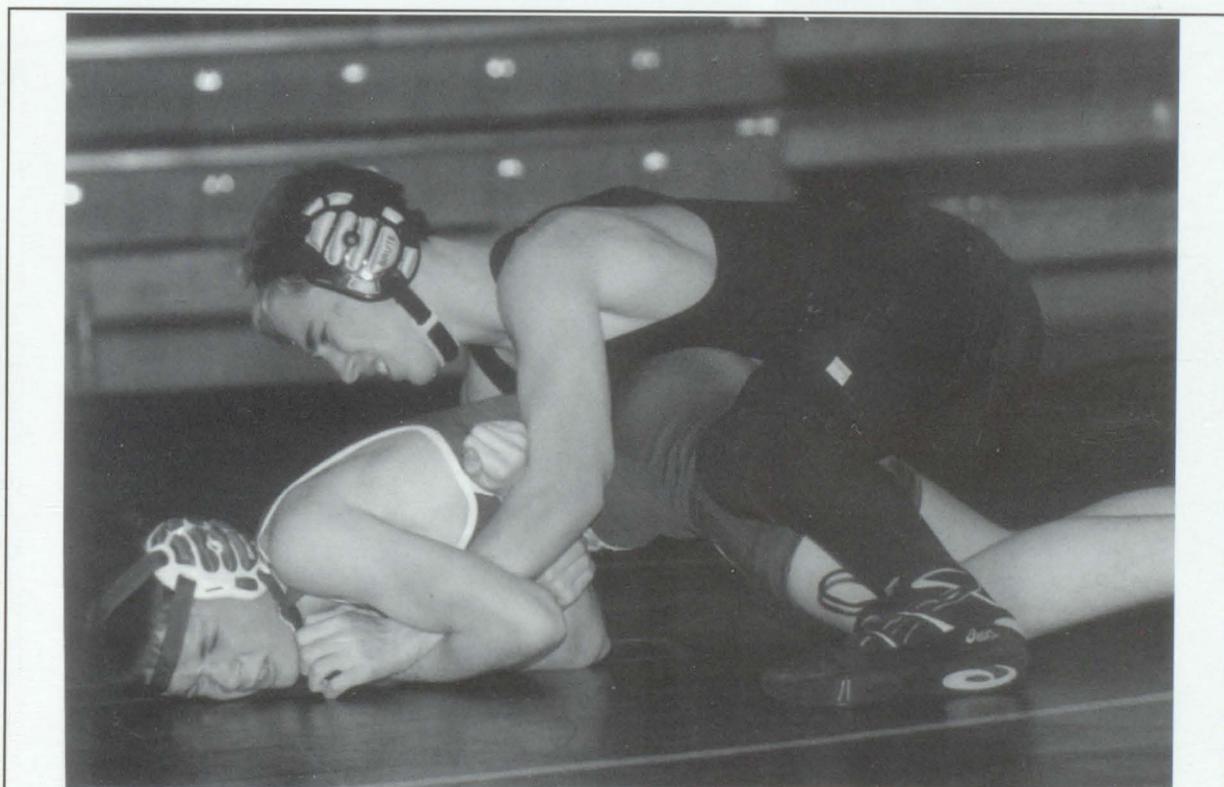
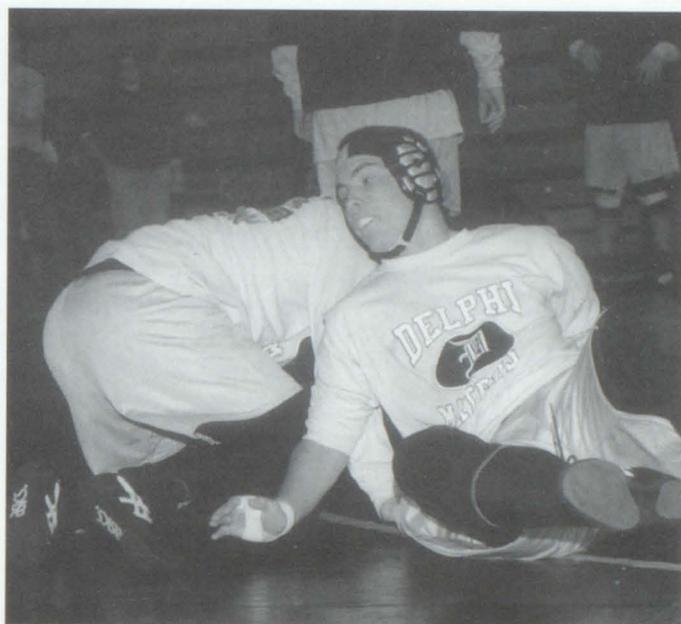


(right) Jade Maxwell models her new look for fellow teammates. Most swimmers found the meets more entertaining when they goofed off.



(left) Brandi Nichols gazes into space while stretching out for a meet. Perhaps she is imagining herself swimming her way to a victory.

(below) Derek Woods tries to get a reversal and gain control against his fellow team mate. The wrestlers often warm up with each other while preparing for a meet.



(above) Brandon Metzinger grimaces in concentration as he successfully tries to pin his opponent from North White. Brandon is by far one of the most dedicated wrestlers. He proves his drive to excel by coming into school at least an hour early to run and stay in shape. This hard work paid off when Brandon made it all the way to semi-state. He comments, "It's been an exciting season and I can't wait for next year when I'm going all the way!"

Quick Racquet, Sweet Delivery

It is a known rule for the Delphi Tennis teams that if Miss Lawton finds a little green tennis ball outside of the fence, it is extra laps. Somehow all of the tennis balls get picked up and everyone leaves practice with a smile on their face.

The boy's team started their season in the intense sun at the beginning of August. For the second year now, the

main focus of the boys team was to keep improving and most importantly having a fun season.

The girls season was underway in late February with inside conditioning. Although another season was plagued by rainy weather, the team prevailed to have a very successful and worthwhile season.

• Kandice Cripe

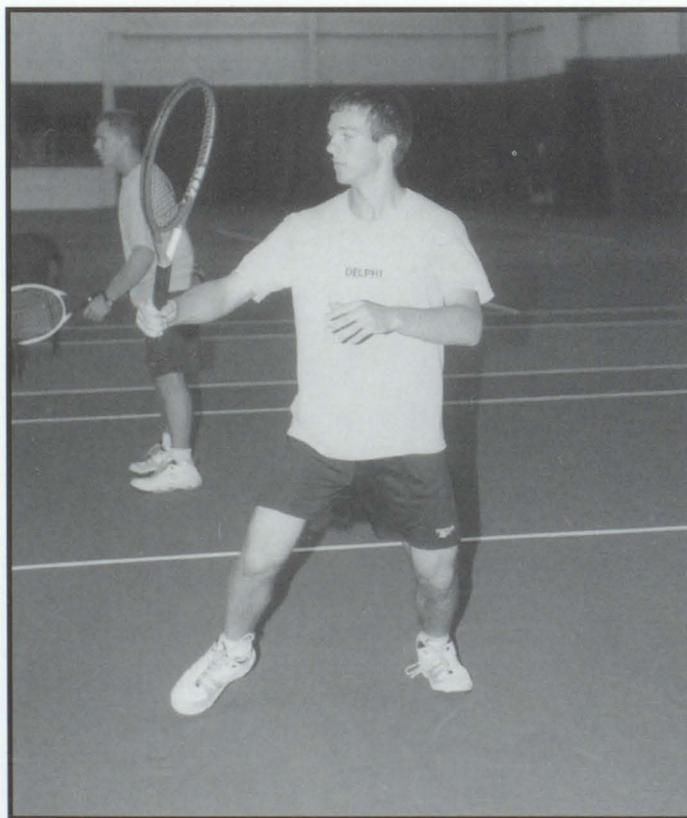
"The best part of the season was doing the "Rain Dance" with Kira, Andrea, and Kandice!"

- Megan Horn



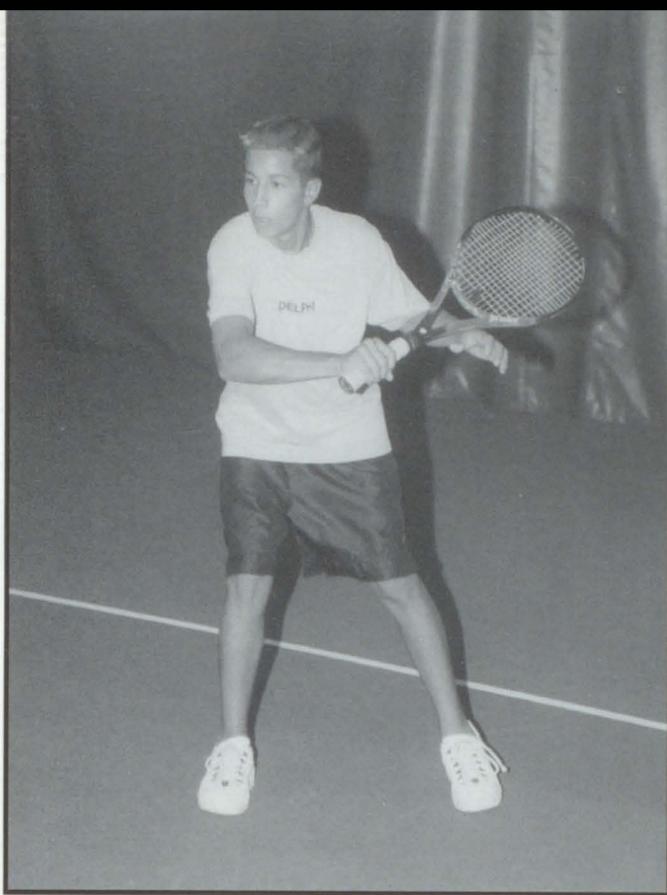
"Wall sits were, by far, the best part of conditioning!"

- Ben George



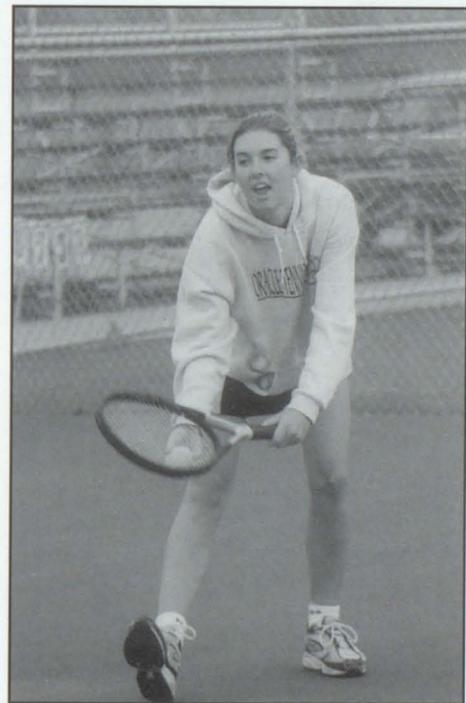
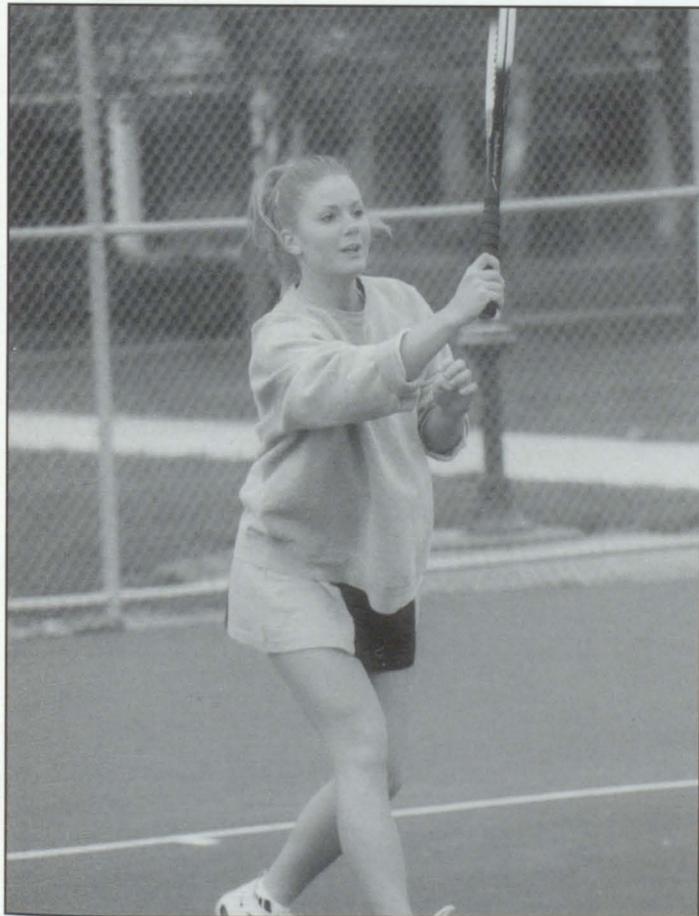
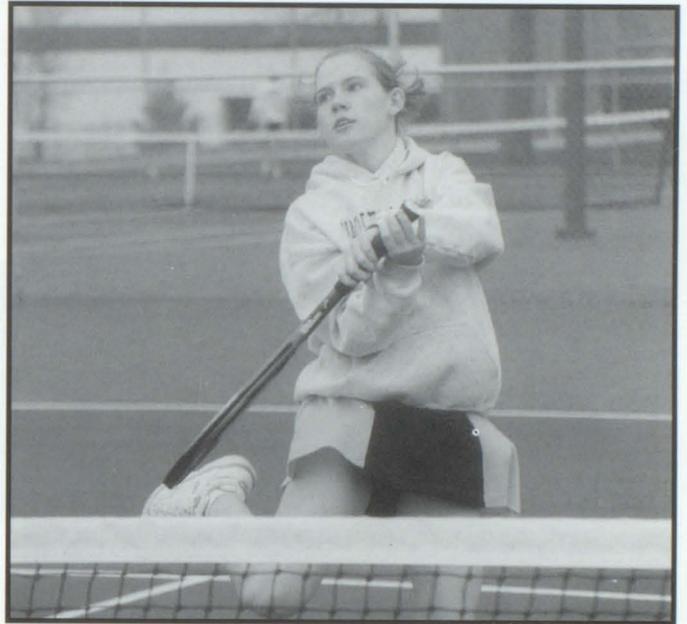
(above) Senior Phillip Zink prepares to return a volley to the opponent. Phillip has played #1 Doubles for two years now.

(left) Scott McNeany returns a ground stroke during an inside match this fall. Scott is a new freshmen on the team and played #1 Singles for the team.



(left) Junior Ryan Flora awaits the return from the opponent during his match. Ryan said about the season, "Everyone worked really hard this year and we all look forward to a successful season next year."

(below) Sophomore Shelia Wilcox finishes off a backhand volley at the net. Shelia was a key player for both the Varsity and Junior Varsity teams this season.



(above) Varsity singles player Stephanie Sullivan prepares to serve her opponent another scoring serve.

(left) Senior Aspen VanMatre returns a shot as she approaches the net. Aspen has been a Varsity member for four years playing both singles and doubles.

S WINGING INTO ACTION

In spite of the pre-season outlook, the boys and girls golf teams have been successful, not for their winning records but, because of their ability to work well as a team.

Although some goals cannot always be accomplished, as was the case for the girls golf team, they

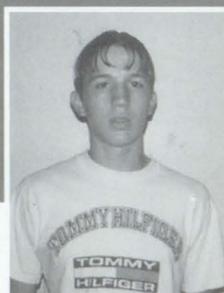
still held their heads high and kept a positive attitude. Key concerns throughout the girl's season were to get a fundamental swing and get the ball off the ground. The boy's goals were to finish with a winning record and play smart golf as well as be more mentally aggressive, not physical.

•Heather Haygood



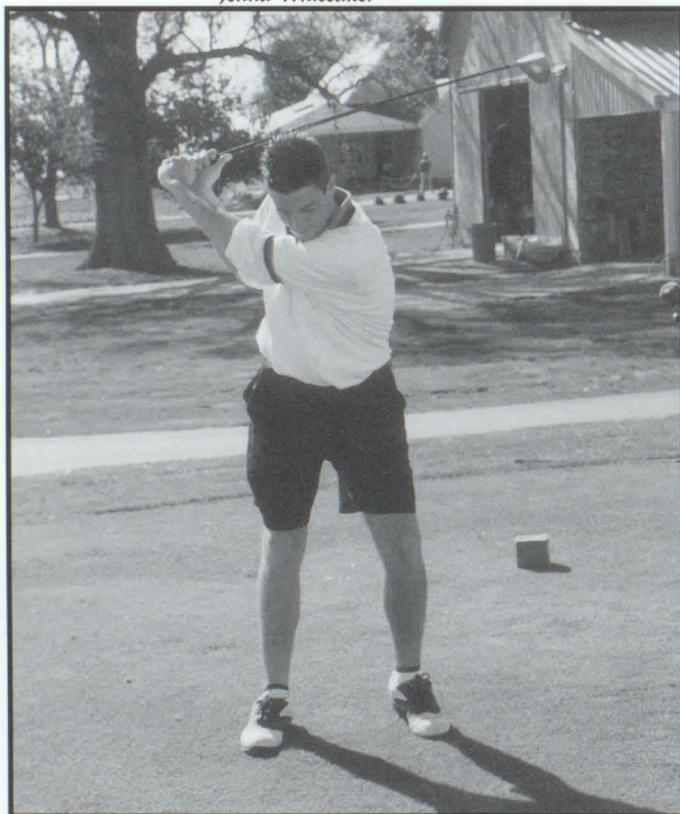
"My best memory was Coach Jones getting mad at me for running through the sprinklers at the Country Club."

• Jenna Whiteaker



"I like this sport because it doesn't take much energy and you don't have to run. It's a lazy person's sport."

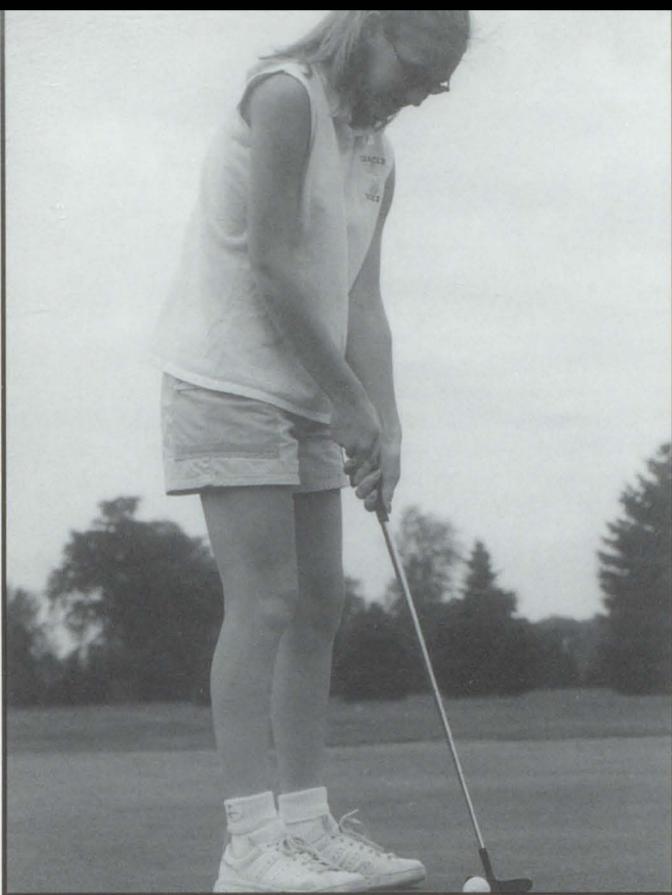
•Cliff Perry



(above) Starting the hole out right, Bryan Dunbar focuses intensely on his up and coming tee shot.

(right) Junior Stefanie Berkshire lingers over her shot and watches carefully to see where her ball will drop. Being one of only five members, each girl had to perform to their max to support the team.





(left) With careful concentration, Junior Kira Larimore lines up her putt to produce yet another accurate shot.



(below) Staking out his shot, distance, and all other factors, Alan Dunbar lines up his feet to putt the ball into the cup.



(above) Adam Minier helps his teammate Ryan Friedrichson practice his aim before their match.

Steady Pace, Fast Race

Such is the story of the tortoise and the hare. Just as the moral demonstrates, Delphi runners have found that steady, persistent efforts prevail, resulting in a successful finish. Because track and cross country are individual sports, it is important that the athletes not only compete against the opponents, but also against themselves.

This year's Cross Country and Track teams had

to make adjustments due to the loss of many graduating seniors.

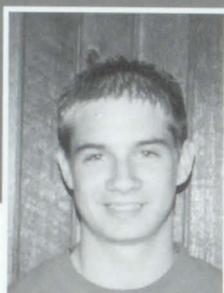
The Cross Country team this year had its ups and downs. There were a lot of changes made this year including a new course at the Country Club. This new course is one in which Nathan Flory set a course record. This accomplishment helped Nathan to become a qualifier for Regional competition.

•Kandi Groninger



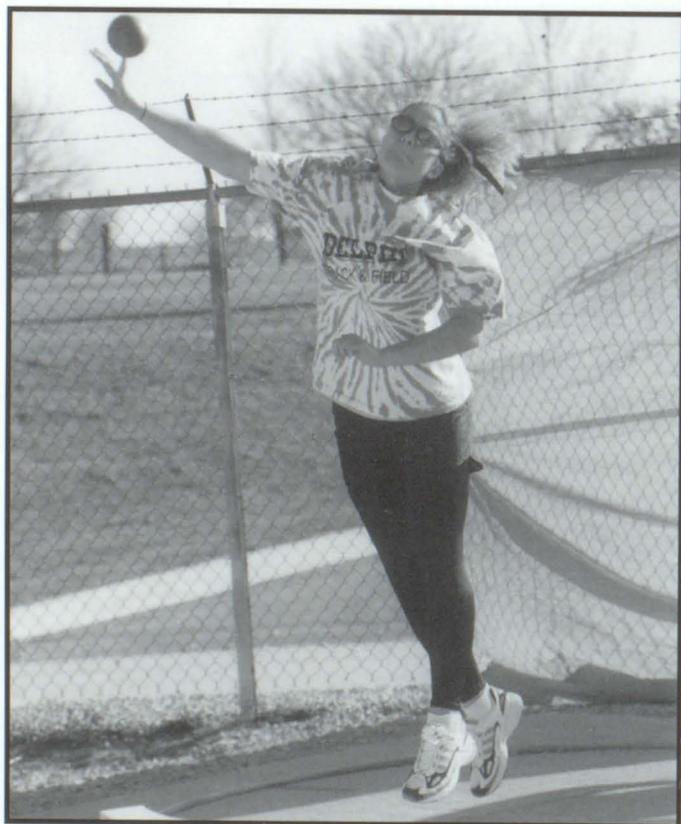
"I have met a lot of friends through track and it is a lot of fun because everyone is so hilarious!"

-Lindsey McKinney



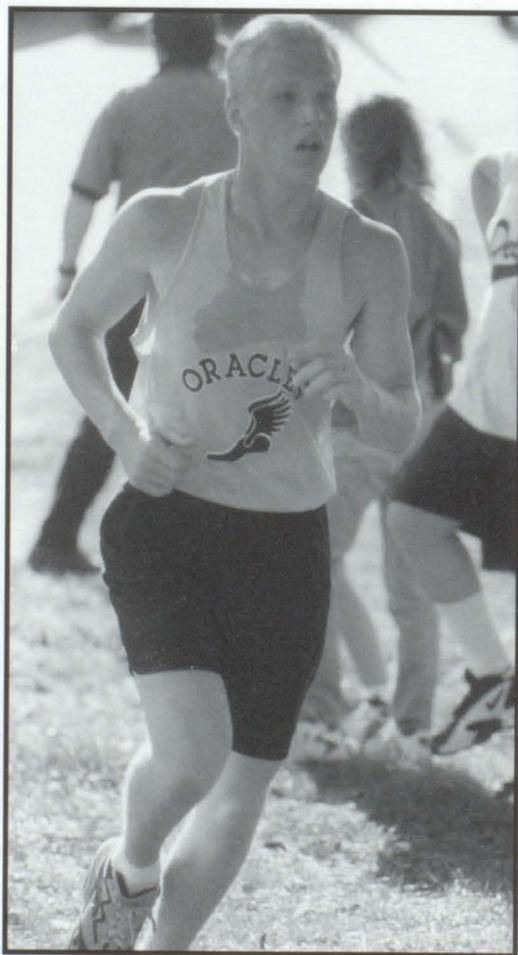
"Track Rules! The competitiveness is the best aspect of track."

-Phillip Price



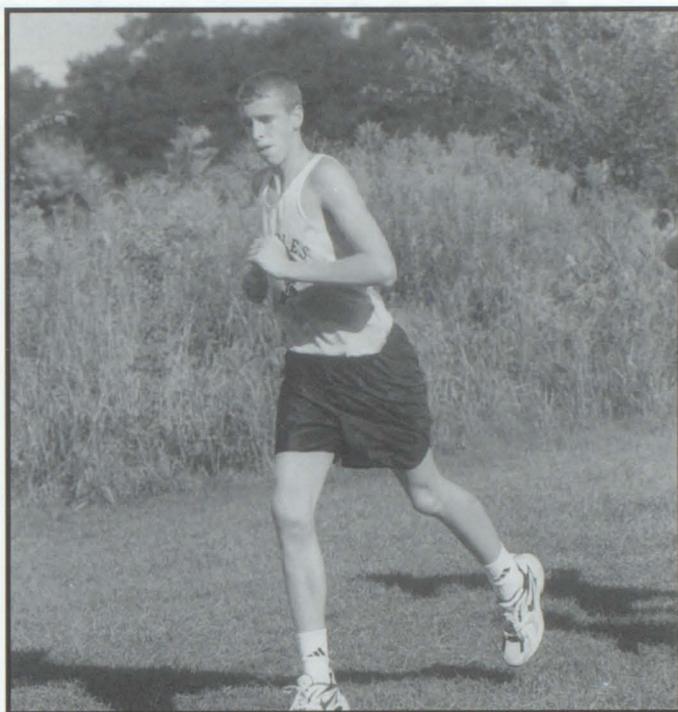
(above) Stretching to her limit, Kyla Ross concentrates during her regular shot-put routine. "I see this season as a stressful one due to living up to my success last year as conference champ/regional qualifier," said Kyla.

(right) Ben Cripe kicks it into high gear as he nears the end of the race. This is Ben's third year as part of the Cross Country team.





(left) Erin Garrison gives it her all at the 3rd leg of the 4 X 8 relay.



(above) Troy Shanks keeps a steady pace in his search for the finish line. Troy commented, "The Cross Country season was fun. It is challenging and keeps you in great shape!"



(above) Freshman Kaysee Stoner demonstrates perfect form as she leaps over the hurdle during the 100 meter hurdle race. Kaysee has been a hurdler ever since she began track in the middle school and has now stepped up to become one of the top hurdlers on the varsity team.

Hey Batter, Batter...Swing

"Take me out to the ball game. Take me out to the crowd. Buy me some peanuts and cracker jacks. I don't care if we ever get back!" Do you remember that song? What sport comes to mind? If you guessed softball and baseball, you're exactly right. To some, baseball is known as a "Guy" sport and softball is known as a "Chick" sport, but the two should not be stereotyped. Both sports have awesome players who put forth hard work

and dedication to become better players. Each sport requires a certain amount of conditioning and personal training. Both sports have morning and after school practices and some players work extra hours to sharpen their skills. Thanks to baseball and softball, a little more excitement has been added to our everyday lives.

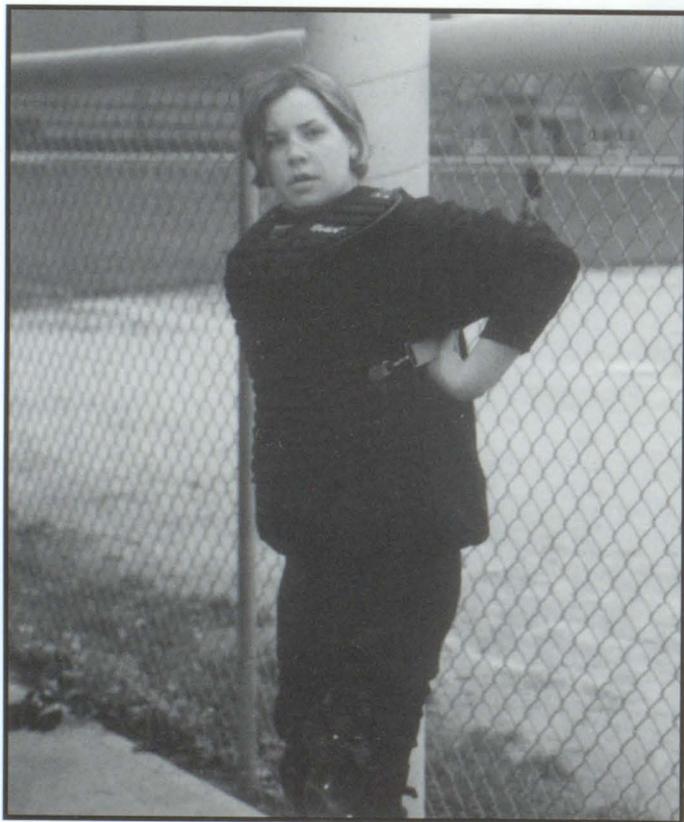
•Daleha Foster



Leighanne Randle prefers to comment on the team's motto, "J.V. for life!"

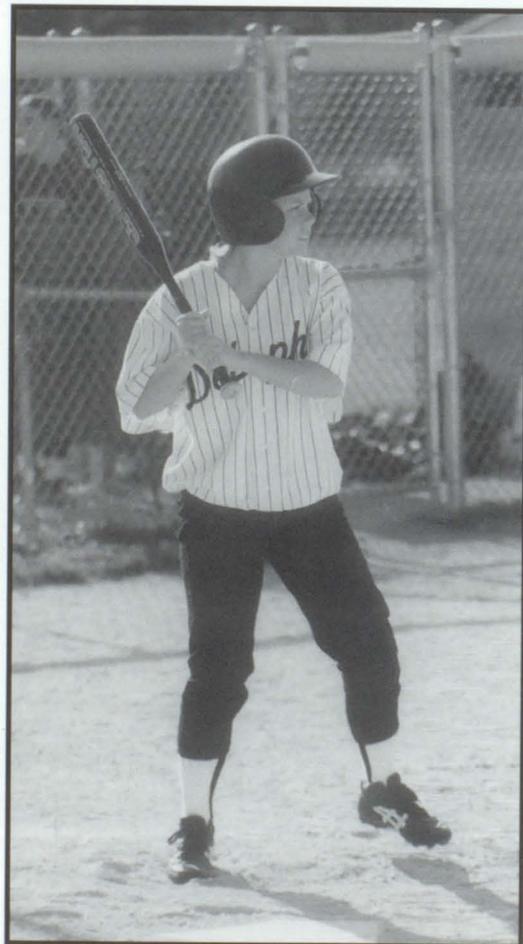


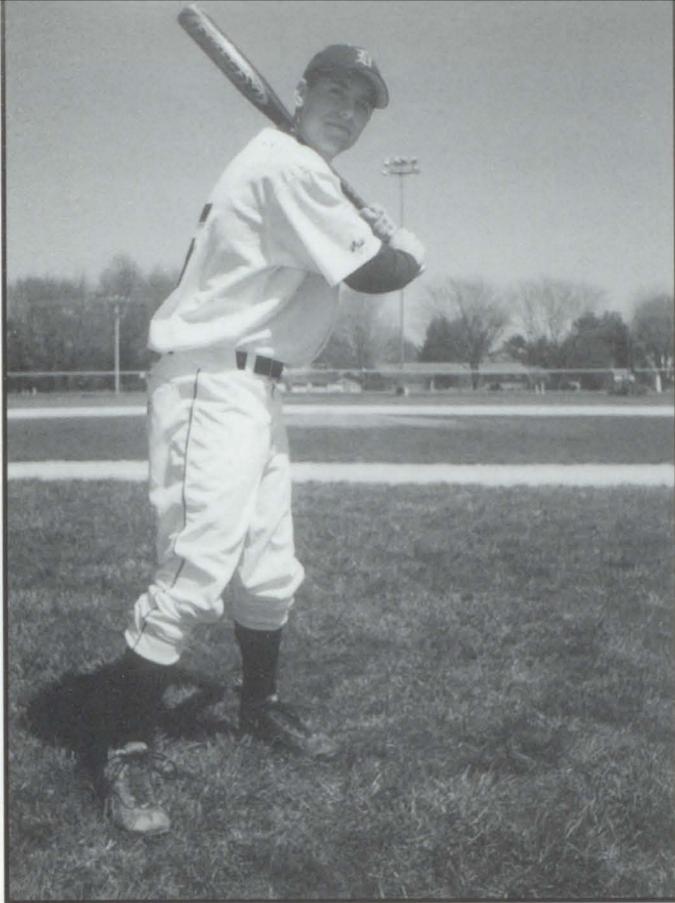
"Baseball is fun! To me it is just like any other baseball season, and the guys are fun to be around!" Matt Burton



(above) Katie Kayser looks confused while putting on her catcher's gear. Katie commented, "This year has been very fun because of all the wins. We pulled together to define the true meaning of the word TEAM!"

