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FUN
This year's Homecoming theme was Octoberfest! Many students and faculty participated in the dress-up days which were: Pumpkin Day, on Monday; Blast From the Past, on Tuesday; Creatures of the Night, on Wednesday; and Chief Pride on Thursday. The annual all-day assembly was a great success. Some highlights during the day were Alter Idem playing a few songs, and the Ms. Colon Pageant, in which Chad Niblock, was crowned Ms. Colon 1997! At lunch the car smash took place. The car was really smashed! The junkyard wouldn't even take it! Many competitions were held, including hall decorating. The winners were the Seniors, followed by the Juniors, Freshmen, and Sophomores. To finish out this short but fun week, Shanna Plank and Dustin Fenner were crowned Queen and King.

- CHOMP, CHOMP — Senior Jeff Carlisle and Junior Shawn Moore chow down three doughnuts in no time flat!

- SMILIN' — Mrs. Keyer is daydreaming about her all time favorite singer, Prince, and chanting "Eighties rock!"

- WORKIN' HARD — Junior Michelle Rickett is working hard for Hall Decorating.

- WRAP IT UP — Sophomores Syntha Zapata, Kristen Johnson, and Jessica Lintz wrap up Shelli Niblock in the relay.

- STRENGTH SHOW — Junior Jeremy Walker and freshman Gary Bates show some strength.
EMOTIONAL QUEEN, CALM KING — Senior Shanna Plank and Dustin Fenner.

Quotes — What did you like most about Homecoming this year?
"The Ms. Colon Pageant. I helped contribute to their ... beauty!"
Amy Whetstone ’98
"I would have to say the assembly because there weren’t any classes."
Jessica Ramsey ’00

HEAVE HO — Senior Andy Joseph pounds away.

INJURED BUT BEAUTIFUL — Senior Chad Hiblock is crowned Ms. Colon.
The Seniors dominated Powder Puff '97. Even though the juniors put up a good fight, it wasn't enough for the victory. The final score was 14-6. At the half, it was 6-0 in favor of the Seniors with a touchdown scored by Alicia Nickell. But in the second half, Jami Niblock scored for the Juniors. In overtime, a touchdown and conversion by Jessica Macias gave the seniors the WIN!

- **SLURP!** — Senior Powder Puffer Megan Ford takes a time-out for some H2O supplied by the senior cheerleaders.

- **STANDING TALL** — Brandon Zipser, Kevin Salisbury, Jeff Carlisle, and Nick Schmidtendorf make a human pyramid to excite the crowd.

- **WATCH OUT!** — Junior Kendra Salisbury intimidates the seniors with evil war face.

- **NUMBER 11** — The senior girls pose for a victory shot after delivering the final blow to the junior Powder Puffers.

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8 Powder Puff
MACERANA — The lovely junior cheerleaders look like they are trying to make up a new dance.

Coaches' Views —
Mr. Schy — "All the girls played real hard, but the right team won."
Ms. Boyer — "I don't think it's safe to play tackle football without pads on!"

Cheerleaders' Views —
Rick Schmidtendorff — "The junior cheerleaders were ugly, but Demas was looking good!"
Kevin Salisbury — "We gave the Seniors a clear advantage, that's why they won!"

FRIENDS — Juniors Jami Niblock and Heidi Parker share a winning smile.

READY TO RUMBLE — Senior Destiny Smith is anxious to go in and kick some butt!

HUH? — Senior coach Mr. Schy displays his usual expression after the conclusion of the game.

JUNIORS
Winterfest 1998 wasn't as cold with the "Tahitian Sunrise" theme. To start off this short but fun week, Wednesday was shades day, Thursday was "wear a lei day", and Friday was Tahitian dress-up day. There were many fun activities throughout the week. Overall, Mrs. Jarrad's class won the spirit week. The assembly was commenented by Mike Styles from WMSH in Three Rivers. To conclude, senior Brandon Zipser and sophomore Margaret Bush were crowned prince and princess. The dance after the game had a good turnout, with Pure Energy as the DJ's.
ROYALTY — Senior Brandon Zipser and sophomore Margaret Bush are crowned prince and princess for Winterfest.

PLAYIN' HOOPS IN THE GYM — Senior Erin Scott and freshman Dan Ledden play one on one.

DECKED OUT — Senior Brandon Zipser is ready for a Tahitian party, oh yeah!

MAKE MY DAY — Senior Megan Ford and 10th grader Jason Caudill play hard.
The Winterfest Lip Sync was filled with many exciting surprises this year. All the students enjoyed the performances of Cemetery Gates, Wannabe, Mickey, Men In Black, Loco, Hakuna Matata, Baby Got Back, This Love, and The Time Warp. The overall winner of the Lip Sync was Wannabe by the Spice Girls, performed by Kent Fletcher, Tyson Fletcher, Jason Littlefield, Aaron Bontrager, and Adam Maisel. Baby Got Back came in second, while Men In Black took third. The students who participated in the Lip Sync all did a fantastic job! Overall, the Lip Sync of 1998 was another huge success.

*SPICY—Juniors Kent Fletcher and Jason Littlefield, Sophomores Tyson Fletcher and Aaron Bontrager, and Senior Adam Maisel win the Lip Sync with "Wannabe."

*SINGIN'—Junior Jessica Papke does an excellent performance in "The Time Warp" from the movie The Rocky Horror Picture Show.

*JAMMIN'—Senior Pat Popour really gets into his rendition of "This Love" by Pantera.

*GROOVY—Sophomore Margaret Bush is all smiles during her "Men In Black" routine. She and the rest of the Student Council took third place.
SERENADE — Sophomore Joel Edds sings his heart out to "New Age Girl" during the "Baby Got Back" routine.

DANCING AWAY — The Student Council goes all out as they dance to "Men In Black." Nice outfits!

SCARY — Junior Bob Mathlak and Junior Leonard Bauder get a little crazy as they perform "Loco" by Coal Chamber.

FUNKY — Sophomore Aaron Bontrager and Senior Adam Maisel do their impression of the Spice Girls, getting them first place!

CUTE — Junior Jason Littlefield and Sophomore Tyson Fletcher dressed up as Timon and Pumba when they did "Hakuna Matata."
After school — it’s when the fun starts. You go to work, go to practice, or just have a good time. Of course, then you have to do your homework. But then there are some people who don’t even do that! What do you do after school? Whether it’s running the halls, cruising around town, lifting weights, or getting some cash flow, after school is when your day begins.

CHEESE! — Senior Hope Witmer smiles for the camera as she is caught doing work for Mrs. Gates after school in the computer room.

CLANG! — Senior Shawn Sharpe and Alfonso Olivieri wait for a rebound during practice.

WHO? ME? — Junior Courtney Hughes smiles innocently as she is caught roaming the halls.

I’LL PUMP YOU UP! — English teacher, Mr. Schy, demonstrates how to do the “correct” arm pull during weight lifting after school.

WASTELAND — The baseball fields look pretty bleak after school, but because of the various enhancements and features, it gives promise to being a great place to play sports in the spring.

CRAM, CRAM, CRAM — Junior Jerry Demoss stuffs his locker with books after school as he gets ready to head for the parking lot.
Mike Harrison — Gr. 10
"My favorite thing to do after school is to eat while jamming in my room, then gets Mom's car and pick up some friends and have a good ol' time."

Jeremiah Demoss — Gr. 11
"Usually after school I study the Bible and its worldly applications."

Kathleen Hooker — Gr. 12
"After school, I like to go for walks with my Mom and our dogs."

WHATZ UP? — Senior Emilio Zapata stops for a manly pose as he heads out to cause trouble after school.

• WHAT?! — Senior Heather Shafer asks, "What are you doing?", as she runs the balls with senior Stacy Pierson for condition after school.

• AW, DO YOU HAVE A BOO-BOO? — Sports trainer, Mr. Shoppell, makes junior Kent Fletcher feel "all better" for basketball practice.

• DOES IT HURT? — Freshman Scott Johnson shows that when he lifts weights after school, he could get some pretty big guns: well, almost.

• DO YOU SMELL SOMETHING? — Senior Dustin Fenner pauses to tie his shoes before practice after school.
What is more romantic than a "Moonrise over the Mountains", which was the theme of our 1998 Junior/Senior prom held on April 25th. Many people showed up to enjoy the fun, friends, and music supplied by Pure Energy. Prom isn’t just for the romantic at heart but for friends who want to have a good time. The students voted for this year’s royal court which is as follows: Prince and Princess were Jacob Dobblesstein and Heidi Parker, the King and Queen are Shawn Sharpe and Shanna Plank.

#WAITING PATIENTLY — Prom goers are dressed to the nines as they eagerly await their moment in the spotlight during the Grand March.
AWW — Seniors Jay O'Dell and Destiny Smith cuddle as they dance under the canopy.

DANCIN' MACHINE — Junior Kent Fletcher tears it up on the dance floor to Sir Mixalot's "Jump On It."

WHAT A GENTLEMAN — Junior Chris Bowman politely tips his hat as he dances the night away.
MIDDLE SCHOOL

Life in the Middle School wing may seem a little strange, but the middle school students sure don’t see it that way. For instance, they have fun with their own dress-up days, assemblies, and many other things that aren’t included with the High School. Even the teachers have something funny to do for special occasions like dressing up for the Super Bowl and Halloween. For each day of these weeks there was a different costume. There were also assemblies for the Middle School. The Seventh graders even beat the teachers at a game of volleyball at one assembly! The Middle School does many of their own activities in their own little world in the wing. They are always having fun and hanging out together. So maybe spending some time in the carpeted hallway isn’t that bad after all!

- **PEACE DUDE!** — 8th graders April Halter and Shanell Swinehart.
- **TWISTER** — 7th graders Jason Weaver, Adam Czajkowski, and John Swan get tangled up.
- **TWO WITCHES** — The Middle School Halloween dress-up.
- **CUTE** — Kandace Witek and Shanell Swinehart.
- **M&M** — Cortney Miller and Rachael Howard
- **YUM** — 7th graders Nichol Porter and Molly Bush.

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**ACTIVITIES**

- **MUMMY** — 8th grader Matt Zander gets all wrapped up.

- **SPIRIT** — 8th grader Tricia Baba shows her spirit by painting her face.

- **BEDTIME** — 7th graders Daneca Boyer and Sara Anglemyer in pajamas.

- **SMILEY** — 8th graders are having fun at an assembly.

- **SCARY** — 7th grader Nichol Porter shows spirit by dressing as an M&M.

