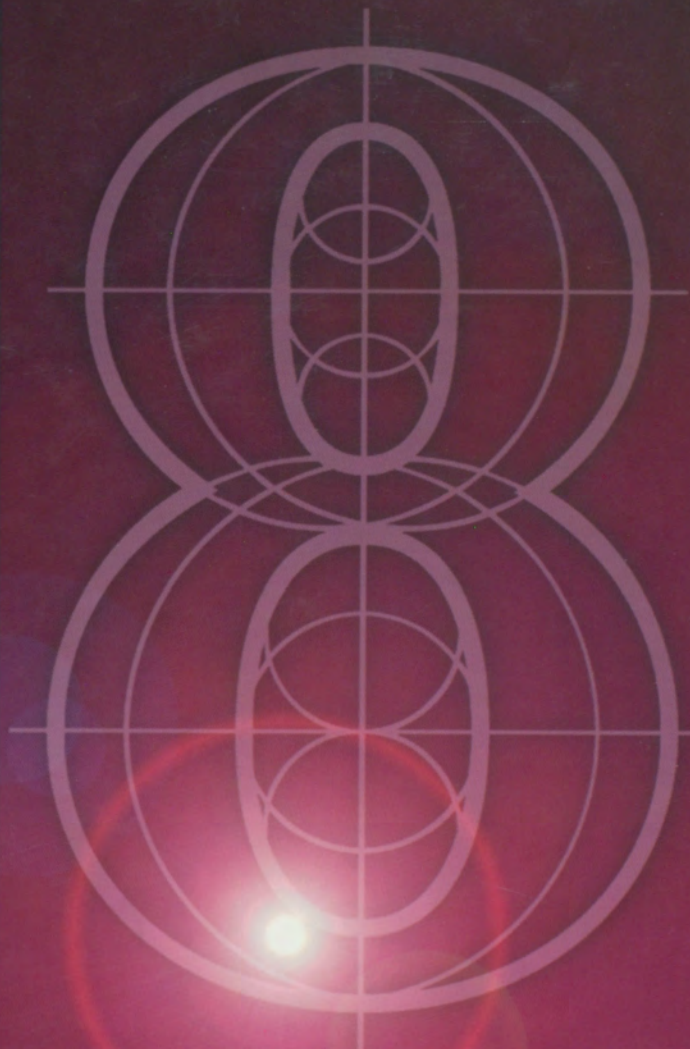
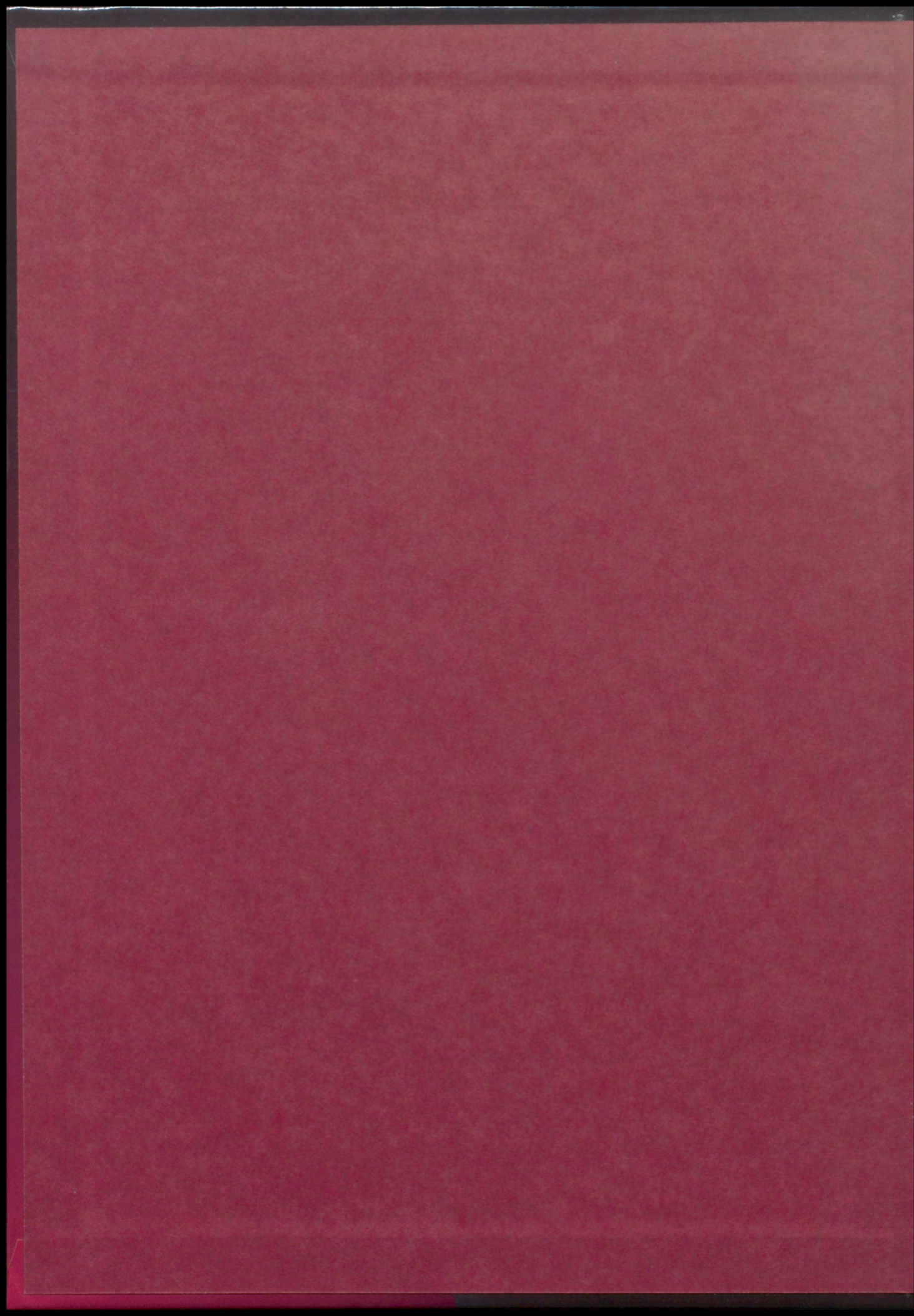


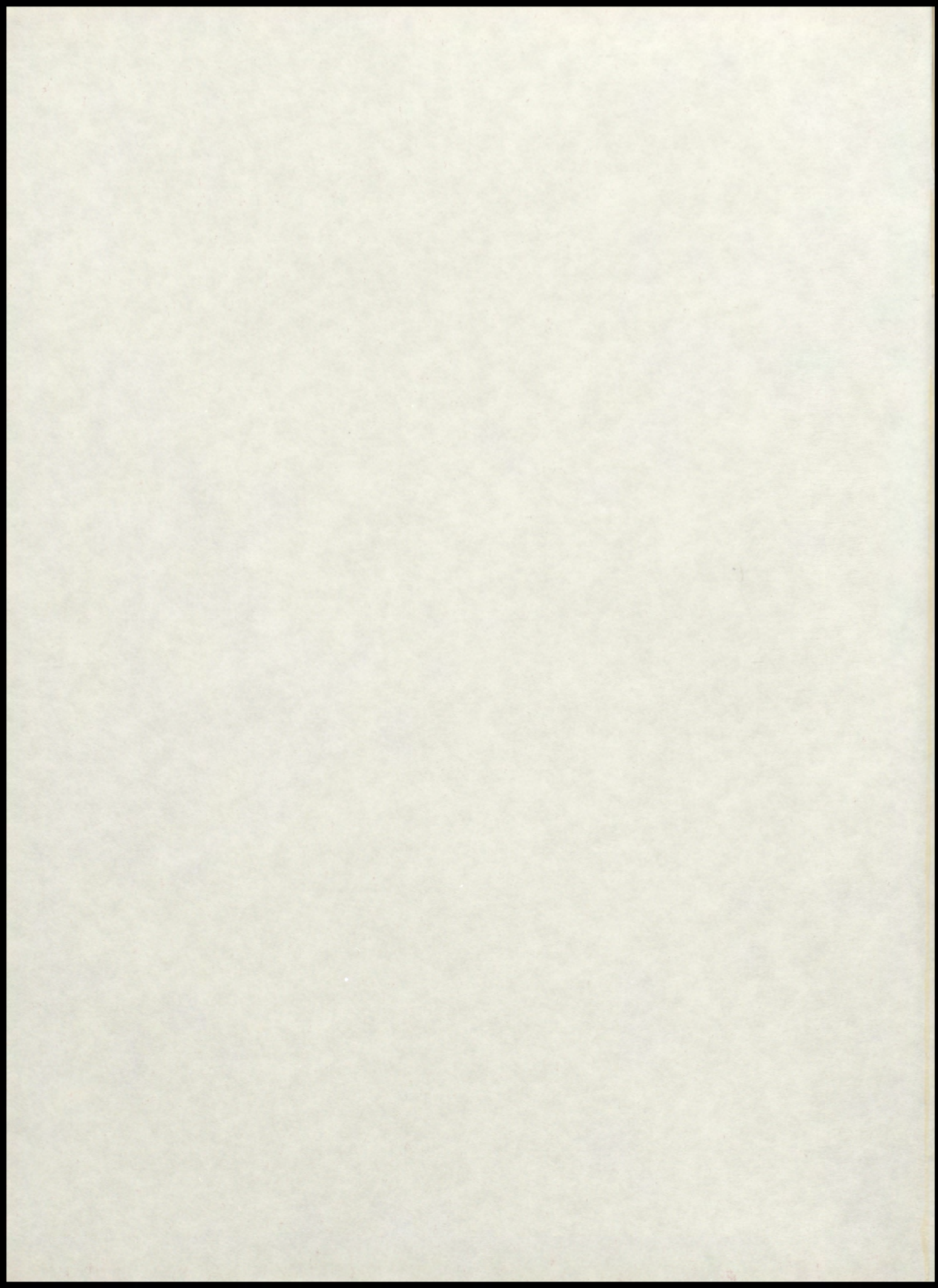
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AS GOOD AS DONE







LHS Alamo

As Good As It Gets

1997-1998

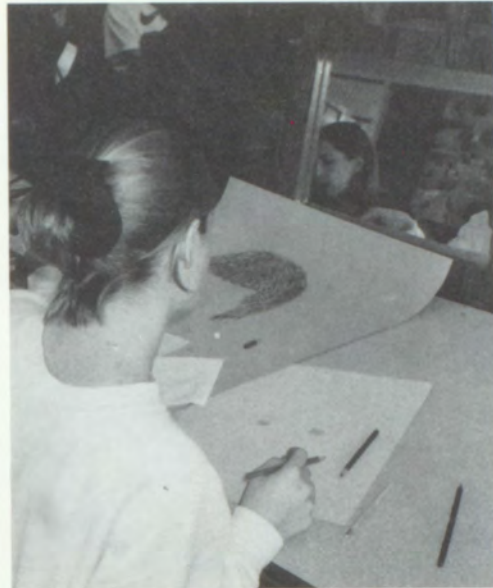


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Clockwise from top left: Marty Glenn voices her opinions at this year's student council elections. Ashley Helm attempts to draw her self-portrait in art class. Brandy Richards, Jennifer Stoops and Myra Martin look forward to another appetizing lunch at LHS. Jennifer Griswold stops to chat in the hall in between classes. Lisa Sisco is melodramatic once again while at play practice, with Ben Cordes, Danielle Anderson and Keri Dewey watching. Tonya Penrod catches a ball coming her way during a softball game. Goober Elliott, hiding, while Marty Glenn and Ralph Rue enjoy goofing off at a home football game. Becky Durham takes pictures for the yearbook, while Sara Reed supervises.



The title of our yearbook, "As Good As Done" was chosen for various reasons. One simple reason, "senioritis". Though seniors look at 1998 as merely being the year of graduation, we should of known the year would consist of much more.

School began on August 28, and everyone was ready for the start of football season. The biggest rival game of the year, Louisiana vs. Bowling Green, took place on our own Cunningham field. Once again, the mighty Dawgs showed their stuff and claimed the Mayor's Cup with a final score of 26 to 28.

Homecoming was also a success. The student council worked diligently the entire week to pull off a memorable moment. This year's theme was "soda". The students of LHS were all very creative in their choices. The annual bonfire was also held. Coach Gschwender and the senior captains gave pep talks and rallied to get everyone's spirits up and going.

The game was also a success. The Dawgs left with a victory over the Macon Tigers. A dance was held afterwards.

Another activity in which the stu-

dents of LHS participated was the performance, Bye Bye Birdie. The play consisted of directors Mr. Shieffer and Mrs. Brock. A handfull of students also contributed to a fine performance.

The Courtwarming game was played on February 20, against the Palmyra Panthers. The game ended in disappointment for both Bulldog teams. The pressure defense caused many turnovers which Palmyra converted into points, creating a gap that the Lady Dawgs could not overcome.

During the climax of the boy's game tempers flaired and penalties were called, hurting the Dawgs.

On May 2, nearly the entire junior and senior classes were seen in tux and shimmering dresses. The theme was "Take My Breath Away". Waterfalls and trees transformed a gym into an evening of paradise.

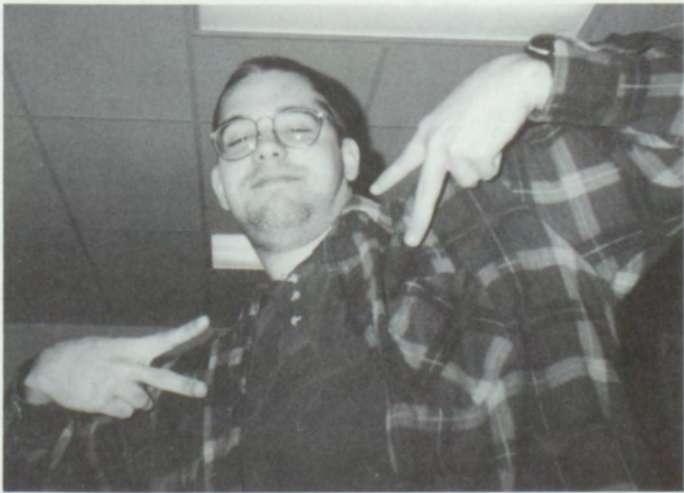
As Editor, I would like to thank all the people who contributed to the 1997-98 yearbook and newspaper. It was a long, hard process, but in the end became a book containing many memorable moments that could be treasured forever.

Amanda Sperry

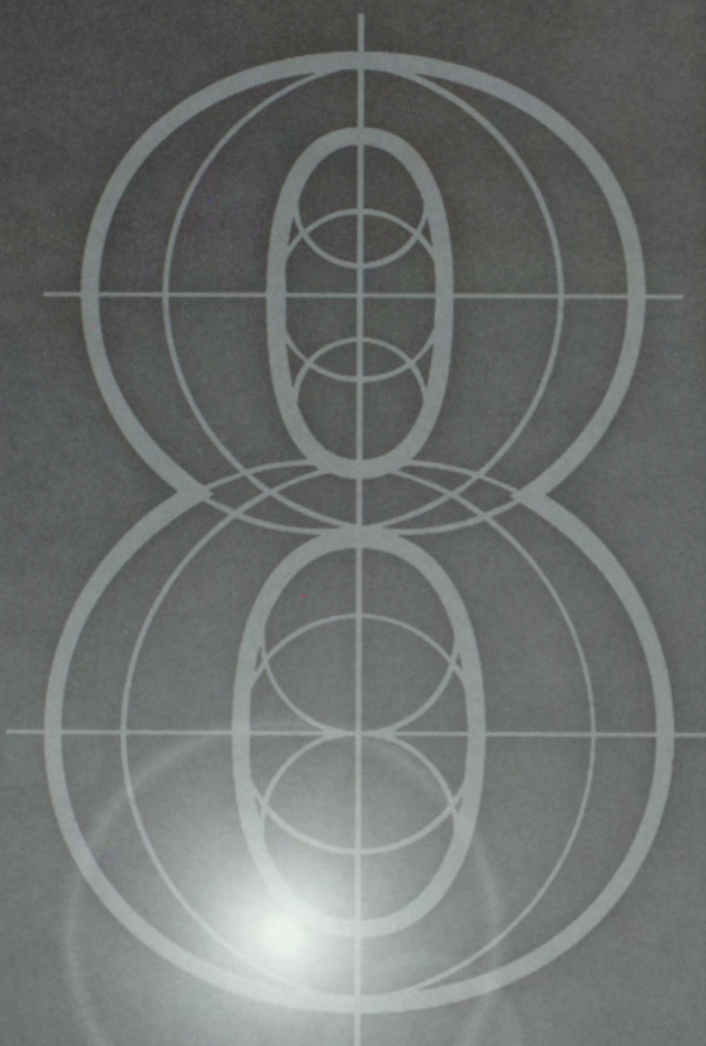
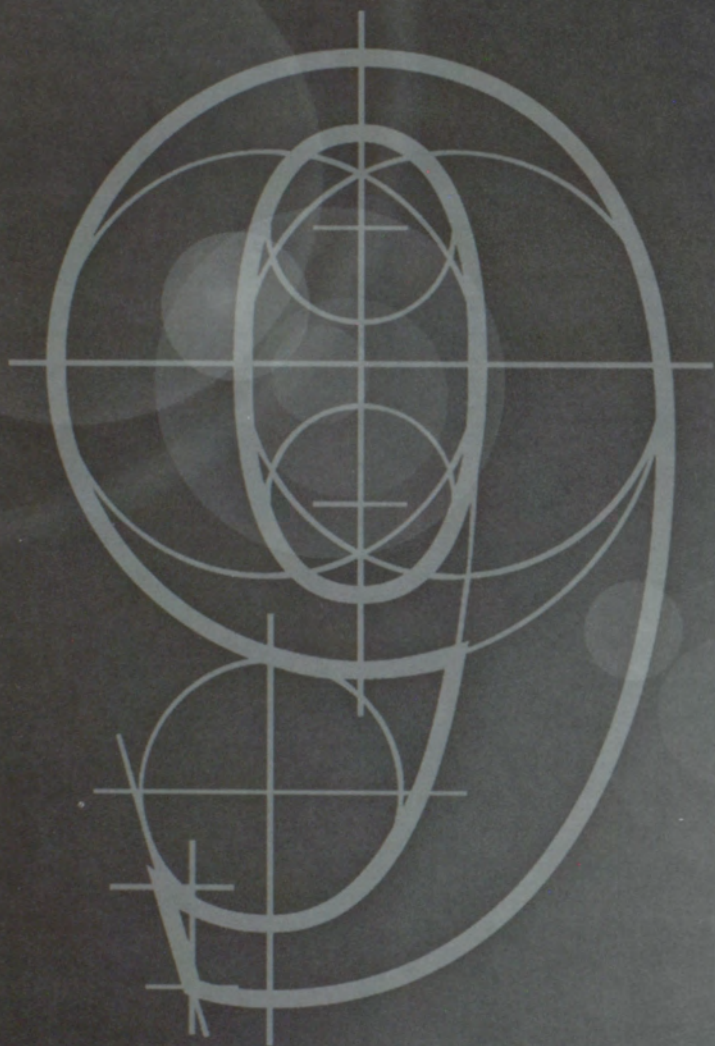
AS GOOD AS DONE



It is my honor, as Editor, to present to you the '97-98 Mass Media staff. The members worked very hard over the year to present you with the LHS Highlights and yearbook.



Student life





Bye Bye Birdie

The Fall Musical was "Bye Bye Birdie." It was presented on December 6 at 7:00pm. Despite some problems with the schedule, the play turned out nicely.

The play was a parody of the 1950's in which the "Elvis type" character, Conrad Birdie is drafted for the Army while in the peak of his singing career. A contest was held to see who would get to give the big good-bye kiss on national television.

The plot involved a teenage girl, Kim MacAfee, who was proceeding through the trials of going steady and being in love with a star.

A big surprise was the "stunt man," Chris Keithley riding a real motorcycle inside the middle school gym.

The cast of the play was quite a difference in number compared to last year's production of "Snoopy" that had only 7 actors/actresses.

The main parts in "Bye Bye Birdie" were played by Emily Schwadron, Ben Cordes, Danielle Anderson, Clark Stoeckley, Keri Dewey, Kristin Bradley, and Lisa Sisco.

For comedy relief, Lisa Sisco who played Mrs. Peterson, and Thomas Onik, who played Harvey Johnson, made the crowd laugh time and time again.

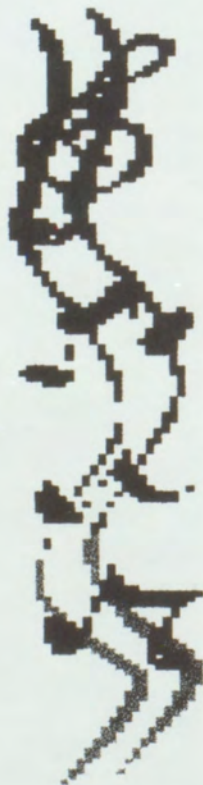
Congratulations to all of the cast on a job well done.



Above: Emily Schwadron as "Rosie", Ben Cordes as "Albert".



Right: Lisa Sisco as Mrs. Peterson, and "Albert"



Above: Director Ed Schieffer plays the role of the mayor of Sweet Apple. Clark Stoeckley as Conrad Birdie and Seth Murry as a guard. And all of the Teenage girls rally for Conrad

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Cast of Characters
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Benjamin Cordes	Albert Peterson	President of Almaelou Music Corp
Emily Schwadron	Rosie Alvarez	Albert's secretary
Clark Stoekley	Conrad Birdie	Rock Star, Elvis type
Lisa Sisco	Mrs. Mae Peterson	Albert's mother
Danielle Anderson	Kim MacAfee	15 yr. old, very pretty and self-possessed
Kristin Bradley	Ursula Merkle	A teen friend and neighbor of Kim's
Steven Dobelmann	Harry MacAfee	Father of Kim and Randolph
Keri Dewey	Doris MacAfee	Mother of Kim and Randolph
Brian Schwadron	Randolph MacAfee	Kim's younger brother
Thomas Onik	Hugo Peabody	Kim's "steady"
Lora Perrine	Gloria Rasputin	tap dancing "secretary" Mae's choice to replace Rosie
Isiah Hoskins	Charles F. Maude	proprietor/bartender "Maude's Roadside Retreat"
Ashley Rowell	Helen	Teenage singer
Tara Sippely	Alice	Teenager
Heidi Francis	Nancy	Teenager
Tasha Myers	Marge	Teenager
Thomas Onik	Harvey Johnson	Teenager
Marty Glenn	Deborah Sue	Teenager
Gabrielle Elliott	One Girl	Teenager
Brandy Richards	Sad Girl	Teenager
Clark Stoekley	Ed Sullivan's voice	
Seth Murry	Policeman	
Chris Kethley	Conrad's stunt double	
Mr. Ed Schieffer	Mayor	Sweet Apple Mayor
Ms. Jana Moore	Mayor's wife	Edna

Teen Chorus

James Bedrosian	Jessica Meyers
Adrienne Castiglia	Jennifer Radford
Tom Chatman	Amanda Wilfong
Amarda Clendenny	Kimberly McDaniel
Jackie Dalton	Tasha Myers
Heather Francis	Brandy Oliver
Michelle Hammond	Gabrielle Elliott
Kim Harmon	Jennifer Grunwald
Jessica Light	Jeff Lovell
Vicki McCormick	
* * *	
Drama Director	Mr. Ed Schieffer
Musical Director	Mrs. Joanna Brock
Scenery	Speech & Drama Class and Mrs. Holly Dehner & Design II Art Classes
Set/Help	Mark Dobelmann, Pautette Powelson, Mr. Mitch Mahabir and Ag Classes
Program	Mrs. Shirley Underwood and Advanced Computers Class. Terry Campbell, Bethany Logan, Lisa Sisco, Laura Lee, and Sara Reed
Financial Support & Refreshments	Music Boosters
Technical Support	Mr. Loren Sloppy
Lights	Kim McDaniel, Isiah Hoskins, Brian Schwadron
Sound	Mr. Robert Adair



THANKS TO ALL FOR YOUR HELP AND SUPPORT



Above: Lora Perrine as Gloria Rasputin and Thomas Onik as Hugo Peabody



Left: Only part of the big cast of *Bye Bye Birdie* are pictured. Danielle Anderson, Emily Schwadron, Ben Cordes, and Clark Stoekley just to name a few.

Bottom left: Albert Peterson (Ben

Cordes) explaining to his mother Mae Peterson (Lisa Sisco) that he is engaged to Rosie (Emily Schwadron).

Right: Lisa Sisco as Mrs. Mae Peterson. Lisa played the stereotypical protective mother and soon to be mother-in-law for Rosie. Lisa made this character pure enjoyment and made everyone laugh.



Right:
The
senior
float,
Orange
Crush.
*Crush
the
Tigers!*

Below:
35 year
reunion
float!



Above: The freshman float, Mug Rootbeer. Mug The Tigers!
Below: Senior Kasey Lawrence works hard building the float.

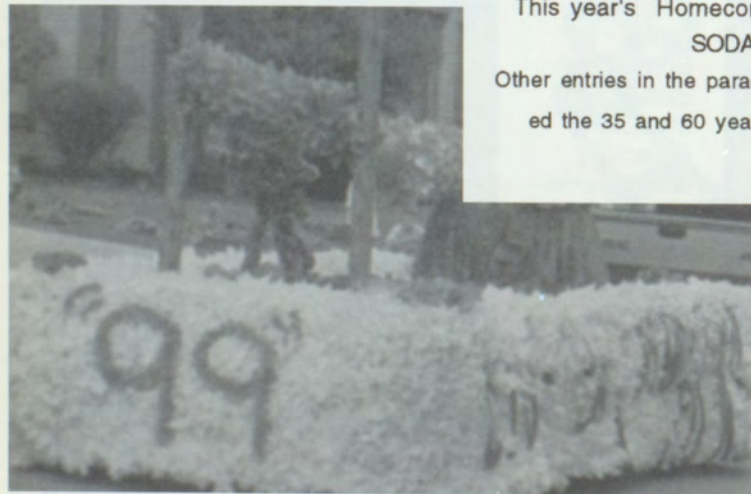


Winners of the Homecoming float competition

- 1st place- Seniors, CRUSH THE TIGERS
- 2nd place- Juniors, HAWAIIAN PUNCH
- 3rd place-Sophomores. DROP THE BOMB
- 4th place- Freshmen, MUG THE TIGERS

This year's Homecoming theme was SODA

Other entries in the parade this year included the 35 and 60 year reunion floats.



Above: Junior float, "Give the Tigers a Hawaiian Punch", makes its way down Georgia Street.

Above: Sophomore float, Sundrop, "Drop the Bomb on the Tigers"



Above: Jennifer Hall, Lisa Sisco and Amanda Sperry show off their vintage clothing on Hippie Day



Above: Cheerleaders Jennifer Griswold, Jenny Guthrie, Beth Gschwender, and Sara Tipton show their spirit at the Bonfire on Thursday night of Homecoming week.



Many students and teachers volunteered their time and showed their spirit by helping clean up the vandalism done on the night before Homecoming. Those pictured above are: Amanda Sperry, Ashley Helm, Juituan Chatman, Bethany Logan, Kasey Lawrence, Chris Keithley, Ben Cordes, Terry Campbell, Mr. Schieffer, Mr. Cox, Mr. Charbeneau, Dr. Roberts, and school board member Dan DeBourge. Those not pictured include Sara Reed, Pat Shrum, Shep Sheppard and Kyle DeWeese.

HOMECOMING

GAME



SCOREBOARD

October 10, 1997
Louisiana Bulldogs
 vs.
Macon Tigers

BULLDOGS	TIGERS
34	33

Exciting pictures from the 1997 Louisiana Homecoming Game surround the page. Louisiana came out victorious in the end, against Macon, with a final score of 34-33.

AND THE CROWD GOES
WILD!



HOMECOMING

CORONATION



SENIOR CANDIDATES



JUNIOR



SOPHOMORE



FRESHMAN



**FOREIGN
EXCHANGE REP.**

Top: The complete 1997 Louisiana High School homecoming court pose for a picture after the crowning of the queen, Tonya Penrod, and king, Sharawn Griffith.



DANCE FEVER



Above: Chris Keithley poses with this year's Queen Tonya Penrod.



It was Homecoming time again, and with the absence of the dance in the '96 year, the Student Council was sure to bring one back better than ever! From disco to the latest hits, students were "cutting the rug," with the music provided by Carol Raspberry.

Song after song, the Dawg Pound was jamming to the beat, getting blisters on their feet. As if something contagious was going around, the party never ceased...this virus was nothing more than... DANCE FEVER!!!

Below: Kelly Dewey hypnotizes the camera with one of her flashy moves.

Stu-Co members Sam Clark and Terry Campbell share a kodak moment.





Left: Beth Gschwender, Goober Elliott, and Heidi Francis show off their pearly whites during the Homecoming dance.

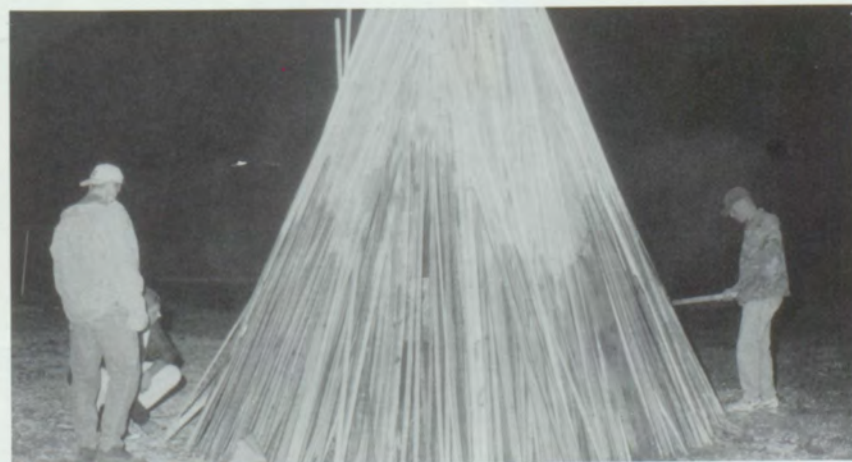
Below: This lovely scene was the work of local businesses, LHS organizations, and students during Homecoming week to show off true school spirit.

