

It's an IWA thing...



Aurora 2002-2003

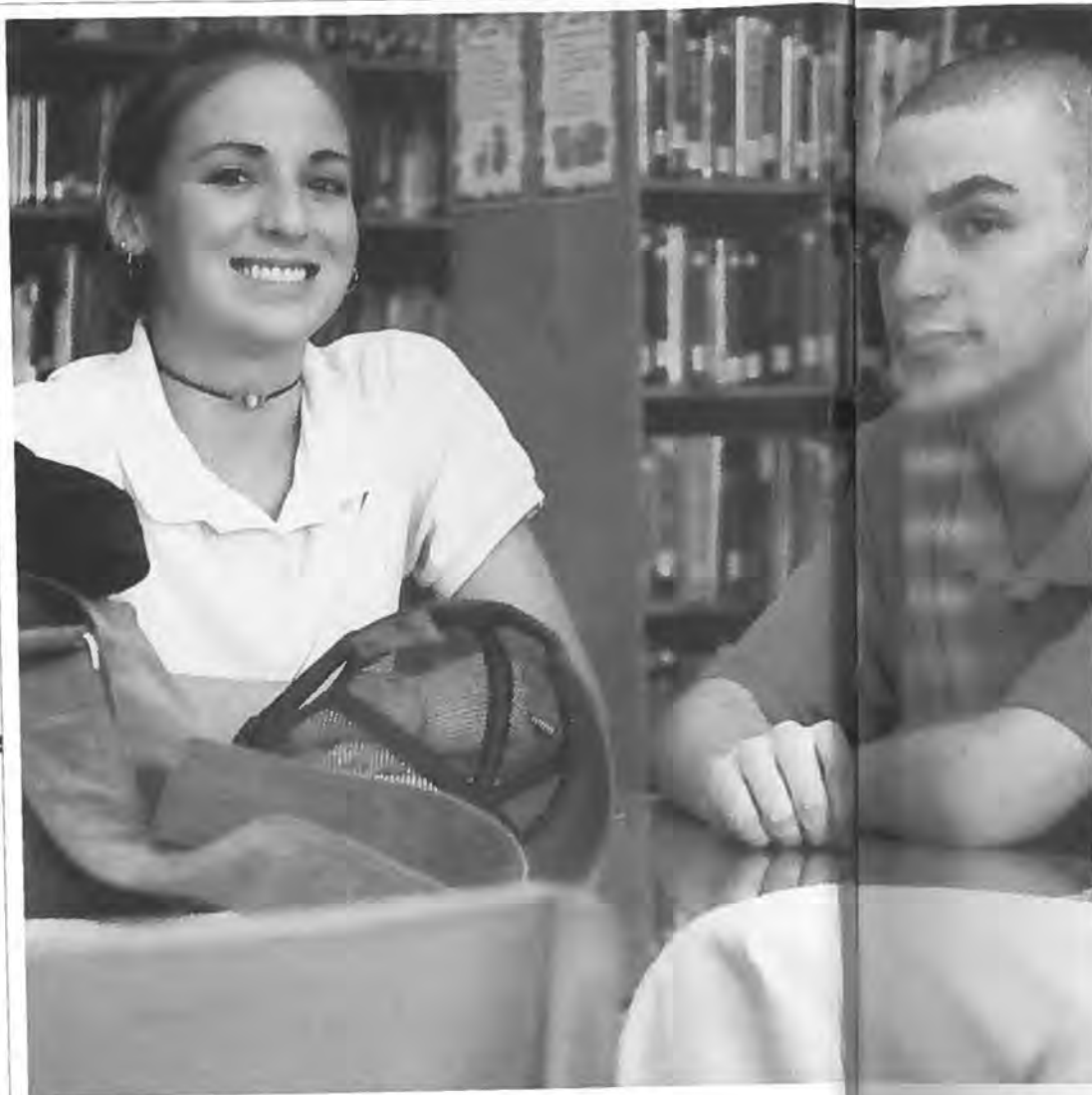


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Advent decorations were on the agenda as Seniors Katie Pigott and Lacey Floerke work hard to decorate the school's hallways.



Seniors Sara McIntire and Jamin Trice take advantage of library time after making the announcements in the afternoon in Speech class.



Sophomore Jillian Byrne helps spread school spirit by decorating the sophomore hall at Homecoming.



Above, from left to right, Sophomore Cassandra Duffy gets ready for the new school year by getting her books. Seniors Clarrisa Esparza and Nicole Sears and Junior Austin Buchan get ready to enjoy the Homecoming game. Senior Dan Cuellar "puts a cap on drugs" during Red Ribbon Week.

As another year passes before our very eyes, we recall several events that truly made an impact on our world as well as our IWA community. We here at IWA are either bringing our high school career to a close or are starting to understand the concept of school in a better way. This book is a retrospective of our year as we look back and remember fun times and support from friends as well as those stressful times that all go hand-in-hand into making what our year has become.

We remember reconnecting with friends after summer break and finally getting back into the routine of going to class and taking tests.

We remember attending pep rallies decked out in our spirit gear and the pride and excitement we felt after those hard earned victories.

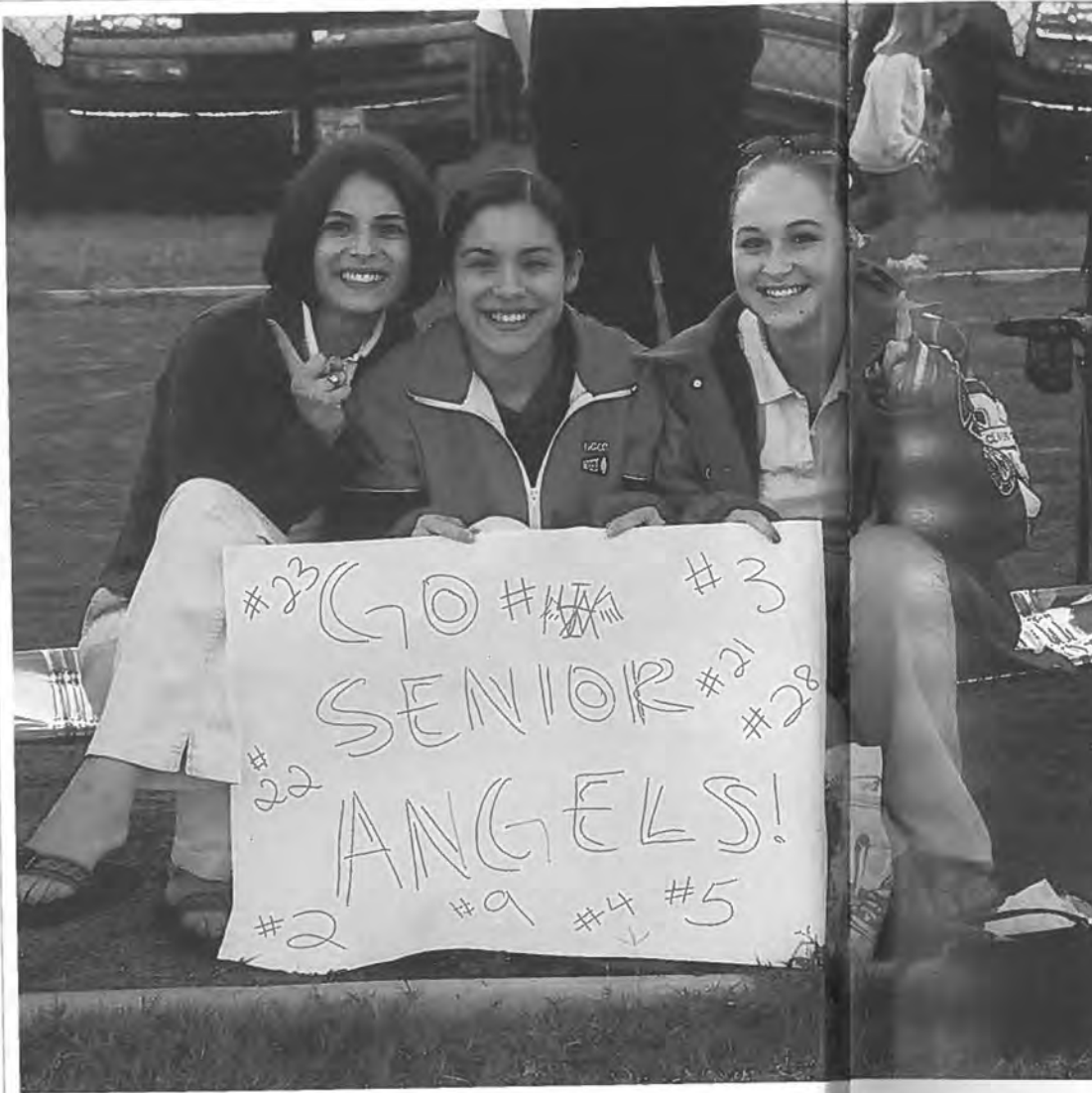
We remember hitting the dance floor during Homecoming, Favorites, MORP, and Prom and sighing with relief as we got to take off our shoes when we got home.

We remember the relief after finals week and sleeping until noon on our much needed breaks.

The school has truly given us many memories and great times. We have learned to adapt to the decreased population and the new flock of teachers. We have overcome the obstacles of violation slips and tardy detentions. We have learned from the teachers, we have learned from our mistakes, and most important, we have learned from each other. The IWA family has gone through some changes and has formed its own identity. We proved to the world that it's an IWA thing....they wouldn't understand. By Lacey Floerke, Alex Boyle & Gabe Hinojosa



Above, As the school year gets off to a good start, Juniors Celina Gutierrez and Erin Graham smile for a picture while going down the stairs to class.



Above, Seniors Trista Martinez, Monica Castaneda and Heather Woods show their support for the Angels at a soccer game.

Below, A group of lady Angels show their spirit by wearing their red shirts and mums during Homecoming week.



Above, from left to right, Senior men Chris Montgomery and Gabe Hinojosa get ready to reveal their Kris Kringle's in religion class. Sophomore Dean Sartoris and former student Abby Potter share a laugh at the Homecoming game. Senior Noelle Fernandez and a friend enjoy a good time at the Homecoming dance.

Below, Seniors Heather Woods and Christie Hoover and Gabe Hinojosa are caught off guard by the camera at Homecoming.



Right, Juniors Luci Fields and Kevin Duerr take a break from dancing and chat at Homecoming.



It's not what you think

Student ambassadors prepare to spread the word about IWA. Below, Junior Monica Castenda cheers on Kevin Duerr during a pie eating contest at the first pep rally.



Stand Up angel spirit and Holler !

Angel spirit is soaring at IWA from pep rallies, hall decorations, dances, service activities and much more. Students have shown that spirit can be found even in the least expected places. Our family here may be small, but we sure can show our strength in our spirit!



Above, hall decorations show Senior spirit Homecoming week. Right, senior Clinton Clark hugs Coach Kelly Moore as he is recognized at the pep rally.



Clockwise from upper right, Senior women show their spirit with their class shirts. Freshman Jason Wilkes bounces across the court during a pep rally relay. Senior Sacha Winkler shows his school pride with face paint. Seniors Charlie Garcia and Giorgio Suarez get in the act with a foghorn.

Right, the Junior ladies pose for a picture at the Homecoming pep rally. Below, clockwise, Junior Sam Salas proudly shows off the pinata he busted at the Homecoming pep rally during a relay race.



Susanna Guzman, Angel O'Donnell, Jenny Trevino and Priscilla Williams strike a pose at the Welcome Back Dance. Sister Catherine and Sasha Garza watch the cheerleaders perform at the Homecoming pep rally.



Left, David Bayardo sports a new do for the Homecoming pep rally. Below, the boys basketball team gets together for a group picture before the big game.



Livin' angel spirit It Up!



Above, the girls JV and Varsity basketball teams show off their new travel uniforms at the pep rally.



A Lifelong angel service Commitment

Angel service can be found everywhere you may look. From working as student ambassadors to decorating the halls, IWA Angels have proved that the IWA family is big on giving. Developing lifelong habits of service will not only serve our school community, but teach us how to serve for the rest of our lives.

Clockwise from upper left, Junior Bobbie Rae Elizondo visits with a middle schooler as a student ambassador. IWA's Eagle Scouts Ben Nye , Ryan Kirk, John Hayes, Sacha Winkler and Nathan Kelley display the color guard at the 9/11 Mass. Freshman Amanda Bertuzzi helps decorate the halls for Halloween. Senior Jessie Jackson, Sophomore Anika Page and Junior Sarah Narvaez serve at Germanfest.

Left, Sophomore Patrick Green plays Tapps at the 9/11 Mass. Above, A group of IWA athletes work as valet parkers at Germanfest.

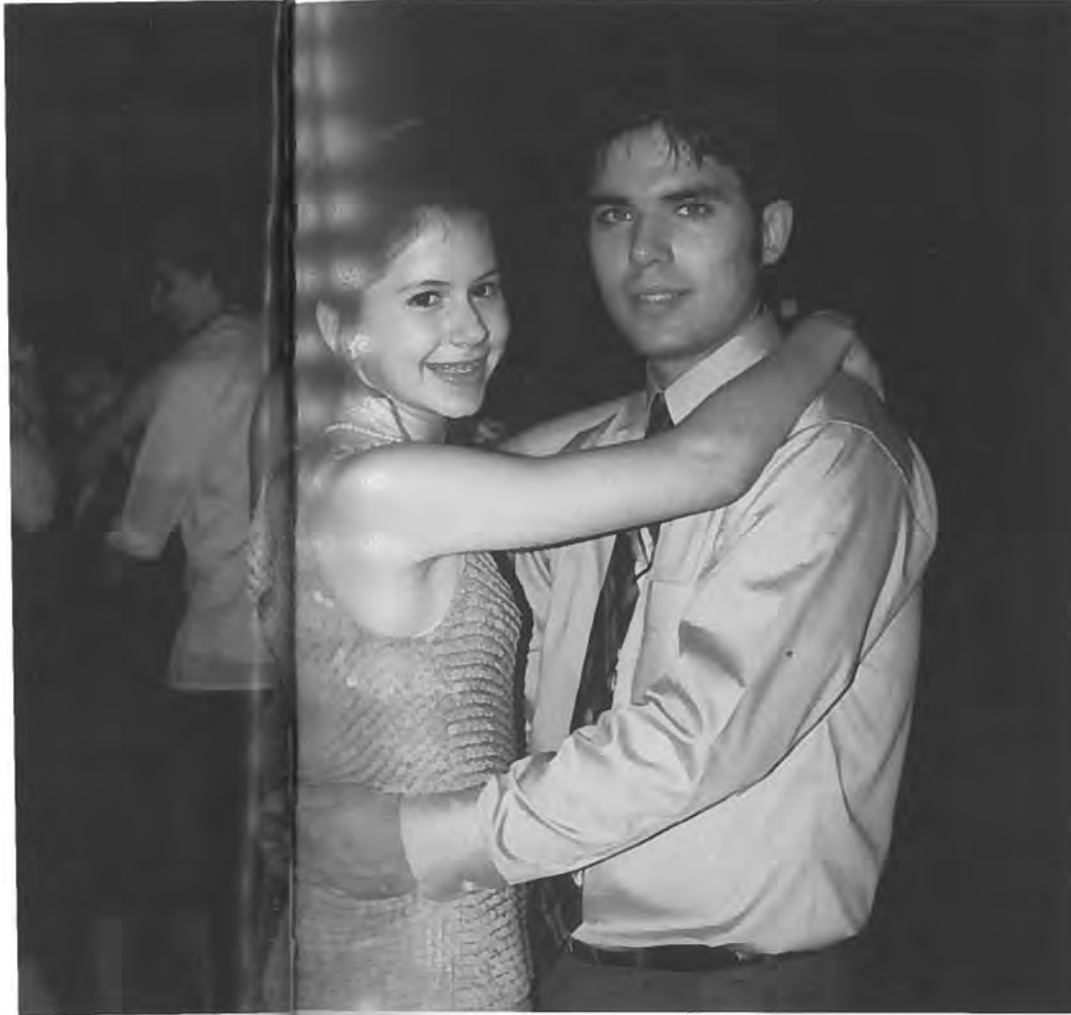
Dancing

homecoming 2002

the Night Away



Senior Abe Benavides congratulates Senior Tamara Valdez on her homecoming court win.



Above, Juniors Christina Saenz and Elisa Lopez take a break from dancing to sit down and chat. Right, Seniors Noelle Fernandez and Kerry Messer start catching up on the night's details.



Clockwise from upper right, Caroline Nye and her date share a moment on the dance floor. Kevin Duerr and Luci Fields share a hug at this year's Homecoming dance. Elisabeth Nordby and Anne Rabalais catch up on the night's events. Rochelle O'Donnell and Robert Delgado pose for a picture and take in some refreshments.

spirit

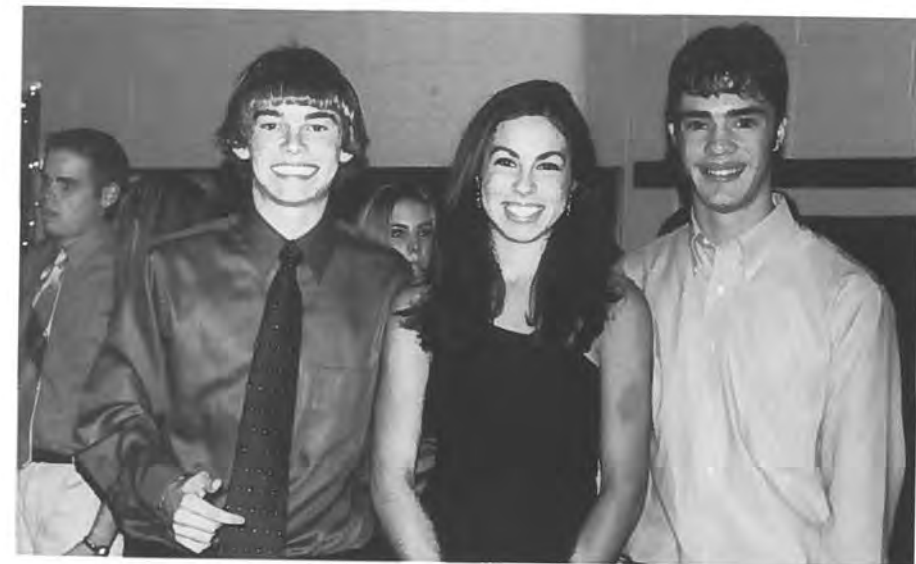
Right, Senior Ben Nye and his date show they are having a good time at the dance. Below, clockwise, Seniors Trista Martinez and Sara McIntire smile for the camera before they go off to take their group photo. Homecoming Duke and Duchess Sacha Winkler and Lacey Floerke. Homecoming Prince and Princess Nathan Kelly and Tamara Valdez.



