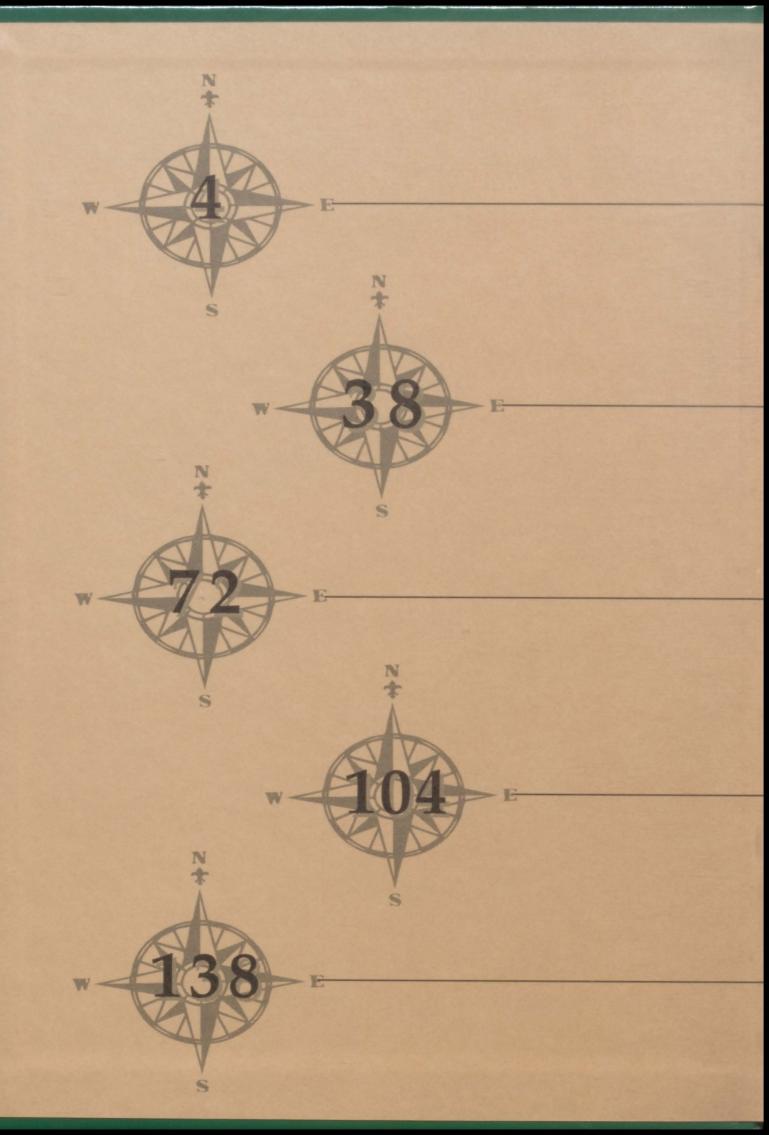


Two roads diverged in a wood, and JJ took the one
less traveled by,
And that has made
all the difference.
Robert Frost

The Road Less Traveled



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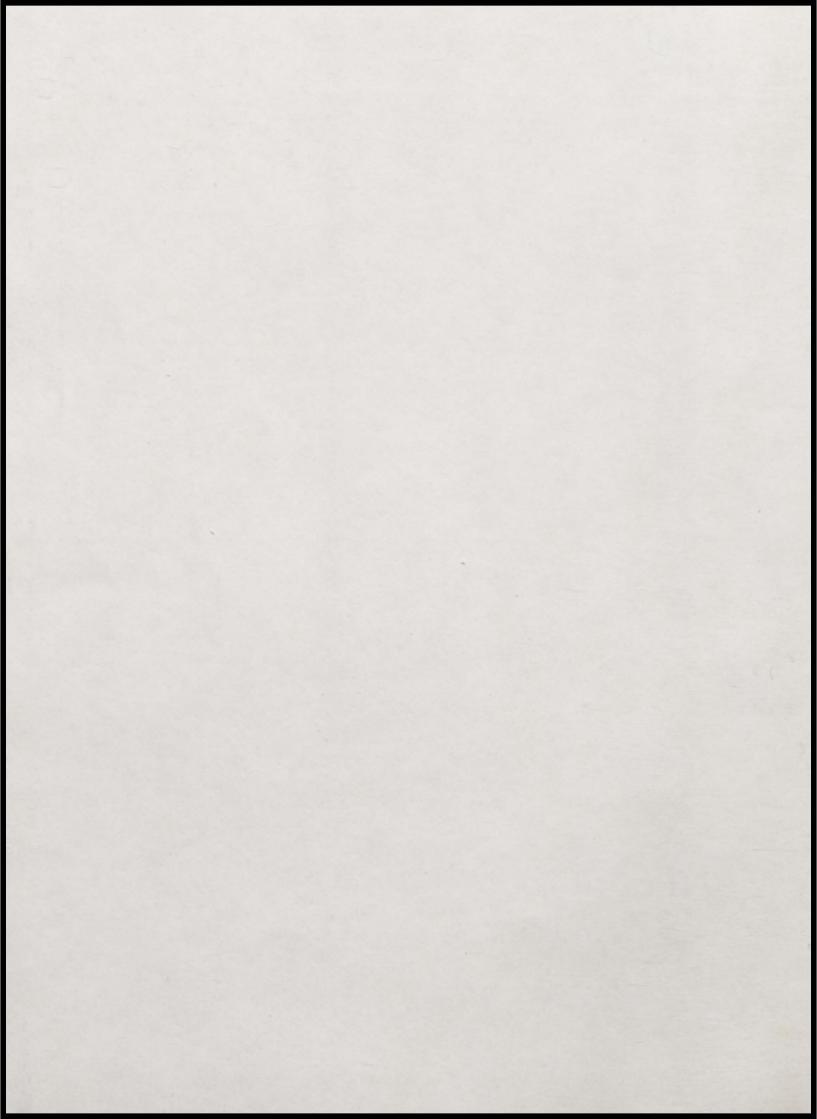
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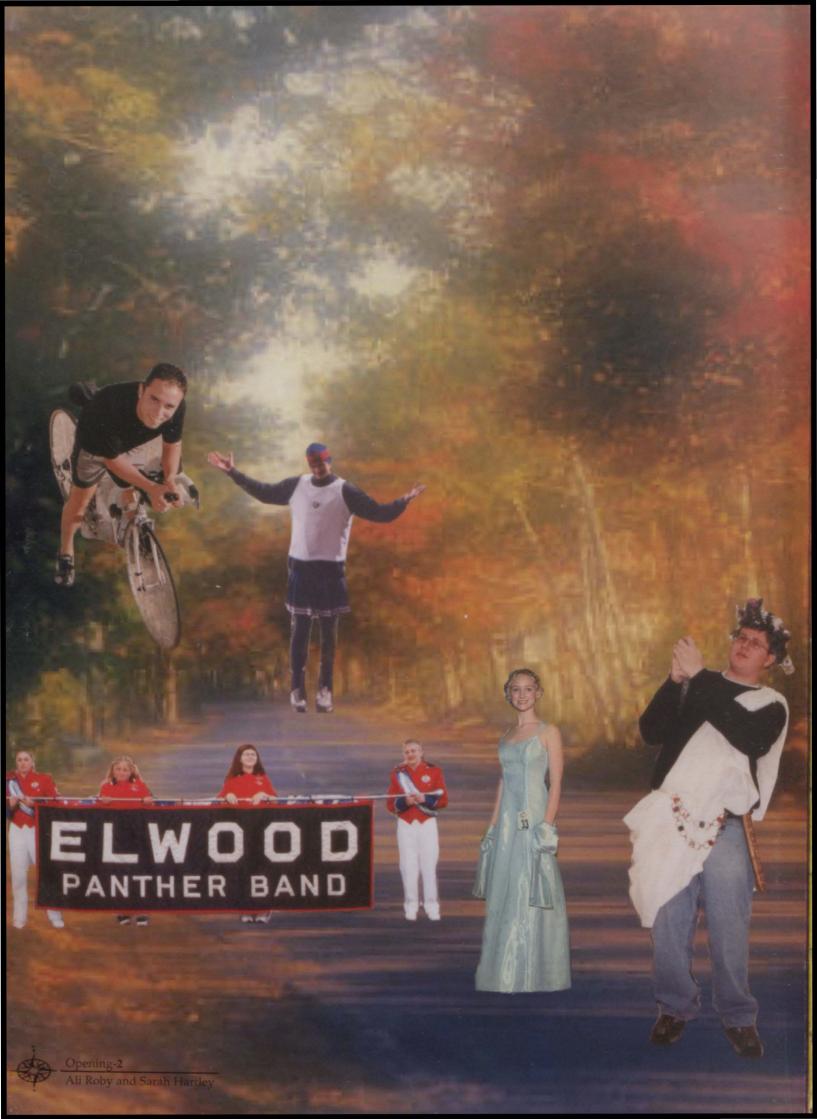
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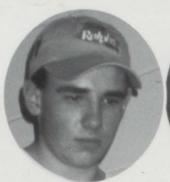
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Off the Beaten Path



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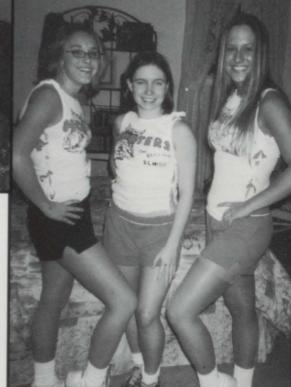
Alicia Stout



Todd Bragg



During halftime of the homecoming football game against Frankton, Ashley Cubel was crowned homecoming queen for 2001-2002. Her sister Brittany is dressed up in Panther apparel to show support for the team and for her sister. Photo by Darren Paquin



During Christmas break Ashley Moser, Sarah Hartley, and Megan Church design Elwood "Hooters" shirts. The three girls dressed up as Hooter girls and made dinner to serve to a few special guys. Photo pro-

During the Christmas season the Elwood High School show choir was invited to perform at the Arts Garden at Circle Center. For three weeks various schools performed every fifteen minutes for the holiday shoppers. Photo provided





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On January 11 at the Elwood game the crowd aggressively cheers for the boys basketball team. While the team keeps raking up the points against Alexandria, Erin McDaniel, Allison Roby, Ashley Frye, Kristin Worsley, Justin Sherman, Adam Johnson, Brittany Cubel, Kacie Graham, Cheyenne Davidson, and Christopher Phenis enhance Panther spirit by cheering for the team as they win. Photo by Darren Paquin



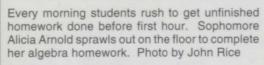
Halloween brings out the creativeness of students. Dressed up in everything from witches and wizards to cowboys and Indians are Megan Majors, Megan Hovious, Ashley Cubel, Jennifer Ashby, Kara Horseman, Melissa Marsh, Michelle Quiring, Helen Day and Katie O'Neal who spook other students with their costumes. Photo by Darren Paquin

Brandon Stacy, Steven Moll, Joshua Pavese, Michael Prieshoff, and Matthew Ashby are members of the band "6" From Fame". They have been together for three months, and they play ska punk and alternative music. Josh is the lead singer; Brandon plays drums. Matt and Michael play the electric guitar, and Steve plays the bass guitar. Photo by Allison Roby







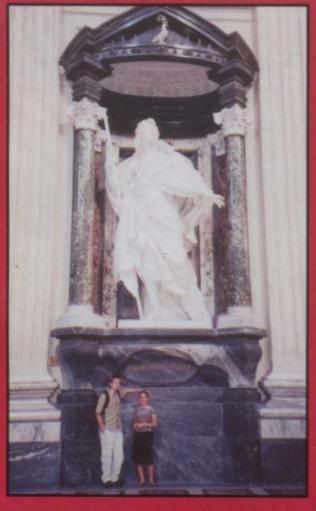


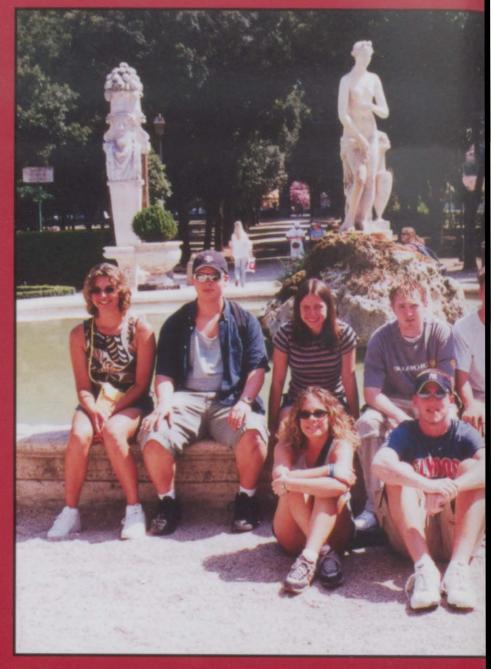
Mrs. Barbara Yates collects money and stamps Jeremy Cole and Ashlee Daleure as they enter a student council sponsored dance. Photo by John Rice On September 24 at the annual powderpuff game, trying to get a better view by climbing onto Gregory Boyland's back, Dedra Leisure anxiously watches her junior class powderpuff team struggle against the seniors. Photo by Ellyn Diko

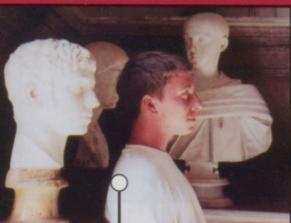


While visiting the Basilica of Saint John Lateran in central Rome, Corey Knopp and Sarah Hartley show the immense height of the statue of the disciple Paul. Christians during the middle ages often used marble from ancient ruins to build their churches. Photo provided by Sarah Hartley

Jessica Johnson, Noah Gregg, Kim Blair, Dustin Smith, Sarah Hartley, Corey Knopp, Tyler Riley, and Kyle Cassidy pose at a fountain before entering the Villa de Borghese Museum in Rome. Photo provided by Sarah Hartley









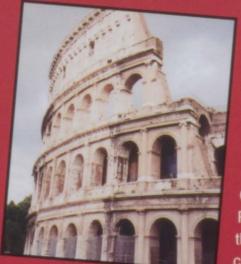


- While visiting the Capitoline
 Museum next to the ancient
 Roman forum, junior Tyler Riley
 displays his resemblance to the
 profile of an ancient Roman
 bust carved from marble. Photo
 by Sarah Hartley
- Touring the Circus Maxentius, Kyle Cassidy, Dustin Smith, Jessica Johnson, Tyler Riley, and Corey Knopp demonstrate how the Romans started chariot races. Photo by Sarah Hartley
- Despite the bustle and noise of Newark International Airport, Noah Gregg finds time to rest before the group tours New York City. To make the 6 a.m. flight from Indianapolis to New Jersey, Noah had to wake up before 3 a.m. Photo by Sarah Hartley



Ciao Ligarian Students Experience Rome

Eight ECHS students and four chaperones traveled to Italy during June



12-25, 2001, to experience the sights and culture of ancient Rome. A mistake in airline scheduling allowed the group to tour Manhattan, New York, including visits to Times Square and Central Park, before boarding a 7 hour overseas flight. After arriving at the Hotel Olympic in central Rome, the group visited the Imperial Forum, walking across the Via Sacra just as imperial senators would have done in ancient times. The group also visited the Sistine Chapel and St. Peter's Basilica where they saw the Pope give his weekly message. After a week in Rome the group traveled south to Naples and visited the cities of Pompeii and Herculaneum, preserved by an explosion of Mt. Vesuvius in A.D. 79. The trip contin-

ued south to the temples of Paestum, built when southern Italy was a Greek colony. Before returning home on June 25, students spent a day exploring the Isle of Capri.







While touring the Piazza del Popolo and the Borghese Gardens, Kyle Cassidy, Sarah Hartley, and Dustin Smith take a detour to ride on a lion shaped fountain surrounding an obelisk. The tour group finished the day by visting the ruins of the tomb of Augustus. Photo provided by Sarah Hartley

After enjoying an authentic Italian meal, sponsor Diana Gamer shows off the henna tattoo her students bought her at the Piazza Navona in Rome. Students spent evenings at this piazza eating gelati, laughing at mimes, and listening to music. Photo by Sarah Hartley

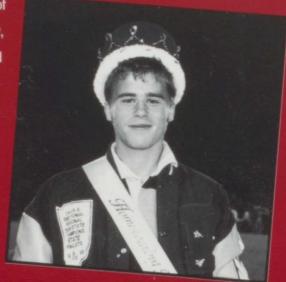
"Hear no evil. See no evil. Do no evil." Corey Knopp, Dustin Smith, and Noah Gregg are amazed by an upside-down tree at Baiae, located on the northern coast of the Bay of Naples. Photoby Sarah Hartley

A

Week

of Spirited Homecoming Memories

Students exhibited school spirit during the homecoming week of September 24-28. The dress up days consisted of clash day, black and white day, cowboy day, college day, and traditional red and blue day. Each class worked diligently on decorations for the hallways prior to homecoming week. The annual homecoming parade took place on Friday September 28 at 5:00 p.m. with a route down 19th Street to K Street and over to Anderson and back to J Street. On Monday, September 24 the traditional powder puff game was held at Panther stadium; the seniors were victorious over the juniors, 44-22. Homecoming week is not only the biggest event of the school year for students, but it also attracts the whole community to join in the events.



Participating in cowboy day are Kristin Worsely, Ashley Moser, Stacy Blair, Keah Jones, Melissa Marsh, Brittany Shipley, Timothy Schilling, Jessica Fesler, Adam Searcy, James Wright, Anamaria Whitaker, Megan Church, Mallory Gillam, James Ramey. Ashley Cubel, Lindsay Posey, Lyndsy Whetsel, Mr. Scott Zent, Kassandra Baumbauer, Ashley Frye, Mrs. Sharen Haynes, and Mrs. Joan Etchison. Photo by Crystal Goens







Andrew Hoppenrath, Brandon McClish, Morgan Groover, Christopher Phenis, Christina Soards, Kristi Kessinger, and Jessica Fesler support the football team during the homecoming game against Frankton. Photo by Darren Paquin

Ashley Frye and Kassandra Baumbauer show their school spirit by participating in clash day on September 24 during the week of homecoming. Photo by Darren Paquin

Homecoming king candidates: Front row: Justin Tracy and Jay White. Back row: Chad Huffman, Brent Caldwell, and Jeremiah Gregg. Photo by Darren Paquin



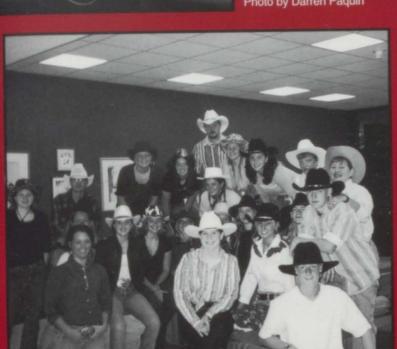
Homecoming-8

Danielle Dunnichay and Lyndsy Whetsel



Seniors Leslie Hobbs, Lyndsy Whetsel, Kara Horseman, Ashley Green, Rachael Ousley, Sarah Hesselman, Ashley Butler, Kristi Emberton, Erin McDanell, Amber Singer, Natalie Gilson, Scott Reese, Tasha Ritter, Amanda Miller, Kyle Shallenberger, Brandon Fisher, Michael Panzella McDermit, Walden, Sarah Hartley, Brittany Shilpley, Audra Richards, Ashley Stickler, Kolby Porter, Jaime Coffman, and Tim Shilling display their senority riding on an Elwood fire truck during the homecoming parade. Photo by Darren Paquin

Ashley Cubel was crowned 2001 homecoming queen during the halftime game against Frankton on September 28. Students voted in their homerooms during activity period on Thursday, September 27 to determine who would be crowned queen. Ashley's dad, Phil Cubel, escorted her on the field. Photo by Darren Paquin











Shanna Croy and Michael Prieshoff were voted by the student council for this year's parade marshalls. They represent the student body by leading the homecoming parade. Photo by Darren Paquin

Freshmen Ashley Duncan, Britney Cubel, and Heather Twiford show their red and blue spirit during homecoming week. Photo by Darren Paquin Homecoming queen candidates: Jennifer Ashby, Tessa Warner, Lindsay Posey, Jamie Groover, and Ashley Cubel. Photo by Darren Paquin

Before the annual powder puff game held at Panther stadium on September 24, the senior girls huddle together for a photo. Front row: C. Emberton, and J. Coffman Row 2: A. Richards, J. Groover, B. Shipley, L. Whetsel, and A. Reeves 'Row 3: J. Burns, A. Cubel, A. Hovious, M. Marsh, and S. Croy Back row: L. Posey, K. Horseman, A. Beeman, R. Ousley, and J. Ashby. Photo by Darren Paquin

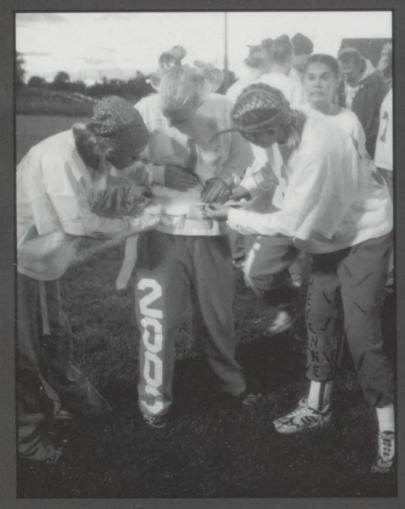
Junior Krystal Farmer helps the Class of 2003 fill the halls with spirit by painting Panther paws on balloons to hang from the ceiling. Approximately 30 juniors worked diligently for 5 hours on September 23. Photo by Crystal Goens

During halftime of the powder puff game, tuggers Alisha Arnold, Lauren Secrest, Casie Furnish, Natasha Connors, Kristen Pete, Krystal Neese, and Rachael Noland pull their way to a victory as Ashley Frye, Christopher Romine Mr. Simpson and Morgan Henn cheer them on. Photo by Darren Paquin

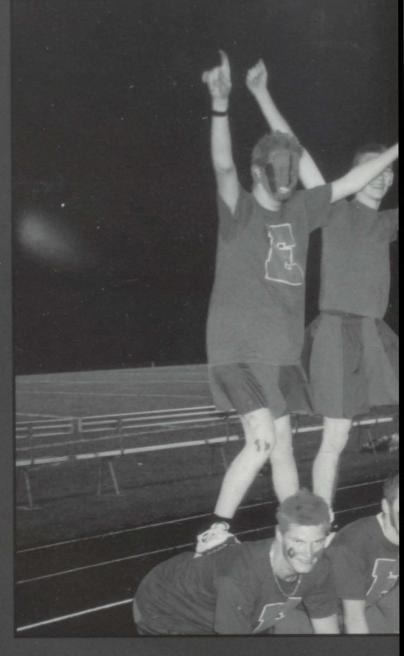








Megan Hovious and Cheyenne Davidson assist Dedra Leisure with her belt before the powder puff game. Dedra played running-back on offense, Megan, center, and Cheyenne, defense. Photo by Crystal Goens The senior cheerleaders for the powder puff game build apyramid to show spirit. The five boys had three practices to prepare for the game and to create cheers and a halftime dance. Front row: Christopher Romine, Michael Luyet, and Brandon Fisher Back row: Scot Reese and Timothy Schilling. Photo by Crystal Goens



Victorious over the sophomores, the freshmen Alexandra Richwine, Brittani McPearson, Megan Admire, Tasha Minix, Brandi Sylvester, Ashley Mort, Lacie Johns, and Morgan Groover pull the rope duing halftime at the powder-puff game. Photo by Darren Paquin

On Sunday, September 23, Brent Borders enjoys making senior hall decorations for the last homecoming week of his high school career. Photo by Ellyn Diko

Before the powder puff game the junior players and coaches huddle to prepare for battle. Front row: K. O'Neal. S. Dollar, L. Cole, D. Leisure, C. Soards, and M. Hovious. Row 2: R. Gardner, K. Worsely, W. Nichols, A. Whitman, H. Fern, E. Harting, and A. Wylie. Row 4: A. Roby, M. Coubert. Row 5: A. Hood, M. Church, J. Fesler, A. Lawson K. Farmer, J. Ray, A. Davidson. Back row: M. McGuire, H. Albers, D. Miller, C. Davidson, G. Boyland, C. Whitson, B. Stewart, J. Bellamy, A. Moser, and J. Sherman. Photo by Crystal Goens











Reporting play by play for the powder puff game, Nicholas Oldham and Jeremiah Gregg announce the action taking place on the field. Photo by Darren Paquin

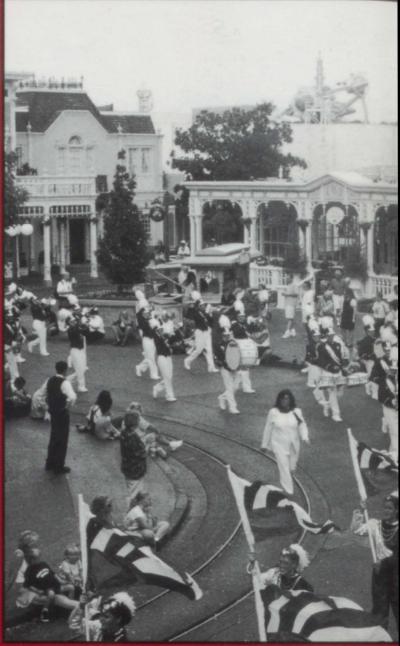
The annual powder puff game between the senior and junior girls was held on September 24 on the Panther football field. The game was again the highlight of the homecoming week. After a competitive first half, the seniors led their way to victory with a score of 44-22. Duringhalftime the freshman girls overpowered the sophomores to win the tug-of-war match, 2-1. The homecoming week was filled with many activities including the powder puff game that many enjoyed.

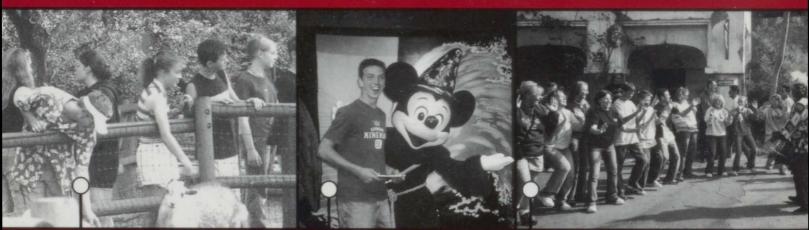
Classes Juniors fight, but seniors triumph!

Rounding the curve on to Main Street, USA on October 25, the panther band members play the Spanish song "El Cumbanchero" while marching in front of the train station where the Elwood parents were waiting for the perfect photo opportunity. Photo provided

Five minutes after arriving at the Magic Kingdom, Audra Richards, Crystal Goens, Ashlee Daleure, Ashleeigh Wylie, Aaron Kane, Maxwell Grose, Devin York, Anna Jones, Kelly Ice, Corby York, Krystal Cheney, Whitney Herrod, and Kyle Jordan were approached by a Disney cast member and asked to pose for a picture in front of Cinderella's Castle to help the students remember their trip to Disney World. Photo provided

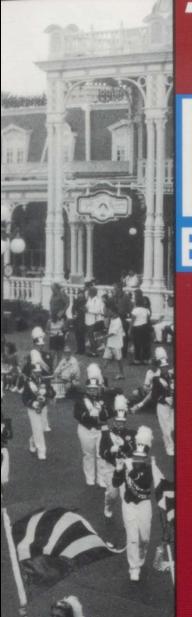






- After a buffet style breakfast at Fort Wilderness Jon Ross Noble, Nathan Hancock, Krystal Cheney, Chris Huff, Ashlee Daleure, Kelly Ice, Aaron Kane, Katherine Shafer, Chris Sorg, and Devin York visit the goats at the petting zoo near Fort Wilderness. Photo by Crystal Goens
- After a long day of searching for his favorite Disney character, Corby York finally finds Mickey Mouse in the back of MGM Studios in Orlando, Florida. "The Wizard Mickey" signs his autograph book. Photo by Crystal Goens
- Watching the African drummers in the Africa section of the Animal Kingdom on October 27. Crystal Goens, Audra Richards, Asheleigh Wylie, Devin York, Aaron Kane, Maxwell Grose, Corby York, Dannielle Vetor, Jill Taylor, Kelly Ice, and Ashlee Daleure join in and are taught African dances to the beat of the drums. Photo provided





Trip to Distinct Band goes to Florida

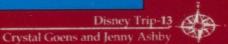


Band members left Elwood at 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, October 23, 2001, bound for Walt Disney World in Orlando, Florida. Everyone was loaded into two buses from Music Travel Consultants, Inc. Wednesday the buses stopped in Downtown Disney for three hours to allow shopping time. After breakfast at Fort Wilderness on Thursday, the group went to the Magic Kingdom to prepare for their Disney debut. On Friday the members had a private breakfast at Planet Hollywood before spending the day at MGM Studios. On the last day the group ate breakfast at the Rainforest Cafe at the entrance of the Animal Kingdom. After spending the morning at EPCOT, they loaded the buses again and headed to the last stop of their trip, the EPCOT Center. After arriving in Elwood on Sunday afternoon, the group headed to their homes to tell their families about the wonderful trip to the Magical Kingdom.



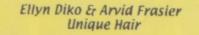
Sam Loser, Jarred Toney, Ryan Jordan and Larry Summers show their enthusiasm for the upcoming day in the Animal Kingdom as they prepare to eat breakfast at the Rainforest Cafe. Larry and Jarred wore their capes and patches around the Disney World grounds. Photo by Crystal Goens

While visiting the exhibits of different countries on October 27, freshman Kelly Ice pauses to take a picture of the EPCOT ball from across the pond before getting in line to tour the Italian exhibit. Photo provided



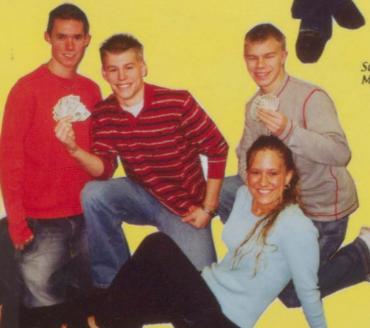
The Fashion Scoop

for 2001-2002!!**





Jessica Fesler & Tyler Nichols Best Dressed



Samantha Hamrick & Mrs. Elizabeth Herndon Best Makeup



Krystyna Stimpson Bizzar Clothing

Chris Phenis, Adam Miller, Adam Johnson, & Megan Church \$Expensive Wardrobe



Fashion Scoop-14

Samantha Hamrick, Missy Marsh and Lyndsy Whetsel



William Howell and Katie Ruben have been together for 1 1/2 years, and they plan to get married. On their first date William took Katie to see the show "Road Trip" at United Artist Theatres in Fishers. Photo by Jessica Fesler





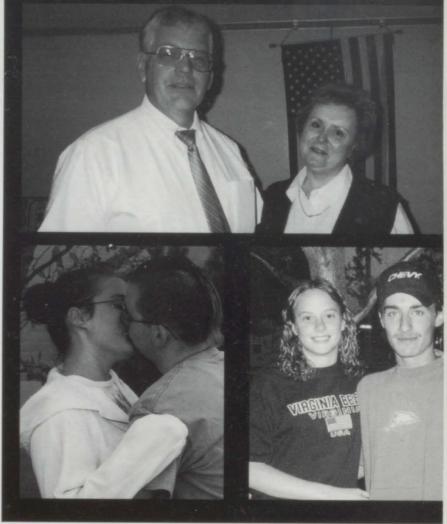




Andrea Durm and Adam Miller are not only a couple, but they are also best friends. They tell each other everything, and they find laughter in all that they do. Photo by Jessica Fesler

Ryan Jones and Whitney Whetsel spent their first date at Verizon Wireless Music Center to see a concert. Since then Ryan has bought Whitney perfume and told her how special she was. In return Whitney wrote Ryan a poem expressing her true feelings for him. Photo provided







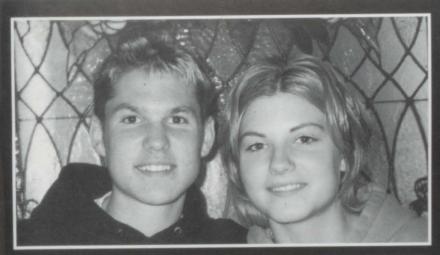


Couples-16 Jessica Fesler and Sarah Hartley Rayna Hanchell and Phillip Thompson started dating over 6 months ago. When Rayna was in the hospital for a surgery, Phillip came everyday after school to see her. On the first day she arrived home from being hospitalized, he waited for her arrival with a rose. Photo by Jessica Fesler

Jessica Fesler and Tyler Nichols have been a couple for over 2 years. As a Valentine's Day surprise, Tyler took Jessica on a carriage ride around downtown Indianapolis. Photo provided



Boom Blossom



Mr. and Mrs. Donald Garner. "One of our favorite places to eat together is Lincoln Square."

-Mr. Donald Garner

Joel Nichols and Amy Pearson. "The nicest gift I have received from Joel is my promise ring."

-Amy Pearson

Serena McKnight and Derek DeHart. "My ICP t-shirt is the best gift Serena has ever given me."

-Derek DeHart

Kausha Patten and Chance Norris, 'Chance and I met at school and have been together for 2 years. We've had rough times like most couples, but I hope we stay together forever."

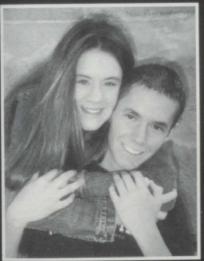
-Kausha Patton

Kasandra Duffit and Christopher Phenis. "Kasandra really gets on my nerves when she messes with my face. I hate having my face messed with."

-Christopher Phenis

Ashley Moser and Michael Ischay. "I've always been attracted to tall, skinny guys, and that's exactly what Michael is."

-Ashley Moser







Extreme Autos



Jessica Fesler went to Brown County in the fall of 2000. When she returned home from her trip, she was surprised to find a 2000 Dodge Avengerparked in her driveway. Photo by Crystal Goens



Sitting on top of his 1989 Chevrolet S-10, Junior Clint Groover is proud of the ducttape that holds together his front windshield. Photo by Lindsay Posey



Matthew Rodriquez wheels down the sidewalk. Matt was diagnosed with muscular dystrophy and has been on the go in his motorized wheelchair since fourth grade. Photo by Crystal Goens



Standing proud in front of his classic 1967 Ford Mustang, Steven Arnold received his car from his parents. He works at Pizza King to earn gas money. Photo by Lindsay Posey



Brent Border's tan 1980 Ford Fairmount was voted the "junkiest car" in high school according to a survey given to 100 students. Photo by Lindsay Posey



Justin Sherman's 1995 Chevrolet camero was given to him as a present from his parents on his sixteenth birthday. Photo by Lindsay Posey





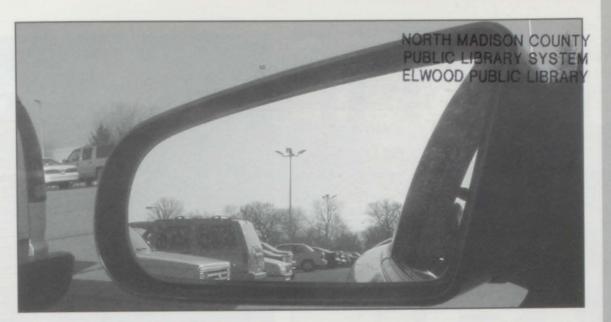
Voted the "worst drivers" at Elwood High School were Rachael Ousley and Dedra Leisure. Dedra has been involved in three accidents; however, Rachael has been in five. Photo by Lindsay Posey

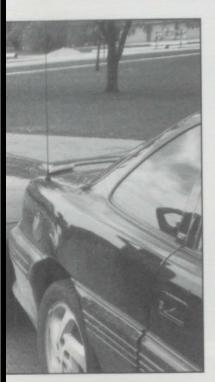


Ming Cheung's 1997 midnight blue Jeep Cherokee was purchased by his parents for him as a payment for his help with the family restaurant, Main Moon. Lucas and Ashley Moser's 2001 silver Jeep Cherokee was bought for them because Lucas's old car continually broke down last year. Photo by Lindsay Posey



Adam Cosby,
Heidi Parker,
Lacey Cole, and
C h e y e n n e
Davidson are all
owners of black
Chevrolet Cavaliers. The Cavalier is a very popular car for high
school students to
drive. Photo by
Lindsay Posey





On The Go

Every high school student looks forward to his/her sixteenth birthday because this means the opportunity for freedom and the responsibility of driving a car. There are approximately 200 students who drive to school. Mr. Bombholt supervises the parking lot and is responsible for every student parking in the correct spot. During the fall 15 students had their parking permits taken away. Students must have excessive tardies or drive recklessly in the parking lot for the occurence of this disciplinary action. When students lose their permit, they are allowed to park on public side streets near the school; however, they are not allowed to park on private property without permission.



