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310 Davis Street

Taylor, Pa 18517

## **A Brief History of Taylor (ville)**

Our town is named after Moses Taylor who bought the first coal mine in the town. He was also the owner of Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroads. Parts of his millions were used to build the Moses Taylor Hospital in Scranton, Pa. This hospital was built in 1892 for the purpose of helping the sick and injured coal miners and railroad workers from our area.

Riverside High School is sunny all the time!

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Our town was first called "The Union", and then later named Taylorville in honor of Moses Taylor. In the early 1900's, it was shortened to "Taylor" by the United States Postal Service. No one really knows if Moses Taylor was ever actually in Taylor or Scranton but he left an impact on Taylor and all of Lackawanna County.

In 1905, the first high school was opened in the 600 block of West Grove Street. The school remained our town's high school until 1928 when the "new" high school was built on Main Street. The school was named Roosevelt Elementary. In later years, the children of the borough would enjoy an in ground swimming pool, a playground and a basketball court, which included lights for nighttime playing.

The old Taylor High School, built in the

1920's, was our town's high school until Taylor joined with Moosic to become Riverside. In the early 1970's, the old high school on Main Street became the Taylor Elementary School. Unfortunately, in the fall of 1989, the school burned down.

No one was injured but the beautiful architecture of the building was gone forever and missed by many citizens.

In 1900, Main Street consisted of electric streetcar tracks in the road, and "horse and buggies" could be seen parked on the right side of the road.

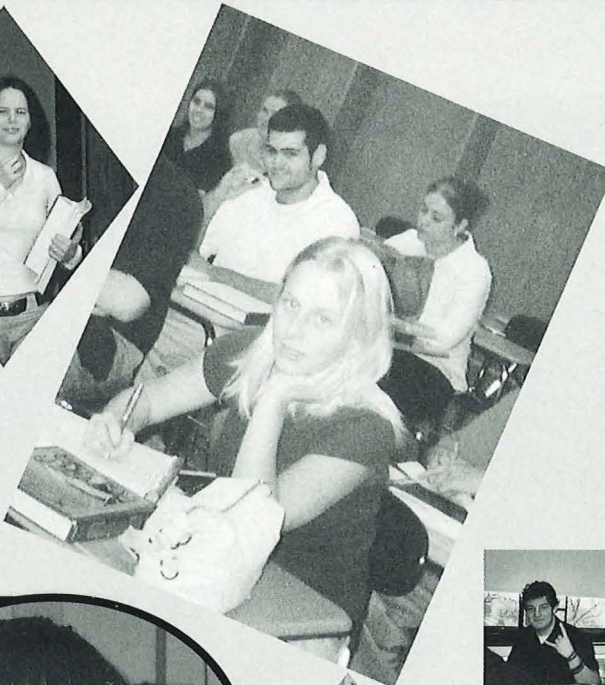
If you were standing on Main Street, looking directly up Union Street, there was a post office on the left side. You would also notice the ruts in the middle of the muddy road caused by wagon wheels.



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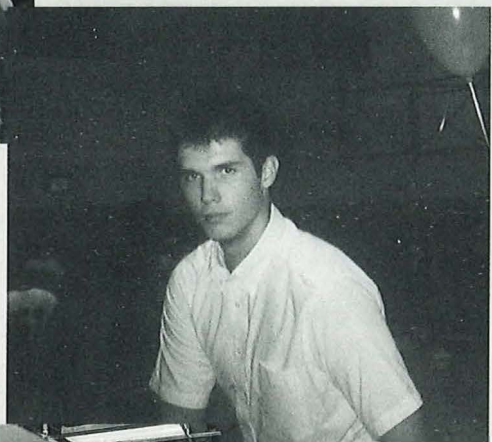
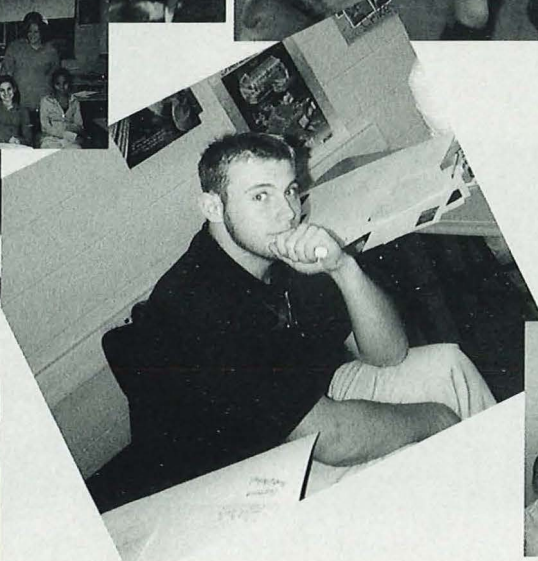
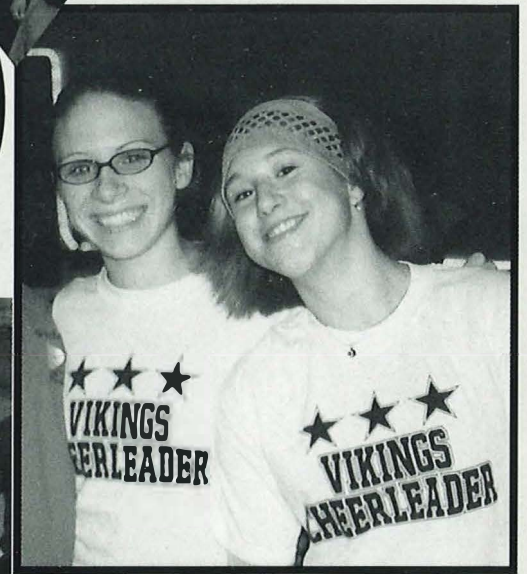
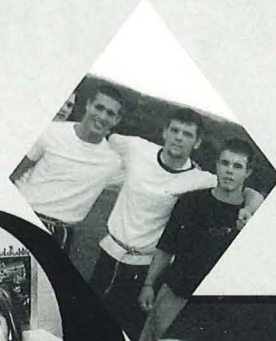


# A





# OPENING





# *Times like this I wish I was a teacher, lawyer, doctor...*



Art is cool!!!!

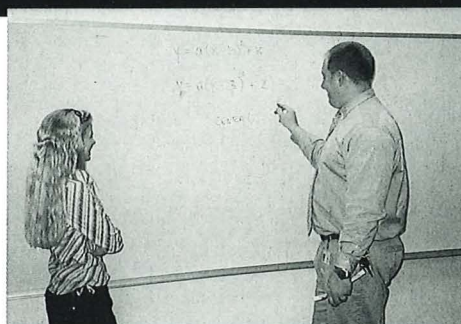


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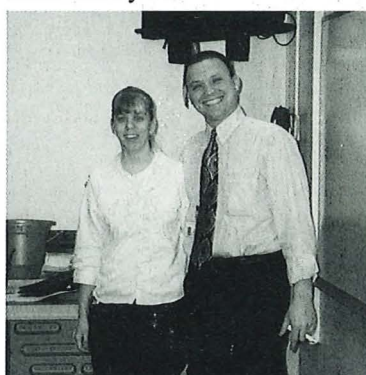


Let's talk about  
health.

Just  
what  
have  
you  
learned?



Sarah, I wish I was  
smart like you!



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Look twins.

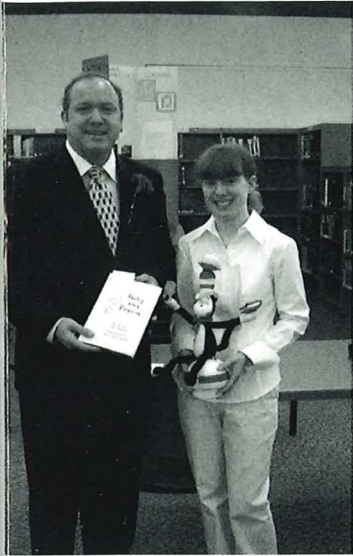


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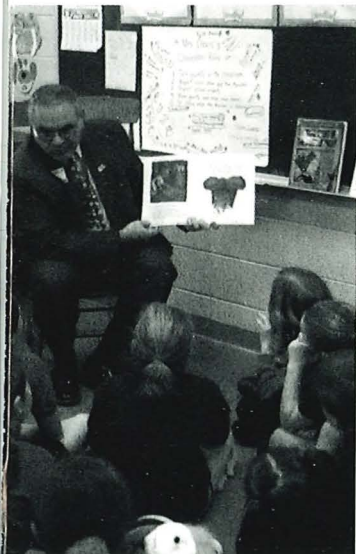
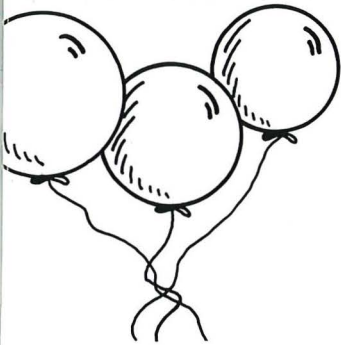
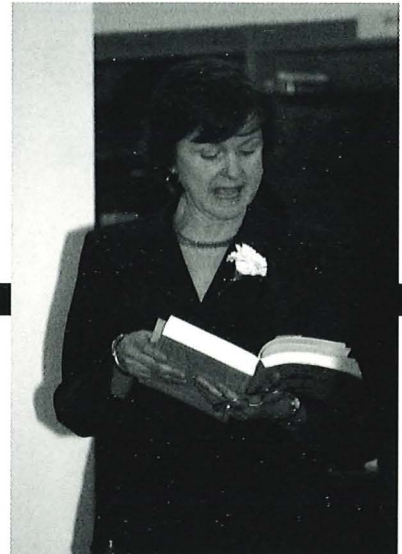


I'll play, you  
dance.

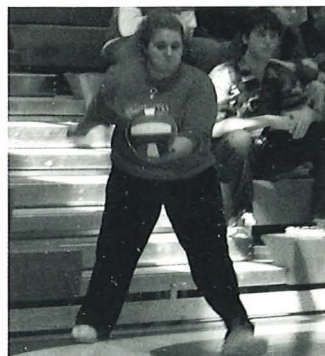
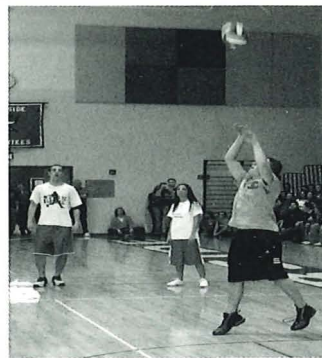
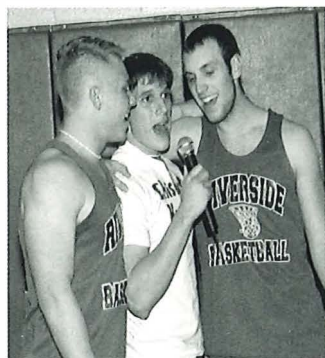




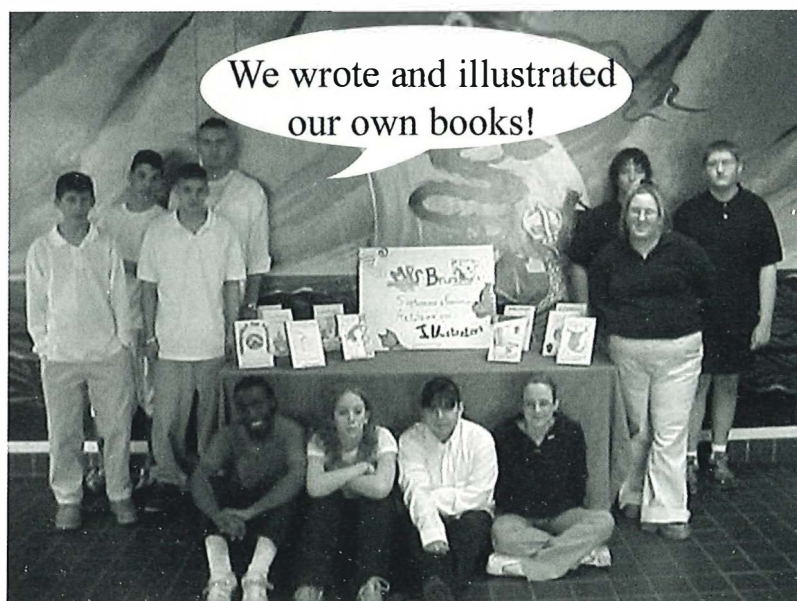
# *Read Across America*







## *Time for Volleyball!*



### The Authors

Students in Mrs. Brundage's class not only wrote their own books but they also took some time out of their day to share them with others. Her students went to Riverside Elementary West to read to the children.

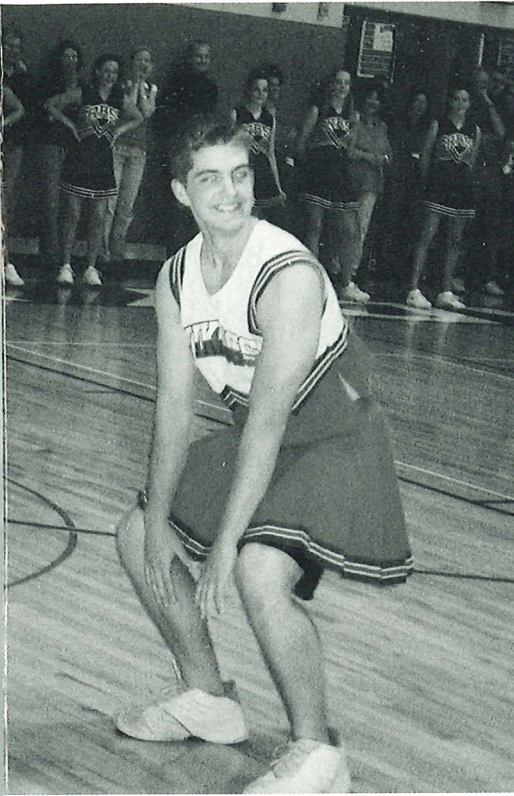
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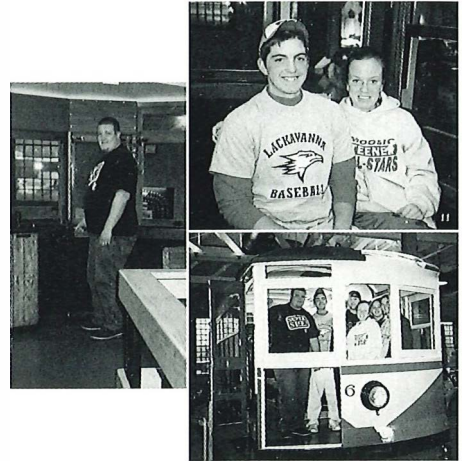
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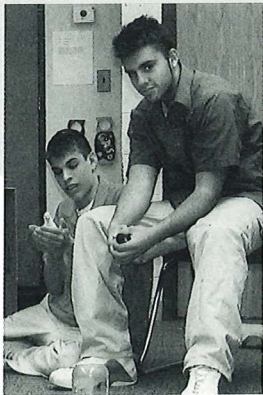
Let's hear it for  
our POOH!



Above: RHS  
participants in the  
NASA Endeavor  
Project.



Seniors Frank Johnson, Mike Miller,  
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Allison Ellis participate in a year-long  
program "Community Connections to  
our Watershed" for Ecology class.

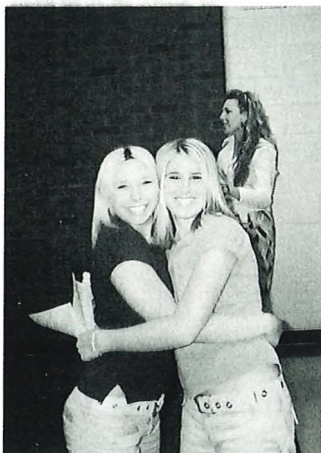
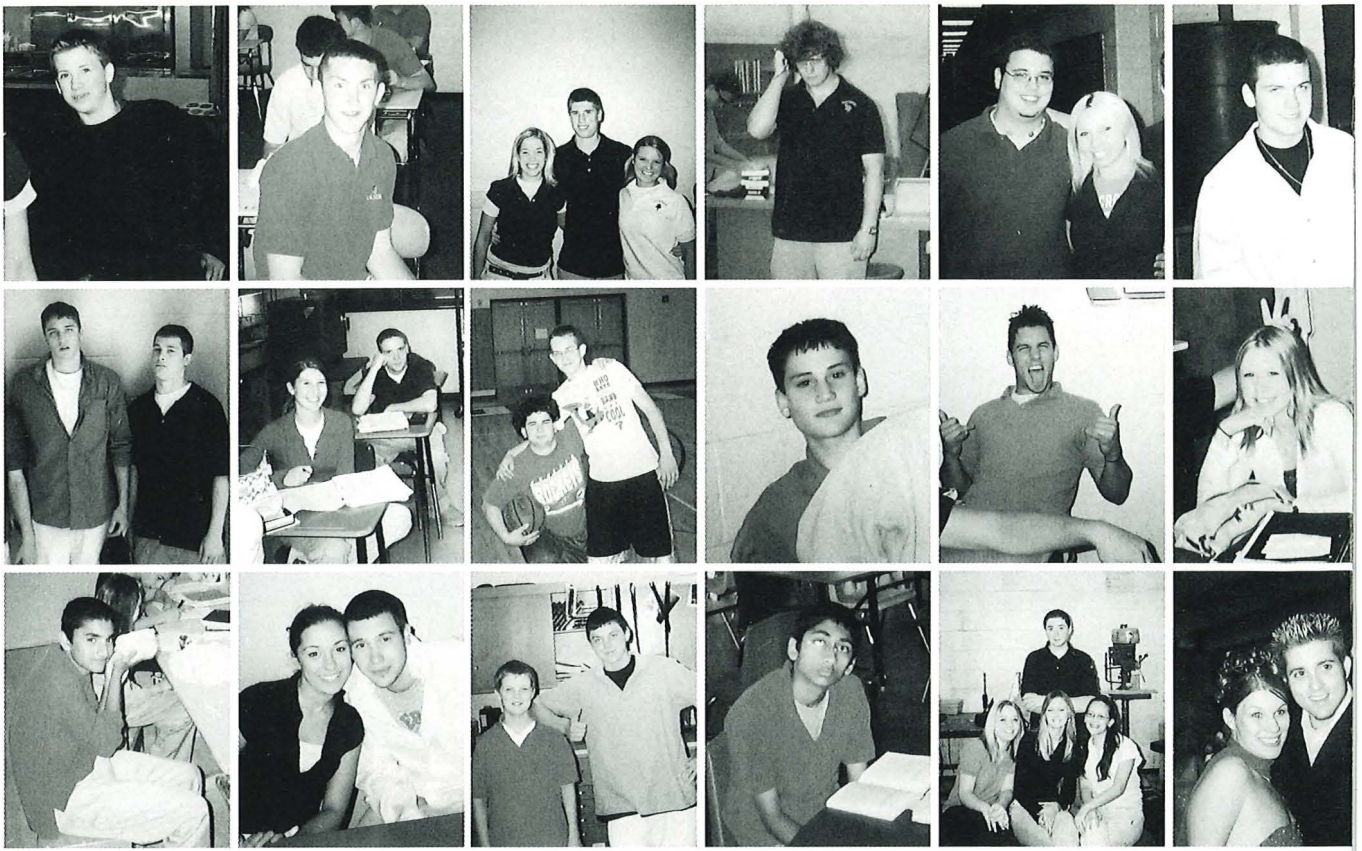


What  
came first,  
the chicken or  
the egg?

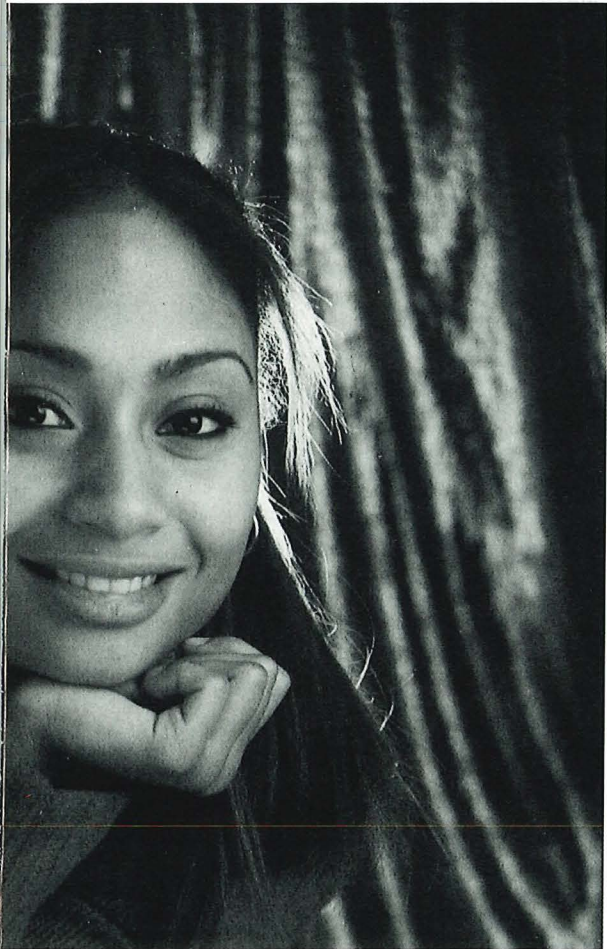
Students in Mrs. Brundage's  
class, along with the  
assistance of the 4H Program  
tried their best to answer this  
question. The students  
followed the daily progress of  
their eggs, including the time  
of thier hatching and first  
week of life. The whole  
school came to gaze at  
the new chicks as they  
spent their first  
week of life at  
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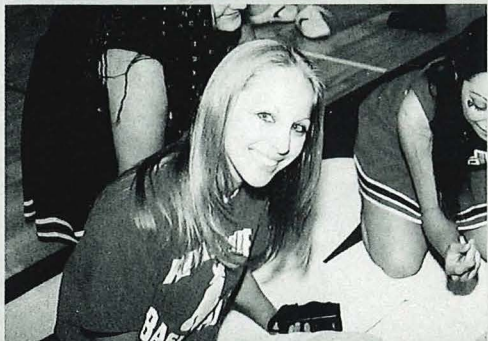






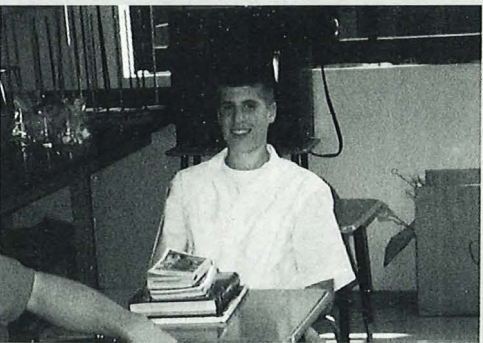
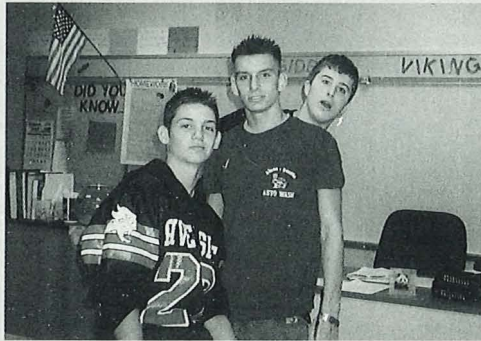
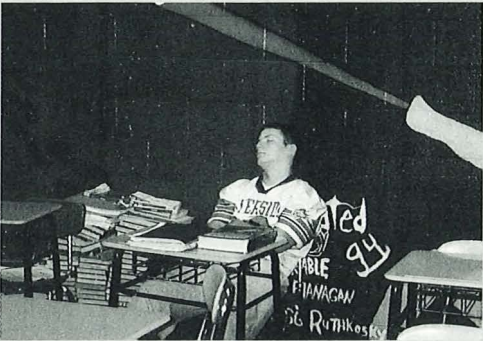
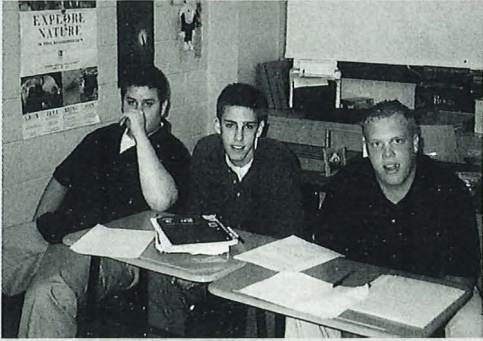








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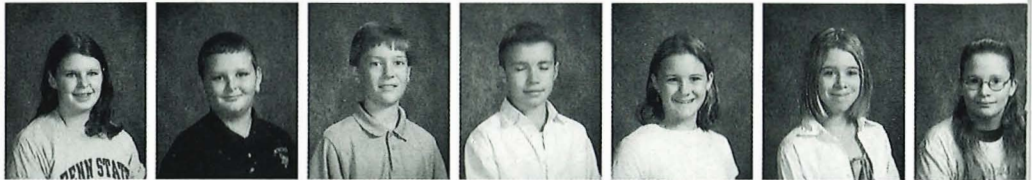
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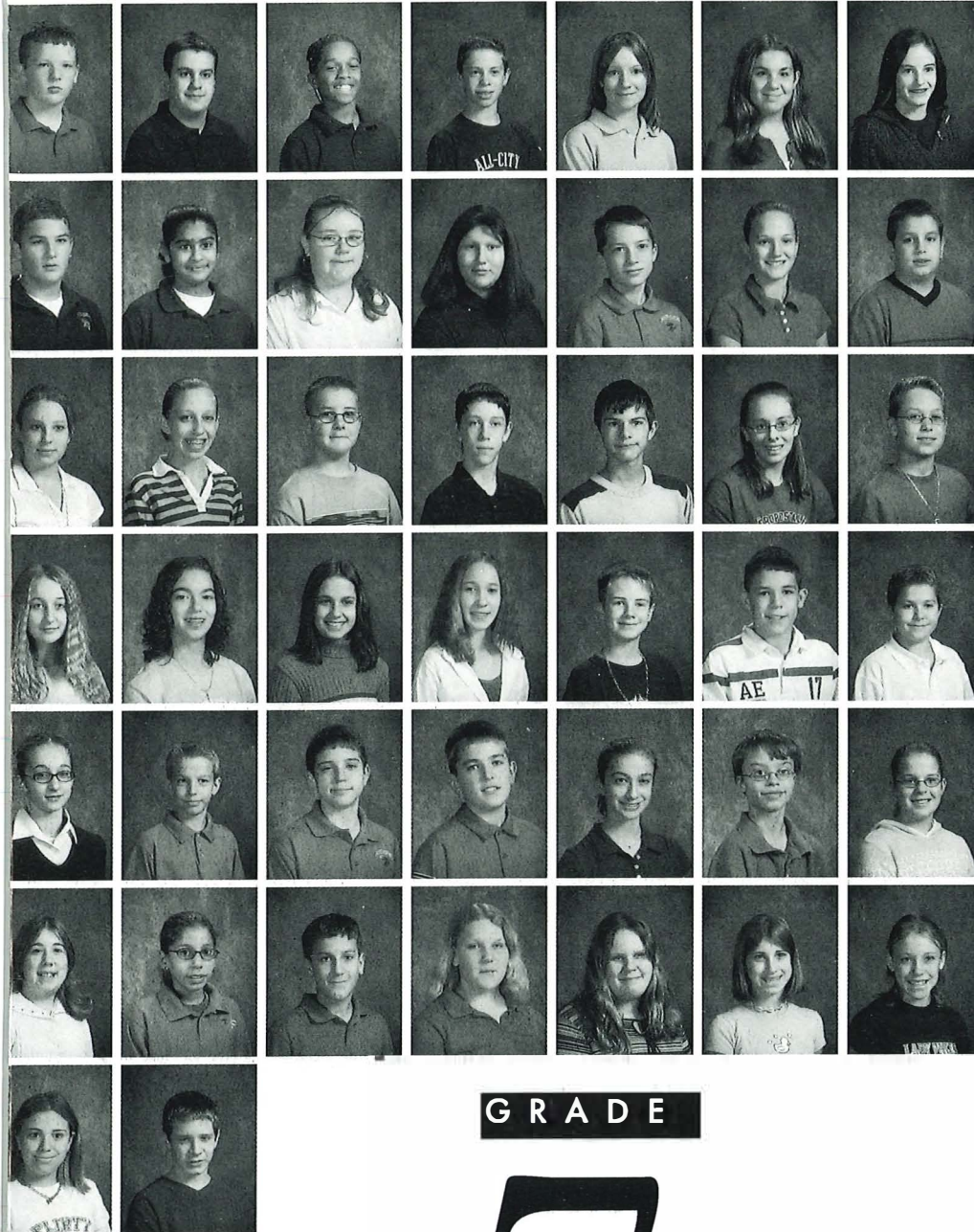


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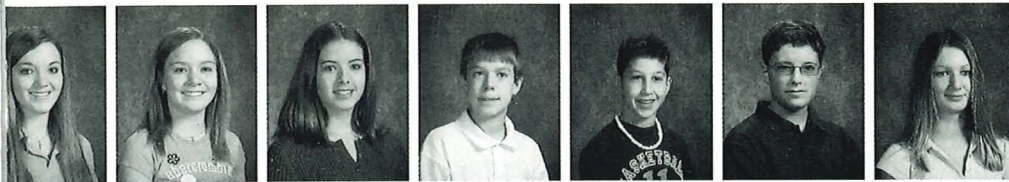
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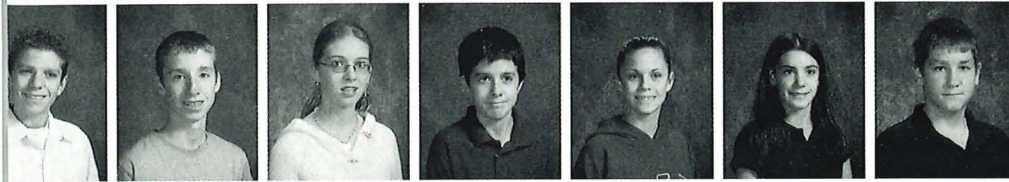
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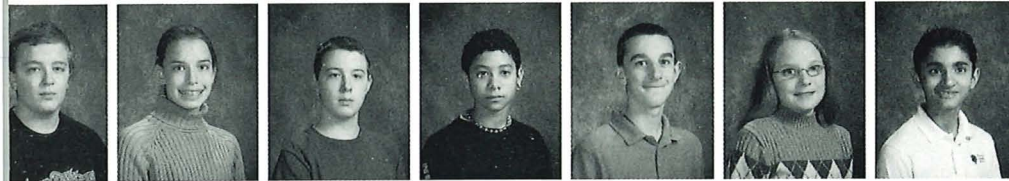




