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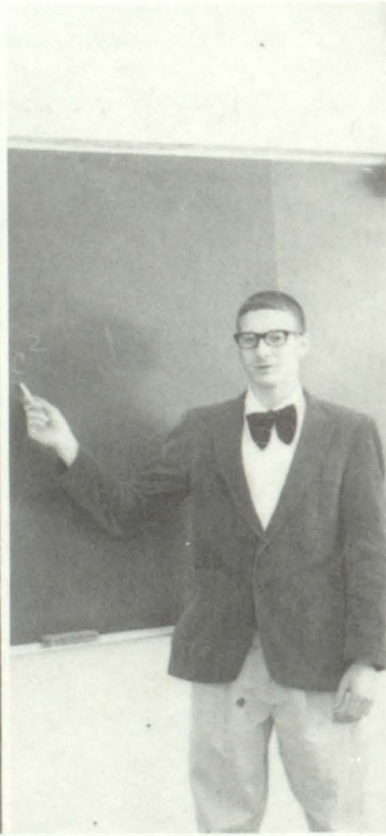
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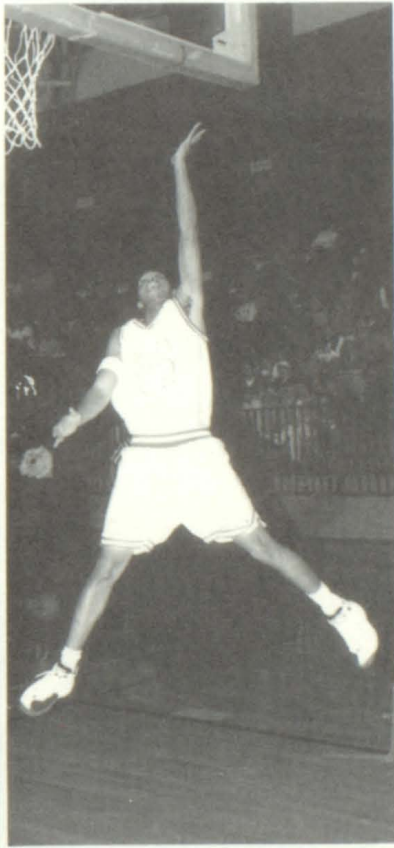
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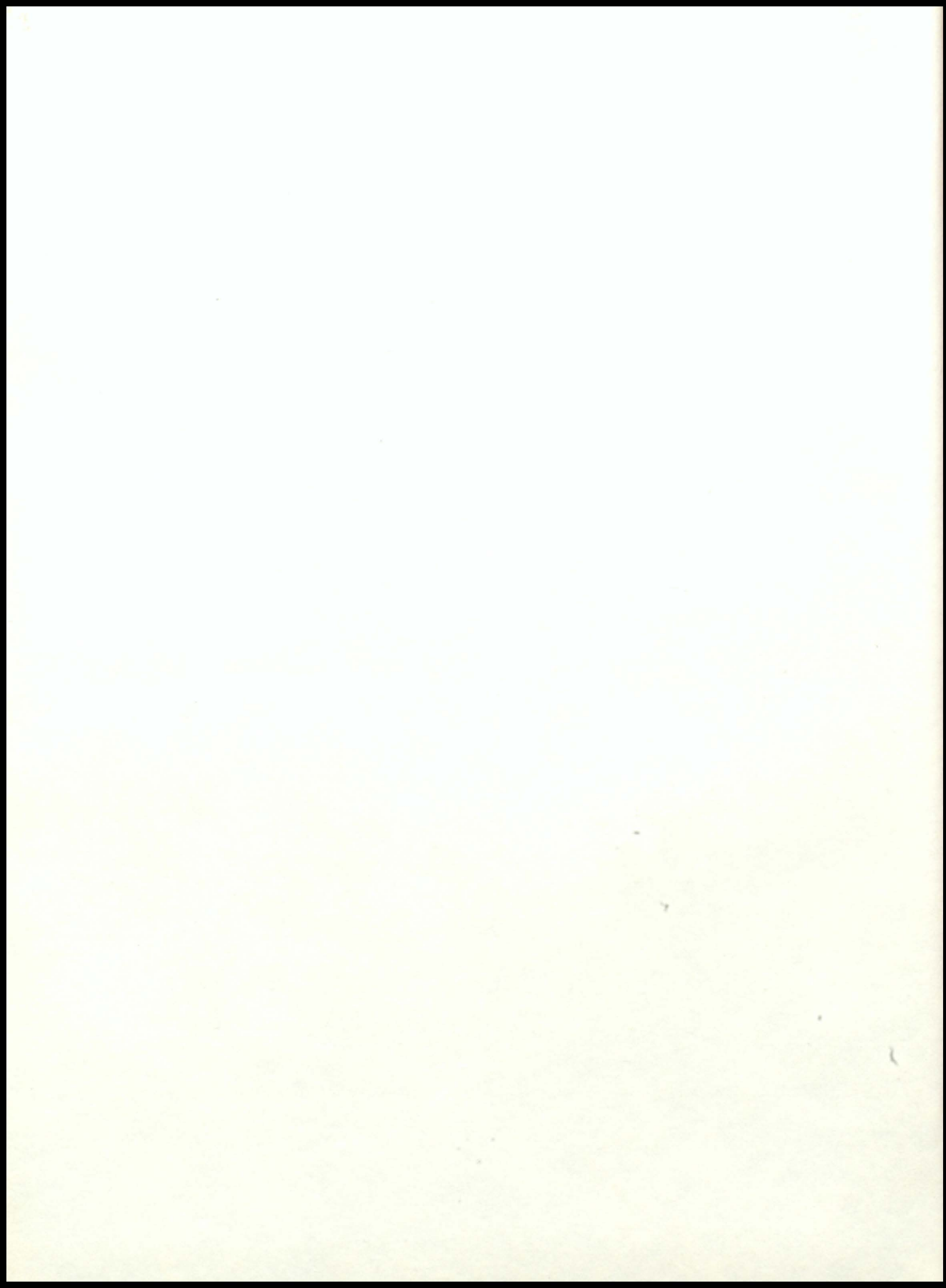


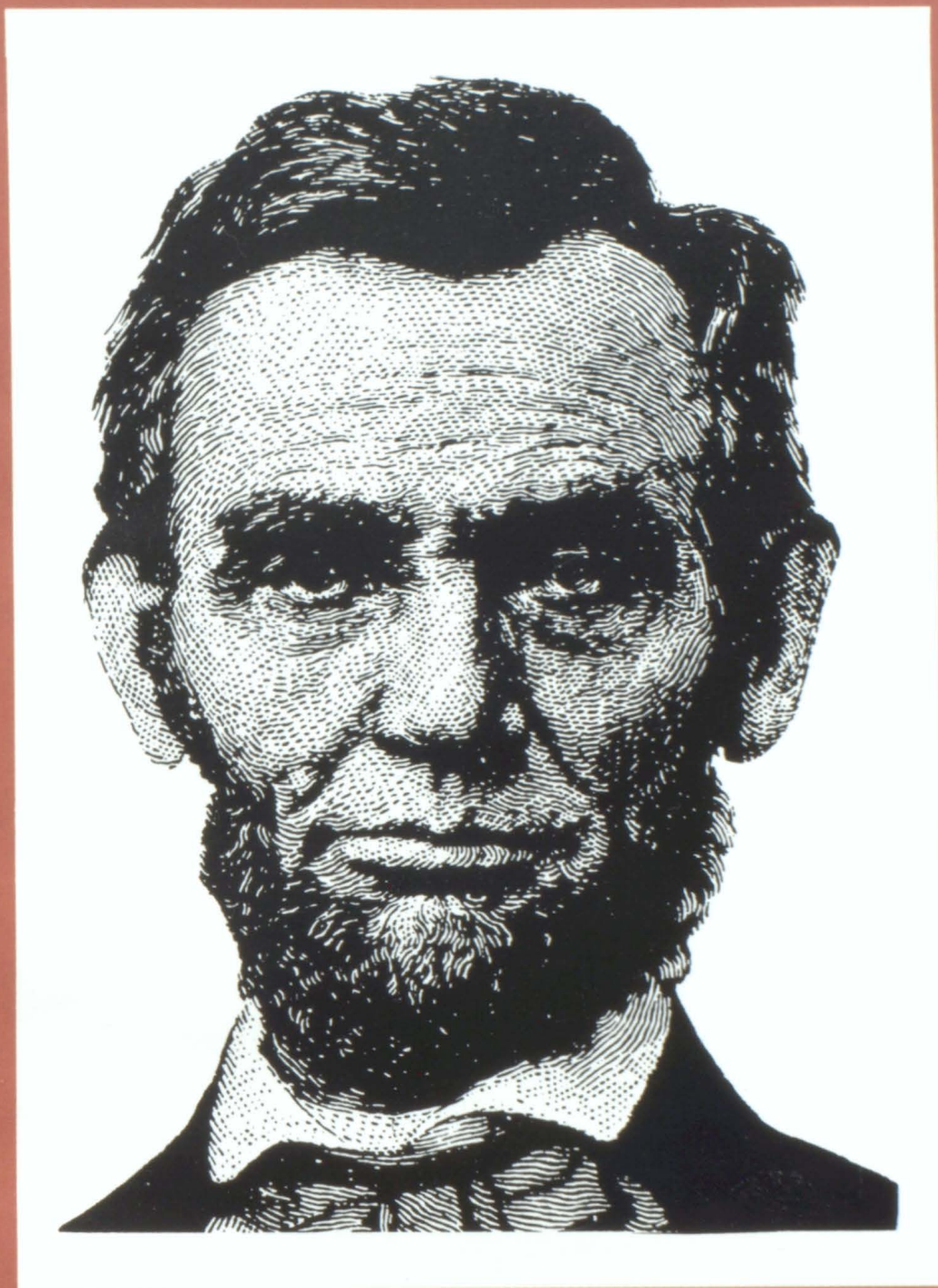
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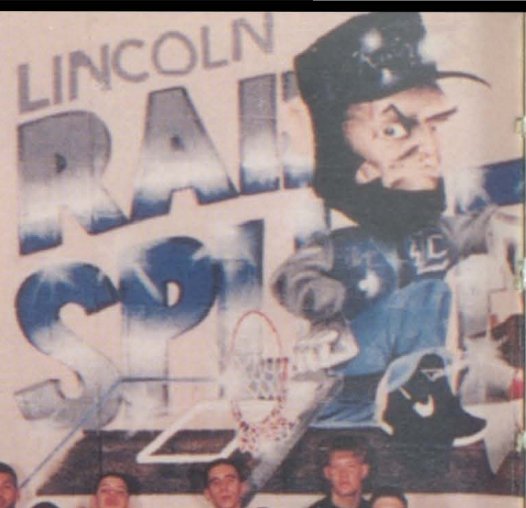
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HOME

NO FOOD
OR BEVERAGES
ALLOWED IN
GYMNASIUM



1998





Shannon Adams



Brian Adkins



Joshua Alexander



Angela Altobello



Crystal Astle



Andrew Athan



Joshua Ausmus



Erin Austin



David Baldwin



Casey Baptist



Robert Bellers



Sarah Bellers



Jill Bergor



Elizabeth Bielak



Jennifer Bigham



Tava Bishop

High school may not be the real world, but Lincoln has the diversity to prepare us for the real world. Kim DeTroyer



Linda Böhme



Michele Bondie



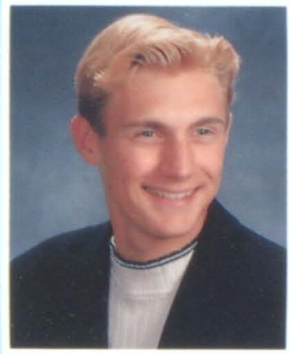
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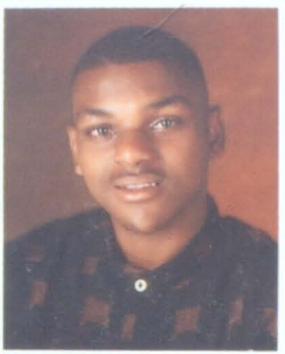
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Dana Brookins



Julie Brookshier



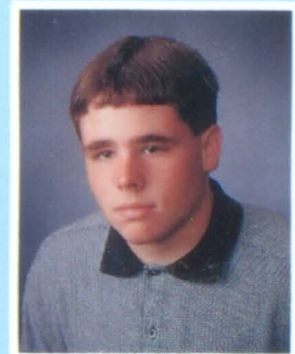
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Jennifer Brown



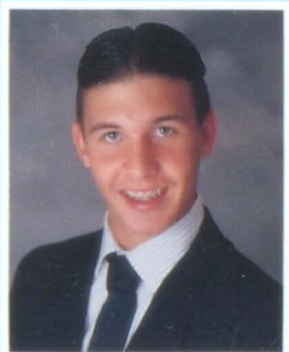
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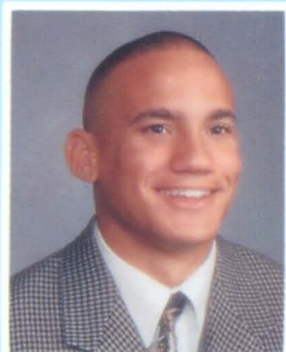
Gabriel Burdette



Shelia Captain



Thomas Caves



Shandon Chambers



Michael Chevrette

When you smile the whole world smiles with you, but when you frown you do it all alone. **Letrice Moody**



Melanie Cichewicz



Christine Clarke



James Cochran



James Conran



Garrett Cooper



Erica Cox



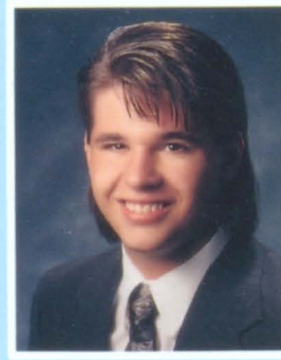
Danielle Crossley



Rachel Curns



Christine deLaroque



Derek Denny



Elizabeth Derkowski



Kimberly DeTroyer



Sakeya Donaldson



Amanda Doss



Stacie Dougherty



Brandy Dunlap

You can't change what happened today, but you can change what will happen tomorrow. **Sarah Panzer**



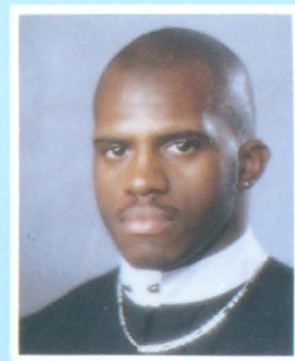
David Dzierbicki



Angela Eberle



Kari Eichstadt



Carl Embry



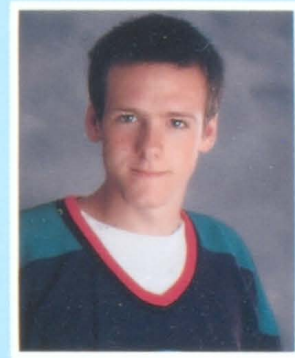
Christopher Farrar



Patrick Fitzgerald



Kerry Foster



Darrell Francis



Jamie Frey



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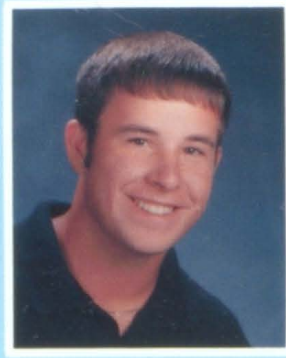


Heather Gorney

Life's about changes, nothing ever stays the same. **Gennifer Gasek**



Holly Hafler



Peter Hafler



Tabitha Hammar



Amanda Harper



Erin Heinrich



Mark Herman



Susan Hill



Melyssa Howard



Karen Hrit



Amanda Jackson



Jennifer Jackson



Shannon Jacobs



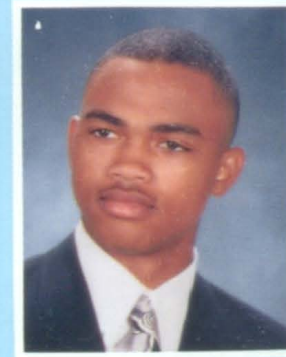
Jeffrey Jenkins



Wenoka Johnson



Denise Jones



Tony Jones

Be yourself, you can never go wrong. **Julie Brookshier**



Daniel Koshlyama



Pamela Laforest



Erica Lamkin



Leslie Larsen



Tobias Lechtenfeld



Angela Letizio



Kimberly Lewis



Reymond Ley



Benjamin Liem



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Bethany Lock



Christina Lund



William Mack



Joy Marriot



Anthony Martinez



Reid McGuire

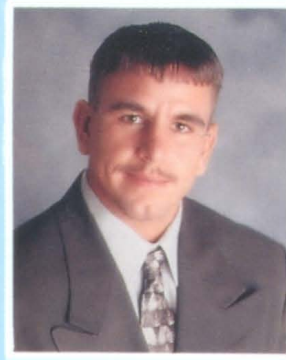
Be nice to everyone, it will pay off in the future. **Mandy Harper**



Angela McMullen



Melissa Meier



Samuel Meyer



Lyndsay Michalik



Zachary Monson



Letrice Moody



Roger Moon



Lashonda Moore



Lianna Moore



Amanda Moorer



Lindsay Moorer



Julie Motika



Marie Mull



Erick Murnighan



Kristie Music



Kiley Nevins

A bend in a road is not the end of the road unless you fail to make the turn.

Christine deLaroque



Christopher Nielsen



Deborah Oliver



Stephanie Oliver



Katherine Orr



Lisa Osburn



Sarah Panzer



Agam Patel



Richard Paylor



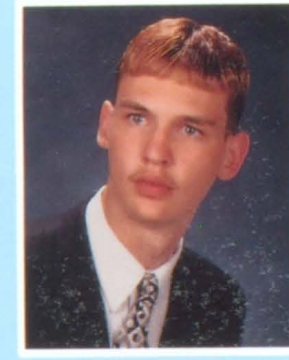
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Joel Perry



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Brian Publiski



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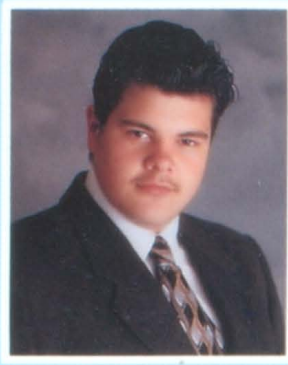


Gary Roman

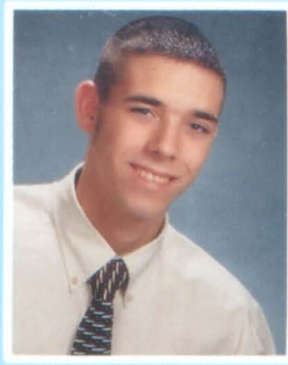


Tenika Saddler

Your actions today will determine who you will be tomorrow. **Michele Bondie**



Robert Sadler



Nicholas Sager



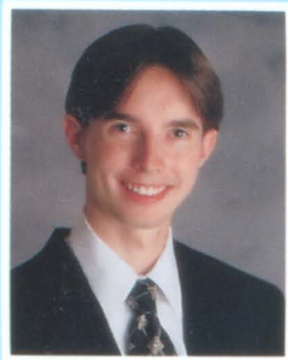
Shannon Salisbury



Regina Salley



Jonathan Schmidt



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Dustin Schultz



Heather Scott



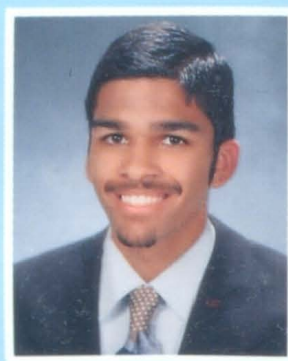
Jamie Scott



Erin Selter



Autumn Seyuin



Sanjay Shah



Anthony Shook



Julia Sieloff



Joel Slaven



Margaret Smith

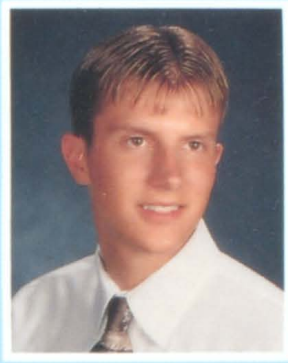
We arrived, we made friends, we loved, we left. **Stacie Dougherty**



Shane Smith



Joshua Spencer



Anthony Stec



Wanelle Stokes



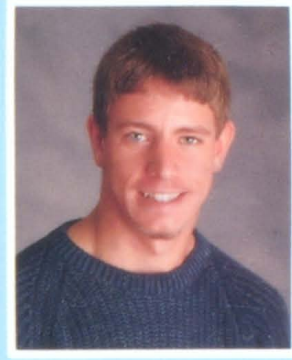
James Stowe



Laura Sutherland



Crista Tackett



Jason Tait



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Nichole Van Loon



Andrew Van Tassell



Kristopher Vasicek



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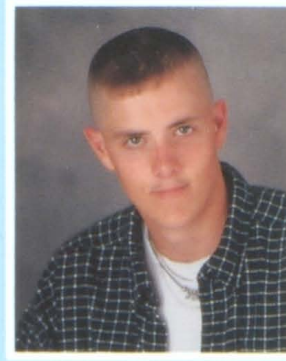
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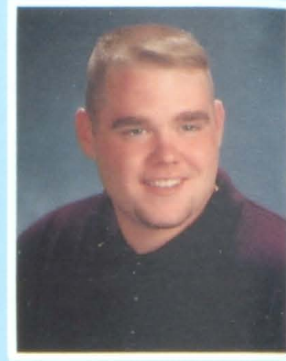
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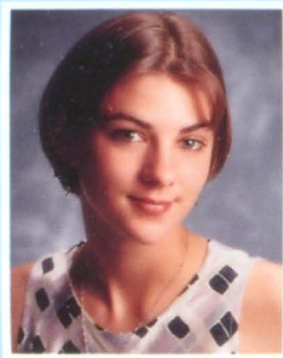
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Holli Woodard



Sandra Wright



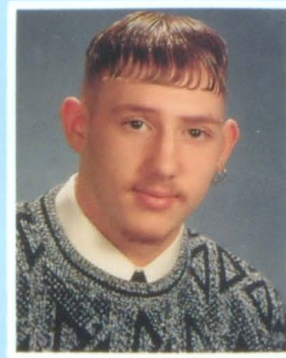
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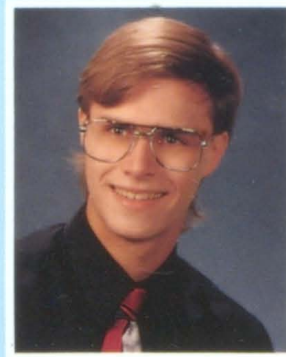
Damien Yow



Amanda Zeoli



James Zickafoose



Keith Zitnik



Nicholas Zoumaris

Senior Class Officers — Representatives: Sam Meyer, Tina Rayburn; Secretary: Jay Shah, Representatives: Tracy Gerlofs, Angela McMullen; Treasurer: Tony Stec; President: Missy Meier; Vice-President: Andrew VanTassell

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SENIOR MOCK ELECTIONS



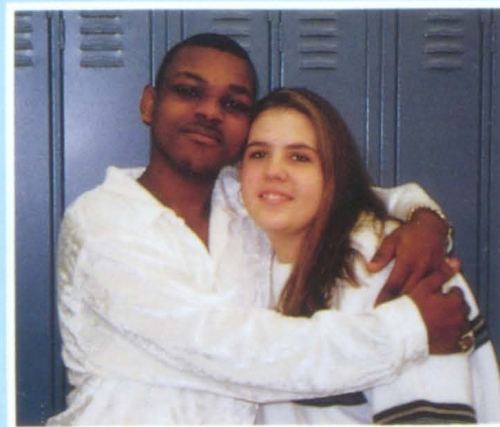
Tallest — Chris Nielsen and Andrea Gibbins
Shortest — Heather Gorney and Shandon Chambers



Most School Spirited
Kristie Music and Andrew Van Tassell



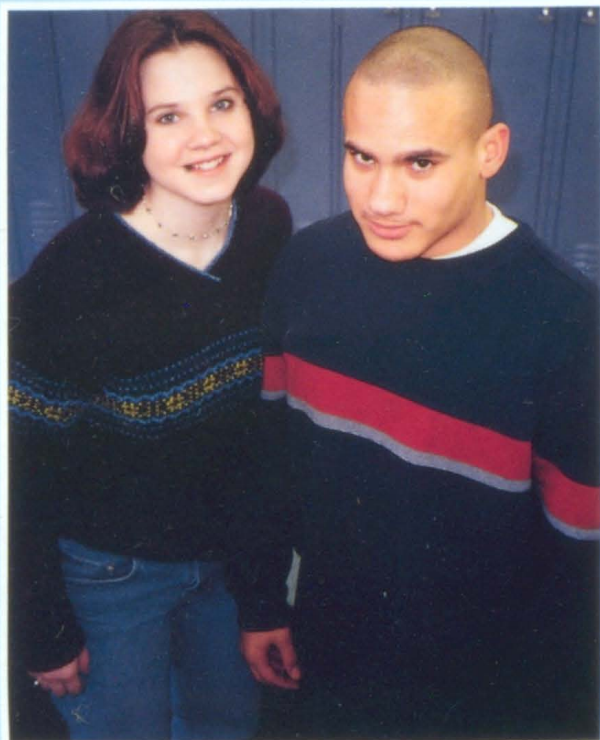
Best Personality
Sarah Wyatt and Nanthan Willard



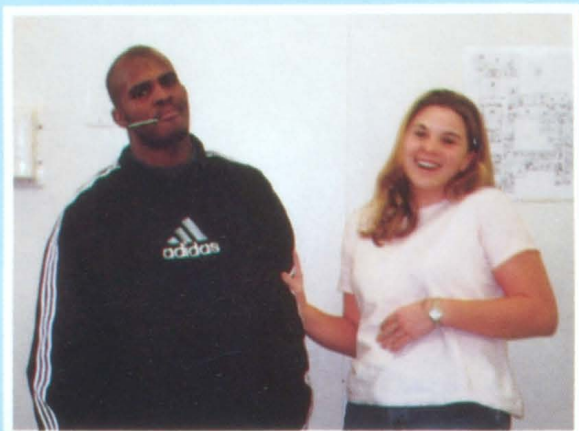
Always a Friend
Derrick Brown and Michele Bondie



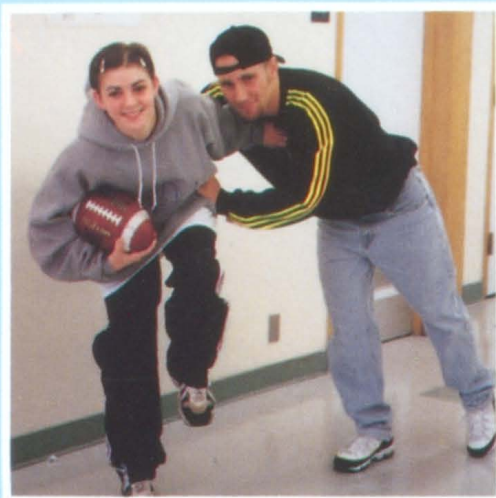
Class Couple
Sam Meyer and Tracy Gerlofs



