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PERSONALITY

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HEART



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KNOWLEDGE



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STRENGTH

2003-2004
Enrollment 493

Delphi
Community
High School

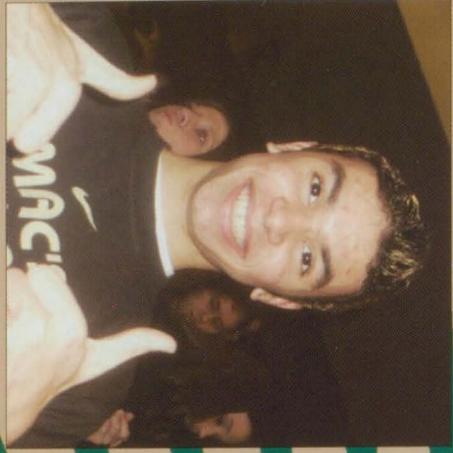
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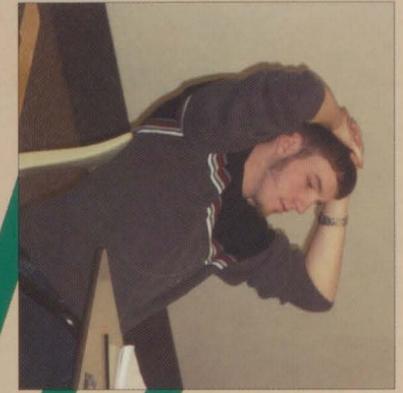
Thales Almeida 05



Alyssa Robbins 05



Charlie Oliver 04



Tim Pritchett 05



Jared Manny 05



Desiree Plunkett 05



Brianne Stauffer 07



REVEALED
Personality
Knowledge
Strength Heart



Elizabeth Myers 05

What would you think if you saw you? Your image is imprinted in a glance. Make sure you know what it is...

Your image, your drive, your motivation, your dreams, your goals, your life adventures, your future, your identity...all communicated at first sight.

It's your PERSONALITY. It's your KNOWLEDGE. It's your STRENGTH. It's your HEART. It's how you communicate with people. It's what you know. It's what you do. It's what you don't do. It's who you are. It's your identity. It's your image. It's your life... REVEALED.

-Marley Owen



Misty Rector 04



Sarah Wright 05

You.

The way you look. The way you

talk. Right down to the pink

sneakers and pink-tipped nails

you carefully coordinated with

the outfit you put on this morn-

ing. If you really ponder this,

these are only minor details of

someone that accessorizes their

personality. Our personalities are

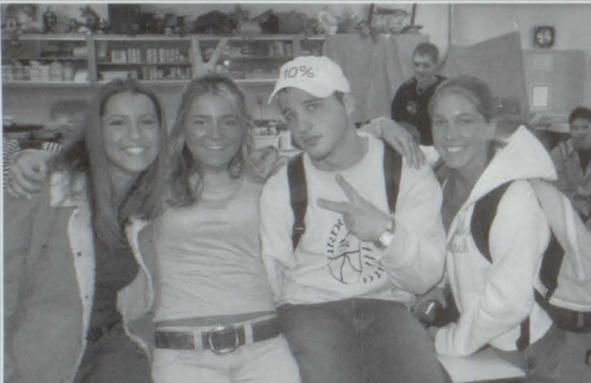
who we really are, while our

accessories reflect who we want to

be. How do you accessorize

yourself?

·Taylor Vaknin



Kirsty Flora, Brittany Sales, Marshall Criswell, Tara Brummett



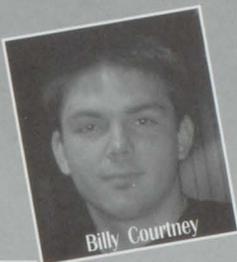
Chad Radke

Jonathon Sales

Michael Atwood, Mr. Burpo



Kim Allen



Billy Courtney



Evan Maxwell, Tabitha Smith



Megan Walton



Leah Cree, Brianna Stauffer



Jamie Nipple



Joanna Zink



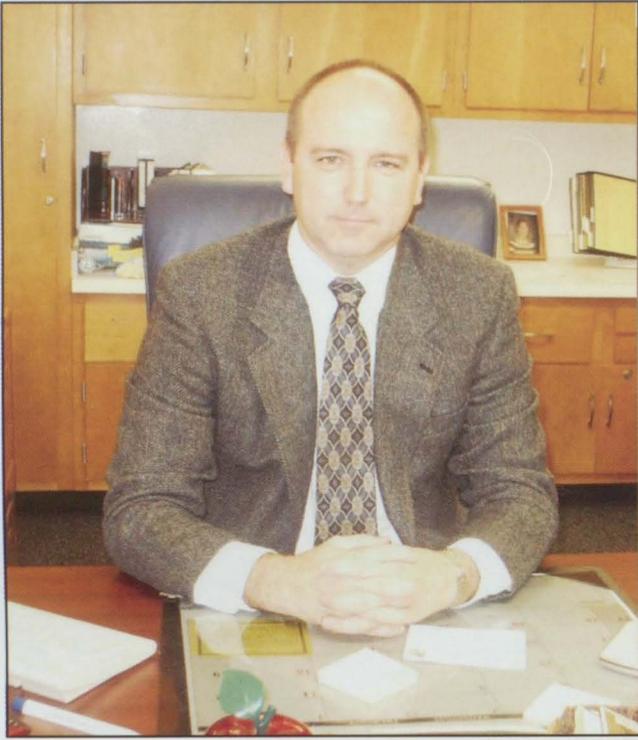
Lydia Smith, Steve Callender



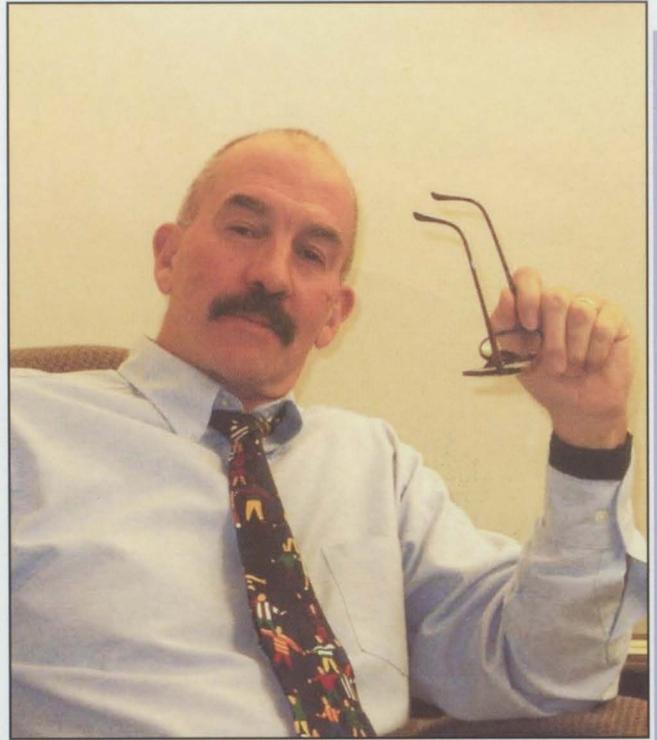
Josh Mullin

Personality

Administration



Principal Mr. Brakel



Assistant Principal Mr. Brannan



Athletic Director Mr. Blaydes



Superintendent Dr. Williams

& Support Staff



(above) Office Secretaries: Mrs. Trent, Guidance Secretary; Mrs. Strasser, Secretary to Athletic Director; Mrs. Farrell, Secretary to Assistant Principal; Mrs. Duff, Secretary to Principal.



(above) Guidance Counselors Mrs. Israel and Mr. Smiley

Where would DCHS be without the discipline and organization that the administration and support staff bring? Students may not realize how much they actually do on a daily basis. Administrators and the support staff responsibilities range from the superintendent and principal budgeting the funds to pay for events, discipline handed down from the office, to making sure the building is clean. Everyone may just see them as faces among the students or those people that sit at the table in front of the office steps day in and day out. These people do so much to keep the programs and classes of DCHS running smoothly.

·Savannah Osborne



Troy Schrader



Denny Whitus



Jeff Johnson



Sherri Cain

Building Maintenance

Quiet While I Take Attendance

Mrs. Amy Adams
Mr. Neal Anderson
Mr. Mike Atwood
Mr. David Beale
Mr. Robert Blaydes
Mr. Keith Brakel



Mr. Al Brannan
Mrs. Patricia Brettnacher
Ms. Lana Brown
Mrs. Judi Brummett
Mrs. Jody Burns
Mr. Vince Burpo



Mrs. Sherrie Cain
Mrs. Norma Carpenter
Mrs. Susan Condon
Mrs. Mary Cray
Mrs. Chris Duff
Mrs. Debbie Farrell



Mr. Aaron Fezzey
Mr. John Gasser
Mr. Randy German
Mr. Bill Gray
Mrs. Janet Israel
Mr. Kirk Janowiak



Mr. Kevin Kayser
Mrs. Laurie Kinzie
Ms. Joyce Lawton
Mr. Dan LePage
Mrs. Patricia Mason
Mr. Stu Mathis



Mr. Brian McCammon
Mrs. Sarah McKaig
Mrs. Carla Mote
Mrs. Leslie Pickering
Mr. Gabe Popovich
Mrs. Nancy Rucker



Mrs. Stella Schafer
Mr. Joseph Seurnyck
Mr. Greg Smiley
Mrs. Nancy Stivers
Mrs. Denise Strasser
Mrs. Beth Theobald



Mrs. Kay Trent
Mrs. Linda Tyner
Mr. Denny Whitus
Mrs. Beth Wright
Mrs. Rebecca Yoder



NOT
PICTURED:
Tina Mayhew
Jeff Johnson
Troy Schrader

Mr. Anderson

If you had one hour of free time everyday, how would you spend it?: **I would visit with friends and eat a bowl of ice cream.**

What college did you go to?: **Purdue**

What college team do you support now?: **Purdue**



Mrs. Mason

If you had one hour of free time everyday, how would you spend it?: **If he were around, I'd play with my grandson, Parker, who just turned four. If he isn't around, I'd spend my time reading. Over Christmas vacation I read nine novels.**

What college did you go to?: **Purdue University for both B.S. and M.S.**

What college team do you support now?: **What? Boilermakers, of course. I bleed black and gold.**

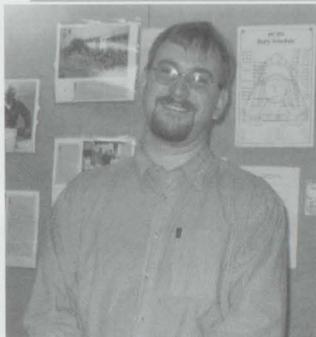


Mr. Gasser

If you had one hour of free time everyday, how would you spend it?: **I would rough house with my daughters, Bailey and Jordyn, or play video games.**

What college did you go to?: **Franklin College**

What college team do you support now?: **University of Wisconsin**



Mr. Popovich

If you had one hour of free time everyday, how would you spend it?: **I'd do something relaxing, maybe I'd join a bowling league!**

What college did you go to?: **Purdue**

What college team do you support now?: **Die-hard Purdue fan.**



Mrs. Yoder

If you had one hour of free time everyday, how would you spend it?: **I would read or refinish furniture.**

What college did you go to?: **Purdue University**

What college team do you support now?: **Purdue**



Mrs. Brown

If you had one hour of free time everyday, how would you spend it?: **Being creative - beading, working with wire, ribbon, or fabric. I have to keep my hands busy.**

What college did you go to?: **Ball State**

What college team do you support now?: **Purdue because my son attends there.**



Mr. Striebeck

If you had one hour of free time everyday, how would you spend it?: **I would train and ride horses.**

What college did you go to?: **Purdue University**

What college team do you support now?: **All Purdue sports and St. Mary of the Woods Equestrian Team.**

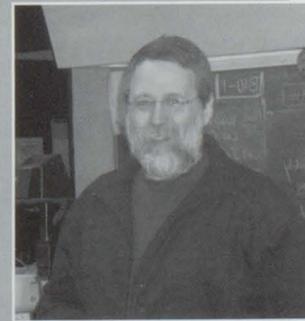


Mr. Janowiak

If you had one hour of free time everyday, how would you spend it?: **I would make music with my guitar, read, go hiking in the woods, or sit and watch my reef aquarium.**

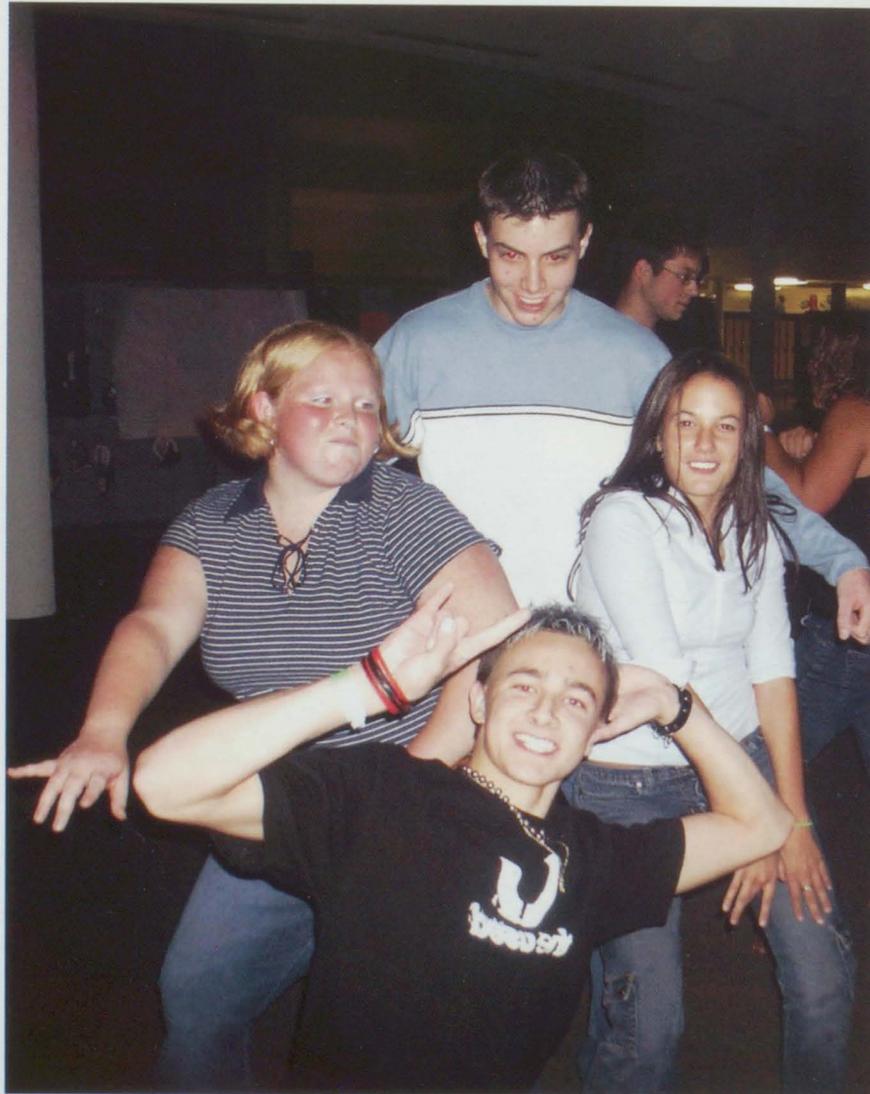
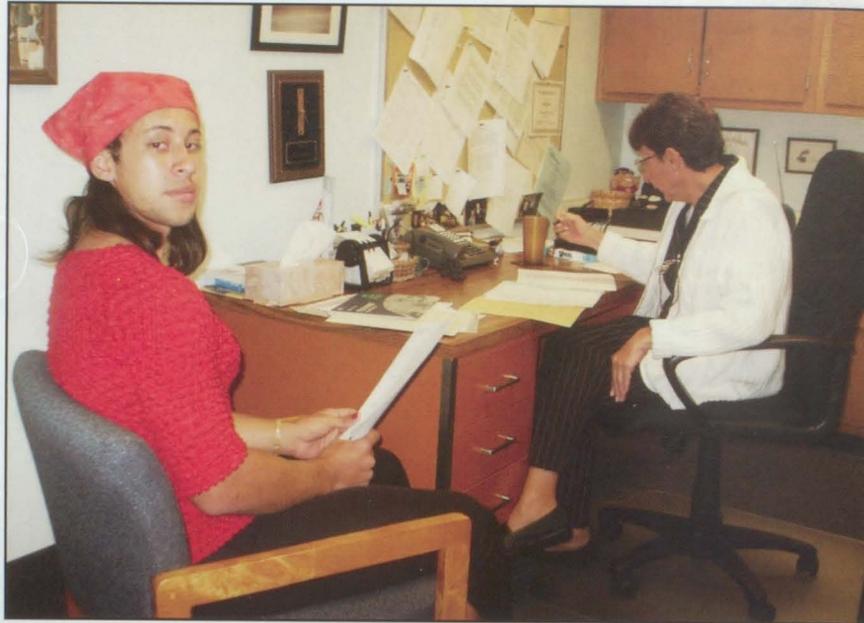
What college did you go to?: **Purdue University for my 3 degrees. I have also taken classes and attended other colleges and universities for continuing education. (Michigan State, Indiana University, Ball State, IUPUI, Fresno State, and Iowa State)**

What college team do you support now?: **I do not follow college teams at all.**



(right) In Mrs. Israel's office, Amre Hariri 04 waits to get his schedule changed and shows off his school spirit during football homecoming week on role reversal day. He commented, "It was role reversal day?"

(below) Cheerleaders held a pep rally before the Bacon Bowl game with the Carroll Cougars. Stacy Shoup 04 said, "Mr. Seurnyck was shakin' his bacon to win the bacon sizzle competition."



(above) S.H.O.C.K. or Students Helping Out Community and Kids was a chance for many juniors and seniors that had passed the ISTEP test to help volunteer in the community with clean-up of the debris left from the July 4th flood when a levee broke. Jamie Weaver 05 is taking a break from her hard work.

(right) This first yearbook dance was a hit. Tim Pritchett 05, Deja Kendall 05, Shawna Roach 04, and Kyle Hostetter 04 are having a good time and there were many prizes given away.



(left) During the White County Tourney, the maniacs go crazy after refs make a call. Delphi won the championship game of the tourney and defeated the Frontier Falcons.

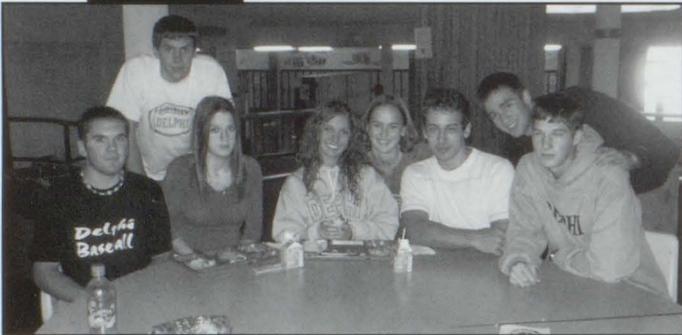
(below) S.H.O.C.K. was a big hit with DCHS students. Ephina Moore 04 is seen with her face mask close at hand because of health concerns issued by Carroll County Health Department for any persons involved in the clean-up.



(above) Injured most of the season, Kyle Hammond 06 stands on the sidelines of the football field cheering on his favorite team, Delphi. When asked how he felt about the season he commented, "I wish I could have been out there."

(left) During homecoming week, Brian Williams 07, Colin Stauffer 05, and Erin Wertz 04 are proud participants of role reversal day as they show their school spirit.

All good things...



(above) Ross Larimore, Dave Strasser, Amanda Grosvenor, Sara Peschke, Heather Brakel, Amre Hariri, Nathan Zink, Philip Flory. When Heather was asked what she thought of her senior year she said, "I really enjoy being a senior at Delphi, it's been a lot of fun, and I've made a lot of new friends."

Who would have thought four years would go by so fast? **Seniors**. So what exactly does that mean? Well, to the Class of 2004 it means it is time to look to the future and ask, what is next? College? A job? Where are my friends going to be? These are all questions **seniors** have asked. Growing so close to one another over the years, the **seniors** have all learned to get along.

The class of 2004 did all they could do to make their high school years worth remembering. With all the sporting events, dances, and weekends together, the **senior** class did not leave anything behind to regret. High school has had its highs and lows, all while each contributed a fair share of learning experiences.

Just as soon as the **senior** class moved in and figured out all the aspects of high school, the class of 2004 moved out.

•Ashley Clawson

What do you think is so cool about being a **SENIOR?**

"Being a senior is cool because, I'm the man!"

•Marshall Criswell

"Countin' down the days, baby!"

•Jamie Nipple

"Since we are seniors we get out of class a lot!"

•Marley Owen

"Being a senior is cool because we get to cut in the lunch line." •Kendra Cree

"I don't have any homework!"

•Justin Scaggs

"I like being a senior because I can run across the mezzine without getting tackled."

•BRANDON COOK

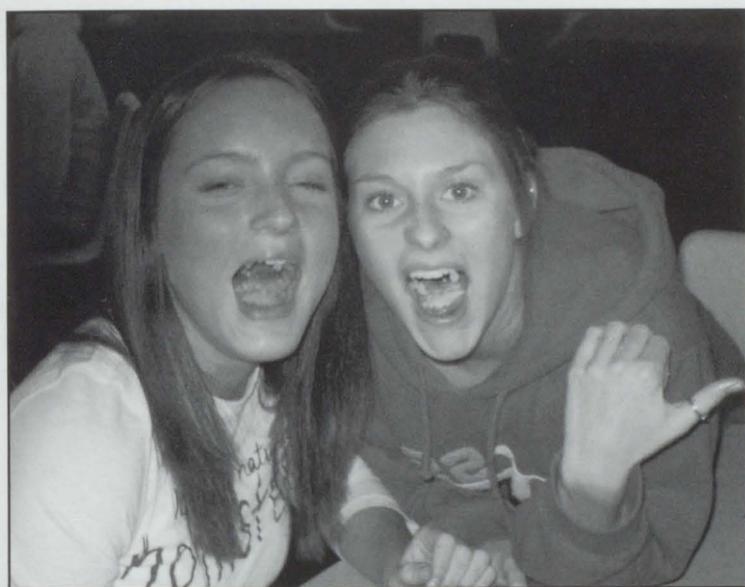
Being a senior rocks, we're almost done with high school!

•Sarah Cox



(top left) Tiffany Martin and Erica Hill, they're out wondering the halls. These girls were office aides, so they ran errands for the office. Tiffany stated, "First hour was really cool. Erica and I were always out in the hall running around."

(top right) Nate Lear, Charlie Oliver, Jessie Bagby, Wade Myers, and Zack Humbarger all sat together on the mezzanine this year and made sure no underclassmen ran across. "It was fun eating lunch on the mezzanine with my friends and keeping the underclassmen under control!" reported Zack.



(left) Danielle Wagoner and Tabitha Smith show some love for the school lunches. "The lunches at DCHS are awesome. Danielle and I will probably lose close to 20 pounds without them next year!" hopefully stated Tabitha.

(bottom left) Whitney Bass and Ryne Hillenberg enjoy thier lunch on the mezzanine along with the other seniors. " I had "C" lunch, sometimes it's boring, but we make the most of it," commented Whitney.



"It's all about the underclassmen impressing the seniors." • Kim Allen

"I LIKE BEING A SENIOR BECAUSE WE GET TO BOSS THE UNDER-CLASSMEN AROUND."

• ABBEE FLORA

must come to an end.

Class of 2004

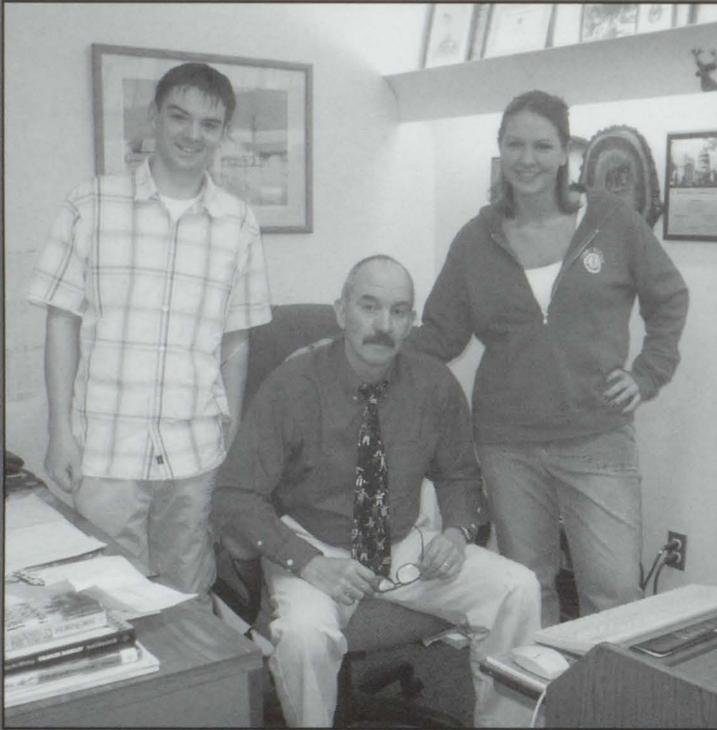




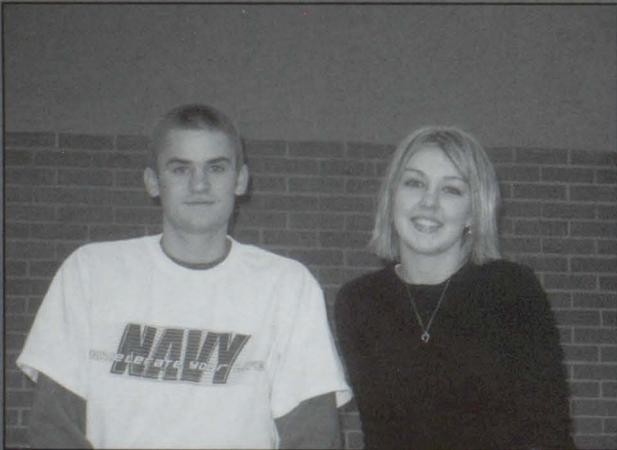
Who We

Think

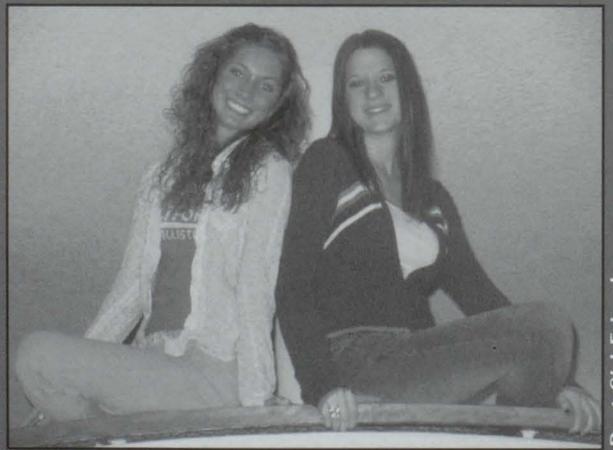
Mr. Brannan's Closest Pals:
Wade Myers & Ephina Moore



Most Likely To Become Famous:
Ben Allbaugh & Marley Owen

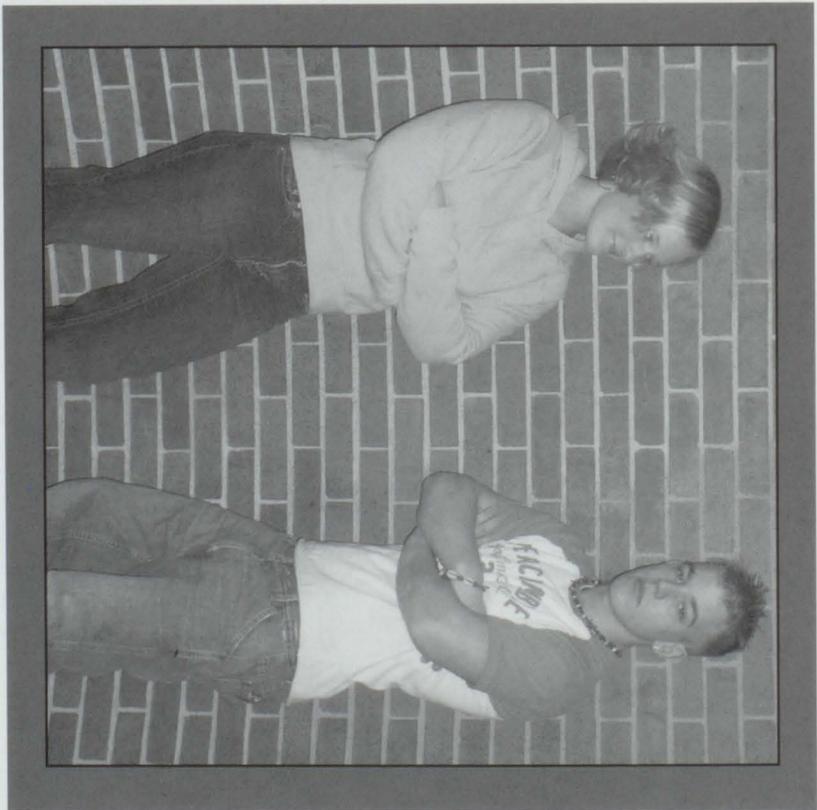


Best Girl Friends:
Sara Peschke & Amanda Grosvenor

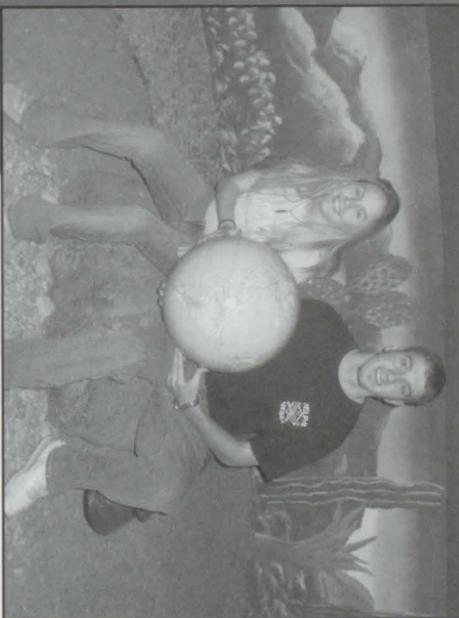


W/e Are...

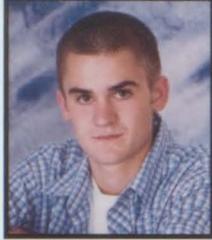
**Biggest Drama King and Queen:
Holly Allbaugh & Nate Lear**



**Least Likely To Be Seen In Delphi Again:
Amanda Kohl & Charlie Oliver**



**Most Sarcastic:
Sean Casserly & Abbee Flora**



Benjamin Donald Allbaugh

2004 Graduate



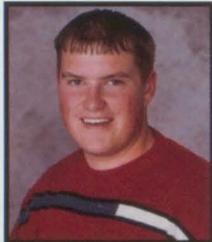
Holly M. Allbaugh

"Never let fear stand in the way of your dreams, have no regrets, live your life the way you want."



Kimberly Nicole Allen

*"Big things come in small packages."
"Out to have a good time."*



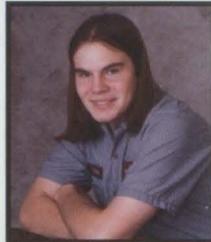
Jared Lee Anderson

"Make like horse manure and hit the trail."



Jesse L. Bagby

"The only need you'll ever need is the need of a want."



Scott Anthony Baker

*"If we don't believe in freedom of expression for people we despise, we don't believe in it at all."
-Noam Chousky*



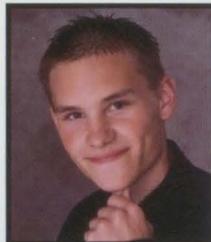
Eric C. Bane

2004 Graduate



Erica Shea Barnsfather

"Life is a wheel of fortune and it is my turn to spin it."



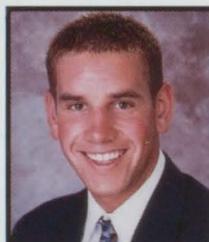
Clinton James Bartels

"I'll be back in 10 years so you can carry out my groceries."



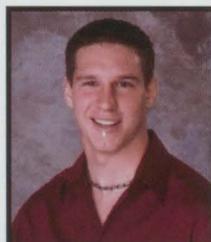
Whitney Marie Bass

"Always be yourself because those who mind don't matter and those who matter don't mind."



Nathan Michael Beach

"High school has been the best four years of my life. Enjoy every moment and do everything possible."



Casey Lee Blickenstaff

2004 Graduate



Heather Marie Brakel

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

-Les Brown



Adam Coty Bridge

2004 Graduate



Sean Martin Casserly

2004 Graduate



Laura Marcela Cediell

"Love is not blind-it sees more, not less. But because it sees more, it is willing to see less."

-Rabbi Julius Gordon



Ashley Marie Clawson

"The best way to cheer yourself up is to cheer someone else up."

-Mark Twain



Lee Robert Cline

"The world is a perfect collection of imperfections."





Brandon Dean
Cook

2004 Graduate



Billy Justin
Courtney

2004 Graduate



Oliver Cox

2004 Graduate



Sarah Cox

"Your friends are the ones who come and bail you out of jail, but your best friend is sitting right beside you saying, man we messed up!"



Kendra Danielle
Cree

*"The friends that matter the most are the ones you can call at 4 a.m."
"Dont sweat the small stuff."*



Marshall James
Criswell

"Don't dream it, live it."



Triston Allen
Draper

2004 Graduate



Mitchell Lewis
Edmonds

2004 Graduate



Jennie Lynn
Endress

"Waste not fresh tears over old griefs."



Kolet R. Flood

2004 Graduate



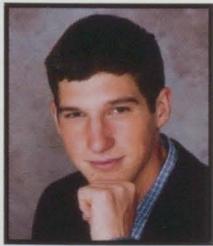
Abee Renee
Flora

"Don't sweat the small stuff."



Kyla Gene Flora

"Laugh so hard it hurts. Be weird and don't care what anybody says. Life is way more fun when you can laugh out loud at yourself."



Philip Jordan
Flory

2004 Graduate



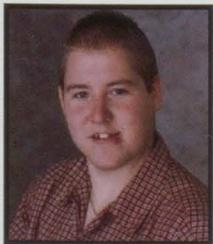
Justin Charles
Fulton

"This is not a goodbye. This is a farewell. See ya'll again later."



Doris M.
Gamboa

"This school has taught me how to improve life. Muchas gracias DCHS."



John Leroy Gill

2004 Graduate



Kristy Nichole
Ginn

"I smile because I have no idea what is going on."

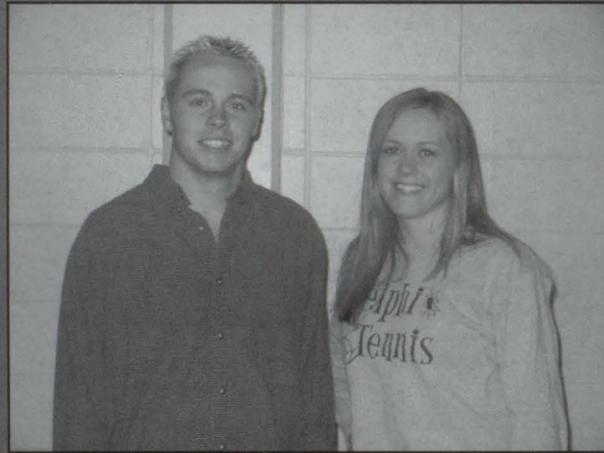
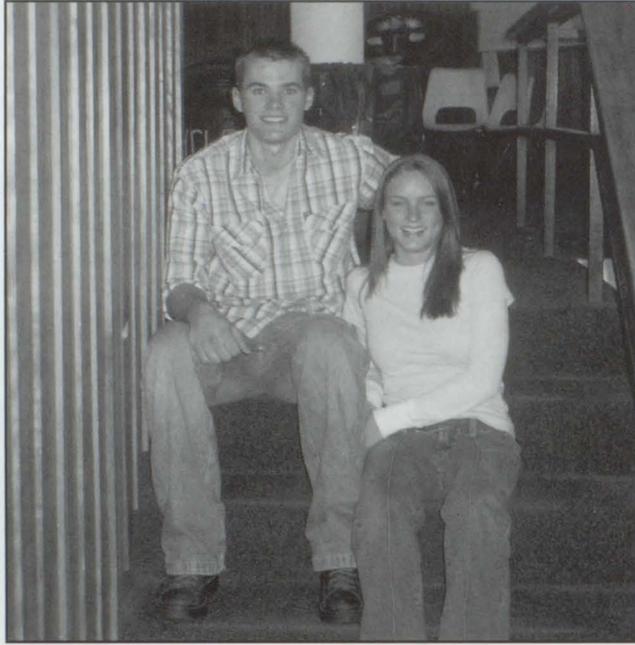


Amanda Jo
Grosvenor

"Be sexy...Be true...Be wild... Be you."

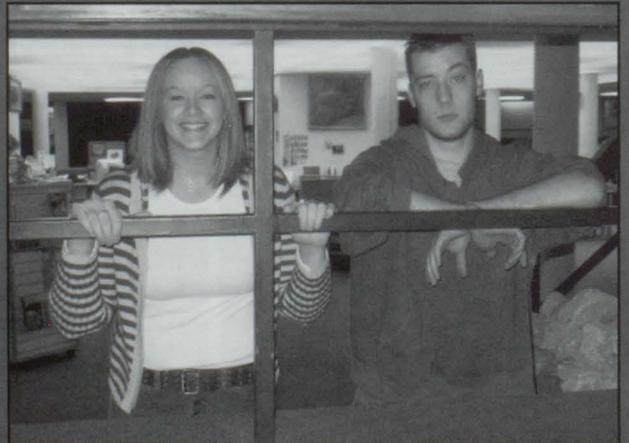


Best Personality:
Joey Mayfield & Danielle Wagoner



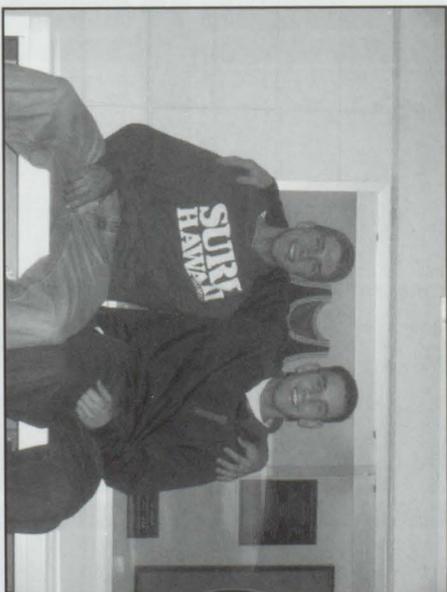
Most likely to be successful:
Cory Norman & Megan Walton

Most Unique:
Justin Scaggs & Reanna Morrison



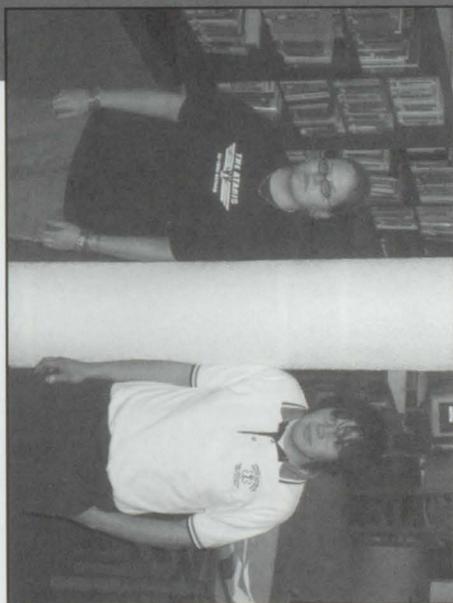
Most Likely To Call For Bail Money:
Sarah Cox & Jesse Bagby

Most Likely To Be Late To Their Own Wedding:
Erica Barnsfather & Lee Gill



Best Guy Friends:
Nathan Sparks & Nathan Beach

Most Changed:
Scott Baker & Sabrina Scowden



Most Athletic:
Kyla Flora & Nathan Sparks



Morgan Dee Hall

"Do not follow where the path leads, rather go where there is no path and leave a trail."



Danny Allen Hampton

"Life's a garden. Dig it!"



Patrick Aaron Wayne Hankins

2004 Graduate



Amre Mamoun Hariri

"Well kids, you tried your best, and you failed miserably. The lesson here: never try."

-Homer Simpson



Rachel A. Haynes

"The beginnings are scary and the endings are usually sad, but it's the middle that counts the most."



Jenna Sue Henderson

"When your life's outta order, just have a good time..."

-Ja Rule



Erica Lynn Hill

"High school is the best four years of your life so you should live it to the fullest."



Natane Wakanda Ojeda Hill

"Scars heal, glory fades, and all we're left with are the memories made."



Ryne Matthew Hillenberg

"Swing fast, follow through, and yell FORE! often."



Kyle Robert Hostetter

2004 Graduate



Zachary R. Humbarger

"Keep on truckin."



Aaron C. Hutsell

"You don't have to make fun of me just because I am fat!"



Michael Douglas Johnson

"Rock on!"



Jennifer Annette Kauffman

"When life gets you down, it always feels like the end. Just remember life will go on, so never give up fighting."



Amanda Lynn Kohl-german

"I am not afraid of tomorrow, for I have seen yesterday and I love today."



Ross William Larimore

"Have fun! Live a little and do your best at everything."



Jenna L. Lavy

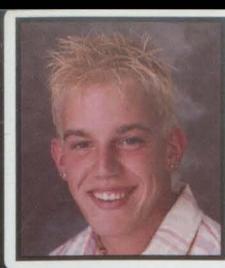
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Amanda N. Lazarus

"You only have one life to live so live it to it's fullest. Have fun and goodbye to everyone."





Nathan Floyd
Lear

*"Up with hope, down
with dope."*



Zachary Austin
Marburger

2004 Graduate



Tiffany Michelle
Martin

*"Make high school the
best four years of
your life. As long as
you are happy with
yourself that's all that
matters."*



Joseph Richard
Mayfield

*"Worry not for tomor-
row, for tomorrow can
worry for itself. Each
day has enough
trouble of its own."*



Keith Michael
Mears

*"If you fall seven
times, stand up
eight."*



Christie M.
Mertz

*"When you judge
others, you don't de-
fine them, you define
yourself."*



Lauren Ashley
Minier

*"When you least
expect it, expect it."*



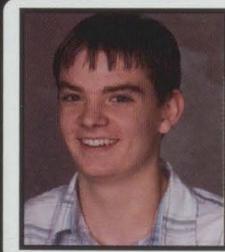
Ephina Ann
Moore

*"Good luck with life.
The fun and learning
doesn't stop at
DCHS."*



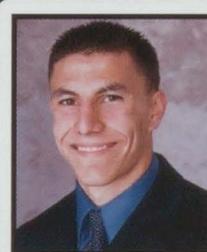
Reanna Louise
Morrison

*"When things go
wrong, just drive it
off."*



Wade S. Myers

*"Life is a highway.
I wanna ride it!"*



Jonathon R.
Newell

*"Don't take your
time in high school
for granted, it will be
gone before you
know it."*



Elizabeth Erin
Nichols

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



Jamie A. Nipple

*"Embrace them.
Don't waste them.
For these are the
days of our lives!"*



Cory Lee
Norman

*"Guys, work hard, be
persistence, above all
reach for the stars."*



Charles Jacob
Oliver

*"Come support
Delphi athletics, be-
cause if you can't be
an athlete, then be an
athletic supporter."*



Marley Jo Owen

*"It's not the years in
your life that count,
it's the life in your
years."*



Mark A. Parks

2004 Graduate



Hannah Sue
Penn

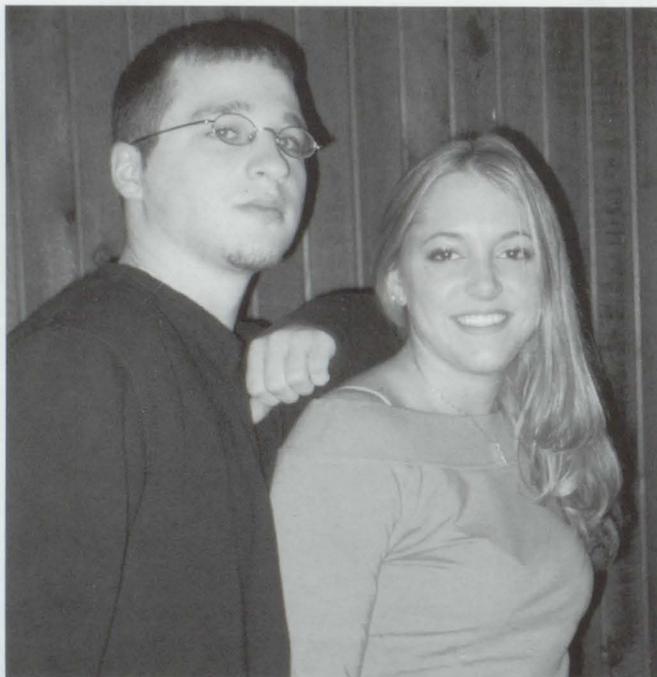
*"Everyone makes
mistakes, just don't
let the mistakes make
you."*



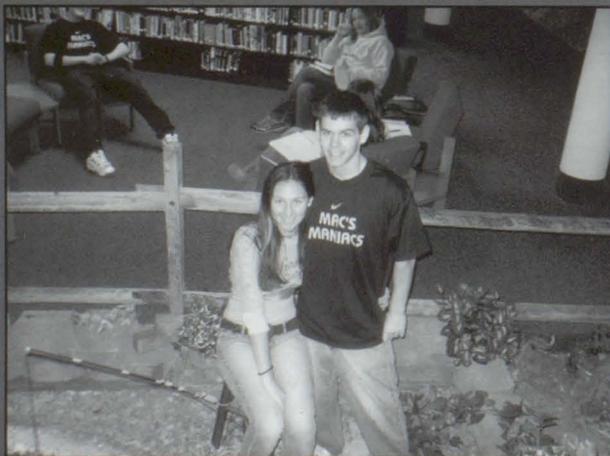
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Who W/ie

Most Stylish:
Marshall Criswell & Jamie Nipple



Worst Driver:
Jessica Thornton & Erin Wertz

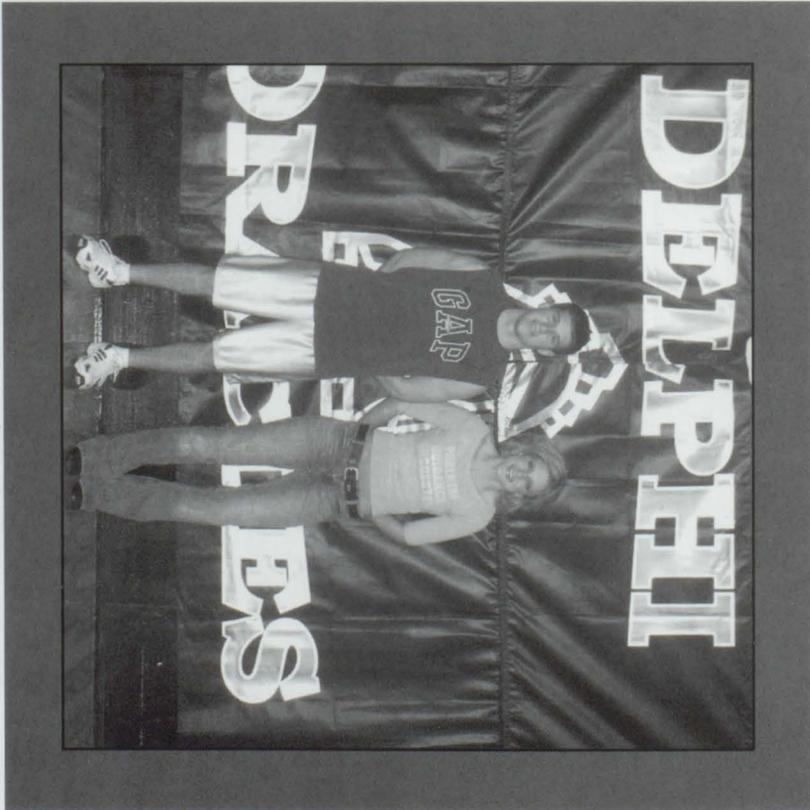


Best Laugh:
Zachary Humberger & Morgan Hall



Will Be.

Most School Spirit:
Casey Blickenstaff & Jenna Henderson



Best Sense of Humor:
Ashley Clawson & Brandon Cook



Cutest Couple:
Laura Cediell & Jose Turner



Sara Bethany
Peschke

*"The saddest
words of tongue
and pen are these:
It might have
been."*



Amanda L.
Peters

2004 Graduate



Chad Lee Radke

*"Wang Chung
Tonight."*



Misty Lanelle
Rector

*"I just want to make
enough money to be
able to support my
shopping addiction."*



Laken Nicole
Reed

*"High school has
been fun, and I'm leav-
ing a lot of friends be-
hind, but I'm so ready
to get out."*



Shawwna Lynn
Roach

*"In the end, we will
not remember the
words of our en-
emies, but the silence
of our friends."*



Justin L.
Robertson

2004 Graduate



Justin A. Scaggs

*"If at first you don't
succeed, skydiving
isn't for you."*



Sabrina L.
Scowden

*"It is hard enough to
remember my opin-
ions, without also re-
membering my rea-
sons for them."*

-Friedrich Nietzsche



Travis Lee
Shanks

2004 Graduate



Stacy L. Shoup

*"Life is a series of expe-
riences, each one of
which makes us
bigger...For the world
was built to develop
character..."*

-Henry Ford



Tabitha Louise
Smith

*"Don't frown, you
never know who could
be falling in love with
your smile."*



Nathan Michael
Sparks

2004 Graduate



Theresa Lynn
Speer

2004 Graduate



V. Stanley
Spencer

2004 Graduate



Amanda Cynthia
Stevens

2004 Graduate



David Michael
Strasser

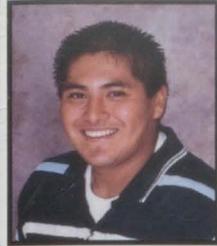
2004 Graduate



Jessica Thornton

*"Never explain--your
friends do not need it
and your enemies will
not believe you."*





Jose L. Turner
"The difference between a successful person and others is not a lack of strength, not a lack of knowledge, but rather a lack of will."
 -Vince Lombardi



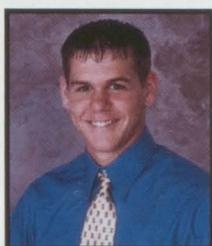
Lindsay Marie Turner
"Music is my life. For my friends, I would die, and hatred I will defy."



Danielle Marie Wagoner
"Smile now, cry later. Rock out!"



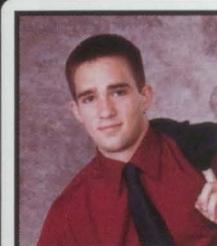
Megan Walton
"Dance like nobody's watching, love like you'll never get hurt, sing like nobody's listening, live like it's heaven on earth."



Erin Loyd Wertz
 2004 Graduate



Brett Allen Wood
"All is fair in love and war, but not life."

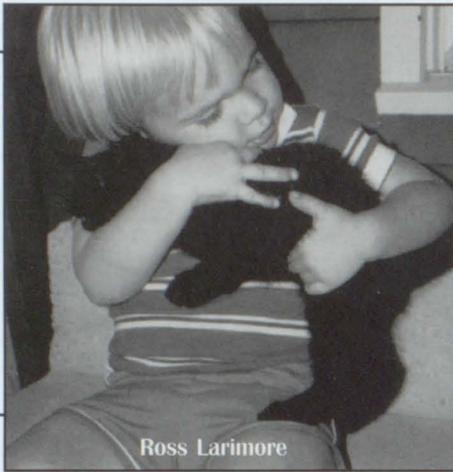


Nathan S. Zink
 2004 Graduate

Not Pictured:
 Jeremiah Jordan Gilman
 Mitchell Adam Tyler

Class Of 2004

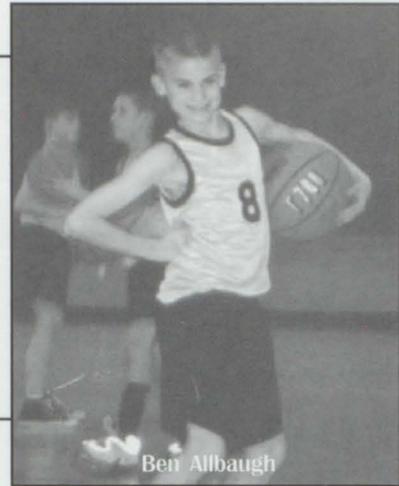




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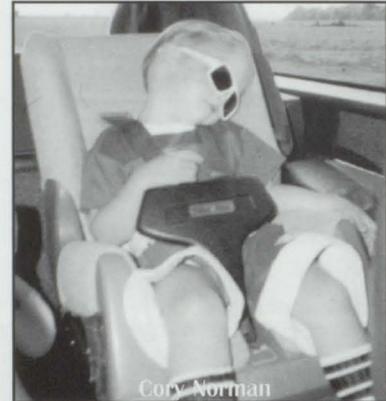
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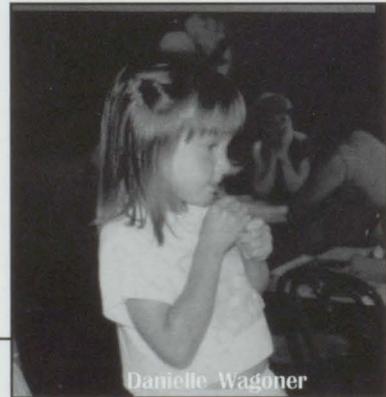
Ben Allbaugh



Ashley Clawson, Cory Norman, Jenna Henderson, Kim Allen, Kendra Cree, Jamie Nipple, Marley Owen, Nathan Sparks, Joey Mayfield, Kyla Flora, Erica Barnstlather, Casey Blickenstaff, Charlie Oliver, Brandon Cook, Ben Allbaugh, and Marshall Criswell.



Cory Norman

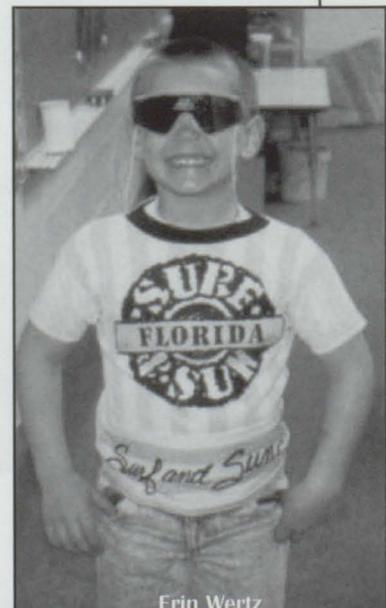


Danielle Wagoner

" I remember when Mrs. VanSickle threw her podium...and I don't even know why she did it!" - Mandy Peters

" I remember when there were like forty people on the basketball team!" - Ryne Hillenberg

" I remember when having poofy bangs and wearing your hair to the side was cool." - Kristy Ginn



Erin Wertz

TAKE THAT...



Amre Hariri
and Aaron
Hutsell



Beth Nichols, Whitney
Bass, Kolet Flood,
Marley Owen, Megan
Walton, Sabrina
Scowden, and Kyla
Flora



Hannah Penn
and Sarah Cox



Jamie Nipple, Kim
Allen, and Kendra
Cree



8th Grade Basketball
Champs, row 1: Megan
Walton, Kim Allen, Kendra
Cree, Kyla Flora; row 2:
Coach Mark Schock, Ephina
Moore, Ashley Clawson,
Hannah Penn, Erica
Barnsfather, Marley Owen,
Jamie Nipple, and Coach
Judy Moore

...REWIND IT BACK!

While we're looking for our future
it slips past us every way,
Just as we seize the moment
it becomes our yesterday.

How can we plan for tomorrow
when it keeps becoming now?
Our past was once our future
and the "good old days."

"If you want to build a future,
you've got to know the past!"

We're the future, and the last,
Like every generation, we can
build upon past dreams,
And strive for human greatness.

So make the most of what you are,
the future's in your hands,
Prepare yourself to realize
your own exciting plans.

For life is what you make it,
there's no guarantee it seems,
You hold the key to happiness
and all of your fondest dreams.

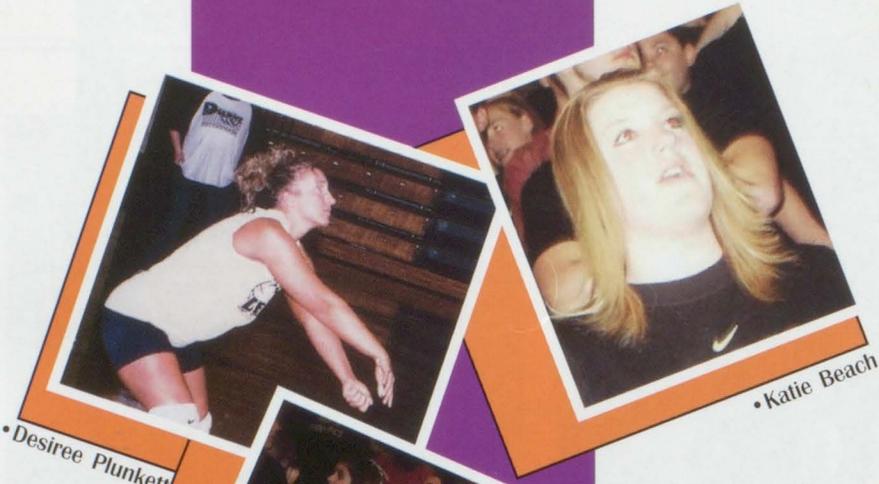
So risk to dream a future
and realize your best,
For as you live your future
you are creating your own past

-Anonymous

•Jamie Nipple

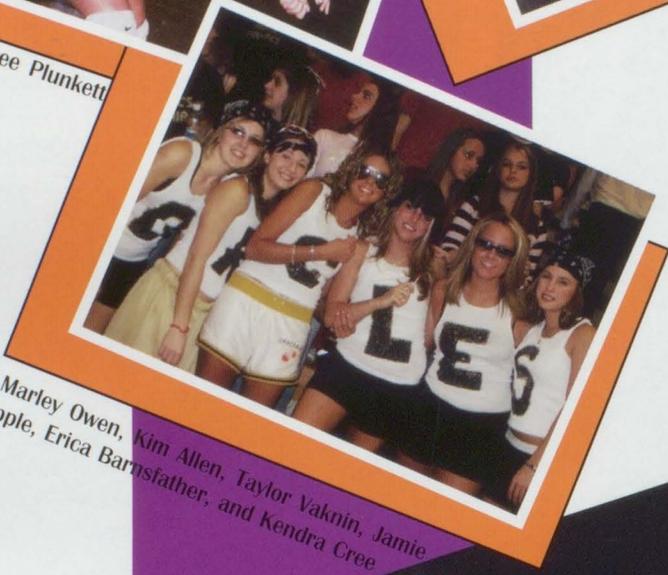
LIFE IS...

