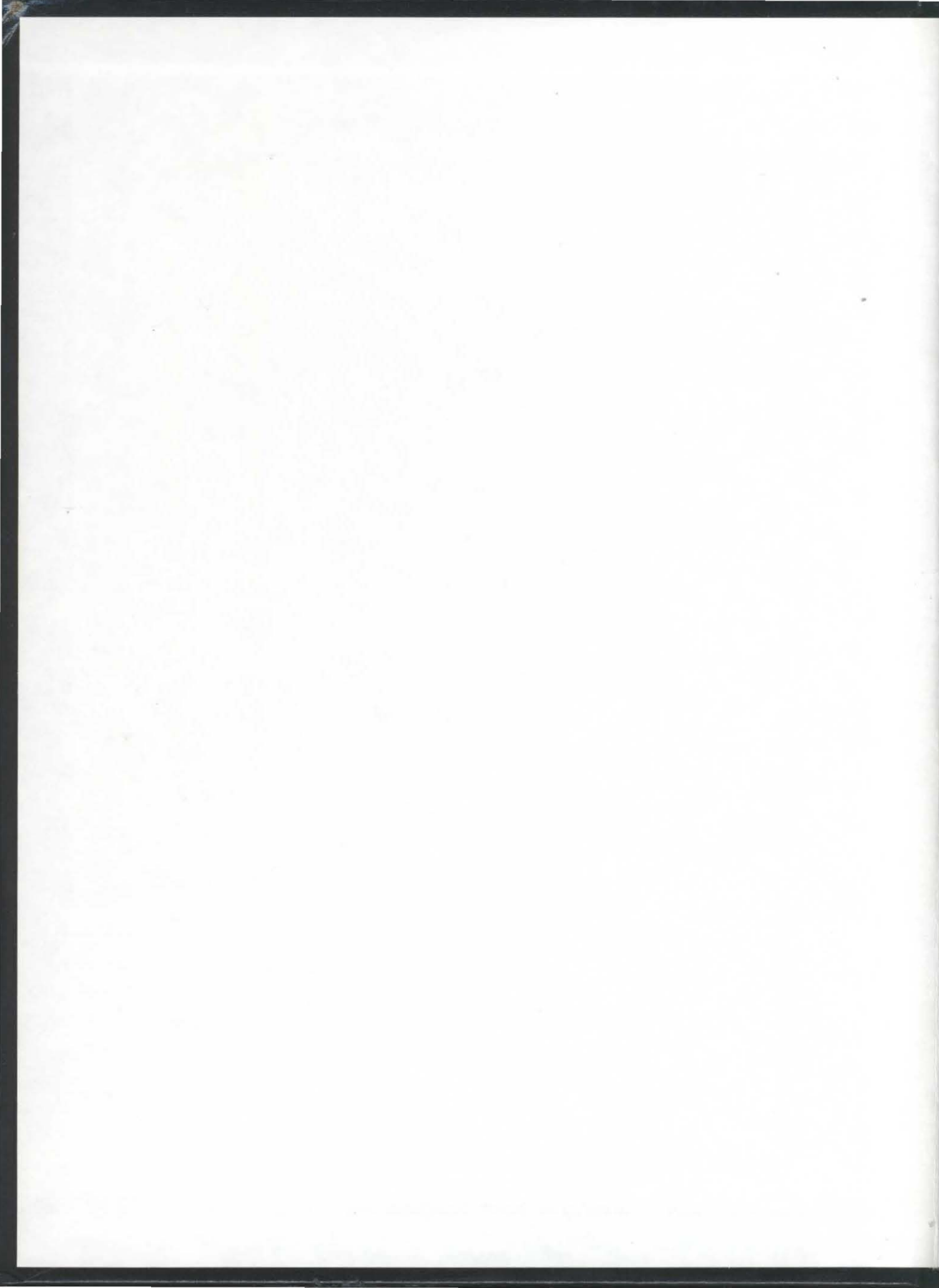


BULLDOG PRIDE



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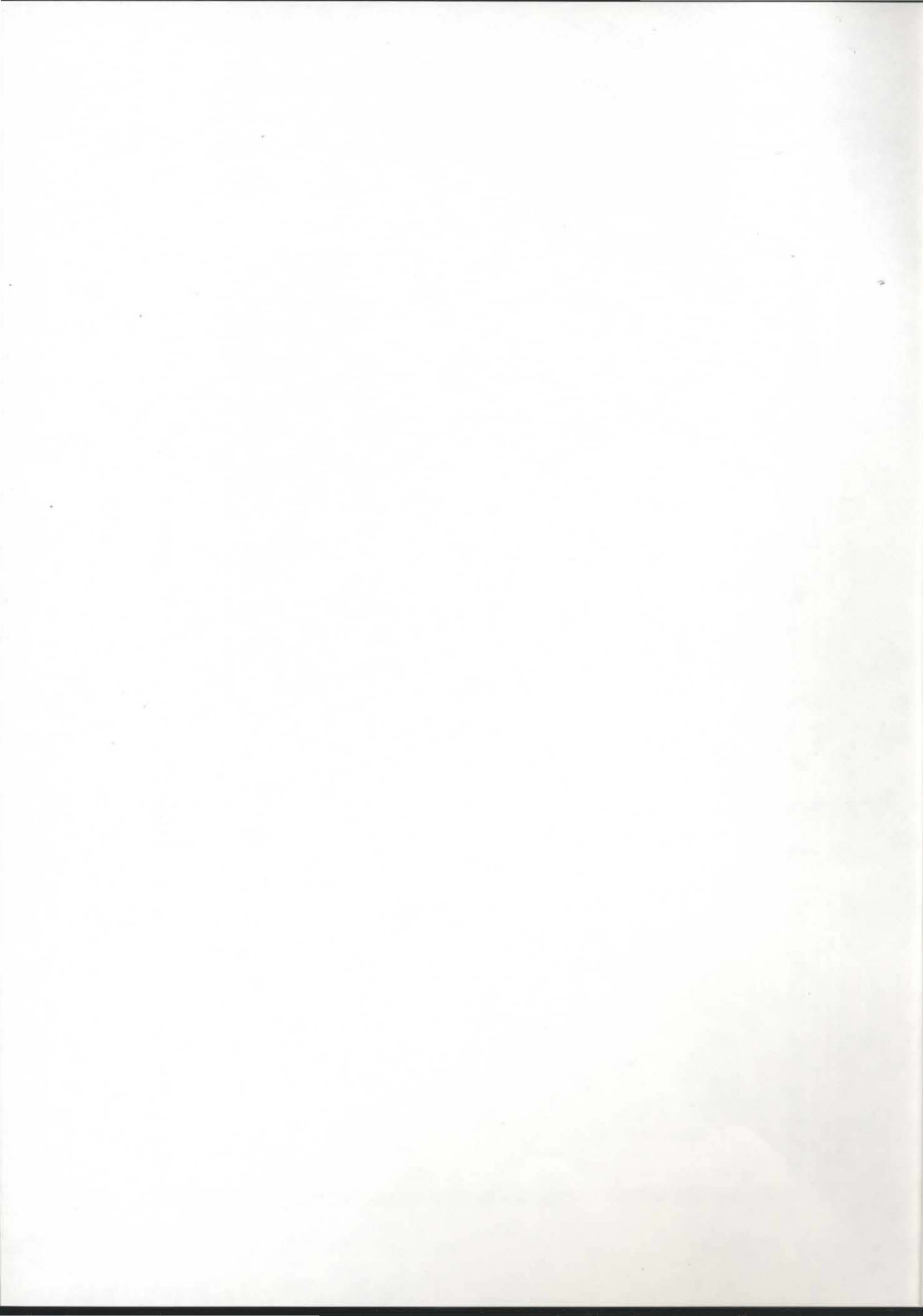
# Bulldog Pride in the New Millennium



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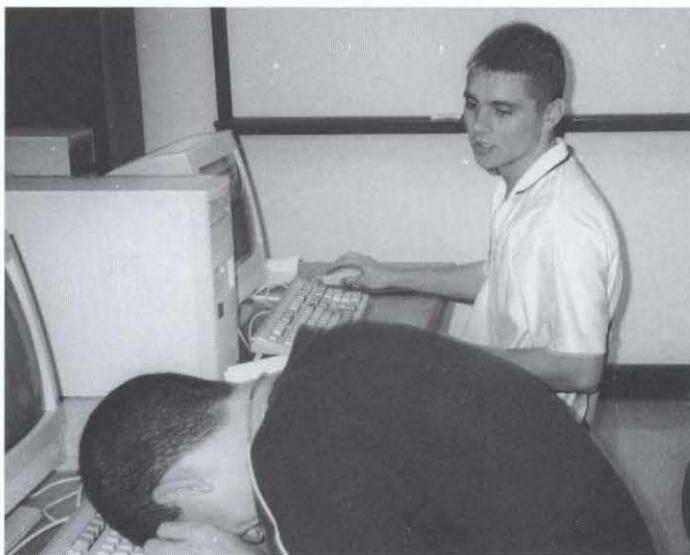


THE NEW MILLENIUM BRINGS RENEWED...

# Bulldog Pride

MANY PEOPLE HAVE BEEN WONDERING WHAT WILL HAPPEN IN THE YEAR 2000: IF THE WORLD WILL END, IF THEY WILL HAVE ELECTRICITY, OR EVEN IF THEIR CARS WILL BE ABLE TO GET THEM TO THEIR JOBS. THIS IS A NEW YEAR SO WE HAVE TO PUT THE PAST ASIDE AND THINK OF THE FUTURE AND ALL OF THE WONDERFUL THINGS THAT ARE GOING TO HAPPEN TO THEM.

THIS YEAR'S YEARBOOK STAFF WENT THROUGH MANY STRENUOUS DAYS OF THINKING UP OF THE THEME "BULLDOG PRIDE IN THE NEW MILLENNIUM" BECAUSE THE MILLIENNIUM IS UPON US AND WE HAVE THE PRIDE TO MAKE IT THROUGH THE YEARS TO COME.



Above: Lacey Sliva, Brandie Vosteen, Crystal Harper and Paula Theilen see who can touch her nose with her tongues.

Top right: Jesse Schumacher tries to finish his report for English as Derek pounds away on the keyboard to finish his article on the school dress code for journalism.

Left: Pucker up, Mr. Simmerman. This one needs a kiss. At the Annual Fun Fair, Mr. Simmerman won the contest to kiss a pig.

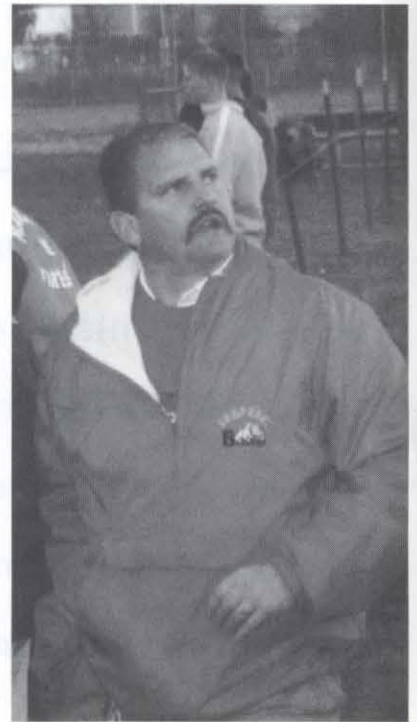


# ADMINISTRATION AND STAFF SHOW THEIR STUFF IN THE NEW MILLENNIUM AS THE...

## Pride of the Pack

Right: Tom Carlstrom, superintendent, leans back as he plans for the new millennium.

Far Right: Russell Flamig, principal, shows great pride in his ability to help the students as well as the staff.



The bus drivers make sure the kids get to school on time. Above: Cheryl Hastreiter, Karen Lachnit, Jim Bruckner, and Cal Sjuts. Not pictured: Steve Sjuts and Stella Landauer.

Top Left: The cooks, Judy Wessel, Mary Fischer, Marylin Labenz, and Bev Hellbusch, are always stewing up great food.



Connie Chaulk, custodian, knows how to vaccum in style.



Lois Gronenthal shows what it means to be a true custodian.







Left: Ron Krings, head custodian, shows how the job is done.

Below: Theresa Frauendorfer, secretary, keeps everything in order and is a big help to the students and administration.



Above: The 1999-2000 school board, Harry Greisen, Melvin Brandl, Mary Ann Babel, Melvin Pfeifer, Jame Maguire, Tim Sliva, Ralph Weeder, Daryl Herchenbach, and Bill Fischer are making the school better than ever before.

Left: Michelle Wemhoff, the school bookkeeper, keeps her cool on the phone.



Middle Left: Mr. Persinger shows Andy Mausbach how to really eat ice cream on the day we signed yearbooks.

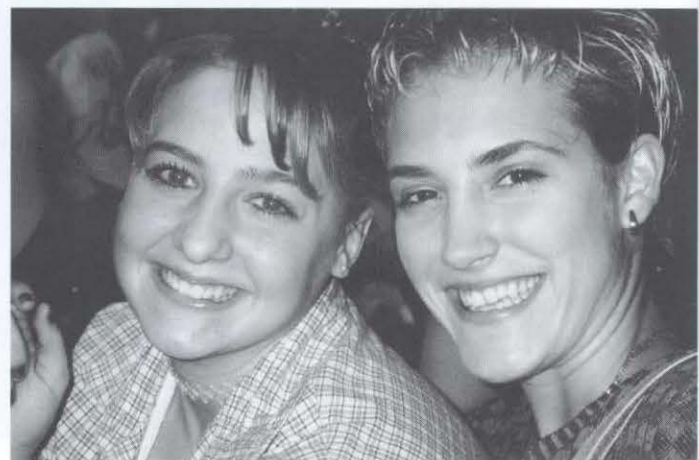
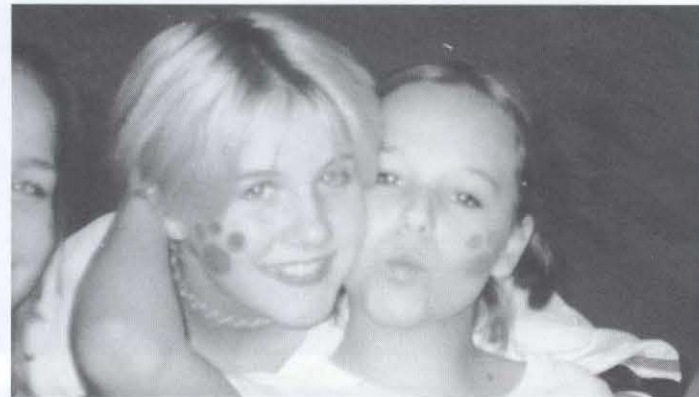
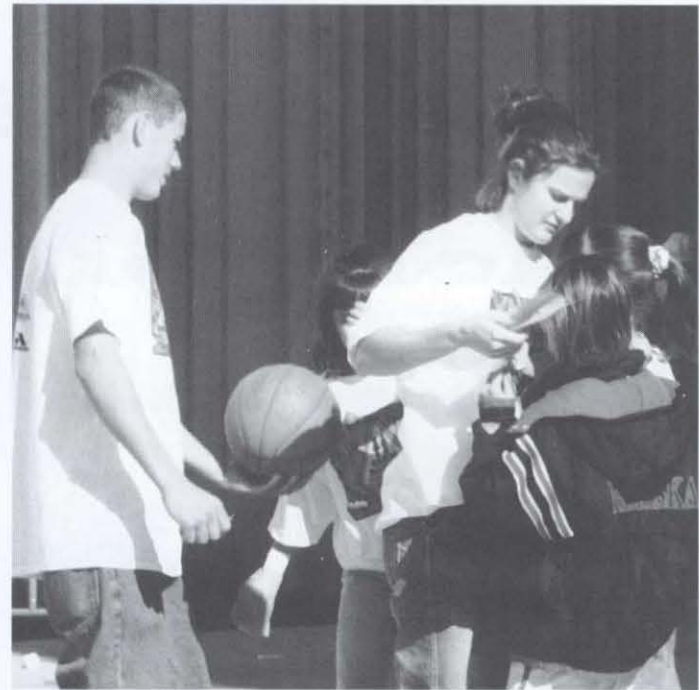
Below: The junior class stands restless in the gym as they watch the rest of their class win in the Junior Olympics.



Above: Amanda Tuma, Ashley Bradley, and Destiny Davis show their enthusiasm while cheering for the Lady Bulldogs in a volleyball game.

Center: Michelle Daugherty looks to the other side of the gym and smiles at who is walking towards her.

Below: Melissa Brandl and Adam Hemmer take a break in the playground with the rest of the youngsters on Farm Safety Day.



Middle right: Cassie Gasper and Angie Lich sit around the gym with high spirits waiting for the rest of third block to continue.

Bottom right: Krystal Flamig and Melissa Ritz enjoy their time at school just as long as they are by each other.





# Under Classmen

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LEARNING WHAT BULL DOG PRIDE IS

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GOING STRONG WITH BULLDOG PRIDE...

# JUNIORS

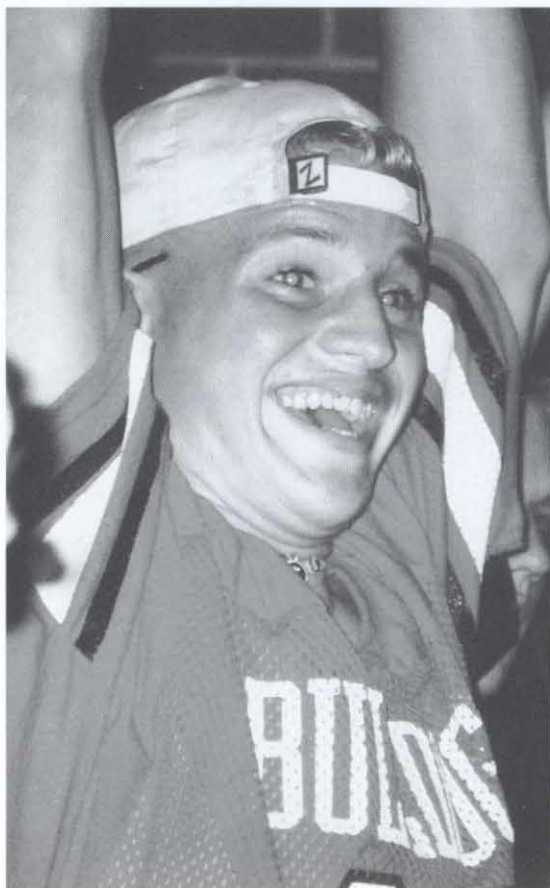


Bottom left: Lady Bulldog fan, Lyle Davison, shows his support by starting the wave.

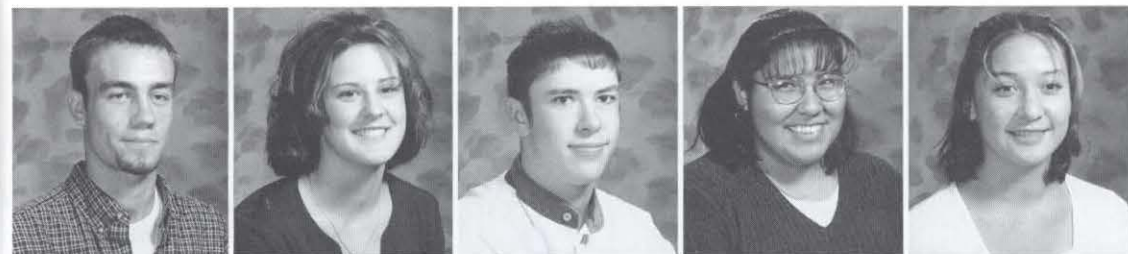
Bottom right: Melissa Brandl stops between classes to pose for the camera.

Top right: Ray Stepan acts as King Duncan during English 12 for their Macbeth re-enactment.

Top left: Jesse Schumacher shows his excitement as the JV football team gains a first down.



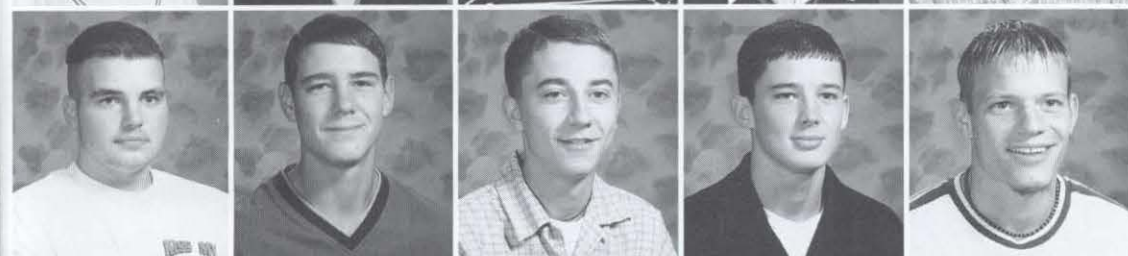




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Melissa Brandl  
James Brandt  
Lupita Cardenas  
Michelle Daugherty



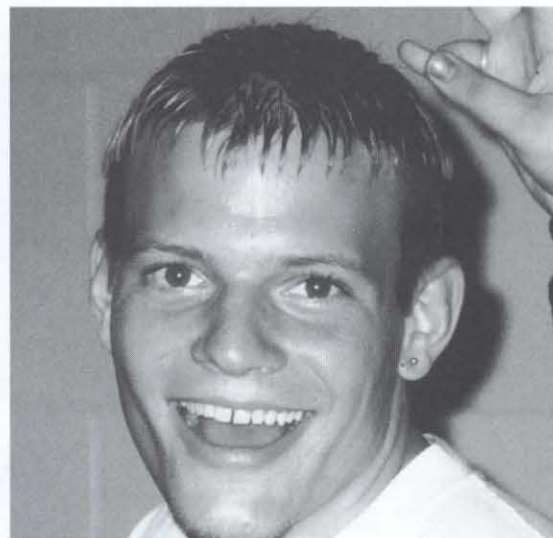
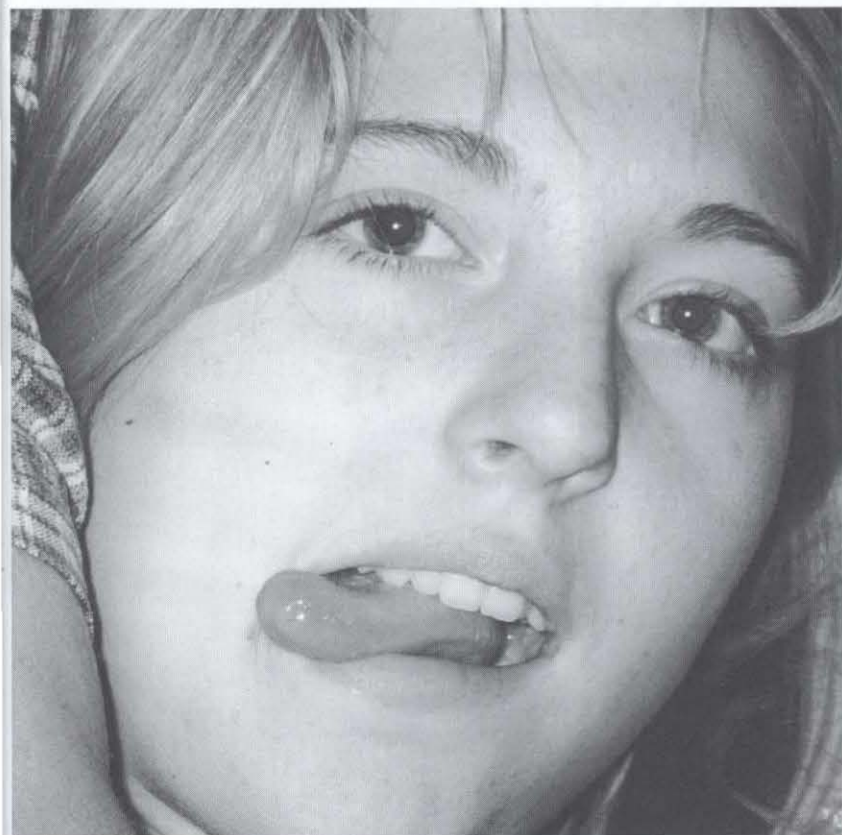
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Jesse Finkral  
Grant Flamig  
Sarah Gronenthal  
Micah Groteluschen



Josh Haynes  
Adam Hemmer  
Martin Konarski  
Jarrod Kucera  
Andy Mausbach



Shaun Pfeifer  
Jesse Schumacher  
Ray Stephan  
Megan Vosteen  
Adrienne Werner



Left: Sarah Gronenthal practices before asking Mr. Flamig if she can go home sick.

Above: We all know how happy Andy Mausbach is to be in school.



WORKING THEIR WAY TO THE TOP WITH BULLDOG  
PRIDE...

# Sophomores



Above: Ross Korth works hard at trying to complete his computer applications test.

Bottom right: Wendy Neville stretches out after a long, hard volleyball practice.

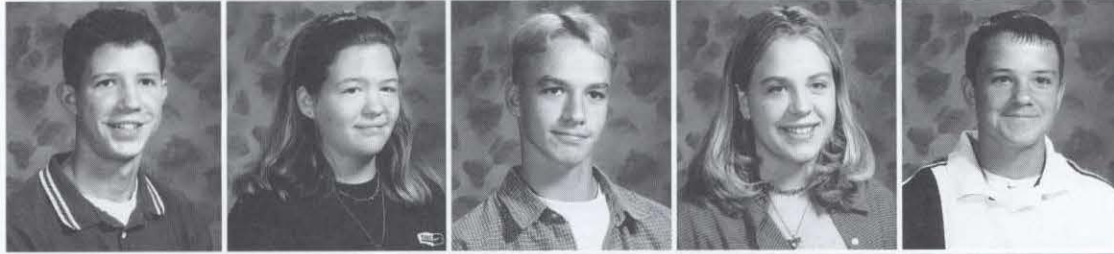
Bottom left: Ashley Bradley sits in class wondering what she plans on doing after school.







Casey Borer  
Ashley Bradley  
Lisa Daughtery  
Aaron Fischer  
Russell Frauendorfer



Curt Greisen  
Melissa Gronenthal  
Gene Haffner  
Anne Huettner  
Andy Korth



Ross Korth  
Lori Mausbach  
Wendy Neville  
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John Schure  
Danie Ternus  
Amy Widhalm  
Randi Zelanzy



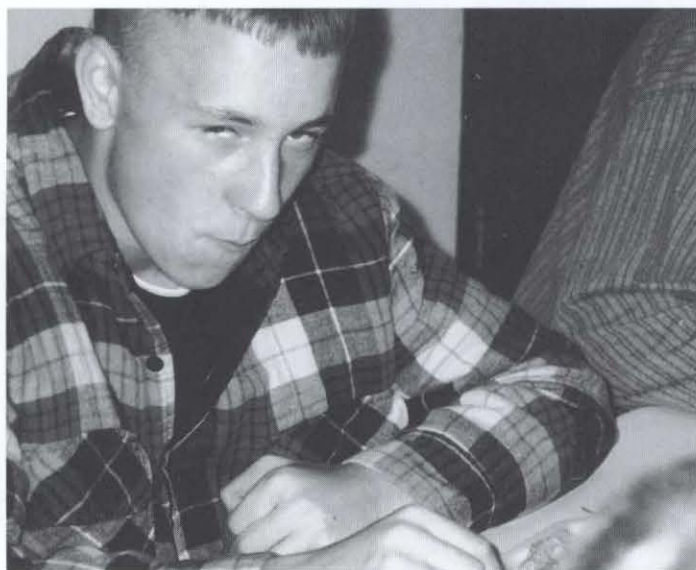
Left: Melissa Ritz tries to show that she is a hard worker by working towards the completion of her report.

Above: Lori Mausbach sits in geometry class laughing at Mr. Nelson's jokes.



BRINGING A NEW KIND OF PRIDE TO HIGH SCHOOL...

# Freshmen



Above: Shane Labenz has a stern face thinking "you'd better not make fun of me."

Top left: The new members of the freshmen class smile in hope of a good year.