Class Big Mouth
Jon Ponder and Heather Scott



Funniest Laugh
Carl Embry and Sarah Bellers



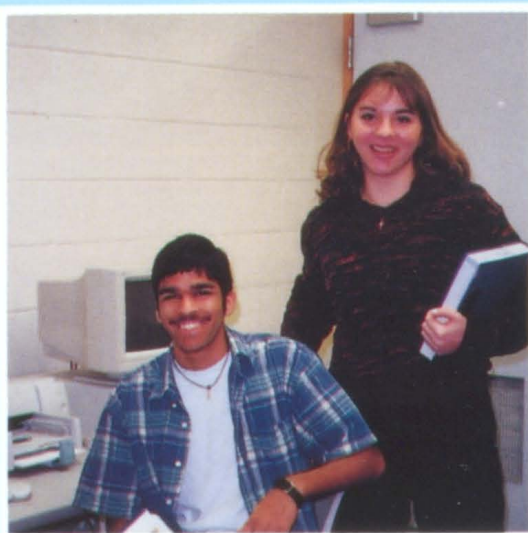
Most Athletic
Sarah Wyatt and Cory Hanson



Class Flirt
Kristie Music and Brian Publiski



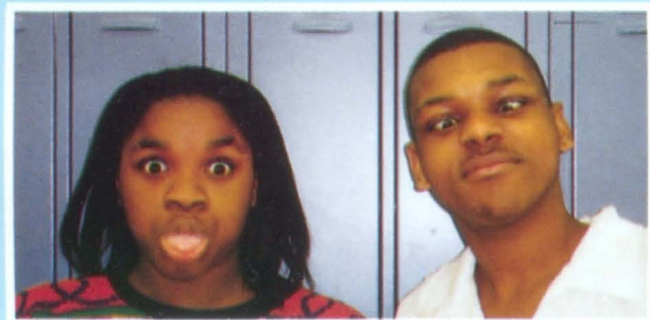
Best Looking
Kiley Nevins and Shane Smith



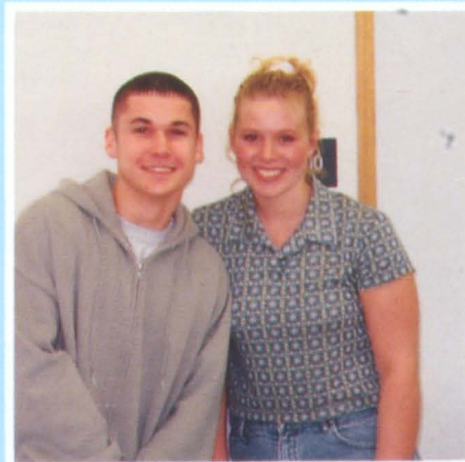
Most Likely To Succeed
Missy Meier and Jay Shah



Shyest
Sheila Captain and Agam Patel



Class Clowns
Latrice Moody and Derrick Brown



Best Smile
Shane Smith and Shannon Salisbury



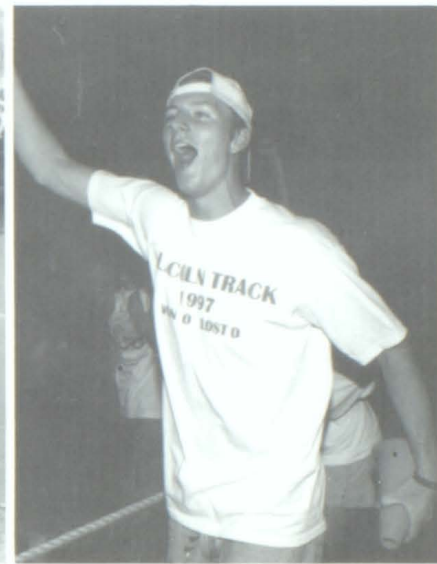
Worst Drivers
Chris Nielsen and Mandy Jackson

Kim DeTroyer

class of 1998

SENIORS

Just wanna have
FUN!!!



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MEMORIES ...



Jon-D Schmidt



Erin Heinrich



Melyssa Howard



Andrew VanTassell



Chris Nielson



Johnny McCray



Lianna Moore



Amanda Doss



Pam LaForest



Kiley Nevins



Andrea Gibbins



Tabitha Hammar



Joni Bunce



Nick Schmidt



Leslie Larsen



Heather Gorney



Heather Fike



Aaron Points



Holly & Peter Hafler



Gennifer Gasek



Sarah Panzer



Julie Brookshier



Tammy Pluff



Christine deLaroque



Kelly Wanty



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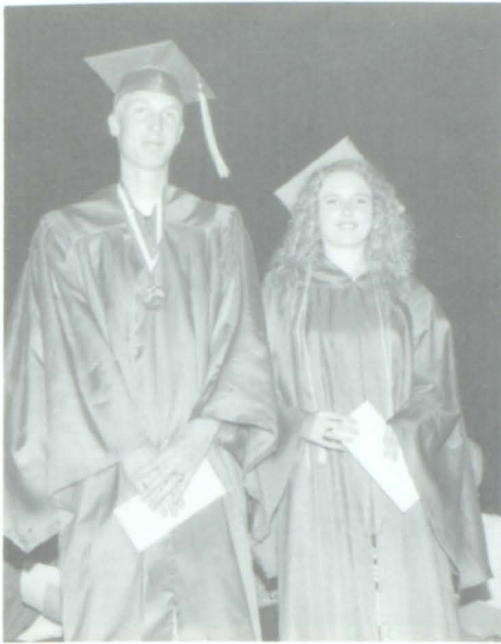


Elizabeth Bielak



... *OF YESTERDAY!*

Julie Brookshier



Recipients of the LEA Scholarship, Chris Nielson and Shannon Wilson.

Sanjay Shah and Missy Meier receive the Mathematics award from Mr. Nowak.



Gabriel Burdette receives award from classmate Amanda Doss.



Chrissy Clarke is awarded the Orlo Wright Scholarship from Mr. Andon.



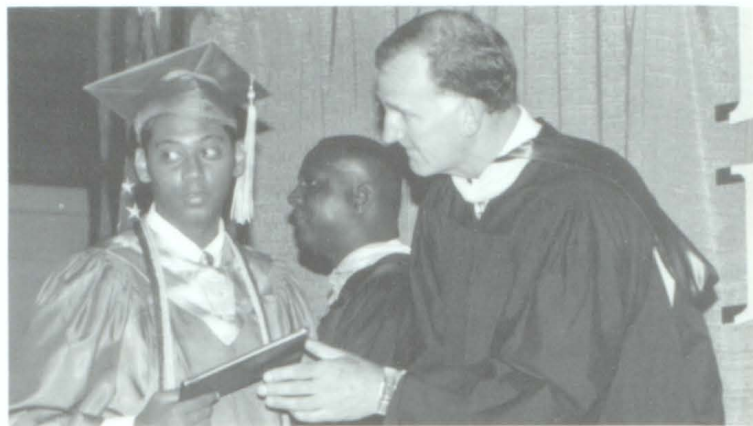
Mrs. Gordon presents an award to Johnny McCrary.



HONORS CONVOCATION



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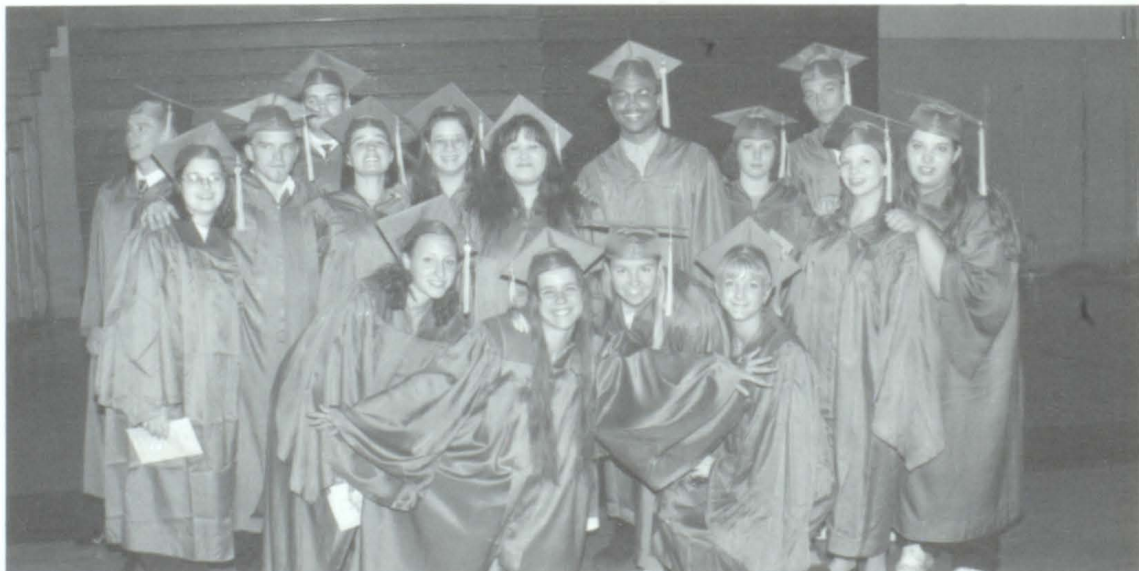


Agam Patel with Superintendent Al Widner



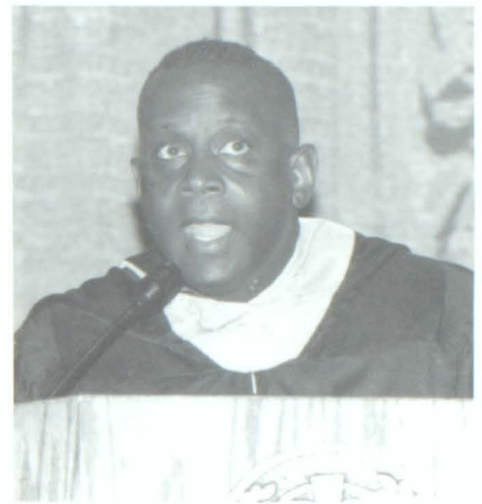
Co-Valedictorians Joy Marriott and Lyndsay Michalik

Salutatorian Melissa Meier





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School Board President Gregory Peoples



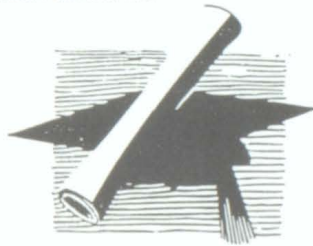
Sam Meyer



Tina Rayburn with Principal David Storey



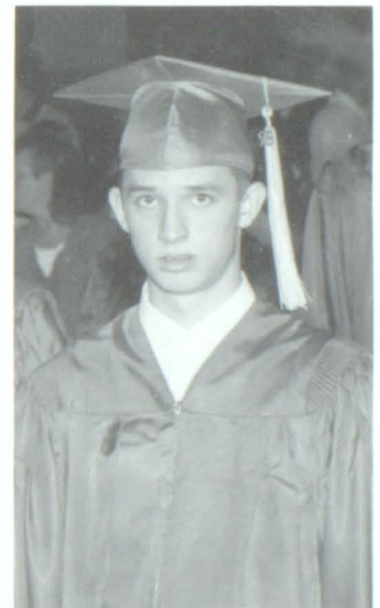
Sarah Vredeveld



Rachel Curns, Tammy Pluff, Julie Brookshier, Gennifer Gasek



Jared Wills



Matthew Thompson

Patrick Fitzgerald



the rest of

YOUR LIFE



Midnight



Pat Fitzgerald and Linda Bohme



Jennifer Kitchen, Sarah Kolesar, and Carolyn Satanski
Josh Rosa, Regina Salley, Chrissy Clarke, Daren Schaller, Lewis Yusah, and Michele Bondie.



Jason Sperle and Bob Bellers

Tara Patrick and Sarah Trumbo



Nick Schmidt and Katie Adrounie

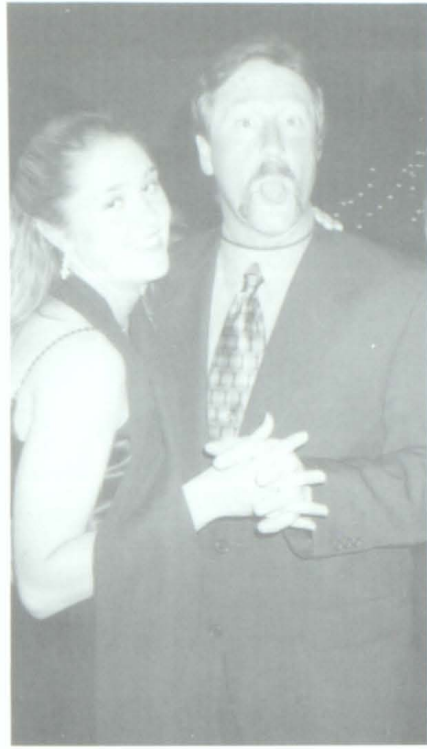
Angela McMullen and Katie Fox



Masquerade ...



Mike Wylie and Keri Bosker



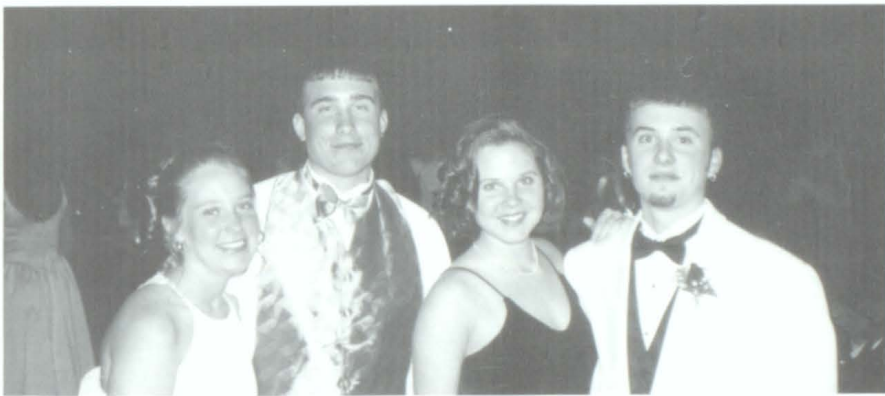
Jessica Salley and father, Dave Salley



Kelly Hatfield and Mike Chevrette



Sarah Bellers and Amanda Doss



Sarah Panzer, Jennifer Jackson, Julie Brookshier, Erin Heinrich, Kim Lewis, Christina Lund, and Christine deLaroque

Beth Derkowski, Tommy Moore, Heather Gorney, and Chris Darling



April Warnock and Dan Staten

Juniors

**What is your
nickname and
how did you
get it?**

*Tab, because people
are too lazy to say my
first name.*

Tabitha Hammar

*Shorty, I was the
shortest thing in
grade school.*

Julie Motika

*Peppy, because of my
high spirited attitude.*

Cassic Bake

*Casper, because I am
so pale.*

Kim Myers

*Snorter, because of
my ridiculously weird
laugh.*

Sarah Bellers

*Green Light, because
on the basketball
court I shoot a lot.*

Andrew VanTassell

Adrounie, Kathryn
Aduroja, Grace
Alper, Eli
Angers, Matthew
Aniol, Melissa
Arnold, Jackie
Avery, Donald

Bailey, April
Bake, James
Baldwin, Andrea
Barrett, Angela
Bellers, William
Benson, Corey
Bevens, Nathan

Bevens, Rebekah
Bigham, Robert
Blackburn, Kristie
Blair, Stacy
Blake, Kristin
Blose, Matthew
Bogoian, Michael

Bondie, Pamela
Boone, Gypsy
Borstadt, Sarah
Bowman, Christopher
Bricker, Tisha
Broughton, Trey
Brown, Anthony

Brown, Ardeda
Brown, Daniel
Brown, Derrick
Bumgardner, Julie
Burkeon, Debhra
Burrell, George
Burrell, Jessica

Bush, Jason
Bush, Jennifer
Cain, Ahkeem
Cannon, Darrell
Carnahan, Crystal
Carpenter, Michael
Cates-Wilson, Michael

Cichewicz, Andrew
Cochran, Tangela
Condell, Nicholas
Conley, Erin
Cook, Aaron
Cooper, Andrew
Cox, Kevin

Croft, Jennifer
Cummings, Arlesia
Curmi, Sarah
Curtis, Anthony
Dejesus, David
Dibbs, Rebecca
Dick, Trisha

Dicks, Lorena
Doherty, Jennifer
Dopkowski, Elizabeth
Dornbos, Michael
Dunnigan, Carrie
Eberle, Jennifer



class of 1999



Estermyer, Nikolis
Ezrow, Tanya
Fiedler, Brent
Fike, Heather
Fitzsimmons, Brandie
Fletcher, Brandon
Foerster, Emily

Fox, Katherine
Franklin, Darius
Galletta, Tonya
Garcia, Justin
Gentz, Kristin
Godsey, Kevin
Gordon, Brandy

Greenwood, Michelle
Greggs, Michelle
Gregory, Alan
Guthrie, Christina
Hackworth, Natasha
Haddad, Ashraf
Haight, Timothy

Hamilton, Charles
Hammond, Deanna
Heeringa, Kimberly
Henderson, Matthew
Hill, Joshua
Hodgkins, Amanda
Holland, Danielle

Huber, Alaina
Huber, Cameron
Husty, Jeffery
Ingrao, Michael
Jackson, Damar
Jackson, Patricia
Jacobs, Sarah

Jarrell, Everett
Jones, Kevin
Jordan, Brandon
Julite, Terri
Kibler, Kelly
Kitchen, Jennifer
Kobie, Ryan

Kolesar, Sara
Kordupel, Bryan
Kosiba, Steven
Koski, Erica
Kotlarczyk, Michael
Kowalski, Henry
Kramer, Corinne

Kuhns, Elizabeth
Lafleche, Joseph
Lambert, Kevin
Lambert, Nicole
Lanctot, Lucas
Lange, Ronald
Laparry, Koleen

Lawson, Quincy
Ley, Michael
Ley, Steffine
Linton, Krista
Loomis, Melissa
Lore, Amy
Loving, Gregory

What was your best excuse for not doing your homework?

It was dumb!
Cassie Bake

I didn't know it was homework.
Kim Myers

HOMEWORK?
Gary Roman

*Sister took it.
(I don't have a sister!)*
Nathan Willard

Never made an excuse because everyone else has already used them.
Sarah Jacobs

I didn't understand it, that always works.
Pamela Bondie

My dog told me he was going to do it.
Jennifer Kitchen

I couldn't do my homework because of health reasons.
Sarah Trumbo

Here is a dollar, maybe we can just forget about this whole event.
James Conran

Juniors

**What is your
nickname and
how did you
get it?**

*"PUB". My last name
is Publiski, I've even
got the matching
license plate.*

Brian Publiski

*JoJo cause my middle
name is Jo.*

Amanda Smallwood

*Sparky, because
during softball season
I used to bark at the
other team and they
never coming where it
was coming from.*

Pamela Bondie

*Spidey, from my
freshman year of
Cross Country. I had
a spider bite when we
started training and
ever since then Mr.
Moran has called me
Spidey or Spider
Woman.*

Katy Hamlin

*Spooger, you would
regret me telling you
why I got it.*

Henry Kowalski

Lucas, Tiffany
Lucas, Tyne
Lucas, Lisa
Lund, Kimberly
Maier, Amanda
Makarewich, Rebekah
Mauch, Lisa

Mautone, Giovanni
McClure, Michelle
McCrary, Johnny
McMillan, Carrie
Meers, Timothy
Michalik, Roy
Middlebrook, Robbie

Miller, Brandi
Morgan, Shannon
Mutschler, Cristy
Nance, Jason
Neal, Sarah
Nitz, Jessica
Nitz, Joannie

Nolan, Luke
Parker, Lindsey
Parmelee, Shannon
Pasky, Michael
Patrick, Tara
Perry, Jeffrey
Phillips, Melissa

Pichan, Alicia
Pittman, Hilye
Polzin, Michael
Ponder, Nathaniel
Poole, Marshall
Pothead, Austin
Preston, Brian

Purfoy, Courtney
Raymond, Aaron
Reed, Shelley
Reid, Bryan
Reno, Marcell
Richards, Jacquelyn
Richards, Sarah

Ross, Jared
Salley, Jessica
Sanders, Melissa
Satanski, Carolyn
Schaller, Wendi
Schrag, Elizabeth
Scott, Heather

Secore, Matthew
Sells, Jarrod
Seslar, Kyle
Shine, Joseph
Sloan, William
Slovinski, April
Smallwood, Amanda

Smith, Andrew
Sperle, Jason
Srock, Steven
St John, Sarah
Stec, Sarah
Steffen, Jennifer
Stetler, Ryan



class of 1999



Stevenson, Laura
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Taylor, Levi
Teall, Shelah
Thomas, Breanna
Thomas, Laura

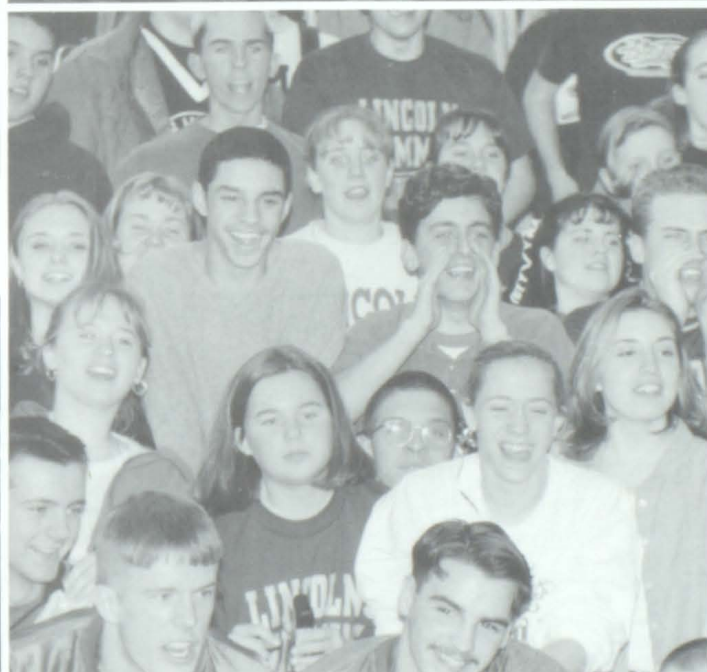
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Webster, Joshua
Wellday, Jason
White, Micael
Whitfield, Angela

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Willis, Dustanna
Wollweber, Lawrence
Woosley, Melissa
Wright, Christina
Wysocki, Matthew

Not Pictured:

Anderson, Arica
Barrett, Nicole
Berry, Jason
Blank, Steven
Carpenter, Jack
Cochran, Twon
Dewyer, Steven
England, Jason
Fisher, Jennifer
Golden, Jennifer
Houston Hakeem
Kailimai, Michelle
Kastle, Karrie
Lillie, Kristie
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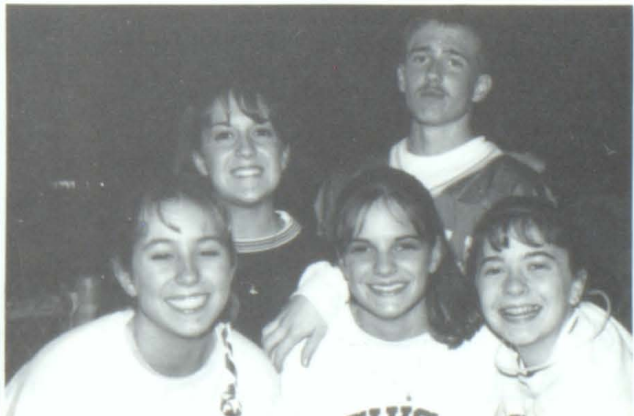
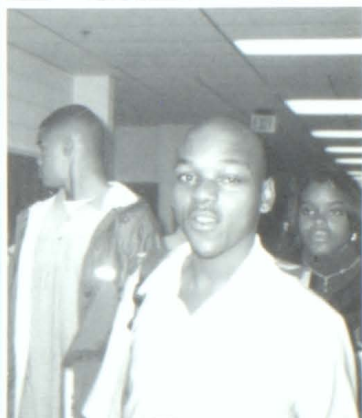
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Thinkin' About You







Anthony and Jessica Jackson



Lee Miles and Toya Roberson



Thomas and Meghann McParlan



William and Sara Borgstadt



Sean Sist and Carrie McMillan



Robbie and Kenneth Middlebrook



Carl and Julie Bumgardner



Scott DeBuck and Jenny Viterna



Wayne and Missy Meier



Sarah and Steven Wyatt



Tracy and Sherry Gerlofs

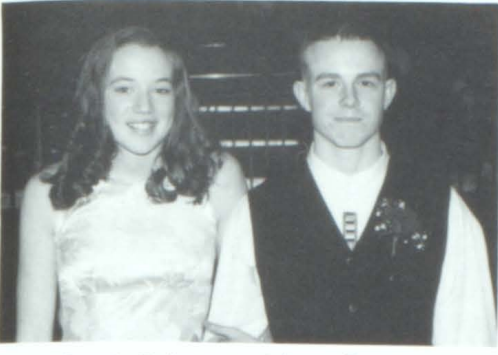


Sarah Bellers

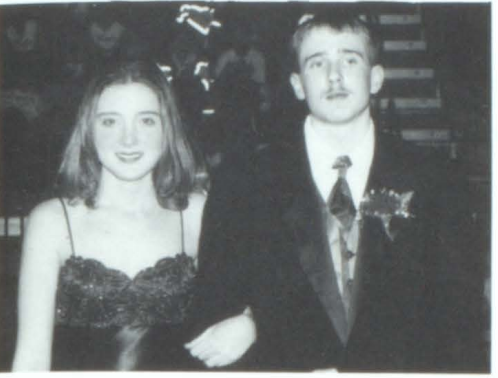
The 1997 Homecoming Court!



Tava and Johnny Bishop



Connie Fullerton and Aaron Brewer



Crystal Pinter and Aaron Wilson



Regina Salley and Josh Salley



Amanda Moorer and Jason Sperle



Beth Kuhns and Greg Loving



Kelly Kibler and Joe Shine



Stacie Dougherty and Dave Baldwin



Maureen Lore and Cory Hanson



Jill Kosmalski and Nathan Willard



Tracy Gerlofs and Sam Meyer



Sarah Wyatt and Carl Embry



The 1998 Cominghome Court!

Sarah Bellers

Homecoming

INSTRUCTIONS
NOT INCLUDED

Seniors Tony Stec, Nick Sager, Reid McGuire and Andrew VanTassell raise the trophy for winning Homecoming.



Juniors cheer for their class during the pep assembly.

A group of students show off their outfits for mismatch day.