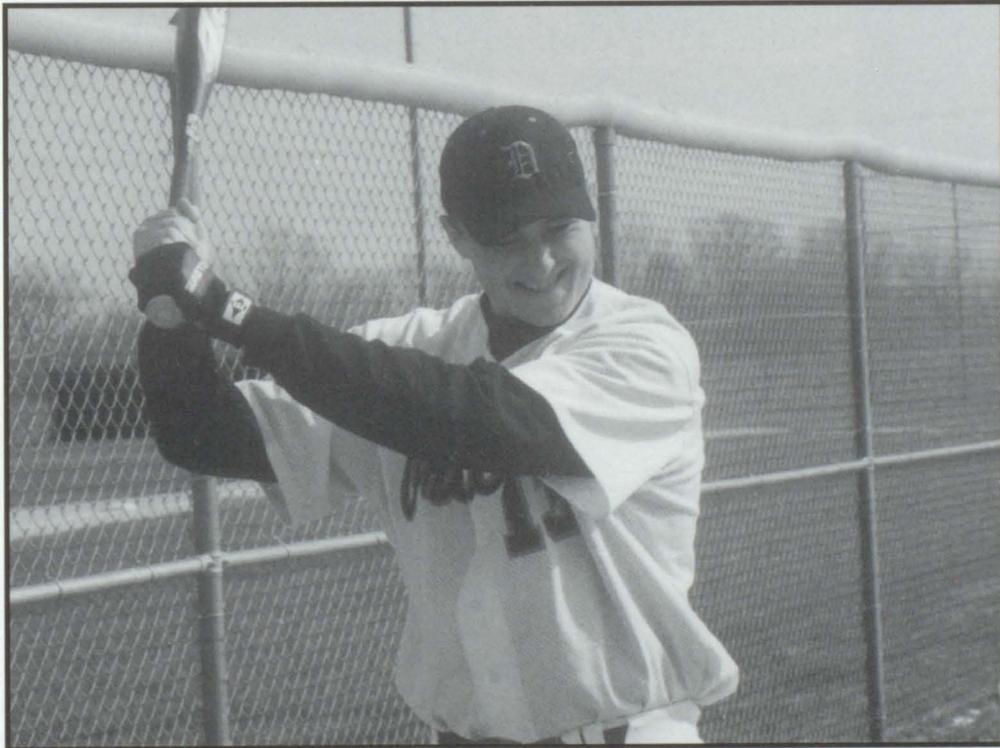
(left) Tracie Freeman waits anxiously for the ball to come her way. "Softball is so much better this year. We have won a lot more games and we finally work together."





(right) Scott Nipple has fun at his double header while posing like Babe Ruth for his own baseball card!

(below) Jon Henderson warms up before a big game. He later commented, "It was great winning the Oracle Classic!"

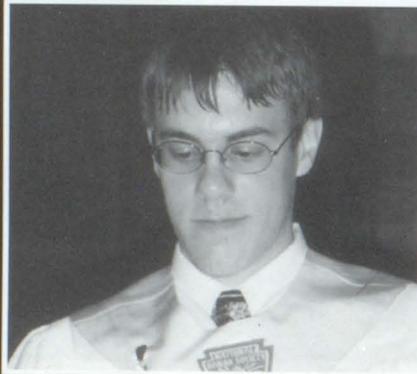


(above) Jeremy Nelson makes a funny face while goofing off before a home game. Jeremy commented, "Over my four years of playing baseball, I have seen players come and go. The weak leave, the strong stay, and in my opinion that's what makes a great baseball team."

Meeting of the Minds

Student Council

Homecoming events, school dances, the senior slate, Christmas tree competitions, and school decorations... Who should be commended for all this hard



work? The Student Council members spend many hours trying to make school events fun and exciting.

One of the most outstanding projects the group is responsible for would be the Students Helping Students Scholarship. Student Council is always busy improving conditions for all of us, the student body.

National Honor Society

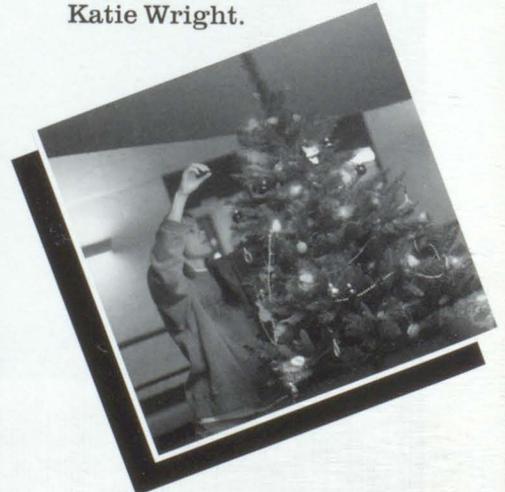
NHS, National Honor Society, is a club of service to our community; including the blood drive and daffodil sales.

It is a great privilege and honor to be a member of this select club. NHS promotes service, leadership, scholarship, and character. An example of this is at Christmas time, each society member provides a teen gift for the Delphi Christmas Baskets.

·Kyla Ross

Student Council Members

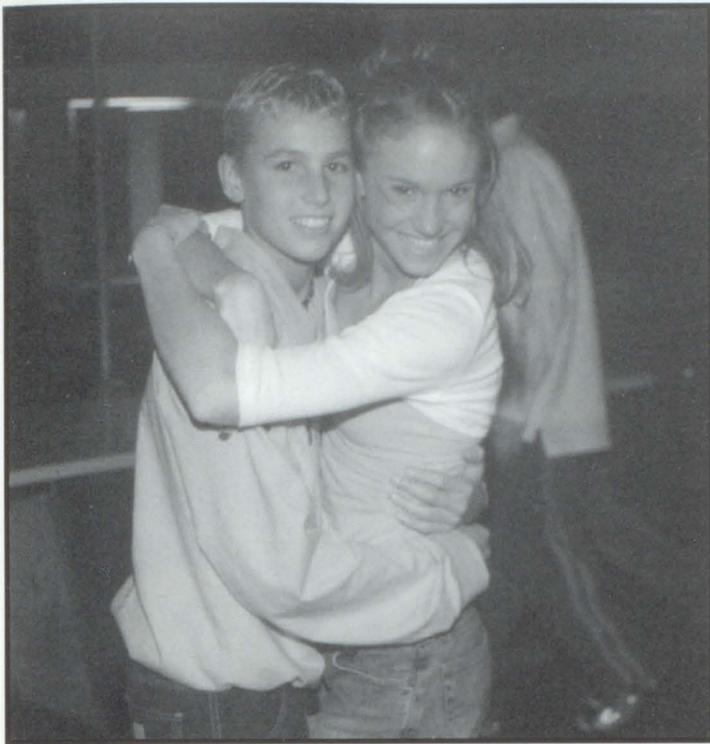
(left below) Ben George, Nick Williams, Charlie Nichols, Hannah Smith, Abby Huffer, Abi Pearson, Kandi Groninger, Kinzie Brummett, Kandice Cripe, Brittany Lake, Alan Dunbar, Kaysee Stoner, Amanda Miller, Katie Wright.



(above) Senior Class President, Hannah Smith.

Student Council Dance

(left) Friends, Alan Dunbar and Alicia Johnson, let loose at the basketball homecoming dance.



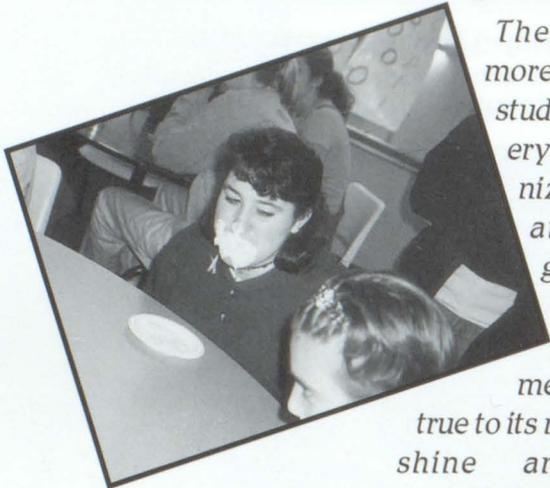
Homecoming Events

(below) Nick Stephens helps fire up the crowd before the homecoming events sponsored by Student Council.



(above) Mrs Tyner, NHS sponsor, is presenting inductee, Erin Hallett, with a membership pin.
(left) Abi Pearson contributes to the annual school blood drive.

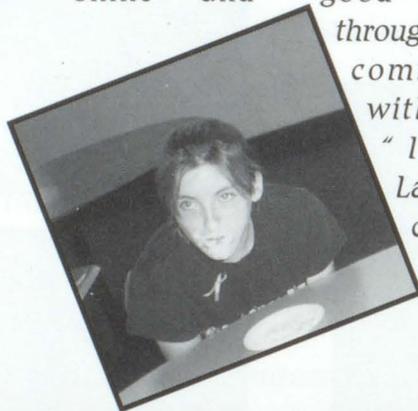
SADD, Sunshine, and Varsity D



These clubs contribute more to DCHS than many students ever imagined. Every year Varsity D organizes the long-awaited, annual Powder Puff game, as well as aiding sports teams in purchasing new equipment. Sunshine, holding true to its namesake, spreads sunshine and good cheer throughout the community with the "Ideal Lady" exchange.

And who can forget the magical fall semi-formal that SADD puts on for the entire student body? Even though they are often overlooked, these clubs obviously put forth the effort needed to create variety and excitement to the average day of the students at Delphi Community High School.

•Kinzie Brummett, Kandice Cripe,
Kandi Groninger



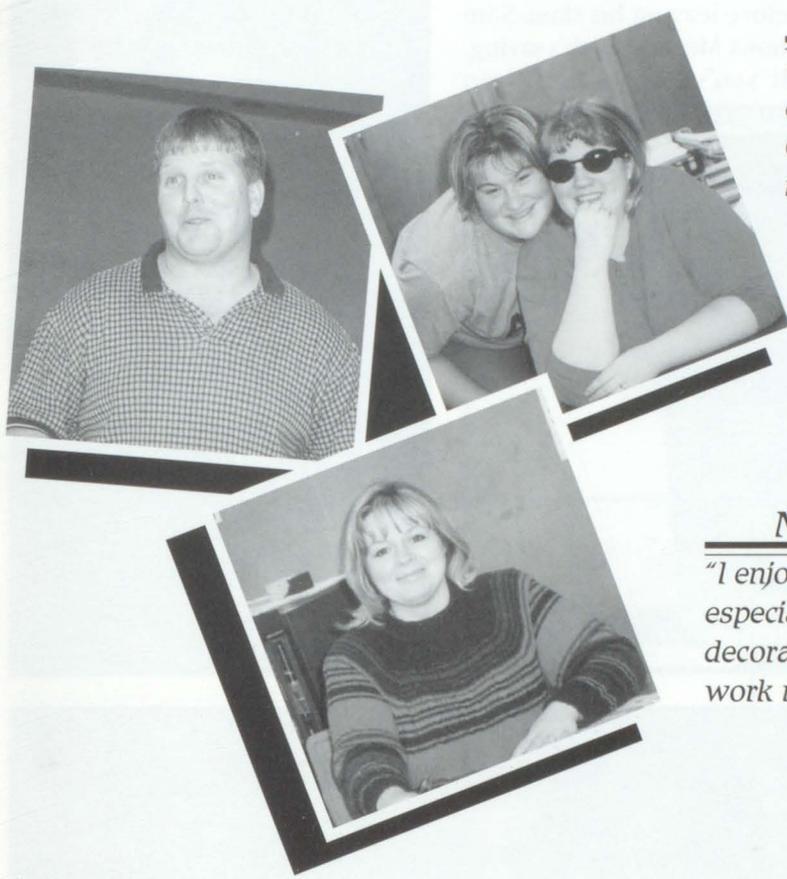
Sunshine

(above) Sunshine initiation is an exciting time for all members, especially new initiates. Pictured here are Ali Bieghler, Shannon Burns, and Veronica Peek enduring the seemingly endless tortures of whipped cream.



S.A.D.D.

Stephanie Friedrichsen, Kari Cripe, and Katie Wright pose at Semi-Formal to flash their smiles.



Mr. Randy German

(far left) Mr. German greatly enjoys advising the Varsity D Club because it provides a break from his regular classes.

Mrs. Shelly Humphrey

(left) "Sunshine Society will always hold a special place in my heart, filled with wonderful memories of some really special girls. Keep smiling and stay Sunshining!"

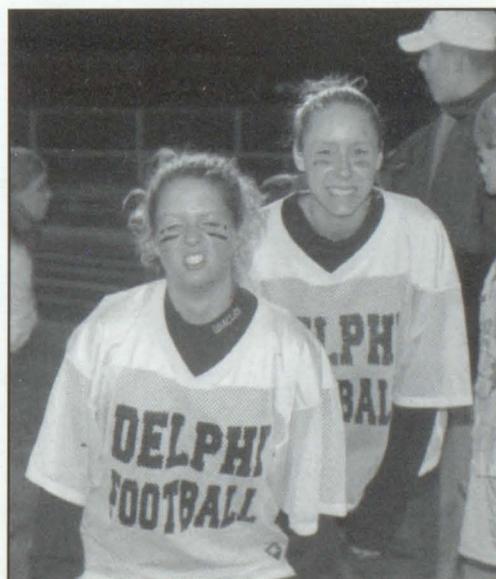
Mrs. Lynn Atwood

"I enjoy working with all the S.A.D.D. members especially around semi-formal time. It's a lot of fun decorating for the dance, and all of the students work really hard."

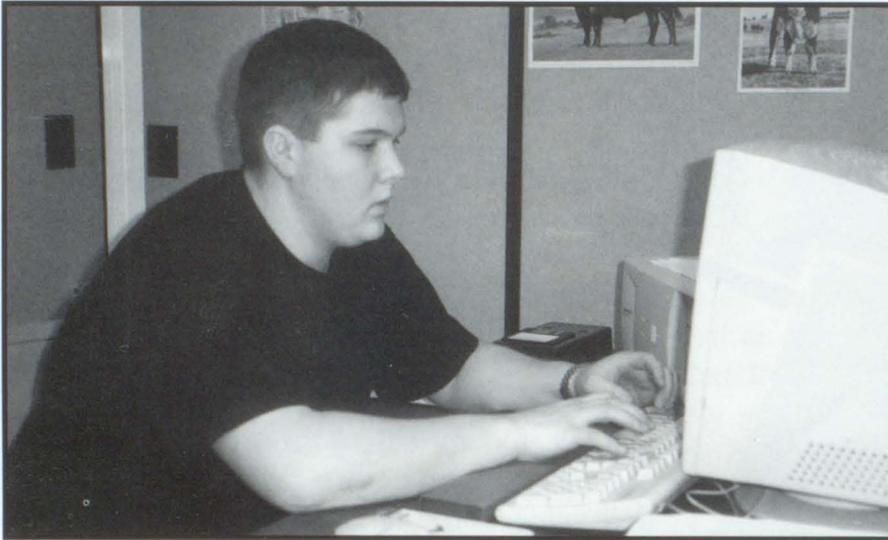
Varsity D

(below left) On his way to make the dreaded deliveries, senior Cooper Lacy poses with one of his Christmas wreaths, part of Varsity D's annual fund-raiser.

(below) Juniors Amber Spitznogle and Desiree Nipple are ready for action out on the field of the Powder Puff game.



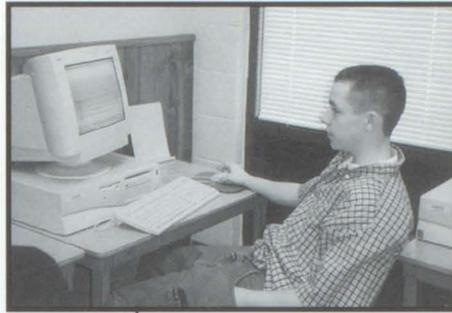
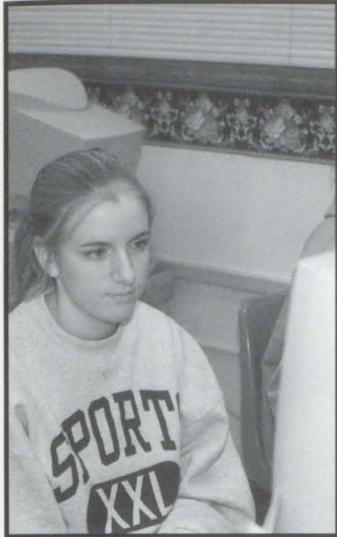
Adam Duff works on a project for the parliamentary procedure team. This year Adam competed in many different categories and placed very well.



Sam Heise cleans up his tools before leaving his class. Sam knows Mr. Striebeck's saying, "If you've got time to lean you've got time to clean."



Amber Lucas diligently works on the computer to get her work done by the end of the hour.



Colt Chapman concentrates hard while he learns how to better his test taking skills.



(above) Matt Peters, enjoys his day out of school. Matt went as an FFA member to the Rivers and Streams Day to get samples of water and test them.

(left) J.D. Ragan works hard in his drafting class. J.D. said, "I like this class because it's fun, yet challenging."

Learning For Life

Exploring hands-on-education does not consist of kissing your boyfriend or girlfriend in the hallway. DCHS maintains a hands off policy everywhere but in the classroom. Automotive, Tech classes and business courses are all programs provided for students with a variety of options to explore different fields beyond the conventional classroom setting.

The Tech classes let the students use practical aspects needed for everyday life such as building and designing, while business courses let a student learn more about computer applications in general. Each program provides the students with new and exciting opportunities to help them with the new and ever changing technology of the future.

•Heather Haygood

Karen Wertz sits painting at the canal. "Painting landscapes outside was a definite change from painting inside," she said.



Celsie Myers dips a cookie in her milk in her World History class. "I love Oreos!" Celsie said after challenging Mr. Miller and losing.



Cassie Hankins sits working in her U.S. History class. "The one piece of advice I can offer students is to take notes!" she said.



Sarah Houser makes herself comfortable while painting in the woods of the canal. "It was a relaxing time, and it was nice to be outside," said Sarah.

Connecting to

Classic Culture

It's a sure thing that Art and Social Sciences are two subjects here at DCHS that help us connect to classic culture. For example, art is all about expressing yourself and who you are. It's also an important part of our history. Learning about where we came from and the events in the lives of our ancestors certainly shapes our personality today. Understanding your history is a great way to get an aspect of the arts today.

Events of the Past and Artists of the Future



Mr. Seurnyck teaches his U.S. History Class. "Watching the students grow is one of the best parts of teaching. If I get the chance to meet them later in life, it's great to see they realize that what I taught them was true. I'm very proud of the kids," he said.

A(left) t the beginning of the school year, artist Lynn Thomsen visited the art classes for a week. Here, she is painting with Beau Price and Abbie VanSickle. Mrs. Thomsen introduced oil painting, and the classes had the chance to paint a still life while at the canal.

by Lauren Maxwell

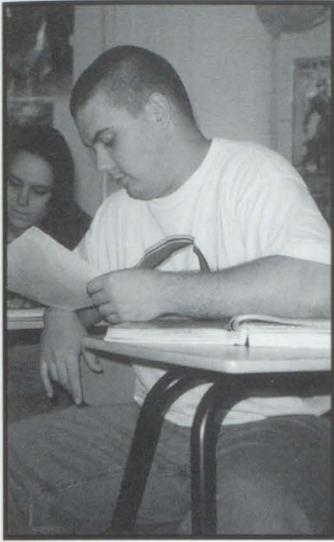
Heath Kahler, Alex Currie, Nick Tyner, and Seth Seward play twister as part of the annual French Club Halloween party.



Hilary Fassnacht joins in on the Mardi Gras celebration for French. Each year the French students decorate the halls for this festive occasion.



Jared Cree joins in with good class participation during Spanish. This is Jared's third year in Spanish.



Nicole Cox follows along with the daily lesson. Nicole said, "My favorite thing about being in Spanish is when we play games and cook Spanish food."

HOW WORLDS

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**• MATT
BURTON**

Language is an important part of our everyday lives, yet many of us don't give it a second thought. It is necessary to communicate thoughts, feelings, and opinions with others that surround us as our world grows today.

The Foreign language classes and clubs do many different activities such as field trips, cooking, caroling, mini class skits, and parties.

This year the Spanish Club has went to dinner at Don Pablos and Pepes. They have also had pinata parties and test tasting days in class as well.

The French Club and classes have done several activities this year as well. They have gone to the John Purdue Room, and a fondue restaurant for dinner, had a cheese testing day, went caroling, and last summer they went to Quebec, Canada to explore the French heritage.

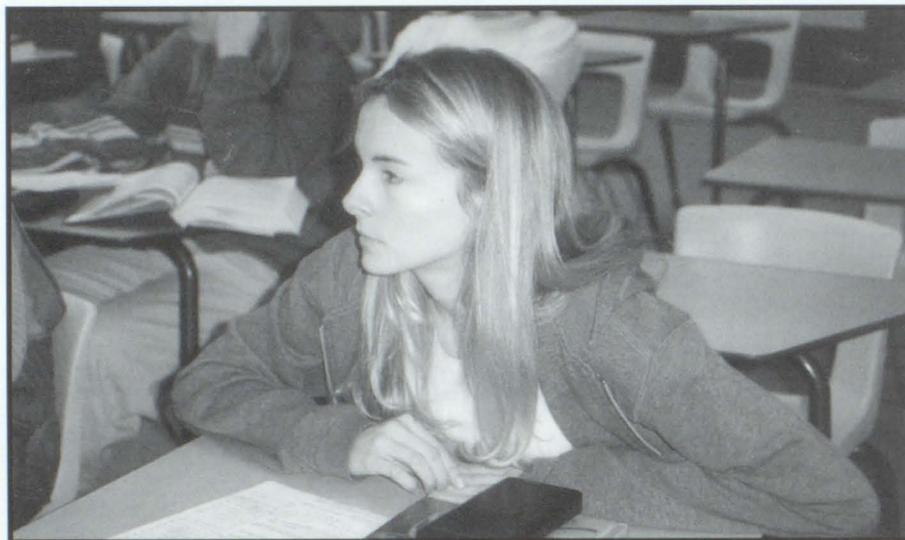
• HEATHER HAYGOOD



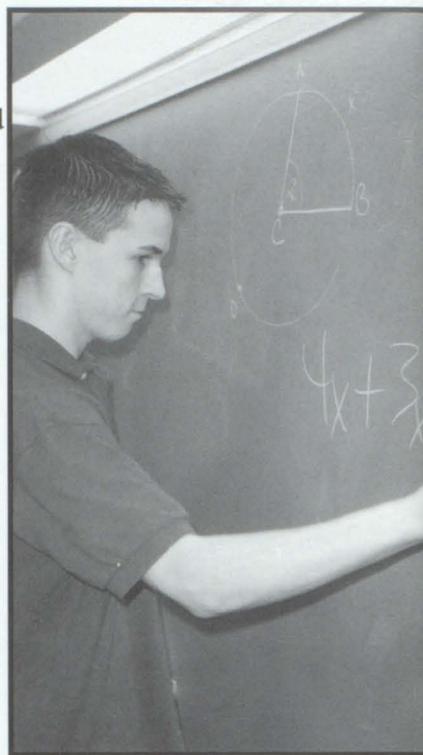
Lindsey Maxwell giggles as she looks around at all the other French Club members dressed up for the Halloween party.

Erin Hallett, Laina Hutsell, Erin Duff, and Stephanie Friedrichson enjoy their meal at Don Pablos. This is one of many events the Spanish club scheduled.

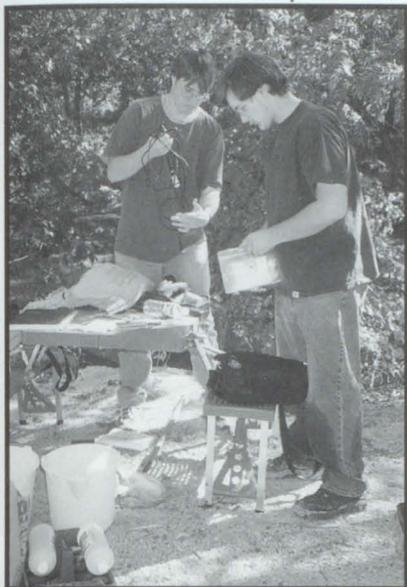
Carissa German laboriously concentrates on Mr. Tyner as he teaches Trigonometry to an inquisitive group of students.



Ashley Lucas ponders on a particularly difficult algebra equation. Ashley is in Mr. Atwood's class and enjoys having a lot of his friends there to make math "bearable".



Gathering up their scientific instruments, Marc Galimore and Neil Schlink prepare to return back to the school after a hard day on their Rivers and Streams trip.



Jennifer Baxter (above) tries to smile at one of Mr. Mathis' jokes. Sometimes this task proved to be quite difficult.

The Physics students and the Advanced Senior English class (left) participated in the annual Fermi Lab trip, as seen here posing in the Fermi Lab lobby.



Mr. Matise, Mr. Janowiak's student teacher, hesitates a moment before answering a student's question concerning his personal life. Many students found it useful to ask younger student teachers about life on their own.

SCIENCE

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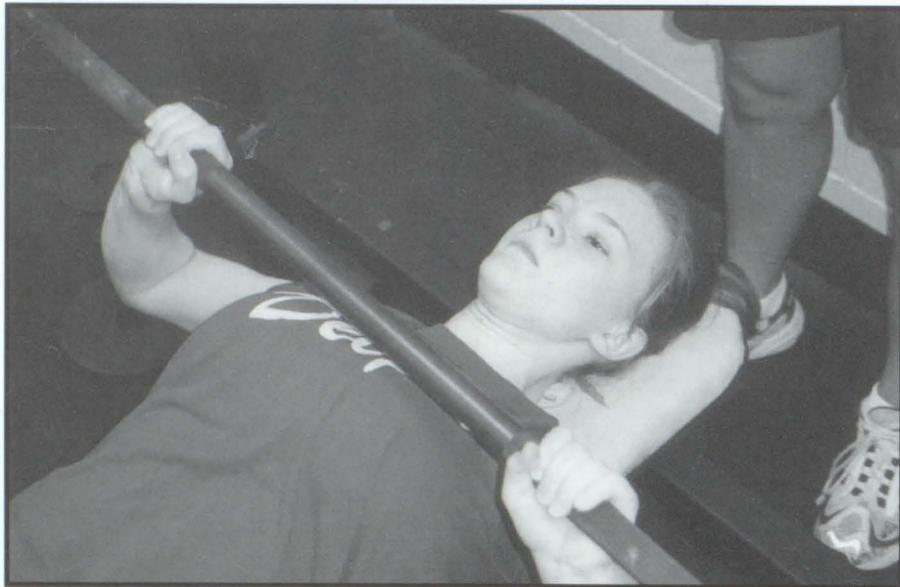
WHEN WILL
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STUFF??

How will these skills ever be applicable to our lives? This is a question asked by several students while sitting through a lecture trying to force their brains to absorb information about vectors, mitosis, and proton accelerators. Even though there seems to be little or no use for the complicated formulas and mechanisms studied, it is inevitable that they will come up somewhere in students' everyday lives, whether they realize it or not.

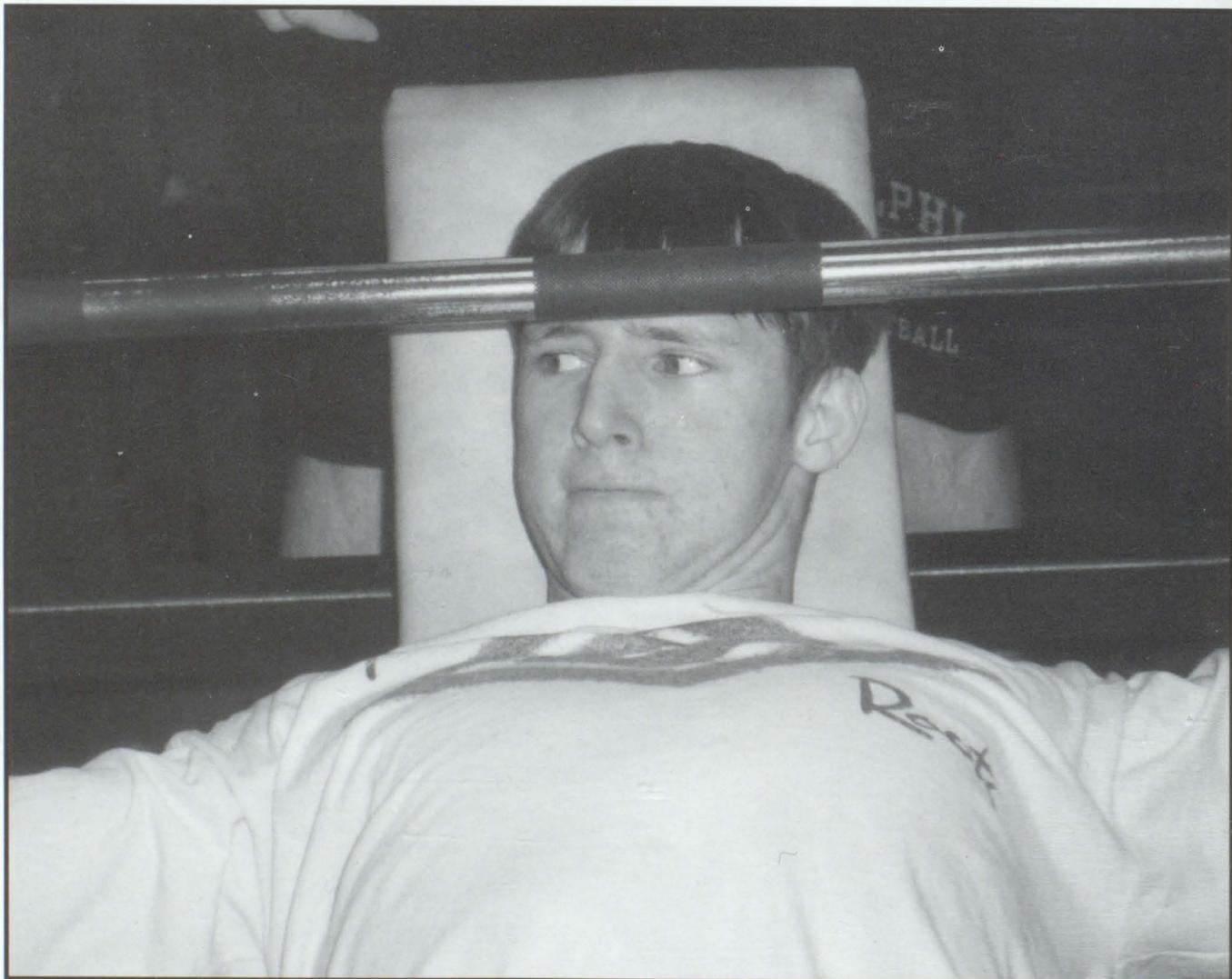
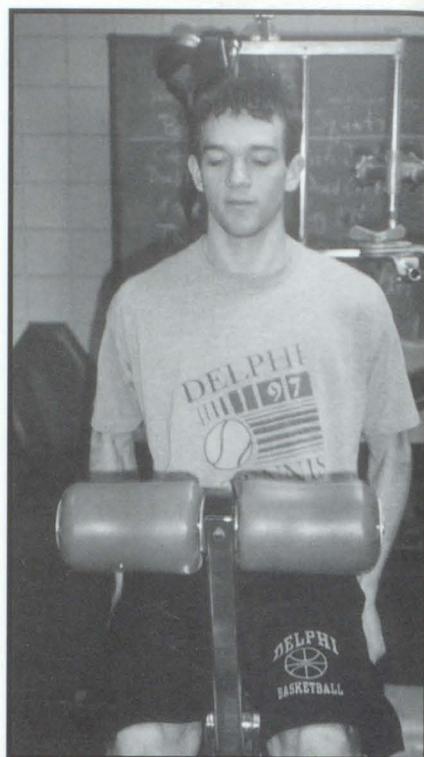
Many students choose to take the more advanced classes because it will help prepare them for college if they're getting a science or math degree. Others simply decide to challenge themselves. Regardless of the reason why students take these classes, it is unavoidable; every student that passes through these halls will have to have at least one or two science and math classes. So sit back, relax, and try to enjoy learning about the number of outer electrons in an atom of Boron.

•KINZIE BRUMMETT

(below) Cindy Minnicus concentrates hard while trying to bench press 100 lbs. "My goal is to stay conditioned during the off season," comments Cindy.



(right) Phillip Zink works hard on strengthening his leg muscles for tennis. Phillip commented, "This gives me a break from my other classes."



(below) Amanda Varcadipone practices mouth to mouth on a C.P.R. dummy. Amanda commented, "It was so embarrassing!"



(above) Nichole Welsh does chest compressions on a C.P.R. baby. Nichole commented, "It was weird sucking face with a dummy all day!"