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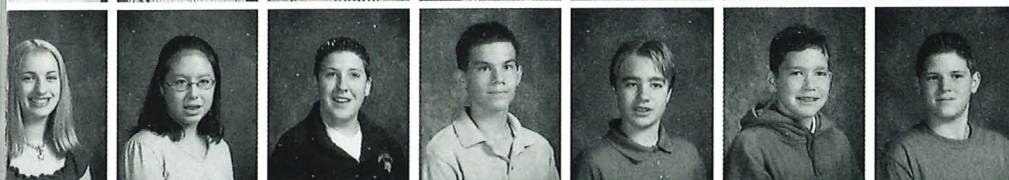
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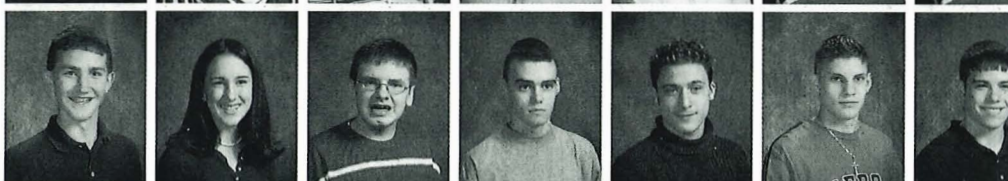
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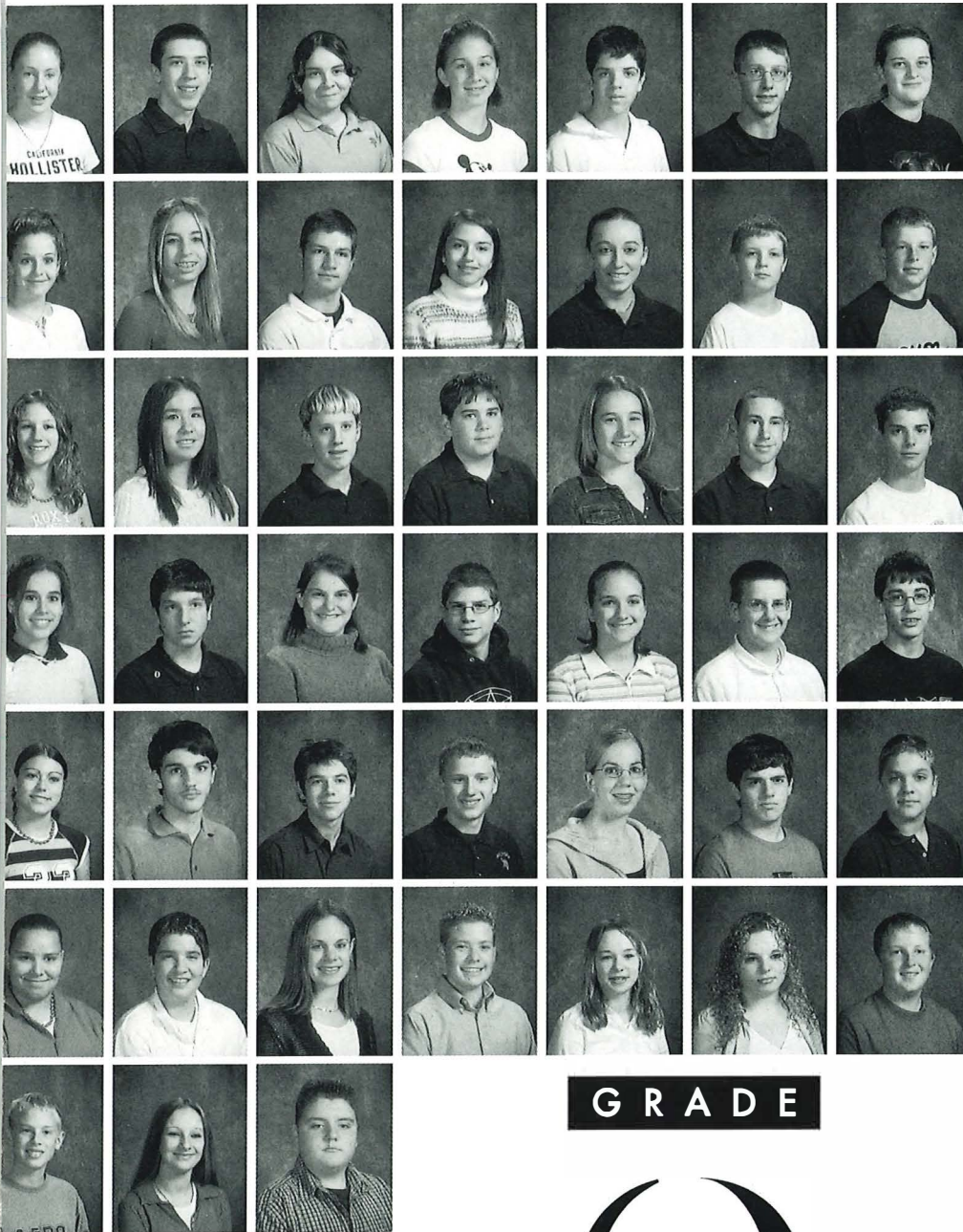


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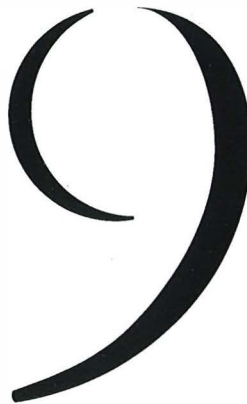
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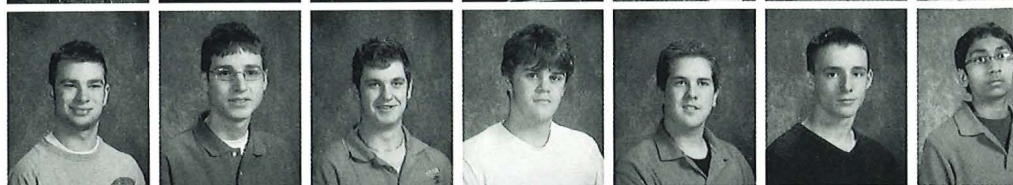
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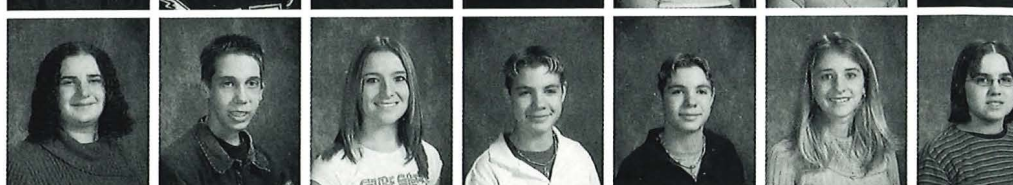
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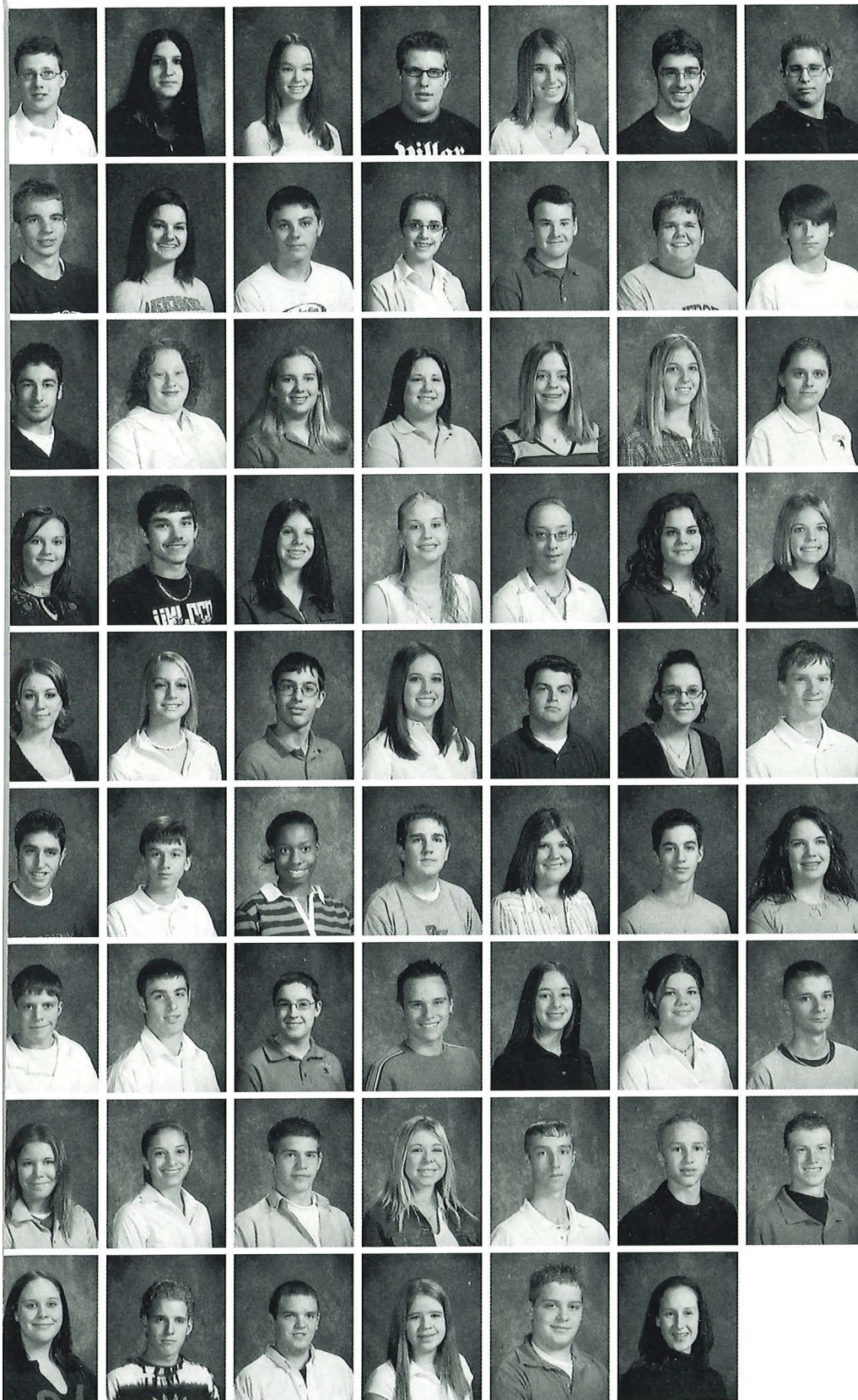


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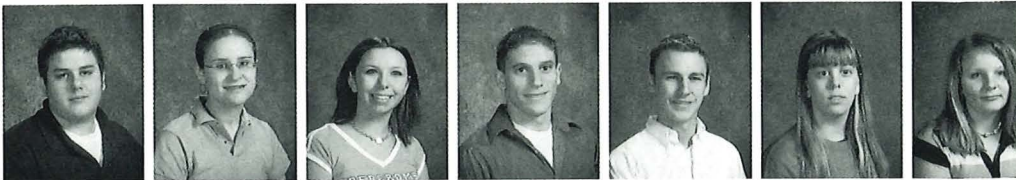
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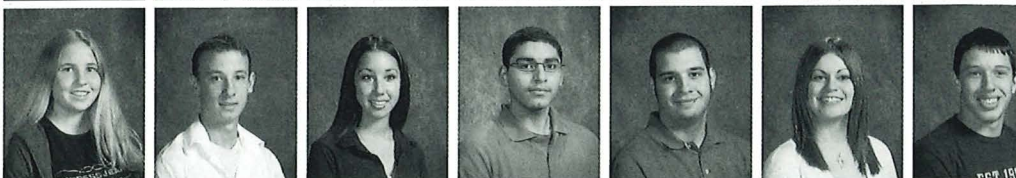
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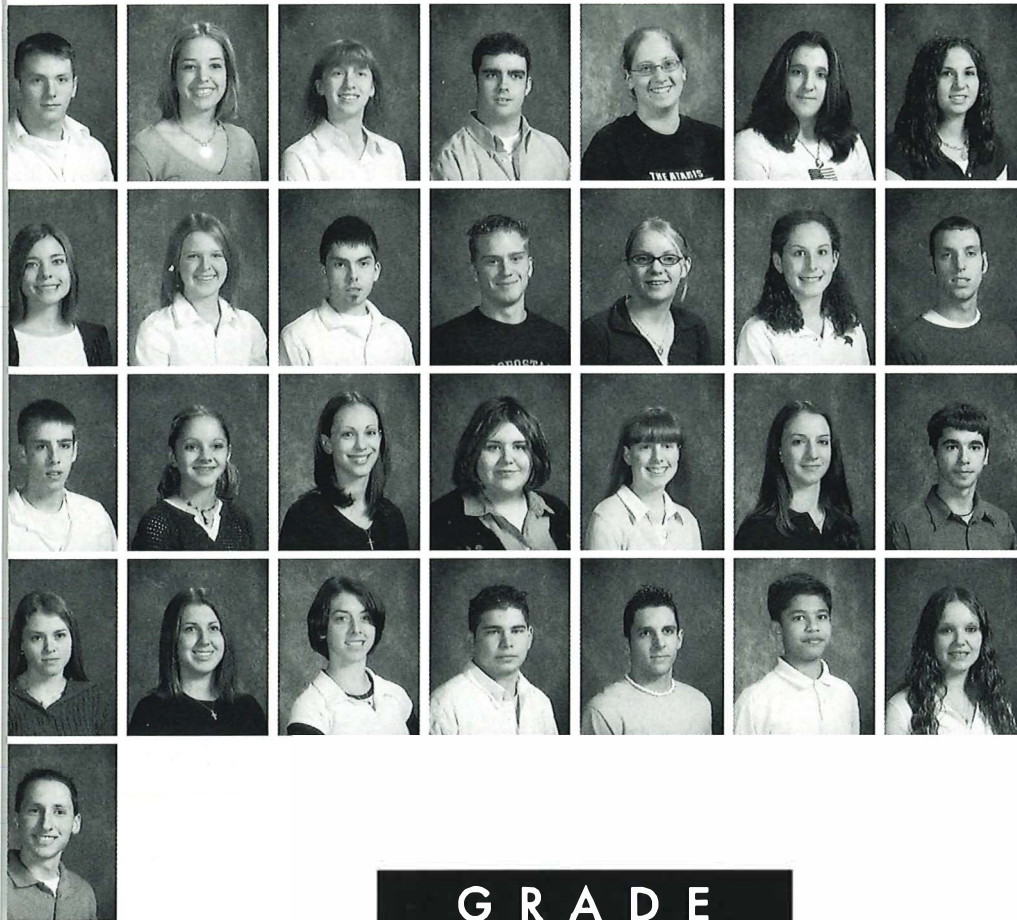


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Matthew Speck  
Michael Stalbird  
April Staretz  
Juliana Strok  
Cory Surridge

Nicholas Talarico  
Katie Tempaugh  
Ashlee Thomas  
Ashley Thompson  
Nicole Vanlucvender  
Tina Walsh  
James Webb

Lindsay Webb  
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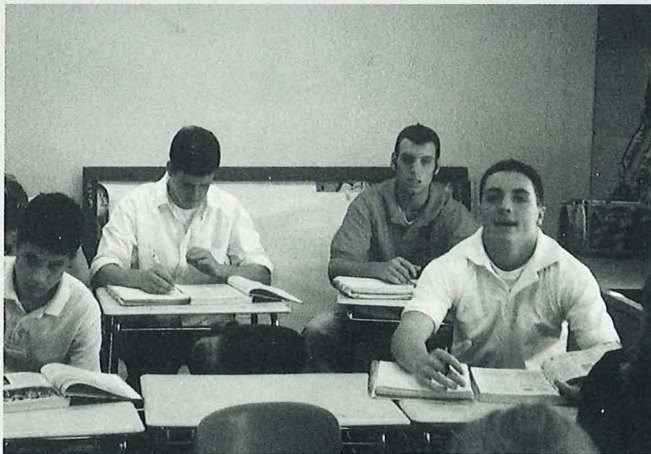
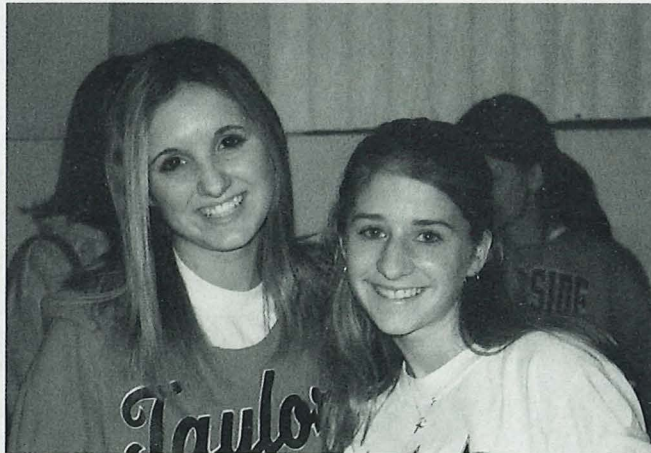
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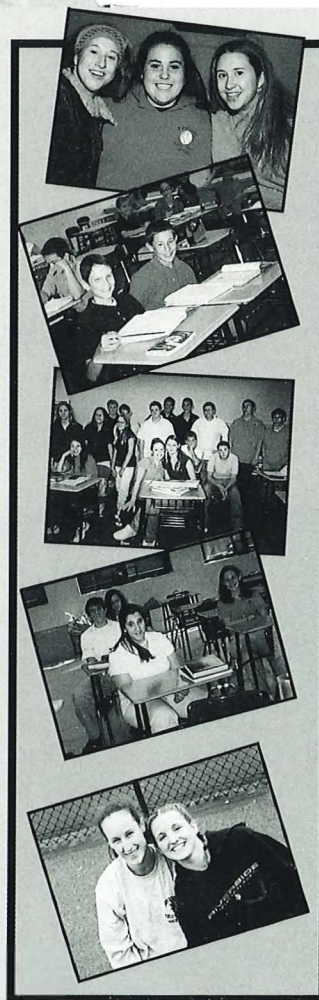
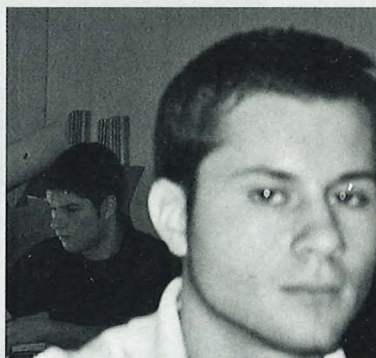
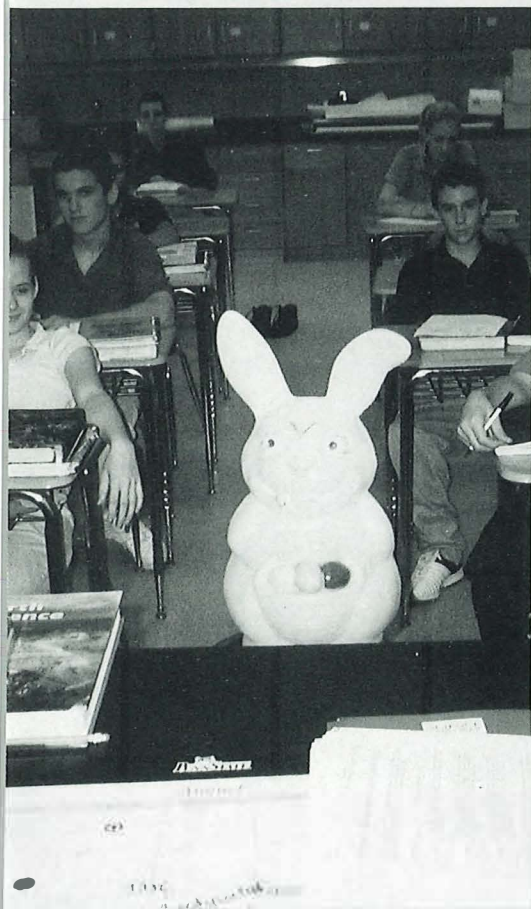


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# IDENT LIFE





# SEMI-FORMAL

Riverside High School held The Passing of the Sword Semi-Formal Dance at Via Appia on March 6, 2004.

The highlight of the evening was when Miss Viking 2003-2004, Kaitlyn Kuchinski, passed the sword to Nicol Lemoncelli, who was honored to be chosen Miss Viking 2004-2005.

The Features and Captains for the 2004-2005 school year were announced as follows:

Band: Lynday Peters and Tara Rhodes

Basketball Cheerleading

(Varsity): Amber Loiselle and Keli Syzmanski

Drum Majorette: Sara Heckman

Feature Dancer: Amanda Sopko

Feature Pom-Pon: Justine Fauver

Feature Twirler: Allison Ambrose

Football Cheerleading

(Varsity): Mallory Brunetti and Katie Tempaugh

Football Cheerleading

(Junior Varsity): Chelsea Colarusso and Courtney Ericson

Pom-Pon: Sarah Hines and Alicia Deangelo



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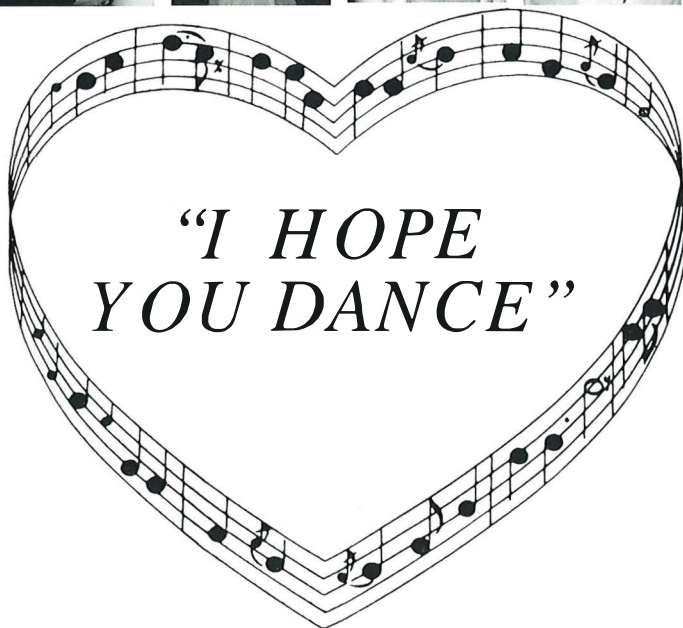
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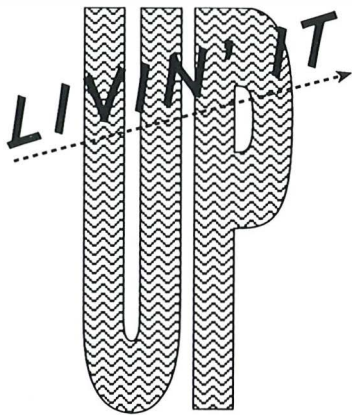




# PROM







The Riverside Junior-Senior Prom was held on May 14, 2004 at Saint Mary's Center.

#### PROM COURT 2004

Prom Queen: Holly Davis

Prom King: Carl Talarico

First Senior Attendant: Chrissy Johnston

Second Senior Attendant: Nikki Turoni

First Junior Attendant: Marissa Chisdock

The Queen's Crown Bearer: Justine Fauver

The King's Trophy Bearer: Ashley Shimko

The Queen's Scepter Bearer: Amanda Sopko

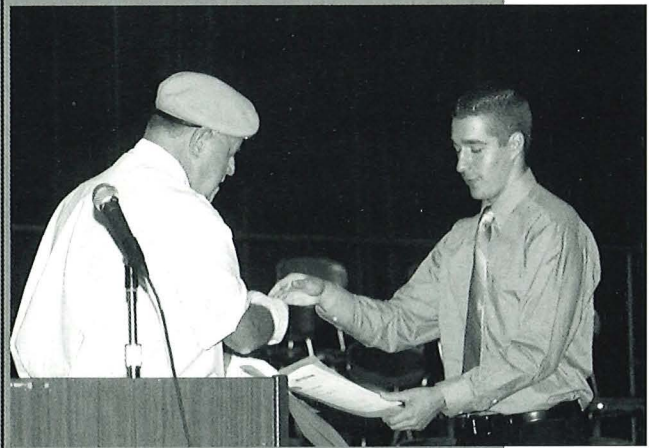




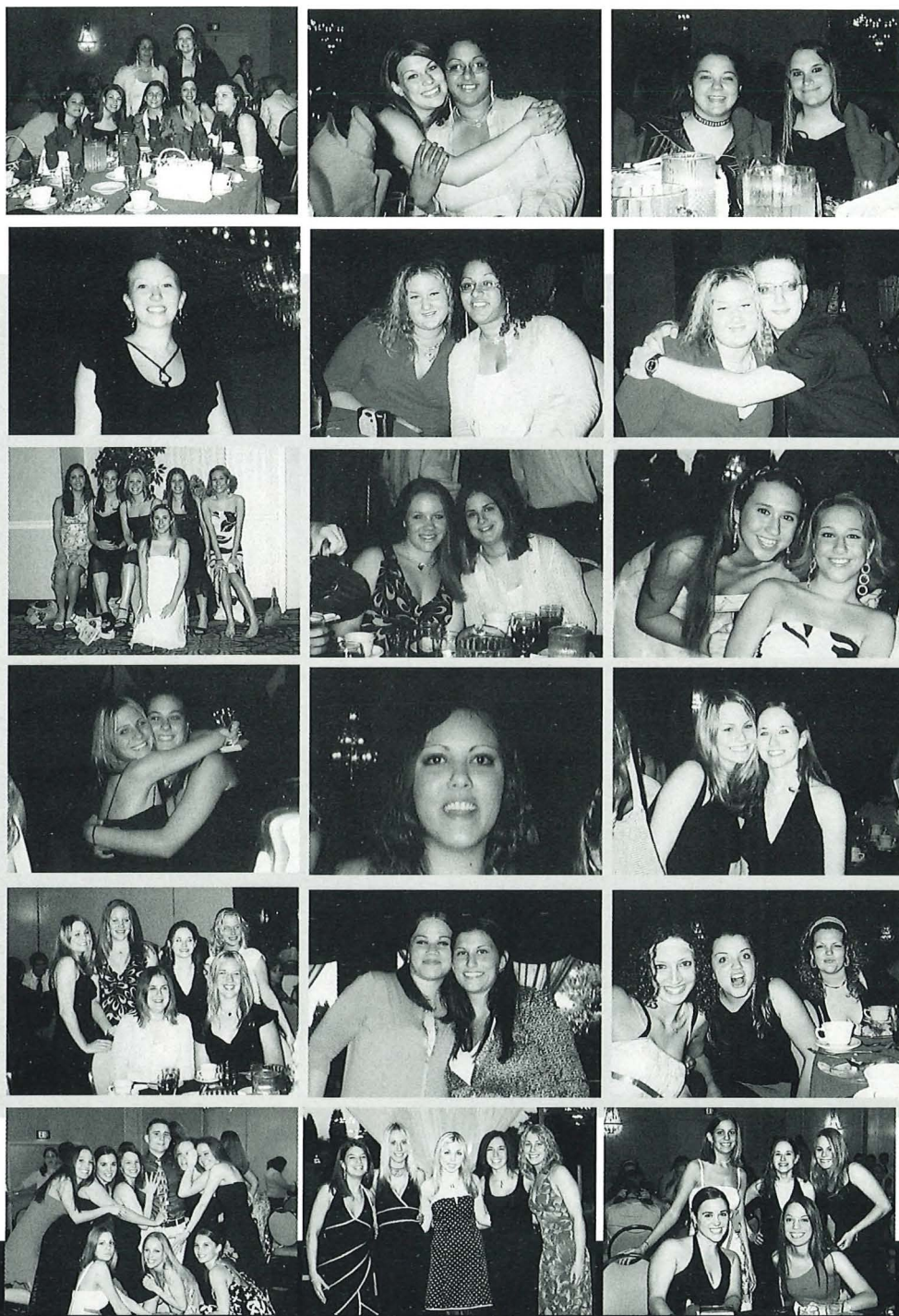
# CLASS DAY











Senior Class Night was held on May 28, 2004 at Genetti Manor in Dickson City. Members of the senior class were given awards to find out who was voted Most Dependable, Most Likely to Succeed, and Class Couple just to name a few. It was the last night the Class of 2004 would be assembled together before Graduation Night.





# CLASS NIGHT



## Row One (left to right)

**Class Couple:** Kim Banick and Bruce Kreig

**Best Friends, Girls:** Cassie Kaschak and Gia Reviello

**Most Friendly:** Lia Kelly and Frank Johnson

**Most Popular:** Nikki Turoni and Jason Colarusso

## Row Two (left to right)

**Best Athletes:** Nikki Turoni and Nate Trolio

**Class Clowns:** Holly Davis and Chris Schwartz

**Most Unique Style, Girl:** Erin Kelly

**Most Likely to Succeed:** Jenna Bergamino and Kyle Harchar

## Row Three (left to right)

**Class Chatterboxes:** Patty Pliss and Mike Theriault

**Best Friends, Boy/Girl:** Cassie Kaschak and Carl Talarico

**Best Friends, Boys:** Chris Schwartz and Rory Colarossi

**Most Dependable:** Erica Concert and Kyle Harchar



## Senior Class Officers

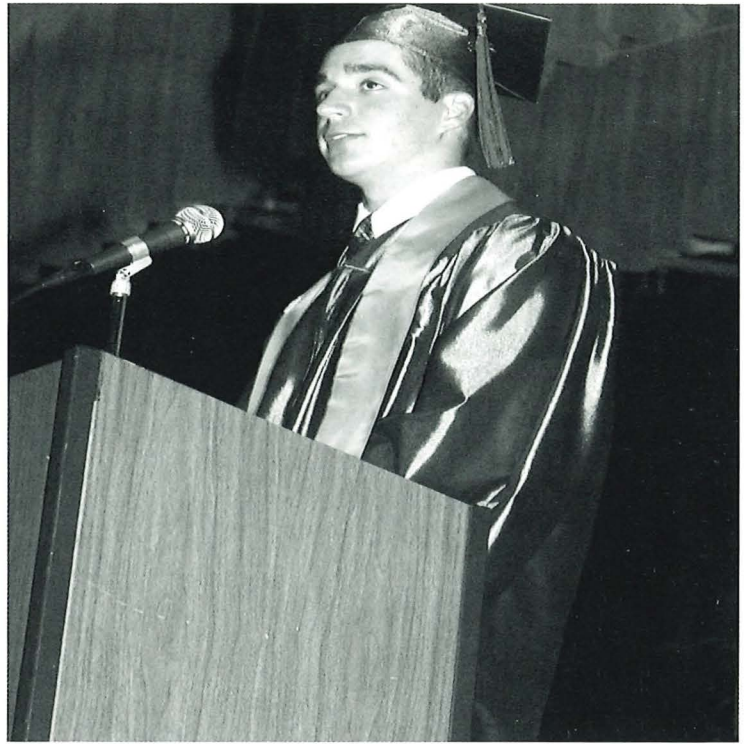
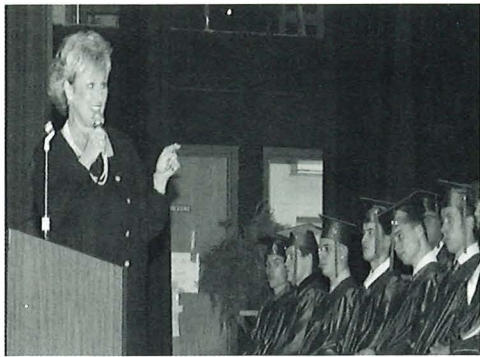
Kaitlyn Kuchinski  
Chrissy Johnston  
Ms. Eileen Mischianti,  
Senior Class Advisor  
Nikki Turoni  
Erica Concert



Mrs. Linda  
Ludwikowski, right, is  
also a Senior Class  
Advisor

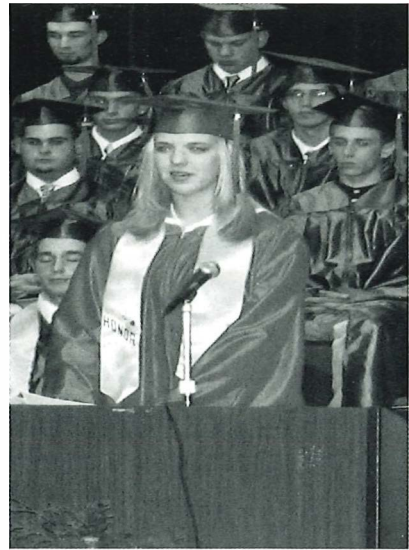




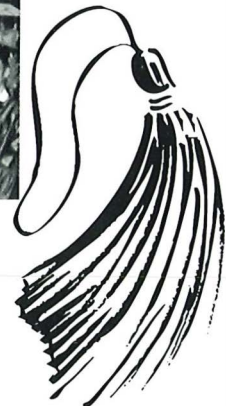


The Graduating Class of 2004 received their high school diplomas on Friday June 11 in the Riverside High School Auditorium. Family, friends, faculty, and administration wished everyone success, health, and happiness in their future endeavors. The ceremony was highlighted with the following speeches from the academic top four: "Delivering the Future" by Jason Sensi, "Appreciation, Acceptance, and Compassion" by Jenna Bergamino, "Together Everyone Accomplishes More" by Melissa Kollinige, and "On the Threshold of Tomorrow" by Kyle Harchar.