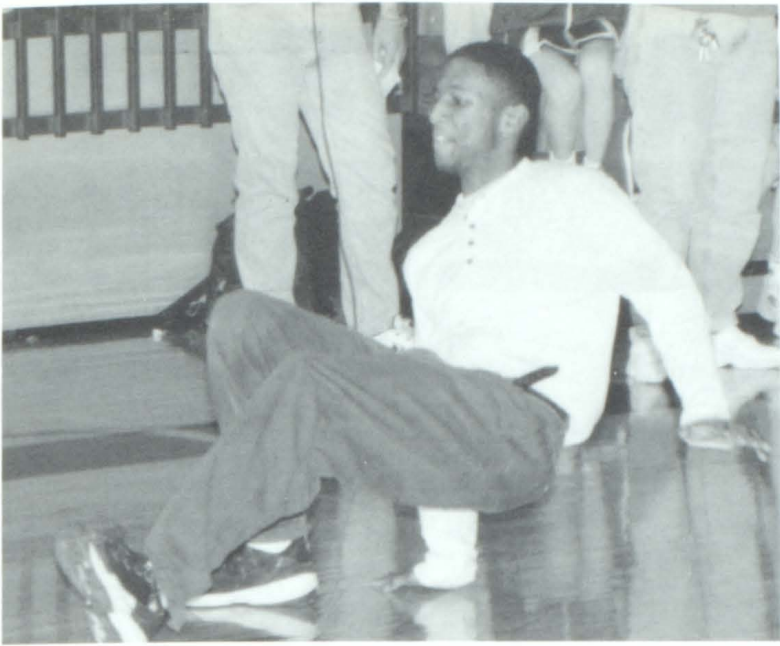
Andrew Smith and Austin Potthast carry away the hornets to show their excitement toward the game.



Katy Hamlin and Ami Shah participate in the wheel barrel relay.



Junior's homecoming float won 1st place.



Levi Taylor crab walks his way to the finish line in a relay race trying to earn points for the junior class.



Carl Embry poses with escort Sarah Wyatt after being crowned King.



Juniors pull with all their might to try to defeat the freshmen.

Elizabeth Derkowski presents the spirit week trophy to juniors Sarah Curmi and Niki Lambert.



Freshmen Gail Stec and Tara Lore put their minds together to walk as one in the three legged race.



Senior Holli Woodard helps her class in tug-of-war.



Christine deLaroque

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OFF TO CAMP WE GO



Back row: Bob Bellers, Kevin Godsey, Elizabeth Bielak, Kate Fox, Sarah Bellers, Aaron Raymond. Front row: Liz Schrag, Kate Adrounie, Grace Aduroja, Than Ponder, Tony Stec, Matt Blose, Andrew Cooper.



So you think eating and brushing is easy? Seniors Pat, Stacie, Michele, and Joy had to be assisted by other hidden cabin leaders.



Liz Bielak does her little dance pretending to be Mr. Lindman.



German exchange student Tobias Lechenfeld gives sixth grade camp thumbs up!



BaWoosh! Some happy campers crown their cabin leaders with golden toilet seats.



"What's that in your box James?" wondered the audience on skit night.



Liz puckers up! All her mail won her a kiss with the moose.



A helpful camper brings Grace her royal papers, toilet paper that is.



Back row: Dave Baldwin, Michele Bondie, Derrick Brown, Jared Wills, Pat Fitzgerald. 2nd row: Stacie Dougherty, Tenika Saddler, James Zickafoose, Kristie Music. 1st row: Katie Orr, Melyssa Howard, Joy Marriott.

HELLO GUTEN TAG



The foreign exchange program remains strong at Lincoln High School with more students joining yearly. Students earn money by working at U of M football and hockey games, and Chrysler's Indian Pow Wow. Once they earn money, they may choose to travel either to Germany or to Spain if the students have had two years of Spanish.

German Exchange students join Lincoln students who are participating in the 50's spirit day.



Lincoln hosts with the German students show their unity by holding up their countries' flags.



Back Row: Mandi Harper, Sarah Trumbo, Andrew Van Tassell, Susan Hill, Reid McGuire 2nd Row: Sara Kolesar, Linda Bohme, Marshall Poole, Kevin Hamlin, Kelly Kibler, Sandy Wright 1st Row: Sarah Borgstadt, Trisha Dick, Kristin Harper, Esi Enriquez, Niki Lambert. * Not pictured Nathan Willard.



Sara Kolesar, Katy Hamlin, Kristin Harper and Eric Mulka in Aachen Germany on the monument of the towns horses.

Fare thee well! Ms. Minthorn and LHS students in Germany at the Frankfurt airport before returning to the United States.

Julie Bumgardner/Nathan Willard

U S O

The United Student Organization has made a lot of progress this year. They have held many fund-raisers to support their scholarship fund. Contrary to popular belief, the U.S.O. is not an organization for one group of students, but for all students. This is evident in the diverse programs they put on this year. The Spanish American, Native American, and African-American History Programs, are a few examples of awareness presentations that the U.S.O. has put on for young elementary and middle school students. These events were enjoyed by the young audiences. The U.S.O. hopes to make even greater improvements next year under the leadership of their sponsor Mrs. Dixon.



Junior Damar Jackson performed in the reenactment of Sister Act II's, 'Joyful, Joyful,' for their African-American History Month Program.



Junior Darius Franklin acts in the skit, 'Don't Count Your Chickens Before They Hatch.' This skit warned the audience of the consequences of selfishness.



Freshmen Dolly Aduroja, Vickie Washington, and Senior Melissa Puryear show their moves during the 'Joyful, Joyful' skit.



Sisters with voices. The Mickels sisters — Leanne, Sheila, Kimberly, Elizabeth — sing with beautiful harmony.

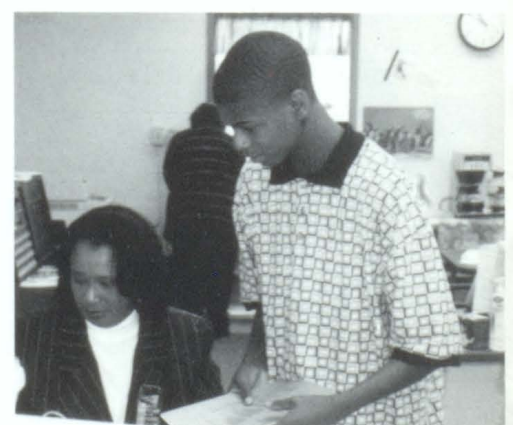
Junior Tara Patrick moves with grace and skill during her interpretive dance.



Grace Aduroja

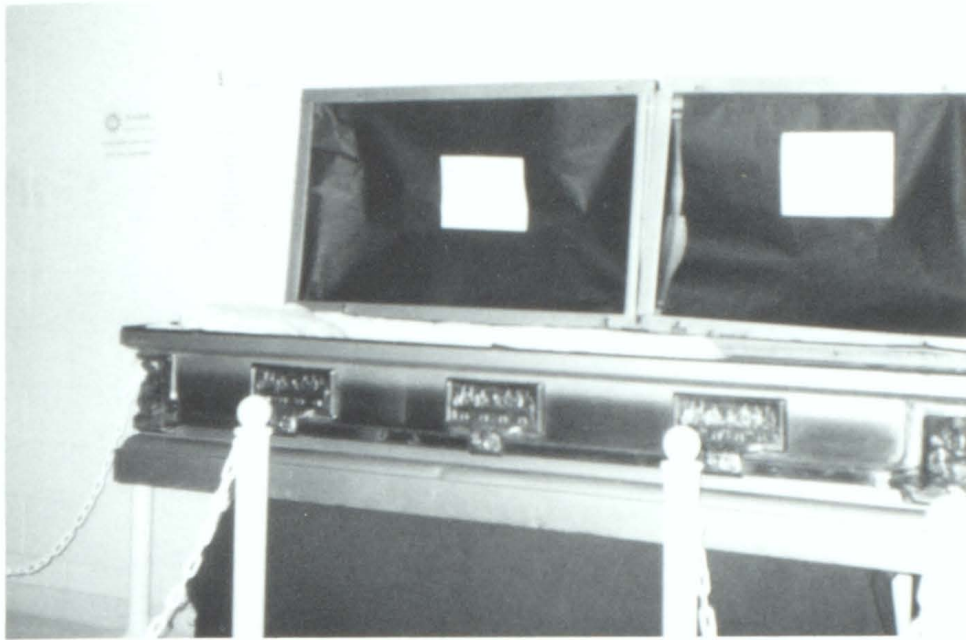


Sophomore Toya Roberson's fingers glide gracefully over the piano keys as she entertains the middle school audience.



Junior Darrell Cannon and his mother Doris Cannon work together in the office on Parent Involvement Day.

Students Against Drunk Driving



S.A.D.D. worked hard to prevent accidents this spring by displaying a car totaled from a drunk driving accident. In addition, at prom time a casket was displayed to show students that it can be anyone who is killed in an accident that involves alcohol. Shocking, but effective.

"Do you want to know what a drunk driving victim looks like?" This was the question asked to students as they looked into a mirror set in the coffin.



The advisors Mr. Ellis, Deputy Mobbs, and Mr. Salley and the officers Angie McMullen, Kim DeTroyer, and Lianna Moore pose out in front of a totaled car.



The week of prom a wrecked car was set up in front of the school to allow students to see the results of drinking and driving.



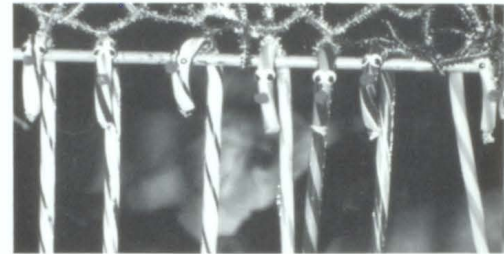
Back Row: Deputy Mobbs, Jessica Myers, Lonnie Scott, Steven Fifield, Emily Foerster, Jennifer Steffen, Russel Huff, Antaiwn Mack, Deonna Lynn, Mr. Ellis. Third Row: David Parker, Ami Shah, Toya Roberson, Sarah Trumbo, Megann McParlan, Trisha Dick, Joy Marriot, Matt Brady, Regina Salley. 2nd Row: Mary Pryor, Jagara Hammond, Connie Waddell, Tracy Bielec, Emily Schragg, Cassie Bake, Brandie Wojtowicz, Stephanie Oliver. 1st Row: Tina Raburn, Tiffany Bowling, Julie Motika, Michele Bondie, Tracy Gerlofs, Kim DeTroyer, Angie McMullen, Lianna Moore, Sandy Wright

Leadership At Work

Student council has been great this year. Some of their activities include Homecoming & Coming-home, teacher appreciation, canned food drive, toys for tots, senior citizen visit and three dances including the Karaoke Night. There is a lot of work involved with Student Council but also a lot of fun. Leadership and responsibility are everyone's job. This was Ms. Betrus's 6th year as the advisor and she hasn't lost her touch or school spirit.



For the second year in a row Junior Levi Taylor came first in the African American Act-So competition. Levi is a very talented young man who has a promising musical career.



Student Council really enjoyed the senior citizen trip during Christmas where they sang Christmas carols and played bingo with the residents. Members of SC made candy cane reindeer as gifts and freshman Tom Bradner enjoys being the caller.



S.C. President senior Nick Sager is such a gentleman. This senior citizen will always remember him.



Seniors Tabitha Hammar and Keri Bosker look lost in the confusion in preparation for Coming-home.



LINCOLN SHOWS

Freshmen Eric Houston and Matt Kittle know how to jam.



Sophomores Vincent Kelley and Candice Tucker do a duet to "Endless Love."



Who is that hooded man? Why, it's sophomore Aaron Moore.

ITS TALENT



Poetic justice is what Troy Grubbs is after.

LINCOLN IS ALL STRUNG OUT



You can see Junior Kristin Blake enjoys being part of the group.



Sophomore Todd Archer plays a song he composed named "Real Problems."



Freshman Candace Reynolds gets into her music.



Freshman Eric Bobak looks for his cue to start playing.

SPRING



Missy Meier, Tracy Gerlofs, Michele Bondie, Tina Rayburn, Jenny Viterna and Heather Gorney at Senior Frogs in Cancun.



Gen Gasek, Sarah Panzer and Julie Brookshier stop for a quick picture while on a cruise in the Caribbean.



Andrew VanTassell, Cory Hanson, Nathan Willard and Mike Chevrette soak up the rays in Cancun, Mexico.



In Myrtle Beach Sarah Bellers and Amanda Doss hug their party buddy.



Marie Mull and Sarah Trumbo at Medieval Times in Toronto.



Tammy Pluff, Christina Wright, Bekah Makarewich, and Mike Selter at the Queen's Key Mall in Toronto.



Katie Orr, Mandi Jackson, and Kristie Music visit the Rainforest Cafe in Cancun.



Julie Bumgardner, Jessica Salley, Robbie Middlebrook, Shannon Wilson, and Niki Lambert enjoying St. Augustine, Florida.



Holli Woodard and Erica Frye in Cancun.



Kim Heeringa, Carrie McMillan, and Danielle Holland are having fun while stuck at home.

B R E A K

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Roy Michalik "Whistles a Happy Tune" while playing the role of Louis.



Vince Kelly as the Kralahome gives a ring to Anna as the King looks on in approval.



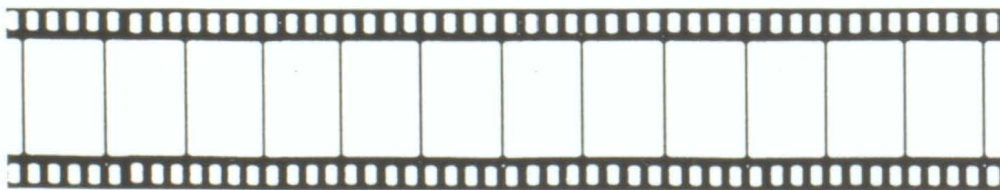
Darius Franklin guards the heir to the king, Micheal Puryear.



Lindsay Michalik, playing Anna, is surrounded by the King's wives and Lady Thiang, played by Tava Bishop.



The King, played by Levi Taylor, looks at his "present," Tuptim, played by Candice Tucker.



The King and I

The Night of January 16th



The defendant, Karen Andre, better known as Kelly Kibler must be held back by her attorney, Tava Bishop, with the help of Steven Fifield and David Brooks.

The Night of January 16th was a different type of play for Lincoln because the audience was involved in the play. Twelve people from the audience were picked as the jury, and the cast would stay in character during the two intermissions, and mingle with the audience. The reporter and photographer asked questions and took pictures at this time. The audience jury would determine the guilt or innocence of the defendant.



During intermission things got out of hand.



Sophomore Scott Cook, acting as bailiff, calls the proceedings to order.



Sophomore Lonnie Scott played Homer VanFleet the drunken policeman who brought episodes of comic relief to the play.



The Drama Club.



... **ACTION!!!**

Sophomores

What is your reaction to a longer school day?

The teachers must love us or something.

Carrie McMillan

Too bad I'm leaving this year...HA! HA!

Mandy Harper

My reaction? ZZZZZZ...

Laura Sutherland

Ten minutes would kill me.

Erica Frye

I might dropout.

Keith Childress

I don't like it, I say we protest.

Jennifer Croft

I just have to say that there isn't really a need.

Andrew Smith

It doesn't really matter to me because I love school.

William Sloan

Oh well, it's only ten minutes.

Lonnie Scott

Amrhein, Amber
Anderson, David
Archer, Todd
Askew, Logan
Bahn, Jeffrey
Bake, Cassie
Baker, Melissa

Barnes, Ernest
Basom, Eric
Basom, Michael
Bass, Lakeshia
Bassett, Corey
Bayus, Daniel
Bayus, Jimmy

Beaudry, Michael
Beeson, Marcus
Bell, Matthew
Best, Amanda
Betts, Sara
Bielec, Tracy
Block, Rhonda

Blumhardt, Stephen
Bolton, Jason
Borges, Eric
Bower, Marcie
Bratcher, Clif
Bredeweg, Eric
Brezeale, Jessica

Brinker, Jonathan
Brooks, David
Bryant, Leon
Buckingham, Lee
Burriss, Jennifer
Burt, Jason
Bush, Amanda

Butler, Thomas
Cadreau, Brandon
Cannon, Rodney
Carter, Reuben
Castle, Brandy
Charles, Dominique
Cinnamon, Joel

Collins, Jessica
Conran, Rebecca
Cook, David
Cook, Nathan
Cook, Scott
Cornett, Lucinda
Cotes, Jamie

Craiger, Brandon
Crockett, Amy
Croft, William
Curley, Crystal
Curtis, Robert
Cymes, Courtney
Daniels, Colin

Davis, Christine
Day, Rebecca
Decker, Thomas
Dewyer, Pierre
Dibbs, Christopher
Dixon, Delise
Doepker, Nicholas



class of 2000



Dolinger, Lisa
Dow, Christopher
Duncans, Vincent
Dzwonkowski, Joseph
Earnest, Amanda
Elliott, Joshua
Ellis, James

Ernest, Heather
Fleming, Gabe
Froelich, Jeremy
Fulton, Kristina
Gatry, Joseph
Gee, Amanda
Gifford, Andrea

Giraud, Brock
Glaspie, Matthew
Golden, Bobby
Gordon, Bryan
Green, Michael
Grubbs, Troy
Guthre, Alexander

Guthrie, Krista
Hall, Clarence
Hamlin, Katy
Hammond, Jagara
Hanson, Molly
Harper, Kristin
Harper, Rodney

Harris, Sarah
Hartsoe, Robert
Hasse, Christina
Hensley, Jason
Hines, Ebony
Hinman, Charles
Hoffman, Debra

Holland, Jesse
Holly, Teresa
Horton, Adam
Horton, Joseph
House, Scott
Houston, Khalilah
Howard, Cedric

Hubbarrt, Jared
Hubert, Andrea
Hunt, Carolyn
Husti, Jessica
Irvine, Christina
Jackson, Allen
Jackson, Dajuan

Jackson, Rebecca
Jackson, Shantese
Jefferson, Orlando
Jenvey, Jennifer
Johnson, Andrew
Johnson, Mitch
Joplin, Kia

Keene, Patrick
Kelley, Vincent
Kincaid, Justin
King, Desiree
Kitchen, Christopher
Kuzich, Mark
La Ferney, Robin

What interesting or unusual things do you keep in your locker?

Freshmen!!! (Just kidding).

Jennifer Croft

Nothing really unusual; books, my coat, some pens, the bones of the "Elephant Man," Elvis, and my backpack.

Andrew Smith

I wouldn't know, it won't OPEN!

Laura Sutherland

Books!

Mandy Smith

Jimmy Hoffa, women's underwear, and a little space monkey like E.T.

Nick Zoumaris

I couldn't tell you, my locker is so messy I have no idea what's in there!

Kim Myers

Sophomores

What is/was your favorite class and why?

Spanish, Mrs. Huber is always a cool gossip friend.

Stacie Dougherty

Biology, Mr. Fillion always tells us stories from his childhood.

Katy Hamlin

Technology ed. because you work with your hands instead of listening to a teacher talk.

Patrick Patton

American Literature, Mr. Moran made learning fun.

Sarah Trumbo

Art Aide because Mr. Manning is the coolest teacher.

William Sloan

American Democracy, Mr. Sarkett teaches in my style and inspired me to break more social barriers than I would have thought of.

Henry Kowalski

Lambert, Keith
Lau, Regina
Lauhren, Ruth
Laurell, Chrystal
Lavery, Christopher
Lawless, John
Lawson, Latricia

Lawson, Sabrina
Legault, Brent
Letizio, Amber
Linderman, Jennifer
Looney, Cari
Lowry, Brad
Lucier, Adam

Lumm, Lindsay
Lyke, Toure
Lynch, Joshua
Lynn, Deonna
Majeski, Larry
Marsiglia, Jason
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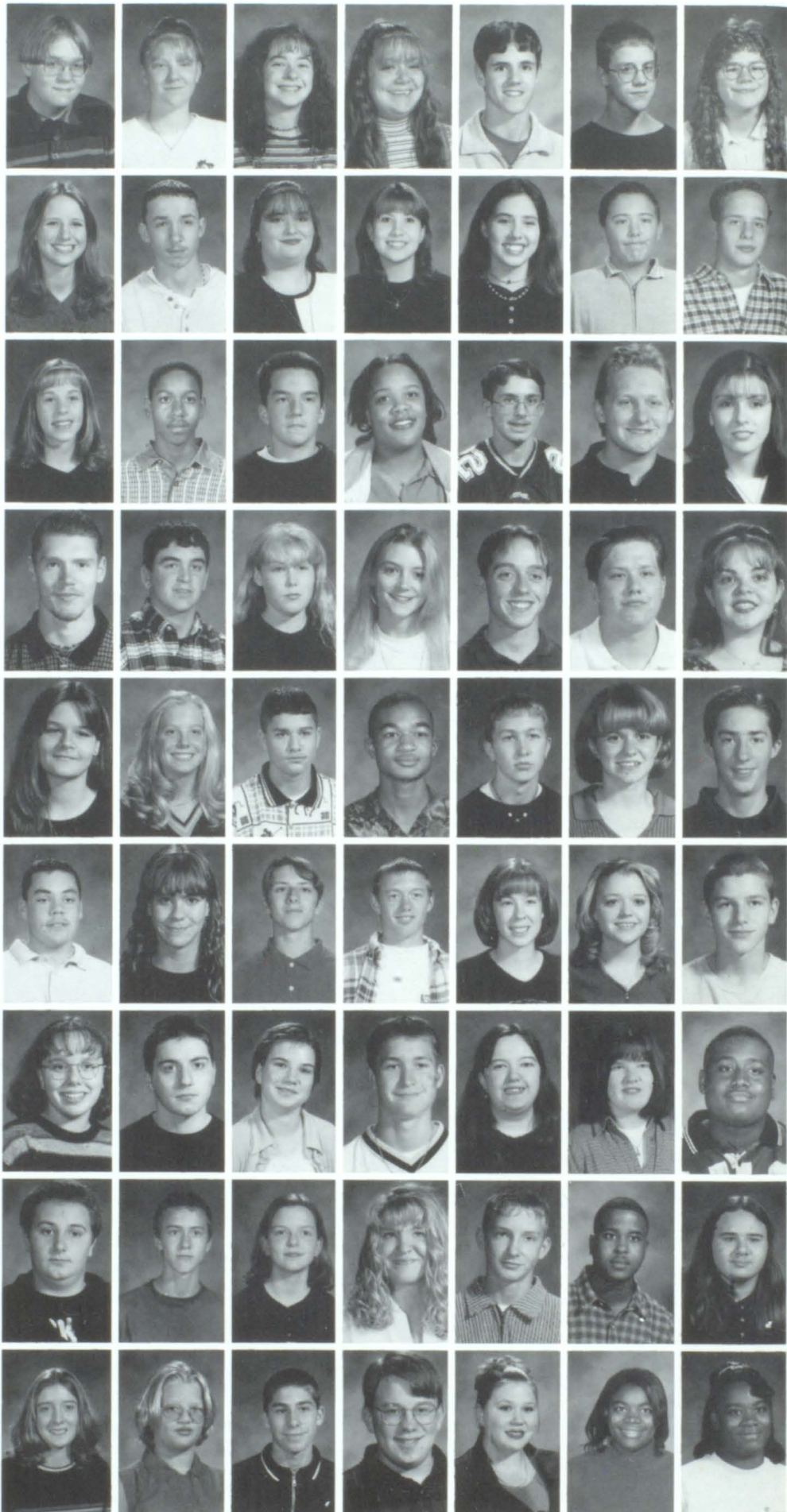
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Mourer, Nicolas
Moyer, Danielle
Munro, Jennifer
Music, Derek

Myers, Jessica
Nadolski, Michael
Nelson, Mary
Nickert, Brian
O'Connor, Kristy
Osborne-Moberg, Kristin
Parker, Henry

Patton, Patrick
Pearce, Shawn
Penird, Tara
Perrin, Jenny
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Pete, Courtney
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Pryor, Tonya



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Puryear, Michael
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Ray, Nicholas
Reyes, Jessica
Reynd, Brian
Rich, Lisa
Richardson, Evan

Riddle, Gary
Rish, Marie
Roberson, Toya
Roberts, Sequoir
Robinson, Bradley
Roquemore, Ransom

Ross, Rachael
Russell, Maceo
Sadler, Christopher
Salley, Joshua
Scherer, Lisa
Schmidt, Marc
Schrag, Emily

Schultz, Derrick
Selter, Michael
Senters, David
Shah, Ami
Sherwood, Gary
Slaven, Brandon
Smith, Amanda

Smith, Lothairo
Smither, Melissa
Spencer, Noah
Sponaugle, Jennifer
Springer, Wendie
Stange, Christina
Steffen, Kristina

Stokes, James
Stokes, Samantha
Stolt, Adam
Sweet, Brian
Sykes, Curtis
Taylor, Amanda
Teel, Erin

Thomas, Jillian
Thompson, Bethany
Thompson, Joseph
Thompson, Tammy
Tieking, Thomas
Tieking, Timothy
Trammell, Heather

Tucker, Candice
Turner, Anita
Viers, Jenny
Waddell, Constance
Waldecker, Jacob
Waldo, Andrea
Wallen, Michael

Weich, Tameika
Westcott, Kyle
Wetzel, Jacia
Whitehead, Shawn
Whittenberg, Rebecca
Wilborn, Anika
Wilbur, Sarah

If you could change or add one thing to a school day, what would it be?