(left) Micheal Heise makes one heck of a face while doing an incline bench press. Michael commented, "The whole reason for A.P.C. is to get stronger."



(left) Scott McNeany smiles while in standard position for a push-up. Scott commented, "I'm in A.P.C. to stay in shape for tennis and baseball, and even if I didn't play sports, I would still be in it."

Bigger, Stronger,

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•Mr. Burpo

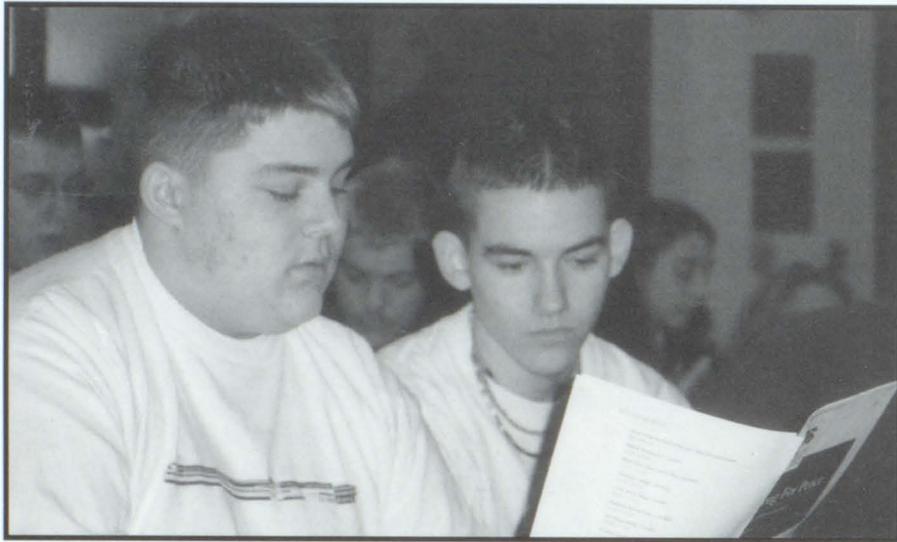
What do you think of when you hear the words "Health" and "P.E."? Do you think of running and C.P.R.? Well, you are exactly right. Most high school students dread hearing those exact words. To add a little sparkle, the high school offers students three different options for P.E. The students can choose to take regular P.E. or they can choose A.P.C. (Advanced Physical Conditioning) during the school year. They also offer summer P.E. for those students who hate to run. Such activities as horse-back riding, tennis, four-mile bike rides and bowling are just a few of the fun activities in the summer curriculum.

Health is also one of the many requirements students must tackle during their years at Delphi.

Although many students try to avoid these classes, it is impossible to do because in order to graduate, the students must put in their time!

•Daisha Foster

A Capella singers Tony Richards and Jason Hawkins sight read during first period choir.



Nick Young (right) enjoys playing the saxophone in band because he gets to be with his friends and spread the joy of music.



Entertainers member Malachi Jagers is caught in the middle of a song.



Entertainers members show off their beautiful voices during the Winter Choir Concert.

DCHS BAND & CHOIRS SPEAK UP

A Sound Step...

under the direction of Mr. Granlund

- One time at band camp... "I swallowed a live cricket and got \$2. It just doesn't get any better than that!" -Blaine Burton.
- Jenny Mayfield stated, "It was a hectic season, with contest and games, but being Drum Major was a lot of fun. It was really great to lead a group that worked hard and pulled together!"
- Underclassmen voted Chris Stokdyk as who they look up to in the band. Mandy Wertz said, "Chris is who I look up to because no matter what the situation, he can find the fun in it!"
- Emily Zink stated, "The best part of band is hanging out with your friends and acting weird, but it doesn't matter because every one else is too."

Singing Stars...

under the direction of Mr. Kayser

- I like choir because you get to sing and be with your friends at the same time. We also travel to places, to perform and take really cool trips every two years. - Andy Wagoner
- Cindy Minnicus tells us about Mr. Kayser's ties... "I swear he doesn't wear the same one twice... and don't even get me started on the designs."
- Tracy Brown commented about an embarrassing moment, "One concert, Katie & I were at the top of the Little Theater with who we thought were other A Capella singers. It turned out that they were Concert Choir & we were supposed to be on stage, already singing!"
- When asked for plans after high school, Entertainer member, Tony Richards said he is planning to major in entertainment and singing.



Amber Disinger (above) commented, "This year my goal was to not be negative at band camp, and I actually enjoyed it."

Cot Chapman (left) cracks a smile while playing the drums during a boy's basketball game.

• **Kyla Ross**

Sophomore Shana Propes flashes a brilliant smile while performing hand routines prior to the varsity basketball game.



Andrea Newhart eagerly awaits for her turn in the Jr. Poms routine.



Kira Larimore



*1999-2000 Poms Squad
Daisha Foster, Kinzie Brummett, Kandi Groninger, Alicia Johnson, Sara Bentley; (second row) Robyn Fisher, Kandice Cripe, Andrea Newhart, Kira Larimore, Lindsey Brodar, Jade Maxwell; (back row) Megan Horn, Jennifer Hughes, Shana Propes, Celsie Myers, Kari Cripe, Amanda Overmyer, and Danielle Striebeck.*



Poms

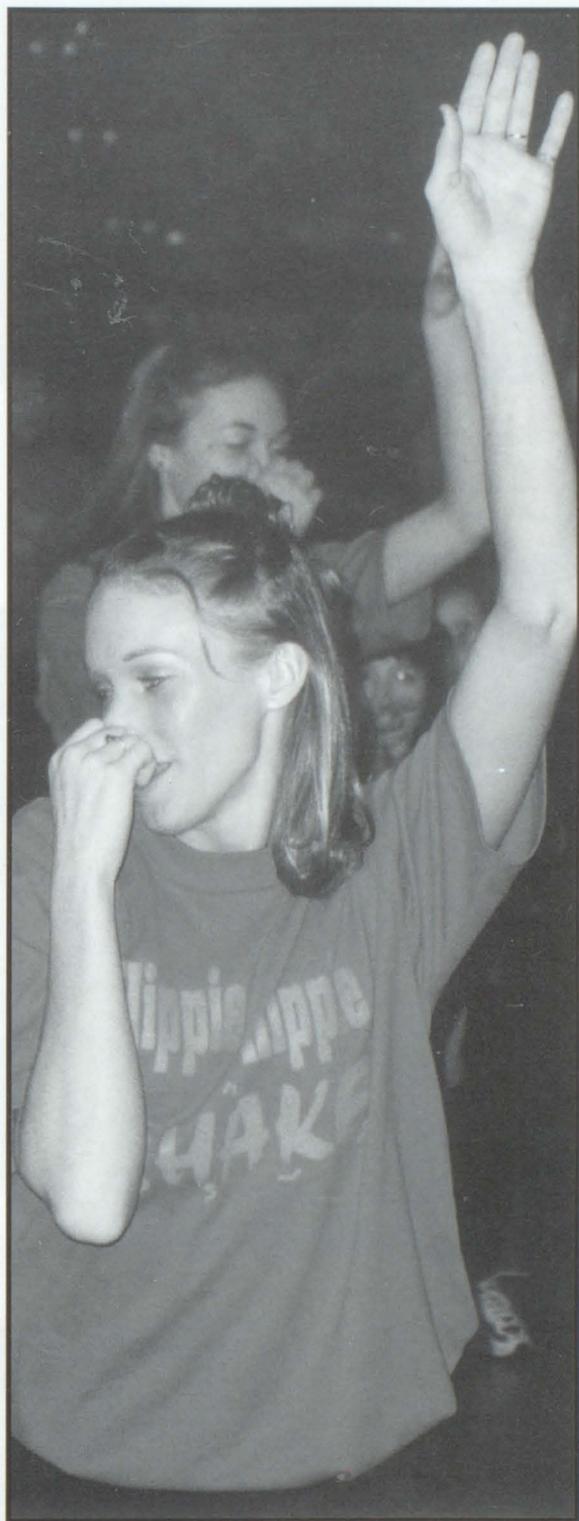
Another season of change rolled around at the beginning of the summer as the DCHS Poms began their year long quest to dazzle the fans at all home football and basketball events. The season began as the squad prepared to attend dance camp in July and band camp in August. Along with the band, the Poms competed in marching band contests during the fall season.

Basketball season was full of early morning practices, glasses of cappuccino, and hard work. As a squad, the Poms choreographed their routines to better focus on all aspects of dance. The season will conclude with a spectacular trip to perform in New York City, where once again, the girls will dazzle the crowds with their smiles.

•Kandice Cripe



Robyn Fisher



Alicia Johnson helps a Jr. Pom perfect her dance. This year 130 elementary school aged students enrolled in the Annual Jr. Pom Performance fundraiser event between a Jr. Varsity and Varsity home game.



1999-2000 Captains (left to right) Dance: Kandice Cripe and Danielle Striebeck; Flags: Kandi Groninger and Kinzie Brummett

(below) Jamie Brummett, Megan Hall, Christy Kayser, and Trisha Hill want to say thanks to Mrs. Atwood and Mrs. Kingery for coaching. "Not only were they great coaches, but they were great friends too. They were the best two coaches we have ever had," they said.



(below) Ali Bieghler is lifted into the air by Jenny Morrow, Kristi Gill, and Shalyn Wilson. Kristi had some advice for future cheerleaders. "Don't drop your flyer (person on top) or you will have to run 20 laps!" she said.



(middle) Erin Mills, Karen Maxwell, Ashley Wagoner, Kristle Flood, Ashley Garrison, Tonya Brooks, Misty Walker, and Heather Davis pose at a football game. "Cheerleading was fun because I got to talk to people that I wouldn't normally talk to, and I met a lot of new friends," said Ashley.



(right) Megan Hall cheers on the crowd. "One of the funniest times in cheerleading was when we were being chased by a gang of guys with video cameras after one of the games!" she said.



(right) Tonya Brooks, Misty Walker, and Heather Davis all flash a smile. "One of the funniest times ever was when these guys mooned the school van on the way back from a football game," said Misty.



Cheers and Chants



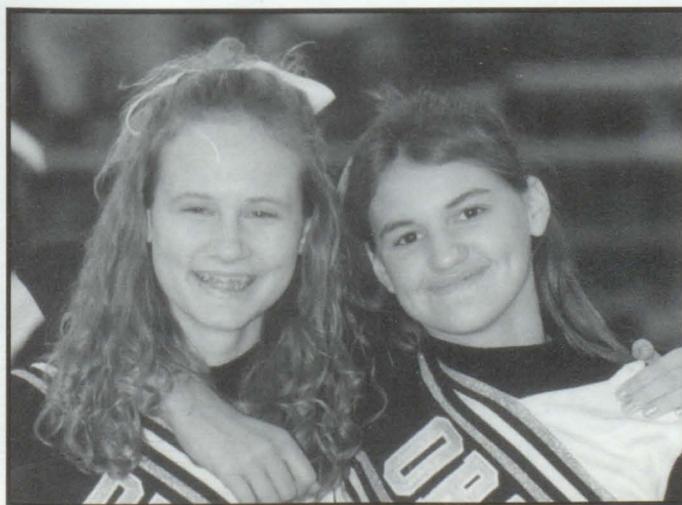
(left) Erin Mills cheers for the football team. "I really enjoyed cheerleading because the little kids really look up to you, and it's fun being in the public eye," she said.

Keeping the Spirit Alive

Carwashes, mini-camp, and spirit banners are only a few ways that the DCHS cheerleaders take charge. Leading the school in spirit, the girls are extremely

dedicated in their work. When Mrs. Atwood was asked about coaching, she said, "I really enjoyed working with the cheerleaders. They were a great bunch of girls, and I think that they all developed really close friendships."

•Lauren Maxwell



(left) Ashley Wagoner and Kristle Flood say "cheese" at a DCHS football game. "It was so hot out that we started dumping water on each other," stated Ashley, remembering cheerleading camp.



(left) Jenny Morrow shows her spirit at a basketball game. "I didn't think that I would really like cheerleading, but I ended up finding a part of me that I didn't know existed," she stated.

Notorious

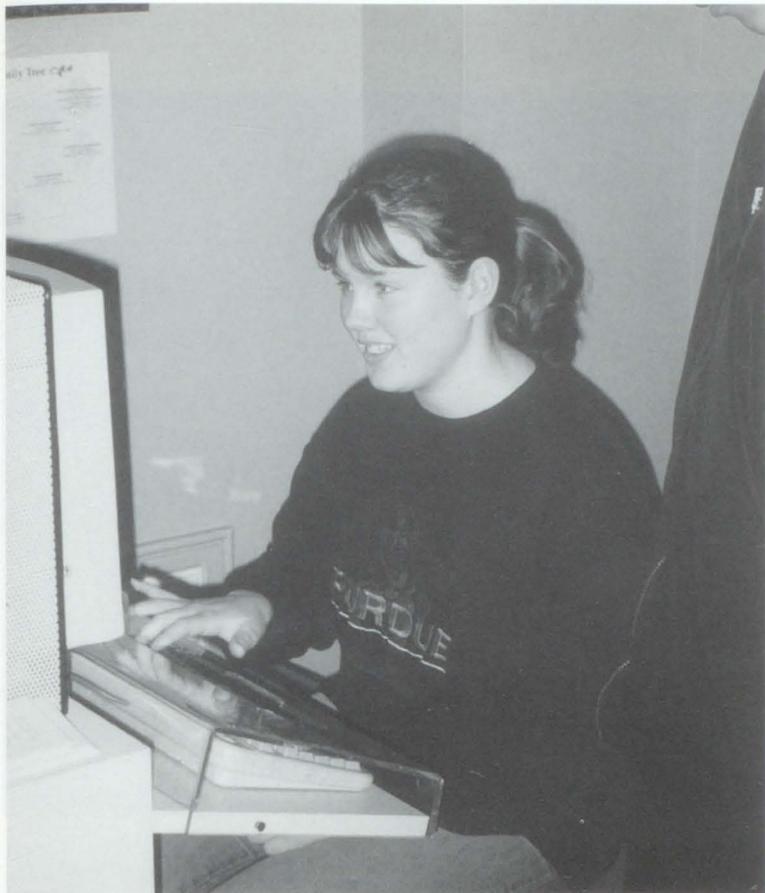
The underclassmen are simply notorious because of the "mug shots" that they are represented by in this yearbook, but to many of the upperclassmen, these students are notorious for being teammates, siblings, and even close friends. In a school of approximately one hundred students per class, it is easy to understand why so many of the students have friends in the various grade levels.

For three years, the underclassmen anxiously await the day that they will be able to reign the school as top dog, but until that day, they remain known to the seniors as "underclassmen". So whether it is on the court, in the classroom, or on wild weekend nights, these underclassmen will always remain...Notorious.



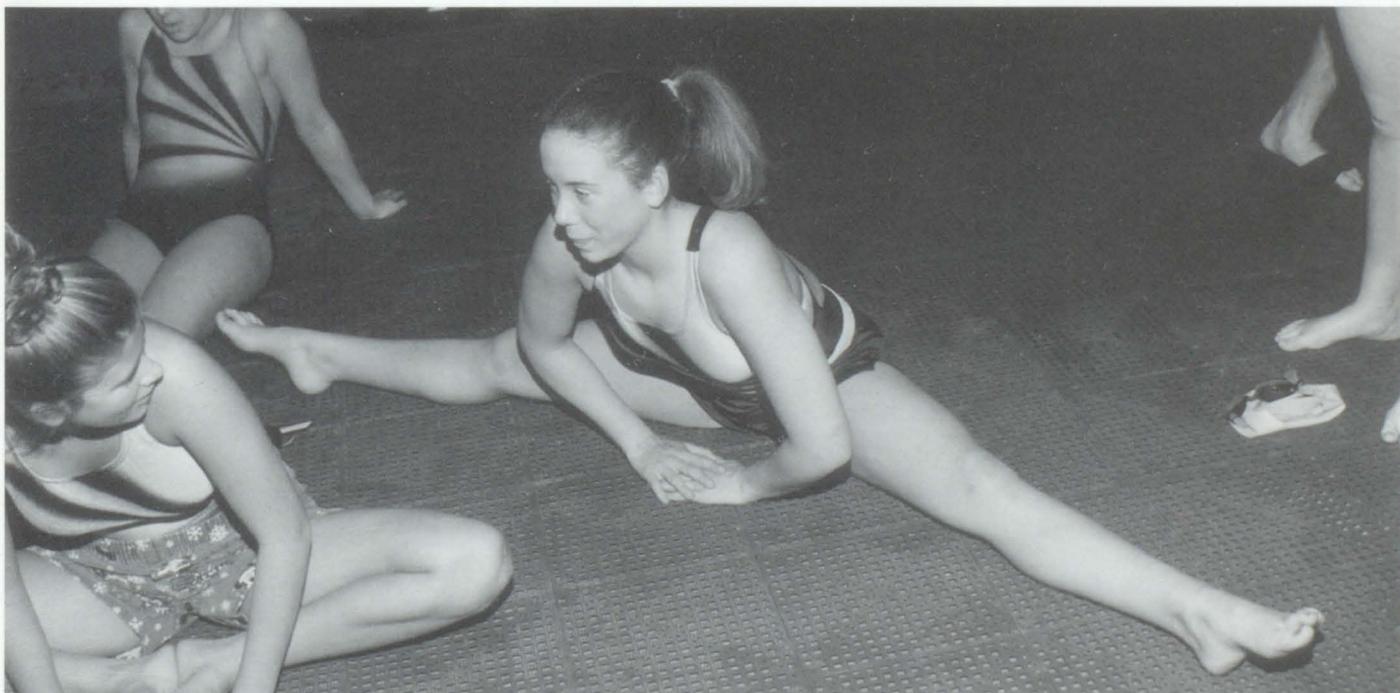
(left) Darrell Loy
(middle) Lizzi Waymire
(right) Mandy Wertz





(left) Natasha Walker works quickly on the computer to get her work done.

(below) While on vacation, Richelle Herriman decides to be funny and play on the childrens' toys.



(above) Jade Maxwell shows Brandi Nichols her flexibility as they stretch out together before their swim meet.

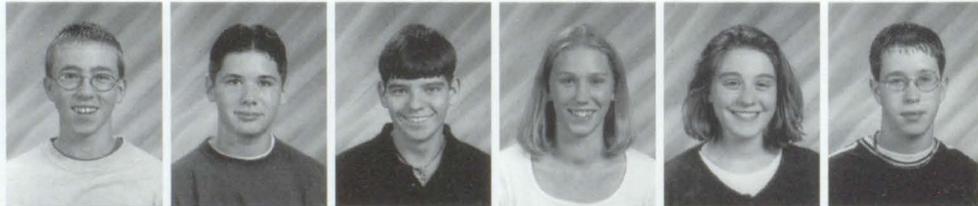
Freshmen

The freshmen class officers are Secretary Morgan Myers, Treasurer Alex Currie, Vice President Jade Maxwell, and President Amanda Miller. From decorating the halls for homecoming to raising money for scholarships, these students keep our school running smoothly.



• Lauren Maxwell

Eric Alder
Todd Allen
Joey Bailey
Jennifer Barngrover
Jennifer Baxter
Aaron Beamer



Micah Bentley
Alexandrea Bieghler
Daniell Boyles
Justin Branum
Tabitha Breece
Ali Brewer



Brodie Brooks
Alex Brosman
Jamie Brown
Kristopher Brummett
Christopher Burkhardt
Shannon Burns



Matt Burton
Monica Cadwallader
Mike Chadwell
Lisa Chafin
Amanda Christian
Amber Clawson



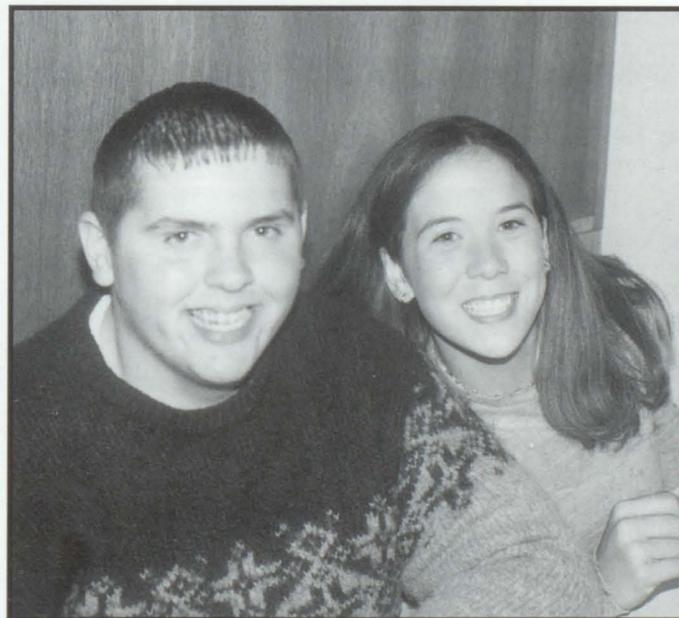
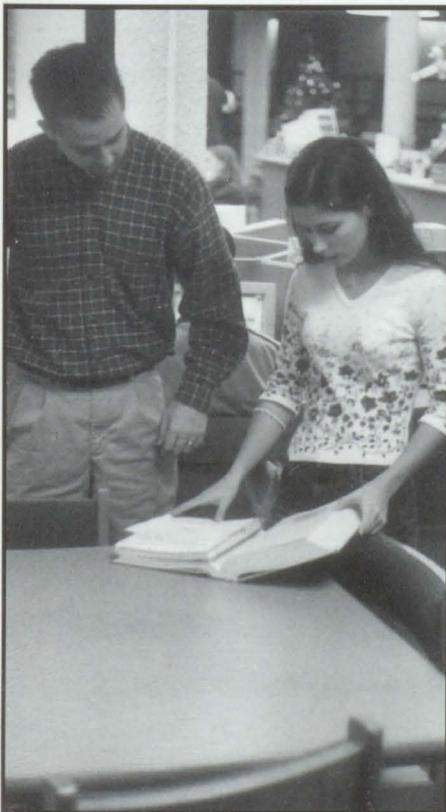


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 Francisco Colon
 Amanda Combs
 Yolanda Cull
 T.J. Cunningham

Alex Currie
 Jon Curts
 Cameron Draper
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 Krista Eiler

Mark Emerson
 Trisha Enoch
 Hilary Fassnacht
 Jacqueline Fassnacht
 Ryan Finn
 Robyn Fisher

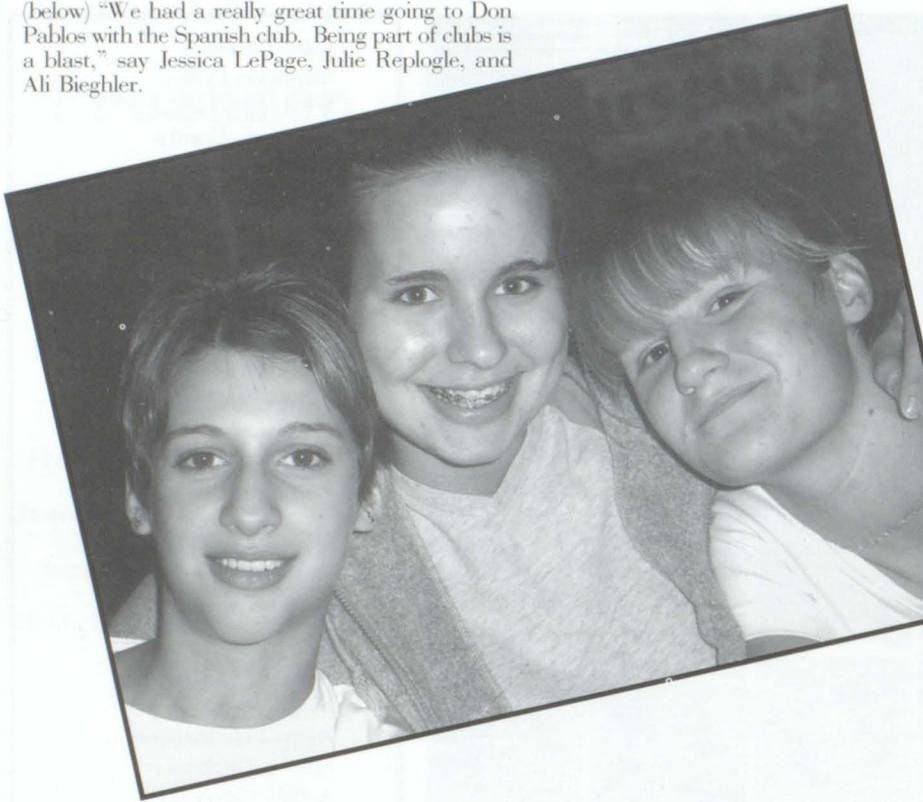
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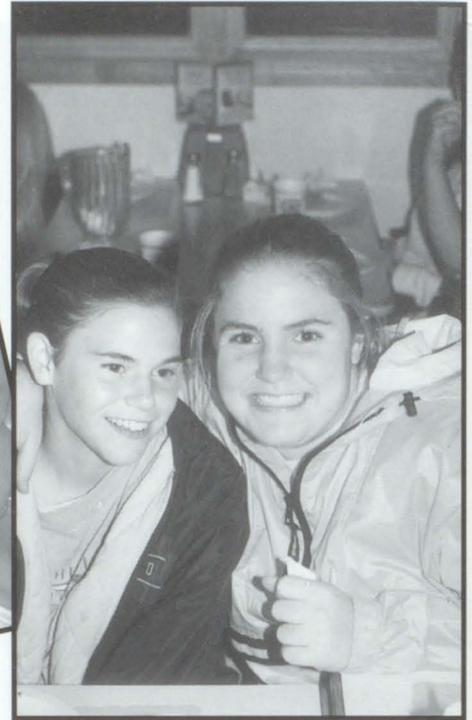
(above) At the Monical's band party Seth Graves and Jade Maxwell said, "At first band was really tough, but now it's okay."

(left) Robyn Fisher asks Mr. Jones for homework advice. "I usually wait until the last minute to start my homework, but I manage to get it done," she said.

(below) "We had a really great time going to Don Pablos with the Spanish club. Being part of clubs is a blast," say Jessica LePage, Julie Replogle, and Ali Bieghler.



(below) Erin Mills and Karen Maxwell take a second to say cheese while partying at the Monical's band party. "We had a great time," they said. "Listening to everyone tell wierd stories was fun."

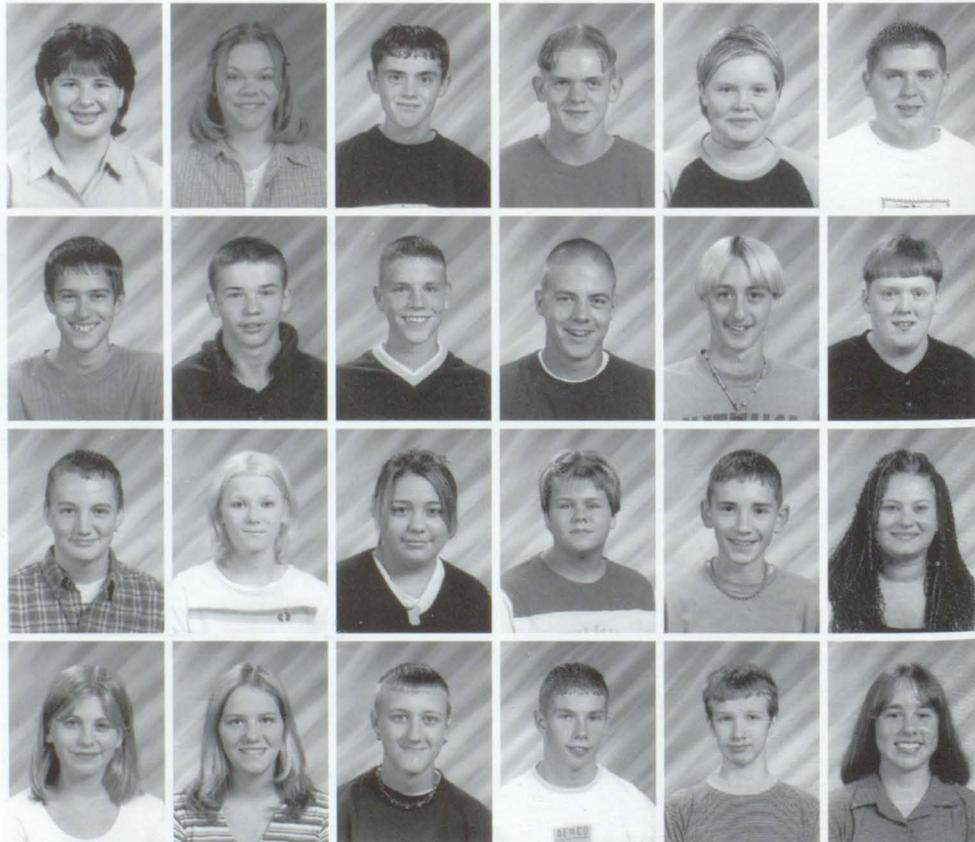


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 Jeremiah Gilman
 Corey Ginn
 Kerry Ginn
 Seth Graves

Wylan Graybill
 Michael Griffis
 Kole Groninger
 Charles Hallett
 Kevin Hammel
 Jeremy Hampton

Justin Hayden
 Natasha Herbst
 Melissa Hinojosa
 Sarah Hinton
 Jordan Hubbard
 Brandi Huddleston

Ashley Hughes
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 Dustin Johnson
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 Junior Johnson
 Winter Johnston





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 Silvia Leon Flores
 Jessica LePage
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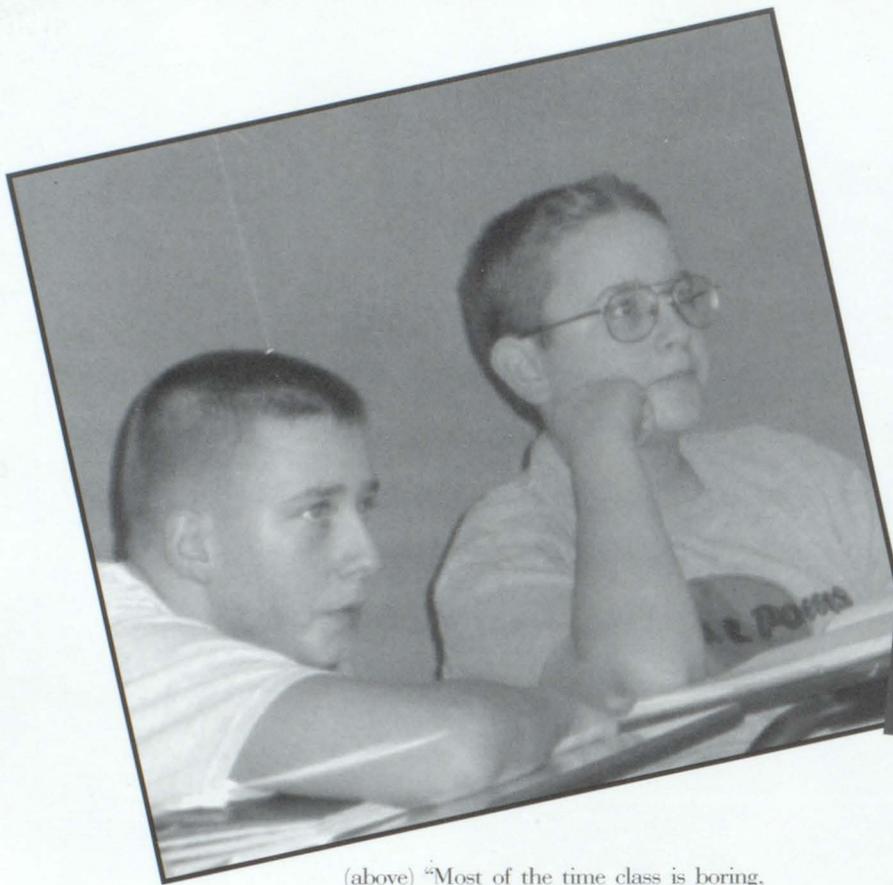
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Scott McNeany
 Amanda Miller
 Matthew Miller
 Erin Mills
 Cynthia Minnicus
 Chase Morrow

Sara Mullin
 Christopher Mullins
 Trista Mummert
 Morgan Myers
 Joey Newhart
 James Nipple



(left) Lisa Chafin looks up and flashes a smile while reading her newspaper. "I like to relax. Getting stressed out about stuff isn't my style," she says.



(above) "Most of the time class is boring, and we'd rather be at home sleeping, but sometimes the teachers can make class really interesting and fun," said Broadie Brooks and Nathan Stanley.