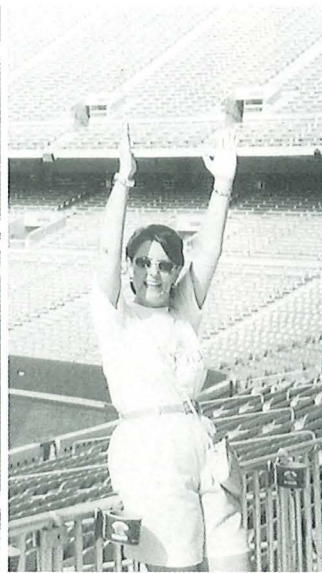




# *GRADUATION*









# Mrs. Nancy Hordich

*In memory  
of a  
wonderful  
person*

Colleague, Friend, Mentor, Teacher

Everyone believes only good things can happen to them. They think, just as we had thought, that it never would be us who had to experience a sorrow greater than any we had ever felt. It would always affect someone else. Not us, never us. That was until one of the most beautiful people suddenly vanished from our side.

It probably hit us hardest because we never truly thought she would pass away. Mrs. Hordich, my English teacher, was so strong, so willful, and so unique. She would survive. We would see her later in the year, beaming because she was back. That was the little glass image that we believed in so strongly. Yet with an equally strong force did reality decide to shatter it. Lung cancer is not something you're very likely to survive. It happened so, so quickly and I don't honestly think we were ready for a blow like this yet.

A friend of mine had seen me leaving the viewing in tears, and knew at that point I had been crying for two days. She came over to me, a white rose in her slender hands, and hugged me in comfort.

But, halfway through the hug, I felt her shudder. Surprised, I looked up and saw tears flowing down her cheeks. "I never thought it really happened," she croaked to me, "I didn't want to believe it."

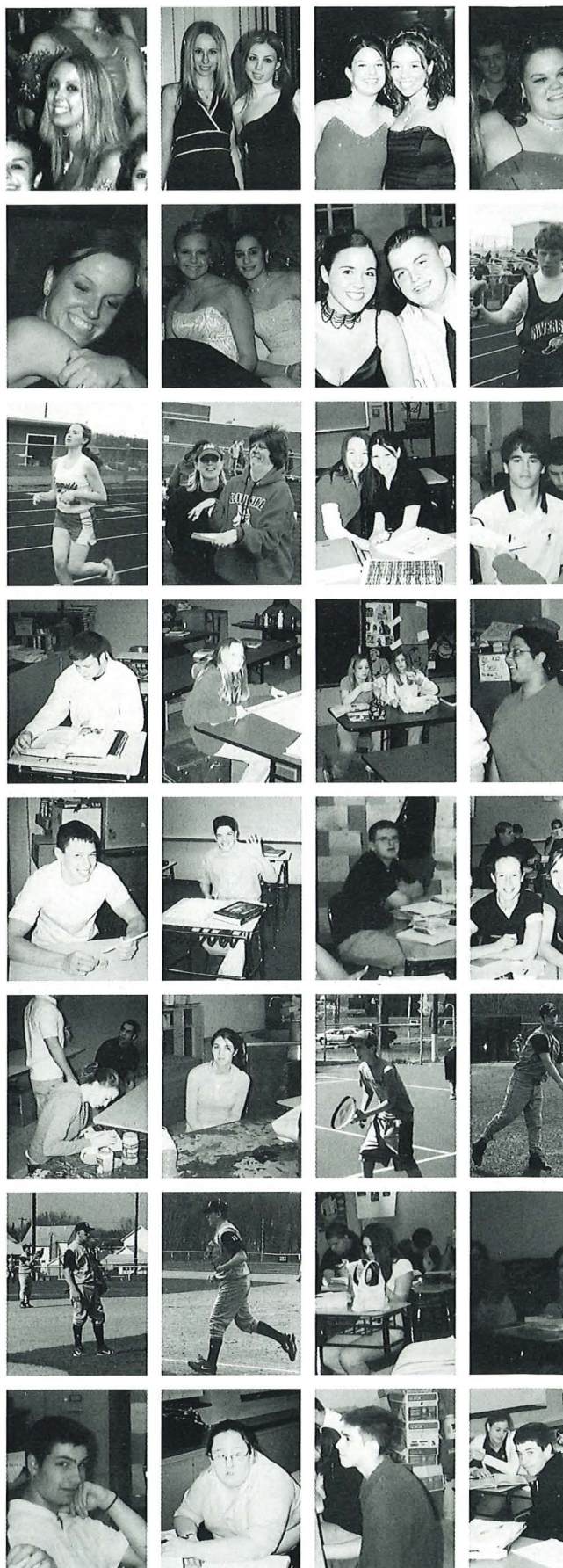
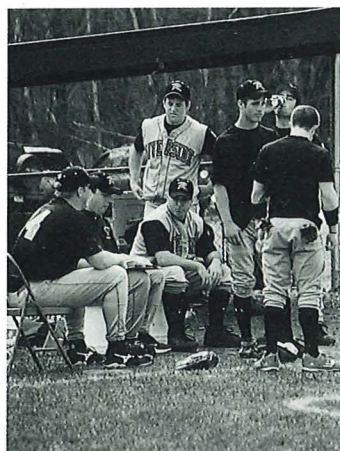
Yes, it has taken a lot out of all of us. We've shed our tears and mourned for her. Now many, if not all of her students, are trying to keep our eyes focused and dry. "It really shouldn't have happened to such a nice person," stated another friend. He sighed, then resolutely stated "Everyone is trying to keep all the happy things in our minds." As he said this to me, times of laughter flooded back into my mind: Mrs. Hordich dressing up for Dr. Seuss Day and reciting lines to underclassmen with us in the library. The time when she plotted a paper-airplane war with the History class the next door over. These things and more will help us get through.

We all loved her dearly and she has touched each one of us, teaching us so many important things in such a short time with her. Maybe another lesson she indirectly taught us was one we would carry with us our entire lives. One in which we learned that terrible things in life are always bound to happen, but as a person you must accept that with all things that are good come in hand with some sorrow. There's no way to avoid it, so why try to run from it at all? Embrace life and all it gives you, because this is the one you are living right now.



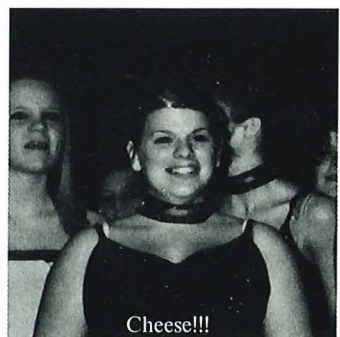
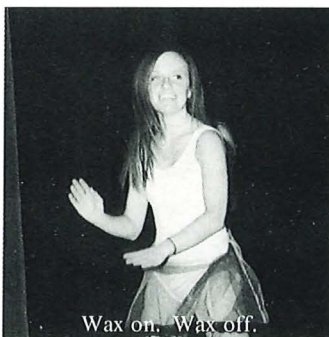
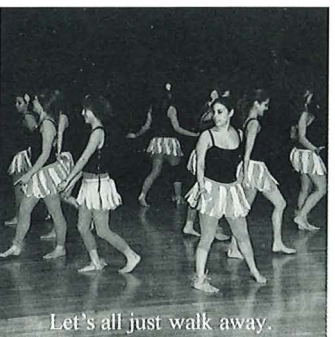
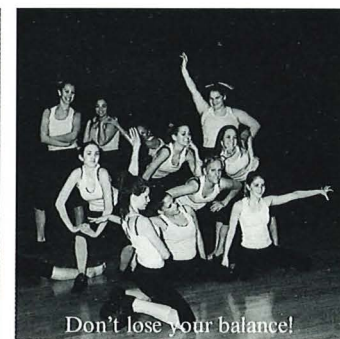
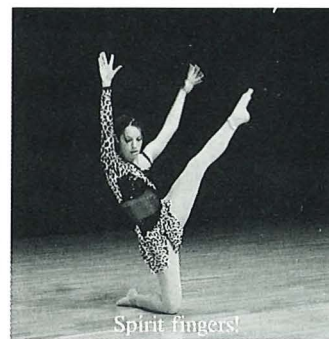
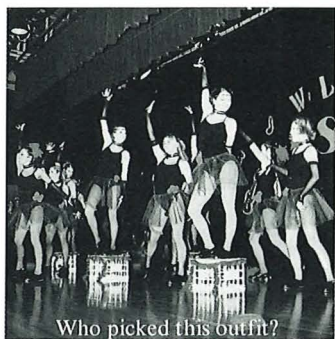
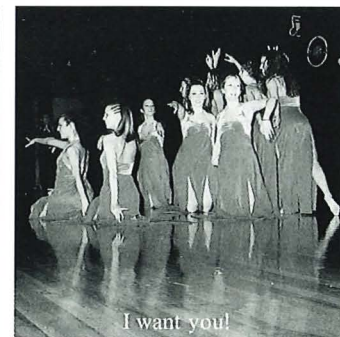
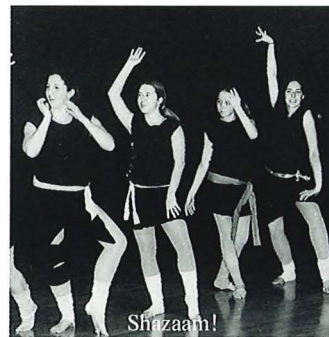
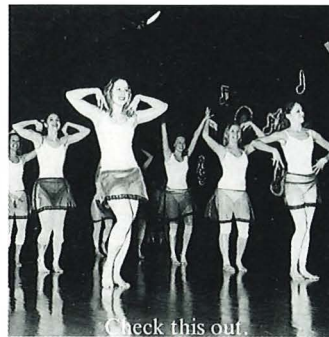
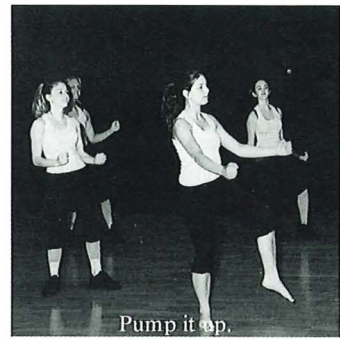
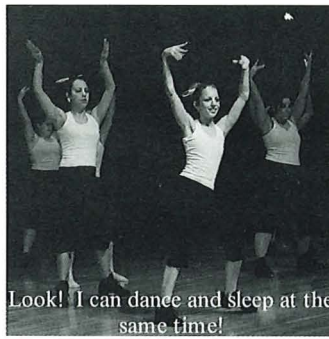
# Memories

# NEVER *fade*





# Unit Show





# Class History

SCENE: The year is 2014. The place is Candace Blasko's dental office. "dinner and a root canal", where she meets up with Chrissy Johnston, who needs her front tooth replaced because it was knocked out during a cheerleading competition. CJ: Excuse me ma'am. I have an appt. with Dr. Candace Blasko.

CB: Chrissy Johnston?

CJ: Candace, I knew it was you! So how have you been since high school?

CB: I've been great! Have you seen anyone since high school?

CJ: No, but do you remember that day we got out of school for the hurricane that never came?

CB: Yeah, and do you remember Bob Arvonio?

CJ: No, why?

CB: That's because he only came to school on the days that started with 3.

CJ: Wait, he was the one who had that huge New Year's Eve party, right?

CB: Yeah, the one that our whole school was at.

CJ: Speaking of New Year's Eve, remember the way Marissa Semian counted down at Tyler's party?

CB: That was almost as memorable as the time when Jose Cruz was break dancing at our senior prom.

CJ: He danced almost as good as Jason Sensi did for the Golden Star delivery man.

CB: What was he wearing again?

CJ: Anyway, remember Kevin O'Hop? His favorite food was red pistachios.

CB: What was his nickname again?

CJ: That's not important.

CB: Remember that time in lunch when Kaitlyn Kuchinski was eating a Snickers bar during lent, and almost threw it away because she thought peanuts were meat?

CJ: Speaking of lunch, remember that time Rich Grzyboski actually ate something?

CB: No, but I do remember when Andrew VanLouvender and Mike Wescott brought in remote controls and turned on the TV's throughout the school, including lunch.

CJ: Yeah, and I remember when Christy O'Donnell used to always show up late for psychology class because she was fighting with Mr. Yanoshot.

CB: How about when Brianne Thomas threw the cheese on Carl Talarico?

CJ: Brianne must have learned how to fight like that while she was in Scranton with Nicole Coggins.

CB: Speaking of fights, do you remember when Mike and Lynzee fought in physics?

CJ: And in government?

CB: And in calculus? Anyways, remember when we played an April Fool's joke on Mr. Evans?

CJ: Yeah. When we all held up Mike's face. That was funny.

CB: You know what else was funny? When Cody Schield did his impressions of Mr. Evans.

CJ: And Mr. Barnansky.

CB: And Mr. Prall.

CJ: Speaking of impressions, remember when Mike Dunkailo impersonated Britney Spears in speech class?

CB: Yeah, he was the one who gave a 5 minute speech on his new watch with his fly down.

CJ: Didn't Jay Racavich impersonate Mike Tyson in that class?

CB: Yeah, that was when he was a preppy. But now him.

Corey Dolman, and Bryan Falver started their own band.

CJ: Didn't they win the first and only Battle of the Bands?

CB: Yeah, that was the same night that Will Perna got chased off the stage by Mr. Ruthkosky for not even singing the explicit lyrics.

CJ: I guess you're not allowed to do that.

CB: Hey, remember Brian Koytek?

CJ: Yeah, wasn't his favorite song "Them Bones"?

CB: I think so. Wasn't Greg Copeland's favorite song Happy Birthday?

CJ: It must have been because they sang it to him everyday.

CB: Speaking of winning things, remember when Mike Theriault won class chatterbox, and when Jenna Bergamino and Kyle Harchar won the award for most likely to succeed?

CJ: Yeah, that was at our class night. They both deserved that award because they worried about how many tests we had the next day.

CB: Didn't Maria Gaidula want most unique style?

CJ: Yeah, but she wore the same thing everyday.

CB: Well, she did change her shoes. I guess she thought that would be good enough.

CJ: Nathan Trollo won an award that night too.

CB: I wonder what it was. Hey Nate...

CB/CJ: SMOKED.

CJ: Oh yeah, he won the award for best athlete.

CB: That reminds me of the pep rally when Matt Robinson and Mike Miller dressed up as cheerleaders.

CJ: They did a good job replacing Gia Reviello, Donielle Young, and Brooke Berkosky after they quit.

CB: I really liked those wigs, and those dance moves...

CJ: Anyway.. Do you remember when Allison Ellis quit the softball team her senior year?

CB: Wait, I heard she didn't make the team?

CJ: Speaking of teams, Tony Lamotta always thought the Dallas Cowboys were better than the 49ers.

CB: I have no idea why he would think that?

CJ: Moving on, do you remember the mock accident?

CB: Didn't they use Andrew Immediato and Dominick Lombardi's cars for that?

CJ: It was really nice of them to lend their cars for the day.

CB: Didn't Tim McHugh get his car door ripped off at the mall?

CJ: No, at Beckage's.

CB: Or was it in the parking lot?

CJ: I don't know, but I do remember the time that Eve Tempaugh hit the telephone pole, totaling the wagon.

CB: She was so upset about that because she couldn't wait until she got to drive the wagon.

CJ: Remember Heather Gatto and Rob Ancherani?

CB: Yeah, he used to work on cars at his dad's garage, while Heather sat home.

CJ: The only place she was allowed to go without him was Mr. Z's.

CB: Speaking of jobs, we had a lot of hard workers in our class. Who would've ever thought Scott Kumor would be the perfect candidate for the McDonald's crew?

CJ: Well, Jonathon Leek worked at Domino's, and even dyed his hair to match the company's colors.

CB: And Caroline Shertza practically owned Rossi's. Liza Speck, even though she was quiet, held a job at Colarusso's.

CJ: While Nicole Piragas was always at Wendy's. And Jenna Hudak must have started working at Cinemark after her sister got a job there.

CB: I wonder if Tom Woody still works at Montage? He never gave me those backstage passes for the John Mayer concert.

CJ: I remember Jerry Selwocki was the head of surveillance at K-Mart.

CB: Are you sure that's what you would call it?

CJ: Well that's what everyone said, but people from our class had a tendency to exaggerate the truth a bit.

CB: I remember hearing Mark Beaudoin had some crazy stories.

CJ: And I remember when Megan told everyone that she was moving, on numerous occasions.

CB: Do you remember when Jackie Panarello told the truth?



CJ: No.

CB: Yeah, me either, but I do remember when Danielle Walters told everyone she was engaged.

CJ: We never did know who her fiancée was. Oh well, remember the time Melissa Grasso got called out of class because the drug dog found a bologna sandwich in her locker?

CB: Yeah, that was almost as good as when Jay Colarusso used to wear yellow shirts to school and not get in trouble.

CJ: He never got in trouble for anything he did.

CB: Remember that time Joe Plishka finally stood up to Nate Trolio.

CJ: Wait, that didn't happen.

CB: Yeah, I know.

CJ: Remember all the class couples we had?

CB: Yeah, Kim Banick and Bruce Kreig, you and Jay Sensi, Lynzee Chelland and Mike Gawel, Heather Gatto and Rob Ancherani.

CJ: ... Chris and Rory.

CB: They weren't a couple.

CJ: Yeah, but they did a good job hosting the unit show.

Though no one thought it was funny. I remember Brittany Scotti laughing anyway.

CB: Didn't Nick Alexander really like Jaime Petrunich, because they were always together.

CJ: I thought so, but every time I asked her about it she would deny her feelings for him.

CB: Ashley Czankner and Tanya Wilbur had something in common that not many knew about.

CJ: What was that?

CB: They both spent the majority of their senior year with their boyfriends.

CJ: Speaking of spending a lot of time together, Missy Kollonige and Mrs. Lisowski were always together.

CB: One would think she was part of the Lisowski family.

CJ: Weren't Steve Kishel and Mark Yantorn best friends?

CB: No, you must be confused with Mark's sister.

CJ: Well, weren't Cassie Yareni and Frank Johnson good friends?

CB: Yeah, they always hung out at Goodfella's together.

CJ: Speaking of hanging out, Miranda Tagliaterra and Desiree Rosa used to go bowling all the time.

CB: And I remember when Jenn Callis used to say she was Erica Concert's number one shotty.

CJ: Good thing for driver's ed. class because now she doesn't drive on the wrong side of the road.

CB: Remember the twins, Lia and Erin Kelley?

CJ: Yeah, they held the record for most late passes in Riverside high school.

CB: Wasn't John Moskwa in love with Erin Kelley?

CJ: Yeah, until she dyed her hair orange.

CB: Speaking of hair, remember the one occasion when Nikke McLaughlin wore her hair down?

CJ: Yeah, I do remember that. Who else are we forgetting from our class?

CB: Well I do remember Brittany Aulisio always trying to raise money for our yearbook, with all those candy bars and cookie dough fund raisers.

CJ: Yeah, she was really dedicated. And I remember Mike Yaworski and Dan Liszewski couldn't keep their eyes open for the first five minutes of class.

CB: Wait, I wonder if Erica and Donnielle Lagahed are still at the gym running their makeup laps.

CJ: Speaking of gym class, remember the time Holly Davis broke her nose during an intense game of volleyball?

CB: Yeah, and I wonder if Anthony Bracey came back to Taylor yet, since he was always in Old Forge.

CJ: Remember when Amy Ferack had that huge cell phone bill?

CB: Yeah, I remember Amy Matuszewski said she helped pay for it.

CJ: They must have been really good friends.

CB: Anyway, I remember when Nikki Turoni was homecoming queen.

CJ: Oh yeah, and I also remember J.J. Soltis constantly following her around.

CB: How about that fire in physics class that one morning. That reminds me of Matt Micciche's backyard and that huge fire pit.

CJ: I guess they're lucky no one ever got burned: like the time Patty Pliss kept her eyes open in the tanning booth and the nurse made her go to the hospital.

CB: Speaking of hospitals, Kimmy Glogowski practically lived there because of her constant complaining about her stuffy nose and watery eyes.

CJ: Yeah, she was almost as bad as Michele Wieckowski complaining about cheerleading practice, or how long the lunch lines were.

CB: How come Brandon Wilson never ate lunch with the senior class?

CJ: Was it because he failed government?

CB: No, it was because he took a junior math class.

CJ: That reminds me of Brandon Wigley, and how he used to leave his mark everywhere in Vermont.

CB: Or the time Cassie Caschak's great escape went bad, and she found herself caught up in a string of lights.

CJ: Remember Nadine Franzo? Why did she always carry around sewing supplies?

CB: I don't really know, maybe she wanted to be the next Martha Stewart.

CJ: Despite all the funny moments, we did have a few classmates who were very serious about their future.

CB: Such as Derek Sickler and his comic books, or Bill Lewis and his computer abilities.

CJ: And don't forget Prudhvi Yalamanchi and his interest in reading his Chemistry and Physics books, and memorizing all those Chemistry constants.

CB: Well, it was nice talking to you about the past, but it's time to get that tooth fixed.

CJ: Sounds good.

CB: I really hope the class of 2004 was just as successful as we were, and I will never forget all the good times we had together.



# CLASS WILL

I, Michele Wieckowski and I, Lynzee Chelland, being of sound mind and body, leave the following to this year's underclassmen and teachers:

- L- Cody Schield leaves Riverside high.
- M- Cassie Yarem leaves 18 going on 40.
- L- Jason Collarusso leaves his tight shirts to Eddie Grambo.
- M- Nathan Trolto leaves his personality to Jimbo.
- L- Candace Blasko leaves her phone number to every guy in Northeast Pennsylvania.
- M- and New York and Virginia, wait remember Matt in the orange hat from Ohio.
- L- We'll just say the whole east coast.
- M- Steve Kishel leaves to be Hugh Hefner's servant.
- L- Lia Kelley leaves her smiles and waves to Allison Ambrose.
- M- Hopefully, Kaitlyn Kuchinski leaves her pointless questions behind.
- L- Jaime Petrunich leaves her Jell-o legs in Clarks Summit.
- M- Nick Alexander leaves to call Jaime.
- L- Nikki Turoni leaves J.J. in tears.
- M- Did we mention J.J. Soltis leaves for Lackawanna College?
- L- Missy Grasso leaves her Gap Kids pants to Mallory Brunetti.
- M- Mike Miller leaves "uh-huh".
- L- Yeah.
- L- Kyle Harchar leaves still robbing the cradle.
- M- Mike Dunkailo leaves running from the Paparazzi.
- L- Chris Schwartz and Rory Colarossi leave hand in hand.
- M- Missy Kollonige leaves to go to the Guidance Office.
- L- Wait, she never left, she was always there.
- M- Jose Cruz leaves the dance floor to Jason Hurley.
- L- Donnielle Lagabed leaves making sure she has the last word.
- M- Jackie Panarello leaves her deep voice to Chud.
- L- Megan MacArt leaves her tales to Unsolved Mysteries.
- M- Erin Kelley, Dan Liszewski, and Dominic Lombardi leave their pillows in class.
- L- Rich Gryzboski leaves still whining.
- M- Jason Sensi leaves dancing for the Golden Star Chinese delivery boy.
- L- Jonathon Leek leaves enough hair dye to repaint the entire school.
- M- Marissa Semian leaves for the Robo Rodeo.
- L- Brandon Wilson leaves his four shockers to D-Rock.
- M- Mike Gawel leaves his grouchiness to Sesame Street.
- L- Matt Robinson leaves his hair to Billie Marie.
- M- Brian Koytek leaves still wondering what's down below.
- L- Ashley Czankner leaves with a lot of new friends.
- M- Brian Fauver leaves Riverside three new track records.
- L- Bill Lewis leaves following Fauver two steps behind.
- M- Jerry Selwocki leaves some evidence on K-mart's cameras.
- L- Prudhvi Yalamanchi leaves his human calculator abilities to Mrs. B.
- M- Andrew Vanlouvender leaves his long hair to Van Halen.
- L- Nicole Piragas leaves knowing all our secrets.
- M- Carolyn Shertza leaves the #1 seed in tennis to Keli Syzmanski.
- L- Chrissy Johnson leaves with two faces.
- M- Heather Gatto and Rob Ancherani leave together,
- L- even though Heather doesn't want to.
- M- Bob Arvonio leaves blockbuster SOME video games.
- L- Kimmy Golgowski leaves for the pharmacy.
- M- Oh, is that why she works there?
- M- Gia Revello leaves her gym laps to Allison Savani.
- L- Mike Theriault leaves to find out that Nate really is his father.
- M- Eve Tempaugh leaves her A+ driving skills to Brit Aniska.
- L- Tim Mchugh leaves for the Air force to fly high.
- M- Donielle Young leaves to find her cheerleading uniform.



L- **Maria Gaidula** leaves her love for Chris to Wilson.  
 M- **Greg Copeland** leaves his acronyms at the L-U-N-C-H table.  
 L- **Nicole Coggins** and **Brianne Thomas** leave for the Bronx.  
 M- **Mike Yaworski** leaves for Pee Wee's Playhouse.  
 L- **Mike Wescott** leaves to find a belt.  
 M- **Tom Woody** leaves his backstage passes and free movie passes to all the junior girls.  
 L- **Patty Pliss** leaves with an unusual red mark on her forehead.  
 M- **Ali Ellis** leaves flipping out.  
 L- **Frank Johnson** leaves the Junior class dry.  
 M- **Jenna Hudak** leaves her big shoes to Ashlee Thomas.  
 L- **Amy Ferack** leaves with a debt free phone bill.  
 M- **Jenn Callis** leaves her love for cheerleading to Colleen Weisenfluh.  
 L- **Jenna Bergamino** leaves her books to the library.  
 M- **Liza Speck** leaves quietly.  
 L- **Andy Immediato** leaves his car for next year's mock accident.  
 M- **Brandon Wigley** leaves for the gym, hoping he'll measure up.  
 L- **Holly Davis** leaves the unit advisor celebrating that this is Holly's last year.  
 M- **Bruce Kreig** and **Kim Banick** leave together.  
 L- **Brittany Aulisio** never leaves on time.  
 M- **Jay Racavich** leaves still procrastinating.  
 L- Well you know what they say about procrastination, it's like Ma- ...  
 M- **Matt Micciche** leaves his razors to Sasquatch.  
 L- **Brittany Scotti** leaves to become the spokesperson for Oscar Mayer.  
 M- "Cuz Oscar Mayer has a way with B-O-L-O-G-N-A".  
 L- **Danielle Walters** leaves her wine and cheese to the school cafeteria.  
 M- **Nikki McLaughlin** patiently waits to leave.  
 L- **Kevin O'hop** leaves to spy on an all American club.  
 M- They sell pretty good cookies.  
 L- **Anthony Bracey** leaves with his Economics book because he'll be needing it for the summer.  
 M- **Joe Plishka** leaves in Eve's car.  
 L- **Christy O'Donnell** leaves singing.  
 M- **Carl Talarico** leaves his "Beast of the East" award to Brandon Bell.  
 L- **Cassie Kaschak** leaves still staring at us.  
 M- **Nadine Franzo** leaves her craft ideas to Mrs. Johnson.  
 L- **Erica Concert** leaves.  
 M- Wait was she ever here to leave?  
 M- **Will Perna** and **Scott Kumor** leave their unusual style to anyone who wants it.  
 L- **Brooke Berkosky** leaves her house parties to Scooby.  
 M- **Miranda Tagliaterra** leaves to be the Crest poster child for her perfect teeth.  
 L- **Amy Matuszewski** leaves with her glass always half empty.  
 M- **John Moskwa** leaves his six deuce on Coxton road.  
 L- **Tanya Wilbur** leaves her silent attitude behind.  
 M- **Desiree Rosa** leaves her sweetness to Hershey's chocolate.  
 L- **Derek Sickler** leaves his artwork on Chris Schwartz's arm.  
 M- **Mark Beaudoin** leaves to protect our community.  
 L- **Corey Dolman** leaves to play the starring role in Shrek 3.  
 M- **Tony Lamotta** leaves a few inches for Mr. Joyce.  
 L- **Mark Yantorn** leaves his water bottles to the football team.  
 M- I leave Mike Gawel's scrapbook to the Junior football cheerleaders to finish and start.  
 L- I leave my fighting tactics with the boyfriend to Nicol Lemoncelli.  
 M- To the Riverside Jr-Sr High School Junior class, we, the graduating seniors of 2004, leave our empty gym lockers, passes to the lav, our dirty gym clothes, our notes to get out early, our "special" student-teacher relationships  
 L- But most of all, we leave our cherished memories and sincere wishes that your senior year will be as enjoyable and unforgettable as ours has been. Signed this Ninth Day of June, Two Thousand and Four.



# CLASS PROPHECY

## Class Prophecy

By: Marissa Semian and Ashley Czankner  
Assisted by: The Class of 2004

Scene: Concession stand at a Yankees game.

A: Hey Marissa is that you? What are you doing here?

M: Hey Ashley. Didn't you hear? After high school I became a sports agent.

A: That's awesome! I always knew you would have a job where you would constantly be meeting athletes.

M: Yea, I always did have a thing for sports. You look different what happened?

A: I was the winner of one too many eating contests. I guess I did put on a little weight. I only gained 320 lbs.

M: You always did eat a lot. I guess it finally caught up to you.

A: It looks like you are very successful. Do you know how the rest of our graduating class doing? Where did everyone end up?

M: Well, I know that Jay Colarusso, a.k.a "Chasin' Jason," finally opened his own restaurant... go figure his staff consists of "underclass" waitresses.

A: Speaking of Kaitlyn Kuchinski, she became a Mormon so that she could be with the two guys she likes the most.

M: Do you know Andy VanLouvender joined the army? But he was kicked out after he refused to cut his hair.

A: Hey I ran into Jenna Hudak the other day.

M: Oh yea? What did she have to say?

A: Well, she didn't say much about herself, she only talked about what her brother and sister were up too. I saw Jerry Selwock on the news the other day.

M: What did he do?

A: He hid from police but gave in after learning the police had exposing surveillance tape. You know who else I saw on TV?

M: Who?

A: Missy Grasso. I guess she grew 5 feet after graduation and was honored by being put into the Genius Book of World Records.

M: Speaking of records, Liza Speck, Tanya Wilbur, Jenn Callis, Desiree Rosa, Miranda Tagliaterra, Tony Lamotta, and Mike Yaworski set the record for being the quietest people in Riverside history.

A: Wasn't Carolyn Shertza quiet too?

M: Yea, but she went off to become manager of Rossi's Market.

A: Will Perna became a manager too.

M: Of what, Hot Topic?

A: Yep. Speaking of hot, Holly Davis starred in the 5<sup>th</sup> season of the Bachelorette, but the season ended early when she complained she didn't like any of the bachelors.

M: You know who else is complaining?

A: Who?

M: Michele Wieckowski.

A: About what?

M: Everything of course. Did you hear Jay Racavich, Bryan Fauver, and Corey Dolman finally made it onto the music scene?

A: Oh really?

M: Yea, the name of their band is ToyBox and they play at children's birthday parties.

A: Speaking of music did you hear about Tim McHugh and Jose Cruz?

M: Wait, didn't Tim become a backup dancer for Justin Timberlake?

A: Yea he's great. And Jose is the next Wade Robinson because of his awesome dance moves.

M: Did you know that Cassie Yarem opened a dance club?

A: What's it called?

M: I Still Can't Dance.

A: I heard that Chrissy Johnston entered into the Miss America Pageant.

M: Let me guess she was 1<sup>st</sup> runner up.

A: Of course. Guess who I saw last week?

M: Who?

A: Candace Blasko, and she was walking with a limp.

M: Yea it's because she got shot during a drive by in Philly.

A: I also saw Kyle Harchar, or should I say Kyleka. He permanently changed his name and dresses drag.

M: I guess 10<sup>th</sup> grade English class really affected him.

A: Scott Kumor changed a lot too. He became a priest at a local church.

M: That doesn't sound like Scott at all. I heard Amy Matuszewski changed too.

A: What did she do?

M: She reconciled with a lot of enemies because they threatened to tell everyone what she was really doing after school.

A: Hey, I drove past Mike Theriault's house the other day and Rich Grzybowski was off roading in his yard.