I would make it an open campus.
Dana Brookins

Recess or naptime.
Lucas Lanctot

Debate, a good argument cheers everyone up.
Stacie Dougherty

Brunch and tea time.
James Conran

You definitely have got to add recess. I mean, come on, what's a school day without recess?
Andrew Smith

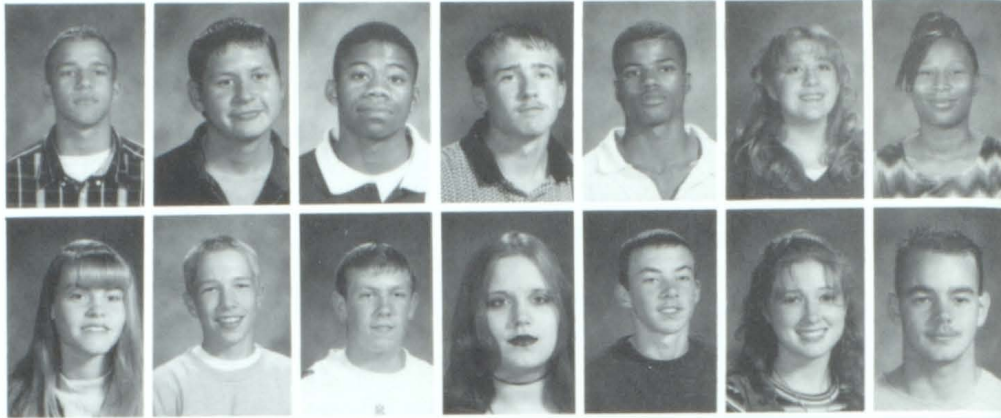
Sophomores

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Alexander, Arkil
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 Bass, Joshelle
 Beaster, Garrick
 Blackburn, Kenny
 Cawley, Nicholas
 Childers, Jeremy
 Cloud, Sara
 Cole, Cynthia
 Daniel, Tia
 Ferguson, Sandra
 Fleming, John
 Gilbert, Todd
 Graser, Matthew
 Griffis, Kimberly
 Hayden, Simon
 Hubbard, Joseph
 Jacobs, Regina
 Johnson, Jimmie
 Lawson, Amanda
 Lovelace, Michael
 Mack, Stephanie
 Malone, Christina
 Munro, Mark
 Nowling, Jessica
 Patierno, Lena
 Petrowski, Timothy
 Powdhar, Candice
 Reed, Bernie
 Richardson, Dollie
 Ritter, Donna
 Roots, Tiffany
 Roth, Jackie
 Salem, Kifah
 Schuh, Jeremy
 Sharp, James
 Taylor, Matthew
 Thomas, Derrick
 Vivian, James
 Wiedmer, Adam
 Wooten, Karine

Williams, Aaron
 Williams, James
 Williams, Kenneth
 Wilson, Aaron
 Winans, Tony
 Wojtowicz, Brandy
 Wolfolk, Leslie

Wollweber, Laura
 Woloszyn, James
 Wright, Brandon
 Yates, Kristina
 Yeane, Steven
 Zickafoose, Dana
 Zywicki, Joseph



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Thinkin' It Through

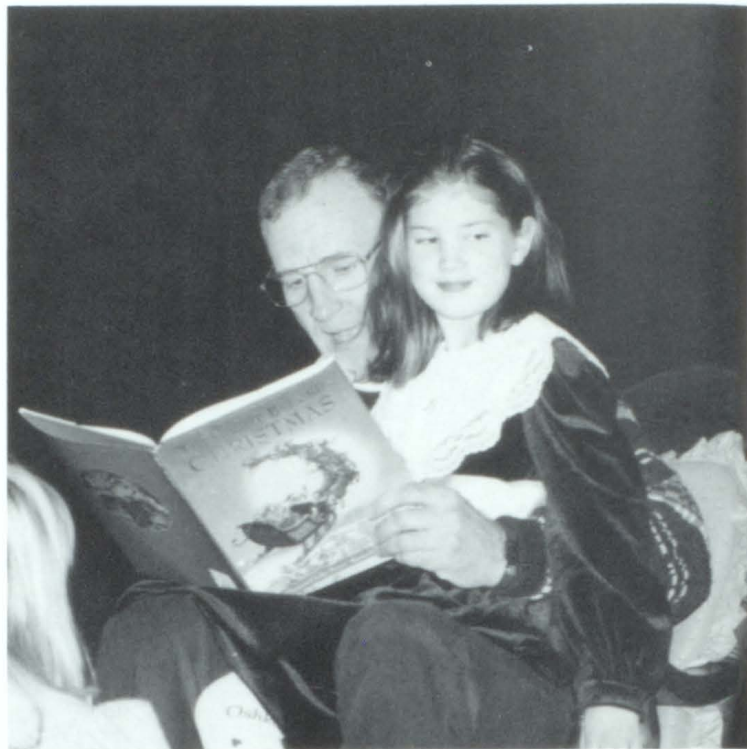


Administration

Changing times at Lincoln schools brought in a new superintendent, Mr. Al Widner, former superintendent of Dundee schools, and also a new principal at the Lincoln High School, Mr. Dave Storey. There was a second assistant principal role added this year. The interim positions were filled by Ms. Debbie Hunt and Mr. Lonnie Proffit. Things ran very smoothly under this administration.



Mr. Al Widner, our new superintendent, takes a ride in style in the Homecoming parade.



Mr. Widner reads (The Night Before Christmas) to the elementary students.

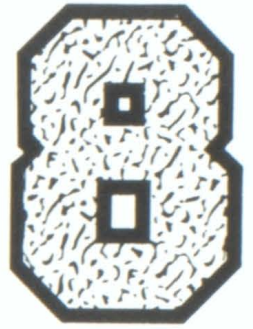
Interim Assistant Principal Debbie Hunt is always on the go!



Mr. Proffit, an Interim Assistant Principal, takes time out to talk to a concerned parent.



Principal Mr. Storey happily at work. The board approved him for the permanent position on May 18, 1998.



Lincoln ... A Great Place To Learn!!



"Fight on — Lincoln High School," shrills Lincoln students while attending the Leadership Camp.

Renaissance is a proven and effective program that helps students better themselves; a program that promotes and acknowledges academic accomplishments at LHS. Renaissance is not only a program that promotes academics, it also promotes change. A change in student's attitude and a whole new way of thinking.

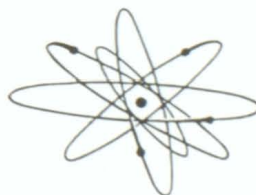
To expand the Renaissance program at LHS, the Lincoln Officers and Student Council members attended a leadership camp during the summer. Students were taught how to become better leaders for not only now but for their future.



"Leadership, Leadership, Leadership," drills Mr. Mulka to students at the summer camp.



Sophomore Emily Schrag writes in great concentration at the summer session.



STAFF

D. Beems, Parapro
 B. Bowman, Food service
 R. Brezale, Food service
 K. Brzonek, Food service
 M. Dunlop, Food service
 K. Forester, Food service
 D. Forester, Food service



V. Gorowski, Custodian
 R. Karr, Parapro
 L. Laurie, Parapro
 G. Meadows, Food service
 P. Deputy Mobbs, Liaison Officer
 L. Nuemann, Custodian
 L. Price, Secretary



D. Salley, I.S.S. Parapro
 P. Schuchardt, Food service
 P. Srock, Parapro
 K. Taylor, Food service



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FACULTY



D. Andon, Phys. Ed.
 M. Bagardi Computers
 G. Bates, Special Ed.
 G. Bertus, Science
 K. Betros, Science
 C. Bocskay, Soc. Studies
 D. Briggman, Math

P. Closson, Band
 S. Dixon, English
 D. Fillion, Science
 M. Frank, English,
 Yearbook
 A. Greene, Library
 K. Gordon, Phys. Ed.
 M. Gunther, Special Ed.

C. Gutierrez, Special Ed.
 J. Hansknecht, Special Ed.
 C. Harris, Life Mgmt.
 J. Harris, Counselor
 C. Hill, Math
 D. Hubbard, Art
 C. Huber, Language Sp.

D. Hunt, Asst. Principal
 M. Jacobs, English
 M. Karapas, Science
 G. Kish, Language Fr.
 L. Kolopajlo, Science
 B. Kuwik, Counselor
 E. Manning, Art

D. Markiewicz, Computers
 C. Maxwell, Science
 R. McCarty, Math
 R. McManus, Soc. Studies
 T. McManus, Special Ed.
 L. Minthorn, Soc. Studies
 K. Moran, English

R. Mulka, Math
 K. Nevins, Choir
 J. Nowak, Math
 J. Nuzzo, Technology
 L. Proffitt, Asst. Principal
 J. Raines, Science
 K. Reynolds, Language Sp.

R. Ross, Counselor
 D. Sarkett, Soc. Studies
 D. Stearn, Math
 J. Sullivan, Special Ed.
 R. Taylor, English
 B. Welch, English
 J. Ziroka, Soc. Studies

Not Pictured: Anuskiewicz, D. English, Arington, D. Math, Etter, S. English, Musson, K. Special Ed., Oltman, C. Soc Studies, Roberts, J. Special Ed., Walz, A. Special Ed., Westcott, B. Technology, Wilson, C. Phys Ed., Wright, S. Athletic Dir., Zampardo, S. Soc Studies

THE BEAT

The Lincoln High School Bands had another outstanding year with many accomplishments and honors. The Symphonic Band received a first division (I) rating at MSBOA District Band Festival. It had been fifteen years since a Lincoln band earned such a rating. They went on to an excellent performance at State Festival where they earned a II.

The Railsplitter Marching Band continued to provide exciting entertainment for parades, concerts, and athletic events. The Marching Band and Jazz Band also performed on a tour of Toronto. The instrumental music department put together a pit orchestra and enjoyed working with the Choral and Drama departments in the production of the musical "The King and I."



The percussion section keeps the marching band on beat.

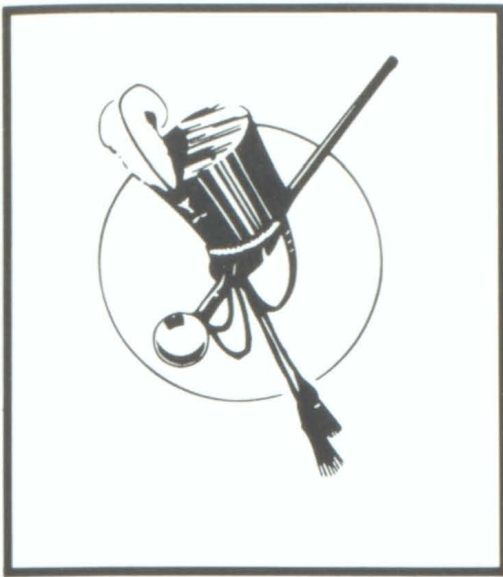


Freshman Alex Correa gets down during the marching band half-time show.



Pre-concert relaxation. These freshmen females try to smile away their preconcert jitters.





GOES ON

Drum Majors, Sarah St. John and Bekah Makarewich show off their xylophone skills to the crowd as they move with lightning speed.



Junior Roy Michalik displays good posture as he entertains the crowd with his baritone.

The Lincoln Marching Band impresses the elementary audience with a homecoming preview.



1998 LHS CHOIRS

The school year began without the Director. Thanks to Mrs. Richardson and Mrs. Harrell all were well prepared for Mrs. Nevins' return for their Fall Concert. Julie Motika auditioned for a position in the Regional Honors Choir — and got it! Julie and nine in her section were promoted to State Honors Choir which performed at U of M. Choristers Julie Motika and Levi Taylor were recognized as Ann Arbor News' Student of the Week.

This year's MSVA Solo & Ensemble Festivals took several students to new heights! First Division District LHS Soloists, duets, Men of Lincoln and first-rated Split Dimensions competed at Monroe High School and then scurried to fare very well at the State Solo & Ensemble Festival at U of M. Soloist Vincent Kelley and Split Dimensions received First Division ratings at State Festival.

LHS took five choirs to District Choral Festival. Their outstanding work was recognized by judges, taking Concert Choir Women, Mixed Concert Choir, and Split Dimensions upward to the MSVMA All-State Choral Festival. This prestigious event, was a "Dream Come True" for many students. Concert Choir Women, who achieved straight A's throughout their competitions along with Split Dimensions. Their first Festival CD will be produced documenting their excellent work!!

SPLIT DIMENSIONS

Back row: M. Puryear, A. Harper. 3rd row: T. Cochran, K. Kibler, S. Stec, T. Bishop. 2nd row: E. Kuhns, C. Tucker, S. Tucker, E. Koski, T. Hammar. 1st row: J. Patrick, J. Motika, J. Bumgardner, A. Bailey.



THE MEN OF LINCOLN

Back row: B. McCurdy, L. Taylor, V. Kelly, J. Stokes, D. Yow. 3rd row: D. Cannon, R. Michalik, L. Scott, T. Grubbs. 2nd row: D. McElway, M. Puryear, C. Sykes, K. Hamlin. 1st row: W. Tutor, A. Soule.



Women's Chorus

Back row: A. Gifford, B. Jackson, J. Bledsoe, E. Brooks, A. Berry, L. Bass, A. Hammond, D. King, J. Roth, L. Stevenson. 3rd row: J. Sponaugle, A. Letizo, J. Hayes, T. Godsey, R. Thomas, B. Whittenburg, A. Johnson, A. Higgins, A. Bowman. 2nd row: A. Bowling, S. Gagnon, L. Crocket, J. Beldsoe, A. Kolesar, D. Shankle, B. Wojtowiz, D. Dixon. 1st row: S. Poe, T. Barns, L. Wollweber, T. Bielec, L. Lambe, W. Springer.



CONCERT CHOIR

Back row: T. Cochran, S. McDougall, B. Lock, B. McCurdy, V. Kelly, J. Stokes, A. Harper, E. Bielak, K. Edwards, T. Hammar, J. Richards. 3rd row: T. Patrick, E. Cox, L. Michalik, L. Scott, T. Grubbs, D. Yow, J. Viers, K. Throver, E. Eberbach, A. Bailey. 2nd row: S. Mayville, S. Myers, D. McElway, M. Puryear, C. Sykes, K. Hamlin, J. Jackson, E. Bell, C. Kramer. 1st row: H. Trammell, D. Cannon, L. Taylor, W. Tutor, A. Soule, K. Chambers, N. Stiers, K. Harper.



ON A HIGH NOTE!



Ms. Nevins conducts the choir in a warm up.

The choir members pair up to sing at the Christmas concert.



Vincent Kelly had the honor of singing the "National Anthem" at a Pistons' basketball game.

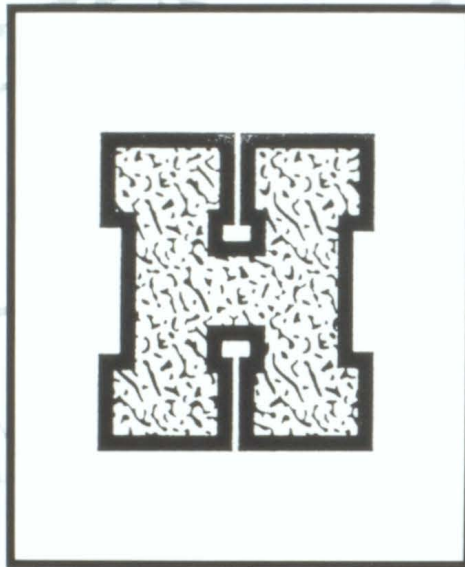
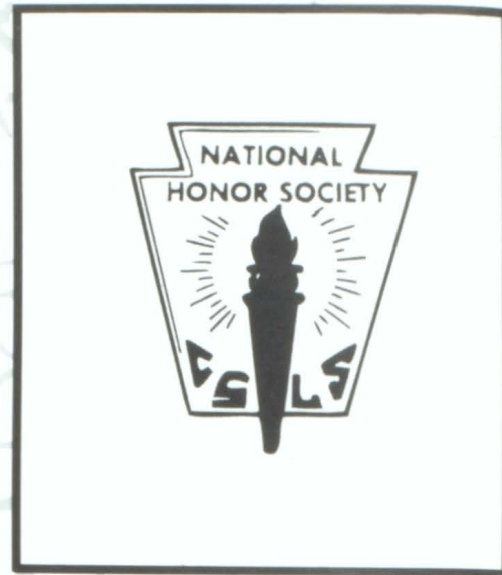
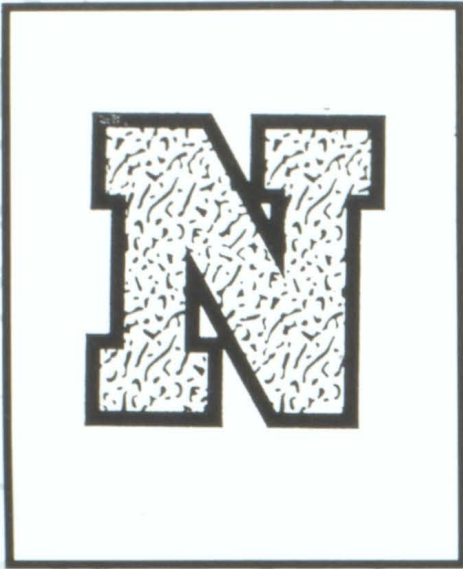
Julie Motika following her state honors choir performance in January at U of M.



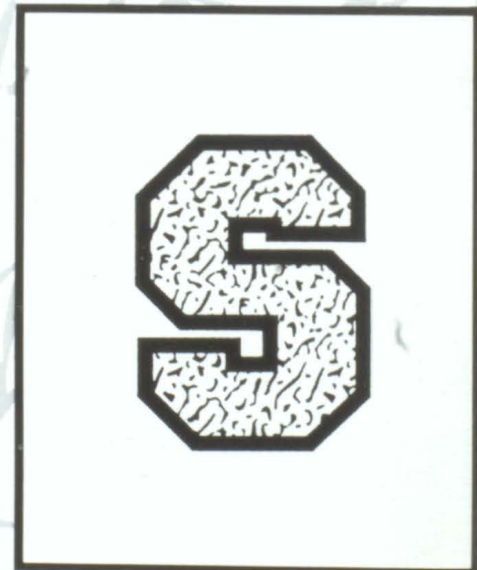
The Women's Chorus warms up before the concert.

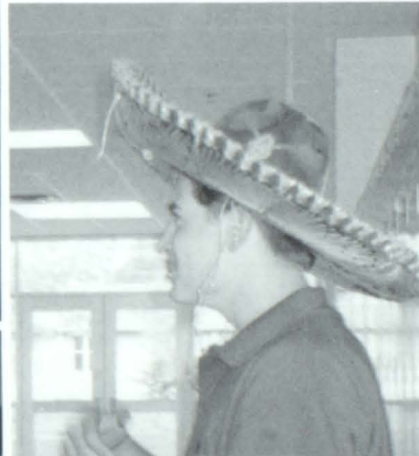
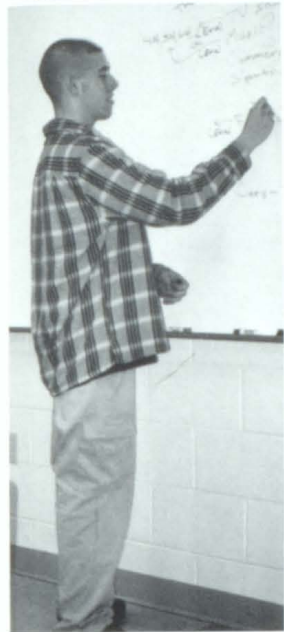
The little drummer boy, Mr. Ross, leads the Split Dimensions in a Christmas carol.





Back row: E. Cash, G. Aduroja, B. Liem, J. Bunce, J. Shaw, G. Burdette, M. Wysocki, M. Poole, R. Salley, B. Fiedler, A. Cook, N. Sager, Mr. Mulka. 3rd row: A. Shaw, S. Bellers, C. Hanson, T. Stec, M. McParlan, M. Meier, S. Wyatt, K. Bosker, T. Hammar, T. Bishop, L. Mauch, J. Salley. 2nd row: A. Maier, R. Dibbs, S. St. John, R. Makarewich, K. Kibler, S. Dougherty, K. Fox, S. Borgstadt, L. Schrag, G. Gasek, L. Michalik, S. Curmi, A. Zeoli. 1st row: T. Roberson, B. Derkowski, T. Gerlofs, H. Hafler, J. Marriott, K. Adrounie, E. Heinrich, C. Clarke.

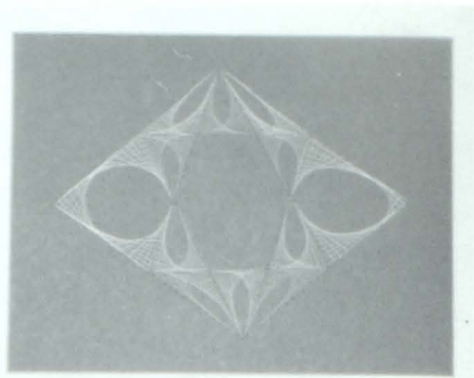






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R.I.F. Rocks



Lincoln Students look for a book at R.I.F.

25,000 FREE BOOKS

During the 10 years we've had Reading is Rundamental, students have received about 25,000 books. At an average price of \$4 that's \$100,000 worth of books.

This year a grant from Borders/Waldenbooks and candy sale profits, as well as donations from Fox Auto, Zywicki Greenhouses, Surovell Realtors, Ypsilanti Kiwanis, and other local businesses enabled the library to buy the expensive best sellers that are in demand. At each RIF students choose from about 450 titles.



Ms. Sells stamps out a book at R.I.F.

Senior Johnny McCrary looks intrigued as he finds his book.



Library Aides

Back row: James Citron, Jerry Whitfield, Tiffany Bowling, Kim DeTroyer, Liz Mickels. 3rd row: Wenoka Johnson, Nicole VanLoon, Stephanie Oliver, Crystal Astle, Lianna Moore. 2nd row: Angela Letizio, Marie Mull, Amanda Smallwood, Shannon Jacobs, Angie McMullen. 1st row: Sheila Captain, Denise Jones, Ms. Kramer.



Tanya Sanders and Julie Sieloff try to find the perfect book.

Mike Chevrette

LINCOLN

A GREAT PLACE TO ...



class of 2001



Adams, Joshua
Adams, Kenneth
Adcock, Mary
Aduroja, Dolly
Akers, Michael
Allen, Charles
Allen, Kymarie

Allen Jr, Keith
Alper, Jessica
Alper, Joshua
Altobello, Melissa
Anderson, Crystal
Anderson, William
Arcui, Richard

Armstrong, Rachel
Arnwood, Billy
Ayers, Candice
Bailey, Chavonne
Baker, Matthew
Baker, Michael
Barnes, Tabatha

Barta, Robert
Beachem, Eniau
Beauchy, Dwayne
Beavers, Andrea
Beck, Matt
Belcher, Michael
Bell, Elizabeth

Bentley, Amanda
Berry, Amanda
Bielak, Christopher
Bledsoe, Jacklyn
Bledsoe, Jillyn
Bobak, Eric
Bockelman, Francine

Bowling, Amy
Bowman, Amberly
Bradner, Thomas
Branham, Jason
Bredeweg, Lysa
Brewer, Aaron
Brewer, Ben

Brooks, Anna
Brooks, Elisha
Brown, Keith
Browning, Jimmy
Browning, Timothy
Brunell, Kevin
Bukis, Noah

Burba, Kelly
Burden, Jeffrey
Burdette, Lauren
Burdette, Lisa
Burns, Robyn
Burns, Walter
Burrell, Benjamin

Burris, Theresa
Cain, Laquandra
Cantrell, Shane
Carpenter, Shannan
Chambers, Keiyana
Charboneau, Nicole
Childress Jr, Keith

What was your biggest fear of high school?

The BIG, BAD seniors!
Erica Frye

That someone would give me a swirly.
Nick Zoumbaris

My biggest fear was Ms. Frank.
Laura Wollweber

The seniors were going to beat me up.
Michael Dufour

That I would fall asleep and wake up in the next hour.
Erica Cox

Making a fool of myself in front of an older girl.
Nathan Willard

Freshman Friday.
Julie Bumgardner

That a lot of girls were gonna hate me and try to beat me up because they heard I was a punk.
Carrie McMillan

Freshmen

Cornett, Lisa
Correa, Alexis
Crews, Rebecca
Crockett, Lindsay
Czarnecki, Jason
Dalton, John



Deardurff, Gregory
Dearing, Nicholas
Dejesus, Anna
Densel, Chae
Dewalt, Anthony
Diehlman, Steven
Dochych, Gregory



Dorow, Justin
Dougherty, Stephine
Douglas, Daniel
Dowell, Heather
Eberbach, Elizabeth
Edwards, Kerry
Edwards, Sylvia



Eldred, Evan
Ellis, Stephanie
Elrod, Ginny
Enriquez, Ezequiel
Ernest, Justin
Faitel, Jillian
Farmer, Larry



School lunches. (ha!)
Kim Detroyer

Rumors.
Keri Bosker

Ferguson, Marcus
Ferrell, Dajon
Fields, Amy
Fifield, Steven
Finley, John
Fleming, Steven
Foster, Matthew



Miss?
Sarah Bellers

Sports and Coach
Van Loggins.
Nathan Willard

Franklin, Ryan
Frazier, Jasmine
Fry, Terry
Fullerton, Connie
Gagnon, Shannon
Ganger, Teddy
Gardner, Heather



The teachers that understand all the pressures of being a senior.
Michele Bondie

Garrett, Jason
Gillman, Amanda
Godsey, Tiffany
Golden, Jonathon
Gorowski, Michael
Griffin, Kevin
Gupton, Christopher



Guthre, Scott
Guy, Shasta
Guyton, Damien
Haddad, Sandra
Hagerman, Julie
Hall, Amy
Hall, Jeremy



Hamlin, Kevin
Hammond, Amanda
Hampton Jr, Richard
Harris, Amber
Harwood, Chad
Hayes, Julie
Heath, Christina



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Heiser, Brandon
Henderson, Christopher
Hensley, Ronda
Herron, Dante
Hessler, Dan
Higgs, Amanda
Higgs, Jennifer

Hilligoss, Elie
Holland, Daniel
Holly, Mark
Hook, Nicole
Hooper, Rachel
Houston, Eric
Houston, Muhammad

Howard, Marcel
Hudson, Amber
Huff, Amanda
Huff, Russell
Ing, Kenneth
Inman, Natalie
Jackson, Jessica

Jarvis, Tecole
Johnson, Angelica
Johnson, Deidre
Johnson, Michael
Jones, Blake
Jones, Naniah
Joplin, Crystal

Kailimai, Tabatha
Kastle, Angelica
Kates, James
Kincaid, Jennifer
King, Katharyn
Kitchen, Robert
Kline, Nathan

Kolesar, Aimee
Kotlarczyk, Stacey
Kovalak, Steven
Kowalski, Jamie
Kuhns, Erich
Kwiatkowski, Brandon
Lambe, Laura

Lambros, Emily
Lamere, Jacqueline
Lamkin, Race
Lancot, Elizabeth
Landry, Melissa
Lauwers, Raena
Lavery, Daniel

Lay, Katie
Layton, Dale
Levi, Michael
Lewis, Daniel
Lewis, Stephanie
Lloyd, Aldez
Looze, Nathan

Lore, Tara
Lorinczy, Joseph
Lovelace, Latoya
Lowry, Bradley
Lynn, Roland
Mack, Antaiwn
Mack, Daryl

If you could have a round trip ticket in a time machine, where (and to what year) would you go?

I wouldn't go anywhere, I would sell the time machine for a lot of money.
Michael Dufour

Saughters Mill one week before the "Gold Rush."
Charly Hinman

I would go back to the 1950's or 60's because those were the best times. Everything was so easy going.
Sarah Trumbo

July 22, 1979 to start my life over again without all the mistakes.
Gary Roman

I would go to the year 2019 to find out how successful I am going to be. I want to know if I need to work harder or if I'm going at the right pace.
Tenika Saddler

Richmond, Virginia 1862, to see my heroes Jefferson Davis and Robert E. Lee.
Andrew VanTassell

Freshmen

What is the stupidest thing you have ever done while driving?

I ran a red light with my parents in the car behind me.

Sarah Bellers

I let Matt Brady drive my car and he wrecked it.

Robbie Middlebrook

I almost hit a van full of senior citizens, but it was their fault.

Sarah Jacobs

Can't say, my parents will ground me.