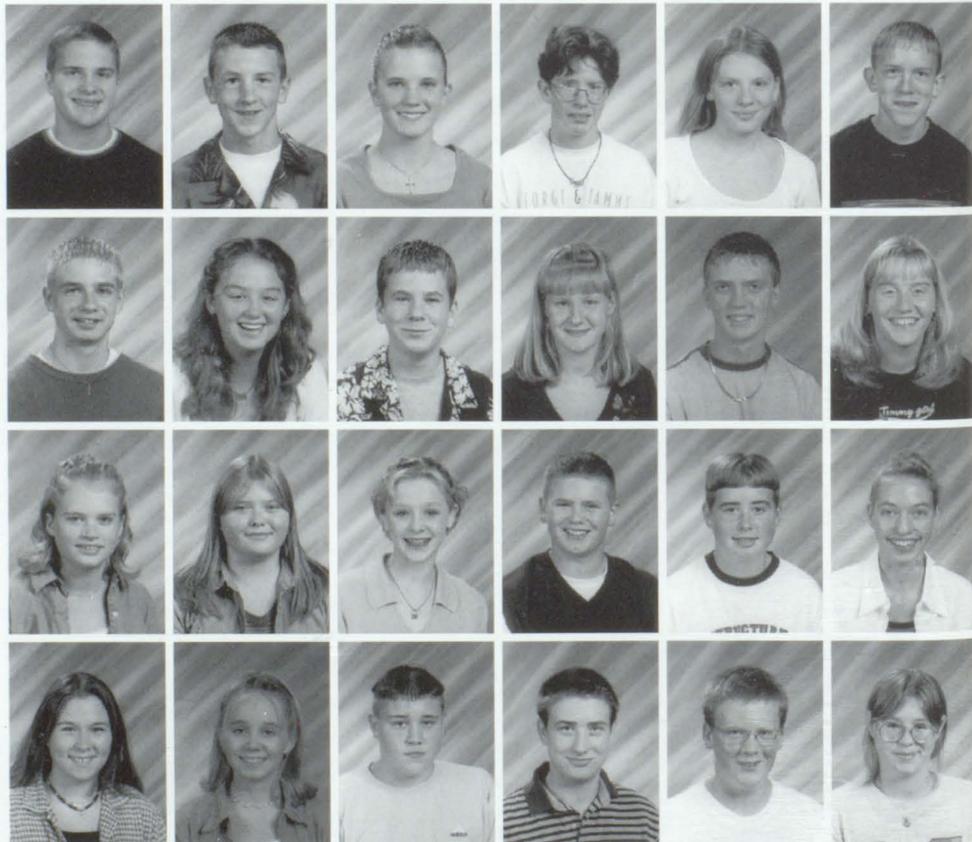
(above) "Taking part in school activities has been great. I've met so many new friends," says Joey Newhart.

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Amanda Penn
Anthony Perry

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Tara Pulawa
Christopher Remaly
Julie Replogle
Troy Robinette
Kayla Rossetter

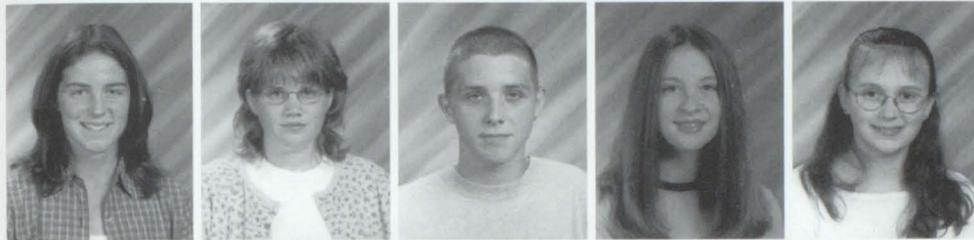
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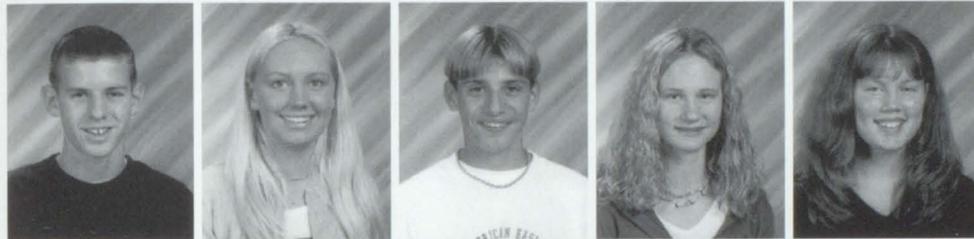




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 Scott Spitznagle
 Nathan Stanley
 Brent Stedman
 Seth Steward



Kaysee Stoner
 Ashley Striebeck
 Samuel Sutton
 Erienne Thomsen
 Jennifer Turner



Nicholas Tyner
 Amanda Varcadipone
 Richard Veach
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 Natasha Walker



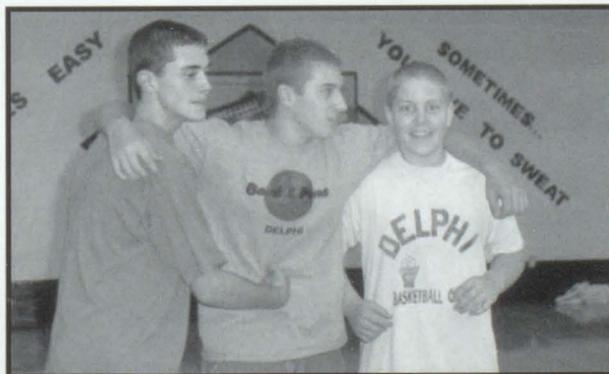
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 Jacob Warf
 Sandy Warthan
 Jason Webb
 Maggie Wertz



Abby White
 Jenna Whiteaker
 Jeffrey Williams
 Alissa Wilson
 Shalyn Wilson



Brandon Zarse



(above) Taking a break during APC, Jeremiah Gillman, Scott McNeany, and Jeff Williams play some basketball. "We like to shoot hoops and have fun," they said.

Not pictured:
 Samuel Allen
 Amber Fultz
 Jose Juan Herrera
 Daniel Howard
 John Huffer
 Joseph Lumley
 Soon Neff
 Michael Smith

The 2002 class officers are Treasurer Shana Propes, Vice President Kari Cripe, President Katie Wright, and Secretary Jennifer Hughes.

Sophomores

Your high school years are supposed to be the highlights of your teenage life, as some say. More fun, new friends, and freedom. But, that may not always be true. As sophomores, it's suppose to be a relaxation period, after being a freshman and dealing with the anticipation and stress of not knowing what to expect. Although, most students will say that their sophomore year is the hardest. The teachers aren't as lenient, homework is harder, and more maturity is expected of them. Stressful or fun, this sophomore class which is full of great personalities and school spirit, is definitely one that will make it through the good and bad times.

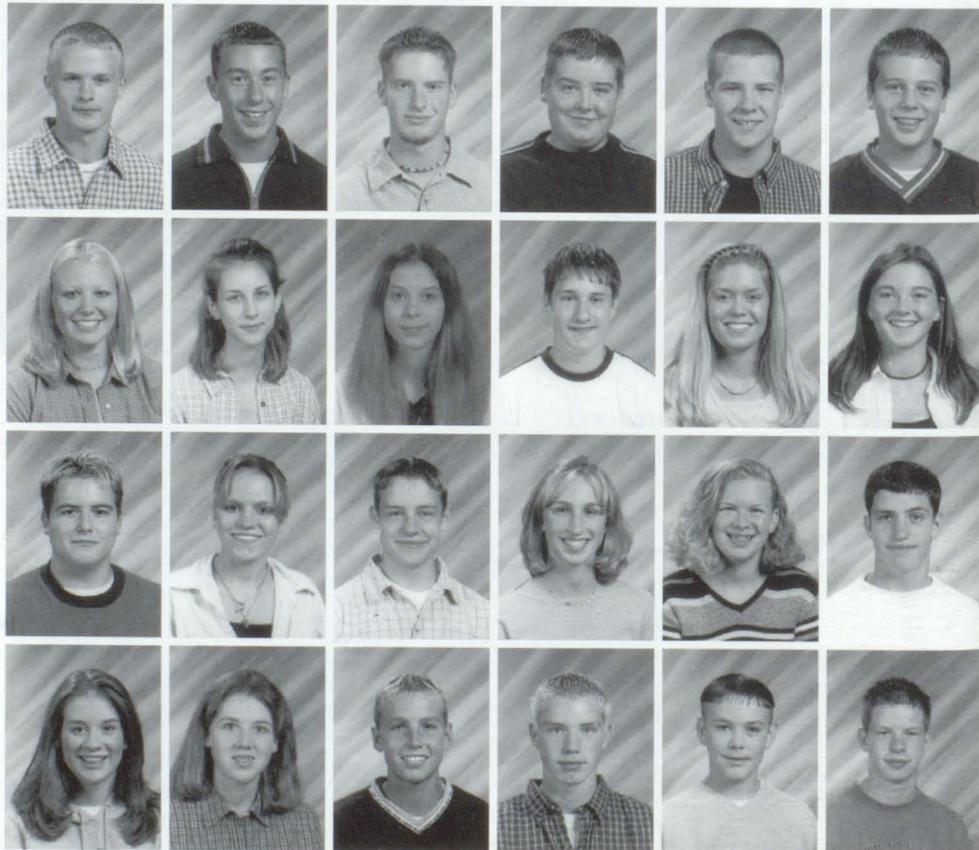
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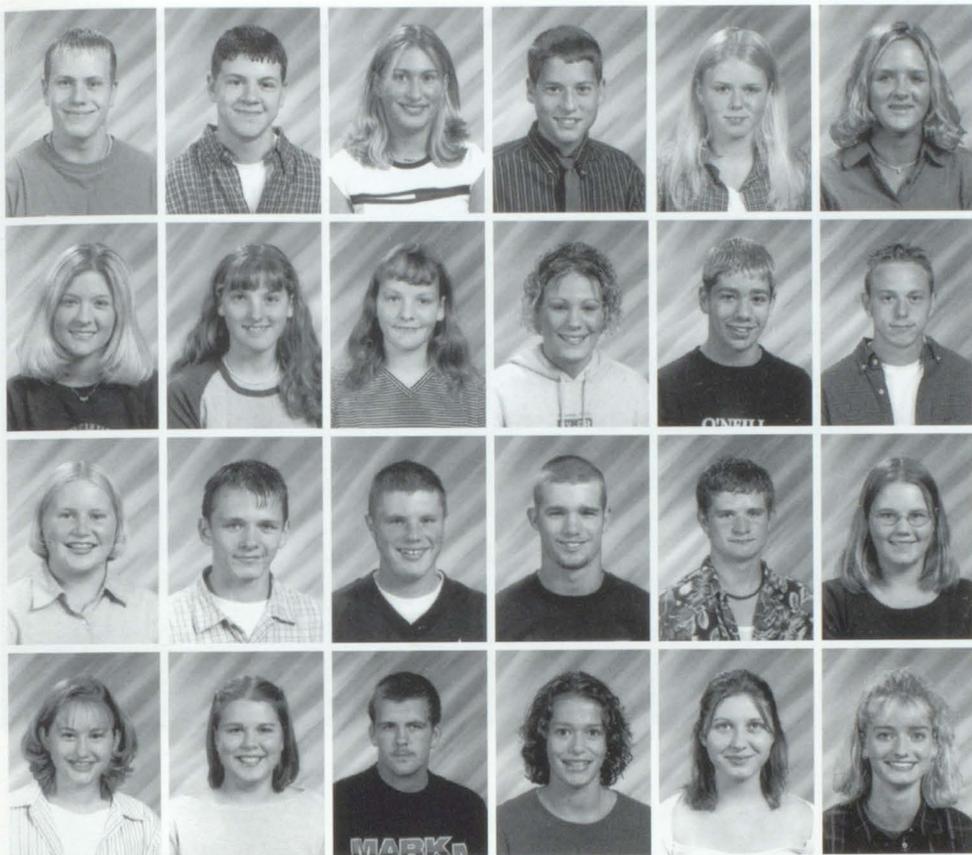
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Kari Burns

Grant Burton
Patricia Campbell
Colt Chapman
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Heather Davis
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Deven Fisher



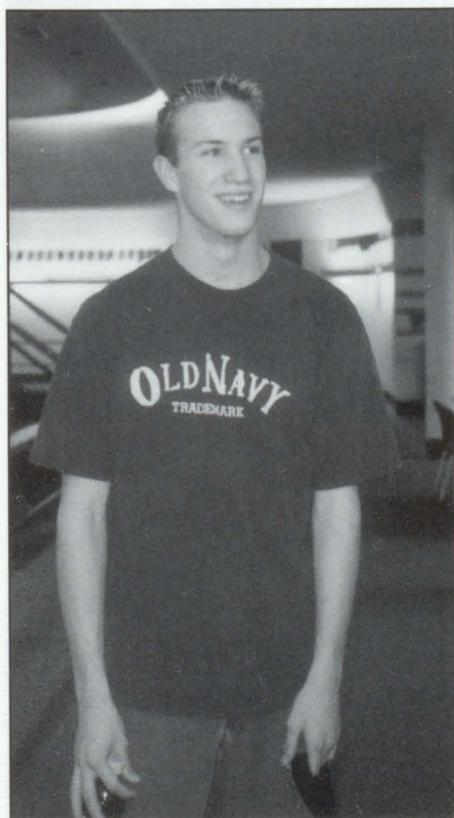


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 Niki Gray
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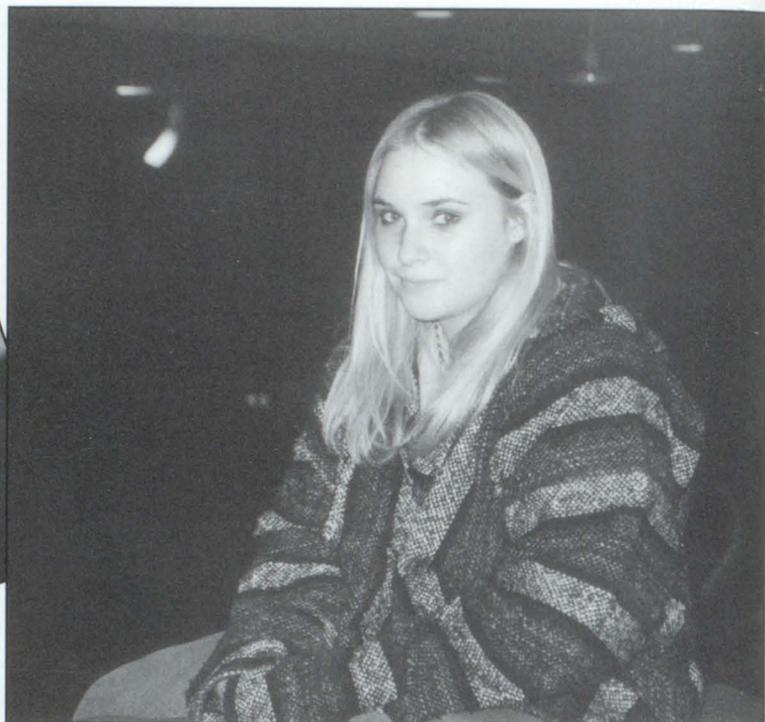


(above) Devin Fisher takes a break from his books during study hall.

(left) Like many students, Jeff Lauderdale is happy to hear the 3:15 bell, and yells to a friend.

(below) Heather Kesling takes the time to show her individuality.

(below) Jennifer Hughes commented, "The only good thing about being a sophomore is that I am only two years away from graduation!"



Julie Isley
Raymond Jewell
Christy Kayser
Heather Kesling
Justin Keys
Claire Lacy



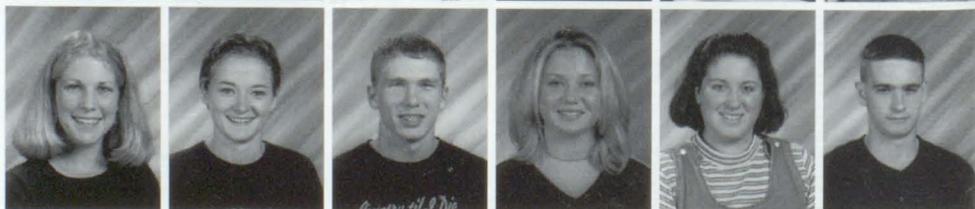
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Juan Martinez
Kyle Massengill
Lauren Maxwell
Megan McAninch

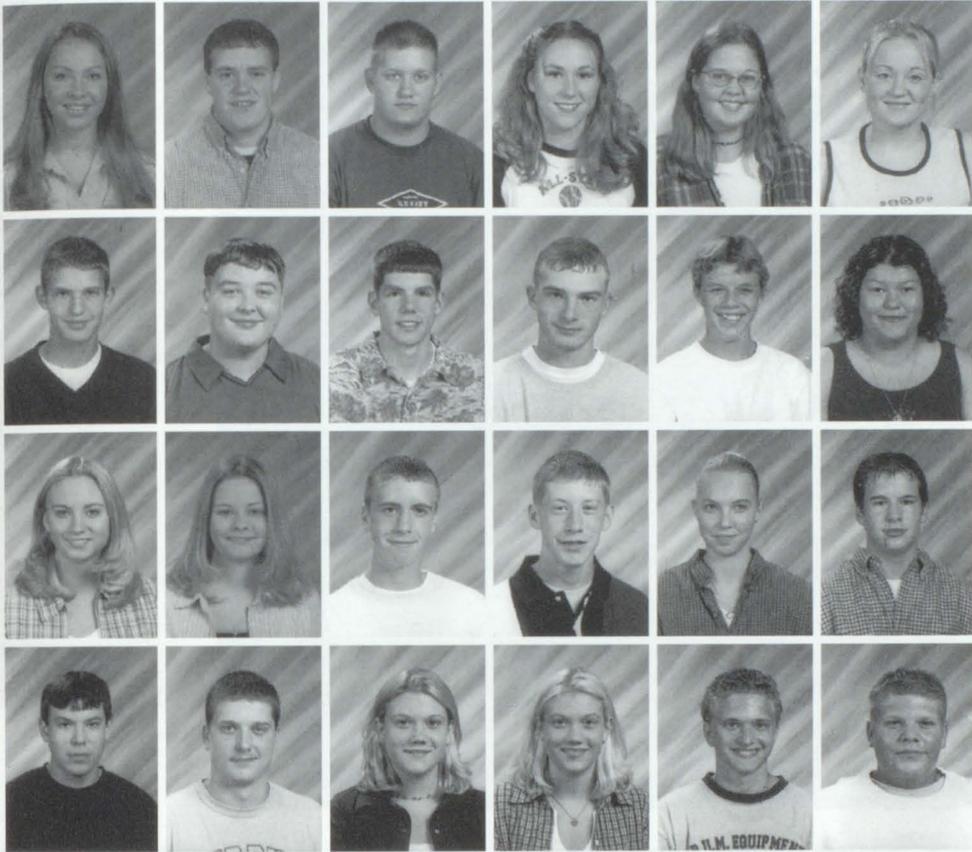


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Carrie Miller
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Celsie Myers
Angela Nelson
Joshua Nipple
Amanda Overmyer
Veronica Peek
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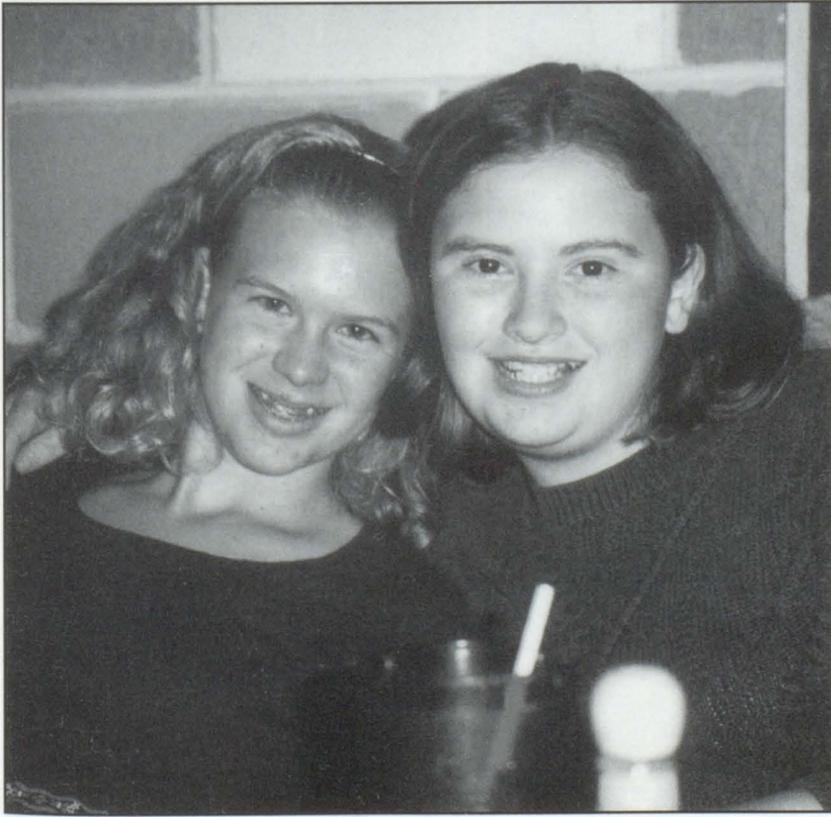


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 Victoria Randle
 Kayla Reed

Carey Reef
 Justin Resler
 Kory Ross
 Michael Rush
 Brian Rusk
 Sara Salermon

Brenda Scott
 Lindsey Serie
 Troy Shanks
 Andrew Smith
 Jessica Smith
 Lee Snavely

Christopher Snider
 Nick Stevens
 Jamie Stodgell
 Jennifer Stodgell
 Todd Stringer
 Billy Tabler



Heather Davis and Megan McAninch enjoy time away from school to chat and eat dinner at Monicals.



"Don't Date! Guys aren't
worthy and you have more
fun without them."

-Amanda Overmyer



"Eating Meat is
evil!"

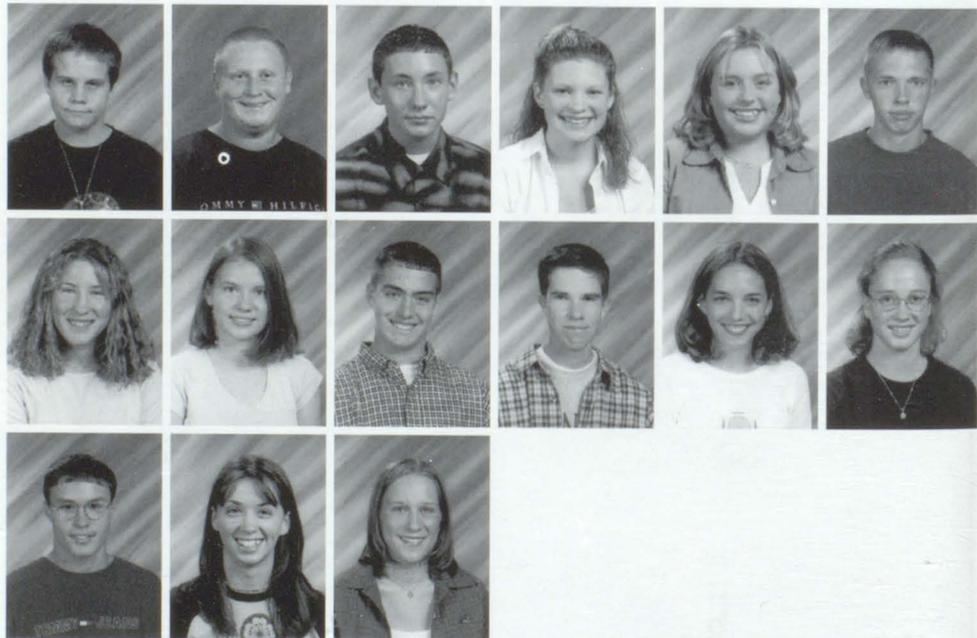
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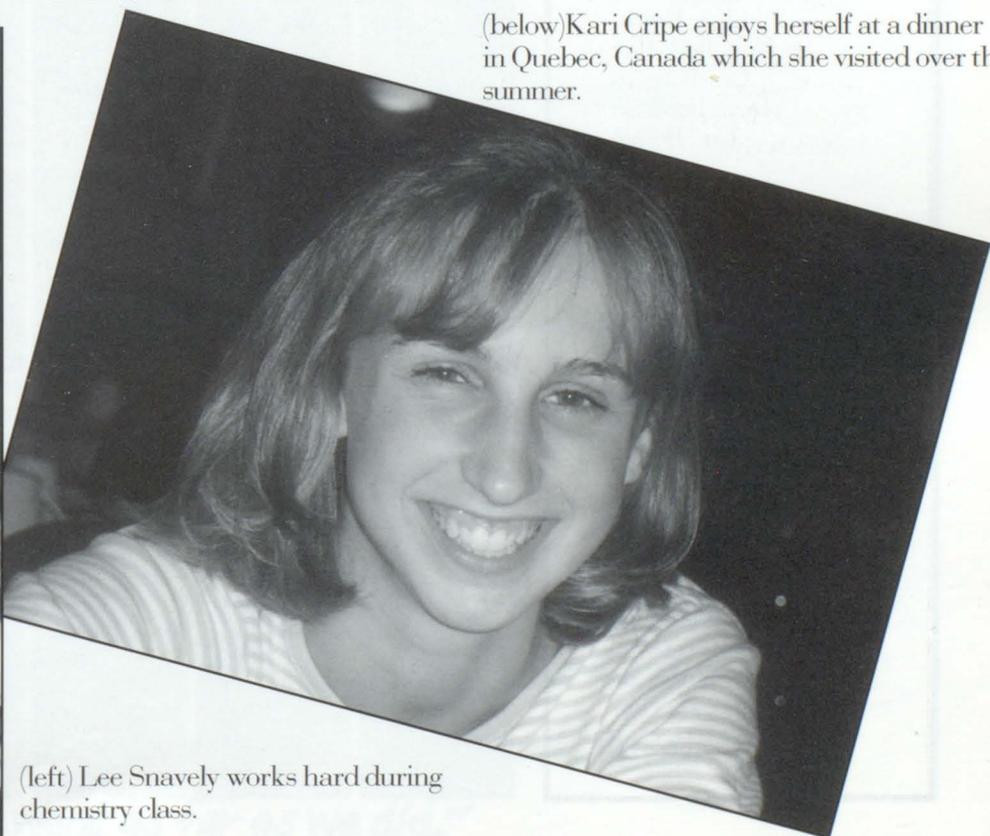
Not pictured:
Joshua Hicks
Brandon Wherley





(above) Angie Nelson, Christina Boone, Stacy Veach, Carrie Miller, Kari Burns, and Mrs. Tyner pose after playing a game of lazer tag in Montreal.

(below) Kari Cripe enjoys herself at a dinner in Quebec, Canada which she visited over the summer.



(left) Lee Snavelly works hard during chemistry class.

Class officers are President Nick Williams, Secretary Andrea Newhart, Vice President Brandi Nichols, and Treasurer Stephanie Sullivan.

Junior Class

Strong competitors would best describe the junior class. Whether it be through sports, dress up days, or decorating the class Christmas trees, these students give it there all!



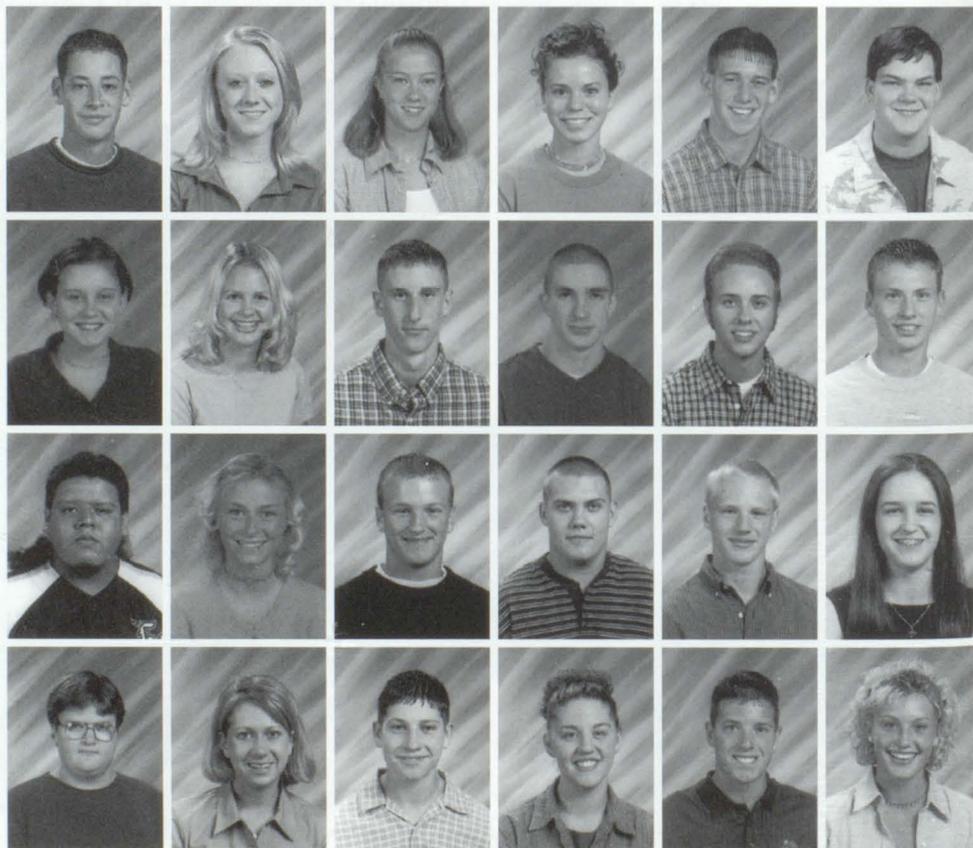
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Brian Callendar
Brian Casserly

Gabriel Castillo
Sarah Casto
Eric Coghill
Jared Cree
Ben Cripe
Lauren Criswell

Benjamin Cruz
Kyla Curts
Chip Dale
Erin Duff
Bryan Dunbar
Krysta Dunbar





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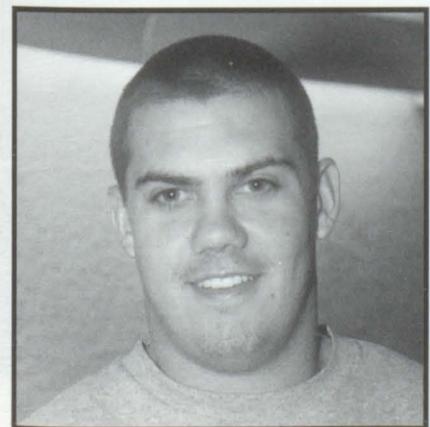
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Katherine Heffley stated,

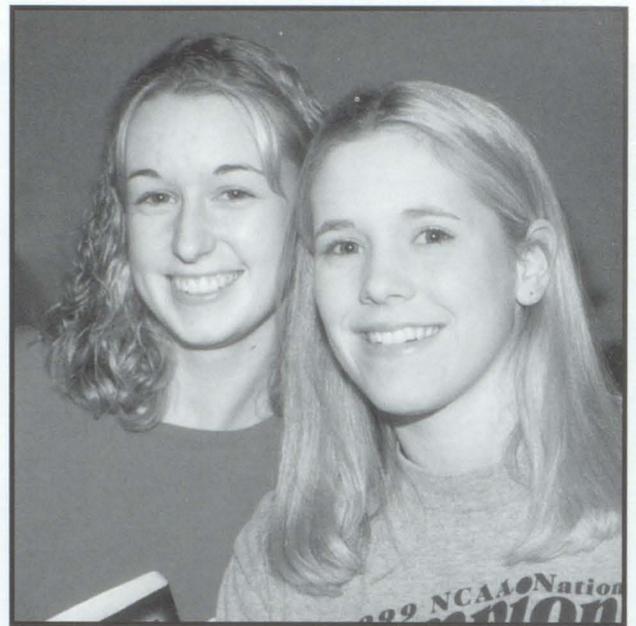
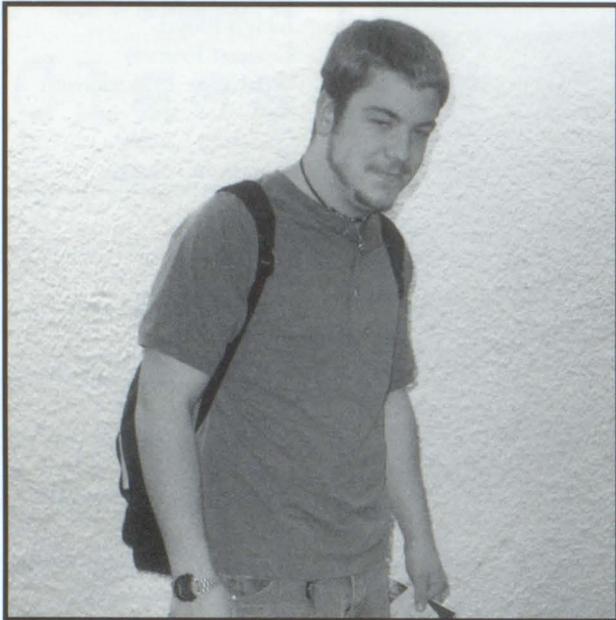
"The best part of Sunshine initiation was fishing for gummy worms in a bowl of whipped cream."