M: Wait, didn't he already do that? Speaking of Theriault, he is probably still rollin'

A: Yea, around in someone's trunk. What ever happened to Joe Plishka?

M: He is still driving around with foggy windows. What does Derek Sickler do?

A: He is the star of his own comic book. Speaking of stars, Maria Gaidula became a famous actress and starred in "A Preacher's Son" and "Mean Girls II."

M: Do you know if anyone from our class got married?

A: Well, Allison Ellis married Matt Micicche, Heather Gatto married Rob Ancherani, and Kim Banick married Bruce Kreig.

M: I know Mike Gawel and Lynzee Chelland got married too, but they ended up getting a divorce because Lynzee couldn't take Mike crying about living in the Ghetto. What happened to Jaime Petrunich?

M: I heard she spends a lot of her time fooling around at McDade Park.

A: Is it true a lot of people from class moved out of the area?

M: Yea, Jackie Panarello moved back to Detroit to marry Eminem.

A: I heard Anthony Bracey finally moved to Old Forge. Did you know that Erica Concert lives on a farm now?

M: No, how come?

A: She had 13 kids and adopted 45 animals and her landlord said that there just wasn't enough room in her apartment.

M: Cody Schield and Jason Sensi moved to Vegas. Jay started a computer company that he named ST Inc. and Cody opened a comedy club where he continues to do impressions.

A: Hey didn't Eve Tempaugh open a comedy club too?

M: Yea, but she closed it after she realized no one else laughed at her jokes. Speaking of bad comedy, guess who I saw on TV last night?

A: Who?

M: Chris Schwartz and Rory Colarossi. They were hosting VH1's Most Awesomely Bad Comedians.

A: Looks like they finally found their nitch. Did anyone from our class become really successful?

M: Well, I heard that Bill Lewis took over for Bill Gates.

A: Wow that's impressive.

M: Yea, and I also heard that Prudhvi Yalamanchi might be the next Albert Einstein.

A: Really? Well, he was always good in Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Algebra, Trigonometry...

M: Anyway, did you know that Nick Alexander went into show business?

A: I didn't know he was interested in acting.

M: He wasn't, but the producers of "Sesame Street Live" wanted him because they think he is a dead ringer for Ernie.

A: Do you remember Nicole Piragas?



M: Oh yea Nicole. What ever happened to her?  
A: She became a top FBI agent.  
M: She did?  
A: Yep. She was perfect for the job because of her quiet powers of observation. I heard Mark Beaudoin became a teacher at Riverside.  
M: What does he teach?  
A: Government because he knows almost everything about crime and punishment. What ever happened to Brooke Berkosky?  
M: She became Secretary of Defense.  
A: I saw that Megan MacArt became a successful lawyer.  
M: That's the perfect job for her because she is great at arguing and claims she is never wrong. Did you see Jenna Bergamino's commercial on television?  
A: Yea, it's for her all-in-one coffee shop and construction company.  
M: You know why she did that right?  
A: No, why?  
M: She didn't want to drive from business to business because it would be cutting into her nap time.  
A: Speaking of Jenna, is Tom Woody still handing out movie tickets and backstage passes?  
M: I think so. I saw in the paper that Nadine Franzo received the Martha Stewart Award of the Year for donating the most homemade sweaters to charity.  
A: Hey how is Frank Johnson doing?  
M: He is mad because everyone is over 21 and they use him for the senior citizen discount.  
A: Speaking of Frank, does he still talk to Carl Talarico?  
M: I don't know, but I heard Carl just opened over 50 "Kleen n Gentles" across Pennsylvania. Do you know if Carl is still friends with Cassie Kaschak?  
A: Of course he is. He visits her every Friday night at Grande's where she waitresses.  
M: Did you hear about Brandon Wigley?  
A: No what?  
M: He revived the Muppet Babies because of his intense love for Miss Piggy.  
A: Marissa, do you know if Mike Miller, John Moskwa, Matt Robinson, Steve Kishel, and Bob Arvonio are still friends?  
M: Yea I think so.  
A: How are they doing?  
M: Well, Mike Miller married Michele Wieckowski, and I heard he wore the dress because Michele refused to.  
A: How's Robinson?  
M: Last time I heard he was still wondering why his Escalade never got shipped in. Guess what Moskwa is going to do?  
A: What?  
M: He is going to star in the next Jurassic Park as the rapture.  
A: He's perfect for the part. Where did Steve and Bob end up?  
M: Steve became pitcher for the Yankees and Bob opened a pawn shop.  
A: Why a pawn shop?  
M: He didn't know what else to do with all his free stuff.  
A: I heard Brianne Thomas and Nicole Coggins are doing well.  
M: Why, what did they do?  
A: They opened a hair and nail salon in Scranton.  
M: So Brianne and Nicole left Nikke McLaughlin to go bowling by herself?  
A: I guess so.  
M: What ever happened to all our sports stars?  
A: Well, Mike Dunkailo holds the record for the most home runs hit in Major League Baseball, Nathan Trolio made it into the NFL, and Nikki Turoni plays for the WNBA.  
M: Speaking of Nikki, is Kevin O'Hop still waiting outside her house in his truck?  
A: Not anymore, now J.J. Soltis sits outside and waits for her.  
M: Wait, Missy Kollonige didn't become a basketball or softball player?  
A: No. But she still gets out of class to get "special treatment." Do you know who became a softball player?  
M: Who?  
A: Amy Ferack.  
M: She did?  
A: Yea, she is great at hitting and running.  
M: Did you know Mike Wescott plays three professional sports?  
A: He does?  
M: Yea but he is best at warming the bench. Oh yea I almost forgot to tell you.  
A: What?  
MS: Daniel Walters finally made it onto the same NFL team as Nate after a long struggle with Women's Rights.  
A: Do you know who is not struggling?  
M: Don't even say Kimmy.  
A: Yep. Kimmy Glogowski. She opened a center for those who suffer from acute stress disorder, paranoid schizophrenia, obsessive-compulsive disorder, severe headaches, toothaches, and amnesia.  
M: Really? Anyway, I heard Brandon Wilson opened a gardening center and it has become very successful.  
A: What ever happened to Dan Liszewski?  
M: Last time I heard he was still the man, as well as Chief Fireman of Greenwood. I haven't heard much about Dominic Lombardi or Andy Immediato, any idea where they ended up?  
A: I don't know but I saw their cars on "Pimp My Ride."  
M: Speaking of cars, Donielle Young is still riding shotgun in the white Pontiac.  
A: Brittany Scotti is still riding around too because she never got her license, neither did Gia Revello.  
M: Speaking of Gia, she became partial owner of Keystone Industry and her mom has to drive her to work every morning. So what is everyone else doing?  
A: A lot of people are still doing the same old same old. Brittany Aulisio is still fundraising for our yearbook.  
M: Yea, I heard she sold over 5,367 Gertrude Hawk candy bars, that's a new record.  
A: Christy O'Donnell is still late to class because she is struggling in art and Donielle Lagabed is still trying to get a "Frosty" from Wendy's.  
M: How's Brian Koytek doing?  
A: He's fine, he still thinks he's bad to the bone.  
M: I saw Greg Copeland working at Chuckie Cheese. He is putting his talent to use by hosting children's birthday parties.  
A: Speaking of hosting, Patty Pliss hosts her own talk show.  
M: I saw that, she was taken off the air because with all her talking she never got to her guests.  
A: I also saw Johnathan Leek working at Dominoes. He's head manager now.  
M: What have Lia and Erin Kelley been up too?  
A: Neither of them could keep a job because they were always late.  
M: Speaking of being late I have really have to go. I have to get to a football game and then tanning.  
A: Yea, I have to get more food from the concessions stand. It's been great talking to you about our old classmates.  
M: We'll have to get together some time and talk some more.  
A: That would be great, Bye.  
M: See you later.



# ***SALUTE TO***

By: Jay Racavich

Salute to Riverside

Our years at riverside are finally over  
We've waited for so long to be gone  
And now in line for graduation  
It's hard to believe we're really done

It's time to go away to college  
And leave our high school years behind  
But before we leave, I'd like to thank you  
Better friends and classmates are hard to find

Our senior year has come and gone  
It's nearly time to say goodbye  
But before we leave let's all remember  
Our final year at riverside high

Our first day this year we were greeted  
With workers that we wished were gone  
But when the construction is finally over  
We'll all miss Dave from Everon

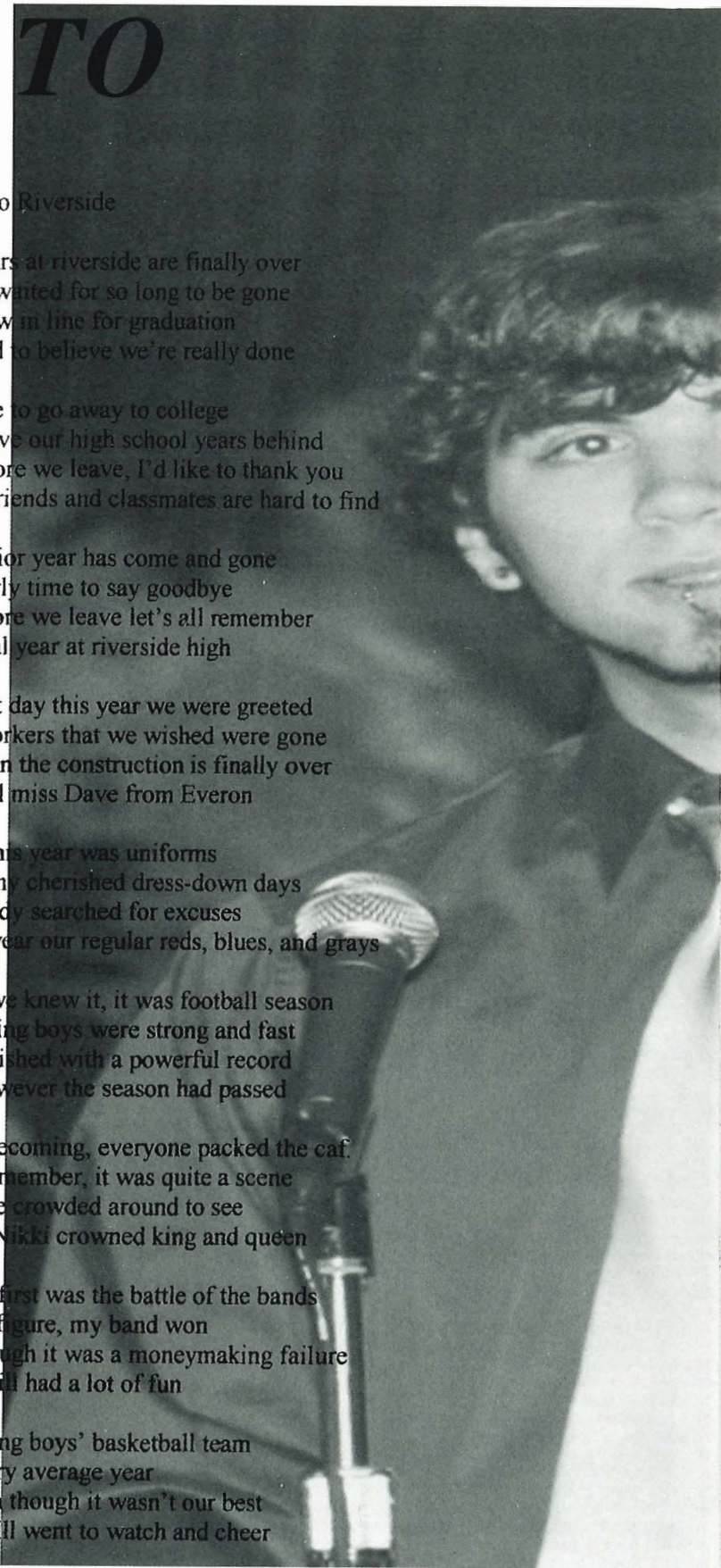
A first this year was uniforms  
And many cherished dress-down days  
Everybody searched for excuses  
Not to wear our regular reds, blues, and grays

Before we knew it, it was football season  
The Viking boys were strong and fast  
They finished with a powerful record  
Soon however the season had passed

For homecoming, everyone packed the caf.  
If you remember, it was quite a scene  
Everyone crowded around to see  
Jay and Nikki crowned king and queen

Another first was the battle of the bands  
And, go figure, my band won  
Even though it was a moneymaking failure  
We all still had a lot of fun

The Viking boys' basketball team  
Had a very average year  
And even though it wasn't our best  
We all still went to watch and cheer





# RIVERSIDE

The Lady Vikes basketball team however  
Was very powerful on the court  
They won Riverside a district championship  
And had our full fledged support

The baseball team had another good year  
They swung hard and aimed for the fences  
With 12 and 3 they won the league  
By crushing the other teams defenses

The track team was the best in 10 years  
With a record of only 6 and 3  
But, 3 school records and 2 district medals  
Certainly don't come for free

Our senior prom won't be forgotten  
The cameras flashed in the candlelight  
Carl and Holly were crowned King and Queen  
It will be hard to forget such a memorable night

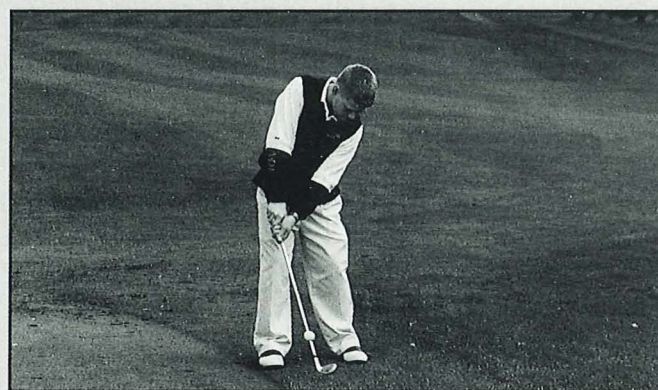
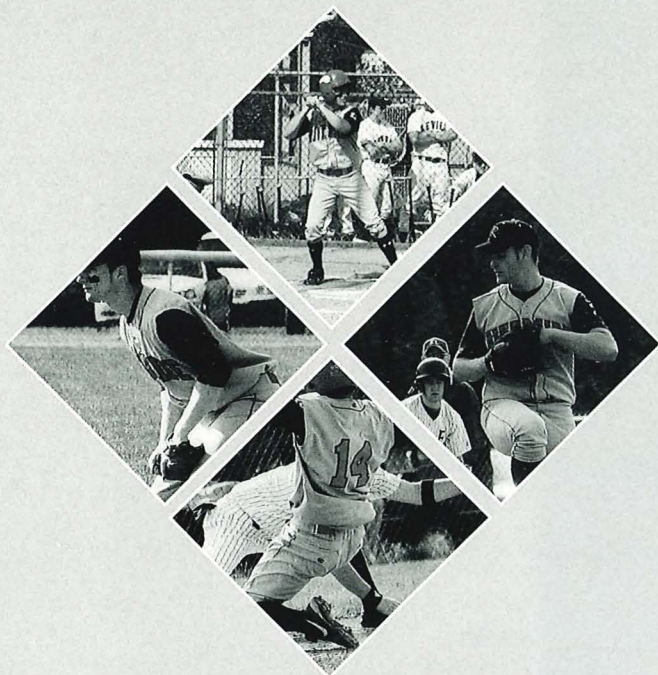
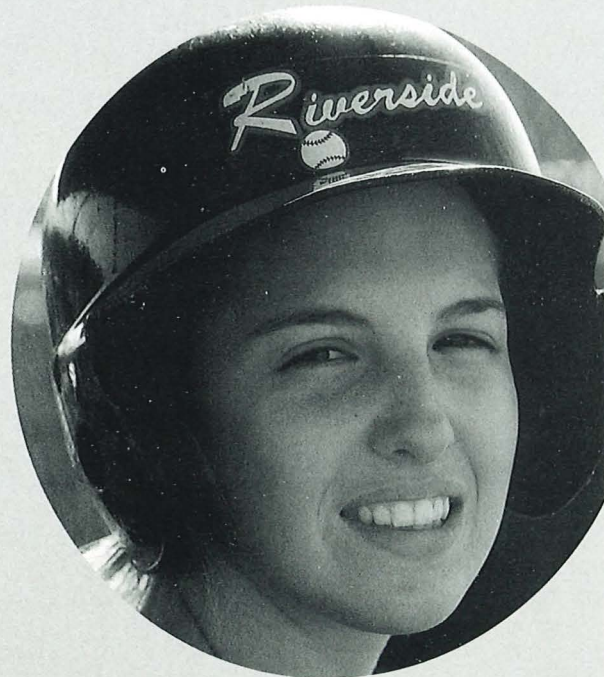
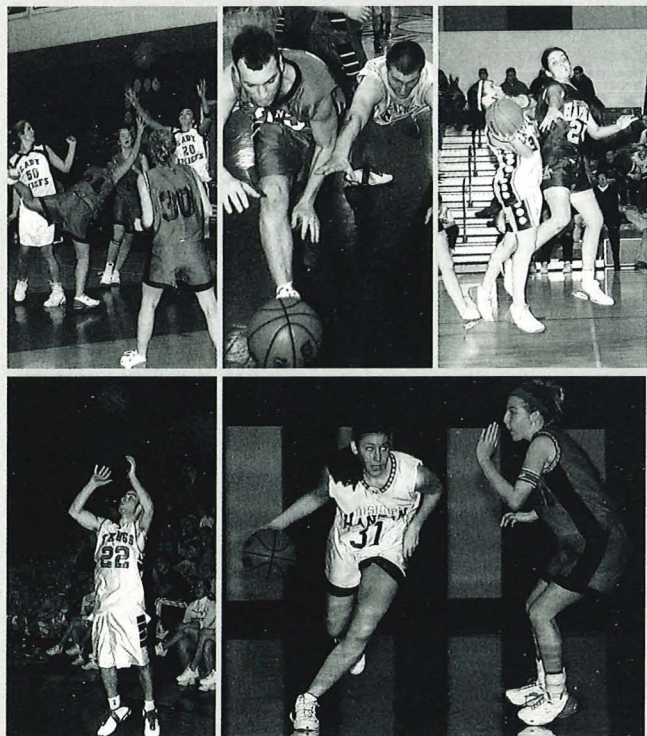
Class night was full of memories  
And it was really no surprise  
The slide show and Rory's singing  
Left us all with a tear in our eyes

I still remember starting 7<sup>th</sup> grade  
No more recess and lockers were such a fuss  
The seniors were so big and old  
And now, those seniors are us

Riverside has given us a special gift  
And has the gratitude that we all owe  
For a lifetime of fond memories  
To take with us wherever we go

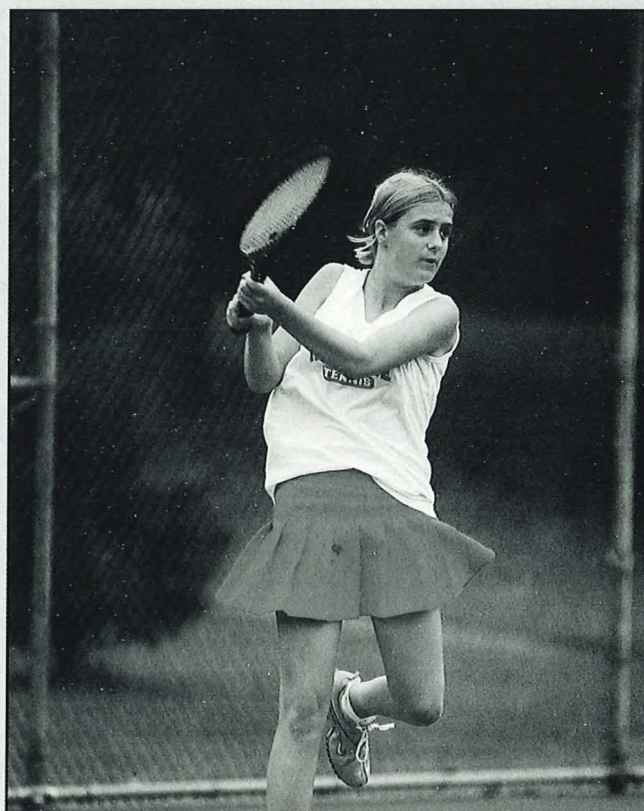
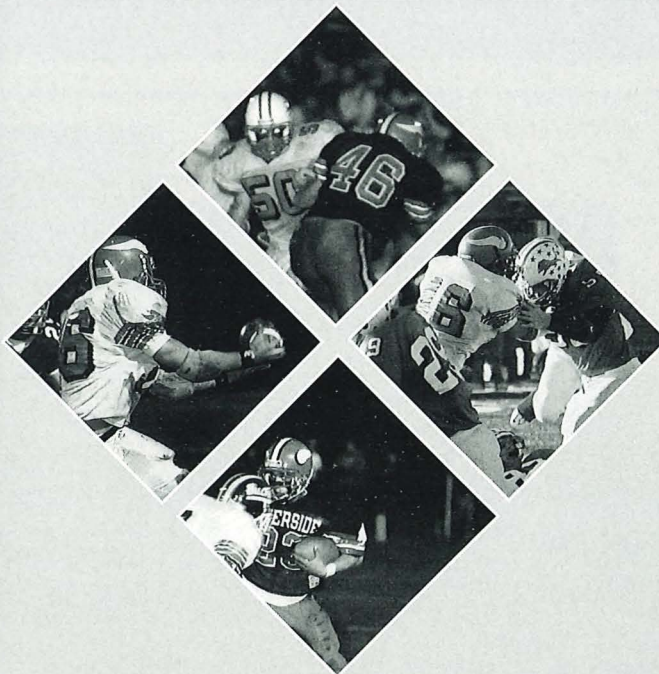
Now wipe away our many tears  
As we prepare to say goodbye  
We remember how you touched us forever  
We salute you, Riverside high







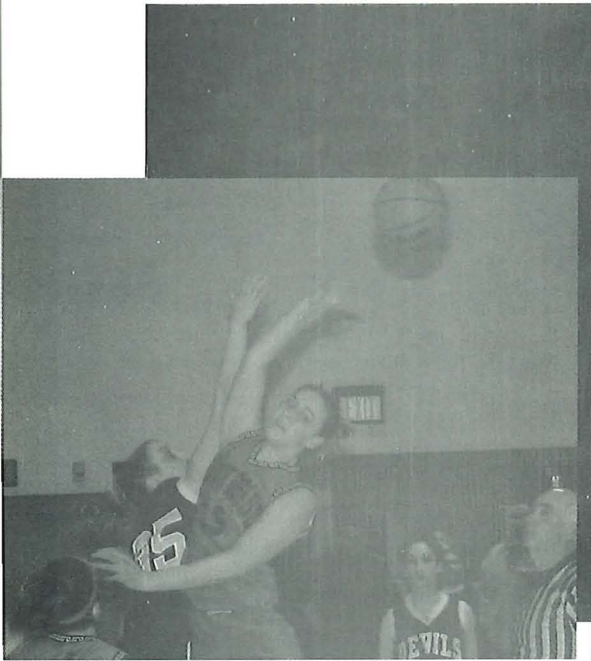
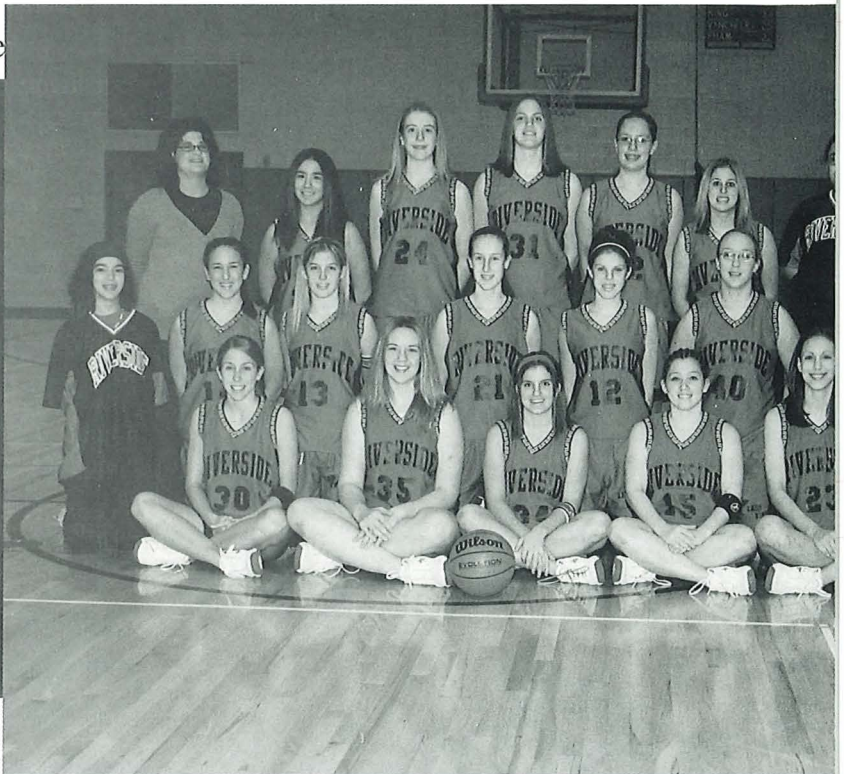
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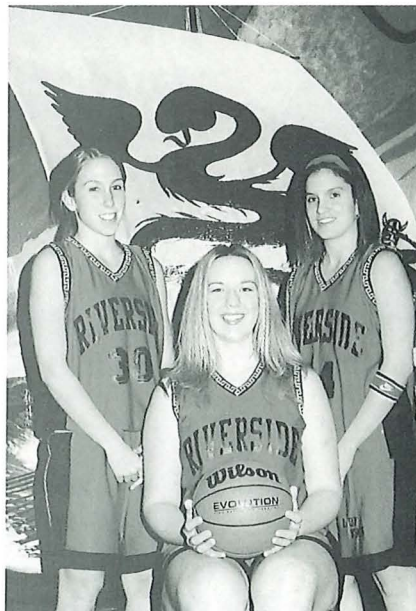
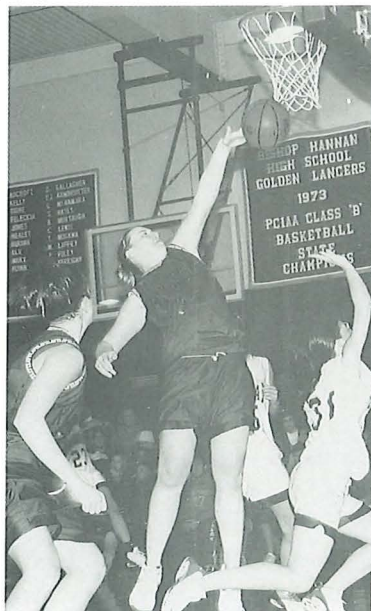




2003-2004 Basketball Captains:  
Nikki Turoni and Melissa Kollonige



Perseverance!





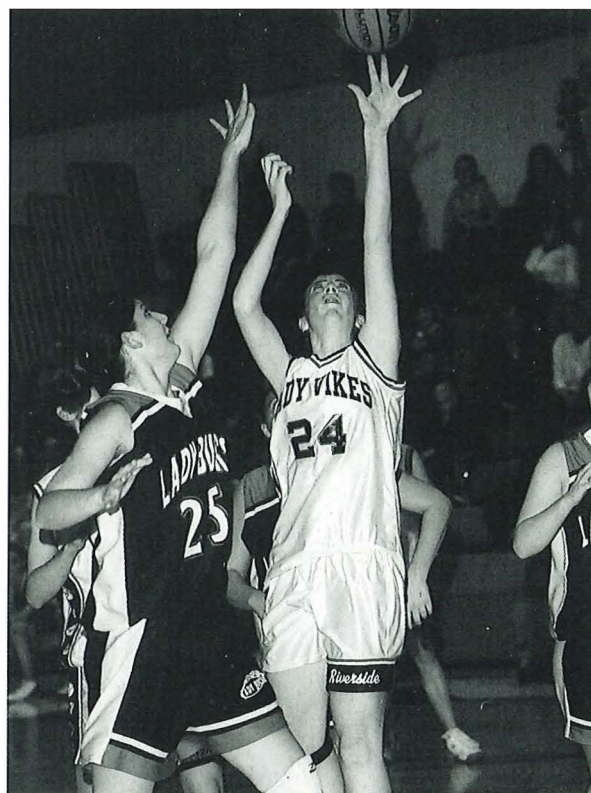


Here we come again ...  
you ready ?

# Girls Basketball



Our Lady Vikes ended the season by winning the District Championship! Great job girls!



We got back in there!

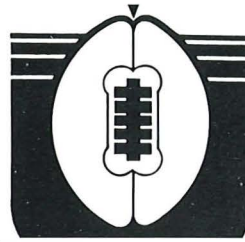


This season was great,  
We had a good team,  
Most people came to our games,  
And know what I mean.  
With League play over,  
Our record was 40-2,  
Which is way better,  
Than last year's team could do.  
Coach Tall had the baby,  
That was only half the fun,  
Unfortunately for our only two seniors  
Their Lady Vike careers are done.  
This season was phenomenal,  
But all great things come to an end,  
Be sure to always remember,  
It was us who started the winning trend.





# Game Day



Mike Stalbird: I must have been holding back a smile...but i doubt it. I hope my skull cap looks good.

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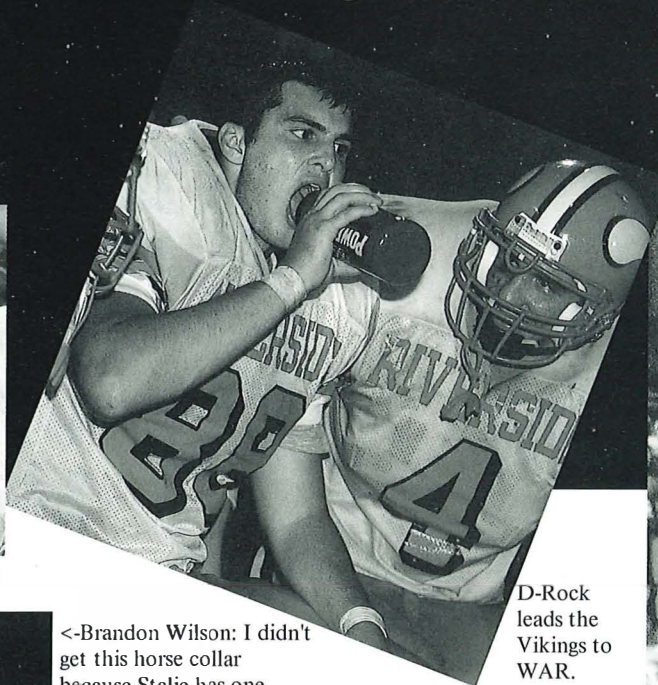


REBAR: Pinch me  
Pinch me!

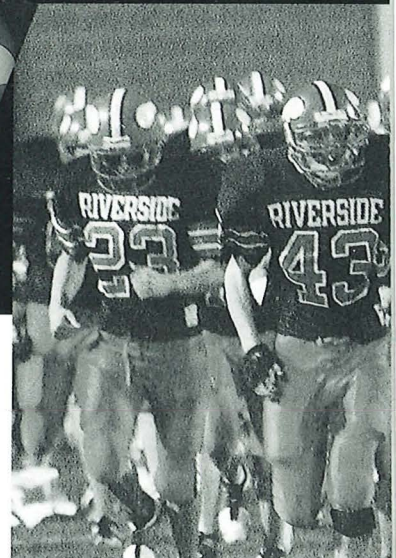
One Town...  
One School...  
One Big Loss...



Tyler Calvey: Did you say Chris Lewis?!



D-Rock leads the Vikings to WAR.



<-Brandon Wilson: I didn't get this horse collar because Stalie has one.  
Besecker (Below): I'm Confused.

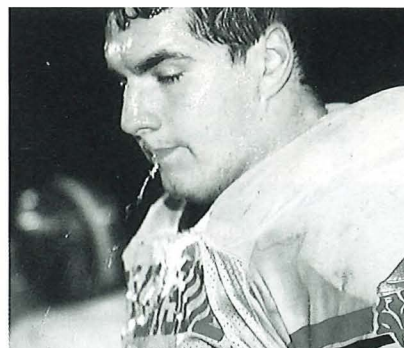




Wigley: WoW grambo your arms are huge.