Bottom: Senior football captains Chris Keithley, Judd Lienhard, and Josh Woodward warm things up at this years Bon Fire.



This year's Homecoming took on a unique approach in defining school spirit. From the old tradition of yard trashing to the new innovative idea of yard decorations, the Bulldogs' front lawn was a sight to see.

Creative, original designs were on display from the local businesses to the students' works of art. This mural of festive beauty not only inspired the Dawgs, but led them to victory as well.



Courtwarming



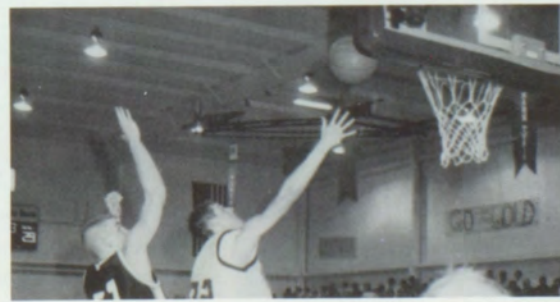
Courtwarming Royalty.Left: Jeff Wommack and Jennifer Griswold, Sam Clark and Jenny Guthrie crown bearer, Bret Smith and flower girl Rachael White, Kyle DeWeese and Stacey Griffith, Lora Perrine, Justin Wommack and Kasey Lawrence, King Terrell Griffith and Queen Tonya Penrod, Pat Shrum and Bethany Logan, Matt Griswold and Amanda Sperry, Sharawn Griffith and Juitaun Chatman, Terry Campbell and Kristin Bradley and Adam Hufty and Brandy Richards.

Louisiana's Courtwarming ended in disappointment for both boys and girls teams. Playing Palmyra was always a challenge for both Bulldog programs.

The state ranked and state tournament experienced Lady Panthers came on strong early in the game. The pressure defense caused many turnovers which Palmyra converted into points, creating a gap that Louisiana could not overcome.

Both Palmyra and Louisiana were two physical teams that showed their intensity from the beginning. During the climax of the game, tempers flared and penalties were called, hurting the Bulldogs.





Prom Preparations



Above Left: Ashley Helm and Jenny Guthrie work together to assemble the entrance tunnel to the gym.

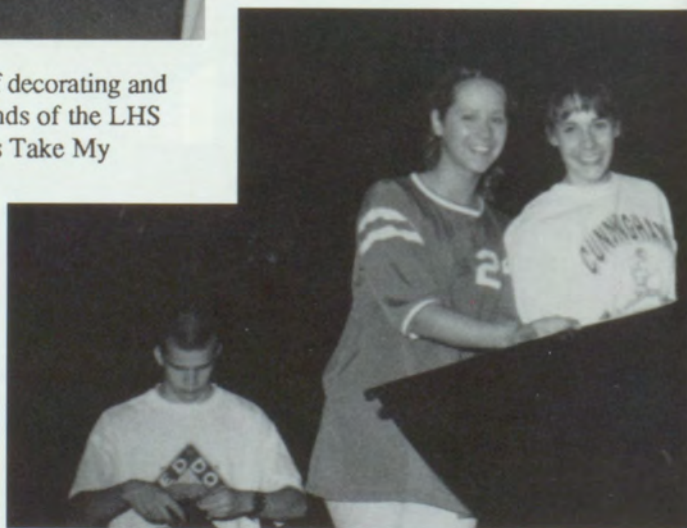
Above Right: Ashley Rowell, Ashley Helm, Amy Traynor, Chad Carroll, Brooke Asquith, Sarah Ferree, and Beth Gschwender take a break from the exhausting preparations.

Below: Charlie Lesley, Molly Thomas, and Ashley Rowell use teamwork to get the job finished in time.



Once again, the annual chore of decorating and putting on prom was in the hands of the LHS juniors. This year's theme was Take My Breath Away. Balloon trees, stars, and a sparkling waterfall decorated the middle school gym.

Above: Ashley Helm tells everyone how it should be, while Jenny Guthrie, Ashley Rowell, and Rob Love look on. **Left:** Brooke Asquith - caught empty handed.



Prom 1998



Left: Prom Court: Jeremy Stoops, Tonya Penrod, Terry Campbell, Lisa Sisco, Amanda Sperry, and Brad Singleton.

Below: Prom Queen Lisa Sisco and Prom King Terry Campbell minutes after the coronation ceremony ended.

"Pictures start at eight, Be there by nine." These were the instructions given to LHS juniors and seniors the week before prom. At eight o'clock, parents and spectators from the community began to arrive to witness the procession of the students into the gym.



Below: Prom attendees Amanda Sperry and Terry Campbell.



Above: Prom attendees Brad Singleton and Lisa Sisco.

Above: Prom attendees Jeremy Stoops and Tonya Penrod.

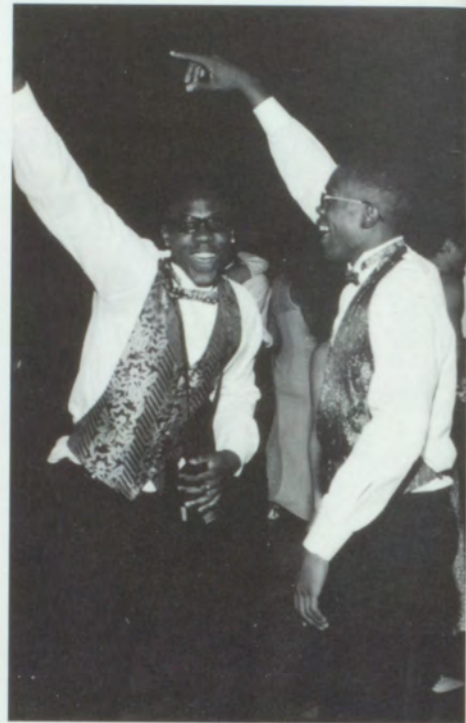


Take My Breath Away



Above: Ashley Helm and Brooke Deters share a memorable moment.

Below: Sarah Ferree and Danielle Branstetter laugh and dance together.



Above: Terrell Griffith and Sam Clark demonstrate the correct way to dance.



Above: Congratulations are in order!! Newly crowned queen Lisa Sisco and Pat Shrum exchange a quick handshake, while Jennifer Hall and Justin Wommack watch.



Above: Chris Keithley tries to touch Justin Wommack's hair, while Brenton Stark watches in amazement. Heidi Francis stands in the background.



Above: Molly Thomas, Brad Singleton, and Mandi Elliott show that they are having a good time at prom.

Below: Ruth Blankenship and Peter Pacheco discuss prom evening.



Above: Stuart Schwadron and Lisa Sisco take a moment to pose for a picture together.

Right: Kyle DeWeese and Eric Key dance the night away.

Below Left: Amber Love, Jennifer Hall, Lisa Sisco, Laura Lee, and Sara Reed take a moments break for a quick picture.

Below Right: Sara Reed and Jay Woods converse, while Charlie Lesley, Brooke Deters, and Tommy Rieck look on.



LHS After Prom



Above: Carey Stapleton hits the jackpot with the lucky ladies Amy Traynor and Danielle Branstetter by him. **Right:** Amber Love competes in the Chubba Bubba contest while Jennifer Hall cheers her on.



Left: Kasey Lawrence tries her luck at Twister. **Right:** Adam VanMeter and Melissa Smith put chances in to win great prizes.



Left: Dennis Helm prepares to deal a winning hand to Amber Love, Sara Reed, and Jennifer Hall. **Right:** Judd Lienhard sings "You've Lost That Loving Feeling"





Left: Coach Hickman and Coach Combs compete in the Chubba Bubba contest. Right: Jenny Guthie concentrates on the floor?



Above: The remaining few battle it out in the Balloon Dance. Below: Ben Cordes and Hazel Emily take part in the Orange Dance.



Above: The craps table was a success. Below: Brooke Asquith and Amanda Sperry smile for the camera

Above: The Blackwood's make a bold fashion statement. Below: Ashley Helm and Pat Shrum take a moment for a picture.

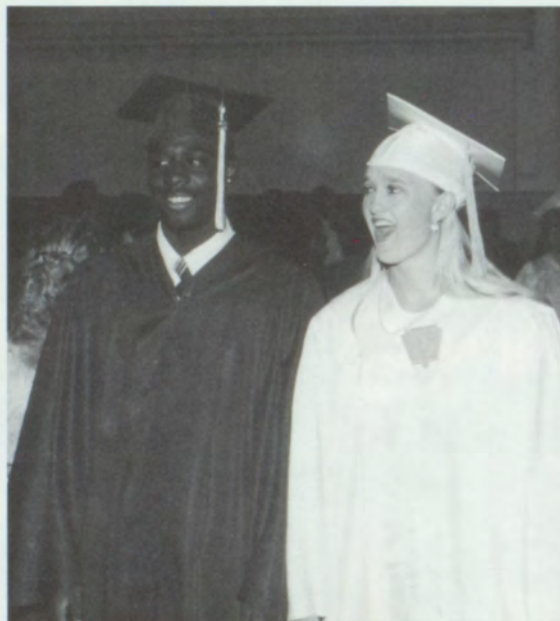


Graduation '98



Above: Mr. Bob (Slominsky) speaks at commencement.

Below: Terry Campbell and Kasey Lawrance have one last laugh before they graduate.



Above: Valedictorian Chris Keithley gives his commencement address.



Above: Ben Cordes dedicates a song he wrote to the graduating class.



Left: Keri Dewey and Kristin Bradley smile for one last picture together.

Class of '98
Valedictorian:
Chris Keithley
Salutatorian:
Sara Reed

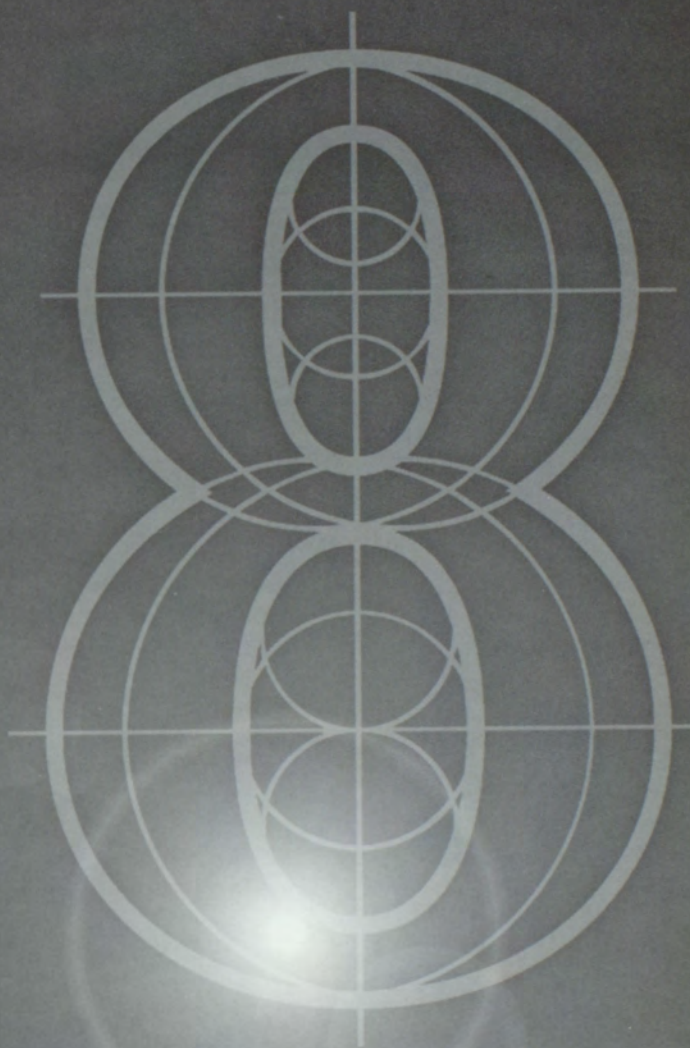
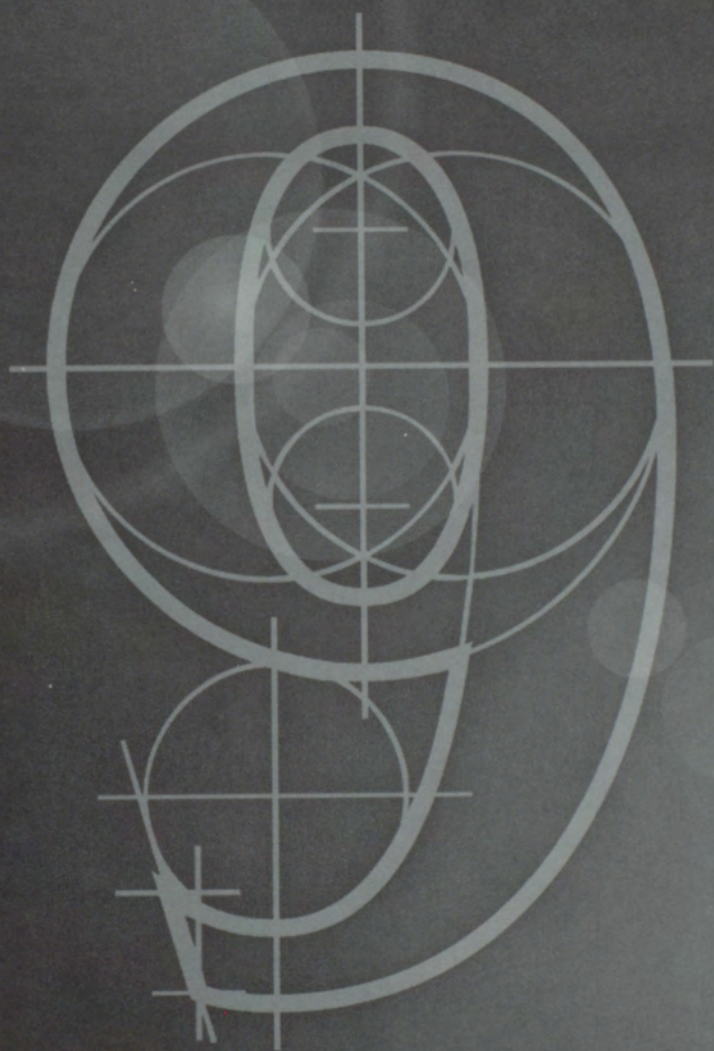
Right: The graduating class switches their tassels.







Faculty



Central Office Personnel



Dr. Larry Roberts
Superintendent



Doris Henderson
Bookkeeper



Terri Sperry
Bookkeeper



Shannon Willis
Office Assistant

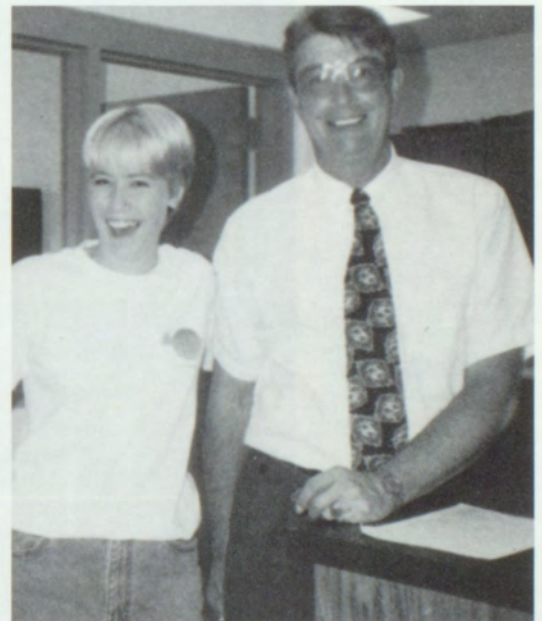
High School Administration



Al Charboneau
Principal



Wanda Pursifull
Secretary



Above Left: Terri Sperry and Wanda Pursifull diligently work together to get everything done. Above: Becky Durham and Mr. Charboneau are taken by surprise. Left: Mr. Charboneau in attendance at one of the many sporting events throughout the year.



Faculty

Left: Mrs. Underwood, Mrs. Giltner, and Mrs. Green relax after enjoying their meal.



David Blackwood
Jennalie Blackwood
Joanna Brock
Tyler Clark
Jim Cox



Holly Dehner
Jeanie Eisenhower
Jennifer Gerding
Nancy Goodhart
Tony Gschwender



Jan Hall
Michelle Hepperman
J. L. Hickman
Sally Keithley
Jon Larson

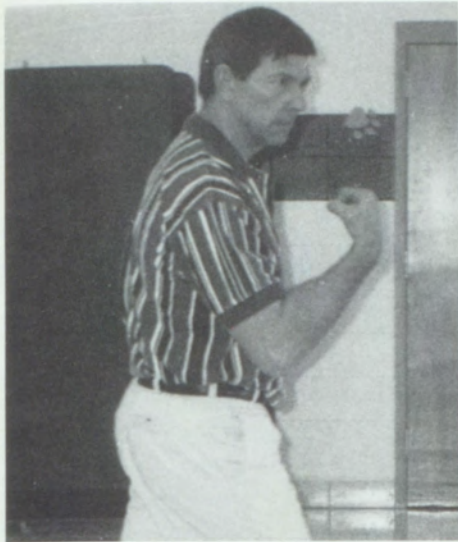


What do you do on your days off?

Mr. Cox: "I spend as much time as I can with my family and I think about ways in which I can be mean to my students."

The Blackwoods: "We work on our new house."

Mrs. Shaw: "I decorate my house, watch movies, and spend time with my kids."



Far Left: Coach Gschwender flexes his powerful muscle.
Left: Mr. Clark stands at the podium while reading to his class.

Below: Mrs. Gilter while working at her desk.



Mitch Mahabir
Geneva Martinson
Roger McHenry
Dale Miller
Jana Moore

Virginia Reid
Ed Schieffer
Cheryl Shaw
Anita St. Pierre
Shirley Underwood

Mr. Clark: "I plan for the next days of school and hope for a 200-day school year."

Mr. McHenry: "Average grades, grade homework, and make lesson plans."

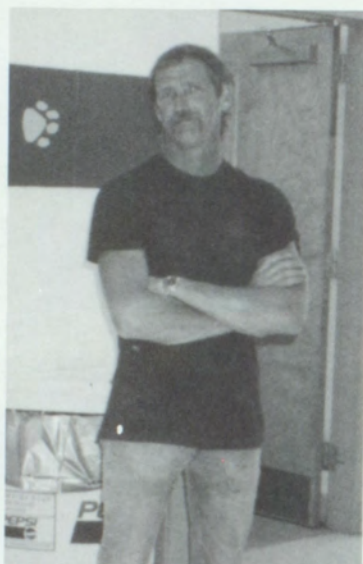
Miss Hepperman: "I work on my thesis."

Mr. Larson: "Stuff around the house."

Our Support Staff



Loren Sloppy



Albert Cullom



Melody Chatman



Mary Burton

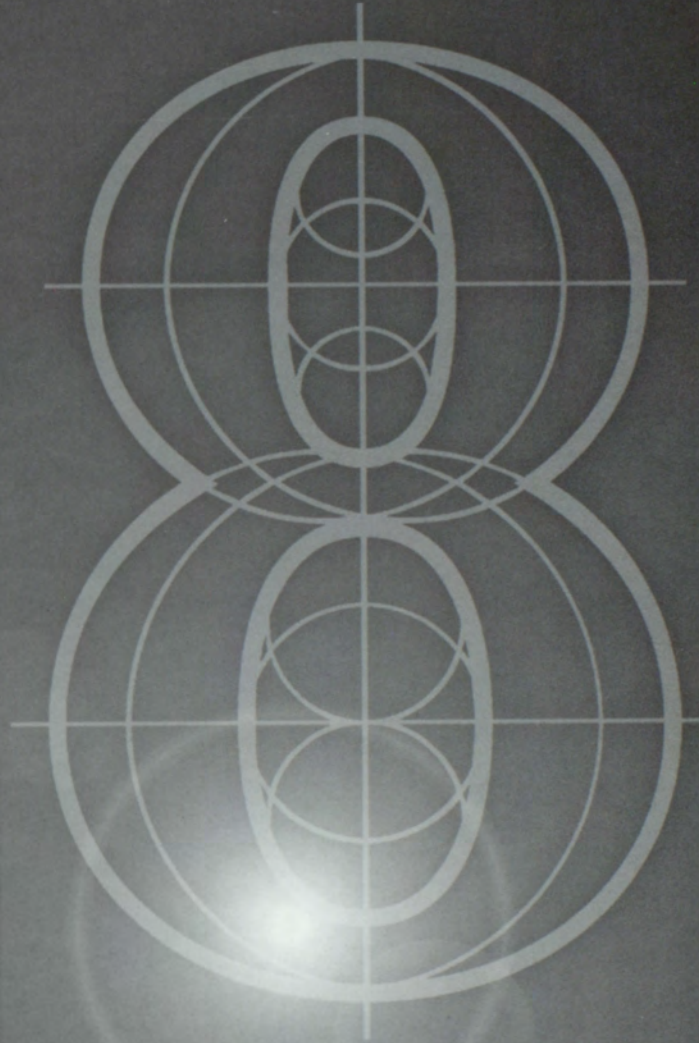


Cindy Osborne



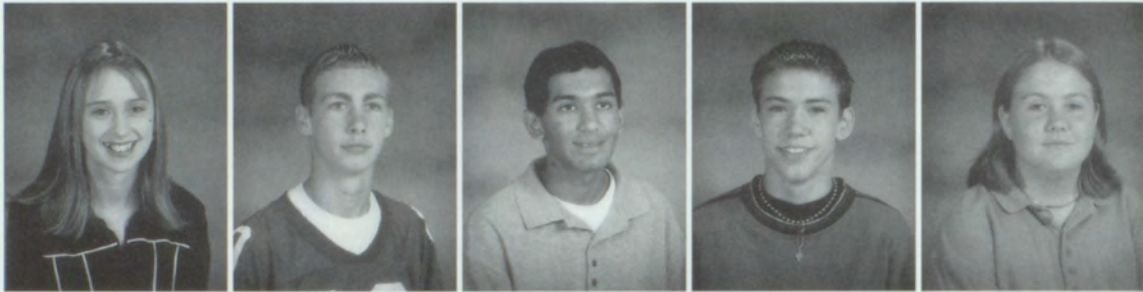
Sharon Meyers

Freshmen



of ... 2001

Christy Alexander
William Beaty
Mehul Bhakta
Michael Bishop
Christina Bonzani



Eddie Bradley
Jason Bradshaw
Laura Brown
Phillip Brown
Richie Bryant



William Buffington
Ashley Carnes
Caleb Collins
Megan DeCamp
Erin Deters



Timmy DeWeese
Kelly Dewey
Chad Diffey
Kinzi Duban
Andrew Elder



What do you
hate about
being a
Freshman?

Clark Stoeckley: "Two words: FRESHMAN KARATE."

Phillip Brown: "I hated to clean up the practice field after football practice."

Christina Bonzani: "I hate that we have to share lockers."



At left: Freshman attentively watch a film in Mr. Cox's class. Pictured are Thomas Onik, Ashley Carnes, Marty Niffen, Myra Martin and Jeff Gschwender.

Below: Erin Deters, Kelly Dewey, Jennifer Griswold and Melissa Smith enjoy their lunches.



Goober Elliott
Heather Flanagan
Steven Goodin
Jennifer Griswold
Jeff Gschwender

Betty Harrison
Rawne Hayden
Evan Hoskins
Samantha Hurd
Julia Irvin

Angela Kemry
Vanessa Lang
Casey Malcom
Myra Martin
Natalie McKenna

Sarah Reynolds: "I hate not knowing where the classes are."

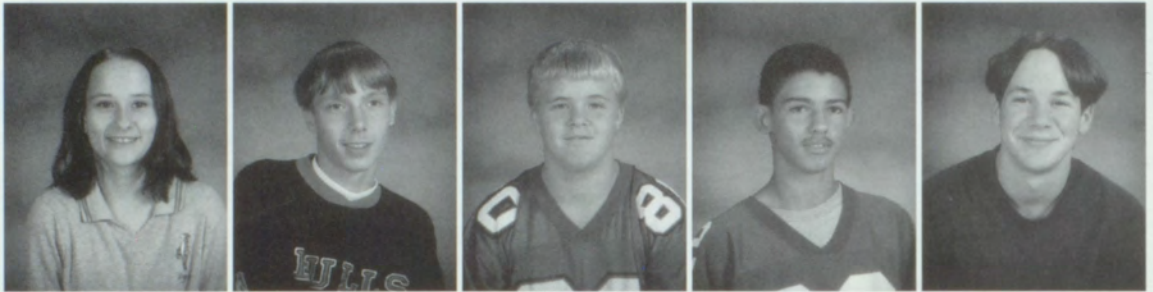
Brandon Pursifull: "I hate having to do things for upper classmen."

Goober Elliott: "I don't hate being a Freshman, matter of fact I love it!"

Jason Bradshaw: "Home-work and Seniors."

Freshmen

Jennifer Miller
 Jabob Mix
 Matt Murry
 Marty Niffen
 Judson Norvell



Thomas Onik
 Dustin Polach
 Brandon Pursifull
 Sarah Reynolds
 Jennifer Schmidt



Matt Schuckenbrock
 Danny Smith
 James Smith
 Melissa Smith
 Christopher Sperry



Michael Starman
 Clark Stoeckley
 David Sutton
 Michael Tarpein
 Sara Tipton



Sam Trent
 Brett Ward
 Michael Wilfong
 Christopher Wilson
 Jeffery Wommack





Left: Danny Smith works hard on his awesome American history quiz in front of Mr. Cox's class.

Photo Not Available:
 Evelyn Burse
 Erika Carr
 Kim Colbert
 Jackie Elliott
 James Harrelson
 Amber Moller
 Karoy Smith

Below: Tim DeWeese and Dustin Polach work on a bet against Mr. McHenry. Mr. McHenry won the bet, however.



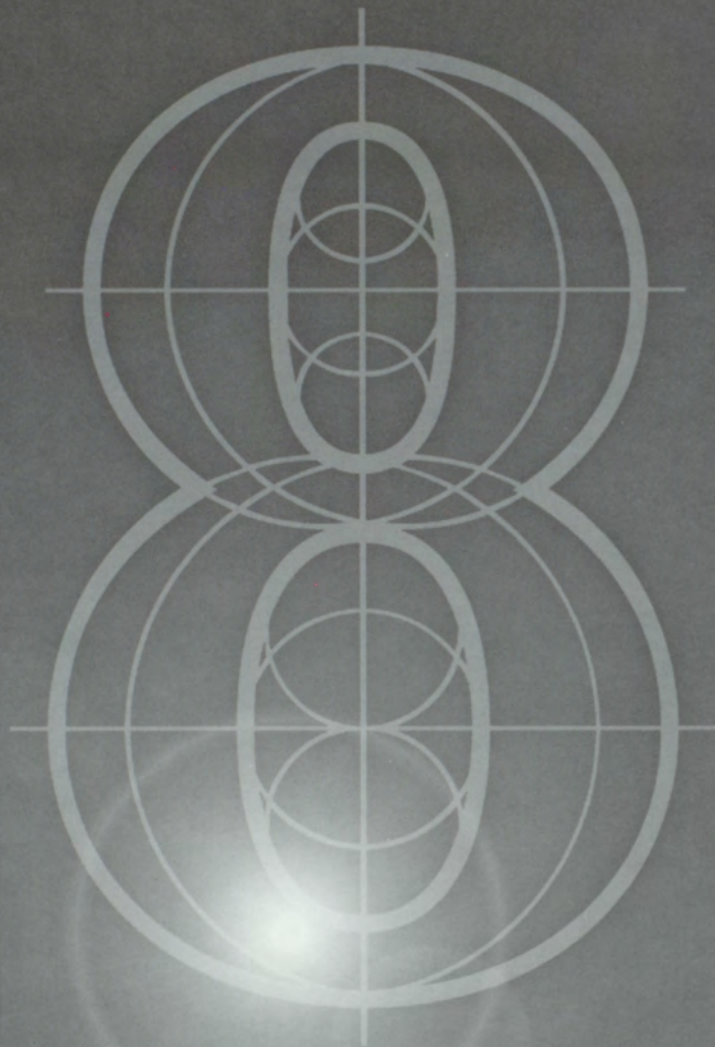
Below: Goober Elliott and Phillip Brown share a bonding moment in Mr. Clark's English class.



Left: Chad Diffey looks intently at the camera while working on his "wonderful" art project.

Above: A close-up of Thomas Onik while considering what to eat next during lunch!