Jared Cree recalled,

"The football team was successful this year because of our teamwork. Without everyone's hardwork and cooperation we never would have went as far as we did."

Darell Loy has some good advice for underclass men, he said, "All you need is a little respect... You'll get by a lot easier in school!"



Andrea Newhart and Alecia Walton pause as they stroll to one of their many classes together.

Nathan Hutsell
 Joshua Jackson
 Malachi Jagers
 Lacey Jeffery
 Brandi Johnson
 Caleb Johnston



Scott Kendall
 Ashly Klinker
 Daniel Klopfenstein
 Dustin Lane
 Kira Larimore
 Darell Loy

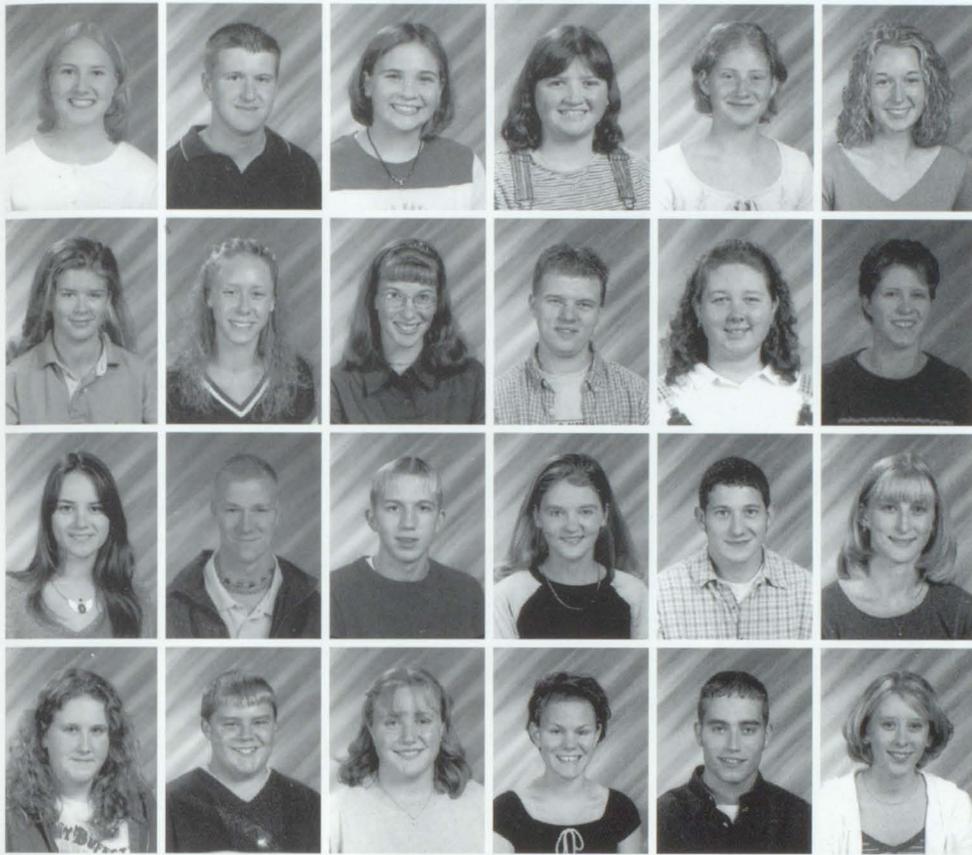


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 David Mackey
 Joseph Mackey
 James Martin
 Manuel Martinez
 Robert Maxwell



Crystal McFatrige
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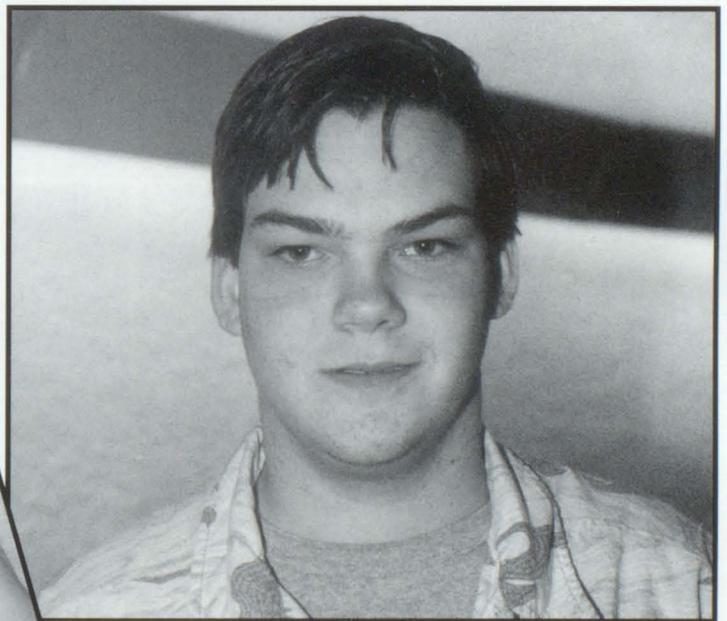
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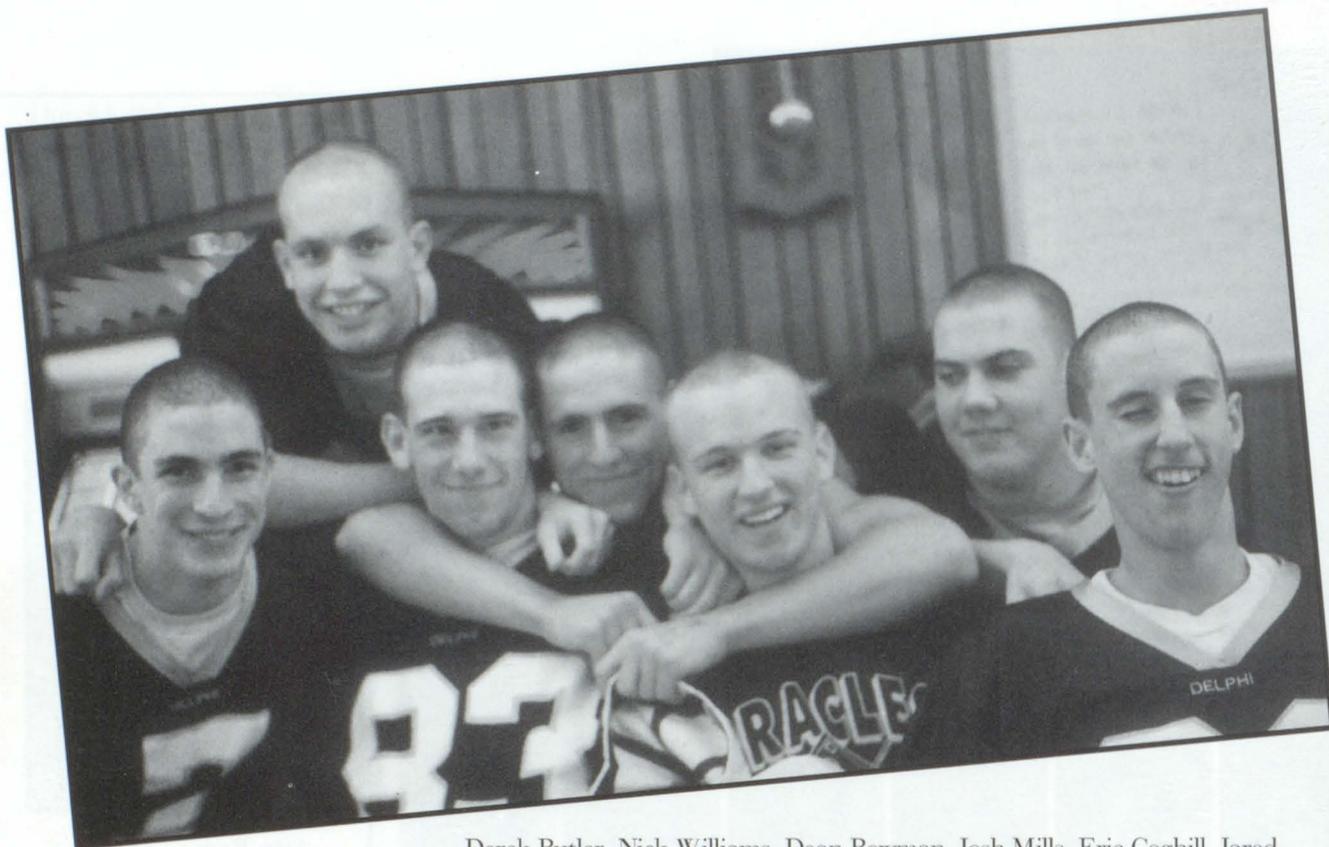
Kimberly Remaly
 Tony Richards
 Erika Rittenhouse
 Amy Rose
 Justin Rossetter
 Melissa Sandersfeld



(left) Lacey Jeffery enjoyed a bite to eat during the fall band party at Monicals.



(above) Eric Breece commented, "I know I'll probably get lynched for saying this, but I like this school. We've got good teachers, smart students, and our sports teams aren't all that bad!"



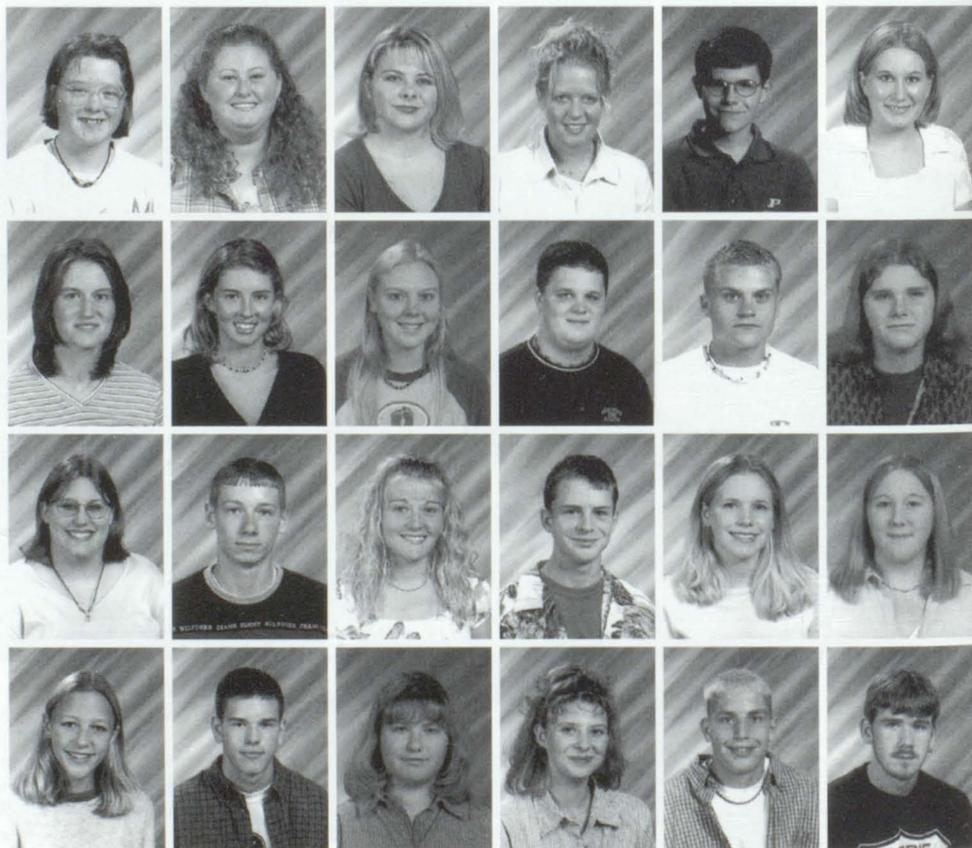
Derek Butler, Nick Williams, Dean Bowman, Josh Mills, Eric Coghill, Jared Cree, and Jason Brown show their school spirit by shaving their heads before the first round of football sectionals.

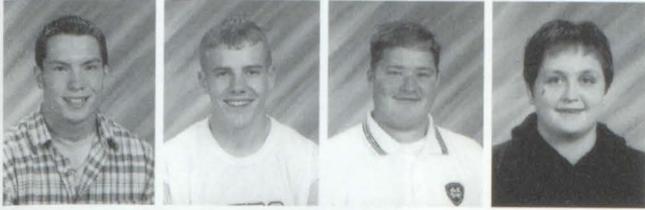
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Stacy Veach
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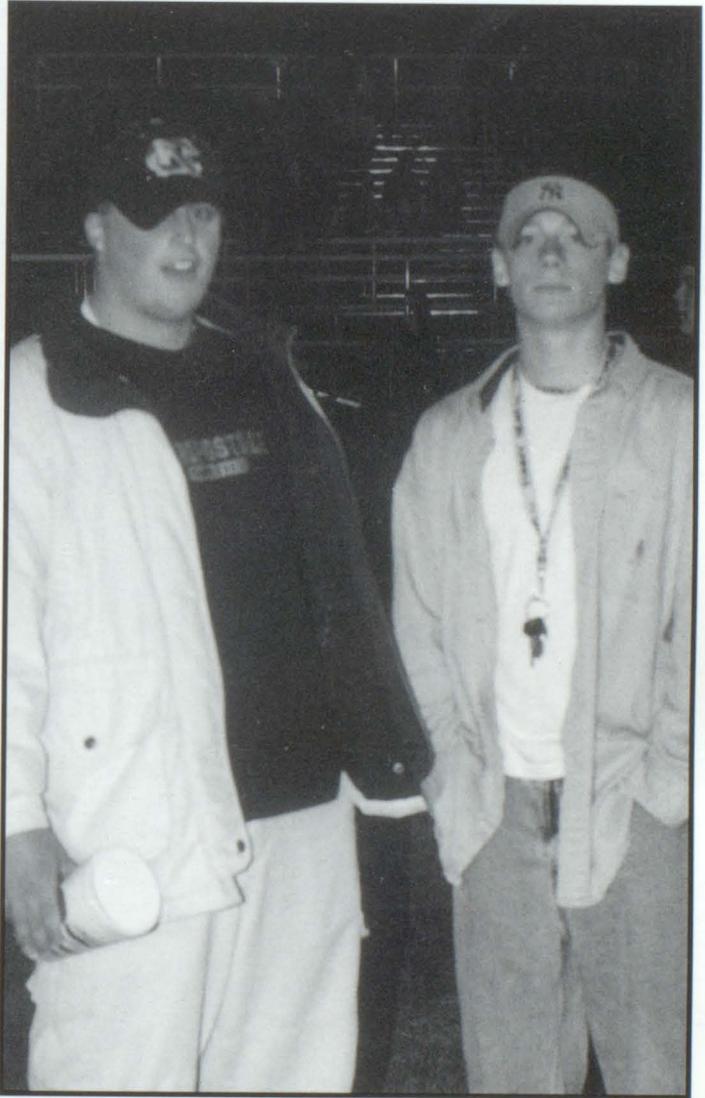


Derek Woods
 Kevin Wright
 Josh Yoder
 Amber Zborek

Not Pictured:
 Keith Foster
 Laina Hutsell
 Brandon Jenkins



Stephanie Friedrichsen commented, "If every day was as great as this one, I might actually pass Spanish III!"



Daniel Klopfenstein and Tony Vianco try to show off their football talent, by coaching the girls powder-puff team.

Grafitti...

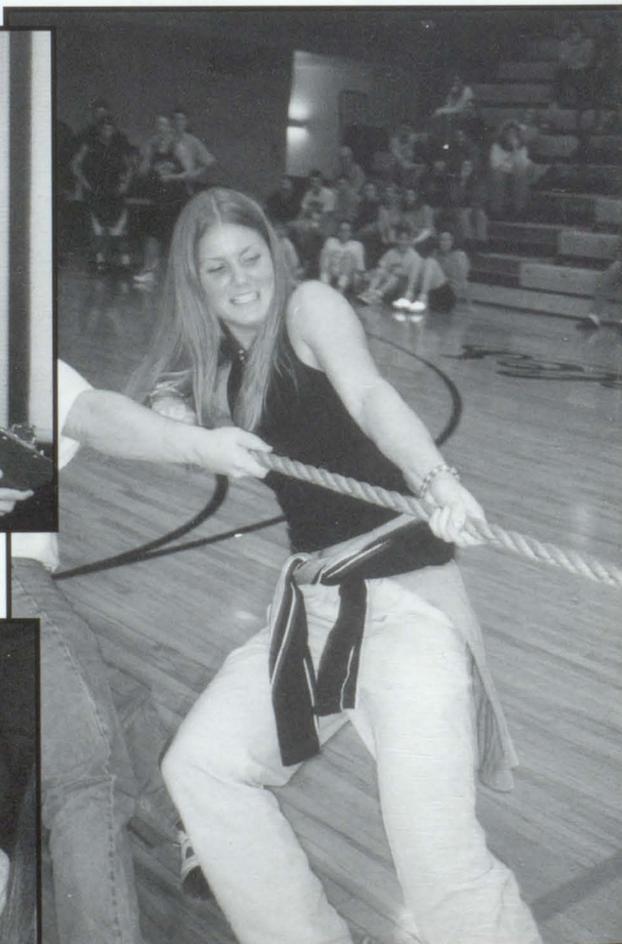
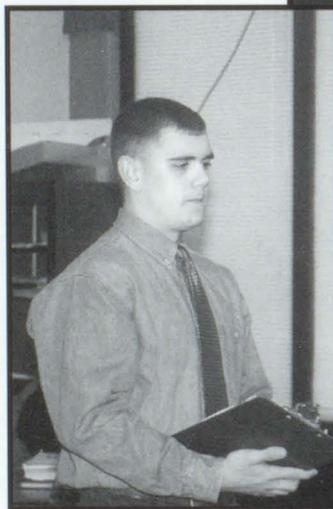
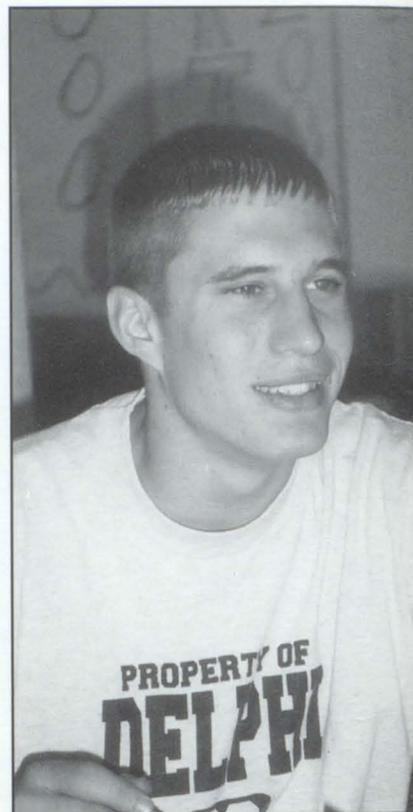
While driving underneath an overpass you can often spot a form of grafitti. Those individuals who painted it there hoped that it would still be visible in years to come. This is how teachers, students, and friends have been throughout our thirteen years of schooling, etching at our souls, spirits, and minds. There have been inspiring teachers that have taught us lessons beyond the textbook, as well as lessons learned through winning and losing. But in the end, we have been molded by the experiences. Thank you to everyone who have made a lasting impression on our lives. You will be remembered always.

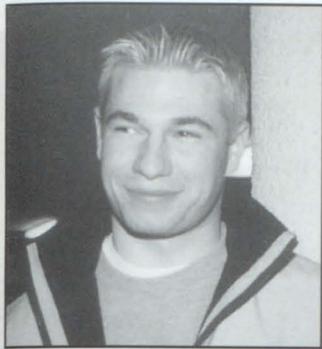
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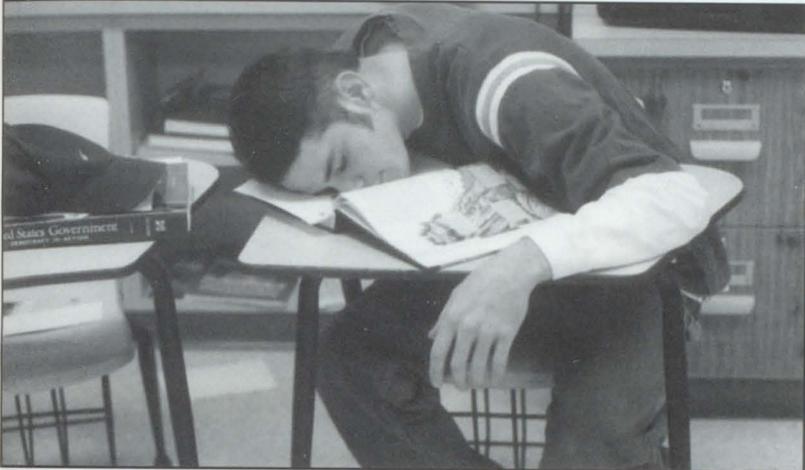
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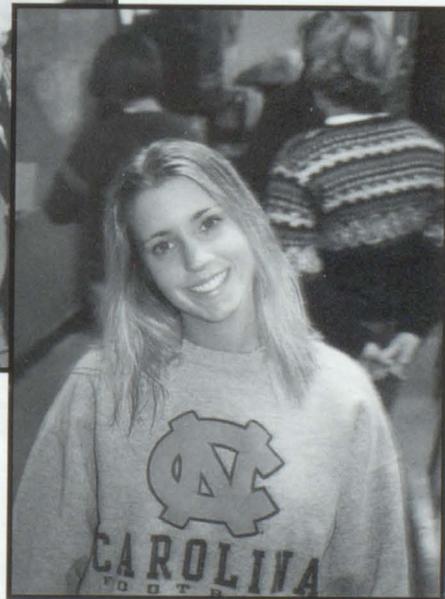
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Senior Personalities

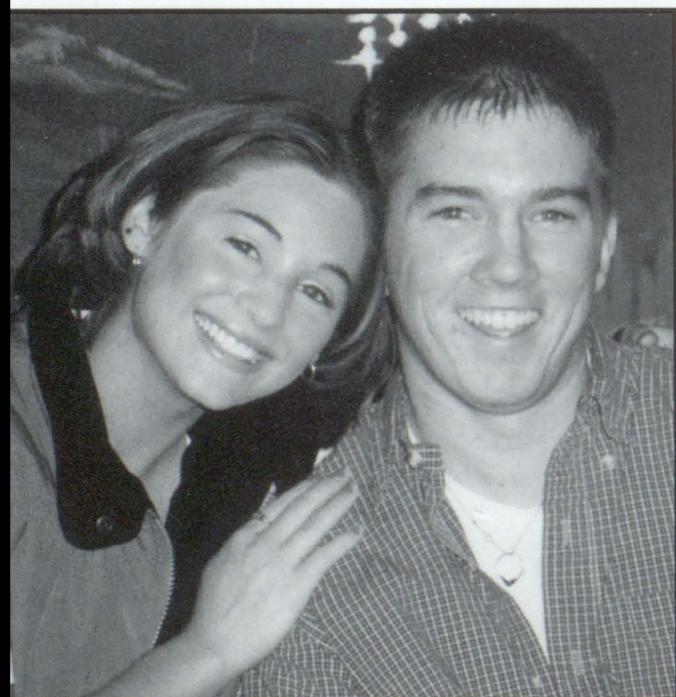
"Most Likely to be Seen on a Magazine Cover"

Cassie Thomsen and Joel Marshall



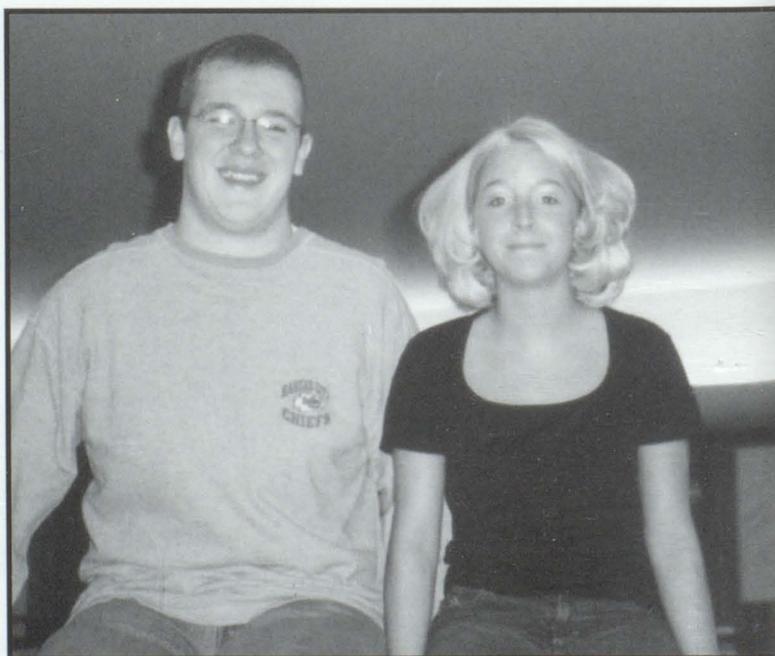
"Most Cosmetic"

Kandi Croninger and Beau Price



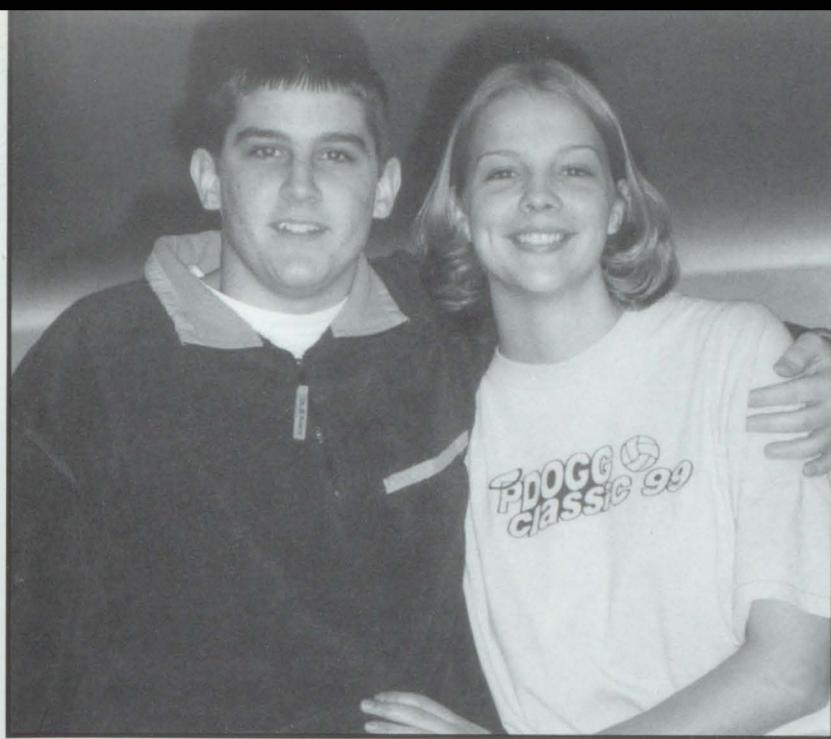
"Best Eyes"

Amanda Davidson and Billy Perry



"Most Outspoken and Opinionated"

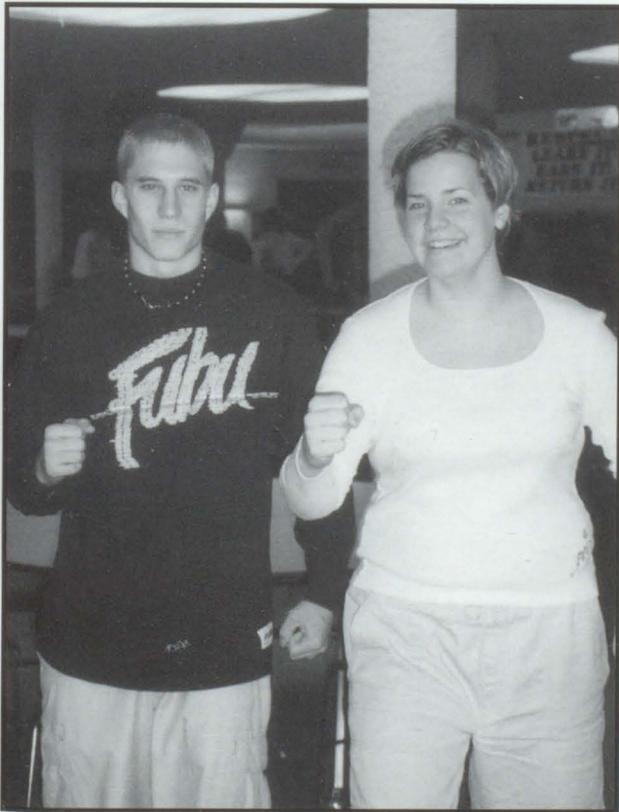
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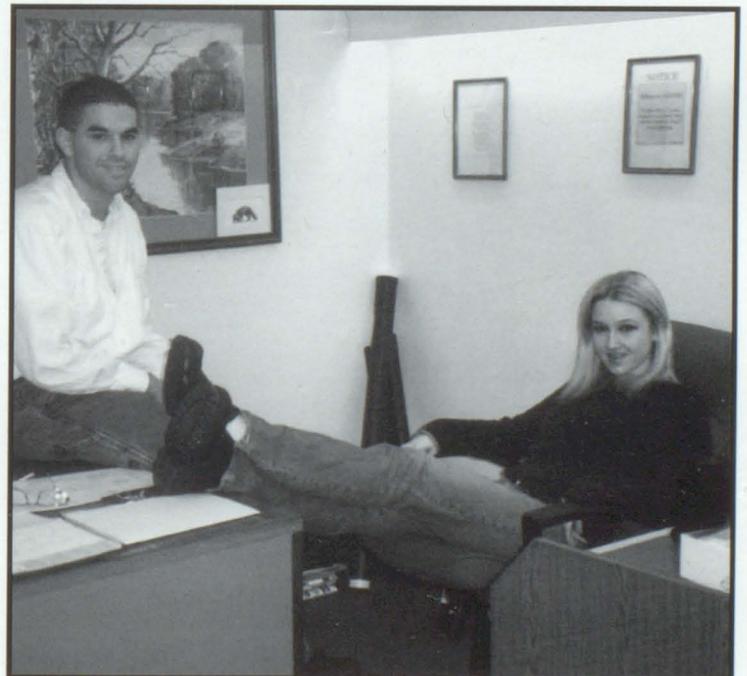
"Most Likely to be Ms. or Mr. Universe"
Jenny Mayfield and Nathan Flory



"Best Personalities"
Jessica Jones and Kevin Richards



"Mr. Brannon's Best Friends"
Cassi Stodgell and Josh Disinger



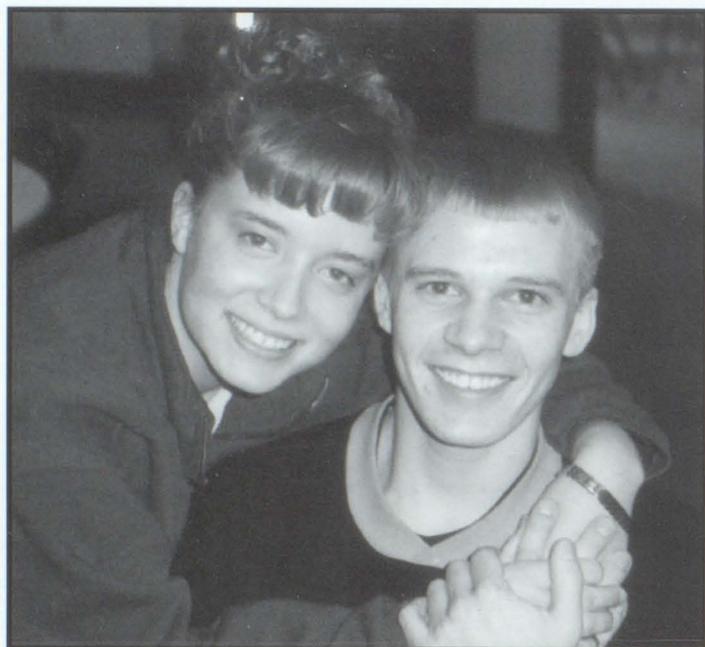
"Most Likely to be Late for Their Own Funeral"
Katie Kayser and Andy McNeany





"Couple Most Likely to Marry in the Next Five Years"