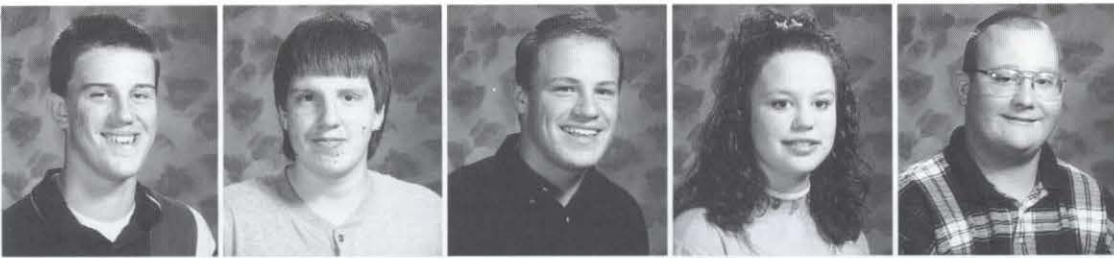


Above: Matt Preister shows his stuff as a Husker.

Top right: Jessie Gronenthal loves to eat ice cream.







Brian Bachman  
Brandon Bartels  
Jeff Brandl  
Destiny Davis  
Jon Dohmen



Krystal Flamig  
Matt Fritz  
Cassie Gasper  
Carrie Gronenthal  
Jesse Gronenthal



Dan Haffner  
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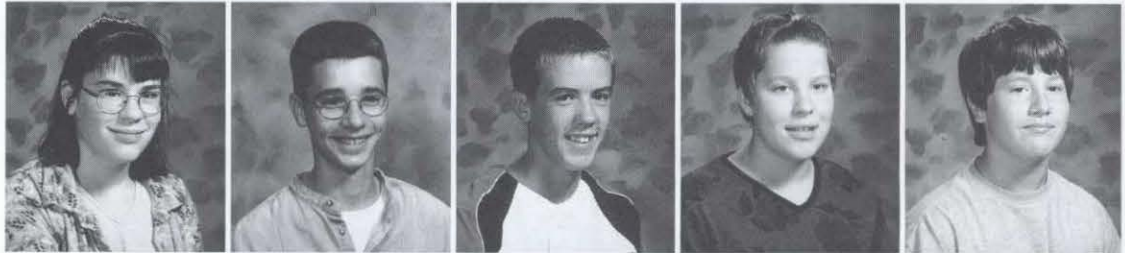
Above: Cassie Gasper has a big smile on her face while trying to embarrass her friend.



BULLDOG SPIRIT BRINGS NEW SPARKS TO THE...

# 8TH Grade

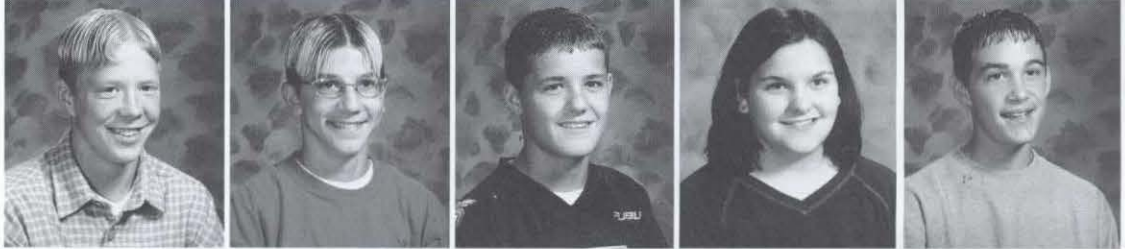
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Cory Gilsdorf



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Tyler Hellbush  
Brooke Labenz



Adam Lentz  
Nick Love  
Joey Majerus  
Amanda McPhillips  
Darren Pfeifer



Tom Schure  
Jenna Sliva  
Lance Vosteen  
Nick Wessel  
Abbie Widhalm



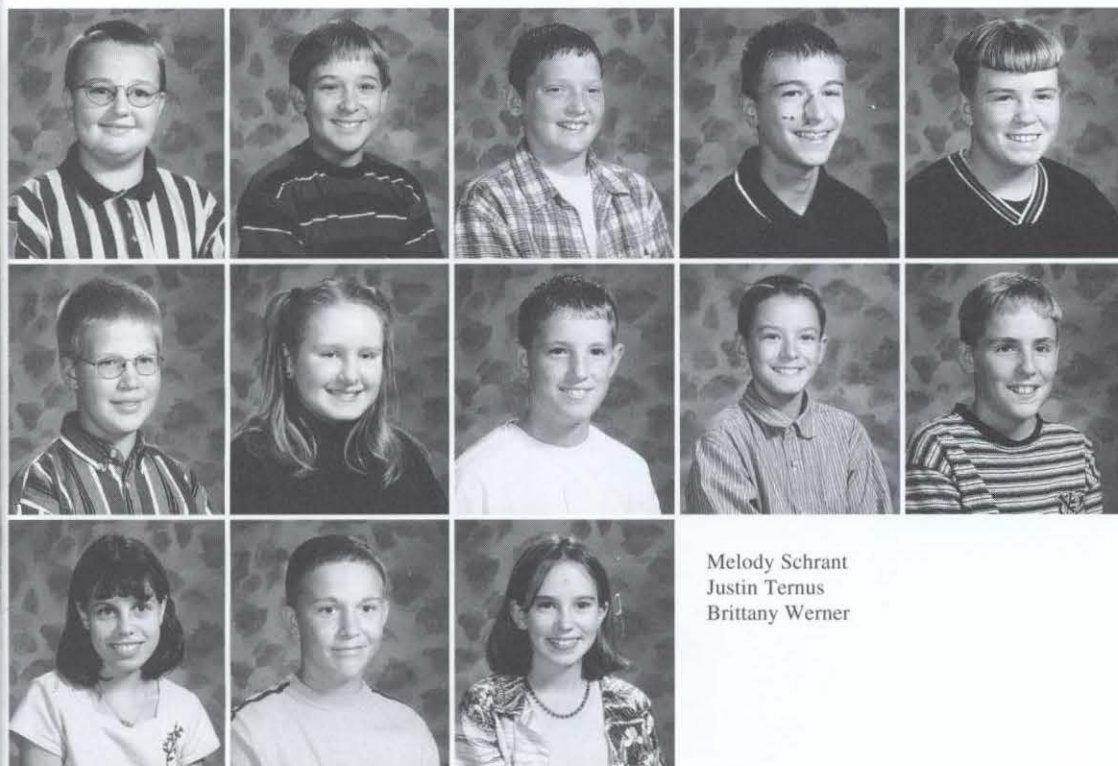
Abbie Widhalm, in the Humphrey High Gymnasium, smiles while showing off her professional doctor costume on career day. This shows one of the several exciting dress up festivities the school does to celebrate homecoming week.





BULLDOG PRIDE IS NEW FOR EVERYONE

# 7<sup>Th</sup> Grade



Neil Bachman  
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Garrett Flaming  
Derick Frauendorfer  
Mitch Gronenthal

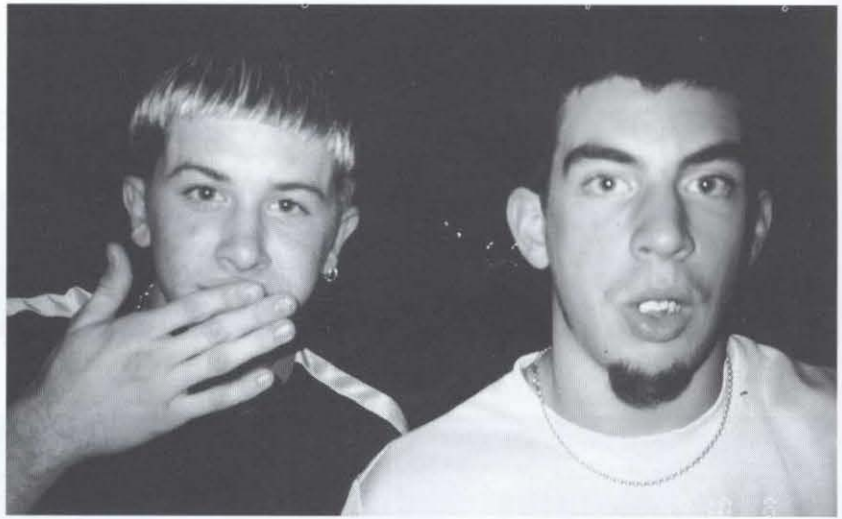
Daniel Kallweit  
Lacey Labenz  
Josh Majerus  
Paul Pittman  
Justin Preister

Melody Schrant  
Justin Ternus  
Brittany Werner

Garret Flaming and Josh  
Majerus are enjoying a  
beautiful day on the  
playground equipment on  
the south side of the  
school.



Top Right: Greg Johnson and Nick Langhorst enjoy eating popcorn during a volleyball game.



Middle Right: A few of the senior girls and Bill Streblov enjoy having fun during a volleyball game.



Above: Brandie Vosteen gives her best pose during spirit week.

Bottom Left: Charisma Gasper smiles as she walks to class with her bunny.

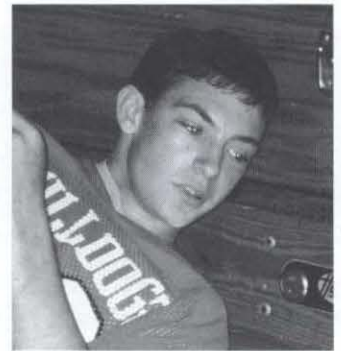
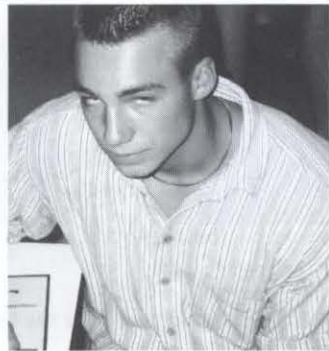


Bottom Right: Nathan Pfeifer stares in amazement as the football team makes an impressive play down the field.

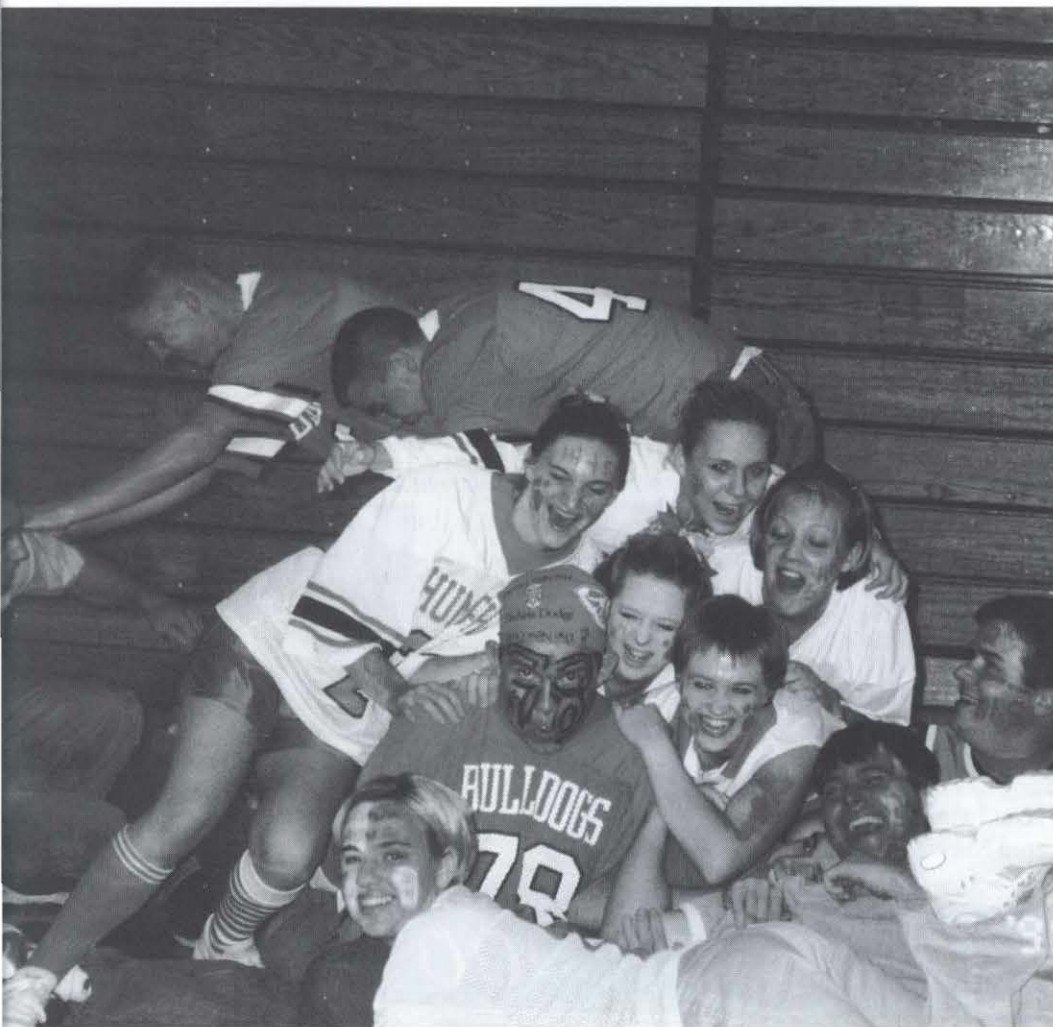




# Leaders of the Pack with Pride



## SENIOR PRIDE



# SENIOR PROPHECIES...

- Mike Bruhn:** Mike will own a Taco Bell franchise and pose as the Taco Bell Chihuahua saying "Chalupas are the bomb!"  
by Michelle Daugherty
- Crystl Dunn:** Crystl will be happily married to Jesse Schumacher. She will be a dentist and enlisted in the Air Force.  
by Jesse Schumacher
- Charisma Gasper:** Charisma will go to school to be a psychologist and will be famous for writing a book on children.  
by Adrienne Werner
- Tara Greisen:** Tara will be a doctor in a big city making big bucks. She will have a mansion on top of the hill living with her lovely husband and two children. by Melissa Brandl
- Crystal Haprer:** Crystal will live on a farm raising horses. She'll be married to her high school sweetheart with one kid. She will also be participating in rodeos every once in awhile. by Melissa Brandl
- Kyle Heesacker:** Kyle will be the head mechanic at some big company and will make lots of money. Kyle will also have about several old cars fixed up for himself. by Micah Groteluschen
- Derek Johnson:** Derek will work in the Hy-Vee Kitchen for the rest of his life and take over the business in a couple of years after graduating. by Josh Haynes
- Greg Johnson:** Greg will be going off to a college. He will come out successful and having lots of fun succeeding in high goals. Also I'm sure he'll be having fun scooting around in his flashy, little Ranger. by Andy Mausbach
- Adam Korth:** Adam will be going to work for his dad at the wood shop. Then he will take over the business. by Jesse Finkral
- Nathan Pfeifer:** Nate will be a professional basketball player for the Timber Wolves and be the MVP of the NBA. by Grant Flamig
- Nick Langhorst:** Nick will be going to a four year college to become a businessman in a Radio Shack. by Shaun Pfeifer
- Lacey Sliva:** Lacey will go to college for a couple of years. Then she may go to school to become a massage therapist and become famous for her work. by Lupita Cardenas
- John Stock:** John, at the age of 21, will become a professional body builder and win 168 titles at the world's strongest men competition until the age of 96. At the age of 97, he travels to schools and jumps on trampolines. by Martin Konarski
- Charles Streblow:** Charles will run his own construction company and will be putting the tenth story addition onto Super Saver owned by Jeff Wessel. He will be married and have five children. by James Brandt
- Bill Streblow:** Bill marries his high school sweetheart and has a big family. Bill will have 15 daughters and two sons. He'll have five dogs, 21 cats, three horses, 5,203 cows (he owns a dairy farm) and one turkey. by Michelle Daugherty.
- Paul Sunderman:** Paul will go to college after high school to make a career as an autobody specialist. by Greg Johnson
- Paula Theilen:** Paula will go to Wayne State College. From there she will become an accountant and make billions of dollars.  
by Sarah Gronenthal
- Julie Veik:** Julie will be working at Torin getting fired on and off, but will be rehired every time. by Michelle Daugherty.
- Brandie Vosteen:** Brandie is going to have four kids and live in the Humphrey area with her husband. Brandie will also coach the Lady Bulldogs in basketball, while solving other people's problems as a counselor. by Megan Vosteen.
- Alan Wessel:** Alan will work at Super Saver until he becomes rich and opens his own chain of supermarkets. by Philip Bachman
- Jeff Wessel:** Jeff will work at Super Saver until he becomes manager, then becoming rich and buying the store. He will rename it Jeff Saver. by Adam Hemmer.
- Justin Wetjen:** Justin will work up at John Deere for many years to come until the owner dies. Then Justin will take over and live a rich life. by Jarrod Kucera



*class of 2000*





*Alto Ball*



*Crystal Frost Dunn*



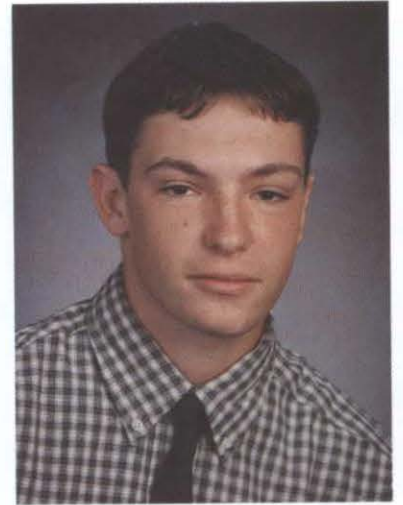
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*Tara Dreisen*



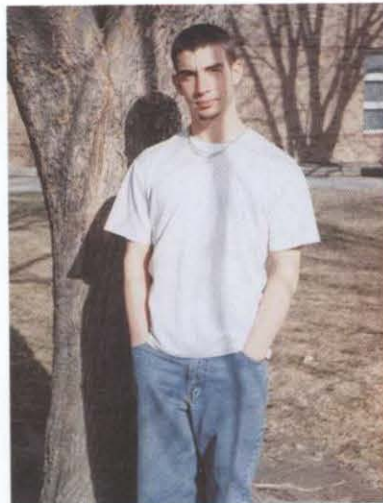
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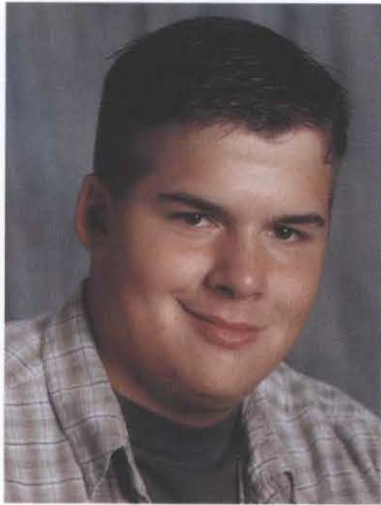
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Nick Lemmons



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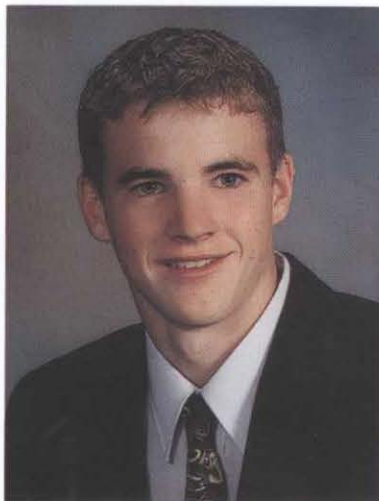
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CLASS MOTTO:  
REMEMBER YESTERDAY  
LIVE FOR TODAY  
DREAM TOMORROW

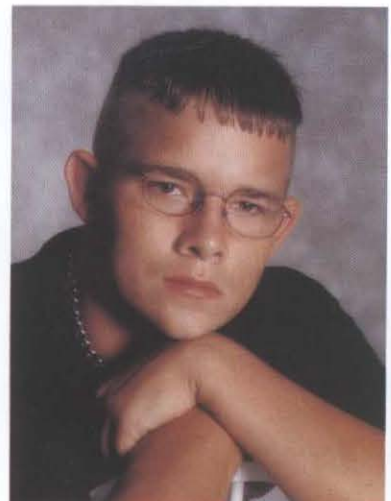
CLASS COLOR :  
RED, YELLOW, BLACK

CLASS FLOWER:  
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ROSE

CLASS OF 2000 CLASS OF 2000 CLASS OF 2000



Paul Luderman



Bill Stretton







Brandie Ustons



Julie Seik

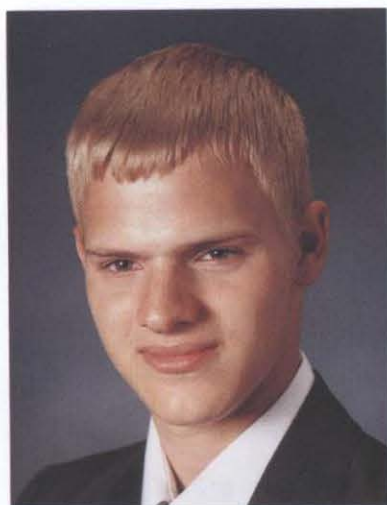


Paula Theilen

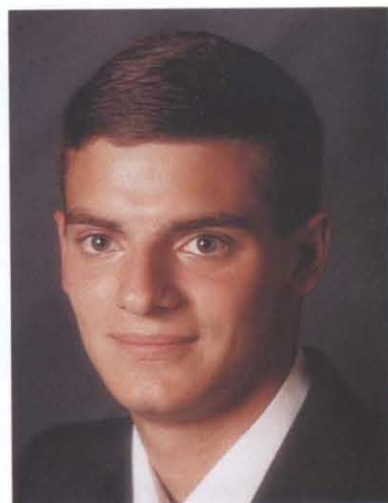
# CLASS OF 2000



Justin Weyen



Jeff Wessd



Alan Wenzel



Right: Jeff Wessel is taking a little nap on the bus ride back to the hotel while visiting Switzerland this summer.



Middle left: Paul Sunderman is hoping that he doesn't fall while hanging a wire up so he can paint a piece for his windmill.



Above: Crystl Dunn and Julie Veik are smiling and showing their appreciation that we have a pep rally.

Middle Right: John Stock, Justin Wetjen, and Nathan Pfeifer are thinking Ron Krings won't have to mow the lawn after the horses are through during the school Fun Fair.

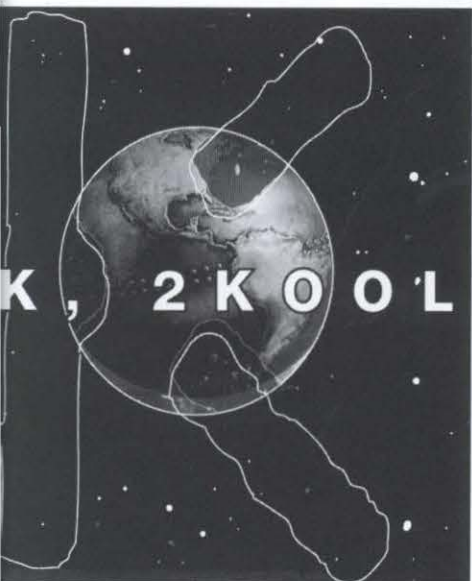
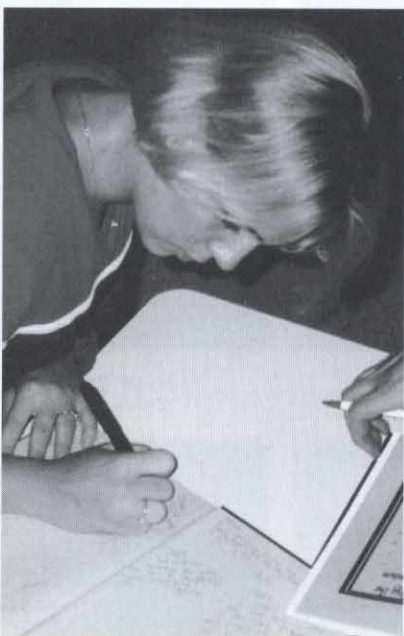
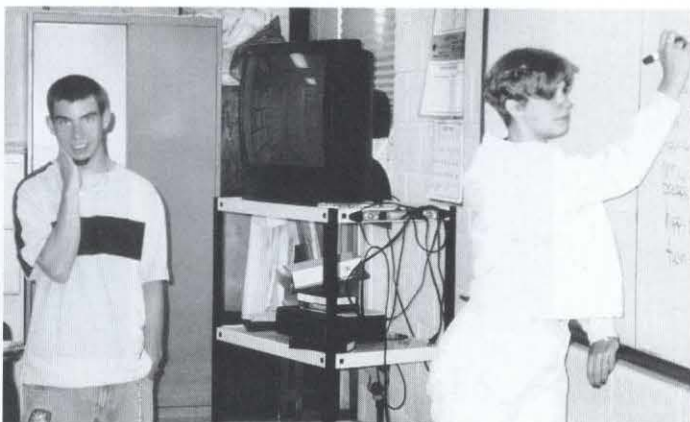
Far right: Greg Johnson is amazed at what he just heard about the score of the volleyball game.





Heilen sells all the concessions in order to make money for the senior

Greg Johnson and Tara Greisen work together in order to come up with the ideas on how to dress for spirit week.



Middle left: Crystal Harper sits in that cafeteria of Silver Creek eating her Blow pop wishing that they sold gum.

Middle: Julie Veik, signing a yearbook, realizes that this is the last time she'll be able to do this.

Middle right: Lacey Sliva is confused about the way she is to do her research paper.

Bottom right: Crystl Dunn, Brandie Vosteen, Mike Bruhn and Jeff Wessel participate in a short play of *MacBeth* earning their grades for English.





MIKE



CRYSTL



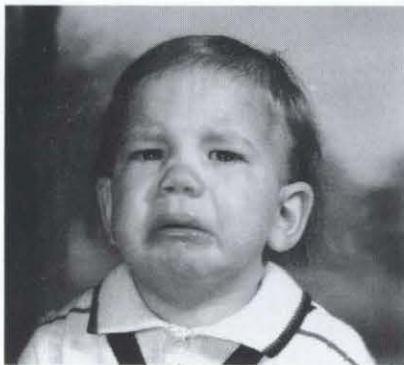
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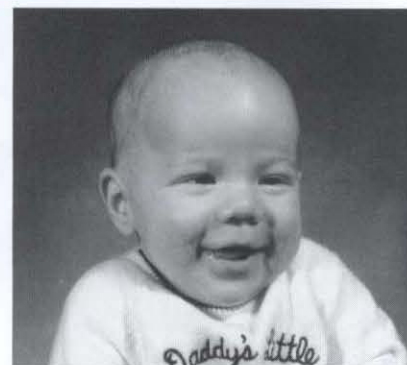
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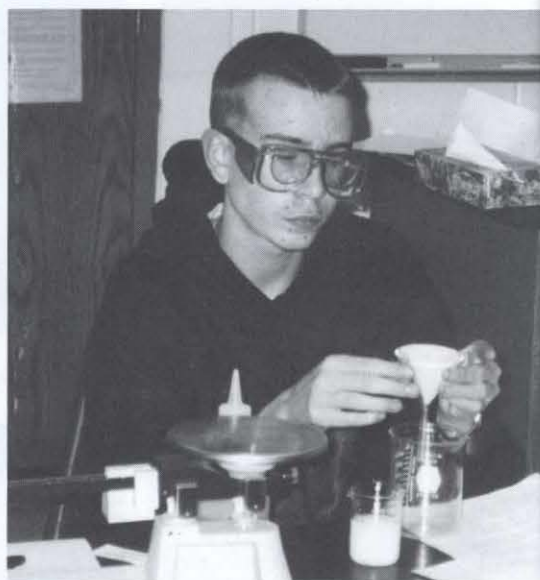
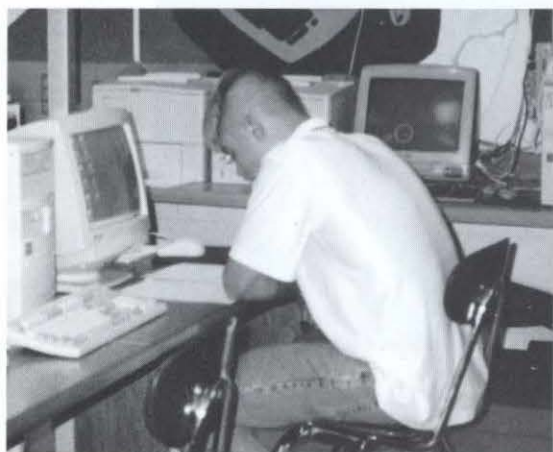


JEFF



JUSTIN





Top left: Jesse Schumacher makes sure he reads all the directions first before he begins his assignment in computer class.