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Most Athletic
Shawn Sharpe & Heather Shafer

Best Dressed
Ryan Speicher & Shanna Plank

Class Clown
Emilio Zapata & Megan Ford

Always Late
Nick Schmidelendorf & Erin Scott

Most Outgoing
Shawn Sharpe & Shanna Plank

Friendliest
Brandon Zipser & Shanna Plank

Loudest
Brandon Zipser & Shannon Scott

Most Likely to Succeed
Jon Lockwood & Courtney Lang

Most Talkative
Brandon Zipser & Megan Ford

Best Smile
Ryan Speicher & Stacey Pierson

Class Flirt
Shawn Sharpe & Megan Ford

Best Physique/ Figure
Jon Walker & Niki Parsons

Quietest
Kim Currier & Nick Hakala

Most Lovable
Scott Lock & Shanna Plank

Gentleman/Lady
Holli Miller & Sheldon Jackson

Most Dependable
Destiny Smith & Jon Lockwood

Most Naive
Jeff Carlisle & Erin Scott

Best Hair
Jon Walker & Katrina Terui
Most Desirable Date
Jon Walker & Niki Parsons

Class Pest
Nick Yoder & Erin Scott

Class Optimist
Kevin Salisbury & Holli Miller

Most Unique
Chris Scamehorn & Alicia Nickell

Class Brain
Jon Lockwood & Megan Ford

Class Socialite
Brandon Zipser & Shanna Plank

Class Rebel
Jimmy Littlefield & Alicia Nickell

Best Personality
Dustin Fenner & Shanna Plank

Most Inquisitive
Kevin Salisbury & Megan Ford

Teacher's Pet
Jon Lockwood & Megan Ford

Most School Spirit
Brandon Zipser & Amy Whetstone

Best Leader
Kevin Salisbury & Michelle Maynulet

Prettiest Eyes
Ryan Speicher & Heather Shafer

Class Gossips
Brandon Zipser & Jenny Jones

Class Bullies
Shannon Scott & Chad Niblock

Class Pessimist
Tricia Dressler & Nick Yoder

Class Musician
Courtney Lang & Kevin Salisbury

Best Sense of Humor
Megan Ford & Emilio Zapata
Another year has come to an end. The Class of 1998 had their final graduation ceremony on June 7. Class President Jessica Macias, Valedictorian Megan Ford, and Salutatorian Courtney Lang gave speeches. This year the class flower was the Red Rose. “It’s So Hard To Say Goodbye” by Boyz II Men was the Class Song. The Class Colors were Red and Black. The Class Officers for 1998 were Jessica Macias, President; Kevin Salisbury, Vice President; Kasey Verow, Secretary; and Shannon Scott, Treasurer. The Seniors received their diplomas and said goodbye to White Pigeon High School. All in all, it was a sad day for the Seniors, but also a very memorable one.

*CLOWNING AROUND — Pat Popour spent this last minute clowning around before graduation.

*LAST MOMENTS — The 125th senior class applauds during their address from the class president.

*PRESIDENT’S ADDRESS — Class President Jessie Macias gives her final address to her fellow classmates before they depart.

*LOST IN THOUGHT — Adam Maisel reflects on his past four years of WPHS before the seniors take their seats.
CLASS OF 1998

• ALMOST — Jon Walker, Tara Waite, and Nick Yoder get ready to go out for the procession.

• HARMONY — Destiny Smith sings "Go with a Song in Your Heart" with passion.

• LIFE JUST ISN'T — Megan Ford gives her speech as Valedictorian.

• EXCITED — Melinda Bowers is smiling as she gets ready for graduation.

• SALUTATORIAN — Courtney Lang addresses the class of 1998 with her magnificent speech about growing up.

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GRADUATION

❖ I'M OUTTA HERE — Joe Preis walks down the stairs with his diploma and thinks back to all the memories he had at White Pigeon.

❖ FRIENDS FOREVER — Jenny Jones and Megan Ford share encouraging thoughts with each other before graduation.

❖ ALL SMILES — Courtney Lang gives a big smile before the graduation ceremony.

❖ CLASS OF 1998 — The Senior Class stands together for the last time while trying to fight back their tears during their graduation ceremony.

❖ JUST HAPPY — Scott Lock is just a little happy to have graduated high school and now is ready for what the real world has to offer him. GOOD LUCK!

❖ I FINALLY MADE IT — Nick Schmittendorff gives a smile as he realizes he won't have anymore homework after today.

❖ TAKING THE FINAL WALK — Kathy Eckert sadly walks down the aisle to her seat.
ALMOST TIME — The look on Chris Hostetler's face shows the world that he is ready to graduate.

GIVE ME A HUG — Jessica Maclas and Amanda Smith share the happiness of graduation together by giving each other a hug.

LET'S GET THIS THING STARTED — Amy York and Kim Currier wait patiently in the hall for graduation to begin.

STANDING TALL — Lucas Wisel stands proud as he graduates high school.

MELLOW — Ryan Johnson expresses the calm side of his emotions.

RISING TO THE TOP — Hope Witmer gives her best smile as she's almost out the door.
Beyond White Pigeon

The Florida Marlins became major league baseball’s world champions in 1997, beating the Cleveland Indians in the World Series. Just five years old, the Marlins tied the Indians in the ninth inning of the seventh game and went on to win it all in the eleventh inning with a score of 3-2.

First Lady Hillary Clinton turned 50 on October 26, 1997. She was the most famous of the female Baby Boomers. During her husband’s first term as president, Hillary took a leading role in health-care reform.

John Denver, whose optimistic songs catapulted him to fame during the 1970’s, died instantly when his experimental plane crashed into Monterey Bay in California on October 12, 1997. The 53-year old singer had eight platinum records to his credit when his homebuilt plane crashed. “Rocky Mountain High” and “Sunshine on My Shoulders” were two of his trademark songs. “His music sprang from his feelings of love,” said Hal Than, his longtime manager.

The eleven songs on “This Fire,” Paula Cole’s top-selling album, overflow with personal emotions and autobiographical details. As one critic said: “This Fire announces the arrival of a writer, singer and musician of exceptional talent and power. It is filled with shockingly bold writing and singing that is gentle and whispering at one end of the pendulum and vicious at the other.” Paula grew up in Rockport, a small Massachusetts town with a strong artistic influence.
# Best Selling Albums

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In one of the most competitive games in Super Bowl history, John Elway and Terrell Davis led the Denver Broncos to a 31-24 upset of the Green Bay Packers in Super Bowl XXXII. The Broncos' first national Football League Championship ended the American conference's 13-year losing streak in the Super Bowl.

The Verve Pipe is an incredible rock/pop/alternative band from East Lansing, MI. Their first single, "Photograph," received a lot of air time and became a fairly big hit. But its success cannot be compared to their latest single, "The Freshman." That song enjoyed time at number one on the Billboard chart. The Verve Pipe carved their own niche in the music world.
Beyond White Pigeon

Top 10 Singles

1. Four Seasons of Loneliness...Boyz II Men
2. Honey...Mariah Carey
3. You Make Me Wanna...Usher
4. How Do I Live...Leann Rimes
5. Quit Playing Games...Backstreet Boys
6. Mo Money Mo Problems...The Notorious B.I.G.
7. Semi-Charmed Life...Third Eye Blind
8. 2 Become 1...Spice Girls
9. I'll Be Missing You...Puff Daddy & Faith Evans
10. Foolish Games...Jewel

September 1997

"Tidal" is 10 timeless songs. This Golden album by Fiona Apple spent more than a year on Billboard’s best-selling chart. "My album is called 'Tidal' because all this success has hit me like a tidal wave, but also because tidal refers to ebbing and flowing and that’s really what life is, a constant ebb and flow."

The WNBA completed its inaugural season with the Houston Comets defeating the New York Liberty for the Championship. And as the season came to a close, the WNBA announced that the eight-team league would grow to 10 teams in 1998.

Garth Brooks’ entrance into the world of country music wasn’t as easy as it looked. He graduated from college and headed for Nashville to follow in the footsteps of his musical hero, George Strait. His first efforts met with total failure. Now he is a hit and his recent concert in Central Park in New York City attracted hundreds of thousands of fans.

President Bill Clinton was the first Democratic president in 60 years to be elected to a second term. A centrist New Democrat, he transformed his once beleaguered party. Under his Presidency, the United States enjoyed the lowest rate of inflation since the early 1960’s, and he was the first president in 17 years to submit a balanced budget to Congress.
1. The Devil’s Own  
2. Donnie Brasco  
3. Sling Blade  
4. Dante’s Peak  
5. Murder at 1600  
6. Absolute Power  
7. Scream  
8. Crash  
9. Father’s Day  
10. Inventing the Abbotts  

As of September 1997

Britian and the world bid farewell to Diana, Princess of Wales, on a sparkling September morning with a grand tribute rich in pageantry. Since her death in a car crash in Paris a week before, the country had witnessed an astonishing outpouring of grief that forced a repentant monarchy to join in the kind of full celebration of Diana's life that the millions of people who flooded into London demanded. Her sons, William, 15, and Harry, 12, stood in attendance, joined by their father, Prince Charles and her older brother, Earl Spencer, as her body was taken into Westminster Abbey. Millions packed the city for the funeral of Diana. It was a crowd unmatched since the end of World War II.

Mother Teresa was among the most well known and highly respected women in this century. In 1984 she founded a religious order of Roman Catholic nuns. Through this order, she dedicated her life to helping the needy around the world. Her selfless work brought her many awards, including the Nobel Peace Prize in 1979. She died at the age of 87 on September 5, 1997 of heart failure at her convent in Calcutta.