Amber Disinger and Michael McConnell

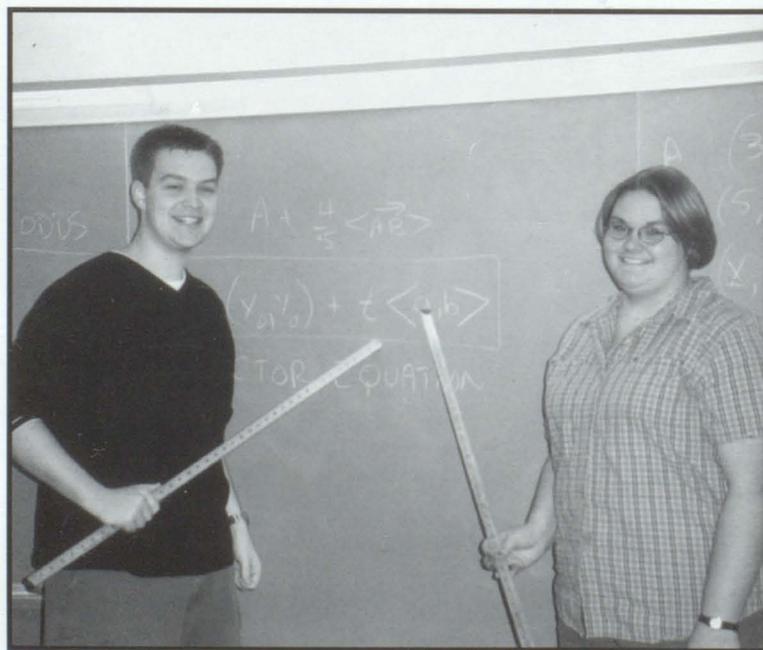
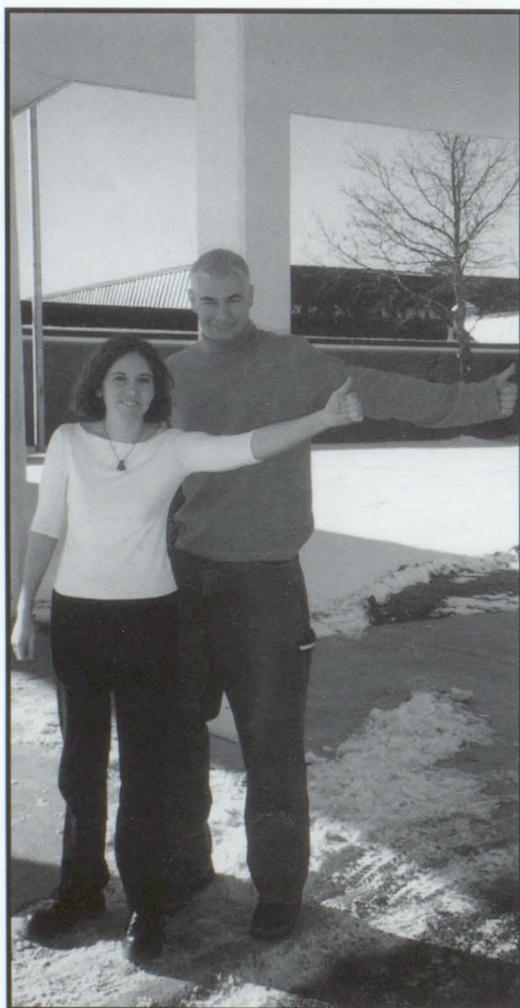


"Most Unorganized"

Dixie Justice

"Most Likely to Never be Seen in Delphi Again"

Abbie VanSickle and Ian Mose



"Person Most Likely to Teach at Delphi"

Sara Scott and Chris Stokdyk



"Most Likely to Exaggerate"

Kinzie Brummett and Brent Weiland

**"Most Likely to Sleep
Through a World Disaster"**

*Sarah Houser and
Chris Clark-Wright*



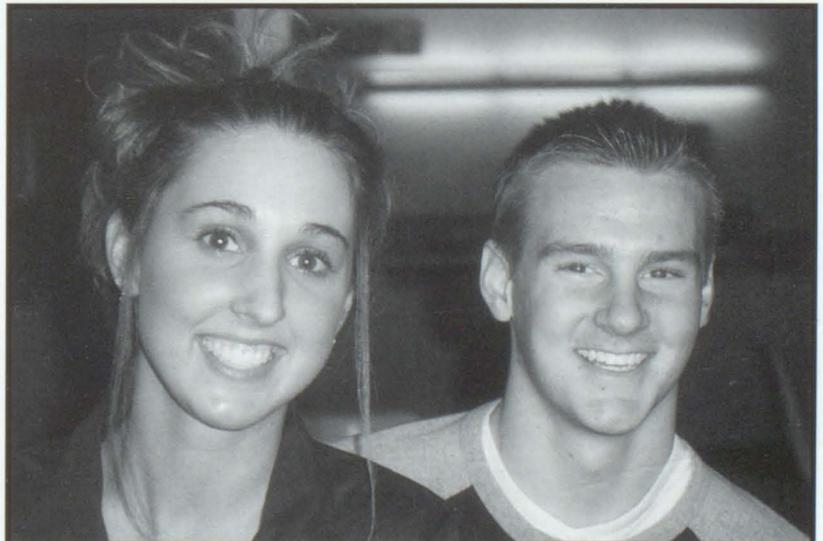
"Best Hair"

*Abi Pearson
and
Charlie Nichols*



**"Most Likely to Advertise
for a
Toothpaste Ad"**

*Kandice Cripe
and
Andy Wagoner*





*Carrie Ann
Acheson*



*Crystal Lee
Andrews*



*Melissa Renee
Atkinson*



*Danielle Lynn
Bartels*



*Sara Beth
Bentley*



*Alicia Marie
Bergery*



Tonya Lynn Brooks



Christa Alane Brown



*Tracy Lynn
Brown*



*Kinzie Rene
Brummett*



*Tanner Aurtbur Lee
Buffenbarger*



*Blaine Douglas
Burton*



*Patrick James
Carr*



*Jeremy Daniel
Casserly*



*Christopher Brian
Clark-Wright*



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Cogbill*



*Nicole Jeannette
Cox*



*Kandice Dawn
Cripe*



*Amanda Marie
Davidson*



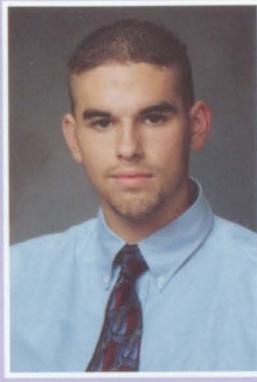
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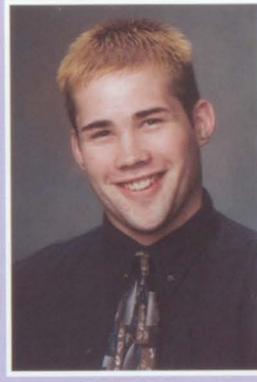
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Dicks*



*Amber Wray
Disinger*



*Joshua David
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*Nathan David
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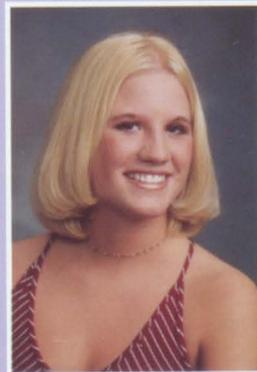
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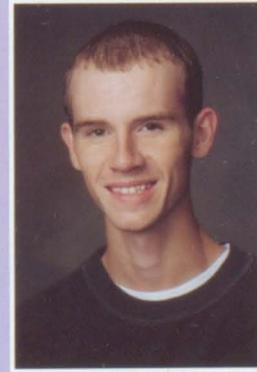
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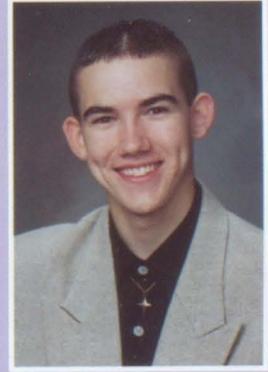
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*Kandi Grace
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*Ryan Gene
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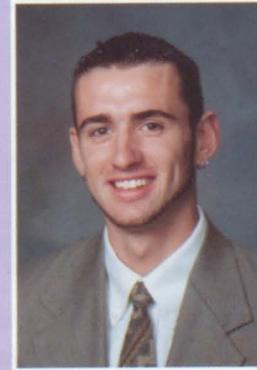
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Haygood*



*Beth Ellen
Heath*



*Amber Marie
Henson*



*Adam Christopher
Herron*



*Christy Michelle
Higgins*

Senior Class Officers

President

Hannah Smith;

Vice President

Sara Bentley;

Secretary

Kristen Strasser;

Treasurer

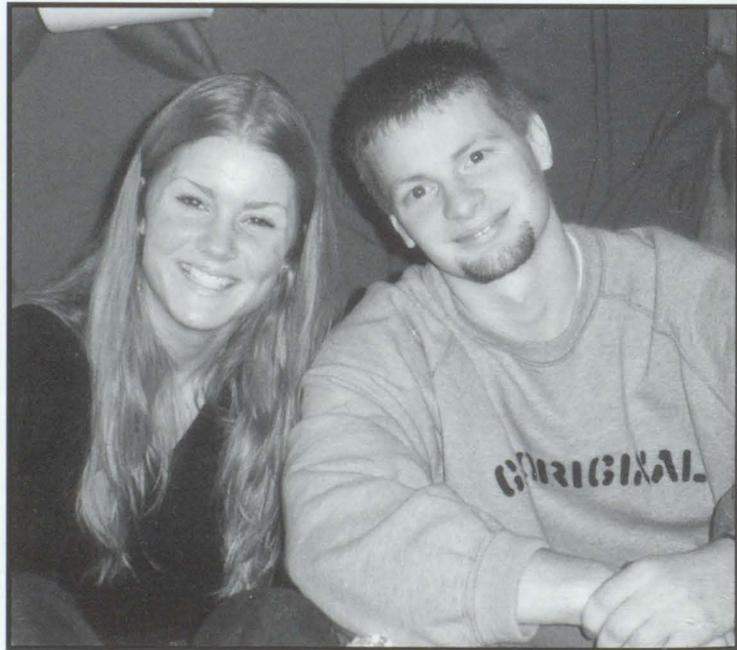
Bobbi Snavely



As senior Heather Haygood takes a moment to focus on the annual Powder-Puff game, Sara Bentley gives her a little advice and inspiration.

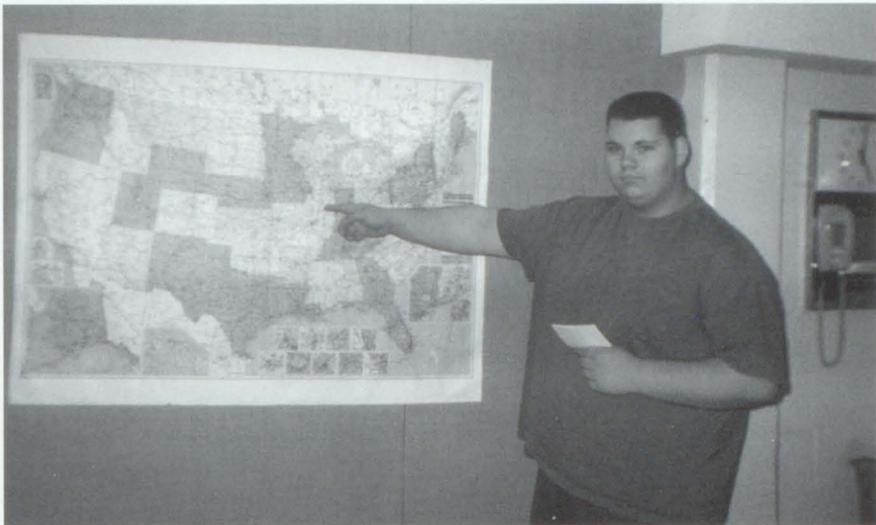
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Aspen VanMatre and Jess Maynard

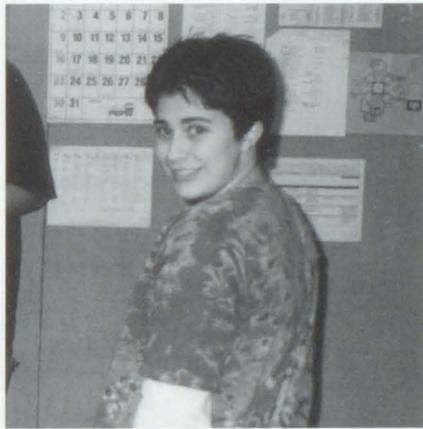




(left) Brandis Kuszmaul



(below) Jonathon Stevens



(above) Liz Gray

(left) Kandi Morrow and Mr. Miller



(above) Christy Higgins

(left) Daisha Foster



*Miranda Sue
Houser*



*Sarab Nicbole
Houser*



*Melody Sue
Huddleston*



*Abigail Anna
Huffer*



Alicia Lynn Johnson



*Jessica Lou
Jones*



*Dixie Kay
Justice*



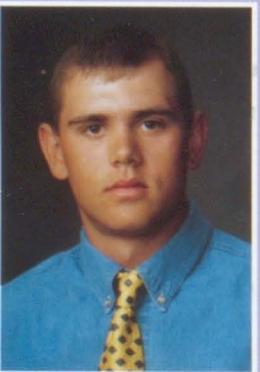
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Lawson*



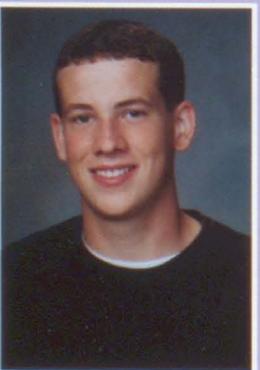
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Martin*



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Martin*



*Jeffrey Lynn
Maxwell*



*Jennifer Lynn
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Jan Michael Mose



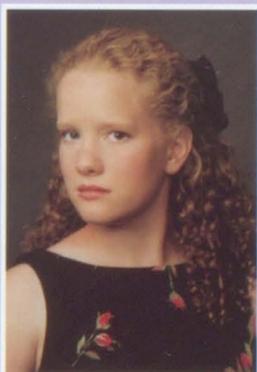
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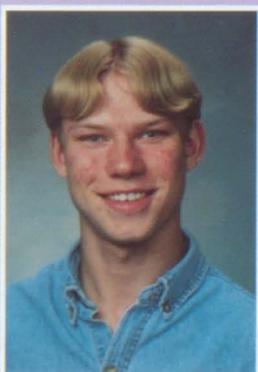
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James Robert Rankin

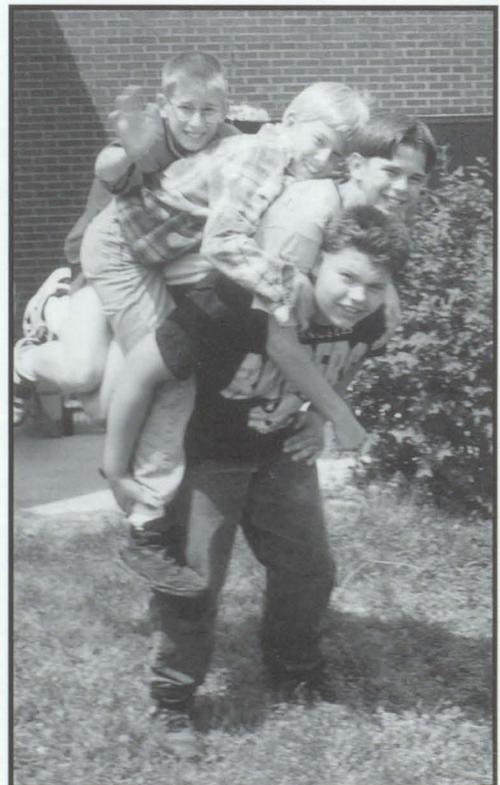


Katherine Elizabeth Rauch

Past Times

Liddia White and Abbie VanSickle

(below) Cassie Thomsen, Crystal Andrews, Jon Stevens, Jessie Dicks, Jeremy Nelson



Dustin Serie, Chris Clark-Wright,
Travis Sandifer, Jon Stevens



Kyla Ross, Jessica Jones, Andy McNeany, Michael McConnell, Nick Williams, Sara Bentley, Kristen Strasser, Liddia White, and Abbie Vansickle



(above) Abby Huffer



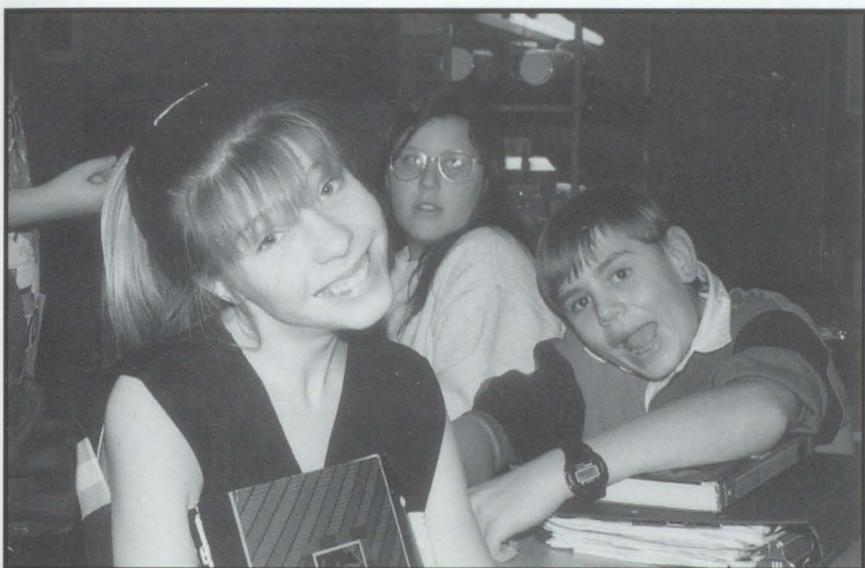
(above) Carrie Acheson



(above) Hannah Smith



(right)
Kristen
Strasser



(above) Kandi Morrow, Kendra Quinn, Cooper Lacy

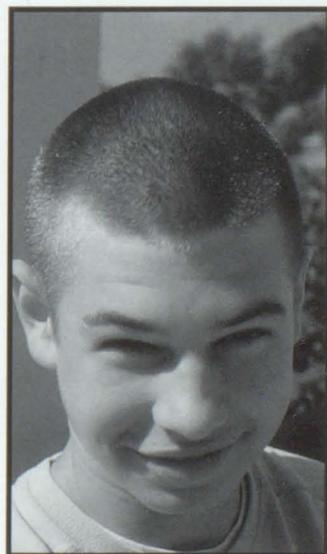


(above) Alicia Johnson and
Nicole Cox

(below) Eric Munson, Jeremy Nelson, Jeff Lawson, Daisha Foster, Jason Hawkins



(above) Michael McConnell
(right) Ian Mose





*Kevin Thomas
Richards*



*Kyla Norene
Ross*



Sara Elizabeth Scott



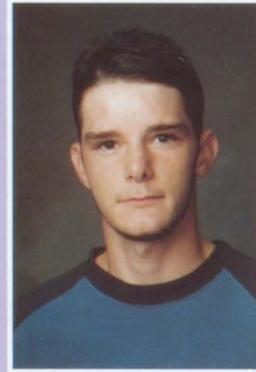
*Rebecca Lynn
Slaubterbeck*



*Hannab Elizabeth
Smith*



*Bobbi Jo
Snadely*



*Sbane Michael
Stapleton*



*Jobnatban Lee
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*Cassandra Michelle
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*Christopher Bruce
Stokdyk*



*Kristen Nichole
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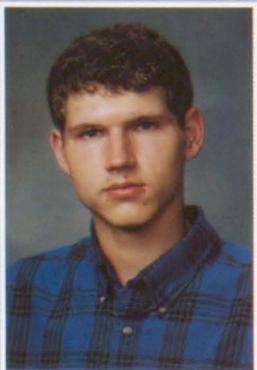
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Vass*



*Andrew Joe
Wagoner*



*Brent Mitchell
Weiland*



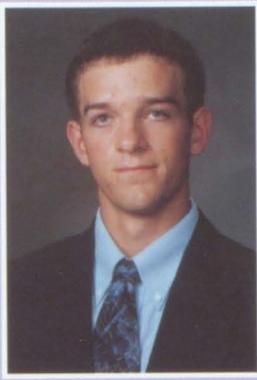
*Karen Lee-Ann
Wertz*



*Liddia Dawn
White*



Holly Lynn
Williams



Phillip Michael
Zink

Not Pictured:
 Michael Alan Eiler
 Barbara Lynn Glenn
 Squire James Weslee
 Hill
 Robert Alan Hoskins
 Bryon Landon Nipple
 Dustan Kyle Serie
 Eileen Elizabeth
 Vande Berg

*Skip-A-Hoy matie...the advanced English
class celebrated Homecoming week.*



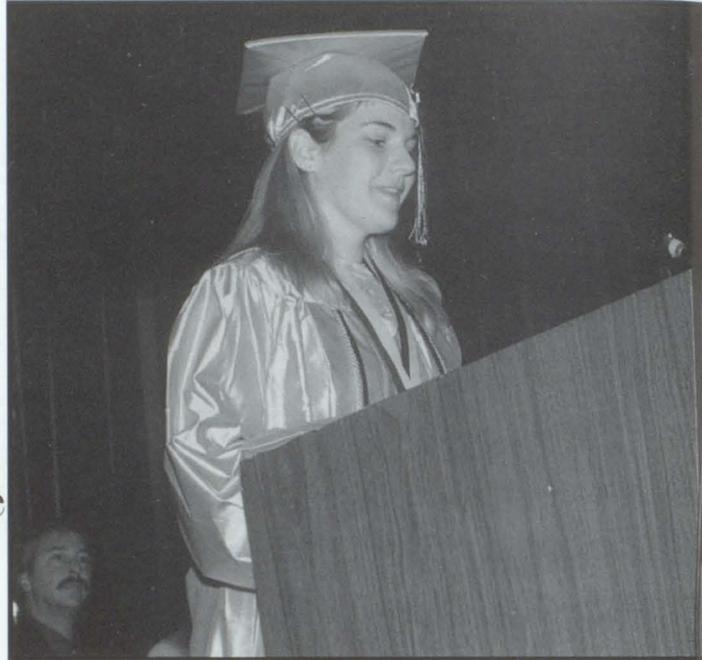
New Beginnings

As the days drew closer, anticipation was in the air. Years of classes, evaluations, tears and triumphs all seemed worth it as the graduates marched through the gymnasium. The graduates were suddenly faced with the reality of newly found freedoms and the insecurities of them in the "real world".

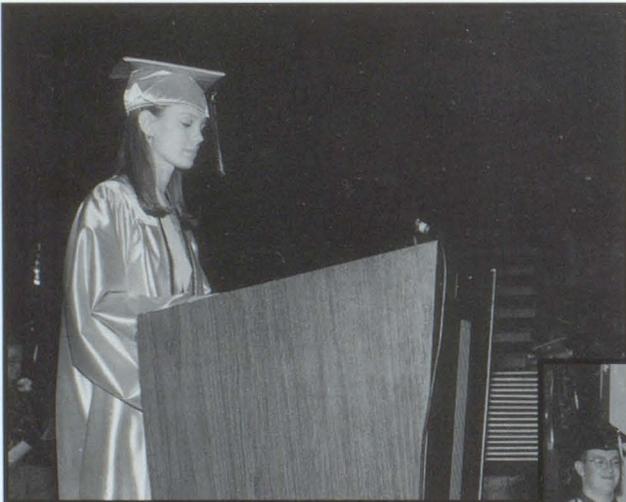
Valedictorian Rachel Miller spoke of cherishing the present, and striving for the future. Salutatorian Hannah Smith spoke of becoming "somebody" and the friendships that have been made here at Delphi.

Then to many, faster than ever expected, high school and the graduation ceremony were over and the newly named graduates were sent out and all offered "New Beginnings".

• Kandice Cripe

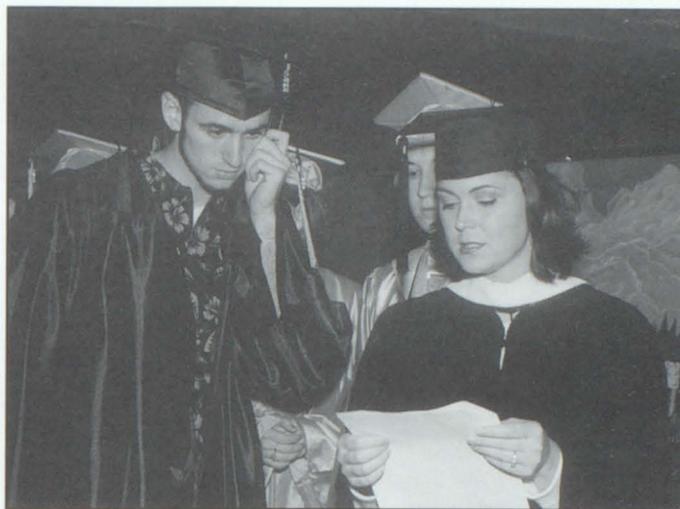
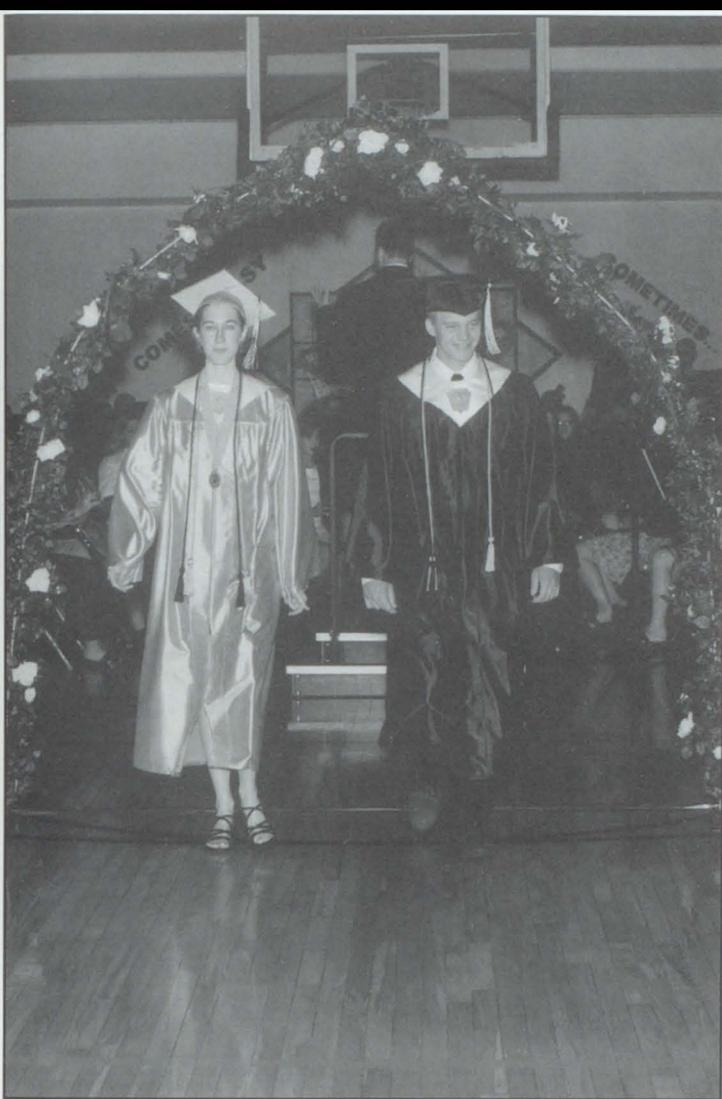


Valedictorian Rachel Miller

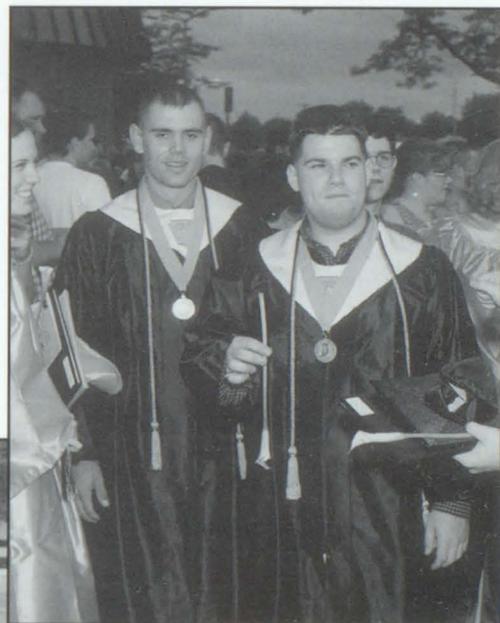


Salutatorian Hannah Smith





(above) Adam Herron and Mrs. Johnson
(left) Melissa Atkinson and Michael McConnell



(above) Cooper Lacy
and Blaine Burton



Class Motto

(right) Marc Galimore
(far right) Jessica Jones

In life, true
friends are hard
to find, harder
to leave, and
impossible to
forget.

Class Flower

White Lily

Class Colors

Gold, Black,
Silver

Class Song

"Oh How the Years
Go By"
By: Amy Grant

(right) Tanner Buffenbarger
(far right) Kristen Strasser

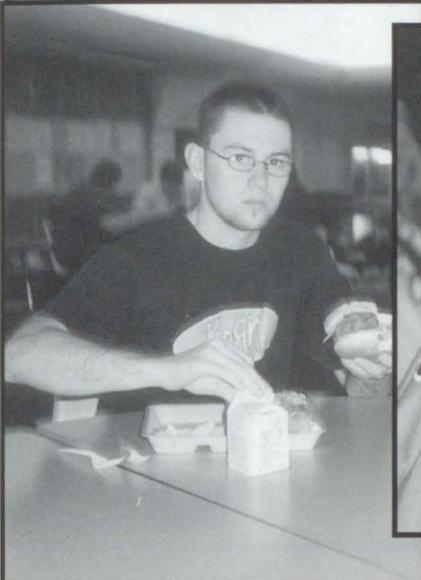
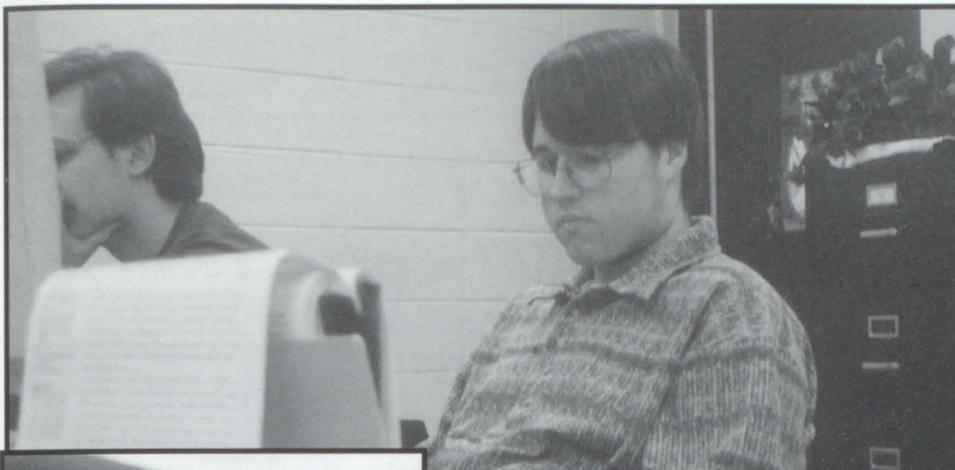


Amy Minnicus and Abby Huffer



(above) Prom Queen Sarah
Houser

(right) Sarah Brosman and
Brad Friedrichsen



Bobbi,

*Congratulations!
You're a blessing!*

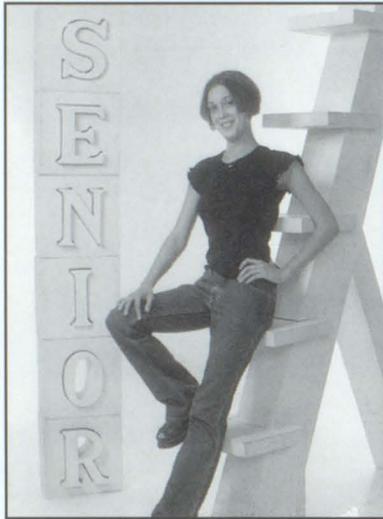
*With your big
smile, bubbly person-
ality and compassion
for others, we know you'll go far.*

Good luck! God bless you!

*Love,
Mom, Dad, & Bub*

Senior Ads

*Destiny,
There was never any doubt.*



*Love,
Dad, Mom, Sonnet,
Randy & Tori*

Daisha-

*We have watched a wonderful
little girl turn into an incredible
young lady. You can accomplish
anything you want.*

*We will always be here
and love you.*

Dad and Beth



Tracy,

*My how time has flown. It seems just yesterday you
were learning to walk and crying to go with your Dad to
see the baby pigs. (My how you've changed.)*

*You have grown into a beautiful person
who knows what she is after in life.*

We are lucky to have you in our family.

Love,

Mom, Dad, and Jamie



Dear Michael, The paths you have taken have been the ones less traveled by, and they have made you the remarkable person you are today. May your choice in paths continue to inspire you and enrich your life--for it will make all the difference.



Congratulations, Monk!

All our love,

Dad and Mom

Beth,

Congratulations! Follow your dreams and you can accomplish anything.

Remember we love you very much and are proud of the young lady you have become.



*Love,
Mom, Dad,
and Amy*



Karen,

You can do anything because you are not alone, the Lord, your helper, will be there as well as all your loving family.



*Love,
Mom, Dad,
and Erin*

Senior Ads

Katie,

From cowboy boots, bows and barbies.

Through broken arms and braces.

From short skirts and leading the cheers.

Through jump shots, spikes, and fast balls.

From cookie sales to pork chops and 4-ft fairs.

