

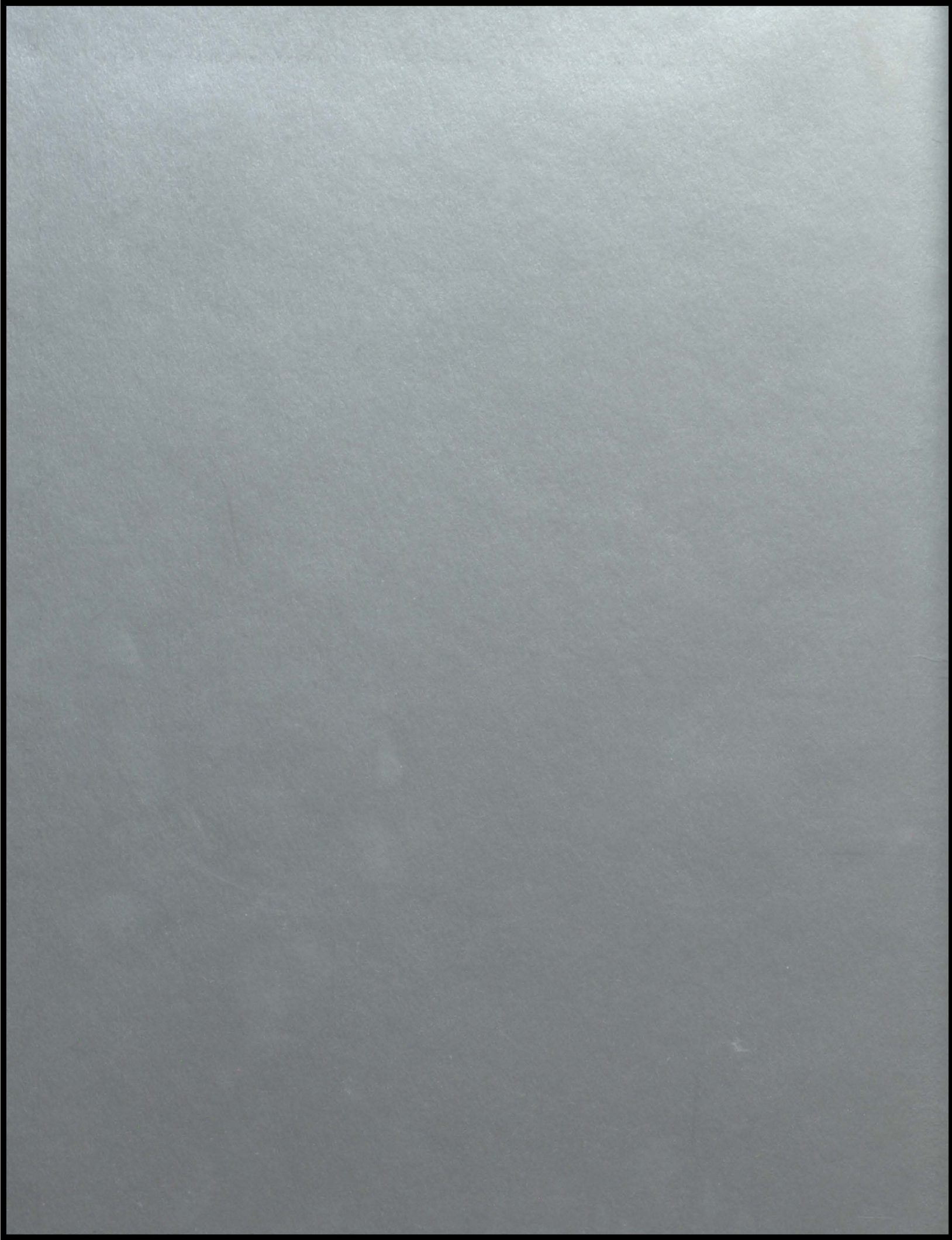
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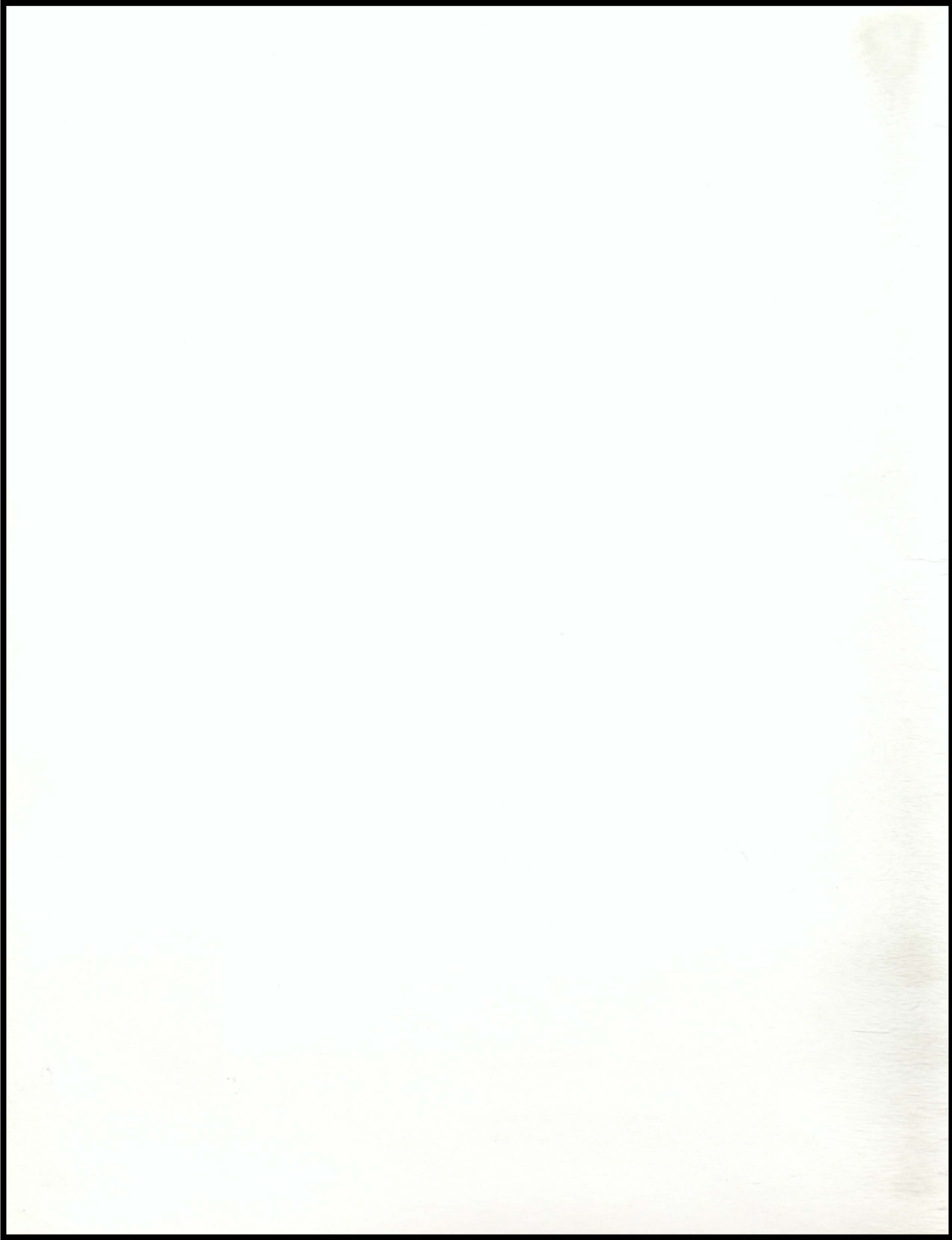
















#### **ALL PUMPED UP**

Ready to go, the sophomore section in the gym shows it has school spirit. With the first pep assembly of the 2000-01 school year, the gym rumbled with excitement from all the students who were impatiently waiting for the kick off of the first home football game against Basehor-Linwood Bobcats.

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# THE YEAR IN REVIEW

Another year has come and gone with the release of the senior Class of 2001 into the "real world." Now, it's time for a new group of freshmen to enter the high school and learn how to "Be Brave."

Take a few minutes to look back on the past school year and reminisce with your friends about precious memories.

Dig through your closet and get out all the awards you received. Do you see your letter jacket yet? Pull it out and maybe you'll find a program from the State cross-country, wrestling or track meets, or a souvenir from the band and choir trip to Chicago, or perhaps a ticket stub from the movie, "Meet the Parents."

While strolling down "Memory Lane" try to remember the lines that you faithfully practiced for the school musical, "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying" or the spring play, "That Was No Lady, That Was a Private

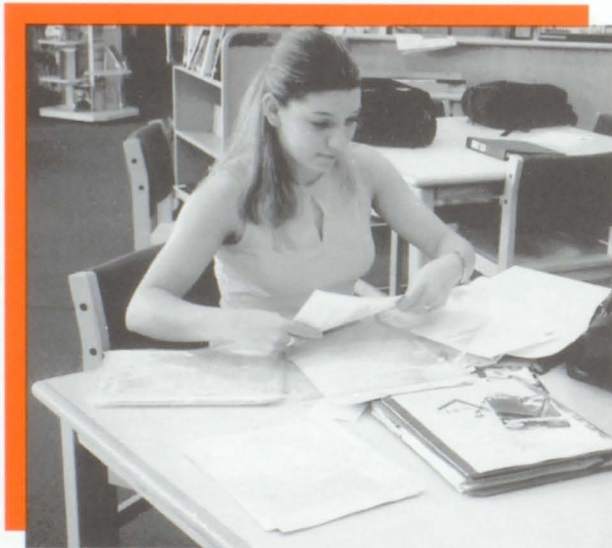
Detective." Keep digging further until you find your senior project notebook. A feeling of relief sweeps over you as you realize that you accomplished a huge feat—the senior project.

A little deeper and you pull out an envelope that contains your prom invitation, "A Time to Remember." Just as you pull it out of the envelope that song comes on, you know, the song you danced to with that special someone.

Finally, you reach in and grab graduation day memorabilia, and you remember your name or a friend's name being announced to receive diplomas. Think about all the friends, family, and teachers present to help celebrate this special day for the Class of 2001.

Remember these awesome memories and never let them fade. After all, high school is supposed to be some of the best years of your life.

—Amanda Craig  
Sarah Rowland



### CRUNCH TIME

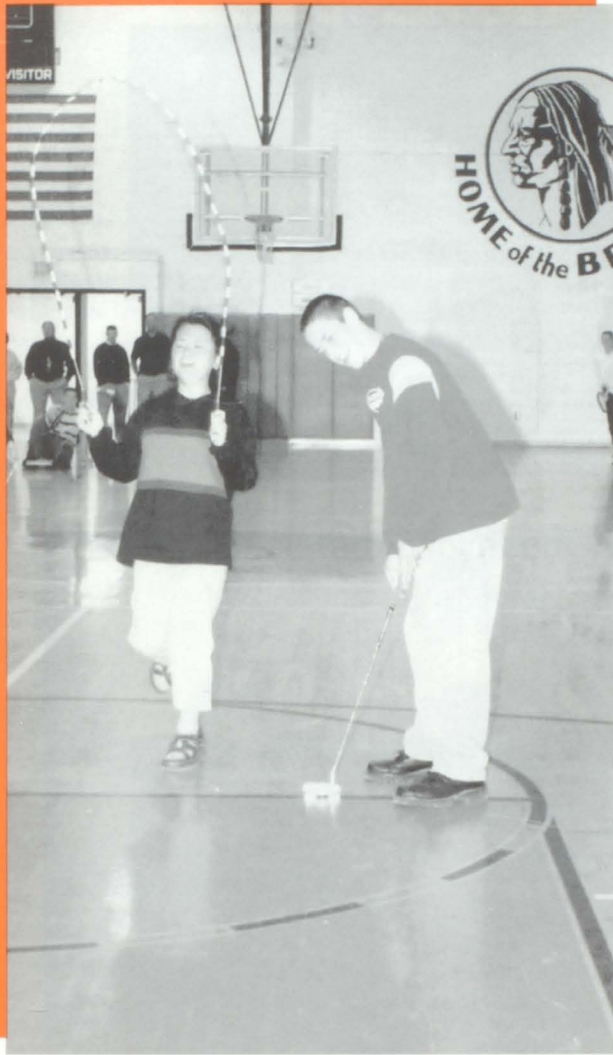
Trying to get everything to look just right, senior Vanessa Spartan puts some last minute touches on her senior project portfolio. Whether it was sprucing up the portfolio with graphics or just throwing it together all at once, most seniors were glad when this final step was completed.

### PEDAL FASTER

Freshmen Daniel McDonald, Patrick Roark and Becky Barentine try to complete their math project in Mrs. Ann Decker's class. The students were working on gear ratios and the relationship it had to linear equations. They used the bicycle to have more of a hands-on experience.





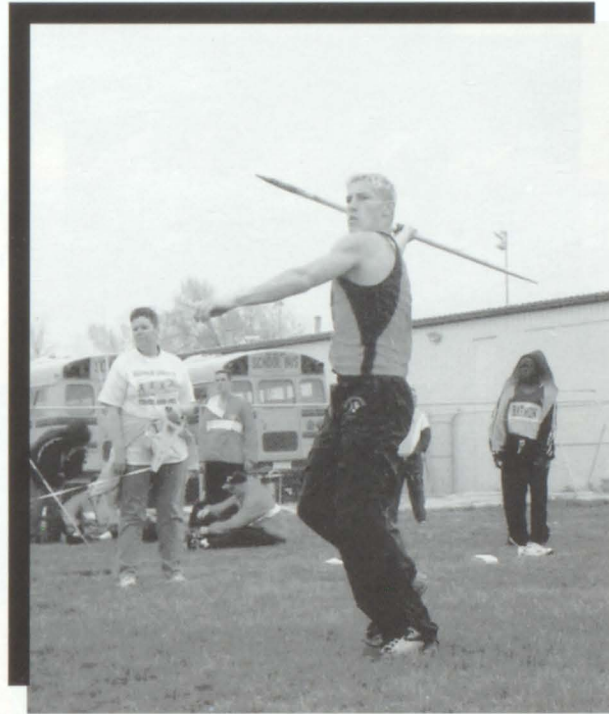


### FRIENDLY COMPETITION

Sophomores Ai Yamazaki and Jeremy Krug participate in the fun and games at the spring pep assembly. Yamazaki was a representative for the track team and Krug participated for the golf team.

### FOCUSING ON THE TARGET

Sophomore Steven Lutjen gets ready to throw the javelin at the Bonner Springs Invitational. Although Lutjen didn't qualify for State in the javelin throw, he did qualify in the 800 meter run, 4 x 800 and the 4 x 400 relays.



### A CHANGED MAN

Bud Frump (T.J. McGinnis), butters up his fellow workers Mr. Twimble (Travis Slankard) and office worker (Alex Alexander), to get the big promotion in the fall musical, "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying." Frump tells them that he is a new man, and that he will work harder just to make the company a better place to work.

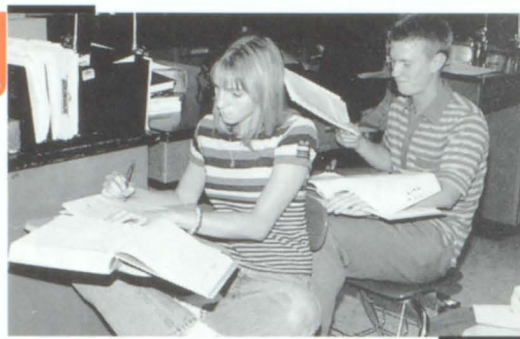
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# ARE YOU SCHOLARLY ENOUGH?



## SURVIVAL 101

As part of Mrs. Kristin Byers skills for success class, students participate in a team building activity at Adventure Woods in Overland Park. The park was full of different obstacles they had to complete as a team; otherwise, the task would not be considered finished.

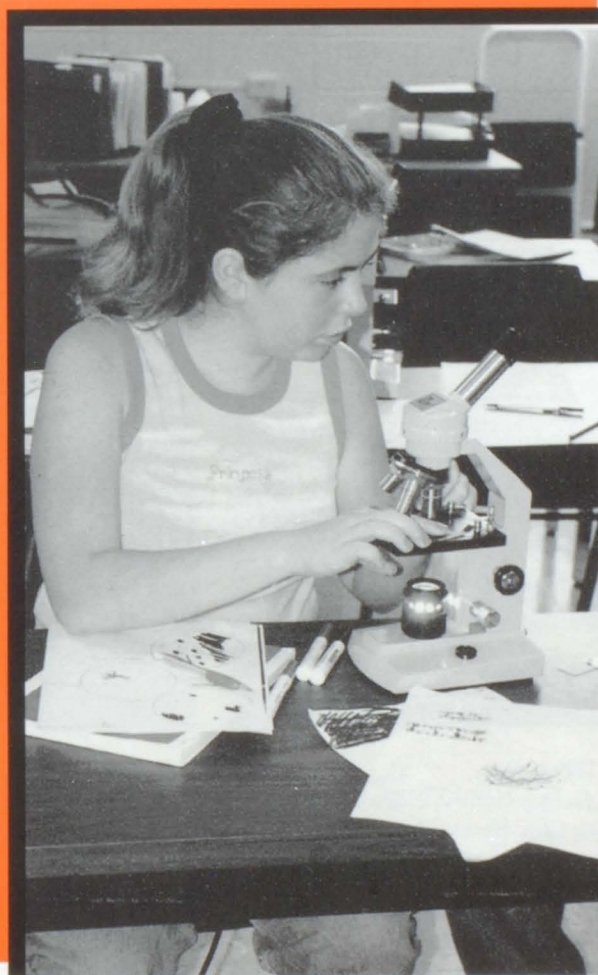


## EL RESTAURANTE

Demonstrating that they learned a lot in their Spanish II class, sophomore Nicki McGinnis and juniors Vincent Lewis and Cassie Robinson discuss the menu. For their first semester final, Spanish students set up a restaurant in the commons and some students played the parts of guests and others played the parts of waiters or waitresses.

## LOOK CLOSE

Sophomore Crystal Bjorgaard checks out the floating particles in her microscope and then sketches what she sees. Students in Ms. Cindy Hayes' ABC II science classes did this project to see how organisms work together.



We studied all hours of the day;  
We prepared for our tests.  
We readied ourselves for the obstacles, and  
We faced down our assignments.  
We were **BRAVE** in our academics.

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# New Leaders Make a Difference

One Student at a Time

"Busy, busy, busy!"

This was the word that described the life of Mr. Garold Baker, new Athletic Director and Head Girls Basketball Coach. Mr. Baker felt that being Athletic Director had a lot of the same rewards as that of a teacher.

"The biggest reward was mostly the good feeling I got when I saw coaches and teams succeed. It also felt good knowing that I'd done everything I could to make them happy," Baker said.

Another new addition to the administration was Mr. Jim Soper, who replaced Mr. Pete McDonald as Vice Principal.

"My biggest accomplishment this year was moving Saturday schools to Mondays and Fridays. I think that it really helped because students went straight to detentions from school, so they had no

excuse to not be there. This also decreased discipline problems that we have faced in the past," Soper said.

Mr. Soper also felt that as a teacher he could only touch around 125 lives, but as a vice principal he touched over 700 lives each day.

Veteran administrator, Ms. Shirley Vaughn also noticed how well her new colleague adjusted to his new responsibilities.

"Mr. Soper did an outstanding job in his first year. He really stepped in and made a difference—a lot due in part to his experience in the armed forces," Vaughn said.

All in all, Baker and Soper had a rewarding and successful first year as new administrators.

—Sarah Rowland



## Board of Education Members

Front Row: Sandy Polley, Connie Hadley, Mary Ann Leuszler.  
Back Row: Gregg Gibson, Cliff Brents, Lewis Wood, Nick Perica. The board members met the second and fourth Monday of every month.

## New and in Charge

Vice principals Mr. Jim Soper and Ms. Shirley Vaughn, and Athletic Director Mr. Garold Baker. Mr. Soper was in charge of all freshmen and juniors, Ms. Vaughn oversaw all sophomore and senior activities, while Mr. Baker coordinated all sporting events.

## Office Staff

Bookkeeper Mrs. DiAnne Berning, secretary Mrs. Linda Kasselman, school nurse Mrs. Betty Wise, and attendance secretary Mrs. Joyce Cunningham. From answering telephones to checking temperatures and answering student questions, these ladies did many things to help keep BSMS running smoothly.







*Sharing His Experiences*

A Lieutenant Colonel in the Special Forces for the United States Army, Vice Principal Jim Soper addresses the student body at the Veteran's Day assembly which he and Ms. Vaughn coordinated. Soper spoke about one's duty to country, honoring those who had served and fallen, and also about the freedom gained from those who served. A twenty-seven year veteran, Soper closed his speech by encouraging the student body to remember to say, "Thanks!" to a veteran on this special day.



*Taking a Break*

Principal Dr. Jerry Abbott takes a moment out of his busy day to smile for the camera. Abbott spent most of his time preparing for the remodeling of the school.



*Kitchen Staff*

Florance Spencer, Tina Trafton, Elizabeth Dragush, Sabrina Provence, Kathy Harding, Carla Cline, Linda Reed, Mayzell Hickmon, Jenny Hale. The kitchen staff prepared breakfast and lunch daily.



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 Mary Armstrong  
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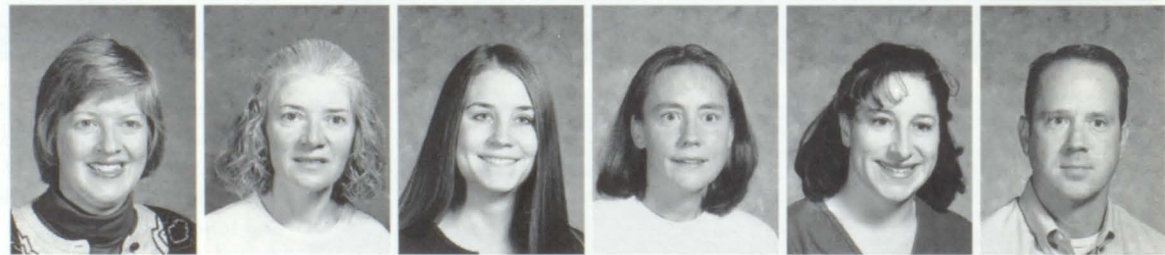
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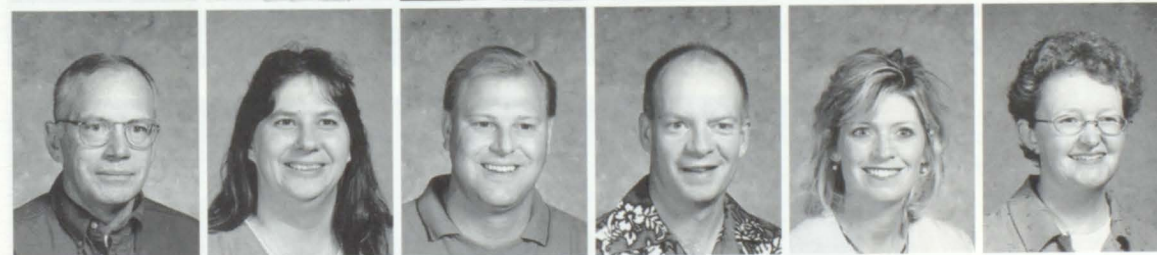
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Brandon Williams  
Betty Wise  
Chris Wood  
Nancy Yankovich





## *Broadening Horizons*

with Cisco's new business program

Because of a \$20,000 grant awarded, a new computer class called Cisco was started by Mr. Ken Clark and Mr. Andy Price in the business department. This course allowed students to enroll in a four semester program in which students earn certification as a Cisco Certified Network Associate.

"I think it's a big benefit that kids can go right from high school and have good job opportunities," Price said.

In preparation for teaching the course, Price and Clark attended a week long training session which provided them with the necessary curriculum to be covered in the class.

"The difficulty was what we learned in a week we had to stretch into a semester for the kids," Clark said.

Besides being crammed for learning time, Price and Clark both felt the program was successful in its first year.

Another link to the "real world" was found in Mrs. Deena Burns accounting II class. For the past two years, Mrs. Burns and her students offered faculty and the student body free tax service. The students were given five points for each client's taxes that were completed.

"It's a very important area in the accounting field that we like to cover," Mrs. Burns said.

Having these opportunities in high school prepared students for the real world expectations.

— *Becky Heckert*

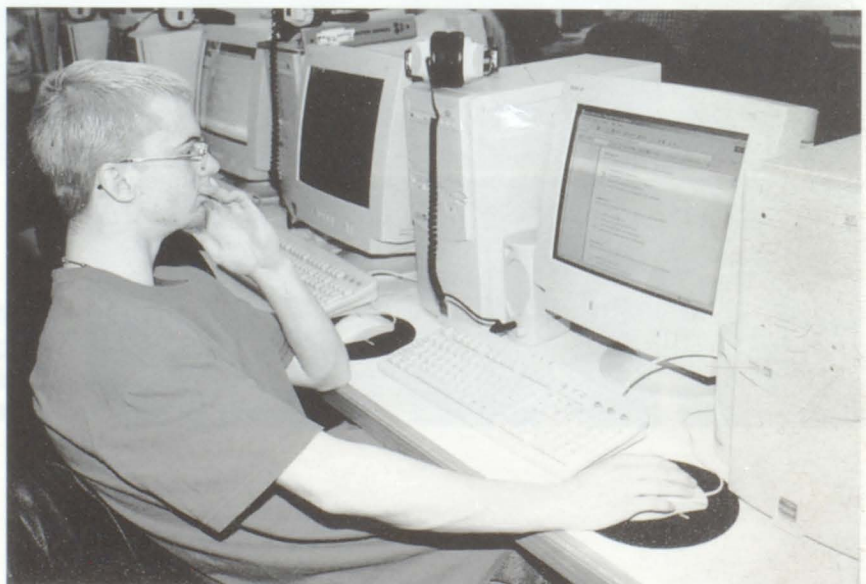


### *Where Does This Go?*

Junior Daniel Keeton strains his brain to troubleshoot the network in the Cisco academy lab. Keeton was one of twelve students enrolled in this school to career class.

### *Haunt!*

Junior Kevin Kroh spent his extra time in the Cisco lab finishing up on work from the day before. "The class took a lot of my extra time, but it was a lot easier than I had expected," Kroh said.







## *Changing Perspectives*

math opens new doors to technology

Who would have ever thought that there would have been technology in the math rooms? Some of the teachers took advantage of the various opportunities available through the Internet in classrooms.

Like it or not, technology is here and is rising in popularity in the real world .

"It's one of those 'get out of the way or get ran over' kind of situations," Mrs. Ann Decker said. "My students shine in activities that connect technology to their learning," she added.

In the past, students avoided taking math courses because they found it hard to relate the material to their own lives. However, because of technology students are more able to make real life connections.

"Getting students more into math has always been something hard to do. But class was much more interesting because the students had power in their own hands," Decker said.

Having the Internet in the classroom allowed teachers to give tests, quizzes and even finals on the computer. Students could also get their homework off of websites set up by individual classes.

"It was a good idea because it gave us a feel for computers and how many different ways math can be used," freshman Billy Gardner said.

The advantages were that students could go into the real world with the knowledge of how mathematics is applied to every day situations.

—Becky Heckert



### *Just Solve for "X"*

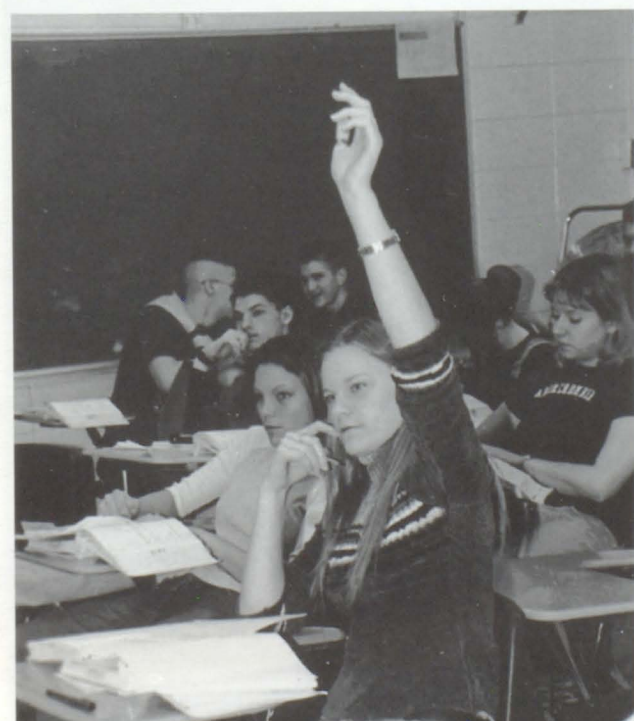
Mrs. Ann Decker helps freshman Corie Crouch with quadratic equations in her third hour algebra I class. Quadratic equations were just one of the many units Decker touched on during the school year.

### *Cross-Curriculum Activity*

Junior Chris Cobbins, freshman Matthew Middleton and sophomore Aaron Weathers work together in building a marshmallow tower. Mrs. Kristin Byers's skills for success and Miss. Anne Seiler's algebra I classes collaborated for this unique building project.

### *I Don't Understand*

Sophomore Sarah Benton raises her hand to ask Mr. Bob Caldwell a question while her classmates Shannon Davidson and Lindsey Stanbrough take notes. Benton was asking about radicals, which are square roots, in her Algebra II class.





## *Trial and Error*

students learn from hands-on experience

Throughout the year the students in science classes worked together to complete many different activities. In chemistry, one of the labs was to combine different chemicals to make different fragrances.

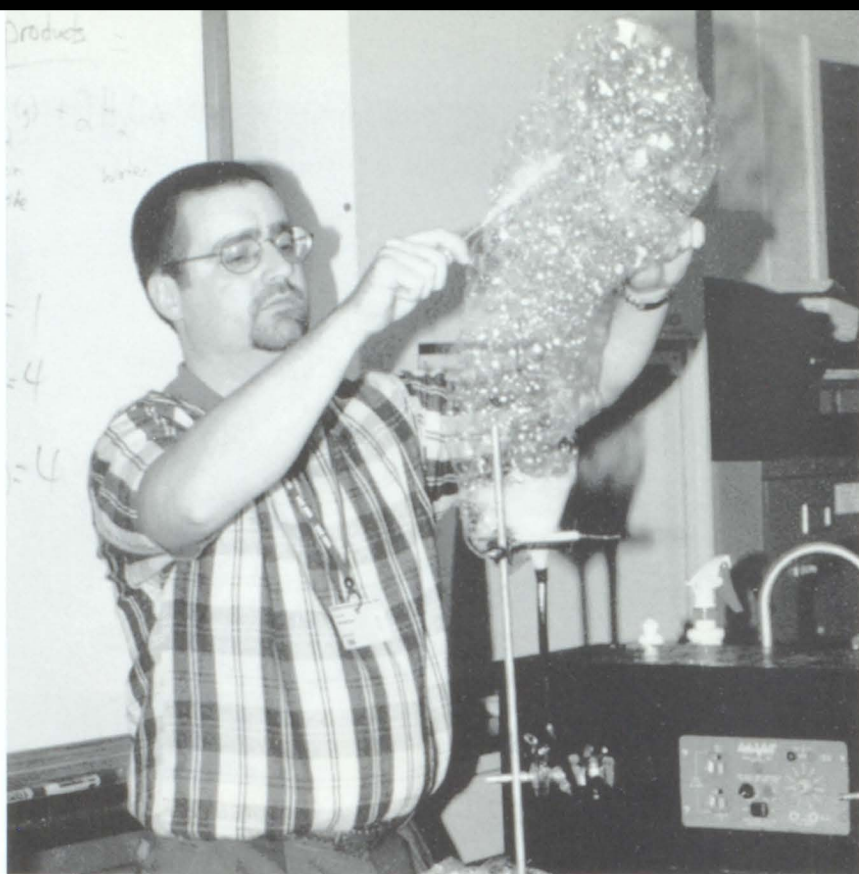
"I had fun doing it and I learned a lot, but the smell got to me after awhile," sophomore Amy Marcel said.

Chemistry is not the only class that students had to work together to reach a common goal. In the physics classes, students were asked to work in small groups and build a hover craft. For the project, students were given supplies but had to figure out a way to make it work and move.

But not all the labs in the science department focused on creating objects. Some had to do with measuring. Students used CBLs (Calculator-Based Learning) to measure anything from temperature to the frequency of a tuning fork.

"I like the CBL labs the best because it's real science. It helps the students get a firm grasp of problem solving and accomplishing goals," physics and chemistry teacher Mr. Steve Cook said.

With all the hands-on experience and problem solving, science students were able to find solutions



## *Burn, Baby, Burn!*

Chemistry teacher Mr. Matt McLeod demonstrates a chemical reaction by catching bubbles on fire. In his class the students learned about acids and bases and how specific elements react with different chemicals.

## *Meow!*

Seniors Christina Romo, LaCreisha Groves and Nadia Martinez dissect a cat in Mr. Matt McLeod's anatomy & physiology class. Besides dissecting cats, students visited a cadaver lab to learn about the anatomy of the human body.

## *Ducktape and Staples*

Junior Peter Wiehe gets ready to test out his hover craft in Mr. Steve Cook's physics class. The students were given a week to build a hover craft that would make it around a designated course in 90 seconds or less.







## *Mock Congress*

students portray governmental situations

"I propose that we put a cross walk from the parking lot at the high school to the other parking lot."

This was one of the many topics discussed in the government classes of Mr. John Rost, Mr. Tony Helfrich, and Mr. Russell Baldwin during the mock congress unit.

All three of these classes incorporated a mock Congress into their curriculum to let students get a feel of the way government works. Each class was assigned to represent either the House of Representatives or the Senate.

For the project students had to come up with a bill they would want to be passed in Congress. The bills had to address issues in the areas of the environment, education or economics.

Once a bill was selected and presented to the members of Congress, it had to be presented to the President (played by Mr. Jim Soper) who either vetoed or passed the proposed bill.

Other things happening in this department were that this was the first year that the English department was involved in the junior project.

"We just wanted the grammar and punctuation to be much better than it was in years past," American history teacher John Makona said. All students were required to have their papers looked at by their English teachers.

"It has made it (writing the paper) a lot easier," junior Angela Marcel said.

Every year junior projects get better and with the help of the English department, they will continue to improve.

—Becky Heckert

### *My Way's Best*

Senior Misty Redmon argues that she should be responsible enough to create her own savings account without the government's help. Redmon's bill was later passed.

### *Excuse Me*

Senior Jennifer Bourn defends Andrea Cunningham's bill that would create a mutual fund for college students coming from paycheck deductions. Although Bourn defended the bill in Mr. Rost's American government class, the bill was not passed.





## *Stimulate the Body and Mind*

students have no time to kick back and relax

In a world where people can be anything, choosing a good career is an important decision they will have to make. In physical education and fine arts, students had many different classes to choose from, just like people will have in choosing their careers.

In aerobics students had a little bit of everything combined into one class. Students get to a little bit of Taebo, weight and aerobic circuits, and leg and arm toning.

Weight training, however, concentrated on weight lifting. Students worked in the weight room for a majority of the time they were in this class.

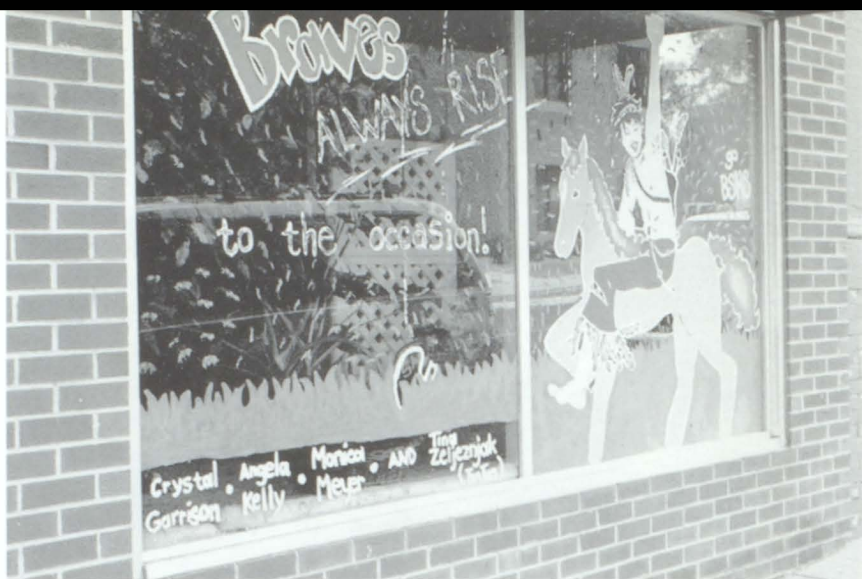
There are many forms of art. Performance art, like drama, was a class students took to prepare themselves to become actors or actresses.

Students could also take a class in fine arts. This helped different students release different feelings like tension, aggression, and basically anything they are feeling.

"All the electives I have are creative so they expand my learning frame. Being able to pick what I want to take gets me more interested in the class and learning about it," sophomore Summer Rickert said.

Physical education and art were classes are two kinds of classes a student can take to get themselves ready for the road ahead of them.

—Amy Marcel



### *Rising to the Occasion*

Seniors Tina Zeljeznjak and Angela Kelly, junior Crystal Garrison, and sophomore Monica Meyer painted this window as an assignment and for fun, at the Bonner Springs Floral Shop for Homecoming week. They placed first in the contest.

### *Painting to Perfection*

Senior Tamra Stephens works hard to finish a project in Ms. Wanda Simchuk's Art III class, while senior Brent Weaver joins her. Weaver had study hall at this time but wanted to keep Stephens company.

### *Race to the Finish*

Sophomores Sara Miller and Kacey Twist compete against each other in the Army obstacle course in their Aerobics class. It took most students around 13 seconds to complete the course.







## *Acting It Out Step by Step*

forensics allows students to express themselves

"To be, or not to be," was one of the sounds heard from the stage during forensics. After a seven year break, forensics was brought back to Bonner's elective courses.

"I think forensics is a great opportunity for students to improve not only people skills, but overall oral communication skills. This is a good class for any if not all students to participate in if, and only if, they are willing to try something new," Mr. Dan Streit said.

There are nine categories taking part in the competition. Students choose from doing a performance by themselves or with a partner. The solo categories are: extemporaneous speaking, poetry, dramatic solo, original oration, informative speech, and humorous solos acting. For people who want to do a duet there is duet acting and improvised duet acting, also know as an IDA.

Only six people from each category make it into the finals. All six finalist receive medals. Students also have the opportunity to win sweepstake points. These are points that a team can make to help a student advance to the next round.

Forensics is an elective course that gave students the chance to work on sharpening their public speaking skills, life skills everyone needs to master.

—Amy Marcel

### *What Do You Think?*

Sophomores Jennifer Cole and Alisha Woodall take down notes while scoring a forensics act to get ready for an upcoming meet. Cole and Woodall had a discussion with the actor after he was done performing.

### *Hole in One*

Sophomore Darrin Gearheart tries to get a hole in one while playing a little game of golf in wood tech class. Gearheart and George Elmer built this golf course out of scrap wood.

### *Woods' Hand for the Money*

Sophomore Sarah Benton works hard to finish her project in jewelry and textiles. Benton was making a ring for this project which she spent roughly three and a half weeks completing.





## Students Meet Requirements

with four units of English to complete their education

Students are required to take four years of language arts to graduate, which makes the English department one of great importance. Whether it is a regular English class or a college-bound class like American or World Literature, students work hard to complete the course.

"English class makes the students ready for college and more aware of society and how we can't give up the fight to succeed," said senior English teacher Mr. Brandon Williams.

But should it be required to take all four years? Many students feel like it should.

"It's good because it lets us get in touch with our intellectual side," junior Jacob Barbarich said. However, not all students feel this way.

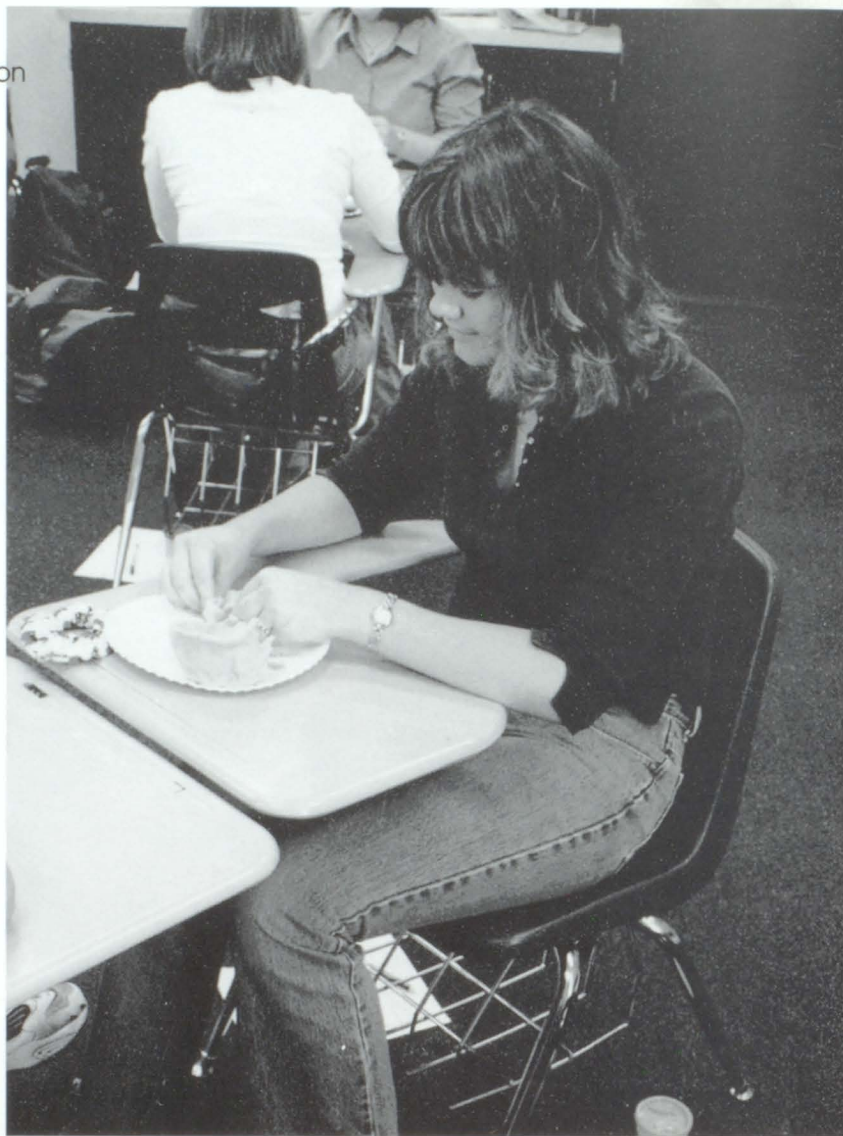
"I believe that English is an important class, but I also think it is more of a slang-based language and is learned more by being spoken," junior Vincent Lewis said.

Whether or not students agree with taking English all four years, they take it and learn what valuable and intellectual experience it can be.

—Abby Vitt

### Everything Is Fun With Play-doh

Sophomore Amber Storey builds a pencil holder out of Play-doh in Ms. Nancy Yankovich's English 10 class. Ms. Yankovich made the students destroy the pencil holder and start over to learn about the trial and error of sculpting and how it relates to the writing process.

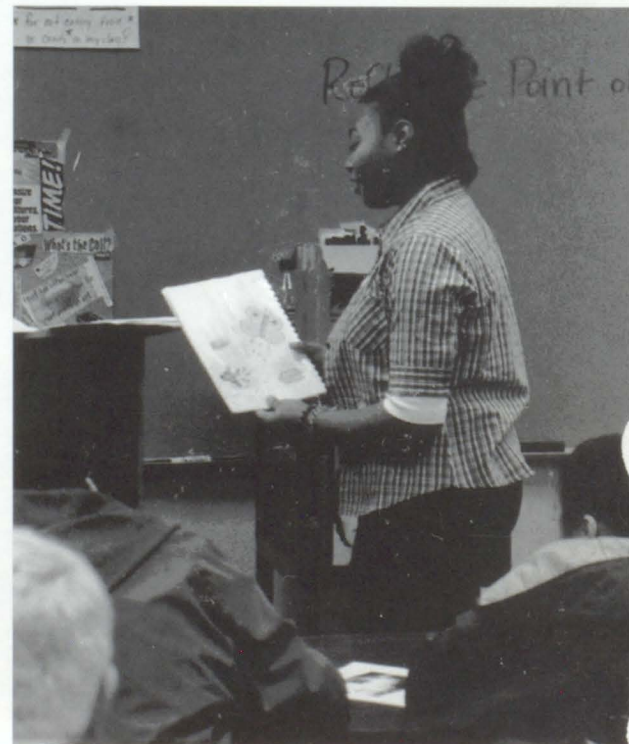


### Oh, Romeo, Romeo?

Freshmen Walter Wright and R.T. Williams read *Romeo & Juliet* in Mr. Bill Downing's English 9 class. Along with Shakespeare, freshmen students also learned about B.S.V.'s (Basic Sentence Varieties) and the concept of writing.

### Story Time

Freshman Leslie Davis shows off her children's book in Mr. Dan Streit's freshman English class. After writing and designing their children's books, students were then required to present them to their classmates.







## *One World... United* students learn about different cultures

"¿Como estas? Tres Bien. Et tu?" These were just some of the words students heard coming out of the foreign language department.

Students are given the opportunity to pick out of three choices of foreign language: Spanish, French or Latin.

"I think foreign language is good for the students because it helps them understand their own language better and disciplines them. When students are introduced to new things, it forces them to study," French teacher Mrs. Marsha Nelson said.

"I liked playing Lo Terea the best," Spanish III student Megan McCluney said.

Lo Terea is "Bingo" in Spanish. The students brought in candy and swapped it if they win.

Students did more than just play games in the foreign language class. They also had a taste of foreign culture by cooking authentic foods and celebrating different countries holidays.

Students could also take more than one foreign language class. In fact, one student decided to take all three languages at once.

"I'm taking French IV, Spanish III and Latin I. I like taking foreign language classes because I'm good at it, and I find it enjoyable," senior Amanda Sawyer said.

With the help of wonderful teachers and plenty of learning opportunities, the students had a chance to experience different cultures.

—Abby Vitt



### *Could We... the Tooth Fairy?*

Sophomores Sarah Wright, Rebecca Stephens and Madeleine Rainbolt enjoy taking a break from Ms. Connie Henry's "normal" Latin II class to participate in the Halloween festivities. Each student was asked to dress up as a Greek god or fairy for the holiday.

### *A Little of This, a Little of That*

Juniors Jenny Montgomery and Amanda Wise take time out of Mrs. Patsy Melius' Spanish III class to cook up some delicious sopapias. Every year the students get to plan and cook at least one meal for the rest of their class to enjoy.

### *Mardi Gras Mania*

Junior Scott Gray eats a piece of king cake that Mrs. Marsha Nelson's French III class made to celebrate Mardi Gras. The class cooked the cakes the day before, so they would have time to eat them on the holiday.





## *Student Teachers* getting started at BSHS

Becoming a teacher begins with the hands-on experience as a student teacher, and Hollie Becker, Jana Goodman and Megan Bretthauer all enjoyed their experiences as novice educators.

"I like teenagers (honest!) and I love math. I was tired of the corporate world and wanted to work with people more than just computers," Mrs. Goodman said.

After their experience all of them were looking forward to getting into the teaching profession.

"I'm looking forward to having my own classroom and my own desk, but I'm also a little scared of being on my own," Ms. Bretthauer said.

The student teachers weren't the only ones who benefited from their experiences, their cooperating teachers also felt rewarded by their chance to help the student teachers learn more.

"Having a student teacher was challenging, but it was also a great opportunity to be a mentor and to share my knowledge and my expertise," Mrs. Ann Decker said.

The year came to an end, and so did their experiences of being student teachers. Now they are headed out into the real world, each in different directions to become teachers on their own.

—Sarah Rowland

### *Helping Students One at a Time*

Mrs. Jana Goodman helps sophomore Jennifer Cole in Miss Anne Seiler's seventh hour algebra II class. "The biggest thing I'm looking forward to is helping students discover they can do math," Goodman said.



### *Wow! These Students Are Smart!*

Ms. Megan Bretthauer grades papers for Mrs. Martha Chandley's FACS class. "My FACS teacher in high school made such an impact on my life that I wanted to do the same for my students," Ms. Bretthauer said.

### *Questions, Anyone?*

Ms. Hollie Becker helps junior Chris Steinwachs and sophomore Alisha Woodall with their final assignment for the first semester in Mr. Dan Streit's drama class. Becker also taught two American history classes for Mr. Tony Helfrich and one for Mr. John Rost.





# ARE YOU INVOLVED ENOUGH?

## Hol Hol Hol

Senior Alicia Forshey checks out the teddy bear that was hanging on to her present at the annual Kayette Christmas Secret Santa exchange. Secret Santa was one of many activities that Kayettes did over the course of the year. For the exchange the members drew names earlier in the week and then exchanged gifts at the party.