Left, Homecoming King and Queen Ryan Williams and Alex Martinez. Below, Senior Sally Oelshlegal and Junior Noah Seger smile big for the camera at the dance.



And the homecoming 2002 winners are...



Above, Seniors Nick Kollaja and Jessie Jackson pose with Junior Aaron Eiler for a picture.

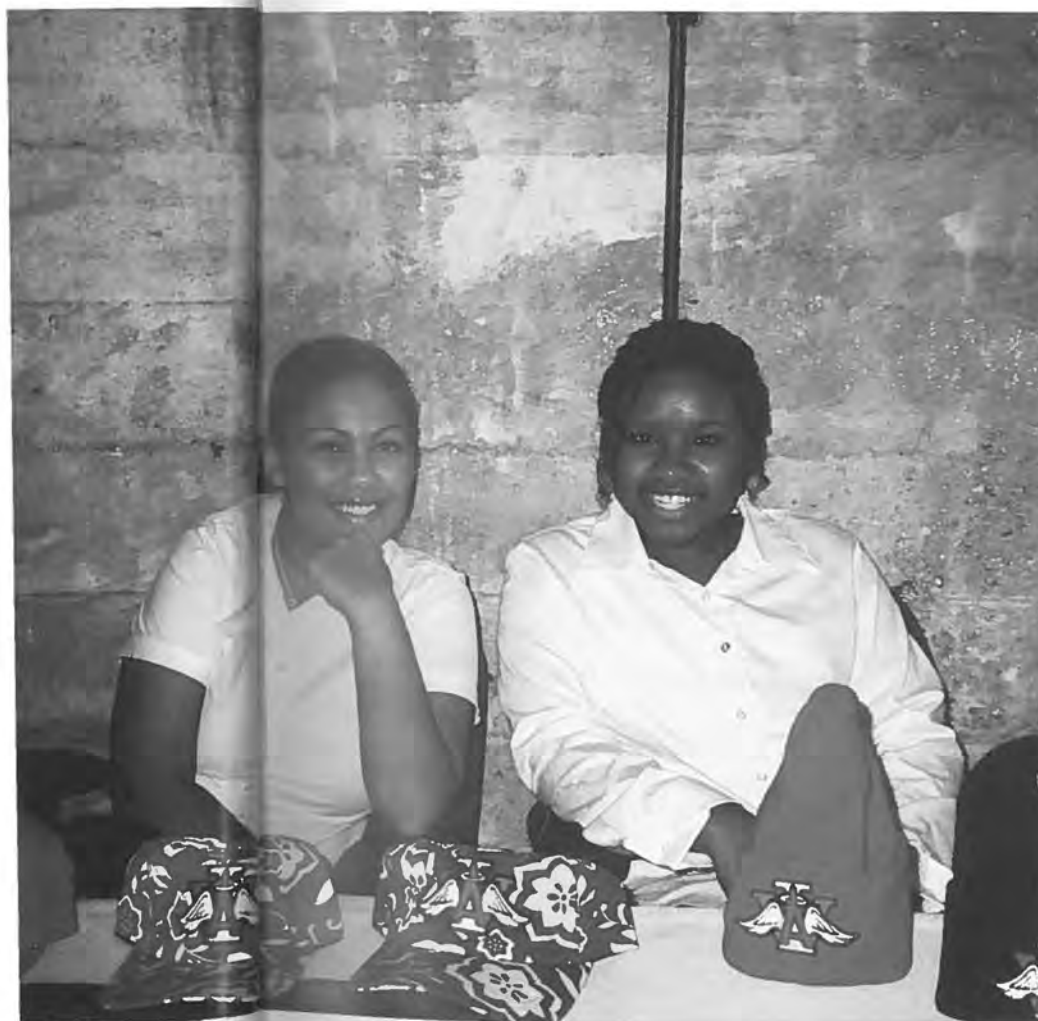
Below, Senior Heather Woods and cheerleaders Cameron Corley, Monica Castaneda, Priscilla Esparza and Amanda Hoffman check in guests at Germanfest. Right, Juniors Mindy Pammit and Luci Fields work as student ambassadors.



Left, Sophomores Stephanie Sweat, Sasha Garza and Lauren McCarty take advantage of NHS college day. Clockwise, beginning with lower left, Seniors Neepa Bhakta and Liz Pollard work at the PTO booth at Germanfest. Junior Luci Fields goes the cowboy way and participates in a Red Ribbon Week activity. Kaiser Iman sports a hat and a new do for Red Ribbon Week.

A day angels at work in the life

Many Angels can be found at various activities throughout the school year. Angels were seen soaring through registration, Germanfest, Red Ribbon Week or just roaming the halls. We always make it a point to be anywhere and everywhere we need to be. Take a look at what happened on any given day...



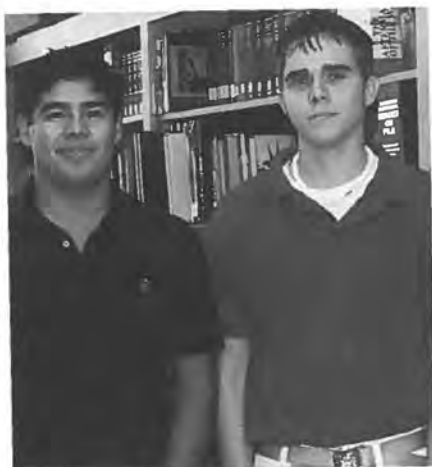
Angels

student achievement

Soar

Just a sampling of the varied achievements and honors of IWA students

Erasmio Guzman & Raymond King, Altare Dei Award, Boy Scouts



Sacha Winkler, Pope Pius XII Emblem



Bailey Allison & Jeremy Basaldu, National Conference for Community and Justice



Elizabeth Pollard, National Achievement Semi-Finalist (PSAT)



John LaRue, Amy Potter & Noelle Fernandez, Eucharistic ministers at St. Philip's



Clarissa Esparza & Katherine Lynch, 2nd team All-District Volleyball



Noelle Fernandez, Art of Being American Photo Contest award recipient

Nicole Sears, Ashley Kassner, Christina Lopez & Anika Page
1st team All-District Volleyball



Noelle Fernandez, Elisabeth Nordby & Emily Turner, Honored at National Youth Leadership Forum

Bailey Allison & Christina Mondragon, Teen Leadership Seminar



Aaron Eiler, Mathematics competitor

Raymond King, Erasmio Guzman, Dorothy Pena & Danny Quintero, Hispanic Chamber of Commerce



Sacha Winkler, John Hayes, Jon Meyer, Danny Shea, TJ Hunter, Ryan Kirk, Eagle Scouts 2002

Richard Colley, Christina Mondragon, Sarah Narvaez, Sara Salinas, Bailey Allison, Priscilla Williams, Driscoll Volunteers

Holiday Advent & Christmas 2002 Hoopla



Josh Wanek, Chrissy Hoffman and Holden Hoy work on hall decorations for the Advent season on a Sunday afternoon.



Above, Giorgio Suarez and Charlie Garcia get ready to exchange gifts during religion class. Right, Amanda Kummer and Susanna Guzman decorate the library's Christmas tree.



Clockwise from upper right, Christina Mondragon, Elena Nevel and Katherine Lynch pose with Santa during the Harbor Lights ceremony in December. Dustin Sartoris gets ready to open gifts during Religion class. Caroline Acebo works on Advent hall decorations. Vanessa Narvaez, Dorothy Pena, Paul de la Rosa and Richard Colley have fun with the Advent hall decorations.

Academic

TAPPS 2003

Achievement

The following students advanced to the state level after representing IWA at the annual TAPPS district meet in San Antonio in February.

Calculator Applications 1 st Danny Quintero 2 nd Paul De la Rosa	Top Biology Kaiser Imam	2 nd Sara Salinas 3 rd Sarah Kim
Computer Science 1 st Noah Seger 2 nd Kaiser Imam 3 rd Brandon Hoy	Top Chemistry Kaiser Imam	Drawing Ink 3 rd Alexandra Boyle
Current Issues and Events 1 st Andrew Daehne 2 nd John LaRue	Top Physics Brandon Hoy	Drawing Color 3 rd Nicole Nelson
History 3 rd Emily Turner	Spanish 2 nd Christina Palenzuela 3 rd Marguerite Deloney	Painting Transparent 1 st Alexandra Boyle 1 st Kerry Messer
Literary Criticism 1 st Caroline Acebo 2 nd Marguerite Deloney 3 rd Anne Rabalais	Spelling 1 st Robert Jakubowski 2 nd Katrina Co 3 rd Kevin Pesek	Painting Mixed Media 1 st Amanda Kummer
Advanced Math 2 nd Aaron Eiler 3 rd Dan Cuellar	Original Oratory 2 nd Caroline Nye	Mixed Media 2-D 1 st Alexandra Boyle 2 nd Monica Mariani
Mathematics 1 st Kaiser Imam 2 nd Brandon Hoy 3 rd Brandon Bridger	Persuasive Speaking 1 st Benjamin Nye	Sculpture 1 st Dana Deline 3 rd Stephanie Sananikone
Number Sense 1 st Brandon Bridger 2 nd Dan Cuellar 3 rd Katrina Co	Poetry Interpretation 1 st Christina Mondragon	Crafts 2 nd Luci Fields
Science 1 st Brandon Hoy 2 nd Kaiser Imam 3 rd Brandon Bridger	Prose Interpretation 1 st Andrew Daehne 2 nd Sadiya Shamin 3 rd Christina Mondragon	Metalwork 1 st Jessica Smith 3 rd Danny Shea
	Solo Acting 3 rd Emily Turner	Photography Black and White 1 st Sara Salinas 2 nd Sara Salinas
	On-Site Drawing 2 nd Danny Shea 3 rd Monica Mariani	Thematic 1 st Monica Mariani 2 nd Sara Salinas
	Art History/Picture Memory 1 st Monica Mariani	



Clockwise from upper left, Junior Brandon Hoy, Senior Danny Quintero and Junior Noah Seger choose to spend their break playing video games. Juniors Marguerite Deloney, Sadiya Shamin and Senior Jessica Smith take a break from last minute prep time. Sophomores Gilda Bobele and Molly Hynes look pretty calm between competitions.

Love is Favorites 2003 in the Air



Senior Favorites: Most Popular Ryan Williams, Best Personality Alex Martinez, Most Likely to Succeed Liz Pollard, Most Representative John LaRue, Most Beautiful Tamara Valdez, Most Handsome Ken Aoshima



Junior Favorites Luci Fields, Austin Buchan, Elisabeth Nordby, Alonso Mackrizz, Anne Rabalais, Sam Salas. Right, Juniors Michael Garcia and Priscilla Esparza get cozy on the dance floor.



Clockwise from upper right, A group of sophomores hug and smile for the camera. Junior Sadiya Shamin anxiously awaits the announcement of the favorites winners. Seniors Dorothy Pena and Mariangel Martinez show their soft side and give a quick hug. Senior men Giorgio Suarez, Gabe Hinojosa and Chris Montgomery take a water break during the dance.

Right, Junior Alonso Mackrizz and his date chat with junior Bobbie Rae-Elizondo in between dances. Clockwise below, Mr. and Miss Schoolwide Spirit Sacha Winkler and Lacey Floerke. Sophomore dates Joey Martinez and Helen Vela get ready to get their picture taken. Seniors Jessica Smith and Abbey Laudadio take a break to smile for the camera.



Left, Mr. and Miss Schoolwide Favorite Ryan Williams and Alex Martinez. Below, Freshman Favorites Mark Perez, Drew Shea, Chrissy Hoffman, Priscilla Williams, Josh Wanek, and Kevin Pesek.



And the favorites 2003 winners are...

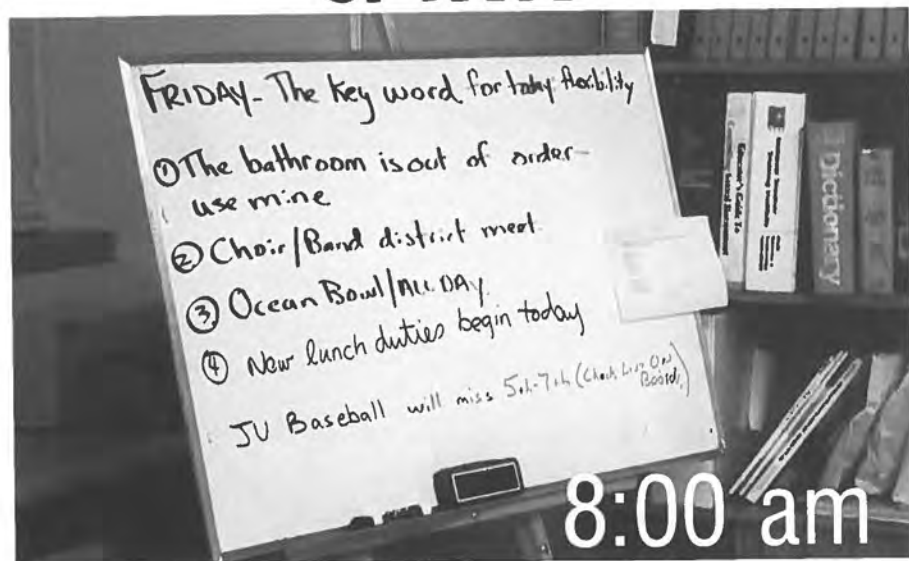


Sophomore Favorites Andrew Daehne, Eleanor Seger, Jeanette Rivera, Molly Hynes, Gilda Bobele and Pat Green.

A Day in the Life

February 21, 2003

of IWA



8:00 am

Every morning faculty and staff are welcomed to work with a message from Principal Sue Coleman. Today's message was almost ominous.



10:00 am



8:15 am



1:15 pm

typical day



9:32 am

Choir members kept busy warming up for district choir auditions on campus. Ocean Bowl members brushed up their knowledge with videos in the library conference room.



9:45 am



9:55 am

Clockwise from upper right, Juniors Katherine Lynch and John Tyson prepare for an English test in the library. Coach Woods and Sister Henri get ready to face the day after making some copies. Junior Kaiser Iman takes a break from cramming to have some lunch. Librarian Jennifer Davis issues Junior Sam Salas a violation slip for eating M&Ms in the library.

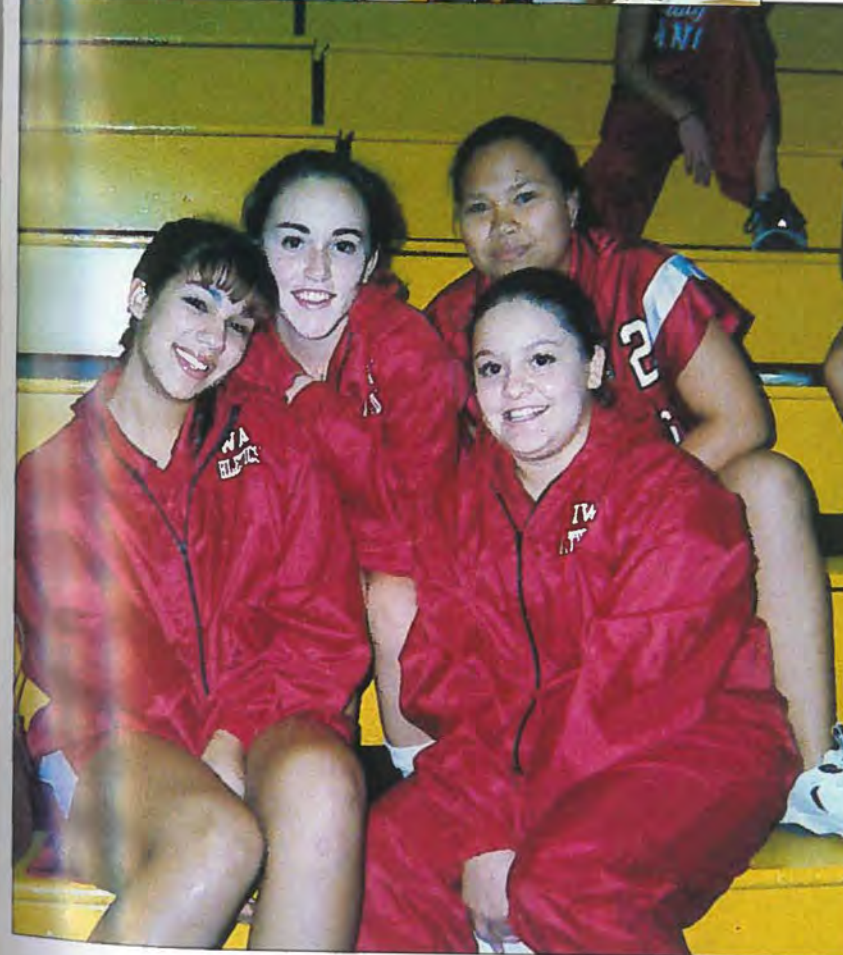
Angels candid camera in Action



Above, Sarah Narvaez, Jessie Jackson and Bridget Costello pose for a pic before a game. Right, David Bayardo and Giorgio Suarez get into the Homecoming pep rally. Rosanna Puente and Ryan Brister watch the dance floor at Homecoming.

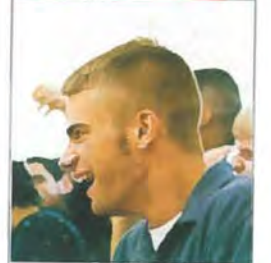


Above, Loren Laich-Rock and Katie Stanley pose for a picture at the Homecoming dance. Right, the seniors at the Homecoming pep rally welcome Clinton Clark to the court when his name is announced.



It's About Time

Seniors 2003



senior spirit

Right, Seniors Raul Trevino and Veronica Medina wait before going on Angel TV to make announcements. Below, Senior Giorgio Suarez participates in the first pep rally.



Left, Senior Mariangel Martinez shows her support for the soccer team.



Senior spirit means representing the school with an attitude that is both appropriate and upbeat; it also means showing school spirit by participating in all the school spirited events. - Senior Sacha Winkler

and upbeat; it also means showing school

Right, Senior girls Sara McIntire, Nicole Sears, Lacey Floerke, Trista Martinez and Alex Martinez take a break while helping out with registration at the beginning of the school year.



Left, Dorothy Pena sports some very spirited clothing. Above, Seniors Amy Holden and Amy Potter use the library during class.



Left, Seniors Vanessa Narvaez, Cristina Juarez, Sacha Winkler, Jessica Smith, Dorothy Pena and Jessica Jackson take a break in the courtyard.

attitude

What's the best thing about being a senior?

"Having off-campus lunch"
Trista Martinez

"Not eating in the cafeteria and getting to go wherever we want."
Dustin Sartoris

Where do you see yourself in 10 years?

"Married and making \$90,000 a year man!"
Jamin Trice

"Working in a hospital as a doctor and or flying a jet."

Robert Delgado



Jenny Aguirre
"But Daddy, I love him! It's like, UMFA...all the taum."