Life is an opportunity, benefit from it.
Life is beauty, admire it.
Life is a dream, realize it.
Life is a challenge, meet it.
Life is a duty, complete it.
Life is a game, play it.
Life is a promise, fulfill it.
Life is sorrow, overcome it.
Life is a song, sing it.
Life is a struggle, accept it.
Life is a tragedy, confront it.
Life is an adventure, dare it.
Life is luck, make it.
Life is too precious, do not destroy it.
Life is life, fight for it.
•Mother Teresa

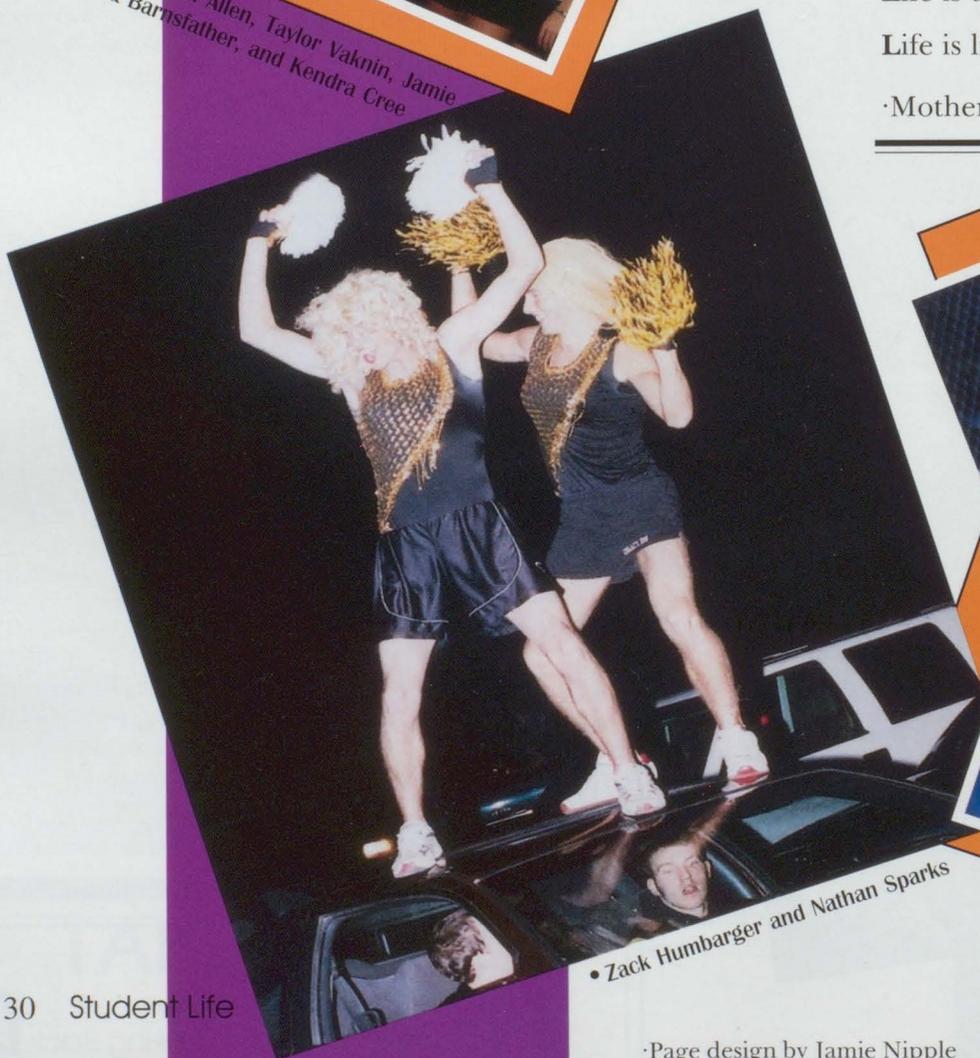


•Desiree Plunkett

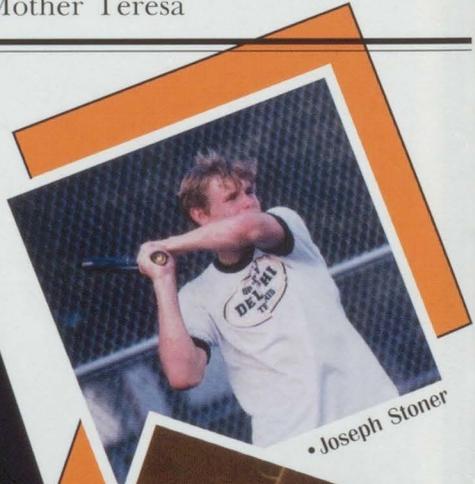
•Katie Beach



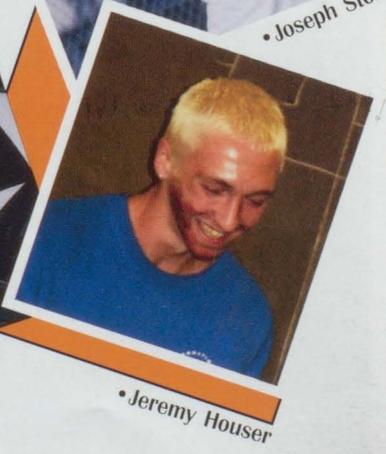
•Marley Owen, Kim Allen, Taylor Vaknin, Jamie Nipple, Erica Barnsfather, and Kendra Cree



•Zack Humbarger and Nathan Sparks

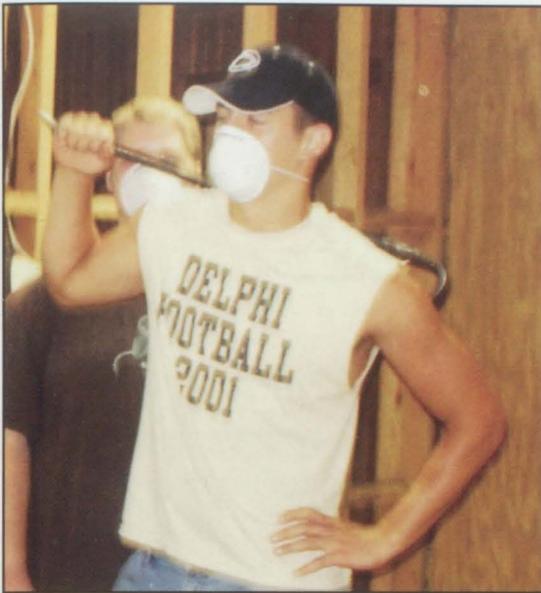


•Joseph Stoner



•Jeremy Houser

Life Styles of the Rich and the Famous.



Kameron Banes 05 explained, "If I didn't have to wear a funny looking mask and carry wood, I would spend my luxury time in the woods fishing, relaxing, and being with Courtney."



"If I had invented Mountain Dew, I would be living in Florida right now!" stated William Peek 05.

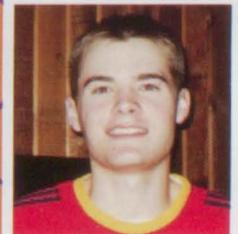
Carrie Adams 07 says, "If I was lucky enough to win the lottery, I would use the money for my college tuition."



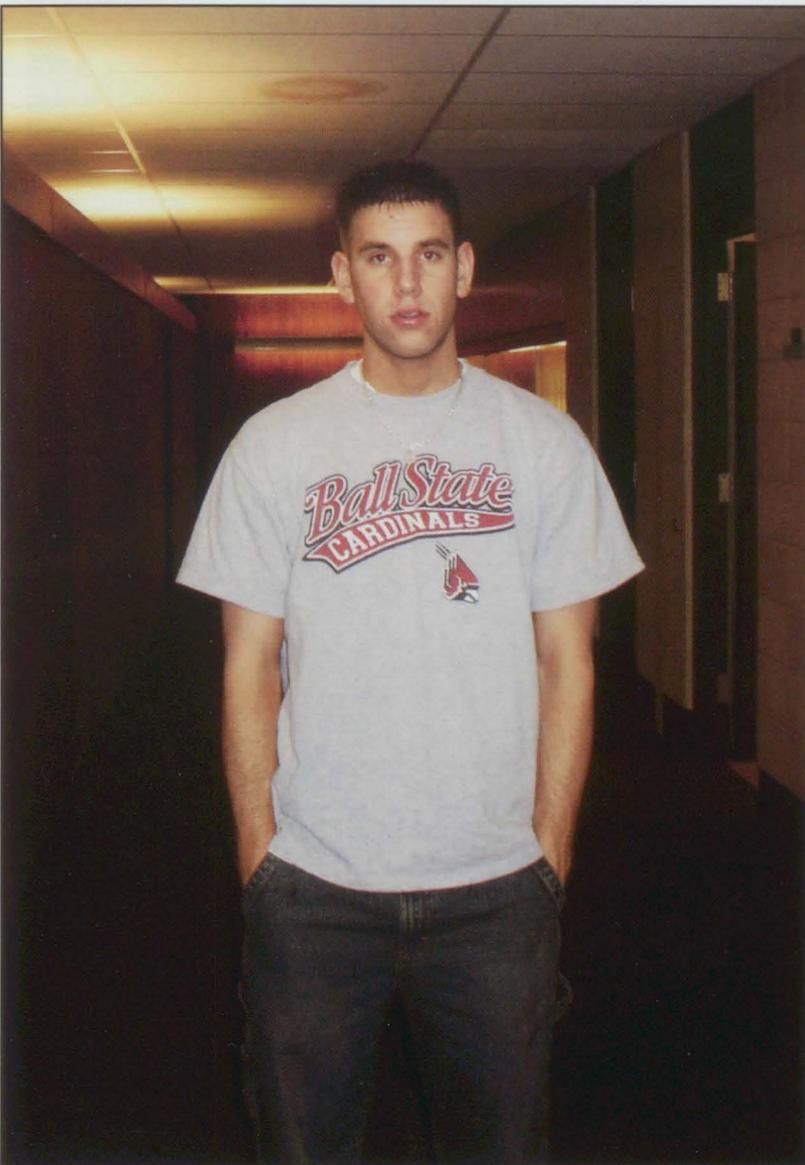
Many of the DCHS students pretend as if they were professional dancers to get their big bucks. Keep dancing, but don't quit your day jobs!



"If I landed my ideal business job, I would first celebrate. Then I would buy an expensive ink pen," stated Joey Mayfield 04.



Brittany Stedman 06 exclaimed, "If I were to marry a member of Good Charlotte, I would make him buy me a car with the letters 'GC' in green and pink."

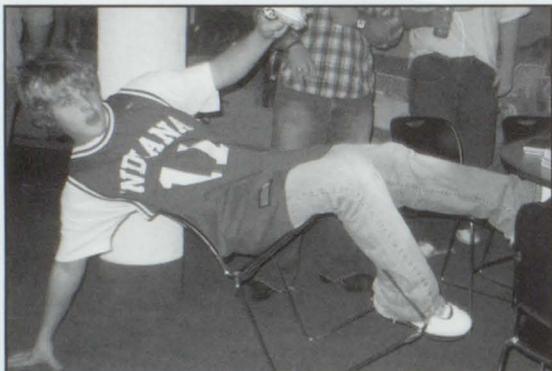


"When I land my position on the L.A. Lakers, I'll be spending my big bucks on two chromed-out hummers, a mansion, and of course I would give some money to my family and friends," exclaimed Nathan Beach 04.

US apart from the Crowd

▼ Kyle Garrison

(below) He shows off for the rest of the junior boys in 'A' lunch by doing some complicated leaning. Kyle proclaimed, "Our year was great and I'm looking forward to my senior year. It's a miracle, yes."



Desiree Plunkett and Leslie Plummer >

(right) Desiree had one thing to say about juniors. "All I can say is that it's a lot better being an upperclassman. Underclassmen definitely have something to look forward to."



Carrie Fife and Christina Baker >

(right) Carrie commented, "One of my best memories during this year was the fall play. Our director put together a wonderful cast that performed, very well. I am privileged to have been part of this years play."

< Courtney Priest

(left) Courtney thinks that the year has been the best so far due to the fact that she is almost done with high school.



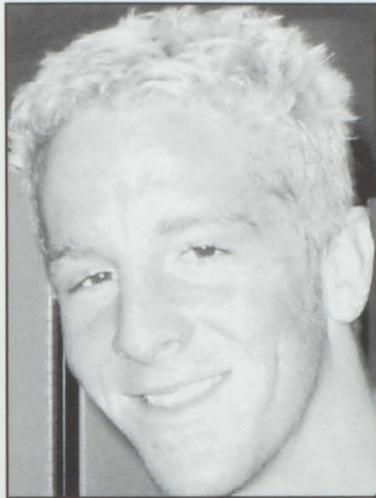
< Amy Cline

(left) "Junior year has been awesome. I love the classes, kids, and the fact that we only have one year of high school left. This year has been filled with sadness and surprises. I love my class and will always remember this year."

JUNIORS 05



(far left) Cody Crawford throws us a smirk while enjoying lunch. Now that wrestling has started he has to cut back.

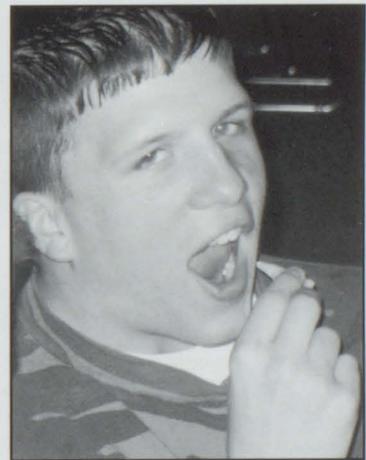
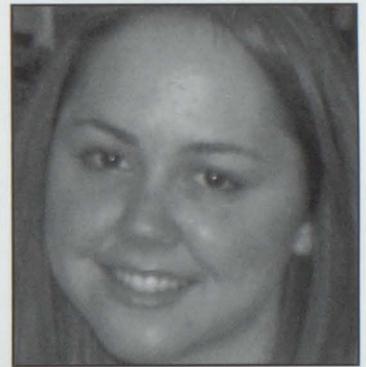
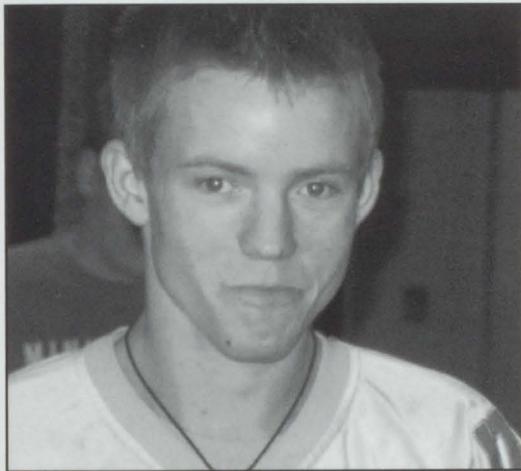


(left) Mikie Dubes enjoys being a junior this year because he says that being older means not as much running in wrestling.

(below left) Brad Gipson tries to behave himself during his lunch hour. He has been known for getting a bit rowdy.

(below middle) Autumn Ennis is getting ready to change clothes for poms practice fourth hour; ready to get her groove on.

(below) Michelle Yeager complains that junior year includes taking Spanish III and to her that is painful.



(above) Ben Smith enjoys the luxury of not being in wrestling, while chugging a carton of milk.

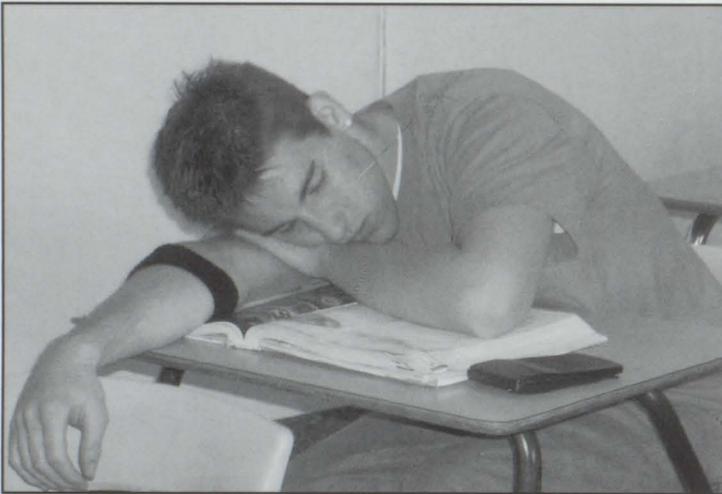
(left) Cory Dunbar is the founder of alpha tau delta. Many of the junior boys like to pretend to be in college. They also have official days when they all wear a suit and tie.

(above) Andy Fassnacht is a big boy now and shows us how to take a bite. He is working on keeping his portions small because of wrestling.

(below) President Steve Callender; Vice President Lindsey Sullivan; Secretary Savannah Osborne; Treasurer Autumn Ennis.

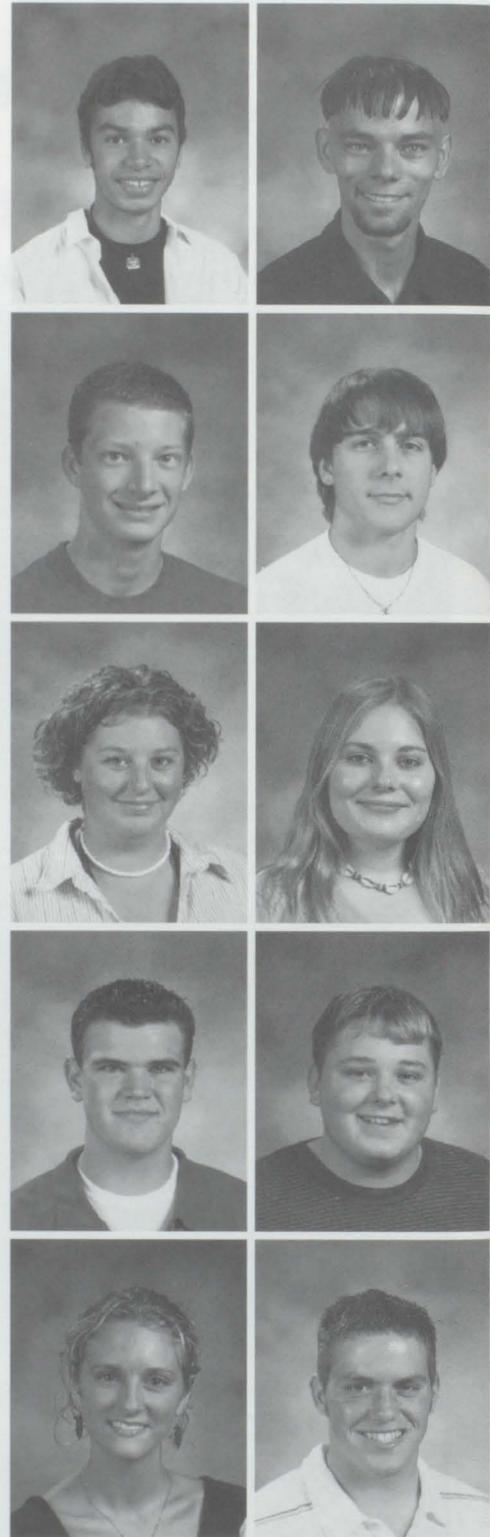
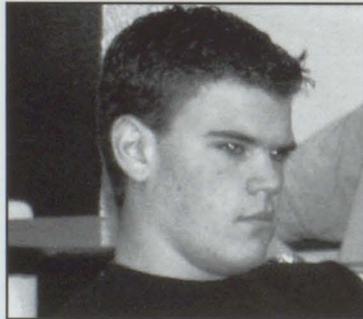


Juniors



(above) Zach Powers takes a rest after some hard studying. "My junior year at Delphi was the best thing since sliced bread."

(right) Before class, Brad Davis takes time to day dream a little bit. "My junior year stunk because there were just too many standardized tests."

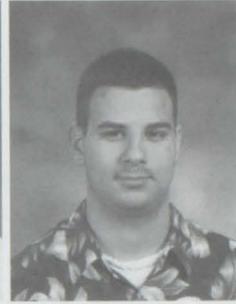
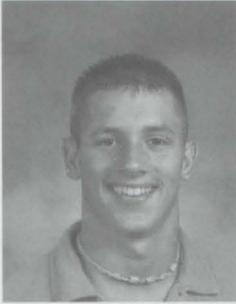


Are We There Yet?

The students of the junior family are about to embark on a vacation of their lifetime. Some know where they are going while others don't. As they all travel down the interstate some will be tempted to take

an exit while others press on. Whether near or far, they will all reach their destination, so when asked the question, "Are we there yet?" they can respond with a very confident and comfortable "Yes"!

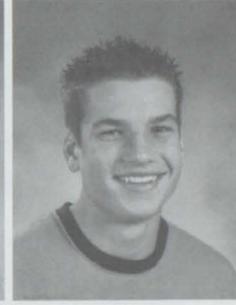
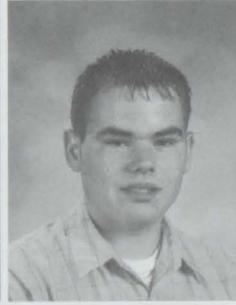
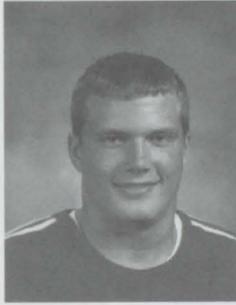
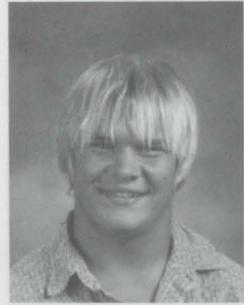
·Kyle Schwarzkopf



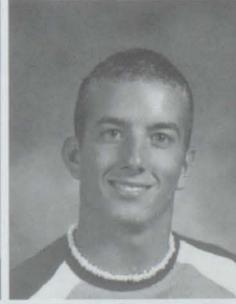
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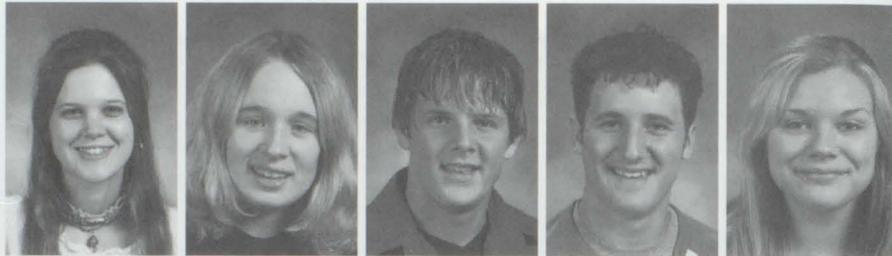


Autumn Ennis
 Joel Enoch
 Andy Fassnacht
 Carrie Fife
 Josh Fife
 Emily Fisher

Taking the "Y" in the road

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Alice Floyd
Tabitha Fultz
Kyle Garrison
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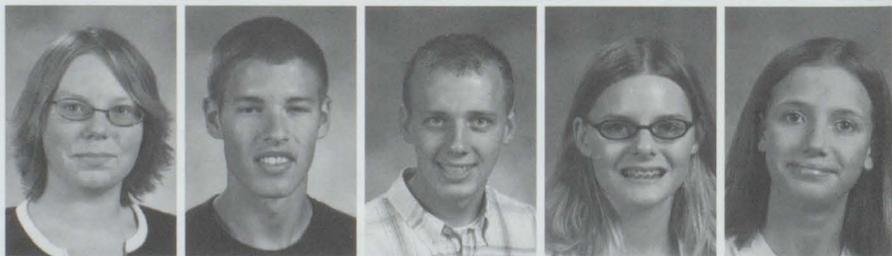
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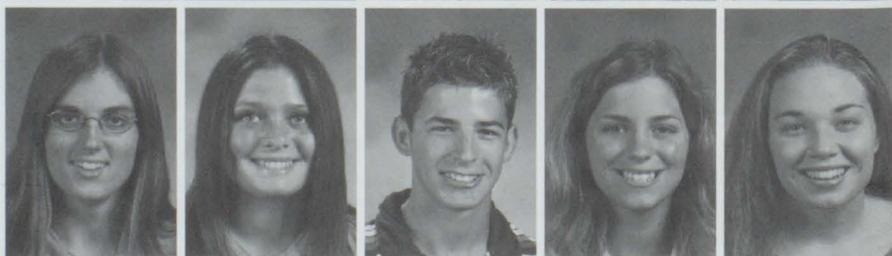
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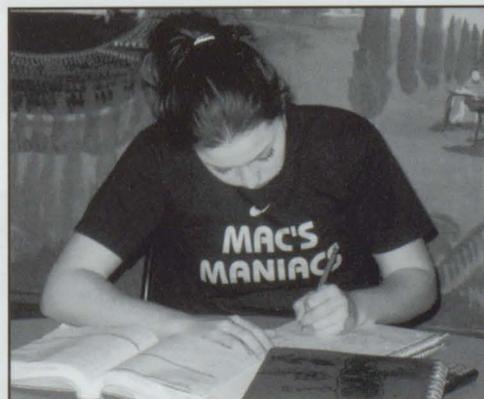
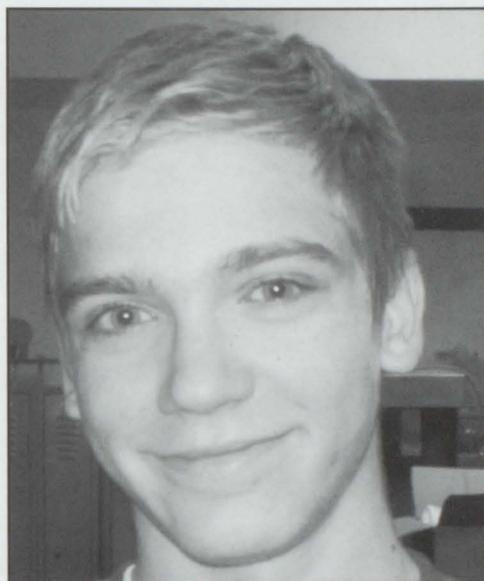
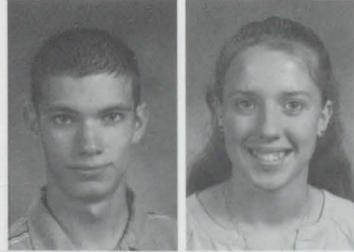
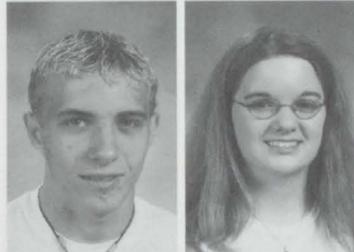
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Denise McManus
Angela Mertz



Elizabeth Myers
Brittany Nelson
Woody Nichols
Allie Noble
Savannah Osborne
Oscar Palomares
Lindsay Pearson



is what separates us from them.



(above) During first hour, Savannah Osborne shows off her pink sweat suit. "I really love all my pink clothes, but especially my sweat suit. I feel like J.Lo in it, but I don't have the butt."

(top left) After a long day of work, Jonathan Sales takes time out of his day to exhibit his smile. What a great way to get rid of that stress.

(left) While working on his homework, Oscar Palomares commented, "I do my homework so that I will do well on my tests."

(below) During her small group discussion, Angela Mertz begins to dose off. I think that we can forgive her this time.



(above) In the morning, students normally catch up on left over homework from the night before. April Hodge does just that to finish up her math assignment.

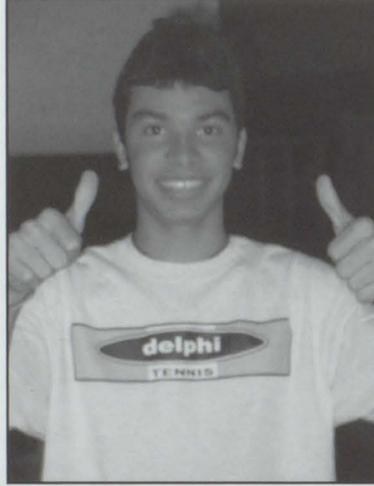
(right) Working to be a great student, Allie Noble dives into her homework. She even does it with a little smile.



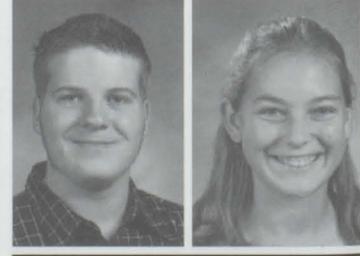
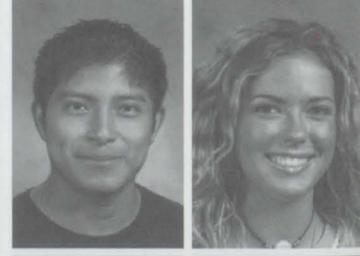
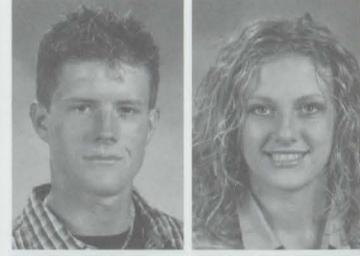
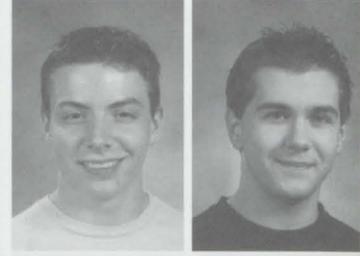
(below) Surrounded by friends and fans, Daniel Carbaugh watches the game attentively. He is very into the football game.



(below) Thales Almeida, our new foreign exchange student from Brazil, gives a thumbs up.



Surprise!! (above) Cole Stonebraker and Kyle Garrison are caught off guard. Lunch time is a great time for surprises.



(right) Lindsey Pearson



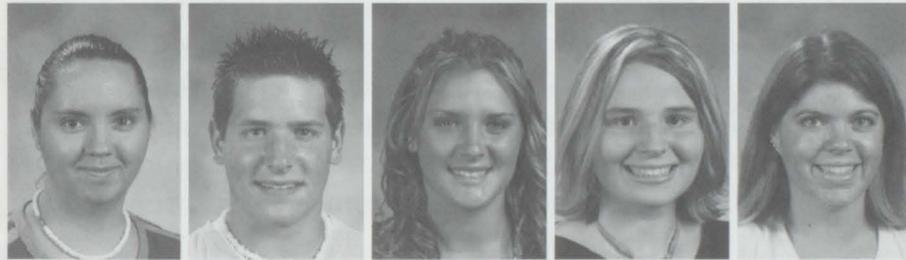
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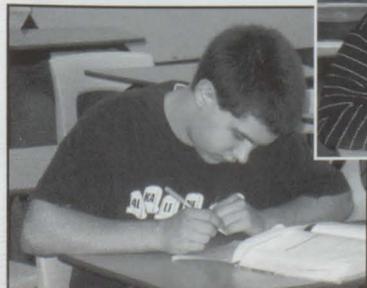
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(left) John Replogle
(above) Ryan Eiler

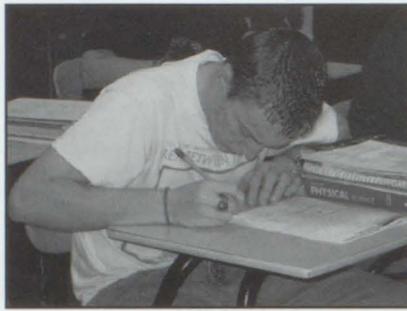


(left) Brittney Little
(above) Kayla Gill



J U N I O R S

(right) Taking Mrs. Mason's ICP, Maycon James has no problem answering the asked questions. "ICP is a very fun class, but it's very informative," admits Maycom.



(below) Singing her heart out, Ashley Widner prepares for another exciting year in choir. "Choir is really fun and I enjoy being in it," says Ashley.



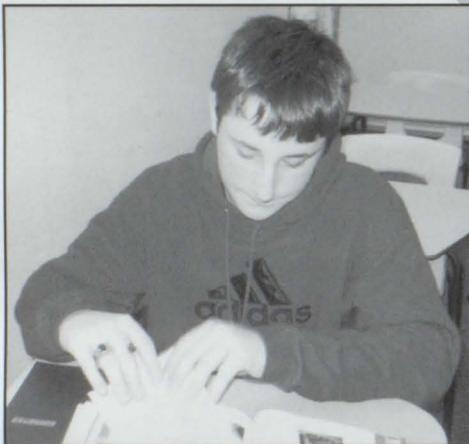
(above) Josh Pearson laughs while enjoying the last hour of the day. His homeroom class is in the art room with Mrs. Brummett.



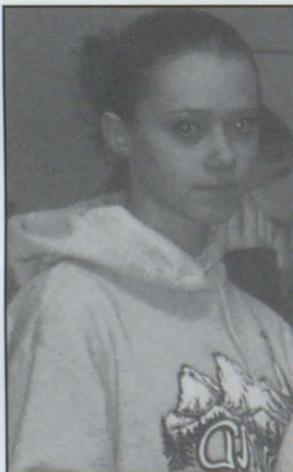
(above) During homeroom, Blake Miller finds his friends' conversations interesting.

Second Time Around

Sophomore year is full of fun and exciting times in one's life. For many, it is the year to gain that desired freedom of getting a license to drive. It is also a time to take a "breather" before the journey from childhood to adulthood begins. The class of 2006 is no exception. With new responsibilities awaiting, this year's sophomore class prepared for an awesome journey.



(above) Studying for his next test, Ryan Maxwell flips through the pages in Study Hall. "I usually have things to do. Sometimes I work on it, but most of the time it is just a break from class."



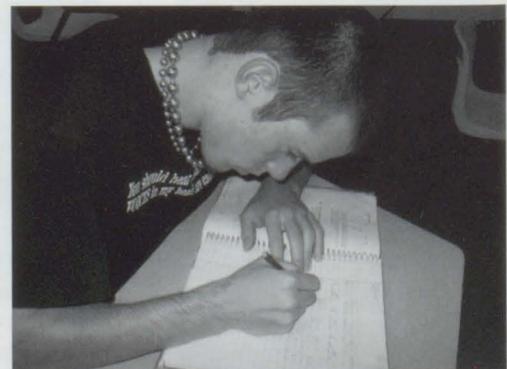
(above) Amy Linn is seen here leaving choir. During passing periods she says, "I talk to friends as I walk to my locker and hurry to my next class."

(below) Conversing with friends, Kimber Houser enjoys her lunch break. "Sophomore year is fun because everyone can drive and we have more freedom."



(above) Concentrating on his computer assignment, Jon Clear has fun in the midst of his sophomore year. The new independence is great!

(below) Hard at work into his second year of high school, Micah Johnston is making the best of his sophomore year. The "students this year are starting to really explore new horizons in their lives."

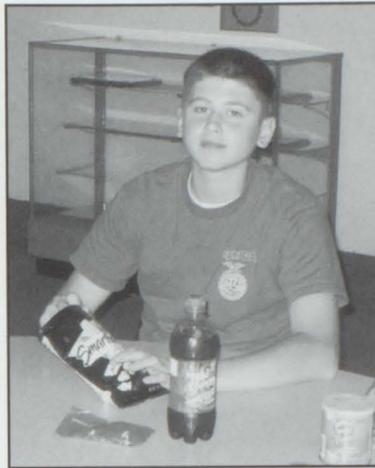




(above) Deep in thought, Sarah Young concentrates hard on her French. "It is challenging, exciting, and interesting. I plan on continuing throughout high school. I am not putting down Spanish, but I would recommend French if someone wants something new and fun," Sarah says about her French class.



(above) Taking time in the library to study, Katie Beach is enjoying everything about high school.



(left) Chowling down, Kyle Schwarzkopf enjoys his first semester B-lunch. He comments, "This has been such a great year for me because I met this great girl, and I got my driver's license."



To some, this year was a great adventure, and to others it was a feared frenzy of responsibility. Yet to all, it was a time to learn the roots of upperclassmanship and become leaders to the freshmen class.

Leading the year with ups and downs, and leaps and bounds, it was the sophomores' second time around.

—Annie Canaan



(below) Surprised by the camera, Tosha Scott hangs out with friends at an Oracle football game.



(above) Thinking about his next answer, Matt Brown carefully works on his ICP test.

(below) Working on an I.C.P. test, Alysia Caldwell tries to make the best of her sophomore year. She says, "This year has been a blast because I love feeling older and getting to go out with friends alone, instead of having to try to find a ride."



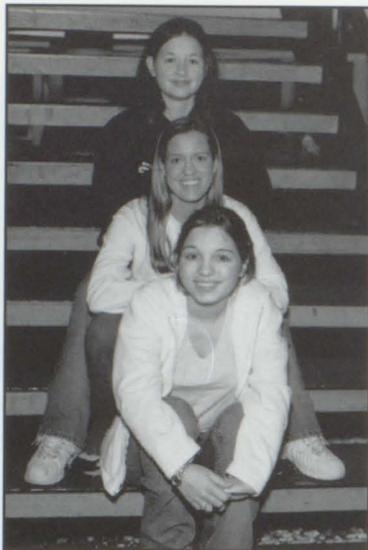
(below) When asked about school at Delphi, Hannah Hickman and Brianna James comment that their sophomore year is a new experience for them. They agree, "You're not at the bottom of the chain, but you've not reached the top. You're just the middle child."



(above) Taking a break from school, Cody Canen says, "I think it [sophomore year] is fun. The classes are a little harder, but if you work hard it's not too bad."

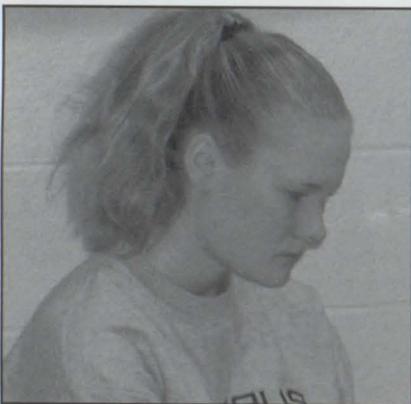


(below) In Mr. Striebeck's first hour class, Olivia Weis says, "The best thing about this year is swimming and cross country!"



(above) The sophomore student officers (front to back): Heather Clark, Vice President; Lydia Smith, President; Brooke Anderson, Secretary.

(left) Amy Linn grins at the camera as History class begins.

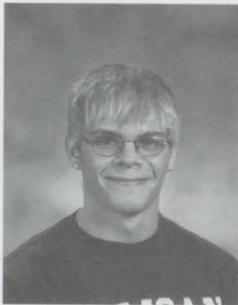


(above) In Mrs. Tyner's French 1 class, Sonya Claiborne is waiting patiently to get out of class. "I can't wait till this summer!"



(above) At the yearbook dance, Jon Clear and Josh Fulton wait for a good song. Josh announced, "The yearbook dance was pretty fun besides the fact that I swallowed a glow stick!" Jon added, "What's the point of going to a dance if you can't sit down, really?"

SOPHOMORE



The Middle Layer!

This was the second step of the rest of their life. The Sophomores were getting their drivers licenses, their first car, and beginning to date. The class of 2006 was making the most important decisions that will affect their plans for the future and

have an impact on the path they intend to take. Through their experiences, they will always remember, it is not the journey, nor the destination that counts. It is the time in between and who it is spent with, that is the best!

· Brooke Anderson



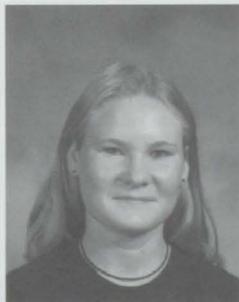
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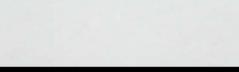
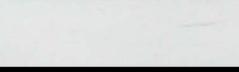
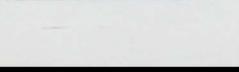
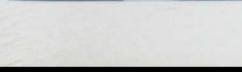
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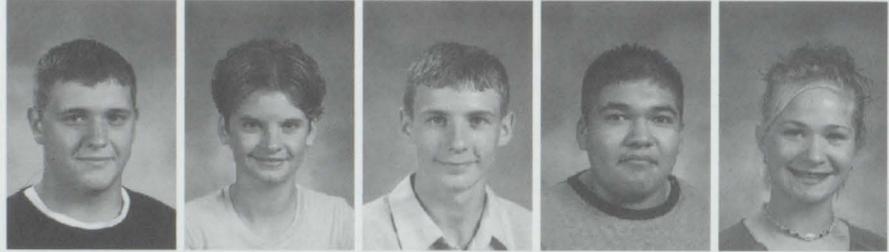
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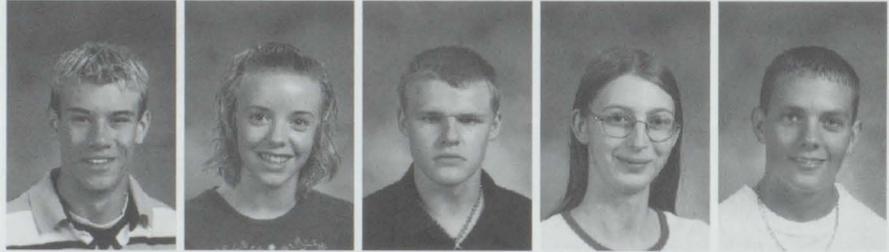
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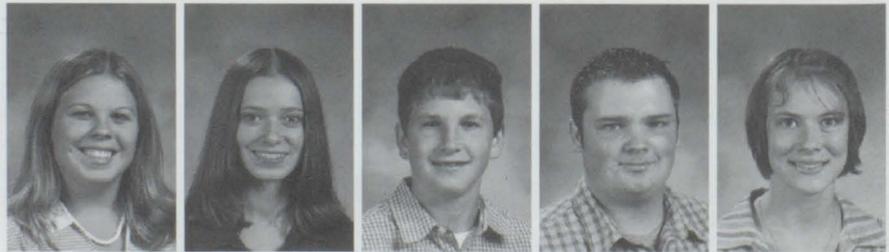
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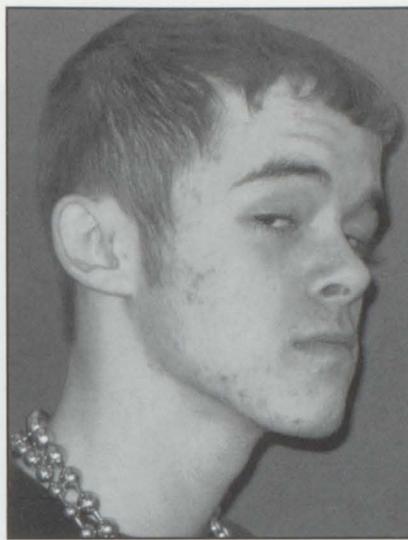
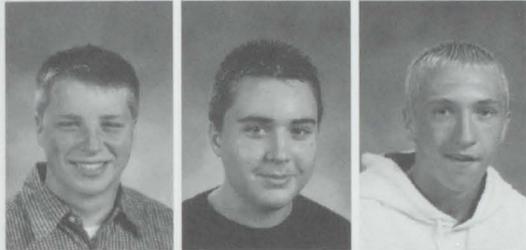


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Super Hero?

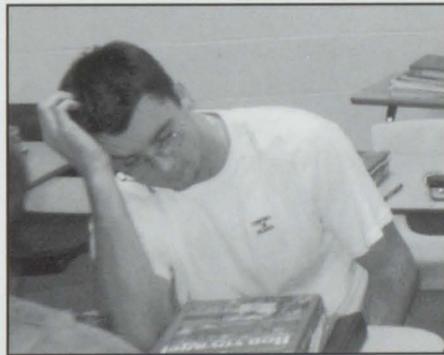
(left) "Being a hero, saving the world, and stopping bad guys is hard work, but hey, someone's gotta do it!" says Ryan Payne.



What's she thinking?

(right) Some people may not know what another person is thinking. Things are not always as they appear. Brandi Robison is in study hall working hard on her homework for tomorrow, or maybe not.

Never Know!



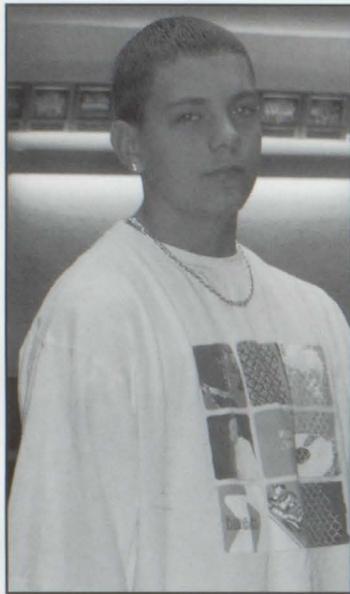
Wonderland?

(left) "Hey I'm still passing," commented Kreg Anderson. He is taking time out from reality and dozes in his own little world.

What is that?

(right) "You never know what can happen in life, ya know?" Chris Emmitt exclaims. "One minute you can be skating, the next you have a sprained ankle. Life is full of possibilities, and anything can happen; either prosperity or death lurks around that corner, but you have to take the chance. Carpe diem! Seize the day. When you go to sleep at night, do not let your mind be able to go back on the day and have regrets. No regrets and no apologies for living life!"



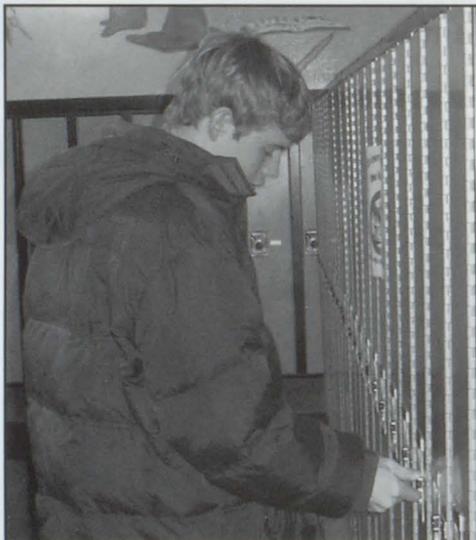


Where ya goin'?

(left) In the commons, Ian Johnson, stops to take a quick glance. He comments, "To know where you are going, you have to know where you have been!"



(top right) At the lunch table, Hali German exclaims, "My sophomore year has been a blast so far! Hanging out with my friends, playing sports, and enjoying all the games. I can't wait for next year's fun and excitement, but also to face the challenges!"



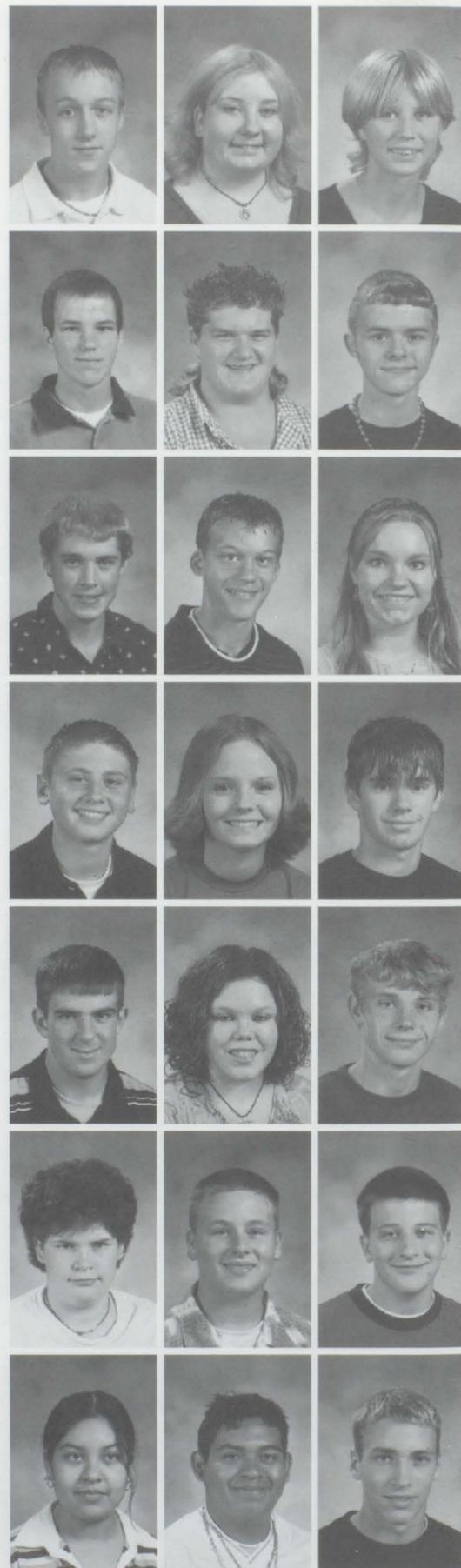
Back to School!

(right) During first hour, Joe Stoner comes in late and takes his time getting to class. It is just another day of school!

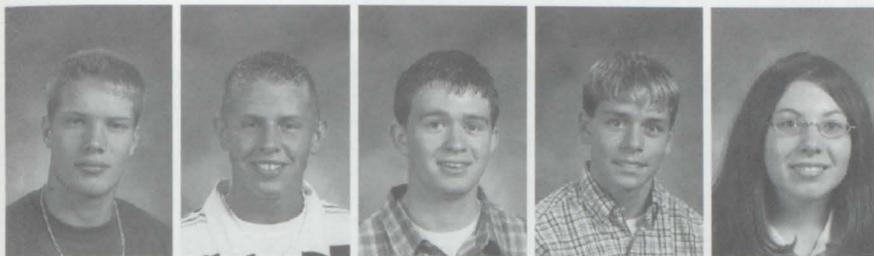
Good Advice

Bonjour!

(right) In Mrs. Tyner's class, Brianna James has already finished taking her quiz. She comments, "Live life and be happy!"



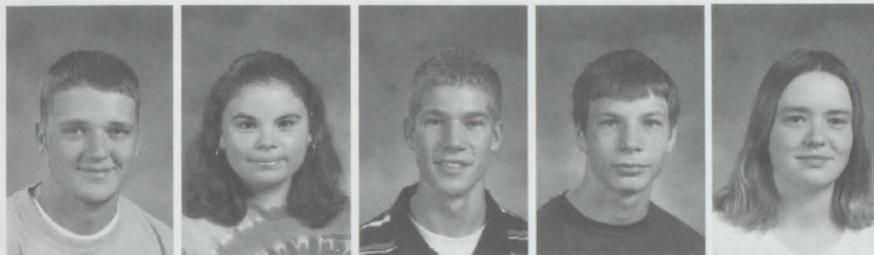
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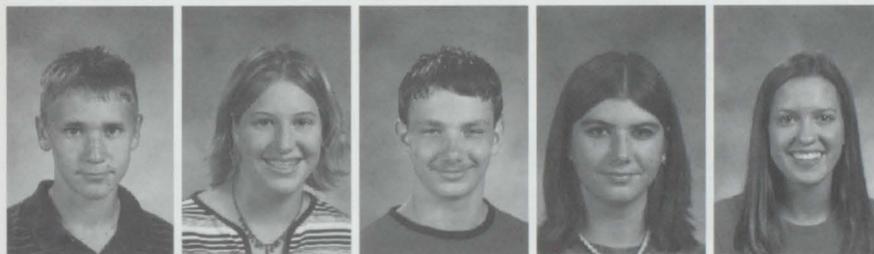
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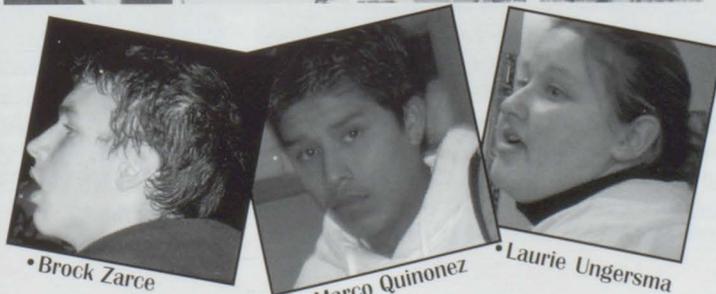
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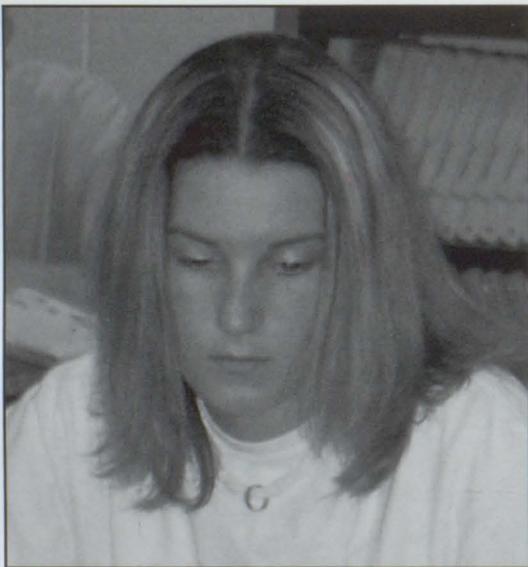
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(below) Enjoying his lunch break, Cole Nattermann talks with his friends. Lunch is the perfect time to catch up on what is going on in everyone's lives.

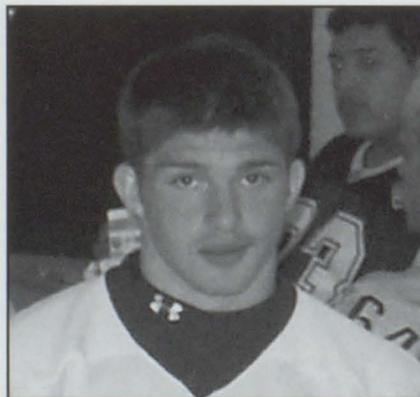


(above) Taking a break from their busy schedules, Brittney Milner and Brittany Sales remember how important friendships can be. It's amazing how much faster the day goes when you have people to talk to and joke around with.

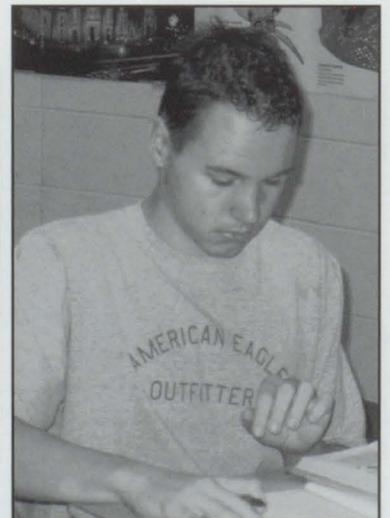
Diamonds In The Rough



(above) Concentrating hard, Brianna Griffey works on an assignment in Spanish class. Señora Cornell incorporates singing into the class lessons. Brianna says, "Singing is awesome."

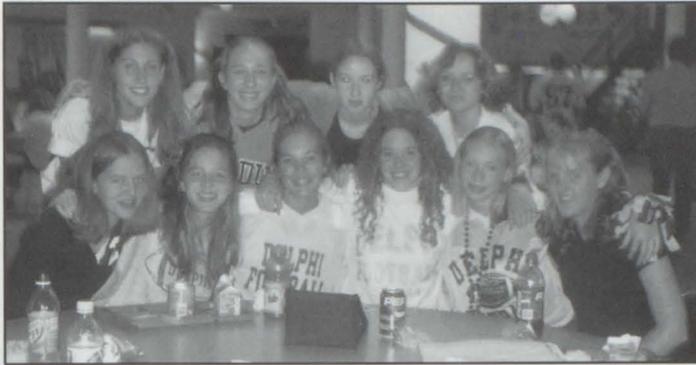


(above) Waiting for lunch to end, Kevin Christian comments that his freshman year isn't as hard as he thought it would be. There's no need to worry here.



(above) In Spanish class, Zach McTigue does an assignment in his spanish workbook. Zach says, "It's fun when we sing...Señora makes learning fun."

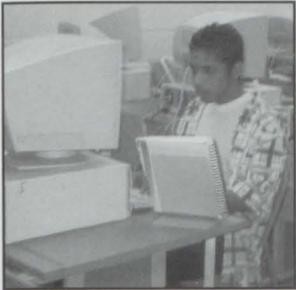
(below) The freshmen class came to high school with lots of spirit. These girls show it in their excitement for a football game. Row 1: Lauren Stokdyk, Sharayah Red Elk, Keltie Lake, Britney LaFollette, Courtney Kingery, Ann Mears. Row 2: Ashley Baer, Joanna Zink, Anna Casserly, Brittni Ballard.



(below) In French class, Brianne Stauffer waits to see what she will be doing next. Brianne comments, "I like it when Mrs. Tyner brings in food."



(below) Working hard, Jose Torres completes a project in Document Formatting.