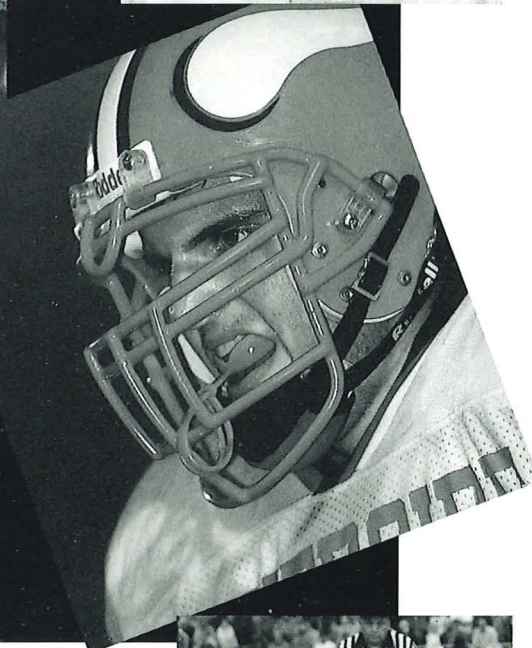


NATE: Did someone say  
TWINKIE?



ROBO:  
What was the  
play again?  
Team: Oh  
no not  
again!

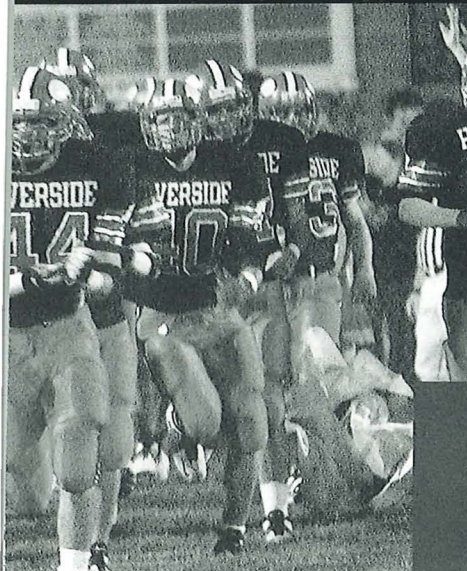
Wzorek: This water is good....I  
wonder where nicol is??



Go

Vikings

Go!!!

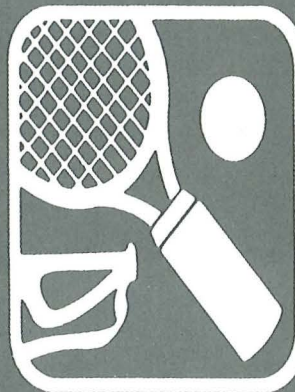


Scooby: IT'S 50.

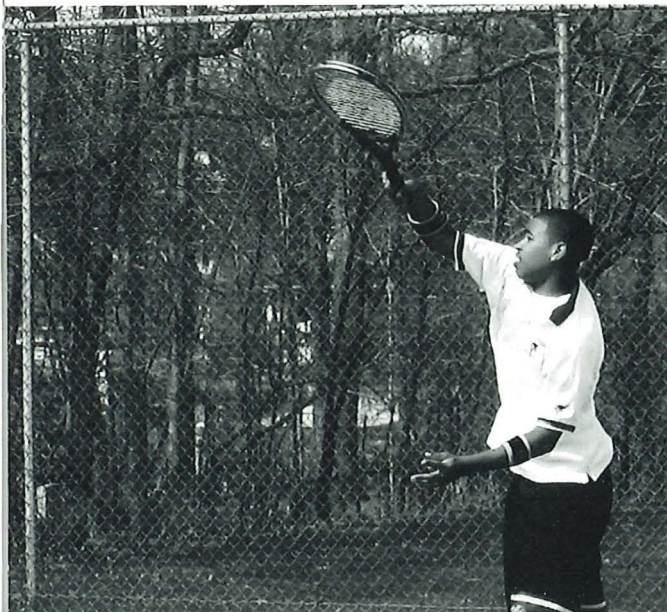




# *BOYS' TENNIS*







## Riverside Men's Tennis

The coach, John Radzwillowicz, of this team has been coaching at Riverside for two years then took a break and went to Bishop Hannon for one season, where he coached both Women's & Men's Tennis. He then came back to Riverside for eleven more years. This is his 12th year of coaching at Riverside.

On this year's team, there will not be any seniors, but there will be juniors, sophomores, & freshmen playing their best to put down a win for Riverside. Each player gets to tryout for the spot to start on the team. Then if a current player thinks that they can beat the person trying out, he can challenge them. If the person wins, he will take the spot.

The team started conditioning on February 23. They will do this for four weeks then the season starts. The team plays for four weeks.

This year's season ended with a 4-5 record.

The team this year will be:

### Singles:

1. Terrin Kelly
2. JaVaun Barnett
3. John Novak
4. Rob Ash

### Doubles:

1. Kelly/Barnett
2. Novak/Ash
3. CJ Marini/Jason Hurley

The ones that do not start this year that are on the team are as follows:

### Freshmen:

Jake Borer  
Joe Howey  
John Moran  
Bill Bracey

### Sophomores:

Parakh Dani

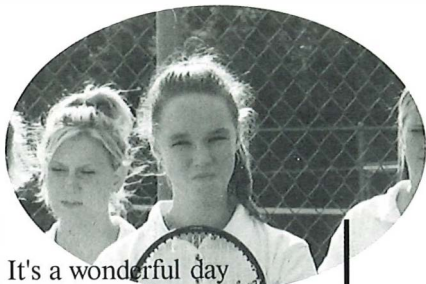
### Juniors:

James Webb  
Rahul Duni  
Dominick DePaolo



Tennis Players...Have fewer faults!



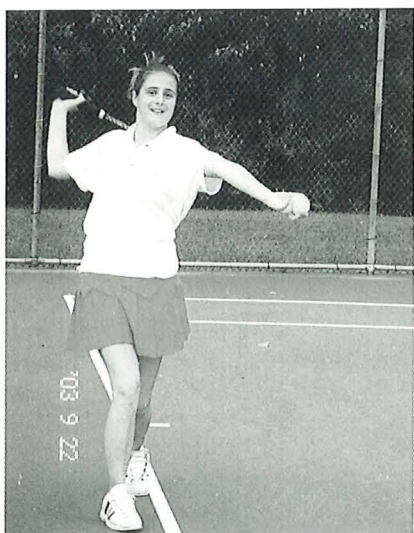


It's a wonderful day  
in the neighborhood.



I think I can!

Look at me...It's the  
no look hit.

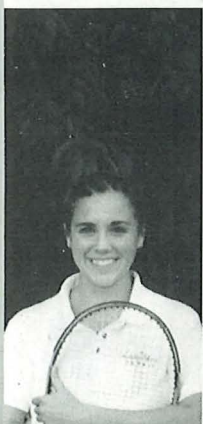






# Girls Tennis

Welcome to the jungle!



2003-2004 Girls Tennis Team (Standing from left to right): Lynnae Imdorf, Brittany Flaherty, Carolyn Shertza, Sarah Best, Christine Major, and Maria Gaidula  
(Kneeling left to right): Amber Loiselle, Kelli Syzmanski, and Lauren Holovack

2003-2004 Girls Tennis Captains: Carolyn Shertza (left) and Maria Gaidula (right)



The girls tennis team is losing two of there most valued seniors: Maria Gaidula and Carolyn Shertza. We will miss them and their abilities on the courts. As usual, this season was filled with many great memories.

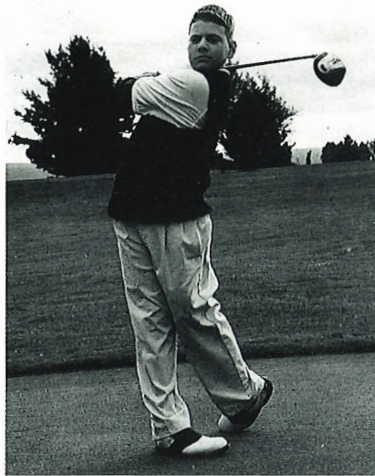


# GOLF

You wish you had shoes like mine.



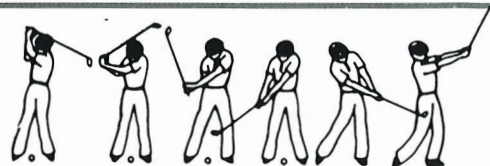
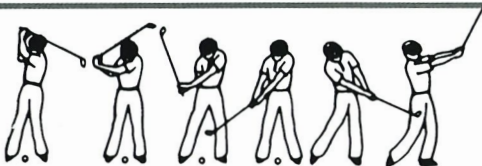
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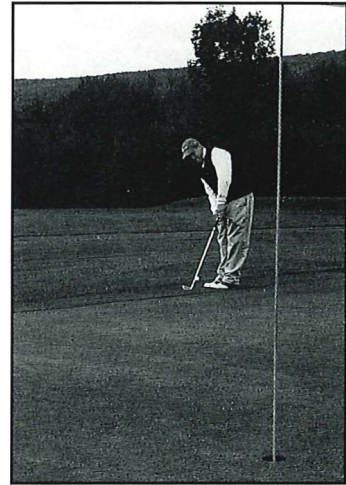
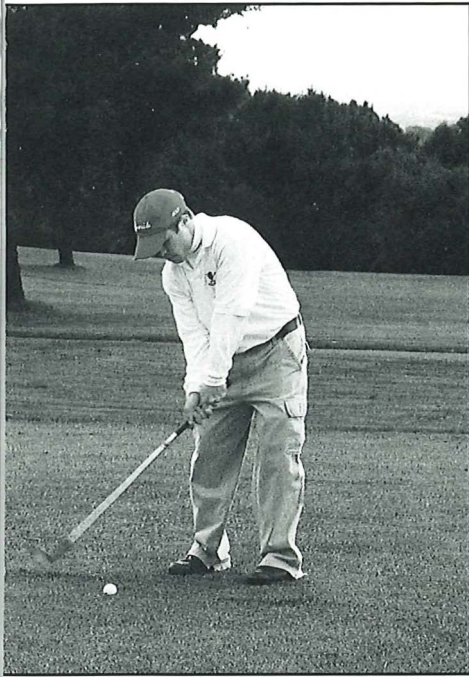
2003 Golf Team Members  
(below):

Standing (left to right): Coach Bill Pabst, Sean Ward, Bob Davis, S.J. Kania, Mike Mekilo, and Coach Jack Helcoski

Kneeling (left to right): Jon Vishnesky, Brian Williams, Chris Wallick, Mike Shimko, and Josh Carichner



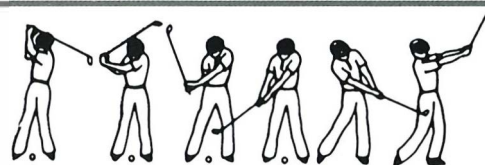
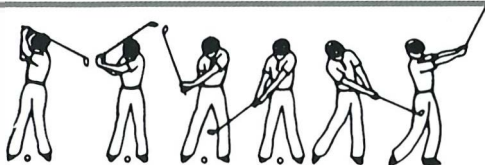




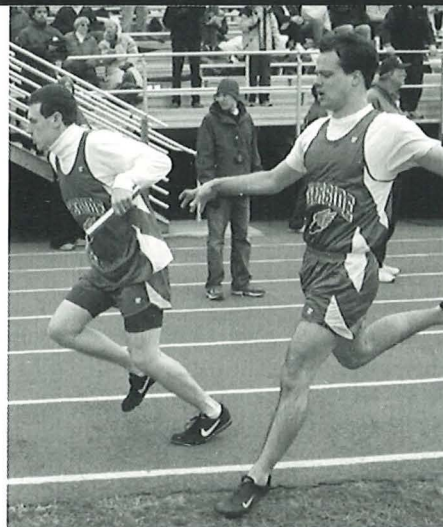
After losing eleven seniors from last year, our golf team fielded one of its youngest and least experienced teams. However, the team still won four of its twelve matches (including a big win over Old Forge) on its way to gaining valuable experience for the next few years.

Junior Bob Davis, as captain, led the team in scoring and was chosen as Honorable Mention on the All Star Team.

The remaining starters were sophomores Mike Mekilo and Shawn Ward (both were Honorable Mention All Stars), S.J. Kania and Jon Vishnesky, and freshman Chris Wallick.









# TRACK and FIELD



READY • SET

GO

This year's track and cross-country teams were coached by Deb Kapelan. The girl's team, for the second year in a row, finished with a 5-4 record. Nine girls qualified for Districts, even though it is a fairly young team, with only one senior, and the 4x1 and 4x4 teams only had three losses all season. Great job girls! The boy's team did an excellent job this year as well. They finished 6-3, which was one of the best records in the past 15 years. This season, they also have a record number 16 students participating in districts. They broke three school records this year, with the possibility of breaking a 4th at districts. We are really proud of you!





Bryan Fauver: Senior Cross  
Country member



Look at us go!!

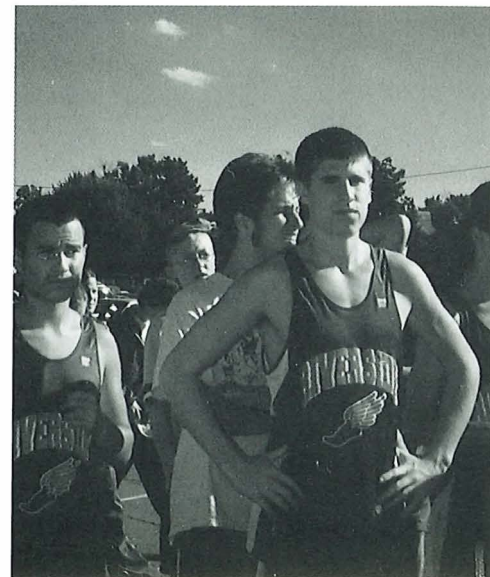
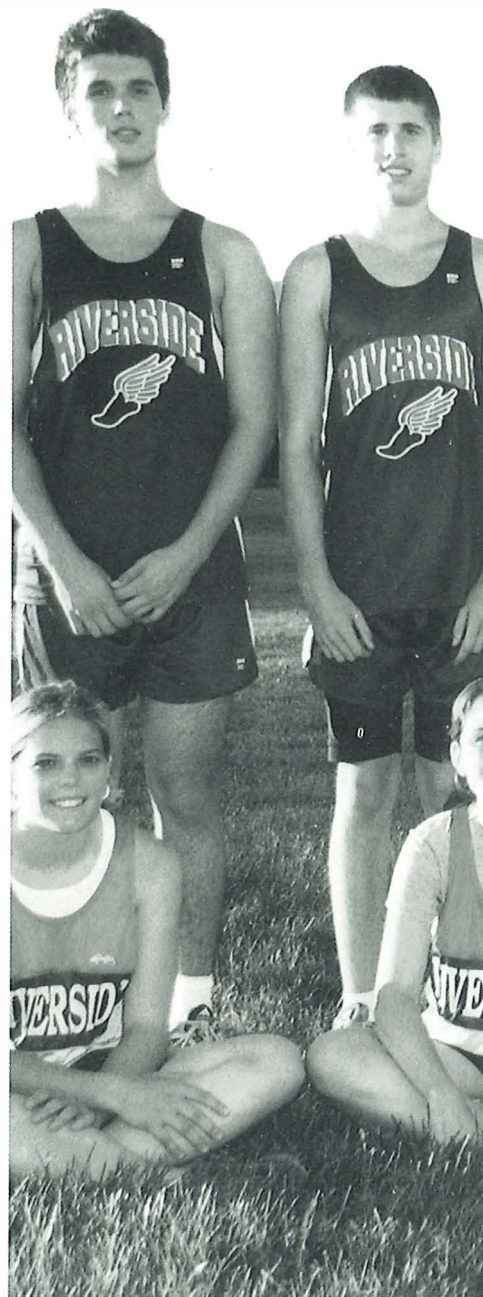


### Bryan Fauver

"It was a pleasure coaching Bryan this year. He is a hard-working young man, who knows what he wants and what he has to do to attain his goal. He was hampered by a knee injury in the summer and actually rehabbed back from it during the first half of the season. Despite that, he knew how hard he had to work and endure through pain, to get back and surpass where he was last year. At the end of the season, I rode on his coattails, because he was a man on a mission." ~ Coach Deb Kapelan

- Ran cross country since 7th grade
- As a freshman, medalled @ Districts (Jr. High)
- Qualified and ran for each of the 3 years on varsity
- 2nd team all star
- Ran @ regional cross country meet as a Junior in New York
- Fought back from knee injury during Senior year: peaked and ran a PR @ Districts with 17:26 and a 5th place finish; qualifying him for states for an unprecedented 3rd time.

Lane says: Look at  
my bad self!





# Cross Country



Members of the 2003-2004 Cross Country Team:

Standing (left to right): Jason Hurley, Matt Lane, Jason Lane, Bryan Fauver, Jose Cruz, and Coach Miss Deb Kapelan.

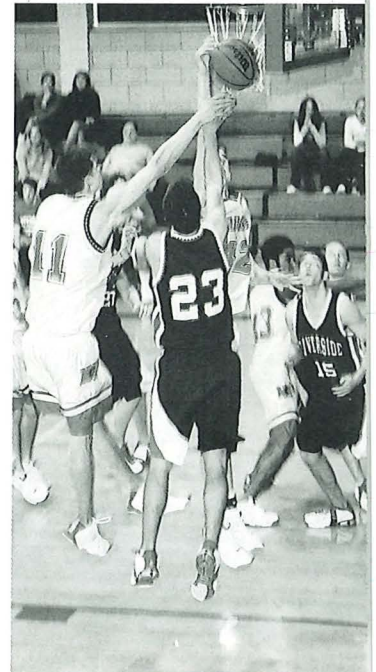
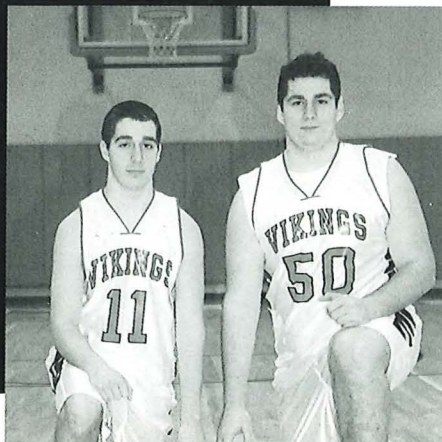
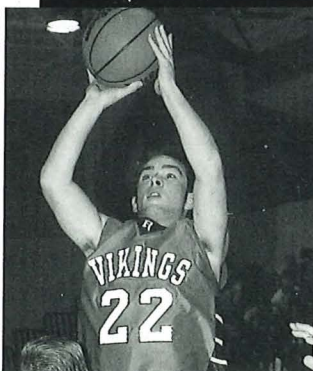
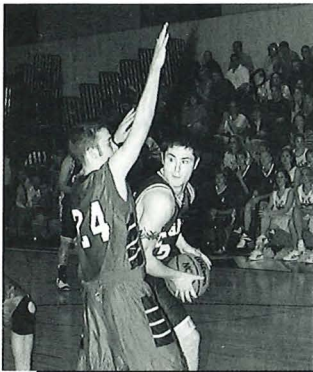
Seated (left to right): Tara Rhodes, Julianna Strok, Sara Snodgrass, and Ashley Onofrey



They don't look so good. We could take them!



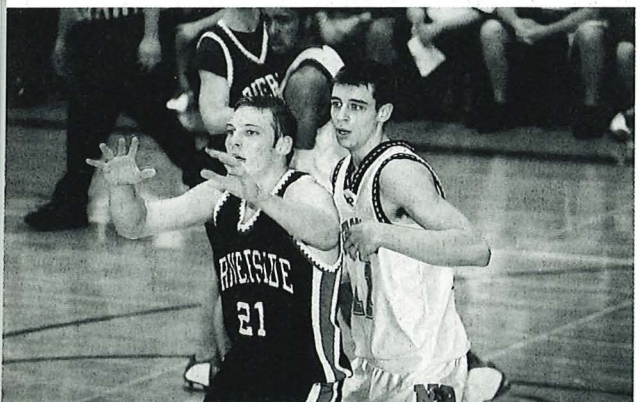
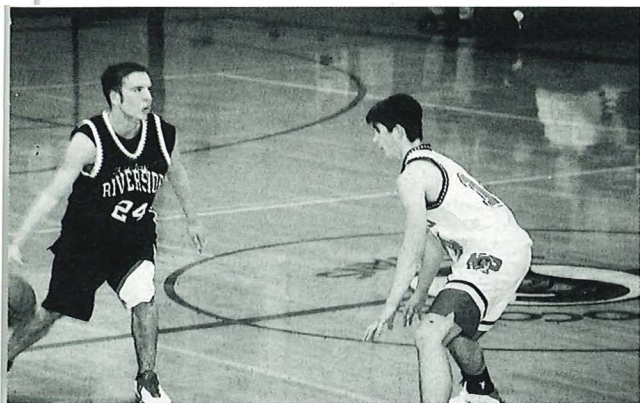
# BOYS BASKETBALL





## Riverside Boys Basketball

**New Focus, Better Tradition, and Three New Starters.** As the season gets underway the Vikings are much hungrier than ever before. With four juniors, two that started last year, and one sophomore, the team is looking to duplicate last year's Division Championship team. Some people might question how, without Riverside basketball standout Josh Aniska, but there's two kids that can fill his shoes. The two captains, Jeff Lamotta and Ryan Hewitt, play tremendous defense and have silk smooth shots. These two kids bring everything they have to the game of basketball. Let's not forget the three other Viking players Jeff Odgers, Rob Ash, and Danny Harette. All first year starters looking for confidence out on the court. We also have two seniors, Mike Gawel and Kyle Harchar. These two kids have the heart of a lion. Kyle Harchar also has the commitment like no other player. The coaching staff consists of Head Coach Mike Morgan, J.V. Head Coach James Arnillay, and Assistant Coach Jon Vishnesky. All three teaching us the fundamentals of basketball and the aspects of life. Our new slogan is "Hold The Rope."





# SOFTBALL



2004 Lady Vikes Softball

## Team

Kneeling (left to right):

Melissa Kollinige, Cassie Yarem, and Nikki Turoni

Standing: Kim Pham, Saral Hines, Marissa Chisdock, Kelly Kuchinskas, Jenn Kir Nikki Quick, Kaitlyn Brennan, Jessica Plisko, and Sam Pham

Standing (back row): Coach Chickeletti and Coach Helcoski



Working as a team!



Jenn is safe !

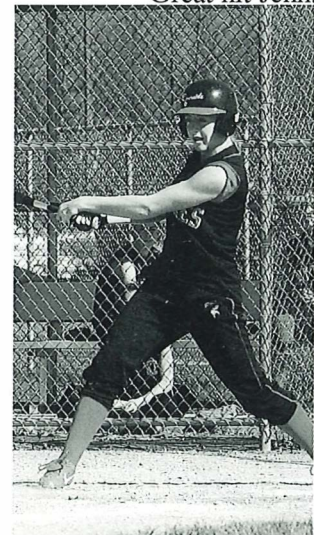
Run, Jess, Run!



Missy at her best!



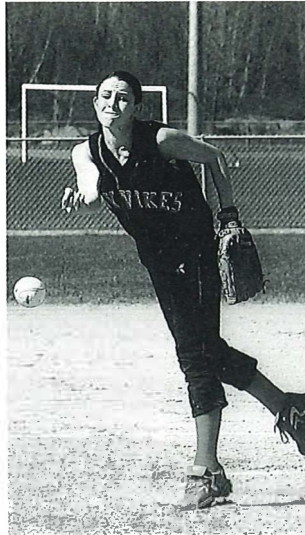
Great hit Jenn!



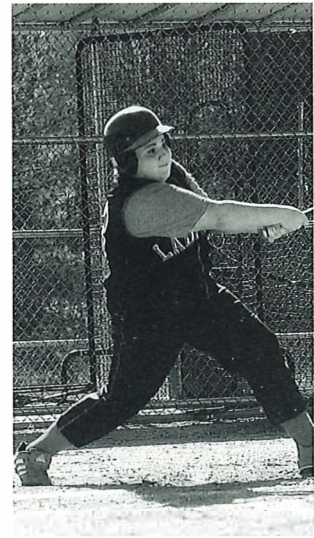




Jessica Plisko



Great throw Kaitlyn!



Nice hit, Sara



Nikki Turoni



Marissa Chisdock



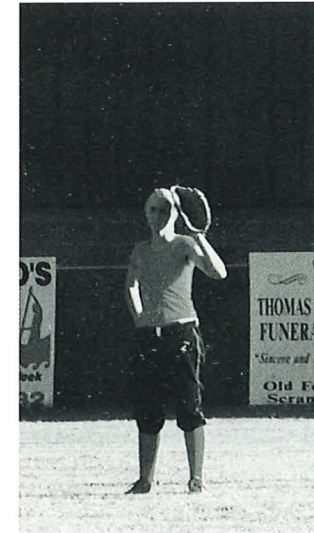
Nice swing!



Love the game!

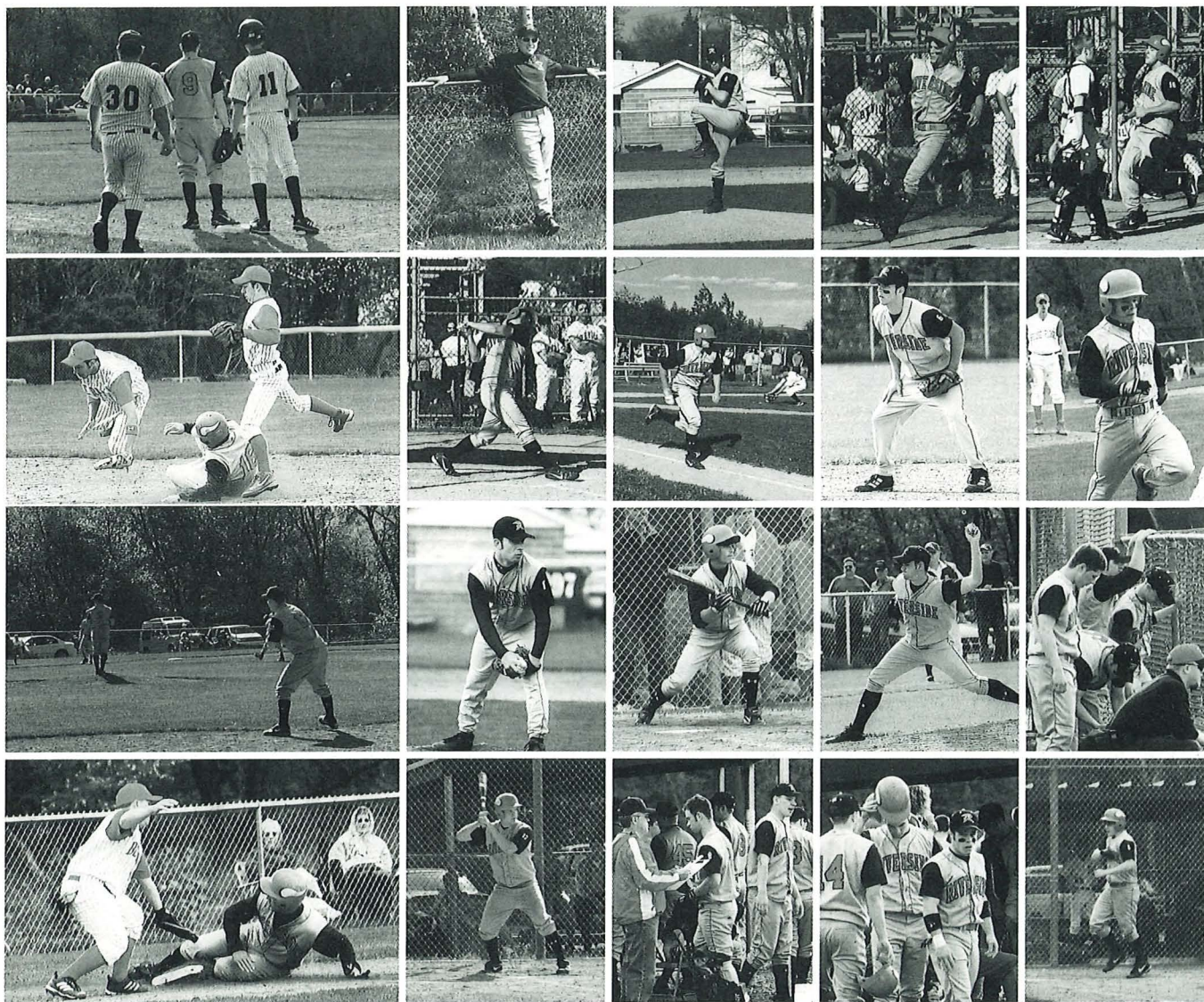


Senior gals!



Does somebody want  
to throw me the ball?







# BOYS' BASEBALL



Far left: 2003-2004 Riverside Vikings Baseball Team

Middle: *Senior Baseball Players*

Kneeling (left to right): Brian Koytek, Mike Miller, Jason Colarusso, Kyle Harchar, Nick Alexander  
 Standing (left to right): Steve Kishel, Mike Dunkailo, and Nathan Trolieo

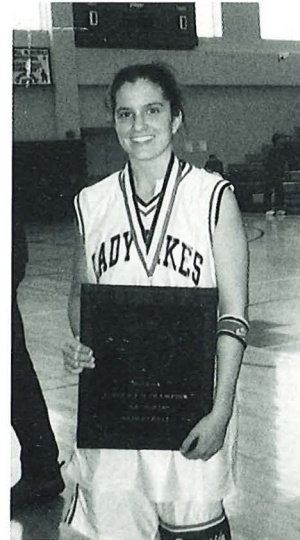
Left: *2003-2004 Baseball Co-Captains*

Left to right: Steve Kishel, Mike Dunkailo, Nate Trolieo

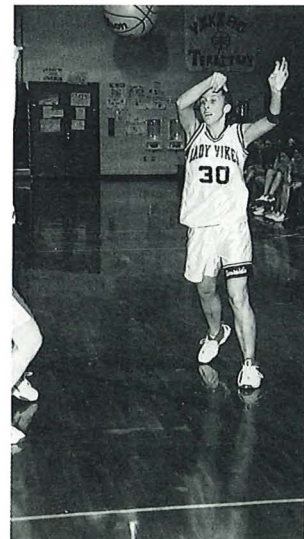




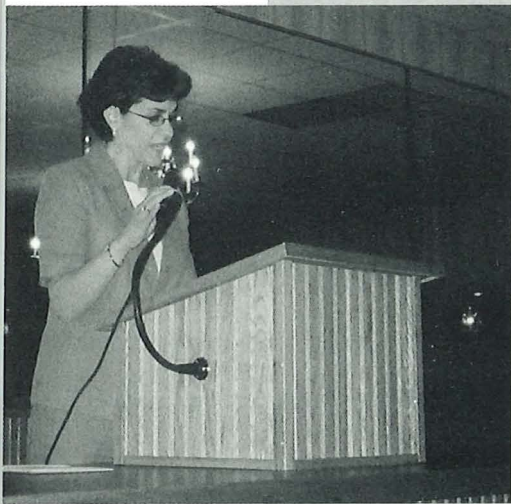
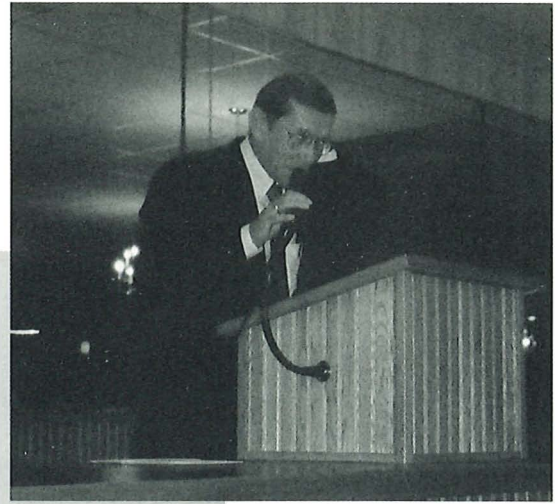
FOR ANOTHER LOOK AT OUR LADY VIKES



*District Champions*

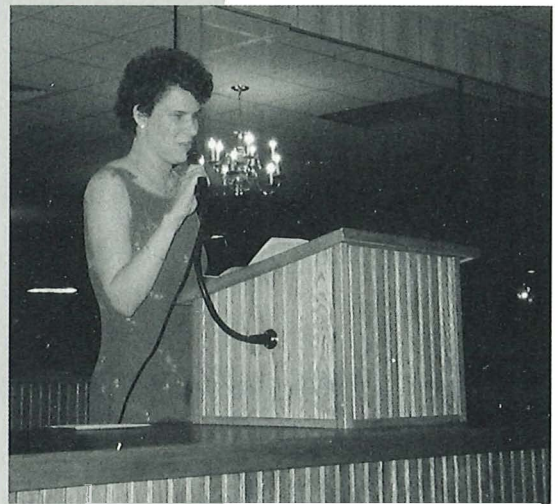






Aryann Merli wishes colleague Carol Bauman a healthy and happy retirement.