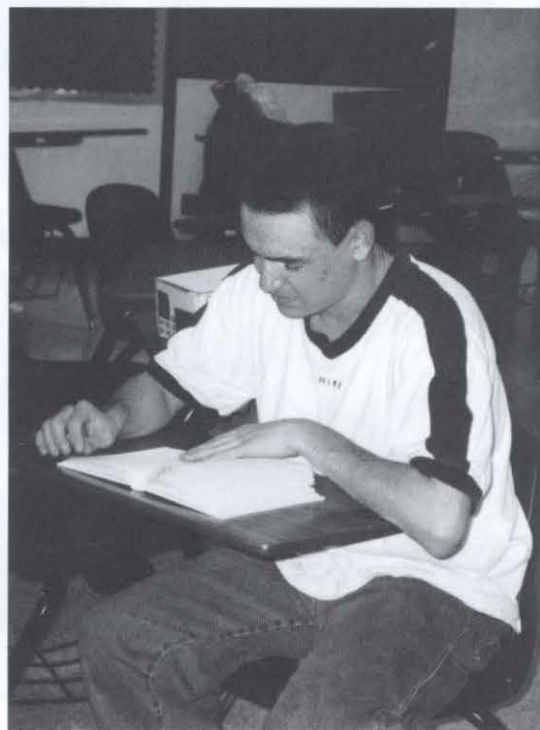
Top right: Aaron Fischer, Adrienne Warner and Melissa Brandi work with each other studying vocabulary for English class.

Center: Lori Mausbach has to make sure her pencil is the sharpest in the class, so she can write neatly.

Middle right: Making a precise measurement, Ray Stepan is careful not to blow up the science lab.

Bottom left: Andrew Bruhn looks at his keyboard while Mrs. Knust is not looking in keyboarding class.

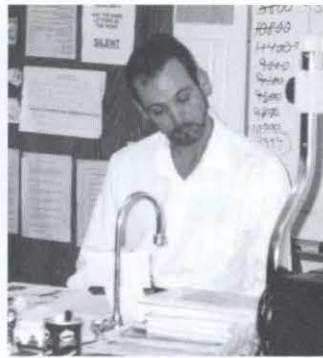
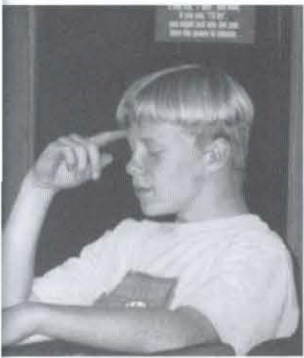
Bottom right: Jesse Finkral spends his spare time in school reading in order to reach his Accelerated Reader points.





# Academics

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THIS IS WHERE OUR PRIDE COMES FROM

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# ENGLISH AND SOCIAL STUDIES HAS BULLDOGS LOOKING.....

## In to the future

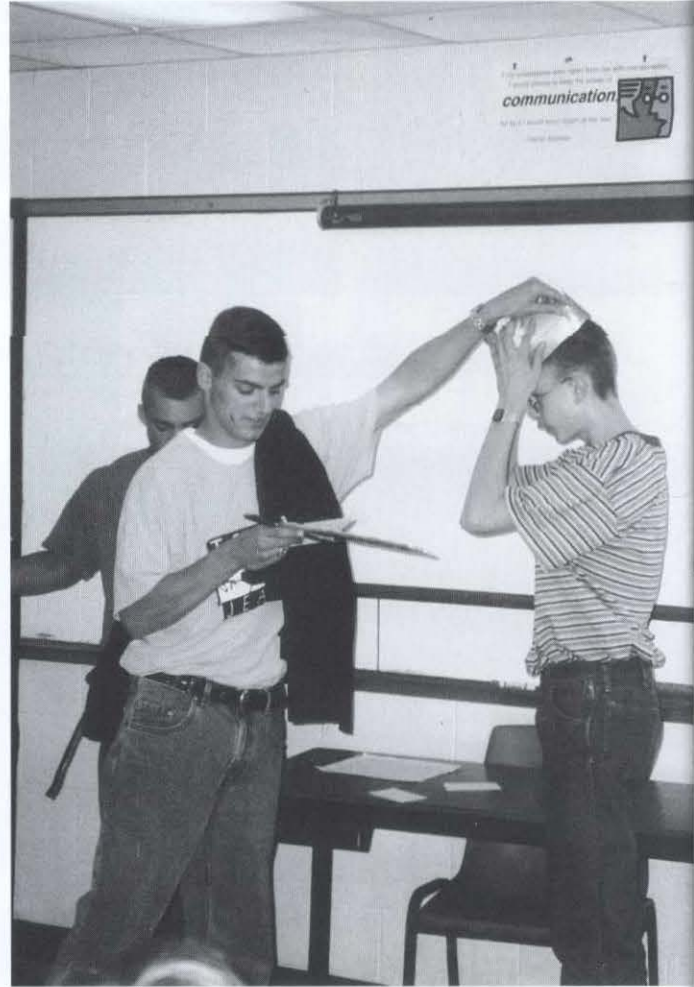
THE SCHOOL ADOPTED BLOCK SCHEDULING. THIS MADE OUR CLASS PERIODS LONGER. HAVING LONGER CLASS PERIODS MADE IT A LOT EASIER TO LEARN THINGS.

IN MRS. BRUNSWICKS ENGLISH CLASSES. IT WAS VERY FUN HAVING SUCH A LONG TIME TO LEARN. IN HER 9TH GRADE CLASSES THEY LEARNED SPELLING AND READING SKILLS, 10TH GRADE CLASSES LEARNED COMPOSITION AND SHORT STORIES, 11TH GRADE CLASSES LEARNED AMERICAN LITERATURE AND HOW TO WRITE TERM PAPERS, AND 12TH GRADE LEARNED AMERICAN LITERATURE ,SPEAKING, AND I- SEARCH PAPERS.

ASIDE FROM HAVING ALL ENGLISH CLASSES MRS.BRUNSWICK ALSO TAUGHT CREATIVE WRITING. THIS CLASS WAS TAUGHT TO IMPROVE WRITING SKILLS. PSYCHOLOGY IS ANOTHER CLASS SHE TAUGHT. FOR MANY STUDENTS IT WAS FUN LEARNING INFORMATION ON SELF BEHAVIORS, PERSONALITY, AND OTHER PERSONNEL DISORDERS.

ANOTHER CLASS THAT HAD LEARNING ABILITIES WAS SOCIAL STUDIES, AND GOVERNMENT. THESE CLASSES ARE TAUGHT BY MRS.KELLY AND MR. MACH. THE EXPECTATIONS OF THESE CLASSES BY THE END OF THE YEAR IS TO HAVE STUDENTS GAIN A GREATER KNOWLEDGE OF THE HISTORY,GOVERNMENT,AND COUNTRY AS WELL AS TEACH THE STUDENTS HOW BECOME ACTIVE RESPONSIBLE CITIZENS.

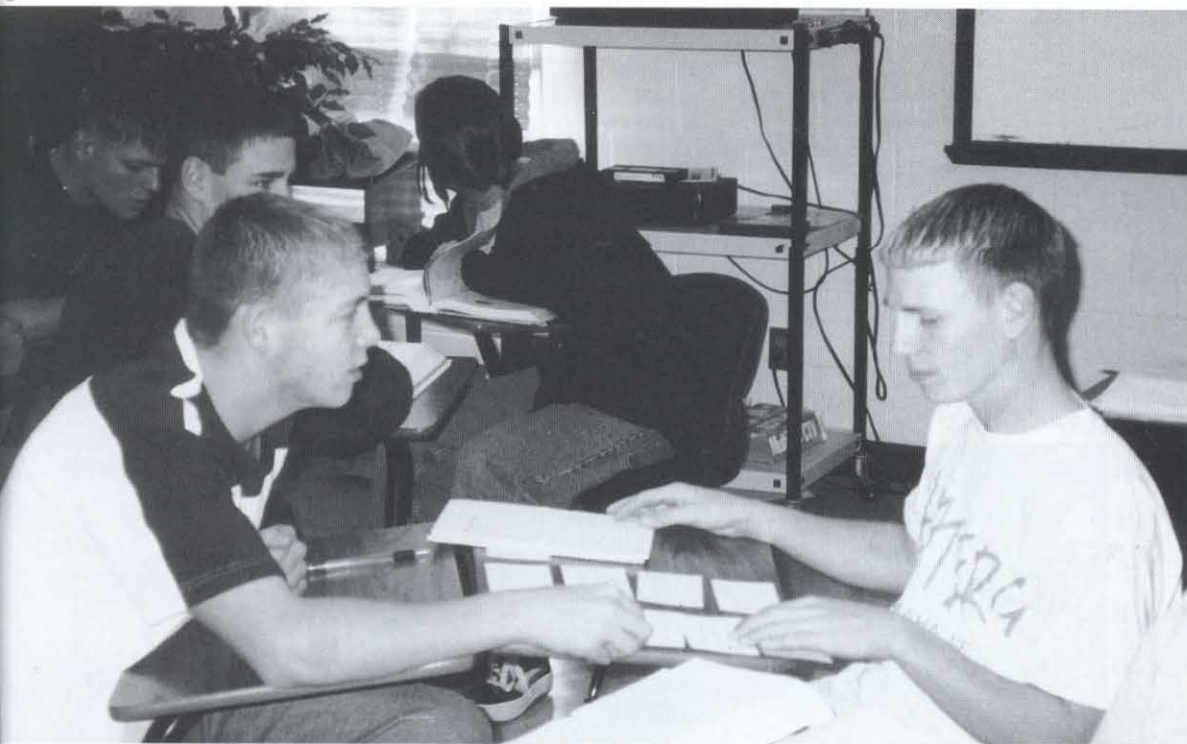
Top: John Stock, Alan Wessel, and Ray Stephen are displaying their talented acting, while showing the senior class a scene from *Macbeth*.



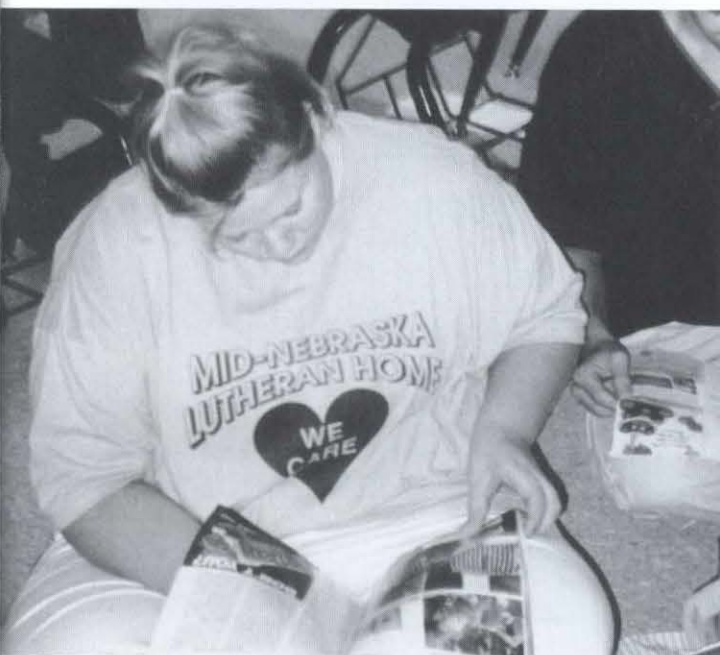
Left: Andy Mausbach is telling his classmates to slow down. Smart minds cannot work fast enough to shuffle all those vocabulary cards.



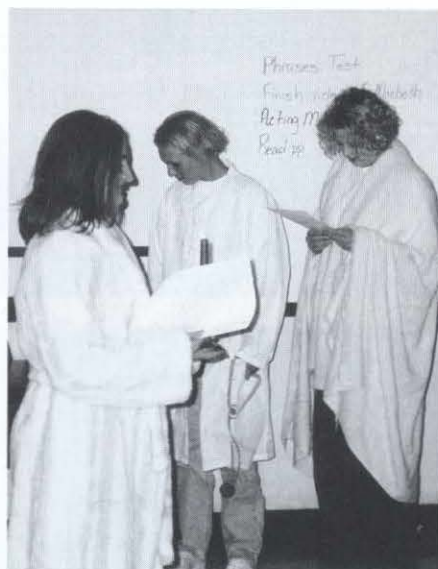




Top: Micah Groteluschen and Shaun Pfeifer enjoy study time in class to ace their next vocabulary quiz..



Middle Left: Charisma Gasper enjoys looking for a magazine picture to write an exciting short story for creative writing.



Middle Right: Lacey Sliva, Crystal Harper, and Julie Veik are in English class showing a scene from Macbeth. What Actresses!!!



Suzanne Totten  
Librarian

Deb Brunswick  
English and Psychology

Barb Kelly  
Guidance Counselor  
Social Studies



SHOWING THE WAY TO THE FUTURE WITH BULLDOG PRIDE...

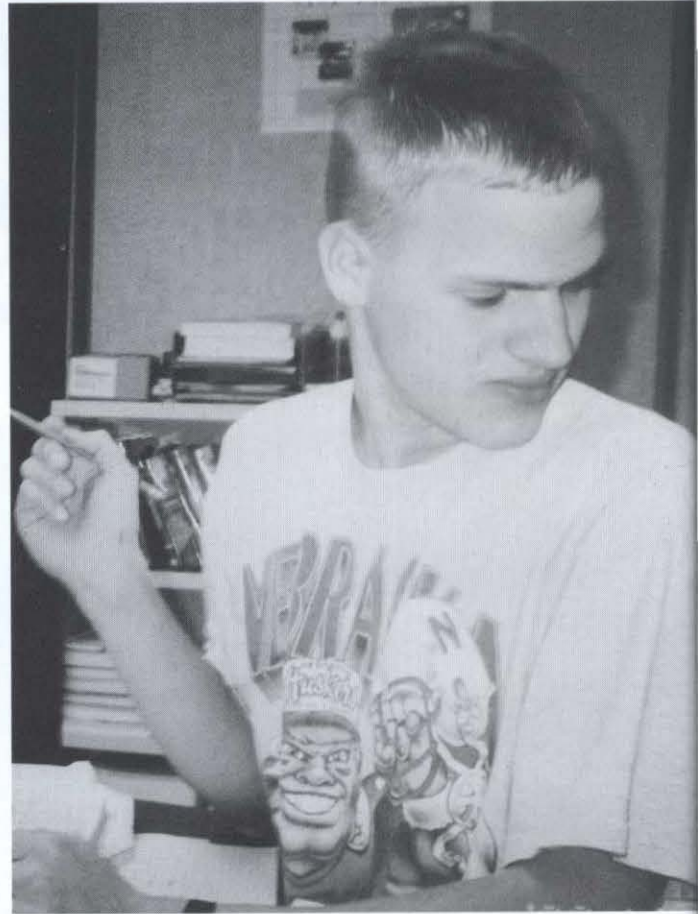
# Math/Science

TEACHING GEOMETRY, ADVANCED MATH, 7TH GRADE COMPUTER LITERACY, AND JUNIOR HIGH PE, MR. JAKE NELSON IS THE NEW ADDITION TO THE MATH AND SCIENCE DEPARTMENT.

"LABS ARE THE THINGS THAT MAKE MY CLASS INTERESTING BECAUSE IT GIVES THE KIDS HANDS-ON EXPERIENCES AND THEY ACTUALLY SEE THINGS HAPPEN," EXPLAINED MR. PERSINGER.

"THERE ARE SO MANY APPLICATIONS TO OUR EVERYDAY LIVES. I HAVE ALWAYS BEEN INTERESTED IN SCIENCE AND FINDING OUT THE 'HOW' AND 'WHY'; PLUS CHEMISTRY PROVIDES LOTS OF THOSE ANSWERS," IS WHY MRS. LOVERCHECK LOVES CHEMISTRY.

MR. NELSON BELIEVES, "WHEN A STUDENT HAS BEEN STRUGGLING WITH SOMETHING AND THEN THEY FINALLY REALIZE WHAT THEY WERE DOING WRONG, IS THE MOST REWARDING THING OF TEACHING."

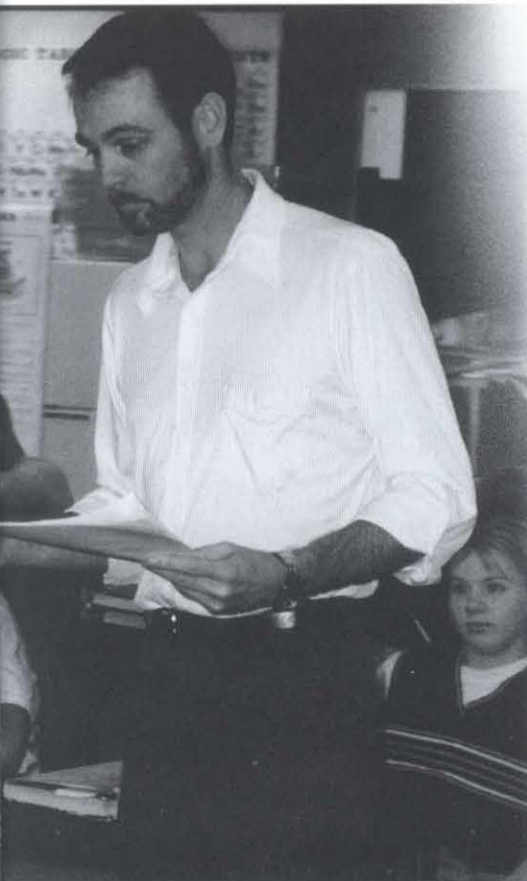


Right: Adam Korth receives help from Mr. Nelson on an assignment that puzzled him.

Top Right: Jeff Wessel looks over his shoulder to compare answers with his neighbor.



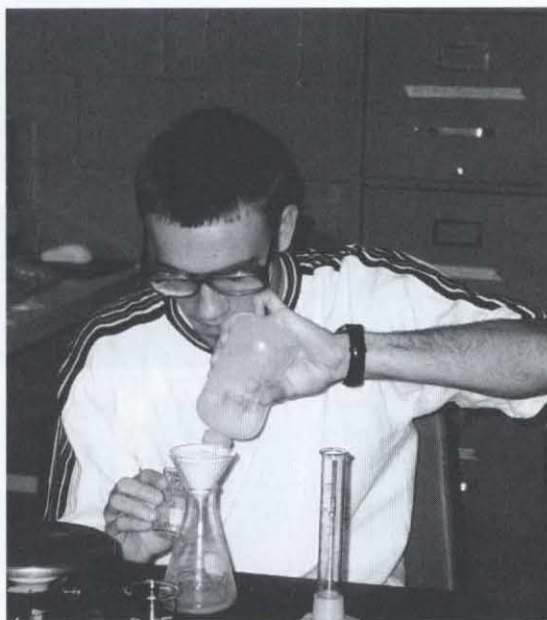




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Math/  
Computers

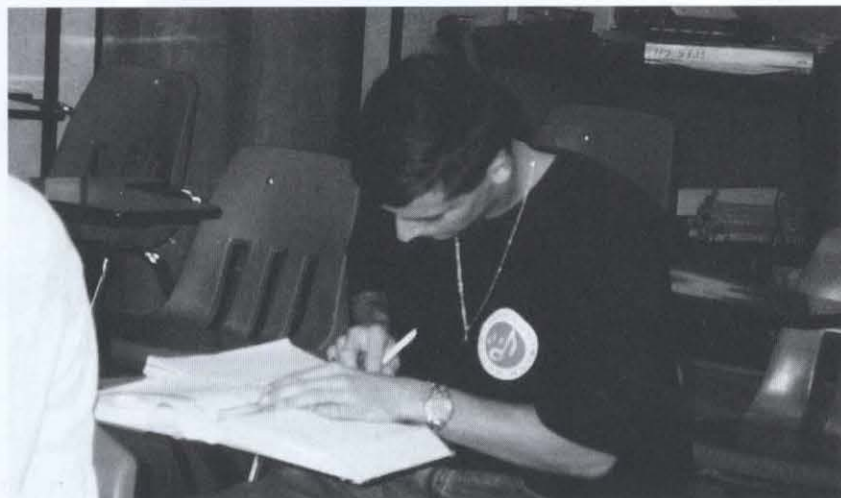
Barbara Lovercheck  
Math/Science

Michael Persinger  
Science/Math



Top left: Mr. Persinger hands out papers to his 9th grade physical science class while giving a lecture.

Middle: Phillip Bachman measures some diluted H<sub>2</sub>O for an experiment he performs in chemistry class.



Left: Grant Flaming concentrates on his test over the periodic table of elements for chemistry class.

Above: Alan Wessel works hard towards completing his advanced math homework, so he can leave his books at school.



THE RESULTS OF HARD WORK NEVER LOOKED SO GOOD...

# Ag/Shop

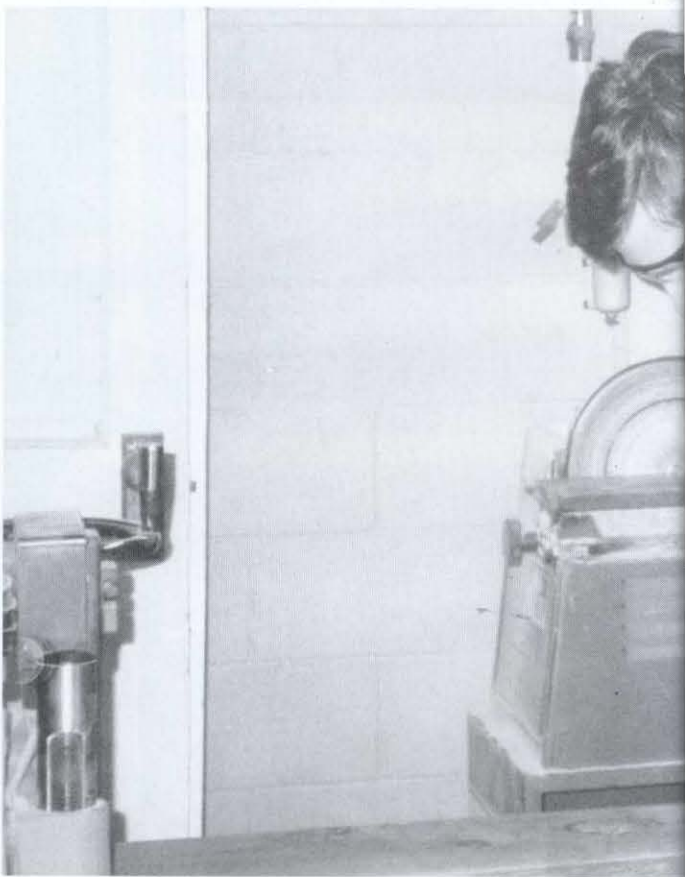
IN SHOP THIS YEAR THE STUDENTS ARE TRYING TO BUILD SOME NEW PROJECTS THAT THEY NEVER TRIED BEFORE, LIKE SCALING DOWN A COMPLETE WINDMILL, AND A MASS PRODUCTION OF A CEDAR CHEST. IN SMALL ENGINES THEY RECEIVED OVER 20 MOTORS FROM THE OLD ROLLER SKATING RING. THE CLASS THIS YEAR WILL TRY TO MAKE THEM RUN.

IN AG MR. RUMSEY WENT TO ORLANDO ON DECEMBER 12-15, 1999. THERE HE ATTENDED "THE PUTTING FUN INTO WORK" PRESENTATION BY ACTE AND AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION PROGRAM. MR. RUMSEY WILL TRY SOME NEW TECHNIQUES HE LEARNED AT THIS PROGRAMS.

Across: Ron Krings feels like nailing Nick Wessel into the table with hammer while Justin Wetjen just watches to see if he will actually do it.



Across: While Derek Johnson is trying to find out what to do next, Bill Streblow is thinking that it makes a better bed than an entertainment center.



Top right: Justin Wetjen takes a break and talks to a few friends after working so hard his project.

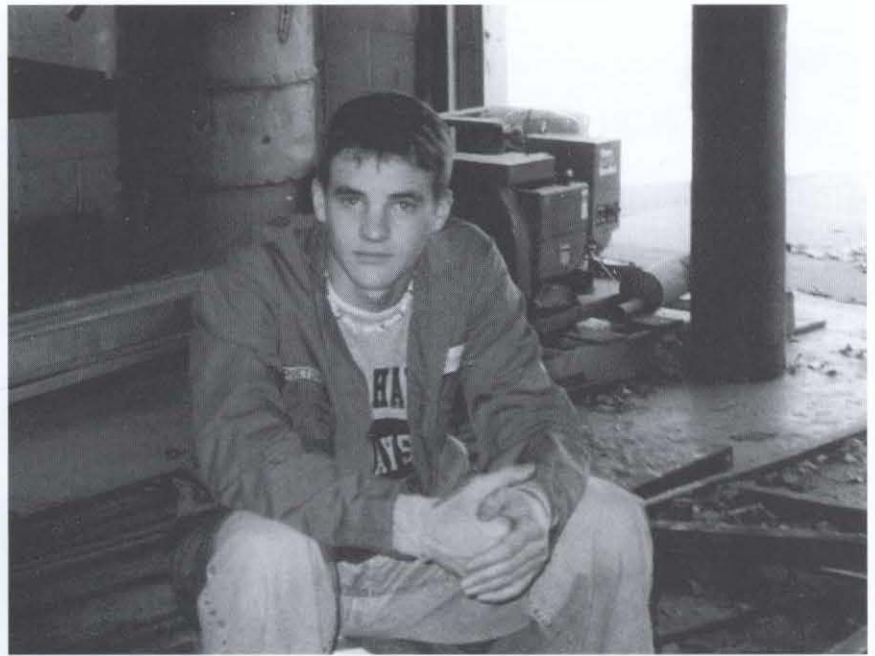




Below: Adam Korth works hard to get rust off his project so he can paint it.



Below: Paul Sunderman sits on a bucket while waiting for supplies to get started on his project.



Above: Mr. Brandl shows his class how to work the planer in the shop so the next time they need to use it, they will know how to work it.



Across: Lance Vosteen relaxes in his finished T.V. chair.



Kevin Brandl  
Industrial Arts



Doug Rumsey  
Agricultural Education



# BUSINESS AND FAMILY CONSUMER SCIENCE CLASSES MAKE US PROUD TO BE...

## In a New Century

THIS YEAR'S BUSINESS AND FAMILY CONSUMER SCIENCE CLASSES WERE COMMITTED TO A STANDARD OF EXCELLENCE.

DURING COMPUTER APS THE STUDENTS DID MANY USEFUL PROJECTS SUCH AS POWERPOINT, WORD, EXCEL, AND INTERNET. "I THINK I PROBABLY TOOK THE MOST PRIDE IN DESIGNING MY OWN INTERNET SIGHT," STATED ROSS KORTH. MRS. APRIL KNUST, THE BUSINESS TEACHER, THOUGHT ALL THE STUDENTS DID VERY WELL FOR HER FIRST YEAR AT HUMPHREY HIGH.

IN FOODS CLASS THE STUDENTS COOKED UP A HORDE OF FOOD IN AREAS SUCH AS MEAT, DESSERTS, DAIRY, AND OTHER CATEGORIES. "THE BEST LAB I THINK WE DID WAS WITH DAIRY. IT WAS BY FAR THE MOST FUN," AMY WIDHALM DESCRIBED.

