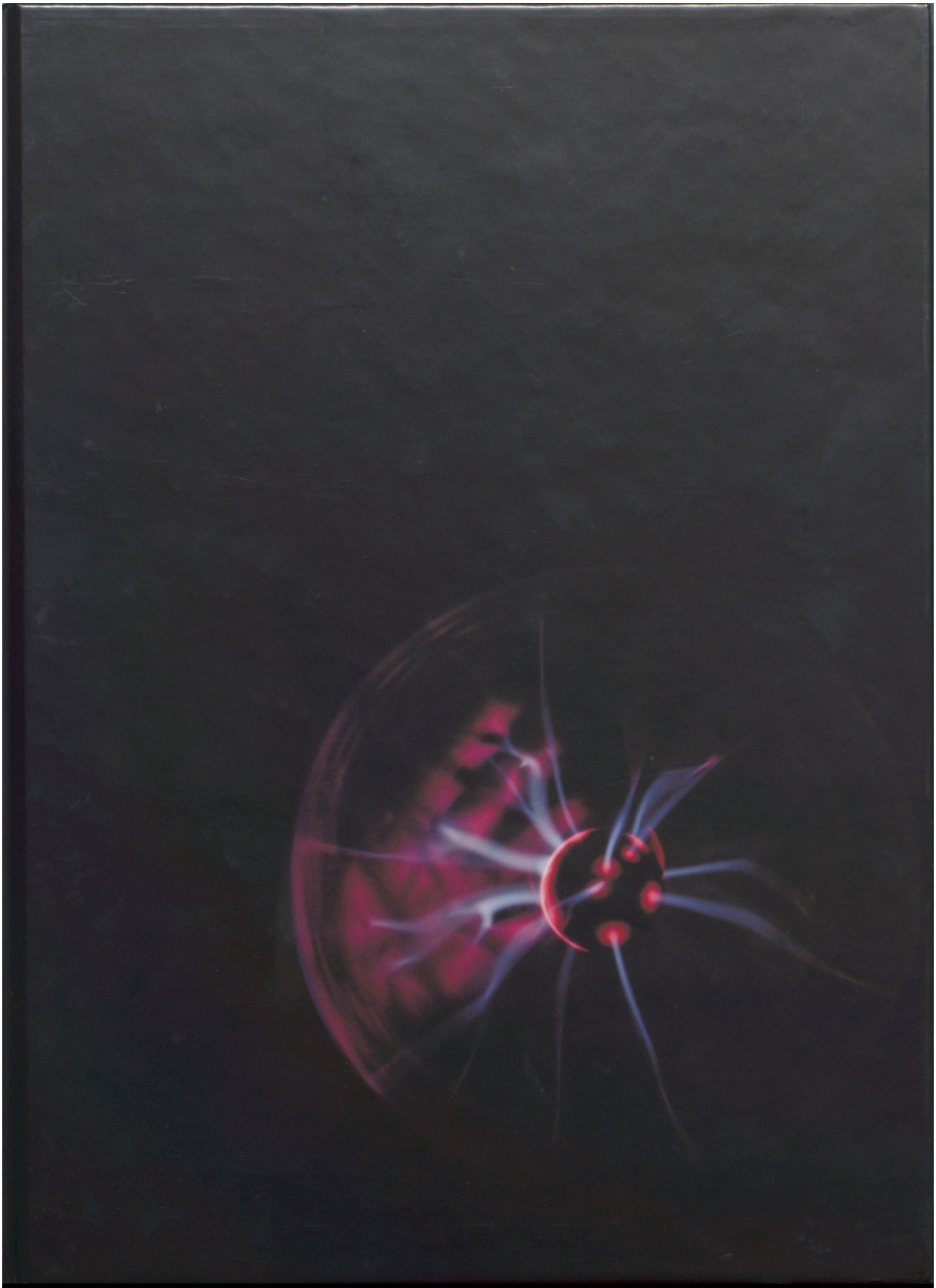


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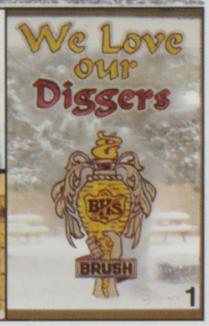
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An Implied Theme

Sometimes it's what's unsaid that sparks inspiration

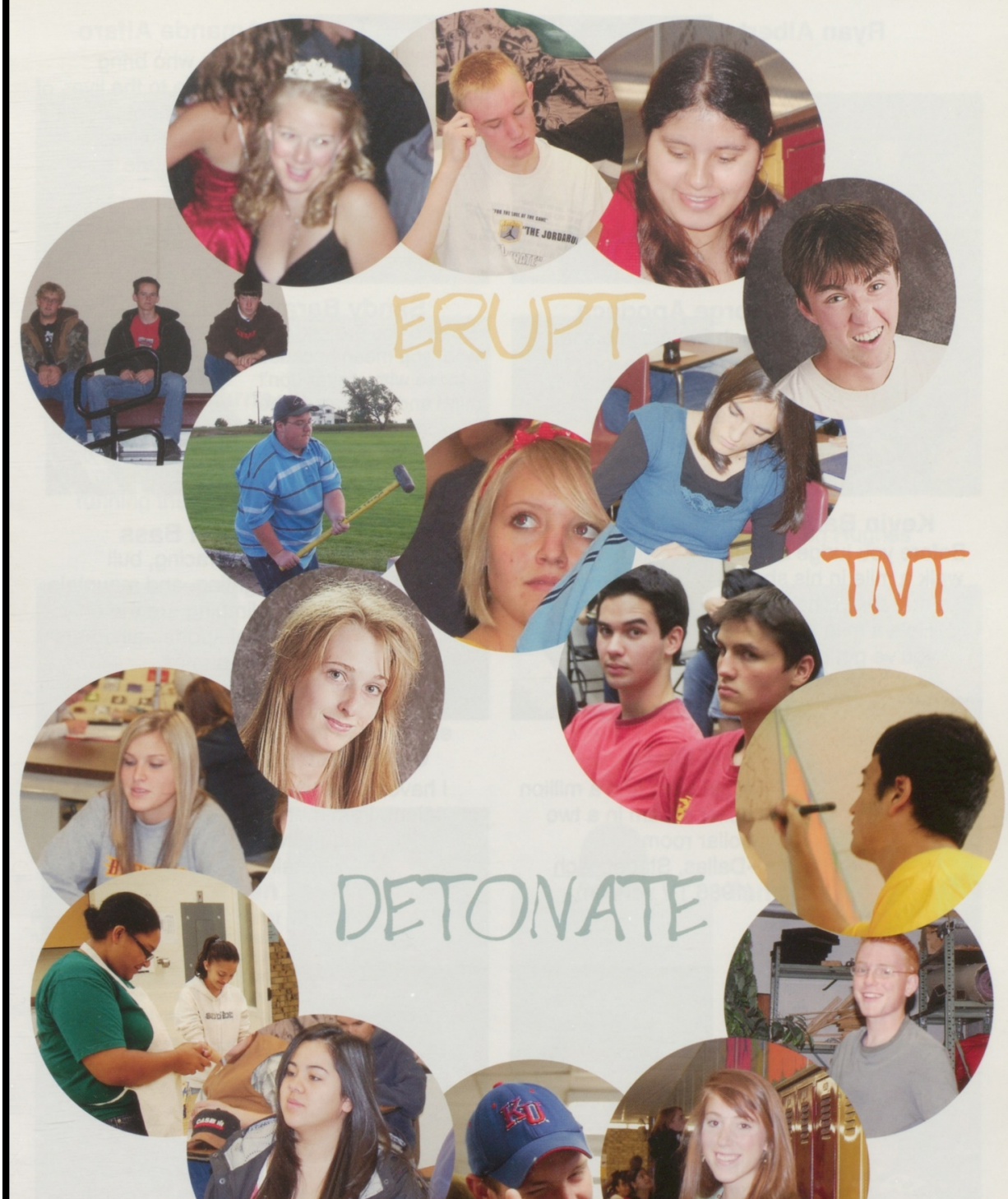


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Ryan Albert





Amanda Alfaro

Those who bring sunshine to the lives of others cannot keep it from themselves.
-James Barrie



Jorge Apodaca

High School is a short step down the long road of life.
-Charles Hixon

Sandy Baray

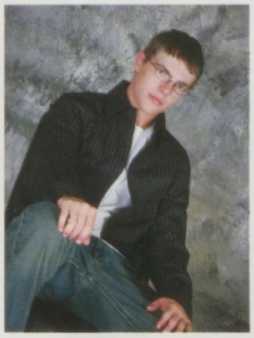
Be who you are and say what you mean because those who matter don't mind and and those who mind don't matter.



Kevin Barrandey

Before you judge a man, walk a mile in his shoes. After that, who cares? He's a mile away and you've got his shoes.





Justin Bass

Auto racing, bull fighting, and mountain climbing are the only real sports...all others are games.
-Earnest Hemingway

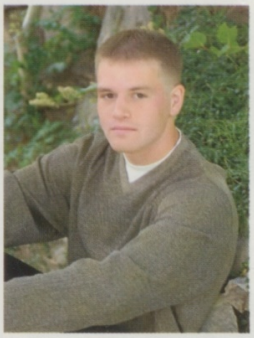


Levi Blake

A girl can't find a million dollar dream in a two dollar room.
-Dallas, Stagecoach
(1986 TV version)

Cole Bostrom

I have no particular talent. I am merely inquisitive.
-Einstein



Hillary Bowen





Robert Bowen

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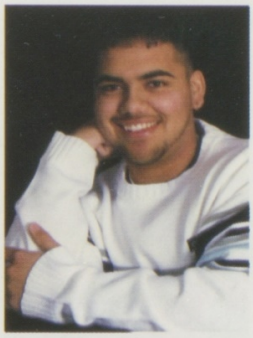
Chiara Browder

Jason Brunkhardt
Dont judge me by my looks judge me by the great things I have done.

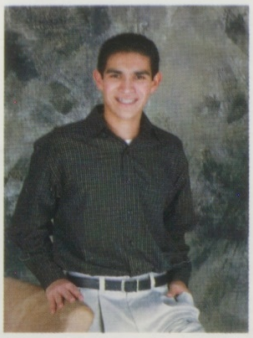




Adam Burns
True terror is waking up one morning to find out that our senior class is running the country.



Adrian Cardenas
Hold fast to dreams, for if dreams die, life is a broken winged bird that cannot fly.
-Langston Hughes



Alejandro Carrillo
The person who smiles when things go wrong has thought of someone to blame it on.

Cesilie Chavez
Like Grandma says "Always be two steps ahead of your men."





Jamie Christensen
Reach out and open the door that no one thought could be opened. Life is behind it! We don't have an eternity to realize our dreams only the time we are here. If you risk nothing then you risk everything.



Tanner Christensen

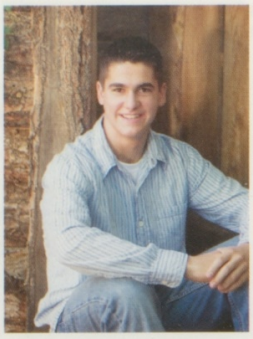


Chris Cook
I better kiss heaven goodbye, cuz it has got to be a sin to look this good.
-Fresh Prince



Missie Dechant
Winners never quit, and quitters never win!

Chris Ely
People who think by the inch and talk by the yard deserve to be kicked by the foot.
-Anon





Juliana Escobar
The power of kindness is immense. It is nothing less than the power to change the world.



Jenna Florian





Alisha Fisher

Jenna Florian
If you wait to do everything until you're sure it's right, you'll probably never do much of anything.





Jessie Florian
World peace.



Kristina Furman
The more you cry the less you pee.
-Grandpa Furman



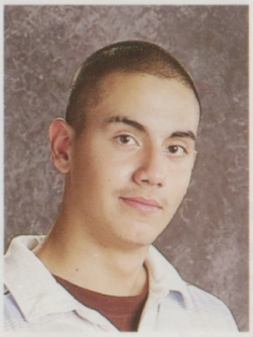
Rebecca Galaviz
Live life to the fullest.

Laura Garcia
There is only one success - to be able to spend life in your own way.



Mayela Garcia
We are all something but none of us are everything.
-Blaise Pascal





Ramiro Garcilazo

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Jacqueline Gardner
Be who you are and say what you feel because those who mind don't matter and those who matter don't mind.
-Dr. Seuss

Grant Genho
Whatever you think of me, I'm probably the exact opposite. So what's it matter?

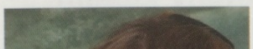






Adam Goss
Here's the kicker...a biscuit shy of...and such...do I make myself clear?!
-Mr. David L. Miner

Roy Grauberger
It happens.
-Forrest Gump





-Mr. David L. Miner



Amanda Groves

Adriana Gutierrez
Vida Infra (See below the surface)
-KSE



Jessica Hammer
There's nothing stronger than gentleness.
-Abraham Lincoln





Daniel Harl
Well I was bullied at school, called all kinds of different names. But one day I turned to my bullies and said-'Sticks and stones may break my bones but names will never hurt me'. and it worked! From there on it was sticks and stones all the way.
-Harry Hill



Dustin Hass

Tommy Hudson



Jorge Huerta
A little respect goes a long way.





Tiffany Jameson
Charm is my way of getting the answer "yes" without asking a clear question because when people are laughing they are generally not killing one another.



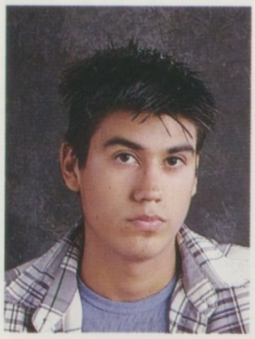
Beth Johnson
Realize whats important in your life - what you can live with, but more importantly what you can't live without.

LaTika Johnson
Change is what keeps us fresh and innovative. Change is what keeps us from getting stale. Change is what keeps us young
-Rick Pitino



Vanessa Knight
Nothing in life is to be feared. It is only to be understood.





Anthony Landin



Coree Linker
If splashing in puddles means you have to wear wet shoes the rest of the

Stephanie Lintner
You have brains in your head. You have feet in your shoes. You can steer



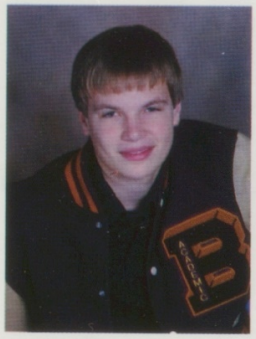


If splashing in puddles means you have to wear wet shoes the rest of the day...sometimes it's worth it.

You have brains in your head. You have feet in your shoes. You can steer yourself in any direction you choose. You're on your own. And you know what you know. You are the one who'll decide where you go.
-Dr. Seuss



Stephen Low





Kyle Lynch
It's not what you ask of me, but what I ask of myself.

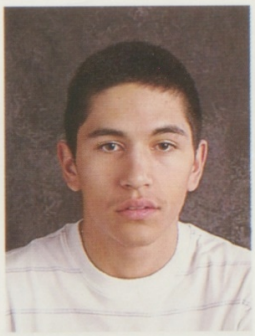
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Seren Machuca
Dream as if you'll live forever, live as if you'll die today.

Gerardo Macias





Ariel Mares
Life. Is. Good.



Rex May
Life consists not in holding good cards, but in playing those you hold well.
-Josh Billings



Cameron McCreery
Ashes to ashes
Dust to dust
If it wasn't for Fords
My tools would rust.

Pricilla Melendez
I'd rather be hated for who I am than loved for who I'm not.





Ivy Melendez
I do what I want.



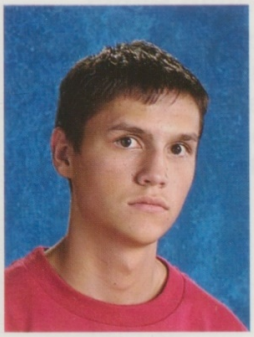
Steven Mertens
I can not dumb it down any more for you.
-Cole Bostrom



John Mick

Rocky Montgomery

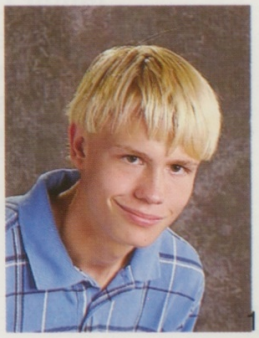




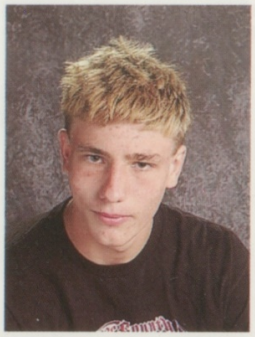
John Mick

You gain strength, courage, and confidence by every experience in which you really stop to look fear in the face. You are able to say to yourself, "I have lived through this horror. I can take the next thing that comes along." You must do the thing you think you cannot do.
-Eleanor Roosevelt

Rocky Montgomery



Ryan Montgomery





Griselda Moreno

There is no elevator for success. You have to take the stairs.



Robbie Morgan

All you need in this life is ignorance and confidence, and then success is sure.
-Mark Twain

Lyndsey Needens

Do what makes you happy. Be with who makes you smile. Laugh as much as you breathe and love as long as you live.



Rochelle Neher

Money isn't everything, but it ranks right up there with oxygen.
-Rita Davenport





Austin Nichols

What would Jimmy Buffett do?
-Alan Jackson

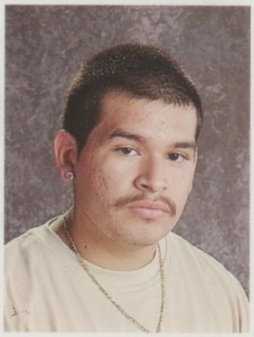


Vanessa Nolan

Drama is what girls create out of jealousy.

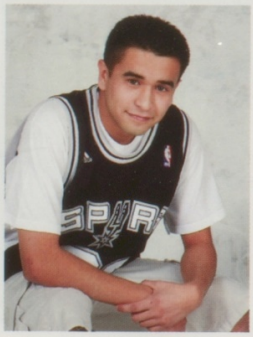
Omar Ortega

Just California dreaming.
-Tupac



Javier Ortiz

I'd rather beg for foregiveness than ask for permission.
-Dazed and Confused





Megan Pabst

School (n.): a large number of one kind of water animal swimming and feeding together.
-Merriam Webster

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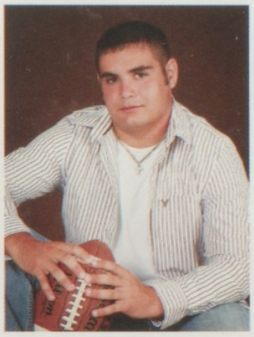
Olivia Pecukonis
Life is a jungle, explore it.

Juan Piceno
Sometimes if you're lucky, someome special comes into your life who'll take up a place in your heart that no one else can fill, someone who's tighter than a twin, more with you than your own shadow, who gets deeper under your skin than your own blood and bones.
-Snoop Dogg





Melissa Pillard
Dont follow my footsteps...I run into walls.



Rico Portuese
Well done is better than well said.
-Benjamin Franklin

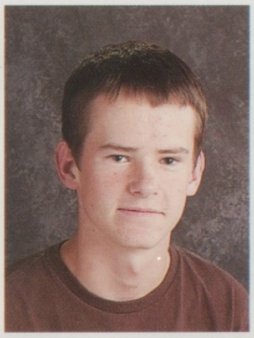


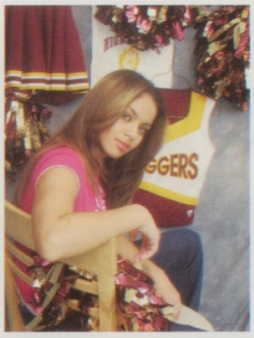
Lauren Pulley
This is gonna be amazing. Let's get outta here!

Daisy Ramirez
If your success is not on your own terms, if it looks good to the world but does not feel good in your heart, it is not success at all.
-Anna Quindlen



Aaron Riter





Rebeca Robles
"You build on failure. You use it as a stepping stone. Close the door on the past. You don't try to forget the mistakes, but you don't dwell on it. You don't let it have any of your energy, or any of your time, or any of your space."
-Johnny Cash



Missael Rodriguez-Ulloa
Ask yourself if what you are doing today approaches the place which you want to be tomorrow.
-J. Brown

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Brittany Sanchez
Go on and be crazy. Craziness is like heaven.
-Jimi Hendrix





Carlos Sanchez
If you're not first you're last.
-Will Farrell as Ricky Bobby in Talladega Nights







Jesus Santacruz
No matter how hard life gets stick your chest out, keep your head up, and handle it.
-Tupac

Maria Saucedo
Shoot for the moon. Even if you miss, you'll land among the stars.

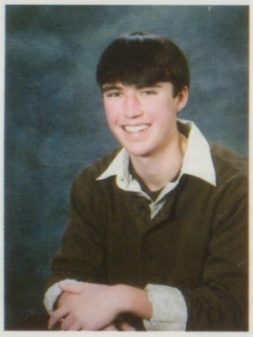


Sergio Saucedo
When I was a kid I used to pray every night for a new bike. Then I realized that The Lord doesn't work that way, so I stole one and asked him to forgive me.
-Emo Philips





Sarah Schwab
Add "in bed" to everyone else's senior quotes. You're welcome.



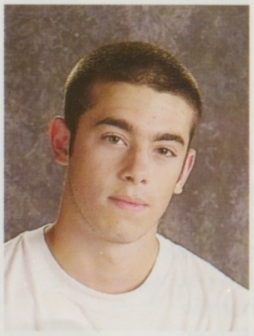
Nick Sopris
I thought this was a party. LET'S DANCE!
-Ren McCormick, played by Kevin Bacon in Footloose (the 1984 movie, not the musical)

Jared Spooner
If you can dream it, you can do it.
-Walt Disney





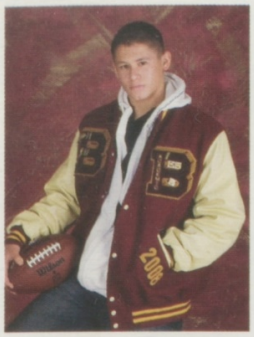
Cassandra Sullivan
People don't appreciate what they have until they have lost it.



Chris Trujillo

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Jairo Villa
Yea, though I walk through the valley of shadow of death I will fear no evil for thou art with me.
-Palms 23;4

Olivia Vizcaino
In your dreams baby!



Kevin Walker
Every man has to go through hell to reach paradise.





Travis Way
There is only one success, to be able to spend life in your own

Every man has to go through hell to reach paradise.
-Robert DeNiro as Max Cady in Cape Fear





There is only one success, to be able to spend life in your own way.
-Christopher Morley



Matt Wheeler
You live and learn. At any rate, you live.

Justin Wood
Let the good times stay and the bad things roll.









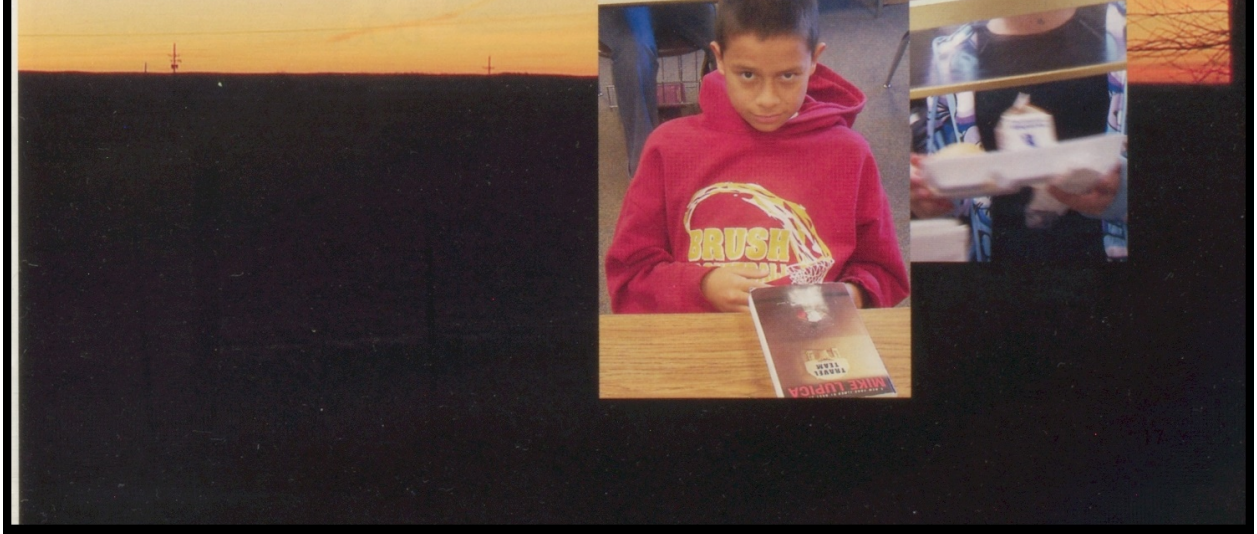


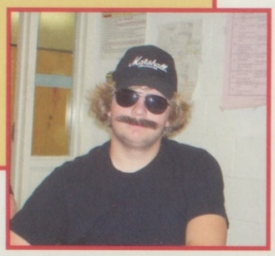












Jr. Austin Grippen



Fr. Shadron Herrera



Jr. Allen Hatch



Fr. Ace Abbott

WARNING: May Cause Spirit Surge!!!



Good Sport
Bryce Ritter shows some sportsmanship after embarassing Nick Sopris in the final of this year's inaugural Guitar Hero Tournament.

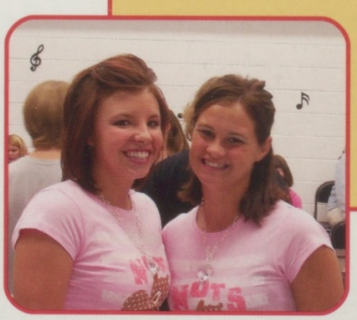


DOUBLE TROUBLE!!