Sophomores



of ... 2000



James Anderson
Norman Bibb
Jake Blackwell
Danielle Boston
Laura Boyd



Justin Burse
Freda Caldwell
Brandi Cartmill
Jason Cashman
Alex Castiglia



Amanda Charlton
Brandon Chatman
Leland Chatman
Starlisha Chatman
Billie Clae'y's



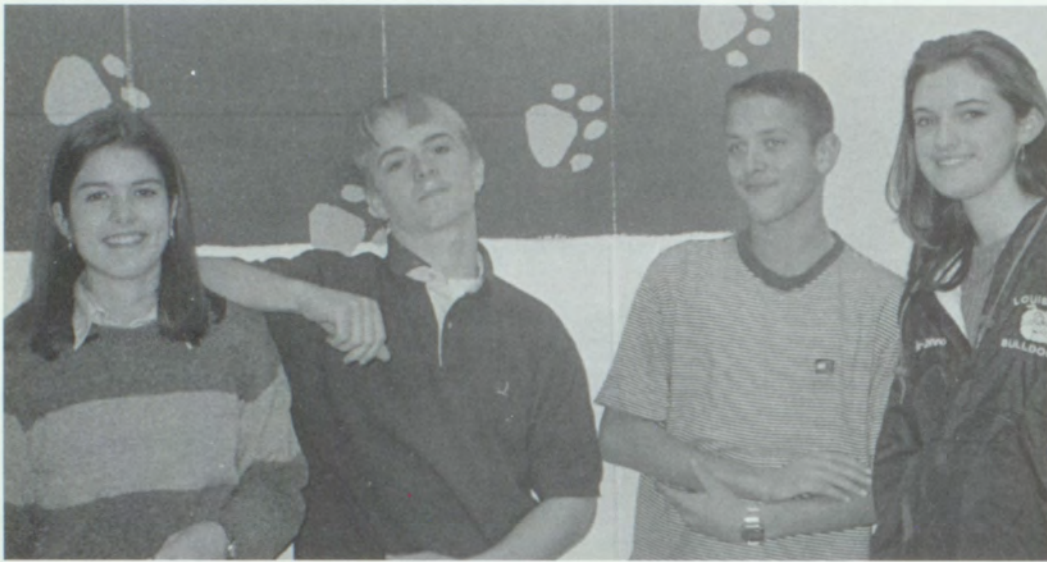
Ashley Cook
John Crigger
Michael Crigger
Angela Efnor
Beth Ferree

What do you do between classes, and what is your excuse?

Tara Slppely: "I search through my terribly messy locker, and say I was talking to Mr. Charboneau!"

Trevor Kessler: "I'm either doing the Kessler slide, or macking to girls and my excuse is I was calling my mom."

Andrea Williams: "I gossip about the big news that happened the night before and say I was talking to Mr. Ballou."



Left: Bryca Love, Carey Stapleton, Jake Blackwell, and Amanda Meyer are caught in the action of "chilling" at lunch.

Below: Brian White, Amanda Meyer, and Bryca Love show excitement while sitting through another day at lunch.



Marty Glenn
Cary Gray
Adam Griffith
Felicia Griffith
Brian Harrison

Justin Harrison
Kris Hufford
Adam Hufty
Matthew Keim
Trevor Kessler

Bryca Love
Jessica Lynn
Anita Mahabir
Christina McCormick
Gary McDaniel

Adam Hufty: "I go to the restroom and say I was talking to Mr. Ballou."

Brandi Cartmill: "I'll be talking to someone, and say I had to use the bathroom,"

Leland Chatman: "In the bathroom combing my hair, and my excuse is usually nothing."

James Anderson: "I talk, go to the restroom, and clean out my locker and I say that I was on the office getting medicine."



Amanda Meyer
Seth Murry
Jessica Nay
Brandy Oliver
Brandy Richards



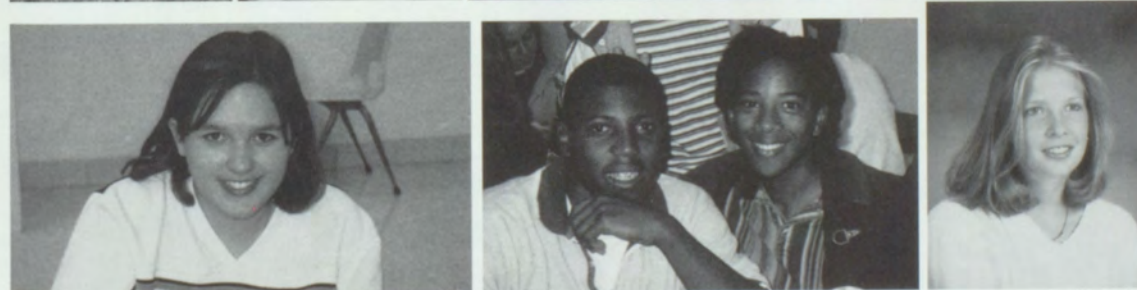
Jennifer Sanders
Josh Shade
Tara Sippely
Ryan Smith
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Carey Stapleton
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Lori Woods

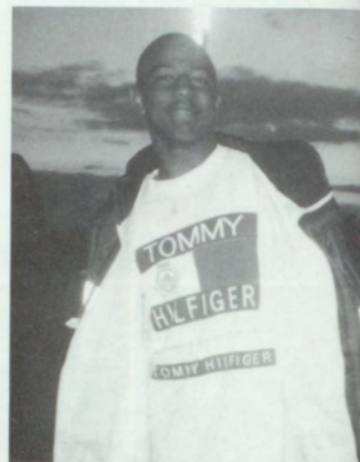
Marty Glenn "In the bathroom talking, and I say I had a nosebleed, or that I was taking medication."

Justin Salyer "Using the restroom washing my hands, and I say I was talking to Mr. Charboneau."

Matt Peabody "Talking to Beth Gschwender, and I say that I couldn't get in my locker."

Brian White "Giving piggyback rides, and I don't have an excuse, just mark me tardy!"

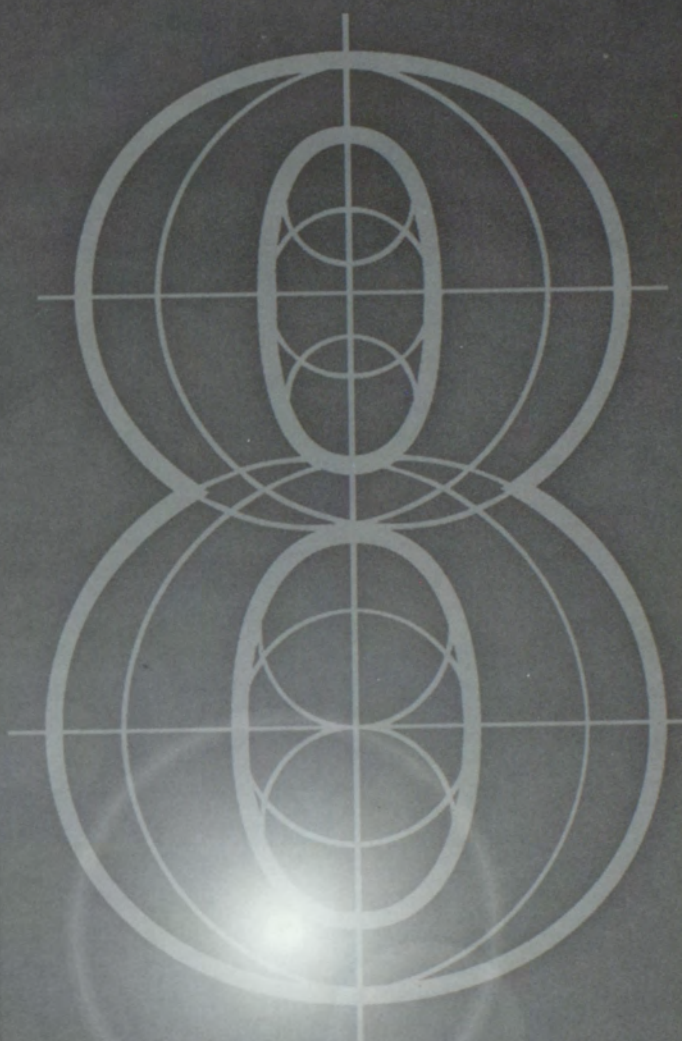
Sophomores



Above: Officers Danielle Boston, Adam Hufty, Andrea Williams, and Ryan Starkey. **Upper right:** Leland Chatman poses. **Right:** Robert Welch, Adam Griffith and Angela Efnor in English II. **Bottom right:** Jessica Lynn and Jennifer Sanders pose at lunch.



Juniors



of ... 99

Brooke Asquith
Rodney Baker
Kimberly Blackwell
Ruth Blankenship
Dawn Bliss



Josh Boston
Danielle Branstetter
Rodney Buffington
Keitha Butler
Richie Calvin



Chad Carroll
John Channell
Heather Charlton
Vernace Charlton
Terry Chenoweth



Sam Clark
Charlie Creech
Brooke Deters
Michelle Dobelmann
Rebecca Durham



What is your most memorable moment?

"3rd hour Geometry with Mr. Capsel."

- Molly Thomas

"When we won our only basketball game last year."

-Michele Lindsay

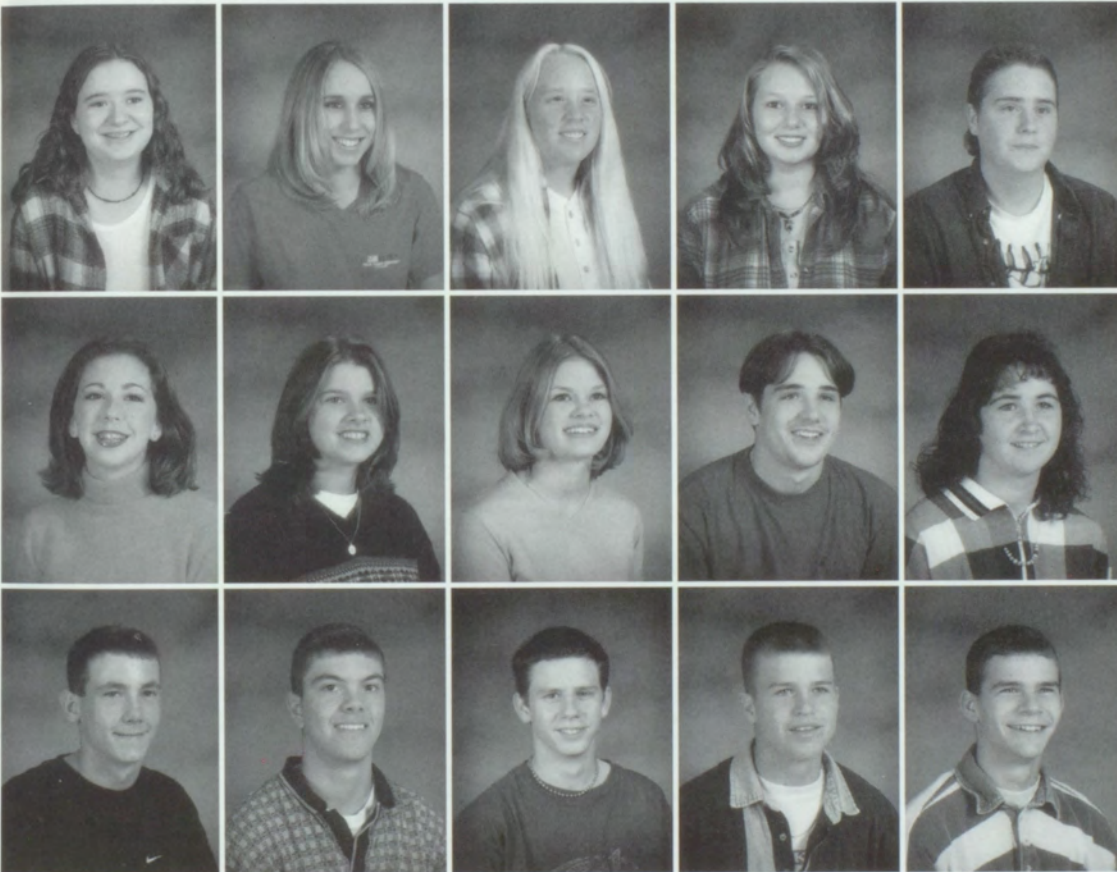
"Homecoming 1997, decorating the lawn."

-Beth Gschwender



A night out with the boys?
 Charlie Lesley, Adam VanMeter,
 Jarred Watts, Steven Ince, Shep
 Sheppard, Tommy Rieck, and
 Tim Jordan.

Below: Looks like trouble!!
 Tommy Rieck and Steven Ince take
 a moment to cheese for the camera.



Jennifer Elliott
 Sarah Ferree
 Kimberly Fisher
 Heidi Francis
 Travis Garrett

Beth Gschwender
 Jennifer Guthrie
 Ashley Helm
 Isiah Hoskins
 Christina Hurd

Brad Ince
 Steven Ince
 Dale Jordan
 Tim Jordan
 Charlie Lesley

*"My playpin in 5th hour Art
 III."*

-Tommy Rieck

*"Sliding into home plate
 head first."*

-Heidi Francis

*"Decorating the Seniors
 lawns on Homecoming."*

-Jenny Guthrie

*"Getting the wind knocked
 out of me at baseball practice."*

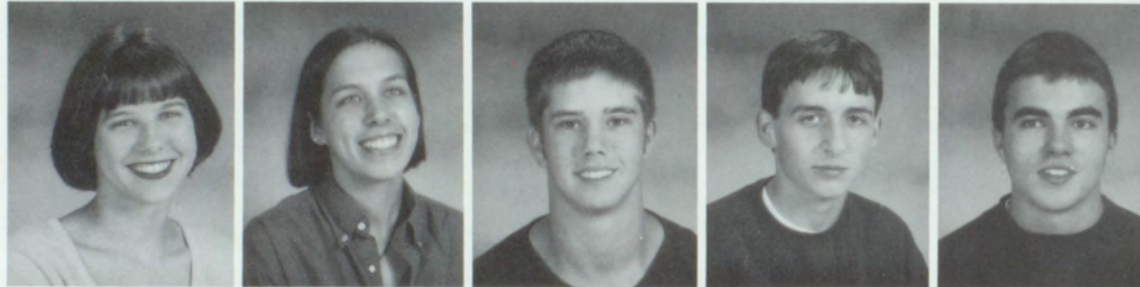
-Ashley Rowell

Right: Amy Traynor, Brooke Deters, Brooke Asquith and Danielle Branstetter all lean in for a picture.

Below: Josh Boston, Jarred Watts, Thomas Onik, and Adam VanMeter all take a short break from lunch to smile for the camera.



Nicole Lesley
Michele Lindsay
Rob Love
Jeff Lovell
Josh Lundak



Mary Major
Kimberly McDaniel
William O'Donnell
Katie Onik
Michelle Pruitt



Tommy Rieck
Lonnie Robbins
Ashley Rowell
Mike Ruble
Shep Sheppard



What is your most embarrassing moment?

"When I finally realized my pants were unzipped in 6th hour typing."

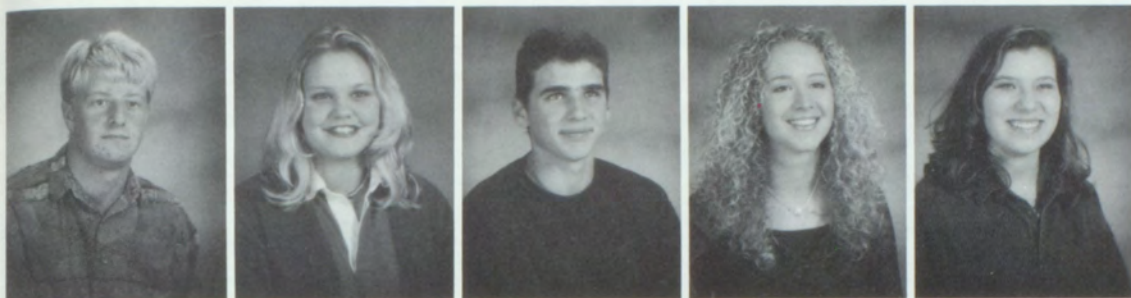
- Amanda Wilfong

"When I fell in front of everyone trying to get on Carrie Vallar's shoulders during a pep assembly."

-Beth Gschwender

"When I tripped over the 50 yard line marker before the game."

-Shep Sheppard



Dennis Stone
Jessica Stoops
Ryan Stoops
Molly Thomas
Amy Traynor



Carrie Vallar
Adam VanMeter
Danielle Wagner
Jarred Watts
Amanda Wilfong

Right: Michael Wilfong, Dennis Stone, and Terry Chenoweth all take a break from lunch to smile for the camera.



Todd Woods



Above: Richie Calvin makes his famous "Richie" look that everyone knows all too well.



Above: Michele Lindsay unsuccessfully hides from the camera.

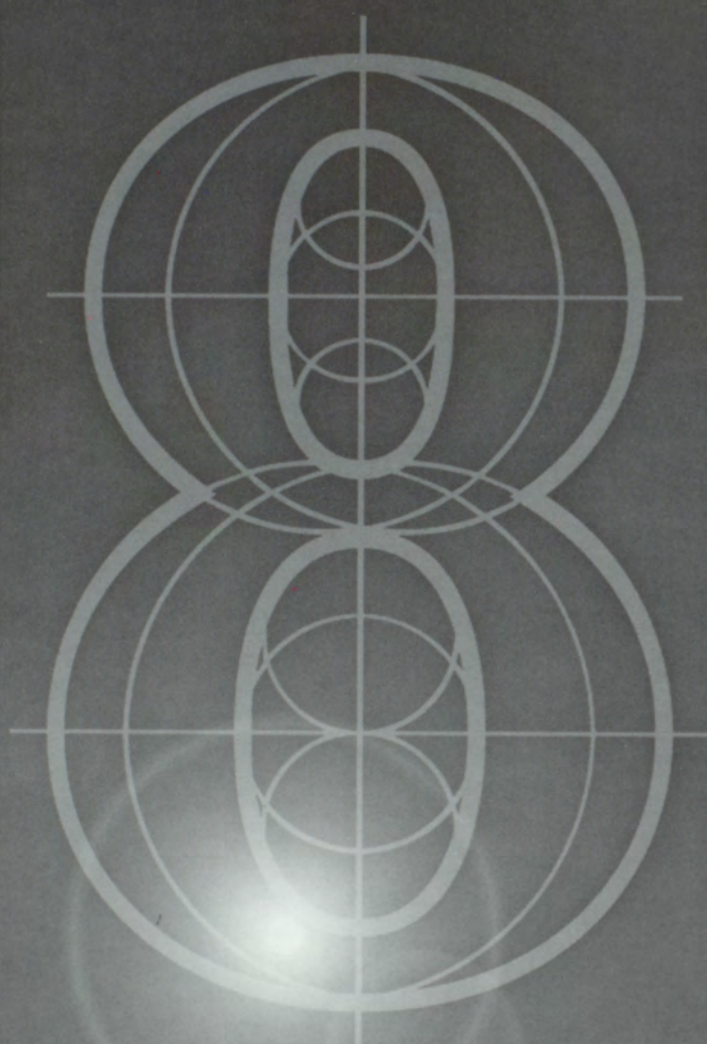
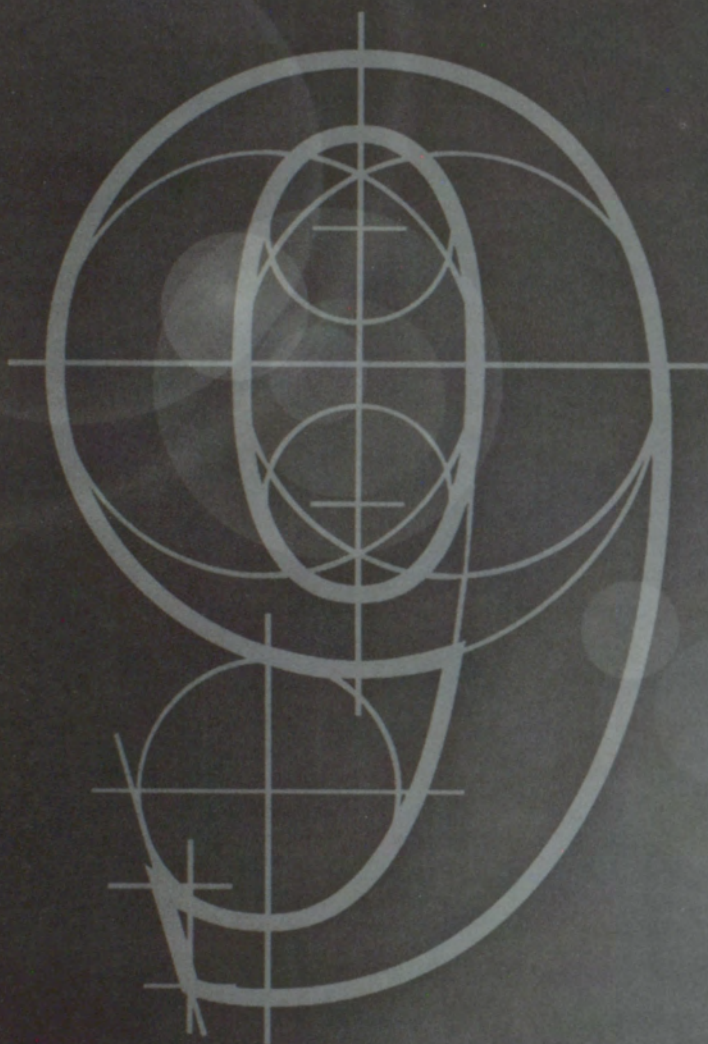


Above: Molly Thomas and Ashley Rowell

Right: Ashley Helm and Tommy Rieck innocently pose for a picture in the Men's bathroom.



Seniors





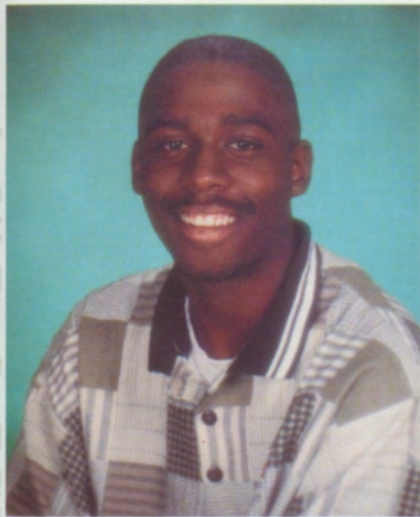
Vanessa Alexander



Danielle Anderson



Kristin Bradley



Terry Campbell



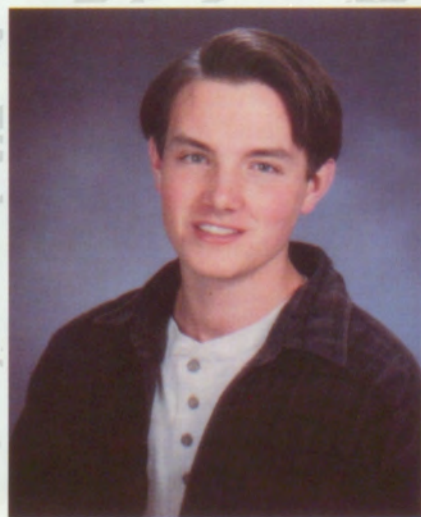
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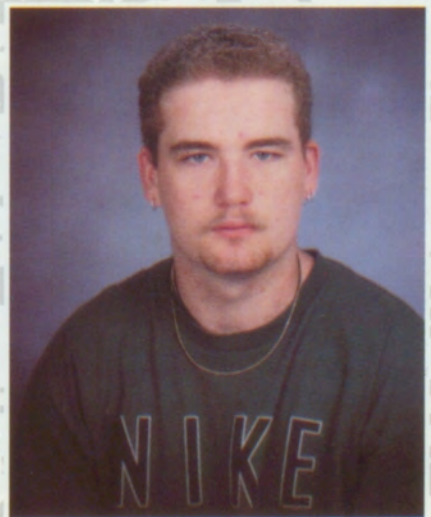
Juitaun Chatman



Jeff Christopher



Ben Cordes



Chris Couch

Senior Flashbacks



Above: Lisa Sisco, Jennifer Hall, Sara Reed, and Joy Powelson taking a break at a Girl Scout meeting.

Below: Keri Dewey and Bethany Logan getting ready to show their swimming abilities.



Left: Lora Perrine, Pat Shrum, and Amanda Sperry on the last day of their eighth grade year.
Right: Stuart Schwadron, Tonya Penrod, Pat Shrum, Chris Keithley, Brian Crowder, Mandi Elliott, Bethany Logan, and Kyle DeWeese bob for apples at one of Bethany's birthday parties.



Above: Stacey Griffith, Kristin Bradley, and Bethany Logan at a Pizza Hut birthday party.



Below: Mandi Elliott and Tonya Penrod eating marshmallows.
Left: Danielle Anderson and Stacey Griffith at a Halloween dress-up party.





Left: Is this really Bethany Logan??

Right: Amanda Sperry, Mandi Elliott, Keri Dewey, Bethany Logan, and Danielle Anderson chewin' on straws.

Below Left: Emily Schwadron, Tonya Penrod, Mandi Elliott, Kyle DeWeese, Lora Perrine, Ben Cordes, and Chris Keithley at a float building party.

Below Right: A fifth grade trip.



Left: Lisa Sisco, Jennifer Hall, Sara Reed, Valerie Cropp, Tonya Penrod, Joy Powelson, and Heather Price at Girl Scout camp.

Right: Stuart Schwardron in eighth grade.

Below Left: Sara Reed, Jennifer Hall, Joy Powelson, Tasha Myers, Emily Schwadron, Keri Dewey, and Twiggy at a Girl Scout dress up day.

Below Right: Do any of these faces look familiar? It's Mrs. Trost's sixth grade class.





Valerie Cropp



Jerri Beth DeCamp



Kyle DeWeese



Keri Dewey



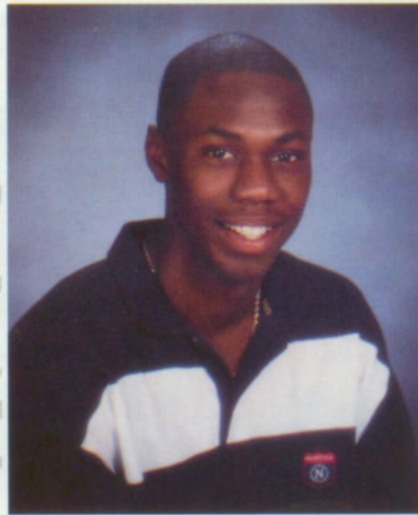
Mandi Elliott



Sharawn Griffith



Stacey Griffith



Terrell Griffith



Matt Griswold



Jennifer Hall



Doug Hoskins



Rachel Howard



Chris Keithley



Eric Key



Kasey Lawrence



Laura Lee



Judd Lienhard



Mike Lindsay



Left: A circle of preschool friends: Emily Schwadron, Bethany Logan, Kristin Bradley, Keri Dewey, Lora Perrine, and Stacey Griffith.

Right: Amanda Sperry and Lora Perrine showing the world their true selves



Below: Patrick Shrum, taking a moment to pose with his close friend, Ronald McDonald.

Right: Recognize these cowboys and cowgirl?? They are none other than seniors Mandi Elliott, Brad Singleton, Pat Shrum, Kyle DeWeese, and Eric Wharton.



Below: Mandi Elliott, Amanda Sperry, Emily Schwadron, Tonya Pendrod, Amber Love, and Jennifer Hall showing their middle school pep club spirit.



Above: Stacey Griffith, Bethany Logan, and Lora Perrine compete to see how many marshmallows will fit in their mouths.
Left: Former Boncl graduates: Lisa Sisco, Heather Price, Brenton Stark, and Benjamin Cordes.



Left: Mrs. Goodin's sixth grade class.
Below: Joy Powelson, Tasha Meyers, Amanda Sperry, Tonya Penrod, Emily Schwadron, Sara Reed, and Heather Hampton at one of the numerous birthday parties from long ago.
Below Far Left: Josh Woodward sits on santa Judd Lienhard's lap, while Kristin Bradley watches.



Left: Judd Lienhard and Amber Love decked out for a school Christmas play.
Right: Amber Love and Laura Lee have fun on the miniature carousel while on a girl scout outing.





Bethany Logan



Amber Love



Jennifer Sue McCormick



Tasha Myers



Peter Pacheco



Tonya Penrod



Lora Perrine



Joy Powelson



Elizabeth Poyser



Heather Price



Sara Reed



Tracy Richards



Jason Sapp



Emily Schwadron



Stuart Schwadron



Patrick Shrum



Jeff Silvey



Brad Singleton



Left: Keri Dewey and Sara Reed using balloons to model what they hope to look like in the future.
Right: Amanda Sperry and Tonya Penrod...acting naughty right before Christmas??



Above: Mandi Elliott, Jennifer's little sis, Amber Love, Amanda Sperry, Jennifer Hall, and Tasha Myers taking a break at a sleepover at Jennifer's house.



Left: Tonya Penrod, Heather Woods, Amanda Sperry, Lora Perrine, and Kyle De-weese at a birthday bowling party for Amanda.
Right: Kristin Bradley, Amanda Sperry, and Bethany Logan (in the background) standing in the jr. high gym. Oh, those fond memories!!





Above left: A freshman geography class: Bethany Logan, Sarah Kays, Kasey Lawrence, Mr. Jesberg, Sarah Deslover, Stacey Griffith, Sara Reed, Amanda Sperry, and Kristin Bradely.

Above right: Sara Reed, Beth Gschwender, Bethany Logan, Tonya Penrod, Keri Dewey, Stacey Griffith, Amanda Sperry, and Heather Woods at a b-day party.

Left: Juitaun Chatman and Terry Campbell in a jr. high shop class.

Right: Sara Reed caught snacking before dinner.

Below left: And the winner of the beauty contest is...Kyle DeWeese??

Below right: Emily Schwadron, Bethany Logan, and Chris Couch in a middle school play.





Lisa Sisco



Amanda Sperry



Brenton Stark



Jeremy Stoops



Amanda Walker



Eric Wharton



Justin Wommack



Joshua Woodward



Foreign Exchange Student
Anne Hofelmeyer



Senior Confessions

I, Kasey Lawrence confess to sleeping in my truck in front of Ashley Cook's house.