The 'best all-around car" is Chris Phenis's 1999 black Pontiac Firebird. He received the car as a surprise present for his 16th birthday. Photo by Lindsay Posey

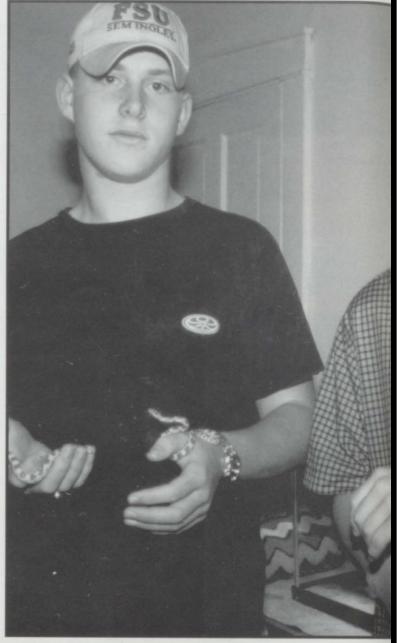


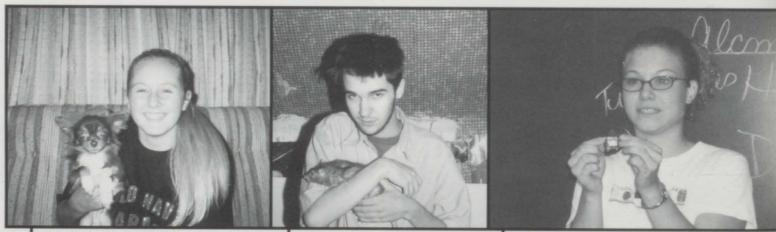
Ryan Dudley has been up to 165 mph on his 2001 Suzuki "Crotch Rocket." Ryan loves to ride his bike everywhere, especially out of town. Photo by Lindsay Posey

On the Go-19 Lindsay Posey and Lyndsy Whetsel Michelle Leavell, the newest member of the custodial staff, displays her spirit while wearing matcing Pacer jerseys during the 2000 NBA playoff with her dog, Viola Lee, who is four years old. Photo provided by Michelle Leavell

Joseph Fihe has seven lizards, and Jared Moore has three lizards. They have multiple species, and Joseph has spent over \$1200 on supplies and lizards since persuing his pet collection. Photo by Ellyn Diko







Sophomore Kassandra Baumbaure and her longhaired Chihuahua, Milk Dud, cuddle on her couch after Kassandra shampooed, groomed, and gave Milk Dud her evening walk. Photo by Ali Roby

Charles Runyan holds his pet rat, Manard, who is named after the singer for the band Tool. His rat has an unusually long tail that is 1'3" long and weighs 15 pounds. Photo by Ellyn Diko

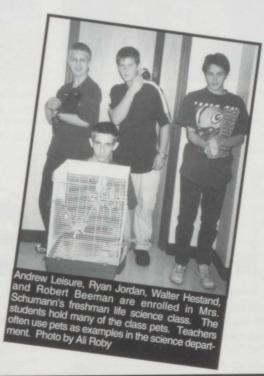
Sarah Ball-Boyland has had her turtle, Magnus Maximus Marmodukus Primus for one year. Sarah states, "He goes everywhere with me. I love him, and he is my baby." Marmodukus wears one of his outfits, a toga, during Sarah's Latin class. Photo by Mrs. Diana Garner



Pets-20



Primal Playmates and other friends











Chelsey Foor hugs her 180 pound Rottweiler, Clovis. Clovis was named after the cat from the movie <u>Sleepwalkers</u>. Chelsey says, "I woke up Christmas morning to see that I had a puppy with a big red bow. I fell in love, and she is my best friend." Photo by Samantha Hamrick

Mrs. Laura Bubp, art teacher, is shown with her cat "The Licking Pig," but they just call her Myrtle. Myrtle is three years old and is pursuing her dream to get a masters in culinary arts. Photo provided by Laura Bubp

Mallory Gillam received a white ferret last year at Christmas from her boyfriend Brian Fanning. Mallory named him Simon and loves her unique pet. Photo by Ali Roby



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After a long weekend, Sarah Ball-Boyland cuddles up to her teddy bear to try to get some rest for another school day. Sarah gets up at 6:00 a.m. each day during the week. Photo by Crystal Goens



Chelsey Foor wakes up at 6:45 a.m. during the week to take her daily 20 minute shower to get ready for school. Photo by Samantha Hamrick



Many students are transported to school by buses. Mrs. Lori Peck assists Matthew Rodriquez off the bus while Dustin Blackford, Ricky Stansberry, Jason Dollar, and Michael Hartley enter the building. Photo by Ellyn Diko

SADA

In the new girls locker room Shauna Smith and Ashley Mort prepare for a long and tiring volleyball practice. Amanda Miller, tying her shoes, enjoys her final year as a member of the Lady Panthers. Photo by Crystal Goens



At the new Marsh store on State Road 37 Emily Devore accepts money from a customer who is purchasing groceries. Emily works at Marsh approximately 12 hours a week. Photo by Samantha Hamrick



After a long day at school Ashlee Delure enjoys her mother's spaghetti and garlic bread for dinner before attending band practice. Photo by Crystal Goens



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Day in the Life-22 Sam Hamrick and Sarah Hartley

9:00 10:00 11:00 12:00



First year Elwood High School students Timothy Hovious, Romeay Gallegos, and Jared Posey communicate in freshman hall before attending 6th hour. Photo by Crystal Goens



Sitting on the junior hall floor on a Monday morning, Emily Harting works diligently on advanced chemistry homework for Mr. Leonard Arbogast's 5th period class. Photo by Crystal Goens



Marriam Mustafa checks her e-mail one last time before going to bed to see if any of her friends have have sent her news. Photo by Crystal Goens

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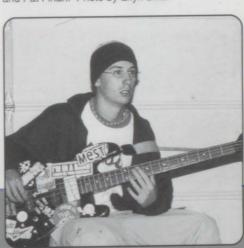
Working hard on her child development assignment at home, Katie Toney studies parental responsibilities for a quiz in Mrs. Ronda Smuck's 8th period class. Photo by Ellyn Diko



One of the many activities played during lunch period is hacky-sack. The purpose of the game is to keep the ball in the air without using hands. Clint Groover plays during B lunch while Michael McPhearson watches. Photo by Ellyn Diko



Three times a week the band, Jump Start Suzi, rehearses for future shows. Chad Huffman plays guitar in Andy Boyland's garage where the band meets. Other members are Jay White, Andy Boyland, and Pat Finan. Photo by Ellyn Diko



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Day in the Life 23



E M E

Angelina Hobbs and Lindsay Leeson

Gregory Boyland and Sarah Harris

Toby and Amy Warner

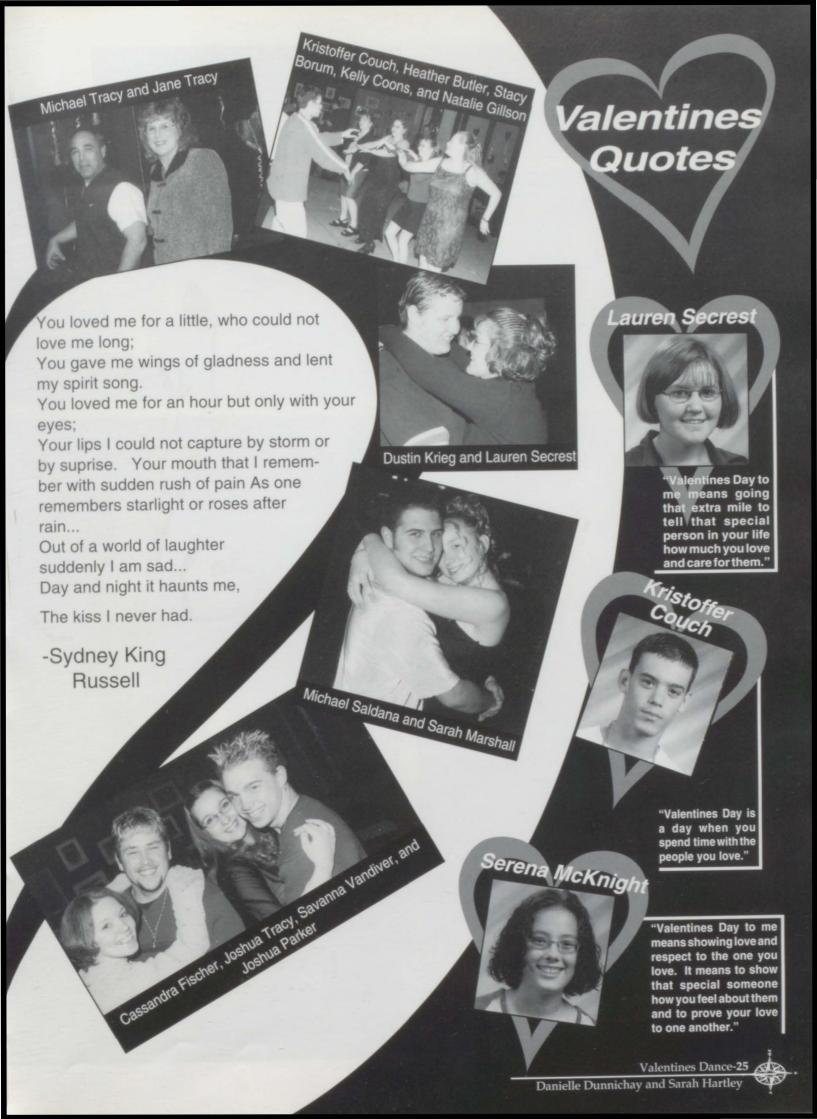


Whitney Whetsel and Ryan Jones

Belles and Beaus Dance 2002 Derek DeHart and Serena McKnight

Valentines Dance-24

Danielle Dunnichay and Sarah Hartley

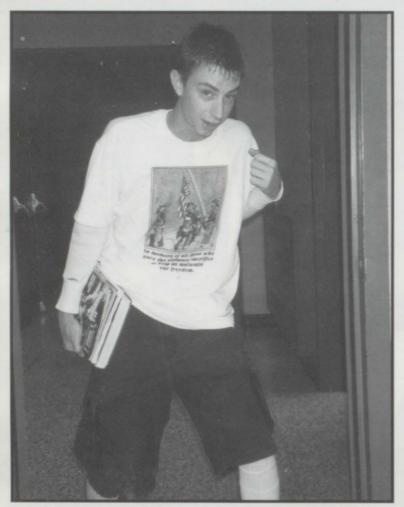


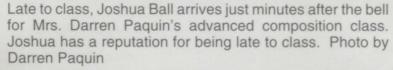
One of Miss Joan Mercer's social students, Kaliegh Kelly, is sent out of the classroom for a little talk from her favorite teacher. Photo by Ali Roby

Mr. Bomholt, who is one of the parking lot patrolmen, asks Brian Fanning to move his car to his correct parking spot. If students park in the wrong parking spot, they could find a bright orange sticker on their car. Photo by Ali Roby









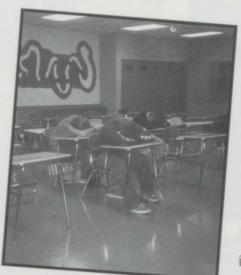
Ellen Atwood rests her head on her desk; Ellen has been known for occasionally napping during class. Photo by Ellyn Diko



Kristi Sides displays one of the techniques used in order to take a double lunch. Teachers often find students in this position hiding in the bathroom. Photo by Ali Roby Tory Clark and Devin Carter sneak out of school and hide under a car so that Mr. Bombholt doesn't see them leave campus to go out to lunch at a fast food restaurant. During their senior year they have only been caught once. Photo by Ali Roby



Many rebellious teenagers are continuously "getting busted" for various activities in high



one activity that students get in trouble for is not attending teachers' after school detentions." When students ignore after school detentions, they are required to attend Saturday detention. The average number of students assigned to Saturday detention is 20 students. If a student does not attend the Saturday detention, he is assigned to In-School Restriction (ISR). The average number of students in ISR is eight people per day. The administration implements disciplinary acts when students break the rules.

Suste Suste Bules For Breaking the Rules

In love with Eminem, junior Chelsey Foor fills her bedroom with pictures and posters that she has been collecting for almost two years. She spent approximately \$500 on various Eminem merchandise. Photo by Samantha Hamrick

Senior Amanda Hovious displays her obsession with the pop band N'sync by covering her walls with posters and magazine cutouts. Amanda has collected over 20 posters, owns every CD, and has attended two N'sync concerts. Photo by Megan Hovious







Junior Clint Groover decorates his room in different sports. One wall is a full-size picture of the Chicago CUBS baseball game at Wrigley Field. Clint's room has been like this for almost 8 years. Photo by Megan Hovious

To set a jungle-like atmosphere in her bedroom, Sarah Ball-Boyland's bedroom contains an artificial palm tree since she was ten years old. Photo by Ellyn Diko

Covered with original illustrations and signatures from family and friends, Megan Himes loves having people draw on her walls with a magic marker. "This all began when I wrote my name across my wall. After that, whenever someone came over, he or she wanted to sign my wall." Photo by Megan Hovious



Where We live-28

Bring It On

Home

Students express their individuality

Whether they're listening to music, watching television, or just trying to relax, students love to spend time in their bedrooms. A student's bedroom is a place where one can express his or her creativity and individuality by decorating one's room as desired. Over 90% of students use their original ideas to decorate their room and do so in many different ways. Some ways include hanging posters of their favorite band or singer, filling the room with various stuffed animals collected since birth, or displaying their successes achieved throughout high school. The one aspect that students hate most about their bedrooms is having to clean them! Almost 90% of all students clean their own bedrooms. Fortunately, the other 10% have their parents or siblings carry out this unpleasant task. Overall, students feel their bedrooms are the one place that they can go to just get away from it all.







Senior Anna Jones fills her bed with an assortment of stuffed animals that she has collected since she was born. Anna owns over 50 different animals. Photo by Ellyn Diko Proud of all his awards and successes, junior Brandon McClish covers his walls with ribbons and varsity certificates received in cross country and baseball during his sophomore and junior year. Photo by Megan Hovious

Kristin Worsley's room is decorated entirely with various types of butterflies. She owns several pillows, paintings, and picture frames all shaped like butterflies. Her favorite part of her room is her queen size comforter covered with different colored butterflies. Photo by Megan Hovious

Where We Live-29

A Method of

Mastering Skills

Whether it be in the gymnasium or in the classroom, Elwood students have competed in many ways. The Elwood Spell Bowl team improved over last year's score by placing 3rd at the area meet. The Super Bowl team members consisted of Sarah Ball-Boyland, Brent Borders, Kyle Cassidy, Ming Cheung, Josh Cordial, Ashlee Daleure, Helen Day, Crystal Goens, Sarah Hartley, Bryan Helm, Michael Ischay, Rhea Leisure, Amanda Miller, Danielle Miller, Lucas Moser, Jon Ross Noble, Larry Summers, Josh Undem, Tabitha Willhoite, and Corby York. The team was coached by Leonard Arbogast, Laura Bubp, Andrea Canaday, David Hoffman, Rhonda Luurtseema, and Rhonda Smuck. The results of the Area Academic Super Bowl meet were interdisciplinary 6th in class 2, social studies 5th in class 2 and 6th overall, and math 2nd in class 2 and 5th overall. The team competed against Hamilton Heights, Mt. Vernon, Pendelton, Westfield-Washington, and Yorktown.







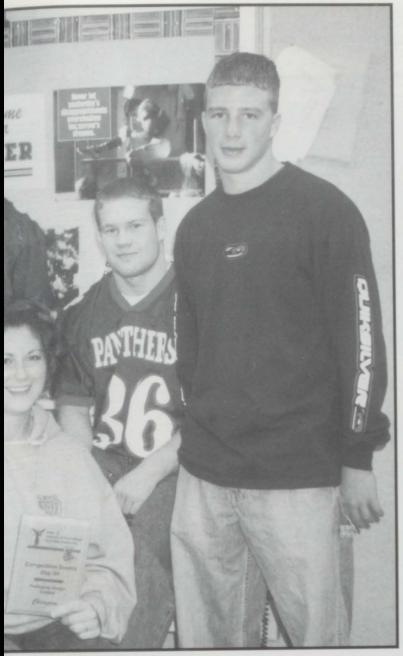


Ball State's Industry and Technology competition team-Row 1: Danielle Dunnichay, Lacey Cole, Megan Hovious, and Brent Borders. Row 2: Hailey Fern, Clayton Whitson, Lindsay Posey, Jamie Groover, Shanna Croy, Lyndsy Whetsel, and Brent Caldwell. Row 3: Mr. Troy Simpson, Megan Coubert, Emily Hartman, Brandon McCarty, Brian Helm, Justin Frye, Gregory Johns, and Mr. Matthew Lane. Photo by Crystal Goens

During the interdisciplinary round at the Ameritech Academic Super Bowl area competition on April 16, 2002, Sarah Hartely, Michael Ischay, Lucas Moser, and Amanda Miller discuss their question answering strategy. The four seniors were selected from other teams to represent this round. Photo provided by Lucas Moser



Competition-30



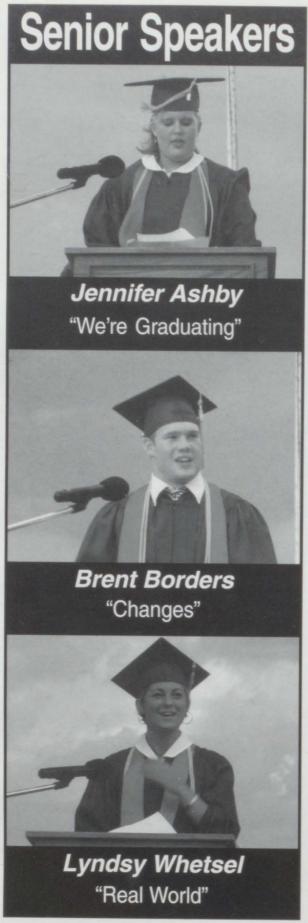
Lyndsy Whetsel, Clayton Whitson, Brent Borders, and Brent Caldwell competed at Ball State's Industrial Technology Competitive Events Day on October 9, 2001. Lyndsy and Ming Cheung placed first in the Packaging Design category. Whitson, Borders, and Caldwell were runners-up in the Construction Planning category Photo by Mrs. Darren Paquin

Brent Borders gives Justin Tracy a high-five after completing his round during the Spell Bowl meet on October 15, 2001. Brent has been a member of the team for two years. Photo by Crystal Goens





Michelle Quiring reads a script in a radio voice-over workshop at the Indiana State Thespian Conference held at Carmel High School on March 27, 2001. Photo by John Rice Spell Bowl Team-Row 1: Clayton Whitson, Chelsey Beach, and Thomas Kessinger. Row 2: Audra Richards, Brent Caldwell, Cheyenne Davidson, Coach Andrea Canaday, Sarah Hartley, Amanda Miller, and Jennifer Ashby. Row 3: Farrin Gregg, Brent Borders, Ashley Frye, Ming Cheung, Andrew Hoppenrath, and Timothy Hovious. Photo by Indiana School Pictures



The Crimson Suite, show choir and senior choir members present two selections at the ceremony.

Jay White, Lucas Moser, Jeremiah Gregg, and Chad Huffman become the highlight of the ceremony as they present the class song, "Seasons."

Steven Arnold enters the football field during the "Pomp and Circumstance" procession which begins the commencement ceremony on June 2, 2002.









Amanda Chase receives her diploma from Superintendent Thomas Austin during the off cial segment of the graduation ceremony entitled Presentation of Diplomas near the conclusion of the ceremony. One hundred and nineteen graduates participated in the tassel ceremony and in the acceptance of diplomas.





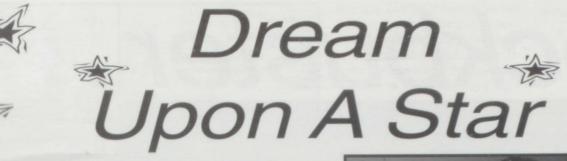
COMMENCEMENT Class of 2002

Prelude	Elwood Panther Band
Processional "Pomp and Circumstance"	
Real World	Lyndsy Whetsel
"You Are So Beautiful" Arr. Greg Gilpin "Let The Dream Begin" Arr. Greg Gilpin	Show Choir Crimson Suite and Senior Concert Choir Members
Changes	Brent Borders
Citation of Honors	Tami Eder, Assistant Principal
We're Graduating	Jenny Ashby
Presentation of Class	Ken Howell, Principal
Presentation of Diplomas	Thomas Austin, Superintendent
Tassel Ceremony	
Class Song "Seasons"	Chad Huffman Lucas Moser Jay White
Recessional	Elwood Panther Band











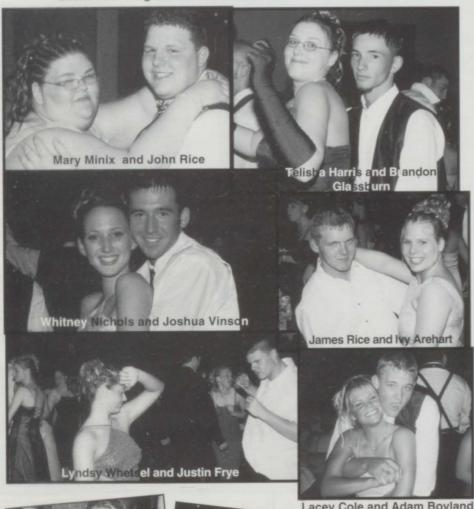


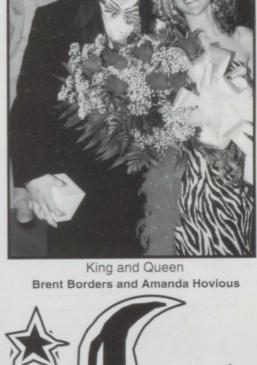


2002 Prom King and Queen Candidates



Allison Roby, Michael McPhearson, Nicholas Mumbower

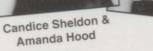


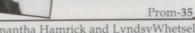


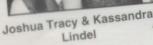


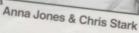
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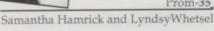










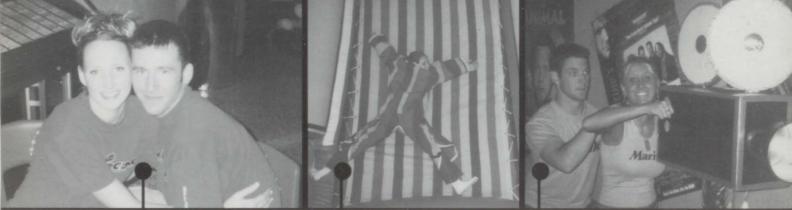


Blockbuster

The 2002 after prom included movies, entertainment, and fun. The after prom was held in the high school gymnasium from midnight to 2:00 a.m. Students enjoyed movie posters as they walked through the entrance. The after prom committee transformed the commons area into a scene from Rydell High School from the movie *Grease*. John H. Hinds gymnasium was filled with games for the students to enjoy. The students could run through the obstacle course, stick on the "Sticky Wall," or make a CD. On Sunday, April 28 the students attended Kings Island, leaving at 7:00 a.m. on chartered buses and returning at 9:00 p.m. After prom 2002 was a great success for the after prom committee, and the students who attended after prom had a great time.







- Whitney Nichols and Joshua Vinson listen to the juke box in the commons area. The after prom committee transformed the commons area into Rydell High School. Photo by John Rice
- Danielle Miller sticks to the sticky wall in the cafeteria. The after prom committee raised \$9,000 to produce this event for the students who attended prom. Photo provided by Danielle Miller
- Jessica Fesler and Tyter Nichols run the sound system camera and direct the movie in the movie hallway. The after promocommittee decorated the hall with various movie posters. Photo provided by Jessica Fesler



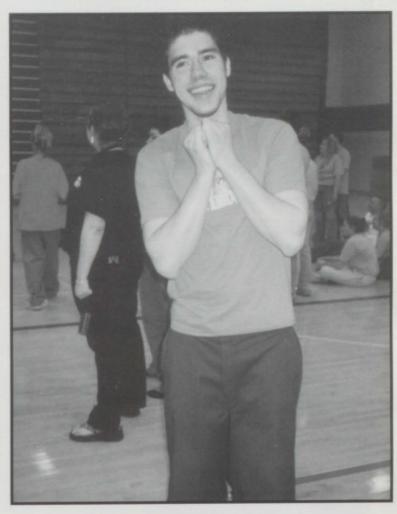
After Prom-36

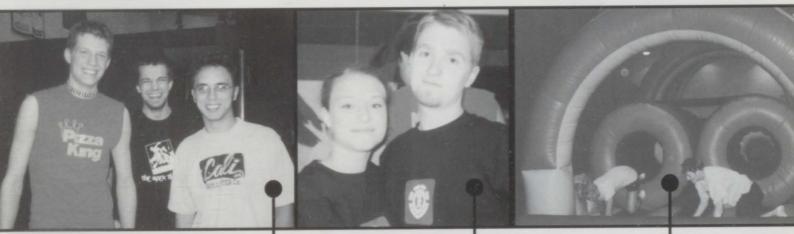
Lindsay Posey and Jennifer Ashby



Michelle Quiring smiles whle her boyfriend takes a photo of his special prom date. Some students who attended the prom also attended Kings Island the next day. Although a few of the rides were shut down due to bad weather, the day was fun and eventful. Photo provided by Michelle Quiring

Michael Prieshoff enjoyed the after prom. "I was smiling because I was so happy." Michael bought his "I'm a Little Princess" t-shirt at The Disney Store. Photo by Lindsay Posey





After singing "My Own Worst Enemy" by Lit, Michael Ischay, Michael Luurtsema, and Lucas Moser continue to laugh about how funny the song sounded when they sang karaoke. All students involved in the karaoke event received free CDs of their performance, courtesy of the after prom committee. Photo by Lindsay Posey

Preparing to attempt the obstacle course, Sarah Ball-Boyland and Corey Knopp wait patiently in line. Sarah and Corey wear their matching t-shirts which is a tradition for couples to dress alike at the after prom. Photo by Lindsay Posey

Climbing through the obstacle course, Farrin Gregg and Brandon McClish race to the finish line. Farrin demolished Brandon while running the course. Photo by John Rice

After Prom-37 Lindsay Posey and Jennifer Ashby

Sarah Harris, Cassandra Fischer, Grace Saxton, Joshua Frasure, Jonathan Gibson, Lindsay Plummer, Derek Peck, and Joshua Tracey gather in front of the gym doors every morning and wait for their first period class. The students arrive around 7:30 a.m. and eat breakfast together. Photo by Mrs. Darren Paquin

To support the Elwood football team, Derrick McKinley and Andrew Leisure promote the sale of football T-shirts to customers in the cafeteria during half time of the January 11 boys basketball game against Alexandria. Photo by Mrs. Darren Paquin

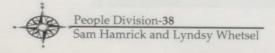


After purchasing a hot dog from a concession worker during the half time of the boys varsity basketball game on January 11, Adam Sercey applies catsup and prepares to enjoy his dinner. Photo by Mrs. Darren Paquin





All Walks of Life All Walks of Life





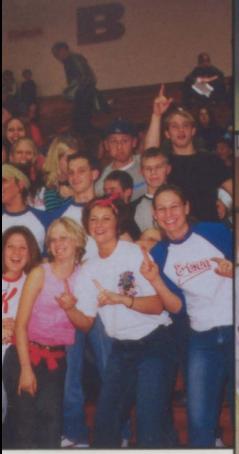
Pizza King assists the junior class to raise money for the upcoming prom by sharing their juke box. Students are allowed to play songs during lunch time for \$.25. Junior Nathan Spralin listens to a tune during A lunch. Photo by John Rice



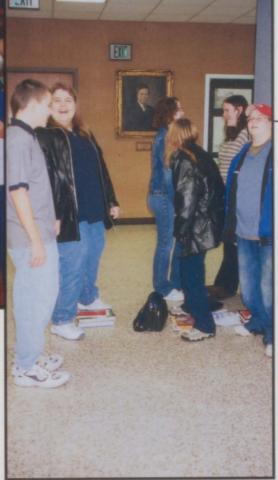
As Holly Albers and Gabriel Amick enjoy the boys varsity game on January 11 held in the John W. Ward Gymnasium, the couple shows their affection towards each other with a big hug. Photo by Mrs. Darren Paquin

At the annual powder puff game Kassandra Duffit and Andrea Durm display their painted faces before they tug against the freshmen at the tug-of-war competition. Photo by Crystal Goens





Approximately 200 students support the boys basketball program on a regular basis. Admission to a game is \$4.00, but some studens use an all-sports pass. Photo by Mrs. Darren Paquin





While the rest of Mrs. Darren Paquin's 7th hour advanced grammar class is discussing important pronoun information, junior Josh Vincent takes a catnap. Photo by Ellyn Diko

Every morning the smiling faces of Richard McGinnis, Christina Ploughe, Keisha Cornwell, Gleena Richmond, Jessica Felton, and Sarah Luyet are seen as they wait for the bell which will begin the day. Photo by Mrs. Darren Paquin

"Destiny is not a matter of chance, it is a matter of choice; it is not a thing to be waited for, it is a thing to be achieved."



Class of 2002



Senior Class Steering Committee-Front row: B. McCarty, B. Borders. Row 2: J. Coffman, A. Cosby, S. Hartley, A. Beeman, Sponsor Mrs. Vicki Blair, S. Croy, L. Whetsel, J. Ashby, M. Marsh. Row 3: M. Ischay, M. Cheung, J. Groover, L. Posey, L. Moser, A. Harpster, T. Kessinger, A. Hovious, A. Cubel, B.Caldwell, J. Frye, N. Oldham. Row 4: K. Porter, M.Prieshoff, C. Huffman, J. Cornwell, P. Walden, N. Gillson, C. Emberton, K. Shallenberger, A. Richards, L. Hobbs, E. McDanell. Row 5: S. Reese, M. McDermit, J. White, J. Cole, J. Gregg, R. Ousley, J. Burns, J. Elsworth, T. Schilling, T. Ritter, A. Miller. Row 6: M. Luyet, B. Fisher, D. Smith, A. Jarrett, C. Miller, A. Jones, A. Boyland, B. Shipley, A. Reeves, A. Eshelman, M. Mitchell, J. Gibson, C. Romine.



Senior Class Sheet-Tied for First Place



Cynthia Lee Armstrong



Steven Joseph Arnold



Jennifer Ann Ashby



Travis Jay Baldwin



Joshua Allen Ball



Audra Lynn Beeman



Charles Edward Bond



Brent Charles Borders



Adam Joseph Boyland



Kayla Dawn Brown



Ashley Kay Butler



Brent Andrew Caldwell



Amanda Jo Chase



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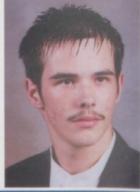
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Ashley Nicole Cubel



Derek Daray Dehart



Ryan Thomas Dudley



Jacob Adam Elsworth





Christy Louise Emberton Amanda Leigh Eshelman



Holly Anne Evans



Brian Keith Fanning



Kenneth Ryan Fanning



Cory Ryan Fincher



Brandon Paul Fisher



Arvid Anthony Frazier



Justin Michael Frye



Stephen Andrew Gaiser



Misty Dawn Gerard



Jonathan Edward Gibson Brian Gregory Gillam





Natalie Joan Gillson



Jeremiah Lee Gregg



Jamie Lynn Groover



Abbi Sue Harpster



Sarah Lynn Hartley



Abraham Victor Hawkins



Sarah Renae Hesselman



Leslie Marie Hobbs



Steven Lee Hollowell



Rayna Elaine Honchell Amanda Nicole Hovious





William Leo Howell



Chad Andrew Huffman



Brandon Michael Hurd



Michael Andrew Ischay



Angela Kay Jarrett



Ryan Paul Jeske



Anna Marca Jones





Kemmon Daniel Jones Thomas Royal Kessinger



Melissa Ann Killian



Dustin Michael Landrum



Amber Marie Luse



Michael Shawn Luyet



Melissa Ann Marsh



Brandon Michael McCarty



Scott Allen McConnell



Crystal Summer McCord



Erin Lynn McDanell



Michael Donald McDermit



Amanda Joy Miller



Chelsie Jo Miller



Myshia Tylyn Mitchell



Lucas Aaron Moser



Tyler Todd Nichols

brush."

Crystal McCord



Nicholas Allen Oldham

you could take only three items to college, what would you take?



"Money, clothes, and girls." -Thomas Kessinger



"Car, money, and Mrs Hemdon. **Justin Tracy**



"I would take toilet paper because it is "Coma necessity and duct tape because it puter, fixes anything. I would lastly take an hair extra pair of underwear because you cannot have enough pairs." dryer, -Amanda Miller and hair





Seniors-44



Rachael Elizabeth Ousley



Heidi Renee Parker



Amanda Jean Parson



Derek James Peck



Michael Kolby Porter



Lindsay Nicole Posey



Michael Ross Prieshoff



Wayne Laverne Quiring



Scot Adam Reese



Ashley Rachelle Reeves



Audra Leigh Richards



Tasha Marie Ritter



Christopher Allan Romine



Scott Allen Savage



Trevor Earl Savage

"I'm afraid of leaving my friends behind. I have a VERY tight circle of friends who

have been through thick and thin times with me and have never stopped loving

me and being my friend. I'm terrified to

leave them behind."

-Brian Gillam



I am going to miss my entire class. I've had so many great memeories with almost eveyone in our class."

-Chad Huffman

"I will miss Coach Frye because there will never be another coach like him." -Tim Lyttle

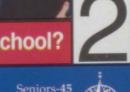


"I will miss my friends, because they have helped mold me into the person I am today."

-Chelsie Mille



What will you miss about high school?





Timothy Lee Schilling



Richard Lee Schorr



Amanda Lynn Schumann Cody Matthew Secrest





Joshua Michael Secrest



Leland Arthur Sexton



Kyle Ray Shallenberger Brittany Michelle Shipley





Kristi Marie Sides



Amber Nicole Singer



Anthony Sherman Smith



Danielle Renee Smith



Don Joseph Smith





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Nathan Ryan Sylvester



Phillip Alan Thompson



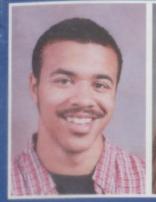
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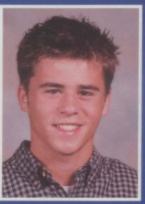
Tessa Marie Warner



Jamie Lee Weaver



Lyndsy Ann Whetsel



Jay Richard White

Can you recognize these senior classmates?



Who's Who?

Cody Secrest 15. Natalie Gillson 16. Rachael Ousley 17. Brandon McCarty 18. Thomas 12. Panzella Walden 13. Lindsay Posey 14. Jenny Ashby 10. Jon Gibson 11. Audra Beeman Cheung 7. Jamie Weaver 8. Anna Jones 9. Danell 4. Shanna Croy 5. Ashley Cubel 6. Ming 1. Kathryn Sovern 2. Brittany Shipley 3. Erin Mc









More Baby Pictures!!!!!

Who's Who?