THERE WAS ALSO MUCH ACCOMPLISHED IN TEEN LIVING THIS YEAR. THE STUDENTS WERE GIVEN THE CHANCE TO SEW THEIR OWN GARMENTS AND TO COOK SIMPLE MEALS. "IT WAS THE MOST FUN I'VE HAD IN ANY OF MY CLASSES SO FAR," SAID GARRET FLAMIG.

Joey Majerus just doesn't understand why Mrs. Knust thinks that he should know what he's doing during his computer 8 class.



Top Right: April Knust, the new business teacher, doesn't have to use her pen too much when she grades papers during keyboarding class.

Bottom Right: Lisa Daugherty and Paula Theilen enjoy working with Powerpoint during their computer aps block.







Top Left: Elaine Bruening, the family consumer science teacher, is always sure to help out one of her many students during class.

Top Right: Neil Bachman proves that it's just not the women who have to do the sewing in the household during his teen living class.



Bottom Right: Wendy Neville hopes she is using all proper cooking techniques during her foods class.



Bottom Left: Andy Mausbach still can't figure out what in the world he just made during foods class.



THE STUDENTS TAKE PRIDE IN...

# Band & Music

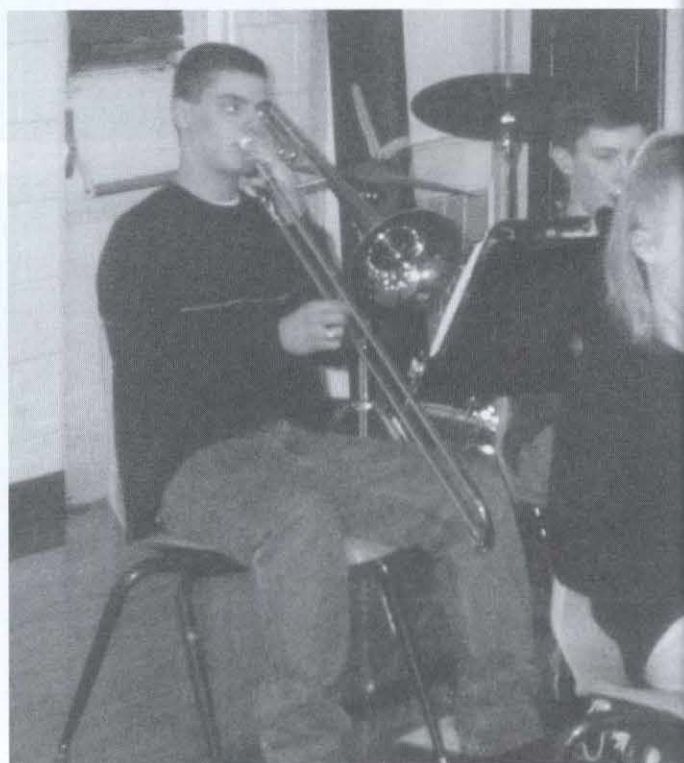
THE HUMPHREY HIGH MUSIC AND BAND STUDENTS WERE UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF A NEW TEACHER, MR. LUNDE. THE STUDENTS ENJOYED PARTICIPATING IN MANY CONCERTS AND COMPETITIONS THROUGHOUT THE SCHOOL YEAR. THE MAIN COMPETITION THAT THEY ATTENDED WAS THE DISTRICT MUSIC CONTEST IN APRIL AT PLATTE CAMPUS. THEY ENJOYED PARTICIPATING IN MANY CONCERTS LIKE THEIR CHRISTMAS CONCERT IN DECEMBER, THE SPAGHETTI CONCERT, AND THE SPRING CONCERT WHICH TOOK PLACE IN MAY. THEY ALSO PLAYED DURING OUR VETERANS DAY SERVICE.



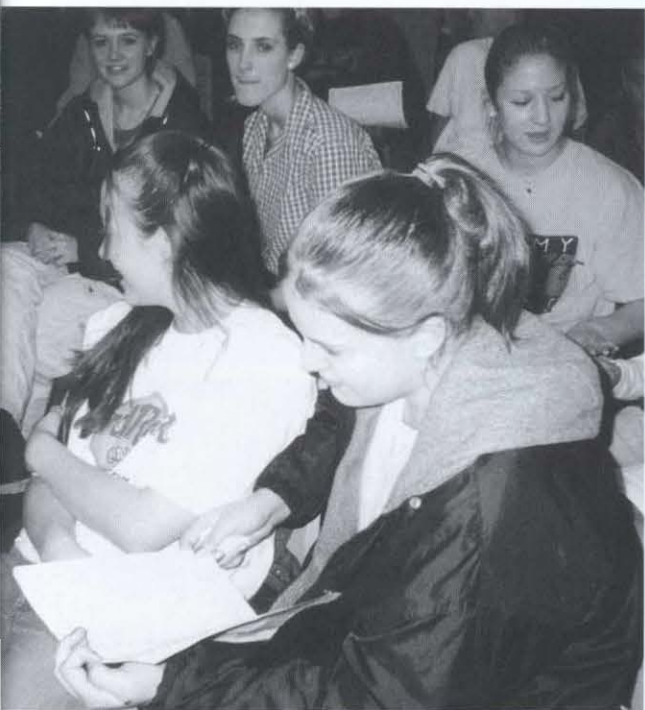
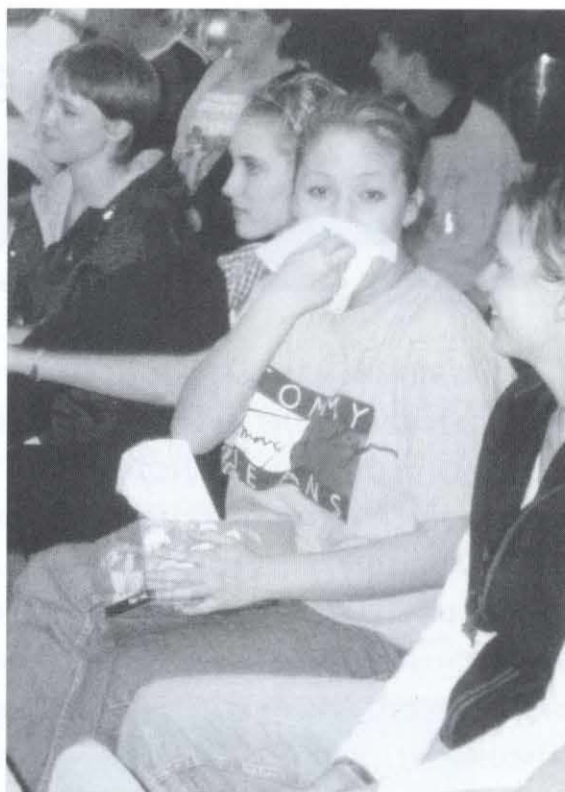
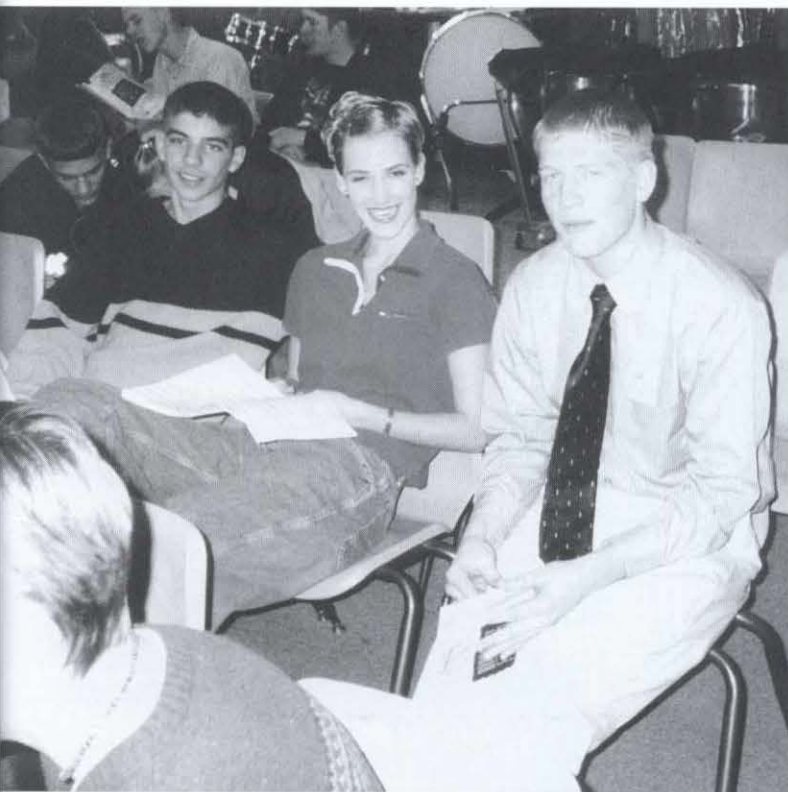
Above: The senior girls enjoy the brief breaks from singing in between songs.

Top right: Cassie Gasper waits patiently for the music to start so she can start singing.

Bottom right: Alan Wessel plays along with the rest of the band to create a joyous melody during the Spaghetti Concert.







Top left: Nate Pfeifer, Melissa Ritz, and Matt Preister wait to begin their next song.

Bottom left: Anne Huettner and Lisa Daugherty try to concentrate on singing but their minds just keep wandering.

Top right: Michelle Daugherty pretends to blow her nose while she waits to hear Mr. Lunde's instructions on how to sing the next song.

Bottom right: Sarah Gronenthal tries to hit the same notes that the other clarinet players hit during the Spaghetti Concert.



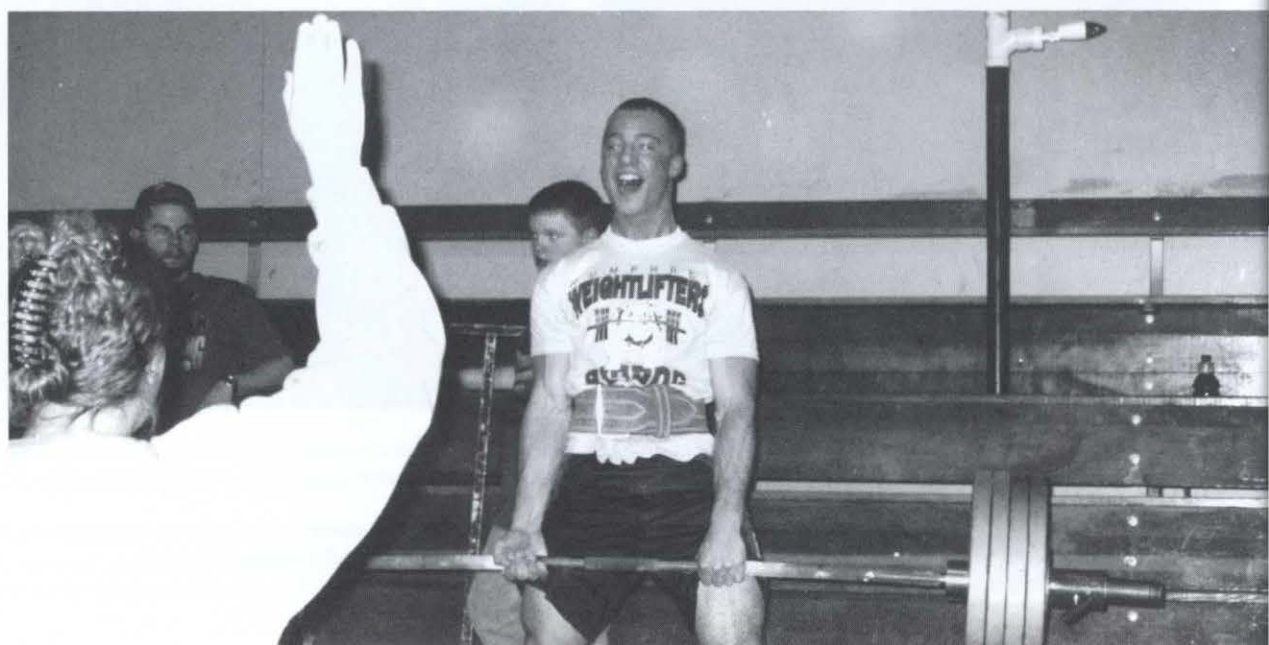
WEIGHTLIFTING AND P.E.— IMPROVE OUR BODIES AND SPIRIT WITH THE STRENGTH OF...

# A Bulldog

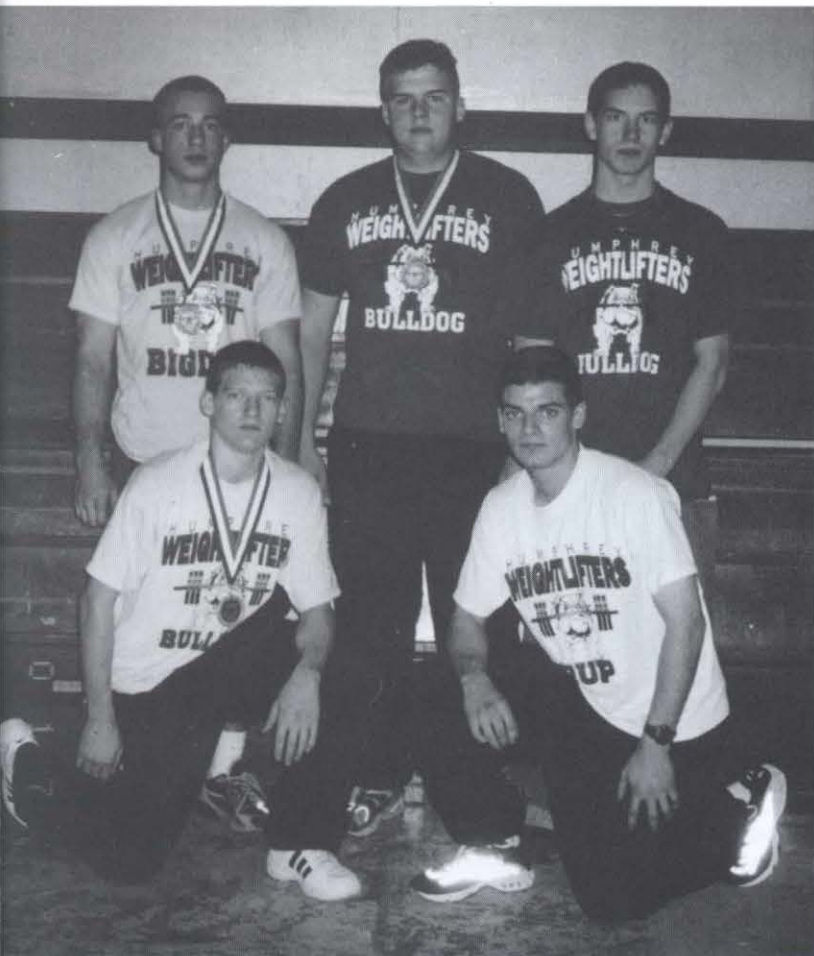
MR. KEVIN SIMMERMAN, THE HEAD OF THE ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT, HAS A NEW SIDE KICK THIS YEAR. MR. TROY MACH IS ANOTHER NEW TEACHER ON THE BLOCK. "CONTRIBUTING THE KNOWLEDGE AND LEADERSHIP SKILLS TO OUR FUTURE LEADERS, THE STUDENTS." MR. SIMMERMAN CLAIMS IS WHY HE TEACHES. "THE HIGH PAY— NO THATS NOT IT; HOW WELL STUDENTS LISTEN—CAN'T BE; JUNE, JULY AUGUST— WELL...; SERIOUSLY, SEEING A STUDENT GET A CONCEPT THAT THEY HAVE STRUGGLED WITH IS THE BEST PART ABOUT BEING A TEACHER—NEXT TO THE FEELING OF MEDIUM RARE PRIME GETTING INTO MY BELLY," MR. MACH CLAIMS.

Right: Nathan Pfeifer pitches the ball, during a game of Boom-Boom kickball, hoping to strike out the batter.

Below: John Stock shows his excitement when he lifts 420 pounds on deadlift to seal the victory at the Lynch Powerlifting competition.







Left: John Stock, Charles Streblov, Derek Johnson, Grant Flamig, and Alan Wessel pose after the Lynch powerlifting competition to show what they walked away with. John got 1st place in the 165 weight class, Chuck got 1st place in the 242 weight class, and Grant got 2nd in the 132 weight class. Derek was disqualified, and Alan did not place.

Kevin  
 Simmerman  
 Weightlifting I/  
 P.E.

Troy Mach  
 English/  
 P.E./ Social Studies



Above: Andy Mausbach pushes to reach for a new top lift for bench press.

Left: Brandie Vosteen waits for the ball to be pitched, so she can get the next person out.



SHARING OUR PRIDE WITH...

# St. Francis

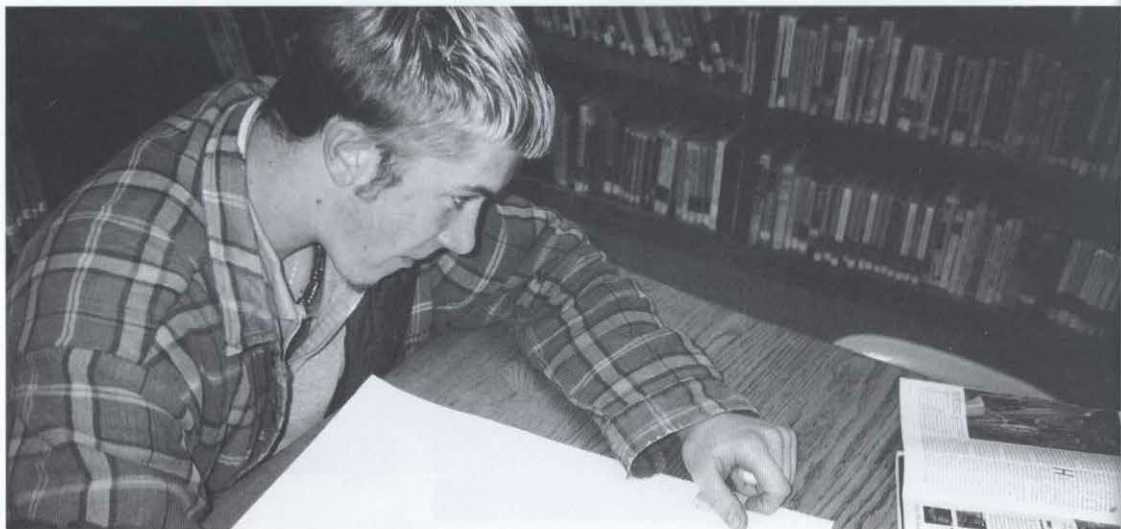
OVER THE YEARS STUDENTS HAVE PARTICIPATED IN CLASSES OVER AT THE ST. FRANCIS SCHOOL. CLASSES THAT CAN BE TAKEN OVER THERE ARE ART, SPANISH, AND PHYSICS. DURING ART STUDENTS LEARNED HOW TO MAKE POTTERY, AIR BRUSH, AND DRAW BETTER. IN SPANISH STUDENTS MADE COMMERCIALS AND A TOURISM FILM WHILE SPEAKING SPANISH. PHYSICS STUDENTS DID EXPERIMENTS THAT DEAL WITH THE SCIENCE OF MOVEMENT AND ENERGY, WITH LOTS OF MATH MIXED IN.



Top right: Amy Widhalm smiles after she knows she did a good job completing a presentation during Spanish class.

Above: Micah Groteluschen demonstrates the proper way to get yarn ready for making a rug.

Right: Nick Langhorst acts like he knows how to draw.





# Achievements

**Honor Roll:** Garrett Flamig, Derick Frauendorfer, Cory Gilsdorf, Casey Borer, Ashley Bradley, Curt Greisen, Wendy Neville, Danie Ternus, Amy Widhalm, Philip Bachman, Melissa Brandl, Grant Flamig, Jarrod Kucera, Ray Stepan, Tara Greisen, John Stock, Paula Theilen, Alan Wessel, Jeff Wessel

**Honorable Mention:** Melody Schrant, Justin Ternus, Brittany Werner, Brooke LaBenz, Amanda McPhillips, Abbie Widhalm, Lori Mausbach, Adam Hemmer, Shaun Pfeifer

**Merit Honor Roll:** Melody Schrant, Garrett Flamig, Derick Frauendorfer, Cory Gilsdorf, Curt Greisen, Danie Ternus, Lori Mausbach, Philip Bachman, Ray Stepan, Tara Greisen, John Stock, Paula Theilen, Alan Wessel, Jeff Wessel, Brandie Vosteen

**Perfect Attendance:** Cory Gilsdorf, Amanda McPhillips, Neil Bachman

**Math:** Pre-Algebra: Josh Majerus, Lance Vosteen; Geometry: Ashley Bradley, Lisa Dougherty, Russell Frauendorfer, Curt Greisen, Andy Korth, Danie Ternus, Amy Widhalm; Advanced Math: Ray Stepan, Paula Theilen, Jeff Wessel

**Agricultural education:** FFA District Awards: Crystal Harper, John Stock, Bill Streblov, Chuck Streblov, Jeff Wessel, Alan Wessel, Brian Bachman; Platte Career Development Awards: Crystal Harper, James Brandt, Jason Macken, Jeff Brandl, John Schure, Adam Hemmer; State FFA Awards: Alan Wessel, Jeff Wessel, James Brandt (Nursery & Landscaping), John Schure (Swine Management), Adam Hemmer (Ag Mechanics), Bill Streblov, Derek Johnson, Jesse Gronenthal (Welding), Brian Bachman, Jeff Brandl, Jason Macken (Junior Livestock Judging); Proficiency Awards: Alan Wessel, Jeff Wessel, Crystal Harper, James Brandt; Greenhand Degree: Jeff Brandl, Jon Dohmen, Jesse Gronenthal, Kyle Jones, Jason Macken, Brian Bachman, Matt Preister; Chapter Farmers: Gene Haffner, John Schure

**Industrial Arts:** Micah Groteluschen, Adam Hemmer, Jarrod Kucera, Shaun Pfeifer, Andy Korth, Grant Flamig, Adam Korth, John Stock, Jeff Wessel, Justin Wetjen, Charles Streblov, Bill Streblov

**Business:** Kyle Jones, Matt Fritz, Randi Zelazny, Krystal Flamig, Nycole Zelazny, Carrie Gronenthal, Paula Theilen, John Stock, Ray Stepan, Derick Frauendorfer, Justin Preister Rhenna Groteluschen, Cory Gilsdorf, Matt Preister

**Family/ Consumer Science:** Melissa Ritz (2000-2001 FCCLA Executive Council Vice President), Brandie Vosteen (1999-2000 FCCLA Executive Council STAR Chairperson), Philip Bachman, Ray Stepan, Ashley Bradley, Derick Frauendorfer, Garrett Flamig, Lacey Labenz, Paula Theilen, Tara Greisen, Ashley Bradley

**Social Science:** Tara Greisen, Paula Theilen, Jeff Wessel, John Stock, Ray Stepan, Grant Flamig, Cory Gilsdorf

**English:** Paula Theilen, Grant Flamig, Curt Greisen, Wendy Neville, Ashley Bradley

**Journalism:** Curt Greisen, Amy Widhalm

**Psychology:** Paula Theilen

**Speech:** Crystl Dunn, Michelle Daugherty, Curt Greisen, Tara Greisen, Greg Johnson, Amy Widhalm

**Science:** Derick Frauendorfer, Garrett Flamig, Curt Greisen, Wendy Neville, Danie Ternus, Amy Widhalm, Paula Theilen, Philip Bachman, Ray Stepan  
**Spanish:** Danie Ternus, Michele Daugherty, Destiny Davis, Grant Flamig, Lupita Cardenas

**Art:** Conference Art Show: Jarrod Kucera, Josh Haynes, Michelle Dougherty, Micah Groteluschen; Highest GPA: Jarrod Kucera

**National Honor Society:** Paula Theilen, John Stock, Jeff Wessel, Alan Wessel, Tara Greisen, Curt Greisen, Wendy Neville, Lori Mausbach, Philip Bachman, Grant Flamig, Melissa Brandl

**Band:** Letter winners: Alan Wessel: Platte Honor Band, UNO Honor Band, Conference Honor Band, UNK Honor Band; Jeff Wessel: Drum

Major, Platte Honor Band, UNO Honor Band, Conference Honor Band, UNK Honor Band, John Philip Sousa Award; Danie Ternus: Doane Honor Band, Wayne State Honor Band, UNK Honor Band, Platte Honor Band, Conference Honor Band, Excellent rating at District Music Contest; Melissa Brandl, Jesse Finkral, Sarah Gronenthal, Eugene Haffner, Bill Preister, Brian Bachman, Jeff Brandl, Matt Preister

**Chorus:** Letter Winners: Lacey Sliva, Brandie Vosteen, Paula Theilen, Julie Veik, James Brandt, Michelle Daugherty, Jesse Finkral, Sarah Gronenthal, Megan Vosteen, Ashley Bradley, Lisa Daugherty, Russell Frauendorfer, Melissa Gronenthal, Anne Huettner, Lori Mausbach, Wendy Neville, Lindsay Richardson, Danie Ternus, Randi Zelazny; Superior rating Girls' Glee: Lacey Sliva, Paula Theilen, Julie Veik, Brandie Vosteen, Michelle Dougherty, Sarah Gronenthal, Megan Vosteen, Ashley Bradley, Lisa Dougherty, Melissa Gronenthal, Anne Huettner, Lori Mausbach, Wendy Neville, Lindsay Richardson, Melissa Ritz, Lupita Cardenas, Cassie Gasper, Carrie Gronenthal, Danie Ternus, Jenny Ternus, Carla Schwarz, Nikki Zelazny, Randi Zelazny; Danie Ternus: Excellent rating girls' low voice; Brandie Vosteen: National School Choral Award; Certificates of Participation: Brian Bachman, Brandon Bartels, Jeff Brandl, Lupita Cardenas, Destiny Davis, Jon Dohmen, Matt Fritz, Cassie Gasper, Carrie Gronenthal, Kyle Jones, Shane Labenz, Jason Macken, Matt Preister, John Schure, Melissa Ritz, Jenny Ternus, Carla Schwarz, Nikki Zelazny, Sonya Brandt, Tony Fischer, Cory Gilsdorf, Tyler Hellbush, Brooke LaBenz, Tom Schure, Jenna Sliva, Lance Vosteen, Abbie Widhalm

**Football:** Kyle Heesacker, Derek Johnson, Adam Korth, Nathan Pfeifer (Honorable Mention All Conference), Bill Streblov, Philip Bachman, Grant Flamig, Micah Groteluschen, Adam Hemmer, Jarrod Kucera, Andy Mausbach, Jesse Schumacher (Honorable Mention All Conference), Casey Borer, Andy Korth, Ross Korth (Honorable Mention All Conference), John Schure, Russell Frauendorfer, Brian Bachman, Jon Dohmen, Matt Preister  
**Volleyball:** Crystal Harper, Lacey Sliva, Paula Theilen (Academic All-State, All Conference Honorable Mention *Lincoln Journal Star*, Honorable Mention *Omaha World Herald*, Honorable Mention *Norfolk Daily News*, *Columbus Telegram* All-Star Team), Julie Veik, Brandie Vosteen, Melissa Brandl (Academic All-State Honorable Mention All-Conference), Wendy Neville, Lori Mausbach, Melissa Ritz, Danie Ternus, Krystal Flamig, Carla Schwarz

**Boy's Basketball:** Nathan Pfeifer (All-Conference, Honorable Mention All-State *Lincoln Journal Star*, Honorable Mention All-State *Omaha World Herald*, Honorable Mention *Norfolk Daily News*), Charles Streblov, Grant Flamig, Adam Hemmer, Martin Konarski (Honorable Mention All Conference), Jarrod Kucera, Shaun Pfeifer (Honorable Mention All Conference), Casey Borer, Curt Greisen (Honorable Mention All Conference)

Girls Basketball: Lacey Sliva (All-Conference Honorable Mention), Brandie Vosteen (All-Conference Honorable Mention), Melissa Brandl, Melissa Gronenthal, Wendy Neville, Danie Ternus (All-Conference Honorable Mention, All-State *Omaha World Herald* Honorable Mention, All-State *Lincoln Journal Star* Honorable Mention), Krystal Flamig, Carla Schwarz

**Track & Field:** Crystal Harper, Brandie Vosteen, Alan Wessel, Jeff Wessel, Philip Bachman, Melissa Brandl, Grant Flamig, Micah Groteluschen, Russell Frauendorfer, Ross Korth, Andy Korth, Wendy Neville, Lori Mausbach, John Schure, Danie Ternus, Brian Bachman, Krystal Flamig, Carla Schwarz, Matt Preister

**Three-Sport Athletes:** Brandie Vosteen, Grant Flamig, Melissa Brandl, Ross Korth, Andy Korth, Wendy Neville, Danie Ternus, Carla Schwarz, Matt Preister, Krystal Flamig







Above: The JV football team sets up to make another drive against the Lutheran High Eagles.