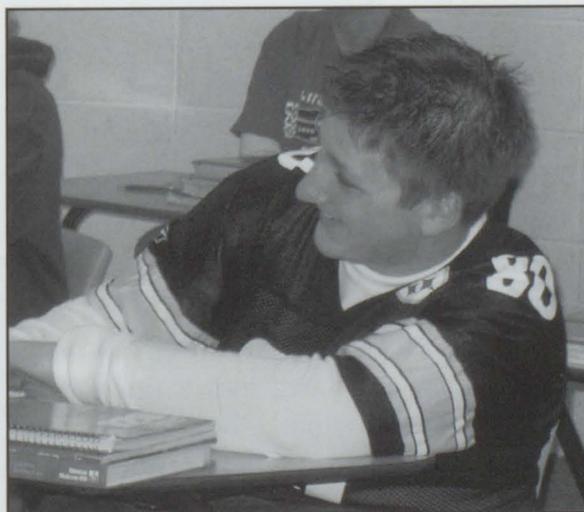
The Freshmen had a lot to deal with in the first year of high school. Even though making the transition can be tough, the class of 2007 pulled through. They showed everyone at DCHS that even a diamond in the rough can truly shine with a little bit of polishing. A rough

diamond is said to be someone with good character that lacks social graces. This was a perfect example of the Freshmen class. They are great people with wonderful personalities, they just needed a little time to adjust.

·Megan Tull

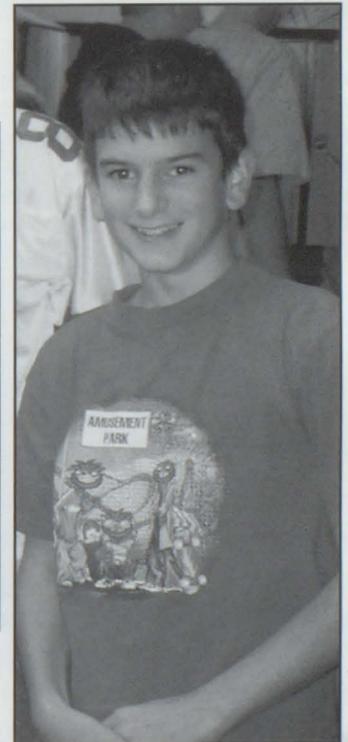


(above) During lunch, Nick Force spends time with his friends. "I usually use my lunch time to catch up on stuff my friends are doing, like what things happened in their class that was interesting, what they got on a test, etc.," exclaimed Nick.

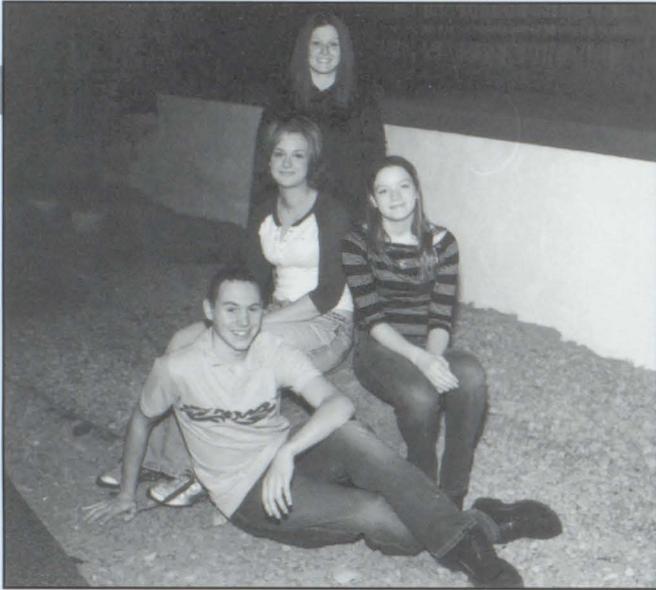


(above) During French Class, Devilan Plunkett laughs at one of his classmates. Devilan says, "I like how Mrs. Tyner makes learning fun."

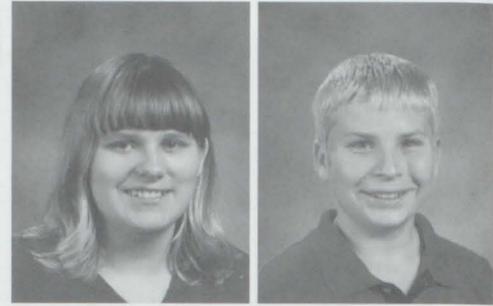
(right) Passing by the lockers, Cameron Brooks pauses a minute. "It's been a good year, and the teachers are alright."



(below) The Freshman student officers are from top to bottom, Secretary Marissa McIlrath, President Rebecca Shoemaker, Treasurer Caitie Pritchett, and Vice President Zach McTigue.



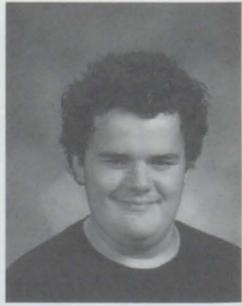
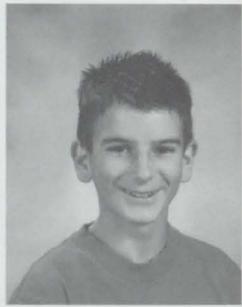
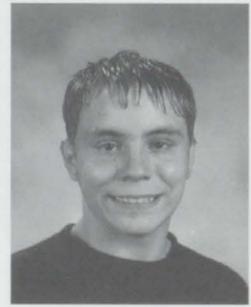
Freshman



(above) Leigh Replogle, Ashley Stevens, Jacquelynn Richardson, and Ashlie Caldwell are glad to have each other around during their freshman year. All four girls enjoy having "A" lunch together.



(right) Lauren Stockdyk is practicing a routine for the marching band performance at a football game. When asked if she like marching band she said, "Yes, but I like pep band more."



A New Beginning

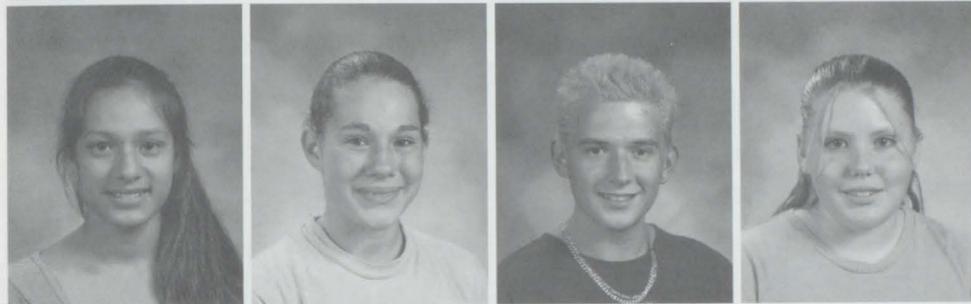
In August of 2003, many new faces were seen in the halls as the freshmen became students of Delphi Community High School. Although new to the school, they managed to find their classes, meet new teachers, and make new friends. They joined clubs,

attended pep rally's, and purchased class rings. They realized what it's like to be underclassmen again. With a new beginning to the journey, the freshmen looked forward to the challenges and excitement of creating new memories.

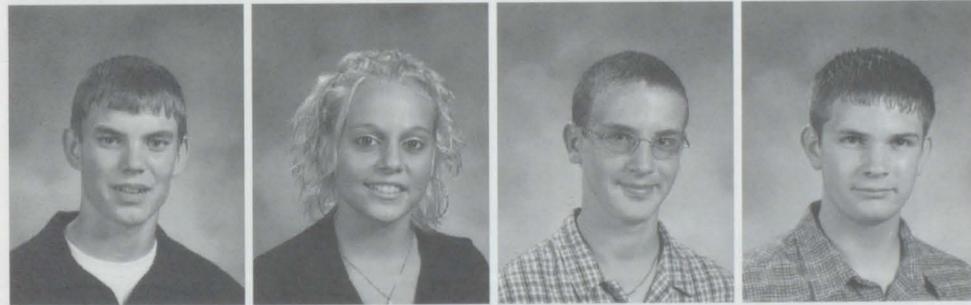
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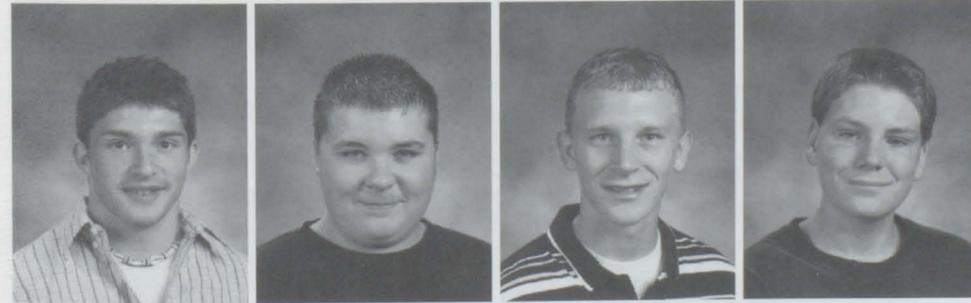
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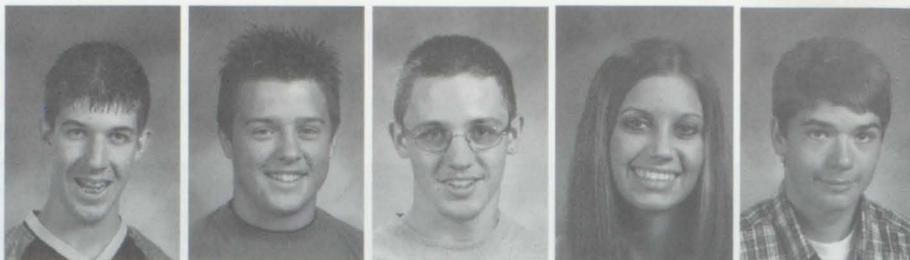
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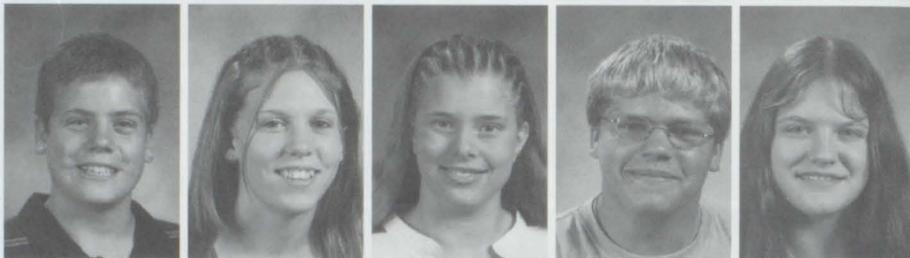
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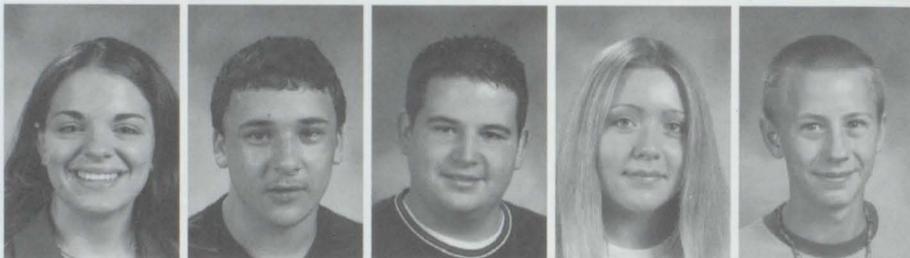
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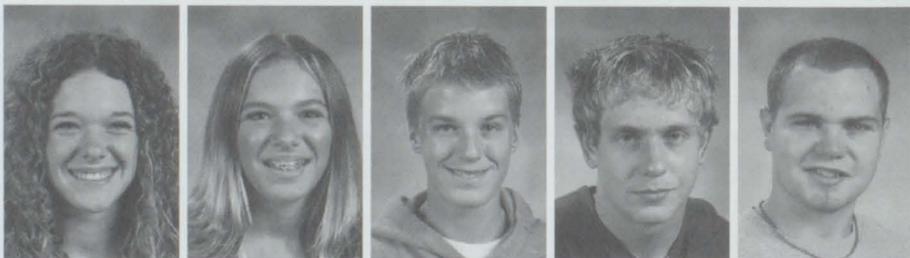
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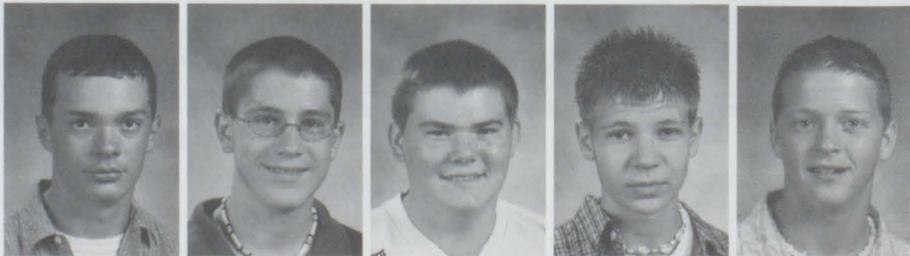
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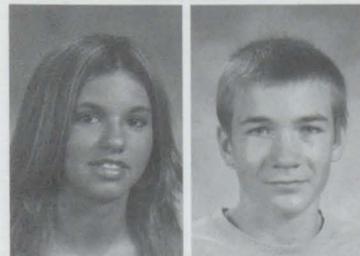
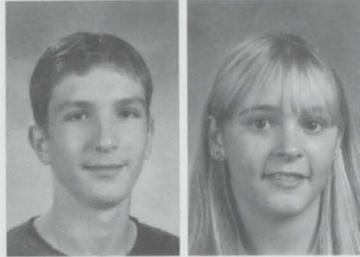
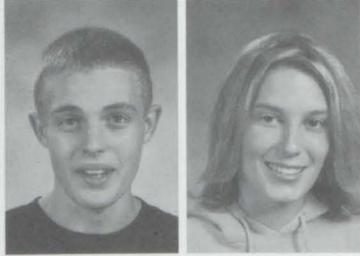
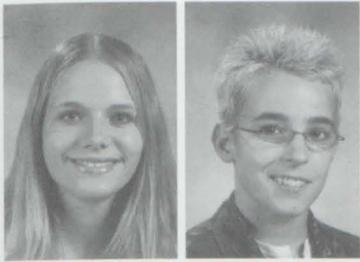


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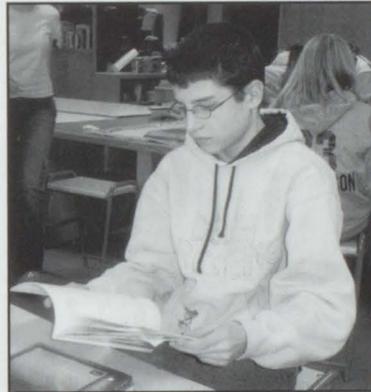




(below) Ann Mears is getting homework for a sick student. She said, "Being an office aide is fun."



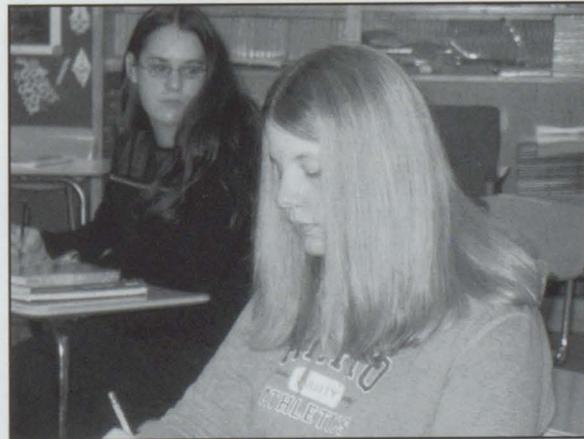
(below) Courtney Kingery played volleyball during her freshman year, as seen by her sweatshirt. She said, "Volleyball has been the highlight of my year so far."



(above) Blake Cain spends some extra class time looking over his workbook.



(above) Michael Atwood does his homework for English. When asked about his freshman year he commented, "It wasn't as hard as I thought and the homework was easy."

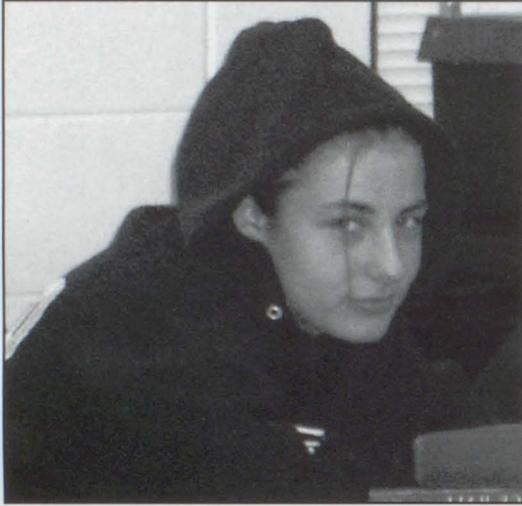


(above) Spring Johnston and Adrianne Terry are working hard in Mr. Popovich's English 9 class. They got along great during their freshman year.

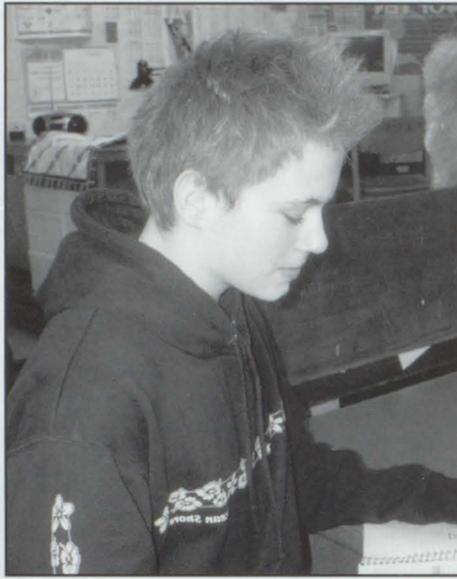


(above) Angel Jenkins focuses on her assignment.

(below) Ashley Kittrell gives a glare in Mr. Popovich's English 9 class. When asked about her freshman year she said, "I just want to go back to sleep."



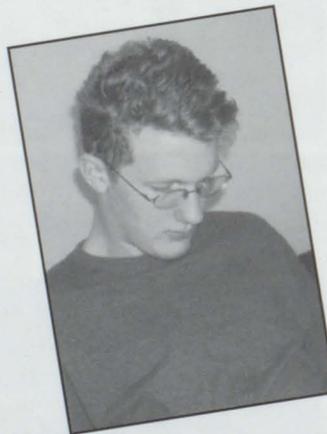
(below) Jacob Scott sits quietly during class as he focuses on his assignment.



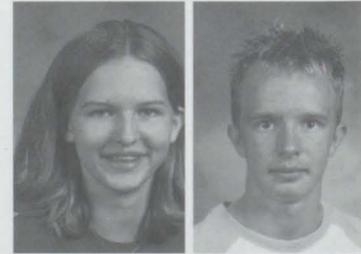
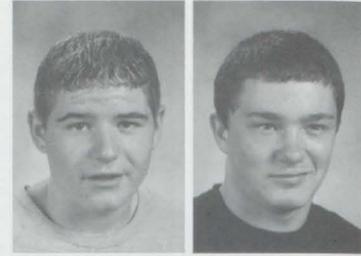
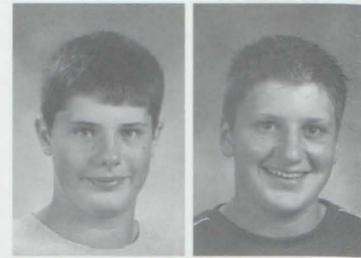
(below) High above on scaffolding, Ryan Delaney and Cole Natterman take a break from their marching band practice. They were part of the percussion section.



(below) Cross country was Michael Carbaugh's favorite part of his freshman year. When asked about what it was like running for the first time on a high school team he said, "Run, puke, run..."



(right) Sometimes adjusting to the high school and a new environment can be hard. Brian Williams and Ceaira Buchanon are seen here getting help from Ms. Lawton.



Corey Huddleston

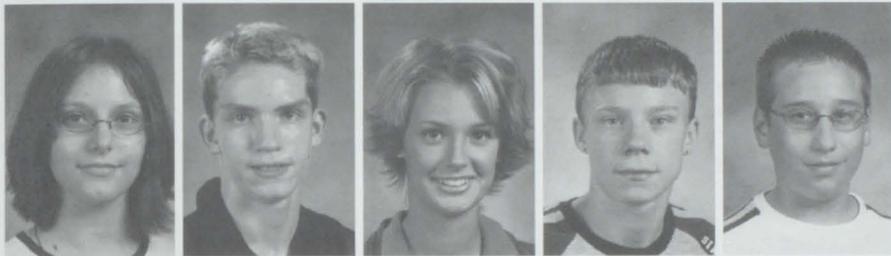
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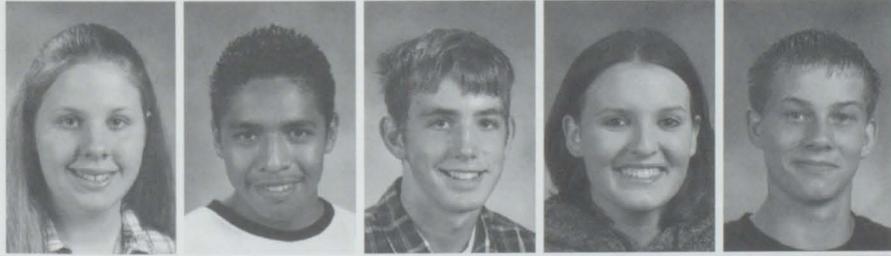
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Rebecca Shoemaker
Cory Smith
Daniel Smith



Jessica Smith
Levi Smith
Taylor Smith
Amber Smock
Melissa Speer
Brianna Stauffer
Ashley Stevens



Lauren Stokdyk
Austin Terrell
Adrienne Terry
Jose Torres
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Ezekiel Miley
Miguel Montero
Courtney Morgan
Breanna Noonkester
Kelsey Propes
Brooke Robbins
Kirsta Robinson
Robert Walker

Tom Walton
Charles Weathers
Kari Wells
Brian Williams
Amanda Wilson
Joanna Zink



(far left) Jessica Smith

(middle) Dale James, Kelsi Gill, Misty Prater

(left) Nathan Trapp



Holly Allbaugh 04

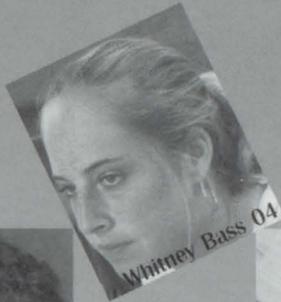


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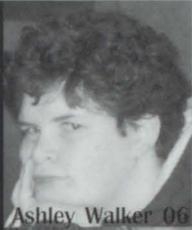
Familiarity, awareness, or understanding gained through experiences or study. This is the definition of knowledge. Although some students classify themselves as geniuses that ace every test handed to them, others consider themselves whizzes when it comes to common sense and everyday life. Each and every student has his or her own activity that they are proud of and their own way of being successful. Decathlon, Superbowl, and Spellbowl members show their strength in knowledge by competing academically against others from all over the state. Students who choose not to show their knowledge this way still continue to display wisdom by a task as simple as playing a game of scrabble or advising a younger person on an important decision. Surviving in this world consists completely on balance. One must learn to not be incredibly book smart but to also have intelligence in dealing with others and about decisions everyday that could change his or her life forever.

·Taylor Vaknin

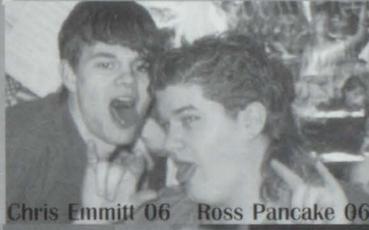




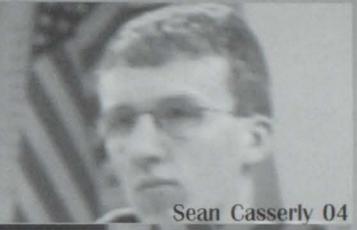
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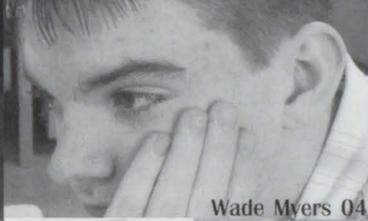
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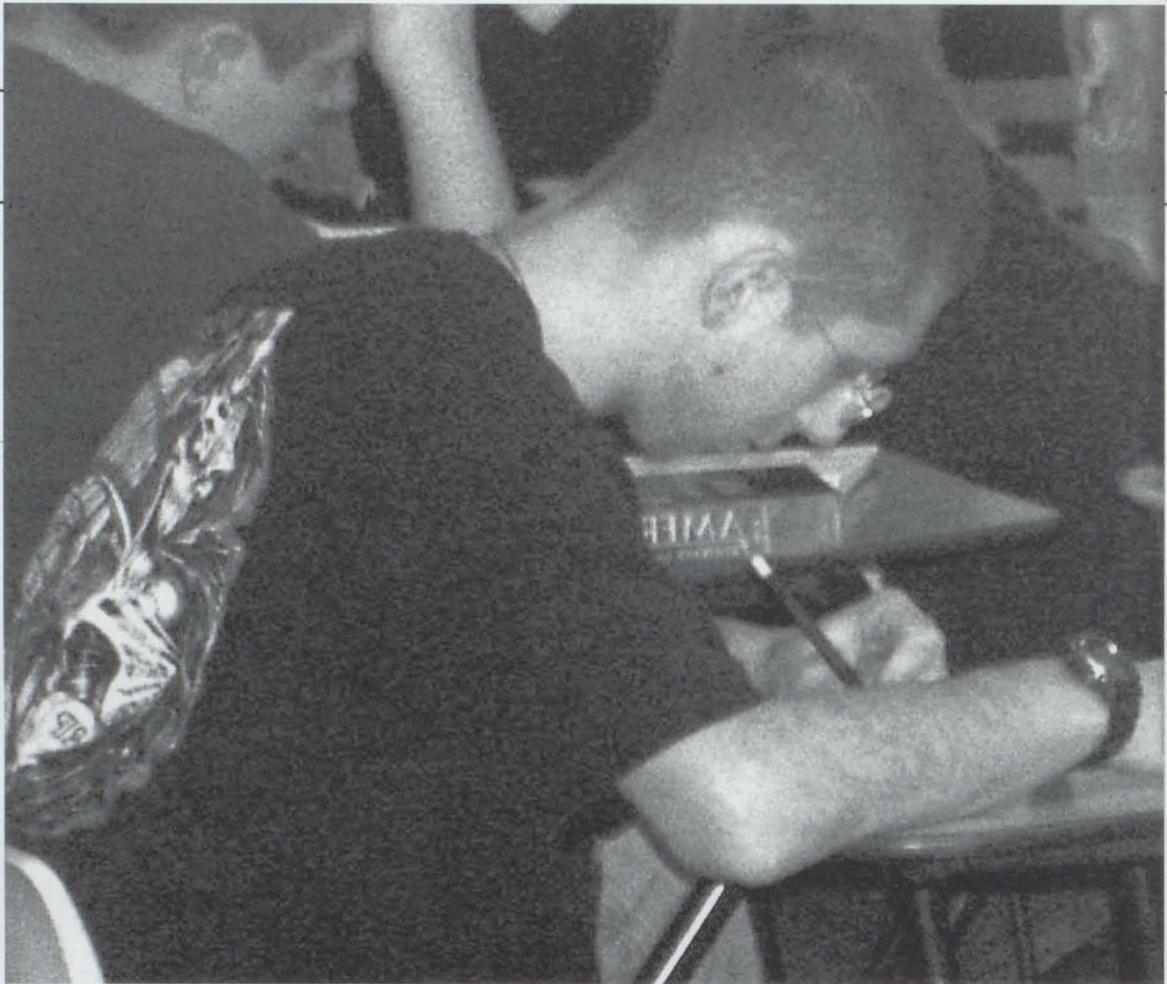
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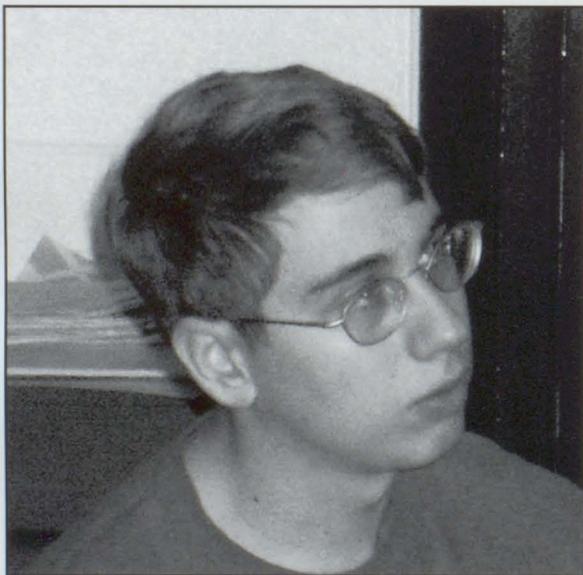
Justin Scaggs 04

Joe Bridge 07

Knowledge



Taking notes during government can be very helpful in gaining more knowledge about it, and better understanding it. Casey Speer 05, does just that because he knows that it works.



(above) Mark Parks 04, is seen watching the T.V. screen. He is in charge of running the power point presentation that he and his partner are presenting to his class.



(above) When Justin Spangler 05 was asked about what he thought about Govenment, he said, "I don't mind history that much. Sometimes it can be a little tiring, while other times it can be fun. Yet, with a teacher like Mr. Seuryncck, it can be fun."

From Politics to People Social Studies

Why History? Why Government? Why Economics?

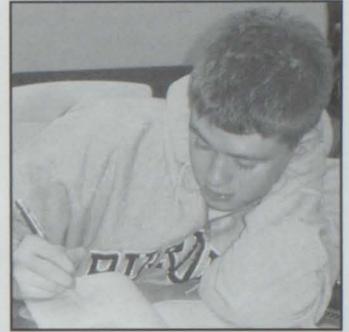
When someone is asked about WWII they can easily answer without any problem. What if we never kept a record? What if we never had history. Would we really know about all those important events that have shaped our country and world?

Two thousand four is the year of a new presidential election. Without Government how can we understand the point of the election and why we hold one every four years.

Money affects our everyday lives. We are surrounded by it and can't escape it. This is why Economic classes are taught.

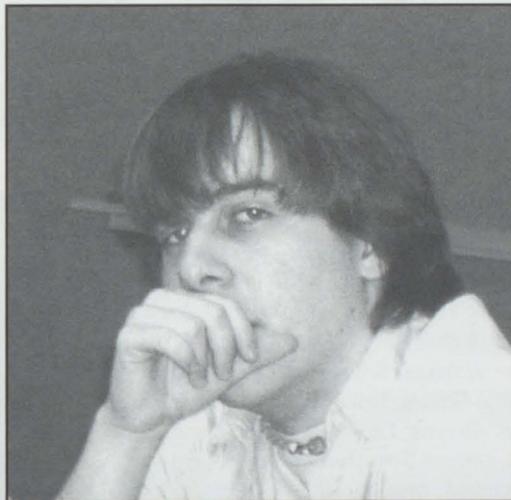
All these subjects form a big piece of the puzzle of life. Mr. Burpo, Mr. Fezzey, Mr. Seurnyck, and Mr. Beale help us to take the little pieces and make them fit into our culture and life-styles.

·Kyle Schwarzkopf

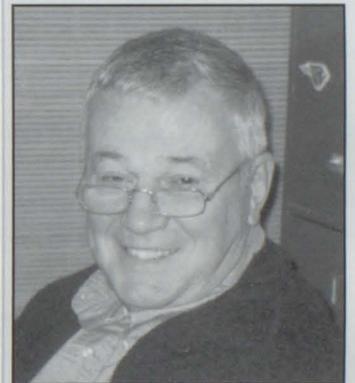


While doing some of his homework, Josh Mullin commented on history, "I like history and I really learn a lot in the class. Mr. Beale for President!!"

(right) While waiting for his classmates to finish a quiz, Tim Brummett 05 sits on top of a desk and thinks about the day ahead. There isn't any better way to start the day than in Mr. Seurnyck's class.



(above) In Mr. Fezzey's class, Ephina Moore 04 sits and listens during a presentation by one of her fellow classmates. She's having fun.



We caught Mr. Beale in his class preparing his lessons. "I enjoy knowing and teaching about people and what they have done. I also enjoy the 'little monsters' in my class."



(above) Just before his History class, Mr. Fezzey prepares his lesson plans. On the outside looking in, organization doesn't seem to be his strong suit, but actually he knows exactly where everything is!



When asked about History, Cameron Norman 06 replied, "History is awesome. I enjoy it a lot."



(above) French Club row 1: Cory Norman, Kyla Flora, Mrs. Tyner, Kim Allen, Kendra Cree; row 2: Ashley Brodar, Kirsty Flora, Joel Enoch, Kameron Banes, Courtney Priest, Lydia Smith, Caitlin Pritchett, Marlaina Scowden, Spring Johnston, Amanda Collins, Amber Smock, Anna Casserly, Ashley Baer; row 3: Lindsay Turner, Denise McManus, Brittney Little, Leslie Plummer, Amy Cline, Sarah Wright, Samantha Grimes, Brianne Stauffer, Jacquelynn Richardson, Jessica Smith, Ashley Stevens, Lauren Stokdyk, Joanna Zink, Amanda Wilson; row 4: Kayla Gill, Lindsey Delp, Audrey Smith, Julia Seese, Chris Emmitt, Allie Noble, Stephanie Turner, Amanda Grosvenor, Megan Walton, Courtney Kingery, Shannon Kremer, Stefanie Allen, Paige Maxwell; row 5: Laurie Ungersma, Amanda Taylor, Hillary Norris, Amy Linn, Sara Claiborne, Kendal Ross, Nick Moore, Cameron Norman, Kreg Anderson, Cody Canen, Hannah Hickman, Becca Shoemaker, Allan Lucas, Kyle Schwarzkopf; row 6: Kaila Jones, Kimber Houser, Alysia Caldwell, Eric Christensen, Nancy Weis, Adrienne Terry, Autumn Terry, Cody Lively, Kelsi Gill, Tara Brummett, Hali German, Olivia Weis, Cole Natterman; row 7: Mandy Kauffman, Lorien Milakovic, Sonya Claiborne, Sara Young, Michael Carbaugh, Shawna Roach, Carrie Gardiner, Katie Beach, Brittany Mauer, Jade Richardson, Annie Canaan; row 8: Josh Fulton, Chad Radke, Micah Johnston, Kenny Chinn, Brooke Anderson, Tom Walton, Levi Smith, Misty Rector, Jenna Levy, Kyle Hammond; Not Pictured: Nicole Cain



(above) Five French III students show of their cooking skills with their delicious "Bouche de Noël's". "I really enjoy being in French III this year. Madame Tyner is so nice and our class is très cool. We get to eat yummy Bouche de Noël, celebrate Marti Gras, and speak French! What could possibly be more fun? Vive le Français!" Allie Noble says about her third year in French! (from left to right) Amy Cline 05, Allie Noble 05, Leslie Plummer 05, Sarah Wright 05, and Kayla Gill 05.

• Annie Canaan

Foreign Fantasy



(above) Having enough perseverance to enjoy four years of a foreign language is difficult for the average person, yet Lee Cline 04 is in his fourth year of French and explains, "French is awesome!"



(above) Taking Spanish II work seriously, Katy Steinwald 05 says, "Spanish has been great this year. My second year of Spanish was a lot more challenging than the first, but I am learning to understand it a little bit better."

“ I love teaching French to my students here at Delphi. I love to share my passion for the language, the culture, and the history of such a beautiful country. After 19 years here, more than 50 of my students have been able to travel to France themselves and have been able to use their language skills. Nothing else could be more rewarding for a foreign language teacher.

My favorite part of teaching french is the cultural part including our annual Marti Gras celebration, crepe and fondue day, and celebrating French Christmas customs. Like my students, my least favorite is listening activities.

I truly enjoy teaching high school students. It is wonderful to see their language grow

during the three to four years I have them in class. It is also wonderful to watch them mature through their high school years. Their humor, their interest in our global community, and their desire to travel inspires me to do my best. I wish them all 'bonne chance' and if they are lucky enough to go to France, may their flights not be cancelled and may their luggage not be lost!”

-Madame Tynner

“ What I like most about teaching a foreign language is the moment when a student 'sees the light' or connects. I feel rewarded when a student connects a word meaning with a word they already know in English. And best of all is a conversation in a foreign language and seeing confidence grow in the use of the language. When a student 'grows', I know why I love being with young people.”

-Señora Cornell



ESPAÑOL

(left) Spanish Club; row one: Ms. Brown, Savannah Osborne, Jessica Thornton, Emily Fisher, Tayia Buchanon; row 2: Jamie Nipple, Taylor Vaknin, Ryne Hillenburg, Christina Baker; row 3: Alysia Lewis, Sara Strasser, Chad Dale, Colin Stauffer, Cole Stonebraker, Andy Fassnacht, Parker George, Elizabeth Myers; row 4: Megan Tull, Heather Brakel, Bethany Dolick, Evan Maxwell, Carrie Fife, Jennifer Kauffman, Jonah Brown, Marshall Criswell; row 5: Sally Maxwell, Paige Keys, Alyssa Robbins, Cory Dunbar, Brooke Robbins, Katie Lewis, Brianna James, Tiffany Britton; row 6: Michelle Yeager, Joey Shanklin, Sharayah Red Elk, Keltie Lake, Brittini Ballard, Ann Mears, Brianne Klinker, Debra Lambirth; row 7: Steve Callender, Tabitha Smith, Tim Pritchett, Jared Manny, Thales Almeida, Heather Clark, Tasha Scott.

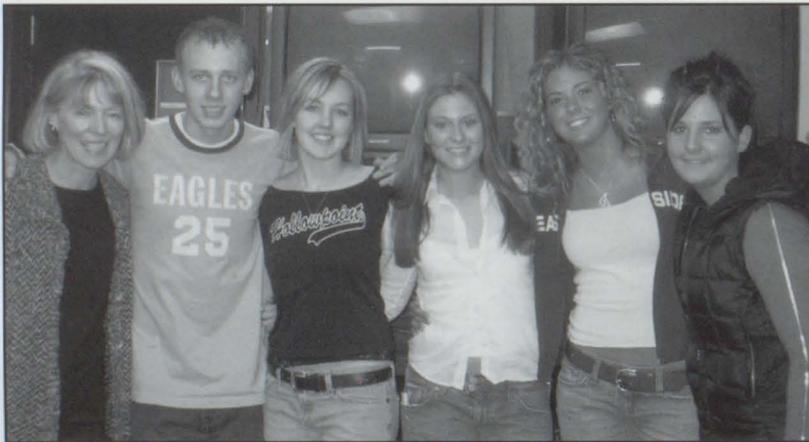
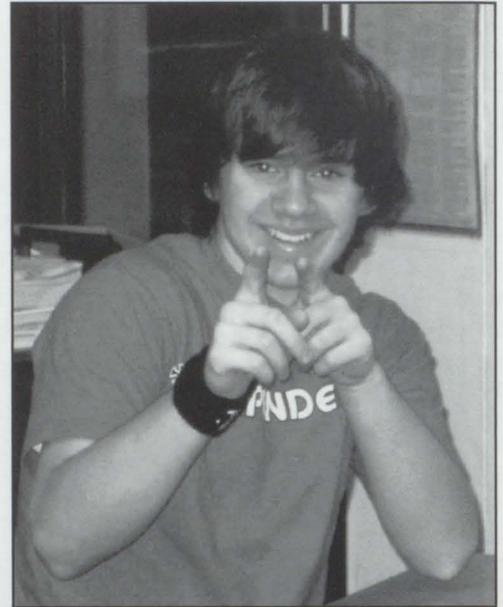
Read to Achieve

English experiences from frosh to senior

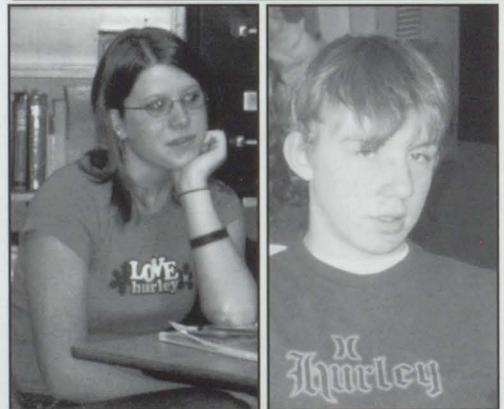
Creativity, reading, vocabulary. These are words that come to mind when speaking of English class. Although English classes span over four different age groups and is taught by different teachers, all classes almost reach a happy medium by participating in similar activities. Reading several books as a class throughout the year is a common project. Individuality and personality shine through as different teachers assign original post-

book assignments. Fridays for English classes are known as vocabulary test days. All classes have Monday through Thursday to memorize roots, prefixes, and suffixes. Not only are there regular English classes, but there are MA English classes, which stands for most able. These students are expected to go a little above and beyond the call of duty. In actuality, English is a building block that helps students get closer to their future dreams.

·Taylor Vaknin



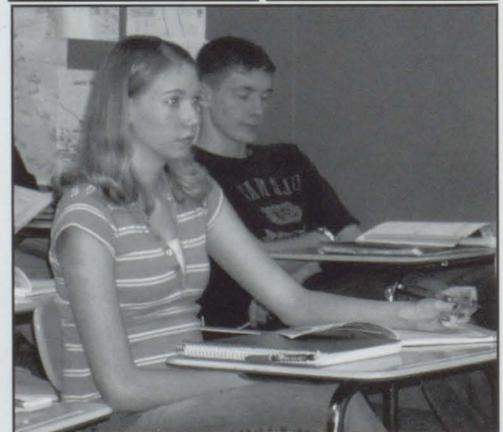
(above) The English Superbowl team of 2004. From left to right: Mrs. Brettbacher, Evan Maxwell, Marley Owen, Tabitha Smith, Taylor Vaknin, and Emily Fisher. They meet every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday during homeroom to prepare for the competition.



(top right) Scott Seabolt 06 carefully follows Mrs. Brettbacher's instructions only briefly distracted while expressing his attitude to the camera.

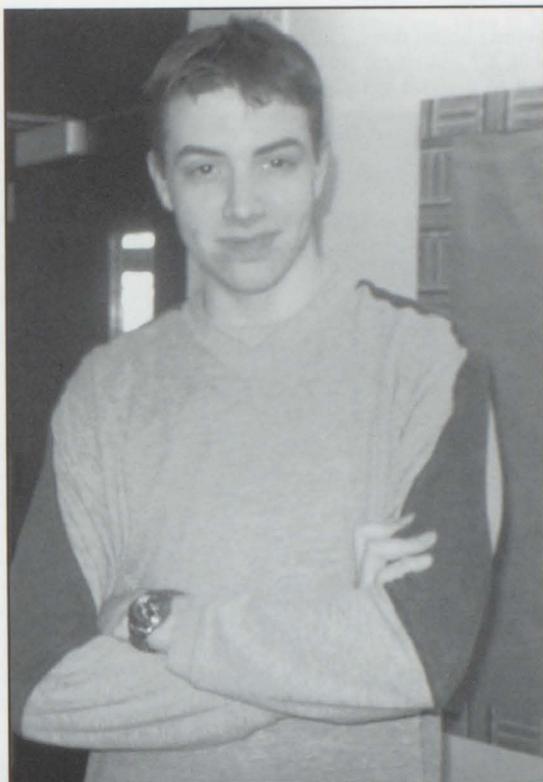
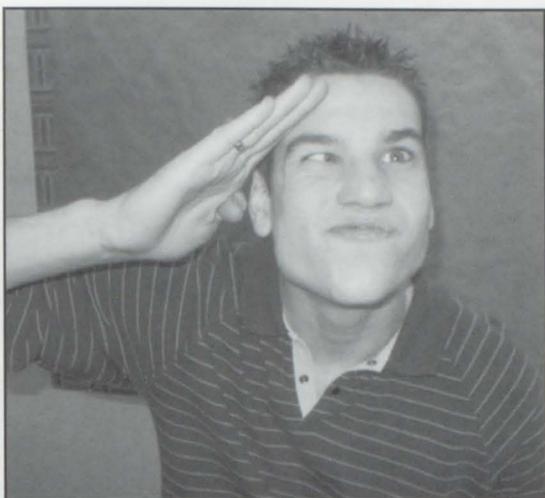
(middle right) Alex Jackson 06 practices his model pose, bangs in the eyes and everything! Hopefully he'll get discovered soon. Not all of the cute guys have to go to waste.

(middle left) Hayley Fassnacht 07 dreams off into space as Mrs. Brettbacher babbles on about the book they are currently reading as a class. At least her eyes are still open, which is more than we can say for some sleepy students!



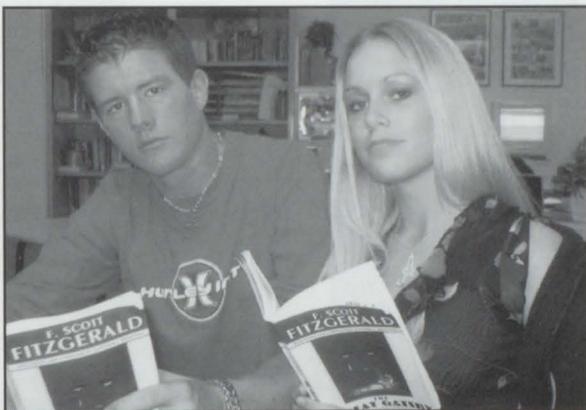
(bottom right) Courtney Kingery 07, a freshman this year, has just gotten into the swing of things. The transfer is a little difficult, and maybe even quite overwhelming, but after some time, it becomes comfortable enough to relax and be yourself.

"Most people think that English is a boring class. I disagree! I feel like it brings out the better part of me. I mean, just look at me!" exclaims Chad Dale 05 after another exciting day of English with Mrs. McKaig.



(above) Tim Pritchett 05 takes time out from working on a class project to relax. His English class is reading "The Great Gatsby" for second semester and designing a bulletin board to portray the main characters in the book.

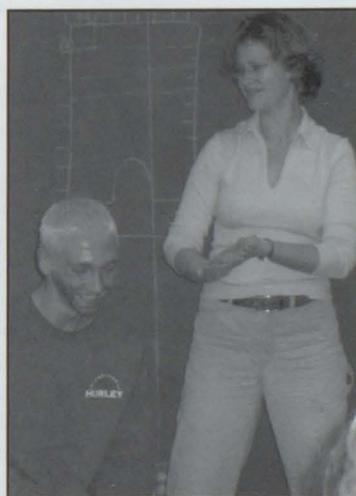
Colin Stauffer and Alyssa Robbins 05 enjoy taking a few minutes out of their day to read together. "Colin and I have quite a few inside jokes, which has made English class very memorable for us," says Alyssa Robbins.



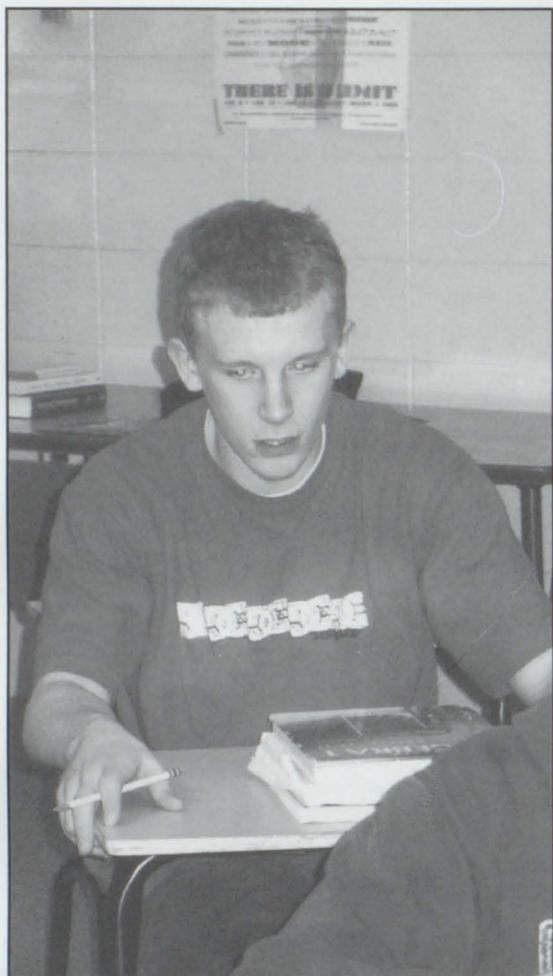
(above) Hali German 06 patiently waits for her English teacher to ask a question so she can show some skill by answering correctly. Although Hali is very dedicated to sports, she still finds time to concentrate on homework.

Face in the Crowd

To spice up English class for a day, Mrs. McKaig and Mrs. Shaffer took their class to the little theater to work with teachers from the Missoula Childrens Theater. Gretchen and her sidekick taught improvisation and mime to these two classes and showed Mrs. Brummett's classes how to do stage makeup. The pair came all the way from Bozeman, Montana to inform DCHS about acting. Missoula Children's Theatre travels the world to present Rumpelstiltskin, Treasure Island, and Cinderella. DCHS was privileged to spend an hour with these professionals.



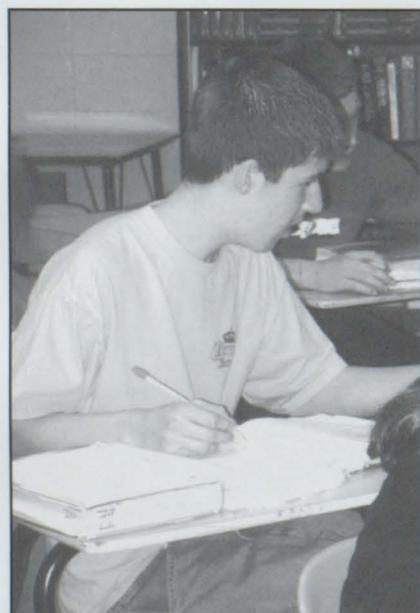
(below) Some days, class just seems too long. Cory Cook 07 stares off into space waiting for the bell to ring to dismiss his Algebra class.



(below) Ross Pancake 06 takes a test in Algebra II. He said, "This stuff can be hard, but as you learn and understand more, it actually becomes a piece of cake."



(above) Everyone knows that to get a good grade in math, you have to do your homework. Kenny Chinn 07 works on his assignment in first hour study hall.



(above) In Mr. Mathis' seventh hour class, Keaton Cunningham 07 is asking a friend for help on a homework question.



(above) Sarah Wright 05, Tim Pritchett 05, and Emily Fisher 05 all know how hard Trigonometry can be. Mr. LePage sometimes lets his students work together to figure out those tough problems.

Factor This

Imagine life without math. Students begin by adding $1+1=2$, $2+2=4$, and so on. Over the years the problems and theorems become more complicated and the fast paced process of student learning becomes more dependent on technology where math is a logical integration. The *mathletes* (as Mr. LePage would say) have greatly contributed to these advances.

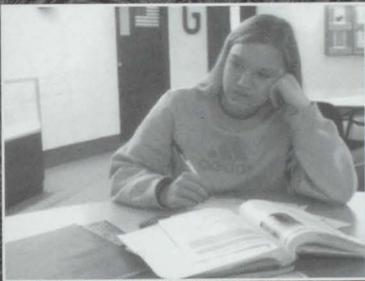
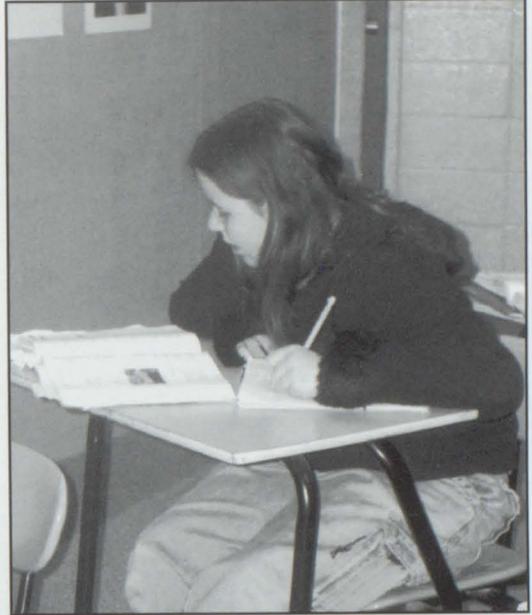
Mathematics plays a

major role in the everyday lives of our society, in and out of school. Teachers Mr. Mathis, Mr. LePage, Mr. Atwood, and Mr. Gasser use their knowledge to challenge and prepare the students of DCHS for the future.

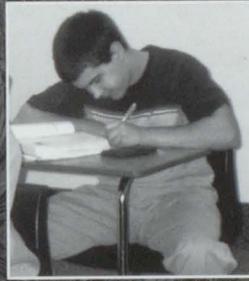
♦ Cody Canen



(below) If homework gets done in class, then it is no longer homework. Breeanna Noonkester 07 works frantically to finish her homework before the bell rings.



• Jade Richardson 06



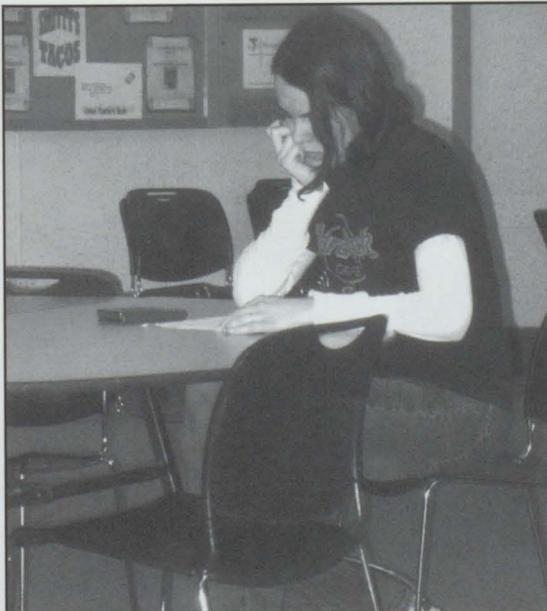
• John Reptogle 05



• Phillip Snoeberger 06



• Gary Crider 06



(above) Exchange student, Kate Hahn 05 missed a few days of school due to the acute illness. She is seen here working in the commons trying to get caught up on class assignments.



(above) Corbin Beamer 06 has something to tell DCHS. He said, "I want you to enjoy math twice as much as I do, because math is my favorite subject."

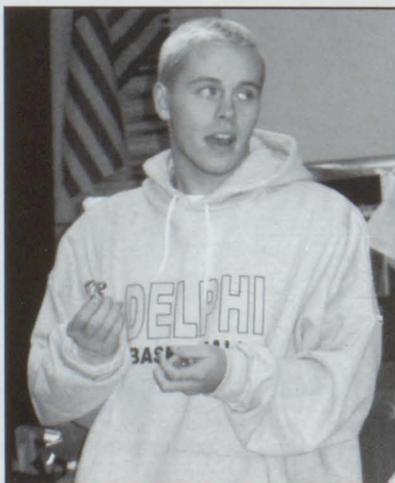
(left) Working as a team, Maycon James 06 and Wes Berkshire 06, complete their lab. Maycon helps Wes make sure that they write down all the information that they have gathered.



(above) In Biology class, Daniel Cable pays careful attention to his Biology teacher, Mr. Means. "Science is life. Science is how we are."



(above) During 5th hour Ecology class, Mr. Janowiak explains how one class tested DNA and gave an overview of how DNA is put together. "One of the things that I love about doing science is looking deeply into how things work and looking at all the pieces. The problem I have sometimes is putting things back together again!" admits Mr. Janowiak.



(right) Sometimes a presentation can get confusing and hard to understand. Knowing this, Cory Norman 04, uses a visual aid to help his fellow classmates better understand it.

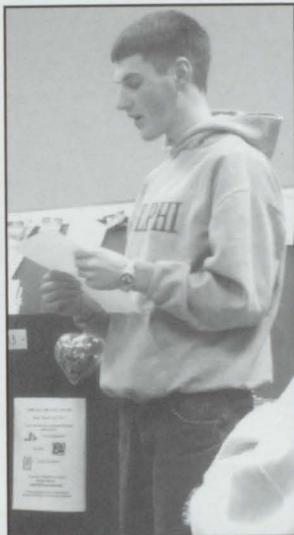
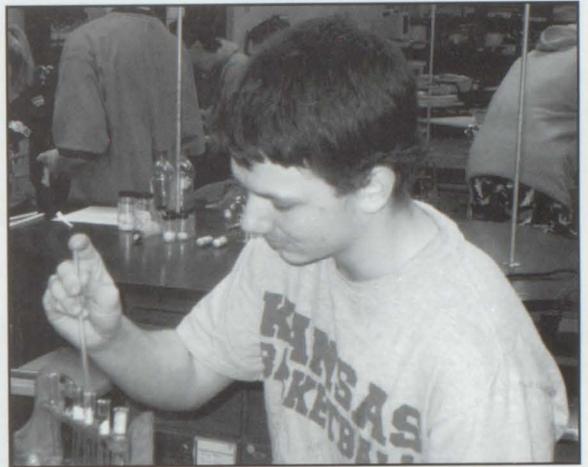
The Sensation of Observation.

Science teaches the laws of life. It's not about how the students should live their lives, but how live things work. Science has to do with labs, while other consists of book work.

Whether it's liked or not, it's science. The students will always have it, and there is always something new to learn about it.

•Kyle Schwarzkopf

(above) One of the fun parts of science, are the labs. Dale Sizemore 06 smiles as he finds out what happens when you mix certain liquids together.



(far left) There is no better way to give a presentation than with smirk a smile. That is exactly what Keith Mears 04 does in Mrs. Mason's Physics class.

(left) While performing an experiment during a lab, Blain McLeland 06 and Amanda Gick 06 spill one of their liquids. Once refilled, Mrs. Mason advises them as to how not to make the same mistake again.



(left) In Mrs. Mason's first hour ICP class, the students participate in a lab that has to do with sound. After performing his test, Matt Brown 06, records his data and findings.

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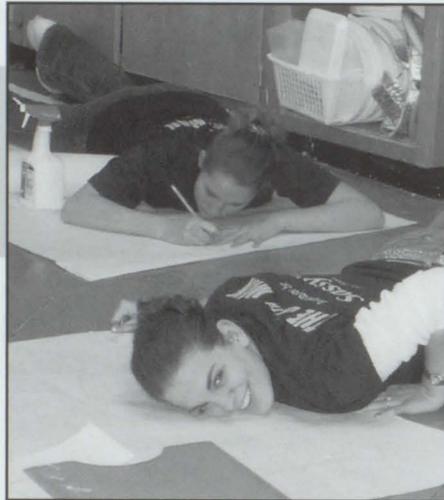
Relaxing

FUN!