Michael Dufour

Stop on the train tracks because I saw the stop sign too late to stop on the line.

Laura Thomas

I honked my horn without even realizing I did it, and I was looking around to see who was honking their horn.

Julie Brookshier

Mahs, Nicole
Martin, Lisa
Massey, Samantha
Massingill, Danielle
Mate, Amanda
Mayville, Samantha
McAnulty, Melinda

McCue, Kelly
McCune, Daniel
McDaniel, Michael
McElway, Diangelo
McKelvey, Matthew
McKenzie, Gary
Mellinger, Alana

Merkel, Nicholas
Meyers, Suzanne
Michels, Patrick
Mickels, Sheila
Middleditch, Sean
Miller, Larry
Montour, Edward

Morawski, Kelly
Morris, Noah
Morseau, Matthew
Motte, Candace
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Myers, David
Myers, Kimberly

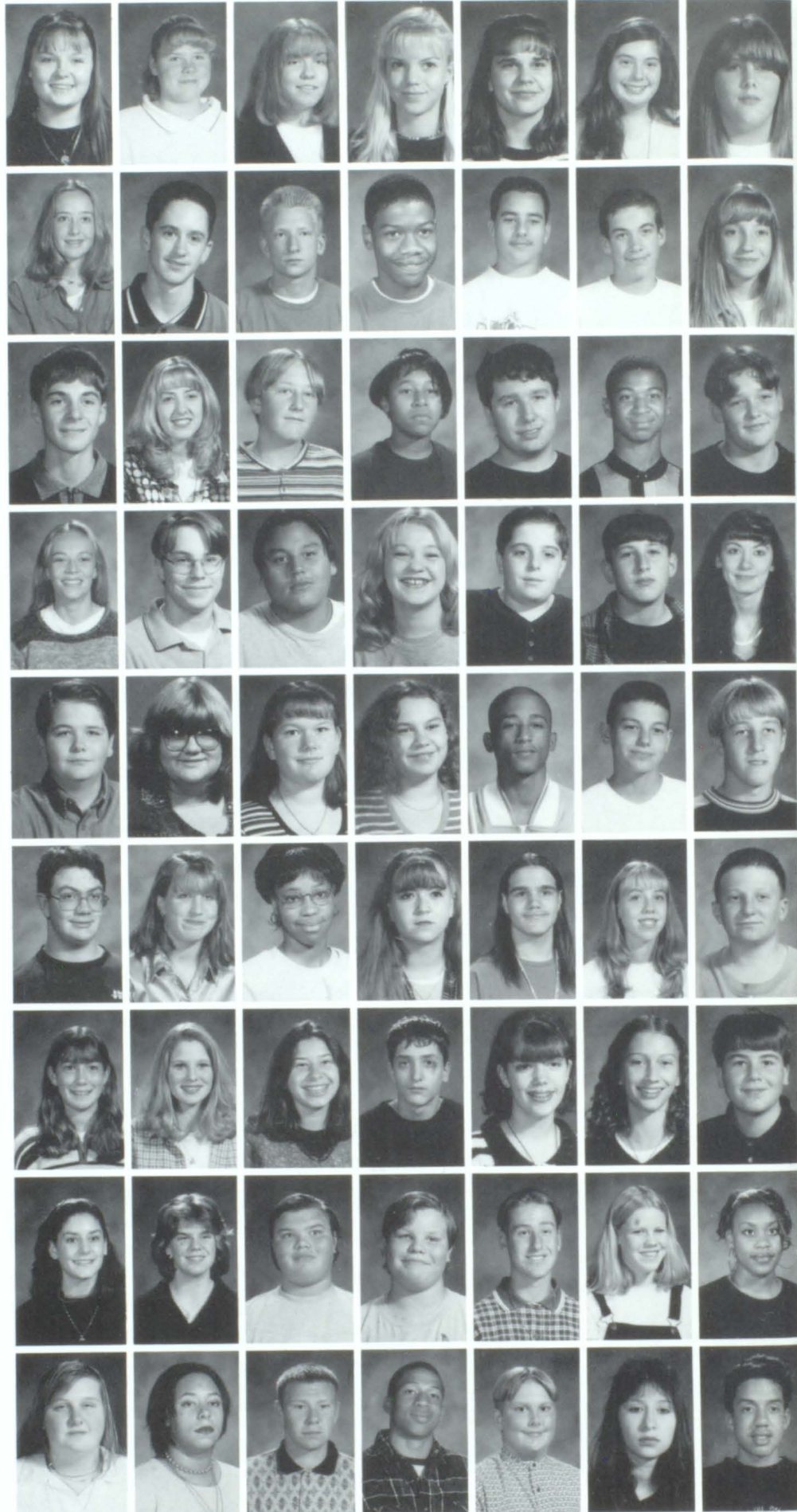
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Nichols, Emily
Nitz, Amanda
Odom, Steven
Ostrowski, Robert
Panzer, Daniel

Pearce, Adam
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Peterson, Stephanie
Petrowski, Michael
Petsch, Laura
Pilotte, Aaron

Pinter, Jill
Pinter, Linsey
Pluciniczak, Jill
Poitevint, James
Pollard, Tabettha
Polzin, Christin
Poole, Andrew

Portera, Laura
Quashnie, Laura
Raezler, Christopher
Raezler, Donald
Reed, Justin
Reid, Nicole
Reid, Latoya

Reminder, Natasha
Reynolds, Candace
Reynolds, David
Roberson, Stanley
Robinette, Robert
Rodriguez, Mercedes
Rolls, David



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Roome, Justin
Rose, Ryan
Rowland, Ryan
Salajan, Tia
Sanders, Anita
Sanders, Jonathon
Schaller, Julie

Schrock, Adam
Schroeder, Paul
Schubert, Staci
Scott, Lonnie
Seaver, Jason
Seifuddin, Rasheeda
Seslar, Lee

Shankle, Jeri
Sharp, Danielle
Shaver, Benjamin
Shields, Daniel
Sieloff, Michelle
Smalley, Ashley
Smith, Crystal

Smith, Dequan
Smith, Patrick
Smith, Tamara
Soest, Justin
Soule, Andrew
St John, Jerry
Stange, Kelly

Stec, Gail
Stephens, Teisha
Stidham, Steven
Stiers, Nicole
Stringham, Anthony
Stumpf, Jennifer
Swanigan, Terry

Taylor, Matthew
Teall, Sharmel
Theodore, Jennifer
Thomas, Shena
Thompson, Adam
Thompson, Amanda
Thompson, Courtney

Thompson, Marvin
Thompson, William
Thrower, Kashania
Tindall, William
Tontalo, Joseph
Towler, Tim
Tupacz, Scott

Tutor, William
Vankampen, Jason
Van Ryn, Jonathan
Vitso, Eirik
Vonck, Rachel
Wade, Brian
Walker, Mark

Waller, Marnie
Walton, Nathan
Wanty, Paul
Ward, John
Ward, Lyndsy
Washington, Shawn
Washington, Victoria

What is the stupidest thing you have ever done while driving?

I was in Ypsi with Mr. McMahon and I had to take a left turn on a one way street, but instead of taking the lane closest to me I took the other person's lane. I did this four times.

Jessica Myers

I was pulling out and I couldn't make a turn because it was too sharp, so instead of stepping on the brake I stepped on the gas and floored it. I ran over a 5 - 6ft. bush and scratched the headlight.

Desiree King

Changed my clothes.

Mandy Harper

Went the wrong way on a one way street.

Nick Zoumaris

Decided that the stop sign was for the pedestrians.

Lisa Mauch

Backed into a pole while it was raining.

Heather Scott

Freshmen

Not Pictured:

Adcock Molly
 Amolsch Courtney
 Bargert Jackie
 Bowerman Angela
 Branham Thomas
 Bumphurs Michelle
 Cardinal Jason
 Cheatham Karlissa
 Crites Bryan
 Cureton Robbie
 Dale Christopher
 Dolezler Benjamin
 Dodson Dean
 Duncan Christopher
 Edwards Nathaniel
 Evans Stacey
 Finwall Daniel
 Frazier Jasmine
 Galletta Anthony
 Gobie Rochelle
 Goodman David
 Gray Kelly
 Hackworth Cristal
 Hayden Noah
 Herron Brian
 Kirchoff William
 Kordupel Julie
 Krinke Daniel
 Lambert Julie
 Leon Jesus
 MacDonald Brook
 Mack James
 Malone Michael
 Murray Erin
 New Amanda
 Parker Kimberly
 Points Aaron
 Porter Claudette
 Powdhar Dale
 Prevo Erik
 Sanders Miranda
 Sanderson Anita
 Scott Linda
 Strohm Kimberly
 Sype Charles
 Sype Dawn
 Tackett Robert
 Tackett Russell
 Verkoly Rachel
 Vasher Nathon
 Vaughn Aaron
 Waldrop Joseph
 Walenski Franklin
 Watts, Jr, Tommy
 Webster Rachael
 West Renee
 Wheeler Krista
 Wright Kelly
 Wroblewski Edward

Watkins, Shane
 Watts, Robert
 Wertz, Steven
 West, Devonna
 Whitlow, Breah
 Wier, Gregory
 Williams, Jason

Williams, Miriam
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 Wilson, William
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 Witt, Nathalie
 Wood, Christopher

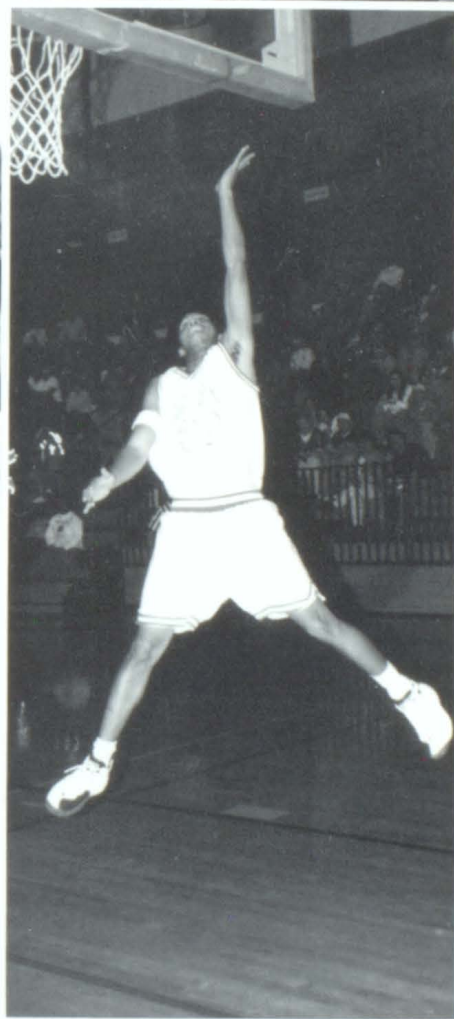
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 Woosley, Crystal
 Yates, Larry
 Zeoli, Michael
 Zielinski, Daniel



Freshman class officers:
 Back row: Jason Branham,
 2nd row: Lonnie Smith, Tara
 aci Schubert, 1st row: Tara
 Lore, Linsey Pinter, Sheila
 Mickels.

Athletics

THINKIN' ABOUT DOING OUR BEST





JV Football

Back row: Coach E. Johnson, G. Mazzari, C. Hall, B. Wright, B. Gordon, G. Flemming, Coach D. Johnson. 2nd row: S. House, M. Johnson, B. Nickert, J. Burns, S. Whitehead, J. Powell. 1st row: W. McCune, J. Burt, K. Wescott, M. Akers, J. Lynch, L. Majeski.



Freshman Football

Back row: G. Deardruff, R. Watts, C. Allen, T. Bradner, M. Foster, T. Towler, D. Douglas. 3rd row: Coach McGlynn, K. Griffin, C. Densel, R. Rose, S. Kovalak, J. Van Ryn, Coach McCarty. 2nd row: R. Kitchen, A. Brewer, J. Hall, K. Ing, B. Barta, M. Johnson. 1st row: B. Robinette, J. Browning, T. Browning, G. Dochyh, M. Howard.



Varsity Cheerleading

JV

Back row: T. Patrick, C. Wright, B. Kuhns, Coach Pelligrini, J. Bumgardner, R. Middlebroke. 1st row: M. Howard, T. Rayburn, M. Jackson, K. Music, J. Viterna.

Varsity

Back row: M. Landry, J. Husti, Coach Pelligrini, S. Kotlarczyk, L. Portera. 1st row: H. Trammell, S. Schubert, T. Bielec, L. Lumm, J. Raymond.



JV Cheerleading



Varsity Basketball

Back row: Trainer Bob, Coach Kuzich, Coach J. Nowak, Jessica Salley, Julia Wallman, Lisa Mauch, Coach G. Nowak, Trainer Tom, Mr. Wright. 1st row: Missy Meier, Sarah Wyatt, Tenika Saddler, Chrissy Clarke, Regina Salley, Toya Roberston.





JV Basketball

Back row: Trainer Bob, Coach Kuzich, Rebecca Day, Jenny Viers, Meghann McParlan, Lisa Scherer, Coach G. Nowak, Trainer Tom. 1st row: Melissa Smither, Ruth Laughren, Christina Hasse, Molly Hanson, Connie Fullerton, Kelly Morawski.



Freshman Basketball

Back row: Trainer Bob, Coach Kuzich, Kelly Burba, Tara Lore, Emily Nichols, Kerry Edwards, Jill Faitel, Rachel Vonck, Coach G. Nowak, Trainer Tom. 1st row: Jill Pluciniczak, Julie Hayes, Julie Schaller, Jill Pinter, Lisa Burdette, Amber Harris.



Boys Soccer

Back row: Coach Enriquez, A. Pothast, M. Pasky, M. Poole, D. Panzer, N. Sager, T. Stec, Coach Flek. 3rd row: A. Scott, A. Cichewicz, J. Ponder, J. Williams, D. Koshiyama, A. Smith. 2nd row: M. Henderson, C. Harwood, S. Diehlman, T. Wasner, N. Looze, B. Publiski, N. Merkel. 1st row: M. Zeoli, A. Poole, E. Enriquez, P. Smith, J. Alper, K. Hamlin.



Varsity Golf

Back row: Tim Meers, Nathan Willard, Coach Schimmoeller, Kris Vasicek, Daniel West. 1st row: Gary Sherwood, Jonathan Brinker, Brad Robinson, Jason Tait.





Boys Cross Country

Back row: Brent Fielder, Noah Bukis, Christopher Nielson, Mr. Wright, Andrew Van Tassell, David Brooks, Kyle Seslar. 2nd row: Christopher Henderson, Reid McGuire, Andrew Cooper, Sanjay Shah, Karl Altenbernt. 1st row: Steve Fifeild, Aaron Raymond, Eric Bobak, Eric McCoy, Brian Reyes, Lee Seslar.



Girls Cross Country

Back row: Katy Hamlin, Stacie Dougherty, Gail Stec, Coach Moran, Carrie McMillan, Stephine Dougherty, Annie Baldwin. 2nd row: Joy Marriott, Emily Forester, Sara Kolesar, Kelly McCue, Brandie Fitzsimmons. 3rd row: Amanda Smallwood, Ami Shah, Jessica Alper, Emily Schrag, Beth Derkowski, Mary Nelson.



Girls Swimming

Back row: T. Gerlofs, T. Hammar, K. Bosker, E. Bielak, G. Gasek, S. Panzer, Coach Broadhurst. 3rd row: Coach Harrington, S. Richards, T. Bricker, S. Stec, S. Morgan, E. Alper, S. Borgstadt, D. Willis. 2nd row: L. Dolinger, R. King, C. Davis, S. Wilbur, K. McGlone, E. Teel. 1st row: D. Aduroja, J. Lamere, M. Adcock, Q. Cain, T. Kailimai.



Varsity Football

Back row: K. Cox, S. Meyer, A. Athan, D. Baldwin, S. Srock, B. Bellers, C. Bowman. 4th row: Coach McKenzie, Coach Cox, G. Burrell, J. Zickafoose, M. Kotlarczyk, R. Paylor, C. Embry, Coach Sarkett, Trainer Bob. 3rd row: Manager B. Westons, M. Polzin, R. Kobie, T. Bevans, R. Steller, J. Shine, M. Chevrette, M. Blose. 2nd row: J. Gatny, J. Sperle, B. Bellers, A. Curtis, Q. Lawson, M. Angers. 1st row: S. Chambers, C. Hanson, J. Zywicki, G. Berdette, G. Loving, B. Gatny, P. Hafler.





GOLF



Senior Nathan Willard putts for par to close a personal best score of 40.



Brad Robinson practices his swing for the next meet.

The Lincoln golf team had a winning season 6-11 overall. Jon Brinker led the team with an average of 43 and a personal best of 37 in match play. Nathan Willard also had a good season with an average of 46. The team average was 185. The team is still young and has a lot of potential for the years to come.



James Wolosyn goes for a long drive to the hole.



James Wolosyn, Evan Richardson, and Mike Wallen takes a breather before going to the next hole.



J.V. Golf Team
Back Row: Coach Schimmoeller, Adam Raser, Matt Wysocki, Mike Wallen, Evan Richardson,
Front Row: Amanda Bush, Jennifer Stumpf, Nathan Cook, Jason Hull, Ryan Reynolds.



Matt Wysocki takes a practice shot from the sand but puts it in the water behind the practice green.

SWIM

It was another awesome season for the girls! Every record board was broken except for two. The girls finished 5th place over Tecumseh and Milan at SEC in Dexter. Once again they were SMISL Champs at EMU, beating out all of the class B schools including Tecumseh, our biggest rival. The girls may have had a great season, but it won't be the same after this year without Coach Broadhurst and Mrs. Gasek. This is their last year and they'll be missed!



Freshman Molly Adcock did a wonderful job this season. She will be a big asset to the team in the years to come.



Captain Eli Alper was always making the team laugh with her funny faces and high spirit!



Seniors Tracy Gerlofs, Elizabeth Bielak, Keri Bosker, Tabitha Hammar, Sarah Panzer, and Gennifer Gasek. They'll be missed!

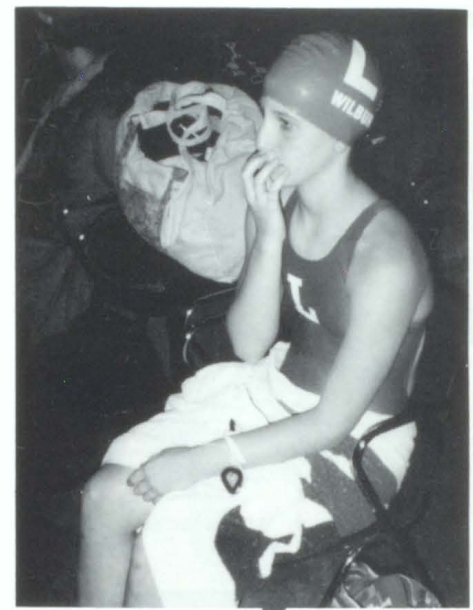


Captain Sarah Richards ponders on how good her time will be after the 500 Free-style.

SWAM



Captain Gennifer Gasek proudly changes their record to 7 & 4. She received a trophy called the Gasek award and a school plaque was named after her for her spirit, hard work, and never ending dedication to the team.



Sophomore Sarah Wilbur looks worried about her next race or maybe she's just concentrating.



Senior Sarah Panzer did a great job in her first year of swimming. They sure could of used her all four years!

SWUM





Lincoln, Lincoln Are Ya Ready?



Freshman Dolly Aduroja never thought she could dive as good as she did!

Coffee, Coffee, Coffee! Coach Ryan Harrington moves up to head coach for the girls next year.

Pool Coordinator & Mrs. Gasek and Coach Amy Broadhurst had a great finishing season. They did such a great job the girls will miss them. The team thanks them both so much.



Hey Panzer! Did you see what coach put me in? asks Freshman Tabatha Kailimi.

Sophomore Lisa Dolinger really improved this year and placed 12th at SMISL.

Record Board Breakers!

200 Medley Relay
Eli Alper, Sarah Borgstadt
Sarah Wilbur, Jackie Lamere
2:02.74

200 Freestyle
Sarah Borgstadt
2:10.87

200 I.M.
Sarah Borgstadt
2:25.75

50 Freestyle
Alper/Tracy Gerlofs
26.64

100 Freestyle
Tracy Gerlofs
59:22

500 Freestyle
Sarah Borgstadt
5:53.94

200 Free Relay
Gerlofs, Alper,
Tisha Bricker, Lamere

100 Backstroke
Tabitha Hammar*
1:06.06

100 Breaststroke
Sarah Borgstadt
1:15.03

400 Free Relay
Gerlofs, Elizabeth Bielak,
Bricker, Borgstadt
3:59.47

*Broke the SMISL
pool record for 1997!

We Earned Our ...

For the first time in 10 years the Lincoln Railsplitters had a winning season; placing 3rd in the S.E.C. To accomplish this goal the men worked extremely hard be-

fore and during the season. Winning all of their away games earned them the name "Road Warriors." The Splitters ended the season with an astonishing 7-2.



It takes three to derail the train. Joe Gatny fights for a first down.

Receiver Greg Loving concentrates on his hand/ball coordination as he makes the catch during warm ups.



Watch out for Brandon Gatny and Gabe Burdette as they team up for a tackle.

After playing their fifth game which was against Dexter, the team celebrates their winning season.



R-E-S-P-E-C-T



Halfback Shandon Chambers gives the Saline players a workout as he runs for a touchdown.

Quarterback Kevin Cox drops back in the pocket waiting for a wide open receiver.



Feel the ground shake as Lincoln's offensive line gets ready for the next play.



Wide receiver Cory Hanson leaps to get the ball for a first down.



The team holds their heads high after their second win of the season. They defeated Tecumseh at Rynearson Stadium 28-7.

1st AND 10, DO IT AGAIN

Aaron Wilson tackles the Chelsea player before he makes it to the 4th down.



Jamil Burns takes a time out to wipe his face to get ready for the next play. He rushed 443 in the season.



Receiver Brandon Wright stretches out for a pass that was completed for the first down. Brandon scored four touchdowns for the season.



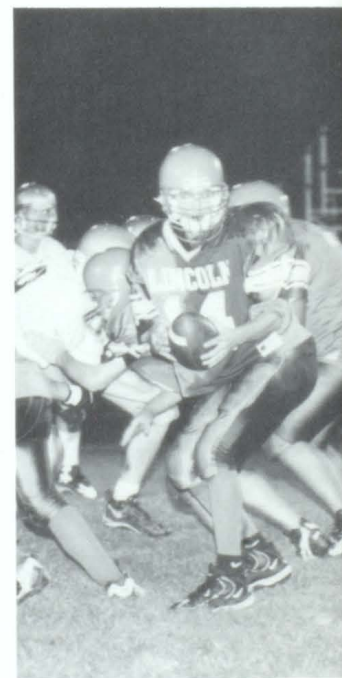
The Lincoln defense waits for a call by defensive captain Kyle Westcott.



Larry Majeski dives to cover the ball. As a result of the Chelsea fumble, Lincoln Railsplitters gained control of the ball.



Running in stride, Ransom Roquemore looks for an opening to score.



Quarterback Shawn Whitehead gets ready to hand off to the runningback.

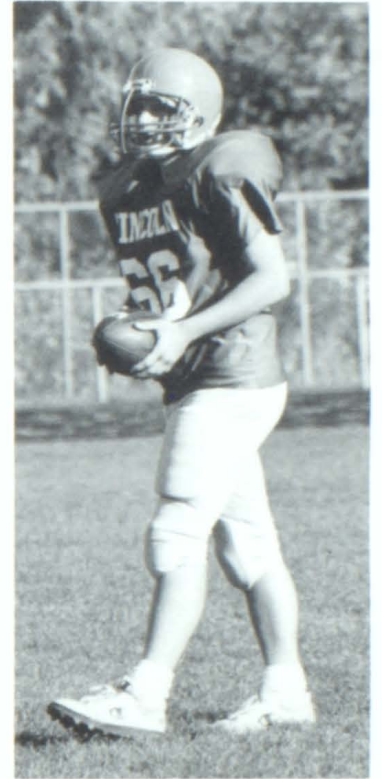


Just

GETTING STARTED

Quarterback Bobby Barta prepares to toss the ball to the half-back for a first down.

The football team lines up after determining their strategies.



Rob Watts concentrates while preparing to punt the ball.



Antaiwn Mack struggles for the first down while being pulled on by his opponent.

"Run, Roland, Run!!!" the fans scream while Roland Lynn runs for the touchdown.

L.H.S.



Go Tina, Go! Tina Rayburn used her cheerleading skills to score more points for the seniors during homecoming relays.

The Seniors took their last pictures together while attending a U.C.A. camp over the summer.

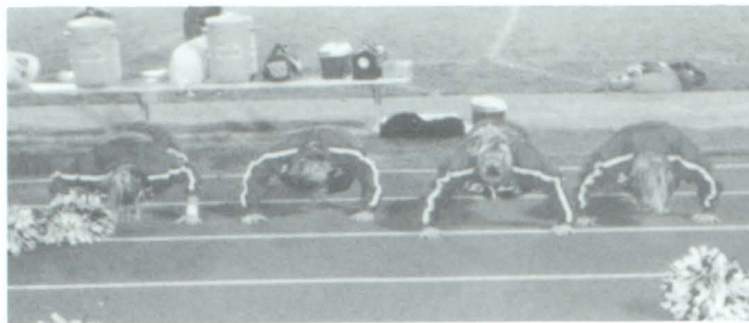


Ribbit, ribbit, look at Julie jump!! Junior Julie Bumgardner did the double nine!

VARSITY

Can you feel the burn? The Cheerleaders are giving their muscles a workout because the players gave us another touchdown!

"Gosh, I sure hope they catch me!" exclaimed Sophomore Jessica Hustyi as she lost her balance. Good thing the J.V. squad was underneath to break her fall.



Kristie Music tries to liven' up the Seniors for the last event of the pep assembly.

AND



"LHS, Go Blue!" Chants Sophomore Lindsay Lumm as she tries to pep up the crowd during our Homecoming game.

J.V.

CHEERLEADING

GO

BLUE



GAME FOCUS STARTS EARLY



Tenika Saddler concentrates hard as she drives to the basket.

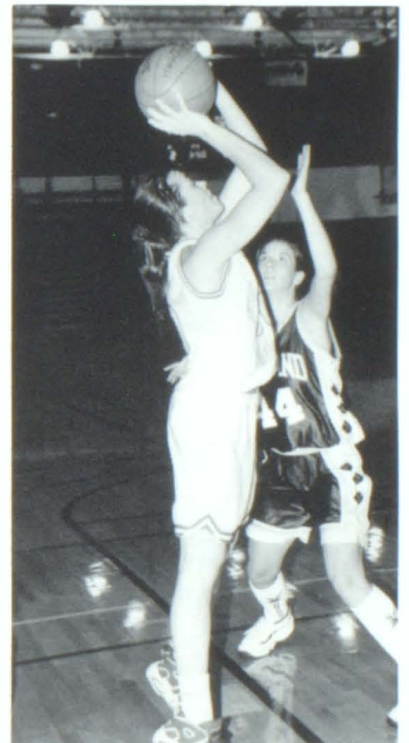


"The ultimate goal of working hard and saying that you were proud of your effort was realized throughout the year," according to coach Nowak. This year's Women's Varsity Basketball team had a long and hard fought season. The year's final outcome was not too bright from an outsider's point of view, but in the girl's hearts they knew what they had accomplished. Teamwork and the drive to achieve their goals has proven success for the girls.