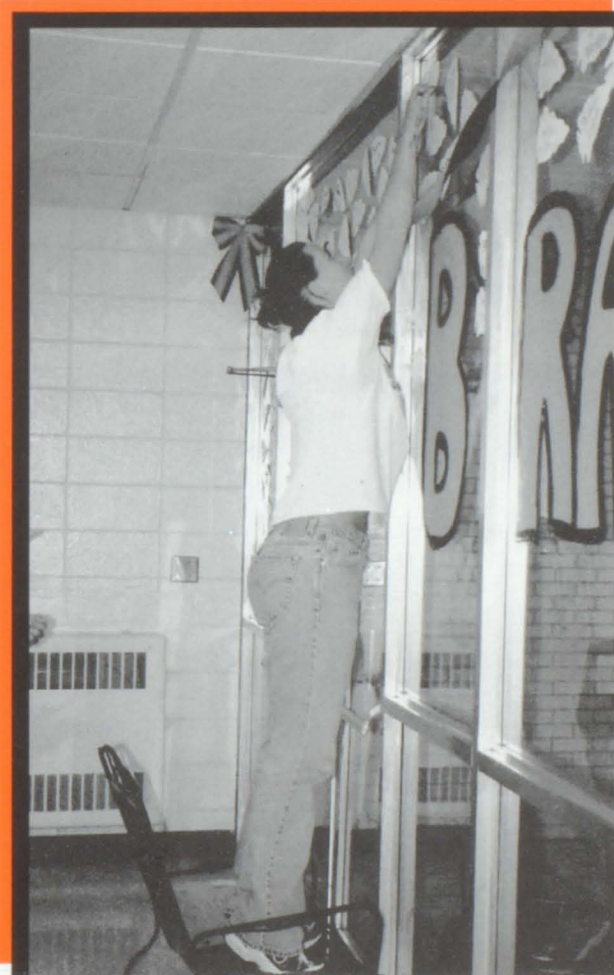


## OUT WITH THE OLD

Sophomore Sarah Wright finishes painting one of the old gray stalls orange in the girls bathroom. On a Friday when everyone else was out of school, some members of Key Club came in and painted the east hallway bathrooms.

## CLASS OF "01"

Senior Melissa Wiseman hangs up arrowheads with the seniors names on them as part of the decorations that the Traditions Committee did to show school spirit for Homecoming. The senior benches were also decorated and signs were hung up all around the halls.



We picked our clubs;  
We supported our organizations.  
We did our part, and  
We tried to make a difference.  
We stood **BRAVE** in our community.

ORGANIZATIONS





# Making a Difference

in other students' lives

Watching out for others and being a role model is only part of what PEER and Club 121 students did.

PEER members attended the BASE (Be Aware Self Education) Conference in February. Students from all over the Kansas City area listened to people diagnosed with AIDS, and some students volunteered to be tested for AIDS.

The PEER group also held the annual AIDS Day on April 27 where they collected nonperishable food and clothing for Hope Care Center. They raised approximately 400 total items to help AIDS victims.

PEER wasn't the only group that made a difference. Club 121 students met every Tuesday

morning at 7:00 am to pray and listen to sermons.

"My favorite days at school were on Tuesdays because I got to spend time with my friends, and especially God," sophomore Sarah Benton said.

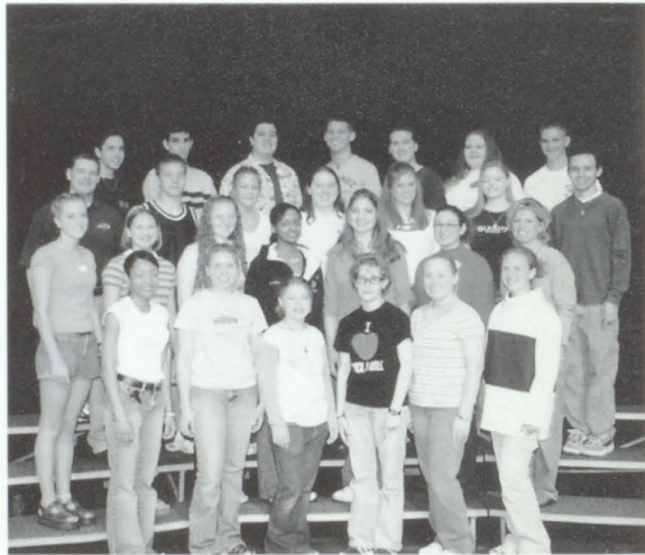
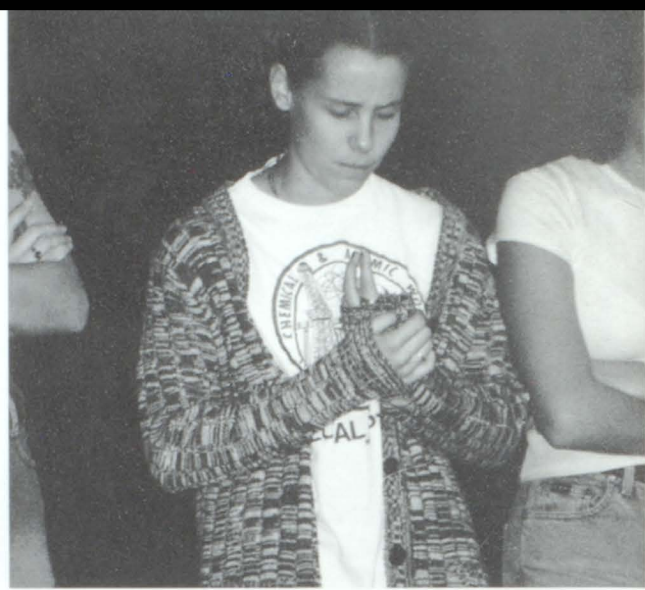
Club 121 also gave some students a chance to speak out and share real life experiences, as well as listen to guest speakers.

In many ways, shapes and forms, students took their time to make a difference.

—*Summer Pappé*

## Praise the Lord

Junior Lindsay Russell is in deep prayer during a Club 121 meeting in the auditorium. Club members met every Tuesday morning, and they sang and praised the Lord.



## PEER

**Front Row:** A. Smart, W. Peterson, D. Perica, L. Russell, W. Mitchell, C. Harding. **Second Row:** L. Roberts, M. Miller, K. Miser, A. Davis, K. Knutter, S. Miller, L. Terrell. **Third Row:** R. Moulin, M. Cook, C. Crouch, S. Rowland, S. Pappé, S. Benton, N. Haverland. **Back Row:** K. Dame, M. Hernandez, A. Alexander, B. Peterson, B. Cole, S. Fleetwood, T. McGinnis.



## Club 121

**Front Row:** J. Wright, S. Miller, L. Russell, K. Harding, M. Lewis, T. Kerns. **Second Row:** B. Luviano, S. Rowland, K. Trent, B. Gibson, B. Heckert, R. Boddy, B. Warczakoski, C. Thomas. **Third Row:** A. Zaring, C. Schroeder, K. Miser, A. Stoner, S. Benton, J. Sangster, M. Maxwell, J. Johnson, S. Wright. **Back Row:** M. Miller, A. Benton, A. Alexander, C. McComb, A. Blancarte, A. Robertson, J. Woods, A. Lietzen, D. Bass.

## Science Olympiad

**Front Row:** S. Fesenmeyer, A. Vitt, J. Mitchell. **Second Row:** A. Lietzen, N. Haverland, J. Davidson, J. Wright. **Back Row:** B. Burch, T. Slankard, R. Shockey, T. Cooper.





# Getting Involved

one group at a time



## Revvin' It Up

Seniors, Jimmy Vogel, Dustin Hill, Thomas Cooper, Michael Brown and junior Brian Burch rebuild last year's electric car to get ready for Regionals competition in Topeka. There were a total of three cars entered from BSBS.



## Chess Club

**Front Row:** J. Cigich, T. Kerns, J. Malone. **Second Row:** B. Hubbel, J. Emery, A. Lietzen, M. Dinsmore, B. Sumwalt. **Back Row:** C. Steinwachs, C. Hartman, S. Gray, A. Benton, B. Burch, M. Adams.

To have fun and enjoy high school, clubs can play an important roll.

FCA, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, was a club with over 100 paid members, and about 30 active members. They had events such as bowling night, group evening meetings, and a paint ball trip at Jaeger's Subsurface.

"Seeing the students open up and create new friendships is very memorable and rewarding," sponsor Dan Burns said.

Another way to enjoy extracurricular activities was being on the Chess Team. With 23 members, the team had a great year.

After claiming the 5A State Championship, a dozen students went to the 2001 Super Nation-

als, where they placed seventh out of 84 teams.

"The Chess Team filled my need of a competitive atmosphere where I can let loose my abilities to plan, strategize, and be creative," Curtis Hartman said.

Some students who were interested in physical sciences and building, built electric cars, which they raced in actual competition. One group took third in regionals and had the opportunity to compete at State. Unfortunately, State was on the same day of Prom, so no students took the car.

FCA, Chess Club and Electric Car kept students interested in what they liked best and gave students a chance to get involved.

—Lisa Assmann



## FCA Freshmen/Sophomores

**Front Row:** C. Burton, J. Ventura, W. Mitchell. **Second Row:** J. Duckworth, M. Chandley, T. Kerns, S. Miller, A. Bush. **Third Row:** M. Middleton, D. Gardner, J. Gardner, S. Benton, C. Moppin, D. Bass. **Back Row:** C. Caldwell, L. Barber, M. Davidson, V. Lockett, D. Bolton, A. Dill, L. Assmann, D. Shepherd.



## FCA Juniors/Seniors

**Front Row:** L. Russell, B. Luviano, J. Wright, B. Heckert, A. Vitt, H. Thompson, D. Tucker. **Second Row:** K. Szewc, B. Miller, E. Stoner, J. Frazier, J. Vogel, K. Szewc, J. Woods, B. Ritter, D. Arnett. **Third Row:** C. Cobbins, M. Ashford, D. Carson, R. Boddy, M. Lopez, S. Rowland, A. Kirby, P. Wiehe, T. Neal, P. Luviano, M. Brown. **Back Row:** L. Reyes, J. Kirk, M. Miller, A. Benton, J. Johnson, J. Woods, B. Peterson, C. Gensler, D. Peters, J. Bosley, M. Blare, B. Warczakoski.





# Leaders in Action

students taking charge

Throughout the year Stuco and Traditions Committee members worked together to improve the appearance of the school as well as the school spirit.

Stuco members met every Wednesday morning at eight o'clock to discuss such things as pep assemblies, Homecoming and Courtwarming festivities. The students came up with the themes for the dances as well as decorations for them.

A new addition to Stuco was the car show. The car show was Brian Cole's senior project, but he recruited Stuco to help out.

"Overall I think everything went very well. If I could do things over I would start getting sponsors earlier so that we could make a few hundred more dollars," Cole said.

The car show was able to raise over \$1,800 for the school and Vaughn-Trent.

Along with Stuco, Traditions Committee worked hard to revive some of the old traditions and created some new ones.

Traditions brought back the tradition of decorating the school during spirit weeks without all the competitiveness.

Instead of the classes competing against each other, the students came together to show their spirit as a whole. This prevented many of the problems that

they had in the past, like messy halls and hurt feelings.

In an effort to try to please the students' requests for open lunches, the Traditions Committee helped bring in Mr. Goodcents' sandwiches on a trial basis the last few weeks of school.

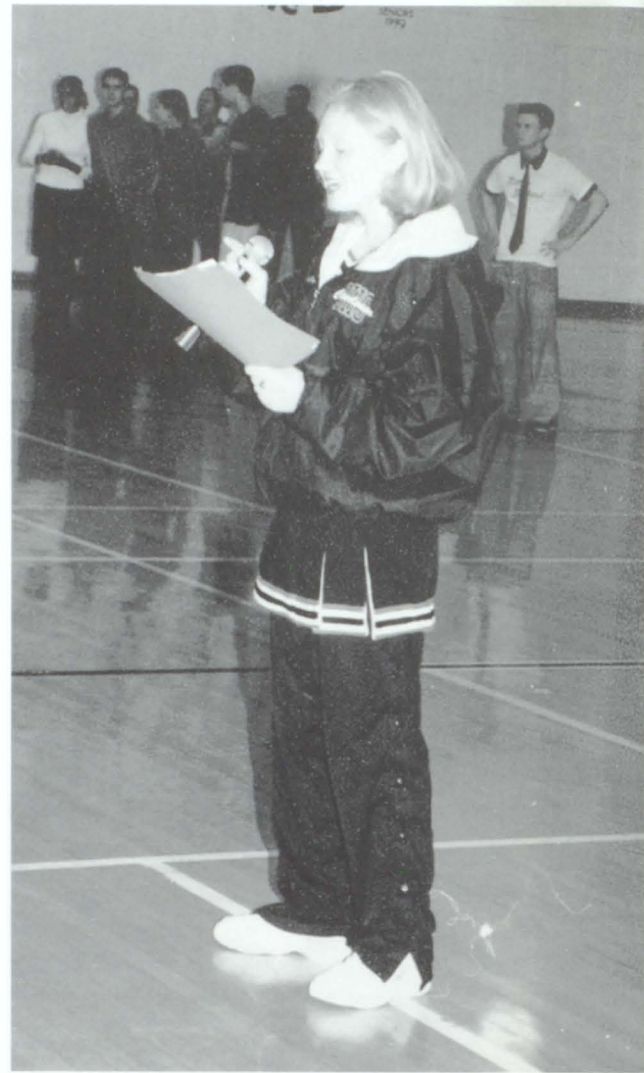
"It was nice to have a variety of food. I hope they continue to do this next year," junior Michael Ashford said.

Even though Stuco and Traditions Committee consisted of a lot of work, the students had a lot of fun promoting school spirit.

—Abby Vitt

## Speaking Out

Senior and Stuco Vice President, Kortney Steinhurst introduces the Courtwarming nominees and attendants. Steinhurst was the emcee at all the pep assemblies held throughout the year.

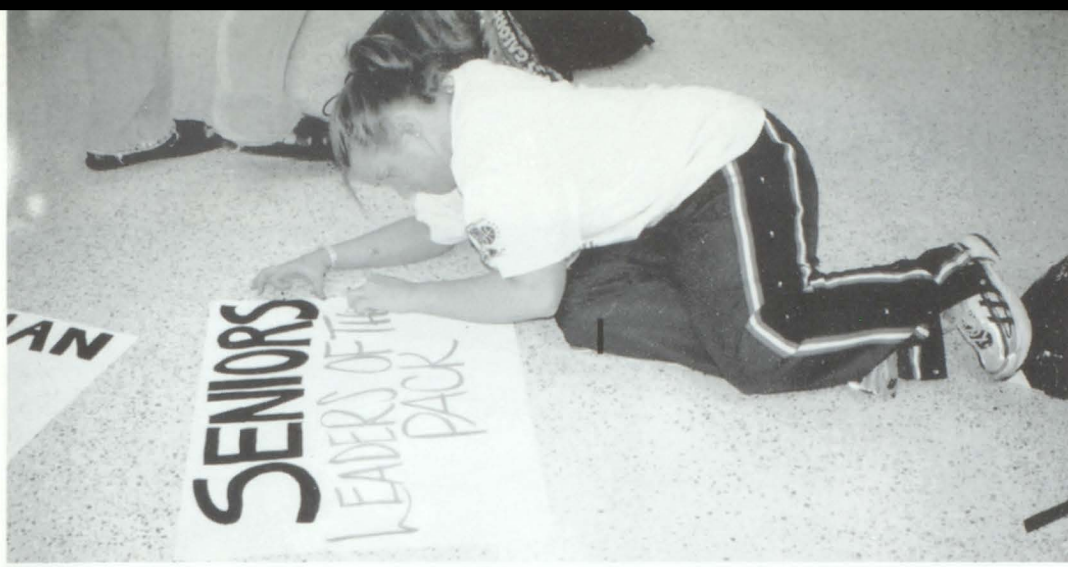


## 2000-2001 Stuco

**Front Row:** A. Vitt, L. Russell, S. Miller, W. Peterson, V. Spartan. **Second Row:** W. Mitchell, M. Chandley, B. Gibson, K. Steinhurst, A. Cunningham, J. Lemon, A. Kimbrough. **Third Row:** M. Davis, K. Parks, M. Ashford, E. Stoner, R. Boddy, M. Ballard, A. Gillespie, D. Shepherd, H. Thompson. **Fourth Row:** K. Dame, D. Carson, B. Peterson, T. Nelson, M. Smith, B. Cole, A. Blancarte, R. Shockey, A. Seiler.







### Class Pride

Senior Katie Szewc puts the finishing touches on the senior poster. The members of the Traditions Committee stayed after school on Wednesday before Homecoming to decorate the entire school.



### A Home for the Braves

Senior Rachelle Shockey works diligently on preparing a teepee for the Homecoming festivities. Instead of just decorating for the senior class, Traditions chose to decorate for all the classes.



### Picasso in the Making

Senior Ashley Gillespie mixes paint together to decorate the windows above the senior benches. They painted the word "SENIORS" and then placed tomahawk-shaped pieces of paper around it with all the seniors names on them.



### 2000-2001 Traditions Committee

Front Row: Vanessa Spartan, Cherish Freeman, Holly Thompson. Second Row: Angela Reyes, Rachel Boddy, Mandy Ballard, Jill Gardner. Third Row: Kallie Szewc, Jessie Wright, Katie Szewc, Ashley Gillespie, Rachelle Shockey. Fourth Row: Joshua Woods, Travis Slankard, Anthony Blancarte, Jeremy Lawson, Melissa Wiseman, Jesse Kirk.





# Success Ranked High

for students in the academic clubs

The academic clubs all had a good year and achieved many goals.

Mock Trial had a very successful year with the varsity team placing second and the junior varsity team placing eighth at the Regional meet. The varsity team earned the chance to compete at the state level, and after two days of competition the team placed second.

"Overall, I have been very fortunate to have such successful teams. I am looking forward to next year's team," sponsor Mrs. Kristin Byers said.

Another team that had a successful year was the Academic Decathlon team. Out of nine small division schools in the state, the team placed fifth. They had three first place medals, two sec-

ond place medals, and five third place medals.

The Scholars' Bowl Team hosted two tournaments, one for varsity and one for junior varsity. They also attended nineteen other tournaments including Regionals in Fort Scott.

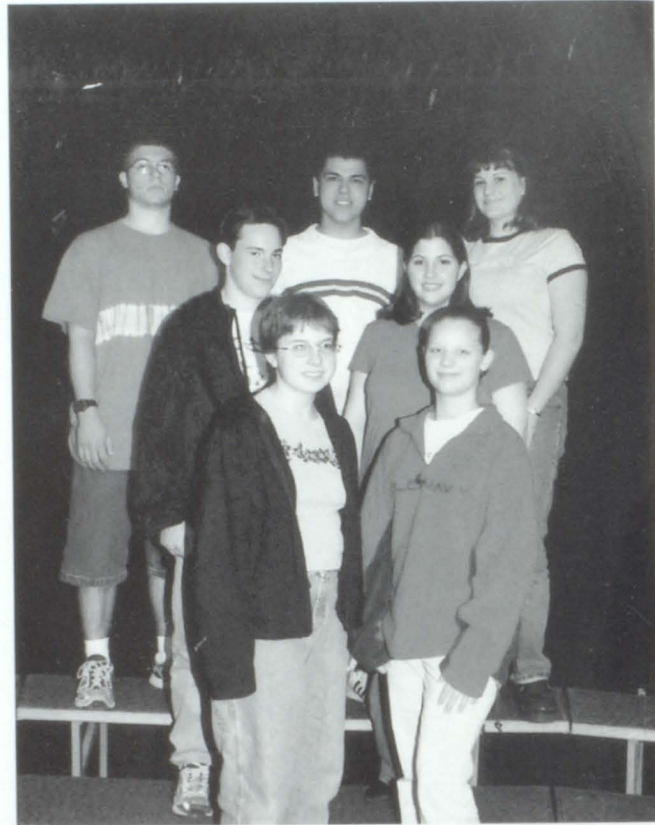
"I sincerely want to thank Dr. Abbott for encouraging the students and me in this program, now in at least its 17th year," Coach Mrs. Chris Wood said.

Altogether these teams had a great year and did well at their competitions.

—Sarah Rowland

## THE ACADEMIC DECATHLON

**Front Row:** Stephanie Fesenmeyer, Jackie Mitchell. **Second Row:** Jim Davidson, Jessie Wright. **Back Row:** Brian Burch, Anthony Blancarte, Rachelle Shockey.



## DARE TO BE DRUG FREE

Seniors Melissa Wiseman, Brock Peterson, Jamie Sangster and Jimmy Vogel take time to speak with elementary students. Students in the D.A.R.E program talked to students about the effects of drugs and alcohol on their lives and answered any questions that the younger students had.



## MOCK TRIAL TEAM

**Front Row:** Rachelle Gonzales, Melissa Davis, Amy Marcel, Katie Parks. **Second Row:** Blair Monn, Michael Ashford, Jason Moehlman, Jim Davidson, Danielle Putnum. **Back Row:** Nathan Sparks, Travis Nelson, Anthony Blancarte, Curtis Hartman, Jamison Johnson, Jennifer Cole.





**PREPARATION IS A MUST**

Junior Rachele Gonzales and sophomore Curtis Hartman discuss their upcoming case with lawyer Amanda Williams. Gonzales and Hartman were both part of the Junior Varsity Mock Trial Team.



**FORENSICS TEAM**

**Front Row:** N. McGinnis, L. Russell, J. Ventura. **Second Row:** A. Woodall, K. Trent, K. Parks, B. Gibson, B. Ritter, D. Putnum. **Third Row:** T. Routh, J. Coleman, J. Moehlman, J. Woods, D. Jones, S. Benton, M. Rainbolt. **Back Row:** D. Streit, T. Nelson, N. Sparks, J. Johnson, T. Slankard, C. Steinwachs, J. Cole, J. Davidson.



**SADD MEMBERS**

**Front Row:** W. Mitchell, J. Ventura, S. Miller, K. King. **Second Row:** A. Vitt, M. McCluney, B. Heckert, T. Stark, K. Twist, H. Thompson. **Third Row:** K. Szewc, A. Davis, H. Shepherd, K. Hoffmann, C. Lynn, S. Benton, M. Lopez, C. Vandenberg. **Back Row:** C. Cobbins, A. Eker, A. Wise, D. May, R. Fesenmeyer, T. Nelson, B. Cole, L. Reyes.



**SCHOLARS' BOWL TEAM**

**Front Row:** S. Fesenmeyer, C. Harding, S. Miller, J. Mitchell. **Second Row:** M. Rainbolt, B. Smith, N. Haverland, R. Boddy. **Third Row:** B. Burch, J. Coleman, B. Cole, J. Woods, J. Erin, B. Ritter. **Back Row:** M. Wright, N. Sparks, T. Nelson, T. Slankard, J. Woods, T. Cooper, A. Pierson, D. McCullough.





### One Lump or Two?

Seniors Crystal Thomas and Janelle Day work together to provide refreshments for the guests at the Art Fair. FCCLA provided all of the refreshments and helped out by serving tea and cookies.



### 2000-2001 FCCLA

**Front Row:** Jessica Bartrum, Cherish Freeman, Cara Harding, Christina Huffman. **Second Row:** Jenny Montgomery, Alexis Kimbrough, Kimberly Kelley, Cinda Thomas. **Back Row:** Kallie Swezc, Melanie Chandley, Mrs. Martha Chandley, Crystal Thomas.

## Ready for Another Journey

members of Art club raise money for their trip to St. Louis

BSSH had many different clubs for the students' interests. Each club had their own ways of doing good things for the school and community.

A new club established for students who had any interest in art was Art Club, sponsored by Mrs. Wanda Simchuk.

"You got a chance to see other artists work from our community and it helped you get more experience and ideas for your own work," junior Sara Sawyer said.

The Club did various things from face painting for Spirit Week, to working at a concession stand in Lawrence at a Music Convention, to making cookie

trays for sale at Christmas time.

The club made approximately \$600 from all of their activities. All the money made went towards their trip to St. Louis, which they planned at the beginning of the year.

In order for club members to go on the trip, they were required to do 85% of the club's activity. The students stayed at Arch Bush Gardens for three nights, and they toured different art museums and went to Six Flags Theme Park.

Art club was a wonderful way to give art lovers a great experience with different types of art.

—Rachelle Gonzales



### Art Club

**Front Row:** Katie Trent, Danielle Perica, Megan Sells. **Second Row:** Danae Larson, Sara Sawyer, Crystal Garrison, Angela Mikuls. **Back Row:** Ruth Shields, Shae Walls, Adam Gilmore, Chris Hilt, Tina Zeljeznjak.





# Video Production

taking it to new level

*Tee Pee Talk* added a new feature to their show, which was aired every other Friday during the end of third hour classes.

Trying to make it more "real life," a commercial was added to various episodes of the *Teepee Talk* show. Each commercial was designed to help promote and sell the Video Yearbooks to students and faculty.

The commercials were advertised through many different ways. From finding out futures through a psychic named "Imagine" and her side kick Boom

## Roll That Beautiful Footage

Getting ready to shoot the last episode of *Tee Pee Talk*, senior Brian Cole makes up the set and makes a few adjustments on the video camera before each episode, Cole sets up the video equipment.

Boom, to losing weight by eating the famous "Video Yearbook Sub" from Mr. Goodcents, the commercials were a big hit.

Students not only worked on upcoming episodes, but they also had the responsibility of designing their own clip for the Video Yearbook. Students were assigned one or more school events to edit and design and when every section was complete, all clips were put together into one tape to create the school's Video Yearbook.

This class was held during seventh hour each day, and it gave students the opportunity to excel in computer technology and have fun at the same time.

—*Rachelle Gonzales*

## Tee Pee Talk Staff

**Front Row:** Jason Coleman. **Middle Row:** Rachelle Gonzales, Katie Trent, Meryl Miller, Jamie Sangster, Nathan Haverland, Jimmy Vogel. **Back Row:** Josh Shaw, Angela Reyes, Thomas Cooper, James Bass, Brock Peterson, Vanessa Spartan, Brian Cole, Travis Nelson, Kallie Szewc.

## Lights, Camera, Action!

Waiting patiently in the hot sun to shoot a commercial for Worlds of Fun, Mr. Douglas Kapeller, senior Nathan Haverland and junior Kallie Szewc wait patiently for the Detonator ride to go up. The staff also taped clips on the Monsoon and Boomerang rides.





### HAYRIDE FUN

The Kayette members participate in the annual hayride held at the Lake of the Forest. Prior to the hayride, the members enjoyed a picnic.



### WHO'S MY SANTA?

Seniors Mandy Ballard, Alicia Forshey, Angela Mikuls and freshman Ashley Pardey enjoy their first Kayettes Secret Santa party. This event lasted a week and included giving another member a gift and a clue every day. The last day of the week the members celebrated with a cookies and punch Christmas party and found out who their Secret Santa was.



### Sophomore/Freshmen Kayettes

Front Row: S. Miller, W. Mitchell, S. Couch, S. Allan, J. Jackson, A. Pardey, W. Peterson, S. Belknap, E. Franklin, H. Strauss. Second Row: D. Woods, A. Ortiz, M. Chandley, K. Twist, J. Ventura, T. Stark, S. Benton, A. Spiess, D. Putnam, V. Reynolds, M. Sells. Third Row: D. Burns, A. Mathiesen, A. Garcia, A. Bush, K. Yates, K. Yates, E. Groves, M. McConico, K. Redlin, S. Kropp, L. Roberts, M. Gober, O. Canas, L. Oranghadivi. Fourth Row: L. McConico, H. Miller, J. Gardner, L. Stanbrough, L. Assmann, A. Dill, A. Storey, B. McGinnis, J. Cole, J. Fowler, M. Rainbolt, A. Woodall.





# We Can Do It!

Kayettes help make lives better

The Powder Puff game, Val Pal's, and the annual picnic and hayride were just a few activities that kept the Kayettes busy.

Even though it may sound like all fun and games, Kayettes was really a club based on community service and volunteering.

In October the girls constructed and then distributed Halloween "ghosts" to area nursing homes, and they did a similar service project during Thanksgiving with "Turkey Hands." They

## Go, Seniors!

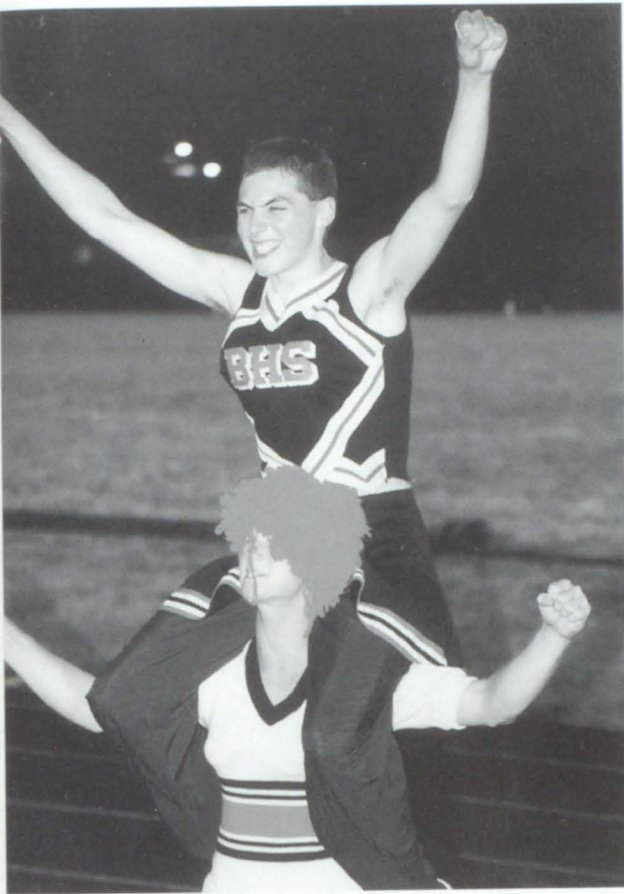
Seniors Travis Nelson and Blake Ritter cheer at the Kayette Powder Puff game. The Powder Puff game is always a favorite Kayette activity for the entire student body.

also collected food items for a local family during the holidays

Internationally, the club adopted a young girl from Gambia named Binta. Several packages were sent to her with letters and little things like jewelry inside. In addition, Kristine Knutter, the President of Kayettes, collected items for a Mexican orphanage as part of her senior project. For her service and hard work, Knutter received the annual \$200 Kayette scholarship at the end of the year.

Although membership wasn't as high as years in the past, those who did participate in the Kayette activities still made an impact.

—*Sarah Rowland*



## Senior/ Junior Kayettes

**Front Row:** N. Martinez, C. Robinson, C. Walker, A. Sturgeon, A. Vitt, L. Russell, A. Cunningham, K. King, T. Sanford, J. Nida, C. Huffman, H. Martin, R. Ford. **Second Row:** K. Steinhurst, E. Dragush, R. Gonzales, C. Thomas, K. Kelley, S. Rowland, C. Lynn, H. Herrmann, H. Thompson, R. McGee, M. Ballard, M. Miller, A. Wells, M. Warford, A. Sawyer. **Third Row:** C. Freeman, L. Groves, K. Szewc, A. Davis, M. McCluney, H. Shepherd, E. Stoner, J. Sullivan, C. Vandenberg, M. Stephen, C. Silver, A. Reyes, V. Spartan, K. Knutter, R. Boddy, D. Burns, C. Romo. **Fourth Row:** J. Sangster, K. Parks, J. Wright, K. Szewc, R. Shields, A. Howard, A. Zaring, A. Kirby, T. Norman, D. May, M. Wiseman, R. Shockey, A. Gillespie, S. Lewis, B. Assmann, A. Trafton, A. Kelly, L. Orangkhadivi.



## Chow Down

Senior Jacqueline Nida and juniors Tracy Norman and Amie Trafton eat ice cream at the annual Val Pal party. The week of Valentine's Day Kayette members exchanged gifts with their secret Val Pals and then ended the week with the annual party.





## Shape up to Size

Senior Alicia Forshey works on her softball page while editor Amanda Craig offers assistance. Forshey was the editor of the sports section, and Craig was responsible for all of the division pages and theme development.



Jackie



Amber



Rachelle



Angela



Anthony



Nykoal



Amy



Summer



Lisa



Sarah



Becky



Leslie



Alicia



Amanda



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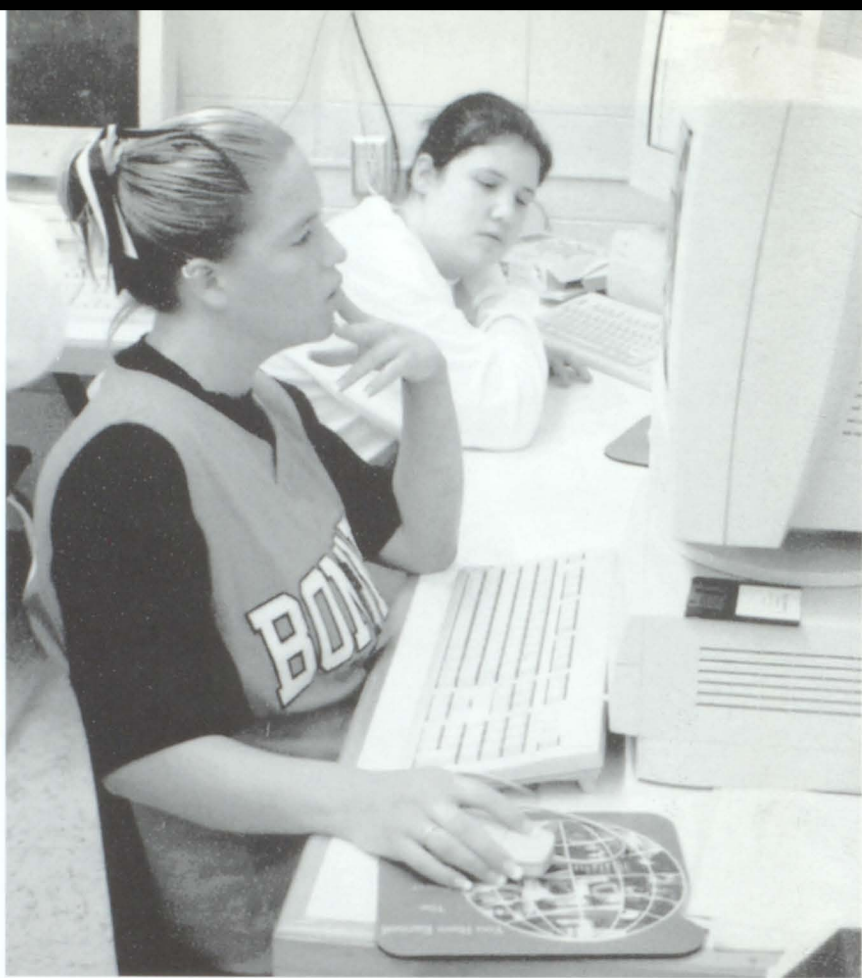
Ms. Yankovich

## The Finder

Senior Nykoal Vance looks at the picture and figures out who is who for her caption. Being on the yearbook staff was a good way to get to know all of the people in the school.

## Hmm . . . What's Next?

Junior Erin Stoner tries to work through the complications of designing a business ad. Stoner was the business editor and worked independently selling, billing, and creating all of the personal and business ads.





# Yearbook Opens Doors

for underclassmen

Until this year the yearbook staff was only available to upperclassmen. Because of scheduling glitches, advisor Ms. Nancy Yankovich decided to open up enrollment to sophomores.

"I felt that sophomores would have more free time than the upperclassman, and they would be more conscientious about including the underclassman in the yearbook," Ms. Yankovich said.

For students thinking of going into the journalism field, being on the staff was a good opportunity to see if they were cut out for the profession in the future.

"I felt privileged to be on the staff, but meeting deadlines was very frustrating," sophomore Summer Pappe said.

Most people think yearbook is just one of those classes that gives

them that easy "A", but it's not. Yearbook takes a lot of spare time and really makes students feel great when the yearbook is completed.

"Just knowing that we put the book together with all of our free time and hard work for others to enjoy later in life makes me feel better about myself. When I look back later in life, I will be able to say that I helped create that," sophomore Amy Marcel said.

Having sophomores on the staff worked out well and proved to be a good decision.

"The sophomores worked very hard and their experience will be a definite asset to next year's staff. I look forward to working with them in the years to come," Yankovich said.

—Becky Heckert

## Deep in Thought

Sophomore Lisa Assmann concentrates as she tries to finish typing the names of the people on her page. In addition to working on layouts, Assmann was responsible for taking, developing and printing pictures for the staff.

## Totem Pole Staff

**Front Row:** Lisa Assmann, Leslie Anderson, Alicia Forshey. **Second Row:** Erin Stoner, Amy Marcel, Summer Pappe, Sarah Rowland. **Third Row:** Rachelle Gonzales, Amber Sturgeon, Jackie Mitchell, Angela Reyes, Abby Vitt, Becky Heckert. **Not Pictured:** Anthony Blancarte, Amanda Craig, Amanda Wells, Nykoal Vance.





# Newspaper Togetherness

working together to achieve their deadlines

With only three returning seniors and 16 total people on the staff, the newspaper staff came together very well and produced the school's paper, *The Pow Wow*.

"With this being my first year on the staff, having three returning seniors on the staff was great and a lot of help. They showed the rest of the staff how everything ran," senior Melissa Wiseman said.

Newspaper class was difficult at times, but most of the staff considered it to be fun.

"My most enjoyable part of newspaper is being able to write for the school and being able to have parties after every deadline and at Christmas time," junior

Dustin Carson said.

"I plan on returning next year because I enjoy newspaper a lot. It's a great class and you get to meet a lot of new people when interviewing," junior Helen Shepherd said.

Some words of advice from the staff are to be good in English class, be able to write stories out of your head, be ready to be on task and be ready to meet deadlines.

—Leslie Anderson

## Entertaining BSHS

Senior Jamie Sangster talks on the phone trying to get information for her entertainment page. Sangster had to call local companies and businesses to see what was going on in their area, so she could inform her readers.



## Brainstorming Together

Juniors Rhiannon Ford and Dustin Carson put their heads together and try to think of a good story for their page. Ford and Carson were both in charge of the sports pages.



## The Pow Wow Staff

**Front Row:** Vanessa Spartan, Mandy Ballard, Holly Thompson, Jamie Sangster, Kim Kelley, Brandy Miller. **Second Row:** Melissa Wiseman, Rachelle Shockey, Cinda Thomas, Nick Border, Helen Shepherd. **Third Row:** Stephanie Fesenmeyer, Justin Monn, D'Erin May, Dustin Carson, Rhiannon Ford.







### What About This?

Juniors Helen Shepherd and Rhiannon Ford get down and talk about what their pages are going to cover on the next deadline. The staff published *The Pow Wow* once every three of four weeks.



### *Pow Wow* Staff

Editor-In-Chief.....	Holly Thompson
Arts & Entertainment.....	Nick Border
	Jamie Sangster
Features.....	Mandy Ballard
	Stephanie Fesenmeyer
	Melissa Wiseman
News.....	D'Erin May
	Helen Shepherd
	Justin Monn
	Brandy Miller
Opinions.....	Rachelle Shockey
Photography.....	Kimberly Kelley
	Cinda Thomas
Sports.....	Dustin Carson
	Rhiannon Ford
Advertisements.....	Melissa Wiseman
	Vanessa Spartan
Advisor.....	Jill Holder



### State Contest Preparations

Juniors D'Erin May and Brandy Miller work diligently on their entries for the KSPA (Kansas State Press Association) Contest. May entered for newspaper design and received an honorable mention award, and Miller entered the Infographics contest, but did not place at the State contest.

### Just Ask the Chief

Advisor Jill Holder stands by and gives advice to senior Holly Thompson. As the Editor-in-Chief, Thompson was responsible for editing pages, brainstorming ideas and making sure all the deadlines were met.





# National Honor Society

helping themselves and their community

"National Honor Society really is not a hard club to participate in if you are dedicated and interested in what you are doing," senior President Kristi King said.

As President, King led the group meetings and answered any questions her peers might have had concerning their points eligibility and activities.

For juniors to retain membership they had to earn ten NHS points by April. For seniors to be eligible for Induction they had to have five points by December. The points are achieved by volunteering, purchasing items and attending meetings.

"The points were not that hard to attain, you just had to put forth some effort," senior Bonnie Assmann said.

Some activities that NHS sponsored were: Food Kitchen,

Youth Friends, Blood Drive, Meal of the Month and a city-wide cleanup.

"I enjoyed the city-wide cleanup the most. It's amazing what you could find," junior Helen Shepherd said.

After all points were tallied, the seniors were ready for NHS Induction on April 24.

"Induction was the best part of being in NHS. It was sort of like a separate graduation," King said.

With all of their accomplishments and hard work, the seniors deserved the special recognition they received at the ceremony, and the juniors looked forward to their own Induction next year.

—Leslie Anderson

## Induction Night

Melissa Wiseman lights Joshua Woods's NHS candle, which represents the four standards of NHS: community, scholarship, leadership and service. A total of 46 seniors were inducted into the society.



## A-Nea NHS Inductees

**Front Row:** K. Kelley, H. Herrmann, L. Anderson, K. King, A. Cunningham, C. Lynn, A. Mikuls, B. Assmann, M. Ballard, A. Gillespie, N. Martinez, J. Day. **Second Row:** K. Knutter, A. Bond, M. Golubski, N. Haverland, A. Benton, T. Neal, T. Cooper, J. Bass, J. Coleman, B. Cole, J. Erin.



## Nel-Z NHS Inductees

**Front Row:** K. Szewc, H. Thompson, M. Wiseman, R. Nelson, M. Stephens, K. Steinhurst, J. Sangster, A. Pierson, A. Reyes, A. Rhodes, C. Romo, R. Shockey. **Second Row:** V. Spartan, C. Vandenberg, T. Nelson, B. Peterson, J. Vogel, S. Sipes, J. Woods, B. Ritter, B. Smith, J. Wright, J. Nida.



## 2000-2001 NHS Juniors

**Front Row:** A. Vitt, B. Heckert, M. Miller, R. Gonzales, L. Russell, A. Sturgeon, T. Sanford, R. Ford, S. Fesenmeyer. **Second Row:** A. Davis, R. Boddy, H. Sheperd, C. Thomas, S. Rowland, B. Gipson, K. Parks, M. Warford, E. Dragush, C. Freeman. **Third Row:** M. McCluney, B. Miller, M. Lopez, M. Ashford, R. Shields, E. Stoner, P. Wiehe, D. Arnett, M. Villarreal, M. Mellott, K. Szewc, J. Montgomery. **Fourth Row:** M. Miller, A. Sullivan, L. Reyes, C. Cobbins, T. Gardner, S. Gray, D. Peters, J. Woods, D. May, B. Burch, A. Wise.





# Kiwinas Educating Youth

dedication, determination and volunteering

With roughly 50 people involved in the Key Club this year, the club ran smoothly. The President was senior Anthony Blancarte and serving as Lieutenant Governor over two districts was senior Jessie Wright.

"Being Lieutenant Governor wasn't very difficult. I was basically a link between state and local Key Clubs. I made newsletters and attended board meetings.

## In Memory of Mr. Roger Mignot

Close friends and colleagues of Mr. Roger Mignot, Mr. Mike Leonard and Mr. Rob Huff plant a tree in front of the school as a memorial to Mr. Mignot. In addition to the tree, Mr. Mignot's wife Miryam also presented Dr. Jerry Abbott with a plaque that was posted in Student Services in his honor. Mr. Mignot passed away unexpectedly on June 7, 2000.

Overall, I just offered advice to the local clubs about Key Club stuff," Wright said.

With the club being under a new advisor due to loss of Mr. Roger Mignot, the students had to adjust to the new sponsor, Ms. Amy Iwert.

"Since I didn't really know anything about Key Club, I had to attend a class over the summer to find out what my responsibilities were, and the students adjusted well to having a new advisor," Ms. Iwert said.

"Even though we had a rocky start, we had a great year. Everyone pulled together and made it a very memorable year," President Anthony Blancarte said.

—Leslie Anderson



## 2000-2001 Key Club

**Front Row:** N. Martinez, J. Waldo, T. Kerns, S. Wright, K. Steinhurst, K. King, A. Cunningham, V. Spartan, J. Ventura. **Second Row:** D. Dunivan, J. Wright, K. Szewc, H. Herrmann, S. Rowland, R. Boddy, C. Lynn, B. Heckert, J. Sangster, C. Vandenberg, Holly Thompson. **Third Row:** M. McCluney, A. Davis, K. Kelley, B. Gipson, M. Ashford, E. Stoner, K. Szewc, R. Nelson, A. Gillespie, N. Haverland, K. Knutter. **Fourth Row:** A. Reyes, M. Blake, B. Assmann, M. Miller, J. Lawson, A. Pierson, J. Kirk, R. Shockey, J. Cole, C. Romo.



## Who's Your Soul Mate?

Seniors Philena Anderson and Christina Romo, junior Atlantis Smart, senior Angela Kelly and sophomore Marcus Anderson gather together to find out their results of the Data Match fundraiser. To raise money for the club students first filled out a survey, then they paid one dollar to find out with whom they were most compatible.





# Band

sweating the whole year through

The Bonner Springs High School Band had an exceptional school year. They participated in halftime shows at Friday night varsity football games, marched in several parades, went to a State Music Contest, and attended a five-day band week.

Band week was the first week of school, and band members met every night for two hours to go over their marching and music. Also, the band members had mandatory practices every day after school the week of home games.

"I think the band needed the extra time. It helps us look better and be more confident when we perform," junior flutist Alexis Eker said.

However, the year wasn't just about marching because the students were split into two separate bands, a concert and a symphonic band.

"I liked the separate bands because we had more time to work out problems and practice difficult sections," senior flutist Alice Pierson said.

Band had its good and bad aspects, just like any other club or activity.

"My favorite part of band was our final halftime show because we all danced and made fools of ourselves but it was fun!" sophomore clarinetist Sara Miller said.

Another year of band came to an end with graduation, but the members of the band will start a new beginning next year.

—*Sarah Rowland*

## Ready or Not, Here We Come

As Band Director Mr. Mike Leonard keeps the band in step, senior drummer Ashe Bohnert bangs the cymbals while marching in the Tiblow Days Parade. The band has performed in the parade for many years, and every year they continue to be a big hit.



## 2000-2001 Band Members

**First row:** K. King, S. Rowland, A. Pierson, A. Kimbrough, A. Eker, A. Cunningham, E. Stoner, M. Davis. **Second Row:** J. Woods, S. Miller, B. Gibson, J. Dean, A. Cox, B. Miller, A. McConico, A. Reed, E. Luviano, R. Shields, J. Waldo, M. Blake, I. Mellott, W. Peterson. **Third Row:** N. Romo, D. Perica, E. Prather, H. Schweizer, L. Davis, J. Bush, B. Barentine, H. Weaver, G. Peters, A. Byrd, N. Smith, S. Wilson, A. Robertson, J. Gillespie, B. Sorenson, S. Bond, J. Waters, P. Luviano, H. Herrmann, S. Fesenmeyer, D. Kirby, R. Nelson. **Fourth Row:** T. Ridenour, L. McConico, K. McConnel, K. Twist, S. Belknap, J. Keeton, R. Day, M. Stephens, T. Mills, A. Benton, D. Peters, J. Woods, J. Erin, M. Miller, C. Scheidt, C. Johnson, M. Tinsley, J. Vaughan, K. Black, B. Shelton, T. Slankard, T. Tilford, M. Ashford. **Fifth Row:** R. Fesenmeyer, J. McConico, B. Gallagher, A. Trafton, E. Ferleman, M. Leonard, M. Watson, T. McGinnis, J. Moore, J. Holtzen, A. Weathers, G. Elmer, N. Pinks, Z. Powell, D. Arnett, A. Mills, E. Shepherd, C. Moppin. **Sixth Row:** A. Limcharoen, A. Bohnert, N. Border, K. Turner, D. Bass, K. Dame.





# Flags

hard work and dedication pay off

Hard work, sweat, and tears were but a few words that would describe the 2000 Flag Team. Not only did my girls practice every Monday and Wednesday night for two hours, but they also had a few morning practices.

"As odd as it may seem, I enjoyed morning practices because I think I did better during those than after school," junior Ruth Shields said.

This year was exceptionally hard for the team due to our lack

## When Is This Gonna' Be Over?

Sarah Rowland, junior, along with Jennifer Bush and Jessie Wright, seniors, take a minute to rest while the band prepares to play "The Star Spangled Banner" at a home football game. The band and flag members couldn't wear their uniforms because it was 97 degrees and their uniforms were too hot.

of a coordinator.

However, I stepped up and made every routine for the year, whether I was ridiculed or praised. It was a lot of hard work because I was pretty much on my own, and without the help of my co-captain and team, I don't know what I would have done. My mom was also a big help because she took over as our sponsor.

We performed at every home Friday night football game, and marched in several parades with the band.

This year was definitely a turn of events for the team, but we took it in strides. Very seldom did we complain because we worked together and made this year fun and rewarding for everyone.

—Sarah Rowland, Captain



## 2000 Flag Team

**First Row:** Jessie Wright, Samantha Allen, Ruth Shields. **Second Row:** Jenny Montgomery, Amanda Zaring, Christa Crane, Amanda Pettit. **Third row:** Sarah Wright, Sarah Rowland, Amber Williams.

## Left, Left, Left, Right, Left!

The flag team marches in the Homecoming parade. Although it was so cold the girls had to wear their jackets, they still made the school proud.







### Chorale

**Front Row:** D. Gibson, S. Young, K. Dunfee, J. Blair, J. Adams, S. Strom. **Second Row:** M. O'Hare, C. Fraundorfer, J. Tillisch, J. Duckworth, R. Sohol. **Third Row:** C. Winkler, L. Berry, N. Craig, A. Cox, A. Ortiz, S. Sawyer, D. Dunivan, A. McGhee. **Back Row:** S. Smith, C. Ogden, C. McComb, J. Thompson, J. Johns, C. Fraundorfer, S. Wright.



### Women in Harmony

Members of the A Capella Women's 12 sung, "This Little Babe," at the Fine Arts Night. Not only did the women sing at Fine Arts Night, but they also performed at the Regional Solo and Small Ensemble Contest, in which they brought back a "I" rating, along with the Mixed Ensemble. The contest was held at Baker University, Baldwin City, Kansas on April 6, and the choir department was very pleased with 31 medals brought home.