Ken Aoshima
"My appendix is on fire and I don't have any tortilla chips."



Arthur Barnes



David Bayardo



Dan Cuellar
"If you try to fail and succeed, which have you done?"



Paul De La Rosa



Robert Delgado
"Miracles do happen and I'm living proof."



Dana Deline
"I do nothing calmly, life should be lived passionately and with full intensity."
Anonymous



Adrianne Dobbins



Abe Benavides
"Reputation is valuable; but character is priceless."



Neepa Bhakta
"If you can't convince them, confuse them."



Christy Campbell



Monica Castaneda
"Good, better, best, never let it rest until your good is better than your best."



Michael Dominguez



Eric Dragon



Clarissa Esparza
"There are no shortcuts to any place worth going."



John Espitia
"The most wasted of all days are those without laughter."
-e.e. Cummings



Noelle Fernandez
"Don't let the fear of time it will take to accomplish something stand in the way of your doing it."
-Earl Nightingale



Sarah Castillo
"Love like you've never been hurt, live like there's no tomorrow, and dance like no one's watching."



Clinton Clark
"In competition, individual ambition is for the common good. Set a higher standard."



Richard Colley



Brett Colwell
"Leave nothing for the devil."





Teacher's Pets
Abbey Laudadio & Ben Nye



Most Athletic
Jessica Jackson & Ryan Williams



Best Sense of Humor
Christie Hoover & John Espitia



Most Outgoing
Monica Castaneda & Sacha Winkler



Most Popular
Sara Mc Intire & Ken Aoshima



Best Personality
Nicole Sears & Nathan Kelley



Most Talented
Dorothy Pena & Artie Barnes



Best Smile
Trista Martinez & Nick Kollaja



Most Likely to Succeed
Jessica Smith & John La Rue

senior favorites



Best Leader
Crystal Mirabal & Danny Quintero



Most Shy
Bayly Montez & Paul De La Rosa



Best Looking
Tamara Valdez & Chris Montgomery



Best Physique
Clarissa Esparza & Giorgio Suarez



Most Friendly
Alex Martinez & Gabe Hinojosa



Most Spirited
Lacey Floerke & David Bayardo



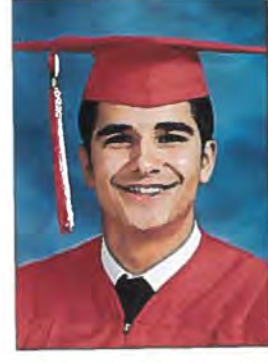
Lacey Floerke
"It takes a minute to find a special person, an hour to appreciate them, a day to love them, but an entire life to forget them."



Jose Flores
"Be respectful to everyone, so that they can respect you too."



Charles Garcia



Andres Gutierrez



Erasmo Guzman
"Got Boost."



Christina Juarez
"When people think you're dying they really listen, instead of just waiting for their turn to speak"
-Fight Club



Nathan Kelley
"Man who fly upside down have crack up."



Sarah Kim
"If you don't stand up to something, then you're bound to fall for anything."



Raymond King



Matthew Heil



Gabriel Hinojosa
"If someone tells you there is cheese on the moon, think about it before you grab your crackers and go up there with them"



Amy Holden
"Music is the key to a person's heart."



Christie Hoover
"I always knew I would look back on the things I cried about and laugh, but I never thought I would look back on the things I laughed about and cry"



Jessica Jackson
"No one ever said it would be easy, only that it would be worth it."



Nicholas Kollaja



Loren Laich-Rock
"I have no clue!"



John LaRue
"History will be kind to me, for I intend to write it."
-Winston Churchill



Abbey Laudadio
"Philippians 4:13 for pete's sake."
-Jan Karon



Lori Leal



Helen Lian
"Never frown because you never know if someone's falling in love with your smile."



Monica Mariani
"Write it on your heart that every day is the best day of the year."
-Ralph Waldo Emerson



Alexandria Martinez
"Don't sweat the small stuff...and everything's small."

senior

attitude

Have you changed your college choice since freshman year?

"I changed from St. Mary's to Trinity in San Antonio."
Kerry Messer

"I wanted to go to NYU really bad but now I realized that staying in Texas is more my style. I've been thinking like TCU or SMU."
Christy Campbell

No, but I am now interested in more than one college."
Jessica Jackson

Right, Seniors David Bayardo, John La Rue and Ben Nye serve at the first mass of the school year.



Above, Senior Helen Lian receives a blessing at the September 11th Mass. Right, Senior Paul de la Rosa reads the first reading at the Mass.



Senior Abe Benavides helps Sister Catherine distribute books at registration.



senior service

Left, Eagle Scouts Ben Nye, John Hayes, and Nathan Kelley proceed into the 9/11 Mass. Below, Seniors Alex Martinez and Jamin Trice help put up welcome posters for the new students.



"Not only does service look good on college applications,

but it helps prepare us for lives of helping others." - Cristina Juarez



Left, Seniors Mariangel Martinez and Daniel Cuellar accompany Sister Henri at the memorial Mass for September 11.

senior
attitude

How many violations have you received in your high school career?

"I can't count that high, dude."
Anthony Stephan

"Uh, I think 30 something...no, maybe 27."

Erasmo Guzman

Who was your favorite teacher?

"Ms. Duzich! She's the best!"
Monica Castaneda

"I have a few actually...Sr Eileen - she's great. She helped me a lot when I first got here. Sr. Marilyn too because she always believes that I can do good stuff."

Mariangel Martinez



Trista Martinez
"Yeah, well I like Texas...ain't it fine here?"
-Pat Green



Mariangel Martinez
"Senor ayudame a recordar que hoy no pasara nada que tu y yo juntos no podamos superar."



Sara McIntire
"The road goes on forever and the party never ends."



Veronica Medina
"A true friend stabs you in the front."
-Oscar Wilde



Rochelle O'Donnell
"If I can make it this far, so can you."
PAX



Sally Oelschlegel
"Il faut aller voir."



Dorothy Pena
"Emancipate yourself from mental slavery; none but ourselves can free our minds."
-Bob Marley



Katie Pigott



Elizabeth Pollard
"I would rather be hated for who I am than loved for who I am not.."



Kerry Messer
"A thing long expected takes the form of the unexpected when at last it comes."
-Mark Twain



Crystal Mirabal
"What doesn't kill only makes you stronger."



Bayly Montez
"I thought I was dreaming. This is just what I have been waiting for and I knew in my heart you would be the one to do it."



Christopher Montgomery



Amy Potter
"You may be disappointed if you fail, but you are doomed if you don't try."
-Beverly Sills



Rosanna Puente
"No! Don't let it end like this!... tell them I said something."
-Pancho Villa



Daniel Quintero
"Life is like a roll of toilet paper. The closer it gets to the end, the faster it goes."



Kathryn Reyes
"You can have anything in life you want."
- A fortune cookie



Rosana Reyes
"SARAH, look out for the fire hydrant."



Courtney Morgan
"We are all stars and we all deserve to twinkle."
-Marilyn Monroe



Vanessa Narvaez



Nicole Nelson
"Let the high times carry the low."
-Tommy



Benjamin Nye
"Until you find something worth dying for, you're not really living."





Left, Raul Trevino takes a break from his job as cameraman. Far left, Seniors Jose Flores and Chris Montgomery play an intense game of soccer.

Above, Senior Nathan Kelley runs hard in hopes of winning his cross-country meet. Clockwise, Senior Courtney Morgan gets ready for her cap and gown picture. Senior Noelle Fernandez receives communion at the 9/11 Mass. Alex Martinez works hard as a volunteer.





Dustin Sartoris
"Boycott shampoo-demand the real pool!"



Nicole Sears



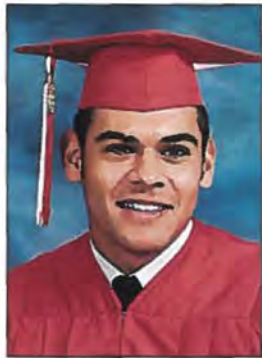
Jessica Smith



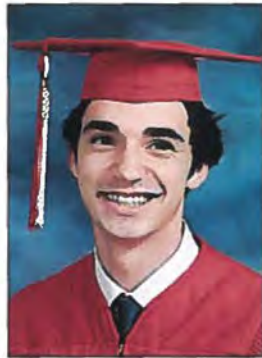
Anthony Stephan
"If you ever forget something, be sure it's your homework, not a friend."
- Tracy Briggs



Giorgio Suarez
"Obsessed is just a word the lazy use to describe the dedicated."
- GNC



Raul Trevino
"Tough situations don't build character, they reveal it."



Jamin Trice
"What new friends will the day bring? One for the one thousand acquainted."



Tamara Valdez
"If you don't stop and look around once in a while, you could miss it."
- Ferris Bueller



Ryan Williams



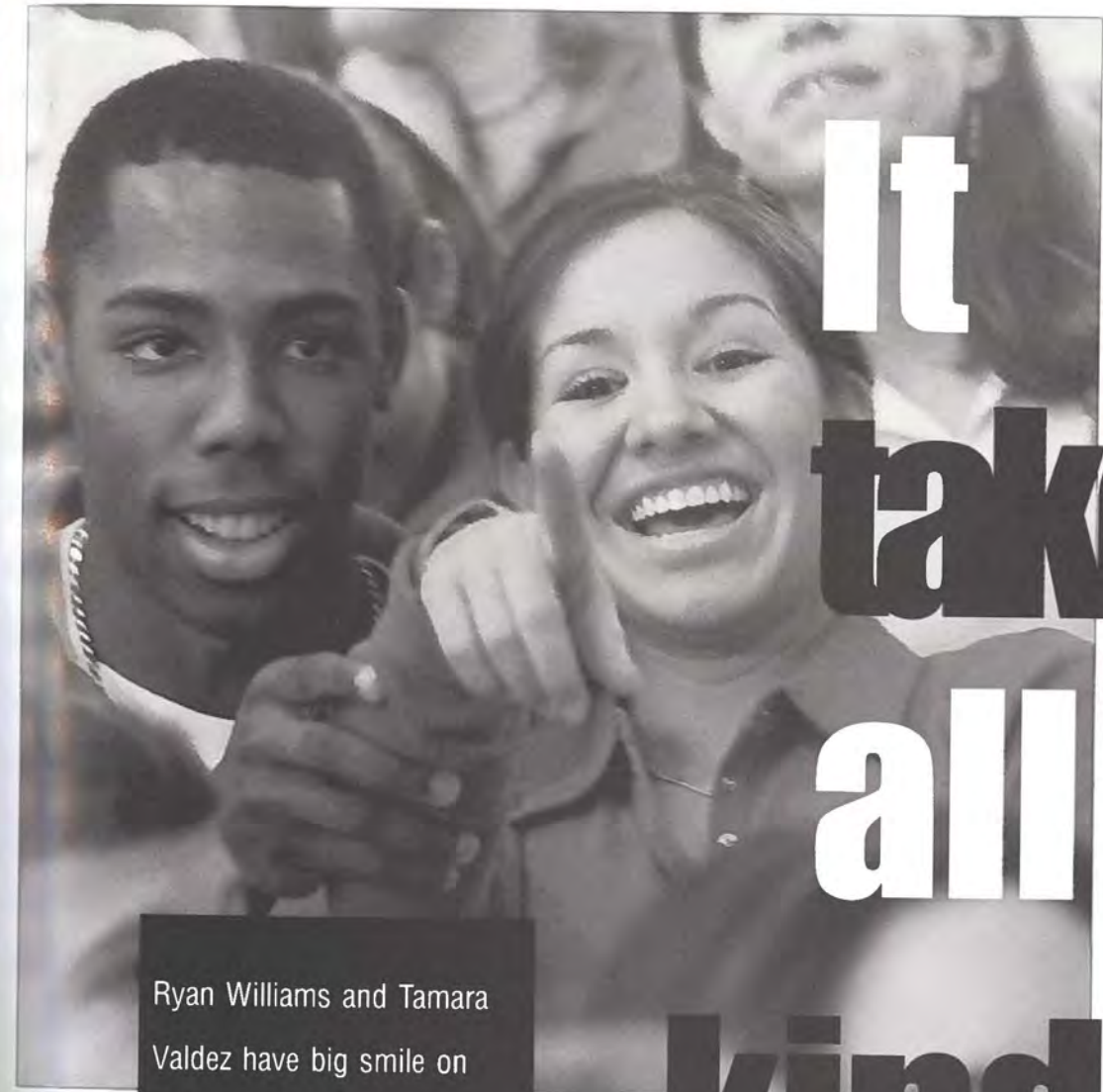
Sacha Winkler
"No, no, I want a fisher red rider carbine action 200 range model air rifle with a compass in the stock and this thing that tells time."



Heather Woods



Adrianna Ybarra



Ryan Williams and Tamara Valdez have big smile on before the schoolwide Mass. Below, Luci Fields and Bridget Costello stop for a picture at the back to school social.

It takes all kinds



Caroline Acebo
Bailey Allison
Jeremy Basaldu
Alex Boyle
Brandon Bridger
David Brister



Austin Buchan
Brandon Carlson
Cameron Corley
Bridget Costello
Hunter Crochet
Margerite DeLoney



Falgun Desai
Kevin Duerr
Ryan Duncan
Aaron Eiler
Bobbie-Rae Elizondo
Priscilla Esparza



What are your goals for the future?

To get into the college of my choice and graduate.

Alex Boyle

To live in Austin, Texas as a doctor.

Ricky Gutierrez

To finish school and start the career of my choice.

Erika Pham



Clockwise, Caroline Acebo paints the windows at the beginning of the year. The junior class enjoys the first pep rally. Gary Zacher receives a blessing at the memorial Mass for September 11.

Clockwise, from right, Erika Pham and Raymond

King take a break in between classes. Students

often flock to the library for some down time.

Ashley Kassner and Jair Garcia get caught looking at

a YM magazine. Juniors Luci Fields, Mindy Pammit

and Sarah Narvaez work together in religion class.



What's the best part of IWA?

You get your own locker.

It's a small school so you

know everyone.

Kevin Sheridan

Having all of my friends here.

Bridget Costello

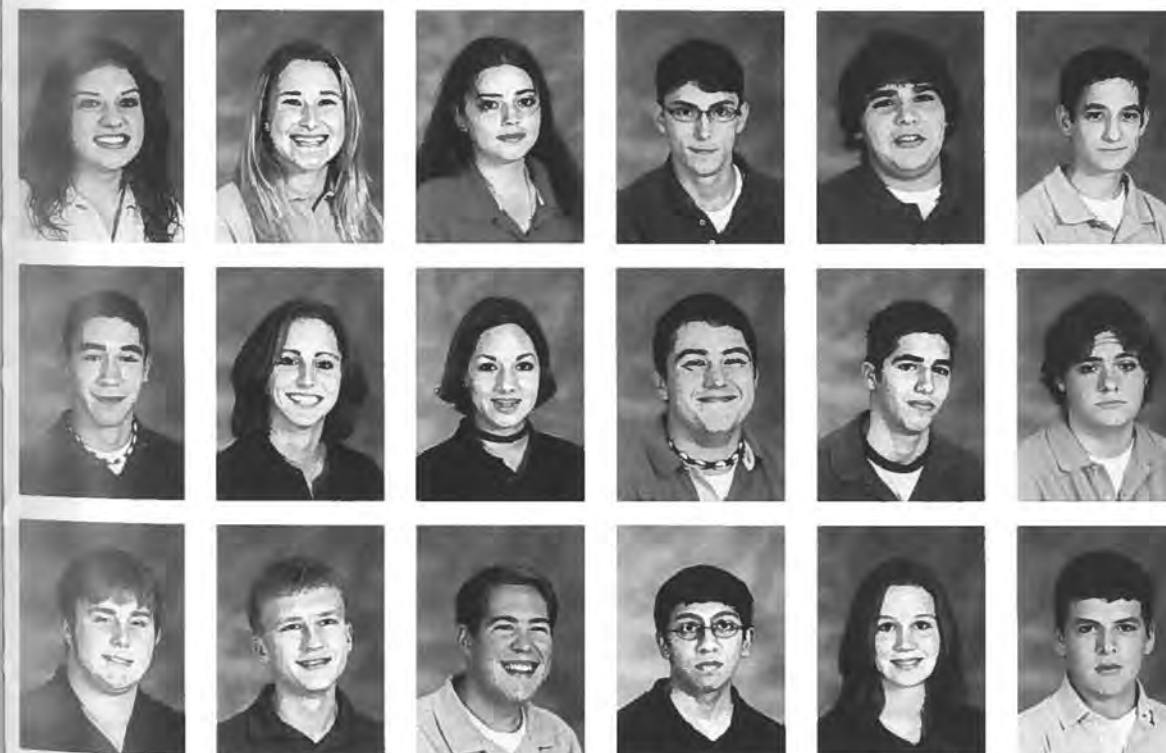
It's a small school so you

can get to know everybody.

Elisabeth Nordby



juniors



Marcy Fielder
Luci Fields
Juanita Flores
Richard Fritz
Joseph Galatzan
Jair Garcia

Michael Garcia
Erin Graham
Celina Gutierrez
Hector Gutierrez
Ricky Gutierrez
Adam Harris

John Hayes
Brandon Hoy
T.J. Hunter
Kaiser Imam
Ashley Kassner
Ivan Leon



Clockwise, Elisabeth Nordby and Emily Turner show their spirit at the Homecoming pep rally. Richard Fritz proudly shows off his Scooby-Doo pinata. Mindy Pammit and Ben Montgomery enjoy the King game for Homecoming.



What do you think the world will be like in 50 years?

High tech stuff, and a bunch of war.