19. Amanda Miller 20. Steve Arnold 21. Lucas Moser 22. Jeremiah Gregg 23. Chad Huffman 24. Jaime Coffman 25. Tessa Warner 26. Nathan Sylvester 27. Ashley Butler 28. Leslie Hobbs 29. Heidi Parker 30. Melissa Marsh 31. Nicholas Oldham 32. Kemmon Jones 33. Michael Ischay 34. Chelsie Miller 35. Jamie Groover 36. Sarah Hartley 37. Amanda Hovious 38. Josh Secrest 39. Chelsie Miller 35. Jamie Groover 36. Sarah Hartley 37. Amanda Hovious 38. Josh Secrest 39. Lyndsy Whetsel 40. Michael McDermit 41. Cory Davidson 42. Kayla Brown 43. Audra Richards 44. Anthony Smith 45. Adam Boyland

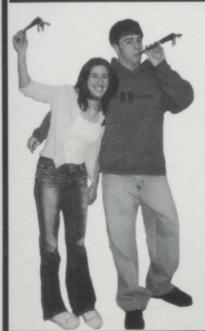
Senior Standouts



-Most Athletic-Justin Frye, Brent Borders, and Jaime Coffman

-Most Artistic-Ming Cheung and Amanda Miller

-Most Talkative-Arvid Fraizer and Lindsay Posey



-Best Party House-Jay White and Shanna Croy

-Most Opinionated-Justin Frye and Kara Horseman



-Best Looks-Brent Caldwell and Amanda Hovious



-Best Dressed-Tyler Nichols and Ashley Cubel

Best Eyes Biggest Flirt Best Personality Most Musical Class Clown Biggest Bully

Tom Kessinger and Shanna Croy
Tom Kessinger and Rachel Ousley
Justin Frye and Jenny Ashby
Jeremiah Gregg and Audra Richards
Jay White and Missy Marsh
Brian Fanning and Misty Gerard

Best Smile
Most Dramatic
Best Student
Best Hair
Best Abs
Best Leader

Justin Tracy and Tessa Warner
Trevor Savage and Angie Jarrett
Brent Caldwell and Sarah Hartley
Justin Tracy and Lindsay Posey
Brent Caldwell and Ashley Cubel
Justin Frye, Brent Borders, Lyndsy Whetsel, Jenny Ashby



Junior Steering Committee-Front row: J. Holloway, C. Groover, S. Dollar, R. Gardner, K. Jordan, A. Whitaker, A. Johnson, J. Vinson, G. Johns. Row 2: D.McCarthy, H. Fern, K. Patton, J. Parker, E. Harting, P. Hesselman, M. Gillam, H. Day, J. Ray. Row 3: S. Ball-Boyland, C. Goens, C. Davidson, M. Church, H. Albers, J. Rice, M. Minix, J. Bellamy. Row 4: M. McGuire, M. Idlewine, E. Atwood, S. Hamrick, L. Cole, B. Stewart, C. Phenis, L. Plummer, A. Hood. Row 5: C. Soards, I. Arehart, K. Worsley, D. Leisure, K. Ball, T. Penn, J. Sherman, D. Miller. Back row: C. Whitson, M. Hovious, A. Roby, B. McClish. Photo by Indiana School Pictures



Junior Class Sheet-Tied for 1st Place

Holly Albers Erika Anderson Ivy Arehart Ellen Atwood Karen Ball Lisa Ball Sarah Ball

Michael Bartlett Julie Bellamy Gregory Boyland Todd Bragg Jordan Cannon Eric Champion Megan Church

> Lacey Cole Chad Collier Bryan Cooper Jeffrey Corbett Ashlee Daleure

Cheyenne Davidson Cory Davidson John Davis Helen Day Kyle Deckard Charlie Dial

































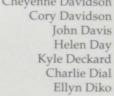




















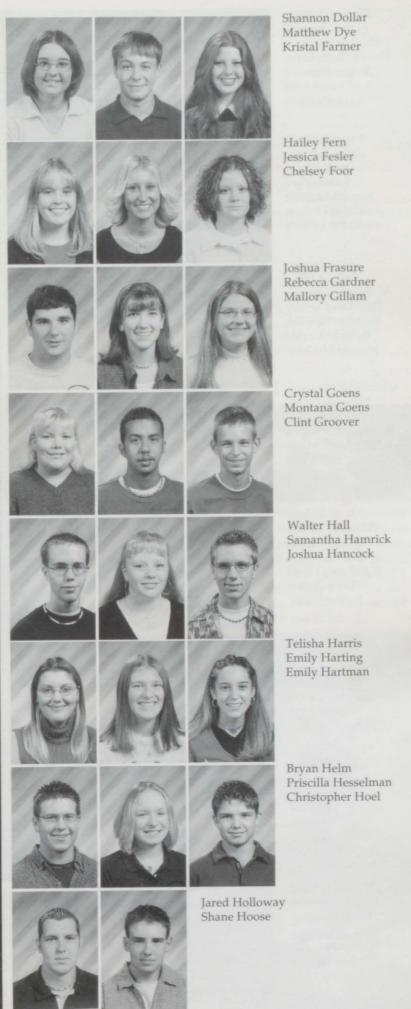






Where Are the Class Officers?





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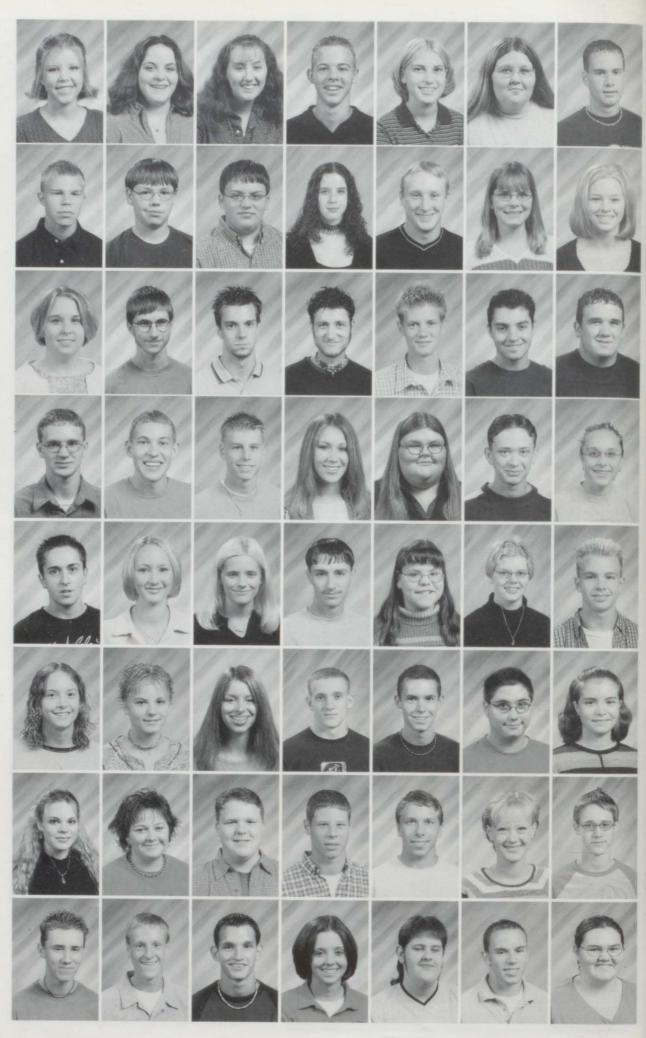
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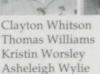


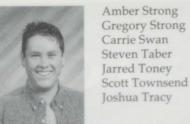


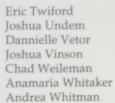












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Chevenne Davidson

Cheyenne Davidson was chosen as one of the 11,500 participants in the Salt Lake City 2002 Olympic Torch Relay after being nominated by her mother, Cathy Davidson. She ran her 2/10 of a mile stretch through Terre Haute on January 2nd. Coca-Cola, her sponsor for the event, purchased her torch as a keepsake.

Bryan Helm and Shane Hoose were selected to play in an honor band for the Indiana Music Educators Association (IMEA) on January 18 and 19. The IMEA is an organization which recognizes outstanding high school musicians. Bryan and Shane spent two days in intense rehearsals and then performed in a concert at the Indian Convention Center. Miss Simmons has been a member of the IMEA for over 25 years and is very excited that two of our students were selected for this band.

Shane Hoose and Bryan Helm



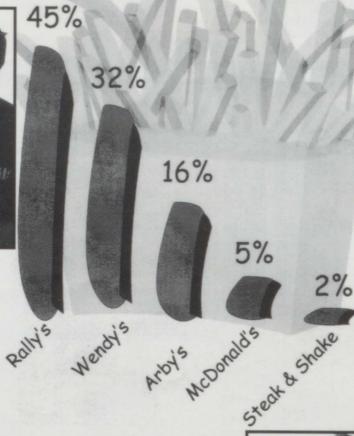
Top Five Fries

Matthew Dye and Michael McGuire

Top 5 Fries







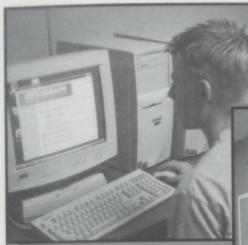
Joann Ray and Andrea Whitman

Brandon McClish and David McCartney



Juniors-54

Juniors in the Classroon



Adam Miller enhances his advanced grammar skills by working on the computer program Skills Bank during Mrs.

Darren Paguin's 2nd hour class. Photo

by Crystal Goens

Amy Pearson, Dedra Leisure, and Alison Roby present their history presentation over the aftermath of the Civil War during Mr. Steven Griffin's US history class, period 6. Photo by Samantha Hamrick



Taking a break from Mrs. Rhoda Luurtsema's pre-calculus class, Adam Johnson, Holly Albers, Christopher Phenis, Adam Searcy, Danielle Miller, and Joshua Undem group together. Photo by Jessica

1st and 10-Powder Puff Practice

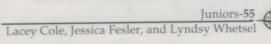
Running back Lacey Cole suggests to the quarterback Holly Albers and another offensive player, Amanda Hood, that they should incorporate a play so that they can run the ball to the right. Photo by Ellyn Diko



During a practice scrimmage, offensive players Kristin Worsley and Megan Church take on defensive players Whitney Nichols and Allison Roby. Photo by Ellyn



Head coach Clayton Whitson describes a specific play to team members Jessica Fesler, Amanda Hood, Alison Roby, Christina Soards, Krystal Farmer, and Rebecca Gardner during the week of powder puff practice. Photo by Ellyn Diko





Sophomore Steering Committee-Front row: W. Herrod, L. Secrest, C. Furnish, T. Taylor, M. Rodriquez, A. Frye, M. Henn, C. Fischer, S. Harris, M. Majors. Row 2: R. Jones, Z. Pine, K. Graham, J. Mort, K. Baumbauer, C. York, N. Conners, A. Stout, sponsor Mrs. Tammy Douglas. Row 3: K. Duffitt, S. Blair, M. Ashby, R. Noland, C. Norris, J. Fowler, J. Jeske, K. Nees, J. Rittenhouse. Row 4: B. Riser, D. Collins, J. Farr, W. Whetsel, K. Clouser, A. Simpson, K. Sullivan, J. Nance, R. Leighton. Back row: E. Caldwell, D. Dunnichay, A. Durm, K. Jones, A. Rebuck, K. Kessinger, K. Powers, K. Haynes, S. Richards. Photo by Indiana School Pictures

Sophomore Class Officers: Ashley Frye, Andrea Durm, Stacy Blair, and Keah Jones. Photo by Indiana School Pictures

Ryan Abbott Rachael Allen William Amick Alisha Arnold Matthew Ashby Elizabeth Bailey Caitlin Baker

Kassandra Baumbauer Becky Beeman Kendra Beeman Robert Beeman Travis Beeman Tiffany Blackford Stacy Blair

> Elizabeth Caldwell Brenton Call Kyle Cassidy Melissa Cast Krystal Cheney Nicholas Clark Jamie Cline

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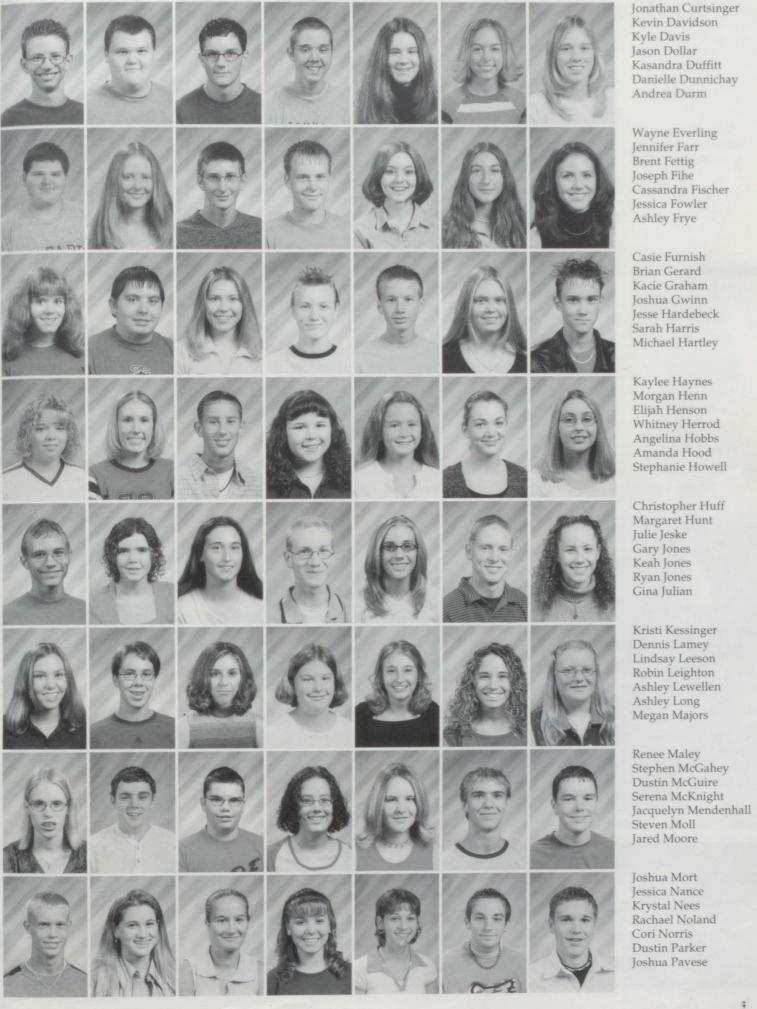








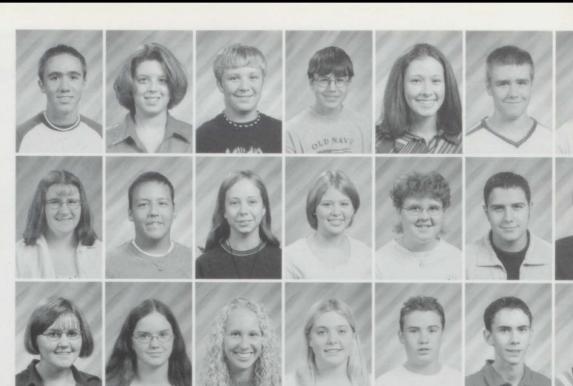




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Jessica Rittenhouse Matthew Rodriquez Jessica Rogers Kati Ruben April Rush Michael Saldana Zachary Savage

Lauren Secrest Candice Sheldon Ashley Simpson Amber Smith Rex Smith Justin Sowash Marletta Spearman







- 1. Cori Norris, Keah Jones, **Danielle Dunnichay**
- 2. 2004 Steering Committee
- 3. 2004 Cheer Block
- 4. Krystal Neese
- 5. Dustin Vertrees























Samantha Thompson Ryan Underwood Dustin Vertrees Steve Vincent Jacob Vinson Michael Vogel Jessica Ward













Whitney Whetsel Daniel Wilson James Wright Sierra Wright Corby York Cody Davis

How Do You Most Often Communicate with Your Friends?



Home Phone - 18%





Cell Phone - 5%

Email - 8%



In person - 69%



What does freedom mean to you?



"Freedom means being able to do what I want when I want and being able to stick up for what I

Ashley

"Freedom means a lot to me

individuality and my rights to

It stands for the rights of my

Beeman Becky

Freedom to me means I have the right to be myself. I don't have to live up to anybody else's expectations that people expect of me. I can be

my own person.

whatever I want without being told that I am wrong "I feel that freedom is being able to believe in Morgan Henn

thoughts. I feel like I can help be able to express my feelings and people make a difference in the Freedom means a lot. It lets me

Corby are able to state how they feel opinion. I feel that people do have the right to voice what they Freedom is basically their own "Freedom to me is when people



Freshman Steering Committee-Front row: Kaleigh Kelly, Lindsey Fuller, Mirriam Mustafa, Megan Himes, Brittani McPhearson, Ashley Duncan, Morgan Groover, and Amanda Jones. Row 2: Lacie Johns, Brenna Gatewood, Alexis Hanlin, Brittany Cubel, Mr. Greg Granger, sponsor, Chelsie Beach, Heather Twiford, Ashley Mort, and Brandie Sylvester. Row 3: Andrew Hoppenrath, Kyle Walker, Alexandra Richwine, Farrin Gregg, Diana Leopke, Grace Saxton, Tabitha Willhoite, and Amanda Jennings. Row 4: Jared Posey, Bryan Huffman, Mark Mundy, Timothy Hovious, Garret Jones, Christopher Lovell, San Ramirez and Michael Zigler. Back row: Megan Green, Terra Small, Shaunna Smith, Christina Hannah, Andrea Stewart, Maxwell Gross, Benjamin Helm, Zachary Summers, and Michael Swan.



Freshman Class Sheet-Third Place





















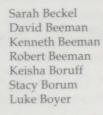












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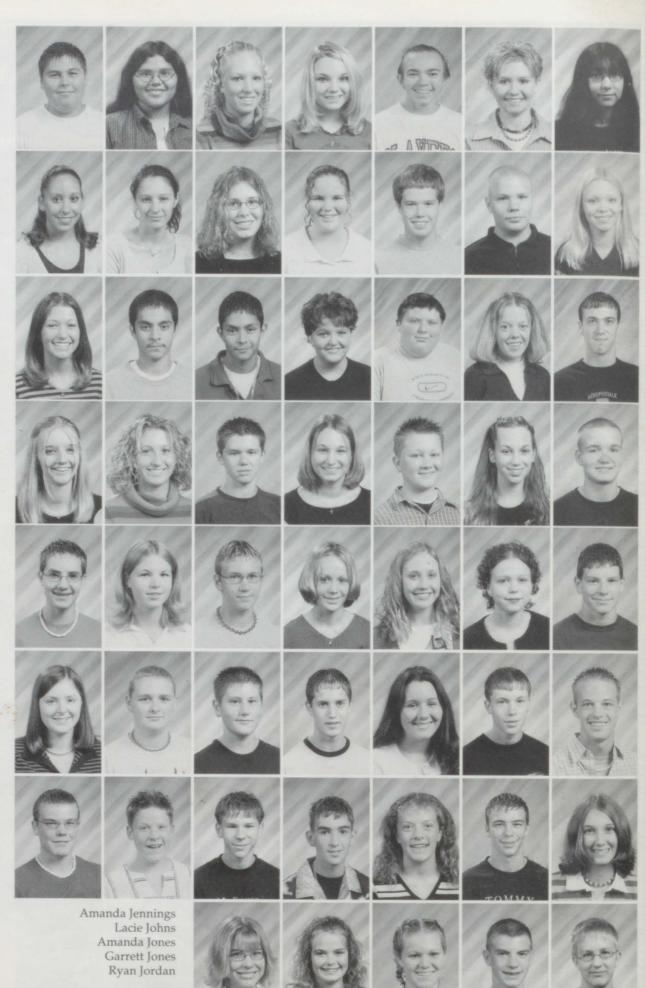
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Clarissa Hendershot Curtis Henderson Walter Hestand Kyle Hibst Megan Himes Marcus Hobbs Andrew Hoppenrath

> Timothy Hovious Kenneth Howell Steven Howey Bryan Huffman Kelly Ice Jackie Idlewine Megan Ischay







Aaron Kane Kaliegh Kelly Jeanne Kramer Nicholas Lashure Kristy Lawson Christopher Lee Andrew Leisure

Ashley Lemond Diana Loepke Christopher Lovell Jeremy Luse Robert Luse Sarah Luyet Jessica Maddox

William Mark Jeffrey Marlow James McClain Steven McConnell Richard McGinnis Richard McGinnis Derrick McKinley

Brittani McPhearson Joseph Metz Tasha Minix Ashley Mort Mark Mundy Marriam Mustafa Elizabeth Neil

All About Farrin



a time of 1:19.55. Photo provided by Brian Dockery



As a freshman, swimmer Farrin Gregg made an impact on the Panther swim team. In her first four meets, she broke and re-broke two high school records. On November 12 at the meet against Hamilton Heights and Oak Hill, Farrin broke the 100-yard breastroke with a time

of 1:19.55. During her second meet against Northwestern she broke the 200-yard individual medley for the first time with a time of 2;40.10. Then on November 20 at the meet against Delta, Farrin broke her own 200 individual medley record with the time of 2:37.07. Shortly after at her fourth meet against Hamilton Heights, she broke the 100-yard breastroke for the second time, finishing the event in 1:18.10. Farrin plans to work with the swim program year-round.

Tyler Nichols
Jason Noble
Jon Ross Noble
Michael Northcutt
Steven O'Neal
Lacie Patterson
Anna Pavan

Kristianna Peace Kristin Pete Johnny Phillips Christina Ploughe Jared Posey Joseph Pratt Jessica Purnell

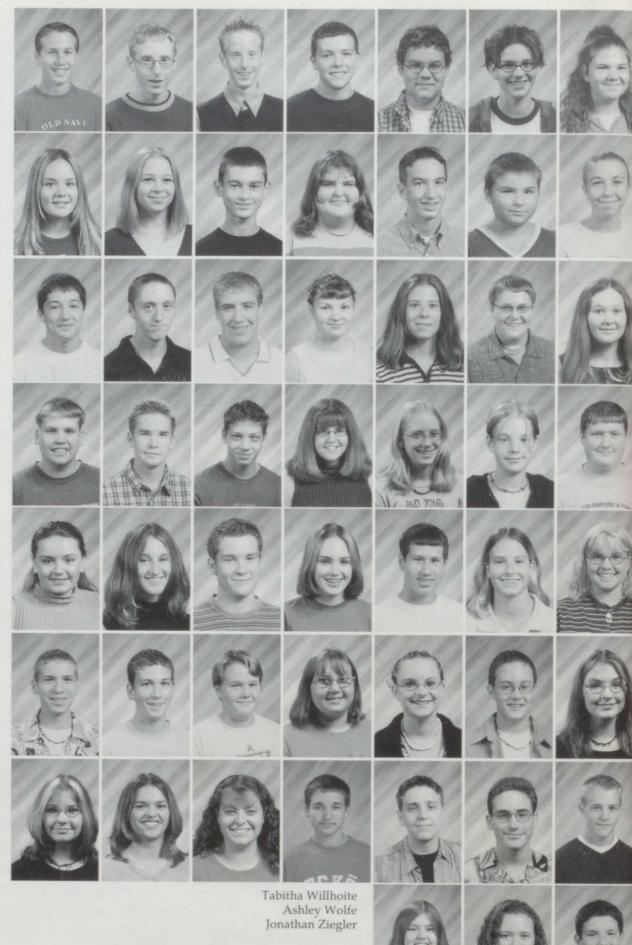
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Kyle Strong Zachary Summers Mike Swan Brandie Sylvester Amber Tarter William Tipton Kaitlin Toney

Katherine Toney Heather Twiford Mindy Van Hoosier Tim Van Skyke Landon Vinson Scott Vogel Kyle Walker



John H. Hinds Career Center

On the Path to the Future

Guidance Advisory Committee

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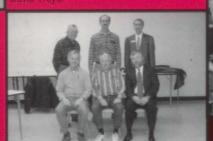
Margaret Sheets



General Advisory Committee

Melissa Abernath Judith Butcher Tom Eversman Neal Pedro Jason Hester Stan Kowaleski

Tom Austin George Dudley Ron Green Theresa Hartman Phil Huffman James Pearson



AM Student Council



PM Student Council

Front row: Jacob Elsworth, Mr. Neal Pedro, John Cooper. Row 2: Kemmon Jones, Joshua Parker, Leland Sexton, Joanne Ray. Back row: Brandon Hurd, Steven Hollowell, David McCartney, Scott Townsend,

Row 1: Wayne Quiring, Dawn Parish, Mr. Neal Pedro Ray Purvis, Ashley Reeves. Row 2 Nathan Sylvester Steven. Arnold Jamie. Groover Joshua. Secrest Back. row: Joey Wolf, Adam. Cox. Kevin Shirk, Christopher Romine Jessica. Burns, Matthew Coleman.



David McCartney, a member of the first-year vocational health occupations class, exercises a patient's broken leg. Photo by Ellyn Diko



Drafting student Christopher Hall diligently works on his upcoming project. Photo by Ellyn Diko



Emily Hartman and Hailey Fern check their Alpha Bits cereal box to see if they have all of the letters in the alphabet. Photo by Ellyn Diko

Welding

Connecting to the Real World



A.M. Class

Front row: Chase Bond, Ryan Jeske, Michael Bartlett. Back row: Brandon Fisher, Michael McGuire, Mr. Guy Blanchard, Leland Sexton, Jeffery Sherril.



P.M. Class

Front row: Wayne Quiring, Bill Sayre, Mr. Guy Blanchard, Bob Yeagly, David Stiles. Back row: Dennis Surthard, Christopher Romine, Jason Putnam, Nicholas Lasker, Ray Hickman, Andrew Mason



Michael McGuire, Leland Sexton, and Jeff Sherril work on cutting a piece of sheet metal during Mr. Guy Blanchard's morning welding class. Photo by John Rice



Ryan Jeske welds
two pieces of metal
together during the
morning welding
class. The welding
class accomplished
the project of rebuilding a trailer.
Photo by John Rice



Career Center-64B

Lindsay Posey and Sarah Hartley

Business Classes

Experiencing the Workforce



A.M. Business Technology

Front row: Cindy Armstrong, Trevor Savage, Mrs. Tammy Davis, Shannon Dollar, Shanna Croy. Back row: Amanda Parsons, Timothy Little, Derek Peck, and Jamie Groover.



P.M. Business Technology

Front row: Kaylie Robertson, Rachael Ousley, Mrs. Tammi Davis, Chelsie Miller, Shanna Croy. Row 2: Emily Devor, Kelsey Schmink, Bailee Engle, Terra Holt. Back row: Ashley Smith, Ashley Green, Ryan Castor, Jamie Groover, Jennifer Ashby, Amanda Parsons.



D.E.C.A.

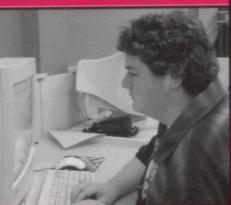
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B.P.A.

Front row: Ashley Butler, Shanna Croy, Jenny Ashby, Rachael Ousley, Natalie Gillson, and Ashley Green. Row 2: Ghanna Croy, Kelsey Schmink, Kaylee Robertson, Chelsie Miller. Back row: Shannon Dollar, Emily Devor, Terra Holt, Ryan Castor, Mrs. Tammi Davis, Timmie Lyttle, Trevor Savage, Ashley Smith, and Bailee Engle.

Business technology student Trevor Savage produces a community newsletter using a program on Microsoft Office. Photo by Ellyn Diko





Participating in the "Rock-a-thon," DECA students April Thompson, Kristi Sides, and Panzella Walden help raise money for needy children during the Christmas season. Cracker Barrel contributed seven rocking chairs for the event, Photo by Lindsay Posey

Auto Body



AM Class- Front row: Christopher Bryan, Mr. Rodney Murray, David Nelson. Back row: Thomas Lashure, Scott Townsend, Charlie Dial, Steven Hollowell.



PM Class-Front row: Nathan Sylvester, Roy Purvis, Chuck Teter, Justin Lunum, Chance Norris. Row 2: Jeremiah Kelich, Christopher Coker, Patrick Powell, Ryan Dudley, Kurtis Denham, Mr. Rodney Murray.



Senior Scott Savage buffs the exterior of an automobile during his morning auto body class. Students in thiscourse also paint, sand, remove dents, and wash vehicles. Photo by Ellyn Diko

Auto Mechanics



AM Class- Front row: James Vincent, John Cooper, Ryan McCorkle. Back row: Zachary Toby, Nathan Hollingsworth, Mr. Rodger Shanks, Michael Goodknight, Benjamin Reid.



PM Class-Front row: Derek Dehart, Mr. Rodger Shanks, Jaime Pugh. Row 2: Keith Boston, Matthew Ice, John Stone, Brian Copper. Back row: Devin Carter, Wes Hudson, Kevin Shurk, John Davis, Mark Nemyer.



Mr. Guy Blanchard instructs Michael Goodknight on the mechanics of the engine during auto mechanics class. Photo by Ellyn Diko

Printing

Community Creativity



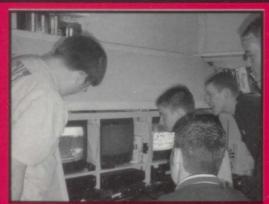
A.M. Class

Front row: Karen Ball, Magen Idlewine, Holly Evans, Telisha Harris, Sarah Hesselman. Row 2: Rayna Honchell, Joshua Ball, Kemmon Jones, Mr. Don Fortner, Brandon Louthem, Kyle Jordan, Bradley Stewart. Back row: Adam Boyland, Nicholas Oldham, Jarod Holloway, Nathan Metz, Aaron Boyland, Nicholas Oldham, Jarod Holloway, Nathan Metz, Aaron Boyland,



P.M. Class

Frontrow: Billie Owens, Chelsea Moore, Stephaney Tomilison, Mallory Gillam. Row 2: Katy Black, Jamie Punis, Mr. Don Fortner, Dawn Parish, Daniel Vincent, Back row: Whitney Nichols, Gregory Johns, Joel Nichols, Steven Amold, Phillip Townsend, Brian Fanging.



A. M. Printing class students Kyle Jordan, Jarod Holloway, Joshua Ball, Nathaniel Metz, and Adam Boyland view video footage for editing. Photo by Ellyn Diko



Working on the printing press, Nicholas Oldham and Brad Stewart produce pages for the commemorative bicentennial book which was produced for the Elwood Chamber of Commerce. Photo by John Rice

Building Trades



A.M. Class-Front row: Neil Conroy, Mr. Jeff Clark, Brock Schuler. Row2: Drew Beason, Joshua Secrest, Zac Baldridge, Travis Scott, Jay Hart, Chris Hiatt. Back row: Jared Burcharts, Adam Cox, Matt Schultz, A. J. Sampson, Tory Clark.



P.M. Class-Front row: Jason Johnson, Jay Adair, Montana Goens, and Sam Loser. Back row: Joshua Parker, Justin Rominger, Mr. Jeff Clark, William Howell, and Brandon

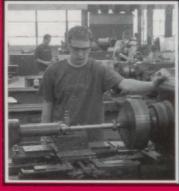
Machine Trades



AM Class-Front row: Kyle Vanmatre, Dustin Landrum, Tyler Riley, Michael McPhearson. Back row: Kenneth Fanning, Joseph Vehikite, Mr. Shannon Carson, Jeremiah Gregg, Jacob Elsworth. Back row: Gabriel Richwine, Mark McCarty, Jarred Toney, Clint Groover.



P.M. Class- Front row: Joey Wolf, Tyler Cox, Joseph Arnold, Steven Taber. Row 2: Andy Simms, Nathan Flook, Mr. Shannon Carson, Matthew Coleman, Paul Coffman. Back row: Paul St. Clair, Ethan Pierce, Dustin Castor, Casey Haron, Ty Dalton.



Michael
McPhearson
uses a lathe
to cut inside
diameters of
steel stock
during his
morning
machine
trades class.
Photo by
John Rice



Montana Goens measures a piece of drywall for his morning building trades class. The class built a two-story, three-bedroom home on State Road 37 for Mel and Marcie Frye. Photo by John Rice



Junior Jared
Toney uses a
s u r f a c e
grinder to
achieve the
exact dimensions on a
piece of metal
for his machine trades
p r o j e c t .
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John Rice

Career Center-64F

Vocational Health Occupations

Promoting Wellness



First Year Class

Front row: Victoria Dudley, Desire Simpkins, Mrs. Marsha White, Ashley Ortiz, Ivy Arehart. Row 2: Tina Foor, Heather Huffman, Stacey Johnson, Joanne Ray, Andrea Whitman, Lindsay Plummer. Back row: Ashleigh Wylle, Christopher Hoel, David McCartney, Brian Gillam, Julie Bellamy.



Second Year Class

Britney Shipley, Cylie Good, Ashley Reeves, and Mrs. Marsha White



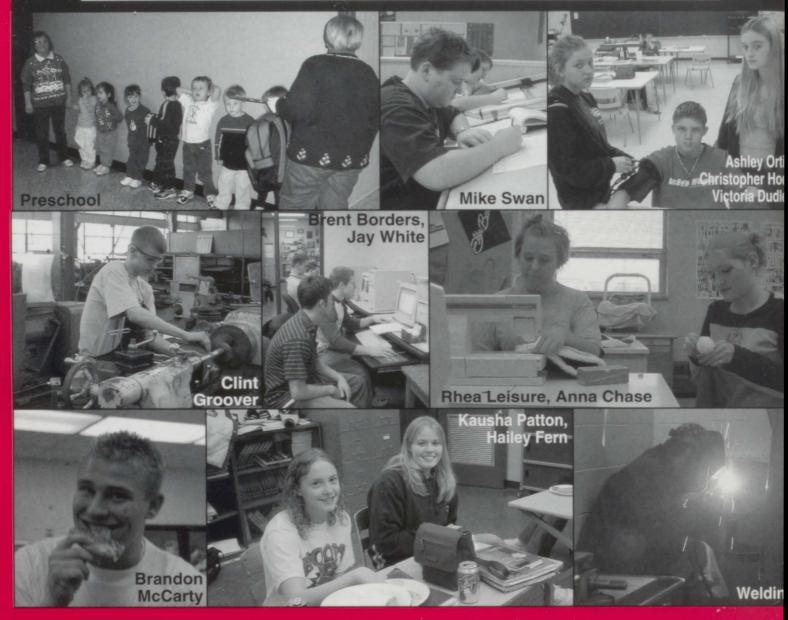
Vocational student Lindsay Plummer checks Julie Bellamy's blood pressure. Lindsay plans to enter the nursing field after continuing her education. Photo by Ellyn Diko



ivy Areheart and H e a f h e r Huffman practice cardiopulmonary resuscitation on their adult dummy in the health occupatons class. During the course students learn the job specifications of the nursing field. Photo by Ellyn Diko

A Day at the "Voca"

Students Learn Career Skills



All in the Family



Brittney and Ashley Cubel

"It's nice to have my sister in the same school. If I ever need her during the day, I can just go get her. She also gives me a ride to school every day, so I don't have to ride the bus."

-Brittany Cubel

Kray and Hailey Fern

Itdoesn't bother me that much to have my sister in the same school, just as long as she doesn't bug me."

-Kray Fern



Lacie and Greg Johns

"I feel more comfortable because I have someone to talk to when others won't talk to me. I'm also glad I have someone to stick up for me all the time, no matter what. I love you Greg!"

-Lacie Johns



Bryan and Chad Huffman

"It was kind of weird to begin with, but after awhile I started to get used to things. He is friends with my friends, and I am friends with his. It's kind of fun, but things could be much worse!"

-Bryan Huffman



Alex and Gabe Richwine

"Having an older sibling in high school is ok because we don't really see or talk to each other that much. The few times that we do see each other, we just walk by and don't speak."
-Alex Richwine

Bryan and Ben Helm

"It's not that much different being in school with Bryan because I don't get to see him that much, but it is good to have someone who will help me with my homework."

-Ben Helm



Amanda, Tim, and Megan Hovious

"It's pretty cool to be in high school with my two sisters. We've never all been together in school. I kind of think it will be better next year when Mandee's gone; she's the mean one."