### Women's Ensemble

**Front Row:** S. Strom. **Second Row:** D. Gibson, A. Wells, K. Barncord, C. Hawkins, M. Meyer, M. Gushee, M. Warford. **Third Row:** L. McGee, R. Bradley, B. Heston, C. Thomas, N. McGinnis, A. Speiss, A. Smart. **Fourth Row:** S. Freemire, T. King, A. Marcel, B. Luviano, C. Silvers, L. Roberts, A. Davis.



### Freshmen Concert Choir

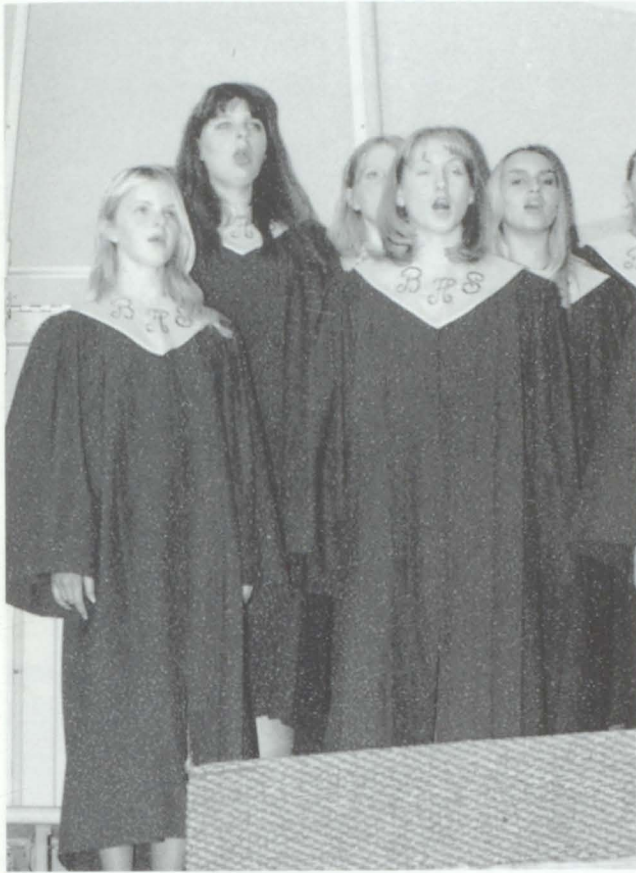
**Front Row:** D. Gibson, S. Strom. **Second Row:** D. Perica, E. Franklin, A. Allenbrand, J. Waldo, G. Garrison, J. Caudill, J. Buck, A. Body, C. Harding, T. Hernandez. **Third Row:** H. Weaver, A. Pardew, A. McConico, A. Mathiesen, K. Miser, J. Wiggins; R. Silvers, D. McCullough, S. Birdsong, D. Putnam, L. Vasquez, K. VanGosen, K. Beach, M. Escott. **Back Row:** S. Wilson, S. Belknap, J. Smiley, J. Fowler, K. Dame, K. Mack, A. Alexander, V. Lockett, A. Henley, A. Kimbrough, A. Reed, A. McAvoy, M. Tinsley.





# Expression and Diction

students learn the basics while having fun



"Let's hear that measure one more time," were usual sounds heard from the choir room by Director Steve Strom.

Throughout the year, members of the A Capella Choir, Women's Ensemble, Freshmen Concert Choir, and Chorale endured long hours of practicing songs and correcting musical pitches.

"This was a good year for all students. We got a lot of I's, and that makes me proud. Hopefully

## First Concert Triumph

Women's Ensemble members sing, "This Little Babe" during the fall concert. Throughout the year Women's Ensemble sung at several out of school functions and helped with several fund-raisers during the year.

next year we can start new things and have stronger leadership," Mr. Steve Strom said.

Aside from their usual concerts, choir members also performed at out of school functions, such as the Holiday festival at Crown Center, the Lake of the Forest Christmas party and other events around the area.

"Choir this year was pretty fun. I think the most fun time was during Christmas when we went to Crown Center," sophomore Summer Pappé said.

With all of their dedication, students felt proud of their accomplishments.

—Anthony Blancarte



## A Capella Choir

**Front Row:** D. Gibson, T. Sanford, R. Stephens, A. Woodall, K. McConnell, T. McGinnis, D. Lemon, R. Williams, S. Strom. **Second Row:** A. Vitt, J. Ventura, K. Barncord, B. McGinnis, C. Moppin, A. Blancarte, M. Anderson, W. Mitchell, S. Holliday. **Third Row:** S. Nickloy, B. Heckert, N. Turner, L. McConico, M. McCluney, J. Bosley, A. Benton, K. Knutter, T. Ridenour, C. McComb, M. Davis, J. Lemon, S. Wade, M. Mellott. **Back Row:** M. Chandley, S. Rickert, A. McCulloch, S. Pappé, M. Miller, D. Jones, A. Cole, J. Sangster, A. Benton, M. Rainbolt, J. Cole, R. Nelson, A. Wise.



## Last Minute Practice

Members of the Men's Ensemble sing "Down Among the Dead Men" before the Fine Arts Festival. Several ensembles and soloists performed and entertained the spectators that evening.



# Chicago Adventure

students conquer "Windy City"

"Chicago here we come!" was a common thought on students minds as they departed for the band and choir trip to Chicago, IL on April 25-29.

After a long eleven hour drive through the night, students awoke to tall buildings and many, many people on the streets of Chicago.

The students performed at the DePaul College of Music on Friday, April 26, but the trip consisted of many fun activities, not just singing and playing.

They visited the Sears Tower, took an hour long cruise on the Chicago River and on Lake Michigan, visited the Field Museum of History, saw dolphins and whales at the Shedd Aquarium and Oceanarium, shopped on Michigan Avenue, spent an evening at the Disney Quest theme park, ate dinner at

the Hard Rock Cafe, and spent a day at Six Flags.

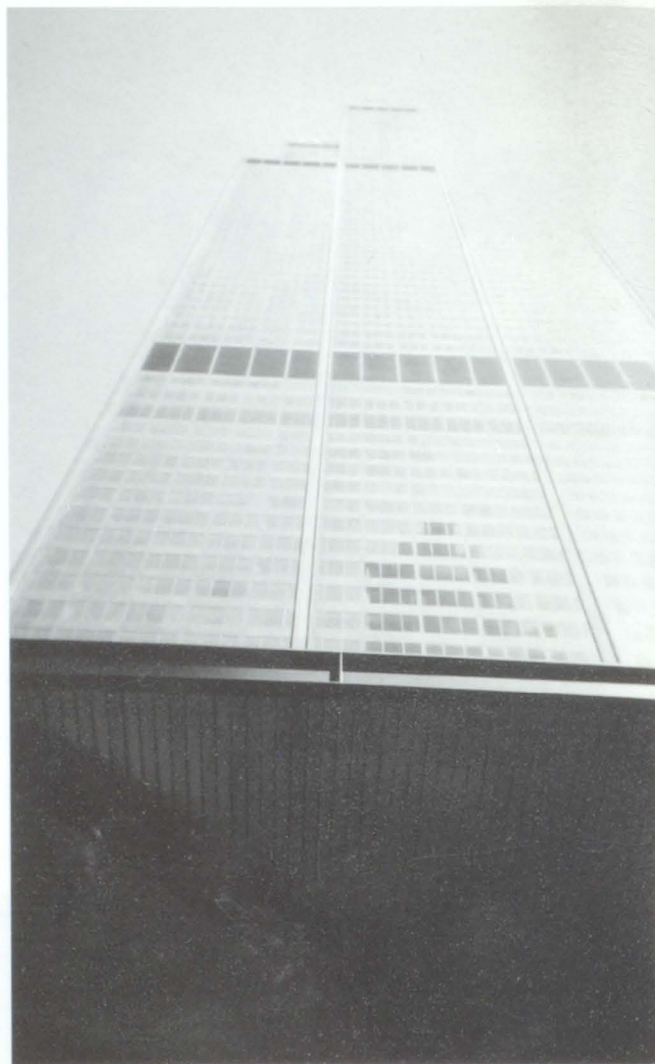
"Disney Quest was great fun! This interactive Disney center brought us all right into the center of action, in all of our favorite Disney movies! I'd definitely recommend Disney Quest to anyone, no matter how young or old he or she may be," sophomore Melanie Chandley said.

With the sights and sounds of the busy Chicago streets, students will always remember their adventure through the Windy City.

—Anthony Blancarte  
Becky Heckert

## Above the Clouds

Looking up from the street, students had a terrific sight of the Sears Tower. The tower is the tallest building in the U.S. and the second in the world. It stands at 110 stories high and is a prominent landmark in the Chicago skyline.



## Chicago Skyline

Standing on the 103rd floor of the Sears Tower, students received a spectacular view of downtown Chicago and Lake Michigan. People appeared only as small as ants when looking down at the busy streets.

## Hours of Fun

Listening to music and watching movies, students awoke from the drive to Chicago. Students and teachers departed BSHS on Wednesday night and drove throughout the night until they reached Chicago.







### Cruising on the River

Taking an hour long cruise on the Chicago River and Lake Michigan, freshmen Whitney Peterson, Stacy Belknap, Don Kirby, Jesse Vaughan enjoy the sights of the tall buildings and the sounds of the busy streets. The cruise took place on Thursday night right before they checked into their hotel rooms.



### History Adventure

Juniors Cinda Thomas and Amie Trafton take a minute to relax on the steps of the Chicago Field Museum of Natural History. Inside, students had the chance to see actual dinosaur bones and real Egyptian mummies. After students visited the museum, they performed at the DePaul College Music Mart.



### Cheesin' for the Camera

Junior Jenny Montgomery smiles for the camera in front of the sports section of the Sears Tower. "I love sports so I thought it would be a good place to have my picture taken," Montgomery said.

### What a View

Looking out over Lake Michigan, sophomore David Bass and juniors Melissa Davis and Erin Stoner take in the breathtaking view of the lake and the Chicago skyline. On Thursday students visited the Shedd Aquarium and Oceanarium, which is shown in the background.





# Ecology Club

robbing the world of trash

Recycling and cleaning up trash may not seem like fun to many people, but for Ecology Club members it was a blast.

"We started off the year by getting our recycling program into full gear. Boxes were placed in all the teachers rooms and were collected on a weekly basis," sponsor Christine Johns said.

Although the club focused mostly on recycling and cleaning up Bonner, its members still did fun things like going to the zoo.

"At the zoo we enjoyed watching different science experiments

performed by students from other schools," junior Amber Sturgeon said.

The Ecology Club members worked hard to not only make BSHS a better place, but also the surrounding community.

"Overall we had a successful year, but I hope our club continues to improve in the years to come," Johns said.

—*Sarah Rowland*

## Ahh, Get It in the Can

Junior Dustin Carson empties a box of recyclable material into a recycling bin. Ecology Club members emptied the boxes every Thursday morning during ELO.



## Just the Two of Us

Juniors Mark Smith and Mitchell Miller work together to remove a frame of a car from the stream. Smith also found a pair of glasses, a baseball hat, and a bedpan.

## Okay Jessica, Pull on Three!

Junior Jessica Sullivan pulls out a tire from the stream at the Clean Stream 2001 event. Tammy Sanford, junior, cheers Sullivan on while Sullivan tugs on the tire.



## Ecology Club Members

**First Row:** R. Gonzales, K. Szewc, S. Miller, A. Vitt, A. Sturgeon, T. Sanford, M. Mellott, R. Ford. **Second Row:** V. Spartan, M. Chandley, S. Rowland, E. Stoner, B. Miller, J. Cole, J. Sullivan, H. Thompson, M. Ballard, C. Johns. **Third Row:** C. Vandenberg, J. Kirk, T. Neal, M. Miller, B. Assmann, A. Dill, M. Smith, E. Ferleman, J. Gardner, A. Gillespie.





# ARE YOU TOUGH ENOUGH?

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## TAKING FLIGHT

Sophomore Ryan Hall soars to the sand pit as he finishes his run at the long jump. It was Hall's first year doing track, "It's been cool being around all the seniors, Brock, Corrine, Kristine just everybody. There was so much leadership. I learned a lot from the seniors," Hall said.

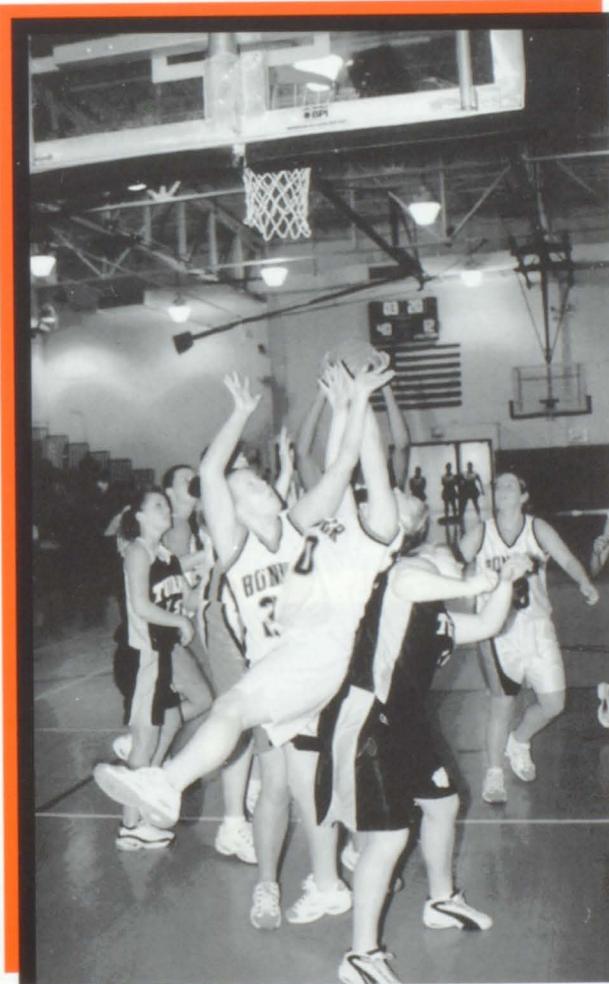


## EYE ON THE BALL

Freshman Sarah Couch concentrates on kicking the ball back down field. Soccer was a new sport added this year, and with all the effort from the players it turned out to be a good first year and will be a returning sport next year.

## FIGHTING FOR THE BALL

Having the home court advantage, seniors Alicia Forshey and Katie Szewc battle for a rebound against the Turner Bears. With all their hard work, the girls had an awesome 17-4 season. "Everyone worked hard and put all their effort into the games," Forshey said.



We practiced through rain and shine,  
We devoted all of our spare time.  
We gave up our social lives at times  
To try to take our school all the way to victory.  
We were **BRAVE** in our game.





# Braves sticking TOGETHER

It was Sept. 1, the sun was beaming, the stands were filled, and the Braves football team just beat their longtime rivals the Basehor-Linwood Bobcats. Everyone watching was willing to support the team throughout the season's entirety.

Brave fans indeed stood behind the team during the season which ended with a 2-7 record. Senior Jay Frazier expressed that, "The team played hard and stuck together through the tough schedule, but we just couldn't figure out what would help us win."

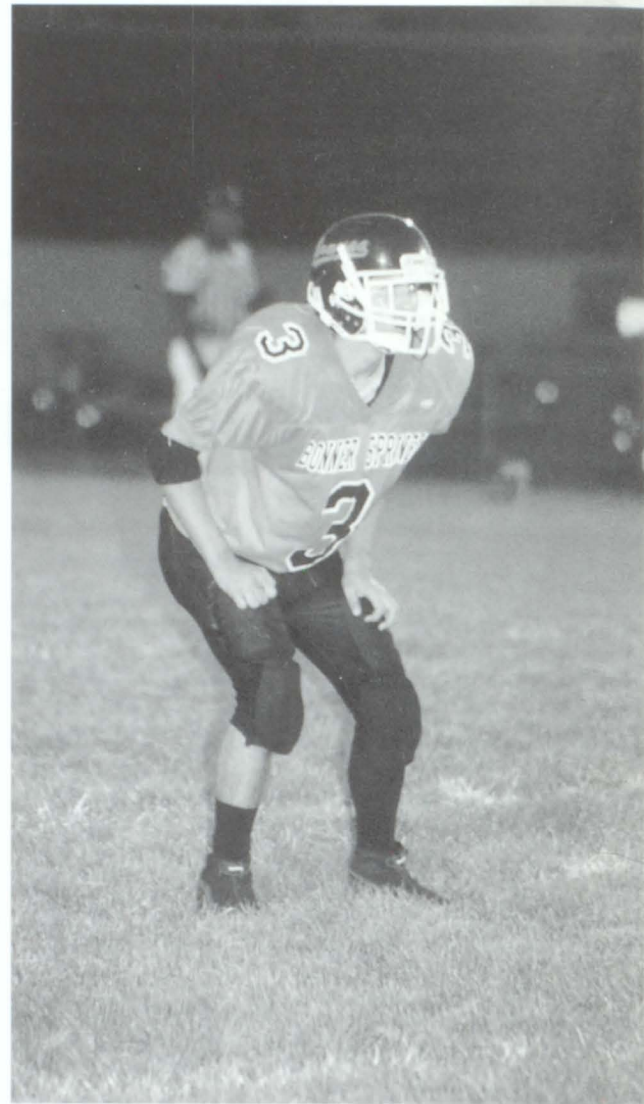
"Desire, dedication, and discipline were missing for a winning season," Assistant Coach Matt McLeod said.

Seeing that the team had only 10 seniors and over 25 underclassmen, youth and inexperience did play a part in the season's final outcome.

"Anytime you are young, you lack experience in crucial situations and in mental preparation," Head Coach Lew Kasselmann said.

No matter what happened throughout the season, the football team made sure to stick together bravely.

—Alicia Forshey  
Amber Sturgeon



### ANYTIME NOW

Junior Greg Forshey waits to receive the kick off. Forshey ended the season with a total of 83 tackles. Forshey also won the "Hardest Hitter" of the year award.



### COOLING OFF

Sophomore David Bass cools off as he gets ready to go back into the home opener against the Basehor-Linwood Bobcats. It was a 97° day and the players and fans did everything they could to stay cool.



### 2000 VARSITY FOOTBALL TEAM

Front Row: J. Frazier, P. Henry, A. Davis, D. Bass, J. Keeton, M. Lopez, K. Turner, C. Carpenter. Second Row: Coach R. Lowe, Coach J. Mitchell, Coach M. McLeod, D. Arnett, S. Lutjen, B. Burch, Coach L. Kasselmann, Coach S. Cook, Coach D. Burns. Third Row: K. Yates, A. Mills, C. Gensler, G. Forshey, C. Scheidt, D. Jordan, C. McComb, D. Crosby, C. Moppin, K. Korgol. Fourth Row: Z. Caldwell, C. Cobbins, J. Burns, T. Gardner, J. Woods, G. Pinks, L. Reyes, J. Gipson, J. Coleman. Back Row: J. Bosley, S. Sipes, J. Provence, J. Botts, C. Nay, A. Cole, J. Grabmiller, J. Bass.







**DON'T LOOK BACK**

Running back, senior Dustin Crosby carries the football while a Sumner player stays close behind. Throughout the season, Crosby had 79 carries while rushing for 263 yards.

**HUDDLING UP**

The Braves start off every game with their annual huddle. In the huddle they get pumped up for the game, creating a game plan to stop their opponents.

**SCOREBOARD**

Basehor-Linwood	13-2	W
Atchison	0-28	L
Ottawa	14-21	L
Bishop Ward	0-33	L
Turner	0-48	L
Sumner Academy	8-0	W
Washington	6-30	L
St. Thomas Aquinas	7-39	L
Schlagle	0-48	L



**2000 FRESHMEN FOOTBALL TEAM**

Front Row: D. Larson, R. Mortell, T. Mills, K. Black, K. Mack, M. Middleton, D. Mulich. Second Row: Coach C. Davis, K. Dame, W. Wright, C. Schroeder, R. Silvers, B. Gardner, F. Vogan, Coach R. Baldwin. Third Row: D. Hess, M. Hernandez, D. Bolton, C. Johnson, B. Shelton, L. Barber, B. Bernard.



**DON'T FALL**

Junior Cameron Gensler tries to keep his balance while an Atchison player tries to tackle him. In an effort to help Gensler, sophomore Steven Lutjen prepares to put a block on the Atchison opponent.



# Soccer in the MAKING

Making school history, the BSHS soccer team took the field for the first time on Sept. 5. Students were proud and excited to be involved in this historical event. The first game ended with the Braves defeating Sumner Academy 6-0.

"Having a soccer team is awesome," Assistant Coach John Linn said. "A lot of people put tremendous effort into it to make Bonner Springs proud. Our number one goal was to represent Bonner. There's always room for improvement, but we did have a good defense," Linn added.

Soccer is a game that consists of eleven players who kick around a ball on a field, but it also means a lot of running, sweating, and sliding. Scrapes and cuts are all



## KICKING UP A GOOD YEAR

Meric Seaton, senior, played with a lot of competition as he blocks Sumner's player from receiving the ball. Seaton and the rest of the varsity players began their season at the Kansas City Kansas Community College High School Tournament held on the college's campus.

part of the game. Players get pushed, shoved and kicked in soccer, so to play athletes have to have complete intensity.

Because the team was coed, it brought about many comments from players. "It's cool, but you can't play as aggressive as you want because you're afraid of hurting the girls," Devin Pino, sophomore, said.

"The guys didn't like it at first, but after they knew me, and how I played, they were okay with it," sophomore Anne Miser said.

Coed or not, the soccer team came together and made it an unforgettable year. The first soccer season in BSHS history was definitely an impressive one.

—Summer Pappé  
Amy Marcel



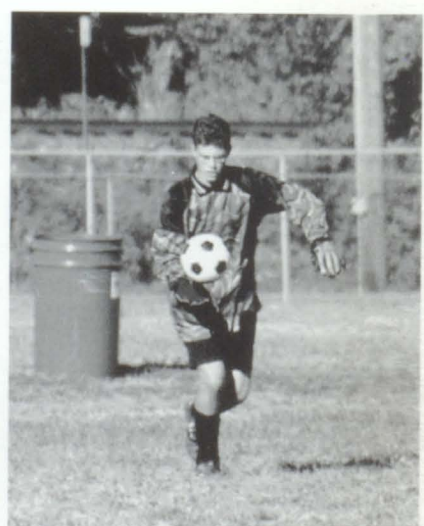
## FROM OUT OF THE BLUE

Senior Joshua Woods steals the ball from his Sumner opponent and tries to pass it to teammate Jimmy Vogel, senior. Woods played as a midfielder and Vogel played as a striker and led the team with 14 goals.



## GOING FOR THE GOAL

Sarah Couch, freshman, gets ready to kick the ball to a teammate. Couch was one of only three girls to play on the soccer team this year. Couch played on the junior varsity team and her position was a striker.



## LET 'EM FLY

Just finished from blocking a goal, senior Travis Slankard kicks the ball back into the game. In addition to playing goalie, Slankard also played as a right wing forward.







**2000 SOCCER TEAM**

**Front Row:** Nathan Andrews, Zachary Powell, Matthew Lewis, Anne Miser, James Erin, Chris Pike, Sarah Couch, Cara Harding, Jimmy Vogel. **Second Row:** Chad Vandenberg, Paul Luviano, Vincent Lewis, Jon VanMaren, Drew McCullough, Joshua Woods, Blake Ritter, Joey Caudill, Samuel Garcia, Nick Border. **Back Row:** Coach John Linn, Ryan Kramer, John Woodall, Nathan Sparks, Brandon Crawley, Devin Pino, Ryan Auten, Travis Slankard, Thomas Cooper, Brian Cole, Meric Seaton, Scott Wilkey, Coach David Toland.

SCOREBOARD		
Sumner Academy	6-0	W
KC Christian	1-11	L
Wyandotte	1-4	L
Bishop Ward	4-3	W
Atchison	3-4	L
Turner	0-4	L
Sumner Academy	10-2	W
Ottawa	4-6	L
Bishop Ward	2-5	L
Atchison	2-2	Tied
Turner	1-7	L
Maur Hill	2-3	L
Ottawa	0-5	L
Maranatha Academy	1-6	L
Sumner Academy	4-3	W
Topeka Seaman	1-9	L



**TAKING CHARGE**

Trying to steal the ball from an Atchison player, Drew McCullough, freshman, succeeds. Teammate Joey Caudill, freshman, prepares to head the opposite direction.

**GO, FIGHT, WIN!**

Sophomore Chad Vandenberg goes for the goal as he scores the first point of the first game against Sumner Academy. With a total of two goals and five assists for the year, Vandenberg definitely helped the team score some points.



# Bravettes adapt to **CHANGES**

The Bravettes volleyball team started off with a very successful season, winning their first six matches. Unfortunately, the winning streak came to an end when they fell to Gardner and Olathe Christian in the Baldwin Tourney.

With their encouraging start, the team didn't seem to be bothered by the adjustment of a new head coach, Mrs. Staci Lowe.

"Mrs. Lowe added a lot of help with the fundamentals and helped us adjust to our handicaps," senior Vanessa Spartan said.

Reflecting on her first year as head coach, Mrs. Lowe commented, "The season went well but had its ups and downs. There were times when the team could have completely given up, but

they hung in there."

Their perseverance and determination was evident at the Sub-State competition. Hosting the tourney, the Bravettes defeated Wyandotte easily 15-0, 15-0 in the semi-finals before falling to Bishop Miege in the finals.

Although they fell short of going to State, the team placed second at Sub-State and ended their season with a winning record of 19-17.

—Amber Sturgeon  
Alicia Forshey

## **JUMPING HIGH**

Sophomore Andrea Dill and senior Holly Thompson both jump at the same time to block the ball from coming over the net. Dill had 38 blocks for the year and Thompson led the team with 72 assists.



### **2000 VARSITY VOLLEYBALL TEAM**

Front Row: Holly Thompson, Mandy Ballard. Middle Row: Angela Mikuls, Bonnie Assmann, Vanessa Spartan. Back Row: Amanda Berry, Andrea Dill, Lindsey Stanbrough.

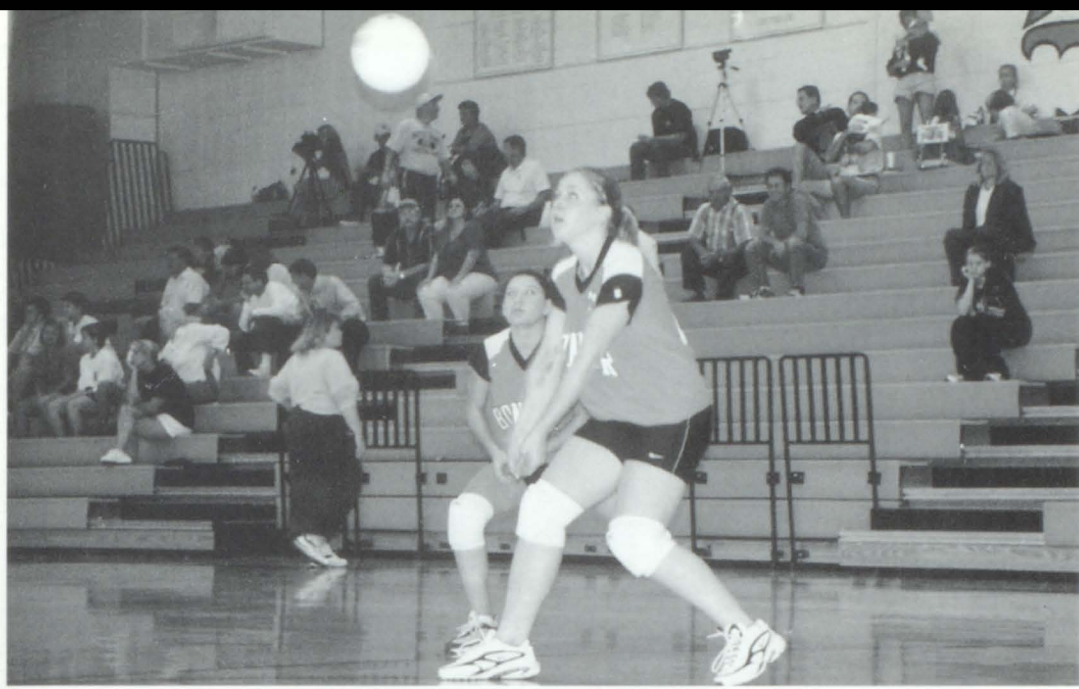


### **2000 JUNIOR VARSITY VOLLEYBALL TEAM**

Front Row: Whitney Peterson, Corie Crouch. Middle Row: Jill Gardner, Ambrosia Davis, Nicki McGinnis. Back Row: Jenny Montgomery, Rea Tombs.







## SCOREBOARD

Harmon Quad	3-0	W
Tonganoxie Quad	3-0	W
Baldwin Tourney	1-2	L
Bonner Quad	1-2	L
Desoto Quad	1-2	L
Atchison Quad	0-3	L
WYCO Tourney	4-2	W
Bonner Quad	2-1	W
Huron League	2-3	L
Bonner Quad	2-1	W
Sub-State	1-1	L



### THE PERFECT PASS

Sophomore Amanda Berry gets ready to hit the perfect pass to her setter while senior Vanessa Spartan stays close behind in case Berry needs help. Berry led the team in kills with 115 and in blocks with 75. Spartan finished the season with 91 digs and 281 attacks.

### SET ME UP

In the junior varsity game against Bishop Ward, sophomore Nicki McGinnis sets the ball to an awaiting spiker, freshman Cori Crouch. Freshman Whitney Peterson stands by just in case the save is needed.

### 2000 FRESHMEN VOLLEYBALL TEAM

**Front Row:** Liz Brown, Ashley Pardue. **Middle Row:** Beth Ashford, Jennifer Sullivan, Andrea Zarate. **Back Row:** Anecia Reed, Kristy Holt, Jules Fowler, Vicky Reynolds.



### GOING FOR THE KILL

Senior Bonnie Assmann spikes the ball over one of the Spring Hill players. Assmann led the team with 97 digs throughout the season.





# Rackin' up the COURT

Girls tennis had their largest team ever this year with 27 girls. Having few players with over two years of experience, the team had to begin by learning with the basics.

The large team had many wins and losses. There were dual wins over Sumner Academy, Lansing, Maranatha, Hiawatha and Atchison.

Although there were many memorable meets, one stands out in many of the girls' memories. The Bonner Springs Invitational, at Desoto, was held on a very cold October day. The temperatures were surprisingly low, at around 35 degrees.

"It was absolutely miserable!" sophomore, Morgan Tuttle said. The team placed fifth place at the meet.

The tennis teams have a promising future with the new

development of the school. Four tennis courts will be added to the two present courts which will enable Bonner to hold their invitational at home instead of at the Desoto courts.

But there was more than the exhaustion of practice and the desire for winning a difficult match—the girls enjoyed playing the sport.

—Lisa Assmann

## GETTING READY

Senior Jacqueline Nida gets ready for her match. Nida had a combined singles and doubles record of 7-7.



## 2000 BRAVETTES TENNIS TEAM

**Front Row:** Morgan Tuttle, Amanda Rhodes, Jacqueline Nida, Michelle Stephen, Angelique Howard, Ashley Bush. **Middle Row:** Ashley McConico, Brandy Miller, Heather Weaver, LaPourchea McConico, Jennifer McConico, Alexis Eker, Shannon Davidson, Lisa Assmann, Jeneice Waters. **Back Row:** Danielle Perica, Alexis Kimbrough, Erica Schempp, Kallie Szewc, Sara Miller, Bianca Luviano, Alisha Mathiesen, Jessica Ventura, Krista Redlin, Stephanie Fesenmeyer, Coach Bill Scott, Amber McAvoy.

## HOMECOMING FLOAT

The girls tennis team threw candy and tennis balls to the onlookers during the annual Homecoming parade. This was only the second year the girls' tennis team was a part of the parade.







**GETTIN' THIRSTY**

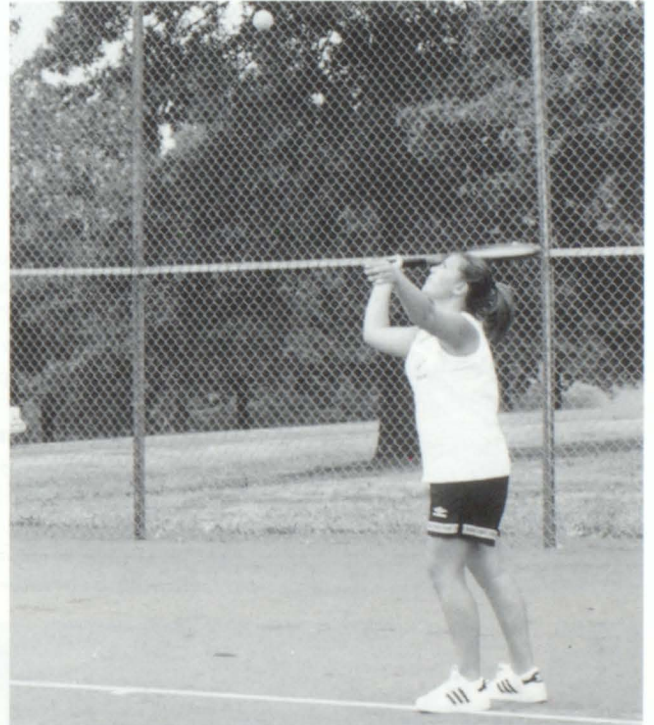
Sophomore Sara Miller takes a drink after she plays in a match at Wyandotte County Park. Miller held first position on the team for the first half of the year.

**DOUBLING UP**

Junior Bianca Luviano prepares to serve as her doubles partner, junior Brandy Miller is ready at the net. Miller and Luviano led the team in overall games played with 277 and 253 respectively.

**SCOREBOARD**

Blue Valley	L
Baldwin	L
Lincoln Academy	W
Bishop Miege	L
Maranatha Academy	W
Sumner Academy	W
Baldwin Invitational	5th
Lawrence	L
Desoto	W
Leavenworth	Tied
Bonner Invitational	5th
Atchison	W
Hiawatha	W
Lansing	W



**WAITING FOR THE FALL**

Junior Kallie Szevc waits for the ball to get the return. Szevc had a good season and helped with team events, such as the Homecoming float. She was also the recipient of the "Most Spirited" award for the team.

**RUNNING TO RETURN**

Sophomore Ashley Bush concentrates on returning the ball to her opponent while playing at the Wyandotte County Park. Bush has played tennis for two years and plans to continue throughout high school.





# Leading the way to **VICTORY**

The cross-country teams went through their ups and downs during the season, and their hard work and determination helped them achieve many victories.

The boys varsity team had a great year placing first at the Bonner Springs Invitational and second at six other invitational meets. Individually, all of the team members improved their personal best times by at least 30 seconds over the course of the season.

"The team had a great season," head coach Bill Downing said. He added "I was stunned with the turn out of our meets due to all of the first year runners. The returning runners did not stun me; they accomplished what I expected of them and more."

With three returning runners and five new runners, the girls cross-country team had a marvelous season too.

At the WYCO Invitational, the Bravettes took first place for the first time since 1995, and they also placed third at the Bonner

Springs Invitational and second at the Lansing Invitational and the Huron League Meet.

"Running through heat and rain, smiles and tears, pain and joy, I'd say the team did pretty good as an understatement," senior and team captain, Kristine Knutter said.

Both teams showed great self-discipline and succeeded in the end. Sending the entire boys team and one girl to the State competition, the cross-country teams proved their dominance on the course.

—Jackie Mitchell  
Abby Vitt

## **SIDE BY SIDE**

Together, sophomore Madeleine Rainbolt and junior Jackie Mithcell run a great race at the WYCO meet. Rainbolt placed 14th, for her best place of the season, and Mitchell placed 20th.

## **AND ONE LAST THING**

First year coach, Bill Downing gives an inspirational speech before the Bonner Springs Invitational. With this successful speech and hard work, the boys placed first and the girls placed third.



## **2000 CROSS-COUNTRY TEAM**

**Front Row:** M. McConico, M. Rainbolt, A. Garcia, J. Mitchell, L. Russell, J. Kirk.  
**Second Row:** E. Shepherd, M. Miller, K. Parks, K. Knutter, D. Shepherd, K. Ballard, C. DeLeon, S. Lutjen, M. Ashford, C. Stakely, J. Holtzen. **Back Row:** M. Miller, B. Peterson, J. Bennett, J. VanMaren. **Not Pictured:** M. Hickmon, J. McIntyre, J. Davidson, K. Yates.







**I CAN DO IT!**

Sophomore Jeff Bennett, a junior varsity runner, passes up a rival team member from Ward. Bennett triumphed over his opponents with his eighth place medal at the WYCO meet.



**ALMOST THERE**

Senior and team captain, Kristine Knutter gives it her all to make it up the last hill as she approaches the finish line. Knutter placed sixth with her best time of 14:36 at the WYCO meet.

**"GRRR... GET UP THAT HILL"**

Manager and junior, Lindsay Russell encourages junior Jesse Kirk to get up the hill to make it to the finish line. Kirk placed sixth during the home invitational at WYCO park.



**STROLL BY THE POND**

Senior and team captain, Brock Peterson leads the boys varsity team around the WYCO park course. He followed the path around the pond to the finish line where he took first place with an impressive time of 17:52.

**A SPRINT AHEAD**

With sophomore Jon VanMaren leading the way, the junior varsity boys team sprints ahead to lead the pack at the WYCO Invitational. VanMaren came in first with a time of 20:28.





# Goin' the DISTANCE

After their second place victory at Sub-State, the boys cross-country team moved on to running State at Rim-Rock Farm in Lawrence on Saturday, Oct. 28. Along with the rainy, cool weather and the sound of the gun, the guys were off in an attempt to set new school records.

Brock Peterson, senior, placed seventh with a time of 17:03 on the 3.1 mile course. This was the best individual place at State since 1986. Peterson helped lead the team to placing tenth overall.

"The boys worked hard to make it as far as they did. They deserved all of the great things they achieved," Coach Bill Downing said.

The boys weren't the only ones to be able to go to State. Morgan McConico, sophomore, was the only Bravette to qualify for State since 1980. McConico ran a time of 14:36, finishing in 60th place.

"The worst part of the race was I started out too fast causing my-

self to run out of energy," McConico said.

This supportive team not only had a few members go to State, but a few received local year-end honors. Peterson and McConico made First Team All-League, and Peterson was also selected as an All-Metro runner by the Coaches Association.

All in all, the team members worked hard and well together to get as far as they did. Through the extreme heat and adjusting to a new coach and teammates, the team proved that they had the heart of a Brave!

—Jackie Mitchell  
Abby Vitt

## OVERCOMING OBSTACLES

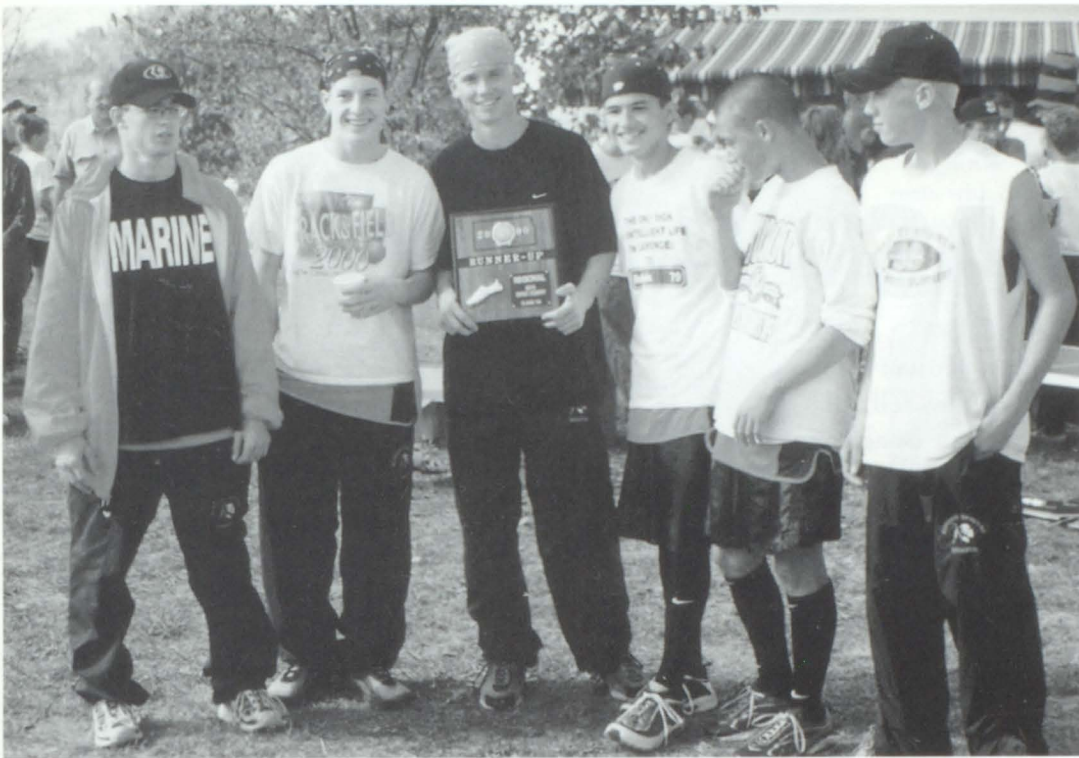
Jack Holtzen continues with a steady pace to make it to the end of the State race. Holtzen had many obstacles to overcome through the season because he collapsed during the first two races of the season. After taking nearly two months off, Holtzen was still able to qualify for the State team.

## DYNAMIC DUO

Steven Lutjen and Jon VanMaren run for the last time of the season. In addition to running cross-country, Lutjen and VanMaren both played other sports. Lutjen played football and VanMaren played soccer. "It was physically tiring, and I always thought I was cheating one team or the other, but it was extremely fun and the teams assured me I wasn't cheating them," VanMaren said.



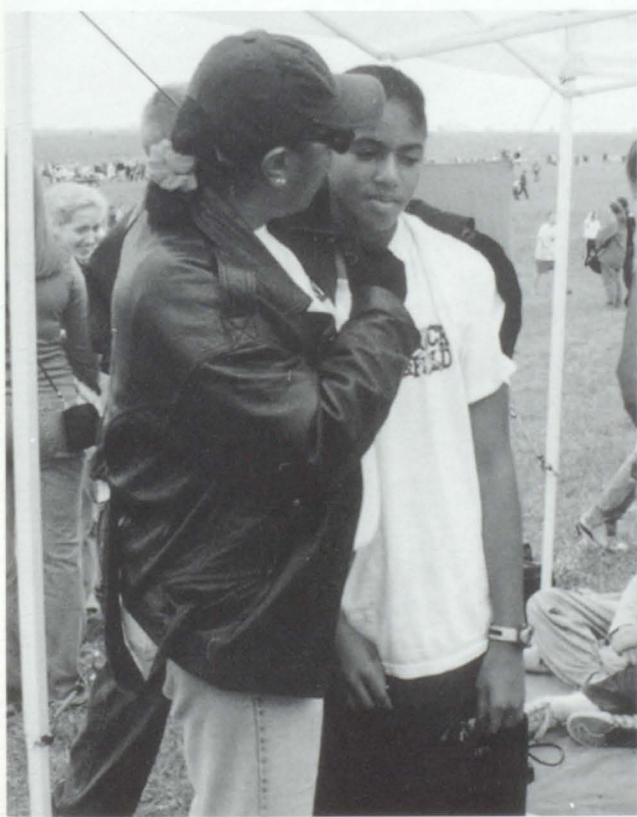




SCOREBOARD		
	Boys	Girls
Wamego	5th	16th
Bonner Invitational	1st	3rd
Paola	2nd	5th
Tonganoxie	2nd	5th
Lansing	2nd	2nd
Wyco Invitational	2nd	1st
Huron League	2nd	2nd
Sub-State	2nd	6th
State	10th	2nd

**WE'RE ON OUR WAY!**

Donnie Shepherd, Steven Lutjen, Brock Peterson, Michael Ashford, Jack Holtzen, and Chris Stakley show off their second place Sub-State plaque. "Being a new runner and doing this well at Regionals makes me feel as if I have encouraged the others to try harder to make it to State in the future," Lutjen said.



**FOCUSED UNTIL THE END**

Senior and team captain, Brock Peterson stays focused on making it to the finish line during the State race. Peterson placed seventh, his best finish in a State race. "This season was a really good season. It has been a life lesson for all of us. We really pulled things together to make it as far as we did. This year being my last year running will always be memorable. There was a new and strong team created this year. I know they will be successful in the future," Peterson said.

**I BELIEVE IN YOU**

Sophomore and rookie runner Morgan McConico needed some words of encouragement from her mother, Yvetter McConico, before the start of the State race. McConico being the only girl to make it to State, was extremely nervous. But after hearing her mom say, "Concentrate! I know you can do this. Keep your head clear and run fast." McConico completed the race strongly.



**CATCHIN' UP**

One runner after another, junior Michael Ashford catches up to the competition. Ashford ran a time of 18.25, placing 65th. "As one of two returning lettermen, I think the responsibility of working hard and being determined paid off. Not only did we set an example and future goals for the others, we showed them it all pays off in the end," Ashford said.



# An Up and Down SEASON

A roller coaster ride is what many players, fans, and coaches would express about the boys basketball season.

Losing four games decided by four points or less caused a lot of frustration, but the team stuck together as they finished with a winning record of 11-10.

The team showed their resilience though at the Tonganoxie Tournament. After a disappointing loss to the seventh seed Van Horn in the first round, the boys came back to win their next two games, coming out with a fifth place consolation bracket trophy.

Going into Sub-State, they would have to compete against second seed F.L. Schagle. The team went in and played their

hardest, but just couldn't pull out a win as they fell 50-66.

In Head Coach Jim Bonar's last year, the team may not have finished as many had hoped including him, but Bonar spoke on a positive note.

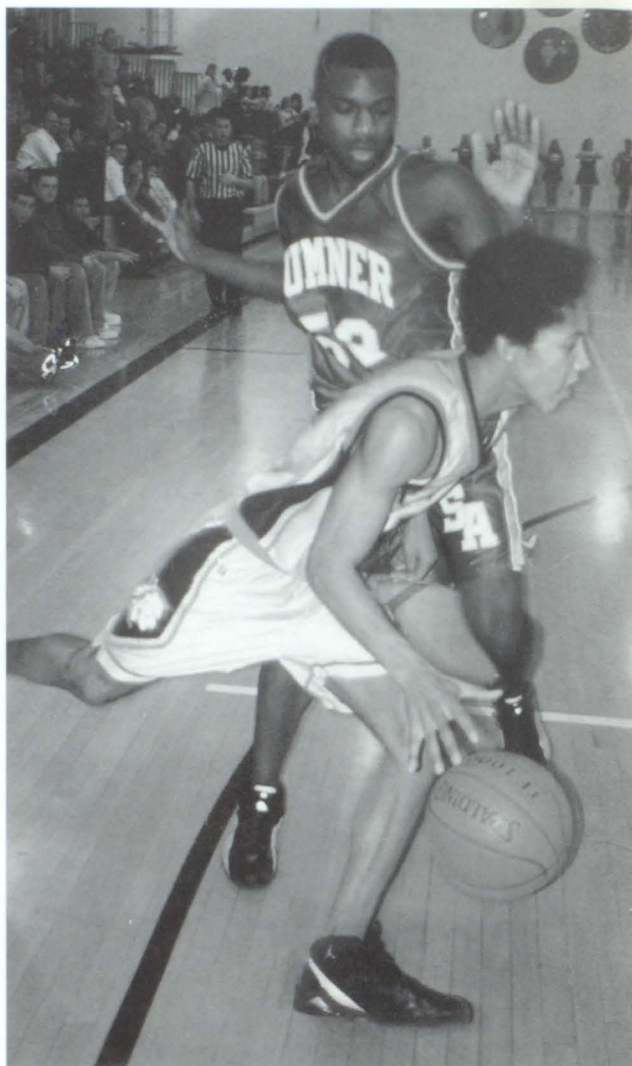
"I've enjoyed my time here as coach. I have truly enjoyed working with the guys for as long as I did," Bonar said.

Bonar is appreciated for all he has done with the boys basketball program and will be missed.

—Alicia Forshey

## UNSTOPPABLE

Junior Chris Cobbins drives by a Sumner player at home. Cobbins handled the ball for the team most of the year and finished the season with 34 steals and 43 assists.



## GET OPEN

Senior Gary Pinks waits for a player to get open to throw a pass in game. Pinks ended the season with 13 steals and five assists.