Jrs. Jazlynn Armstrong





Jrs. Kayla Termohlen &



Jrs. Jazlynn Armstrong & Jenny Morgan



So. Amber Morgan & Jr. Desmond Small



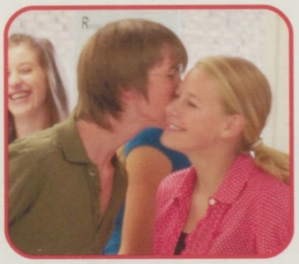
Jrs. Kayla Tormohlen & Megan Odle





Smashing!
Travis Way and Desiree Dugan show their brute strength during the Homecoming car smash.

Paul Mathieu shows his love for Jamie Christiensen at the annual"Kiss the Canidates" event.





Beyond a Shadow of a Doubt
Homecoming '08





PowderPuff
The class of 08' came up a bit short in this year's powderpuff final. The sophomores won with some AMAZING help from Alicia Nichols.



Pregame Prep
The Juniors and Seniors prepare for the gorilla volleyball final. The '08 gorillas came out victorious.



Gold's Her Color

Fr. Callie Chisum smiles as she is



Fr. Callie Chisum smiles as she is introduced to band's version of freshman initiation. (If only we could all look as cute during an attempt at humiliation.)



KeeP...



"Last year's dance was better because I went to the dance with a girl. This year I went with Brett Cranson which was *almost* as good.

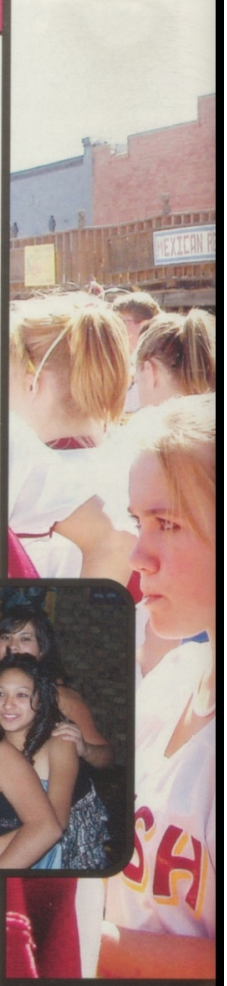
-Arturo Maltos-Garcia, Junior



Kayla Tormohlen, Leesa Drew, and Megan Odle do the "Watermelon Crawl."...Whatever that is. Beats a poor rendition of "Thriller" any day.



No better time for a group photo with your friends, than when there's a chance your friendship would be recorded within the yearbook forever.





"Dancing's pretty much my passion - ballet, tap, it's all an expression of my inner soul. My real calling I feel however is in interpretive dance."

-Nick Sopris, Senior.

"Being queen was sweet, 'cause for me Homecoming is ~~one~~ of the best weeks of the year, so what better time to be royalty?"

- Sr. Jamie Christensen



A Bunch of Cut Ups...



The freshmen blew us away with their 1st place "Operation" float.







The FFA Mousetrap float had us all wondering if maybe Macy's re-wrote their route.



Thanksgiving Already?

Sweet Victory...or at least, that's what we're always cheering for at BHS's annual Homecoming Parade.

Above: Sr. Ariel Mares represents the soul and purpose of the parade: candy and free mini-footballs.

Ladies Man... Jr. Mike McFarland dares to be different.

His #1 Fan... Jr. Stacey Lyne had no trouble deciding what to wear the day of the parade.



Kinetic.

High Voltage Voices



"My favorite part about being a manager was hangin' out with the team and getting to be involved with the game."

Brent Hammer





All-Conference quarterback Arturo Maltos-Garcia sets up to deliver a dart to an open receiver.

Running back Chris Ely breaks away into pigskin paradise untouched against Kent









"The spirit line pumps you up for the second half and lets you know that the fans support you, no matter what."

Bradley Bass



"The most memorable part of this season was getting to work with the seniors and learning the speed of the varsity game."

Ryan Dreitz

Running back Chris Ely breaks away into pigskin paradise untouched against Kent Denver.

All-Conference wide receiver Jared Spooner splits Holy Family coverage and holds on to get a Digger first down.









FEEL THE POWER

THUNDERSTRUCK



All-State lineman Rico Portuese splits double team and meets the Holy Family running back in the back field, dragging him down for a loss.

Roy Grauberger scampers away from defenders for a first down. Roy also doubled as an All-Conference linebacker for the Diggers' D.









	DIGGERS	Them
Fort Morgan	15	22
Kent Denver	34	13
University	41	34
Eaton	6	17
Weld Centra	35	0
Platte Valley	23	26
Roosevelt	14	6
Estes Park	49	3
Yuma	34	30
Holy Family	36	47

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Jose Canamar, Bruce Melendez, Justin Wood, Bryce Ritter, Ryan Dreitz, Tyler Weitzel, Chris Trujillo, Carlos Sanchez, Coach Dreitz, Coach Ginther, Joel Bahr, Dylan French, Steven Mertens, Chad Linker, Jared Spooner, Seth James, Rico Portuese, Coach Schwindt, Coach Craton, Coach Hughes, Coach Garcia, Jairo Villa, Bradley Bass, Brett Cranson, Cole Bostrom, Isaac Brost, Tony Guzman, Coach Albo, Brenton "Hammertime" Hammer, Lucas Schoelkopf, Adrian Cardenas, Arturo Maltos-Garcia, Cole Kembel, Roy Grauberger, John Hirschfeld, Derek Lynch, Tyson Larrick, Austin Nichols, Aaron Waters, Grant Genho, Jacob Fechter, Justin Burns, Chris Ely, Tyler Booth, Daniel Rubalcaba, Brad Quillin.



Carting Around...

Srs. Steven Low and Chiara Browder perfrom a cart inspection at Brush Grocery Kart.

Working Girl

Sr. Beth Johnson serves some food with her kind smile while working at McDonald's.





'Cause I'm A Rock Star



You Should've Been There!



'Cause I'm A Rock Star
Jr. Cameron Brandenburg and Sr. Justin Bass of Caught In The Headlights rock out at The Gathering Place.

You Should've Been There!
Many students spend their weekends going to rock concerts, like this one featuring The Starting Line and Paramore.

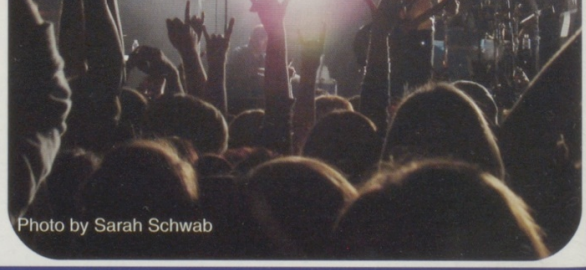
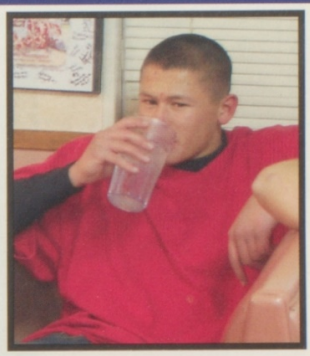


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Student Life Force

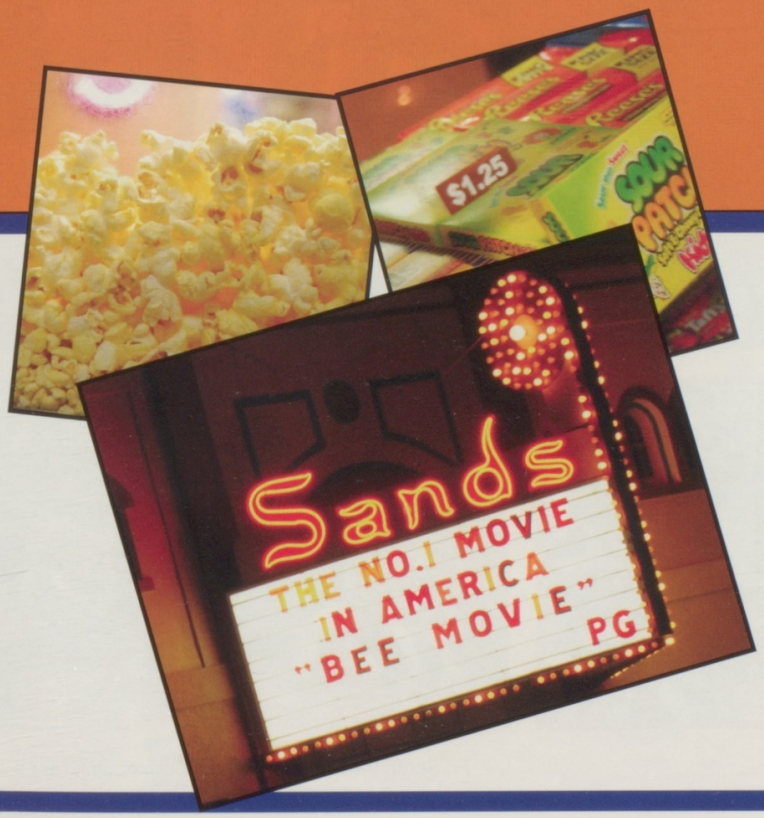








Clockwise from top left: Sr. LaTika Johnson at checkout at Brush Grocery Kart; Sr. Jairo Villa on a water break at Diggers Diner; Sr. Olivia Pecukonis listens to a band at a rock concert; Fr. Bryce Stevens attending his sister's wedding; Jr. Elizabeth Aguilar making fries at McDonald's.



Sands Theater

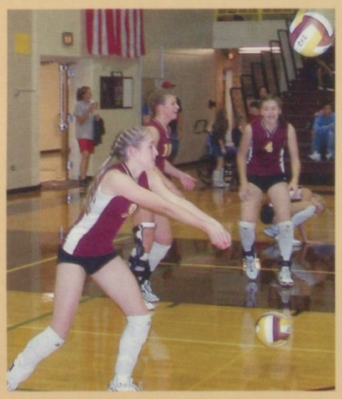
Everyone loves to see a movie. The historical Sands Theater provides many BHS students a place to unwind after a busy week. Plus they have awesome popcorn and candy.

Padilla the Killa
Jr. Krista Padilla serves up an ace at the Fort Morgan Classic.

Practice Makes Perfect
Fr. Sarah Padilla warms up before the Akron game. The Lady Diggers won in four games.

Get Some
Sr. Vanessa Nolan goes up for a block, defending the Diggers against a Berthoud hitter.











There Is No "I" In Team
The varsity girls take a moment for team bonding before the big game against rivals Yuma.

Net Work
So. Alicia Nichols hammers down a kill against Valley.





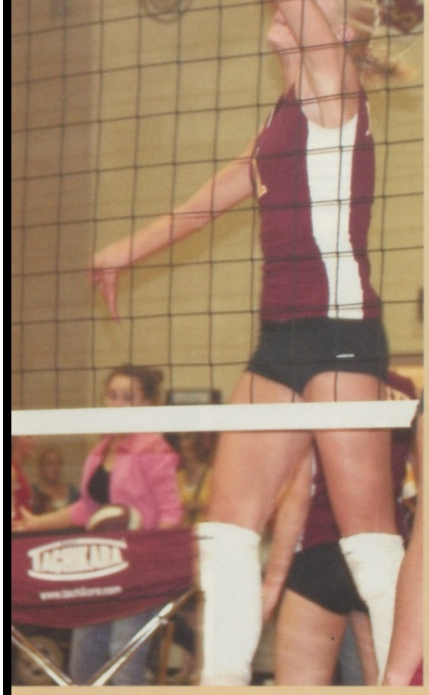
Going In For The Kill
Fr. Sarah Padilla sets Sr. Coree Linker up for a kill against the Eaton Reds.



TEAMWORK *Makes The Dream Work*

Smack Down
Sr. Jessie Florian kills

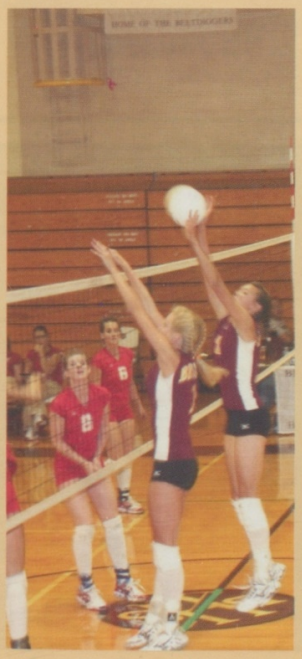
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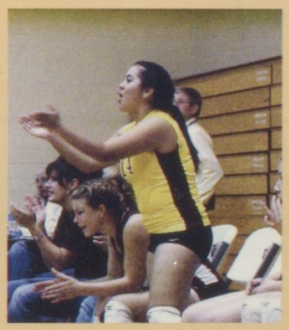


Smack Down
Sr. Jessie Florian kills 'em during a warmup.



	Win	Loss
Weld Central	2	3
Platte Valley	0	3
Valley	0	3
Wray	2	3
Akron	1	3
Berthoud	0	3
Caliche	1	3
Valley	0	3
Eaton	1	3
Roosevelt	1	3
Wiggins	3	1
Yuma	3	2
Weld Central	3	1
Platte Valley	1	3
Akron	3	1
Valley	0	3
Eaton	0	3
Roosevelt	0	3
Yuma	3	1
Estes Park	0	3





"Let's Go!"
Sr. Laura Garcia shows her team spirit as she cheers from the sidelines.

Blockade
So. Alicia Nichols and Sr. Jessie Florian block a hit from the Yuma Indians.



Back Row: Jr. Krista Padilla, Coach Hirschfeld, Coach Draegert, Coach Gudahl.
Middle Row: Fr. Ashley Araujo, So. Darla Rosenbrock, Fr. Callie Chisum, Fr. Sarah Padilla, Jr. Kayla Tormohlen, So. Kolby Bright.
Front Row: Sr. Jessie Florian, So. Alicia Nichols, Sr. Laura Garcia, Sr. Coree Linker, Jr. Krista Mares, So. Jenna Buckley



Junior Isaac Brost's Plymouth 1966 Valiant smiles for the camera.



Senior Ryan Albert's 1999 Chevy Silverado







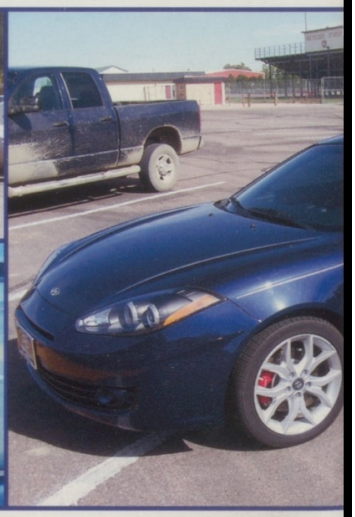










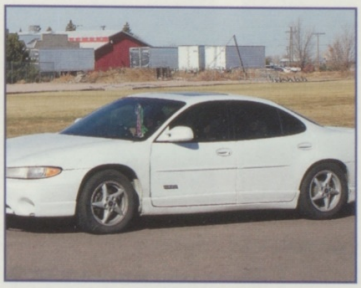


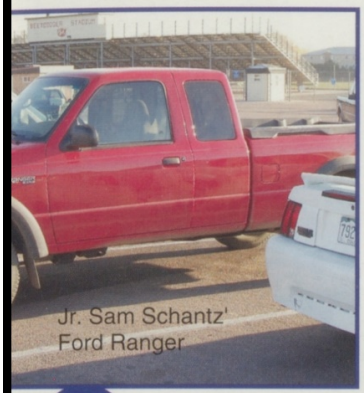


Out to Lunch
Seniors Grant Genho (left) and Cesilie Chavez (below) pick up friends and speed out of the parking lot to get something good to eat.



"Primer is my favorite color," says senior Cameron McCreery of his 1971 Chevrolet pick up.





Jr. Sam Schantz' Ford Ranger

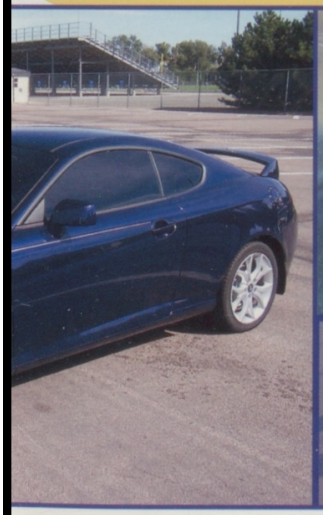


Sniffin' Around
Drug dogs check out all the cars during a lockdown at the beginning of the year.

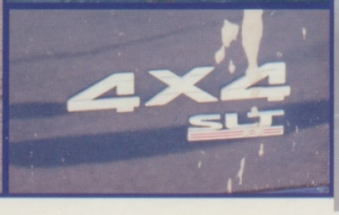


Crank Plugs

Spark Plugs







Several students snag spots in the front row for a quick get away after school.

Up close and personal with Junior Andres Garcia's 1994 Camaro.

Parking permits are required this year for students and teachers alike.

Junior Jessica Elliot's parking skills aren't quite up to par in her Hyndai Tiburon.

Junior Cole Kembel "got a little mud on his tires" in his 2004 Dodge Truck.



Bring em' Up - Sit em' Down
Senior Cesilie Chavez winds up with momentum as freshman Rebecca Walker waits to secure the strikeout.



Fastpitch Softball
Heating It Up











In the Zone
Senior LaTika Johnson keeps a serious face in the dugout as she mentally prepares for her next at-bat.



Getting On
Sophomore Kati Hernandez prepares for one of her signature dragbunts in an attempt to reach first.



Diggers on Three
1...2...3... Diggers. The lady softball team gets fired up to start this game off with some energy.



Unleashing The Power
Clockwise from top left: Fr. Hailey Craton, Sr. Lyndsey Needens, Jr. Katie Hocheder, So. Raelene Wolever.



Who's on 3rd?
Assistant coach Kirk Smock gives some baserunning advice to freshman Jessica Buckley as she stands on third base.

All Geared Up
Senior Seren Machuca heads into the dugout after an action packed inning of catching.



	Us	Them
Eaton	3	10
Platte Valley	3	6
Fort Lupton	5	2
Yuma	4	0
Limon	5	8
Holyoke	16	0
Strasburg	8	5
Rifle	1	3
Silver Creek	3	5
Roosevelt	5	15
Fort Morgan	17	5
Wray	3	4
Valley	2	5
Weld Central	10	8
Holyoke	5	2
Roosevelt	8	6
Lyons	11	6
Burlington	0	11
Erie	0	13
Peak to Peak	15	5
La Junta	5	7
Wray	4	1
Limon	1	4

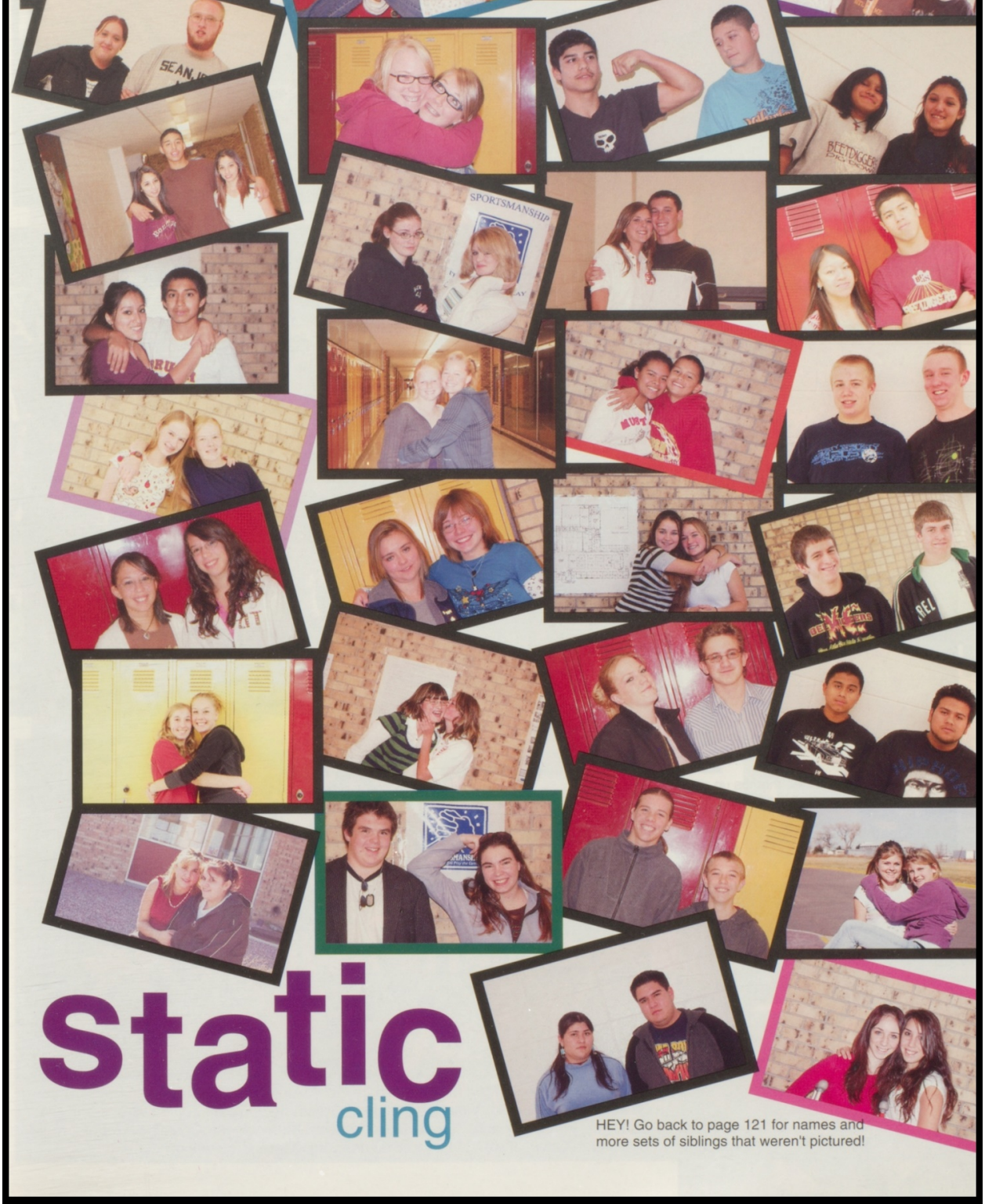


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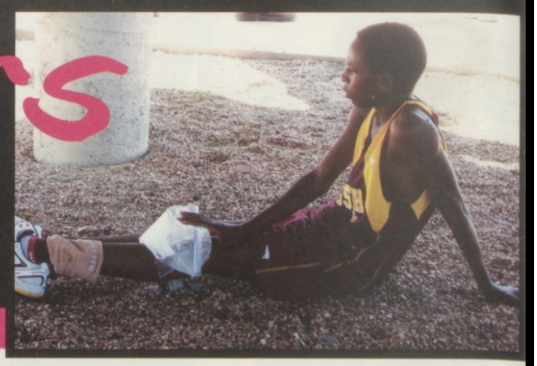


static cling

HEY! Go back to page 121 for names and more sets of siblings that weren't pictured!

Energizers

They just keep going...



Ice, Ice, Baby
Fr. Amos Bowen ices his knee while relaxing in the shade before a meet. The Diggers race against competitors, showing off their proud colors.



relaxing in the shade before a meet. The Diggers race against competitors, showing off their proud colors.



It's All Good
Jr. Kevin Bass flashes the thumbs up sign as he tops the hill at the Prairie View Invite.
Deep Breathing
So. Christine Gregory visualizes the finish line.





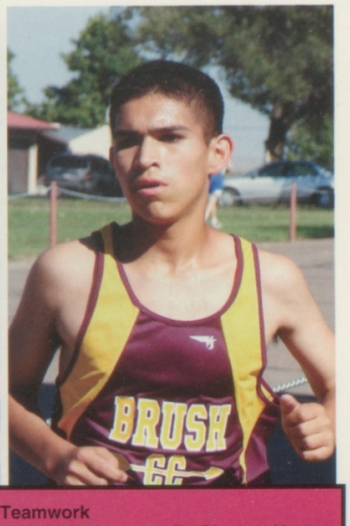


Tanner Christensen, Paul Mathieu, Adam Goss, Alejandro Carrillo, Kevin Bass, Amos Bowen, Coach Quinlin, Victoria Albo, Josh Greathouse, Derek Zuniga, Bryce Stevens, Shadron Herrera, Coach Marcus, Coach Kraich, Kathy Unger, Christine Gregory, Katie Cyr, Sarah Goss, Jill Mertens, Mr. Brandenburg, Jamie Christensen



One Step At A Time
Sr. Tanner Christensen puts one foot in front of the other; each step is one closer to the finish line!





Teamwork
Jr. Paul Mathieu and Fr. Shadron Herrera stick together.
Focus
Sr. Alejandro Carillo keeps his eye on the finish line.
One Lane at a Time
Fr. Bryce Stevens finishes strong on the Brush track.





Sr. Tanner Christensen puts one foot in front of the other; each step is one closer to the finish line!

Stretch it Out
So. Jill Mertens stretches after every run to avoid injuries.





Almost There
Sr. Adam Goss: "If we didn't run for the short shorts, then we would at least do it for the shaved legs."

Too Close for Comfort
Jr. Victoria Albo easily puts distance between herself and another runner.





And going!