I, Amanda Sperry confess that I spent my summer in Texas at the ages of 19, 20, and 21 when I was only 17.

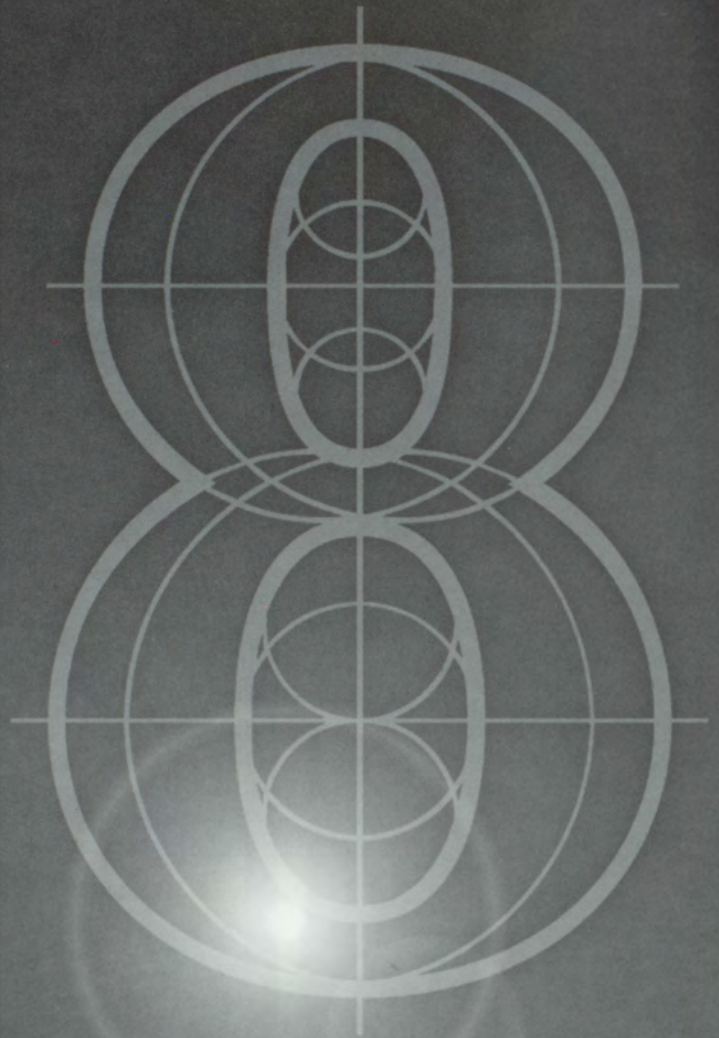
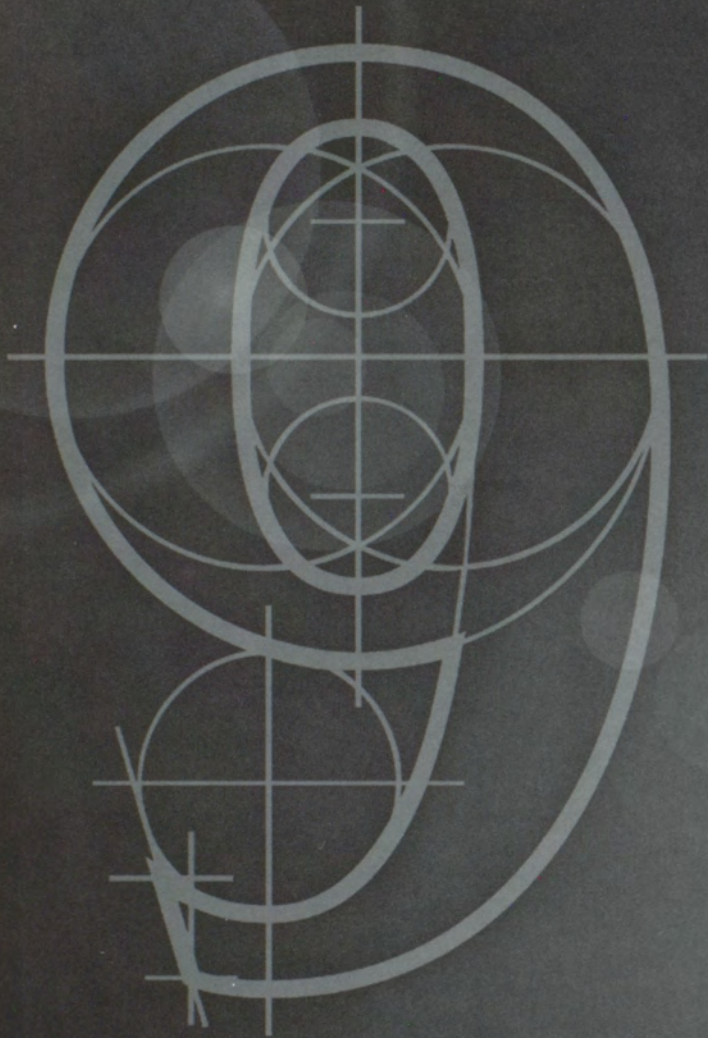
I, Kristin Bradley confess to helping the majority of the Anatomy class receive outstanding grades on their semester tests.

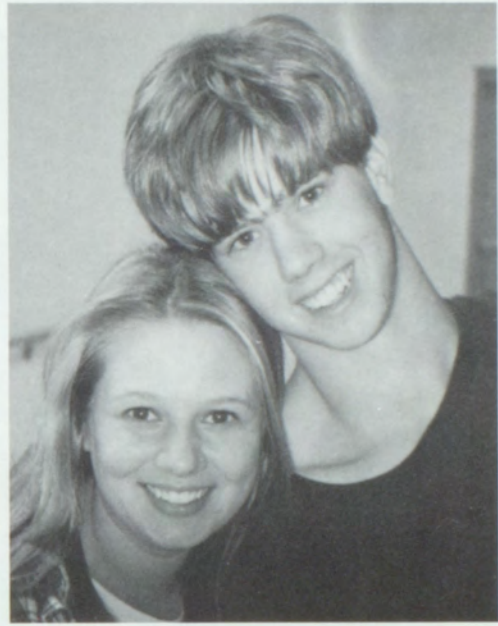
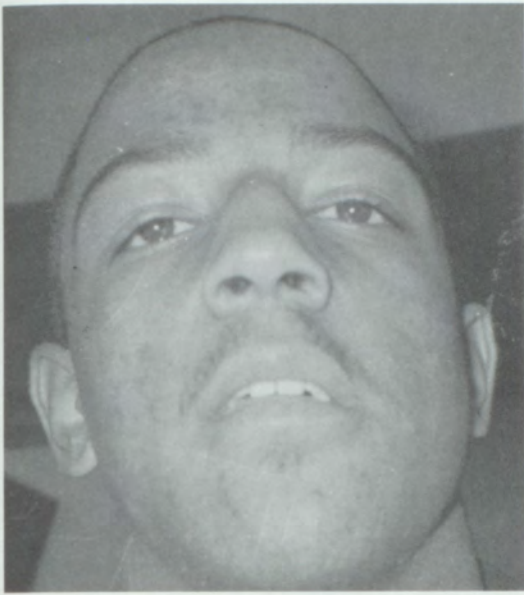
I, Stuart Schwadron confess that I taught myself to drive when my dad happened to be out of town with the help of Patrick Shrum.

I, Lisa Sisco confess that the foul odor that was blamed on Judd Lienhard was really my own.



Sports





Softball



Front Row: Captain Tonya Penrod and Juitaun Chatman. **Second Row:** Heidi Francis, Starlisha Chatman, Marty Glenn, Anne Hoefelmeyer, Ashley Cook, Amanda Meyer, Bryca Love, Kelly Dewey, Myra Martin. **Back Row:** Jenny Guthrie, Goober Elliot, Lisa Sisco, Carrie Valler, Kasey Lawrence, Keri Dewey, Ashley Rowell, and Lori Woods.



Above: Sitting in the corner of the dugout, Goober is out of breath and sits to enjoy a quiet moment to herself. For once in her life!

Senior Night

By Juitaun Chatman

It was the last of the games,
that the senior parents had come.
To see the team shine,
just one last time.

The parents stood behind,
the third base line.
There they and the parents gathered,
and shared the years they had mastered.

The game was not a win,
but we gave everything we had within.
Whether it was in the field or up to bat,
we gave everything we had had.

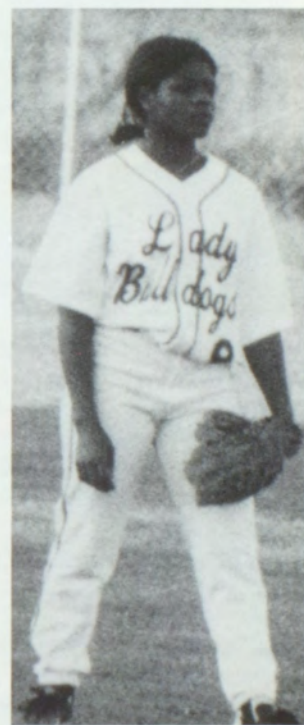
After gathering the equipment,
and hearing the coaches last statement.
Congratulating the finished year,
left us players in tears.

The tears that we shed,
was another memory we had.
And the years that we played,
are the years that will never fade.



Score Board

	LHS	Opponent
Elsberry	1	13
Palmyra	0	15
Winfield	7	8
Wellsville	1	12
Montgomery City	6	7
Monroe City	0	10
Bowling Green	8	12
Van-Far	8	15
Clopton	3	18
Palmyra	1	11
South Shelby	2	16
Centralia	0	10
Mark Twain	2	8
Bowling Green	13	8
Clopton	3	12
Silex	9	12
Wellsville	4	20
Marion County	2	12
Monroe City	4	13
Mark Twain	4	9
J F K	6	13





1st Row: Eric Key, Terrell Griffith, Brad Singleton, Sharawn Griffith, Judd Lienhard, Chris Keithley, Josh Woodward, Jeremy Stoops, Justin Wommack. **2nd Row:** Daneal Wommack, Leland Chatman, Tim Jordan, Shep Sheppard, Ryan Smith, Justin Burse, Brandon Chatman, Chad Carroll, Carey Stapleton, Justin Harrison. **3rd Row:** Jason Cashman, Matt Keim, Ryan Starkey, Jeff Wommack, Brad Stoops, Gary McDaniel, Trevor Kessler, Alex Castiglia, Danny Wood. **4th Row:** Jeff Gschwender, Richie Bryant, Chad Diffey, Clark Stoekley, Brett Ward, Danny Smith, Jason Bradshaw, Philip Brown.

The Bulldogs had a good season with a final record of seven wins and three losses.

For the first game of the season, the Dawgs took on the Bowling Green Bobcats defeating them 24-8.

The second game of the season was against South Shelby; the Bulldogs pounded them into the ground with an ending score of 40-25.

The Bulldogs went on to win the next game against North Calloway with the biting score of 50-25.

Warren County thought that they would take on the Bulldogs and leave with a victory, but Louisiana showed them that they had another thing coming; a win for Louisiana of 40-14.

The Bulldogs first loss was against Monroe City with a score of 20-34.

The next game, against Macon was a victorious one as the Bulldogs took the game with the score of 34-33, bringing the season record to five wins and one loss.

Centralia and Palmyra were the two losses to the Bulldogs that brought their record to 5-3.

The Bulldogs, mad about their previous losses were determined to win the next two games against Highland and Mark Twain.

ScoreBoard		
	US	THEM
Bowling Green	24	8
S. Shelby	40	25
N. Calloway	50	25
Warren County	40	14
Monroe City	20	34
Macon	34	33
Centralia	18	28
Palmyra	16	41
Highland	49	13
Mark Twain	34	7

Against Highland the score was 49-13 and against Mark Twain the score was 34-7 as The Bulldogs end the season with smile.



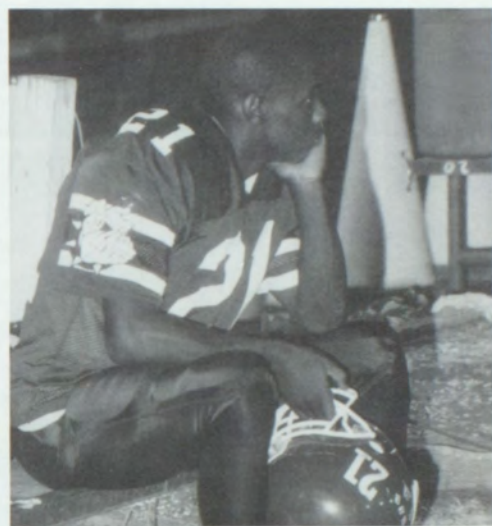
Above: The Bulldog mascot makes an appearance at one of the games, to raise the spirit of the crowd.



Above: Coach Gschwender scratching his head wondering how the Bulldogs got so good.



Below: Terrell Griffiths sits and thinks about the play that just happened and future plays coming up.



Right: The Bulldog symbol is one of the most honored symbols in the Louisiana High School, every student in sports is proud to wear this symbol on their jersey and on regular street clothes as well.



Left: Eric Key stands and waits for his time to go back into the game.

Right and up: Terrell Griffith on the field getting ready to run for the ball.

Right and down: Justin Burse resting on the side lines while waiting for his chance to go back in.



LHS LADY BULLDOG BASKETBALL



Front row from left to right: Seniors Bethany Logan, Kasey Lawrence, Laura Lee and Tonya Penrod. **Middle row:** Michele Lindsay, Starlisha Chatman, Bryca Love, and Jenny Guthrie. **Back row:** Coach Jim Cox, Myra Martin, Ashley Cook, Amanda Meyer, Ashley Rowell, Marty Glenn and manager Brandi Cartmill.

The 1997-98 basketball season showed many changes for the Lady Bulldogs. A new year and another new coach, Jim Cox took over the challenge of coaching the team with a good attitude. Sarah Squires was the assistant coach.

The program made some positive strides during the previous summer with summer league and some open gyms. For about five weeks before the practice season started the girls weightlifted, ran, and attended open gyms as preseason conditioning. Dedication was the word of the year. The sizes may have been small, but the ones that stayed out worked hard and were dedicated.

Coach Cox commented before the season, "This is one of the most important years in a long time. These ladies will bring back respect to the Lady Dawg name. Wins and losses will take care of themselves, but through lots of hard work we will create a program that everyone can be proud of."

The Lady Bulldogs did make some improvements on their record, winning four games this year. It takes a while to get a team together and this year was the beginning of having a girls basketball program.



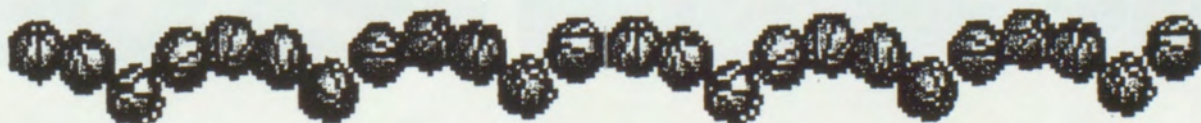
Right: Coach Cox getting ready to do his famous pace up and down in front of the bench.

Below: Kasey Lawrence knocks down yet another girl while shooting the basketball. Laura Lee under the basket boxing out waiting to rebound the basketball.



Below: Michele Lindsay drives in for a lay-up, with Bethany Logar underneath ready to rebound.

Right: Kasey Lawrence dribbling around the opponent. In the background Tonya Penrod, voted this year laziest senior girl, is caught by the camera in the act of her laziness.



This year's basketball season was one for the books. Coming off the spectacular season of last year, the Dawgs were pumped and ready for action headed by the senior players. Under the new coaching influence of Mr. Steve Combs, and assistant Mr. Don McCarty, this year's squad posted an impressive record of 19-9. Some of the highlights for the varsity club are: first place in the Clopton Tourney; for two consecutive years, and second at districts this season.



Front Row: Adam Hufty, Carey Stapleton, Matt Keim, and Sharawn Griffith.
Back Row: Coach Steve Combs, Terrell Griffith, Patrick Shrum, Justin Wommack, Kyle DeWeese, Daneal Wommack, Terry Campbell, Matt Griswold, and Coach Don McCarty.

The freshman oriented junior varsity squad posted a record of 3-11.

Although their record didn't hold up to their ethics, the young team worked hard all year long to improve on their overall game.

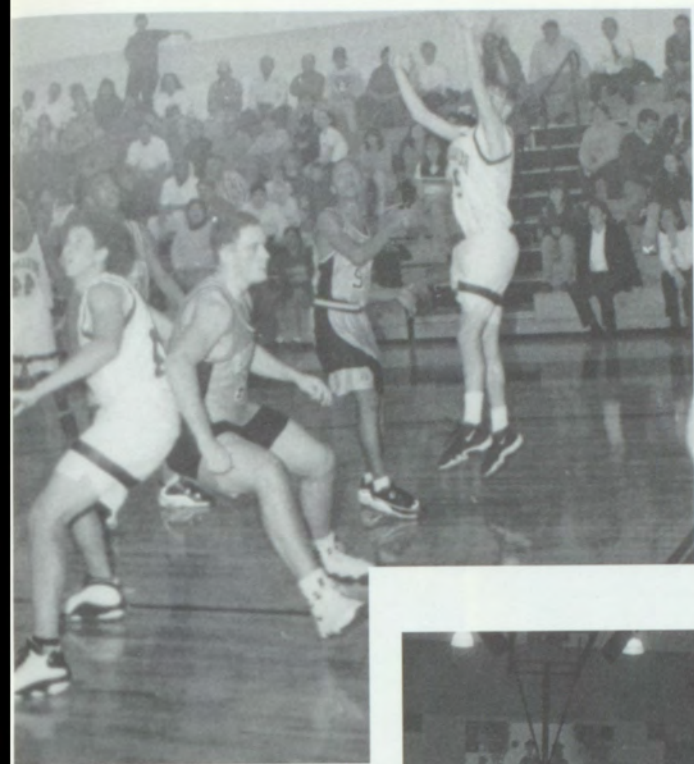
Six out of seven days a week, these youngsters lived basketball. With the loss of seven varsity players, these young athletes will have to be ready to step up, play ball, and accept the challenge.



Front Row: Dustin Pollach, Richie Bryant, Tim DeWeese, and Phillip Brown.
Back Row: Coach Steve Combs, Jeff Wommack, Matt Peabody, Brett Ward, Jeff Gschwender, Matt Schuckebrook, and Coach Don McCarty.

Basketball









LHS Girls Track



Front Row: Juitaun Chatman, Kristin Bradley, Keri Dewey, Kasey Lawrence, Bethany Logan, Alicia Ivey. **Middle Row:** Valerie Ward, Beth Gschwender, Ashley Rowell, Carrie Valler, Jenny Guthrie. **Back Row:** Marty Glenn, Ashley Cook, Myra Martin.

Track '98

Montgomery Inv.	1st
Baby Blue Relays	1st
Orchard Farm Inv.	1st
Centralia Inv.	3rd
Cunningham Inv.	2nd
Bowling Green Inv.	3rd
Elsberry Inv.	1st
CCC Shelbina	4th
District Mokane	4th
State Jeff City	12th





LHS Boys Track



Left to right First row: Sharawn Griffith, Terrell Griffith, Chris Keithley, Judd Leinhard, Eric Wharton, Josh Woodward. **Second row:** Jake Blackwell, Sam Clark, Justin Burse, Jeff Lovell, Leland Chatman. **Third row:** Alex Castiglia, Matt Peabody, Daneal Wommack, Mehul Bhakta, Phillip Brown, Richie Bryant. **Fourth row:** Chad Diffey, Jeff Gschwender, Marty Niffen, Dustin Pollard, Brett Ward.

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CCC Shelbina	1st
District Mokane	1st
State Jeff City	5th









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A Blast from the Past -'97-98 Golf Season

Due to the wet weather of the past couple weeks, the Louisiana golf team has had trouble practicing and playing their meets before they are cancelled. Friday, March 27 was a make-up meet at Elsberry but got rained out midway through the meet.

The Bulldogs had their first full golf meet on April 2 against Bowling Green. Both junior varsity and varsity played. The JV players were Ben Cordes, James Anderson, Clark Stoeckley, and Matt Schuckenbrock. The varsity team consisted of juniors Tim Jordan with 41 strokes and Shep Sheppard with 52, sophomore Justin Harrison with 38, and freshmen Tim DeWeese with 54 and Thomas Onik with 56. The total score for Louisiana was 185 losing to Bowling Green by just nine points with the Bobcat's total score being 176. The lowest score for Bowling Green was 39 which allowed Justin Harrison to be the medalist of the meet with his score of 38.

"I thought for our inexperience and first match we did well. We just need to get more practice in to be able to compete." was the response Mr. Miller gave when asked about the match.



Golf members for the 1997-1998 golf season are (le Stoeckley, Shep Sheppard, Ben Cordes, Tim DeWee Dale Miller coached the team throughout the season

LEE



(from left to right): Justin Harrison, Stuart Schwadron, Clark [unclear], Matt Schuckenbrock, and Thomas Onik. Coach



Above: Coach Miller displays correct golf form and etiquette for the team.

LHS Baseball

1st Row: Matt Murry, Carey Stapleton, Cary Gray, Danny Smith, Chad Carrol, Steven Ince, Brandon Pursiful, Jeff Wommack. **2nd Row:** David Sutton, Adam Hufty, Eric Key, Matt Kiem, Josh Woodward, Kyle DeWeese, Pat Shrum, Matt Griswold, Rodney Buffington, and Woody Beaty.



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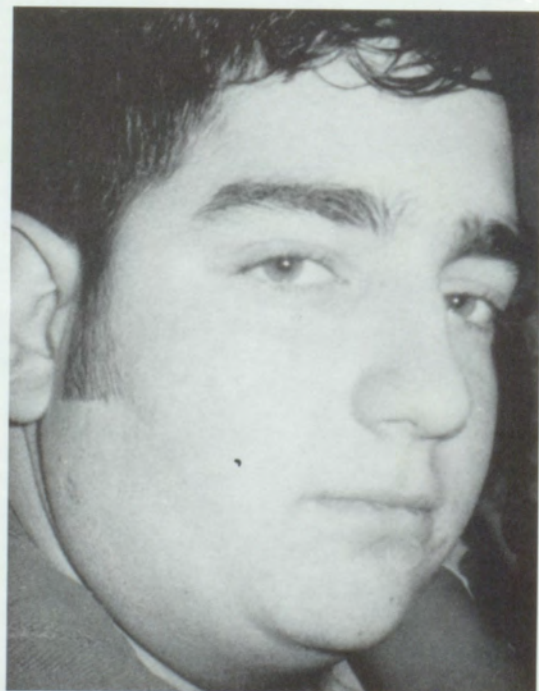
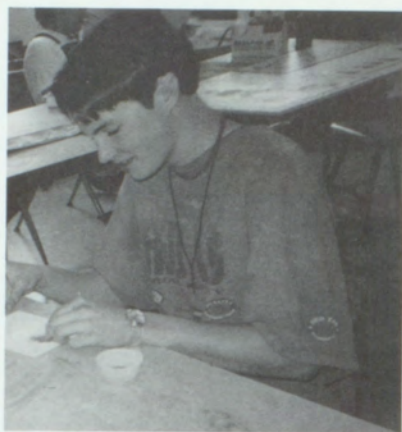
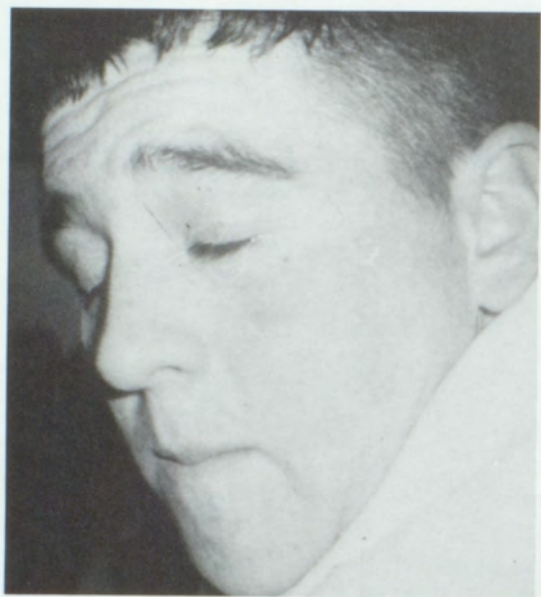
	<u>US</u>	<u>THEM</u>
Palmyra	21	1
N Calloway	4	3
Winfield	12	5
Palmyra	3	4
Elsberry	5	2
Pittsfield	5	3
Winfield	4	0
MMA	18	1
Community R-6	1	0
Bowling Green	0	12
District Tournament Winfield	1	10





GO BULLDOGS GO





Flag Corp



Above: Members Jenny Guthrie, Joy Powelson, Captain Juitaun Chatman, Melissa Smith, and Rawne Hayden perform during half time.



Above: Juitaun Chatman demonstrates how to twirl a flag.



Above: Joy Powelson concentrates on her flag routine.



Below: Jenny Guthrie seems to take performing very seriously.



Below: Melissa Smith performs a routine during a football game.

Football Cheerleaders



Above: Front; Jessie Stoops, co-captain Beth Gschwender, co-captain Jenny Guthrie and Brandy Richards. **Back;** Erin Deters, Rawné Hayden, Kinzi Duban and Jennifer Griswold.

Below: Co-captains Jenny and Beth show everyone who's really # 1.



Below: Cheerleaders battle the freezing temperatures during the Elsberry parade.



Right: As tradition cheerleaders decorate the halls for the first day of school. **Left bottom:** Kinzi Erin and Jennifer stop for a smile.



BASKETBALL CHEERLEADERS



First row: Co-captains; Beth Gschwender and Jenny Guthrie. **Second row:** Lora Perrine, Juituan Chatman and Stacey Griffith. **Third row:** Erin Deters, Kinzi Duban, Heidi Francis, Starlisha Chatman, Jennifer Griswold, Rawné Hayden and Brandy Richards.

Coached by Michelle Heppermann, the 97-98 Cheerleading squad began the year with only ten varsity cheerleaders to cheer both seasons. "The numbers were small but I was happy with the group's determination," said Coach Heppermann.

The squad attended a home camp put on by UCA for three days. At camp three girls were named All Star Cheerleaders and the squad received top honors for their performance.

As the season progressed due to problems the squad declined in size. Because of this, Sponsor Michelle Heppermann held retry-outs, opening four positions to make a squad of twelve.

The girls had a very eventful year from fundraising to Homecoming to Districts they managed to stay busy, while keeping their grades up. The Cheerleaders also performed a cheer/dance with the Pommers at Courtwarming and Districts.

"I feel we had a good season, but there are many other things that we never got around to doing which I hope to make up for next season," quoted junior co-captain Beth Gschwender. "The one thing I will remember the most about this year are all the new friendships and great times we had like Homecoming and cheering with '# 43,' and just, 'showin em' what ya got," junior co-captain Jenny Guthrie thinks back on the year.

Below: The Cheerleaders show off their stunting abilities, while cheering the crowd on.



Below: The Cheerleaders and Pommers finally compromise on a cheer/dance, to perform together at Districts.



La Pommers



The LA Pommers.
Front row: Juitaun Chatman and
 Amanda Sperry **Back Row:** Kris-
 tin Bradley and Carrie Vallar.



Amanda Sperry has participated in Pom-pon for four years and was captain one year.

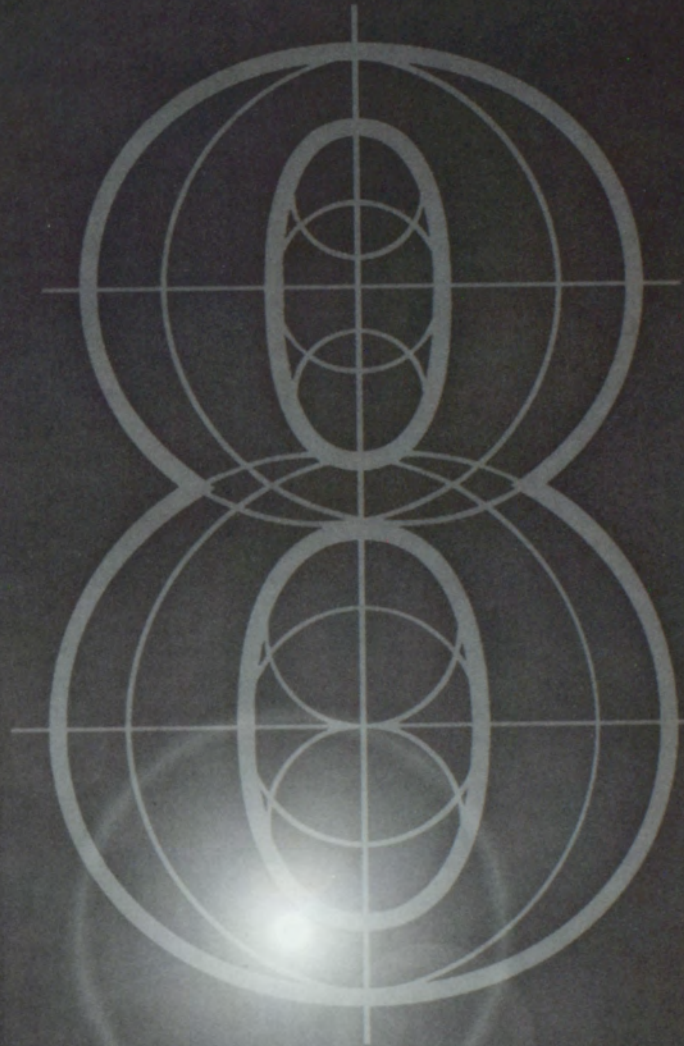
Juitaun Chatman has been a member of the dance squad for two years.