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Beyond Normal
People
CLASS OF 2003

Elicia Alexander
Nyriyen Baker
Adam Barnes
Bobbi Bates
Tonsia Bernet
Nicholas Bigelow
Daneeca Boyer

Jacob Brown
Carolyn Bryant
Mollie Bush
Crystal Carpenter
Billy Carper
Crystal Chapman
Timothy Chew

Jacob Clark
Rachel Cooper
Jessica Crossgrove
Adam Czajkowski
Christopher Demar
Ryan Deemerly
Joshua Edds

Mathew Gates
Steven Gates
Heather Girard
Derek Ginton
Megan Gosling
Jonathon Graves
Jeremy Groves

Katie Harmon
Nyle Harmon
Michael Hesper
Amber Horrell
Rachel Howard
Christopher Janasz
Danielle Jaszcz

Cassandra Jones
David Keenan
Jennifer Kelly
Scott Kemp
Joshua Kerschner
Matthew Kline
Eric Leeth

Austen Lehman
David Lockwood
Brooke Lowery
Sara McDonald
Brigida Merritt
Courtney Miller
Michael Nixon

Emily Mullins
Aaron Nault
Nathan Nichols
Adam Nolan
Shanna O'Connor
Michael O'Rourke
Ashley Pankey

Christina Parmer
Aaron Peterson
Nicholas Porter
Crystal Price
Robert Pyne
Danielle Randall
Ryan Rentfrow
Top 10 Things That We Miss About Elementary Are:

1. Teachers
2. Nothing
3. Recess
4. Easy work
5. Friends in the same room
6. Being the oldest
7. Having desks
8. PE all the time
9. Free time
10. Being able to walk the halls
Top 5 Things That Scare Us About Going To High School Are:

1. Getting swirlies
2. Having too much homework
3. Getting into fights
4. Getting lost
5. Being with other high school kids
Beyond Junior High

Andy Rockwell
Jennifer Rosson
Joseph Sadofson
Buddy Scarberry
Ryan Sevens
Jessica Shepherd
Jacob Shuleil

Susan Shupp
Jeanette Sloan
Nicholas Smith
John Stallard
Thomas Swank
David Tice
Jamie Triston

Tina Tyler
Andrea Vanzile
Stacy Vanzile
Martha Wagner
Chad Wall
Jason Weirich
Brian Westfall

Joseph Wilbur
Jesse Wyman

Not Pictured
William Bunnell
Larry Helmstra
Nicholas Helmstra
William Runnel
Michael Juday
Stephanie Kelley
Alysha Mercer
Adam Moore
Brittany Schuring
Amber Wright

9th Grade Mugs 37
Almost Normal

Jessica Papke
Heidi Parker
Kent Fletcher
Joshua Price
Michelle Rickett
Charles Saffo
Nandita Salisbury

Adam Salyer
David Sassoaman
Adam Schrader
Tara Schmacher
Jeremy Smith
Serenice Snyder
Johnnie Stevens

Jenna Tavernier
Latasha Towers
Jessica Wagner
Jeremy Walker
Patthans Walters
Timothy Warren
Michael Waumans

Shelly Weldy
Cathi White
Rebecca White
Raquel Zasadzinski

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Amber Esarey
Lucas Mosher
Justin Nichols
Isahah Shudell
Marcus Waltke
Tyson Wise

11th Grade 41
Seniors 1998

.... Beyond It All!
Chris Hostetler
Christopher Hostetler

Sheri Howe
Sheila Jackson
Sheilton Jackson
Ryan Johnson

Jennifer Jones
Jennifer Jones
Andrew Joseph
Courtney Lang
Wendi S. Lego

Jim Littlefield, Jr.
Scott Lock
Jon Lockwood
Jessica Macias

Class Colors
Kevin Salisbury
Victoria Sawyer
Christopher Scamehorn
Nicholas Schmidtendorff
Erin Kelly Scott
Shannon Scott
Heather Shafer
Shawn Sharpe
Nicole Sigler
Heather Slusher
Amanda Smith
Destiny Smith

Class Song
It's So Hard to Say Goodbye to Yesterday
by Boyz II Men
CONGRATULATIONS
SENIORS

Brandon Zipser

TOP TEN

Megan  Courtney  Holli  Jon  Michelle
Ford  Lang  Miller  Lockwood  Maynulet

Class Motto

The memories we've shared,
The times we've had together,
They will stay with us always,
--goodbye is not forever.
Kyle Griffith  Kyle, We love you Uncle Bubba. Love, Mom, Dad, & Kari

Heather Shafer  Heather, We are very proud of you. Good luck in whatever you do! Love, Dan & Mom

Megan Ford  Megan, We are so very proud of you. Keep on smiling & aiming for all your goals in life. Your effort & perseverance will be worth it. Love, Mom & Dad

Lucas Wisel  Lucas, May the future hold all that you hope for. We are very proud of you. Love, Mom, Louie, Tracy, Bryan Grandma, & Grandpa H.

Nick Yoder  Congratulations Nick, This seems like only 15 minutes ago. We love you. Mom & Dad

Chad Niblock  Chad, Thanks for being the son you are. We’re proud of you.

Nikki Hill  Nikki, You always made the right moves & you got yourself through. We are so proud! We love you, Mom & Bill

Natasha Greer  Natasha, At 1 yr. old, waiting for the Easter Bunny. Boy, she sure was proud of her dress & bonnet. She was all smiles that day. Now you are going to graduate with a smile too. I love you, honey. Congratulations, you did it. Love, Mom

Michelle Maynulet  Congratulations Michelle. I am so very proud of the sweet, sensitive, caring person that you have grown up to be. Keep your wonderful sense of humor, your warm smile, and stay focused on your goals. Reach for the stars! I know that you can achieve whatever you aim for. I’m always cheering for you. Love, Mom

Vicki Sawyer  Oh, the places we’ve been and the places you’ll go.

Jon Lockwood  What should I be when I grow up? There are so many possibilities! Lots of love, Mom & Dad

Amy Whetstone  Amy, You have had a lot of obstacles in your way. But you never gave up. Always keep your smile, courage and charisma! Love, Mom, Dad & Matt
Destiny Smith

Destiny,
Have you ever
seen a dream walk-
ing? I have in you.
Now dream your
dreams and make
them reality.

Love,
Mom, Rich,
Jeremy, and Valerie

Stacey Pierson

Congratulations
Stacey,
The time went
too fast! You did a
great job and you
made me proud.
Good luck in
whatever you do!

Love,
Mom

Jay O'Dell

Jay,
We are proud and
happy of who you
have become.
Thanks for being
you.

Love,
Mom

Ryan Speicher

Ryan,
It doesn't matter
how big you get,
you'll always be my
little boy! I love you!
Mom

Courtney Lang

From butterball turkey
to bean pole: May your
music take you to places
you only dreamed of.

Love,
Mom and Dad

Sheldon Jackson

We wish you the best
in all that you do. We
love you hon!
Mom, Dad & Jeremy

Emilio Zapata

Emilio
With love, we pray the
best for you.

Mom & Dad

Dustin Fenner

We know Dustin would
say "I'm not coming
back here again."

Love,
Mom, Dad & Derrick

Kevin Sallsbury

Kevin,
Congratulations!
We're very proud of
you.

Love,
Mom, Dad, &
Kendra

Shawn Sharpe

Thank you very
much Shawn.
You've made us
very proud.

Love,
Mom & Dad

Chris Hostetler

Hey Red,
I hope you get ev-
erything you want
out of life. Go for it!

Love,
Mom, Dad & Kim

Ryan Johnson

Ryan,
We are very proud
of you. Good luck &
Best wishes, now
and always.

Love,
Dad, Mom & Kristen
STRETCH YOUR LIMITS
READY TO DISSECT? — Soph. Troy Andrews prepares to dissect a starfish.

FINDING ANYTHING USEFUL? — Soph. Derek Nihart reads through his Biology book to find some info.

THINK IT OVER — Senior Brandon Lehman looks over his work for Biology class.

HAVING FUN! — Some Advanced Biology students have fun dissecting a deer.

LEARNING ANYTHING? — Freshmen Rianne Maisel and Brianne Schuring listen during Science class.

SMILE — 8th grader Trevor Jancaz stops to get his pic. taken.

EXPERIMENTING — Freshman Kari Lauer helps the class by doing an experiment.
GOOD JOB — Junior Tony Crofoot works on his Chemistry.

WORKING HARD — Junior Matt Perky finishes his Chemistry work before the bell rings.

THINKING HARD — Junior Justin Burton concentrates on his Chemistry assignment.

BAD HAIR DAY? — Senior Megan Ford does a hair-raising experiment with electricity during Physics.

GET BACK TO WORK — Junior Creasy Hall finds her book more interesting than her Chemistry homework.

DO I SOUND FUNNY? — Senior Kasey Verow laughs as she listens to her voice through a microphone.

PAYING ATTENTION — Junior Adam Salyer listens closely to the class lecture.
GET ORGANIZED — Junior Latesha Towers tries to organize her papers into some kind of order.

DONE YET? — Eighth grader Patrick Pegan finishes his progress report.

STAYING ON TASK — Freshman Amber Wright tries to stay focused on her assignment. She’s doing a good job.

THINKING HARD — Eighth grader Leticia Bennett tries her hardest to find the answers to problems written on the board.

CONCENTRATE — Freshman Jessica Shepherd is deep in thought about the problem she is working on.

One of the new things at White Pigeon High School is the Chicago Math Series. The new series meets national standards as well as Michigan’s standards. The Math program received all new books. The program also received a new class: Functions, Statistics, and Trigonometry (FST). Mr. Barkley, who is new himself to White Pigeon, teaches FST. Mr. Barkley said, “All of the curriculum is based on teaching kids how to apply and use Math in everyday life.” When Adam Maisel was asked he said, “I feel it’s a lot harder to adjust to that kind of math. It makes me actually think. I like the way it relates things to everyday life. It’s the hardest class that I have ever taken, but I think it will help out in the long run.”
STAYING ALERT — Eighth grader Stephanie Czajowski concentrates on paying attention to a classroom discussion.

TEAM WORK — Junior Brad Bright and eighth grader Loren Huggett work as a team to figure out some Algebra problems.

TEACHING AWAY — Mrs. Poley tries to explain to her eighth graders how to fill out their progress reports.

GETTING STARTED — Sophomore Tyson Fletcher begins figuring out how to do a problem on one of his geometry dittos.

DOING A GOOD JOB — Junior Alanna Mestelle works hard on finishing her assignment before the bell rings.

WORKING HARD — Juniors Adam Schrader and Troy Dunlap work on Geometry.
HISTORY

WAKE UP! — Sophomore Ben Brandli sleeps while Mr. Gropp puts whiteout on his fingernails.

DONE FOR THE HOUR — Sophomores Hans Miller and Justin Clark are finished learning for the hour and are catching up.

GROUP DISCUSSION — Sophomores Quint Burkey, Aaron Bontrager, Brett Cropsey, Sara Weaver and Ryan Baechler discuss their research papers.

WORKING HARD — Freshman Seth Baechler tries to finish his World Cultures homework before the bell rings.

WORKING QUIETLY — Junior Tony Crofoot works silently on his assignment.