(left) Perfecting his studies, Triston Drapper 04 is having a blast in his third year of art.

(right) Working hard and having fun, Kristen Hahn 07 and Amanda Bennett 07 have no trouble with discovering their creativity. Kristen says, "Art is a pretty cool thing. It makes you expand on your creativity."



(above) Exploring his creativity, Kim Snider 05 works on one of his assignments in his second semester of Art III.



(above) Discovering his hidden artistic abilities, Jason Cree 05 is in his first year of art. "Art is fun, and is a great time to relax, but get work done."



(above) In his third year of art, Anthony Bailey 05 is passionate about his art work. "Art is fun and I enjoy the colors. Art is so fascinating. A lot of people are missing out!"



(above) Checking for error, Leigh Replogle 07 critiques her art work. This is her first year, yet she has made progress in her work, had fun, and has learned a lot about the arts.

(right) Working hard to discover new aspects of the arts, Jenna Henderson 04 hopes to continue her studies in Art and Design at Indiana State University next year. "I have enjoyed art all of my life, it's not a surprise to me that I want it to be a big part of my career! It's a great way to express yourself and your own ideas! I love it!"

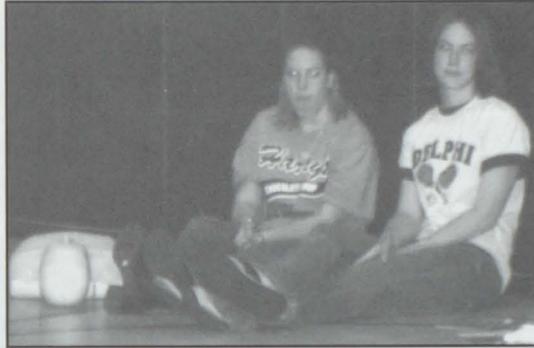


The nice thing about teaching health is that it encompasses a lot of things, especially stressing the current event side of teaching and learning.

-Mr. Burpo

STRESSING Health

"I love health!"
"It's both educational and fun!"
"The movies are interesting!"



Taking time from their "hands on" training, Brittaney Mauer 06 and Tristan Sieber 06 watch an educational video to learn the correct techniques to perform CPR.

Delphi Community High School requires students to take health class. Two different teachers teach it. Mr. German has taught health for several years and the first year for Mr. Burpo. Every student learns skills to help make their lives healthier and learn the consequences of good and bad choices.

DCHS's health education class helps prepare students for continued skills of developing knowledge, concepts, and attitudes towards their health and well-being. The students at DCHS learn many things to make their lives better. Health at DCHS is new and fun, yet you never go a day without learning something new!

-Annie Canaan



(above) Attending the annual CPR training session, Shane Wamsher 05 is preparing himself to take control and save lives.

(left) Mouth to mouth resuscitation is a vital aspect of CPR. Jonathon Sales 05 is practicing on a dummy provided by the school.



Accapella Choir, row 1; Katie Steinwald, Brittney Little, Nicole McKinley, Lindsay Turner, Heather Brakel, Holly Allbaugh, Ross Larimore, Erin Wertz, Erin Hetsko, Allie Noble, Jennifer Kauffman, row 2; Denise McManus, Jessica Clemons, Brittany Michel, Danielle Wagner, Courtney Priest, Sasha Vianco, Peter Kaute, Thales Almeida, Jared Anderson, Mandy Kauffman, Saxony Cornwall, Jamie Weaver, row 3; Felicia Lewis, Kolet Flood, Amanda Taylor, Ashley Randle, Lindsay Delp, Amanda Grosvenor, Sara Peschke, Nathan Beach, Ryan Linn, Breann Klinker, Kayla Gill, Betti Stevens, Coday Lively, Rhonda Butler, row 4; Alice Floyd, Tristan Sieber, Jeni Hall, Lisa Lehmann-Willenbrock, Amy Linn, Erin Hutsett, Lee Gill, Kameron Banes, Jon Newell, Sarah Cox, Beth Nichols, Beth Myers, Lindsay Pearson, Autumn Terry, Audrey Smith.

(below right) Just waking up from his daydreaming, Keaton Cuttingham says this about choir, "It's an easy two credits." He's seems pretty happy about that.



(above) When asked what she liked most about choir, Lisa Lehmann-Willenbrock 06 comments, "It's fun! We sing, and I love to sing!"



(right) "I like being in choir because music really helps with everyday life," says Nicole McKinley 05. "Mr. Kayser is always open to opinions, which is really cool. There's nothing like singing at 8:00 in the morning!"



(below) Ryan Linn 05



(below) Brittany Wells 05



(above) Betti Stevens 05



(above) Tonya McAnich 07 and Carrie Wells 07

Concert Choir, row 1; Anna Casserly, Keltie Lake, Jonathan Randle, Aaron Minier, Andrew Anderson, Ashley Kittrell, Carrie Royer, row 2; Bree Noonkester, Kelsey Propes, Josh Pearson, Brian Williams, Mike Atwood, Kelsie Gill, Brittnei Ballard, row 3; Stephanie Pearson, Monica Frank, Sharayah Red Elk, Carlos Garcia, Justin Burge, Chase Brummett, Brandon Miller, Keaton Cuttingham, Shawna French, Adrienne Terry, row 4; Melissa Spear, Carrie Wells, Ceaira Buchanon, Kevin Cox, Joe Little, Cory Cook, Shawn O'Brian, Daniel Cable, Ashley Baer, Rebecca Shoemaker, and Autumn Blackburn.



Singing Their Hearts Out

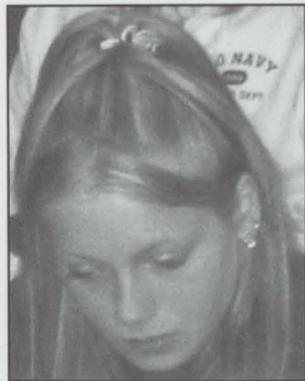


(left) "Most band people say how hard it is to play an instrument, and they also say it's easy to be in Choir," Bree Noonkester 07 comments. "Well one thing that Mr. K. taught us was the voice is harder to 'master' than an instrument. You push a button to do your work, but with the voice you have to do it. No little button will help you!"

Sheet music, practices, choriography, and singing are only part of choir. It's hard work that takes talent and dedication. These are only a few things that make up Choir. There is also tension, performing in front of audiences, and looking and sounding great.

•Brooke Anderson

(below) "Choir is an easy A, till you forget to go to a Choir concert!" says Carrie Royer 07. "Oh, I love to sing too!"



(far left) "Choir is really fun. Some of the songs we sing are really fun!" says Sasha Vianco 05. "The best thing about choir is when we have concerts!"

(middle left) Teaching the class a new song, Mr. Kayser says, "I am proud to work with such wonderful singers and personalities as are in this year's choirs. They make beautiful music, and are certainly colorful. This has been a great year."



(above) Getting ready for the "Top 40" concert, the Freshmen Concert Choir are learning the choriography.

Seen & Noted



(right) The marching band takes to the field for another exciting performance. This year's half time show included music by Paul Simon and "Soul Bossanova" from the movie Austin Powers.



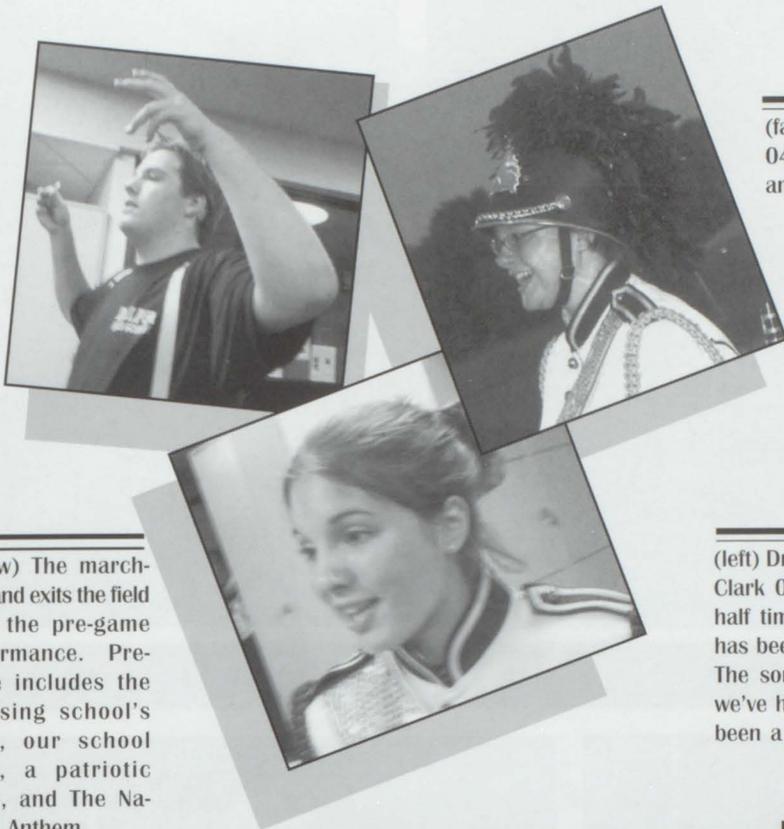
(right) While in the band room, Amanda Wilson 07 takes care of some finishing touches on her uniform. She has this to say about band, "The best part about band is when we do Pep Band because you can go see the guys win their basketball games."

The DCHS band had a very successful year. The 34 members worked very hard in everything they did, and they did it all! Whether it was marching band, concert band, or pep band, all of the band members participated in everything. With all of this hard work, they should deserve a break, right? Well, they got one. In April, the band took a trip to New York, but don't think it was all fun and games because they performed there as well.

·Megan Tull

(right) Band, row 1; Ryan Delaney, Levi Smith, Zach McTigue, Brianna Griffey, Deja Kendall, row 2; Julia Seese, Sam Francis, Audrey Smith, Nancy Weis, Shawna Roach, Lauren Stokdyk, Courtney Houchens, row 3; Brianne Stauffer, Joanna Zink, Ashlie Caldwell, Jessica Smith, Ashlie Stevens, Jessica Barnett, row 4; Amanda Wilson, Paul Howell, Carrie Fife, Hannah Hickman, Ryan Payne, row 5; Heather Clark, Cole Nattermann, Justin Scaggs, Adrian Foster, row 6; Clinton Bartels, Michael Carbaugh, Tiffany Britton, row 7; Nick Force, Amanda Collins, row 8; Mr. Fridenmaker.





(far left) After the half time show, Justin Scaggs 04 still has plenty of energy. Justin adds, "I am the King of Duct Tape."

(left) In her third year of band, Audrey Smith 05 takes on the role of Drum Major. It meant a lot for Audrey and Paul Howell 05, to step up as juniors and help lead the marching band.

(below) The marching band exits the field after the pre-game performance. Pre-game includes the opposing school's song, our school song, a patriotic piece, and The National Anthem.

(left) Dressed in uniform and ready to go, Heather Clark 06 prepares herself for pre-game and the half time show. Heather says, "Band this year has been great! We have done so much fun stuff. The songs this year have been pretty cool, and we've had lots of opportunities to play them. It's been a great year!"



(left) Resting for a minute, helps Julia Seese 05 prepare for the half time performance. Julia says, "I really enjoyed seeing an improvement in myself in solo. And, viola, I went to state!"

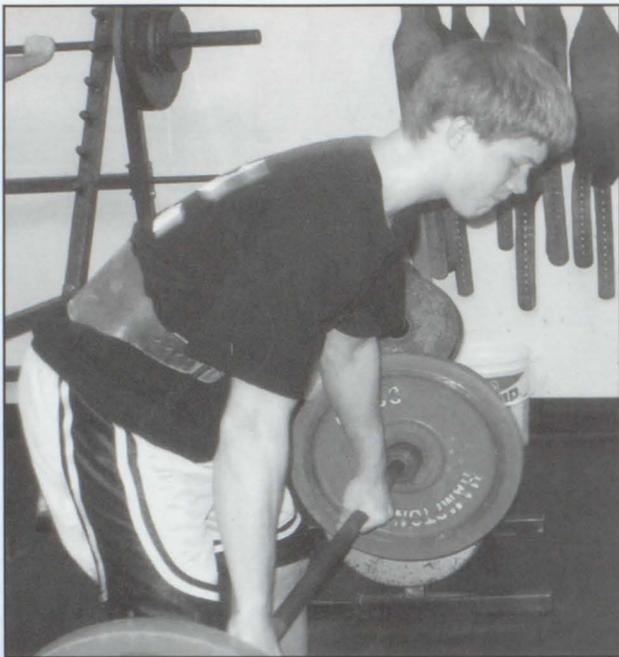


(above) After a long evening practice, the band listens attentively to Mr. Fridenmaker for some last minute announcements. Amanda Collins 06, Heather Clark 06, Sam Francis 06, and Tiffany Britton 06 do their best to take in all of the information.

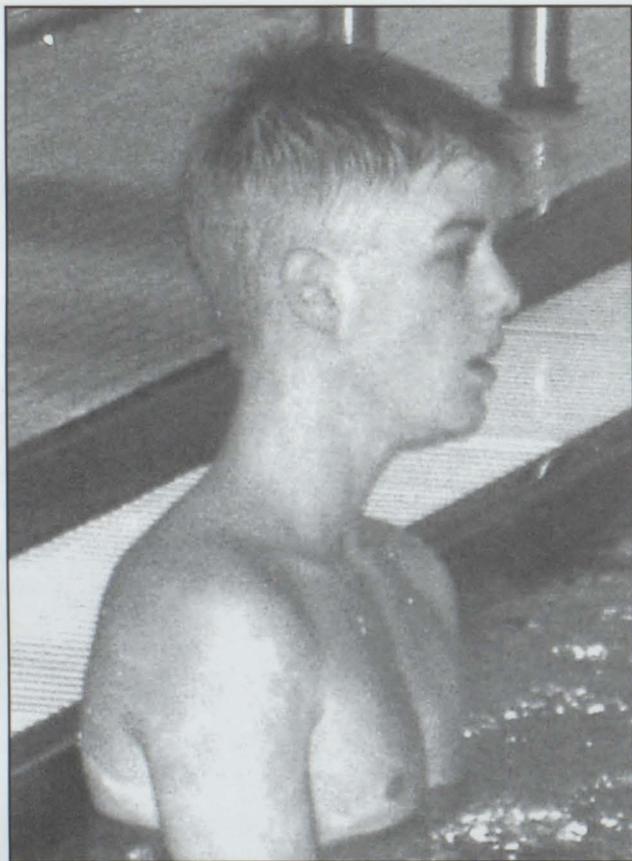


(above) Standing next to Clinton Bartels 04, Mr. Fridenmaker (band director), Mr. Brakel (principal), and Jeff Johnson (head custodian) join the pep band for a few songs before one of the basketball games. Mr. Brakel comments, "Band has always been a part of my life, and I enjoy opportunities to play along with present students."

(right) During his first hour APC class Blake Miller 06 does his power cleans. "I am in A.P.C. to improve on my lifting technique as well as get stronger. I want to get stronger so that I can beat Heise."

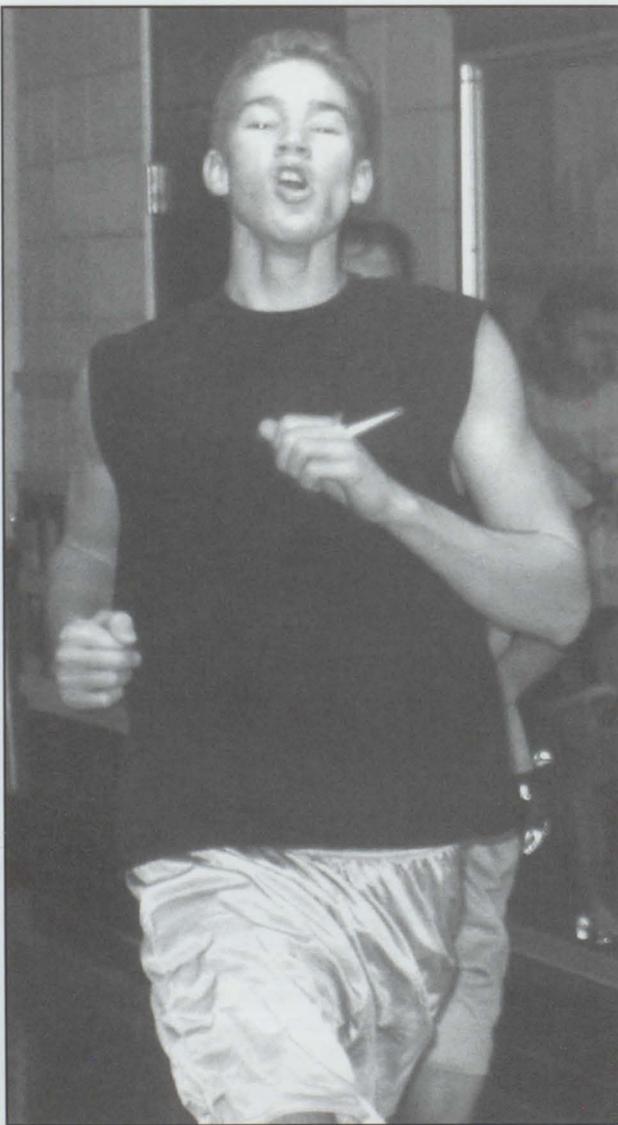


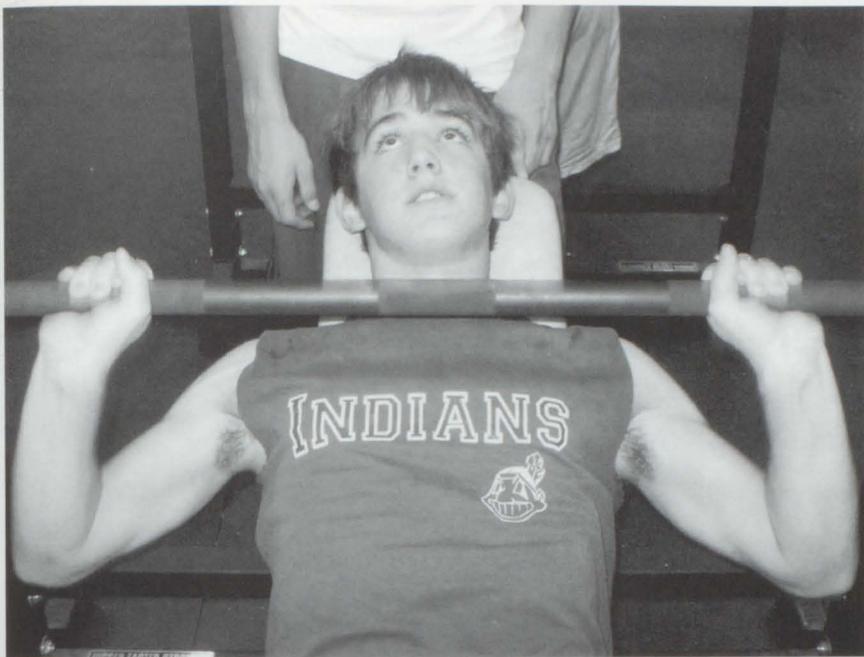
(far right) Patric Shoup 06 pushes himself while lifting. "I joined A.P.C. because I wanted to do better in the different sports I am in all year."



(above) Swimming can be more tiring than you think. In P.E., Brandon Leer 07 takes a breather from swimming some laps.

(right) Running is a key element to staying healthy and in shape. Kendal Ross 06 runs his hardest on stair laps so that he can get faster and in better shape. He knows this and pushes himself to make himself faster.





(left) It takes a lot of concentration in order to lift weights. Nathan Trapp 07 works very hard so that he can improve as much as possible. "I like A.P.C. so much because it helps me to become stronger so that I may excel in all of my sports. The chicks dig it."



(left) During 1st hour, Scott Brothers 06 does his leg lifts. Even though these lifts might appear to be easy they are actually quite and hard and give you a great work out.

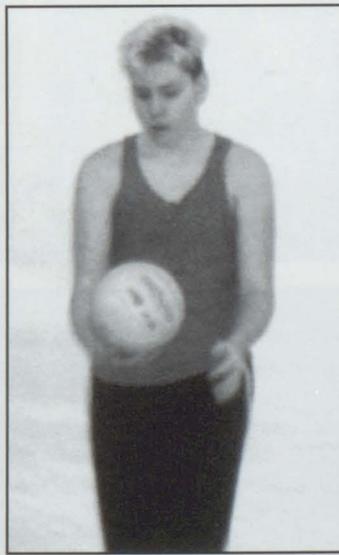
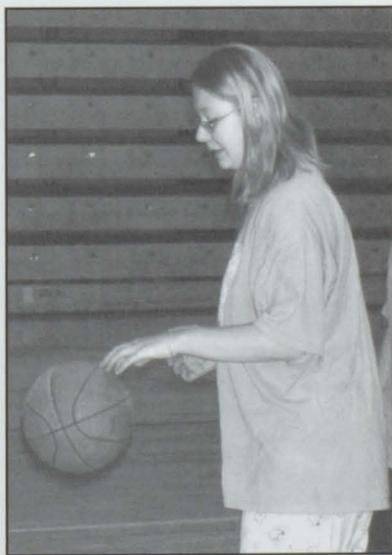
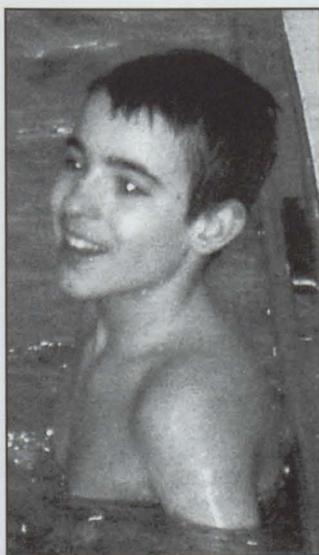
Fitness and Fun

P.E. has always been a class that the students of Delphi have enjoyed through elementary, all the way up through highschool. Students are able to stay healthy through fun activities in P.E.. Whether it be swimming or dancing, either way you are staying healthy while participating in fun activities.

Our school is fortunate enough to offer a

program that steps it up a notch. Students call it A.P.C, or advanced physical conditioning. Students push themselves in this class to get stronger and faster. It may seem hard at times, but in the end when students look back at it, they then think to themselves, hey that wasn't so bad after all.

·Kyle Schwarzkopf



(far left) Sometimes after you know that you have given your all you just want to sit back and just be happy. Richy Everett 07 smiles knowing full well that he gave swimming his all in P.E.

(middle left) Another activity that is played in P.E. is basketball. Melissa Speer 07 drives toward the basket to keep herself in the game of knock-out.

(left) In P.E. you do many different physical activities. Ransom Cornwall 07 in Mrs. Carpenter's 1st hour class, serves a volleyball in a close game to the opposing team.



(above) Michael Hahn 05 pretends to work on his computer in Mr. Gray's class. (right) Danny Hampton 04 fixes a machine for Mr. Anderson's print shop. (below) Kevin Perierra 05 talks to the friends he made while in Mr. Gray's class.



(right) Nathan Trapp 07 makes the finishing touches on a project in the shop.



Jordan Gilman 07



Nancy Weis 06



Shawn O'Brien 07 / Co

We like to use our tools!

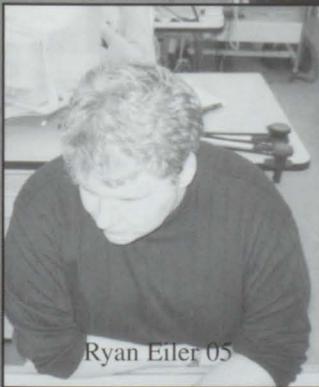
"When will I ever use this stuff?". This is a familiar question around the classrooms of DCHS. Almost all of the students in the Industrial Technology classrooms know exactly when they will use "this stuff". They will use it in their future careers. The I.T. classes teach some of the most valuable and useful things in the school, stuff that when we become adults we will be able to use on a daily basis, like fixing cars and using computers. The Industrial Tech classes don't just learn things, they learn how to run them.

kids wondering around the halls with a huge stack of paper? Those students are probably from one of Mr. Anderson's Print Shop classes. Students help him print off papers for the teachers.

All different types of math and science will be very useful in the futures of DCHS students, and at some point they will need to know how to perform some of the skills they learned in industrial technology classes.

·Savannah Osborne

Have you ever seen the



Ryan Eiler 05



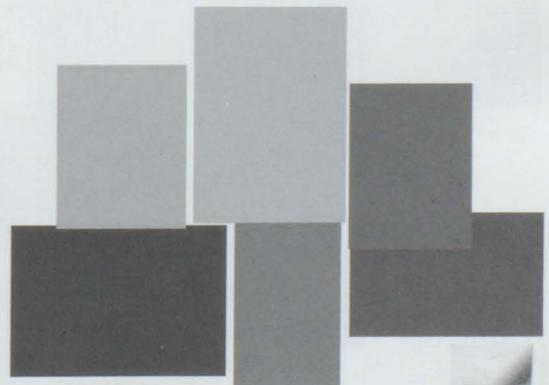
Autumn Blackburn 07



Mark Minnicus 07



James Giek 06



F A C S / B U S I N E S S

The East wing of Delphi High School is known as the Business department which consists of Mr. McCammon, Mrs. Kinzie, and Mrs. Brown.

Mr. McCammon teaches Accounting, Document Formatting, Sports Marketing, Web Design, and Business Foundations. In each of these classes he tries to combine real life experiences and hands-on experiences to give the students the best insight to life in the world of business. By giving them real life examples that they can relate to, it will spark an interest in business that will prove useful for many of them down the road.

Mrs. Brown teaches FACS classes in which students learn life skills. She explained, "I have seen a lot of changes during my years as a teacher. When your parents were in school, Home Ec. was known for its stitchin' and stirrin' classes. I haven't taught sewing class in then years, probably

and foods class has become Nutrition and Wellness to help students understand how what they eat affects their bodies. Decision making skills are discussed in every class. Consumerism is very important and students learn how to handle money in Econ class. With so many dual income families, quality child care is extremely important. FACS has changed to meet the needs of today."

The newest class to be offered in the business department is called Interactive Media. Juniors and seniors are eligible. Mrs. Kinzie said, "This course is an awesome addition to the business curriculum. The 24 students I have in class have learned HTML, how to create web pages, graphics, and animation using Dreamweaver, Fireworks, and Flash. They are responsible for updating the school's web pages. Other projects include using Photoshop Elements to enhance/altar photographs taken with the new digital cameras, editing footage taken by the digital video cameras and creating fun and exciting movies."

·Taylor Vaknin

2003



Mr. McCammon



Mrs. Kinzie



Mrs. Brown



1 Nikki Lambirth 05 is taking a short pop break from her stressful day.
2 Aaron Hutsell 04 says, "If you like computers, you'd really like this class. You get to use professional software and edit it according to your likes."



3 Shane Wamsher 05 works diligently on the computer, as he was told to do.
4 Lindsay Pearson 05 does her part for Interactive Media by videotaping with classmates during first and second period.
5 Jenna Lavy 04 concentrates in FACS by listening to Mrs. Brown lecture.
6 Erica Barnsfather and Abbee Flora 04 spend just another day closer to graduation in FACS class.

7 Oliver Cox 04 shows how enthused he is by being able to work on the computer.

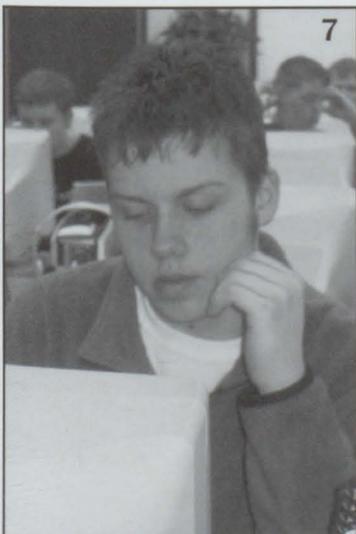


8 Lee Gill 04 is multitasking by listening to headphones and getting his work done on the computer at the same time.

9 Morgan Hall 04 says, "It's so much fun, yet frustrating at the same time. Computers stress me out!"

10 Ryne Hillenburg 04 says, "I see this course as a foundation for all computer media. It helps you learn development."

04



The game.

Your Skill. Your determination.

Everything down to the black and gold

attire, will help one accomplish the

victory. One dreams of being the

hero, the one who saves the game. Is

it in you? Do you have the strength,

the will power, the extra drive to

accomplish your goals when everyone

else has already hit the showers?

·Jamie Nipple



Amanda Collins 06



John Allbaugh 06



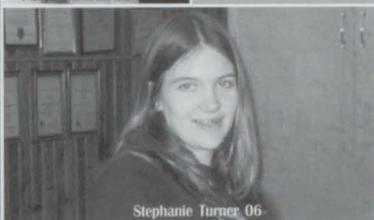
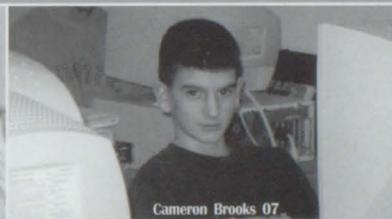
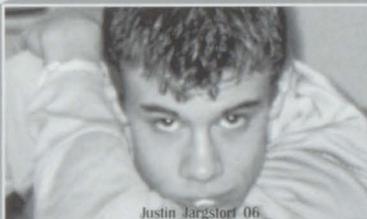
Amre Hariri 04



Rachel Penn 05

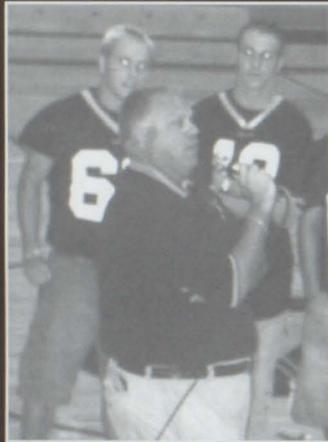


Joey Mayfield 04



Strength

Leather & Laces



(left) Varsity coach, Mr. Burpo, gives a few words of encouragement to both the football boys and their fans. Coach Burpo had this to say about his last year coaching the football team, "I had as much fun this last year as I did my first year. I wish the best of luck to all the teams here in the future. I've heard that as a coach you always remember your first team and your last."

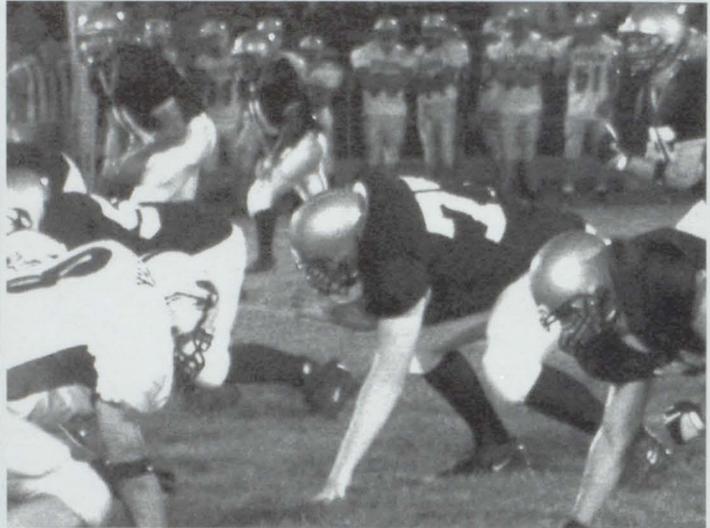
(right) All "wrapped up" in this year's football season, Jon Newell 04 participates in a game during the pep session. Brandon Cook 04 enjoys his task of wrapping toilet paper around a classmate.



(left) Taking a short breather, David Strasser 04 watches his teammates at work. Strasser commented, "I think the most memorable moment of this year would have to be Cody Crawford trying to hit me with a football, but hitting Mr. Burpo instead."

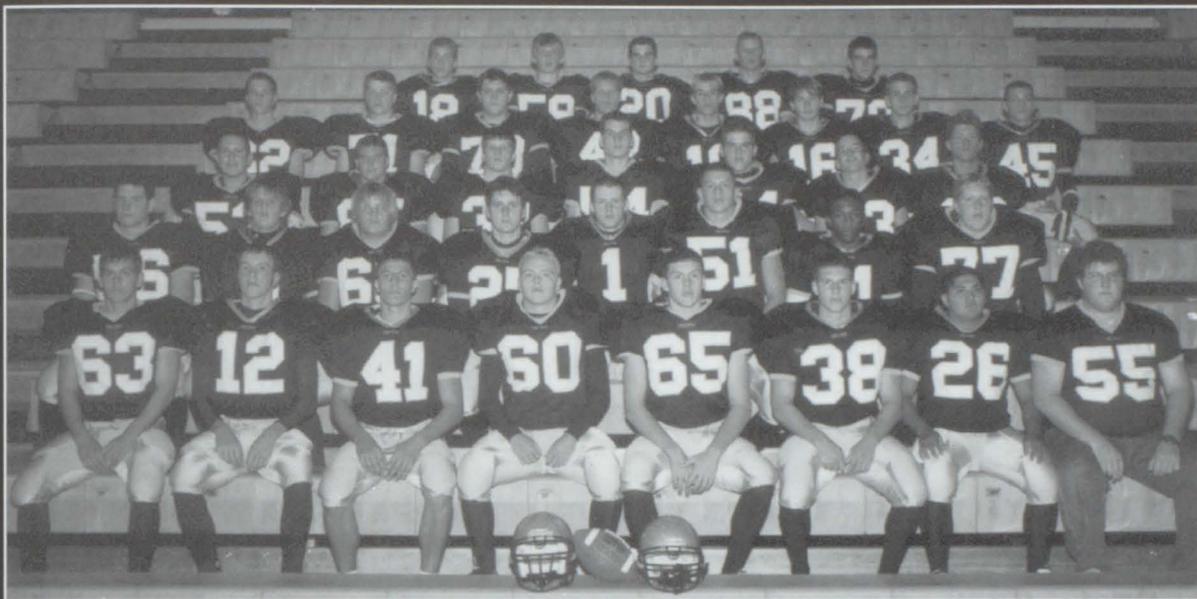


Get mic'ed up. Run Hard. Touchdown. Hike. Punt. Defense. Kick. Effort. Go Gracles! Tackle. **FIRSTDOWN.** Teamwork.



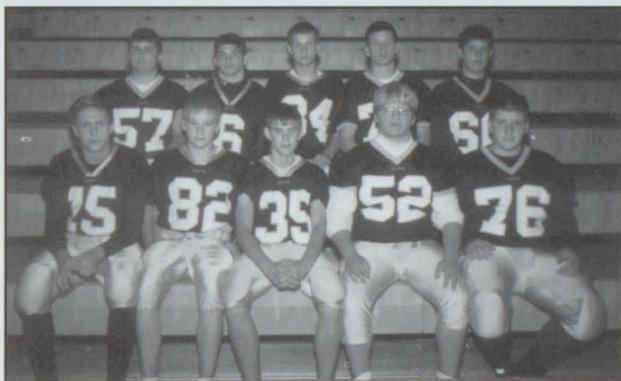
(above) Ben Smith and the boys take to the line for another successful play. Ben added, "My first year of varsity didn't go as well as I thought, but this next year will be much different."

Opponent	Varsity	JV	Freshman
Lewis Cass	L		L
Carroll	L	W	
West Lafayette	W		L
Twin Lakes	L	L	
Crawfordsville	L		
Sheridan	L		
Rensselaer	L		
Benton Central	L	L	
Tipton	L		
South Newton		W	
Clinton Prairie		W	
Central Catholic		W	
Sectionals vs. Speedway	L		



Varsity and JV teams; row 1: Erin Wertz, Charlie Oliver, Jon Newell, Cory Norman, David Strasser, Casey Blickenstaff, Jose Turner, Brett Wood (manager); row 2: Cole Stonebraker, Kyle Garrison, Cody Crawford, Parker George, Jesse Heise, Kameron Banes, Derrick Hazelwood, Ben Smith; row 3: Spencer Kingery, Jason Cree, Andy Fassnacht, Chad Dale, Joel Enoch, Cory Dunbar, Colin Stauffer; row 4: Ben Oliver, Miles Hodge, Kyle Hammond, Blake Miller, Justin Jargstorf, Cameron Norman, Eric Christensen, Ian Johnson; row 5: Brock Zarse, Alex Jackson, Kreg Anderson, Nick Moore, Phillip Snoeberger.

(right) Freshman; row 1: Joe Little, Jacob Scott, Chase Brummett, Carlos Garcia, Devilan Plunkett; row 2: Brian Williams, Kevin Christian, Codey Walker, Josh Scott, Coy Pennington.



The football team made it through yet another grueling season. They worked hard and a lot of effort was put forth. Even though the scoreboard didn't always say that they won, the fans still believed in the boys. As far as strength goes, both mentally and physically, the boys constantly showed signs of it, whether it was at a game, a practice, or just another day of school.

·Megan Tull



It was a tough year, but we did have some good things happen. I think we'll be a lot better next year.

Joel Enoch 05



My season went okay. We didn't win very many games, but it was a good experience.

Josh Scott 07



The season was a wake-up call for the program and the school as a whole. Lets Go!

Eric Christensen 06

What made this season different than the rest?

"Haha..Well it was different because there wasn't anyone to look up to. We (the seniors) were the leaders...it was sometimes hard to get underclassmen to listen."

Kyla Flora **04**

"I really enjoyed this year because everyone got along. We all stuck together as a team and treated each other as equals."

Britney LaFollette **07**

"This year the seniors were a lot of fun, and there seemed to be a lot more communication between the different classes."

Carrie Gardiner **06**

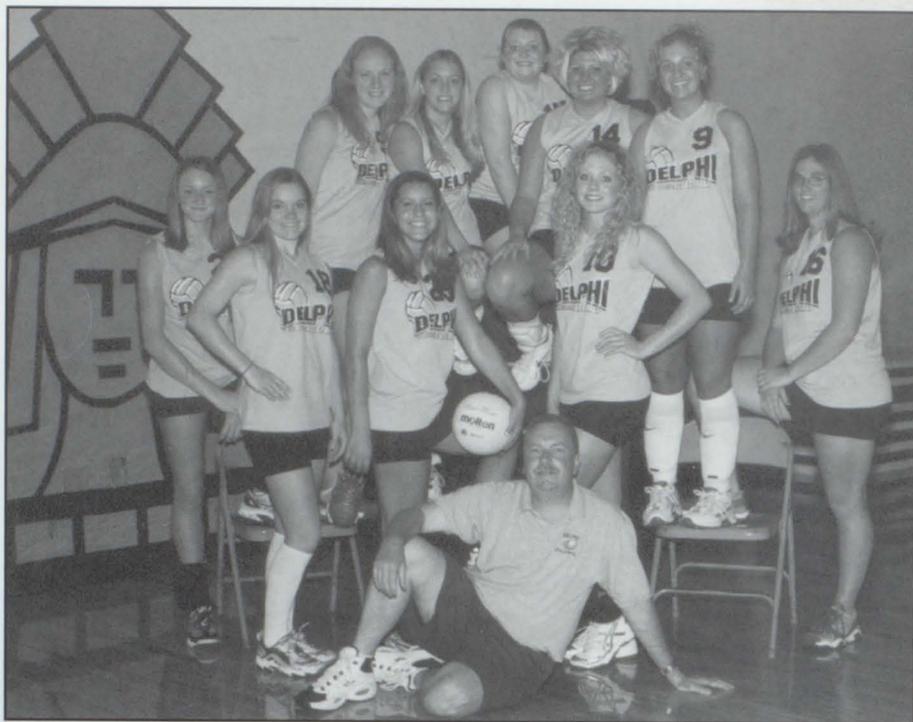
"We were able to laugh and joke more, because our team was very easy going. I got the team to laugh big time with my back hand stand!!!"

Christina Baker **05**

"Even though we had a rough season, this year everyone kept their spirits high making it well worth while. I can't wait for next season!"

Ashley Brodar **06**

It's not the size of the dog in the fight, it's the size of the fight in the dog.



Varsity: (top) row 1: Coach Kingery; row 2: C. Gardiner, J. Richardson, K. Flora, H. German, and E. Myers; row 3: C. Baker, J. Nipple, J. Lavy, A. Clawson, D. Plunkett.

Junior Varsity: (middle) row 1: B. Mauer, A. Lewis; row 2: K. Beach, S. Turner, S. Grimes, S. Strausser, A. Caldwell; row 3: K. Hahn, B. Stauffer, Coach Hughes, S. Maxwell, J. Richardson.

Patiently waiting for the opponent to serve, (right) Christina Baker 05 and Elizabeth Myers 05 get low. Every volley can bring the Lady Oracles closer to a victory.



Bring'n

HEART

Girls take the court to show off their volleyball skills.

Heart. What does **heart** have to do with volleyball? Everything. Many assume the volleyball season began in August, but in reality it began in the middle of summer, June to be exact. **Heart.** It drives each player to try their hardest every day to improve not only personally, but as a whole team. The players sacrifice time, almost every day, just for the thrill of the game. That's **heart.** After many practices

and numerous bottles of water, the games began. The players stepped on the court, knowing someone will be the winner and someone would be the loser. That takes **heart.** Constantly encouraging teammates and keeping the spirits high requires **heart.** Walking with Oracle pride every day, as the 2003 volleyball team did all season, demands **heart.** This team had **heart.**

—Jamie Nipple

he says...



Kyle Garrison 05

she says...



Danielle Wagoner 04

• Kyle Garrison 05 stated, "Yahtzee!!! This volleyball season allowed me to show my school spirit and support for our girls."

• Danielle Wagoner 04 exclaimed, "During this volleyball season, I ran the score board and announced the games. It was good because the Athletic Department paid for my swimming equipment!!! I also have a good time watching the girls play."

With their hands together, (below) the freshmen hold their spirits high for the upcoming match. The freshmen proved to be a strong team, having seven wins and only three losses.



Opponent	Varsity	J.V.	Freshmen
Benton Central	W	L	L
Tri-Central	W	L	-
Frontier	L	L	W
Rossville	L	L	W
Tipton	L	L	W
Carroll	L	W	-
Tri-County	W	L	-
Rensselear	L	L	W
Sheridan	W	W	W
North White	L	L	L
Clinton Central	L	L	-
Twin Lakes	L	L	W
Central Catholic	L	L	-
Logansport	L	L	W
West Lafayette	L	L	L
Pioneer	W	W	-
Taylor	W	W	-
Sectional vs. N. Montgomery	L	-	-

Freshmen: (left) row 1: Brianne Stauffer, Keltie Lake; row 2: Brooke Robbins, Kristen Hahn, Marissa McIlrath, Jaqueline Richardson; row 3, Brittney LaFollette, Coach Hughes, Whitney Dyer, and Courtney Kingery.



BOYS Tee

	Delphi/Opp.	Place
Rochester Inv.	371	12/22
Harrison	178/224	L
Frontier	173/209	W
Cass	173/177	L
Carroll/Pioneer/Tri-Co.	176/ ^{C182} _{C213}	1/4
McCutcheon	172/173	L
Logansport	148/168	L
North White	177/247	W
T.L./Cass	178/ ^{TL158} _{C184}	2/3
Clinton Prairie	175/178	L
Benton Central	156/162	L
Hoosier Conference	358	6/7
West Lafayette	176/178	W
C.C./Tri-C.	178/ ^{CC174} _{TC204}	2/3
Frankfort	160/172	L
Sectional	362	10/12



Teeing off, Jared Manny 05 takes a shot with his iron on a short hole hoping to make it on to the green.



Ryne Hillenberg 04 leans back watching his putt head for the hole.



After landing in a sand trap, Miles Hodge 06 uses his sand wedge to make it on to the green. This was Miles' second year on the golf team and he has been golfing since he was little.



Jack Kennedy 06 walks to his ball thinking hard analyzing his next shot to make it to the green.



Jason Cree 05 looks back at the course before leaving after the final hole of the night.



Justin Jargstorf 06 prepares for a long drive. Justin had a famous quote after a bad shot in practice according to the other players. "I'll take another one."



Chipping to the green, Jesse Heise 05 hopes to make it in the hole or be close enough to putt the ball in for par.



Brett Wood 04 watches his opponent drive his ball down the fairway. Anticipation is half of the fun of the game of golf.



Nick Moore 06 gives a hug to fellow golfer Miles Hodge 06 after Miles makes a great shot. Nick was a great supporter of the team this year.



row 1: Cory Dunbar; row 2: Brett Wood, Ryne Hillenberg; row 3: Jason Cree, Jesse Heise, Colin Stauffer, Jack Kennedy; row 4: Justin Jargstorf, Nick Moore, Miles Hodge, Alex Jackson, Nick Overmyer,

GIRLS Time!



Stefanie Allen 06 practices in the sand trap. She tries to hit it out onto the green which can be very hard to do successfully. It takes a lot of practice.



Brandi Robison 06 is in the middle of her back-swing. She knows how important it is to focus on the ball and not to take her eye off of it.

	Delphi/Opp.	Place
Attica Invitational	413	5th
Tri-County	Forfeit	1st
Rensselaer Inv.	411	13th
Pioneer	193/252	1st
Harrison/Frankfort	198/ ^H 192 ^F 196	3rd
B.C./S. Newton	209/ ^{BC} 175 ^{SN} 229	2nd
Central Catholic	190/201	1st
S. Newton/N. White	191/ ^{SN} 231 ^{NW} 256	1st
Attica/W. Laf.	200/ ^{WL} 220 ^A Inc.	1st
Hoosier Conference	384/352	3rd
T. Lakes/S. Newton	214/ ^{TL} 185 ^{SN} 239	2nd
N. Western/Taylor	197/ ^{NW} 177 ^T 194	3rd
Sectional	397	4th



Lindsey Sullivan 05 colors her ball before a match. The girls wrote or colored their ball to be able to tell them apart. Maybe Lindsey's cow ball brought luck.



Whitney Bass 04 follows her shot with her eyes all the way to the green.



Brooke Anderson 06 practices putting on the practice green.



Kaila Jones 06 checks the water she has so she can keep hydrated in the August heat.



Lydia Smith 06 walks to her ball after her tee shot. She is pleased with the shot she just completed.



row 1: Lydia Smith, Kaila Jones, Coach Tyner, Stacy Shoup, Lindsey Kendall; row 2: Lindsey Sullivan, Stefanie Allen, Brandi Robison, Brooke Anderson, Whitney Bass.



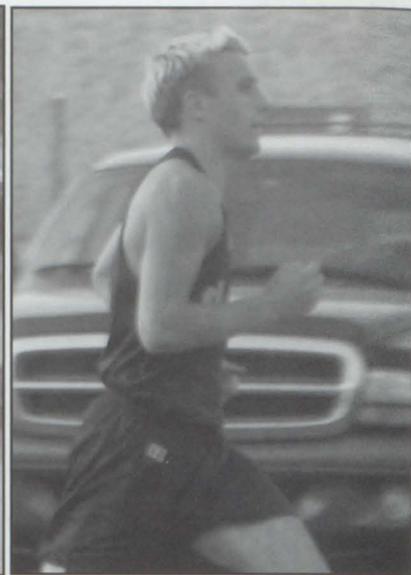
Checking the green for slopes, Lindsey Kendall 05 prepares for her putt.



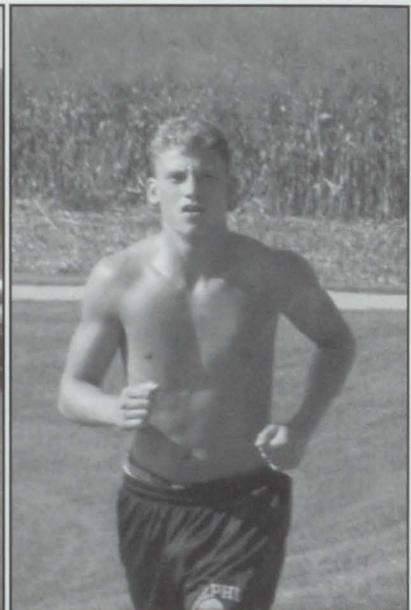
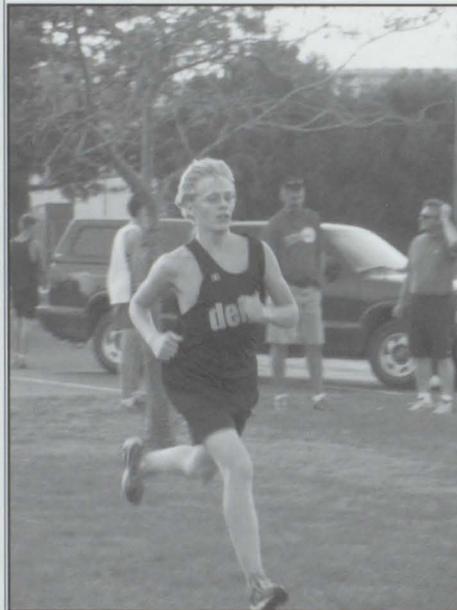
Stacy Shoup 04 practices chipping on the practice green. Like Lindsey says, "Practice makes perfect."



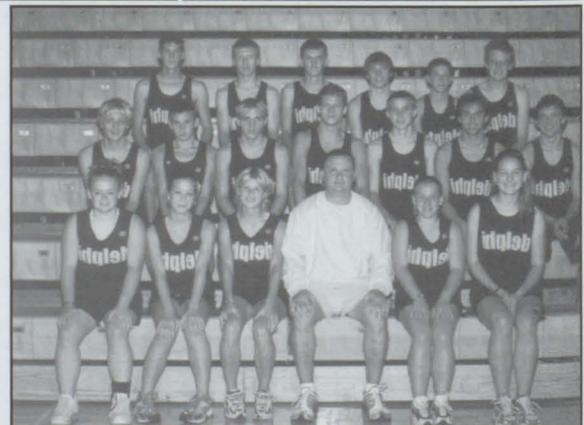
(above) The name of a champion... Keith Mears 04 goes the distance during practice.



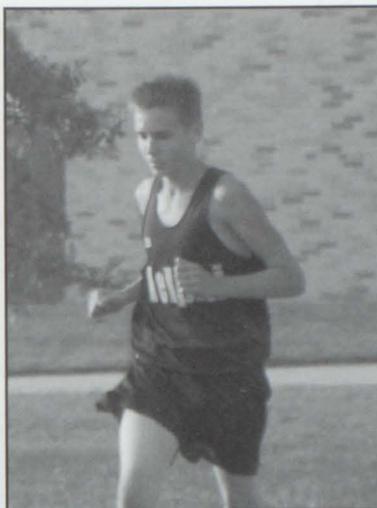
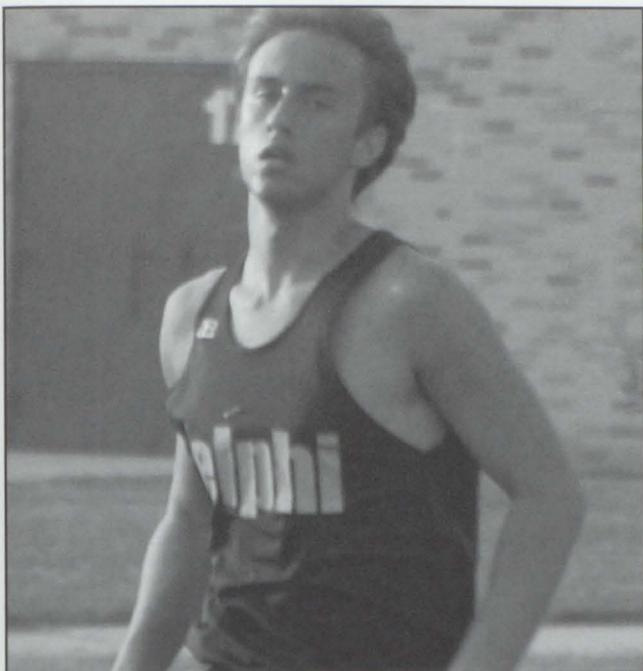
Opponent	Boys	Girls
Frankfort Inv.	4th	-
North White	5th	-
Clinton Prairie	L	-
N.W/S.N.	W-W	W-W
Rossville Inv.	6th	-
T.C./T.L	L-W	L-L
Carroll	L	L
Carroll Inv.	4th	-
Tri- County	1st	5th
Rossville	L	L
Frontier/C.C	L-W	L
Tri-County	W	L
Frontier	W	W
Tipton	W	-
Frankfort	W	-



“While running, it is rude to count out loud the people you pass.”



(top left) Nothing compares to the death look from a coach. The cross country coach, Mr. McCammon, gives one to some of his runners. (top right) Scott Kittrell 05 breezes by the competition. (middle left) It's a gift how easy and graceful Daniel Carbaugh 05 makes Cross Country look. (middle Right) Brandon Cook 04 runs his fastest at practice. (bottom) row 1: Olivia Weis, Michelle Kauffman, Lorien Milakovic, Mr. McCammon, Nancy Weis, Sarah Wright; row 2: Daniel Carbaugh, Patric Shoup, Scott Kittrell, Brandon Cook, Tom Walton, Steve Callender, William Jenkins; row 3: Philip Flory, Sean Casserly, Keith Mears, Quincy Cunningham, Michael Atwood, Michael Carbaugh.



(above) Steve Callender 05 shows his poise and grace as a runner. (middle) Refusing to loose his concentration, Pat Shoup 06 keeps his place. (right) Sarah Wright 05 distracted herself from all of her running by getting lost in thought. (right) Lorien Milakovic 06 takes down her competition. (far right) Michael Atwood 07 does his best to keep up with all of the upperclassmen.



Cool Runnings

A Day in the Life of a Runner



6:45 am:
Wake up and think, "Darn! I have a Cross Country meet today!"



10:30am:
Eat a healthy lunch for once and tell other people, "Darn it!! We have a cross country meet today!"



2:50 pm:
Get out of homeroom and get ready to leave.



4:00 pm:
Get map and jog course.



4:30 pm-
6:00pm
The gun fires! Run race and get awards! Finally, get to go home.



9:00 pm
Think, "Darn! I have practice tomorrow!"

•Savannah Osborne

the Cheers

Behind

Flora 04 Becca Walker 05



Tayia Buchanan 05 Abbee

(top) Rachel Lawson 05



Brittany Nelson 05



Jenilyne Hall 06



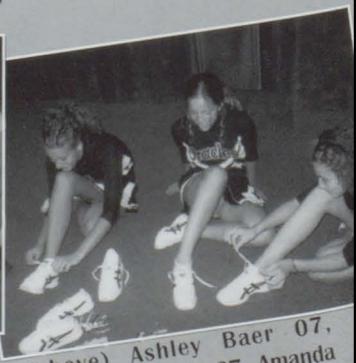
(below) row 1: Brittany Nelson 05, Lindsay McLeland 05, Crystal Price 06, row 2: Sharayah Red Elk 07, Ashley Baer 07, Amanda Bennett 07.



Jenna Henderson 04



Sharayah Red Elk 07



(above) Ashley Baer 07, Sharayah Red Elk 07, Amanda Bennett 07.

JV Highlights

"...sweat, bleed, and work just as hard as any other athlete." Lindsey Kendall 05

CHEERLEADERS

(left) Seven lifters joined the girls to help entertain the crowd during the Varsity boys' home basketball games. Here, the guys spell out Delphi as the girls cheer to a common chant. Being a lifter gave Joel Enoch some insight into cheerleading. He says, "I learned how hard the practices really are and that cheerleading is actually a sport!" (below left) The crowd cheers as the lifters join the cheerleaders on the floor. Casey Blickenstaff 04 was the only senior lifter on the squad and comments that, "It was a great experience and a lot of fun. I hope a lot of guys come out for it next year." (below middle) JV Squad: Ashley Baer 07, Sharayah Red Elk 07, Amanda Bennett 07, Crystal Price 06, Brittany Nelson 05. (below right) Varsity Squad: row 1: Casey Blickenstaff 04, Lindsey Kendall 05, Eric Christensen 06, row 2: Corbin Beamer 06, Jenna Henderson 04, Woody Nichols 05, row 3: Rachel Lawson 05, Tayia Buchanon 05, row 4: Becca Walker 05, Jenilynne Hall 06, Joel Enoch 05, Miles Hodge 06, Ashley Widner 06, Annie Canaan 05.



(below) Lindsey Kendall 05, Rachel Lawson 05.

Varsity Highlights



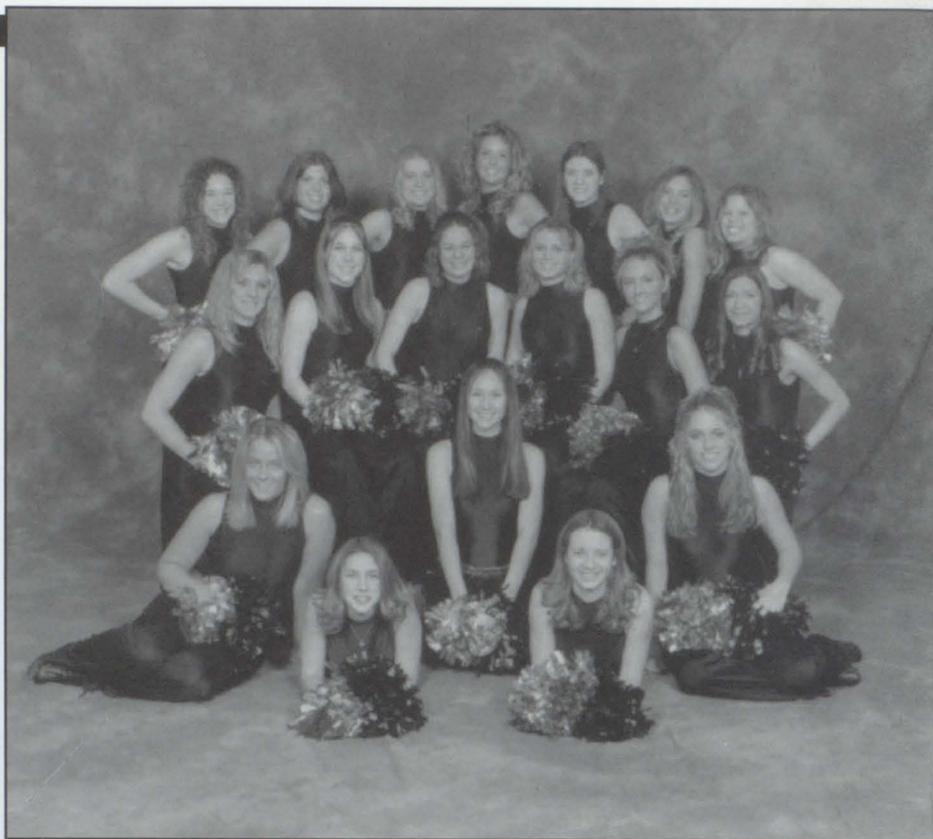
(above) Jenilynne Hall 06, Ashley Widner 06.