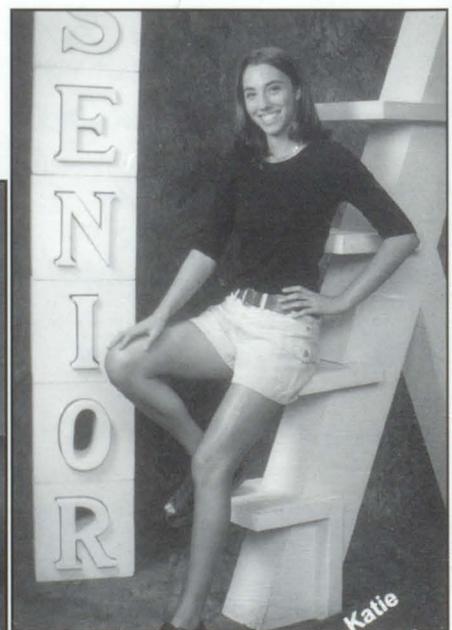
We've been there as you've grown.

And we watch you now with pride and happiness.

Congratulations, Katie

All our love,

Bob and Mom

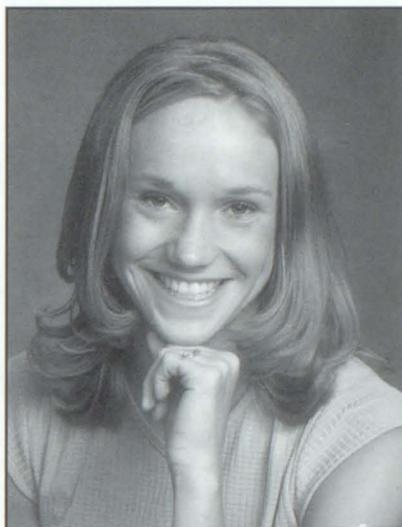


Michael,

*We are proud of you...
The diversities you have
overcome to excel into a
fine gentleman. Thank
you for the many memories
that we'll cherish forever.*



*Love Always,
Mom, Dad,
Krista, and Ryan*



Alicia,

We are so proud of you. Just remember that we will always be here for you no matter where life's paths may lead you.

*We love you,
Mom & Dad*

Jason,

*Where has this little guy gone?
Hard to believe 18 years have
passed. Graduation day has come
much too quickly (at least for us).
You have become more than we ever
could have dreamed of, we are so very
proud of you.*

*We wish only the very best for
you. All our love now and forever.*

Mom and Dad



Senior Ads

Kyla,

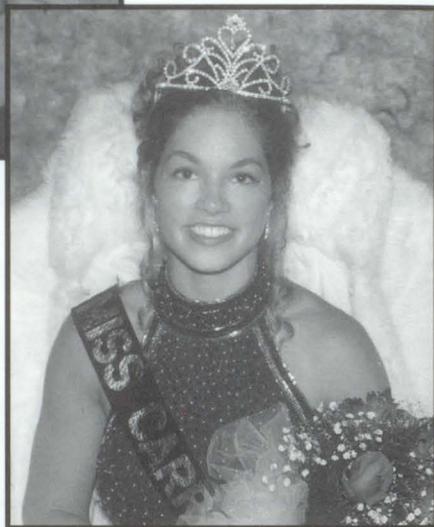
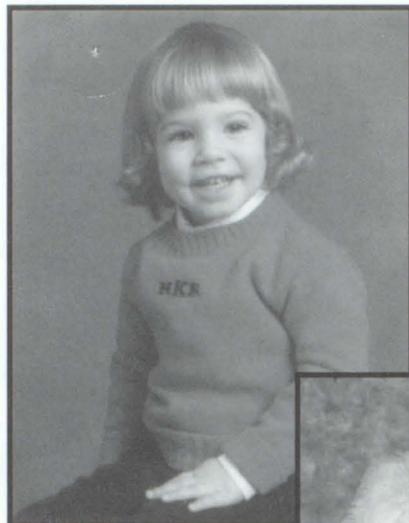
*You have always
been a princess to us.*

*Reach for the stars,
and we will be there to
support you along the way.*

We are very proud of you!

Love you always,

Mom & Dad



*Congratulations
to you and
your friends!*



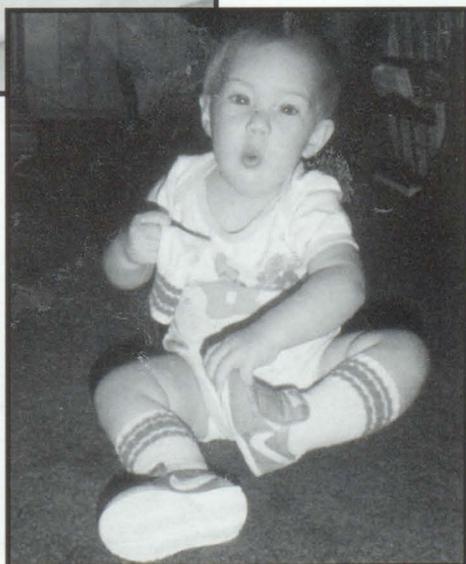
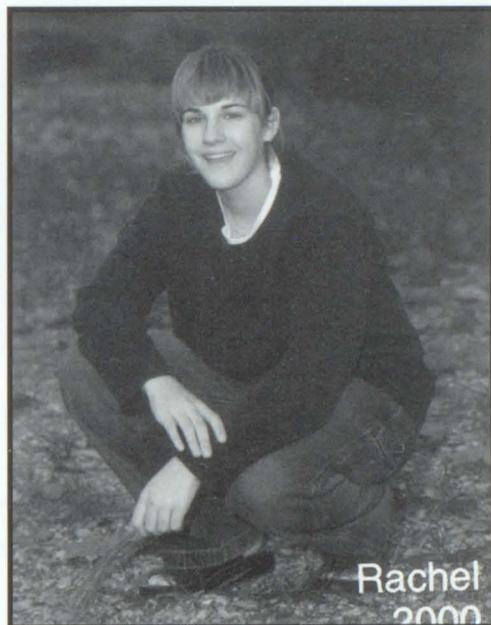
Rachel,

We are so proud of the young woman you've become. From the first grade, you have known you would be on the stage giving the valedictorian speech. You worked hard for twelve years to accomplish that goal. Now that dream is a reality. Our hearts are filled with pride and love. You



are ready for the next

challenge in your life - college. Embrace it like you have every other task and enjoy the experience. Wow them with your desire to learn and take all the knowledge they have to offer. Remember the passion you have for learning when things get tough and continue to help others learn along with you.



Rachel, you are such a joy. Thank you for always keeping us on our toes and sharing your life with us. It's been a grand adventure, so far . . . We love you, sweet peas

Mom & Dad

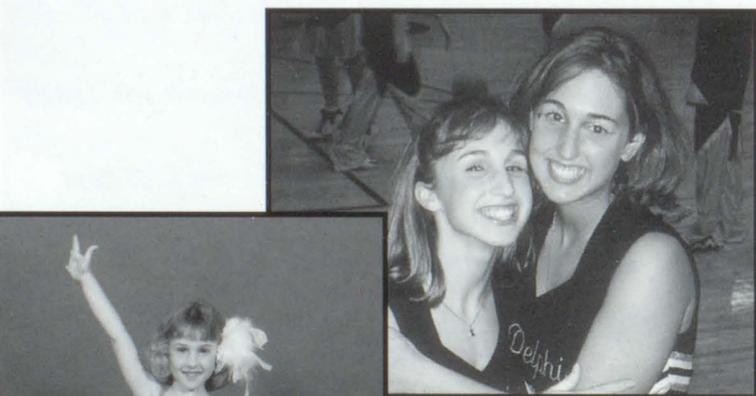
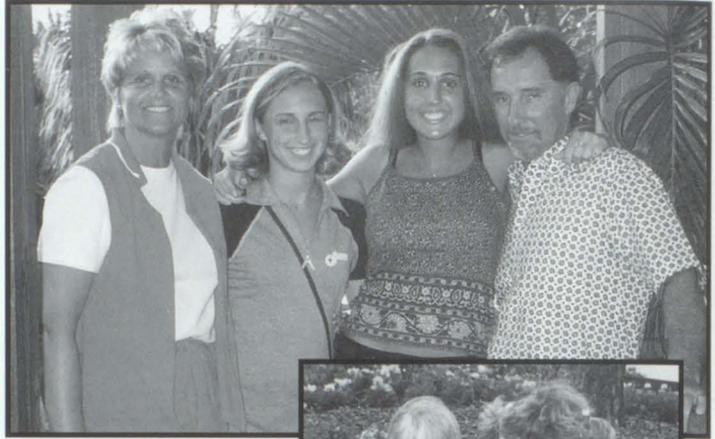
Senior Ads

Kandice,
I'm sure every parent wants
their daughter to have a
happy life.

But we want something
more for you, something better, something
that can never be taken away.

Our graduation wish for you is that you'll
always be able to create your own happiness. . .

That you'll find childlike joy in the most ordinary things...

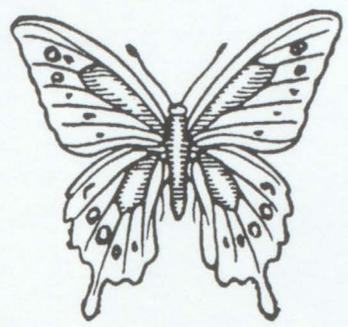


That you'll continue being
the wonderful person you
are- someone who knows how
to stop and see the wonder
everywhere.

We are so proud of you.
May God continue to bless
everything that he has in
store for you.

With all our love,
Mom, Dad & Kari





To Grace, Kyla, Aspen, and Charlie

Your friendship with Kandice has been such an important part of her life. Thanks for times spent together, meals together, trips together, laughter and tears together.

You are what friendship is all about. May your friendship, presence, and inspiration live on forever!

Dean and Connie Cripe



Senior Ads



Our wonderful Abi,

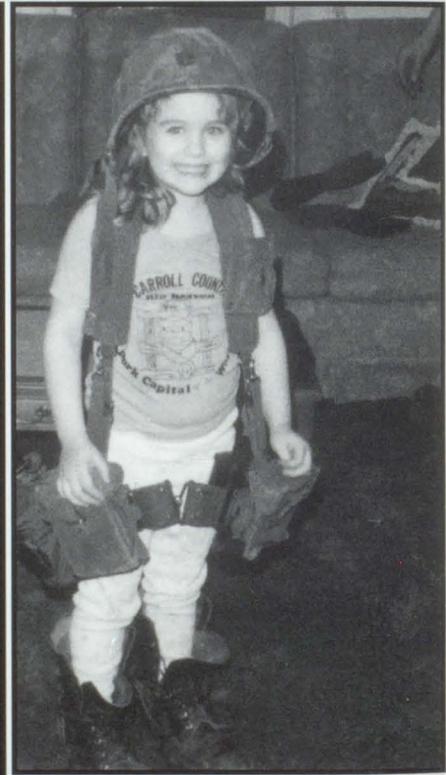
Although we could tell you to approach life in many ways, we must tell you to approach it with gracefulness. Look for the simple things to make you happy and be aware that each day is filled with blessings.

When choosing your relationships, make sure you accept people where they are. You don't know the circumstances that have made them different than you, and you have no right nor are you under any obligation to change them. Allow God to do that for you. Remember that things are not the best things in life. Sometimes we spend too much of our time and energy working for things that end up owing us or put us in debt, only to look good in someone else's eyes. The one who dies with the most toys still dies and you can't be measured by what you have, only by what you are.

You have amazed us with each new day and we are so proud of you.

Always remember to put God first in your life and I guarantee you'll be blessed far beyond what you can ever imagine. We love you with all our heart and pray nothing but the best for you.

Dad & Mom



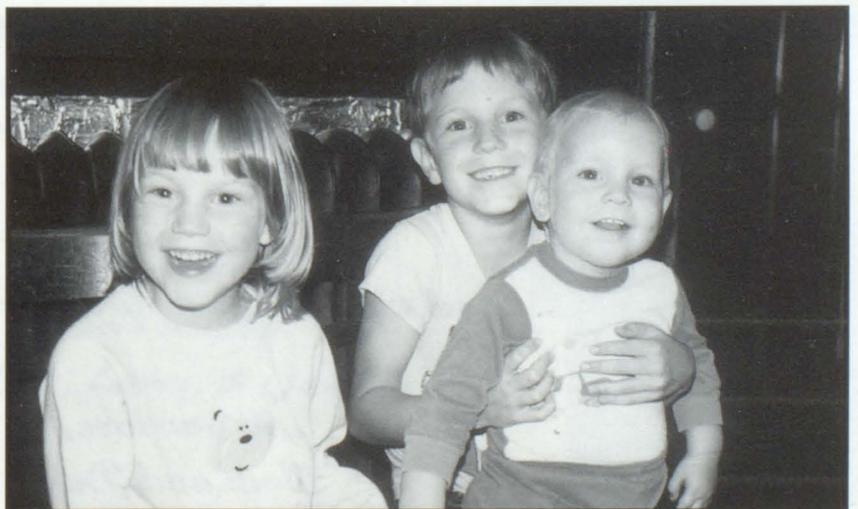


Kandi



*You have been Our dream come true.
You have shown us that you can capture
Your dreams. We will be by your side all
the way. Congratulations and you go,
girl!*

*Love always,
Mom, Dad, Kyle, Kole*



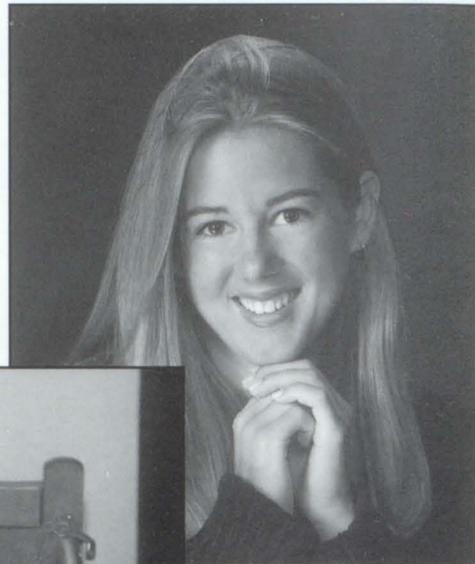
Senior Ads

Kinzie "Unnae",

You have always pressed onward toward your goals. Now all your hard work has been rewarded.

Congratulations! We are so proud.

*Love always,
Dad, Mom, Kelsie, &
Kristopher*



Beth,

It seems like just yesterday you were that cute, mischievous toddler full of surprises and laughter. Now you are grown and on your way to college. With your determination, we know you will be successful.

We are very proud of you and will always be here for you.

*All our love,
Mom and Dad*



D r e a m

*...and as you dream remember that
only you can make your dreams
come true.*



R e a c h

*...and as you reach remember that
success takes time, devotion, and
sometimes a little heartbreak.*

B e l i e v e

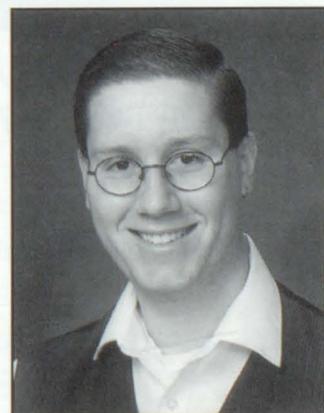
*...and as you believe you will find
reaching gets easier, setbacks are
more manageable. Life becomes
more meaningful.*



*There's a wonderful dream waiting just for you...
I know you can make it come true.*



*Love Always,
Mom & Dad
Colleen, Larry, & Jazmyn*



Senior Ads

Miranda,

I would like you to keep a smile on your face as crazy as this one for whatever life brings you.



We're proud of you.

*Love,
Mom & Amber*

Sara,

You have accomplished so much. We are so proud to be your family. With your determination and high standards you have the power to make all your dreams come true.

Thank you for all the wonderful memories.

*We love you,
Your family*



Bradley-

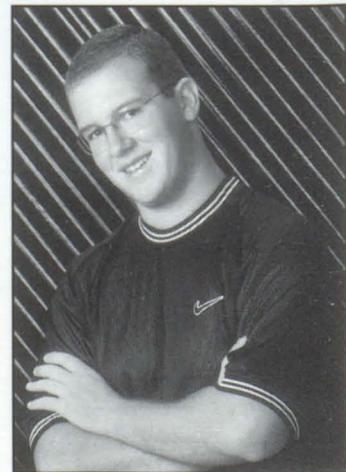
"...Carry on!

*Fight the good fight and be true;
Believe in your mission, greet life with a cheer;
There's big work to do, and that's why you are here.*

Carry on!..."

You are a special joy in our lives. We are very proud of you. We know you are off to great things.

*We love you,
Mom & Dad*





Ab,

You certainly flew past your magic age goal of "5". Your love of people, the arts, and the yearning to explore other cultures will take you far. What extraordinary gifts you have given us.



To be with you from the beginning of your journey has been our greatest joy.

*Love,
Mom, Dad, & Vanessa*

Jenny,



May your passion for learning turn your dreams into realities and may you always brighten the world where you are.

*Love,
Mom & Dad
Joey & Chris*



Liddia,

You made us proud that first day of school, Aug. 26, 1987 and we know you will continue to make us proud. Go for your dreams and remember the "Spirit".

*Congratulations with love,
Mom & Abby*

Senior Ads



Kendra,

Our special prayer is that you will always keep God first in your life. Remember how much you are loved by all of us. We are very proud of you. May God bless you as much as you have blessed us.

Love,

Mom, Dad, & Bret

To Katie Kayser,

*The first, the leader, the mentor to many.
We are so proud to call you ours.*

Love Always,

Mom, Dad,

Christy, Emily, Leslie, & Lauren



To Brenna:

"For I know the plans I have for you," says the Lord. "They are plans for good and not for disaster, to give you a future and a hope."

Jeremiah 29:11

Spread your wings and fly!



*Love,
Mom & Dad*



Tanner,

You have brought such joy to our lives. We are so proud of you and wish you the very best throughout your future.

*All our love,
Dad & Deb*

Danielle,



*Congratulations,
The future is yours for the taking.
Reach for the stars and never look back. We are all very proud of your accomplishments.*

*Love,
Mom, Dad, & Ashley*

Senior Ads

Amber,

We are so proud of all your accomplishments!!! It has required hard work, but your efforts have paid off! As you embark on the journey of life here's advice we've given you along the way and we hope you will carry it with you.

Be your own woman - Don't waste your time comparing yourself to others.

The best reason for doing right today - Is tomorrow.

No one was ever ruined by telling the truth.

As long as you've tried your best - you haven't failed.

If you don't make mistakes - you don't make anything.

There is Absolutely Nothing you can't do, but you may have to give up something else to get it!

Finally: Don't forget that you're in charge of your life. If you have a problem, deal with it right away. Never hide from your problems, they won't disappear all by themselves.

We wish you all the best in life!

We love you & are so proud of you!!



*Love,
Dad, Mom, & Justin*





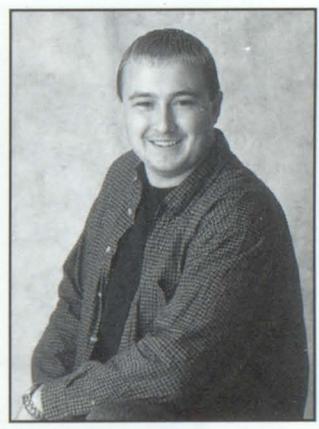
Jeremy,

I remember driving you to your first day of Kindergarten and you didn't want to get out of the car. You said "Why does TODAY have to be the first day? Why can't it be TOMORROW?". And as you walked through those doors, I cried, thinking how much you had grown.

You have given me so many wonderful memories and brought so much joy to my life. When you were born, I didn't realize how much my life would change - how much having you in my life would do for me. I have always been there for you, but more than that, you have always been here for me. I have loved you and you have fulfilled me.



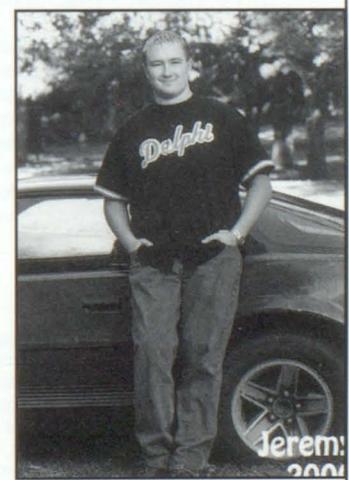
You've done a lot more growing since that first day of Kindergarten and here you are graduating. You have become a strong, sensitive, wonderful man and I am proud to be your mom.



My wish for you now and in the future, honey, is live, laugh, and love. May all your dreams come true.



*Love,
Mom and Angie*



The dreadful events that plagued the life of John F. Kennedy Jr. painted an eerie backdrop for the tragic plane crash that killed him, his wife, Carolyn Bessette Kennedy, and her sister, Lauren Bessette. The bodies of the three victims were recovered July 21 by divers in the Atlantic about seven miles off Martha's Vineyard, where the Piper Saratoga II Kennedy was piloting crashed five days before. In the end, the nation and the world were left to mourn the loss of a man they came to know as a little boy, saluting the casket of his assassinated father, a boy who grew up to inherit the bittersweet Kennedy legacy.



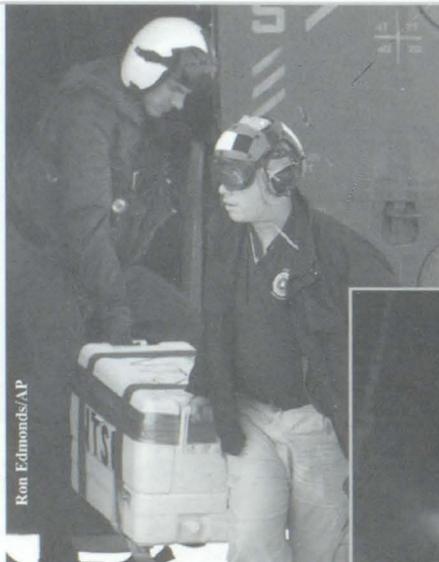
Retrospective

An Overview of Events and Personalities of the Year

Deadly earthquakes rocked the globe from Mexico to Taiwan, killing more than 21,000 in the span of four months. The year's most catastrophic earthquake occurred August 17 in Turkey, where nearly 17,000 people perished. The earthquake in Turkey measured 7.6 on the Richter scale and was followed by several serious aftershocks, which destroyed thousands of buildings and left hundreds of thousands of people homeless and living in tent cities.



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Ron Edmonds/AP

All 217 passengers on EgyptAir Flight 990 were killed in October when the Boeing 767 crashed into the Atlantic off the Massachusetts coast. As search crews recovered pieces of the airliner from the ocean floor, speculation mounted that relief pilot Gamil al-Batouty intentionally crashed the plane. Information collected from the flight data recorder revealed that Batouty had turned off the engines and deployed the speed brakes. Although U.S. investigators suspected that Batouty had a death wish, no suicide note or evidence of terrorism emerged.



Diane Bondareff/AP

After predictions of the Apocalypse spurred years of preparations and precautionary spending in excess of \$500 billion worldwide, the year 2000 came without incident. Y2K brought only minor glitches despite concerns over a technologically triggered Doomsday. As celebration of the new year subsided, there was growing criticism of the media, the government and a multitude of entrepreneurs for their part in the Y2K hysteria. Also at issue was the question of the new millennium, with purists arguing that it was still a year away.



Mireia Jacobson/AP



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Pokémon, Japan's cuddly cartoon critters, created a frenzy for children of all ages with toys, video games, comic books, trading cards and a feature film. The animated "pocket monsters" also invaded television with a weekly cartoon series. The Pokémon franchise exploded with more than \$6 billion in sales worldwide, making it even more profitable than the entire video game industry.



Ben Margot/AP

Charles Schulz bid a fond farewell to millions of fans all over the world in January when retiring the beloved "Peanuts" comic strip he had penned for more than 50 years. Increasingly poor health made retirement necessary for Schulz, who had several small strokes and was suffering from Parkinson's disease and colon cancer. At the end of its historic run, "Peanuts" appeared in 2,600 newspapers in 75 countries and 21 languages, making it the world's most widely read comic strip.



Suzanne Plunkett/AP

The New York Yankees put the finishing touches on their "Team of the Century" designation by sweeping the Atlanta Braves in the World Series in October. By beating the Braves, the Yankees claimed their second-straight world championship sweep and the team's 25th World Series win overall. The Yankees are the only team in baseball history to chart back-to-back sweeps in the World Series, having done it three times.



Michael Coniff/AP

The U.S. women's soccer team battled for 120 minutes to a scoreless tie before defeating China, 5-4, on penalty kicks in the World Cup Final in July. The exciting win captured the heart of America, resulting in hero status for the team's 20 members and energizing women's sports overall. Additionally, the World Cup championship was credited for boosting soccer's marginal stature in the United States.



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ABC's surprise hit "Who Wants to Be a Millionaire" brought television full-circle from its infancy, when prime-time game shows were a mainstay. Hosted by TV's crafty quipster, Regis Philbin, the show became an instant phenomenon and gave ABC its first sweeps win in five years. The other major networks quickly followed suit with their own quiz-show clones, such as FOX's "Greed" and "Twenty One" on NBC.

In the highest scoring Sugar Bowl game ever played, top-ranked Florida State outlasted No.2 Virginia Tech, 46-29, to claim college football's National Championship in January. The Seminoles trailed the Hokies late in the third quarter before scoring 18 unanswered points for the win. Florida State ended the season with a perfect 12-0 record and became the first team to start and finish a season ranked No. 1 since the preseason ratings system began in 1950.

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And the winner is... COOPER LACY!!! Cooper was awarded the Lilly Endowment Scholarship this year which covers full tuition and educational expenses at any Indiana college or university for four years. Cooper says that it's 'a dream come true.' He's planning on attending Rose Hulman and pursuing a degree in engineering.



Local Retrospective

An Overview of Local Events and Personalities of the Year

•Kinzie Brummett

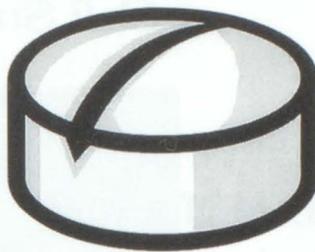
Derek Butler awed teammates and spectators with his talents in track this year. He broke the 300 hurdles record with a time of 41.2 seconds. He has also broken the record for single season points and total career points. Butler was the only Delphi runner to make Regionals in two events— high hurdles and long jump. Run, Derek, run!



You hear about it in the news everyday— school violence. This heart-wrenching subject hit a little too close to home in Delphi this year. On the morning of April 20, the students were surprised at the door with police officers to search bags and operate metal detectors before anyone could enter the school. Six middle school students had been expelled the previous day for making violent threats.



The Academic Superbowl team brought home the gold this year. The Interdisciplinary team made local history as the first ever Delphi ID team to get first place at state. It was an exciting well-fought victory!



Hanging out is no longer the fashion for many DCHS students' weekend activities. Instead, many students have discovered the newest fad- Raves. These dance club parties take place in Indianapolis and Chicago and last all night long. One detrimental aspect of these parties is the drugs that they involve. Few people attend without taking Ecstasy- a very stimulating and very dangerous drug. Rave on.



Most people consider a swimming pool a necessity in order for a school to have a swim team. Well, Delphi has a pool- it was just empty and under construction for the year. However, the Dolphins managed to overcome this small dilemma by practicing at the country club and Carroll High's pool, and of course they couldn't host any meets.



What? I can't hear you over the pivot gun! This was a phrase commonly shouted in classrooms the first three months of the 2000 school year. Construction throughout the school provided a challenge for students and teachers alike.



The Academic Decathlon team made Delphi proud once again as they finished third at the state competition. The team practices all year and was highly rewarded for its efforts.

A twister! A twister! That's right, the Delphi students experienced a real tornado this year. Well, except it didn't touch down... and it was slightly to the north of us. But it was still a little scary, a little exciting and hey- we got out of class for thirty minutes.

Etc....

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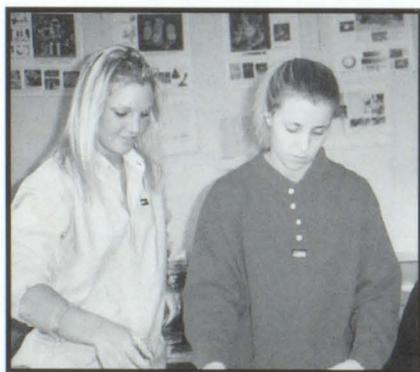


Pizza!



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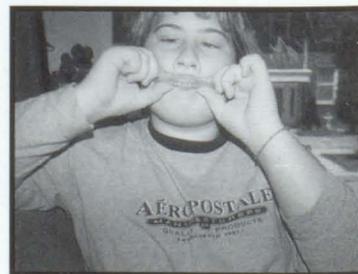
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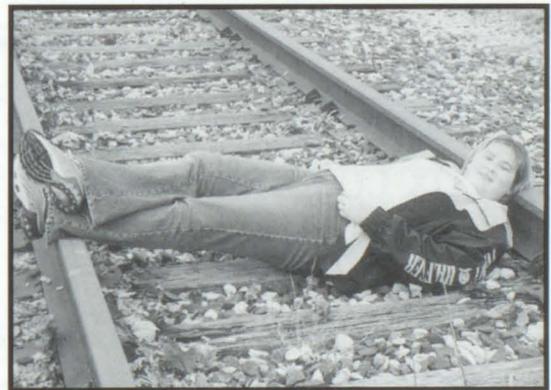


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Where's my
folder?

Does this computer work?

She's in Anderson's room.