FINISHING UP — Fresh. Katie Hol finishes her assignment.
ENGLISH

GROUP WORK — 8th graders Loren Huggett, Andy Stratman, and Nicole Yoquelet work together.

LISTEN CAREFULLY — Junior Sarah McCloskey gets help with her Hist/Eng paper.

TEACHING THE CLASS — Soph. Lindsey Chupp presents her oral report in English class.

BORED? — Senior Andy Joseph looks really tired as he sits through English class.

WHAT? — 8th grader Lea Buscher turns around to see who's taking her pic.

FINDING SOME SOURCES — Soph. Nathan Rivers and Mike Harrison look up some books for their big Hist/Eng research paper.
ART

NEED SOME ADVICE? — Senior Adam Maisel gives his unwanted opinion to Junior Jessica Goodman.

MICHELANGELO EAT YOUR HEART OUT! — Senior Chris Scamehorn shows off his awesome clay sculpture.

LOOK AT THESE SKILLS! — Senior Adam Maisel shows off his art talent by painting a winter scene at the Pigeon Inn.

MATCHING COLORS — Freshman Chris Anthony paints a picture that he has drawn in art class.

CONCENTRATING HARD — Senior Kim Currier concentrates very hard on her art project making sure she doesn’t mess up.
I NEED A BREAK! — Freshman Jeff Gearhart takes a break from all of the hard work during foods class.

CHOW DOWN! — Seventh graders Ryan Demerly, Matt Underwood, and Brandon Shepherd ate their own food to prove it wasn’t poison.

ALMOST DONE — Sophomore Bobbie Aumack waits while the finishing touches are put on her treats in foods class.

LET ME LOOK IT UP — Freshman Jennifer Bowers looks up the recipe for her favorite dish during foods class.

THIS IS HOW IT’S DONE! — Senior Holli Miller shows off her Jell-O to the rest of the class during foods.

FOODS
WHERE IS IT? — Sophomore Ryan Baechler knocked off the head, but just couldn’t seem to get the candy out of the piñata.

HAVING FUN — Soph. Aaron Jazzar, Hans Miller, and Gabe Marshall watch Senior Alfonso Olivari try to knock the piñata down.

DO YOU LIKE IT? — Senora Deller shows off her favorite wardrobe as she teaches her students the Spanish words for clothing.

SMILE BIG! — Sophomore Shelli Niblock smiles during Spanish class.

APRENDIENDO EL ESPANOL

60 Page Sponsored By Senora Deller.
TELL ME MY FUTURE — Sophomore Tonya Williams asks her magic eight ball for the answers in French class.

I'M RIGHT — Sophomore Derek Nihart voices his opinion.

FUNNY STUFF — Sophomore Lindsey Chupp laughs at a joke during French class.

CUTE COUPLE — Ms. Hocenevar and her boyfriend, Tom, have a little chit-chat about their trip to France.

THIS IS EASY! — Junior Jerry Demoss races through his French assignment.
WHAT ARE WE DOING IN CLASS TODAY? — Mr. White's shop class pays close attention to the front of the class where the design they will build is sketched on the chalkboard. The seventh graders shop class is always filled with chaos. You never know what to expect to find in there.

WHERE DOES IT GO? — 8th graders Amos Moser and Travis Jancasz try to put things where they go. WORKING HARD — Junior Eric Demas remembers some shop skills as he builds a house.

NO, THIS IS HOW YOU DO IT!! — Freshman Brian Westfall tries to help fellow freshman William Hummel understand a shop design for their project. They are carefully at work to make the project as perfect as they can.

MR. FIX IT — Freshman Joe Littlefield works on putting a lawn mower together for his shop project.
PHYSICAL EDUCATION

I JUST BROKE MY RECORD — Junior Jason Littlefield breaks his personal record and gets two chin-ups in before class is over.

DO I HAVE B.O.? — Senior Jon Walker proves that he is wearing deodorant.

DETERMINATION — Seniors Nick Schmidtendorff (below), and Sheri Howe (top) are all concentration as they try for a perfect game in gym class that day.

ONE MORE AND I'M DONE — Freshman Scott Johnson does more chin-ups than anyone else in class that day.

LINE IT UP — Junior Katie Curiel lines up her bowling ball to get a strike.
ROLE PLAYING — Soph. Ben Brandli and Juniors Adam Schrader and Troy Dunlap practice a skit in Parenting.

WATCH CAREFULLY — Soph. Shalee Swinehart watches as a pre-school kid shows her how to hula hoop.

ATTENTION — Junior Billy Graves practices his skit in front of the class.

CAN YOU DO THIS? — A pre-school student asks Junior Sarah McCloskey if she can do what he is doing.

PLAYTIME — Soph. Charmayne Riley plays a game with one of the kids that attends pre-school week.

GET OUT THE TOYS — Senior Adam Maisel gets out some toys for the pre-schoolers.

PROUD PARENTS — Parenting students show off their flour babies for the camera.

CAN'T HANDLE IT — Senior Jon Lockwood doesn't like being blind.
HARD AT WORK — 7th grader Sara Anglemeyer finished sewing up her pillow for Health class.

PRACTICE, PRACTICE, PRACTICE — Freshmen Amber Wright and Jessica Shepard practice their CPR techniques.

THIS IS EASY — Freshman Karl Lauer has memorized her CPR techniques so that she can smile for a pic.

IS THERE A PULSE? — Freshman Nick Smith checks the pulse as he goes through the CPR steps.

HAVING FUN — Nishi Kumari listens to one of Mrs. Outman’s lectures in Health Class.

DONE YET? — 7th grader Jonathan Graves touches up his pillow.

GAME TIME — Freshman Tina Munson learns about the effects of smoking.

ALMOST DONE — Seventh grader Emily Mullins finishes her pillow for Home-Ec class.
Band: BEYOND THE BEAT

NICE AND SWEET — 8th grader Britany Mahaffa concentrates on her keys for the flute.

BAND BUDDIES — Junior Isaiah Shudell and sophomore Lucas Nakala pose in their cute red uniforms.

Alter Idem

THE BOYS ARE BOOMING

"Alter Idem" is a group of guys that just got together and started playing music. Bob Mathiak, Cory McKay, Chris Scamehorn, Justin McCammon, and Leonard Bauder use their music to express themselves. "A lot of people don't like loud music, so it makes it fun for the group to play," said Leonard. In the future "Alter Idem" hopes to sign a contract for an album.

HAPPY HAPPY JOY JOY — Senior Brandon Zipser dances around during his last year in band.
DON'T SMILE — Sophomore Richard Wagner waits for his turn to play his instrument.

LOOKING SERIOUS — Senior Jay O'Dell waits for the drum major's command.

IN CHARGE — Senior co-drum major Courtney Lang looks eager to start the show.

THREE AMIGOS — Sophomore Amanda VanZile, junior Corinne Lehman, and sophomore Clinton Lehman take time out to pose for the camera.
UNLIMITED OPPORTUNITIES

*FIGURE IT OUT YET? — Senior Andy Emerson is trying to figure out where to begin in Computer Aided Design Class.*

*HAPPY TO BE HOME — Junior Laura Kahila smiles as she arrives home from Centerville.*

*SMILE — CTE students that go to Sturgis pose for a picture before the bus comes.*

*STAYING BUSY — Junior Jenna Tavernier works hard on her Business Service and Technology homework.*

*ALL SMILES — Juniors Jenni Carlisle and Rachael Duffin smile as they begin their work at CTE.*

*TAKING A BREAK — Juniors Jessica Burley and Diana Anderson stop working to get a picture taken together.*
- **STAYING FOCUSED** — Senior Dustin Penner transfers his work to the computer.

- **ARE YOU O.K.?** — Senior Shawn Sharpe looks dazed as he works on the ceiling of the Building Trades house.

- **LOOK IT UP** — Seniors Jon Walker and Ryan Speicher look the answers up in Auto Diesel Class.

- **HARD AT WORK** — Junior Eric Demas carefully works on staying balanced and building the house at Building Trades.

- **WORKING AWAY** — Senior Natasha Greer and Junior Amber Esarey work on their Business Service and Technology homework.
WHOA DUDE! — Ninth graders Tylar Clark and Brian Westfall are completely amazed at what's on the computer screen.

CONCENTRATING — Senior Kathy Eckert is wondering why technology is just so great.

WHAT'S THE ANSWER? — Mr. Smith answers Senior Wendi Lego's question about her assignment in Computer Applications class.

LOTS OF LAUGHS — Seventh grader Sandy Jones is having some fun in computer class.

TYPING — Junior Shelly Weldy uses the computer lab to type one of her reports.

SPEEDY — Junior Lisa LaForte types quickly to finish her story on time.
CONSTANTINE

BUMMIN' AROUND — Junior Courtney Hughes liven up the party life on the stage set of Toga Toga Toga in her 7:00 A.M. Constantine Drama Class.

TALKING — Junior Heidi Parker stands with Constantine classmates during their scene in their play. The three girls became sorority sisters by the end of the play.

STRUTTING HIS STUFF — Senior Brandon Zipser walks off stage to get pizza for his hungry Alpha Beta Brothers. Never keep hungry guys waiting!

JANITOR JAMI — Junior Jami Niblock relaxes on the couch during a scene from the drama play Toga Toga Toga. Poor Jami is exhausted after cleaning up the fraternity house.

HUNGRY GIRLS — Senior Courtney Lang has a pizza for some hungry brothers.

STUDYING — Senior Amy Swineheart studies to show up her Falcon classmates in French IV class.

STUDIOUS SENECA — Junior Seneca Snyder shows he can work through crazy CHS.

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NO LIMITS
NEVER GAVE UP

The Varsity Football team went up against a tough schedule this year. The Mighty Chiefs battled hard against extremely tough opponents, five of which were ranked within the top ten in their class. The team’s coaches never lost respect for their players because they never gave up. Throughout the season the team felt that they should have won the close games. This helped them keep their faith in the team and never give up on themselves. The players and coaches truly believe that this team should be 5-4.

RETURN IT — Senior Shawn Sharpe makes a cut to the outside on the opening kickoff of Saturday’s contest against Mendon.


AWARDS

1st Team All Conference

MVP — Dustin Fenner
MI — Shawn Sharpe
CA — Chad Niblock, Brett Cropsey
PREPARING — White Pigeon's kickoff return team huddles around Coach Abbs in preparation for the kickoff.

SCRAMBLE — Sophomore Quarterback Ryan Baechler scrambles by a Colon defender and reads the field searching for an open man in the White Pigeon Homecoming game.