-Tim Hovious



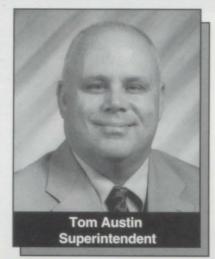


Jared and Lindsay Posey

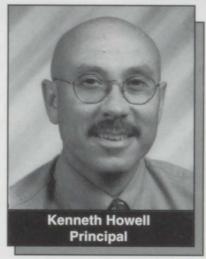
"I love being in school with my sister. She brings me to school, and it is cool to see her in the halls because I barely see her at home."

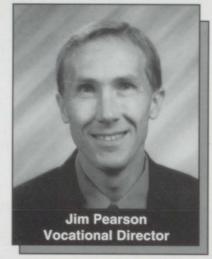
-Jared Posey

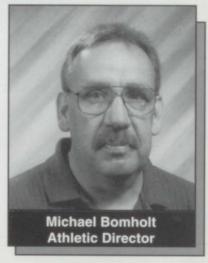
Administration-Leading the Way



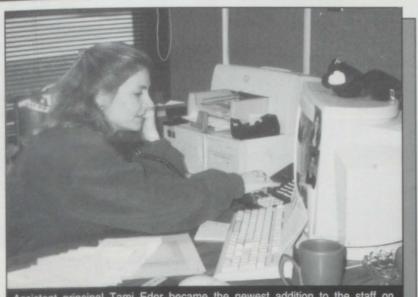












Assistant principal Tami Eder became the newest addition to the staff on Septmber 29, 2001. Her responsibilities include recording attendance, supervising and disciplining students, and scheduling parent conferences. After 11 years as a Spanish teacher, she returned to Purdue University and earned her administration license. Photo by Samantha Hamrick.

Answering phones, keeping attendance records, assisting students and faculty, and processing information are the responsibilities of Carol Ashby, Kandie Courtney, and Sharon Haynes as they spend their time in the high school office. Photo by Darren Paquin



Faculty-Paving the Path



Karen Abel-Mathematics Leonard Arbogast-Science Vernon Bedel-Art Laura Bubp-Art Vick Blair-Mathematics Andrea Canaday-English Dana Culp-Aquatics

Tami Davis-Business Technology Tami Douglas-Special Ed. Sherry Drummond-English Don Fortner-Voc. Printing Kevin Frye-Health Diana Garner-Latin Donald Garner-Mathematics

Gregory Granger-Phys. Ed. Steven Griffin-Social Studies David Henson-Business Elizabeth Herndon-English David Hoffman-History Max Hoppel-Business Philip Huffman-Guidance

Nina Huntsinger-Technical Coord. Julie Johnson-Driver Ed. Paula Juday-Social Worker Matthew Lane-Industrial Tech. Rhonda Luurtsema-Mathematics Jack Mason-Science Joann Mercer-English

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Angela O'Donnell-Library Darren Paquin-English Neal Pedro-Voc. Guidance Linda Personette-Phys. Ed. Wendy Riser-Social Studies ohn Schaeffer-Family/Consumer Sci. Bradley Scott-Music

Paula Simmons-Music Troy Simpson-Marketing Ronda Smuck-Family/Consumer Sci. David Stowers-Basic Skills Jane Tracy-Spanish Janet Trowbridge-Special Ed. Ann Webb-Business

> Marsha White-Health Occ. Joseph Williams-Ind. Arts Barbara Yates-Science Scott Zent -Mathematics



Secretaries/Aides

Carol Ashby-Asst. Prin. Secv. Anna Brunnemer-Guidance Secy. Linda Clark-Preschool Regina Collins-Payroll andie Courtney-Tres. Secy to Prin. Joanna Etchison-Student Records Theresa Hartman-Ath. Dir. Secy.

Sharon Haynes-I.S.R. Aide Nancy Mitchell-A.B.E. Aide Ann Moyer-Preschool Aide Patricia Murray-Preschool Dir. Polly Redmond-Adult Basic Ed.











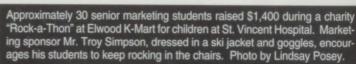














truck at Kutche's because her last truck did not have enough passenger room. She uses the vehicle to haul snowmobiles and her Bass-fishing boat on vacations and to competitions. Photo by Lindsay Posey.





Cafeteria















Shelley Bellemy Martha Bennett Kay Culp Becky Faulstich Roberta Frye Roberta Hankley Brenda Short

Traveling the Path from the Past



Front row: Marylin Barnett, Barbara Yates, David Hoffman, Diana Garner, and Bevery Austin. Back row: Debra Pearson, Diana Weddel, Elizabeth Herndon, James Pearson, Roberta Welker, Karen Abel, Joanne Sullivan, June VanWagner, Rhonda Luurtsema, Mindy Parker, and Janet Trowbridge.



On December 20,2001, Mrs. Joanna Etchison retired as the student records secretary after 19 years of service. She applied this position because it had the same school schedule as her children. Since that time she has enjoyed watching students grow and mature, especially her son, a quarterback for the 1987 state runner-up football team. Photo by Lindsay Posey

Joanna Etchisor

People on the Move

Rodger Shanks



On December 20, 2001, Mr. Rodger Shanks, auto mechanics instructor at the career center, works with a student for the last time. He resigned to assume a missionary position in the Czech Republic with his wife. Shanks, after 20 years as a faculty member, will now be working with Wesleyan World Missions. Photo by Samantha Hamrick

<u> PECHS</u>



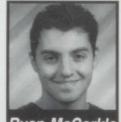
What does Spanish club do to help the community?

"Spanish club, on an individual volunteer basis, help members at the Oakland carnival. We also donate canned goods to different organizations in the community."

What are your favorite Latin club activites?

"My favorite activities include making pizza and having gettogethers with the other members, eating pies for Rome's birthday, and helping families at Christmas."

udents in Action



Ryan McCorkle



How would you bring more people to Spanish club?

"If the students could take two or three days of class before they make their final decision on a language class, then I believe that more students would be involved in Spanish club."

Question and Answer

Front row: L. Cole, A. Roby, Mrs. Barbara Yates, M. Ischay, B. Caldwell. Row 2: N. Oldham, J. Frye, M. Mustafa, S. Blair, J. Groover, C. Huffman, M. Prieshoff, M. Rodriquez, and K. Porter. Row 3: J. Rice, M. McPhearson, M. Himes, S. Hartley, J. Ashby, S. Croy, L. Posey, M. Cheung, J. Coffman, A. Miller, C. Miller, and E. McDanell. Row 4: S. Dollar, M. Minix, M. Church, W. Harod, J. Fowler, A. Beeman, L. Whetsel, B. Borders, B. McCarty, D. Smith, A. Jarrett, G. Jones. Row 5: K. Worsely, D. Lamey, A. Durm, A. Frye, A. Mort, M. Marsh, K. Farmer, G. Sexton, T. Willhoite, L. Fuller, and A. Hoppenrath. Row 6: M. Hovious, R. Jones, Z. Pine, E. Caldwell, D. Dunnichay, A. Cosby, J.White, M. McDermit, D. Collins, B. Gatewood, K. Graham, L. Johns, and C. Beech. Back row: J. Mort, W. Whetsel, K. Baumbauer, J. Farr, M. Henn, A. Simpson, K. Jones, A. Richwine, K. Kessinger, K. Clouser, K. Duffitt, N. Conners, and C. Norris.



Front row: Mr. Max Hoppel, Mr. Greg Granger. Row 2: William Amick, Matthew Rodriquez, Brent Borders, Zachary Pine, Nathaniel Metz, Amanda Miller, Jacob Vinson, Vanessa Cruz. Row 3: Katherine Gross, Jarret Cornwell, Morgan Henn, Lyndsy Whetsel, Ashley Frye, Cheyenne Davidson, Lucas Moser, Loressa Stone. Row 4: Anna Chase, Dennis Lamey, Danielle Miller, Clayton Whitson, Megan Church, Ashley Moser, Alison Roby, Adam Searcy. Back row: Joshua Tracy, Kristofer Couch, Gregory Boyland, Joshua Undem, Jessica Rodgers, April Rush, Elizabeth Bailey, Danielle Thompson.



Sports Teams-Athletes in Action



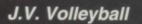
J.V.Cheerleading

Front row: Jessica Nance, Jessica Ward, Kisha Boruff, Cori Norris. Row 2: Brenna Gatewood, Kristi Kessinger, Kassandra Duffit, Whitney Whetsel, Lindsay Fuller, Keah Jones, Katie Clouser. Back row: Danielle Dunnichay, Jennifer Farr, Alexandra Richwine, Farrin Gregg, Britney Cubel, Alexis Hanlin



Freshman Volleyball

Front row: Brenna Gatewood, Morgan Groover, Ashley Duncan, Farrin Gregg, Britney Cubel. Row 2: Shauna Smith, Ashley Mort. Back row: AnaMaria Whitaker, Heather Twiford, coach Angie O'Donnel, Lindsay Fuller, Asst. coach Angela Murray, Marriam Mustafa, coach Emma Fox.



Front row: Kasandra Duffit, Ashley Mort, Jennifer Farr. Row 2: Megan Church, Farrin Gregg, Morgan Groover, Kristen Worsely, Holly Albers. Back row: AnaMaria Whitaker, coach Angela Murray, Dannielle Dunnichay, Kacie Graham, coach Angela O'Donnel, coach Emma Fox.



Students in Action-70

Samantha Hamrick and Sarah Hartley

Latin Club



First and Second Year

Front row: J. Posey, G. Jones, D. Dunnichay, A. Long, M. Rodriquez, J. Cornwell, E. Grogan, B. Helm, Z. Summers, R. Jordan, M. Arnold. Row 2: J. Gwin, M. Ashby, A Simpson, E. Caldwell, M. Mustafa, W. Whetsel, Mrs. D. Garner, A. Smith, J. Fowler, N. Hancock, B. McPhearson, L. Fuller, C. Beach. Row 3: W. Amick, J. Fihe, J. Arehart, A. Jennings, G. Saxton, T. Willhoite, K. Ice, M. Majors, A. Hanlin, B. Cubel, A. Richwine. Row 4: K. Lawson, M. Ischay, J. Mort, A. Mort, T. Small, C. Hannah, S. Smith, C. York, L. Summers, Z. Savage, L. Secrest, C. Furnish. Row 5: K. Cassidy, M. Ziegler, K. Clouser, A. Frye, A. Durm, K. Kessinger, K. Graham, N. Connors, C. Norris, C. Fischer, C. Baker, A. Pavan. Back row: J. Davis, J. Rittenhouse, R. Allen, S. Howell, J. Nance, T. Beeman



Third and Fourth Year

Front row: J. White, C. Huffman, B. Borders, J. Ashby, Mrs. J. Tracy, Row 2 T. Warner, M. Minix, L. Ball, N. Gillson, J. Frye, J. Coffman. Row 3: A. Jones, L. Moser, P. Walden, A. Miller, R. Ousley, N. Spradlin, D. Smith, C. Miller. Row 4: A. Hovious, M. Prieshoff, C. Groover, K. Farmer, A. Roby, M. Church, A Moser, N. Metz, A. Jarrett. Row 5: K. Jones, S. Hoose, J. Frasure, E. Champion, M. Luurtsema, A. Searcy, L. Stone. Back row: K. Patton, E. Harting P. Hesselman, M. Coubert, A. Miller, J. Elsworth, J. Cole.

Spanish Club



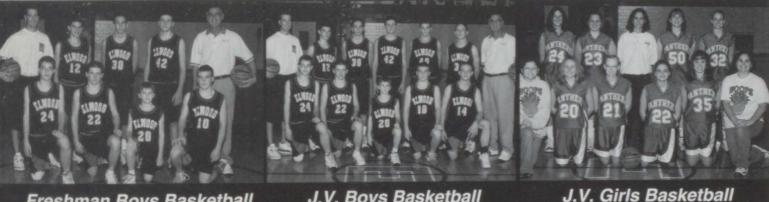
First and Second Year

Front row: V. Cruz, T. Taylor, K. Duffitt, S. Blair, Mrs. J, Tracy, J. Pavese, M. Hines, M. Brock, A. Elbert, and J. Maddox. Row 2: A. Hancock, M. Groover, A. Jones, K. Peace, Z. Pine, R. Jones, A. Duncan, S. Borum, H. Butler, M. Foggal, K. Hager, Row 3: K. Gross, M. Green, S. Harris, W. Harod, A. Stout, R. Noland, B. Gatewood, L. Johns, A. Stansberry, A. DeHart, B. Strong. Row 4; K. Shafer, D. Vertrees, M. Saldana, J. Moore, A. Rebuck, K. Jones M. Northcutt, D. Armstrong, S. Howey, B. Huffman, S. Ramirez, C. Hendershot. Back row: J. Curtsinger, J. Vincent, J. Cordial. M. Hartley, J. Nance, J. Farr, D. Collins, L. Vinson, A.Church, A. Hoppenrath, M. Mundy, H. Collier.



Third and Fourth Year

Front Row: J. Groover, S.Ball-Boyland, B. Helm, S. Hartley, E. Hartman, B. McClish. Row 2: Mrs. D. Garner, H. Day, C. Whitson, A. Hovious, J. Burns, A. Beeman, A. Jones, A. Richards. Row 3: A. Jarrett, C. Soards, E. Atwood, K. Worsley, D. Miller, J. Johnson, A. Delure, C. Goens, K. Jordan, Row 4: R. Leisure, J. Rice, T. Riley, M. McPhearson, K. Porter, J. Undem, J. Hancock, A. Lawson. Row 5: S.Reese, C. Phenis, H. Albers, A. Johnson, I. Arehart, T. Penn, G. Richwine, A. Cosby, S. Croy, T. Kessinger. Backrow: M. Hovious, D. Leisure, B. McCarty, E. McDanell, M. Cheung, C. Davidson, J. Vincent, J. Holloway.



Freshman Boys Basketball

Front row: Christopher Hall, Eric Grogan, Scott Cole, Timothy Hovious, Back row: assistant coach Kyle Noone, Garrett Jones, Jared Posey, coach Rod Hicks.

J.V. Boys Basketball

Front row: Christopher Hall, Eric Grogan, Scott Cole, Timothy Hovious, Andrew Hoppenrath. Back row: assistant coach Kyle Noone, Garrett Jones, Jared Posey, Michael Northcutt, Travis Beeman, Ryan Jones, coach Rod Hicks.

Ashlee Daleure, Kassandra Front row: Baumbauer, Keisha Boruff, Rachael Noland Back row: Shauna Smith, Anna Jones.

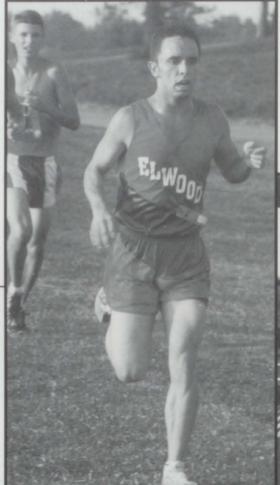
Amanda Jones, Coach Mindy Baker, Rebecca Gardner, Andrea Stewart.



Distance runner Lucas Moser leads the pack of other cross-country runners on the difficult Pendelton course during an invitational. Each cross-country course is approximately 4.1 miles long. Lucas ran the course in 17:50. Photo by Ellyn Diko



Amanda Miller
Photo by Ellyn Diko

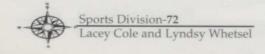


The athletic seasons were plagued with many injured athletes. From boys tennis to track and field, each sport had at least one injury. Injuries ranged from a jammed finger to torn ACL's and hour long surgeries. Some of the athletes who were injured were Front row: Brandon McCarty, and Brent Borders. Row 2: Jaime Coffman, Kausha Patton, and Benjamin Helm. Back row: Ashley Moser, Jacob Elsworth, and Justin Tracy. Photo by Crystal Goens





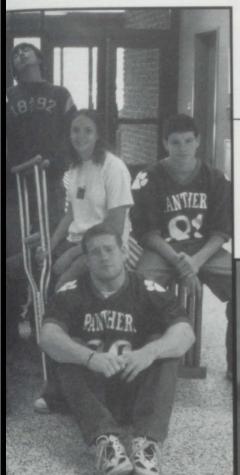
Brent Borders forces his opponent to the mat while the referee waits to call a pin. He was a CIC champ, sectional champ, 2nd place in regionals, semi-state qualifier, Honorable Mention All-State, and won the Kenny Green Mental Attitude Award. Photo by Lindsay Posey



Justin Sherman
Photo by John Rice

A Wild Ride











In the second leg of the 3200 meter relay, Ashley Simpson hands the baton to Farrin Gregg on May 22. The lady Panthers were victorious against its opponent, Frankton. Photo by Lucas Moser



During a home volleyball game against Tipton, sophomore Stacy Blair concentrates on passing the ball to the setter. The lady Panthers fought hard but lost in the end to Tipton. Stacey has played for the varsity team for 2 years. She has also been involved in various off-season volleyball teams. Photo by Indiana School Pictures

Jaime Coffman Photo by Indiana School Pictures

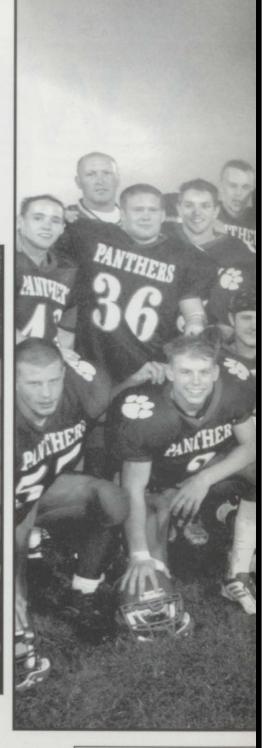


- Singing the school song
- 2. Hair braiding before each game





3. Eating at Jim's Drive-In after each home game

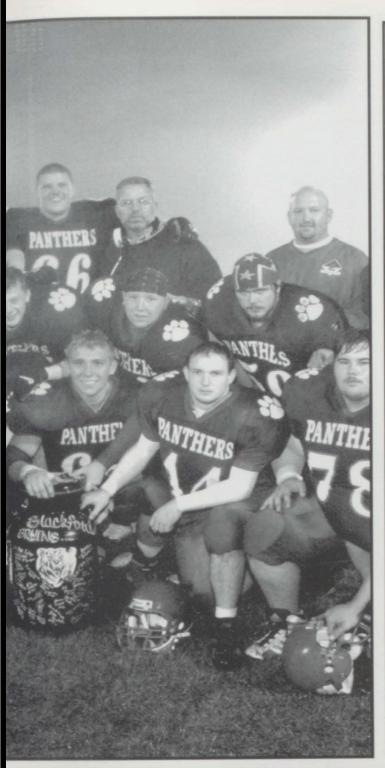


Defensive players-Front row:
Derek Peck, Adam Miller, Brian
Fanning, Brandon McCarty, Jade
Cornwell, and Nathan Sylvester.
Row 2: Jarrett Cornwell, Brent
Borders, Jacob Elsworth, William Amick, and Ryan Fanning.
Back row: Coach David Tunnell,
Tyler Nichols, Timmie Lyttle, Justin Frye, Coach Mike Goens, and
Coach Gregory Granger gather
around to celebrate their victory
over Blackford and cherish the
milk can tradition.

School Traditions

...give strength and depth to our athletic programs!





Do you have a superstition or a tradition that you perform before/after every game or match?

"We have a team dinner the night before every game, and we have a team prayer before we take the floor."

-Mr. Dave Henson







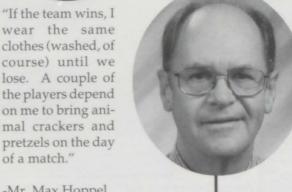
Before every football game we eat onion burgers and mushrooms from Hanch's Sandwich Shop. Also when I played baseball in high school, I had a lucky rock that I kept in my pocket during every game."

-Mr. Matthew Lane



"If the team wins, I wear the same clothes (washed, of course) until we lose. A couple of the players depend

pretzels on the day of a match."

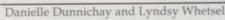


-Mr. Max Hoppel



Achieving their 14th consecutive C.I.C. victory were Megan Himes, Mallory Gillam, and Jessica Ward, managers; Ming Cheung, Brian Fanning, Brent Borders, Ryan Fanning, Jarrett Cornwell, Brent Caldwell, and Coach Rex Leavitt. Row 2: Ellen Atwood and Elizabeth Caldwell, managers; Kyle Riley, Jade Cornwell, Jacob Elsworth, Michael Luyet, Joshua Parker, Kyle Walker, Christopher Hoel, Christopher Lovell, and Coach Carl Caldwell. Back row: Coach Matthew Lane, Derek McKinley, Jay White, Jonathan Rodgers, Bradley Gillam, Derek Peck, Gregory Boyland, William Amick, Tyler Vincent, and Kray Fem.









What was one major difference between middle school and high school volleyball?

"Going from 8th grade to high school varstiy volleyball was a big change, but I worked hard to earn my position."

-Ashley Mort



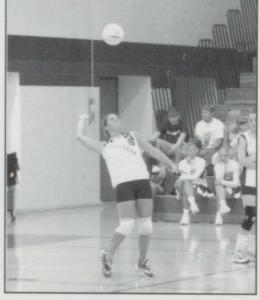
What is your most memorable moment in volley-ball during your senior year?

A:

"It was senior night when we lost the first game to Wabash but then came back and won the next two games."

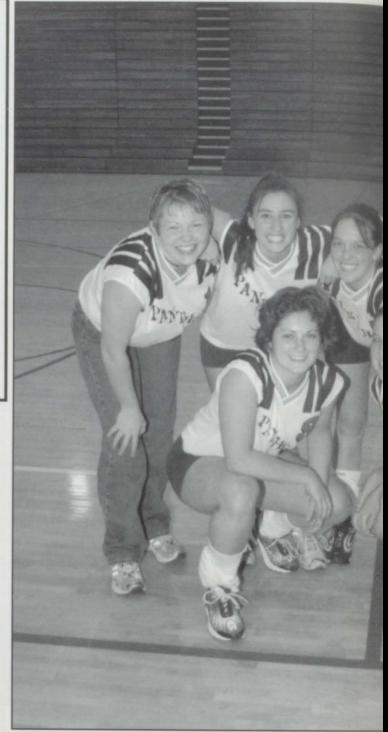
-Jamie Groover

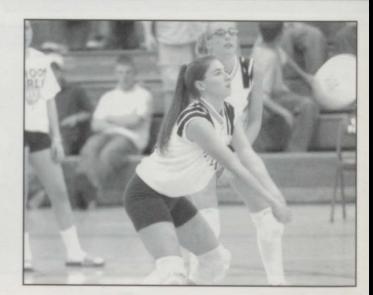
Serving the ball during the Tipton match, Lyndsy Whetsel ended the season with an 86 % serving average. Lyndsy played a positive role in increasing team morale throughout the year. Photo by Brian Dockery.



Varsity Volleyball Team-Front row: Jessica Fesler, Shanna Croy Row 2: Coach Angela O'Donnel, Kacie Grahm, Keah Jones, Megan Church, Lyndsy Whetsel, Lindsay Posey, Kristi Kessinger, Coach Angie Murray Back row: Manager Anamaria Whittaker, Andrea Durm, Jamie Groover, Stacy Blair, Jamie Coffman, Holly Albers, Coach Emma Fox Photo by Indiana School Pictures







Volleyball-76 Lindsay Posey and Sarah Hartley



The senior volleyball players, Jamie Coffman, Shanna Croy, Lyndsy Whetsel, Lindsay Posey. and Jamie Groover led their team to a three-game victory over Wabash on October 9th. Photo by Brian Dockery

Senior Shanna Croy digs up a spike from the Lapel hitter. Shanna contributed to the team with 69 digs during the season. Photo by Brian Dockery.

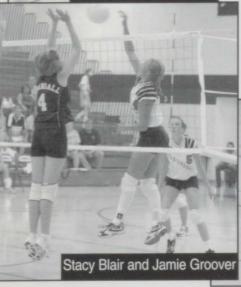
ended the year with a 6-19 record. The team struggled this season due to the youth and inexperience of the team. Coach Angela O'Donnel stated, "Although we had four seniors who contributed greatly, the majority of the team were sophomores with little or no experience at the varsity level. The valuable playing time that they received this year

The girls' varsity volleyball team will help the team in the next two seasons." Stacy Blair led the team offensively and defensively. She accumulated 140 kills and 306 digs, being the best digger and hitter. She was also named to the All-Conference, All-County, and the Indianapolis All-Metro North Honorable Mention. Coach Angela O'Donnel looks forward to having the underclassmen back next year which should bring great success.

As a Young Team the Lady Panthers Look Towards the Future to See Better Days

Panthers Struggle





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Madison Grant	2	0
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Wabash	2	
Sectional	0	2



The Panthers finished their season with a record of 5-4. They started the year with many injuries. Brent Borders was out the first three games because of back spasms along with Brad Stewart who was out with a broken ankle. Jake Elsworth also suffered a separated elbow in the Eastbrook game. The Panthers lost the first game in the sectional to Beech Grove, 31-6. "The record doesn't really show the success that we've had this year, but this team worked just as hard or harder than any otherfootballteam!'veevercoached," stated

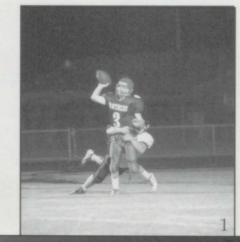
Coach Frye. Three offensive players were named to the All CIC team along with one defensive player, Justin Frye for offensive tackle, Brent Borders for running back, Tyler Nichols for receiver, and Ryan Fanning for defensive line. Justin Frye and Brent Borders also made the All-Area First Team for offense and Ryan Fanning for defense. The seniors who led the team included Jake Elsworth, Ryan Fanning, Bryan Fanning, Justin Frye, Tyler Nichols, Brent Borders, Bandon McCarty, Chase Bond, Nathan Sylvester, Michael Luyet, Tim Little, Jade Comwell, and Derrick Peck.

Senior Justin Frye puts a big hit on Frankton's tailback to stop him in his tracks and to cause the Eagles to punt for the third time of the game. Frye made the All-Conference team for the offensive line. He plans to attend either Ball State University or Indiana University on a full ride scholarship to play football. Photo by Brian Dockery

Football Equals P.R.I.D.E.

A season of Perseverance, Rebuilding, Injuries, Determination, and Effort

		Us	Them
	Winchester	32	14
7	Tipton	0	21
0	Mad. Grant	12	34
2	Eastbrook	27	14
7	Mississinewa	30	0
q	Wabash	46	7
o	Frankton	21	28
P	Alexandria	26	0
—	Blackford	28	24
	Beech Grove	6	31



Chase Bond boots his third field goal of the game with Tyler Nichols holding the football. Bond finished 4 for 4 against Blackford. Cornwell plows over Blackford's middle linebacker to run in for the second touchdown. Brandon McCarty drives his opponent to the ground while Clayton Whitson watches. Photo by Brain Dockery



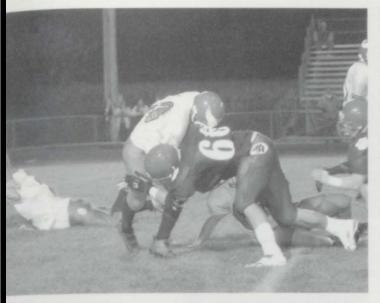
- Adam Miller throws the ball away as he is sacked during the Blackford game. Photo by Brian Dockery
- Jacob Elsworth eludes a tackle from the Blackford's defensive back. Photo by Brian Dockery
- 3. Assistant Coach Mike Goens talks to his defense about their strategy for the conclusion of the game against the Blackford Bruins. Photo by Brian Dockery





Football-78
Tyler Nichols and Lyndsy Whetsel



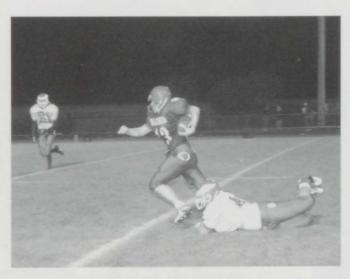


Coach Frye

"I think it's really important to maintain ownership of the milkcan for next year because it gives us an early season goal to work towards. The "can" really looks good in our trophy case."







During the homecoming game against Frankton on Septmeber 28 Tyler Nichols breaks a tackle from the Eagles defensive back to run for his first touchdown of the game. Nichols finished the game with two touchdowns and one interception which proved to be his best game of the year. Photo by Brian Dockery



Football Team-Front row: Emily Hartman, Sarah Ball Boyland, Mallory Gillam, Ashley Cubel, Missy Marsh, Magen Idlewine, Matt Rodriquez, Tiffany Penn, Steven Luyet, Jordan Arehart, Megan Hovious, Shanna Croy, Lyndsy Whetsel, Lacey Cole, Samantha Hamrick, and Dedra Leisure Row 2: Benjamin Helm, Dustin Reeves, Bradley Gillam, Zachary Pine, Jared Posey, Joshua Mort, Derek Collins, Gabriel Amick, Brian Fanning, Brent Borders, Ryan Fanning, Michael McGuire, Nathan Sylvester Row 3: Travis Beeman, Adam Church, Joseph Vehikite, Beau Riser, Jacob Vincent, Tyler Nichols, Jacob Elsworth, Bradley Stewart, Cody Davis, Thomas Lashure, Brandon McCarty, Derek Peck Row 4: Diana Loepke, Asheleigh Wylie, Audra Richards, Christopher Lovell, Michael Swan, Jonathan Ziegler, Nicholas Lashure, Jade Cornwell, Jarrett Cornwell, Derek McKinley, Kyle Riley, Jason Noble, Carrie Swan, Megan Coubert, Brittany Strong Row 5: Adam Miller, Ryan Vincent, Josh Frasier, Michael Luyet, Joseph Fihe, Justin Frye, Zachary Stevens, Gabriel Richwine, Clayton Whitson, Gregory Boyland, Joshua Tracy, Scott Townsend Back row: coaches: Leonard Arbogast, Kyle Richards, Matt Lane, Steven Ebert, Mike Goens, Head coach Kevin Frye, Jim Nichols, Greg Granger, David Tunnell, Scott Zent, student trainer Ashley Frye



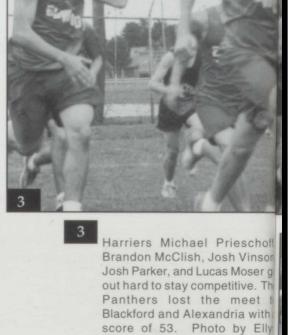
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1	Hamilton Hghts. Inv.	6th/10	7th/9
1.1	Oak Hill Inv.	7th/12	8th/10
[7	Blackford Inv.	16th/20	13th/15
	Alex/Blackford/Elwood	34/39/53	25/38/57
7	Tipton Invt.	12th/18	11th/15
I	Eastern/Elwood	28/28	17/45
a	Madison County	4th/6	5th/6
S	Frankton/Madison/Elwood	50/36/38	26/41/55
	Lapel/Tri-Central/Elwood	27/67/34	1/18/45
0	CIC	4th/8	7th/8
B	Sectional	9th/12	10th/12



Cutting Times

Runners Drop Times by 20, 30, even, 45 seconds.

The boys and girls cross country seasons set positive results compared to previous years. The one-two finishes by Ashley Simpson-Kassandra Baumbauer and Lucas Moser-Brandon McClish were strong indicators of a competitive team. Though the top two girl runners ran well in the conference meet, the boy's team relied on their third, fourth, and fifth runners to place fourth in the meet; according to Coach Henson this was the "best Elwood finish in years." Earning special recognition this year were Brandon McClish, All-County team, and Lucas Moser, All-County and All-Conference teams. The only members whom the team will lose to graduation are Amanda Miller, Michael Prieshoff, and Lucas Moser. Coach Henson is very proud of these two teams and looks forward to next year when he hopes to raise the standards and numbers to field an even stronger team.



Diko

Ashley Simpson turns in her bestime of the season, 17:48, agains a tough Eastern team on September 18. Even though Elwood los by a score of 17 to 45, Ashle consistently finished in the front the Elwood pack throughout the season. Photo by Crystal Goen

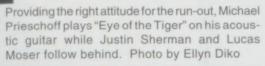
Cross Country-80

Lucas Moser, Ali Roby, and Lyndsy Whetsel

Dropping his previous time by nearly 1:30, Brandon McClish runs an 18:52 on the Pendelton cross country course. Brandon improved his time again by running an 18:25. Photo by Indiana School Pictures



Cross Country Team-Front row: Ashley Moser, Allison Roby Row 2: Kassandra Baumbauer, Josh Parker, Cheyenne Davidson, Coach Dave Henson, Ashley Frye, Jared Holloway, and Ashley Simpson Back row: Amanda Miller, Eli Henson, Brandon McClish, Josh Vinson, Justin Sherman, Michael Prieschoff, Chris Phenis, and Lucas Moser Photo by Indiana School Pictures









At the end of an exhausting home race, fellow runner Josh Vinson consoles Ashley Frye. On September 18 Ashley completed the Elwood course with her fastest time of the season at a 19:14 and finished a strong 10th place against Eastern. Photo by Crystal Goens

In 20 years what will you remember about this cross country season?

"I will remember tangling with Mr. Henson, but most of all, I will remember Lucas Moser always taking me home. He's like a brother to me."

What moment are you most proud of this season?

"I guess I'm proud of my Eastern home meet. It wasn't my best time of the season, but I was happy with my finish. I flew by two Eastern guys in the last 200 yds to finish 12th."

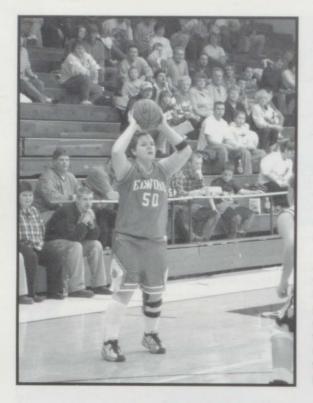




Cross Country-81



Lucas Moser, Ali Roby, and Lyndsy Whetsel



Varsity starter Albers Holly stands in a three point stance to avoid getting the ball stolen. Holly's last game for the year was against Tri-Central before having knee surgery for the second time to repair cartilage and a torn meniscus. Photo by Doc's Photography

Afterwarmingup, the varsity players huddle together to prepare for the game. In the huddle they discuss team goals and strategies for the game. Photo by Crystal Goens

On January 9 Ashley Mort is double teamed by two Lapel Bulldogs as she tries to pass to another teammate. As a freshman and a varsity player, Ashley Mort had to step up and be a leader even though she had a pulled quadricep. Photo by Doc's Photography



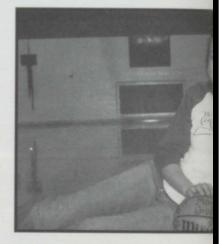


Lyndsy Whetsel and Amanda Miller were two of the four seniors honored on senior night. Lyndsy and Amanda were awarded Academic All-State Honorable Mention. Lyndsy's season ended early due to a severed ACL, medial meniscus tear, and a fractured femur. Photo by Doc's Photography

Varsity Team-Front row: Anna Jones, manager; Jamie Coffman, Amanda Miller, Ashley Frye,and Ashlee Daleure, manager. Back row: Asst. Coach Greg Granger, Andrea Durm, Holly Albers, Morgan Groover, Lyndsy Whetsel, Ashley Mort, and Coach Shelly Taylor. Photo by Indiana School Pictures



Freshman Morgan Groover, 6'1," was an outstanding asset to the Lady Panthers in the 2001-2002 season. Groover was honored with many awards throughout the season: All County, All CIC, and state ranked in the top 25 for scoring. She also broke Heidi Murray's record for most points scored in a game against Mississinewa. Groover is pictured with her 40-point ball. Photo by Allison Roby











Junior Allison Roby dribbles down the court during a varsity game against the tough Lapel defense. Ali played junior varsity at the beginning of the season but finished the season playing varsity because of the many injuries during the season. Photo by Doc's Photography

Holly Albers, Andrea Durm, Morgan Groover, Lyndsy Whetsel, Ashley Mort, Ashley Frye, and Allison Roby take time out of their busy basketball schedules to enjoy a fun night at Red Lobster in Anderson. Not only do the girls spend time together on the court but also the girls spend quality time off the court. Photo by Lyndsy Whetsel

Injuries=Losses

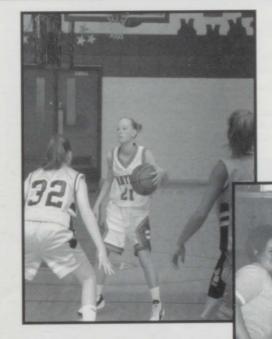
Lady Panthers fight to survive despite devastating injuries

The Lady Panthers had a remarkable season despite the injuries all year long. The Panthers finished with an 8-13 regular season record, 2-5 in the Central Indiana Conference, and runner-up in Madison County. Four out of the starting five had devastating injuries that made them miss at least one game. Jamie Coffman, Lyndsy Whetsel, and Amanda Miller were the seniors this year.