Top right: Melissa Brandl shows off her talent as a point guard.

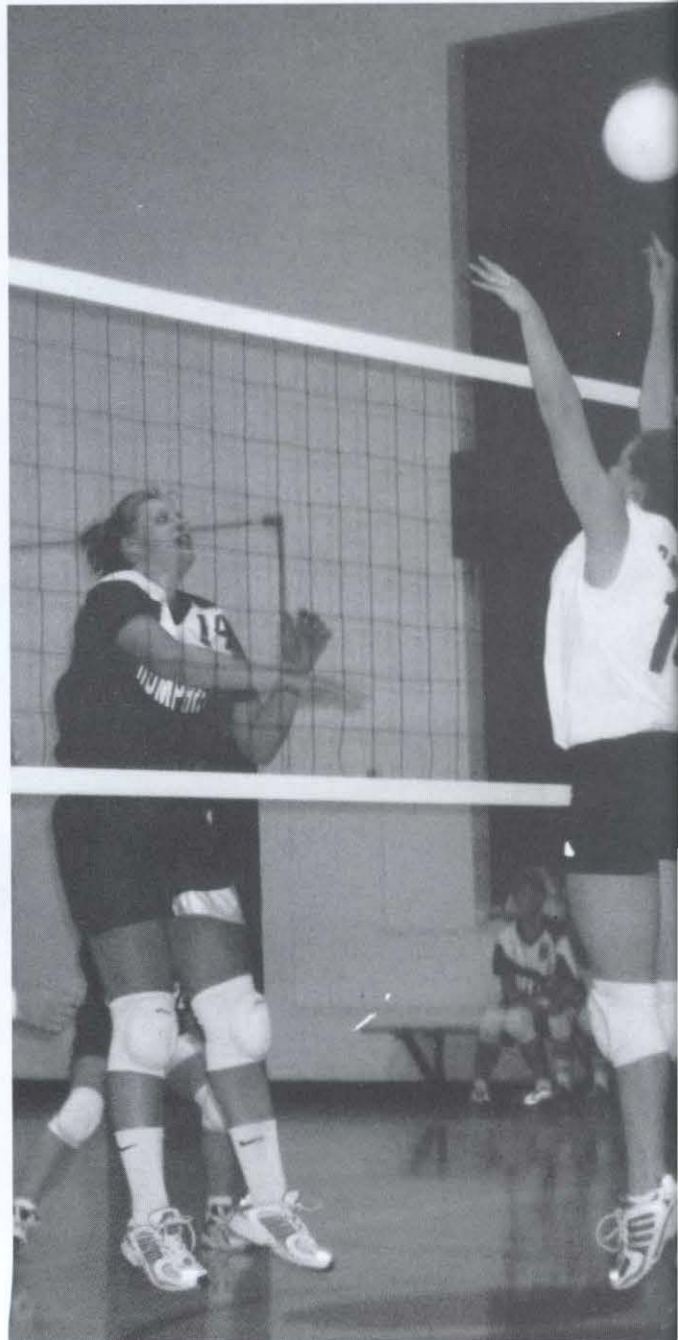


Middle left: Jarrod Kucera makes his way through the Clearwater defender to make another basket.

Bottom left: Lacey Sliva lines up for another shot at the Elkhorn Valley game.



Bottom right: Paula Theilen hits another outstanding spike during the District finals.





# Playing with Pride



PROUD TO PLAY



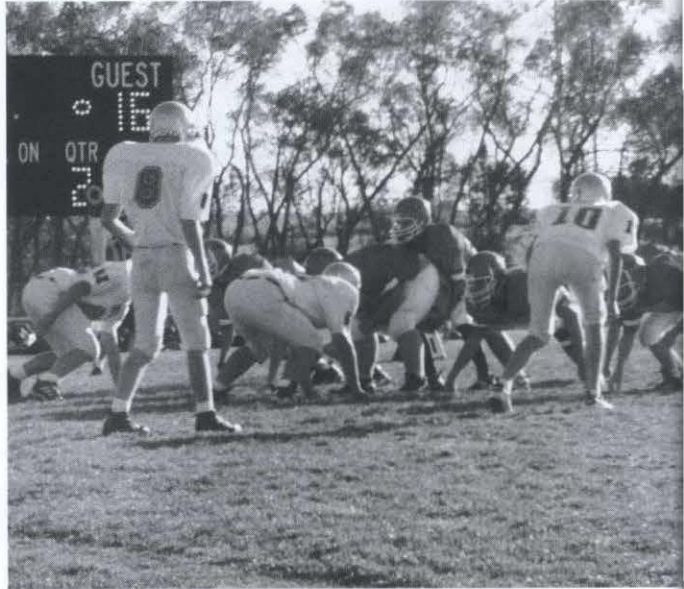
# HUMPHREY STUDENTS TAKE PRIDE IN....

## Football

THE BULLDOGS 1999 SEASON WAS AN IMPROVING BUT CHALLENGING SEASON. THE BULLDOGS GAVE IT THEIR BEST EFFORT EVERY GAME. EVEN THOUGH THEY WENT WITH 0 WINS AND 8 LOSSES, THEY ARE STILL PROUD OF THEIR EFFORTS ON THE FIELD.

THIS YEAR WAS A LITTLE DIFFERENT ON THE WAY THEY CHOSE THEIR CAPTAINS. THIS YEAR, EVERY SENIOR STUDENT TOOK TURNS ON BEING THE CAPTAINS AND LEADERS FOR THE GAMES. THE SENIORS ARE ADAM KORTH, DEREK JOHNSON, BILL STREBLOW, KYLE HEESACKER, AND NATHAN PFEIFER.

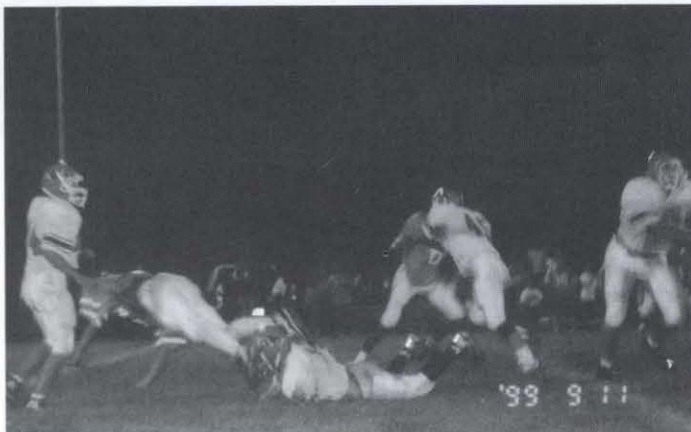
THEIR ARE MANY PLAYERS THAT GOT HONORED BY THE CONFERENCE. ADAM HEMMER, ROSS KORTH, JESSE SCHUMACHER, AND NATHAN PFEIFER ALL RECEIVED HONORABLE MENTION ALL CONFERENCE HONORS FOR THEIR ACCOMPLISHMENTS ON THE FOOTBALL FIELD. JESSE SCHUMACHER ALSO LED THE TEAM IN TOUCHDOWNS.



Top: The Junior Varsity are set to start a play against the Lutheran High North East.

Above: Philip Bachman tries to gain the extra yards by running a quarterback keeper against St. Francis.

Left: The Bulldogs offensive line try to make a big enough hole for the running back to run through in hopes of scoring another touchdown.







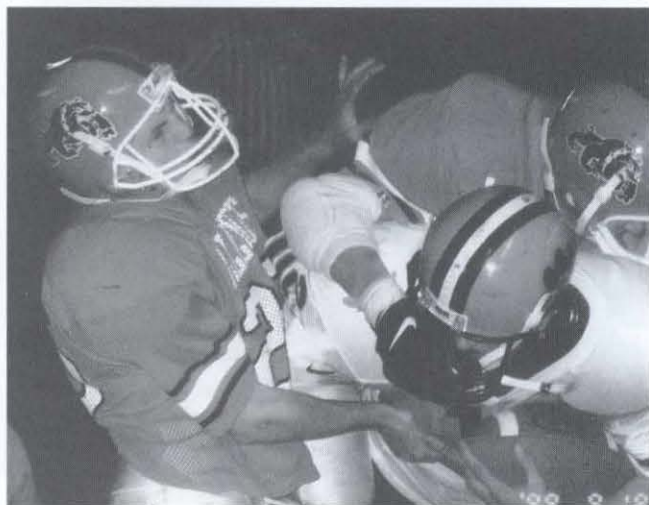
HHS Football Team Pictured Above:(front to back) Grant Flamig, Ross Korth, Kyle Jones, Brian Bachman, Matt Preister, Jon Dohmen, Andy Korth; second row, Jesse Schumacher, Lyle Davison, Jarrod Kucera, John Schure, Russell Frauendorfer, Casey Borer, Kyle Heesacker; back row, assistant coach Troy Mach, head coach Jake Nelson, Bill Streblov, Adam Hemmer, Philip Bachman, Andy Mausbach, Derek Johnson, Adam Korth, Nathan Pfeifer.



Middle Left: The Bulldog Offense try to get things going against the Cedar Bluffs defense for the hopes of scoring a touchdown.

Left: Micah Groteluchen and Adam Hemmer do their best to stop the Howells player from reaching the endzone. Unfortunately, Humphrey got a face mask penalty called against them.

# FOOTBALL



	US	THEM
L St. Francis	0	46
L Cedar Bluffs	0	56
L Howells	8	42
L Lindsay	0	46
L Newman Grove	14	57
L Clarkson	20	50
L Leigh	28	49
L Dodge	6	77



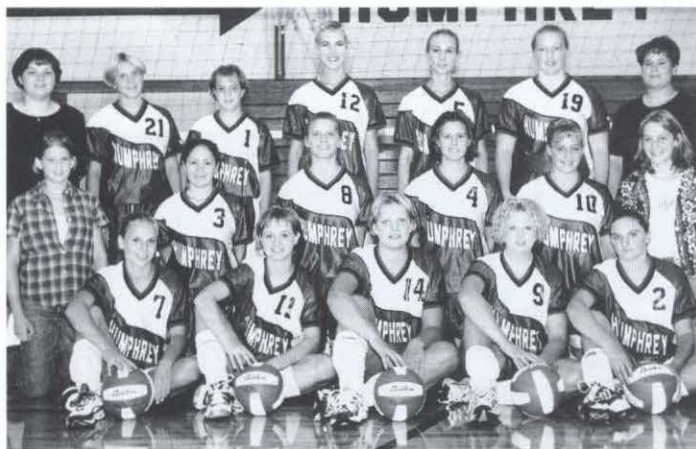


PROUD TO HAVE A WINNING SEASON ...

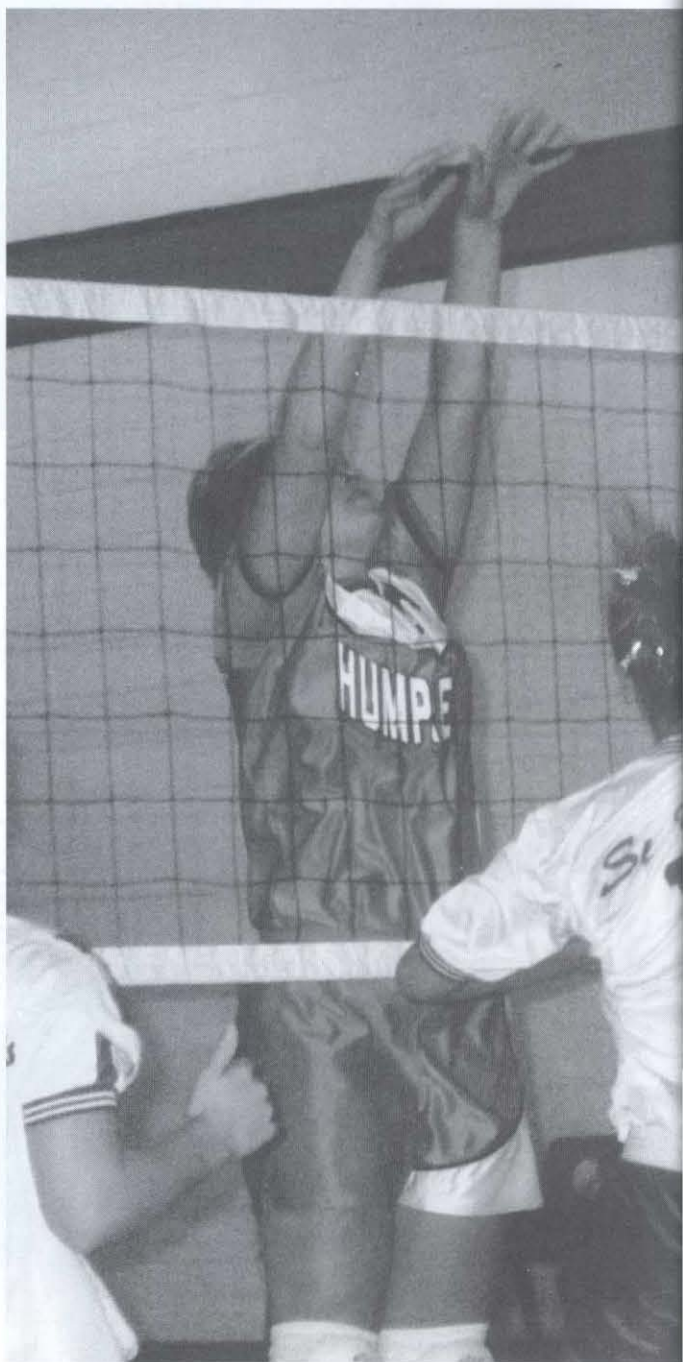
# Volleyball

LED BY COACHES KATHY SIMMERMAN AND APRIL KNUST, THIRTEEN GIRLS DEVOTED THEIR TIME AND ENERGY TO VOLLEYBALL THIS YEAR. THE 1999 SEASON WAS A SUCCESSFUL ONE, WITH A VARSITY RECORD OF 10 WINS AND 10 LOSSES. BOTH COACHES AND TEAM MEMBERS AGREE THAT IT WAS A PROSPEROUS SEASON, AS COACH SIMMERMAN SAID, "THIS BUNCH OF GIRLS DID A NICE JOB OF GETTING THE BULLDOG VOLLEYBALL PROGRAM ROLLING IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION."

THE JUNIOR VARSITY ALSO DID EXTREMELY WELL, WINNING SEVEN GAMES AND LOSING ONLY THREE. JUNIOR VARSITY COACH KNUST COMMENTED, "THIS BEING MY FIRST YEAR, I ENJOYED WORKING UNDER A GREAT COACH AND SEEING ALL OF THE GIRLS IMPROVE ON THEIR GAMES. I'VE ENJOYED WORKING WITH THE ENTIRE VOLLEYBALL TEAM. GO LADY BULLDOGS!"



Above: The 1999 volleyball team from left to right: Front row, Julie Veik, Brandie Vosteen, Paula Theilen, Lacey Sliva, Crystal Harper. Middle row, Student manager, Jenna Sliva, Wendy Neville, Lori Mausbach, Melissa Brandl, Krystal Flamig, Student manager, Brooke LaBenz. Back row, Assistant Coach, April Knust, Angie Lich, Carla Schwarz, Melissa Ritz, Megan Vosteen, Danie Ternus, Head Coach, Kathy Simmerman.



Above: Paula Theilen goes up for a block against two St. Francis players.







Left: Seniority rules with the senior girls as they pose for a final volleyball photo.

Below: Julie Veik practices her setting technique before a game.



# VOLLEYBALL



Bottom left: Melissa Brandl and Wendy Neville show how happy they are to be a part of the team as they share a hug before the first game of the season.

	1st	2nd	3rd
w Clarkson	02-15	16-14	15-01
L Newman Grove	15-09	05-15	11-15
L Leigh	10-15	15-11	06-15
L St. Francis	02-15	01-15	
L Howells	04-15	08-15	
w Petersburg	15-13	15-10	
w Lindsay H.F.	15-06	15-13	
w Dodge	09-15	15-10	15-09



LEADING THE WAY, SOUNDING THE CALL, IT'S GOT TO BE...

# Girl's Basketball

FOR THE SECOND YEAR IN A ROW, THE LADY BULLDOGS BEGAN THE SEASON WITH NEW COACHES. THESE NEW COACHES WERE KEVIN SIMMERMAN AND AMY BLASER.

THE SEASON DID NOT GET OFF TO A VERY GOOD START FOR THE BULLDOGS. THEY LOST THEIR FIRST FOUR GAMES AND DID NOT PICK UP A WIN UNTIL THEY PLAYED CEDAR RAPIDS. HOWEVER, THE LADIES WERE IMPROVING AND THINGS BEGAN TO LOOK BETTER.

AFTER THEIR FIRST WIN, THE BULLDOGS TAGGED ON ANOTHER TWO VICTORIES, WINNING THE BENEDICT HOLIDAY TOURNAMENT. UNFORTUNATELY, THEY LOST THE FOLLOWING THREE GAMES. YET, AFTER A LITTLE HARD WORK, THEY DEFEATED THREE MORE OPPONENTS. WITH A 6-7 RECORD THE LADY BULLDOGS WERE LOOKING PRETTY DECENT.

THE BULLDOGS, HOWEVER, FINISHED OFF THE SEASON WITH A DISAPPOINTING 6 LOSSES IN A ROW. THIS WOULD PUT THEIR FINAL RECORD AT 6-13.

Danie Ternus gives her best attempt to stop the St. Francis Flyer's aggressive offense. Unfortunately, the Flyers came out on top.



Top Right: Brandie Vosteen speeds down the court in style.

Bottom Right: Wendy Neville tries to get a pass off to a teammate while a baffled Clearwater player doesn't know how to stop her.







Top Left: Girls' basketball team. Back Row: Melissa Gronenthal, Krystal Flamig, Wendy Neville, Carla Schwarz, Danielle Ternus. Front Row: Julie Veik, Lacey Sliva, Brandie Vosteen, Melissa Brandl.

Middle Left: Danie Ternus hopes her pass gets the ball to Krystal Flamig before the Clearwater defense picks it off.



Above: Melissa Brandl studies the Clearwater defense as she slowly dribbles down the court. She hopes she will remember the right play to call.

Left: The Bulldogs burst into a new season. Krystal Flamig leads the way as she runs out of the huddle for the first home game against the Clarkson Red Devils.

# BASKETBALL



	US	THEM
L Leigh	21	49
L Clarkson	21	41
L Newman Grove	33	44
L Shelby	23	49
W Cedar Rapids	41	36
W Benedict	39	26
W Exeter	36	32
L Prague	31	55
L Elkhorn Valley	45	65
L Clearwater	29	66
W Wheeler Central	39	31
W Rising City	53	45
W Dodge	31	30
L Lindsay H.F.	31	47
L Howells	32	53
L St. Francis	19	77
L Lutheran H. NE	26	44
L St. Francis	25	53
L St. Francis	24	56



SHOOTING TOWARDS THEIR GOAL...

# Boys' Basketball

MR. KEVIN SIMMERMAN, HEAD COACH OF THE HUMPHREY BULLDOGS, TRIED TO HAVE A MORE UP TEMPO STYLE OF GAME PLAY THIS YEAR COMPARED TO LAST YEAR. "THE BOYS' BASKETBALL TEAM LACKED RETURNING EXPERIENCE. ONLY ONE PLAYER, NATHAN PFEIFER, HAD SIGNIFICANT AMOUNT OF PLAYING TIME FROM THE 1998-1999 SEASON," SAID COACH SIMMERMAN.

ONE OF THE THOUGHTS THAT COACH SIMMERMAN HAD ON THE SEASON WAS THAT THE INEXPERIENCE OF THE FOUR NEW STARTERS BEING PUT IN THE LINE UP PLAYED A BIG ROLE IN THE GAME PLAY THROUGHOUT THE SEASON. THE TEAM HAD ITS FAIR SHARE OF DISAPPOINTMENTS AND HEARTBREAKS THROUGHOUT THE YEAR. "THE TEAM GREW IN EXPERIENCE AS THE SEASON WENT ALONG," SAID COACH SIMMERMAN.

Below: Shaun Pfeifer gets in his stance to shoot a three pointer.



Above: Martin Konarski looks for a teammate to pass to.



Above: Adam Hemmer keeps his eyes on the ball to intercept it.

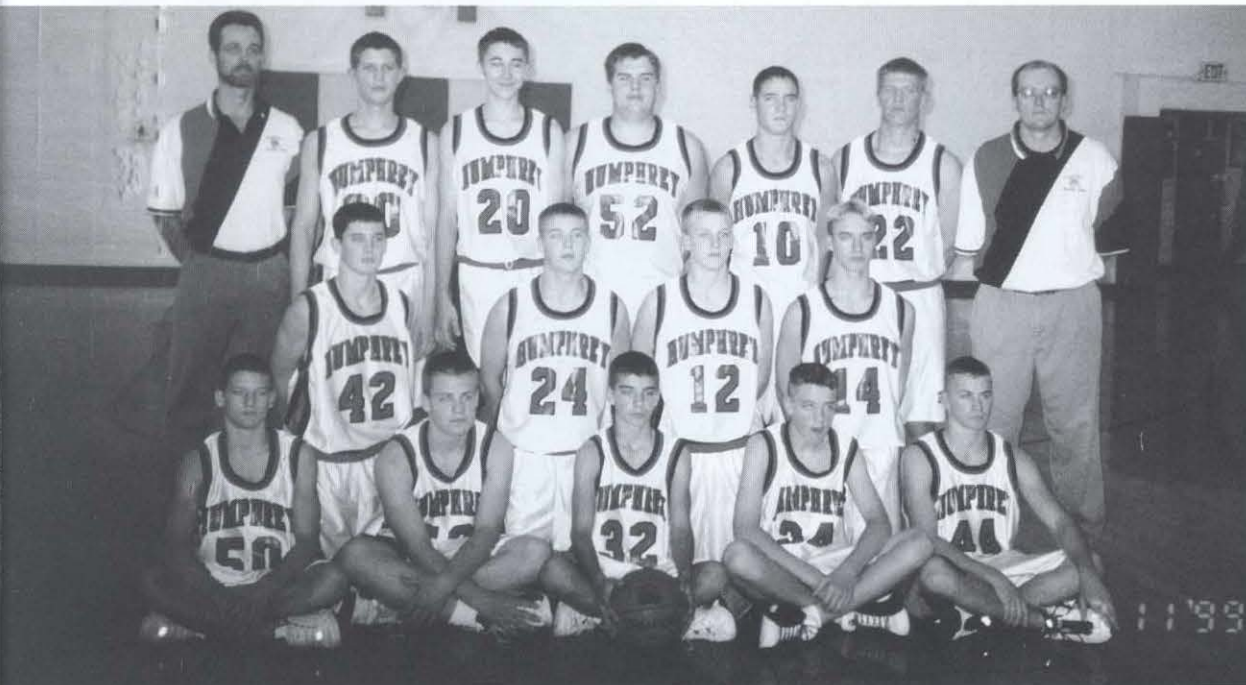






Top left: Martin Konarski reaches for the stars to get the rebound.

Below: Front row left to right: Grant Flamig, Jeff Brandl, Matt Preister, Andy Korth, Ross Korth. Middle row: Jarrod Kucera, Shaun Pfeifer, Casey Borer, Gene Haffner. Back row: Assistant coach Michael Persinger, Curt Greisen, Martin Konarski, Charles Streblov, Adam Hemmer, Nate Pfeifer, Head coach Kevin Simmerman



Bottom left: Ross Korth pulls away from his defender to go under the hoop.



# BASKETBALL

		US	THEM
W	Leigh	30	78
W	Clarkson	58	48
L	Shelby	31	45
L	Newman Grove	51	59
L	Cedar Rapids	55	64
L	Benedict	38	68
L	Clarks	44	43
L	Prague	48	59
L	Elkhorn Valley	47	58
L	Clearwater	62	64
L	Wheeler Central	59	68
L	Rising City	60	62
L	Dodge	52	73
L	Lindsay Holy Family	50	63
L	Howells	38	67
L	Newman Grove	42	72
L	St Francis	51	79
L	Genoa	64	74
L	St Francis	42	73



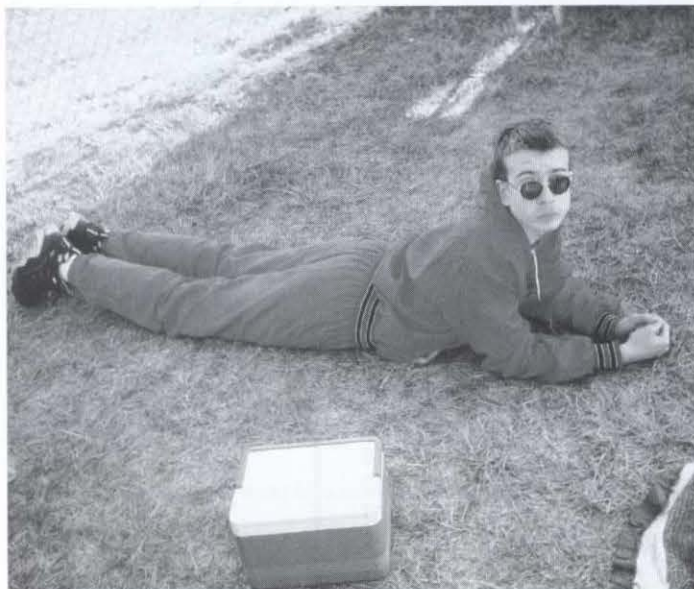
WE TAKE PRIDE IN THE ATHLETES THAT PARTICIPATE IN...

# Track

THIS YEAR, 21 STUDENTS DECIDED TO TAKE PART IN TRACK. UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF HEAD COACH MR. FLAMIG AND ASSISTANT COACHES, MR. SIMMERMAN AND MR. MACH, THEY HOPED TO WIN MANY MEETS.

THE TRACK TEAM PARTICIPATED IN A NUMBER OF MEETS THROUGHOUT THE SPRING. SOME OF THE TRACK MEETS INCLUDED THE PETERSBURG INVITE ON APRIL 5TH, MADISON INVITE ON APRIL 18TH, THE MONROE INVITE ON APRIL 25TH, THE CORNHUSKER CONFERENCE MEET ON APRIL 29TH, AND THE LINDSAY INVITE ON MAY 3RD.

THREE HHS ATHLETES EARNED THEIR WAY TO THE STATE TRACK MEET IN LINCOLN IN MAY. DANIE TERNUS QUALIFIED IN SHOT PUT; GRANT FLAMIG COMPETED IN THE 300 HURDLES; PHILIP BACHMAN PARTICIPATED IN THE ONE MILE RUN.