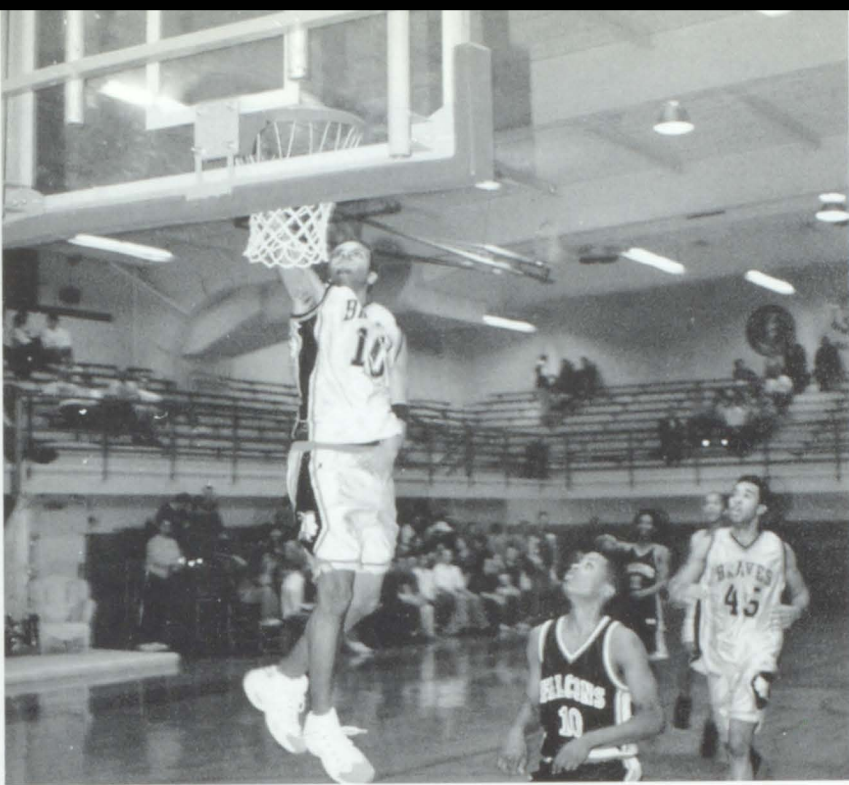


## 2000-2001 VARSITY & JUNIOR VARSITY BOYS BASKETBALL TEAM

First Row: C. Stakley, R. Hall, A. Weathers, T. McGinnis, S. Birdsong, M. Cook. Second Row: J. Krug, A. Cole. Third Row: Coach A. Price, L. Reyes, T. Gardner, Coach J. Bonar, D. Pino, J. Gillespie, R. Hall, Coach D. Streit. Fourth Row: C. Cobbins, D. Anderson, C. Nay, G. Pinks, J. Botts, S. Birdsong, J. Bass.







### SLAM IT BABY

Junior Sean Birdsong dunks the ball in the Tonganoxie Tournament. Birdsong led the team with 38 steals and averaged 15 points a game.

## SCOREBOARD

Basehor-Linwood	64-55	W
Immaculata	50-43	W
Olathe Christian	58-43	W
Bishop Ward	70-75	L
Ottawa	59-65	L
Atchison	64-59	W
Sumner Academy	54-63	L
Van-Horn	79-81	L
Hogan Prep	46-27	W
Lansing	57-52	W
K.C. Christian	70-65	W
Bishop Miege	40-94	L
Turner	75-57	W
Bishop Ward	62-57	W
Ottawa	57-60	L
Paola	59-62	L
Atchison	52-59	L
Sumner Academy	50-62	L
Tonganoxie	67-53	W
Turner	62-53	W
F.L. Schlagle	50-66	L



### LOOKING FOR THE OPEN MAN

Sophomore Michael Cook fakes out his Atchison opponent and looks to pass it to a teammate in a home game. Cook finished the season with 29 assists and averaged seven points a game.

### GETTIN' UP

Senior Darryl Anderson takes the ball up during the Tonganoxie Tournament. Anderson ended the season leading the team with 220 boards and averaging 16 points a game. Anderson was also selected to First Team All-Huron League.





# Going for the TOP

"If we play like a team and give it our all, there's no team that we can't beat."

This was just one of Coach Garold Baker's sayings that the girls took with them into each game.

The team broke many school records and accomplished many firsts. Their 17-5 record went down in the record books as the most wins ever for a girls basketball team. As Co-Champions of the Huron League, they were also the first girls basketball team to ever win the Huron League.

"Many goals were reached this year and overall I think that we had a pretty good season," Baker said.

The Bravettes competed in the Basehor-Linwood Tournament and finished in fourth place.

"I thought that we had a great chance to finish on top with the way we had been playing, but we just didn't play to our potential when it came down to crunch time," senior

Holly Thompson said.

Going into Sub-State they managed to pull out their first win against Washington. This win marked the first time that a team under Coach Baker advanced to the Sub-State Championship.

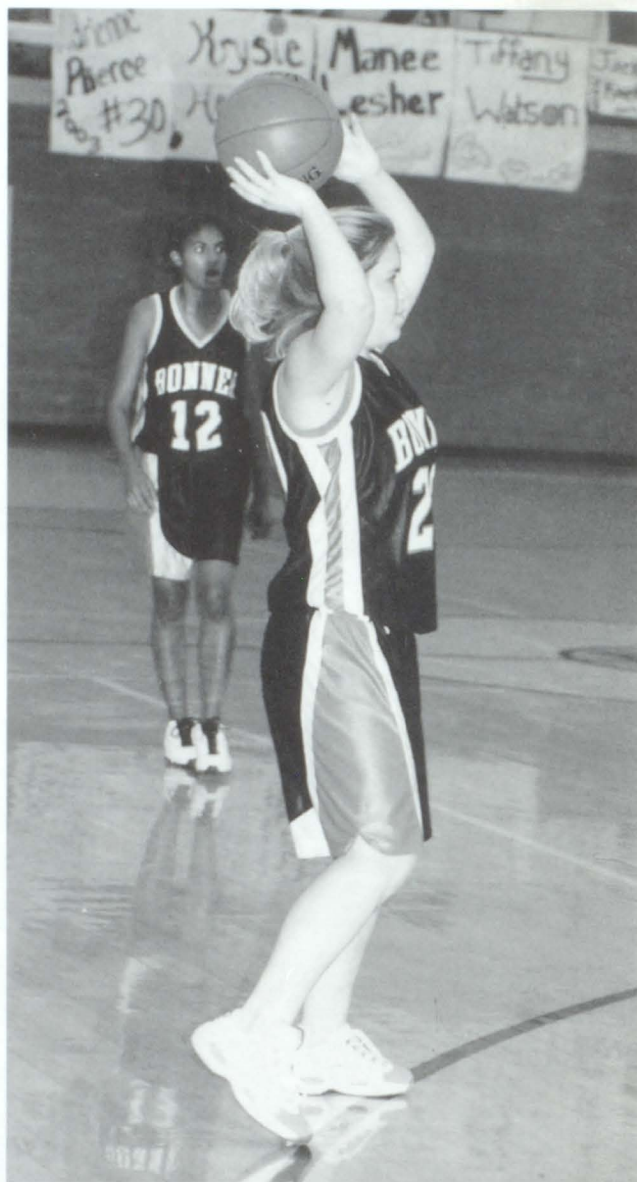
Making the trip to the Championship was a very anticipated game for fans and players, but it didn't end as everyone had hoped, as they fell to the number one seeded Topeka Seamon.

Even though they didn't make a trip to State, the team worked very hard, created many new records, and deserved to be recognized for a great year.

—Alicia Forshey

## WHERE ARE YOU?

Senior Alicia Forshey waits for a teammate to get open for the pass in a win at Turner. Forshey led the team in recoveries with 44 and averaged eight points a game. She was also voted by her teammates as the team's Most Valuable Player at the year-end awards banquet.



## 2000-2001 FRESHMEN GIRLS BASKETBALL TEAM

Front Row: V. Reynolds, A. McConico. Middle Row: D. Dragush, L. Brown, S. Bond. Back Row: Coach J. Linn, N. Pinks, A. Kimbrough, S. Davis.



## Box-Out

Sophomores Andrea Dill and Amanda Berry try to get-out their Atchison opponents as they go to rebound. Dill averaged eight points a game and led the team in offensive rebounding with 36. Berry led the team in both scoring and in defensive rebounding. She averaged 12 points a game and had 79 rebounds for the season.





## SCOREBOARD

Basehor-Linwood	55-42	W
Mill Valley	55-40	W
K.C. Christian	48-35	W
K.C. Central	49-44	W
Bishop Ward	46-42	W
Ottawa	42-52	L
Atchison	51-37	W
Sumner Academy	49-44	W
Fort Scott	54-42	W
Lincoln Prep	53-66	L
St. Joseph Benton	33-34	L
Turner	60-35	W
Bishop Ward	39-52	L
Ottawa	47-43	W
Atchison	65-51	w
Sumner Academy	45-43	W
Harmon	60-28	W
Wyandotte	59-47	w
Tonganoxie	46-39	W
Turner	61-32	W
Washington	44-42	W
Topeka Seamon	32-53	L



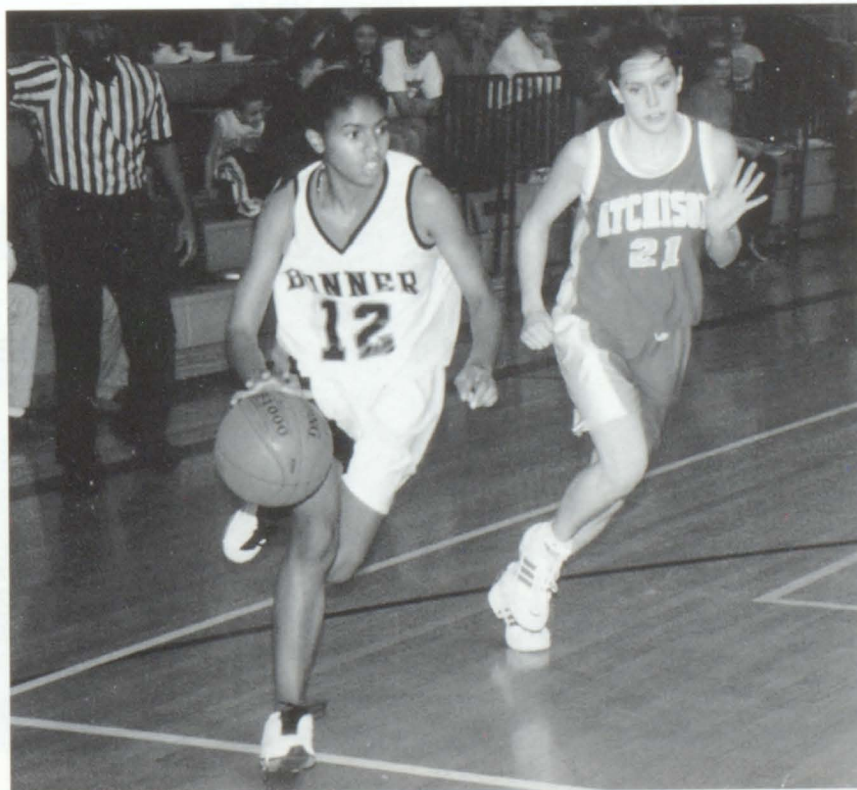
### 2000-2001 VARSITY & JUNIOR VARSITY GIRLS BASKETBALL TEAM

Front Row: K. Yates, M. McConico, B. Gallagher, H. Miller, J. Gardener. Middle Row: L. McConico, K. Szewc, H. Thompson, A. Forshey, A. Davis. Back Row: Coach J. Rost, N. Pinks, M. Wiseman, A. Dill, A. Berry, L. Stanbrough, M. Tuttle, S. Davis, Coach G. Baker.



#### FINISHING STRONG

Sophomore Lindsey Stanbrough is shown finishing strong as they win 54-42 against Fort Scott in the Basehor-Linwood Tournament. Stanbrough led the team in charges with 3 and averaged seven points a game.



#### Too Quick

Sophomore Morgan McConico drives by an opponent in a home game against Atchison. McConico handled the ball most of the year and led the team both in assists, with 112, and in blocks, with 17.





# Stepping It UP

A good last season for Head Coach Randy Lowe is what the wrestlers wanted to give him, and that's exactly what he received.

The team placed second at Regionals, sent nine qualifiers to the "Big Dance" and finished 19th as a team in State, and had one State Champion. They also ended up finishing third in the Huron League Tournament.

"I was pleased with the way we wrestled, having such a young team," Coach Lowe said.

Among the varsity squad there were only two seniors, Jimmy Vogel and Brock Peterson. This forced the underclassmen to step up, and from all of their accomplishments, it appears that they

did just that.

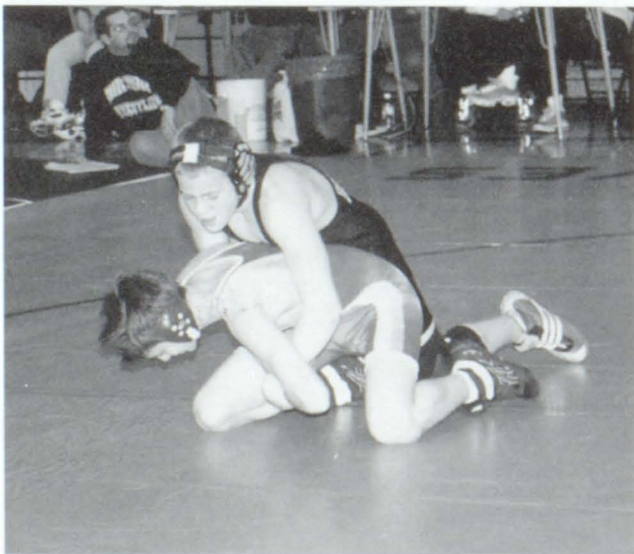
Overall the team did well and finished the season with a Dual record of 8-4. They also placed among the top four, in five out of the eight tournaments they competed.

The wrestlers had a strong season and gave it their all. Though they had only one place at State, the team wrestled very well and gave Coach Lowe exactly what he had hoped for in his last year.

— Alicia Forshey

## FINISHING ON TOP

Freshman Eric Ratliff holds up his bracket after he is crowned champion at the Turner Invitational. Ratliff qualified for State, and he finished the season with a record of 14-18.



## FLIP HIM

Freshman Jess Buck tries to flip over an opponent in a home meet. As a junior varsity wrestler Buck finished with a 22-4 record, and as a varsity wrestler he finished with a 4-7 record.



## 2000-2001 WRESTLING TEAM

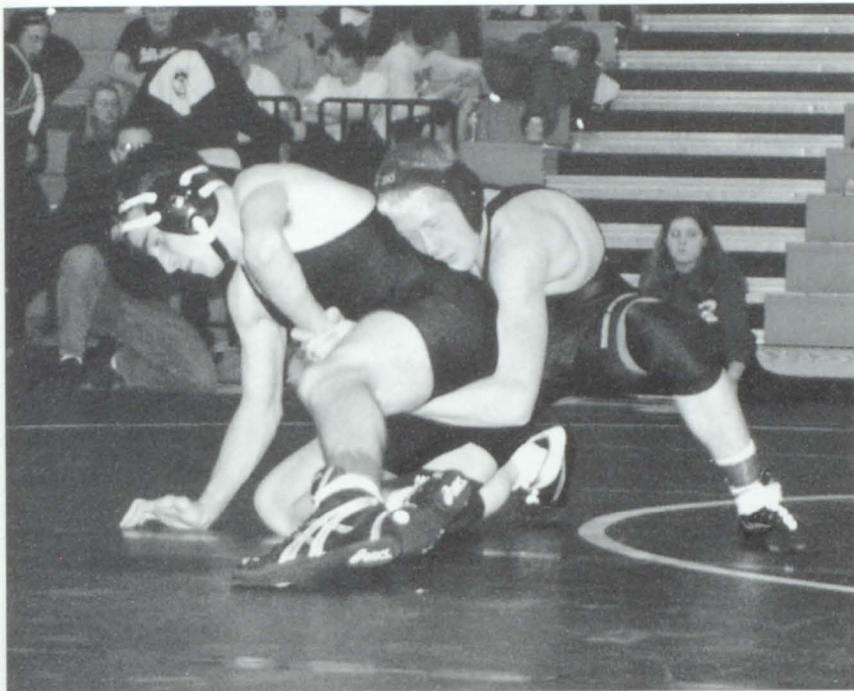
Front Row : M. Hickmon, M. Middelton, J. Buck, R. Mortell, E. Ratliff. Middle Row : K. Yates, C. Carpenter, J. Vogel, Z. Powell, C. Moppin, D. Bass, D. Shepherd, K. Korgol . Back Row: B. Gardner, C. Vandenberg, P. Wiehe, B. Peterson, J. Burns, J. Bosley, N. Sparks, N. Border, S. Buck.





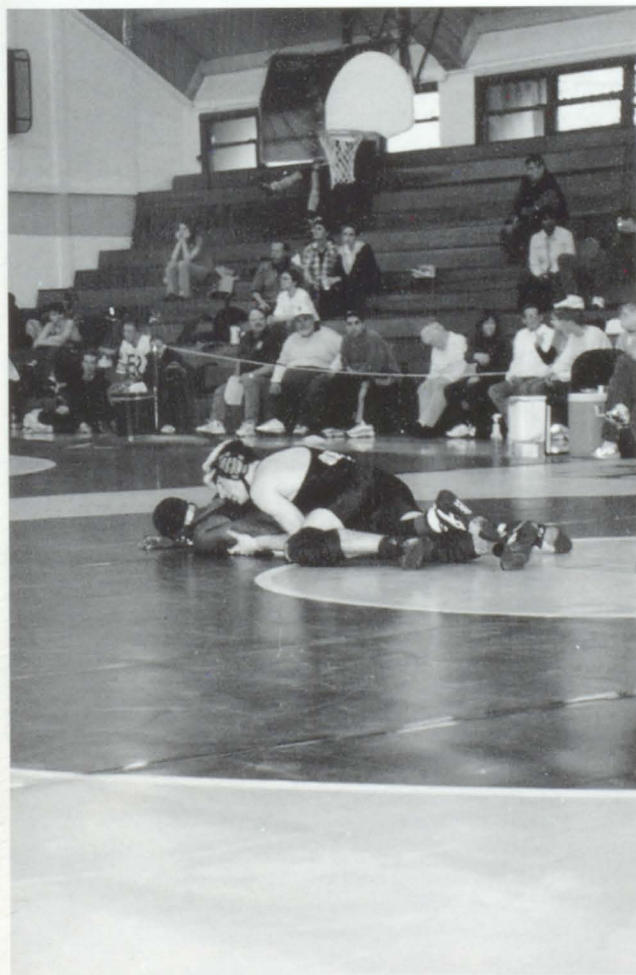
## GOTCHA'

Junior Peter Wiehe tries to pull out an opponent's arm from underneath him at the Dick Burns Mat Classic. The team pulled out a fourth place finish at the tournament.



## SCOREBOARD

Basehor/Linwood	47-33
Louisburg	67-11
Leavenworth Challenge	N/A
Gardner Tourney	2nd
Leavenworth	34-44
Paola	15-51
Rockhurst	45-30
Dick Burns Mat Classic	4th
Basehor/Linwood Tourney	18th
B.V. Northwest Tourney	9th
Ottawa	60-24
Topeka Seamon	37-33
WYCO Tourney	3rd
Huron League Tourney	3rd
Regional Tourney	2nd
State Tourney	19th



### NO ESCAPE

Freshman Matthew Middleton gets an opponent in a headlock. Middleton had a 24-12 record and was third in total team points with 122. Sophomore David Bass was second in team points with 126 and junior Josh Bosley was first with 182.

### STAY DOWN

Sophomore Donnie Shepherd tries to keep his opponent down in the dual at Turner. Shepherd finished the season with a 24-19 record and led the team with 70 takedowns.





# Bringing Home VICTORY

The stands of the Wichita Coliseum were packed. There were 896 wrestlers from across the state of Kansas, all with the same goal in mind—becoming the new State Champion for his weight class.

It had been nearly a decade since BSHS had a State champion, and senior Jimmy Vogel stopped at nothing for victory.

At first he was a little skeptical about competing in the State competition because of a previous shoulder injury in the Dick Burns Mat Classic where he dislocated his left shoulder in the finals. This injury put him on the bench for four weeks and left him with only three meets, including State, to compete.

Over those four weeks, Vogel had a considerable amount of training to prepare him for Regionals, so he could qualify for State. His work ethic was the key.

“Maintaining my weight took a lot of discipline since I was out

for four weeks, and the two hour practices really paid off,” Vogel said.

In the second round of State, Vogel defeated the previous State Champion in a 14-3 major decision. This win gave him an edge and an extra boost of confidence.

“After the second round, I was confident about finishing the year with a win in the finals,” Vogel said.

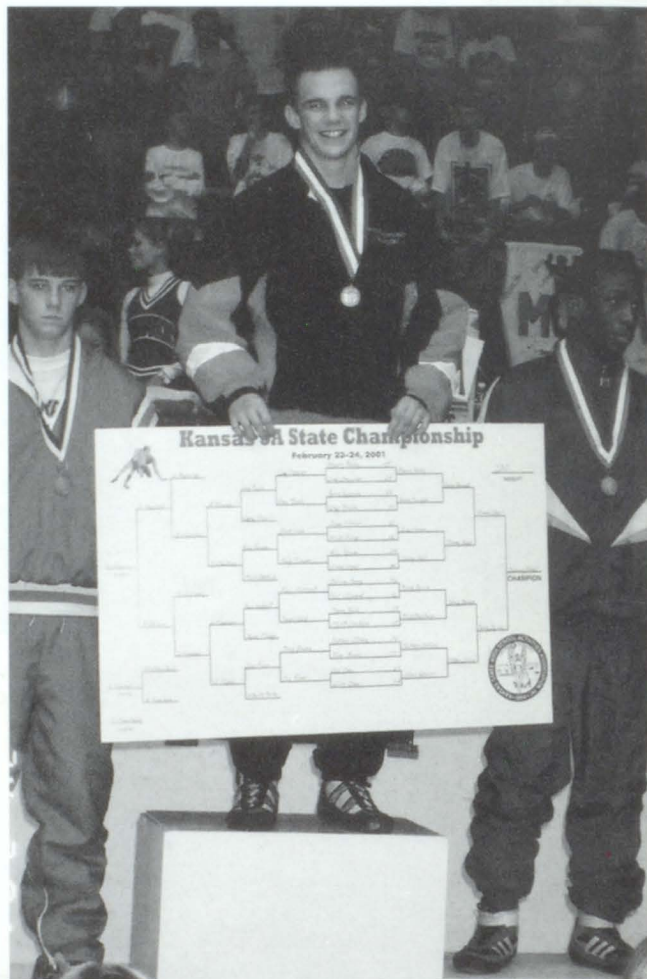
That’s exactly what he did. He first came up with a pin in the semifinals and then had a dominating performance in the finals. Winning 12-4, Vogel became the new State Champion in the Class 5-A 130 pound weight class.

Congratulations to Vogel for bringing home the State Championship to the Braves.

—Angela Reyes

## COMING OUT ON TOP

Standing proud for all to see, senior Jimmy Vogel was crowned Class 5A State Champion in the 130 pound weight class. Vogel won the first State Championship for BSHS since 1992.



## CAPTURING THE MOMENT

State Champion, Jimmy Vogel shows off his medal with Assistant Coach Dan Burns and Head Coach Randy Lowe. Burns will be taking on the head coaching position next year, as Lowe will be making a career move to the Blue Valley school district.

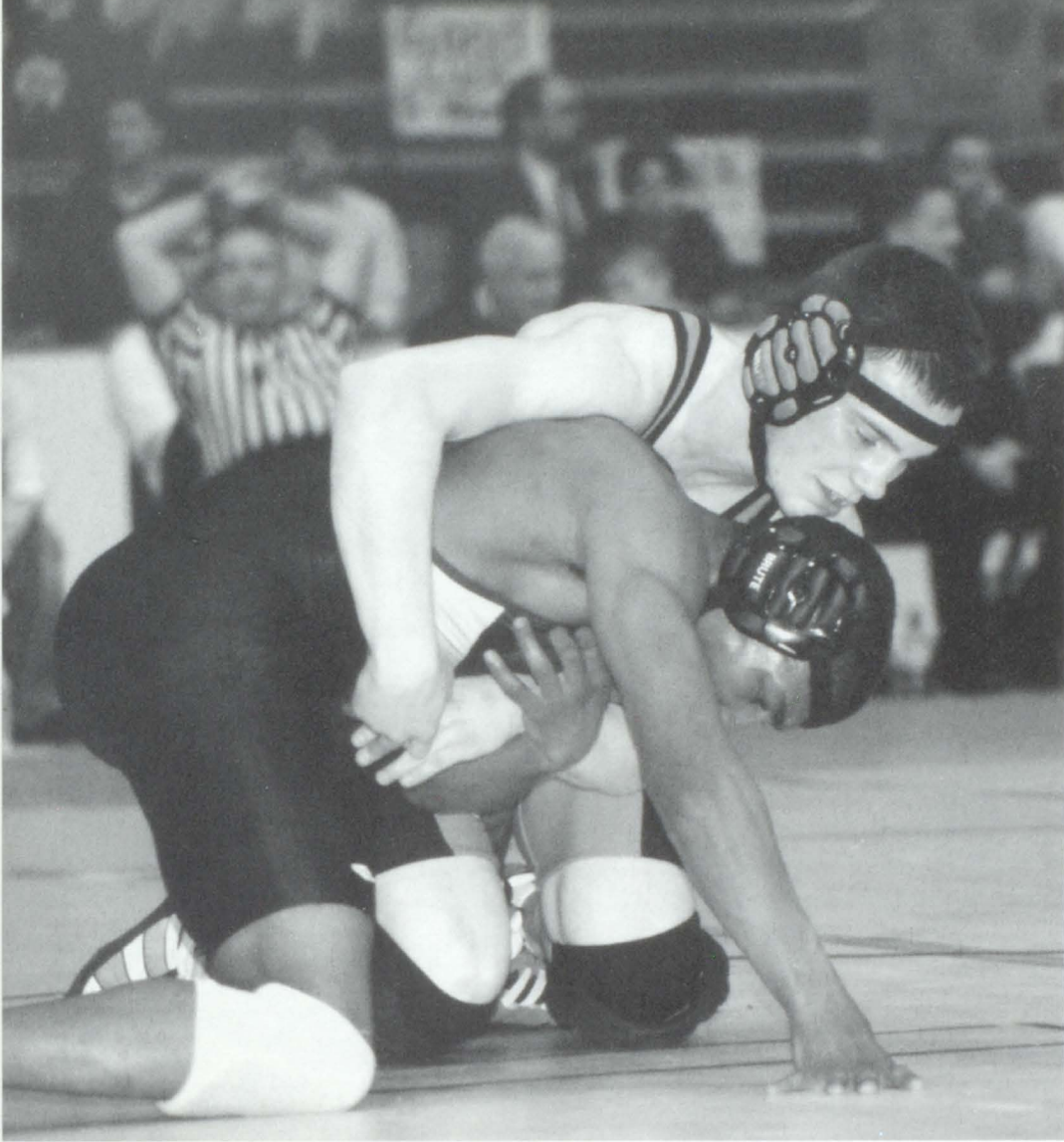


## REGIONAL RUNNER-UPS

**Front Row:** Nick Border, David Bass, Eric Ratliff, Donnie Shepherd. **Middle Row:** Randy Lowe, Brock Peterson, Matthew Middleton, Jimmy Vogel, Chad Vandenberg, Jesse Buck. **Back Row:** Russell Baldwin, Spencer Buck, Josh Bosley, Jeff Burns, Chris Stakely, Dan Burns. After placing second at Regionals, the Braves headed to State with nine qualifiers. Qualifiers were: Bass, Bosley, S. Buck, Middleton, Peterson, Ratliff, Shepherd, Vandenberg and Vogel.







**PUSHIN' FOR THE GOLD**

Trying to stay strong, Vogel pushes himself for a victory. Vogel was the only Bonner wrestler to make it to the finals at State. (Photo courtesy of *The Chieftain*.)

**YOU CAN DO IT!**

Head Coach Randy Lowe gives Vogel a few pointers during a time-out in the championship match. In his five years as head coach, Lowe finished the year in one of the top three places at both the League and Regional competitions. Vogel was his first State Champion. (Photo courtesy of *The Chieftain*.)



**HARD WORK PAYS OFF**

The official raises Vogel's arm high to the crowd after his final victory. As soon as Vogel stepped off the mat, he was greeted by his father, who had wide open arms and a few proud words for his son. (Photo courtesy of *The Chieftain*.)





# Hittin' 'n Runnin'

## THE BASES

There was plenty of competition throughout the team's season and no matter how the team prepared for each game, it just seemed like the baseball team couldn't find what they needed to win.

Finishing with a 4-16 season, the lack of experience was a big factor in the season overall. Having only two seniors to lead the team, they played with what they were dealt and managed to pull out four victories.

"Although the record was not indicative of the season, we improved immensely and have

a lot of positives for the future. I would have liked to have had more success this year for the seniors, but we struggled to overcome our inexperience," Head Coach Steve Cook said.

Although the season didn't go as planned, they handled it well and made positive improvements game after game.

—Alicia Forshey

### COMING BACK STRONG

Sophomore Chris DeLeon pitches the ball as hard as he can. Besides pitching, DeLeon played left field and led the team in hits with an above .400 batting average.



### CRACK!

Junior Louis Reyes hits the ball and watches his ball go sailing into the outfield for a base hit. Defensively, Reyes was a spark in the outfield, making some incredible catches.

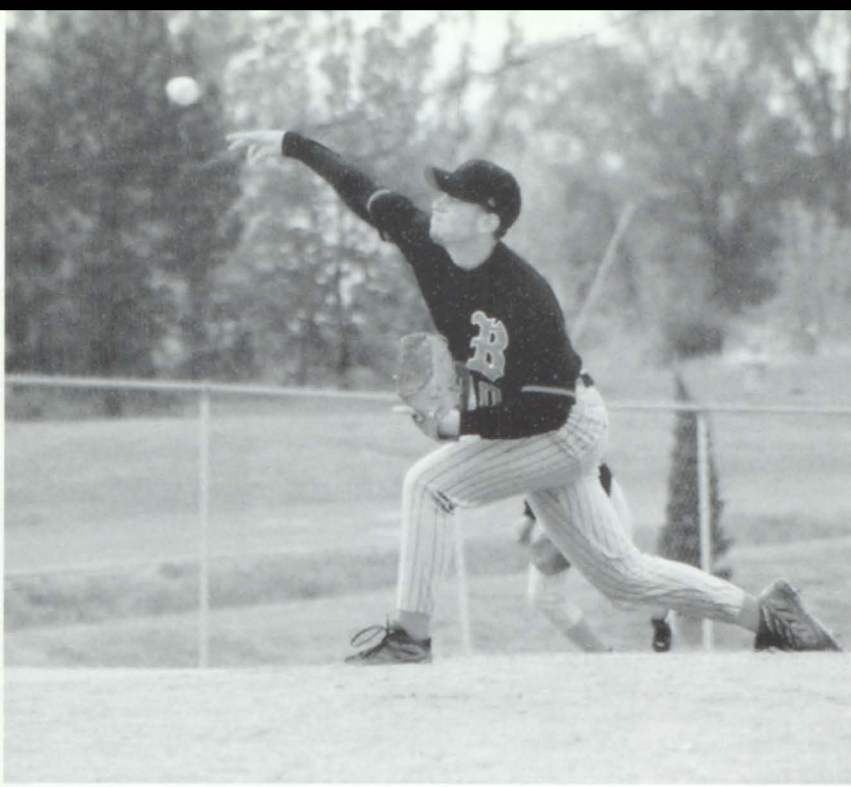


### 2001 VARSITY AND JUNIOR VARSITY BASEBALL TEAM

**Front Row:** Chris Carpenter, Chris DeLeon, George Elmer, David Bass. **Second Row:** Zachary Powell, Michael Cook, Chad Moppin, Peter Wiehe, Chris Stakely, Tim Neal, Mark Lewis. **Third Row:** Rick Moulin, Freddy DeLeon, Aaron Ballard, Louis Reyes, Jared Gillespie, Derek Mathiesen, Jake Vitatoe, Steve Cook.







**URGH!**

Junior Derek Mathiesen releases the pitch in a home game. In his first year on varsity, Mathiesen gained a lot of experience as one of the team's starting pitchers.

**SCOREBOARD**

Paola	3-13	L
Paola	3-4	L
Turner	0-6	L
Turner	3-16	L
Ottawa	2-15	L
Ottawa	2-6	L
Basehor-Linwood	8-9	L
Basehor-Linwood	5-14	L
Bishop Ward	9-20	L
Bishop Ward	4-11	L
Sumner Academy	2-10	L
Sumner Academy	0-8	L
Bishop Miege	2-12	L
Bishop Miege	3-14	L
Atchison	2-6	L
Atchison	4-3	W
Harmon	3-1	W
Harmon	14-4	W
Wyandotte	8-1	W
Shawnee Heights	2-21	L



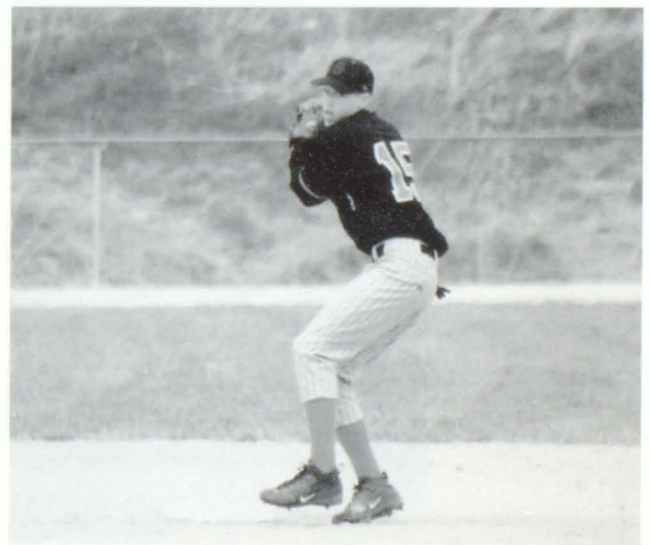
**WALK ME**

Senior Mark Lewis watches a ball go by in a home game against Bishop Miege. Lewis received an Honorable Mention Award for the Huron League, along with Tim Neal, Zachary Powell, and Michael Cook.



**2001 FRESHMEN BASEBALL TEAM**

Front Row: Tyler Mills, Eric Strauss, Ryan Cannon, Jesse Vaughan. Second Row: Frank Vogan, Kyle Black, Brandon Crawley, Drew Hess, Chris Schroeder. Back Row: Andy Price, Brett Shelton, Chris Johnson, Vincent Lockett, Lance Barber, Steve May.



**I'M GONNA' GET YOU**

Sophomore Jared Gillespie gets ready to throw the ball to get an opponent out at first. Gillespie played second base for most of the season.



# Roller Coaster SEASON

Struggling from hitting, to pitching, to communication, the softball team had frustrating season.

Finishing the season with a record of 9-12, the season didn't finish as planned. They had eight returning letter winners, but youth on the pitching mound. Sophomore Shannon Davidson and freshman Kristy Holt split the duties on the mound and both continued to improve as the season developed.

Going into the annual Turner Invitational, the girls had high expectations before losing a disappointing 0-1 game to Topeka Seamon in the first game.

They then fell to Turner in

round two, but came back with a win over Washington in game three.

It was roller-coaster situations like the Turner Invite that made the season frustrating for the team.

"Seeing all this talent on your team and you know that your team should be one of the top, it all becomes bothering," senior Angela Mikuls said.

At times though everyone could have given up, but they stuck it out and finished to the end.

—Alicia Forshey

#### LET'S TALK

Sophomore pitcher Shannon Davidson and junior catcher Miki Mellott conference about what to do next. Davidson had an ERA of 2.57 and Mellott was named All-Huron League catcher.



#### I GOT IT

Sophomore Lauren Roberts catches the ball in a junior varsity game against Bishop Ward. When Roberts wasn't out with a shoulder injury, she played left field for the team.



#### GETTING IN POSITION

Senior third baseman Alicia Forshey throws the ball to second on a bunt. Sophomore shortstop Holly Miller covers third, while freshman pitcher Kristi Holt crouches down in case of a throw to first. Forshey was selected to First Team All-Huron League and First Team All-Kansan. Holt had a good first year and ended the season with an ERA of 2.48.







### YOU'RE OUT

Sophomore Andrea Dill catches the ball at first as they get a Sumner opponent out. Offensively, Dill and Alicia Forshey led the team in RBI's, each with eight.

## SCOREBOARD

Basehor-Linwood	1-6	L
Basehor-Linwood	0-5	L
Turner	2-0	W
Turner	3-0	W
Ottawa	3-4	L
Ottawa	1-2	L
Bishop Ward	0-7	L
Bishop Ward	1-10	L
Mill Valley	0-2	L
Mill Valley	2-10	L
Sumner Academy	5-2	W
Sumner Academy	0-4	L
Atchison	11-2	W
Atchison	8-3	W
Lansing	3-0	W
De Soto	5-0	W
De Soto	11-2	W
Turner Invitational	1-2	7th
Gardner-Edgerton	0-6	L



### IT'S OUTTA' HERE

Sophomore Holly Miller swings at the ball in hopes for a hit at home against Sumner Academy. Miller was second in RBI's with seven and led the team in walks with eleven.



### 2001 VARSITY AND JUNIOR VARSITY SOFTBALL TEAM

**Front Row:** Vanessa Spartan, Angela Mikuls, Holly Thompson, Mandy Ballard, Ashley Gillespie, Alicia Forshey. **Second Row:** Whitney Peterson, Miki Mellott, Andrea Dill, Holly Miller, Kristy Holt, Shannon Davidson, Amber Speiss, Nicki McGinnis, Ashley Pardew. **Third Row:** Jenny Montgomery, Susann Wilson, Monica Meyer, Jessica Sullivan, Tammy Sanford, Lauren Roberts, Cinda Thomas.



### READY FOR IT

Senior Angela Mikuls waits for a ball to come to the outfield. Throughout her career, Mikuls transferred from the infield to the outfield and did a good job as a utility player, easily adapting to change.





# Swinging TO STATE

Sending players to State was the number one goal on the boys' minds this year, as it is every year. Staying after practice and sweating until they couldn't lift their rackets was a common sight on the tennis courts.

Fortunately, the hard work paid off for one tennis player, junior Nick Connor. Connor was the only the third singles player in twenty-two years to go on to state.

"Nick played exceptionally well at State, but his opponent was really tough. We were just happy that we got to go," Coach Bill Scott said.

This year was a year for surprises. Besides Connor going to State, the doubles team of Thomas Cooper and T.J. McGinnis were Huron League Champions for the

number one doubles division.

"McGinnis and Cooper were the first doubles team to win in ten years for Bonner Springs High School," Scott said.

Additionally, even though there were only ten players on the team, they persevered and placed in first, second or third in all but one tournament.

"The varsity played great this year, especially in tournaments. The worst we did was fourth place. And that was a good finish considering we didn't have two of our varsity players here due to the band and choir trip to Chicago," Coach Brandon Williams said.

Although the season ended with a loss at State, heads were still held high with anticipation for next year.

## SWIFT BACKHAND

Junior Nick Connor rushes to the ball and hits it with a sweet backhand. Connor had an exceptional year and topped off his season by qualifying for State competition in Topeka.



## BOYS TENNIS TEAM

Front Row: Becky Heckert, Kyle Foley, Athip Limchareon, Anthony Blancarte, Brandy Miller. Second Row: Brandon Williams, David Lemon, Tyler Cooper, Nick Connor, Thomas Cooper, T.J. McGinnis, Dustin Carson, Bill Scott.





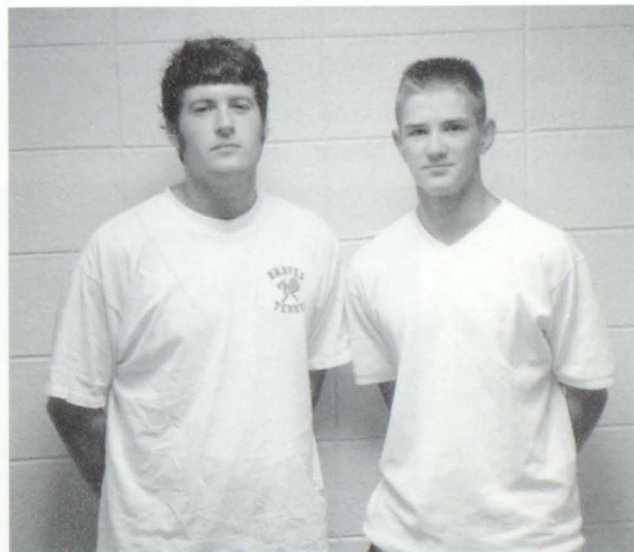


## SCOREBOARD

Blue Valley	L
Shawnee Heights	L
Ottawa	L
Bishop Miege	L
Maranatha Academy	W
St. Thomas Aquinas	W
Lawrence	W
Sumner Academy	W
Lincoln Academy	W
Bonner Invitational	2nd
Ottawa Invitational	3rd
Leavenworth Invitational	4th

### SERVIN' IT UP

Sophomore Athip Limcharoen waits for the ball to drop so he can serve. Limcharoen lettered as a varsity player in his first year on the BSHS boys tennis team.



### HURON LEAGUE CHAMPIONS

Senior Thomas Cooper and sophomore T.J. McGinnis were a very strong doubles tandem. Cooper and McGinnis played doubles together for most of the year and made the record books as League Champions.

### HITTING WITH A SMILE

Sophomore Kyle Foley sticks his racket out just in time to hit it back to his opponent. This was Foley's second year on the tennis team.





# Puttin' 'EM IN

Though the squad included many young members, the golf team went into the year with a lot of potential to have a very successful season.

With no seniors to lead them, the young team stepped up, pulled together, and knew each one of them would have to play his role for success.

Throughout the season, the team improved and became more golf saavy. These developments showed at the end of the season when they fought hard before just falling short in having the entire team qualify for State.

Though the entire team didn't qualify for State, they

did qualify sophomore Jeremy Krug as an individual.

"I think qualifying for State was a great learning experience. I just wish the team could have participated in this event with me," Krug said.

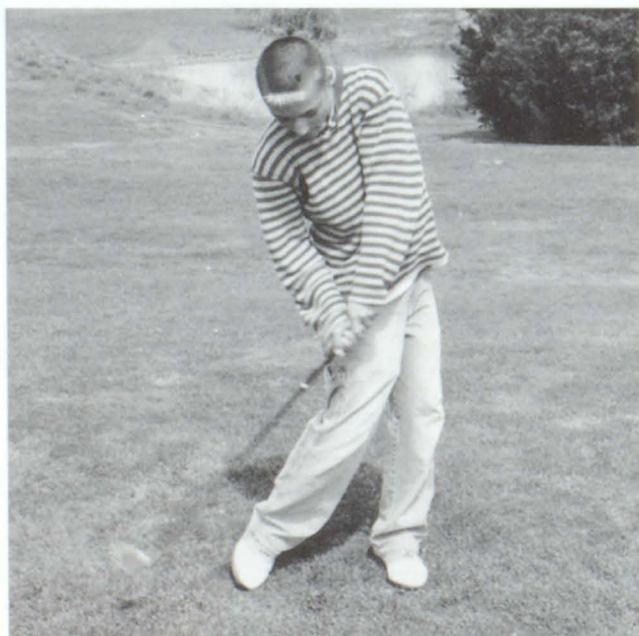
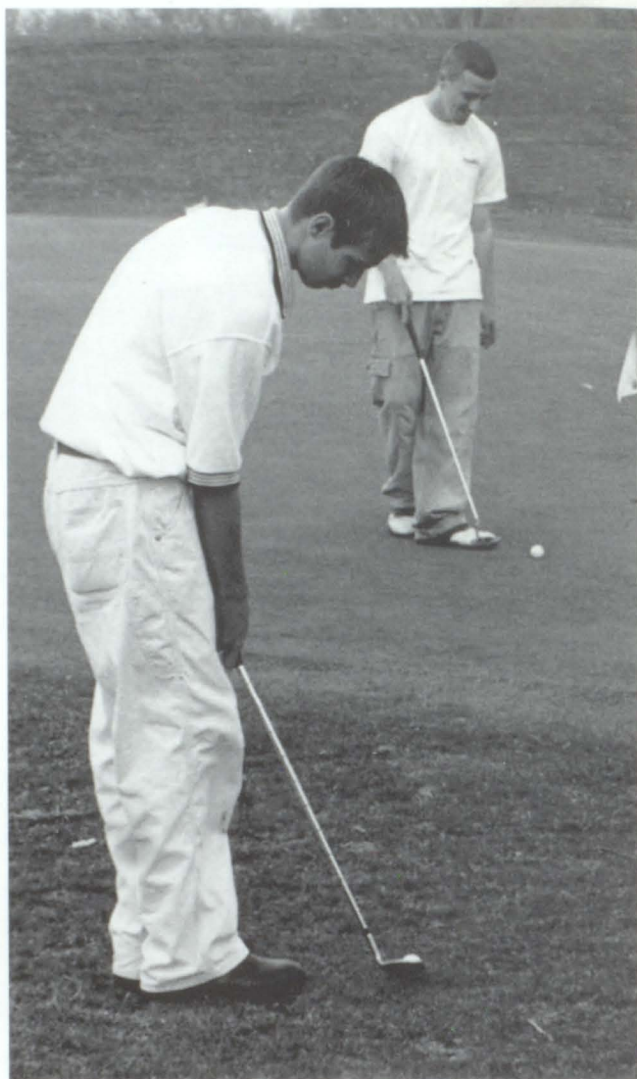
"This team is the best team that I have had in awhile. They showed a lot of heart out there, and I'm proud of what they accomplished," Coach Bob Chatterton said.

—Alicia Forshey

—Jeremy Krug, Guest Writer

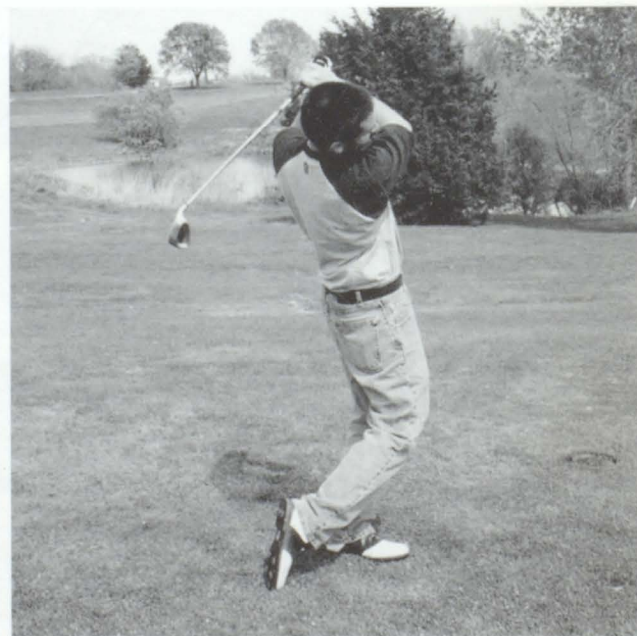
## CONCENTRATION

Sophomore Todd Vanderpool works on chipping while teammate sophomore Darrin Gearheart sets up for a practice putt at Sunflower Hills. Gearheart was named to the All-Huron League Team



## PRACTICE! PRACTICE! PRACTICE!

Junior Jack Holtzen takes a practice swing before driving the ball down the fairway. Holtzen was selected as a member of the All-Huron League Team.



## FORE!

Junior Aaron Mills follows through and watches his ball go sailing towards the pin. Mills was one of the more experienced players on the team and showed this in his leadership.





### THE BIG SHOW

Sophomore Jeremy Krug practices putting before the competition at the WYCO Invitational. Krug did very well during the season, making the All-Huron League Team and qualifying for the State Tournament in Independence.

## SCOREBOARD

Gardner Invitational	3rd
Bonner Invitational	8th
Lansing Invitational	7th
Wyco Classic	4th
Atchison Invitational	6th
Sunflower Classic	7th
Ottawa Invitational	N/A
Maur Hill Invitational	N/A
Huron League Regionals	5th



### 2001 VARSITY GOLF TEAM

Front Row: Kenny Hurley, Darrin Gearheart. Back Row: Aaron Mills, Jeremy Krug, Jack Holtzen, Todd Vanderpool, Coach Bob Chatterton.



# Leaps and BOUNDS

Track consists of many different kinds of events which required hard work, determination, and dedication.

Everyday team members practiced and got themselves ready for what was yet to come.

"Everyday our endurance was tested, just by making it through practices and competing well at the meets," senior Corrine Vandenberg said.

Tracksters were able to test their endurance by competing and meeting the goals they set for themselves.

"A goal I set for myself was improving my overall improvement. Accomplishing this, I just tried my hardest at everything I did," sophomore

Lindsey Stanbrough said.

The athletes weren't the only ones keeping track of goals. Head Coach Jim Mitchell also recognized the high achievements of his athletes.

"The team worked very hard. Every athlete made their marks and steadily improved throughout the season," Mitchell said.

Whether flying over hurdles or running around the track, the track team made 2001 a year they will always remember.

—Amy Marcel



## DASHING FRESHMAN

Freshman Cara Harding sprints to the finish for the 100 meter dash at DeSoto. Harding also competed in the 400 meter dash at many meets.



## RELEASING THE FIRE

Freshman Travis Shockey gets ready to release the fire and throw the javelin. Shockey also participated in the long jump and 400 meter dash.



## 2001 TRACK TEAM

**Front Row:** S. Davis, L. Groves, E. Groves, L. McConico, J. McConico, M. Miller, C. Harding, D. Perica, W. Mitchell, J. Ventura. **Second Row:** R. Lowe, J. Mitchell, A. Bush, A. Kimbrough, A. Davis, K. Szewc, M. McConico, C. Vandenberg, A. Seiler, B. Downing and R. Downing. **Third Row:** J. McIntyre, A. Miser, A. Howard, J. Fowler, L. Stanbrough, A. Berry, B. Assmann, K. Knutter, K. Yates, J. Davidson, D. Adger. **Fourth Row:** M. Ashford, S. Lutjen, D. Shepherd, J. VanMaren, B. Burch, C. Gensler, A. Cox, J. Coleman, K. Ballard, J. Moehlman. **Back Row:** E. Shepherd, N. Sparks, R. Hall, J. Woods, T. Shockey, M. Cole, T. Slankard, B. Peterson, R. Hall, D. Pino, A. Weathers.