(above) Becca Walker 05, Lindsey Kendall 05, Lindsey Kendall 05.

(above) row 1: Annie Canaan 05, row 2: Rachel Lawson 05, row 3: Becca Walker 05, Abbee Flora 04, Lindsey Kendall 05, Tayia Buchanon 05, row 4: Jenna Henderson 04, Ashley Widner 06, Jenilynne Hall 06.



Poms, row 1; Erica Barnsfather 04, Kendra Cree 04, Jessica Thornton 04, Jamie Nipple 04, row 2; Lindsey Sullivan 05, Tara Brummett 06, Kayla Jones 05, Courtney Priest 05, Autumn Ennis 05, Leah Cree 06, row 3; Britney LaFollette 07, Megan Tull 04, Brianne Stauffer 07, Taylor Vaknin 05, Stephanie Allen 06, Keltie Lake 07, Alyssa Lewis 06.



Girls Gone Wild!!!

What do you get when you put 18 high school girls together? At Delphi 18 girls means none other than the poms squad. The poms are a group of girls who attend football and basketball games and perform dance routines for the audience. During the fall season they do flag routines at the football games and during basketball games, they perform dances at half time. The poms are just another way to keep the Oracle spirit up.

All of this may sound like a lot of fun and games, but there is also a lot of time and hard

work put into the routines. The girls work all the time. They go to camps in the summer and even come in early before school starts to practice.

This year the girls had a ton of fun, by doing things such as dancing at pep sessions, providing car washes, working at Monicals, and just entertaining each other. This is what being a part of poms is all about. But one thing is for sure, the Poms of 2004 have GONE WILD.

·Ashley Clawson



Lindsey Sullivan 05 and Keltie Lake 07

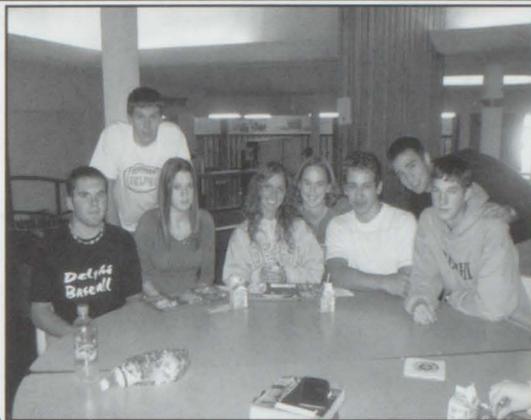


Leah Cree 06



Tara Brummett 06 and Courtney Priest 05

Juniors Autumn Ennis, Lindsey Sullivan, Megan Tull, Courtney Priest, and Taylor Vaknin hang out after a performance at poms camp. Autumn Ennis recalls one of her favorite memories, "Courtney made practices really fun, especially when we would do kick lines, and she kept falling."



The pom squad attended a dance camp at Indiana University over the summer. At camp they learned three dances in four days and performed them for the rest of the camp.

Car Wash



The poms held a fund-raiser at Monicals. They washed cars for donations. The girls had a lot of fun and got to scarf down on pizza.

Kayla Jones 06 helped wash cars at the fund-raiser. Kayla says, "The car wash was a blast, and it was a good and easy way to make some money."

Jamie Nipple 04 and Britney LaFollette 07, get together for a group hug. Britney enjoyed poms this year. She says, "It was a lot of fun. I had a great time."

Brianne Stauffer is a freshman. She had a great time in poms this year. "The only bad part about poms was I messed up the same part two times," laughs Brianne.

SENIORS...



Erica Barnsfather, Jamie Nipple, Jessica Thornton, Kim Allen, and Kendra Cree.

Erica Barnsfather

"I was a dance captain. It was fun. Being a senior was kinda cool because we got to make most of the decisions."

Jamie Nipple

"I hope that the poms keep having fun, but work hard because it pays off in the end. I also thought that being a captain was a great experience and a lot of responsibility."

Jessica Thornton

"Poms was a lot of fun this year. Being a senior rocked!"

Kim Allen

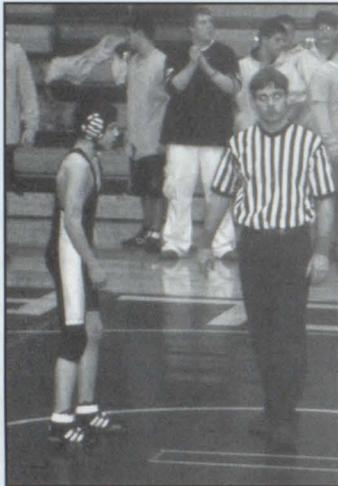
"I had fun this year in poms, because I was a senior and got to help make most of the decisions".

Kendra Cree

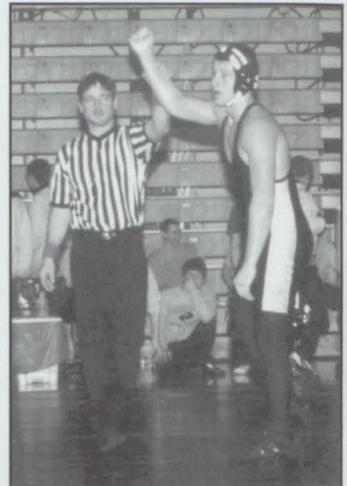
"I really enjoyed poms this year because I got to help make up the dance routines and help pick out what we wore. Being a senior was the coolest".

We'll Be Back

The wrestling team got off to a rough start this year, losing four of their first five matches. Encountering many challenges along the way Mikie Dubes and Kameron Banes placed first and second in sectionals. They both then advanced to regionals and Banes won, with Dubes coming in second. The team ended with an even record of twelve and twelve. Next years returning team all mutually agreed that the team is going to do really well and go far.

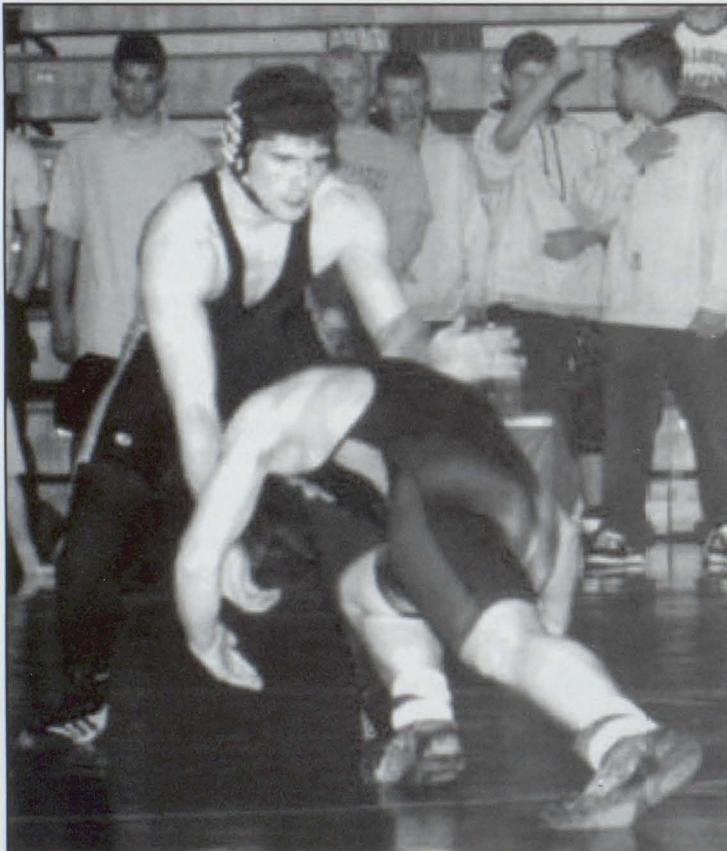


(above) Blake Cain 07 says, "I liked the wrestling. I just hated the running that was involved." He is staring at his opponent before a match.

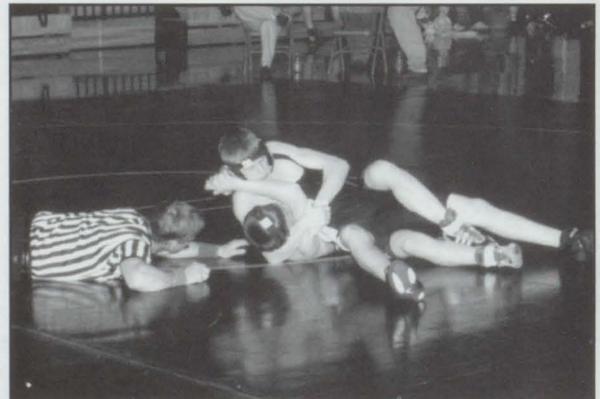


(above) Kameron Banes 05 gets his hand raised after winning a match. His comments on this year are, "It was fun, but next year will be much better."

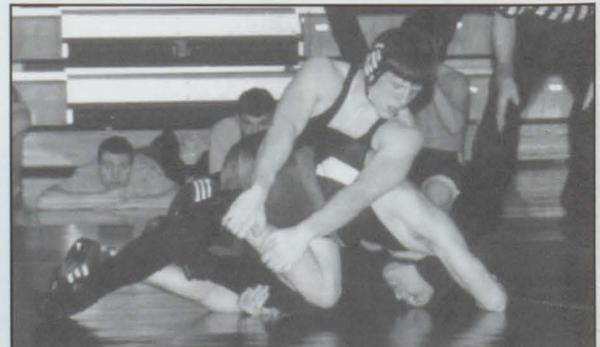
◆ Cody Canen



(above) Sprawling from an opponent's shot, Kevin Christian 07 competes in a match during his first year as a high school wrestler. He had this to say about the year, "I loved the competition this year and I'm looking forward to wrestling next year. Big things are going to come to this team."

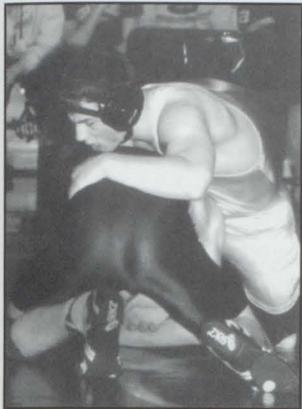


(above) CJ Hart 06 throws a hip toss trying to pin his opponent during a match with Lewis Cass. His feelings toward wrestling are, "Wrestling is such a tough sport. You really have to work hard."

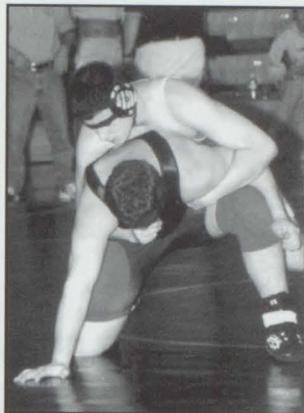


(above) Andy Fassnacht 05 puts a leg ride on his opponent. His feelings toward the year are, "Wrestling was great and I really enjoyed not eating and losing twenty pounds. It was terrific. I'd also like to thank Chad Dale for his great camera work early in the season."

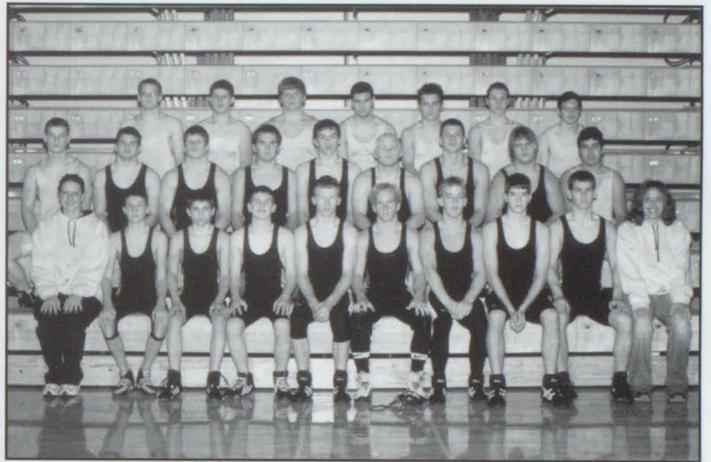
WRESTLING



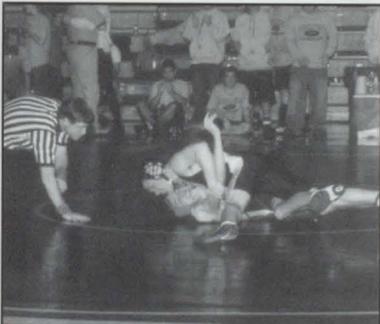
(above) Shane Wilcox 05 keeps a hold on his opponent. His thoughts on the year are, "Wrestling was fun and successful this year. A lot of people improved drastically from the beginning to the end of this year."



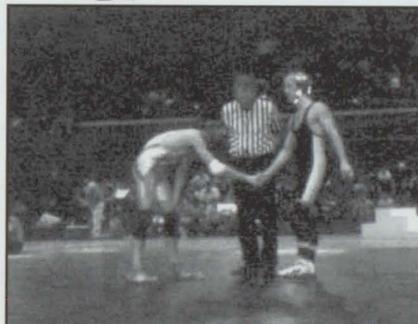
(above) Tyler Britton 05 tries to control his opponent. "I really enjoy wrestling," he comments.



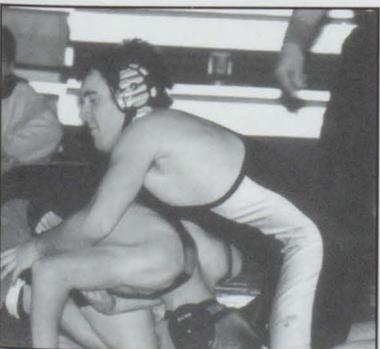
(above) row 1; Ephina Moore, Michael Atwood, Blake Cain, Allan Lucas, Sean Casserly, Mikie Dubes, Nate Lear, Kent Durbin, Erin Wertz, Misty Rector, row 2; Shane Wilcox, Kevin Christian, Andy Fassnacht, Ross Larimore, David Strasser, Pat Hankins, Kameron Banes, Cody Crawford, Kevin Pereira, row 3; Scott Allen, Coy Pennington, Carlos Garcia, Tylar Britton, Ryan Delaney, Zack McTigue, Josh Fife.



(above) Throwing a hip toss Erin Wertz 04 tries to pin his opponent. "I'm really glad I tried wrestling and I wish I would have done it since middle school. It was a great learning experience. I lost twenty pounds, and I was in the best shape of my life," he comments.



(above) Shaking the hand of his opponent Mikie Dubes 05 gets ready for another match. His personal accomplishments this year include Twin Lakes Invitational Runner-up, Conference Champion, Sectional Champion, Regionals Runner-up, and third time State Qualifier.



(above) Ross Larimore 04 puts a reverse half nelson on his opponent. He comments on his first year of wrestling, "It was really fun and the team was awesome. I wish I would have wrestled since my freshman year."



(above) "Wrestling is about the hardest thing you can ever do, but it pays off," Kevin Pereira 07 comments. He is fighting over wrist control with his opponent.

	Delphi	Opponent	Record
CHESTERTON INV.			
East Chicago	52	18	1-0
Elkhart Memorial	12	67	1-1
Chesterton	12	61	1-2
Western	21	58	1-3
McCutcheon	6	75	1-4
North White	60	9	2-4
Carroll	66	6	3-4
WINAMAC SUPER SIX			
Caston	42	29	4-4
Mississinewa	42	42	4-5
Winamac	19	54	4-6
CMA	44	24	5-6
West Central	48	30	6-6
Frankfort	25	41	6-7
LOGANSPOUT SUPER SIX			
Peru	24	45	6-8
BC	33	42	6-9
CMA	33	35	6-10
Fort Wayne	64	16	7-10
Logansport	39	39	8-10
TWIN LAKES INV.	12th		
JEFF INV.			
Jeff	21	54	8-11
West Lafayette	33	34	8-12
Tri Central	39	38	9-12
Manual	51	26	10-12
BC	40	36	11-12
HOOSIER CONFERENCE	4th		
Lewis Cass	41	24	12-12

There is a fine line between swimming and diving. Lydia Smith 06 crosses that line daily. She spends half of her practice swimming and the other half diving.

Push away the
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Swimming is a sport that is not easy to define. What is a swimmer? Is it someone that can keep themselves from drowning or is it someone who can swim their event better than any one else? Swimming at DCHS is more than just being the best. It's about teamwork and making great memories. The team can win while still having huge smiles on their faces. A swimmer at DCHS is someone who puts all they can into grueling practices everyday and then lives their every day lives. They maintain endurance when everyone else has given up. They feel some of the great fatigue and pain at the daily practice. A swimmer is someone who pushes the pain away.

• Savannah Osborne

Splish

Splash

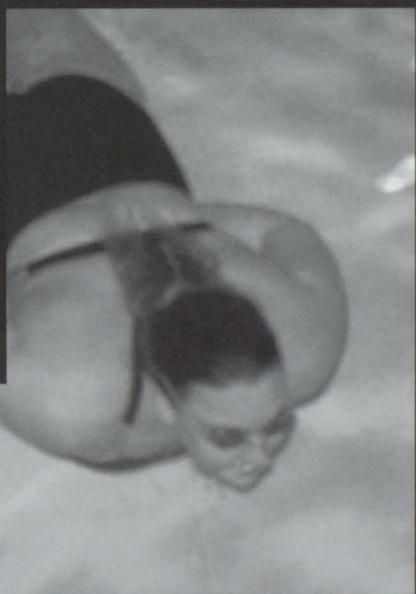
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B FULLER	20:00		
W S EBY			
P BRAPER			
M COBLE			
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SS J EBY	2:11.70	200 I.M	
SS J EBY	25.65	50 FREE	
BRANT	227.05	DIVING	
P BRAPER	106.7		
SS J EBY	58.84	100 FLY	
GA S KREMER	5:54.47	100 FREE	
BT RUTSELL	1:10.85	500 FREE	
R K SCHILLING	1:14.81	100 BACK	
SS WIGN	4:37.70	100 BREAST	
S PROVES		400 YD	
T HEGALL		FREE RELAY	
J MAHALL			



(far left) The record board was shaken up this year by Shannon Kremer 07. Shannon broke two records this swim season.



(left) Evan Maxwell 05 displays how good the seal is on his goggles.



(far left) Jacob Scott 07 was a first year diver and swimmer this year.

(left) Rachel Haynes 04 practices her "Nemo" impression before working hard. Just keep swimming. Just keep swimming.

(far left) Putting in out lane lines is one of the most hated jobs to swimmers. Kendra Cree 04 gets stuck with the job



(left) Varsity Swimming; row 1: Jacob Scott, Brandon Miller, Patric Shoup, Nick Force, Thales Almieda, Evan Maxwell, Brandon Cook, Cole Natterman, Levi Smith; Row 2: April Hodge, Savannah Osborne, Brittany Mauer, Shannon Kremer, Tara Brummett, Oliva Weis; Row 3: Peter Kaute, Sally Maxwell, Carrie Fife, Michelle Yeager, Deja Kendall, Whitney Bass, Lydia Smith; Row 4: Jennifer Kauffman, Kendra Cree, Rachel Haynes, Shawna Roach, Danielle Wagoner, Kyla Flora; Row 5: Assistant Coach Stacy McCabe, Coach Brannan.

Young Guns

Opponent	Varsity	JV
Eastern	L	L
Pioneer	W	L
North White	L	L,W
Carroll	W	L
Rensselaer	W	L
Twin Lakes	L	L
Clinton Prairie	L	L
Frontier	L	L
Lewis Cass	L	L
Frontier (White Co. Trny.)	L	NA
North White (White Co. Trny.)	W	NA
Tipton	L	L
Northwestern	L	L
Clinton Central	L,L	L
Rossville	L	L
Sheridan	W	W
West Lafayette	L	L
Tri-County	L	L,L
Benton Central	L	L

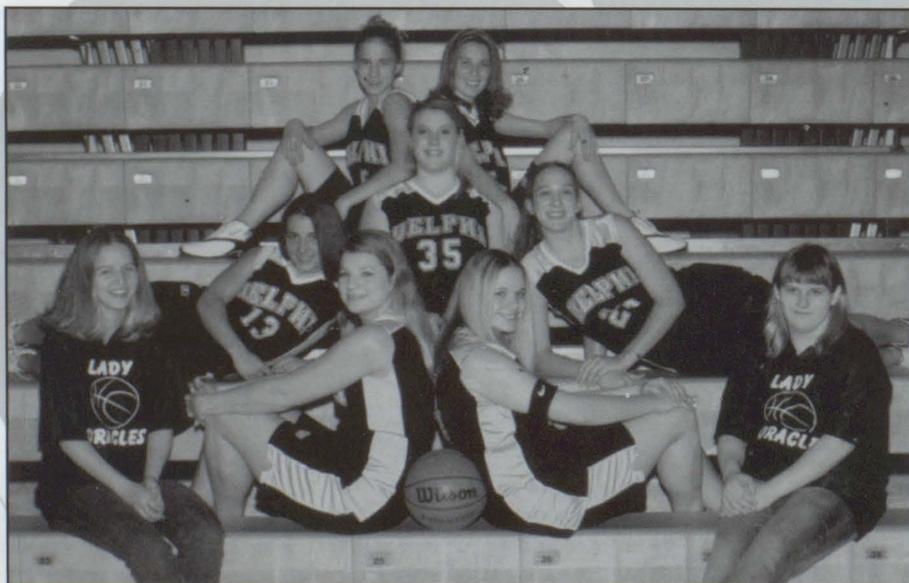
(right) Always on her toes, Elizabeth Myers 05 takes care of business. "This year was full of memories. The dances in the locker room and singing on the bus. I also loved the candy during practice from Charlie. There are good and mad memories, but all in all basketball was fun."



(right) Working together, Leah Cree 06 and Kaila Jones 06 show that teamwork is important. Kaila added, "One of my memorable moments was getting a great energy boost of candy from Charlie."



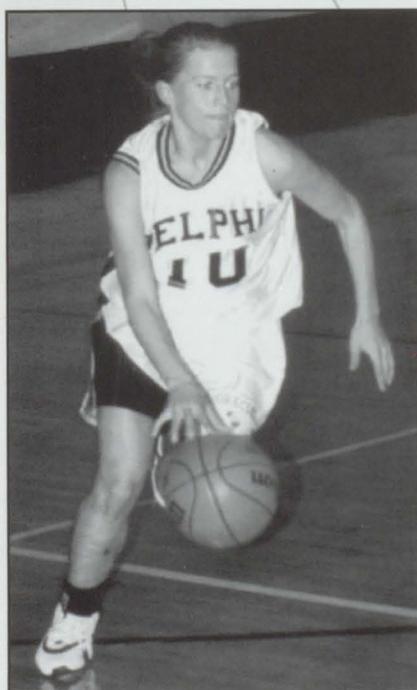
(above) Third year varsity member, Lindsey Sullivan 05 keeps up the hard work. Lindsey had this to say about friends and memories, "The best part of the season was just playing with my friends! We made some unforgettable memories! I will never forget: playing knockout before the Tipton game, beating Carroll, singing on the bus, and the support from our boys basketball team...thank you, guys!"



(left) JV; row 1: Lauren Stokdyk (manager), Lisa Lehmann-Willenbrock, Whitney Dyer, Carrie Adams (manager); row 2: Ashley Kittrell, Katie Beach, Joanna Zink; row 3: Ashley Caldwell, Brianna Griffey.

(below) Always ready, Joanna Zink 07 awaits a pass from her teammates. Joanna had this to say about her first year of high school basketball, "Basketball is fun. I really like the games. Practices are not always fun, but they are worth it for the games. The memories I have of winning our first game are ones I will have forever."

(below middle) Showing her stuff, Brienne Stauffer 07 proved that she has what it takes. Playing varsity as a freshman is always a huge success.



(above) The JV team huddled up during a quick time-out. Head coach, Dan Lepage, is accompanied by assistant coach, Charlie Harris.

(below) Varsity; row 1: Kaila Jones, Elizabeth Myers; row 2: Brienne Stauffer, Katie Lewis, Carrie Gardiner; row 3: Lindsey Sullivan, Leah Cree, Alyssa Robbins.



(above) New to the team this year, Alyssa Robbins 05 was a good addition. Alyssa commented, "I'll always remember singing Christmas carols (the redneck version) on the bus and to watch out for who is in the locker room before I start changing...couch Bri."



(above) Walking tall, Katie Lewis 05 gets serious about the game. Katie had this to say about the season, "I really enjoyed the support from the fans this year, they pushed us to win games we would have normally given up on."



(above) Using good guard technique, Leah Cree 06 worked hard. Leah said, "The best part of basketball was before each game when us girls would dance and sing in the locker room."

Even though this year's basketball team was rather young, they still remained strong. They were led by captains Lindsey Sullivan 05, Elizabeth Myers 05, and Leah Cree 06.

·Megan Tull



(above) Coming from the court, Zach Humbarger is taking advice from the coach. "It was a lot of fun playing with this group of guys," says Zach. "It was great winning sectional title my senior year with this group of guys."



(below) Getting the pass, Tom Walton is going for the basket! Over all for his freshmen year he said, "It was fun!"



(right) Looking on to the free throw line in anticipation, Coach Groninger and Coach Means are waiting to see if the player makes the basket. Coach Means has only great things to say about this year, "The Varsity had a terrific year by winning the sectional and going all the way to the regional finals. The J.V. had an overall record of 12-8, but the line up constantly changed due to the Varsity bringing up many J.V. players over the course of the season. I think these players and those J.V. players who stayed with me throughout the year will bring tremendous success to the Varsity level next year."



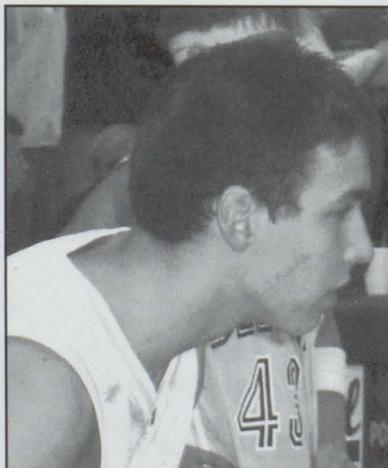
(above) Getting ready for the Varsity game, Justin Jargstorf, Cory Norman, and Nick Moore are warming up. "This year was a blast," said Justin.



(right) Freshman Team: row 1: Brandon Rador, Nick Overmeyer, Chase Brummett; row 2: William Jenkins, Cory Cook, Joe Little, Tom Walton, manager Josh Pearson.



(above) JV Team: row 1: Derrick Hazelwood, Joe Stoner, Cory Dunbar, Wayne Keeylen, Cameron Norman, Kyle Garrison. row 2: Brock Zarse, Ryan Replogal, Coach Means, Nick Moore, Scott Brothers, Cole Stonebracker.



(left) Brock Zarse 06 intensely listens to the coach's instructions during a time out.

Basketball

Taking one three pointer at a time

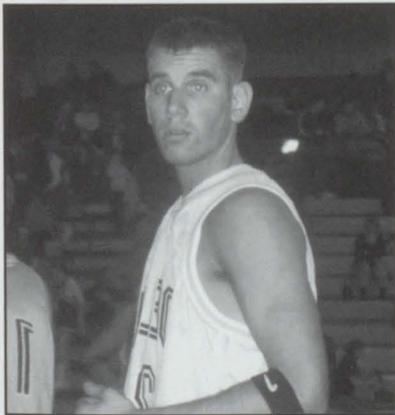
"Players who stayed with me through out the year will bring tremendous success to the Varsity level next year."

Coach Means

Opponent	Freshmen	J.V	Varsity
Taylor	--	L	W
Tipton	--	L	L
Frontier	W W	W	W
Benton C.	L	L	L
Clinton P.	L	W	L
Tri-County	L	W	W
Northwestern	--	--	W
Rossville	L	W	W
N.White	--	--	W
Frontier	--	--	W
Tri County	--	W	--
Frontier	--	W	--
Sheridan	--	W	W
Cass	--	L	L
W. Lafayette	L	L	W
Tri-Central	--	W	L
Twin Lakes	W L	L	L
Pioneer	--	W	W
S.Newton	--	W	W
Carroll	L W	W	W
Clinton Central	L	W	W
Rensselaer	W	L	L
Fountain Central	--	--	W
Sheridan	--	--	W
N. Montgomery	--	--	W
Rochester	--	--	W
Jimtown	--	--	L
Crawfordsville	L	--	--
Central Catholic	L	--	--
Lafayette Jeff	L	--	--



(left) Just winning a big game, Nathan Sparks is hugging Coach McCammon. "It was a great year!" says Nathan. "I love playing with my teammates and coaches and winning a sectional title and good luck next year boys!"



(top) Guarding the other team, Nathan Beach is waiting for the right time to steal the ball. "It was a heck of a journey. I enjoyed playing with these guys and winning sectional."

(right)VarsityTeam: row 1: Kirsty Flora, Ashley Brodar, Beth Nichols, Sarah Peschke; row 2: Derrick Hazelwood, Brock Zarse, Nathan Beach, Nathan Sparks, Justin Jargstorf, Kyle Garrison; row 3: Coach Means, Josh Mullin, Zach Humbarger, Colin Stauffer, Nick Moore, Kendal Ross, Cory Norman, Coach McCammon.



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FRESHMEN

- Michael Atwood
- Keltie Lake



SOPHOMORES

- Scott Allen
- Kimber Houser



JUNIORS

- Cory Dunbar
- Autumn Ennis



SENIORS

- Erin Wertz
- Ephina Moore



Ben Oliver 06 beautifies Andrew Jones 06 during the makeup contest. Sophomores get their only win with the best drag queen makeup job around.



**BASKETBALL
HOMECOMING**

Defending pie eating champions Deja Kendall 05 and Chad Dale 05 were victorious again this year during homecoming events and gain a win for the Juniors.



Brittany Wells 05 and Amber Smock 07 compete in the championship girls arm wrestling event. Brittany Wells wins after a long stalemate and gets a win for the Juniors.



In the championship boys arm wrestling event, Kyle Hammond 06 and Jesse Heise 05 wrestle it out and Jesse Heise ends up with another win for the Juniors.



Homecoming

Homecoming Hardcourt

Basketball homecoming was full of excitement and school spirit. With homecoming events that the juniors dominated, everyone got a good laugh. The events included the pie eating contest, arm wrestling, tug-a-war, dance competition, boys volleyball, and the drag queen makeup contest. Erin Wertz and Ephina Moore shared in the excitement with the title of Homecoming King and Queen and were crowned by last years couple.

◆ Cody Canen

Powder Puff this year was won by the Seniors. They were led by their senior coach, Cory Norman. They are seen here huddling and deciding on a play to run. The powder puff event was very exciting and a good way to show school spirit.



FOOTBALL
HOMECOMING



SENIORS

- Nathan Beach
- Abbee Flora



FRESHMEN

- Branden Rader
- Keltie Lake



SENIORS

- Brandon Cook
- Jenna Henderson



SOPHOMORES

- Kendal Ross
- Leah Cree



SENIORS

- Peter Kaute
- Danielle Wagoner



JUNIORS

- Steve Callender
- Lindsey Sullivan



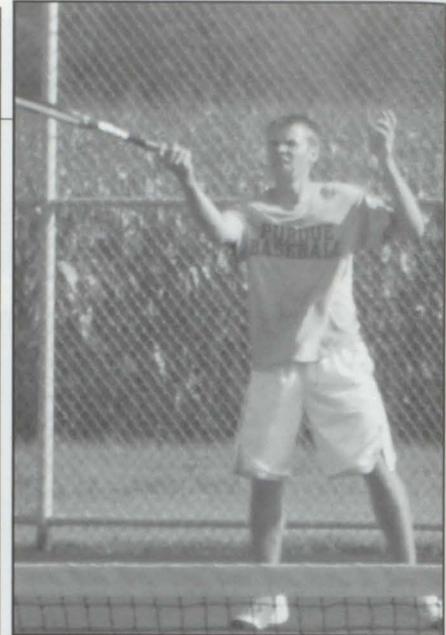
SENIORS

- Ross Larimore
- Beth Nichols



Pigskin Princess

Homecoming week is a time of fun and exhibits individual personality with each homecoming event. Girls participate in the powder puff football game in which the senior girls won once again. Beth Nichols won the position of queen this football season and gave a big smile, "I was surprised I was even chosen as a candidate. The experience was exciting and I'm glad I chose Ross to experience it with me." The school came together and showed their spirit and support for the Oracles during Homecoming.



Boys

Opponent	Delphi
Rossville	W
Benton Central	L
Lewis Cass	W
Central Catholic	W
Rossville	W
Twin Lakes	L
Western	L
Seeger	W
Taylor	L
Carroll	W
Rennselaer	W
Invitational	4th
W. Boone	W
Logansport	W
Confrence	3rd
Central Catholic	L
Carroll	W
Twin Lakes	L

Girls

Opponent	Delphi
Frankfort	W
Rossville	W
Seeger	L
Carroll	L
Rennselaer	W
Rossville	L
Logansport	W
Western	W
Conference	-
NorthWestern	W
Lewis Cass	W
Invitational	-
Central Catholic	L
Invitational	-
Benton Central	W
Twin Lakes	L
Carroll	W
Sectional	W

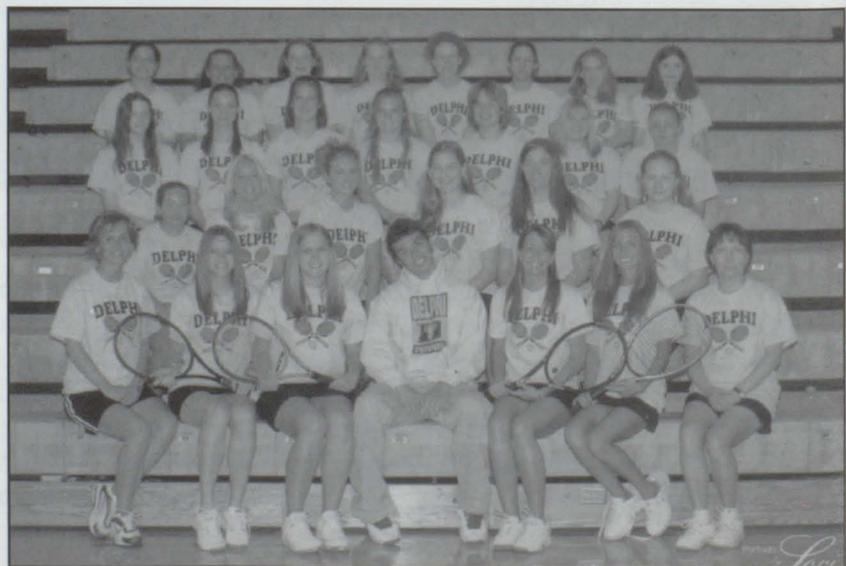
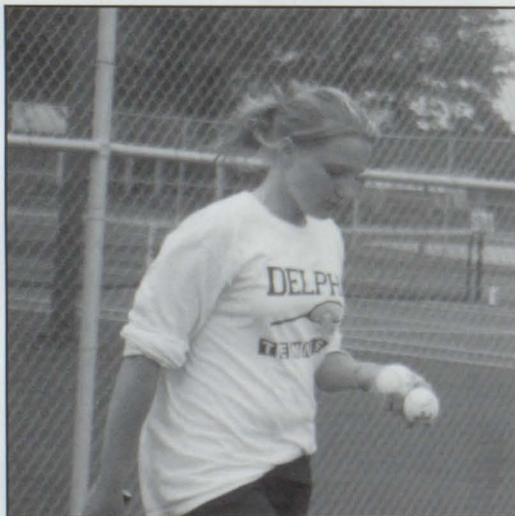
Boys Tennis (above left) row 1: Jared Manny, Ross Larimore, Joey Mayfield, Nathan Beach, Nathan Zink; row 2: Coach Means, Thales Almeida, Woody Nichols, Amre Hariri, Allan Lucas, Coach Lawton, row 3; Branden Rader, Ryne Hillenberg, Ryan Linn, Ryan Replogle, Joseph Stoner.

(above right) Joey Mayfield 04 keeps his eye on the ball.

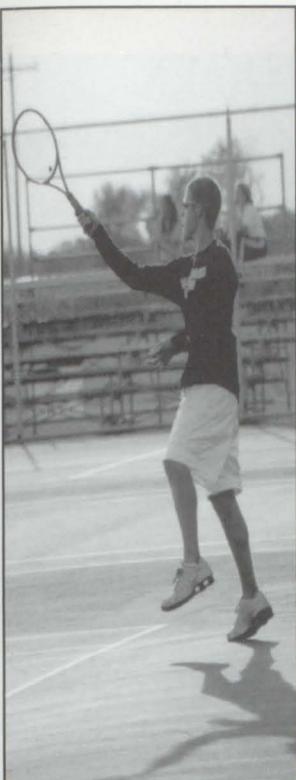
(below left) Jacquelynn Richardson 07 thinks about how she is going to win her match.

Girls Tennis (below right) row 1: Coach Thompson, Amanda Grosvenor, Megan Walton, Thales Almeida, Beth Nichols, Sara Peschke, Coach Lawton; row 2: Denise McManus, Lindsey Kendall, Autumn Ennis, Sarah Wright, Elizabeth Myers, Julia Seese; row 3: Caitlin Pritchett, Amy Linn, Brittaney Mauer, Jade Richardson, Sara Strasser, Lindsay Delp, Jacquelynn Richardson; row 3: Sara Claiborne, Nicole Cain, Sara Young, Sonya Claiborne, Kimber Houser, Alysia Caldwell, Nancy Weis, Brandi Robison

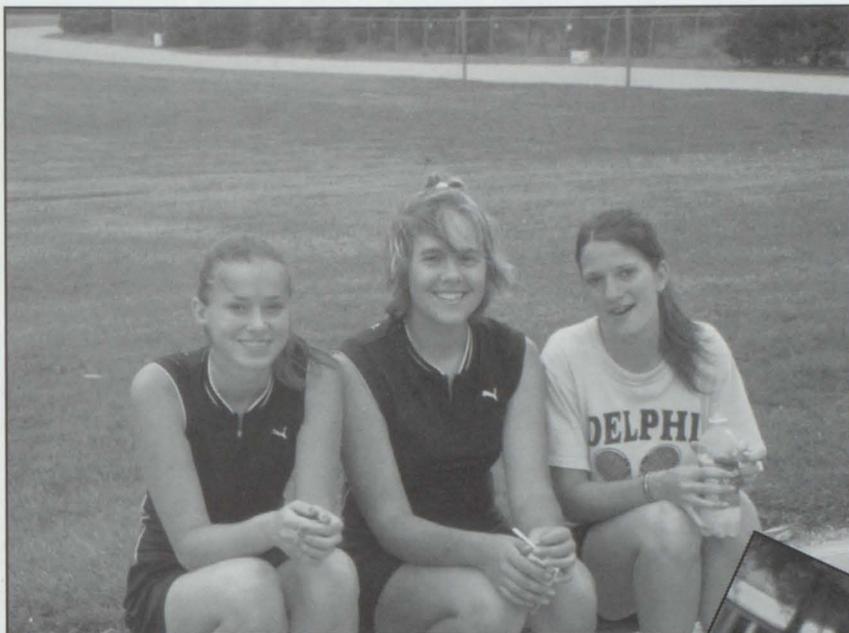
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Racketeers

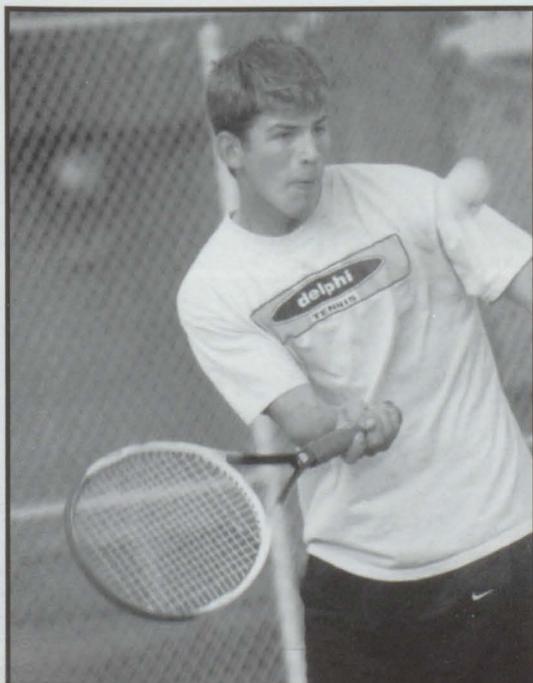
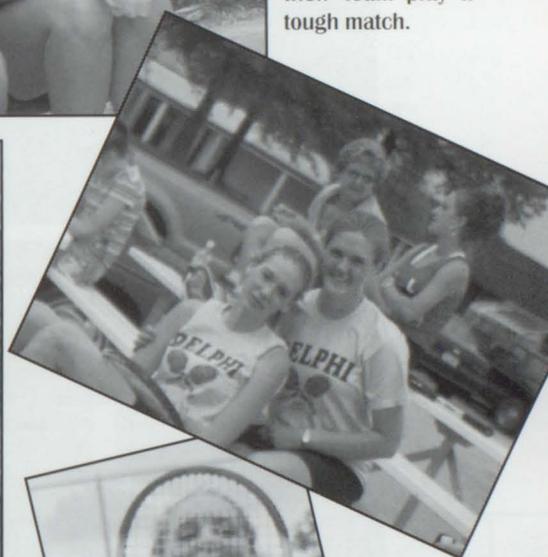
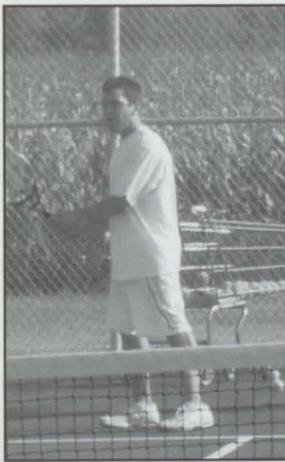


(far left) Jared Manny 05 hits the perfect return during his warm up.



(left) Friendships are often made while playing sports, like Amy Linn 06, Sara Strasser 06, and Amanda Grosvenor 04.

(below) Ann Mears 07 and Courtney Kingery 07 watch their team play a tough match.



(above left) Look at that form. Brittaney Mauer 06 sets up for the perfect serve.

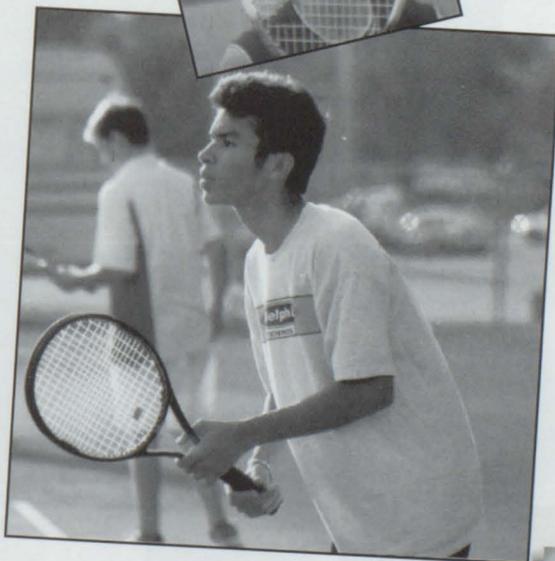
(above middle) Ross Larimore 04 shows his opponent what he's made of.

(above right) Joe Stoner 06 waits patiently for some action.

(left) Using facial expressions really help Woody Nichols 05!

(right) Nothing can break the concentration of Thales Almeida 05.

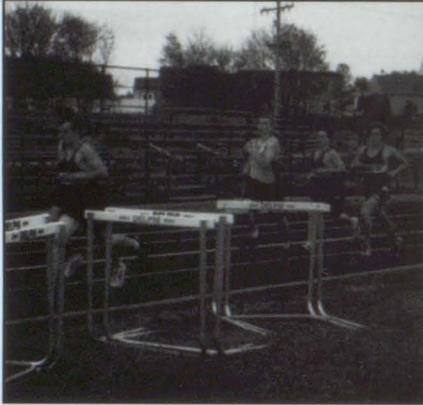
(above right) Autumn Ennis 05 doesn't let the pressure of the match get to her.



"This years track and field team has been one of the most fun in all of my years as coach. The girls' team had a huge year winning the Carroll/White County Championship. The boys won three events at Conference and Sectional with Scott Kittrell leading the way. From top to bottom, this senior class Jennifer Kauffman, Hannah Penn, Misty Rector, Brandon Cook, Zack Humbarger, Jon Newell, and Nathan Sparks are outstanding young adults and will be sorely missed," commented Coach Gasser.



(below) Tom Walton 07 closes in on the gap. He drives on at a steady pace to capture the win.



Girls Track Team; row 1: Coach Houser, Jennifer Kauffman, Misty Rector, Hannah Penn, Coach Gasser; row 2: Kelsey Propes, Kate Hahn, Katie Beach, Paige Maxwell, Hali German, Ashley Kittrell, Carrie Adams; row 3: Keltie Lake, Alyssa Robbins, Olivia Weis, Lorien Milakovic, Mandy Kauffman, Hannah Hickman.



Alyssa Robbins 05



Nathan Sparks 04



Keltie Lake 07



Misty Rector 04



Katie Beach 06



Kyle Hammond 06



Hali German 06



Carrie Adams 07



Mandy Kauffman 06

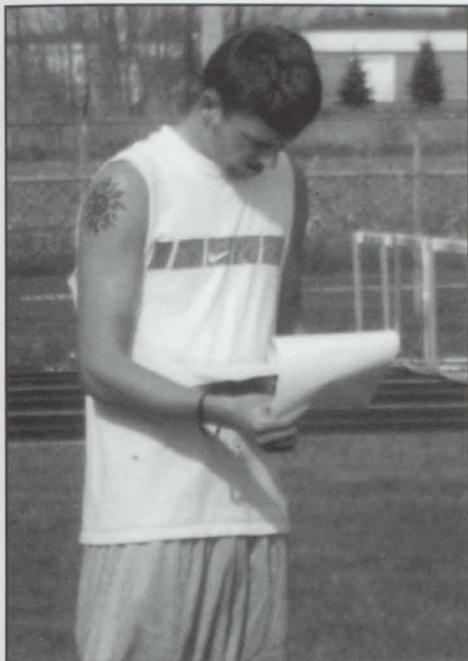
REMOVING THE OBSTACLES

DCHS Track and Field Team tackles the turf.

The track team members not only competed against other teams this year, they also competed against themselves. At each practice, they strived to improve themselves physically and mentally. Every step, throw, and jump was just another chance to improve their fundamentals and overall performance.

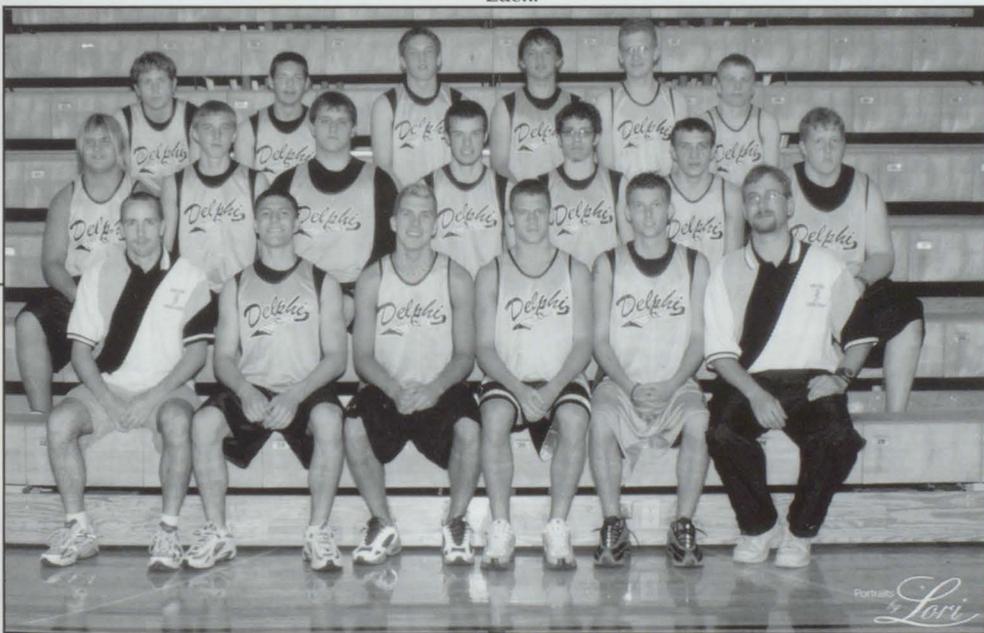
They pushed themselves to the peak of their ability, just for personal satisfaction and the feeling of accomplishment. Some went on to bask in the glory of victory at the track meets, while others accepted defeat as they silently vowed to never give up.

· Jamie Nipple



Zack Humberger steps up to represent the seniors this year with his dedication and team efforts. "Working hard has definitely paid off this year with a trip to Sectional, Regional, and State competitions," stated Zack.

(below) Brandon Cook 04 maintains great form on another lap around the track with his speed, endurance, and skill.



Boys Track Team; row 1: Coach Houser, Jon Newell, Nathan Sparks, Brandon Cook, Zack Humberger, Coach Gasser; row 2: Cody Crawford, Tom Walton, Kyle Hammond, Micah Johnston, Jon Clear, Scotty Kittrell, Ben Smith; row 3: Joe Little, Josh Fife, Andrew Jones, William Jenkins, Michael Carbaugh, and Kalebb Engle.



Jon Clear 06



Olivia Weis 06



Josh Fife 06



Hannah Hickman 06



Tom Walton 07



Ashley Kittrell 07

2004 Lady

Oracles Softball Team

The Lady Oracles Softball team got together to show their hard work and dedication for the game. They worked hard during practices by getting started during the off season. With the main goal of getting a Sectional Championship in mind, the team stayed focused and worked hard to accomplish their goals. The girls made the most of all the time

they spent together. They remembered that having a successful team would require team chemistry and hard work. At the end of the season the

girls found out that their team chemistry was a defining point of their success. The girls won some games, and lost some games, and made the most of all their experiences. But most of all, the girls kept it fun and got it done by winning a **SECTIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP!**

—Ashley Clawson



Kirsty Flora 07



Ashley Brodar 07

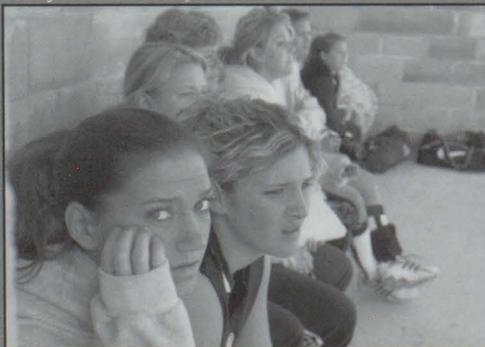
You Can

*Get it done,
and have
some FUN!*

(below) Junior Varsity; row 1: Samantha Grimes, Brianne Stauffer; row 2: Megan Tull, Kaila Jones, Coach Sutton, Carrie Gardiner, Laurie Ungersma; row 3: Whitney Dyer, Katie Lewis, Rachel Harber, Summer Sutton, Ashley Stevens, Jessica Smith, Joanna Zink.



(below) Leah Cree 06, Lindsey Sullivan 05, and other teammates analyze the game. This was Leah's first year on Varsity and she learned a lot.



(above) Rachel Harber 06 helped out with the pitching on the J.V. team. Rachel has had 2 years on the DCHS softball team.

Make It Happen

Varsity

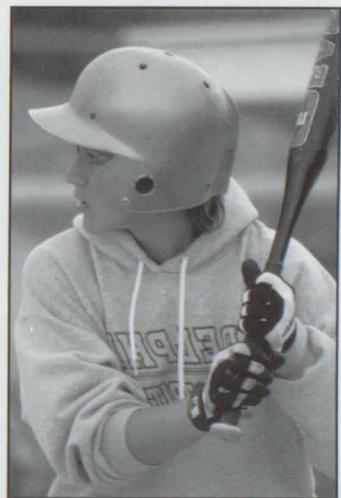
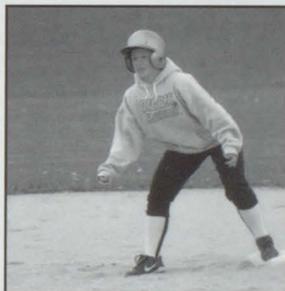
Opponent	Score	Win/Lose
Pioneer	2-11	L
Cass	2-11	L
C.C.	5-0	W
N.W.	3-2	W
	15-6	W
Tri-County	0-5	L
W. Lafayette	3-13	L
Benton	1-9	L
Central	2-11	L
Carroll	6-3	W
North Newton	6-7	L
Rensselaer	5-0	W
	11-1	W
Carroll	8-7	W
Frankfort	18-0	W
T.L.	4-6	L
	4-11	L
Rossville	7-3	W
Sheridan	5-4	W
Sheridan	6-8	L
Tipton	5-8	L
	6-7	L
Frontier	9-0	W
Winamac	7-8	W
Northwestern	11-4	W
W. Lafayette	0-4	L



(above) Varsity; row 1: Kyla Flora, Kim Allen, Ashley Clawson, Jamie Nipple; row 2: Coach Brodar, Leah Cree, Allison Cook, Lauren Bowmen, Lindsey Sullivan, Ashley Brodar, Coach Schock; row 3: Brianna Stauffer, Samantha Grimes, Kirsty Flora, Alyssa Lewis.

(right) Samantha Grimes 06 anticipates the pitch hoping to get off the bag and advance the bases.

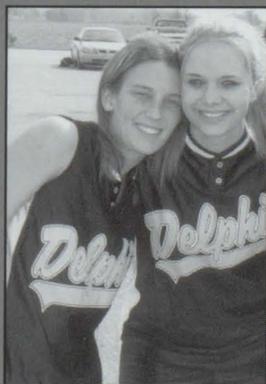
(far right) Kyla Flora 04 holds her form as she awaits the pitch.



2004 SECTIONAL CHAMPIONS!



(left) Kyla Flora and Kim Allen 04 intimidate the other team members by showing off their guns before the start of the softball game. "This was my last year of softball, and the girls and I definitely made the most of it!"



(left) Brianna Griffey and Whitney Dyer 07 entertain each other in the back parking lot while waiting for the team bus to go to an away game. "My freshman year of softball was a lot better than I thought it would be, I had fun and made a lot of new friends," stated Whitney.

(below) Kaila Jones 06 had the tough job as the catcher for the J.V. Team. This was Kaila's first year of softball.





(left) A lot of concentration is required for a pitcher. Charlie Oliver 04 stares down Ross Larimore's 04 mit to throw another strike for the varsity.



(right) Pitching is one of the key positions in baseball. Nathan Trapp 07 pitches for the JV to try to strike out the batter.



(above) Varsity Baseball; row 1: Nathan Beach, Charlie Oliver, Ross Larimore, Cory Norman, Joey Mayfield, Lee Gill; row 2: Cameron Norman, Kyle Garrison, Joel Enoch, Brock Zarse, Scott Brothers, Kevin Pereira, Kreg Anderson; row 3: Blake Miller, Josh Mullin, Kyle Schwarzkopf, manager Robert Walker, Nathan Trapp, Ryan Replogle, Scott Seabolt.

Varsity

Opponent	Score	Opponent Score	W/L
Lewis Cass	2	5	L
North Newton	6	12	L
North Newton	7	8	L
Frontier	10	6	W
Clinton Prairie	17	1	W
Manchester	7	4	W
Manchester	1	5	L
Carroll	10	7	W
Taylor	1	7	L
Taylor	2	5	L
Carroll	10	6	W
Twin Lakes	4	7	L
Twin Lakes	2	14	L
Twin Lakes	13	11	W
Tri-County	5	8	L
Seeger	0	7	L
Benton Central	0	19	L
Benton Central	2	10	L
West Lafayette	2	10	L
West Lafayette	12	3	W
Tipton	3	6	L
Rossville	6	5	W
Tipton	9	8	W
South Newton	15	3	W
Rensselaer	21	19	W
Sheridan	2	5	L
Sheridan	10	0	W
Sectional vs Seeger	7	9	L



(above) Everyone on the team pumps each other up with chants and chatter to show support throughout the entire game. Here the JV break out into a huddle to encourage an inning full of batting and scoring.

(bottom) Communication among the players is what creates errorless innings. Scott Seabolt 06 and Mike Atwood 07 talk on a fly ball to make sure that one of them gets under it.





(above) Every baseball game is not complete without a star catcher. Ross Larimore 04 was the Varsity catcher this year. His skill level often played a major role in the outcome of the game.

(bottom) A close play in baseball gets the attention of Lee Gill 04 as he makes a big stretch and uses both hands to insure the force out.



Baseball's like a ground ball, DIG IT!!

Baseball is all about keeping your head in the game. If a team starts to lose momentum after having a few great innings, the opposing team has plenty of time to rally and come back by the seventh inning.

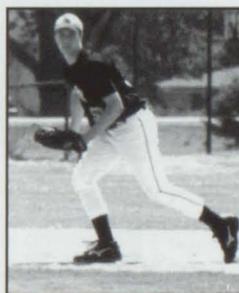
The baseball teams had some rollercoaster moments. At times, there was relaxation and excitement knowing the win was in the bag, while other times, the pressure was overwhelming. Overall, the Delphi baseball teams came out alright. JV won their last game after scoring the winning run in the 10th inning. Varsity ended the season with a close game with Seeger at sectional play. Overall, the team had a memorable season and looks forward to next year.