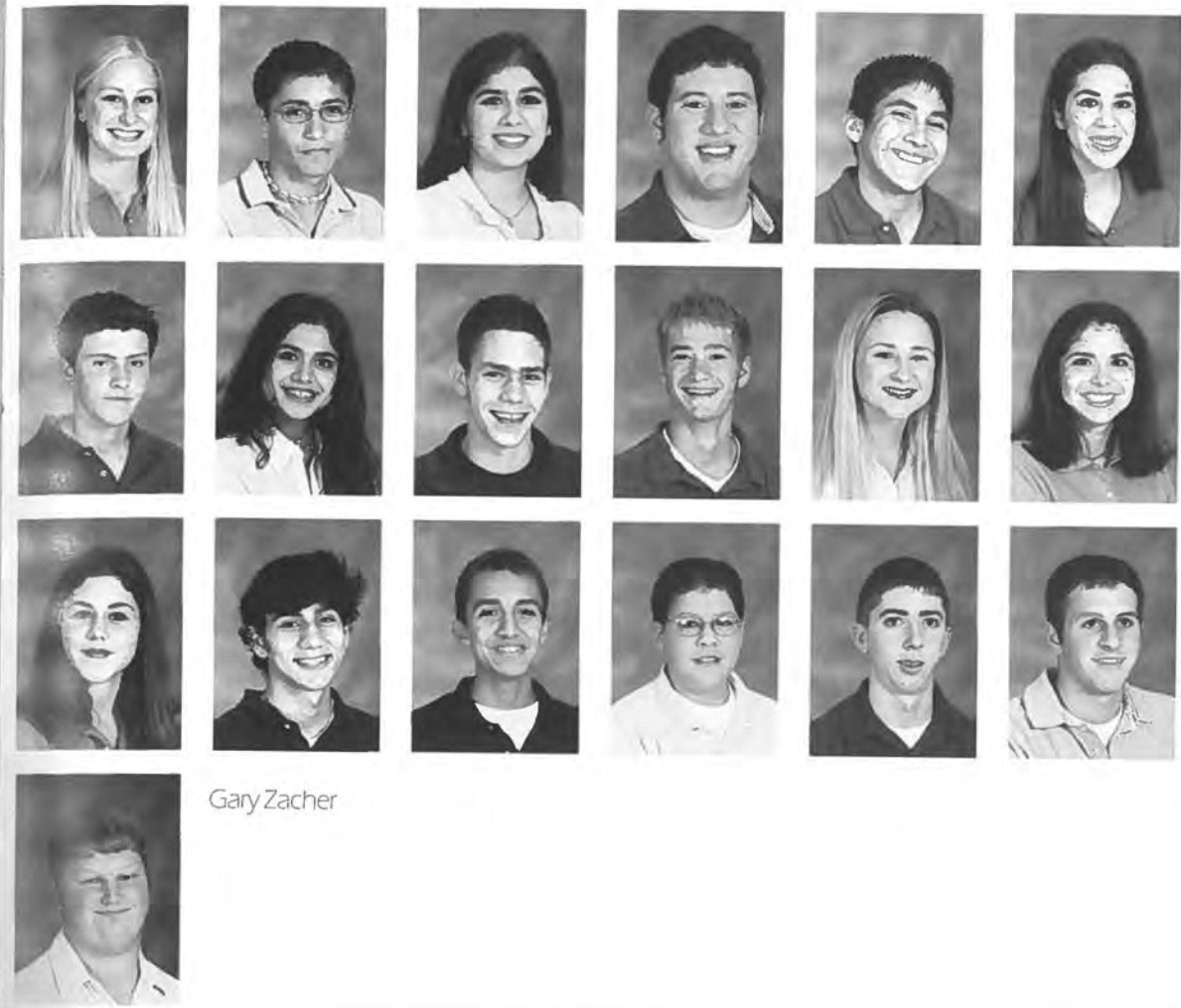
Kevin Duerr

We probably won't be here.

Michael Walker

Everything will be based on computer technology and if that doesn't happen apes are going to take over.

Austin Buchan



Anne Rabalais
Sean Rocha
Christina Saenz
Samson Salas
Joseph Salinas
Sara Salinas

Noah Seger
Sadiya Shamin
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Kevin Sheridan
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Emily Turner
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Larry Vargas
Juanpablo Villagomez
Micheal Walker
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Gary Zacher

juniors

Elisa Lopez
Katherine Lynch
Alonso Mackrizz
Masomeh Mahzoon
Jose Maldonado
Courtney McCormick



Jeremy McGuire
Erin Merkl
Christina Mondragon
Ben Montgomery
Sarah Narvaez
Elena Nevel

Elisabeth Nordby
Mindy Pammit
Marie Perez
Victoria Perez
Erika Pham
Sarah Quick



Left, Sarah Smith and Priscilla Esparza find a chuckle in the hallway in between classes. Above, Larry Vargas, Ryan Brister, Ricky Gutierrez and Celina Gutierrez show up to show their spirit at the Homecoming game at King High School.

Lauren Babar
Evan Benavides
Gilda Bobele
Kayla Burrow
Jillian Byrne
Adrian Cantu



Sarah Cantu
Elizabeth Colley
Andrew Daehne
Mathew Dennis
Elizabeth Dill
Kassandra Duffy



Laura Echeverry
David Eicher
Analicia Fernandez
Mark Fossum
Justin Garcia
Mathew Garza



Where do you see yourself in 20 years?

I see myself as a psychiatrist, married with two kids.

Gilda Bobele

Probably in an office in a sky scraper in Europe with a dark wooden desk, drinking a cup of coffee.

Andrew Daehne



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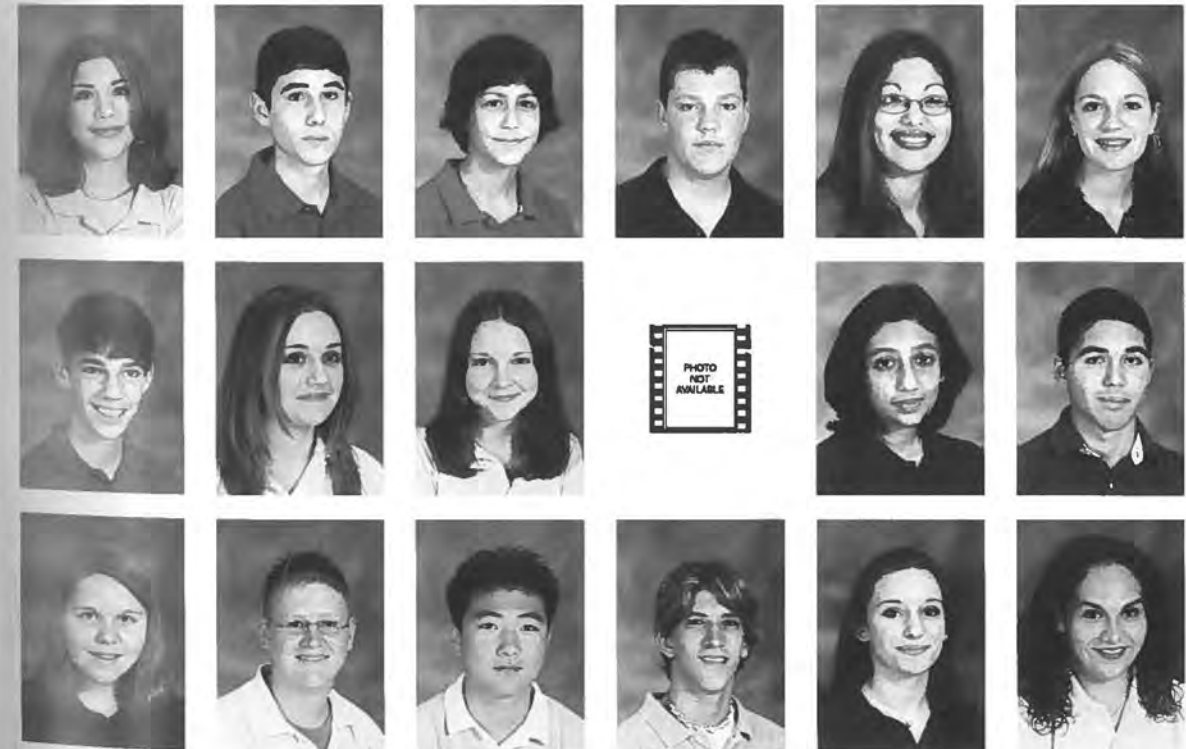
Angel O' Donnell

Get into UT.

Maya Salinas.

To be a medical school graduate.

Zack Narvaez



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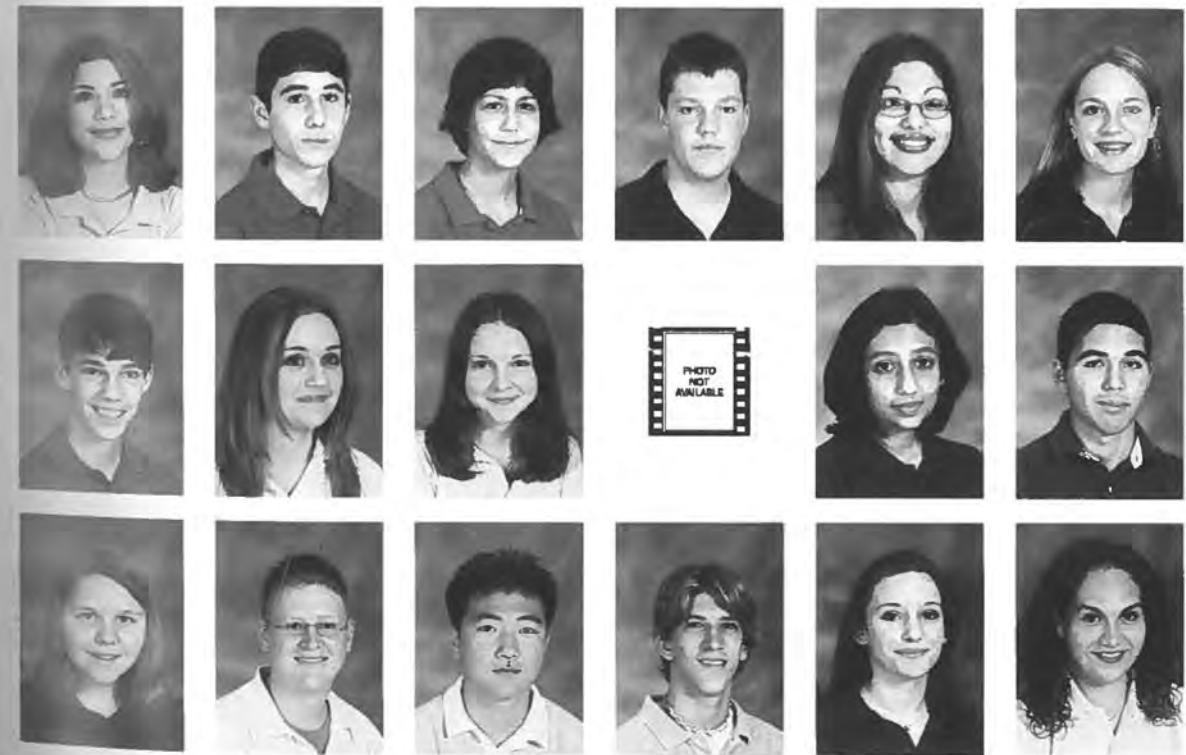
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 Eric Busker
 Katrina Co
 Vaibhav Desai



Alonso Garcia
 Rebecca Gilpin
 Audrey Guinn
 Susanna Guzman
 Christina Hoffman
 Holden Hoy



Patrick Hynes
 Robert Jakubowski
 Kavir Jiva
 Amanda Kumer
 Erik Lira
 Jacob Meador



Clockwise, from right, Christina Hoffman and Mark Perez enjoy the freshman retreat in September. Jake Montez gets pensive during the September 11th Memorial Mass. Audrey Guinn sits with the freshmen while English teacher Susan Edwards looks on and takes a roll.



What is the biggest change from middle school to high school?

The work is a lot harder.
 Josh Wanek

Harder classes but better uniforms.
 Amanda Bertuzzi

Being at the bottom of the chain again.
 Audrey Guinn

What are your goals?

I want to be successful and I want to be a radiologist.
 Robert Jakubowski

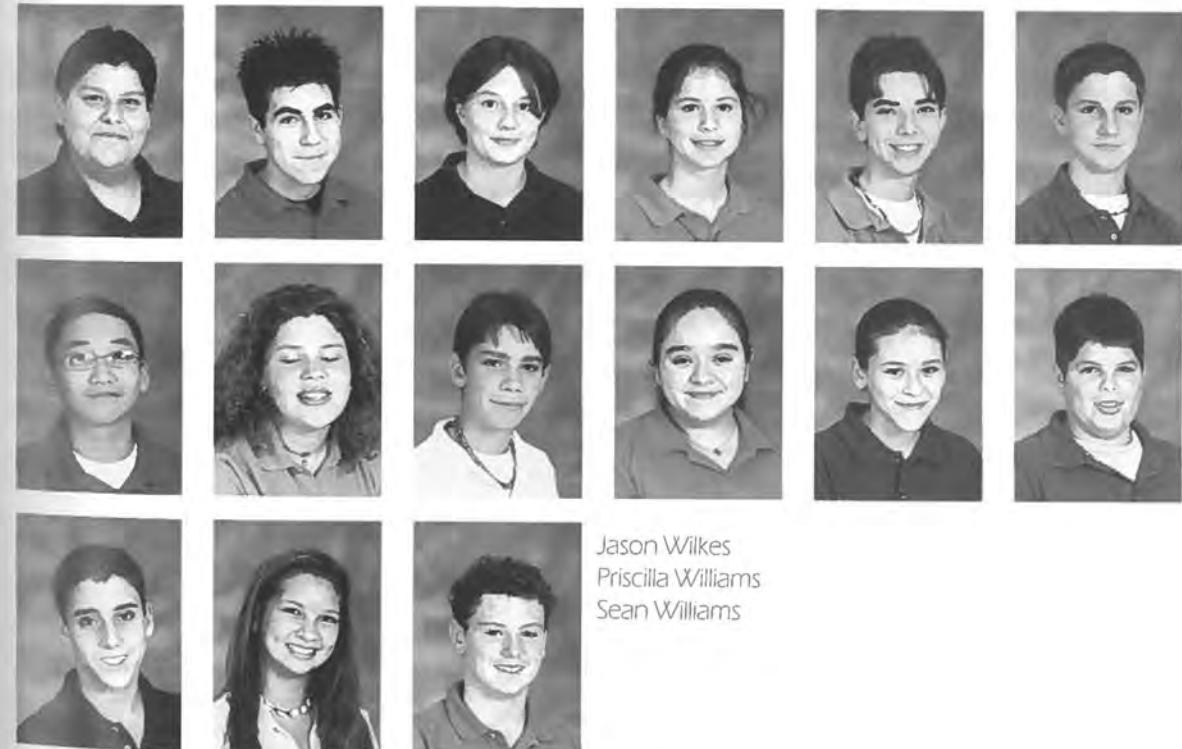
I want to graduate from A&M College Station.
 Kevin Pesek

To become an astronaut and go to the Air Force Academy.
 Priscilla Williams



Clockwise, Josh Wanek participates in the pep rally pi e eating contest. Amanda Bertuzzi, Jennifer Trevino and Susanna Guzman show their spirit at the Homecoming game. Drew Shea presents his project in a social studies class.

freshmen



Jose Miranda
 Jake Montez
 Stephanie Muhr
 Caroline Nye
 Mark Perez
 Kevin Pesek

Joseph Pham
 Sarah Saenz
 Andrew Shea
 Krystle Talamantes
 Jennifer Trevino
 Josh Wanek

Jason Wilkes
 Priscilla Williams
 Sean Williams

Sr. Henri Amador
 Sr. Catherine Brehony
 Sr. Pat Burns
 Margie Carreno
 Sue Coleman
 Jennifer Davis



Ana Davis
 Sr. Eileen Doherty
 Darren Dreyer
 Colleen Duzich
 Susan Edwards
 MaryEsther Espinosa



Kathleen Fowler
 Renaldo Garcia
 Joseph Heiple
 Sr. Lou Ella Hickman
 Velisa Jewett
 MaryLou Loidl



What do you wish for the students of IWA?

That they will take with them what they have learned and use it in a positive way.

Sr. Marilyn Springs

That we can help them grow in their integrity and dignity and give them a desire to share their gifts with other people.

Sr. Eileen



Clockwise, Sister Martha works with students to get ready for the new school year. Margie Carreno visits with the faculty.

faculty

Clockwise, from right, Sister Eileen Doherty carries in a symbolic candle at the 9/11 Mass. Coach Darren Dreyer works with Coach Gator Garcia getting athletes ready for the new year. Band director Jessie Pena performs on his saxophone at the 9/11 Mass.



What's the best part of IWA?

The students.

Sr. Pat

The environment is small enough that we know the students and teachers well and we have a sense of family.

Mr. Perrone

The atmosphere of caring and learning.