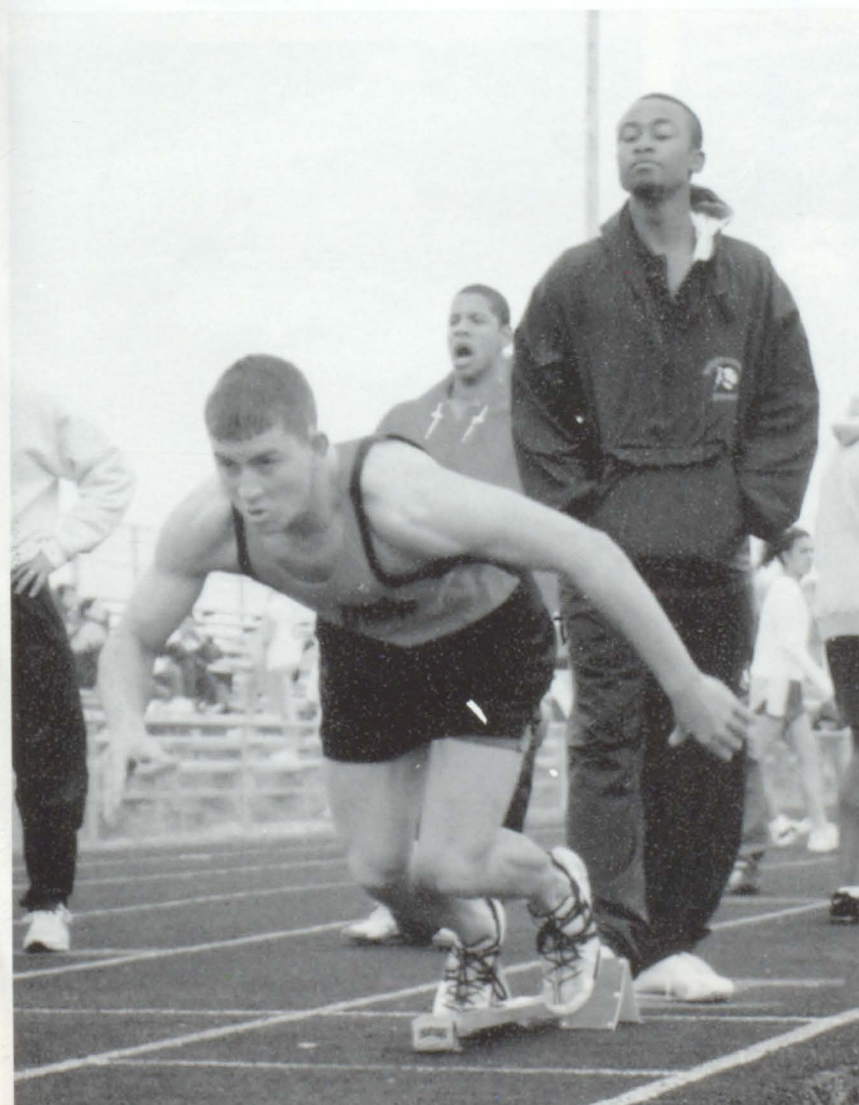


## SCOREBOARD

	Boys	Girls
Baldwin Invite	7th	6th
Basehor Relays	3rd	3rd
William Jewell Invite	N/A	N/A
Bonner Invite	2nd	1st
KU Relays	N/A	N/A
DeSoto Invite	7th	6th
Gardner Invite	6th	8th
Wellsville Invite	5th	9th
Huron League	3rd	4th
Regionals	3rd	8th
State	N/A	N/A

### THE BATTLE TO GET AHEAD

Junior Romia Hall pushes himself to get ahead in the competitive meter dash at the Bonner Invitational where he placed first. Hall also participated in the 200 meter run, 4 x 100 relay and 4 x 100 relay.



### ALMOST OVER

Sophomore Julianne Fowler concentrates on her form to arch herself over the high bar at the DeSoto meet. Fowler had a great season participating in both field and running events. Fowler had a personal best of four feet, six inches in the high jump at the Bonner Invitational.

### AT THE SOUND OF THE GUN

Junior Cameron Gensler sets off to start the 100 meter dash at the DeSoto meet. Gensler ran well all season with his best time being 11.7 seconds at the Gardner Invitational. He also ran in the 4 x 100 relay.



### **RUNNING TO NEW HEIGHTS**

Senior Corrine Vandenberg begins the first leg of the 4 x 800 meter dash. Vandenberg worked hard and showed great leadership throughout the season and was named Most Valuable Female Track Athlete, along with sophomore Morgan McConico.

### **PLACES TO BE, PEOPLE TO SEE**

With Classes 1A through 6A all competing at the same location, the stands at Wichita State University's Cessna Stadium were packed with devoted fans for finals on Saturday morning. It was estimated that over 10,000 fans attended the competition with over 3,000 contestants.



### **RELAX, HAVE FUN**

Watching the commotion on the track and field on Friday, the track athletes and coaches relax in the stands while waiting for the next event to take place. Like the other schools, the track team came prepared with a tent and plenty of healthy snacks to keep them comfortable and nourished during the long breaks between events.

### **MOVING UP AND MOVING ON**

Sophomore Aaron Weathers starts off the 300 meter hurdle race clearing each hurdle he approaches. Weathers improved his time in the hurdles by three and a half seconds from his freshman year.





# Moving up to STATE



On your marks. . . Get set. . . BANG!

The track team heard the sound of the gun shot all over again when they took 17 athletes and three coaches to the State track competition the weekend of May 24. This was the most people BSHS took to State in 20 years.

"This was a great group of kids to work with. All of them supported each other and we had great senior leadership," Head Coach Jim Mitchell said.

Led by eight seniors, the team qualified in nine events. One of the reasons the team was able to qualify so many for State was because of their team building activities.

## STRETCH OUT AND GET PREPARED

After an hour and a half delay, senior Jason Coleman warms up and gets ready to throw the discus. Although he didn't place at the meet, Coleman was still an asset throughout the season and was selected as the team's Most Valuable Male Field Athlete.

A favorite of the team and the coaches was their weekly pasta dinners. Two days before each meet, 20-25 tracksters met at a player's home and ate a high carbo pasta meal provided by the athlete's parents.

To put a close to their successful season, the team had their annual banquet where many special awards were handed out. Brock Peterson and Angelique Howard received the High Point Award with 117 and 87 team points respectively. Also, Peterson received the Most Valuable Male Track Athlete and Howard the Most Valuable Female Field Athlete awards. Freshman Shayla Davis and junior transfer Romia Hall were honored as the Newcomers of the Year.

All in all, the team showed great team unity, which allowed them to enjoy the privilege of State competition.

—Amy Marcel



## 2001 STATE TRACK COMPETITORS

Front Row: Michael Ashford, Brock Peterson, Steven Lutjen, Jason Coleman. Second Row: Angelique Howard, Morgan McConico, Aaron Weathers, Romia Hall. Third Row: Kristine Knutter, Meryl Miller, Kathy Yates, Devin Pino, Donnie Shepherd. Back Row: Corrine Vandenberg, Bonnie Assmann, Travis Slankard.



## HANDS UP, HANDS OFF

Senior Brock Peterson hands off the baton to sophomore Steven Lutjen in the third leg of the 4 x 400 relay. Both also ran in the 4 x 800 relay, while Peterson competed in the 1600 meter run and Lutjen in the 800 meter run.





# SASS and SMILES

New people and a new camp changed the dance team's traditions. Instead of going to a NDA camp at a college, two NDA instructors came to the high school in order to teach a private camp.

The team was split into two groups to learn twelve dances in three days. Each group was responsible for six dances to teach the rest of the team at practices.

"The private camp let us tailor things to our needs with more individual instruction," Coach Lisa Terrell said.

With the song "Freak This" they wore bandanas, in "I Need a Hot Girl" they wore different colored shirts, and with "Scary Mix" they wore gold tops and used

strobe lights, all to match their different songs.

With only five returning girls, the team had to work extra hard. Learning a new dance every couple of practices got to be a little confusing, but the team pulled through with ease. Their performances showed off their hard work, good attitudes, and determination.

"We had a good group of girls this year that worked hard and were dedicated," Coach Terrell said.

—Erin Stoner

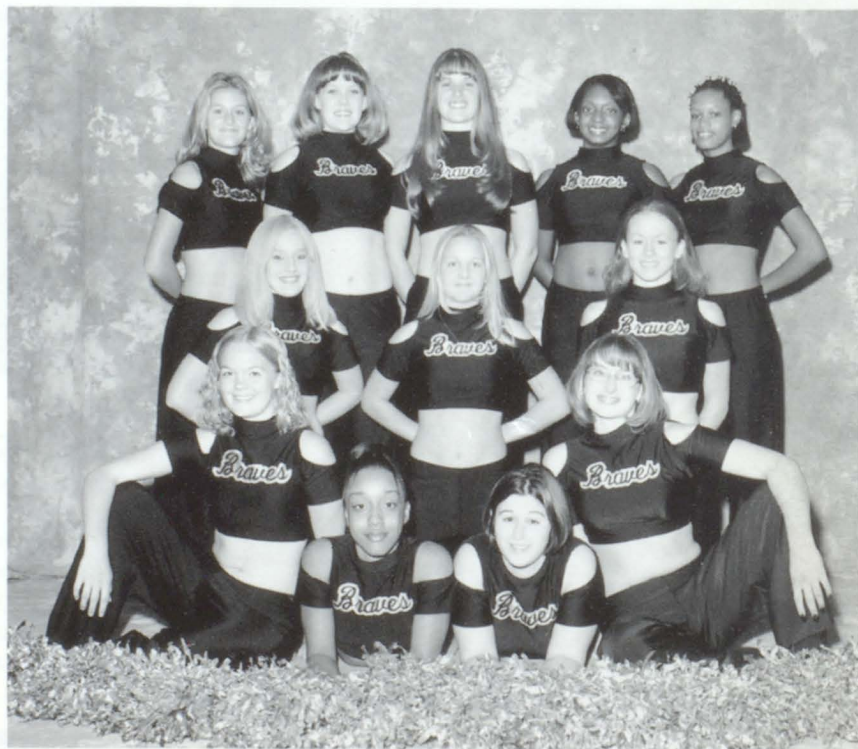
## GOTTA' GET DOWN

Senior Kristi King and sophomores Krista Redlin and Tabatha Stark groove to "Ooh La La." They spent several hours practicing each dance before performing them at games or assemblies.



## ENDING WITH STYLE

Senior Andrea Cunningham and Juniors Megan McCluney and Erin Stoner hit the final pose for "Oo La La" at the first home basketball game. Cunningham was captain and McCluney was co-captain.



## 2000-2001 DANCE TEAM

Front Row: Krista Redlin, Megan McCluney, Kristi King, Hannah Martin. Second Row: Jessica Adams, Tammy Sanford, Andrea Cunningham. Third Row: Tabatha Stark, Clorissa Silver, Erin Stoner, Amittia Davis, Resa McGee.







**RIDIN' HIGH**

Riding in Mr. Garold Baker's truck, the Dance Team shows their spirit in the Annual Homecoming Parade. The Homecoming parade was held during 7th hour on Friday, October 6, 2000.

**TEARING THE ROOF OFF**

Krista Redlin, Hannah Martin, Tammy Sanford, Resa McGee, Andrea Cunningham and Erin Stoner perform to "Tear the Roof Off." The dance team danced with style and elegance to the band's music at every home football game.



**SENIORS IN THE SPOTLIGHT**

At the last home basketball game, seniors Resa McGee, Kristi King, Chorissa Silver, Andrea Cunningham and Hannah Martin take the floor with a routine they learned with Laura Jackson. They worked with Jackson for two weeks before performing the traditional senior dance.



**FREAKING THIS**

After dancing to the song "Freak This" the dance team members pose for a picture in their bandanas. They tried to bring different props into the dances to make them more creative.

**GET READY**

Senior Hannah Martin and Junior Megan McCluney wait for the music to start playing. "I really enjoyed being on the team and making friendships with everyone," Martin said.



# Cheerleaders are **ATHLETES**

Is cheerleading really a sport? Many people don't realize what all goes into being on a cheerleading squad. It's not as easy as some people may think.

To be a cheerleader, "It takes dedication because things don't work if you don't have the right attitude and dedication," senior LaCreisha Groves said.

Cheerleaders practice as much as the athletes in other sports do.

"We practice all the time in the summer and then go work really hard for four days at camp," sophomore Danielle King said.

Not only do cheerleaders think that it's a sport, but spectators and fans do as well.

Sophomore Clorisha Smith said cheerleading was a sport because, "They train and work hard to get their cheers down, and they are constantly on the move and

have to be in shape to keep up."

"It requires effort, practice, commitment and time. They are at as many game as the athletes," junior Danae Larson said.

Coaches and teachers felt the same way.

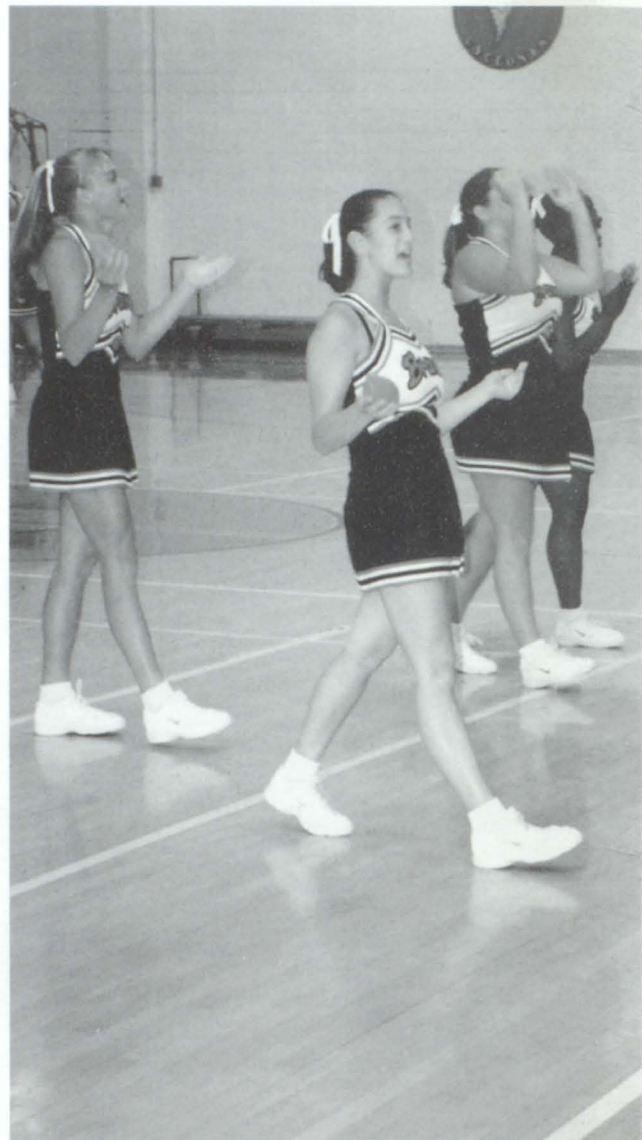
"It takes some athletic ability to be a cheerleader. They also have competitions that they compete in at different levels including Nationals," Mr. Matt McLeod said.

In consensus, don't just think of the players as the athletes but the cheerleaders also.

— Amber Sturgeon  
Amy Marcel

## **UP, UP, ON YOUR FEET**

Varsity cheerleaders Danielle King, Angelique Howard, Cari Lynn and Melissa Davis encourage the students to "get on their feet" to catch the plastic footballs they are tossing. The cheerleaders tossed these footballs and basketballs into the stands to get the fans going.



## **LET'S GO TEAM**

Junior Varsity cheerleaders Mandy Goins, Heather Weaver and Cherish Freeman cheer at a home football game. There were a total of three JV football games that the cheerleaders performed.



## **2000-2001 VARSITY CHEERLEADING TEAM**

Front Row: Michelle Stephen, Kortney Steinhurst, Angelique Howard. Middle Row: Cari Lynn, LaCreisha Groves. Back Row: Danielle King, Meryl Miller, Melissa Davis, Jessica Ventura, Whitney Mitchell.







**WE'RE HOT, WE'RE HOT!**

Junior Varsity cheerleader Jeneice Waters wraps up the cheer, "Give it all you've got." Even though Waters injured her ankle, she still had the dedication to cheer.

**FIGHT! FIGHT! FIGHT!**

The cheerleaders perform the Bonner Braves fight song during the fall pep assembly. Because the fight song is performed at every pep assembly and at the beginning and end of all home games, it is a required routine at cheerleading tryouts in the spring.



**2000-2001 J.V. CHEERLEADERS**

Front Row: Cherish Freeman, Mandy Goins, Rebecca Stephens. Back Row: Liz Gronau, Heather Weaver, Jeneice Waters.

**FLYING HIGH**

Varsity cheerleaders hold senior Michelle Stephen in an arabesque during a pep assembly. Besides arabesque, the cheerleaders execute full and half extensions, basket tosses and many other stunts to entertain the crowd.





### WHAT'S NEXT?

The girls wait in anticipation as they watch their teammate bat at the Regional softball game held at the Edwardsville Park. Unfortunately, the girls lost their game to Gardner-Edgerton by the score of 0-6, thus ending the season.

### BUMPING FOR THE POINT

Sophomore Lindsey Stanbrough bumps the ball to teammate senior Vanessa Spartan at the WYCO Tournament. The girls won four matches and lost two at the tourney, placing third.



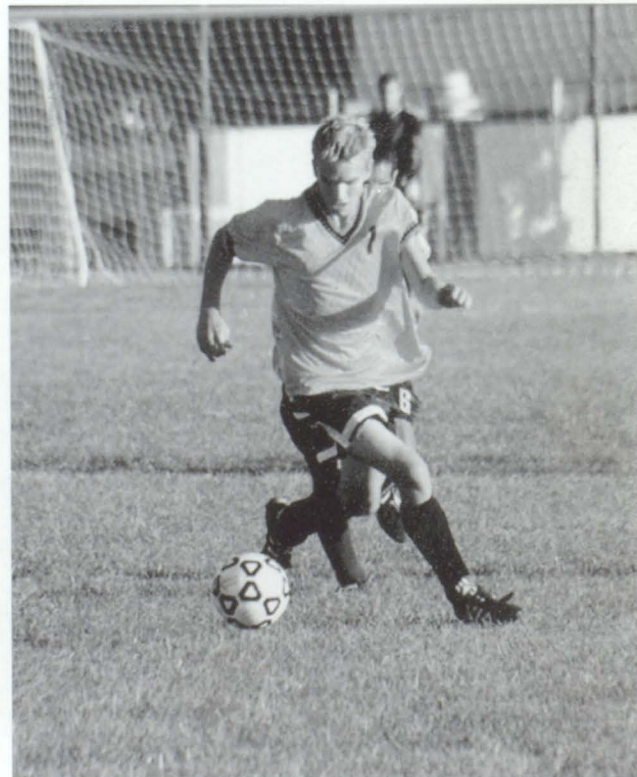
### SWEATING FOR THE FINISH LINE

Sophomore Chris Stakely pushes himself to the limit to finish the race at WYCO park. The cross-country team had a very successful year sending all of the boys team to State and sending sophomore Morgan McConico for the girls team.



### STRIVING FOR VICTORY

Sophomore Devin Pino keeps his eye on the ball as he gets ready to pass it to another teammate. In its first year, the soccer program had a turnout of thirty players, hoping to grow in the future.

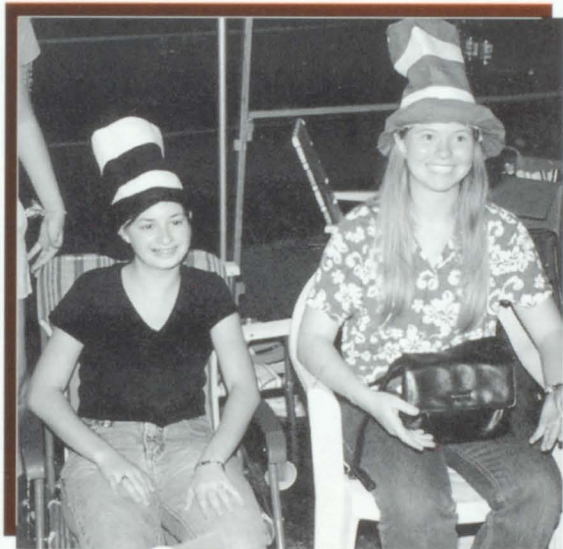




# ARE YOU CLOSE ENOUGH?

## GATHERING ON THE STAGE

Making up part of the prayer circle, senior Crystal Thomas, junior Shelly Wade, sophomores Sarah Benton, Sara Miller, Amy Marcel and junior Amanda Zaring listen as senior Adam Robertson plays his guitar. The traditional "Meeting at the Pole" was moved inside to the auditorium due to poor weather that day.

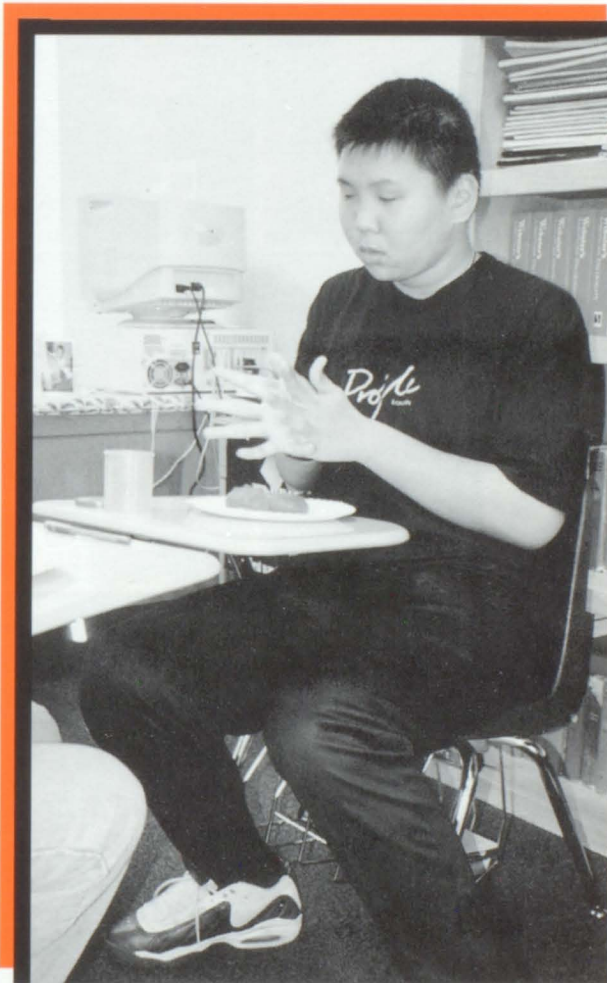


## MONEY GIRLS

Juniors Helen Shepherd and Rachel Boddy smile for the camera during the Tiblow Days carnival. The two girls were trying to help raise money for a local Boy Scout troop by getting people to stop and play the games at the troop's booth.

## SCULPTED INTO A WRITER

Foreign exchange student, Aship Limcharoen (Meen) tries to finish his play-doh pencil holder in Ms. Nancy Yankovich's sophomore English class. The project gets the students thinking about how the process of sculpting a piece of art is related to writing a creative paper.



We made our friends;  
We spent time at our hangouts.  
The high school years flew by,  
And now we say good-bye,  
But we will face the world **BRAVELY**.

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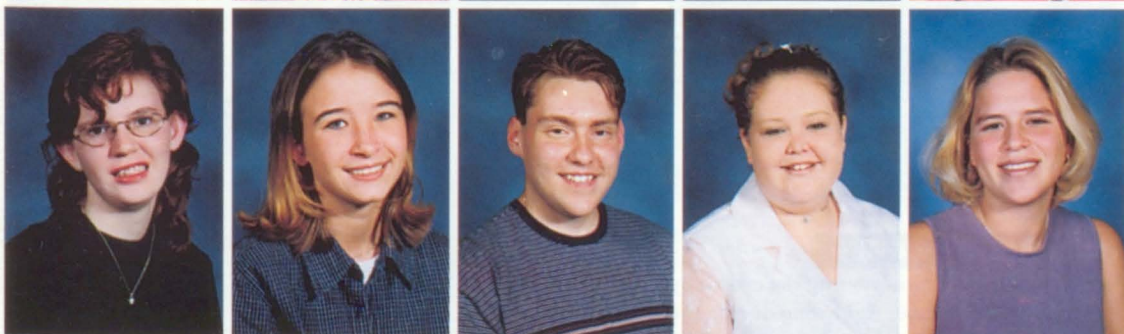
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 Toni Davis  
 Janelle Day  
 Anna Delich



Barbara Dragush  
 Catie Dressler  
 James Erin  
 Shannon Fleetwood  
 Alicia Forshey



# Words of Wisdom recommended by seniors

*"Your senior year is the best. No, it's busy, chaotic, and horrible deadlines to meet, homework from every class, and a job. This is a crazy year."*  
—Nathan Haverland

*"Be cool to teachers and they'll be cool to you."*  
—Oza Shaw

*"Just have fun and relax. The year flies by and before you know it you will be on your own."*  
—Michael Brown

*"Beat on the counselors' doors about colleges and scholarship info. You'll never get it all the first couple of times."*  
—Holly Bizzell

*"My advice to the upcoming seniors is not to procrastinate. It seems like the year will never end, but it is over before you know it."*  
—Jennifer Bush

*"Start your senior project now! Don't delay. If you have correspondence classes do them now too!"*  
—Michelle Whitford

*"Have fun and go against the flow."*  
—Josh Shaw

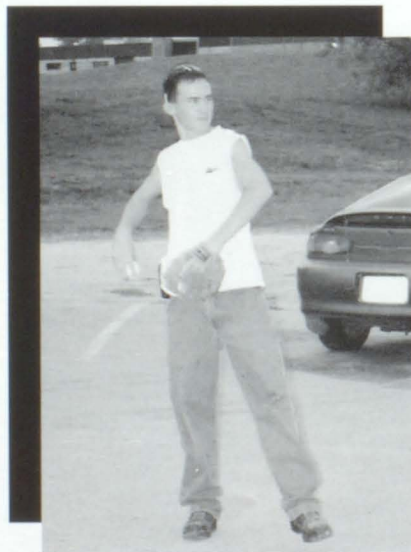
*"Well, my number one advice is to get your senior project done. Make sure to choose a topic that will interest you."*  
—Leslie Anderson

*"Start the senior project over the summer. Turn forms in on time."*  
—Sam Hennigh



## HEADS UP

During float construction senior Tim Neal took time out to toss around a baseball. Seniors spent two evenings working on their float with many breaks in between to complete homework or just hang out with friends.



## PEPPIN' UP THE CROWD

Senior James Erin revs up the crowd by playing the Braves fight song during the Homecoming parade and pep rally. Erin has played the trumpet for eight years.







**SCHOOL SPIRIT SHINES THROUGH**

Bringing back old traditions, seniors Vanessa Spartan, Ashley Gillespie, Angela Reyes, and Katie Szewc, along with others, decorated the commons area during Homecoming week. The Traditions Committee decided that decorating the commons would show school spirit, and many seniors participated in the decorating.



**UMM... ME WANT COOKIES!**

Senior Crystal Thomas prepares the Otis Spunkmeyer cookies for selling at lunch. Thomas was Mrs. Martha Chandley's second hour aide first semester and cooked over nine dozen cookies a day.

**FUN NEVER ENDS**

Senior Kristine Knutter helps the children prepare to color pumpkins during the early childhood development class's Halloween party for the pre-schoolers. The E.C.D. class was responsible for caring for the kids every Wednesday and Thursday.





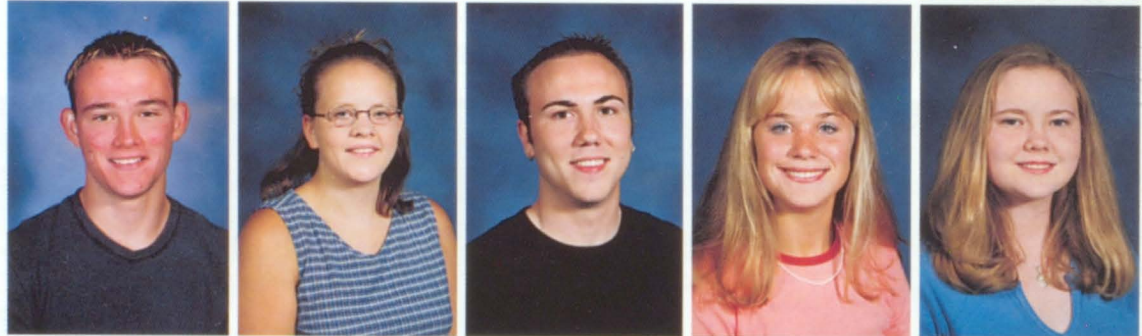
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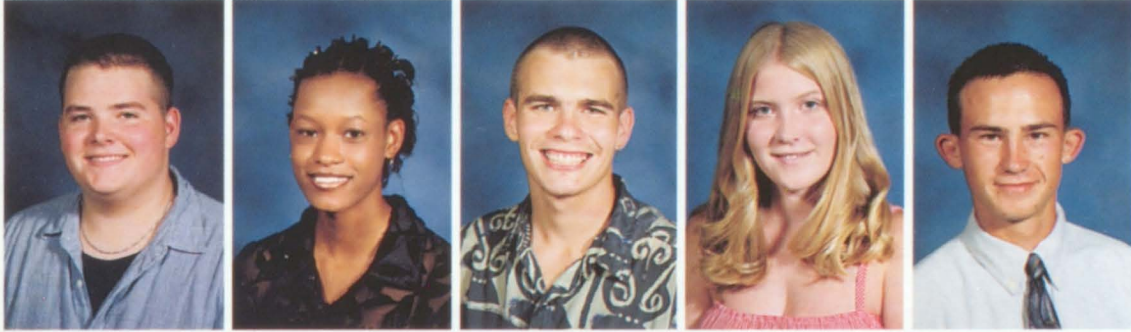
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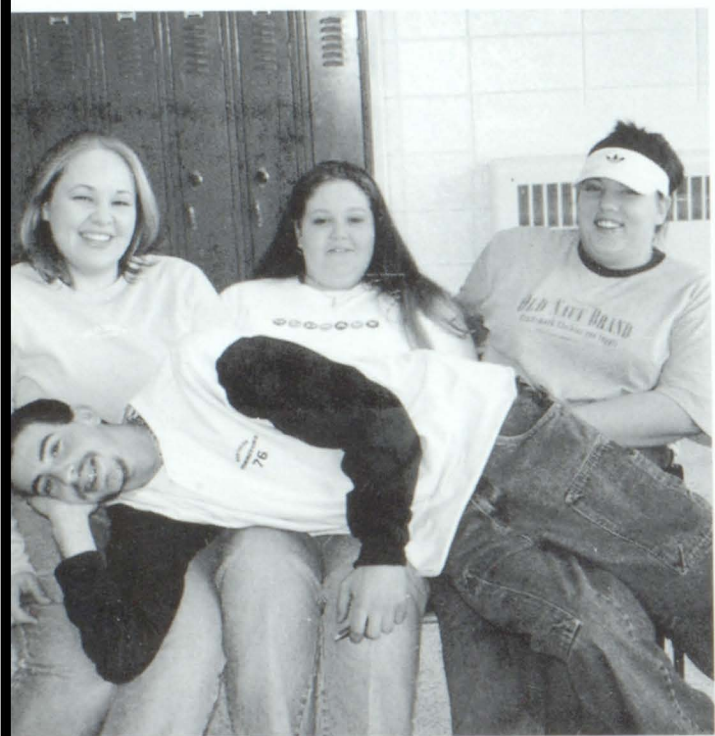


Gary Pinks  
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# Senior Favorites

## what's hot in 2001



### FAVORITE STORE

Shopping is obviously regarded as a favorite pastime for most seniors. Old Navy was the seniors number one pick. Christina Romo, Shannon Fleetwood, Kayla Bates and Billy Carter show off their Old Navy attire.

### FAVORITE SPORT

No one else knows sports like the Class of 2001. Holding up a "BRAVES" sign, a group of seniors support the Braves' football team at a home football game.



### FAVORITE HAT

You know Robert Norman is having a bad hair day when you spot him wearing the seniors' choice, an Adidas hat. Abercrombie came in at a close second.

### FAVORITE CAR

For once senior Christi Swayne has something good to say about her '66 Mustang—it's the number one choice for "hot" cars in 2001.







**FAVORITE SHOES**

With the seniors' shoe prices ranging from \$90-\$150, they really know how to pick a pair. Even though the price of Doc Martens was very steep, the seniors still picked them as their shoes of choice.

**FAVORITE JEANS**

The class of 2001 chose Levi's as their favorite jeans. With so many different styles and colors to choose from, it's no wonder they preferred Levi's.



**FAVORITE PERFUME/COLOGNE**

Curve for Women/Men took number one for this class. With all the scents in the world, Amanda Rhodes chose the lucky number one scent. Rhodes displays Curve body wash and Curve perfume.

**FAVORITE DRINK**

"Joy of Cola, Joy of fun, Joy of Pepsi on Kim Shockey's tongue." Caffeine became a buzz word around the senior class, who chose the caffeine-loaded Pepsi as their favorite thirst quencher.

**FAVORITE SONG**

Always feeling like she is being accused for everything, Sharon Beeley finally has proof. This year's number one choice for songs was Shaggy's, "It Wasn't Me."



*Actress:*  
Sandra Bullock

*Actor:*  
Freddie Prinze, Jr.

*Restaurant:*  
Applebee's

*Music:*  
R & B

*Best Dressed Celebrity:*  
Jennifer Lopez

*Sports Team:*  
Bonner Braves

*Movie:*  
Gone in 60 Seconds

*Food:*  
Mexican





Blake Ritter  
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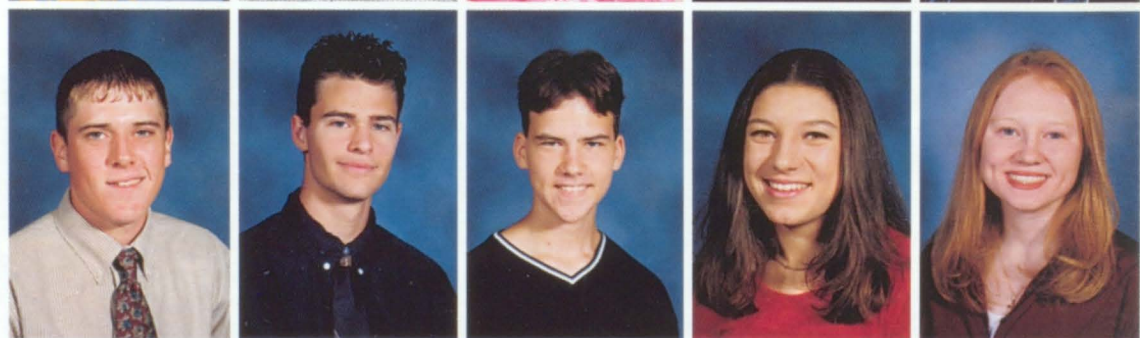
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 Brian Smith  
 Vanessa Spartan  
 Kortney Steinhurst



Michelle Stephen  
 Abbie Stierly  
 Christi Swayne  
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 Crystal Thomas







Holly Thompson  
 Kyle Turner  
 Nykoal Vance  
 Corrine Vandenberg  
 Lucio Vazquez



Mayra Vazquez  
 Jeremy Vitt  
 Jimmy Vogel  
 Jesse Wacker  
 Brent Weaver



Crystal Weaver  
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 Branden White  
 Shannon White  
 Michelle Whitford



Scott Wilkey  
 Robert Williams  
 Melissa Wiseman  
 Scott Witzke  
 Joshua Woods



Jessie Wright  
 Matthew Wright  
 Christina Zeljeznjak

*Not pictured:*  
 Cliff McComb, Justin  
 Moran, Misti Redmon,  
 Tamara Stephens





# Recalling the Most memorable moments

From the first day of kindergarten to graduation, we've spent our times together crying, laughing, getting in trouble, and most of all growing together. These moments that we have shared together have molded us into the adults that we are today. These moments will remain in our lives forever.



## DOUBLE TIME

"My sophomore year, Crystal Weaver and I went on our first double date to Bonner's Homecoming. It was really weird at first, but it ended up being a night I'll never forget."

—Amanda Craig

## BREAK TIME

"One of my most memorable moments is in eighth grade when a bunch of us went to Worlds of Fun with the Bonner Springs Church of Nazarene. There was like 20 of us and we spent hours trying to figure out how to split when riding the rides on the way there. Once we got there though everything worked out and it was fun."

—Anna Delich



## LAVERNE AND SHIRLEY

"My most memorable moment was last year during Halloween when Katie Szewc and I dressed up as Laverne and Shirley. You couldn't really tell, but it worked for us and we had a great time for our last Halloween in high school."

—Melissa Wiseman

## Oops! My Fault!

"Our freshman year we played in the Patton basketball tournament. Not only did we win the tournament, but we got to see Kristine Knutter get a technical for spitting on the floor. She was trying to keep her shoes from being slick and instead of spitting in her hand and wiping her shoe's bottom, she just spit on the floor and ran through it. The ref called the foul and Kristine just looked at coach and said, 'Oops!'"

—Angela Mikuls







**ANYTHING GOES BABY**

"It was our eighth grade year when Angela Mikuls, Meric Seaton, Jay Frazier, Scott Witzke, Alicia Forshey, and I were in the "Anything Goes" competition. Our team name was "The Swoosh." We got first place, and we thought we were the bomb. This was one of the best times that I have had in school."

—Mandy Ballard



**FLOAT FUN**

"Float construction of 2000 was a memorable moment. I thought that construction was going to be boring, since the school made the event take place at school, but it was far from it. This year, float construction was really fun, and it made me realize that doing something like this at school isn't that bad. We still got to work with our friends to build a masterpiece."

—Holly Thompson



**NO YOU DIDN'T**

"I remember the post-Homecoming party at Nathan Andrew's house. Angela Reyes started yelling at everyone because they tried to tell her how to dance. Seeing her face was the funniest thing I ever saw."

—Anthony Blancarte



**PERFECTION**

"One of the best times that I have had in high school was my junior prom. From the sparkling cranberry juice, to dinner, the dance, the limo, everyone who went with us, and Angela Mikuls' house afterwards, it was all a lot of fun. The entire night was perfect. I don't think I could have had a better prom even if I tried."

—Alicia Forshey





# Senior Best

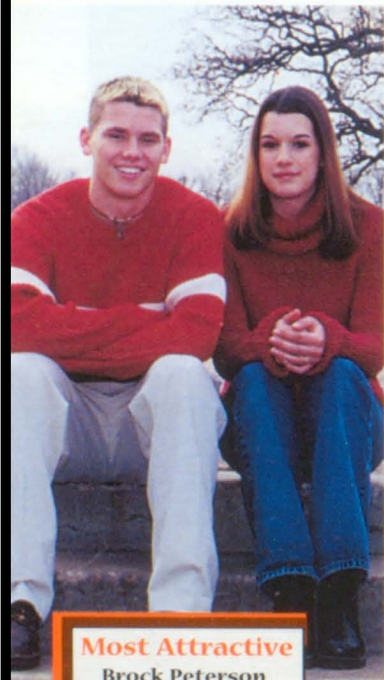
## who's who in 2001



**Most Spirited**  
Jason Coleman  
Cari Lynn



**Class Clown**  
Katie Szewc  
Anthony Cox



**Most Attractive**  
Brock Peterson  
Bonnie Assmann



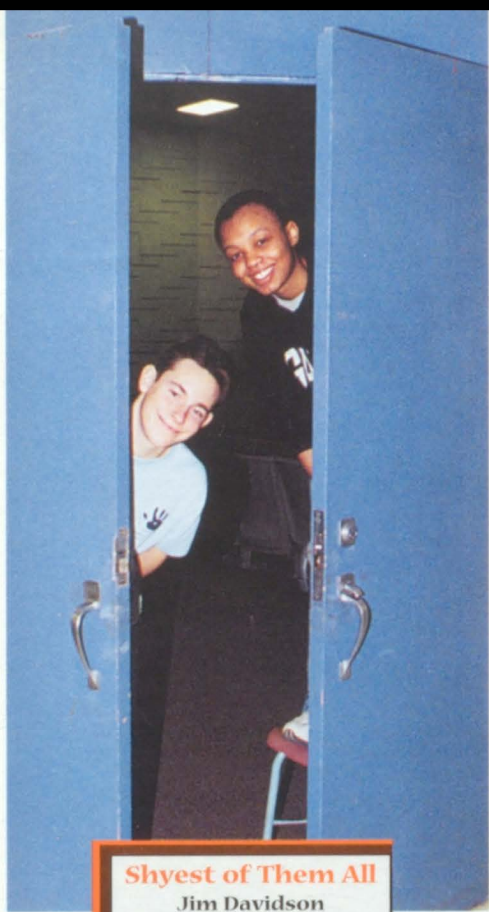
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**Our Cowboy/Cowgirl**  
Sean Sipes  
Amanda Craig



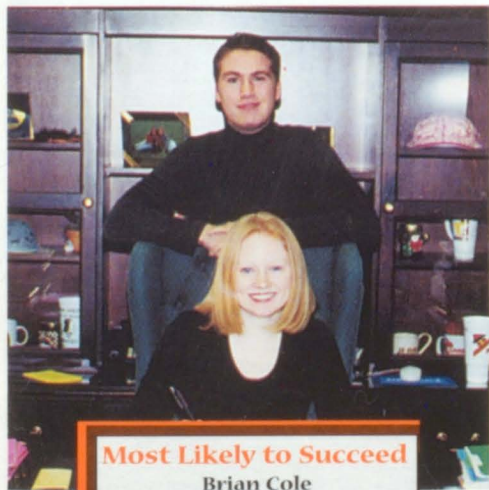




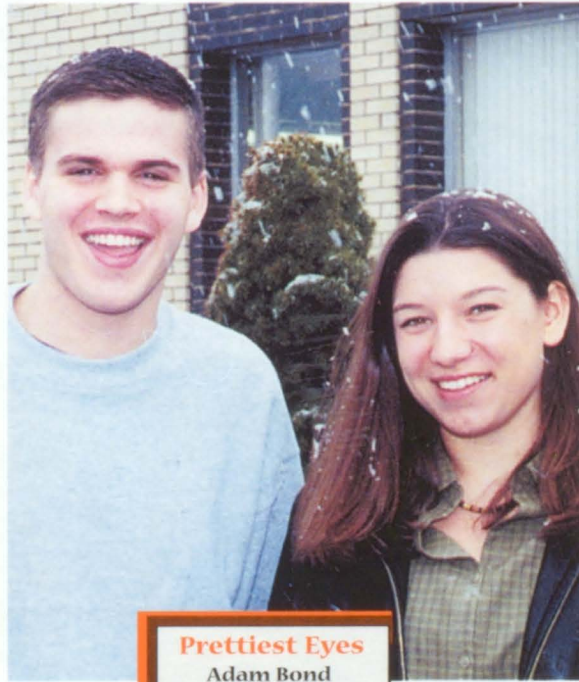
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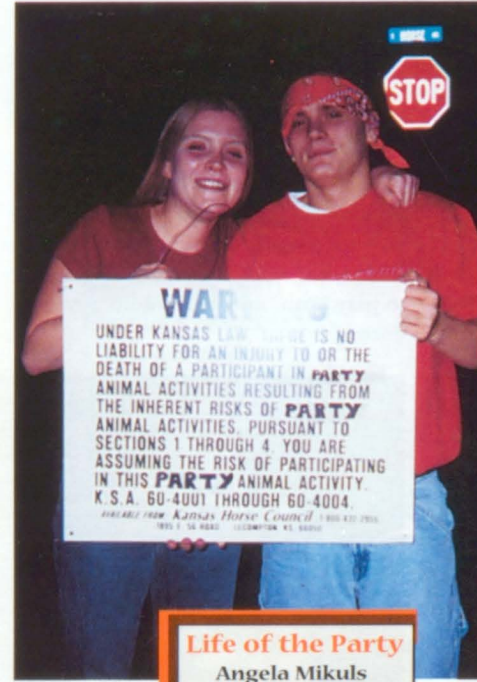
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**Most Likely to Succeed**  
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 Kortney Steinhurst



**Prettiest Eyes**  
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 Vanessa Spartan



**Life of the Party**  
 Angela Mikuls  
 Jay Frazier



**Teacher's Pet**  
 Anthony Blancarte  
 Andrea Cunningham

**Favorite Teacher**  
 Mrs. Wanda Simchuk  
 Mr. Brandon Williams

Making  
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# Bare Necessity

## trapped in paradise

If you were stranded on a remote island and you could pick only one friend and one bag of stuff, who would you take? What would be in the bag? The *Totem Pole* staff surveyed the senior class, and here's what they came up with.



### LACREISHA GROVES

"I would take Jean Claude VanDamme because he is the stuff. He's the dream guy every girl would want. I would bring a bag of toys, because toys are fun to play with, and you would never get bored."



### RACHELLE SHOCKEY

"I would take a bag full of wet wipes—you never know about the leaves on an island. Knives—to kill the locals. I mean local animals: and my teddy bear—he's better than a volleyball. I want to take lots of pictures of myself, so I can remember what I looked like before I turn into a huge fur-ball. I also want to bring Bob Saget with me; his jokes just crack me up!"

### ASHE BOHNERT

"I would take my friend Andrew Benton and a couple hundred bags of animal cookies."

### ZACK CALDWELL

"If I were stranded on an island, I would take Sean Sipes and a bag with a mini T.V., a dorm frig, and two of those blow up chairs."

### MAYRA VAZQUEZ

"I would pick my best friend Maria Larioz because we could always be talking about something. We would take a lot of food, shampoo and clothes. Oh, don't forget the magazines!"

### NATHAN HAVERLAND

"There isn't just one person that I would take with me. If I could, I would take parts of people and create a person that I would like to bring. I would like that person to have Alice Pierson's intelligence, Jamie Sangster's great humor, Nathan Andrew's ability to have fun, and Pamela Anderson's body. In my bag I would have a portable CD player with everlasting batteries. I would take the following artist's CDs: Alantis Morissette, Bjork, Limp Biscuit, Fiona Apple and The Verve Pipe."

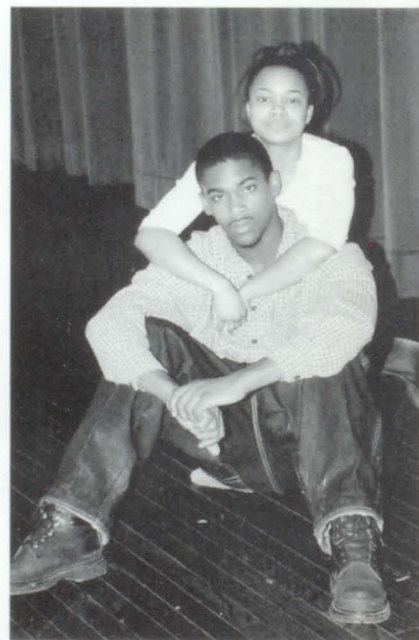
### ZULEMA LIZARRAGA

"I would have to say I would take my friend Claudia. Even though we get on each other's nerves we wouldn't kill each other. I would take a hair brush, a bottle of shampoo, soap, lotion, toothbrushes, a pan, a spoon, a knife, Midol and Tylenol."



### MELISSA WISEMAN

"I would take Katie Szewc; she is my best friend, and we would keep each other laughing. In my bag would be a radio/CD player—to keep up with the news and as a source of entertainment. Cd's—duh, for the CD player. Tanning lotion, so when someone rescues us we would be tan and looking good."



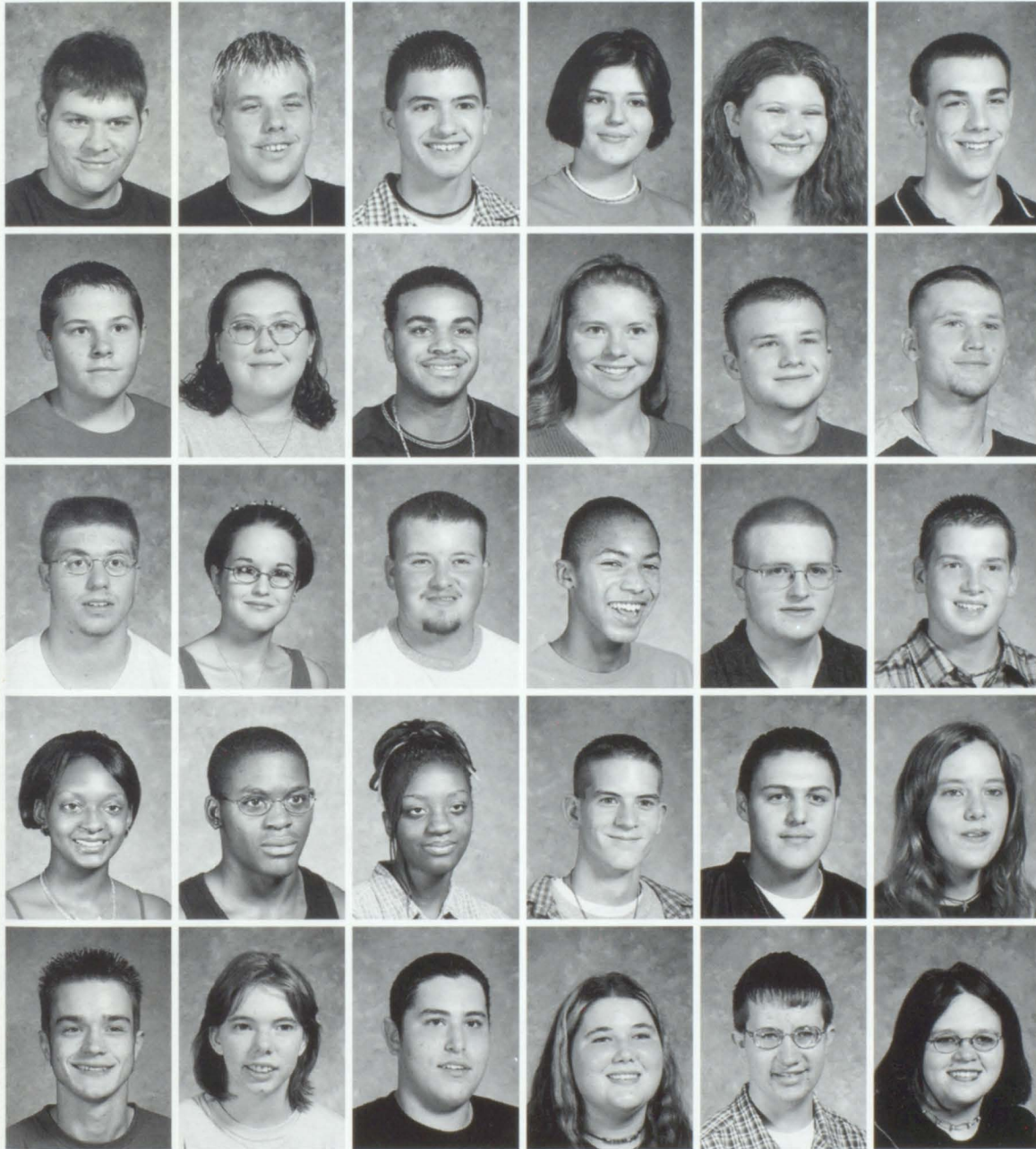
### PHILENA ANDERSON

"I would take Gary Pinks because if we're stranded on an island there would only be me and him to make another civilization. I would take a bag of food, weapons, soap, games, toys, and a few toothbrushes and toothpaste."