Sarah Wyatt flies to the basket to score two.



The Girls Varsity Basketball team cheers on their teammates.



Regina Salley goes up for the shot.



Sophomore Toya Roberson uses her skills to blow by Hartland's defense.



Chrissy Clarke pulls the ball back out to reset the play.

IT'S ALL IN THE ATTITUDE

Junior Varsity

TAKING IT TO THE HOOP



Sophomore Ruth Laughern calls the play as she dribbles down the court waiting for the team to set up.



Freshman Tara Lore takes the opportunity to shoot for three.



Freshman Kelly Morawski pushes her player to the side.



Sophomore Molly Hanson avoids the reach to cut to the hole for two.



Sophomore Melissa Smithers waits for the cutter on the out of bounds play.



J.V. eagerly waits as the girls bring the score within 4 points.



Sophomore Rebecca Day soars over the Hartland's defense.

Freshman Basketball

IN THE ZONE!



Kelly Burba goes up for the shot. She shoots, she scores!



Freshman Carrie Edwards gets off the floor for the lay-up.



The Lincoln players take a break and watch their teammates take the lead.



Tara Lore goes for the fast break to add two.



Jill Pluciniczak scans the floor in search for the help of a teammate.



Freshman Jill Pinter looks for a teammate to pass the ball to.



Julie Hayes concentrates hard on getting past Saline's defense.



"Get out of my way." Emily Nichols knocks down the Saline player.



CROSS COUNTRY



Seniors Reid McGuire, Josh Spencer, and Jay Shah take a big lead in front of S.E.C. runners at a jamboree. All three broke their personal records during that race.



Freshman Steve Fifield and Sophomore Dave Brookes fight to the finish with a final sprint to prevent the competing runner from scoring higher.



Freshman Noah Bukis sprints toward the finish line to make the meet a close one.



Junior Kyle Seslar gets an early start ahead of the other runners beating his personal record.



The boys cross-country team gathers before a dual meet against Huron in hope of a victory. Sadly, they fell short with a close score at the end.



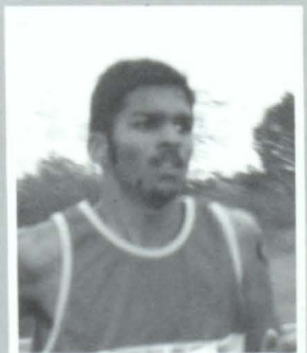
"This year was a challenge for all of us. A new team starting from scratch, not only a team, but we were great friends who stuck by one another." — Reid McGuire

"It was hard work but it made my whole high school experience better." — Chris Nielsen.



"I would like to thank my inspirations: Scott, Micah, Justin, Reid, Stephanie, Nathan, my family, and sister Sarah." — Andrew VanTassel

"Man, that was a long run!" — Josh Spencer



"This season was filled with ups and downs, but as a team we made it successful." — Jay Shah



Sophomore Ami Shah strives for the lead while members of the boys team cheer her on.

Junior Carrie McMillan runs a steady pace to break her personal record.

After regionals the girls gather together for one last picture of the season.



Third year runner Sara Kolesar passes a pack of runners.



Junior Annie Baldwin runs her best as the season ends.

The girls cross country team take some time to stretch before the race.

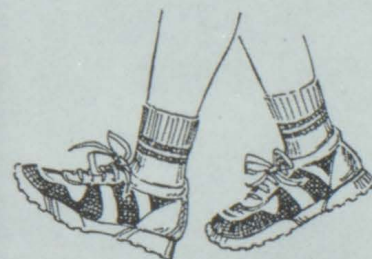


"Reaching the finish line isn't a destination, it's a desire" — Joy Marriott

"I strive to achieve my expectations one step at a time." — Beth Derkowski



"Cross-country was full of laughter and great friendships. We worked as a team, to overcome any hardships. Girls cross country 1997, will always be a great memory that I'll hold on to." — Stacie Dougherty



S O C C E R



Seniors Tony Stec, Brian Publiski, and Nick Sager stand in astonishment after realizing they have completed their last soccer season of their high school career.



Freshman forward Jason Williams shows his skills as he controls the ball. He scored a team high of 7 goals this season.



Senior captain Tony Stec runs swiftly to boot the ball toward the Saline goal. Tony showed great leadership throughout the season.

"Out of my way!" says Junior Matt Henderson as he passes by the defense. Matt played with heart during the season.



Goalie Stephen Diehlman blocks a shot as he defends the goal against Saline's offense.



Junior Marshall Poole looks for an open player on his throw in. Marshall did an excellent job as a rookie.





Boys Swimming

Back row: B. Reyes, K. Mitchell, C. Harwood, J. Alper, C. Bielak, E. Bobak, P. Smith, M. Witt, A. Riddle, S. House. 2nd row: K. Jones, E. Murnighan, J. Bower, R. Senters, B. Robinson, A. Cain, D. Koshiyama, Coach Herrington. 1st row: M. Ingrao, E. McCoy, A. Smith, B. Fiedler, M. Wysocki.



Varsity Volleyball

Back row: Jessica Salley, Kim Heeringa, Coach Koenig, Shannon Salisbury, Regina Salley. 2nd row: Holly Hafler, Margaret Smith, Meghann McParlan. 1st row: Niki Lambert, Chrissy Clarke, Courtney Cymes, Tracy Gerlofs.



JV Volleyball

Back row: Coach Greene, Katie Fox, Melissa Smither, Danielle Moyer, Krystal McGlone. 2nd row: Crystal Pinter, Trisha Dick, Molly Hanson, Rebecca Day, Amanda Earnest. 1st row: Bethany Thompson, Rachael Ross, Christina Hasse, Ruth Laughren.



Freshman Volleyball

Back row: Stephine Dougherty, Breah Whitlow, Coach Smith, Dolly Aduroja, Molly Adcock. 2nd row: Gail Stec, Connie Fullerton, Jill Faltel, Tara Lore, Julie Hayes, Laura Quashnie. 1st row: Kelly Morawski, Linsey Pinter, Shiela Mickels, Lisa Martin, Jill Pluciniczak.





Hockey

Back row: Kevin Godsey, Nolan Ahrens, Nick Mourer, Race Lamkin, Ryan Pratt. 2nd row: Asst. Coach Mourer, Coach Raines, Ryan Pitylak, Nick Ray, Brandon Cadreau, Jake Waldecker, Todd Archer, Asst. Coach Waldecker, Manager Sarah Archer. 1st row: Derrick Roberts, Jeff Jenkins, Chris Ganun, Doug Holdridge, Matt Beck, Jason Bolton, Kevin Miller, John Ward, Aaron Moore.



Wrestling

Back row: Coach Mulka, J. Gatny, R. Stetler, R. Paylor, C. Altenbernt, M. Blose, Coach McKenzie. 3rd row: K. Seslar, M. Johnson, B. Nickert, D. Douglas, J. Van Ryan, J. Sperle, S. Kovalak, 2nd row: A. Curtis, R. Curtis, J. Hustyi, J. Viers, M. Dufour, B. Barta, G. Dearduff, A. Cooper. 1st row: A. Raymond, J. Browning, T. Browning, L. Majeski, R. Ostrowski, M. Nelson, A. Pilotte.



JV Basketball

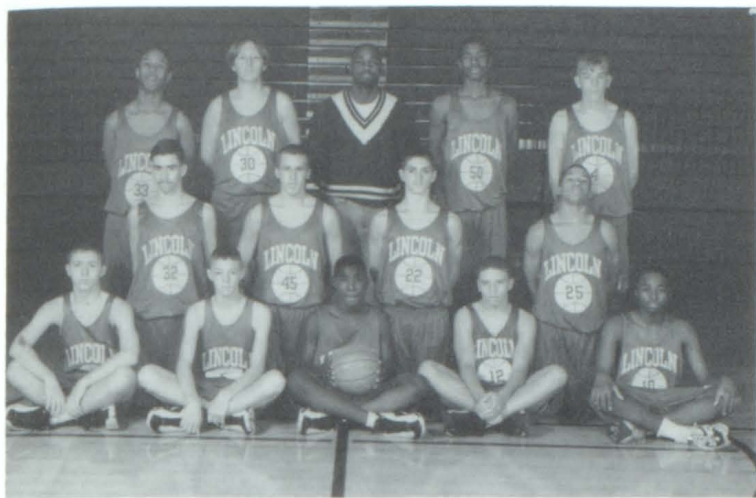
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Varsity Basketball

Back row: Nathan Willard, Sam Meyer, Kevin Cox, Steve Srock, Andrew Van Tassell, Coach Van Loggins. 2nd row: Cory Hanson, Derrick Napier, Chuck Hamilton, Bobby Bigham. 1st row: Nick Conde, Patrick Fitzgerald, Matt Angers, Reid McGuire, Nick Zoumbaris.





Freshman Basketball

Back row: Charles Allen, Patrick Michels, Coach Lowe, Cory Gup-ton, Noah Bukis. 2nd row: Matt Foster, Eric Houston, Scott Guthre, Stanley Roberson. 1st row: Ben Brewer, Justin Roome, William Anderson, Deondre Lynn, Marvin Thompson.



Varsity Cheerleading

Back row: Coach Pelligrini. 2nd row: Julie Bumgardner, Tara Patrick. 1st row: Christina Wright, Beth Kuhns, Robbie Middlebrook.



JV Cheerleading

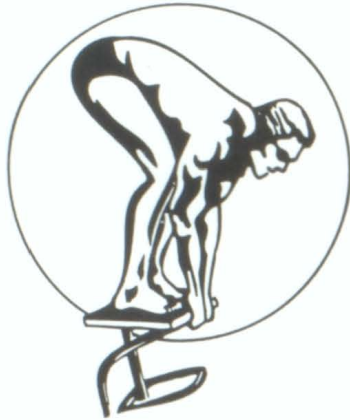
Back row: Laura Portera, Coach Pelligrini, Tracy Bielac. 2nd row: Missy Landry, Jessica Hustyi, Jessica Raymond. 1st row: Lindsay Lumm, Stacy Schubert, Nicole Reed, Heather Trammell.



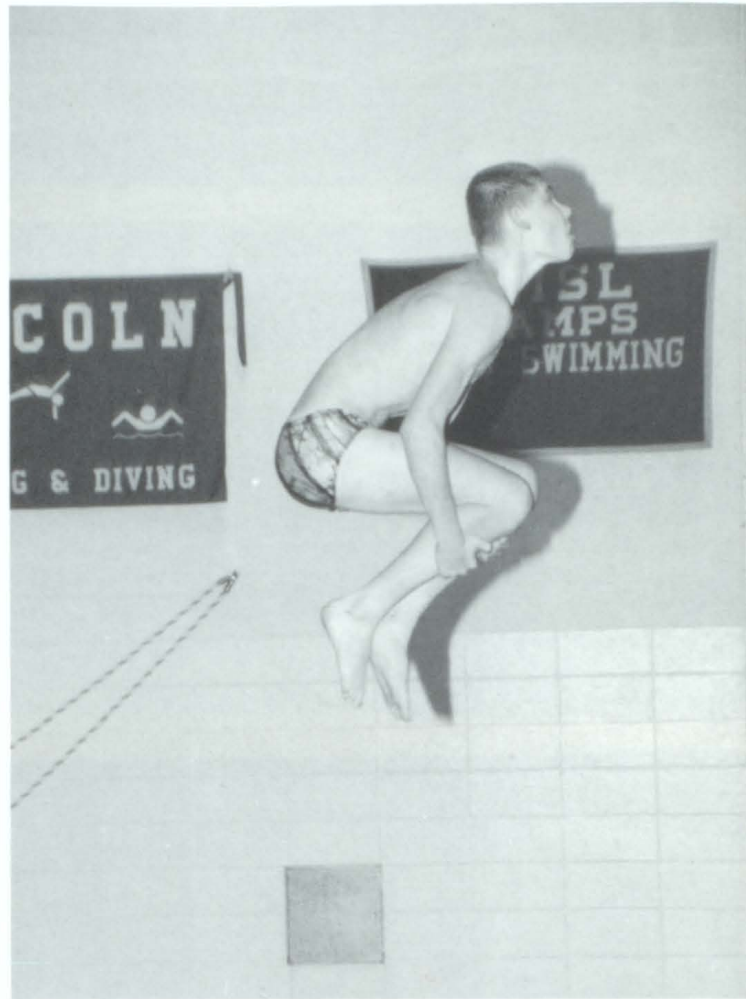


The men's swim team takes a break from their laps to smile for the camera.

Senior Jayson Bower shows perfect form while doing the backstroke.



Senior Erick Murnighan pulls ahead of his opponent with his strong butterfly.



Sophomore Bobby Golden scores a perfect ten on his reverse somersault.



Senior exchange student Daniel Koshiyama comes up for a breather during the freestyle.



Ready, Set, Go!!! The swimmers start off on their backstroke.

AW SHAMU

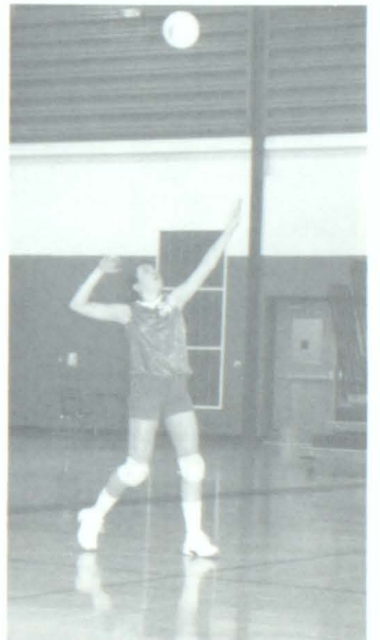
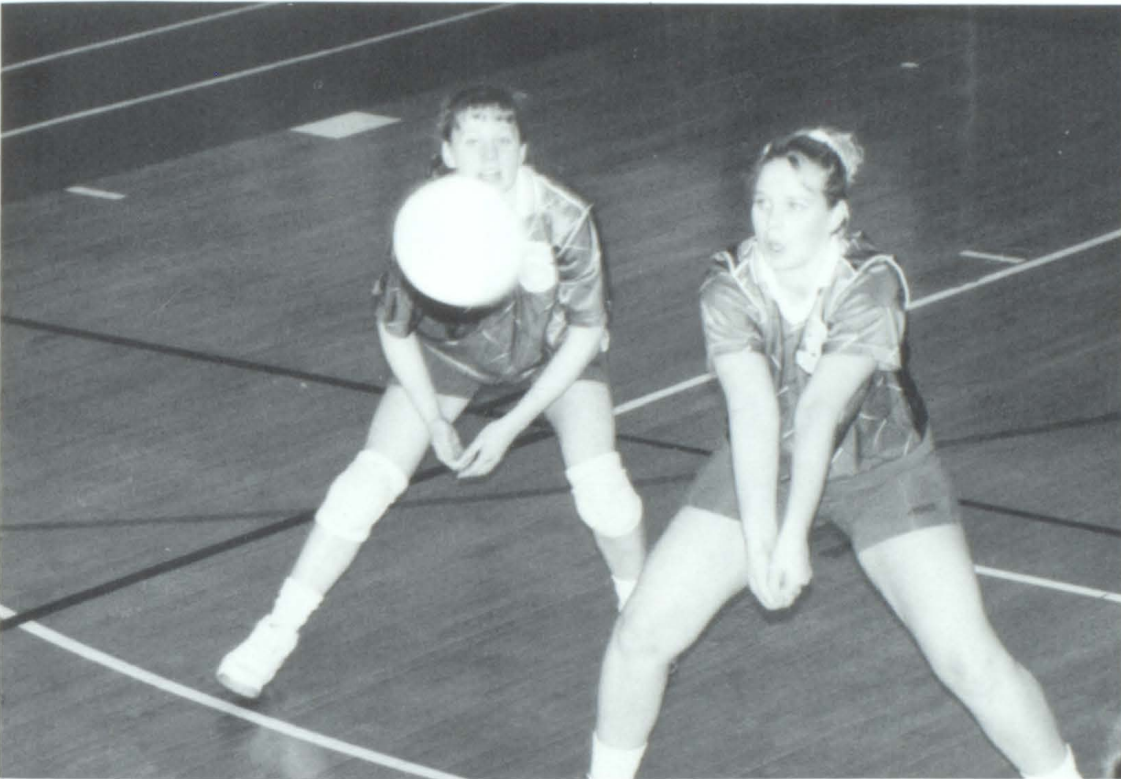
Losing their head coach, Laurie Harrison, whom the team admired and respected, the girls began their season with some uncertainties, two of which were adjusting to and learning from a new coach. The Lincoln girl's Varsity Volleyball team rose to the occasion with some strong senior leadership and the assistance of the underclassmen. As always, the SEC was strong and competitive. When Districts rolled around, not many people thought the team would make it past the first round. But someone should have asked the girls; they won Districts with some impressive playing, beating Westland John Glenn and Garden City in two straight matches.



Margaret Smith uses good form as she passes the ball.

Chrissy Clarke concentrates to get a Railsplitter point.

Shannon Salisbury gets ready to pass the ball with Tracy Gerlofs there to back her up.



Regina Salley serves an ace.



The seniors gather around the District trophy for one last picture together.

BUMP



Bump, set, "SPIKE and move out of my way." Sophomore Molly Hanson slams the ball for a point.

SET

Setter Ruth Laughren positions for a perfect set to assist in a kill.

Sophomore Bethany Thompson digs the ball for a perfect pass.



They aren't aching me! Sophomore Amanda Ernest awaits the serve.



"Mine" shouts Sophomore Danielle Moyer as she gets ready to pass the ball with total confidence.



Sophomore Bekah Day concentrates as she prepares to serve up an ACE to win the game.

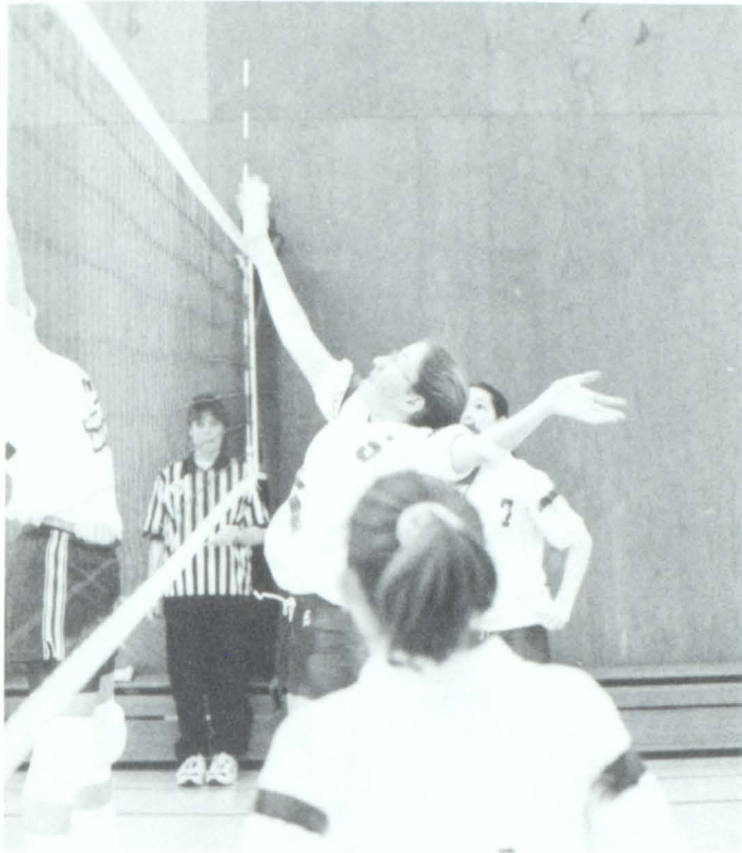


"Woo" the J.V. Volleyball team chants their ritual cheer after a point was scored.

J.V. Volleyball

SPIKE

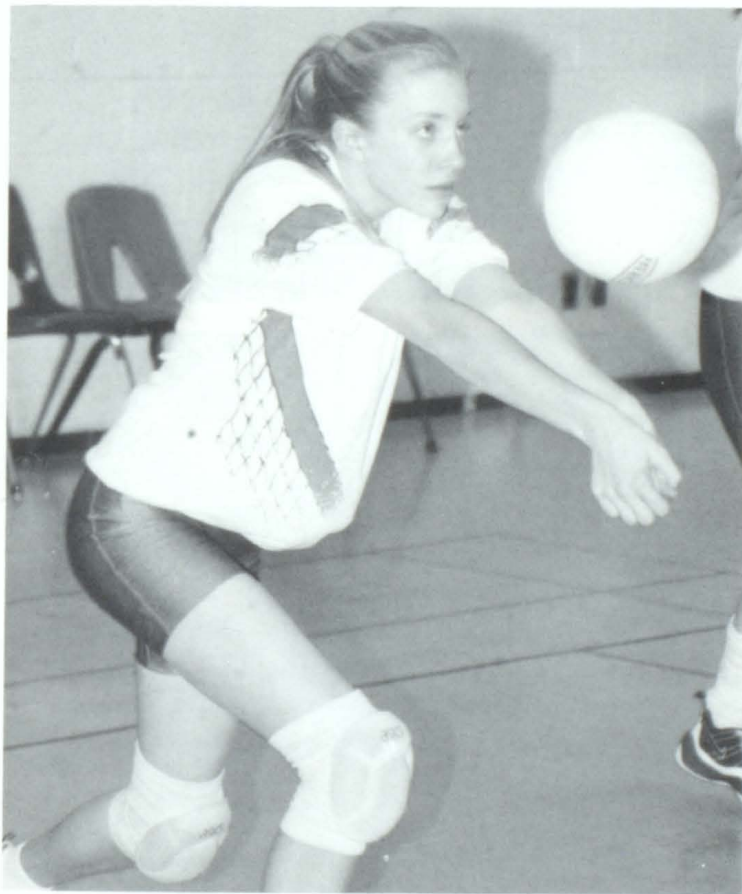
FRESHMAN VOLLEYBALL



Molly Adcock goes up strong in hopes of getting a kill.



It's a bird, it's a plane, it's Jill Faitel and Dolly Aduroja.



Gail Stec uses good form as she concentrates hard to pass the ball.



Tara Lore tips the ball over for a side out.



Laura Quashine concentrates while she waits for her turn to get in on the action.

VOLLEYBALL



The Railsplitter defense gets set for a faceoff.

The team is on their way to the locker room after a tough game.



HOCKEY

This year Lincoln Athletics featured a new sport, ice hockey. Unbelievably this hockey team won more than half of their season games as a young first-year team.

With Lincoln students and local area hockey players, Lincoln was able to perform this season as a club team. Along this bumpy road of getting started they learned what it was like to represent their school playing the game they love.



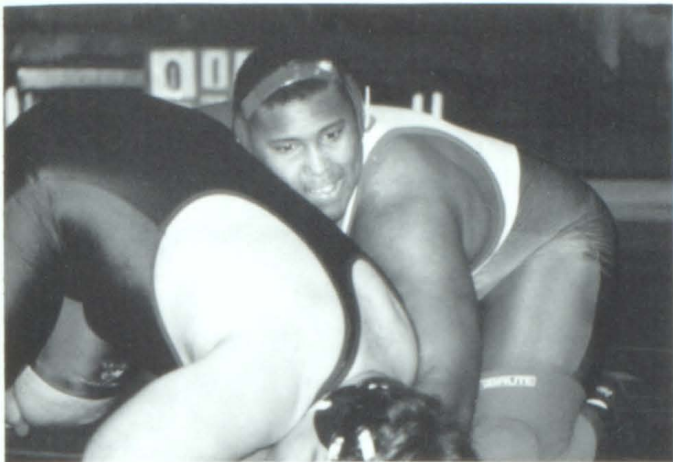
The Lincoln hockey team lines up for introductions.

The team celebrates a 4-3 win over Chelsea.



Wrestling

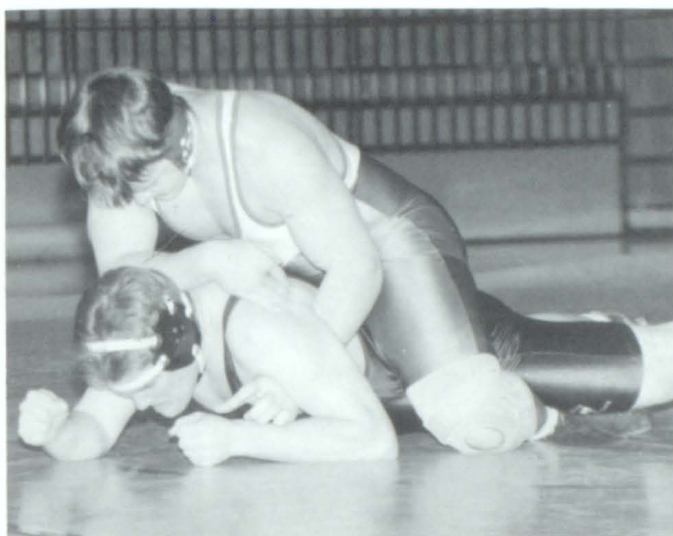
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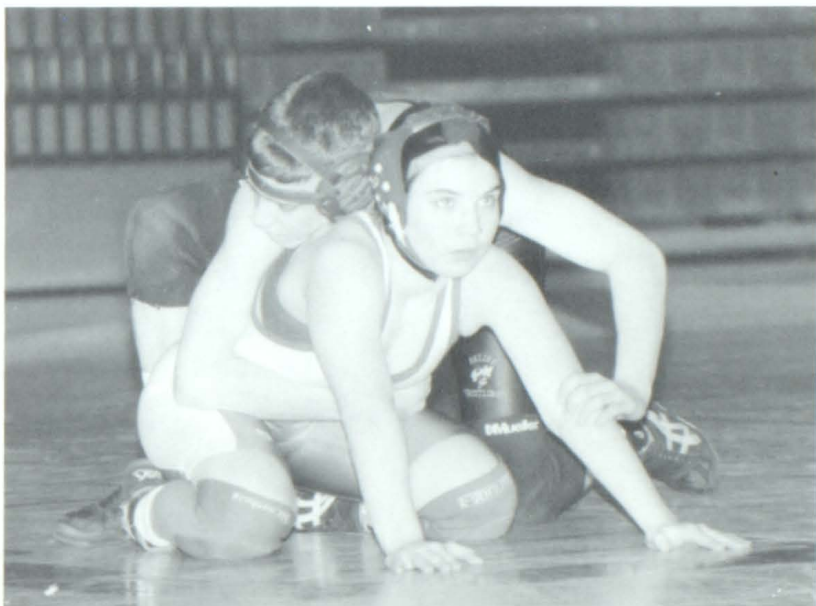
Senior Richard Paylor works hard to break down the Saline player.