Faculty, family,  
and friends  
take time to say  
goodbye to two  
very special  
people as they  
begin their  
retirement.



Frau Mahon says Auf wiedersehen to Robert Hordich as he begins his retirement with a trip to Germany.



Also honored at this year's retirement dinner was Romaine Nerch, who served on the Riverside School Board for 24 years, and Marcia Day, this year's Friend of Education. Good luck and prosperity to both!





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 Good luck Uncle Bob  
 Good luck Uncle Jay

# Is there a Mike Gawel



?







urry up. Let's go home!



Say cheese!



What?



Wanna dance?



My turn!



Mike, what did you do?



Trick or treat!



Time to go to the game.



# MATT MICCICHE

## We love you!



Mom, I need a haircut.



Help me, Lisa.



Brian, I'm waiting.



I'll race you!



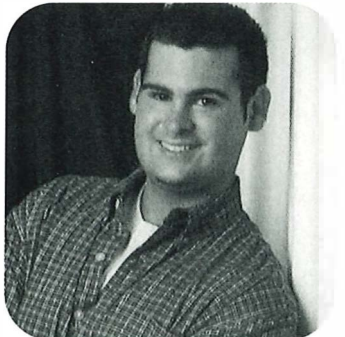
Smile!



Play ball!



Must I smile?



It's finally over!



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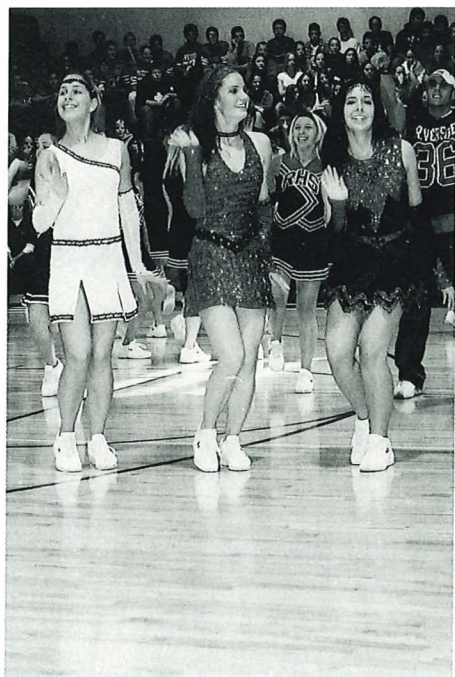




One last dance.



## 2003-2004 Miss Viking ~Kaitlyn Kuchinski~



If I say tequila one  
more time.....



Leader of the pack!



Michele, knee to  
the left.





~Feature Pom Pon~  
Jenna Bergamino



~Feature Dancer~  
Michelle Wiekowski



Let's hear it  
for the boys!



Friends forever!

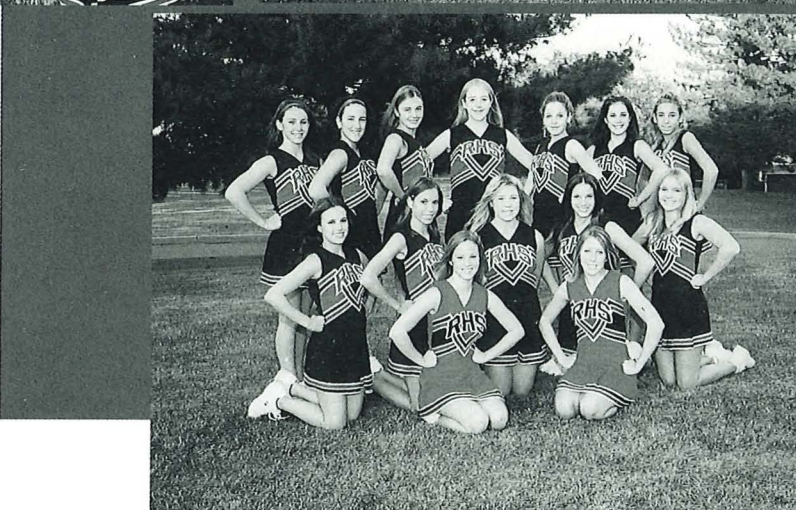
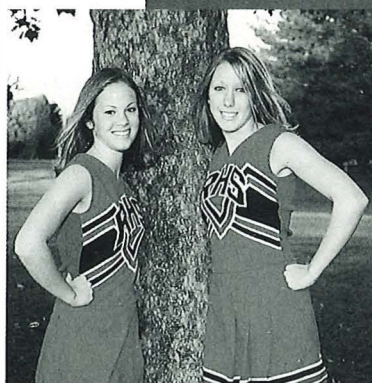
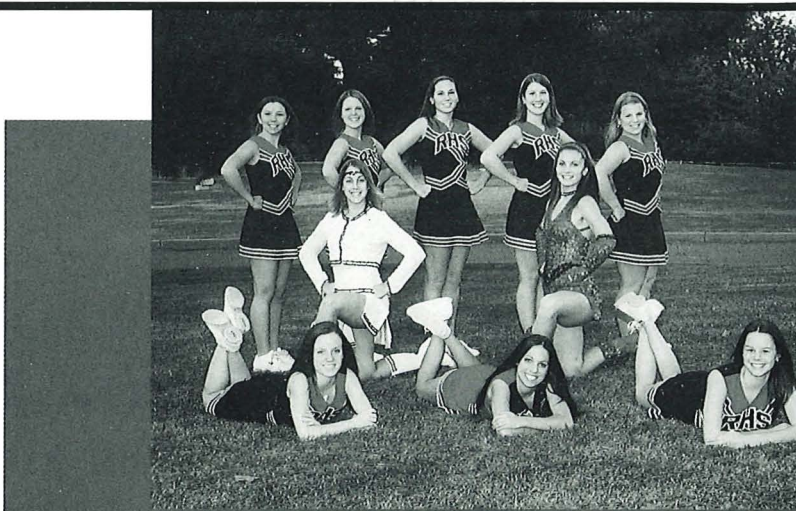


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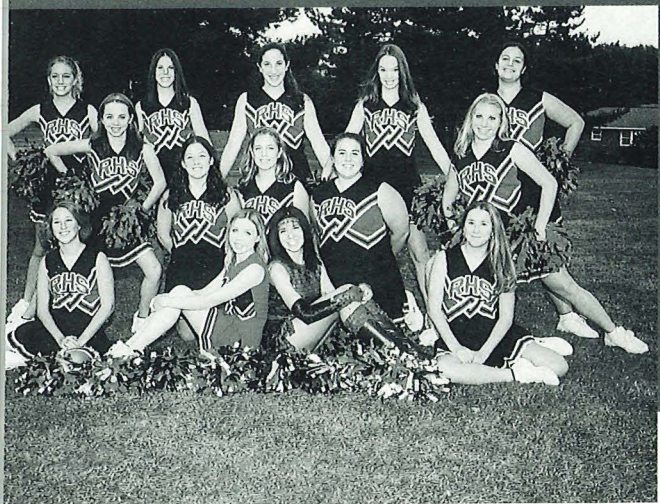
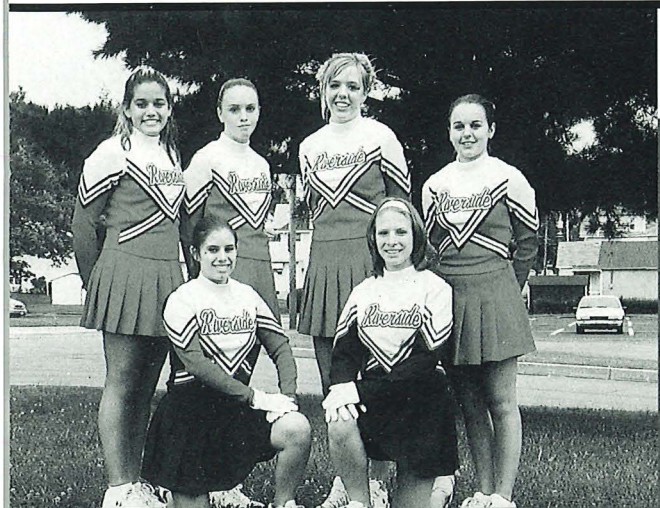


Riverside's Varsity Senior Cheerleaders are Chrissy Johnston, Holly Davis, Kaitlyn Kuchinski, Michele Wiekowski and Marissa Semian who serves as Captain. Varsity participates in the annual Unit Show, attends Friday night football games, coordinates pep-rallies, and raises money by fundraisers, car washes, and spaghetti dinners. The Units attend the Eastern Cheerleading Association Summer Camp in the month of July. Hard work, dedication, and responsibility are all qualities a 2003-2004 Varsity Cheerleader holds.





# CHEERLEADING



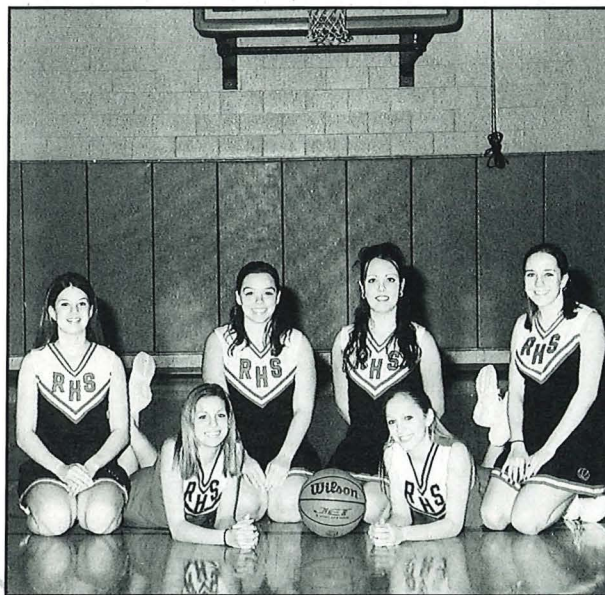
Junior Varsity: Lynnae Imdorf and Britney Flaherty are 2003 Junior Varsity's co-captains. Junior cheerleaders show their spirit by attending the Viking's freshman, Junior-Varsity, and Varsity football games. They participate in pep-rallies, the Unit Show, and support all fund-raisers. They also attended ECA Cheerleading Summer Camp along with the rest of the units.



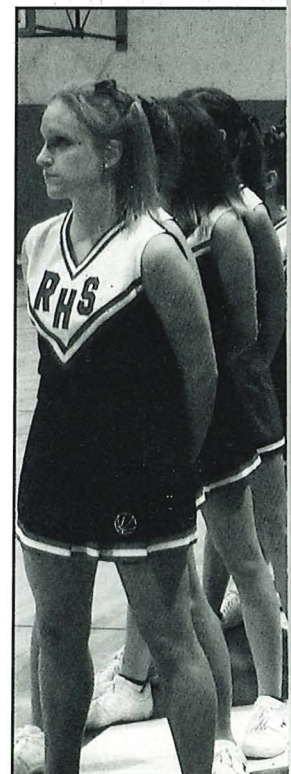


The Senior Basketball  
Cheerleaders

Candace Blasko,  
Ashley Czankner,  
Lynzee Chelland,  
Jenn Calis, Eve  
Tempaugh and Kim  
Glogowski.



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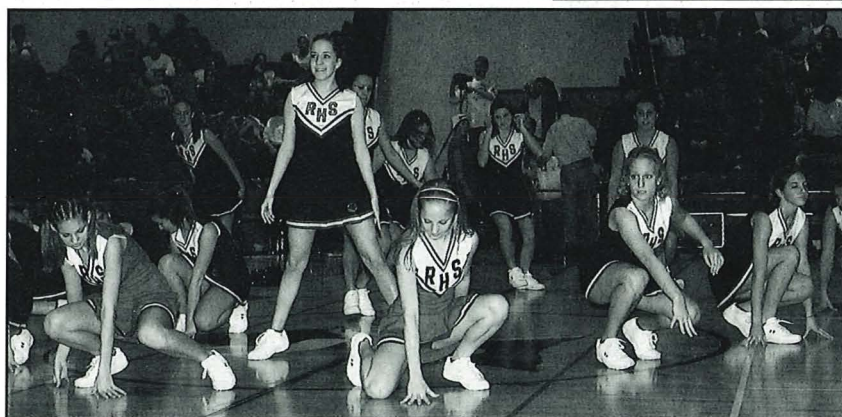




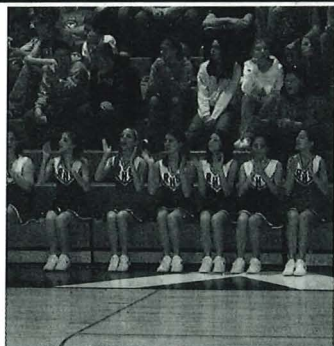
# BASKETBALL CHEERLEADING



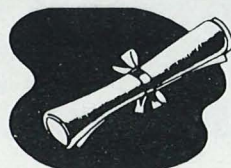
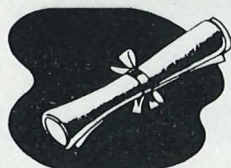
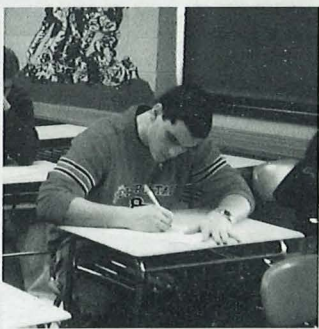
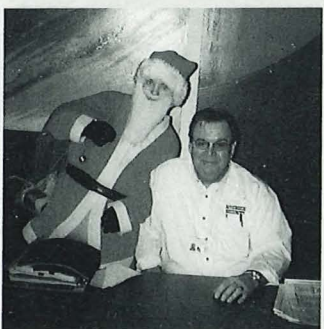
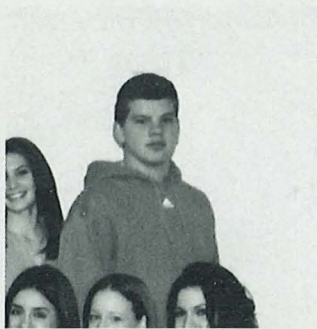
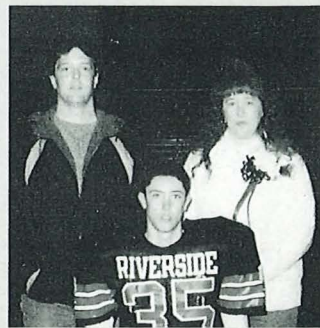
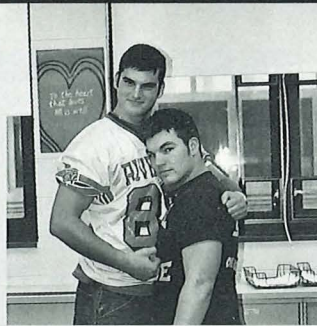
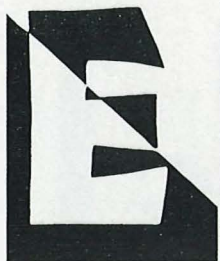
The basketball squad sponsored fundraisers by having car washes and spaghetti dinners. They also collected money at the football games, and participate in the annual Unit Show.



Basketball Varsity  
Cheerleading  
Captains:  
Eve Tempaugh and  
Ashley Czankner

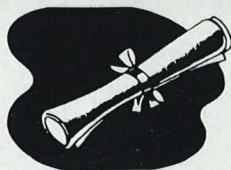
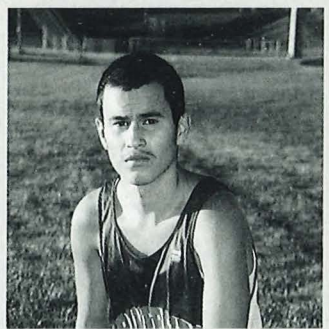
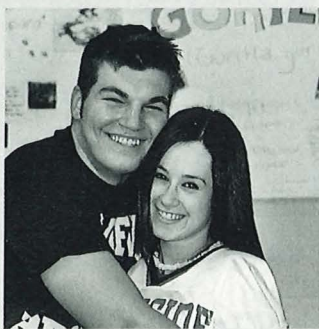
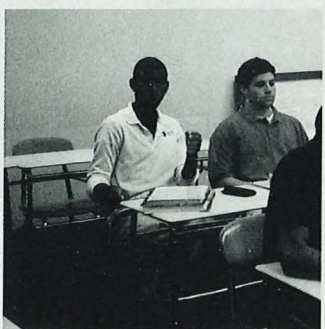
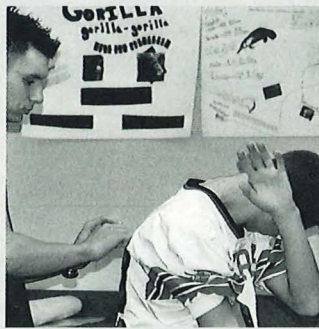
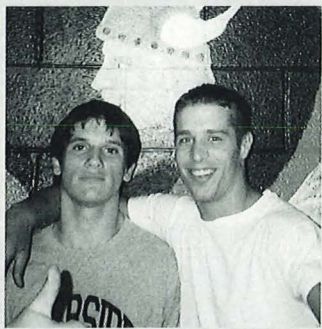
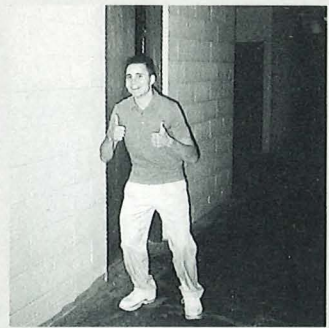
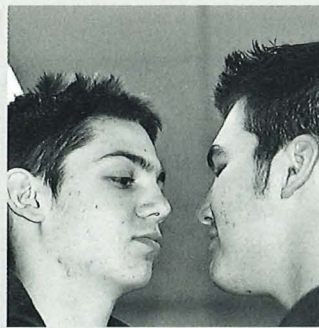
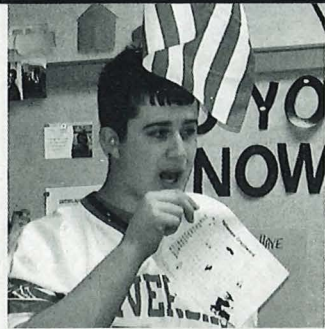








# SENIORS

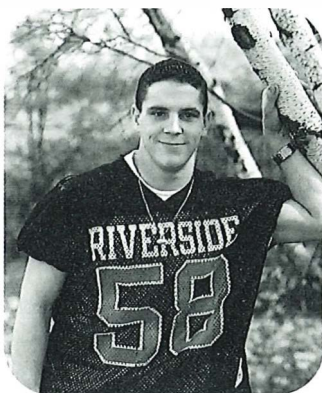




## ***SENIORS ARE STARS!***



Nicholas Alexander



Robert Ancherani



Robert Arvonio



Brittany Aulisio



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Mark Beaudoin



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Tabitha Berkosky



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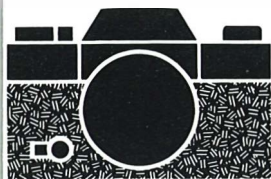
Candace Blasko



Jennifer Callis



# *SENIORS ARE SKILLED!*



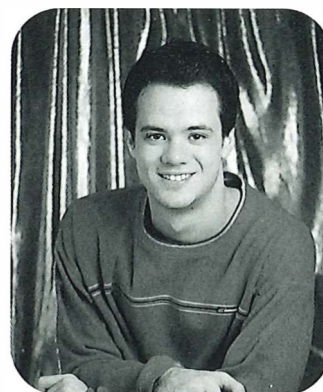
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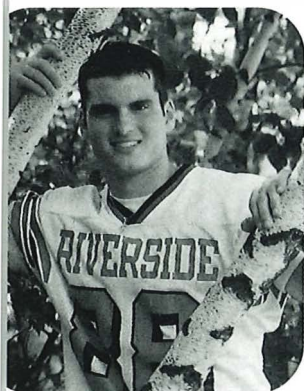
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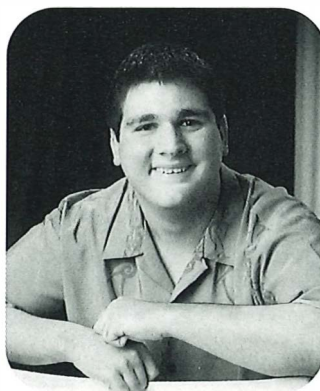
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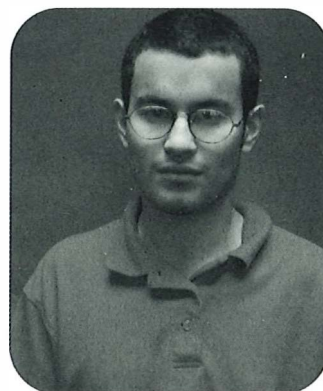
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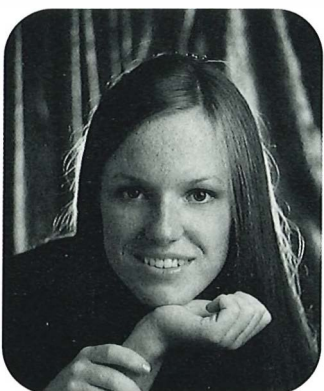
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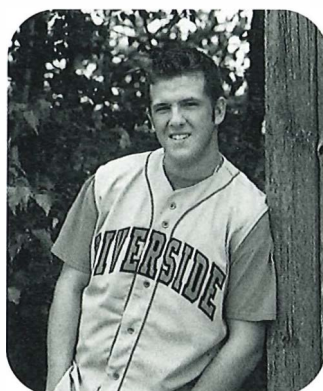
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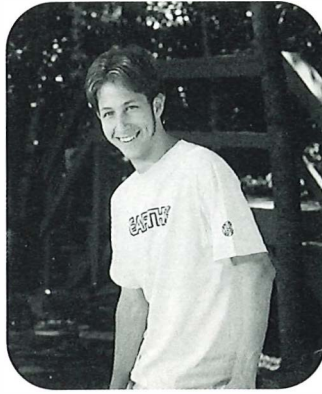
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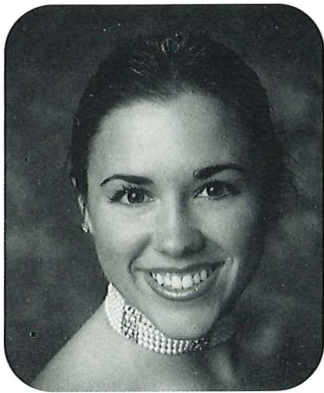
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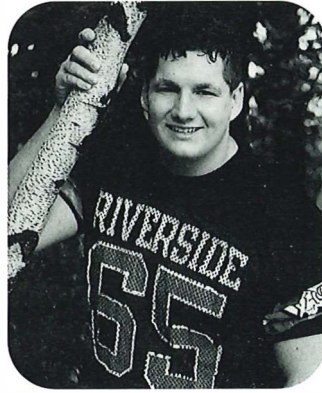
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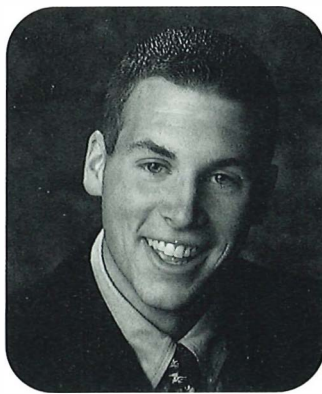
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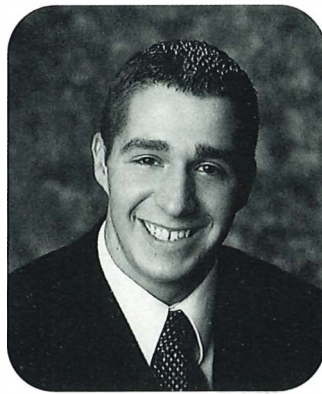
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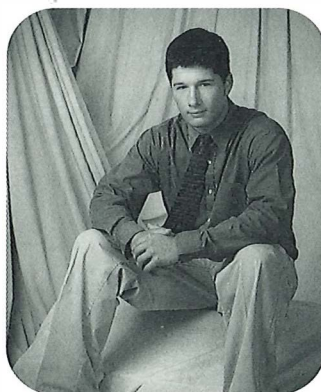
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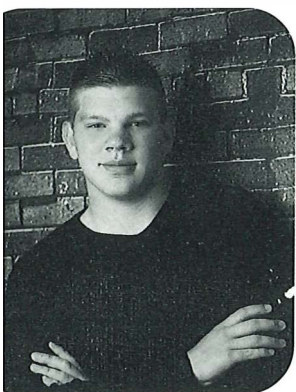
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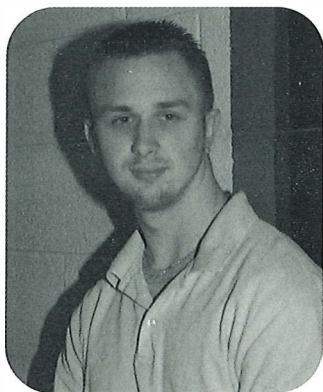
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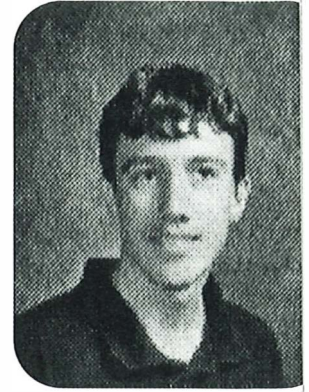
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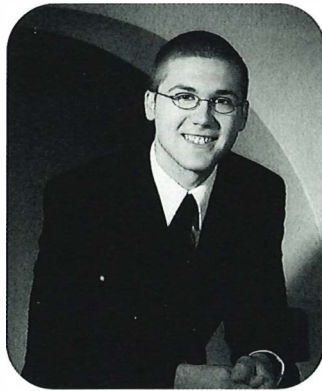
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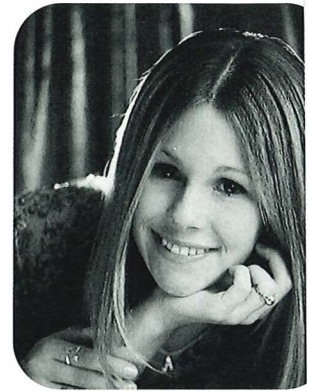
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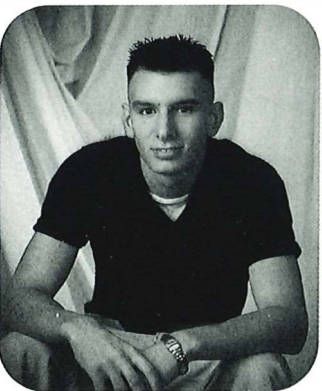
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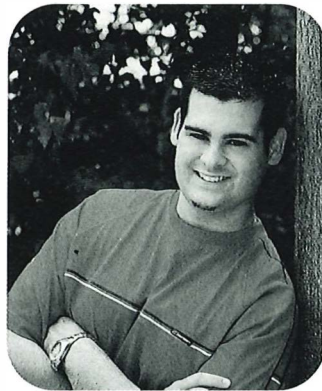
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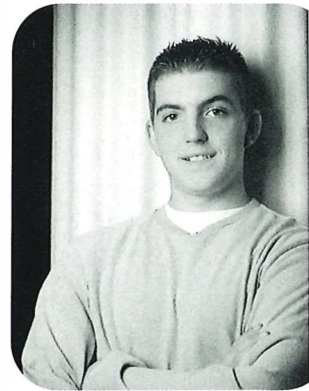
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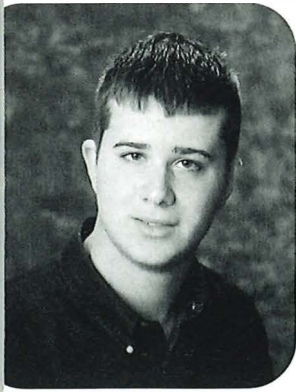
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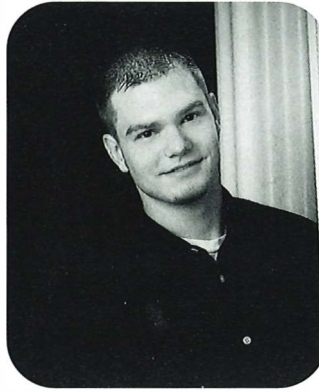
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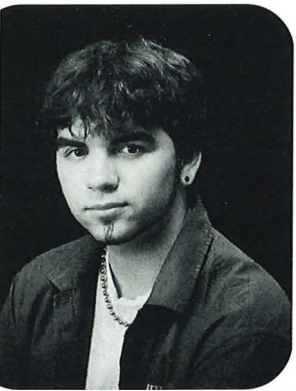
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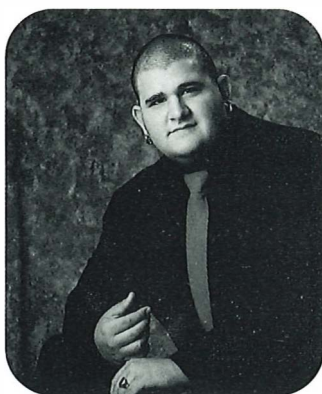
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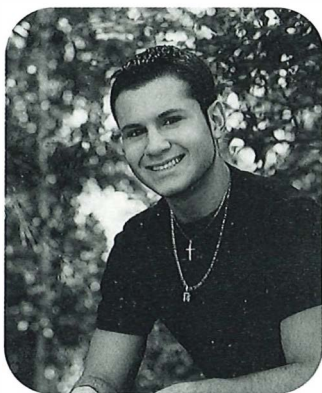
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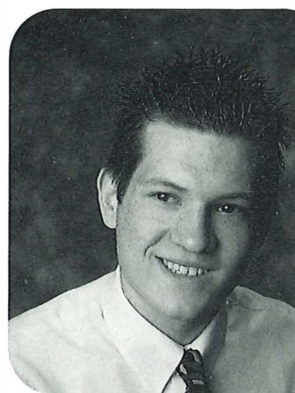
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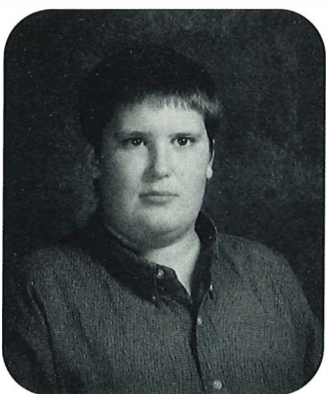
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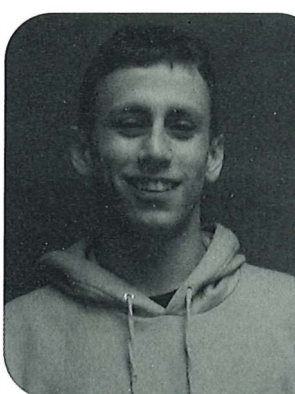
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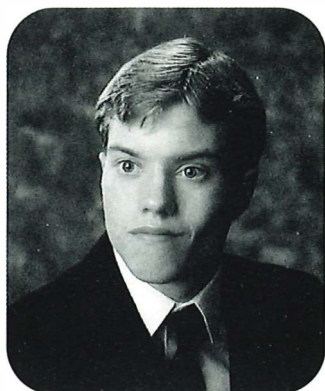
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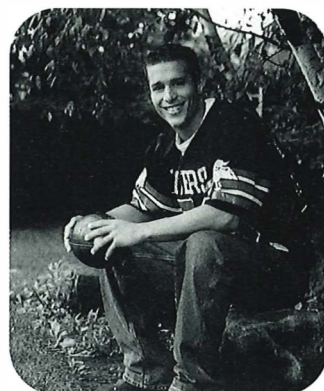
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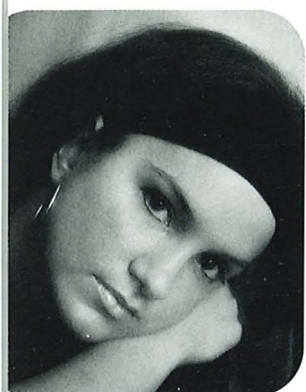
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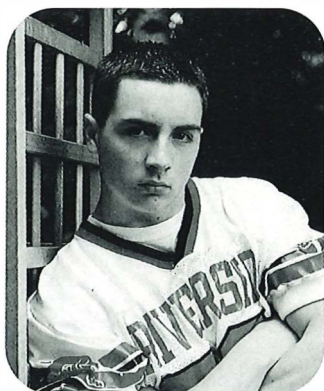
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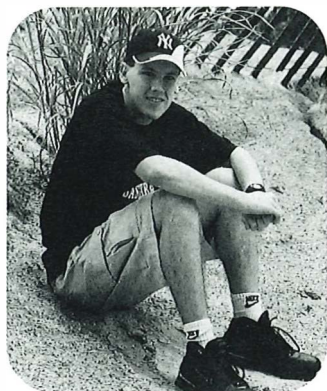
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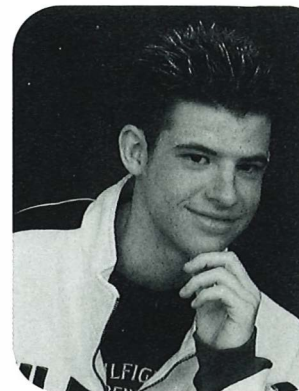
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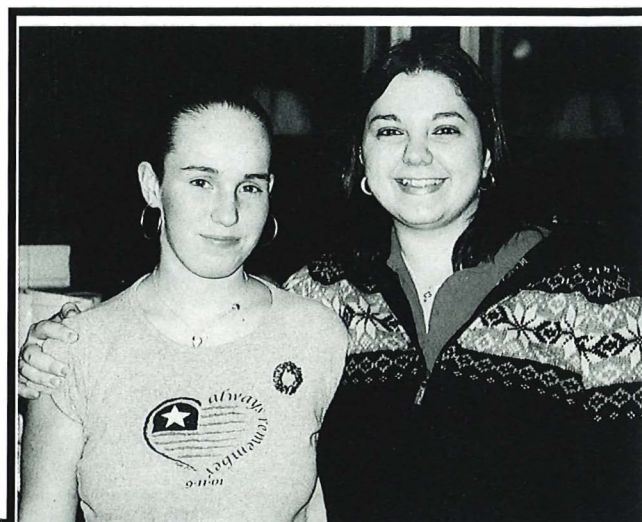
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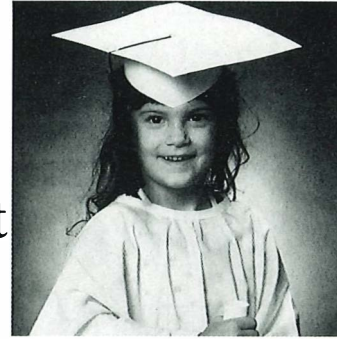
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Love,  
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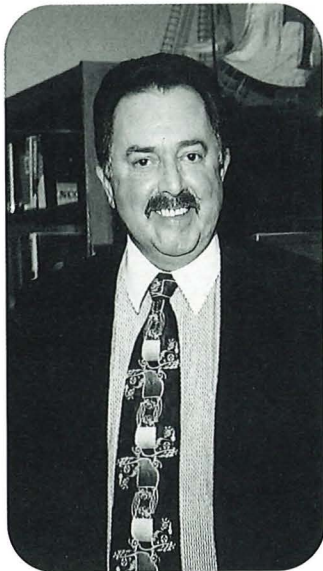
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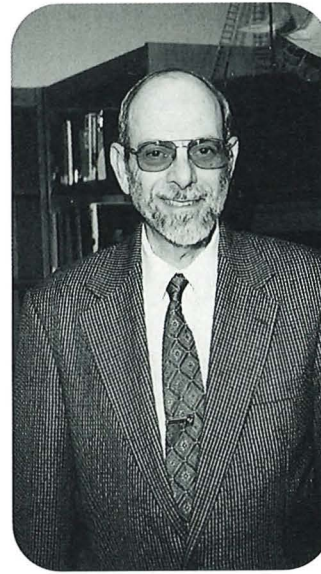