# Juniors



Adam Armbrust  
Dustin Arnett  
Michael Ashford  
Jackie Baker  
Rachel Ballard  
Joshua Ballew

Jacob Barbarich  
Jessica Bartram  
Sean Birdsong  
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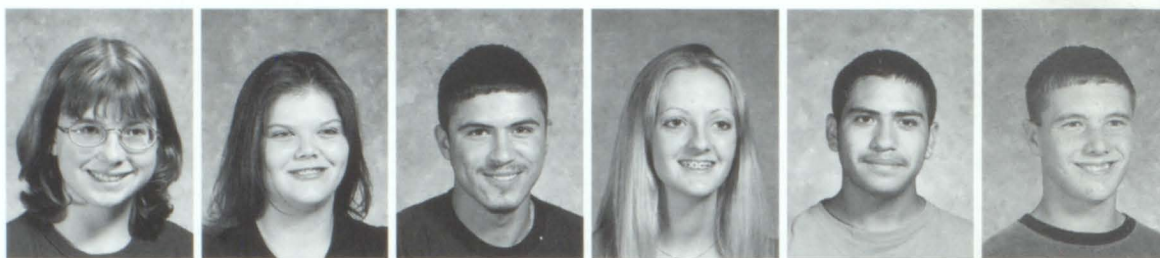
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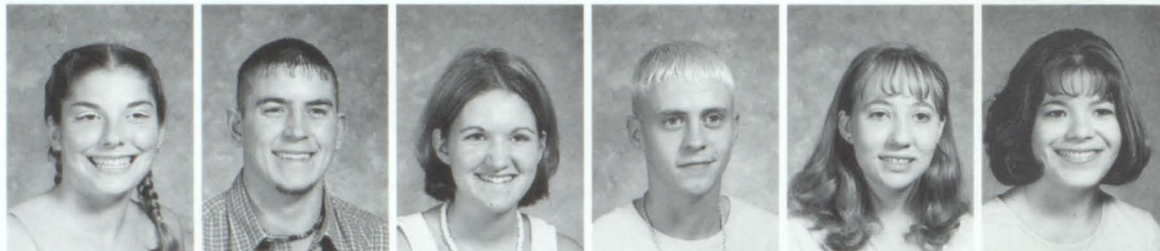




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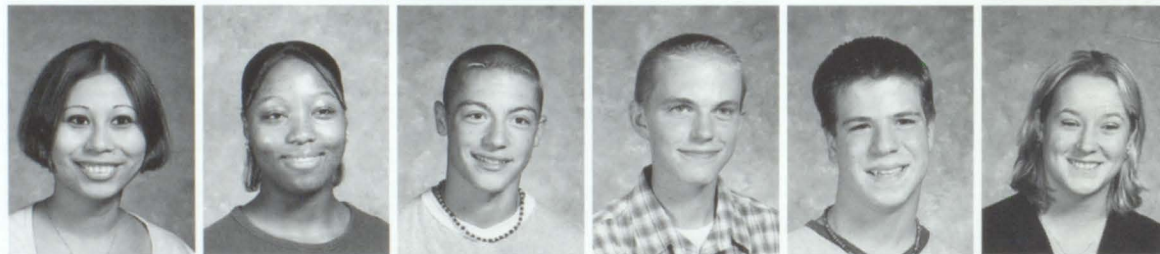
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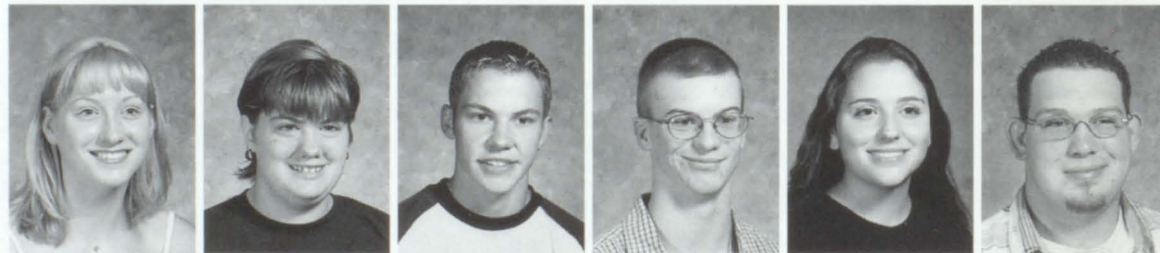
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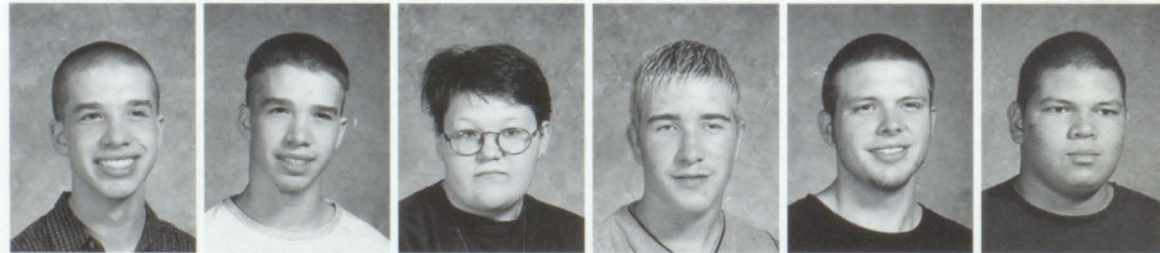
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 Richard Ledgerwood



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 Michael Lopez



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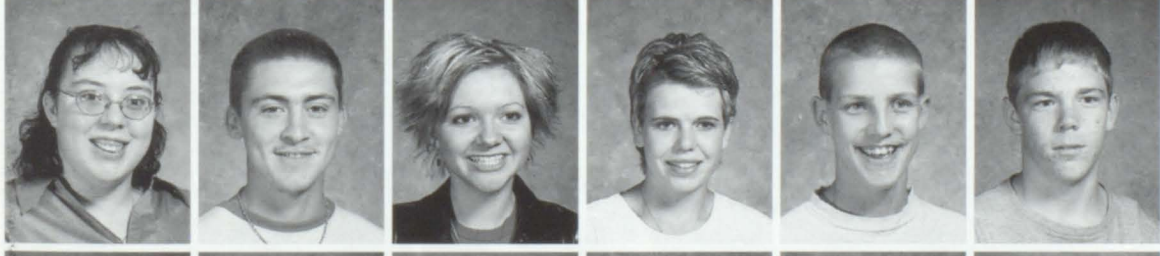
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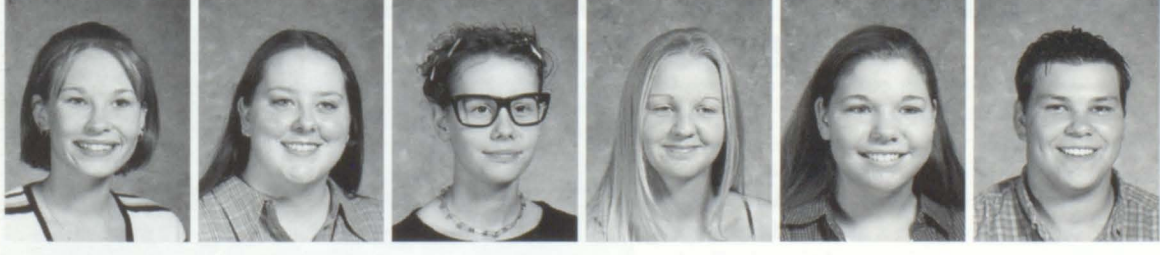
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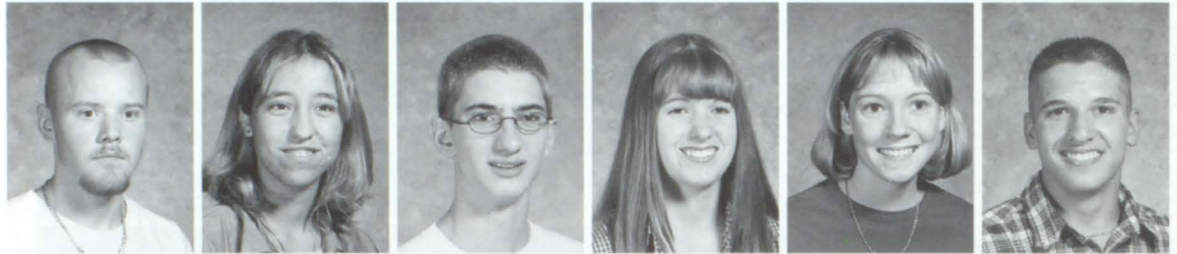
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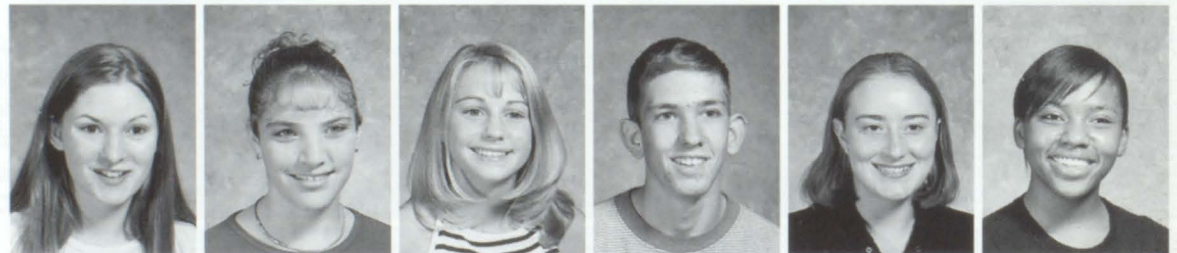
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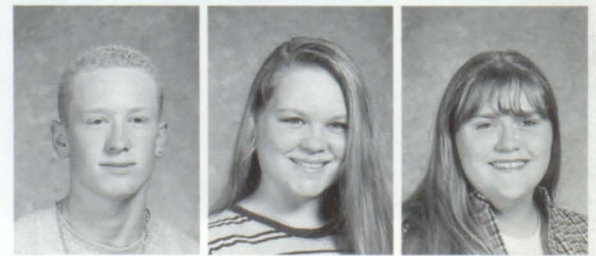
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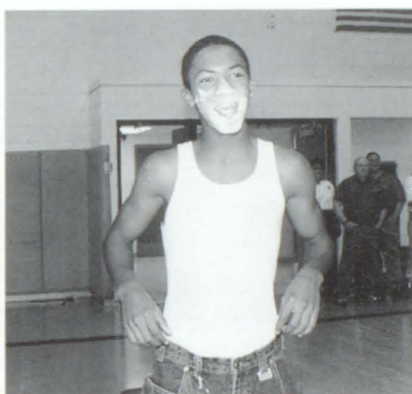


**JUNIORS NOT PICTURED IN PANELS**

Daniel Keeton, Fred White, Alicia McCulloch, Justin McDowell, Jason Moehlman, Mike Copeland.

**GETTING THE JOB DONE**

Working hard to get her junior paper done, Rachel Ballard works on it during Mr. Andy Price's computer class. Ballard's junior paper was over the Lost City of Atlantis.

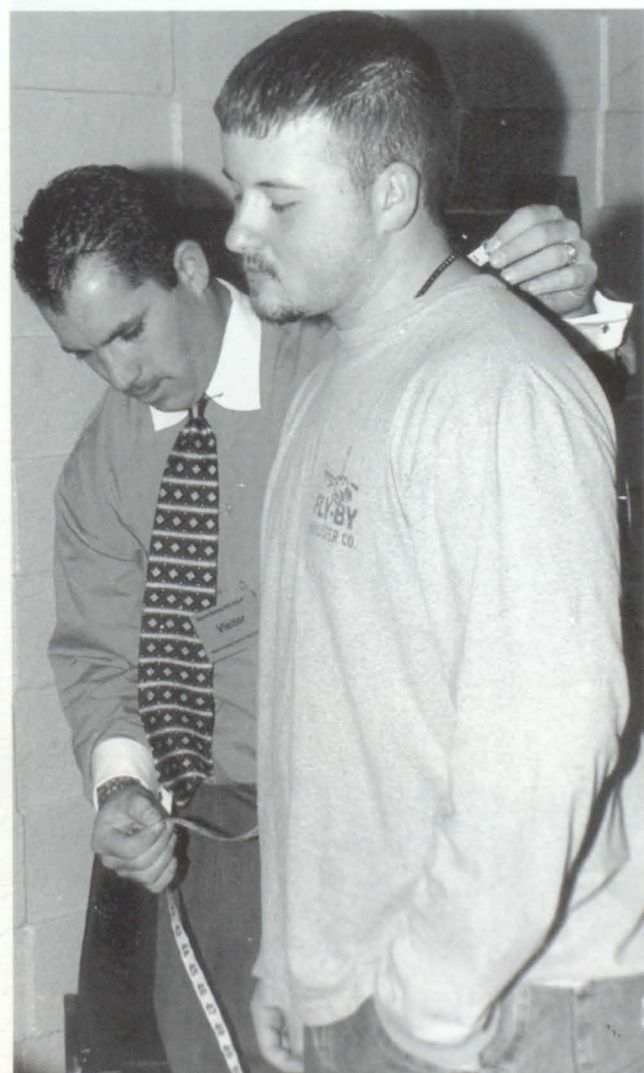


**MESSY BOY**

At the fall pep assembly, junior Chris Cobbins dug his face in a pie of whip cream, trying to find the most gummy worms. At pep assemblies classes competed against each other to see which class was the best.

**UNSPOKEN TRUTH**

Junior Amittia Davis performs at the African-American assembly. Her group "Unspoken Truth" performed sign language to the song, "Unspoken Truth."



**LOOKS RIGHT**

Junior Dustin Carson gets fitted for his prom tux. The prom committee decided it would be a good idea to have Studio 3 come to BSHS. Studio 3 is a tuxedo rental store that started to visit different high schools to make it easier for the guys to rent a tux for prom.



# Juniors Together yet divided

Sitting back and looking at all of the other classes, the juniors realized that their class had become an unique one. Whether at lunch, at school events, or out and about the town, the juniors just couldn't come together.

Many juniors felt like the class was divided into popular and unpopular groups, but now they have changed their minds.

"The junior class is divided by how you look, what you wear, who you date and who you hang-out with," junior Cherish Freeman said.

Because of the "divided" class, many juniors worried how this separation would affect their senior year.

"It will affect our senior year

because we won't be united," junior Tammy Sanford said.

"As seniors we will have to count on each other a lot more," junior Zach Graham said.

Although the junior class had it's own individuals and it's own interests, this shouldn't affect the way they act toward one another. When they get out into the real world they will have to put their differences aside to get their work done.

—Amber Sturgeon  
Rachelle Gonzales

## COOKIN' IT UP

Juniors Danae Larson and Stacy Nickloy prepare quesadillas for Spanish III class. Every year Mrs. Patsy Melius' gives her students an opportunity to split into groups and cook a Spanish dish of their choice.



## SMALL TALK

Juniors Amanda Zaring and Mandy Jorgensen stand together in the commons area after lunch. Many students took the opportunity during lunch to talk with friends about life, school, and plans for the weekend.



## CHEERING AS ONE

The junior class comes together for the fall pep assembly. During pep assemblies, classes sat together to cheer on classmates as they participated in games, became recognized for their sports, or watched the cheerleaders and dance team perform.



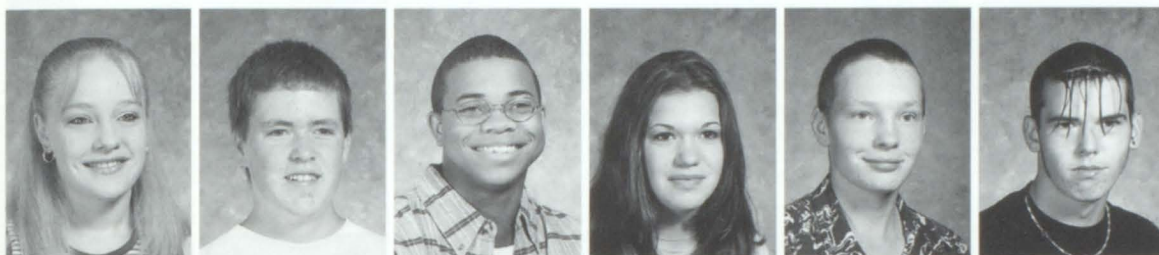
## MMM MMM GOOD!

Juniors Derrick Peters, Jack Holtzen, Abby Vitt, Mitch Miller and Zach Powell enjoy a wonderful BSHS lunch. Some of the favorite lunches were taco salad, frito pie, and spaghetti—anything with cinnamon rolls or dinner rolls!





# Sophomores



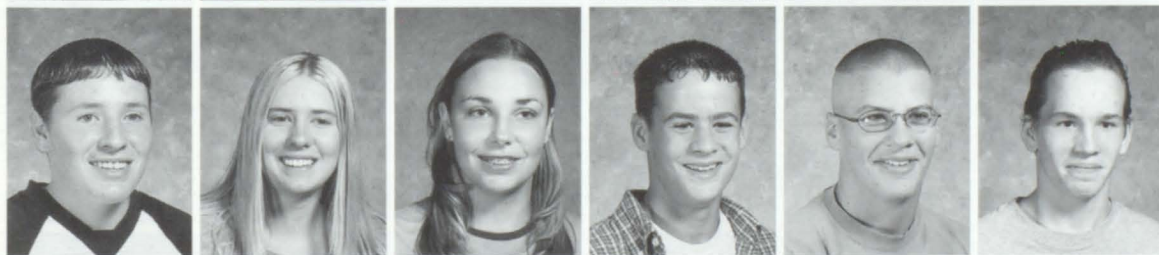
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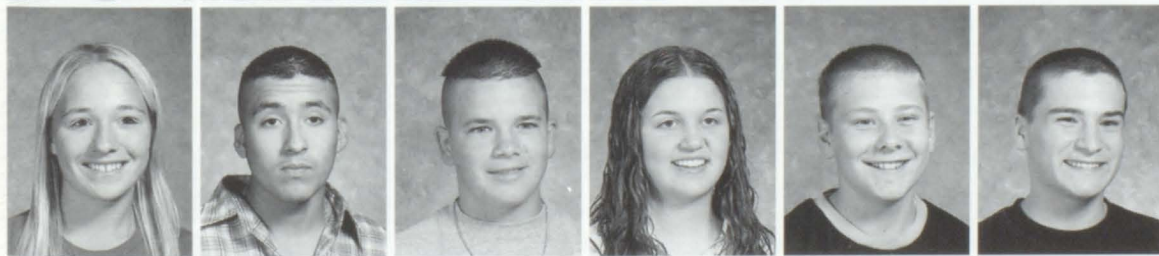
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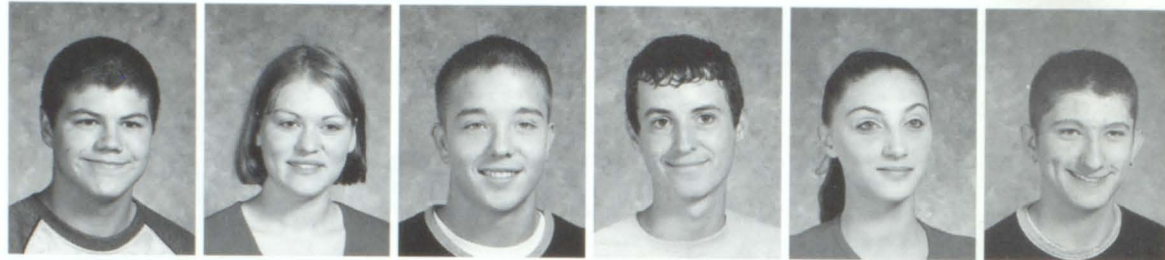


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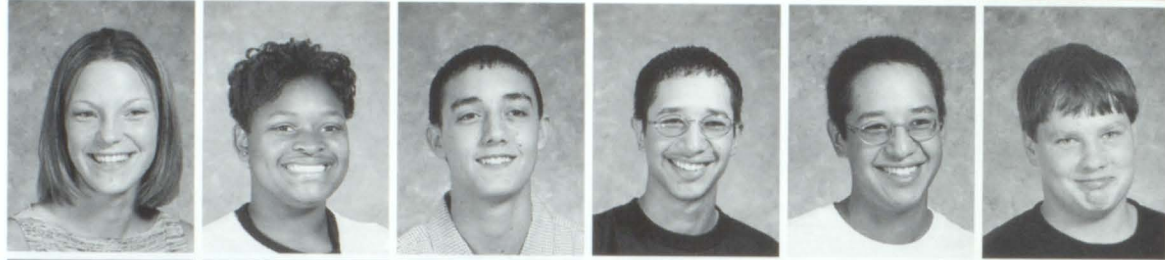




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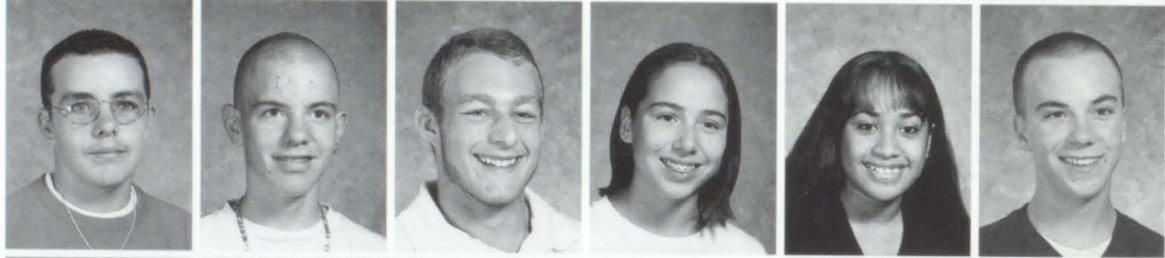
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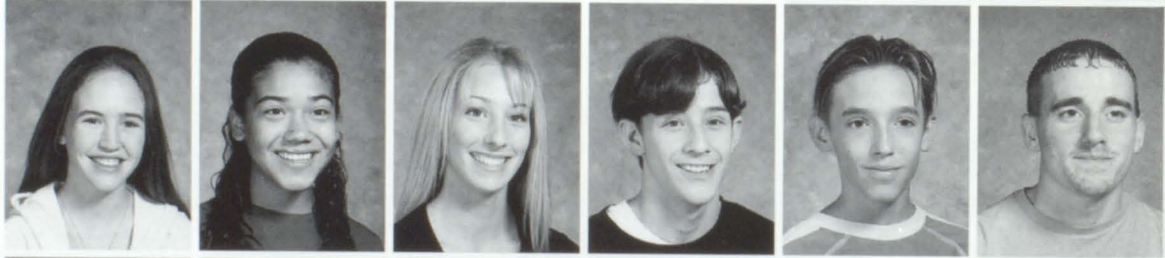
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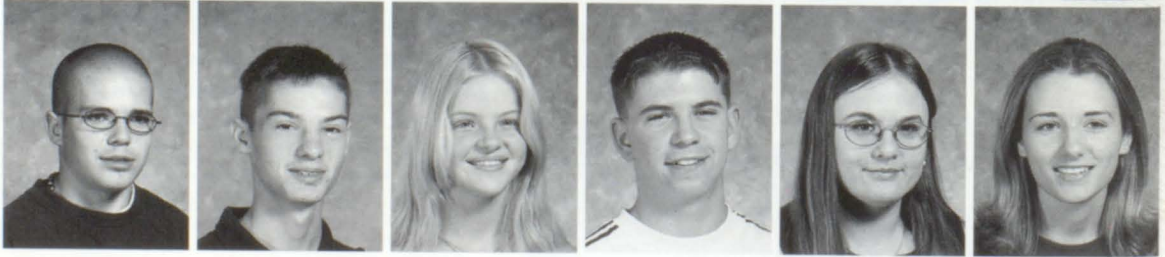
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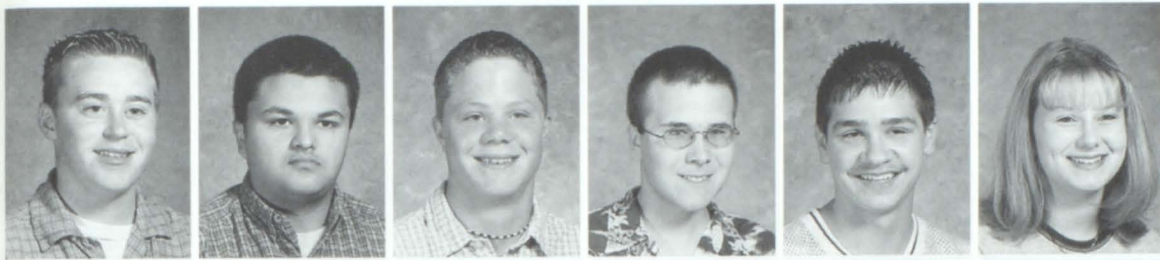
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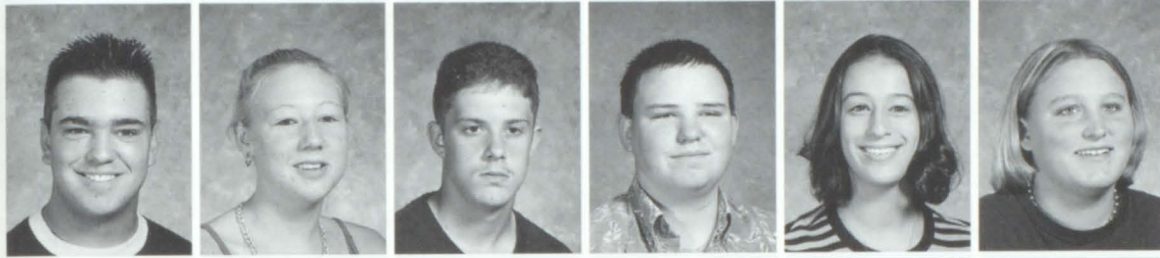
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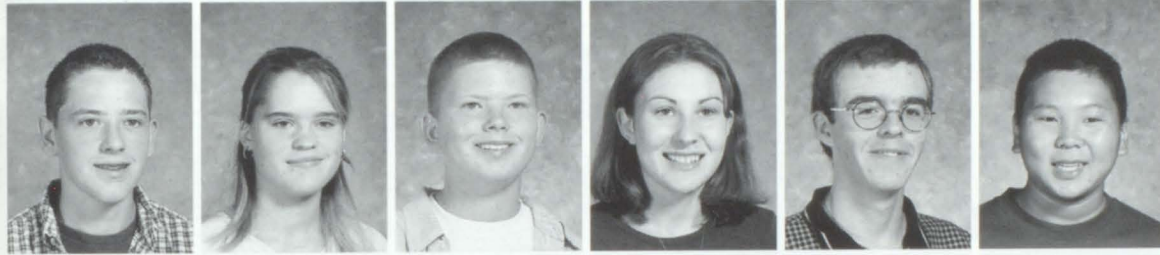




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Jeremy Krug  
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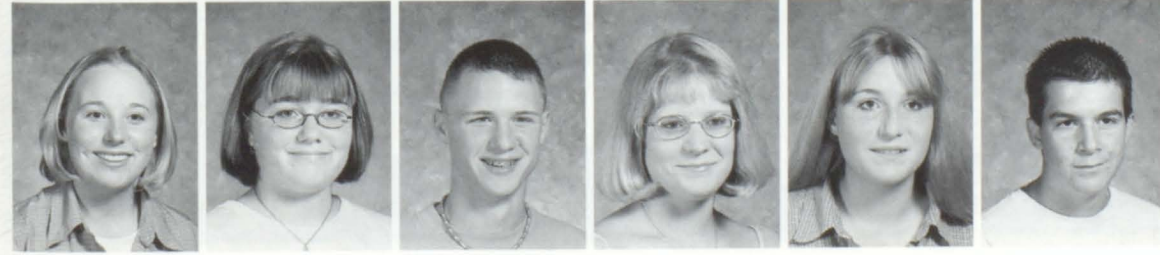
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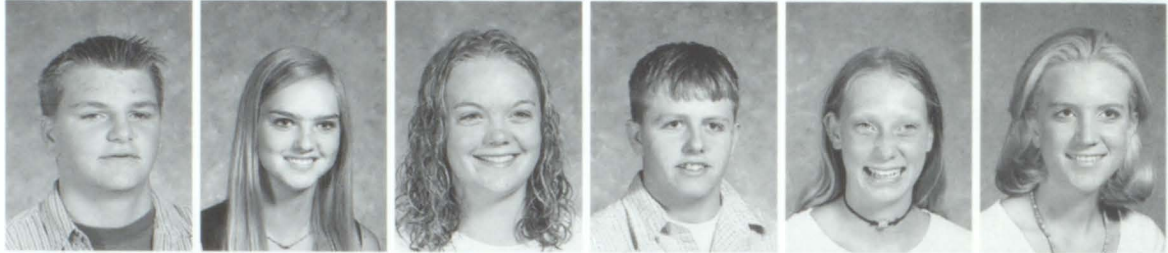
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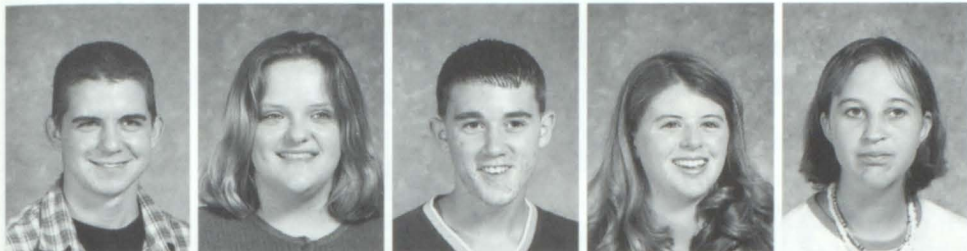
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Sarah Wright  
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**SOPHOMORES NOT PICTURED**

Clayton Caldwell, Megan Dell, Sarah Freemire, Donal Knight, Gail Burton.

**TIME TO DESIGN**

Sophomores Kenny Ballard and Andrew Lietzen work on auto-cad, a computer aided drafting program. Students designed houses or vehicles on the program which was taught by Mr. James Bonar.



**CHECKING FOR SCUM**

Amber Williams and Christa Crane, sophomores, check pond scum for microorganisms. This was one of the many labs that students did in Ms. Cindy Hayes' second hour ABC 11 science class.



# Sophomores begin building for the future

Introduced to a driver's license, getting a car, and college plans, it was really time for the sophomores to start planning for their futures.

Of the 100 sophomores surveyed, 69% owned or drove a car, and the remaining 31% did not drive at all. Although driving seemed old to some sophomores, most found it cool—at least this year they could actually take "their date" on "a date."

Along with driving, sophomores began to think about college, with 76% of them planning to further their education beyond high school.

At BSHS, students must complete a class project each year to graduate. For sophomores, it was a science fair project. From the growth of plants to research on toxic shock syndrome, these experiments were time consuming and difficult.

"The most difficult part for me was making up the research," Jeff Burns said.

Although most found the projects trying at times, some sophomores were able to have some fun too.

"Shooting the potato gun was the best," Chris DeLeon said.

Gaining more privileges gave the sophomores a great advantage. Taking time to prepare could help them in the future.

—Lisa Assmann  
Summer Pappé

## EATING WITH CLASS

A group of sophomores enjoy their lunch while they talk with other classmates. Sophomore students sat together at lunch daily.

## MAKING CHOICES

Sophomores Danielle King and Brandy McGinnis discuss the variety of class rings. The average cost of a class ring was between \$60 to \$400.



## TIME TO PREPARE

Mrs. Kristin Byers and Mr. Rick Moulton coordinate PLAN testing in Ms. Nancy Yankovich's English 10 class. The PLAN was given to sophomores to prepare them for the ACT exam.

## WAITING FOR CLASS

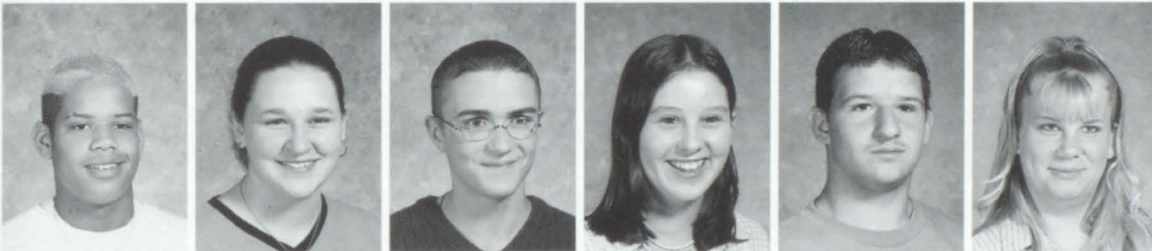
During lunch, sophomores Crystal Brandon, Jessica Adams, and Shannon Davidson chat while they have a few extra minutes. Lunch time was one of the only chances students could visit.



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Amanda Allenbrand  
Beth Ashford  
Philip Bailey



Lance Barber  
Krissy Beach  
Larry Beck  
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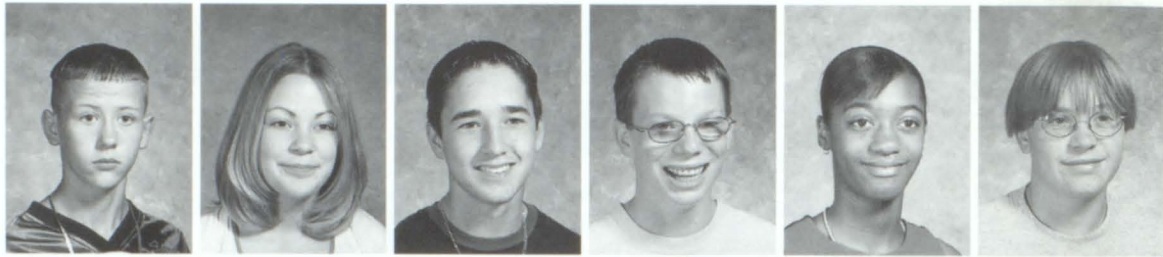
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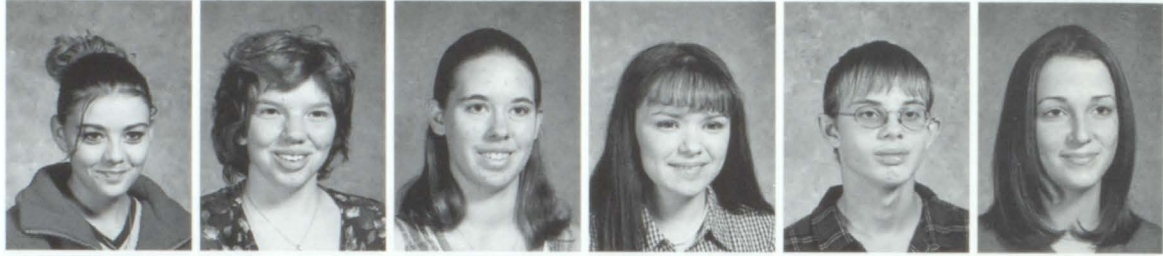
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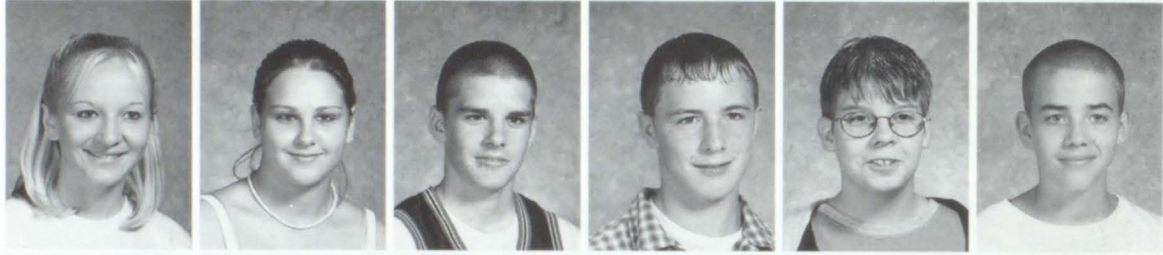
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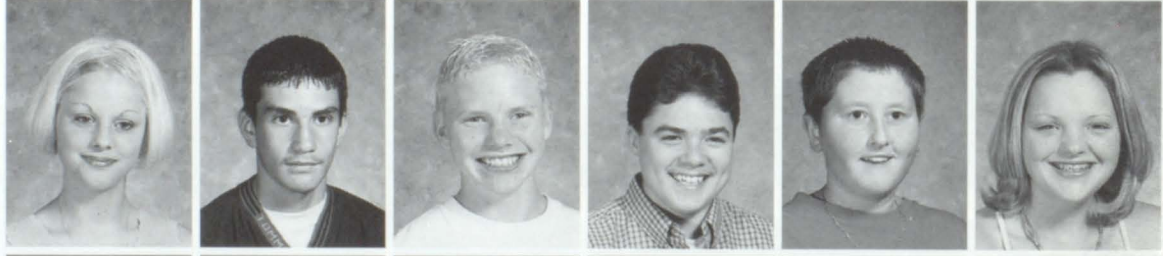
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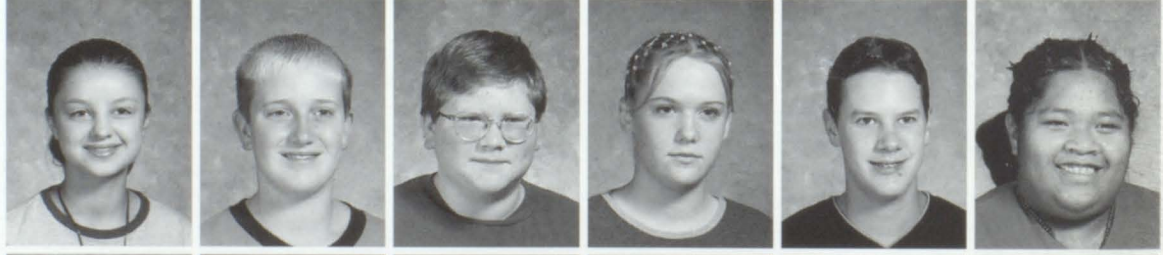
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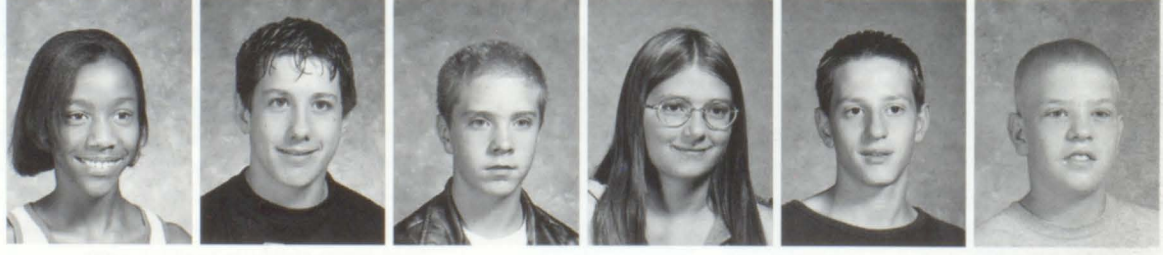
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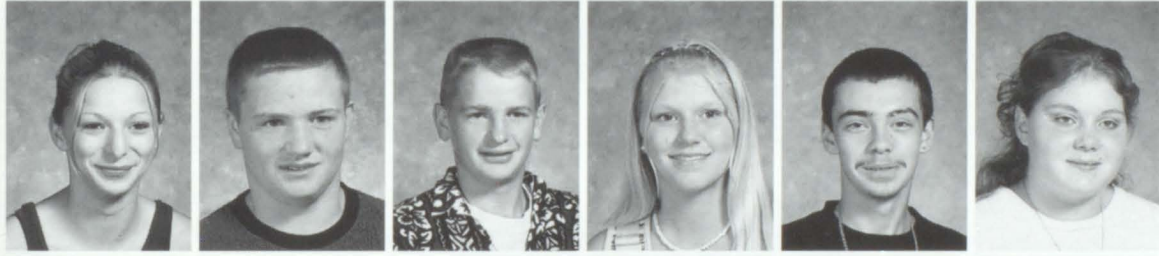
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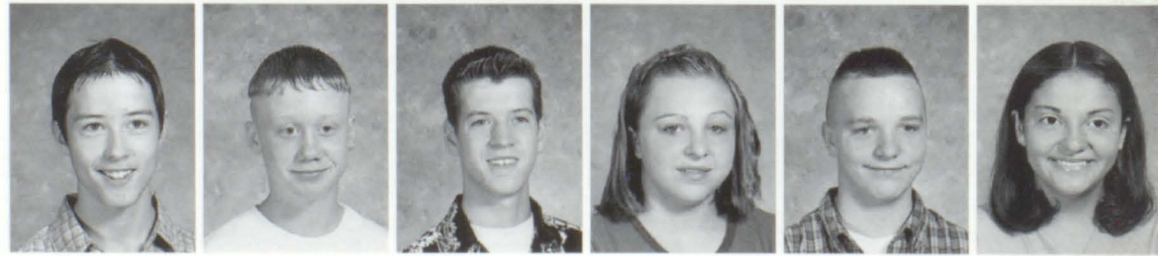
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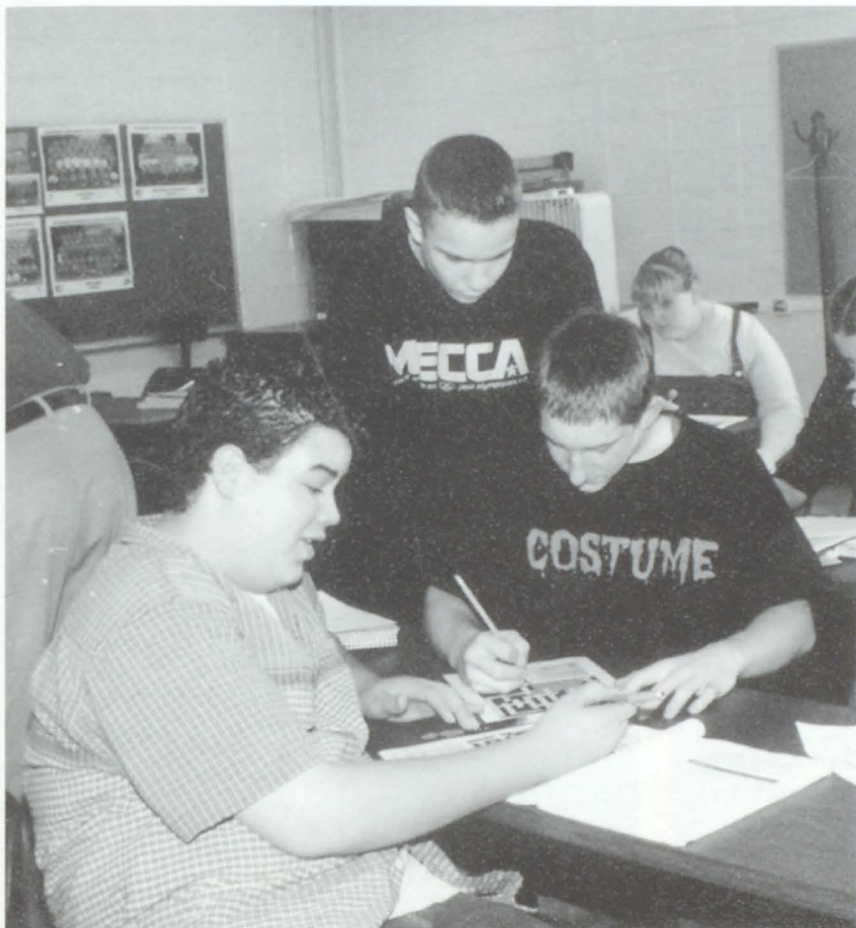
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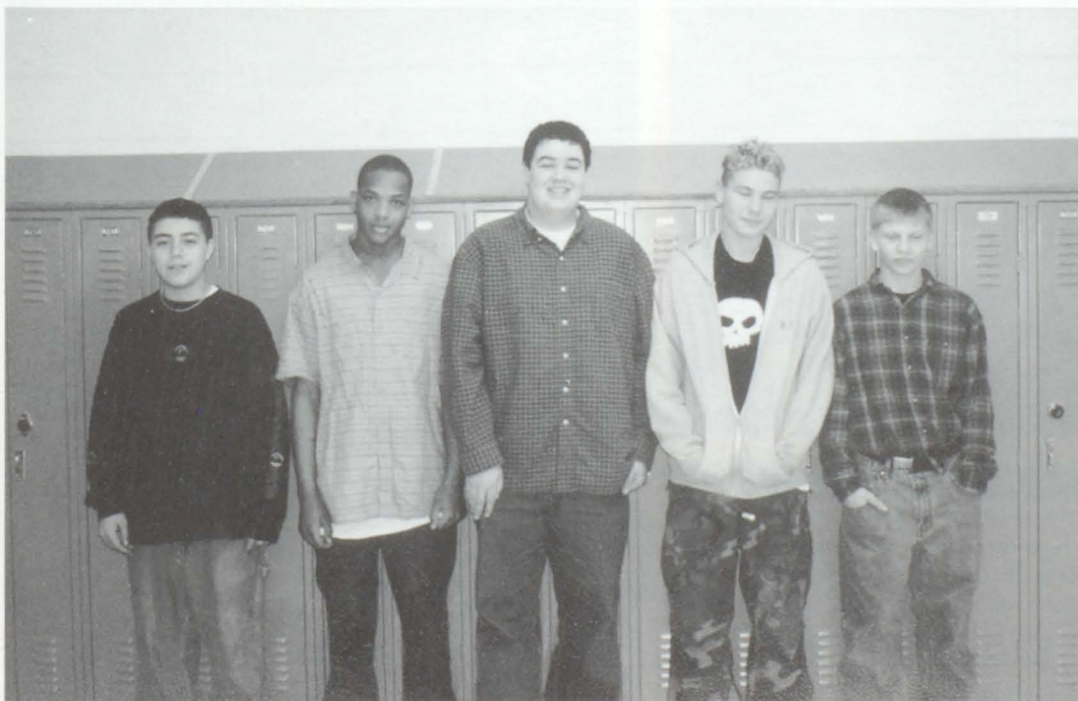
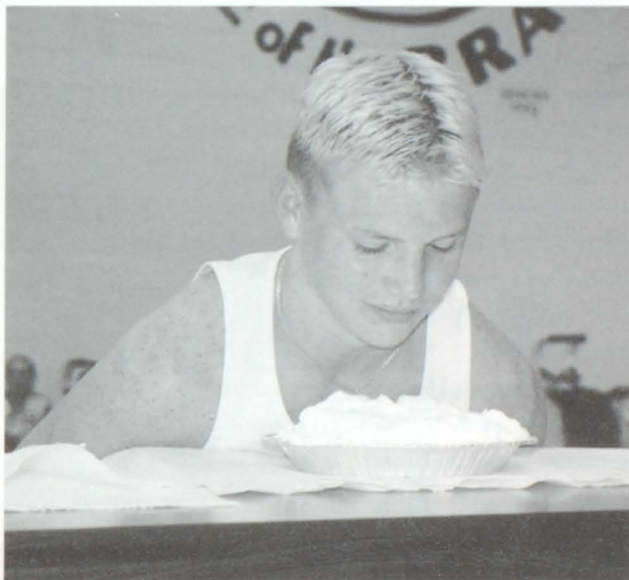
### ANYONE KNOW 29 DOWN?

Alex Alexander, Ryan Cannon and Scott Green work on a crossword for Mr. Lew Kasslemen's ABC I science class. All students are required to complete two full years of science.



### HOW ABOUT SOME PIE?

Drew Hess prepares to stick his face in a pie to retrieve M & M's that were placed on the bottom of the pie pan during the fall sports pep assembly. Another contest was getting a Life Saver from the first person in line to the last person. The one catch was that the students couldn't use their hands, instead they had to each put a toothpick in their mouths and pass the Life Saver along the line that way.



### JUST GET IT OVER THE NET

Amanda Hoppes prepares to serve the volleyball in Mrs. Kerri Jennings seventh hour P.E. class. All students are required to complete one and half credits of physical education for graduation.

### FRESHMEN NOT PICTURED

Jim Witzke, Cedric Cole, Alex Alexander, Brandon Johnson, Matt Brentlinger.