GET 'EM — All Conference linebacker Senior Dustin Fenner rips down a Colon player on Homecoming night.

above CATCH IT — Junior Jason Littlefield makes a nice catch against a Falcon defender on Saturday night's Tomahawk battle. Below BREAK IT — Junior Adam Schrader breaks a run to the outside and sprints away from the Magi defenders on Friday's Homecoming contest.

FOCUS — Sophomore Quint Burkey focuses on the ball and beats the Magi player to it.

DETERMINATION — Senior Fullback Chad Niblock takes the handoff from Quarterback Ryan Baechler determined to break through the line for the first down.

Varsity Football

Hartford 08-15
Brandywine 07-35
Mendon 07-49
Bronson 35-26
Centreville 27-34
Schoolcraft 13-42
Colon 13-27
Constantine 00-41
Allendale 07-09

League Record 1-6
Overall Record 1-9

Varsity Football. Sponsored By: Coach Keyer
Success in basketball is about more than wins and losses; it reflects life. The 1997 women's basketball team struggled with the most trying aspects of basketball and life. They did it with dignity and courage and elevated the toil and truth that lies beyond what most people see. To fight steadily and bravely in a losing cause, calls us to face what the struggle is truly about. It is not about defeating the opponent, but about conquering those parts of ourselves that defeat us. It requires us to face ourselves and to respect the game in a way that winning never does. Was the 1997 season a success? That can only be measured by recording the changes that each player experienced within herself. As they grew from their struggle, they made that struggle worthwhile. What is success other than this?
AWARDS

Varsity Girls Basketball
Edwardsburg 38-56
Marcellus 43-44
Cassopolis 28-41
Sturgis 20-48
Three Rivers 21-56
Howardsville 51-43
Bronson 26-80
Schoolcraft 34-55
Mendon 50-72
Colonn 21-54
Centreville 32-71
Climax-Scotts 26-60
Constantine 31-48
Climax-Scotts 28-70
Centreville 31-57
Colon 09-80
Mendon 24-54
Constantine 24-55
Schoolcraft 22-52
Bronson 30-62
Constantine 07-49

MVP — Heidi Parker

MI — Tiffany Knight

CA — Heather Shafer

All League Honors: Heidi Parker — Special mention

above: PLAN! — The Chiefs gather before the game to plan their attack. below: GOING IN — Senior Heather Shafer goes in for the shot.

above BASKET — Sophomore Syntia Zapata makes a nice jump shot. below EYES UP — Freshman Katie Holt gets ready to make the pass to sophomore Sara Weaver.

J.V. Girls BB

Edwardsburg 26-61
Marcellus 23-27
Cassopolis 31-29
Sturgis 31-42
Three Rivers 36-42
Bronson 31-47
Schoolcraft 27-66
Mendon 46-54
Colon 34-27
Centreville 50-45
Climax-Scotts 37-55
Constantine 14-45
Climax-Scotts 27-22
Centreville 25-35
Colon 27-31
Mendon 24-45
Constantine 25-38
Schoolcraft 31-65
Bronson 30-82

Row one, left to right: Katie Holt, Jessica Lintz, Coach Michele Boyer, Nishi Kumari, Shellie Niblock. Row two: Coach Mindy Boyer, Jaime Chupp, Margaret Bush, Sara Weaver, Rianne Maisel, Manager Hope Wilm, Coach Fred Taylor. Row three: Manager Brooke Baechler, Martha Wagner, Andrea Vanzile, Crystal Bell, Lindsey Chupp, Carrie Ott. Not pictured, Syntia Zapata.

above DRAINS — Sophomore Sara Weaver drains the shot against two defenders. right SHOT — Sophomore Shellie Niblock shoots the ball and freshman Andrea Vanzile cheers.
Almost Perfect

left KICKIN’ IT — Soph. Hans Miller holds as Soph. Troy Andrews boots the ball for the extra point. Below EYES UP — Fr. Scott Johnson keeps his eyes up as he takes the ball from Fr. QB Gabe Macias.

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above VICTORY — Fr. QB Gabe Macias kneels down with the ball for the victory over Constantine. Right LET’S GO — Soph. receiver Hans Miller checks his position with the ref.

above CELEBRATION — The team celebrates victory. Below FAKE — Freshman Quarterback Gabe Macias fakes the handoff to Sophomore Justin Clark.
The Varsity Golf team made great strides of improvement this season. The team was led by the "Big 4", which consisted of Senior Kevin Salisbury, Sophomore Derek Nihart and Grant Goodman, and Freshman Andy Rockwell. These four golfers competed hard and did their best not to let down four-year coach Mr. Miller. Kevin Salisbury, Derek Nihart, and Grant Goodman all achieved All-Conference Honorable Mention awards. The team played in rain and in the freezing cold, yet they never gave up no matter what the circumstances. The team is looking forward to a wonderful season next year.

above WARM-UP — The Varsity Golf team warms up and gets loose before a tough league meet at St. Joe Valley Country Club. Below STUD — Freshman Andy Rockwell celebrates his 43 that he shot on the back nine at an SJV league meet.

left SWEET-THING — Senior Kevin Salisbury takes a break from his golf meet to pose for a picture. Nice hair! Right HANGIN' OUT — Sophomore Grant Goodman is just chillin' before a golf meet. Nice shoes Grant!

above STROKIN' IT — Sophomore Derek Nihart putsts for par.

County Tourney 6th
Cassopolis 2nd
Const./Dowagiac 3rd
White Pigeon 5th
Constantine 6th
Climax-Scotts 5th
Colon 6th
Bronson 5th
Centreville 5th
Schoolcraft 6th
League Tourney 6th
Regionals 12th
Row 1: Coach Eldon Miller, John Edds, Jason Caudill, Grant Goodman, Adam Davidhizar, Coach Rob Hocevar. Row 2: Max Pucket, Derek Nihart, Jessica Wagner, Andy Rockwell, Tom Swank, Eric Hostetter, Adam Salyer, Kevin Salisbury, Jay O’Dell, Nick Smith.

left FORE — Sophomore Derek Nihart shoots for the green. Below HAVIN’ FUN — Freshman Andy Rockwell and Senior Kevin Salisbury get focused before a meet. Right CONCENTRATE — Senior Kevin Salisbury shows that it takes more concentration to do this than to putt a ball in a hole.

above SWING — Sophomore Derek Nihart swings his driver with finesse. Below COUNT ‘EM — Freshman Andy Rockwell counts his tees.

above TEE-TIME — Fr. Andy Rockwell shows Jr. Jessica Wagner that the tee is mightier than the sword.
RUNNING HARD

The Cross Country team had a number of individual achievements. Andy Joseph was All-Conference and All-County as well as a qualifier for the state meet. Shanna Plank also won All-Conference and All-County honors. Her qualification for the state meet the first year she ran is an amazing accomplishment. There were also a number of personal improvements. Aaron Bontrager became a strong runner. Joel Edds also ran consistently for the Chiefs. Aaron Jazzar and Josh Walker saw what it will take to be competitive. They were a good addition to the team.

PREPARING! — Seniors Andy Joseph and Shanna Plank get ready for the state meet.

above — WONDERING? — Senior Shanna Plank and her coach Becky Green look at her records. below — NOW! — Senior Shanna Plank gets ready to make her move to pass her opponent.

RUN! — Senior Andy Joseph gives all he can to get first.

YOU CAN DO IT! — Senior Shanna Plank is exhausted as she places first.
Seniors Shanna Plank and Andy Joseph get ready to run the annual senior race.

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STATE RUNNERS! — Seniors Shanna Plank and Andy Joseph race their way to the Cross Country State Finals.

RACING TO VICTORY! — Senior Shanna Plank races her way to victory.

The 1997-98 Football Season was a good time for the Cheerleaders to learn to work as a team. They cheered rain or shine. The team all managed to shine and sparkle out on the sidelines.

During the Basketball Season the Cheerleaders proved it takes practice and teamwork to achieve their goals. The team came extremely close to accomplishing a goal they set at the beginning of the season. The squad placed second at the SJV League Competition. Every game the Cheerleaders cheered very loud to make the crowd enjoy every game.

right KEEPING WARM — The Cheerleaders huddle together during a football game to stay warm. Below STAND UP AND CHEER — The cheerleaders get the crowd into the cheers during a home basketball game.

above GOOD BALANCE — Sophomore Valerie Smith balances herself.

84 V. Cheer

WE GOT SPIRIT — The Varsity Cheerleaders show their school spirit performing a cheer.

ROCK THE HOUSE — The Varsity Cheerleaders perform their cheer "Rock the House."
Awards

1st Team All League — Amy Whetstone, Honorable Mention — Creasy Hall, Special Mention — Cathi White.

MVP — Creasy Hall
M.I. — Kari Lauer
M.S. — Amy Whetstone

MVP — Amy Whetstone
M.S. — Kari Lauer
M.I. — The Team

SMILES — The Varsity Cheerleaders take time out from cheerleading to take a picture.

LET’S GO — The Varsity Cheerleaders cheer hard for the Varsity Basketball team as they are trailing Constantine.


The 1997-98 Boys Varsity Basketball team had its ups and downs this year. The team finished the season with four wins and seventeen losses. They never gave up though and that pleased Coach Jeff Baechler. The Chiefs started out on a tear at the beginning of the season winning two of their first three games. The long Christmas break however broke down the Chiefs as they could only be found on the winning side of the scoreboard two more times for the rest of the season.

Time and time again the Chiefs refused to accept the outcome and would come to practice the next day with a fiery attitude that for some reason or another would only be found on the practice floor. The Chiefs played with heart and the desire to do their best regardless of the outcome, in that sense, they are winners. The young Chiefs squad gained a lot of experience this year and will be looking forward to next season. The Chiefs will have everyone back next year except for four players.

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STRATEGY — The team listens in as Coach Jeff Baechler plans out the Chief’s next attack.

For when the One Great Scorer comes to write against your name, He writes — not that you won or lost — but how you played the game.

SKYN’ — Junior Kent Pletcher takes it up strong against a Constantine defender.

MVP — Brett Cropsey
MI — Jason Littlefield
CA — Kent Pletcher
Front row, from left: Justin Burton (DNF), Alfonso Olivari, Adam Schrader, Ryan Baechler (DNF), Tyson Pletcher (DNF), Emilio Zapata (DNF). Back row, from left: Coach Jeff Baechler, Brett Cropsey, Kent Pletcher, Troy Dunlap, Jason Littlefield, Kevin Salisbury, Shawn Sharpe (DNF), Hans Miller. Not pictured: Dustin Fenner (DNF). DNF = Did Not Finish

ONE, TWO, THREE, CHIEFS! — The Chiefs get pumped up before a game against their archrival, the Constantine Falcons.

left JUMP STOP — Senior Shawn Sharpe starts to make his move toward the basket.

above SPOTTIN’ UP — Junior Troy Dunlap spots up behind the arc.