Junior Michael Dufour works for a stand-up, as he shows his opponent the mat.



A Saline Hornet gets stunned by Sophomore Joe Gatny.



Sophomore Mary Nelson waits for the ref to blow the whistle, then she'll make her move.



Coach McKenzie sits in concentration while analyzing his team.



Sophomore Larry Majeski sprawls out to defend the Saline wrestlers single leg.

The 97-98 wrestling team was a young team. Lincoln had only one senior, Richard Paylor, who placed 6th in the state. The Railsplitters were 7-12-1 overall. Lincoln took 5th place in the S.E.C. and seven of the Lincoln men placed in the League meet. This was a year of rebuilding with 14 newcomers. This team will attack the 98-99 season.

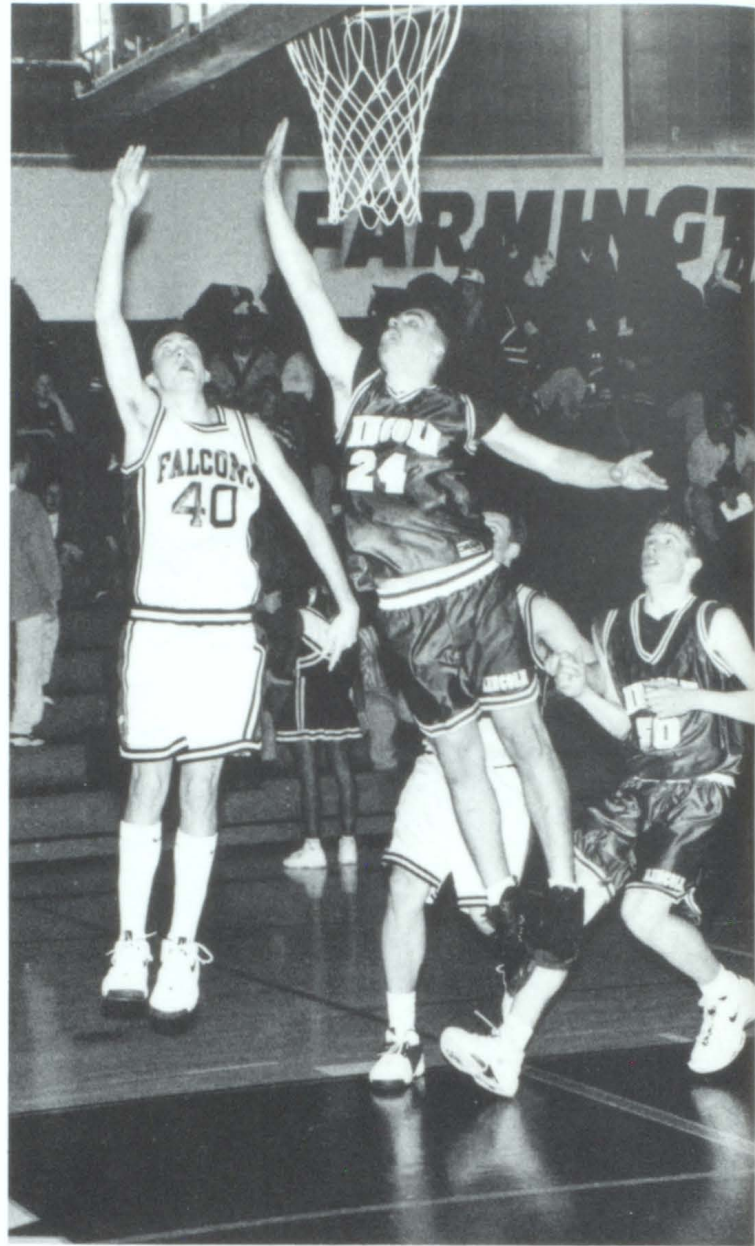
VARSITY

Junior Chuck Hamilton jumps for a rebound.



Junior Matt Angers wants to get the ball to the basket by dribbling around his opponents.

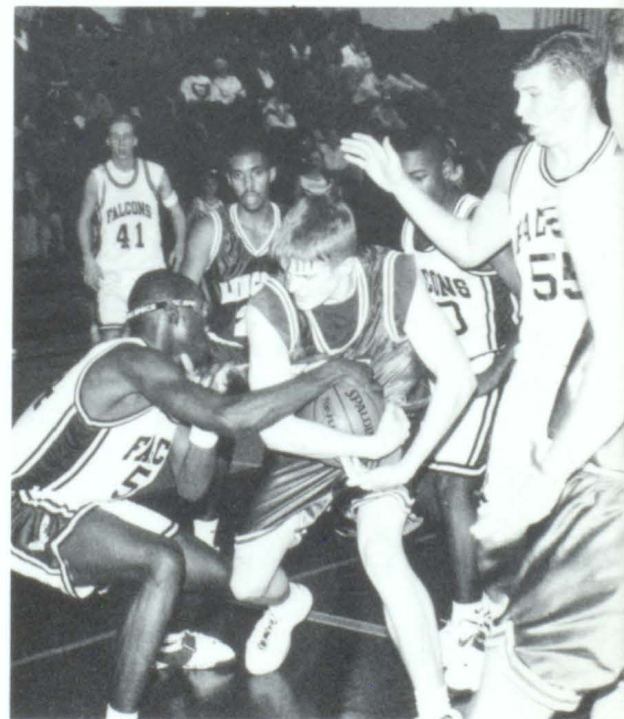
Before the game starts, the starters get together to wish each other luck.



Senior Sam Meyer deflects a pass.



Senior Cory Hanson flies through the air to score 2 points for his team.



Junior Steve Srock tries to hold onto the ball to stop Farmington from stealing it.



Junior Jason England sprints to get closer to the basket.

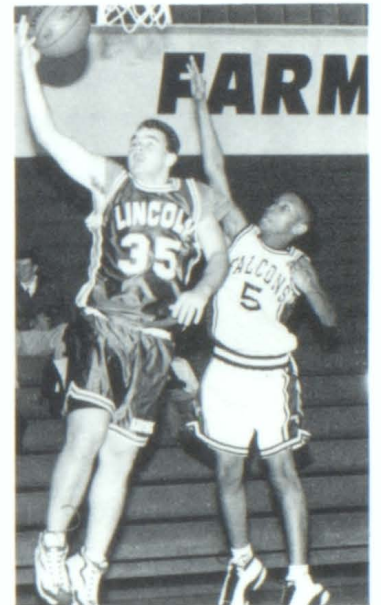
Junior Nick Condell sneaks around his opponent to score the two point basket.

JV



Coach calls for a time out to discuss their next play.

Sophomore Joe Zywicki goes up for the lay up.



David Senters tries a fake play to get past the other team.



Sophomore Aaron Wilson steals the ball to stop their offense.

SHOOT FOR 2

Freshman William Anderson, Patrick Michels, and Deandre Lynn patiently wait to become part of the game.



Corey Gupton soars in front of Adrian's defense to get a clear shot.



Freshman Matt Foster goes for the save which led to an extra two points.



Noah Bukis gets the defense off their feet so he can move to the basket.



Scott Guthre looks for an open player so he can pass the ball.

Basketball

LHS CHEERLEADING



Junior Beth Kuhns bends backwards to limbo the junior class to victory.

Varsity and junior varsity cheerleaders join together to support the varsity basketball team at districts.



Varsity cheerleaders group at their last home game together.



Sophomore Tracey Bielec maintains great balance while demonstrating her heel stretch.



Kicking High! Junior Robbie Middlebrook shows her cheerleading flexibility.



Junior Christina Wright flies through the air with the greatest of ease, as she shows her Splitter spirit, at Cominghome competition.



Varsity Softball

Alphabetically: Michele Bondie, Pam Bondie, Chrissy Clarke, Holly Hafler, Niki Lambert, Missy Meier, Shannon Morgan, Alicia Pichan, Coach Reason, Jessica Salley, Regina Salley, Wendi Schaller, Sarah St. John.



JV Softball

Back row: Coach Yuhas, Staci Schubert, Becca Day, Jenny Viers, Crystal Pinter, Tiffany Godsey, Amber Harris. 2nd row: Kelly Morawski, Debbie Hoffman, Bethany Thompson, Laura Quashnie, Tara Penird, Jill Pluciniczak. 1st row: Stacy Kotlarczyk, Samantha Stokes, Jessica Raymond, Wendy Springer, Julie Schaller.



Girls Track

Back row: Coach Kovack, Laura Portera, Kim Heeringa, Gail Stec, Sarah Wyatt. 2nd row: Dolly Aduroja, Connie Fullerton, Melissa Smithers, Toya Roberson, Brandy Fitzsimmons, Jess Alper. 1st row: Mandy Thompson, Tara Lore, Ami Shah, Christina Hasse, Linsey Pinter.



Boys Track

Back row: Coach Carlson, S. House, K. Williams, A. VanTassel, C. Nielson, J. Horton, J. Spencer, N. Bukis, M. Foster, Coach Gonzalez. 3rd row: S. Shah, N. Ponder, C. Hanson, S. Roberson, K. Altenbert, S. Guthrie, B. Fiedler, M. Blose. 2nd row: G. Loving, A. Cooper, E. McCoy, N. Looze, B. Reyes, C. Henderson, R. McGuire, C. Harwood. 1st row: J. Williams, E. Bobak, A. Brewer, R. Lynn, A. Raymond, J. Browning, T. Browning.





Varsity Soccer

Back row: Coach Allen, Eli Alper, Christine deLaroque, Sara Kolesar, Sarah Curmi, Kellyh Wanty, Linda Bohme, Kristie Music. 3rd row: Carolyn Satanski, Emily Lambros, Lisa Mauch, Sarah Borgstadt, Gennifer Gasek, Sheila Kaptain. 2nd row: Beth Derkowski, Christina Lund, Amanda Moorer, Kim Lewis, Jenny Viterna. 1st row: Sarah Vredeveld, Sarah Panzer, Amanda Zeoli, Stacie Dougherty.



JV Soccer

Back row: Bekah Makarewich, Danielle Massingill, Kelly Burba, Coach Sicott, Rachel Vonck, Stephine Dougherty. 3rd row: Christine Davis, Katey King, Tia Salajan, Erin Conley, Kelly McCue. 2nd row: Christin Polzin, Becky Dibbs, Emily Nickels, Dusty Willis, Julie Bumgardner, Kate Adrounie. 1st row: Liz Schrag, Kristin Harper, Sarah Wilbur, Ky Allen, Beth Kuhns.



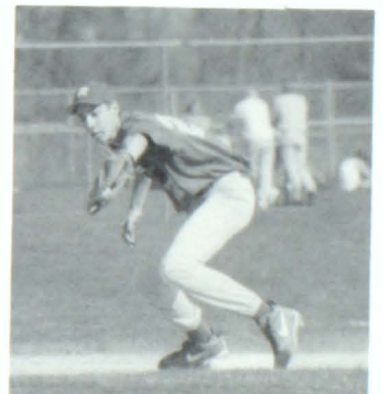
Varsity Baseball

Back row: Coach Schroeder, Joe Shine, Jared Wills, Dave Baldwin, Kevin Cox, T.J. Caves, Coach McFadden, Coach Wilson. 2nd row: Ryan Stetler, Nick Sager, Mike Ingraio, Aaron Wilson, Gabe Burdette, Joe Gatry, Joe Zywicki. 1st row: Jason Burt, Joel Slaven, Pete Hafler, Nick Mourer, Shandon Chambers.



JV Baseball

Back row: Shawn Whitehead, Brian Gordon, Mark Kuzich, Josh Salley, Tom Wasner, Coach Burt, Coach Gatry. 2nd row: Wayne McCune, Jason Bolton, Jimmy Poitevint, Matt Witt, Josh Lynch, Shane Watkins, Kyle Wescott. 1st row: Alex Guthre, Brian Sweet, Larry Majeski, Anthony Dewalt, Bobby Ostrowski, Robert Kitchen.





VARSITY RULES



Senior Michele Bondie finishes her swing as she watches the ball go foul.



Junior Wendi Schaller slides into home after a wild pitch from Dexter.



The infield gives each other a little bit of encouragement before the start of another inning.



Senior Chrissy Clarke follows through with her throw to first-base for the put out.



Junior Pam Bondie squares for the bunt hoping to put it down the third-base line.



Senior Regina Salley shows perfect form as she pitches the ball for strike three.



Senior Missy Meier gets set to field the ground ball.



Junior Niki Lambert watches the ball being pitched hoping to get another RBI.



Junior Jessica Salley comes off the field after a hard fought loss to Dexter in districts.



FIELD IT FIRST



The infield gathers around for the traditional "Three up, three down" cheer.



Rebecca Day stretches for the ball trying to stop the other team from stealing.



Crystal Pinter throws a strike to make the count 3-2.



Bethany Thompson concentrates to hit a hard ground ball.



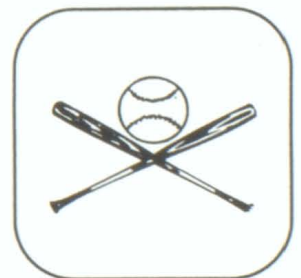
Debbie Hoffman concentrates to get a hit to move the runners.



No ball will get by Jenny Viers as she gets set.



Coach Yugas gives Kelly Morowski last minute tips before she goes up to hit.



From *START* to



Junior Greg Loving leaps ahead of his opponent in the 300 meter hurdles.



Freshman Tara Lore takes fast strides to make a good long distance jump.



Junior Kim Heeringa explodes over the high jump bar to raise her score in hopes of receiving a medal.

Freshman Aaron Brewer concentrates hard in preparation for the 100 meter dash.



Freshman Mandi Thompson strives for a strong finish in the 400 meter relay.



Senior Reid McGuire qualifies after coming in first at regionals in the 1600 meter run to go on for his fourth consecutive year at the State Finals.



FINISH



Pole vaulter Matt Blose strides toward the bar with great hopes of clearing. As a junior Matt qualified to go on to the State Meet.

Senior Sarah Wyatt flies over the hurdles to beat her opponents in the 100 hurdles. Sarah came in first at regionals to go on to States for her fourth consecutive year.



On your mark, get set, go! Mile runners Aaron Raymond, Brent Fiedler, Andrew Cooper, Chris Nielson, and Reid McGuire anxiously await the start of their event.



Junior Brandie Fitzsimmons runs hard after sophomore Toya Roberson pushed to hand off the baton.



Deindre Lynn fights hard to maintain his balance as he lands in the long jump.



Freshman Shiela Mickles thrusts the shot put as she puts all of her strength into her throw.

GO FOR THE GOAL



Senior Beth Derkowski showing off her dribbling skills while getting ready to pass to an open player.

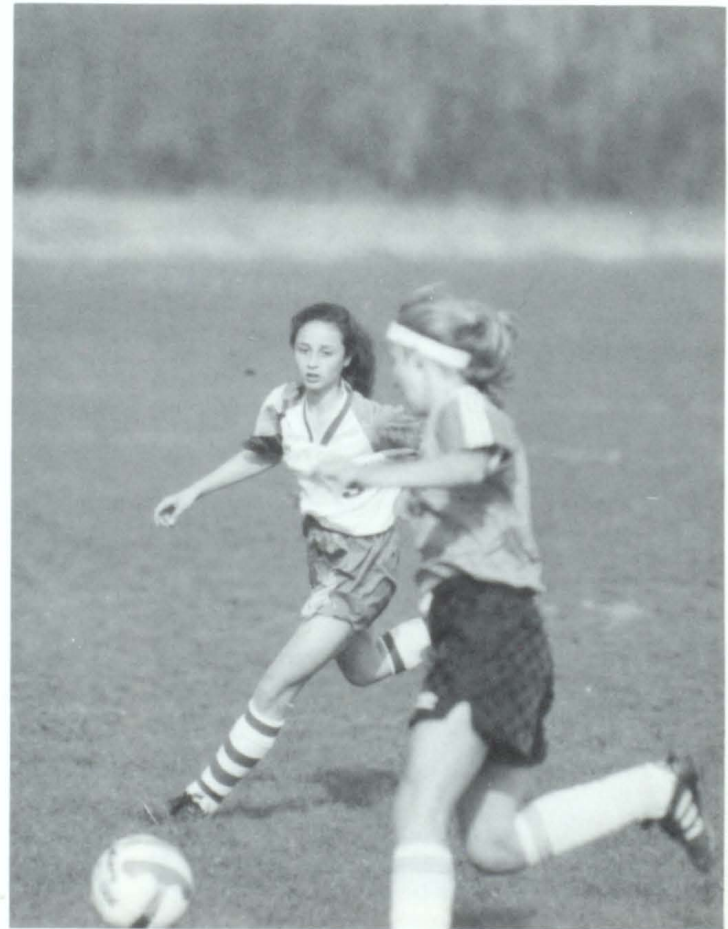


Amanda Moorer blasts the ball upfield on her goal kick.



Senior Soccer Players

Senior Stacie Dougherty jumps to trap the ball before the opponent has a chance.



Junior Sarah Curmi is determined to stop her opponent from shooting on the goal.

SHE COULD **GOAL** ALL THE WAY!!



Sophomore Christine Davis plays physical each game.



Junior Kate Adrounie fakes Saline's defense with great expectations of scoring.

JV SOCCER



Freshmen Danielle Massingill and Ky Allen sprint down the field organizing a smart play.



Junior defenseman Bekah Makarewich sets up for a boot down the field.



Gettin' Jiggy Wit' It. Junior forward Beth Kuhns takes a minute to boogie down.



Freshman goalie Rachel Vonck awaits the opportunity to block a goal.



Junior Becky Dibbs uses her skills to boot the ball down the field.



Robbie Middlebrook

MORE Than You'd Expect



"Hit the ball my way," says sophomore Joe Zwyicki as he gets in his ready position.

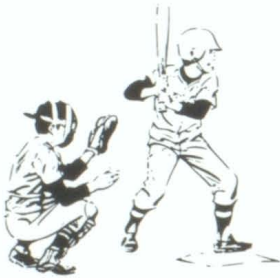
The 1998 Railsplitter baseball season was quite a ride. Through much individual work in the off-season and a great training camp in St. Augustine, Florida, they became a much improved team. Upon their return from Florida they found themselves in the midst of a schedule featuring many opponents which were highly ranked in the state. Opponents know they have to put their best team on the field and they have to play well. This team gave them all a battle.



"Strike three!" yells the umpire, as Senior Joel Slaven throws another one by the batter.



Senior T.J. Caves doesn't let up till he crosses the plate.



Senior catcher Jared Wills gets ready to gun down the runner at second.



Senior Nick Sager fields the ball with perfect form and then throws the runner out at first.



Senior Shandon Chambers waits in the batters box for his pitch.

JV BASEBALL
OUT OF THE PARK



Sophomore Brian Gordon runs off the field.



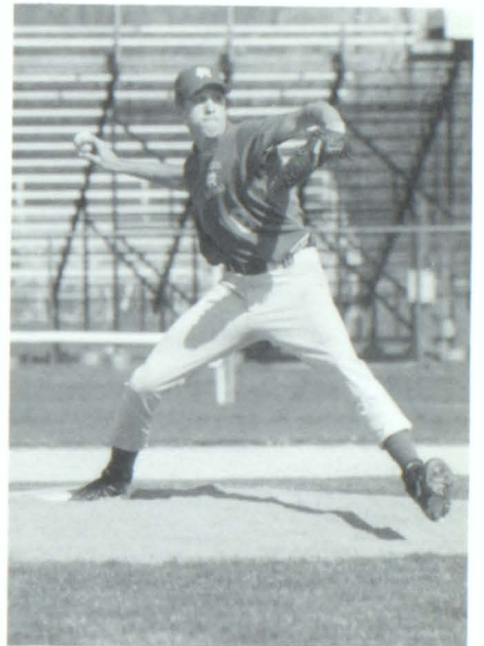
Junior Tom Wasner swings to get a solid hit.



Coach Gatry thinks of a good strategy to take over the ball game.



Shawn Whitehead receives the ball from the catcher, and tags the runner out.



Sophomore Josh Salley reaches back to fire the ball to the catcher.



Third baseman Kyle Wescott tags the runner out in a force out and still has time to make a throw.





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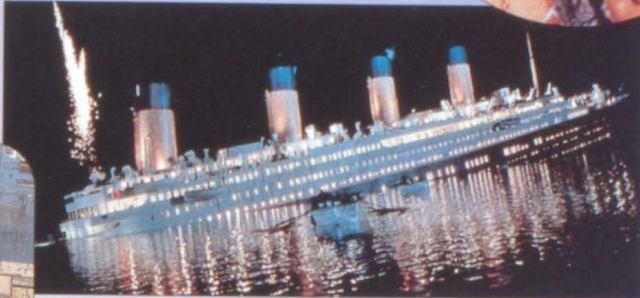
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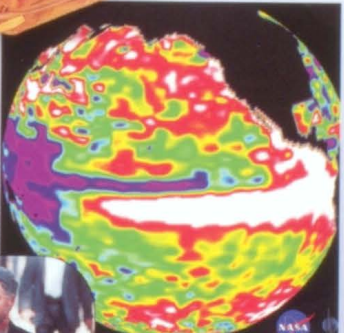


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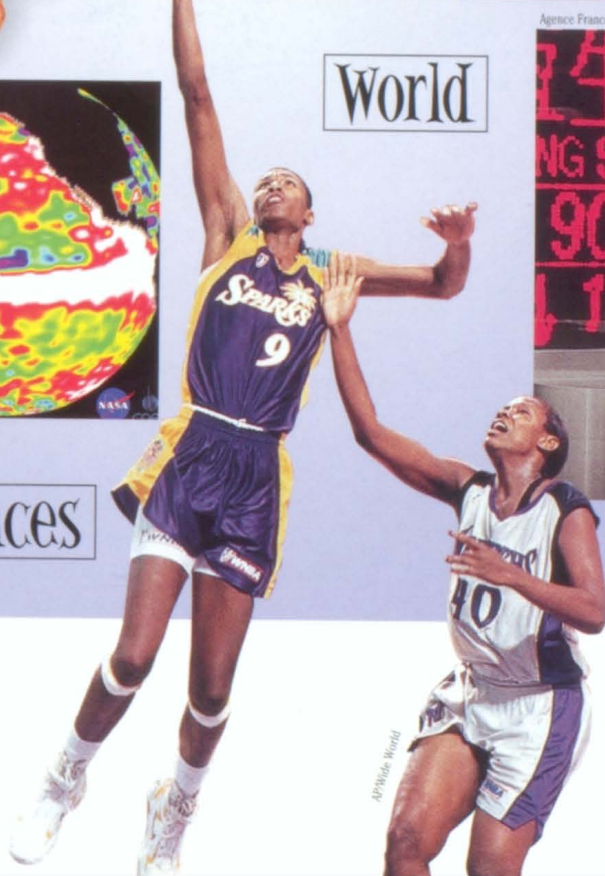
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Faces



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Lifestyle



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World NEWS



Agence France Presse

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

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

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



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

Jan 1, 2000

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



Savino, Sipa

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

flash

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

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

The resort city of Acapulco is heavily damaged.



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



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



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

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



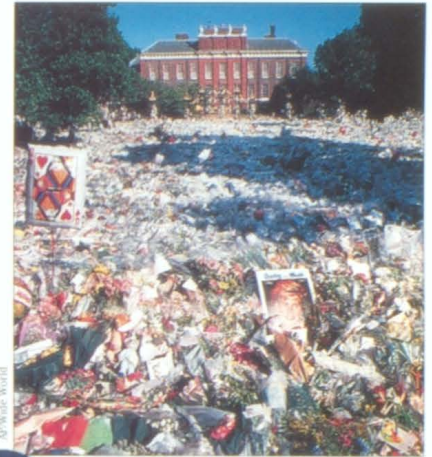
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The Graham Snyers

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

- Diana, Princess of Wales, one of the world's most famous and admired women, dies at 36 in a violent car crash in Paris on August 31.



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

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



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flash

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

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

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



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

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National NEWS



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



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

Brooks Kraft, Sygma



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



Jonathan Elderfield, Gamma/Liaison

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



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

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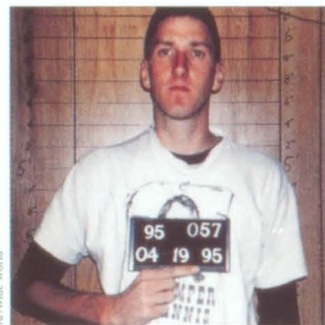
Theodore Kaczynski admits he is the Unabomber responsible for killing 3 people and injuring 29 others in an 18-year bombing campaign. His January 1998 guilty plea spares Kaczynski the death penalty but condemns him to life in prison with no possibility of release.

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



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



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



Patrick Hagerly, Sygma

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

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

Arthur Harvey, The Miami Herald



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



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

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



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

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



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flash

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

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



AP/Wide World

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



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

Science NEWS



NASA

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

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

AP/Wide World



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



NASA



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



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

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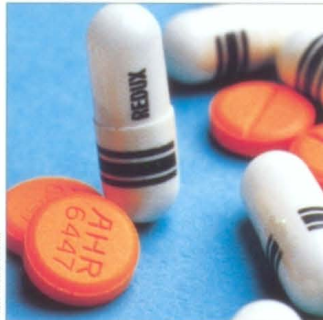
Fuel cells that convert a fuel's energy directly into electricity are being developed for use in cars, making possible an efficient, low-emission car of the future.

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



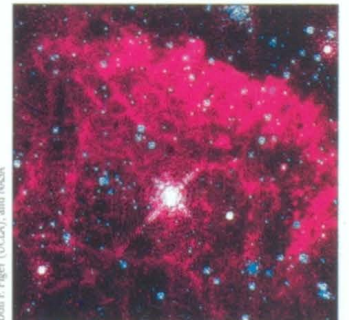
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▶ Research produces medical breakthroughs, including a genetically engineered "bullet" molecule being tested to fight cancer and new drugs to control or prevent Parkinson's disease, osteoporosis and congestive heart failure.