## Freshmen Set goals for the future

Do the freshmen seem to be getting smaller every year? Well, they may be, but some of them set goals for themselves that were enormous.

"My goals for freshmen year were to keep my grades up so that I could get all As and B's," Joe Wiggins said.

While some were worried about their high school career, others were thinking about what's just beyond that.

"I had to work hard and play soccer, not only freshmen year, but also the rest of my high school career so some day I can go to the Air Force Academy," John Woodall said.

Freshmen faced a reality check when they came to the high school because they realized school is important, and goal setting was

inevitable.

"I set a major goal to crack down on my school work, and to get through it," Nicole Craig said.

Although the freshmen set high goals and expectations for themselves, they still knew when to relax.

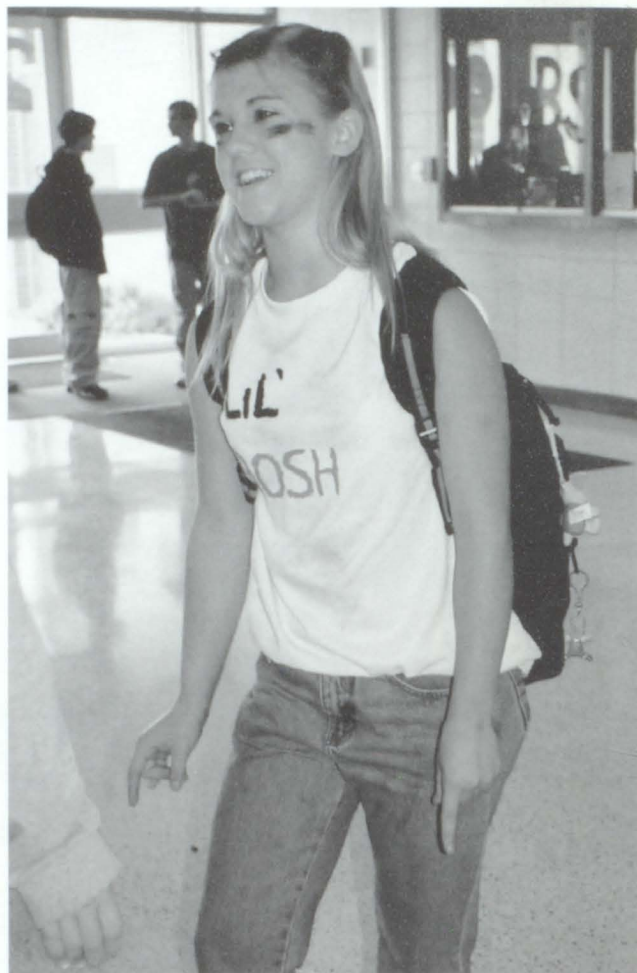
"This year flew by so fast because I really had a lot of fun," Jarred McKellips said.

All in all, the freshmen seemed to have their heads on straight. They knew when to work hard, but also when to let their guards down and just have fun.

—Sarah Rowland

### FULL OF PRIDE

Showing pride in her freshman class, Ashley Pardew is decked out in freshman apparel. Adding to her pride are the black streaks across her face, showing her support for the football team.



### DON'T DROP THE BALLOON

Freshmen participate in Team Building Activities during ELO like this one where they are trying to keep a balloon in the air. These activities showed the freshmen how much teamwork affects the overall goal of a group.

### WHISTLE WHILE YOU WORK

While attending their first year at float construction, freshmen Alexis Kimbrough, Heidi Schweizer and Chris Johnson enjoy assembling their class float. "Float construction was fun because we had no idea what to do," Kimbrough said.





# ARE YOU FUN ENOUGH?

## CHECKING IT OUT

Juniors Katie Parks, Beth Gibson and Abby Vitt talk to a representative from The University of Nebraska in Kearney, Nebraska during the Career Expo. "It seems like it would be a good college to go to, even though it is farther from home than I want to go," Vitt said. Many students spent their lunch talking to representatives from different colleges trying to pick the right one for them.

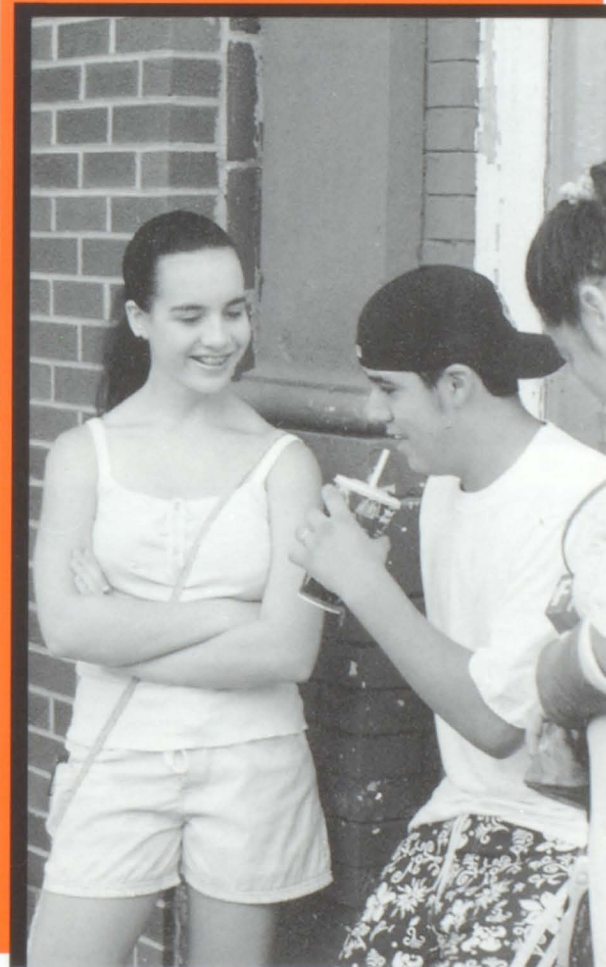


## NOW LISTEN UP

Meeting at Kelly Murphy Park, Mr. Lew Kasselman gets the crowd's attention at the Homecoming pep rally. Every year the high school students go to the gazebo to get pumped up before the Homecoming game played later that night.

## STOPPING FOR A BREAK

Juniors Amber Thomas and Mike Verdict stop for a minute to decide what they are going to do next at the Tiblow Days Festival. Held at the beginning of the school year, the festival was a popular place for friends to discuss what they did over the summer.



We partied like there was no tomorrow;  
We played and performed for every game.  
Some got involved; and  
Some did their own thing,  
But we were **BRAVE** in what we chose.

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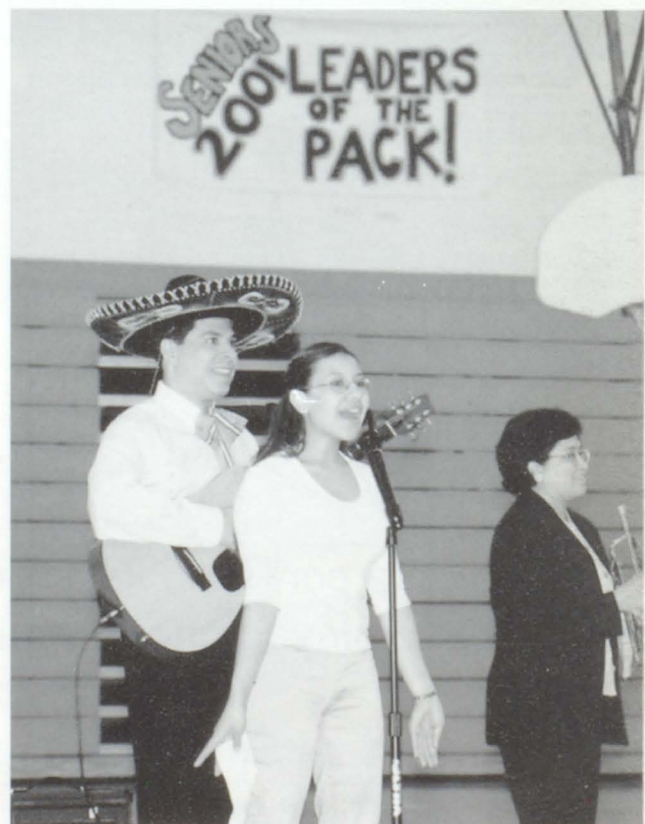


### MUSIC LESSONS

Trying to find the right key, senior Travis Slankard gets ready to play a little tune on the accordion with the help of Sergei Shapoval. Shapoval was born in Russia and travels to schools teaching students about his culture.

### WHAT'S YOUR FORTUNE?

Mrs. Ann Smith, Miyuki Noborita, Athip Limcharoen (Meen) and Ai Yamazaki pass out fortune cookies to students during lunch. This is probably one of the most well-known traditions of the Asian-Americans—everyone can't wait to see what lies ahead for them.



### TAKE IN A POEM

During passing period, junior Erica Schempp stops to check out the Asian haiku poems. Students wrote the haikus in English classes and then the Asian foreign exchange students translated them.

### LISTEN UP

Getting everyone's attention, senior Maribel Luna introduces the group Los Musicos for Hispanic-American Day. "They did a wonderful job playing various types of music from our culture," senior Nadia Martinez said.





# MULTI-CULTURALISM

## Celebrating Diversity



In an attempt to promote multiculturalism, a Multi-Cultural Committee was formed to design a variety of activities.

The biggest change the committee made was spreading out the activities over the entire year instead of having just one week to celebrate different cultures.

"Since we had the celebrations throughout the year, we tried to get their day as close as possible to important dates that particular culture celebrates," committee member Ms. Shirley Vaughn said.

The first of five celebrations was the Asian-American Day. At lunch, the students were given fortune cookies and observed haiku poems and zodiac signs that were displayed in the commons.

The next celebrated culture was African-American. During the assembly, Representative Dennis Moore spoke to the student body about different changes throughout African-American history. His speech was followed by traditional African-American music and entertainment.

The European-American culture was celebrated next. Dressed in a traditional Russian folk costume, Sergei Shapoval from the Russian Kaleidoscope came and entertained the students. He started his presentation by pointing out where Russia was located and ended by playing different musical instruments.

"I liked when the four guys (BSHS students) were up on stage. It was really funny watching them try to dance," sophomore Carolyn Winkler said.

The last culture recognized was Hispanic-American. Los Musicos, a local marachia band, played a variety of Hispanic songs to entertain the student body during seventh hour.

With the committee's hard work and preparation, each celebrated day turned out being educational and informative.

— Amanda Craig  
Sarah Rowland



### A LITTLE DUET

Senior Cliff McComb and junior Melissa Davis, sing "He's Able" as part of the African-American assembly. Along with the singing and dancing, there were also poems and readings performed.

### ACTING IT OUT

Junior Melissa Davis coordinated a "Praise Dance" for the African-American Day. She had two friends, Joy Garlington and Bridget Johnson help her do the dance. "We enjoyed different styles of dance and getting our message out," Davis said.

### STOP AND DANCE

Tearing up the stage, senior James Bass, junior Jeremy Woods, freshman Myjestic Hickmon and sophomore Ryan Hall learn part of a traditional Russian folk dance. Mr. Shapoval also had students reciting the Cyrillic alphabet, and he showed all kinds of slides and videos from Russia.





# POWDER PUFF

## Another Win for the Senior/Freshman Team

"The seniors don't have to wait until Homecoming to get their hearts broken. You juniors and sophomores are gonna' do it tonight at Powder Puff," Coach Rick Moulin screamed just minutes before the start of the annual Kayette fund-raising game held on Sept. 20.

Little did he know it would be the exact opposite with the Senior/Freshman team winning with the score of 22-20.

Of course, credit is due to the coaches of the teams. Senior/Freshman coaches were Steve "Ice Teeve" Cook and Randy "The Little Hombre" Lowe, and for the Sophomore/Junior team it was Rick "The Rock" Moulin and Russell "The Muscle" Baldwin.

"This year was much more competitive. We had girls that re-

ally wanted to win, and really pulled out the stops to try and win," Coach Moulin said.

Although the game was generally for fun, some girls got a little aggressive. "You can't take things lightly, you have to seek out and destroy them with everything you've got," junior Lindsay Russell said.

All fun aside, the Kayettes raised about \$1000 for the Kayette organization.

—*Sarah Rowland*  
*Amanda Wells*  
*Nykoal Vance*

### GIVE ME A BOOST

On the guys dance team, Anthony Cox and James Bass rev-up the volume with the cheer "Go-Fight-Win!" While doing the cheer, they threw candy, and the crowd went wild.



### FIRST DOWN!

Both teams running neck-and-neck, sophomore Ashley Bush carries the ball and tries to drive it down the line for a first down. Referee Mr. John Rost kept an eye on the play for any penalties, as seniors Resa McGee and Vanessa Spartan try to stop Bush on defense.



### 2000 POWDER PUFF SENIOR/FRESHMAN TEAM

Front Row: K. Szewc, M. Wiseman, H. Thompson, A. Forshey, M. Ballard, N. Martinez, C. Romo. Second Row: A. Mathiesen, A. Pardew, S. Belknap, A. Mikuls, C. Vandenberg, J. Jackson, R. McGee, B. Caldwell, M. Sells, J. Sullivan, K. Crouch, E. Franklin, A. Wells, C. Huffman, H. Martin, A. Cunningham, A. Sawyer, A. Howard, L. Groves. Back Row: Coach R. Lowe, E. Groves, A. McConico, N. Pinks, S. Davis, R. Shockey, H. Herrmann, D. Putnam, G. Peters, B. Assmann, V. Spartan, A. Reyes, A. Braun, C. Thomas, M. Nunn, J. Sangster, Coach J. Botts, Coach S. Cook.







**WE'RE GOING TO PUMP YOU UP**

The Senior/Freshman team started practice with a traditional football warm-up of sprints. Coach Steve Cook stood back to supervise and to call out directions.

**SET! HIKE!**

At the start of the game, both teams lined up—the Senior/Freshman squad on offense and the Sophomore/Junior squad on defense. A total of 110 Kayette girls participated in this annual fund-raising game.



**2000 JUNIOR/SOPHOMORE POWDER PUFF TEAM**

Front Row: T. Sanford, J. Sullivan, C. Robinson. Second Row: M. Sells, E. Stoner, H. Miller, A. Sturgeon, C. Walker, R. Ford, L. Assmann, D. Larson, S. Campbell, K. Redlin, S. Miller, L. McConico, R. Gonzales. Third Row: A. Trafton, J. Knight, J. Gardner, W. Mitchell, S. Davidson, T. Routh, H. Strauss, M. Davis, A. Yamazaki, A. Woodall, N. Nix, M. Goins, B. Rush, J. Ventura, K. Yates. Back Row: Coach R. Baldwin, A. Zaring, C. Wilson, M. McConico, B. Monn, B. McGinnis, S. Rowland, C. Garrison, C. Thomas, C. Freeman, L. Stanbrough, A. Dill, H. Shepherd, K. Yates, A. Garcia, K. Twist, J. Cole, A. Kirby, Coach R. Moulin, E. Dragush.

**GO TEAM!! GO!!**

The guys cheerleading team cheers for a touchdown for the Senior/Freshman team. Gary Pinks, Josh Shaw, Oza Shaw, and Meric Seaton support Jay Frazier and Jimmy Vogel on their shoulders while holding up signs that said, "Touch Down."



# SPRIT WEEK

## Good Humor in Preparing for the Game

What does seeing your breath and having to wear coats have to do with Homecoming?

Everything! It was so cold the last two nights of float construction that the students had to wear coats and gloves. The night of the game the fans came wrapped up in blankets and armed with plenty of hot chocolate.

The week began with the traditional spirit week. Students showed their spirit by dressing up for Pajama Day, Hat Day, Hawaiian Day, 80's Day and War Party Day.

"I liked 80's Day the best because it was neat seeing a lot of people dressed up, and it brought back memories from my childhood," junior Shelly Wade said.

Besides participating in Spirit Week, students also participated in float construction. "It was cool the way the kids came together that week and worked hard to ac-

complish our goal," Asst. Football Coach Mr. Steve Cook said.

The students not only worked well as individual classes, but got along with the other classes as well.

"We had to beg the seniors to buy spray paint for us because Wal-Mart wouldn't sell it to you unless you're 18," Sara Miller, sophomore Stuco member said.

By Friday the spirits were high for the football game against the Sumner Sabres. The Braves played a great game, beating the Sabres 8-0.

Homecoming was full of fun and excitement, and as always, was a huge success.

—*Sarah Rowland*

### LIKE TOTALLY!

The 80's were revived in the halls of BSHS during the annual Homecoming spirit week. With her kremp hair and Keds shoes, senior Vanessa Spartan had it "totally going on" from head to toe.



### SISTER SECRETS

Whispering quietly, junior Amittia Davis and her younger sister Ambrosia Davis tell each other everything. The sisters sported their P.J.'s to show their school spirit on pajama day.

### FINISHING TOUCHES

Freshman Kevin Dame touches up the leg on the freshman float while ignoring Emily Groves as she playfully puts tape on his back. Others helping with the float were Kimberly Miser, Alexis Kimbrough, Chris Johnson and Michael Maxwell.







**WE'RE IN THE MONEY**

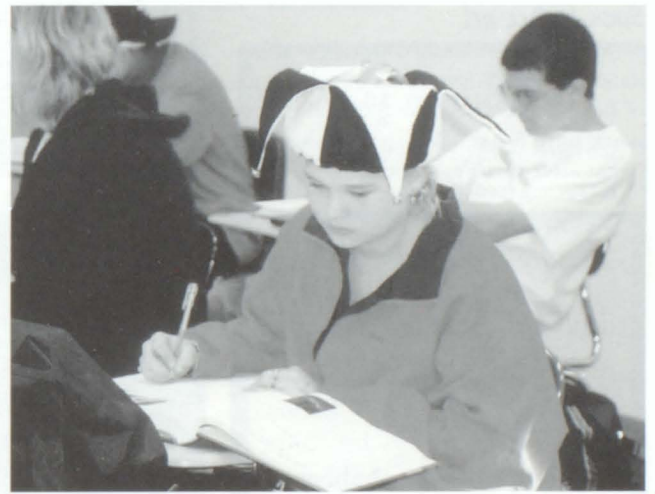
Senior Tina Zeljeznjak worked hard during lunch by painting faces for spirit week. Junior Atlantis Smart stood still while Zeljeznjak painted "Go Braves 02" on her cheek. All the money made went towards the Art Club.

**WINNING FLOAT**

The annual Homecoming parade took place during seventh hour on Friday Sept 1. Along with the royal court, all of the fall sports teams, marching band, and all of the classes displayed their class floats. The senior class took first place, the juniors took second, the sophomores took third, and the freshmen took fourth. Each class was given nine hours to complete their floats. The theme of the float had to go along with the Homecoming dance theme, "Boogie Nights."

**THINKING CAP**

While working on her math problems, sophomore Kelly Dunfee proudly wears her jester hat. Hat Day was held on Tuesday during spirit week.



**TEAMWORK**

Juniors Katie Trent and Beth Gibson work together to put the finishing touches on the football for the junior float. Float construction was held throughout the week at the bus barn with seniors and sophomores working on Monday and Tuesday, and juniors and freshmen working on Wednesday and Thursday.

**ALOHA!**

Strutting down the hallway, junior Jesse Kirk shows off his Hawaiian clothes. Others wore Hawaiian shirts and leis to show their support on Hawaiian Day.





# "BOOGIE NIGHTS"

Stepping Back to the Music of the Oldies

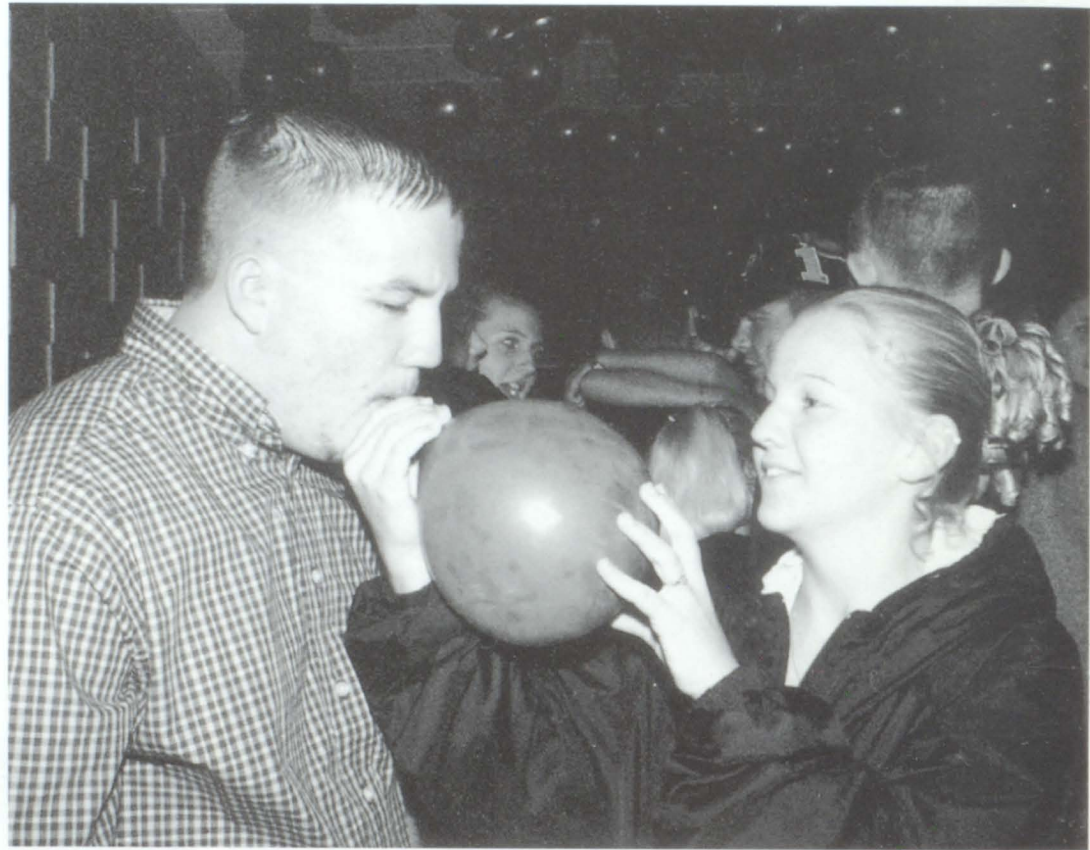
## SO CLOSE

Senior Kim Shockey spends her last Homecoming dance in the arms of her outside date, Jason Schaff. The couple laughed and enjoyed each other as the night went on.



## SUCK IT ALL IN!

Junior Tammy Sanford watches as her date, Patrick Wilson sucks out all the air of her balloon. Because Sanford and her had to work until 5 p.m., Wilson and her had to eat afterwards at Perkins.



## Looking back...

"Dancing with Sara Miller to the 'Electric Slide' was rather exciting."

—Jeremy Woods,  
junior

"People will probably remember me the most because I was crazy all night long! Brandy, Jeremy, Sara, and I all went to Red Fortune before the dance, and afterwards, we watched *Forrest Gump*."

—David Bass,  
sophomore



## DANCIN' HIS HEART OUT

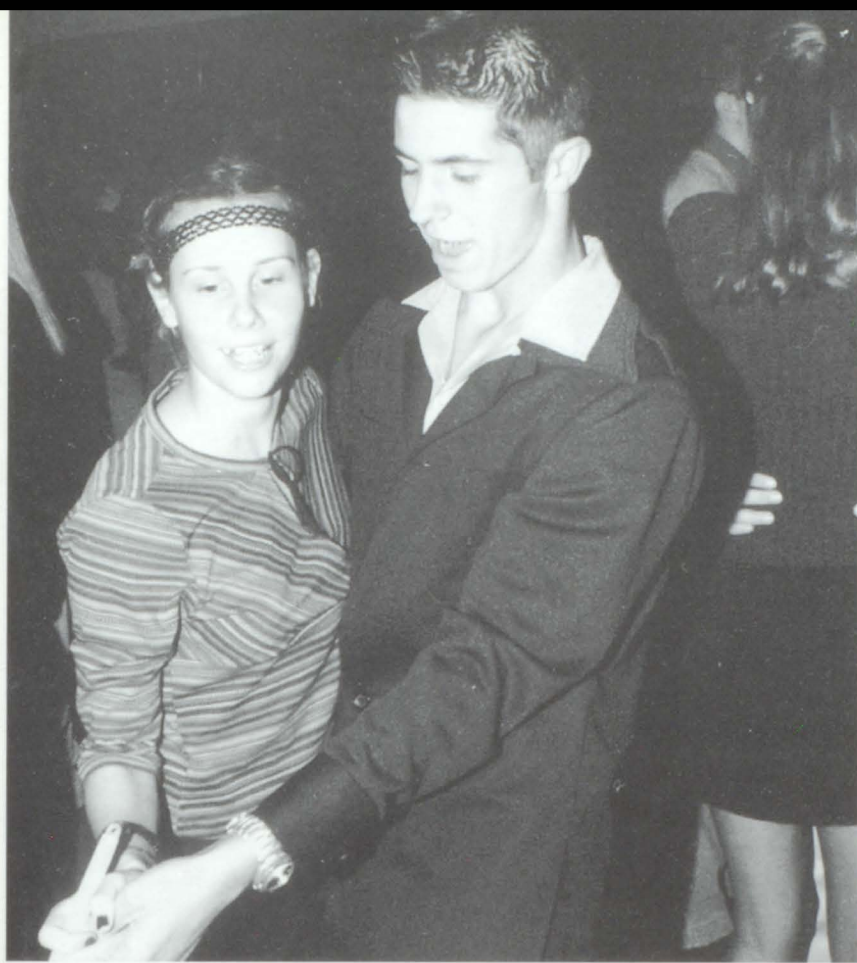
Myjestic Hickman, freshman, was dancing non-stop all night long. Miory Ewing, sophomore, was one of the girls spotted dancing with him, at least for awhile throughout the night.

## SAY WHAT?

Sophomore Chad Moppin and freshman Kristy Holt struggle to hear what their friends are screaming. Before heading to the dance, the couple went to Margarita's and after went to the haunted houses.





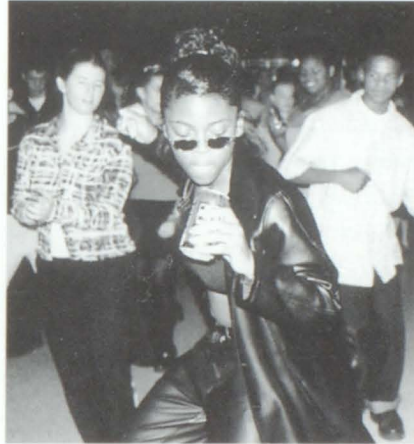


### **GLOW STICK BUDDIES**

While clinging to their glow sticks, junior Lindsay Russell and her date, Scott Allen, dance to some 80's music. They were one of the few couples who dressed in 80's clothes.

### **GROOVIN' TO THE MUSIC**

With a cherry coke in hand and her styling shades on, Nyse Pinks, freshman, grooves to the music. Pinks could be seen in strategic spots on the dance floor all night long.



### **ROYALTY DANCE**

After being crowned at the Homecoming football game, King Jimmy Vogel and Queen LaCreisha Groves topped off their honors with a royalty dance. Vogel was nominated by the senior class, and Groves was nominated by Kayettes.

### **GETTIN' DOWN AND DIRTY**

With their hair perfectly done, seniors Clorissa Silvers and Karen Barncord get down and show everyone how the "Electric Slide" is really done. While Silvers brought an outside date, Robert Highman, Barncord danced solo.

### **...at memories.**

"Being Homecoming Queen and being with people that I care about the most was the best part of Homecoming and dancing with Jimmy Vogel ("Hot Stuff") was also really awesome!"

—LaCreisha Groves,  
*senior*

"Before the dance going out to eat at Jose Peppers with a group of close friends was so much fun."

—Heather Weaver,  
*freshman*





# HOW TO SUCCEED

Whoever the Company Fires We'll Still Be Here

"How to, how to, succeed!!" was the title of the opening song to this year's musical, "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying," by Frank Loeser and Abe Burrow.

The story is about an eager young man named Finch, who finds a book on how to succeed in business without really trying at all. The audience follows Finch through all his trials as clerk, then his move all the way to the "top" as Chairman of the Board.

During his rise to the "top," the audience learns of his love interest for Rosemary Pilkington, an executive secretary, and they follow the ups and downs in their young, vibrant relationship.

"The musical was more challenging this year. It was a much more mature show for an older audience, and it relied heavily on comic timing," Director Mr. Brandon Williams said.

Another hurdle was the lack of crew members. Because of the shortage of crew, cast members

had to fill in crew positions. During scene changes cast members had to move the set and props. "We really worked as a team. It was an awesome environment to work in," junior Becky Heckert said.

New additions to the BSHS stage were the high-tech sound booth, and a new sound system. Cast members could be heard from all points on the stage, and the leads didn't have to sing with a microphone. These new additions, plus a few minor adjustments to lighting, helped the show go a lot smoother.

With all the work that went into the musical, and the dedication from cast and crew members, the performances went off without a fault.

—Anthony Blancarte

## SAY THAT AGAIN?

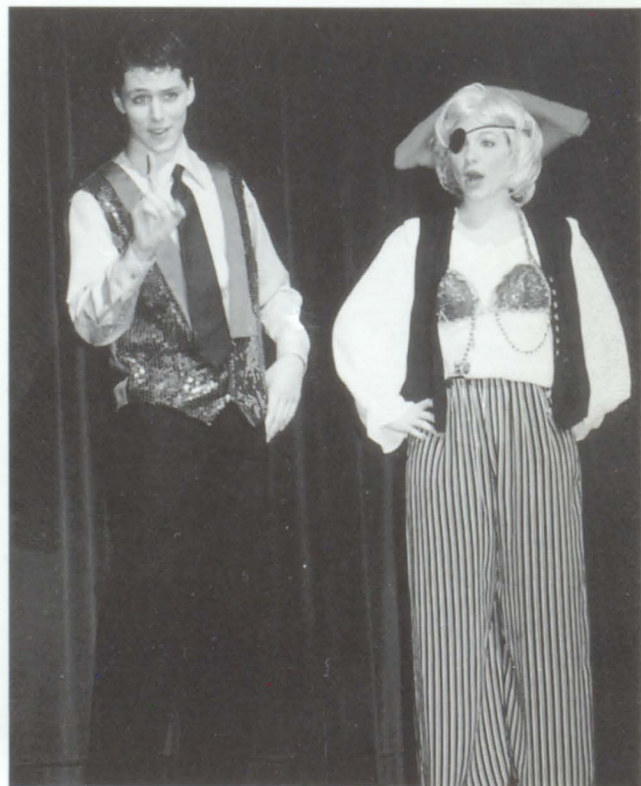
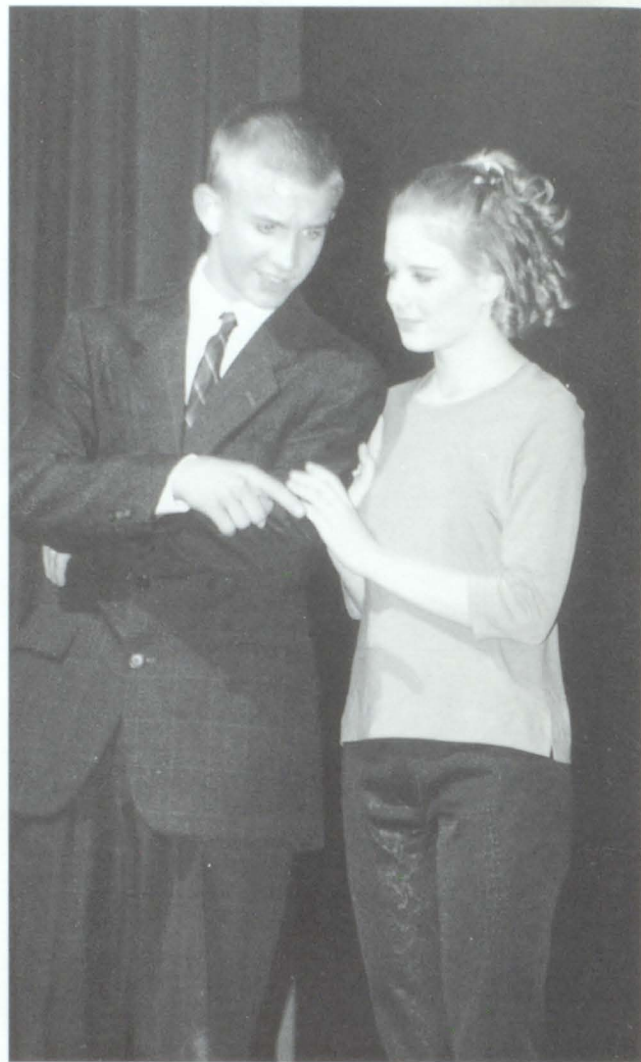
Finch looks over at Rosemary asking her to, "Say that again?" as Rosemary repeats her, "I love you." But what Finch really wants her to repeat is that he could be the President of the United States!

## I KNITTED IT MYSELF!

Excited that he's not the only man that knits, Mr. J.B. Biggley shows off his own sweater to Finch. Mr. Biggley caught Finch stitching a bird cage cover.

## DO YOU SWEAR MISS LARUE?

The new World Wide Wicket Treasure girl, Hedy LaRue walks in and starts to give the first clue away when the T.V. Announcer tells her to wait just a minute. LaRue had to swear on a *Bible* that she didn't know where the treasure was, but in truth she did know where it was.







**No COFFEE!**

After getting off for their coffee break, all the workers became stressed when they discovered there was no coffee. Falling to the ground and breaking into song seemed to be the only answer to hope for more coffee.

**YES SIR**

Bert Brat reassures President J.B. Biggley that nothing can go wrong with the production of their new television show. The show was a complete disaster due to LaRue telling everyone where the treasure was located.



**THE CAST**

J. Pierrepont Finch.....	Kenny Ballard
Gatch .....	Andrew Benton
Jenkins .....	Michael Maxwell
Tackaberry .....	Alex Alexander
J.B. Biggley .....	David Jones
Rosemary Pilkington .....	Rebecca Stephens
Bratt .....	Anthony Blancarte
Smitty .....	Becky Heckert
Bud Frump .....	T.J. McGinnis
T.V. Announcer .....	Travis Nelson
Miss Jones .....	Summer Pappé
Twimble .....	Travis Slankard
Miss Krumholtz.....	Jamie Sangster
Hedy LaRue .....	Katie Trent
Mr. Ovington .....	Travis Nelson
Wally Womper .....	Travis Slankard

**CHORUS**

Sarah Benton, Whitney Mitchell,  
 Jess Buck, Rachel Nelson, Jennifer Cole, Travis  
 Ridenour, Morgan Escott, Rachelle Shockey,  
 George Garrison, Cinda Thomas, Beth Gibson, Jessica  
 Ventura, Mandy Goins, Margie Warford, LaPourchea  
 McConico, Kimberly Miser, Amanda Wells, Joe Wiggins

**CREW**

D'Erin May  
 Jason Moehlman  
 Eric Ferleman  
 Stephanie Fesenmeyer  
 Helen Shepherd  
 Denise Tucker  
 Molly Sells

**PIT BAND**

Piano.....	Denise Gibson
Bass.....	Leslie Blythe
Drums.....	Mike Leonard

**HEDY LARUE!**

While Hedy LaRue walks into the party, Finch stares in amazement that she looks so stunning. LaRue, bored with the party, planned on stealing Finch for the night.

**THE COMPANY WAY**

Smitty and others look on as Bud Frump convinces everyone that he will change for the good of the company. This was part of Frump's plan to scheme his way to the top.

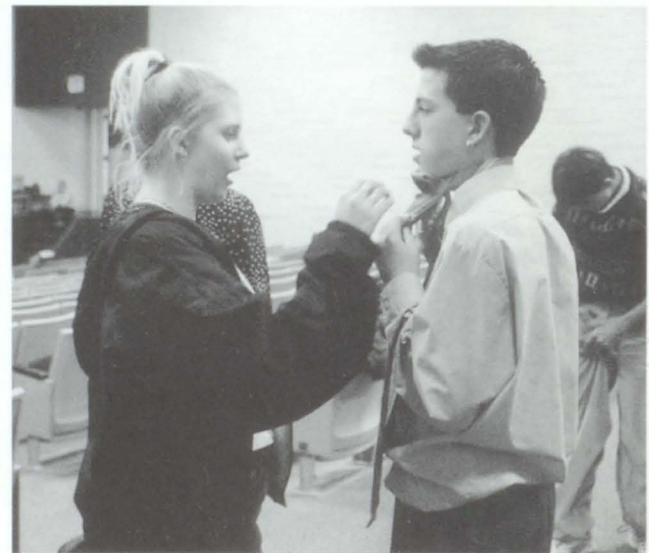


### LAST MINUTE PREPARATION

Director Brandon Williams, junior Becky Heckert and sophomore T.J. McGinnis put the finishing touches on one of the many mail bags that were used on stage during the musical. The mail bags were used during each of the mail room scenes.

### LIKE THIS?

Freshman Michael Maxwell asks freshman Molly Sells for help at tying his tie before the first dress rehearsal. During the last week of rehearsals, cast and crew members endured long hours of practice in full costume and make-up.



### WORKING TOWARDS PERFECTION

Performing "Coffee Break," the cast members get over nerves and finalize scenes by performing small "skits" for the students at Bonner Elementary, Edwardsville Elementary, and Clark Middle School the day before opening night. They also did this to help promote the show.



### THE CAST

**Front Row:** S. Benton, S. Pappé, K. Trent, B. Gibson, J. Ventura, G. Garrison, M. Warford, M. Goins, W. Mitchell, T. McGinnis, J. Cole, J. Sangster, R. Nelson. **Second Row:** K. Miser, C. Thomas, J. Wiggins, M. Wells, J. Buck, M. Maxwell, B. McGinnis, R. Stephens, B. Heckert, A. Alexander. **Third Row:** S. Strom, L. McConico, M. Escott, R. Shockey, A. Benton, D. Jones, K. Ballard, A. Blancarte, T. Slankard, T. Nelson, T. Ridenour, B. Williams.





# UNDER THE SEA

## Changes Highlight Celebration

### SCIENCE IN STYLE

Sophomores Jake Vitatoe, David Jones, Whitney Mitchell, Ryan Hall, and Andrea Dill work on their chemistry problems while sporting their favorite hats. "Hat Day" was considered the student's favorite spirit day because everyone loves wearing hats.



Another year and another successful Courtwarming week and dance. With the basketball game on Tuesday and the dance on Saturday, students couldn't miss the excitement and spirit that rang throughout the week.

This year, unlike years in the past, the basketball game was held on Tuesday night, instead of being on Friday night.

"It was different. I'm use to the games being on Friday, it's tradition. But those that showed up showed school spirit, and that's what we need, spirit," sophomore Marcus Anderson said.

Another change to the 2001 Courtwarming was having the

dance in the gym, instead of the commons area.

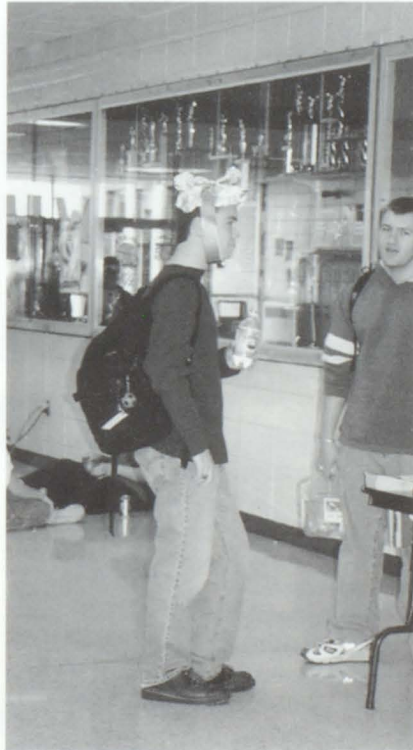
"I think the dance in the gym was a good idea because it gave us more room to dance," senior Nadia Martinez said.

Besides from the unusual game night and the dance in the gym, Courtwarming 2001 ended with big bang and with students showing spirit and having fun.

—Anthony Blancarte

### CAN YOU GET CABLE?

Senior Brian Cole shows off his tin foil hat while chatting with his friend senior Jason Coleman during "Aluminum Foil Day." Students wore several types of designs from hats to capes.



### YOUR FAVORITE AMERICAN GRILL

Sophomore Amy Marcel, junior Danae Larson, friend Joe Coulter, and senior Crystal Thomas dine at Applebee's after the dance. After dinner they went to see *Save the Last Dance* at Westglen 18 on Midland Drive.

### 2001 KING AND QUEEN

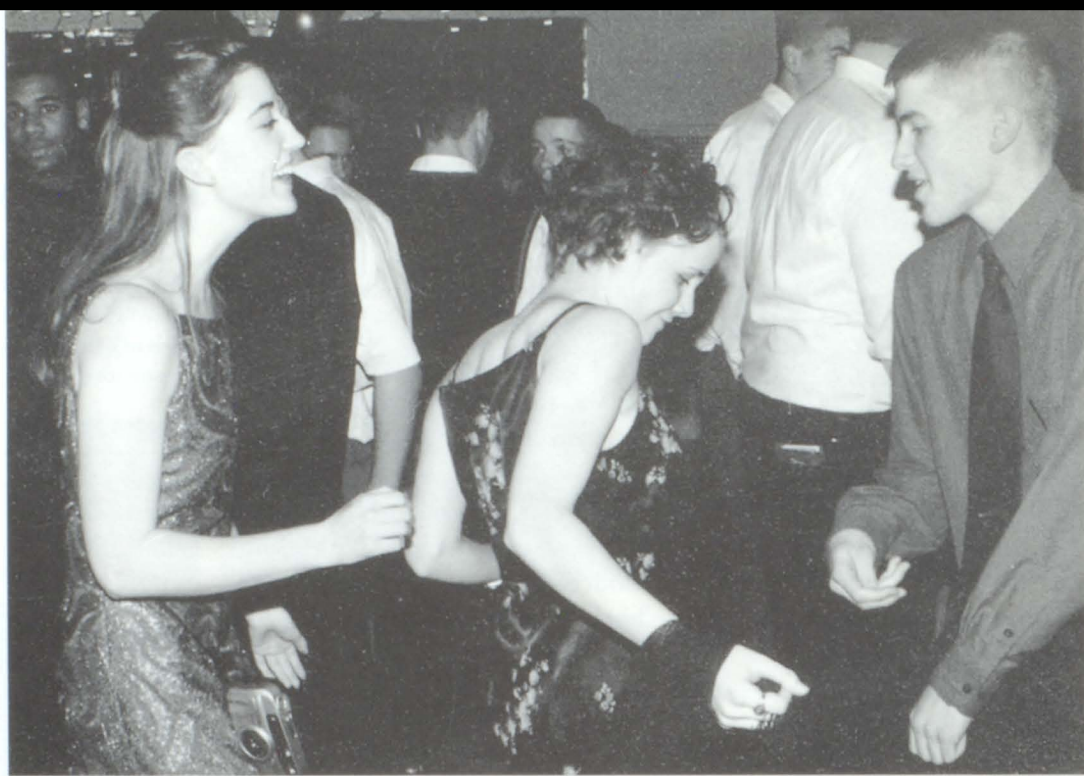
Seniors Gary Pinks and Mandy Ballard were crowned Courtwarming King and Queen during half-time of the basketball game. Pinks was nominated by the girls basketball team and Ballard was nominated by the boys basketball team.





### MOVIN' TO THE BEAT

Juniors Katie Parks, Lindsay Russell, and Michael Ashford dance for the crowd at the annual courtwarming dance. After the dance Russell and friends went to Westport to hear their favorite local band, *Steadfast*, play at a local coffee house.



### DANCING INTO THE NIGHT

New to BSHS, seniors Nellie Turner and Justin Moran sway to the music at their first BSHS dance. "I enjoyed the smallness of the dance. My last school was so big. I actually had room to have fun and find my friends on the dance floor," Turner said.



### OH REALLY?!?

Waiting in line for pictures, sophomore Shannon Davidon, senior Sean Sipes, junior Ricky Ledgerwood and senior Tim Neal discuss the latest gossip at BSHS. Another change to Courtwarming 2001 was the design of the picture background. This year, unlike years in the past, the background resembled the dance's theme, "Under the Sea."

### TEARING UP THE FLOOR

Strutting their moves, sophomore Rea Tombs, freshman Leslie Davis, and junior Amittia Davis show students how to really party. Throughout the evening, a variety of fast and slow music was played by Complete Music.







**2001 PRINCES AND PRINCESSES**

**Front Row:** Freshman Alisha Mathiesen, sophomore Morgan McConico, junior Becky Heckert. **Back Row:** Freshman Kevin Dame, sophomore Devin Pino, junior Tommy Gardner.

**2001 ROYAL COURT**

**Front Row:** Vanessa Spartan, Holly Thompson, Alicia Forshey, Mandy Ballard, Corrine Vandenberg. **Back Row:** Blake Ritter, Gary Pinks, Daryl Anderson, Andy Burns. **Not Pictured:** Brian Cole.



**SHAKING HER THANG**

Senior Angela Reyes shakes her stuff for senior Vanessa Spartan. After the dance, Reyes and friends had an evening dinner at Paulo and Bill's Restaurant.

**ISN'T THAT SWEET**

Freshman Donnell Bolton and out of school guest Laura Zirckle slow dance to one of the many slow songs during the dance. Along with the slow songs, Bolton and his date enjoyed the fast songs also.





# CAREER EXPO

Not Just for Seniors, for Everyone

It was a day for thoughts of the future. The whole school was filled with colleges, careers, and military avenues for the interest of the student body.

Buck O'Neil, who was one of the first African-American major league baseball players, was the keynote speaker. He inspired the students to think of broadening their horizons.

The Public Relations Director of the Kansas Speedway, Stann Tate ended the day with a speech about the new race track.

After O'Neil's presentation, everyone was given a choice of classes to go to throughout the day. That way they could visit with companies or colleges they had an interest in pursuing.

Mr. Rick Moulin, Mrs. Debi Foley, and Mrs. Kristin Byers, the coordinators of the Career Expo, spent several hours of overtime and hard work to get

everything ready for the event.

"The day was a nice opportunity for the students. It is my wish that when all students look back on the day they will have found it to be beneficial," Mrs. Byers said.

Comparing it to the previous Career Expo held in 1999, the seniors and the juniors knew what to expect and found the 2001 Expo more beneficial and more interesting.

"The Career Fair had improved from the last one. I really enjoyed it," senior Rachelle Shockey said.

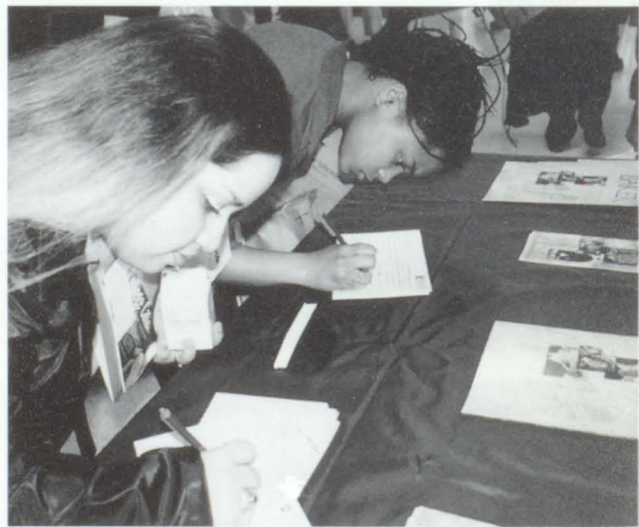
—Nykool Vance

## HISTORY WITH CAREER

Buck O'Neil starts the Career Expo with an invigorating story about his life. He talked about his struggle through school and his life as a Major Leaguer.

## BAKER RECRUITS SENIORS

Seniors Nadia Martinez and Philena Anderson sign up to receive information about Baker University. During lunch, lined up along the walls of the commons area was a lot of college exhibitions.



## IS TECHNOLOGY HER FUTURE?

Senior Misty Nunn and Administrator Jim Weaver chat about North East Technical College and what it has to offer a college student. He showed Nunn what its alumni had accomplished.



## WE WANT YOU!

C.P. Grayless, a Marine, talks about the services provided in joining the Armed Forces. She talked about the rate of drop outs and the routine the Marines have to go through in training.

## IT'S A CAREER THING

All the freshmen meet in the gym to hear Kevin Meyer, a speaker from Devry, talk about college and career opportunities. They were given booklets that would help prepare them for college.





# ART FAIR

Creativity at Its Best



It was another year and another successful Art Fair. The fair was held on Tuesday, March 13, in the commons area.

The fair featured all types of art work, from paintings to clay pots—visitors received a taste of true art.

Each student enrolled in an art

### MESSY ART

Working on the potter's wheel, senior Anna Delich digs her fingers into the wet clay. Throughout the evening, several different types of pottery demonstrations were shown.

class had at least one entry in the fair, and some students demonstrated several types of artwork.

Not only did fine art students get involved in the fair, but the performing art students also participated in the yearly event. Several soloists and small ensembles played and sang throughout the evening.

All in all, the evening turned out to be a big success, and students took pride in their creativity.

—Anthony Blancarte



### CHALK CONCENTRATION

Senior Tiffany Adams concentrates on her chalk drawing. Not only did Adams demonstrate her artistic ability, but she also greeted parents and guests as they entered the building.

### COOKIE GIRL

Senior Kimberley Kelley prepares a tray of cookies for the Art Fair. Kelley, along with other FCCLA members, provided refreshments for the evening.

### SINGING FRESHMEN

Freshmen Joey Caudill, Ryan Silvers, Jess Buck, Ashley McConico, Kim Miser, Liz Gronau and Alex Alexander sing "Two for the Price of One." The group was part of the Freshmen Concert Choir.