TAKE IT TO THE HOLE — Sophomore Brett Cropsey drives by his defender and takes the rock to the rack.

SOFT TOUCH — Senior Dustin Fenner puts up a nice shot over a Bronson opponent.

POWER — Junior Jason Littlefield powers the ball up to the basket against a Falcon defender.
After being back to back league and district champions and regional finalists, the Varsity Volleyball team had a lot to uphold. This young team was expected to carry the school past regionals and to a possible state title. These ladies trained hard and besides a few minor setbacks due to injuries and emotional breakdowns, the Chiefs were standing strong and the future looked bright. Everyone was pushing their hardest and was willing to put forth the effort to go beyond any previous team. At league however, the Chiefs were upset by Mendon and the title slipped out of their grasp as they lost by a mere half of a point. Following the major upset, the ladies tried to focus on the future and move on. Through hard work and determination they stepped up in their level of play and were determined to rise above all obstacles and doubts. Then, as the ladies began what they believed was a long trip to the top, they were turned away. An early loss at the district led to a shorter season than anyone had hoped. The season may have been cut short, but the '97-'98 Lady Chiefs were a hard working, stubborn, and determined team. The future looks bright for both the team and the players. Next year when the ladies return to the court you can be sure that they will be ready to pick up where they left off this year.

Left: PASS — Junior Jami Niblock sets her platform to pass the ball.

Above: STUFF 'EM — Junior Jami Niblock and Junior Heidi Parher go up for the successful double block against their Mendon opponent. Left: GREAT SAVE — Junior Tiffany Knight completes a difficult set.

SET IT — Sophomore Jessica Lintz lines up for her back set.

PUMP IT UP — The Lady Chiefs prepare for a match by becoming one on the court first.

Above: YAH — The Lady Chiefs are celebrating another victory at the Bronson Inv. Right: CONGRATULATIONS — Juniors Tiffany Knight and Jami Niblock receive their medals at the Niles-Brandywine Inv.
CHEESE — The Lady Chiefs celebrate another victory at the Galesburg-Augusta tournament.

Row 1: Alanna Mestelle, Raquel Zasadzinski, Courtney Hughes, Heidi Parker; Row 2: Coach Nicole Airgood, Tiffany Knight, Jami Niblock, Jessica Lintz, Kendra Salisbury

Awards

All League Honors: Jami Niblock — Honorable Mention; Alanna Mestelle — All League; Courtney Hughes — All League, All Region; Tiffany Knight — All League, All Region, All State Honorable Mention

MVP — Courtney Hughes and Tiffany Knight

MIP — Jami Niblock

MIP — Raquel Zasadzinski

CA — Kendra Salisbury

LISTEN — Coach Nicole Airgood inspires her players as they step onto the court to shine. She is the wind beneath their wings.

Above: SLAM AND COVER — Junior Alanna Mestelle slams the ball as junior teammates, Jami Niblock and Tiffany Knight, cover. Above right: MOVE LOW — Junior Courtney Hughes moves low as she passes a serve. Below: ACE — the Chiefs celebrate after an ace serve.

FUTURE TALENT

J.V. Basketball

Edwardsburg  L
Mendon      W
Centreville W
Constantine W
Climax-Scotts W
Kalamazoo Hackett L
Cassopolis  L
Bronson     L
Bethany     L
Schoolcraft L
Colon       L
Mendon      W
Centreville W
Constantine W
Climax-Scotts W
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Bronson     W
Schoolcraft W
Colon       W
League Record  12-02
Overall Record 13-06

Row 1: Gabe Macias, Aaron Bontrager, Jason Caudill, Aaron Jazzar, Joel Edds. Row 2: Coach Mike Nihart, Dustin Hoffman, Jared German, Derek Nihart, Ben Brandl, Justin Clark, Troy Andrews, Coach Randy Schemling.

SOARIN' — Sophomore Justin Clark gets some air on his way to the basket.

SHOT — Sophomore Troy Andrews was determined to get the shot off.

FORM — Sophomore Aaron Bontrager has nice form as he shoots.

VICTORY — The team celebrates a great victory against a tough Bronson team.

Freshman Gabe Macias skies over a Falcon defender for the lay-up.

UP AND AWAY — Sophomore Joel Edds makes a great lay-up.
### A NEW BEGINNING

J.V. Volleyball Row 1: Katie Holt, Jessica Shepherd, Lindsey Chupp. Row 2: Coach Heather Haney, Syntia Zapata, Sara Weaver, Margaret Bush, Stacy Vanzile.

Freshmen Volleyball Row 1: Amanda Lewis, Jaime Chupp. Row 2: Coach Tim Bradley, Teresa Peterson, Stacy Lovejoy, Tina Munson, Andrea Vanzile.

Sophomore Lindsey Chupp makes a great pass.

Freshman Jessica Shepherd waits for the serve.

**J.V. Volleyball**

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AGGRESSIVE — Sophomore Margaret Bush attempts a block.

PASS — Freshman Jaime Chupp watches the ball into her arms.

CONCENTRATE — Sophomore Sara Weaver focuses on the server.

WE WON! — The team celebrates a great victory.

I GOT IT! — Freshman Stacy Vanzile takes position to pass the ball.
The Wrestling Chiefs finished out the season last year with a record of 7-22-1. This year the Chiefs had strong expectations and hopes of improving the season from last year, but only pulled off a slightly better record of 9-26. Despite being inexperienced the Chiefs matched up very well in practically every weight class. The Chiefs individually placed high in the league with juniors Eric Demas and Derrick Fenner both taking home second place finishes. Derrick Fenner then won a 3rd place in Districts. Eric Demas rolled through Districts and Regionals with second and fourth place finishes to make it to the state meet. Overall the Chiefs had a respectable year with lots to look forward to next season.

TAKE-DOWN — Freshman Scott Johnson throws the Half Nelson on his opponent from Gobles to take him to the mat and pin him.

PIN — Senior powerhouse Nick Schmoldtendorff pins his opponent.

READY — Sr. Nick Schmoldtendorff is ready to pin his opponent with great ease.

Awards

MVP — Eric Demas
MI — Mike Hocker
CA — Jacob Doubblestein

All-Conference 1st Team: Eric Demas and Derrick Fenner

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above TAKEDOWN — Junior Derrick Fenner waits for the perfect opportunity to take his man down. below ESCAPE — Junior Seneca Snyder tries his hardest to get reversal points on his opponent.

above STRENGTH — Sr. Nick Schmidtendorff easily overpowers his opponent and drives him into the mat. right HARD WORK — Jr. Seneca Snyder is about to try to escape from his opponent.

VICTORY — Junior Derrick Fenner wins the match.

below ROLL — Junior Derrick Fenner tries to roll his man over to get the upper hand, right FOCUS — Jr. Jacob Doubblestein focuses on his opponent’s shoulder as he drives it to the mat.

FUN — Jr. powerhouse Eric Demas smiles as he gets the easy victory.

TACKLE — Freshmen Gary Culp tackles an opponent that’s in his path of victory.
JUST FOR FUN

PENALTY STROKE — Junior Adam Salyer drops a ball after he hit one over the road and out of bounds.

SWING — Freshman Eric Carmel swings his 5-iron with ease as he shoots for par.

LEFTY — Left-handed, freshman sensation Dan Ledden gets warmed up before a tough J.V. match. Nice form Dan!

GET HIM — Sophomore Max Puckett gets tackled by fellow teammate after he boards the bus to leave the golf course. Be careful boys, make sure nobody gets their eye poked out.


TAKIN' A BREAK — Sophomore Eric Hostetler takes a break from his golf meet to pose for a picture.

FORE! — Jr. Adam Salyer crushes his ball out into the fairway.


94 J.V. Golf
JUST BEGINNING

above EYES UP — Freshman Jeff Littlefield backs up looking for the three point shot.

left 3 POINTER — Freshman Jeff Littlefield shoots the three.

right HOOK SHOT — Freshman Chad Dodson shoots the hook shot over his Falcon defender.

Row 1: Seth Baechler, Jesse Wyman, John Edds, Chad Dodson. Row 2: Jeff Littlefield, Tom Swank, John Flowers, Josh Hahn, Trevor German, Coach Andy Bird

above DRIVE — Freshman Tom Swank drives to the hole against his Falcon opponents.

left PASS — Freshman Chad Dodson looks to pass the ball back out to the point guard.
The 1998 boys track team had a good season overall. They were a very young team with only one senior. Many underclassmen rose to the challenge and had very strong performances. Senior MVP Shawn Sharpe broke the school record this year in the long jump with a jump of 21 feet, 7 inches. He also tied the school record in the 100m dash with a time of 11.1 seconds. Freshman Jeff Gearhart placed second in the 100m dash and first in the 200m dash at the 9-10 meet. Sophomore Aaron Bontrager was very competitive in the 1 and 2 mile runs. Sophomore Ben Brandl had a second in league and a second in county in the high jump. The Chiefs will lose their MVP but gain many new runners next year.

above Win — Soph. Tyson Pletcher takes the easy win for the Chiefs. Below Spring — Senior Shawn Sharpe sprints in for a victory for the chiefs.


Boys Track
Cassopolis L
Bronson Inv. 6th
Centreville L
Athens Inv. 5th
Constantine L
Mendon L
Schoolcraft Inv. 3rd
Bronson W
Colon W
Schoolcraft L
Constantine Inv. 5th
League Meet 5th
9-10 Meet 2nd
League Record 2-4

96 Men's Track
Above: HURDLE — Sophomore Ben Brandli is on his way to victory in the 100 meter hurdles. Right: GO — Freshman Scott Johnson pushes a strong start from the blocks.

1st row: Tyson Pletcher, Scott Johnson, Brett Cropsey, Ben Brandli, Quint Burkery, and Justin Clark. 2nd row: Aaron Bontrager, Gary Culp, Mike Hocker, Eric Carmel, Josh Littlefield, Jesse Wyman, David Leeth. 3rd row: Josh Hahn, Eric Demas, Troy Dunlap, Derrick Fenner, Coach Jon Keyer, Jason Littlefield, Shawn Sharpe, Justin Nichols, Jeff Gearhart, Jeff Littlefield.