32	Eastern Sheridan	Us 51 46	Them 49 29
7	Delta	54	76
\approx	Oak Hill Eastbrook	42 43	55 54
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	Tipton	40	68
	Madison Grant	56	47
\mathcal{L}	Westfield	56	76
0	Blackford	40	45
N	Pendelton Hts.	54	41
	Tri-Central	49	55
	Haniltonl Hts.	42	59
ಹ	Lapel	63	57
$\ddot{\sim}$	Alexandria	36	62
\rightarrow	Mississinewa	68	74
7	H.Christian	48	57
~	Frankton	53	55
~	Pendelton	50	48
S	Anderson	56	52
Sa	Alexandria Sectional:	36	75
ш	Pendelton	44	66

Coffman missed the first half of the season with a fractured ankle, and Whetsel missed the last half with reconstructive knee surgery. Despite the many never ending injuries, the Panthers had some bright spots. Freshman Morgan Groover broke the scoring record with 40 points, tied the record of rebounds with 20, ranked in the top 25 in the state for scoring, and was a member of the All County and All CIC teams. Jamie Coffman was awarded All County; Whetsel and Miller were awarded Academic All State Honorable Mention. Coach Shelly Taylor was honored Madison County Co-Coach of the year. "The future outlook for this team is very good with the leading scorer and three starters coming back next year," stated Coach Taylor.







Girls Basketball-83



The boy's basketball team finished with a record of 14-7. Three seniors led the team this year. Thomas Kessinger was Elwood's top scorer, second in rebounding, and with 12 rebounds against Blackford, and second in assists. Tom was also the third leading scorer in the state with 1204 points. Justin Frye was the Panthers' top rebounder with a career high of 19 rebounds in one game, and he was the third leading scorer of the team. Michael Prieshoff played the 5th most in minutes, and he al-

ways hustled on both ends of the court. Head coach Dave Henson stated, "An after game experience that sticks out in my mind is celebrating a victory for the seniors on senior night and the big pileup after Joshua Vincent's game-winning shot against Shenandoah." The Panthers' strong points were taking care of the basketball and their outside shooting. If more players step up and become more consistent scorers next year, the Panthers will be successful in the future.

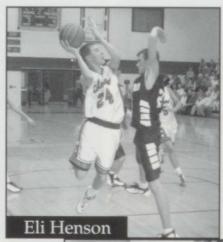
With two defenders charging towards him, Joshua Vincent puts up a shot barely in front of the threepoint line. As a point guard Josh is responsible for breaking the press and knowing where all of the other players are in different plays. Photo by Doc's Photography

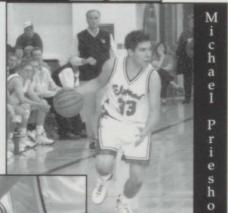
Jarod Holloway and Justin Frye fight their Eastbrook opponent on February 2 to obtain another rebound for the Panthers. Holloway, 6'5" and Frye, 6'6", shared the role of the "big man" in the middle this season. Photo by Dock's Photography

Varsity Panthers dribble, pass, and shoot for a ...

Winning Season

		Us	Them
15 3 2	Northwestern	67	53
2	Lapel	62	61
	Sheridan	66	52
\sim	H. Heights	72	66
\simeq	Tipton	49	71
64	Madison Grant	64	65
1	Rushville	56	45
	Blackford	84	69
\sim	Tri-Central	51	55
\simeq	Shenendoah	67	65
64	Highland	67	87
	Alexandira	66	58
<u>_</u>	Mississinewa	70	59
õ	Frankton	73	70
士	Eastern	67	54
O	Eastbrook	65	42
V	Pendelton	41	80
S	Wabash	59	49
<u>E</u>	Delta	64	75
m	Westfield	90	67
щ	Sectional:		
	Alexandria	55	56















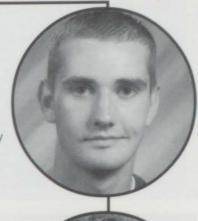
What do you believe was the best part of this season?

"My favorite memory was winning the C.I.C. for the third straight year. That is important because it's only the third time in school history that we have done that."

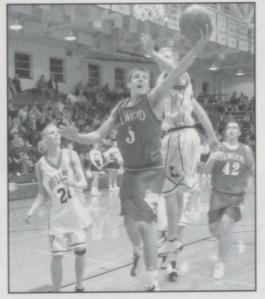
-Clayton Whitson

What is your favorite memory of this season?

> "To have the privelege of playing on the same team as the best player in the state, Tom Kessinger. We also had a good season and that makes everything worth it." -Brandon McClish







Splitting up his Lapel opponents, Thomas Kessinger makes a quick drive to the basket and scores two points to put the Panthers ahead of the Bulldogs late in the fourth quarter. Tom scored 1204 points during his high school career with 632 points just this year, and he was also the third leading scorer in the state with an average of 31.3 points per game. Photo by Doc's Photography

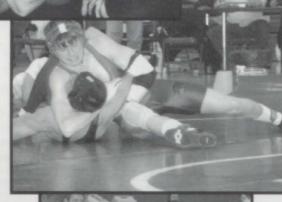
Varsity Team-Front row: Brandie Sylvester, manager; Kyle Jordan, manager; Krystal Neese, manager. Row 2: Head Coach Dave Henson, Andrew Hoppenrath, Coach Kyle Noone, Ryan Jones, Coach Brian Kirkwood, Joshua Vincent, and Coach Tim Hill. Back row: Michael Prieshoff, Clayton Whitson, Brandon McClish, Justin Frye, Jarod Holloway, Thomas Kessinger, and Eli Henson. Photo by Indiana School Pictures

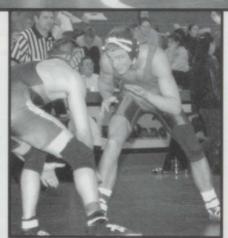


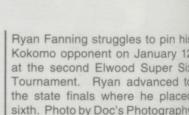




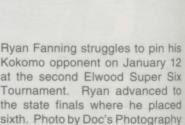
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Senior Jade Cornwell had an excellent wrestling season. After winning the sectional, the regional, and the semi-state, Jade advanced to state where he lost in the first round to Blake Maurer, the eventual state champion. Photo by Indiana School Pictures



Kokomo opponent on January 12 at the second Elwood Super Six Tournament. Ryan advanced to the state finals where he placed sixth. Photo by Doc's Photography

Jay White leg rides his Frankton opponent and works towards a pin

in the C.I.C. tournament. He re-

ceived first place in the 130 pound

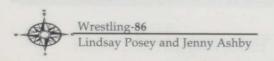
weight class at the tournament.

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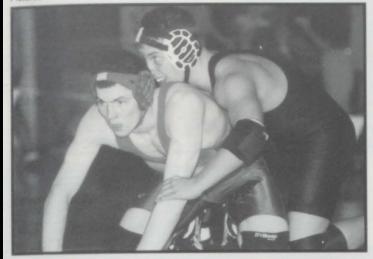
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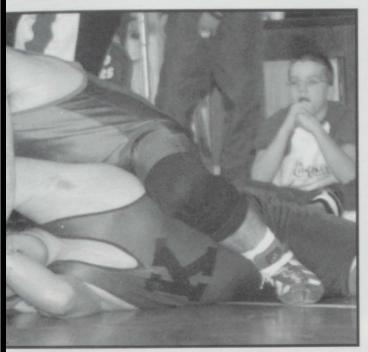
Leaving a Trail

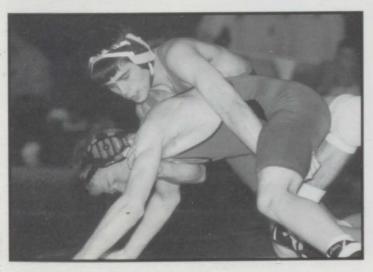
- * The C.I.C. Tournament 14th Consecutive Win
- * The Sectional Competition 8th Consecutive Win
- * Won both Elwood Super 6 **Tournaments**
- * Placed 2nd in Madison County Tournament
- * Brent Borders received Academic All-State Honorable Mention.
- * Ryan Fanning placed 6th in state.
- * Jade Cornwell advanced to state.



Wrestling Team- Front row: Ashley Cubel, manager; Stacy Blair, manager; Christopher Hoel, Jessica Ward, Christopher Lovell, Kyle Walker, Allison Rebuck, Ashley Simpson. Row 2: Gregory Boyland, Jarrett Cornwell, Kyle Riley, Jacob Vinson, Matthew Rodriquez, Tyler Vincent, Gabriel Amick, Bradley Gillam, Cray Fern. Row 3: Mallory Gillam, manager; Coach Carl Caldwell, Tyler Riley, John Rogers, Wayne Quiring, Ming Cheung, Charles Bond, Joshua Parker, Derrick McKinley, Coach Matthew Lane, Head Coach Rex Leavitt. Back row: Brian Fanning, Brent Borders, Kenneth Fanning, Jacob Elsworth, Brent Caldwell, Michael Luyet, Derek Peck, Jay White, Jade Cornwell. Photo by Indiana School Pictures

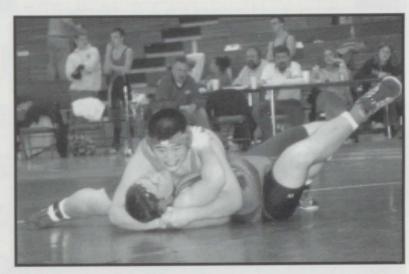








Michael Luyet awaits in the referee position for the whistle to sound so that he can escape his Eastbrook opponent in the C.I.C. tournament. Photo by Indiana School Pictures



Heavyweight wrestler Ming Cheung takes charge of the mat by controlling his opponent. Ming lost both rounds at the sectional in double overtime. Photoby Doc's Photography



Brian Fanning gets closer to a nearfall situation in his C.I.C. match against Wabash. He won the tournament and qualified for semistate. Photo by Indiana School Pictures

Grabbing his Mississinewa competitor's leg, Derek Peck works hard to get a takedown in the C.I.C. tournament where he advanced round after round to eventually win his weight class. Photo by Lindsay Posey



Wrestling-87 Lindsay Posey and Jenny Ashby

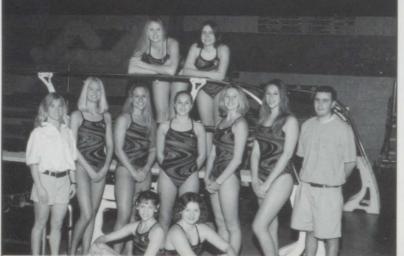
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Oak Hill/Hamilton Heights	38/120/60
Northwestern	106/69
Delta	133/52
Hamilton Heights	113/67
Muncie South	87/91
Western	110/71
Marion	129/52
Blackford	80/91
Flipper Invitational	3rd
Mount Vernon	118/61
Carrol	91/82
Highland	122/62
Eastern	119/59
Tipton	88/86
Westfield	129/47
Sectional	8th

Men's Swim Team

Hamilton Heights	80/67
Oak Hill Invitational	5th
Muncie South	114/64
Western Invitiational	3rd
Western	131/46
Marion	132/49
Blackford	101/70
Flipper Invitational	2nd
Mount Vernon	123/57
Carrol	120/55
Highland	94/72
Eastern	94/73
Tipton	51/81
Westfield	105/61
Northwestern	107/64
Delta	138/43
Oak Hill	129/52
Sectional	49/8th

Women's Swim Team

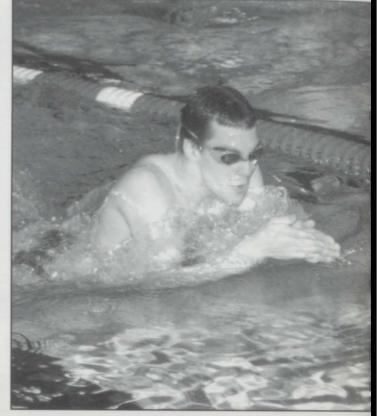


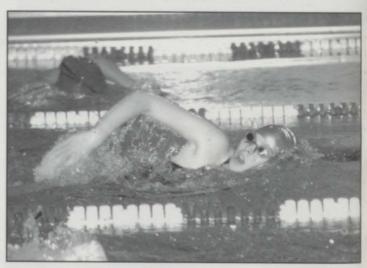
Girls Swim Team-Front row: Cori Norris and Glenna Richmond. Row 2: Coach Dana Culp, Cheyenne Davidson, Megan Church, Ashley Moser, Farrin Gregg, Danielle Miller, and Coach Jared Malott. Back row: Tessa Warner and Sarah Hartley. Photo by Indiana School Pictures

Men's Swim Team



Boys Swim Team-Front row: Coach Dana Culp, Lucas Moser, Michael Ischay, Michael Luurtsema, Bryan Helm, and Coach Jared Malott. Back row: Arvid Frazier, Josh Undem, and Luke Boyer. Photo by Indiana School Pictures





Senior captain Tessa Warner, a three-year member of the team, worked diligently to promote optimism and cooperation between her teammates. Her events during this season included the 50-yard freestyle, 100-yard freestyle, and 100-yard breastroke.



Junior Michael Luurtsema, one of the team's leading scorers, returned this season after participating during his freshman year. In addition to shattering the 200-yard individual medley record by nearly five seconds during sectional preliminaries, he also advanced to the consolation finals, placing 12th.





Sophomore Cori Norris, the girls team's single diver, advanced to sectional finals, eventually placing 10th. To improve her diving techniques, Cori attended workshops in Noblesville throughout the season.

Exceptional talent and diligence were the forces behind the girls and boys competitors who, despite a lack of numbers, completed a record breaking season. By the last event of the boys sectional competition on February 16, 2002, the two teams had produced a combined total of 13 new school records. The teams also found individual success at their respective sectional competition as several members advanced to consolation finals. Cori Norris, the girls team's only diver, placed 11th in the diving competition. Advancing on the boys team were Myke Luurtsema, placing 12th in the 200-yard individual medley,

Lucas Moser, 12th in the 200-yard freestyle, and Michael Ischay, 6th in the 100-yard backstroke. The 200-yard medley relay team of Ischay, Luurtsema, Moser, and Brent Fettig also produced a 6th place finish. However, the swimmers could not celebrate a winning season, as the ten girls and seven boys could not fill three lanes for each individual event and team relay. As a result, the girls ended the season with a record of 2-11 while the boys finished with a 1-14 record. The team will be losing veteran senior swimmers Michael Ischay, Lucas Moser, Sarah Hartley, Tessa Warner, and diver Arvid Frazier.

LOW NUMBERS DID NOT DISCOURAGE THE DETERMINATION THIS YEAR'S SWIM TEAMS AS TOGETHER

the Board

chool Record

Boys 200-Yard Medley Relay

Ischay, Luurtsema, Moser, Fettig 2/16/02 1:52.42

Girls 200-yard Freestyle

Ashley Moser 01/07/02 2:17.84

Girls 200-yard I.M.

Farrin Gregg 11/20/01 2:37.07

Boys 200-yard I.M.

Myke Luurtsema 2/14/02 2:16.76

Boys 50-yard Freestyle

Michael Ischay 2/14/02 24.15

Girls 100-Yard Butterfly

Sarah Hartley 01/31/02

Boys 100 Yard Freestyle



Ashley Moser

Luke Boyer

Farrin Gregg

Girls 500-Yard Freestyle

Ashley Moser 1/7/02 6:12.48

Girls 200-Yard Freestyle Relay

Hartley, Miller, Moser, Gregg 1/12/02 1:57.60

Boys 100-yard Backstroke

Michael Ischay 2/14/02 1:00.46

Girls 100-Yard Breastroke

Farrin Gregg 11/27/01 1:18.10

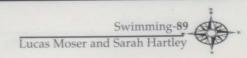
Boys 400-Yard Freestyle Relay

Moser, Boyer, Luurtsema, Ischay 2/16/02 3:44.14

Girls 400-Yard Freestyle Relay

Hartley, Church, Moser, Gregg 2/02/02 4:21.53





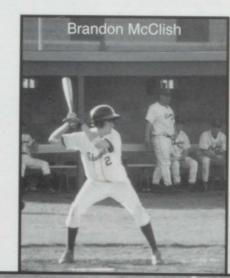
The baseball team finished with a 5-21 regular season and 5-5 in the Central Indiana Conference. The seniors on the team were Nicholas Oldham, and Brent Borders. Oldham was the only returning senior and displayed leadership because of his confidence on the mound. Borders was a great leader on and off the field, and he was a "spark plug" for the team. The team was inexperienced at all positions at the varsity level but continued to improve and have fun when the team started winning. "The feeling of winning and getting the monkey off our back was an experience that sticks out in my mind," said Coach Greg Granger. This young team has a bright future if they continue to work hard and learn the game of baseball.

Junior Adam Miller is delivering a pitch to the Muncie Burris batter on April 15 at the Elwood Panther baseball field where the Panthers were defeated 3-8. Photo by Doc's Photography.

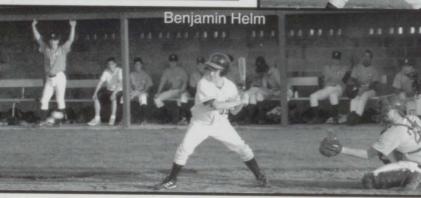
A Young Team Comes Together to Gain

Experience

		Us	Them
	Muncie South	- 2	2
	Hamilton Hts.	1	9
	Hamilton Hts.	1	6
	Alexandria	3	12
	Frankton	4	17
	Muncie Burris	3	8
	Yorktown	3	12
	Pendleton	3 2	13
	Tri Central	2	3
	Wabash		7
1	Marion	0	12
	Eastbrook	5	15
	Alexandria	3	8
	Madison Grant	4	14
,	Oak Hill	0	1
)	Oak Hill	4	9
	Blackford	0	11
1	Tipton	6	4
٩	Mississinewa	12	4
	Lapel	15	0
	Frankton	6	14
	Mt. Vernon	14	6
	Eastern	2 3	3
	Eastern		5
	Highland	5	15
	Daleville	8	6
	Sectional	14	2







Photos by Doc's Photography



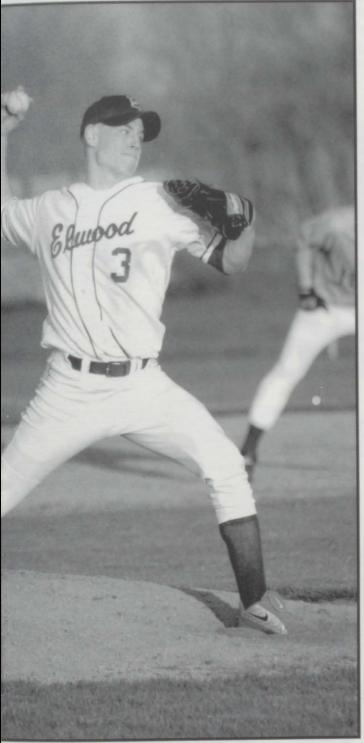
Baseball

Baseball-90

Allison Roby and Jennifer Ashby

Varsity Baseball Team - Front row: Josh Mort, Timothy Hovious, Garrett Jones, Derek Collins, Christopher Phenis, Adam Johnson, Benjamin Helm, Jarrett Cornwell, and Brent Borders. Back row: Coach Greg Granger, Chase Bond, Nicholas Oldham, Claytor Whitson, Brandon McClish, Adam Miller, Matthew Dye, Justin Sherman, Coach Mike Davis and Morgan Henn, manager. Photo by Indiana School Pictures







Junior Clayton Whitson rounds third base and watches for Coach Greg Granger's sign to advance home plate or stop on third base after a pop fly ball was hit by his teammate, Benjamin Helm. Photo by Doc's Photography

Catcher Justin Sherman studies the Muncie Burris pitcher and looks for the perfect moment to steal first base to advance to second base. This loss made Elwood's record 0-6. Photo by Doc's Photography



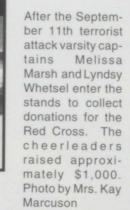


Seniors Lyndsy Whetsel, Shanna Croy, and Jennifer Ashby stand wet, cold, and miserable at the football game against Alexandria. This was the first game in their cheerleading career that they ever had to cheer in the pouring rain. Photo by Jennifer Ashby



3. Whitney Whetsel and Alexis Hanlin

4. Emily Hartman, Sarah Ball-Boyland, and Amanda Jennings





GO TEAM

25 Years of Service!

After 25 years of coaching cheerleading, Mrs. Kay Marcuson will retire from this extracurricular assignment. Cheerleading has been a priority in Marcuson's life for several years. She has devoted much time, and her hard work has had its rewards. This season Mrs. Marcuson organized extra activities that helped raise money for the cheerleaders. Some of the activities that the cheerleaders sponsored were dances, candle sales, and the chili supper. Mrs. Marcuson will be greatly missed, not only by the cheerleaders but also by the fans.

After the last football game against Alexandria on October 5, seniors Melissa Marsh, Ashley Cubel, Jennifer Ashby, Lyndsy Whetsel, and Shanna Croy hug one last time before returning to Elwood. Photo by Mrs. Kay Marcuson









At the Westfield game Mrs. Kay Marcuson pulled together juniors Emily Hartman, Sarah Ball-Boyland, Magen Idlewine, Lacey Cole, and Samantha Hamrick so she could take their picture for a yearbook photo. Photo by Mrs. Kay Marcuson

After placing 10th in the state at the Indiana State Fair competition, the senior girls Jennifer Ashby, Ashley Cubel, Shanna Melissa Marsh, and Lyndsy Whetsel group around Mrs. kay Marcuson to display the glory of their ribbons and plaque. Photo provided





While cheering at a home football game juniors Mallory Gillam, Emily Hartman, and Sarah Ball-Boyland cheer to the school song performed by the band. Photo by Mrs. Kay Marcuson

"Rah-chah" Facts

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30 cheerleaders

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10th in Indiana State Fair contest

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7:00 a.m. practices

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At a home volleyball game Polly Panther hugs Bryce Longnecker during a time out on August 28. Many children enjoy posing with Polly at the games for a special Kodak moment. Photo by Darren Paquin





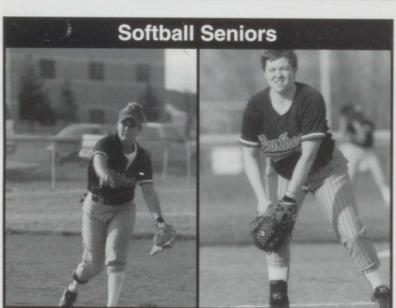
Varsity-Front row: Ashley Cubel, Missy Marsh, Shanna Croy, and Lyndsy Whetsel. Row 2: Lacey Tiffany Cole, Penn, Samantha Hamrick, and Megan Hovious. Back row: Paul Panther, Mallory Gillam, Dedra Leisure, Sarah Ball-Boyland, Emily Hartman, Magen Idlewine, and Diana Loepke



Grouping up for a quick huddle, the infielders come together to encourage senior pitcher Jaime Coffman during the April 16th home game against Alexandria. Photo by John Rice.

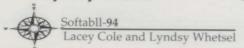
Waiting for the next pitch, sophomore Kacie Graham concentrates on the Muncie South pitcher duirng the April 4th match. Kacie is the sixth batter for the Lady Panthers and averages two hits per game. Photo by John Rice

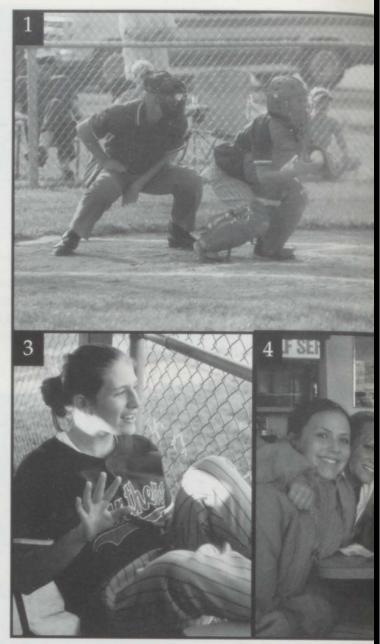




Lyndsy Whetsel

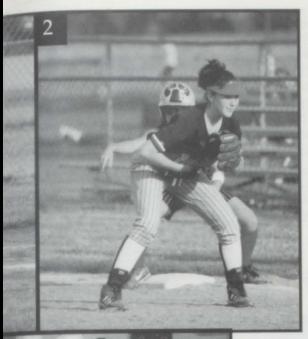
Jaime Coffman







Varsity Softball Team-Front row: Erin McDanell, manager; Elizabeth Caldwell, Audra Richards, Lacey Cole, Kacie Graham, Keah Jones, Dedra Leisure, manager; Rebecca Harland. Row 2: Emma Fox, Emily Harting, Jaime Coffman, Ashley Mort, Lyndsy Whetsel, Kausha Patton, Sarah Harris, Ashley Frye, Anamaria Whitaker. Back row: Coach Mitch Kirkwood, and Brad Scott, assistant coach.



Lady Panthers Strive for a

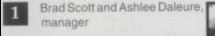
Winning Season

- Elizabeth Caldwell
- 2. Ashley Frye
- 3. Emily Harting
- 4. Ashley Frye, Lacey Cole, Dedra Leisure, Ashley Mort

The Elwood varsity softball team finished its 2001-2002 season with ten wins and ten losses. For the past six years the softball team has struggled and never won a season, but that all changed this year with the lady Panthers striving for a better record. The coaches who led the team on its road to victory were Mitch Kirkwood, Emma Fox, Monica Abernathy, and Brad Scott. Contributing great leadership throughout the season were seniors Lyndsy Whetsel and Jamie Coffman who will be greatly missed next year. Coach Kirkwood commented, "I always reminded the girls that they need to be in the game physically but also mentally, It was a struggle for the girls to accomplish both goals, but by the end of the season, they had managed to put their physical and mental actions together to make the season memorable for



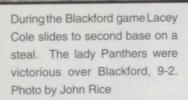




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3 Asst. Coach Brad Scott and Sarah Harris





	Us	Them	
Muncie South	10	1 —	
Oak Hill	9	1	
Frankton	10	11	
Lapel	1	2	
Blackford	9	2 =	
Alexandria	2	6	
Southwood	29	1 (
Madison Grant	9	7	
Tipton	0	3	,
Muncie Central	1	0 +	
Anderson	1	5	
Eastbrook	5	1	
Wabash	3	0 0	
Northwestern	5	6	
Northwestern	5	7	
Mississinewa	0	3 ~	
Daleville	18	3	
Daleville	20	9	
Wes Del	3	0 ~	
L. Christian	11	1	
Sectional:			
Northwestern	3	7	



The golf team played a tough season but managed to pull out on top. Outstanding accomplishments performed by the team include 1st place at the Eastbrook Invitational, 3rd place at the Madison Country tourney, and runners up at the C.I.C. while only missing the C.I.C. title by two strokes. Coach Philip Huffman commented that the year's record was the best overall record his players have earned in many years. The team captured an impressive record of 50-21. The dual and triangular record

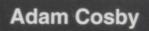
Tyler Nichols

was 11-3. Their success is credited to hours of long strenuous practices and hard work. Seniors Adam Cosby and Tyler Nichols demonstrated great leadership. Adam has been a 3 year varsity player and was awarded All Conference. Playing in the number one spot for four straight years, Tyler Nichols has helped lead the team by being medalist in several meets, making All County, All Conference, won the Eastbrook invitational, placed 5th in the sectional and was a regional qualifier.

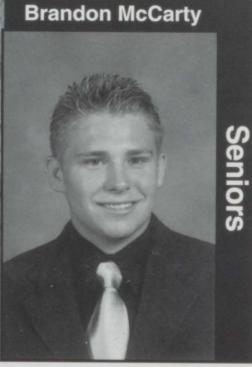
Tough Matches Test the Golfers' **Determination While They**

Strive to Excel

On April 11 varsity player Ryan Jones lines his body up with the ball as he attempts a long putt on the green. He follows through with the putt and hits it into the hole, helping the team to a victory against Lapel and Clinton Central. Photo by Dock's Photography







Yorktown Invitational Tipton/Mad. Grant Lapel/Clinton Central Northwestern/Caston Eastbrook Invitational Highland Oak Hill Hamilton Heights

164/173/242 163/191/180 159/151/172 1st 166/158 155/160 159/180

Madison County Blackford Eastbrook CIC Meet Tipton Invitational Tri Central Alexandria/Frankton Sectional - Tyler Nichols

3rd 157/163 169/164 2nd 309/166/261 309/343/319

5th



Ryan Jones, Adam Cosby, William Amick, Philip Huffman, Zachary Pine, Brandon McCarty, Jarred Toney, and Jim Nichols eye the miniature putting green as Tyler Nichols putts the ball during the cookout putting contest. Winning the contest was sophomore Zach Pine, and he received a sleeve of Pro-V1 golf balls. Photo provided



Q:

Since this was your first year on the golf team, do you feel that a certain person showed leadership or helped you improve your skills?

A:

"Not one single person stands out in my mind because it was more of a group effort. All three seniors demonstrated great leadership throughout the year."



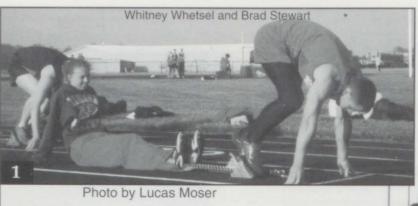
-Jarred Toney



After the father-son outing held on April 13 at Yule Golf Course in Alexandria, Adam Cosby, Zach Pine, Ryan Jones, and Tyler Nichols gather for a photo. A cookout provided by Jim and Debbie Nichols preceded the outing. Photo provided

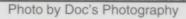


Varsity Golf-Nathaniel Metz, Zachary Pine, Cody Davis, Beau Riser, Jarred Toney, Coach Philip Huffman, Adam Cosby, Tyler Nichols, Brandon McCarty, William Amick, Andrew Hoppenrath, and Ryan Jones. Photo by Indiana School Pictures



		Us	Them
	Wabash	32	82
	Oak Hill	32	51
	Alexandria	71	52
1	Blackford	56	76
S	Frankton	83	49
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	Tipton	49	83
	Mississenewa	76	47
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\mathbf{z}	Madison Co.	75.5	3rd
	Pendleton Inv.	48	5th
	Tipton Inv.	49	5th
	CIC	87	2nd
	Sectional		3rd
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Running Through the Fast Lane Brings Success to Both Track Teams

The Elwood girls track team had a very successful season with a 7-2 record at dual/triple meets, 4th in CIC, and 5th in the sectional. One of the strongest points of the season was the relays which were the backbone of the team with the 3200meter relay team winning first in the sectional. The only senior on the team was Shanna Croy who returned after a year off because of a knee injury; she provided leadership, experience, and a daily smile. Other consistent point winners were Megan Church, Holly Albers, Ali Roby, Ashley Simpson, Cori Norris, Stacy Blair, Whitney Whetsel, Morgan Groover, and Farrin Gregg.

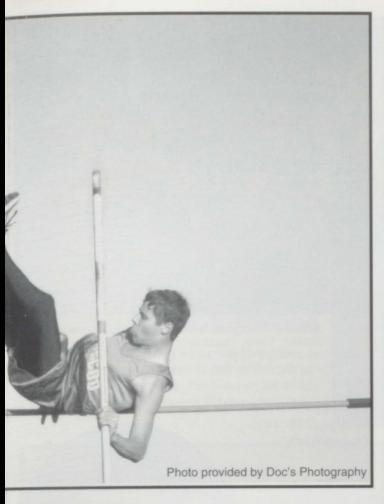
The Elwood boys track team completed its season with a 4-4 record in dual meets, 2nd in the C.I.C., and 3rd in the sectional. The boys had multiple people scoring in every meet and did not rely on just a few people to do all the scoring. There were many seniors who contributed to the team: Ming Cheung, Jade Cornwell, Justin Frye, Lucas Moser, D.J. Peck, and Jay White. Justin Frye was undefeated in the shot put and broke the school record with a 53'10" throw. Next year the boys will lose six seniors. The boys' success is due to concern and determination from each athlete.





Senior D.J. Peck prepares to compete by entering the starting blocks to start the 100 meter high hurdles event at Mississinewa. D.J. placed 7th in the sectional hurdle race. Photo by Lucas Moser







Varsity Boys Track Team - Front row:
Kolby Porter, Jade Cornwell, Derek
Peck, Lucas Moser, Ming Cheung, Jay
White. Row 2: Brad Stewart, Joshua
Cordial, Jonathan Curtsinger, Adam
Searcy, Joseph Fihe, Dustin Reeves,
Jacob Vinson, Gabriel Richwine, Gregory Boyland, Justin Rominger, Scott
Townsend, Adam Church, and Coach
Leonard Arbogast. Photo by Eric Butler, Indiana School Pictures





Varsity Girls Track Team -Front Row: Allison Roby, Shanna Croy, Ashley Simpson. Row 2: Megan Church, Kassandra Baumbauer, Allison Rebuck, Whitney Whetsel, Cori Norris, Rebecca Gardner. Back row: Coach Brian Kirkwood, Holly Albers, Morgan Groover, Farrin Gregg, Stacy Blair, Angie O'Donnell, asst. coach. Photo by Eric Butler, Indiana School Pictures



Sectional

Jay White prepares to hand off the baton to Lucas Moser on the last 100 meter stretch during the 320 meter relay against Frankton at the Elwood Panther stadium. Photo by Brian Dockery, Doc's Photography

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Alexandria	86	36	
Frankton	68	67.5	
Lapel	68	18.5	200
Oak Hill	60	39	
Mad. Grant	60	57	
Blackford	44.5	78.5	
Muncie Burris	64	59	
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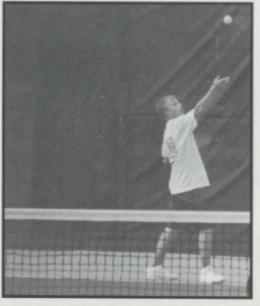
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	Shenandoah	2	3
	Lapel	4	1
0	Madison Grant	4	1
0	Tipton Inv.	3rd	
7	Anderson	1	4
S	Tipton	5	0
	Muncie Burris	2	3
	Blackford	3	2
H	Wabash	3	2
$\mathbb{L}_{\mathbb{L}}$	Westfield	4	1
	Mississinewa	3	2
\mathbf{S}	Madison Grant	5	0
	Alexandria	0	5
\sim	Lebanon Inv.	3rd	
ш.	Frankton	5	0
	Sectional:		
	Frankton	5	0
	Highland	0	5



Girls Tennis Team-Front row: Lindsay Posey, and Melissa Marsh. Row 2: Anna Jones, sports trainer; Ashley Moser, Emily Hartman, Claire Hendershot, Jordan Cannon, manager; Back row: Coach Max Hoppel, Adam Searcy, Sarah Ball Boyland, Katie Clouser, Hailey Fern, Ashley Wylie, and Coach Jessica Jones

On September 17th junior tennis player Adam Johnson prepares to serve against his Mississinewa opponent. Adam was defeated in a two set rally, 6-4, 6-2. Photo by CrystalGoens



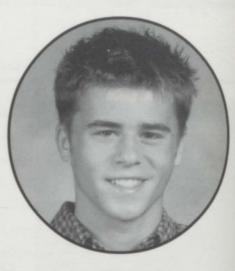
Ashley Moser won a hard fought victory over Westfield. Ashley was a little uneasy about playing number two singles, but she pulled through with a 6-1, 6-0 final score. The team 4-1. won Photo by Dock's Photography

On May 9th

What is your most memorable tennis moment?