·Kyle Schwarzkopf

Junior Varsity

Opponent	Score	Opponent Score	W/L
Lewis Cass	4	12	L
Clinton Central	5	7	L
Pioneer	12	1	W
Pioneer	12	0	W
Twin Lakes	0	13	L
Twin Lakes	7	12	L
Carroll	7	17	L
North White	9	10	L
Carroll	20	10	W
Benton Central	4	13	L
West Lafayette	0	10	L
West Lafayette	2	11	L
Clinton Prairie	8	2	W
Rensselaer	4	8	L
Rensselaer	2	12	L
Tri-County	4	3	W

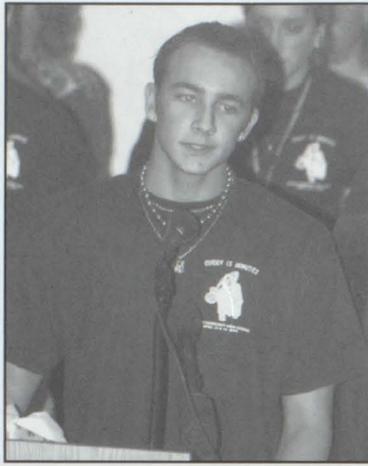
(right) JV first baseman Corbin Beamer 06 is seen running after a ground ball that was hit to him during the game.



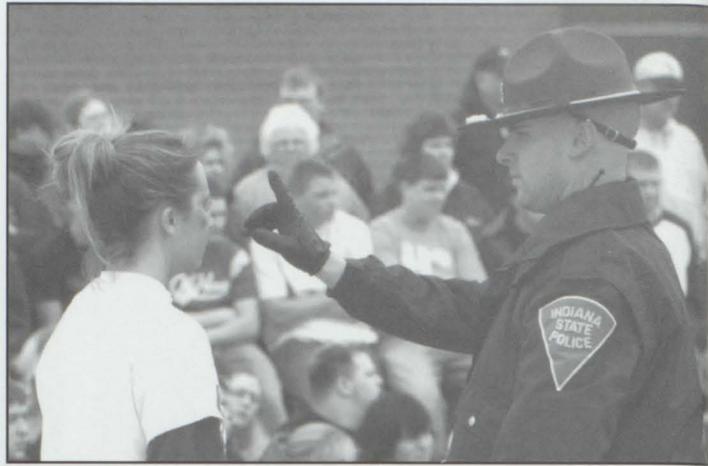
(bottom) JV Baseball: row 1; Phillip Snoeberger, Ben Oliver, Pat Shoup, Corbin Beamer; row 2: Ryan Delaney, Mike Atwood, Kris Anderson, Quincy Cunningham, Kevin Pereira, Scott Seabolt; row 3: Blake Miller, Coy Pennington, Devilan Plunkett, Ryan Replogle.



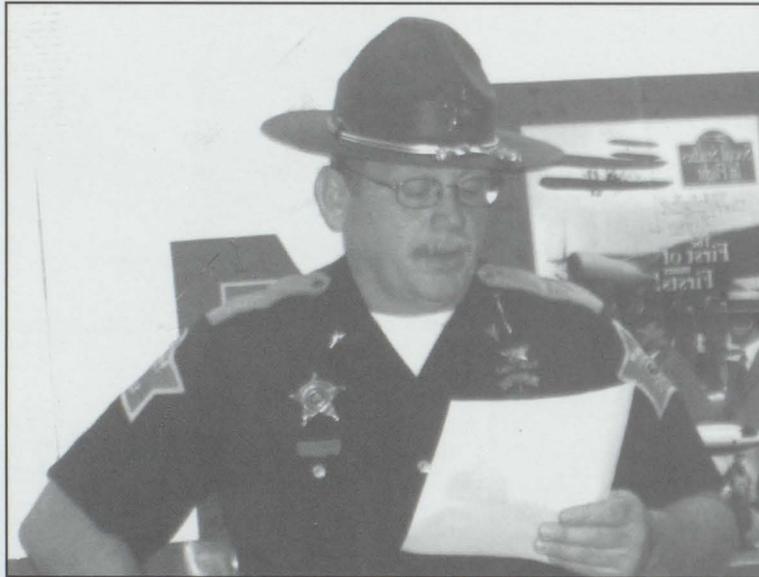
(right) Kyle Hostetter talks about the experience that he had and what it felt like. one would have to admit that it would be scary to hear your name pronounced dead.



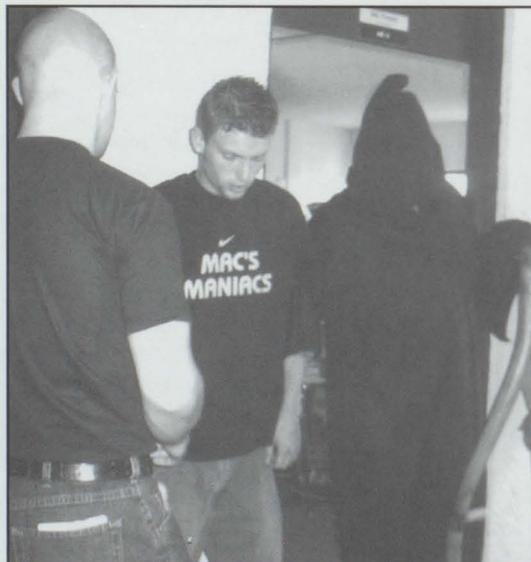
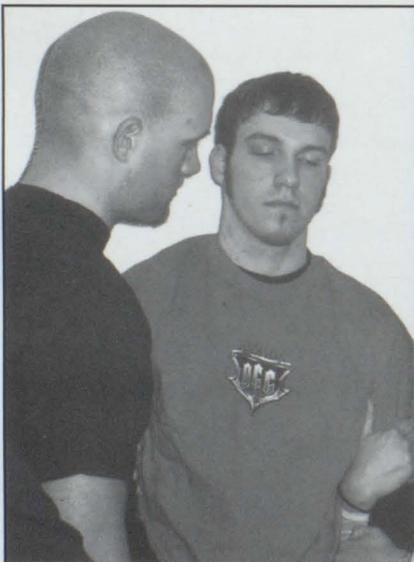
(far right) At accidents that might involve drunk driving end up in a test being performed on the driver. An Indiana State Police officer checks Kim Allen 04 to see if she is possibly drunk.



(right) When the grim reaper traveled through the school picking his victim's their obituary was read the the surrounding students with in hearing distance. Dennis Randle reads the obituary to a group of students.



(far right) At an accident such as this evidence is obtained in case it is needed for the trial. Paul Kuban from the Delphi City Police Department does just that.

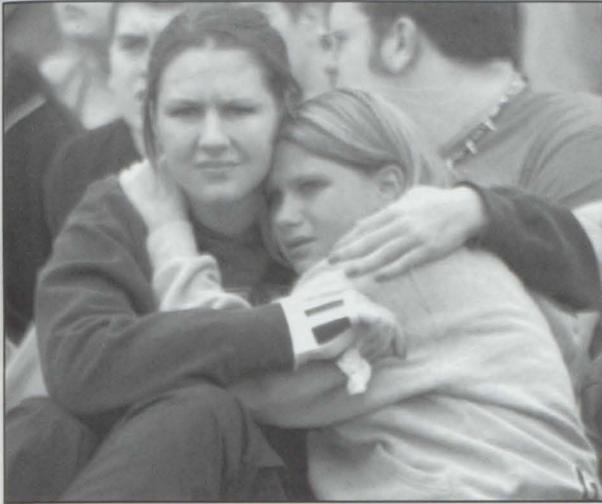


(above) What started off the whole program was the grim reaper traveling through out the whole school choosing his victim's. Charlie Oliver 04 is seen being one of the first ones taken away.

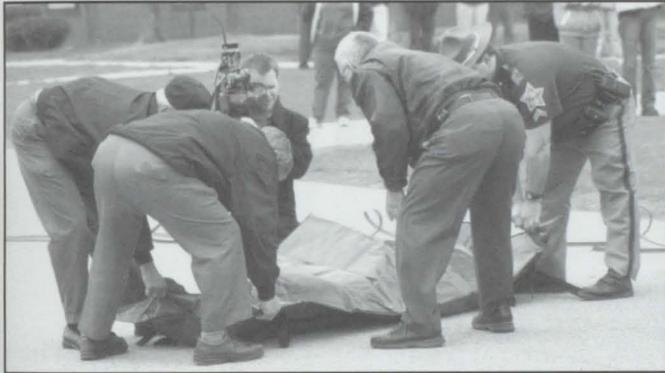
(above) The grim reaper played a big role in this program sweeping throughout the school. Zack Humbarger 04 as his "life" is taken away.

(above) At the end of the program on the second day, participants gave speeches on their experiences. Jenna Henderson 04 gives a very emotional speech of what this experience ment to her.

(above) This program hit home for a lot of students. Stacy Shoup 04 leans on her friend Ephina Moore 04 for some friendly comfort to deal with the thought of losing her friend.



(above) At a real crash, the parents of the deceased would have to identify their child at the scene. Coroner J.D. Cree lifts up the cover over Cody Crawford's 07 head so that his parents, Rock and Beth Crawford can identify him.



(above) On the second day of the continuation of the Every 15 Minutes, inconclusion guest speakers told their stories of experiences with drunk driving. Brave Mrs. Pickering told her touching story of how drunk driving took two family members from her life.

(above) Some of the students that had already died appeared behind the scene watching as if it had already happened to them. Jason Cree 05, Dave Strasser 04, Jenna Henderson 04, Desiree Plunkett 05, Sarah Wright 05, Carrie Fife 05, Amy Cline 05, and Charlie Oliver 04 all hover around the crash observing the aftermath.

(above left) At the scene of an accident the deceased or placed in to body bags for the mortuary and autopsy. Brandon Cook 04 is being put into a body bag by the police and coroner.

The Reality Show

The stars of the reality show were Delphi High School students. This show involved drinking, driving, and fatalities. Due to the graphic nature, parental guidance was advised. Select students were taken away and were not allowed to

talk to anyone for a day and a half. At the end of the program everyone was happy to know that the show was actually fictional. Everyone learned a valuable lesson as students witness what could happen as a result of poor choices.

-KyleSchwarzkopf

Heart.

It's the passion
tHat drives you,
the excitemEnt
that overtakes you,
the butterflies in
your stomAch,
the desire that
buRns you. It's
the voice inside
that talks you
Through the mo-
ment.

·Marley Owen



Kittrell 05



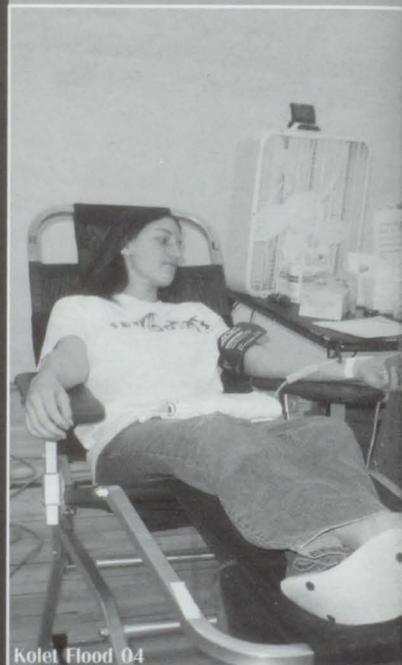
Wood 04



Daniel Cable 07



Allison Cook 06



Kolet Flood 04



David Strasser '04



Shannon Kremer '07



Gail Flory '06



Andrea Leatherman '06, Karen Everett '06, Emily Fisher '05, Tim Pritchett '05



Savannah Osborne '05



Lindsay Pearson '05



Cassie Dunbar '07



Brittni Ballard '07

Heart

Who Cares?... We do!

The 2003-2004 Student Council accomplished a lot for the student body this year. The council was made up of 7 Seniors, 3 Juniors, 3 Sophomores, and 3 Freshmen. The group worked during homeroom, on things such as homecoming events, dances, voting for homecoming candidates, and doing things to improve the school that will benefit the students. The Student Council also takes all the money they earn from their vending machines, and they make two scholarships for the senior class. They have a

project at the end of the school year, in which they either buy something or improve something for the student body for they incoming students at the high school. They also do things such as decorating the school for Christmas, and hosting contest on spirit days.

To keep things interesting the Students council would all take turns bringing in treats for each other every Friday.

So when the students start to think "who cares?" The Student Council can honestly say "We Do"!

·Ashley Clawson



Lindsey Kendall 05 got the chocolate egg in the Easter Egg Hunt. She said, "Student Council was a blast this year. We had fun."



Mrs. Kinzie was the sponsor of Student Council. She helped the council make decisions and advised the activities. Mrs. Kinzie stated, "Student Council is a 1st class club to be involved in because we help make decisions that benefit the students. The Student Council also makes money throughout the year, and all the money that's made is given back to the students."

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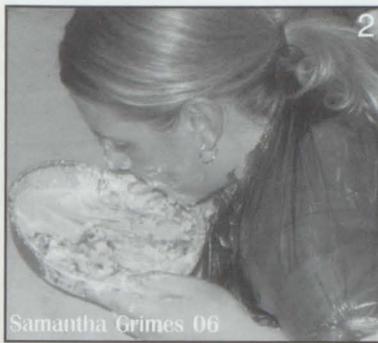
Student Council



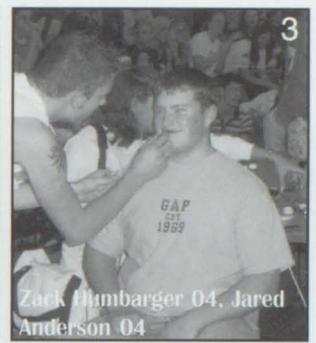
(above) Student Council, row 1; Stacy Shoup, Misty Rector, Ashley Clawson, Ephina Moore, row 2; Kirsty Flora, Kyla Flora, Brandon Cook, Marshall Criswell, row 3; Mrs. Kinzie Sharayah Red Elk, Tara Brummett, Lindsey Kendall, Brittini Ballard, row 3; Parker George, Steve Callender.



The Sophomores



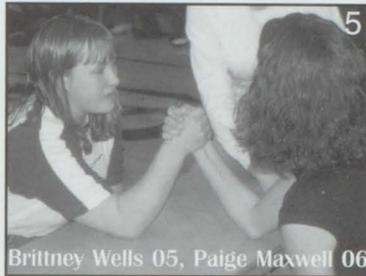
Samantha Grimes 06



Zack Humbarger 04, Jared Anderson 04



Kim Allen 04, Savannah Osborne 05, Tara Brummett 06



Brittney Wells 05, Paige Maxwell 06

Homecoming Events...

The Student Council is notorious for planning the homecoming events. This year the events that took place were, 1. The traditional tug-of-war between the girls 2. There was an eating contest that consisted of the contestants eating a pie the fastest. 3. Two guys from each class attempted to put makeup on each other. 4. A groovin' dance competition. 5. One guy and one girl from each grade competed in the wrestling competition.

(right) Parker George 05 is a member of the Student Council. He had a great time helping plan the homecoming dance and deciding what the Student Council would do to improve the school.



(right) Kirsty Flora 06 admired all of the candy she found during the Easter egg hunt. Kirsty stated, "I thought the Easter egg hunt was the best activity we did all year."



Quotes...

"Student Council was so much fun. We got to do so much to help the students, and we had a great time. My favorite thing about Student Council was getting to drive the SUV's for the homecoming candidates."

-Ashley Clawson 04, Student Council Vice President

"I've had a lot of fun working in Student Council and giving back to the students."

-Brandon Cook 04, Senior Class Representative

Ephina Moore 04, This was Ephina's 1st year in Student Council. Ephina was the president, which involved organizing and making decisions.



The Freshmen members of Student Council got together to smile for the camera. This was the first time these girls got to be a part of the High School Student Council.



Hidden Honors



Erin Wertz



Alyssa Robbins



Olivia Weis



Evan Maxwell

VARSDITY D

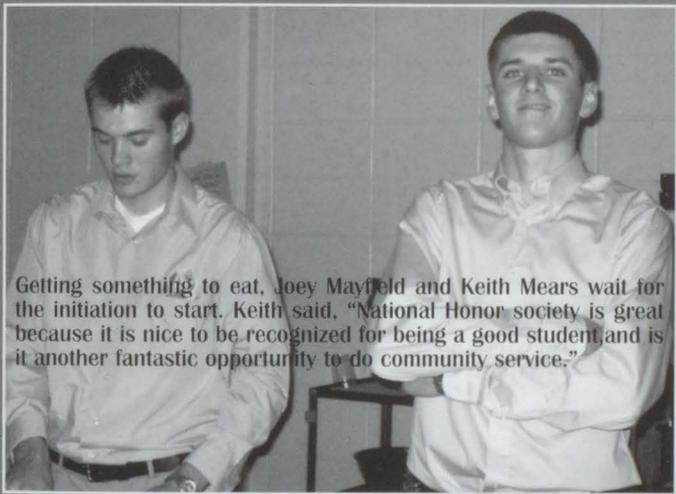
The Varsity D raises money for the Athletic Department. This money is used to purchase beneficial 'extras' for the athletic teams.

(below) Varsity D; row 1, David Strasser, Brett Wood, Charlie Oliver, Beth Nichols, Ross Larimore, Erin Wertz, Nathan Sparks, Nathan Beach, Cory Norman, Kim Allen, Kyla Flora, Savannah Osborne, Kendra Cree; row 2, Lydia Smith, Sara Peschke, Megan Walton, Ryne Hillenberg, Whitney Bass, Kristy Flora, Lindsey Sullivan, Leah Cree, Kaila Jones, Katie Beach, Christina Baker, Beth Myers, Cody Crawford; row 3, Kyle Garrison, Jesse Heise, Pat Hankins, Jose Turner, Joel Enoch, Jason Cree, Ashley Brodar, Brock Zarse, Kyle Hammond, Allan Lucas, Andy Fassnacht; row 4, Justin Jargstorf, Jenna Henderson, Shawna Roach, Rachael Haynes, Jennifer Kauffman, Amre Hariri, Alyssa Lewis, Jade Richardson, Brittanna Mauer, Evan Maxwell, Annie Canaan, Kameron Baner; row 5, Ryan Linn, Woody Nichols, Ashley Clawson, Lorien Milakovic, Mandy Kauffman, Deja Kendall, Becca Walker, Carrie Gardiner, Sally Maxwell, Casey Blickenstaff, Chad Dale, Parker George; row 6, Jared Manny, Cory Dunbar, Colin Stauffer, Hali German, Tom Walton, Keith Mears, Spencer Kingery, Jon Newell, Mikie Dubes, Zack Humbarger; row 7, Cole Stonebraker, Derrick Hazelwood, Scott Brothers, Joey Mayfield, Michelle Yeager, Carrie Fife, Jeni Hall, Ashley Widner, Ben Smith, Sharayah Red Elk; row 8, Olivia Weis, Brandon Cook, Sean Casserly, Nathan Zink, Tayia, Buchanon, Danielle Wagoner, Hannah Penn, Brooke Robbins, Lindsey Kendall, Levi Smith, Cole Nattermann; row 9, Stacy Shoup, Shannon Kremer, Tara Brummett, Marshall Criswell, Paige Maxwell, Rachel Lawson, Thales Almeida, Sarah Wright, Jenna Lavy, Ephina Moore, Brooke Anderson.

Page By: Brooke Anderson



(left) row 1, Madame Tyner, Jennifer Kauffman, Cory Norman, Kim Allen, Jamie Nipple; row 2, Amanda Grosvenor, Sara Peschke, Keith Mears, Joey Mayfield, Megan Walton, Heather Brakel, Tabitha Smith, Taylor Vaknin, Kendra Cree; row 3, Jon Newell, Allie Noble, Julia Seese, Megan Tull, Emily Fisher, Sarah Wright, Elizabeth Myers; row 4, Lee Cline, Nathan Zink, Charlie Oliver, Tim Pritchett, Parker George, Chad Dale.



Getting something to eat. Joey Mayfield and Keith Mears wait for the initiation to start. Keith said, "National Honor society is great because it is nice to be recognized for being a good student, and is it another fantastic opportunity to do community service."



Emily Fisher



Lighting a candle, Megan Walton gave a speech. "This is a great organization for doing community service," she stated.

(right) Tim Pritchett, Julia Seese, Amanda Grosvenor, Charlie Oliver, Kendra Cree, Sara Peschke, Tabitha Smith.



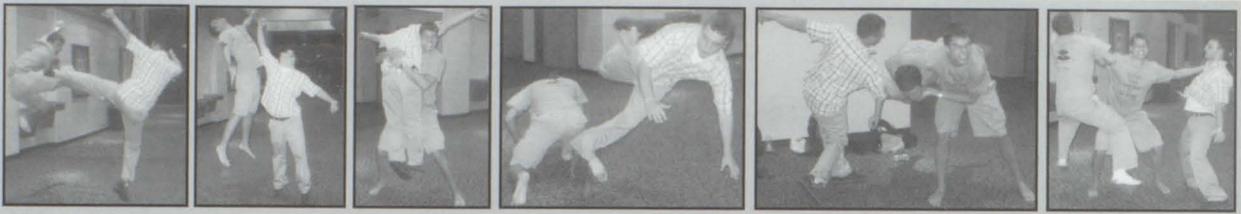
Megan Tull



(right) The head of National Honor Society, Mrs. Tyner said, "For me, it is an honor and a privilege to work with our NHS members. Our beautiful candle light induction ceremony is one of my favorite school events. I feel a great sense of pride as the Delphi chapter of NHS annually contributes \$1000 to the Carroll County American Cancer Society and donates over 70 units of blood to local hospitals after our blood drive."

Being a member of the National Honor Society is a symbol of integrity. Inductees are chosen by their community and extra-curricular involvement and leadership.

National Honor Society

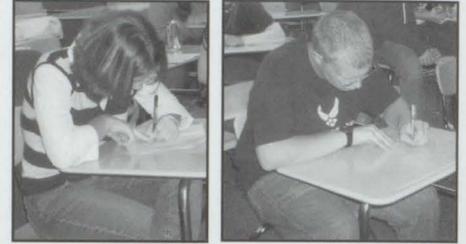


(above) During a break at a Superbowl competition, Chad Dale 05 and Marshall Criswell 04 decide to have a little fun by play fighting. They are later joined by Parker George 05.

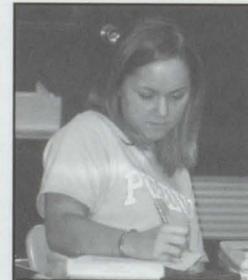


Spellbowl; row 1, Heather Clark, Saxony Cornwall; row 2, Sara Young; row 3, Denise McManus, Katy Steinwald, Breann Klinker; row 4, Nicole Mckinley, Autumn Terry, Bethany Dolick; row 5, Shawna Roach, Lindsay Turner, Michelle Yeager; row 6, Brittany Stedman, Sam Francis; row 7, Kristina Johnson, Mrs. Yoder.

Decathlon, Spellingbowl, Superbowl



(above) Top spellers, Heather Clark 06 and Sam Francis 06 write down spelling words during homeroom. Heather is already making study plans for next year.



(left) Getting some practice in, Michelle Yeager 05 takes time to think before she writes down the words. She commented, "Spellbowl was fun, but I seemed to get more words right when I wasn't competing."

(right) Testing her spelling ability, Autumn Terry 05 is a proud member of Spellbowl. She added, "I was the 'cheerleader' for Spellbowl. I was one of the loudest, I even had pom-poms! Mrs. Yoder was a lot of fun!"



Spellbowl was made up of 16 members and coached by Mrs. Yoder. During their season they traveled to Logansport and Rensselaer for two invitationals and then to Crawfordsville for an area competition. They came in fourth place at the area competition. This years top spellers were Sam Francis 06 and Heather Clark 06. The team members met each day during homeroom and occasionally after school. They would memorize lists of words then take written tests for practice. The members with the highest averages were the ones chosen to participate in the competitions. Spellbowl did many fun things during practices, such as having spelling races at the chalkboard and snacks. The competitions were like relays where 10 members spelled nine words in a written format.

·Megan Tull

Academic Decathlon, began with nine members and slowly dwindled down to seven throughout the year. They competed in ten subject areas: essay, interview, speech, social studies-superquiz, math, language/literature, science, economics, art, and music. They attended three competitions, "Tune Up" at Logansport finishing in 1st, Area Competition at New Haven H.S. in Fort Wayne finishing in 1st and 5th for small schools, and State Finals at Purdue University receiving a 3rd place along with 5th for state.



Academic Decathlon, row 1: Charlie Oliver, Beth Nichols, Keith Mears, Emily Fisher, Sarah Wright, Joey Mayfield, Tim Pritchett, Nathan Zink.

Superbowl was made up of 17 members and five teams. Each team included three to five students. The different teams included math (Mr. Mathis), English (Mrs. Brettmacher), science (Mrs. Mason), history (Mr. Seurnyck), and fine arts (Mrs. Brummett & Mr. Kayser). The sixth team was an interdisciplinary team coached by Mr. Janowiak. The students were selected by invitation. This year they attended three competitions, the Hoosier Conference held here at DCHS, an invitational held at Lafayette Jeff, and a final competition held at Attica. Overall the teams did very well this year and had a lot of fun along the way.



Superbowl; row 1, Marley Owen, Bethany Dolick, Emily Fisher, Marshall Criswell; row 2, John Replogle, Tabitha Smith, Evan Maxwell, Michelle Yeager, Taylor Vaknin; row 3, Julia Seese, Ann Mears, Stefanie Allen, Keith Mears, Tim Pritchett, Spencer Kingery.



(left) Ann Mears 07 makes the most of her time by trying to get her homework done during a break. Ann said, "I was on the Art Team. We had to study all aspects of art history, including music. It was worth it."



(left) Competing in Art, History, and Inter-Disciplinary, Bethany Dolick had a lot on her mind. She said, "Even if you don't always win all of your competitions, the hard work and friendships you make are all worth it in the end."



(left) To get his mind off of things, Spencer Kingery 05 plays cards. This sure is a nice way to relax.



(left) The Superbowl team sits down to compete. This meet was held here at DCHS, in the Little Theatre.

(below) The Superbowl team makes the most of their time on the bus. Here they're on their way to the area meet in Attica.



Clubbin'

FCCLA

Row 1; Tabitha Fultz, Angela Mertz, Jamie Weaver, row 2; Jennifer Howard, Melissa Spear, Ashley Walker, row 3; Mrs. Brown, Kristina Johnson, Ashley Weaver.



Jamie Weaver 05



Kyla Flora 04

SADD



Kim Allen 04



Row 1; Jenna Lavy, Ashley Clawson, Mrs. Carpenter, Jenna Henderson, Abbee Flora, row 2; Misty Rector, Erica Barnsfather, Laken Reed, Nathan Beach, Nathan Sparks, Danielle Wagner, Stacy Shoup, Beth Nichols, Heather Brakel, row 3; Kyla Flora, Michael Atwood, Lindsay McLeland, Rachel Lawson, Brittany Nelson, Becca Walker, Lindsey Kendall, Sasha Vianco, Taylor Vaknin, Jessica Thornton, row 4; Shawna Roach, Kim Allen, Courtney Priest, Deja Kendall, Olivia Weis, Kendra Cree, Tabitha Smith, and Tayia Buchanan.

(right) In the C Pod the SADD group and Jessica Thornton 04 catch up on what happened in the meeting before.

(right center) The FCCLA works hard to raise money. Jennifer Howard 05 tells what they are all about, "We help keep the school clean."

(below) FCCLA is not all about environment, they also talk about how there day went. Ashley Weaver 06 tells what a good day she had. "I really like it because the teacher is nice," she says.



(below) The FCCLA is having a meeting to discuss a fund-raiser. Angela Mertz 05 puts in her thoughts about this situation. "I really like the club. I've been in it since my freshman year, and I'm helping the environment!" She exclaims.



(above) Trying to figure out a plan, Mrs. Carpenter is thinking about what to do next.



(above) "SADD is a great club to be in, because you always get the first look of any dance before anyone else does," says Becca Walker 05. "You also have fun decorating with your friends."

(above) "It feels great to be one of the people behind the scenes, who gets to plan Prom and Semi-formal," says Taylor Vaknin 05. "Being on the SADD committee makes you appreciate these events even more."



Heather Brakel 06



The future of agriculture is in the eyes and arms of students. Without the proper training these students would be unable to provide the world with unique agricultural goods. The Future Farmers of America is a nationwide program designed to teach the correct techniques and habits to become the future of our world. The Delphi FFA chapter is widely known and appreciated through out the community and the country. Members of our chapter attend meetings around the nation through out the year. They not only learn the past of agriculture, but are now making the future.

•Annie Canaan

Row 1: Mrs. Theobald, Justin Spangler, Jared Anderson, Zack Humbarger, Woody Nichols, William Peek, Andy Fassnacht, Mr. Striebeck; row 2: Keith Mears, Jon Newell, Erica Barnsfather, Sarah Cox, Laken Reed, Ryan Linn, Phillip Snoeberger, Hayley Fassnacht, Ashley Randle; row 3: Chad Dale, Taylor Vaknin, Jamie Nipple, Nate Lear, Brandon Lear, Tayia Buchanan, Brittney Sales, Cody Crawford, Cole Stonebraker; row 4: Crystal Price, Sonya Claiborne, Tosha Scott, Olivia Weis, Sara Young, Teecee Babcock, Branden Rader, Nathan Trapp, Mark Minnicus, Kyle Schwarzkopf; row 5: Courtney Kingery, Marissa McIlrath, Wes Berkshire, Scott Allen, Tabitha Fultz, Joe Smith, April Hodge, Tylar Britton, Spencer Kingery; row 6: Becca Shoemaker, Autumn Blackburn, Keltie Lake, Ann Mears, Shannon Kremer, Cory Draper, Kari Wells, Coy Pennington, Wade Claiborne; row 7: Courtney Priest, Kameron Banes, Ben Smith, Brianna James, Jayme Duff, Tim Robinette, Tonya McAninch, Sean O'Brien.



2003 Food Drive: Row 1: Sarah Wright 05, Evan Maxwell 05, Katie Lewis 05, Julia Seese 05, Emily Fisher 05, Kyle Garrison 05, Parker George 05, Justin Scaggs 04, Chad Dale 05; row 2: Tim Pritchett 05, Reanna Morrison 04.

Future Farmers of America

National Chapter Award >

Row 1: Jared Anderson 04, Ephina Moore 04, Zack Humbarger 04, Jessica Thornton 04, Woody Nichols 05, Pat Hankins 04, Wes Berkshire 06, Justin Spangler 05; row 2: Shane Wilcox 05, Ryan Linn 05, William Peek 05. Shane commented, "FFA is fun because we are always doing exciting things and traveling to different places. Mr Striebeck does a good job trying to get everybody involved."



<Truck & Tractor Day

Row 1: Spencer Kingery 05, Ryan Linn 05; row 2: Branden Rader 07, Andy Fassnacht 05, Cody Crawford 05, Cole Stonebraker 05, Kameron Banes 05; row 3: Ben Smith 05; row 4: Chad Dale 05. Once every year the student farmers in the area come to school driving a truck and some even drive a tractor! These football boys are getting a work out checking out the tractor before their game later that night.



REMC Day >

The Delphi FFA Chapter annually hosts a petting zoo for the Carroll County REMC Day. FFA students provide animals for children to ride and pet throughout the day. Students like Pat Hankins get involved and love the experience through out high school. Pat explained, "FFA was exciting all 4 years that I was in it. The best part about it was this summer because of all the work I did for the chapter and all the time I spent in and out of the emergency room because of the injuries I suffered while working for FFA."



< The Auction

Conversing at the annual FFA Auction, Wes Berkshire 06 and Mr. Striebeck laugh at the memories they have shared working together through out the year.



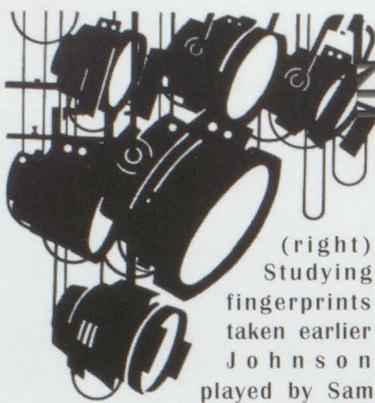
Ladies of the Chapter >

Row 1: April Hodge 05, Ann Mears 07, Shannon Kremer 07; row 2: Jessica Thornton 04, Keith Mears 04, Taylor Vaknin 05. Both boys and girls are actively involved with the FFA association. April says, "My favorite part is when we have initiation week when we "welcome" the new members, especially when they are "stuffed" at the hayride and hog roast."



< Hog Roast & Hayride

Relaxing after the annual hayride and hog roast. Row 1 (ground): Zach Humbarger 04, Jamie Nipple 04, Woody Nichols 05; row 2: Mark Minnicus 07, Branden Rader 07, Kyle Schwarzkopf 06, Sara Cox 04, Jared Anderson 04, Laken Reed 04, Pat Hankins 05, Erika Barnsfather 04, Ephina Moore 05, April Hodge 05, Wade Claiborne 07, Olivia Weis 06, Justin Spangler 05; row 3: Nate Lear 04, Tim Robinette 04, Jayme Duff 06, Ryan Linn 05, Brianna James 06, William Peek 05, Joe Smith 05, Wes Berkshire 06, Nathan Trapp 07, Sara Young 06.



(right)
Studying
fingerprints
taken earlier
Johnson
played by Sam

Francis 06 tries to find the murder. "Acting in itself is a very liberating experience. To act in front of people who know you is exponentially more so. You walk around school from day to day with a certain personality. School plays and acting in general give you an escape from that monotony. On the side, you get to let go and show people what you are capable of. On the other side, you get to practice with other people your own age and become great friends with most and, on rare occasions, very irritated with others. It was a great experience and I'm looking forward to next year's play."



(above)The jealous old ladies listen to a conversation between Jane Rodgers played by Ephina Moore 04 and Kyle Hostetter 04 as Detective O'Finn in the kitchen.



Miss Nettie played by Heather Clark 06 innocently ponders on who could be the murder among the ladies. "The great makeup artists spent about three hours working on our wrinkles and hair. I had a wonderful time and hope to do it again next year."



Student director Ann Mears 07 watches the script while the cast rehearses. "I really enjoyed helping with the play. The cast was great!"



Ephina Moore 04 is swarmed by the ladies and offered tea. Since there have been deaths caused by poison in tea Ephina is very uncomfortable.

Bull in a China Shop

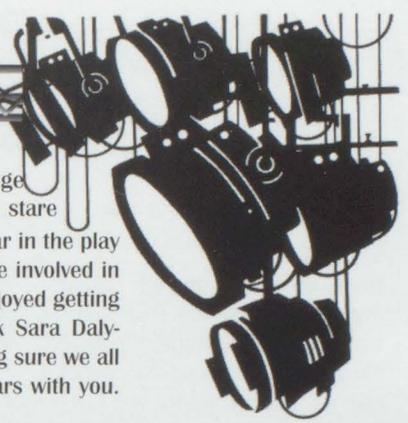
This years annual play was a murder mystery called "Bull in a China Shop." With eleven cast member the group practiced many months memorizing and rehearsing the play. The plot was centered around a group of old women who had a crush on a detective across the street. The ladies would spy on the one and only Detective O'Finn. To lure him to their house the ladies plotted a death amongst themselves. The group planned on killing one after another until just the murderer was left. They began by poisoning tea and then all drinking and one of them would wind up dead. The cast did a great job and had a fun time. Many of the cast will be back next year for another exciting play.

◆ Cody Canen





(left) Jane Rodgers played by Ephina Moore 04 had a huge crush on Detective O'Finn played by Kyle Hostetter 04. She stare seducingly trying to catch him in her web. "Being my first year in the play I thought it went extremely well. I wish that I had been more involved in the in the plays throughout my high school years. I really enjoyed getting to know everybody better and working with them. I think Sara Daly-Brosman did an excellent job at directing the play and making sure we all had fun. I truly enjoyed the play and wished I had more years with you. I will miss you all!" stated Ephina.



(right) Kyle Hostetter 04 was the center of attention for all of the girls. "Doing the play this year was a blast because it was something new for me. I had never even been to a school play before. Oh yeah..... appendicitis sucks!" Kyle comments after having to cancel the last night because he came down with appendicitis.



(left) Miss Elizabeth played by Sarah Wright 05 was the first lady killed off. She looks around as the ladies try and figure out how to get the hansom detective to their house.

Jon Clear 06 and Jonah Brown 05 play the part of stretcher bearers. They pick up Sarah's body after her death and take her for an autopsy. Both also helped with lighting during the play.



Detective Kramer played by Brandon Cook 05 tries to piece together evidence to see if he can help solve the murder mystery. "It was a great time, I had lots of fun." says Brandon.

CAST

Detective Dennis O'Finn... Kyle Hostetter

Miss Hildegerade... Tara Brummett

Miss Elizabeth... Sarah Wright

Miss Birdie... Carrie Fife

Miss Nettie... Heather Clark

Miss Lucy... Hannah Hickman

Detective Kramer... Brandon Cook

Stretcher Bearer 1... Jon Clear

Stretcher Bearer 2... Jonah Brown

Jane Rogers... Ephina Moore

Johnson... Sam Francis

Student Director... Ann Mears

Director... Sara Daly-Brosman

Who does this kid think he is?

Mr. Kyle Debord

Where did you go to high school?

Princeton Community High School

What made you decide to teach?

My high school chemistry really sparked an interest for me in chemistry. I saw how he enjoyed teaching us, in that I realized that had a calling to educate the future of America. I found a way to make a difference.

If you weren't a teacher, what kind of job would you want?

When I was little, I always wanted to be a professional football player. So, I think that would be fun or a forensic chemist that runs all the chemical tests from crime scenes.

Is there anything else that you want the students of DCHS to know?

For all the students at Delphi, success doesn't come at a cost. You have to work hard make sacrifices and have a determination to succeed.

Miss Christy Gentleman

Where did you go to high school?

Crown Point High School

When you aren't teaching, what are you doing?

Planning my wedding or sleeping! (And watching Days of Our Lives)

If you could teach anywhere, where would it be?

I'd teach somewhere where the room temperature reaches at least 70 degrees!

Is there anything else that you want the students to know?

I had fun with my students. You guys (and girls) definitely kept me entertained.

Mrs. Katrina Elliott

Where did you go to high school?

Tri- Central High School

When you aren't teaching, what are you doing?

My husband and I are youth leaders at our church in Lafayette, which takes up quite a bit of my " free time." Otherwise, I spend my time playing soccer, jumping on our trampoline, and playing with the "camp kids."

If you could teach anywhere, where would it be?

If I could teach anywhere, I would teach in South Africa. My husband and I spent Christmas there this past year, and it was amazing.

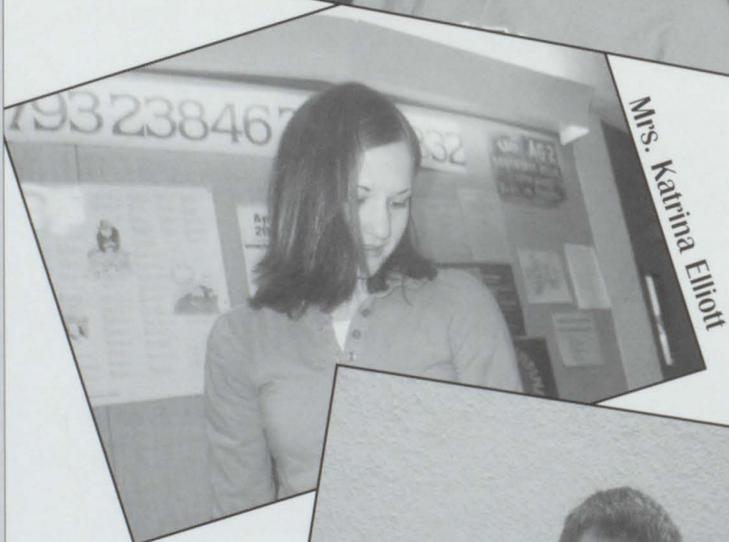
• Savannah Osborne



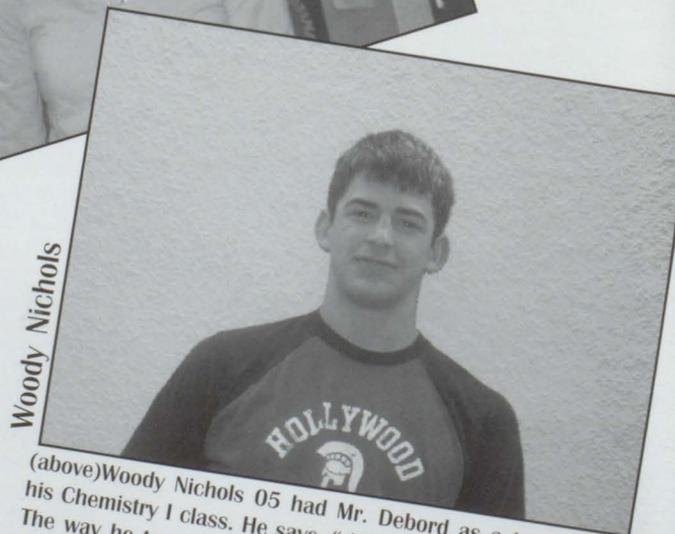
Mr. Kyle Debord



Miss Christy Gentleman



Mrs. Katrina Elliott



Woody Nichols

(above) Woody Nichols 05 had Mr. Debord as a teacher for his Chemistry I class. He says, " Mr. Debord was really cool. The way he taught made it easy to learn and when we had questions he would answer them without making us feel dumb. It was always fun in class."

Student Teachers



April Hodge



Miss Lindsay Keazer



Paige Keys



Miss Inez Beckwith

Miss Lindsay Keazer

Where did you go to high school?

West Lafayette High School

What made you decide to teach?

I wanted to tackle the challenge of figuring out why math connections could be so clear for some, and so difficult for others. Not that I expect I will ever have the clear answer, but I can always be moving closer to it.

When you aren't teaching, what are you doing?
I'm running, hanging out with friends, having fun, shopping, scrapbooking, and planning my wedding.

Is there anything else you want the students of DCHS to know?

There seems to be a misconception among some high school students that college is about partying. I want to dispel that myth by saying, yes, some students choose to do that, but you don't see the GPA's that result, and some of them, frankly, you don't see at all after the first year. You may choose to take this with a grain of salt, but in my opinion, to get the fullest experience out of college (and you're paying enough that you deserve that!) go there to work and give it your best, and you'll still have time to get involved, have a lot of fun, and make lasting memories.

Miss Inez Beckwith

Where did you go to high school?

Frontier High School

What made you decide to teach?

I like working with students of all ages. It's exciting when they finally grasp the concepts that you are trying to teach them.

If you weren't a teacher, what kind of job would you want?

I would love to be a Broadway actress. I love the theatre.

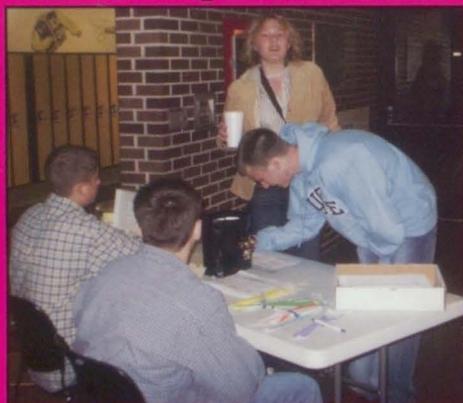
Is there anything else that you want the students of DCHS to know?

Have fun while you can, because the real world is sometimes tough, especially during the art show.

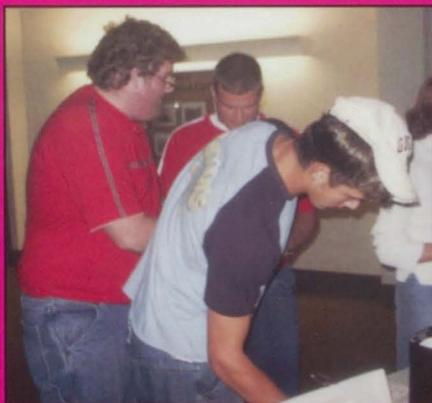
(top)April Hodge 05 had Miss Keazer as a teacher. She comments about her, " She was a good student teacher and knew what she was doing and she explained the problems we had trouble with. I liked her."

(second from bottom)"Miss Beckwith was an awesome student teacher! The students and I had a lot of fun with the projects she had us do. My favorite project was the clay teapots," says Paige Keys 07, a first year art student.

And That'



As you enter the door, sign in. Staff members, Kyle Schwarzkopf 06 and Cody Canen 06 are here to assist you.



Don't forget to sign up for all of the awesome door prizes. "Hey boys, maybe you'll win that necklace for your girlfriend." Brett Wood 04, Jason Cree 05, and Woody Nichols 05 thought they'd give it a shot.



Head on up to the mezzanine and staff member Annie Canaan 05 will get your book. Happy Signing!



If you get tired of dancing, you can sit down and join Pat Hankins 04. "You need a break Pat? You look tired."



"Hey, look! It's a train, lets go!" After you've taken a short break and are full of energy again, it's time for more dancing. Tim Pritchett 05, Kyle Hostetter 04, Triston Draper 04, Reanna Morrison 04, Shawna Roach 04, Deja Kendall 05, and Kyle Hammond 06 were led by Misty Rector 04.



If all this dancing makes you hungry or thirsty, just head back up to the mezzanine with Misty Rector 04. There are plenty of snacks on hand. "How's that Sprite, Misty?"

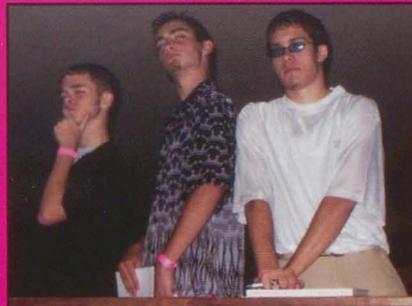
s A Wrap.

This year the yearbook staff held their first ever yearbook dance. The dance was a huge success. The yearbooks were passed out at the dance. Those who attended the dance received their books earlier than others did. The students were able to sign up to win tons of door prizes. There were refreshments, yearbook signing, and plenty of dancing.

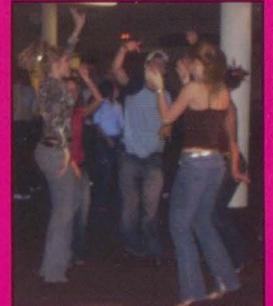
Megan Tull



A group of friends got together to look at their yearbooks. Free autograph pages were available for signing. Brittney Smith 06, Marlaina Scowden 07, Ashley Stevens 07, Hannah Hickman 06, Tanya McAninch 07, Ryan Linn 05, Nancy Weis 06, and Laurie Ungersma 06.



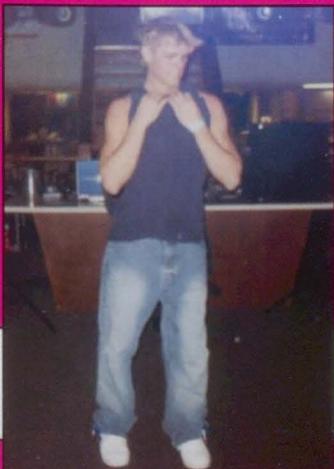
So you're done admiring your new yearbook, what do you do now? Ryan Payne 06, Josh Fulton 06, and Jon Clear 06 decided to scan the dance floor.



This group of girls worked up the nerve to dance! Hali German 06 and Christina Baker 05 seemed to be having fun.



If you'll please direct your attention to the front of the dance floor, we're going to have a dance contest! Two of the competitors were (top left) Megan Tull 05 and (top right) Carlos Garcia 07. The winners were (bottom left) Scott Brothers 06 and (bottom right) Kim Allen 04.



So the night is winding down and you're ready to go home. Don't forget to thank Mrs. Brummett and her yearbook staff on your way out!



Weekend Fun

Students in school always look forwards to their weekend. Weekends are a time for students to get away from school and have some fun. Whether it be hanging with friends or going over to a girl-

friends or boyfriends house, the students of Delphi enjoy their weekends. More than some will ever know.

• Kyle Schwarzkopf

(right) "I like to hang out with my friends and go to the movies or shopping. Really just doing something to pass the time and not be bored the weekend." -Haley Fassnacht.



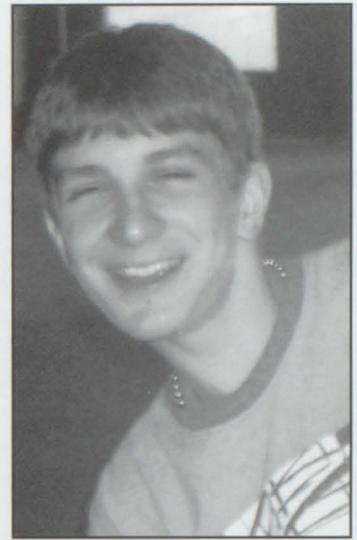
(left) "I like to read on my weekends quite a bit. I also like to occasionally hang out with my friends as well." -Jessica Barnett 07



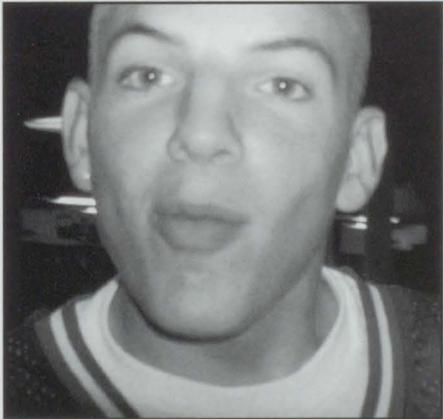
(above) "I love to hang out with friends and drive to Lafayette to go bowling or to the movies on the weekends. Shopping is also ALWAYS fun!" -Hali German 06



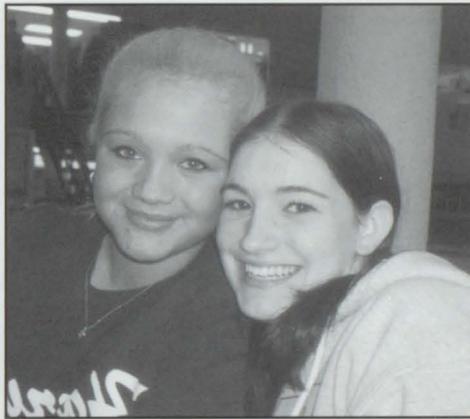
(above)"Generally I have been spending most of my weekends working. Whether I'm at McDonalds or refereeing soccer games at Flora. But I usually do get the chance to make it over to Becca's." -Allan Lucas 06



(right)"On my weekends I find myself riding bikes all day and working for my nieghbors" -Dale James 07.



(far left) "What I like to do on the weekends is to get some friends together and hangout or play basketball. Going to watch or cheer our favorite teams is fun too." - Jonathan George



(left)"We like to spend our weekends going underwear shopping, and eating at the Olive Garden. We also love to chase and race big trucks, and WIN!!" -Ashley Randle 06, Jeni Hall 06

(above) "I spend my weekends with friends and occasionally Allan, however lately, I've found that the majority of my weekend is spent staring at my dad's truck and wishing I could drive it!"- Rebecca Shoemaker 07



(far right) "On the weekends, when I'm not doing school related stuff, I am either sleeping or planning my wedding. If I'm not too tired, I might go out with friends!" -Christy Gentleman.



Hollywood Nights

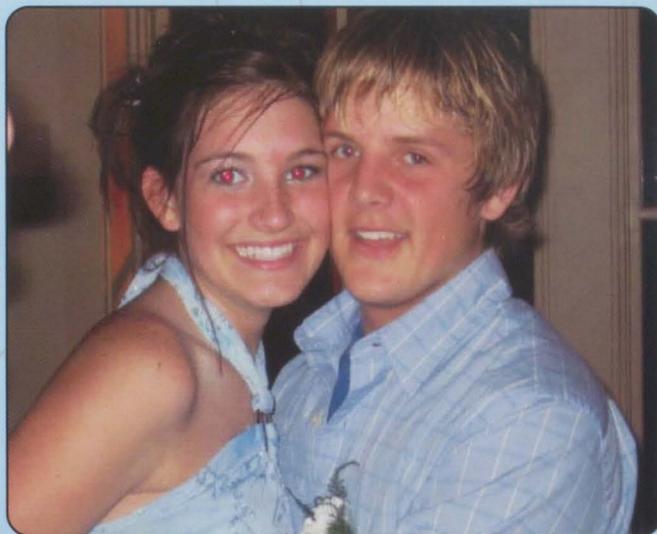
The glitz of lights illuminated the attendants of the 2003 Semi-formal which was held on November 1st at the Interpretive Center in Delphi. Before arriving, many groups dined out to get the evening rolling. Heading to the dance, they were greeted with a bright red carpet and valet parking. The couples were brought to the curb in anticipation of a glamorous night. Tired from dancing all evening, it was a night for the stars.

·Taylor Vaknin

(below) Kyle Garrison 05 said, "For the most part, I had fun at semi-formal. I love to dance and the music selection was FANTASTIC!"



(left) "I had a great time at semi-formal because it was at a different place rather than at the High School like it usually is. I went with Nick Tyner and we ate at Aztechas in Lafayette," commented Becca Walker 05.



(right) "My date, Ross Pancake, and I ate at the Landmark. We were both really excited for it to be at the Interpretive Center. It was a totally different experience having it at a different building. The extra space was perfect for dancing," comments Heather Clark 06.



(far right) Jayme Duff 06 and Tim Robinette 06 enjoyed yet another formal dance together.



(above) Ashley Clawson 04, Sarah Cox 04, and Abbee Flora 04 remembered their last semi-formal together by dressing a little on the wild side. They said they had fun because a lot of the senior girls just went as friends and didn't have to worry about guys.



Sasha Vianco 05, and Ashley Purcell 06, Cassie Dunbar 07 pose together. Cassie said, "It was a great night because of the fact that I got to spend time with all of my friends at the same time and also because I had the chance to dance all night.."



Look alike, Ashley Widner 06 and Ashley Randle 06 were surprised to arrive and find that their dresses were beautiful, yet very similar.



Karen Everett 06 was very blue but only on the outside.



Amy Linn 06 and Ryan Maxwell 06 were a little on the shy side when it came to dancing.



Brittany Michel 06, Mandy Kauffman 06, and Lorien Milakovic 06 created memories of their sophomore year with a fun-filled, booty-shakin' night.



Sophomore girls Jade Richardson, Sara Strasser, Brittaney Mauer, Staphanie Turner, guest Leanne Rainey, and Alyssa Lewis took a variety of boys from both Carroll and Twin Lakes high schools. Some just went as friends.



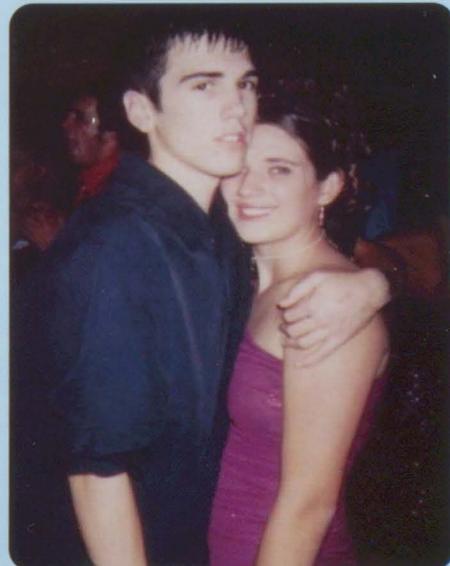
Nicole Mckinley 05 and her guest sway closely while listening to a slow song.



Steve Callender 05 took a student from Twin Lakes, but he still found time for his close friend, Christina Baker 05. Steve and Christina said they both really enjoyed the location of the dance and had a great time.



Rebecca Shoemaker 07 got a taste for high school dances at her first official semi-formal.



Corey Draper 06 and Stefanie Allen 06 said, "We had a ball of a time!" Corey's favorite part was eating at Sublett's Ribs. Stefanie's favorite part was getting to spend time with her wonderful boyfriend.

Remember When....

(right) With high school years coming to an end, Lindsay Turner 04, looks towards the future and laughs at the memories of the past.



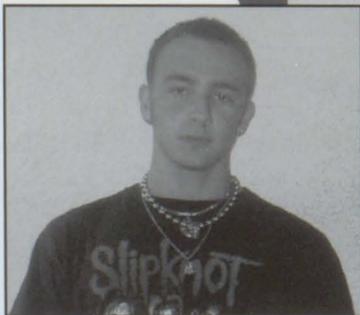
(above) Though out her life, Mandy Peters 04 has changed her image and idea's on the important stuff...like movies and TV shows. Okay, so they may not be the most important aspect of a high schooler's life, but they have changed .

Favorites	Kyle Hostetter			
	Color	Red	Red	Red
	Movie	The Wizard of Oz	Top Gun	Butterfly Effect
	TV Show	Power Rangers	Simpsons	That 70's Show
	Pants	Tight Nerdy Pants	Tommy Jeans	Anything Baggy
	Haircut	Bowl Cut	Buzz	Whatever
	Football Team	Cowboys	Packers	
	Outfit	Mom's Choice	Chicago Bulls Stuff	Rock-n-Roll Tees & Jeans
	Actor	Bruce Willis	Tom Cruise	Ashton Kutcher
		5th	8th Grade	12th

Favorites	Nathan Zink			
	Color	Red	Red	Red
	Movie	Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles		LOTR: Return of the King
	TV Show			
	Pants	Tight Leg Jeans	Baggy Jeans	Bootcut Jeans
	Haircut	Buzz	Bowl Cut	Haircut?
	Football Team			
	Outfit	Jeans & Tee	Jeans & Tee	
	Actor	Tom Hanks	Sean Connery	Orlando Bloom
		5th	8th Grade	12th

Favorites	Philip Flory			
	Color	Blue	Blue	Blue
	Movie		The Matrix	Shrek
	TV Show	Simpsons	Simpsons	That 70's Show
	Pants	Ankle Jeans	Baggy Jeans	Jeans
	Haircut	Buzz	Buzz	Shaggy
	Football Team	Colts	Colts	Colts
	Outfit	Jeans & Tee	Jeans & Tee	
	Actor	Micheal J. Fox	John Travolta	Johnny Depp
		5th	8th Grade	12th

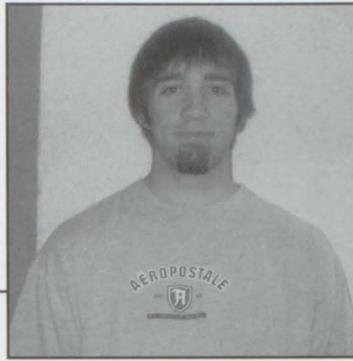
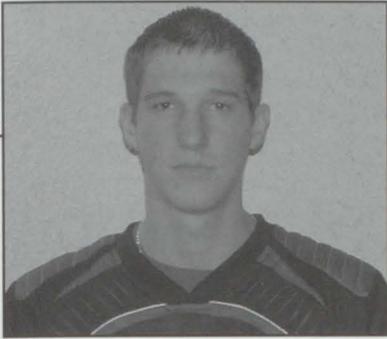
(right) With age and maturity, Kyle Hostetter 04 has grown and changed. His final year in high school was filled with memories of the past and present, and he anxiously awaits for what the world will throw his way in the months and years to come.