# BRINGING BACK

the High School Drama

Once again, the drama kings and queens brought life back to the stage. With a close-knit cast and two hilarious directors, the drama department put on an awesome performance each night of "That Was No Lady, That Was a Private Detective" written by Dennis Snee (1982).

The story was about a female private eye who tries to keep her personal life separate from her work life.

Keeping the two separate was not an easy job. "I had my tear ducts removed 10 years ago and never regretted it," said Phylis Harlowe, played by junior Katie Trent.

"I got to wear a wig, men's clothes, and speak with a New York accent. It doesn't get much better than that!" Trent said.

This was Mr. Dan Streit's and Mr. Brandon William's second time directing the Spring play.

"We thought the cast was great. They had good chemistry together and gave strong performances each night."

The play was performed three nights in a row, April 20th, 21st, and 22. Opening night had a great attendance, but the last two nights seemed sparse.

This play gave the actors and actresses of BSHS a chance to show off their talent.

—Sarah Benton,  
Guest Writer

### THE BLEACH HAS SEEPED THROUGH

"No calls... No mail... Nothin'! Oh... Except one call..." Millie counts in her head for messages for Ms. Harlowe. Millie is every employer's nightmare—a completely ditzy, dumb blonde.



### TAKING CHARGE

Advising that Harlowe should butt out of the case, Captain Callahan demands complete control. He wants control because he's afraid she will find out his secret involvement in the case.



### SPRING PLAY CAST AND CREW

Front Row: Eric Ferleman, Alisha Woodall, Alicia McCulloch, Summer Rickert, Jason Moehlman, Jennifer Cole. Back Row: Stephanie Fesenmeyer, Andrew Benton, Katie Trent, Beth Gibson, David Jones, Sarah Benton, Michael Maxwell, Rachelle Shockey.







**"CRAZY LITTLE THING CALLED LOVE"**

Swooning lounge singer, Johnny La Lounge sings his heart out for the love of his life. Johnny just landed a big record deal and wanted to share it with Ms. Harlowe.

***That Was No Lady,  
That Was a Private Detective***

**CAST**

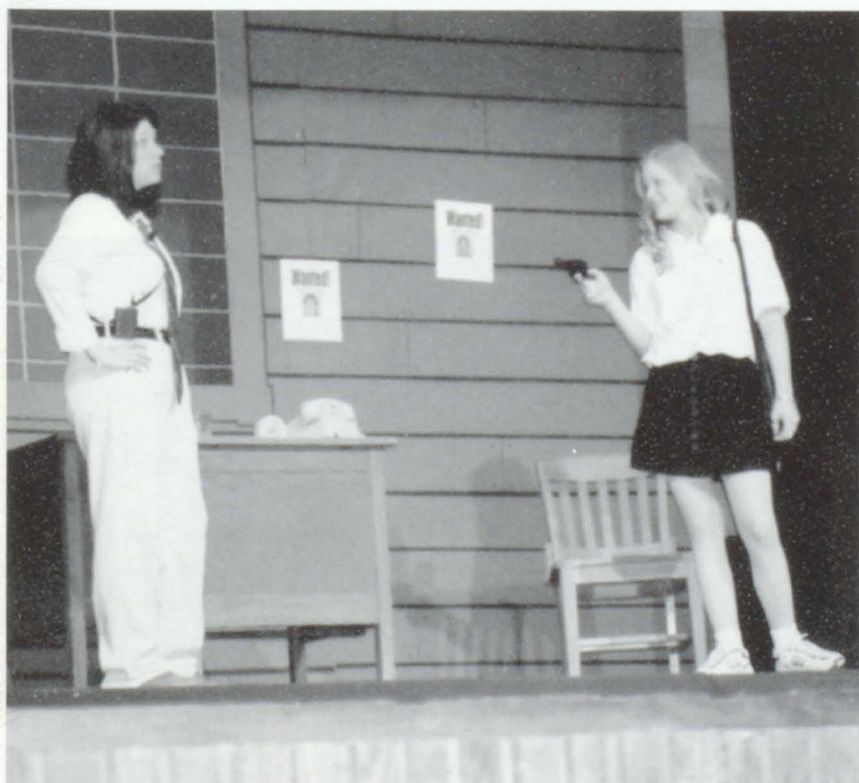
Phyllis Harlowe.....Katie Trent  
 Millie .....Beth Gibson  
 Alexander Stevens.....Michael Maxwell  
 Johnny La Lounge .....David Jones  
 Ruth Romanowskie.....Rachelle Shockey  
 Captain Callahan.....Andrew Benton  
 Darlene Bourgeois .....Sarah Benton  
 Victoria Carbonari.....Jennifer Cole  
 Miss Krun.....Summer Rickert  
 Hired Assassin.....Jason Moehlman

**CREW**

Eric Ferleman  
 Denise Tucker  
 Stephanie Fesenmeyer  
 Alishia Woodall  
 Alicia McCulloch

**DIRECTORS**

Brandon Williams & Dan Streit



**ENCORE! ENCORE!**

After three nights of fun and hard work, the cast bows one last time, as the audience applauds. With sighs of relief, the cast, crew and directors were very happy, yet sad that was all over.

**ONE MORE STEP WILL BE YOUR LAST**

Waving her gun and flipping her hair, Darlene Bourgeois gives Harlowe her spiel about killing her. Bourgeois stopped at no limits to get what she wanted, and right then she wanted her ex-fiance—Mr. Alexander Stephens.





# PROM

## "A Time to Remember"

Students faced many different options when it came to prom. Not only did they have to find a dress or tux, get their hair done or cut, but they also had to make dinner reservations and get pictures taken by parents and maybe even by a professional.

Some of the popular places to eat were Plaza III, Pier Ponte, and Gambucci's; however, not everyone ate at fancy restaurants.

Junior Tammy Sanford and her date went to Pizza Hut.

"We missed our dinner reservations, so we ordered a pizza, and ate it by candlelight," Sanford said.

Besides getting dressed up and eating out, everyone had something they will always remember about prom.

"Watching my sister being crowned prom queen," was Louis Reyes' favorite memory of prom.

Michael Brown's favorite memory of prom was seeing his girlfriend junior Crystal Garrison

in her prom dress.

"Seeing her in that dress—man she looked beautiful," Brown said.

Students did many different things after prom. Some went bowling or watched movies at home, while others went to parties or rented hotel rooms.

"After prom I went to the Marriott Hotel with some friends. We hung out, watched T.V. and just acted stupid," junior Miki Mellott said.

No matter what students did before or after prom, everyone seemed to have a good time and it really was a time to remember.

—Amber Sturgeon

### ALL DECKED OUT

Senior Travis Nelson and his date junior Lindsay Russell take a break from dancing to take a picture with Assistant Principal Jim Soper. Nelson and Russell made their prom outfits from duct-tape. They competed with students all over the country for two \$2,500 scholarships from the "Stuck At Prom" contest sponsored by the Duck brand of duct-tape.



### READY TO PARTY

Stephanie Shepherd, Ashe Bohnert, Ian Mellott, Jessica Mutzler, Leslie Bush, and Andrew Benton pose for a quick picture after they eat at La Mesa, a Mexican Restaurant in Leavenworth. They ate at 6:30 and after prom they had fun bowling at Sky Lanes.





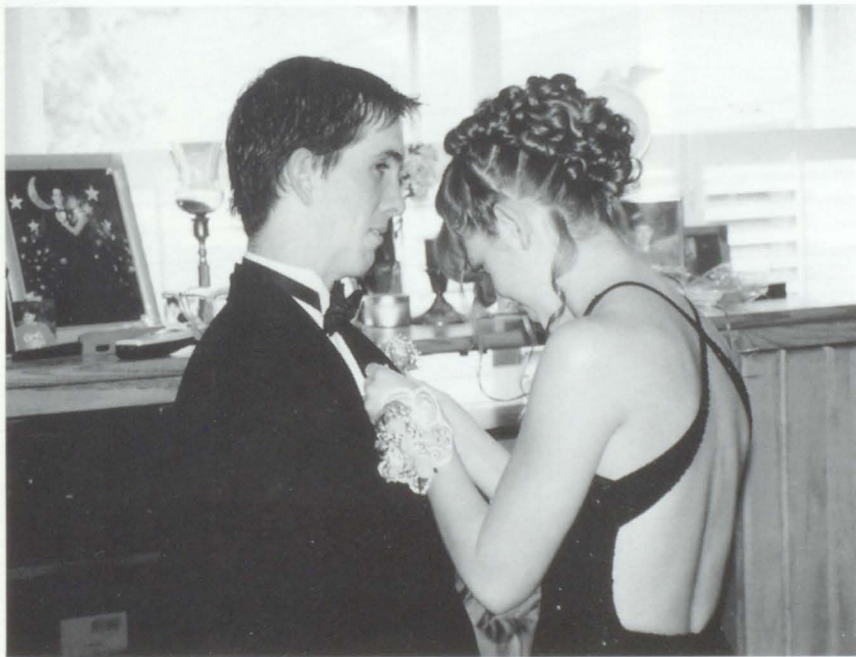


**SAY CHEESE!**

Seniors Jessie Wright, Hannah Martin, Rachelle Shockey, Anthony Blancarte, Christina Romo and Amanda Rhodes wait for their dinner at Hannah Bistro French Cafe. The group ate before prom at 6:30 and after prom they went over to a friend's house to hang out.

**I THINK I GOT IT**

Junior Erin Stoner puts a boutonniere on her date, Carl Rowland's tuxedo lapel. Before prom they went to Stoner's house so her parents could take pictures and then they met up with juniors Sarah Rowland and Mitchell Miller to eat at Plaza III.



**FINALLY FINISHED**

Sophomore Lisa Assmann poses with friends Morgan Tuttle and Erica Schempp before prom. Tuttle and Schempp helped Assmann get ready before the dance. Assmann went with her boyfriend, senior Sean Sipes.

**WHASSSSS UP!**

Juniors Richard Ledgerwood and Colby Scheidt enjoy their after prom party. Ledgerwood and Scheidt went to Richard Jacobs' house for a get-together with approximately 20 other people.



# PROM SHINES

## Cherished Event Proves to Be a Success

After the flowers were given, dinner was eaten and the pictures were taken, students headed to Lake of the Forest to wait in a long, slow moving line to get into "A Time To Remember" Prom on May 5.

Once they were in, the students collected their champagne glasses and voted for King and Queen. Then they hit the dance floor where couples gathered to dance to the many slow songs that were played.

Some of the students decided to take a break from the dancing and check out the champagne fountain and assortment of food,

supplied by Mrs. Martha Chandley.

Luckily, the dance was free, but some students still spent up to \$600 on prom preparations.

"I spent \$280 on me and \$210 on my date Josh McCoy," junior Jessica Sullivan said.

All in all, it was a very successful evening. Those who attended were able to experience the magic of prom night.

—Abby Vitt

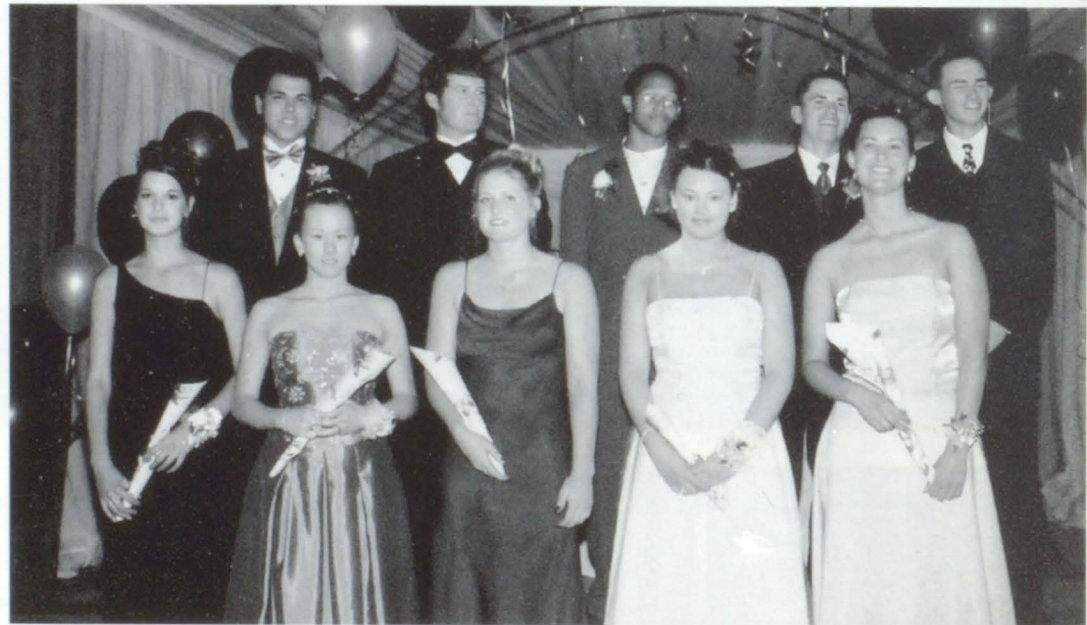
### DANCE WITH ME

Junior Sara Sawyer dances with junior Matt Lewis to one of the many slow songs played at prom. The D.J. played more slow songs than fast songs.



### BUST A MOVE

Senior Travis Slankard shows off his "cool moves" for the crowd. Slankard danced to the Michael Jackson song, "Thriller."



### KING AND QUEEN NOMINEES

Front Row: Bonnie Assmann, Andrea Cunningham, Ashley Gillespie, Angela Reyes, Melissa Wiseman. Back Row: Anthony Blancarte, Thomas Cooper, Anthony Cox, Mark Lewis, Tim Neal.

### HMM . . . WHICH ONE TO PICK?

Juniors Michael Lopez and Marilyn Reynolds cast their votes on the the royalty candidates. Lopez and Reynolds also picked up their champagne glasses while there.





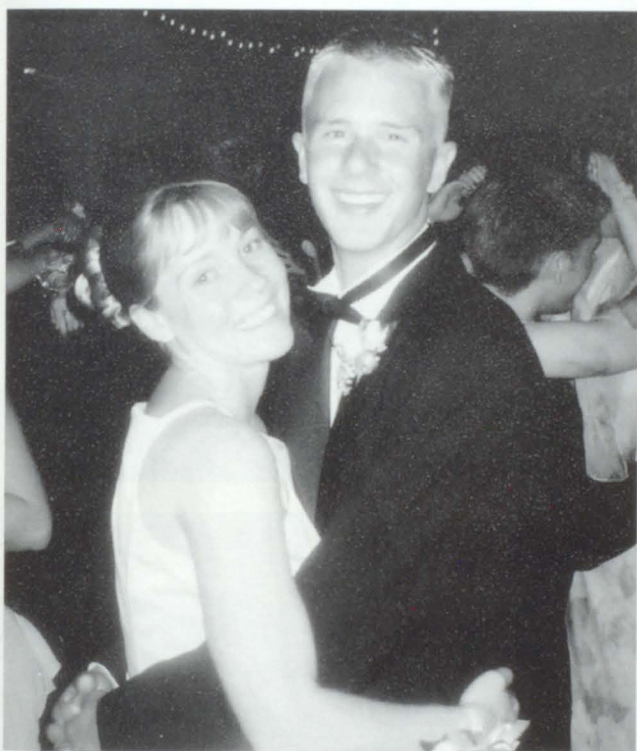


### TIME OUT

Juniors Amanda Wise and Danae Larson take a break from dancing to talk to each other. Wise and Larson rest in front of the food bar to share some of the events that went on throughout the day.

### GOOD STUFF

Juniors Rachelle Gonzales and Kallie Szewc enjoy some delicious punch from the champagne fountain. Some of the food included trays with meat, cheese and vegetables, miniature cheesecakes and chocolate covered strawberries.



### PICTURE PERFECT

Junior Amber Sturgeon and her date Jake Mische take a break from dancing to pose for a picture. The couple ate at Gambucci's before prom with friends, and afterwards they went to the Marriott Hotel to hang out and watch movies.

### DANCING ROYALTY

Prom King and Queen, Thomas Cooper and Angela Reyes danced together after being crowned royalty. Unlike Homecoming and Courtwarming where the entire student body votes, only juniors and seniors who attended prom were able to vote on the candidates.





### A HELPING HAND

Senior Amanda Rhodes teaches Bonner Elementary student Sarah Loeza how to spell through phonics. Rhodes worked with Loeza to improve her reading comprehension as part of her senior project.



### SOLD!

Yelling for a higher bid from their audience, seniors Resa McGee and Clorissa Silver get sophomore Caleb McComb to bid \$3.50. McComb made the girls carry him to his classes for the day.



### STRUTTIN' HIS STUFF

Getting applauded on stage, senior Paul Luviano struts in the middle of the stage and models for his audience to bid higher. His girlfriend, freshman Kristin Korgol purchased his services for the day.

### BUNNY HOPS

Obeying her every command, senior Hannah Martin was told to hop in one spot by her one day owner, freshman Danny Gardner. Sophomore Clayton Caldwell stands aside to watch.





# SENIOR AUCTION

Gives Underclassmen a Day to Take Over



The auditorium was filled during ELO on the morning of April 25. Underclassmen had their money in their pockets and were anxious to bid.

Senior Auction gave underclassman the opportunity to buy a senior (those who chose to participate) for the whole day. All money made went towards Project Graduation.

Students were allowed to be auctioned off alone or in a group and were only allowed to boss their servant around during passing periods and lunch time.

Bids started at two dollars and went as high as forty dollars. Sophomore Kenny Ballard was

#### FINAL ADJUSTMENTS

Michelle Stephens tries on her gown to make sure it's the right length. Seniors bought their graduation gear from Jostens, and picked them up on their last day of classes.

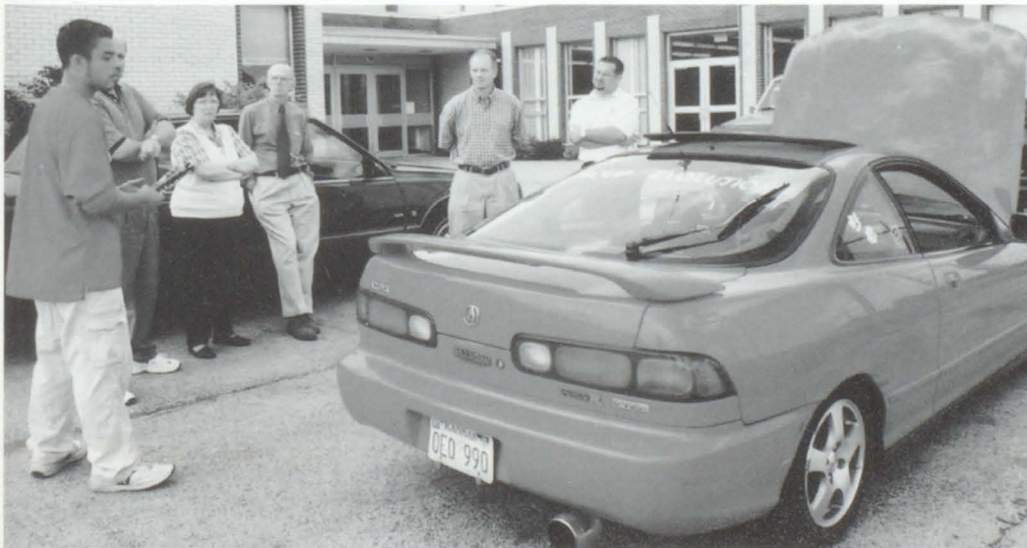
the highest bidder with the purchase of his sister Mandy Ballard.

"I didn't get my sister anything for her birthday, so I decided I would buy her and keep her from being humiliated in front of the whole school," Ballard said.

Seniors had to dress in goofy outfits, perform something really stupid in front of a crowd of people, and some even had to do their buyer's homework. Sophomore Nick Romo made his three servants, Rachelle Shockey, Amanda Rhodes, and Christina Romo look up Vitamin C deficiency for his science project.

It was all in fun, and the underclassmen had a great time being in charge of the seniors for the day, while the seniors also had fun knowing they were raising money for their class.

—Rachelle Gonzales



#### SENIOR BOARD PRESENTATIONS

Tony Sanders gives his presentation on his senior project in front of his board members on Friday, May 11. Sanders "Eurolized" his '95 Acura Integra. He put in padded seat belts, new gages, a new muffler, a new sound system, new decals, and lowered his high performance engine. The presentations were the last part of a three-part requirement for the seniors to graduate.



#### WAITING THEIR TURN

All dressed up for Senior Awards Night, seniors Philena Anderson and Angela Kelly watch and wait as friends and classmates receive their awards. Seniors worked hard all year filling out scholarship applications and forms for colleges and local businesses.





# SENIOR PICNIC

## The Final Good-bye

The senior picnic was held on Friday, May 18. It was one last chance for seniors to say their final good-byes to friends before graduation.

On an overcast day at Shawnee Mission Lake Park, the large group of the BSHS seniors had food and fun during their final gathering before graduation. With an array of foods such as hot dogs, hamburgers, chips and baked beans, provided by Dairy Dine, the seniors had plenty to eat.

After eating, the seniors burned off the calories with many different activities. There was Frisbee, soccer, catch, and volleyball. A group of seniors even branched off in search for

paddle boats, but were unsuccessful. Some stayed after and played horseshoes too.

Regardless of what each senior chose to do, they all had an enjoyable and fun-filled time.

"The best part of the senior picnic was when we thought Rachelle Shockey got stuck in the slide but then she came flying out," Amanda Rhodes said.

Because it was the last day the Class of 2001 would get together for fun, most spent the rest of the day with their close friends.

— Lisa Assmann

### **SOMEONE CATCH ME!**

Acting like a kid again, Nellie Turner goes down the slide face first. After lunch, many seniors decided to be "brave" and play on the playground equipment.



### **SWINGING AWAY**

Nathan Haverland, Alice Pierson, and Brian Smith play together on the playground. They had no problem releasing the kid side in them.

### **ONE FINAL LAUGH**

Seniors Angelique Howard, Travis Nelson and Michelle Stephens wrestle each other to the ground. Classmates Rachel Nelson, Joshua Woods, Travis Slankard, and Jim Davidson laugh as the three goof around.







**GIVE ME SOME MORE**

Amanda Rhodes, Jason Coleman and Jimmy Vogel take some of the good baked beans. There was plenty of food for everyone to have seconds.



**WATCH OUT!!**

Travis Nelson throws the Frisbee as Thomas Cooper and Brian Cole turn away. Across from the shelter house, a group of seniors enjoyed putting on an Frisbee exhibition for all their friends.



**MMM . . . GOOD**

Josh Woods and Blake Ritter enjoy their freshly grilled hamburgers. After an early morning graduation practice, most of the seniors were anxious to get to the park and get a bite to eat.



**DIVE FOR IT**

Kristine Knutter and Corrine Vandenberg prepare to bump the volleyball Catie Dressler just hit. Experienced and beginning players all participated in keeping the ball in the circle.



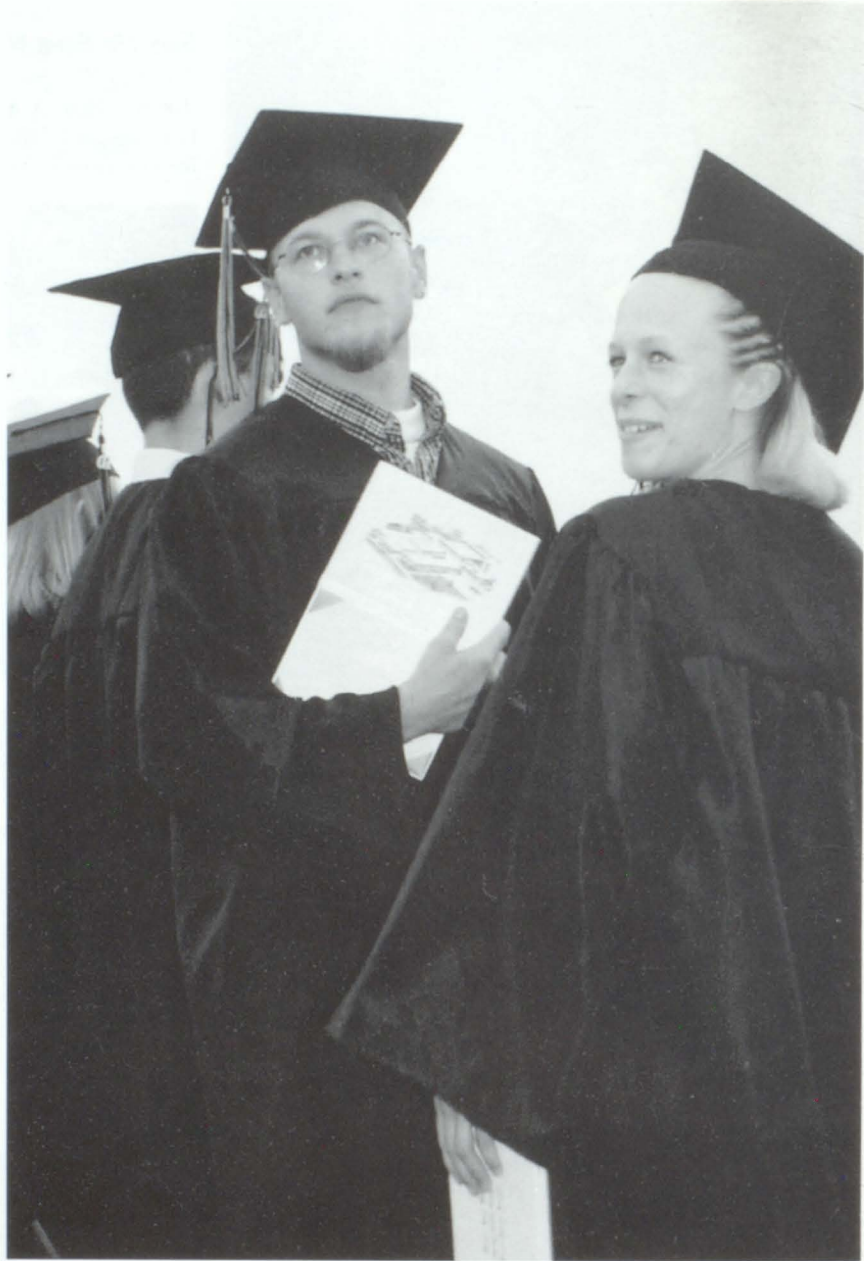


### **LOOK AT WHAT I GOT!**

Meric Seaton shows off his diploma to his family and friends in the stands as Melissa Sells smiles for a picture. Getting their diplomas was a great achievement and a proud moment for all the graduates.

### **ONE STEP CLOSER TO THE FUTURE**

Amanda Craig approaches Board Member Cliff Brents to receive her diploma. After graduation, Craig planned on going to Southeast Community College where she will major in Agricultural Business.



### **FROM THE CLASS OF 2001**

Andrea Cunningham and Brian Cole present the class gift to Principal Dr. Jerry Abbott. Their gift was money for the Brave inlay that will go in the new addition of BSHS. The class donated over \$1800.

### **VALEDICTORIANS AND SALUTORIANS**

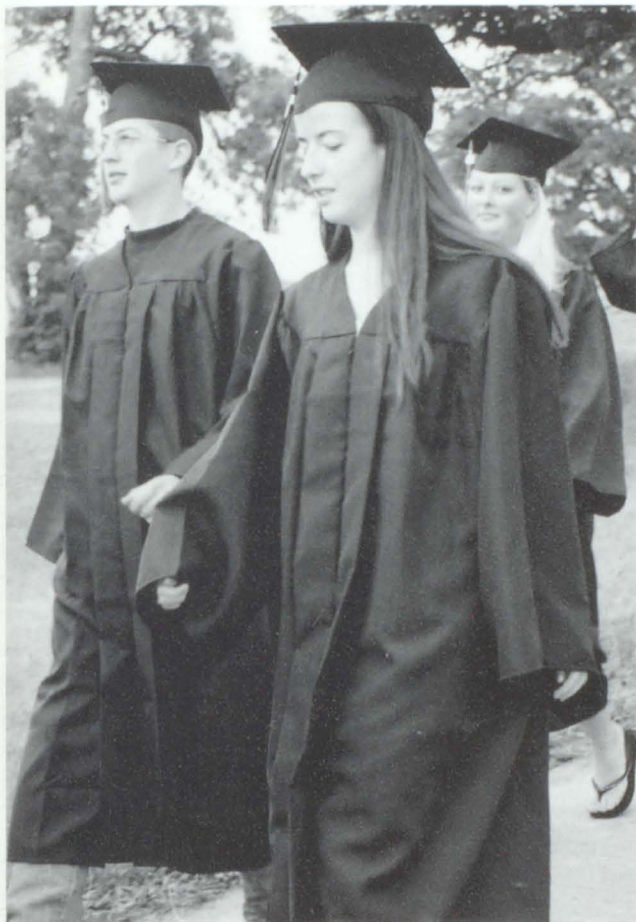
As Valedictorian Ashley Gillespie delivers her speech, her fellow valedictorians and salutatorians, Andrea Cunningham, Kortney Steinhurst, Brian Smith, Bonnie Assmann, Rachel Nelson, James Erin, Kristine Knutter, Joshua Woods, salute to the short story, "The Third Wave," by Ron Jones. All of them read the story, which emphasizes "strength through discipline and community," in Mrs. Chris Wood's Introduction to Literature class.





# GRADUATION

Brave Enough to Leave



The ceremony of graduation was remembered as one of the best days of the graduates' lives. It was their time to look back at the last twelve years and reward themselves for overcoming all of their obstacles.

After the friends and family of the 134 graduates found their places in the packed bleachers or on the track, the 2001 graduates entered David Jaynes Football Field from the south gate and took their seats, on May 19 at 7:30 p.m.

The importance of truth, originality, courage, responsibility, strength, effort and gratitude were some of the main points in the valedictorian and salutatorian

#### WALKING THE ROAD TO SUCCESS

Karen Barncord and Andy Burns head down to the field as Jennifer Bush and others follow close behind. Because of construction, all of the seniors had to walk down the same entrance instead of meeting in the middle as done in the past.

speeches on graduation night.

The five valedictorians and four salutatorians spoke with great pride and courage as they stood in front of their peers, faculty and family.

After the speeches, Senior Class President Andrea Cunningham and Stuco President Brian Cole presented to Dr. Abbott the class gift, which was money for a Brave inlay for the front of the new school building.

The ceremony continued with the graduates receiving their diplomas and moving their tassels from right to left. Commencement exercises ended, and the Class of 2001 celebrated with the tossing of their hats and the spraying of Silly String.

Some of the best years of their lives came to a close, but new opportunities and successes await them in their futures.

— Becky Heckert



#### TRYING TO BE SNEAKY

Senior Mayra Vazquez gets ready to return the beach ball. Warned not to have beach balls during graduation, seniors disobeyed, but the balls were quickly taken away by the faculty.

#### PLAYIN' FOR THE LAST TIME

Rachel Nelson plays her french horn for the final time to the beat of the song "Brighton Beach." Nelson will continue her interest in music when she attends Greenville College and pursues a degree in music education.





*I'M SO HAPPY*

Heather Gipson hugs her friend with joy as she holds her diploma in her hand. Family members and friends rushed to the track to greet and congratulate the new graduates.



*TEARS OF JOY*

Anthony Cox and his father George Cox hug at the conclusion of the ceremony. Graduation was a very emotional day for all seniors.

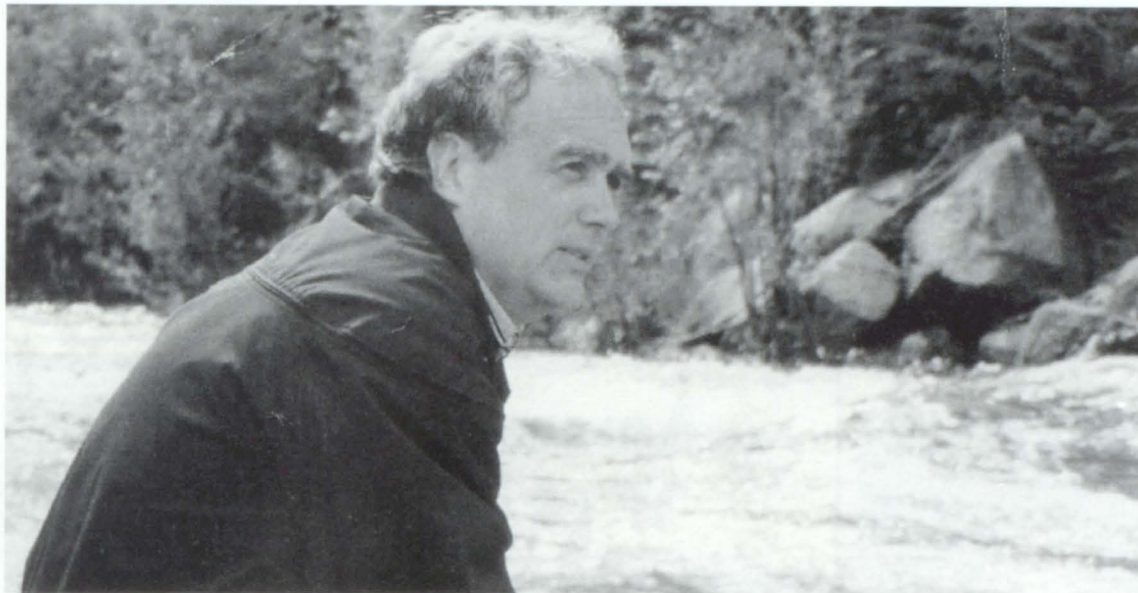
*ALL DONE*

With the ceremony over, the seniors celebrated and ended the whole four years with a shower of silly string. Along with the silly string, seniors tried to hit beach balls around, but this was quickly deflated by faculty members.





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THE BETRAYAL OF FALSE FRIENDS;  
TO APPRECIATE BEAUTY,  
TO FIND THE BEST IN OTHERS;  
TO LEAVE THE WORLD  
A BIT BETTER, WHETHER  
BY A HEALTHY CHILD,  
A GARDEN PATCH,  
OR A REDEEMED SOCIAL CONDITION;  
TO KNOW EVEN ONE LIFE  
HAS BREATHED EASIER  
BECAUSE YOU HAVE LIVED.  
THAT IS TO HAVE SUCCEEDED.

RALPH WALDO EMERSON



## Katie Szewc



Congratulations!

Thank you for being the wonderful woman you have become. You have made us so very proud.

We Love You,  
Mom and Dad



Angela-

You are a really special daughter; you've made us proud. From the day you were born to seeing you walk up for your diploma. We cried tears of joy. The day has come to let you go, to conquer "the world," to explore all your dreams, to expand your horizons, to become someone that you are proud with and accept. (Because that's all that counts...making yourself HAPPY!) We'll always be there for you.

Love,  
Dad, Mom, Louis, and Sarah



Way to Go!



## Angela Reyes

## Amanda Wells



Amanda,

You are and always will be a joy in our lives. You have a good head on your shoulders, just remember to use it. And as in one of our favorite songs, "When it comes to life, I hope you dance angel!"

Love ya lots,  
Mom, Dad, and David



### Flashback...

Memories of when you learned to crawl, walk, talk, hit your first softball. Your first date to your school dance. Your first driver's license and your first car. All the laughter and sorrow we shared as a family. First one born, first one to set free. Your talent in sports, academic grades, and your beautiful looks. From MVP, to a candidate for Courtwarming queen. There isn't much you missed in school. In our book that makes you pretty darn cool. "I love you" was not said enough. But believe us all your family we love you so very much. We are so happy and full of pride to see you graduate with such grace and stride.

Love you with all our hearts,  
Mom, Dad, Grandma, Grandpas,  
and siblings



## Alicia Forshey







**Meric, Brock, and Oza going through their Barbie party stage!**

## Jamie Sangster



*We can barely begin to tell you of all our wishes for you. We want you to use your heart as a compass and find your way in the world and to always have an appreciation for the direction of home. We want you to know how capable you are, your possibilities are unlimited. We pray that you won't rush the future and that you'll slowly build on the stepping stones of the past. So many treasures await you in your journey of life.*

*Ad astra et supra,  
Love always,  
Mom, Dad, and Helen*



## Vanessa Spartan

Congratulations on your graduation Vanessa! You are a great daughter and we are all very proud of you.

Mom and Dad  
and your sisters

## Holly Thompson



You will always be my "Hollywood" star!

Love you lots,  
Mom

## Bonnie Assmann

Bonnie,

Congratulations! We are extremely proud of you and your accomplishments throughout your school days. Congratulations on making First Team All-Kansan in volleyball. We are especially proud of your academic achievements. We wish your continued success in your college career and beyond.

All our love,  
Dad, Vikki,  
Lisa, and Brian







# Kortney Steinhurst

*From the very beginning you have strived to be your best, and that determination has brought you where you are today—a beautiful, compassionate, independent young woman. I am so very proud of the person you are and all that you've accomplished; you truly are a blessing from God. Happy Graduation and may all your dreams come true!*

*I love you!  
Mom*



## Melissa Wiseman



**Melissa,**

**You brighten our lives and make us proud in all you do.**

**May you always know happiness and joy, with success never ending.**

**CONGRATULATIONS!**

**Love,  
Mom, Dad & Mark**



## Christina Romo



*Our little princess,*

*We're so proud of you and the person you've grown to be. You've worked so hard to be the person you are today, so helpful, loving, and kind, and it's a job well done. Like we always told you, you can be anything in life you want. Keep God first in your life and may your dreams come true. May God bless you always and forever.*

*Love,  
Mom, Dad, Nicholas, and Lorenzo*

## Andrea Cunningham



*Dear Andrea,*

*From infancy to beautiful young woman, you have amazed us with your abilities, accomplishments, and sheer determination to accept nothing but your best. You have the world at your fingertips. May life be all that you want it to be! Our prayer is that the Lord continue to be your constant light, for in "Him", all things are possible. We are so very proud to be your Family.*

*All of Our Love Always,  
Dad, Mom, & Chris*





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YOU BOTH HAVE A  
LONG AND SUCCESSFUL  
LIFE. WE LOVE YOU.**



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& MICHELLE**

**Brock Peterson**



**Brock,**

Everyday we are reminded of just how lucky we are to have you in our lives, watching you grow from that cute little boy to a handsome young man. We are very proud of you not because of all you have accomplished these last 18 years but for the person you have become. Your dedication and commitment have inspired us all.

Over the course of the last few years, you've set and conquered many goals. This accomplishment has helped make you wiser, stronger, and more confident in yourself. Just remember we are and always have been behind you in all you do. We will always be there for you. Our commitment to you is for life.

Enjoy each day, live life to its fullest and take nothing for granted. We are proud to have you as our son.

Love,  
Mom and Dad

**Christina Zeljeznjak**



**CONGRATULATIONS TINA!**

**FOLLOW YOUR DREAMS AND REACH FOR THE STARS.**

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**LOVE, MOM, DAD, & JESSICA**

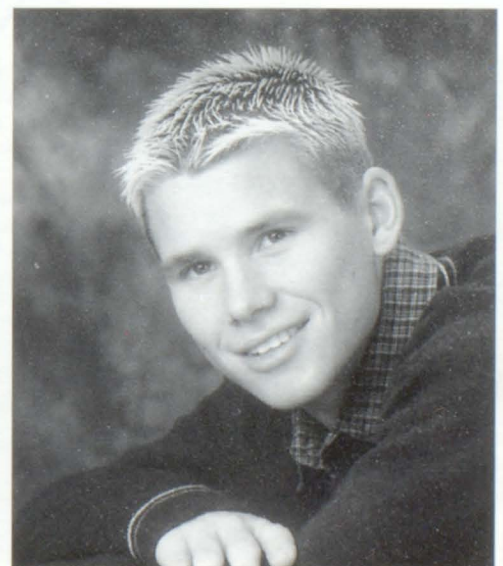


**ANNA DELICH**

**CONGRATULATIONS ANNA!**

**WE KNOW YOUR HIGH SCHOOL  
YEARS HAVEN'T BEEN THE EASIEST,  
BUT YOU'VE PROVEN YOU CAN  
HANDLE LIFE'S CHALLENGES.  
YOU'VE BECOME A VERY BEAUTIFUL  
YOUNG LADY THAT WE ARE VERY  
PROUD OF.**

**LOVE,  
MOM AND PAUL**





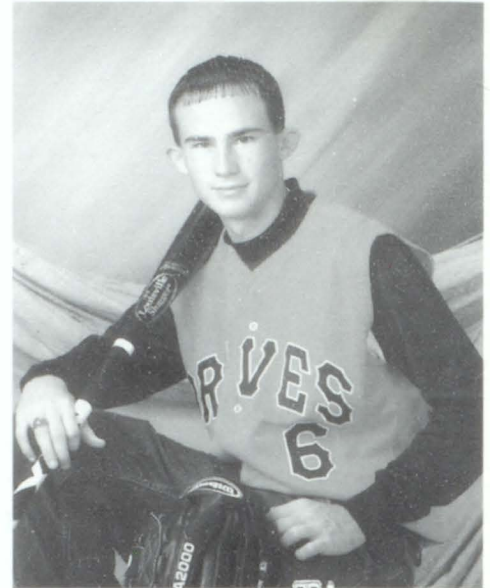


## TIM NEAL

TIM,

ONLY YESTERDAY YOU WERE BARELY ABLE TO HOLD A BASEBALL. TODAY YOU ARE A YOUNG MAN WE ARE VERY PROUD OF. HOLD YOUR HEAD HIGH, FOLLOW YOUR DREAMS, AND YOU WILL SUCCEED IN WHATEVER THE FUTURE HOLDS FOR YOU.

LOVE,  
MOM, DAD, AND MICHAEL



## ANTHONY BLANCARTE



Anthony-

*Eighteen years ago we were blessed with a wonderful baby boy. We are proud of the outstanding young man that you have grown up to be. We have shared joy, laughter, and tears, and have made memories that will last a lifetime. Thank you for all the wonderful years of happiness you have brought us. The best is yet to come. Good luck in all that you do. We love you so very much.*

Your Loving Family

## SAMANTHA HENNIGH-COUCH

WELL, YOU FINALLY MADE IT, SAM. WE KNOW IT WASN'T EASY FOR YOU. WE ARE VERY PROUD OF YOU SAMANTHA.

LOVE,  
MOM AND PAUL



## JENNIFER BOURN

*CONGRATULATIONS ON YOUR GRADUATION. WE ARE SO PROUD OF YOU. WE KNOW YOU CAN ACHIEVE ANY GOAL YOU SET, AND WE KNOW YOU WILL GO FAR AT WHATEVER YOU DECIDE TO DO IN THE FUTURE.*



*LOVE YOU DAUGHTER, SISTER, AND FRIEND.*

LOVE,  
MOM, DOUG, AND KIMBERLY





# LESLIE ANDERSON



CONGRATULATIONS, JELLY BELLY! THE THIRD ONE IS THE CHARM. YOU MADE US ALL SO PROUD OF YOU.

LOVE,  
MOM & DAD, LLOYD & MARINA,  
REDDA & JOSH & JAZZY, BUTCH



# MERIC SEATON

MOE,

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WHOLE WORLD AHEAD OF  
YOU—GO FOR IT!

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# KAREN BARNCORD



KAREN,



YOU HAVE GROWN UP TO BE A VERY STRONG AND INDEPENDENT PERSON. I ADMIRE YOUR ABILITY TO SPEAK OUT. ALWAYS BE STRONG AND KNOW YOU CAN DO ANYTHING YOU SET YOUR MIND TO.

LOVE,  
MOM

# CARI

# LYNN

CARI, YOU DID IT!  
IT'S BEEN THIRTEEN YEARS.  
AND LIKE STARTING KINDERGARTEN,  
YOU'LL SHED A FEW TEARS.



YOU'LL HAVE MANY MEMORIES,  
SOME HAPPY, SOME SAD.  
BUT SOMEDAY YOU'LL KNOW  
THEY'RE THE BEST ONES YOU HAD.

ALTHOUGH YOU'RE THE LAST,  
OF OUR DAUGHTERS THREE.  
THERE'S NOBODY PROUDER  
THAN DAD AND ME!

CONGRATULATIONS CARI!

WE LOVE YOU,  
MOM, DAD  
HEATHER AND AMY



# Kristi King

Who would know that 18 years would go by so fast? You started out your life as a leader and always will be a leader. I ask myself, did I teach you all I meant to teach you? Did we laugh enough, cry enough, and share enough time together? Always remember think of your cup half full instead of half empty. Set goals and reach high for them.

Most of all, remember I love you and I am very proud of all your accomplishments, and the wonderful young woman you have become. Leave time in your busy schedule for love, laughter and occasional silliness.

Your mom, Danielle and Zak will miss you very much as you are going through life's journeys.

Love always & forever,  
Mom



Kristi





# Maria Arriaga



We are so very proud of you. From the day you were born to now and forever. You will always be loved. This is the beginning to another part of your and Angelica's life. Keep God first in whatever you choose to do. You will accomplish it with good health and happiness.

**Good Luck!**

**Love,  
Mom, Dad, Angelica & Rafael**

## Brian Smith



Brian,  
We're very proud of you!

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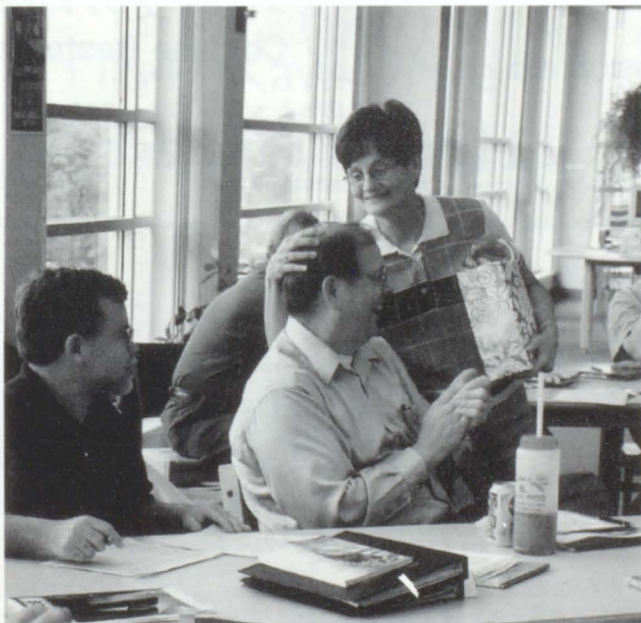


# FACULTY FAREWELL



## A FINAL FAREWELL

Mrs. Pam Walsh, Mrs. Leslie Beard, Mr. Brandon Williams, Mr. James Bonar, Mrs. Patsy Melius, Mr. Tony Helfrich, Mr. Russell Baldwin, and Mr. Randy Lowe came together at a goodbye party held in their honor. Whether going on with their teaching careers, beginning a new career or just relaxing, these teachers accepted new challenges and goals for their futures. Although these teachers will be greatly missed, we wish them luck in the future.



## !SR. CALDWELL ES CALVO!

Mrs. Patsy Melius looks at Mr. Bob Caldwell's head and thinks, "¡Sr. Caldwell es Calvo!" (Mr. Caldwell is bald.) before she gives it a smooch. Melius and Caldwell had an ongoing joke about Caldwell's baldness, and Melius always commented on Caldwell's baldness during her Spanish classes.

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Students in Ms. Nancy Yankovich's second hour English 10 class take a break from class to clown around for a group picture. Sophomore foreign exchange student, Athip (Meen) Limcharoen had just finished a presentation on his homeland Thailand and wanted a keepsake for his time here at BSHS.

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#### BAND/CHOIR TRIP FUN

Juniors Abby Vitt, Erin Stoner and Sarah Rowland take time out from eating their dinner to pose for a picture at the Hard Rock Cafe in Chicago while on the band and choir trip. It was Stoner's birthday and to celebrate the waiter made her put ketchup on her nose while he announced to everybody that it was her birthday

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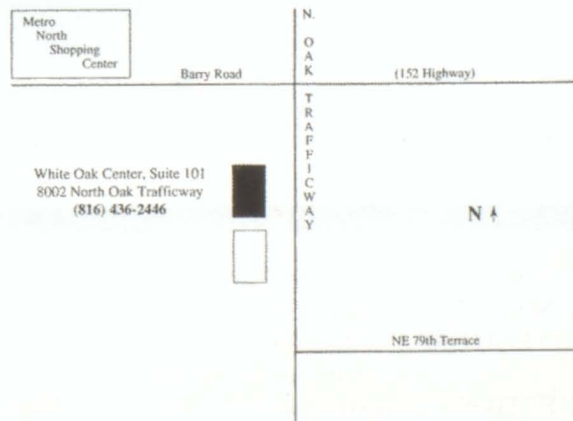
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# ONE FINAL GOOD-BYE

Summer is finally here, and it couldn't have come any sooner. Now, it's time to get a job, get a tan, and enjoy summer with friends. Some will return in the fall to finish their high school career while others will begin something new.

Not only did the senior class leave at the end of the school year, some teachers did also. Whether they were here for many years or only one year, they will all be remembered.

In the years to come, remember the 2000-01 school year for its senior benches, its outstanding faculty, its educational opportunities, its great friendships and its lasting memories.

Another school year has ended and another will soon be upon us. No matter what you do in the future or what obstacles you may face, always remember one thing—"Stay Brave!"

—Amanda Craig  
Sarah Rowland



## FAREWELL BENCHES

During Homecoming week students in the Tradition Committee made a crate paper teepee around the senior benches. This is one tradition that will not be returning next year due to the remodeling, but hopefully the benches will find a new home after all the construction is completed.

## GROUND BREAKING

Board members, administrators and Stuco members all grasp a hold of a shovel and get ready to dig. This was all part of the ground breaking ceremony for the site of the new District Athletic Facility, which should be completed by summer of 2002.



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