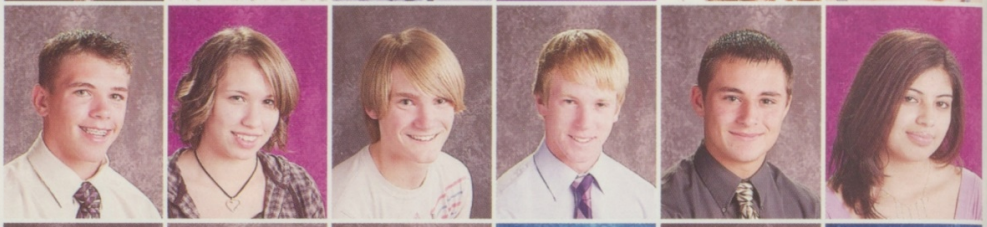
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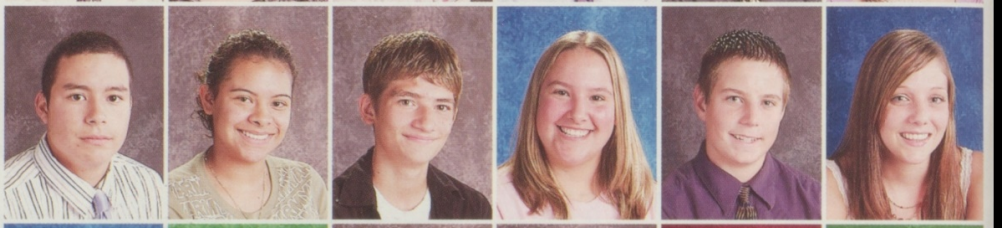
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Tyler Booth
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Cameron Brandenburg
Isaac Brost
Justin Burns
Patricia Campa



Jose Canamar
Jessica Castro
Justin Catlett
Kirstie Chapman
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Sarah Cummings



Dylann DeLong
Michael Desantis
Cynthia Diaz-Ramirez
Ryan Dreitz
Leesa Drew
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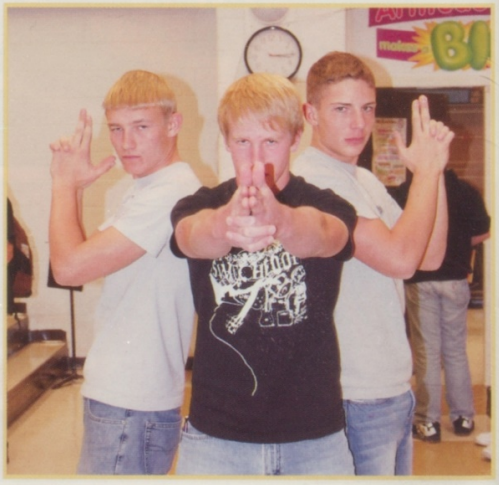


What is your favorite

Leslie Dykes

What is your favorite energy drink?







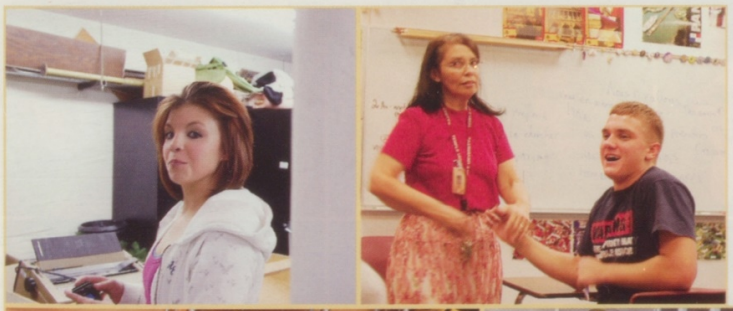
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Shelbi Frahm
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Katelyn Garfield

Samantha Glenn
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David Greenwood
Austin Grippin
Samuel Guzman
Julia Hardy

Allen Hatch
Samantha Herrera
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Elizabeth Huggins
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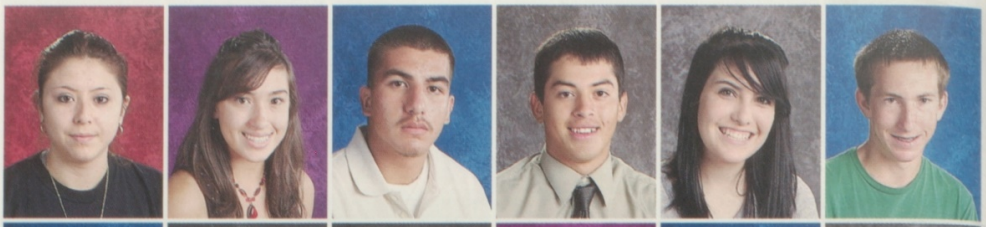
Cole Kembel
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2009



Sandra Lopez
Stacey Lyne
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Krista Mares
Kevin Massey



Paul Mathieu
John McFarland
Michael McFarland
Jenny Morgan
Catelyn Mullenix
Emily Nation



Biancca Nava
Brandon Oakes
Megan Odle
Katie Olson
Krista Padilla
Katie Potterf



Bradly Quillen
Camille Quinlin
Jorge Ramirez
Cecilia Reyes
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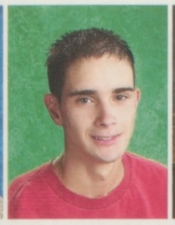
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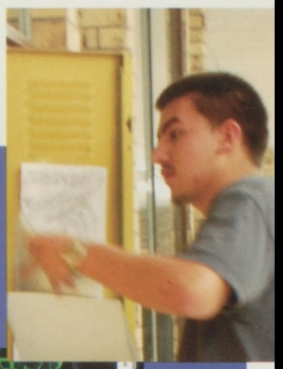
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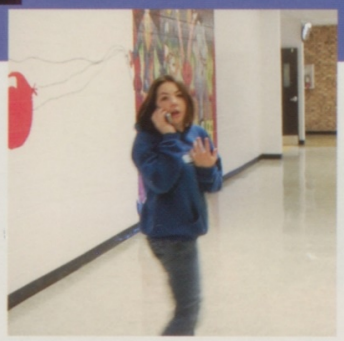
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Ivanna Espinoza
Andres Garcia

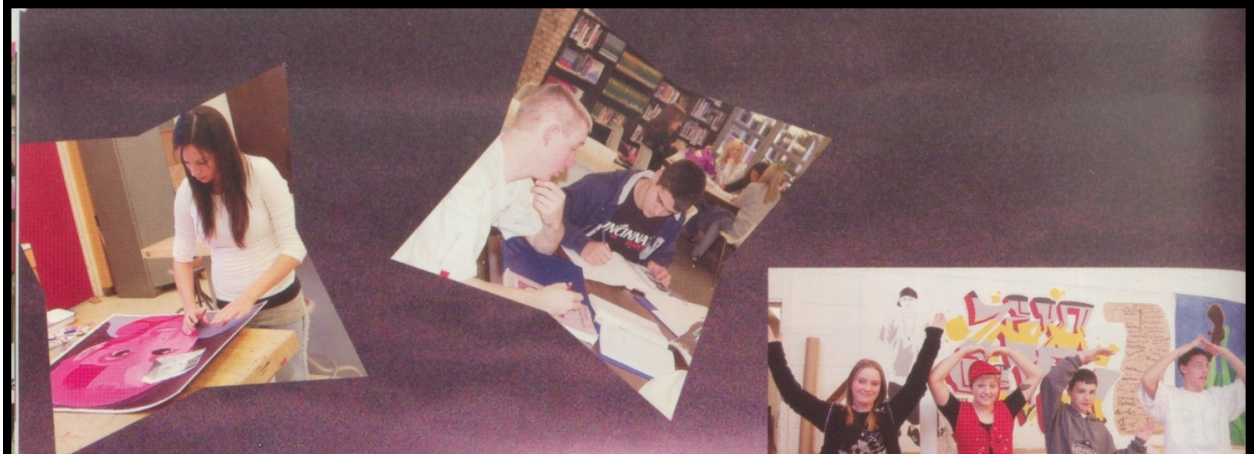




































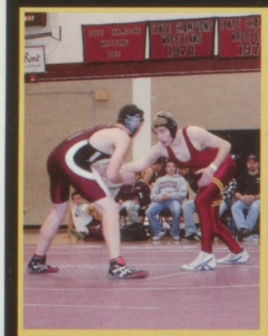
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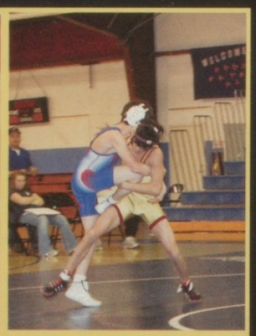


ROCKING...
Roy Grauberger, with his infamous crossface cradle, tries to put away his opponent.

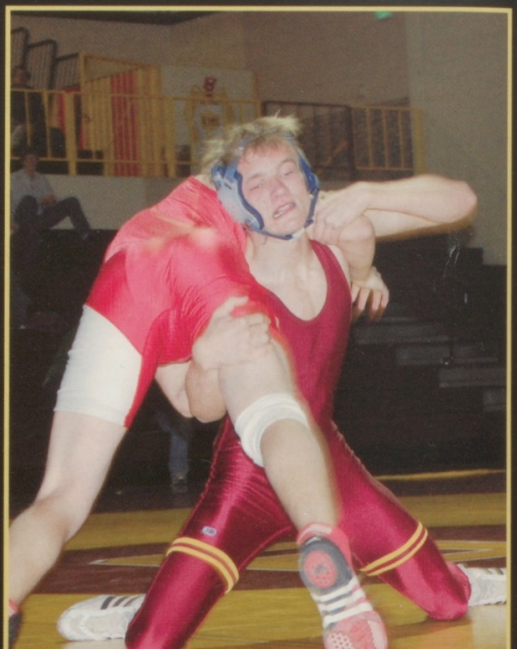


...THE CRADLE
Tanner Christensen, varsity 135 pounder, displays his domination as he goes for the pin with his version of the cradle.









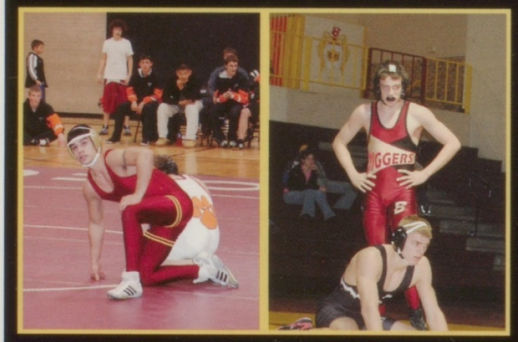


Clockwise from top left: Jacob Hunter reveals his reach in garbbing his Ft. Morgan foe. Dustin Hass boasts his brute strength as he finishes his single-leg. Freshman Johnny Heggins works the edge of the mat.

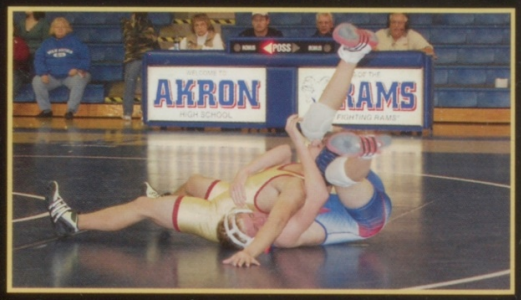


CALL THE FIREMAN!!!
Varsity 140 pounder Cole Kembel displays a picture perfect fireman's carry.

WRESTLING

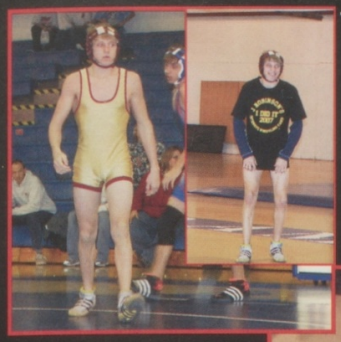


BRAINSTORM!
Both Jovanny Valles and Shea Hansen debate on what to do next.



I GOT YOUR BACK!
Angel Rivera, varsity 119 lbs., gets some back points with his back.

BEETDIGGER WRESTLING...



TWO FACE
Kevin Bass, varsity 112 lbs., shows both of his faces from mad and determined to happy and embarassed.



SQUEEZE!
Daniel Harl utilizes the headlock as he squeezes the life out of his opponent

So. Cody Christensen works a turk @ the Roosevelt dual.



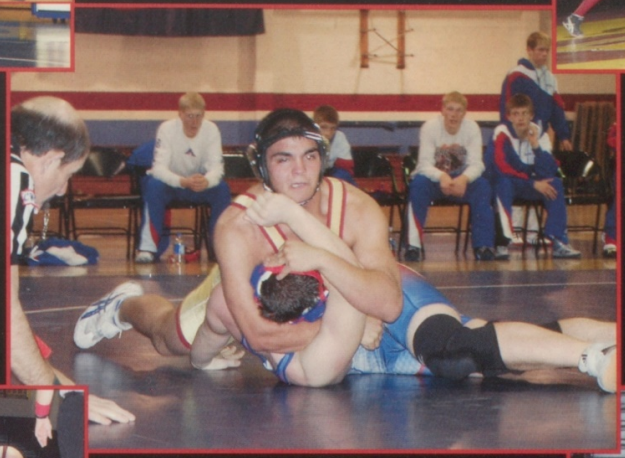
BIG CLAW!



SPRAWL!
Fr. Kyle Hefner sprawls to avoid a Roughrider take down.



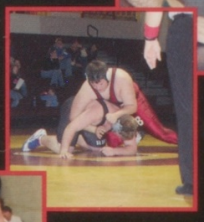
Tanner Morrow: Varsity 130 lbs.



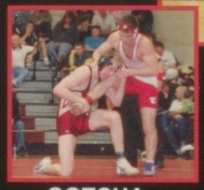


Daniel Harl: Varsity 215 Lbs.

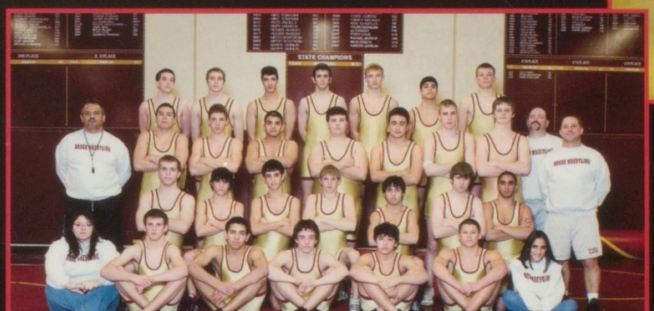
DOMINATION!
Jr. Aaron Waters is dominating his opponent on top.



AHH GRANDMA!!!
Daniel Rubalcaba, the varsity 189 pounder, shows his opponent what Digger wrestling is all about as he squeezes the life out of him via the grandma.



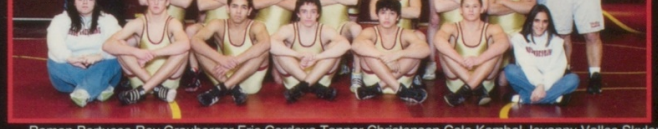
GOTCHA
Jacob Hunter, varsity 171 pounder, catches his opponent and is about to finish his sweep single.





SIZING HIM UP
Sr. Dustin Hass sizes up his Roosevelt opponent in the regional final @ Brush High School.

his opponent and is about to finish his sweep single.



High School.

Ramon Portuese,Roy Grauberger,Eric Cordova,Tanner Christensen,Cole Kembel,Jovanny Valles,Skyler Seewald,Coach Muniz,Jose Canamar,Lucas Schoelkopf,Daniel Rubalcaba,Aaron Waters,Daniel Harl,Jacob Hunter,Dylan French,Coach Quinlin,Brad Quillen,Dustin Hass,Johnny Heggins,Kevin Bass,Angel Rivera,Cody Christensen,Shawn Kauk,Coach Uhrig,Mgr. Nakyia Maloney,Kyle Muhr,Ruben Guzman,Shay Hansen,Kyle Hefner,Jairo Villa,Mgr. Juliana Escobar.

...ONLY THE STRONG SURVIVE

Language Arts
Igniting the Writing

GRAMMAR QUIZ
What is a dangling modifier?



"It has to modify something. It's misplaced at the end of the sentence."
-Sr. Rochelle Neher

"You use it to modify your dangling."
-So. Johnny Heggins





"Is it something like with an electronic radio?"
-Jr. Andrew Thayer

"No idea."
-So. Kyle Kravig





"Isn't it something in science?"
-Sr. Cesilie Chavez

Answer: A dangling modifier is a word or phrase that modifies a word not clearly stated in the sentence.



Constructive Criticism
Jr. Megan Odle gets a little help from the one and only Mrs. Bolinger during Junior Composition class. Her process essay just might become one of the best in the class with this useful advice.

Good Night
Mrs. Tayler-Luehring helps Fr. Hayden Segelke comprehend some passages from the touching book Night.

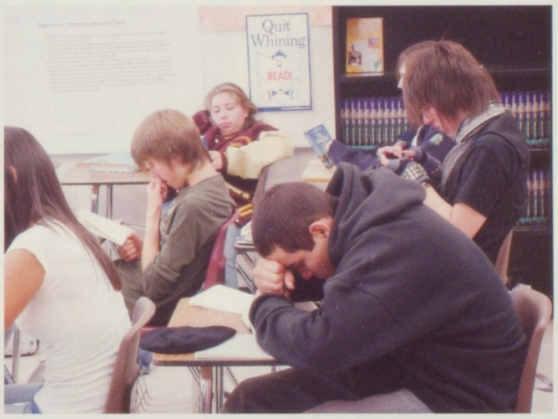


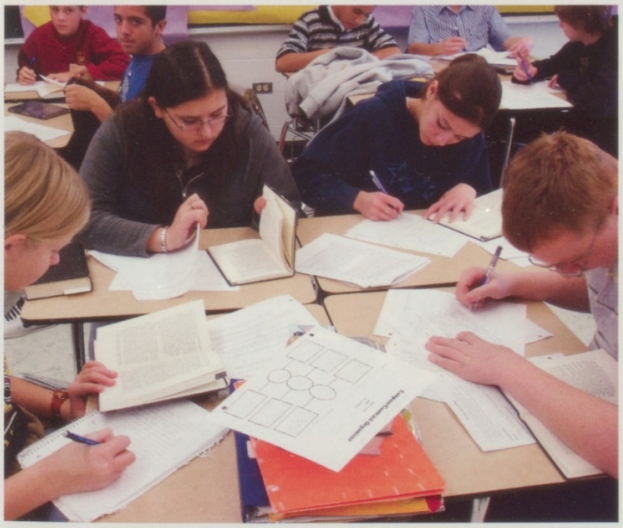


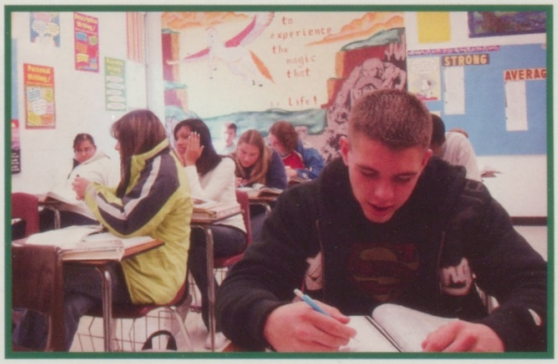


Working Away
Kendall Norrish works intently on Mrs. Krob's assignment.

Sleeping or Reading?
Jr. Jose Canamar reads Fallen Angels during Mrs. Bolinger's class, but if he decides to take a little nap, he's in perfect position.







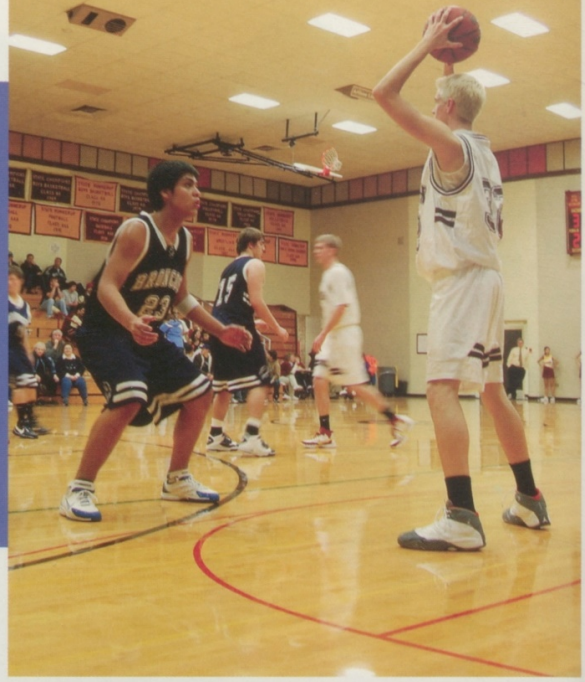
Puttin' Down Packets
Together this group of freshmen completes countless pages of packets. Clockwise from left: Kathy Unger, Kellsi Piercy, Ashley Araujo, Kegan Robinson.

Best in Class
In this noisy class of educated juniors, one student, Tyler Booth, keeps his mind on task.

Jr. Seth James, just seconds before passing the ball into an action-packed play, awaits the arrival of an open teammate.



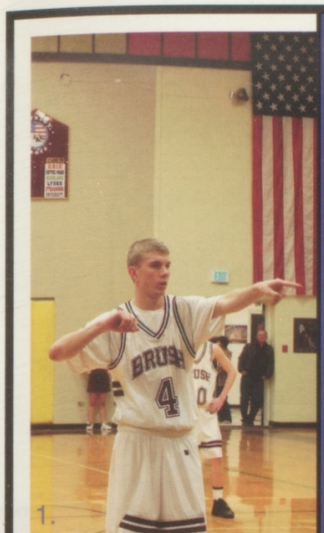




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Ft. Morgan	58	44
Akron	57	56
Eaton	44	56
Platte Valley	45	54
Denver Christian	48	60
Highland	74	69
Strasburg	62	54
Holy Family	73	77
Yuma	40	48
Roosevelt	62	64
Weld Central	44	41
Eaton	25	53
Platte Valley	48	64
Yuma	35	48
Holyoke	56	44
Valley	49	53
Weld Central	54	47
Roosevelt	68	53



Beetdigger Varsity Basketball
Back Row: Coach Mussell, Fr. C.J. Kukus, Sr. Jared Spooner, Jr. Chad Linker, So. Jeremy Deslauriers, Coach Kennedy. Middle Row: Coach Garcia, Sr. Kyle Lynch, Sr. Chris Ely, Sr. Nick Sopris, So. Ubaldo Cruz, Manager Matt Mick. Front Row: Manager Nate Thompson, So. Derek Lynch, Sr. Sergio Saucedo, Fr. Joe Rosenbrock, Manager Cody Kalous



1.



2.

Sr. Nick Sopris darts around a Fort Morgan opponent during the first game of the season.









1. Sr. Jared Spooner directs teammates for the new play.
2. So. Jeremy Deslauriers waits for a teammate to get get open for a pass.
3. Coach Kennedy helps motivate the team during a huddle.
4. Seniors Jared Spooner, Nick Sopris, and Chris Ely eagerly await the Mustangs' return to the court at the Fort Morgan game.



Sr. Kyle Lynch gets ready to shoot a free-throw while anticipation fills the gym.



Havin' A Ball

B

$$H^+ + O^{2-} \rightarrow H_2O$$

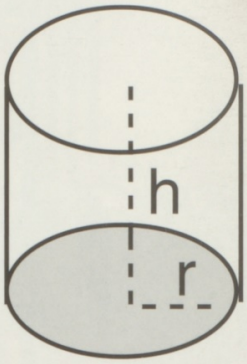
$$+$$

$$SO_3^-$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$H_2SO_4$$

$$A = 2\pi rh + 2\pi r^2$$



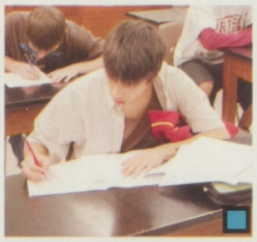




Caution!

- Sr. Olivia Pecukonis inspects her domino experiment.
- So. Kyle Kravig gets some help from Mr. Mussell.
- Sr. Jamie Christensen and Jr. Alejandro Carillo stay alert during Physics.
- Sr. Mayela Garcia, Sr. Juliana Escobar and Jr. Jesus Santacruz work with Mr. Miller







H







- Sr. brainiacs Steven Mertens, Cole Bostrom and Adam Goss line up dominoes.
- Mrs. Thilmony teaches Biology to freshmen.
- Jr. Jacob Hunter works with a pulley in Mr. Fletcher's









Mrs. Thilmony teaches Biology to freshmen.

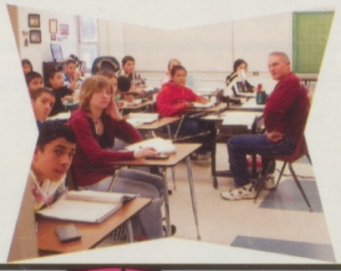
Jr. Jacob Hunter works with a pulley in Mr. Fletcher's class.

So. Louie Rivera: "Science is the best class in the world."





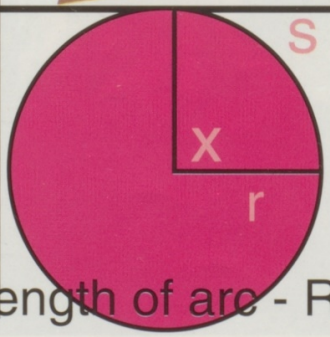
"Math is an extreme waste of time!"
- Jr. Sam Schantz





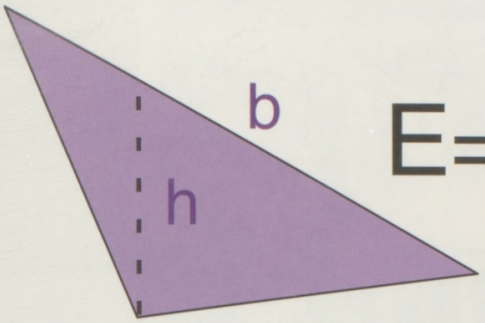
"Mr. Miller is the best math teacher ever!"
-Jr. Ryan Dreitz

"Teaching many new math skills in the morning..."
-Mr. Dreitz



Length of arc - Radians

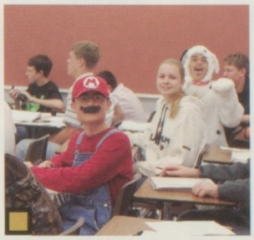
$s = rx$



$E=MC^2$



$A = \frac{1}{2}bh$



Trick or Treat. Fr. Bryce Stevens, Heather Hoyt and Pablo Gil do some math on Halloween.

So. Christine Gregory and Sr. Missael Rodriguez-Ulloa concentrate in Biology.

Students strive for excellence in Mr. Miner's second hour Chem I class.