JUMP — Jr. Troy Dunlap jumps for his personal best.

Junior Jason Littlefield runs his hardest for the team.
BLAZIN' SPEED

The 1998 girls track season was an overall success. Every meet the girls improved on their times and distances. They placed 4th in the league meet, with strong first place performances from sophomore Tonya Williams, junior Alanna Mestelle, seniors Stacey Pierson and Kasey Verow in the 800m relay.

Alanna qualified for the high jump, 100m, and 200m dashes for state as she holds the state meet record for 100m and 200m dashes. The coaches Mr. Gary Shoppell and Mr. Pete Mestelle were proud of every girl that stuck through it and worked hard at every meet.

WHAT! — Coach Gary Shoppell is wondering what is going on.


Awards

MVP — Alanna Mestelle

MI — Heather Shafer


All League: Alanna Mestelle — 100m dash, 200m dash, high jump. 800m relay — Stacey Pierson, Kasey Verow, Tonya Williams, and Alanna Mestelle. Alanna qualified for state in the 100, 200m dash and high jump, resulting in a 2nd place finish in the 200, a 4th place finish in the high jump, and a state championship in the 100m dash.

CA — S. Plank and S. Pierson

Varsity Girls Track
Cassopolis W
Bronson Inv. 3rd
Centreville W
Athens Inv. 5th
Constantine W
Mendon L
Schoolcraft Inv. 3rd
Bronson L
Colon W
Schoolcraft L
Constantine Inv. 3rd
Regionals 6th
League Meet 4th
9-10 Meet 4th
League Record 3-3

GO HARD! — Senior Shanna Plank runs hard to win the two-mile relay.
READY SET GO! — Senior Stacey Pierson gets set to start the 800m relay against Centreville.

above YOU CAN DO IT! — Senior Heather Shafer takes a great lead in the mile run. right JUMP — Sophomore Tonya Williams takes a first in the 100m hurdles.

-above ALMOST — Freshman Tina Munson almost clears her highest jump. right RUN HARD — Sophomore Syntia Zapata takes a first in the 800m run.
This year’s team slid past a hard season of competition with courage and strength. The ’98 Varsity Softball Team made a jumpstart to the year with high hopes in April. As the games led on and the team’s load increased, they pulled harder. The ladies would not quit.

The Lady Chiefs faced various unexpected injuries and obstacles along their path, but no one ever gave up. They held on and pushed themselves harder.

A year, which was expected to bring them on top, served only as a building block for the next. Through the experiences and lessons these ladies received, they have learned things that will not only help them next year in softball, but through the rest of their lives.

CONCENTRATE — Junior Jami Niblock watches the batter as the pitch goes in.

Above: READY — Junior Kendra Salisbury prepares to slam a single.
Below: GET DOWN — Junior Courtney Hughes gets her glove on the ground.

Above: PREPARED — Freshman Jessica Shepard is down and prepared for the ball. Below: HERE — Junior Heidi Parker sets her target for the strike.

Above: PITCH — Junior Tiffany Knight fires the ball in for a strike. Below: LET’S GO — Juniors Heidi Parker, Kendra Salisbury, and Freshman Teresa Peterson cheer their team on.
Awards

Thank you Coach Haney

Row 1: Megan Ford; Row 2: Jessica Shephard, Courtney Hughes, Tiffany Knight, Jami Niblock, Michelle Rickett; Row 3: Kendra Salisbury, Falthann Walters, Margaret Bush, Heidi Parker, Coach Heather Haney, Teresa Peterson, Rianne Maisel, Andrea Vanzile

TEAM — Coach Heather Haney gives a few words of inspiration before her team bats.

MVP — Tiffany Knight
MIP — Andrea Vanzile
CA — Heidi Parker

Left: LADIES — Senior Megan Ford directs the team where to make the play.

Heidi Parker — Special Mention
Courtney Hughes — Honorable Mention
Megan Ford — Honorable Mention
Tiffany Knight — All League

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Thank you Bob and Randy

THINK — Junior Jami Niblock and her team assess the game that they have just played

Left: HEY — Junior Faithann Walters celebrates her single.
HITTIN' & SPITTIN'

The White Pigeon Chiefs Baseball program is on the move. The Chiefs made a tremendous comeback this year after a dismal season last year. The Chiefs started out the season with four straight wins in their first four games. That was the best start a White Pigeon Baseball team has had in a very long time. The Chiefs finished the season with 10 wins. The SJV League was, once again, tough to win in. The team never quit though, as they were in each game until the end. The Chiefs had some standouts this year that included All-Conference 3rd baseman Kevin Salisbury and All-Conference pitcher Matt Perkey. These two combined to lead the team in all offensive categories. The Chiefs are looking forward to another strong season next year.

STRIKE — Junior Matt Perkey fires a strike as he pitches the Chiefs to victory over Three Rivers.

BRING IT IN — The Chiefs talk over their next plan of attack. Coach Heminger makes sure the Chiefs are keeping focused.

TEAMWORK — The Chiefs infield comes off of the field after a spectacular inning of defense. They now have to prepare to score some runs on offense.

GO CHIEFS — The Chiefs dugout is up and cheering for their team. This is the kind of team spirit that everybody needs.

"K" — Freshmen Gabe Macias adds yet another victim to his list of strikeouts against Three Rivers. He finished with 12 K's.

CHANGE-UP — above Senior Adam Maisel fires a strike by an opposing hitter. left BEAST — Sophomore Hans Miller steps up to the plate and gets ready to rip a line drive.
BIG DOG — Coach Sehy finishes his pep talk to the team and is ready to get down to business.

SWEET THING — Senior Chad Niblock stops his strut just in time to pose for a picture.


Three Rivers W/W
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Edwardsburg L
Schoolcraft L
Mendon L
Constantine L
Colon L
Bethany Christian L/W
Schoolcraft L
Marcellus W
Climax-Scotts L/L
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Mendon L
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Constantine L
Centreville L/W
Colon L
Bronson L/L

DEFENSE — Senior Kevin Sallsbury is ready to field a ball with his cat-like reflexes.

CONGRATS — Sophomore Hans Miller received All League Special Mention this year.
FOCUS — Soph. center fielder Troy Andrews focuses on the batter.

TEAMWORK — The Chiefs come off the field after another successful inning. Coach Sehy congratulates Hans Miller on his pitching. below
PATIENCE — Sophomore Josh Walker waits for his pitch.

GETTING READY — Freshman Brian Grandstaff gets ready for his chance to bat.

CURVEBALL — Jr. Adam Salyer gives the sign for a curve to his pitcher.
Jake Clark

"Wrestling season was fun this year. I learned a lot and had a great time."

"The worst thing about wrestling is the suits are too uncomfortable."

Tyler Royce

"We did a lot of work in practice but in the end it was worth it."

Hillary Carper

"The work we did was hard but it paid off."

Tonya Bennett

Back row: Coach Steve Gates, Donald Lucas, Jacob Clark, Tyler Royce, Aaron Peterson, Coach Don Snyder. First row: Steve Gates, Adam Nolan, Michael O'Rourke, Adam Czajkowski. Not pictured: Eric Leeth

Coach Becky Green, Adam Nolan, Josh Edds, John York


ABOVE — Stephanie Czajkowski and Tricia Baba take a break from their game to pose for the camera. BELOW — CLEAR IT — Jake Clark glides over the high jump bar with flying colors.

BELOW LEFT — TEAMWORK — Andy Stratman helps encourage his fellow track member to win the race. BELOW RIGHT — GO — Lea Buscher is determined to win the race as she strides over the hurdle.

GET HER — One of the middle school track members is pushing her all to catch up to her opponent and win another race for the Ladies Track Team.
PLAYING HARD — The middle school football team gives their all as they meet up with rival Constantine.

WHAT — Above Left — Tylar Royce and Andy Stratman sit and watch at the football game. CHEER EM' ON — Above Right — The M.S. football team watch and cheer their teammates on. CHIEF LINEUP — Below — The sports teams line up at an assembly.


Above SET IT — Stephanie Czajowski is determined to score a point in the game. Below — SPIKE — Stephanie Czajowski gets ready to spike the ball.

GO! The Cheerleaders give the crowd a little flavor of school spirit to help lead the Chiefs to a victory.
ABOVE AND BEYOND
ORGANIZATIONS
Above — LET'S BEGIN — Mr. Barkley tries to get Student Council members' attention to start their meeting.

Above — STUDENT COUNCIL — Jessica Macias, Brandon Zipser, Michelle Maynulet, Dan Ledden, Diana Anderson, Alanna Mestelle, Josh Lambdin, Destiny Smith, Margaret Bush, Shanna Plank, Heidi Parker, Jessica Burley, Nicole Sigler, and Teresa Peterson.

Above — HOW ABOUT THIS? — Senior Brandon Zipser gives his ideas about Winterfest.

Above and below — NEXT MOVE — Freshman Joe Saddison and Nick Smith decide where to make their next move.

Above — WHO IS WINNING? — Senior Kevin Salisbury checks the standings for the Student Council Chess Tournament.
Above — WINNING — Senior Brandon Zipser plays checkers during the Winterfest Games. Right — Junior Creasy Hall and Senior Michelle Maynulet whip out the Ping-Pong paddles for a game.

Above — BORING — Seniors Michelle Maynulet and Jessica Macias get through another meeting. Below — ACE — Junior Jason Littlefield serves his best serve of the day.

Above — POSING — Senior Heather Shafer supports Hawaiian Lei Day.

Above — CHEESIN' — Senior Miki Parsons shows off her unique Tahitian style. Page sponsored by Mr. Barkley.

Above — IN SESSION — Student Council members take a minute to chat before their meeting starts.
Varsity Club Blood Drive

On November 11, 1997, the Red Cross came over to our high school for the winter blood drive. All students, staff, and other volunteers age 17 and older, were allowed to donate. There were many who volunteered to donate and work; those who worked made sure everything stayed running smoothly and helped those who felt sick at times. The blood drive was a complete success and at the end of the day we had finished with 60 pints of bloods. We were hoping that this year’s Spring Blood Drive would earn the same amount if not more; but due to a snow day we were unable to have it. Varsity Club would like to thank everyone for their wonderful donations and their help with everything. It was greatly appreciated, and we’re looking forward to having another great turnout next year.

Above — VARSITY CLUB — President, Heather Shafer; Vice President, Stacey Pierson; Treasurer, Heidi Parker; Secretary, Shanna Plank.