"My most memorable moment in tennis was the match against Lapel. Justin Tracy and I won 6-0 at number one doubles and were on our way to what we thought would be an easy victory. However, it ended in a hard fought three set, three hour win."

-Jay White Photo by Indiana School Pictures





Senior tennis player Brent Caldwell draws back for a forehand shot against his Madison Grant opponent on September 18th. Brent won his number one singles match in a three set tie-breaker. The final scores were 6-1, 6-7, and 7-6. The tiebreaker score ended at 7-3. Photo by Crystal Goens



*Tennis-100

Missy Marsh, Lindsay Posey, and Lyndsy Whetsel

Seniors Melissa Marsh and Lindsay Posey make a switch in the lineup against Westfield when they played number one doubles together. The girls won the match in the third set. Photo by Dock's Photography

Leadership Prevails

Younger teammates gain experience and knowledge from the seniors



This was a year of rebuilding for both the girls and boys tennis teams. The girls finished their season with a record of 7-7 which was definitely a positive surprise ending. The boys finished their season with an 11-6 winning record. The boys team won their first sectional match against Frankton but lost the second to Highland, 5-0. The girls team lost their first sectional meet against Highland, 2-3, but the number one doubles team of Lindsay Posey and Hailey Fern won and advanced to the regional championship where they lost 6-2, 6-

 Both teams competed to their highest potential and achieved great success.



Boys Tennis Team-Front row: Eric Grogan, Adam Searcy, Tyler Riley, Head coach Rex Leavitt, Kyle Walker, Adam Johnson, Timothy Hovious Row 2; Garrett Jones, Justin Tracy, Coach Danny Debethune, Coach Robbie Leavitt, Jordan Ball, Andrew Hoppenrath Back row: Jay White, Brent Caldwell, Chad Huffman, Jordan Cannon, Clint Groover, Bryan Huffman, and Adam Cosby

Junior Emily Hartman returns a serve against Northwestern on May 14th. The team lost 5-0, but Northwestern is a strong opponent. Emily played number one singles against Northwestern. Photo by Dock's Photography



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Blackford	4	1	
Tipton	1	4	2
Amderson	0	5	0
Lapel	5	0	0
Mississinewa	5	0	CA
Wabash	0	5	15
Frankton	3	2	H
Hamilton Hts.	0	5	H
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Alexandria	0	5	T
Westfield	0	5	;딒
Northwestern	4	1	
Sectional:			
Anderson	2	3	

The Untold Side



When stories of coaches are told, one hears about the awards that they have won, opponents they have defeated, and the all-star players they have coached, but has one ever heard of the diapers they have changed, the businesses that they run, and the tough individuals they are; however, many have small children that they are trying to raise. So next time one hears of the victories and championships, think of the other side untold.

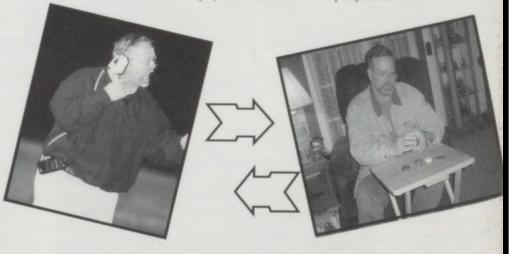


"The hardest thing about being a coach and having a family is that I'm gone a lot. Sports can consume you. My wife says goodbye in November and welcomes me back in March."

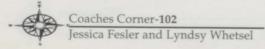
-Coach David Henson

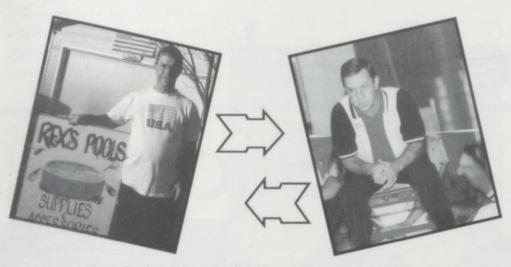


Kay Marcuson supports her varsity cheerleading squad by helping them serve chili during one of their many fund raisers. Mrs. Marcuson has been apart of the cheerleading program for 25 years, but after many years of stitching and sewing, driving, taping, and coaching wild and crazy girls, she has decided to retire. Not only does Mrs. Marcuson give a lot of her time to coaching, she also spends a lot of time running. She has been involved in several marathons, and she has also been an Olympic torchbearer. Photo by Ellyn Diko

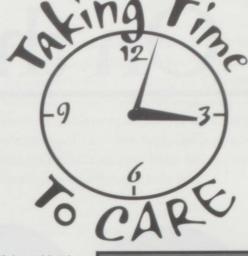


The Panther football defensive coach Mike Goens demonstrates his aggressive coaching techniques during a Friday night game. Any spare time that Mike has off from coaching and his daytime job, he's on a plane to Las Vegas. Coach Goens has traveled to Vegas five times. Before every trip he gets out his cards and poker chips to warm up for the upcoming adventure. Photo by Indiana School Pictures and Jessica Fesler





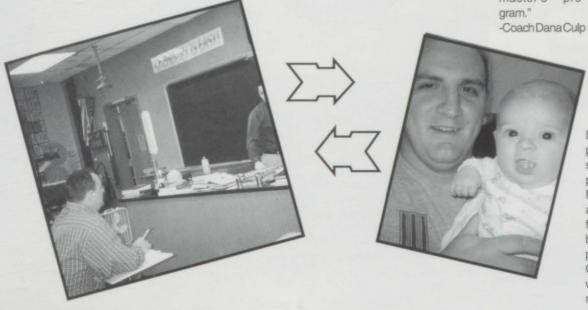
Coach Rex Leavitt has not only led the wrestling team to 14 consecutive CIC's and 8 sectional championships, but he also successfully runs a business. Leavitt is the owner and operator of Rex Pool Supplies and Accessories. Along with coaching young athletes, he also deals with mean green algae, drainage problems, and pump back-ups. Mr. Levitt's business was established in 1989, 13 years ago. Photo by Jessica Fesler and Ellyn Diko



"If I could take some time out from coaching, I would train for triathalonsorminimarathons. Maybe I would even swim a master's program."



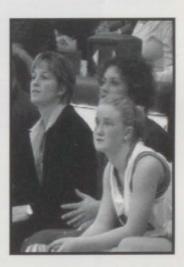
Leonard Arbogast and Scott Zent prepare for the upcoming football season by reviewing offensive plays during their prep period. Mr. Arbogast is not only a teacher and a coach, but he is also a new father. Jason Alan Arbogast was born on October 11, 2001, to his parents, Leonard and Hannah. Outside of school Mr. Arbogast writes lesson plans, grades lab reports, comes up with team strategies, and changes diapers. Photo by Crystal Goens



Coach Angie O'Donnel cheers on her lady Panthers during a volleyball home match. Mrs. O'Donnel has coached volleyball for 9 years, but off the court she is a district manager for Tastefully Simple. Mrs. O'Donnel travels around Madison County presenting these gourmet products and recipes with cooking demonstrations using the items that she sells. She sells products from beer battered bread to delicious apple cake. Photo by John Rice and Indiana School Pictures

"I live and breathe for the game of basketball, and coaching has made me realize that not everyone shares the same level of dedication and passion for the game as I do. This is a life long lesson that I will continue to use."

-Coach Shelly Taylor





On the Road

to Success





Michael Saldana tests his catapult in Mr. Matthew Lane's 3rd period electricity class. The assignment which was to study forms of energy required students to design, construct, and test their individual catapult project. Photo provided by Mr. Matthew Lane

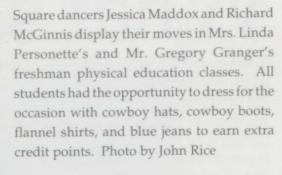


Mrs. Darren Paquin's advanced grammar students do exercises in their textbook but also apply the skills mastered to various writing projects to prepare for next year's composition classes. Greg Boyland, Ashley Daleure, Emily Harting, Priscilla Hessleman, and Michael Luurstema type a descriptive paragraph. Photo by Darren Paquin

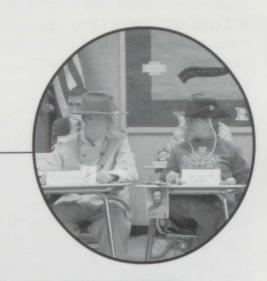


Freshman Chelsea Beech practices in Mrs. Andrea Canaday's room during A contact for the next Spell Bowl competition. Chelsea was one of the ten Elwood students chosen to compete at the area Spell Bowl meet. Photo by Crystal Goens

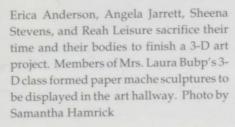
Angie Jarrett and Michelle Quiring, members of Elwood's drama club, recite their lines at the practice for the winter production, Belongings. The Thespians practiced many hours over the course of eight weeks to fully prepare for the production. Photo by Mrs. Sherry Drummond











Becky Gardner and Ashley Daleure study for Mrs. Rhonda Luurtsema's pre-calculus test. Studying can be fun when students are allowed to leave their seats and become active in learning. Photo by John Rice



What's New

This has been a year of face lifts, new additions, new faces, and much remodeling. A building project worth \$327,000 has allowed the school corporation to replace the roof at the career center this summer, to remodel a storage room into a girls locker room including an additional bathroom, to purchase new computers for rooms 219 and 220, to relocate Mr. Max Hoppel's classes to room 106 and to house it with 28 new computers and 2 printers at a cost of \$30,000, purchase 33 red and blue lunch tables which seat 6 students per table and also 297 chairs for the high school cafeteria at a cost of \$16,000. Other changes include the construction of a major addition to St. Vincent Mercy Hospital, the purchase of the Leeson Building by St. Vincent Mercy Hospital Foundation, and the construction of the new housing developments, Willow Walk and Willow Run, just north of the middle school on 19th and Sawmill Road.On October 14 Mr. Kenneth Howell was appointed the high school principal for the 2001-02 school year. This left a vacancy in the assistant high school principal position which was filled by Mrs. Tami Eder on November 29.



On October 15 Mr. Ken Howell was appointed principal for the 2001-2002 school year with Mrs. Tammi Eder who was appointed assistant principal on September 29. Mrs. Eder was a Spanish teacher at Marion High School and has a Master's degree from Purdue University. Photo by Ellyn Diko



Nathan Hancock, Jessica Fowler,
Ashley Hancock, Kristianna Peace,
Shane Hoose, Katie Gross, Katherine
Schafer, Jonathan Kurtsinger, and
Dustin Vertrees work on their homework at the new lunch tables which
arrived on September 20 for student
use. Photo by Ellyn Diko



Before fall practice on September 21 Shawna Smith, Ashley Mort, Morgan Groover, and Amanda Miller dress in the new locker room which was constructed this summer and completed for the start of the 2001-2002 school year. Photo by Ellyn Diko



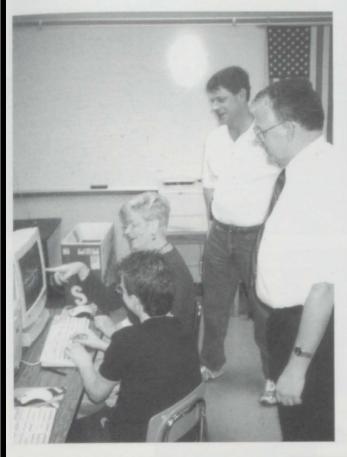
Mrs. Darren Paquin's second period advanced grammar class works on writing assignments to reinforce grammar and usage skills on the new computers in room 219. Photo by Ellyn Diko



What's New-106

Danielle Dunnichay and Lyndsy Whetsel

Mr. Don Garner, Mr. Zane Holman, Mrs. Nina Huntsinger, and Scott Reese work diligently for two weeks to install approximately 140 Systemax computers in the career center, middle school, and the high school. A grant was provided for the purchase of the Systemax computers. Photo by Ellyn Diko





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septic system to accommodate the new h o u s i n g project north of high school. Other construction included the razing of Star Dust Skating Rink and the construction of the new City Building Photo by John

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volved a new

Another new site is the multi-million dollar housing project currently constructed on Fairground Road, north of Elwood High School. The addition has been named Willow Walk/Willow Run which are the main roads in the addition. Structures have been designated for single family and duplex/ condostyle homes. Photo by John Rice





Mrs. Tammy Douglas joins the staff as a first year teacher of the special education department. Mrs. Douglas graduated from Ball State University with degrees in both secondary education and social studies. Photo by Crystal Goens



Mr. Vernon Bedel is a first year art teacher. Mr Bedel says, "I enjoy getting to know students and staff and seeing the students when they have their AHA! moments." Photo by Crystal Goens



Mrs. Marsha White is a first year health occupations teacher. Mrs. White has an occupational license from the state of Indiana and believes that teaching in a classroom is extremely different from teaching a patient how to care for himself since she was a nurse at Community VNA for ten years. Photo by Crystal Goens

During the first six weeks of school Mrs. Laura Bubp's 3rd hour 3-D art students were assigned to exemplify 1960's pop art from paper mache. Angela Jarrett, Reah Leisure, and Steven Moll display their plaster couch of the 1990's couch potatoes. Photo by Samantha Hamrick

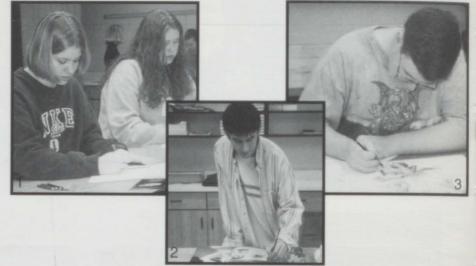
For four weeks during the semester the students in the 3-D art classes had to make plaster molds of one another. Megan Majors, Sarah Ball-Boyland, Amanda Chase, and Michelle Quiring plaster Megan's arm to be a part of the ballerina mold. Photo by Samantha Hamrick





- 1. Katie Ruben and Samantha Thompson
- 2. Don Smith
- 3. Cory Fincher

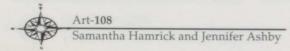




Mrs. Laura Bubp and Mr. Vernon Bedel have been busy presenting new and creative assignments for their art students. Art club members did various activities out of the classroom for the 2001-2002 year which included a field trip to the Paramount Theater in Anderson, Indiana, to decorate Christmas trees for the annual Festival of the Trees, the presentation of the "Alley Cat Cafe," painting holiday greetings on the doors, a spring art show, and an art work display at the Indiana State House in Indianapolis, Indiana. In-class assignments including painting, pastels, shading, plaster molds, and clay projects.

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Expresses Creative Visions



Senior Spotlight

"I look up to my older brothers who are very good at art. I have been interested in art since I was very young."

-Amanda Miller



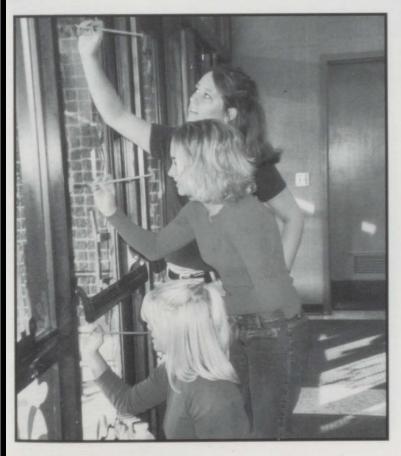


For the past several years the art club has sponsored "Alley Cat Cafe." It offers students the opportunity to display their talent in front of the student body. It was held on December 12 in Mrs. Laura Bubp's room during "A" contact for 40 students who paid \$1.00 to participate in the activity. Senior Jay White plays "Silent Night" on his guitar as the crowd listens. Photo by Samantha Hamrick

Using the benches from the atrium, students from Mrs. Laura Bubp's 3-D classes choose a favorite artist and paint a famous picture on the bench. In the spring the art classes will set the benches out for everyone to enjoy. Kausha Patton and David Nelson take their time while painting Vincent Van Gogh on the work bench. Photo by Samantha Hamrick



Members of the art club paint holiday greetings on the front doors of the building. Lacey Cole, Danielle Dunnichay, and Kristin Worsley stay after school to put the finishing touches on the windows. Photo by Ellyn Diko





Art Club - Front row: Lacey Cole, Jay White, Ellyn Diko, and Mrs. Laura Bubp. Row 2: Ellen Atwood, Ashley Long, Elizabeth Caldwell, and Megan Majors. Row 3: Samantha Hamrick, Charles Runyan, Brandon Stacy, Cory Fincher, Reah Leisure, and Sarah Ball-Boyland. Row 4: Jeremiah Gregg, Michael Prieshoff, Steven Moll, Michael Luurtsema, Eric Champion, and Kristin Worsley. Back row: Megan Hovious, Danielle Dunnichay, Kassandra Baumbauer, James Wright, Ashley Simpson, and Angelina Hobbs. Photo by Indiana School-Pictures





Abbi Harpster and Kolby Porter work hard in their advanced biology class. Every September Mrs. Barbara Yates assigns a bug collection to her students. Juniors and seniors enrolled in the class have fun in the nature center for two weeks swinging nets at any insect that they can find. Photo by Crystal Goens

Because of the smell of formal-dehyde, Dedra Leisure covers her nose with tape in Mrs. Barbara Yates' advanced biology class. Allison Roby displays the cat that she is dissecting. Photo by Danielle Miller





As Adam Cosby and Leonard Arbogast look on, Gabriel Richwine and Michael Ischay race rubber band cars that they made for a physics class project. The only stipulations for the project were that the students use a rubber band to initiate motion and two wheels the size of Arbogast's hand. Photo by Megan Hovious

Before Mrs. Rhonda Luurtsema administers a test to her precalculus students, she posts problems in the hall to better prepare them for the test. Christina Soards and Amy Pearson work their way around the hall in Mrs. Luurtsema's fifth hour class. Photo by John Rice.





Emily Harting and Megan Coubert study for their precalculus test. Mrs. Rhonda Luurtsema's class can be difficult, but extra studying can help. Photo by John Rice



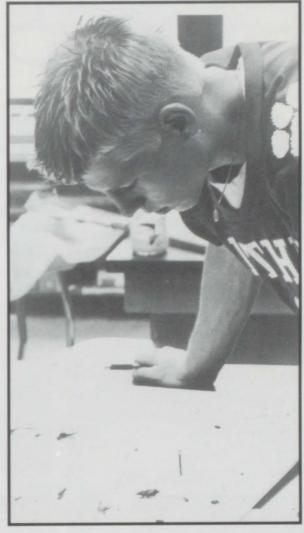
Projects help students learn

Science and Math

Eighty minutes can be a long time to study, even for the most dedicated students. For this reason teachers in the math and science departments provide some relief by using class projects and games to learn. Mrs. Vicki Blair and Mr. Scott Zent testified that special projects help students to apply math. They believe that every game has a purpose whether it is playing Yahtzee to teach probability or playing Battleship to teach the coordinate plane. The use of games and projects has become a very popular tool in the science and math departments.



Adam Searcy and Brian Helm line up along three meter sticks with their dart gun in order to hit the teddy. The experiment taught students the path of trajectories which were performed in Mr. Leonard Arbogast's physics class. Photo by Megan Hovious



Junior Adam Miller studies his bug collection to make sure that he has included all of the required insects. Every fall, students from Mrs. Barbara Yates' advanced biology classes compile a collection of various insects and mount them on a foam board for display. Photo by Ellyn Diko



While exploring the nature center behind the middle school, junior Clayton Whitson tries to catch an insect. Clayton also attached large leaves to his ears to protect them from the sun. Photo by John Rice

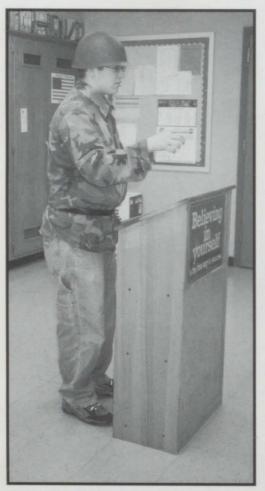


Sarah Ball-Boyland and Jordan Cannon listen to Mrs. Barbara Yates' discussion on the steps involved in dissecting a rat. The rat was the first animal that advanced biology students dissected followed by a pig and a shark. Photo by Allison Roby

Science and Math-111

Public speaking teaches lifelong skills

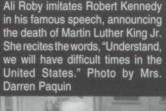
Each year juniors working toward the academic honors diploma participate in speech class. This class gives students an introduction to the type of public speaking they will encounter in college. Instruction involves incorporating each essential aspect relevant to public speaking. Mrs. Darren Paquin has been teaching speech for 17 years. The required speeches include mimes, interpretive readings, memorization, personal experiences, pet peeves, eulogies. demonstrations. impromptus, commercials, and the final, a ten minute informative speech.



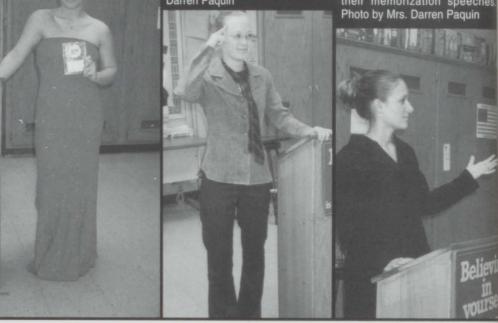
During Mrs. Darren Paquin's 7th hour class, Bryan Helm recites his memorization speech given by General MacArthur. This project was worth 50 points. Photo by Mrs. Darren Paguin

Michelle Quiring portrays Janet Jackson for her eulogy speech, recognizing her brother Michael Jackson for his musical accomplishments. Photo Ali Roby imitates Robert Kennedy

by Mrs. Darren Paquin



Megan Church portrays Hillar Clinton as she recites a speed about women's rights. Student were given a week to prepare for their memorization speeches Photo by Mrs. Darren Paquin





The winners of the stage fright poster contest display their award winning posters. Winners are Allison Roby, Megan Church, Jessica Fesler, and Kausha Patton. Photo by Mrs. Darren Paquin



Megan Hovious and Josh Pavese



Kristen Worsely



Kausha Patton



Trevor Savage and Joshua Undem



Dedra Leisure



Ellen Atwood



Michael Luurtsema



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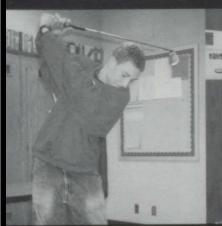
Rebecca Gardner



Sarah Ball



Adam Miller



Nathaniel Metz



Samantha Hamrick



Kyle Jordan



Telisha Harris

Drama Club - Front Row: J. Cordial, M. Swan, M. Arnold, C. Huff, A. Whitaker, L. Hobbs, K. Farmer, D. Thompson, J. Mendenhall, and L. Plummer. Row 2: B. Gatewood, E. Champion, S. Ball-Boyland, M. Gross, J. Pavese, K. Schafer, J. Fowler, C. Baker, and J. Ray. Row 3: K. Cassidy, L. Summers, K. Gross, K. Peace, R. Leisure, B. Gillam, A. Jarrett, M. Minix, J. Cordial, H. Day, and J. Johnson. Back Row: D. Vertress, Mrs. S. Drummond, J. Parker, T. Savage, T. Taylor, and J. Rice. Photo by Indiana School Pictures

During the production of A Midsummer's Night Dream Brian Gillam and Anamaria Whitaker gaze deeply into each other's eyes during a scene where he pledges his love for her. Photo by Mrs. Sherry Drummond





Julie Mendenhall, Jackie Mendenhall's mother, styles Helen Day's hair for her role as a fairy in the production of *A Midsummer's Night Dream*. Photo by Mrs. Sherry Drummond





The cast of A Midsummer's Night Dream-Front Row: M. Arnold, T. Savage, M. Gross, M. Swan, and H. Day. Row 2: B. Gillam, A. Jarrett, J. Parker, C. York, T. Taylor, and C. Huff. Back Row: K. Jordan, J. Mendenhall, and J. Pavese. Photo by Mrs. Sherry Drummond

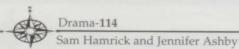


Many students stay after school to help with setting up the scenery and stage props. Kyle Jordan and Corby York select the most appropriate gel color for the lighting scheme for the fall production. Photo by Mrs. Sherry Drummond

At the Indiana State Thespian Convention, Josh Pavese and Cheyenne Davidson eat dinner at the formal masquerade before enjoying a night of dancing at the formal Masquerade Ball. Photo by Mrs. Sherry Drummond



Curtain Is Always Up



In November, two weeks after the release of "Harry Potter," drama club members traveled to Anderson, Indiana, to Applewood 9 Cinemas to view the highly rated film. Caitlin Baker and Kristianna Peace enjoy popcorn and a soft drink before the movie begins. Photo by John Rice





For the past two years drama club members have taken a trip to downtown Indianapolis on the parent teacher conferences waiver days to shop at Circle Centre Mall. Joshua Cordial, Krystal Farmer, Anamaria Whitaker, Eric Champion, Mrs. Vicki Blair, and Mrs. Karen Abel enjoy lunch at Hard Rock Cafe. Photo by Mrs. Sherry Drummond





The Indiana State Thespian Conference was held on February 22 at IUPUI. One of the highlights of the convention was the masquerade ball which was attended by Tina Taylor and Brian Gillam. Photo by John Rice

Costume
Preparation for
A Midsummer
Night's Dream

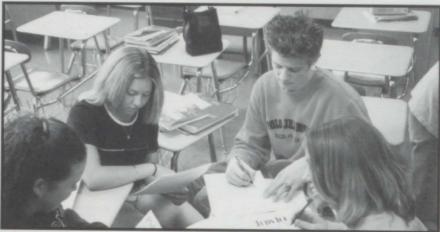




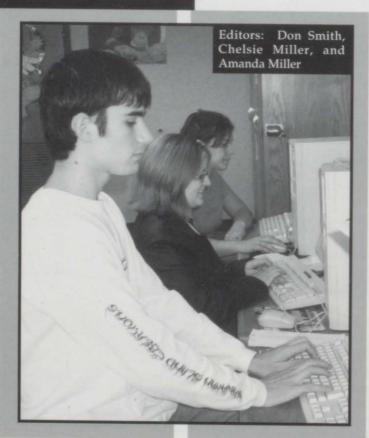
Megaphone staff members Chelsie Miller, Amanda Miller, Brandon McClish, Cheyenne Davidson, Kassandra Duffit, Kristi Kessinger, Megan Hovious, and sponsor Mrs. Andrea Canaday take a break from working to celebrate Mrs. Canaday's birthday on February 14, 2002. Photo by Mrs. Darren Paquin

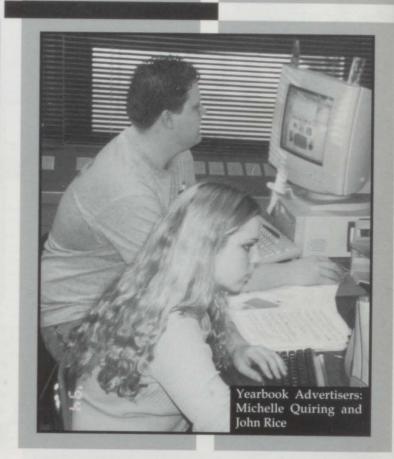
Megaphone Staff-Front row: Brent Borders, Mrs. Andrea Canaday, and Clayton Whitson Row 2: Matthew Rodriquez, Danielle Miller, Amanda Miller, Natalie Gillson, Don Smith, and Chelsie Miller Rw 3: Ashley Frye, Jacquelyn Mendenhall, Kacie Graham. Christopher Phenis, Kassandra Duffit, and Mary Minix Back row: Brandon McClish, Casie Furnish, Allison Rebuck, Kristi Kessinger, Katie Clouser, and Cheyenne Davidson Photo by Indiana School Pictures





Katie Clouser,
Kacie Graham,
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work together to
proof the next issue for the
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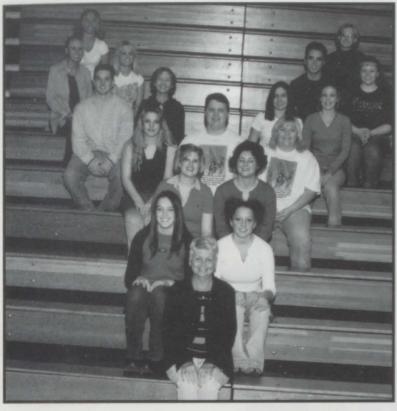






Cresent and Megaphone Students Present

Latest Happenings



Yearbook staff-Front row: Mrs. Darren Paquin Row 2: Lindsay Posey and Melissa Marsh Row 3: Jennifer Ashby and Lyndsy Whetsel Row 4: Michelle Quiring, John Rice, and Crystal Goens Row 5: Tyler Nichols, Ellyn Diko, Sarah Hartley, and Megan Hovious Row 6: Jessica Fesler, Lacey Cole, Lucas Moser, and Samantha Hamrick Back row: Danielle Dunnichay and Allison Roby Photo by Indiana School Pictures



Mrs. Darren Paquin-Yearbook Advisor Mrs. Andrea Canaday-*Megaphone* Advisor Photo by Danielle Dunnichay



Yearbook staff members Allison Roby, with Mrs. Darren Paquin's dog Missy, Jessica Fesler, Samantha Hamrick, Lacey Cole, Melissa Marsh, Danielle Dunnichay, Tyler Nichols, Sarah Hartley, Crystal Goens, Megan Hovious, Jennifer Ashby, sponsor Mrs. Darren Paquin, Michelle Quiring, John Rice, Lucas Moser, Lindsay Posey, Lyndsy Whetsel, Ellyn Diko enjoy their annual Christmas party at Mrs. Paquin's house. Photo by Mr. Gordon Paquin



During yearbook class Samantha Hamrick, Lacey Cole, Danielle Dunnichay, and Melissa Marsh prepare a variety of pages to submit for the upcoming deadline. Photo by Mrs. Darren Paquin

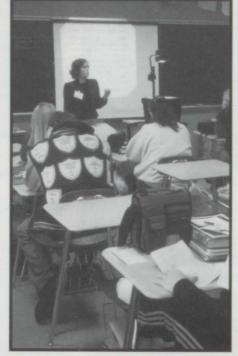
HISTORY Comes Alive as

Maryland

Students in Mrs. Wendy Riser's second hour honors government class participated in a three-week mock Constitutional Convention. Jay White, impersonating Maryland delegate Luther Martin, argues his views with intense emotions. Photo by Missy Marsh

STUDENTS Take on the PAST

Guest speaker Rebecca Gassman from Indiana Business College discusses the importance of post secondary education with Mrs. Wendy Riser's first-hour government class on February 13th. Senior students Ryan Fanning, Amanda Eshelman, Ashley Green, and Amber Luse listen intently. Photo by Melissa Marsh



Mr. David Hoffman, Mr. Steven Griffin, Mrs. Wendy Riser, and Mrs. Janet Southern lead the social studies department. Some of the classes taught are U.S. history, world history, government, geography, current problems, and history topics. Honors courses are offered in U.S. history, world history, and government. The skills taught in these classes help students to better understand the concepts of history, cultural views, and world conflict.

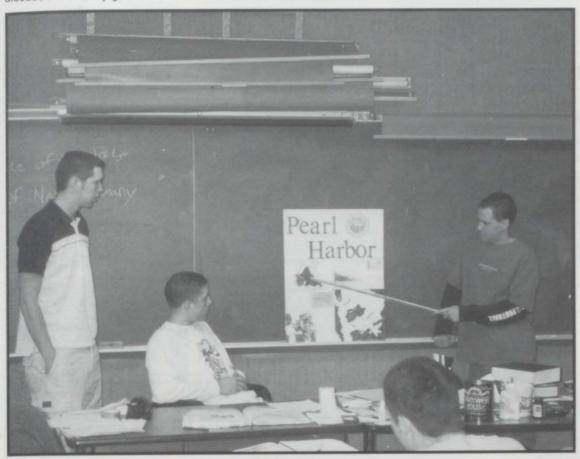


On December 19th Ashley Moser, Adam Searcy, and Megan Church "go back to the past" for a panel discussion during honors U.S. history. Ashley was a Confederate spy, Adam, a Confederate calvary general, and Megan, a slave. Photo by Jessica Fesler



Crystal Goens, Hailey Fern, Dustin Craig, Jeffrey Corbett, and Ashley Daleure present immigrant posters during Mr. Steven Griffin's sixth-hour U.S. history class. When asked what she likes most about group presentations, Crystal explains, "It's more interesting and helpful to learn with a group of friends and then present what we learned to the class." Photo by Ellyn Diko

On March 16th Mr. Steven Griffin's U.S. history class presented its projects on various historic battles. Jared Holloway, Scott Townsend, and Gregory Johns chose to do their presentation over Pearl Harbor. They discuss the military generals, the battle routes, and the outcome of the battle. Photo by John Rice



Teaching Team



Mr. David Hoffman

During an honors US history class project, Mr. David Hoffman asks questions concerning the Civil War and reconstruction to his students who, portraying characters from that time period, had to respond with appropriate answers. Waiting for their turn to respond are Adam Miller, former president Rutherford B. Hughes; Clayton Whitson, carpetbagger Peter Burns; and Bryan Helm, President Abraham Lincoln. Photo by Melissa Marsh



Mr. Christopher Hinds

Mr. Christopher Hinds, a student from Ball State University, joined Mr. David Hoffman in teaching history classes during first semester. Mr. Hinds assisted in numerous student projects and led several activities. During the seventh-hour world history class he uses a Jeopardy-style learning game to teach the sophomores about the Roman Empire. Photo by Crystal Goens

If you could be any historical figure, who would you be and why?



Mrs. Wendy Riser

"I would like to be a frontier woman. I started reading Laura Ingalls Wilder books when I was young, and since then I have always wanted to see what their world was like."

Which social studies class was your favorite during high school?



Jon Gibson

"World history was really easy. We always got off the subject and had a laugh or two. Even though I always thought I already knew everything, Mr. Hoffman made me think. He pushed me to be better."

What was the hardest part of your honors government class?



Ming Cheung

"Probably studying for the tests. You never know what will be on them, and government is always complicated.

During Mr. Greg Granger's 1st period physical education class, freshman Brittany Cubel works strenuously to build her quads and calves by using the leg press machine. Photo by Ellyn Diko

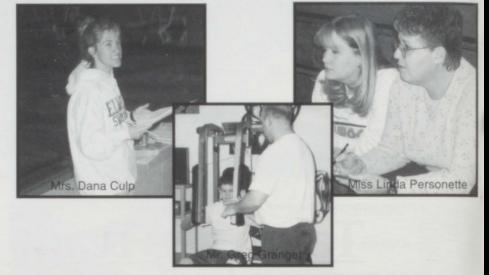
After defeating his opponent during the badminton unit, Jason Noble records his victory. After each match the winning participant records the final results. Photo by Ellyn Diko





During the bowling unit Mirriam Mustafa works on a four step approach as she releases the ball toward the pins.

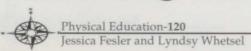
Photo by Ellyn Diko



The goals of the physical education department are to educate the students about becoming more physically fit and to inform them that if they work hard now to stay in shape, then in the future it will pay off. Girls physical education teacher, Miss Linda Personette states, "The philosophy for the physical education is to provide scientifically based opportunities to develop skills, knowledge, and attitudes for all students through fundamental movements, rhythmic, sport, and fitness activities. The overall aim is to help students develop lifelong skills that include regular, vigorous exercise and sports. The key is to assist people in assuming responsibility or their own health and well-being throughout an active lifestyle."

Hard Work Pays Off

Working for a better body and mind!



"The field hockey unit was the hardest activity that I have done this year in freshman physical education"

-Ashley Dehart



"I love advanced gym; we have so much freedom. Miss Plus. Personette is great."