Srs. Amanda Groves and Missie Dechant display their passive energy after a long hour of math.



Jrs. Biancca Nava, Adilene Garcilazo and So. Chelsea Crandall discuss their lab.

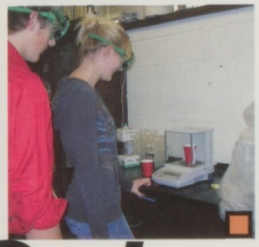
Jr.Jazlynn Armstrong and So. Jacob Schoelkopf weigh out some beans.

Jrs. Justin Catlett, Hannah Bostron, and Catelyn Mullenix check their calculations

Sophs Paul Hernandez and Edgar Espinoza work in Mr. Flethcher's class.











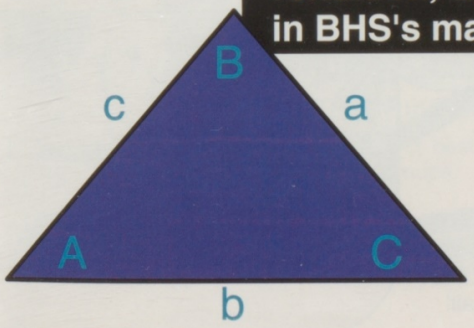


Calculated Combustion

Whether you're making an addition or subtracting a

Combustion

Whether you're making an addition or subtracting a rendition, divide up your skills to multiply your thrills in BHS's math & science departments!



Sine Law

$$\frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B} = \frac{c}{\sin C}$$

Power Ball



Q: What Was Your Pregame Ritual?



Everyone dances to Soulja Boy and we rock out to all kinds of music!
~ So. Darla Rosenbrock



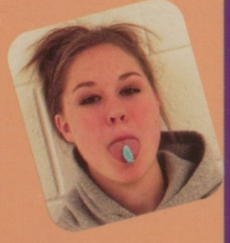
Party in the locker room!
~ Fr. Jessica Gordius



We'd play tag, act crazy, and slam lockers.
~ So. Jennifer Gutierrez



I'd dance and listen to Soulja Boy!
~ Fr. Callie Chisum



I'd chew a stick of gum.
~ Jr. Krista Padilla

Say What?
So. Jenna Buckley, Fr. Hailey Craton, Fr. Sarah Padilla and Fr. Tressa Wolever listen for the next play.





She's Outta There
Jr. Krista Padilla tags the

Padilla

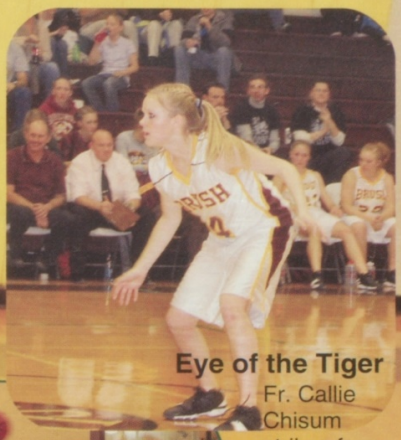
She's Outta There
Jr. Krista Padilla tags the runner out at 3rd base...no wait, this is basketball!



Shockin' And Rockin'



Concentrate, Young Grasshopper....
Fr. Rebecca Walker aims her freethrow in hopes for another point.



Eye of the Tiger
Fr. Callie Chisum strikes fear into her opponent on defense.



Sink the Rock!
So. Alicia Nichols shoots over a Strasburg defender.



He's Got The Whole World!
Coach Palser gives his best impression of Atlas during pregame warmups.

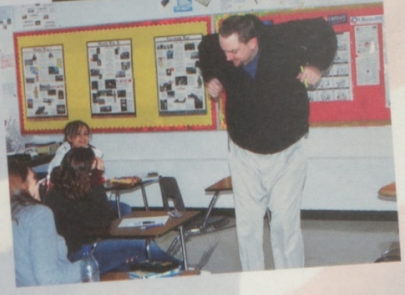


Run the Picket Fence!
Coach Gudahl gives advice to her young team during a time out.



Jumpin Jehosephat!

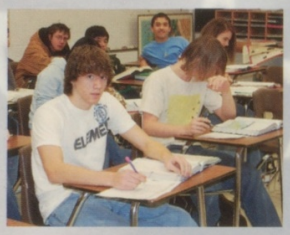
A Blast From the Past!



Mr. Kennedy shows how much he really cares about his United States of America class. When asked about his classes, he replied "you better get an astronomer, because my classes are out of this world!"



Jr. Tryston Laniel and Brittany Hiner crack open the books during Mr. Hughes' Great Civilizations.



Where in the world is Mr. Garica? Fr. Tanner Morrow and Michale Hunter attempt a scavenger hut for their freshman World Geography class.



Sr. Grant Genho crams for a quiz in Mr. Kennedy's United States of America Government class.



Sr. Jessie Florian reads The End of Oil for Mr. Hughes' Current Issues class.



Sr. Nick Sopris takes time out of his hectic basketball schedule to do a little coloring for Mr. Hughes, who is very impressed with Nick's attention to detail.



Sr. Rochelle Neher finishes up her American Government assignment and catches up on a little reading.



Sr. Jorge Huerta reads aloud for his American History class.



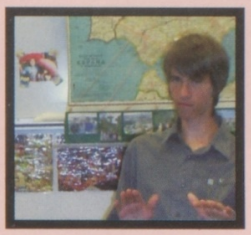
Sophs. Darla Rosenbrock, Kyra Brandt, Ramon Portuese, and Cesar Castrellon enjoy the smash hit Ratatouille in Mrs.



Sr. Adam Goss grubs down on a sucker in the celebration of Mardi Gras.



Jrs. Stacey Lyne and Allen Hatch enjoy some authentic Mexican food in their Spanish III class.



Jr. Paul Mathieu asks the other French students to slow down in Mrs. Perry's French IV

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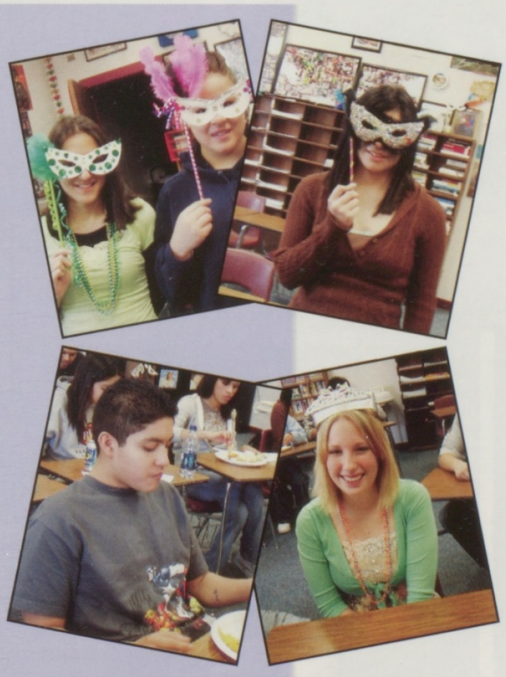
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¿Qué vino primero?

La poule ou l'oeuf?



Mrs. Perry's French and Spanish classes celebrate Fat Tuesday or "Mardi Gras" in French by making Mardi Gras masks. Mardi Gras is the final day of Carnival the three day period preceding the beginning of Lent, the Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday immediately before Ash Wednesday. This celebration is mainly known for taking place in New Orleans, but who says BHS can not partake in the fun!



Fr. Hayden Segelke fiercely stares down the finish line as she and her horse hurl around barrels as fast as they can.

If serves, slams and sacks don't get you going,
it's time for some...

Alternative Fuel

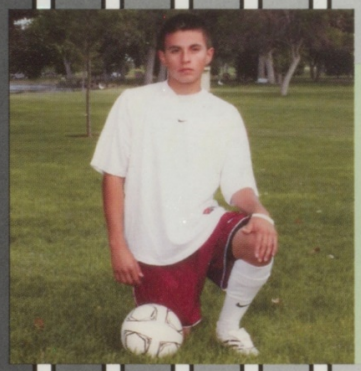




SLIPPERY SLOPES BATMAN!

Above: Sr. Olivia Pecukonis works her way down the powdery run.

Above right: After a strenuous semester of studying, Jr. Lucas Schoelkopf likes to step outside for some air.



Kickin' It

Sophomore Azael Magana played varisty on the Fort Morgan soccer team.



Where's your helmet?

Zach Young, Kevin Bass, and Keifer Olson ollie, kickflip and grind their way through the lunch hour, proving once more that "man doth not liveth on bread alone."

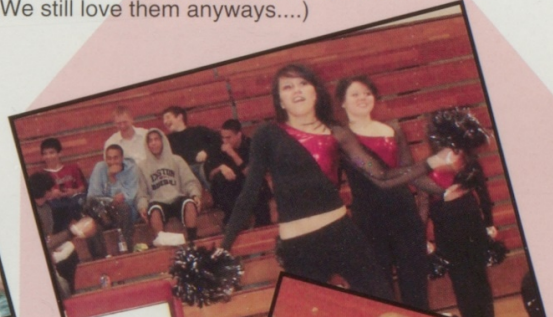




Marlins and Mustangs...Oh my!



Cheyenne English, Megan Odle and Leesa Drew boogie down on the Fort Morgan Dance Team. (We still love them anyways....)



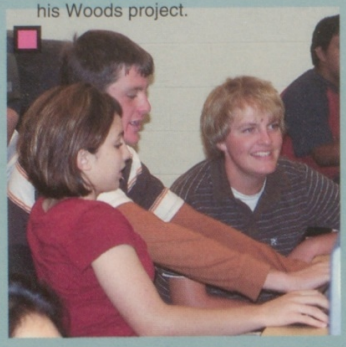


Betcha didn't know swimming was an option...

Paige Morrow, Amy and Stacey Lyne show their dedication to swimming by commuting to Sterling for daily practices.

Point of Interest
Fr. Burke Larsen and Kelsey Hergenreter are engrossed in Fr. Collin Dones' computer screen.

Watch Your Fingers
Jr. Brenton Kral sands down a piece of wood for his Woods project.









Sugar or Salt?
Sr. LaTika Johnson takes note of the ingrediants used to make sure she uses the right ones.

Artsy Fartsy
Jr. Camille Quinlin works diligently on her drawing for art class, making sure every line is right.

It's a Tight Fit...
Sr. Ryan Albert fits together two pieces of metal for his Ag Mechanics project.

Who Needs a Stencil?
So. Kyra Brandt freehands during class.





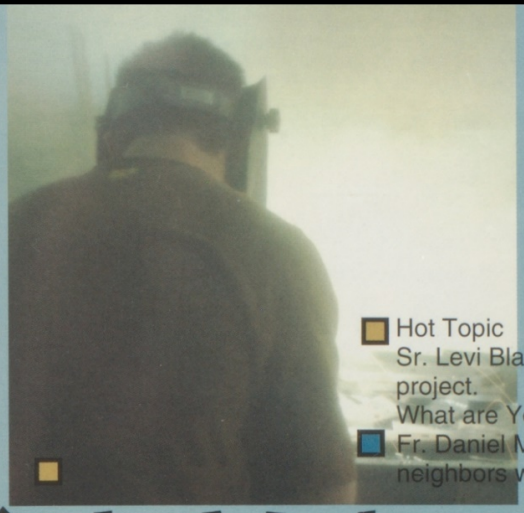


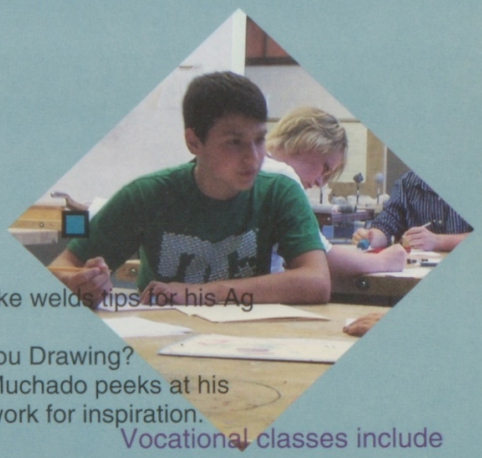












Hot Topic
Sr. Levi Blake welds tips for his Ag project.
What are You Drawing?
Fr. Daniel Muchado peeks at his neighbors work for inspiration.

High Voltage

Vocational classes include the Ag department, Consumer and Family Sciences, Wood Shop and Art.

Sparks are Flyin'
Jr. Sam Schantz grinds on a nail during his 4th hour Woods class.



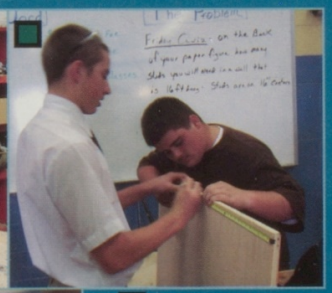
What's Cookin'?
Jr. Owerz Romero cleans up his work station after making something delicious in Foods.



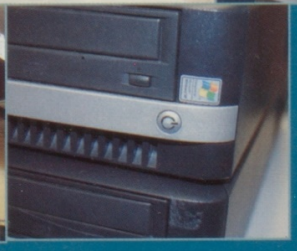


Phillips or Flathead?
Fr. Justin Rickett screws the legs in place for his woods project.









Does It Measure Up?
Sr. Roy Grauberger and So. Aaron Lawson measure the wood to make sure that everything fits perfectly

Breaking the Mold
Jr. Sammy Guzman gets his hands dirty working with clay during Sculpture.

To See What He Could See
Sr. Aaron Riter scopes out his Ag Mechanics project from all angles.

Electric Pulse







Standing at the Ready
Jrs. Patricia Campa and Kelsey Lintner, watch the game waiting for their next cheer.

Shake It
Sr. Griselda Moreno and Fr. Jordan Espinoza shake their pom poms to electrify the crowd.

Ready...OK!
Fr. Kara Walter, Fr. Jordan Espinoza and Jr. Kelsey Lintner prepare to cheer.





The Kids of Old Brush High...
Fr. Kara Walter and Sr. Rebeca Robles spread their cheer at a volleyball game.

What Now?
Jr. Patricia Campa and Sr. Griselda Moreno discuss their next cheer.

Takin' a Break
Jr. Desiree Dugan, Sr. Rebeca Robles, Fr.Jennifer Batrez, and Fr. Kara Walter lounge in the shade at a cross country meet.

Y-E-L-L EVERYBODY YELL
The squad jumps into motion to engage the crowd.





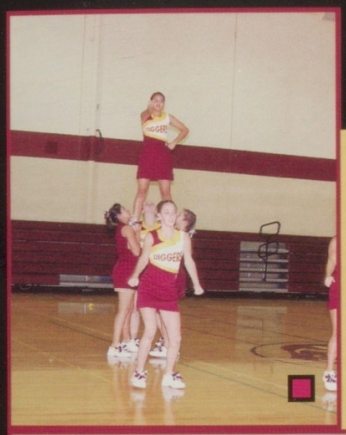




Brush High Cheerleaders: Rebeca Robles, Heather Hoyt, Patricia Campa, Kelsey Lintner, Griselda Moreno, Jennifer Batrez, Kara Walter, Jordan Espinoza, Tiana Lintner, Coach Kathy Barthlama, Desiree Dugan.

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Up Up and Away
Fr. Kara Walter dances as Fr. Jennifer Batrez flies behind her.

Tight
The squad stands together while working on their routine for competition.

How's the Weather?
Fr. Jennifer Batrez flies high during practice for their competition.

Dodge Ball
Fr. Heather Hoyt watches the game to make sure that she doesn't get hit by a ball.

Shout it Out
Sr. Griselda Moreno belts a cheer to be heard above the noise.





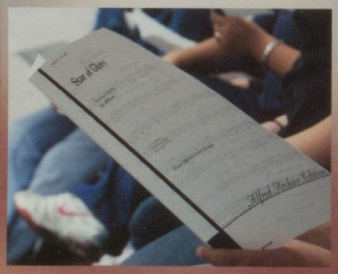




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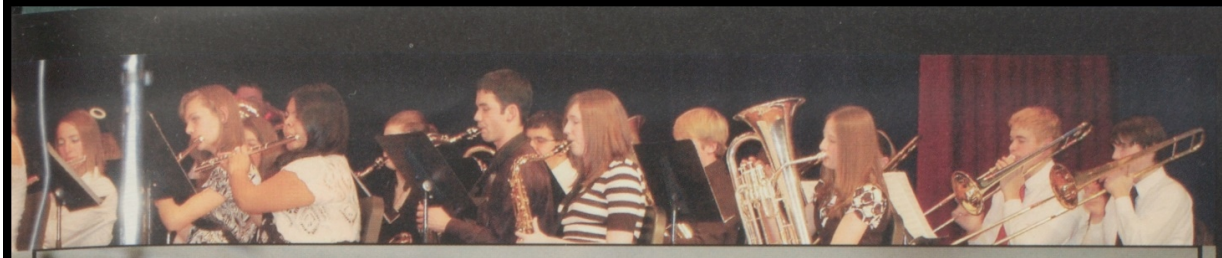
The Brush High School Music Department is another world all on it's own.

Students who are committed enough to join the music program are normally students who have a high work ethic and are willing to set aside the time for practicing.

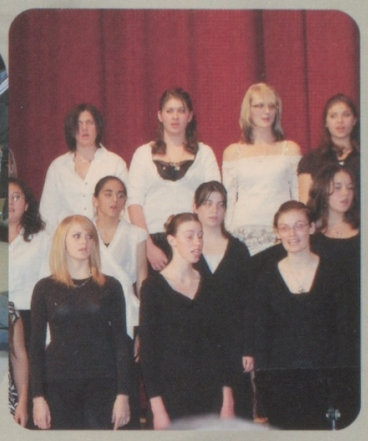
Members of the Music Department participate in many activities including the Breckenridge Music Festival (for Concert Band and Jazz Bands and Jazz Choir), audtioning and performing in the Patriot League Honor Band and Honor Choir, visiting the Boulder Dinner Theater, and countless community appearances.

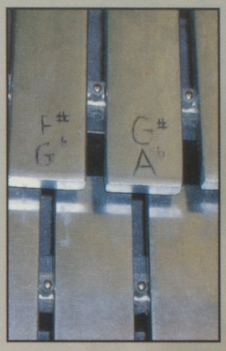
Over the years, the Music Department has also had the opportunity to have outstanding musicians and singers accepted by the Colorado All-State Band and Choir.

Perhaps the most amazing thing about the Music Department, though, is that it is all run single-handedly by Mrs. Darline Miner.



















Raising The Bar







Everybody Limbo
Sophomores Christine Dreitz and Darla Rosenbrock take a break from the basketball court to take a shot at the limbo contest.

Soulja Boys
Sr. Kyle Lynch, So. Ubaldo Cruz, and Sr. Nick Sopris all do the hottest dance of 2007.

Jrs. Lucas Schoelkopf and Aaron Waters pose for the camera during a break.

So. Shawna Garrett shakes her groove thang to the rockin' tunes at Snow Ball '07.









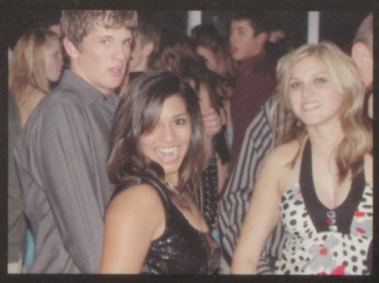


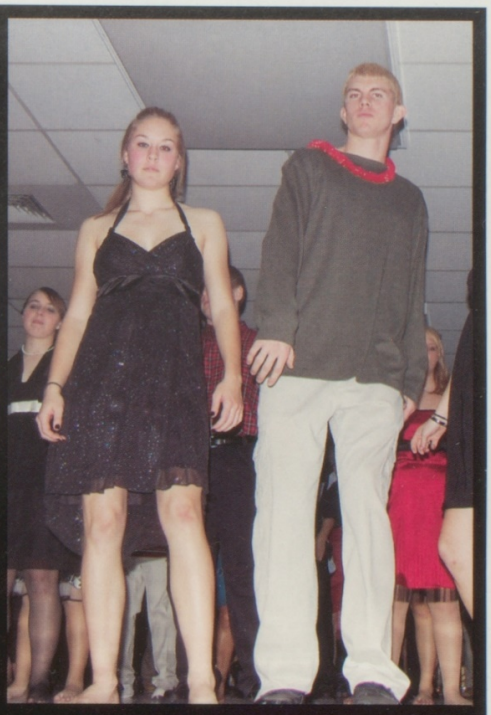
Royalty
Srs. Chris Ely (left) and Megan Pabst (above) were crowned this year's King and Queen. Megan was also the queen of the limbo competition!

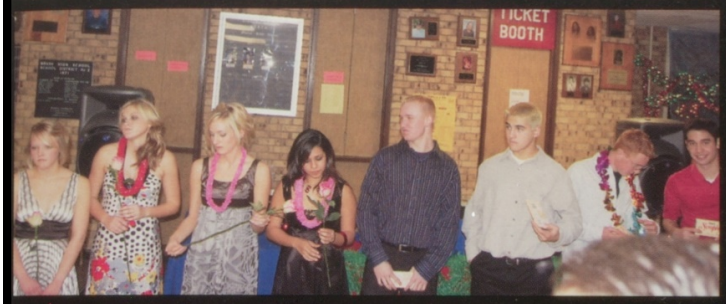
Smile
Frosh Sarah Padilla, Callie Chisum and Hailey Craton rock out and boogie down to the sounds of Maroon 5's "Wake Up Call."

You Know
Fr. Kyle Muhr and Srs. Cesilie Chavez and Lyndsey Needens take a break from dancing to pose for a picture.









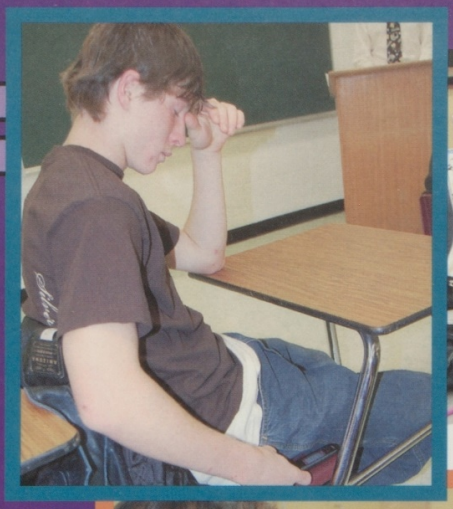
Towers of Power
Sr. Jared Spooner and Jr. Krista Padilla (above) "cha cha real smooth." Fr. Coyote Coen (below) tries his luck at limbo.

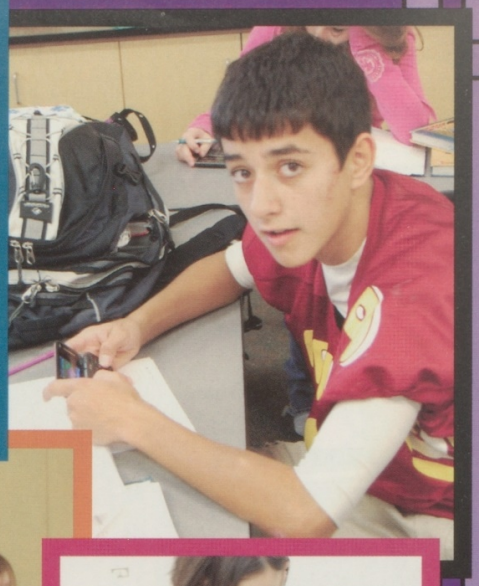
The Royal Line Up
Candidates Megan Pabst, Lyndsey Needens, Sarah Schwab, Cesilie Chavez, Kyle Lynch, Chris Ely, Adam Goss and Robbie Morgan line up for the crowning moment.











Caught...
Sr. Justin Wood, distracted, sneaks a peek at his messages during class.



In...
Fr. Johnny Heggins is surprised to be caught with his phone out in class.



The...
Sr. Vanessa Nolan clandestinely uses her pink Razor during math. Uh...what was that equation again?

Act...
Jr. Kelsey Lintner breaks all rules using her phone in class.



Electronic Buzz





Phones aren't the only electronics providing distractions. Jr. Edwin Barrandey cues up his I-Pod while Sr. Adam Goss "takes notes" on his laptop.

Got Distractions?

Got Nothing to Do? It's Time to Waste Some Energy

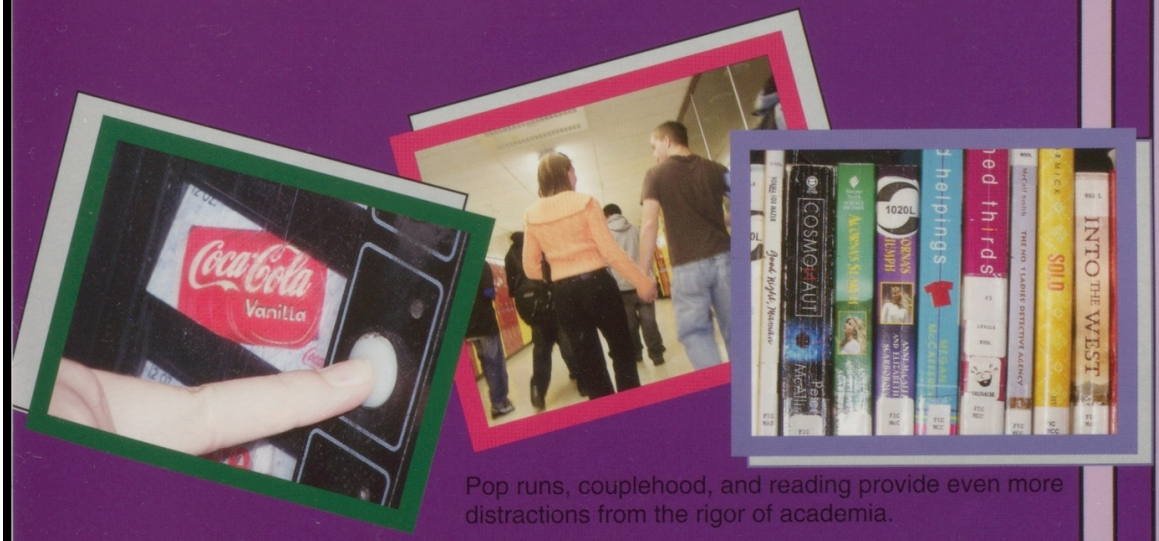
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Every once in awhile, ya just gotta put your head down and rest your eyes (or say a prayer, depending on the circumstances).