Above — ALMOST DONE — Senior Chad Niblock gets a little excited while he makes his finishing touches.

Above — FINISHED — Family portrait of the finished pumpkin carving activity. Varsity Club helps students have some Halloween fun.

Left — BE CAREFUL — Senior Nick Schmidttendorff is careful not to cut himself as he carves his pumpkin. Who let him have the knife?
Above — PEP CLUB — President Heidi Parker; Vice President Heather Shafer; Secretary Raquel Zasadzinski; Treasurer Shanna Plank.

Above — HURRY! — Junior Heidi Parker gives Junior Jami Niblock a boost the hard way. Below — LOOK AT ME! Junior Troy Dunlap shows off his work of art. He supports our Lady Chiefs all the way.

Above — TAKE THE PICTURE! — Sophomore Hans Miller is on his way to hang up his sign. He waits patiently for the flash.
Every year S.A.D.D. sponsors Spirit Week to promote the Zip Zero Zilch laws of Michigan. Several activities took place that week to emphasize the dangers of underage drinking and drug use.

The activities that week included dress-up days, a S.A.D.D. Christmas Tree, where students wrote messages to their friends on ornaments, and the Grim Reaper. The purpose of the Grim Reaper was to show students the 30 minute cycle of alcohol-related deaths that occur in the United States.

LISTEN UP — Sadd members listen closely while Sadd advisor Mrs. Thieme informs them about the activities for the Sadd assembly.

COUNT ON US — Juniors Jenni Carlisle and Courtney Floor pose for the camera with the Sadd Drug Free banner signed by students to show their support during Sadd Week.

THEY GOT ME — Senior Heather Shafer stands by the list of students that became statistics during Grim Reaper Day.

LAZY BOY — Sophomore Ben Brandl looks very bored as he listens to his fellow Sadd members give their ideas for Sadd.

NO SHOW — Junior Troy Dunlap is ready to take a picture with Santa, but he is no where to be found.
WHY IS S.A.D.D. IMPORTANT????????

JEFF GEARHART — "S.A.D.D. inspires me to stay away from alcohol and drugs."

COURTNEY FLOOR — "It helps young kids realize the effects and damages of drug and alcohol use."

JENNI CARISLE — "I believe S.A.D.D. shows kids the damaging effects of drugs and alcohol, and it also helps people make tough choices."

NICK SCHMIDTENDORFF — "I think S.A.D.D. is important because it lobbies against people driving drunk."

JESSICA LINTZ — "It makes people aware of the consequences and dangers of doing drugs."

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

NEW INDUCTEES

Michelle Hocker — "It's a great honor to be accepted into the National Honor Society."

Heidi Parker — "I was thrilled to be accepted into NHS. It's something I've wanted since I was a freshman."

Jami Niblock — "I feel being in NHS is an honor. It will be a great thing to write on my college applications."

Sarah Jiskra — "It's a great honor to be in NHS. I was very proud of myself."

Jessica Wagner — "I was so happy to be accepted into NHS. It's such a great honor."

Jessica Papke — "I was extremely proud and excited about being accepted into NHS. It is a great honor."

WHERE TO GO? — Michelle Maynule stops to pose for a picture while trying to decide where to shop next.

Above and Below — BEING LAZY — Everyone stops and takes a break after a long day of shopping.

Page sponsored by NHS members.
Above — YOU'RE IN — Courtney Lang is tapp­ing in a new NHS member.

Above — NHS — Michelle Hocke, Sarah Jiskra, Jessica Papke, Jami Niblock, Heidi Parker, Jessica Wagner, Destiny Smith, Holli Miller, Megan Ford, Jessica Macias, Michelle Maynulet, and Courtney Lang.

Above — MEAL TIME — Juniors Jessica Wagner and Jessica Papke have lunch at the Crossroads Mall during Operation Christmas. Below — I'M IN — The new members have finally been pledged into NHS.

Above — YUMMY — Junior Jami Niblock tries to decide if she should finish her doughnut. The party was in thanks to the student body for their donations to Operation Christmas.
YOUTH-M-GOVERNMENT

Youth in Government — First row (1 to r): Jami Niblock, Heidi Parker, Second row: Adam Cornwell, Chad Dodson, Katie Holt, Kim Currier, Jami Chupp, Jessica Lintz, Shelli Niblock, Andrea VanZile, Margaret Bush, Third row: John Edds, Gayle Brokaw, Aaron Bontrager, Kell Severns, April VanAken, Kathy Hooker, Jessica Wagner, Jessica Papke, Lindsey Chupp, Seneca Snyder, Kristen Johnson, Joel Edds, Michelle Maynulet, Tina Munson, Michelle Hooker, Chris Scamehorn, Martha Wagner, Aaron Jazzar, Katie Papke, Fourth row: Kevin Salisbury, Syntia Zapata, Trisha Asbury, Jessica Macias, Amanda Smith, Jerry Demoss

(above) Smile — Sophomore Jessica Lintz shows her pearly whites for the camera. (below) Hanging out — Junior Jami Niblock, Sophomore Jessica Lintz, Junior Heidi Parker and Sophomore Kristen Johnson take a break in front of their hotel.

What's so funny? — Sophomores Lindsey Chupp and Margaret Bush laugh at a joke that Freshman Katie Holt told. It must have been funny.

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Surprise — Sophomore Kristen Johnson and Juniors Heidi Parker and Jami Niblock all had a hair raising experience at Youth in Government.

(above) Yum — Sophomore Aaron Bontrager enjoys a cup of tea. (below) Twins? — Sophomore Joel Edds pose next to his creation.

This is how you do it — Sophomore Kristen Johnson tells Freshman Jamie Chupp and Sophomore Jessica Lintz what’s up.
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Above — CONCENTRATING — Senior Jenny Jones is carefully choosing her pictures for the Academics layout. She wants the best possible.

Above — HELP! — Junior Leonard Bauder helps Senior Courtney Lang with her layout for the people staff.


Above — HARD TO WORK — Senior Kevin Salisbury works on his layout for his first deadline. He enjoys being on the Sports Staff.

Left — SMILE! — Junior Jessica Goodman is taking a break from writing an article for her Youth in Government layout. She is always ready for a picture.

Above — HAVING FUN! — Junior Jessie Burley finally tries to act normal.
Above — SLEEPY HEADS — Constantine French Students sleep awaiting their arrival in Chicago.


Left — DRINK UP — Sophomore Troy Andrews enjoys a drink while Mike Jitjaeng listens to some groovy music.

Below — RELAX — Junior Jessica Papke and Freshman Jesse Lutz are enjoying a conversation. Right — CHEESY — Mrs. Hocevar shows much excitement with her enthusiastic smile while hanging out with her French Students.

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Left — AT LAST — Junior Jessica Wagner finally gets to have a break from her site seeing.
Above — QUIZ BOWL — Gabe Marshall, Aaron Jazzar, Aaron Miller, Jerry DeMoss, Joe Halter, Cori Lehman, Michelle Maynulet, and Courtney Lang.

Above — I GOT IT — Senior Michelle Maynulet knows the answer.

Above — I DON’T KNOW — Sophomore Gabe Marshall strains to answer a question before time runs out.

Above — THINK — Senior Courtney Lang and Junior Jerry DeMoss think they’re ready for the challenge.

Above — ANSWER THIS — Quiz Bowl leader Mr. Beegle asks a question during a Quiz Bowl practice.

Above — I’M READY — Sophomore Aaron Jazzar is ready to buzz the answer.
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Above — WE LOVE HELPING — Junior Jessica Burley and Sophomore Jessica Lintz chat in the middle of the session.

Above — LISTEN — Sophomore Hans Miller listens to a helpful hint.

Left — I DISAGREE — Sophomore Troy Andrews shows his disapproval of a conflict solution.
Above — SCIENCE OLYMPIAD — Gabe Marshall, Grant Goodman, Michael DeVerna, Seneca Snyder, Aaron Bontrager, Kent Fletcher, Adam Maisel, Mrs. Middleton, Nick Yoder, Emilio Zapata, Josh Lambdin, Jami Niblock, Amy Swinehart, Destiny Smith.

Above — ON TOP OF IT ALL — Junior Seneca Snyder shows his triumph after building his pyramid.

TEAM WORK — Seniors Destiny Smith and Amy Swinehart work together to finish their project.

Below — HOW DOES THIS WORK? — Seniors Nick Yoder and Emilio Zapata explain to Senior Sheldon Jackson how to use the experiment.

Above — CLEANING UP — Junior Isaiah Shudell goof off around while he tries to tidy up his workplace.

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Above — SMILE — Sophomore Derek Nihart smiles as he empties his box of can goods to give to the needy.

Above — HELPING — Sophomore Ben Brandli and Sophomore Troy Andrews help sort out the can goods that they gathered.

Above — YUMMY — Sophomores Aaron Bontrager and Hans Miller enjoy their reward they received for helping with the Care Network.

Above — STOP — Sophomores Joel Edds and Brett Cropsey stop eating their reward to pose for a cheesy picture.

Above — Hans Miller, Ben Brandli, Troy Andrews, Derek Nihart, Aaron Bontrager, Brett Cropsey, Gabe Macias and Joel Edds.
Right — QUIZ BOWL — Michael DeClue, Todd Yoder, Andy Stratman, Rene Towers, Loren Huggett, Kendra Fletcher, Ashley Horrell.

Left — MATH MEET — Rachael Bender, Loren Huggett, Steve Gates, Derek Ginton, Jacob Brorson, Kyle Harman, Jessica Unger, Todd Yoder, Andy Stratman, Derek Bontrager.

Above — HAVING FUN — Eighth grader Crystal Picking shows her excitement at a middle school assembly.

Above — I LOVE THIS PLACE — Seventh graders Heather Girard, Danielle Randall, and Betsy Zealier enjoy themselves at New York's United Nations. Below — TIME TO EAT — Eighth graders Leif Berghaker, Derek Bontrager, and seventh grader Chris Jancasz eat their lunch in New York in front of the Lincoln Center for the Performing Arts.

Above — READY TO GO — Seventh grader Megan Gosling is ready to enter the shuttle and is going through air lock at the Challenger Learning Center. Below — CAN YOU HEAR ME? — While on the Communications Team seventh graders Eric Leeth and Ashley Wagner are ready to give the go ahead in Mission Control.

Above — I AM STRONG — Eighth grader Loren Huggett shows just how strong she really is.
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