-Rebecca Horlander



"The only negative thing about freshman gym was we were required to wear uniforms. middle During school gym we could choose our own clothing."

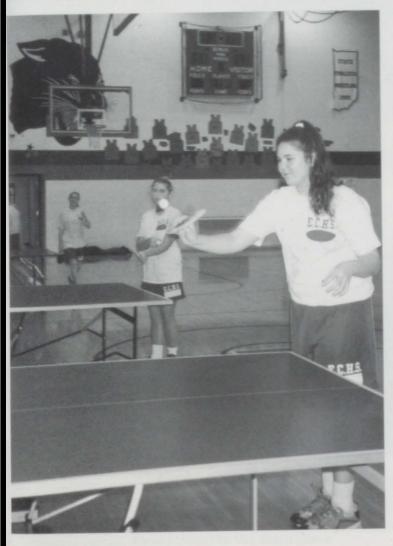
-Jesse Gallegos



"Freshman gym is the hardest class I have ever taken. It reminds me of boot camp."

-Sarah Ball Boyland





During Miss Linda Personette's first hour physical education class, Anna Pavan returns the ping-pong ball to her opponent while Kaleigh Hankey is a spectator. Photo by Ellyn Diko



Freshman Ashley Duncan spots sophomore Danielle Thompson while Danielle tries to endure more upper body strength through bench pressing. The weight lifting program lasts for three weeks. Photo by Ellyn Diko



Marletta Spearman and Timothy Schilling hold each other during the Spanish Club Valentine Dance on February 16 which was held in the hallway. Warner Inc. provided the music. Photo by Indiana School Pictures

Sophomores Ashley Frye, Kristi Kessinger, and Elizabeth Caldwell, eat lunchmeat sandwiches and grapes during the Latin food day in Diana Mrs. Garner's classroom. The types of food the students provided included grapes, strawberries, assorted lunchmeat, grapefruit, and Latin bread. Photo provided by Mrs. Diana Garner





Mrs. Jane Tracy's block 5, third and fourth year Spanish students pose with the new additions to the class, the paper-mache figures, Enrique and Chaquita, donated by Edgewood Elementary Migrant Program. Photo by Mrs. Darren Paquin



"I took Spanish class last year to earn credits, and I continue to take the class because it's fun and interesting."

-Melissa Killian



"I take Spanish because Mrs. Tracy is a fun teacher. She makes learning fun to keep her students interested. Spanish is also just a fun language to study, and it will help me with my caeer in the future."

-Alycia Stout



"I love Latin class because it is fun and never boring. I love the food days best of all."

-Josh Mort



"Latin class is fun, and Mrs. Garner is crazy... in a fun way. I learned a lot about the Latin culture. It is my favorite class."

-Kelly Ice



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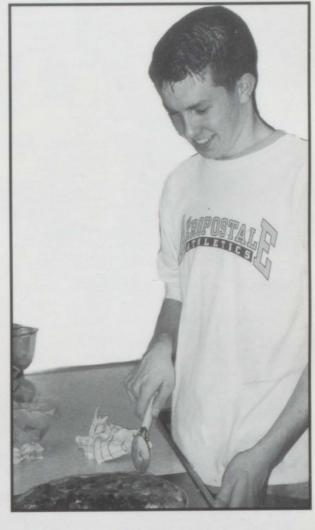
Students Gain Knowledge By Being

Worlds Apart

Latin club and Spanish club are sponsored by Mrs. Diana Garner and Mrs. Jane Tracy. These two organizations challenge students to learn many different aspects of the countries' cultures. Approximately 143 students were enrolled in Latin and 125 were enrolled in Spanish during 2001-02. While enrolled in a class or club, students experience many activities. Latin students prepared authentic dishes on food days, sponsored fundraisers, donated food to the Morrisett Food Pantry, sponsored the Fall Fantasy Dance, attended state board meetings, participated in certamen meets, participated in the national Latin exam, made mosaics, constructed Roman houses, and sponsored a Roman banquet. Spanish students also prepared authentic food on food days, made pinatas, sponsored the Belles and Beaus Valentine's Dance, donated money to Save the Children and Save Afghanistan Children's Fund, sold American Flag decals, volunteered time at the George Morrisett Center, donated to the Shop with a Cop campaign and the Christmas Coats for Kids campaign with the Latin club.



During the homecoming parade Spanish club members decorated a truck which they rode in or walked next to as they handed out candy to the children along the parade route. The new paper mache dolls, donated by the Edgewood Elementary Migrant Program, also rode along on the parade route. Photo by Mrs. Darren Paquin



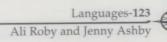
Kolby Porter cuts the pizza that he prepared during a Latin food day. Making pizza is one of the many activities done throughout the year to better understand the Italian food culture. Photo provided by Mrs. Diana Garner



Elwood delegates attend the annual Latin President's Day Workshop held at Brownsburg High School on October 13. The delegates participate in the morning games to get prepared for the planned workshops for the day. Mrs. Diana Garner and her students participate in the mummy toilet paper contest. Photo provided by Mrs. Diana Garner



Benjamin Helm and Garrett Jones pull Jordan Arehart during the annual chariot race competition during Mrs. Diana Garner's freshman Latin class. Photo provided by Mrs. Diana Garner



Elwood Performers Stretch Their Musical Talent

TAMAHA TRAHA

The members of the music department enjoyed a season of success due to the students' positive attitudes and coopertion. Members were young, but they were willing to try new ideas and perform well. Members of the band and choirs participated in several performances including ISMA, the district and regional marching contests, the Paramount Theater, Festival of Trees, Disney World, and the Madison County Choral Festival. The band received a Division I rating while the Crimson Suite and the show choir qualified for state finals. Individual recognition was awarded to Bryan Helm and Shane Hoose for IMEA All State Band. IBA All Regional Band honors went to Ashly Hancock, Katie Gross, Kelly Ice, Aaron Kane, Eric Grogan, and Michael Arnold. Crystal Goens and Corby York recevied District Band.

Panther Band

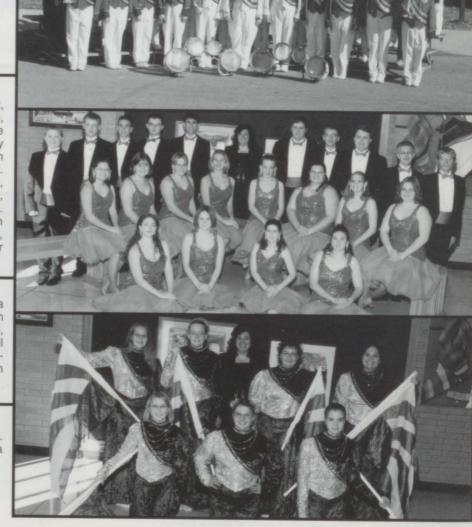
Front row: Krystal Cheney, Katherine Gross, Ashley Hancock, Christopher Sorg, Corby York, Crystal Goens, Bryan Helm, Katherine Shafer, Whitney Herrod, Anna Pavan, Ashlee Daleure. Row 2: Emily Roedenbeck, Kristiana Peace, Mary Minix, Jonathan Ziegler, Kyle Jordan, Maxwell Grose, Caitlyn Baker, Jessica Fowler, Joshua Hancock, Mr. Brad Scott. Row 3: Miss Paula Simmons, Megan Majors, Robin Leighton, Michael Arnold, Kyle Cassidy, Samuel Loser, Steven O'Neal, Larry Summers, Joshua Undem, Helen Day, Jason Johnson. Back row: John Ross Noble, Kelly Ice, Eric Grogan, Dustin Vertrees, Shane Hoose, Jarred Tony, Nathaniel Hancock, Mindy Van Hoosier, Danielle Vetor, Brent Fettig, Christopher Huff, Aaron Kane.

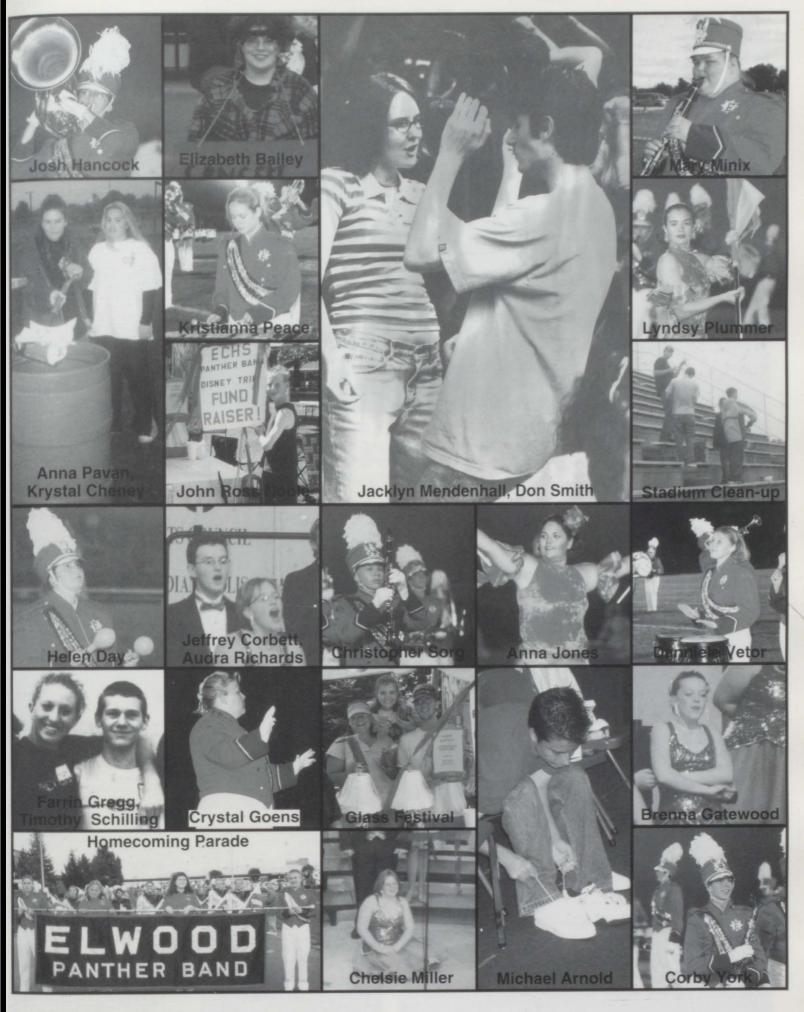
Crimson Suite Show Choir

Front row: Amanda Chase, Jacquelyn Mendenhall, Anamaria Whitaker, Anna Pavan. Row 2: Ashlee Daleure, Lauren Secrest, Audra Richards, Farrin Gregg, Brenna Gatewood, Loressa Stone, Anna Jones, Chelsie Miller. Row 3: Maxwell Grose, Jason Johnson, Corby York, Jeffery Sherril, Don Joseph Smith, Miss Paula Simmons, Dustin Kreig, Jonathan Hancock, John Rice, Ryan Jordan, Christopher Huff.

Concert Choir

Front row: Kelli Coons, Brittany Strong, Lindsey Plummer. Back row: Ashleigh Wylie, Julie Bellamy, Miss Paula Simmons, Joana Ray, Amanda Jones





"The marketing education class offers the opportunity for students to learn first hand the skills and abilities needed to be successful in the occupation in which they are interested."

- Mr. Troy Simpson



On December 1, 2001, DECA members at the Elwood K-Mart participated in a Rock-A-Thon to benefit the Saint Vincent Mercy Hospital's fund to buy Christmas presents for underprivileged children in the community. Students took pledges and rocked in chairs from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. At this session Lyndsy Whetsel, Justin Frye, Tom Kessinger, and Lindsay Posey rock for donations. Photo by Crystal Goens



At Elsa Corporation Ming Cheung has the opportunity of working on computerized blueprints pertaining to the engineering field. After graduation Ming plans to attend Rose Hulman Institute of Technology to further his education and receive a master's degree in engineering. Photo by Crystal Goens



Justin Frye interns at the *Elwood Call Leader*. Every day Justin spends time learning valuable skills that he can use while pursuing his aspirations of becoming a sports broadcaster. Photo by Crystal Goens

From the Classroom to the Workplace

The marketing education classes at Elwood High School are some of the most desired classes by juniors and seniors. The whole project is directed by Mrs. Mindy Parker and Mr. Troy Simpson. This year there have been considerable changes to the program. It seemed almost impossible to fit this class into some students' schedules, so in order to facilitate this program to all students, an "A" contact class was created. Also, the program had limited

funding, but with the time and effort put out by teachers it was decided that the Perkins Grant would be the sold funding. Mrs. Parker's job is funded by this grant. She works a set number of hours per week coordinationg job shadows and internships for students in vocational classes. Mr. Simpson teaches students the skills that they need to succeed in the work force. This class definitely walks along the road less traveled.



Senior Arvid Fraiser works daily at the local YMCA. Because of the senior marketing class Arvid has the opportunity to go out into the community and gain computer and office experience. Although Arvid does not plan to pursue an office career, he has learned a considerable amount of information that will be useful to him at college. Arvid plans to attend Ball State University in hopes of becoming a high tech fashion designer. Photo by Crystal Goens

Marketing Education

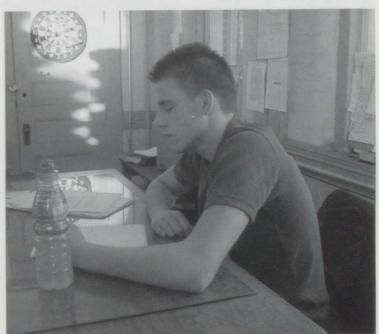


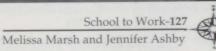
Since Abbi Harpster hopes to become a dental hygienist, she participates in the school to work program and works in Dr. Joseph Barnett's office in the morning. The marketing education program has helped Abbi confirm her plans to attend Indiana University at Kokomo to study dental hygiene. Photo by Crystal Goens



DECA members Lyndsy Whetsel, Lindsay Posey, and Missy Marsh display their DECA shirts designed by the DECA members and printed by Mr. Fortner's printing classes. Missy is a second year member of the organization while Lyndsy and Lindsay are new members this year. Photo by Crystal Goens

While spending some of his class time at the Elwood court house, Tom Kessinger learns how to file papers, run errands, and attend probationary hearings. Tom sits at a desk and reads a file during a slow period at the court house. Photo by Crystal Goens







Senior Audra Richards delivers a message from the office to Mrs. Darren Paquin during her 5th hour advanced grammar class. Messages delivered from the office and the guidance office are disruptions throughout the day. Photo by Crystal Goens In Mr. David Hoffman's honors history class the students direct their attention to the public address system. Many announcements are made during classes which pull the students' attention away from quizzes, tests, teacher presentations, class discussions, and student speeches. Photo by Ellyn Diko





"I think if telephone calls, p.a. announcements, office and guidance messages are sent during contact period or activity period, then these situations would not affect the teachers and students as much."

-Mr. Matt Lane



"One of the biggest disruptions in the class is the temperature of the room and the lask of fresh air."

-Ms. Karen Abel



"I average at least one disruption of some kind during each and every class during the day."

-Mr. Dave Henson



"The atmosphere of the classroom is broken when there is a disruption. If we are in the middle of the story, the mood is lost. Interruptions 'burst the bubble.' They are devastating when we are in the middle of a play, too."

-Mrs. Betsy Herndon



Class Distruptions-128

Lacey Cole, Jenny Ashby, and Lyndsy Whetsel

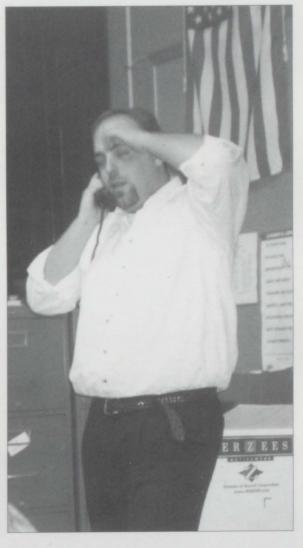
What Is It Now???

Another Interruption During Class!

Disruptions, disruptions, disruptions, another disruption! Every year class interruptions become a concern in classrooms. The interruptions include passes from various offices, telephone calls, and public address announcements. Teachers work diligently to decrease the number of disruptions while students work harder to increase the amount of disruptions.



Dedra Leisure is sometimes a disruption by calling out to teachers and students during class along with her contagious laughter, leaving and entering class with forgotten materials, or just relaxing in the back of Mrs. Diana Garner's Latin class. Photo by Crystal Goens



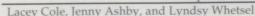
Mr. Steven Griffin expresses his frustration while his 5th hour history class is disrupted by a phone call from the office. Photo by Crystal Goens



As Mrs. Diana Garner begins to teach her 3rd and 4th year class, Ming Cheung interrupts with a pass from the guidance office. In the back of the classroom, students lose their focus with the interruption. Photo by Crystal Goens



Yearbook business results in many phone calls to Mrs. Darren Paquin's classroom. Samantha Hamrick receives a phone call from a faculty member concerning photo identification. Photo by Crystal Goens





Beads, Feathers, & Masks. . .

Variety Show 2002 "Mardi Gras"



For the past 44 years the Elwood Community High School music department has sponsored the annual variety show which was held on May 18 & 19 and directed by Miss Paula Simmons. All of the groups contributed to this event: show choir/Crimson Suite, band, guard, and concert choir. This outstanding event was entitled "Mardi Gras." Students displayed the Mardi Gras atmosphere by wearing beads, feathers, masks, and sunglasses. The admission fee was \$ 4.00 for students and \$ 5.00 for adults. Approximately 400 supporters attended the 2002 variety show.









Photos by John Rice



Variety Show-130

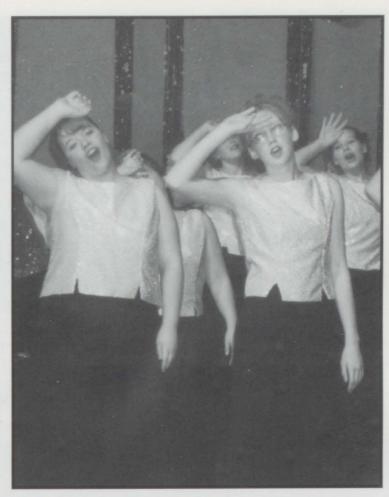
Samantha Hamrick and Lyndsy Whetsel

Many people volunteer their time to help with the production of the annual variety show. Without Rick Coleman, the sound and backstage work woud not be the quality that it is. Photo provided.





Many parents also volunteer their time; mother Kathy Tyner helps prepare the stage for the big night. Photo by John Rice





Members of the Crimson Suite/show choir present "Carnivale." Photo by John Rice



Soloist Alycia Stout



Members of the Crimson Suite/show choir and concert choir sing "We're Gonna to Put on a Show." Photo by Samantha Hamrick

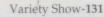


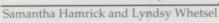
Soloist Corby York



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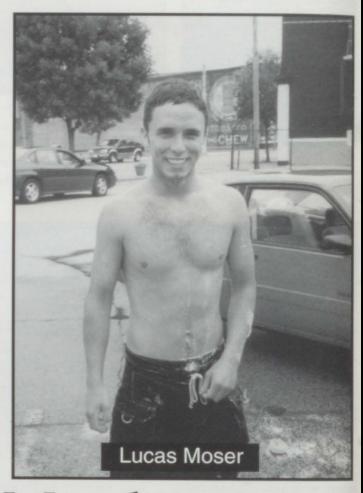
Percussion Soloist Shane Hoose



On March 8, 2002, members take a break from their busy schedules to eat donuts in the morning before school. Lucas Moser, Jamie Groover, Lindsay Posey, Michael Ischay, Ming Cheung, Don Smith, Miss Joan Mercer, Sarah Hartley, Amanda Miller, Jon Gibson, Jaime Coffman, Jay White, Rachael Ousley, Lyndsy Whetsel, Brent Caldwell, Melissa Marsh, Chelsie Miller, Jennifer Ashby, Adam Searcy, Danielle Miller, Jessica Fesler, Bryan Helm, Megan Church, Ashley Moser, Lacey Cole, Adam Miller, Chris Phenis, Adam Johnson, Cheyenne Davidson, Holly Albers, Becky Gardner, Crystal Goens, and Brent Borders attended the breakfast. Photo by John Rice



Shanna Croy, Jennifer Ashby, Brent Caldwell, and Lucas Moser work at the car wash held at Elwood's Huntington Bank parking lot. The car wash lasted for 4 hours, and the members earned \$250 dollars in donations. Photo provided



Senior NHS Members Become Positive Role Models For Younger Generations

During the Tap Day festivities on March 15, members of National Honor Society created a game that followed the same format as the hit television show, "Fear Factor." Adam Johnson, Kara Horseman, and Megan Church were the first group of tappees to be tapped. Also, Megan Church was elected as National Honor Society president of her class. Photo by Missy Marsh





On September 23 the senior National Honor Society members went to Edgewood Elementary School to visit with various classrooms. This was the first day of the program that includes making periodic trips to the classrooms to visit, to eat lunch, and to play with the children. Brent Caldwell interacts with one of his students on the playground during their recreation time. Photo by Crystal Goens

The first people to be served at the National Honor Society banquet are the provisional members Adam Miller, Holly Albers, and Emily Hartman. The event was a formal affair in which all members were asked to stand and introduce their guests to the rest of the audience. After the dinner all attendants were asked to move to the auditorium where the actual induction ceremony was held. Photo provided



Senior National Honor Society members Jon Gibson, Amanda Miller, Chelsie Miller, Sarah Hartley, Don Smith, and Tessa Warner enjoy a catered dinner before the National Honor Society induction ceremony on March 19. The Elwood Lions Club provided the meal to all members. Photo provided



National Honor Socitey-133 Melissa Marsh and Jennifer Ashby



Mr. Steven Griffin, Anna Jones, Brandon McCarty, and Richard Schorr open their first box of flip flops. The fourth hour economics class sold the flip flops for \$6.00 and were available in blue, black, gray, purple and red. Photo by Lucas Moser



Pit Stain Posse Officers: Thomas Kessinger, Christopher Sorg, Justin Frye, Jon Gibson, and Brent Caldwell. Photo by Lindsay Posey



Officers of Griffin's Better Class are Amanda Miller, Lucas Moser, Tyler Nichols, and Michael Ischael Ischael Photo by Lindsay.



"Even though the flip flops were hard to sell, I managed to sell the most in my class."

Chad Huffman 2nd semester



"I enjoyed econ class because I learned a lot about the process of buying and selling products. I also learned what it takes to run your own company."

Stormi Tittle 1st semester



"Being in this class has made me realize how hard it is to run a business. I also loved the visors."

Cody Secrest 2nd semester



"I asked a lot of people if they wanted to buy a shirt, but they really sold themselves because of how many people were wearing them and bought them."

Brent Borders 1st semester



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Students Experience the Processes of a Real Business



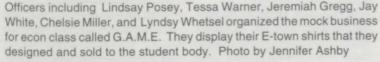
The three economics classes worked hard to produce and sell their products. The G.A.M.E. Company (Generations Aiming for Mass Enlightenment) produced the E-Town baseball style shirts which sold for \$13 each. The class sold over 100 shirts, and they made \$1300 in profits. The P.S.P. Company (Pit Stain Posse) produced visors which were available in navy blue or white. There was a Chinese symbol imprinted on the front of the visors which signified love. They were sold for \$13 each. The G.B.C. Company (Griffin's Better Class) sold flip-flops for \$6 a pair. They had a black, foot base with the straps available in black, blue, red, purple, and gray.

Mr. Steven Griffin presents his second hour economics class with the second order of their E-Town shirts on December 17, 2001. Photo by Lindsay Posey

Mr. Matt Lane displays his white visor purchased from Ashley Green and Jamie Groover. The class project was to design, produce, and sell a product. Photo by Lindsay Posey









Preparing to sell the shirts, Angela Jarrett, Tessa Warner, and Jamie Weaver design signs to hang throughout the hallways to promote the class's product. The message on the flyers is, "Are you G.A.M.E.?" Photo by Lindsay Posey

Economics-135 Lindsay Posey and Jennifer Ashby



Lyndsy Whetsel

- -Co-valedictorian -Eli Lilly Endowment
- Scholarship
 -Hoosier Scholar Scholarship
- -Coca Cola National Scholarship Semi-finalist
- -Marketing-Top 10 at State DECA Competition
- -Marketing-2ndat District -Basketball-Academic
- All-State IHSAA
- -Basketball-Academic All-State Honorable Mention ICGSA
- -Red Haven nominee
- Softball All CIC, All Madison County

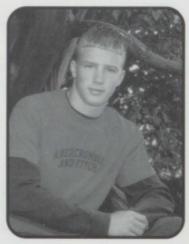


Sarah Hartley

- -Co-valedictorian
- -Eli Lilly Endowment Scholarship
- -DePauw Holton Scholar
- -D.A.R. winner
- -Academic All-State ISHAA
- -Speedo Academic All American
- -IJCL Scholarship
- -Elks Most Valuable Student
- -ICCSA All-State Swim Team



Lindsay Posey
Marketing-Top 10 at State DECA
Competition, 2nd place at District



Brent Caldwell
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Jaime Coffman

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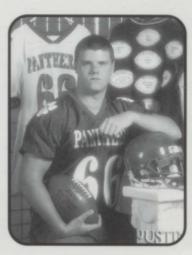
Michael Ischay Swimming-Academic All-State, Academic All American



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Academic Highlights - 136 Samantha Hamrick and Lyndsy Whetsel

Academic and Sports Highlights



Lucas Moser Swimming-Academic All State, and Academic All American; Cross Country-All CIC and All Madison County



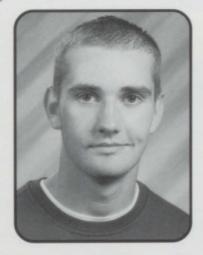
Ashley Moser Girls State Delegate



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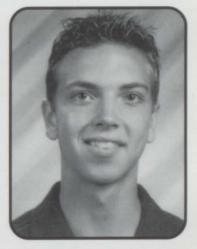
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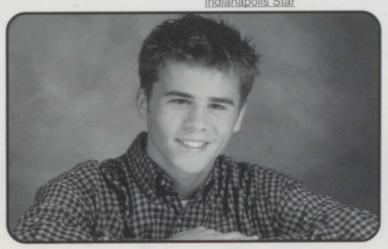


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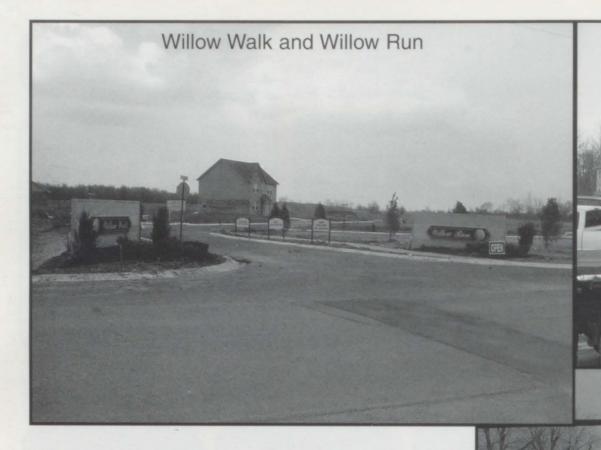


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Samantha Hamrick and Lyndsy Whetsel





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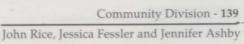
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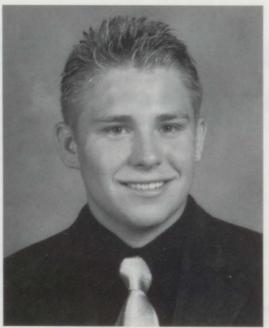
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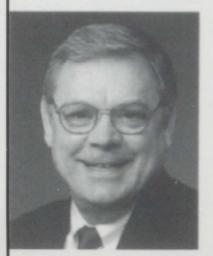
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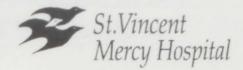




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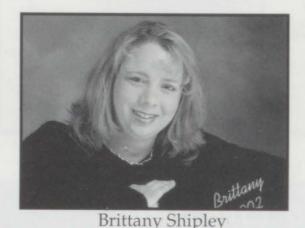
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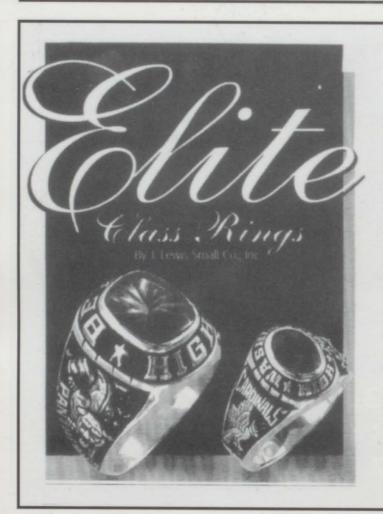


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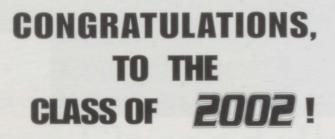




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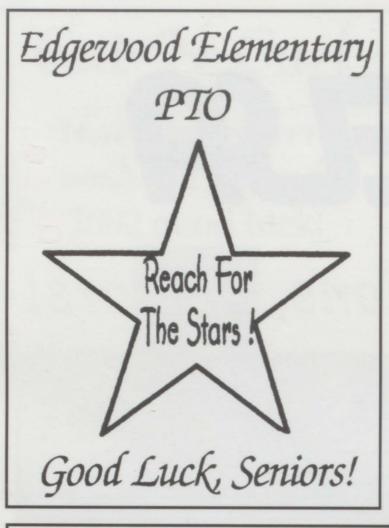
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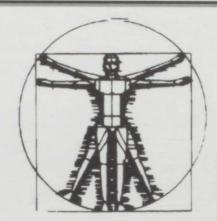
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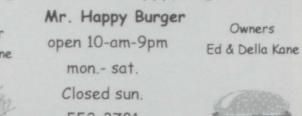
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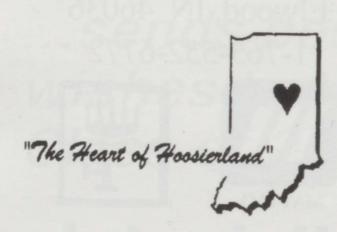
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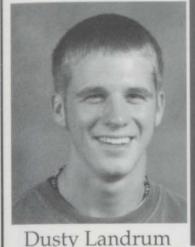


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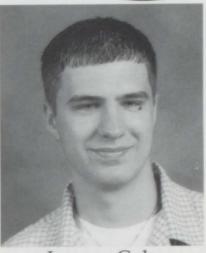
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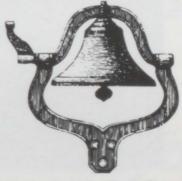
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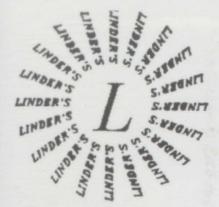
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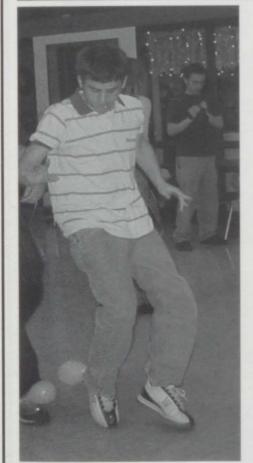
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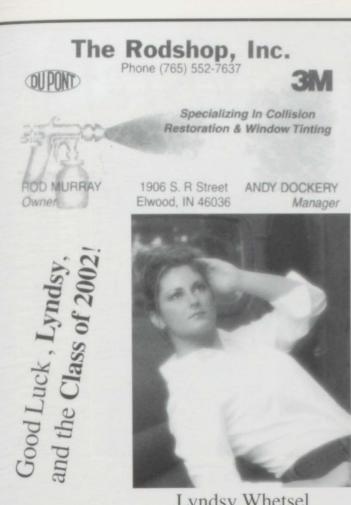


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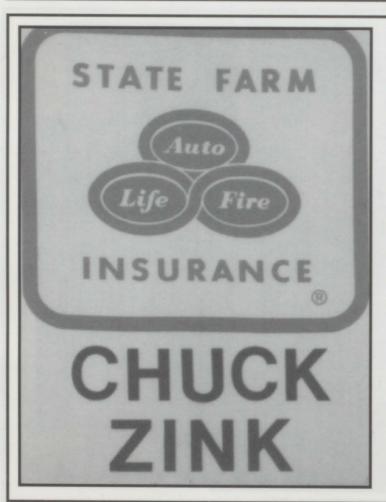


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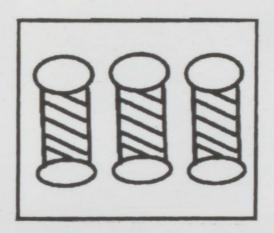
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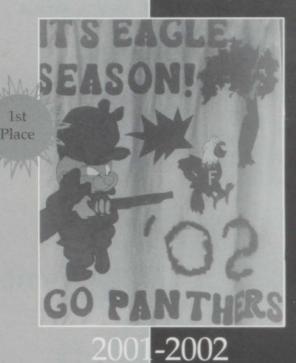
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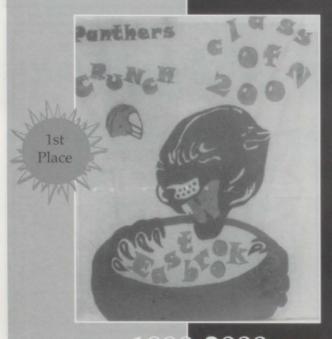


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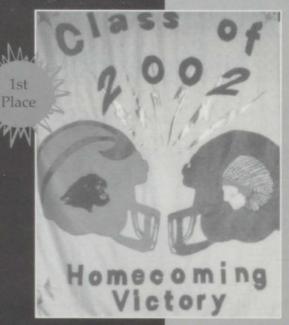


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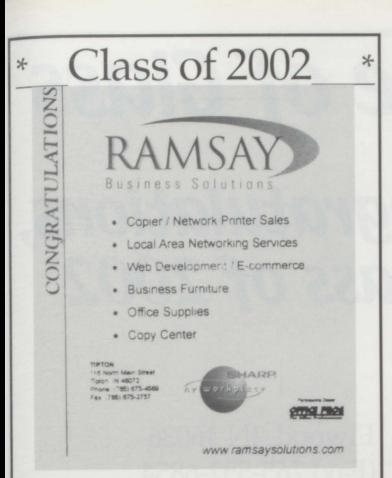
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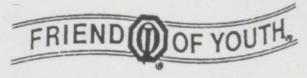








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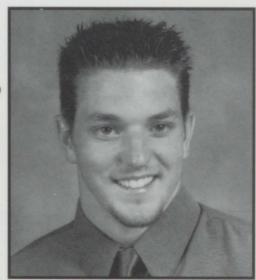






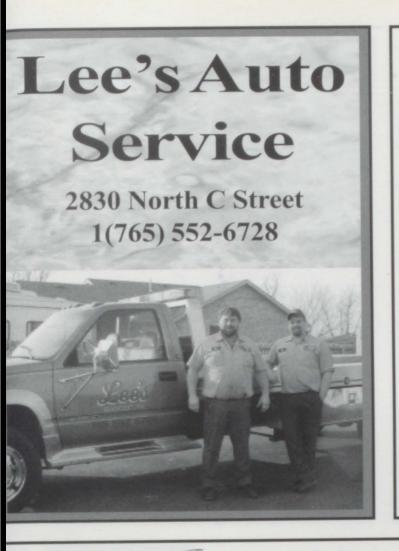
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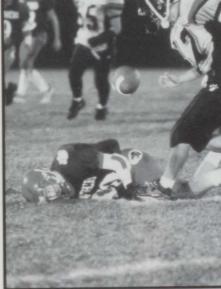
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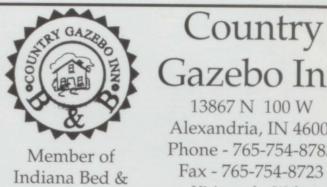
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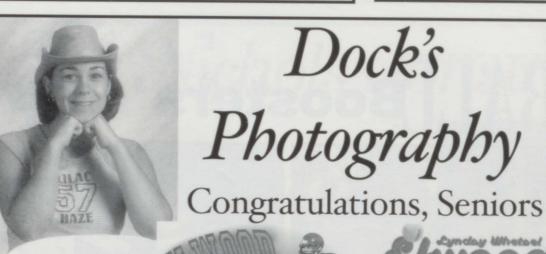
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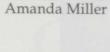