AND THE CROWD GOES
WILD!

Kristin Bradley was a member of the pom-pon squad for three years.
Carrie Vallar participated in dance for one year.

Organizations



Future Business Leaders of America



"FBLA was small this year, but I feel that we had a very successful year. We traveled to St. Louis for the Regional FBLA Conference, which was both informative and fun. I wish all the seniors Good Luck as they go onto college."

Miss Heppermann

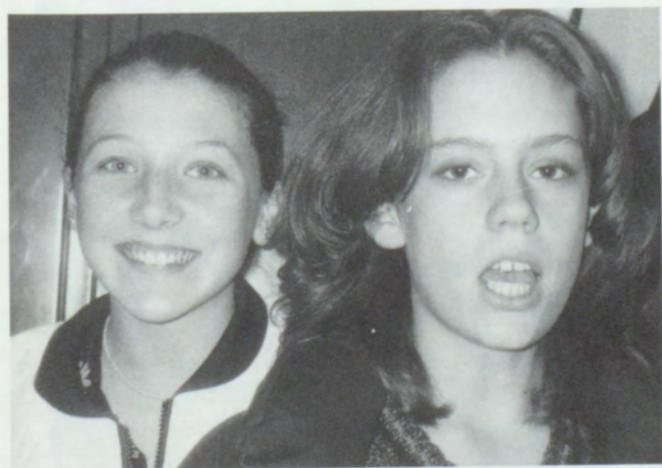
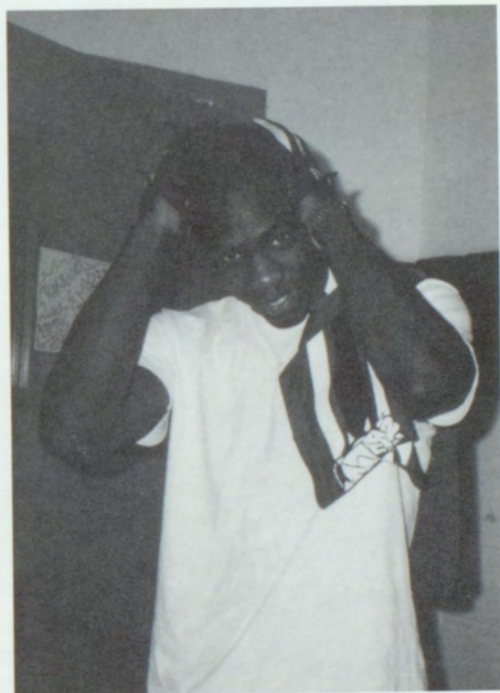
Left to right First row: Kim Fisher, Elizabeth Poyser, Juitaun Chatman, Ashley Helm, Valerie Ward, Crissy Hurd, Jennifer Elliott. **Second row:** Kasey Lawrence, Ashley Cook, Ashley Rowell, Samantha Hurd, Lisa Sisco, Chris Keithley, Brandi Cartmill.



Left: Kim Fisher, Kasey Lawrence, Juitaun Chatman, and Jennifer Elliott smile for the camera at the Regional FBLA Conference in St. Louis.

Right: FBLA members pose while eating goodies and exchanging presents at the annual Christmas party.





FHA



Above: Amber Love takes time out of decorating pumpkin cakes to take a picture. **Below:** Mrs. Shaw explains the techniques of being a superb cook.



Above: Ashley Helm shows off her great ability of washing dishes. **Below:** FHA members Lisa Sisco, Tara Sippely, Amber Love, Amy Traynor, and Molly Thomas spend time cleaning the trophy case.



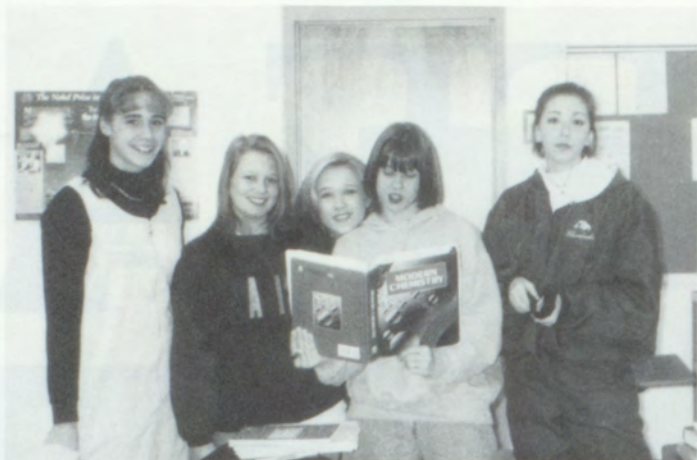
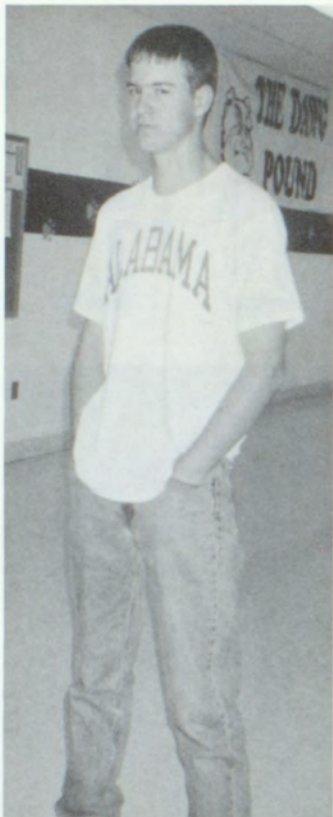
The 1997-98 FHA members are: Lisa Sisco, Amy Traynor, Jennifer Hall, Ashley Helm, Molly Thomas, Juitaun Chatman, Jenny Guthrie, Heidi Francis, Jennifer Stoops, Amber Love, Emily Schwadron, Tara Sippely, and Keri Dewey.

FFA



Above: Front row: Tonya Penrod, Stacey Griffith. **Second row:** Anita Mahibir, Charlie Lesley, Shep Sheppard, Jarred Watts, Patrick Shrum, Matt Griswold, Laura Boyd, Brian White, Sarah Reynolds. **Third row:** Russell Spangler, Ben Cordes, Brandon Chatman, Brett Ward, Kyle DeWeese, Danny Wood, Doug Hoskins, Josh Boston, Amber Love, and Jason Sapp. **Below:** Officers Russell Spangler, Anita Mahibir, Shep Sheppard, President Pat Shrum, Charlie Lesley, Matt Griswold, Kyle DeWeese, Mr. Mahibir at the annual FFA Banquet.





French Club

This year's French Club, sponsored by Sally Keithley, consisted of Laura Boyd, Russell Spangler, David Sutton, Carey Stapleton, Phillip Brown, Sam Trent, Jessica Lynn, Justin Harrison, Cary Gray, Tara Sippely, Amanda Sperry, Jennifer Sanders, Jenny Guthrie, Ashley Rowell, and Chris Keithley. Madamn Keithley's French II class chose to perform *Le Masque de Fer*, best known as *The Man in the Iron Mask*, as their annual French production. The production took place on April 26. The cast included Cary Gray as D'Artagnan, Justin Harrison as Phillipe and Louise, Jessica Lynn as Fouquet, Tara Sippely as Anne, and Amanda Sperry as Aramis. Due to the small class size, the writing and evening oout of speaking parts forced the students to focus on the leading characters and stick with the main plot.

Key Club

Key Club, sponsored by Ms. Shirley Underwood, included Brooke Asquith, Kristin Bradley, Terry Campbell, Ashley Cook, Kyle DeWeese, Becky Durham, Jennifer Elliott, Ashley Helm, Crissy Hurd, Steven Ince, Chris Keithley, Nicole Lesley, Charlie Lesley, Bethany Logan, Myra Martin, Amanda Meyer, Tonya Penrod, Elizabeth Poyser, Sara Reed, Ashley Rowell, Stuart Schwadron, Emily Schwadron, Lisa Sisco, Amanda Sperry, Clark Stoeckley, Molly Thomas, and Amy Traynor. Key Club is a service organization for high school students. Key Club is unique because it blends service with leadership training. This year's Key Club was involved in numerous activities. The most notable was their fundraiser to adopt a family at Christmas. A great deal of planning went into this project and it was nicely done.

Learning a Foreign
Language and Culture



Key Club's Motto
"Caring...Our Way of Life"

Quiz Bowl

Quiz Bowl Flashback

Grab your buzzers and get ready to ring in, it's quiz bowl time at LHS again. This year's team consists of Eric Key, Chris Keithley, Peter Pacheco, Clark Stoeckley, Stuart Schwadron, and Becky Durham.

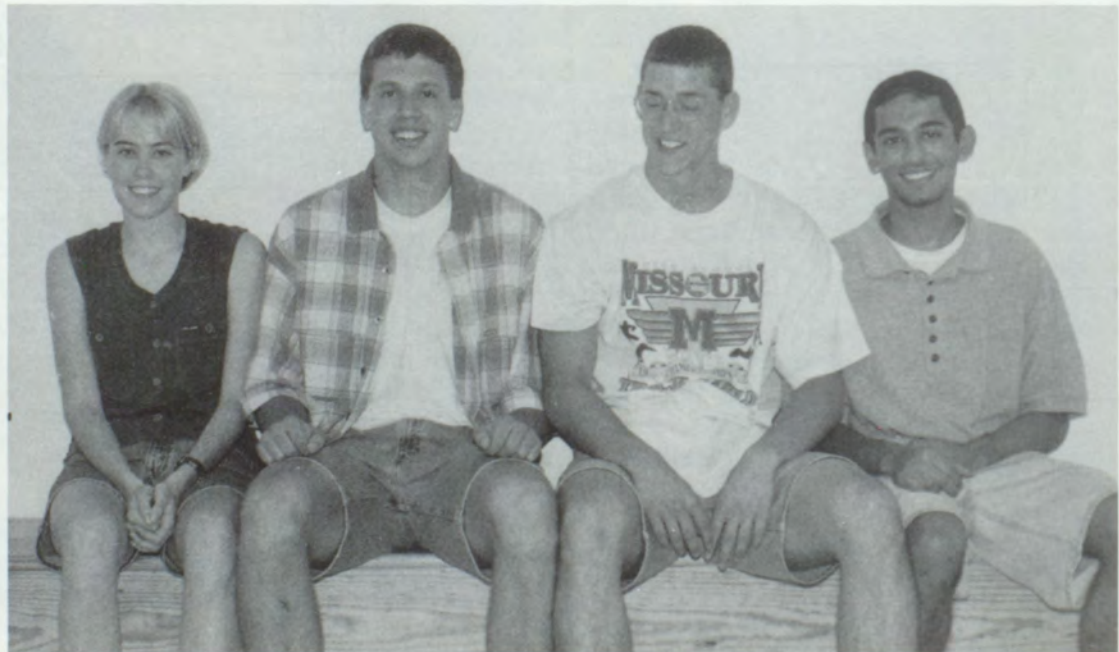
A quiz bowl match consists of four rounds. The first round is a 15 question toss-up round, where anyone may ring in. The second round has ten toss-up questions where anyone may ring in and the team who has the correct answer gets a bonus question on which the group may confer. Rounds three and four are carried out exactly like rounds one and two.

The first match of the season was on Wednesday, January 28, against South Shelby. Louisiana put up a good fight, but South Shelby won with a score of 275-120.

On Saturday, January 31, Louisiana participated in the Bowling Green Tournament. Five schools attended the match. Louisiana got fourth place, beating Winfield with a score of 230-65.

On February 2, the LHS varsity team beat Macon with a final score of 200-115.

Good luck to the LHS quiz bowl team on their upcoming matches.



Left to Right: Becky Durham, Chris Keithley, Eric Key, and Mehul Bhakta.

Student Council



First row: President Bethany Logan, Vice Beth Gschwender, Foreign Exchange Rep. Amanda Sperry. **Second row:** Ashley Cook, Bryca Love, Myra Martin, Marty Glenn, Juitaun Chatman, Jenny Guthrie, Tonya Penrod, and Amanda Meyer. **Third row:** Kacey Lawrence, Sam Clark, Ashley Rowell, Molly Thomas, Lora Perrine, Valeric Ward, Brooke Asquith, Stuart Schwadron, Ashley Helm and Chris Sperry. **Not pictured:** Secretary/Treasure Terry Campbell.

This year Mr. and Mrs. Blackwood took on the challenge of sponsoring the Louisiana Student Council.

STUCO is a group of young leaders who are trying to better the school. Well before the new year begins many of the members attend camps and other seminars throughout the summer, bringing home new ideas. Starting two years ago, STUCO has taken a retreat to Camp Red Bud in the Ozarks. Here the whole calendar is planned for the school year. The first day of school members of STUCO greet the students. Homecoming is the next big project, everything from the theme to the coronation is discussed. This year STUCO members attended Clarence Cannon Conference, Districts and State meetings where they brought home a Gold Award.

The students also started a new program called Adopt-a-Classroom in which they choose a room to refurbish. Mrs. Shaw's room was chosen this year. New tables and chairs were bought to replace the old. Mrs. Underwood's computer lab also received counters for the computers along with chairs and cabinets.

During the summer, STUCO painted the stripe and paws around the commons. As a reward for all they did this year, the group went to the Rec Plex for a day of fun.

Student Council has done a great job and will continue to strive to help out as much as they can.



Above: Amanda Sperry stands by Judd Lienhard's side at this year's student council blood drive.

Below: Jenny, Beth and Amanda plan Spirit Week, while relaxing on the dock at camp Red Bud.



Above: Ashley Helm voices her views at the student council elections, while Molly Thomas and Ashley Rowell listen.

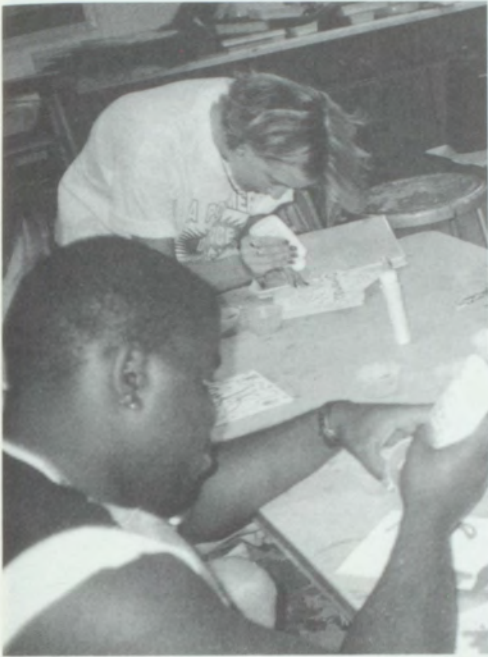
NHS



Pictured Above: Molly Thomas, Kim Fisher, Jennifer Hall, Beth Gschwender, Keri Dewey, Chris Keithley, Lisa Sisco, Brooke Deters, Kasey Lawrence, Stuart Schwadron, Carrie Vallar, Amy Traynor, Becky Durham, Nicole Lesley, Tonya Penrod, Amanda Sperry, Sara Reed, and Ashley Helm. **Not pictured:** Bethany Logan. **Above Left:** NHS sponsor Sally Keithley and Chris Keithley waltz at the Senior Citizen Prom. **Left:** Senior Citizen Prom Queen Mary Parker and King Charlie Brown pose. **Below:** NHS members "get jiggy wit' it."



NAHS



Above: Sharawn Griffith, Chris Keithley, Judd Lienhard, Beth Gschwender, and Amber Love stop for a picture on the art trip to the zoo. **Left:** Amanda Sperry and Sharawn Griffith work on their art projects.

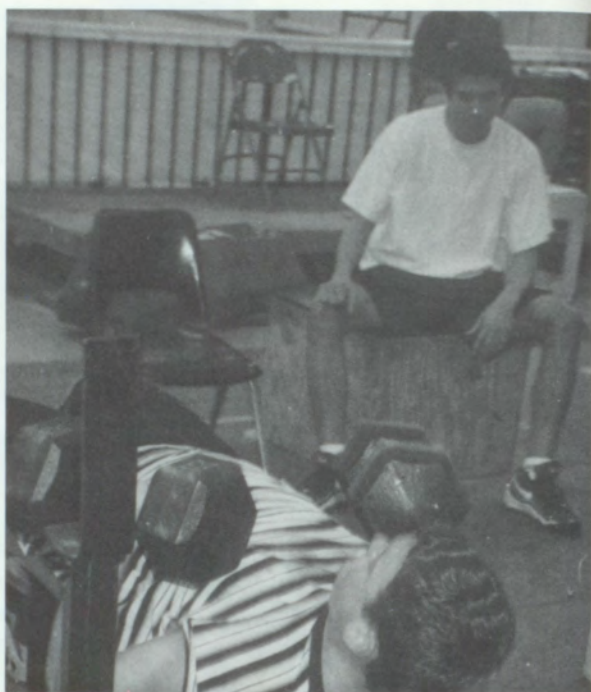


Above: NAHS members wait for the meeting to begin. **Below:** Chris Keithley works on his ceiling tile.



Above: Mrs. Dehner shows off the NAHS tassels to members.

WEIGHTS



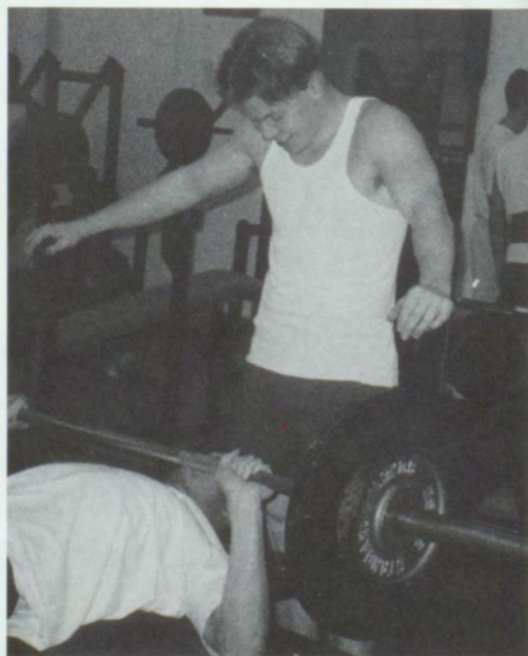
WEIGHTLIFTING

Above Left: Juitaun, Kasey, Keri, and Kristin lift hard during weightlifting class. **Above Right:** Daneal Wommack supervises a fellow weightlifter. **Below Right:** Eric Wharton finds humor while spotting during Coach Gschwender's class.



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Mass Media



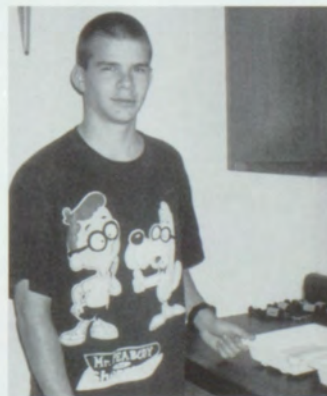
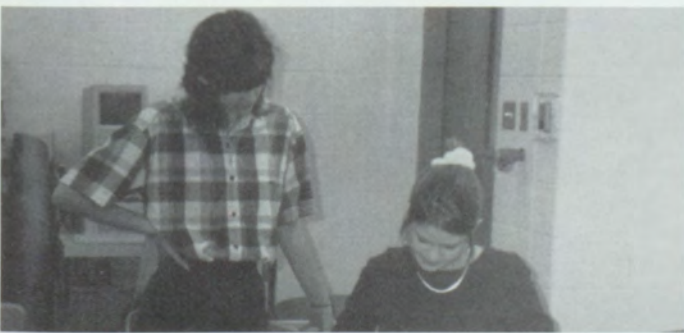
Right: Terry Campbell in his contemplation mode.

Farright: Kasey Lawrence works on a layout while Kristin Bradley looks on.

The 1997-1998 Mass Media Staff. First row, Co-Editors Stuart Schwadron and Amanda Sperry. Second row, Becky Durham, Kristin Bradley, Bethany Logan, Ashley Helm, and Nicole Lesley. Third row, Sara Reed, Jenny Guthrie, Terry Campbell, Kasey Lawrence and Charlie Lesley.



Above: A side view of Amanda Sperry as she works in the dark room developing pictures.



Left: Charlie Lesley shows what he has really been doing in the dark room. Posing for the camera!



Top right: The sponsor, Mrs. Blackwood and Ashley Helm work on various yearbook pages. **Bottom right:** Jenny Guthrie, Ashley Helm, and Becky Durham show the crazy side of Mass Media.

LHS Band



Left to right first row: Flutists Bryca Love, Anita Mahibir, Carrie Vallar, Amanda Wilfong. **Second row:** Clarinetists Marty Glenn, Starlisha Chatman, Amanda Meyer, Jenny Wright, Danielle Wagner and Saxophonist Ruth Blankenship. **Third row:** Trumpet-Matt Shuckenbrock, Evan Hoskins, James Anderson, Bass Clarinetist Jennifer Hall, and French Horn Caleb Collins. **Drummers:** Crissy Hurd, Richie Bryant, Phillip Brown, and Samantha Hurd.



Above: Samantha Hurd and Phillip Brown perform at the Fine Arts Festival.



Above: Ruth Blankenship and Jennifer Hall marching off the field after a half-time performance at a home football game.

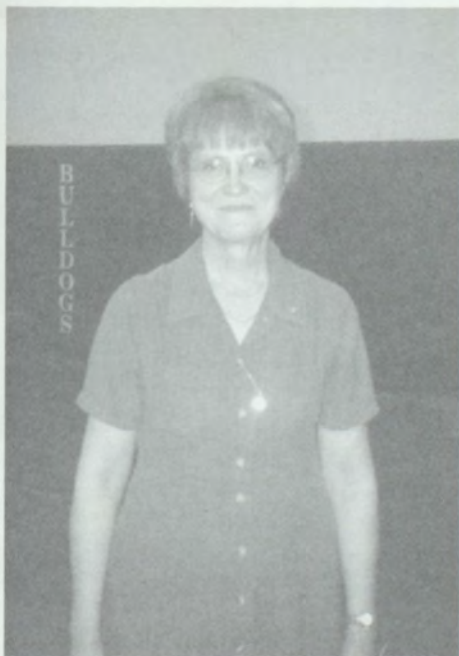


Above: Jenny Wright, Danielle Wagner, Amanda Meyer, Caleb Collins, Matt Schuckenbrock, and Evan Hoskins perform for at graduation.

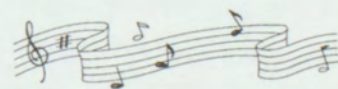
Louisiana Choir



In Front: Ben Cordes **First row:** Amanda Wilfong, Jennifer Griswold, Vanessa Lang, Kim McDaniel, Betty Harrison, Jennifer Elliott, Ashley Rowell, Tara Sippely, Kim Fisher, Amber Love. **Second row:** Christina McCormick, Freda Caldwell, Marty Glenn, Brandy Richards, Brandy Oliver, Heidi Francis, Valerie Ward, Brandi Cartmill. **Third row:** Jeff Christopher, Isiah Hoskins, Rodney Baker, John Channell, Michael Tarpin, Jeff Lovell, Peter Pacheco.



Left: Mrs. Brock preparing for a concert.
Below: LHS Choir performing at Graduation.
Right: Jennifer Elliott and Ashley Rowell during choir.



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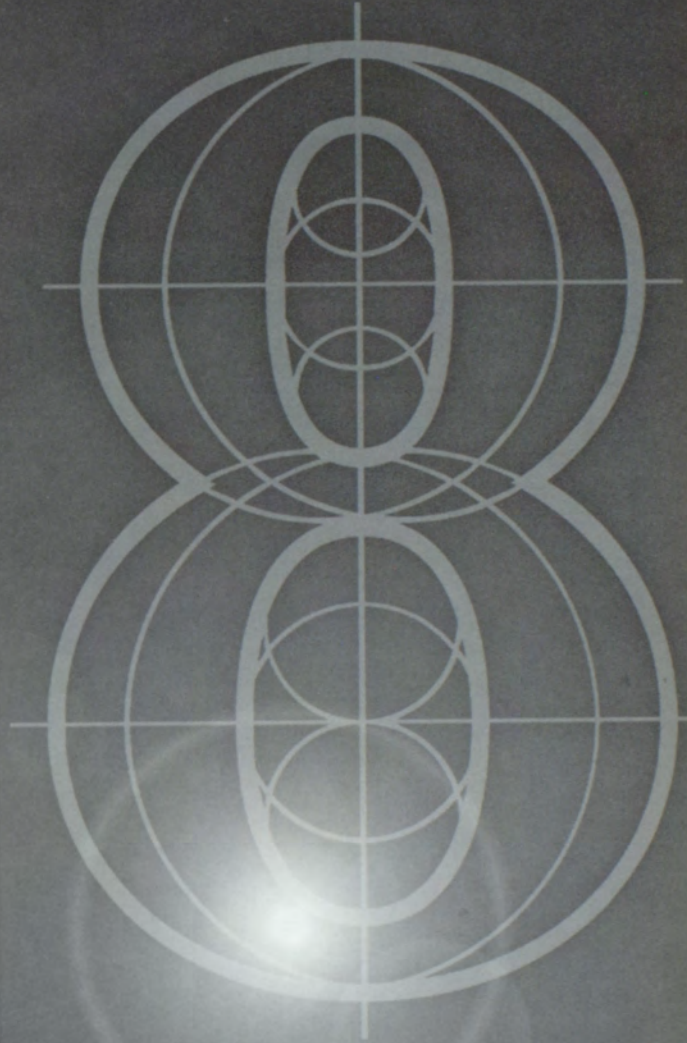
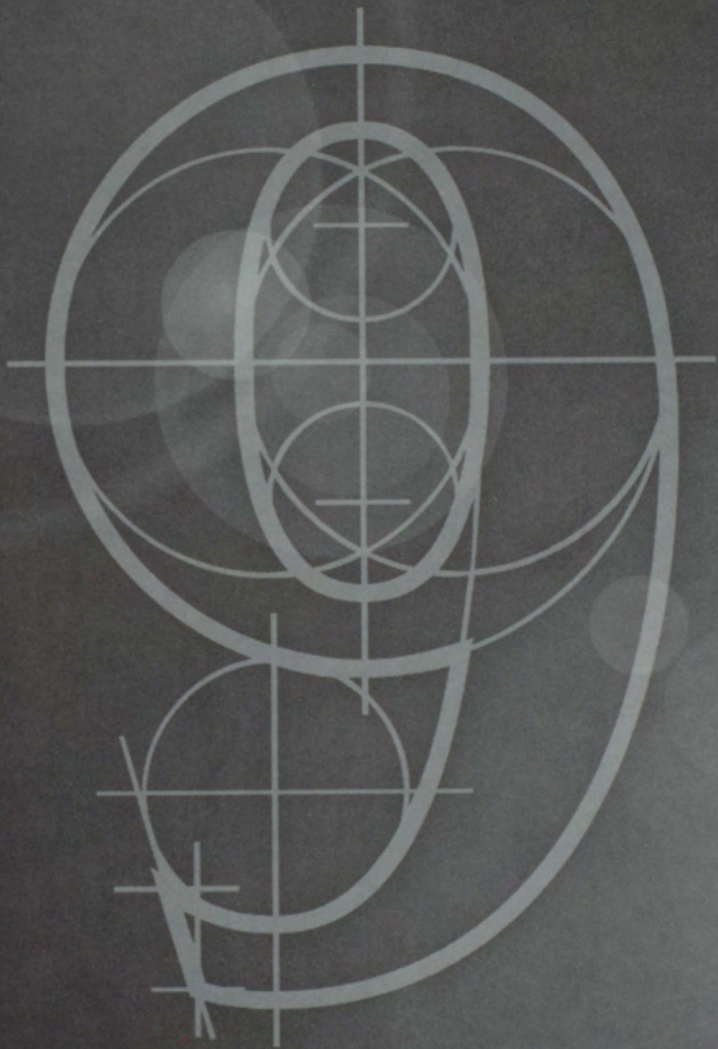


From left to right. First row: Jennifer McCormick, Amanda Walker, Valerie Cropp, Joy Powelson. **Second row:** Rachel Howard, Michelle Dobelmann, Brenton Stark, Mike Lindsay. **Third row:** Todd Woods, Richie Calvin, Jeremy Stoops, Alex Castiglia, Ryan Stoops, Josh Lundak. **Not pictured:** Brad Ince, Terry Chenoweth, Mike Ruble, Dennis Stone, and Vernace Charlton.

The Vo-tech program at LHS is increasing in popularity. In this program, students travel to Eolia to attend the Pike-Lincoln Tech School in the morning. During this time, they participate in classes that directly relate to a field in which they are interested. Technical programs include auto body, building trades, health services, computer applications, welding, auto repair, office systems, auto mechanics, and electronics. This is an extremely demanding program designed to introduce and teach fundamentals of a specific occupation. Upon completion of the technical program, the students have the training needed to obtain an entry level job.