(left) When children are little everyone always asks, "What's your favorite color?" Joseph Shanklin 07 can still respond with the same answer. Blue is still his favorite color.

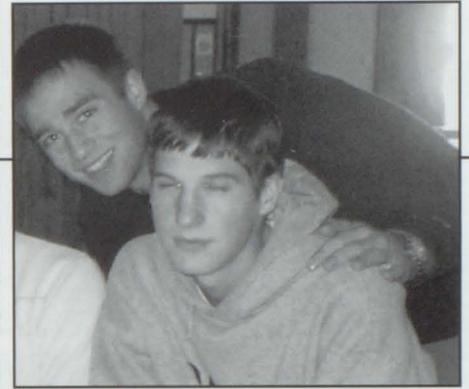


(below) Fashion has never really been an issue in Philip Flory's 04 life. Yet, sometimes a fashion style creeps up on a student without them even realizing the change in their likes and dislikes.



(above) "Haircuts are so over rated!" exclaims Nathan Zink 04. Through the years his "neat and clean" look has evolved into his new "fun and free" phase.

(below) Enjoying their last year at Delphi Community High School, Nathan Zink 04 and Philip Flory 04 comment on how things have changed over the past four years.

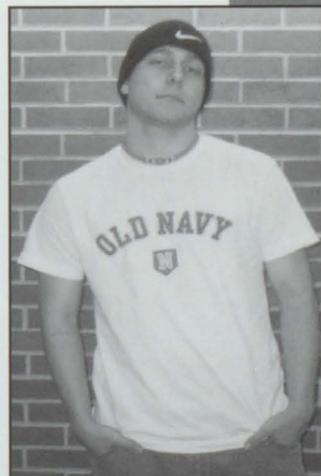


	Lindsay Turner		
Color	Blue	Blue	Blue
Movie	Back to the Future	Armageddon	Freaky Friday
TV Show	Boy Meets World	Boy Meets World	Boy Meets World
Pants			
Haircut	Long, Straight, Blonde	Long, Curly, Brown	Long, Straight, Red
Football Team	Bears	Cowboys	Cowboys
Outfit	Jeans & Tee	Jeans & Tee	
Actor	Bruce Willis	Bruce Willis, Julia Roberts	Ashton Kutcher
	5th	8th Grade	12th



(above) What was your favorite movie when you were little? Jayme Duff 06 answers that simple question, "When I was little my favorite movie was 'Hocus Pocus'."

	Mandy Peters		
Color	Blue	Orange	Pink
Movie	Dirty Dancing	Dirty Dancing	Legally Blonde
TV Show	90210	MTV's TRL	CSI
Pants	Zandi	Blue Asphalt	Weathervane
Haircut	Long, All One Length	Long Layers	Short & Messy
Football Team			
Outfit	Jeans & Tee	Jeans & Tee	White Pants & Pink Shirt
Actor	Sandra Bullock	Sandra Bullock	Reese Witherspoon
	5th	8th Grade	12th



(above) "The first time I heard 'Stairway to Heaven' by Led Zeppelin, I didn't know anything about them except that they were definitely my favorite band." Tim Brummett enjoys other musical groups, yet this is one that is still at the top of his list of favorites.

...and so it goes



Do you remember the ridiculous fashions and styles that were popular in the eighth grade? Or those that were "cool" in elementary school? Well, some students gave us a fashion update, along with a look back at their favorite TV shows, movies, colors, and other things they just could not live without in the 1990's. Step back to what was important then and what changes DCHS students have made while growing and maturing into the young adults they are today.

What were we thinking in the '90s?!

-Annie Canaan

Midnight in Paris

Prom-goers of 2004 traveled to an old mansion in Logansport to dance the night away. Walking into the house, you suddenly found yourself in Paris. Or so it seemed. Potraits by Lori had a small Paris cafe set-up to take photographs. A buffet table included a silver fountain with clear, bubbly punch flowing from every side.



Once on the dance floor, one couldn't miss the famous Eiffel Tower that touched the ceiling, thus 'Midnight In Paris'. Early in the evening, the floor was cleared to crown King and Queen. Dancing continued after the royal dance.

When the lights were turned on, Delphi students brought a fun-filled conclusion to their Prom by bowling, eating pizza, and winning prizes into the early hours of Sunday morning. The romantic feeling of Paris brought love into the air and made a fantastic and memorable 2003-2004 Prom for Delphi High.

-Taylor Vaknin

(left) Audrey Smith and Kayla Gill 05. " We both decided that we enjoyed prom but hated the fact that people were walking around taking random pictures of us!" stated the pair.

(below left) Prince Chad Dale 05 says, "It was nice getting voted Prince and all, but the best part was kicking Cory Dunbar's butt in the secret dance contest we had going on the entire night."

(below center) Queen Abbee Flora 04 and King Dave Strasser 04. Abbee stated, "I've always wanted to be a princess, but a queen is even better!"

(below right) Princess Savannah Osborne 05 stated, "I love being princess because I get to say things like, 'I am royalty and I don't have to do dishes for a whole year' and Chad is now my favorite person in the school."





(above left to right) Leslie Plummer 05 and Bethany Dolick 05.

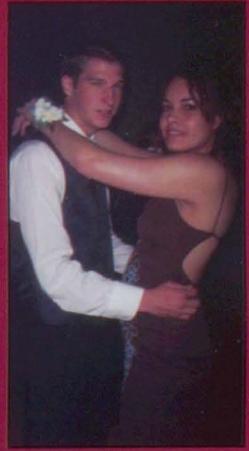
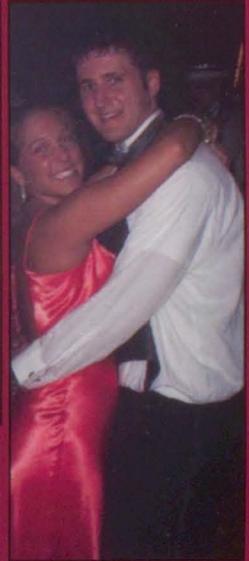
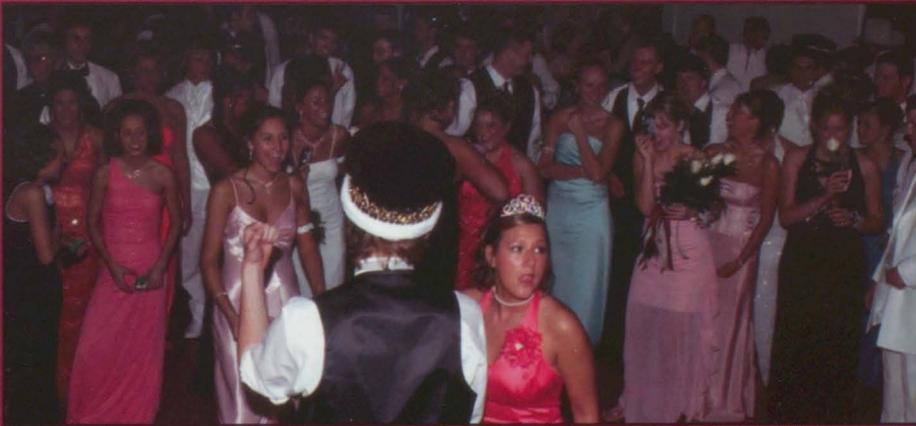
Mandy Peters 04 and her guest from Purdue University.

Billy Courtney 04 and Erin Hetsko 05.

Oliver Cox 04 and Katy Steinwald 05.

(right) DCHS students enjoy a dance with the king and queen.

(far right) Parker George 05 and Tara Brummett 06.



(above left to right) Megan Walton 04. Megan was escorted to her Senior Prom by her boyfriend Charlie Oliver.

Kameron Banes and Cody Crawford 05. "Prom was awesome other than the fact that Chad Dale stole my tux and my crown," commented Kameron.

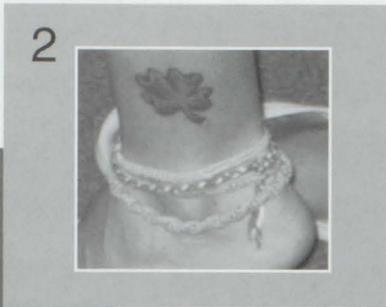
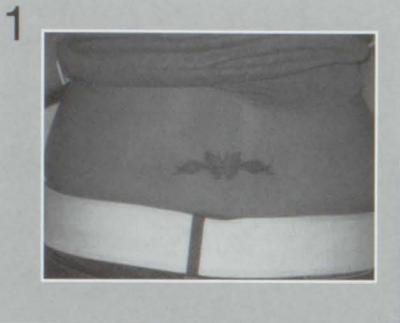
Derrick Hazelwood 05 and Alysia Caldwell 06. "Prom shopping was super easy and quick because Alysia and I bought our attire right out of the window at Mr. Penguin," says Derrick.

Philip Flory 04 and Kate Hahn 05. Philip says, "I usually don't get into prom, but it was really nice to get to spend time with Kate that night."

Nathan Sparks, Nathan Beach 04, and Colin Stauffer 05. "The decorations, Chuck Taylors, and damas de la noche were great," says Colin.

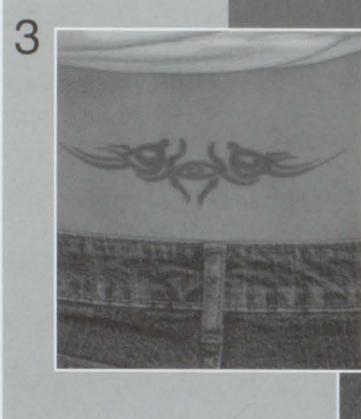
Marley Owen 04 and Evan Maxwell 05. Evan says, "We made Prom special by eating at B & K Root Beer instead of a real restaurant."

Tattoos and PIERCINGS



1. Ashley Purcell 06 got a tattoo on her back because her mom would not let her get her tongue pierced.

2. Sarah Cox 04 got a tattoo when she turned 18. She got a tattoo of a four leaf clover on her ankle. Isn't that lucky.



3. Natane Hill 04 got tattoos on her lower back and on her ankle.

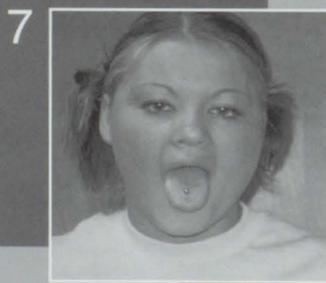
4. Bryon Anderson 06 got a tattoo traditional bicep. This is the look of intimidation.

5. Ashley Clawson 04 got a tattoo when she turned 18. her tattoo is a Virgo sign.

6. Natane Hill's moon design tattoo on her ankle.



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To do it
or not to
do it?



7. Laken Reed 04 decided to get her tongue pierced when she turned 18. Laken said, "I guess it was just the cool thing to do."

8. Erica Barnsfather 04 also decided to get her nose and her tongue pierced.

9. Jamie Nipple 04, with a little uniqueness, decided to get the cartilage on her inner ear pierced.

10. Sarah Cox 04 also went for the tongue and nose ring duo.

11. Natane Hill 04 is also a part of the nose and tongue ring click.

12. Jenna Henderson 04 got her nose pierced this spring. Jenna said, "It's just something I have always wanted to do, so when I turned 18 I did it."



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It's the Rave!

Body art — whether it's holes in the earlobe or an intricate rose tattooed on the hip — has been common for centuries. In ancient Egypt, royal families often pierced their navels to represent their supreme social standing, and tattooed their mummies, as did Incas, Mayans and Aztecs. The Vikings tattooed family crests and tribal symbols on their bodies, while the Romans associated ear piercing with wealth and luxury. And nose piercing dates back to more than 4,000 years ago in the Middle East, then spreading to India where many women adorn their noses. However, it's the Western world that has used piercing and tattoos as an expression of INDIVIDUALITY.

-Kathleen E. Conroy

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Yes!

Did you know that the people below have some sort of tattoo or body piercing?

Mikie Dubes
Erica Barnsfather
Brian Williams
Jamie Nipple
Kyla Flora
Laken Reed
Zack Humbarger
Kyle Hostetter
Felicia Lewis
Ashley Purcell
Mr. Brannan
Mr. Aldrich
Mrs. McKaig
Lindsey Pearson
Jeremy Houser
Ashley Clawson
Sarah Cox
Natane Hill
Tayia Buchanon

Teachers' Thoughts

Mrs. McKaig got her belly button pierced when she was in college for fun, and she does not regret it.

Mr. Aldrich got a tattoo when he was in college, it was a fraternal thing.

Mr. Beale, on the other hand, stated, "When I was younger, tattoos and piercings were just not the thing to do." He also said, "Why have pain when it's not needed?"

Mrs. Israel is also not fond of tattoos or piercings!



Mr. Popovich has a tattoo? Check out the above picture to see the art work that he added to his bicep during high school!

Did you know...

Fact 1: It is estimated that half of all the tattoos people are getting today will be medically removed in the future.

Fact 2: Tattoos are painful, although not terribly expensive. Removing them is both painful (the ink is exploded by a laser so that the body can absorb it) and expensive (removal usually takes 4 or more trips to a dermatologist who uses a laser).

Fact 3: They may hinder you from getting a good job if they are in an area where people can see them.

Yesterday

When boys meant yuck and friends were new, dreams were unshattered and worries few.

When recess was too short and life too long. Decisions came easy, without need to belong.

When storks delivered babies, and passions weren't so strong. Friendships were unbroken. Right was right, wrong was wrong.

When bad things didn't happen, when only skinned knees brought tears, and the nightlight in it's socket quieted all our fears.

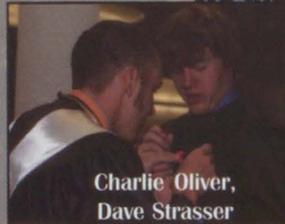
When farewell meant just for summer, and real friends didn't part. The fun went on forever and never left a broken heart.

▪ Cishel Ehlers

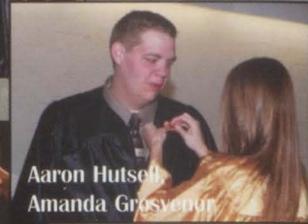
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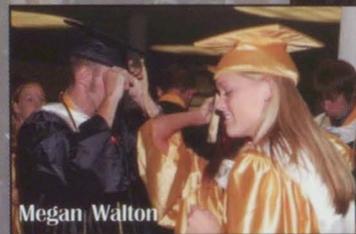
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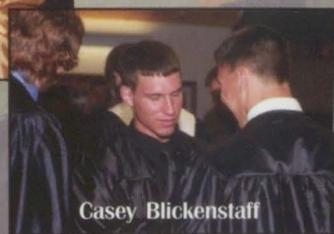


Aaron Hutsell, Amanda Grosvenor



Megan Walton

Jose Turner, Laura Cediel



Casey Blickenstaff

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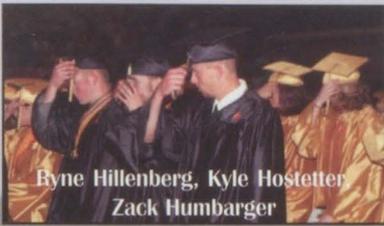
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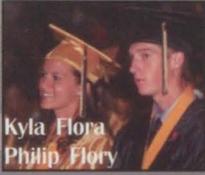
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Nathan Zink



Byne Hillenberg, Kyle Hostetter
Zack Humbarger



Kyla Flora
Philip Flory



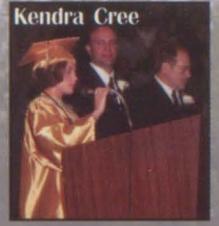
Erica Barnsfather
Marshall Criswell



Jon Newell



Heather Brakel



Kendra Cree



Abbee Flora



Marshall Criswell



Megan Walton

Class Of

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What if.....

What are 3 items you would take with you on a deserted island?

-Katie Lewis

1. Food because I get hungry a lot
2. My best friend so I have someone to kick
3. A pogo stick

What are 2 of the grossest things you would eat for \$100.00?

-Spring Johnson

1. The Full Dinner Drink-Diced pieces of tender steak, corn, green beans, mashed potatoes, gravy, and tea (main ingredient), blender (to mix well)
2. Squid Swirlie-Live squid + blender=squid swirlie

If you could be anyone (past or present), who would you be?

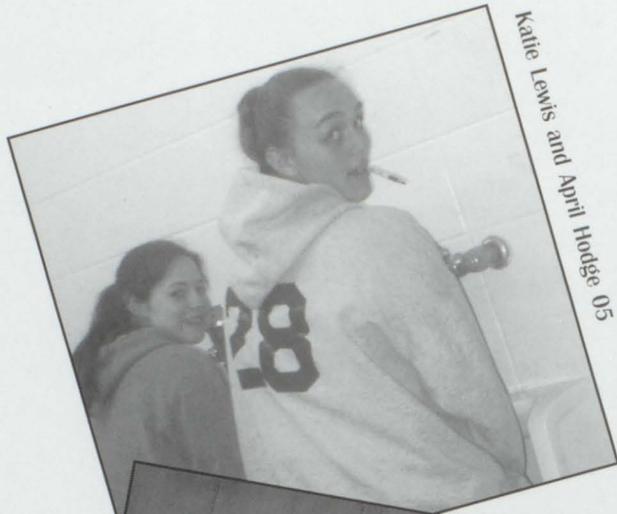
-Misty Rector

"If I could be anyone in the world, I would be Vin Diesel so I could make-out with myself anytime I wanted too! Muuuaah!"

What is the grossest thing you would eat for \$100.00?

-Allison Cook

1. Barbeque Squirrel
2. Tuna flavored cat food



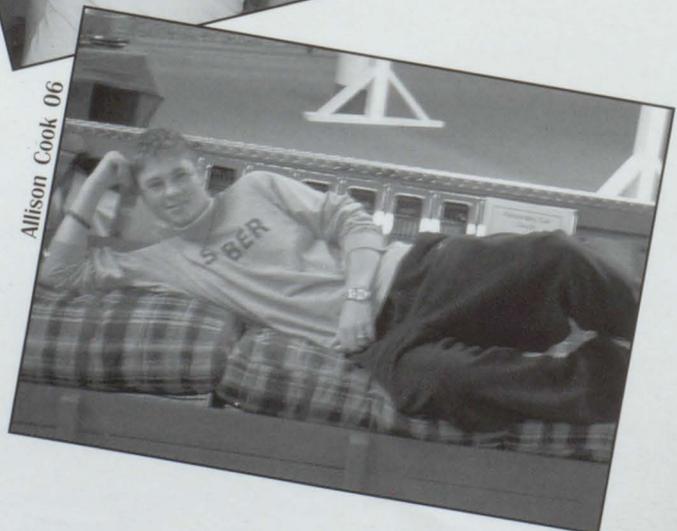
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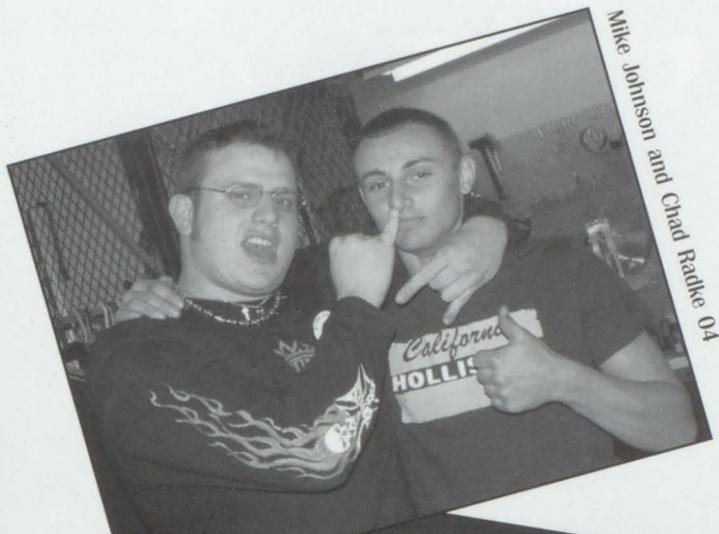
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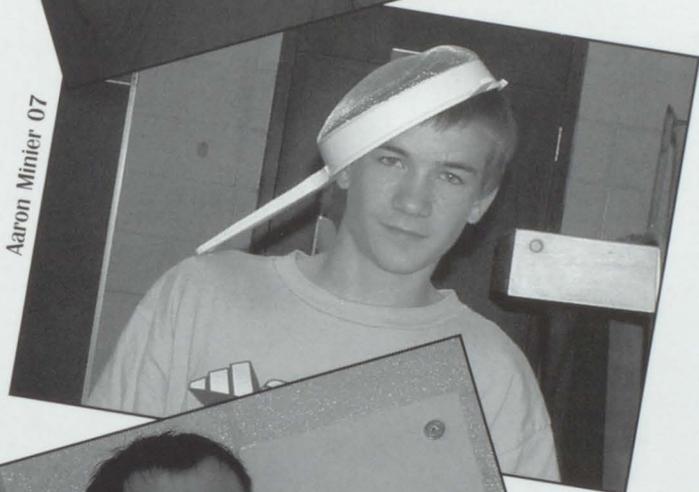
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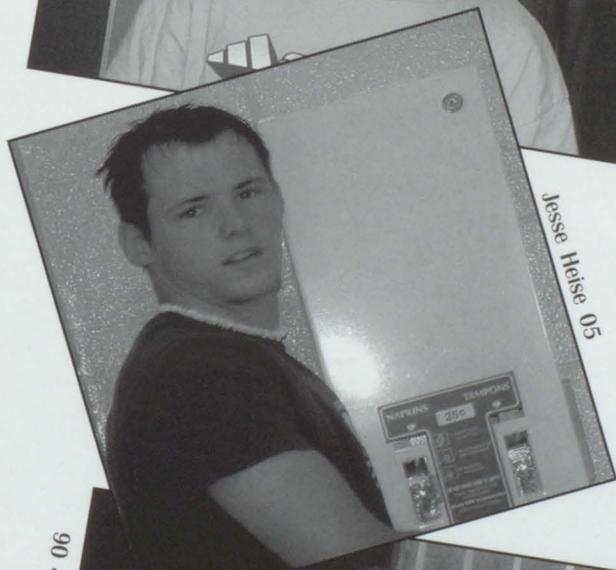
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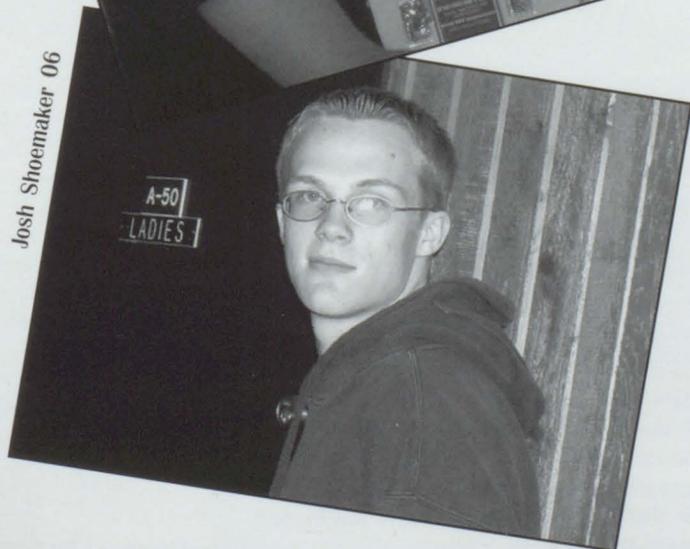
Mike Johnson and Chad Radke 04



Aaron Minier 07



Jesse Heise 05



Josh Shoemaker 06

....eeeww

What are 2 of the grossest thing you would eat for \$100.00?

-Mike Johnson

1. Midget's toe Jam
2. Fuzzy basket of fruit (moldy)

If you could be anyone (past or present), who would you be?

-Aaron Minier

Johnny Appleseed

What if you were the President of the United States, what would you change and what would you keep the same?

-Jesse Heise

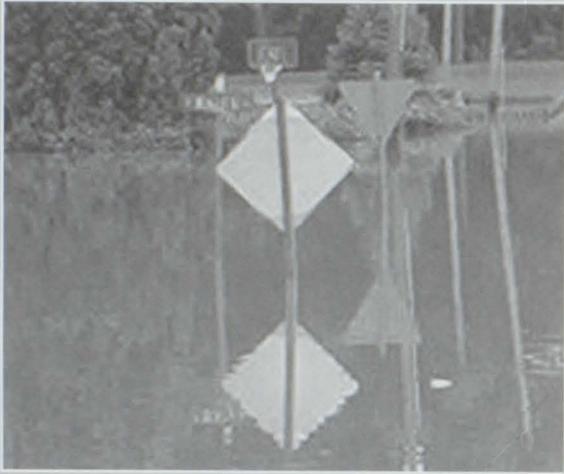
1. If I was president I would have coed bathrooms.
2. I would make lucky charms all marshmallows.
3. Nonstop celebrity parties at the White House.
4. Carry firearms all the time and shoot them when you feel like it.
5. People could only drive mopeds.
6. Deer season would never end.

What are 3 things you would take with you on a deserted island?

-Josh Shoemaker

1. Sack lunch
2. Toothbrush
3. Cannibalistic chicken

Happy 4th



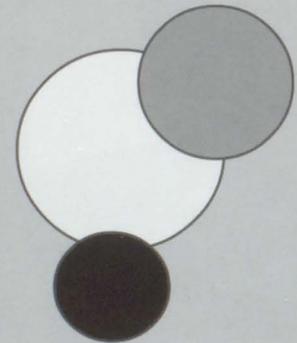
(above) What started out as a lovely Fourth of July afternoon, was quickly interrupted by floods were raging rapids within 24 hours. The Delphi area, made national news as the water levels continued to rise. It was an ordeal for all of those affected and it will stay in theminkds of those living in the flood zones of Delphi for years to come



The little league field, in the lowest area of Delphi, was ruined. The brand new concession stand was up to the windows with water. The area had not seen floods like theis for nearly 100 years! Carroll County was one of 40 counties listed as a "disaster area".



(above) Record breaking floods welcomed independence day but affected the community for months. Water drainage was at a stand still causing problems with disease, odors, and decay.



(above) Flood waters interfered with the lives of people in the Delphi community. Houses were under water as were the parks and roadways. Many people were evacuated from their homes with the clothes on their back. The flood waters came fast and furiously. People were cautioned about the comtaminated water, excessive mosquito infestation, and swift water. Fatality rates soared when people didn't follow instructions to avoid swift water situations.



(above) High waters took a turn for the worse when they burst through the levee. Small streams rose to the tree levels and created a dangerous and disastrous aftermath for residents. A year later, there are still people that have not been able to return to their homes due to the flooding.

Of July



The destruction of the flood was evident. The flower pot on the left was stained before the DCHS juniors and seniors arrived on SHOCK Days. Scrapping, cleaning, raking and piling debris. The flower pots were like new after a little attention from Sarah Wright and Annie Canaan.

The fireworks flew, but just for a short time as a storm front moved toward Carroll County on the 4th of July, 2003. This storm brought a two-week constant downpour as well as floods, fatalities, and a fear struck county. The flood levels were record setting.

The flooding caused several Delphi residents to loose their homes and property. Farms were covered, roadways were overflowing, and homes were roof high in water. The Indiana State Government issued Delphi a "disaster area", allowing Carroll County to receive financial aid.

Many volunteers were called upon and had their work cut out for them. The Delphi area alone had volunteers from around the state. Most students will remember their "number one football fans" from Valparaiso. They were here from the Methodist Church and college to donate their time and effort to the Delphi Flood Relief.

Juniors and seniors at DCHS also participated in helping their community. While freshman and sophomores stayed at school to take the ISTEP and other standardized tests, upperclassmen gave up their time to sleep in and helped the community in "SHOCK Days" (Students Helping Our Community and Kids).

(below) DCHS juniors and seniors enjoy a hearty lunch donated by Monical's Pizza and Blimpies of Delphi. After lunch the students hurried home to clean up, and then returned to their afternoon classes.



(left) Giving it all she's got, Ms. Lawton shows the other volunteers how it's done. She was one of the many faculty members to donate their time and effort to help the community in "SHOCK".



(above) Juniors and seniors donated their mornings to help the community. Row 1: Nathan Beach, Charlie Oliver, Colin Stauffer, Parker George, Woody Nichols, Kameron Banes, Ryan Linn; row 2: Kim Snider, Oliver Cox, Shane Wilcox, Ryan Eiler; row 3: Chad Dale.

The Oracle yearbook staff has been going strong since late spring, 2003. After finishing up the previous years book, four staff members went to camp to get a jump start on the 2003-2004 yearbook design. The students began to carry out the plans for the book in August with advertising sales. Designing, editing, surveying, interviewing, and eating all hold a very special place in the hearts of the Oracle staff.

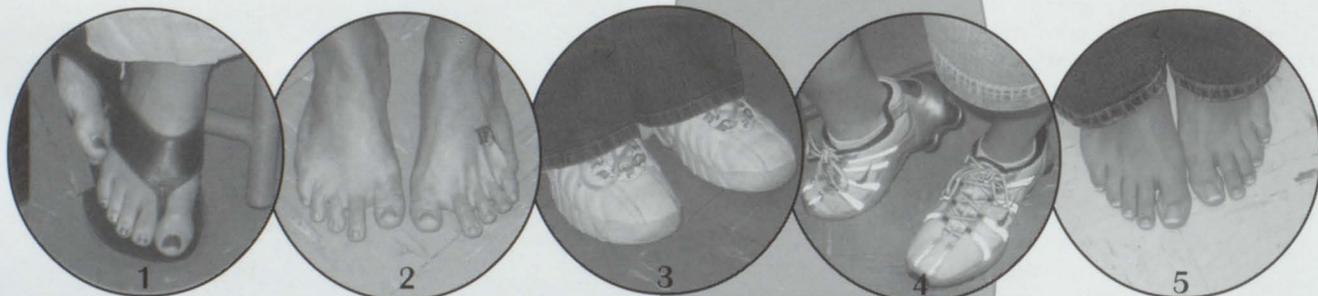


did you know

Walsworth Publishing Co., based in Missouri has been the publisher of the DCHS Yearbook for over 5 years.

(right) Cody Canen 06, Megan Tull 05, Taylor Vaknin 05, Brooke Anderson 06, Jamie Nipple 04, Annie Canaan 06, Kyle Schwarzkopf 06, Marley Owen 04, Savannah Osborne 05, Ashley Clawson 04.

What has the



Do you know the yearbook staffs' feet? Test your knowledge!

1. Jamie Nipple, 2. Ashley Clawson, 3. Brooke Anderson, 4. Kyle Schwarzkopf, 5. Megan Tull.

Oracle Yearbook



(above) Megan Tull, Annie Canaan, Taylor Vaknin, Kyle Schwarzkopf, and Savannah Osborne focus on expressing themselves at the Walsworth Workshop.



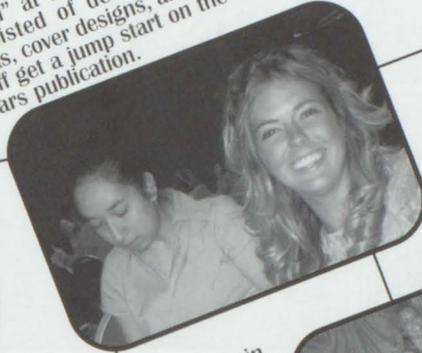
(above) Walsworth Workshop; Dedicated to perfection are Taylor Vaknin, Jamie Nipple, Cody Canen, Annie Canaan, Ashley Clawson, Megan Tull, Savannah Osborne, Brooke Anderson, Kyle Schwarzkopf.



(above) Savannah Osborne plays Twister as part of one group activity at the Walsworth Workshop in Indianapolis.



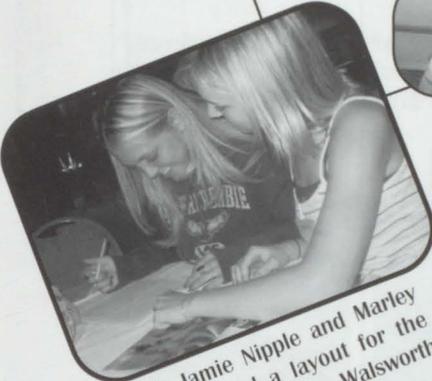
(below) Taylor Vaknin posed with a member of a school that won the "Spirit Award" at camp last summer. Camp consisted of design layouts, theme ideas, cover designs, all which help the staff get a jump start on the upcoming years publication.



(right) Jamie Nipple worked diligently the first night at camp. One assignment was to design layouts.



(right) Taylor Vaknin, Jamie Nipple, Lauren Maxwell (former editor), and Marley Owen did a cheerleading routine in the talent show at Yearbook Camp. They won the "Best Costume Award."



(above) Jamie Nipple and Marley Owen designed a layout for the 2004 yearbook at the Walsworth Camp in Chicago.

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(above) Kyle Schwarzkopf dropped the postcards that were supposed to be mailed out to DCHS students to remind them to purchase a yearbook. After picking up hundreds of cards, the reminders were finally sent out.

Revealed?

What is the one thing you loved about this year?



William Weatherwax
06

"One thing that I loved about this year was partying"



Bertha Rodriguez 05

"Hanging our with Doris was one of the main things I loved this year."



Scott Allen 06

"Beating Carroll in basketball was the one thing I loved about this year."



Amanda Taylor 06

"This year I loved getting yelled at by coach Thompson everyday."



Jessica Clemons 06

"One thing I loved about this year was happiness."



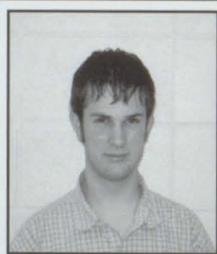
Kent Durbin 07

"I loved playing eucbre back in the pop room."



Nick Overmyer 07

"One thing I loved about this year was how cool the school is."



Daniel Butler 07

"Kevin Pereira was one person that I enjoyed being around this year."



Freddy Bautista 06

"One thing I loved about this year were my friends."



Courtney Johnson 06

"Field trips is one things I loved about this year."



Andrea Leatherman 06

"One thing I loved about this year was talking with my friends."



Chrystal Hines 05

"Meeting new friends is something I loved about this year."



Joe Smith 05

"I love hanging out in the shop this year."



Joe Impson 06

"One thing I loved about this year was the projects we did in communications and Burpo's corny jokes."

Look back and enjoy the memories that you have, but look ahead to the memories that await you.

What was your most memorable moment?



Amanda Jenkins 06

"The most memorable thing for me was Spanish with Senora Cornell."



Darina Cox 06

"Every 15 Minutes was very memorable to me."



Patrick Ruby 06

"I remember the pep rallies."



Stephanie Pearson 07

"I will remember meeting new friends."



Tabitha Fultz 05

"I will never forget Kolet Flood."



Valeria Bautista 07

"I will always remember how cool the teachers were."



Tara Smith 05

"I will never forget about Kolet."



David Houser 06

"The most memorable thing about this year was Every 15 Minutes."

"Memories give us the strength we need to proceed."

High school provides some of the greats memories for students. They will never forget the basketball games that they lost their voices, the spirit days, their first plays, concerts, friends, the favorite classes and teachers, or programs put on by the school. These are the times that students will be telling grand kids about in fifty years.

The things done in the halls of DCHS, may seem a little traumatizing now, but later on they will help students laugh. Some may cringe now, but in five years, they will laugh about the time someone ran into the poles in the LMC or a teacher revealed a little too much about their personal life. Students will never forget their best times with their best friends. You can run, but the high school will always be there.

·Savannah Osborne

Who is your favorite teacher and why?



Tiffany Huddleston 06

"Mr. Atwood because he's a fun teacher."



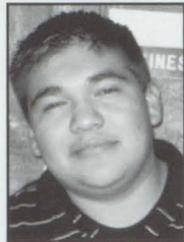
Zeek Miley 07

"Mr. Beale because he's a cool and a good teacher."



LaStar Carter 07

"Mrs. Mote because she try's her hardest to keep us motivated."



Manny Hernandez 06

"Mr. McCammon, he is my favorite, because he is funny and cool."



Amber Smock 07

"Mac all the way! He's so funny and he can teach you but still have an awesome class."



Josh Denton 07

"Mrs. Theobald because she gives me a chance on my work and helps me a lot."



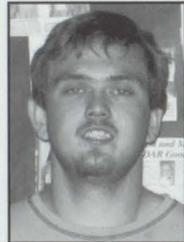
Samatha Jenkins 07

"Mr. Janowiak because he tends to make biology the best."



Cory Smith 07

"Mr. McCammon is my favorite because he is so cool with everyone."



Teecee Babcock 07

"Mr. Striebeck because his class are fun to be in."



Michael Voorhees 06

"Mr. Striebeck because he is a nice teacher."



Derek Burge 06

"Mr. Striebeck because he is a fun person to be around."



Tim Robinette 06

"Mr. Striebeck because he is just fun to be around and is just funny."



Salomon Zamora 06

"Mrs. Brettmacher is my favorite teacher."



Joe Fife 06

"Mr. Mathis because we talk more than we work."



Marco Quinones 06

"My favorite teachers would probably have to be Mr. Means and Mrs. Yoder because we always have fun."

What are you looking forward to this summer?



Corey Draper 06

"Work will be very exciting, even though I'm not sure where I'm working yet. Maybe I'll work at Indiana Beach."



Daniel Smith 07

"I will make a ton of money with my dad this summer. We tear down old houses!"



Jack Allen 06

"I don't care what I do this summer, as long as it involves me making money."



Ryan Hutsell 06

"I'll be working at Camp Tecumseh this summer. I'm a great dish washer."



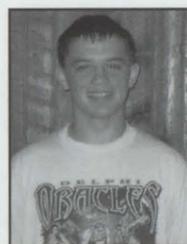
Justin Burge 07

"I'm going on a mission trip to Kentucky, which should be awesome."



Nikki Bagby 07

"I'll definitely be catching up on sleep all summer."



William Jenkins 07

"I'm just thrilled with the fact that school is out in a few hours!"



Nick Herron 07

"Vacationing, vacationing, vacationing is what I'm wishing for."



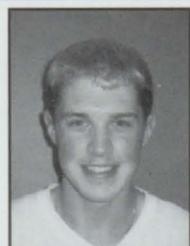
Corey Land 06

"I hope to take a trip to Cedar Point."



Robert Walker 07

"I'm very excited about moving and fishing this summer."



Jonathon Randle 06

"College is all I'm thinking about right now. I'm very anxious to go somewhere new."



Don Suto 06

"Right now I'm looking for a job. Hopefully I find one soon."

Summer Plans?

Twelve Delphi High School students were chosen to be pulled out of class to be questioned about their summer plans. They were specifically asked what they were looking forward to the most. Many answered 'work'. Although they did not want to work, they love to have the money rolling in. A variety of answers were received, from sleeping to preparing for college. Find out what these students had to say.

•Taylor Vaknin

What is one thing you would change about DCHS that is positive?



Gustavo Turner 05

"A longer lunch."



John Bishop 07

"Longer passing periods."



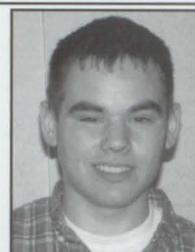
Brittney Smith 06

"Keep homeroom at the end of the day."



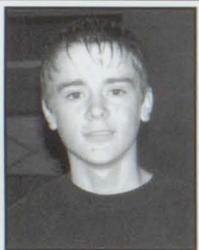
Andrew Anderson 07

"More books in the library."



Gregory Cripe 05

"Better lunches!"



Michael Capitanio 07

"Shorter classes."



Shelly Johnson 06

"Less drama!"



Karen Everett 06

"A wider selection of books in the library."



Taylor Smith 07

"The rules, everything!"



Amanda Howard 06

"Better books in the library."



Parker Jenkins 06

"More pleasant students."



Candace Price 07

"Longer passing periods."

Making it a better place

Everyone has their opinion of what changes could be made to make DCHS a better place. Library book expansion, lunch time alterations, and improved food quality rate as priority issues. Overall, DCHS is a quality educational institution and all of the students, faculty, staff, and administration make it a great place to attend.

·Megan Tull

In Memory of Kolet Renee Flood



*You were here for such a short time.
You were always a loving daughter,
sister, friend, and mother.*

*You were a person that would do
anything for anyone.*

You will be missed so very much.



October 22, 1985 - May 23, 2004



Rachael,

*It seems like yesterday that we brought you home from the hospital.
The road to the future isn't always an easy one.
Believe in yourself and you can accomplish anything.
We are so proud of you.
Enjoy life to its fullest.*



Love, Mom and Dad, Grandma and Grandpa Priest, Grandma Nonie

Rachael Haynes

Kendra,

*As you move forward, know we love and
have faith in you. Be happy and have fun.*



*Love,
Mom, Dad,
Leah, and
Jordan*

Kendra Cree



*As one door is closed in your life, a new one opens
before you.
Approach this new door with great confidence in
your heart, for you have so much to offer.
Open each new door with trust, holding your hopes
and dreams very near, knowing that the world is
waiting for the goodness and the love you carry with
you.
Love,
Aunt Peggy and Uncle Jerry*

Ephina Moore



Jose,

We hope your journey through life brings you a lot of joy and happiness. Thanks for all of the memories.

Love,
Mom and Dad

Jose Turner



Ephina,

You have made us proud through the years. Keep up the good work.

With all of our love,
Mom and Dad

Ephina Moore



Amanda,
Thank you for making us feel special. Hope you know how proud we are of you. You captured our hearts from the day you were born.

Congratulations!

Love,
Pap and Gram



Amanda Lazarus



Doris,

Congratulations!
We are proud of you. Good luck and keep going to meet your goals. We love you very much.

Mom, Claudia, Paty,
& Jorge



Doris Gamboa



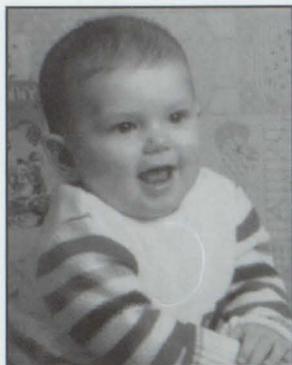
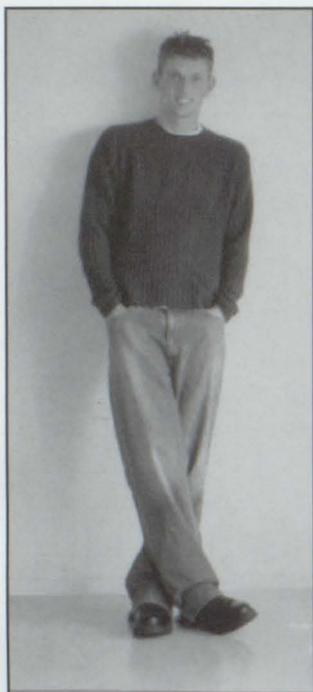
Nate Lear

Nate,

Grandma's very proud of you!

I'm always watching you, but on this special day I'll be watching from the best seat in the house.

Love,
Grandma



Zack,
Time has gone by so fast. We are very proud of the person you have become. Continue to make good decisions in life. Enjoy college.

We will miss you!!
Love,
Mom, Dad, Adam, Emily

Zack Humbarger



Kyla,

You have always been such a loving bright child. Keep an open mind and kind heart. As in the past, there will be some skinned knees, wipe them off and march forward!! You have so much ahead of you.

You can do it all!! We love you.



Kyla Flora



*We will always be there for you.
Congratulations and Good Luck!*

*We love you,
Momma, Daddy, Ryan, and Kirsty*



Charlie,

You have made us proud in everything you have done. Good luck in whatever you choose for your future. Just remember, we all love you.

Love,
Mom, Dad, Ben, Ashton, Braden

Charlie Oliver



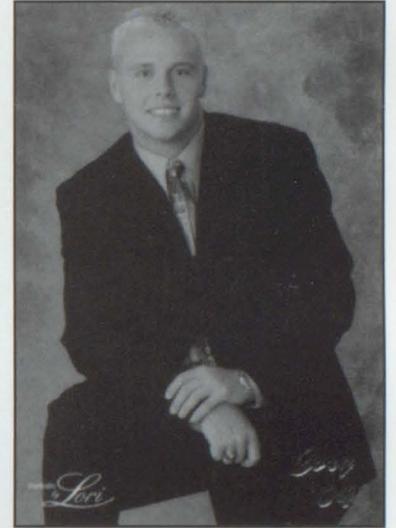
My little cowboy is all grown up and great things await you. We knew you could do it and we're very proud of you.

**Love,
Mom and Brandon**

Nate Lear



Dear Cory,
I can't believe we're planning your graduation, the time has flown by so quickly. It's been an honor to be your parents, brother, and sister.



Cory Norman



Tiff,
You've come a long way and I'm very proud of you. I wish you the best in life because you've been the best in mine.

Love ya,
Mom

Keep God in your life and he will lead you in the right direction.

Love,
Mom, Dad,
Cameron, and
Chanler

Tiffany Martin



Misty Rector

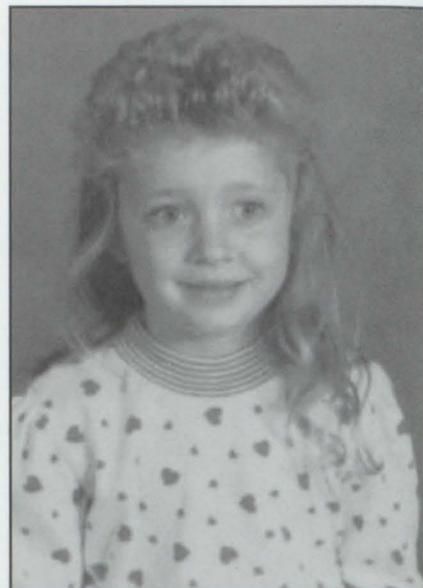
Misty,

**We are all very proud of the young lady you have become,
Best of luck at Purdue,
God bless you.**

**Love,
Murray, Mom, Derek, Graeme, Sophie, Cleo, Cesar, Leon, and Chewy**

Jenna,

We have always encouraged you to work hard and do your best. We know you will make good decisions. Good luck with your Nursing Career at Indiana University, Kokomo. You are a very compassionate and caring person and we know you will make a great Nurse.



Jenna Lavy

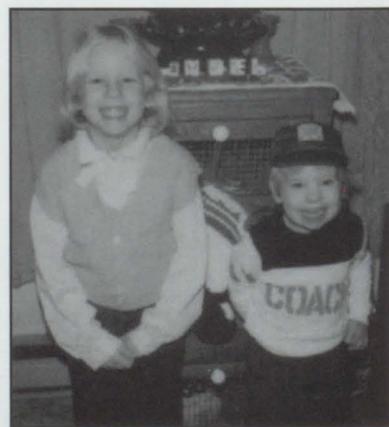


Love You,

Dad, Mom, and Morgan



TRAVIS,



WE ARE SO VERY PROUD OF YOU. SO MANY OBSTACLES IN YOUR LIFE, AND YOU HAVE ALWAYS MANAGED TO RISE ABOVE THEM. YOU ARE A LOVING AND CONSIDERATE YOUNG MAN AND VERY SPECIAL TO US. JUST KNOW WE WILL ALWAYS BE THERE FOR YOU.

LOVE, MOM, DAD, AND AMBER



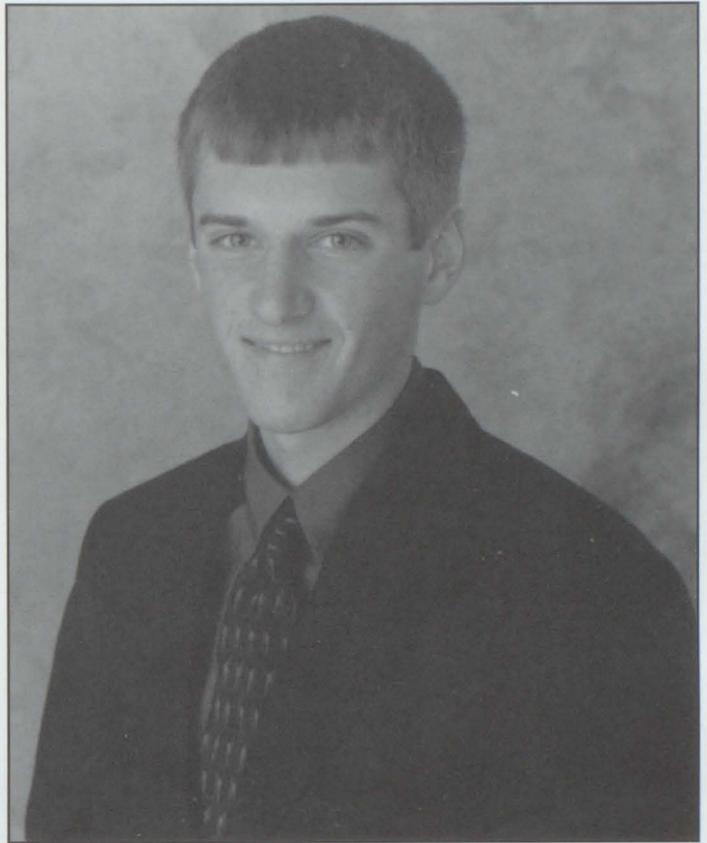
Travis Shanks



We love you and most importantly, we enjoy you!

Love always,

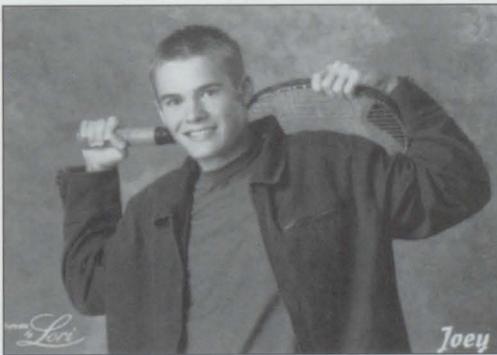
Dad, Mom, Ann, and Grace



Keith Mears

Your character, passion for excellence, heart for truth, and love of the Lord mean this milestone is only the beginning of an awesome journey.