Cole Kembel, Lucy Torrez and Joel Bahr take a moment to regroup after a tough writing assignment.

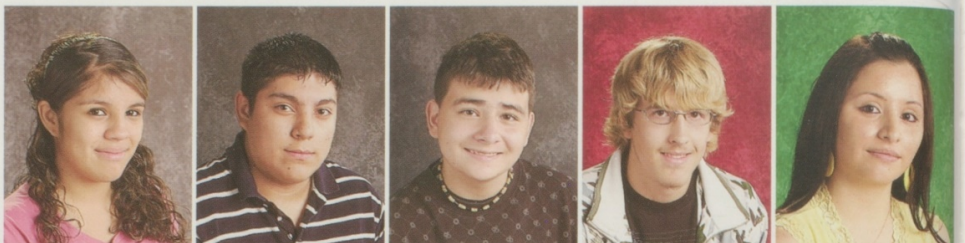
On the other hand, sometimes all that studying can inspire the artist in you, as in this m&m creation.



Pop runs, couplehood, and reading provide even more distractions from the rigor of academia.

Sophomores

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Jesse Aguallo
Charles Aguilar
Darryl Aguilar
Vanessa Avilez



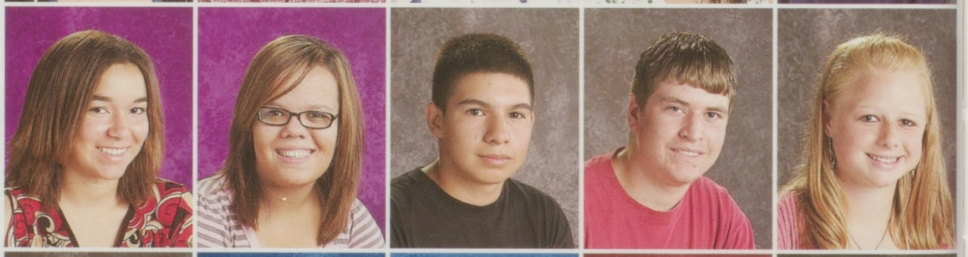
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Larissa Carter
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Cesar Castrellon
Cody Christensen
Katie Christensen



Chris Cleveland
Megan Conrad
Brittany Cook
Eric Cordova
Chelsea Crandall





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Briana Danielsen
Mariah DeHerrera
Jeremy Deslauriers
Christine Dreitz



Desiree' Dugan
Taylor Ely
Breezy Emmerson
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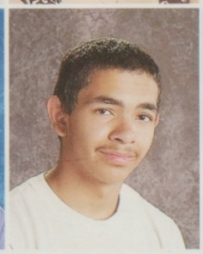
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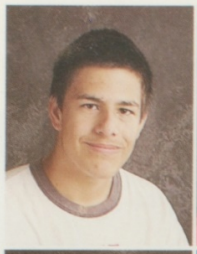

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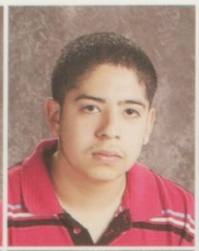

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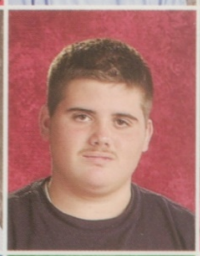






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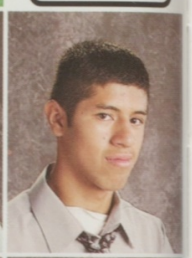



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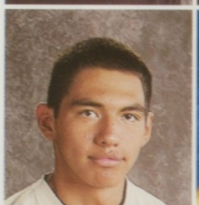
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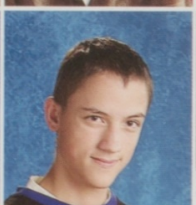






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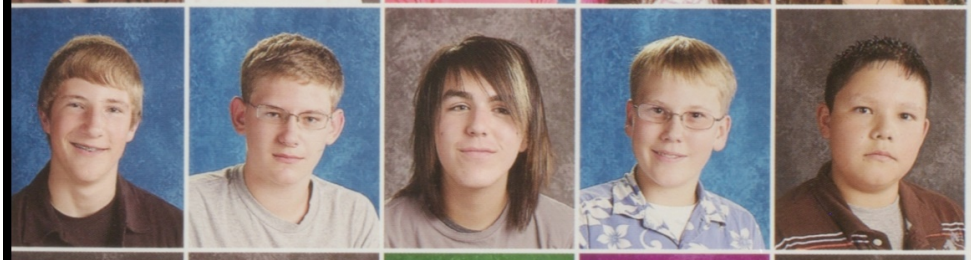
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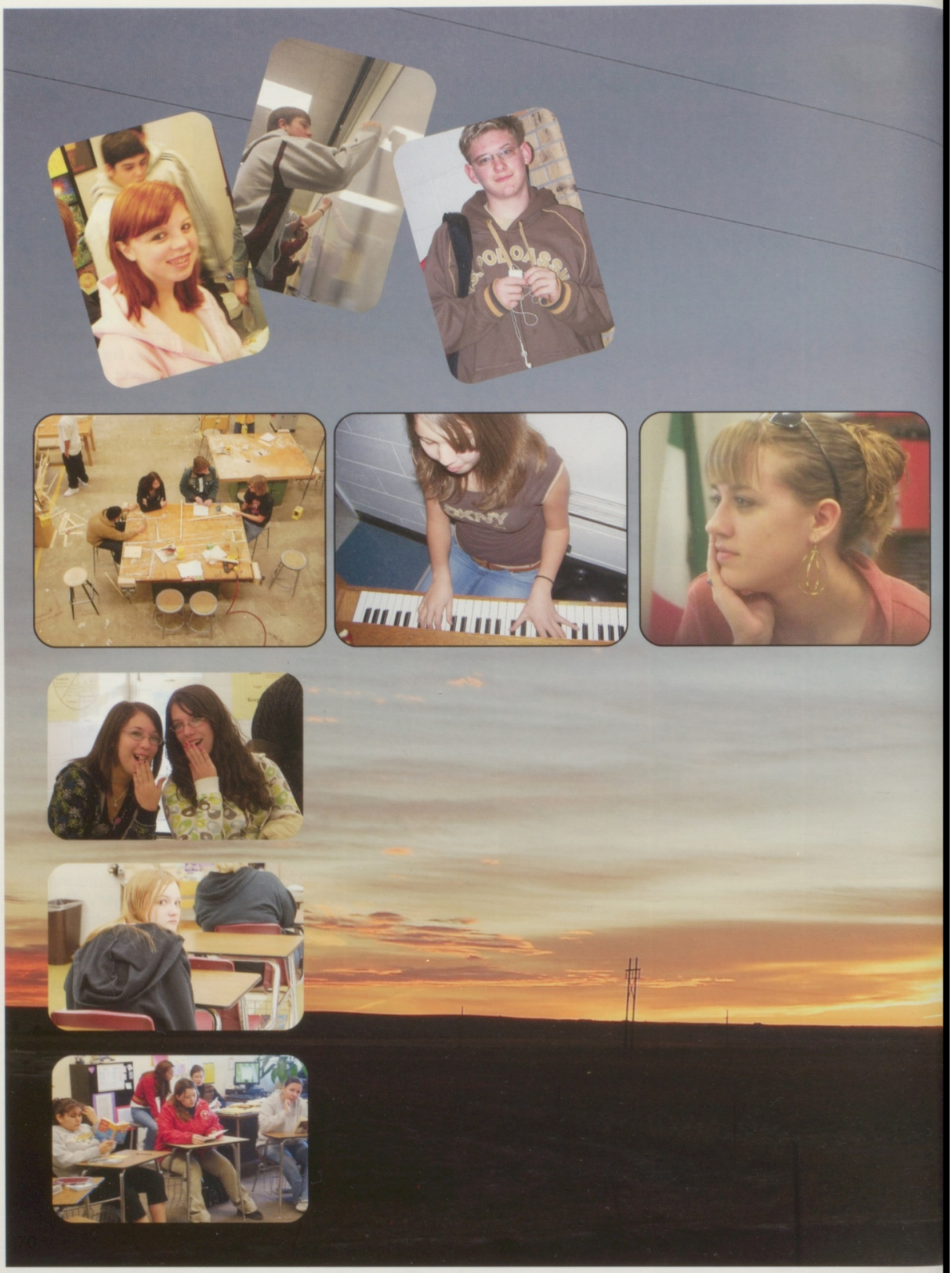
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FULL



Fr. Joe Rosenbrock and Callie Chisum warm up for their events. Though the styles are different the results are the









Though the styles are different the results are the same. FIRST PLACE BABY!



GIVIN' HIS BEST SHOT
So. Levi Brennemmann sets up to throw the shot put.



GOIN' TO STATE
So. Alicia Nichols pre-qualifies for the 2008 state track meet in Pueblo with her first place long jump at the Brush Invitational.





PICTURE PERFECT!
Sr. Megan Pabst pulls away from opponents with her perfect hurdle form.

THROTTLE

UP AND OVER.
Fr. Erin Berg soars above the pole, advancing to the next round of high jump at the Fort Morgan Invitional



DISC Jockey
Fr. Rebecca Walker competes in the discus competition.











IN THE ZONE.
Fr. Collin Dones sets up on the blocks, waiting for the gun.

GOING THE DISTANCE
Jr. Kevin Massey outlasts all the other runners to bring home the gold.



TIME TO GRUB DOWN!
After a rigorous day of events Sr. Steven Mertens takes some time off to enjoy his lunch. Mertens also added that this was his favorite part of track.



A TEAM EFFORT.
Fr. Sarah Padilla, Sr. Robbie Morgan, Jr. Victoria Albo, and Jr. Cole Kembel adjust the hurdles during the Brush Invitational.

Q: Why do you join clubs?



"I join clubs for the opportunity, and you get to meet a lot of great people."
So.Kelsey Watson



"I do what I do cuz I like to do it," quips Spidey-like Robbie Morgan.



"I join clubs to get out of school and to hang out with my friends."

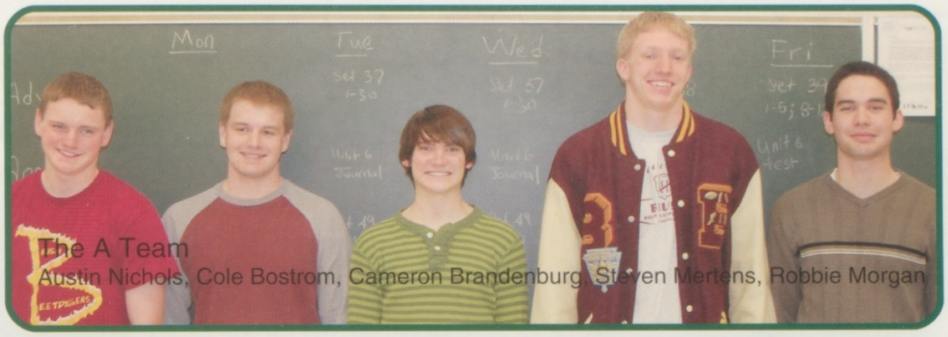
Jr. Hannah Bostron





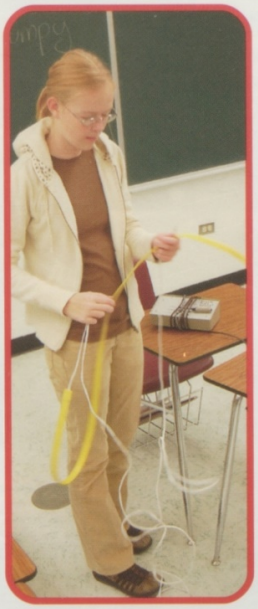


Our Knowledge Bowl team rules the school! These dedicated geniuses practice three times a week during lunch in "Coach" Miller's room.



The A Team
Austin Nichols, Cole Bostrom, Cameron Brandenburg, Steven Mertens, Robbie Morgan

So. Chelsea Crandall helps set up the Quiztron.



Coach Curt Miller poses difficult practice questions to sharpen the minds of the K-Bowlers.



So. Nate Thompson and Jr. Allen Hatch feed their bodies while exercising their minds.





Knowledge Bowl





BRUSH BASEBALL

The way it's supposed to be played

In your opinion what's the best thing about Digger baseball?



Fr. CJ Kukus
"It's fun and there are good role models."



Jr. Brett Cranson
"Country clubbin it."



Fr. Shay Hansen
"You hang em! We bang em!"



So. Noe Vasquez
"Having fun in practice while working hard at improving your game. There's nothing better."



So. Derek Lynch
"Watching Arturo Maltos-Garcia-Parra dominate."

GET DOWN!!!

Senior Third Baseman Kyle Lynch gets down at home for a much appreciated Beetdigger run.





Clockwise: Jr. Bradley Bass leads the Diggers as an ideal leadoff man. So.Derek Lynch displays some discipline as he watches a ball. Jr. Brett Cranson gets a "good eye" after his pitch. Jr. Justin Burns is locked, loaded, and just about to drill the ball.

LOCKED & LOADED



WAHHHH!

Senior catcher Roy Grauberger awaits the upcoming pitch. Roy and Kyle were a two man crew as the only two seniors on the Beetdigger squad this year.



Mound Visit
The Beetdigger infield, consisting of Hirsch, the Lynch Mob, and Cranny have a little mound visit to discuss their "D."



Yard Work



Junior Tyler Weitzel plays the waiting game during the Ft. Morgan Classic.



Pitcher/Centerfield: Sammy Guzman





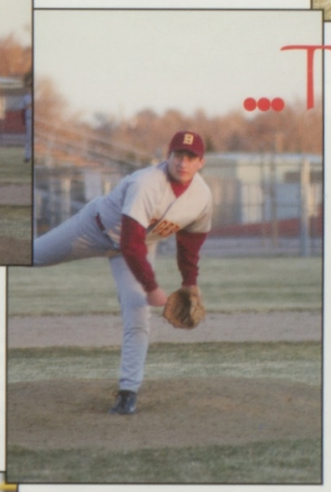
Coming Together as a Team



Dugout Diggers
Weitzel, Lynch, Kukus, and Hammer watch their fellow teammates try and score.



Pitcher/First Base: John Hirschfeld



...THREAT



Coyote Ugly
Coyote and Coach share a laugh during some jv action this spring.



Pitcher/Shortstop: Arturo Maltos-Garcia

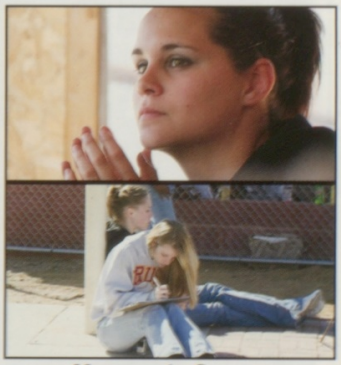


TRIPLE...



It's Just Caba Being Caba

Jr. Daniel Rubalcaba displays him game face as he runs out on the field.

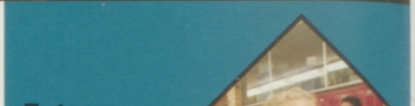


Manager's Corner
Jrs. Megan Odle, Krista Padilla, and Leesa drew help run this team.



FBLA





FBLA



Jrs. Kayla Tormohlen and Lucas Schoelkopf



Sr. Chris Ely delivers a hungry 1st grader some popcorn on FBLA's movie day at Thomson!





Assembly lines do get things done faster. Sophs. Ramon Portuese, Nicole Kalous, Darla Rosenbrock and Derek Lynch work together to make sure all 300+ elementary students get popcorn with their movie.



FBLA members include from top: Jamie Christensen, Katelyn Garfield, Brett Cranson, Sarah Padilla, Johnny Heggins, Allen Hatch, Alejandro Carillo, Nick Sopris, Krista Padilla, Kayla Tormohlen, Callie Chisum, Darla Rosenbrock, Derek Lynch, Rico Portuese and Austin Acosta.

Future...



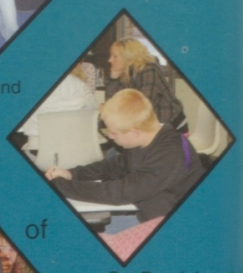
So. Darla Rosenbrock



Business...

Sr. Jenna Florian and Jr. Krista Padilla

Leaders...



So. Derek Lynch

of



America.

Jr. Aaron Waters



Learning to Lead
Jr. Allen Hatch enjoys himself as he presents at the fall leadership conference.

Srs. Jenna Florian & Cesilie Chavez take a little break from the presentation.



Mrs. Perry and Ms. Gibson



Jr. Michael McFarland





Srs. Adam Goss and Rochelle Neher are all giggles during a French activity. Inside though, they're just jealous and mad about getting shown up by native Frenchman Paul Mathieu all the time.

Uno, Dos, Tres
Students learn the tricks of the Spanish language from Mrs. Perry.





Jr. Jolene Simonds



Sr. Adam Goss and Jr. Desmond Small



Jr. Jolene Simonds

Spanish/French Club

Extracurricular Energy...



France's flag is deliciously represented on this cake.

Ahh, what fun. These BHS gogetters play everyone's favorite game in Mrs. Perry's class - the infamous clapping game.



These students learn in Mrs. Perry's magnificent room. A ceiling covered in pinatas, now that's just magical.







Balls of Fury
These unlucky balls recieve an onslaught of power as the Digger girls practice driving on the range.



Clockwise from top left:
Fr. Taylor L'Heureux concentrates on her grip before she tees off.

Jr. Jenny Morgan is moments away from crushing her ball into the fairway.

Jr. Jazlynn Armstrong replaces the pin after sinking a putt.





Going For Par
With the pin in sight, So. Krista Gonzalez takes a quick backswing for a chip onto the green.



It's Bogie, Not Boogie
Coach Palser instructs the new JV golf team at practice.

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Lucky Lefty
So. Larissa Carter (the only left-handed golfer on the team) adds a little flare to her game by using a purple ball.



Jr. Katie Hocheder executes perfect putting form as this ball travels on its path to the hole.

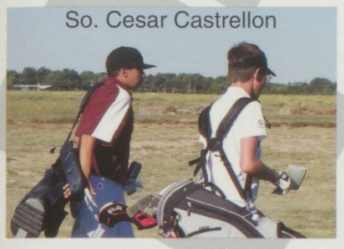
Girl's Golf
Working Hard, Sinking Shots

Boy's Golf
A Force To Be Reckoned With

Jr. Sammy Guzman

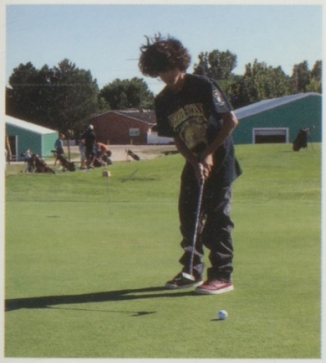


So. Cesar Castrellon





Coach George Mussell, Cesar Castrellon, Sammy Guzman, Taylor Ely, Luke Weiderspon, Burke Larsen, Coyote Coen







From top left clockwise
Fr. Coyote Coen practices his putting skills to give himself the

From top left clockwise

Fr. Coyote Coen practices his putting skills to give himself the edge for next weeks tourney.

Jr. Sammy Guzman prepares to unleash his front-swing on this unlucky ball.

Fr. Burke Larsen focuses in on this shot to put himself on the green.

So. Cesar Castrellon shows off some form hitting these rangeballs.







Levi Blake, Aaron Riter, Justin Rickett, Luke Weiderspon, A.J. Binnendyk, Skyler Seewald, Dylan French, Ryan Dreitz, Ryan Albert, Hayden Segelke, Dakota Walker, Raelene Wolever, Rex May, Josh Kral, Mick Dechant, Kelsey Hergenreter, Blain Booth, Rebecca May, Jessica August, Tressa Wolever, Katie Christensen

At Attention.
Fr. Mick Dechant stands tall and proud at an official meeting of FFA.

Run, Hayden, Run!
Fr. Hayden Segelke runs through a corral after her animal.

Ahh... Relaxation
Sr. Rex May, Sr. Aaron Riter and Sr. Ryan Albert lean against railng in Cortez, Colorado, while on an FFA retreat.

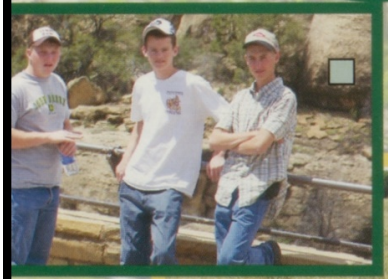
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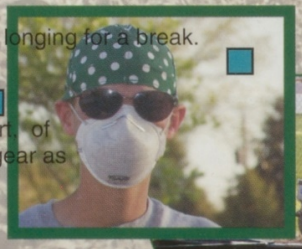




Field of Dreams
So. Luke Weiderspon stands in a field near the South Platte River and dreams of taking a refreshing dip after the chores are done.



Hard at Work
Sr. Rex May rides the tractor all day longing for a break.





Who's that Masked Man?
The one and only Ryan Albert - of course - wearing protective gear as he paints a trailer.



Too Cute!
So. Dakota Walker and her pet rabbit and showcase animal Oreo pose for a quick picture.



Green Earth, Green Peace, Green Hands?
Freshmen and new recuits Hayden Segelke, Blain Booth, Josh Greathouse and Coyote-Cache Coen paint their hands for FFA initiation.





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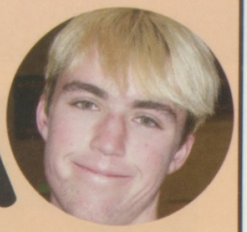
Mr. Floyd





Business Smarts
So. Jenna Buckley said "DECA is a good opportunity to learn about business."

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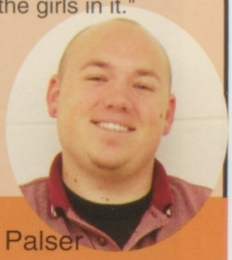


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Pick Up
Sr. Nick Sopris stated, "the best part about DECA is looking at all the girls in it."





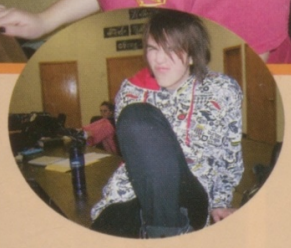


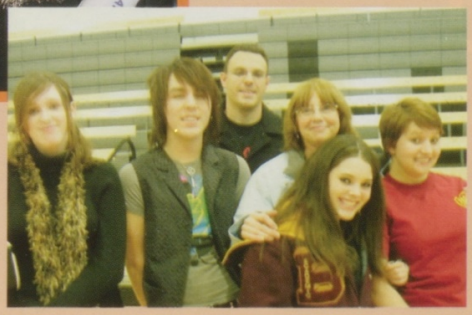
Mr. Palser

The Perks
"Going to the pumpkin patch with the little kids and spendng time with others in the community are the best parts of DECA," enthused Jr. Camille Quinlin.



Forensics





Small But Mighty
With just four members, 4N6 may not be the biggest club but they are certainly unique. So. Kelsey Watson, So. Tyler Sopris, Sr. Tiffany Jameson, So. Jade Kemble, coach Ms. Loften and driver Mr. Hughes.



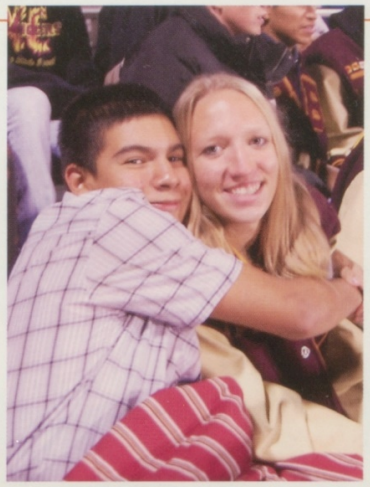
"My all time favorite thing about forensics is that you get to compete and you get to meet all the cool people from all over that are in it." (Sr.) Tiffany Jameson

Ms. Loften



Alternating

a flow of electricity that
direction between















constantly changes
positive and negatives sides

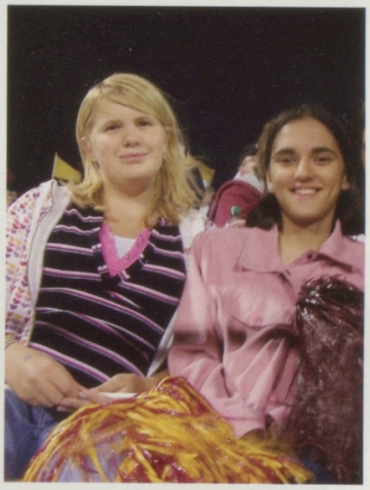
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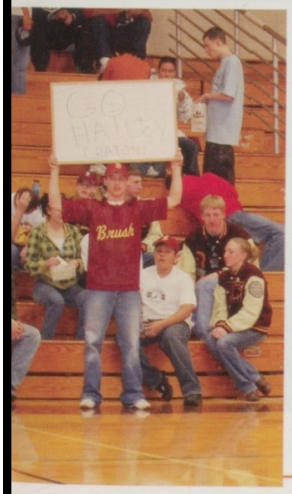














FCCLA

FCCLA leader Mrs. Uhrig explains to the new members what this year will be like in the club.

Fr. Selena Lopez and Jr. Cynthia Diaz Ramirez prepare for their annual party.











Gaston Rodriguz, Enrique Escobar, Heather Hoyt, Christine Dreitz, LaTika Johnson, Samantha Mares, Christine Gregory, Elizabeth Huggins, Ariel Mares, Selena Lopez, Zach Segelke, Casi Neiman, Shawna Garrett, Clara Gomez, Erica Jimenez, Victoria Albo, Juliana Escobar, Rebeca Robles.