Academics



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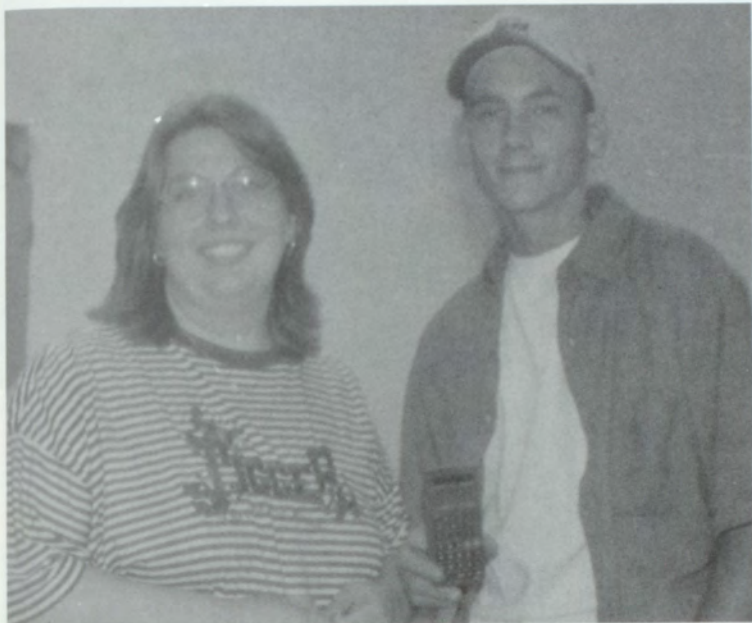


Above: An American Novels class takes a break from studying to pose for the camera. **First row:** Tommy Rieck, Steven Ince. **Second row:** Ashley Helm, Shep Sheppard, Molly Thomas, Danielle Branstetter, Jenny Guthrie, Elizabeth Poyser. **Third row:** Adam Van Meter, Jarred Watts, Ashley Rowell, Nicole Lesley, and Beth Gschwender.



Right: Valerie Ward and Mrs. Blackwood's 3rd hour British Literature class including Ben Cordes, Peter Pacheco, Jennifer Hall, Amber Love, Stacey Griffith, Tasha Meyers, Justin Wommack, and Emily Schwadron strike a pose. **Above:** Gary McDaniel tries to wake up before Mrs. Blackwood's first hour English II class begins.

Mathematics



Above: Miss Gerding poses with Brad Ince while he shows his calculator.



Above: Mrs. Keithley demonstrates how to diagram a problem in her Calculus class.

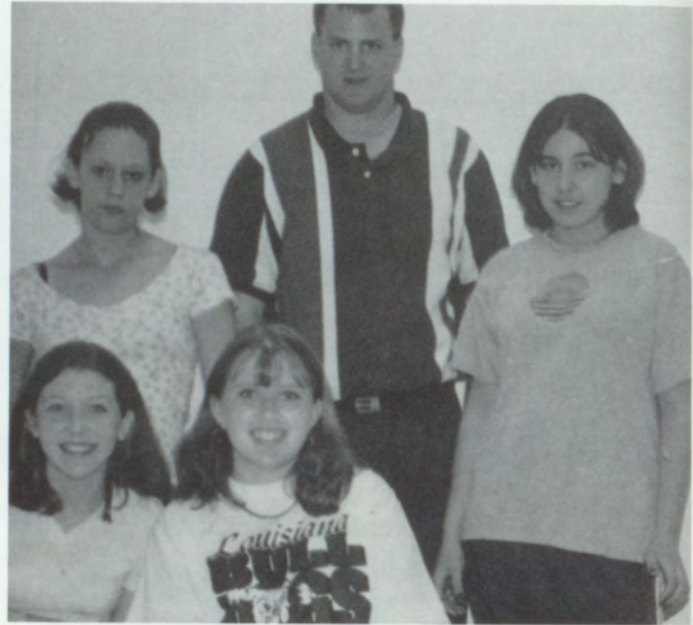


Above: Starlisha Chatman and Valerie Ward studying during Mr. McHenry's math class.

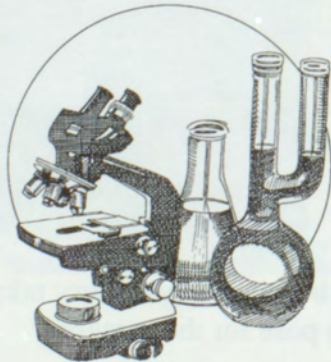


Above: Mr. McHenry takes a moment to pose for the camera.

Science



Left: Hazel Emily, Stacey Griffith, Brenton Stark and Becky Durham in Mr. Miller's Anatomy class. **Above:** Mr. Hickman poses in physical science with Kelly Dewey, Erin Deters, Kinzi Duban, and Melissa Smith. **Below:** Andrea Williams, Jenny Wright, Bryca Love, Justin Harrison, and James Anderson in Mr. Miller's Biology class.



Social Science



Above: Freshmen Marty Niffen, Vanessa Lang, Thomas Onik, Caleb Collins, Jeff Gschwender, and Myra Martin listen attentively during Mr. Cox's history class.



Above: Clark Stoeckley smiles for the camera while Jeff Wommack stretches during Mr. Cox's class.

Blast to the Past

The Social Sciences include several varying types of classes: Psychology, American History, World History, Geography/American Government, Economics/Modern History, and World Events. These classes taught by Mr. Cox and Mr. Larson cover information ranging from how the mind works to what happened during the history of the world and this country and what is happening in the world today.



Above: Shawn Harrison, Marty Glenn, Amanda Meyer, Bryca Love work on their assignments during class.

Left: Junior Adam VanMeter, Sophomores Brandi Cartmill, Tara Sippely, and Jake Blackwell take time out from studying geography to pose for the camera



Family and Consumer Science

What was once considered simply "home economics" is now called Family and Consumer Science, even though the name has changed the instructor is still Mrs. Shaw. The classes include health, world foods/family meals, and child development.

In health, students learn about the body, nutrition, and diseases. This is a required course and is usually filled by a majority of sophomores. World foods/family meals is an elective class in which students learn about foreign foods and the preparation of meals. This class is exciting and gives students knowledge of what to do in the kitchen besides eat! Child development teaches students about the responsibility of the upbringing and care of children. Students have the option of carrying a baby simulator which can be heard throughout the halls.



Below: Mrs. Shaw takes a break from her paperwork to smile for the camera. **Upper right:** Keri Dewey is caught in a gloomy moment while cleaning the kitchen. **Bottom right:** Jenny Guthrie pauses while cooking to smile for the camera.



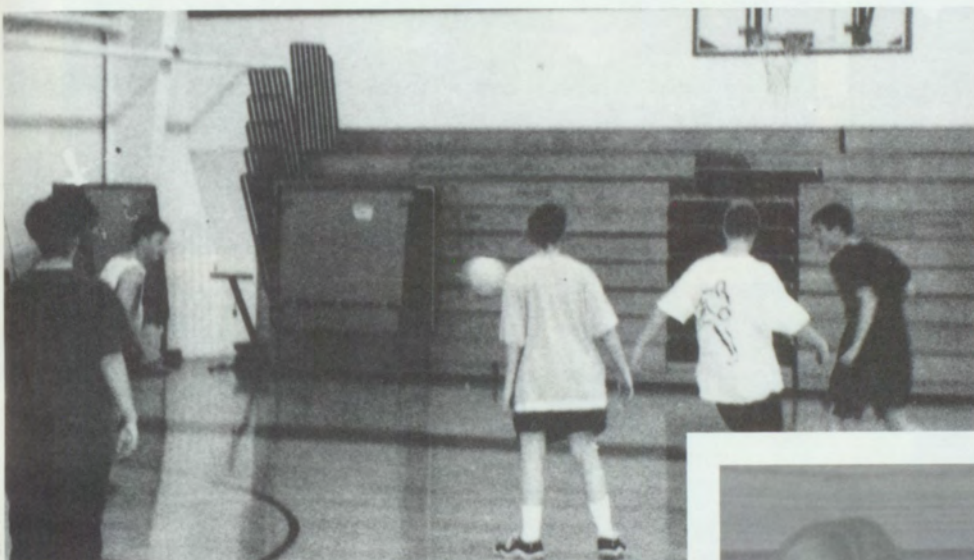
Physical Education



Left: Josh Shade and Danny Wood take a moment from P.E. for a quick pose.
Right: Coach Combs - P.E. teacher and boys' basketball coach.



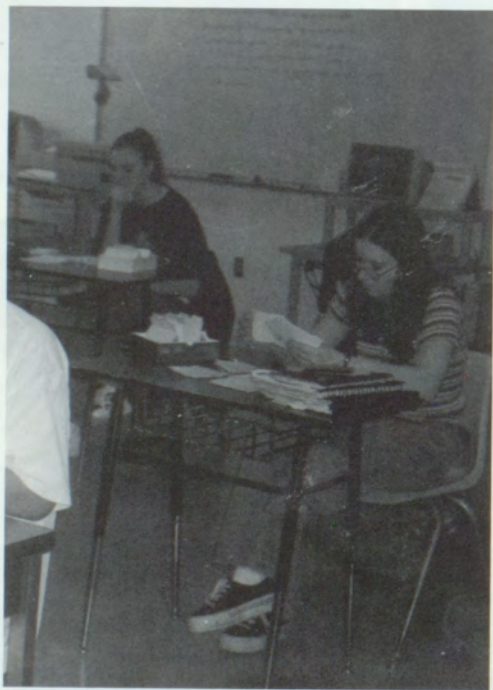
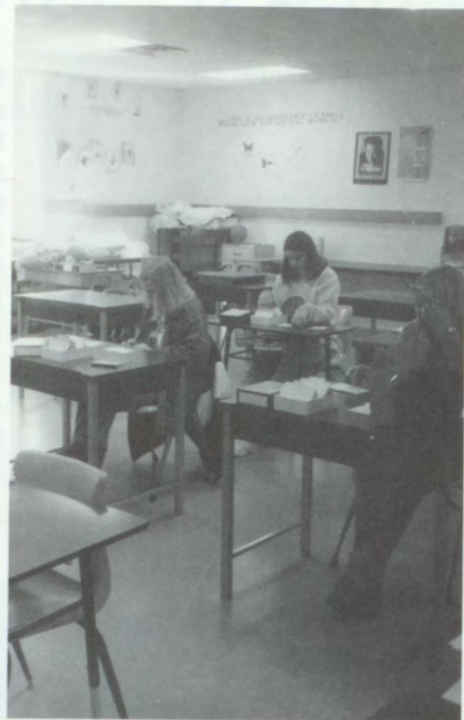
Below: A P.E. class taking part in a friendly soccer game.
Lower Left: Natalie McKenna and Evelyn Burse stop momentarily before heading to their P.E. class.
Lower Right: Megan DeCamp and Angela Kemry miss out on the P.E. action, after refusing to dress out for class.



Business



Above: Miss Heppermann uses Danielle Branstetter to demonstrate proper etiquette in her fourth hour business class. Right: Heather Price, Brooke Asquith, and Danielle Wagner work hard during their business class.



Above: Laura Lee and Jennifer Elliott work hard during Miss Heppermann's Office Tech class.



Above: Crissy Hurd, Brandi Cartmill, Juitaun Chatman, Kim Fische Jennifer Elliott, and Elizabeth Poyser enjoy the FBLA Christmas party.

"The business program this year has been very successful, all of the students in it are very bright and I hope that they continue to learn about business." Miss Heppermann

Vo-Ag Classes



ABOVE: Mahabir surprised by t camera.



Above: Terrell Griffith making a flower arrangement in Horticulture.



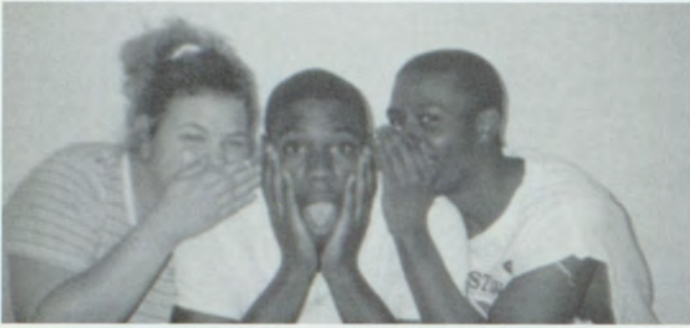
Above: Shep Sheppard is painting his newly built horse in Ag. Construction.



Above: Danny Wood is welding together his saw horse in Ag-Construction.



Above: The Horticulture class is displaying their arrangements for the camera.



Biggest Gossips: Mandi Elliott and Terry Campbell



Teacher's Pets: Sara Reed and Chris Keithley



Best Looking: Judd Lienhard and Tonya Penrod



Most Athletic: Terrell Griffith and Juitaun Chatman



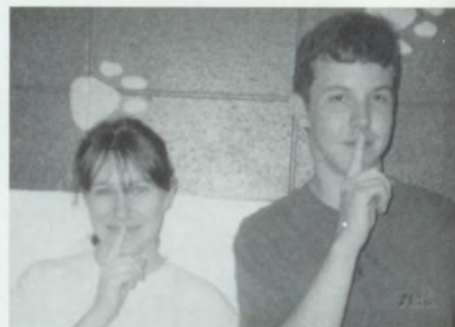
Most Likely to be Late for Graduation: Mandi Elliott and Brad Singleton



Best Smile: Kasey Lawrence Terry Campbell



Craziest Drivers: Kristin Bradley and Judd Lienhard



Quietest: Amanda Walker Brice Chandler



Biggest Flirts: Kristin Bradley and Terry Campbell



Class Clowns: Mandi Elliott Pat Shrum



Most Popular: Terrell Griffith and Tonya Penrod



Best Eyes: Juitaun Chatman and Justin Wommack



Best Car: Kyle DeWeese and Amanda Sperry



Most Likely to Change: Bethany Logan and Brice Chandler



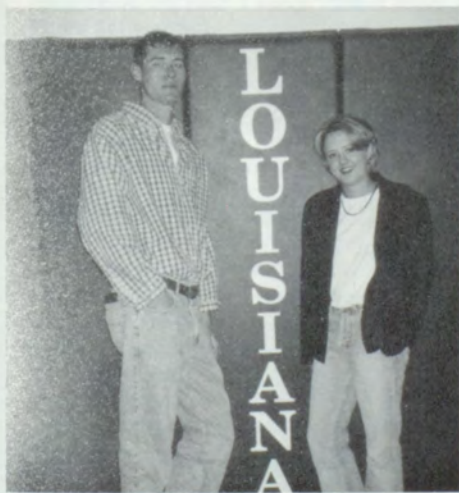
Laziest: Tonya Penrod and Kyle DeWeese



Most Creative: Tonya Penrod and Ben Cordes



Biggest Partiers: Mandi Elliott and Brad Singleton



Best Dressed: Amanda Sperry and Kyle DeWeese



Most Likely to Succeed: Jennifer Hall and Chris Keithley



Friendliest: Tonya Penrod and Ben Cordes

Senior Wills

- I, Vanessa Alexander, will my ability to have fun (with the exception of one thing) to Ashley, Christy and Megan.
- I, Kristin Bradley, will the ability to successfully throw knives without breaking a window to Sam Clark, and the ability to kick it hard without the fab K&K to Carrie Vallar.
- I, Terry Campbell, will my ability to tell "Waldo stories" to Marty Glenn, Jenny Guthrie and Beth Gschwender.
- I, Brice Chandler, will John Channell the ability to skip first hour and still graduate.
- I, Juitaun Chatman, will my ability to drive to Starlisha Chatman, and my ability to join sports to Brandi Cartmill.
- I, Jeff Christopher, will Michael Bishop and Clark Stoeckley the ability to wear cool music shirts all year (like myself), and I will this school a better reputation.
- I, Benjamin Cordes, will my ability to be quiet for at least one second to Clark Stoeckley, Tommy Rieck and Brian White.
- I, Chris Couch, will my ability to race to Evan and Isiah Hoskins.
- I, Valerie Cropp, will my ability of craziness to Shelly Pruitt and green eyes to Valerie Ward.
- I, Kyle DeWeese, will Ashley Helm the ability to not pee her pants everytime she is in the presence of Derrick B. and to my brother Tim, the ability to make it through school with the ease and enjoyment that I had.
- I, Keri Dewey, will Kelly Dewey the ability to take her own path in life, and Brian White the ability to know when to quit.
- I, Mandi Elliott, will the last stall in the girls bathroom to Katie Onik, and my ability to walk down Georgia St. to Mike Bishop.
- I, Sharawn Griffith, will Sam Clark all my muscles.
- I, Stacey Griffith, will my ability to survive a bloomer moon to all future cheerleaders.
- I, Terrell Griffith, will Sam Clark and Leland Chatman my good looks.
- I, Matt Griswold, will Chad Carroll another picture of his food.
- I, Jennifer Hall, will my musical dedication to Danielle Wagner.
- I, Doug Hoskins, will my little brothers the ability to graduate high school early.
- I, Rachel Howard, will my ability to keep my mouth shut to Kim Fisher.
- I, Twiggy Ivey, will Valerie Ward my ability to run track with bad shin splints, Sam Clark my ability to kick it all night after a hard workout, and Felicia Griffith my ability to back up a car.
- I, Chris Keithley, will Jeff Gschwender the ability to get first in triple jump in varsity meets, and Brad Stoops the ability to not get knocked out by the red dummies.
- I, Eric Key, will Carey Stapelton some Ritalin and the sense not to "climb a tree after a cat".
- I, Kasey Lawrence, will A.C. the ability to "aggressively" achieve her senior goal, and A.H. the ability to lay in the back of a truck and not be mistaken as a redhead with glasses.
- I, Laura Lee, will a few inches of my height to Michele Lindsay, and my ability to go after someone's "car keys" to Michelle Dobelmann.
- I, Judd Lienhard, will Tim Jordan the ability to see over the counter at subway.
- I, Mike Lindsay, will my ability to be short and not care about what anybody says to Tim Jordan and Shep Sheppard.
- I, Bethany Logan, will Amanda Meyer the money to "afford" a pizza, and Sam Clark my car.
- I, Amber Love, will my ability to be patient with annoying people and my exceptional personality to Laura Boyd.
- I, Jennifer McCormick, will many memories about the gas station incident to Amanda Walker.
- I, Peter Pacheco, will my vast amounts of patience and courage to all the faculty of LHS who have to deal with the classes of 2000 and 2001.
- I, Tonya Penrod, will Myra Martiin my LHS, Sick'em' and Bulldog underwear for home basketball games.
- I, Lora Perrine, will Goober the ability to tell the two words "Jenny Craig", and Ryan Starkey the ability to come to work every Saturday for a month straight.
- I, Joy Powelson, will Crissy Hurd my ability to put her car in park before she tries to start it.
- I, Elizabeth Poyser, will Goober my seat at the lunch table.
- I, Heather Price, will my ability to not lose a tire in Bowling Green to Danielle Branstetter.
- I, Sara Reed, will Becky Durham the ability to put the convertible top down, in the winter, without shattering the plastic window.
- I, Tracy Richards, am selfish and keeping everything.
- I, Jason Sapp, will my good driving ability to Isiah Hoskins.
- I, Emily Schwadron, will Ashley Helm and Molly Thomas the ability to do donuts, make snow angels and have snowball fights in the Kroger parking lot without getting caught.
- I, Stuart Schwadron, will Clark Stoeckley the ability to play a game of golf and use less balls than there are holes.
- I, Patrick Shrum, will Cary Gray all the BBB"s.
- I, Jeff Silvey, will my ability not to sleep in class to Travis Garrett.
- I, Brad Singelton, will the ability to stay calm and not destroy a video store to Katie Onik.
- I, Lisa Sisco, will my ability to sing and chew gum at the same time to Becky Durham and Brandi Oliver.
- I, Amanda Sperry, will Critter the ability to come home without giving himself away, and to Brooke Asquith my 10 speed bike.
- I, Brenton Stark, will my ability to have cool parties to Brad Stoops and Brandon Pursiful.
- I, Jeremy Stoops, will Trevor Kessler the ability to be the biggest pimp in Louisiana.
- I, Amanda Walker, will my ability to get my hair to do what I want to Christina McCormick, and to Charlie Lesley the ability to undersatand Jennifer Hall.
- I, Eric Wharton, will Dustin Pollach my "guitar skills".
- I, Justin Wommach, will Josh Shade the ability to grow an afro.
- I, Josh Woodward, will Timmy DeWeese some body weight.
- I, Anne Hofelmeyer, will Ashley Helm the stomach not to need any cooking supplies in her room on New Year's Eve.

Senior Activities

Vanessa Alexander-FHA- 1 yr; Art-3 yrs. Band-2yrs.

Kristin Bradley-Stuco-1 year, FHA-3 years, FFA-2 years, Key Club-3 years, PonPom-3 years, Track-4 years,

Terry Campbell-Basketball-4 years, Stuco-4 years, Key Club-1 year, Spanish Club-2 years, Mass Media-1 year, Jr. Class President, MSIP Committee-1 year, Who's Who Among American High School Students-2 years.

Brice Chandler-FFA-2 years, NAHS-3 years.

Juitaun Chatman-Softball-4 years, Choir-3 years, Cheerleading-2 years, PonPom-2 years, Track-3 years, FBLA-2 years, FHA-2 years, FFA-1 year, Stuco-1 year, Color Guard-1 year.

Benjamin Cordes-Basketball-1 year, Golf-3 years, Choir-4 years, School Musical-4 years, Spanish Club-1 year, FFA-1 year.

Chris Couch-FFA-4 years, Wrestling-2 years.

Valerie Cropp-Choir-1 year, Band-1 year, Girl Scouts-10 years.

Kyle DeWeese-Baseball-4 years, Basketball-4 year, Football-3 years, Spanish Club-2 years, Key Club-1 year, FFA-1 year.

Keri Dewey-Softball-4 years, Basketball-1 year, PonPom-3 years, FHA-2 years, Stuco-1 year, FFA-1 year, Key Club-4 years, NHS-2 years, NAHS-2 years, Girl State-1 year, Who's Who Among American High School Students-2 years, Spanish Club-3 years, Track-4 years.

Mandi Elliott-FFA-1 year, Choir-3 years, Softball-2 years.

Stacey Griffith-Cheerleading-4 years, FFA-1 year, FHA-3 years, Key Club-1 year, Spanish Club-3 years.

Terrell Griffith-Football-2 years, Basketball-4 years, Track-2 years, FFA-1 year, FBLA-1 year.

Matt Griswold-Pep Club-1 year, Baseball-4 years, Basketball-1 year, Christian Club-3 years, FFA-1 year, Spanish Club-2 years, Social Studies Club 1 year, Quiz Bowl-3 years.

Jennifer Hall-Key Club-4 years, NHS-2 years, FHA-4 years, FTA-3 years, Spanish Club-4 years, Stuco-1 year, Band-4 years, Girl Scouts-12 years.

Rachel Howard-FBLA-2 years, Choir-3 years, FHA-1 year, FFA-2 years.

Twiggy Ivey-Track-2 years, Basketball-1 year, Softball-1 year, Cheerleading-1 year.

Chris Keithley-Key Club-4 years, French Club-4 years, NHS-2 years, NAHS-1 year, FBLA-2 years, Stuco-2 years, Football-4 years, Track-4 years, Boy's State, Quiz Bowl-4 years.

Eric Key-Football-4 years, Track-3 years, Baseball-1 year, FBLA-1 year, Key Club-2 years, Spanish Club-1 year, FFA-2 years.

Kasey Lawrence-Basketball-2 years, STAND-1 year, FCA-1 year, Track-3 years, Softball-3 years, Jr. Class Secretary, Golf-1 year, FBLA-3 years, Stuco-1 year.

Laura Lee-Basketball-3 years, Spanish Club-2 years.

Judd Lienhard-Football-4 years, Track-4 years, Weightlifting-4 years, Boy's State.

Bethany Logan-Basketball-3 years, Cheerleading-3 years, Gymnastics, FHA-1 year, Key Club-3 years, Mass Media-1 year, NAHS-3 years, NHS-2 years, Sophomore Class Secretary, Spanish Club-1 year, Stuco-4 years, Track-3 years.

Amber Love-NAHS-1 year, FFA-1 year, Choir-1 year, FHA-4 years, Spanish Club-2 years.

Jennifer McCormick-FBLA-2 years.

Peter Pacheco-Choir-3 years, Football-2 years, Track-2 years, Quiz Bowl-1 year, Spanish Club-4 years, FFA-1 year.

Tonya Penrod-Softball-4 years, Basketball-4 years, Key Club-4 years, Spanish Club-3 years, NAHS-3 years, Stuco-2 years, NHS-1 year, FFA-1 year.

Lora Perrine-Key Club-2 years, FHA-1 year, FFA-1 year, Spanish Club-2 years, Cheerleading-1 year, Stuco Rep.-1 year, NAHS-2 years.

Joy Powelson-FBLA-2 years, FHA-2 years, FFA-1 year, Band-2 years, Flag Corp.-1 year.

Elizabeth Poyser-Softball-1 year, FBLA-2 years, FFA-1 year, FHA-1 year, Spanish Club-2 years, Key Club-1 year.

Heather Price-FHA-2 years, Choir-3 years.

Sara Reed-Key Club-2 years, NHS-2 years, Stuco-2 years, FHA-2 years, Quiz Bowl-1 year, Sophomore Class President, Spanish Club-3 years.

Emily Schwadron-PonPom-1 year, Key Club-4 years, FHA-4 years, FFA-1 year, Choir-2 years, School Play-3 years, Class Officer-2 years.

Stuart Schwadron-Stuco-2 years, Key Club-3 years, NAHS-2 years, NHS-2 years, Senior Class Pres., Golf-3 years, Quiz Bowl-3 years, Spanish Club-1 year, Who's Who Among American Students-2 years, Boy Scouts-4 years, Mass Media-2 years, D.A.R.E. Rep.-1 year.

Pat Shrum-Baseball-4 years, Basketball-3 years, FFA-4 years, Spanish Club-2 years.

Jeff Silvey-Baseball-2 years, Football-1 year.

Brad Singelton-Football-3 years, FFA-4 years.

Lisa Sisco-FHA-4 years, FBLA-3 years, Key Club-4 years, Stuco-1 year, NHS-2 years, Spanish Club-4 years, Who's Who Among American High School Students-2 years, Basketball-3 years, Softball-4 years, Girl Scouts-13 years, Community 2000-2 years, Pike County Drug Free Task Force-2 years, Clean Up School Committee-1 year, Choir-3 years, School Play-3 years.

Amanda Sperry-French Club-2 years, NAHS-3 years, NHS-1 year, Key Club-2 years, Stuco-2 years, PonPom-4 years, FTA-1 year, FHA-1 year, Girl's State, Class Vice Pres.-2 years, Mass Media-2 years.

Brenton Stark-FFA-2 years, NAHS-1 year, VICA-2 years.

Jeremy Stoops-FFA-2 years, Football-3 years, Votech-2 years.

Eric Wharton-Choir-1 year, Weights-3 years, Football-1 year, Track-1 year, Spanish Club-1 year.

Justin Wommack-Football-2 years, Basketball-4 years.

Josh Woodward-Football-4 years, Baseball-4 years, Track-1 year.

Anne Hofelmeyer-Spanish Club-1 year, Softball-1 year, Stuco-1 year.

Athletic

Softball Awards

MVP

Juitaun Chatman

Outstanding Junior Varsity

Ashley Cook

Hustle Award

Ashley Rowell

Outstanding Pitcher

Lori Woods

Outstanding Defensive Player

Keri Dewey

Outstanding Hitter

Gabrielle Elliott

Leadership Award

Tonya Penrod

Golf Awards

Rookie of the Year

Tim DeWeese

Most Improved Player

Ben Cordes

Most Valuable Player

Tim Jordan

Football Awards

Best Offensive Back

Justin Burse

Best Offensive Lineman

Judd Lienhard

Best Offensive Receiver

Carey Stapleton

Best Defensive Lineman

Josh Woodward

Best Defensive Back

Sam Clark

Hustle Award

Brandon Chatman

Most Improved Varsity

Eric Key

Most Improved Sophomore

Leland Chatman

Ryan Smith

Most Valuable Freshman

Jeff Gschwender

Most Valuable Defensive

Chris Keithley

Most Valuable Offensive

Daneal Wommack

Baseball Awards

Most Runs Batted In (RBI's)

Josh Woodward

Outstanding Pitcher

Steven Ince

Hustle Award

Pat Shrum

Outstanding Player

Kyle DeWeese

Rookie of the Year

Jeff Wommack

Hammer Award

Matt Griswold

Most Valuable Player

Josh Woodward

Pom Pon Letters

Captain

Amanda Sperry

Seniors

Juitaun Chatman

Kristin Bradley

Junior

Carrie Vallar

Awards

Girls Track Awards

Most Valuable JV Player
Marty Glenn

Most Improved Runner
Keri Dewey

Outstanding Runner
Kristin Bradley

Outstanding Field Event
Ashley Rowell

Most Valuable Runner
Kristin Bradley

Girls Basketball Awards

Rookie of the Year
Myra Martin

Hustle Award
Michele Lindsay

Most Improved Player
Laura Lee

Defensive Award
Ashley Rowell

Leadership Award
Kasey Lawrence
Laura Lee
Bethany Logan
Tonya Penrod

Most Valuable Player
Kasey Lawrence

Boys Track Awards

Outstanding Sophomore
Daneal Wommack

Most Improved Runner
Leland Chatman

Outstanding Freshman
Jeff Gschwender

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Daneal Wommack

Outstanding Field Event
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Terrell Griffith

Cheerleaders Letters

Beth Gschwender
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Jennifer Griswold
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Lora Perrine
Heidi Francis
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Boys Basketball

Most Assists Award
Terrell Griffith

Most Rebounds Award
Terrell Griffith

Most Free Throws Award
Kyle DeWeese

Hustle Award
Daneal Wommack

Defensive Award
Terrell Griffith

Sixth Man Award
Patrick Shrum

Bulldog Award
Matt Griswold

Leadership Award
Kyle DeWeese

Academic Award
Terry Campbell

Don York Memorial
Scholarship
Chris Keithley
Judd Lienhard

Bill Cunningham Award

Chris Keithley
Juitaun Chatman

Bethany,

You have always been our sweet baby girl. You have blossomed into a lovely young lady of whom we are very proud. We love you more than you can imagine.

Love MOM and DAD



Bethany,

You always were the messy one! We love you and wish you the best.