Love,
Mom & Dad



Joey Mayfield



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Dreams Come True!*

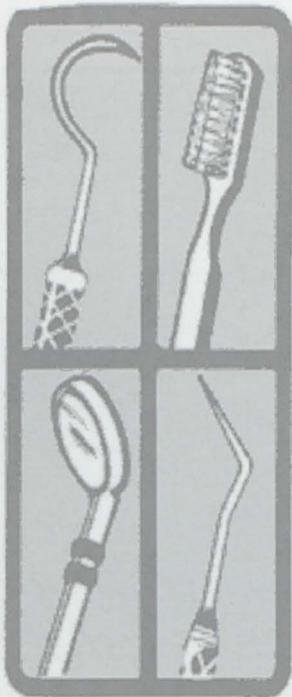


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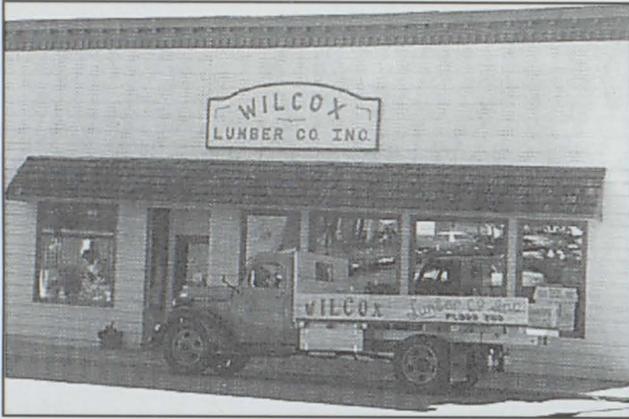
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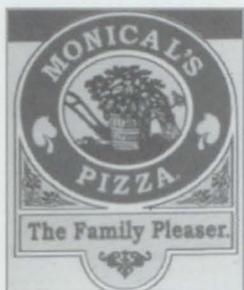
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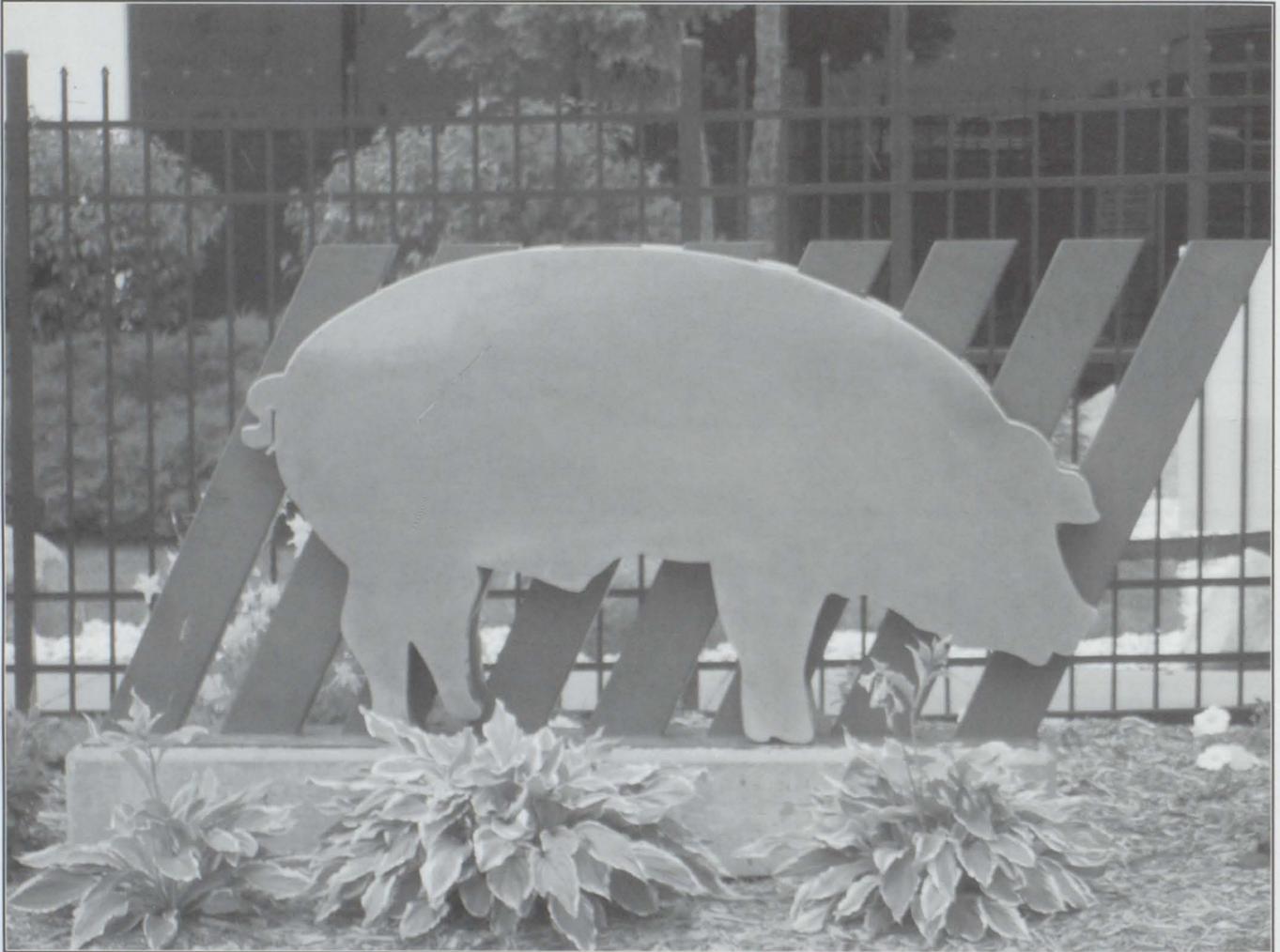
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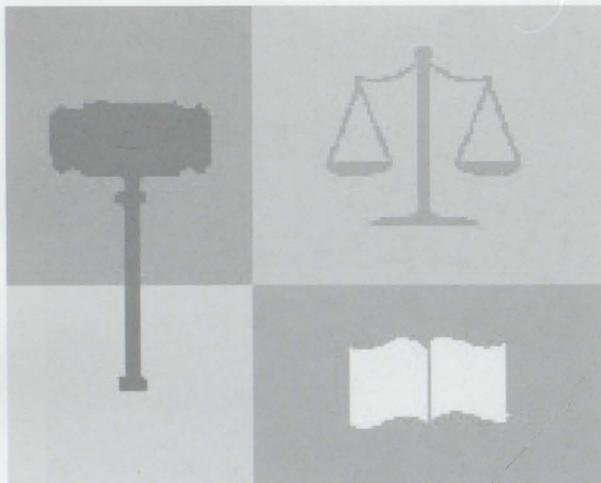
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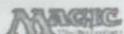
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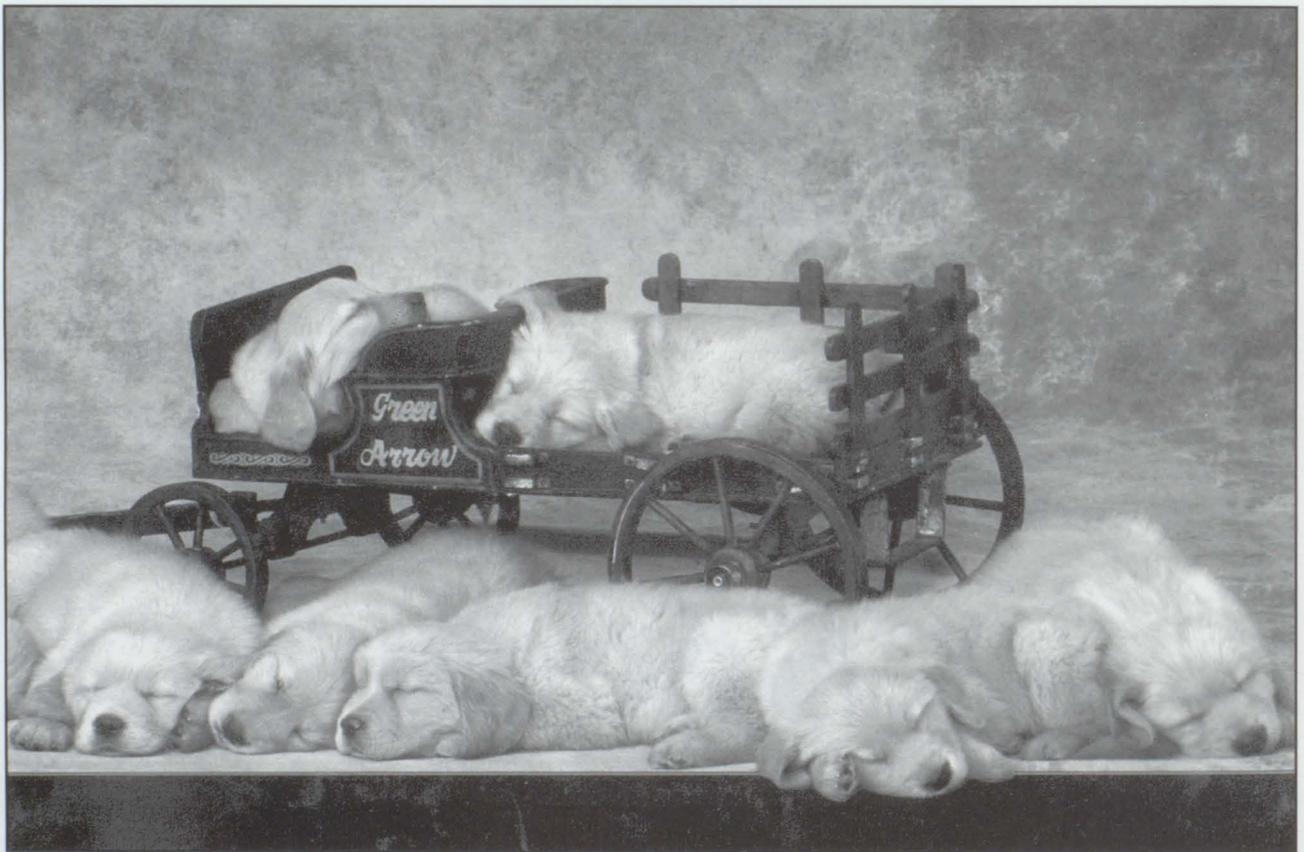
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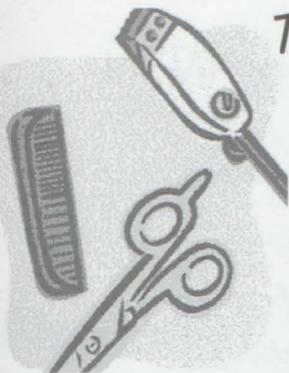
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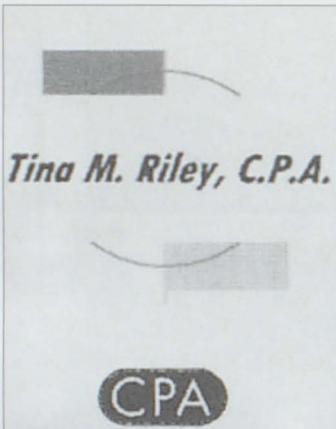
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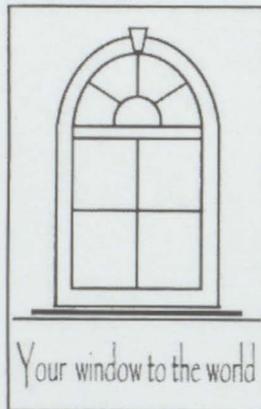
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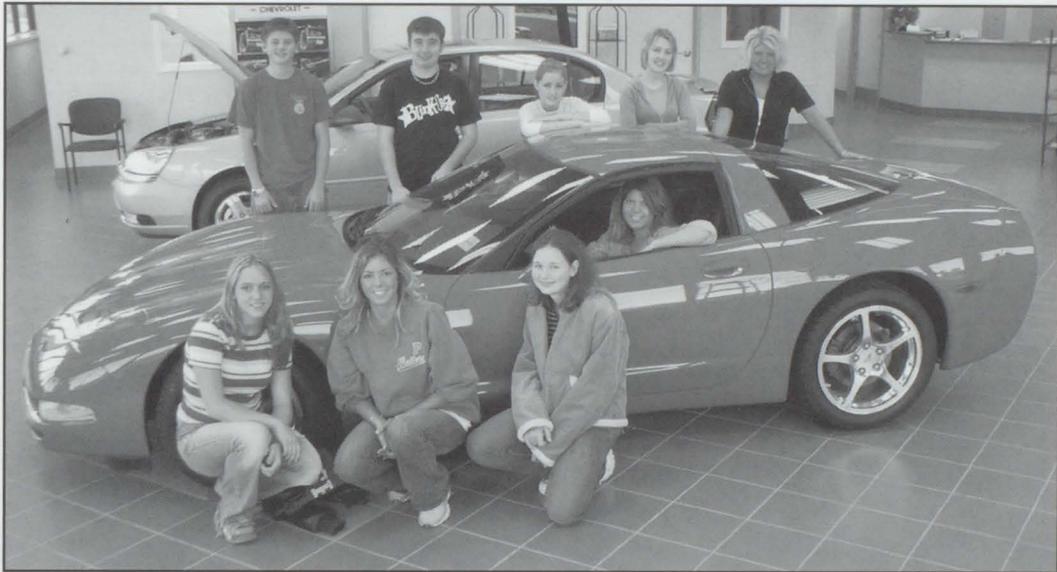
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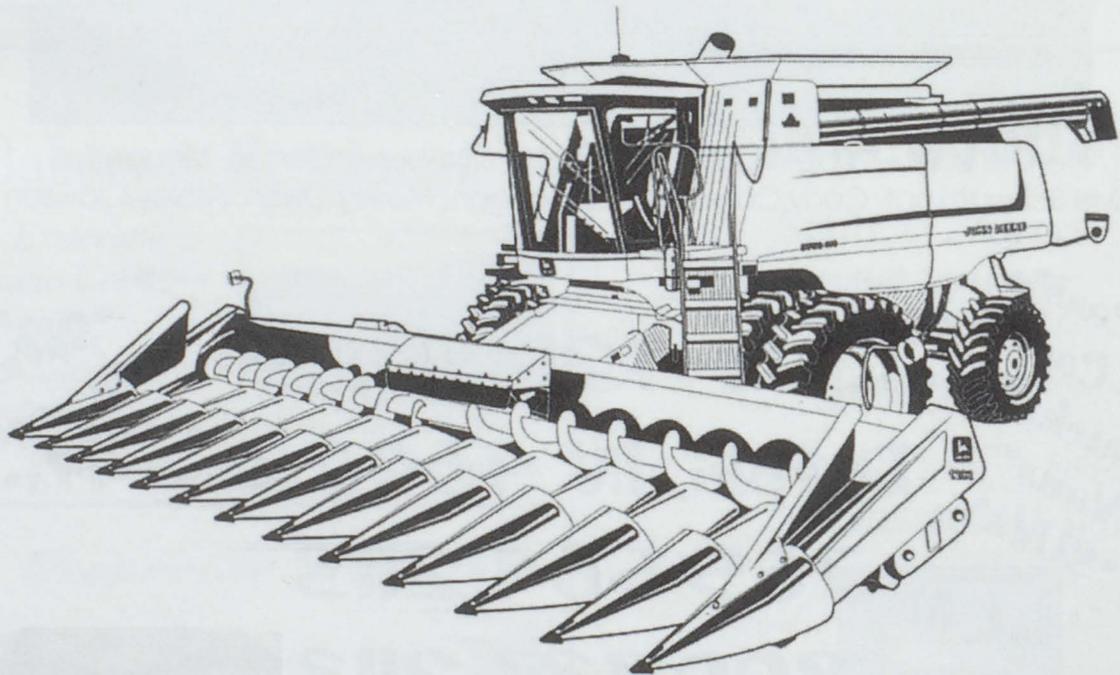
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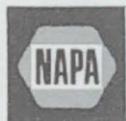
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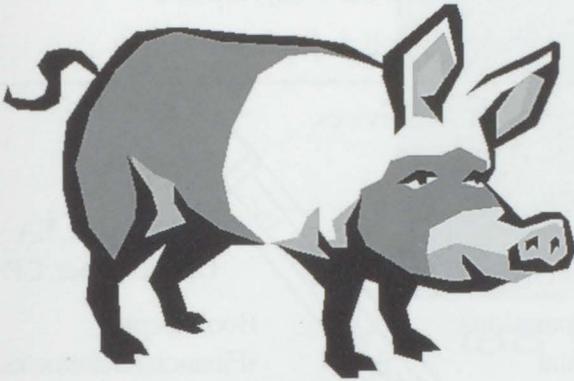
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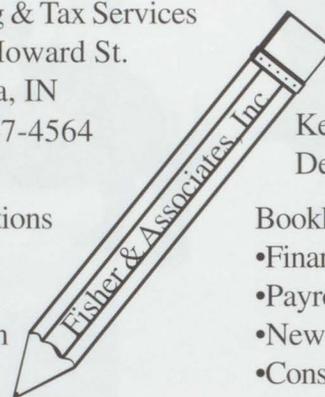
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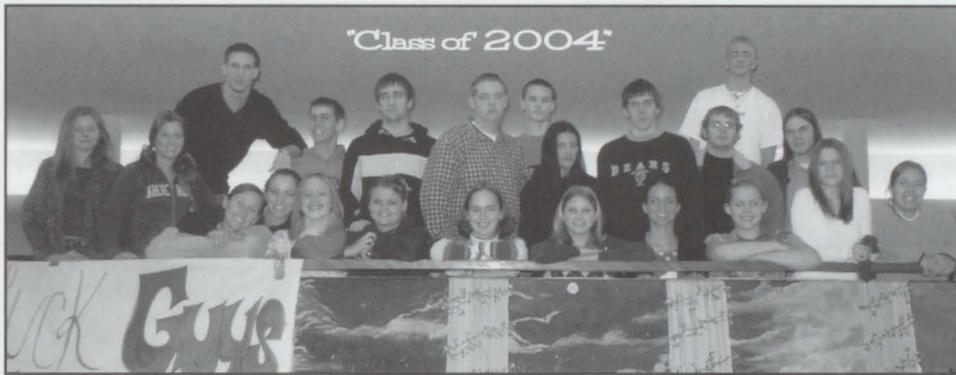
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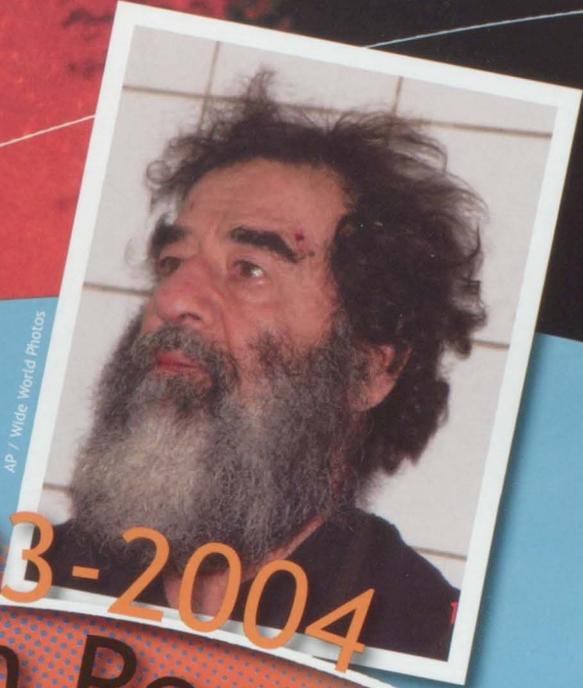
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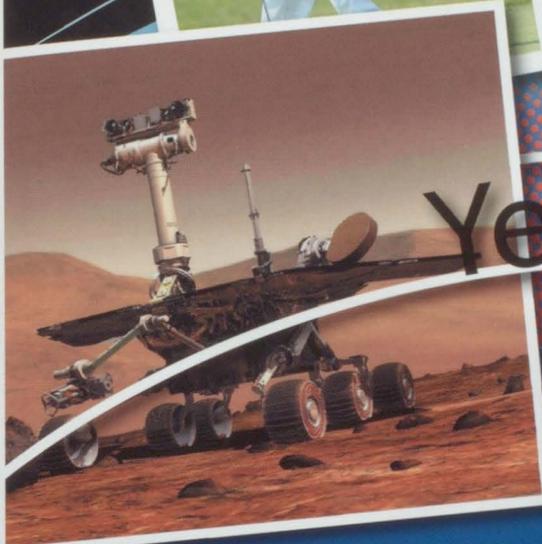


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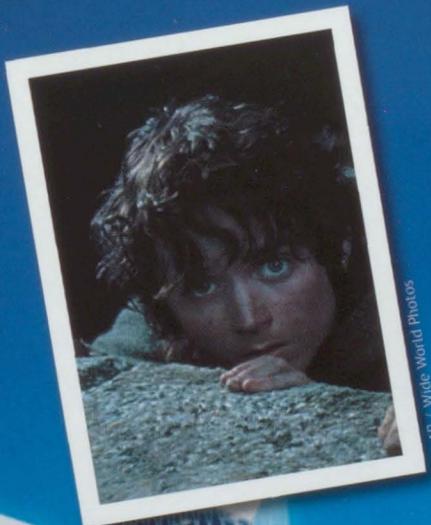


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2003-2004 Year In Review



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National/International News

Terrorism was a constant threat worldwide. Bombings occurred in several Muslim nations with western ties. Flights into the U.S. were periodically canceled. Equipment was installed at airports to conduct instant background checks on visitors to the U.S.

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Plans are in place for new construction on the site of the World Trade Center, which was destroyed on 9/11. If built, the Freedom Tower will reach 1,776 feet and become the tallest building in the world.

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Concerns remained about the development of nuclear weapons by Iran and North Korea. However, Libya agreed to dismantle its nuclear program.

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In January, a dangerous cold spell gripped the Northeast. The high demand for electricity led utility companies to warn residents of possible rolling blackouts.

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A European heat wave killed more than 14,000 people in late summer. As illness and deaths increased, a crisis developed at French hospitals and funeral homes. French citizens were angered by the slow government response.

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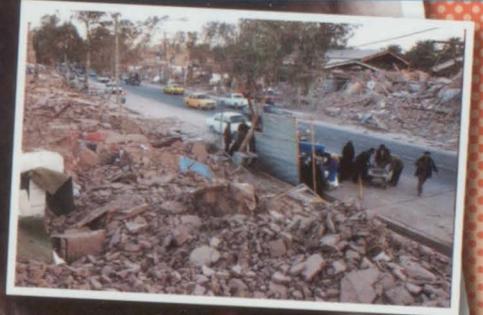


We found him! After eight months of searching, soldiers of the U.S. Army's 4th Infantry Division captured Saddam Hussein, former Iraqi dictator. Meanwhile, fighting continued between insurgents and coalition forces as it had since the fall of Iraq in April 2003.

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A late December earthquake killed at least 25,000 people in Bam, Iran. Aid teams from 16 countries went to help, including volunteers from the U.S., which was not on friendly terms with Iran.

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A blackout Aug. 14 left people from Maine to Michigan in the dark. People were trapped in elevators and on subways and traffic snarled, yet this hotel clerk continued to work.

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The flu season arrived earlier and stronger than usual, leading to packed emergency rooms, closed schools and the deaths of some children.

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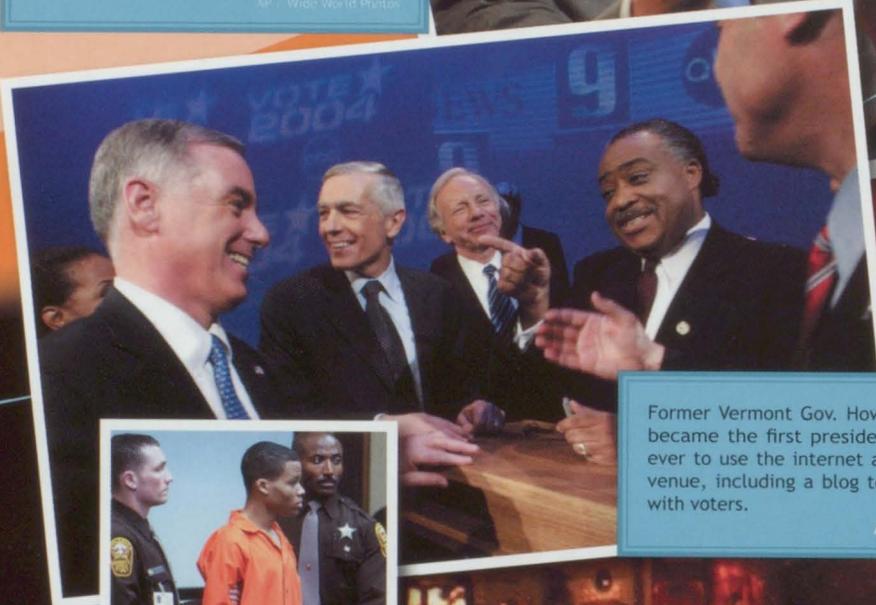


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Arnold Schwarzenegger, the Austrian-born body-builder and star of the *The Terminator*, *Terminator 2 Judgement Day* and other action movies, unseated unpopular Gov. Gray Davis during an October recall election.

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Former Vermont Gov. Howard Dean, left, became the first presidential candidate ever to use the internet as a fund-raising venue, including a blog to keep in touch with voters.

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John Allen Muhammad and Lee Boyd Malvo were found guilty in the Washington, D.C. sniper shootings. Meanwhile, at least a dozen shootings similar to those near Washington occurred near Columbus, Ohio.

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The nation followed the case of Scott Peterson, who was to be tried in the deaths of his wife, Lacy, and their unborn son. Lacy's disappearance Dec. 24, 2002, sparked a massive search in the Modesto, Calif., area. Both bodies washed up on shore in April 2003.

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A magnitude-6.5 earthquake was felt in December from San Francisco to Los Angeles, killing three people and destroying historic buildings in Paso Robles, including the wooden cupola that housed the old two-story clock tower.

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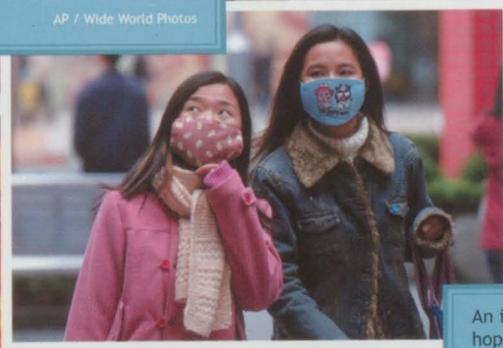


Celebrations in Vatican City in October marked the 25th anniversary of the papacy of Pope John Paul II. During the occasion, the 83-year-old pope beatified Mother Teresa, the nun who devoted most of her life to caring for the sick and destitute in Calcutta.

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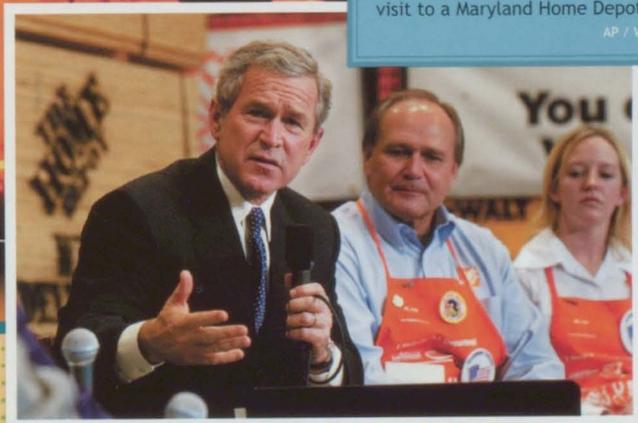
Nations made preparations in case the virus SARS (Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome) decided to return this winter. SARS, a flu-like illness, began in early 2003 in Asia, where many people wear face masks for protection.

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An improving economy in late 2003 sparked hope for the nearly nine million unemployed Americans. President George W. Bush continued to offer reassurance that the economy was picking up, such as during his visit to a Maryland Home Depot store.

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More than 20 people died, at least 1,100 people lost their homes and thousands were evacuated as California wildfires roared from the Simi Valley south to San Diego in the fall. Schools closed and airports were shut down.

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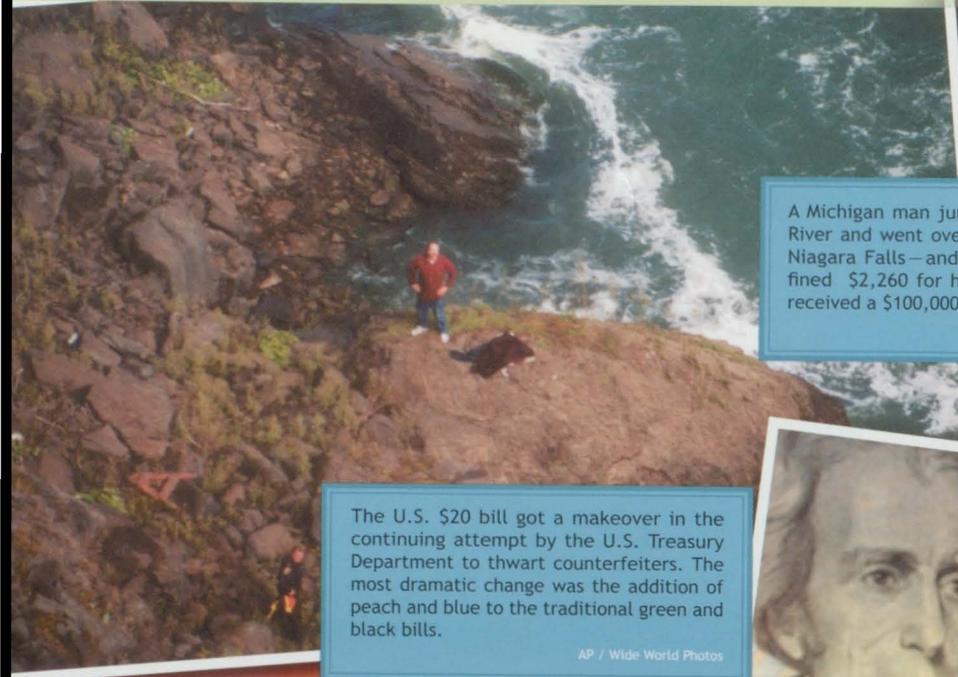
Signs of the Times

Taking a cue from many states, President George W. Bush signed into law a federal "do not call" list. People can request to be on the list and avoid calls from many telemarketers.

Get your rest before you get behind the wheel in New Jersey. The state has become the first to have a law against drowsy driving. Under the law, a driver who causes a fatal crash can be charged with vehicular homicide if there is evidence the driver was sleepy.

A homesick man thought it would be cheaper to fly himself home as cargo, but officials said he paid about the same as a first-class ticket. Charles McKinley shipped himself in a crate from New York to his parents' home in Dallas in a 15-hour journey that had officials concerned about the lack of security.

National/International News



A Michigan man jumped into the Niagara River and went over the Canadian side of Niagara Falls—and lived. Kirk Jones was fined \$2,260 for his October plunge but received a \$100,000 circus contract.

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The U.S. \$20 bill got a makeover in the continuing attempt by the U.S. Treasury Department to thwart counterfeiters. The most dramatic change was the addition of peach and blue to the traditional green and black bills.

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Ekaterina Dmitriev married Russian cosmonaut Yuri Malenchenko while she stood at the Johnson Space Center in Houston and he was aboard the International Space Station. A life-size cutout stood in for the groom on the ground.

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The U.S. government insisted our beef supply was safe, despite the first case of mad cow disease reported in Washington state. Several nations banned U.S. beef imports.

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Alabama Chief Justice Roy Moore was removed from the bench in November for refusing a federal judge's order to remove the Ten Commandments from the Alabama Supreme Court building. Protesters prayed at the site.

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Events worldwide marked the 15th annual World AIDS Day Dec. 1. The United Nations agency UNAIDS reported that in 2003, 40 million people worldwide were infected with HIV, the virus that causes AIDS. More than half of those people live in Africa.

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What You Think

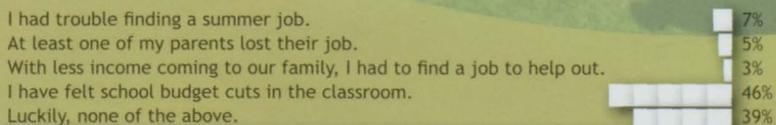
Should the U.S. still have military forces in Iraq?



It's been two years since the 9/11 attacks. Are you concerned about homeland security?

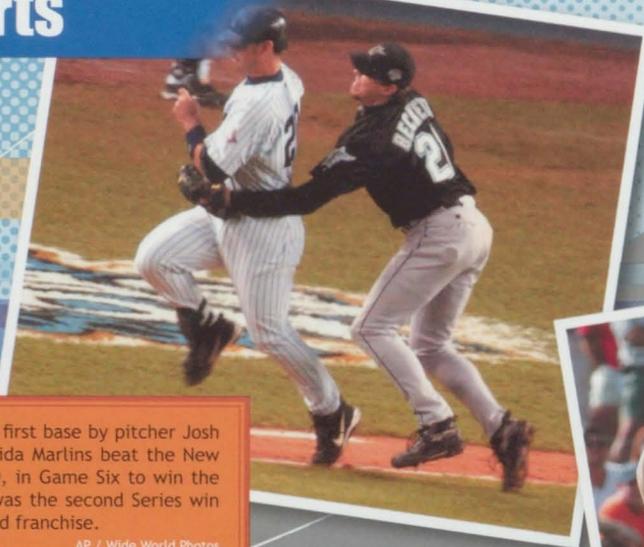


Has the weak U.S. economy affected you in one or more of the following ways?



Survey results compiled from responses of more than 2,000 high school students across the nation.

Sports



With a tag-out at first base by pitcher Josh Beckett, the Florida Marlins beat the New York Yankees, 2-0, in Game Six to win the World Series. It was the second Series win for the 11-year-old franchise.

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Huge crowds watched professional golfer Annika Sorenstam of Sweden play in the PGA's Colonial tournament. The first woman to play a PGA tour event in 58 years, Sorenstam shot 5 over par and missed the cut.

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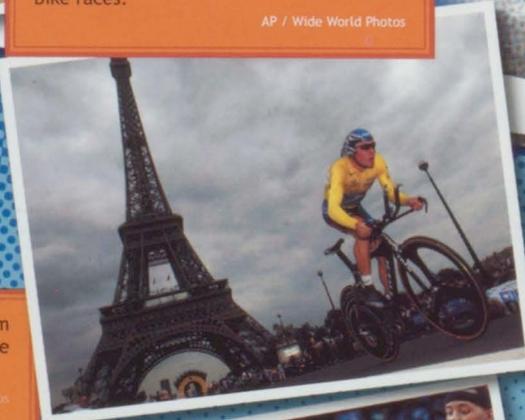


The University of Southern California and Louisiana State University shared the national collegiate football title. Top-ranked USC beat Michigan, 28-14, in the Rose Bowl, and LSU held Oklahoma to a 21-14 Sugar Bowl final. Mixed poll results caused the title sharing.

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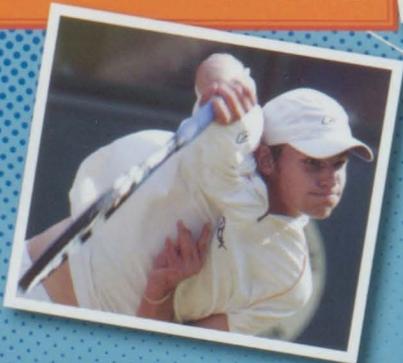
Lance Armstrong is poised to become the first person to win the Tour de France six times, having won his fifth race in 2003. Only four cyclists have won five of the grueling bike races.

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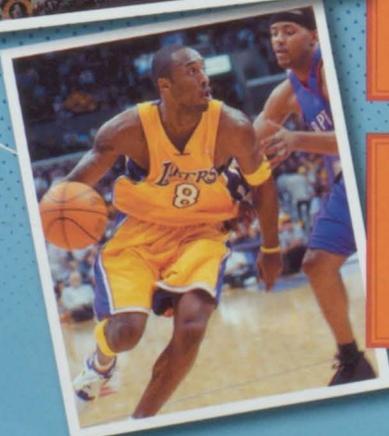
Andy Roddick, 21, won his first grand slam title of his career when he captured the men's singles title at the 2003 U.S. Open.

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The WUSA women's soccer league folded five days before the Women's World Cup. The league was unable to sustain its fan base and revenues following its win in the 1999 tournament. Germany won the cup this year.

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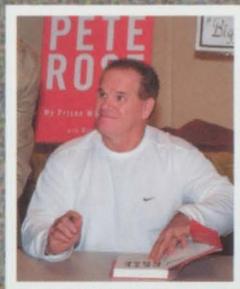


Sexual assault charges filed against basketball great Kobe Bryant tarnished his image with fans and sponsors. Bryant earned millions playing for the Los Angeles Lakers, but he started losing endorsements worth millions of dollars.

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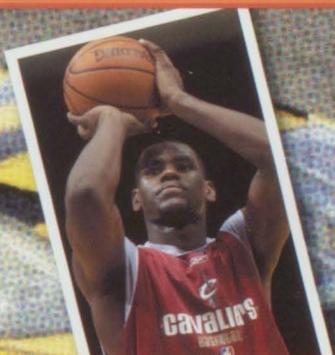
NASCAR officials changed the scoring system starting in the 2004 racing season to make the last 10 races a "Chase for the Championship."

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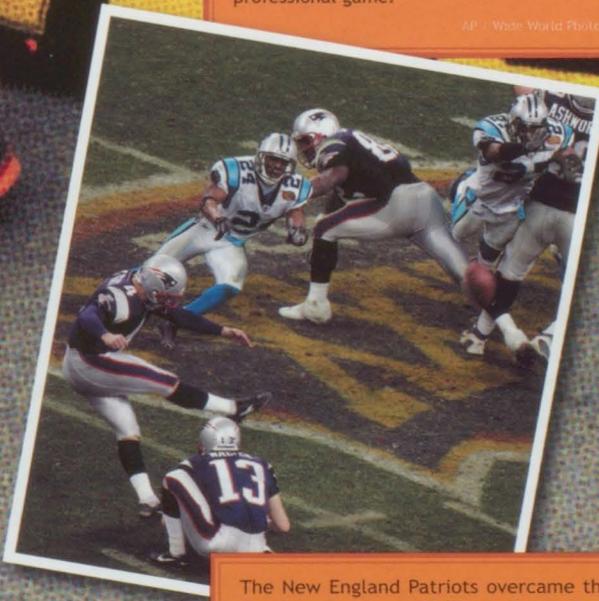
Pete Rose finally admitted it. The former slugger said in his autobiography he gambled on baseball while manager of the Cincinnati Reds. Rose was banned from life from baseball in 1989, making him ineligible for the Baseball Hall of Fame.

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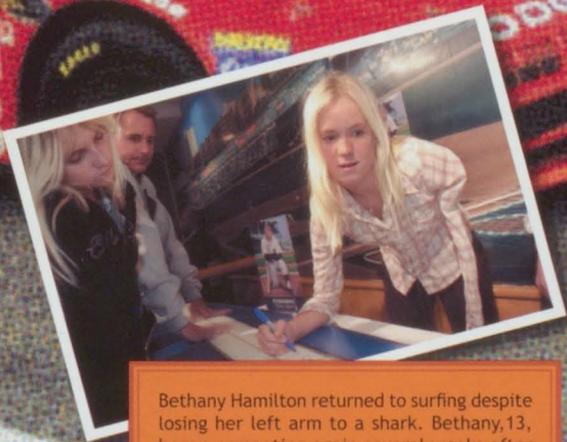
He graduated from high school one month and was drafted by the Cleveland Cavaliers the next, dazzling NBA fans. Point guard LeBron James scored 25 points in his first professional game.

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The New England Patriots overcame the Carolina Panthers, 32-29, in Super Bowl XXXVIII, a game that pitted two strong defensive teams. Once the offensive teams got rolling, however, the lead see-sawed until Patriots quarterback Tom Brady, who was named MVP, set up the game-winning kick by Adam Vinatieri with four seconds left.

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Bethany Hamilton returned to surfing despite losing her left arm to a shark. Bethany, 13, began competing again several weeks after the attack.

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D.C. United signed 14-year-old soccer phenom Freddy Adu to a four-year contract. Adu signed with the Major Soccer League of the U.S. after being pursued by several international teams.

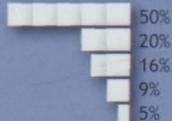
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What You Think

What is your favorite professional sport?

Football
Basketball
Baseball
Soccer
Hockey



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Science/Technology

Look for a U.S. manned moon mission around 2018 as President George W. Bush laid out plans for Americans to go to the moon and Mars. The U.S. explored Mars this year with its Spirit and Opportunity rovers, which sent back spectacular photos of the red planet. One of the rovers is depicted here in a computer simulation.

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Investigators deemed a piece of foam insulation that damaged protective outer tiles caused the destruction of the Columbia space shuttle. Safety standards also were blamed, and a NASA reorganization began in light of President Bush's space plans.

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The U.S. is not the only nation exploring space. China launched its first manned spaceship for a short flight. A European probe failed to respond after landing on Mars; however, while a European orbiter was successfully circling Mars, a Japanese probe failed to enter orbit.

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Advances in wireless communication meant computers were becoming less restrained by wires and cables. Reaching the internet, printing and file exchanges could all be done with a wireless system.

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Asimo, the four-foot robot made by Honda of Japan, made a European tour in 2003, and was the life of the party at a state dinner in Czechoslovakia. Japanese Prime Minister Junichiro Koizumi brought Asimo, and the robot shook hands, spoke Czech and made a toast.

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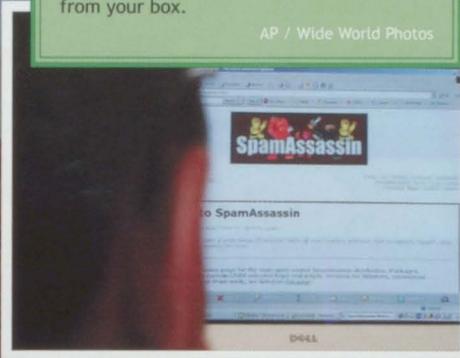


DNA testing rides to the rescue again, this time to see who is buried in Billy the Kid's grave. Billy the Kid supposedly was shot to death and buried in New Mexico in 1881. But two other men claimed to be the infamous outlaw. Wrangling over exhuming the three bodies has the case tied up in court.

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The Can-Spam Act of 2003 was signed by President George W. Bush. The law is an attempt to reduce unwanted email from vendors. New technology also developed to get rid of spam also kept wanted emails from your box.

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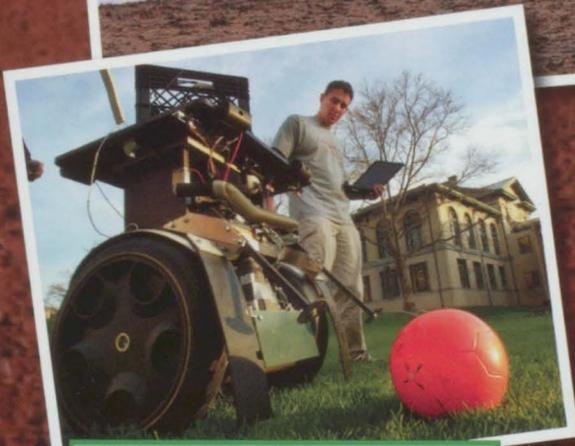
Innovations in appliances were beginning to reach the market. A new vacuum cleaner roams by itself picking up dirt. And a new oven acts like a refrigerator to keep food cold before turning on the heat to cook the meal.

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It is amazing we ever got off the ground. In the re-enactment of the flight of the Wright Brothers 100 years ago, the reproduction of their flying machine never flew, partially due to soggy weather. But the celebration honoring the feat went on in Kill Devil Hills, N.C.

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Segway Human Transporters may be drafted. The Pentagon is funding research to see if the two-wheeled scooter could conduct battlefield search missions, carry injured soldiers or haul gear without human control.

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Information storage options are getting more portable. USB drives are smaller than a cigarette lighter, and Zyon Systems even makes the Xonix Memory Watch with a drive attached to it. You can take your information from one computer to another without straining any muscles or carrying a laptop computer.

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The world's first cloned horse was born, but the new twist was that the horse was a clone of its mother. This makes the colt and its mother twins.

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What You Think

Are you buying self-destructable DVDs to watch movies so you can throw them away when you are done and not have to worry about returning them?

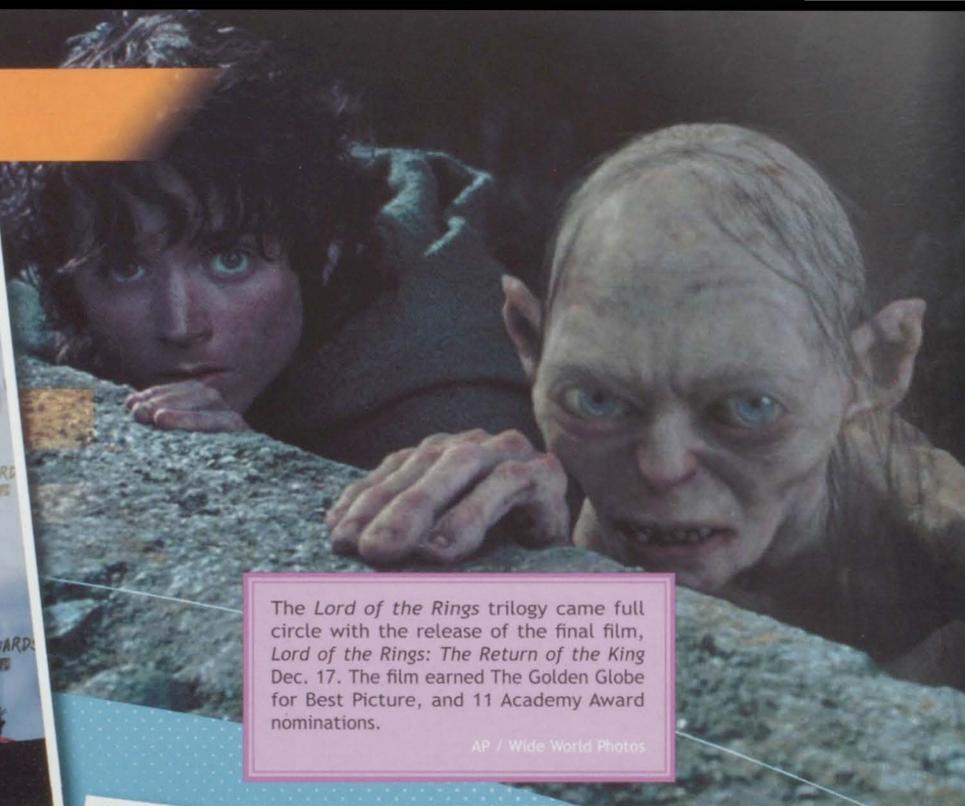


Do you own a picture-taking cell phone?



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Entertainment

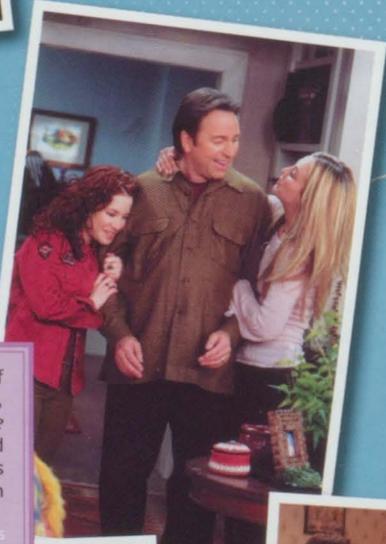


The *Lord of the Rings* trilogy came full circle with the release of the final film, *Lord of the Rings: The Return of the King* Dec. 17. The film earned The Golden Globe for Best Picture, and 11 Academy Award nominations.

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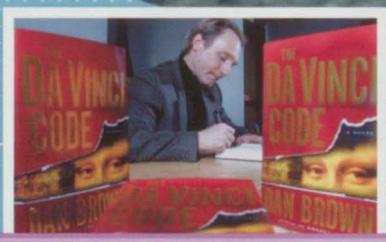
OutKast, a group formed by Andre 3000 and Big Boi, hit it big with *Hey Ya!* from the Grammy-winning Album of the Year, *Speakerboxxx/The Love Below*. Beyonce Knowles captured four awards from the Billboard Music Awards, including new female artist of the year, and five Grammys.

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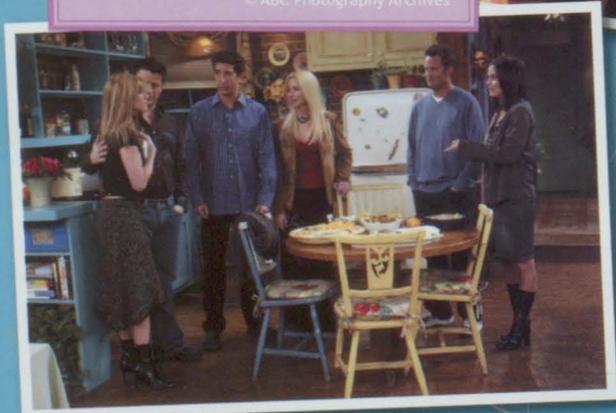
The show must go on. With the death of John Ritter, producers for the T.V. show, *8 Simple Rules for Dating my Teenage Daughter*, brought in James Garner and Suzanne Pleshette to play grandparents as the family struggled through the main character's death.

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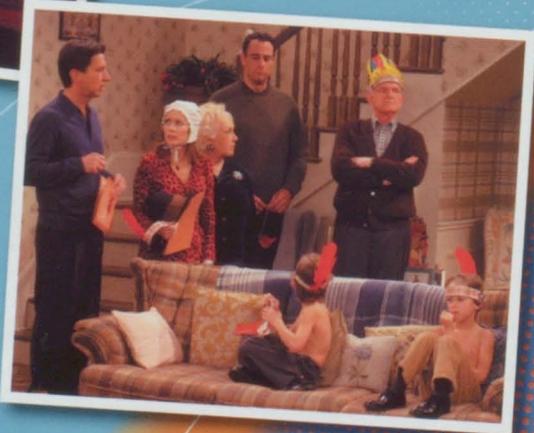
Intrigue, murder, suspense—author Dan Brown gave it all to his readers in *The Da Vinci Code*, a thriller that started in the Louvre museum in Paris and traveled across Europe and history.

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Friends ended its 10-year, highly rated run on NBC in May. Of the six stars, only Matt LeBlanc will be continuing his role as Joey in a spin-off next season.

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Among Emmy winners were *Everybody Loves Raymond* for Outstanding Comedy Series, *The West Wing* for Outstanding Drama Series, and *The Amazing Race* for Outstanding Reality/Competition Program.

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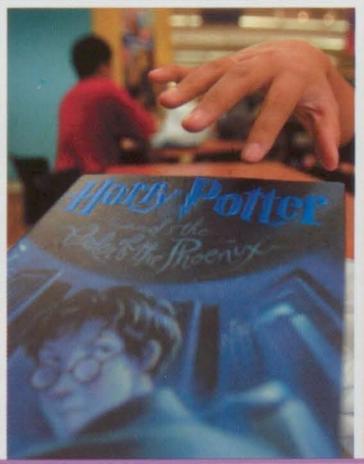
Alan Jackson was named Entertainer of the Year and top Male Vocalist at the 2003 Country Music Awards, while Martina McBride nabbed the Female Vocalist honors.
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Religion became a television show theme again on CBS with *Joan of Arcadia*, in which God appears to an ordinary high school girl. In this photo, God is the lineman above Joan.
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A 14-year-old California girl devised one of the games used on *Survivor Pearl Islands*. Kylie Cusick did not know her word scramble was chosen until she saw it on the air.
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The fifth Harry Potter book was a pain for some children to read. The content of the 870-page *Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix* was not a problem; however, some younger readers enjoyed the book so much they got headaches and strained necks.
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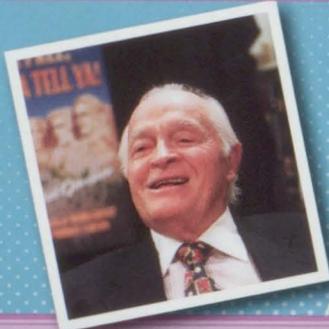


Britney Spears' new album, *In the Zone*, debuted at the No. 1 spot, making her the first female artist to debut four albums in a row at the top of the charts. But Spears and Madonna got more notice at the 2003 MTV Music Awards for their infamous kiss. And Spears got media attention of her 55-hour marriage to childhood friend Jason Allen Alexander.
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The Recording Industry Association of America escalated its battle against illegal downloading and file-sharing by filing lawsuits against people, mainly college students, who swap massive amounts of music.

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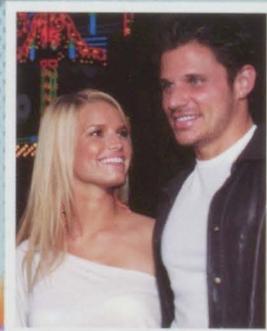
A large number of celebrity deaths occurred in 2003. Among the notables were entertainer Bob Hope, singers Johnny Cash and his wife, June Carter Cash, announcer Rod Roddy of T.V.'s *The Price is Right*, and Keiko the killer whale from the *Free Willy* movies. Bob Keeshan, a.k.a. Captain Kangaroo, passed away in early 2004.

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The media frenzy about "Bennifer"—Ben Affleck and Jennifer Lopez—ended when the couple, who had been together for 18 months, broke off their engagement in January.

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Singers Jessica Simpson and Nick Lachey turned their newlywed status into a hit MTV show, *Newlyweds*. Simpson is lovable as the "dumb blonde," who in one episode questioned whether Chicken of the Sea was chicken or tuna.

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The 15 cooks at Holdingford, Minn., School District and one janitor won a \$95 million Powerball in October. After winning, they all went to work and fed the students before going to the state lottery office to claim their winnings.

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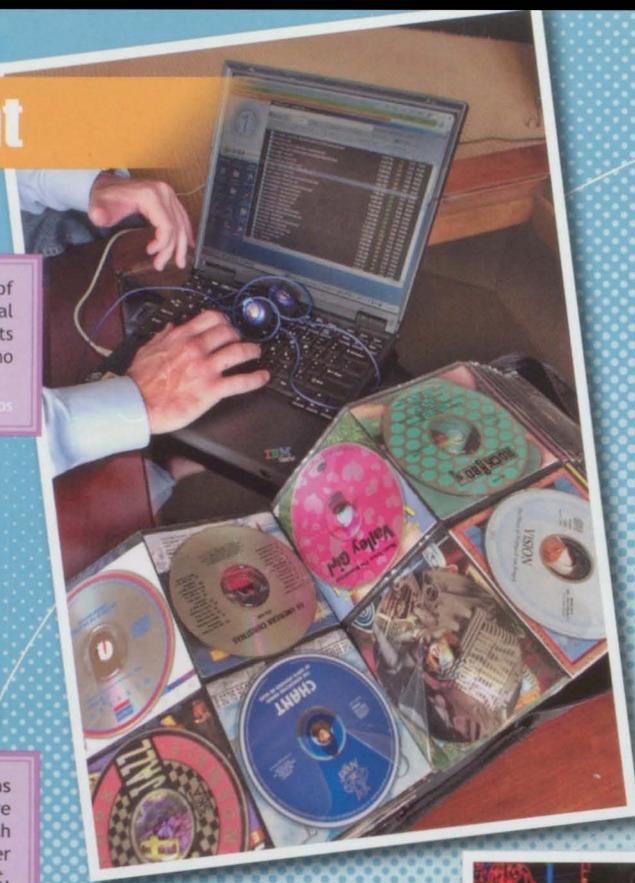
One of the biggest weddings of the year, in terms of money spent, was the marriage of Bachelorette Trista Rehn and Ryan Sutter. ABC spent more than \$1 million on the nuptials, which were seen by 17 million viewers. Trista and Ryan were also paid \$1 million after the ceremony.

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Pop sensation Michael Jackson was charged with child molestation in alleged incidents at his Neverland Ranch. Jackson denied the charges, while family, friends and fans came to his defense. Similar accusations arose in 1993, but no charges were filed in that case.

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Pixar's *Finding Nemo*, was nominated for an Academy Award for Best Animated Feature. In interesting plot twists this year, *Pirates of the Caribbean: The Curse of the Black Pearl*, starring Johnny Depp, and the *Haunted Mansion*, starring Eddie Murphy, were movies based on Disney theme park rides.

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Praise and worship albums were evolving, reaching more of a mainstream sound with songs from bands such as Third Day and Mercy Me. *I Can Only Imagine* by Mercy Me reached some secular air waves in the process.

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Lang Lang, 21, who came to the U.S. from China about six years ago, has made a name for himself in concert as a classical pianist with flair.

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What You Think

Who was your favorite musical artist in 2003?

50 Cent		26%
Linkin Park		22%
OutKast		20%
Good Charlotte		11%
Kenny Chesney		10%

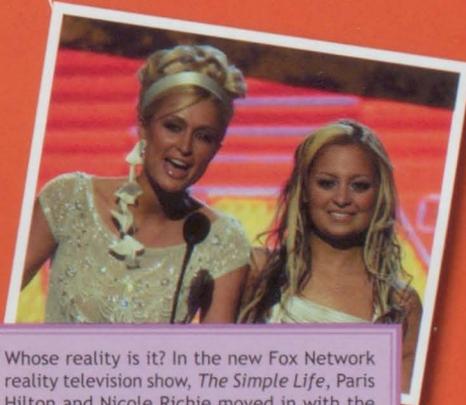
Bob Guiney of *The Bachelor* picked Estella Gardiner. Was she the right choice?

Yes		10%
No		19%
Don't Care		71%



Bob Guiney from *The Bachelor 4*, chose Estella Gardiner in November. By the end of December the pair parted company.

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Whose reality is it? In the new Fox Network reality television show, *The Simple Life*, Paris Hilton and Nicole Richie moved in with the Ledings, an Arkansas farm family. The show poked fun at the wealthy pair as they tread their way in a world far from their reality.

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Trends



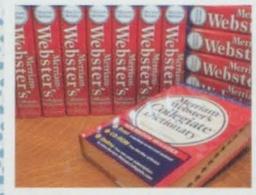
Flash mobs were a phenomenon that developed from cell phone text messaging. With one text message, you could tell everyone you know to meet at the same place at the same time — say, 2 p.m. Saturday on Main Street — and do something attention-getting — like a Tarzan yell for 30 seconds — then leave.

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Style trends included monogrammed clothing; chandelier earrings; and trucker hats, like those worn by actor Ashton Kutcher; and hoodies.

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Some slang words gained status. McJob — a low-paying job requiring little skill — entered the newest Merriam-Webster Collegiate Dictionary, angering McDonald's officials. The newest Oxford Dictionary of English included muggle, bootylicious, boy bands and girl bands.

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Soda wars bubbled up in schools amid complaints that soft drinks are unhealthy for children. Some districts removed pop machines while others reduced the hours of availability. The decision about what to do was not easy, as some districts needed the revenue from the machines.

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One phone number for life? You can keep your cell phone number when changing companies, and make your home and cell number the same. Camera phones also were popular, but some countries banned them over invasion of privacy concerns.

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Studies showed that smoking among high school students had dropped and remained about the same for middle school students. However, tanning beds remain popular with teens despite the risk of skin cancer.

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So what is pizza? The U.S. Department of Agriculture says pizza does not need crust, sauce or cheese to be labeled as pizza for sale in grocery stores. USDA also said "pizza with meat" products only have to have 2 to 3 percent meat instead of 12 to 15 percent.

What You Think

What is the trendiest new clothing/accessory item this year?



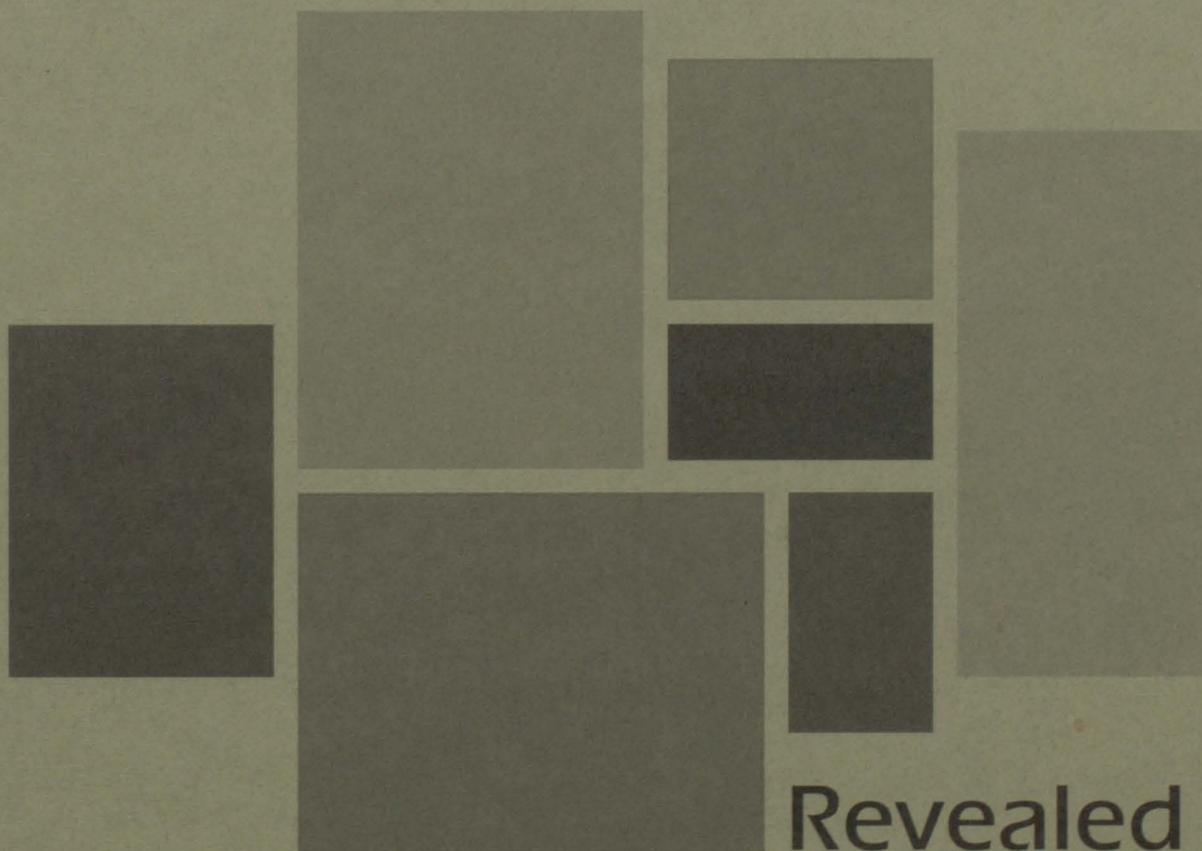
Who pays for the date?



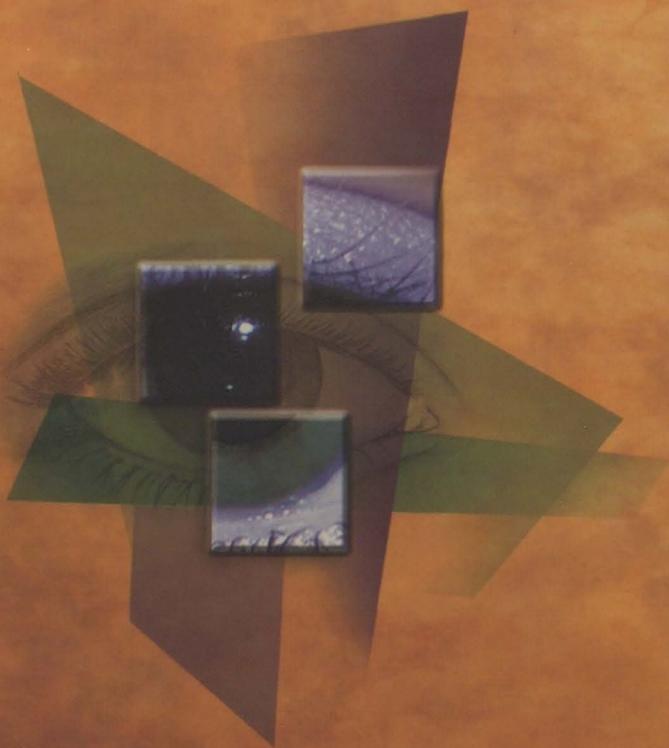
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Colophon

The 2003-2004 Oracle Yearbook reveals the personality, knowledge, strength, and heart of the 471 students at Delphi Community High School. Through the soul, awareness, power, and character of the 10 person staff and 1 chief advisor, volume 68 of the Oracle was successfully completed. The \$16,000 book was sold to 275 students, teachers, staff, administration, and the community. The book has a 4-color Deluster Laminate cover revealing a 3-dimensional block-piece eye. The 195 pages are printed in Mixage headings, Baskerville copy, and David captions. The Oracle was designed using Adobe Pagemaker 6.5 and Adobe Photoshop 7.0 on two main computers and printed by Walsworth Publishing Company. After hours of creativity and extensive research the undisclosed elements of life at Delphi Community High School have been revealed.



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