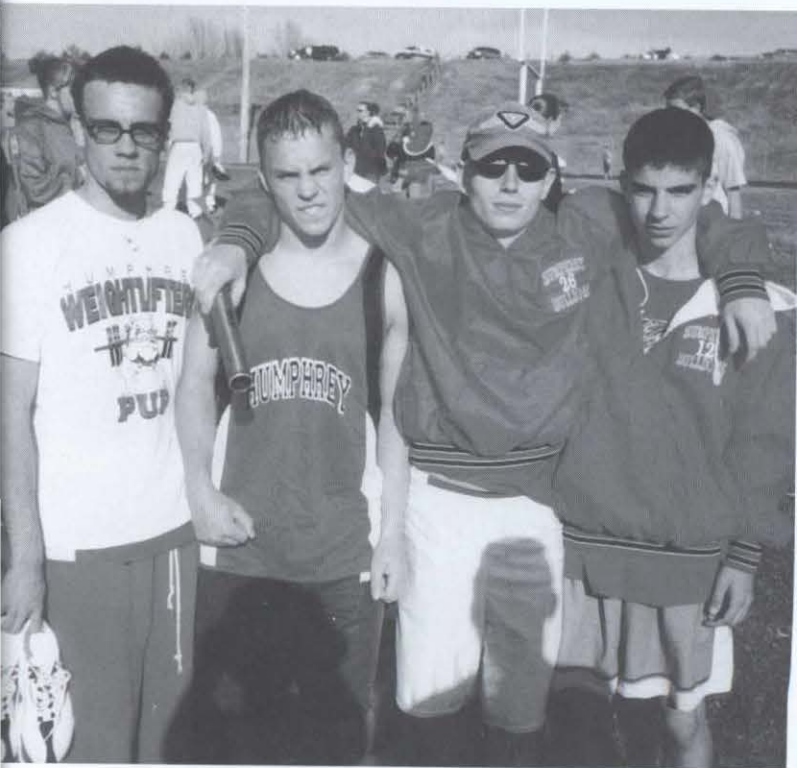
Top: Lori Mausbach and Melissa Gronenthal wait patiently for the results of their last event.

Bottom Right: Krystal Flamig walks off her fears of finishing last in the 100 meter hurdles.

Bottom Left: Ray Stepan lays in the shade to rest his tired body.







Left: Matt Preister waits patiently so his relay team can go out on the track to try to bring the gold.

Top Right: Brandie Vosteen and Crystal Harper practice their start so when the event comes, they start out great.

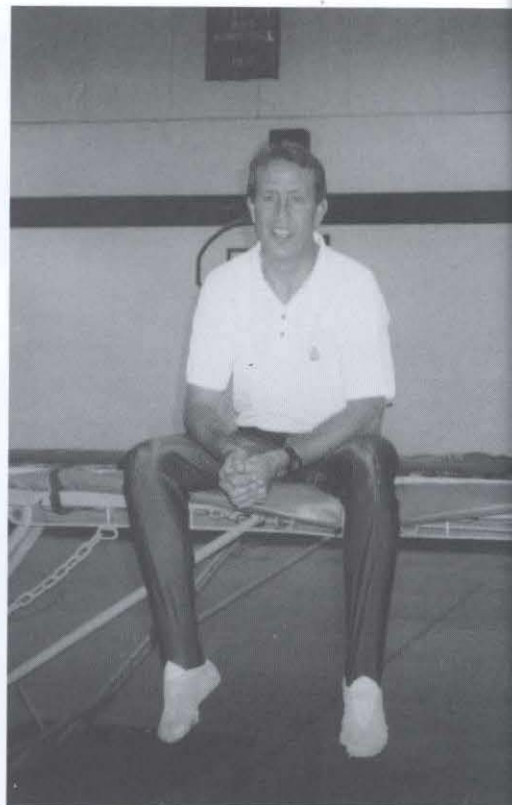
Bottom Right: Alan Wessel crosses the line with an incredible finish while some onlookers watch.

Bottom Left: Philip Bachman, Ross Korth, Micah Groteluschen, and Matt Preister look for the trophy they can eventually head home to relax.





Top left: Michelle Daugherty and Charisma Gasper stand still for as long as they can so that the crowd can take pictures.



Top right: An invited speaker shows how to pull out of the dumps with a speech and his trampoline.



Middle left: Wendy Neville shows how silly she can dress up during home coming.

Right: The senior girls come together during the Hearts dance and talk about local gossip.



Bottom right : Melissa Ritz practices her speech during the Battle Creek Speech meet thinking about getting first place.

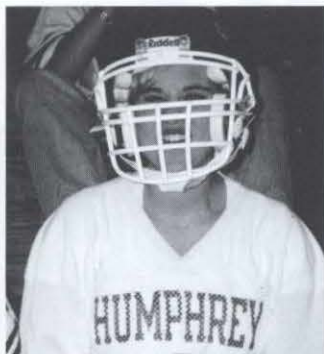
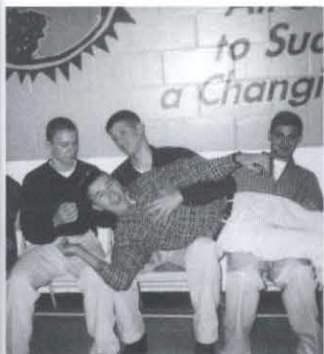
Bottom center: Alan Wessel sits at the bottom of the stairs and waits for the judges' ruling for FFA Districts.

Bottom left: Mr. Rumsey shows that he really enjoys cutting water melons at the FFA booth at the Fun Fair.





# Proud to be in school activities



LEADING TO THE FUTURE



PRIDE IS AN INFLUENCE IN THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT OF OUR...

# Student Council

EACH YEAR THE STUDENT COUNCIL TRIES TO MAKE A LITTLE DIFFERENCE IN THEIR STUDENT BODY. THIS YEAR THE STUDENT COUNCIL DID A LITTLE AROUND THE SCHOOL YARD BY PICKING UP THE GARBAGE THAT HAS BLOWN AROUND FOR QUITE SOME TIME NOW. TOWARDS THE BEGINNING OF THE YEAR, THE STUDENT COUNCIL FIGURED OUT WHAT SHOULD GO ON DURING HOMECOMING WEEK. WEDNESDAY WAS CAREER DAY, THURSDAY WAS SPORTS FIGURE DAY AND FRIDAY WAS THE TRADITIONAL GO BIG RED DAY.

DURING THE LAST WEEK BEFORE CHRISTMAS, THE STUDENT COUNCIL ALSO PUT TOGETHER A SUCCESSFUL SECRETSANTA. COMING BACK IN JANUARY THE STUDENT COUNCIL KICKED OFF THE NEW MILLENNIUM WITH THE USUAL HOT CHOCOLATE FOR THE STUDENTS WHO WANTED IT. AS THE WEATHER BECAME NICER, THE STUDENT COUNCIL BEGAN TO PICK UP THE MESS THAT STARTED TO GATHER AROUND THE SCHOOL YARD. TOWARDS THE END OF THE YEAR THEY HELD A COLORING CONTEST FOR THE GRADES K-6. AND FOR THEMSELVES THEY WENT OUT FOR PIZZA AND BOWLING AFTERWARDS.

YOUR STUDENT COUNCIL OFFICE HOLDERS THIS YEAR WERE PRESIDENTS, GREG JOHNSON AND TARA GREISEN; SECRETARY, BRANDIE VOSTEEN; AND TREASURER, DANIE TERNUS.



Top: Alan Wessel looks back and smiles watching others pick up all the garbage.

Above: Danie Ternus participates in picking up garbage around the school for Student Council. Other class representatives for the Student Council were Matt Preister, Cassie Gasper, Amy Widhalm, Melissa Brandl, Phillip Bachman, Adam Hemmer, Alan Wessel, John Stock, Adam Korth, Crystal Harper, Charles Streblov, Paula Thielen, and Lacey Sliva.





RIDE IN OUR ACCELERATED STUDENTS WHO  
MAKE UP OUR...

# N H S



Top: The National Honor Society members, front row, Grant Flamig, Philip Bachman, Melissa Brandl, Lori Mausbach, Wendy Neville, Curt Greisen. Back Row, Alan Wessel, Jeff Wessel, Paula Thielen, Tara Greisen, and John Stock.

Bottom: Jeff Wessel lights Philip Bachman's candle to finalize the induction into the National Honor Society.

ACHIEVING ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE AND CATCHING THE TEACHER'S EYE IS THE WAY TO GET INTO THE NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY. SIX STUDENTS WERE INDUCTED INTO THE NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY THIS YEAR, THREE SOPHOMORES AND THREE JUNIORS. THE SOPHOMORES WERE CURT GREISEN, LORI MAUSBACH AND WENDY NEVILLE. THE JUNIORS CONSISTED OF PHILIP BACHMAN, MELISSA BRANDL AND GRANT FLAMIG.

THE OFFICERS OF THE YEAR TWO THOUSAND WERE PRESIDENT PAULA THEILEN, VICE PRESIDENT JOHN STOCK AND JEFF WESSEL, SECRETARY TARA GREISEN AND TREASURER ALAN WESSEL.

EACH YEAR THE N.H.S. MAKES AN EFFORT TO HELP THE NEEDY BY HOLDING THEIR ANNUAL CAN FOOD DRIVE. THIS YEAR THE MEMBERS OF THE N.H.S. CAME UP WITH DIFFERENT CRITERIA FOR EARNING MEMBERSHIP. THIS YEAR YOU HAD TO MAINTAIN A 93% AVERAGE, BUT ONLY FOR FOUR SEMESTERS INSTEAD OF FIVE. NOW YOU NEED TO FIND THREE REFERENCES TO BE ACCEPTED, TWO FROM THE SCHOOL AND ONE FROM YOUR COMMUNITY. NEXT YOU NEED AN INTERVIEW WITH THE CURRENT HONOR SOCIETY MEMBERS.

AT THE QUARTERLY HONORS BREAKFAST, AWARDS WERE HANDED OUT BY THE MEMBERS OF NHS.



SPEECH, ONE-ACT, AND ACADEMIC CONTESTS SHOW WHY OUR SCHOOL HAS REASON TO SAY, WE ARE THE...

# Pride of the Day

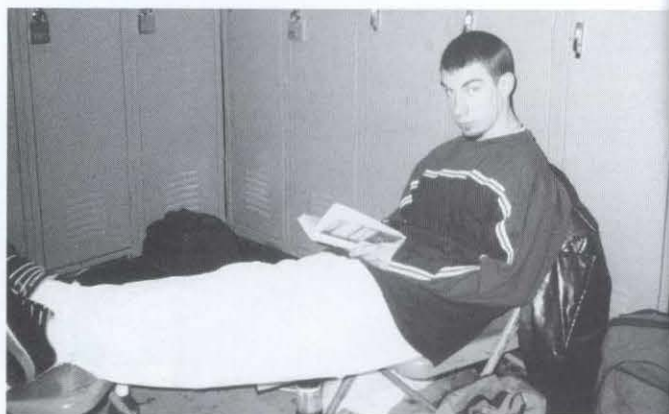
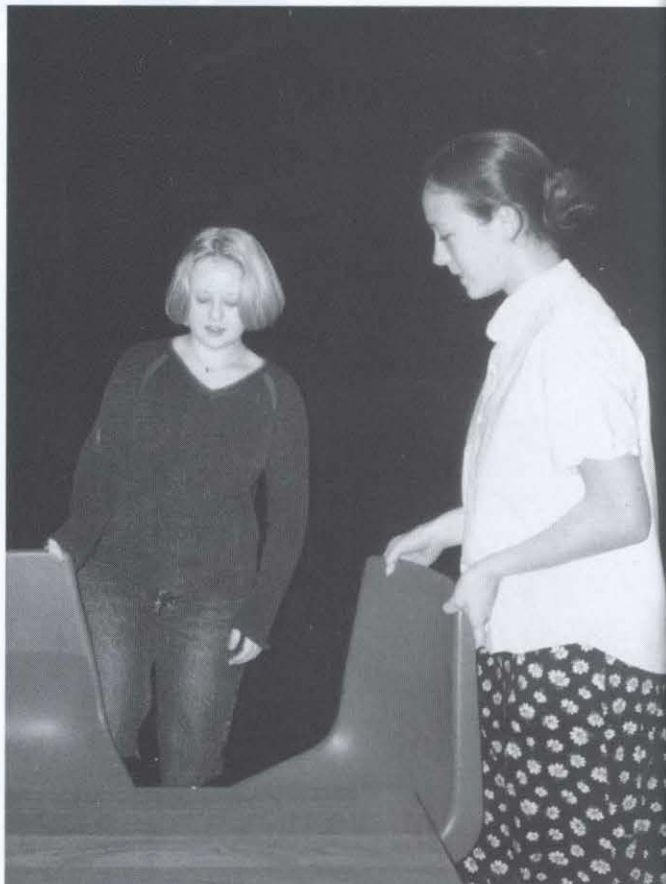
THIS YEAR'S SPEECH, ONE-ACT, AND ACADEMIC CONTEST PARTICIPANTS CAN BE DESCRIBED IN ONLY ONE WAY. THEY WERE SIMPLY THE BEST.

NINE STUDENTS COMPETED ON THE SPEECH TEAM THIS YEAR. OVERALL THE TEAM ACQUIRED A MEDAL AT EACH OF THEIR FOUR SPEECH MEETS AND EVEN SENT AMY WIDHALM TO STATE IN SERIOUS PROSE.

THE ONE-ACT TEAM PUT ON "PHANTOMS," BY LAURIE WOODWARD, THIS YEAR AS THEIR PERFORMANCE. AMY WIDHALM, MELISSA RITZ, AND WENDY NEVILLE ALL RECEIVED HONORABLE MENTION AWARDS AT DISTRICTS. DESPITE NOT RECEIVING A MEDAL, THE TEAM HAD A LOT OF FUN. "I CAN'T THINK OF A BETTER ACTIVITY I WOULD WANT TO PARTICIPATE IN," SAID WENDY NEVILLE.

THIS YEAR OUR STUDENTS DID VERY WELL AT THE NORTHEAST COMMUNITY COLLEGE ACADEMIC CONTEST. ADAM HEMMER RECEIVED FIRST PLACE IN SMALL ENGINES, DANIE TERNUS RECEIVED THIRD PLACE IN GEOGRAPHY, AND RAY STEPAN ACQUIRED A THIRD PLACE FINISH IN THE FIELD OF CHEMISTRY.

Wendy Neville experiences the hardships of being in a wheelchair during one-act practice.

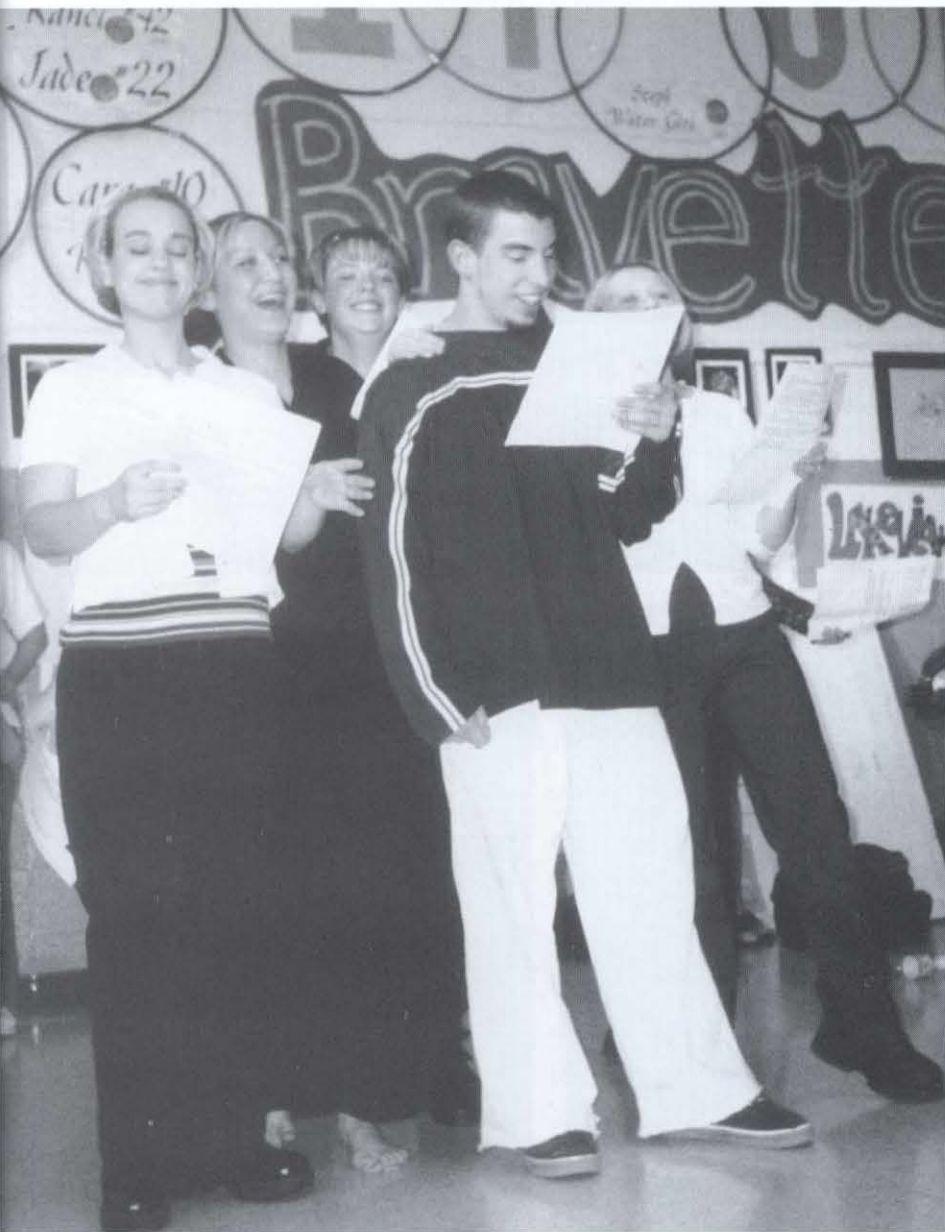


Top Right: Lisa Daugherty and Amy Widhalm enact a short scene during a one-act competition. Despite not placing, both girls admit that they had a lot of fun competing in the event.

Bottom Right: Greg Johnson studies his book carefully as he tries to pass the time away while waiting for his next event in the Battle Creek Speech Meet.







Left: Greg Johnson, Crystl Dunn, Michelle Daugherty, Lindsay Richardson, and Amy Widhalm display their speaking skills in a group effort at the Battle Creek Speech Meet.

Below: Amy Widhalm glows with excitement after she is awarded a trip to the State Speech Meet in Kearney.



Left: Crystl Dunn, Amy Widhalm, and Melissa Ritz practice diligently for their upcoming one-act presentation which will be performed for the entire student body.

Left: Curt Greisen glances over his notecard one more time before presenting his extemporaneous speech to the judge.



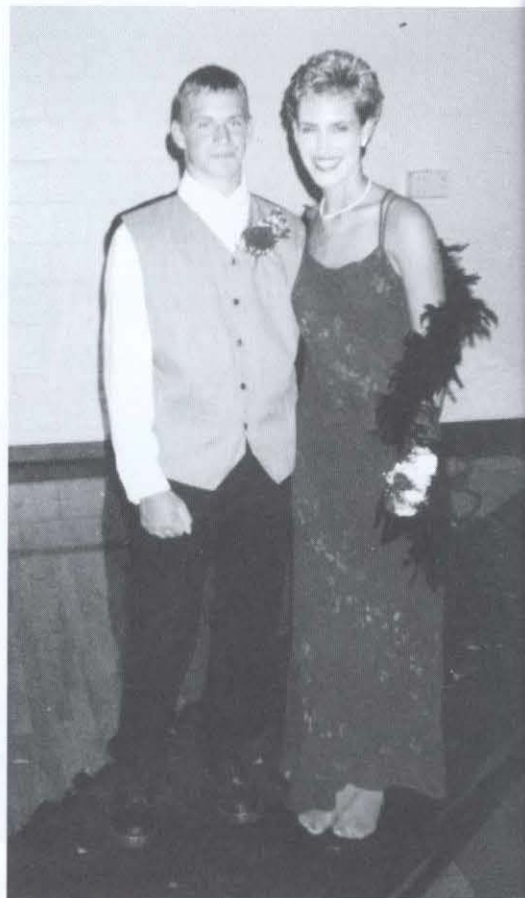
PROUD TO HAVE A SUCCESSFUL . . .

# Homecoming

THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 4-8 WAS HOMECOMING WEEK AT HUMPHREY HIGH. THE VOLLEYBALL TEAM FACED THE LINDSAY HOLY FAMILY LADY BULLDOGS, AND DEFEATED THEM IN TWO SETS. THE FOOTBALL TEAM HOSTED THE CLARSKON RED DEVILS. UNFORTUNATELY, THEY FELL TO THE DEVILS, 50-20.

THE HOMECOMING DANCE WAS HELD ON OCT. 8. THIS YEAR'S THEME WAS *THESE ARE THE MOMENTS*, WITH THEME COLORS RED, BLACK, AND SILVER. CORONATION COMMENCED IN THE GYM BEFORE THE DANCE. THIS YEAR'S ROYALTY WERE AS FOLLOWS: KING AND QUEEN, ADAM KORTH AND TARA GREISEN; SENIOR ATTENDANTS, CRYSTL DUNN AND JUSTIN WETJEN; JUNIOR ATTENDANTS, SARAH GROENTHAL AND PHILIP BACHMAN; SOPHOMORE ATTENDANTS, ROSS KORTH AND WENDY NEVILLE; FRESHMAN ATTENDANTS, MATT PREISTER AND KRYSTL FLAMIG.

SPORTS DAY, CAREER DAY, AND GO BIG RED DAY WERE CELEBRATED. STUDENTS PARTICIPATED IN A JUNIOR OLYMPICS, WITH THE SENIORS WINNING.



Top Right: Melissa Ritz removes her shoes to pose for a picture with her date, Ross Korth.

Bottom Right: Seniors Lacey Sliva, Brandie Vosteen, Crystal Harper, and Paula Theilen participate in spirit week for the last time.



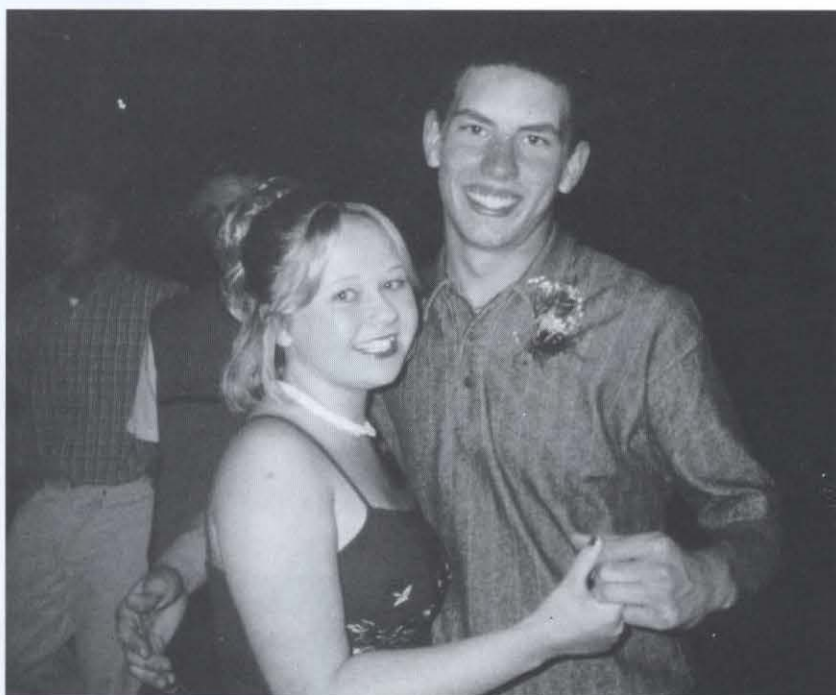
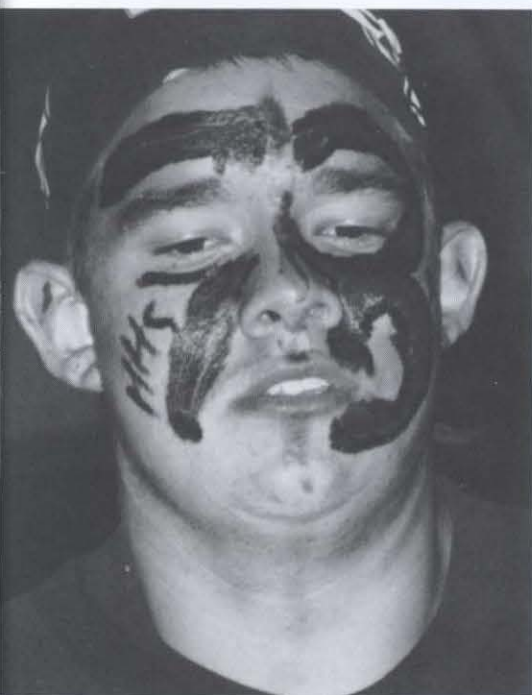




Left: The 1999 Homecoming Royalty: King, Adam Korth; Queen, Tara Greisen; Senior attendants, Justin Wetjen and Crystl Dunn; Junior attendants, Philip Bachman and Sarah Gronenthal; Sophomore attendants, Ross Korth and Wendy Neville; Freshmen attendants, Matt Preister and Krystal Flamig.

Middle Left: Bill Streblov shows his Bulldog pride by painting his face for spirit week.

Top Right: Derek Johnson and Amy Widhalm enjoying the Homecoming dance.



Bottom Left: Wendy Neville, Crystl Dunn and Krystal Flamig share a hug and smile to show how happy they are that it is Homecoming week.

Bottom Right: Melissa Ritz and Wendy Neville predict their future careers as clowns for spirit week.



I KNEW I LOVED YOU BEFORE I MET YOU...

# Hearts

FEBRUARY 12, 2000 SATURDAY EVENING WAS A VERY SPECIAL NIGHT FOR A LOT OF STUDENTS AT HUMPHREY HIGH SCHOOL. THIS WAS THE ANNUAL HEARTS CEREMONY AND DANCE.

THE NIGHT BEGAN WITH THE CORONATION CEREMONY. THIS IS WHEN THE KING, QUEEN AND ATTENDANTS WERE SELECTED FOR THE ROYALTY PARTY. AFTER THE CEREMONY MANY OF THE STUDENTS TRAVELED TO THE CAFETERIA FOR DANCING.

THE MUSIC WAS ARRANGED BY ENTERTAINMENT EXPRESS. THE HUMPHREY HIGH BOOSTER CLUB ALSO PREPARED HOT DOGS, CHIPS, AND ALL KINDS OF DESSERTS FOR THE STUDENTS WHEN THEY HAD A BREAK FROM DANCING. THE DANCE WAS FURNISHED BY THE STUDENT COUNCIL AND IN GENERAL WAS A BLAST.

Top right: Amy Wildhalm, Lori Mausbach, and Lindsay Richardson show how extravagant they look wearing beautiful new dresses.



Bottom right: 2000 Hearts Royalty as follows: King Nate Pfeifer and Queen Brandie Vosteen. Back row: sophomore attendants Curt Greisen and Amy Wildhalm, senior attendants Chuck Streblov and Charisma Gasper, junior attendants Jesse Schumacher and Michelle Daugherty and freshman attendants Carla Schwarz and Jeff Brandl.







Top right: John Stock and Krystal Flaming are showing how excited they are to get started with a romantic fun filled night of dancing.



Top left: Nate Pfeifer and Brandie Vosteen dance a final royalty dance after being chosen king and queen of the 2000 Humphrey High Hearts Coronation.

Middle right: Tara Greisen and Adam Korth look like they are having fun dancing their hearts away.



Bottom right: Melissa Gronenthal is waiting patiently for the dance to begin.



Bottom left: Melissa Ritz decided to leave the books for a while and let loose as she busts a move on the dance floor.



## PROUD TO BE A PART OF VEGAS NIGHTS....

# Prom

THE JUNIOR CLASS HELD PROM ON APRIL 8, 2000 IN THE HUMPHREY HIGH SCHOOL GYM. PEOPLE TO ATTEND WERE THE JUNIORS AND SENIORS.