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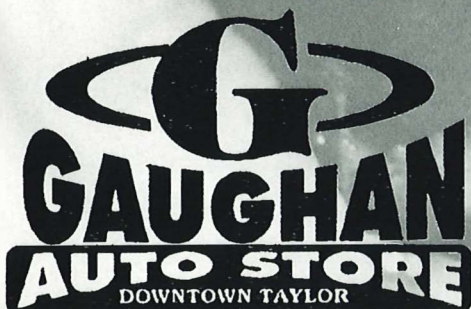
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Love, Mom & Dad

"Bear", Good luck. Have a great time at college  
Love Bozle & Kim



Congratulations Cassie & good luck at College  
Alex & Alyssa

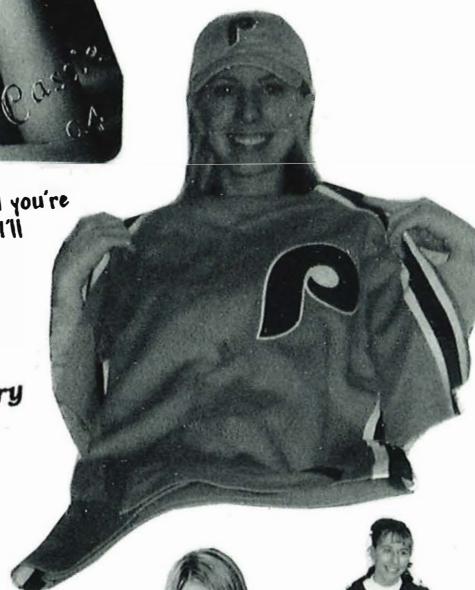
You're going to be a great success.  
Love Uncle Jim & Ali

To "my kid" You've come a long way & you're going far.  
Love Aunt Paula & Uncle Tommy



My little girl, I have turned around and you're  
a young woman going off to college. I'll  
miss you so much. --Love Mom

Way To Go "Reena"  
Love Aunt Kay & Uncle Larry



\* Proud of you CASS  
Love J.T. \*

Best of luck in all that you do.  
Love Mary T.



Good Luck in college  
Love Megan







Linda  
Petrunich



Elaine  
Orzel

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Left to right: Mr. Jack Helcoski, Mr.  
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Mrs. Donna Lisowski



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Keep it down Mr. Kapacs!  
This is a school!



Watch your step!

We're finished!





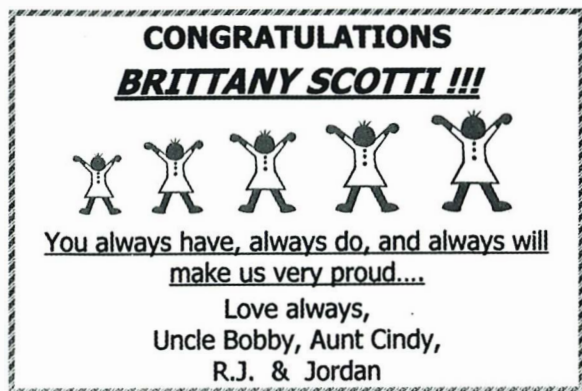


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OF YOU.  
LOVE,  
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&  
BROOKE

Brittany,

Best wishes to the best granddaughter  
in the world. Good luck in future endeavors.

We love you,  
Ama and Apa  
Rudy too!



Brittany,

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you go and whatever you do, don't ever lose  
your faith!

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Best wishes for a successful future. Jerri  
Congratulations! Ruthie  
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Reach for the stars! Love, Your big sis

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*Jenna-*

*Carry the sun inside you,  
And reach out for the dreams that guide you.  
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you where you want to go.  
You have abilities and talents  
And attributes that belong to you alone,  
And you have what it takes to make  
your path of success... lead to happiness.*

*Wishing you all the best  
With All our Love,  
Mom, Dad, Aunt Peggy and  
Christopher*



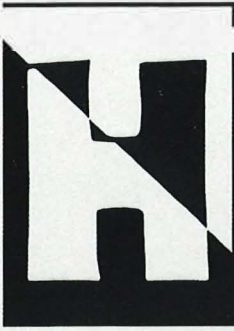
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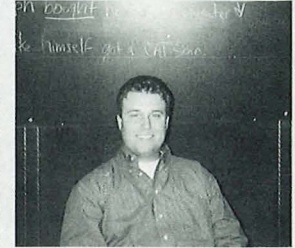
**GOOD LUCK  
IN  
THE FUTURE!**

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&  
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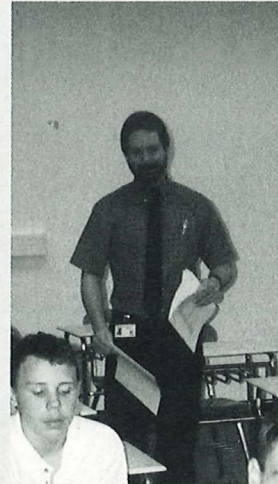
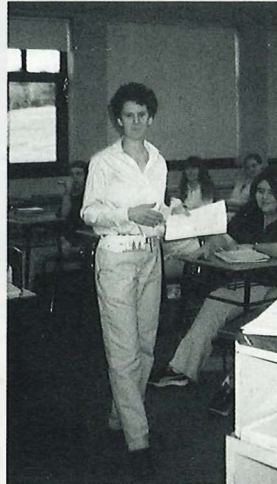




Mr. Cianilli, It's only first period!



Frau, love the belt! Way to show your school spirit!



I can name that tune in 2 notes.



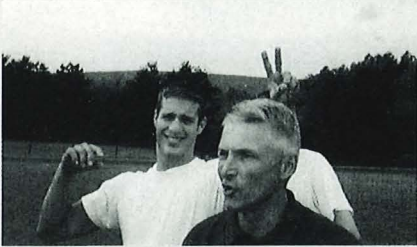
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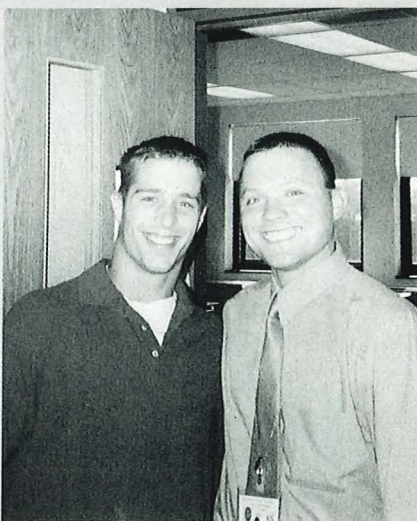
Could this room get any smaller?



# FACULTY



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SAY CHEESE.....



# TEACHERS



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Above: Jaime Trescavage, Kathryn Bekanich, Department Chairperson Linda Ludwikowski, Frances O'Shea, Joseph Ciannilli, JoAnne Corey, Kenneth Bednash, and Heather Mahon

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Marie Hambrick(not available for photo)



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Above: Carol Bauman, Suzanne Brundage

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Left to right: Denis Yanashot and John Kosek



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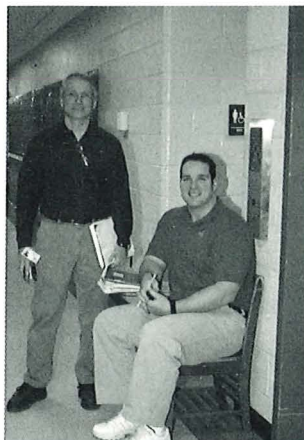
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Sitting:

Richard Gravine

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Phillip Prall



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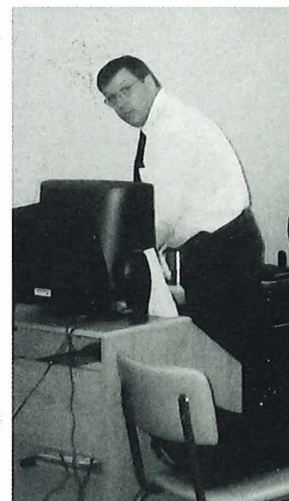
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# ADVERT

## JAMIE PETRUNICH

Congratulations Aunt Jamie, Love Matthew and Lauren  
We're so proud of you. Have fun in college. Love, Tara and Kevin

## KYLE HARCHAR

Follow your dreams. Love, Mom  
So proud of you. Mom, Chris, and Kevin  
Lots of love and success. Kevin  
Aim high and never settle. Chris  
Congratulations. Good luck and success in college and life.  
We couldn't be more proud. Love Dad and Eliz

## LIZA SPECK

Congratulations. Love Nicole  
Good luck in the future. Rob  
Best of luck. Love Bob and Betty  
Good luck. Love, Grandpa Speck  
Congrats and Good luck. Liszewski family  
Congratulations!!! Love, Aunt Nancy  
Good luck in the future. Uncle Archie  
Good luck. Brian, Justin, and Ashley  
Best of luck-with love, G& G Brazen  
Wishing you success in the future. Love Jay

## TANYA WILBUR

You'll always be our tulip. We luv ya. The Jones'  
Success and happiness. Love Aunt Jackie and Uncle Bobby  
Good luck in the future. Love Danny  
Lots of luck in the future. Love, Uncle Steve  
Good luck on whatever road u choose. Carolee Searfoss  
Good luck. Mary,Cass

## BRIAN FAUVER

Congrats. Love Joann and John  
Great job. Love, Mom and Dad  
Congratulations. Love Jim, Colleen, and kids  
Good luck. John and Jeff  
Good luck. Gramma Irene  
Good luck. Love Stan, Jan, SJ, and Paul  
Way to go. Love, Aunt Sharon

## MARISSA SEMIAN

We are very proud of you and all of your accomplishments.  
Love Mom and Dad  
Congratulations and best of luck in college. Love Grandma  
Haduck and Grandma Semian and Poppy  
Best wishes to a great sister. Love Amanda, Stephanie, and Shelby

## DANIELLE WALTER

Go mbeannai Dia thu, Danielle. God Bless you and keep the faith. Love, Ms. O'Shea  
Best of Luck Class of 2004. Frau Mahon

## CANDACE BLASKO

Best of luck Luv ya Love Aunt Binny  
So proud of you. God Bless. Gram  
Best of luck. Love The Kolesar's  
Congratulations. Love The Fuller's  
We love you, and are so proud of you. Love Mom and Dad

## KIMBERLY BANICK

Congratulations. We are so proud of you. Love Mom and Dad

## MIKE DUNKAILO

Good luck! Grandma  
Follow your dreams. Love Mom  
Good luck. Ron and Helen Kuhn  
Good luck. Ricky  
Go for it! Love, Dad  
Congratulations. Granny  
Best wishes. Pat and Lolly  
Congratulations. Maria  
Best wishes in all you do. Elaine  
Follow your heart. Harry Z.  
Good luck. The Zumbach family  
Best wishes Class of '04. The Dunkailo's

## DAN LISZEWSKI

Congratulations. From Nicole  
Good luck in the future. Rob  
Best of luck. From Bob and Betty  
Congratulations. Love Grandpa  
Congratulations. The Williams Family  
Good luck and God bless. The Williams  
Good luck in the future. Mom, Dad, and April  
Congratulations and good luck. The Eibes Family  
Good Luck and God bless. The Lynch's

## BRITTANY SCOTTI

Ah would be proud. Love Mom  
Lots of luck Heather. Uncle Donny  
Best wishes Heather. Aunt Leanne

## LYNZEE CHELLAND

Good luck in all you may do. See you in Miami. Love Aunt Pat and Uncle Gaeton  
I have never been so proud of anything as I am of you. You can do anything you set your mind to. I'll always be by your side, and you are always in my heart. Love you very much, Mom.  
Congratulations and great success in all you intend to do. And remember Miami. Love Aunt Cathy  
Good luck in all your future plans. I know you will do well in whatever you choose to do. God Bless You. I'm proud of you. Love, Grandma Chelland

## KAITLYN KUCHINSKI

Good luck Class of 2004! Elaine Orzel



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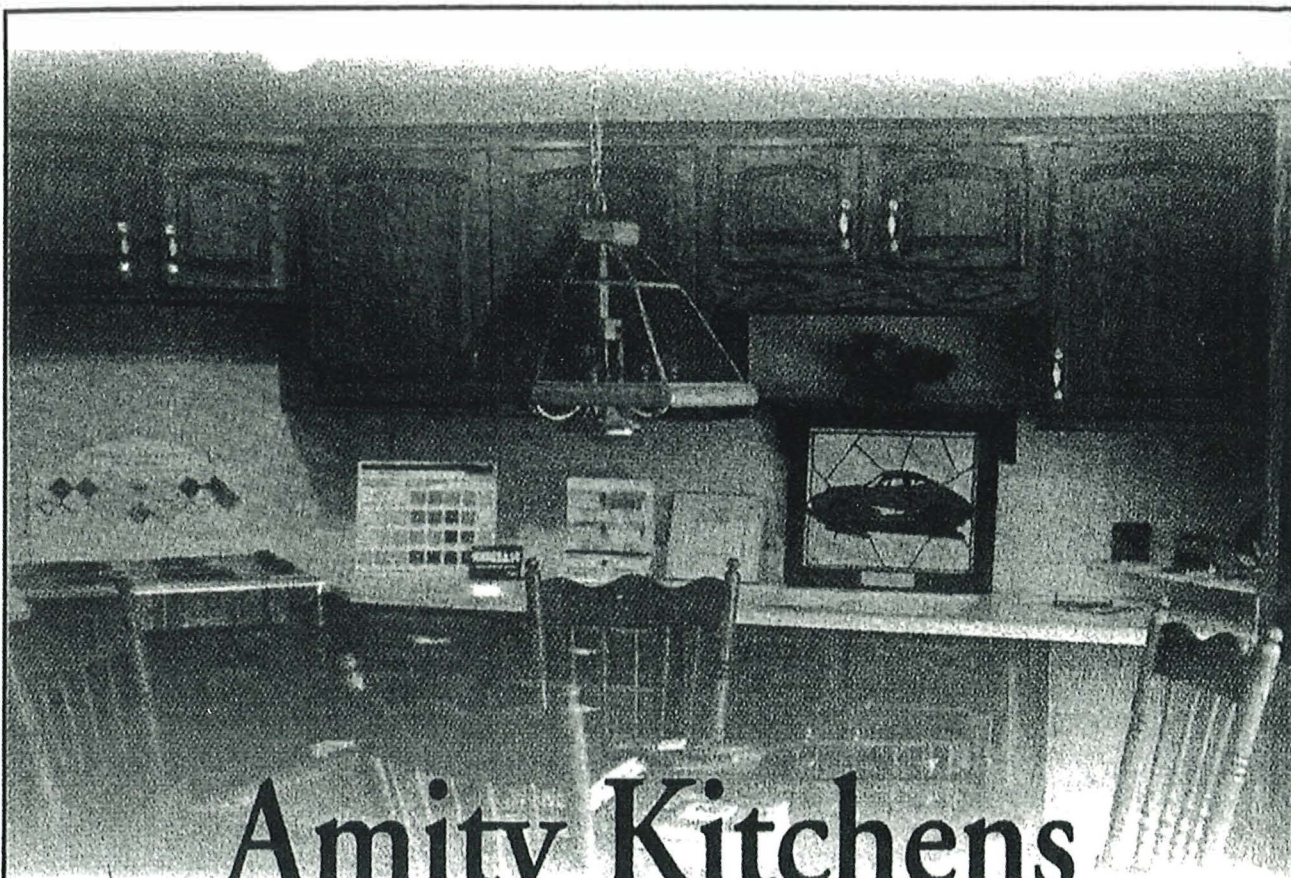
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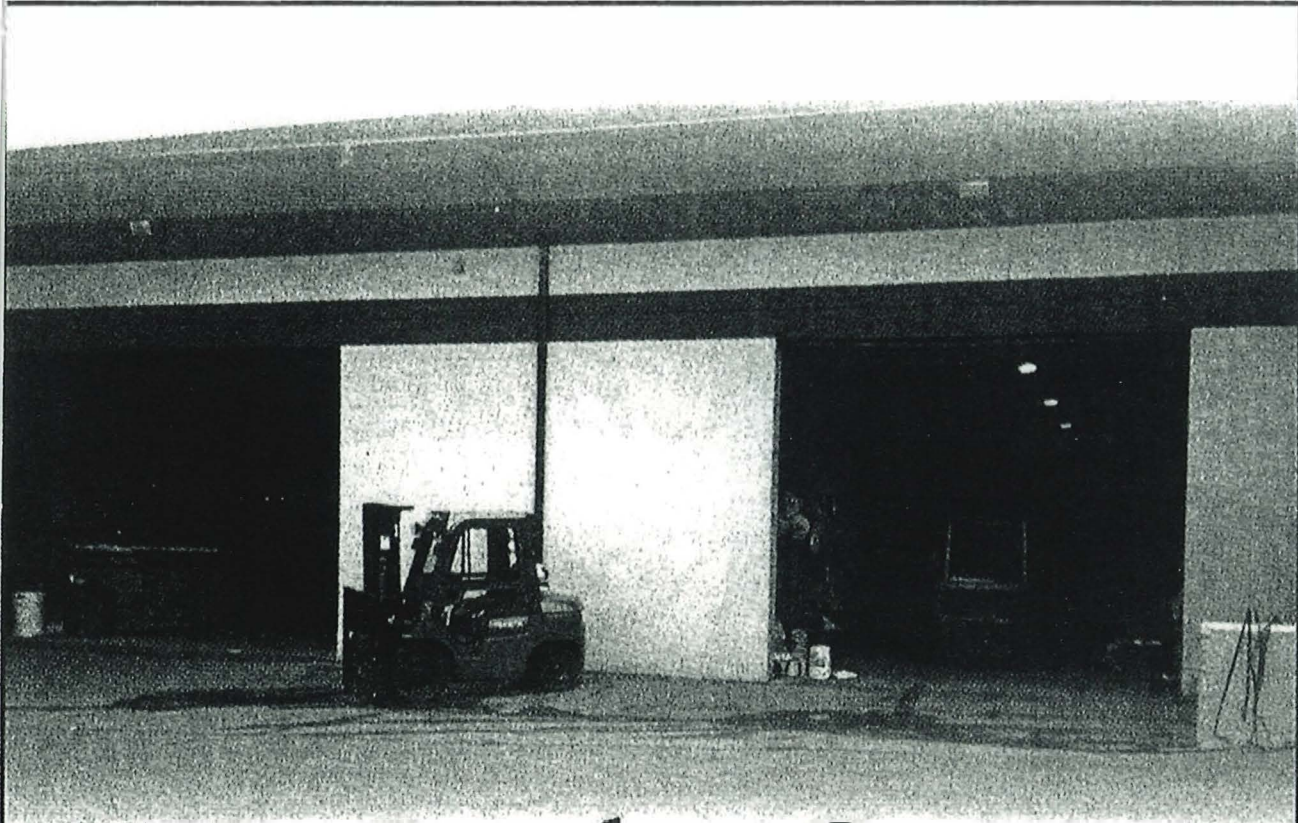
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Love,  
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Your mother would be proud of you on your graduation day.



Congratulations and good luck! We wish you the best in the future and all that you do.

Love your brothers  
Warren & Matt

CONGRATULATIONS MIKE!

SO PROUD OF THE MAN YOU

HAVE BECOME. YOU HAVE

BROUGHT GREAT JOY TO

US. BEST OF LUCK AND SUCCESS

IN YOUR FUTURE.

LOVE,

MOM, DAD & MATTHEW

Tanya,

Through the years from when you were an infant you did everything fast, you walked, talked and matured fast. How the years have flown. You are now an adult graduating from high school, you can slow down now and enjoy life. We wish you the best in the years to come and good luck in all your endeavors. You are very special to us.

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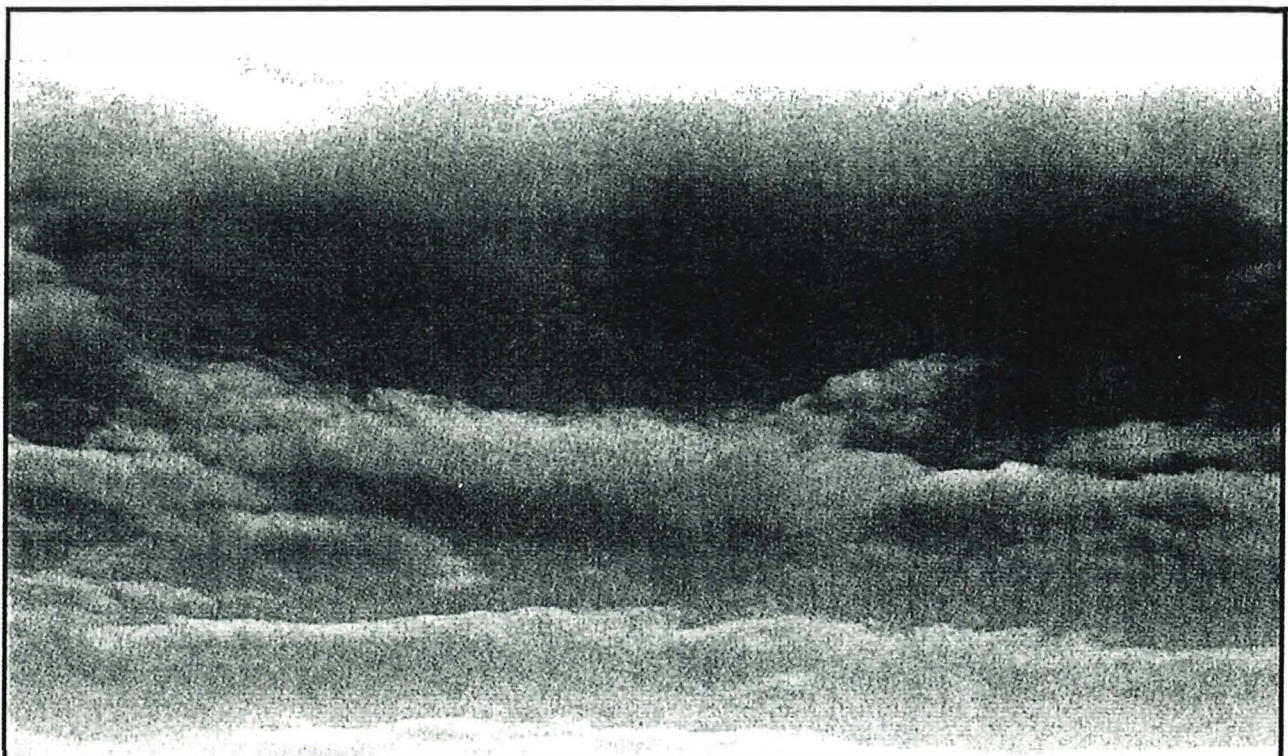
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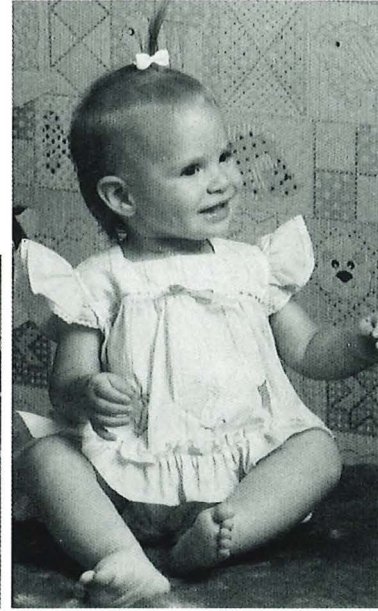
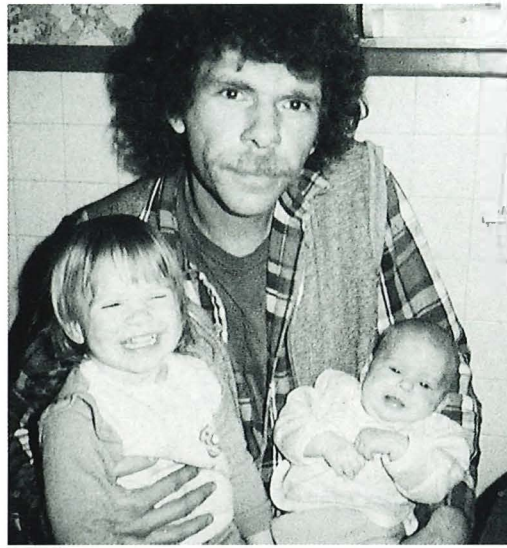
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YOU AND ALL OF YOUR  
ACCOMPLISHMENTS. MAY  
YOUR FUTURE BE FILLED  
WITH HAPPINESS AND  
SUCCESS.

LOVE,  
MOM, DAD & TODD

JERRY  
CONGRATULATIONS ON YOUR  
ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS.  
WE ARE VERY PROUD.  
ALL THAT YOU WISH.

LOVE,  
MOM & DAD

CONGRATULATIONS  
JERRY!  
WE WISH YOU MUCH  
SUCCESS.

LOVE,  
CHRISSY, MIKE, LAUREN &  
PAIGE

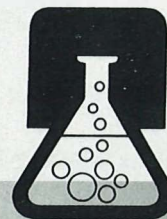
TO OUR MIKEY,  
SO PROUD OF YOU AND ALL OF  
YOU HAVE ACCOMPLISHED,  
REACH FOR THE STARS.  
GOOD LUCK!

LOVE,  
GRAM  
&  
UNCLE CRAIG





# SCIENCE CLUB

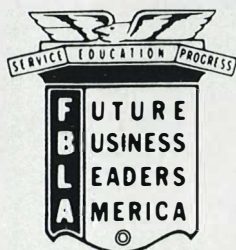


The Science Club of Riverside Jr-Sr. High School is under the direction of Mrs. Paula Bartkovsky. Many dedicated student body members are involved to help better the community of the students. The Science Club is involved in Adopt-A-Highway along Keyser Avenue in Taylor. The club members volunteer their time once in the summer and once again during the school year to clean our environment.



Future Business Leaders of America is a non profit association of students preparing for careers in business. The FBLA mission is to bring business and education together in a positive working relationship through innovative leadership and career development programs. Riverside's FBLA club is a wonderful resource for those students who are planning careers in business. Planned activities include field trips to Scranton Times Radio Station and Scranton Times Newspaper. Also, FBLA will compete at Wilkes University's Entrepreneur competition this spring.