Love, your brothers
Ben and Blake



Carebear,

By the time you read this, you will be off to college, and your high school days will be just a memory. Remember always how proud we are of you and how much we love you.

Love, Mom and Dad



Best wishes to a very precious
young lady

Tonya,
Fear not, your family will always
be there for you.

All our love,
Mom, Dad, Joey, and Meg



Punkin,
The time has come for you to make your
own decisions, think each one through. Rely
on your instincts and trust your heart. You
have a wonderful gift, share it with the world.
We are very proud of you!
Mom, Dad, and Critter



Mandi,
Congratulations and good luck in
all your "future adventures in life".
Love,
Mom and Dad

My son Jeremy
I've always been so very proud of you and
you have been a very strong and brave
young man. Whatever you chose to do in
life be your best and always be happy.
With all my love and best wishes, I love you
Mom, Jennifer and Michael



God's blessings to our precious little bundle of Joy for a bright future! We are so proud of your accomplishments and support you in future endeavors. Congratulations Joy and all the class of '98.

Love always,
Mom and Dad



Ben,
Those were big shoes to fill, but you did it. We are proud of you. Congratulations!

Love,
Dad, Mom, and Tony



Anne, it has been a pleasure to share our lives and community with you this past year. You contributed to and enriched our families and we hope your experiences in our country were as fulfilling. We will remember you as a "super" girl and wish you the best in everything you do.

Fondly, Dennis and Lisa Helm,
Karl and Tina Dewey, Ned and Pat Glenn

Matthew,
Never give up on your dreams. Always be a team player. Live what you believe.

Love,
Mom, Dad, and Jennifer



Sara,
To our sweet girl-who is very special to us. God be with you in all that you do in the future.
Congratulations.

Love, Dad and Mom



Sara,
Congratulations to our
"little Einstein".
It's about time you grew up.
Best Wishes!

Susan and John Russ, Sharon, and Ashley



Lisa,
Always "Bee" all that you can "Bee".

Love, Dad, Mom,
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Keep up the good work. You have made us proud so far and will always, I'm sure. You could never disappoint us. We will always love you. Never settle for less.

Love,
Mom, Dad, and Christina



Terry,

From start to finish, you've always been #1 in my eyes. Be proud of what you've accomplished. For you've won the battle, but the war has just begun.

Love always,
Mom



To Chris and his classmates,

"We can lift ourselves out of ignorance, we can find ourselves as creatures of excellence and intelligence and skill. We can be free! We can learn to fly!"

Best wishes to you all as you fly away.

Love,
the Keithleys



Judd,

We were always crazy about you. And as you know, we're still crazy!

Love,
Mom and Dad



Kyle,

Set your goals, believe in them, and follow where they lead. You're a great kid.

Love ya,
Mom and Dad



As you venture into your new world remember no matter how far you go, we are right behind you and are proud of all you have done and will do!

Love,
Mom, Dad, Vicki, Darrell, and Darla



Kasey,

I want you to use your heart as a compass as you grow and find your way, and always have an appreciation for the direction of home. Many blessings await you and this new journey of life and my most blessing of all has been you!

Love, Mom



Stuart and Emily,

You're both off to a great start. Strive to realize your full potential. May you find happiness and contentment in all you do.

Love,
Dad





Kristin,

Congratulations and best wishes. You will always be our "baby". Reach for the stars.

**We love you,
Mom, Dad, & Ryan**



Jennifer,

Keep dreaming and reaching for the stars. We love you.

**Dad, Mom,
Sarah, & Jessica**

Thank You

Amanda Sperry

Thank you, friend for being there.

Thank you so much for the time that we shared.

Thank you for listening when I have doubts.

Thank you for listening when the rest of the world walks out.

Thank you, friend for the laughs that we laughed, and the movies we saw,
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Thanks for the jokes that make me smile.

Thanks for all the times you went that extra mile.



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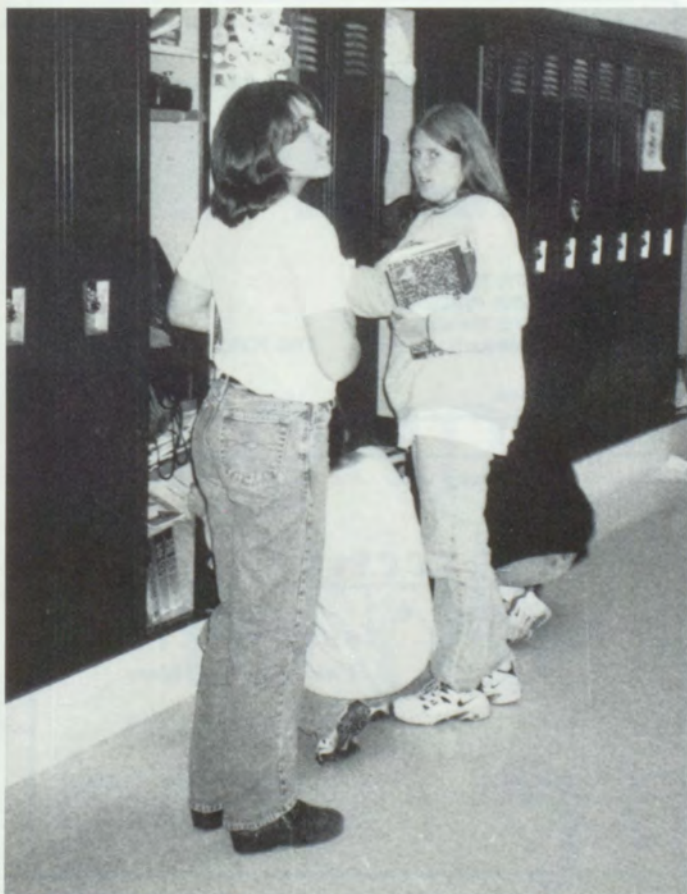
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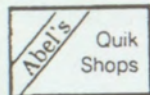
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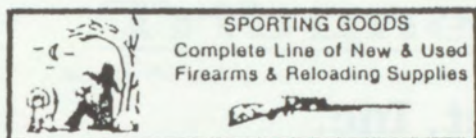


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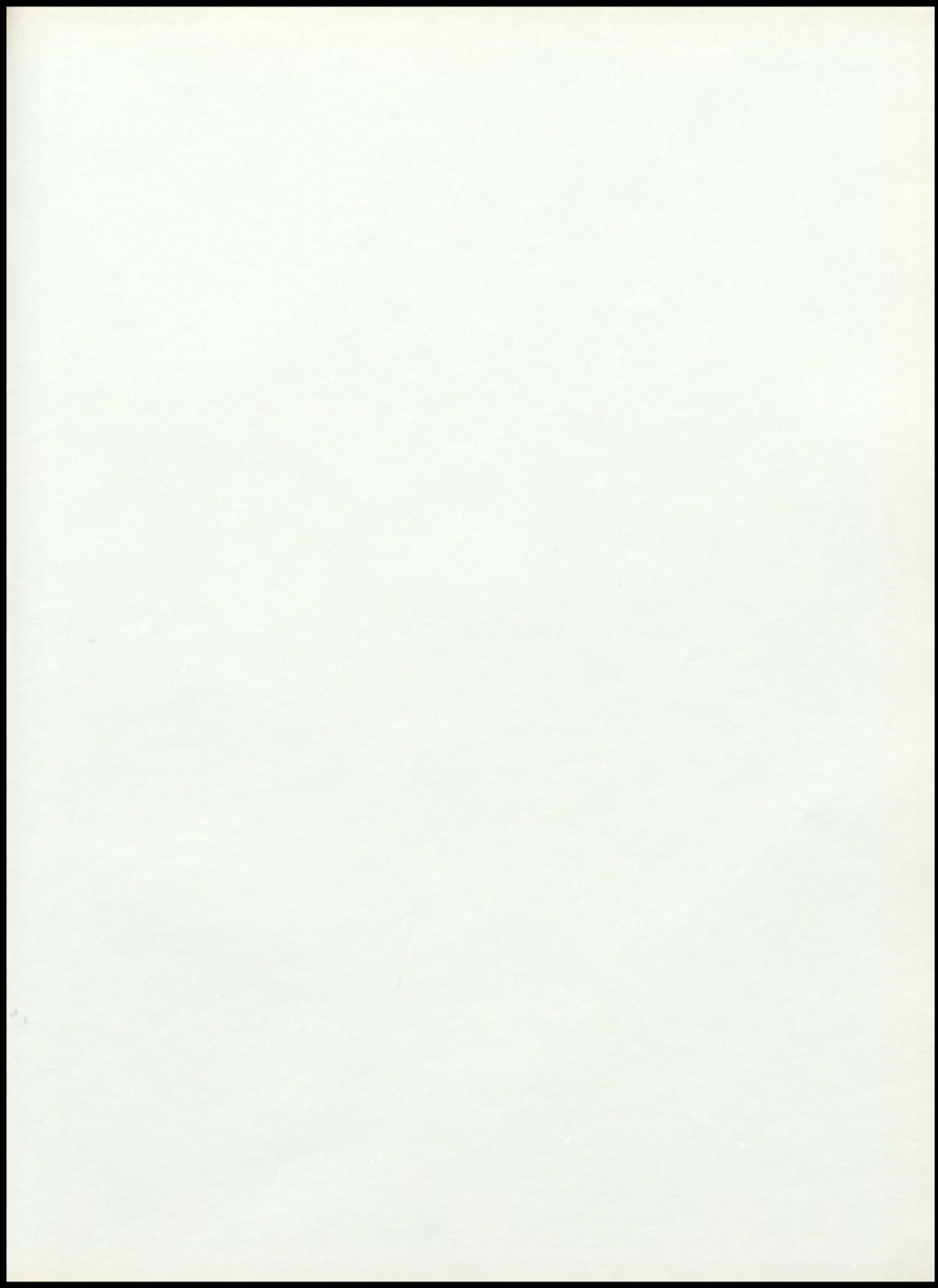
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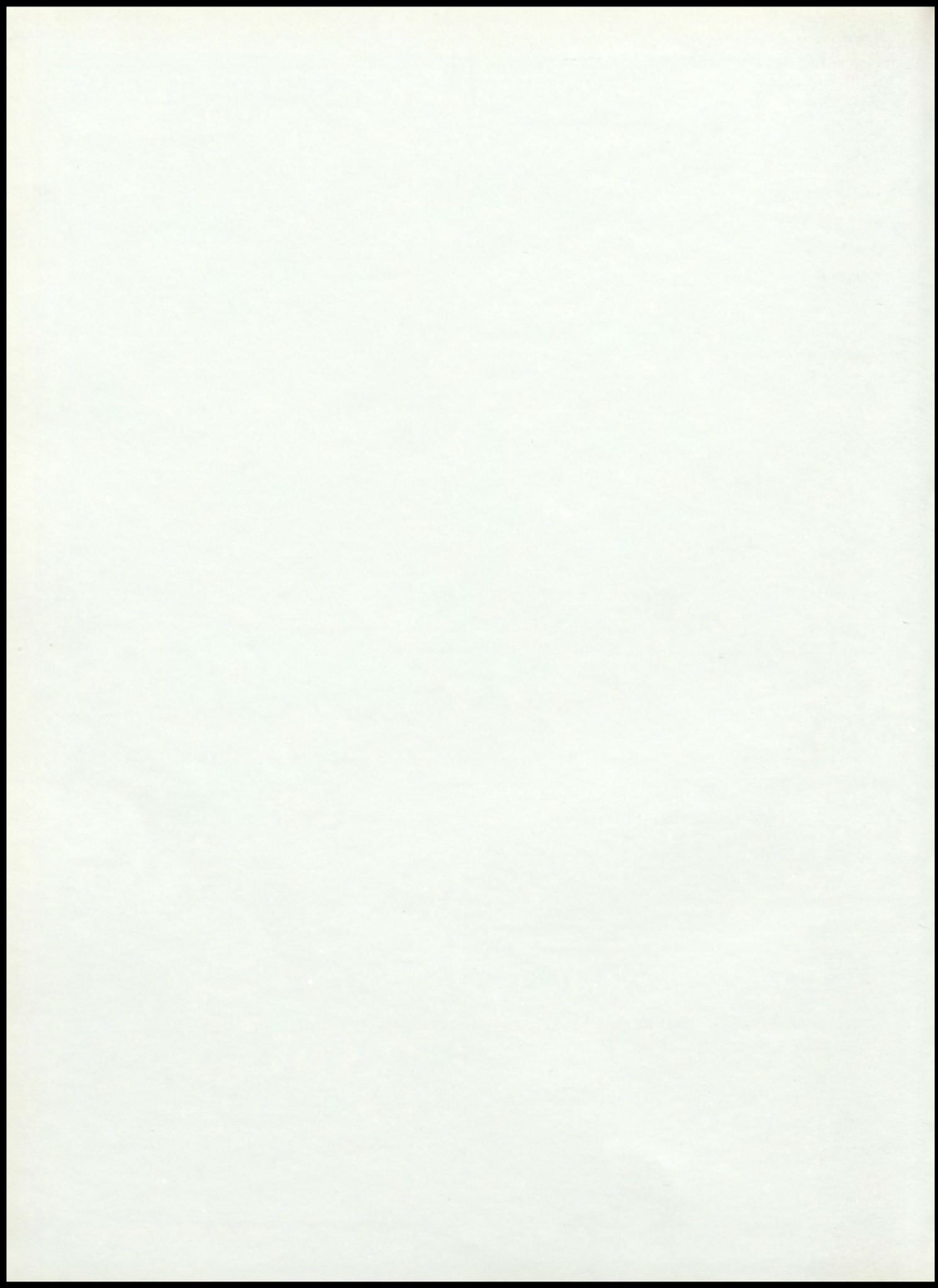
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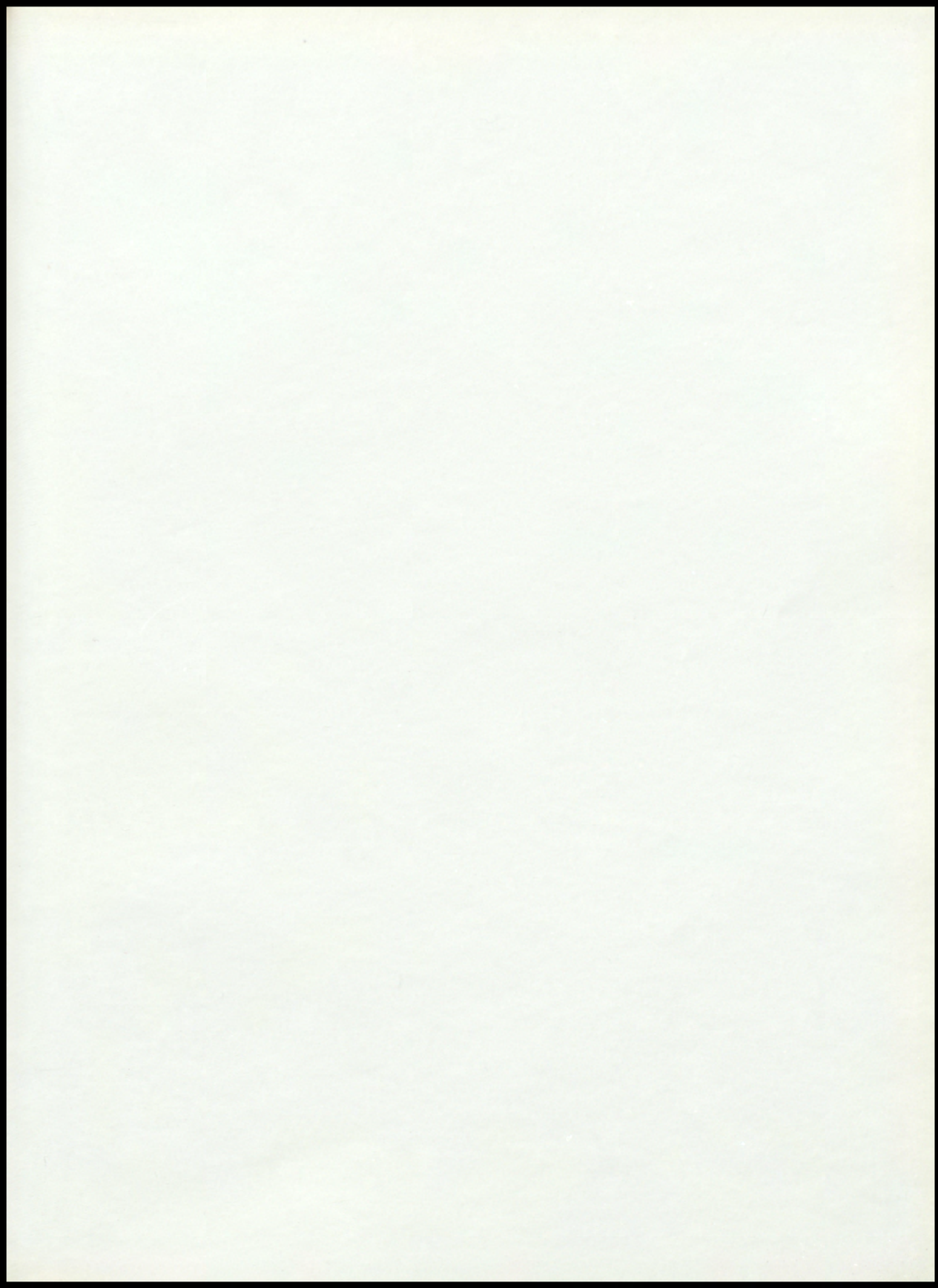
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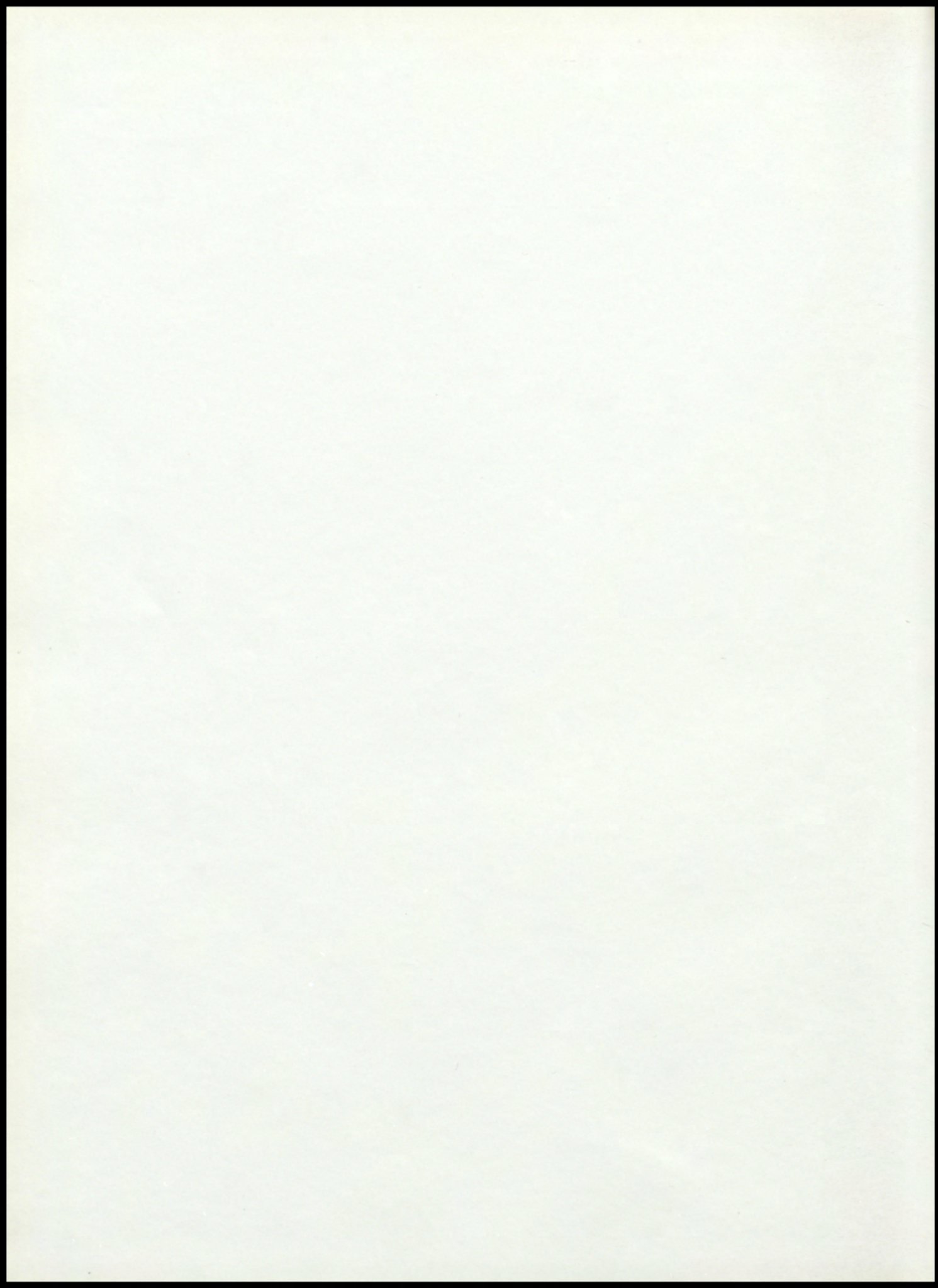
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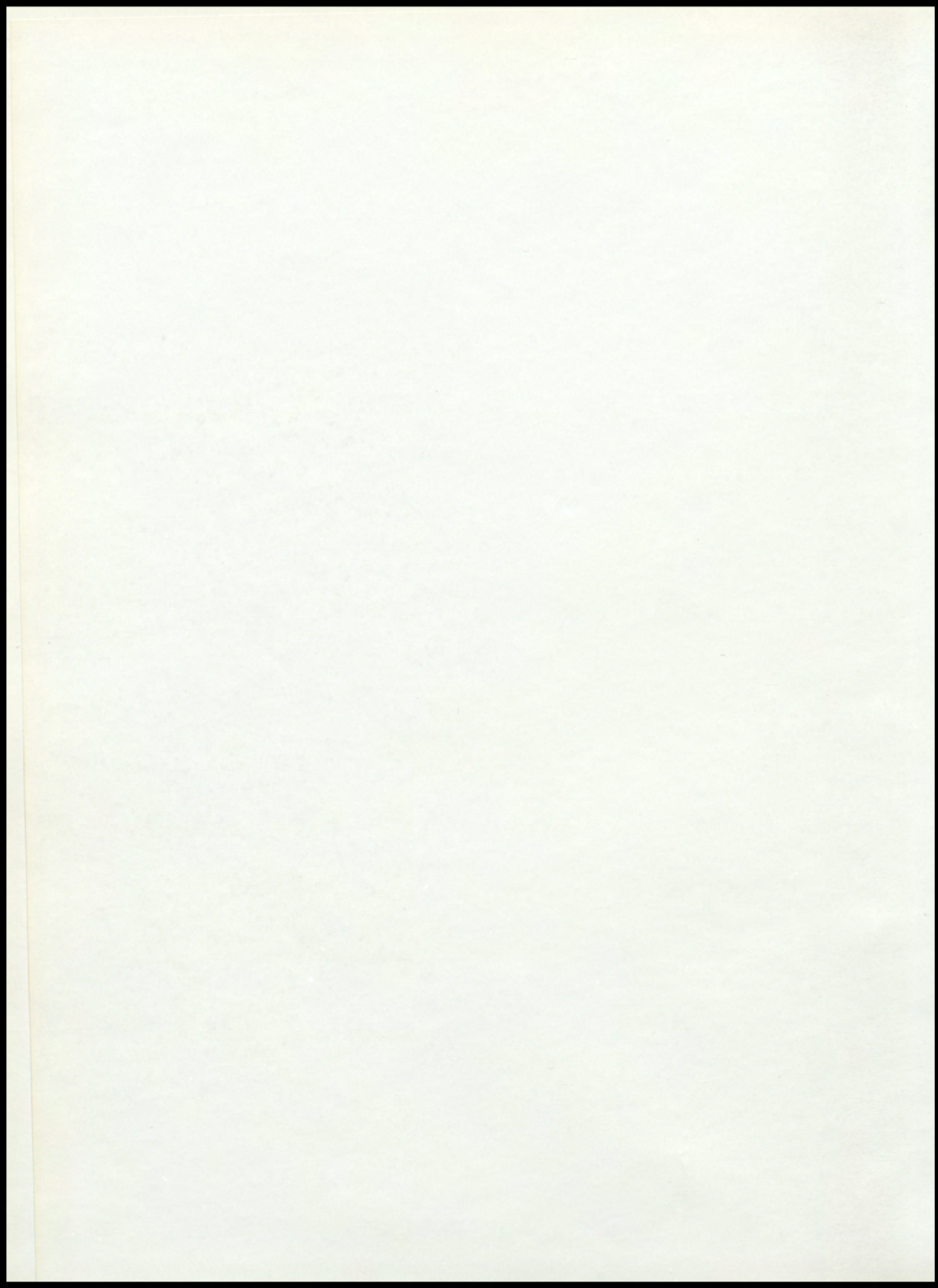




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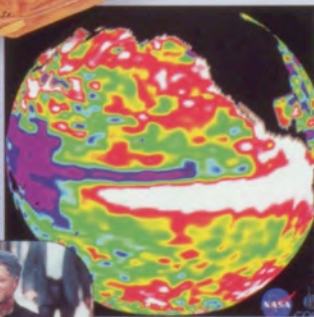
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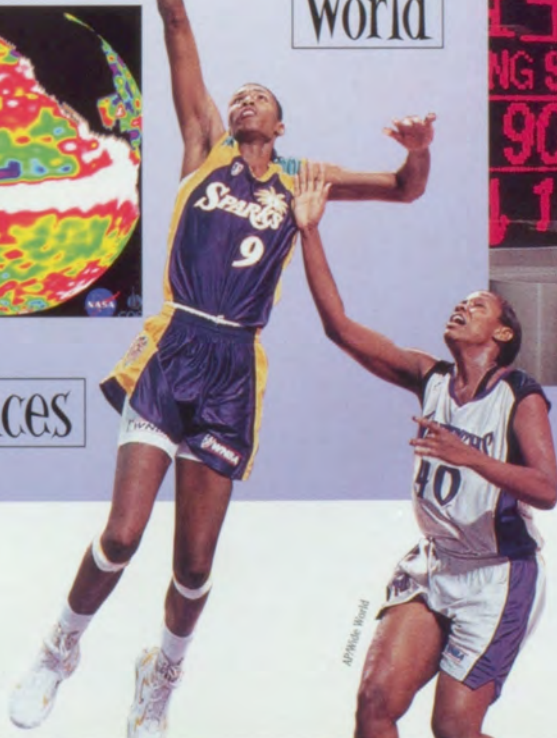


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World NEWS



Agence France-Press

Asian economic turmoil triggers global unrest. In October, Hong Kong's stock market crashes. Asian countries receive billions in bailout dollars from the International Monetary Fund.

Agence France-Press



Hong Kong reverts to China at 12:01 a.m., July 1, after 156 years of British colonial rule. China says Hong Kong will continue its Western way of life and free-market economy.

A 15-day school strike in Ontario, Canada, affects 2.1 million students. Late in October, 128,000 teachers walk out to protest a controversial bill that would alter educational funding and centralize government control of education.



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Jan 1, 2000

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Governments and businesses worldwide race to remedy the "Year 2000" problem. Unless key computer systems are reprogrammed to recognize dates in the new century the world faces the threat of catastrophic failure in critical areas like banking, air safety, public utilities and defense.



Seymour, Sipa

Montserrat, once called "the Emerald Isle of the Caribbean," is devastated by ongoing eruptions from a volcano that had been dormant for 400 years. Two-thirds of the populace evacuates.



AP/Wide World

Powerful earthquakes in central Italy kill 11 people and damage art treasures, including centuries-old frescoes by Italian Renaissance painters, in the Basilica of St. Francis of Assisi.

flash

Change sweeps Great Britain as Labor Party leader Tony Blair's landslide election in May 1997 ousts the Conservatives and makes Blair, at 44, Britain's youngest prime minister in 185 years.

Hurricane Pauline slams into Mexico's Pacific coast in October, causing flash floods, landslides and at least 200 fatalities.

The resort city of Acapulco is heavily damaged.



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The remains of Ernesto "Che" Guevara, martyred Marxist revolutionary, are laid to rest in Cuba in October, 30 years after his execution in Bolivia, where his bones recently had been found.



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After 32 years of autocratic rule, President Mobutu Sese Seko of Zaire is deposed in May 1997 and later dies in exile. His successor, Laurent Kabila, changes Zaire's name to Democratic Republic of the Congo.



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Halloween fever seizes France. At the base of the Eiffel Tower in Paris 8,000 pumpkins are displayed, and French children participate in an American-style Halloween celebration.

- President Jiang Zemin of China meets for summit talks with President Bill Clinton in October, the first visit in 12 years of a Chinese leader to the U.S. During his stay, demonstrators protest China's treatment of Tibet.



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Tim Graham, Sigma

- The death of "the people's princess" generates an emotional outpouring of love and grief, evidenced by floral tributes heaped at Diana's Kensington Palace home.