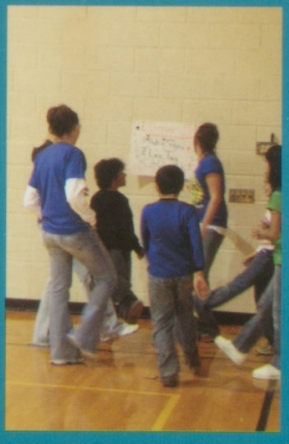


The members take a minute to pose with the kids at Thomson.



Fr. Kiefer Olson, So. Levi Brennemann and Sr. Ariel Mares play the elephant game at Beaver Valley.





Interact members Luke Nichols, Laura Santacruz, Nate Thompson, Yanaira Cano, and Laura Gonzales act as a human pretzel and try to get out of the mess.

Sr. Coree Linker and Jr. Kayla Tormohlen help hang up posters with the Thomson kids.



Josue Meraz, Nikki Gregory, Tressa Wolever, Sarah Padilla, Callie Chisum, Kayla Tormohlen, Burke Larsen, Jazlynn Armstrong, Levi



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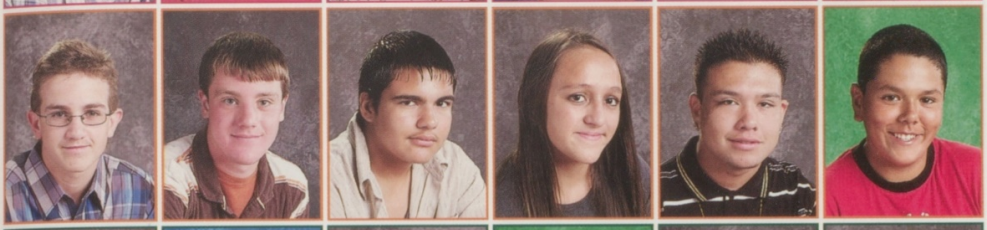




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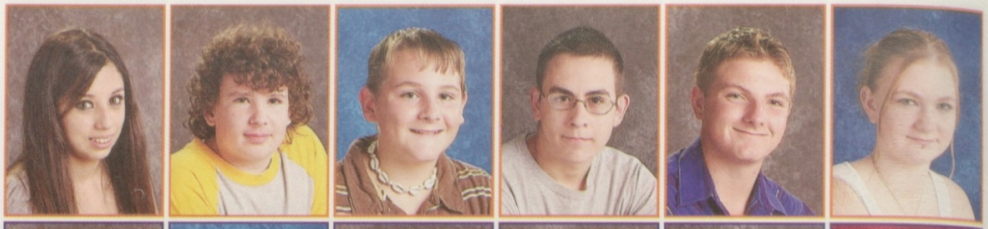


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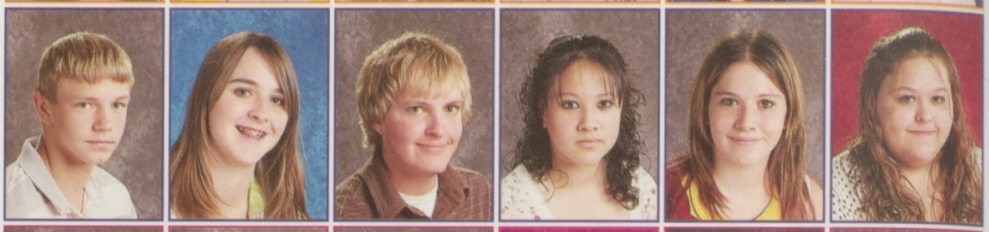


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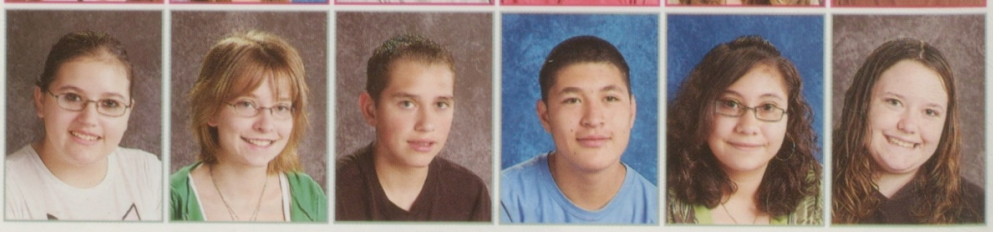
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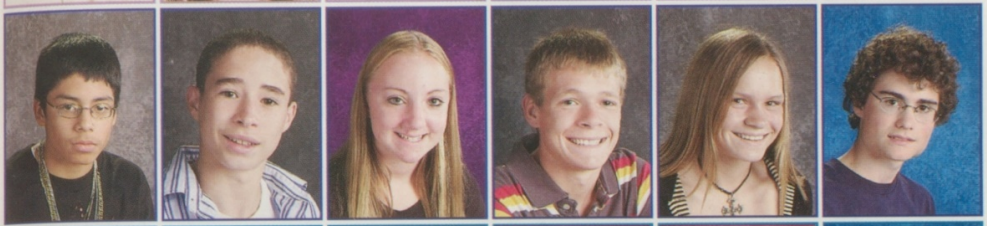
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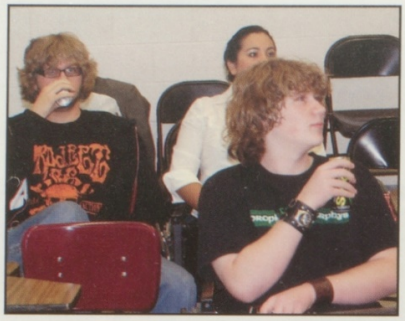






We Make This Look Easy

Stage Crew members Jrs. Austin Grippin and Sam Shantz hang out in the make-up room with the cast before showtime.



It Takes A Steady Hand

(Top Right) Jr. Cameron Brandenburg secretly prays that Sr. Sarah Schwab won't poke his eye out as she applies a little eyeliner on him.



STOP MOVING!!

Jr. Katie Olson laughs as she finishes fellow cast member Jr. Jenny Morgan's make-up.





Drama



DID YOU KNOW?

The fall play "Father Knows Best" was presented in black and white. The ENTIRE set and costumes were in black,white, and shades of gray to mimic the television show from which the play was inspired.



Cheerful Family
The Anderson family from the fall play "Father Knows Best" clockwise from top left: Jr. Justin Catlett, Sr. Megan Pabst, Sr. Tiffany Jameson, Sr. Robbie Morgan and Sr. Sarah Schwab.

A Touch Of Glam
Sr. Olivia Pecukonis dabs a bit of eyeshadow to prevent her eyes from being washed out by the blinding spotlights.

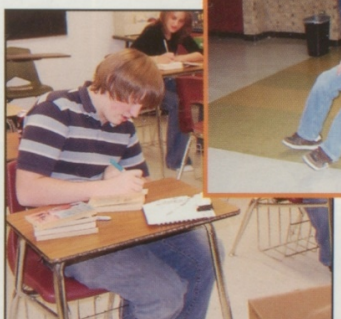




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In early November Student Council members agreed to be locked inside the school for the night in order to finish all the work for the Books of Hope drive. Of course, we also found time to have lots of fun, all night long!





Good Deeds

As a service act to the school, Student Council purchased a flat-screen televison for the commons area, to be used for announcements.

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Jim Weimer
James Wilson





"No horseplay."



"Scum-sucking toad!"



"It's a great day to be a Beetdigger."



"It's OK, we're America."



"Hello boys and girls. Oh wait, you're all girls."



"I'm sorry,I don't hear stupid questions."



"Shut up and get back to work."



"Oh Fetch!"



"Time spent teaching is never wasted." Mrs. Mary Ellen Uhrig will retire at the end of this year, having dedicated 8 years of her life to teaching at Brush High.

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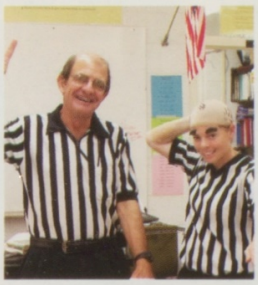
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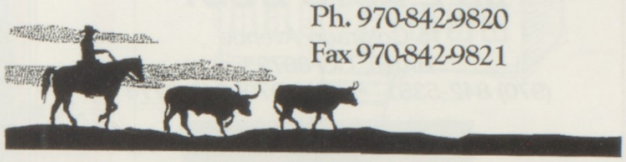


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We wish you the best of luck in your future. You will be missed so much, but the sleepless nights won't be. We love you and are very proud! Your loving mothers, Jeri & Misty

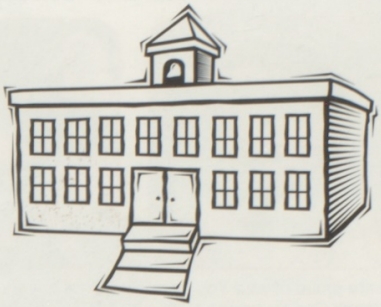


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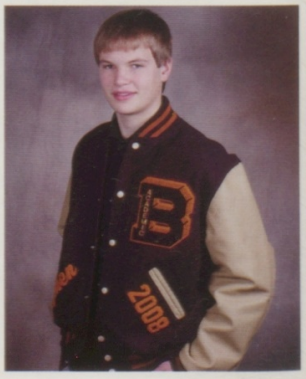
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Stephen Low

We believe in you and pray that you fulfill all your dreams.

God bless you,

David, Rhonda,
Michelle and Keely



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Rex May





You have always made us proud!
Dream it, achieve it, but most importantly always be happy!

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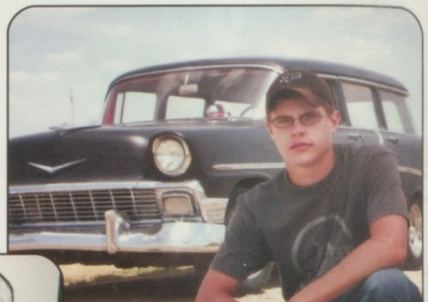
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Jamie Christensen



"I know what I am planning for you, I have good plans for you, not plans to hurt you. I will give you hope and a good future."
Jeremiah 29:11

Justin Bass



Jeremiah 29:11



"Within yourself lies everything you ever dreamed of being."
We are proud of you!
Love,
Dad, Mom, Katie & Maggie







Justin, the apple of our eye, we are so proud of you and the person you have become. Congratulations on all you have achieved! Keep reaching for your dreams and remember to "delight yourself in the Lord and He will give you the desires of your heart." (Psalm 37:4)
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Stephanie,
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I love you,
Mom



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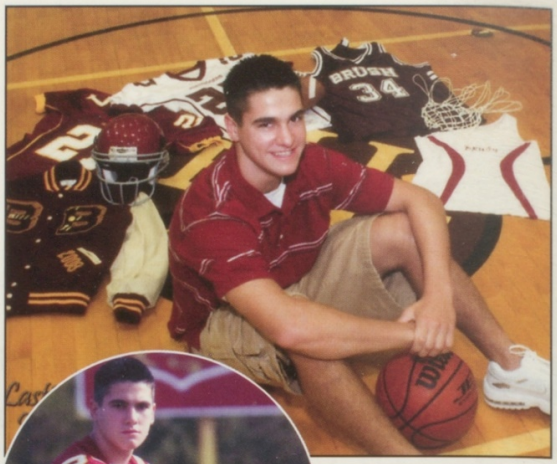
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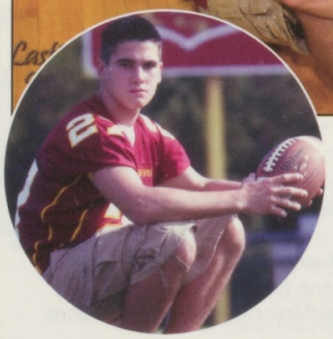
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Chris Ely





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Love,
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Kyle Lynch



"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord...
Jeremiah 29:11

We love you!

Javier Ortiz



Jeremiah 29:11

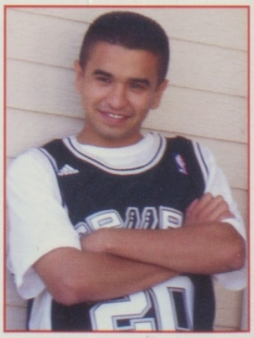
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We wish you luck with whatever you choose to do.
Party hard and be careful.
Love,
Your family



Olivia Lauren Pecukonis

Remember, you are one
of my best ideas!
I love you,
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Tanner Christensen





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Love, Dad & Mom



To: Deano, Gorche, Son-ny, Traven-dean, Trav...

Travis Dean Way



We love you so much with so many names! Good luck in your future. We will always support you!
Love,
Dad, Mom and Shelby

Nick Sopris



Nicks,
I know I do not say often enough how proud I am of you. I could not have picked a better son! I know you will be successful in whatever you choose to do. You mean the world to me.
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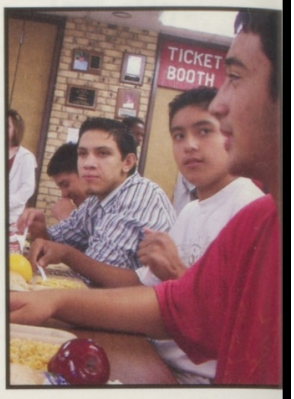
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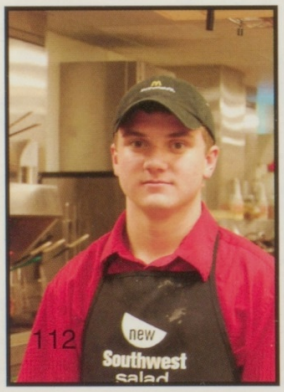








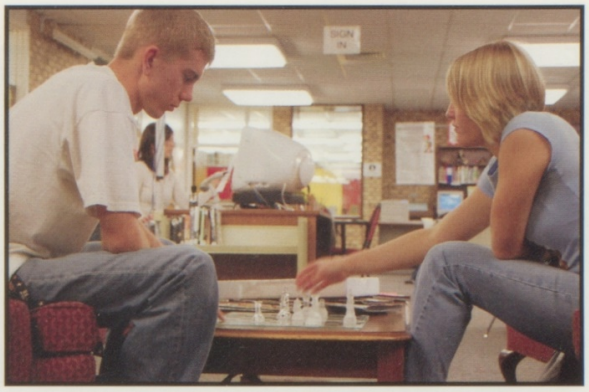



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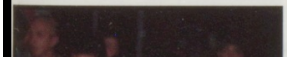












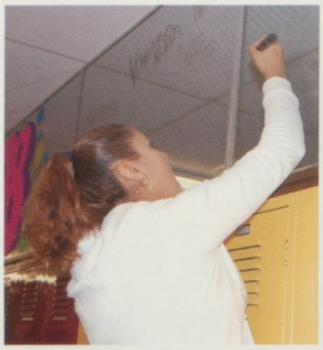














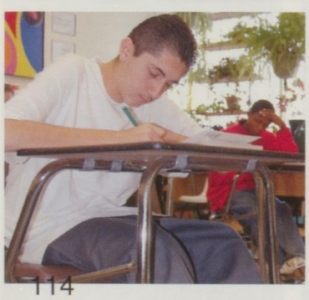












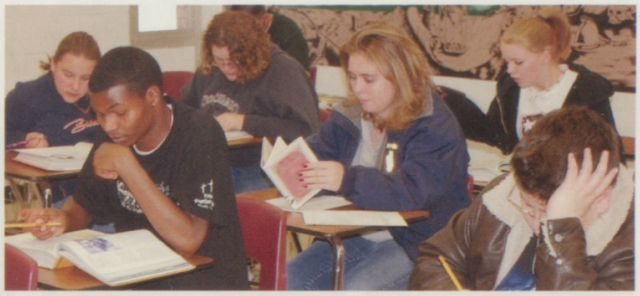


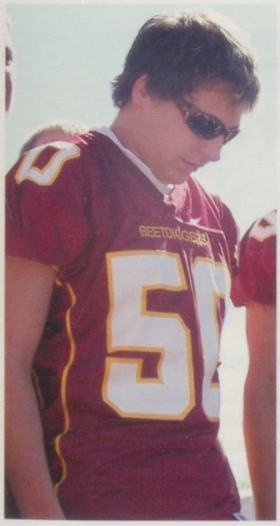
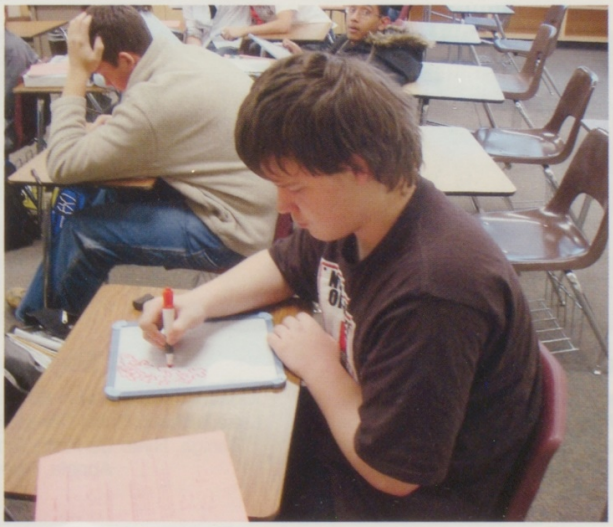








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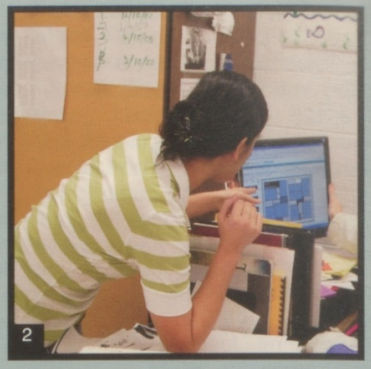
*What did you think you saw?!

Lunch Bunch
The staff celebrates meeting a deadline (or perhaps someone's birthday) with lunch at Pizza Hut.

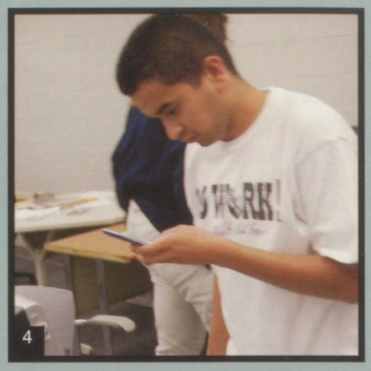






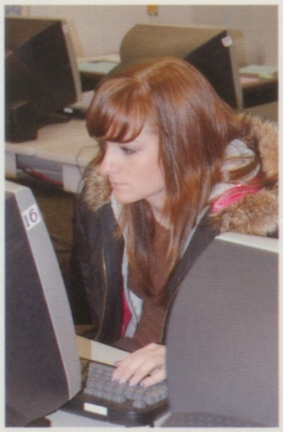






■ ***Crazy Train*** **1)** Srs. Rico Portuese and Jenna Florian have a moment. **2)** Jr. Jenny Morgan points out a design flaw on a DPS. **3)** They look bored, but really they are brainstorming. Jrs. Chelsea Leonard and Katelyn Garfield consider verbal and visual ways to integrate the theme. **4)** Sr. Javier Ortiz checks his messages, hopefully an advertising client returning a call to our business manager.

K-Furm
Sr. Kristina Furman concentrates on her page assignments in the computer lab.



I said BRRR
Sr. Jenna Florian spends a rare moment hard at work. She's so cool, she needs to wear her coat even inside.



Man Love
Jrs. Brett Cranson and Arturo Maltos-Garcia conduct some official research during the Homecoming Guitar Hero tournament. P.S. It was also Twin Day



Research
Sr. Sarah Schwab and unofficial staffer Megan Pabst consult a past yearbook for ideas to replicate or avoid.

Follow the Instructions
Jr. Katelyn Garfield poses for an entry in the photography scavenger hunt. The assignment: take a picture of someone following the instructions on a poster.







The Yearbook Staff

It only took 10 dedicated yearbook staffers to complete the extensive amount of work required to create this quality student publication.

The Power of 10



"What do you mean it's due today?! For real?" Jr. Jenny Morgan reveals how a deadline can sneak up on you.



Jr. Brett Cranson "is the binding that holds the pages of this yearbook together," if he does say so himself.

Graphic design, photography, copy writing, teamwork, conflict resolution, and Morgan County's selection of Chinese food restaurants - These are just a few of the subjects in which we have become experts!



"It's really starting to freakin' tick me off!"



"It's been fun to do something in school that I actually care about," stated Senior Editor Sarah Schwab, who plans to study photography at Colorado Mountain College in Glenwood Springs.

We've got some most likely's and some for sure's, but no doubt about it class of '08 has some unique...

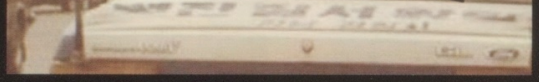
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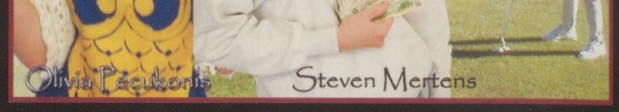
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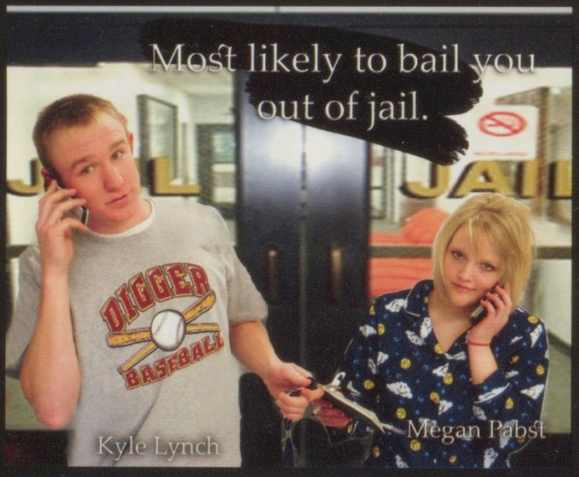


Most likely to retire early...











Forever,"Cell" Mates!

"Best Friends" or "Most Likely to be Cellmates," goes to Sandy Baray & Ivy Melendez, Ryan Albert & Levi Blake.



"Most Likely to Stay in Brush" Missie Dechant



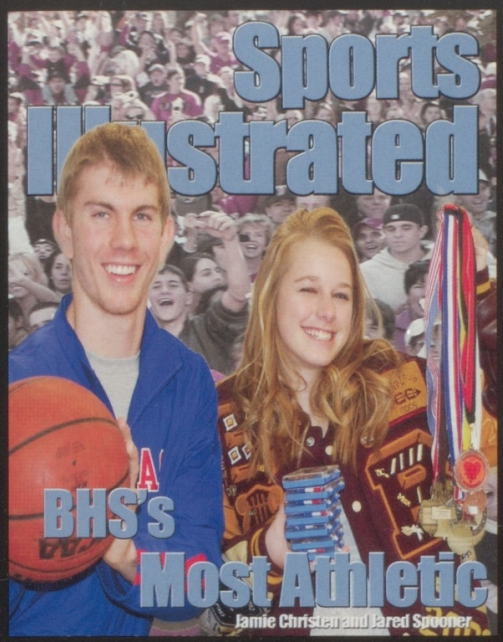


Type-Casting

If there were ever an almost unanimous decision in our school district, it was for this: "Loudest." Simply and powerfully stated, this award goes to those who have worked long hard hours and class time to earn it. Remember, Nick Sopris and Jenna Florian, with great power comes great responsibility.

No Surprises Here...

The senior class has elected Cole and Rochelle for "Most Likely to Discover Time Travel," for they have never once forgotten to turn the clocks at Daylight Savings time.



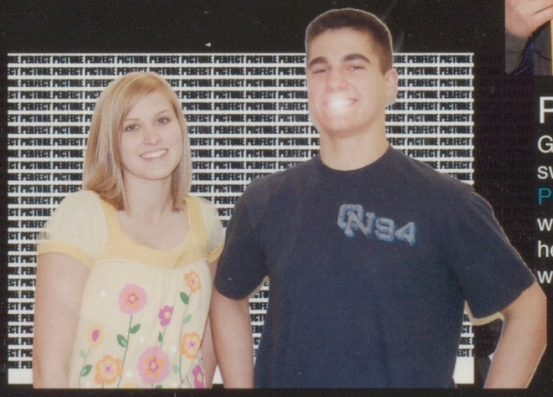






I went to School With Them!

One look at their letter jackets and you just know if Jamie or Jared ever fell in a river, those babies would drag'em down.





Pardon moi?

Grant Genho and Tiffany Jameson sweep up the "Most Likely to Receive a Pardon From the President" category which we figure means they're rebels with a sad-eyed, puppy dog stare that could melt the heart of any elected leader of the most powerful free world democracy to date. Good for them!

"Picture Perfect" Lyndsey Needens & Chris Ely



Julie Escobar

Most Changed During High school

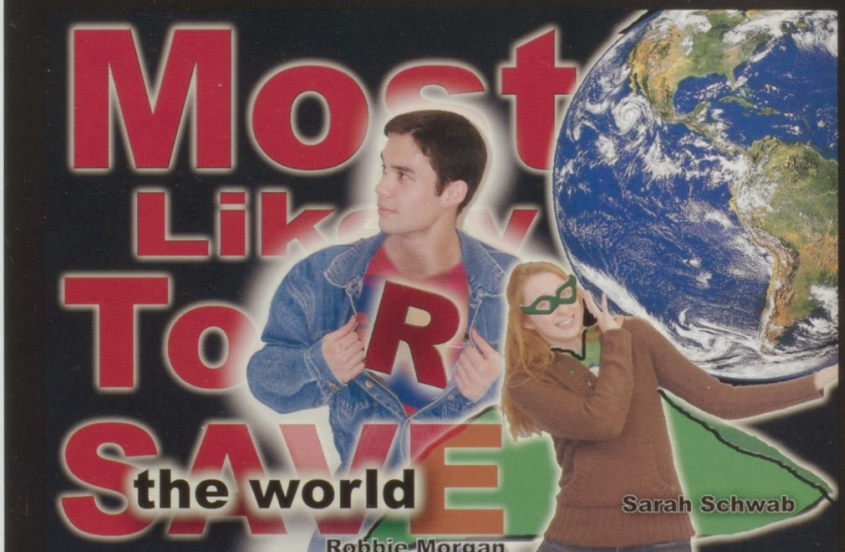


Yukin' it Up

Voted "Best Laugh," Jessie Florian and Tanner Christensen must be contagious with their chuckles.