Ms. Davis



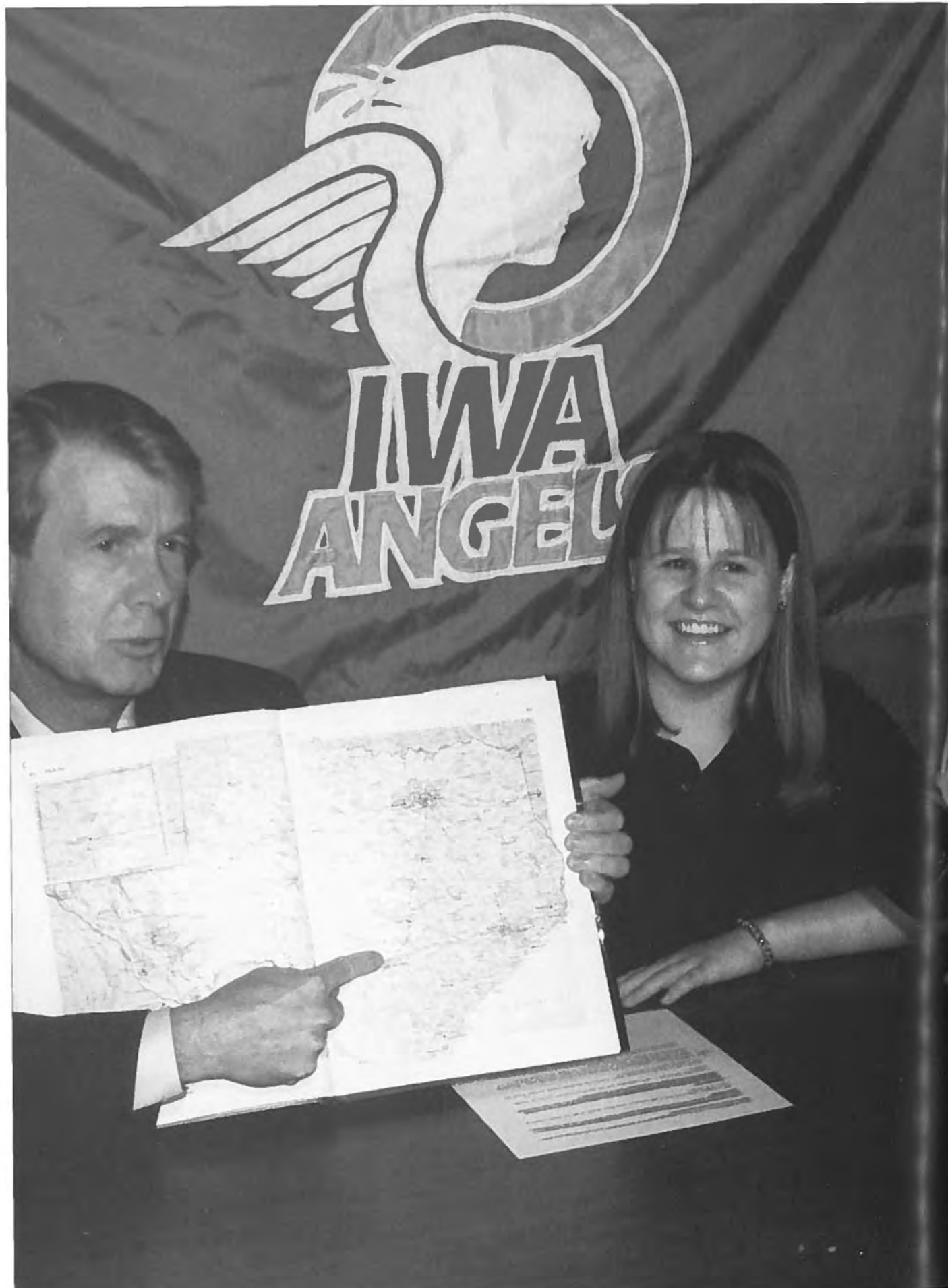
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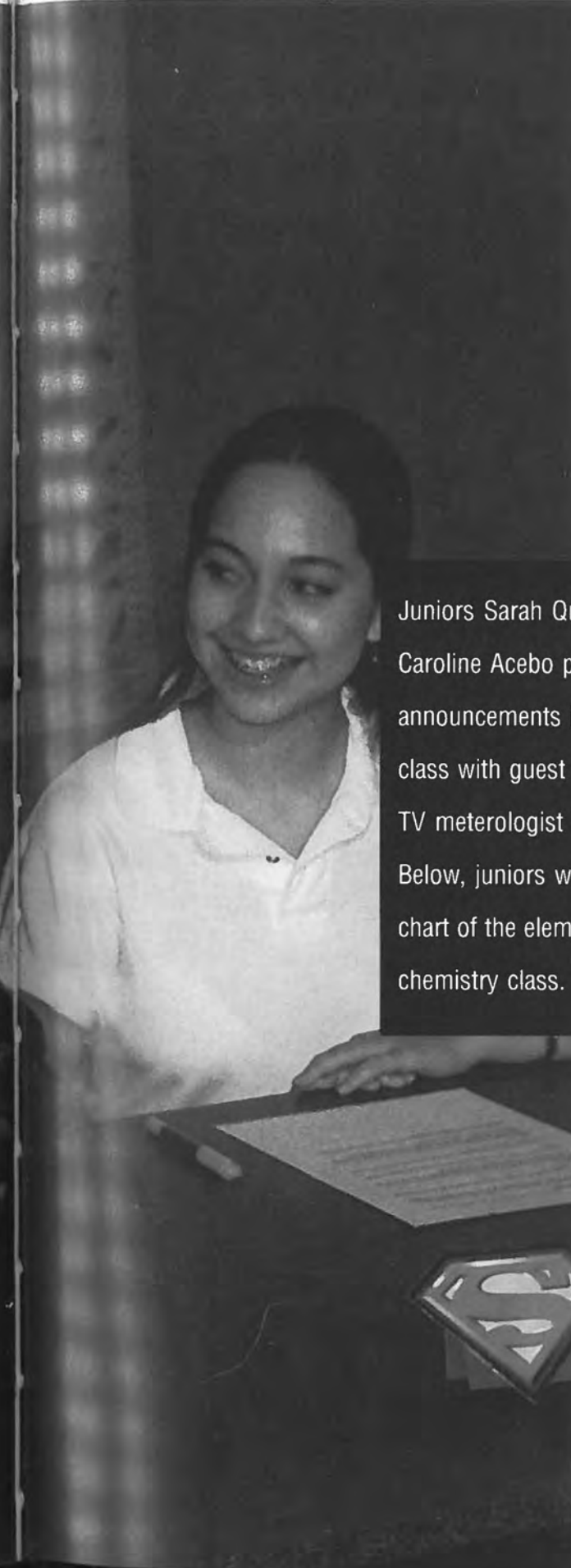


Sr. Marilyn Springs
 Monsignor Alvin Tengler
 Sandra Trevino
 Don Woods



It's harder than it looks

Juniors Sarah Quick and Caroline Acebo prepare for announcements in Speech class with guest host KIII-TV meteorologist Bill Vessey. Below, juniors work on a chart of the element for chemistry class.





Right, A.J.Garcia enjoys his English class. Above, Mark Perez works diligently to complete his assignment during English class.



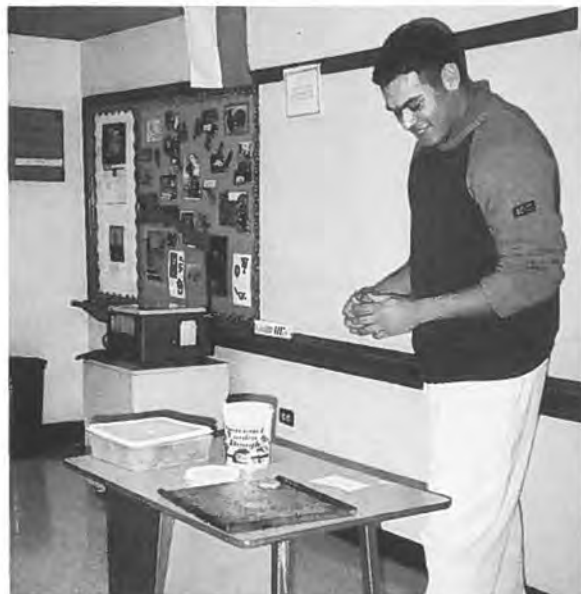
Left, English teacher Susan Edwards instructs her freshman during class. Right, Paula Juplo shows how to make ice cream sundaes as a demonstration speech during her speech class. Speech students were required to present a demonstration speech for a test grade.



Students at IWA benefit greatly from a diversified English curriculum which includes courses focusing on genre study, American Literature, British Literature and World Literature. This year, the English department also added an elective course, Literary Genre which opened up a broader study of multicultural literature from a wide variety of genres.

Additionally, the speech classes looked to improve upon students' public speaking abilities by not only working on formal speeches in class, but also by presenting the afternoon announcements prior to Channel One.

language arts putting it into words



Opposite page, far left, Sara McIntire works with Jamin Trice on presenting the afternoon announcements. Opposite page, far right, Raul Trevino instructs the class on how to make cookies. This page, left, Sara McIntire, Caroline Acebo, Abe Benavides, Sara Quick and Paula Juplo prepare for Abe's process speech on how to bake a cake.



math adding it up

It's difficult to ignore the strength of IWA's math department with years of experience and countless awards under its belt.

The math courses offered at IWA this year include algebra I and II, geometry, pre-calculus, and calculus.

Sister Catherine Brehony has been a math instructor here for many years and enjoys the challenge of teaching high school students. "I enjoy teaching both algebra II and calculus as long as the students are motivated and want to learn, and most of the students are motivated," says Sister Catherine.

All Incarnate Word Academy students are required to complete three math courses in order to graduate.

Students have different opinions about the type of math that they like best. Junior Elisabeth Nordby says, "I liked geometry the best because it was the easiest for me to understand."

Left, Junior Ryan Duncan works on his geometry assignment over lines of symmetry. Opposite page, far left, Mrs. Rossi works with Senior Adrianne Dobbins and Adriana Ybarra on a problem. Opposite page, far right, Sophomore Jillian Byrne works on her geometry assignment.

Right, Sophomores Christian Swanson and Eleanor Seger work together in Miss Espinosa's math class. Below, Freshman Priscilla Williams and A.J. Garcia discuss their math assignment.



Left, Sophomore Angel O'Donnell and Caroline Nye complete an assignment during class. Right, Sophomores Stephanie Sweat and Kayla Burrow work diligently on their assignment.





Left, Mrs. Duzich's class shows off their cells made from various elements including jello and fruit. Right, Buddy Bauer shows off his town also completed in Mrs. Duzich's class.



Left, Kevin Pesek and 'Robert Jakobowski show off their cells during Biology class. Above, Science teachers Sandra Quintero, Colleen Duzich and Ray Perrone.

Junior Brandon Hoy demonstrates his scientific knowledge during the Open House in January as Seniors Sally Oelshlegel and Dan Cuellar demonstrate other skills in the background.



IWA prides itself on having a strong science department offering courses in chemistry, biology, and physics. Scientific study at IWA isn't just limited to the classroom, but reaches beyond the textbook study to include hands-on labs as well as academic competition.

Below, Junior Shadiya Shamim works on a titration process during the science departments demonstration at January's IWA Open House. The science department had several demonstrations going on, including, lower right, Danny Quintero working alongside Physics teacher Ray Perrone.

science it's all in the mix





Right, Sister Judith Marie Saenz works with a group during religion class.

Above, Ryan Brister and Brandon Carlson argue playfully in Sister Judith's class.



Left, Sister Henri and Seniors Daniel Cuellar, Dorothy Pena and David Bayardo practice music for the school-wide music. Right, Senior Alex Martinez and Coach Darren Dreyer wait to take up the gifts during the 9/11 Memorial Mass.



One reason IWA stands out from public schools is that students have a chance to learn about religion.

As freshmen, the students focus on the learning of religious history - the beginning of religion and how it is formed.

Sophomores' insights are developed in their morals and their beliefs and how to live righteously.

Juniors have the chance to learn and be familiar with the different religions of the world, helping the students to understand the world around them.

Seniors focus on the learning of justice and peace.

Religion gives students understanding of the world and insight into their own lives.

religion gaining insight into life



Opposite page, far left, Junior Mindy Pammit receives Holy Communion at the school-wide Mass. Opposite page, far right, Junior Ben Montgomery reads at the school-wide Mass for Our Lady of Guadalupe. This page, left, Marcy Fielder, Austin Buchan and Danny Shea start their poster for Sister Judith's class.

Right, Patrick Green and Zac Kelley play a rousing game of Latin "Trivia Pursuit" during the foreign language department's presentation at Open House.



foreign languages we all speak the same language

Above, Christian Saenz and Michael Walker present their Spanish project to Ms. Carreño's class. Foreign language classes at IWA involve not only learning and speaking the language, but also understanding the culture behind the language. Left, Anne Rabalais and Caroline Acebo also make their presentation in Spanish class.



Left, French teacher Chiara Suaret works with Junior Juanita Flores during class. Right, Christina Mondragon and Austin Buchan make their presentation to Spanish class.



Left, Ms. Carreño's Spanish class listens to presentations. Below, Gary Zacher and Ken Aoshima address questions from the class during their Spanish presentation.





Left, Senior Charlie Garcia contemplates his next art project. Right, Junior Brandon Carlson studies for his test in art. Students in art class not only created projects for display but were also responsible for tests over more technical materials.



Left, Freshmen Sean Williams and Christina Hoffman work on their clay projects in class. Above, Senior Danny Quintero works on his mobster sketch in art.

With a look of determination, Senior Nicole Sears works with the clay medium and molds a pot during art class. Opposite page, lower left, Freshman Sean Williams and Drew Shea begin their drawing assignment. Opposite page, lower right, Sister Marilyn Springs gives some helpful tips to Junior Hector Gutierrez on his portrait in art class.



Art these days is more than just construction paper and modeling clay. Students in the art classes at IWA are creating works that can inspire and challenge and sometimes, even provide yet another service opportunity.

Throughout the year the students work on projects that cover the different areas of art. The projects consist of painting, sculpting, carving, and drawing with different media. Every other Friday the students are tested over the material in the art book.

Students projects are not only entered into competitions throughout the year but are also utilized throughout the year for events such as the Gala in the spring.

This year, IWA also added an Art Appreciation course to the usual round of electives giving students a glimpse into the world of art and art history.

Through taking art, students can discover their art talents and be able to express them in their own way.

art making the world a beautiful place





journalism covering the school

Above, the Incarnate Word Academy journalism staff of 2002-2003. Right, Erika Pham and Raymond King work at the computers in the journalism room.



Left, Senior Trista Martinez writes captions for photos during journalism class. Daily journalism activities included caption writing and cropping.

Right, Editor Lacey Floerke, Gabe Hinojosa, Trista Martinez and Christie Hoover use some down time during class to work on Gabe's hair.



Left, Michael Garcia and Rochelle O'Donnell work on headlines for the sports section of the yearbook.

Right, Editor Lacey Floerke interviews soccer coach Marco Davani for a sports story.



Jair Garcia and David Bayardo pose for a picture at the annual choir concert in December. Every year the choir presents a Christmas concert held at the Convent chapel right before the holidays.



Incarnate Word Academy Concert Choir 2002-2003

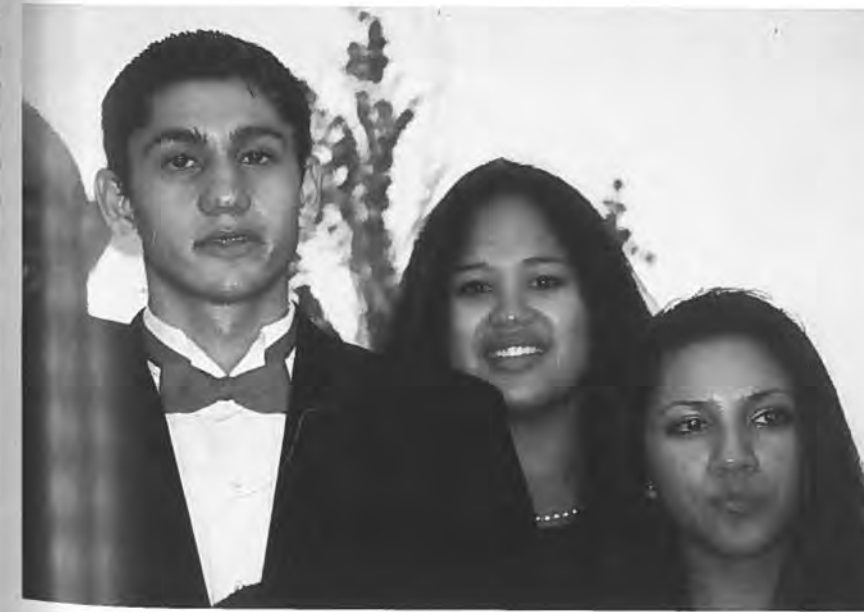


Sara Quick and Dorothy Pena both earned a chair in the State Choir competition this year after competing for district, regional and area choir. "I really want to thank Mrs. Fowler who never gave up on me when I gave up on myself," said Pena. Quick also thanked Mrs. Fowler and added, "I also want to thank IWA and Mrs. Coleman for allowing us to go the All-State Clinic."

IWA Choir making beautiful music



Left, Seniors David Bayardo and Raul Trevino lend a helping hand as the choir unloads oranges and grapefruits for their fall sale. Right, Sara Quick and Molly Hynes sing for a school wide Mass. The choir would often serve at the Masses throughout the year.



Left, John Tyson, Angel O'Donnell and Breanna Venable wait for their cue during the choir's Christmas concert. Below, John Tyson and Sam Salas perform with the choir.





IWA band the beat goes on

Above, the Incarnate Word Academy

Band of 2002-2003. Right, Jake

Montez looks up for direction as he

prepares to play his trombone.



Left, Patrick Green performs a trumpet solo during the band's annual concert.

Right, Band Director Jessie Pena plays

his saxophone alongside Senior John

LaRue during a school wide Mass. The

band was always a welcome addition to

any school function including the

Masses.



Left, Senior Giorgio Suarez gets

ready to add some percussion to

the mix during a band concert.

Right, Senior John LaRue stops for

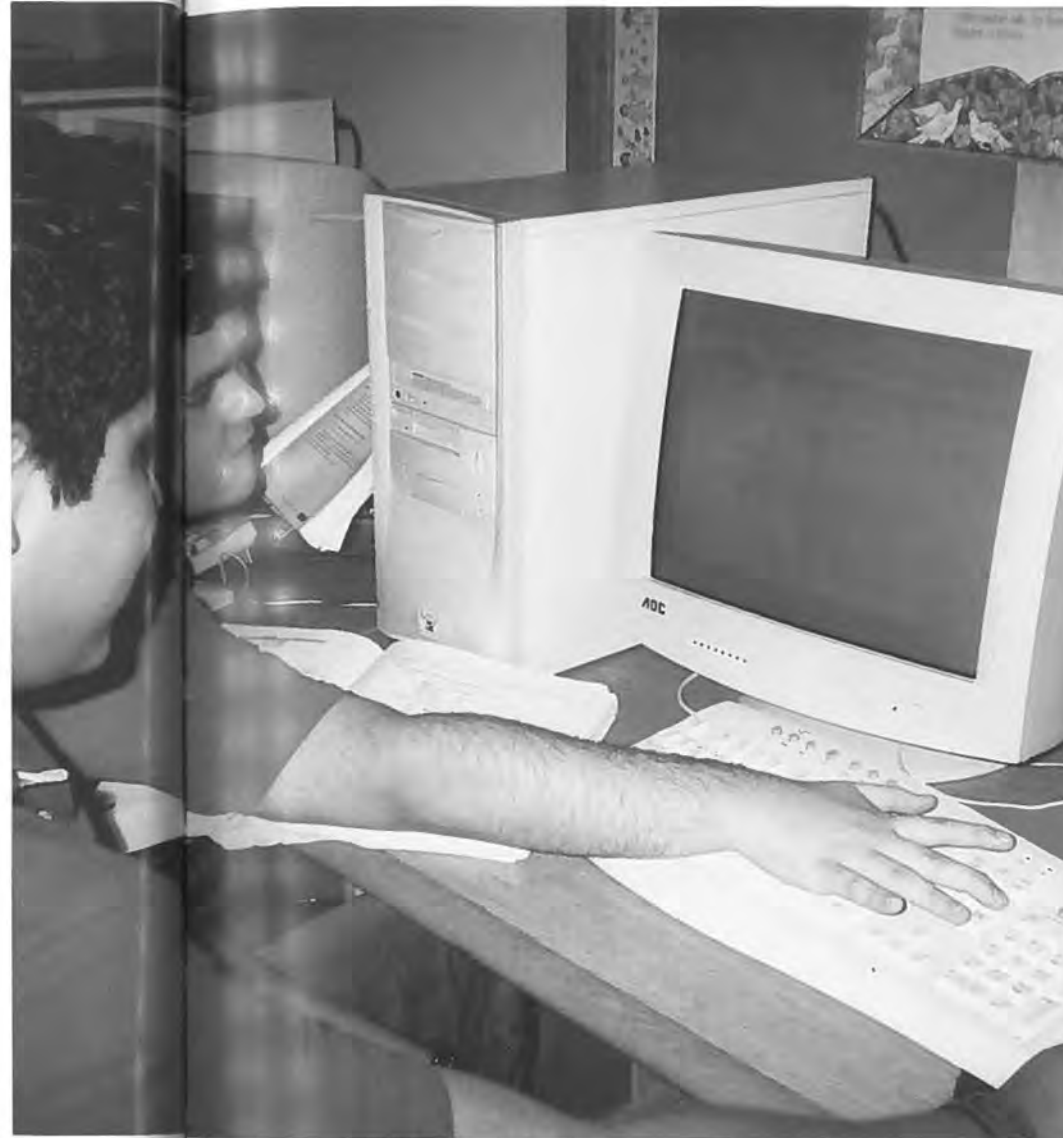
a picture during the band concert.





computer science ready for the future

It is impossible to ignore the relevance that computer knowledge has for this day and age. Computer Science is a college level computer class at our school that teaches higher level programming while BCIS focuses more on the application of computer software. Above, left, Sarah Castillo works at her computer terminal on a project for her class. Above, right, David Bayardo gets involved in his classwork in the computer lab.