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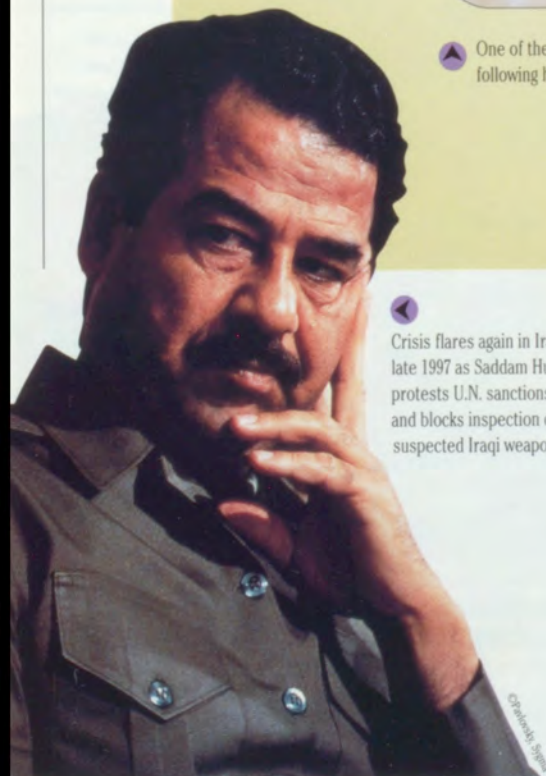
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- One of the most poignant images of Diana's funeral: her young sons following her coffin into Westminster Abbey.



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- At the funeral, Elton John performs "Candle in the Wind 1997," rewritten in tribute to Diana. The recording quickly sells more than 35 million copies, becoming the best-selling single of all time. Sales proceeds benefit the Diana, Princess of Wales Memorial Fund.



Chris Wedel, Sigma

- Crisis flares again in Iraq in late 1997 as Saddam Hussein protests U.N. sanctions and blocks inspection of suspected Iraqi weapon sites.

flash

Floods, drought and mismanagement in North Korea create a severe famine. As many as a million North Koreans die of starvation.

Pope John Paul II visits Communist Cuba in January 1998, the first time a pope has done so. During his five-day visit the pope celebrates public masses and meets privately with President Fidel Castro.



AP/Wide World

- In June, shortly before Diana's death, an auction of 79 of her evening gowns raises \$3.26 million for AIDS and cancer charities. Top price paid for a single gown: \$222,500.

National NEWS



Reuters/Archive Photos

On July 23 suspected murderer Andrew Cunanan, 27, commits suicide in Miami Beach. Cunanan was the prime suspect in a cross-country killing spree that left five dead, including fashion designer Gianni Versace.

Once-mighty Apple Computer is close to failure when arch-rival Bill Gates of Microsoft "rescues" it with a \$150 million bail-out in August. The event opens a new era of cooperation between formerly fierce competitors.



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AP/Wide World

Americans join "Stop the Violence" campaigns nationwide in an attempt to generate awareness of and solutions to the problem of violence in America.



Jonathan Elderfield, Gamma/Liaison

Joe Camel is snuffed out as the Federal Trade Commission bans tobacco advertising aimed at minors and institutes sweeping tobacco advertising restrictions.



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British nanny Louise Woodward, 19, is convicted in Massachusetts of murdering a child in her care. The judge later reduces the charge to involuntary manslaughter and releases her.



AP/Wide World

Timothy McVeigh is convicted of murder and conspiracy in June for the April 1995 bombing of the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building in Oklahoma City. McVeigh is later sentenced to death.

Theodore Kaczynski admits he is the Unabomber responsible for killing 3 people and injuring 29 others in an 18-year bombing campaign. His January 1998 guilty plea spares Kaczynski the death penalty but condemns him to life in prison with no possibility of release.

UPS workers take to the picket lines in an August strike lasting 15 days. The eventual settlement is seen as a major labor victory.



Patrick Heagerty, Sigma

First Lt. Kelly Flinn accepts a general discharge from the Air Force, avoiding court-martial for lying about an affair and disobeying orders. Flinn had been the first and only female B-52 pilot in the service.

Brooks Kraft, Sigma



In April 1997, floods ravage the entire Red River Valley between Minnesota and the Dakotas. Ninety percent of downtown Grand Forks, North Dakota, is under water.

- ▶ A rare urban tornado prowls through Miami on May 12, uprooting trees, shattering windows and snapping power lines. Fortunately, the storm inflicts only minor injuries.

Arthur Harvey, The Miami Herald



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- ▶ Attorney General Janet Reno refuses to name an independent prosecutor to investigate Clinton administration fundraising, causing friction with FBI Director Louis Freeh.



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- ▶ Terry Nichols is found guilty of conspiracy and manslaughter in the 1995 Oklahoma City bombing. Nichols is spared a federal death sentence in January 1998, but still faces Oklahoma state charges.

- ▶ UFO enthusiasts gather in Roswell, New Mexico, to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the alleged UFO crash there in July 1947.



AP/Wide World

- ▶ Bobbi McCaughey, Carlisle, Iowa, gives birth November 19 to seven babies, the U.S.'s first living septuplets. McCaughey and her husband Kenny now have eight children.

Reuters/Archive Photos



- ▶ At the Internet/Online Summit in December, Vice President Al Gore announces government initiatives to protect young Internet users from online pornography.



AP/Wide World

- ▶ On October 25, at least 300,000 African-American women gather in Philadelphia for the Million Woman March. Winnie Madikizela-Mandela is one of the speakers.

flash

The all-male Promise Keepers movement inspires praise and controversy for its message of spiritual revival and personal responsibility for men. In October, the group holds a giant rally in Washington, D.C.

Once-secret tape recordings of former presidents Kennedy and Nixon are released publicly. The tapes provide an unvarnished, and sometimes unflattering, glimpse into the two presidents' actions and conversations in the White House.



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- ▶ Fast-food giant Burger King is forced to stop serving burgers when supplier Hudson Foods recalls 25 million pounds of hamburger suspected of contamination with *E. coli* bacteria. It is the biggest beef recall in U.S. history.

Science NEWS



NASA

- ▶ Russia's aging *Mir* space station collides with an unmanned supply vehicle in June and is seriously damaged. This is only one in a series of crises casting doubt on the viability of the station.

- ▶ Viewers worldwide see the first-ever high-resolution color pictures of Mars when the *Pathfinder* spacecraft lands July 4. The lander and its rover, *Sojourner*, collect and transmit extraordinary data for three months.

AP/Wide World



- ▶ For \$8.36 million, Chicago's Field Museum of Natural History buys "Sue," the most complete *Tyrannosaurus rex* fossil yet discovered. The sale occurs October 4 at Sotheby's in New York.



NASA



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- ▶ In September, CAT scans of petrified dinosaur eggs found in China reveal a dinosaur embryo.

- ▶ Scottish scientists in February 1997 announce the world's first cloning of an adult mammal. The sheep, named Dolly, fuels controversy over possible misuse of the technology.



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flash

Fuel cells that convert a fuel's energy directly into electricity are being developed for use in cars, making possible an efficient, low-emission car of the future.

The first prescription pill for male-pattern baldness is approved by the Food and Drug Administration in December. The drug Propecia is made by Merck and Company.



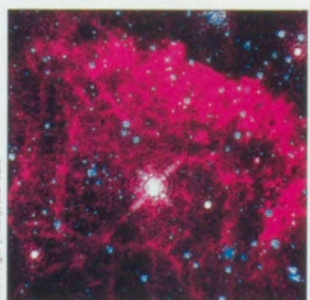
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- ▶ Research produces medical breakthroughs, including a genetically engineered "bullet" molecule being tested to fight cancer and new drugs to control or prevent Parkinson's disease, osteoporosis and congestive heart failure.



Matt Meadows/ISI

- ▶ The popular diet regimen fen-phen is pulled off the market in September. The combination of fenfluramine and phentermine is shown to cause heart valve disorders, as is the diet drug Redux, also recalled.



Don F. Figer (UCLA), and NASA

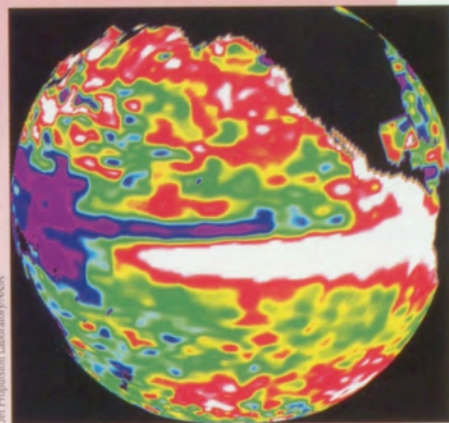
- ▶ Aided by the Hubble Space Telescope, astronomers discover the Pistol Star—the brightest star yet observed in the Milky Way. The Pistol Star is 25,000 light years from Earth.

- ▶ Comet Hale-Bopp captures imaginations worldwide as it streaks past Earth for the first time in 4,200 years—or, since 2203 B.C. Hale-Bopp next returns in 4397.

AP/Wide World



- ▶ On October 13, the British jet car *Thrust SSC* becomes the first vehicle to break the sound barrier on land, traveling 766.6 miles per hour in the Nevada desert.



Jet Propulsion Laboratory/NASA

- ▶ El Niño stirs up global weather patterns. Caused by warmer-than-normal water temperatures in the equatorial Pacific, the '97 El Niño is blamed for storms and weather problems worldwide.



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- ▶ In December, 159 nations gather in Kyoto, Japan, and negotiate a climate treaty to combat global warming by reducing greenhouse gases.



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- ▶ The Food and Drug Administration approves a dental laser for treating cavities. Unlike traditional dental drills, the laser in most cases causes virtually no discomfort.

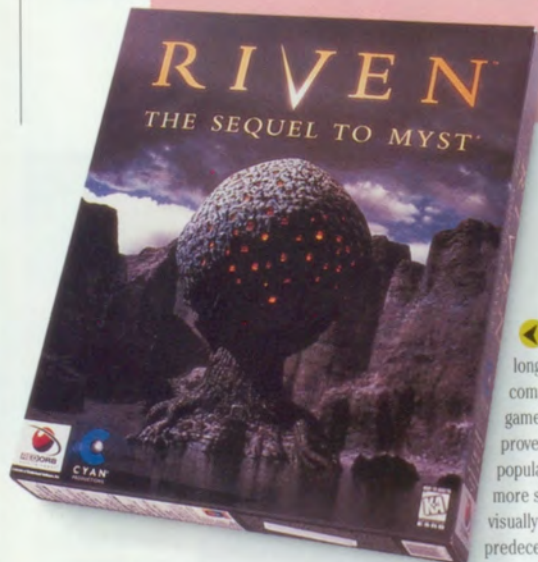


Premier Laser Systems, Inc.



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- ▶ Protesters unsuccessfully attempt to prevent the October launch of NASA's *Cassini* spacecraft to Saturn, fearing an accident could shower the Earth with the rocket's radioactive plutonium.



- ▶ Riven, the long-awaited computer adventure game sequel to *Myst*, proves to be just as popular and even more sophisticated visually than its predecessor.

flash

Hong Kong authorities in December order the slaughter of more than a million chickens in an effort to halt the spread of a bird flu virus that killed six people.

The space shuttle *Columbia* releases the errant *Spartan* satellite in November. U.S. astronaut Winston Scott and Takao Doi, the first Japanese astronaut to do a space walk, retrieve the satellite for return to Earth.



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- ▶ French oceanographer and award-winning filmmaker Jacques Cousteau dies in June at 87. His work gained renown through the popular television series "The Undersea World of Jacques Cousteau."

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Teen People, a savvy monthly magazine for and about teenagers, premieres in February 1998.



Fashion advertising and clothing trends inspire the popularity of the color orange, which replaces neon green as the fad color of the year.



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In October, a cyberfashion show at the M.I.T. Media Lab Wearable Symposium features fashions with built-in computer devices and electronic hardware. M.I.T. students designed the high-tech fashions.



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Fashion looks to the Far East. The stick-on bindi, a tiny decorative accent worn in the middle of the forehead, is popularized by Gwen Stefani, lead singer of the band No Doubt.



AP/Wide World



Princess Diana tribute merchandise abounds, including a double CD set and a new Beanie Baby named Princess, a royal purple bear adorned with a rose. Profits benefit the Diana, Princess of Wales Memorial Fund.

flash

Nike introduces a new "I Can" advertising campaign on New Year's Day. The company does not plan to abandon its "Just Do It" slogan, introduced in 1985, which will continue to appear on T-shirts and posters.

Diet Scent Patches are introduced in June by Slimline, a British company. Designed to help people diet successfully, the small arm stickers produce an unpleasant odor to discourage the wearer from eating sweets.



AP/Wide World

"Two Fat Ladies" becomes the Food Network's hottest new cooking show in the U.S., attracting fans with its unconventional British stars, two overweight, middle-aged women.



Christian Dior

This year's look in cosmetics is glimmering, sparkling and colorful. Riding this wave, cosmetics giant Christian Dior introduces Mascara Flash, temporary hair color in a variety of outrageous tints.



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Platform shoes, a fashion statement during the disco '70s, make a style comeback in a big way in 1997, inspiring even platform sneakers.

- ▶ The Chevrolet Corvette is named *Motor Trend* magazine's 1998 Car of the Year.

General Motors



Softer Hairstyle

Smaller Chest

Larger Waist

Smaller Hips



- ▶ A new \$50 bill featuring a larger, off-center portrait of President Ulysses S. Grant is unveiled in October. Design details make the bill more difficult to forge.



Reuters/Archive Plus

- ▶ After nearly 40 years, Mattel's Barbie doll takes on a more realistic face and body shape than the Barbie of the '60s. The new doll will begin to appear in stores in early 1998.



AP/Wide World

- ▶ Mattel introduces Share a Smile Becky in May 1997. Seated in a bright pink wheelchair, the doll is marketed as a friend to the traditional Barbie.



Karl Steinbremer

- ▶ Mehndi, intricate designs painted on the body with henna dye, is a popular expression of the fashion trend toward Eastern themes and patterns.

- ▶ Digital "pets" are a 1997 toy craze. These virtual critters keep their owners busy by beeping when they need care or feeding. If ignored, they "die."

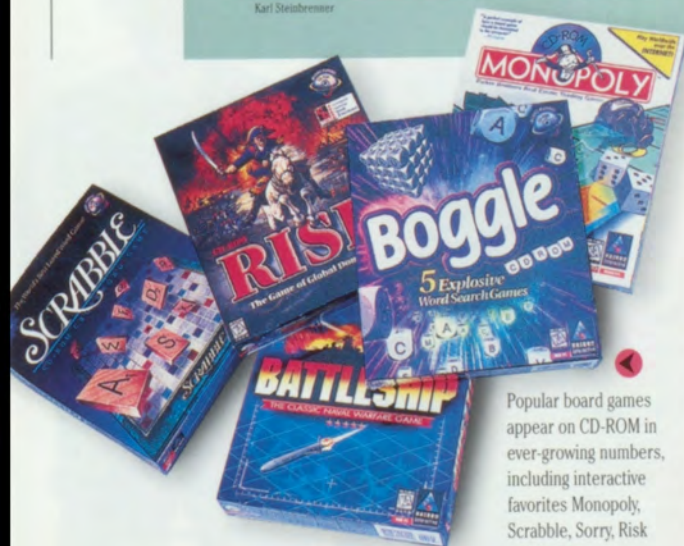
flash

As many as 700 school districts nationwide teach "emotional intelligence," aiming to develop children's values and people skills as well as their minds.

Beepers are a status symbol and a lifestyle must-have for many teens juggling school, jobs and after-school activities. More than 40 million beepers are carried in the U.S., an estimated 25 percent of them by people between the ages of 12 and 24. In some schools, beepers are forbidden as disruptive.



- ▶ Canada issues a Superhero postage stamp series that includes a 45-cent stamp featuring the colorful, comic-book image of Superman.



Popular board games appear on CD-ROM in ever-growing numbers, including interactive favorites Monopoly, Scrabble, Sorry, Risk and Boggle.

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▲ Comedian Chris Farley dies at 33 of a drug overdose on December 18. He starred in NBC's "Saturday Night Live" and movies including *Tommy Boy* and *Beverly Hills Ninja*.



ABC from the Kobal Collection

▶ ABC's gritty police drama "NYPD Blue" remains one of the most popular one-hour dramas on television in 1997, capturing four Emmy Awards.



Universal Studios, Inc., from Shooting Star

▶ *The Lost World*, Steven Spielberg's *Jurassic Park* sequel, breaks summer box-office records everywhere. It earns \$229 million in the U.S.



Columbia/Mandelay from the Kobal Collection

▶ Horror films draw teenagers to the box office. *I Know What You Did Last Summer*, starring Jennifer Love Hewitt and Sarah Michelle Gellar, is one of the year's biggest attractions.



Gino Mifrud, Shooting Star

▶ Jerry Seinfeld, creator and star of the NBC hit "Seinfeld," announces in December that the 1997-1998 season is the show's last. The final episode airs in May, ending the popular show's nine-year run.

flash

In its second season, the WB's campy sitcom "Buffy the Vampire Slayer" blossoms into a huge favorite with many viewers.

Jenny McCarthy stars in a new fall NBC comedy "Jenny" that, in January 1998, goes into hiatus only a few months into its first season. McCarthy had been an MTV personality before moving to the network.



Fox from Shooting Star

▶ Fox network launches "King of the Hill," an animated show that focuses on the lives of a propane dealer from Texas and his family. The show goes on to become a smash hit.



Dimension Films from the Kobal Collection

▶ *Scream 2*, the chilling hit sequel to *Scream*, is a wildly successful mix of carnage and comedy starring Neve Campbell, Jerry O'Connell, Tori Spelling, Jada Pinkett and a host of other stars.



Dreamworks Pictures from Shooting Star

▶ Critically acclaimed *Amistad*, directed by Steven Spielberg, tells the story of an 1839 slave ship mutiny. The film culminates years of effort by producer Debbie Allen to bring the story to life.

- Religion is a common theme on eight fall-season network TV shows inspired by the success of CBS's "Touched by an Angel" starring Roma Downey, Della Reese and John Dye. New programs include ABC's "Nothing Sacred" and "Teen Angel."

CBS Entertainment from Shooting Star



AP/Wide World



- Titanic* is a huge critical and box-office success. The movie event of the year, this \$200 million picture is the most costly in history. After 45 days in the theaters, *Titanic* had earned \$308 million.



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Fox/Paramount from Shooting Star

- Star Wars* captures a new generation of fans when George Lucas re-releases the film trilogy 20 years after the first film was shown. In Washington, D.C., the National Air and Space Museum mounts a huge exhibition of now-historic *Star Wars* artifacts.



Paramount from Shooting Star

- Michael Flatley's pulsating show "Lord of the Dance" fuels the extraordinary popularity of Irish dance. The show tours 15 cities in the U.S. through October.

- In the fall, Fox debuts "Ally McBeal," a comedy/drama starring Calista Flockhart as a young Boston attorney. The show captures a Golden Globe Award in January 1998 for best series/musical or comedy.



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- Matt Damon stars as an attorney in *The Rainmaker*, a movie based on the John Grisham novel. Damon's successes also include the film *Good Will Hunting*.



Columbia TriStar from Shooting Star

flash

The Wonderful World of Disney presents its adaptation of "Rodgers & Hammerstein's Cinderella" on ABC, starring Brandy as Cinderella and Whitney Houston as the Fairy Godmother.

Tomorrow Never Dies, starring Pierce Brosnan as 007, is a holiday box-office hit and confirms the enduring popularity of James Bond movies.

Summer blockbuster *Men in Black* grosses more than \$500 million worldwide to become 1997's biggest hit. The sci-fi comedy stars Will Smith and Tommy Lee Jones.



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- The 1997 season premiere episode of "ER" is broadcast live and draws 42.7 million viewers for NBC, including those who watch it on a giant screen in Times Square.

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MUSIC TRENDS



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▶ Fiona Apple, 20, one of rock's female superstars, is named MTV's Best New Artist in a Video. Her single "Criminal" soars to the top of the charts.

◀ Chumbawamba's hit single "Tubthumping" brings long-awaited success to this British band. The song becomes popular at pro sports events, kicking off games for several teams.

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▶ Rap artist the Notorious B.I.G. is killed in a March 1997 drive-by shooting in Los Angeles. He is posthumously awarded MTV's 1997 Best Rap Video Award for "Hypnotize" and is named *Spin* magazine's Artist of the Year.



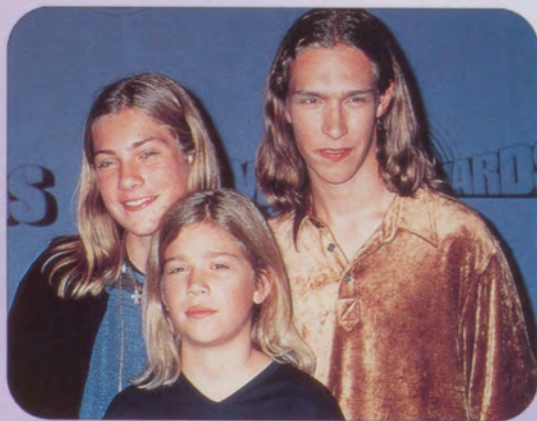
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▶ With their hit single "MMMBop," three young brothers from Tulsa become one of the biggest breakthrough acts of 1997 as the band Hanson.

▶ Lili Fair, an all-female summer rock concert, draws large crowds on its 37-stop tour. Canadian singer-songwriter Sarah McLachlan masterminds the festival and releases a hit album, *Surfacing*.



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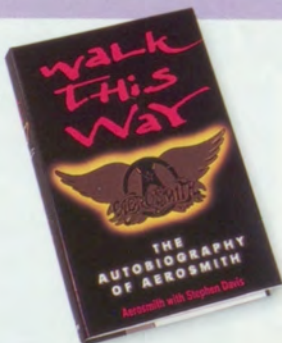
Drummer Bill Berry leaves R.E.M. after 17 years with the popular rock group. R.E.M. plans to continue as a trio.

Kenny G. enters the *Guinness Book of World Records* for holding the longest musical note—45 minutes, 47 seconds—on his saxophone.



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▶ Country music superstar Garth Brooks releases *Sevens*, his first album in two years. The album sells 800,000 copies the first week.



▶ *Walk This Way: The Autobiography of Aerosmith* chronicles the long career of the band notorious for its excesses in the '70s and '80s. The group's new album *Nine Lives* is nominated for a 1998 Grammy.



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▶ Smash Mouth popularizes a genre of alternative rock known as neo-ska with its hit single "Walkin' on the Sun" and debut album *Fush Yu Mang*.

British pop phenomenon, the Spice Girls, makes millions with mega-hits such as "Wannabe" and sells 14 million albums and 10 million singles.

Ron Davis, Shooting Star



Adam Yauch of the Beastie Boys engineers the second Tibetan Freedom Concert, held in June in New York, offering 27 music acts and a free-Tibet political message.

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Third Eye Blind, after several years in San Francisco's underground music scene, goes big time in 1997. Their song "Semi-Charmed Life" is listed as the top-selling modern rock single for 1997 in *Billboard* magazine.



The album *No Way Out* by Puff Daddy & the Family goes multiplatinum. Puff's single "I'll Be Missing You," an elegy to his friend the Notorious B.I.G., also tops the charts.



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Sixteen-year-old R&B phenom Jonny Lang opens for the Rolling Stones' fall tour and spends 16 weeks at No. 1 on *Billboard's* blues chart with his album *Lie to Me*.

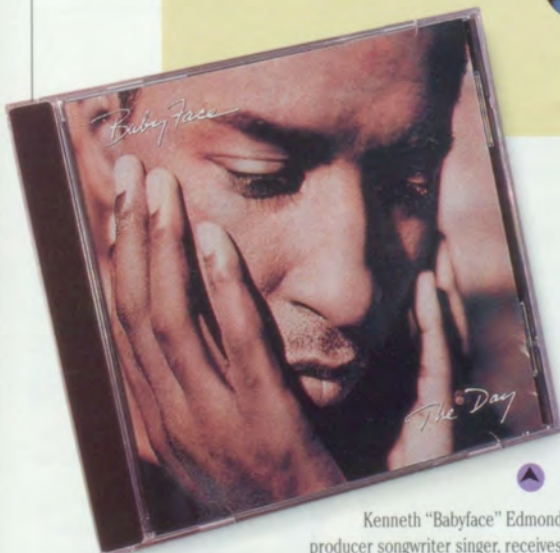


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At 15, country music sensation LeAnn Rimes sells more than 12.5 million recordings in the U.S. in 1997 and is named *Billboard* Music Awards Artist of the Year. Her single "How Do I Live" is one of the year's best sellers.



Kenneth "Babyface" Edmonds, superstar producer songwriter singer, receives more 1998 Grammy nominations than any other artist, including one for his album *The Day*. Edmonds and wife Tracey also produce the film *Soul Food* in 1997.

flash

Metallica releases a seventh album, *Re-Load*, that confirms its position as the premier heavy-metal band in the music world.

Radiohead is *Spin* magazine's Band of the Year. Critics praise Radiohead's album *OK Computer*, variously described as haunting, revolting, inscrutable, stunning and gorgeous. The album receives a 1998 Grammy nomination for Rock/Pop Album of the Year.

Sports News



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▶ In July, 16-year-old Swiss tennis star Martina Hingis becomes the youngest Wimbledon champion since 1887. Hingis wins three of the four 1997 Grand Slam events.

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▶ The Florida Marlins are baseball's 1997 World Series champs and the first team ever to win the Series without winning its league pennant. The Marlins defeat the Cleveland Indians in seven games.

▶ Quarterback John Elway leads the Denver Broncos to a 31-24 victory over the Green Bay Packers in Super Bowl XXXII in San Diego, January 25, 1998. It is Elway's first Super Bowl win in four appearances.



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▶ Tiger Woods, 21, becomes the youngest golfer ever to win the Masters Tournament. His 18-under-par score sets a Masters record. Woods wins 3 other tournaments and sets a PGA Tour earnings record of \$2.1 million for the season.

▶ Mike Tyson bites off part of Evander Holyfield's ear and is disqualified in the WBA Heavyweight rematch in June 1997. Tyson is fined nearly \$3 million and his boxing license is revoked.



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Swedish golfing phenomenon Annika Sorenstam, 26, tops the LPGA earnings list in 1997 with a record \$1,236,789.

Professional sports salaries keep skyrocketing. One of the most publicized of 1997 is Kevin Garnett's \$126 million contract to play basketball for the Minnesota Timberwolves.



AP/Wide World

▶ Pittsburgh Penguins' Mario Lemieux retires in April 1997 after a spectacular comeback from Hodgkin's disease and injury. Lemieux is elected to the Hockey Hall of Fame in September.



▶ In April 1997, the premier issue of *Sports Illustrated Women's Sport* hits the newsstands. The magazine reflects the explosive growth of female participation in sports.



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▶ Charles Woodson, Michigan's versatile junior cornerback, becomes the first primarily defensive player to win the Heisman Trophy, awarded in December.

- ▶ Jeff Gordon, at 26, wins the 1997 NASCAR Winston Cup, his second Winston Cup point title in three years. Gordon's 1997 points total 4,710.

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Scott Cunningham, NBA/Allsport



- ▶ The Chicago Bulls beat the Utah Jazz in June 1997 for their fifth NBA championship in seven years. Michael Jordan is chosen Finals MVP a record fifth time.

- ▶ When the college football season ends, two teams share the national championship. Michigan (12-0) is named No. 1 by the sports writers' poll, and Nebraska (13-0) by the coaches' poll.

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- ▶ Nagano, Japan, hosts the 1998 Winter Olympic Games during February. Three new medal sports make their Olympic debut: curling, snowboarding and women's ice hockey.



- ▶ Detroit Red Wings captain Steve Yzerman powers his team to the 1997 Stanley Cup championship, its first in 42 years, by sweeping the Philadelphia Flyers in four games.



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Women officiate in an all-male professional sports league for the first time. The pioneers, Dee Kanter and Violet Palmer, are referees in the NBA.

Mark McGwire, of the St. Louis Cardinals, slams 52 homers in 1996 and 58 in 1997. McGwire becomes only the second player in baseball history with back-to-back, 50-home-run seasons, the other being Babe Ruth.



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- ▶ Dean Smith, winningest coach in college basketball history, retires in October after 36 seasons at North Carolina. *Sports Illustrated* names him 1997 Sportsman of the Year.

In its debut season, the WNBA exceeds all league expectations for success. The Houston Comets' championship win over the New York Liberty caps the 1997 season.



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Miss Illinois, Katherine Shindle, is crowned Miss America 1998. For the first time in its 77-year history the pageant allows contestants to wear two-piece swimsuits in competition.

Chelsea Clinton begins her freshman year at Stanford University in Palo Alto, California. Despite security measures, she reportedly will lead as normal a college life as possible.



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For the first time, a computer beats a world chess champion when IBM's Deep Blue beats Russian Garry Kasparov in a six-game match in May 1997.



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American Jody Williams and the International Campaign to Ban Land Mines are awarded the 1997 Nobel Peace Prize in October. The U.S. and China refuse to sign an international treaty that would ban land mines.



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Ted Turner, vice chairman of the Time Warner media empire, pledges \$1 billion to United Nations programs. It is the largest single gift in philanthropic history.

Shooting Star



Beloved actor Jimmy Stewart dies in July at 89. Stewart's enduring nice-guy popularity is exemplified by *It's a Wonderful Life*, his 1946 movie that is now an American cultural icon.



J.T. MacMillan, San Diego Union-Tribune

Roman Catholic nun Mother Teresa of Calcutta dies September 5 at the age of 87. Revered for a lifetime of helping the poorest of the poor, her many honors include the 1979 Nobel Peace Prize.

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Former leader of the Soviet Union Mikhail Gorbachev films a TV commercial for Pizza Hut. He reportedly earns \$1 million for the appearance, money he plans to use to benefit his Gorbachev Foundation.

Singer John Denver dies in October at 53 when the experimental plane he is piloting crashes into California's Monterey Bay.



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Sarah Ferguson, Duchess of York, appears in ads as a spokesperson for Weight Watchers International. She is the former wife of England's Prince Andrew.



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