It's a Bird, It's a Plane, It's...

Our heroes, Robbie Morgan and Sarah Schwab, captured the vote "Most Likely to Save the World."





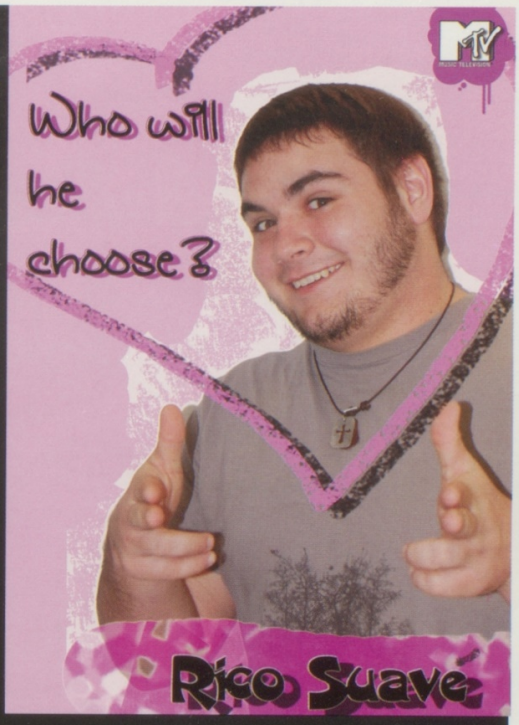
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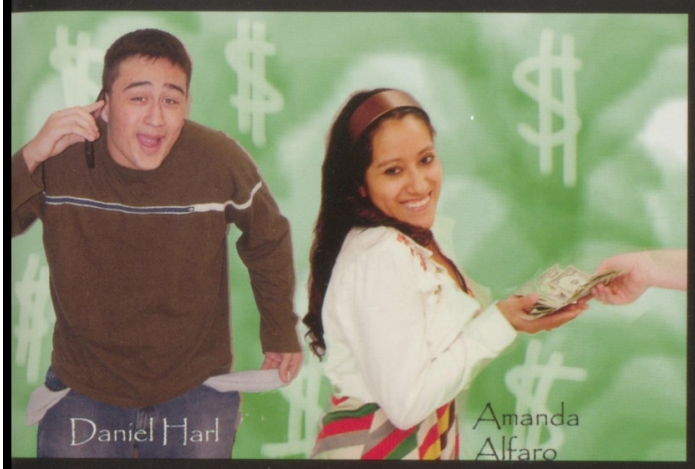
Lauren Pulley was voted "Most Likely to Become a Dirty Romance Novelist" while Austin Nichols swept the vote with "Most Likely to Take Over Hugh Hefner's Job."

Is That Who I Think It Is?

Show 'em a good time and you could be chosen by Rico Portuese or Coree Linker, the winners of "Most Likely to be Seen on a TV Dating Show."

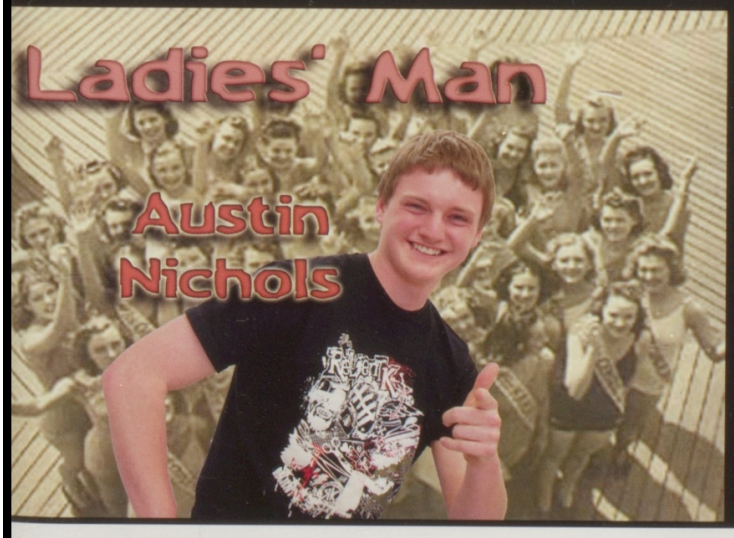






Show Me The Money!

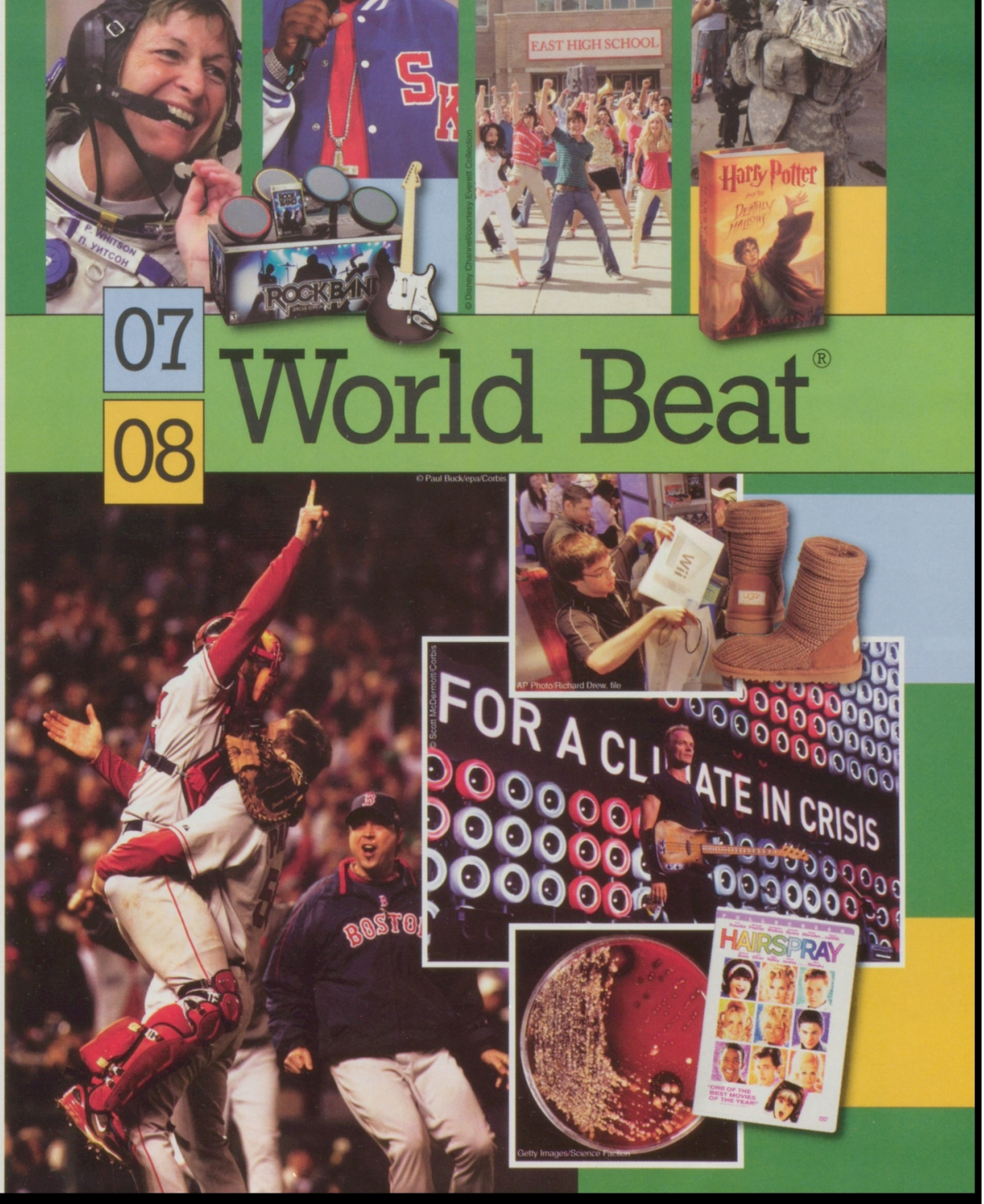
The votes are in. Daniel Harl and Amanda Alfaro were the biggest moochers in the class of 2008, winning "Most Likely to Call You Up and Ask for Money."






The End!
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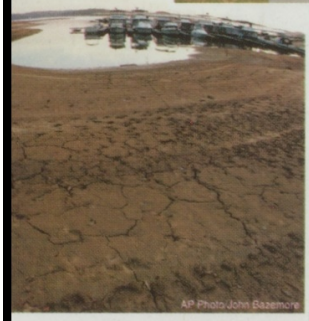
▶ As the war in Iraq passes the four-year mark, tours of duty are lengthened and recruitment standards are relaxed.

▼ To ease the mortgage crisis, the U.S. Senate passes legislation allowing homeowners with delinquent sub-prime mortgages to refinance into federally insured loans.

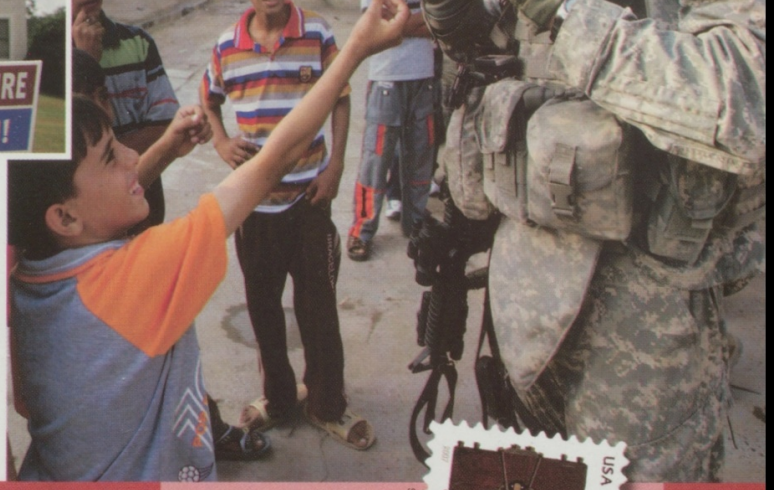
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◀ Several cities in the southeastern U.S. are mere months away from running out of water as drought conditions persist in the region.



▼ Six men are trapped when a Utah coal mine collapses on August 6. Ten days later, the mine collapses again, killing three rescue workers. After four weeks the search ends.


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▲ During televised debates, Democratic and Republican presidential candidates answer tough questions submitted by voters via YouTube.

▶ The U.S. Postal Service issues a forever stamp featuring an image of the Liberty Bell. It will always be valid for first class postage on envelopes weighing one ounce or less.



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▲ The Nobel Peace Prize is awarded to former Vice President Al Gore and the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change, represented by Dr. Rajendra Pachauri, for their efforts to call attention to global warming.

▼ Schools across the nation are thoroughly disinfected—and some are even shut down—to quell outbreaks of staph infections, including antibiotic-resistant strains.


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▲ In late October, Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger declares a state of emergency due to wildfires that burn more than half a million acres in southern California.

▼ Dozens of tornadoes tear across Tennessee, Arkansas, Mississippi, Kentucky and Alabama on February 5, 2008, killing nearly 60 people.


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▲ American consumers lose their confidence in China's manufacturers when children's toys tainted with lead trigger widespread recalls.

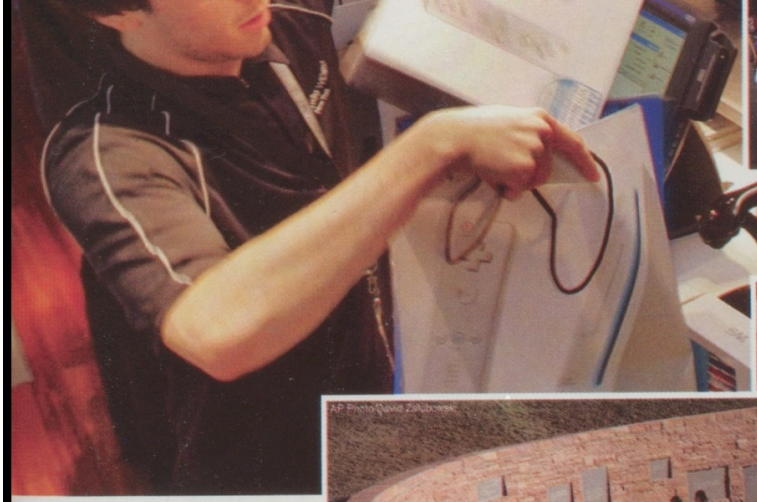


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◀ The Nintendo "Wii-nomenon" sweeps the nation as the game console outplays the competition with sales of more than 13 million units.

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▲ Writers hit the picket lines and television production is halted for months when the Writers Guild of America goes on strike to protest compensation policies for new media such as iTunes downloads.



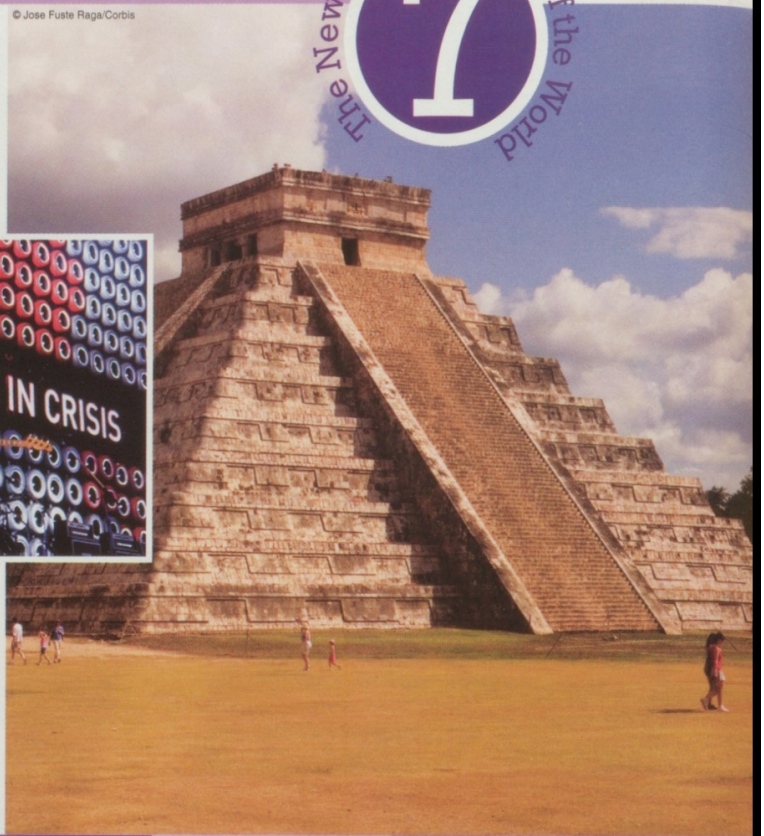
▶ In Littleton, Colorado, construction is completed on the $1.5 million Columbine Memorial to the 13 victims of the 1999 shooting at Columbine High School.



▲ On August 1, a six-lane I-35W bridge stretching across the Mississippi River in Minneapolis collapses into the river during the height of the afternoon rush hour.

Global

▶ People around the world cast more than 100 million online votes to determine the New Seven Wonders of the World. The winning wonders are announced at a gala in Lisbon.



The New Seven Wonders of the World

▼ More than 150 of the world's leading music acts perform in concerts staged around the world for Live Earth, a star-studded event to draw attention to the global climate crisis.





One Laptop Per Child

◀ The One Laptop Per Child Foundation launches a limited-time "Give One, Get One" program to spur donations of XO $100 laptops to children in developing nations.

▼ Labour Party leader Gordon Brown succeeds Tony Blair as the new Prime Minister of the United Kingdom of Great Britain.





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▼ In December, Pakistani opposition leader Benazir Bhutto is assassinated following a political rally in Rawalpindi, Pakistan.





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▲ The melting of the Arctic Sea ice spurs an international network of climate scientists to conclude that global warming is indisputable, and that human activity has been causing temperatures to rise since 1950.



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▲ Tropical cyclone Sidr is the deadliest storm to hit Bangladesh in a decade. It destroys thousands of homes, ruins crops and forces more than a million villagers to evacuate.

Sci-Tech

▼ U.S. astronaut Peggy Whitson is the first female commander at the International Space Station.



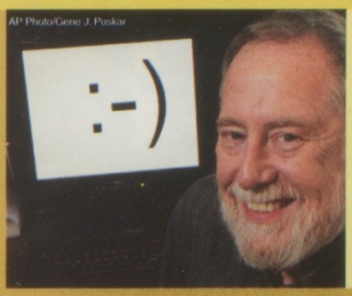
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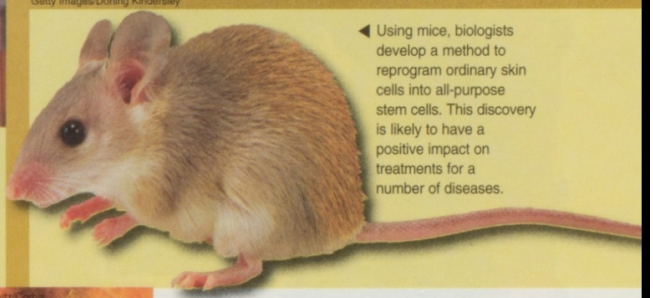
▲ Black bears make headlines in Utah, Wyoming and New Mexico as park rangers and wilderness homeowners report raids on backpacks, tents, trash cans and even kitchens.

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◀ The digital smiley face celebrates its 25th birthday. Its inventor, Carnegie Mellon professor Scott E. Fahlman, first used the icon on an electronic bulletin board in 1982.

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◀ Using mice, biologists develop a method to reprogram ordinary skin cells into all-purpose stem cells. This discovery is likely to have a positive impact on treatments for a number of diseases.



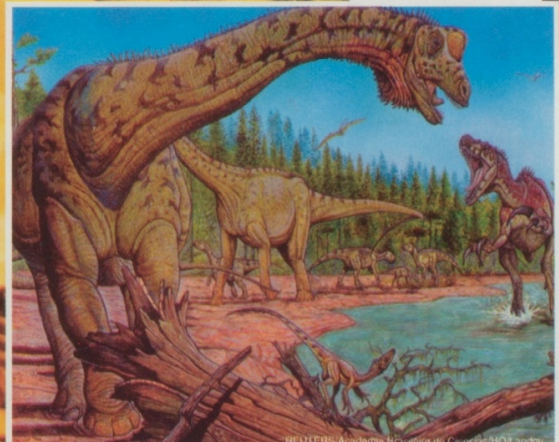
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◀ Crops are threatened when honeybee colonies in the U.S. and Europe suffer from Colony Collapse Disorder, losing up to 70 percent of their bees due to unknown causes.

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▶ In a medical experiment, salmonella germs take a ride on the space shuttle. When they return to Earth, the germs are far more lethal than their earthbound counterparts.



◀ An excavation site in Argentina yields the fossilized remains of a previously unknown species of dinosaur, the Futalognkosaurus dukei, measuring more than 105 feet.



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Lifestyle

▶ Social networking websites continue to surge in popularity. MySpace and Facebook remain dominant as the sites of choice for young people and inspire a host of innovative imitators.

▼ Concerns about overweight dogs and cats hit the headlines. Veterinarians prescribe a regimen of fewer treats, more walks around the neighborhood and no people food.

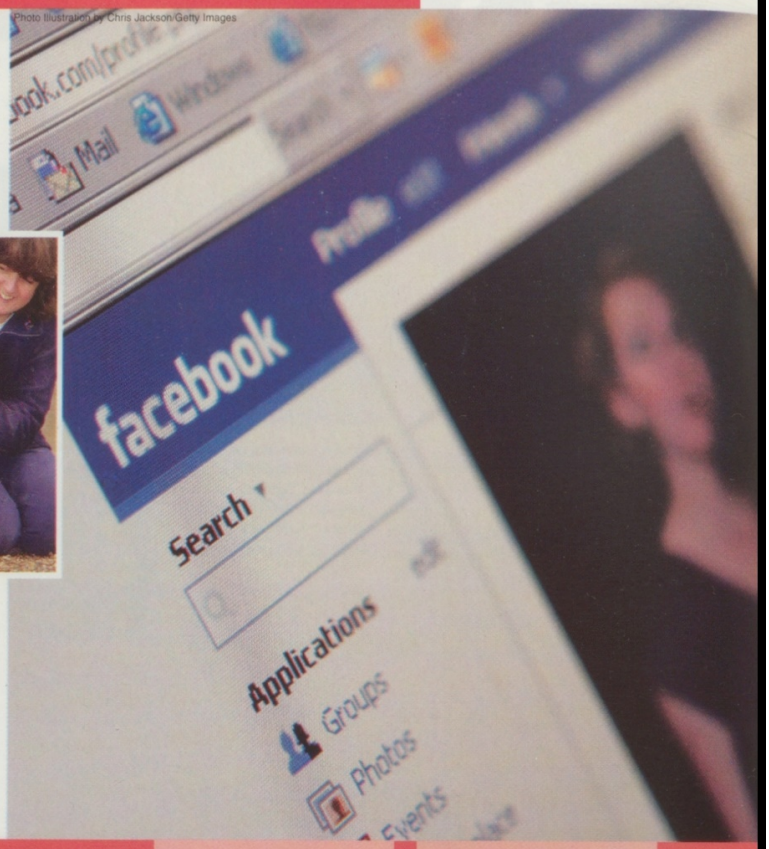
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◀ The healthy growth trend for vitamin waters and other nutrient-boosted consumables continues with the introduction of specialized formulas for immunity, focus and more.

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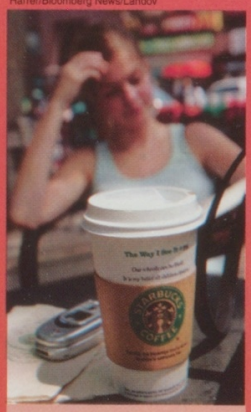


▼ User-generated content grows more popular as network television shows, mainstream musical acts and wannabe media stars join amateur home moviemakers on YouTube. One of the most-watched videos of 2007 features a feline pianist.



Nora the Piano Cat™ © 2007 Alexander & Yow!

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▲ Higher prices for coffee beans do not lessen the nation's craving for coffeehouses. Independents and chains alike continue to be popular with younger consumers.

▼ Concerns over the environment and increasing energy costs create a growing consumer demand for energy-saving, long-lasting compact fluorescent light bulbs.



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▼ The Apple iPhone, with its revolutionary touch screen, packs mobile phone, camera, iPod, Web browser, email and IM capabilities into a sleek, portable package.

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▼ Cute and comfy baby doll jumper tops and dresses with button straps start as a summer trend and morph into fall fashion layered over close-fitting sweaters and matching tights.

Trends

straps start as a summer trend and morph into fall fashion layered over close-fitting sweaters and matching tights.

Trends

◀ The A-line silhouette comes to outerwear, as swingy trapeze coats become one of the year's most surprising fashion must-haves.

◀ Under Armor athletic apparel is a popular fashion choice for athletes both on and off the field.

▶ Fashion takes a look back to the 1980s with the return of leg warmers, worn as an accessory with short skirts or skinny jeans and fashionable ballet flats or moccasins.

◀ Quilted Vera Bradley handbags and totes sweep college campuses, sororities and high school hallways from coast to coast.

▶ The ubiquitous, slouchy suede Ugg boot is reinvented with cozy knitted uppers that keep toes toasty and add a soft, tweedy, textured look to fall and winter ensembles.

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◀ Guys sport patterned hoodies that are worn alone or layered under jackets and blazers for an edgy, urban look.

▲ Stephon Marbury inspires a host of celebrities, including Sarah Jessica Parker and Venus Williams, to battle the high-priced fashion industry by creating their own affordable apparel.

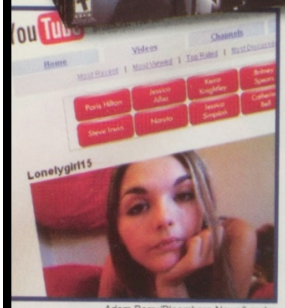
◀ The craze for oversized leather bags—in metallic shades of copper, silver and gold—inspires a trend for matching footwear in daytime and nighttime looks.

Entertainment

▼ The music video game Guitar Hero III: Legends of Rock is released with a soundtrack of 71 playable songs. Slash and other real-life guitarists appear as in-game characters.

▼ The music video game Rock Band is released for Xbox 360 and PlayStation 3. Players perform together in virtual bands, using peripherals to hit notes as they scroll onscreen.





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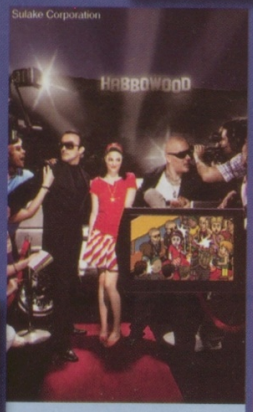
◀ Even after lonelygirl15 is revealed as a fictitious character, her popular storyline continues for a full season as an Internet dramedy series on YouTube and MySpace.



▼ After a two-year format war, Toshiba pulls its HD DVD product out of contention, leaving Sony Blu-ray as the sole next-generation successor to DVD.

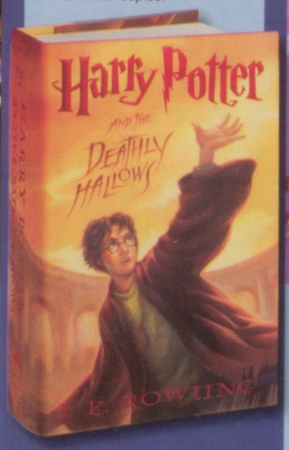


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▲ Large-scale multiplayer online gaming gives rise to virtual worlds where players interact via avatars and the computer-generated environment is similar to the real world.