Left, Abe Benavides helps Michael Dominguez finish his work in BCIS. BCIS focused on computer software applications such as Powerpoint and Excel providing students with knowledge which will prove valuable at college and beyond.

Left, John Hayes and Matthew Heil work on the internet during BCIS. Below, Sarah Castillo works on her BCIS project in Mr. Penley's class.



Left, Dustin Sartoris practices searching on the internet during BCIS. Right, Sacha Winkler takes his assignment seriously as Mr. Penley begins to check everyone's work at their monitors.



Needing to comply with Federal Courthouse etiquette, Mrs. Davis's Senior government class showed off their shoes before leaving on their field trip during the second nine weeks.



social studies we are the future learning from the past

U.S., European and World History along with economics and government courses all make up the social studies curriculum at IWA.

Certain courses are also designated as Advanced Placement which not only prepare students for college but also offer them the opportunity to prepare for the AP test and possibly earn college credit.

Social studies at IWA offer students lessons beyond those found on the pages of a history textbook. This year in particular, Texas A & M professor and political consultant Bob Bezdek visited the campus and even invited a couple of IWA students to participate in the actual election night process in November. IWA students will certainly be ready for the future in the changing world.



Left, On election night, Seniors John La Rue and Jessica Smith try to clarify a question about projections. John and Jessica were invited to aid with returns by political consultant Bob Bezdek. Right, Freshman Ashley Wang gives an oral presentation to her geography class.



Left, Mrs. Davis's AP Government and Politics class makes their annual trip to the US Courthouse. Below, Caroline Nye gives a presentation to the geography class.





A group of freshmen share a weekend of their time together cleaning the beach with the Octagon Club. Cassandra Duffy listens attentively while Emily Turner takes the minutes for a student council meeting.

It's a matter of give and take



Student Council. Learning Leadership

Clockwise, Sophomore Andrew Daehne gets ready to participate in a Student Council convention.

Caroline Nye and Senior Abbey Laudadio participate in a game during the Student Council lock in during the first semester.

Junior Luci Fields shows her enthusiasm at a Student Council retreat.



Left, Student Council members follow their president, Senior John La Rue, during a lock in.

Above, Junior Christina Mondragon mingles with other students at the Student Council retreat.

Below, IWA Student Council members 2002-2003.



Student Council Officers 2002-2003

President - Senior John La Rue

Vice-President - Senior Alex Martinez

Secretary - Junior Emily Turner

Treasurer - Junior T. J. Hunter

Chaplain - Senior Abe Benavides

Parliamentarian - Sophomore Andrew Daehne



Octagon Club

Serving the Community



Above, Sacha Winkler and Sally Oelshlegel do their part for the environment by helping clean up North Beach with Octagon Club during first semester.

Right, TJ Hunter, Jessica Smith, Sally Oelshlegel and Sacha Winkler take a break from their service work.

Below, Octagon Club 2002-2003 with their sponsor Mr. Steve Penley.



Junior Elena Nevel participates in the city's Harbor Light's Festival lending a hand with the children's activities and stopping to get her own face painted.

Octagon Club girls including Kerry Messer and Rosanna Puente stroll along the beach while helping clean up.

Below, Junior Katherine Lynch helps out with the children's activities during the Harbor Lights Festival.



Students for Life

With Prayer as Power

Clockwise, Senior Abbey Laudadio administers the ashes at the schoolwide Ash Wednesday Mass.



Senior Rochelle O'Donnell also helps administer ashes at Ash Wednesday Mass.



Sophomore Angel O'Donnell, club sponsor Sister Patricia Burns and Junior Christina Mondragon get involved in the meeting.



Left, Senior Heather Woods gets involved in the discussion during a Students for Life meeting.

Above, Junior Christina Mondragon enjoys a moment of levity during the Students for Life meeting.

Below, Students for Life members 2002-2003 with sponsor Sister Patricia Burns.



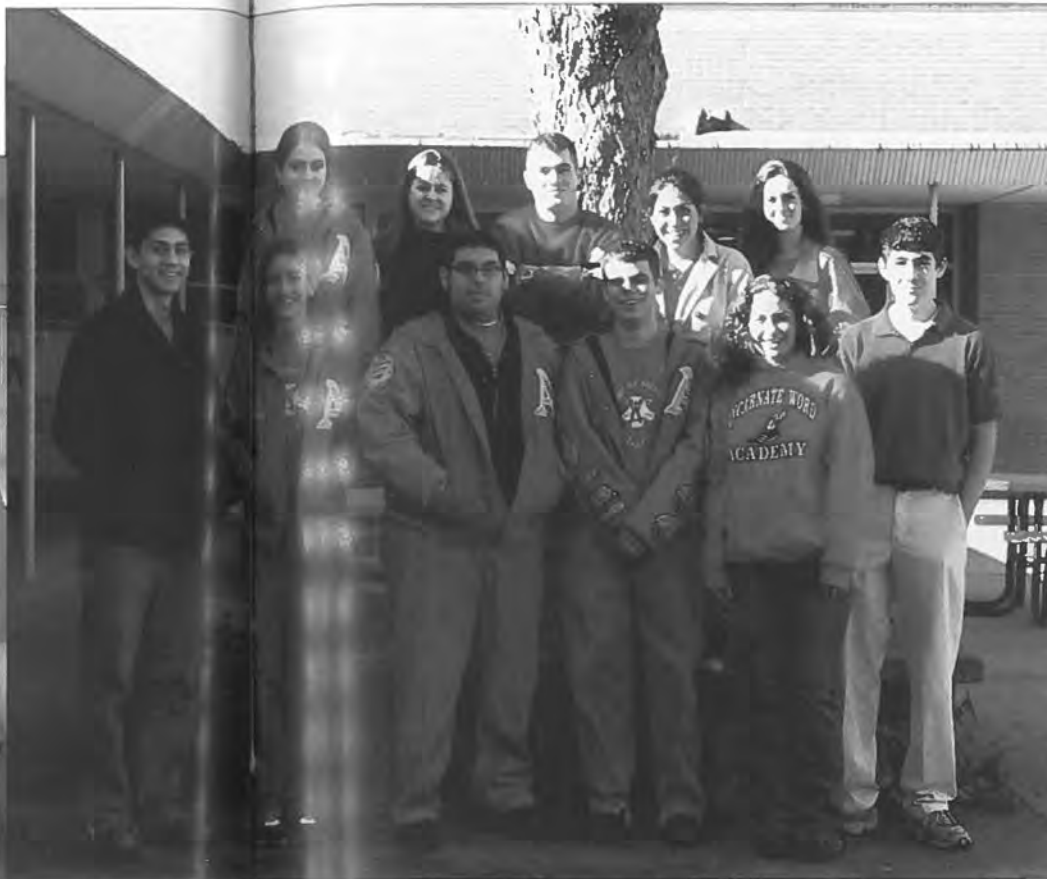
Tri - M

Hitting a High Note

Clockwise, Tri-M members John LaRue and Abbey Laudadio warm up before district choir auditions.

Junior Sarah Quick sings the Star Spangled Banner at a pep rally.

Senior Abbey Laudadio accompanies the choir on piano at the annual choir Christmas concert in the convent chapel.



Left, Tri-M members for 2002-2003.

Above, Senior Artie Barnes shows off his diversified talents playing the snare drum at the choir concert.

Left, Junior Sarah Quick and Senior Dorothy Pena added to the choir's successful year by making state choir.



Below, Junior Katherine Lynch participates in the choir's annual Christmas concert.



National Honor Society

Making the Grades



Above, Junior Kevin Duerr displays some "Irish Pride" on college shirt day sponsored by NHS.

Right, Abbey Laudadio and Jessica Smith discuss some new plans for the NHS bulletin board upstairs.

Below, NHS officers: President Jessica Smith, Vice President Dan Cuellar, Secretary Marguerite Deloney, Treasurer Kevin Duerr, Historian Abbey Laudadio.



Upper left, NHS welcomed new inductees during the Ash Wednesday schoolwide Mass.

Lower left, NHS members 2002-2003.



Science Clubs

Discovery Zone

Clockwise, Juniors Brandon Hoy and T.J. Hunter find a quiet space for more cramming the day before the Loggerhead Challenge at Texas A & M.

Juniors Anne Rabalais and Elisabeth Nordby visit the buffet of sloppy joes at the monthly Science Club meeting.

Junior Brandon Bridger enjoys his lunch at the Science Club meeting.



Left, A and B Ocean Bowl team members Andrew Daehne, Jessica Smith, Monica Mariani, Brandon Bridger, Kaiser Iman, T.J. Hunter, Sabrina Iman, Sally Oelshelgel, Noah Seger and Brandon Hoy celebrate their third annual victory.

Above, Senior Jessica Smith works alongside parent Pam Hoy preparing for Ocean Bowl.

Left, Science Club members 2002-2003.

Below, Ocean Bowl team members quiz each other during the science department's Open House presentation.



Mu Alpha Theta

It All Adds Up

Clockwise, Mu Alpha Theta officers Heather Woods, Jamin Trice, Marguerite Deloney and Anne Rabalais.

Mu Alpha Theta new inductees Ben Montgomery, Kevin Duerr, Andrew Daehne, Mindy Pammit, Analicia Fernandez and Sabrina Iman.

Mu Alpha Theta inductees are introduced and read a pledge during a school wide mass in January.



Left, Mu Alpha Theta members and Mathletes Kaiser Iman, Brandon Bridger and Brandon Hoy.

Above, Heather Woods and Jamin Trice announce the new Mu Alpha Theta inductees.

Below, Mu Alpha Theta members for 2002-2003.



Foreign Language Clubs

Learning the Language



Above, French club members Clare Kapusta, Natalie Gover and Jessica Franceschini spread some French culture during their presentation at the annual Open House.

Right, Rosanna Puente, Neepa Bhakta, Ricky Gutierrez and Elizabeth Pollard represent the Spanish Club during Open House.

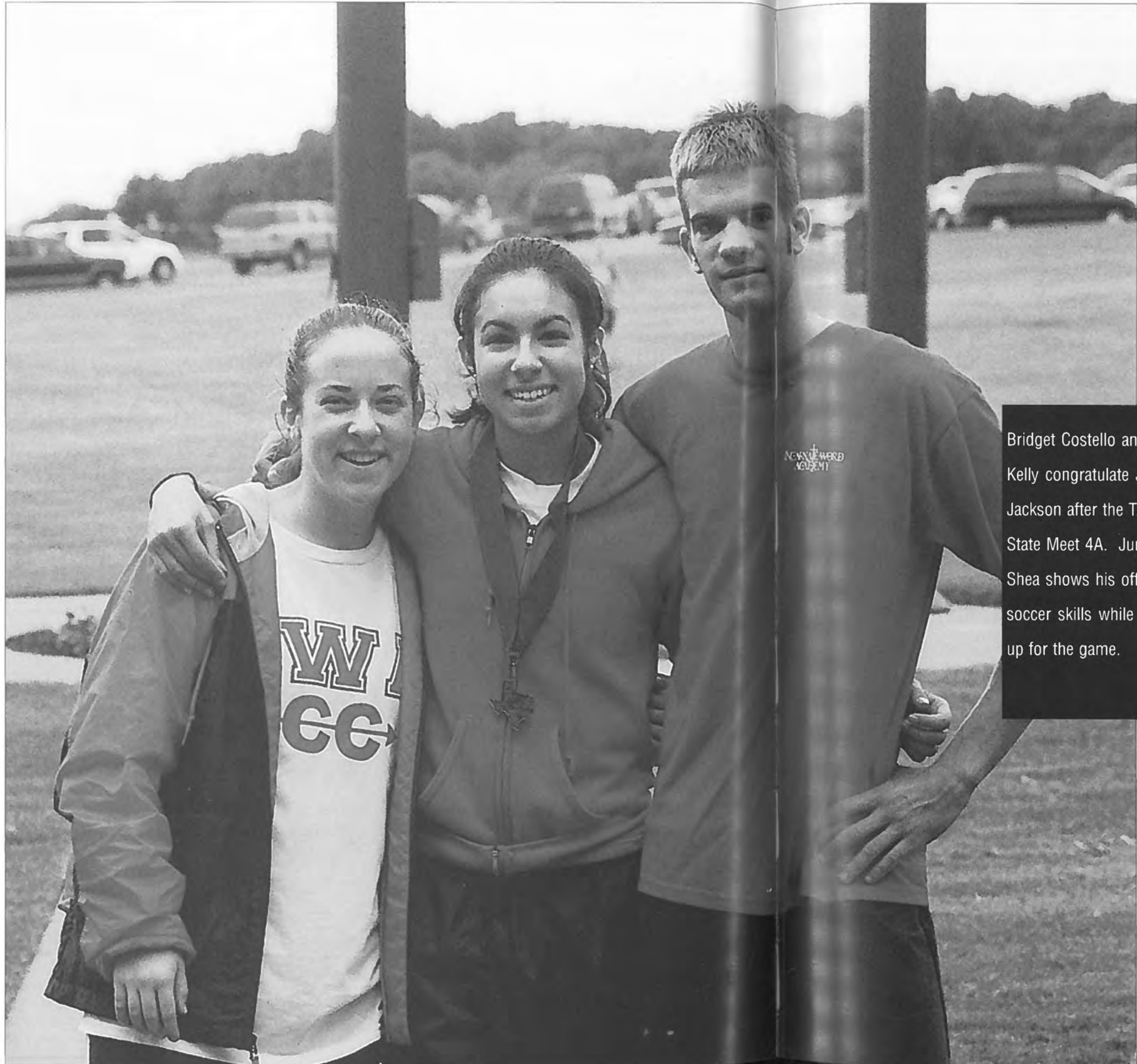
Below, German Club 2002-2003.



Upper left, Spanish Club members 2002-2003.

Lower left, French Club members 2002-2003.





Bridget Costello and Nathan Kelly congratulate Jessie Jackson after the TAPPS State Meet 4A. Junior Danny Shea shows his offense soccer skills while warming up for the game.

It's all in the game





Varsity 2003: Andres Gutierrez, Nathan Kelley, Clinton Clark, Kevin Sheridan, Ryan Brister, Jason Skrobarczyk, Michael Skrobarczyk, Ryan Williams, Ryan Kirk, John Tyson, Daniel Wanek, Joey Martinez. Right, Senior Clinton Clark looks to pass the ball during the game against King High School.



Good to the Last Shot: Boys Basketball dominates the court

Left, Ryan Williams gets past his opponent during the Homecoming game against King High School. Lower left, Senior Nathan Kelley looks for the ball to get into the game. Lower right, Ryan Kirk passes the ball.

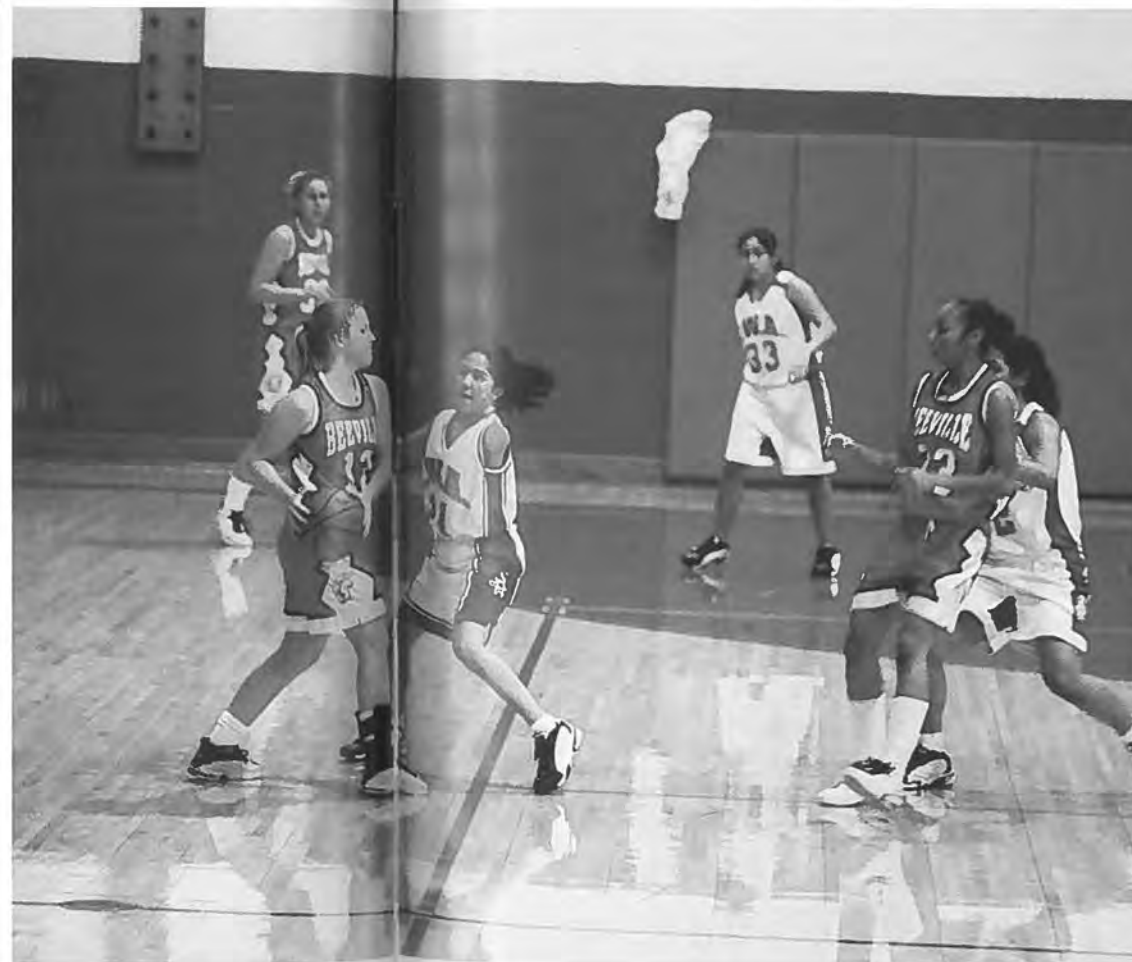
Junior Varsity 2003: Sean Williams, Joey Martinez, Jeremy McGuire, Steven Salas, Joon Kim, Michael Skrobarczyk, Jason Skrobarczyk, Ryan Kirk, Adrian Cantu, John Tamez. Freshmen 2003: Kavir Jiva, Vaibhav Desai, Sean Williams, Drew Shea, Josh Wanek, Kevin Pesek. Far right, Michael Skrobarczyk keeps King High School Junior Varsity team at bay.