THE FIRST ACTIVITY AT PROM OCCURED AS THE STUDENTS ARRIVED IN THE DOOR TO HAND THE PHOTOGRAPHER AN ENVELOPE WITH A PICTURE ORDER. NEXT, THE STUDENTS AND THEIR DATES WOULD GET INTO POSITION AND THE PICTURE WAS TAKEN. AFTER ALL THE STUDENTS HAD TAKEN PICTURES, IT WAS TIME FOR THE TWO CLASS'S GRUOP PICTURE.

SECOND, THE STUDENTS SAT DOWN WITH THEIR DATES AT THE ASSIGNED TABLES. AT THE TABLES WERE NAME TAGS, CONFETTI AND OTHER DECORATIONS, ALONG WITH A MUG AND A WINE GLASS WITH THE THEME "VEGAS NIGHTS" PRINTED ON THEM. THE STUDENTS WERE THEN SERVED HAM, POTATOES, BUNS, CORN, CHEESECAKE, AND PUNCH BY PROM SERVERS.

THIRD, THE MUSIC WAS STARTED BY ENTERTAINMENT EXPRESS AND MANY OF THE STUDENTS BEGAN TO DANCE. WHEN ALL THE STUDENTS WERE WORN OUT FROM DANCING , THEY MOVED INTO TWO BUSES AND HEADED TO" POST PROM 2000."

Top: Nate Pfeifer shows his date how handsome he can really be for his date.

Bottom: Sophomore Prom servers: Casey Borer, Curt Greisen, Lori Mausbach, Ashley Bradley, and Danie Ternus.



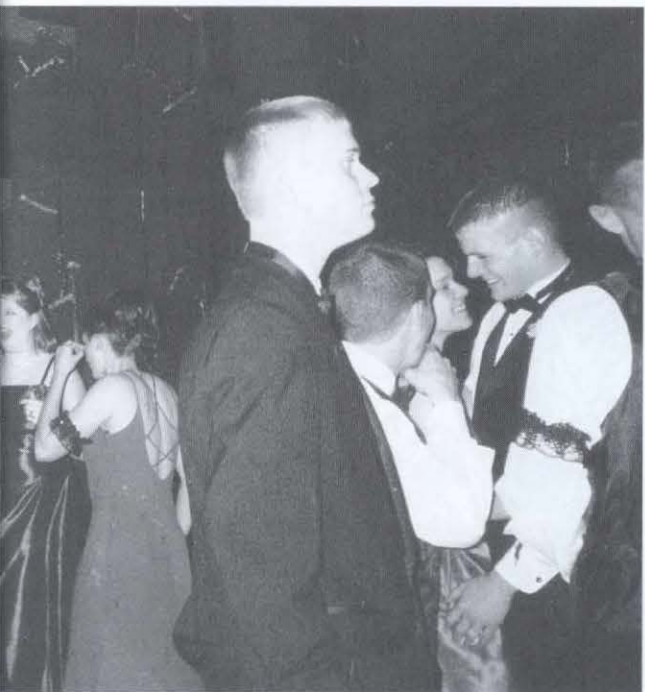




Top left: Ross Korth portrays Regis Philbin in "Who wants to be a Millionaire?" (The theme for sophomore skit during Vegas Nights Prom.)

Middle left: Mike Bruhn is admiring the decorations and deciding what a wonderful Vegas Night it is.

Middle right: Shaun Pfeifer patiently waits for his food while sticking his finger in the table decorations to keep busy.



Bottom right: Mrs. Barb Kelly helps out the prom servers setting up props for the sophomore skit.

Bottom left: Tara Greisen demonstrates her beautiful voice to her date Adam Korth during Vegas Nights Prom Dance.



## BOWLED OVER WITH PRIDE ...

# Post Prom

THIS YEAR THE BOOSTER CLUB TRIED SOMETHING DIFFERENT FOR POST PROM. THEY WANTED TO HAVE IT AT BOULEVARD LANES. MOST PEOPLE THOUGHT THAT IT WAS GOING TO BE BORING AND NOBODY WAS GOING TO HAVE ANY FUN, BUT IN THE END EVERYONE HAD FUN AND THE NIGHT WAS ENJOYABLE. THE STUDENTS COULD NOT DRIVE DOWN, SO THEY HAD TO GET ON THE YELLOW SCHOOL BUSES AND RIDE TO COLUMBUS.

"POST PROM WAS A BLAST, AND IT WAS BETTER THAN LAST YEAR," SAID GREG JOHNSON.

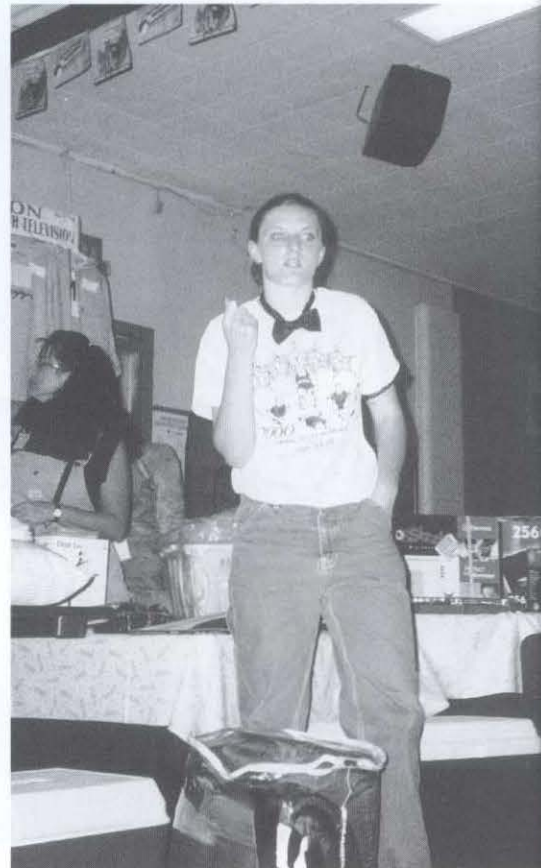
THIS YEAR WAS ALSO A LITTLE DIFFERENT FOR WINNING PRIZES. TO GET THE PRIZES YOU HAD TO BOWL FOR MONEY. FOR INSTANCE IF YOU GOT A GUTTER BALL IN THE FIRST GAME YOU RECEIVED \$3 IN PLAY MONEY, A SPARE WAS WORTH \$10 AND A STRIKE WAS WORTH \$20. IN THE SECOND GAME EVERYTHING WAS DOUBLED. WITH THIS MONEY YOU WENT TO THE PERSONS YOU GOT IT FROM AND THEY GAVE YOU A NUMBER FOR A PRIZE. AT THE END OF THE NIGHT WAS THE FINAL DRAWING FOR THE T.V.'S, PAUL SUNDERMAN WON THE 19 INCH COLOR T.V. AND ANDY MAUSBACH WON THE 13 INCH COLOR T.V.



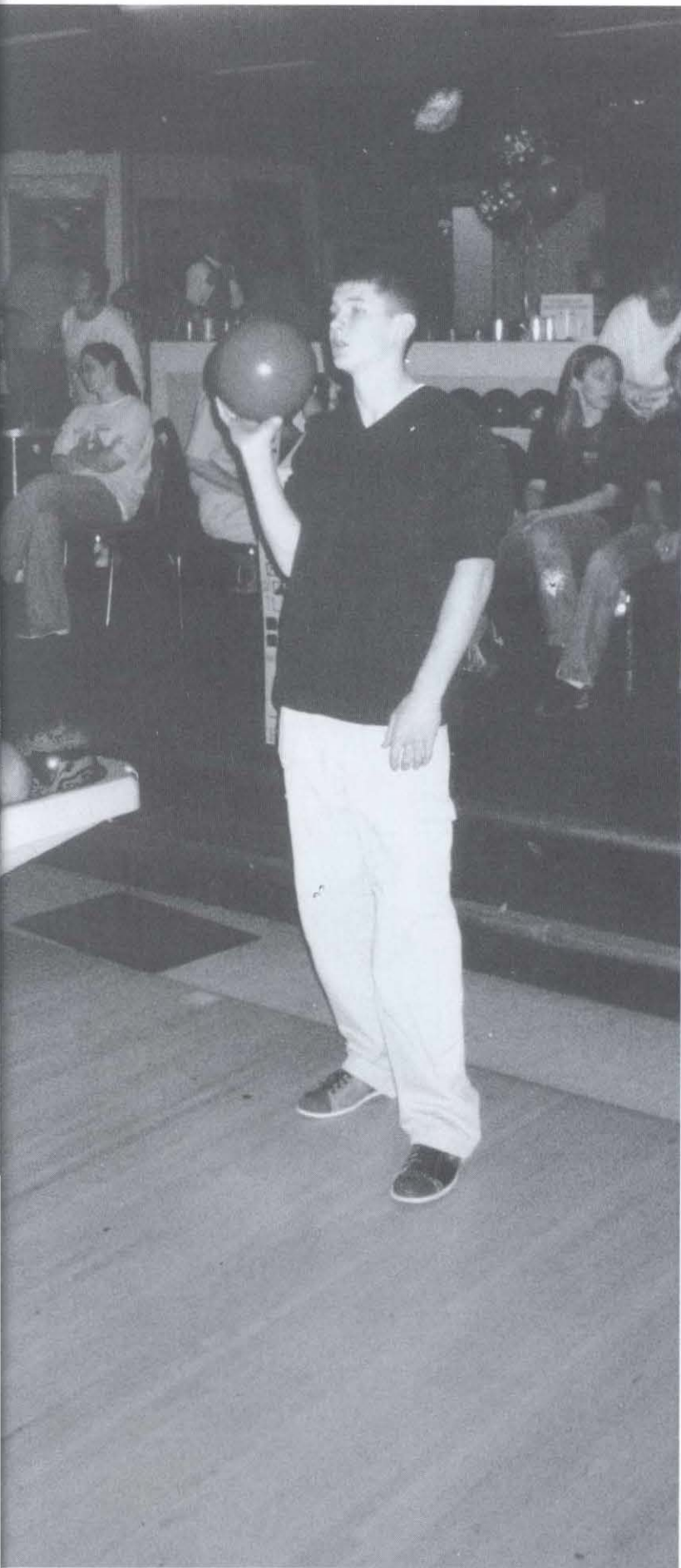
Above: Julie Veik stares in amazement at all of the neat and cool prizes at post prom.

Top right: Greg Johnson is having a hard time deciding which bath and body soap to pick out.

Right: Crystal Harper looks dazed and confused.







Above: Nick Langhorst stops bowling to think how he is going to get a strike and win the game while Crystl Dunn gets lined up to pick up the spare.

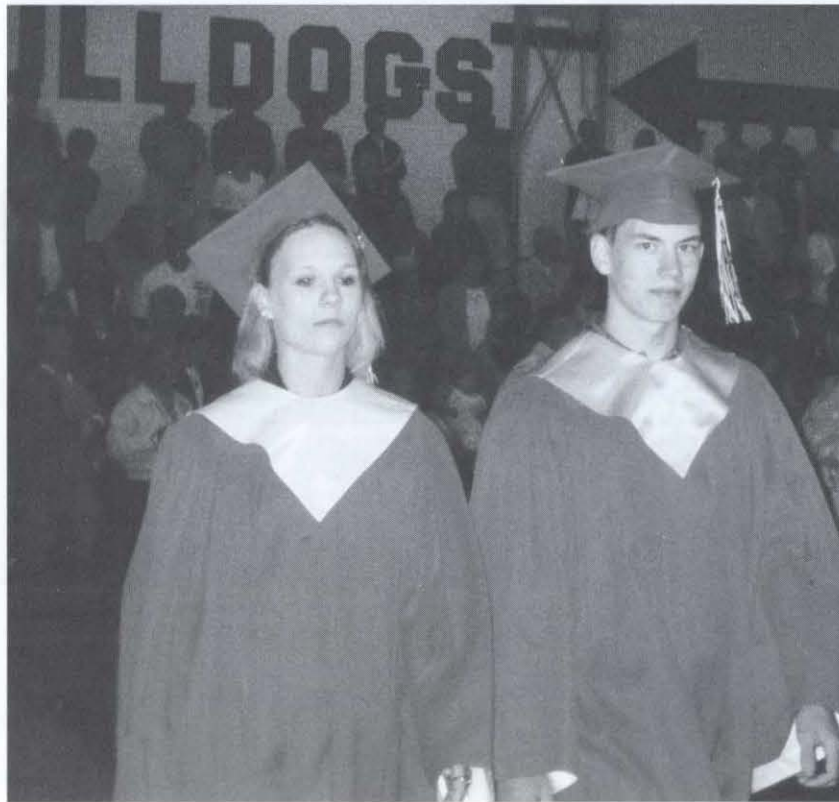
Top right: Andy Mausbach and Mr. Flamig look in amazement at the lanes to see who just got a strike.

Left: Jarrod Kucera is debating whether or not to bowl a little to the left or a little to the right.



Right: Alan's hard work pays off as Ms. Kelly announces scholarship winners.

Below: Guest speaker, Senator Jennie Robak, speaks to the graduates about the wonderful "journey" that awaits them after high school.



Above: Julie Veik and Derek Johnson confidently walk up to join their class for the graduation ceremony.

Right: Principal Flamig awards Paul Sunderman with his graduation medal.

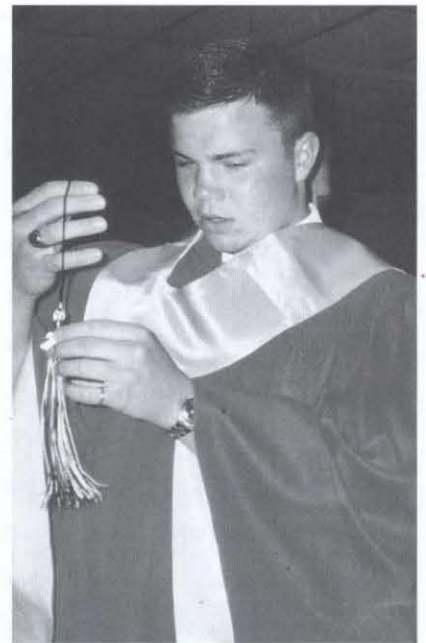




# Seeking New Pride



Graduating Class of 2000



# A NEW LOOK TOWARDS LIFE AFTER...

## Graduation

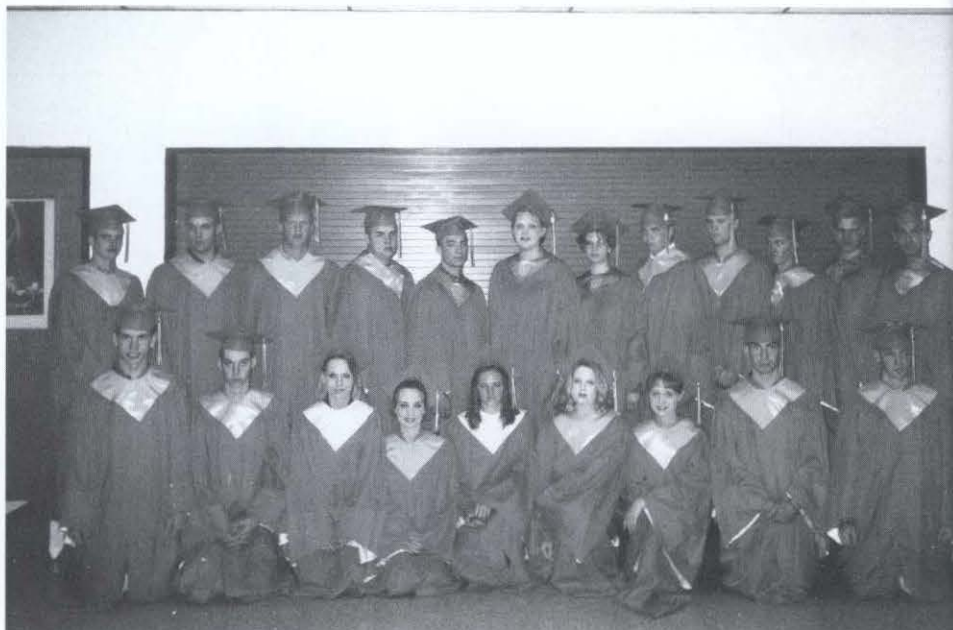
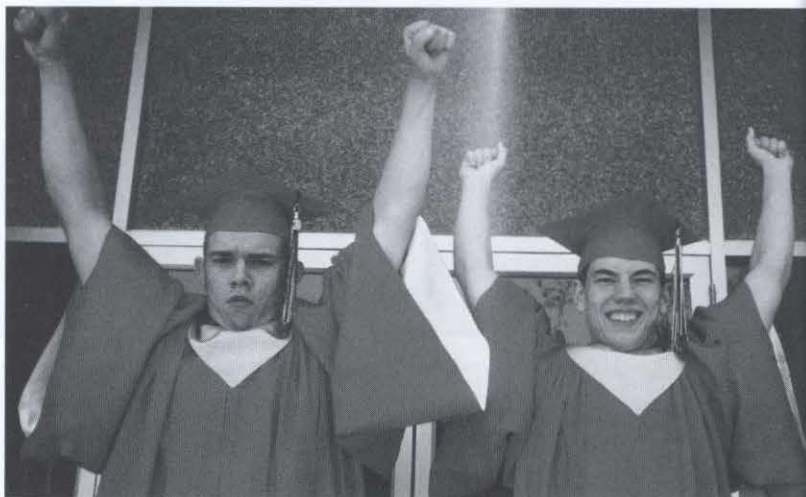
ON MAY 13, GRADUATION DAY BEGAN WITH THE TRADITIONAL MARCH TO "POMP AND CIRCUMSTANCE." BRANDIE VOSTEEN, SENIOR CLASS PRESIDENT WELCOMED EVERYONE TO THE CEREMONY, FOLLOWED BY TARA GRESIEN'S INVOCATION.



"IF YOU SEE A BEND IN THE ROAD, TAKE IT," WAS THE MESSAGE THAT THE GUEST SPEAKER, SENATOR JENNIE ROBAK GAVE TO THE GRADUATES. AFTERWARDS, SALUTATORIAN, JEFF WESSEL, GAVE A SPEECH IN WHICH HE COMPARED HIS CLASS TO THE OLD SCHOOL BUILDING THAT WAS TO BE TORN DOWN AND REBUILT. VALADICTIONIAN, PAULA THEILEN REMINDED HER PEERS OF MEMORIES OF THEIR YEARS TOGETHER AT HUMPHREY HIGH. THEN CAME THE SENIOR VIDEO COMPOSED BY BILL STREBLOW AND GREG JOHNSON.

NEXT MS. BARBARA KELLY ANNOUNCED EACH OF THE GRADUATE'S FUTURE PLANS AND SCHOLARSHIPS. MR. TOM CARLSTROM INTRODUCED THE CLASS AND PRESENTED MEDALS AND DIPLOMAS WITH MELVIN BRANDL AND RUSSELL FLAMIG.

Below: Derek Johnson and Bill Streblov keep with the tradition of bulldog pride as they show how proud they are to be graduating from Humphrey High.



Above: The graduating class of 2000: front row (l-r): Derek Johnson, Justin Wetjen, Julie Veik, Crystal Harper, Lacey Sliva, Brandie Vosteen, Greg Johnson, Kyle Heesacker. Back row (l-r): Paul Sunderman, Bill Streblov, Nathan Pheifer, Chuck Streblov, John Stock, Paula Theilen, Tara Greisen, Adam Korth, Mike Bruhn, Nick Langhorst, Jeff Wessel, Alan Wessel.





RECORDING BULLDOG PRIDE WITH THE...

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Below: Mike Bruhn, Crystl Dunn, Amy Widhalm, Derek Johnson, Greg Johnson, Curt Greisen, Josh Haynes, Bill Streblov



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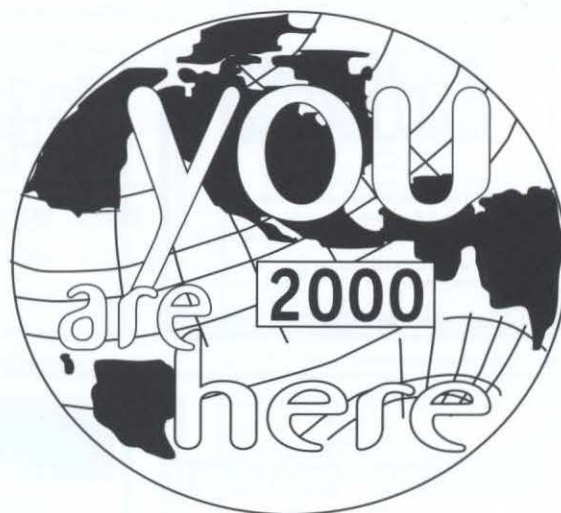
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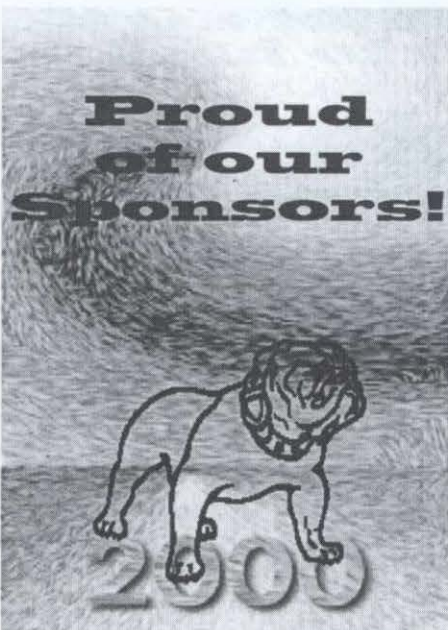
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# World News



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As part of Rome's continuing restoration, the city unveils a plan to create an 18,000-square-yard rambling space connecting the Imperial Forums with the Roman Forum.

In September, more than 300,000 Japanese are checked for radiation exposure after an inadvertent nuclear reaction at a uranium processing plant.



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In a violent October coup, gunmen storm the Armenian Parliament and assassinate Prime Minister Vazgen Sarkisian and six other top officials.

EgyptAir Flight 990 crashes into the Atlantic Ocean on October 31, killing all 217 people on board. Although suspicious actions of a pilot are under scrutiny by American and Egyptian officials, the cause of the crash remains a mystery.



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Nearly a million ethnic Albanians flee Yugoslavia and thousands are killed after Serbs begin a violent ethnic cleansing campaign in 1998. Seventy-eight days of NATO bombing bring the war to an end in June. An international tribunal later charges Yugoslav President Slobodan Milosevic with crimes against humanity.

On October 12, the world's official population hits 6 billion. The designated 6 billionth human is a baby boy born in Sarajevo.



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In an October coup, the Pakistani army dismisses elected Prime Minister Nawaz Sharif and his government after Sharif announces the removal of his powerful military chief, General Pervez Musharraf.



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## Flash

Britain's Prince Edward marries longtime girlfriend Sophie Rhys-Jones on June 19.

Cuban Elian Gonzalez, 6, becomes the center of a bitter citizenship debate after surviving a November boat wreck off the Florida coast in which his mother dies.



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In India, two trains collide head-on in August, killing 285 people and injuring more than 300. It is one of the worst train disasters in the country's history.

# 1999





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In June, Thabo Mbeki succeeds President Nelson Mandela, South Africa's first democratically elected president.



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Leonardo da Vinci's "The Last Supper" is unveiled in June after 21 years of restoration. The centimeter-by-centimeter rehabilitation cost \$7.7 million and involved electronic microscopes.



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In September, Russia begins a military campaign against Chechen nationalists to regain control of the breakaway republic. More than 200,000 people flee the region, but a fierce rebel resistance stays to fight for control of the capital, Grozny.

After almost nine years in power, Russian President Boris Yeltsin announces his resignation in January 2000. Yeltsin names Prime Minister Vladimir Putin acting president pending elections in March.



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In September and October, powerful earthquakes strike around the globe, killing 15,000 people in Turkey, 1,450 in Taiwan and at least 122 in Greece.



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Archaeologists excavate 105 mummies in a 2,000-year-old underground Egyptian tomb believed to contain a total of 10,000 mummies. The necropolis will shed new light on the Greco-Roman era and will allow scholars to chart demographic data and the incidence of disease.



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### Flash

A tropical depression producing heavy rain hits Mexico in November. The resulting floods kill more than 350 people and cause 100,000 to evacuate.

In August, the U.S. pays \$4.5 million to victims of NATO's accidental bombing of the Chinese embassy in Belgrade. Three Chinese are killed and 27 are wounded in the May 1999 bombing.



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On December 31, the U.S. returns control of the Panama Canal to Panama. Opened to the world in 1914, the canal is considered one of the greatest construction achievements in American history.

# 2000

In December, torrential rains cause Venezuela's worst natural disaster of the century. Mudslides and flash floods kill up to 30,000 people, while damage estimates run into the billions of dollars.



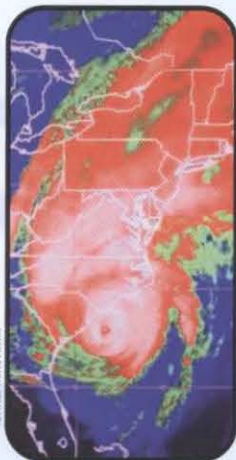
# National News



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In July, John F. Kennedy Jr., 38, his wife, Carolyn Bessette Kennedy, 33, and her sister, Lauren Bessette, 34, die in an airplane crash in the Atlantic Ocean near Martha's Vineyard. Kennedy, a relatively inexperienced pilot, is believed to have become disoriented in heavy fog.

Hurricane Floyd strikes the East Coast in September, killing 51 people and destroying over 4,000 homes. North Carolina is hardest hit with total damages estimated at a record \$6 billion.



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Cartoonist Charles M. Schulz retires in January 2000, bringing an end to PEANUTS, America's most popular comic strip for almost 50 years. Schulz dies in February, the night before his last strip runs in the national newspapers.

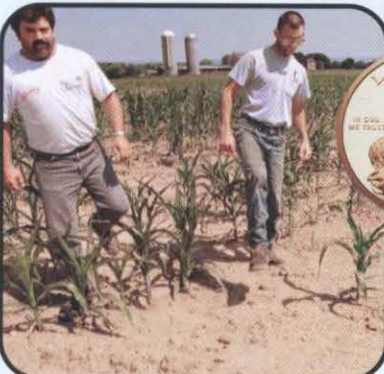


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As a way to boost tourism, Chicago displays 301 life-size, fiberglass cows decorated by local artists. The public art exhibit lasts all summer until the cows are auctioned for charity.



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The drought of 1999 causes severe damage to Northeastern and mid-Atlantic farms. Several states impose mandatory water use restrictions and emergency federal loans are made available in Maryland, Pennsylvania, Kentucky, Ohio, Virginia and West Virginia.

Lewis and Clark's Native American guide Sacagawea is featured on a new gold-colored dollar coin released into circulation in early 2000.



Beginning in 1999, the U.S. Mint releases specially designed state quarters, the first five representing Connecticut, Georgia, Delaware, Pennsylvania and New Jersey. By 2008, each state will have its own quarter.



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President Clinton announces the removal of the American bald eagle from the endangered species list. In 1999, there are over 5,800 breeding pairs, an increase from 417 in 1963.

## Flash

In August, a rare tornado strikes downtown Salt Lake City. Winds up to 112 miles per hour make it Utah's second-worst tornado in history.

In July, Air Force Colonel Eileen Collins, 42, becomes the first woman to command a U.S. space shuttle mission.

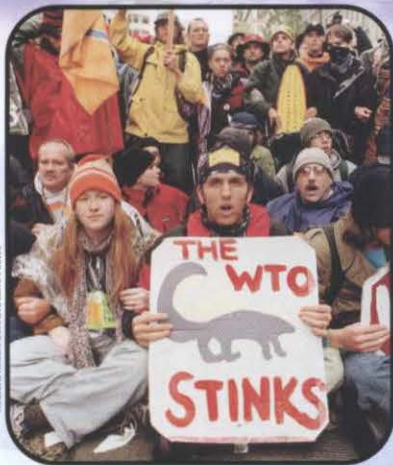


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# 1999

In November, a 60-foot log tower collapses at Texas A&M University, killing 12 students and injuring 27. The tower was to be burned at a traditional bonfire pep rally.