## FBLA



Club Officers 2003-2004  
President: Jason Sensi  
VP: Michele Wieckowski  
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Secretary: Ashlee Thomas



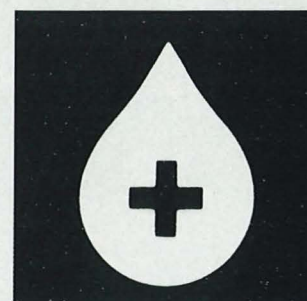


# CLUBS

## *STUDENT COUNCIL*



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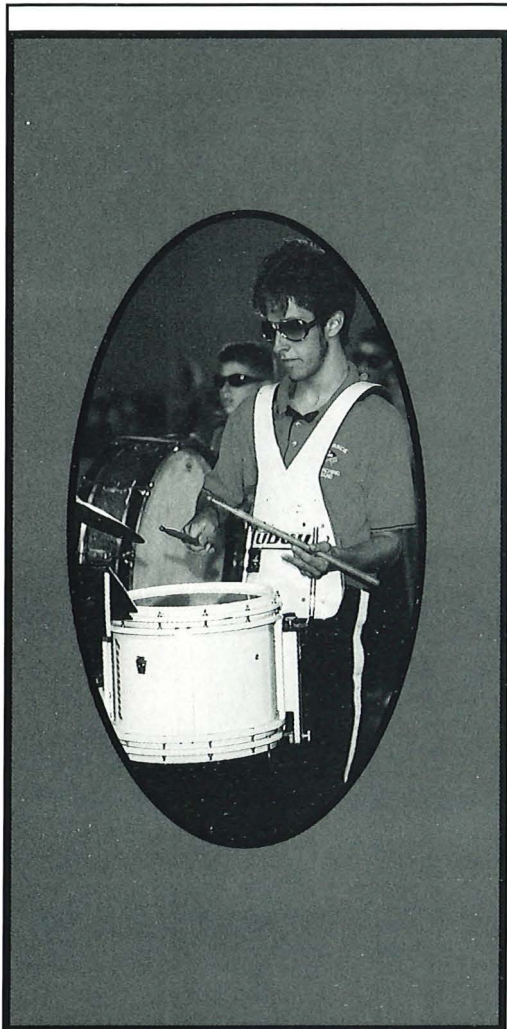








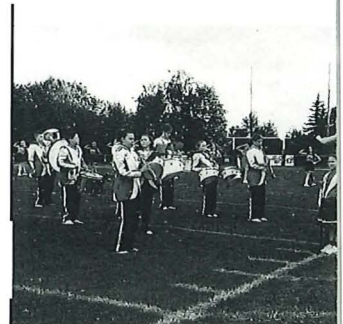
# *BAND*



And the beat goes on...

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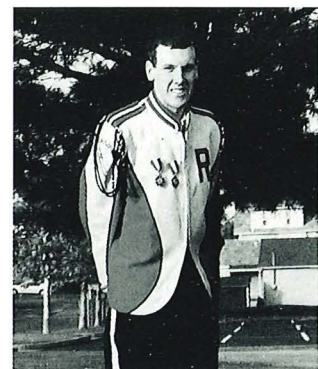
Strike up the  
band!





Mr. Geiss is way to happy!

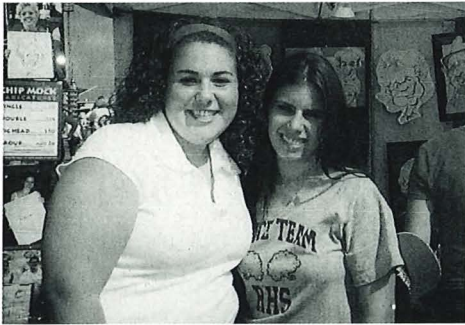
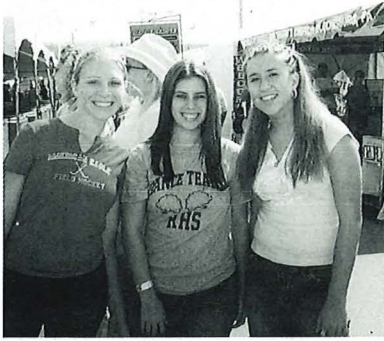
Nice shades!



Members of the  
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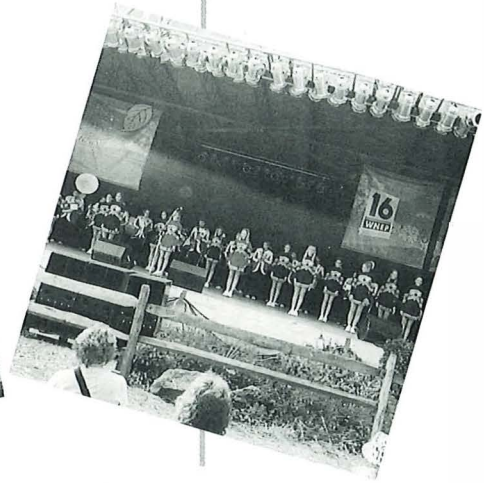
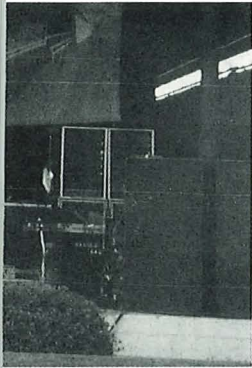
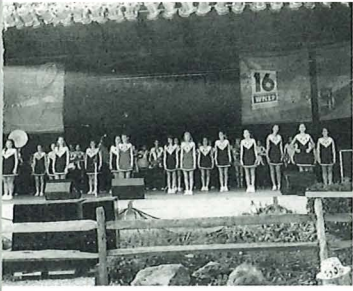
Standing (left to right): R.J. Longo, James Armillay, Amanda Tremko, Kristen Bracey, Kalli Snodgrass, Tara Rhodes, Colleen Heckman, Carolyn Moskwa, Adam Turoni, Nicole Maldonato, Lydsey Peters, John Souder, Bret Lane, Jacob Jones  
Kneeling: Tom Woody, Bryan Fauver, Sara Heckman, Bill Lewis, Sara Snodgrass  
Sitting: Little Helper







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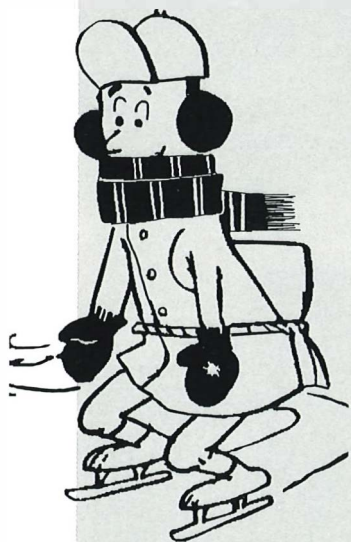




# SKI CLUB



Jay Racavich Christine Johnston  
 Brian Favre Amanda Sopko  
 Cody Shield Holly Davis  
 Scott Gavin Eddie Grambo  
 Brian Koytek Brandon Wigley  
 Mike Gawel Lynzee Chelland  
 Matt Micciche Jason Hurley  
 Mike Dunkailo Phil Haberick  
 Frank Johnson Ashley Onofrey  
 Nate Trolio Amber Loiselle  
 Nick Alexander Sarah Banick  
 Kevin O'Hop Kristin Scaturro  
 Jay Colarusso Julianna Strok  
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 Chris Souter  
 Justin Colarusso  
 Chellsie Heil  
 Dominique Juliano



# TATU



Left to right: Alicia D'Angelo, Tara Roades, Jimmy Glogowski, and Nicol Lemoncelli



"Every one cigarette is seven - eleven minutes off your life"

The advisor for Teens Against Tobacco Use is School Nurse Mrs. Doris Pliss. She coordinated many activities together this year including an information table held on parent/teacher conference night. The table was also displayed during all lunch periods on the "Great American Smoke Out Day."

The president for the 2003-2004 school year was Kim Glogowski. She, along with other members, attended a Smoke Resistance Program at the Clarion Hotel in November, where they obtained information on creating a Health Clinic in the spring.

The members also plan to hold a relay race to raise money for cancer research. It will be held in honor of Mrs. Nancy Hordich.



# ASTRONOMY CLUB



Riverside's Astronomy Club is one of the larger clubs in the school, averaging approximately 15 members each year. It is open to all grade levels.

Club members learn about astronomy through a combination of classes held during 10th period, and observing sessions at night in the observatory. Each school year is ended with a trip to a major science museum.







Bob only wishes he knew  
what we were laughing at!



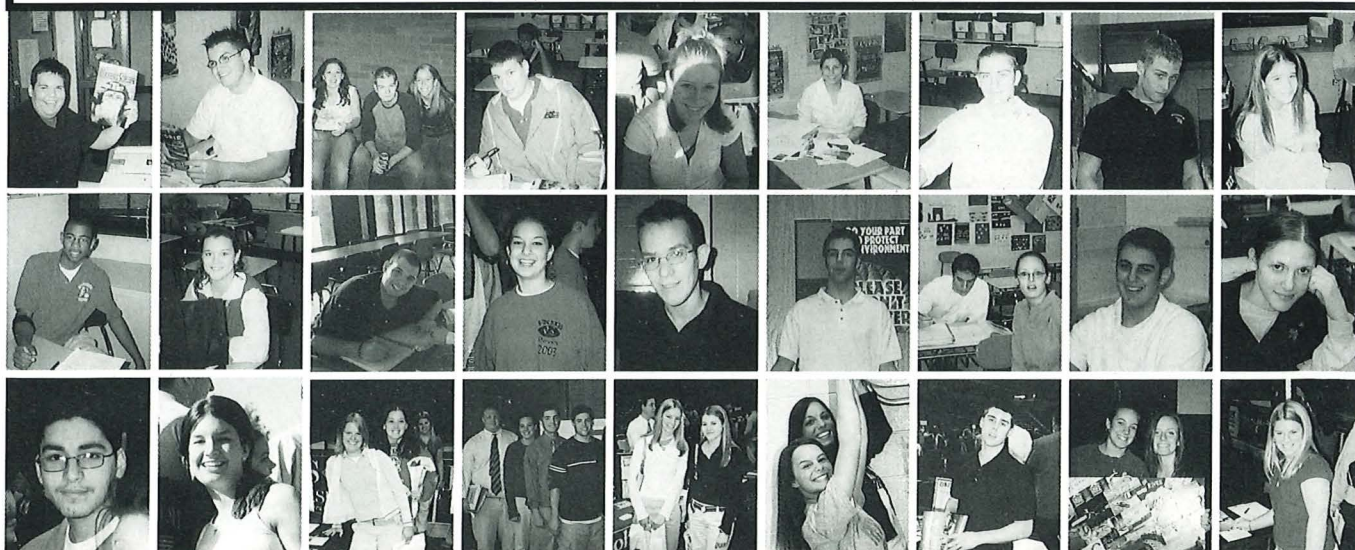
And you thought I wouldn't  
make it!



What are you looking at?



How cute are we?





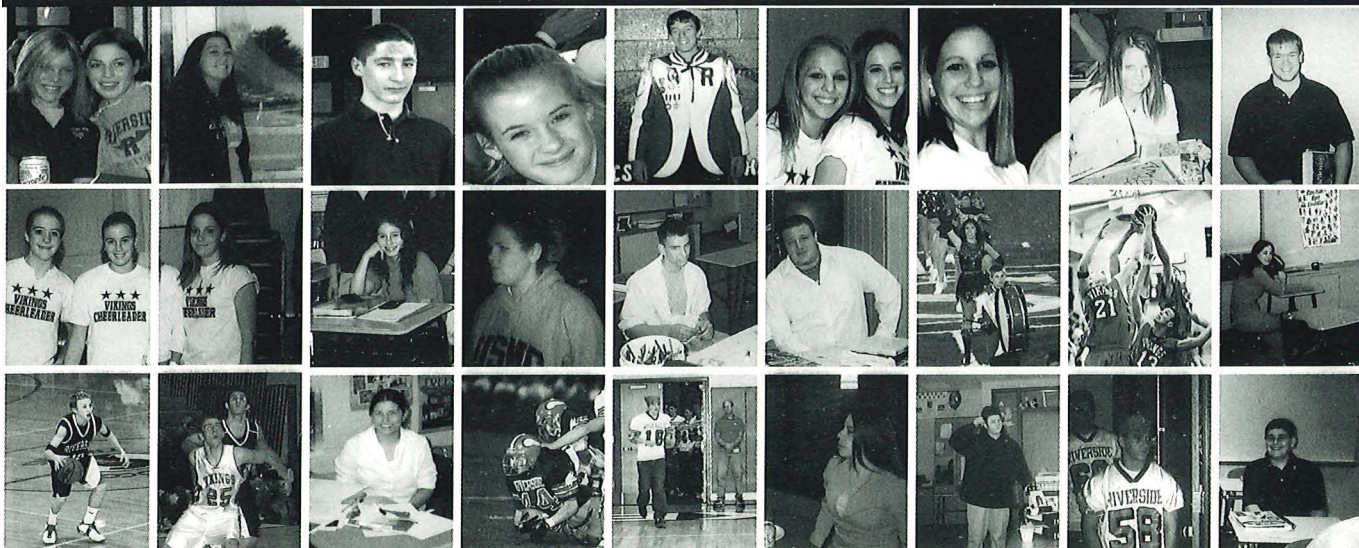
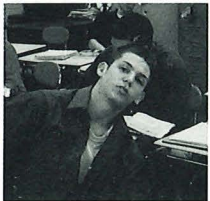
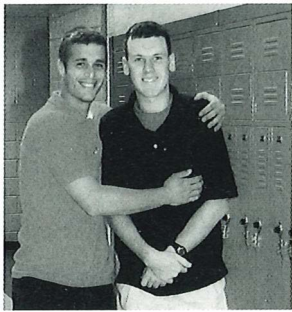


Senior cuties!

How do I look?

CHEESE!

The food in the cafe is great!







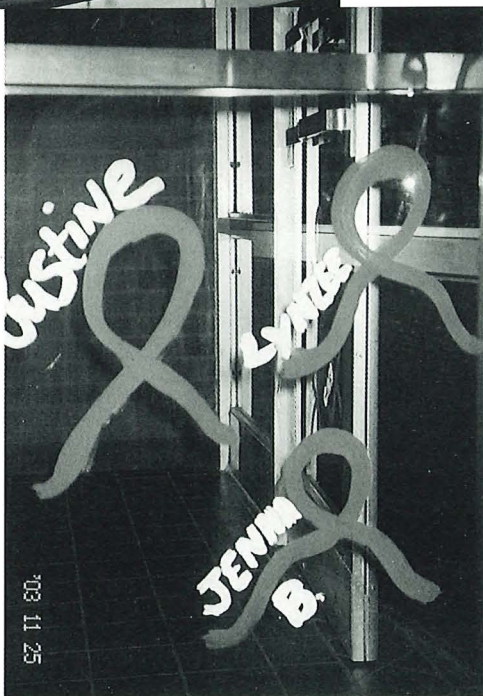
Members of the 2003-2004 S.A.D.D. Club







S.A.D.D. Officers  
 Lynzee Chelland- President  
 Kim Glogowski-Vice-President  
 Justine Fauver-Secretary  
 Mallory Brunetti-Treasurer



This 2003-2004 school year, S.A.D.D. is hoping to have a productive year in getting the point across to be careful during the Holiday and Prom seasons. This Holiday season, S.A.D.D. painted the front doors of our high school as a reminder to make healthy decisions. This Prom season, S.A.D.D. painted their member's faces white, to show another person was killed by a drunk driver. S.A.D.D. also held a mock accident in our parking lot to show the students the effect of a drunk driving accident.





Nicole VanLouvender, Allison Ambrose, Brian Micciche, Colette Guzik, and Katie Tempaugh



## ***PENN STATE SCHOLARS***





# TOP HONORS

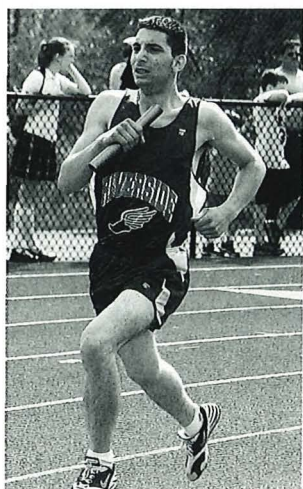
The academic top four of the  
Class of 2004 (left to right):

**Jason Sensi-Salutatorian**

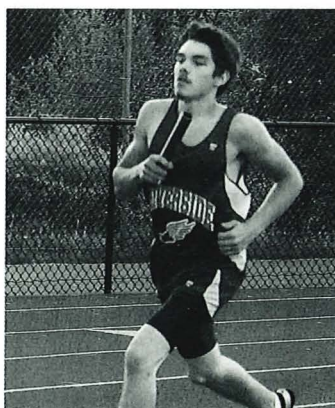
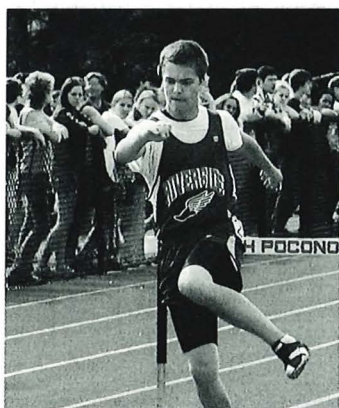
**Jenna Bergamino-Third Honors**

**Melissa Kollinige-Fourth Honors**

**Kyle Harchar- Valedictorian**



TAKE A GLIMPSE AT  
SOME OF OUR  
FINEST...



## TRACK AND FIELD DISTRICTS



The Track and Field Districts were held at North Pocono on May 18, 2004. Bryan Fauver finished his high school career by not only winning two medals, but also, by establishing two new school records in the 3200 with a time of 10:13 and the 4x8 team, along with relay members of Dom Lombardi, Matt Lane, and Dustin Publik. Melissa Kollinige also stepped out of her high school career in style by winning a medal in the shot put. Congratulations to all team members on an excellent season!



# NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

The National Honor Society is a student lead organization that represents leadership, scholarship, character, and service. This year, 2004, will be the 41st year of the Riverside Chapter. The current officers are: Kaitlyn Kuchinski, president; Brian Micciche, president-elect; Marissa Semian, vice-president; Melissa Kollonige, treasurer; Lynzee Chelland, recording secretary; and Marissa Chisdock, corresponding secretary.

The role of the National Honor Society is to serve the community through volunteer projects. This year, for example, we participated in “Feed a Friend” and “Letters to Santa”.

The National Honor Society will continue to carry on its tradition by inducting new members who can achieve a 91 average each year. The Riverside Chapter ends its year in the Spring months by holding an induction ceremony to welcome those new members. We, as a society, hope to achieve our goal in excelling both as a group and as individuals in the future.

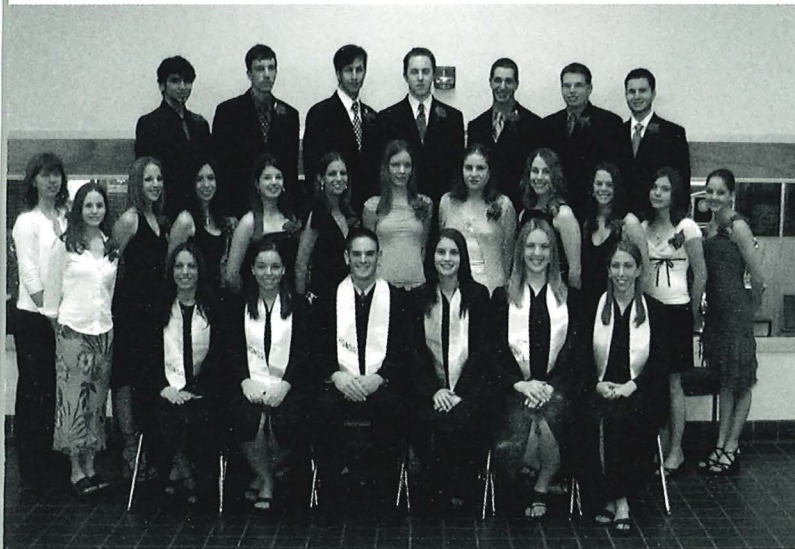


Brian Micciche, President -  
Elect and Marissa  
Chisdock, Corresponding  
Secretary

Kaitlyn Kuchinski,  
President







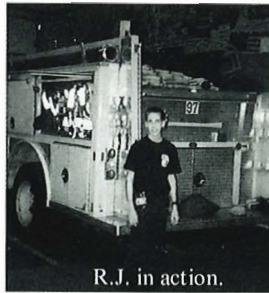




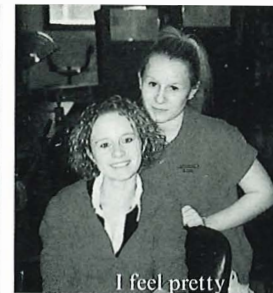
Days like this I'm glad I'm a dog...



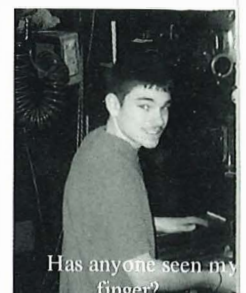
I'm good at lookin under the hood.



R.J. in action.



I feel pretty



Has anyone seen my finger?



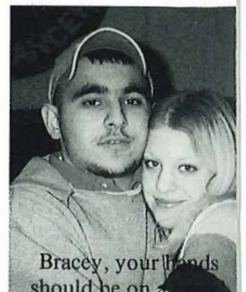
WHA



Help me, I have some oil on my chin.



The people on the bus look very bored, very bored, very bored...



Bracey, your hands should be on a



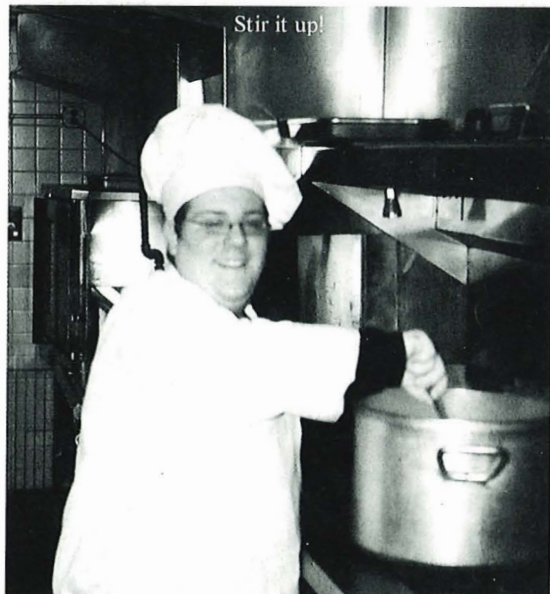
Any way you add it up, Megan matters!



wasn't ready for that picture!



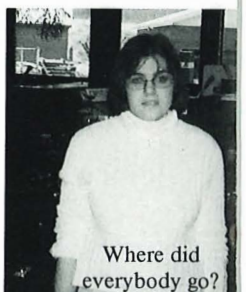
Are we having fun yet?



Stir it up!



Peek a boo!



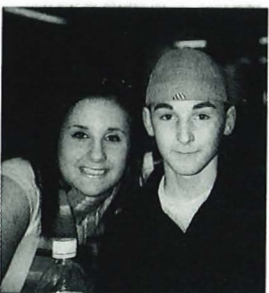
Where did everybody go?



I did the Dew!



If we don't look good, you don't look good.



Fletcher and the ladies.



YUM!! Burritos again.



Look busy! They're taking another picture...

# VO-TECH





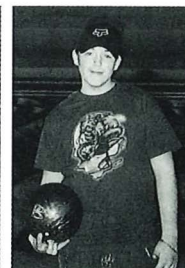
# CHORUS

This year's chorus wasn't as big as it usually is; however, the 18 members were able to carry on just beautifully. Under the direction of Mr. Geise, members of the chorus traveled to the Nursing Homes found in Old Forge, Taylor, and Scranton around Christmastime. It's a happy time of year for everyone involved. Finally, the chorus participates in the Spring Fling, usually held every May.



# BOWLING

Members of this year's bowling team include Tom Woody, Joe Howey, Wally Kubilus, and J.J. Bianca. Every Tuesday they travel to South Side Bowling Lanes to compete against various schools, including Scranton, Dunmore, Bishop Hannan, Bishop O'Hara, Scranton Prep, and West Scranton. The players with the highest averages participate in weekly tournaments and get recognition for doing so. Mrs. Howey is in charge of the 2003-2004 team.



In an interview with Mr. Yanashot, he stated "The Art Club is a great deal to experience. Every school should have an Art Club. Its very nice to go on the trips to different cities and states to see professional art. The arts help students in every other subject they are taking. Also, art helps develop the brain in creativity. The public in general should pay more attention to art because its vital to the education of students. Where would we be without art?"



# ART CLUB

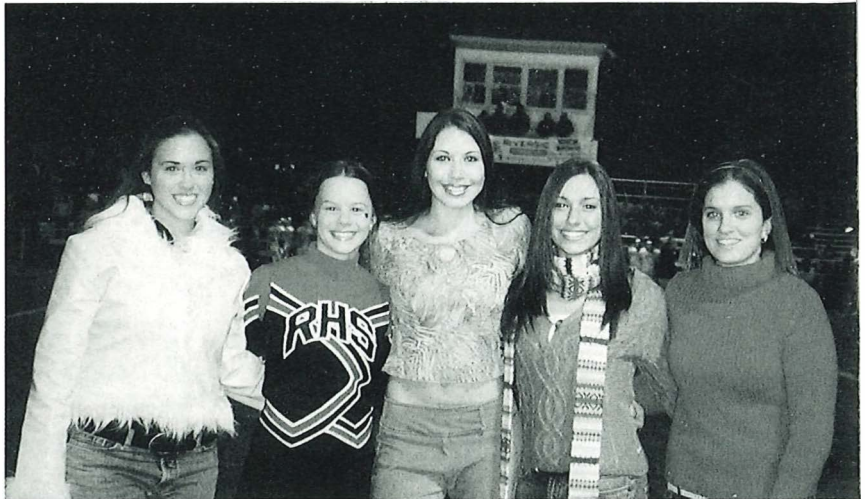
Mr. Kosek: "It's a nice opportunity to have the art club because some students can't take it in classes. He also said every year they go on trips and its a very nice time and very interesting for the students because they get to see art up close. Students learn more viewing art up close rather than looking at a picture. It's similar to someone else telling you a story. It's not exciting looking at pictures, you have to be there and feel the moment yourself. A picture means more to you if you share the experience. Then, you are feeling the wonderful experience of art education."



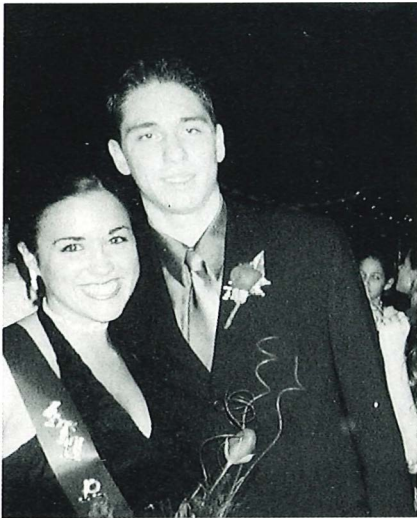
# HOMECOMING



2002 Homecoming King and Queen:  
Randy Harris and Ashley Wzorek



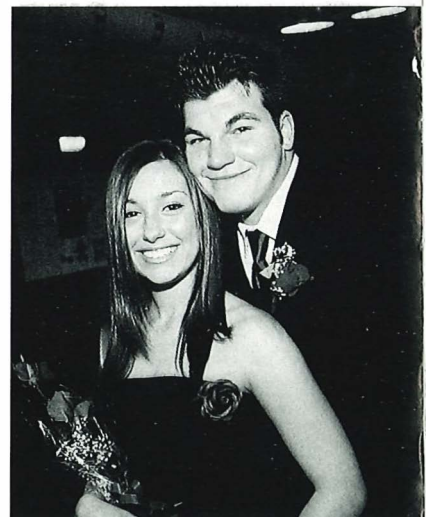
2003 Homecoming Court (left to right):  
Maria Gaidula, Chrissy Johnston, Michelle Bixby, Brooke Berkosky, and Nikki Turoni



4th Princess: Maria Gaidula escorted by  
Brandon Wilson



3rd Princess: Michelle Bixby escorted by  
Rory Colarossi



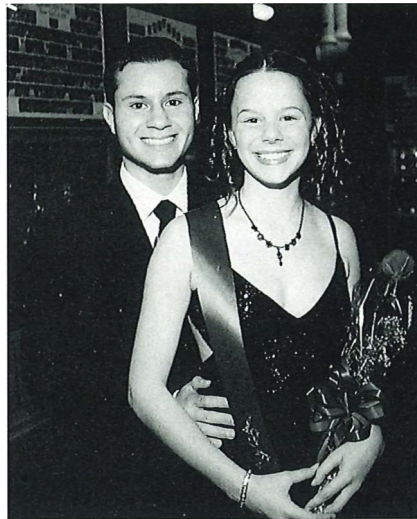
2nd Princess: Brooke Berkosky escorted by  
Tyler Calvey



# From Ashley to Nikki...



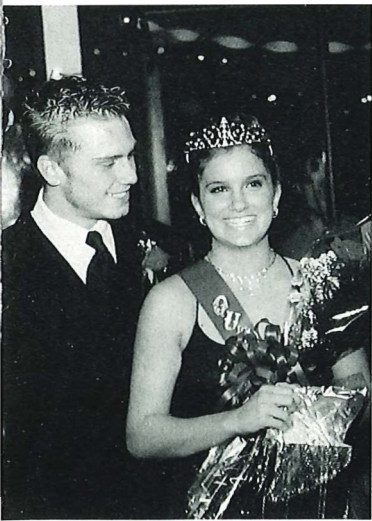
There are two princesses remaining...  
Nikki Turoni and Chrissy Johnston



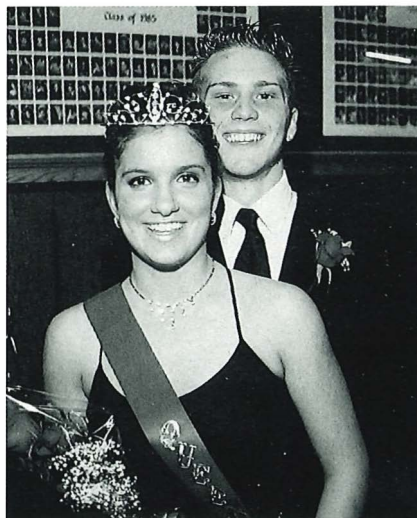
1st Princess: Chrissy Johnston escorted by  
Jason Sensi



2002 Homecoming Queen Ashley Wzorek  
crowns Nikki Turoni as the 2003  
Homecoming Queen



Look at Nikki show off that winning smile!



2003 Homecoming Queen Nikki Turoni  
was escorted by Mike Stalbird



Past and Present... Nikki and Ashley  
enjoying their moment of fame



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# ACTIVITIES

*THE TIME HAS COME...*

*TO SAY GOODBYE!*





Thomas' Theater was located on the north side of the 100 block of Union Street from 1904 to 1968. It was torn down to make a parking lot. It was once a "nickellette" which was a movie theater that cost a nickel to see the movie. It has been said that President Howard Taft (1909-1913) made a campaign speech in the movie theater. It was common that the owner would escort unruly patrons out by their ear. The movie theater was for sale in 1968.

The Moffat Coal Breaker, used to "break" coal into smaller pieces, was a major industry in our area from the middle 1800's to the middle 1900's.

Many of our ancestors came to the United States for a better life and to be able to have a job and raise a family. Many of these people came to Taylor and surrounding towns to work in the coal mines. During the heyday of the mining industry, child labor was a major factor. Many children at age 10 quit school and went to the mines as "nippers" or "breaker boys".

The Washington Elementary School was also built in the early 1900's. It was located on the south side of Grove Street. The wall and iron fence still remain around the site. The trees remain from the original days of the school. This school, like the Roosevelt, was torn down in the 1970's.

The schoolyard was paved and used quite often by neighborhood children on evenings and weekends for kickball games, tag, bike riding, hop scotch, touch football games and jumping rope.

In these times, there were no cafeterias in the schools. Some students would walk home to have lunch, because of the location of the school, and some would bring their lunch and eat it in the schoolyard. On cold or inclement days, everyone would eat their lunch in the classrooms.

Now, in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century, all students of Riverside High School can be seen eating in the cafeteria. Their privileges of eating outside or off the premises no longer exist. The school has also changed their policy on

appropriate attire. Beginning at the start of the 2003-2004 school year, a dress code policy was put into effect for all students in the Riverside School District, including the high school.

The students aren't the only ones with a new look, however. The high school and elementary east buildings continue to receive renovations. At the high school, the new gymnasium was finished this year.

The borough and the school district have made a lot of memories throughout the years. From the classes, the games, and bus rides to school, from lunch in the cafeteria, daily announcements, and three minutes in the hall, to class day, class night, and graduation on stage, alumni of Riverside will always be "Vikings" forever.

For the graduates of the class of 2004, these will be some of the memories to last a lifetime.

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