Clockwise, Bridget Costello plays defense against King High School at the Homecoming game. Jessie Jackson gets direction on the court. Coach Don Woods goes over the team strategy during a time out. Sarah Narvaez shoots a free throw.



Below, Lady Angels 2002: Sarah Saenz, Caroline Nye, Katherine Lynch, Ashley Kassner, Anika Page, Elena Nevel, Christina Lopez, Sarah Cantu, Beatrice Landin, Molly Hynes, Bridget Costello, Jessie Jackson, Sarah Narvaez, Bobbie Rae Elizondo. Right, Sarah Narvaez shoots a free throw.



Lady Angels: Grace on the Court

Upper left, Bridget Costello puts on her game face. Anika Page looks to score against the opposing team. Bobbie Rae Elizondo charges in and goes for the ball in the game against Beeville.





Soccer Team 2002: John Hayes, Sacha Winkler, Ben Montgomery, Gary Zacher, Danny Shea, Ivan Leon, Kevin Sheridan, Ken Aoshima, Zach Narvaez, Zach Kelley, Jeremy Basaldu, Jose Flores, Chris Montgomery, Ricky Guitierrez, Hector Gutierrez, Drew Shea, Austin Buchan, Alonso Mackrizz, Brandon Bridger. Right, Austin Buchan shoves the competition out of the way.



Trippin' the Competitors:

Boys soccer accomplishing goals

The boys soccer team gather around Coach Sanchez during halftime. Below, left to right, Alonso stops to tie his shoe during a time out. Juanita Flores talks to soccer team member Gary Zacher on the sidelines.

Kevin Sheridan dribbles the ball as he goes towards the goal. Ken Aoshima and Jose Flores followed on the sidelines by Alonso Mackrizz are watching to stop the soccer ball. Ken Aoshima starts heading for the goal alone.



Girls Soccer: Goal of Victory

Right, Katie Pigott, Nicole Sears and Priscilla

Williams defend the goal. Lower left, Luci

Fields warms up on the field before the game.

Lower right, Dorothy Pena and Christie Hoover

fight for the ball during practice.



Above, Dorothy Pena and Alex Martinez discuss team strategy. Left, Mariangel Martinez puts on her game face.

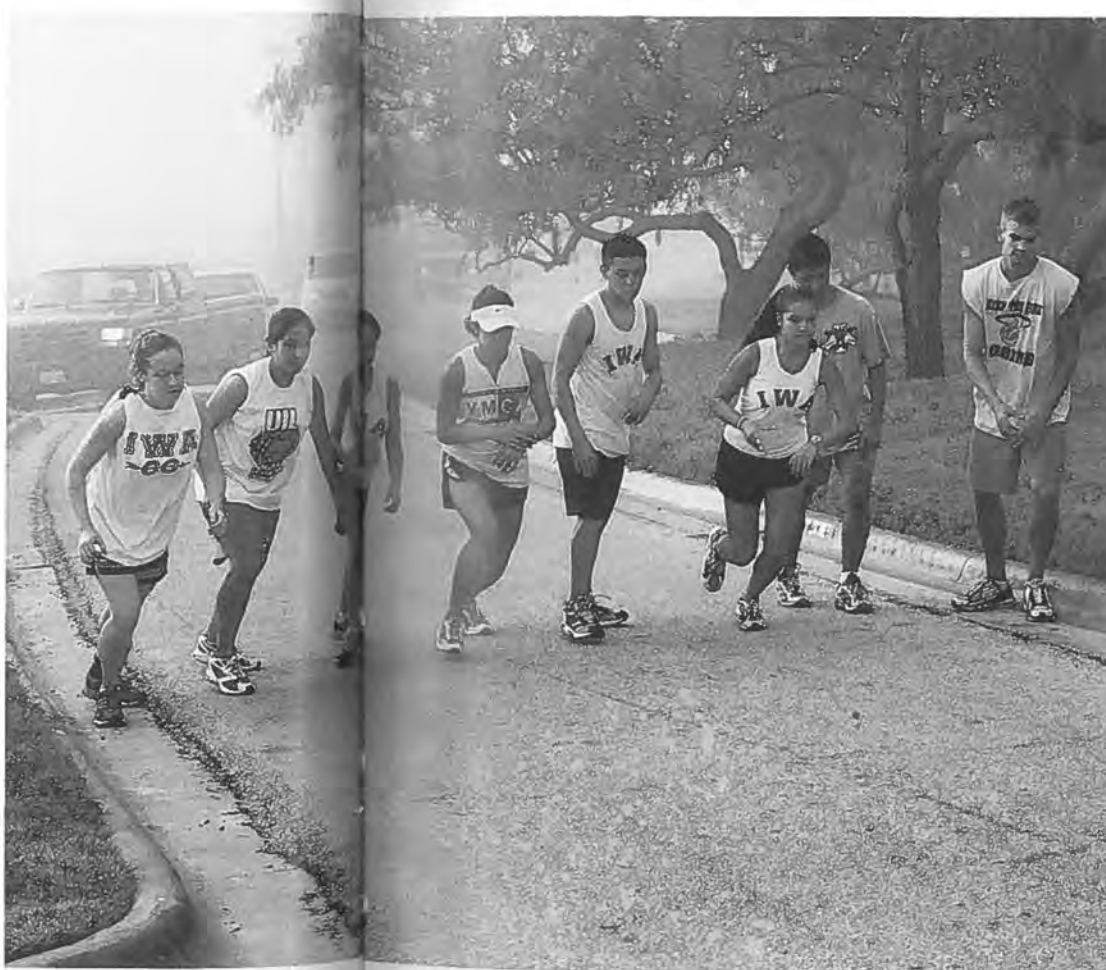


Girls Soccer Team 2002:
Mariangel Martinez, Nicole Sears, Sara McIntire, Sarah Kim, Luci Fields, Myra Salinas, Abbey Laudadio, Juanita Flores, Katie Pigott, Jeanette Rivera, Marco Davani, Priscilla Williams, Jillian Byrne, Christie Hoover, Alex Martinez, Clarissa Esparza, Marcy Fielder, Cassandra Duffy, Dorothy Pena, Eleanor Seager, Natalie Santana.

Clockwise, Jessie Jackson poses with Coach Cavazos after placing at the meet. Priscilla Williams keeps up with the other runners. Jessie Jackson blows away the competition.



Right, Nathan Kelley heads for the finish line. Below, Cross Country Team: Nathan Kelley, Sean Rocha, Drew Shea, AJ Garcia, Bridget Costello, Jessie Jackson, Priscilla Williams, Danny Shea, Bobbie Rae Elizondo, Mark Perez, Coach Rueben Cavazos.



Cross Country: Running for the Gold

Upper left, AJ Garcia, Mark Perez, Priscilla Williams, Drew Shea and Coach Cavazos take a breather between meets. Upper right, Nathan Kelley keeps up with the crowd. Left, the Cross Country team warms up and gets ready to run the distance.

Volleyball:

Setting up for the Win

Right, Lady Angels communicate out on the court before the game. Lower left, Clarissa Esparza jumps to spike the ball back over the net. Lower right, Nicole Sears sets the ball high for Mariangel Martinez to spike it over. Far right, Christina Lopez jumps and blocks the ball with Katherine Lynch waiting behind.



Varsity Volleyball Team: Coach Don Woods, Jeanette Rivera, Ashley Kassner, Anika Page, Clarissa Esparza, Nicole Sears, Coach Bob Zacher, Lori Leal, Angel O'Donnell, Mariangel Martinez, Audrey Guinn, Katherine Lynch, Gilda Bobele, Christina Lopez, Rochelle O'Donnell



Junior Varsity Volleyball Team: Coach Marilyn Springs, Elena Nevel, Katrina Co, Christina Mondragon, Sarah Saenz, Kristy Trujillo, Amanda Bertuzzi, Breanna Venable, Angel O'Donnell, Audrey Guinn, Priscilla Williams, Erin Merkl, Gilda Bobele, Analicia Fernandez



Clockwise, Cheerleaders ready for a pep rally game. Artie Barnes takes center court showing off his dance moves at the Homecoming pep rally. Chrissy Hoffman pumps up the crowd as Jeremy McGuire helps hold her up.

Cheerleaders: Keeping the Angels on Top

Upper left, Cheerleaders take the court at the first pep rally of the year. Upper right, Artie Barnes holds up Adrienne Dobbins while Cameron Corley spots her from below. Right, the cheerleaders show off their moves at the Homecoming pep rally.



Left, Helen Lian is held up high by Erasmo Guzman during the Homecoming game. Below, John Tyson, Ryan Kirk, Erasmo Guzman, Jeremy McGuire, Artie Barnes, Cameron Corley, Suzanna Guzman, Chrissy Hoffman, Priscilla Esparza, Helen Lian, Amanda Hoffman, Monica Casteneda, Tamara Valdez





Kathryn Reyes

Congratulations on reaching the end of one adventure and the beginning of the rest of your life. We are all proud of you for never giving up and for overcoming the obstacles you faced.

Continue reaching for the stars.

Love Mom, Dad, Jr & JP



Powerhouse * 2002 UCA Camp Champs * SENIORITY * Chrissy and Susanna..our FISH * Moni and Pre wrestling at practice * Get the mats out!!! * "you'll have 6 guys on the squad??"... * "Missy" * Pre and her Britney Spears dancing!! * overruled * Tamara got over her fear of heights * "There ya go" * Tamara, you got a boyfriend??..* Ben * Adrian * Mike * Dre * Dean * Artie * Larry * Andres * I'M OUT! * Amanda's little dancing * THE HOFFMAN'S * ALAMODOME GAME * "STUTTER" * last minute * hey guys, so what else are we going to get yelled at for?... * eeeww, bad air, bad air! * we trying out @UIW, Artie? * Helen's driving * HELEN, we still love you girl!!! * hey guys...who am I, who am I? * I don't do relationships * Manda and Chrissy biting everyone * 2002 Homecoming : Midnight Masquerade * so can ya'll pick me up in Robstown?? * guys, I think I'm really deaf? * diets??...NAH * yeah, I have a boyfriend...crazy, huh? * can I wear it half up?? * F-O-U-L-E * LAREDO * Kayla hates us! * surprise, surprise, we don't have practice * no Crissy, I don't have a girlfriend...LIAR! * name 10 cars quick * racing the guys * BOYS ARE DUMB! * SHUT UP * car dancing * guys, let's go eat, oh no wait, I can't! * DAYQUIL at night * hold your last motion...and GO CRAZY! * tamaya * moniqwa * are we in MEXICO? * VATO, VATO, VATO! * creepy...*is adrienne okay??*sleep over at the HOFFMANS * but its out SENIOR year???...



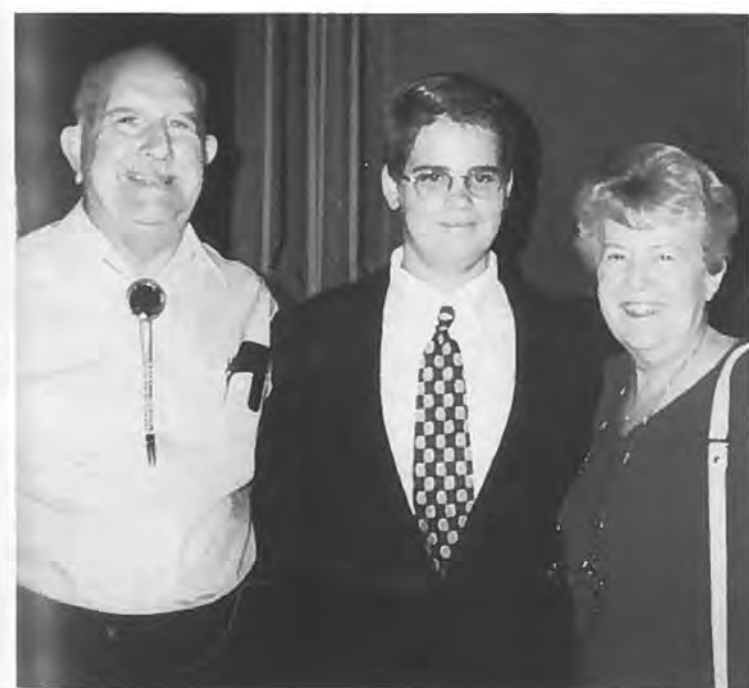


We have been blessed with a determined young man,
 For everything that is good and right he'll take a stand.
 It is hard to believe he was once our *little* boy,
 But he has always filled us with pride and joy.
 He has had to call many addresses home,
 Some had hoped he'd try for Rome,
 But 1600 Pennsylvania is the one to which he strives,
 And we think he'll get there no matter what he drives.
 His name is John Christian Bullitt LaRue
 Soon he'll be at St. Edward's U.
 When he is through with his intent,
 You may call him "Mr. President!"

Love,
 Mom
 +
 Dad



Dear John,
 Congratulations on your graduation from Incarnate Word High School. You are a hard act to follow but I appreciate the wonderful example you have set for me. I know you have helped me in many ways and I will miss you when you go to St. Ed's. We may not agree on every issue, fight for the same causes, or be interested in the same things, but I love you. Thank you for being there when no one else would and for taking my side when no one else could.
 Love, Mark Leo LaRue



Dear John,
 Knowing that the word "family" includes such a wonderful grandson is a great feeling. We enjoy being with you and always look forward to the times we get to spend together. We think about you often and just want to remind you how much you are loved. Continue to make us proud although it will never surprise us. Congratulations on your graduation from high school, just one more achievement in your continuing list. Make our reservation for the first night in the Lincoln Room.

Love, Grandmom and Dave



Life is a challenge - meet it
Life is a gift - accept it
Life is an adventure - dare it
Life is a sorrow - overcome it
Life is a tragedy - face it
Life is duty - perform it
Life is a game - play it
Life is a mystery - unfold it
Life is a song - sing it
Life is a chance - take it
Life is a beauty - praise it
Life is a struggle - fight it
Life is a goal - achieve it
Life is a puzzle - solve it

Christie Hoover



*We love you
 Mom, Dad & Clay*

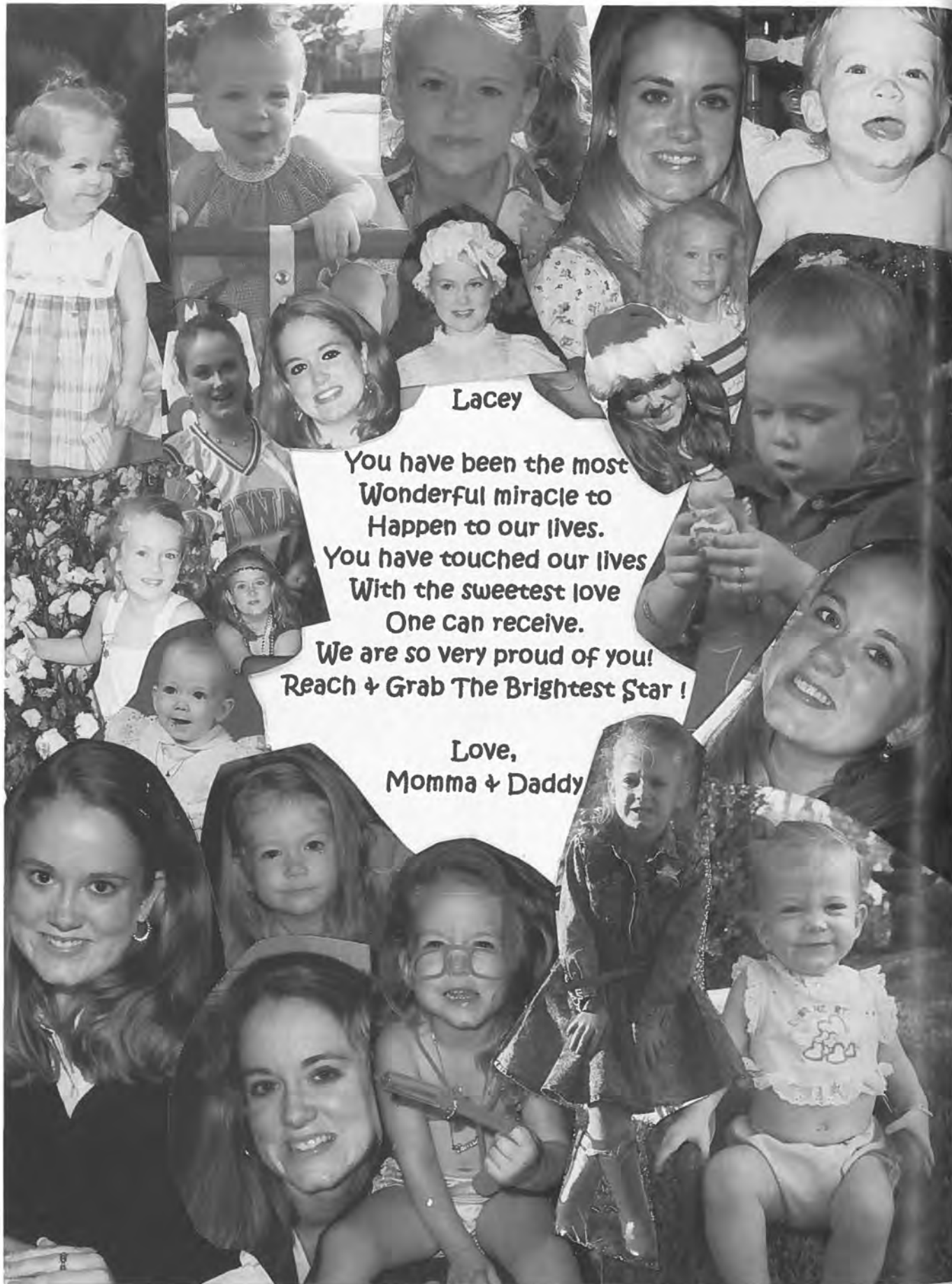


To: Sara, Trista,
 Alex, Lacey,
 Nicole, Clarissa,
 Katie, Mariangel,
 Campbell, Monica
 and Heather



True friends are those who are there for you unconditionally. Never do they question, but always offer support. Best friends are the people worth living for.

XOXO
 Hoover



Lacey

You have been the most
 Wonderful miracle to
 Happen to our lives.
 You have touched our lives
 With the sweetest love
 One can receive.
 We are so very proud of you!
 Reach & Grab The Brightest Star !