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In November, protesters at the World Trade Organization (WTO) summit in Seattle provoke a show of force by local, state and federal officers. Protesters blame the WTO for eroding human rights and labor and environmental standards.

On April 20, 1999, the nation mourns after two students go on a shooting rampage at Columbine High School in Colorado, wounding 23 and killing 15, including themselves. Schools across the country take extensive security measures to ensure the safety of students and staff.

In an effort to ease the burden on the traditional courts, most states now offer teen court for juvenile offenders. After determining guilt, a jury of teens along with a judge decides the sentence, typically community service and financial restitution.



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Ben Garrison, San Diego Zoo/Reuters/Archive Photos

In August, a female panda is born at the San Diego Zoo. Hua Mei, which can mean "China USA" or "Splendid Beauty," is the first panda born in the Western Hemisphere in nearly a decade.



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An epidemic of rampage shootings intensifies America's growing concern over gun control. Many state legislatures pass new gun-control measures despite nationwide controversy over restrictions vs. Second Amendment rights.



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Despite 30 years of official denial, in December a jury finds the assassination of Reverend Martin Luther King Jr. was the result of a conspiracy, not the act of a lone gunman.



1-800-4MY-TEEN

A bumper sticker invites drivers to call a toll-free number to report reckless driving. Officials hope the system will help parents stay informed about their teenagers' driving habits.

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In the first such admission by a cigarette manufacturer, Philip Morris publicly concedes tobacco is addictive and can cause serious diseases.

Hillary Clinton announces her candidacy for a U.S. Senate seat from New York. As law requires, Clinton establishes New York residency in suburban Chappaqua.



Reuters/Jeff Christensen/Archive Photos

In September, Microsoft Corp. Chairman Bill Gates and his wife Melinda announce the creation of the Gates Millennium Scholars Program. The Gateses will donate \$1 billion over the next 20 years to finance scholarships for minority college students.

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# Science News



AP/Wide World Photos

In August, NASA releases photos from the Chandra X-ray orbiting telescope of a hot cloud of gas from a star that exploded more than three centuries ago. The telescope took 23 years and \$1 billion to develop.



Courtesy of Dallas Semiconductor

The Java Ring contains a computer chip providing electronic access into buildings for students. Eventually the ring could be used as a library card, digital wallet, electronic ID and authentication for students' online homework.



Gulbransen/SP/Photo Researchers

In August, U.S. surgeons begin using computer-enhanced robotic technology for heart bypass surgery. Because the chest cavity is never opened, this technique reduces pain and shortens recovery time.

FEELit technology allows users to experience computer technology through their mouse. Users can "feel" buttons, text, the weight of a stuffed desktop folder and the groove of a scroll bar.

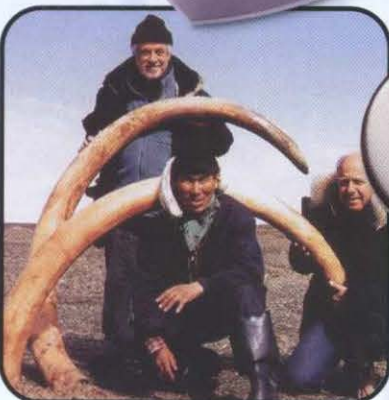


Immersion Corporation

Fifteen-year-old Amber Ramirez undergoes surgery in which half of her brain is removed to stop the spread of a rare neurological disease. Doctors hope the remaining portion of Ramirez's brain will compensate for the removed tissue.



Lincoln Journal Star



AP/Wide World Photos

The body of a 23,000-year-old woolly mammoth is discovered in October frozen in the Russian tundra. Study of the preserved fur, organs and soft tissue could unlock the mystery of why the species died out.



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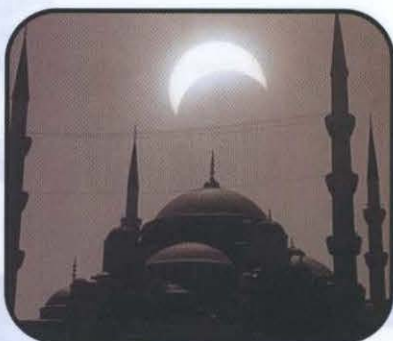
Cyberonics, Inc.

In an epilepsy treatment breakthrough, surgeons implant a "pacemaker" into the chest with a seizure-preventing nerve stimulator connected to the brain. The computer-controlled, battery-powered unit can last up to five years.

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Researchers announce in July the creation of a cancerous human cell by genetically altering a normal one. This significant breakthrough is an important step toward developing drugs that could potentially wipe out cancer.

In December, IBM announces a \$100 million research initiative to build a supercomputer 500 times more powerful than current models.

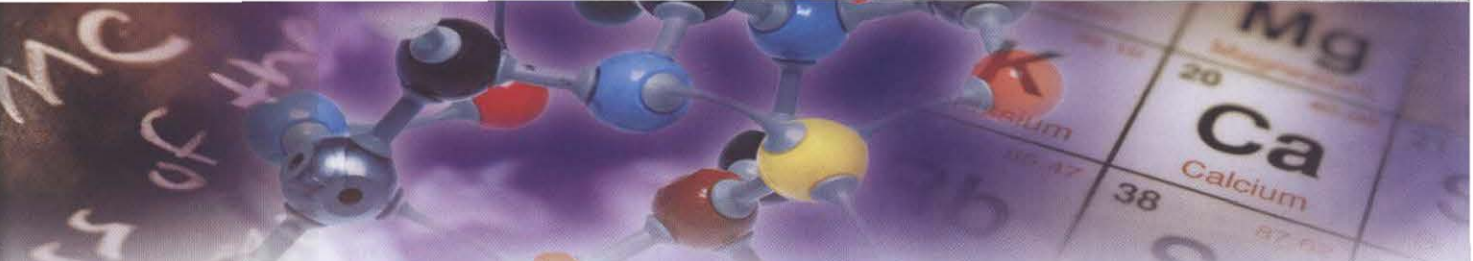


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On August 11, the last total solar eclipse of the millennium crosses the globe. Thousands of people from Canada to India experience daytime darkness during which the moon completely covers the sun.

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Parents, with help from their doctor, select the gender of their baby using a technique called MicroSort, which separates X-bearing (female-determining) and Y-bearing (male-determining) sperm. The success rate is about 92 percent for females and 69 percent for males.



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Researchers at Massachusetts General Hospital reveal in July that they have successfully regenerated the central nervous system of lab rats with severed spinal cords. Applications for human paralysis treatment are very encouraging.

The jawbones of two kangaroo-sized dinosaurs are discovered in Madagascar in October. Dated to the early Triassic period, 230 million years ago, the bones could be the oldest dinosaur fossils ever found.



Reuters/Scott Olson/Corbis Photos



A new board game, Infection, hits stores in July. Fun and educational, players race around the board catching diseases, described in detail, and trying to be cured.

In October, Sea Launch Company, a multi-national consortium, launches the first commercial satellite into space from a floating platform in the Pacific Ocean. Boeing is a major partner in the venture, along with companies in Russia, Ukraine and Norway.



Boeing Media

In October, biologists isolate one of the enzymes that sets Alzheimer's disease in motion. This scientific discovery will lead to new treatments and, possibly, a cure. Over 4 million Americans, including former President Ronald Reagan, are living with the disease.



Reuters/Mike Guertel/Active Photos



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Researchers report they have successfully altered the learning and memory behavior of mice by inserting a gene into their brains. This genetic-engineering breakthrough may be helpful in treating human learning disorders and Alzheimer's disease.

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In June, scientists announce the creation of two new elements. The nucleus of new, super-heavy element 118 decays into element 116 within a millisecond.

Scientists studying Albert Einstein's preserved brain report it has unique characteristics. The region governing mathematical ability and spatial reasoning is significantly larger than normal.



AP Wire World Photos

To mark the 30th anniversary of the first moon landing, astronaut Neil Armstrong's lunar footprint is featured on a 1999 postage stamp.

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# Lifestyle News



Cosmetic companies increasingly use entertainment celebrities instead of models for their advertisements. Sarah Michelle Gellar, Jennifer Love Hewitt, Jennifer Lopez and Shania Twain are among the celebs who appear in ads.

With the huge increase in cell phones, many cities enact laws restricting their use while driving. Restaurants and theaters are also requiring patrons to turn phones off as a courtesy to others.



The fashion accessory of 1999 goes by many names—power beads, mood beads and prayer beads. Many sellers claim the beads boost tranquility, energy, creativity and intelligence.



Ian Spanier

Airlines begin installing elaborate in-flight entertainment systems that allow passengers to watch movies, play computer games, listen to music, read headlines or browse the Internet.



Eric Sauter/Jason Agency

A continuation of the cargo pants trend, messenger bags with pockets galore hang at the hips of teens everywhere.



In August, a Levi Strauss & Co. megastore opens in San Francisco. The store features a hot tub where shoppers can soak in their jeans for the perfect fit and a computer-scanning system to help customers get the right size.



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In December, Honda introduces Insight, a car that combines a conventional gasoline engine with a small electric motor, decreases ozone and carbon dioxide emissions and gets 80 mpg.

Several companies offer "digital wallets" for teens who want to shop online but don't have credit cards. Parents deposit money into an online account; then teens can spend the money at designated Web sites.



AP/Wide World Photos

Apple Computer introduces its new iBook laptop in September. The super-slim, neon-colored units follow the highly successful launch of the translucent iMac desktop.

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A new line of scented candles called Aromapharmacy comes in amber glass containers and looks like prescription drug bottles with creative names such as Ritalert, Cramprin and Valiumello.



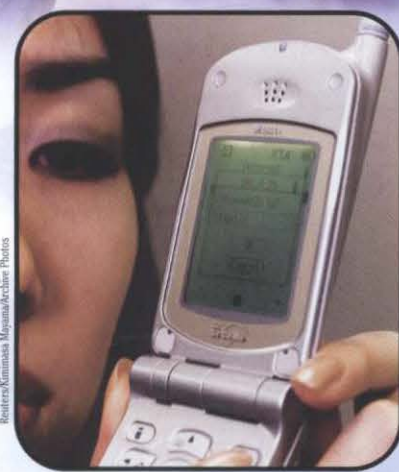
Courtesy Aromapharmacy



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Inline skaters can now power themselves along with the new Roller Cycle Personal Power Accelerator featuring a 1.5-hp-driven wheel. An optional spiked rubber tire for traction makes it also possible to use while cross-country skiing.



Reuters/Kummasa Mayama/Archive Photos

Wireless Web access becomes a reality in September when Sprint PCS announces the first nationwide wireless data service. Shortly thereafter, several other providers debut similar service for hand-held Web phones.



Globe Photos Inc./Andrew Ross

Shawls and wraps show up everywhere in the fashion world. Hollywood celebrities like Salma Hayek sport the fashion trend in all colors and fabrics.



Roller Cycle



A Gap TV advertisement for vests starts a trend across America that has teenagers wearing the fashionable sleeveless jackets.



Stretchy nylon jewelry that looks like skin tattoos is a big hit in 1999. The nylon bands are worn around necks, wrists, arms and ankles, and come in several colors.

AP/Wide World Photos/Don Margit



Kosmo Bradenton/POL, Inc.

Several rappers start their own clothing lines, making hip-hop wear big business. Popular artist labels include FUBU, Roc-A-Wear, Phat Farm, Wu Wear, Sean John and X-Large.



Courtesy Magellan Corporation

Magellan, a satellite navigation system for motorists, offers complete U.S. mapping data, voice and visual instructions in seven languages, turn-by-turn directions and a library of points of interest.

### Flash

Teenagers need an average of nine hours and 15 minutes of sleep a night, according to research at Brown University's Bradley Hospital. The study also shows a direct correlation between school grades and duration of sleep.

An influx of dot-com companies advertise on television. Ads during the Super Bowl sell for an average of \$2.2 million per 30-second commercial.



California Prune Board

A growing number of U.S. school cafeterias offer pruneburgers, a healthy low-fat combination of hamburger and prune puree. Other prune items in the works include hot dogs, pizza sauce, barbecue sauce and gingerbread cookies.

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# Entertainment News



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▲ *The Sixth Sense* with Bruce Willis and Haley Joel Osment is the No. 1 box office hit for five consecutive weekends in the summer.



◆ Video game fans snap up a record 15,000 copies of Sega's highly anticipated Dreamcast system in the first 24 hours after its launch in September.



Sega



Maria Meloni/ABC

◆ ABC's summer fill-in quiz show "Who Wants to Be a Millionaire," with host Regis Philbin, returns in November and is a huge hit with viewers. By January 2000, several major networks launch quiz shows of their own.

◆ After 19 nominations, Susan Lucci finally wins an Emmy Award for best actress in a daytime drama series for her role as Erica Kane on the ABC soap opera "All My Children."



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◆ *The Blair Witch Project*, the year's surprise movie hit, is the documentary-style footage of three students lost in the Maryland woods and threatened by the presumed Blair Witch. The film costs \$100,000 to make and grosses \$140 million.



Andrew Bracco/Corbis Outliner



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◆ Jennifer Love Hewitt leaves "Party of Five" to star in her own Fox television drama, "Time of Your Life." The show focuses on Hewitt's character trying to make it in New York while searching for her biological father.

## Flash

Tom Hanks and Tim Allen return as the voices of Woody and Buzz Lightyear in the animated feature *Toy Story 2*. The sequel breaks box-office records during its Thanksgiving release and wins a Golden Globe award.

In a botched stunt, WWF wrestler Owen Hart falls from the rafters at Kemper Arena and dies in front of 16,300 fans.



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◆ In June, Mike Myers' sequel *Austin Powers: The Spy Who Shagged Me* proves to be a bigger hit than the 1997 original. Dr. Evil's alter ego Mini-Me is extremely popular even though he has no lines.

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Konami Corporation of America, Inc.



◆ The new arcade game *Guitar Freaks* features two guitar controllers and a screen to help players follow along to popular songs.



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◆ In December, actor Jim Carrey portrays zany comedian Andy Kaufman in *Man on the Moon*. Carrey wins a Golden Globe award for his performance.

◆ *American Beauty*, starring Kevin Spacey, Annette Bening and Thora Birch, captures the Golden Globe Best Drama Award. The dark satire of suburbia and family dysfunction receives a total of six Golden Globe nominations.



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Dreamworks Television

◆ Set in 1980, the critically acclaimed NBC show "*Freaks and Geeks*" follows two groups of teens trying to make their way through high school.

◆ The long-awaited prequel *Star Wars: Episode I The Phantom Menace* hits theaters in May 1999, taking in a record-breaking \$28.5 million on its opening day and going on to gross more than \$420 million.



Six Flags Great Adventure

◆ Medusa, the world's first floorless roller coaster, opens in August at Six Flags Great Adventure in New Jersey. The 4,000-foot, toe-dangling ride has enough drops, loops, rolls and corkscrews to thrill every rider.



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Michael J. Fox announces in January 2000 he will leave the popular ABC sitcom "*Spin City*" at the end of the season to promote awareness of Parkinson's disease in hopes of finding a cure.

After 10 seasons, Fox cancels the hit show "*Beverly Hills, 90210*." The show followed characters through high school, college and careers.



The Berrett Collection

◆ *The Talented Mr. Ripley*, starring Matt Damon, Gwyneth Paltrow, Jude Law and Cate Blanchett, opens in December and earns popular and critical praise.

◆ In September, the New Roc City entertainment center opens in New York. The complex includes an amusement park ride on the roof, two skating rinks, 19 movie screens, restaurants, an arcade, a health club, a supermarket and a hotel.

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# Music News



Reuters/Steve Palank/Keckler Photos

Released in June, Santana's *Supernatural* shoots up the *Billboard* album chart, sells over 6 million copies, and earns 10 Grammy nominations.



Britney Spears' album *...Baby One More Time* is the second-best-selling album of 1999, earning Spears the *Billboard* Music Awards Female and New Artist of the Year Awards.



AP/Wide World Photos



Computer games feature big music stars on their soundtracks. Sheryl Crow contributes her talent to the *Tomorrow Never Dies* soundtrack, Metallica to *Hot Wheels Turbo Racing* and Naughty by Nature to *NBA Live 2000*.

U.S. sales of music by Latin artists shoot up 48 percent in the first quarter of 1999 thanks to artists such as Ricky Martin, Jennifer Lopez, Enrique Iglesias and Marc Anthony.



Superstar Mariah Carey releases *Rainbow* in November and begins a world tour in February 2000. Carey is named *Billboard* Music Awards Artist of the Decade and is awarded the distinguished American Music Award of Achievement.



AP/Wide World Photos/Laura Rauch



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Limp Bizkit leads the way in the resurgence of rock music, along with Kid Rock and Korn. In September, MTV showcases the trend by airing "1999: Return of the Rock," which examines the history and future of rock music.



*Saturday Night Live: The Musical Performances Volumes 1 and 2* are released in September. The CDs feature 30 of the 600 musical acts that have appeared on SNL over the past 25 years.

## Flash

Sheryl Crow, Eric Clapton and the Dixie Chicks are a few musicians who rock Central Park in a first-ever trimulcast concert seen and heard on the radio, television and Internet.

More than 1 million viewers tune in each weekday to vote on their favorite videos on MTV's "Total Request Live" with host Carson Daly and popular musical guests.

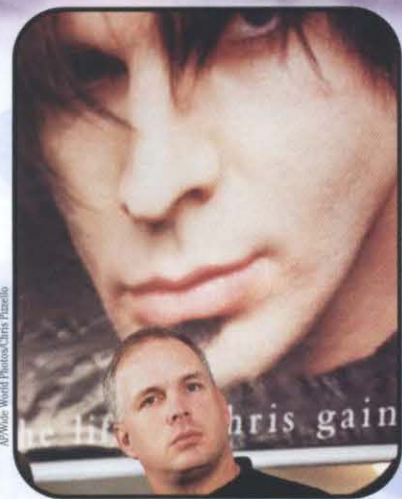


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Backstreet Boys' *Millennium* wins the *Billboard* Music Awards Album of the Year and becomes the best-selling album of the year with over 10 million copies sold.

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AP/Wide World Photos/Chris Pizzello

In a strange twist, Garth Brooks releases the album *The Life of Chris Gaines* in which he pretends to be a fictional rock star. Gaines will be the main character in a movie called *The Lamb*, currently in development.



Like Rose/Quibler Photos

Lou Bega's rhythmic "Mambo No. 5" hits the Top 40 in August after selling 2 million copies overseas and topping the chart in 15 countries.



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"NetAid," a concert dedicated to relieve hunger and poverty, airs live in October on MTV, VH1, the BBC, as well as radio stations in 120 nations, making it the widest-heard musical performance in history.



MP3, technology that compresses sound into a very small file, becomes a popular alternative to the CD. MP3 files are downloaded from the Internet onto computers or portable player units, making it possible to take a personal music selection anywhere.



AP/Wide World Photos

Shania Twain becomes the first woman since 1986 to win the Country Music Association's Entertainer of the Year Award at the 33rd annual awards show.



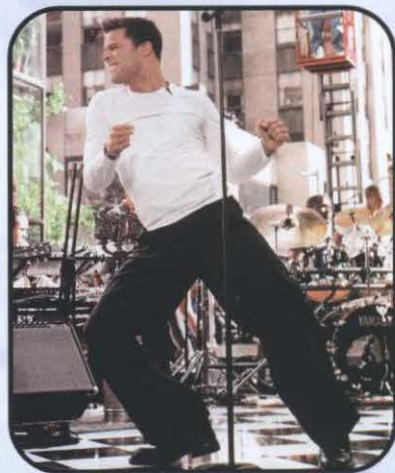
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VH1's "Concert of the Century" spotlights the importance of music education in schools. The all-star show includes Lenny Kravitz, Sheryl Crow, Eric Clapton and B.B. King, as well as high-profile actors.

## Flash

After a successful New Year's Eve reunion performance, the Judds begin their first tour in almost 10 years in February 2000. Since they disbanded in 1991, Naomi has recovered from Hepatitis C.

Best New Artist Grammy nominee Christina Aguilera gives an exciting performance during the Super Bowl XXXIV halftime show.



AP/Wide World Photos

Ricky Martin takes the music industry by storm after his show-stopping performance at the 1999 Grammy Awards show. Martin's first chart-topping single, "Livin' la Vida Loca," helps him win the *Billboard* Music Award for Male Artist of the Year.



Fiona Apple releases her long-awaited second album to rave reviews in November and begins a tour in February 2000. The album features a 90-word title, which is commonly shortened to *When the Pawn*.

# 2000



# Sports News



AP/Wide World Photos/Jeff Zesewsky

David Cone of the New York Yankees pitches a perfect game against the Montreal Expos in July. Cone's feat is the 14th perfect game in modern baseball history.

Golf champion Payne Stewart is killed in a bizarre airplane accident in October. After the airplane's takeoff from Florida, an apparent loss of cabin pressure incapacitates everyone aboard. The aircraft flies on autopilot for four hours until it runs out of fuel and crashes in South Dakota.



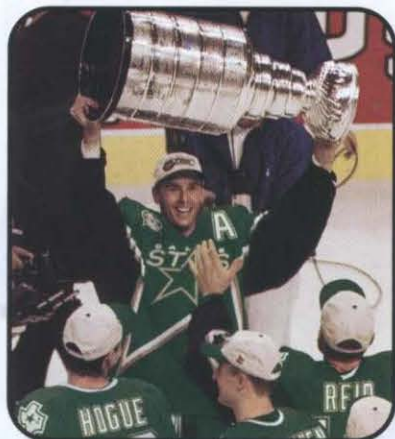
Rusty Jarrett/Allsport

Lance Armstrong wins the 1999 Tour de France in July. Armstrong, who survived a three-year battle with testicular cancer, becomes the second American to win the event.

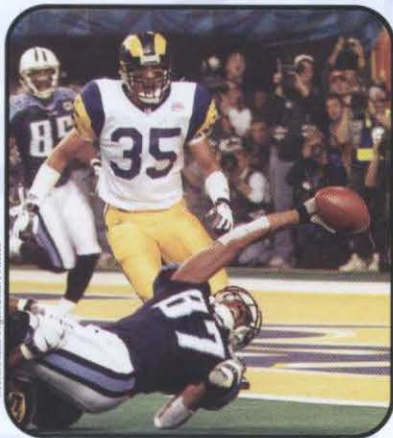


William Stevens/Liaison Agency

The Dallas Stars beat the Buffalo Sabres 2-1 in triple overtime to win the 1999 Stanley Cup championship, four games to two.



AP/Wide World Photos



Reuters/Mike Segura/Retna Photos

The St. Louis Rams stop the Tennessee Titans at the 1-yard line on a final play to save their 23-16 Super Bowl XXXIV victory.



AP/Wide World Photos

In September, tennis phenom Serena Williams, 17, overpowers Martina Hingis to win the 1999 U.S. Open title.



AP/Wide World Photos

The Houston Comets earn their third straight WNBA championship in September, beating the New York Liberty 59-47 to win in three straight games.

## Flash

Both Detroit Lions running back Barry Sanders and German tennis star Steffi Graf announce their retirement in 1999.

On February 7, 2000, Tiger Woods wins his sixth consecutive PGA Tour event, tying Ben Hogan's 1948 winning record.



AP/Wide World Photos/Ferry Rema

Dale Jarrett wins the 1999 NASCAR Winston Cup championship after a four-victory season.

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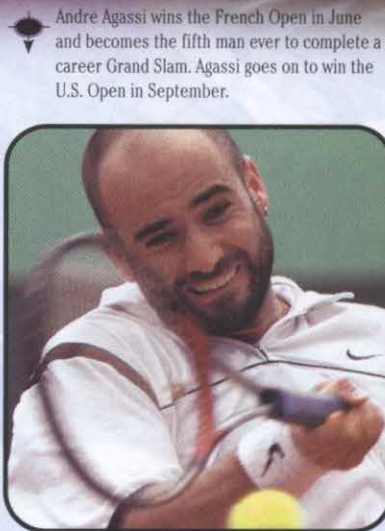
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In July, the U.S. women's soccer team wins the 1999 World Cup by beating China 5-4 in penalty kicks following a 0-0 tie. More than 90,000 fans attend at the Rose Bowl and another 40 million watch on television.



AP/Wide World Photos

Travis Pastrana, 15, wins the gold medal in the X Games' inaugural Moto X freestyle motocross event. The fifth year of this ESPN-sponsored competition is held in San Francisco in June and July.



AP/Wide World Photos

Andre Agassi wins the French Open in June and becomes the fifth man ever to complete a career Grand Slam. Agassi goes on to win the U.S. Open in September.

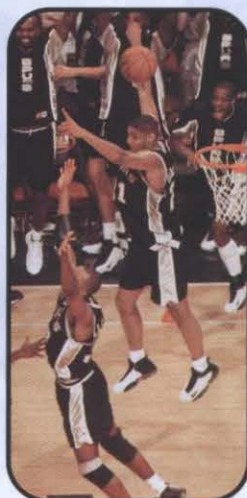


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The New York Yankees win the 1999 World Series in a four-game sweep against the Atlanta Braves.



AP/Wide World Photos



In June, the San Antonio Spurs win their first NBA championship by defeating the New York Knicks four games to one.

AP/Wide World Photos

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In July, many major league baseball umpires announce their resignation as a labor protest. The strategy backfires when owners accept the resignations and in September, 22 umpires lose their jobs.

In January 2000, Michael Jordan returns to pro basketball as part owner and President for Basketball Operations of the NBA's Washington Wizards.



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The U.S. team beats the European team to win golf's Ryder Cup at Brookline, Massachusetts, in September. The American's stirring comeback is marred by unruly galleries and a premature victory celebration.



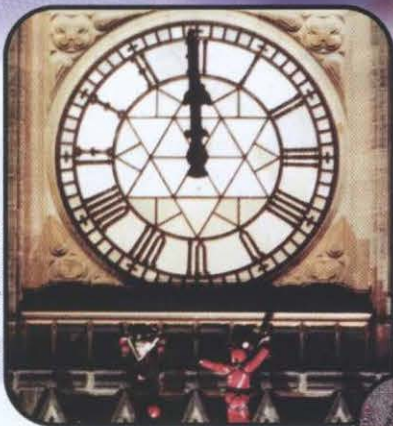
Twenty-year professional hockey veteran Wayne Gretzky announces his retirement in April 1999 after setting or tying 61 records. Two months later, "The Great One" is inducted into the Hockey Hall of Fame.

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# Millennium

⬅ Clock Tower  
Ottawa, Canada



Reuters/Jim Young/Archive Photos

⬅ Pyramids  
Cairo, Egypt



Reuters/Julianne Corbis Sygna

⬅ Times Square  
New York City,  
New York



Alan Tanenbaum/Corbis Sygna

As time zones welcome the new millennium on January 1, the world celebrates with grandeur, pageantry and spectacular fireworks. President Clinton gives a hopeful speech in the minutes before midnight at the Washington Monument, and 2 million people gather in Times Square to watch the specially built 1,000-pound Waterford crystal ball drop at midnight.

Reuters/Anthony Bolante/Archive Photos



⬅ Space Needle  
Seattle, Washington

⬅ The Eiffel Tower  
Paris, France



Chip Hiron/Lebanon Agency

## Flash

The public and private sectors spend hundreds of millions of dollars to ward off the Y2K bug. The world lets out a sigh of relief after midnight strikes and no major computer malfunctions occur.

The FBI warns of possible terrorist acts on New Year's Eve and stays on national alert throughout the celebration. After the arrest of one man with bomb-making materials, Seattle decides to cancel its Space Needle celebration.

Steve Lass/Corbis Sygna



⬅ Fearing the collapse of the world's banks, utilities and transportation systems, thousands of people stock up on food, water, money, ammunition and generators. After midnight, it soon becomes apparent that the preparations were unnecessary.



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⬅ A surprising number of people, appalled by the exorbitant costs of travel and events, decide to stay home on New Year's Eve. Many companies and performers drastically slash prices as a last-minute lure.

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