Matt Manfredich

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

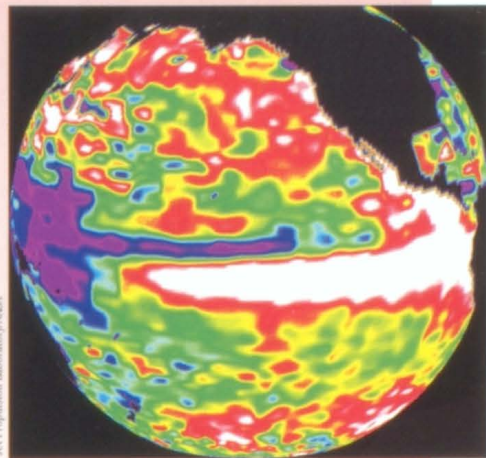


Don F. Figer (UCLA) and NASA

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

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

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



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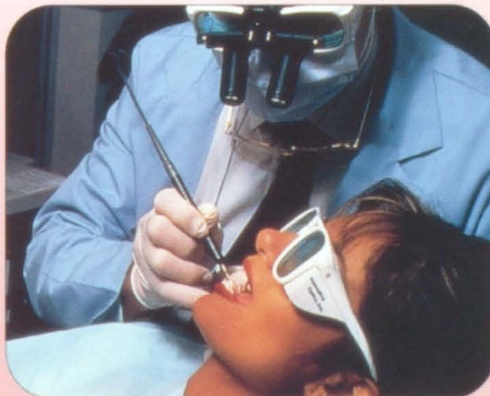
▶ El Niño stirs up global weather patterns. Caused by warmer-than-normal water temperatures in the equatorial Pacific, the '97 El Niño is blamed for storms and weather problems worldwide.



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

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

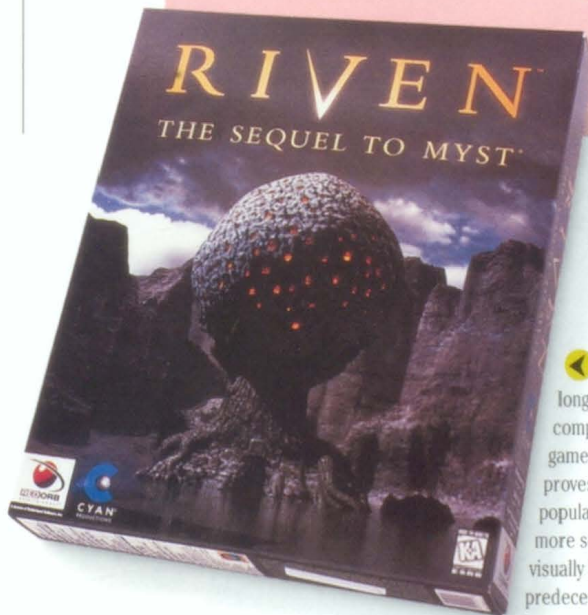


Premier Laser Systems, Inc.



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



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

flash

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

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



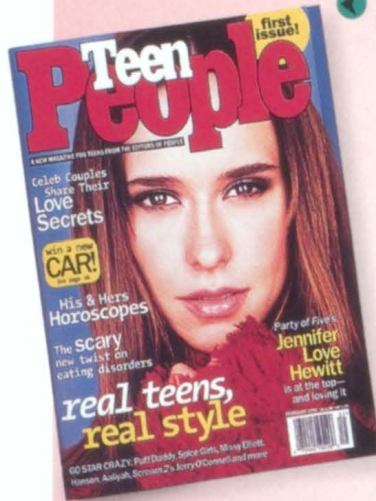
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▶ French oceanographer and award-winning filmmaker Jacques Cousteau dies in June at 87. His work gained renown through the popular television series "The Undersea World of Jacques Cousteau."

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Lifestyle



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



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



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



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



AP/Wide World



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

flash

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

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



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



AP/Wide World

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

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



Christian Dior

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

General Motors



Softer Hairstyle

Smaller Chest

Larger Waist

Smaller Hips



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



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



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



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



Karl Steinbrenner

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

flash

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

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



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



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

Entertainment NEWS

ABC from the Kobal Collection



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

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

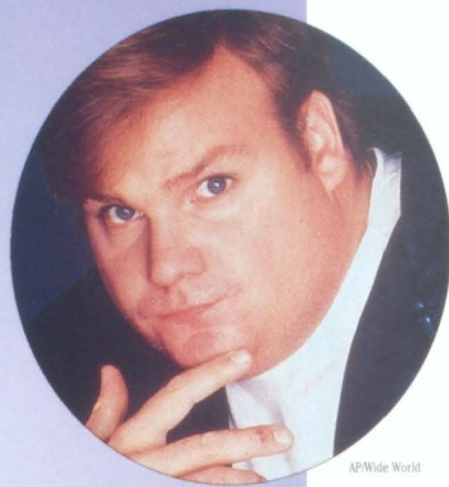


Universal Studios, Inc., from Shooting Star



Gino Milvad, Shooting Star

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



AP/Wide World

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

Columbia/Mandaly from the Kobal Collection



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

flash

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

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



Fox from Shooting Star

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



Dimension Films from the Kobal Collection

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



Dreamworks Pictures from Shooting Star

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

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

CBS Entertainment from Shooting Star



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



Fox/Paramount from Shooting Star

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



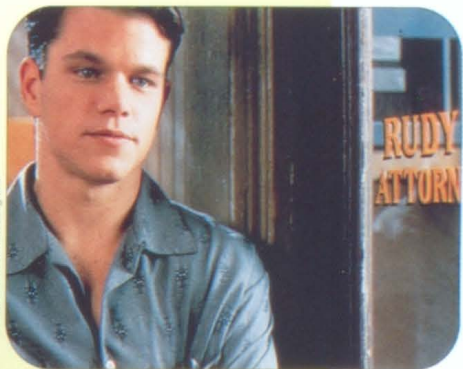
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▶ Michael Flatley's pulsating show "Lord of the Dance" fuels the extraordinary popularity of Irish dance. The show tours 15 cities in the U.S. through October.

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



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Paramount from Shooting Star

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



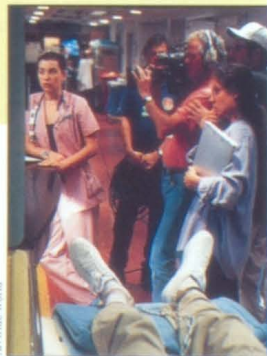
Columbia TriStar from Shooting Star

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

flash

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

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



AP/Wide World

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

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MUSIC TRENDS



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

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



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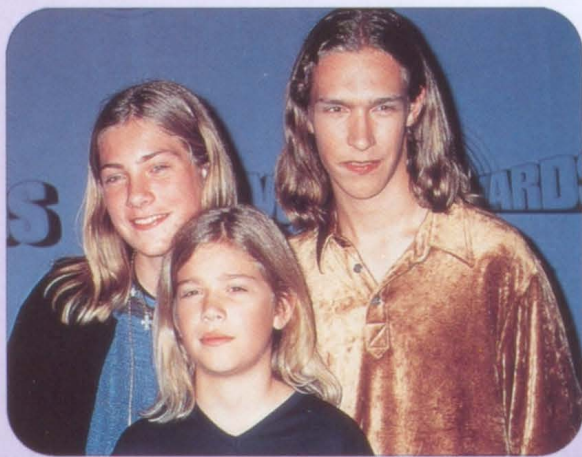
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▲ Rap artist the Notorious B.I.G. is killed in a March 1997 drive-by shooting in Los Angeles. He is posthumously awarded MTV's 1997 Best Rap Video Award for "Hypnotize" and is named *Spin* magazine's Artist of the Year.



Jay Blakesberg, Retna



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

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

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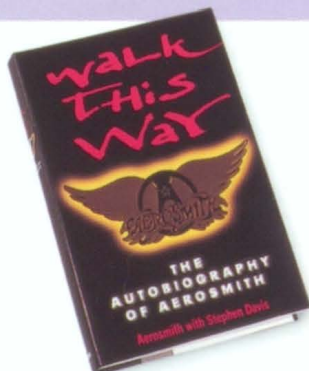
Drummer Bill Berry leaves R.E.M. after 17 years with the popular rock group. R.E.M. plans to continue as a trio.

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

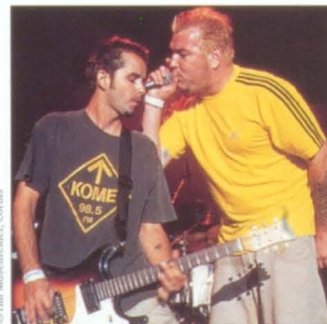


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▲ Country music superstar Garth Brooks releases *Sevens*, his first album in two years. The album sells 800,000 copies the first week.



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



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

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

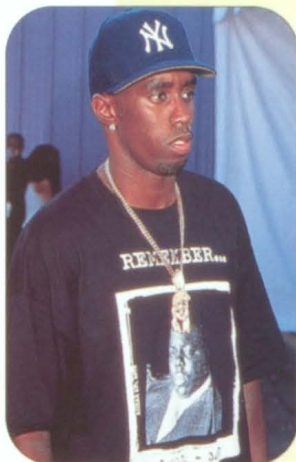
Ron Davis, Shooting Star



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

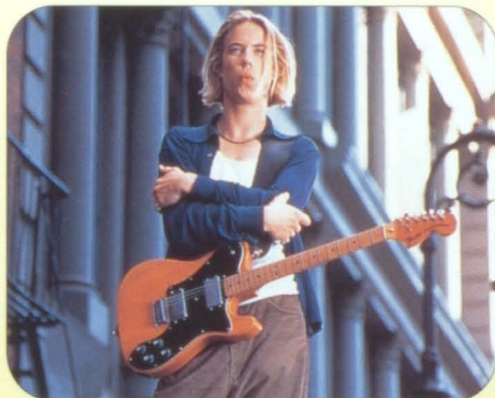


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- ▶ Third Eye Blind, after several years in San Francisco's underground music scene, goes big time in 1997. Their song "Semi-Charmed Life" is listed as the top-selling modern rock single for 1997 in *Billboard* magazine.

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

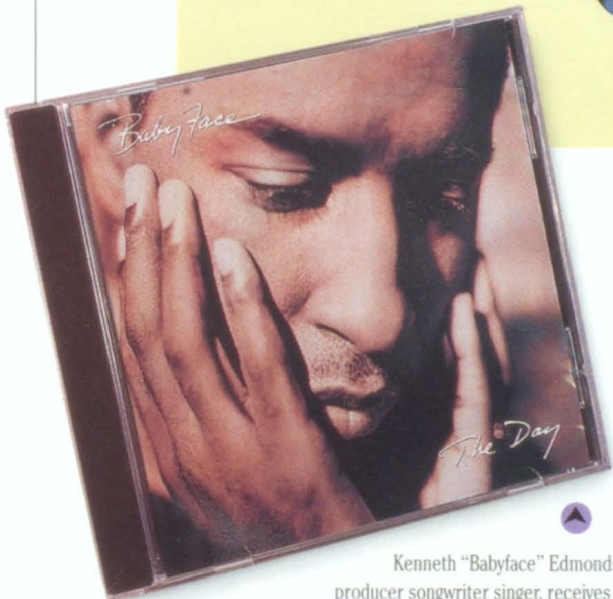
- ▶ Sixteen-year-old R&B phenom Jonny Lang opens for the Rolling Stones' fall tour and spends 16 weeks at No. 1 on *Billboard*'s blues chart with his album *Lie to Me*.



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

flash

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

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

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

Sports News



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

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

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



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

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



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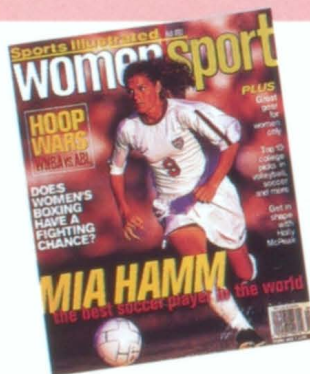
Swedish golfing phenomenon Annika Sorenstam, 26, tops the LPGA earnings list in 1997 with a record \$1,236,789.

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



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



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



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

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

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

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

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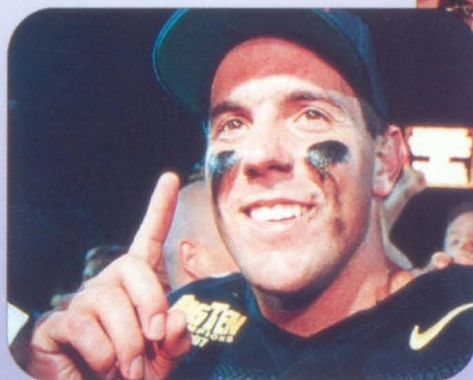
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▶ Nagano, Japan, hosts the 1998 Winter Olympic Games during February. Three new medal sports make their Olympic debut: curling, snowboarding and women's ice hockey.

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



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

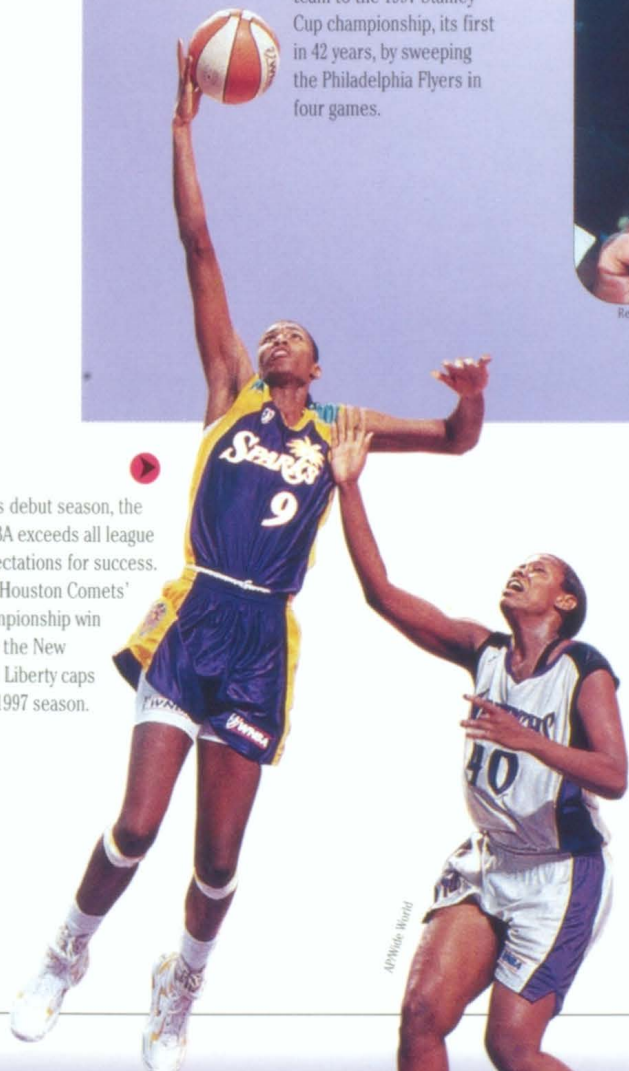
Mark McGwire, of the St. Louis Cardinals, slams 52 homers in 1996 and 58 in 1997. McGwire becomes only the second player in baseball history with back-to-back, 50-home-run seasons, the other being Babe Ruth.



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

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



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Faces NEWS



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

Shooting Star

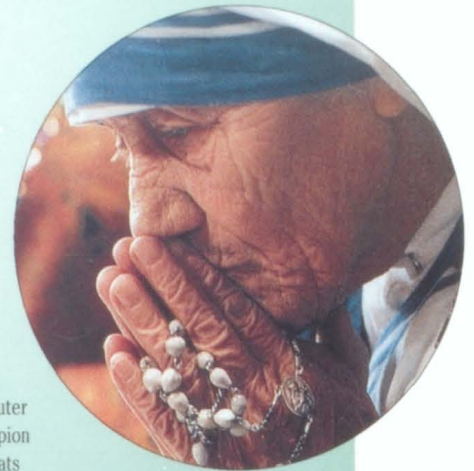


Beloved actor Jimmy Stewart dies in July at 89. Stewart's enduring nice-guy popularity is exemplified by *It's a Wonderful Life*, his 1946 movie that is now an American cultural icon.

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



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J.T. MacMillan, San Diego Union-Tribune

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



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

flash

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

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



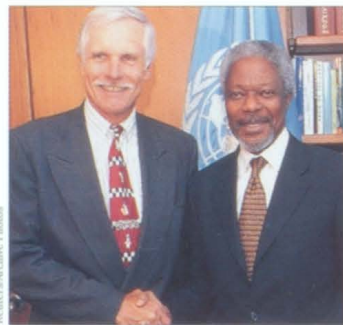
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Sarah Ferguson, Duchess of York, appears in ads as a spokesperson for Weight Watchers International. She is the former wife of England's Prince Andrew.



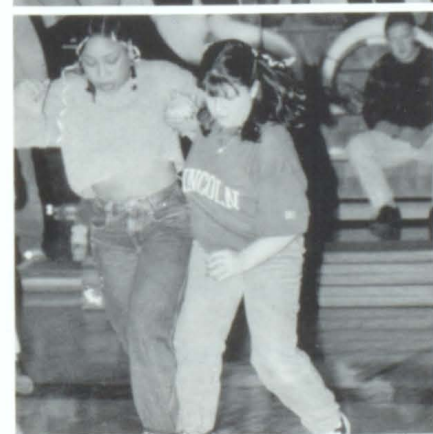
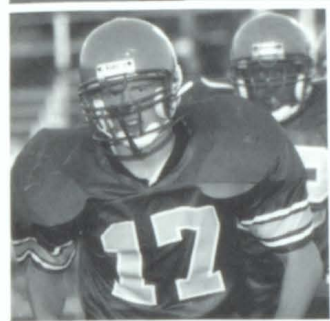
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American Jody Williams and the International Campaign to Ban Land Mines are awarded the 1997 Nobel Peace Prize in October. The U.S. and China refuse to sign an international treaty that would ban land mines.



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



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Uncle Tony, Samantha & Tony.



Congratulations Tamara!

We are very proud of you and all of your accomplishments. Continue to set your goals high and you will succeed in whatever you decide to do in the future.

Good Luck!

Love,
Dad and Mom



Casey,

We've come a long way together and I'm very proud of you!

Love, Mom

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Good luck In College!

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Congratulations Sarah!

You have always made us so proud. Best of luck in all you do. Here she comes E.M.U.

*Love,
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Amanda,

May your future be as bright as the light you have brought into our lives.

**Love,
Mom, Dad & Michael**



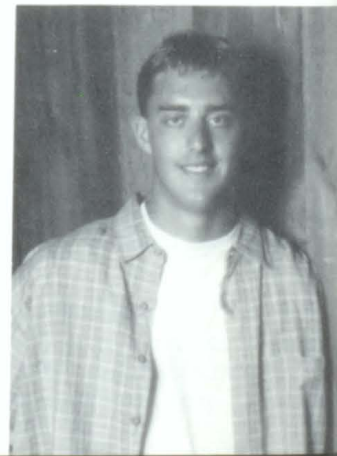
Julie,
We will always think of you as our "Little Girl."
We Love You!
Mom, Dad & Brian



Nathan,

Eighteen years ago we felt truly blessed with your birth. We had no idea just how much joy you would bring into our lives. Watching you grow and the wonderful memories you have given us are priceless. How fortunate we feel to be a part of your life. With the type of young man you have grown into, your future holds so much. One word best sums up how we feel about you "Proud."

Love, Mom & Dad





Congratulations Sarah & Gennifer!!

Sarah,

The first time that you wore this nightgown I teared up, it was the first time that I realized you were growing up. Now here it is your graduation day and I tear up with pride. Pride that you have grown into a wonderful person. A person who cares about others, looks at all the positive in all situations, and possesses a great sense of humor. May these attributes stay with you always as you continue your journey of life.

Love Ya Bunches,
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*Eighteen years ago on a cold January day
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 But she was only a few hours old
 When she stopped breathing, you see,
 And without giving a thought to anything else
 I dropped to my knees
 I asked God to let me keep her
 And I would never leave her alone
 She would always be loved and have a safe home
 So he let me keep her and my love for her grows stronger
 With each passing day.
 So to keep my promise to God, listen to these words that I say
 I will always be there beside her until our time on earth comes
 to an end
 Because she is more than just my daughter
 She is also my very Best Friend*



*We love you Manda,
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Love,
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Erin,
Music is your life, the
rest is just a rehearsal.

Love,
Mom, John & Sarah

Congratulations
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Love,
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Brandy, Nikki,
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Lianna,

It has been a long road for 18 years for us. We have seen you grow from a timid and shy girl to a very outspoken young lady. You are a very determined person who will not let anything stand in your way.

Congratulations on your graduation. We are proud of you and we are behind you in whatever you do. May God be with you and help you along in your endeavors. We hope you find happiness in your future and in your life. We love you and we will always be there whenever you need us.

Love always,

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I'd like to have a little girl who smiled at me throughout the day
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 And with a personality of heavens springtime charms.
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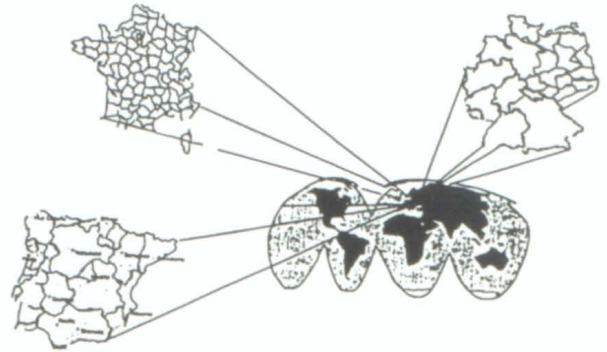
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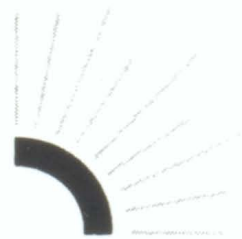
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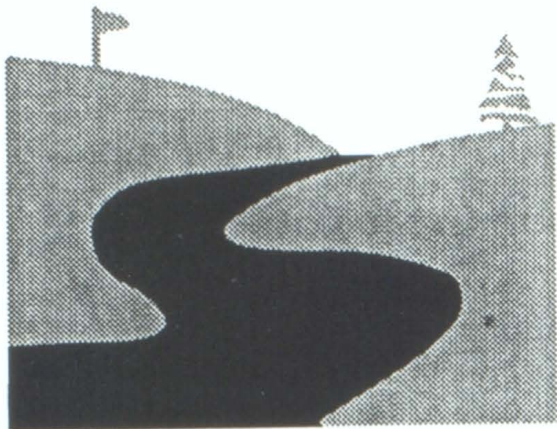
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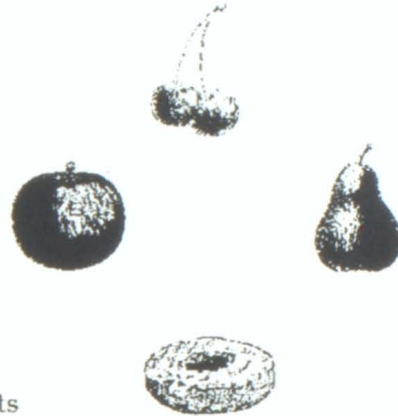
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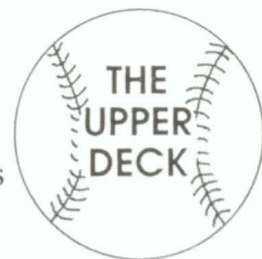
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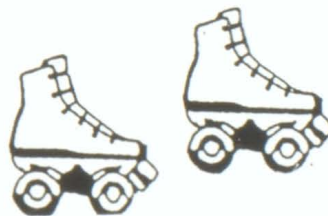
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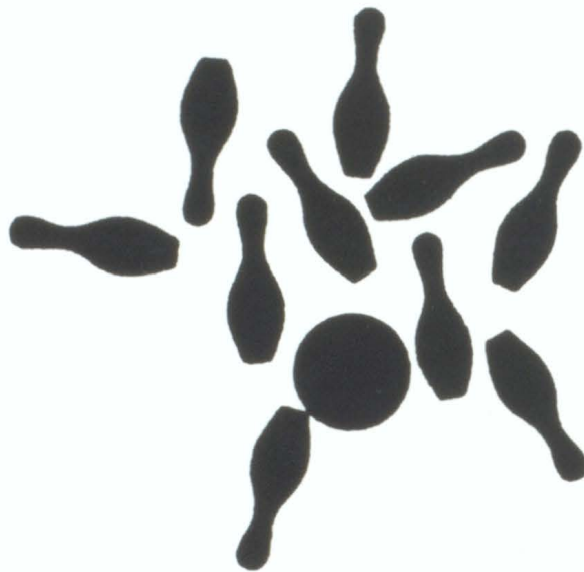


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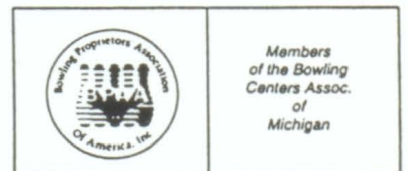
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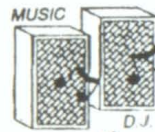
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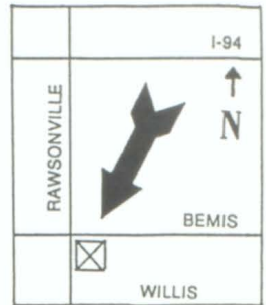
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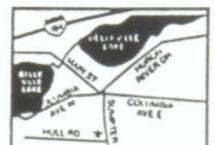


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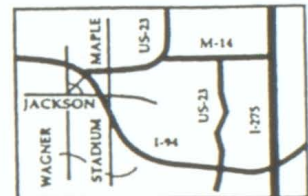
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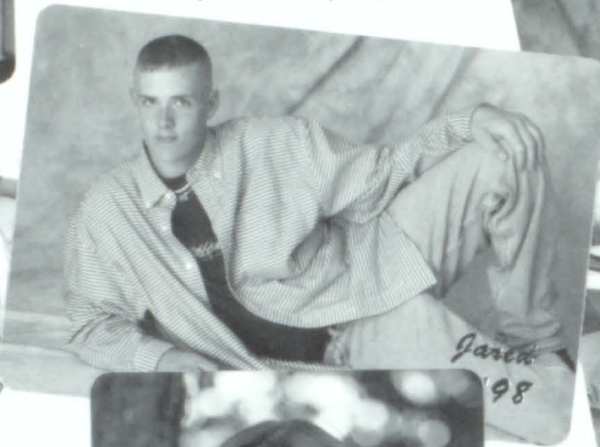
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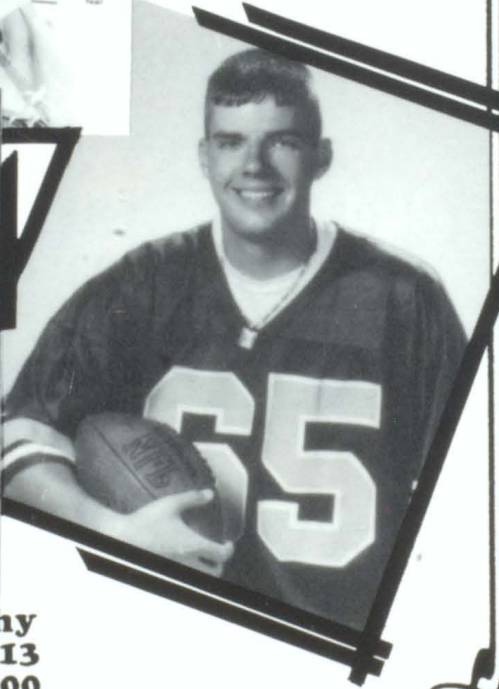
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