Love,
 Momma & Daddy



Monica * Kerry * Amy
 Noelle * Regina
 True friends are Born, not Made

Stop...Hault...Decease! * The Rule
 Book * SERIOUSLY? * They're
 following us! * Amy and Kerry are
 elephants * Nah..I don't believe in
 that! That doesn't exist! *
 Oooh!Look Amy, hot guy! *
 Grammar 101* PHIEFDN * Mother
 Superior * Noelle, what is on my
 head!? * Lifeguards! * Big Aloha *
 What, no hamburgers!? * I want a
 Morelli! and a Ranger! * Where is it
 from?Guess! * REGINA! You did
 WHAT? * The Truck Rule * John
 Brown...he got hanged! (monica's
 song) * Monica, were you in the
 hospital and didn't tell us?? * Very
 very...* Barnes and Noble * The
 Baylor Guys * Amy's gonna meet
 Tim McGraw! * Does Regina go to
 our school?*





Tannara,

"Search for your own heart with all diligence for out of it flows the issues of life."

We are so proud of your many accomplishments. We love you and know this is just the beginning.

Mom, Rhonda, and Mom Emma

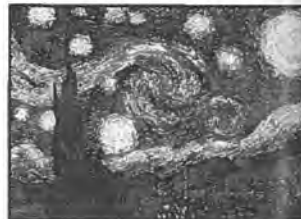


Gutierrez

*Simply the BEST...
Love, your #1 fan*

*Rochelle,
Congratulations!
May your future be filled with
Starry Nights,
may your dreams become reality,
and may you always believe
your most important gift is being uniquely
YOU!*

*PAX! God Bless!
Love,
Sister Eileen and Sister Pat
Michelle and Angel
Nathan and "Sam the man"*



*"Starry Night"
by Vincent Van Gogh*



The day you entered our lives was incredible. You have been our pride and joy in everything that you have pursued. What a kind, honest and special young man you are. Reach for the sky and one day you will soar.

Matthew means "Gift from God." That you truly are.

Love,
Mom and Dad

Matthew Heil

Dustin,

*Your are our shining star.
We love you.
Congratulations!*

Mom, Dad and Dean

*You're an original, an individual, a masterpiece.
Celebrate that; don't let your uniqueness make you shy.
Don't be someone other than the wonder you are.
Every star is important to the sky.*

-Douglas Pagels





Charlie Garcia

As the sands of time carry you through your future endeavors, may God brighten your path as your smile brightens any room.

Keep your goals high as you have done all this time and keep meeting all your goals.

God bless and love you, Mom and Dad and all your family

Congratulations



Congratulations Andres!

*The Lord is your guardian;
The Lord is your shade at your right hand
By the day the sun cannot harm you,
nor the moon by night.
The Lord will guard you from evil,
will always guard your life
The Lord will guard you coming and going
both now and forever.*

Psalm 121, 5-8

Love, Mom, Dad, Carlos and Ricky



Autographs

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Congratulation on graduating and nothing but best wishes in the future.

Love,
Mom and Dad



Our Dearest Abe,
We have always held you to the highest standards and principles: you have never let us down. Now, as you enter college we know that you will once again make us proud of you. Congratulations, on one of your major life milestones. May the Lord's tender love be with you day by day: to help you and to guide you every step along your life's journey. We love you and are very proud of you.

With all our love,
Mom, Dad, and Yvonne

"And all things, whatsoever we shall ask in prayer, believing, we shall receive." (Matt 21:2)



Noelle Fernandez



Where are you going my little one, little one

Where are you going my baby my own

Turn around and you're two

Turn around and you're four

Turn around and you're a young girl

Going out of the door



Where are you going my little one, little one

Little dirndls and petticoats, where are you now?

Turn around and you're tiny

Turn around and you're grown

Turn around and you're a woman

With a life of your own

We're so proud of you!

God Bless You,

Love, Mom and Dad



Dana Susan DeLine

Congratulations to our intelligent, talented, beautiful and unique daughter. You have been blessed with so many opportunities to see the world and enjoy life. You have so blessed our lives. Never stop learning and never lose your wonderful sense of humor. Your potential is limitless; we're expecting great accomplishments.

*We love you, always and forever
Mom and Dad*



"To do righteousness and justice is more acceptable to the Lord than sacrifice."

Proverbs 21:3



Artie

as an Eagle Scout you have lived the Scout Law - trustworthy, loyal, helpful, friendly, courteous, kind, obedient, cheerful, thrifty, brave, clean, and reverent. These fine characteristics have carried you to this point in your life and will lay the foundation in your journey to the beginning of a lifetime of promise. You and your classmates, some you have shared classes with for fifteen years, have grown together and learned respect and tolerance. Life will be tough, but it's supposed to be - that's what makes it so great. The greatest classes are those where we learned to think for ourselves. You have learned moral lessons of integrity, commitment, loyalty, and compassion. Everything you have learned up to this point will benefit you down the road. Henry David Thoreau said, "We do not ride upon the railroad, it rides upon us", you have proven to be the rock of which others will rest. Confucius once said, "Our greatest glory is not in never failing but in rising every time we fall." As a person you have shown perseverance determination as shown in your climb to the rank of Eagle Scout, in your worldly accomplishments as a concert pianist, earning Incarnate Word Academy's Honor's Diploma and your participation in school functions such as sports, stunting (cheerleading), choir, dances, and as a participant in Mass. From the age of six to eighteen you have served God as an Altar Server at the Corpus Christi Cathedral, receiving the Eucharistic-Cross Bearer and Ten Year Service Awards.

As we look at ourselves, we realize that high school is really only a small link in the large chain of life. Progression is within each of us and will occur; yet graduation does not end that progression. Graduation is that milestone reached before you continue on your travels, like the preparation necessary before backpacking the South Rim, or diving the East and West Wall of the Caribbean, or the months of preparation before performing works by Rackmaninoff or Frederic Chopin at Carnegie Hall. Your graduation is the vehicle that will carry you into another dimension, to achieve, to accomplish your potential.

Love, Mom & Dad



* Abbey * Benjamin * Dana * Daniel *

"He doesn't sound _____, he sounds educated." * "Sally, your hair is soft, I want it on my head." * Abbey - "I'll be there in five minutes, I swear." * We are sooo way cooler than Italy." * Dana's brownies * Jackie, MIA and security hazard * Oil * "Stifle yourself." * "Abbey, I expect to see you in Sports Illustrated one day." * Mormons, Utah dush * Jessica - fry density and a _____ ratio * "My name is A-a-a-b-b-e-y." * Benjamin - "Okay, Liz, I'll back up off your grill." * "How does a cow laugh?...How does a mad cow laugh?" * LaRue in 2030 * "Aaaaaooooooooogah!" * "Extreme!" * "Feed my sheep." * "Yohn! May I please ask that you get out of dees box?!" * "Mooooooose!" * "Breakfast at Tiffany's" * Only I would break the swing!" * IWA - nosotros... * Figurative slime * "Don't touch that one! It's from Hungary!" * "I'm from Belgium!" * Geography roadtrip - the burial of the bird and the missing van * "But my cheeks will give away where I'm hiding!" * "Have y'all solved world hunger? ... Oh that was last Saturday night." * the grandma/cop car * papyrus scrolls * "I hate you" (deep southern accent) * "Hey pretty girl, why don't you smile!" * John and Jessica letting their creative juices flow * Jabadah *



"I can put you in a new car today!" * "John, put your newspaper away! ... But sir, Abbey has a paper too. ... I don't care, she's being quiet." * "We won't be late - we're in the Mazda" * "I'll walk out." - Dana's philosophy * John - "I swallowed my pen cap." * "Don estomp jour last season Prada choes at me, Honey." * "I like big _____" * "Jessica, go ask Sally." * "Omigod you just laid in your cheese danish! ... Oh! Do I have cheese in my hair?" * "Get out of the courtyard, John!" * "Do you like pina coladas?" * Jessica's whistle * Jessica's fries * Jessica = Martha Stewart * the van from 1902 * "Oh my gosh! I'm never touching that thing again! It touched the bag that contained the cotton balls that were near the spider and could possibly be infested!" * cannibleho * "Mah office, mah office, mah office!" * "I'm not Sally, I'm Sheena!" * Mexican truck drivers * Malt shop * "As a food handler's permit carrier I simply cannot, in good conscience, allow that." * "Friends don't let friends vote Democrat." * I'm too sexy" * Dana's cologne * Sally has West Nile * Mrs. Davis is giving hip hop dance lessons in the library * "Bad face!..."

* Jackie * Jessica * John * Sally *



Heather Marie Woods

May all of your hopes and dreams come true. We are so very proud of all that you have already done.

Please remember one thing always, Smile: God loves You and so do We.

Love, Mom, Dad, and James Alan



Heather Marie Woods Our Shining Star



We are so proud of you and all your achievements.

With all our love,
Meemaw, Aunt Janice, Uncle
Richard, Zachary

To Nicole

"Everyone hears what you say. Friends listen to what you say. But best friends listen to what you don't say."

Thank you

Love, Heather Marie



See you in 2004!



Clarissa,

When you need someone to talk to, I hope you will talk to us.

When you need someone to laugh with, I hope you will laugh with us.

When you need someone to advise you, I hope you will turn to us.

When you need someone to help you, I hope you will let us help you.

We cherish and love everything about you, our beautiful daughter.

We will always support you and guide you. We hope you realize how much you are loved and appreciated.

Mom & Dad





Congratulations Erasmo Guzman Jr.

You are a child who became a young man in front of our eyes. Your generosity, courage and heart can only be appreciated by those who truly took the time to know you.

You have overcome and accomplished so much throughout your school years. Through hard work and determination you have achieved your high school graduation.

Remember your faith in our Lord, God and trust in your heart to conquer the obstacles that cross your path.

You are a remarkable person we are proud to have as our son. Thank you for lighting our life with you eternal light.

Love, Dad, Mom and Susanna

Cherish your yesterdays, Dream your tomorrow,
But live your todays.

"For I know the plans I have for you, says the Lord, They are plans for good and not for evil, to give you a future full of hope, In those days when you pray, I will listen. You will find me when you seek me, if you look for me in earnest." Jeremiah 29:11



"Our daughters are the most precious of our treasures, and the dearest possessions of our homes, and the objects of our most watchful love."
Margaret E. Sangster

"Your beauty...should be that of your inner self, the unfolding beauty of a gentle and quiet spirit, which is of great worth in God's sight." 1 Peter 3:3-4, NIV

Pumpkin, no father could be prouder than I am of you. As I've always told you, a person's success is in who they are inside, and how they are with others. Your intelligence can only get you where you want to go if you have the skills of perseverance, determination, and strength; success will happen when you mix these factors. It's good to dream; Visions are our goals. Goals cannot happen without hard work. I believe in you and it will be hard to let you go. You will always have you parent's counsel, love, and prayers. Love, daddy. Remember our song - The Rainbow Connection.

Amy, I can't believe it's that time already, my little sister going to college. We'll be together once again, like we always have. I want you to know that you are one of the most special people that I have ever known, and you deserve the very best in life. Without you my life would be empty. We are nearly twins and are the closest that any two sisters can be. You are going to be successful in life, and I know that, because you are smart, strong, beautiful, and a loving person. You have grown to be very self confident, determined, respected, person who feels comfortable with herself.

You are one of a kind, and I am so blessed to have you as a sister. Love, Beth.

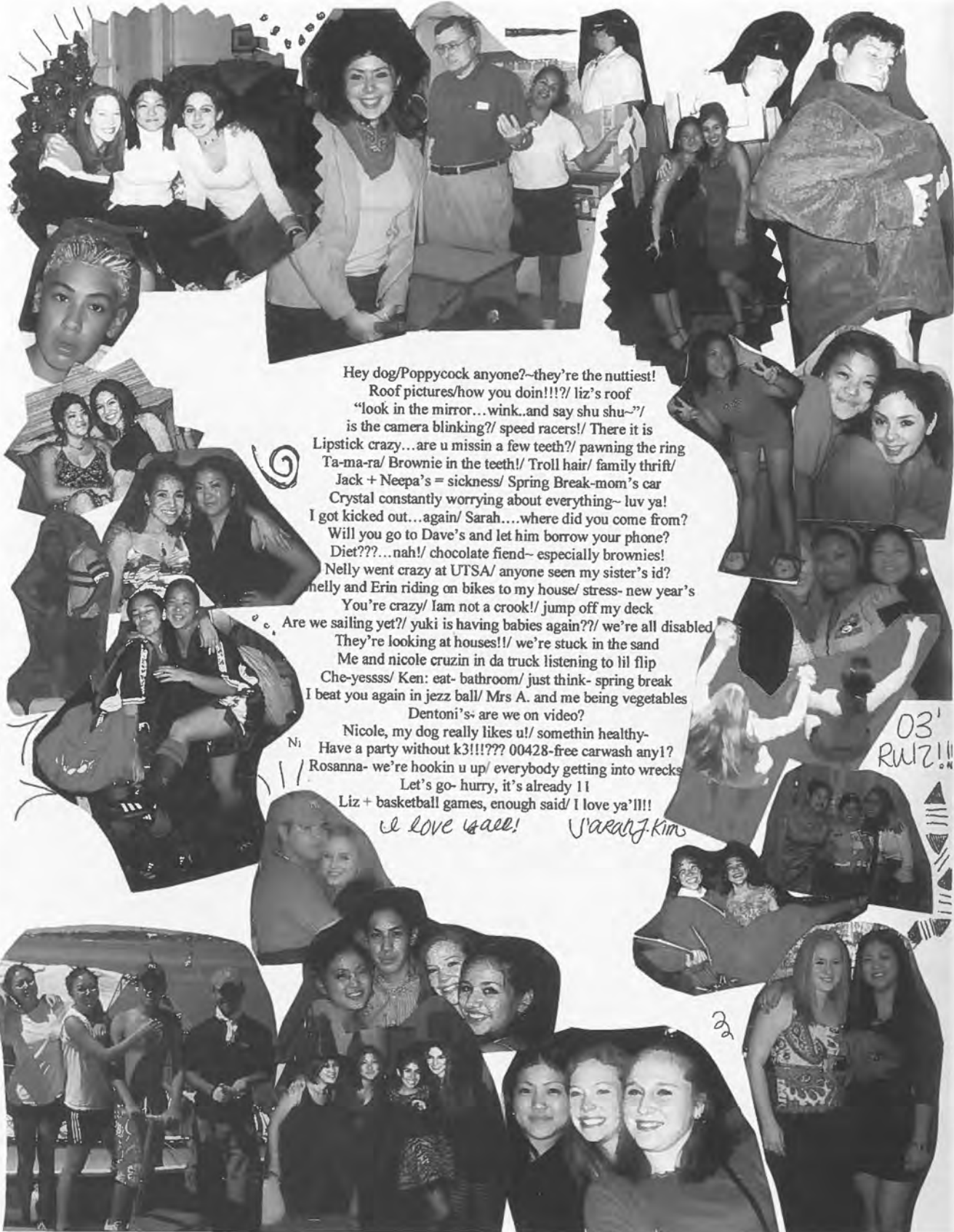
My friends can't wait for all of us to be together!
Go BAYLOR BEARS

Dearest Sweet Pea, All the dreams I prayed you'd be, Are all the things you are.

You were once my little girl, and now my Shining Star. I respect who you are and who you've become. There is no doubt that you will succeed in whatever career you follow; but most of all I know you will succeed in your spirituality and your service to the world. I bless you as you leave us knowing all will go well, God as your Shepherd, His Angels as your shield, your Beautiful Friendships as your Support, what more can one ask for?

With all my love and tears, Mom.





Hey dog/Poppycock anyone?~they're the nuttiest!
 Roof pictures/how you doin!!!!/ liz's roof
 "look in the mirror...wink..and say shu shu~"/
 is the camera blinking?/ speed racers!/ There it is
 Lipstick crazy...are u missin a few teeth?/ pawning the ring
 Ta-ma-ra/ Brownie in the teeth!/ Troll hair/ family thrift/
 Jack + Neepa's = sickness/ Spring Break-mom's car
 Crystal constantly worrying about everything~ luv ya!
 I got kicked out...again/ Sarah....where did you come from?
 Will you go to Dave's and let him borrow your phone?
 Diet???...nah!/ chocolate fiend~ especially brownies!
 Nelly went crazy at UTSA/ anyone seen my sister's id?
 Nelly and Erin riding on bikes to my house/ stress- new year's
 You're crazy/ I am not a crook!!/ jump off my deck
 Are we sailing yet?/ yuki is having babies again?/ we're all disabled
 They're looking at houses!!/ we're stuck in the sand
 Me and nicole cruzin in da truck listening to lil flip
 Che-yessss/ Ken: eat- bathroom/ just think- spring break
 I beat you again in jezz ball/ Mrs A. and me being vegetables
 Dentoni's: are we on video?
 Nicole, my dog really likes u!/ somethin healthy-
 Have a party without k3!!!!??? 00428-free carwash any!?
 Rosanna- we're hookin u up/ everybody getting into wrecks
 Let's go- hurry, it's already 11
 Liz + basketball games, enough said/ I love ya'!!!!
I love ya all! Sarah J. Kim

03' RWZ!!!



DOROTHY, WE ALL LOVE YOU AND WE ARE ALL SO PROUD OF YOU... ALL WE ALL WANT YOU TO REMEMBER, IS TO DARE TO DREAM THE IMPOSSIBLE DREAMS, BECAUSE BABY THEY DO COME TRUE... REMEMBER TO ALWAYS KEEP GOD AS YOUR CENTER.. BABY, REMEMBER THAT WHAT DOESN'T KILL YOU MAKES YOU STRONGER AND PLEASE, PLEASE NEVER GIVE UP... YES, YOU FINALLY MADE IT TO THE STATE CHOIR AND NO YOU ARE NOT DREAMING... LOVE YOUR BIG BROTHER AL, SISTER NATALIE, JOSEPH, YES AND THE JONSTER TOO, DAD, MOM, AUNTIE ANNIE, AUNTIE JOANN, AUNTIE JOYCE, UNCLE TONY AND YES STACY TOO...

As the year comes to a close, the journalism staff has come alive and created a new and improved Aurora. Several changes have been made and we hope that the student body is impressed with the quality of the book. After weeks of cropping, caption writing, and picture taking, a great yearbook has been produced. I want to thank all those who helped. To Ms. Coleman, thank you for taking the time and effort to revise all of our work. We will miss you next year. To all the parents, thank you for contributing pictures. And most of all, a big thanks goes to Mrs. Jewett. It has been great working with you. You have taught me the meaning of hard work and dedication. We appreciate all the time you spent helping make the book a success. To the class of 2003, I wish you all the best life has to offer- these four years together have been great!

Lacey Floerke
Editor-in-Chief '03



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The staff chose to use a number of fonts this year, including but not limited to the following: Ad Lib, Unitas, Ariel, Arena Condensed, Times New Roman, MicroSquare in a variety of typestyles and point sizes.

Students used Microsoft Word and Pagemaker 6.5 to create the pages. Pages were submitted to Herff-Jones on zip disks.