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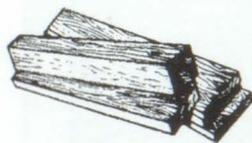


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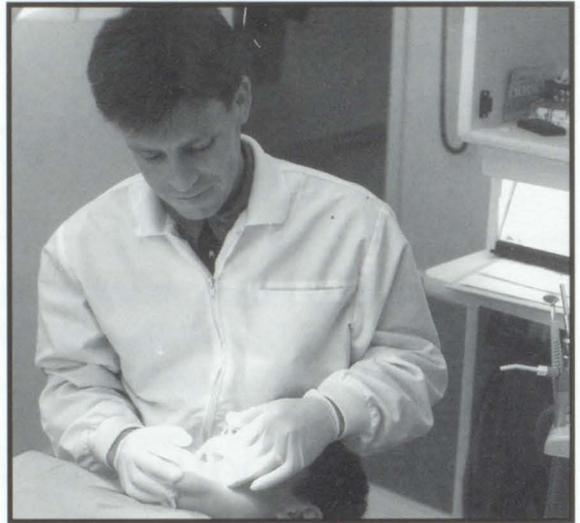
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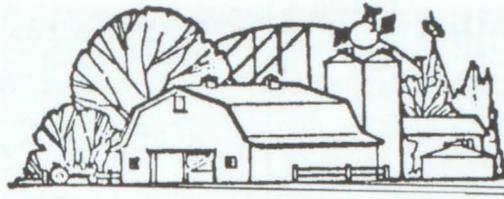
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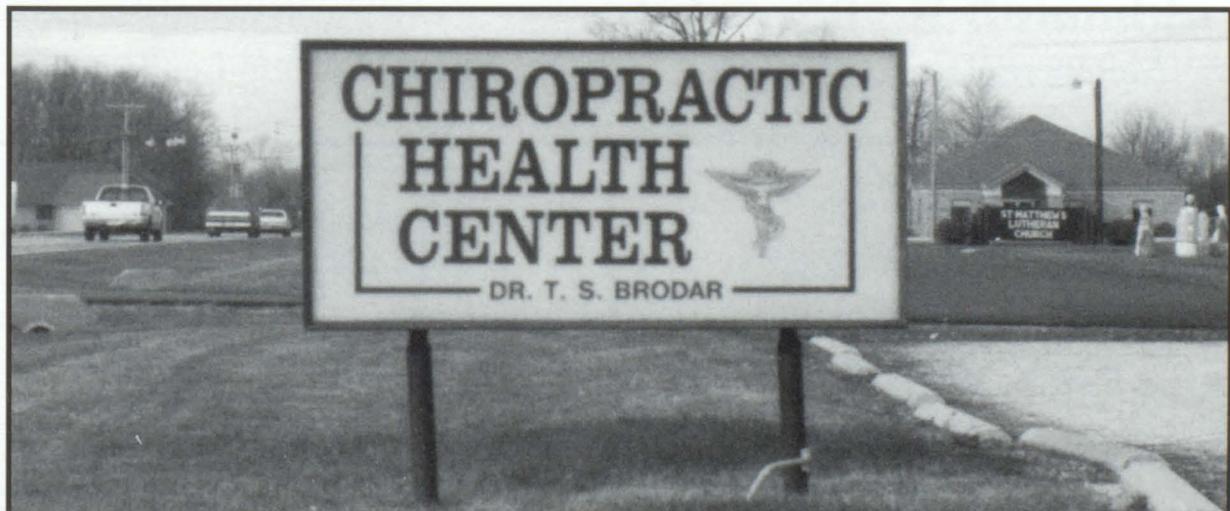
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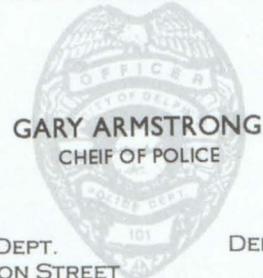
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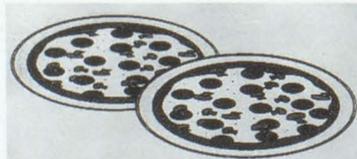
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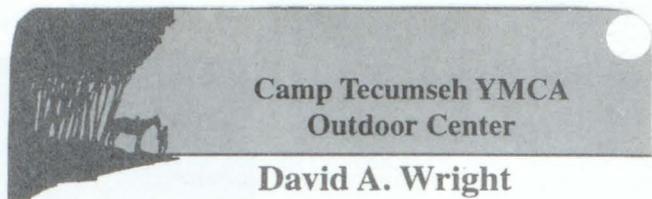


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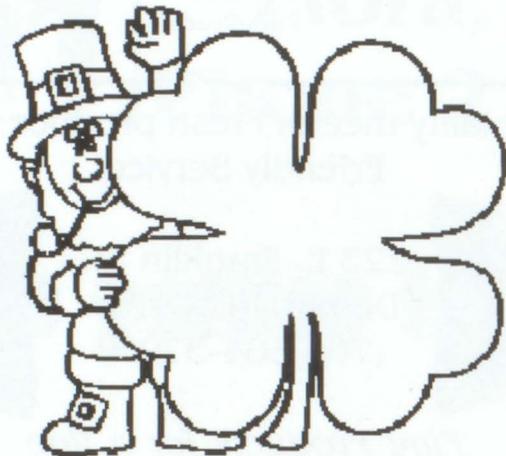
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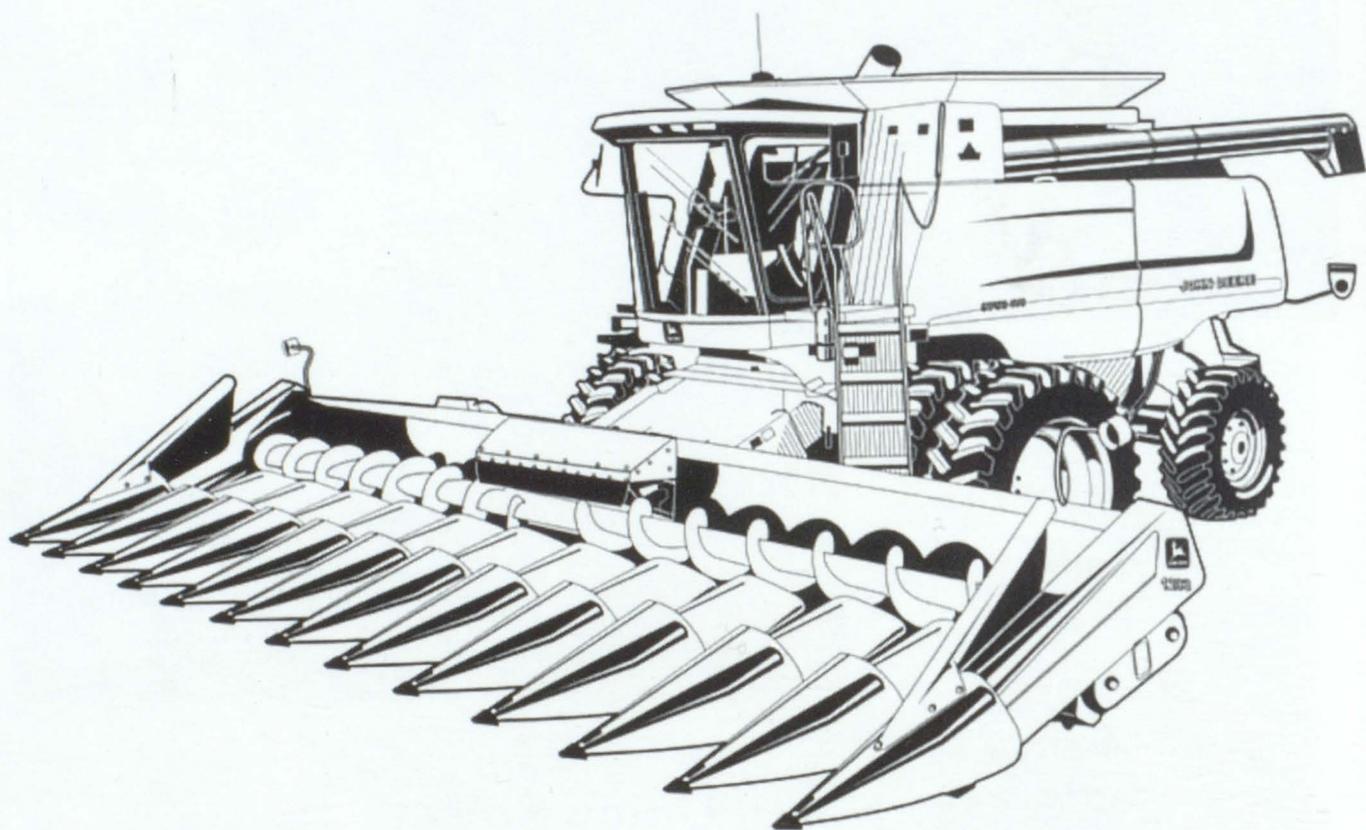
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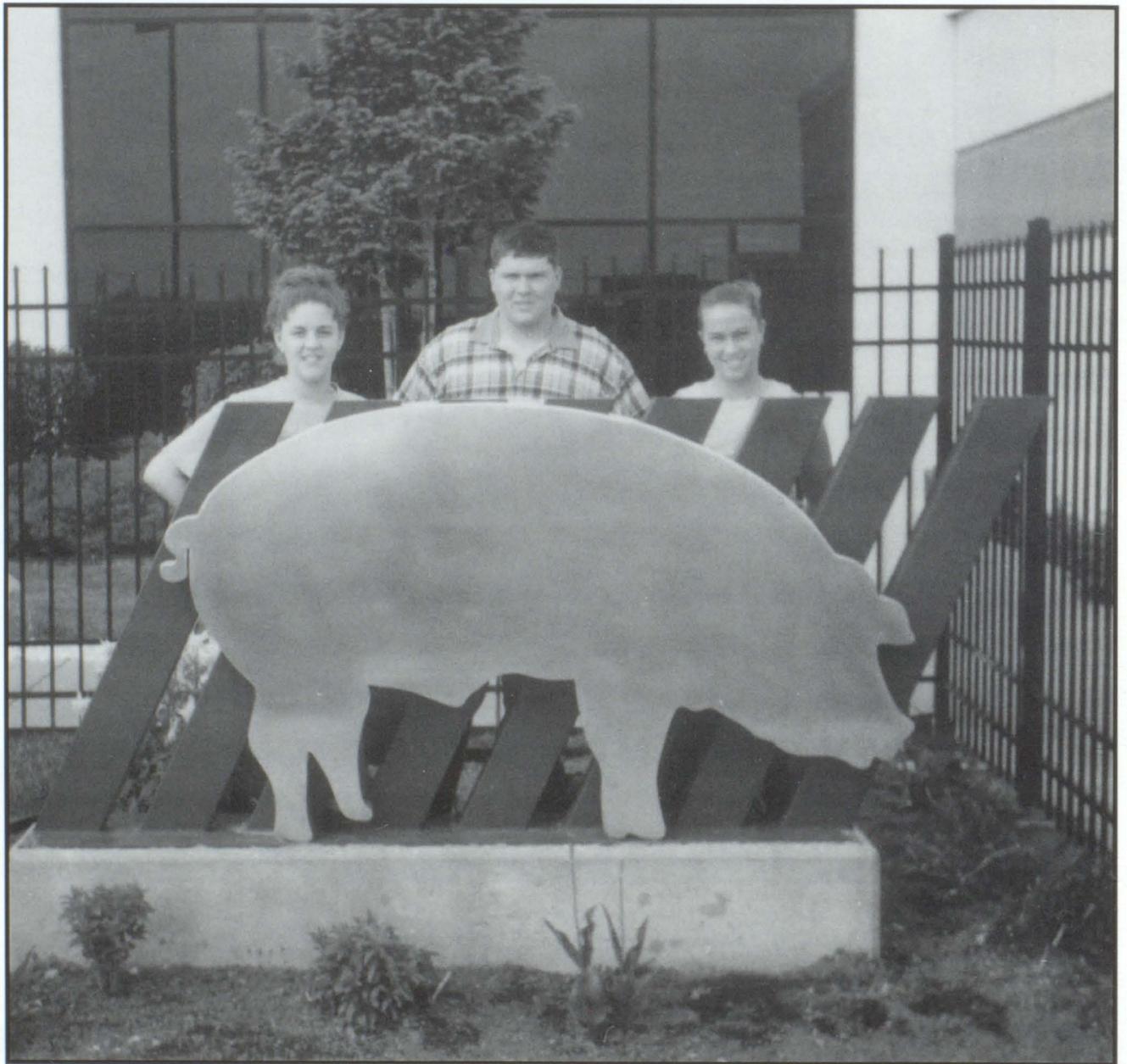


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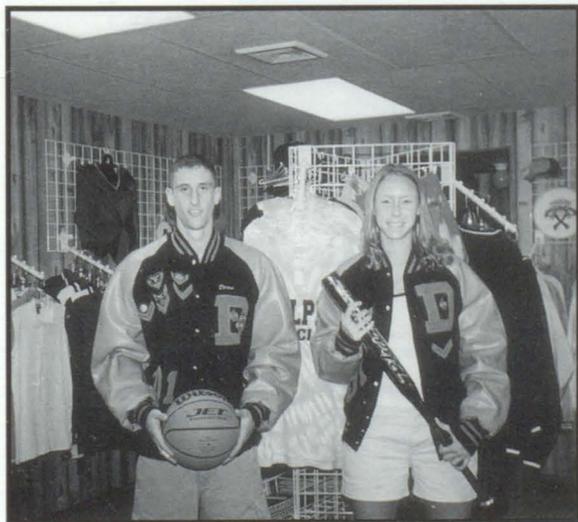
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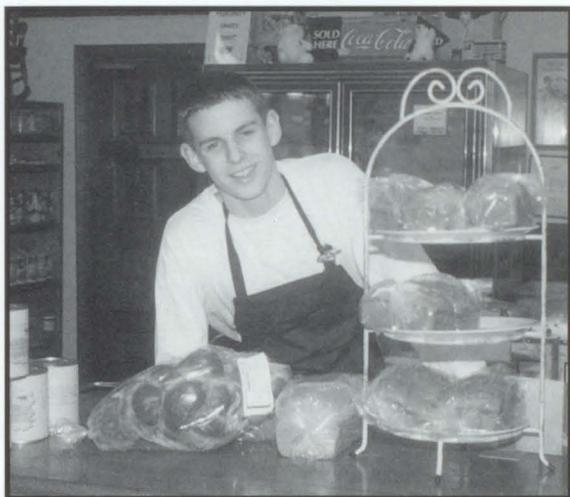
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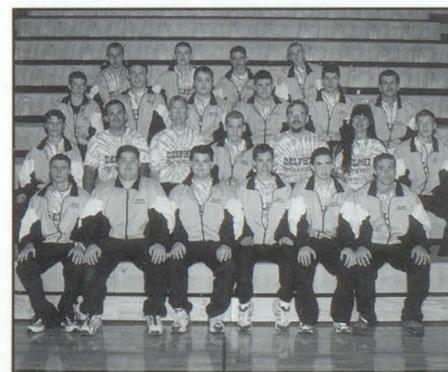
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 MOSS, REGINA 14, 107
 MULLIN, SARA 79
 MULLINS, CHRISTOPHER 79
 MUMMERT, DONNA 91



Varsity Cheerleading

1st row: Megan Hall; 2nd row: Jamie Brummett, Christy Kayser; 3rd row: Trisha Hill

PEEK, VERONICA 56, 84
 PENN, AMANDA 80
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 PENN, SARAH 14, 85
 PERDUE, VANESSA 30, 91
 PERRY, ANTHONY 80
 PERRY, BILLY 11, 96, 107
 PERRY, CLIFF 91
 PERRY, JACOB 91
 PETERS, MATT 59, 85



Student Council

1st row: Ben George, Nick Williams; 2nd row: Mr. Miller, Abby Huffer, Abi Pearson, Kira Larimore, Katie Wright, Brittany Lake, Amanda Miller, Kaysee Stoner, Aaron Anderson, Mrs. Kinzie, Alan Dunbar; 3rd row: Hannah Smith, Kinzie Brummett, Kandi Groninger, Kandice Cripe, Charlie Nichols

PLUNKETT, SARINA 91
 PRICE, BEAU 35, 61, 96, 107
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 PRICE, PHILLIP 80
 PROPPES, SHANA 70, 82, 85



Decathlon
 1st row: Kinzie Brummett, Bobbi Snively, Abbie VanSickle, Abby Huffer, Mr. Tyner; 2nd row: Shaylan Owen, Brad Friedrichsen, Mr. Seumnyck, Josh Yoder

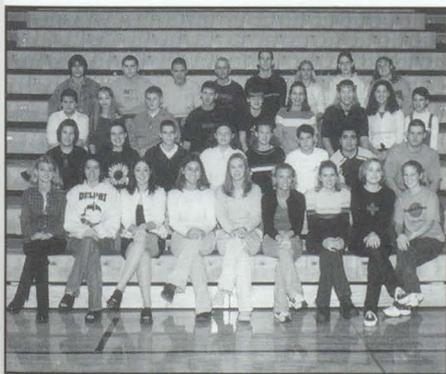
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 RANKIN, J.R. 107
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Spanish Club
 1st row: Jennifer Hughes, Megan Horn, Ashley Hannah, Erin Hallett, Laina Hutsell, Sarah Casto, Stephanie Sullivan, Claire Lacy, Celsie Myers; 2nd row: Lauren Maxwell, Nicole Cox, Kole Groninger, Megan Mcaninch, Heather Davis, William Flory, Salvador Mendez, Danny Price; 3rd row: Sarah Hinton, Melissa Foster, Chris Burkhardt, Glae Clawson, Julie Replogle, Jessica LePage, Kayla Rossetter, Erin Duff, Ali Beighler; 4th row: Cisco Colon, Seth Graves, Charles Hallett, Eric Coghill, Dean Bowman
 Jamie Stodgell, Jennifer Noonkester, Erika Rittenhouse

REEF, CAREY 85
 REMALY, CHRISTOPHER 80
 REMALY, KIMBERLY 91
 REPLOGLE, JULIE 40, 78, 80
 RESLER, JUSTIN 85
 RICHARDS, KEVIN 7, 10, 15, 97, 110
 RICHARDS, TONY 68, 69, 91
 RITTENHOUSE, ERIKA 91
 ROBINETTE, TROY 80
 ROSE, AMY 91
 ROSS, KORY 43, 85
 ROSS, KYLA 29, 110, 120, 123
 ROSSETTER, JUSTIN 91
 ROSSETTER, KAYLA 80
 ROY, MR. 27, 43
 RUCKER, MRS. 27
 RUSH, MICHAEL 85
 RUSH, RICKI 80
 RUSK, BRIAN 15, 85



Spell Bowl 1st row: Ms. Cain, Winter Johnston, Amy Heath, Seth Graves, Blaine Burton, Mr. Duke; 2nd row: Abbie VanSickle, Lauren Maxwell, Megan Horn, Jennifer Hughes, Tony Richards

S

SADLER, ATHENA 80
 SALMERON, SARA 85
 SANDERSFELD, MELISSA 91
 SANDERSFELD, ASHLEY 80
 SCHLINK, NEIL 65
 SCOTT, BRENDA 85
 SCOTT, SARA 100, 110
 SEELE, NATHAN 80
 SERIE, LINDSEY 85
 SEURYNCK, MR. 22, 27, 61
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 SHAFER, MRS. 27
 SHANKS, MARK 80
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 SHERMAN, JUNIE 92
 SHIRELS, ANGELA 92
 SHOEMAKER, KIMBERLY 80
 SLAUGHTERBECK, REBECCA 110
 SLAYBAUGH, NICOLE 80
 SMILEY, MR. 25



National Honor Society
 1st row: Kandice Cripe, Kinzie Brummett, Kandi Groninger, Rachel Miller, Abbie VanSickle, Abby Huffer, Hannah Smith, Mrs. Tyner; 2nd row: Sara Bentley, Derek Butler, Jess Maynard, Scott Nipple, Aspen VanMatre, Kristen Strasser, Bobbi Snively, Beth Heath, Melissa Atkinson; 3rd row: Erin Duff, Erin Hallett, Kyla Ross, Kira Larimore, Alecia Walton, Nick Williams, Andrea Newhart; 4th row: Michael McConnell, Amber Disinger, Nicole Cox, Liz Gray, Amy Minnicus, Shaylan Owen, Brad Friedrichsen; 5th row: Caleb Johnston, Eric Stankard, Blaine Burton, Cooper Lacy, Phillip Zink, Nathan Flory

SMITH, AMANDA 92
 SMITH, A.J. 85
 SMITH, BROOKE 80
 SMITH, CHAD 80
 SMITH, HANNAH 40, 41, 54, 2, 110, 112
 SMITH, JESSICA 85
 SMITH, JON 80
 SMITH, JOSHUA 80
 SMITH, MICHAEL 81
 SNAVELY, BOBBI 2, 110, 115



French Club
 1st row: Alecia Walton, Jamie Brown, Kandice Cripe, Shannon Burns, Kari Cripe, Brittany Lake, Katie Wright, Bobbi Snively, Cassie Hankins, Beth Heath, Abbie VanSickle, Melissa Sandersfeld; 2nd row: Brandi Nichols, Joey Newhart, Ryan Flora, Mrs. Tyner, Erienne Thomson, Whitney George, Mandy Penn, Sara Bentley, Richelle Herriman, Rachel Miller, Katherine Heffley, Ali Brewer, Andrea Newhart; 3rd row: Trisha Enoch, Lindsey Maxwell, Jennifer Turner, Ashley Wagoner, Abby White, Karen Maxwell, Anita Reddinger, Lacey Stoner, Liz Gray, Hannah Smith, Alissa Wilson, Mandy Wertz, Amanda Smith; 4th row: Alex Currie, David Maxwell, Jenny Bargrover, Jade Maxwell, Jenna Whiteaker, Krista Eiler, Winter Johnston, Kari Burns, Brenda Scott, Carrie Miller; 5th row: Nick Tyner, Heath Kahler, Todd Allen, Seth Steward, Ashley Lucas, Lindsey Duff, Desiree Nipple, Brandon Ellrich, Brandon Morrow, Keri Hill; 6th row: Rob Maxwell, Carey Reef, Troy Shanks, Grant Burton, Tom Wilson, Kyle Massengill, Tony Richards, Shaylan Owen, Eric Stankard, Alan Dunbar, Kory Ross

SNAVELY, LEE 85, 87
 SNIDER, CHRISTOPHER 85
 SPEER, THERESA 80

SPENCER, SHANE 81
 SPITZNAGLE, SCOTT 81
 SPITZNAGLE, AMBER 57, 92
 STANKARD, ERIC 92
 STANLEY, NATHAN 80, 81
 STAPLETON, SHANE 110
 STEDMAN, BRENT 81
 STEPHENS, NICK 55, 85
 STEPHENS, RACHEL 92
 STEVENS, JOHNATHAN 3, 110
 STEWARD, SETH 81
 STIVERS, MRS. 27
 STODGELL, CASSI 97, 110



Accapella Choir

1st row: Lena Pearson, Tracie Freeman, Beth Heath, Amy Heath, Valarie Britton, Tony Richards, Alan Dunbar, Holly Williams, Nichole Welsh, Melissa Howard, Amber Henson, Ashley Flora, Katie Rauch, Tracy Brown; 2nd row: Jaclyn Floyd, Christy Kayser, Ashley Keeler, Christy Higgins, Keri Hill, Katie Wright, Melissa Atkinson, Malachi Jagers, Jason Hawkins, Kevin Richards, Stephanie Friedrichsen, Leighanne Randle, Erin Hallett, Ami Gill, Kari Cripe, Jennifer Noonkester; 3rd row: Heather Kesling, Sheila Wilcox, Megan Mcaninch, Melissa Sandersfeld, Ashly Klinker, Sadonna Goyer, Lindsey McKinney, Cassie Hankins, Darell Loy, Nelson Allbaugh, Raymond Jewel, Laina Hutsell, Erin Duff, Brandi Nichols, Karen Wertz, Erin Garrison; 4th row: Jamie Brummett, Jessica Smith, Veronica Peck, Angie Shirels, Kristi Penn, Julie Isley, Ben Turbin, Beau Price, Brad Friedrichsen, Andy Wagoner, Desiree Nipple, Angie Nelson, Katie Kayser, Brenda Scott, Kari Burns

STODGELL, JAMIE 85
 STODGELL, JENNIFER 85
 STOKDYK, CHRIS 31, 100, 110
 STONER, KAYSEE 54, 81
 STONER, LACEY 92
 STRASSER, KRISTEN 2, 110
 STRIEBECK, ASHLEY 81
 STRIEBECK, DANIELLE 70, 71, 110, 131
 STRIEBECK, MR 27
 STRINGER, TODD 85
 SULLIVAN, STEPHANIE 88, 92
 SUTTON, SAMUEL 81
 SYDOW, SARAH 92

T

TABLER, BILLY 17, 85
 THEOBALD, MRS. 22, 27
 THOMPSON, AMY 110
 THOMSEN, CASSIE 96
 THOMSEN, ERIENNE 11, 81



Entertainers

1st row: Lena Pearson, Ashly Klinker, Amy Heath, Katie Kayser, Julie Isley, Amanda Overmyer, Kristi Gill; 2nd row: Christy Kayser, Beth Heath, Abbie VanSickle, Abby Huffer, Erin Hallett, Erin Garrison; 3rd row: Matt Burton, Malachi Jagers, Chase Morrow, Tony Richards, Jon Curtis; 4th row: Brad Friedrichsen, Ben Turbin, Andy Wagoner, Beau Price, Jason Hawkins, Ryan Finn

TROYER, MATTHEW 86
 TURBIN, BENJAMIN 92
 TURNER, JENNIFER 81
 TYLER, MITCHELL 86
 TYNER, MR 23, 27, 64
 TYNER, MRS. 27, 55, 87
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Band 1st row: Jade Maxwell, Vanessa Perdue, Shana Propes, Alissa Wilson, Robyn Fisher, Alex Currie, Amy McCoy, Heather Davis, Tara Hustell, Emily Zink, Rebecca McCreedy, Amy Heath, Celsie Myers, Julie Mitchell, T.J. Cunningham, Mandy Wertz; 2nd row: Karen Maxwell, Christina Gaaney, Colt Chapman, Hank Veach, Scott McNeany, Todd Stringer, Jared Maxwell, Trista Mummert, Ashley Striebeck, Kira Larimore, Daisha Foster, Dixie Justice, Nicole Cox, Lauren Maxwell, Megan Horn, Lacey Jeffery, Amanda Smith; 3rd row: Don Hickman, Danielle Bartels, Barrett Miller, Byard Hubbard, Copper Lacey, Nick Young, Amy Rose, Yolanda Cull, Claire Lacy, Amber Disinger, Amy Minnicus, Nicole Veldhuizen, Rob Maxwell, Jeff Maxwell; 4th row: Tom Bagby, Lee Snavelly, Nathan Stanley, Deven Fisher, Todd Allen, Michael McConnell, Phillip Zink, Josh Yoder, Greg Wilson, Grant Burton, Jordan Hubbard, Matt Atkinson, Seth Graves, Danny Price, Brenna Myers, Blaine Burton, Tom Wilson

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VANMATRE, ASPEN 7, 14, 2, 110, 123
 VANSICKLE, ABBIE 34, 61, 100, 110, 129
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 VENTERS, JOHN 86
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 VIANCO, TONY 35, 92, 93

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WAGONER, ANDY 3, 69, 101, 110
 WAGONER, ASHLEY 72, 73, 81
 WALKER, MISTY 72, 92
 WALKER, NATASHA 81
 WALKER, TESS 86
 WALLAR, CHRISTOPHER 92



Concert Choir

1st row: Mandy Penn, Shannon Burns, Brittany Lake, Ashley Sandersfeld, Kris Brummett, Joey Newhart, Phillip Price, Brooke Smith, Sara Salmeron, Lisa Chafin, Brittany Garrison; 2nd row: Stephanie Lewis, Abby White, Jenny Turner, Cindy Minnicus, Ali Bieghler, Mark Shanks, Chris Burkhardt, Jeff Williams, Heath Kahler, Jon Curtis, Morgan Myers, Amber Clawson, Amanda Christian, Shelby Garlinger, Holly Draper; 3rd row: Regina Moss, Melissa Foster, Jennifer Barngrover, Nick Tyner, Michael Smith, Corey Ginn, Chase Morrow, Ryan Finn, Tara Page, Lindsey Maxwell, Trisha Enoch, Kerry Ginn, Whitney George, Kristi Gill, Ali Brewer; 4th row: Sandy Warthan, Theresa Speer, Maggie Wertz, Ashley Wagoner, Kole Groninger, Matt Burton, Erienne Thomsen, Jessica LePage, Amanda Miller, Kim Shoemaker, Amanda Combs, Natasha Walker, Jamie Brown

WALTON, ALECIA 90, 92
 WARD, JESSICA 92



Book Club

1st row: Blaine Burton; 2nd row: Jennifer Hughes, Katherine Wright, Amy Heath; 3rd row: Beth Heath, Danielle Bartels, Katherine Heffley, Ashly Klinker, Megan Horn, Lauren Maxwell, Miss Lawton; 4th row: Brad Friedrichsen, Kyle Messengill, ShalanOwen, Alma Brewer, Theresa Speer, Maggie Wertz, Mrs. Wright

WARD RIP, WILLIAM 81
 WARF, JACOB 81
 WARF, KARRI 92
 WARTHAN, SANDY 81
 WAYVIRE, ELIZABETH 86



FFA
 1st row: Cassi Hankins, Mindy Gray, Mr. Striebeck, Johnathan Stevens, Stefanie Berkshire, Charlie Nichols, Adam Duff, Brandi Nichols, Scott Nipple, Mrs. Theobald, Hilary Fassnacht, Brittany Garrison; 2nd row: Rob Huff, Bryon Nipple, Ryan Harter, Mike Clark, Kandi Groninger, Danielle Striebeck, Krysta Dunbar, Nick Williams, Shana Propes, Kaysee Stoner, Ashley Garrison, Jackie Fassnacht, Erin Duff, Tess Walker; 3rd row: Robyn Fisher, Jennifer Baxter, Ashley Striebeck, Matt Peters, Billy Tabler, Amanda Overmyer, Lindsey Beever, Sarah Penn, John Smith, Justin Brown, James Nipple, Jared Maxwell; 4th row: Phillip Penn, Sandra Warthan, Jennifer Barnsfather, Amber Clawson, Amanda Miller, Morgan Myers, Ashley Sandersfeld, Jamie Brown, Alecia Walton, Andrea Newhart, David Maxwell, John Curts; 5th row: Sarah Hinton, Trista Mummert, Holly Draper, Tara Pulawa, Tracie Freeman, Shalyn Wilson, Brooke Smith, Ashley Hanna, Justin Herbst, Kevin Flood, Brandon Fassnacht, Jeff Williams; 6th row: Matt Burton, Jacob Warf, Ricki Rush, Tabitha Breece, Angela Shirels, Kristi Penn, Lacey Jeffery, Kory Ross, Joey Long, Mark Emerson, Joey Newhart, Rob Maxwell; 7th row: Justin Rossetter, Nikki Widner, Kyla Curts, J.D. Ragan, Cameron Draper, Nick Duff, Josh Hinton, Barrett Miller, Sam Heise, Alan Dunbar, Jason Johnson, Scott Spitznagle, Mike Martin.

WEBB, BARTON 86
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Sunshine Society
 1st row: Shelly Humphrey, Leighanne Randle, Cassie Hankins, Erin Hallett, Richelle Herriman, Kristen Strasser, Julie Schrader; 2nd row: Kara Garrison, Brandi Nichols, Ali Bieghler, Shannon Burns, Mandy Penn, Valarie Britton, Amber Britton, Heather Davis, Katherine Heffley; 3rd row: Kara Grable, Victoria Hicks, Megan Mcaninch, Krista Eiler, Veronica Peek, Jennifer Peek, Jessica Norris

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 WEISHAAR, BLAKE 92
 WELSH, NICHOLE 67, 86
 VERTZ, KAREN 35, 60, 110, 117
 VERTZ, MAGGIE 81

VERTZ, MANDY 69, 92
 WHERLEY, BRANDON 86
 WHITE, ABBY 81
 WHITE, LIDDIA 110, 129
 WHITEAKER, JENNA 81
 VIDNER, NIKKI 92
 VILCOX, SHEILA 86
 WILLIAMS, DR 25
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 WILLIAMS, JEFF 81
 WILLIAMS, NICK 54, 88, 92
 WILSON, ALISSA 81
 WILSON, GREGORY 86
 WILSON, SHALYN 72, 81
 WILSON, THOMAS 86
 WOLFE, JOSEPH 92
 WOODS, DEREK 93
 WRIGHT, KATIE 2, 23, 54, 56, 82, 86
 WRIGHT, KEVIN 93
 WRIGHT, MRS. 27



Varsity D
 1st row: Jason Hawkins, Amanda Overmyer, Derek Butler, Nick Williams, Michael McConnell, Andy Wagoner, Joel Marshall, Ian Mose, Kevin Richards, Kristen Strasser; 2nd row: Nathan Flory, Brad Friedrichson, Phillip Zink, Kandice Cripe, Kandi Groninger, Danielle Striebeck, Krysta Dunbar, Daniel Klopfenstein, Katie Wright, Kari Cripe, Desiree Nipple, Lindsey Duff; 3rd row: Kaysee Stoner, Abby Huffer, Beau Price, Brandon Metzinger, Charlie Nichols, Josh Jackson, Stephanie Berkshire, Megan Horn, Celsie Myers, Aspen VanMatre, Kyla Ross, Kinzie Brummett, Ben George; 4th row: Jade Maxwell, Jenna Whiteaker, Derek Woods, Jason Brown, Dean Bowman, Brian Dunbar, Brian Casserly, Chip Dale, Alan Dunbar, Ryan Flora, Jordan Bass, Brandon Morrow; 5th row: Jessica LePage, Ashley Garrison, Alecia Johnson, Karen Wertz, Justin Keys, Troy Shanks, Carey Reef, Greg Wilson, Cooper Lacy, Amy Minnicus, Josh Yoder, Blaine Burton, Danielle Bartels, Beth Heath; 6th row: Jamie Brown, Amanda Davidson, Tracy Brown, Katie Rauch, Alecia Walton, Andrea Newhart, Kira Larimore, Lena Pearson, Nicole Cox, Adam Barnsfather, Cassi Hankins, Richelle Herriman, Jennifer Noonkester, Hannah Smith; 7th row: Lindsey Beever, Lindsey Brodar, Stephanie Sullivan, Brandi Nichols, Leighann Randle

Y
 YEAGER, ELAINE 86
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 YOUNG, NICK 68, 86



FCLA
 1st row: Amber Fultz, Mrs. Brown, Amber Zborek; 2nd row: Junie Sherman, Regina Moss, Kara Grable, Donna Mummert

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 ZARSE, BRANDON 36, 81
 ZBOREK, AMANDA 86
 ZBOREK, AMBER 93
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SADD
 1st row: Erin Garrison, Kristen Strasser, Jamie Brummett, Cassie Hankins; 2nd row: Mindy Gray, Tony Richards, Jason Hawkins, Amanda Overmyer, Katie Rauch, Tracy Brown, Amanda Davidson, Kandi Morrow, Carrie Acheson, Richelle Herriman; 3rd row: Kara Grable, Sara Mullin, Brandi Nichols, Amber Spitznagle, Julie Isley, Lindsey Brodar, Sarah Casto, Stephanie Sullivan, Ali Bieghler, Christy Kayser, Lindsey Duff; 4th row: Victoria Hicks, Jennifer Noonkester, Kari Cripe, Stephanie Friedrichsen, Laina Hustell, Dixie Justice, Daisha Foster, Amber Henson, Jamie Brown, Shannon Burns, Erienne Thomsen; 5th row: Beth Heath, Megan Mcaninch, Elaine Yeager, Leighanne Randle, Sheila Wilcox, Lisa Chafin, Nichole Welsh

The year was very exciting with old and new activities. All students of DCHS experienced bappy times along with those teenage trials and tribulations which resulted in C H A N G E. For all of the days that the Oracle staff spent working on numerous spreads and deadlines, it was all worth it. Our goal for the year was to bring you a fun, different, and exciting book. We hope that you, the reader, enjoy it so that in years to come, it will represent the time that all of us shared together and you can look back upon it and recognize how C H A N G E continues...

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