▼ *Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows*, the seventh and final book in the enormously popular series, is released. Its first U.S. print run is a record-breaking 12 million copies.





▲ Beading makes a comeback as a way to relax and creatively spend time with friends.

Television

▼ The second season of NBC's *Heroes* continues the adventures of ordinary people with extraordinary powers and reveals more about the shadowy dealings of "The Company."



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▲ *High School Musical 2* becomes the highest-rated cable broadcast in the nation's history when 17.2 million U.S. viewers tune in to the Disney Channel for its debut.

▼ In the 36th season of CBS's *The Price Is Right*, host Bob Barker retires and comedian Drew Carey takes over the helm at the world's second-longest-running game show.



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▲ The NBC drama series *Friday Night Lights*, about a fictional high school football team, is taped documentary-style, without rehearsals, to give it a more authentic feeling.

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◀ On The CW, Blake Lively portrays socialite teen

Channel for its debut.

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◀ On The CW, Blake Lively portrays socialite teen Serena van der Woodsen in *Gossip Girl*, a drama series that follows the lives of prep school students from New York's Upper East Side.

▶ America Ferrera, who plays Betty Suarez on the popular ABC comedy-drama *Ugly Betty*, is the first Latina to win the Emmy for Outstanding Lead Actress in a Comedy Series.



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◀ ABC's *Dancing with the Stars* rules the ratings thanks to popular celebrity participants such as Sabrina Bryan of The Cheetah Girls.

Favorite TV Shows:

Movies

▼ A 90-minute episode of *The Simpsons* takes six years to make. *The Simpsons Movie* finally makes its big-screen debut and is a major hit.

▼ Shia LaBeouf portrays a teenager who is plunged into a high-tech battle between good and evil alien robots in *Transformers*, a live action adaptation of the 1980s cartoon series.



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◀ *Atonement* receives seven Golden Globe nominations, including lead acting nods for Keira Knightley and James McAvoy.



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▶ Disney's *National Treasure: Book of Secrets* nets the



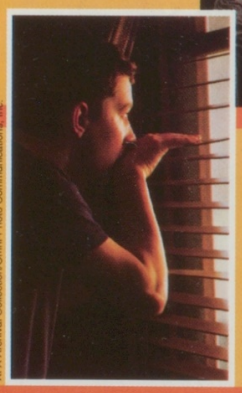
▼ *The Great Debaters*, based on the real-life victories of a black debate team in the 1930s,



▶ Disney's *National Treasure: Book of Secrets* nets the third-highest box-office total ever for a Christmas weekend release.



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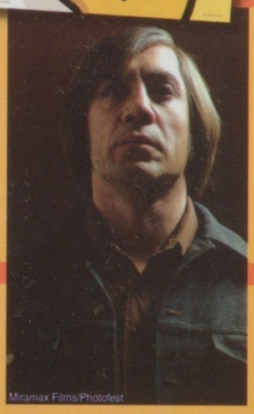
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◀ *Disturbia*, a surprise hit thriller about a bored teenager under house arrest who thinks his next-door neighbor may be a notorious serial killer, spends three weeks at the top of the box office.

▼ *The Great Debaters*, based on the real-life victories of a black debate team in the 1930s, receives eight NAACP Image Award nominations.



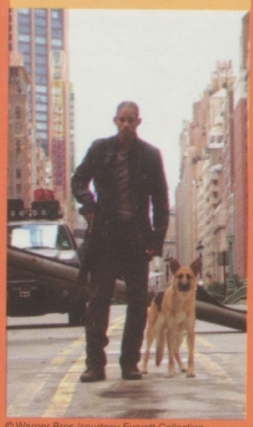
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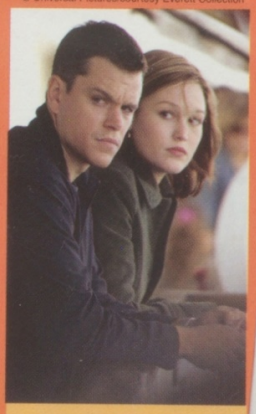
▲ Joel and Ethan Coen write and direct *No Country for Old Men*, a film adaptation of Cormac McCarthy's bleak, moody modern western novel. The film receives eight Oscar nominations.

▼ In *I Am Legend*, Will Smith is the last man alive in New York, after a man-made virus wipes out most of the world's population and turns the survivors into dangerous mutants.



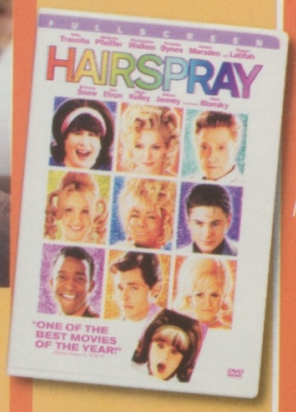
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▲ Matt Damon reprises his role as amnesiac CIA assassin Jason Bourne for *The Bourne Ultimatum*, the third film in the Bourne trilogy based on Robert Ludlum's novels.

▼ Starring Zac Efron, Amanda Bynes and newcomer Nikki Blonsky, *Hairspray* is a zany musical based on the Broadway smash hit.



Best Picture Oscar Nominations

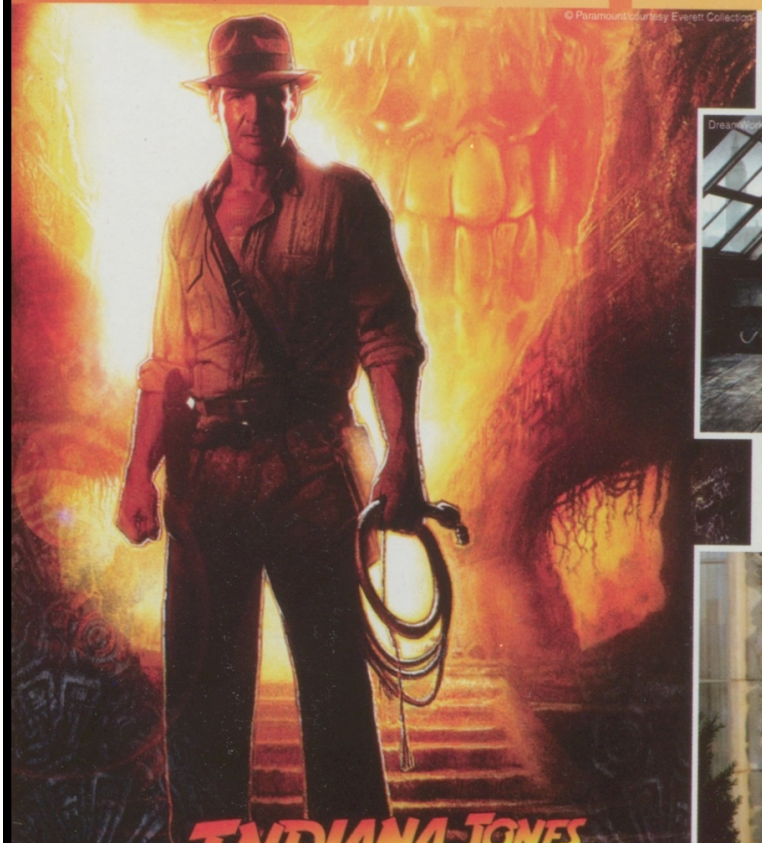
Atonement

Juno

Michael Clayton

No Country for Old Men

There Will Be Blood



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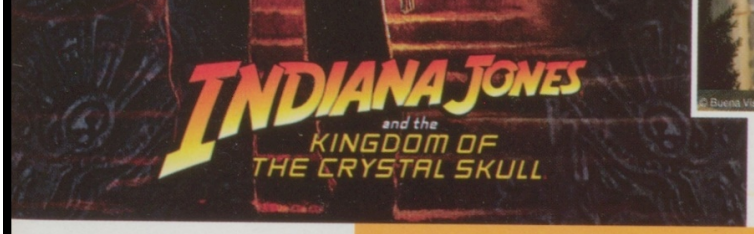
◀ After a 19-year hiatus, Harrison Ford returns as Steven Spielberg's adventurous archaeologist in *Indiana Jones and the Kingdom of the Crystal Skull*.



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▲ Tim Burton directs and Johnny Depp stars as the title character in *Sweeney Todd: The Demon Barber of Fleet Street*, an adaptation of the hit Broadway musical.







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▲ Using a combination of live action and animation, *Enchanted* tells the story of Giselle, a fairy-tale character seeking a "happily ever after" ending in modern-day Manhattan.

Music

▼ Fergie continues to place singles from her triple-platinum solo album, *The Dutchess*, on the *Billboard* charts.

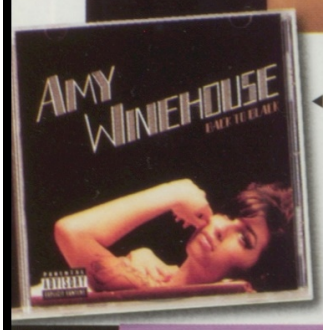
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▼ Fall Out Boy headlines the Honda Civic tour, performs at Live Earth concerts and reaches the top of the charts with the release of their album *Infinity on High*.

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◀ British singer Amy Winehouse brings back the beehive and wins five Grammy awards for her work on *Back To Black*.

▼ Canadian pop singer Feist enjoys soaring sales for her third solo album, *The Reminder*, after the single "1234" is featured in a commercial for the iPod nano.

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▲ Rihanna records her third album, *Good Girl Gone Bad*, featuring Jay-Z and Ne-Yo. She receives six Grammy nominations.

▼ Newcomer Sean Kingston tops the U.S. *Billboard* Hot 100 and Pop 100 with "Beautiful Girls," his first single from his self-titled debut album.



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▲ Malibu singer-songwriter Colbie Caillat rises to stardom from MySpace. Her song "Bubbly" garners more than 31 million plays and her CD goes platinum.

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▼ Carrie Underwood releases her double-platinum second album, *Carnival Ride*, and contributes the Oscar-nominated song "Ever Ever After" to the soundtrack for the movie *Enchanted*.



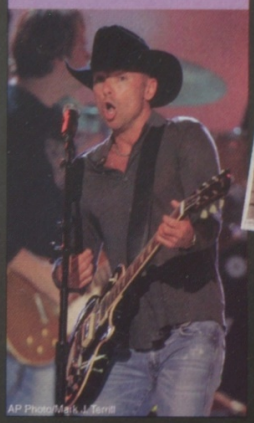
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▲ After facing off at the MTV Music Awards, rapper rivals Kanye West and 50 Cent release albums on September 11 and vie for top sales. Kanye's *Graduation* is the victor.

▼ Country star Kenny Chesney releases his 13th album, *Just Who I Am: Poets & Pirates*. His Flip Flop summer tour is the highest-grossing country tour of 2007.

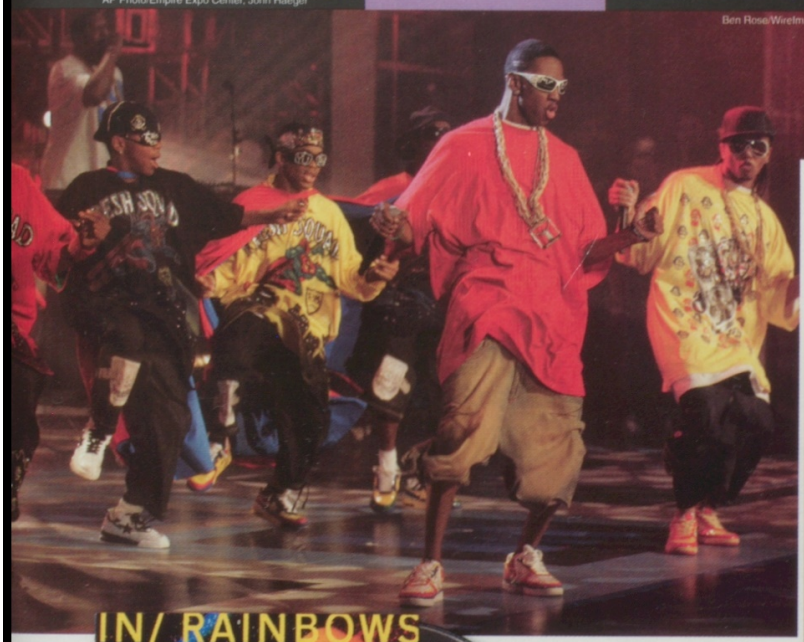


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▲ Hip-hop artist T-Pain releases his second album, *Epiphany*. The album receives four 2008 Grammy nominations and the Vibe 2007 Song of the Year Award.

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◀ Soulja Boy reaches the top of the *Billboard* Hot 100 with the single "Crank That (Soulja Boy)" and his distinctive, loose-limbed dance style becomes a nationwide craze.

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▲ Punk-pop princess Avril Lavigne releases her third album, *The Best Damn Thing*, featuring "Girlfriend," her first No.1 single on the *Billboard* Top 100.



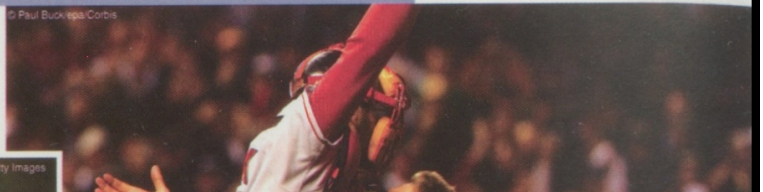
◀ Radiohead invites listeners and fans to pay whatever they want for a digital download of their highly acclaimed seventh album, *In Rainbows*. A "discbox" edition, with standard CD and vinyl LP, is released in January 2008.

Sports

▼ The American League Champion Boston Red Sox defeat the National League Champion Colorado Rockies in a decisive four-game sweep to capture their second World Series title in four years.

▼ Tiger Woods achieves his record 14th World Golf Championships win at the WGC-Bridgestone Invitational and claims his 60th PGA Tour win at the BMW Championship.

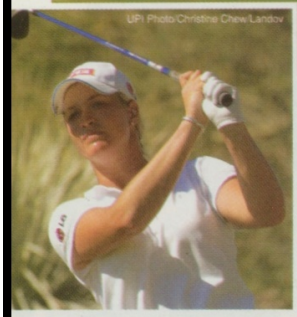
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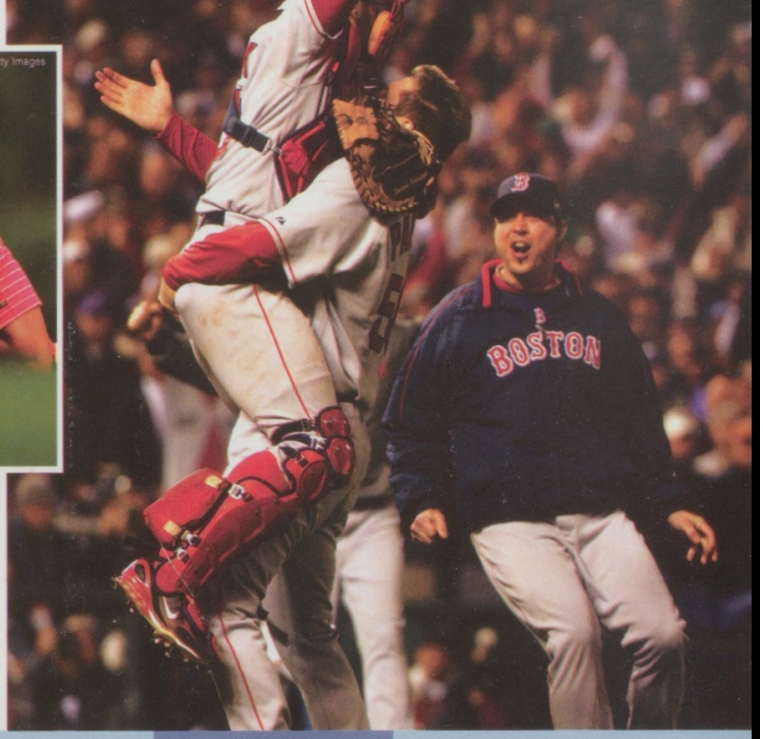
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claims his 60th PGA Tour win at the BMW Championship.

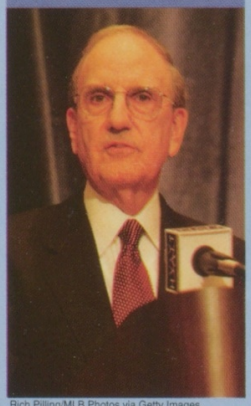

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◀ Norwegian golfer Suzann Pettersen wins five LPGA events including her first major championship in a break out season.



▼ Former Senator George Mitchell releases a list of Major League Baseball players, including seven MVPs and 31 All-Stars, under investigation for illegal use of steroids and other performance-enhancing drugs.

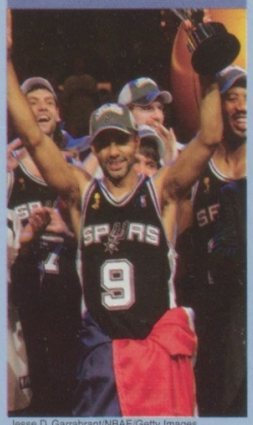

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▲ At X-Games 13, Ricky Carmichael wins the first MotoX Racing Circuit, Simon Tabron does back-to-back 900s in BMX Vert and Jake Brown survives a 40-foot fall.

▼ The veteran San Antonio Spurs, led by Tim Duncan, beat the Cleveland Cavaliers and their young phenom, LeBron James, in a 4-0 sweep to win the 2007 NBA finals.



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▲ The LSU Tigers pounce on Ohio State early on their way to a 38-24 victory. LSU is the first two-loss team to compete for and win the BCS National Championship.

▼ California native Jimmie Johnson speeds to victory as the 2007 NASCAR Nextel Cup Champion, defeating his Hendrick Motorsports teammate Jeff Gordon by 77 points.

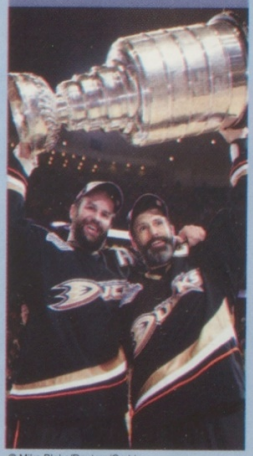

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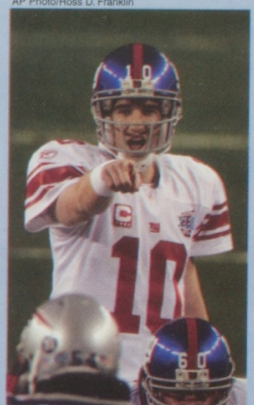


▲ Athletes from around the world train for the 2008 Summer Olympics in Beijing as the city prepares for the arrival of hundreds of competitors and millions of spectators.

▼ The Anaheim Ducks claim their first Stanley Cup, beating the Ottawa Senators in five games for the 2007 NHL championship.


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▲ Super Bowl XLII MVP Eli Manning leads the New York Giants on a last-minute scoring drive to upset the heavily favored New England Patriots 17-14, shattering the Patriots' bid for a perfect 19-0 season.

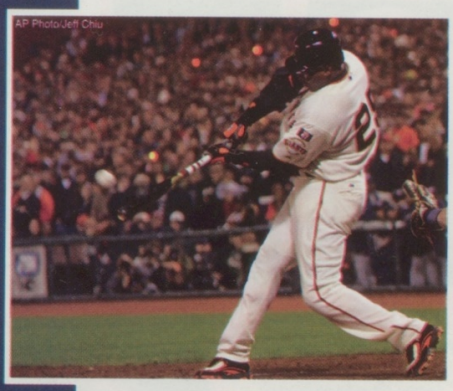


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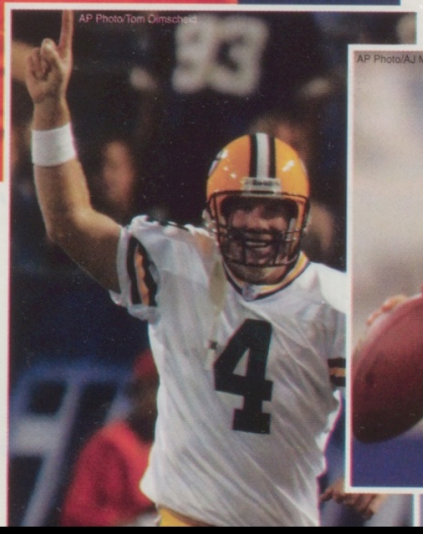
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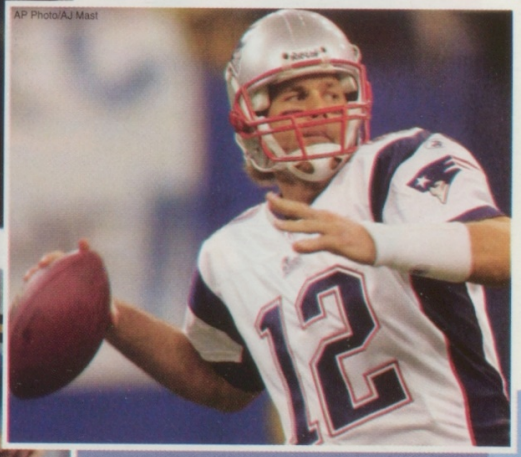


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▲ Power hitters Barry Bonds, Frank Thomas, Alex "A-Rod" Rodriguez, Craig Biggio and Jim Thome all achieve home run milestones in their Major League Baseball careers.



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▶ Brett Favre of the Green Bay Packers surpasses Dan Marino's touchdown pass record with number 422. 2007 NFL MVP Tom Brady of the New England Patriots sets the single regular-season mark for touchdown passes with 50.

Faces

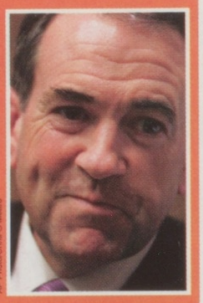
Election '08 Candidates

After Super Tuesday primaries on February 5, 2008, the presidential race heats up among frontrunners Hillary Clinton, Mike Huckabee, John McCain and Barack Obama.



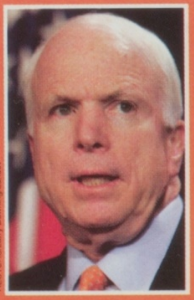
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Hillary Rodham Clinton



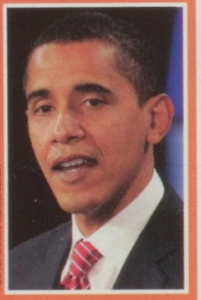
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Mike Huckabee



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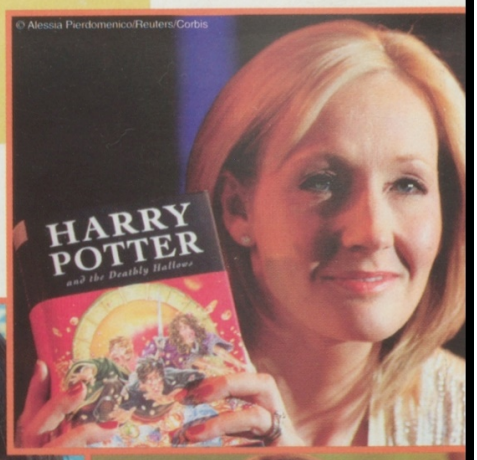
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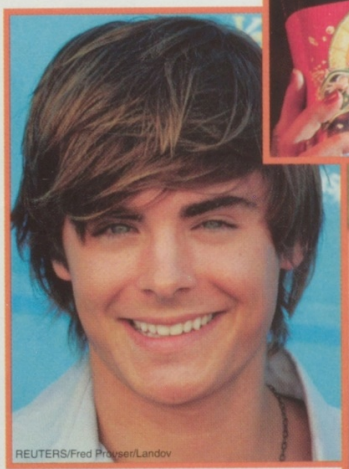
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Barack Obama

▶ *Entertainment Weekly* names J.K. Rowling—author of the seven-volume, 4,100-page Harry Potter series of best-selling children's books—as its Entertainer of the Year.

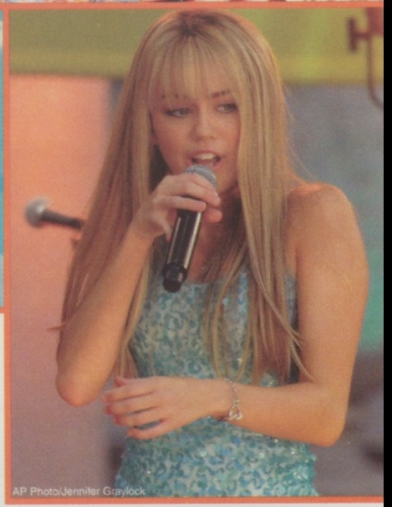


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▲ Heartthrob Zac Efron, who came to fame with his performance in the first *High School Musical*, becomes an even bigger teen star with the release of *High School Musical 2*.



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▶ The Best of Both Worlds tour, starring Miley Cyrus as Hannah Montana, sells out in every city, prompting ticket lotteries, heartbroken fans and scalping scandals.



John McCain



Barack Obama

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▼ In January 2008, Academy Award-nominated actor Heath Ledger, 28, is found dead in his Lower Manhattan apartment from an accidental overdose of prescription medication.



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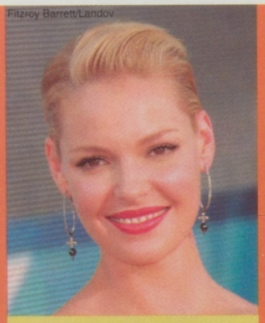
▲ Multi-talented star Queen Latifah becomes the latest spokeswoman for Jenny Craig. Her message isn't about getting skinny, but about losing weight to reduce the risk of Type 2 diabetes.

▼ At London's Wembley Stadium, Princes William and Harry host the Concert for Diana to commemorate the tenth anniversary of the death of their mother, the Princess of Wales.



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▲ As Izzie Stevens on ABC's *Grey's Anatomy*, Katherine Heigl is a small-screen star. As Anne Fletcher in the comedy *27 Dresses*, she conquers the big screen as well.

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