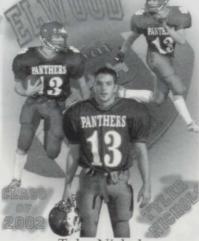
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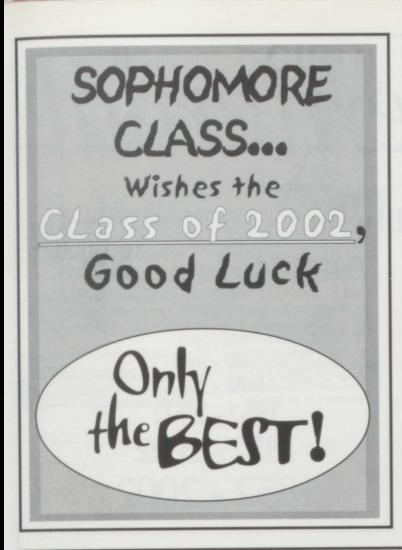


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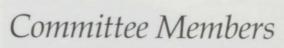
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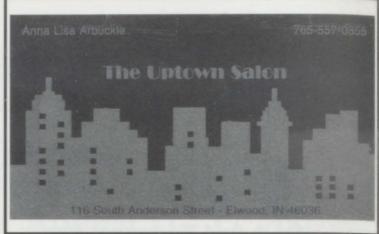






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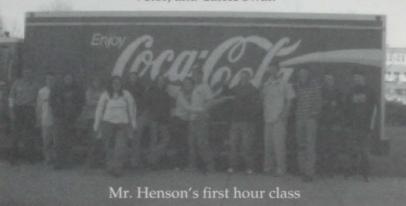
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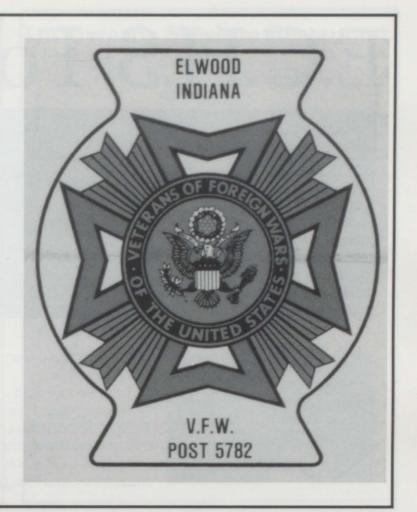
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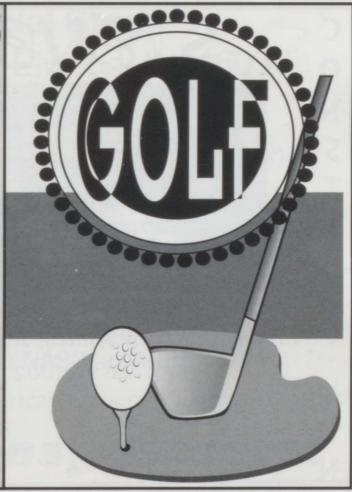
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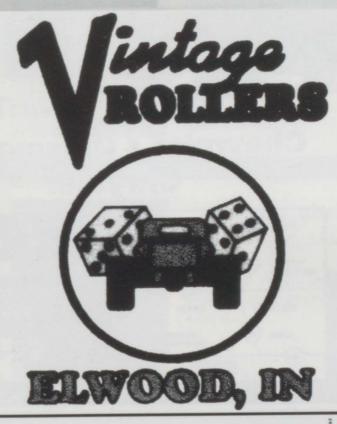
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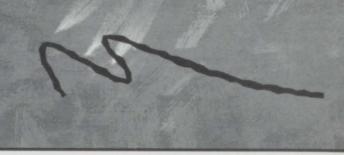
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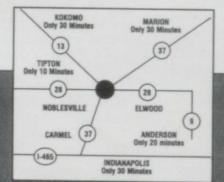






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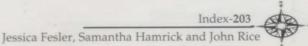
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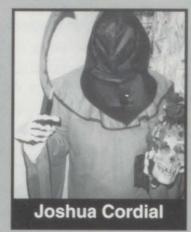
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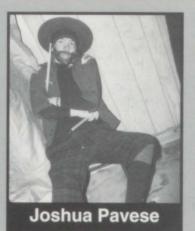
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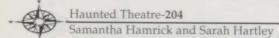






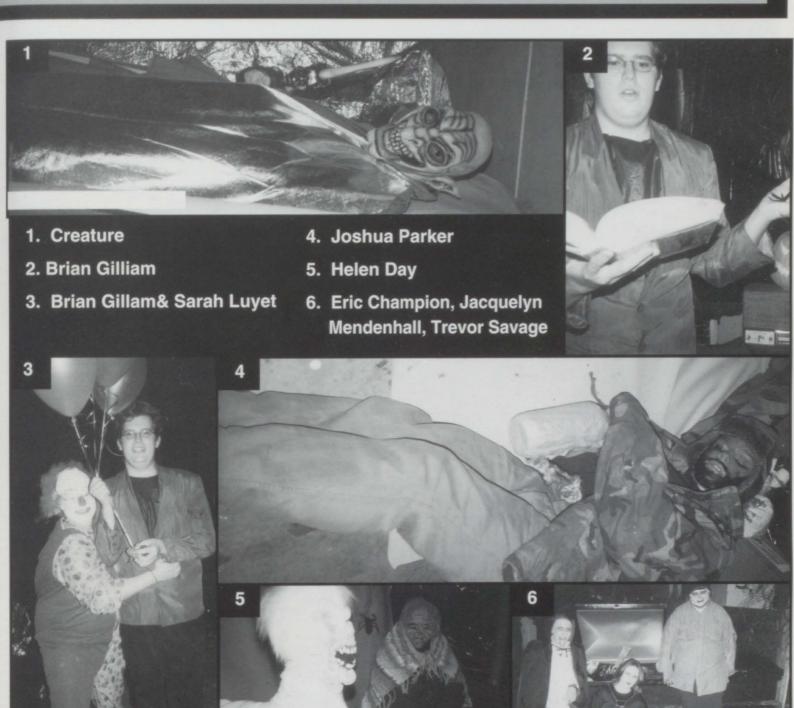
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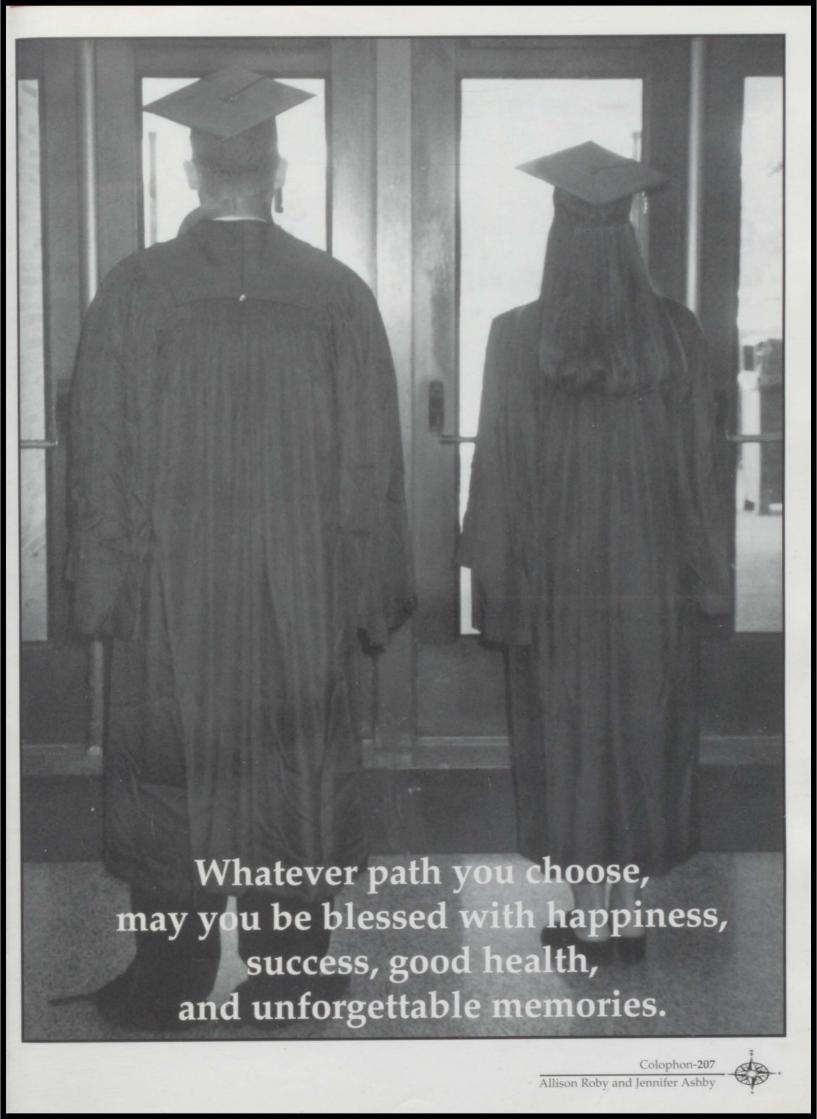
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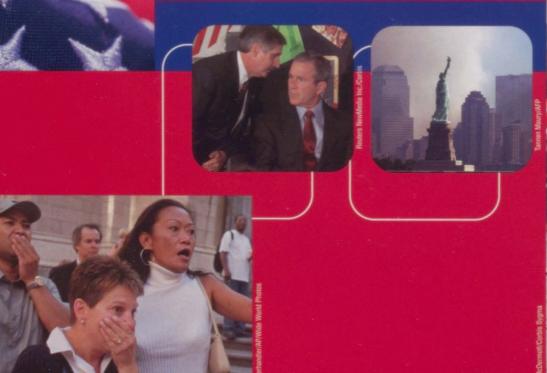
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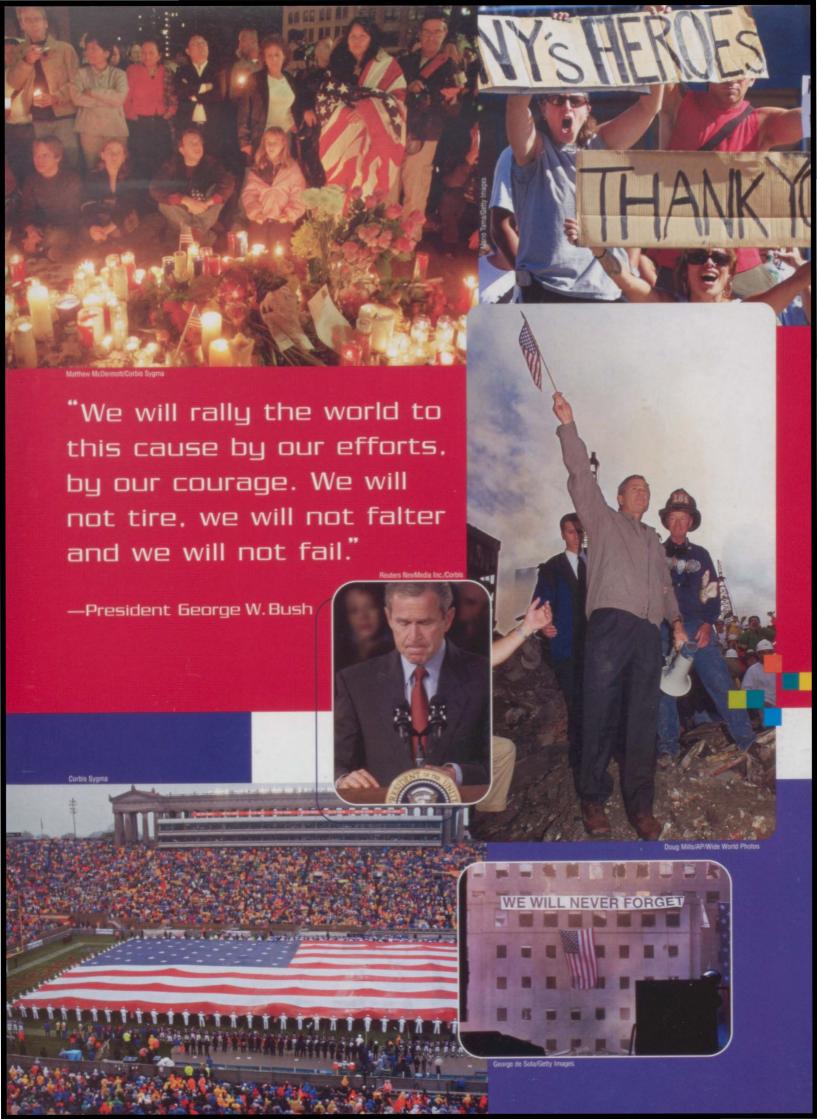
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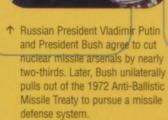
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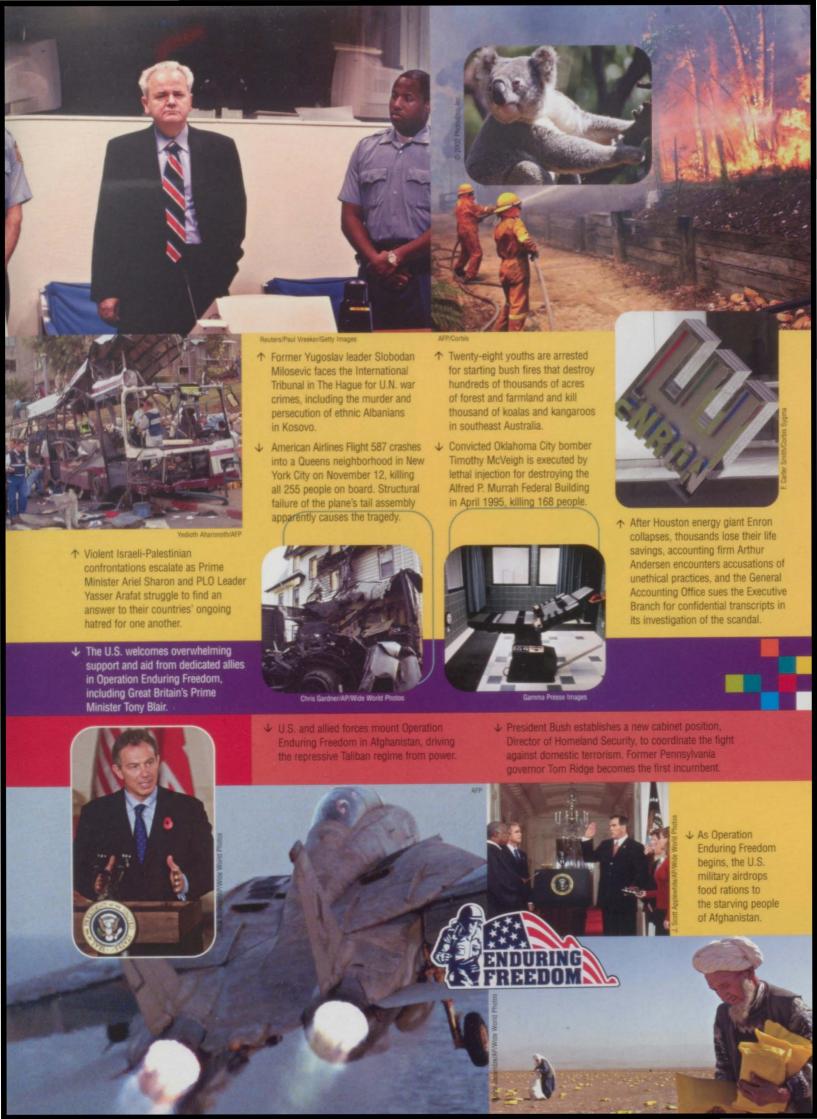
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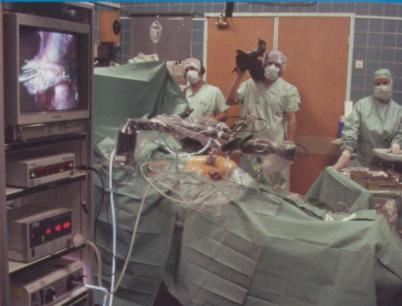
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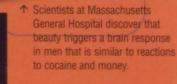


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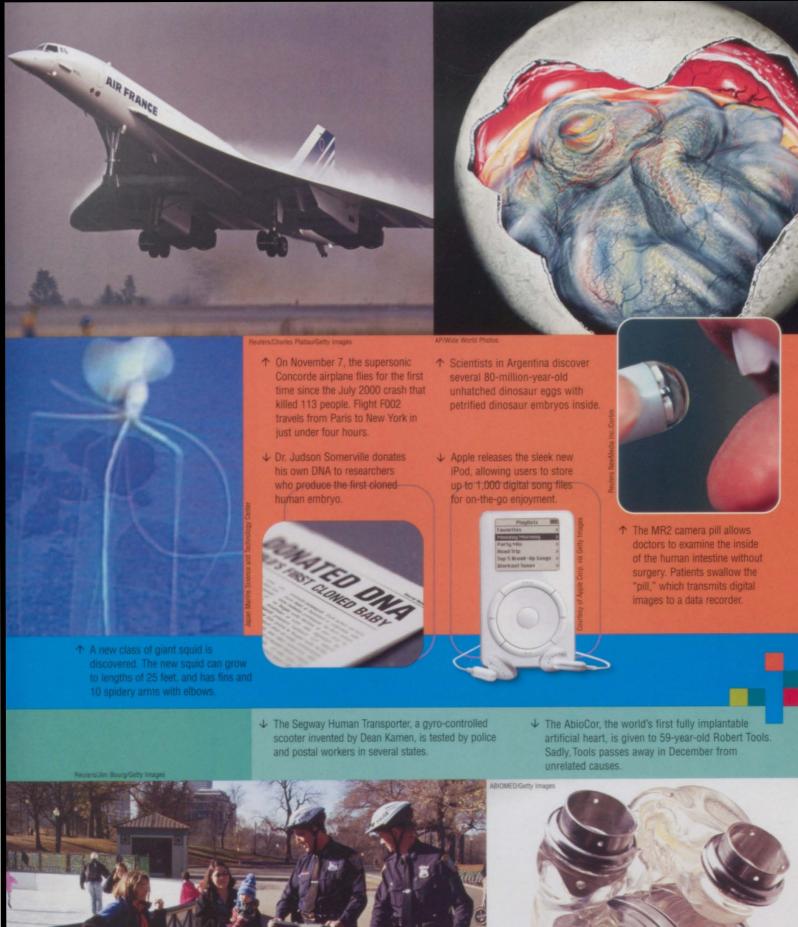


 President Bush approves stem cell research, but only on cells already extracted. The research is highly controversial because extracting the cells kills human embryos.



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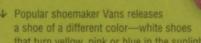






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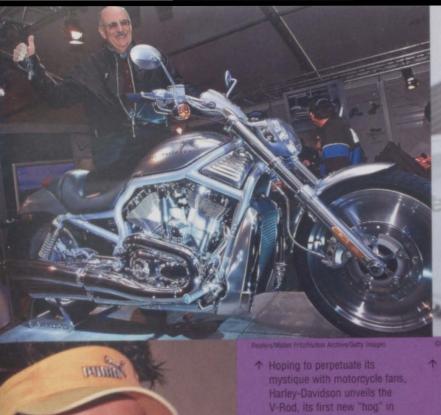






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- ← Hollywood pledges support for New York after the September 11 terrorist attacks by making a variety of "I Love NY" fashion statements.
- ↑ Reacting against sexuality in advertising, music and the arts, young men and women across America join the "true love waits" movement.
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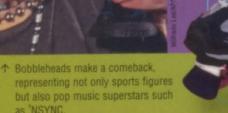
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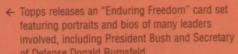
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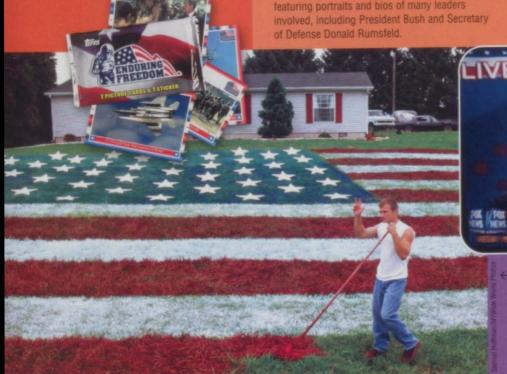
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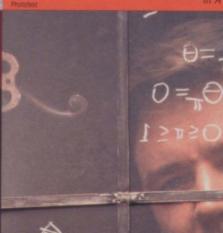


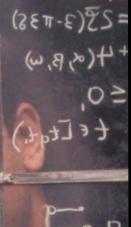
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- MTV, the first television network devoted exclusively to popular music, celebrates its 20th anniversary.
- Letterman" helps people cope with their emotions in the weeks after the September 11 terrorist attacks.





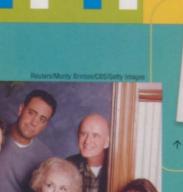








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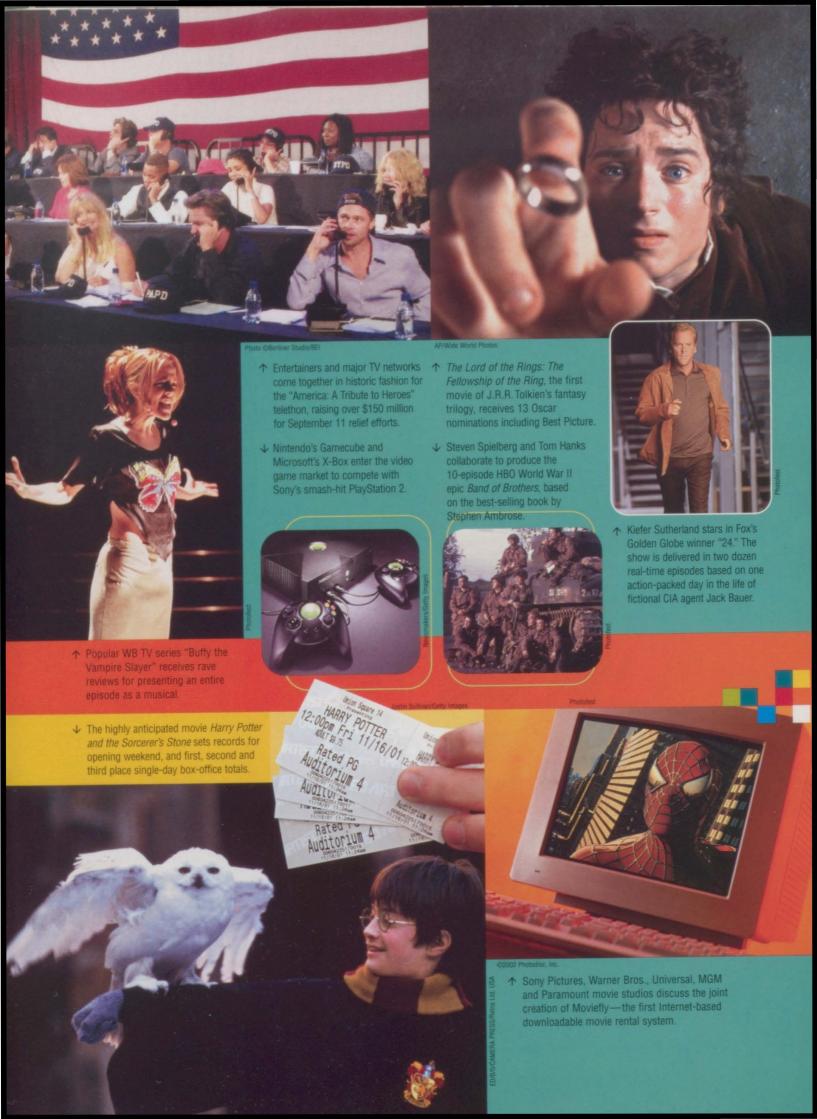


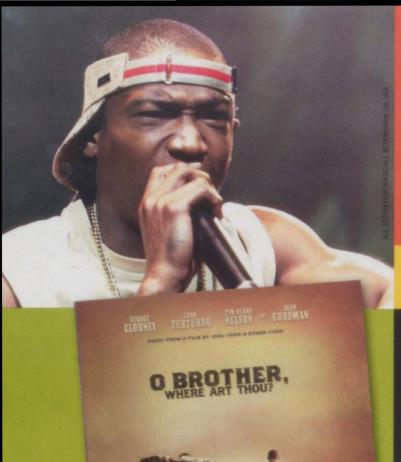
- ↑ 1970s Swedish band Abba enjoys revival in the Broadway smash hit Mamma Mia! The musical features three intertwined love stories and over 20 of Abba's greatest hits.
- ← The Emmy Awards for Best Actress and Best Supporting Actress in a Comedy go to CBS's "Everybody Loves Raymond" stars Patricia Heaton and Doris Roberts.



- ↑ The WB scores a flyaway hit with "Smallville," the story of Superman's high school years. The show stars newcomer Tom Welling as the young Superman.
- → Actor Josh Hartnett solidifies his role as a leading man in Hollywood with a pair of blockbuster war movies; Pearl Harbor and Black Hawk Down.





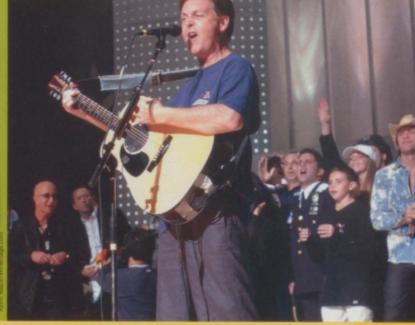


↑ The music from the hit movie *O Brother, Where Art Thou?* becomes country music's top-seller for 2001 and receives a Grammy nomination for Album of the Year.

- Popular rapper Ja Rule is nominated for the 2002 NAACP Image Awards Outstanding Hip-Hop/Rap Artist for the song "Livin' It Up."
- → Singer/actress Aaliyah is killed in a private plane crash in the Bahamas. During her eight-year career, Aaliyah released three hit CDs and appeared in several feature films.



Musicians join together for several concerts, including The Concert for New York City, to pay tribute to the victims and raise money for recovery efforts after the September 11 terrorist attacks.



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Music



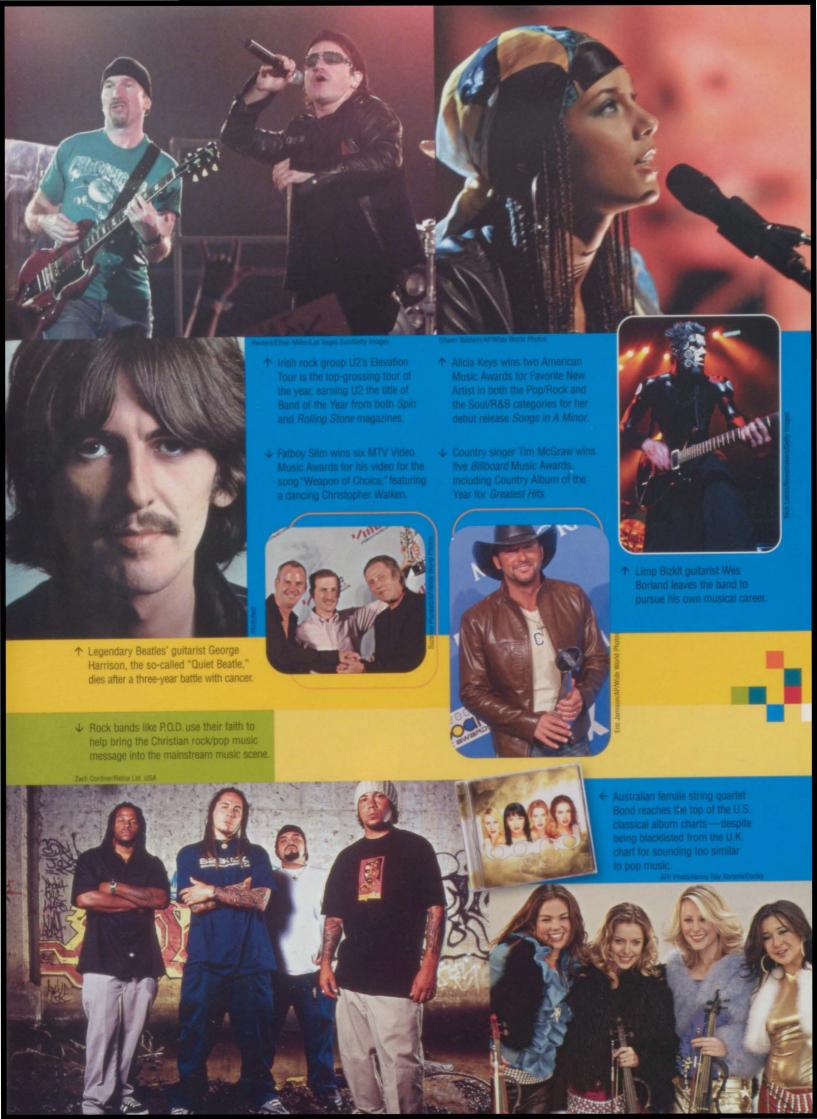
- Neil Young's song "Let's Roll" celebrates the spirit of the passengers who overtook hijackers on Flight 93 in Pennsylvania on September 11.
- Colombian music sensation Shakira brings her high-energy Latin pop to the U.S. with her first English-language album. Laundry Service.



- ↑ To benefit AIDS research and September 11 relief efforts U2's Bono recruits musicians to record Marvin Gaye's "What's Going On." Participating artists include Nelly Furtado, Fred Durst, Gwen Stefani, Moby and many more.
- → Modern rock group Incubus storms onto the music scene with the release of the widely acclaimed album Marring View







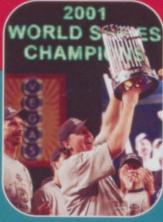




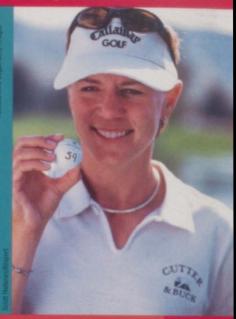
- The 14-point underdog New England Patriots shock NFL viewers by kicking a dramatic last-second field goal to upset the St. Louis Rams 20-17 in Super Bowl XXXVI.
- Michael Jordan, 38, returns to the NBA with the Washington Wizards. Jordan fills arenas nationwide and propels the previously doormat Wizards to instant respectability with an over-500 record.



 Swedish golf superstar Annika Sorenstam wins the 2001 money title, eight tournaments and Player of the Year, and sets over 30 LPGA records, including the all-time low score of 59.



- The Arizona Diamondbacks stun the New York Yankees to win the World Series with a two-run rally in the bottom of the ninth inning of Game 7.
- San Francisco's Barry Bonds makes baseball history with 73 home runs and an astounding slugging percentage of .863—both all-time records.



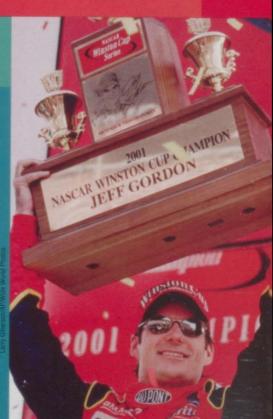
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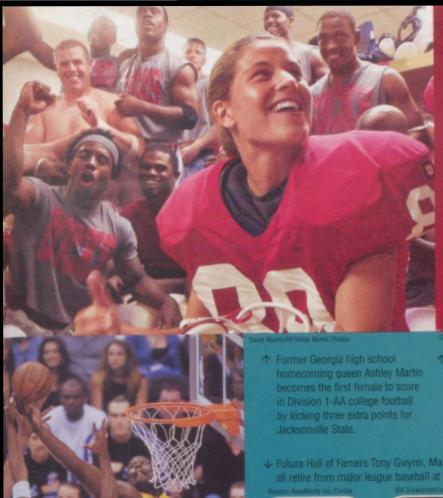
- After her team loses only five games all season, playoff MVP Lisa Leslie leads the Los Angeles Sparks over the Charlotte Sting to win the 2001 WNBA Championship.
- In July, Dale Earnhardt Jr. wins the Pepsi 400 in Daytona, Florida. Ironically, Earnhardt's victory comes on the same track where his father died just five months earlier.



- ↑ Snowboarders Danny Kass, Ross Powers and J.J. Thomas give the United States its first medals sweep in the Winter Olympics since 1956.
- → In November, NASCAR superstar Jeff Gordon wins his fourth Winston Cup Championship.

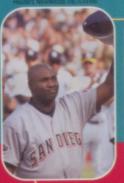






↑ The Colorado Avalanche skate to victory in the 2001 NHL Finals against the New Jersey Devils, marking the first Stanley Cup win for 20-year veteran Ray Bourque.

→ Future Hall of Famers Tony Gwynn, Mark McGwire and Cal Ripken Jr. all retire from major league baseball at the end of the 2001 season.







The NFL season begins on a tragic note when Minnesota Vikings tackle Korey Stringer

→ America welcomes athletes from all over the world to Salt Lake City, Utah, to compete in the 2002 Winter Olympics.

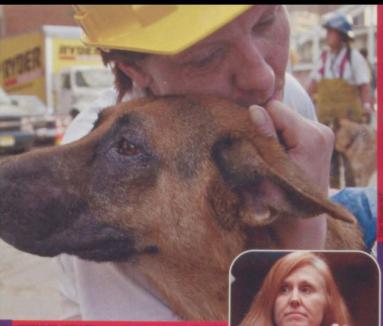
 On their way to an undefeated season and undisputed NCAA Football national championship, the Miami Hurricanes roll over the Nebraska Comhuskers 37-14 in the 2002 Rose Bowl.



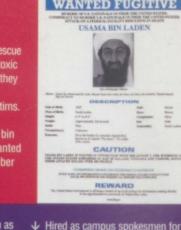




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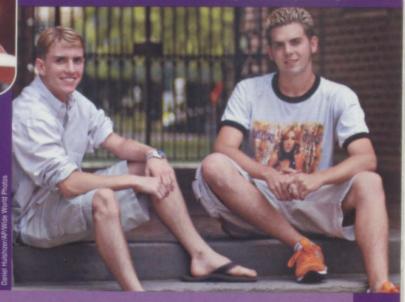
- ← An estimated 350 search-and-rescue dogs brave fire, dehydration, toxic fumes and rubble collapse as they comb the World Trade Center wreckage for survivors and victims.
- → Terrorist mastermind Osama bin Laden tops the FBI's most wanted list for his role in the September 11 terrorist attacks.
- ← Sarah Jane Olson, once known as Kathleen Soliah, is charged with domestic terrorism as a member of the Symbionese Liberation Army in the 1970s and sentenced to 20 years to life.
- → Hired as campus spokesmen for First USA Bank, New Jersey high school seniors Chris Barrett and Luke McCabe become the first students to finance their college educations through corporate sponsorship.





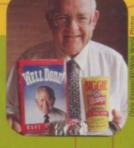


← New York Mayor Rudy Giuliani makes many public appearances in an effort to make New Yorkers and all Americans less afraid to return to normalcy after September 11.



Faces

→ Actress/singer Jennifer Lopez marries dancer/ choreographer Cris Judd in September



Wendy's founder and familiar television figure Dave Thomas succumbs to liver cancer at age 69.

John Walker Lindh, a 20-year-old California native, becomes a prisoner of war after he is found in Afghanistan fighting for the Taliban forces. As a U.S. citizen, Walker may face charges of treason.



↑ NBC's TV game show "The Weakest Link" gains popularity thanks to the assertive demeanor of British hostess Anne Robinson.

→ The future king of England, Prince William of Wales, 19, enters the University of St. Andrews in southeastern Scotland.





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